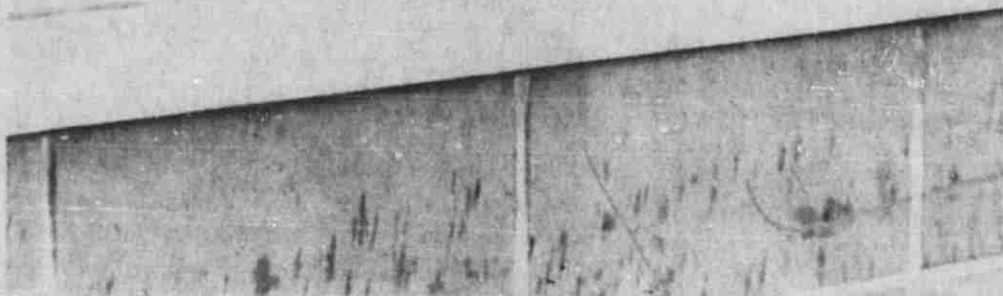


This Week in Pictures



"WON'T SOMEBODY USE ME, PLEASE?"

Disposal System Set Up

A new countywide system of garbage and refuse disposal has received the unanimous approval of the Kent County Board of Supervisors.

This move by the supervisors is in conformity to a law passed by the 1968 State Legislature outlawing all "open" dumps, and also a requirement in the law that all refuse must be covered by landfill operations; in other words "bury" all refuse.

However, City Manager Bernard C. Olson states that Lowell is not necessarily required to conform to the Kent County disposal system as the local city dump is located in Ionia County, and therefore outside the jurisdiction of Kent County authorities.

But, Olson said a move is underway to conform to the state law, and that the Lowell dump is being converted from an "open" dump to a landfill operation.

Other Lowell-area communities generally are currently being serviced by private refuse collectors.

Under the proposed new system for the collection of refuse, the Board of Supervisors has designated the Kent County Public Works as the operating agency.

The new system would require an outlay of \$2,435,500 which would be financed by bond issues, and which would be retired by revenues obtained by charges for services.

The county DPW has been directed by the board of supervisors to contract with municipalities for site acquisition, and for the operation and financing of the system.

Six landfill sites are under consideration, and one of them is proposed for a location in Vergennes Township.

Once filled, it was said, the land will be used and improved for park and recreational purposes.

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Police Arrest Alto Man in \$10,000 Theft

One of the biggest hauls of reported stolen property in the history of the Alto area has been recovered through the joint efforts of Kent County Sheriff detectives and Lowell police.

The loot, estimated to be worth about \$10,000, was discovered stashed in a barn, garage, chicken coop, shed, back porch, and inside of the home of Glenn Alden Rosenberger, 34, at his home, 8863 Timpson, Alto, police officials reported.

Rosenberger is an employee of the Warren Radio Co. distributors, 24 Logan SW, Grand Rapids. Company officials said the property, which consisted of transistors, walkie-talkies, radio equipment, and the like, belonged to the radio firm.

On a tip that boys were peddling transistors, and other radio appliances, in the Lowell area for three or four dollars, Sheriff Detective Larry Flynn and Sgt. Jim Hutson tracked down one boy.

Taken to the Lowell police



RICHARD LOUGHLIN

Seek New Post as Kent Judge

Attorney Richard N. Loughlin, 47, today announced his candidacy for the newly-created post as third Probate Judge for Kent County.

Currently in the private practice of law, Loughlin has served as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney and later as Prosecuting Attorney for the county.

He is presently Kent County Public Administrator, following his appointment to this office by Gov. George Romney and Attorney General Frank Kelley.

A 1949 graduate of the University of Detroit Law School, he also attended Georgetown University and Aquinas College.

Loughlin is a World War II veteran and saw service with the 511th Infantry Parachute Regiment and the 11th Airborne Div. in the Pacific sector.

A native of Cadillac, he and his wife are the parents of three children.

The candidate is on the board of directors, Legal Aid Society; and belongs to the Grand Rapids, Michigan and American Bar Associations; and several community, religious and political organizations.

station, the boy admitted to selling the stuff.

The youngster implicated the boys in the operation. Investigation of the peddlers of the stolen radio material is continuing, officers said.

A warrant charging Rosenberger of larceny by conversion was issued and he was placed under arrest.

Taken to Grand Rapids Municipal Court, Rosenberger demanded an examination, and was released on \$500 bond pending a court date for preliminary examination on the charges.



FACE-LIFTING OPERATIONS are underway for the opening in several weeks of the new Lowell as Mac Fonger (center) prepares Fonger Super Save grocery mart.

Light Turnout Marks Lowell District Vote

Lowell Area School District voters returned incumbent Dr.

OK Pay Schedule for Schools

Across-the-board increases in teacher's salaries, ranging from \$38 to \$96, have been approved by the Lowell Area School District Board of Education.

Superintendent James Pace, in setting forth proposed salary schedules for the 1968-69 school year, noted that approximately half of the staff will receive maximum salaries under the plan.

For teachers with BA degrees, the minimum salary for the year with less than a year of tenure will be \$6,355, an increase of \$58 over the 1967-68 schedule. The maximum was pegged at \$9,355, up \$87.

For teachers with MA degrees, the range is from \$6,955 (an increase of \$64) to a maximum of \$10,255 (up \$96).

Maximums are paid to those with 11 years or more of tenure.

Non-degreed personnel will receive from \$4,850 to \$5,750 under the new arrangement.

The board is scheduled to meet in executive session next Monday to determine administrative salaries and will convene again on June 24 to complete the year-end business.

At the latter meeting, Pace is expected to seek permission to borrow an estimated \$100,000 to make up an expected deficit of between \$31,000 and \$42,000 and to meet payroll and operating expenses for July pending receipt of state aid funds.

During Monday night's abbreviated meeting, Pace told board members that the district will have only "several hundred dollars" on hand by July 1.

William Jones, chairman of the building and sites committee, reported that negotiations are proceeding for possible purchase of a 10-acre tract of land for the proposed new middle school. The land is located near St. Mary's Grade School and would abut the primary school property on which Bushnell Elementary and the Senior High School now stand.

The board also approved a petition from property owners in the 28th Street-Buttrick area seeking to transfer, if approved by the Kent Intermediate District and Forest Hills, would continue to bring into alignment an agreed-upon boundary between the two districts.

One of several spectators present, Mrs. Ruth Lomas, questioned Pace regarding the busing of children to school on the final day to receive report cards. Pace noted that, under the present interpretation of school laws, returning children for pick-up of cards constituted one of the district's 180 days required under state aid regulations.

Ready New Grocery in Lowell

Soft music, the refreshing coolness of air conditioning; the comfort of carpeting underfoot, and an up-to-date modern decor; Everything to make shopping the most pleasant possible experience.

This is the keynote of the new Fonger's Super Save grocery mart to be opened soon on Lowell's east side.

Mac Fonger, a native of Lowell, will preside as store manager.

Fonger, connected with Kroger stores for 20 years, brings many years of experience and know-how to this new venture.

Target date for the opening of the store is roughly three or four weeks away.

The market will feature a service meat counter, complete with a full-time butcher, rather than the self service counters found in the other local stores.

Staffed by about twenty people, the store will, among others, stock products distributed by the Spartan stores.

