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Boatload Of Stars To Headline Showboat '76

The Lowell Showboat, a traditional community event started in the year of 1932, will again be "steaming around Cattail Bend of the Flat River, nightly during the week of July 26 through July 31.

Its boatload of entertainers and crew will dock along side the Showboat amphitheatre, about nine o'clock each night, and present a show that will be the highlight of the summer for most of the patrons of the show.

Frankie's weekly comedy performance on the new Gleason series. It was during his contract with the Gleason show that he developed a fine singing voice, which broadened his versatility.

Because of Frankie's gigantic strides in the entertainment world and his universal popularity, a neophyte performer's goal might well be "to be as well liked and as great a performer as Frankie Fontaine."



Fontaine

The traditional entertainment of the endmen, Mister Interlocutor, talent night winners, the songs and music of the Showboat Chorus and band, plus the comedy of one of America's great comedians, Frankie Fontaine, will take place every night, Monday thru Saturday.

Co-starring on the 1976 Showboat with Fontaine will be The Singing Dolls, Huntzinger and Harlan, and Kramer and Company.

Show business is the heritage of Frankie Fontaine, the versatile comedian who tickled the nation's TV funnybone so successfully on Jackie Gleason's "American Scene Magazine" TV show.

Coming from a family of entertainers, Frankie has carried on the performing tradition in all phases of show business for over twenty-five years.

Born in Cambridge, Massachusetts, Frankie created the character of John L. C. Sivy on the age of fifteen, telling stories to six and seven-year-old neighborhood children. At sixteen, he won an amateur hour contest doing impressions of Lionel Barrymore, Edward G. Robinson, Jimmy Durante, Cary Grant and Jimmy Cagney.

Shortly after this triumph, he married his childhood sweetheart, Alma Claire Wakeham, and continued to pursue his career as a showman, but interrupted it momentarily to raise a family and serve his country in the United States Army for two and a half years.

Upon his discharge from the Army, Frankie accepted an offer to tour the East as a comedian with the Vaughn Monroe band, later making an appearance on the first Ed Sullivan show.

The father of eleven children, Frankie has made a total of twelve motion pictures, has been the star attraction in leading night clubs, and has made numerous television appearances.

In the summer of 1962, Frankie received a phone call from Jackie Gleason which resulted in one of the happiest show business relationships and



Singing Dolls

The Singing Dolls, recently returned from a whirl-wind tour of the United States will bring to the Showboat stage a colorful and exciting act.

These verveful young ladies combine exceptional vocal and dancing talents into the most exciting of strolling-entertainment.

Huntzinger & Harlan

The zany trampoline duo of Huntzinger and Harlan, will provide the Showboat audiences with an act that will keep you laughing during the minstrel show under the stars.

Their combination of skills on the trampoline and the ability to make people laugh has made them a popular duo at all types of shows.



Kramer & Company

The most entertaining and unbelievable illusionists in the world today is Kramer and Company. Millions of viewers have been mystified and entertained by his numerous appearances on national television.

Kramer's creative mind and modern approach bring to you an unforgettable entertainment experience. His specialties are the Zig Zag Lady, Sword Chamber, Burned Alive and the Guillotine.

Other Features

Along with the stars, the Showboat viewers will hear the Lowell Showboat Chorus under the direction of Tom Hagen; the five endmen, who are a show by themselves; Mr. Interlocutor, Gordon Gould; and an amateur talent winner.

Attractions

During Showboat week, July 26 through July 31, several special attractions will be taking place. Thursday and Friday, the Lowell Showboat Garden Club will be holding their annual flower show at the Runciman

Elementary School.

The Black Pearl Art Fair will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday and on Friday and Saturday an ice cream social will be held at the First United Methodist Church on East Main Street between 4:30 and 8 p.m.

On Saturday, 4 to 8 p.m., the Lowell Lions Club will be serving barbecued chicken. The National Campers and Hikers' Association will hold a rally at the Lowell 4-H Fairgrounds on July 30 and 31.

Tickets for the 1976 Lowell Showboat can be reserved by calling 897-9237.

Talent Winners

Last Saturday night, July 17, at the Showboat amphitheatre, 30 top amateur acts appeared to make a bid for a select spot on the 44th annual Lowell Showboat.

Six winners, one to appear each night, were selected by the panel of judges. The winners and the dates they will appear are as follows:



"The Hustlers"

Monday, July 26, "The Hustlers," from Sheryl's School of Dance in Detroit. Doing a dance routine will be Carol Nagy, Pat Palmer, Debbie Esch, Helen DeHore, and Tina DeWald.



"The Medicare Flappers"

Tuesday, July 27, "The Medicare Flappers," from Grand Rapids. This dance routine will be performed by Marie McEvoy, Shari Tahus, Ilene Vogt, Rose Jarosz and Kay Schmidt.



"Thank God I'm A Country Boy"

Wednesday, July 28, "Thank God I'm A Country Boy," from Sheryl's School of Dance in Detroit. The group is composed of Julie Marshall, Chrissy Schmunke, Margaret Dixon, Kala Kumar, Darlene Pelva, Shelly Pesta, Sandy Davies, Jolie Streeth, Kourtney Streeth, Kelly Covert, Bridget Heffron.

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Above The Board

Budget Cuts Fall On Irate Ears

For the first few meetings new members of any board usually feel it is better to be seen and not heard as they feel their way and get the lay of the land. For the most part they are either stoney faced or smile a lot. They nod in the right places and vote yes or no along with the majority but mostly they listen—listen and think.

At last week's regular meeting of the Lowell Board of Education both new members, Judy Jansma and Wayne Dowling, had a lot to listen to and think about. Both got their feet wet in a hurry and certainly realized, if they hadn't already known, that being a member of a school board in today's society is no longer a position of a figure-headed honor accorded to members of the community held more less in esteem. It is, instead, one of long hours, hard work, and thank-less criticism where you don't please all of the people any of the time.

Cut Programs

Both Mrs. Jansma and Dowling, as well as Blanche Mullen and Dr. Richard Siegle, the retiring members they replaced, took an active part in deciding where the budget cuts should be since the last school election did not approve the one additional mill needed to keep the present school program pretty much the way it was last year.

The decision of the board was to do away with all freshmen and Middle School's interscholastic sports, to limit JV to only football and basketball, to completely cut out Varsity hockey, girls' gymnastics, forensics, school plays and musicals, and curtain band performances in both Middle School and High School. In short, to eliminate all activities, except varsity sports, where teachers are given an additional salary, other than their base classroom pay, to coach or direct these extra-curricular offerings.

Irritates Audience

These budget cuts fell on irate ears of spectators in the audience who reacted immediately toward the end of the meeting when visitors are given time to speak before the board.

The criticism seemed to fall in two general categories; the first that the board said they wouldn't make any drastic cuts if just the two-and-one-half renewal millage passed and, secondly, that there were many other areas that could be cut without getting into the athletic areas.

Answering the first objection that they promised only "belt-tightening" and no appreciable cuts in programs, Board Member Roger Kropf stated that the board definitely told members of the study committee and the public at large that what was needed to continue the present program intact was the two-and-one-half renewal PLUS a two mill increase due to the extreme rise in supply prices and utilities cost. The study committee did not go along with the board's request and recommended, instead, the renewal plus a one

mill increase. Kropf said that at every meeting that was held the people were told that even with the one mill increase there would still have to be cuts here and there but that they wouldn't be drastic. When the one mill failed, it should have been obvious to everyone that further cutbacks would have to be made.

Voters Decide

"True," Kropf said, "there is \$500,000 in the board's fund equity but it is a dangerous business practice to go too far into that."

"The voting members of our school community told us in no uncertain terms that they wanted us to tighten our belts and run the school on less money when they voted that one mill down so you tell me how we could possibly keep our program just the same and spend all the reserve in doing it and then come back to the voters and ask for more millage when we hadn't done what they indicated they wanted in the election and made the cuts," Kropf asked. "As it is, we are going \$200,000 into the fund equity and cutting back approximately \$111,300 in operation. Whether we like it or not, we are all in a bind and we've got two years of this and if we are going to weather it out this way, we're all going to have to cooperate," he concluded.

areas) and these were said, from an educator's viewpoint, to be far more drastic than reductions in the sports program. Many other cuts were also instituted such as capital outlay, building budgets for supplies, textbooks, conferences, etc., teachers' aids in all buildings, field trips, spectator buses for sporting events, and board and administration expenses for travel, conferences, supplies, etc.

At one point it was suggested by a member of the audience that it would have been better if the school had not hired a new business manager, because for so many years it got along without any, and had kept all sports instead. Supt. Leonard Sinke today defended the board's position on the manager stating that the \$4,020,000 budget cannot be administered effectively by just two men and that in actuality the salary paid a business manager is money well spent since it has been proven in the last few years that Lowell has had a manager that he brought in more money and saved more money by far than he was ever paid.

New President

Before all the audience hassle started the board did elect its officers for the coming year and Roger Roberts was named president, Dave Miller, secretary and Orion Thaler, treasurer.

