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LOWELL, MICH., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1964

Band to attend festival Saturday

Several students from the Lowell Area Schools Senior and Junior Bands will enter the Solo and Ensemble Festival at West Ottawa High School this Saturday, February 15.

This festival is sponsored by District 10 of the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association.

Entered from the Senior Band are: Juliann Erler, clarinet solo accompanied by Mr. Stilwell; Suzanne Thaler, French horn solo, accompanied by Kathy Tapley; Donna Potter, French horn solo, accompanied by Suzanne Thaler; and Noel Christoff, baton twirling solo.

Senior band duets are: Juliann Erler and Gary Kropf, clarinet; Marlene Koevers and Barbara Adams, cornet; and Lola Shaler and Noel Christoff, drums.

Junior Band entries are: Marlene Fletcher, saxophone solo accompanied by Patty Pletcher; Barbara Kelly, baton twirling solo; and James Hagen and Laura Coons, cornet duet accompanied by Mr. Stilwell.

Judges will be outstanding band directors and college instrumental faculty members from all around Michigan.

Senior band First Division winners, except baton twirling, may enter the state festival to be held this year in Grand Rapids on March 21.

Youth classes offered at 'Y'

The Lowell Y. M. C. A. Youth Classes will begin the week of February 17. Enrollment may be made now at the YMCA office on West Main Street.

Beginning typing: for boys and girls 7th through 12 grades, Wednesday, 7:30 to 9 p. m. at the high school typing room. Instructor will be Mrs. Carl Christensen.

Program fee \$3 "Y" family members; \$4 "Y" youth members; and \$5 non-members.

Auto Mechanics class: for boys 9th through 12th grades and young adults will be Wednesday 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. at Schneider's Auto Service, 800 W. Main. John Schneider, instructor.

Program fee \$3 "Y" family members; \$4 "Y" youth members; and \$5 non-members.

Model making club: for boys of 4th through 6th grades, starts Tuesday, February 18, at the YMCA office. Fee 50 cents "Y" family members; \$1 "Y" youth members; and \$2 non-"Y" members.

Job survey is being conducted

The Lowell high school Guidance Department, with the assistance of Mr. Spaeth's Speech class, is conducting a part-time and summer job survey of the Lowell, Alto, and Ada areas.

It is hoped that such a survey will help to uncover the many different job opportunities that are available for students in these communities and make it more convenient for students to know where to begin looking for work.

Students can begin to build many desirable character traits in part-time and summer jobs if given the opportunity. It is felt that employers are doing a great deal of good when they are able to use students in their fields of work and to offer the necessary guidance needed to learn self-improvement while on a job. The traits that students develop in their first jobs often stay with them and may become a basic part of their personality in later life and work.

The students taking the job survey will confront the business people with a questionnaire that will help to determine what each business' needs are for student help, if any. The students taking part in the survey are gaining valuable experience in meeting people and building their confidence in meeting people in various types of situations, which is one of the goals or objectives of their Speech course work.

B&PW hear congressman schedule annual sale

Members of the Lowell Business and Professional Women's club held their February meeting Monday evening, February 10.

The ladies attended the Lowell Chamber of Commerce dinner at the Runciman Building, at which they had the opportunity of hearing Congressman Gerald R. Ford speak. A short business meeting was held following the program.

February 27, 28, and 29 have been set as the dates of this year's annual rummage sale for the club. It will be held in the V.F.W. Hall on East Main Street.

Anyone who would like to donate articles for the sale can contact Peg Beedell at TW 7-9946, or leave them at Bernie's Barbershop.

John DeGroot, jr., dies unexpectedly; rites held

John (Jack) D. DeGroot of 6821 Kitson Drive, N. E., Rockford, passed away Friday evening, February 7, unexpectedly at the age of 49.

Requiem Mass was sung Monday morning at St. Thomas Church at 9:30. Interment was made in Resurrection Cemetery.

Mr. DeGroot is survived by his wife, Pauline, an employee of the Sortex Division of the C. H. Runciman Company; one son, John Carl, at home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. DeGroot, sr.; three sisters, Mrs. Hurdon Prescott of Traverse City, Mrs. Daniel Gietzen of Clarksburg, West Virginia, and Mrs. John Leatherman of Denver, Colorado.

VALENTINE GIFTS

For a valentine gift for any member of the family come to Weppman's Clothing and Shoes, 103 East Main St. Lowell. c-44



Kropf heads Lowell C of C

At the annual meeting of the Lowell Chamber of Commerce on Monday evening, Marcel Kropf was elected president for the coming year. Kropf, who served as vice-president last year promises a vigorous attempt to revive the faltering businessmen's organization of the community.

In a discussion with the editor on Tuesday, he revealed his lack of patience with local businessmen who complain about business, meet customers with a sad face and fail to cooperate in community efforts.

Elected with Kropf to operate the organization in 1964 were: John Schneider, vice-president; and Dr. Herbert Mueller, George Dey, jr., and Richard Beimers, directors. Dr. Robert Kysler the immediate past president will also serve on the board. They will meet in the next few weeks to organize for the coming year's program.

Ford Speaks on Phone
Congressman Gerald R. Ford, Jr. who was the scheduled program speaker was unable to leave Washington because of the vote on civil rights legislation on Monday evening so his talk was delivered by phone from his desk in Washington.

To add real drama to the meeting, Mr. Ford had just started speaking when the bells rang in the house office building, calling members of congress to vote. After a twenty minute interval, he came back to continue his talk on the responsibilities of the elected representatives in Congress.

Local speaker of the evening was Norm Borgerson who discussed the progress along Main Street over the past twenty years.

Elmer G. Schaefer, introduced many of the distinguished guests in the audience of over 200. They included members of the board of supervisors, county officials and political leaders.

