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Beer, Wine Only For New Year's Eve

town New Year's Eve.

Kent County is one of only four Michigan Counties which disallows Sunday sales of spirits, beverages containing more than 16 percent alcohol.

That prohibition includes New

That prohibition includes New Year's Eve if it coincides with

It'll be a dry time in the old than 50 percent of their revenues from sources other than spirits sales can serve beer and wine by the glass on Sundays.

After midnight, bars may begin
pouring spirits and continue until 4 a.m.

Both the YFW and the Moose Locae will hold their annual Sunday, as it does this year. New Year's Eve parties on Licensees who derive more Sunday evening, serving beer

Results In Frostbite

Marcus R. Kline, 16, of 12864 Vergennes, suffered bruises and frostbite when his leg became pinned against a guard rail by his vehicle on Parnell Road near M-21 last Sunday at 1 a.m., according to the Kent Co. Sheriff's Department. Kline attempted to go up a

grade on Parnell but icy condi-tions forced him to back down. His leg was pinned in the process. Lowell Recure was called to free him.

Kline was treated at the soc by personnel of Bud's Ambu lance service. He refused fur-



Lowell Chamber of Commerce commended City snow removes today for their prompt and efficient clearing of city street pecially Main Street. Merchants and citizens alike have benefit n clear parking areas. "They must get up before the chickens to get everything cleared so fast," stated Chamber representatives.

George Johnson, owner of the Lowell Beer Store, reminds customers that there will be no liquor sales from 10 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 23 until Tuesday, Dec. 26. The store will sell beer and wine on Sunday, Dec. 25 but will be closed Christmas Day.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

The crew at the Ledger wishes the community a happy holiday. Subscribers and advertisers should note that the December 20 issue of the Ledger will be a combined issue. There will be no paper published on December 27.

Ledger offices will be closed from Thursday, December 21 through January 1, 1979. Offices will reopen on January 2. This is the traditional vacation time for the Ledger staff.

The first Ledger issue in January will be published a day late on

Thomas R. Labine of 1328 Sibley, Lowell paid \$34 for speeding on Nov. 21. Terry L. Tower of 11491 Flat River Dr. paid \$29 for

The Ledger inadvertently reversed the principals in an accident in last week's issue. George Noteware of Lowell was struck by a vehicle driven by James Pullen of Ada on S. West St. on Thursday,

HOLIDAY CLOSING

Lucchesi's Pizza will be closed for the holidays from Dec. 24 through Wed., Jan. 2. Left-overs should hold you 'til they open

The Moose Lodge has a nifty party planned for the children of their members on Sunday, Dec. 17, from 1 to 3 p.m. Santa Claus has indicated he might have a few minutes free that day so Moose members should be on the look out. The party will be at the Moose Lodge on Main St.

Lowell VFW Flat River Post #8303 and its Auxiliary will have their Christmas Dinner on Saturday, Dec. 16. All new members, even if not yet initiated, are invited. Cocktail hour is at 6 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m. Members should pack up their table service, a tasty dish to pass and a \$2 gift exchange.

CAUGHT

Two motorcyclists led officers from Lowell and the Kent County Sheriff's Department on a high speed chase on Sunday, Dec. 3, for better than five miles. Apprehended were Kerry Kyser, Vergennes, Lowell and a 16-year-old juvenile. Both will be remanded to court at a later date.

ICY ACCIDENT

Involved in a property damage accident Thursday afternoon on North Washington St. was John Winer, Jr., of Lowell, when he hit a parked car on slippery pavement.

James Kryszewski of Grand Rapids was arrested Wednesday, Dec. 6, for larceny under \$100 in Johnsons Thrift-T Market. An employee observed him as he placed two packages of meat under his coat and left the store without paying for them. Kryszewski will appear at a later date in 63rd District Court to answer charges.

FAKE PRESCRIPTION

Arrested Saturday evening, Dec. 9, by Lowell police for attempted fraudulent procurement of narcotic drugs was Tracey Kelley of Flint. She was arrested shortly after she attempted to obtain drugs from Lippert's Pharmacy on a forged prescription. She was arraigned Monday in 63rd District Court on the charge.

The Village Inn and Larkins Saloon both plan to close their doors Sunday. Norma Gardner, co-owner of the Village Inn, said she looks for "lots of private parties and people traveling out of Kent County." Owners of Larkins echoed her assessment adding that without a dance band, locals would probably stop in only for an early break-

The Kent Board of Commissioners' Legislative, Judicial and Taxation Committee had recommended that board members ask for a quickie law that would have allowed Sunday sales when Sunday and New Year's Eve coincide. That bid failed 11-10. Even if it had

Cherry Creek Denied Lease Approval

Cherry Creek Nursing Home, Inc., Lowell, was denied approval on October 31 by the State Health Director to lease the nursing home to Anthony Peril-

lo, Appleton, Wisconsin. Owner of the 153-bed skilled care facility is Arthur Fochs,

that there is already an excess of nursing care beds in the area. Since Cherry Creek Nursing Home, Inc., added 32 beds without going through Section 1122 review, which determines the addition or reduction of beds, the facility is not consistent with the standards and Plan for Hospital and Medical Facilities Construction 1975-76.

The decision of the State Health Director was supported by the West Michigan Health Systems Agency and State Administrators of the federal Hill-Burton program.

A hearing on the decision can be requested within thirty days.

passed, it is doubtful that the Legislature would have acceded to the request. Recently they defeated a bill to allow businesses to begin serving alcoholic beverages at 10 a.m. instead of noon on Sundays.

Another Odell Supervisor In Vergennes

Roger Odell, 10999 Bailey Dr. NE, presided as supervisor, at the Township board meeting for the first time in the Vergennes Township Hall Monday, Dec.

Odell is the great-great-grandson of Orlando Odell who was supervisor of the township 120 years ago and is probably the youngest supervisor to serve in Kent County according to Don McPherson, chairman of the Vergennes History Commission. Odell is 33. Supervisor Odell is a co-pilot

for Eastern Airlines, flying out of Chicago. He also farms several hundred acres of land in Vergennes. He and his wife Vicki and their two children live on the land pioneered by his

great-grandfather.
Adelbert Odell, Roger's father, will be honored later this winter at an honors dinner as a member of the township board for many years along with Elmer Wittenbach, treasurer.

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m, 517 Avery, Lowell, to a WOOD Rudio Weekly

the VFW Pancake Dinner for Deputy Pat

'News Tip'' winner. He received a \$25 check and a certificate

Witnesses Must Now Phone Ahead

As of December 1, witnesses abpoenaed to 63rd District Court, Walker, Wyoming, Kentwood and Grandville Municipal Courts are instructed to call 774-9192 to determine whether or not they must appear in

Prosecutor David Sawyer voiced his concern about the citizen who makes arrangeents to get off work or hire a bysitter only to find their case s been cancelled.

Instituting this phone message is an effort to eliminate one of the frustrations involved hen a citizen witnesses a

Since it is court policy not to approve witness payments to se who fail to utilize this phone system, the public also benefits by the reduction of ecessary witness payments.

Magic Show Has Light Turn Out

Those who braved the subzero temperatures Monday night, Dec. 11, to attend the Magic Show at the High School Auditorium were amazed and delighted with James Royale,

The show was presented to benefit the Re-float the Showboat Campaign through the donation of Hugh Dilland from Lansing, Mr. Dilland responded to a letter he received from the Re-float Committee asking for aid. The mailing has brought many responses but this one

Numbers attending were not what the committee had hoped for and the weak audience count will reduce profits accruing to

the Showboat to perhaps \$100. A Spaghetti dinner and Las Vegas night are the next events on the fund-raising agenda.



James Royale, illusionist, adjusts his guillotine and a Lowell student from the audience hopes the magic works. The illusion was successful and the young man left the stage with his head intact. Royale brought his act to Lowell from Chicago to benefit the Re-float the Showboat Campaign under the patronage of Hugh Dilland of

The December 20 edition of the Grand Valley Ledger will be a combined "Holiday Issue," covering the weeks of December 18 and December 25.

All news items for this baliday issue [which will cover any events scheduled between December 20 and January 4) should be in by Monday, December 18 at

The Ledger office is open weekdays, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; closed Saturdays. Items may be called in to 897-9261; usiled to Box 128, Lowell; or slipped into the mail slot 105 N. Broadway Street.

We enlist the cooperation of all our advertisers and coaders in helping us prepare this holiday issue, so our employees can enjoy the upcoming holidays with their families.

Updated Service From Michigan Bell Starts In Ada

Michigan Bell customers in Ada's "676" exchange will be served by a new electronic switching system starting at noon, Saturday, Dec. 16.

Robert Thole, Michigan Bell local manager, said the electronic equipment will bring to some 2,300 Ada customers optional services such as Touch-Tone® calling and custom calling service features-Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, Speed

Calling and Threeway Calling. Called No. 3 ESS, the electronic equipment is designed for small communities by Bell Laboratories, research arm of the Bell System. It can serve up to 4,500 lines and can handle up to 11,000 calls an hour.

Like other Bell electronic switching systems, the No. 3 ESS continuously monitors its own performance, Thole said, and automatically alerts telephone company workers if a problem is detected.

Coinciding with the start of operation of the electronic central office, Michigan Bell will introduce new long distance dialing services here and convert coin phones in the "676" exchange to provide Dial Tone First service. The new long distance dialing

services, made possible by the company's electronic long distance switching center in Grand Rapids, will enable Ada customers to dial their own personto-person, collect, credit card and bill to third number calls. When making any of these

special long distance callsfrom homes, offices, or pay phones, Afa customers will dial "O" (Operator), immediately followed by the area code and the called party's telephone An operator will come on the

line long enough to get acceptance of a collect call, get the right person on the line for a person-to-person call, or get the

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The new dialing services, Thole pointed out, will save customers time and provide more accurate billing because

calling are handled automati-

phones will enable Ada customers to make emergency calls or calls to operator without deposthe details of long distance

the electronic central office goes into operation Dec. 16, five-digit dialing within Ada will no longer be possible. All seven digits will



Ada's new electronic central office on Thornapple River Drive has

Lowell Honor Society Inducts Nine

The National Honor Society of Lowell Senior High School held its annual formal induction ceremony for new members on Thursday evening, Dec. 7, in the "K" quad of the high school. Nine new members were invited to join the society.