Roberts made what was perhaps the understatement of the night when he opined that he was taking office in what was probably going to be "a tough year to operate in," and retiring president Harold Metternick injected the only humor of the meeting as he said it had been a great honor to serve as president for the past year and that he was "awfully glad we didn't get in on any breakins and we managed to stay out of the recent type of Washington scandal too.

The location of the regular board meetings has been changed and they will now be held in the Bushnell Kiva twice each month on the second and fourth Mondays of the month beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Second Objection

As far as the second objection was concerned that the cuts were made in the wrong places, the first three items listed on the cutback were the elimination of a transition room (which is important to those students who have completed kindergarten but are not yet ready for first grade) a fifth grade teacher and a Middle School Teacher (which will up the class load in those

Pedestrian Struck By Van In Lowell



Lowell Chief of Police Barry Emmons and DPW Supervisor Tony Siciliano administering first aid to accident victim Pat Kinyon.

Pat Kinyon 19, of the Alto area was struck as he stepped in front of a van driven by Mrs. Phyllis Wilson of Palo, on Main St. near Monroe St. in Lowell. The accident occurred at about 2:45 p.m. on Monday, July 19.

Kinyon suffered only minor injuries from the impact which knocked him several feet down Main St.

Mrs. Wilson was not ticketed.

THE WESTERN AUTO STORE - Lowell, will be closed July 26-31. c36

New permanent postal rates went into effect Sunday, July 18. Not affected in the increase was the cost to mail a first class letter, first ounce, 13 cents, and post cards, 9 cents.

Lowell Postmaster Charles Doyle revealed second class rates went up two cents for the first two ounces, and the third class rate was upped by a penny. The bulk rate for circulars, books, catalogues, etc., was 'decreased' by five cents.

Other increases included registered mail, minimum \$100, from \$1.25 to \$2.10; certified mail, 40 cents to 60 cents; insurance, \$15, 25 cents to 40 cents; money order, \$10 to \$50 value, 45 cents to 70 cents; special delivery, up to 2 lbs. 80 cents to \$1.25; Special handling, up to 2 pounds, 30 cents to 50 cents.

A \$25 reward has been offered by Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson for information leading to the arrest of the person or persons responsible for the destruction to their petunia and geranium flower beds at 517 Avery Street.

Mrs. Erickson reports that while they were away Sunday several of their plants were snipped off at the top and others were trampled. "This is the third time we've had this happen," she explained.

"No, it's the fourth time," she revealed Tuesday morning, July 20, as the flower gardens were again trampled and plants damaged late Monday night."

The Lowell High School graduating class of 1966 will hold its 10th year reunion at Shady Acres on Saturday, August 14, at 7:30 p.m.

For more information, call Linda Craig at 774-8421 or 897-9564 after 6 p.m.

A bicentennial flare has been added to the lawn of the Lowell Post Office on North Broadway Street, where the petunia beds around the flag pole bring out the red, white and blue of the nation's colors.

Another spot of beauty are the flower beds around the Zephyr Service Station on West Main Street. Our compliments to the manager for maintaining such an attractive looking facility.

Another touch of modernization, in time for Showboat, is the new front being installed on the V.F.W. Post on East Main Street.

Two female shoplifters were apprehended last Saturday evening at the Eberhard's Store on West Main Street.

Vandals broke into the Runciman School last Thursday night and stole a case of pop according to school officials.

Involved in a property damage accident last Thursday morning at 5:30 a.m. on Grand River Drive, near the Citgo Gas plant was Mrs. Adah Rinard, when the car she was driving struck and killed a doe deer.

Arrested by Lowell Police last Thursday, on a warrant issued in Grand Rapids was Fred Cunningham.

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Grattan Township
County of Kent
State of Michigan

GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Grattan:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a General Primary Election will be held in the

Township of Grattan
County of Kent
State of Michigan

ON

TUESDAY,
AUGUST 3, 1976

FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN NOMINATION CANDIDATES OF THE DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN PARTIES OR TO QUALIFY THE SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY, SOCIALIST LABOR PARTY, COMMUNIST LABOR PARTY, UNITED STATES LABOR PARTY, LIBERTARIAN PARTY TO HAVE ITS NAME, PARTY VIGNETTE, AND CANDIDATES ON THE NEXT GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN NOMINATION ALL POLITICAL PARTIES PARTICIPATING THEREIN, CANDIDATES FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES, VIZ:

CONGRESSIONAL United States Senator, Representative in Congress.
LEGISLATIVE County Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Drain Commissioner, Surveyor, County Commissioner and such other Officers as are elected at that time.

AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN NOMINATION CANDIDATES PARTICIPATING IN A NON-PARTISAN PRIMARY ELECTION FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES, VIZ:

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, PROBATE COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT COURT JUDGE.

AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING Delegates to the County Convention of the Democratic Party

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m., and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

Patrick Malone, Grattan Township Clerk

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M-44 Office—6835 building Rd. [Corner of Myers Lake Ave.] Rosford Lobby Open 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Mon., Tue, Wed. & Thurs. 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Fridays 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Saturdays Drive-in Open Mon., Thurs. 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Fri. 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Sat. 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

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LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Potpourri

Albert Oates of Cascade has been an operative patient at Bioggett Hospital.

Sergeant Herbert E. Weld, Security Officer for Pinkerton's, Inc., in the local area was selected as the outstanding "Security Officer of the Month" for 1976. Mr. Weld has been employed with Pinkerton's for ten years and earned the award over the other 400 employees of Pinkerton's, Inc. branch office located in Grand Rapids.

Richard M. DeVos, one of the nation's most eloquent speakers on the free enterprise system, was in Gary, Indiana, July 14, to help launch a spectacular industrial salute to America's 200th birthday. DeVos, president and co-founder of Amway Corp. of Ada, was the guest speaker at a dinner to kick off a 10-day Bicentennial Open House at the Gary Works of United States Steel Corporation.

Robert Boyd of Lowell and Carinda Gabrielle were united in marriage on Saturday, June 26, at 4 p.m. in the First Congregational Church of Lowell. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boyd of Lowell.

Congratulations to Mary Shaw of Lowell on splitting the \$500 Bingo Jackpot at the Saranac V.F.W. games last Wednesday night.

Area Five of the Michigan Coalition on Aging, held their quarterly meeting at Montclair Community College on Friday, July 16th. Election of officers was held and the following were elected for the ensuing year: Chairman Ed Johnson of Greenville; Vice-chairman, Ed Kind of Grand Rapids; Secretary, Myrtle Saunders of Ionia; and Treasurer, Howard Clark of Lowell. Area Five is comprised of seven counties, and concerns itself mostly with legislation which affects the elderly.

United States Senator, Representative in Congress, Legislative County Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Drain Commissioner, Surveyor, County Commissioner and such other Officers as are elected at that time.

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residing at 1145 Fourteenth Street, Route 1, Otsego, Michigan 49078.

Home on a leave of absence from the USPS Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland, over the weekend was Frank VanDusen. After visiting the Donald MacNaughton family, he returned to the hospital for further tests and observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton (Ruby) Avery of 36th Street, Lowell, will celebrate their 59th wedding anniversary on Sunday, August 1. It's also anniversary time for Mr. and Mrs. Gary Eickhoff, their 19th on August 3, and Mr. and Mrs. Arle Leeman, their 28th on August 5.

Glenn Miller, sr., of Lowell will be celebrating his birthday on Sunday, July 25.

A second place rating was given to the Saginaw Drum and Bugle Corps of Saginaw last Friday night in Grand Rapids in competition for the American Legion State Championship, the Corps led by Lowell High School teachers Mike Clark and Bob Rice, however, took first place in competition Sunday at Vassar.

Ulla Folberg of Faaborg, Denmark, has been spending the past few weeks with the Robert Cousins family in Lowell. Lori Cousins was a YFU Exchange Student living with Miss Folberg in Denmark three years ago and this is the Danish girl's second visit to Lowell since then.

Jorgan Rasmussen, also of Faaborg, will arrive this weekend to spend four days with the Cousins before both young people return to Denmark.

Ulichnie—Bloom Vows Exchanged

The First Baptist Church of Middleville was the setting Saturday, June 12, for the marriage of Miss Norma Mae Bloom and Anthony David Ulichnie, jr.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bloom of Wayland. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony D. Ulichnie, sr., of Lowell are the groom's parents.

Preceding the bride down the aisle were her honor attendants, Miss Daria S. Cooper maid of honor, and Mary Saladin, Lauree, Carla and Ornae Bloom bridesmaids.

Attending the groom as best man was Tom Scheidel. Seating the guests were Rick Throner, George Lessens, Ken Browson and Phil Ulichnie.

The newlyweds are making their home in Wayland.

Summer Outdoor Education Class

Dave Milley, Chris Anderson and Craig Stevens in their outdoor nature studies examine the Butterfly wood.