Scout News

Attention all Boy Scouts! All unsold tickets and money for the swiss steak dinner, sponsored for us by the Moose club, must be turned in to Bill Nowak by Thursday night.

This is the latest date that the tickets can be returned.

I've pondered long about it. Won't someone tell me this. Why aren't more people happy if ignorance is bliss?

Praise work in Lowell area to bring back the bluebirds

The project of the Grand Rapids Audubon Club to erect blue bird houses in this area to bring back this colorful bird, known as "Bluebirds Unlimited" is getting a fine assist in Lowell. In a letter issued by Raleigh R. Stotz, much praise was given to Gerald Rollins, who is lending a helping hand to the work of the club in this community.

The country surrounding Lowell is ideal for bluebirds and we anticipate you who are so fortunately situated will enjoy better than average success. We hope your interest will continue to grow and that each year you will erect a few more houses. If you had bluebird houses last year, will you please give us a report on the enclosed blank. You could help also by telling others of "Bluebirds Unlimited."

To date, Gerald has distributed some 50 bluebird houses in the Lowell vicinity. It would not be unreasonable to expect that by the time the first blue-

Lenten season book reviews

Mrs. Jack Thorne, chairman for the YMCA Book Review announces the following reviews and meeting time for the 1964 Lenten Season.

All review will be held at the Lowell YMCA, 323 W. Main. The book reviews are open to all.

Wednesday, February 26, Mrs. David Coons, 10 a. m.; Wednesday, March 4, Mrs. George Story, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, March 11, Mrs. Chester Hall, 10 a. m.; Wednesday, March 18, Mrs. Charles White, 3 p. m.; and Wednesday, March 25, Rev. Beulah Poe, 10 a. m.

Co-operating Book Clubs are Exlibris and Book X. Books to be reviewed will be announced next week.

'Y' membership drive tops goal

A 50 percent increase in "Y" family membership was announced at the Lowell YMCA's Thursday evening when the results of the 2nd Annual Organized membership campaign, were made. With returns still coming in, the following are the results of the efforts of over 60 workers, captains, and division leaders.

Reports 148 family memberships, goal 125; 76 sustaining memberships, goal 75; 53 adult members, goal 50; and 81 youth memberships, goal 75.

Honored for their efforts were Miss Donna Jean Ford the 1964 campaign top worker Miss Ford secured 29 family members, 19 youth members, 3 adult members and 2 sustaining members.

Second high worker was Mrs. Roy Westcott. Her totals were 13 family members, 4 youth members, 2 adult members and 2 sustaining members.

The top team was Mrs. Wynne Wessell, captain and team workers Mrs. John Jones, Mrs. Orval McKay, Mrs. Howard Thurtell, Mrs. Rex Collins and Mrs. Donna Jean Ford.

Campaign General Chairman was C. H. Runciman. Division leaders were Mrs. C. E. Kiel, S. D. Wingeier, and Elmer Schaefer.

Fire damages hydro plant generator

Fire Monday morning in the Lowell Light & Power hydro generating plant, 9 miles north of town, on Flat river, damaged a 165 KVA generator. The smallest of the generators installed in 1917 will be checked by electrical contractors to determine if the unit can be repaired.

The fire also cracked a part of the wheel structure that will have to be repaired. This unit being out of service, will not hamper the operation. Supt. Jake Callier reported, since there are two other generators.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Friday, February 28, 1964, is the last day on which to pay taxes for 1963 in the City of Lowell.

Laura E. Shepard, City Treasurer
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The Boy Scout program in Lowell has been so successful that it is anticipated by the leaders that two scout troops will be formed this fall.

Plans are under way to be secured a sponsor for the second troop.

Mrs. Bonnie Lou Miller, 23, of Lee Road, Saranac, told Lowell police that she was forced off West Main Street Saturday evening by two speeding cars going west, drag racing.

She struck a sign and snow bank by the Schneider Service Station and ended up in front of West Side Garage.

Convenient for a quick estimate of the damage.

The Lowell Junior Chamber of Commerce will hold a luncheon meeting at the V. F. W. hall on Saturday, February 15, at 8 p. m. Guest speaker for the evening will be the executive vice-president of the US Jaycees.

The Jaycee "man of the year" award will be presented at the program.

Wayne Jackson, 30, of 5414 Ada Drive was arrested Saturday evening by Lowell police and held over the week end in Kent County jail on a charge of drunk driving.

Jackson was picked up when he was observed weaving back and forth across the highway. Breathalyzer and blood tests at the jail established the level of alcohol content, police reported.

He headed not guilty in Justice Howard Rittenger's court on Monday. A trial date had not been set.

Norm Borgerson who gave all Lowell a pat on the back for his progress over the years was about as carefree with figures and dates as in the days as head of the Showboat.

One item he mentioned at the Chamber meeting was the building of the new King Flour Mill a few years ago; so it was 21 years ago.

Ten years ago this week...

Five candidates filed for the trustee's position in the village primary election... Lowell's basketball team still leads the Grand Valley league... Safety signs were erected at the city limits for child protection in Lowell by the Moose Club...

Blanche Minor was the top woman bowler for the week at the local lanes with a 514 series and high game of 187... Steve Myers was the president of the Click Club at LHS... Clark Parsons, stationed with the air force in Korea, was promoted to Airman First Class... C. H. Runciman returned from a 2-day business trip to Champaign, Illinois.

Jackie Ralys is Mapes PTA head

Friday evening, February 7, 1964, a special election was held by the Mapes School PTA to fill the post of President. The current officers are: president, Mrs. Jackie Ralys; vice-president, Mrs. Laura Eggleston; and Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Evelyn Moore.

Following the business meeting a social hour was held at which coffee and cake were served.

On February 27 at 6 p. m. a pot luck supper will take place at the Mapes School. All members of the community are cordially invited.