The members and their parents and friends were welcomed by the president of the organization, Lauri Schrenk. John Waite gave a short history of the National Society and the local chapter which was chartered in

candlelighting ceremony were Lauri Schrenk, Dave Baerwalde, Mike Lessens, and Lori Bergy. The candles represented the four prerequisites of Honor Society; character, scholarship, leadership and service.

The speaker of the evening, Dr. Gil Wise, was introduced by Heather Spillane. Dr. Wise encouraged the students to make full use of their brain power plus develop fully their

abilities to read. Membership cards were pre-

Those who took part in the sented by Mr. Gary Kemp, andlelighting ceremony were principal, and Mrs. Virginia Fonger, advisor.

A social hour in the Carl J. Hagen Media Center followed the formalities with Joan Nugent in charge. The new members are: Cathy Baird, Todd Bryan, Barry Eldridge, Dolly Gerard, Patti Kline, Mark Lessens, Debbie Stegmier, Steve Sterzick and Sherri VanBelkum.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE **GRAND VALLEY LEDGER** Mark of Grand Rapids, Jean and Paul of Ada, Dorothy Ann of Mt. and Mrs. Helen Bauer of Ne-

Mr. Thomson was past Presi- day, Dec. 7, at Calvin Funeral dent and a member in good standing of the Kent Optimist Club. The Funeral Mass was said Saturday morning at St. Ada Cemetery. Memorial con- Compton, aged 71, of 11963

St., Freeport, MI, passed away Frances and family, Harry and Snow Cemetery.

Monday, December 4, in Bor- Shirley of Ada; five grandchilgess Hospital, Kalamazoo. She dren; two great-grandchildren; was a member of the Freeport two brothers and three sisters,

Mrs. Beth Kohlhoff of Stevensville, Mrs. Marilyn Hisey of
Union, Ml, and Mrs. Joy Melers Cemetery.

Tuesday with Rev. Jack Richards officiating. Interment MyGertrude DeJong; his children,
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Lucy; his children, Madelyn and Leo Pfaller of Lowell, Phyllis and Robert Shaler of Lowell, Bonnie and Donald Post of Ada; Home in South Haven. Rev. Roger Burk of Grand Rapids officiated. Burial was in Mc-Claudia Fuller of Hastings, Margaret Estep of Battle Creek, Dowell Cemetery.

COMPTON — Uluse (Con) Vivian Ingersoll of Kalamazoo; also a brother, Clarence of Stanton. Mr. Cole was preceded tributions may be made to the Camp Lake Dr., passed away in death by his brother, Alden. Michigan Special Olympics. Ar- Friday at his home. He was a The funeral service was held rangements by O'Brien-Gerst janitor in the Grand Rapids city Thursday at the Roth-Gerst schools until his retirement in Funeral Home with Rev. Allen Wittrup of the Snow Methodist Avery, aged 60, of 206 Cherry He is survived by his wife, Church officiating. Interment

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THOMSON - Hans (Tommiy) United Brehtren Church in Dale of Petoskey, Howard DE JONG - Govert DeJong, Compton and Vi Martin of Ann of 7626 Fase St., Ada, formerly Survivors include her hus- Arbor, Hazel Martin of Florida of Platte, S.D., passed away band. Rev. Cleon E. Avery of and Joy Compton; several niec- suddenly Sunday morning, Dec. Freeport; four daughters, Mrs. es and nephews. 10, 1978 at his home. Eunice Brush of South Haven, Funeral srevices were held to be with his Lord. 10, 1978 at his home, and went

Andrew of Canada, and James of Big Rapids; his sisters, Mrs. Ida Pollard of Canada, Mrs. Jean Peterson of Idaho, Miss Margaret Thomson of Canada, Canada, Margaret Thomson of Canada, Mrs. Jean Peterson of Canada, Mrs. Jean Mrs. Joy Melville of White Pigeon; three sons, Vernon and James Avery of Gouth Haven, and Leon Avery of Grand Rapids; 12 grandchildren, Mrs. Joy Melville of White Pigeon; three sons, Vernon and James Avery of Grand Rapids; 12 grandchildren, Mrs. Joy Melville of White Pigeon; three sons, Vernon and James Avery of Grand Rapids; 12 grandchildren, Mrs. Joy Melville of White Pigeon; three sons, Vernon and James Avery of Grand Rapids; 12 grandchildren, Terri, Sherri and Todd VanBelkum, Craig, Wendy and Jeffrey Werkema all of Ada; six sisters and two brothers in S.D.; two sisters-inlaw, Mrs. William B. (Joan) Pastoor and Mrs. Willard (Jan-et) Yonkers both of Grand

> Services will be held at 1:00 Wednesday afternoon at the Ada Community Reformed Gardens. For those who wish, memorials may be made to the Ada Community Reformed Church.

RUSTER —Mr. Sam Ruster, aged 81, of 2305 Riverside Dr., NE, passed away Sunday morn-ing at Butterworth Hospital. Surviving are his wife, Gen-yeth; his children, Robert Rust-er, Elaine and Charles Sanford, Martha and James Wysocki, all of Grand Rapids, and Leslie and Ruth Ruster of Ada; 12 grand-children; two great-grandchil-dren; a brother, Martin Ruster of Pasadena, CA; and four sisters, Misses Connie and Nell

Ruster, Mrs. Evelyn Slings and Mrs. Kenneth (Pearl) Konyndyk all of Grand Rapids and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Van't Hof Chapel with his pastor the

Rev. Burland D. Margesson of the Berean Baptist Church, and Rev. Michael Ballast officiating. Interment in Rosedale Memorial Contributions in his memory may be made to the Michigan TB and Respiratory Disease

HEUKELS - William Heukels, aged 55, of 1429 Spaulding Ave. SE. born November 1, 1923, passed away early Sunday morning, Dec. 10, 1978. He is survived by his wife,

Betty; their daughters, Debor-ah, Edna and Diane Brotherton; a son, Alvin Bliss; a brother, Kenneth Heukels of Ada; the sisters, Etsle Pratt, Lucille VanderSloot and Doris Buyze all of Grand Rapids; two granddaughters, Jennifer and Carrie-Ann Brotherton of Fla.; also several nieces and nephews, and great nieces and great nephews. Funeral services will be held

Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 at the O'Brien-Gerst Funeral Home Chapel. Pastor Russ Houseman officiating. Entomb-ment Chapel Hill Mausoleum. CHAFFEE - Burt H. Chafe, aged 73, of 9098 Conservation Dr. NE, Ada, passed away at Grand Rapids Osteopathic

Dorothy; his children, Mrs. Loren (Pauline) Barton of Lowell, and Mrs. Walter (Mary) Bronell of Rockford; one brothr, Floyd of Ada; one sister, Mrs. Hazel Ortowski of Ada; two grandchildren, Matthew

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the O'Bri-en-Gerst Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. Dean Bailey of the First United Methodist Church of Lowell officiating. Interment-Chapel Hill Cemetery. LEDGER DEADLINES

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Obituaries...

SPRINGER - Robert L. Springer, aged 52, of 34 Dickin-son St., SW, went to be with his Lord, Monday morning at Kent

Surviving are his wife, Sandra; his children, Mrs. Donald (Jeanette) Thornton of Alto, Mrs. Alan (Diane) Reese of Belview, Thomas and Dorothy Springer of Buchanan, Charlie and Dena Roark of Kentwood, Todd Robert and Tracke Flizza Todd Robert and Tracie Eliza- mont and from the Palmer beth both at home, seven grand- School of Chiropractic at Davenchildren; a step-sister, Mrs. Alan (Marlene) Zupke of Portport, Iowa, in 1922. He began practice in Ionia in 1922 and retired in 1976. Dr.

His funeral service will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 at the Olivet United Methodist Church, 19383 Buchanan They made their home in Ionia Ave., SW, Rev. C. Jack Scott all their married life. Ada Community Reformed

Ave., SW, Rev. C. Jack Scott

and Rev. Allen E. Wittrup

Dr. SE, Ada, with Rev. David

Smits officiating. Interment will

follow in Chapel Hill Memorial

follow in Ch butions may be made to the 'Fishing and Hunting club, a life
Olivet United Methodist member of Ionia Elks lodge, a member of Michigan Chiroprac-

SMITH — Mr. Walter E.

Smith, aged 79, passed away in Okeechobee, Fla., Friday morning. Surviving are his wife, Jessie; his family, Walter M. and Betty of Lowell, Carl and Maxine of Saranac, Arthur D.

Maxine of Saranac, Arthur D.

member of Michigan Chiropractic Association, a former member of lonia Moose Lodge, and a member of lonia American Legion Post. He served in the U.S.

Army during World War I.

Dr. Thomson is survived by his wife, Florence, of Ionia; and and Lyn of Jenison, Kay and four grandchildren, and a Patrick Farrell of Rockford; 14 daughter-in-law, Mrs. June Dilgrandchildren; 16 great-grandity of Lowell, director of nurses children; his sisters, Mrs. Floy dat Ionia County Memorial Hos-(Julia) Lindsey of Grand Rapids, pital. A son, Leonard Jr., pre-Mrs. Bill (Iva) Hoogerhyde of ceded him in death September 2, 1972.

(Dorothy) Seymour of St. Jo
Funeral services were held

seph; several nieces and neph- Friday at Leddick Funeral ws. Home, with Rev. George Douma Funeral services were held officiating. Burial was in Balcom

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Aid to battered women, a receptionist and it is hoped that social problem now receiving a children's therapist can be attention and assistance in the added. A primary need in such Grand Rapids area, was the cases is to provide counseling subject of the Rotary Club for the children.

She stressed that cases of this

Program chairman Jack Sie- type cut across all economic and bers and his wife Mary arranged racial lines. At the Center, for the presentation by Mary women - and men - who need

897-7264 GOLF CLUB

Effective January 1, 1978, the Lowell Landfill will be closed and Jane Lowery, who works through the Junior League as a volunteer with the Battered sassistance are given supportive counseling, referrals for ongoing counseling and assistance in operation.