Wednesday afternoon finds fifteen area youngsters participating in a variety of outdoor skills. Canoeing, hiking, gun safety and trailblazing are some of the activities in the summer outdoor education class.

The class is sponsored by the Lowell Community Education office and instructed by Steve Harrington, School Naturalist. Youngsters involved in the class report having a good time and learning about the outdoors.

The class is open to youngsters 8 to 11-years-old and will be expanded next year.

Also Cow On 'Milk Top Twenty'

A cow owned by an Alto dairyman has qualified for listing among the Michigan Dairy Herd Improvement Association's exclusive "Milk Top Twenty" high producers for the month of June.

Marine Lance Corporal Dennis D. Denton, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noha Withereff of 2490 Timpony Avenue, Lowell, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 3d Marine Division, Okinawa.

A former student of Lowell High School, he joined the Marine Corps in November, 1974.

Consolidated Report Of Condition State Savings Bank

of Lowell, Michigan June 30, 1976.

of the Board of Directors: Lucille Green, Assistant Cashier, State and title of officer authorized to sign report.

It is to the best of my knowledge and belief that the foregoing report, taken in the context of this report of condition and balance sheet, has been prepared by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Lucille Green
Herbert Elzinga
Keith Caldwell
H. J. Englehardt

Notary Public
Yvonne Gauger

My commission expires January 20, 1979

Commissioned in Army

Cheryl Fleming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fleming of 1515 Woodhill Drive, S.E., was among the 25 Michigan State University ROTC cadets commissioned into the United States Army on June 12.

Miss Fleming, a senior majoring in criminal justice, will report to Quartermaster School at Fort Lee, Virginia, after graduating fall term.

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ASSETS	Dollar Amount in Thousands	Per Cent
1. Cash and due from banks	1,172.4	1.1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	7,950.3	7.7
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	1,024.1	1.0
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	4,172.4	4.1
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	8,806.2	8.6
6. Federal funds sold and temporary loans	321.4	0.3
7. Trading account securities	1,806.2	1.8
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices	1,952.2	1.9
9. Loans, (Total including unearned interest)	10,245.1	10.0
a. Loans receivable from banks	10,224.2	10.0
b. Loans, net	10,224.2	10.0
10. Other assets	1,024.1	1.0
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank position	1,772.1	1.7
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises	30.1	0.0
13. Investments in unaffiliated subsidiaries and associated companies	1,024.1	1.0
14. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptance outstanding	1,024.1	1.0
15. Other assets	1,024.1	1.0
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)	21,644.1	100.0
LIABILITIES		
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,693.1	17.1
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	12,561.2	58.1
19. Deposits of United States Government	7.2	0.0
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	3,164.2	14.6
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	1,024.1	4.7
22. Deposits of commercial banks	1,024.1	4.7
23. Certified and official checks	1,024.1	4.7
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC OFFICES	14,408.0	66.5
a. Total demand deposits	3,714.1	17.2
b. Total time and savings deposits	10,693.9	49.3
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN FOREIGN OFFICES	19,799.1	91.4
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices	1,024.1	4.7
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money	1,024.1	4.7
27. Mortgage indebtedness	1,024.1	4.7
28. Contingencies reserved for in case of loss of this bank and outstanding	1,024.1	4.7
29. Other liabilities	1,024.1	4.7
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding unearned interest and debentures)	18,804.3	87.0
31. Unearned interest and debentures	2,839.8	13.1
32. Preferred stock	0.0	0.0
33. Common stock	3,250.0	15.0
a. No shares outstanding	3,250.0	15.0
b. Shares outstanding	3,250.0	15.0
34. Surpluses	1,772.1	8.2
35. Undivided profits	1,024.1	4.7
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	1,024.1	4.7
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)	6,048.2	28.0
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)	21,644.1	100.0
MEMORANDA		
a. Amount for 30 calendar days ending with said date	XXX XXX XXX	
b. Cash and due from banks (includes items 1 thru 1)	1,172.4	5.4
c. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)	92.1	0.4
d. Total assets	21,644.1	100.0
e. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices (corresponds to item 24 above)	10,522.2	48.6
f. Total deposits	14,408.0	66.5
g. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)	1,024.1	4.7
h. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)	1,024.1	4.7
i. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices	1,024.1	4.7
j. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	1,024.1	4.7
k. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	1,024.1	4.7
l. Deposit of the State of Michigan (included in item 20)	1,024.1	4.7

Local 'CB' Team REACT Could Prove Difference Between Life And Death

Ever run out of gas when you're driving late at night? Or experience a flat tire on a quiet country road? Or get involved in an auto accident in which several of your passengers require immediate medical attention?

Chances are you have been in one or more of these trying situations. Perhaps hours elapsed before you were found and helped.

Starting this week, the chances of your receiving speedy attention have been significantly increased. That's because 20 local operators of Citizens Band Radio are going to be looking out for you and other community residents as they travel along.

If they find you in distress, they're going to use their mobile transceivers to alert the police or fire department or whatever agency may be needed.

The CB operators will supply their know-how and equipment through a newly-formed local REACT team. Like 40,000 other REACT participants organized into 1,000 teams throughout the U.S. and Canada, the teams will serve on a volunteer basis.

In addition to providing a supplementary system of radio communication in emergencies, the team will promote the correct, efficient use of citizens radio. The REACT program is coordinated through REACT International, Inc., an independent non-profit public service organization.

Coordinating the Sky Hi REACT team, covering Lowell, Alto and 1-1/2 areas, will be Tom Vaughan, of 11479-40th St., Alto. Vaughan emphasized that the group is monitoring the official emergency channel 9, 24 hours a day and is prepared to relay emergency messages to the proper authorities by telephone.

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To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Vergennes:

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ON

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Irene Osborne, Vergennes Township Clerk

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Award Conveys Appreciation

What Wabasis Park lost in red and white pines during last March 2's destructive ice storm, it gained in lumber that is being used to enlarge the park's storage garage.

So says Donald Arnott, Kent County park superintendent, who explains that the downed trees were sawed into lumber for a 20x30-foot addition to the 20x20-foot garage.

"Cost of building the addition is less than \$1,000 whereas if we had had to buy the lumber and have it built, the cost would have been about \$4,000," he states.

Arnott says the garage is used to store about half of the mowers, tractors and other park equipment.

"The other half of the equipment has been stored outdoors, but with the addition, which is expected to be completed in about three weeks, all the units will be under cover," he states.

The addition is being built by park personnel.

A park department truck hauled the logs to the Rex Robinson sawmill on M-57 in Kent County, where they were sawed into boards and 2x4's. The logs were not debarked so the lumber has a rustic look. Arnott points out.

He adds that some of the lumber is being used to repair picnic tables.

Dave Barnes

Downed Trees Sawed into Lumber

Jeff Schreier, left, Vice-President of Pickitt and Schreier Highway Construction and Gravel Producers, was on hand Friday, July 16, to receive an award.

Because, on two occasions, Mr. Schreier made generous donations of stone materials for the construction of Little League baseball fields, the YMCA awarded him the "Y Patron of Youth Award." Ronald Moore, YMCA Director, presented the award and conveyed the appreciation of the youth of Lowell who will benefit from the newly constructed ball fields.

The two new Little League fields were made possible because of Schreier's donation and the cooperation of the City of Lowell, Lowell Schools and the Lowell YMCA.

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Lowell's Newest Business

From left, Jack Lucchesi, Sr., his wife, Emma, their niece, Kim Lucchesi and their son, Jack Lucchesi, Jr.

Lucchesi's Pizza House, Lowell's newest business, opened their doors on Tuesday, June 22nd. The business is owned and operated by Jack and Emma Lucchesi currently of Grand Rapids. Helping them out will be their son, Jack Jr. and a niece, Kim Lucchesi. The business is located at 119 E. Main Street.

The restaurant will of course feature pizzas but will also serve Italian pork or beef sandwiches, sausages, submarines, meat balls and soft drinks. Hours will be from 4 p.m. till midnight, Tuesday thru Saturday.

Mr. Lucchesi was employed for the last fifteen years by the F & A Cheese Co., and drove trucks for them, working out of Grand Rapids. The Lucchesi's are not new to this business, they owned and operated a similar store on South Division in Grand Rapids years ago.

Mr. Lucchesi pointed out that they have purchased all new equipment and have passed their Health Department inspection with flying colors.

The Lucchesi's say that they have their home in Grand Rapids for sale and that they plan to move to Lowell as soon as possible.

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VOTE AUGUST 3 JO SOMERVILLE KENT COUNTY COMMISSIONER
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OPEN HOUSE TO HONOR FOEBUS

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Foebur will honor their parents on their 25th wedding anniversary with an open house Sunday, July 25.

The open house will be held between the hours of two and five o'clock in the afternoon at the Masonic Hall in Clarksville.

All of the Foebur's friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

The longest chess bout was a marathon session of 101 hours played in 1970 in Suffolk, England.