Area-Wide Ambulance Possibility

Lowell and all area townships appeared a step closer today in obtaining ambulance service for their residents.

This was indicated in a report that three major ambulance companies are willing to merge and take over emergency runs over the entire county.

First indication of the proposed ambulance service was a report from Supervisor William Worst, chairman of the safety committee of the Kent County Board of Supervisors, who said the plan is contingent upon the county's willingness to adopt an ambulance ordinance.

Worst said his committee is at work drafting such an ordinance. The cost of this service would be pro-rated among the communities served.

Meanwhile, Lowell is using its police cruiser first-aid unit in emergencies, pending the outcome of the all-county plan for ambulance service.

DANCE THURSDAY

The National Honor Society will sponsor an Annual-Signing Dance at the Senior High School cafeteria in Lowell at 9 p. m. on Thursday, June 13. Everyone is urged to attend to get their annuals and see all their friends.

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July 4th to 12th. Gooden's Show Repair. p10-11

Preview '68 Saturday

A full day of competition among some of the outstanding junior drum and bugle corps in the Midwest is scheduled at the 4-H Fairgrounds in Lowell this Saturday (June 15).

Titled "Preview '68," the event has been given official endorsement of Mayor Arnold Wittenbach of Lowell and Mayor C. H. Sonneveld of Grand Rapids.



CHARLES LAWYER

Reveals Bid for Treasurer

Charles Lawyer, former city controller for the City of Grand Rapids, announces that he is a Republican candidate for nomination for Kent County Treasurer in the August 6 primary.

Lawyer also announced that C. H. Runciman, Sr. of Lowell has been named Chairman of the Charles Lawyer for County Treasurer campaign.

Announcement of Runciman's appointment came following a meeting of Lawyer's Campaign Committee. In accepting the appointment as Chairman, Runciman commented:

"I've known Charlie Lawyer for 50 years. His career as a public administrator is outstanding.

In the last few weeks and months, I've heard people all over Kent County saying it's time for a change in the County Treasurer's office.

"I agree with that and I think Charlie Lawyer's the man to do the job. I have complete confidence in his ability as an administrator and his knowledge of county government."

Lawyer said if he's elected he will take a two-pronged approach aimed at bettering communications between the County Treasurer's office and township and city treasurers.

He would first invite all 30 township and city treasurers in Kent County to a "coordinating and information seminar."

Such seminars would be held regularly. Lawyer said he also plans to establish a small division within the County Treasurer's office of two or three people who would be thoroughly trained in state tax laws and the annual tax collection cycle.

Said Lawyer: "This would be for face-to-face discussions of common problems, and would give city and township personnel a chance to become acquainted with their counterparts in the county treasurer's office."

"These people would be especially well-known to the township and city treasurers," said Lawyer.

"I firmly believe that personal communications would resolve many of the problems, large and small, that now plague county officials and taxpayers as well," he concluded.

Voters OK Vocational Centers

A solid endorsement by school voters today had set in motion plans for construction and operation of two vocational training centers in Kent County.

Unofficially, the proposition

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to establish the program passed a vote of 14,099 to 10,994 and a second proposition authorizing the Kent Intermediate District to borrow \$6,025,000 for construction and site purchase won by a majority of 12,144 to 10,823.

Voters in Forest Hills and Lowell districts gave both proposals overwhelming support. In Forest Hills, Proposition No. 1 received a 531-220 "yes" nod and Proposition No. 2 won by a count of 499-222. The

votes in Lowell were 410-116 and 388-116, respectively.

Superintendent Roscoe Miner said that the Kent Intermediate District will proceed at once to establish vocational centers in existing facilities until final construction of the two buildings becomes reality. The target date is 1970, Miner said, but in all likelihood the centers will not be completed until 1971.

Miner also noted that the

1.1 mills approved for operating and construction will, for all practical purposes, replace millage due to be eliminated from the tax rolls this year.

The 1.0 mill tax for the county building and half of the .4 mill tax for the county airport are scheduled to be retired.

The new millage will be added to the tax rolls in December.

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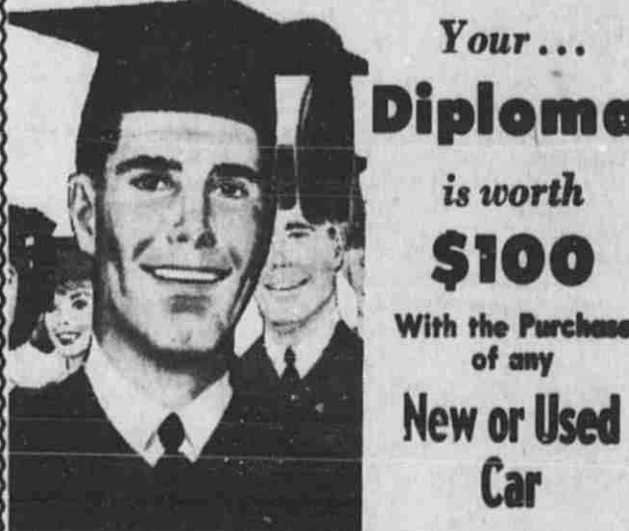
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18 Receive Diplomas at Ada Christian

The Ada Christian School ninth grade graduation was held last Thursday in the school gymnasium. Eighteen students were graduated. The commencement speaker was Rev. R. Bruvort.

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Two Receive Degrees from Michigan State

Two Lowell students of the Michigan State University were among the 4,141 graduates to receive degrees in commencement exercises on Sunday in Spartan Stadium.

Art Exhibit

Further examples showing the talents of local amateur artists will be on display for the next two weeks at the State Savings Bank.

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Junior Varsity Consists of Amy Lake, Jane Reagan, Lynette Swan, and Cindy Ball.

Pick Cheer Leaders at Lowell High

Cheerleaders for the 1968-69 school year have been chosen at Lowell High School.

Girls Chosen for Grad Varsity

Girls chosen for grad varsity were Libby Callier, Toni Grudzinskas, Kris McKeage, Charlotte Ridgeway, and Laura Stewart. The captain is Crystal Hayward.

Club news, coming events and social items must be submitted by noon on Monday.

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Outstanding Service Earns Scholarships

Marilyn J. Sage, 18-year-old daughter of Mrs. Emma Sage, and the late Wayne Sage, of 4291 Bennett Rd., has been awarded a Memorial scholarship for outstanding service in school and community affairs.

Marine Lance Corporal F. L. Osmolinski, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Osmolinski of 5701 Grand River Dr., Ada, and husband of the former Miss Chris Christmas of 2748 Albert Drive, East Grand Rapids is helping to provide support while serving with the U. S. Marines in Vietnam.

As a member of the Third Amphibian Tractor Battalion, First Marine Division he helps move troops and resupply river patrols. He also helps to provide beach defense.

Osmolinski's unit is also engaged in a civic action program designed to assist the Vietnamese people in completing self-help projects, such as the building of wells, culverts, small bridges and schools. Equipment and materials are made available through the Marine Corps Reserve Civic Action Fund.

Marine Lance Corporal Kim N. Chesebro, 20, of 1277 Alden Nash Ave., Lowell, helps provide administrative support for the Eleventh Marine Regiment in Vietnam.