During the past two years the City has maintained regular

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For a mere \$1,000 for the machine and \$50 per tape, you can have
a library of movies to watch instead of TV. I can just see it now on

While the Center has no permanent housing facility as yet, there are a few temporary indicated that 2,500 such cases per month may be occurring in this area. The case load at the Center is now about 400 per month, including ongoing and new cases. The staff has grown to four counselors and new cases. The staff has grown to four counselors and new cases. The staff has grown to four counselors and a central YWCA.

While the Center has no permanent housing facility as yet, there are a few temporary bick-up is pick-up of the month nor will it drop off City trucks to be loaded at the homes of the users. The first Thursday pick-up is being discontinued because snow plowing is several days while snow that I can afford the machine and \$50 per tape, you can have a library of movies to watch instead of TV. I can just see it now on my budget. In the first place, there's no way that I can afford the machine and \$50 per tape, you can have a library of movies to watch instead of TV. I can just see it now on my budget. In the first place, there's no way that I can afford the machine and \$50 per tape, you can have a library of movies to watch instead of TV. I can just see it now on my budget. In the first place, there's no way that I can afford the machine and \$50 per tape, you can have a library of movies to watch instead of TV. I can just see it now on my budget. In the first place, there's no way that I can afford the machine but if I did have one, my library would consist of possibly to trucks to be loaded at the homes of the users. The first Thursday pick-up is being discontinued because snow plowing is severely hampered when rubbish is stacked by the curb. If a major storm should hit, pick up of the trash may be delayed for several days while snow tape.

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Dropping trucks off at homes to be filled with rubbish is impossible at this time of year because frequently the trucks are needed in the middle of the night for snow plowing.

It is sincerely hoped that these cutbacks will not create difficulties for anyone. Should you have the need during the winter months, to dispose of rubbish please contact City Hall and every effort will be made to refer you to a private hauling contract or to give you rewatching after you've recorded it.

I guess you can record something that's on a channel other than the one that you're watching, or record while you're away or sleeping. This might be a nice feature except that my wife would probably have the machine record all of the daily soap operas while we were at work and then monopolize the TV by watching them in the evening.

Coming Events...

Party will be held in the All

PTO to be used in their rooms

by the children. Christmas Car-

MON., DEC. 18: WOTM

Christmas Party at 6:30 p.m.

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own service. Meet in downstairs

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WED., DEC. 13: Alto Garden church lots and at the ramp is Club will meet at Cunningham
Acres at 12:45 for a potluck
dinner and \$1 gift exchange.

Spouses are invited.

Church lots and at the ramp is free to persons taking the tour.

MON., DEC. 18: RuncimanRiverside Teachers Christmas
Spouses are invited.

How about recording game shows? I could invite some friends over and turn on the TV, let them think that we're watching "Name That Tune" live, and then impress the heck out of them by knowing all of the answers. Spouses are invited. THURS., DEC. 14: VFW Aux- Purpose Room at 7 p.m. Teach-

FRIDAYS - SUNDAYS iliary Christmas Party and meet- ers will receive gifts from the ing. 6 p.m. potluck supper. \$2 gift exchange. Club House Open THURS., FRI., DEC. 14 & ols and refreshments. Parents

15: Lowell Area Arts Council and children are invited. auditions for winter play. 7 p.m. in Quad I of Middle School. THURS., DEC. 14: "The Christmas Story", a special program at Midweek Bible Club at Calvary Christian Reformed Church, Lowell (near Eberhards), from 4-5 p.m. For all

children K-4. Featuring Wayne Lowell and his puppets. FRI., DEC. 15: Bushnell PTO will have a popcorn sale after lunch at Bushnell School. Kids, remember your 15c. SAT., DEC. 16: A Bake Sale

will be held at the Caledonia Bank in Caledonia from 9 a.m. to noon by the Alaska Branch of The Reorganized Church of lesus Christ of Latter Day

SUN., DEC. 174 A Christmas hymn sing to be held at Calvary Christian Reformed Church at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be served prior to the hymn sing. Special invitation is extended to

SUN., DEC. 17: Architecture. Christmas decorations and Christian symbols in the churches will be highlights of the December 17 Bus Tour of Churches, sponsored by G.R.A.C.E., the Grand Rapids Transit Authority, and participating churches. Bus tours, beginning at 2 p.m. from the parking lots of the Mayflower Congregational Church (lower lot) and the Grace Episcopal Church and at the Fountain

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Junior College parking rs p, will end at 4 p.m. Parking at

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December 17: Kim Hale, SCRATCH PADS - Assorted Mark DeForest, Scott Behnke.

December 18: Ronaid Krebs.
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they are. No more checking the TV listings in the paper, only to find

Recording special programs for later playback might not be a bad

idea. I can see it now, a hot sticky evening in August, I've had a

rough day at work and the kids are being especially annoying. The

solution would be simple. I could just plunk them down in front of the TV and plug in the Bugs Bunny Christmas Special for them to

Just think of how much money I could win by inviting friends over

to watch a ball game that was recorded and then betting on the

Speaking of ball games, if I had a recording of last Saturday's Lion game with the Vikings, I would never have to watch them lose

again. They could have a perfect season, beating the pants off the

Vikings every Sunday afternoon.

Yeh, yeh, I know I vowed never to watch any more Lions games,

worth re-watching after you've recorded it.

outcome with them.

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but at least I'm still not smoking.

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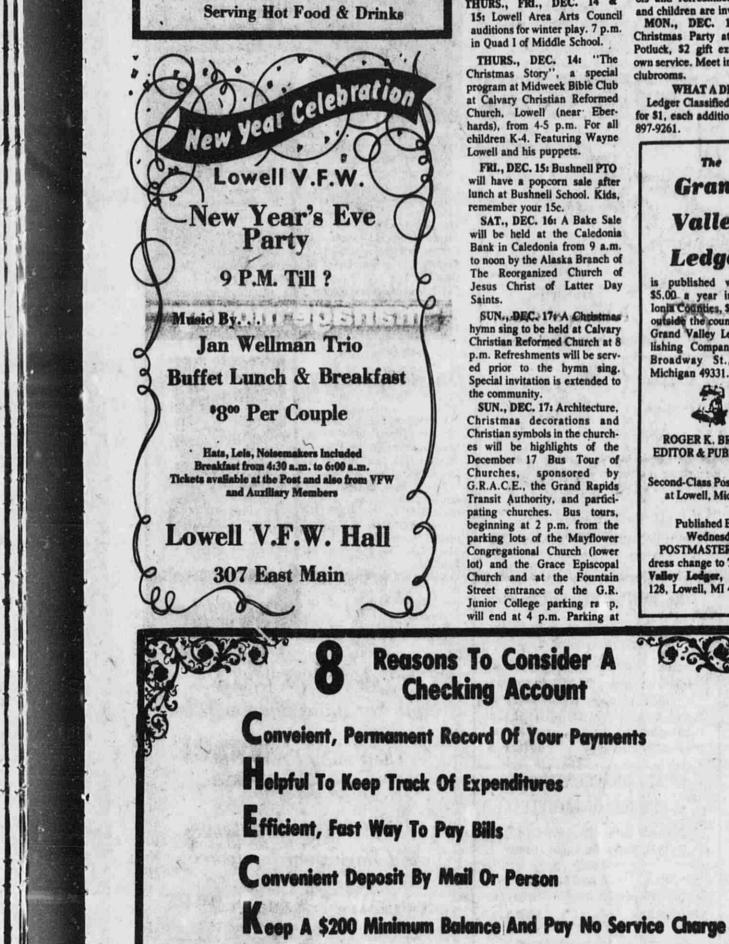
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Pastor Jimmy shares God's Word with youth. His youth group grew to be the largest in San Diego county, California. He ministers to collegians, having many speaking engagements at colleges.

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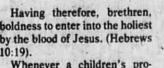
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not have the courage to ask for rest. Amen. what they want. Prayer is the wonderful privi-

lege of God's children. Through prayer we can receive the strength and confidence to live outgoing lives. Through prayer we can be renewed in the image of our Heavenly Father. Through prayer we can receive help in time of temptation and

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DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

boldness to enter into the holiest can intercede for the needs of y the blood of Jesus. (Hebrews our loved ones and friends. Christians, we have been gram is given, it is the tiniest throne of grace and make our tots who steal the show. Many requests known. There areof them are so bashful they can many blessings in store for

of the corners of their eyes.

Bashfulness has its good points. Usually the overconfident person is unpopular. But beaven. At Thy throne of grace I many people go through life can make my wants and wishes doing without because they do known. There I find favor and There is rest, sweet rest, at th

Msgr. Hugh Michael Beahan is presented a check for \$1,326.31 by Buck Matthews on behalf of the Cascade Christian Church. The money is earmarked for the Catholic Campaign for Human Develop-There is always a blessing. blessing in prayer.

New Buds On Christmas Week At

Christmas week will begin at Dec. 22, Emerson Stevens will the Lowell Senior Neighbors lead a carol sing-a-long. All Center, 214 E. Main St., on older persons in the area are Monday, Dec. 18, with a dance welcome at Center activities.
at 2:30 p.m. Music will be Reservations for dinners and at 2:30 p.m. Music will be Reservations for dinners and Ginter, daughter of Bill Stone-furnished by a group which the Christmas party should be breaker, 1521 Laurie Gail, Low-

At 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 19, a pre-school class will pre-sent a holiday play. Tom Baugh-man, will entertain at the Council says that if you don't ved at noon on Thursday,

Thanksgiving Day marked the 14th annual Ecumenical Service at Cascade Christian Church this year, with Msgr. Hugh Michael Beahan speaking once

again.
Msgr. Beahan has been the featured speaker for 13 out of the past 14 years. In keeping with a tradition that dates back to the beginning of the service, half of the offering has gone to the Catholic Campaign for Human Development, as designated by Msgr. Beahan. The remaining half of the offering goes to Reconciliation of the hristian Church. Three years ago, the church

cleric with a gold watch on the occasion of the tenth anniver-



ell, and the late Grace Stonebreaker. The groom is the son of Corky Armstrong and the late Wright of Route 2, Saranac, Martin of 36th St., Lowell. Robin is a senior at Saranac High and Steve is employed in A July 14 wedding is planned

Tony Kiedis, formerly of Low-ell, will appear in "Who's Watching The Kids" on Fridyay night at 8:30 p.m. The series airs on NBC, Channel 8 locally. Tony's stage name is Cole Dammet and he'll play Vinnie in Alto, Tony resides now



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Lowell High School and a 1976 ids Baptist College.

