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Lowell Rescue Unit.

of the crash.

Alaska.

He was born in Los Alamos.

New Mexico, but grew up in Colorado. After attending Bob

Jones University in North Caro-

lina, he went back to Colorado to

start a church in the tiny mining

village of Oak Creek. He also

worked fulltime as a carpenter and coal miner before coming to e Bible School in Grand

Rapids, in January of this year.

He is survived by his wife. Comie: two sons. Hmothy and

Nathan; his mother, Laura

Watts; a brother, Ron and a

sister Pat Coulimore, all of

Colorado. The body was flown to

Apple Green

Colorado for burial.

February 22, 1978



al will be the subject of a public hearing this Thursday, February 23, 7:30 p.m. in the Forest Hills Central High School Auditorium, 5901 Hall Street, S.E. Doug Fenske and Lou VanderStel, both in the waste disposal busienss, are requesting

VanderStel, both in the waste disposal busienss, are requesting PUD (Planning Unit Development) zoning on 15 acres in Cascade Township, now zoned agricultural... **The Lowell High** School class of 1938 is planning their 40th reunion for June 10 of this year, and need help in locating the following graduates—Rose Bieri, Paul Birman, Vivian Berry, Theta Ann Clark, Ray Dolan, Van Arsdale Flynn, Bruce Lindsey and Doris Van Wormer. If you know their whereabouts call either 897-9320, 897-5318 or 897-9669 . . .

The investigation of the larceny of a fire extinguisher from the Lowell High School and the breaking and entering of a residence, by Lowell Police, has led to the arrest of three persons. Appearing in Kent County's 63rd District Court for arraignment on the charges last week, were Ronald Feuerstein, Philip Hiatt and Mark Dibble

After having spent five years working for the Good-Year Tire and Rubber Company, Ron Wittenbach has joined the sales staff at the Harold Zeigler Ford Agency. Ron and his wife, Sherri, returned to the Lowell area after graduating from Ferris State College in 1973

The water color painting, done by Jan Johnson, and given away by the Lowell Lions Club at their 'Sweetheart Ball' Saturday night, was won by Steve Jackson of Lansing, formerly of Saranac...

A fight early Monday morning in front of a residence on Elizabeth Dean Drive has led to the arrest of Delbert Pratt. Appearing before the judge in the 63rd District Court, he pled guilty to the charges of assault and battery, and was released on bond, pendiag sentencing

Registrations are still being accepted for the Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) class being offered to the residents in this area, free of charge, by the Lowell Area Jaycees, on two consecutive nights Wednesday and Thursday, March 8 and 9. A certified instructor for Bud's Ambulance Service will conduct the class at the Lowell American Legion Hall, 805 E. Main, from 7 to 10 p.m. each night. Free babysitting available. To sign up, call the Lowell

Winter Color Photo Contest

House Guest

Thomas McNally of 475 Hub-bard Street NE, Grand Rapids, Winter Color Photo Contest sponsored by the Kent County who has submitted a picture of Park Department and Spartan Townsend Park is one of several Distributors, Inc., of Sparta. so far, to enter the annual

The photograph, taken from a hill, is an "aerial" view showing two cross-country skiers in the distance, trees and Bear Creek, says Miss Nancy Zimmerman, park recreation coordinator. All entries must be of scenes in Kent County parks.

Deadline for submitting no more than three entries is March 10. Each picture must be 5x7 inches and mounted on cardboard of any color.

First place winner will receive a 14-inch snowblower donated by the Sparta firm. Second and third place winners will be awarded a plaque and honorable mentions will be given a certifi-

Permission to reproduce all photos for publicity is assumed, negatives from those prints must be available for enlarging and all pictures become the property of the park department and may be used at a later date, Miss Zimmerman says .- Dave

With energy becoming scarce

energy usage and methods of

conservation, according to Lynn

Kay VanDrie, Extension 4-H -

Barnes

This week Kerry Griffeth of 429 Lincoln Lake, Lowell, has as her house guest Yuko Sunohara age 18, of Chiba City, Japan. Energy Kerry was a Youth For Undertanding exchange student to Contests

Japan this past summer and lived with Yuko and her family for two months. Yuko is now a Y.F.U. exand more expensive. Michigan

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ange student living and at-uding school in West Field. New Jersey. During her midterm vacation she has come to visit Kerry and her family.

Doa Owners

"Energy conservation can be applied to areas other than space heating, electricity, and gasoline," Mrs. Van Drie says. "We would like young people to

Youth Agent.

wear.'

Pilot Killed In Plane Crash



Emergency personnel from the Lowell Police and Fire Departments, Kent County Sheriff's Department and Bud's Ambulance Service worked frantically in efforts to free the pilot from the wreckage of his crumpled airplane.

Seriously Injured In Two Car Accident

artment, 897-7123 . . .

Grand opening festivities at the Holiday Harbor, men's and women's clothing store, at 107 W. Main Street will continue through February 25. Double S&H Green Stamps are given on all sales .

Save time, save gasoline, save a hassle! How? Simple, buy your 1978 license plate tabs by mail. But warns Secretary of State Richard Austin, time is fast closing in on the mail deadline of March 1 for owners of passenger vehicles and motorcycles. Final deadline is March 31 . . .

Involved in a minor property damage accident Saturday afternoon on Marsac Street were Louie and Marjorie Beebe. Saturday evening on West Main Street, near the railroad tracks Keith Granger and tero passengers in his vehicle were injured, when he dozed off and struck a parked vehicle . . .

The Lowell Red Arrow Championship basketball team has drawn a bye in the first round of the District Class B tournament. They will play their first game on Thursday night, March 2, at 7:30 p.m. at Forest Hills Central High School. Their opponents will be the winner of the Forest Hills Central and Catholic Central game scheduled for Tuesday, February 28. Lowell Athletic Director Bob Perry reported Tuesday that tickets are now on sale for the March 2 game, at the school; adults and students \$1.50

Pauline Spray To Open Lenten Reviews

The first in a series of three Lenten Reviews will be given at the Lowell YMCA on Wednesday morning, March 1. Pauline Spray, who writes the

"Homespun Devotions" column for the Grand Valley Ledger, will review one of the several books she has had published. For this occasion, Mrs. Spray

has chosen 'Rx for Nerves," which she deals with some of the causes, complications, and cures for emotional difficulties, presenting a Christian prescription for the disabling cases of "nerves" which trouble so many today.

At 9:45 a.m. refreshments will be served by the committee which has arranged for the Lenten Review Series; the program will begin at 10 a.m. All are welcome to attend at no charge. Babysitting is to be provided at the Congregational Church at a cost of 50c per child.

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Dog Licenses

John L. Damstra, Kent County Treasurer, has issued a reminder to all Kent County dog owners to obtain their dog licenses before March 1st to avoid penalties which will be added after that date.

The fee for a male or female dog is \$6.00; for an unsexed dog. \$2.00. After March 1st, Mr. Damstra stated, an additional \$5.00 penalty will be added to each license.

For those who fail to obtain a dog license and are given a Citation by a Dog Census Official, the additional penalty will be \$10.00 for each license.

Mr. Damstra added that dog license applications are available by mail from the County Treasurer's office simply by calling 774-3641 and requesting them, or by picking them up in person. Dog licenses may also be purchased from all Township and City Treasurers and from the County Animal Shelter. Rabies Certificates must accompany all dog license applica-tions, according to Mr. Dam-

He urges all those who have not purchased their dog licenses to do so as quickly as possible to avoid penalties and inconvenience.

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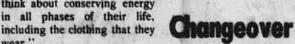
morning, Betty Coons will re-view "Eyes, Etc.," a memoir by

Eleanor Clark, and on March 15

May Siebers will discuss Char-

les Colson's story of his conver-

sion, "Born Again."



The Michigan 4-H youth pro-Taking Place gram has developed two new programs designed to encourage young people to think about

their energy usage. For youths aged 12-19 there is the "Reach For the Stars" clothing design contest. Entrants will design an outfit or piece of clothing which con-serves body heat or recycles materials already on hand.

The 50 winning designers will receive a \$15 scholarship to Exploration Days, June 22-24 at Michigan State University. The winners will also attend a special staging session that covers lighting, technical assistance, sound and choreography in preparation for modeling their designs for the public on June 24. Youngsters in third through sixth grades can enter the energy cartoon contest. Entrants will draw a cartoon or comic strip depicting their solutions to the "energy crunch." All entrants will receive an energy sticker with the top 100

cartoonists also receiving an energy T-shirt. Winning cartoons will be printed in a comic book and displayed at Energy Day '78, June 24 at MSU. Anyone wanting to enter the

contests, or desiring additional information should contact Kent County 4-H Youth Program at 836 Fuller. NE. Grand Rapids. or phone 774-3265.

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GREAT CURL! GREAT BODY! -With "Uniperm" at Vanity Hair Fashions, 203 E. Main,

Changeover of color for the approximate 160 pieces of road

equipment from orange to bright apple green, which was started about a year and a half ago, is 70 percent completed. reports James Porritt, KCRC maintenance superintendent.

He observes that of the 16 trucks in the Ada District (No. 5), in which Lowell lies, five already have the new color.

Porritt explains that the road commission is not painting the equipment green. but that as new units replace the old units, they must bear the bright apple green, also known as sassy grass green, from the manufac-

"That's why the complete changeover will take several years," he states.

The road commission planned the new color because many vehicles, not associated with the KCRC, are orange, and this is confusing to the public." he explains. "People think we are in private business, but we aren't.

'Also, the bright apple green color is much more visible than orange and thereby adds a safety factor on the roads." Porritt continues.

Included in the road equipment are 89 trucks, seven loaders, six hydraulic excavators, 11 motor graders and about 50 front-end loaders, bulldozers, light and panel trucks. and cars.

One of the first KCRC vehicles painted green was a motorized snowplow and salter and sander that was on display in July, 1976, at the KCRC exhibit davs a week. in the Kent County Air Show. part of the national Bicentennial observance at the Kent County

International Airport. The road commission spent about \$500,000 on new road equipment, with the new color, in 1976 and a like amount last year, says Homer Preston, KCRC secretary .- Dave Barnes



Richard and Ruth Sisson of 820 North Monroe Street, Lowell, were injured last Thursday morning when their car was struck broadside at the intersection of N. Washington and Fremont Streets. Both were taken to Biodgett Hospital where Mrs. Sisson, who sustained cracked ribs, was treated and released. Mr. Sisson, a Lowell Barber, is still listed in very critical condition in the intensive care unit, with cracked ribs, pelvis, broken collar bone, arm and internal injuries.

The driver of the other vehicle, Larry Johnson of Alto, has been cited for reckless driving.

Senior Center To Mark Fourth Year

Debbic Reynolds.

ingly popular.

counseling, information and re-

Lowell Senior Neighbors Cen- ferral services are offered. The ter, 214 E. Main Street, plans a birthday celebration on Friday. February 24, at 1 p.m. The birthday party will feature the ber feature length film. "The Se-

cond Time Around," starring The Center began operation in February. 1974, with recreational programs and limited services for the elderly persons in the area. The Nutrition Program was added to Center activities in February. 1975. funds.

The Lowell City Council is with meals being served three presently considering a request In October, 1977, the program from Senior Neighbor's, Inc. for was increased to five days. An \$2.200 as the local community's average of 40 persons, over 60. share of the \$16.390 budget of the Lowell Center. Lowell proare served dinner at noon. Monday through Friday. Selfvided \$1,500 toward last year's enrichment and recreational budget; \$500 was received from programs have become increas-Vergennes Township. The Nutrition Program is funded separ-

Providing transportation, deately, out of federal funds. livering meals to home bound persons, health assessment,

service unit count almost doubled during 1977, from 1,220 in January to over 2.000 in Decem-The Lowell Center is one of nine centers in the county, part

of Senior Neighbors. Inc. The largest portion of the budget comes from funds allocated by the Area Agency On Aging. under the Older Americans Act. The City of Grand Rapids and Kent County also contribute

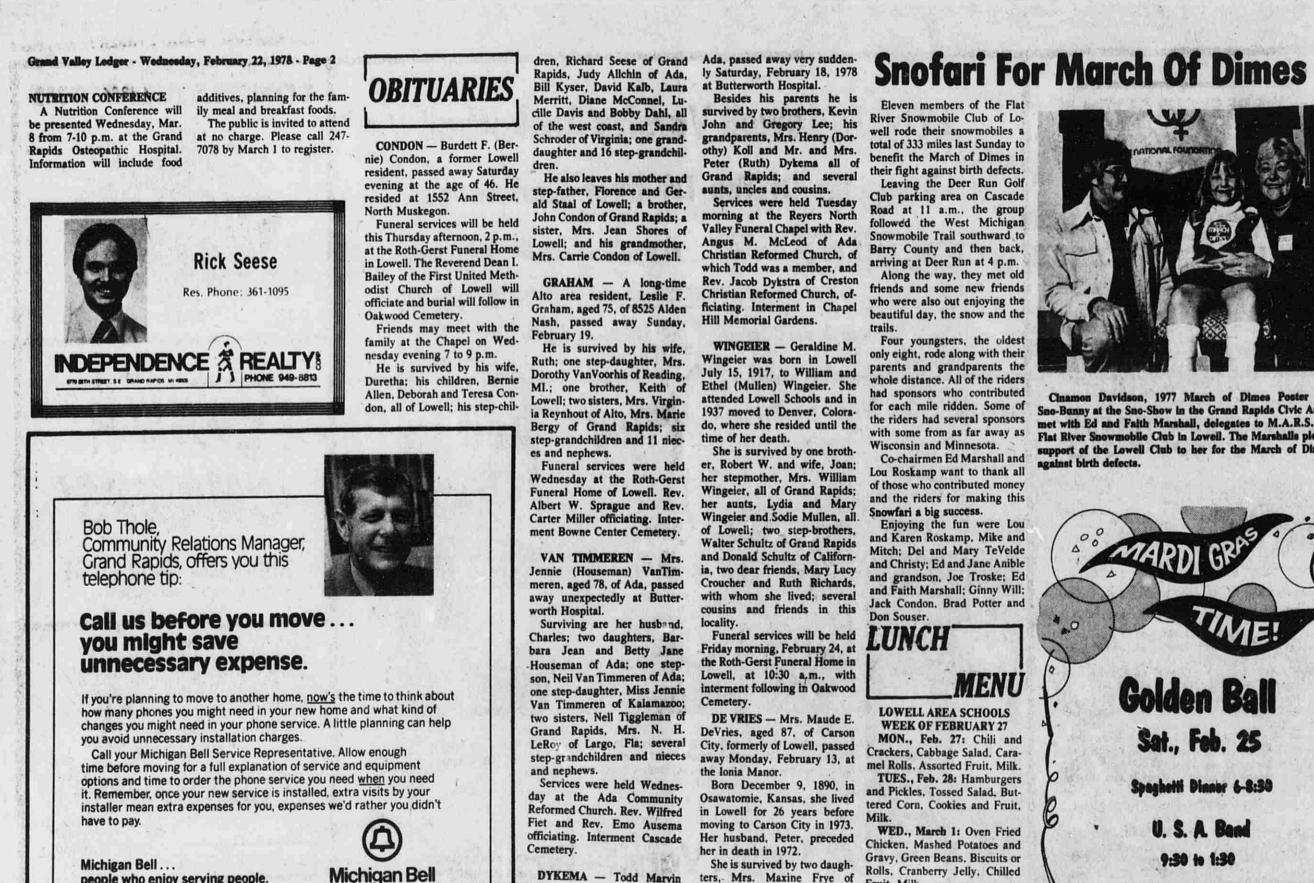
> Jim Ball, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ball, 513 E. Main St., Lowell, is among 12 candidates for the title of "Sno-King" during Winfester '78 activities being held through February 25 at Northern Michigan University, Marquette.

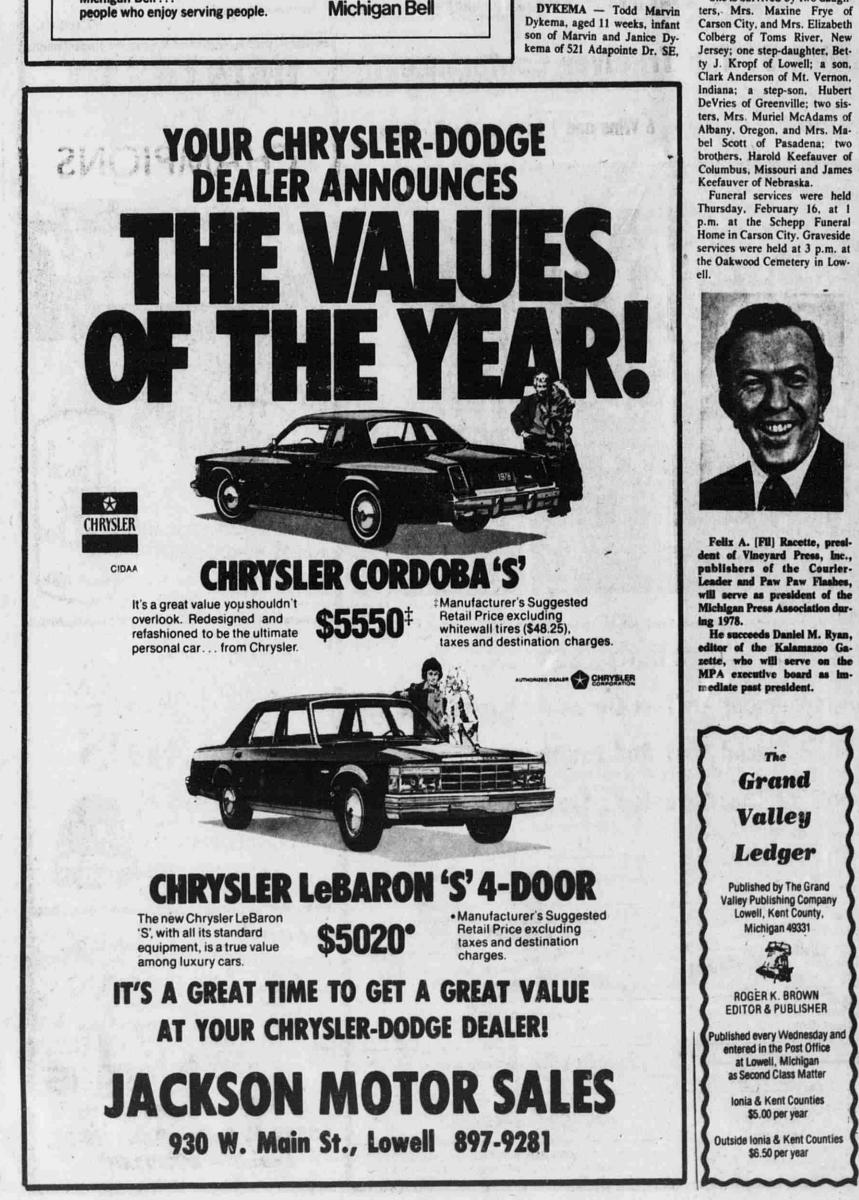
Jim, 20, a sophomore major ing in speech and drama is being sponsored by his resi-dence hali. His hobbies include theatre, tennis and piano.