DAVIS COMPLETES MARINE COURSE

Marine Private First Class Russell L. Davis, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Kenneth Davis of 262 Mill Street, Saranac, has completed the Basic Food Service Course at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

During the 11-week course, Davis gained a fundamental knowledge of food preparation, management and service. He studied basic cooking, nutrition, meat carving, menu planning, baking and related kitchen health and sanitation procedures.

A 1975 graduate of Saranac High School, he joined the Marine Corps in November, 1975.

Monday and returned Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Randall Vining of St. Johns, visited for sister, Mrs. Harold Sells and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campbell, Wednesday.

Wednesday afternoon guest of Edith Wheaton, was Dorothy Seiler.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Benjamin were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Benjamin and family of Ionia.

Crystal Mansfield and Eliza Johnson were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Courter.

Rex Cahoon of Big Rapids, was a weekend guest of his mother, Iva Cahoon.

Ruth Fuller and Bertha Miller of Clarksville were Sunday afternoon guests of Jessie Cahoon. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Chadwick spent the weekend at their cottage at West Lakes.

Ionia Hospital Medical: Mrs. Theodore Allen, Mrs. James Wieroski, Discharge: Colleen Cary, Mrs. Harry Wright.

Mrs. Florence Bloom of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cahoon, Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon visitor of Saranac Independents St. Anthony's Church: Haver's Refrigeration Saranac Teachers 6 8 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheaton Sara-Snac 4 8 Jon's Farm Market 0 14

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Miss Abbie Abshire is visiting home from Lansing.

Mrs. Dale Sprague and children were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Muri Childs, also were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hatada of Morrison Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Warner of Ardena are visiting around Saranac.

Erhel Goodell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ward Courter, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Maynard Bartlett attended Concordia Lutheran College, Ann Arbor, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beukema and Linda were at Muskegon Lake, last week.

Tom and Charlotte Houseman of Saugatuck were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Houseman, Sunday afternoon.

For reservations or more information, call 634-9192, Blanford Nature Center of the Grand Rapids Public Museum is located at 1715 Hillburn Avenue, N.W.

SHOWBOAT

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SHOWBOAT

WHISTLE TOOTS

Next week, July 26-31, is the big one for Lowell. The eyes of the entertainment world will be on a barge, a replica of a Mississippi riverboat making its way down Flat River. Its purpose is to bring some enjoyment, some nostalgia and a few laughs into the lives of people at large.

The idea was conceived by a group of businessmen way back in 1932 who were proud of Lowell. I am sure that this sense still exists, and for this reason we proudly present the 1976 Lowell Showboat.

The next Whistle Toot you hear will come from the Robert E. Lee itself.

The decks are cleared and the stage is set. Many meetings have been held by the Board of Directors, some in the dead of winter and many at seven o'clock in the morning. Hundreds of telephone calls have been made.

Countless numbers of outsiders have become involved. Thousands of dollars have been spent. This has become big business.

At this time we see no reason why this should not be one of our best shows. You will never be able to judge this for yourself unless you personally see the show. Make your reservations now.

Don't forget Monday is Family Night. Parents with children 52 each, children \$1 each.

A caravan of over thirty people converged on a splendid community park at Carson City, for an all out picnic supper last Wednesday night, enroute to the Chesaning Showboat.

Chesaning, presented its 35th Anniversary show (This will be Lowell's 44th year). Steve Allen was the featured attraction supported by The Everyday People, a singing group from Anderson College, Boys & Dodo, a high wire balancing act, four end-men, interactor and chorus.

The Chesaning program cost \$6. Lowell will present a same sized program free as you enter the gate.

The amphitheatre was the scene of the Amateur talent search last Saturday night, sponsored by the Lowell Lions Club. About a hundred applications poured in from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Owosso, Durand, Lowell, Saranac and many other communities.

Auditions were held two nights at the High School to trim the number down to about thirty acts for Saturday night's show.

There was not a bad act in the group and all contestants are to be complimented. Six acts were picked to appear on the Showboat program.

At this time after over forty years on the Showboat I reflect on the many fine people who have made Showboat possible, the many fine entertainers I have met personally, to the many endmen and chorus people. Interactors I have had the pleasure of working with.

Last, but not least, to the thousands of Showboat fans I have had contact with. You just can't put a dollar sign on memories.

Buckle up: Just because you have money to burn, is no sign you can take it with you when you die.

See you at the show!

ECONOMY RISES

Government statistics have shown continued growth in Americans' income and quickened activity in the housing industry, indicating steady growth in the general economy.

ENDANGERED PLANTS

Government Wildlife Service has announced the first listing of endangered plants, including some 1,700 types found in the United States.

Forest Hills Coach

Ernie Mousseau, Athletic Director of Aquinas College, has announced the appointment of Larry Wilson as the new coach of the Aquinas basketball team.

Wilson who has had nine years of experience, coached for two years at Lakeside High School and the past seven years at Forest Hills Central High School, during which time he had a 98-65 record.

The winner of two league and three district championships, Wilson earned both his undergraduate and M.A. degrees from Central Michigan University.

He also is a former all-state high school player from Mt. Pleasant High School and played two years at Northwood Institute. He was named to the all-state Class A basketball team in 1960 and 1961.

Funeral services for Mrs. Friedli will be held Thursday afternoon, July 22, at two o'clock in the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home in Lowell, with the Rev. Dean I. Bailey of the First United Methodist Church of Lowell officiating. Burial will be made in Oakwood Cemetery.

He also leaves a brother, Irwin Stahl of Clarksville; 15 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mr. Stahl were held Monday afternoon, July 19, at the Hope Brethren Church near Alto. Burial was made in the Bowne Mennonite Cemetery.

Mr. Stahl is survived by his wife, Alma; one step-son, Joe Stahl, at home; three step-daughters, Mrs. Clara (Janet) Konright, Mrs. John (Joan) Domask, and Mrs. Jack (Jean) Verstay, all of Grand Rapids.

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SMILES

A Sour Note "Why did you stop singing in the choir, Thomas?" "Well, one Sunday I was sick and didn't sing, and a lot of people in the congregation asked if the organ had been fixed!"

Vote — Aug. 3rd

MAUREEN DREHER

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—Clean Environment
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For County Commissioner

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ENTRY BLANK:

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Total _____

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C & J Lounge	10	5
Fry & Fry Ready Mix	8	6
Downs Agency	8	6
Saranac Independents	7	8
St. Anthony's Church	7	8
Haver's Refrigeration	6	7
Saranac Teachers	6	8
Sara-Snac	4	8
Jon's Farm Market	0	14

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Elementary Story Hour

Pat Feehan (left) and Phyllis Jager are members of the cast of "Just a Minute, Man," the story for elementary age children to be presented at the Lowell Library on Friday, July 30, at 10:30 a.m. The Kent County Library System will present this part of the "Yankee Doodle Dandies" summer programs as a combination of story dramatization and audience participation.

Local Couple Engaged To Wed

Cheryl Naurine Butcher of Kenwood, and Charles Thomas of Lowell, are engaged and planning an October 23rd wedding in Lowell.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Ferne Greene of Saranac and the groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sargent and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Thomas, all of Lowell.

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Vote - Aug. 3rd MAUREEN DREHER

Methodist Pre-School To Include Three-Year-Olds

For the first time in its history the Lowell United Methodist Pre-School will include a session for three-year-olds when its doors open this fall.

Since the morning sessions are already filled to capacity with the regular four-year-old pre-school groups, the "threes" will be scheduled for Wednesday and Friday afternoons from 12:15 to 2:30.

Teachers for the group will be Mrs. John Sterly, who holds a degree in elementary education, and Mrs. Thomas Harper, who has a home economics degree.

The ratio of pupils to teacher is a very important consideration in the United Methodist Pre-School. For this reason, a limit of twelve three-year-olds has been established. Children must have reached their third birthday by September 1, 1976, in order to be eligible for the program.

The Pre-School sessions will begin the week of September 13 and will follow the calendar of the Lowell Area Schools with identical vacation periods and emergency school closings.

The afternoon session for four-year-olds also has a few openings for children who will be going into kindergarten in 1977. Teachers for this group are Mrs. Dean Bailey, who has been with the program from its beginning, and Mrs. Walter Stevens, in her third year of teaching pre-school.

Further details and applications for registration may be obtained by calling the United Methodist Church office, 897-7514, Tuesday through Friday.

Skirts are very much in the news, today. People who tire of wearing pants, may switch around with different skirts, using the same blouses and jackets worn with the pantsuits.

Vari-colored skirts in an A-line style are smart with the same color tops and vis-versa.

July Birthday Party



A party honoring the residents of Cherry Creek Nursing Home who celebrated birthdays during the month of July was held last Tuesday.

Honored at the party were Neva Crawley, Bill Bailey, Maybelle Brown, Frances Sullivan, Bonnie Morris, Kenneth Hale, Donald Yeller, Nelson Jarrin, Louise Rmalowski, Jacob Bolewski and Ed Thomas.

