

## Special Education Department Explains Work To Lowell Board of Education

Three members of the Kent County special education staff and Roger Buck, teacher in a special education room, were present at the school board meeting on Monday evening to explain the work of this part of the county educational system.

Mrs. Virginia Guenther, one of four visiting teachers who work with the emotionally disturbed children, described the work of the various phases of the Kent County Special Education department.

The work is divided she said among the mentally retarded, who are handled in four divisions: the Class A room such as now has about 15 junior high students in Lowell; the Type B children who need much more intensive help, and this is given at the Lincoln School in Grand Rapids; and the

Type C children who attend regular classes, but get special tutoring once or twice a week.

All children in this program are placed by one of the county's staff of 5 diagnosticians who examine them and assign the type of special care they need.

Robert Crump, a teacher-counselor among the physically handicapped, discussed the four types of programing for this group. These are given attention in their class room, obtaining special large print books for those with poor eyesight or other aids for certain types of disability.

The Special Education Department has 4 teachers who work with the homebound, who are confined because of sickness or accident and counselling is done with children with individual problems that special attention can assist.

Mrs. Mary Ann Gill, speech instructor serving the Lowell and Caledonia area as part of the aid to the handicapped, told the board of education that there are 114 speech cases in her area, 64 are in Lowell and 50 in Caledonia. She works once or twice a week with this group of students, mostly early elementary grades.

Mrs. Guenther, who works in this area with the emotionally disturbed children related the problems of some of her cases. Her work, she related, is mostly of a preventive type, although many times the child reaches her too late for this counseling type of aid. In advanced cases she uses the services of the Child Guidance Clinic in Grand Rapids and the various social service agencies of the county.

The members of the Special Education staff complimented the local teachers and administrators on their ability of making full use of the services offered.

**Snow Asks to Join Lowell**

A letter from the Snow School District in Cascade Township was read, requesting a vote on annexation to Lowell School District. The board approved the vote and sent a request to the State for an election date.

The board also voted to take steps to set up a second school voting precinct in Alto in time for the June election.

In further action the meeting place of the board of education was changed to the library of the new high school. The next meeting the second Monday in February, the 10th, will be held in the new location. The front entrance will be used.

## Three Council Posts Up For Vote in April

Three Council posts in the city are up for election on April 6. All three of the incumbent candidates have indicated that they will be candidates.

The members of the council up for re-election are Richard Schleritzauer, Arnold Wittenbach and Phil Schneider.

Also up for election is the position of City Justice of the Peace which has been held by Howard J. Rittenger since the forming of the city in 1960. This position has a four year term.

There is some confusion as to the continuation of this office in its present form, but until the legislature takes some action to clear up the method of paying the justices and their qualifications, the position will be continued in the present form.

Candidates for Council or Justice of the Peace must obtain petitions at the city clerk's office and file them with her no later than Monday, January 20, at 5 p. m.



Lowell will have the pleasure of hearing two well known personalities at annual meetings of the Lowell Y. M. C. A. on February 6, and the Chamber of Commerce on February 10, it was revealed this week.

Appearing at the annual "Y" meeting will be co-captain of the Detroit Lions' football team, Terry Barr. He will talk about his experiences in professional football.

Speaking at the Chamber of Commerce meeting will be Congressman Jerry Ford, who is currently serving on the presidential commission to investigate the assassination of President J. F. Kennedy.

His talk is expected to touch on this inquiry, and the current activities of Congress.

Mrs. Ethel Borgerson of Greenbush, Michigan, wrote the following letter to the Ledger this week about her home town.

"Even tho I do not live in Lowell at the present time, I still feel that Lowell is my home town. On Christmas Day I was given a ticket for overtime parking on Main Street, and I have paid my fine.

"I am not mad and still like the place, but it surely is a big change from the days when "sign boards" on each end of town read 'Lowell the Friendly Town.'"

## Six Selected For Lowell YMCA Board of Managers

Mrs. C. Edw. Kiel, Lowell "Y" Board announced the results of the recent board election.

Incumbents: Jud Wilterink, Clark Fletcher, and Charles Davis. New Members: Keith Bovee, Rex Collins, and Don Schneider.

A total of 142 ballots were cast. The board wishes to thank Mrs. Keith Tapley, John Timpon, Jr., and William Schreur for showing their interest in the Lowell "Y" by permitting their names to be on the ballots.

Those elected will serve a three year term.

**Funeral Mass Held For Mary C. Oneal, Aged 91**

Mrs. Mary C. Oneal, aged 91, a resident of Lowell, passed away here last Friday morning, January 10.

Funeral Mass was held Monday morning at 10 a. m. in Lowell's St. Mary's Church. Burial was made in St. Patrick's Cemetery in Bowne Township.

Mrs. Oneal, who was born April 3, 1872, is survived by one daughter, Catherine of Lowell; one son, Joseph of Toledo, Ohio; three grandchildren; several great-grandchildren, and a host of friends.

## Robert Brouwer To Show Slides

The Alto Methodist Church will sponsor a Sunday evening program at the Alto Area Elementary School on January 19.

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" will be brought to the screens by Robert Brouwer of Grand Rapids.

A special invitation is being extended to the churches and general public of Lowell and the surrounding areas to attend this unusual program.

Mr. Brouwer's electrical training has proved valuable in planning and designing much of his special equipment. Controlled light, three vivid screens, four projectors, tape recorder and quality stereo speakers, contribute to the dramatic effect of "Great Is Thy Faithfulness."

Everyone attending the program will thrill to this spectacular trav. elogue in full dimension. As the three large screens reflect the artistically composed scenes in sparkling color, the dynamic hi-fidelity stereo music and narration add depth and brilliance. The viewer will enjoy the delightful variety of scenes in this unusual program.

The doors of the school will open at 8:30. m. and the program, open at 8 p. m. and the program,

**Boxers Work-out At Field House**

Twenty-five good prospects for the Golden Gloves turned out for the first meeting set up by the Lowell Athletic Club at the "Y" Field House in Recreation Park last Thursday evening.

The boys came from Lowell, Ionia, Saranac, Lyons, Parnell, and Ada, to get acquainted and discuss a boxing schedule to be set up for conditioning practice.