HOLD LENTEN SERVICES

The Congregational Church Missionary Committee are sponsoring three Lenten evening services, February 16, 23 and March 1. Everyone is invited to attend.

The first meeting on Sunday, February 16, at 7:30 p. m. will feature Rev. Arlie E. Porter of Detroit, who will speak on "Our Metropolitan Mission in Michigan."

RECEIVES ACCEPTANCE AT CENTRAL MICHIGAN

Bill Bouck, a 17-year-old senior at Lowell high school has been accepted at Central Michigan University.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bouck, Route 3, Lowell. Bill plans to major in history.

Thomas W. Ford bean inspector succumbs at 81

Thomas W. Ford, who resided on East Main Street, Lowell, for the past twenty years, passed away in Sacramento, California, Saturday evening, February 8. Mr. Ford was born in Hart, Michigan, and was 81 years of age.

He has been a State and Federal Bean inspector with headquarters at Lowell for the past twenty years. He was considered to be the authority on inspections throughout the industry. He was most thorough with his work and had the highest rating of any bean inspector in Michigan, and was an authority on all colored beans varieties.

Mr. Ford leaves a widow, Margaret; a daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Bennett of Springfield, Pennsylvania; a son, Brig. General Robert Ford of Japan; and five grandchildren.

When he found time, he loved to fish at Baldwin, and with his hunting companion Lyle Covent, and other friends, he hunted in the western Rockies.

The family will arrive in Lowell Wednesday evening. The funeral will be held at 11 a. m., Thursday, February 13th, at Roth Funeral Home, with burial at Hart, Michigan.

Breaks record in wrestling meet

Last Wednesday night in the Lowell gym, Lowell defeated Sparta by a score of 32 to 16. There were some very good matches in this meet.

Ty Wessell, who wrestled in the heavyweight division for the first time in his wrestling career, pinned his opponent in 12 seconds. This breaks the school and Tri-River record. In the most exciting match of the night, Tony Myers was defeated on riding time by a score of 14 to 13.

Other individual match scores were: in the 95-lb. division Dale Finkler was pinned in 5:49. At 103 lbs. pined Preston in 4:42. At 112 lbs. pined Traxler in 1:17. Darrol Taylor, wrestling his first varsity match, defeated Shidell 12 to 4 in the 120-lb. class.

At 127 lbs. Foss decided Wilk 3 to 1. At 133 lbs. Hunt beat Montgomery 2 to 0. At 138 McPherson pinned Willis in 1:06. At 154-lbs. Hostetler decided Reister 10 to 2. In the 165-lb. class Koning decided Boyd 8 to 1. At 180 lbs. Brown pinned Serne in 2:33.

Last Saturday night Lowell met newly formed Lakewood in a meet on the grappler's home mat. There were 17 matches in this meet. It is Lakewood's first year of wrestling and coach Rivers used only 1 senior.

The results were as follows: 112-lbs., Hoag beat Logan 12 to 4. 120-lbs. Harvey pinned Kenyan in 39 seconds. 133-lbs. Burton and Botek drew 6 to 6. Another 133-lb. match Johnson decided Paddock 15 to 8. 138-lbs. Goodwin pinned Bryn in 2:49. 165-lbs. Vandyeke beat Raymus 7 to 2. These were exhibition matches.

In the regular meet: 95-lbs. Dale Finkler pinned Ash in 1:18. 103-lbs. Toussignant won on a forfeit. 112-lbs. Bishop pinned Waldice in 1:43. 120-lbs. Wittenbach was beaten 8 to 2.

In the 127-lbs. class Gary Kropf, wrestling his first match in 8 weeks, hurt his side and was beaten 6 to 4. 133-lbs. Odell beat F. Worden 12 to 1. 138-lbs. Dan Finkler pinned Brake in 3:08. 145-lbs. Myers pinned Wickett in 4:35. 154-lbs. Nauta was decided by Harne 5 to 0. 165-lbs. Wessell beat Becktell 14 to 0. 180-lbs. Nugent beat Botek 2 to 0. And in the heavyweight division Boyce decided Demond 7 to 6. This made the score 37 to 9.

Next Friday and Saturday Lowell goes to Comstock Park to participate in the Tri-River conference meet.

Chess club organized; meets in 'Y' building

Saturday nights from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. men and boys interested in chess in the Lowell, Saranac, Alto and Clarksville areas can find competition and learn more about the game by attending at the weekly "Y" Chess Club sessions.

The only requirement is an interest in chess. The club meets at the Lowell "Y" Office, 323 W. Main St.

Further information can be secured from Bruce Walter or Paul Smith. Plan now to attend!

HOSPITAL COMMITTEE HEADS WOMENS MEETING

At the monthly chapter night meeting of the Lowell Women of the Moose, Chapter 1388, the Hospital Committee had charge of the program.

A social hour and refreshments were served following the program.

The next meeting of the chapter will be held Monday evening, February 18, in their club rooms. This will be their monthly business meeting. All members are urged to attend.



Tim Nelson, Lowell's 6 ft., 6 in. center is pictured here with Basketball Coach Jack Kempker, who is inspecting the 2 1/2 lb. weights Nelson has been wearing on each leg since last September to strengthen his leg muscles. Kempker revealed that the weight carrying appears to be helping and many of our opponents would like to have Nelson keep them on during the games. The Arrows are going to need strong muscles in the drive to the finish over the next two weeks when they play twice a week, and for the tournament play in March.

Showdown Friday...

Sparta to invade local hardwood in battle for conference honors

Friday night will provide for much excitement at the local high school basketball court as revenge hungry Sparta invades Red Arrow territory in a dramatic battle. Sparta will be searching for a share of first place in the Tri-River Conference.