Interesting Things To See At 'Heritage '76'



Mrs. Harold Lind, left, and Mrs. Harold Kettner are planning interesting things to see at the annual flower show to be held July 29 and 30 by the Lowell Showboat Garden Club.

The flower show "Heritage '76" will be held in the Runckman Elementary School's all-purpose room, and will be open to the public on Thursday from 4 to 9 p.m. and Friday, 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

All questions regarding entries, etc., can be answered by the co-chairmen, Mrs. Eugene Kling, 897-9336 or Mrs. William Christmann, 897-9563.

Coming Events

SAT., JULY 24: The LHS Wrestling Club will hold a car wash Saturday, July 24, behind Beauchamp's Furniture Store on West Main Street, Lowell, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

TUES., JULY 27: The Cheerful Doors of the Lowell Congregational Church will meet Tuesday, July 27 at the Schneider Manor at 1:30 p.m.

THURS., JULY 29: "Heritage '76" will be the theme of the Flower Show to be held on Thursday and Friday, July 29 and 30, by the Lowell Showboat Garden Club at the Runckman School. Plan now to attend.

THURS., JULY 29: Veterans of Foreign Wars will have a steak dinner, open to the public. T-bone steak, baked potato, salad and rolls will be the Thursday gourmet. Serving 5:30 till 8:30.

FRI., JULY 30: An Ice Cream Social will be held at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell on Friday and Saturday, July 30 and 31, between the hours of 4:30 and 8 p.m. Public invited.

SAT., JULY 31: V.F.W. ladies' Auxiliary will provide a cold-plate luncheon for the Out-of-Town guests, as well as our local patrons attending the Showboat. Serving 12 noon till 6:00 p.m.

VOTE AUGUST 3RD Don Harrington County Commissioner

Pre-registration Begins For Vacation Church School

Pre-registration is beginning now for the Joint Vacation Church School conducted by the First United Methodist Church and the First Congregational Church of Lowell.

The school will run from August 2 through August 6, 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Methodist Church.

Children from age four up to those who have completed sixth grade will study and do projects in order to extend their Bible knowledge and interest. The school is open to all children of these ages in the Lowell area.

Each child is asked to bring a bag lunch, and beverages will be supplied. At the end of the week, the children and teachers will make a collection for a mission project in the area. Parents may register their children by obtaining a form

Concerned Citizens of Lowell, Alto and surrounding areas want to keep... SHERIFF HEFFERAN in office due to his honesty, integrity and experience.

VOTE-AUGUST 3RD Sandra L. Kowalczyk Bowne Township Clerk

Bowne Township GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1976

FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN NOMINATION CANDIDATES OF THE DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN PARTIES OR TO QUALIFY THE SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY, SOCIALIST LABOR PARTY, COMMUNIST LABOR PARTY, UNITED STATES LABOR PARTY, LIBERTARIAN PARTY TO HAVE ITS NAME, PARTY VIGNETTE, AND CANDIDATES ON THE NEXT GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1976

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FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN NOMINATION BY ALL POLITICAL PARTIES PARTICIPATING THEREIN, CANDIDATES FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES, VIZ:

CONGRESSIONAL United States Senator, Representative in Congress. COUNTY Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Deed Commissioner, Surveyor, County Commissioner and such other Officers as are elected at that time.

AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN NOMINATION, CANDIDATES PARTICIPATING IN A NON-PARTISAN PRIMARY ELECTION FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES, VIZ:

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, PROBATE COURT JUDGE, DISTRICT COURT JUDGE.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

School Board Proceedings

Lowell Area Schools, Lowell, Michigan Board of Education Regular Meeting, June 28, 1976.

Meeting called to order at 7:35 p.m. by President Metternick.

Roll Call—Members Present: Metternick, Mullen, Miller, Thaler, Kropf, Roberts, Siegle (7:37). Members Absent: None.

Motion by Roberts, seconded by Mullen, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on June 14, 1976.

Ayes: 8 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

Motion by Thaler, seconded by Mullen, to approve payment of General Fund Bills as listed.

Ayes: 8 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

Motion by Siegle, seconded by Roberts, to approve the Agenda, as amended.

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

OLD BUSINESS

1. Election Results. Members of the Board of Education for a four year term, expiring June 1980.

Wayne M. Dowling, 1036, Judith Lee Janama, 1007; Raymond Zandstra, 718.

Prop. I 2 1/2 Mills renewal

Table with 3 columns: Pct, Yes, No. Total 648 666

Prop. II 1 mill additional

Table with 3 columns: Pct, Yes, No. Total 85 137 923

Motion by Miller, seconded by Mullen, to accept the

results of the annual election as certified by the Board of Canvassers.

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

2. Meeting. Board members were reminded of a meeting in Lansing on July 1 on the use of sick leave benefits for maternity leave.

3. Business Manager. Motion by Mullen, seconded by Kropf, to offer a 1 yr. contract to Mr. Robert Coussens as Business Manager.

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

4. Parent Request. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Kropf, to grant Mr. Turner's request to send his daughter to the Bushnell Elementary School, with the understanding that the parents will furnish transportation. (Mr. Turner is to submit his request in writing, stating that he will provide the transportation.)

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

5. Dental Program. Motion by Roberts, seconded by Mullen, to deny inclusion of the Dental Program until funding is apparent.

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

6. Annuities. Motion by Miller, seconded by Thaler, to approve the Agreement on the Annuity Program, limited to three companies.

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

7. Insurance Specs. Insurance Specifications were presented in final form to be signed by the secretary of the board.

8. Report. Mr. Dave Miller gave an updated report on the development of administrator evaluation instruments.

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried

OLD BUSINESS

1. Workshop. A board workshop has been scheduled for Wednesday, June 30, at 7:30 p.m. in the superintendent's office.

2. Athletic Report. Bob Perry, athletic director, presented an extensive report on the Athletic Association for the 1975-76 year, showing a deficit of \$3,383.87, and projections for 1976-77.

Motion by Siegle, seconded by Mullen, to transfer monies from the General Fund to the Athletic Fund to make up the \$3,000 deficit.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Siegle, Thaler, Kropf, Metternick, Miller, Mullen, Roberts.

Nays: 0 Motion Carried.

3. A.V. and REMC. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Mullen, to participate in the K.I.S.D. A.V. and REMC 8 programs.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Thaler, Kropf, Metternick, Miller, Mullen, Roberts, Siegle.

Nays: None. Motion Carried.

4. Special ED Rooms. Agreements with the Kent Intermediate School District for special education rooms were presented for signing by the secretary of the board.

5. Librarian's Report. Mr. Sinka read the annual report from Mrs. Faye Haskins on the current status of elementary libraries.

6. Psychologist Contract. Motion by Siegle, seconded by Thaler, to offer a contract to Mr. William Kooyer as school psychologist for 1976-77.

Ayes: 7 Nays: 0 Motion Carried.

7. Visitor Request. Visitors were recognized. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose were present and requested that they also have the privilege of enrolling their child at Bushnell, even though they live in the Runckman service area. The board asked that they put their request in writing.

Motion by Mullen, seconded by Siegle, to adjourn at 9:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, David Miller, Secretary

Resurfacing To Be Completed In September



Resurfacing of Cascade Road between Int. 96 and Hall St., SE, is taking place without through traffic having to be detoured. Backtracking near Int. 96, left photo was done first. A truckload of asphalt is being backed to the spreader, above center, where workmen help smooth the asphalt and operate the spreader. A roller, now shown, compresses and "hardens" the backtracking.

Part of the \$230,000 project by Grand Rapids Asphalt Paving Co. of Grand Rapids is repairing joints and lateral cracks, and removing some of the concrete median, right photo, before the asphalt is laid and rolled. The truck at the left has a loadoff of rubble. The improvement for the Kent County Road Commission, scheduled to be finished Sept. 3.

Swim Team Does Well In Practice Session

Thursday, July 8, Lowell's YMCA Swim Team had an excellent practice meet against the Dolphin Swim Club. A victory the team could't claim, but the swimmers did a great job.

100 Meter Medley Relay - 12 & Under. Girls: 10 & Under, 1:54.4 (2nd). Mary Moore, Paula Doyle, Lynelle Detler, Lori Weeks. 14 & Under, Girls: Dolly Gerard, Jaime Courser, Lynn Homoka, Peggy Compton. Boys: 10 & Under, 1:29.6 (2nd). Dave Lippert, Dennis Kelly, Philip Raby, Kelly Compton. 12 & Under, 1:34.4 (2nd). Jim Merklinger, Robbie Moore, Steve Howard, Dale Merklinger, 14 & Under, Mark Lessens, Steve Doyle, Chris Vera, Brian Brown.

50 Meter Freestyle - 12 & Under, Angie Wood, 36.7 (3rd). Under, Stacey Lippert, 37.7 (1st). Jim Gerard, 40.5 (1st). Andy Vredenburg, 41.0 (2nd).