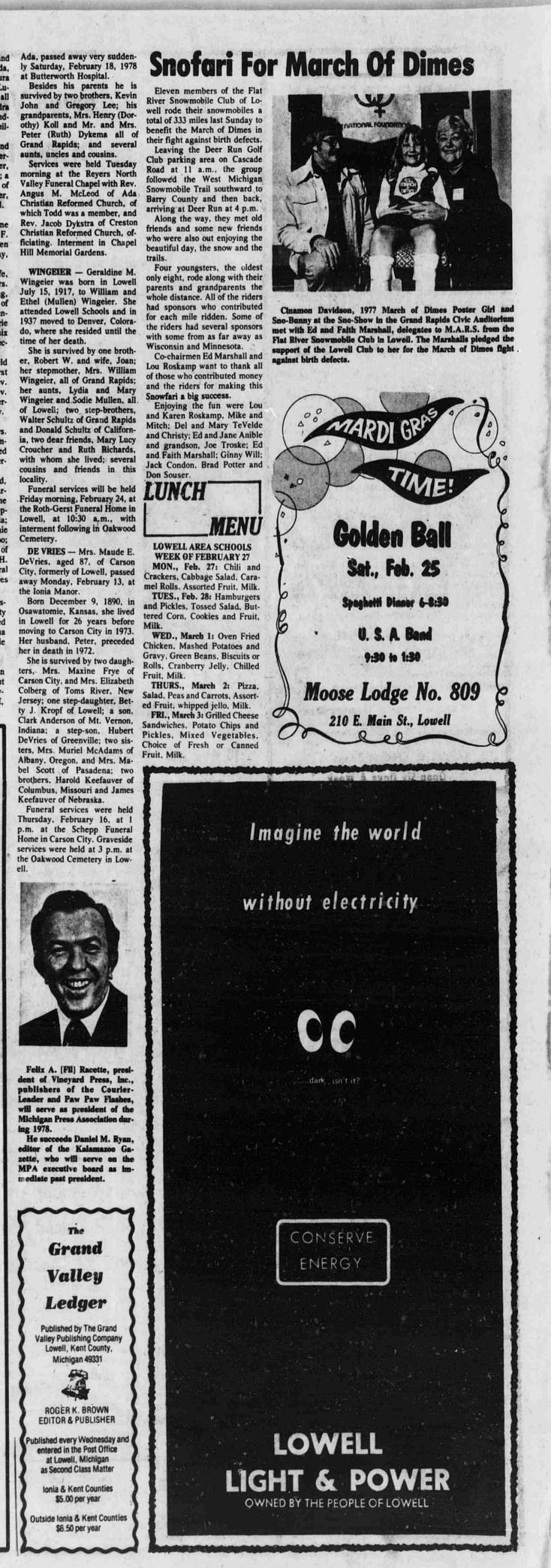


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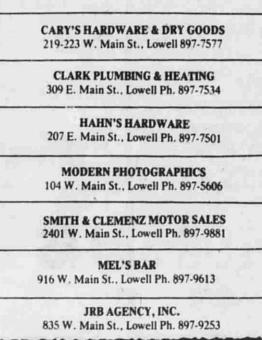


1977-78 Lowell Varsity Basketball **Champions Of The Tri-River Conference** 16 Wins and 3 Losses Overall SMET! GREL ANE! Back row left to right; Mark Eickhoff, Bob Bieri, Ken Wittenbach, Ron Kempker and coach Bill Stouffer Middle row left to right; Bob Fortin, Tom Kempker, David Baerwald, Dave Fosburg and John Ellison. Front row left to right; Mark Johnson, Kory Andrews, Lindsey Fonger, Rob Thomson. 1977-78 Lowell Varsity Wrestling **Co-Champions Of The Tri-River Conference** 10 Wins and 1 Loss Overall brothers Harold Knethuser of 3 Back row left to right; Coach Gary Rivers, Brian Brown, Dan Stuart, Jay Ric Doug Meyers and Dale Bieri. Front row left to right; Joe Rathbun, Ted Kazemier, Ray Alexander, Mike Mauric, Nate Swift, Doug Heintzleman, Craig Essich, Tom Oesch, Randy Kropf, Dan Zeits, Ed Laughlin, Bill Nagy and Greg Martinez. Special Acknowledgement To Tom Oesch And John Wilder

Who Placed First And Fourth **Respectively At Last Saturday's State Meet.**

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HOLIDAY HARBOR 107 W. Main St., Lowell Ph. 897-8873	
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BEN FRANKLIN 123 W. Main St., Lowell Ph. 897-9918	
BRISTOL'S BODY SHOP 222 W. Main St., Lowell Ph. 897-8126	







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last few Lents, the Diaconate of same format as usual, with one

the First Congregational Church of Lowell will sponsor Lenten pared just for the men, everyone Breakfasts from 7 to 7:45 a.m. at is welcome.

the church during the Fridays in March. aintaining a tradition of the these breakfasts will be the

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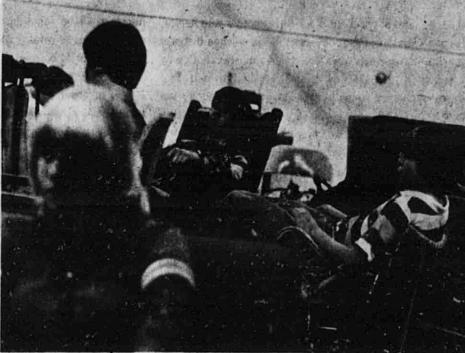
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Rock-A-Thon. - Photo by Paul Miller

Fighting world hunger and a.m. Sunday, February 5. Over financing a youth study were the objectives of a number and other dropped by during the of Lowell area citizens as they evening and morning hours to Top rockers were Cheryl Deupported the efforts of twentyfive senior highs of the First awake the youth. United Methodist Church. A breakfast w Pledges toward a twelve-hour rocking chair marathon totaled

Mrs. Dean Bailey and Mr. and food items were brought in were the support of the whole Mrs. Donald Kelly, rocking during the twelve hours includbegan at 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, ing chili, pizza, brownies, cake, February 4, and ended at 9:30

sixty parents, friends, relatives, visit, encourage, and keep

A breakfast was served on crew by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Supervised by Reverend and David Kronbach. Numerous the many generous persons who

Mrs. Bailey, counselor of the Senior High Fellowship also

High Fellowship also rocked nine hours. Witt at \$13.25 per hour. Glenn Bailey at \$10.99 per hour. Rob Yeiter at \$9.20 per hour. Sharon Bancroft at \$6.46 per hour and Karen Kelly at \$6.02 per hour. Zandstra and Mr. and Mrs. The youth salute and thank

World Day Of Prayer

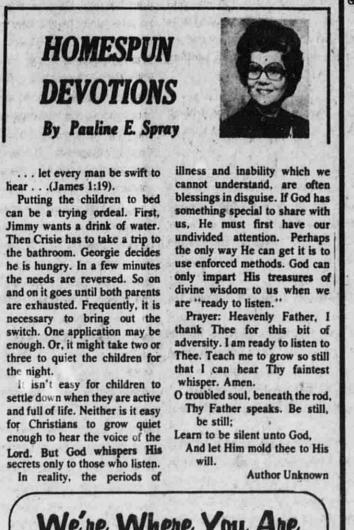
World Day of Prayer will be S.E., at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Baldwin unity through prayer, fellow celebrated on Friday, March 3, (Thelma) DeKorne will speak. ship, study and cooperative 1978 by Church Women United. Nursery care provided. Church Women United in Since the first small gather- ties in every state across the housands of local communities ings in the United States 91 across the nation will join in this years ago, the idea of united annual chain of prayer that links prayer by women around the the first voice at dawn in the world has increasingly captured tropical islands of the Pacific the imagination of community with millions of others in 170 groups. Today, World Day of countries and islands. By night-fall, the Day's message, "Commost important ecumenical and ing" will have followed the year.

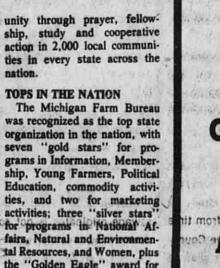
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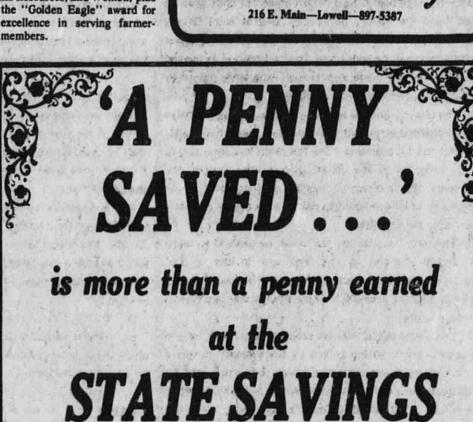
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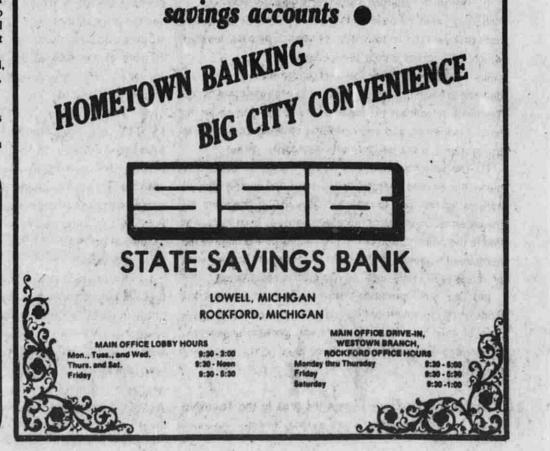


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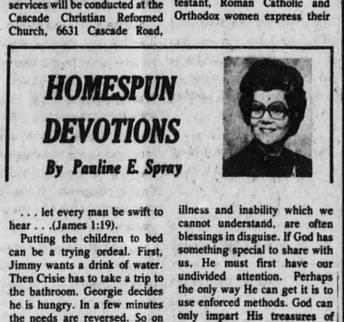




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munity Spirit In Modern Liv- international observance of the Education, sun's arc until the last prayers The small group of women are said in units of Church who first initiated World Day of Women United in the islands off Prayer in 1887 firmly believed that the mission work for which Church Women United invite they were responsible needed all men and women to join this their support in prayer as much world-wide fellowship. Services as in giving. Church Women United has continued this tradi-Test United Methodist tion through Interco Church of Lowell, 621 East Main Mission, a fund for administer treet, at 1 p.m. on March 3. ing the nationwide offerings The guest speaker will be Mrs. received on World Day of Pray-World Day of Prayer is the most, There will be a nursery pro-vided and a coffee fellowship Celebration sponsored by Church Women United-the In the Cascade-Ada area, the movement through which Proservices will be conducted at the testant, Roman Catholic and



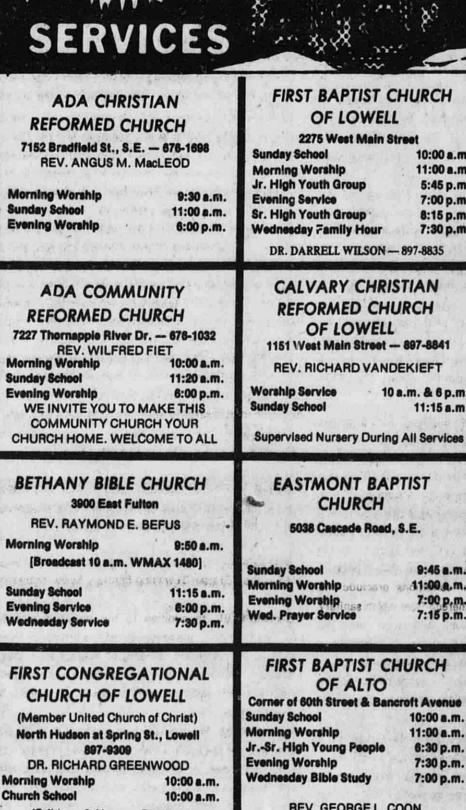


unday School 9:45 a.m 11:00.e.m. Morning Worship 11:15 a.n Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m **Ned. Prayer Service** 7:15 p.m 7:30 p.m FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ALTO **Corner of 60th Street & Bancroft Aver** Sunday School 10:00 a.m Morning Worship 11:00 a.m Jr.-Sr. High Young People 6:30 p.m. 897-9309 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Nednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. 10:00 a.n 10:00 a.m REV. GEORGE L. COON (Cribbery & Nursery Provided) Telephone 868-6403 or 868-6912 FIRST UNITED METHODIST TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH CHURCH OF LOWELL (LCA) 621 E. Main Street - 897-7514 2700 East Fulton Road 8:30 & 11 a.m. Worship Services 8:30 & 10:45 a.m **Church School** 9:45 a.m. Sunday Church School 9:30 a.m Wednesday, Mid-Week Lenten **Guest Speaker** 7:30 p.m William Bauer - Missionary to India PASTOR RAYMOND A. HEINE **DEAN I. BAILEY, MINISTER** Child Car During All Services Nursery Provided CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE SNOW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 3189 Snow Avenue, S.E. **201 North Washington Street** [Between 28th & 36th Streets, East] **REV. WILLIAM F. HURT** REV. ALLEN WITTRUP Church School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. **Evening Service** 6:00 p.m. Worship Service 10:00 a.n Vednesday Mid-Week Serv hurch School 11:05 a.m Jr., Teens, Adults 7:00 p.m Nursery - Come & Worship With Us "Serving Ada, Cascade Areas REORGANIZED CHURCH VERGENNES UNITED OF JESUS CHRIST OF METHODIST LATTER DAY SAINTS **Corner Parnell Avenue & Bailey Drive** 8147 - 68th St., S.E., Alto, Mich [Near Whitneyville Rd.] 868-6806 Worship Service 10:00 a. ELDER IVAN STARK, PASTOR Coffee Hour 11:00 a.m Church School 9:45 a.m. **Church School** 11:15 a.m 11:00 a.m. **Morning Worship** REV. PHILLIP CARPENTER Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Nednesday Fellowship 7:30 p.m. "Little White Church On The Corner" **Communion-First Sunday** 11:00 a.m.

Worship

Sunday School

LOWELL ASSEMBLY OF GOD GOOD SHEPHERD Meeting in American Legion Building LUTHERAN CHURCH 805 E. Main Street 2287 Segwun, S.E. Lowell, Michigan 10:00 a.m **Sunday School** Morning Worship 11:00 a.m **Evening Worship** 6:00 p.m 9:30 a.m Wed. Bible Study & Prayer 7:00 p.m Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. REV. ROGER E. KUBILIS, PASTOR MARK BUCKERT, PASTOR Phone 897-7047 Come Join Us In Worshipping Ron Moykkynen, Elder 897-955 In Spirit And In Truth



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Lenten services to be held on the four Sunday evenings pre-The first service of the series will be held Sunday. February 26 at 8 p.m. at the Alto Church

and will be under the direction of the youth of the two churches and their pastor, Rev. Al On March 5 the second service will feature the well-known Gospel group from Lansing, the

apitalaires in a program of music and inspiration at the Bowne Center Church at 7:30 For the third service in the series on March 12 at 8 p. m. at the Alto Church Rev. Alien Wittrup of the Snow United lethodist Church will be the guest speaker. Special music vill be provided by an ensemble comprised of Kathryn Pitt (Ma-

rimba), Charles Pitt (Bass Guitar) and Helen Linders (Vocalst). Ms. Linders is the choir director at the Bethel Reformed Church in Grand Rapids.

The final service of the series will be held on Palm Sunday March 19 at 8 p.m. at the Bowne Center Church. The choir of the First Congregational Church of Lowell and its pastor Dr. Richard Greenwood will provide the eadership for this service. The Alto and Bowne Center United Methodist Churches cor-

Mon. - Thurs. 5-4

Alto-Bowne Churche **Special Lenten Services**

Once again this year the Alto dially invite all interested per and Bowne Center United Meth- sons to share in these special odist Churches are pleased to Lenten worship experiences announce a series of special

Dear Friends.

OPEN LETTER

The funeral is of the

person who died-yet it is

for those who live on. This

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GRATTAN TOWNSHIP — ORDINANCE NO. 78-3

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AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONNECTION NOW OR HEREAFTER OF PREMISES TO THE GRATTAN SANITARY DRAIN AND THE GRATTAN-VERGENNES SANITARY DRAIN IN THE TOWNSHIP OF GRATTAN, KENT COUNTY, MICHIGAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION, COLLEC-TION AND ENFORCEMENT OF FEES AND CHARGES FOR CONNECTION THERETO AND AVAILABILITY THEREOF AND FOR CHARGES FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVICE THERE-FROM; TO REQUIRE SEWERS AND SEWER-AGE FOR PREMISES HEREAFTER OC-CUPIED OR PLATTED: AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE TO SAID SYS-TEM AND TO THE USE THEREOF FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH. SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE

THE TOWNSHIP OF GRATTAN ORDAINS: Section 1.01 Whenever used in this ordinance, except

when otherwise indicated by the context:

(a) The term "Township" shall be construed to mean the Township of Grattan and the term "County" shall be time for reasons of public health, such premises shall be so construed to mean the County of Kent, both in the State of Michigan.

(b) The term "Board" shall be construed to mean the Township Board of said Township of Grattan, the legislative more lots or parcels shall not be approved; and permits to and governing body thereof.

County pursuant to and in accordance with such proceedings, available as part of the system or extensions shall be herein called "new construction" or "construction."

to refer to the collection, transportation, treatment and Township, as otherwise provided by law) provided, however, above

(e) The terms "unit" or "units" shall be related to the the premises involved. quantity of sanitary sewage ordinarily arising from the occupancy of a residence building by a single family of to time by the Township after consultation with the County systems and shall be kept up to date and revised as needed any court having jurisdiction. as new studies are made and through experience gained by the County of Kent in actual operation.

provided, to each premises in the Township for connecting or shall be charged according to the following rates: represents the individual user's cost including trunk shall be charged. facilities by which sewage disposal services are immediately provided to the premises.

the laterals for the availability of the sewage disposal system sewage. to such premises.

public sanitary sewer system to which connection may be for each stub installed. made located in a right of way, easement, highway, street or laundry, bathing, or other facilities which generate water-car- rates and shall be charged as follows:

ried sanitary sewage, are used or are available for use for household, commercial, industrial or other purposes.

deemed to mean the amount charged to each applicant by the exceed \$2,100.00 per unit. the system and the issuance of a connection permit.

permanent easement in the event the easement crosses such be paid in cash. premises at the time such service stub is constructed.

shall not be used or occupied, after the effective date hereof, herein shall be required to construct and install required system and successive charges to be due and payable on the system within twelve (12) months after published notice by are required to connect to the sewage disposal system as at least one month before their due date. the Township that service is available: Provided that required by this ordinance. premises within the areas in the Township served by the Any adjacent lands hereinafter connected to the system system from which sanitary sewage is originating on the through any private or public sewers shall pay a trunkage fee effective date hereof and which are under pollution control. at a unit rate as provided above. court order shall be connected to said system within six (6) months after service is available.