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Alto Party Line Mrs. Euberta Silcox Phone 668-6710

Mrs. Clinton Hoyer reports that their son Jr. Leroy has been returned for his eighth year as pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist Church in Dowagiac.

Gove Lake Mrs. Leon Seeley 676-4655

Mr. and Mrs. James Eickhoff and family of Lowell will be moving to Saginaw as Mr. Eickhoff has been transferred there by the Michigan Bottle Gas Co. The event called for a family gathering which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Eickhoff Sr. and family of Ada. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eickhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Eickhoff and family all of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Eickhoff Jr. of Ada, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Conrad and family of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norton and family of McComb, Mr. and Mrs. John Norton and family of Sparta, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lackey and family of Lake Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Zachowski & family of Grand Rapids.

South Lowell Mrs. George Wieland 897-7433

South Lowell Circle meets at the home of Mrs. Lois Fusz Thursday afternoon, June 20.

Logan News Mrs. Spencer Johnson 668-6652

The 39th annual Johnson reunion will be held June 16th at Fallsburg Park with pot-luck dinner at 1 o'clock.

Star Corners Mrs. Ira Blough 665-3585

Mrs. Nellie Markstrom went by plane Tuesday to Johnson City, Tenn., to attend the graduation of her granddaughter, and visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Markstrom and family, returning home Sunday evening by plane.

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CHURCH NEWS

CASCADE CHRISTIAN

Thursday, June 13, The Dorcas Guild and their families will have a picnic at Vekasi, at 1801 Buttrick Road, at 6 p. m.

Saturday, June 15, Church Awards Class, 9 a. m. until 12 noon.

Sunday, June 16, Sunday School and Worship services, 9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Children's Day Observances at the Sunday School Hours, with Mrs. Grace McNaughton giving several religious Chalk Talks.

ALTO BAPTIST CHURCH
Saturday, June 15, at 12:30 p. m. Sunday School picnic at Fallsburg Park, Section B. Potluck dinner. Games for everyone.

Sunday, June 16, Sunday School, 10 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Monday, June 17th, Senior Camp begins at Lake Ann. Don't forget your medical forms and sack lunch.

ALTO METHODIST CHURCH
The Bowne Center WSCS will serve a supper to the public next Friday, June 14th, at the Hall. Serving will be 5 to 8 p. m. The WSCS members have tickets to sell.

There is to be a family camp at Crystal Springs June 9-15. You can take your own tent or rent a cabin. The MYF will meet next Sunday, June 16th, at the Alto Church. The program will center around the installation service.

R.L.S.D. ALASKA
Friday, June 14, 10 a. m., Registration for Vacation Bible School.

Sunday, June 16, 9:45 a. m., Church School, 11 a. m., Worship Service. Speaker: High Priest Lee Oliver, Jr. Church, ages 4 through 6-year-old during 11 Service, 6:45 to 7 p. m. Song Service, 7 p. m. Evening Worship, speaker: Priest L. J. McCaul, theme "Live Abundantly."

Monday, June 17, Vacation Bible School, 9 a. m. till noon.

CASCADE CHRISTIAN REF.
Sunday, June 16, at 10:00 a. m., morning worship, 7:00 p. m., evening worship conducted by the Reverend Hans Weerstra, our missionary in Merida, Yucatan, Mexico. After the service, he will show slides of his mission work. Everyone is cordially invited.

Monday, 8 p. m., Elder's meeting.

Tuesday, 8 p. m., Senior Bible Study Group.

EASTMONT REFORMED
Sunday, June 16, Morning service, 10 a. m., exchange of pulpits, the guest minister will be Rev. Wessink, from Richmond Reformed Church.

Sunday School, 11:15 a. m. Evening Worship, 7 p. m.

Monday, June 17 through the 21st, 9:30 a. m. daily, Bible School.

Saturday, June 22, Church Picnic at Dutton Park, games at 3 p. m. Supper at 5:30 p. m.

ADA CONGREGATIONAL
Sunday, June 16, Morning worship and Sunday School 10 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 2275 W. Main Street
Sunday School 10 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Youth Fellowship—6 P. M. Wednesday Family Prayer Fellowship 7 p. m. M. KEITH MC IVER—PASTOR

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West Grand River Drive, Lowell
Rev. Lloyd Dawson

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MORNING WORSHIP—11:00 A. M.
PRAYER SERVICE WEDNESDAY—7:30 P. M.
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Worship Service and Church School at 10:00 A. M.
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WORSHIP AND SUNDAY SCHOOL—10 A. M.
Pastor: REV. JAMES R. REA

First Congregational Church of Ada
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Morning Worship—10:00 O'Clock
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Rev. Lee A. Dalrymple, Pastor Doris Cox, Minister of Music

First Evangelical Free Church
3950 Burton Street, S. E., Corner of East Paris Road
9:30 A. M.—Sunday School
10:45 A. M.—MORNING WORSHIP
6:00 P. M.—Youth Meetings
7:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP
Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.—Midweek Prayer and Bible Study

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Sunday School—11:10 A. M.
Henry Bulkema, Pastor—Phone 897-7105
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Obituaries

CPL. LEE E. HIMEBAUGH

Services for Marine Cpl. Lee Edward Himebaugh, 20, of Alto, were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Reorganized Church of Christ of the Latter Day Saints, 68th St. and Whitneyville Rd., Alaska, Mich.

Military graveside rites were held at the Bowne Center Cemetery. The Roth Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Cpl. Himebaugh died of wounds suffered May 27 near Quang Tri, Vietnam.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Himebaugh; four brothers, Carl, Chester, David, and Richard; two sisters, Lois and Susan; and his grandmother, Mrs. Joanna Bitler, of Belding.

WILLIAM H. WERT

Funeral services for William H. Wert, 40, of Lowell, were held at 2 p. m. Monday at the Roth Funeral Home, followed by interment in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Wert, a truck operator, passed away last Friday in St. Mary's Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Elsie; a daughter, Willa Velkamp, of Cedar Springs; one son, Martin; two grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. Genevieve Wert, of Lowell; his father William Sr. of Howard City; five sisters, Mrs. George Hawley, of Cedar Springs; Mrs. Gerald Geesey, of Rockford; Mrs. Jean Battjes, of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Bradford Schrimmer, of St. Johns; Mrs. Duane Satterlee, of Chicago; one brother, Ronald, of Pasadena, Calif.; and several nephews and nieces.

GEORGE TANIS

George Tanis, 79, former owner of the Tanis Motel, on M-21 west of Lowell, passed away last Wednesday in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Services for Mr. Tanis were held in St. Petersburg on Monday.

For many years he was service manager for Gezon Motors in Grand Rapids.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle, a sister, Mrs. Nellie Gietzen; a brother, Henry; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

JAMES JOHNSON

James R. Johnson, 9, passed away June 8 as the result of accidental drowning in a creek near his home in Bowne Township.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Leonard-Osgood Funeral Home, Hastings, with the Rev. Conrad Snavely officiating, Interment Freeport Cemetery.

James was born in Martin, Tennessee on June 21, 1958. He attended the Runciman School in Lowell, and was



REV. CHARLES DAVIS

Reverend Davis Resigns Post; Leaves June 30

Reverend Charles Davis, for the past six years the pastor at the Lowell Congregational Church has resigned to accept a new position on the East Coast.

Reverend Davis' resignation, submitted a week ago, was accepted by the church's Board of Deacons Sunday.