Rev. Blocher became the

pastor of the Corvallis Church following his August, 1978, graduation from Dallas Theological Seminary in Dallas, Texs, with a Master of Arts Degree in Biblical Studies. Rev. Blocher, his wife, Julie, two children, Brian, 5, and Sarah, 3, have lived in Corvallis

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5.5 mill levy and 290 said YES.
Eleven ballots were reported
spoiled.

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There were 89 absentee ballots
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are opposed to paying any more
taxes, "Bauman said. "This is

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poken decisively." between their opponents by halftime, taking a 32-25 lead. day was essentially the same as was turned down in 1971. The estimate for construction in 1971 first period play and continued was about \$22 per square feet to pace the Saranac attack in the and it is about \$44 now. "It simply isn't going to get less expensive to build," said Cady. up their lead after the halftime

Few Attend Meeting

Thursday night's Saranac purchased in May and June.
School Board meeting and bond The baord voted to commit issue information session was Saranac Community Schools to attributed to poor weather con-ditions but it might have been Intermediate school district

which would have funded extensive remodeling and building was soundly defeated on Saturday, December 9. (See related Superintendent Earl Cady reported that school attorneys had not yet provided a resolution to the loitering problem and said that he was "skeptical that a article.)
Most of the school board meeting was devoted to discussion of the feedback from meet-

ings various board members
and others had had with groups a proposed change of attendin the community in regard to ance policy to the board. After the bond issue. discussion, the board asked the In questions from the floor, teacher Terry Dawson asked why, when funds were volundiscussion, the board asked the principal to make changes in his proposal and return it to the board before the end of the teered from the SEA, the board semester. did not use the money for a more extensive advertising campaign. Board President John the Superintendent's office.

Semester.

Next meeting of the board will be December 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Superintendent's office.

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Bauman responded that infor-mation was intended to be given on a more personal basis and SARANAC COMMUNITY CHURCH that the board planned to keep

In other action Principal Nelson Terburgh responded positively to a question regarding whether persons might review textbooks before purchase. H

the election low-keyed.

Redskins Take **Portland**

Saranac Redskins rolled ove the Portland Red Raiders 67-5last Friday night. The Redskins took the lead i the first quarter 10-2 and rai

their lead to 34-12 at the half Ben Tower totaled 12 points in the first half and Kevin Theiser paced the attack in the second half with 12.

Saranac took advantage of their strong lead and substituted its second string throughout the third period. Portland narrowed the gap somewhat in the roared back in the last quarter. out-scoring the visitors by one

point.

Kevin Reynolds and Lionel
Haskins each were responsible
for 11 rebounds and Gary Raimer took care of another 12. Tower and Theisen shared game high honors with 20 points apiece while Haskins put in six, Scott Metternick four, and Bob

Saranac hit 31 of 60 shots for the night with 50 percent ratio in freethrows, 5 of 10. Portland marked 15 field goals and 24 of 44 in free throws.
The Redskins hosted Portland St. Patrick's Tuesday night with the results unavailable at press

Saranac JV's stooped to Port-land 59-49 on Friday night. The Red Raider JV's grabbed the lead 14-10 in the first period and held on to it throughout. The 36-22 score at the half kept

the Raiders out front. Saranac out-scored Portland in the third quarter 17 points to their 10, narrowing the gap to 46-39 but the Raiders recouped in the final period dropping in 13 to Saranac's 10. Tom Wilcox led Portland with

31 points and Jerry Darby paced Saranac with 16. Ed Overbeck had 15 points and 20 rebounds. In TCCA standings, Saranac shares third place with Carson City-Crystal and Montabella at 1 for 1. Central Montcalm shares

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rebounding statistics. Kevin The Shamrocks of Portland game. St. Pat's had only 21. by the half. Saranac put in 17 of 25 free

Shamrocks hit with 25.

the Redskins with 21 points

Kenneth J. Lee, 27, of 5261

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paid \$15 for failure to maintain

equipment on November 20.

Jackson Rd., Saranac paid \$19

Washington St., Saranac paid

\$12 for no operators license on

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11:15 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m

7:00 p.m.

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for speeding on November 29.

Jerry E. Kimble, 26, 5212 Page Rd., Saranac paid \$15 for disre-

Fouls plagued both teams with Saranac tagged for 21 and the

Reynolds led Saranac in that St. Patrick took a squeaker from Mark Haskins two. For St. department with 15 rebounds the Saranac Redskin JV's Tuesfollowed by Gary Raimer with eight, Lionel Haskins with seven By the end of the first Both teams had 16 goals but and Ben Tower with five. Sara- quarter, St. Pat's led 13-11 and the difference between winning

throws for 68 percent while St. third period but Portland still 16. Portland only hit 6 of 16 but Pat's was 22-28 for 79 percent. held the advantage 34-24. Saranac made an even poorer showing with 4-18.



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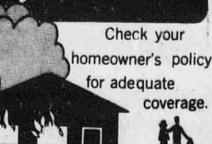
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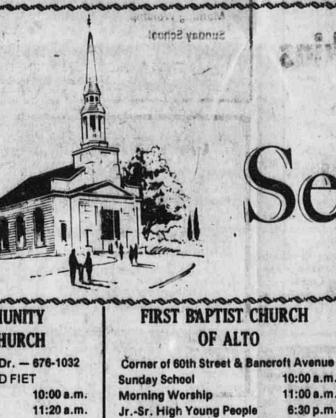
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Msgr. Beahan Honored

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Assistant Hental Health Director Coordinator for Program Development and

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Personnel Director 2 - Personnel Technicians

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Deputy County Treasurer

received copies.)

Commissioner Fuller moved the adopts of the resolution.

conded by Commissioner Schellenberg.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boeroma, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley,
Yeas: Boeroma, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Maxwellen, Maxwel

RESOLUTION BY CONNISSIONER PERLITER

Ehlers, Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kampker, Landheer, Mazurkieri Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach, Chairman - 20.

Nays: Lamoreaux - 1.
The following resolution acknowledging services rendered to
Kent County by Commissioner Carol Landheer was presented: (All have

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PROBATION/FRIEND OF THE COURT

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION AND MAPPING

Purchasing Agent 2 - Assistant Purchasing Agents

Undersheriff
3 - County Police Captains
11 - County Police Lieutenant
Food Service Director - Jail

Property Description Supervisor Assistant Property Description Supervisor

Deputy Prosecutor 3 - Assistant Prosecuting Attorney III's

KENT COMMUNITY HOSPITAL - PSYCHIATRIC

Medical Director Personnel Technician

INTERNAL AUDITING

GARAGE

Roll called.
Present: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley,
Ehiers, Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Wittenbach, Chairman - 21.

Commissioner Root gave the invocation.
Those present united in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
Commissioner Landheer moved the approval of the minutes of the
meeting of November 1, 1978, as written. Seconded by Commissioner A report of the Finance Committee of their meetings of October 31, 1978 through November 28, 1978, was presented: (All have received copies and copies are on file in the Office of the County

Commissioner Boerema moved that the report be received, concurred in, and filed. Seconded by Commissioner Root.
Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth. DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Landheer, Mazurkiewicz,
Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mittenbach, Chairman - 18.

Mays: None. The following resolution regarding authorization for the Chairma to sign an application for State Allocated Funds to the Kent County Sheriff for increased patrol of secondary roads and to instigate traffic-safety programs for reduction of accidents was presented: RESOLUTION BY CONTISSIONERS BOFREMA AND SCHELLENBERG

WHEREAS, Public Act 416 of 1978 appropriated, effective October 1, 1978, 58.7 million for distribution

o Michigan Counties for improved sheriffs' road patrol, WHEREAS, Kent County has been allocated the sum of \$358,710 to be used by the Sheriff to increase patrol of secondary roads and to bring into being other traffic-safety programs that may bring about a reduction of accidents, and
WHENDAS, the Office of Criminal Justice Progress which will administer the program for the Department of Management and Budget, requires that an application be developed jointly between sheriff departments and county board of commissioners as to how the allocated monles are to be used for expanded secondary road patrol, and WHINEAS, the Finance Committee and the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee have met with the

Sheriff and have reached agreement for an application, and WHERAS, the application as prepared proposes to provide thirteen (13) patrolmen and two (2) sergeants with the supportive vehicles, equipment and uniforms for the grant period October 1, 1978 through September 30, 1979 at a cost of \$359,710 to be funded by the State of Michigan, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners authorizes and directs the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners to sign said application on behalf of the County of Kent.

Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Schellenberg.

Sheriff Heffron gave an explanation of the program.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurklewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Wittenbach,

Nays: None.

Nays: None.

The following resolution regarding a Communications Grant for the Sheriff Department, involving a transfer of \$27,565. from the Contingent Account, was presented: (A:I have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT

WHEREAS, the Kent County Sheriff's Department indicates a necessity to purchase certain communications equipment to be used by command officers, detectives and patrolmen in the line MHEROMAS, funding is available through the Office of costs, and budget of \$55,130 of which the State of Michigan would provide \$27,565 and the County of Kant \$27,565, and
WHEREAS, this application has been reviewed by the Finance Committee and it has been deemed to be in the best interests of Kent County to file said application, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners does hereby approve of the filing of said and authorizes the Chairman of the Board of

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the sum of \$27,565 be trans-ferred from the General Fund Contingent Account to the proper special Project Fund after State approval of the grant application econded by Coumissioner Boerema. Lt. Elgersma was present to answer questions.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers, Ensing,
Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurkiewicz,
Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahifield, Mittenbach, Chairman - 20.