Provided further, that any developer or municipality shall between the months of May 1 to October 1 and are be permitted to extend any sanitary sewer hereafter non-conforming in the zone in which they are situated and constructed in accordance with the "facilities plan" are licensed for more than 20 sites which are to be connected prepared under Public Laws 92500, being the Federal Water to the system, shall pay the following charges: Pollution Control Amendment of 1972, at the cost and . expense of such developer or municipality and in which event the units which would otherwise be required to connect thereto along such extension shall be excused from connecting thereto for a period of not to exceed five years, after which time such units shall connect to such system and shall pay therefore their proportionate share of the costs of such system and the fees required by this ordinance.

The preceding paragraph notwithstanding if the Township by ordinance or a county or district board of health by rule requires completion of a connection within a shorter period of

Section 2.02 Plats for premises subdivided into three or improve platted or unplatted premises, after the effective (c) The terms "sewage disposal system" and "system" date hereof, within the area in the Township served by the shall be construed to mean the Grattan Sanitary Drain and system, shall not be issued on behalf of the Township; and the Grattan-Vergennes Sanitary Drain established and none of said premises shall be improved hereafter by the constructed by the County Drainage Board pursuant to erection thereon of a building or structure for human use or Chapter 20 of Act No. 40, Michigan Public Acts of 1956 as occupancy unless lateral sewers to serve all of said premises, amended, being MCLA 280.461 et seq. and shall consist of as subdivided or to be improved are provided. Such lateral the sewer and facilities to be acquired and constructed by the sewer shall connect the premises to the system when installed at private cost or by special assessment (or a bond (d) The term "sewage disposal services" shall be deemed furnished or the estimated cost thereof deposited with the

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Section 3.01 All of the Owners of premises from which (f) The term "trunkage fee" shall be deemed to mean the sanitary sewerage originates within the area in the Township amount charged at the time and in the amount hereinafter served by the system on the effective date of this ordinance service stub shall pay \$15.00 per service stub which fee is

(b) Availability fee - An availability fee of \$750.00 plus

the area in the township served by the system" means a under the original construction contract a charge of \$375.00 une may be computed and assigned to the nearest tenth.

cost of inspecting and approving the physical connection to \$5.00 for each front foot (or front foot equivalent) of such if no permit is issued or required. premises in excess of 75 feet; provided, that payment of fifty

Section 2.01 Structures within the area in the Township such unimproved premises in respect of which no service day of the established billing quarter following by at least

foot or (Front Foot Equivalent) in access of 75 feet \$750.00 (c) Service Stub Charge \$375.00 (d) Sewage disposal service charges of \$20.50 per guarter per unit for two quarters per year only

In the event any such Seasonal Trailer Park ceases as such as above described and becomes a be paid forthwith

Section 7.01 Charges for sewage disposal services year-around park, the balance of the fees unpaid and furnished by the system to any premises and the trunkage required under Section 3.01 and 5.02 of this ordinance shall fee, availability fee and service stub charge installments pertaining to any premises, shall be a lien thereon as of the Section 4.03 Property owners initially listed on the due date thereof, and on September 1st of each year the chedule of charges for collection may pay the whole or part Township Treasurer shall certify any such charges and thereof in cash to the township treasurer without interest on installments which have been delinquent nintey (90) days or or before April 1, 1978. Amounts unpaid shall be billed in 15 more, plus penalties and interest accrued thereon, and plus qual installments with interest beginning February 1, 1978. an additional amount of 6% of the aggregate amount, to the ubsequent installments together with interest shall fall due Township Board who shall cause the same to be entered upon n the first day of June of each successive year until the the next Township and County tax roll against the premises ntire balance of the charges is paid. Interest shall be to which such services shall have been rendered and against computed at such rate as shall be determined necessary by which such trunkage fee, availability fee and service stub the township to defray the interest charge payable on any charge has been placed, and said unpaid charges and unpaid bonds which shall be sold to finance the construction of the fees, with penalties and interest accrued thereon, shall be collected and said lien shall be enforced in the same manner swage disposal system.

as provided in respect to taxes assessed upon such roll. Section 4.04 Notwithstanding anything herein to the Section 8.01 The system shall be operated upon a fiscal contrary, no charges shall be imposed under this ordinance disposal of sanitary sewage originating from premises now or the requirements of this section may be waived if the against any premises which the Township shall determine to year which coincides with the Township fiscal year. hereafter within the service area as defined by the drainage Township Board and the Drainage Board of the County both be unbuildable. In making that determination the Township proceedings, reference to which is made in Section 1.01 (c) determine by specific resolution that compliance with this may consult with the engineers retained in connection with Section 9.01 The operation, maintenance and managesection will work an unreasonable hardship on the owner of the design and development of the sewage disposal system ment of the system shall be under the immediate supervision and with other persons experienced in the building trades. and control of the Drainage Board of the County. Premises shall be determined to be unbuildable if, in the Section 10.01 This ordinance shall be known and may be Section 2.03 Where any structure in which sanitary judgment of the Township, zoning restrictions, physical brdinary size, and shall be defined or determined from time sewage originates is not connected to an available public layout, or adverse soil or other conditions preclude the cited as the "Grattan Township Sanitary Sewer ordinance," sanitary sewer system within ninety (90) days after the date of construction of an improvement thereon from which sanitary and its drainage board. Said determination of units shall be mailing or posting of the written notice, the provisions of this sewage originates. In the event any such premises Section 11.01 In addition to the remedies elsewhere based upon the history and background of Kent County ordinance shall be enforceable through the bringing of determined to be unbuildable are subsequently improved or provided for herein, the provisions of this ordinance shall be Department of Public Works and of comparable county sever appropriate action for injunction, mandamus, or otherwise in through changed circumstances are determined to be enforceable through the bringing of appropriate action for injunction, mandamus, or otherwise, in any Court having buildable, then the charges imposed by Section 4.01 shall be paid, together with interest thereafter accruing, in the same jurisdiction. Any violation of this ordinance is deemed to be a nuisance per se. manner

Section 4.05 The owner of the premises served by a hereby established. If, however, unusual circumstances being connected to the construction of the system and (a) Trunkage fee - A trunkage fee of \$1,575.00 per unit demand, the township may charge inspection costs on an hourly basis with a minimum fee of \$15.00.

> Section 5.01 The number of units to be assigned to any \$5.00 for each front foot (or front foot equivalent) in excess of premises used for other than single residence purposes shall \$500.00 or imprisonment in the County jail for a period not exceeding 90 days or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the Court, together with costs of said more than one unit to a single family dwelling. No less than Section 13.01 If any section, paragraph, sentence, Section 14.01 All ordinances and resolutions or parts Section 14.01 The Township specifically reserves the and applicable law to levy a tax or to use any other means or

(g) The term "availability fee" shall be deemed to mean 75 feet. Provided that 50 per cent of the \$750.00 charge be determined by the Township Board based on unit factors the amount charged at the time and in the amount specified herein may be deferred until the date of connection premulgated by the County and its Drainage Board. Said hereinafter provided to each premises in the area served by If the lands are unimproved and do not originate any sanitary Drainage Board, if the circumstances justify, may assign one unit shall be assigned to each premises, but for purposes clause, or phrase of this ordinance shall be held invalid, the (h) "Available public sanitary sewer system" and "within (c) Service Stub charge - For a service stub constructed of computing the trunkage fee, fractions of units in excess of same shall not affect any other part of this ordinance. Once any premises has been connected to the system and has been assigned one or more units, subsequent changes in the thereof, insofar as the same may be in conflict herewith, are public way which crosses, adjoins, or abuts upon the Section 4.01 Owners of premises within the service area character of the use or type of occupancy of said premises hereby repealed. property and passes not more than 200 feet at the nearest which are unimproved and from which no sanitary sewage (including destruction, removal or abandonment of any or all point from a structure in which sanitary sewage originates. originates on the effective date of this ordinance shall pay improvements thereon) shall not abate the obligation to (i) "Structures in which sanitary sewage originates" or charges for the construction, use and benefit of the sewage continue the payment of fees charged against said premises right to amend this ordinance in whole or in part, at one or "structure" means a building in which toilet, kitchen, disposal system which shall be computed at the following in the amount and for the period hereinabove provided, for more times hereafter, or to repeal the same, and by such the number of units assigned to said premises at the time of amendment or repeal to abandon, increase, decrease, or (a) Trunkage fee; Prior to January 1, 1980, a trunkage fee connection. If subsequent changes at any time increase the otherwise nodify any of the fees, charges or rates herein of \$1,575.00 per unit shall be paid in cash at the time a amount of sanitary sewage originating from the premises, provided. It being understood, however, that the adoption of (j) The term "charges for sewage disposal services" or building permit is issued and before constructed to the the Township Board shall increase the number of units this ordinance or its subsequent amendment or repeal shall-"charges" shall be deemed to mean the amount charged to sewage disposal system is authorized. For building permits assigned to said premises and thereupon a trunkage fee of in no way change, relieve or release the contractual and legal each premises in the Township for sewage disposal services issued subsequent to January 1, 1980, the trunkage fee shall \$1,575.00 per unit subject to the escalation clauses as obligation of the Township to make the required payments to escalate at the rate of \$75.00 per year commencing on provided in Section 4.01, computed on the same basis for the the County of Kent under and as set forth in the contract (k) The term "inspection and approval fee" shall be January 1, 1980, provided, that the trunkage fee shall not additional units, shall be payable in cash at the time a pertaining to the Grattan Sanitary Drain and the Gratconstruction or other permit is issued by the Township for tan-Vergennes Sanitary Drain or under applicable law or the Township to connect premises to the system, to cover the (b) Availability fee: An availability fee of \$750.00 plus such changes in use or at the time such change in use occurs, the contractual and legal obligation pursuant to said contract

(1) The term "service stub charge" shall be deemed to percent (50%) of the \$750.00 availability fee may be deferred premises within the Township connected with the sewage County. This Ordinance shall not be deemed to be a part of Section 5.02 Charges for sewage dispoal services to each available funds to make the required payments to said mean the amount charged at the time and in the amount until the lands are improved with a structure required to be disposal system shall be \$20.50 per quarter per unit and may any contractual obligation or bond contract pertaining to said hereinafter provided to each premises in the Township for connected to the sewage disposal system is authorized. At be amended from time to time by the Township Board and system the construction of one or more service stubs from the sewer the time a building permit is issued for such structure, the subject to any obligations and limitations set forth in any line to the property line of the premises or to the edge of the balance of the availability fee in the amount of \$375.00 shall agreement pertaining to the system between the Township Section 15.01 This ordinance is hereby declared to be an and the Drainage Board of the County which charge shall emergency ordinance which is immediately necessary for the (c) Service stub charge: A service stub charge of \$375.00 include an amount of \$2.50 per unit per quarter for debt (m) The term "premises" shall be deemed to mean the for each service stub which such owner requests prior to the service shall be furnished by the system to lands of record which are owned on or before the effective effective date of this ordinance to be constructed in the Township or to any person, firm or corporation, public or date of this ordinance by the same person or persons, connection with the new construction of the sewage disposal private, or to any public agency or instrumentality. Charges newspaper published and circulated in said Township. partnership or corporation having no legal rights in adjacent system, to facilitate future connection of his unimproved for services furnished by the system are payable in advance Made and passed by the Township Board of the Township premises to the system at such time as the premises are and shall be billed and collected quarterly, the first such of Grattan, County of Kent, Michigan, this 13th day of improved and required to be connected. The owner of any charges for each premises to be due and payable on the first February, 1978 served by the system from which sanitary sewage originates stub has been requested or constructed as provided one month the date such premises are connected to the Robert Lamoreaux, Supervisor Patrick Malone, Clerk

Section 4.02 Seasonal Trailer Parks which operate only (a) Trunkage Fee per site \$525.00 (b) Availability fee plus \$5.00 per

unless such structures are connected to the sewage disposal service stubs at private expense at the time such premises first day of each succeeding quarter. Charges shall be billed

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Section 6.01 If any charges for sewage disposal services are not paid on or before the due date then a penalty of 10 percent shall be added thereto. In the event that the charges for any such services furnished to any premises shall not be paid within 120 days after the due date thereof, then all ervices furnished by the sewage disposal system may be discontinued. Service so discontinued shall not be restored intil all sums then due and owing, including penalties and interest, shall be paid, plus all expenses incurred by the fownship for shutting off and turning on the service.

Section 6.02 If any installment of a trunkage fee availability fee or service stub charge is not paid on or before the due date, the same shall draw interest at the rate of 1/2 of 1 percent per month until paid. In the event that any such installment remains unpaid for 120 days or more after the due date, service may be discontinued as provided in Section 6.01 and shall not be restored until all amounts due are paid plus the shut-off and turn-on charges so provided are paid

Section 12.01 Any person, firm or corporation convicted of disposing of sewage in a manner contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, or failing to connect with an available public sewer as provided herein, or in any way violating the provisions of this ordinance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and subjected to a fine of not to exceed

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Township of Vergennes, Kent County, Michigan, held in the occupancy of a residential building by a single family of available as part of the system or shall be installed at private the design and development of the sewage disposal system Township Hall in said Township, on February 13,1978 at 7:30 ordinary size. The number of units or fractional parts thereof cost or by special assessment (or, a bond furnished or the and with other persons experienced in the building trades.

o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard time, Adelbert Odell and Richard Bieri

sewerage in the Township.

Mr. Kropf introduced Ordinance No. 1978.1, entitled: AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONNECTION NOW OR HEREAFTER OF PREMISES TO THE GRATTAN-VERGENNES SANITARY DRAIN IN THE TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES, KENT COUNTY, MICHIGAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION, COLLEC-TION AND ENFORCEMENT OF FEES AND CHARGES FOR CONNECTION THERETO AND AVAILABILITY THEREOF AND FOR CHARGES FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVIC IS THERE-FROM; AND TO REQUIRE SEWERS AND SEWERAGE FOR PREMISES HEREAFTER OCCUPIED OR PLATTED; AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE TO SAID SYSTEM AND TO THE USE THEREOF FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE

The ordinance was then read the first and second times b title. It was moved by Richard Bieri and seconded Adelbert Odell, that said ordinance be read and placed upon the order of final passage which motion was adopted by the following vote:

NAYS: 0 YEAS: 5

The foregoing ordinance was then read. It was moved by Adelbert Odell and seconded by Richar Bierl that Ordinance No. 1978.1 entitled:

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONNECTION NOW OR HEREAFTER OF PREMISES TO THE GRATTAN-VERGENNES SANITARY DRAIN IN THE TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES, KENT COUNTY, MICHIGAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION, COLLEC-TION AND ENFORCEMENT OF FEES AND CHARGES FOR CONNECTION THERETO AND AVAILABILITY THEREOF AND FOR CHARGES FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVICES THEREFROM!" TO' REQUIRE SEWERS' AND SEWERAGE FROM PREMISES HEREAFTER OCCUPIED OR PLATTED; AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE TO SAID SYSTEM AND TO THE USE THEREOF FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE. be adopted.

YEAS: 5

The supervisor declared the ordinance adopted. The following is Ordinance No. 1978.1 as adopted: ORDINANCE NO. 1978.1

NAYS: 0

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONNECTION NOW OR HEREAFTER OF PREMISES TO THE GRATTAN-VERGENNES SANITARY DRAIN IN THE TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES, KENT COUNTY, MICHIGAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION, COLLEC-TION AND ENFORCEMENT OF FEES AND CHARGES FOR CONNECTION THERETO AND AVAILABILITY THEREOF AND FOR CHARGES FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVICES THERE-FROM; TO REQUIRE SEWERS AND SEWER-AGE FOR PREMISES HEREAFTER OCCUPIED OR PLATTED; AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE TO SAID SYSTEM AND TO THE USE THEREOF FOR THE PRESERVA-TION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE

THE TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES ORDAINS:

when otherwise indicated by the context:

(a) The term "Township" shall be construed to mean the Township of Vergennes and the term "County" shall be construed to mean the County of Kent, both in the State of Michigan.

(b) The term "Board" shall be construed to mean the Township Board of said Township of Vergennes, the legislative and governing body thereof.

(c) The terms "sewage disposal system" and "systems" shall be construed to mean the Grattan-Vergennes Sanitary Drain established under proceedings pursuant to Chapter 20 of Act No. 40, Michigan Public Acts of 1956, as amended, being M.C.L.A. 280.461 and to be constructed by the County pursuant to and in accordance with such proceedings, and shall consist of all sewers and facilities to be acquired and constructed in connection said Drain, herein called "new construction" or "construction".

(d) The term "sewage disposal services" shall be deemed to refer to the collection, transportation, treatment and disposal of sanitary sewage originating from premises now or hereafter located within the service area as defined by the drainage proceedings, reference to which is made in Section 1.01 (c) above (hereinafter referred to as the "service area"). (e) The terms "unit" or "units" shall represent the

to be assigned to types of usage other than single family estimated cost thereof deposited with the Township as Premises shall be determined to be unbuildable if, in the PRESENT: Carl Kropf, Elmer Wittenbach, Irene Osborne, residential use shall be defined or determined from time to otherwise provided by law) in the manner, size and location judgment of the Township, zoning restrictions, physical time by the Township, after consultation with the County and approved by the Township, unless the Township Board and layout, or adverse soil or other conditions preclude the Its Drainage Board. Said definition or determination of units the Drainage Board of the County shall both determine by construction of an improvement thereon from which sanitary The Township Clerk presented to the Township Board an shall be based upon the history and background of Kent specific resolution that compliance with this section will work sewage originates. In the event any such premises ordinance pertaining to sewage disposal and sewers and County Department of Public Works and of comparable an unreasonable hardship on the owner of the premises determined to be unbuildable are subsequently improved or county sewer systems, and shall be kept up-to-date and involved. system.

> amount charged on a per unit basis at the time and in the follows: amount hereinafter provided, to each premises in the service area for connecting or being connected to the sewage disposal system, and represents the charge to the individual user for the cost of constructing the trunk facilities, lift stations, ponds and treatment facilities by which sewage disposal services are immediately provided to the premises.

(g) The term "availability fee" shall be deemed to mean the amount charged, at the time and in the amount hereinafter provided, to those premises in the service area served by the system, for the availability of the sewage disposal system directly to such premises.

(h) "Available public sanitary sewer system" means a public sanitary sewer system, to which connection may be made, in a right of way, easement, highway, street or public way which crosses, adjoins or abuts upon the property and asses not more than 200 feet at the nearest point from a structure in which sanitary sewage originates.

