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August 11, 1982

Lowell High School class registration begin next week

During the week of August 16, Lowell Senior High School students will be scheduling classes. The 10th, 11th, and 12th grade students are asked to come to arrange their schedules in a college type registration.

Ninth grade students will have schedules arranged from their course selections and ready to be picked up in the high school cafeteria as soon as they arrive at school for classes on August 30.

Students new to Lowell Senior High School should come to the Student Service Center of the high school to enroll during the week of August 9, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. New students should be accompanied by their parent or legal guardian.

Upperclassmen should come to the school to schedule classes at the times listed below. For those sophomores, juniors, and seniors who do not come to register, a schedule will be worked out for the classes he/she had selected in the spring.

REGISTRATION FOR CLASS SCHEDULES:

(Please enter the high school at the back (GYM) entrance to register) **TUESDAY, AUGUST 17** CLASS OF '83 Seniors with last name

beginning: S-Z 9:00 a.m -I-R 10:00 a.m. A-H 11:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18 CLASS OF '84 Juniors with last name beginning: S-Z 9:00 a.m.

I-R 10:00 a.m. A-H 11:00 a.m. THURSDAY, AUGUST 19 CLASS OF '85 Sophomores with

name beginning: S-Z 9:00 a.m. I-R 10:00 a.m.

A-H 11:00 a.m.

If you have any questions regarding enrollment and/or registration for classes, please call the high school at 897-9202.

-H Fair is underway

The 1982 Kent County Youth Fair will end with something new this year.

The Kent County 4-H Agricultural Association is sponsoring a demoliton derby on August 14 at 8:00 p.m. at the Lowell 4-H Fairgrounds.

The gate fee will cost \$3 and spectators will see four action-packed preliminary heats with cash prizes awarded to the last two cars in each heat. The eight preliminary heat winners will compete for the \$100 cash prize in the final heat.

The pit will open for entries at 4:00 p.m., and the first 50 entries will be accepted. The entrants must be over 17 and the cost is \$5. For more information, call 774-3265.

YOUTH FAIR PROGRAM JUDGING 0F AND ACTIVITIES

The 1982 Kent County Youth Fair Program of Judging and Activities is as follows:

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11

9:00 a.m. - Judging of Swine, Poultry and Horse Halter and Showmanship. 2:00 p.m. - Judging of

Beef Breeding Classes. 5:00 - 10:00 p.m. -- Ice

Cream Social sponsored by Kent 4-H Service Club.

7:00 p.m. - Livestock Sale at Reath Building.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12 9:00 a.m. - Dairy Show-

manship. Horsemanship,

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13 9:00 a.m. - Novice Day -Horse Exhibitors.

9:30 a.m. - Goat Cart Competition.

10:30 a.m. - Showmanship Sweepstakes.

2:30 p.m. - Tractor Driving Contest.

Cream Social.

7:00 - 11:00 p.m. - Service Club Dance.

7:00 p.m. - Lightweight Draft Horse Pulling Contest. SATURDAY, AUGUST 14

8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. -Release of Exhibits (All exhibits must be picked up during this time.)

8:00 p.m. - Demolition Derby (Gate fee will be charged.)

McDonagh Amusements will present rides and games all week!!!

Fair Board Members include E.L. Phelps, president, Bud Fairbrother, vice president; Marvin Bunn, treasurer; and Carol Meyer, secretary. Other members are Russ Barkow, Tom Briggs, Alan Adsmond, Keith Caldwell, Gene LaBelle, Jim Newman, Larry McDonough and Leon Snyder.

Junior Fair Board Directors are Greg Gryka, Janice Meyer, Tim Scott, Chuck Skinner, Todd Zandbergen and Steve Adsmond.





CROSS COUNTRY PRACTICE BEGINS

Lowell High School's cross country team will hold its first practice on Monday. August 16, rain or shine. Interested students should report to the K-Quad of the High School at 9:00 a.m.

OOPS!

A couple of businesses were overlooked in our "Along Main Street" item which mentioned those that would be participating in last week's sidewalk sale. A "SORRY!" and a promise to include you next year goes out to Dave Clark Plumbing and Heating and That "Special" Place. Perhaps if the editor would stay at his desk instead of taking a vacation. such mistakes might not happen. On the other hand, that's no guarantee either.

NEW BRIDGE VERY NEAR OPENING

Lowell's new bridge over the Grand River at Division Street is in the final stages of completion. A crew that is to set the guard railings on the bridge approaches is slated to begin work today. Other than that the bridge is virtually complete and should be open to traffic sometime next week. A formal ribbon cutting ceremony will be scheduled by Kent County and Lowell officials. Several people have asked city hall about the cuts in the new pavement on the bridge. City Manager Ray Quada says that they are part of the bridge design to allow for expansion and contraction and are NOT a flaw in construction.

5:00 p.m. - Parade of Horse Clubs - Horse Arena. 5:00 - 10:00 p.m. - Ice

WHAT, NO ELECTION RESULTS?

The necessity of meeting our deadline at our printer made it impossible for us to stall this issue long enough to include the election results of the August 10 primary. We will however include the results in next week's paper paying particular attention to candidates and offices in the Lowell area.

OFF THE BLOTTER

An injury accident occurred in the 2300 block of Segwun on the 2nd at 2:30 p.m. Rescue was called out to assist.

William Hansen was injured Thursday afternoon at Main and Hudson when he collided with a car driven by Michael Miller when Miller failed to stop for the traffic light.

Lowell police are investigating the theft of a pick-up truck last Wednesday afternoon. The truck was found Thursday afternoon on a road south of town.

PRECISION & FASHION HAIRSTYLING - For both men and women. Man's World Hairstyling. Phone 897-8102.

TAXI SERVICE J&K SHUTTLING, TAXI & DELIVERY, 7 A.M. -P.M. MON-SAT. PHONE 897-8638.

Pleasure and Speed Judging 10:00 a.m. - Judging of Dairy Goats.

11:30 a.m. - Judging of Dairy Type Classes.

2:30 p.m. · Pet Parade any pet may be entered by any youngster ages 2-13 years (No 4-H Fair project can be shown in the parade.) 3:30 p.m. - Clowning Project Performances and Evaluation Foreman Building. 5:00 - 10:00 p.m. - Ice

Cream Social.

7:00 p.m. - Contesting Horse Arena.

7:30 p.m. - Grandstand -Livestock Parade. Presentation of 1982 Fair Queen and Court Games and contests for youngsters.

Appointments not always needed at Vanity Hair Fashions, open 5 days Lowell, 897-7506.

ROSIES - French toast 95c. 2 chili dogs, \$1.20.

The rooster's crow at the break of dawn marks another busy day for 4-Hers at the Kent County 4-H Fair. These photos were all taken early Tuesday morning.

Houseman attending West Point



Christopher Houseman

Christopher E. Houseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Houseman of A-3733 64th St., Saugatuck, grandson of Clayton and Marion Houseman, has received an offer of admission to the United States Corps of Cadets at West Point

He graduated June 10 from Saugatuck High School and reported to West Point on July 1 to start basic training. Classes start September 1. He is believed to be the first student from SHS to be admitted to West Point.

Houseman will receive the equivalent of a full undergraduate scholarship including room and board, medical and dental care, and monthly pay. Upon graduation from he will be commissioned in the Regular Army. During the first year at

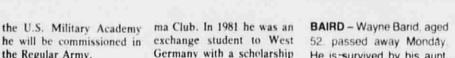
West Point, cadets live under with a West German family. the Fourth Class System. He enjoyed the experience so which is a rigorous program much that his parents deciof customs, activities and ded to share the hospitality training designed to help the and invited Chris's German cadet develop some of the discipline, toughness and brother Mike, back to the states, where he attended self-reliance required of a Chris's high school for a leader. year. Mike is loved by all

Houseman is a member of the National Honor Society. While in high school he took classes at Hope College in physics, computer science and expository writing. He was a finalist in the Michigan Board of Education Congressional Youth Scholarship competition and placed in the top 10 out of 360 applicants.

He played football for four for years, tennis for two and track for one year and in 1978 won the President's Physical Fitness award with the highest score in the school.

In band, he has been a percussionist for four years. section leader for three years, and student director and assistant drum major for two years. He received the John Phillip Sousa award for 1980-81

He has been a class president and student body vicepresident, was on the high school Quiz Bowl team two years, was Pep Band director and participated in the Dra-



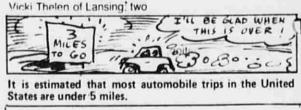
He is-survived by his aunt, Mrs. James (Hazel) Baird of Chris spent two months Lowell, Funeral Services will be held Wednesday 11 A.M. Visitation 10 A.M. Wednesday until time of service.

Obituaries

BARNHART - Flosie Barnhart, aged 85, passed away at Lowell Medical Care Center, July 31, 1982. She is survived by a niece. Queen Burkhammer of Florida. Serives were held at Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell.

CONNER - Hugo Conner aged 69, of Belding, passed away August 3, 1982 Mr. Conner was a retired Machinist at C & O Railroad He is survived by his children, Mrs. Jerry (Marna) Richardson of Sparta, Mrs. David (Sharon) Johnson of Portland, Oregon, Dennis Conner of Rockford, and Allen Conner of Lowell; seven grandchildren, and several brothers and sistersin-law. Funeral Services Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell, with Rev. Elton Mills officiat-

PRICE - Gerald C. Price. aged 67, of Hastings, passed away Thursday, August 5. Surviving are his wife, Lucille: two sons. Steven and Thomas both of Lake Odessa: three step duaghters, Mrs Darlene Everett of Woodland, Mrs. Connie May of Freeport, Mrs.



Mrs. Peter (Nev

Middleville: five

Smelker, Mrs Paul (Hele

Berkey of Hastings; two

brothers. Kenneth of Alto.

grandchildren, nine step

grandchildren. Funeral ser-

vices were held Monday at

the funeral chapel. Intermen

Woodland Memorial Park.

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THURS., AUGUST 12: AUGUST 16-27: Special SURVIVORS OF SUICIDE. Last Session Swim Classes a regional support group for 1 p.m. Spring board Diving suicide, will meet at Park Lowell YMCA. Congregational Church, 10 E. Park Place, N.E. in Grand WED., AUGUST 18: Past trance); and on Thurs., Augus. 26th at Christ Community Church, 225 E. Exchange, Spring Lake. Both

For more information, call the South Kent Mental Health, 774-3780; or the Ad- WED., AUGUST 18: Lowell visory Center for Teens, 458-7434

SAT., AUGUST 14: Lowell Youth Football Sign Up. From 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. at the Roller Skating Rink. Boys Ages 8 to 13 as of Sept. 1, 1982 who weigh 145 or less

SAT., AUGUST 14: The annual Fallasburg School reunion will be held Saturday, August 14, at Fallasburg Park. in Section A-2 from 10 until 3 o'clock. Dinner at noon. Bring a dish to pass, your own drink, and table service. All former students, teachers and parents are invited.

SUN., AUGUST 15: Friends of John and Irma Pasanen are invited to an open house at Masonic Temple from 1-3 P.M. to help them celebrate their 50th wedding anniv. Given by their children and grandchildren. No gifts please

SUN., AUGUST 15: Two in one concert featuring vocalist Lynnelle Pierce and the musical group The Counselors at 8:15 P.M., outdoors at the Lowell Amphitheatre by the Showboat on M21: Free will offering. Sponsored by Lowell Calvary Church.

AUGUST 16-25: Lowell YMCA Swim Session V: 12:00 noon Water Babies 12:30 p.m. Tadpole; 2:00 p.m. Local Swim Lessons. Month of August Opening swimming at King Memorial Pool- Monday/Wednesday Friday 3:00 - 8:00 P.M. Tuesday/Thursday 3:00 6:00 P.M.; Saturday Sunday 1:00 - 3:00 P.M.; Adult and Family Swims Tuesday Thursday 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. and Saturday Sunday 3:00 5:00 P.M. Sunday August 29 - King

Memorial 1982 Pool Closing Celebration. Free YMCA Open Swim 1:00 - 6:00 P.M.





tial campaign.

from Amway Corp.

who know him.

for another student.