Nays: None.
The following resolution regarding changing three Assistant
Prosecuting Attorney III positions from classified to an unclassified
status was presented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER LANDHEER

WHEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee has received a request from the Prosecutor, David Sawyer, requesting that the three attorneys presently classified as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney III's, pay range 37, be unclassified, and

WHEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee, in reviewing the positions presently unclassified recommend that these three positions as of January 1, 1979 become unclassifie WHEREAS, a salary review will be done by the Prosecutor and recommendations by the Personnel Committee will be submitted on these three positions with all other unclassified employees.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney III positions, pay range 37, be unclassified effective 1/1/79. Commissioner Landheer moved the adoption of the resolution Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Hazurklewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach,

Nays: None.
The following resolution regarding Unclassified employees' salaries and fringe benefits for 1979 was presented: (All have

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER FULLER

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee to recommend any changes in the salaries of the unclassified employees of Kent County, and MMEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee has reviewed these salaries and believes the recommendations on the attached list to be equitable, and MHEREAS, the Committee, in reaching a determination on salary compensation, has reviewed several comparable positions with other County jurisdictions and has also reviewed performance other County Jurisdictions and has also reviewed performance
evaluations and salary recommendations submitted by various governing
coards and committees; elected officials and/or department heads, and
MHEREAS, this list affects 139 positions, with a present
payroll of \$3,009,334.00 and represents a \$192,821 increase in
salaries is a 6.4 percent overall increase, and
MHEREAS, the Committee also recommends the granting of the \$2.00 co-payment prescription drug rider and WHEREAS, the total increase in salaries and fringe benefits amounts to 6.77 percent overall increase, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the recommended

salaries for the unclassified employees for the year 1979 be approve effective January 1, 1979, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the \$2.00 co-payment prescription drug rider be granted to unclassified employees effective February 1, 1979. UNCLASSIFIED SALARIES - JANUARY 1, 1979

ELECTED JUDICIAL OFFICIALS January 1, 1979 6 - Circuit Court Judges (State Supplement \$30,850.) 2 - District Court Judges (State Supplement \$27,765.) 4 - Probate Court Judges (State Supplement \$21,765.) \$18,760 \$13,250 \$23,550.

WHEREAS, Commissioner Carol Landheer mill be leaving this Board of Commissioners at the expiration of her present term of office, and whereas commissioner Landheer took office as a Kent County Commissioner representing District No. 19 on January 5, 1977, and served for one term with distinction on the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee, and Director of Aeronautics Assistant Director of Facilities Assistant Director of Operations

WHEREAS. Commissioner Landheer also served her consti tuents and the people of Kent County by appointment to the Community Mental Health Services Board, the Board of Health, the Juvenile Petention Study Committee and the Implementation

concern for the well-being of all people by giving unstituting of her time to the solving of problems, ably recognizing both the practical and emotional aspect of human welfare, particul in the areas of public and mental health,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board of Commissioners acknowledges Commissioner Landheer's contribut to the cause of local government and her devotion to public service, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution be given to Commissioner Landheer as a small token of the estern we have for her.

Commissioner DeRuiter moved the adoption of the resolution. seconded by Commissioner Root. Motion carried unanimously.

The following resolution acknowledging services rendered to ent County by Commissioner Arnold A. Wittenbach was presented: have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER DERUITER

\$19,000

\$40,500 \$31,500 \$23,000 \$24,000 \$26,000 \$21,000 \$21,000 \$19,000 \$18,750 \$17,250 \$16,750 \$18,250

January 1, 1979

\$18,500

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\$25,000

\$30,500

\$29,200

\$27,800

\$30,000

\$21,000

January 1, 1979

\$23,000

\$20,000

January 1, 1979

WHEREAS, Commissioner Arnold A. Wittenbach will be teaving this Board of Commissioners at the expiration of his present term of office, and WHEREAS, Commissioner Wittenbach took office as a Kent County Commissioner representing District No. 3 on January 3, 1973, and served for three consecutive terms with distinction on the Buildings, Parks and Transportation Committee and the Personnet, Safety and Social Services Committee, and WHEREAS, Commissioner Wittenbach also served his constituents and the people of Kent County by appointment to the Area Agency on Aging - Board of Directors, the County-Township Committee, the Fire Commission - Chalman, the Grand Rapids Environs Transportation Study Committee, the Kent County Planning Commission, the Public Works Board, the West Michigan Regional Planning Commission, and the Senior Citizens Demonstration Project Coordinating Commissioner, and the Senior Citizens Demonstration Project Coordinating Commissioner Wittenbach's age, wisdom and wit made him a valuable contributor to the cause of County Government and his companionship made him friend to all, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this Board of Commissioners acknowledges Commissioner Wittenbach's contribu-Commissioners acknowledges Commissioner Wittenbach's contribu-tion to the cause of local government and his devotion to public

service, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution
be given to Commissioner Wittenbach as a small token of the
esteem we have for him. Commissioner DeRuiter moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Buth.

Notion carried unanimously.

The following resolution acknowledging services rendered to Kent County by Commissioner Robert Schellenberg was presented:

(All have received copies.)

WHEREAS, Commissioner Robert Schellenberg will be leaving this Board of Commissioners at the expiration of his present term of office, and

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER DERUITER

WHEREAS, Commissioner Schellenberg took office as a Kent County Commissioner representing District No. 9 on February 2, 1972, and served for three consecutive terms with distinction on the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee, the Buildings, Parks and Transportation Committee and the Legislative, Judicial and Taxation Committee, and the Legislative, Judicial and Taxatton Committee, and WHEREAS, Commissioner Schellenberg also served his constituents and the people of Kent County by appointment to the Aeronautics Board, the Chamber of Commerce Economic Pevelopment Committee, the Kent Industrial Center Association, the Kent County Area Agency on Aging, the Pension Board, the West Michigan Regional Planning Commission and the Kent County Planning

Commission, and WHEREAS, Commissioner Schellenberg particularly brought to County Government his skill, training and experience as a certified public accountant, offering invaluable assistance to the County in matters financial, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board of Commissioners acknowledges Commissioner Schellenberg's contribu-tion to the cause of local government ar! his devotion to public service, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution
be given to Commissioner Schellenberg as a small token of the

Commissioner DeRuiter moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Wahlfield. Motion carried unanimously.
The following resolution acknowledging services rendered t have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER DERUITER

WHEREAS, Commissioner Robert Broersma will be leaving this Board of Commissioners at the expiration of his present term of office, and whereas, Commissioner Broersma took office as a Kent County Commissioner representing District No. 16 on January 2, 1915, and served for Duo consecutive terms with distinction on the Legislative, Judicial and Taxation Committee and the Finance Committee, and WHEREAS, Commissioner Broersma also served his constituents and the people of Kent County by appointment to the Dommittees and the Pown-

tuents and the people of Kent County by appointment to the bometown Riverfront Committee, the Human Serwices Committee, the Juvenile Study Committee, the Kent Industrial Center Association, the Public Works Board, the Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Committee, the Kent Community Action Program, the East Belt-line Association, the Board of Health, the Implementation of P. A. 339 Committee, and the West Michigan Health Systems Agency,

und whereas, Commissioner Broersma's leadership ability was recognized by his appointment as Chairman of the Legislative Judicial and Taxation Committee and his selection as Chairman of the Board of lealth; his wide business experience and financial ment in many facets of its operation,
MOW. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board of Commissioners acknowledges Commissioner Broersma's contribut to the cause of local government and his devotion to public

service, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution
be given to Commissioner Broersma as a small token of the esterm Commissioner DeRuiter moved the adoption of the resolution. onded by Commissioner Ensing.

The following resolution regarding sale of spirits on Sunday when December 31 falls on Sunday was presented: (All have received RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER KEMPKER

WHEREAS, the Kent County Legislative, Judicial and Taxation Committee has been asked to adopt a special resolution authorizing the sale of spirits on Sunday when December 31 falls on Sunday, and
WHEREAS, the authority to adopt such special exceptions resides with the State Legislature, which has in the past made special rules for holidays by statutory the past made special rules for holidays by statu

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby requests that the State Legislature amend Public Act 1933, Ex. Sess., No. 8, December 31 falls on Sunday.

Commissioner Kempker moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Johnson.

Notion failed by the following vote:
Yeas: Broersma, Buth, Davis, Eardley, Fuller, Johnson, Kempker,
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Mahlfield - 10.

Nays: Boersma, DeRuiter, Ehlers, Ensing, Hess, Lamoreaux,
Lamdheer, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mittenbach, Chairman - 11.

The following resolution regarding Revenue Sharing expenditures
was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMPLISSIONER BOERENA

USUPEYAS. This Board of Commissioners has her tofore adopted a revenue sharing plan for the years 1972 through 1978, and through 1978, and accordance with said plan, all expenditures must first be approved by this Board of Commissioners, and mere, and WHEREAS, There is attached hereto marked

Exhibit A and made a part hereof, the requests for expenditures to be authorized at this December meeting of the Kent County Board of Commissioners, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Controller take such action as may be necessary to properly minute these expenditures for the United EXHIBIT A

11-28-78 Office Furniture

Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Eardley.

Seconded by Commissioner Eardley.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Boeroma, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempher, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittembach,
Chairman - 21.

Nave: None.

The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$400,000. from the Contingent Account to the Public Improvement Fund and an amendment to the 1979 Kent County Budget for the purpose of meeting the space needs caused by the addition of the Sixth Circuit Court was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EHLERS

WHEREAS, the Kent County Finance Committee instructed the Controller's Office to review Kent County's 1978 and 1979 Budgets to determine how the County might appropriate to the Public Improvement Fund an additional \$400,000 to be earmarked for the purpose of meeting the space needs caused by the addition of the Sixth Circuit Court; and whereas, the Controller's Office has studied the 1978 General Fund revenues and expenditures and re-evaluated the 1979 Budget and has, as a result of that analysis, proposed the following: the following:
1) a transfer of \$250,000 from the 1978 General
1) a transfer of \$250,000 from the 1978 General

a transfer of \$250,000 from the 1978 General Pund Contingency Account to the Public Improvement Fund: that the 1979 Budget be amended to reflect an additional General Fund revenue of \$150,000 caused by an anticipated increase in the General Fund because of a 1975 Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund surplus which will permit an additional appropriation from the General Fund to the Public Improvement Fund in 1979 of \$150,000;

\$150,000;
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County
Board of Commissioners hereby transfers \$250,000 from the
1978 General Fund Contingency Account to the Public
Improvement Fund and amends the 1979 Kent County Budget
General Fund revenues upwards by \$150,000, thus permitting an additional 1979 appropriation of \$150,000 to the
Public Improvement Fund.