Since the meeting on Thursday, daily work-outs from 6:30 to 9 p. m. each evening have been in session. On Saturdays a training session has been set for 11 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Punching bags, 4 heavy and one light, jumping ropes, mouth pieces, hand wraps, etc. will be furnished by the club for the boys to use during their work-outs.

A floor has been laid for the ring the canvas has been secured, and it is hoped by the officials that construction will be completed by this week end.

Every Saturday, Morris Bowman of Grand Rapids, who is busy training his own team for the Golden Gloves, will be in Lowell to give those extra helpful pointers and supervise the action at the field house. Mr. Bowman, who is well-known in the Golden Gloves circle, has been a boxing trainer for many years, and has the experience and know how to help this club.

The facilities being set up at the field house will accommodate more boys and anyone interested in working out or making a bid for the Golden Gloves is cordially invited to meet at ring side with other prospective boxers and officials.

Additional information regarding requirements, work outs, etc. can contact James Hutson at TW 7-7841 or Bob Forst at the Lowell Y. M. C. A.

Golden Gloves competition will be held at the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium February 3 through 5.



**Women's Club Hears Speaker**

A most interesting program was enjoyed by the members of the Lowell Women's Club on Monday, January 6. Mrs. Howard Rittenger was program chairman.

Mrs. David Nins, president of the Grand Rapids' League of Women voters, a non-partisan organization, was the guest speaker. Mrs. Nins encouraged the members to join and work in the party of their choice.

She also urged the members to keep their registration up-to-date and stated election day should be a day of dedication to our democracy. She also related interesting information on the League and the many state and national programs.

The tea committee for the program was Mrs. Earl Ketcham and Mrs. Peter DeVries.

## Former Lowell Graduate Comes Back To Teach

Noel Smith, a 1959 graduate of Lowell High School, has returned to Lowell to teach in the school system here.

During the past four years, Noel had been a student at Ferris State College, where he majored in Science. Several times his name appeared on the Dean's list, and at the end of last year's study, he received a Bachelor of Science Degree.

This year Noel is teaching General Science in the seventh and eighth grades in the junior high section of Lowell Area Schools.

He resides with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, North Hudson Street, Lowell, who are also teachers in the Lowell public schools.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

A Public Hearing will be held in the council room of the city hall on Monday, February 3, 1964 at 8 p. m. prior to giving preliminary approval to a plat entitled "Valley Vista No. 1".

Laura E. Shepard  
Lowell City Clerk

## Services Held For Sarah Miller, 73

Funeral services were held Monday at the Roth Funeral Home for Mrs. Wesley A. Miller, 73, of 813 Montcalm Road, Lowell. The Rev. Keith Bovee was the officiating clergyman and interment was made in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Miller passed away Thursday, January 9, in Butterworth Hospital, following a short illness. Sarah E. Boynton was born December 26, 1890, in Byron Township, and lived in Jenison and Grand Rapids before moving to the Fallsburg area in Vergeennes Township 42 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller were married on December 25, 1915, in Jenison. He retired from the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company in 1956.

She was a member of the Chesapeake and Ohio Auxiliary, the Blue Star Mothers, and the Lowell Methodist Church. Mrs. Miller also maintained membership in the Good Will Club, during its existence.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Miller is survived by four sons, Ferris of Grand Rapids, Bernard of Muskegon, Ward of Sacramento, California, and Dale of Traverse City; twin daughters, Mrs. Sylvester (Beulaine) Hilaski of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Earl (Elaine) Zalm of Indio, California; and twelve grandchildren.

Also surviving are three brothers, Charles and John Boynton, both of Grand Rapids, and Frank E. Boynton of Winter Haven, Florida; and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Frain of Arcadia, Michigan.

## Bike Riders Warned That They Must Have Lights

Lowell Police Chief Avery Block said Monday that he has had several complaints from citizens against youths operating bicycles on the streets at night without lights. One motorist reported on two occasions he had almost struck a cyclist because there were no lights visible.

State and city ordinances require anyone using a bicycle at night to have a white light on the front and a reflector on the rear. Parents will be fined if police find operators on the streets after dark, Block warned.

## Two Former Employees of the Amway Corporation in Ada were sentenced to 90 days in jail in lieu of paying \$100 fines Thursday for stealing their former employer's sample products.

Richard K. Ackerson, 26, of Clarksville and Ronald L. Price, 23, of 309 1/2 West Fulton St., pleaded guilty of the charge when they appeared before Justice Pearl Matthews of Comstock Park.

Ackerson was arrested in Lowell last Wednesday by Lowell police, from a tip they received from his accomplice.

## Erection of a new fire warning device was underway this week, and none too soon. A fire call Tuesday morning brought only a short blast from the siren.

The fire call came from the Clifford Perrin residence, west of the city, on M-21 where a garage was slightly damaged by smoke and fire.

Firemen were called early on January 9 to the Garry Stark-weather residence on South Jackson St., where laundry in the rear seat of his car was found smoldering.

## Ten years ago this week...

Joseph Silverale, 17, of Grand Rapids confessed that he had held up Boyd's Grocery Store in South Lowell the week before and made off with a \$50 roll of bills...

The red hot Red Arrows basketball squad, sparked by Bob Grummet and Ray Hong, took over the Grand Valley League lead by defeating Godwin 67-59...

The 16th March of Dimes campaign got underway with an announcement that a new trial vaccine might be tested in 1954; in publicizing the polio drive, the Ledger featured a picture of cousins John Vog and James Albright recuperating in Blodgett Hospital's polio ward from an October attack...

The Lowell Cafe announced that all money paid for coffee during one business day would be donated to the March of Dimes drive...

A \$1,500 fire damaged the office building of Dr. H. R. Myers.

## FINED FOR DRUNK DRIVING

Lowell Police reported that John C. Osmolinski, 45, 5330 East Fulton Rd., Ada, appeared before Justice Howard Rittenger of Lowell on Monday morning and pled guilty to driving under the influence of liquor. He was fined \$100 or 30 days in jail. Police said they arrested him Sunday, January 12 at 2:25 a. m. on M-21 in the city.