Amway's Youth for Under-

standing sponsorship of

Chris inspired an opportunity

Cross volunteer, helping set

up a community blood bank.

was a trail guide for Commu-

Houseman has been a Red

Alexander the Great made his soldiers keep clean- erv shaven so the enemy couldn't grab them by their beards

nity Education, a volunteer Project Lakewell and Science for Citizens, was president of the Congregational youth group, and participated in the 1980 Presiden-

were Saturday at the Rothing. Interment Alton Cemet-



Coming Events

relatives and friends of and 2 p.m. Syncronized someone who committed Swimming. Register at the

Rapids (use Ransom St. En- Matrons of Cyclamen Chapter 94 OES will have a family potluck supper at the cottage of Orville and Bertha Jessup. Swimming at 3 p.m. Supper meetings are at 7:30 - 9:00 6:30 p.m. Bring a dish to pass, own table service, and husband

> Garden Lore Club will meet at Fallasburg Park Pavillion AT 12:30 Hostess Del

Driftmever and Delores Laux. Bring own table service and beverage and a dish M.D.A. down stairs in the to pass. Also articles for white elephant sale.

AUGUST 21: The Lowell Class of 1977's 5 year Reunion. More details to follow.

SAT., AUGUST 21: The De-Witt memorial Association announces the 36th Annual DeWitt ox roast to be held on the Streets of DeWitt, Michigan. Festivities to start at 10 A.M. with a parade and continuing till 11 P.M. Fun, food, rides and entertainment all day. Proceeds are used to support the DeWitt Memorial building.

SAT., AUGUST 21: Lowell Moose Lodge, serving from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m.

AUGUST - SEPTEMBER: Lowell Church of the Nazarene invites you to Singsperation! Singsperation is a special service which takes place the last Sunday in every month at 6:00 P.M. It's a time of fun and fellowship where different people are preselected to bring you an evening of worship in SONG

SEPTEMBER .11: from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Honey Creek Christian Homes. 11652 Grand River Ave., Lowell will present the annual country Fair. Musical programs, auction at noon, food, family activities and entertainment.

SAT., SEPTEMBER 11: Alto Fall Festival, Watch for special events.

SEPTEMBER 19: The Low-Moose Benefit Breakfast for ell Graduating Class of 1937 will have class reunion at the Cross Bow Restaurant at Bostwick Lake. Social hour 1 to 2. Dinner following. Reservations no later than September 5. For more information and reservations, call 897-9748 or 897-7783.

> OCTOBER 4, 5, and 7: The Ionia County Chapter of the American Red Cross will hold a basic life support course in Cardio pulmonary resuscitation from 6:30 to

9:30 p.m. at the Saranac High School. There will be a \$5.00 charge to cover cost of materials. To register call 897-9679.

OCTOBER 4 and 5: The Ionia County Chapter of the American Red Cross will hold a review course in CPR basic life support from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Saranac High School. There will be a \$5.00 charge to cover cost of materials. You must have a valid CPR certificate to enroll. Call 897-9679.



Lace, as we know it, developed in Italy in the 1400s It grew out of open or cutwork in embroidery. It was a mark of prosperity.

It's Bright

to

_onserve

The speed of a Peregrine falcon when swooping on its prey is 180 miles per hour.

There are little things you can do

around the house to make your

lighting system more efficient. In

lamps with two or more sockets

for incandescent light bulbs, con-

sider using one large watt bulb

rather than several small watt

buibs. Large watt bulbs are usually

more efficient and produce more

lumens than smaller watt bulbs.

Turn lights off when you leave a

room, even if you know you'll be

returning in a few seconds; it is

more energy efficient to turn a light

on and off several times than to

leave it burning. Install fluorescent

lights wherever possible - you get

five times as much light for the

same amount of energy. Replace

light switches with solid state dimmer switches that are energy

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efficient.

YMCA ADULT SOFTBALL LEAGE Standings Thru August 6, 1982						
WOMEN'S LEAGUE:						
81	Pep-ers	11-1				
2 3	Durkee Linton - Legion	9-2				
	Blough Builders	9-3				
4	State Savings Bank	7-5				
5	Showboat Auto	7-4				
6	Timpson Orchards	6-6				
7	Larkins Saloon	6-6				
8	Mr. Bills	4-8				
9	Cherry Creek	1-11				
10	Roth Rental	0-12				
MENS	S LEAGUE: RED DIVISION					
1	Larkins Saloon II,	10-2				
2	Curtis-Cleaners	10-2				
2 3	Art's TV	7-5				
4	Methodist Men	7-5				
5	Village Party Shoppe	6-6				
6	Twelve Packs	6-6				
7	Parnell Saints	1-11				
8	8 Christoff & Sons					
	WHITE DIVISION					
1	Lowell Engineering	12-0				
2	Lowell V.F.W.	8-4				
2 3 4 5 6	Alto Bandits	6-6				
4	Mr. Bill's II	4-8				
5	Mr. Bill's I	4-8				
6	Dave Clark Plumbing	2-10				
	BLUE DIVISION					
1	Warriors	10-2				
2	JRB	8-4				
2 3 4 5 6	Gary's Country Meats	8-4				
4	Riverside Fireplace	7-5				
5	Wernet Distributors	6-6				
6	Gators	5-7				
7	Harold Zeigler Ford	3-9				
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Moose 809	1-11				
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Kleinjan accepted

at Oakland

University

Oakland University has had a significant increase in applications this year from students throughout Michigan. The decision to enroll at the university was made by over 1200 of Michigan's finest high school graduates. Brenda J. Kleinjan, 10366 36th Street, Lowell, has been

accepted at Oakland University for the fall semester. Kleinjan is a graduate of Lowell High School.

> SEND THE LEDGER TO COLLEGE!

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THIS WEEKS SPECIAL

3-Piece Suits



by Pauline E. Spray

'Well, Mother, I'm not a child anymore!" one of my teenagers said with exasperation.

ever being told what do do? 'You'll have to do more When it is mealtime does she than talk about it to make me set the table without being believe it," I said, as I wiped reminded that it is her task? across her bedroom dresser Does she make her bed in the and watched the dust curl. A morning? Care for her few minutes before I had ordered: "Now clean your clothes? Do a thorough job of her assigned tasks? Or, does room right." By that I she give half-hearted sermeant: Put away the several vice? Does she work cheerpairs of shoes lying about; dust the furniture and floor; shake the rug. Later, when I inspected her room, I knew (by the dust curls) she had

fully without constant complaining? What about us, Christians? Are we making progress spiritually? How manot followed my instructions. ture are we? Are our There are certain criteria a thoughts and words filled with complaints? Faultfind-

ings? Ungratefulness? Or. do we serve God with glad and willing hearts? Are we going deeper with God? Are we climbing in the School of Wisdom? Are we "growing

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mother uses in judging whe-

ther her child is growing up. Does she accept responsibil-

ity willingly - without for-

Prayer: Dear God, it is my desire to learn more about Thee and Thy way. Help me to "grow in grace" daily, to "to grow up" into Thy likeness, to forsake all child-

yourself a poor worm of the grees. (This personal lack dust, or someone will put you has caused me not a little on his fishhook," I heard discomfort in times past, but, someone say. since both of our daughters

RX For Happiness

A lack of education may

cause one to feel inferior to

those holding academic de-

have become college grad-

uates, I derive great comfort

and pleasure from the fact

that they still ask "Mama's"

Let us remember that the

libraries offer a free educa-

tion to all who will avail

themselves of their services

Furthermore, we learn

through living, and exper-

ience is still the best teacher

ure in later years. Sometimes

parents pass on their own

inferiorities to their off-

spring. Also, parents often

fail to express affection,

causing their children to feel

insecure, unloved, and un-

wanted. Then, too, feelings

from the suggestions and

advice at times.)

of all.

Many people ruin their chances for a happy life by continually "putting down' themselves. A proper sense of self-esteem is essential for enjoyable and productive liv-

HAPPINESS IS

SELF-ESTEEM

Don't go around calling

lack of self-esteem makes one feel one never quite measures up, never does quite enough, is not as qualified or worthy as the next fellow

Physical defects cause many to suffer a lack of confidence. Nevertheless, some of the most interesting and charming persons are those who have triumphed over imperfections. One of the best read individuals I know has such poor eyesight that she was educated in a school for the blind. One of the happiest and best adjusted children I hve known was of inadequacy may come one of the homeliest.

Autumn Years

Fear of disease, senility, and death gives rise to many while older persons are more tensions among older people. While some escape disease, most escape senility, all must die -- in God's own time and

Much unnecessary fear regarding disease can be reieved by making regular visits to the doctor, using good common sense, and taking wise precautions healthwise. Furthermore, it

prone to chronic diseases. they are less susceptible to acute illnesses. (Also, many aches and pains diseappear with a change of thought. time or even patient medicine.) And, it should be stressed that hospitals are to be used by older people only for the same reasons they are used by the young. Much fear is wasted ener-

is consoling to know that

impatience of both parents and teachers.

The first step in overcoming many of our difficulties is an understanding why we feel or react as we do. When we have acquired an adequate insight into a problem. we are well 'on our way toward resolving it.

To be happy we need also to look at our pluses frankly and honestly

This article is an excerpt from the author's book. Rx for Happiness, published by Beacon Hill Press of Kansas City, 1978. Price: \$2.50.

Fitzpatrick enters Authorities believe feel ings of inferiority begin early Olivet College in life, although they may be aggravated by repeated fail-

Jamey Fitzpatrick has been admitted to Olivet College for the fall of 1982. Jamey is a graduate of Lowell High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Fitzpatrick of 8281 5 Mile N.E., Ada. Mr. Fitzpatrick plans to study business administration/communications at Olivet College.

gy. A person may go through life fearing cancer so much, his existence is a misery. And that same person may die in an automobile accident. Only God knows what lies ahead for each of us. We can only keep close to Him, trusting Him to take care of the future. Francis de Sales wrote:

"Do not look forward to the changes and chances of life in fear; rather look to them with full hope that, as they arise. God, whose you are, will deliver you out of them. He has kept you hitherto-and He will lead you safely through all things; and when you cannot stand it, He will bear you in His arms. Do not look forward to what may happen tomorrow; the same everlasting Father who cares for you today, will take care of you tomorrow, and every day. Either He will shield you from suffering, or He will give you unfailing strength to bear it. Be at peace then, and put aside all anxious thoughts and

If disease comes, cling to God's word for support. Paul, too, was acquainted with affliction, but he wrote: 'For which cause we faint not; but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day. For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory; while we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal" (2 Cor. 4:16-19). The Autumn Years, pubished by Beacon Hill Press of Kansas City. Price: \$2.95.

YMCA swim meet ribbons awarded

The Lowell YMCA Four- Jones, 17.28; Boys 14 year 25, Robbie Kenney 33.93, enth Annual City Swim Meet was held on Saturday. July 31 at King Memorial Pool. Some 50 youth participated in this year's meet. Over 100 ribbons were awarded from the score table by Jim Hodges, YMCA Executive Director, and Nancy Knetechel, YMCA program Director

"Participation at this ear's meet was great, with a de range of competition from 6-14 years of age. There was especially strong and serious competition in the 10 and under boys' division and 12 and under girls' division. Two strong relay teams in both those divisions made for very supportive of all the swimmers and especially enouraged the six and eight ar olds to keep stroking, according to the Pool and Meet Director, Bobbie White. "I would also like to thank our timers, Nancy DeLoof, Jim Pittman, Shelia Pattrick, and Andy Roxe-

Refreshments were organized by Jim White and Klass Kwant. The entire meet would not have finished under 21/2 hours without he excellent job done by our startee, John Kwant."