He will officially leave on June 30, take a month's vacation and assume his new duties as associate minister for counselling and adult education at Berlin, Conn., on August 1. Berlin is located a short distance from Hartford.

During his six years in Lowell, Reverend Davis has been active in many areas.

He was a member of the YMCA board for four years, secretary-treasurer of the Lowell-area Housing for Senior Citizens; chairman of the Auburn Hills Integrated Housing Project; on the State Committee of Evangelism of the United Church of Christ, served in the department of urban churches and the department of church extension, and participated in many other church organizations.

Reverend Davis and his wife, Pat, have four children.

presently enrolled in the third grade at the Alto School; and was an Alto Cub Scout.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson, both deceased, he lived with Mr. and Mrs. Rick Johnson.

Other survivors are a sister, Rita; a brother, Steve; two step-brothers, Dennis and Mike; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Willie Johnson; maternal grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Hatcher; and another maternal grandmother, Mrs. Anna Hilbert.

MRS. MARY MYERS

A funeral Mass for Mrs. Mary J. Myers, of 9215 Three Mile Rd., Ada Township, was chanted at 10 a. m. Saturday at St. Patrick's Church, followed by final rites in the church cemetery. The Alt Mortuary had charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Myers who was 82, passed away last Tuesday in Butterworth Hospital.

She leaves her husband, William J., a son William Jr.; a daughter, Miss Aileen Myers; four grandchildren; and one sister, Miss Catherine Sullivan, of Detroit.

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CARD OF THANKS
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Spectacular Scheduled Saturday

By official proclamation of the mayors of Lowell and Grand Rapids, this Saturday (June 15) has officially been proclaimed as Preview 1968

Drum and Bugle Day in the two cities.

The proclamations were issued by Mayor Arnold Wittenbach of Lowell and Mayor C. H. Sonneveldt of Grand Rapids in recognition of Preview '68, a day-long event of junior drum and bugle corps competition scheduled at the 4-H Fair grounds in Lowell.

Outstanding units from throughout the Midwest are scheduled to compete for top prize money and trophies.

Included among the corps schedule to appear are the Royal Lancers from Wyandotte, Michigan, who are defending Michigan state VFW champions; and the Angels of

Ohio of Bellefontaine, Ohio, who took down top honors in 1967 in that state's American Legion competition.

An all-girl corps from Port Clinton, O. . . the Vacationland Sweethearts . . . also will be on hand for the musical extravaganza.

The Green Hornets from Comstock Park and Lowell's own fine Scarlet Troubadours will perform in exhibition during the evening program.

Also scheduled to compete are the Maumee (O.) Suns; the Marauders from Madison Heights; the Diplomats from Roseville; the Royal Guardsmen of Flint and the Rossonland Cadets of St. Joseph.

Five judges from out-of-state will determine winners in the afternoon and evening (see schedule inside).

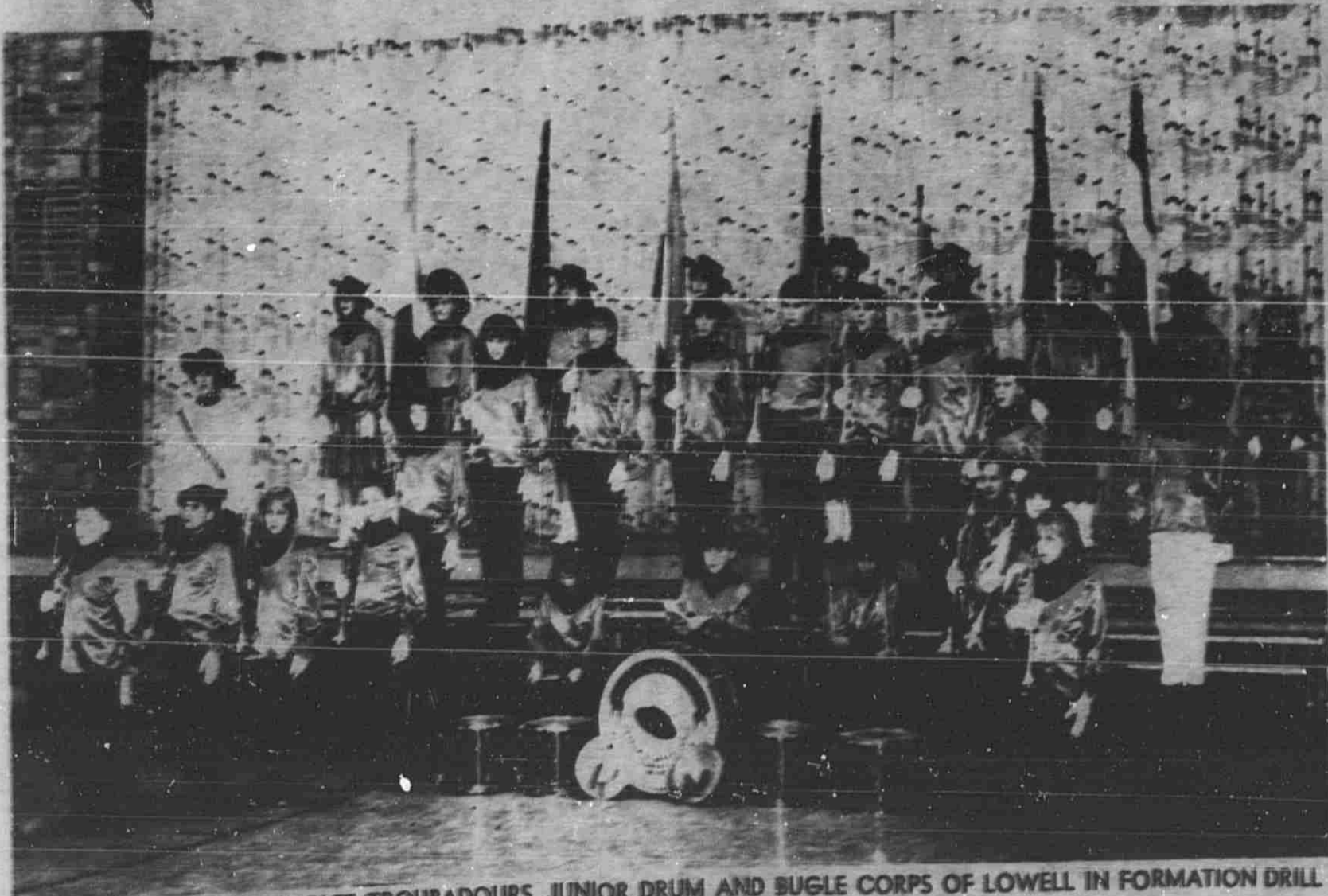
Larry Madsen, 8th District VFW commander from Grand Rapids, will present prizes and trophies to the evening competition winners; and Marlene Wilson, president of the 8th District VFW Auxiliary from Kalamazoo, will present trophies to afternoon winners in Color Guard competition.

The afternoon portion of the program starts at 1:30 and the evening program at 7:30 following a parade that gets underway at 7 o'clock.