(i) "Structure in which sanitary sewage originates" or "structure" means a building in which toilet, kitchen, laundry, bathing, or other facilities which generate water-carried sanitary sewage, are used or are available for use for household, commercial, industrial or other purposes. (i) The term "charges for sewage disposal services" or "charges" shall be deemed to mean the amount charged to

each premises in the Township for sewage disposal services, and may include a debt service factor. (k) The term "inspection and approval fee" shall be deemed to mean the amount charged by the Township to

each applicant to connect premises in the Township to the sewage disposal system, to cover the cost of inspecting and approving the physical connection to the system as well as the issuance of a connection permit. to so blues last coloof

ttPThiltern "service stubionarge" shall be deemed to mean the amount charged, at the time and in the amount hereinafter provided to each premises in the Township for the construction of service stubs from the sewer line to the property line of such premises, or to the edge of the permanent easements for such sewer line in the event the sewer line crosses the premises within such easement.

(m) The term "premises" shall be deemed to mean the lands in the service area which are owned of record on or before the effective date of this ordinance by the same person(s), partnership(s) or corporation(s) having no legal rights in adjacent property.

Section 2.01 Structures in the Township are required to connect to an available public sanitary sewer system as follows: Structures in the service area from which sanitary sewage is originating prior to the date service becomes available shall connect to the system within twelve (12) months after published notice by the Township that service is available. All other structures in the Township from which sanitary sewage originates, after a public sanitary sewer system becomes available, shall connect to such system prior to use or occupancy of the structure.

Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, if the township by ordinance, or a county or district board of health by rule, requires completion of a connection within a shorter period of time for reasons of public health, safety or welfare, such premises shall not be used or occupied beyond the date so specified for completion of connection, unless such premises are connected to the sewage disposal system in accordance with such ordinance or rule.

Section 2.02 When a structure in which sanitary sewage Section 1.01 Whenever used in this ordinance, except originates has not been connected to an available public sanitary sewer system within the period provided in this ordinance, the Township shall require the connection to be involved and shall advise the owner of the requirements and provided in Section 3.02. of the enforcement provisions of this ordinance.

> appropriate action for injunction, mandamus, or otherwise in fee shall not be less than \$15.00. any court having jurisdiction.

platted or unplatted premises in the service area shall not be prescribed in Section 4.01 above. lateral sewers, including stubs, to serve all of such premises be unbuildable. In making that determination the Township

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and benefit of the sewage disposal system which shall be originating sanitary sewage on the effective date of this (f) The term "trunkage fee" shall be deemed to mean the computed at the following rates and shall be charged as ordinance.

> (a) Trunkage fee: a trunkage fee of \$1,575.00 per unit.

> (b) Availability fee: an availability fee of \$750.00 plus \$5.00 for each front foot (or front foot equivalent) of such premises in excess of 75 feet. (c) Service stub charge: a service stub charge of \$375.00 per stub for each service stub provided to such premises as part of the new construction.

ection 3.02 The owners listed on the schedule of charges for collection under the provisions of Section 3.01 may pay whole or any part of such charges in cash to the Township treasurer, without interest, on or before April 1, 1978. mounts unpaid shall be billed in 15 equal annual stallments with the first such installment, together with Interest from February 1, 1978, falling due on June 1, 1978 and subsequent installments, together with interest, shall fall due on the 1st day of June of each subsequent year until he full balance of the charges is paid. Interest shall be omputed at such rate as shall be determined necessary by he Township to defray the interest charge payable on any bonds which shall be sold to finance the construction of the ewage disposal system.

Section 4.01 Owners of premises within the service area which premises are unimproved and from which premises no sanitary sewage originates on the effective date of this ordinance shall pay charges for the construction, use and enefit of the sewage disposal system which shall be computed at the following rates and shall be charged as

(a) Trunkage fee: Prior to January 1, 1980, a trunkage fee of \$1,575.00 per unit shall be paid in cash at the time a building permit is issued and before connection to the sewage disposal system

is authorized. For building permits issued subsequent to January 1, 1980, the trunkage fee shall escalate at the rate of \$75.00 per year commencing on January 1, 1980, provided, that the trunkage fee shall not exceed \$2,100.00 per unit.

(b) Availability fee: an availability fee of \$750.00 plus \$5.00 for each front foot (or front foot equivalent) of such premises in excess of 75 feet; provided, that payment of fifty percent (50%) of the \$750.00 availability fee may be deferred until the lands are improved with a structure required to be connected to the sewage disposal system is authorized. At the time a building permit is issued for such structure, the balance of the availability fee in the amount of \$375.00 shall be paid in cash. (c) Service stub charge: a service stub charge of \$375.00 for each service stub which such owner requests prior to the effective date of this ordinance to be constructed in connection with the new construction of the sewage disposal system, to facilitate future connection of his unimproved premises to the system at such time as the premises are improved and required to be connected. The owner of any such unimproved premises in respect of which no service stub has been requested or constructed as provided herein shall be required to construct and install required service stubs at private expense at the time such premises are required to connect to the sewage disposal system as required by this ordinance.

Section 4.02 The owners of premises to be charged on the made forthwith after notice, which may be by first class or schedule of charges for collection under the provisions of certified mail or posting on the property, to the owner of the Section 4.01 may pay the whole or any part of the service stub one-half (1/2) of one percent (1%) per month until paid. property on which the structure is located. The notice shall charge and the portion of the availability fee presently due in Section 6.05 There shall be added to any service charges give the approximate location of the sanitary sewer line of the cash to the Township treasurer, without interest on or before for sewage disposal service not paid on or before the due system which is available for connection of the structure April 1, 1978. Amounts unpaid shall be billed and paid as date, as hereinabove provided, a penalty of 10 percent (10%)

Section 2.03 Where any structure in which sanitary sewage be constructed, the owner of the premises served by such month. originates is not connected to an available public sanitary service stub shall pay a permit and service stub inspection sewer system within ninety (90) days after the date of mailing fee before connection to the sewage disposal system is or posting of the written notice, the provisions of this authorized which shall be computed at the rate of \$15.00 per ordinance shall be enforceable through the bringing of hour of time required to inspect the stub, provided that the

Section 2.04 After the effective date hereof, plats for connected to the sewage disposal system through any private or public sanitary sewer shall pay, before such connection is and benefit of the system and for sewage disposal services lots or parcels shall not be approved, and permits to improve authorized, a trunkage fee determined at the unit rate

building or structure for human use or occupancy, unless against any premises which the Township shall determine to

quantity of sanitary sewage ordinarily arising from the and to connect same to the sewage disposal system are may consult with the engineers retained in connection with through changed circumstances are determined to be revised as needed as new studies are made and shall be Section 3.01 Owners of premises within the service area buildable, then the charges imposed by Section 4.01 shall be reviewed in the light of experience gained by the Township from which sanitary sewage originates on the effective date paid, together with interest thereafter accruing, in the same and the County in the actual operation of the sewage disposal of this ordinance shall pay charges for the construction, use manner as if the premises had been unimproved and not

> Section 6.01 The number of units to be assigned to any including destruction, removal or abandonment of any or all ncreased fee shall be payable in cash as of the date any

Once any premises has been connected to the system and has been assigned one or more units, subsequent changes in the character of the use or type of occupancy of said premises improvements thereon) shall not abate the obligation to continue the payment of the charges to said premises for the number of units assigned to said premises, as hereinabove provided. If subsequent changes in the character of the use or type of occupancy of such premises at any time increase the amount of sanitary sewage originating from the premises, the Township Board shall increase the humber of units assigned to said premises and thereupon the trunkage fee chargeable to such premises shall be increased at the rate of \$1,575.00 per additional assigned unit (subject to the escalation clauses as provided in Section 4.01) which construction or other permit is issued by the Township for an improvement which will result in such change in the character of use or type of occupancy, or if no permit is issued or required, as of the date such change in the character of use of type of occupancy occurs.

premises in the Township shall be determined by the Township Board based on the unit definition factors promulgated by the County and its Drainage Board as described in Section 1.01 (e). The Township may, if the circumstances justify, assign more than one unit to a dwelling occupied by a single family. No less than one unit shall be assigned to each premises, and for purposes of computing the trunkage fee, fractions of units in excess of one may be computed and assigned to the nearest tenth.

Section 6.02 In addition to the trunkage fee, availability fee, service stub charge and permit and service stub inspection fee hereinabove provided for, each premises in the Township which is connected to the sewage disposal system shall pay a service charge for the use of the system and for debt service which shall initially be \$20.50 per guarter per unit. The amount of the service charge initially attributable to debt service shall be \$2.50 per quarter-unit The quarterly per unit rate of such service charge, including the amount thereof allocable to debt service, may be amended from time to time by resolution of the Township Board to reflect changes in the actual cost of operating, maintaining and administering the system, or to permit the Township to comply with any obligations, limitations or conditions contained in any agreement between the Township and the County or its Drainage Board, or any other entity pertaining to the operation, maintenance and administration of the system; provided, that the per unit rate of the service charge shall not be changed or amended so as to conflict with or impair any obligation of or limitation upon the Township under any agreement pertaining to the operation, maintenance and administration of the sewage disposal system.

Service charges are payable in advance and shall be billed and collected quarterly; the first such quarterly charge for each premises shall be due and payable on the first day of the established billing quarter following by at least one month the date when such premises are connected to the system, and successive charges shall be due and payable on the first day of each succeeding quarter. Quarterly charges shall be billed at least one month before their due date.

Section 6.03 No free service shall be furnished by the Township to any person, firm, or corporation, public or private, or to any public agency or instrumentality.

Section 6.04 Any trunkage fee, availability fee or service stub charge not paid on or before the due date, as hereinabove provided, shall draw interest at the rate of

of the unpaid amount, and the unpaid balance shall also draw Section 5.01 With respect to each service stub which shall interest at the rate of one-half (1/2) of one percent (1%) per

Section 7.01 The sewage disposal system shall be operated

and administered upon a fiscal year which coincides with the Township's fiscal year. Section 7.02 The operation, maintenance, and administra-

Section 5.02 Any premises in the Township hereinafter and control of the County and its Drain Board. Section 7.03 Charges imposed on any premises for the use furnished by the system, including any trunkage fee. availability fee, service stub charge, permit and inspection issued on behalf of the Township, and none of such premises Section 5.03 Notwithstanding anything herein to the fee and service charge imposed upon such premises under shall be improved hereafter by the erection thereon of a contrary, no charges shall be imposed under this ordinance the provisions of this ordinance, shall be a lien thereon as of

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tion of the system shall be under the immediate supervision

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VERGENNES TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE NO. 1978.1

the date such charges become due and payable, and on September 1st of each year the Township treasurer shall certify any unpaid charges which have been delinguent six (6) months or more, together with penalties and interest accrued thereon, (plus an additional amount of six percent (6%) of the aggregate amount), to the Township Board which shall cause such delinquent amount to be entered upon the next Township and County tax roll against the premises in respect of which such unpaid charges shall have been imposed, and such delinquent amount shall be collected and said lien shall be enforced in the same manner as provided in respect to taxes assessed upon such roll.

Section 7.04 In addition to the remedies elsewhere provided for herein, the provisions of this ordinance shall be enforceable, through the bringing of appropriate action for injunction, mandamus, or otherwise, in any Court having jurisdiction. Any violation of this ordinance shall be deemed to be a nuisance per se.

Section 7.05 Any person, firm or corporation who shall dispose of sewage in a manner contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, or shall fall to connect with an available public sewer as provided herein, or in any other way shall violate the provisions of this ordinance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction therefor shall be subjected to a fine not to exceed \$500.00, or imprisonment in the County jail for a period not exceeding 90 days, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the Court, together with costs of such prosecution.

Section 8.01 This ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the "Vergennes Sanitary Sewer Ordinance".

Section 8.02 Each section of this ordinance is declared to be severable, and, should any section or provision be declared unconstitutional or invalid by final judgment of a Court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall, not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any other part thereof.

Section 5.03 All other ordinances and resolutions or parts thereof, insofar as the same may be in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

ereby repealed.
Section 8.04 The Township specifically reserves the right
Stop by, there won't be any slam dunks, but you're guaranteed to
Current Tax Colle to amend this ordinance in whole or in part, at one or more times hereafter, or to repeal the same, and by such amendment or repeal to abandon, increase, decrease or otherwise modify any of the fees, charges or rates herein provided, it being understood, however, that the adoption of this ordinance or its subsequent amendment or repeal shall in no way change, relieve or release any obligation of the Township to make the required payments to the County of Kent arising out of the proceedings initiated by the Township. under Chapter 20 of Act No. 40, Michigan Public Acts of 1956, as amended, whereby the Grattan-Vergennes Sanitary Drain has been established including any legal obligation to levy a tax or to use any other lawful means of available funds to make the required payments to said County. This not be deemed to be a part of any contractual obligation

or bond contract pertaining to said system. Section 8.05 This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance which is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and shall become effective immediately upon publication in full in a newspaper published or circulated in said Township.

Made and passed by the Township Board of the Township of Vergennes, County of Kent, Michigan, this 13th day of February, 1978.

Irene Osborne

Clerk

Carl Kropf Supervisor STATE OF MICHIGAN)

COUNTY OF KENT)

I, the undersigned, Township Clerk of the Township of Vergennes, Kent County, Michigan, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 1978.1 adopted by the Township Board of said Township on February 13, 1978, was recorded in full in the / minutes of the meeting of said Board on said date and was signed by the Supervisor and Township Clerk.

Dated: February 13, 1978

TALIAN **LUCCHESI'S** PIZZA HOUSE 119 E. Main St., Lowell **Open Each Day** at 4 p. m. CLOSED MONDAYS 897-871

Ventriloquist **Delights Crowd**

harmed by local ventriloguist, kiss' den Pris Rogers, and her two "dummies" at the Annual Blue and Steggerda, lokomo District Gold Banquet of Cub Scout Pack

3188. last Thursday evening. institution, the First Methodist Church of Lowell, the planned potluck occasion for all cubs and their families was a delightful time. ded persons from the au-

New recruit, Kennth Mulder, Bailey vanced in program, including March 9.

before a packed house.

team member performs.

nasts.

YMCA Gymnastics Team

Host First Home Meet

Play Before Packed House

persons were ten Webelos from Arthur Hotch Special guests included David

Scout Executive, from Ionia and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelly Held in the dining room of the Kelly serves as the church's Scouting Coordinator to Pack 3188 and Troop 102. The evening's success wa **CITY OF LOWELL** credited to the fine planning of the den mothers under Mrs. Rogers held the atten- leadership of Den Leader tion of everyone throughout her Coach, Janet Bailey. Den erformance, which hilariously Mothers were Darlene Fegal, Sherry Hotchkiss, Sue Antcliff

was presented his Bobcat badge Pack 3188's next event is the and eighteen other boys ad- public Pancake Supper on Lowell, Michigan.

Roxanne Gildner, and Jan

prior meetings.

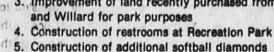
Carried. The discussion ended on the premise that the City be IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Warning that the furnished with additional information on which to base a Minutes of the January 16 Meeting be approved as written, decision, supported by Councilman Carter. Carried.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter, supported by Councilman Warning that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued. Yes: All.

No: None.

BILLS A This year's Lowell YMCA Youth for Values Basketball Program General Fund . [LYB] got off to a ball with Price's Pride vs the Tornadoes playing Major Street Fun Local Street Fun "The program is getting bigger every year", says Ralph Houston, basketball director. Games are played on Thursdays at Riverside and Runciman Gyms with 3-4-5 and 6th graders in the Water Fund... Sewer Fund Trust and Agency

> Council then discussed the 1978 Bureau of Recreation Grant Application. Manager Quada explained that a pre-application of intent to use the funds must be submitted by March 15, 1978. That would then be reviewed by the Bureau of Recreation, then the City might or might not be invited to submit an application. He suggested the following details. topics that could be eligible for funding: I the Improvement of electrical wiring at Recreation Park 2. Extension of water service at Recreation Park



6. Repair of lighting system at Recreation Park tennis courts

7. Placing of picnic tables at Richards Park The Manager then stated that the City of Lowell is unique n the fact that the Lee Fund was established for the City to be used for recreational endeavors, and that money from this fund could be used as matching funds to a grant.

The Council concurred, and the Manager was directed to committee be appointed to study the needs. **Receipt and Acceptance of Letter of Resignation by**

Manager Quada then read a letter of resignation received then be made to customers on a first-come, first-serve basis. from Councilman Elect Clack. Mr. Clack stated that for A discussion followed in which Councilman Carter noted girls ages 8-13. This beginning A team score was not kept as health reasons and employment reasons he and Mrs. Clack that it should be made a compulsory installation on all new team got started this year only this is one of the YMCA Values had made the decision to spend the winter in Arizona. He homes through cooperation from the Programs. Emphasis is on giv- asked that the Council consider another Senior Citizen to fill IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter that the sum of his seat to represent that segment of the community as he \$1,200 be used from the Revenue Sharing Fund to purchase had originally intended to do. 48 outside read meter units, supported by Councilman IT WAS MOVED BY Councilman Carter, supported by Warning.

The Lowell YMCA gymnastic team have been invited to Councilman Warning that the resignation of Councilman

Manager Quada stated that the Council has 30 days from this Council meeting in which to appoint someone to fill the vacancy of the two year term.

The next item on the agenda was a request from the Senior put in during the January 26-27 blizzard. Neighbors, Inc. for financial support for their program again Everyone concurred that the purchase of the City's radio for 1978. They asked for a total of \$2,000.00 to boost their communications system was one of the best decisions made. Mayor Collins appointed the City Manager to the Planning Manager Quada introduced Mrs. Esther Mitchell, Director Commission

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Warning that the of Senior Neighbors, Inc. Mrs. Mitchell explained that the proposed budget for the appointment be approved, supported by Councilman Carter. 1978-79 fiscal year amounted to \$189,000.00. The Kent Carried. County administration was asked to contribute \$30,000, but Mayor Collins then asked the Council's views on being pledged only \$23,000, so Senior Neighbors must make up Included in the Mayor Exchange Program. \$7,000 to meet their proposed budget.

Manager Quada stated that many good points came they lost a very well played make up game. Creston's Chuck A lengthy discussion followed on how the funds would be about later as a direct result of meeting with the officials of game to the East Grand Rapids Pioneers and Friday night Low-It defected the Conten Point of the game and the first goal of the game used, how much is spent for the operation of the Lowell Williamston in 1977. Both Police Department, and Fire Department Chiefs got beneficial information to help our own

Councilman Warning stated that he wished there be no City. misunderstanding, he feels that Senior Neighbors are doing Councilman Warning agreed, but stated that he did not range picture needs to be looked at long and hard, possibly a Mayor Collins stated that he feels it is a valuable community center built that would be available to many civic educational program, and that he also feels as Councilman IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Carter, supported support such groups.

ell defeated the Creston Bears early in the first period. Fresh-East Grand Rapids scored the goal of the season assisted by only two goals of the first John Sarniak and Steve Ries, a superb job for which there is a great need, and that the feel it is necessary to "wine and dine" out of town quests, he tying the score at 1-1. Steve Ries Council recognizes that need, however, the City has tried to felt the exchange for educational value was good, but Tim Jenkinson assisted by then scored another goal for the keep taxes at a minimum in a time when everything seems to suggested that the money spent on guests should be used for Rob Buske and Mike Filion from Arrows that put them ahead be going up. He also stated that he feels it is time that a long a Christmas Party for City employees. period and scored with 13.29 left In the second period Greg to play. Lowell then scored two Jeliczan assisted by Chuck Reed goals. The first one was scored scored Creston's last goal of the groups. He feels that other groups who will have trouble with Warning. It was decided that the Manager make personal by Dan Sarniak and assisted by evening. Dan Sarniak scored meeting budgets will have to eventually approach the City for contact with several cities this year for a good match on areas Kevin Blanding. The second by Lowell's only goal of the period funds on the same basis, and there is no additional funding to that would be of interest to us.