Following are the First Place results of the 1982 city meet: Girls 12 and under, Individual Medley, Samantha Maybie 1.52.09; Boys 14 & under, Individual Medley, Andre Vera 1.34.09; Boys 9 & 10, 100 Medley Relay, Jason White, Chris Tower, aron Corcoran, and Matt Fulkerson, 2.10. Girls 6 and under. Free Style, Lindsay DenBore 41.16; Boys 6 & under, Free Style, Ryan White 31.08: Girls 7 & 8 Free Style. Stacy Tousignaut 30.09; Boys 7 & 8 year old. Chris Elzinga 30.69; Girls 9 & 10 year old, Free Style, Wendy Bobo, 28.59; Boys 9 & 10 year old Free Style, dam Vera 22.93; Girls 10 & 11 year old, Free Style, Michelle Tousignaut 18.39; Boys 9 year old, Free Style Mike Jones 23.72; Girls 12 and Matt Fulkerson 1.54.50; year old, Free Style Chris

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WHITNEYVILLE CHURCH **MISSIONARY CHURCH** ATTEND 10501 Settlewood Ph 897-7185 OF JESUS CHRIST Sunday School 10:00 A.M UNDENOMINATIONAL Worship Service 11.00 A M 4935 Whitneyville Rd. Ada 49301 6 00 P M Evening Service Prayer and Bible Study Sunday Morn. Worship Service 10:00 a.m. 7:30 P.M. Wednesdays Sunday School 11 00 a.m SERVICES GLENN H. MARKS Sunday Evening Service 6.00 p m Foreman Road Wed Evening Prayer Service 7:30 p m Challenger's Youth Group, Wed 7.30 p.m. 897-9110 PASTOR JAMES GROENDYK **GALILEE BAPTIST CHURCH** ADA COMMUNITY FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SARANAC **REFORMED CHURCH** OF ALTO **ADA CHRISTIAN** Corner of Orchard & Pleasant 7227 Thornapple River Dr. - 676-1032 Corner of 60th Street & Bancroft Avenue **REFORMED CHURCH** Sunday School 10:00 A M Pastor Jerry L Johnson Sunday School 10 00 A M Morning Worship 11:00 A M 7152 Bradheid St., S.E. - 676-1698 Morning Worship 10 00 A M Morning Worship 11.00 A.M. Sunday School **Evening Worship** 7:00 P M imaginations." 11 20 A M REV ANGUS M Maci FOD Jr -Sr. High Young People 6 30 P.M. Young Peoples Afterglow 8 30 P M Evening Worship Morning Worship 9:30 A M 6:00 P.M **Evening Worship** 7 00 P M Wed Family Night 6 30-8 30 P M WE INVITE YOU TO MAKE THIS Sunday School 11:00 A M Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 P M REV JAMES FRANK Evening Worship COMMUNITY CHURCH YOUR REV. GEORGE L. COON 6:00 P M 642-9174 - 642-9274 CHURCH HOME WELCOME TO ALL Telephone 868-6403 or 868-6912 Nursery & Children's Churche **FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH** CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE **CALVARY CHRISTIAN BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH OF LOWELL** OF LOWELL REFORMED CHURCH 3900 East Fulton 201 North Washington Suee 2275 West Main Street OF LOWELL REV. WILLIAM F. HURT REV RAYMOND E BEFUS Sunday School 945 A M 1151 West Main Street - 897-8841 Church School 10 00 A M Morning Worship 11:00 A M Moring Worship 9 50 A M (Broadcast 10 A M WMAX 1470) **REV RICHARD VANDEKIEFT** Morning Worship 11 00 A M Jr High Youth Group 5 30 P M Worship Service **Evening Service** 6:00 P M Evening Service 7 00 P M Sunday School 10 A M & 6 P M 11 15 A M Evening Service 6:00 P M Sunday School 11 15 A M Wednesday Mid-Week Service Sr. High Youth Group 8 15 P M 7 00 P M Supervised Nursery During All Services Jr., Teens, Adults Wednesday Family Hour 7:30 P.M Vednesday Service 7.30 P M Nursery - Come & Worship With Us DR. DARRELL WILSON - 897-5300 REORGANIZED CHURCH FIRST CONGREGATIONAL FIRST UNITED METHODIST GOOD SHEPHERD OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER CHURCH OF LOWELL CHURCH OF LOWELL LUTHERAN CHURCH DAY SAINTS (Member United Church of Christ) 621 E Main 51 897-5936 2287 Segwun, S.E. 8446 - 68th St . S E Alto, M North Hudson at Spring St . Lowell Morning Worship 8:30 A.M. 9:45 A.M. Lowell, Michigan HIGH PRIEST DIRK VENEMA 897-9309 Church School 9.45 A M Service 9.00 A M 868-6292 DR RICHARD GREENWOOD Sunday School 10.15 A.M. Church School 945 A M 10:00 A M Morning Worship SEPH FREMER PASTOR Worship Service 11 00 A M Church School 10 00 A M REV. WILLIAM AMUNDSEN, MINISTER Ron Moykkynen, Elder 897-9551 Midweek Prayer Service 7.30 P.M (Cribbery & Nursery Provided) 8 30 A.M. 9 45 A.M. Nursery **Evening Worship Service** 7 00 P M VERGENNES UNITED ST. MARY'S TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH SARANAC COMMUNITY CHURCH METHODIST CATHOLIC CHURCH (LCA) (United Church of Christ) Corner Parnell & Bailey drive 402 N Amity 125 Bridge St., Saranac, M REV Dr James G Cobb Pastor Worstap Service 10.00 A M DIAL A PRAYER 642-9659 FR THOMAS SCHILLER Ronald McCallum, Seminary Intern 11.00 A.M Coffee Hour PASTOR Morning Worship 10 JO A M 2700 E Fulton Church School 11.15 A.M NEW HOURS Sunday School 11 15 A M 8 30 & 10 45 A M Worship Service DR STANLEY H FORKNER 5 30 P M THE REV. EDWIN MENDENHALL Saturday Mass Ph 531-7942 Years ago, country folk be-642-6322 Sunday Mass 9811AM Nursery Provided - Barrier Free "Little White Church On The Corner" lieved that the seventh son in a family possessed unsual gifts.



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25th anniversary open house

old, Free Style David Vera, 35.58; Boys 10 year old Free Style, Erik Fulkerson, 23.18; Girls 8 year old, Breast Stroke, Heather Kinnebrew 37.83; Boys 8 year old, Breast Stroke, Toby Kinnebrew; Girls 11 year old Breast Stroke 50, Michelle Tousignaut 1.12.36;

Boys 9 year old, Breast Stroke 50, Samantha Maybie 49.31; Boys 10 year old Breast Stroke 50, Adam Vera 1.12.65 Girls 8 year old Free 50, Heather Kinnebrew 58.98; Boys 14 year old Breast Stroke 50, Andrea Vera 51.40; Girls 11 year old, Free Style 50, Michelle Tousignaut 46.60; Boys 8 year old Free Style 50, Grant Pecor 111.34; Girls 12 year old Free Style 50, Holly Covell 40.65; Boys 10 year old Free Style 50, Mike Jones 58.57; Boys 14 year old Free Style 100, David Vera 1.24.90; Girls 10 year old Back Stroke 25, Nicki Kline 32.36; Boys 6 year old Back Stroke 25, Ryan White 43.37; Girls 11 year old Back 25, Michelle Tousignaut 24.73; Girls 12 year old Back 25. Holly Covell 21.00; Boys 10 year olf Back 25. Adam Vera 30.56; Boys 14 year old Back 50, Andrea Vera 49.30; Girls 12 year old Back 50, Lisa Tousignaut 58.45; Boys 12 year old Free 50, Erik Fulkerson 59.68.

Boys 8 year old Back 50, Robbie Kenny 42.94: Girls 8 year old Free Relay Heather Kinnebrew .2.11.58: Boys 8 year old Free Relay, Ryan White, Robby Linney, Jason Myers, and Chris Elzinga, 2.30.45; Girls 12 year old Free Relay, Michelle Tousignaut, Chris Jones, Trudy Watson and Angie Fonger. 1.19.92; Boys 10 year old Free Relay, Niki Kline, Nathal Nauta, Mike Jones and Adam Vera, 1.46.68; Girls 12 year old Relay Holly Covell, Lisa Tousignaut, Nancy Kwant, and Samantha Maybie 1.21.93. Boys 10 year old Free Relay, Jason White, Aaron Corcoran, Chris Tower Girls 7 year old Kickboard

and Chris Elzinga in second with a time 34.58; Boys 6 year old Kidboard 25, Ryan Green's Corners Baptist and Paul. White 40.52, and Toby Kin- Church. nebrew in Second with a score of 50.43.

An open house will be held The party will be 2-5 p.m. August 14 for Glenna and in the church annex and is Ray Byrne for their 25th being given by their chilwedding anniversary at dren, Rex, Lynette, Edwin

All relatives and friends are welcome to attend.

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Seese and Conrad announce engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Harold and Judy Seese of Alto are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter Lorie Ann to Kevin Scott Conrad of Lowell. Kevin is the son of Mrs. Kathy Conrad of Lowell and the late Arthur Conrad.

Kevin is a 1981 graduate of Lowell and Lorie was a graduate of the Class of 1982

The co_ple are presently planning a September 25 wedding



Lorie Ann Seese & Kevin Scott Conrad

- FAMILY VISION CARE -Dr. Gerald L. Almy Wishes to announce the opening of his optometry practice in association with James Ford, O.D. at 2504 Ardmore S.E. Grand Rapids Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9 to 5 Thursday, 9 to 2 Morning, Evening and Saturday by appointment. For an appointment call 949-8610 C40/42



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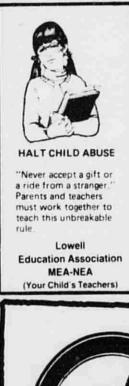


unique.



To the Editor Excuse the length of this

letter, but I have a lot to say. I lived in Lowell for 12 years. and I have missed one Showboat in the last 19 years. I travel back from wherever I am to see the show every year because I know what it means to Lowell, and I have many fond memories about it. (I sang in the chorus for three years behind Bob Newhart, Louis Armstrong, and Dinah Shore.) I have been rained on now for three years in a row, but it doesn't



matter -- I'll be back. (My wife thinks I'm crazy.) The Showboat gets into your blood after a while.

The critic from the Grand

Rapids Press is an imbecile.

He doesn't have the first

inkling about the Showboat's

long heritage. If he wants to

see a show like DeVos Hall

presents, let him go to DeVos

Hall. Stop competing with

it's tradition and use it to its

advantage instead of copying

Grand Rapids and losing all

the wonderful things that a

minstrel show really is; and if

the headliner doesn't want to

participate as part of the

show, then find a different

headliner. (The old headlin-

ers of years ago used to

Grand Rapids! The Showboat

Carson Show, remember ..?) So, get your act together, My purpose for writing is Lowell (literally). People will this: The Showboat is dying. come to see you if you offer It no longer exudes the something that can't be energy of years ago, and I found anywhere else. Let's think I know why. No longer put the tradition back in the do the Endmen wear outrashow. Let's tell the headlingeous costumes and tell stuers that this is Lowell's show pid jokes. (Men in tux's not theirs--and vou'll telling stupid jokes are not showcase them like never funny.) The headliner runs before!!! Otherwise, I'll nethe entire show. (They used ver have a good excuse to to be part of the show and come back to Lowell every used the Showboat to en-July, because the Showboat will be just another stage hance their act and make it show

laugh about the fun they had

in Lowell on the Johnny

Sincerely, Steven R. Lessens, M.D.

In The Service... Air Force Reserve Airman Rae D. Brown, daughter of is unique. It should stand on Reba I. Brown of 3119 Harrison, Brookfield, Ill., has graduated from Air Force

basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. During the six weeks of training the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations

Roof coating fraud in area

It's not the usual time of the year, but it seems that a team of itinerant roof coating 'Gypsies'' has hit the Grand Rapids area said Ruth Giller, manager of the Better Business Bureau of Western Michigan. houses

"If it's too good to be true it probably is", she said. Don't fall for the "Just happen to have a little material left over from another unable to show a city license, approach or anything else that makes the price too

Giller urges residents who are approached to compare prices and learn the reputation of the company or individual by calling the BBB at 774-8236 before signing a contract or agreeing verbally to have the work done.