Sparta is expected to bring a large enthusiastic crowd with them and with the large local crowd expected, it is conceivable that the new gymnasium will be seating a full house for the first time. All area basketball enthusiasts are invited to enjoy what promises to be an entertaining and exciting night of basketball. Lowell won the first meeting of the two teams at Sparta by a score of 78-72 in a battle that was decided in the closing seconds.

The Red Arrows brought their season record up to 10-0 with another very fine team effort win over Cedar Springs on the latter's home court last Friday evening. An exceptionally large traveling crowd from Lowell, braving near blizzard weather, filled the visitor's side of the gym.

With 6'6" center Tim Nelson leading the Arrow now famous "blitz-type attack," the Red Arrows moved out to a 21-10 first quarter lead. Bob Elzinga picked up in the second quarter and kept the pace going. The halftime score read Lowell 47, Cedar 34.

Miss Century Mark
The third quarter saw Cedar make a last strong effort to overcome the Arrows and the lead was cut to 7 points at one time before the fast-break, long-pass combination of McIver to Abel or Kropf broke the game wide open again and Cedar never again was in contention. The fourth quarter gave the varsity reserves another chance to gain some valuable experience.

Rollins and Maloney both broke into the scoring in the remaining minutes as the Red Arrows tried to reach the century mark for the fourth time, but fell short going away 97-61.

Hit Double Figures

Nelson with 22 points led the Red Arrows. He was ably assisted by Elzinga's 19, Kropf's 16, McIver's 15, Abel's 12, and Walter's 9. Hill with 35 led Cedar Springs.

Lowell hit on 64 per cent of their field shots with 39 out of 61 going through the hoop. As has been the story all season, a great desire, coupled with teamwork and an excellent scoring balance, was the story of the ballgame for the Red Arrows.

Servicemen

Wayne S. Densmore, senior chief aviation structural mechanic, USN, son of Mrs. Alta M. Ludlow of 319 North Munroe Street, Lowell, is serving with Air Anti-Submarine Squadron 24, currently deployed aboard the anti-submarine warfare support aircraft carrier USS Intrepid, operating out of Norfolk, Virginia.

He was recently promoted to his present rate.

MODELETTES MEET

To all members of the Modelettes 4-H Club:

Our next meeting will be Thursday, February 13 at Marj and Mary McPherson's; starting at 7:30 p. m. Everyone please plan to attend.

Down Forest Hills

The Arrows took the measure of Forest Hills on Tuesday night 74-56 for its 11th straight win. In an opening burst the local cagers picked up 10 points before the Rangers got their first point on the score board. At the quarter Lowell led 24-10 and at the half 43-16.

In the second half Coach Kempker used his starting line up sparingly and not as a team unit. At the three quarter mark Lowell led 57-31. High scorers were Elzinga with 19, Kropf with 11, and McIver 10. For Forest Hills, Underwood got 14, Dunlap 11, and Jones 10.

Junior Varsity Wins
The JV's defeated Forest Hills 61-57 in a close game Tuesday. The game was tied 12-12 at the quarter. Lowell pulled ahead to a 28-22 lead at halftime. At the three quarter mark the Arrows had a 43-36 lead which they clung to for the win.

High point man was Malcolm with 18, Haywood 14, and Fonger 13. Forest Hills, scoring was Williams 17, Tittsworth 16, and Poll 14.

Last Friday at Cedar Springs the Arrow JV's lost 66-76. High point men were Wessell with 21, Malcolm 15, and Haywood 11.

Freshmen take two
The Freshmen defeated Forest Hills Tuesday 51-33. Thurtell was high with 18, Collins 15, Fonger 8.

The Freshmen beat Cedar last Friday 57-55; Thurtell got 19, Collins 18.



Mrs. W. Hatch teaches students in Junior High

Mrs. Willis Hatch, of Route 2, Lowell, is presently teaching in the school system here. Previous to teaching at Lowell, she taught in other parts of Michigan, Indiana, and Florida.

Mrs. Hatch, who is greatly admired by her colleagues, graduated from Michigan State University. She also attended Albion and Manchester Colleges. During this period, she was affiliated with the Sigma Kappa Sorority, the Women's Athletic Association, and the Mathematic's Club.

Among her hobbies, she enjoys collecting salt and pepper shakers and keeping the records for the cattle on the Hatch farm. She is a member of the Sunday School Department at the Alto Methodist Church also.

This year Mrs. Hatch is teaching English and Mathematics in the Junior High School.

Noel Mullen

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South Lowell
Mrs. Nancy Nordhor
Thursday, February 12, at 12:30 the South Lowell Circle will serve its annual dinner at \$1.50 per adult, everyone is welcome. Tickets may be obtained from any circle member. Swiss steak tops the menu of this country style dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDermid returned from Oak Park Illinois, Monday evening. They have been there since Friday, when they received a phone call advising them of the death of their nephew, Earl B. Med-

daugh. Funeral services were held Saturday morning at Oak Park. Some of the neighbors who recall the days that Mr. Meddaugh stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McDermid and attended Sweet School in his youth.
Mrs. George Wieland and Mrs. Jim Peterson spent Tuesday with Mrs. William Frederick of Kalamazoo.
Last Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nordhor and Mrs. Mrs. Winfield Bigony of Rockford, Illinois, returned home last week end after having been in the hospital 12 days. Sunday callers were Mrs. John Briggs and daughter Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Briggs, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Briggs.
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry McKiernan and family and Miss Lynn Slikkers of Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Thomet were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thomet, Jr. of Lowell.
Miss Elizabeth Stormzand was an overnight guest of Miss Diane Nordhor last Tuesday.