Commissioner Ehlers moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Mahlfield.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kampker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurklewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach,

The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$3,500. from the Contingent Account to the Personnel Department Advertising Account was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EARDLEY

WHEREAS, the filling of various county positions has required that the Personnel Department incur extraordinary expense with respect to advertising during 1978; and WHEREAS, the Personnel Department's 901.000 Advertising Account is presently overdrawn in the amount of \$3,018.36 and the Controller's Office has determined that a transfer of \$3,500.00 for 1978 will be sufficient to cover the current overdraft and allow for any and all necessary advartising for the remainder of 1978;
NOW, THEREFORE, SE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes a transfer of \$3,500.00 from the General Fund Contingency Account to the Personnel Department 901.000 Advertising Account. Commissioner Eardley moved the adoption of the resolution.

Motion carried by the following vote: Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers, Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurk-lewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach, Chairman -

Mays: Mone.

The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$5,400. from the Contingent Fund to Juvenile Court Witness Fees, Equipment Rental and Office Supplies was presented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EARDLEY

WHEREAS, a request has been received from WHEREAS, a request has been received from Juvenile Court for transfers from the General Fund Contingent Account to three accounts totaling \$5,400 for the balance of 1978, and WHEREAS, the Finance Committee has reviewed these requests and recommend their approval.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the sum of \$5,400 be transferred from the General Fund Contingent Account to the Juvenile Court 806.000 -Witness Fees Account - \$2,600; the 942.000 Equipment Rental Account - \$1,300; and the 727.000 - Office Supplies Account - \$1,500.

Commissioner Eardley moved the adoption of the resolution. Commissioner Eardley moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Commissioner Schellenberg.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurkfewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Wittenbach,
Chairman - 21.

Nays: None.

The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$1,400. from a 10 the Contingent Account to the Friend of the Court Finders' Fee Account was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT

WHEREAS, the Friend of the Court Finders Fee Account No. 101-141.00 - 958.006 is presently overdrawn in the amount of \$1,075.92 and the Controller's Office has determined that a transfer of \$1,400.00 from the General Fund Contingency Account will be sufficient to cover the current overdraft and allow for operating for the balanc of 1978; and WHEREAS, the Finders Fee Account is used to refund the incentive money the County receives from the State for collecting support payments on ADC cases; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes a transfer of \$1,400.00 from the County General Fund Contingency Account to the Priend of the Court Finders Pee Account No.

Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Schellenberg.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kampker, Lamoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach,

The following resolution regarding the transfer of \$1,466. from the Contingent Account to various accounts in the 63rd District Court Office was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EARDLEY

WHEREAS, a request has been received from 63rd District Court for a number of transfers from the General Fund Contingent Account totaling \$1,466, and WHEREAS, the transfers have been reviewed and recommended by the Finance Committee to the Board of Commissioners. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that \$1,466.00 be transferred from the General Fund Contingent Account

728,000 - 63rd District Court Printing and Binding - \$600
931.000 - Building Repairs & Maintenance - \$500
934.000 - Office Equipment Repair & Maint. - \$200
811.000 - Memberships & Subscriptions - \$105

District Court Probation 862.000 - Travel-Conventions - \$11 934.000 - Office Equip. Repairs & Maint. - \$50 Commissioner Eardley moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Commissioner Schellenberg.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerems, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lemoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach,
Chairman - 21. Mays: Mone.

The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$107,637. from the Contingent Account to Various Salaries & Mages Accounts for the Unclassified Salary increases was presented: (All have received

METEREAS, the action by the Board of Commissioners established unclassified salaries for 1979, and
MESCHARS, of the total increase granted of \$192,821,
the sum of \$107,637 are for General Fund Departments, and
MESCHARS, the Finance Committee recommends a 1979
budget adjustment for the various departments to their Salaries and Mages accounts, ... BE IT RESOLVED that the 1979 Budget NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 1979 Budget be amended by transferring \$107,637 from the General Fund Cont gent Account to the 703,000 Salaries and Mages Account of the

RESCLUTION BY CONSISSIONER POOT

Register of Deeds 63rd District Court Garage Internal Auditing Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Schellenberg.
Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers, Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Wittenbach, Chairman - 21. The following resolution regarding establishment of a reserve of \$700,000. In the General Fund for State Institutional Costs was

resented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT

WHEREAS, the County of Kent is responsible for payment of ten percent of the cost of housing Kent County residents in State Mental Institutions; and WHEREAS, the last payment made to the State of Michigan for State institutional costs was for the month of February, 1977; and WHEREAS, in April of 1978, Kent County established a reserve in the amount of \$600.000 within the county of the county reserve in the amount of \$600,000 within the General Functo provide for the accrued liability for the year 1977; whereas, it is felt that appropriate recognition should also be given to the accrued liability for the year 1978, which is estimated to be \$700,000;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a reserve for State Institutions of \$700,000 be established within the BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the funds in this reserve be transferred to the State Institutions activity as needed to make these payments.

Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Boerema.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, "Iler, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Kahlfield, Mittenbach,

Chairman - 21.
Nays: None.
The following resolution regarding continuation of a contract with Catholic Social Services, Berghuis House, in connection with Juvenile Court was presented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT

WHEREAS, a request has been received from the Director of Court Services and Kent County Juvenile Court for the continuation of a contract with Berghuis House, and WHEREAS, the contract with Berghuis is for a shelter home operated by Catholic Social Service and provides temporary care for eight boys who would otherwise be in detention, and WHEREAS, the current contract with Catholic Social Services terminates on December 31, 1978, and WHEREAS, the current per diem rate is \$34.94 and it is recommended by the Juvenile Court and Finance Committee that the per diem rate for 1979 be \$35.61. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby approves a contract with Catholic Social Services, Berghuis House, for 1979 at a per diem rate of \$35.61, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Board and the Clerk are hereby authorized an directed to execute the appropriate contract. Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution.

The following resolution regarding a contract with the State of Michigan for a Pine Rest Transportation Grant was presented: (All RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EHLERS

Motion carried unanimously.

WHEREAS, the County of Kent has in the past served as the Administrator of State funds for the transportation project operated by the Pine Rest senior citizens and handicapped, and
WHEREAS, the attached contract covers the
period beginning October 1, 1978 and ending
September 30, 1979 and provides a maximum \$10,000

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Count of Kent does hereby approve the proposed contract submitted by the Department of State Highways and ansportation, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Kent County Board of Commissioners and the Kent County Clerk be authorized and directed to execute Contract No. 78-1678 for and on behalf

Commissioner Ehlers moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Johnson. Motion carried unanimously. The following resolution giving authorization to the Department of Public Morks to enter into an installment contract for the purchase of a new crawler loader was presented: [All have received copies.] RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EHLERS

WHEREAS, the Kent County Department of Public Works is in need of a new crawler loader, the total cost of which, after trade-ins, is estimated to be 594,247.50; WHEREAS, an opportunity exists to purchase this equipment through the use of an Installment Purchase Contract whereby the vendor of the equipment will sell the

on an installment basis, which contract would then be sold to one or more banks at an acceptable rate of inter-est for the Kent County Department of Public Works (a copy of the proposed Installment Purchase Contract is attached hereto, but need not be made a part of the MHEREAS, in order to obtain the lowest possible rate of interest on such Installment Contract, it is necessary for the Kent County Board of Commissioners to pledge its full faith and credit for the payment of the obligations NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, 19 that the Kent

County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Kent County Department of Public Works to enter into an Install ment Contract for the acquisition of the crawler loade and to execute any and all agreements or assignments necessary to accomplish the purchase and financing of that purchase; and 2) that pursuant to the authorizati provided by Act 185 of the Public Acts of 1957, as amended, the Kent County Board of Commissioners does hereby irrevocably pledge the full faith and credit of the County of Kent for the prompt payment of the purchase price and interest on the installment contract.

Commissioner Ehlers moved the adoption of the resolution. Commissioner Wittenbach.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach,
Chairman, 21

Nays: None.
The following resolution regarding continuation of the Cooperative Reimbursement Program for the Prosecutor's Office was presented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT

MMEREAS, in past years, the Kent County Board of Commissioners has participated in a Cooperative Reimburgement Program at the Prosecutor's Office, and MMEREAS, it is deemed to be in the best interests of Kent County, after review by the Finance Committee, to file a continuation application for the Cooperative Reimburgement Program at the Prosecutor's Office for the 1979 year, and Program at the Prosecutor's Office for the 1979 year, and WHIRRAS, the budget would amount to \$34,064 of which \$274,172 would be provided by the State of Michigan and \$56,887 would be provided by Kent County in cash and \$12,005 yould be provided by Kent County in "in-kind" costs, and MHIRRAS, the continuation of the Prosecutor's Program contemplates the filling of two positions, those being an Assistant Prosecuting Attorney and Clerk Steno I, which will become vacant after transferring those personnel to the Friend of the Court's Cooperative Reighbursement Program, NOM, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners to execute said application. Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution. conded by Commissioner Landheer

Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers, insing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma. Wahlfield, Wittenbach, The following resolution regarding continuation of the parative Reimbursement Program in the Friend of the Court Office as presented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT

WHEREAS, the Friend of the Court has been WHEREAS, the Friend of the Court has been operating a Cooperative Reimbursement Progrem funded primarily through the State of Michigan, and WHEREAS, each year, a continuation application is prepared and presented to the Board of Commissioners and the State Department of Social Services, and WHEREAS, the Finance Committee has reviewed the continuation application for the Cooperative Reimbursement Progrem at the Friend of the Court and has deemed it to be in the best interests of Kent County to continue the progrem, and the program, and WHEREAS, the budget would amount to \$246,913 of which \$193,923 would be provided by Kent County in

cash and \$30,500 would be provided by Kent County in "in-kind" costs, and
WHERAS, an Assistant Prosecutor position, a
Clerk Steno I position and a Combier position
would be created by transferring the persons presently
filling these positions in the Prosecutor's Cooperative Reimbursement Program to the Priend of the Court's Cooperative Reimbursement Program, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes th Chairman of the Board of Commissioners to execute said

Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Landheer.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Boerema, βroersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eárdley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurklewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Wittenbach,

Nays: None.
The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$1,199.21 from the Contingest Account to the Sheriff's Overtime Account was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT WHEREAS, the Sheriff has the responsibility for guarding of prisoners who require hospitalization,

whereas, during the period 11/13/78 to 11/26/78, guards were necessary for a prisoner at an acute care guards were necessary for a prisoner at an acute care hospital, and WHEREAS, during this period, 102 hours of overtime were accumulated at a cost of \$1,199.21, and WHEREAS, the Finance Committee has reviewed and recommended a transfer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the sum of \$1,199.21 be transferred from the General Fund Contingent Agoount to the appropriate Shariffic. Contingent Account to the appropriate Sheriff's Department overtime accounts.

Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Buth. Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Wittenbach,
Chairman - 21.

Nays: None.

The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$1,860.50 from the Contingent Account to settle Circuit Court Action No. 78-24793-CK for work performed on the Saddlebag Drain was presented: (All have received copies.) RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER ROOT

WHEREAS, litigation has been commenced concerning work performed on the Saddlebag Drain, in the case styled Katerberg Trenching, Inc. v Jo Haveman, Kent County Drain Commissioner, John Damstra, Kent County Treasurer and Saint Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company; and

WHEREAS, the County has an opportunity to settle the claim, which settlement is in the best interests of the NOW, THEREPORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the settlement of Kent County Circuit Court Action No. 78-24793-CK for \$1,860.50 and hereby authorizes the transfer of that amount from the General Fund Contingency Account to the

Commissioner Root moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner DeRuiter.
Legal Counsel DeWitt explained this is a new resolution prepared in accordance with the Executive Session held last Friday at the Committee of the Whole to discuss the settlement of a pending law suit.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Boerema, Broersma, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers,
Ensing, Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer,
Mazurkiewicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Mahlfield, Mittenbach,
Chairman - 21.

Mass: None

Nays: None.

The following resolution regarding a transfer of \$10,000. from the Contingent Account to various Election Activity A counts in the County Clerk's Office for a recount to be held in the Fifth Congressional District was presented and explained by Commissioner Boerema. (All have RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BOEREMA

WHEREAS, the State of Michigan has notified the County Clerk of Kent County that a recount will be held for the Pifth Congressional District, and WHEREAS, the responsibility to perform this recount and to provide personnel is that of the Board of County Canvassers, and WHEREAS, the County Clerk has informed the Finance Committee that additional dollars are needed to perform this mandate, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee has reviewed
this request and has recommended the transfer from
the General Fund Contingent Account.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the sum of

\$10,000 be transferred from the General Fund Contingent Account to the following accounts within the Elections activity: 702.000 - Salaries - Meeting Compensation -\$300 801.000 - Consultants - \$9,000 861.000 - Travel Regular - \$700

Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Sevensma. of the Laws covering this type of Recount.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Eardley, Ehlers, Ensing.

Fuller, Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Landheer, Mazurkimuicz, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wittenbach, Chairman - 19. Nays: Wahlfield - 1.
The following resolution regarding an Allocation of \$175,000. of Discretionary Funds for Human Services by the Board of Social Services was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER EHLERS

asked the Department of Social Services to study and recom-mend how Kent County should allocate its appropriation of \$175,000 of discretionary funds for Human Services in Kent County for the fiscal year 1979; and
WHEREAS, the Department of Social Services has made
its recommendation in accordance with the list attached NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby allocates its 1979 discre-tionary funds for Human Services in Kent County as indi-cated on the list attached hereto.

1979 KENT COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES DISCRETIONARY FUNDS ALLOCATIONS

Adult Aftercare Program \$ 5,000 Alcohol Outpatient Services \$10,000 Catholic Human Development Office-Friendship Place \$12,000 Ex-Offender Contact Center \$ 7,000 Family Service Association Outreach Program \$ 7,000 Grand Rapids Urban League \$ 8,000 Tenants Union \$10,000 Jellema House Kent Community Action Program \$ 8,000 Kent County Housing Coalition \$ 2,000 Our Hope \$10,000 Pine Rest Christian Rehabilitation Project Rehabilitation, Inc. \$20,000 \$15,000 Salvation Army Salvation Army Detoxification Center \$20,000 \$20,000 Senior Neighbors Voluntary Action Center - RSVP \$ 3,000 Y.W.C.A. Battered Women's Genter

Commissioner Ehlers moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Enters moved the adoption of the resolution.

Further presentations were made, making additional requests, by Mr. Raymond Tardy, Executive Director of the Kent Community

Action Program and Mr. Blair Mooney, President of Senior Heighbors, Inc.

Commissioner Hess moved that the total amount of discretionary funds be increased to \$202,000., an increase of \$27,000. The senior Medical Community Action Resources to the Kent Community Action Resources from allocated as an increase to the Kent Community Action Program from \$8,000. to \$32,000. and an increase to Senior Neighbors, Inc. from \$20,000. to \$32,000., which would bring these two agencies to the same amount they received last year. Seconded by Commissioner Kempker Commissioner Ehlers suggested the Committee on Finance sit down with the Board of Social Services and make an evaluation of our

procedure for the past three years, and for any improvement.

After considerable discussion, Commissioner Hess' motion to amend the appropriation to \$202,000. failed by the following vote:

Yeas: Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Lamoreaux, Mazurkiewicz - 5.

Nays: Boerema, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter Ehlers, Ensing, Fuller, Chairman - 13.

Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Chairman - 13. Landheer, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Chairman - 13.
Commissioner Hess moved to table the original resolution by
Commissioner Boerema. Seconded by Commissioner Kempker.
Motion to table failed by the following vote:

Yeas: Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Mazurkiewicz - 4.
Nays: Boerema, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Ehlers, Ensing, Fuller,
Lamoreaux, Landheer, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield, Commissioner Boerema called for the question. Seconded by

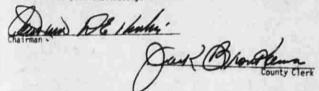
Commissioner DeRuiter. Motion carried with Commissioner Fuller dissenting. he original motion to adopt the resolution as presented carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Boerema, Buth, Davis, DeRuiter, Ehlers, Ensing, Fuller,
Lamoreaux, Landheer, Root, Schellenberg, Sevensma, Wahlfield,

Nays: Hess, Johnson, Kempker, Mazurkiewicz - 4.
Commissioner Buth moved a joint meeting be called of the Committee
on Personnel, Safety and Social Services, the Committee on Finance, and the Board of Social Services, to explore the question of any additional financing this year, plus a review of the procedure for possible change next year. Seconded by Commissioner Ness.

Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Wahlfield suggested all Commissioners be notified of this meeting.

Chairman DeKraker stated all Commissioners will be notified. Commissioner Buth moved to adjourn to Thursday, December 28, 1978 at 9:00 a.m. for a Committee of the Whole Meeting, and Wednesday, January 3, 1979 at 9:00 a.m. for an Official Meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Ensing. Motion carried unanimously.





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during the initial stanza. Cedar Springs battled back to

increased its lead in the final

Arrows Mark First Win

up an eight point lead of 29-21 with nine rebounds was Gary behind the scoring of Ken Wittenbach and Bob Bieri.

A fired-up Red Hawk press and tough defense limited the Red Arrows to only 10 points while scoring 16 themselves in the third quarter. This cut the deficit to only two points going into the decisive fourth quarter.

With nine rebounds was Gary Ellison, while Kempker and Daryl Dumas each grabbed siz. In the scoring department, last week and beat them 36 to 23.

Lowell's Varsity Wrestling Lowell, pinning both of their victims.

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Junior Varsity

The Lowell Junior Varsity opened its season against Union the game, Kerry Kyser, assisted in one.

The Red Arrows played their victims.

Central Just three minutes into the game, Kerry Kyser, assisted opened its season against Union popened its season against Union and wound up in a 30-30 tie.

Jeff Dykhuizen at 98 lbs., Forest Hills' Bill Smit scored in the first goal. He was assisted in one.

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The fourth period saw the Lowell's next game is Friday,



score, the Red Arrows opened Leading the Lowell defense

Mark VanWeelden wrestling at heavyweight put on a great performance by pinning his opponent to tie the final score whole match, but Schrenk won. Schrenk showed excellent moves throughout the duel, and because of this, was named "Wrestlar of the Week".

Jay Rickert at 155 lbs., decided that he needed some practice running the score to 19-2. He convinced the audience that he onvinced the audience that he

Arrows finally prevailed 52-48. After a 12-10 first quarter score, the Red Arrows opened Score, the Re

Ted Kazemier, at 119 lbs., didn't give his opponent a chance, pinning him in a very fast :27 seconds. At 126 lbs., Bill Nagy won 9-3 dominating the whole match.

Jeff Dykhuizen at 98 lbs., Forest Hills Bill Smit scored their first goal. He was assisted by Kirk Wiggerman and Jeff lbs., and Brian Herzog. Kerry Kyser scored three more goals for the period. It was assisted by Steve Ries, score 30-24 in favor of Union.

Mark Var Weelden wrestling check

The best match of the night Mark VanWeelden wrestling sheck.

didn't need it. At 165 lbs., Ken
Stuart had his opponent running
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STATE OF MICHIGAN

CIRCUIT COURT FOR

THE COUNTY OF KENT

1978, an action for divorce was

in the Complaint filed in this

Circuit Court Judge

12-6/1-4-78

JUAN MANUEL VARGAS.