O'Neil. Jenkinson assisted by Kevin Blanding assisted by Filion scored another goal for Kerry Kyser scored the only goal of the third period for

Lowell Middle and High School ing the individual the opportunteams. A big thank you goes to ity to perform and feel good the coaches of Lowell's gym- about their own performance. The older members of the team hosted Grand Rapids West compete at the Lowell Middle Clack be accepted. YMCA last Tuesday for their School Invitational, Saturday, first home meet. Winning first February 25, at 9 a.m. The last

Members of the first YMCA gymnastics team watch intently as a

The Lowell YMCA gymnas- Heffron, Tina Fisk, Bev Ballen-

tics team is open to all boys and tine, and Kamie Leverance.

Hockey Team Plays Three

The Lowell Red Arrows' East's final goal. John Sarniak

Hockey Team played three scored Lowell's last goal late in games last week. Monday night the period when he hit a slap

Knights 7-4. Wednesday night Friday night's game was a

East came back in the second going into the second period.

Lowell

John Sarniak assisted by Troy unassisted.

Rob Buske assisted by Jenk-

inson and Matt Porsley scored

they lost to the Kenowa Hills shot from the center line.

place ribbons for the Lowell Y two meets of the season are with were Laurie Brandt, Kim Lam- Tri-City Grand Haven YMCA. bert, and Dannette Brown. Saturday, March 18, and Grand Also earning ribbons were Rapids Central YMCA, Thurs-Irene Osborne Vicki Abel, CarrieJo Richards, day, March 23. Township Clerk Carlene Esterline, Michelle In future seasons, you will be Shick, Candy Wood, Kris Kin- hearing some fantastic things

sey. Ann Dykhuizen, Sharon about these young gymnasts.

man Dale Stark scored his first

This is held in honor of the display and demonstration. birthday of Cub Scouting.

Special awards were presentpresented by Chuck Cook, Grov- Gordon Mattix, Ryan Wiersma, that den-David Vera. er Buttrick and Lou Zeck, ad- Richard Johnson, David Stiles,

Grand Valley Lodger - Wednesday, February 22, 1978 - Page 7 Lowell held their annual Blue poisoning, CPR, first aid Dumbeck, Mike Lucas, Chad Harding, Eddy Reagan, Ron and Gold Banquet February 14, equipment and first aid kits. Sayer, Garth Snyder, Jason Leverence and Richard John at 7 p.m. at the Bushnell School. The scouts had lots of questions Thorndill, Mike Barnes, Jeff It was a potluck dinner with 88 and were very interested in all Phillips, Tim Roelofs, James scouts and relatives attending. of the equipment brought for Shearer, Mike Harding, Andre held March 7 at 7 p.m. at

Those that did an outstanding vanced first aid instructors for Tim Mullen, Ron Monks, Ralph job on the money making project

Van Dette, Andrew Gessler, of selling popcorn were Gordor Ron Leverence, Roger Nead, Mattix, Ryan Wiersma, Ron Cub Scout Pack #3102 of the Red Cross. They talked on Jeff Perkins, Ken Roelofs, Mark Monks, Jim Shearer, Mike

The next pack meeting will be

Bushnell School Some ancient people believed

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Official Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Regular Meeting of Monday, February 6, 1978.

The Meeting was called to Order by Mayor Collins at 8:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and the Roll called. Present: Councilmen Carter, Warning and Collins. Absent: Councilmen Christiansen and Clack.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter, supported by

Absent: Christiansen and Clack.

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BOR Grant Discussion

3. Improvement of land recently purchased from Hartger Administrator

and Willard for park purposes

5. Construction of additional softball diamonds

Councilman Elect Clack

Request by Senior Neighbors, Inc. for Piedge of \$2,000

of \$2,000 was made with the understanding that the Approved February 21, 1978. surrounding townships who's citizens also use the Lowell DEAN E. COLLINS, Center, be approached for contributions. If contributions Mayor

were made by other townships, that amount would be deducted from the City's contribution. Mayor Collins asked that the City be given a detailed breakdown of the proposed budget, including the Lowell Center's operational costs, for a better appraisal of the situation, plus the security of a fair judgment by a full

five-member Council. Mrs. Mitchell stated that Senior Neighbors, Inc. are eligible for Title V program funding for renovation of an Warning that Councilman Christiansen's absence be existing building, if the City could give them a lead on a excused, and that Councilman Elect Clack be excused for suitable building, perhaps to be used by other groups as well. She stated that they had already been looking for another location for such purpose.

Appointment of Airport Mgr. Eugene Sewver

Council next discussed the appointment of a new Airport Manager. Manager Quada stated that Mr. Eugene Sawyer. affiliated with the Grand Rapids School of Bible and Music, was interested in taking over the position. A discussion followed

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter that Eugene Sawyer be appointed as Manager of the Lowell City Airport, supported by Councilman Warning. Carried.

Manager Quada stated also on the subject of the Al: port. that he now finds that according to City records, the small section of runway in question is not located on the Lampkin property. This would force Mr. Lampkin to prove by a survey of the property that it is on his property. The Manager then suggested that the runway be relocated a fraction in the north-south direction to allow the installation of fencing to insure that no one trespasses on the Lampkin property, and vice-versa

Also, that the Mr. Sawyer has requested that an exchange be worked out to trade a certain number of tle-down fees for snow removal and grounds maintenance.

Council concurred and directed the Manager to work out

Appointment of Street Administrator-1978

Council then discussed the naming of the City's Street

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Warning, supported by Councilman Carter that Ray E. Quada be designated as Street Administrator for the City of Lowell for 1978. Carried

Discussion on Installation and Purchase of Outside-Read Water Meters

Manager Quada then headed a discussion on the installation of "outside read" water meters to homes in the City in cases where no one is home during the day to allow entrance into send the pre-application of intent, and suggested that a the home, or where the meter is located in such an area of the home that it is difficult to reach to be read.

> He stated that the cost is about \$20.00 for the meter at present, plus the expense of installation. He suggested that approximately \$1,200.00 from the Revenue Sharing Fund be used to purchase 48 meter units. A charge of \$15.00 would

Yes: Councilmen Carter, Warning and Collins.

No: None.

Absent: Councilman Christiansen. There was no Manager's Report.

Council Remarks and Reports

Under Council Remarks and Reports, Councilman Warning thanked City employees for their extra hours and efforts

The discussion continued that the 1977 pledge by the City by Councilman Warning to adjourn at 9:35 p.m.

RAY E. QUADA. **City Clerk**

that their spirits would be re-born as flowers.

Pack 3102 Gets Awards

Vera, Eddy Reagan, David A very interesting program ed to the following Cub Scouts: One boy achieved the Webefollowed the dinner. It was Scott DeVries, David Douma, los level and was advanced to

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It's difficult to believe, but members of Congress are scheduled to receive yet another pay raise on Oct. 1. Under terms of a 1974 law, a cost-of-living increase will go into effect automatically on that date unless both the House and Senate

Obviously, that's not likely to happen unless there public reaction against another congressional pay hike. Currently, congressmen and senators are paid \$57,500 a year.

Assuming that the cost of living will be somewhere between 4 and 6 percent, as budget analysists are now predicting, that means it's quite possible that congressional salaries could rise above \$60,000 a year on Oct. 1 without a vote even being taken. Last year, I introduced a bill to repeal these

cost-of-living raises. As it now stands, every time Congress spends too much money, causing prices to go higher and inflation to get worse, its members are rewarded by a pay increase at the beginning of the next fiscal year. Frankly, I don't think that's right.

My bill has attracted 51 co-sponsors in the House. However, it has been bottled up in the Post Office and Civil Service Committee by members of the majority party who apparently see nothing wrong with receiving pay raises without first having to vote for

My own opinion is that if Congress believes it is entitled to a pay ncrease, it should have the courage to vote for one. Furthermore, I believe that any pay raise that is passed should not take effect until the next Congress.

Consistent with these views, I have been refusing to accept the \$12,900-a-year congressional pay hike that went into effect without

taking the raise, paying taxes on it and giving what's left over each month to a different charity, non profit group or governmental unit

within the 5th District. To date, I've given out eight \$500 checks in this manner.

High School in Grand Rapids who have been trying to raise enough money to send 12 members of their class to Washington, D.C., this spring as part of Project Close-Up.

All three of these projects involve dedicated individuals who are doing what they can to make life better for others. The previous \$500 pay raise rebates went to the John Ball Park Neighborhood Association for a paint program for senior citizens' In addition, those who need the tax relief-namely middle-in-homes; to Senior Neighbors, Inc., to keep its transportation come families who make too much for their sons and daughters to

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Christmas merrier each year for thousands of area youngsters. I would be interested in whether you agree with my bill to recind automatic cost-of-living raises.

President Carter has received a lot of publicity over his plan to have the federal government do more to help pay college tuition of students from middle-income families.

Like many of Carter's proposals, this one sounds good-that is, until you take a close look at it. What he is actually proposing is to expand the current student loans and grants program by about \$1 billion. This would be done by raising the maximum amount a student could receive and by increasing the eligibility income limit that the student's family can

However, the President failed to point out that the current loans and grants program—as administered by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare—has been a bureaucratic nightmare. Fraud has been extensive. And, little has been done to recour student loans that were not paid back. In fact, HEW recently ran a check of its employees and found that 316 of its own staff had not paid back student loans from when they were in college. In all, the government has lost about \$400 million through defaults with one in

every eight loans not being repaid. Nor does Carter's proposal go far enough. It does nothing to alleviate the tremendous tax burden being placed on middle-income Americans by the Carter Administration. Besides the sharp increase in Social Security payroll taxes, the President has included several severe tax levies in his energy package and is now proposing to eliminate federal income tax deductions for medical expenses, state sales taxes and gasoline

In addition Carter's proposal does not include tuition which parents pay to send their children to elementary and secondary schools.

When you look at the number of students enrolled in nonpublic schools, it quickly becomes apparent that it's to everyone's benefit to keep these schools from closing. The tax burden that would be required for public schools to absorb all these students would be

For example, in Grand Rapids roughly 28 percent of the 41,000 kindergarten through 12th grade students attend Catholic, Christian, Lutheran or Baptist schools.

More than 17,000 pupils in Kent county attend nonpublic schools. a vote last year. Instead of returning the money to the U.S. Treasury, where it would hardly make a dent in our huge federal budget, I've been source of the treasury of the t keep pace with the soaring cost of their children's education. My bill would grant a tuition tax credit of up to \$300 for each

student. This would apply to students attending nonpublic elementary and secondary schools, those enrolled in vocational The three most recent ones were given to the fund drive for the schools and those who are attending colleges or universities. At the new Performing Arts Center in downtown Grand Rapids, to the Lowell YMCA and to hearing impaired students from Ottawa Hills The tax credit would work like this: Taxpayers would be able to The tax credit would work like this: Taxpayers would be able to subtract 50 percent of the tuition they pay from the amount of federal income taxes they owe. The ceiling on this tax credit would

e \$300 per student Unlike the President's proposal, my bill would require no additional bureaucracy, since fraud would be monitored by the

nternal Revenue Service.

program running; to Recycle Unlimited, to help come up with a qualify for student financial aid yet not enough to pay for tuition

better way to crush plastic milk cartons for recycling; to the Downbeat Youth Center, which tutors students from South Middle School in Grand Rapids, and to Santa Claus Girls, which makes I would be interested in your reaction to the bill I've introduced. I would be interested in your reaction to the bill I've introduce Send your comments to me in care of "Letter from Washington. Room 166 Federal Building, Grand Rapids 49503.



Signs of Spring With the "Blizzard of '78'' still fresh in our minds and the snow still a good "knee deep," it's hard to find many signs of spring, but there are a few there if you look hard enough. Admittedly, I haven't seen any hard-core signs of spring such as robins, daffodils, or buds on a maple tree, but I have seen some spring clothes on the rack at the Holiday Harbor, gardening tools taking display space alongside the snow shoveis at Hahn's Hardware and even some Detroit Tiger schedules are available from the counter at Showboat Automotive. Granted, these signs of spring that I have mentioned are all man-made and may be only wishful thinking, but it's sure nice to pause for a minute to dream of green gardens, baseball and halter

pleasant signs of spring and it doesn't take long for the sub-freezing temperatures, six foot snowbanks and the sight of my salt encrusted Unfortunately, the harsh realities of winter still far outweigh the car to dispel any thoughts of balmy weather. Lady Luck and I Have Never Met

First, I would like to compliment the Lowell Lions Club for the great party that they put on at Deer Run Golf Club last Saturday. But getting to the point, a friend and guest of mine from Lansing won the door prize, an original water color painting by local artist Jan Y. Johnson. My first reaction to his luck was, "why can't Roger Brown ever win anything?" I almost never refuse a request to buy a raffle ticket and whenever chances are being sold on a door prize at a party, I'm always good for at least a couple of tickets. Of all those dozens of tickets if not in fact hundreds, I've never won so much as a consolation prize, nor do I remember holding a ticket with a number even remotely close to the winning number.

But I keep buying them, who knows, maybe I'll get lucky like my dad did when he won third prize in a raffle. He says it wasn't worth it to drive forty miles to claim his prize, a two cell plastic flashlight, but at least he won something and that's more than I can say.



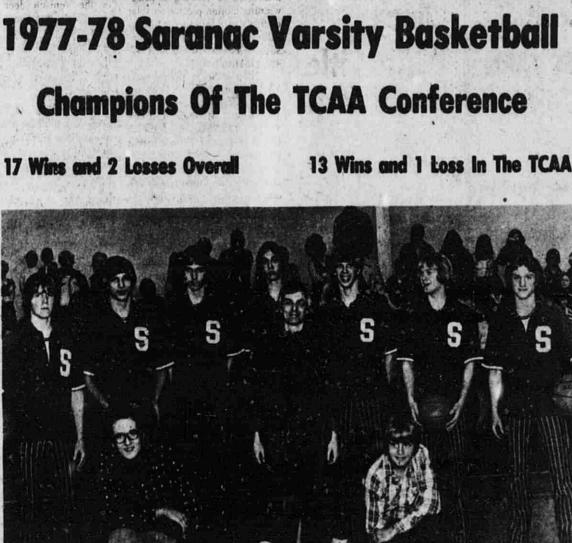
able prices. The District Tree Program is

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Back row left to right; Chris Coulson, Steve Metternick, Kevin Reynolds, Ben Tower, Ray Kastanek, Kevin Front row left to right; Gordon Priest (manager), Kip Cady (coach) and Ryan Murphy (manager,

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to supply local property owners . Austrian Pine grows on well with preferred species of trees to somewhat poorly drained and shrubs in small quantities at soils. They like the sun and can a reasonable price. Small quan-tities are available for home grow in ordinary to poor soils. Support your district and buy your trees now. For more infor-

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IN AND AROUND

Do you want to be one of the best informed women in town?? If so, plan now to attend the annual College Day program sponsored by Michigan State University's Cooperative Extension Service in Ionia County. College Day will be held March 23 at the Greenville High School in Greenville. The day long (9:15 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.) event is open to the public and all interested persons are encouraged to invite a friend and come together.

The program features nine classes and you may attend three. Some of the classes to be offered are: "Introduction to Geneology": "Car Emergencies And What To Do"; Bread Dough Art"; "The Job You Want And How To Get It''; and 'Creative Play With Children.' Lunch will be served in the

high school cafeteria. For more rmation about registering for the College Day program. call Roberta Rodgers, Extension Home Economist for Ionia County at 527-1400 or drop in the office located at 110 I Washington St., Ionia, MI.

Open House and Mrs. Louis Koss of Saranac will celebrate their

fortieth wedding anniversary

will be held between he hours of two and four o'clock n the afternoon at the Saranac 19, 4344 Jackson Rd., paid \$24 larger lakes in the area. Most of Community Church. All of the Koss' friends and neighbors are invited to attend.

They have requested 'no gifts.

Clinch **TCAA** Title

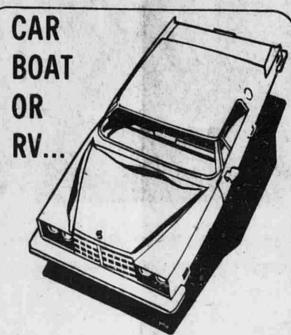
Friday night the Saranac Redskins clinched the TCAA championship in a game with Maple Valley, final score was 79-65. Saranac won the champion-

ship with a 13-1 record, making it the first conference title won by the Redskins since 1964. In the first eight minutes, Maple Valley came on strong to take the lead 22-16. The second period saw Saranac gaining ontrol as they outscored the Maple Valley Lions 15 to 11 to cut their lead to two point going into the half, 33-31.

Halfway through the third quarter the Redskins exploded utscoring the Lions 21-8. The Redskins maintained con trol during the rest of the game tossing in 27 points in the last

Kevin Theisen who leads the

vourself through snow, place extra weight in the back, over-or slightly behind-the rear

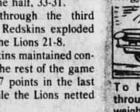


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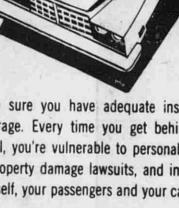
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quarter, while the Lions nette

energy is already used. 1.1. 11 -55 COLOR OF



463-1181) the film, "Solar Energy and won the Best Ecolo Documentary Film award of the 15th annual Michigan Outdoor Writers Association National Outdoor-Travel Film contest this month The sound-color motion picture shows the historical development of solar energy, present solar applications and future developments including a futurstic city relying on solar energy. Much of the film was photographed in Michigan at homes and other buildings where solar



TCAA in scoring with a 21 point average, led the scoring attack for Saranac with 22. Other players in double figures were Ben Tower, 18; Steve Metternick, 16; and Kevin Reynolds,

Andy Joosterberns was high man with 26 points for the

BAND BOOSTERS TO MEET ON MARCH 1

The Saranac Band Boosters March 3, in Room 113 of the

This is a very important meeting, and all interested persons are urged to be in attend-

Other News

pital Admissions: Joseph My-

on, Samuel Havden

Birth: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald weighing seven pounds.

Memorial Hospital on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Garry Dolley,

300 Mill St. are the parents of a baby girl born on Monday. February 13 at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital. She weighed six pounds, 8 ounces. District Court: Daniel R.