MOVING INTO THE JOB MARKET What are the key factors in Previous experience by the getting a job in today's tight

BBB indicates that crews market? Good communications skills and mobility play operating on an itinerant basis, often use material that an important role, according to Grand Valley State Collegdoes not withstand rain or does not harden, resulting in es Placement Director Tom tarry driveways and stained Seykora. "The ideal job candidate combines the ability to The Bureau recommends speak and write well with extreme caution in dealing both a liberal arts and a with itinerant workers as professional or technical their favorite target is often background," according to senior citizens. If they are Seykora, who says record

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accepting out-of-state jobs, many of which are in the current high-demand areas **CHARGING ADMISSION?** such as accounting and com-Roll Tickets, single or dou ble, assorted colors. Grand college graduates are faring Valley Ledger, 897-9261. in the job market, call Seykora at 895-6611, ext. 311.

notify the police.

Acid rain, first of all what is acid rain? Airborne pollution, or eaten bare steel

Just how serious is the acid rain situation? Almost beyond be forced to pass joint regulations with Canada and Mexico to control worldwide and steadily worsening due to the control airborne pollution. Right now Canada is fed up, and increased use of coal as a fuel. Also relaxation of newly rightfully so, with our dumping eleven times as much airborn established pollution standards due to the worldwide pollution on them as they are on us. Incidentally Michigan is conomic slump, is a factor. The United States alone dumps one of the worst offenders. wenty six tons of sulphur dioxide into the atmosphere One other aspect of the acid rain is its devastating effect on annually and this is certain to increase by at least ten percent the world's water supplies. Not only does the rain itself annually. At least fifteen thousand lakes in this nation are pollute but the acids serve to liquify the metals in the soil and ecologically dead or dying due to acid rain. wash them into the water supplies

Sweden has over twenty thousand ecologically dead lakes and an eight thousand square mile*area of southern Norway has lost its entire fish population due to acid rains. Railroad tracks in Poland's industrial area have been rendered unsafe by acid rains. (When rain contains enough acid to melt steel I'm not so sure I want it falling on my head. I certainly don't want to drink sulphuric or nitric acid). Evergreen forests in Germany are dying and the lush jungles of Brazil are withering away due to the deluge of acids from the sky.

What are we as a nation doing about this problem? Plenty! Unfortunately nothing to combat the problem, but much to increase it. Encouraged increased use of coal, particularly the cheaper, high sulpher coal, certainly adds to the problem. Relaxation and non-enforcement of our clean air standards and regulation also fuels the problem. We have in fact, within the past month, proposed legislation to lower our clean air

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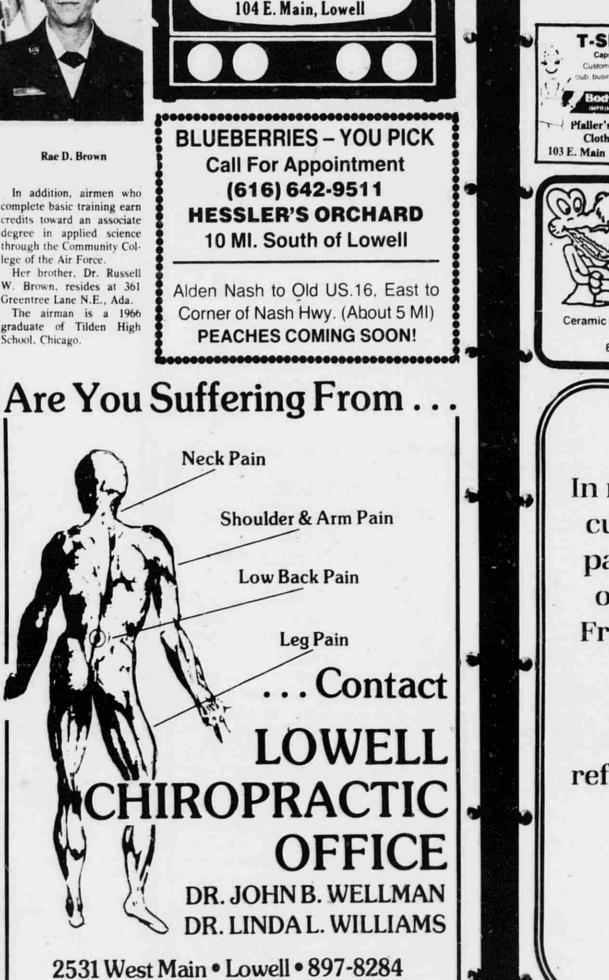


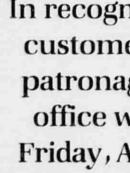
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We hope everyone will stop in for refreshments and give us an opportunity to say, "Thank You".

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particularly sulphur oxide combine with water vapor, oxygen and nitrogen and are distilled by sunlight to form sulpheric and nitric acid, occasionally highly concentrated, this acid of course falls to ground as rain, sometimes over one thousand miles from its point of origin. In many authenticated instances this rain has been as acid as vinegar and has actually melted

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standards due to the high cost to industry and our deteriorating economy. I seriously doubt that this represents a move in the right direction to curb our self created monster. The Canadian government has established and maintains strict environmental laws and standards and enforces them. On the other hand this nation chooses to ignore and repeal our environmental laws and is headed for a major conflict with Canada over the acid rain situation. We shortly are going to

What can we do? Unfortunately the people of this nation have become addicted to the all mighty dollar, many have very little concern for anything else, in fact they are selling corpses of their future unborn offspring, to pad their pockets today. All we can do is be concerned, write letters and don't give up, if we are vocal enough our elected officials must listen, if they don't then we can damn well replace them with someone who will. FISHING NEWS:

The news is about the same as last week, the panfishing is still outstanding and all other species are generally pretty slow. Reports are coming in reflecting excellent results on nearly every area lake. Cricketts, wax, and red worms seem to be the preferred baits and most fish are being taken from deep water areas while fishing from 5 to 10 feet deep. Duncan Lake, south of Caledonia is consistently producing limit catches of nice gills and also some jumbo crappies and perch. Snows Lake, near Ionia has also been reported as excellent.

Many gills being taken are still full of spawn and this looks like one of those years when they do not spawn at all. This condition. I believe, results in better fishing because the fish tend to stay shallow and near the spawning areas throughout the summer. When they do not spawn in a given season their body simply re-consumes the eggs and this results in a phenomenal growth rate and I believe that we are going to see much larger gills on many of our lakes for the next couple of seasons. This failure to spawn is also actually beneficial to the panfish population since most lakes are over populated and they remain stunted due to an inadequate food supply. Did you know that a hybrid bluegill will grow from an egg to an ight inch fish in one summer, if adequately fed? Sounds incredible, but I have been told, it's a fact. The Grand River Bait and Tackle Shop has a special on small crayfish this week at 60c a dozen.



In recognition of our friendship with our customers and in appreciation of their patronage, First Security Bank's Lowell office will hold a 'Hospitality Day' this Friday, August 13th from 9:00 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.



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NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM **Proposed Flood Elevation Determinations** AGENCY: FEMA. **ACTION: Proposed rule**

SUMMARY

Technical information or comments are solicited on the proposed base (100-year) flood elevations listed below for selected location in the nation THese base (100-year) flood elevations are the basis for the flood plain management measures that the community is required to either adopt or show evidence of being already in effect in order to qualify or remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). DATES:

The period for comment will be ninety (90) days following the second publication of this proposed rule in a newspaper of local circulation in each com-

ADDRESSES

- See table below. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Robert G. Chappell
- National Flood Insurance Program
- (202) 287-0230
- Federal Emergency Management Agency Washington, D.C. 20472.
- SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The Federal Emergency Management Agency gives notice of the proposed determinations o base (100-year) flood elevations for selected locations in the nation, in accordance with section 110 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (Pub. L. 93-234), 87 Stat. 980, which added section 1363 to the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 (Title XIII of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (Pub. L. 90-448)), 42 U.S.C. 4001-4128, and 44 CFR Part 67.4 (a).

These elevations, together with the flood plain mangement measures required by section 60.3 of the program regualtions, are the minimum that are required. They should not be construed to mean the community must change any existing ordinances that are more stringent in their flood plain management requirements. The community may at any time enact stricter requirements on its own, or pursuant to policies established by other Federal. State or Regional entities. These proposed elevations will also be used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings and thier contents and for the second layer of insurance on existing buildings and their contents.

Pursuant to the provisions of 5 USC 605 (b), the Associate Director, to whom authority has been delegated by the Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency, hereby certifies that the (proposed) flood elevation determinations, if promulgated, will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. A flood elevation determination under section 1363 forms the basis for new local ordinances, which, if adopted by a local community, will govern future construction within the flood plain area. The elevation determinations, however, impose no restriction unless and until the local community voluntarily adopts flood plain ordinances in accord with these elevations. Even if ordinances are adopted in compliance with Federal standards, the elevations prescribe how high to build in the flood plain and do not proscribe development. Thus, this action only forms the basis for future local actions. It imposes no new requirement: of itself it has no economic impact.

List of subjects in 44 CFR Part 67.

Flood insurance, Floodplains.

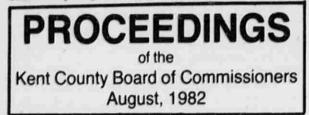
proposed base (100-year) fi selected locations are: Proposed Base (100-year) Flood Elevation

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	ent County	No. Depth in feet above ground.
Source of		*Elevation in
Flooding	Location	feet (NGVD)
Grand River	About 1.0 Mile downstream of	
	confluence of	
	Lee Creek	634*
	About 0.85 mile	
	upstream of	
	Division Street	636*
Flat River	Within Corporate	
	limits	635*
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August 4, 1982

The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Called to order by Chairman Buth. Roll Called. Present: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel, Sevensma, Sietsema, Smolenski, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 19. Absent: DeKraker, DeLange(explained) - 2

Quorum present, Commissioner Boerema gave the invocation

lerk DeJonge lead those present in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Dr. Jack Slot, Chairman of the Community Mental Health Board presented to the Commissioners a Recognition Award received from the National Association of Counties during their conference in Baltimore, and gave an brief explanation of the Community Mental Health programs. Chairman Buth accepted the Award on behalf of the Board, stati most of the credit goes to the Mental Health Board and to the Staff

who make these programs happen. Chairman Buth introduced Fred Missad, who gave a slide presenta-tion regarding the financial problems of the Kent Community Action Program and their campaign drive. Folders were passed out to all

present asking for contributions. Commissioner Kempker moved the approval of the minutes of the previous meetings, July 7, 1982 and July 16, 1982, as written and published. Seconded by Commissioner Wahlfield.

Published. Seconded by commissioner wanifield. Notion carried unanimously. A report of the Finance Committee of their meetings of July 6, 1982 through July 27, 1982 was presented: (All have received copies and copies are on file in the Office of the County Clerk.) Commissioner Sevensma moved the report be received, concurred in, and filed. Seconded by Commissioner Mazurkiewicz. Motion carried by the following vote:

Motion carried by the following vote: Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Gainey, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel, Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 17.