Hockey Team Wins One

Two of Lowell's goals were scored by Bob McGrew, who also assisted in a third. Steve Ries scored one goal and Kerry

Kyser assisted in one. Lowell's eight marks were matched by Hunt's eight for

period. Joe Grummet converted five foul shots and hit two from

sisted by Kerry Kyser scored for the game, Steve Ries, assisted by Greg Janesheck, made the last goal in the game.

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CIRCUIT COURT FOR

THE COUNTY OF KENT

ARLENE ANN UPSON

Plaintiff, SSN 378-36-1816

Freshmen Arrows Take Hawks 54-36

Cedar Springs' Red Hawks invaded Lowell last Friday in a Tri-River match up which was the first home game of the year for the Red Arrows. In a game and eight point lead, the Red Arrows home light point lead, the Red Arrows finally prevailed \$52-48.

Lowell's Red Arrow Freshmen broke open a tight game in the fourth quarter Friday to defeat the Cedar Springs Red at 6:15 p.m. and the Varsity begins at 8 p.m.

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COMMISSION ORDER

under authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929 and

Act 230, P.A. 1925 as amended] STATEWIDE TROUT AND SALMON REGULATIONS

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended, and Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, order that for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979, no person shall take or attempt to take any species of troot or salmon from any of the waters of this state except by hook and line during the open seasons prescribed, and within the minimum size limits and maximum possession

Statewide open seasons on all streams and design trout lakes shall be from the last Saturday in April through eptember 30 (longer on waters designated by the Director salmon. Statewide open seasons on all other inland lakes and the Great Lakes shall be any time for all trout and salmon. Size limits shall be 8 inches on Lower Peninsula streams, 7 inches on Upper Peninsula streams, and 10 inches on lakes. The daily limit for trout and salmon shall be 5 fish singly or in combination but no more than 3 lake

An additional 5 brook or brown trout may be taken from streams from the last Saturday in April through September MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSION ORDER

[under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended REGULATIONS ON TIGER MUSKELLUNGE

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that hybrid muskellunge, commonly known as the "tiger muskellunge", shall be deemed a muskellunge, and it shall be unlawful to take or possess tiger muskellunge governing muskellunge, for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended

LAKE TROUT SPEARING - STATEWIDE BAN

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Sections 1 and 2, Act 230, P.A. 1925, at last amended by Act 82, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no person shall take lake trout by means of a spear or bow and arrow from any of the waters over which this state has jurisdiction for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSION ORDER

(Under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

STURGEON SIZE LIMIT

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14. 1978, under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no sturgeon may be taken or possessed from the waters of this state of a length less than 50 inches for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979.
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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off the mat, and won 11-3.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT. DIGNA FAXAS SSN 584-03-4803

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BFINVENIDO FAXAS

PRESENT: The Honorable Court Judge. On the 8th day of November, filed by the above-named Plainin the Circuit Court for the IT IS HEREBY ORDERED County of Kent for divorce. that you, the Defendant, whose for the County of Kent.

February, 1979.

Failure to comply with this considered sufficient notice.

Failure to comply with this considered sufficient notice.

Order shall result in a Judgment FAILURE to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by Default against you the Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant for relief as set forth in the Complaint and filed in Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this this cause. ROMAN J. SNOW, cause.

DECEASED.

Jastrzepski File No. 133,226

TAKE NOTICE: On January

1, 1979, at 10:00 A.M., in the

the Hon. A. Dale Stoppels,

ski, c/o Robert E. Gersch,

attorney, 100 H Waters Bldg.,

Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503,

claims, filed with the court on or

before February 15, 1979. No-

Circuit Court Judge Examined, Countersigned and Entered by Me: M. A. DIED- Examined, Countersigned and DIEDRICH, Deputy Clerk.

Entered: DOROTHY DE WITT, ATTEST: A TRUE COPY. M. A Deputy Clerk. 11-29/12-20/78 OTHY DE WITT, Deputy Clerk. estate will thereupon be assign-

NOTICE OF HEARING ed to persons appearing o record entitled thereof. State of Michigan, The Pro-Dated: December 11, 1978 Attorney for Petitioner Robert E. Gersch STANLEY JASTREMSKI, 100H Waters Bldg. Grand Rapids, MI 49503 Phone 459-p0153 Jastrzebski, Jastrzembski and

Edward Jastremski, Petitioner by Robert E. Gersch, Atty 100H Waters Bldg. Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Probate Courtroom, Hall of Justice, 333 Monroe Ave. NW, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before JUVENILL DIVISION

Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held in the Juvenile Court in the City of Grand Rapids. Hichigan in the matter of, on the date and time and on petition by of a purported will of the deceased dated October 14, 1961, and for granting of general administration to Edward expensive petitioner shown below alleging that "Said children are Neglected Children within the meaning of the Juvenile Code and asking that all parental rights be terminated."

Jastremski, executor named in said purported will, or some other suitable person, and for a Petitioner: Earnest Davis other suitable person, and for a be notified that all claims

Dated: November 30, 1978

proof thereof, with copies of the -SUBSCRIBE TO THE

ROBERT E. GERSCH Suite 100H Waters Bldg Grand Rapids, MI 49503 ORDER TO ANSWER

The final score was Lowell, 9;

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT DEAN ORIN WULFF, KEVIN MATTHEW WULFF

MARIA ELENA VARGAS,
Defendant.
At a session of said Court held SSN

Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan on this 2nd day of November, 1978.

By Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan on this 2nd day of November, 1978.

By Defendant.

On the 15th day of November, 1978, a Complaint was filed by Grand Rapids, Michigan, on Dean Orin Wulff, plaintiff, against Patricia E. Wulff, defendant, in this court for a Write Court for a Write

1978, an action was filed by the above-named Plaintiff against you the above-named Plaintiff against ed Defendant, in the Circuit filed by the above named Plaintiff against you the above-named Defendant Court for the County of Kent.

1978, an action for divorce was above named Plaintiff against you the above named Plaintiff against you the above named Wuiff, shall answer or take such tiff against you the above named
Defendant, in the Circuit Court
for the County of Kent.

Wuiff, shall answer or take such
other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 31st IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, last known address was Frias, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED day of January, 1979. Failure to that you the Defendant, whose Tanco, GTO Mexico, shall ansthat you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 2607 wer or take such other action as last known address was 1028 Jerome Ave., Bronx, New York, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by 1979. Further that service of law on or before the 8th day of said order of Publication by ted by law on or before the 8th Dated of Order: November 15,

FAILURE to comply with this

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY. ATTEST: A TRUE COPY. DOR- EALRY M. LYONS, Deputy 11/22-12/13

The Kent County Purchasing Department is soliciting bids for the item(s) listed below. Detailed specifications are available at the Purchasing Office Room 227. County Administration Building, 300 Monroe Avenue N. M., Grand Rapids, Nichigan 49503. The bids will be publicly opened in the Purchasing Office at the time designated below The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids as it down to be in its best interests.

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held in the Juvanile 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 the Juvabuke Code and asking that all parantal rights be terminated."

determination of heirs. Creditors of the deceased shall also

Child: Joh Michael Veinbergs
Hearing: Dec. 20, 1978 at 9:00 a.m.

Petitioner: Scott Hanson against the estate must be LEDGER once at least one week propresented said Edward Jastremto the hearing date is ordered.

Child: Carol Vance Hearing: Gac. 19, 1978 at 4:00 p.m. Petitioner: Thomas Brown Child: Katrine, Rhonds and Robert-RcCall Hmering: Dec. 19, 1978 at 4:00 p.m. Patitioner: Thomas Brown

Child: Jatari Edwards Hearing: Dec. 21, 1978 at 11:00 a.m. Petitioner: Maryann Podolak GRAND VALLEY LEDGER

No. 78-26495-AH STATE OF MICHIGAN

PATRICIA E. WULFF.

Circuit Judge Entered by me: DOROTHY De-ATTEST: A TRUE COPY. Jack Bronkema, Clerk. Dorothy De-

Child: Russell, David, Robin and Darcy DeVries Hearing: Dec. 20, 1978 at 9:00 a.m. Petitioner: Charles Audy

Child: Carlos Tervo Hearing: Dec. 28, 1978 at 2:00 p.m. Petitioner: Marilyn Gwinn Publication in the GRAND VALLE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the
County of Kent
ADVENILE DIVISION

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

Child: Henry Edwards Hearing: Dec. 21, 1978 at 4:30 P.M. Petitioner: John Apol Child: Marvin Harn Hearing: Dec. 27, 1978 et 10:00 A.M. Peth-ioner: Christian Shellay, Philip Ch.mier and Arthur Birdsley Child: Archie R. Robinson Hearing: Dec. 27, 1978 at 2:00 P.M. Petitioner: John Murray Child: Steven and Douglas Fasburg Hearing: Dec. 28, 1978 at 11:00 A.H. Petitioner: Barbara Fodres and

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COMMISSION ORDER

[under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended]

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Woodland	Livingston
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To The Residents Of The City Of Lowell And

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, ordered that all spearing be prohibited throughout 1979 on the following waters except Chicagon Lake and the Center Chain of Lakes where spearing is

AMERICAN STREET, STREE	County
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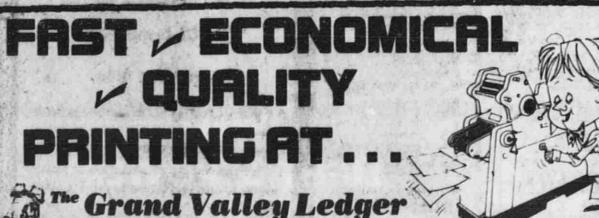
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A big thank you goes out to V.F.W., American Legion, Campfire Girls, Moose Clowns, Lowell and Alto Firemen, Jr. and Sr. High bands, Student Council, Cheerleaders, Pom Pon Girls, Pfaller family, Snowmobile Club, Kleinjan family, Gil and Jean Wise, and, of course, Santa Claus for making our annual Christmas parade such a

> Dolores Dey, Chairman Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce

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