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Pull-Out Section

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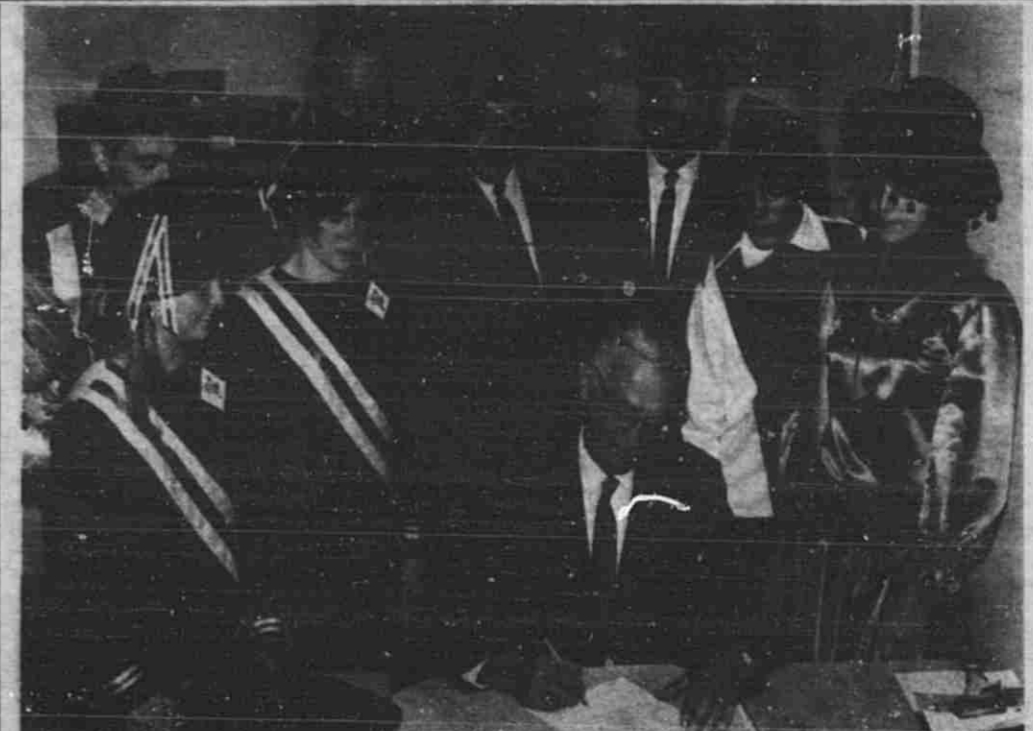
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PREVIEW '68, a drum and bugle spectacular scheduled in Lowell on Saturday, June 15, receives official recognition from Mayor Arnold Wittenbach. Looking on as the mayor signs a proclamation are (from left) Kathy McCarthy, Arnie Rodriguez and Donnell Boshoven all from the Green Hornets Corps, Bob Green, Don LeHigh and Leon Grove, committee members, and Dan DesJarden and Carol Wolfe from the Scarlet Troubadours.

Proclaim 'Preview '68' Day

**CITY OF LOWELL
MICHIGAN
PROCLAMATION**
WHEREAS It has come to the attention of the City of Lowell that the Green Hornets and the Scarlet Troubadours Union Drum and Bugle Corps of Kent County, are endeavoring to promote Drum and Bugle Corps by a competitive show and contest called "Preview 1968" to be held in Lowell on June 15, 1968; and
WHEREAS The Green Hornets and Scarlet Troubadours have been a great service to the Citizens and to the City of Lowell, and the Citizens of Kent County because of their volunteer participation in community events, parades, entertainment, music marching and discipline; and
WHEREAS The City of Lowell believes that the objectives and purposes of the Green Hornets and the Scarlet Trou-

badours should be encouraged,
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Arnold A. Wittenbach, Mayor of the City of Lowell, do hereby proclaim the day of June 15, 1968 as "Preview 1968" Drum and Bugle Day in the City of Lowell.
Arnold A. Wittenbach,
Mayor
City of Lowell

in Lowell on June 15, 1968, and
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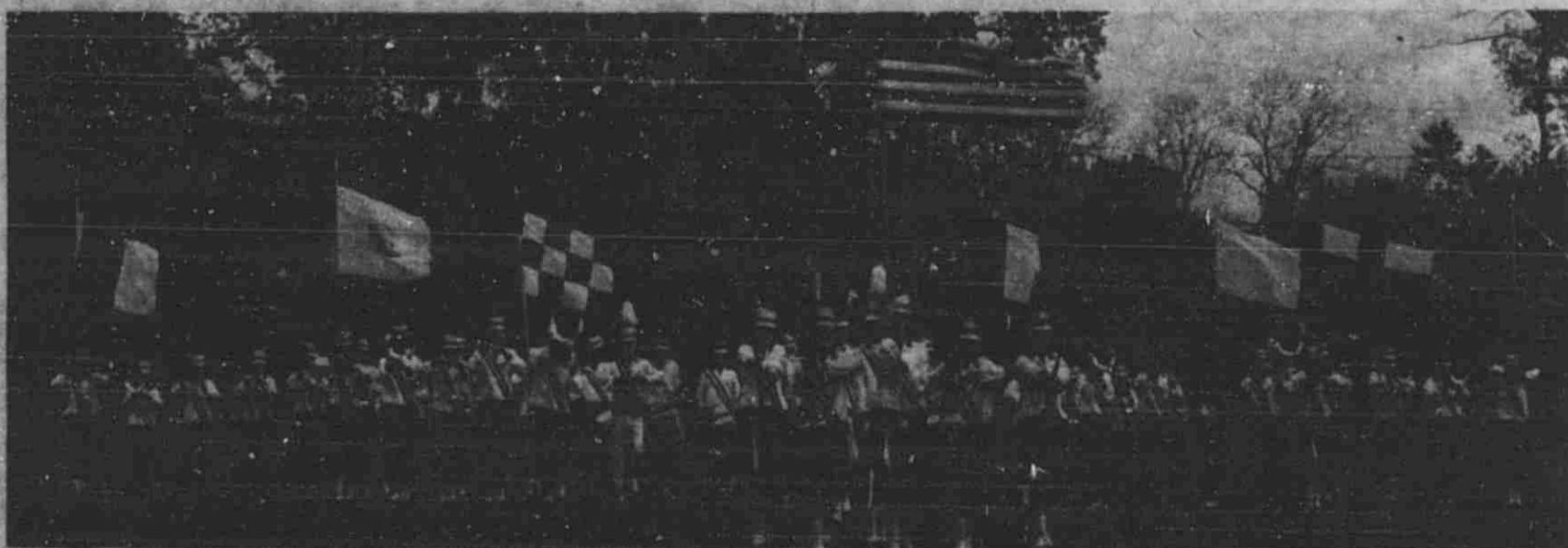