Men's High Series
Ed Roth 6.3
Hugh Vander Veen 6.3
Flora Everling 6.01
Les Kerr 6.01
Guy Quiggle 5.91
Roy Franks 5.86
Bob Kline 5.75
John Wiber 5.73
Howard Hobbs 5.73
Lyle Jackson 5.69

Women's High Series
Bev Holst 5.01
Dena Verhul 4.90
Elva Topp 4.84
Mary Lou Wheat 4.82
Joann Bittle 4.81
Charlotte Siciliano 4.79
Crystal Hall 4.76
Marilyn Knosnuzin 4.76
Nancy Jackson 4.76
Louise Winks 4.75

Logan News
Mrs. Harold Yoder
Mrs. Emma Blough is spending some time at the Noah Blough home while they are in Florida.
Mr. and Mrs. George Miner and family of Hastings were Sunday dinner guests of the Kenneth Price family.
Mrs. Richard Durkee was a Sunday afternoon caller of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price and family. Mr. and Mrs. Orley Hulberg of Lake Odessa were Monday afternoon callers.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kauffman attended the Euchre party at Freepost Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Host and family were week end guests at the Dan Kauffman home.
Mr. and Mrs. Orval Heinze and Vera Mishler of Porterville were Sunday dinner guests at the Dan Kauffman home.
Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hoffman were Sunday dinner guests of the Kenneth Blough family.
Visitors at the Harold Yoder home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Clare Williams of Middleville, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allen of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. George Fauce and Mr. and Mrs. Will Mishler of Freepost, Chris and Joe Wenger, Harold Rittenger, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Zook, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anzara and daughter of Grand Rapids, Bev and Mrs. C. A. Flowers and Jamie and Dillie Blough and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price.
Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Miller and Lyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Chalm Miller left Saturday morning for Florida for a vacation.

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This week saw four men crack the 600 mark. Ed Roth led with 6.3, and Joe Vezino tied the high game of the season with 2.55. Joe will receive the Century patch for rolling 100 pins over his average.
Elva Topp was high for the women with 2.05 and Bev Holst had high series of 5.01.
Friday night almost a full house rolled in Jackpot. Ed and Pat Roth were high with 1221. Oscar Peckham and Lud Kray took second, and Al Seelye and Joe Vezino were third. The Jackpot now stands at \$1740.

WORLD'S COLDEST JOB—A Michigan Highway Department employee wades into the chilly waters of the Rocky River at Three Rivers to complete surveying for a State Highway Department widening project scheduled to be done later this year.

Soil & Water Conservation
Annual meeting, Tuesday, Feb. 18th
Kent-Soil Conservation District's annual meeting will be held February 18, 8 p. m. at the American Legion Hall on North Park St., Grand Rapids. This central location with easy access will provide good accommodations. You and your neighbors are welcome.
New cooperators approved by your board of directors at the February 3 meeting are: Wilbur DeGroom & Son, Caledonia twp., 80 acres; Albert Porritt, Boone twp., 160 acres; C. J. & E. Marquardt, Courland twp., 40 acres; Richard Glines, Boone twp., 80 acres; Fred Scamard, Algoma twp., 38 acres and Harry B. DeWitt, Grand Rapids twp., 50 acres.
Nominating committees for each District for the annual meeting were West Kent-Northeast Heisel, Kent City; Clarence Rodgers, Caledonia, and William Rasch of Conkling, East Kent; Robert Near, Caledonia; Merle Post, Rockford; Kenneth Stewart, Rockford and Richard Thomet, Ada.
They offer the following slate of nominees along with any officers which may be nominated at the business meeting: West Kent District—Dan Kaine, Algoma twp., Milton Wylie, Ty-road twp.; East Kent District—Kenneth Heisel, Irvin Rodgers and Keith Bowman, Boone twp., and Harry Yeiter, Lowell twp.
Along with a conservation farm plan Frank Vanderhyde, Algoma twp. cooperator, has set up a card index file for each of his fields. Each card is numbered to correspond with his farm plan map numbers. Pertinent information for the year for each field includes crop grown, yield, amount and fertilizer analyses used, when listed and any other practice noted.
A simple cost account system such as Frank uses also provides quickly available information of past years production and costs.
John Timpon of Timpon Orchards, Lowell, a new District cooperator, tells us he uses the new M. S. U. Telefarm accounting system. Operating 440 acres in three townships, John has found rescue to be his best orchard cover crop.
On follow-up service calls to cooperator's farms we find many farmers who are well satisfied with the results they get from minimum tillage.
Richard Wisniewski, Byron twp., cultivated his corn twice but did not have to spray for



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New cooperators approved by your board of directors at the February 3 meeting are: Wilbur DeGroom & Son, Caledonia twp., 80 acres; Albert Porritt, Boone twp., 160 acres; C. J. & E. Marquardt, Courland twp., 40 acres; Richard Glines, Boone twp., 80 acres; Fred Scamard, Algoma twp., 38 acres and Harry B. DeWitt, Grand Rapids twp., 50 acres.
Nominating committees for each District for the annual meeting were West Kent-Northeast Heisel, Kent City; Clarence Rodgers, Caledonia, and William Rasch of Conkling, East Kent; Robert Near, Caledonia; Merle Post, Rockford; Kenneth Stewart, Rockford and Richard Thomet, Ada.
They offer the following slate of nominees along with any officers which may be nominated at the business meeting: West Kent District—Dan Kaine, Algoma twp., Milton Wylie, Ty-road twp.; East Kent District—Kenneth Heisel, Irvin Rodgers and Keith Bowman, Boone twp., and Harry Yeiter, Lowell twp.
Along with a conservation farm plan Frank Vanderhyde, Algoma twp. cooperator, has set up a card index file for each of his fields. Each card is numbered to correspond with his farm plan map numbers. Pertinent information for the year for each field includes crop grown, yield, amount and fertilizer analyses used, when listed and any other practice noted.
A simple cost account system such as Frank uses also provides quickly available information of past years production and costs.
John Timpon of Timpon Orchards, Lowell, a new District cooperator, tells us he uses the new M. S. U. Telefarm accounting system. Operating 440 acres in three townships, John has found rescue to be his best orchard cover crop.
On follow-up service calls to cooperator's farms we find many farmers who are well satisfied with the results they get from minimum tillage.
Richard Wisniewski, Byron twp., cultivated his corn twice but did not have to spray for