Resolution No. 8-82-115 approving bids for the Circuit Court Probation remodeling and earmarking \$32,525 within the Public Improvement Fund was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONERS FROMAN AND SEVENSMA

WHEREAS, in June, the Buildings, Parks and Transportation Committee and the Finance Committee authorized staff to proceed with the bidding of the renovation of a portion of the Probate Court Building for Circuit Court Probation, and WHEREAS, bids were received for partitions, painting, electrical and mechanical, and WHEREAS, the low bid for each are as follows:

	s - Herb Ritsema Company - William Sterk Painters	\$15,613.00
Mechanical	i - Holwerda-Huizenga I - Holwerda-Huizenga	2,124.77
	- Allowance	3,000.00
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\$23,525.23 WHEREAS, the Buildings, Parks and Transportation Committee and the Finance Committee have reviewed and are recommending that the County of Kent enter into contracts with each of the low bidders, and wHEREAS, in addition, the Buildings, Parks and Transportation Committee and Finance Committee are

recommending the funding of the following additional \$ 1,700.00 Telephone Relocation 3,000,00 Draperies. Moving Expenses

Continger	vey	3,000	.00
TOTAL		\$9,000	.00
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WHEREAS, the Finance Committee recommends ear-marking \$32,525 within the Public Improvement Fund for the Circuit Court Probation remodeling. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners earmark within the Public Improvement Fund \$32,525 for Circuit Court Probation,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve the low bids received from the

companies and authorize the Chairman of the Board and Clerk to execute contracts with these companies. Commissioner Froman moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Commissioner Wahlfield. Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kenpker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel, Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahifield, Chairman - 18.

Nays: None. Resolution No. 8-82-116 approving four additional positions for the Department of Public Works to operate the Byron and Plainfield Landfills was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONERS BLAKESLEE AND SEVENSMA

WHEREAS, the Byron Township Landfill is planned to where As, the Bron Township Landtil is planted to be opened in early September, and WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works has requested the following additional positions to operate e Byron and Plainfield Township Landfills simultaneously:

- Laborer (Range 14A \$10,916.00) 1 - Equipment Operator (Range 20C - \$15,694)
 2 - Upgrade Traffic Directors/Equipment Operator
- (Range 18C \$14,338 to Equipment Operators
- Range 20C \$15,694), and

WHEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee and Finance Committee recommend approval of

the above request. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve the addition of,one Laborer, Range 14, one Equipment Operator, Range 20, and the upgrade of two Traffic Directors/Equipment Operators, Range 18 to Equipment Operators, Range 20,

Commissioner Blakeslee moved the adoption of the resolution Seconded by Commissioner Johnson After considerable discussion, motion carried by the following

Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerena, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lanoreaux, Loninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel. Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Kahlfield, Chairman - 18.

Resolution No. 8-82-113 giving approval for seven new Correction Officer positions for the Kent County Sheriff Department was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONERS DELANGE AND JOHNSON

WHEREAS, the Sheriff requests the addition of seven (7) Correction Officers to be assigned as follows:

- to Honor Camp .5 - to prisoner transfer and 61st District Court transfer 2.5

3.5 - to main Corrections Facility, and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff additionally proposes to eliminate Jail Special Overtime; 61st District Court Special Overtime and part time employees (Special Deputies) at the Honor Camp to fund the added positions,

WHEREAS, the attached letter from Captain TenBrink outlines the reason and need for these seven positions, and WHEREAS, in 1981, the overtime expended in the

Jail areas was as follows: 7 616 400

Jail Special Overtime	7,510	hours	\$101,289.39
Jail Regular Overtime	890	hours	11,570.00
61st District Court Special Overtime		hours	49,798.80
Honor Camp Reg. Overtime Honor Camp Part-time	41.4	hours	5,796.00
Officers (Special			a
Deputies)	1,241	hours	7,446.00
TOTAL			\$175,900.19

WHEREAS, in 1982, the total Sheriff Department overtime budgeted is as follows:

Regular Övertime	\$165,000.00
Jail Special Overtime 61st District Court Special	66,000.00
Overtime	55,000.00
FICA	19,162.00
Pension	31,145.00
TOTAL	\$336,307.00
WHEREAS, the annual cost fo rrection Officers is as follows:	r the seven (7)
703.000 Salary & Wages	\$129,011,40
715,000 FICA	8,643.75

716.000 Hospitalization	10,332.00
717,000 Life Insurance 718,000 Pension	319.20 14,049.30
TOTAL	\$162,355.65

WHEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee and Finance Committee recommend the addition of seven (7) Correction Officers. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent

County Board of Commissioners approve the addition of seven (7) Correction Officers, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that these positions are to be funded by transferring \$162,400 to the above

accounts from the following accounts: Jail Special Overtime \$ 66,000.00

61st District Court Special Overtime	55,000.00
Regular Overtime (Jail/Honor Camp) Pension FICA	17,000.00 15,100.00 9,300.00
TOTAL	\$162,400.00

In Commissioner DeLange's absence, Commissioner Byington moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Lamoreaux.

the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by tommissioner Lamoreaux. Motion carried by the following vote: Yeas: Blakeslee, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel, Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 17. Nays: Boerema - 1. Resolution No. 8-82-119 regarding an Amended Resolution To Resolution No. 8-82-119 regarding an Amended Resolution To

w Against Delinguent 1981 Real Property Taxes was presented

(All have received copies.)

AMENDED RESOLUTION TO BORROW AGAINST DELINQUENT 1981 REAL PROPERTY TAXES

WHEREAS, on June 2, 1982, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Kent adopted a Resolution To Borrow Against Delinguent 1981 Real Property Taxes which specified that the County of Kent ("the County") would borrow not to exceed \$10,250.0 °C, represent ing definquent 1981 real property taxes uncollected and outstanding on June 1, 1982, and issue its notes for the purpose of continuing the Kent County Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund (the "Fund") for the 1981 tax year and to repay the County General Fund for moneys tempo-rarily advanced therefrom to fund the Fund WHEREAS, since June 1, 1982, the County has collected such

delinguent 1981 real property taxes that it deems it appropriate to reduce the amount of the borrowing authorized by the Resolution referred to above to reflect such collections; WHEREAS, it is hereby determined to be necessary for the County to borrow money, as provided herein, and issue its notes for the purposes authorizes by Sections 87c and 87d of Act No. 206, Public Acts of Michigan, 1893, as amended, ("Act 206"), to continue the Fund for the 1981 tax year as provided hereinafter and to repay the County General Fund for such moneys temporarily advanced; and WHEREAS, the total amount of unpaid 1981 delinguent real property

taxes outstanding on July 16, 1982 (the "delinquent taxes") does not exceed \$9,222,948.55, exclusive of interest, fees and penalties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF KENT, STATE OF MICHIGAN, AS FOLLOWS:

Authorization of Borrowing

Pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Act 206, Public Acts of Michigan, 1893, as amended, and especially Sections 87c and 87d thereof, the County shall borrow the sum of not to exceed Nine Million Dollars (\$9,000,000,000) and issue its notes therefor for the purpose of continuing the Fund for the 1981 tax year and to repay the County General Fund for moneys temporarily advanced thereform to fund the Fund. The exact amount to be borrowed shall not exceed the amount of delinquent taxes outstanding on July 16, 1982, exclusive of interest, fees and penalties.

Note Details

2. The notes shall be known as "General Obligation Limited Tax Notes, Series 1982"; shall be dated as of August 1, 1982; shall be coupon notes in the denomination of \$5,000 each, or in such other denominations as the County Treasurer shall authorize and as shall be acceptable to the purchaser thereof; shall be numbered consecutively in the direct order of their maturities from 1 upwards; shall bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed 14-1/25 per annum payable on February I, 1983 and thereafter semi-annually until maturity; and shall mature on August 1 of each year as follows: \$3,000,000.00 in the year 1983, and \$6,000,000.00 in the year 1984.

Paying Agent

3. The principal of the notes and the interest thereon shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at such bank or trust company in the State of Michigan as shall be designated prior to the sale by the County Treasurer, or, if the County Treasurer so permits, as shall be designated by the original purchaser or purchasers of the notes. Co-paying agents located in Michigan or else-where also may be designated. The designation of the paying agent or agents by the original purchaser or purchasers of the notes shall be subject to the approval of the County Treasurer.

Note Reserve Fund

4. There is hereby established a note reserve fund for the notes (the 1982 Note Reserve Fund") into which the County Treasurer shall deposit from unpledged funds in the County General Fund the sum of (\$1,000,000) for the purpose of establishing the 1982 Note Reserve Fund.

Disposition of Note Proceeds

5. The proceeds of the sale of the notes shall be deposited into a separate account in the Fund (the "1982 Account") and shall be used to continue the Fund for the 1961 tax year and to repay th General Fund of the County for moneys temporarily advanced therefrom to make payments to the County and other taking units within the County for 1981 real property takes which were returned to the County Treasurer as delinquent pursuant to law.

1982 Collection Account

6. There is hereby established as part of the Fund an account (hereby designated the 1982 Collection Account) into which account the County Treasurer shall place all delinquent taxes and interest thereon collected on and after July 16, 1982, all collection fees on the notes have such delinquent taxes, after expenses of issuance of the notes have been paid and any amounts received by the County Treasurer from the County and any taxing unit within the County, because of the un-collectability of such delinquent taxes. The foregoing are hereby established as funds pledged to note repayment.

Security for Payment of Notes

7. All of the moneys in the 1982 Collection Account and the 1982 Note Reserve Fund and all interest earned thereon are hereby pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on the notes and shall be used solely for that purpose until such principal and interest here here outd is followed as a sole of the sole of the principal and the sole of the sole o interest have been paid in full.

Additional Security

8. This note issue, in addition, shall be a general obligation of the County of Kent, secured by its full faith and credit, which shall include this County's limited tax obligation, within applicable constitutional and statutory limits, and its general funds. The County budget shall provide that if the pledged delinquent taxes and any other pledged amounts are not collected in sufficient amounts to meet the payments of the principal and interest due on these notes, the County, before paying any other budgeted amounts, will promptly advance from its general funds sufficient money to pay that principal and interest. The County shall not have the power to impose takes for payment of the notes in excess of constitutional or statutory limitations. If moneys in the 1982 Collection Account and the 1982 Note Reserve Fund are not sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the notes, when due, the County shall pay the same in accordance with this paragraph, and may thereafter reimburse itself from the delinquent taxes collected.

Municipal Finance Commission Approval

 The County Treasurer is hereby authorized to apply to the Hichigan Municipal Finance Commission for an amended order permitting the County to issue the notes as authorized by this resolution.

Sale of Notes

 Sealed proposals for the purchase of the notes shall be received by the County Treasurer at a public sale to be held at such time as shall be determined by the County Treasurer and notice

thereof shall be published in accordance with law, once in the Bond Buyer, Michigan Investor or Detroit Legal News, each of which is hereby designated as being a publication printed in the English language and circulated in this State which carries as a part of its regular service, notices of sale of municipal bonds. The sale shall be conducted in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Official Notice of Sale which shall be in substantially the form. set forth in paragraph 14 of this resolution with such changes as are approved by the County Treasurer.

Execution and Delivery of Notes

 $11. \ \mbox{The County Treasurer}$ is hereby authorized and directed to sign the notes for the County, to affix thereto the County seal and to cause the facsimile signature of the County Treasurer to be affixed to the coupons attached to the notes. The County Treasurer thereafter shall deliver the notes to the purchaser or purchasers thereof upon receipt of the purchase price. The notes shall be delivered with the ungualified approving opinion of Dickinson, Wright, Moon, Van Dusen & Freeman, attorneys of Detroit, Michigan.

Issuance Expenses

 $12. \$ Expenses incurred in connection with the issuance of the notes shall be paid by the County Treasurer from collection fees on the delinquent taxes or from any other moneys in the Fund not pledged to the repayment of notes.

Arbitrage Covenant

13. Notwithstanding any other provision of this resolution or other resolutions adopted heretofore, the County hereby covenants with the purchaser (within the meaning of Sections 1.103-13, 1.103-14 and 1.103-15 of the Income Tax Regulations prescribed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue) of the General Obligation Limited Tax Notes, Series 1982, that the County will make no use of the proceeds of the notes, which, if such use had been reasonably expected on the date of issuance of the note, would have caused the notes to be "arbitrage bonds," as defined in Section 103(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, and all rules and resultings thereto. rules and regulations thereto.