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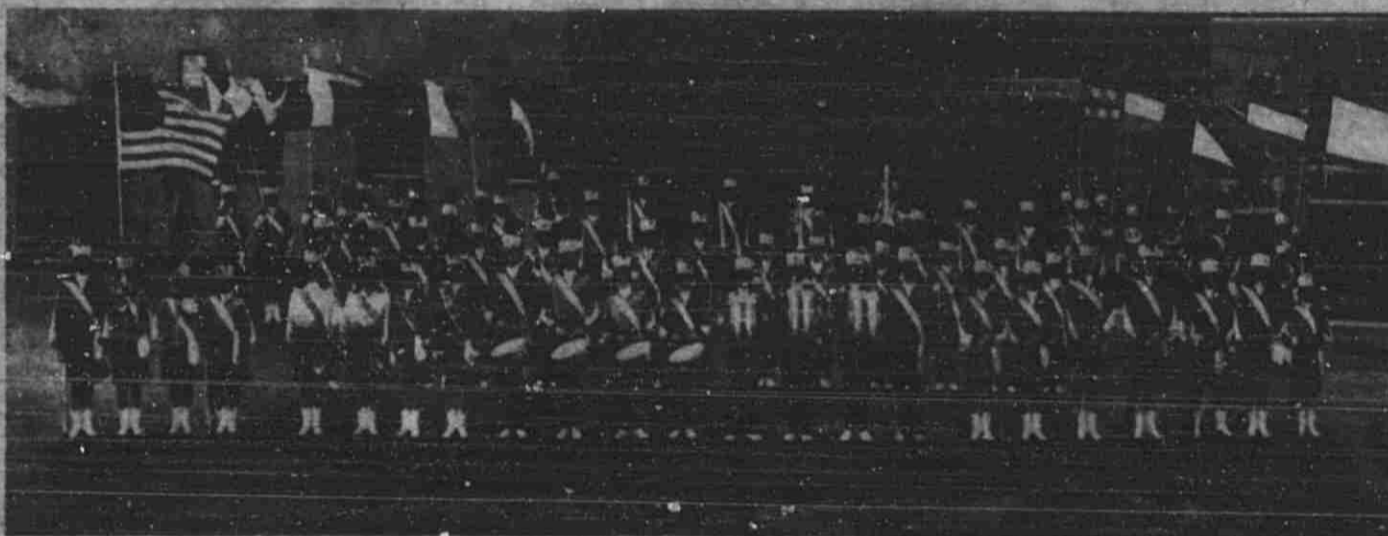
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All's Fair at Berlin Race Oval

Joey Fair of Pontiac, driving a 1965 Chevelle, grabbed the checkered flag in the 25-lap feature for semi-late model stocks at Berlin Speedway Saturday night.

The veteran pilot took over from Battle Creek's Jerry Spear on the 16th lap and coasted to the win. Rich Seneker of Grand Rapids was third and Gail Cobb of Ada took fourth place. Cobb also won a heat race.

Ed VanderLaan of Cascade continues to improve from injuries sustained when his super-modified roadster flipped and rolled at Oswego, N. Y.

Death claimed veteran Michigan driver Ronnie Duman of Dearborn in the Rex Mays Classic at Milwaukee over the weekend and sent Norm Brown of Grand Rapids to the hospital with burns over 40 percent of his body... the result of a flaming crash early in the race.

Name New Grid Mentor for Rangers



FRANK ROSENGREN

Frank Rosengren, 31, athletic coach at St. Johns, Michigan, has been appointed head football coach at Forest Hills High School, according to announcements issued by Superintendent of Schools Robert G. Masten and Ed Shy, athletic director.

In making the announcement, Masten emphasized that Rosengren was selected from a list of 30 candidates because, in addition to an outstanding coaching record, he was highly recommended as a class room instructor.

A graduate of Saginaw Arthur Hill High, he was quarterback and team captain of the school's football eleven which, in 1954, had an undefeated season and went on to win the Saginaw Valley championship.

Rosengren then entered Alma College where, as a freshman he earned a varsity letter. He also played third base on the Alma nine which won an M.I.A.A. championship.

He transferred to Central Michigan College, where he achieved a B.A. degree and a Masters degree in Political Science.

Rosengren started his coaching career at Saginaw St. Andrews High School where in his only season he had a 5-3 record. The past 4 years Rosengren has been the number one assistant to Bill Smiley at St. Johns where the two have compiled a 38-12-2 record with 3 West Central Conference championships.

The new coach inherits a flourishing football program at Forest Hills that has produced 5 wins, 17 losses, and 2 ties in the past three seasons in the tough O-K Red Division Conference. However, he considers the Forest Hills situation is exactly the same one Bill Smiley and I entered at St. Johns. I am not afraid of it, all I expect is the cooperation of a lot of people."

Athletic Director, Ed Shy, agreed that Rosengren has a "tremendous rebuilding job."

Says Shy: "Frank is inheriting from last year varsity lettermen that won 2 games, a reserve squad that won 1, and a freshman team that never scored a touchdown."

However, added Shy, Rosengren is extremely knowledgeable, and he really believes in the things that have brought success at St. Johns."

Rosengren, and his wife Joanne, and three children, Brek, 8; Paige, 6; and Judson, 4 plan to move to the Forest Hills area in early August.

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MES. DOROTHY LEASURE AND TWO OF HER 'PUPILS'

Area Kennel Enjoys Wide-Spread Fame

A solid reputation built in international competition has helped create a thriving dog kennel business in the Lowell area.

Ten years ago, Mrs. Dorothy Leasure arrived in this area from Nebraska and established Timberline Training Kennels. She carried credentials from a well-known Nebraska kennel that listed her as a well-qualified professional field trial trainer and handler and shooting dog trainer.

For seven years, Mrs. Leasure travelled far and wide to enter clients' retrievers in big league competition.

Among events in which she participated with her trainees were the Canadian National Open All-Age Championship Trials, the American National Amateur All-Age Championship Field Trial and a number of Michigan and national championship tests.

Mrs. Leasure's entries in these events, primarily against the top professional trainers throughout the United States and Canada, brought countless awards to owners of outstanding retrievers.

A year and a half ago, Mrs. Leasure decided to switch from field trial dogs to training of shooting dogs and to concentrate more on enlarging the boarding facilities at Timberline.

It was a decision that she has not regretted.

The population growth of Kent County over the past decade has created a demand from dog fanciers for

proper training and kennel services.

To meet the demand, Timberline has installed the latest in combination indoor-outdoor individual runs for both shooting dog trainees and house pets.

In addition, the kennel provides pick-up and delivery service for customers on Mondays, Wednesday and Fridays.

One might almost say that business is going to the dogs... and, in the case of Timberline, this would be good!

Scholarship Winners Honored

Two Forest Hills High school athletes have been named as recipients of athletic scholarship awards.

They are Steve Russ and Ryan Ashley, both of whom were graduated last week.

Russ, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Russ Jr., Dean Lake Road was selected to receive the annual Frank Malizia athletic scholarship to Grand Rapids Junior College.

An outstanding athlete in football, basketball and track at Forest Hills, Steve was the player that could always be counted on in a tight situation.

The 6'2", 185-pounder was voted the Rangers' most valuable player, was a second team All-Ottawa-Kent selection in basketball and took the conference long jump in track.

Frank Malizia, in whose memory the award is made, was a graduate of Union High, G. R. Junior College and Central Michigan.

Ashley, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Ashley, 1191 Forest Hills Rd., S.E. was presented the John Blanchard Scholarship athletic award, set up to honor John Blanchard, a member of the coaching staff of Forest Hills who passed away in 1967.

The award is voted on by the entire coaching staff. To qualify a 3.0 average grade must be maintained and a letter in at least one major sport must be earned.

Ryan has been an outstanding student and athlete all through high school. He earned major awards in football, basketball and baseball. He will attend the University of Michigan in the fall.

Last year's winner, Greg Leach, has just completed his first year at Olivet College at Kankakee, Illinois.