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February 17-21
MONDAY Washed Potatoes, Chicken and gravy, Buttered Green Peas, Applesauce
TUESDAY Spanish Rice, Cabbage Salad, Upside Down Cake
WEDNESDAY Vegetable Beef Pie, Pickles, Lemon Pudding, Cookies
THURSDAY Hog Dogs, Baked Beans, Raisins, Jello
FRIDAY Fish Sticks, Tartar Sauce, Creamed Potatoes, Buttered Spinach, Fruit

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Water Depth (feet) 4 6 8 10 15 20 30
Critical velocity (mph) 9 11 12 14 17 19 22

You can't always tell the strength of ice simply by its look, its thickness, the temperature, or whether or not it is covered with snow. These are points brought out by a U.S. Corps of Engineers study which may keep some fishermen from taking a cold dip this winter. Here are several of the study's other safety tips for users of Michigan's iceways: New ice is generally much stronger than old ice; a couple of inches of new clear ice may be strong enough to support you while a foot of old, air-bubbled ice will not. Cars moving over ice cause "resonance waves" in the ice, and when one or more cars follow each other, these "waves" may crack ice that normally would be safe. The chart above lists speeds, geared to water depths, at which your car might crack the ice by this wave action. In general, drive slower. Parking a car in one spot for a prolonged period tends to weaken the ice. Also, cars should not be parked close together.—Mich. Dept. of Conservation

Lowell community news

Mrs. Frank Marsh has returned from Canon City, Colorado, to spend some time with her son at 5601 Old Channel Trail in Montague, Michigan. Later she will return to her home in Lowell.
Mr. and Mrs. Duke Thomet were host and hostess to a family from Sunday in their home for the former's mother, Mrs. Fannie Thomet. Those present besides Mrs. Thomet were Mr. and Mrs. Art Linkfield, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Robidoux and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomet and family and Ronald Thomet, all of Ada, and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Thomet and family of South Lowell and Miss Pat Evans of Wyoming City.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Collins called on the latter's aunt, Mrs. Flora Carpenter at the Clark Memorial home in Grand Rapids, Sunday afternoon.
Robert Schneider, Jimmy and Kay Williams and Mrs. Arthur Schneider spent Sunday in Ludington with the Robert Conn family. Kay Williams remained for a week's visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vaughn and son, Tom, of Alto were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lawrence.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Roth flew to Tampa, Florida, February 2. From there they drove down to Ft. Meyers where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Finley and family. They returned home last Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hemminger were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hemminger for cards and lunch to celebrate Bob's birthday, last Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fletcher were hosts at a dinner last Friday in honor of Richard Stevenson, who was stationed with the Navy in California and was enroute to Memphis, Tennessee, where he will enter training in electronics. Other guests present at the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew B. Stevenson and family of Grand Rapids and Jerry Kiber.

Present awards to local men
Twelve farmers and one F.F.A. Chapter will be presented with awards at the Kent Soil Conservation Districts Annual Meeting.
Ray Foley, Ada twp.; Robert Norman, Courland twp.; Forrest Squires, Courland twp.; Kenneth Henry, Boone twp.; Don Yeiter, Lowell twp. will receive District signs from the Northeast Kent District.
Erwin Kienk, Sparta twp.; Henry Martens, Plainfield twp.; Anderson Brothers, Sparta twp.; Ben Patlock, Byron twp.; and John Post Jr., Gaines twp. are the sign winners of the Northwest Kent District.
In addition to these awards each District has a plaque to award to the outstanding conservation farmer in their respective District. The winner in the Northwest District is Good-fellow Brothers, Sparta twp., Frank Kwiatkowski and Son of Solon twp. is the winner in the Northeast District. The Sparta F.F.A. Chapter also will be presented with a plaque for the work done on their school forest.
Plan to attend the annual meeting and bring your friends along. There will be a program given by Robert Brouwer and refreshments served after the meeting. The place is the American Legion Hall at North Park; the time is 8 p. m., February 18th.
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Star Carvers Mrs. Ira Blough

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Heasley and daughters of Grand Rapids were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shaffer...

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Walker and son, Clifford, were Sunday afternoon callers at the Clair Kauffman home...

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shimmel of Allegan spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox and Sunday guests at the Fox home...

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mac Donald and Mrs. Will Mullen of Lowell, and Mrs. Clark Hoxie and Mrs. Sara Reynolds...

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pfaller and sons were lunch guests Thursday of Mrs. Jack Boyer of Grand Rapids...

Mr. Lester Antonides and Mrs. Frank Antonides called on Mrs. Nettie Quiggle at the Lowell Rest home...

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newest arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCaul (Helen Erickson) are announcing the birth of their fourth son, Terry Allen, who arrived at Blodgett Hospital on Tuesday evening, February 4, weight 7-pounds, 4-ounces.

Callers of Mrs. Ann Fairchild last week were Lawrence Overholt, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Scott of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. William Blodgett, Mrs. Fred Pinckney, sr., and daughter, Mrs. Ben Baughman, and Mrs. Larry Lawrence of Grand Rapids. Also Mrs. Tom Vaughn, Mrs. Ed Clark, Mrs. Marguerite Potts, Mrs. Edith Bryar, Mrs. Harvey Sater and Victor Parritt.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Watts were in East Lansing Wednesday to attend the Farmer's Day Sessions. On Monday, they were in Grand Rapids where Mrs. Watts attended the meeting of the Grand Rapids Executive Committee of the WSCS at the Y.M.C.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Yeter accompanied their parents to the funeral of a friend, John Warner, which was held in the Metcalf Chapel Saturday.