100 Meter Freestyle - 14 & Under, Dolly Gerard, 1:15.4 (2nd). Peggy Compton, 1:20.8 (4th). Steve Doyle, 1:09.8 (1st). Under, 1:29.6 (2nd). Dave Lippert, Dennis Kelly, Philip Raby, Kelly Compton, 1:29.6 (2nd). Mike Lessens, 1:09.6 (2nd). Scott McCambridge, 1:04.5 (2nd). Mike Lessens, 1:09.3 (3rd).

25 Meter Butterfly - 10 & Under, Paula Doyle, 25.8 (3rd). Dave Lippert.

100 Meter Individual Medley - 12 & Under, Chris Vera, 1:26.4 (3rd). 14 & Under, Patti Courser, 1:26.2 (3rd). Lynn Homoka, 1:32.5 (4th). Brian Brown, 1:43.6 (3rd). 15 & Over, Mike Lessens, 1:28.2 (3rd).

25 Meter Freestyle - 6 & Under, Beth Claus, 32.0 (3rd). Jamie Compton, 40.1 (1st). Under, Betsy Gerard, 26.5 (2nd). Jennifer Siebers, 28.2 (3rd). Jeremy Barber, 22.0 (3rd). David VanPatten, 29.8 (4th).

25 Meter Backstroke - 6 & Under, Beth Claus, 40.8 (3rd). 8 & Under, Betsy Gerard, 26.5 (2nd). Jennifer Siebers, 28.2 (2nd). Jennifer Siebers, 42.6 (3rd). David VanPatten, 29.8 (4th).

50 Meter Breaststroke - 12 & Under, Stacy Lippert, 43.6 (2nd). Kelli Baker, 1:17.4 (4th). Robbie Moore, 55.7 (4th). Troy Hall, 52.7 (2nd). 14 & Under, Lynn Homoka, 43.3 (3rd). Jeanne Courser, 42.5 (2nd). Steve Doyle, 36.0 (1st). Brian Brown, 51.2 (4th). 15 & Over, Scott McCambridge, 40.7 (2nd).

Free Style Relays - Boys 8 & Under, 100 Meter, Dave VanPatten, David Vera, Jeff Childs.

Mary Vredenburg, 44.0 (2nd). Mary Vredenburg, 1:58.4 (1st). Dale Merklinger, 33.2 (2nd). Jennifer Siebers, 42.6 (3rd). David VanPatten, 29.8 (4th).

25 Meter Butterfly - 12 & Under, Chris Vera, 38.4 (1st). Under, Lynn Homoka, 41.0 (3rd). Steve Doyle, 40.5 (2nd). Under, Steve Stormzand, 34.6 (2nd). Scott McCambridge, 40.4 (2nd).

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Come to Church ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY

Grid of church listings including Ada Christian Reformed Church, First United Methodist Church of Lowell, Eastmont Baptist Church, etc.

Advertisement for Bowne Township General Primary Election on Tuesday, August 3, 1976, featuring Don Harrington as County Commissioner.

Advertisement for City of Lowell General Primary Election on Tuesday, August 3, 1976, listing candidates for various offices.

Advertisement for Lowell Showboat 'ONE BIG WEEK JULY 26th - 31st' starring Frank Fontaine (Crazy Gukenheim), featuring singing dolls, comic trampoline duo, and showboat orchestra.

Meets Kellogg's Tony Tiger



Tony Tiger was on hand to greet the bus load of Lowell YMCA youngsters who visited Kellogg's Battle Creek Plant on July 15.

While in Battle Creek the Lowell group of nearly 50 children and a few mothers toured Kellogg's and visited the famous Kellogg Museum.



Book Exhibits Offered To Clubs By Libraries

The following are standings of games played thru Sunday, July 18th.

W	L	
Carpenters	5	2
Tri-State Carpeting	5	3
Harold Zeigler Ford	5	3
Saranac Brand Foods	4	3
Review	4	3
Lowell Moose	4	3
Lowell Calvary Church	3	5
St. Mary's Miriam	2	4
Lowell Engineering Corp.	0	6

Sportsmans' Fast-Pitch Softball (First Half)		
W	L	
Tri-State Carpeting	3	0
Review	2	0
Harold Zeigler Ford	1	1
Lowell Calvary Church	1	2
Saranac Brand Foods	1	2
Lowell Engineering Corp.	1	2
St. Mary's Miriam	0	3

Sportsmans' Slow-Pitch Softball (Second Half)		
W	L	
Tri-State Carpeting	3	0
Review	2	0
Harold Zeigler Ford	1	1
Lowell Calvary Church	1	2
Saranac Brand Foods	1	2
Lowell Engineering Corp.	1	2
St. Mary's Miriam	0	3

Womens' Slow-Pitch Softball		
W	L	
Lowell High School Girls	7	1
Alto L's Angels	5	3
Lowell Eng. Sandbaggers	3	4
Alto Wood	3	4
U. M. "Adamas Ribbs"	3	6
Review	1	6

Pony League		
W	L	
Hastings Gold Nuggets	9	0
Hastings Green Hornets	7	3
Middleville Guekes Mart	7	2
Middleville Local 1002	6	3
Freepont Yoders Service	6	4
Caledonia Tigers	5	5
Lowell Vets	4	4
Lowell Reds	3	7
Lowell Indians	3	7
Hastings Red Barons	2	7
Hastings Blue Devils	0	10

Major Little League		
W	L	
Lowell Tigers	8	2
Lowell Arrows	7	3
Lowell Cardinals	5	4
Lowell Astros	4	5
Lowell Giants	4	6
Clarksville Mets	1	9

Minor Little League		
W	L	
Clarksville Colts	7	0
Lowell Giants	6	1
Lowell Tigers	4	4
Alto Cubs	3	5
Lowell Cardinals	1	5
Lowell Dodgers	0	6

7, 8, & 9 Girls' Softball		
W	L	
Lowell Blue Bombers	6	1
Lowell Liberty Stars	6	2
Lowell Grand Slamers	4	4
Parnell Tigers	3	4
Alto Half-Pints	2	5
Clarksville Angels	1	5

10, 11 & 12 Girls' Softball		
W	L	
Parnell Pro's	5	0
Lowell Hitlers	4	1
Lowell Grand Slamers	4	1
Alto Champs	0	6

Boys' Cadet Softball		
W	L	
Alto Blackbirds	6	0
Lowell Crows	5	1
Lowell Orioles	5	1
Clarksville Thunderbirds	4	2
Lowell Sparrows	2	2
Lowell Robins	2	2
Lowell Cardinals	1	5
Lowell Eagles	0	5
Alto Canaries	0	6

TURN UNUSED ITEMS INTO CASH WITH LEDGER WANT ADS

CITY OF LOWELL COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Official Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Lowell, Michigan, Regular Meeting of Tuesday, July 6, 1976.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by the Mayor. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and the Roll was called.

Present: Councilmen Collins, Pfaler, Warning and Christiansen. Absent: Councilman Jefferies.

IT WAS MOVED BY Councilman Collins that the absence of Councilman Jefferies be excused, supported by Councilman Pfaler. Carried.

IT WAS MOVED BY Councilman Pfaler that the Minutes of the meeting of June 21, 1976 be approved as written, supported by Councilman Warning.

IT WAS THEN MOVED BY Councilman Collins that the Minutes of the Special Meeting of June 30, 1976 be approved as written.

IT WAS THEN MOVED BY Councilman Pfaler that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued, supported by Councilman Collins.

Yes: All. No: None. Absent: Councilman Jefferies.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS	
General Fund	\$ 30,005.29
Major Street	\$ 36,378.12
Local Street	\$ 22,953.23
Water Fund	\$ 23,964.67
Sewer Fund	\$ 23,359.23
Equipment Fund	\$ 92,899.87
Storm Sewer Fund	\$104,278.10
Improvement Fund	\$ 4,800.00
Contemporary Fund	\$ 3,420.00
Lee Fund	\$ 262.93
Building and Site Fund	\$ 79.10
Trust and Agency Fund	\$ 509.00

City Manager Quada reported on the comparison study being made on the liquor by the Glass Ordinance. He stated that several applications in the past for liquor licenses had been turned down because of the City's Ordinance. There are at present, four Active tavern licenses in the City. He then presented a list of other Cities in the area of similar size, whose ordinances were used in the comparison. They included, Rockford, Kentwood, Grandville, Greenville, Cedar Springs, Portland, Ionia, Beidling and Hastings. All responding had basically the same as far as applications for a license, but there were four specific areas of the ordinances in which there were differences: 1. Dining capacity stated as a minimum. Lowell's stipulates a dining capacity of 150 persons. It was contained in only 4 of the 9 ordinances. All but 2 specified a square footage requirement of 15 square feet per person. On off-street parking, the City of Lowell is the only one requiring it. It does not appear in any of the others. Rockford does, however, require that the City Council must be satisfied that off-street parking is available. Only Lowell and Grandville require that 50% must be receipts for liquor service.

Another book displays and lists which KCL has compiled upon request to help in planning programs have been on world hunger, new books on women's awareness, music, rape, American women authors and certain crafts.