Launches '68 LL Campaign

In the opening games of the Senior Division of the Thornapple Little League held Saturday at the Lions Ball Park, North Field, the first game of the doubleheader was won by the Bearcats against the Hawks with a score of 9-0.

Following a flag-raising ceremony conducted by Robert Van Strien and Ray Slater, two of the coaches, the Laners shut out the Cougars, 5-0.

The Senior Division is made up of boys between the ages of 13 and 15. These teams compete in what was called the Pony League previously.

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Lowell '9' Suffers 2nd Loss, 5-2

Its second loss in as many starts this season sent Lowell to the bottom of the Southern Division standings in the Tri-County baseball league Sunday.

Belding inflicted a 5-2 setback on Lowell with the victory leaving the winners atop the Northern Division standings.

Wayne King was the winning hurler while Roger Butcher absorbed the defeat.

Al Baird, Brownell and Stormzand all connected for two hits for Lowell.

In other league games, Portland beat Hubbardston, 9-4, to push its mark to 2-0 in the Northern Division; Lakeview topped Sheridan, 7-3; and Sidney walloped Perrinton.

Next Sunday, Lowell will play host to Pawama.

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City of Lowell Council Proceedings

Regular session, Monday evening, May 20, 1968, in the council room of the city hall.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor pro tem Herbert M. Reynolds, at 7:30 p. m. and the Clerk called the roll.

Present: Councilman Anderson, Jeffrey, Myers, Reynolds.

Absent: Mayor Wittenbach, attending Mayor's Exchange Day in Belleville.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Myers, supported by Anderson, that the minutes of the regular meeting of May 6, 1968 and of the special session of May 13, 1968 be approved as presented and the reading waived.

Yes: Myers, Anderson, Reynolds, Jeffrey, A.

The Clerk read the following lists of deposits made following the last regular meeting of May 6, 1968:

General Fund \$10,965.26
Water Funds 8,106.37
Sewerage Fund 1,200.00
Bills payable read by the Clerk:

General Fund \$5,197.94
1965 Debt Retirement Water 3,836.14
Water Fund 1,007.79
Sewerage Fund 1,200.00
Building & Site Fund 1,728.00
1965 Debt Retirement Sewer 11,208.24

COMMUNICATIONS

1. Petition for installation of curb and gutter in Lauric Gail Drive from Valley Vista Drive to Donna Drive. To Manager Olson for report to Council. (See MOTIONS)

2. Notification by Michigan Department of Commerce of an Inspection by the Public Service Commission of the Mesapeake and Ohio Railroad tracks at crossing on West Main Street on June 5, 1968 at 10 a. m. Road Police Department already notified.

3. Request of Lowell Royal Squares Dance Club for permit for a street party on South Broadway Street on June 15, 1968. The Clerk was directed to inform applicants that the street party would be at the time occupied by the Drum and Bugle Corps which would cause a curfew.

4. Showboat Garden Club representative presented a request that the City install a fence on the east side of the Library building in the interest of preserving the lawn and protecting the building and shrubbery. (Mayor Wittenbach entered the meeting at 8:40 p. m.) (See MOTION authorizing erection of a fence.)

5. Letter from Traffic & Safety Division of the Michigan State Highway Department stating that the matter of request for traffic signal on M-21 at Monroe Street is being studied by Mr. Ralph Shoemaker of the Grand Rapids Traffic District office. He will report his findings to the City.

6. Communication from Community Action Program re City's participation in the Agency designated by the City of Grand Rapids. Tabled for June 3 meeting.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Further consideration of proposed Light and Power Utility electric heating rates. Council concurred in rates set. (See MOTIONS)

2. Manager's report on special assessments for water on Beech Street. The Manager recommended that the approximate additional cost for water installation in amount of \$78.00 be paid for in the same ratio as the original estimate—75 percent by property owners, 25 percent by the City. (See MOTIONS)

3. The maintenance of M-21 both north and south of M-21 was brought to the Council for discussion. The Manager stated that the State had relinquished jurisdiction of M-21 to the City. The County has a maintenance contract with the State Highway Department on M-91 north of M-21. The Manager stated that a bid depends on the date of the Hudson Street link in with Lincoln Lake Avenue, that the County would pay for half of an estimated \$50,000 cost of such linking together, together with half of an estimated \$7,500 storm sewer cost on Hunt Street, if the link length were turned over to the County to become a part of the Primary System.

4. Plans for linking the two have been made, all is ready except acquisition of property.

Many residents of the Hudson Street-Lincoln Lake-Hunt Street area were present, mostly to protest the proposed linking Hudson and Lincoln Lake with the thought that most traffic would be diverted to Hudson Street. One resident expressed the opinion that some improvement should be done west of Lincoln Lake Avenue due to the fact that a factory will be built there.

Most objected because of their fear of increased traffic; one

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(Absent—Mayor Wittenbach) IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Myers, supported by Reynolds, that the City Manager be and hereby is authorized to erect a fence on the east and north sides of the Lowell Public Library of a height and quality deemed proper by him if the cost to not exceed \$500.

IT WAS FURTHER MOVED that a report be brought back to the Council on the cost of erecting \$500.

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No: None.

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No: None.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Jeffrey, supported by Anderson, that the recommendation of the City Manager that an approximate 23.8 percent increase be added to the special assessment roll for Water in Beech Street to make up for a deficiency in Sewerage Fund be and hereby is approved.

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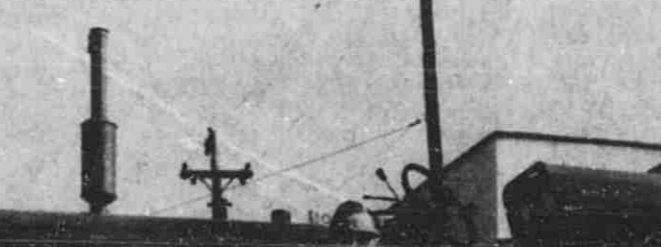
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Coming Events

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A state boating class sponsored by the Kent County Sheriff's Department and the Grattan Township Board will be held for all interested students ages 11 thru 17, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. June 18th, 25th and 27th at the Grattan Township Hall. Free to all. For more information call OX 1-8150.

Ladies interested in forming an afternoon TOPS club will meet at the YMCA club rooms on Thursday afternoon, June 20, at 2 p. m., to organize.

The Snow W.S.C.S. is having a roast beef dinner, Wednesday, June 12th at the Snow Christian Center. Serving will begin at 5:30. Public is invited.

Senior citizens potluck supper and card party, 6:30 p. m. Thursday, June 20th.

Garden Lore Club members will please meet at the American Legion Hall, Tuesday, June 18, at 1 p. m. for garden tour. Rides available.

The Perry Group of the Congregational Church will meet on Friday morning, June 14th, at 11:45 a. m. at the church to go to Martha Hall's for a picnic lunch.

Just started—Lowell Teen Mini Misses Top's Club. Come on girls, "Take off pounds sensibly." Meetings start at eight p. m. and end at nine p. m. every Tuesday night at St. Mary's School. For more information call TW 7-7358.

The Island City Rebecca Lodge meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, June 18 at 8 p. m.

Special prophetic services will be held at the West Lowell United Brethren Church beginning June 17th at each evening that week. Time 7:30 p. m. Speaker: Rev. Loyd Dawson of Lansing.