Lake Gardens, paid \$24 Febru- a smaller one." ary 14 for failure to yield the February 14 for failure to vield

Solar Energy Film

Community organizations. nterested in viewing a prizewinning motion picture on solar energy can obtain such a film by calling the Alma office of Con-Sumers Power Company, (517





tions are becoming increasingly Jim's Texaco (kamilton). evident on many of the smalle and shallower lakes in the area. As a result, the fishing hasn't

Ionia County Memorial Hos- been too great. You may recall that similar ers, 6216 Riverside Dr.; Mrs. conditions existed a year ago Thomas Long, 5557 McKendry causing one of the state's most Rd.; Wayne Hoskins, 610 Lee severe winter kills of recent Rd.; Floyd Cook, Rt. 1; Karen years. Many fish became "air Kirby, 1611/2 Mill St.; Mrs. sick" and died as a result of the Clifford VanOcker, 5846 Blue- extensive ice and snow buildwater Hwy.; Clifford VanVal- up. Some farmers reported that kenburg, 6648 Potters Road; their small, fish-stocked ponds James Farwell, 9345 Potters were completely wiped out. Fisheries biologists fear that Belding Hospital Admissions: similar damage to small and/or John Frederiksen, Stephan Dix- shallow waters may occur again this winter unless there's break in the weather soon.

Syrek. 375 Summit St., a boy Winter kill takes place when born Sunday, February 19 at the the snow and ice builds up to a Ionia County Memorial Hospital point where the sun's rays are no longer able to penetrate the Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gel- lakes frozen surface. When this dersma, 3039 Alden Nash Rd., happens, aquatic plants begin to Lowell are the parents of a baby die and decay due to the lack of boy born at the Ionia County sunlight. This in turn causes the fish to die because the plants February 17. He weighed 7 are no longer giving off the pounds, 8¹/₂ ounces. oxygen the fish need. The fish in effect suffocate or become "air sick.

Winter kill doesn't have as great an effect on larger or deeper lakes because the more volume of water a lake contains the more oxygen it can hold Decker, 24, 5761 W. Potters Thus by its sheer mass a larger Rd., paid \$19 February 10 for and/or deeper lake is able to with an open house on Sunday. February 26 Speeding, February 6. Donald withstand the effects of winter P. Merillat, 20, 30 Morrison kill conditions much longer than

So if you planned to do any ice right of way to oncoming traffic fishing this week, your best bet February 5. Rebecca S. Swiger, would be to concentrate on the these lakes still host some fair right of way, stop sign, Febru-ary 4. No PBB So Far

Not too long ago it was reported in this column that the DNR was going to run an extensive check on the state's deer herd to determine whether dangerous levels of PBB existed in the venison deer hunters were bringing home.

The program was initiated last December after traces of the fire retardant were found in a deer taken in an area when the environment

Well, to date, 16 deer have been tested under the wildlife monitoring program with no detectable levels of PBB showing up. The 16 deer tested so far were taken from the following counties: two samples each from Presque Isle. Ogemaw, Mecosta and Oscoda counties, and one sample each from Lake, Mid-land, Montmorency, Clare, Jackson, Barry, Menominee and Livingston counties.

State deer hunters were asked to help in the monitoring program by providing selected samples of venison for analysis. DNR biologist Tom Rohrer says 219 hunters provided information on their deer to the DNR. Of those, 125 samples were found suitable for testing.

"The 125 samples of venisor we plan to test will give us a very good representation from throughout the state," Rohrer

In the future, the DNR plans to monitor rabbits. pheasants and raccoons for PBB and other industrial chemical residues.

Area Fishing Contest The "Big Four" angling club is sponsoring a Southern Michi-gan "inland lake" fishing derby. The fishing contest according to its stated objective, is designed to "emphasize inland fishing on Michigan Lakes and streams, excluding the Great Lakes, as there are an abund ance of contests available in volving Lake Michigan."

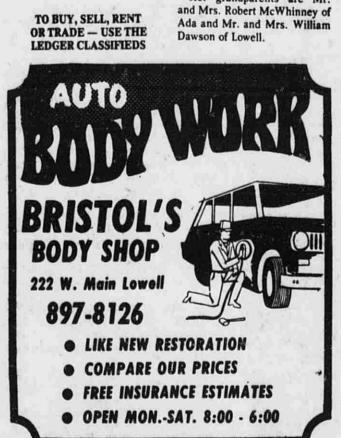
The contest is set to run from now thru September 31. An initial entry fee of one dollar, plus an additional one dollar for each of the four categories offered is being charged.

The four categories fishermen may enter include: (1) Bluegill and Sunfish (No entry under 9 inches accepted); (2) Bass (No distinction between largemouth or smallmouth); (3) Pike or Musky (Or any hybrid mixture of the two); (4) Trout (All species, from a lake or stream including steelhead).

Cash and merchandise prizes are being offered to winners of the contest.

For more information on the contest or membership in the "Big 4 Anglers" club, contact

Deep snow, slush and thick Jim Bender (673-4350) or Ed will hold their monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, ice are starting to catch up with the tattered remains of Michigan's 1977-78 ice fishing sea- entry stations: Stone's Sport son. Conservation officers re-port that "winter kill" condi-and Sport Shop (Gun Lake), and





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The Family Tree

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Merle

Dawson of Lowell are the par-

ents of a baby girl born Feb-

ruary 20 at Butterworth Hospital

The new arrival. Soheila Sa-

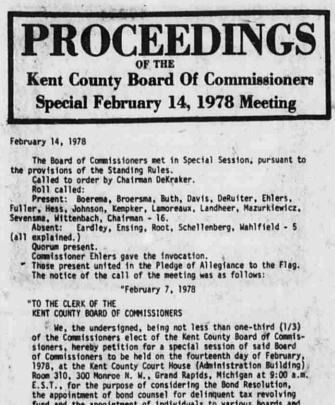
mantha, tipped the scales at

eight pounds, two ounces. She

has two sisters, Laura and Tricia

Her grandparents are Mr.

at home.



fund and the appointment of individuals to various boards and commissions and permission for DPW Board to borrow. Said meeting is called pursuant to section 6.1 of the Standing Rules of the Kent County Board of Commissioners. Carol Landheer Fred J. Eardley Arnold A. Wittenbach Joseph A. Mazurkiewicz Friley Johnson Thomas H. Lamoreaux John K. Boerema" Berton Sevensma Vernon J. Ehlers Aggie Kempker Daniel B. Hess

The following resolution regarding the 1977 Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund and Approval of Bond Counsel was presented: (have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER SEVENSMA To Borrow Against Anticipated Delinguent 1977 Taxes

WHEREAS, on February 2, 1977, this Board of Commissioners

WHEREAS, on February 2, 1977, this Board of Commissioners adopted a resolution establishing the Kent County Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund, pursuant to Section 87b of Act No. 206 of the Public Acts of 1893, as amended; and WHEREAS, this fund has been designated as the "100X Tax Payment Fund" by the Kent County Treasurer, and it appears desirable to bor-row to fund part of said Fund for the 1977 delinquent taxes; and WHEREAS, the purpose of this Fund is to allow the Kent County Treasurer (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "County Treasur-er" or the "Treasurer") to pay from the Fund any or all delinquent taxes which are due the County; any school district; intermediate school district; community college district; city, township, special assessment or drain district; or any other political unit or county agency for which delinquent tax payments are due on settlement day with the county, city or township treasurer and has been heretofore dir-ected to do so by this Board of Commissioners; and MHEREAS, it is hereby determined that it is necessary that Kent County (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "County") borrow a sum mot to exceed Nine Million and no/100ths Dollars (\$9,000,000,00) and issue its notes in anticipation of the 1977 delinquent real pro-perty taxes which become delinquent on or before March 1, 1978 and deposit the proceeds thereof in the aforesaid Fund; and WHEREAS, such borrowing is authorized by Section 87c of Act No. 206 of the Public Acts of 1893, as amended (hereinafter referred to as "Act 206"); and

206 of the Public Acts of 1000; an analysis and as "Act 206"); and WHEREAS, the total amount of unpaid 1977 taxes which will be out-standing on March 1, 1978 is estimated to be in excess of Nine Mil-lion and mo/100ths Dollars (\$9,000,000.00), exclusive of interest.

11on and no/100ths Dollars (\$9,000,000.00), exclusive of interest, fees and penalties. MOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF KENT as follows: 1. The Caunty shall borrow Mine Million and no/100ths Dollars (\$9,000,000,00) or such part thereof as will represent not to exceed the exact amount of the 1977 delinquent taxes outstanding on March 1, 1978, exclusive of interest, fees and penalties and, as the Muni-cipal Finance Commission may authorize, issue its "General Obligation Tax Notes, Series 1978," payable from the collection of the 1977 delinquent taxes outstanding on March 1, 1978, as specified above, the proceeds of which notes shall be placed in and used as the whole or part of the County's 1005 Tax Payment Fund Account No. 516-971.77, to be used as provided in Act 206. 2. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 2. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 2. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, 3. Statest 1, 1978, 3. State

2. The said notes shall bear interest payable November 1, 1978, May 1, 1979 and each November and May 1 thereafter until maturity, which interest is not to exceed eight and three-quarters per cent (8-3/4%) per annum. Said notes shall be coupon notes issued in deno-minations of \$5,000 each and shall be numbered from 1 upwards, beginning with their earliest maturities in the direct order of their maturities. The notes shall be dated April 1, 1978 and shall be due and payable as follows: Three Million Five Hundred Thousand and no/100ths Dollars (\$3,500,000,00) on May 1, 1979; Two Million Two Hundred Fifty Thousand and no/100ths Dollars (\$2,250,000.00) on May 1, 1980, and not to exceed Three Million Two Hundred Fifty Thousand and no/100ths Dollars (\$3,250,000.00) on May 1, 1981.

3. There is hereby established the County's 100% Tax Payment Fund Collection Account No. 616-971.77 (hereinafter referred to as the "Collection Account"), effective as of March 1, 1978, into which Fund the County Treasurer is hereby directed to place on the books and records all payments received on account of the 1977 delinquent taxes as returned by any tax collector in the County, and from which Fund the County Treasurer shall repay the borrowing, using the receipts

of the 1977 delinquent taxes, including interest, outstanding and unpaid on March 1, 1978. 4. All collections of the aforesaid 1977 delinquent taxes, to-

unpaid on March 1, 1978.
4. All collections of the aforesaid 1977 delinquent taxes, to-gether with all interest thereon, are hereby pledged to the prompt payment of the principal of and interest on the aforesaid notes; the proceeds of the 1977 delinquent taxes so pledged shall be used for no other purpose until the notes are paid in full, ircluding interest; and all such delinquent taxes so pledged, together with all interest thereon, shall be deposited into and accounted for separately in the Collection Account.
5. The notes shall be full faith and credit obligations of the County, and if the proceeds of the said 1977 delinquent taxes pledged and other moneys in the Collection Account for the year 1977 are not sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the notes when due, the County shall impose a general ad valorem tax without limi-tation as to rate or amount on all taxable property in the County to pay the principal and interest on said notes and may thereafter relimines itself from delinquent taxes collected.
6. The County Treasurer, pursuant to Section 87c, subsection 3, of Act 206 is hereby designated as Agent for the County, and the County Treasurer and the Treasurer's Office shall respectively re-ceive such sums as are therein provided for the services as Agent for the County Treasurer shall use the proceeds of the borrow-ing to establish and continue the County's 1005 Tax Payment Fund and shall pay therefrom the full amount of 1977 delinquent taxes delivered by any tax collector in the County which are outstanding and unpaid on or after March 1, 1978, as required by Act 206, toge-ther with the expenses of this borrowing. and unpaid on or after march is borrowing. 8. After a sufficient sum has been set aside for the purpose of paying the aforesaid notes, any further collection of the afore-said 1977 delinquent taxes may be used to pay any er all delinquent taxes which are due and payable to the County; any school district; intermediate school district; community college district; city, town-ship, special assessment or drain district; or any other political unit for which delinquent tax payments other than for the year 1977 are due on settlement day with the county, city or township treasur-

ers. 9. The notes of each maturity shall be payable to bearer in lawful money of the United States of America at such bank or trust company in the State of Michigan as shall be designated by the ori-ginal purchaser or purchasers and the notes and coupons shall be substantially in the form attached hereto and hereby approved and adopted. A co-paying agency located either in Michigan or elsewhere in the United States of America may also be designated by such pur-dents of America may also be designated by such purchaser. The Treasurer shall have the right to approve such paying agent or agents as set forth in the Notice of Sale attached hereto. 10. The notes shall not be subject to redemption to for to

naturity. 11. The County Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to execute the notes for the County. The Treasurer is thereafter au-thorized and directed to deliver the notes to the purchaser upon receipt of the purchase price, which delivery may be made in the discretion of the Treasurer at one time or in parts at various times, provided that the notes with the earliest maturicles shall be all allowed uping the any mater with later maturities. selivered prior to any notes with later maturities, and provided further that all deliveries shall be completed by August 15, 1978. The coupons affixed to the notes shall be executed with the facsimile

The coupons affixed to the mates shall be exected with the factimite signature of the County Treasurer, and the notes shall be sealed with the county seal. 12. The County Treasurer be, and is hereby, authorized to make application to the Municipal Finance Commission for the County for an order permitting this County to borrow not to exceed Nine Million and mo/TOOths Dollars (\$9,000,000.00) and issue its General Obliga-tion Tax Notes, Series 1978.

13. The County Treasurer shall conduct a public sale of the notes (after insertion of the Notice attached to this resolution and as provided in paragraph 14 hereof), provided such notes shall and as provided in paragraph is neredy, provide such not such that an and the sold at a discount, after which sale the Treasurer shall award the notes to the lowest bidder. The conditions of sale shall be as specified in said Notice. 14. Sealed proposals for the purchase of the notes shall be re-ceived up to such time as shall later be determined and notice there ceived up to such time as shall later be determined and motion of of shall be published in accordance with law once in the Bond Buyer, which is hereby designated as being a publication printed in the English language and circulated in this State, which carries as a part of its regular service notices of sale of municipal bonds. The Notice shall be in substantially the form in the attachment to this

15. The notes shall be delivered with the unqualified opinion of Dickinson, Wright, McKean, Cudip & Moon, Attorneys of Detroit, Michigan, approving the legality of the notes, and the cost of said legal opinion and the printing of the notes will be at the expense of the County. The notes will be delivered at the expense of the County in such city or cities designated by the Treasurer in the Notice of Sale. (FORM OF NOTE)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF KENT

\$5,000

GENERAL OBLIGATION TAX NOTE, SERIES 1978

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that the County of Kent. Mich-igan, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and for value received, promises to pay to the bearer hereof the sum of

FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS Both principal and interest are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at ender of this note and the coupons attached hereto as they sev-

erally mature. This note is one of a series of notes of like date and tenor. except as to maturity ______, numbered consecu-tively in the direct order of their maturities from 1 to ______

maturity It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts,

conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of the notes of this series, existed, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by the Constitution and Statutes of the

and manner as required by the constitution and statues of which and State of Michigan. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the County of Kent Michigan, has caused this note to be signed in its name by its Treasurer and its corp-orate seal to be affixed hereto, and has caused the annexed inter-est coupons to be executed with the facsimile signature of its Treasurer, all as of the first day of April, 1978 COUNTY OF KENT

Treasurer

\$5,000

(SEAL) (COUPON)

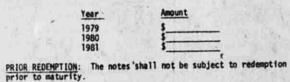
On the first day of ______, A.D., 19 _____, The County of Kent, Michigan, will pay to the bearer hereof the sum shown hereon in lawful money of the United States of America at the same being the interest due on that day on its General Obligation Tax Note, Series 1978, bearing the number shown hereon. This coupon is payable from certain delinquent tax payments and other amounts to be received by the County of Kent, and deposited in the Kent County 100% Tax Payment Fund, as set forth in the notes to which this coupon pertains.

> John L. Damstra (Facsimile) Kent County Treasurer OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE

COUNTY OF KENT STATE OF MICHIGAN

GENERAL OBLIGATION TAX NOTES, SERIES 1978 SEALED BIDS for the purchase of General Obligation Tax Notes, Series

1978, of the County of Kent, Michigan, of the par value of S Will be received by the undersigned at the of-fice of the County Treasurer, County Administration Building, 300 Monroe Avenue, NM, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503, until Michigan Time, on 1976, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Sealed bids will also be received, in the alternative, on the same date and until the same time, but will be publicly opened and read. Scaled bids will also be received. the alternative, on the same date and until the same time, by an agent of the undersigned at the office of the Hunicleal Advisory Council of Michigan, 2135 First National Building, Detroit, Michigan 48226, where they will simultaneously be publicly opened. Bids opened at Grand Rapids, Michigan, will be read first, followed by the alternate location. Bidders may choose either locations. The notes will be awarded to the successful bidder at a proceeding ordered by the County Treasurer approximately thirty minutes afconducted by the County Treasurer approximately thirty minutes af-ter all bids have been opened on that date.



INTEREST RATE AND BIDDING DETAILS: The notes will bear interest from their date at a rate or rates specified by the successful bid-der, not exceeding eight and three-quarters per cent (8 3/4%) per annum, expressed in multiples of 1/8 or 1/20 of 1%, or any combina-tion thereof. Interest on the notes of any maturity shall be at one rate only, and the difference between the highest and lowest rate of interest bid shall not exceed one per cent (1%). No rate of in-terest on any maturity shall be lower than that on an earlier matur-

PAYING AGENT: Both principal and interest will be payable at a bank or trust company located in the State of Michigan, qualified to act as paying agent under the statutes of the State of Michigan or of the United States of America, to be designated by the original purchaser of the notes, who may also designate a co-paying agent, which may be located outside of Michigan, qualified to act as pay-ing agent under the law of the State in which located or of the United States of America, both of which shall be subject to the approval of the County Treasurer. The designation of paying agent or paying agents shall be made by letter or telegram to the under-signed within 24 hours after the time of sale. In the event no pay-ing agent is designated within the time herein provided, or in the event that the paying agent designated is not qualified under the statutes of this State or of the United States of America, or is not approved by the Treasurer, the Treasurer shall appoint the paying agent or paying agents after discussion with the original purchaser.

PURPOSE AND SECURITY: The notes are issued for the purpose of esta-blishing the County's 100% Tax Payment Fund for the 1977 tax years. The notes are secured by the delinquent real property taxes which . became due and payable to the County of Kent for the year 1977 on or before March 1, 1978, and all such taxes together with all interest thereon unpaid on that date are pledged to the promot payment of the principal of and interest on the notes. All governmental units in the County which receive payments from the fund have a primary obligation to pay to the County the amount of such payments with interest thereon at the highest rate borne by the notes being is-sued, should the taxes pledged be uncollectible for any reason. The notes are also the general obligation of the County, and for the prompt payment of the principal of the notes and the interest there-on, when due, the County shall impose a general ad valores tax, on, when due, the County shall impose a general ad valorem tax, without limitation as to rate or amount, on all taxable property i the County to pay such principal and interest.