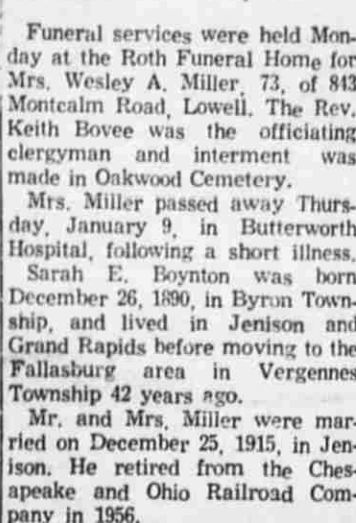
## ICE SKATING HOURS

Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 4 to 6 p. m. Tuesday and Thursday evenings 7 to 9 p. m. Saturday, 2 to 5 p. m., and 7 to 10 p. m. Sundays 2 to 5 p. m.

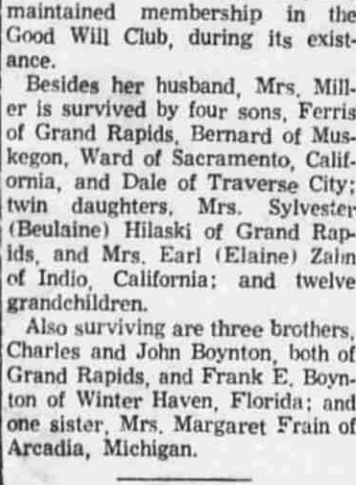
## AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE

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## Team Effort Beats Sparta 78-72 Arrows Lead Conference



Duane McIver picks up two more points on this shot in the game Friday night with Sparta. McIver was picked by Coach Jack Kempler as the outstanding defensive player in the game, as well as placing second in total points, with 20.



Craig Walter shoots as Tim Nelson and Duane McIver wait under the basket for the rebound, in the Lowell area were on hand to cheer the team to its 78-72 victory. Photos by Tom Wilcox.

Last Wednesday night Lowell traveled to Sparta and downed them by a score of 78 to 72. In the meantime over at Cedar Springs, the Red Flannel wrestlers were defeating Belding by a score of 27 to 21. This puts Lowell in the lead with 4 wins and no losses, while Belding is now 3 and 1.

Lowell took on Belding last night, but it was too late to get the results in this issue.

Last Saturday night the grapplers beat Wyoming by a score of 26 to 24. This was the same team that beat Lowell for their only loss, last season, Wyoming was undefeated this year until they ran into our determined wrestlers. This has to be the most exciting meet of the season. It went right down to the wire with the meet being decided by the heavyweight match.

**Heavyweight Wins**

Wyoming was leading by a score of 24 to 23, going into the heavyweight division. Tufts, Wyoming's heavy, was undefeated and had beaten Jim Justifer in their first meeting. Jim was not to be denied this time however, and what has to be his best effort of his career, he defeated Tufts by a score of 6 to 0. Tufts was not in this match at all, and the score is a true indication of just how badly Jim beat him.

There were 7 pins in this meeting compared with 8 in their first meet. High for the year is 9 pins with Comstock Park; Lowell had 7 of the 9.

Following is the running score of the Sparta meet:

95 Blauvew beat Ortowski, 10 to 3; 103 Lipscomb beat Preston, 8 to 3; 120 Wingeier beat Scheidel, 5 to 3; 120 Bishop pinned Traxler in 2:53; 127 Odell and Schmidt drew; 133 Hunt decisioned Wilk, 8 to 2; 138 McPherson pinned Middleton in 5:06; 145 Patterson beat Myers, 14 to 9; 154 Hostetter pinned Reister in 2:22; 165 Koning beat Boyd, 4 to 2; 180 Serne pinned Brown in 1:25; and Heavyweight Bieri pinned Willis in 2:19.

**JV's Defeat Wyoming**

In another real exciting meet the JV wrestlers dented Wyoming by a score of 21 to 18 last Saturday night before the Varsity meet.

Ortowski won on a pin in the second period; Wingeier won 7 to 2; Wittenbach won a first period pin; Taylor lost 6 to 2; Burton lost 11 to 0; Wittenbach won a first period pin; Taylor lost 11 to 0; Goodwin lost 4 to 3; Dan Finkler won 6 to 4; Nauta won on a



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Second period pin; Wessell lost 9 to 5; Ayres lost 12 to 10; and Boyce lost 4 to 0.

**Varsity-Wyoming Score**

95 Capers pinned Toussaint in 2:17; 103 Lipscomb pinned D. Vanportfleet in 45 seconds; 112 Bill Vanportfleet pinned Pat Hoag in 4:37; 120 Stall decisioned Bishop 9 to 7; 127 Odell pinned O'Brien in 3:06; 133 Hunt pinned Steenbergen in 4:41; 138 McPherson beat Bond 7 to 5; and 145 Pechumer beat Myers 5 to 4.

154 Hostetter pinned Kennedy in 4:19; 165 Wilson decisioned Boyd 7 to 2; 180 Emaus pinned Serne in 3:24; and in the deciding match in the heavyweight division Justifer beat Tufts 6 to 0.

Saturday night, January 18, Lowell travels to Rockford. The JV match will start at 6, with the varsity getting underway about 7 p. m.

Next Tuesday night, January 22, Comstock Park comes to Lowell with the meet starting at 7 p. m.

## 'Y' Membership Campaign Starts

The campaign organization for our 4th annual "Y" membership effort is in full gear. General chairman C. H. Runciman announced that the co-visionary leaders for the active memberships (family, adult and youth) will be Mrs. C. Edw. Kiel and Babe Wingeier. Sustaining leader will be Elmer Schaefer.

Team captains in the active division are Charles Pierce, George Dey Jr., Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw, Mrs. Tyrus Wessell, Jud Wilterink, Mrs. Keith Tapley, Mrs. Clinton Christoff and Rev. Keith Bovee.

The kick-off dinner for the 64 leaders and workers will be held Thursday, January 30th, 6:15 at the American Legion Dining Hall.

Goals for this year's campaign are 125 family-type, 50 adult, 200 youth, and 50 sustaining. The campaign is for both new members and renewal members.

## LAST DAY TO REGISTER FOR CITY PRIMARY ELECTION

The last day to register for the Lowell City primary election is Monday, Jan. 20, the clerk's office will be open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. The primary election will be held on Monday, February 17 if more than two candidates file for each city office.