Program chairmen may visit the KCL member libraries in the areas—Alto, Cascade, and Lowell.

Poison Alert

Approximately 50 petroleum product ingestions were reported in June by Western Michigan Poison Center. Concerned Staff at the Center state this shows an increase of 63 percent in one month.

Petroleum products are found in a wide variety of household supplies from insecticides and wood cleaners to charcoal lighter fluid, kerosene and turpentine. Many poisonings occur when children are visiting the homes of friends or relatives.

Petroleum products cause various problems in the body. If enough is swallowed the brain can be affected. A child can become excited, later appearing dazed, withdrawn and even unconscious. If these products get into the lungs, severe pneumonia can occur.

Parents are urged to make an effort to identify petroleum products in the home and move them out of sight and reach of children—preferably under lock and key. Babysitters, relatives and others closely associated with children should be reminded of these dangers.

If a poisoning occurs, call your physician or Western Michigan Poison Center immediately by dialing your long-distance access code, then (800) 632-2727. For those living in a 616 area code the long-distance access code then (800) 442-5751.

In June, the Poison Center received 26 calls from Kent County residents concerning Petroleum Products.

It was decided that the report should be also given to the Planning Commission for their opinion and recommendation.

The following resolution was offered by Councilman Pfaler for adoption, supported by Councilman Collins.

WHEREAS, the City's negotiating team has reached a tentative agreement with representatives of the Lowell Police Officers Association; and

WHEREAS, said agreement covers a two year period commencing July 1, 1976; and

WHEREAS, said agreement has been ratified by the members of the Lowell Police Officers Association,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Manager is hereby authorized to transfer the necessary funds to the Police Department Salary and Fringe Benefit Accounts.

WHEREAS, said agreement has been accepted by the representative of the plaintiffs in said case; and

WHEREAS, said payment will serve as a final settlement for all involved in said pending litigation; and

WHEREAS, the City shall retain ownership of the property involved in said matter,

exceeding \$15,000 shall be expended from General Fund transfer to the Equipment Fund thereby reducing the proposed transfer to \$5,000.00.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Equipment Fund is hereby reduced \$15,000.00 to reflect the loss of said transfer.

Yes: All. No: None. Absent: Councilman Jefferies.

The Manager's Report was being included a report on the Revenue Sharing monies being allocated to the proper departments as should be.

The Manager then reported that well #5 is losing pumpage power from approximately 300 gallons per minute to 170 gallons per minute. Because the City must depend on that well for approximately another year until the completion of the new Water Treatment Facility, the well will have to be checked out to see what is causing the pressure drop. He explained that it could possibly be caused by a number of reasons, such as, a break in the pipe itself that goes down into the well, or a problem in the seepage walls being coated with iron particles, or even collapsing into the well, causing changes in the bottom. He stated that in the neighborhood of \$2,000.00 would be needed to check out and make the necessary repairs. He suggested that Riegler Water Well Drilling Company, who will be installing the new well system, should look at the well and check out the problem.

IT WAS MOVED BY Councilman Pfaler that Riegler Water Well Drilling Company be authorized to repair Well #5, at a cost not to exceed \$2,000.00, supported by Councilman Collins.

Yes: All. No: None. Absent: Councilman Jefferies.

Manager Quada then reported that a lead poisoning test has been ordered for the upstairs of City Hall because of the lead deposits left from the firing range located there, also that the City Offices need to install fire extinguishers, both to meet MIOSHA requirements. He also reported that the amendment to the Step I grant program of the additional amount of footage to be televised and cleaned has been received by the Water Resources Commission.

The Manager also reported on an act of heroism that happened in the City on June 8 of this year, a 10 year old Lowell boy was pulled from the Flat River after falling from the Main Street Dam while fishing. An Ada man, Joseph Czajkowski, jumped in after him and literally standing on the river bottom, held the boy above water, saving his life. He has been cited to receive an award from the Carnegie Foundation, and the Manager suggested that an award would also be in order from the City. Council wholeheartedly agreed.

Councilman Warning also suggested that something be done to ensure the safety of the Main Street Dam area, stating that the danger increases more each year, now that the Coho and other species of game fish have been introduced into the Flat.

Mayor Christiansen instructed the City Manager and the Police Chief to check on needed safety measures and report back to Council.

Animals appear to be immune from the effects of poison ivy, perhaps because of skin-protecting fur. Deer will eat small shoots of poison ivy although the plants are poisonous if ingested by man. If you get poison ivy on your hands you may spread the toxin when you touch other parts of your body. The thick skin on the palms of your hands will prevent you from getting poison ivy in that area.

The Hobby Stock division will not take part in the program, however, the Super Stock feature race has been increased from 50 laps to 100 laps.

1-96 promoter Duane LaCombe stated that he felt that the Hobby stocks could not race competitively on the half mile dirt oval and in keeping with his policy of looking after the racing fan's interest, he decided to make the change.

LaCombe stated "The fans come first, and I believe that they will enjoy the show even more with a 100 lapper for the Super. We are paying \$1,000 to the winner and I feel that will attract all the top drivers in the tri-state area. We are also giving \$250 in prize money to the Super stocks and \$100 to the fast midjet qualifier."

Under Council Remarks and Reports, Councilman Pfaler thanked the Chamber of Commerce for the routing soft ball game between Chamber members and City Employees and Officials, even though the City again lost this year, in extra innings, 11-6!

A discussion followed on the actual date of starting of construction for the Water Treatment Facility, the possibility of the City doing some grading of the horse arena at the 4-H Fairgrounds, the 4-H to approach the City if they are interested.

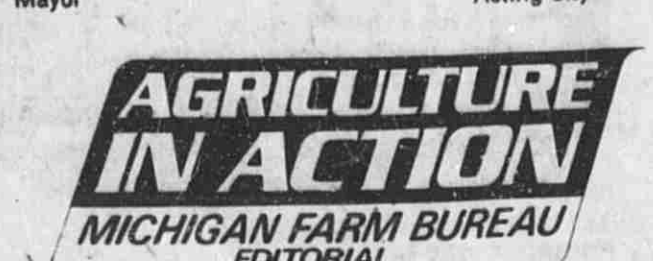
Mayor Christiansen then stated that a thank you has been neglected to Mr. Don Oakes, the man responsible for the hiring of the new City Manager. He stated that since the first consultation meeting was free, and the second meeting was never needed, he suggested that perhaps a check for mileage should be forwarded to Mr. Oakes.

Councilman Collins was appointed as a committee of one to come up with a suitable solution to the problem.

IT WAS THEN MOVED BY Councilman Pfaler to adjourn at 9:29 p.m., supported by Councilman Warning.

Approved: July 19, 1976.

ROBERT CHRISTIANSEN, Mayor NANCY J. WOOD, Acting City Clerk



NEXT: THE PERILS OF TOILET TISSUE

Remember the "Perils of Pauline"... the Saturday afternoon matinee serial that kept us coming back to the theatre every week to see how the heroine would be snatched from the brink of disaster? Nobody went out for popcorn while the hero was in the process of saving Pauline from the evil clutches of a determined villain.

Today U.S. citizens find themselves in a real-life serial in which an ever-present protector saves them from all manner of so-called dangers. Our great protection is the Federal Government and the dangers it saves us from include our traditional American breakfast.

Not too long ago came the implication that we had back to the Washington, D.C. that bacon causes cancer (it might if you ate 46,000 pounds a day for the rest of your life). When eggs were cast in the role of villain in this situation comedy, a newspaper editor from Rochester, Minnesota, penned his objections to further "salvation" by government.

"The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) has now launched another crusade—this time to save chicken eggs. Chicken eggs have been around for a long time—a lot longer than the FTC. And people have been eating eggs since before the time of Moses. But the FTC apparently feels that it has a mandate to save Americans from eggs and from people like farmers who go around saying that it's O.K. to eat eggs. The farmers who produce and sell eggs advertise them as healthful to eat. But the FTC says that's false advertising and it wants the farmers to stop it.

"The Federal Government hasn't yet banned the egg, but considering the way Washington operates, it wouldn't surprise us a bit if that happens. And then, after banning the egg, the FTC no doubt would ban chickens and go running around raising the chicken coops.

"We find it hard to believe that eggs aren't a healthful. After all, the egg yolk contains all the nutrients to sustain new life, and the egg is one of nature's most versatile foods. Government, it seems, would be a lot better off if it used a little more common sense in its efforts to protect people from themselves.

"We can hardly wait for the next of the never-ending government efforts to save people from the perils of something else. What will it be the perils of toilet tissue?"

Animals appear to be immune from the effects of poison ivy, perhaps because of skin-protecting fur. Deer will eat small shoots of poison ivy although the plants are poisonous if ingested by man. If you get poison ivy on your hands you may spread the toxin when you touch other parts of your body. The thick skin on the palms of your hands will prevent you from getting poison ivy in that area.

The Hobby Stock division will not take part in the program, however, the Super Stock feature race has been increased from 50 laps to 100 laps.