Prior Resolution

14. Insofar as provisions of the Resolution of the Board of Commissioners adopted on June 2, 1982, entitled a Resolution To Borrow Against Delinquent 1981 Real Property Taxes are inconsis-tent herewith, the terms of this Resolution shall govern and such isistent provisions of the prior resolution are to that extent hereby rescinded

Release of Collections

15. Delinquent taxes, interest and collection fees thereon placed in the 1982 Collection Account from June 1, 1982 to July 15, 1982 archerety released from the pledge of note repayment and shall be transformed to the County General Fund for repayment of moneys temporarily advanced therefrom to fund the Fund. Form of Notes, Coupons

and Official Notice of Sale

16. The notes, coupons and Official Notice of Sale shall be in substantially the following form with such changes as are approved by the County Treasurer, to wit:

(FORM OF NOTE)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF KENT

GENERAL OBLIGATION LIMITED TAX NOTE, SERIES 1982

Number

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

on the first day of August, A.D., 19., together with interest thereon from the date hereof until paid, at the rate of per centum ($\frac{N}{2}$) per annum, payable on February 1, 1983, and thereafter semi-annually on the first

on the notes, there are hereby pledged. [1] all of the col-lections of the 1961 real property taxes due and payaffe to the founty and taxing units within the County which were outstanding and uncollected on July 16, 1962, and all inter-est thereon: (2) all of the collection fees on such delin-guent taxes, after the expenses of issuance of the notes

quent taxes, after the expenses of instants of the received by have been paid; and (3) any amounts which are received by the County from the County and taxing units within the County because of the uncollectability of such delinquent taxes. In the event the foregoing amounts are insufficient for any reason to pay when due the principal of and interest on the notes, the moneys in the 1982 Note Reserve Fund shall be used to make such payment.

For the payment of the principal of and interest tes, there are hereby pledged: (1) all of the col-

days of August and February in each year. Both prin

ttached hereto as they severally mature.

DOLLARS

In addition, this note is a general obligation of the County, secured by a pledge of its full faith and credit. The County, however, does not have the power to impose taxes for the payment of the notes in excess of constitutional or statutory limitations

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of the notes of this series, exist, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Michigan.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the County of Kent, Michigan, has caused this note to be signed in its name by its County Treasurer and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto, and has caused the annexed interest coupons to be executed with the facisitile signature of its County Treasurer, all as of the first day of August, 1982.

COUNTY OF KENT

By: County Treasurer

(FORM OF COUPON)

(SEAL)

Number

locations

YEAR

1983

1984

precentage points.

On the first day of _______, 19___, the County of Kent, Michigan, will pay to the bearer hereof the sum shown hereon in lawful money of the United States of America at the principal office of _______ in the City of _______, Michigan, the same being the interest due on that day on its General Obligation Limited Tax Note, Series 1982, bearing the number shown hereon. This coupon is payable only from those sources set forth in the note to which this coupon pertains and is subject to the redemption provisions set forth in said note.

(Facsimile)

Kent County Treasuter

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE

\$9,000,000

COUNTY OF KENT STATE OF MICHIGAN

GENERAL OBLIGATION LIMITED TAX NOTES, SERIES 1982

SEALED BIDS: for the purchase of General Obliga-tion Limited Tax Notes, Series 1962, of the County of Kent, State of Michigan, of the par value of \$9,000,000 will be received by the undersigned at the office of the County Treasurer, Box Y, Kent County Administration Building, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503 until ______, on , on , 1982, at which time they will be public-

IN THE ALTERNATIVE: sealed bids also will be received on the same date and until the same time by an agent of the undersigned at the office of the Municipal Advisory Council of Michigan, 2135 First National Building Detroit, Michigan 48226, where they will be publicly opened simultaneously. Bids opened at Detroit, Michigan, will be read first. Bidders may choose either location to present bids and good faith checks, but may not present bids at both

NOTE DETAILS: The notes will be coupon hotes of the denomination of 55,000 each or such other denomination as is acceptable to the purchaser; will bear interest from their date payable on February 1, 1963, and semi-annually thereafter; will be dated August 1, 1962; will be numbered in direct order of maturity from 1 to _____, inclusive, and will mature serially on August 1 in years and amounts as follows:

AMOUNT

\$3.000.000

INTEREST FATE AND BIDDING DETAILS: The notes will bear interest from their date at a rate or rates specified by the successful bidder, not exceeding 14-1/2% per annum, expressed in multiples of 1/8 or 1/20 of 1%, or any combina-tion thereof. Interest on the notes of any maturity shall be at one rate only, and the difference between the highest and lowest rate of interest bid shall not exceed three presented points.

<u>PAYING ACENT</u>: Both principal and interest will be payable at a bank or trust company located in the State of Michigan, gualified to act as paying agent under the sta-tutes of the State of Michigan or of the United States of America, to be designated by the original purchaser of the notes, which also may designate not more than two co-paying

agents, which may be located in the State of Michigan or agents, which may be located in the State of Michigan or outside of Michigan, or both, and which must be qualified to act as a paying agent under the law of the state in which located or of the United States of America, all of which shall be subject to the approval of the County Treasurer. Either the paying agent or a co-paying agent must be a Michigan bank located in a Federal Reserve City. The desig-nation of paying agent and co-paying agents shall be made by letter or telegram to the undersigned within 24 hours after the time of maile. In the event no paying agent is design the time of sale. In the event no paying agent is designated within the time herein provided, or in the event that the paying agent designated is not gualified under the statutes of this State or of the United States of America. or is not approved by the County Treasurer, the County Treasurer shall appoint the paying agent or paying agents after discussion with the original purchaser

FURPOSE. The notes are issued for the purpose of ling the 100% Tax Payment Fund of the County for the 1981 tax year as provided in the Resolution authorizing this

SECURITY-FRIMARY: The notes are secured by the 1981 real property taxes due and payable to the County and 1981 real property taxes due and payable to the County and taxing units within the County which were outstanding and uncollected on July 16, 1982 and interest thereon, all occlection fees on such taxes after expenses of issuance of the notes have been paid, and any amounts received by the County Treasurer from any taxing unit within the County, because of the uncollectability of such taxes. NUMEREAS, it is estimated by two local body shops that restoration of the vehicle in question will cost approximately \$2,500,00, and WHEREAS, the John Svoboda family will accept the uncollectability of such taxes.

SECURITY-NOTE RESERVE FUND. The County has established a note reserve fund for the notes into which the County Treasurer shall deposit 0.0000 from unpledged funds in the County General Fund for the purpose of paying principal of and interest on the notes when due if for any resion the moneys pledged as prinary security ame insufficient to make such payment.

ADDITIONAL SECONITY: In addition, the notes will be general oplications of the County of Kent, secured by its full faith and credit. THE COUNTY OF FERT DOES NOT HAVE THE POWER TO IMPOSE TAKES FOR THE FAVNENT OF THE NOTES IN EXCESS OF CONSTITUTIONAL OF STATUTORY LIMITATIONS.

AWARD OF NOTES: The notes will be awarded to the successful bidder approximately thirty minutes after the bids have been read. For the purpose of awarding the notes, the interest cost of each bid will be computed by determin-ing, at the rate specified therein, the total dollar amounts of all thereast on the state for the state of the second of all interest on the notes from August 1, 1982 to their maturity and deducting therefrom any premium. The notes will be swarded to the bidder whose bid on the above

computation produces the lowest interest to the County. No Grand Valley Ledger - Wednesday, August 11, 1982 - Page 9 proposal for less than par, nor less than all the notes, proposal for less than par, nor less than all the will be considered. Each bidder, for the convenience County, shall state in its bid the net interest cost County, computed in the manner above specified. The above specified. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

GOOD FAITH: A certified check, cashier's check or bank money order in the amount of \$180,000, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company and payable to the brder of the County Treasurer must accompany sach bid as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, to be forfeited as liquidated damages if such bid is accepted and the bidder faile to take up and new for the state. forfeited as liquidated damages if such bid is accepted and the bidder fails to take up and pay for the notes. No interest will be allowed on good faith deposits. The good faith check of the winning bidder will be promptly cashed, and the amount received therefor will be credited against the purchase price upon delivery. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned to each bidder's repre-sentative or returned by registered mail. In the event the notes cannot be issued or delivered for any reason, the County will pay back to the successful bidder the amount of the good faith check without interest. the good faith check without interest.

LECAL OPINION: Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified approving opinion of Dickinson, Wright, Moon, Van Dusen & Freeman, attorneys of Detroit, Michigan, approv-ing the legality of the notes, a copy of which will be printed on the reverse side of each note, and the original of which will be delivered without expense to the purchaser of the notes at the delivery thereof

DELIVERY OF NOTES: The County will furnish notes ready for execution at its expense at Detroit. Michigan, or Chicago, Illinois, or New York, New York. The usual doc-uments, including a certificate that no litigation is pend-ing, affecting the issuance of the notes, will be delivered at the time of delivery of the notes. If the notes are not tendered for delivery by twelve o'clock noon, Michigan Time, on the 45th day following the date of sale, or the first business day thereafter, if said 45th day is not a business day, the successful bidder may on that day, or any time thereafter until delivery of the notes, withdraw its pro-posal by serving notice of cancellation on the undersigned, in writing, in which event the County shall promptly return in writing, in which event the County shall promptly return the good faith deposit. Payment for the notes shall be made in Federal Reserve Funds. Accrued interest to the date of delivery of the notes shall be paid by the purchaser at the time of delivery. time of delivery.

CUSIP NUMBERS: Cusip numbers have been applied for and will be printed on the notes at the expense of the County. The printing of incorrect Cusip numbers or the failure to print the Cusip numbers on the notes shall not constitute cause for the purchaser to refuse delivery of the notes.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Further information may be obtained from the Kent County Treasurer, from First of Michigan Corporation, 100 Renaissance Center, 26th Floor, Detroit, Michigan 46243, financial consultant, or from Dickinson, Wright, Moon, Van Dusen & Freeman, 800 First National Building, Detroit, Michigan 48226, Tel. 313-223-3500. 313-223-3500

THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

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

JOHN L. DAMSTRA

Kent County Treasurer

STATE OF MICHICAN UNICIPAL FINANCE COMMISSION

County Treasurer John Damstra reported he received word this morning that the Municipal Finance Commission approved the bond sale yesterday, subject to receipt of our Official Resolution today. The bonds will be sold on August 19. Commissioner Johnson moved the adoption of the resolution

Seconded by Commissioner Stetsena. Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel, Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 18. Nays: None.

Meys: more. Resolution No. 8-82-114 approving the transfer of security microfilm copies of Kent County Tax Rolls for the years 1946-1960 for security storage to the Michigan Archives was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER JOHNSON

WHEREAS, the Michigan Department of State; State Archives has requested Kent County to transfer the security microfilm copies of Kent County Tax Rolls 1946 - 1960 for security storage to the Archives, and

WHEREAS, this transfer of records will result in a savings of duplication costs to Kent County, and WHEREAS, this transfer of records will enable the Archives to clear needed storage through the

disposition of hard copy records, and WHEREAS, the County Treasurer and Pinance Committee recommend the transfer of these records. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners authorize the transfer of the security microfilm copies of Kent County Tax Rolls 1946 - 1960 for security storage to the Archives.

Commissioner Johnson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Commissioner Johnson moved the adoption of the resolution.
 Seconded by Commissioner Lamoreaux.
 Motion carried by the following vote:
 reas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey,
 Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel,
 Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 18.
 Nays: None.
 Besolution No. 8.82-118 transferring \$1,250 from the General

Resolution No. 8-82-118 transferring \$1,250 from the Genefal Fund Contingent Account to the Child Care Fund was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER MAZURKIEWICZ

WHEREAS, two juvenile wards of the Kent County Juvenile Court, while in the foster care of the John Svoboda family, stole a 1978 Camaro from that family and significantly damaged that car as the result of an WHEREAS, the vehicle in question was not

insured since it was being restored at the time, and WHEREAS, it is felt that the County of Kent has a moral obligation to partially reimburse the John Svoboda family for the loss of that vehicle because of

50 percent reimbursement for the damages. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve the payment of \$1,250.00 to the John Svoboda family as fair and reasonable settlement for the damage to the vehicle, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the sum of \$1,250.00 be transferred from the General Fund Contingency Account to the appropriate reimbursement account in the Child Care Fund.