## Take League Lead... Matmen Beat Sparta and Wyoming

The fantastic rebounding of Duane McIver and the eagle eye shooting of Bob Elzinga brought league leadership of the Tri-River conference to the Arrows last Friday night in defeating Sparta 78-72. The town was buzzing with enthusiasm on Saturday after the greatest team effort to date gave Lowell state-wide publicity.

Elzinga was shooting with unbelievable accuracy and he had 14 of Lowell's 21 points to only 16 for Sparta at the end of the first period; the second period found Lowell with a five point lead over Sparta 39-34.

Sparta came back in the third period and lead by a score of 59-57 going into the final stanza. With only two minutes to go the score was tied and Lowell moved to its six point lead in the final minute of the game.

## Gain State Status

The win over Sparta which going into this game was ranked low in the state with a 7-0 record; would rate Lowell among the top class B high school teams.

Top scoring honors went to Bob Elzinga 28; Duane McIver 20; Tim Nelson 10; Paul Kropf 9; Terry Able 7; Craig Walter 4.

**Junior Varsity Defeated 43-34**

The JV's were defeated by Sparta in the first game 43-34. Lowell trailed all the way 12-4 at quarter, 26-11 at half, 39-25 at three-quarter. Haywood was high scorer with 14. Tom Herblat 6, Dave Wessell 4, Tom Hagen and Jim Malcolm 3 each, Paul Manigold and Joe Melle 2 each.

Lowell freshmen were defeated by Sparta 81-58.

The Arrows will travel to Belding this Friday night with the JV's playing at 6:30 and the varsity at 8 p. m.

## Tri-River Standings

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|---------------|---|---|
| Lowell        | 4 | 0 |
| Sparta        | 3 | 1 |
| Comstock Park | 2 | 2 |
| Rockford      | 2 | 2 |
| Cedar Springs | 1 | 3 |
| Belding       | 0 | 4 |

## NOTICE TO LOWELL CITY TAXPAYERS

The city treasurer's office, 301 E. Main, will be open on Saturday, January 18, 1964, from 9 a. m. until 2 p. m.

Since January 19 of this year falls on Sunday, this office will accept payments of taxes without the 3 percent interest penalty on Monday, January 20, 1964. Any taxes collected after January 20, 1964, will be charged interest.

Laura E. Shepard  
City Treasurer

## Teen Spotlight



Teen of the Week is Miss Maureen Priebe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Priebe, of 150 Center Avenue here in Lowell. Maureen is a busy Senior with a fine scholastic record behind her. Not only has she been an Honor Roll student she has also proved a valuable asset to her class extracurricularly speaking.

During her freshman and sophomore years she participated in Latin Club, Future Teachers, Band and the Pom Pom group. As a Junior, Maureen belonged to Art Club, Pep Club, Band, Select Band and served on the make-up committee for the Junior Play. The same year she worked as an office girl.

This year Maureen is active in Art Club, Pep Club, Band and the Annual Staff as well as being on the Homecoming Committee and taking a role in the Senior Play. All in all Maureen has been an active high school student.

Maureen says her plans after graduation include college and perhaps a career teaching art.

## J. P. Burroughs Reports 11.6 Million Quarter Sales

The unaudited consolidated results of operations of J. P. Burroughs and Son, Inc. for the three months ended November 30, 1963 are summarized as follows:

Sales \$11,683,455. Income before taxes \$324,303. Net income \$227,003. Shares outstanding 1,424,142. Net income per share \$.16.

The results of operations include those of the C. H. Runciman Company acquired in September, 1963. Comparable amounts for the three months ended November 30, 1962 are not included due to the effect of mergers and acquisitions subsequently consummated.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A Public hearing for the purpose of considering the matter of adoption of an ordinance amending the City of Lowell Zoning Ordinance will be held in the City Council Meeting Room on Monday, the 3rd day of February, 1964 at 8:00 PM.

The proposed amendment would change the North 250 feet of land owned and occupied by Mr. George Lundberg and land adjacent there-to owned by Mr. Wendell Bernman but the latter not to exceed 300 feet east and west in width and extending from the south line of M-21 to the north line of Boves Road.

A copy of the proposed ordinance may be seen at the City Clerk's office at any time during regular office hours.

Laura E. Shepard  
City Clerk

## CLEARANCE AT WEPMANS

See the outstanding buys in dress jackets at drastically reduced prices at Wepman's Clothing and Shoes, 103 East Main, Lowell. c-40

Read the Ledger Want Ads!



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the event pin Bowling this week was back to normal with the holidays gone...

Men's High Series Bob Kline 634 Tom Ford 599 Jim Topp 598 Ron Hobst 585 Ed Roth 570 Merle Alexander 561 Ken Hewitt 560 Carol Potter 558 Hugh Landfield 555 Lued Kerr 555

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Women's High Series Marilyn Keim 514 Ginny Wheat 502 Marian Kutchey 495 Gloria Young 494 Emma Guiggle 484 Charlotte Siciliano 482 Grace Parrish 481 Donna Smith 469 Bev Holst 469 Carol Lawrence 467

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Friday and Saturday Only \$500 OFF THE MARK-DOWN PRICE OF ANY WINTER Coat or Car Coat

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January can be fun... OR, LET'S ALL GO TO THE BUICK SPORTS CAR RALLY. REALLY. You say you're just plain sick and tired of spending another dreary winter in that car you've got now?

Enroll Now For Knitting Classes This is the last week to enroll in the Winter term, Y.M.C.A. Knitting classes...

4-H Fair Board Meeting, Jan. 16 The Annual Fair Board meeting, open to the public, will be Thursday, January 15, 8 p. m.

Hot Lunch Program Week of Jan. 20th No School Monday TUESDAY Vegetable Soup, Crackers...

Lowell News Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clark entertained Mrs. Trent Devenne to a birthday dinner last Friday.

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What Kind Of Citizen Am I? Michigan State University Study Groups will attempt to answer the question "What Kind of Citizen Would you give up the government services you enjoy today for the sake of the horse and buggy era?"

Southwest Bowne Mrs. L. T. Anderson Claire Gougherty and sister, Miss Margaret of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anderson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flynn and family...