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Mrs. Hazel Kline, 75 Ada resident passes

Mrs. Hazel Kline, aged 75 of 7825 Faso Street, Ada, passed away on Monday, February 9, at her residence.

Surviving are a son, Leo Budd of Catalina Island, California; three grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held last Thursday afternoon in the Arsuowicz Brother's East Mortuary with interment in Rose-dale Memorial Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Wheeler and children were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wheeler of Rodney.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvyn Potter, called on friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dielmann of Riverdale, who recently suffered a loss by fire in their home.

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Thousands of people who received Time magazine in their homes a couple of weeks ago were shocked upon reading an article in the Modern Living Section covering six pages under the heading "Morals," with a sub-title, "The Second Sexual Revolution." This article's expose of the moral conditions and practices of the day was enough to nauseate every decent thinking person. What a filthy society! It becomes very evident that our children need the very best in Christian training to cope with this terrible scourge.

What is so shocking, among other things, is that certain religious leaders are giving room to this thing. Bishop Gerald Kennedy, bishop of one of our largest denominations, is quoted as saying that he condemns premarital sex "in general" but adds, "I wouldn't stand in judgment. There would be exceptions." "Recently, Wally Toews, Presbyterian pastor at the University of Colorado, more or less condoned premarital sex when there is a 'covenant of intimacy'."

"A distinguished Protestant theologian privately recommends—he doesn't believe the U. S. is ready for him to say it publicly—the idea of a trial affair for some people, a 'little marriage' in preparation for the 'great marriage' which is to last."

Every Sunday, in one of our two church services, we read the law of God, the ten commandments. The seventh commandment reads that God said, "Thou shalt not commit adultery." God makes absolutely NO exceptions. No preacher may do so, nor may anyone else.

We must turn to Jesus Christ for forgiveness and salvation and then to the moral law of God for godly living to save our nation from complete ruin.

—Pastor H. Bukema

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Camp Fire Girls

The Wa-han-ka group had its meeting February 10. We talked about the Pow-Wow and Dad Daughter Banquet. The officers are president, Nancy Doyle; vice-president, Beverly Willard; and treasurer, Barb Ridgeway.
Scribe Vicki Condon

The Ta-wan-ka Campfire girls met in Miss Hamilton's room. The secretary called the roll and gave the minutes of the last meeting. Debby Hoag passed out the treat. Then we made ice cream and we each had a bowl, then we played a game. We had to unscramble words.
Scribe Debby Hoag

CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my relatives, friends and neighbors for all their prayers, visits, cards, flowers and many acts of kindness shown me during my times in the hospital and since my return home.
God bless each and every one of you.
p44 Harold Yoder

coming events

Cyclamen Chapter No. 94 O.E.S. will hold regular meeting at the Masonic Temple, Friday, February 14 at 8 p. m. 43-44

The Merriman Farm Bureau will meet Saturday, February 15, at the home of Kenneth Merriman at 8:30.

A square dance will be held Saturday evening, February 15, in the South Grandin School, 29 Bellevue, S. E., Grand Rapids, sponsored by the P.T.A. Dancing will be from 8 to 12 a. m. with Lee Bileth doing the calling. All Lowell area residents are cordially invited.

Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Meeuwse will entertain Snow Community Farm Bureau at their home on Grand River Drive, on Friday, February 21, at 8 p. m. All members please be present.

Y.M.C.A. Senior Citizens next Thursday, February 20, 10 a. m. Program: tour directed by Mr. Nisbet through new high school. If transportation is needed call TW 7-7375.

On Monday evening, February 17, the Women of the Moose Chapter 1388 will hold their monthly business meeting in their club rooms on East Main Street.

The Alton Ladies Aid will meet this Thursday, February 13, at the home of Mrs. Mike Weekes.

Special services are being held throughout this week at the West Lowell United Brethren Church, each evening at 7:30.

World Day of Prayer will be observed in Lowell this Friday, February 14, at 1:30 p. m. in the Methodist Church.

A swiss steak dinner, open to the public, will be held at the Moose Dining room this Sunday, February 16. All proceeds will go to the local boy scouts.

February 9 through 15 has been proclaimed National Beauty Salon Week.

The regular meeting of the Lowell Area School Board will be held in the high school library on Monday evening, February 17.

The Morse Lake and McCords Farm Bureau will meet at the Elmer Yeiter home Friday, February 14.

The Clarksville OES and Masons will have another Card Party Thursday evening, February 20, at 8 p. m. at the Clarksville Masonic Temple. Everyone is invited. 44-45

The Golden Chain Farm Bureau will meet February 18 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roth. Mrs. Marian Yates and Miss Elissa Roth hostesses. No table service necessary.

The V. F. W. Senior Citizens will hold a card party on Thursday, February 20.

The Jolly Community Club meets Wednesday, February 19, for dinner with Geneva Barkley. Work Committee, Hazel Baird. Program committee, Diel Smit and Dorothy Hunt.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet February 17 at 1 p. m. in their club rooms on East Main Street at the Vergennes Methodist.

There will be a hymn sing Church this Sunday, February 16, at 8 p. m.

On Thursday, February 16, the V. F. W. will meet in their post rooms on East Main St. All members are urged to attend.

The Past Noble Grands' Club will meet in the IOOF Hall on Monday, February 6, at 7:30.