LINDA COOK

Miss Cook Takes Office

Bethel No. 14 International Order of Job's Daughters will hold an installation of officers on June 15, at 8 p. m. at the Lowell Masonic Temple.

Officers to be installed are as follows: Honored Queen, Linda Cook; Senior Princess, Pam Harter; Junior Princess, Mary DeRushia; Guide, Anita Hahn and Marshal, Jean Leeman.

Also Chaplain, Ann Baker; Fourth Messenger, Kathy Nest; Fifth Messenger, Dorone Weaver; Inner Guard, Jindra Weaver; and Outer Guard, Debbie Nestli.

The Mistress of ceremonies for the evening will be Theo Schutt.

The installing officers to take part in the ceremony will be Installing Honored Queen, Ann Baker; Installing Guide, Pat Beauchamp; Installing Marshal, Lynn Thomet; Installing Sr. Custodian, Sandy VanderWart and Installing Jr. Custodian, Louise Waltz.

Since this is an open installation, the public is invited.

List Golf Winners in Ladies' Meet

At the Forest Hills Women's Golf Association monthly match, winners for the nine-hole group were Virginia Gilmore, Millie Terrell, Zil Prescott, and Liz Gahreeb with 43s and Carol Butler, Alice Jason, Esther Signor, and Gen Sanwald with 45s.

Winners of the eighteen-hole group were Karol Ray, Tommy Price, Pat Mieras, and Ollie Frede with 73s, and Shirlee Strayer, Annette DeMinch, Ginny Venema, and Marge Jones with 76s.

Social Scene

Doris Boyd of Lowell and Jean Shumaker of Cornstock Park, president and co-marshal of the Kent County Association OES respectively went to Sparta on Monday to award a \$100 scholarship to Douglas Huegel. Wednesday at the Grandville chapter meeting a scholarship was presented to Christine Greinke, Mrs. Shumaker is the chairman of the scholarship committee.

Mrs. Lyle Weekes assisted Mrs. Keith Mueller at a coffee held in the latter's home on Wednesday, June 4, for the women bus drivers. A good time was had by all.

Mrs. Wilma Hemingsen and her son, Robert, attended the graduation exercises of her grandson, Donald Hemingsen, from Ionia High School last Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell Spray leave Tuesday for Kansas City, Missouri, where they will attend the General Conventions and Assembly of the

Church of the Nazarene. Mrs. Spray is a delegate to the Nazarene World Missionary Society Convention which will be held June 13-15 at the Municipal Auditorium. The General Assembly will follow thru June 21.

Following their attendance at these meetings, Rev. and Mrs. Spray will travel to Austin, Texas, to visit his parents and other relatives. During their absence, services will be held as usual at the local church, with Rev. Tom Rash and others doing the speaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown have recently returned home from a 3 week vacation. While away they called on friends in Seattle and Everett, Washington.

Mrs. Ethel Yeliter and son Robert of Belding spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stuart of Clarksville and attended an open house for their daughter, Diane, who graduated from Lakewood School.

Mrs. Joe Parker, Mrs. Chas. Clark and Mrs. Elmer Ellis attended the annual convention of the Blue Star Mothers of America, Inc., held in the Pantlind Hotel in Grand Rapids last Tuesday. Any mothers with sons in service wishing a window banner may call 897-7367.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ellis attended graduation at Rogers High School, Wyoming, last Friday night. Jana Lee Hawley was one of the graduates. Open house was enjoyed at her home following the graduation.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Willwerth, jr., and son Timothy of Cincinnati, Ohio, were weekend guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Harry Day, Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Topp of Lansing and Monday guests Mrs. Roger Shepard and four children of Grand Rapids.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grochowalski, Bronson Ave., Ada have announced the birth of a son on June 5.

A lovely daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McCarthy of Big Crooked Lake on Tuesday, June 4th at Osteopathic Hospital in Grand Rapids. The little miss has weighed seven pounds, two ounces at birth. Mrs. McCarthy is the former Carolyn King of Lowell.

A daughter, Gerada Sue, is the new arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Miles of 2339 Lowellview Avenue, Lowell. The young lady weighed six pounds, four ounces, when she was born on May 31st at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael VanderVelde, 1351 Sibley, Lowell, wish to announce the birth of a new baby daughter, Michelle Lynn. She was born on May 31st in Butterworth Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bowne of Marble Road, Belding, are the proud parents of a baby girl, Deborah Ann, born June 1st, at Butterworth Hospital. Deborah weighed 8 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces. Mrs. Bowne is the former Jill Hoover of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Miller of 7590 Pratt Lake Avenue, Alto, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl born Monday, June 3rd, at Butterworth Hospital. Little Dianna Marie weighed eight pounds, thirteen ounces, and has two sisters.

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to all that helped to make our 25th anniversary such a memorable occasion. A special thanks to our daughters who gave us such an enjoyable open house, to all the friends and relatives we greeted and those that sent flowers, cards and other remembrances.
Clair & Clarabelle Kauffman

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We want so very much to thank every person who opened his heart and tried each in his own way to ease our pain and help at the time of the death of Frank Atherton. The school children, the friends, and all the people of the community who were so thoughtful will never be forgotten.
Judy, James & Lucile Atherton

Forest Hills Hi-Lites

Parties, picnics, and pools take over as school's-out, graduations, weddings, and just plain sun and water worshippers get into the great outdoors.

At a picnic buffet on her lawn, Flora Bishop entertained 40 friends of Jeanette Titsworth who came to wish her well in her new home in Minneapolis. Guests brought remembrances to help keep Cascade memories alive.

There was a surprise party for Steve Titsworth at the Van Strien's at which a number of his friends said their farewells. The Titsworths are leaving on the 14th.

The Van Strien's also managed to have a pool party for 40 Chi Rho members and their friends and Pauline said that they swam... and swam... and swam. In fact, the place was swarming with swimming kids who took little time off to eat, if that can be believed. All indications were that they had an hilarious time.

Larry Willard also entertained with a pool party one night at which there were at least 30 lively frosh.

The Chester Lozick's held a large family-and-friend buffet supper honoring their daughter, Sheri. Out-of-town guests included Mary Jawerewski, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sclan, and Mrs. Chester Sclan and her daughter, Susan, all of Chicago.

Chuck Mathews, baseball coach, entertained the FHS Varsity team with ice cream and cake at his home and the team treated him with a new fishing reel.

Leaving town for a week or two are Jim and Dave Veaksi, who are flying to Marathon, Florida, (almost to Key West) to visit their grandparents, the Wildermuth's. The boys will drive one of the cars back here after their vacation and their grandparents

will follow shortly to spend the summer here in their Michigan home.

Hans Lundgren is winging his way to Houston to visit an uncle whom he has not seen for three years when they were both living in Germany. Hans is an exchange student this year, living with the Peter Price's.

Headed for Caberfae are Ralph and Rosemary Fosner. They will attend a sales convention at which he is to be a featured speaker.

A potluck luncheon held after the monthly golf match and business meeting of the Forest Hills Women's Golf Association was a howling success as post-mortems were held over the hazards of the game.

Rex Kingsland of Kingsland's Hardware and Variety in Cascade has just returned from the V & S Hardware Show.

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