GOOD FAITH: A certified or cashier's check in the amount of GOOD FAITH: A certified or cashier's check in the amount of , drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company and payable to the order of the Treasurer of the County of Kent, must accompany each bid as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, to be forfeited as liquidated damages if such bid is accepted and the bidder fails to take up and pay for the notes. No interest will be allowed on good faith deposits. The good faith check of the winning bidder will be promptly cashed, and the amount received therefor will be credited against the purchase price as of the date of delivery. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned to each bidder's representative or by registered mail. In the event the notes cannot be issued or deli-vered for any reason, the County will pay back to the successful bidder the principal amount of the good faith check without interest.

LEGAL OPINION: Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified ap-proving opinion of Dictinson, Wright, NcKean, Cudlip & Moon, attor-neys of Detroit, Michigan, approving the legality of the notes, copies of which will be printed on the reverse side of each note. and the original of the opinion will be delivered without expense to the purchaser of the notes at the delivery thereof.

shall not constitute cause for the purchaser to refuse delt very of the notes.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Further information may be obtained from the Kent County Treasurer at the address specified above.

ENVELOPES: Envelopes containing the bids should be plainly marked "Proposal for General Obligation Tax Notes."

APPROVED: STATE OF MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL FINANCE COMMISSION

Commissioner Sevensma explained this item was adopted on Commissioner Sevensma explained this item was adopted on February 1, with the exception of Paragraph 15, which designated Bond Counsel. The amount blanks on pages 2, 3 and 5 have now been completed, and Commissioner Sevensma moved the adoption of the resolution, with the amount blanks completed and including Paragraph 15. Seconded by Commissioner DeRuiter. After considerable discussion, motion carried by the following vote: Yeas: Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Ehlers, Fuller, Hess, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurkiewicz, Sevensma, Chairman - 12. Nays: Boerema, Johnson, Kempker, Wittenbach - 4. The following resolution regarding approval for the Department of Public Works to borrow funds for the purchase of equipment was

presented: (All have received copies.)

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works Board has completely reviewed the equipment needs of the Kent County Landfill operation, WHEREAS, the present T.D. 25 bulldozer has 12,700





1 Alle an WHEREAS, the Solid Waste Fund has insufficient funds available for such purchases, NOW, THERESTOR ER. IT RESOLVED, that the Kant County Board of Commissioners authorize the Department of Public Works to borrow sufficient funds to purchase the above described replacement equipment, with the understanding that the present T.D. 25 bulldozer and L.F. 280 trash compactor will be traded in, and the D.T. 175 crewler loader will be disposed of, with the sale value reducing the amount to be financed. Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Sevensma. Motion carried by the following vote: Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Ehlers, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurkiewicz, Sevensma, Wittenbach, Chairman - 16. Nays: None. Nays: None. The following resolution regarding the nomination of Joseph Deeb as the City of Myoming representative to the Grand Rapids Area Manpower Planning Council Governing Board was presented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EHLERS. WHEREAS, the Kent County Board of Commissioners, by resolution, has agreed to permit the City of Wyoming to name one representative to the Grand Rapids Area Manpower Planning CUSIP NUMBERS: Cusip numbers have been applied for and will be printed on the notes at the County's expense. The printing of incor-rect Cusip numbers or the failure to print the Cusip numbers on the Council Governing Board with the Wyoming tative permitted to cast two of the nine Kent County votes on the Grand Rapids Area Manpower Planning Council's Governing Board, and WHEREAS, the County is in receipt of a resolution from the City of Wyoming, nominating Wyoming City Commissioner Joseph Deeb, NOW, THEREPORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners appoint Joseph Deeb as a representative to the Grand Rapids Area Manpower Council, representing the City of THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS. Wyoming John L. Damstra Kent County Treasurer Commissioner Ehlers moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Hess. Motion carried unanimously. Commissioner Boerema reported due to Commissioner Broersma's resignation from the Board of Health, Chairman DeKraker is suggesting that Commissioner Duane E. Ensing replace him as County Liaison Representative to the West Michigan Health Systems Agency, and moved that this appointment be confirmed. Seconded by Commissioner Ehlers. Motion carried unanimously Commissioner DeRuiter moved to adjourn to Friday, February 24, 1978 at 9:00 a.m. for a Committee of the Whole Meeting, and Wednesd March 1, 1978, at 9:00 a.m. for an Official Meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Ehlers. Motion carried. Contin De Gruhm RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BOEREMA Jack Browthours WEEREAS, the present T.D. 25 bildCozer has 12,700 operating hours on it, which is some 4,700 operating hours over the normal life expectancy of that equipment, and WEEREAS, the present L.F. 280 trash compactor has been a continual maintenance problem, and has now approached its 6,000 hour life expectancy, and WEEREAS, the Department of Public Morks Board Vesires replacement of this equipment in 1978, and SELL IT FAST! USE WANT ADS! SUPERMARKET A FOR EVERYTHING **PHONE 897-9261 TO** PLACE YOUR AD TODAY!!!

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN - Circuit Court for the County of Kent No. 77-33535-DM TONI LYNN HAYES.

LLOYD ALLEN HAYES.

At a session of said Court held in OTHY DE WITT, Deputy Clerk the Hall of Justice in the City of Examined, Countersigned and En- you the above named Defendant in the above named Plaintiff against Grand Rapids, State of Michigan, on tered: DOROTHY DE WITT, Dethis 11th day of January, 1978, puty Clerk PRESENT: The Honorable GEORGE V. BOUCHER, Circuit FAMILY LAW CENTER, 1201 Mc-

Court Judge On the 17th day of November, gan, 49503, Phone (616) 774-2952 1977, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against you the above named Defendant in the Circuit Court for the County of

It is hereby ordered, that you the Defendant, whose last known address was P.O. Box 81248 in the city of Lincoln, and the State of Nebraska 68501, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 17th day of April, 1978.

Failure to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this cause.

GEORGE V. BOUCHER Circuit Court Judge ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, JACK BRONKEMA, Clerk, DOROTHY DE WITT, Deputy

Examined, Countersioned and Entered by Me: DOROTHY DE WITT, Deputy Clerk FAMILY LAW CENTER, 1201 Mc-Kay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503, Phone (616) 774-2952 2-8--3-1-78

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1201 McKay Tower ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN - Circuit Court for the County of Kent No. 77-33586-DO RICHARD KUPCZYK

Plaintiff LOBBAINE ANN KUPCZYK

the hall of Justice, City of Grand ULANCH, Deputy Rapids, Michigan, on this 31st day - Pramined, Cour of January, 1978.

GEORGE V. BOUCHER, Circuit Court Judge. 1977, an action for divorce was filed gan 49503, Phone (616) 774-2952 by the above named Plaintiff against

you the above named Defendant, the Circuit Court for the County of It is hereby ordered that you, the

Defendant, whose last known address was 974 Frederick Street.

Grand Rapids, Michigan, shall answer or take such other action as WILLIAM COLEMAN. may be permitted by law on or before the 1st day of May, 1978. shall result in a judgment by default Grand Rapids, State of Michigan, on the Hall of Justice in the City of

Plaintiff, filed in this cause. GEORGE V. BOUCHER Court Judge.

Defendant. ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, DOR-

Kay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michi-

FAMILY LAW CENTER

1201 McKay Tower ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN - Circuit Court for the County of Kent

Plaintiff

STEPHEN KIRBY MANSFIELD

Defendant. At a session of said Court held in FAMILY LAW CENTER, 1201 Mc- Examined, Countersigned and En-Rapids, Michigan, on this 19th day gan 49503, Phone (616) 774-2952. of January, 1978. PRESENT: The Honorable

STUART HOFFIUS, Circuit Court

On this 17th day of November 1977, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against you the above named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent

It is hereby ordered that you, the KATIE MAE MCALPIN Defendant, whose last known address was Route #7, Box 14176, Brooksville, Florida, shall answer or JOSEPH MCALPIN take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 21st day of April, 1978. Failure to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default this 6th day of January, 1978. against you, the Defendant, for filed in this cause.

Court Judge STUART HOFFIUS

Kent.

filed in this cause.

DE WITT, Deputy

Deputy Clerk

Defendant. ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, JACK At a session of said Court held in BRONKEMA, Clerk, BONNIE K. tered: BONNIE K. ULANCH,

PRESENT: The Honorable Deputy Clerk

OR TRADE - USE THE

FAMILY LAW CENTER 1201 McKay Tower

TO APPEAR AND ANSWER

No. 77-32766-DM

HERESA JEANNE COLEMAN

Court for the County of Kent

1201 McKay Tower ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN - Circuit STATE OF MICHIGAN - Circuit Court for the County of Kent

No. 78-34004-DM BETTY MARIA KEELEY VS.

Defendant.

FAMILY LAW CENTER

Defendant. TERRY LEE KEELEY At a session of said Court held in Failure to comply with this Order the Hali of Justice in the City of At a session of said Court held in against you, the Defendant, for this 30th day of December, 1977. Grand Rapids, State of Michigan, on relief as set forth in the Complaint PRESENT: The Honorable this 24th day of January, 1978. GEORGE V. BOUCHER, Circuit PRESENT: The Honorable STUART HOFFIUS, Circuit Court

Plaintiff

Circuit Court Judge On the 18th day of August, 1977, Judge. an action for Divorce was filed by On the 24th day of January, 1978. the above named Plaintiff against an action for Divorce was filed by person and for a determination of the Circuit Court for the County of you the above named Defendant in

Kent. It is hereby ordered, that you the Kent. Defendant, whose last known ad- It is hereby ordered, that you the Herbert Elzinga at 414 E. Main St., County of Kent JUVENILE DIVISION dress was 1204 Eustis Street in the Defendant, whose last known ad- Lowell MI 49331 proof thereof, with dress was 1204 Eustis street in the beleficiant, whose not not at a copies of the claims filed with the copies of the claims filed with the bearing will be held in the Juvenile Court on or before May 8, 1978. such other action as may be permit- of California, shall answer or take Notice is further given that the date and time and on petition by

Examined, Countersigned and En-

tered by Me: DOROTHY DE WITT,

FAMILY LAW CENTER

1201 McKay Tower

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND

TO APPEAR AND ANSWER

No. 77-33740-DM

Grand Rapids, State of Michjoan on

Failure to comply with this Order

ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, JACK

Examined, Countersigned and En-

tered by Me: DOROTHY DE WITT,

BRONKEMA, Clerk, DOROTHY

GEORGE V. BOUCHER

Circuit Court Judge

Defendant

filed in this cause.

Deputy Clerk

ted by law on or before the 3rd day such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 24th day of April, 1978. Failure to comply with this order of April, 1978. shall result in a judgment by default Failure to comply with this Order Dated: February 13, 1978.

against you, the Defendant, for shall result in a judgment by default Freihoter, Oosterhouse, DeBoer, relief as set forth in the Complaint against you, the Defendant, for Barnhart & Cooper, P.C. relief as set forth in the Complaint Attorney for Petitioner: GEORGE V. BOUCHER filed in this cause. STUART HOFFIUS **Circuit Court Judge**

Circuit Court Judge ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, JACK BRONKEMA, Clerk, B.K. U-LANCH, Deputy

the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Kay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michi- tered by Me: BONNIE K. ULANCH. Deputy Clerk 2-1--2-22-78 FAMILY LAW CENTER, 1201 Mc-Kay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 49503, Phone (616) 774-2952

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2-15--3-8-78

1201 McKay Tower STATE OF MICHIGAN - Circuit ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND Court For the County of Kent TO APPEAR AND ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN - Circuit

Plaintiff, Court For the County of Kent No. 77-33288-DM ELLA MAE HARIG

At a session of said Court held in VS

the Hall of Justice in the City of VERNON STEWART HARIG Defendant. At a session of said Court held in PRESENT: The Honorable the Hall of Justice, City of Grand relief as set forth in the Complaint GEORGE V. BOUCHER, Circuit Rapids, Michigan, on this 12th day of January, 1978.

Circuit Court Judge 1977, an action for Divorce was filed ROMAN J. SNOW, Circuit Court ing a judgment of divorce and other by the above named Plaintiff against Judge. you the above named Defendant in On this 21st day of October, 1977, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

the Circuit Court for the County of an action for divorce was filed by the the defendant, Pamela Joy Pesta, Kent above named Plaintiff against you shall appear and answer, or take such other action as may be permitdefendant, whose last known ad- Circuit Court for the County of Kent. ted by law on or before April 7. dress was 1305 132nd Street in the It is hereby ordered that you the city of Compton, and the State of Defendant, whose last known ad- IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that California, shall answer or take such dress was 1748 Kusick, N.E., Grand failure to comply with this Order other action as may be permitted by Rapids, Michigan, shall answer or shall result in a judgment by default law on or before the 10th day of take such other action as may be against said defendant for the relief permitted by law on or before the

14th day of April, 1978. shall result in a judgment by default Failure to comply with this order against you, the Defendant, for shall result in a judgment by relief as set forth in the Complaint default against you, the Defendant, Examined, Countersigned and en for relief as set forth in the tered by me. EALRY M. LYONS, Complaint filed in this cause.

ROMAN J. SNOW Circuit Court Judge ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, JACK BRONKEMA, Clerk JAMES L. DYKEMA, Deputy

tered: JAMES L. DYKEMA, Deputy igan, 49503. Phone 616/459-4121. Clerk Kay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michi- FAMILY LAW CENTER, 1201 Mc

gan 49503, Phone (616) 774-2952 Kay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michi-2-8--3-1-78 gan 49503, Phone (616) 774-2952 2-8--3-1-78

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SOLICITATION FOR BIDS is soliciting bids for the item(s) listed below. Detailed specifications are available at the Purchasing Office Room 227.County Administration Build-ing, 300 Monroe Avenue N. W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. The bids will be publicly opened in the Purchasing Office at the time designated below The County reserves the right to accent or refect any or all bids accept or reject any or all bids it deems to be in its best interest Bid for Shelving. Hust be received before 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 14, 1978. Jack Standley C.P.P.O. Director of Purchasing

7/1 The eyes of an owl cannot move in their sockets so the bird must turn its head from side to side to see

NOTICE TO **CITY OF LOWELL** TAXPAYERS

Final day for payment of Summer and Winter taxes will be at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday,

February 28, 1978

After that date, payment for such taxes shall be made to Kent County Treasurer's Office, 300 Monroe, NW., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502. Patricia L. Smith

c15-16

Treasurer City of Lowell

NOTICE FAMILY LAW CENTER, 1201 Mc-**BOARD OF REVIEW MEETINGS Township of** Lowell The Board of Review of Lowell Township will meet at the Lowell Township Hall, 2910 Alden Nash, SE, **Tuesday, March 7** and

Monday, March 13 9 AM to 12 Noon and 1 PM to 4 PM

Tuesday, March 14

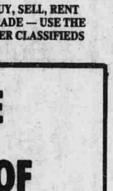
3 PM to 9 PM for the purpose of reviewing the tax roll and hearing all claims.

The tentative Real Property assessment ratio and assessment multiplier required by P.A. 165 of 1971

Ratio - 50% Multiplier - 1.00 Carol L. Weils Lowell Township Clerk

FAMILY LAW CENTER, 1201 Mc-On this 28th day of November, Kay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michi-2-1--2-22-78 ADril, 1978. TO BUY, SELL, RENT

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NOTICES

1201 McKay Tower

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT ESTATE OF MABLE BURNS, DECEASED

File No. 132010

TAKE NOTICE: On March 6, 1978, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michi-Petitioner: Joan Boomer gan, before the Hon. A. Dale Stoppels, Judge of Probate, a hear-Stoppels, Judge of Probate, a hear-ing will be held on the petition of Petitioner: Marva Lewis purported Will of the deceased dated November 3, 1967, for granting of administration to Herbert Dated: February 9, 1978 Elzinga, or some other suitable

Creditors of the deceased are the Circuit Court for the County of notified that all claims against the STATE OF MICHIGAN estate must be presented said thereto

By: Robert J. DeBoer 1125 W. Main St.

Lowell, Mich. 49331

Phone 897-9218

Helen Bullis, Petitioner 140 Janet S.E., Grand Rapids, MI 49508

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In The Circuit Court For The County of Kent

No. 78-34113-DM

JOSEPH WALTER PESTA,

PAMELA JOY PESTA,

Defendant. At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, this 7th day LEDGER once at least one week prior to the hearing date is ordered. of February, 1978.

Plaintiff.

PRESENT: Honorable JOHN T LETTS, Circuit Judge. On February 7, 1978, an action

was filed in this Court by Joseph Walter Pesta, plaintiff, against On the 16th day of December, PRESENT: The Honorable Pamela Joy Pesta, defendant, seek-

1978.

demanded in the complaint filed in this Court. JOHN T. LETTS,

Circuit Judge

ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, Jack Bronkema, Clerk, Ealry M. Lyons, Deputy Clerk.

CHADWICK C. BUSK, Suite 1526 Examined, Countersigned and En- McKay Tower, Grand Rapids, Mich-2-22--3-15-78

> STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Kent IN THE MATTER OF: JOHN ADAMS

Chg of Name NOTICE: On March 10th, 1978 a 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroo Hall of Justice Bldg. /Grand Ranids. Michigan before the Hon. A. DALE STOPPELS, Judge of Probate, a hear-ing will be held on the petition of

John Adams to change his name to ebruary 14th, 1978 John Adams Petitioner 1201 Lafayette, S.E. Address

Grand Rapids, Michigan ttorney for Petitioner Michael Nelson (P-23546) 1208 McKay Tower Grand Rapids, Mich. 49503

Phone 774-0672 SUBSCRIBE TO THE

GRAND VALLEY LEDGER CALL 897-9261

The Probate Court for the County of Kent JUVENILE DIVISION

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held in the Juvenile Court in the City of Grand Rapids, Michigan in the matter of, on the date and time and on petition by petitioner shown below alleging that "Said children are Neglected hildren within the provisions of the Juvenile Code.

Helen Bullis for probate of a Publication in the GRAND VALLEY

JUDGE OF PROBAT

The Probate Court for the

the Juvenile Code" Child: La Shirl Jackson Hearing: March 1, 1978 at 4:00 p.m.