The Past Matron's Club, of the OES, will be meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Johnson on Wednesday, February 19, at 8 p. m.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our mother, Josie B. Jones, who passed away February 14, 1958.
The children p44

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear husband, Orlie M. Grindie, who passed away three years ago, February 10, 1961.
As I loved him, so I miss him.
In my memory he is ever near
Loved, remembered, longed for always
Bringing many a silent tear.
Wife, Lydia Jane p44

TW 7-9261, the number to call to place your want ad in the next issue of the Lowell Ledger.

Enroll for adult winter program

The Lowell YMCA Adult Winter Program begins this next week, with enrollment open at the "Y" office, TW 7-7375.

Art: for beginners or intermediates 8 weeks, Tuesday, 1 to 3 p. m. at "Y" office. Mrs. Jan Johnson instructor. Program fee \$5 "Y" members; and \$8 non-members.

We have 2 interested in an evening class at least 4 more are necessary in order to have one. It would probably be held Wednesday, 8 to 10 p. m.

Sewing: for beginners or intermediates, 8 weeks. Begins Thursday, February 20, 1 to 3 p. m. at the home of the instructor, Mrs. Bernard Kropf. Program fee \$5 "Y" members; and \$8 non-members.

Ladies' Volley Ball: Begins Monday, February 17, 8:30 to 10 p. m. at the old high school gym. 25 cents "Y" members; and 50 cents non-members.

Flower arranging: 6 weeks begins February 18, 7:30 to 9 p. m. First class session at the "Y" office. Course fee is \$3 "Y" member; and \$5 non-members. Instructor will be Mrs. Harold Ball.

Men's Volley Ball: begins Thursday, February 13, tonight at the old high school gym, 8:30 to 10:30 p. m. 25 cents "Y" members 50 cents non-members.

Beginners knitting: 6 weeks. Begins Tuesday, February 18, 1 to 3 p. m. at the home of the instructor, Mrs. Hans Andrews. Program fee is \$4 "Y" members; and \$6 non-members.

Bluebird News

The Little Blue Birds met Thursday afternoon, February 6, 1964. We had a visitor, Laura Hartley. She might join our group. Mary Ann Ross had a birthday February 3, 1964.

Mrs. Mabel Burton showed us how to make perfume Valentines for our mothers. She furnished materials for our project such as red construction paper, white heart shape dollies with red lace veiling, and perfume pads.

Susan Barton brought our treat.
Susan Wittenbach, scribe

The third grade Blue Birds will entertain their mothers at a Valentine's Party at the Run-ciman School on Tuesday, February 18, at 3:30 p. m.

The girls will present a play "A Blue Bird Family", which they have written.
The Blue Birds will serve refreshments to their mothers.

Today's art buyer not always rich

The man who buys art works today often is not a man of great wealth who is building a collection as a monument to himself but a man of more modest means who buys out of love and interest, says Robert Iglehart, chairman of The University of Michigan Department of Art.

"There probably will always be both private and public patronage," suggests Iglehart. "But it seems likely that in time the public or community patronage will be the more important."

Iglehart says art patrons have always exercised a responsibility which belongs to power. "As the pharaohs and princes and dictators pass, without regret, into history, their responsibilities become our own," he says. "We take pride in our ability to govern better than they. We should some day be able to take pride in giving better encouragement to man in his expression of art."

Iglehart notes that public patronage in a democracy is an extremely difficult problem. "One part of this problem we seem already to be solving very well—that of the museum. We must remember that the history of the modern museum is contained within a century and a half. The museum's interest is directly attributable to the sense of democratic responsibility. They not only house the treasures of the past, but educate the community, and they often purchase the work of the contemporary artist."

The U-M artist says the university emerging as art patron, maintains museums, employs the artist as teacher, assuring him income and freedom for his work, gives research grants for creative experimentation and awards commissions to artists.

"These two agencies—museum and university—seem to me to provide the best channels for public patronage," says Iglehart.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our mother and grandmother, Eva Engle, who passed away one year ago, February 13, 1963.
The Clayton Engle Family
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon L. Smiley p44

Lowell scholarship winner will speak at Nazarene Church Saturday

This Saturday, February 15, Jeriel and Ruth (Preston) Beard will be the guest speakers at the Lowell Church of the Nazarene at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Beard was a graduate of Lowell High School and was the recipient of the Shepherd Nursing Scholarship here.

The following is a sketch of the Beards:
Ruth Preston was the first recipient of the Shepherd Nursing Scholarship. The scholarship is given to high school graduates at Lowell who have been accepted for nursing training at Blodgett or St. Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids. The amount of the scholarship was \$300.

Ruth entered Blodgett Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in 1954 and graduated in 1957. She has continued her education at Olivet Nazarene College (1958-1959) and the School of Public Health at the University of the Bachelor of Science degree in Public Health Nursing by December, 1964. She has been the recipient of a government traineeship in Public Health and two tuition scholarships.

In 1960, Ruth married Jeriel Beard, now a senior medical student at the University of Michigan. Her nursing experience has been quite varied, including hospital, psychiatric, and public health work.

Recently, Jeriel and Ruth returned from the Raleigh-Fitkin Memorial Hospital of the Church of the Nazarene at Manzini, Swaziland, Africa. They worked at the mission hospital and outpatient clinics for 11 weeks.

The entire cost of transportation and living expenses was paid by a grant from the Smith, Kline, and French Laboratories. Through the Association of American Medical Colleges, similar grants were given to 31 medical students in the nation to work in many relatively remote areas of the world.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, Orlie M. Grindle, who passed away three years ago, February 10, 1961.

February brings sad memories of our loved one gone to rest. You will never be forgotten, by the ones who loved you best.

Mr. & Mrs. Tildon Pinckney and Family

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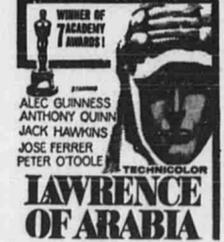
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