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Standings For Y.M.C.A. Activities Couplet's Bridge, 7 Rounds: Bob and Vi Murray 52.17 Ernie and Bea Foreman 48.08...

Second Semester Program At Jr. College Announced The Grand Rapids Junior College Evening Program schedule for the second semester was received...

Servicemen Army Specialist Four Melvin L. Wireman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ettele Wireman, Route 2, Belding, Michigan...

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We read the other day that folks in Russia take only one bath a year. Evidently this is propaganda designed to attract American youth toward Communism.

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### Alto Community News

Mrs. Claud Silcox — Phone UT 8-6710

#### Invite Dancers To Fun-Filled Event

Square dancers in the Lowell, Alto and Clarksville areas have been issued a special invitation by the P.T.A. of the South Godwin Heights Elementary School, to a square dance this Saturday evening, January 18.

#### Mothers' Club To Meet January 21

The Alto Area Mothers' Club will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, January 21, at 8 p. m. in the Alto Elementary School.

#### Church To Show Slides

On the evening of Sunday, January 19, the Alto Methodist Church is sponsoring a program of slide pictures given by Rev. H. Brouwer of Grand Rapids.

#### Other Alto News

Mr. and Mrs. George Montague and daughters of Lake Odessa were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Watts.

### Three Men Hit Train; Escape Serious Injury

Three Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company workers were injured Friday morning when their car hit a C&O freight train at the crossing at Thornapple River Drive and 40th Street, S. E.

Taken to Blodgett Memorial Hospital was Orton Seese, 46, of Alto who suffered a concussion and face cuts; Joseph Meternick, 44, of Alto with severe facial cuts; and Arthur Marzani, 41, of 3087 Thornapple River Drive, S. E., the driver, who was treated for only minor injuries.

#### Marriages Told Authorities They Were Driving South on Their Way to Work in Grand Rapids

The Michigan State Police reported that three men were driving south on their way to work in Grand Rapids, in the dark of the morning and with the snow blowing, their visibility was very limited and they saw the train an instant before the impact.

#### Deputy William TenBrink, who Investigated the Accident, Reported That There Were No Signal Lights at This Particular Crossing.

The late model sedan was shipped to ahead by the train on the passenger's side. The occupants of the car were thrown from the wreckage. The car struck the fifth car ahead of the caboose of the 62-car train.

#### Bluebird News

The Little Blue Birds had their meeting January 9, 1964. We talked about what things we like best, and what we got for Christmas.

### Star Corners Mrs. Ira Blough

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wieland, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fie and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Seese and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seese were Friday evening guests at the Francis Seese home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter of Rapid were a Saturday supper party which were enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Yoder, Mrs. Irene Stahl, George Meternick and children were last week callers at the Francis Seese home.

#### Mr. and Mrs. John Krebs, and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blough enjoyed a fish dinner at the George Krebs home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ira Blough entertained with a Stanley party Friday evening. Orton Seese returned home from the hospital Sunday after being injured in an auto-train accident.

#### Now is the time for all good juniors to make warm friends of their tenants.

Ledger Want Ads bring results. Snow flurries due this weekend.

with other men. We hope for a Michigan has a greater variety of trees than any other state in the nation, and more than in all of Europe, according to the Michigan Tourist Bureau.



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For special information, write Michigan Tourist Council, Room 8, Mason Bldg., Lansing 14, Mich.

### MICHIGAN WINTER WONDERLAND

#### Here's Your Guide to Winter Sports Fun



Table listing various winter sports locations in Michigan, including names like Boyne Mountain, Boyne Falls, and Boyne Highlands, along with their respective phone numbers and addresses.

### South Boston Mrs. Della Young

Mrs. Kenneth Tucker and son John, returned by plane recently from Florida. Mrs. Tucker's mother, Mrs. Carrie Thomas, and Mrs. West Bradenton, Florida by the Florence Noyes are located at winter.

### ELECTRICAL WIRING — FIXTURES REPAIRS G. E. Appliances RICKERT ELECTRIC

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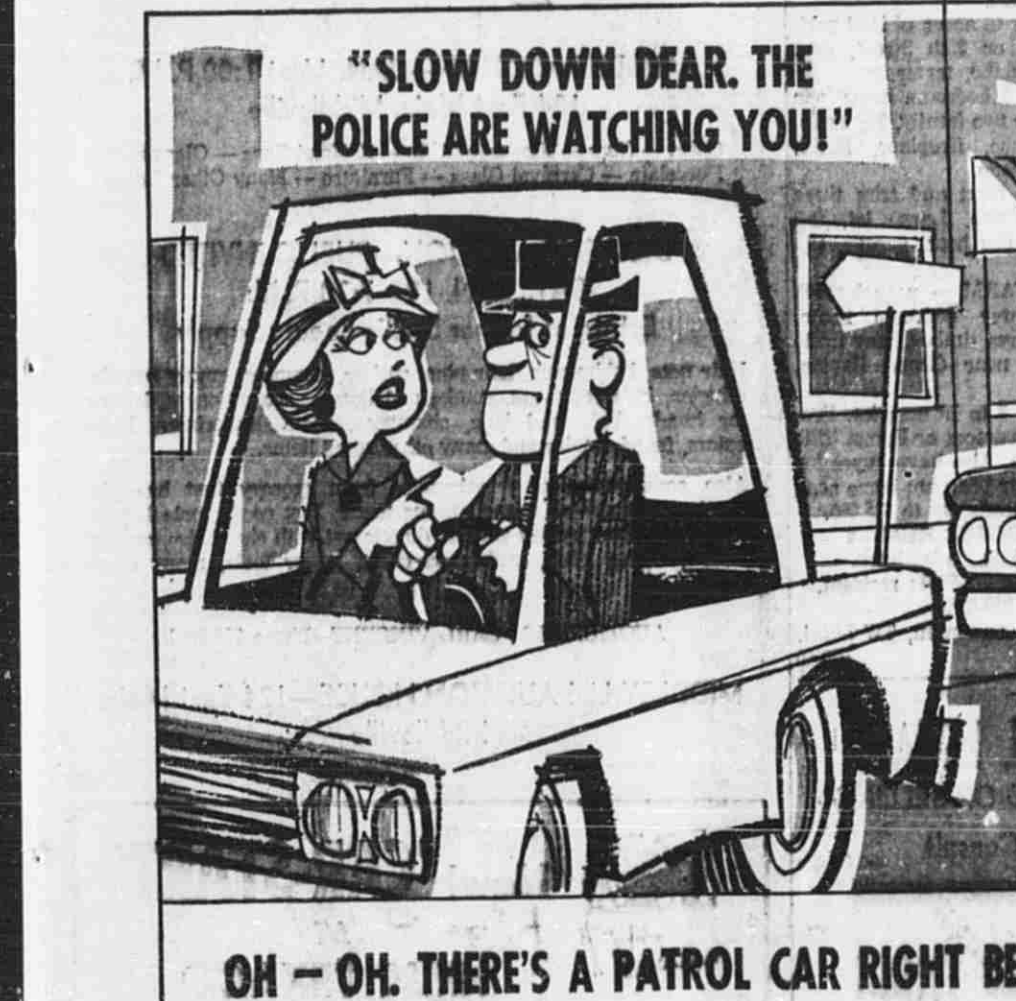
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### 63 Dead In '64 And it's only 16 days old