1-96 promoter Duane LaCombe stated that he felt that the Hobby stocks could not race competitively on the half mile dirt oval and in keeping with his policy of looking after the racing fan's interest, he decided to make the change.

LaCombe stated "The fans come first, and I believe that they will enjoy the show even more with a 100 lapper for the Super. We are paying \$1,000 to the winner and I feel that will attract all the top drivers in the tri-state area. We are also giving \$250 in prize money to the Super stocks and \$100 to the fast midjet qualifier."

Under Council Remarks and Reports, Councilman Pfaler thanked the Chamber of Commerce for the routing soft ball game between Chamber members and City Employees and Officials, even though the City again lost this year, in extra innings, 11-6!

A discussion followed on the actual date of starting of construction for the Water Treatment Facility, the possibility of the City doing some grading of the horse arena at the 4-H Fairgrounds, the 4-H to approach the City if they are interested.

Mayor Christiansen then stated that a thank you has been neglected to Mr. Don Oakes, the man responsible for the hiring of the new City Manager. He stated that since the first consultation meeting was free, and the second meeting was never needed, he suggested that perhaps a check for mileage should be forwarded to Mr. Oakes.

On Monday evening, July 26, 6:30 p.m., Russell will be attending a press party for the Lowell Showboat at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Lippert on Alden Nash Avenue, N.E.

Sunday, July 25, from noon until 6 p.m., the sounds of bluegrass will resound throughout the village at the 2nd annual Thompke Bluegrass Festival.

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FARM—Near Rockford, 38 acres, 3 bedroom Swiss Chalet, 2 good barns, cross fencing.

LOW, LOW, LOW—Down Payments, 3 bedroom home on Bricker Road, Fenwick, 2 acres, nice 2 car garage, quiet setting. Call Murphy & Assoc., on the above—1-616-527-2204.

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ADA—Seven miles east on Vergenese road, two miles north of Lowell. New three bedroom home just being completed. Two stall garage, gas heat. Must see to appreciate the quality materials and workmanship. FHA-VA and conventional financing. For appointment call Bullock 897-9169. c10T

TWO DUPLEX HOUSES—For Sale in Lowell. Will sell on land contract. For additional information, call 897-8541. c36

10 ACRES—Excellent building site located between Lowell and Ada. Rolling wooded land with good drainage and improved gravel road to property. Scenic view. Price reduced for quick sale. Call Doug Wynthrop, 343-7215, or Town & Country Properties, 241-6466. c36-37

FOR RENT

JACKPOT BINGO—Fridays, 7:30 p.m. Lowell V.V.W. Hall, East Main, Lowell, Early Bird Bingo, 6:30 p.m. Public welcome. c11T

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FOR SALE—Frigidaire Electric Stove, like new, \$150. Wood braided oval rug, \$15. Phone 456-9236, 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. only. c36

USED—Smith-Corona Typewriter. \$35. Call 897-5721. p36-37

SIX PIECE BUNK BED SET—Includes mattress, 2 chairs, 2 dresser, 2 night table. Like new, assume lay-away balance with \$10 down—\$47, a regular \$119 value. Quality Discount Furniture, 443 Bridge St., N.W. 456-9667. c33T

LOVE SEATS—Beautiful Velvets & Hercules covers, close out, originally \$500—\$179. Like new & 100% leather. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights 11-9. c36

HARNESS SHOP NEWS

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SOFA—Brushed Velvet with Mr. & Mrs. Chairs, two decorator end tables, matching coffee table, two stylish lamps. Was \$399, now with \$10 down, balance \$176. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights 11-9. c36

EARLY AMERICAN—Bedroom set, hard rock maple finish. Lay-away release. \$200 set with \$10 down, balance \$190. Quality Discount Furniture, 443 Bridge St., N.W. 456-9667. c33T

MEDITERRANEAN—Bedroom Suite, 5 piece oak with mattress to settle account. Was \$319, now with \$10 down, balance \$171 or \$5 weekly. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights

'HAPPY BIRTHDAY'

JULY 30: Gene Boyce, John Lomas, Shelby Zandstra, Pauline Johnson, Nelson Jarred, Bonnie Morris.

AUGUST 1: Jean Hostettler, Jim Ryder, Marie Sturgeon, Debbie Ferguson.

AUGUST 2: Darcee Elliott, Laura Bakken, Lloyd Miller, Ann Rivers.

AUGUST 3: Scott Homolka.

AUGUST 4: Karen Kelly, Esther Staal, Elsie Maloney, Pat O'Connor, Clarence Troyer, James McMahon.

AUGUST 5: Robert Schneider, Tricia Free, Karen Hagerman.

Vote — Aug. 3rd

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—Open Government
—Clean Environment
—Republican
For County Commissioner

Names for the August birthday listing can be submitted by calling 897-9261.

Bestows Plaque On Czajkowski

The Lowell City Council passed a resolution to honor Joseph Czajkowski of Ada for saving the life of Raymond Martinez when he nearly drowned in the Flat River, here, on June sixth of this year. The council also voted to pay the remaining \$77.00 of Czajkowski's hospital bill.



Joseph Czajkowski receives a plaque of appreciation from Lowell's Mayor Robert Christiansen.

Also in Monday night's meeting a resolution was passed to authorize partial payment on completed work at the city's water treatment plant.

Todd Berst was on the agenda to make a presentation concerning cable TV. Mr. Berst did not show up to make the presentation, however.

Councilman Harold Jefferies stated that cable TV should first be taken up with the Planning Commission, and that any further requests from Berst should be directed to that body.

Robert DeNolf, owner of the Strand Theatre was on hand and voiced his opinion on the subject. He said that if cable TV is introduced to Lowell, the Strand would have to be closed. DeNolf requested that he be kept informed of any further developments in the matter.

Mayor Robert Christiansen assured DeNolf that he would be kept informed and went on to point out that public hearings would certainly be necessary prior to the adoption of cable TV in Lowell.

There was further discussion of a possible cat ordinance for the City. City Manager, Ray

Quada stated that the proposed ordinance had been reviewed by the city attorney and was not recommended, for a number of reasons.

Quada went on to say that Michigan Counties may soon be adopting cat ordinances and operating "cat pounds". The council decided that they would wait on further developments on a county ordinance before adopting their own.

Councilman Leo Pfaller was appointed delegate and City Manager Quada was appointed alternate to attend the Michigan Municipal League's annual business meeting.

The meeting ended after only 45 minutes, one of the shortest ever for this council. Absent was Councilman Art Warning.

Showboat

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Kelly Heffron, Julie Sulek, Jackie Nordstrom, Debbie Belter, Beth Sadler, Gina Reynolds, Jackie Gee, Dianna Nagy, Laura Lynn, Ilene Dreyfus and Joanie Biebel.



"Barb & Sonny"

Thursday, July 29, "Barb and Sonny" from West Bloomfield, Michigan, featuring ventriloquist Barb Piggott.



"Sword Limbo"

Friday, July 30, "Sword Limbo," with Debra Symonds from Grand Rapids doing a sword and limbo routine.



"All American Medley"

Elzinga was born in Lowell and attended the Lowell Area Schools where he starred in basketball, football, and baseball in the years of 1961 through 1965. After graduating from high school, he attended Michigan State University where he was affiliated with Delta-Tau Fraternity.

He graduated from the University with a degree in Business Administration. He has been employed for the past 6 years as bank examiner for the Financial Institutions Bureau of Michigan.

While employed, he graduated from the Federal Reserve Senior Examiners Banking School.

Elzinga and his wife, Patty, say they would rather live in Lowell than any place else they know, where they are now residing with their family at 615 Elizabeth Street.

The Green Machines

Bright apple green vehicles with the Kent County Road Commission designation are being seen more and more around the county, including the Lowell area.

lies and which has its headquarters at Ada, so far one truck is green.

New road equipment, as it is bought, will be painted green and will gradually replace the orange-painted vehicles, says Donald R. Schofield, KCRC engineer-manager. Orange has been used by the road commission for decades, he adds.

"However, the public, on occasion, may see several green KCRC vehicles because we have borrowed them from other districts for work in our districts," says Norm Ostrom, foreman of District No. 5.

"We decided to change the color because many different firms are using orange on their vehicles and it increasingly has become more confusing to the public," says Schofield. "People think we're in private business, but we aren't."

Schofield says that trucks are being replaced after five years' service and heavy equipment after eight to 10 years.

"We picked bright apple green color because it is highly visible," he adds. "Also, we conferred with members of the staff and the road commissioners and they favored the light green."

"It will take seven years for the complete turnover," he says.

A huge, new, motorized green snowplow and salter and sander was on display at the KCRC exhibit at the recent Kent County Air Show.

Of the 160 pieces of KCRC road equipment, about 30 are green, and of the 25 permanently located vehicles in KCRC District No. 5, in which Lowell

Kinds of equipment that have or will have the new look include motor graders, road graders, pickup trucks, front-end loaders and bulldozers as well as snowplows.

The county has six KCRC districts.

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