Publication in the GRAND VALLEY

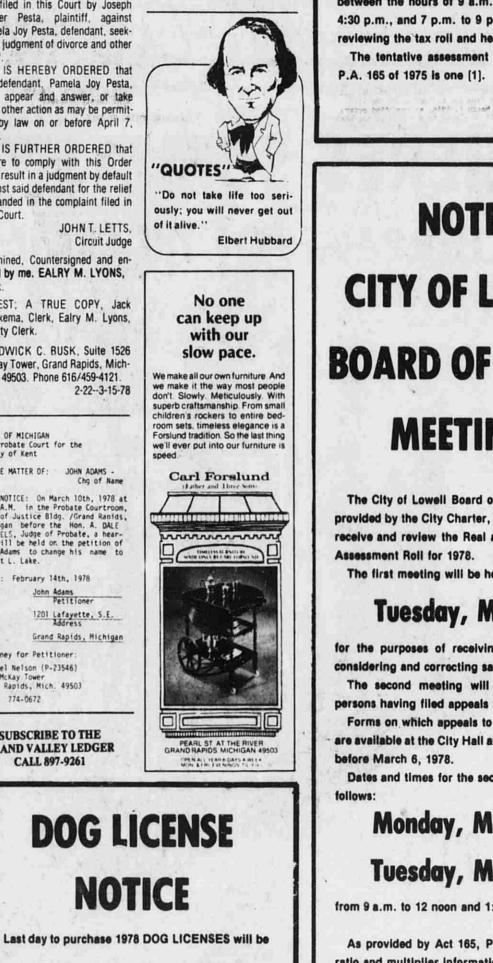
RANDALL J. HEKMAN JUDGE OF PROBATE

STATE OF MICHIGAN he Probate Court for the County of Kent JUVENILE DIVISION

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held in the Juvenile Court in the City of Grand Rapids, Michigan in the matter of, on the date and time and on petition by petitioner shown below alleging that "Said children are Neglected Children within the meaning of Juvenile Code and asking that parental rights be terminated. Child: David and Matthew Zeits

Hearing: March 2, 1978 at 9:00 a.m. etitioner: Joan Boome Publication in the GRAND VALLEY

Dated: February 9, 1978 JOHN P. STEKETER JUDGE OF PROBATE



February 28, 1978

Beginning on March 1, 1978 a \$5.00 penalty will be added to the cost of licenses. Dog licenses may be purchased at City of Lowell Offices at 301 E. Main Street, Lowell, Michigan. Proof of vaccination must accompany application. c15-16

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BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE Township Of

Vergennes

The Board of Review of Vergennes Township will meet at the Vergennes Township Hall, at the corner of Bailey Drive and Parnell Avenue, on

Tuesday, March 7

between the hours of 9 a.m. to 12 noon, 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Monday, March 13

between the hours of 9 a.m. to 12 noon, 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing the tax roll and hearing all claims. The tentative assessment multiplier required by

> Carl Kropf, Supervisor Vergennes Township

NOTICE **CITY OF LOWELL BOARD OF REVIEW** MEETINGS

The City of Lowell Board of Review will meet as provided by the City Charter, Sec. 9.9, Chapter 9 to receive and review the Real and Personal Propert Assessment Roll for 1978.

The first meeting will be held at 9 a.m.,

Tuesday, March 7

for the purposes of receiving from the assesso considering and correcting said roll. The second meeting will be held to

ersons having filed appeals with said Board. Forms on which appeals to said Board of Review

are available at the City Hall and are to be filed on or before March 6, 1978. Dates and times for the second session will be as

Monday, March 13

Tuesday, March 14

from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:30 to 5 p.m. each day

Ratio	Multiplie
50%	1.0
50%	1.0
	Alex J. Orly
	50%

c15-17

Petitioner: Bill Blacquiere Child: Edwin Ehrke Hearing: March 6, 1978 at 2:30 p.m. Petitioner: Greta Menninga LEDGER once at least one week price

to the hearing date is ordered Dated: February 7, 1978

COMING

WED., FEB. 22: A decision making meeting of the Runci- ton Street at 7 p.m. Riverside PTO will be room. Parents please attend.

THURS., FEB, 23: Hooker Chapter #73 RAM will hold its regular convocation at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple, 119 Lincoln Lake Ave. Since the January blizzard interrupted the original schedule, the annual pection was deferred until February and will be conducted

ter. A potluck dinner at 6:30 will precede the meeting.

THURS., FEB. 23: Scout Troop 102 will have Parent's Night on Thursday, February 23 at the Scout Cabin on Washing-

MON., FEB. 27: At 7:30 p.m. held Wednesday, February 22, on Monday, February 27, the at 7 p.m. in Mrs. Decatur's Lowell Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Marguerite Shaler, 503 North Washington Street, Lowell.

MON., FEB. 27: Lowell-Mu ic Booster's meeting Feb. 27. 7:30 p.m. at Middle School Music Room. All band and choir parents please attend. Important meeting to decide on major by Melvin Barclay of Sparta, projects for coming year.

esenting the Grand Chap- THURS., MAR. 2: The Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Catharine Davis on Thursday, March 2, at 1 p.m. Mrs. Elma Roth will be the co-hostess and the program will be a book review by Mrs. Dolores Laux.

> FRI., MAR. 3: World Day of Prayer Services will be held Friday, March 3, 1:30 p.m. at the Cascade Christian Reformed Church, 6631 Cascade Road, S.E. Mrs. Baldwin DeKorne, speaker. Nursery care provided.

in the OT. A tortoise has lived as long

as 116 years.



As the large stands of tall timber were cleared from Michigan the lynx was able to find CANAL AND TRAIN fewer areas of suitable habitat. BOTH BEAR HIS NAME The lynx wil turn up in Michigan DeWitt Clinton, born March now and then but certainly is not 2. 1769, was a politician who commonly seen, even in the recognized the needs of a northern woods. One wild cat, changing society. As mayor of however, has thrived as the New York City and later govertimber was harvested.

seen in the northern lower Canal. Those who scoffed at him peninsula and the upper penin- named it "Clinton's Ditch," not sula where there is a legal seeing its tremendous role in hunting season. The bobcat will commerce in the early 19th line a den with leaves in a century. Later, in honor of the hollow tree or log. Two to four great man, the first train to young are born in the spring and operate in New York State was closely resemble domestic cats. The adult bobcat has a short heavy body with tufted cheeks and ears. The short tail accounts or the name of this cat.

Bobcats are primarily preditators that catch snowshoe hare, mice and other rodents. The bobcat has a courageous temperment and has been known to attack deer. Generally this animal will steer clear of man as it can find adequate food in the

Recently a rabbit hunterrought in a dead bobcat to the Department of Natural Resources office in Grand Rapids. The hunter explained that he was hunting in one of the northern counties for snowshoe hare with his beagle. He heard the dog yelp and turned to see the dog being chased by the bobcat. The hunter was able to grab the dog as the cat sped by. The bobcat turned and began heading straight for the hunter who shot the animal. An examination by biologists indicated that the bobcat had been injured and was just recovering from two

broken front legs. The bobcat in this case attacked the hunter because it was desperately hungry and prob-ably was not aware of its actions. These instances are rare but give some indication of

the bobcat's temperament. bobcat's temperament. Bobcat numbers are beginning to decline as fur prices increase. Some sportsmen are calling for tighter regulations that will better limit the number of bobcats taken by hunters. It is hoped by sportsmen and naturalists that this versatile wild cat will be in our north woods for many years to come .- Steve

nor of the state, Clinton pushed Michigan's bobcat is often for the building of the great Erie named the DeWitt Clinton.

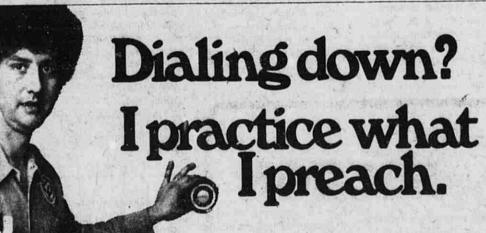
The Lowell Rotary Club had 104 guests for dinner Wednesday, February 15. The Annual Rotary Farmer's Day was the occasion that brought these

> fellowship. First United Methodist Church, Among those who performed the dinner was jointly sponsored were: Cindy Marks, Randy

> by the State Savings Bank, King Adams, Brian Raymor, Patty



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Keith Caldwell. Program chairman Mac Mc-

Balaam of the high school music Lowell area farmers and busi- department. Members of the nessmen together for food and school choir and band presented

a very entertaining program of Held in the dining room of the vocal and instrumental music

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Members of the high school

Timinskis and Dolly Gerard agriculture department: Lloyd Flanagan, Mike Alderink, Dave Elzinga. Harold Englehardt and

Fuss and instructor Pete Siler helped with the drawing for complimentary gifts donated by Pherson introduced Paul area businessmen. Other visitors included forme Lowell Rotarian and local pastor, Rev. Warren Holcomb

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PUBLIC

Grand River Drive, Lowell, Friday and Saturday, February 24 and 25, 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. c14 VEGA WAGON 1977 - 4 Speed.

FOR SALE -- Household goods at

the Pearl Jones' residence, 10399

custom vinyl seats, brand new, 60,000 mile engine warranty. Priced right. Thomet Chev-Bulck, 1250 W. Main, Lowell, 897-9294. c15

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BOSTON ROCKERS - All wood.

from \$28.88. King of Discounts,

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456-1787. Week nights til 9. c15

PANCAKE SUPPER — Saturday.

March 11, at the Alto Elementary

School, sponsored by the Alto

Lions Club. Serving 5 to 8 p.m. All

you can eat. Adults, \$2.25; chil-

dren, 5-12, \$1.50; under five, free.

Tickets sold at the door. c15-17

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LADIES - All ages 'n sizes. We want you to try our Top Quality 7-Filament Panty 'n Hose for perfect fit and surprises. Call 691-8878.

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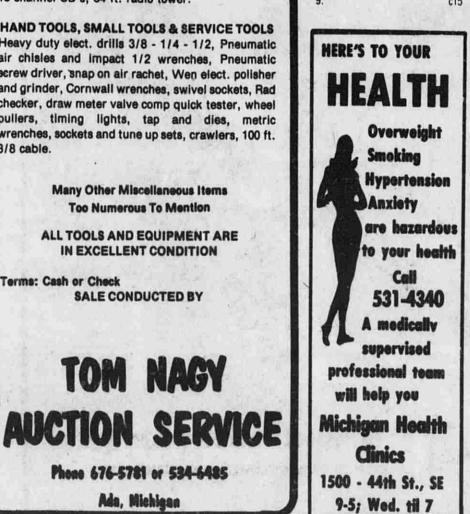
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SPANISH HOUSEFUL - Would ayments in March. 4 pc. Spanish Oak bedroom, Spanish sofa and chairs, 2 Spanish tables, 2 lamps. Spanish Dinette with 6 chairs, \$787 or take on \$5 weekly pay-ments. Ask for lot 3. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights til 9.

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time and part time. Nights & days. Riverview Inn, Lowell. c-15 WANTED TO RENT - A house in the country by school teacher and wife, \$200 per month maximum. Call 774-2883.

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be able to run 10-key adding machine and typewriter. For interview call Rosalie Lew is at 897-9212.

Lowell, Michigan ployer"

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Lowell Area Welcoming Committee 897-5721 or 897-8445. They would like to welcome all new

p.m. in Mrs. Decatur's room. Parents please attend.





AUCTION

Saturday, February 25th

1977 GMC 1 ton tow truck, 350 engine, four-speed power steering, power brakes, AM radio, with Canfield 6 ton power wench, telescopic boom and slinges with 150 ft. of cable, 20,000 miles, 1972 Dodge Polara, V-8, automatic, power steering, power brakes, cruise and air.

Meyers Hydraulic 1 ton, heavy duty bumper lack with engine boom. Coate hydraulic 10/10 changer, automatic engine flush machine installer, 2 heavy duty 100 amp battery charger 16-4 volt battery and ignition tester, acvi, torches, gauges and hoses new); 3 Cornwall double deck portable tool chests, 3 Tech bubble wheel balancers and weights, Balkamp engine system tune up analyzer, complete with collution control equipment and cabinet; Milton 12-6 volt battery and ignition tester, 1 ton budget chain fall, 2-12 ton hydraulic heavy duty jacks, jack stands, bench grinder, 10 inch heavy duty Watco bench vise, voltage test meters, 2 portable 100 amp. Start-All units, AC/DC with 3 horse power Briggs and Stratton engines; Hawk tune up analyzer.

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OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Small safe 26 x 22 x 22, Lather time clock and rack check protector, RC Allen Elect. cash register phone changer, elect. clocks, coke machine. 13 channel CB's, 34 ft. radio tower.

HAND TOOLS, SMALL TOOLS & SERVICE TOOLS Heavy duty elect. drills 3/8 - 1/4 - 1/2, Pneumatic air chisles and impact 1/2 wrenches, Pneumatic screw driver, snap on air rachet, Wen elect. polisher and grinder, Cornwall wrenches, swivel sockets, Rad checker, draw meter valve comp quick tester, wheel pullers, timing lights, tap and dies, metric wrenches, sockets and tune up sets, crawlers, 100 ft. 3/8 cable.

> Many Other Miscellaneous Items **Too Numerous To Mention**

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equal housing opportunity - DRIVE THROUGH AND COMPARE Grand Valley Ledger - Wednesday, February 22, 1978 - Page 14 Dawn Canfield, 5.95 and Sam

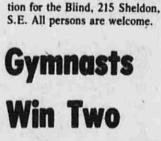
Coalition On Aging

A new and exciting group in the Greater Grand Rapids Area is the Coalition on Aging. The Coalition is open to all agencies and/or persons working or interested in the field of Aging. Its general goal is to insure the basic human rights of older adults and, while supporting their chosen life style, to assist them in enhancing the quality of their lives more specifically.

The group hopes to focus on: education, both of themselves and of the community-at-large; coordination of existing services; serving as a consultant group for persons and organizations wishing to initiate service



projects for the elderly; and providing input into community planning for the elderly. Persons interested in more information on the Coalition on Aging should call the Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan at 456-5664. The next meeting of the Coalition on Aging is Tuesday, February 28, from 10-12 noon at the Associa-



On Monday, February 13, the Red Arrows gymnastics team was defeated by Holland, 81.65-66.35.

Second place on bars went to Jilisa Grooters, 6.65. Jenny Benedict, 5.30, and Annette Sterling, 5.05, earned points for Lowell.

pancake breakfast and their Jilisa earned fourth place on regular monthly meeting, Sun-Vault with a 7.15. Sam Willard, day, February 19. at the Jaywith a 6.70 and Dawn Canfield cee's Clubhouse on Burroughs with a 6.10 also scored points for Road the Red Arrows.

On beam Tammy Nagy, 4.6, received fifth palce. Jenny, 2.35, and Jilisa, 3.55, handed Lowell points. Jilisa earned fifth place on Floor Exercise, with a 6.70. Also scoring for Lowell were: Tammy. 6.0, and Lynn Homolks,

In a tri-meet at the Lowell Middle School on Thursday, Feb. 16, the Red Arrow gymnastics team defeated both Fremont and Kenowa Hills. Annette Sterling earned 4th

5.60.

ruary 25 and 26, a Sno-fari, sponsored by MARS, will be place on the uneven bars with a held in Ralston. Several of the 4.8. Jilisa Grooters, 3.8, and Lowell club members are plan-Jenny Benedict. 3.6, scored ning to attend. Anyone wishing points for Lowell. additional information can con-

Jilisa received first place on tact Ed Anible. the Vault with a score of 7.8.

Coming up soon will be the Willard, 5.5, earned points for 'Great Green Giveaway." The event, being chaired by Faith Marshall, and sponsored by the On Floor Exercise second club, promises to be exciting as place went to Jilisa, 6.5. Sue well as profitable. Stormzand, 6.2 and Tammy

the Red Arrows also.

4.95, earned fourth.

FLAT RIVER

OF LOWELL

The Flat River Snowmobile

'Success'' is the word ap-

plied to the breakfast served by

John Minges and his crew. A

note of thanks was expressed to

those who attended and to those

who worked so diligently to

Elsewhere in this edition of

the paper, is a report on the

funds raised in the March of

make it tastingly successful.

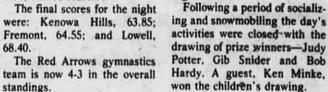
Club to the Gun Lake area.

Club of Lowell gathered for a

68.40.

standings

Nagy, 6.15 earned fourth and All members were reminded to attend the club-sponsored fifth places respectively. Bingo games conducted every Earning first place on Beam was Tammy, with a 6.75. Jilisa, Wednesday night at the Lowell Moose Club; early bird at 6:30; 6.4, received second and Sue, regular at 7:30.



FFA Leadership Contest The FFA (Future Famers of America) Chapter at Lowell High School participated in the

on February 9 at Lakewood High School. The main purpose of such contests is for the development of leadership among members

in the FFA. Representatives from Lowell, winning awards were Carol Baird, second place, Job Interview; Marilyn Flanagan, third place, public speaking; Michelle Erb, second place, Greenhand

public speaking; and Dawn Condon, third place, Extemporaneous speaking.

District FFA Leadership Contest The Ag Form team from Lowell was comprised of David Fuss, John Elliott, Lloyd Flanagan, Lynn Wilcox and Lee Welsh. For their presentation they were awarded a second

place rating. Competition in the Regional FFA Leadership Contest is scheduled to be held on Thursday. February 23, at Lowell High School, commencing at 3:15 p.m.

LHS Freshmen Camping Out With Dad

The annual YMCA Father-son and Father-daughter camp out was well attended and a big adventure for everyone, especially the kids. Part of the nearly 100 fathers and sons and daughters are pictured

as they warmed before the fireplace at the Lowell Boy Scout Cabin. The week-end event [Feb. 18-19] was held at the Lowell Boy Scout Park. Pictured are: David Kronbach, Michelle Lucas, Kevin Groggins, Tracey Snyder, Dennis Sissman, Jonathan Siebers, and Tim Weststrate.

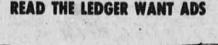
Long House Chief, Jack Thomet, said that the planning committee, Mike Stewart, Randy Gould, David Kronbach, and all the dads did a great job of helping their sons and daughters have a great winter week-end

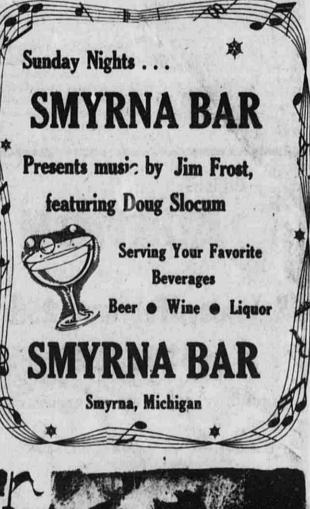






Participating in the District FFA Leadership Contest from Lowell High School were, back row, from left, Dawn Condon, John Elliott, Lloyd Flanagan, Dave Fuss. Front row, Marilyn Flanagan, Kelle Elckhoff, Lee Welsh and Michelle Erb.







It was a good night for Lowell's freshmen basketball **SNOWMOBILE CLUB** team as they upset the Lakewood Vikings 56 to 43.

Lakewood was undefeated coming into this game. They beat Lowell the first time around, but the young Arrows were ready this time.

Upset Vikings

At the half time buzzer the score was tied at 23 all. The Arrows were down by only two points at the end of the third quarter. In the fourth, Lowell outscored Lakewood 23-8.

Gary Ellison, Jon Bieri and Steve Doyle scored 17, 16 and 15 points respectively.

Coach White and his team finished the conference with a fine 10-4 record.-L. Dey

Dimes Sno-fari, sponsored by **B&PW** Club the Club, from Deer Run Golf This coming weekend. Feb-Observes

Week

This week (Feb. 19th-25th) is the time when Business and Professional Women celebrate their unity and common pur-