Breath squeezes your throat—no flash runs around the hair line—a startled peek at the speedometer—Where! That was close! You slow down a bit to get below the speed limit! Sound familiar? You bet. Nothing sharpens good driving practices like the sudden appearance of the law in your rear-view mirror. Proof: in 85% of all accidents—somebody broke the traffic rules! Never seems to happen when the police are around. More cars than ever swarm the roads—and the police can't be everywhere. So, tell you what; next time you're driving—maybe over the long weekend coming up—try pretending there's out a patrol car behind you. All the time. (Bet you stay out of trouble.)

A Public Service in the Interest of Accident Prevention by this Newspaper and the Michigan Press Association with the cooperation of Michigan State Safety Commission, Michigan State Police, Michigan Insurance Information Service.

### Snow Community Mrs. P. Reynolds

The furnace at Snow Church decided to have a holiday Saturday night and in spite of all efforts to start a going there was no service Sunday, so twenty-one people from Snow went to Verrogenes for services Sunday morning, January 14.

#### Mr. and Mrs. George Pfaffler of Lowell called on Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pfaffler Sunday afternoon.

Nick Medendorp or Grand Rapids, was a Wednesday luncheon guest of Clara Carey.

#### Mr. and Mrs. John Blanding and children were dinner guests Sunday of John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blanding sr., of Greenville.

Mrs. Lloyd Bertran and Ernie Pesoyan were honor guests at a surprise birthday party Thursday evening at the Bertran home.

#### Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Snyder and sons of Kalamazoo called on Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds and Mrs. Alex Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown of Flint spent the weekend with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown.

Jerry Timmer of Grand Rapids drove his brother-in-law, Clary Carey, to St. Mary's Hospital on Friday so that he could have the cast changed on his leg. Mr. Carey will be wearing a cast for at least two more months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennett of Cascade called on Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reynolds last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Varrington and family of Caledonia spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bertran.

Mrs. Kenneth Fox called on Mrs. Ora Ingervoll of Gove District Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nollist of Ada.

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### Lowell Area School Board

Minutes of Meeting Held December 8, 1963

The meeting was called to order by the President, W. H. Hill, at 7:40 p. m. on December 8, 1963. All members were present.

Also present at this meeting were G. Hill, P. Speerstraj, J. Troy, H. Jefferson, Mrs. Ann Borgerson, Mrs. Dolores Doyle, Mrs. Orion Thaler, Mrs. Ruth Thurstell and Principals Hagen and Venema.

On motion by Kiel, supported by Mr. Gerard, the minutes of the November 11, 1963, meeting were approved as printed; and on motion by Shade, supported by Reagon, bills were approved for payment as listed.

On motion by Meternick, supported by Shade, Supt. Niabe was given authority to borrow up to \$40,000 to meet all current expenses including the December 15, 1963 payroll. If sufficient state aid funds become available before December 15, 1963, the loan may be necessary.

The Comprehensive Liability Insurance Policy was discussed.

Principal Venema presented four elementary teachers to the board for presentation of what is now different in their fields.

Mrs. Ann Borgerson displayed a reading achievement test which is being used in grades four and six. It gives every student a chance to progress in reading at their own speed.

Mrs. Orion Thaler explained the functioning of Lowell's first primary ungraded room. This is known as a continual program (seven levels) based on reading readiness.

Mrs. Barbara Truense has been secured to teach the 2nd grade. Mrs. Frances Mendez has been secured to teach physical education two days a week at Alto. Mrs. MaryAnn Ayers has been hired to work in the high school office.

A petition was read asking for a Bible study meeting to be held in the school auditorium during lunch hour. Further investigation as to the legality of allowing this is being checked.

A letter from Mrs. C. J. Christoff was read to the board, the letter was highly complimentary of Principal Hagen. The basis for cancellation of school on bad weather days was discussed and it was agreed to follow the same procedure as last year.

The board wishes to extend congratulations to Hans Andrews and all those who helped in making career night such a wonderful success.

R. E. Reagan, D.D.S., Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1964

at 10 a. m. in the Probate Courtroom, County Building, Grand Rapids, Michigan a hearing will be held on a petition by Henry B. Davis, Jr. praying that the Court order a hearing on the final account of said Henry B. Davis, Jr., as executor of said estate, and that the said estate be settled as assigned.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by law and Court rule. Dated: January 6, 1964.

A. DALE STOPPELS, Judge of Probate, Kent County, Michigan.

ROLAND R. ROBEY, Register of Probate, c39-41

ROLAND M. SHIVEL, 608 Michigan Nat'l Bank Bldg. Grand Rapids, Michigan ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—File No. 116,028

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent, Estate of Theodore Weppler, Deceased, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1964

at 10 a. m. in the Probate Courtroom, County Building, Grand Rapids, Michigan a hearing will be held on a petition by Laura Riordan, fiduciary praying that the Court order a hearing on claims; such hearing is ordered to be held on March 9, 1964. Therefore, creditors of said deceased shall present their claims to the court and send a copy to the fiduciary at 423 Plymouth, S. E., Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by law and Court rule. Dated: December 23, 1963.