Commissioner Mazurkiewicz moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Complexitoners Froman and Lamoreaux. Motion carried by the following vote Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey,

Johnson, Kengker, Kuhn, Lanoreaux, Laninga, Mozurkiewicz, Pupel Sevensna, Sietsena, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 18.

Neys: None. Resolution No. 8-82-117 transferring \$99,829 from the Unemploy-ment Compensation Reserve Fund to the Self-Insurance--Motor Vehicle Reserve Fund was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER JOHNSON

WHEREAS, the Kent County Board of Commis-sioners recently approved a comprehensive revamping of the County's Automobile Insurance Program which has resulted in a reduction of the annual cost of such

resulted in a reduction of the annual cost of such insurance by 50 percent, and WHEREAS, this new program provides for self-insurance liability and no-fault losses up to \$25,000.00 per occurrence or until the aggregate loss fund of \$135,000.00 per year is used up, and WHEREAS, the State of Michigan requires that to be self-insurad. the County set as ide reserves

to be self-insured, the County set aside reserves equivalent to the last four years worth of automobile losses, either paid or reserved, and a sum of \$100.00 per vehicle registered in the name of the County of Kent, and

WHEREAS, the County of Kent has reserved to date \$141,000.00 for 1982, and

WHEREAS, it is calculated that an additional 599,829.00 should be reserved in 1983 so as to maintain our self-insured status with the State of Michigan, and WHEREAS, the Finance Committee recommends that

a transfer from the Unemployment Compensation Reserve Fund to the Self-Insurance - Motor Vehicle Reserve Fund be made in the amount of \$99,829,00. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve a transfer of \$99,829.00 from the Unemployment Compensation Reserve

Fund to the Self-Insurance - Motor Vehicle Reserve Fund.

Commissioner Johnson moved the adoption of the resolution

Seconded by Commissioner Lamoreaux. Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel, Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 18. Nays: None.

Resolution No. 8-82-112 regarding Amendment No. 1 to Grant Agreement Project No. 6-26-0039-08 at the Kent County International Airport was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER SEVENSMA

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING, RATIFYING, AND APPROVING THE EXECUTION OF AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO THE GRANT AGREEMENT BY THE COUNTY OF KENT, MICHIGAN, AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, FEDERAL AVI-ATION ADMINISTRATION, FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING THE PROJECT DESCRIPTION, FOR THE KENT COUNTY AIRPORT, UNDER PROJECT NO. 6-26-0039-08

BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Board of Commissioners of Kent County, Michigan:

Section 1. That the County of Kent shall enter into Grant Amendment No. 1 for the purpose of amending the project description, for Kent County Airport, and that such Grant Amendment No. 1 shall be as set forth hereinbelow;

Section 11. That the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners did on July 22, 1982, execute said Grant Amendment No. 1 in seven (7) Copies on behalf of the County of Kent and that the County Clerk attested said execution and said execution is hereby conf ratified, and approved.

Section III. That the Grant Amendment No. 1 referred to hereinabove shall be as follows:

> AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO GRANT AGREEMENT Kent County International Airport, Grand Rapids, MI Project No. 6-26-0039-08

Contract No. DOT-FA81-GL-8205 Date of Offer: July 16, 1982

<u>WHEREAS</u>, the Federal Aviation Administration (hereinafter referred to as the "FAA") has determined it to be in the interest of the United States that the Grant Agreement between the FAA, acting for and on behalf of the United States, and the County of Kent, acting through and by Kent County Aeronautics Board, Michigan (hereinafter referred to as the "Sponsor"), accepted by said Sponsor on the 25th day of September 1981, be amended in conformarce with the Sponsor's September 1981, be amended in conformance with the Sponsor's application bearing the latest revision date of July 7, 1982, and as hereinafter provided; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined beneficial to the interests of the United States and the Sponsor to revise the project description by adding 2,200 SY to the apron expansion and 1,000 LF to the security fencing and adding apron stabilized shoulder (approximately 1,333±SY) and reconstruction of three apron parking pads (approximately $573\pm5Y$) to insure safe conditions for aircraft operations; and to delete Special Condition No. 15 because the revised application does not include any ineligible development; and

WHEREAS, due to favorable bids received for the development items Included in the grant amendment, the cost of this additional develop-ment will not increase the maximum obligation of the United States as stated in the grant agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, WITNESSETH:

That in consideration of the benefits to accrue to the parties hereto. the FAA on the one part, and the Sponsor, on the other part, do hereby mutually agree that the said Grant Agreement be and hereby is amended as follows:

Deletion of the project description on Page 1 of Part I -Offer, and the substitution therefor of the following:

Acquire snow removal equipment - one snowblower (3,000 tons/ hour) one truck with front plow, underbody scraper, dump box and sander/spreader, one truck with front plow, underbody scraper and dump box, one runway sweeper (tow type) and one front end loader; Apron expansion (approximately 10,500 S.Y.); Groove Runway 88/26L (10,000 L.F.) Install security fencing (approximately 30,800 L.F.); Construct apron stabilized shoulder (approximately 1,333+5.Y.); Reconstruct three apron parking pads (approximately 573+5.Y.)

2. Deletion of Special Condition No. 15.

Commissioner Sevensma moved the adoption of the resolution Seconded by Commissioner Boerema. Motion carried by the following vote:

Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel, Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 18. Navs: None.

Resolution No. 8-82-120, authorizing the Kent County Board of Public Works to enter into an installment contract for purchase o a bulldozer from the Michigan Tractor and Machinery Company and pledging the full faith and credit of Kent County was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BYINGTON

WHEREAS, the Kent County Board of Public Works has authorized purchase of a Bulldozer from Michigan Tractor and Machinery Company, the total cost of which is estimated to be \$218,610.00, and

WHEREAS, by resolution of the county board of commis-sioners, a county may enter into a contract for the purchase of equipment to be used for public purposes and to be paid in installments over a period not to exceed the lesser of ten (10) years or the useful life of the property and, if the obligations were authorized or incurred after December 22, 1978, and were not approved by the electors of the county, the county shall levy and collect ad valorem taxes as required by law subject to applicable charter, statutory and constitutional limits, and the principal and interest payments shall be a first budget obligation, and WHEREAS, the Finance Committee recommends that the County, acting by and through its Department of Public works, purchase the aforesaid equipment on an installment basis,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby determines that the proposed bulldozer will be used for public purposes and will have a

useful life exceeding three (3) years, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Department of Public Works to enter into an installment contract, for and on be-half of Kent County, to acquire the Bulldozer and hereby directs the Chairman of the Board of Public Works, or his designate, to execute any and all agreements and assignments necessary to accomplish the purchase and the

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installment financing thereof, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that, pursuant to the authori-zation provided in Act 156 of the Public Acts of 1851, as amended, and Act No. 202 of the Public Acts of 1943, as amended, the Kent County Board of Commissioners does hereb irrevocably pledge the full faith and credit of the County of Kent for the prompt payment of the purchase price a interest on the installment contract as a first budget limited tax general obligation of the County.

Commissioner Byington moved the adoption of the resolution.

Commissioner Byington moved the dopted to boycon Seconded by Commissioner Blakeslee. Motion carried by the following vote: Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey. Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Pupel. Sevensma, Sietsema, Somerville, Wahlfield, Chairman - 18.

Nays: None. Resolution No. 8-82-121, a new resolution not previously discussed regarding allocation formulas of the Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan was presented: (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER FROMAN

WHEREAS, the Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan is responsible for the coordination of a wide range of services for senior citizens in Kent County, and

WHEREAS, it is the expressed desire of the Kent County Board of Commissioners, in a resolution dated April 7, 1982, that the Area Agency on Aging of Western

April 7, 1982, that the Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan, allocate resources to the senior citizens of Kent County on a more equitable formula, and WHEREAS, the staff of the Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan has recently provided information indicating that the Advisory Council of Area Agency on taken will be recommending to the Board of Directors of indicating that the Advisory Council of Area Agency on Aging will be recommending to the Board of Directors of the Area Agency on Aging at the August 16, 1982 meeting, an allocation of funds for 1983 which will result in a shortfall to the senior citizens of Kent County of over \$125,000 if compared to a per capita allocation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Board of Commissioners expresses its displeasure with the proposed allocation and asks the Board of with the proposed allocation and asks the Board of Directors of Area Agency on Aging of Western Michigan to consider revising the recommendations of the Advisory Council so as to provide to the senior citizens of Kent County funding on a more equitable

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Kent County Board BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the went county Board of Commissioners reiterates its encouragement to the Board of Directors of Area Agency on Aging to modify its bylaws to provide for a more equitable formula for distribution of funds to the elderly throughout Kent County and the region.

Commissioner Froman moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Commissioner Byington. After some discussion, Commissioner Sietsema moved the resolution After some discussion, Commissioner Sietsema moved the resolution postponed until the September 1, 1982 meeting to allow time to t into the facts and figures. Seconded by Commissioner Blakeslee. After more discussion, Commissioner Kuhn called for the question. be postponed

Seconded by Commissioner Froman. Motion carried. Commissioner Sietsema's motion to postpone to September 1, 1982

Blakeslee, Gainey, Mazurkiewicz, Sietsema, Wahlfield - 5. failed by the following vote: Yeas: Blakeslee, Gainey, mazurklewicz, sietsema, Waniffeld S. Nays: Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Pupel, Sevensma, Somerville, Chairman - 13. Commissioner Somerville called for the question on Commissioner Froman's resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Kempker.

Commissioner Froman's resolution carried by the following vote: Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Byington, Ehlers, Froman, Johnson, Kempker, Kuhn, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Pupel, Sevensma, Somerville,

Wahlfield, Chairman - 15.

Wahlfield, Chairman - 15. Hays: Gainey, Mazurkiewicz, Sietsema - 3. A Student from Eastern Michigan University inquired whether A Student from Eastern Michigan University inquired whether het Kent County Board of Commissioners had a Scholarship Fund which would assist him in continuing his education. which would assist him in continuing his education. Chairman Buth reported there is no Public Statute that would Chairman Buth reported there is no Public Statute that would chairman Buth reported there is no Public Statute that would commissioner Laninga moved to adjourn to Friday, August 27, 1982 Commissioner Committee of the Whole Meeting and Wednesday.

at 9:00 a.m. for a Committee of the Whole Meeting and Wednesday. September 1, 1982 at 9:00 a.m. for an Official Meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Somerville. Motion carried unanimously.

Richard Buth

STATE OF HICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Kent JUVENILE DIVISION

Grand Rapids, Michigan in the Matter of, on the date and time and on petition below petitioner abown below the public will be accepted alleging that "Said children for consideration. Anyone are Weglected Children within the provisions of the Juvenile parental rights under the law Office, 774-J995. As off any parent or guardian shall contact the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the Judgent KE, Grand Manual States The County Controller's Contact the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the internation of the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the formation of the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the formation of the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the formation of the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the formation of the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the formation of the States and the County controller's Contact the Juvenile Court balance of federal revenue the formation of the states and the County anticipates Center, 1501 Cedar NE, Grand sharing funds in 5168,520:16. Rapids, Michigan, or take such The County anticipates other action as say be receiving 52,355,711.69 in persited by law, on or before the hearing date. Failure to comply with this order may result in said Richard J. Platte rder say result children being made temporary wards of the Court."