WALLACE WALKER, Judge of Probate, Kent County, Michigan.

A true copy. ROLAND R. ROBEY, Register of Probate, c38-40

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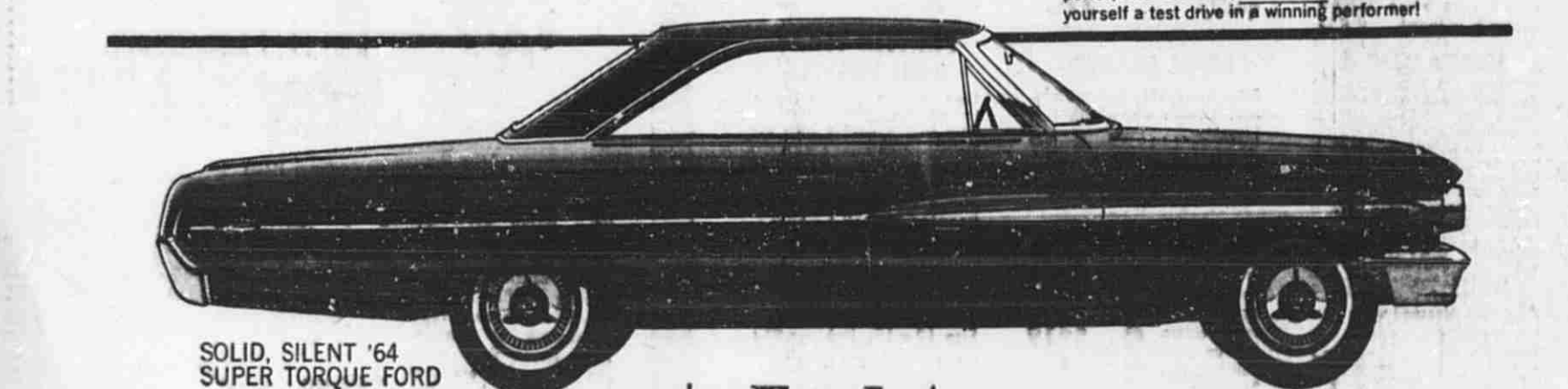
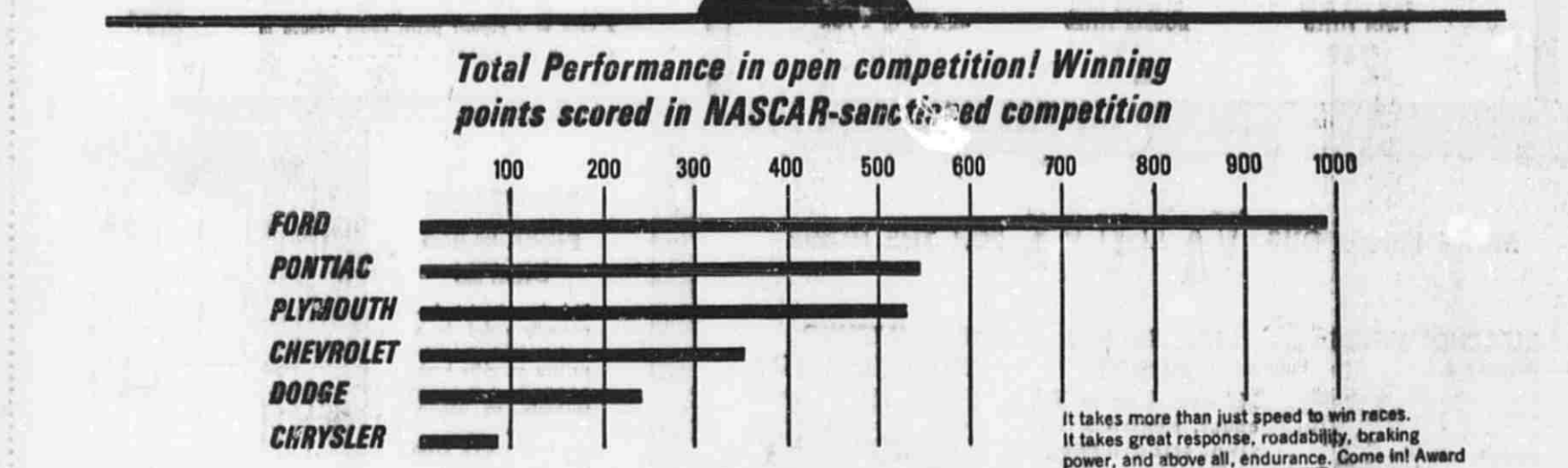
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"Stand and pray that ye enter not into temptation."  
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## The Latest On Evolution

The following was taken from Incidents and Illustrations, by Evangelist Robert L. Sumner in The Sword of The Lord, January 3, 1964.

"You are not going to like this, I feel sure, but evolution's latest 'discovery' is that man and the rat are descended from a common rat-like ancestor. So says Dr. Malcolm C. McKenna, a paleontologist on the staff of the American Museum of Natural History, New York City.

"Well, both do have whiskers!

"It is amazing how intelligent men, seemingly in an effort to bypass God and His revelation, repeatedly jump from the absurd to the ridiculous and back to the absurd again."

Evangelist Sumner continues, "... but my ancestry goes back to the Garden of Eden where, as the result of a direct, creative act of Almighty God, the head of my race was made a living soul. Genesis 2:7 puts it this way: 'And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.'"

We invite you to a church that believes what the Bible teaches, and preaches, "Thus saith the Lord!" —Pastor H. Buikema

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## Lowell Couple Wins Home, Appliances

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Desotell, 11847 East Fulton Road, and their 2½-month-old daughter, Pam Lynn, have big smiles, after having been notified that they were the winners of a 21x23 vacation home and three major appliances, valued at \$6,000. Desotell casually filled out an entry blank at the local Michigan Bottle Gas company office two months ago. He was the top winner in the nation-wide contest that had 96,000 entries.

## newest arrivals

A daughter, Judy Kay, was born January 7 at Butterworth Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vidian. Judy weighed 7 pounds, and ½ ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson (nee Bonnie Bryan) are the proud parents of a daughter, Katrina Suzanne, born on January 3, 1964, at Mount Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Ohio. The new arrival weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz.

Mrs. and Mrs. William Wood announce the birth of a 7 lb. daughter, Corrine Louise, January 3 in Butterworth Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boerema are the proud parents of a baby girl, Lisa Marie, born December 20 at Blodgett Memorial Hospital. The new arrival weighed 7-pounds, 8-ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wood announce the arrival of their 8-pound, 12-ounce daughter, Angela Sue, born January 2 at Blodgett Hospital. Mrs. Wood is the former Ruth Meeuwse.

A 8-pound, 12-ounce son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Rash on Saturday, January 11. David Michael arrived at Butterworth Hospital. His mother is the former Marge Ritter.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank every one who sent me fruit, flowers, cards and every thing and was so nice to me while I was in the hospital. Mrs. Frank Shores

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Donald Dunlap, District Superintendent for Michigan Bottled Gas presented the certificate of the award to Mr. and Mrs. Desotell. He said that only a few entries were sent in from this area.

"Just like Christmas all over again," they exclaimed and then hurried to call their families. This is the way it was Saturday when Donald Dunlap, District Manager of the Michigan Bottle Gas Company of Lowell, revealed to Mr. and Mrs. Desotell that they were the big winners in the National LP Gas Market Development Council's "Win this LP-Gas Vacation Home" nation-wide sweepstakes contest.

The Desotells purchased their present home, just west of the city 2½ months ago. He is employed as a machine operator by Sackerman Industries in Grand Rapids.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Desotell, live on Lowell View Avenue, and Louise, his wife, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deery Schutte of Morse Lake Avenue, Alto.

Besides the home, the Desotell's prizes included a modern LP gas range, space heater and water heater.

### B&PW DELEGATION HEAR MARIE HAGER SPEAK

A delegation from the Lowell Business and Professional Women's Club had the privilege of hearing Marie Hager speak at the Central Christian Church in Grand Rapids, Sunday.

One of the duties of the people today, Mrs. Hager commented is to keep our representatives in government informed on the every pressing problems that confront us.

This year has crucial months ahead, and to keep our government up-to-date, be sure and contact your representatives.

### BEVERLY WEPMAN STUDENT TEACHER IN GRAND RAPIDS

Miss Beverly Wepman, daughter of Mrs. Herman Wepman of Lowell, a senior at Michigan State University, is working as a student teacher for ten weeks in Palmer School at Grand Rapids.

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## coming events

Y. M. C. A. knitting classes will begin the week of January 20. Instructor will be Mrs. Hans Andrews. Enroll now.

Snow Farm Bureau will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pfaller on Snow Avenue, Friday, January 17 at 8 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

"Operation Boy Scouts" Swiss Steak dinner February 16 at the Lowell Moose Lodge. Get your tickets now from any boy scout. p30-42

The Senior Citizens Party will be held this Thursday, January 16 at the VFW hall.

Clarksville O.E.S. will have a card party at the Masonic Temple in Clarksville, on Thursday evening January 30, at 8 p. m. The public is invited.

The Happy Hens Extension Club will meet January 23rd at the home of Mrs. Maynard Roth. Each member is urged to bring a visitor. Mrs. Walter Wieland will show slides of her various trips.

The V.F.W. will hold their monthly meeting in their Post rooms on East Main Street. Installation of officers.

The Esther Group will meet at the home of Mrs. Gordon Johnson on Friday, January 17, at 2 p. m. Devotions will be given by Nina Dawson.

The 29'ers of the Congregational Church will meet this Saturday evening, January 18. Potluck dinner at 6:30 p. m., followed by a program.

Chapter 1388, Lowell Women of the Moose, will hold their monthly business meeting on Monday evening, January 20, in their club rooms.

Past Noble Grand Club installation dinner is Monday, January 20, at the Masonic Temple at 7 p. m.

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94, O.E.S., will have a Family Night and Social hour at the Masonic Temple Saturday, January 25, with potluck dinner starting at 6:30 p. m. Bring your family and own table service and dish to pass.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Club rooms, Monday, January 20. Try to be present.

The Golden Chain Farm Bureau group will meet January 21 at the Vergennes Township hall with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Oris Groenboom as hosts. Just bring your own table service.

The Alto Area Mother's Club will meet Tuesday, January 21, at 8 p. m. in the Alto Elementary School.

### FINE TWO LOWELL YOUTHS FOR BEER IN POSSESSION

Lowell Police picked up three Lowell youths on Sunday morning at 1:15 a. m. on Main Street and discovered that they had been drinking, and had beer in their possession.

Tony Myers, 17, and Frederick Verspoor, 18, pled guilty in Justice Rittenger's court Monday and were fined \$50 and costs.

The third boy apprehended was a juvenile and will appear in Prostate Court.

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## Bonnie Howard Engaged To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Howard, 628 High Street, Lowell, announce the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie Jean, of 209 Charles, S. E., Grand Rapids, to Thomas Joseph Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fox, 710 Griswold, S. E., Grand Rapids.

Miss Howard attended Ferris State University and Mr. Fox is a graduate of Aquinas College. A June wedding is planned.

Even ex-President Hoover set a bad example. When he was president, he gave all his salary back to the government. Now they've got us all doing it.

## LEGION SKATING RINK TO HOST COMPETITION MEET

This Sunday, the American Legion skating rink on East Main Street, Lowell, will be host to a Inter-Club Competition meet.

Eight different skating clubs, from all over Michigan, will be competing in this meet.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone for the cards, calls, visits, gifts and prayers while in the hospital and since my return home. It was greatly appreciated. Vic Clemenz

After paying his income tax, a local resident says he never had it so good, or taken away so fast.



## RAVENNA LIVESTOCK SALES

Prices for Jan. 13, 939 head of Livestock, 37 consignment of Poultry and Rabbits

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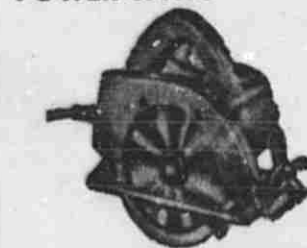
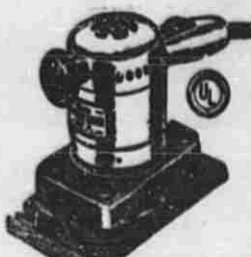
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