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Child: Geraldine Bustrean

Hearing: Sept. 7, 1982 at 4:00 p.m. Petitioner: Reith Kohl

Dated: August 4, 1982 JORN P. STERETEE

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STATE OF MICHIGAN **PROBATE COURT** COUNTY OF KENT PUBLICATION NOTICE DECEASED TESTATE/INTESTATE AFTER APPOINTMENT

CLAIMS File No. 137,965 Estate of SYLVIA E. NEL-SON, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE: On August 5, 1982, in the probate courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before ROLAND R. ROBEY, Register of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of Robert L. Olson for administration of this estate. The decedent, whose Social Security Number is 365-68-3382, died on

July 23, 1982, a resident of 414 N. Jefferson, Lowell, Michigan. Administration was granted to HERBERT ELZINGA. Personal Representative. The Last Will and Testament of the deceased dated September 7, 1976 was admitted to probate.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented on or before December 10, 1982 to Herbert Elzinga, c/o Atty. Robert J. DeBoer, 1125 W. Main St., Lowell, Mich. 49331, and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto. FREIHOFER. OOSTER-HOUSE, DE BOER & BARN-HART, P.C. BY: ROBERT J. DE BOER

(P-12598) 1125 W. Main St. Lowell, Mich. 49331 (616) 897-9218

Date: August 6, 1982 Herbert Elzinga Personal Representative 414 E. Main St. Lowell, Mich. 49331 (616) 897-9277 (Bus.)

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in for a surprise the next time

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STATE OF MICHIGAN **PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF KENT** PUBLICATION NOTICE DECEASED TESTATE/INTESTATE AFTER APPOINTMENT

CLAIMS File No. 137,981 Estate of LETHA B.

KEISER, Deceased. TAKE NOTICE: On August 3, 1982, in the probate

courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before ROLAND **ROBEY**, Register of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of Lillian Keiser for administration of this estate. The decedent, whose Social Security Number is 373-10-0029, died on July 29, 1982. a resident of 800 Montcalm N.E., Lowell, Michigan. Administration was granted to Lillian Kei-Personal Representative. The Last Will and Testament of the deceased dated April 30, 1982 was admitted to probate.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented on or before December 10, 1982 to Lillian Keiser, c/o Atty. Robert J. DeBoer, 1125 W. Main St., Lowell, MI 49331, and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter

assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto FREIHOFER. OOSTER-

HOUSE, DEBOER & BARN-HART. P.C. BY: ROBERT J. DE BOER (P-12598)

Date: August 6, 1982 LILLIAN KEISER Personal Representative 8601 Beaver S.E. Alto, Mich. 49301 (616) 868-6192



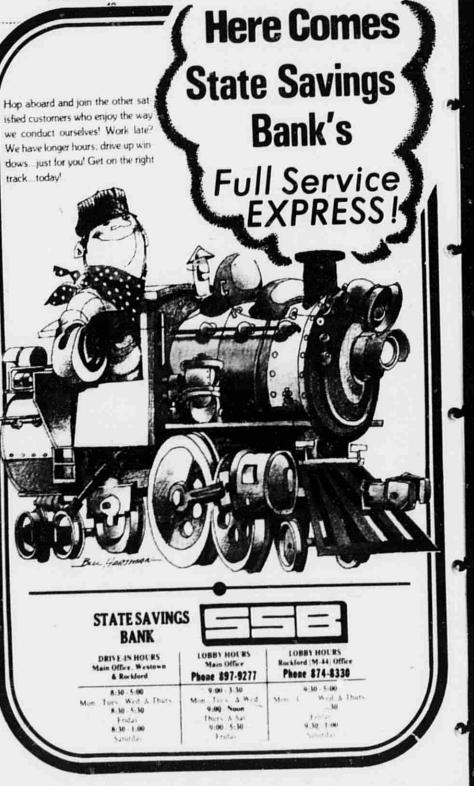
My grandparents celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary last Sunday. It was quite an occasion. In their eighties, they took on the task of inviting all their friends, neighbors and relatives out to the house for a buffet lunch, punch, coffee and beer on ice out behind the garage. My grandpa told me he was worried that nobody would show up, judging from all the cards they got in the mail after sending out the invitations. He needn't have worried,

They've lived on the same farm for nearly all of those sixty years and the North County Line Road that runs past their house was parked full on both sides for a considerable distance in either direction, not to mention cars parked all over the premises and in the field across the road. I don't know if there was an official count taken, but I think 200 would be a conservative guess. Counting children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and their spouses, grandpa said there are 48 descendants of their marriage. With only a couple of absentees from that number, that group in itself would have made a pretty good party.

Many of my grandparents' brothers and sisters were there, along with their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. There were friends from the Grange. There were neighbors from the surrounding farms. There were friends of their children, who have gotten to know my grandparents over the years. There were friends from their senior citizen group. There were just plain "friend", friends. There were so many people there that I'll bet I didn't have a name for half of them. I just kept introducing myself as one of Phyllis'

A special treat for me was seeing a second cousin that 1 haven't seen or heard from in years and years. He's my grandma's sister's kid from Detroit. He'd been invited to spend a couple of weeks on the farm every summer, and to keep him company, I was always invited for the same weeks. After our recollections of some of the things we did back then, I began to wonder why my grandparents invited us to their party. One thing we did that practically everyone there had heard about and remembered was when we blasted my aunt's (my aunt and uncle have a farm down the road) kitchen window with smashed bananas shot from our popguns. We were real cute kids.

It was one heck of a party. Sixty years is a lot of time to accumulate friends and relatives, and my grandparents have made real good use of those years. Happy anniversary Leda and Lester.



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County Controller

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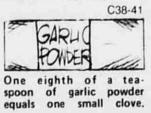
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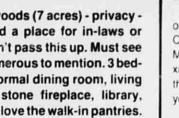
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& Thank You &

would like to thank all my friends, neighbors and relatives, for the lovely cards. flowers and calls since I have been in the hospital A special thanks to Reverend and Mrs. Mills, Reverend Amundsen and Herb Vanderbilt for their calls and prayers. Also thanks to Drs. McKay and Gerard, God Bless you All.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ford C40

The Family of Letha Keiser wishes to thank everyone for their kind expressions of sympathy through their beautiful flowers, words cards and letters received.

We especially wish to thank Rev. Greenwood for his comforting words of solace, and a special thanks to Midge Hackstedt, Georgie Boyce, Helen Koewers and Beverly Holst for the wonderful lunch after the services!

> Darlene & Roy Westcott Donald C. Keiser Roger L. Keiser _ C40

Words cannot express our feelings of gratitude and appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown our family during the illness and at the loss of our beloved husband. father and son. Vern Keim For the many floral tributes cards, food, money, donations to the Cancer Society and just being there when we needed you has meant more than anyone will ever know.

Many thanks to the ladies of the Congregational Church, Women of the Moose and the V.F.W. Au xiliary for the luncheon after the services. God Bless all of you.

Marilyn Keim Diana, JoAnn, Sharon & Linda Mr. & Mrs. Wesley Keim c40

WINNERS & LOSERS

Some unusual people places and things have won fame for being low. For example, the place with the lowest annual temperature is not, as you might suppose, the North or South Pole, but a spot in Antarctica with an average annual mean temperature of -72° F. That's 16° F. lower than the average at the South Pole. That's a low temperature that's pretty Tiberias, Israel is on the mean.

A low that a lot of people find interesting is the lowest tar level for a cigarette, Carlton is lowest. The A record low in the world manufacturer of Carlton of sport was set back in Bcx lists tar at less than 1936 when rofessional 0.01 mg and nicotine at golfer Alfred soward "mith 0.002 mg per cigaret: on shot 55 or an 18 hole every pack.

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In memory of our husband, father grandfather and great grandfather. Richard D. Snyder, who passed away Aug. 14, 1981. God took him home It was his will But I our hearts We love him still His memory is as dear today as in the hour he passed away. Sadly missed by

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Grand Valley Ledger - Wednesday, August 11, 1982 - Page 12 Veen observatory open house

You may not be able to catch a falling star and put it in your pocket, but at the Veen Observatory's Annual Open House you may be able to catch a glimpse of your favorite star ... close up. The week long Open House runs from Monday August 23 through Friday August 27. from 8:30 - 11:00 p.m. The Veen Observatory is located at 3308 Kissing Rock Road in Lowell. The Open House is free.

When the sky is clear, visitors will be able to view the moon and other celestial bodies through large telescopes. There is also the possibility that visitors will be able to view the recently discovered "Comet Austin". which will be in the evening skies briefly during late August.

Blood donor recruitment campaign

In an effort to avoid a shortage of blood for patients in Kent County, the Grand Valley Blood Program initiated the "Lifeline 8,000" blood donor recruitment campaign in the spring of 1982.

"Lifeline 8,000" has a goal of recruiting 8,000 new blood donors from businesses. churches, clubs, community groups and schools throughout Kent County in 1982 and 1983.



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"A Night on Kissing Rock Road", the Veen Observatory audio-visual program, is shown every half hour during the week. Tours of the Observatory and demonstra-tions of the radio telescope are also available, regardless

of the weather. To reach the Veen Observatory, follow Cascade Road to 36th Street. Go East on 36th Street to Kissing Rock Road (four miles). Go North on Kissing Rock Road 1/3 mile until you come to the Observatory drive, which will be clearly marked.

The Veen Observatory Annual Open House is sponsored by the Chaffee Planetarium of the Grand Rapids Public Museum and the Grand Rapids Amateur Astronomical Association.

According to Tracey Kohl, Director of Blood Donor Resources for Grand Valley Blood Program, the campaign in which existing blood donor groups are being asked to increase the number of blood donors from their

membership, has been met with enthusiasm from organizations throughout the area. Three groups from the

Lowell area have traditionally sponsored blood drives in cooperation with the Grand Valley Blood Program. They are the Lowell Lions Club, Local V.F.W. Post 8303 and the Lowell Moose Lodge.

'In 1981, we drew 111, pints of blood at the blood drives conducted in Lowell." said Kohl, "and so far in 1982, we have already collected 62 pints from just one blood drive."

We feel that this shows a firm commitment from the people of Lowell to increase their participation as volunteer blood donors and we are very gratified with this response," Kohl continued.

Blood drives conducted by he Grand Valley Blood Program in collaboration with organized groups provide the blood and blood components needed every day for hospital patients in Butterworth, Blodgett, Ferguson-Droste-Ferguson, St. Mary's and Osteopathic Hospitals.

Each day of the week from 80 to 100 units of blood are required in Kent County. One unit of blood can serve several patients by being separated into components. Blood components such as plasma, platelets, and red cells are needed every day

Stepek lands whopper



Tony Stepek, 12, of Lowell landed this whopper 20" small mouth bass below the King Milling Co. dam on the Flat River. Stepek was using a night crawler. Stepek's friend and fishing partner Aaron Adams helped him land the big bass.

New optometrist in area

Dr. Gerald L. Almy II, of 2504 Ardmore S.E., announces his association with James Ford, O.D. Dr. Almy is married to the former Suzanne L. Snyder of Burton and has two sons. Gerrad age two years and Joshua age three months.

Dr. Almy is a 1973 graduate of Ionia High School. He did his undergraduate work at Central Michigan University in pre-optometry. In 1975 he was selected to be one of the initial twenty-one students to attend Ferris State College of Optometry. While at Ferris he was selected by the Faculty and

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Bausch and Lomb to assist in contact lens research.

After graduating in 1979 he chose to pursue his profession with the U.S. Air Force. He received his commission in August 1979, as a Captain and spent three weeks in San Antonio, Texas, prior to being stationed at Norton Air Force Base outside of Palm Springs, California.

Dr. Almy is practicing Family optometry with special interests in children's vision and contact lenses.

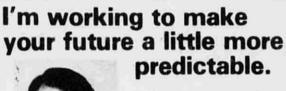
His office hours are Tuesdays through Saturday with evening and early morning hours by appointment.

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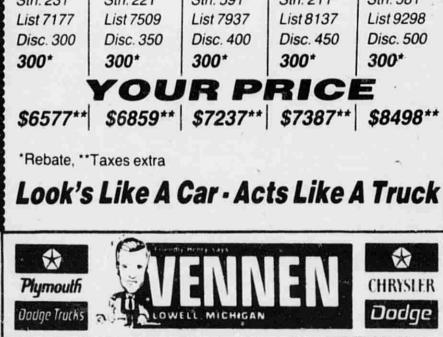
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