

## P.O. May Face More Cutbacks

A further cutback in local mail delivery may be necessary in the near future, Postmaster Charles R. Doyle of Lowell said today.

Effective this Saturday (July 27), the general delivery window will be open only for one hour—from 8 a. m. to 9 a. m.—to deliver mail to general delivery patrons and area business firms that normally call for mail at the post office.

Doyle said that curtailment of other postal services, including planned extensions of city and rural delivery routes, are in keeping with an order from Postmaster General W. Marvin Watson to reduce some services and curtail new hiring.

At this time there are no plans to provide mail delivery service to new housing subdivisions and apartment projects, Doyle said.

The U. S. Post Office and other government agencies were recently told by Congress to cut back employment to the June, 1966 level, which includes 83,228 postal employees nationally.

"This is not a matter of dollars but of people," Postmaster General Watson explained. "Under the manpower restrictions imposed by the tax bill, we simply will not have enough people to continue all postal services at their present level."

Postmaster Doyle emphasized that the Post Office Department agreed to the reduction in funds for the 1969 fiscal year that began July 1 and is not asking for a restoration of any money cut from its budget.

"The Postmaster General," Doyle explained, "told us we could operate within our budget and maintain postal services at or near their present level if we did not have to reduce employment to the June, 1966 level."

Doyle also noted that he has been directed to submit his plans by September 1, regarding his proposals on how and when Saturday delivery on city residential routes should be handled locally.

An effective date for the elimination of Saturday residential delivery here and nationally is then expected to be established by the Department, the postmaster explained.

## Showboat Committees Named

William S. Doyle, General Chairman of the 1968 Lowell Showboat, this week announced the various departmental chairmen. "Without these fine people tending to the myriad details of Showboat operation," Mr. Doyle said, "the Lowell Showboat would be unable to operate."

The list of appointees include: Dr. Clark Vredenburg of the Lions Club as chairman of Showboat Amateur Night; Jerald Roth of the Rotary Club, ticket sales chairman; Terry Bambrick of the YMCA, chairman of concessions; Fred Phelps of the VFW, chairman of the parking committee; Marcel Kropf of the Lions Club, chairman of the program committee and R. M. Doyle of the Lowell Chamber of Commerce, co-ordinator of the Travel Trailer Rally.

Also named were: Barbara Curtis, make-up; Richard Brush, finances; Jack Kennedy, special events; Sergeant James Hutson, police; George Dey, jr., ushers; Bob Steward, lighting; and Karl Fry, boat operation.

In addition: Mark Burdick, construction; Anthony Bancroft, electrical; Larry Wittenbach, boat and stands; Harold Ball, boat decoration; Herbert Elzinga, ticket taking; Harry Symes, publicity; Edward Kell, review of acts and Roger Roberts, public relations.



**THE ADMIRAL'S READY** — C. H. Runciman, excellent service in the Showboat ticket office on East Main are (from left) Stanley Gardner, Mrs. Jerry Roth, Jerry Roth and Mrs. Frank Baker.



## Conduct Finale in Search

More than 30 of Michigan's most talented non-professional show business acts will compete this Saturday night (July 27) seeking to fill six coveted positions for Lowell Showboat performances during the week of August 19-24.

The annual Talent Search, underway since June, will be climaxed on the Dock Stage of the Showboat starting at 8 p. m.

Admission is \$1 with youngsters through 12 years of age only 50c.

Included among the performers who will seek to catch the eye of eight judges from the entertainment world is Cynthia Slamka, talented 11-year-old Lowell girl who recently won three awards in the state baton twirling competition. Her jazz routine was selected as best in the contest.

Bill Merchant, a well known television personality, will be the emcee of the Talent-Search Show.

Acts will include a wide variety of solo and group singers and dancers, novelty acts, comedy skits, plus modern, polka, and contemporary bands.

The six selected winners will appear with Dinah Shore, the Showboat's top headliner, along with the Dukes of Dixieland Band, comedian Rusty Ryan, the Gordon-Raynor Dancers, and the entire Chorus and Showboat band during Showboat week.

Information pertaining to Talent-Search Show Night can be obtained by calling the Showboat box office at 897-9227.

Coordinated with the festivities of Showboat week is the Lowell Showboat Travel Trailer Rally sponsored by the Lowell Chamber of Commerce. According to Mike Doyle, the chairman of the event, it will be bigger than ever this year and will bring in several hundred extra "residents" to Lowell for that busy week.

Fresh and exciting routines are being worked out now by choreographer Rich Rahn of the Academy of Dance Arts especially for the Gordon-Raynor Dancers. Rich and the girls made a big hit at last year's show with their colorful routines.

Mr. Doyle went on to say "Grain and farm supply firms desperately need young men with special training to assume key positions in this industry. Last year there were eight or nine jobs for every student graduating in this field."

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**PATROLMAN L. E. COOK**

## Appoint Officer to City Force

Appointment of Lewis E. Cook, 24, as patrolman on the Lowell police force was announced this week by City Manager Bernard C. Olson.

Cook fills a vacancy created by the resignation of Mike Harrington, who has left to join the East Lansing force.

The new officer is a graduate of the West Michigan Law Enforcement School which is conducted by the Kent County Sheriff's Department. He completed his schooling in September 1967.

Cook was a member of the East Grand Rapids department for two years.

A native of Sparta, Cook and his wife, Dee, and son Brent, currently reside in Kentwood, but will make their home in Lowell when suitable living quarters can be located.

Cook was graduated from Sparta High School. He is a sports enthusiast, competing in softball, basketball and golf.

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## Board Continues Budget Trim Prior to School Millage Vote

Concerned officials of the Lowell Area School District continued today to pour over proposed budget figures in an attempt to make further cuts from projected 1968-69 operating costs.

The Board of Education met Monday night, but came up with no firm millage proposal to lay before district voters in a special millage election scheduled for Monday, August 26.

Approximately \$45,000 has been pared from the original budget of \$1,357,813 proposed by Supt. James C. Pace and further cuts are anticipated as the board members seek to bring about financial stability.

The district finished the 1967-68 school year with a deficit of some \$85,000 pending final audit figures. Much of the deficit was the result of reduction in anticipated state aid.

To offset the deficit and bring about a balanced budget for next year, the board is expected to seek voter approval of approximately three additional mills for operating.

Lowell presently is operating on a 10.1-mill allocation from Kent County and seven mills approved for three years by district voters last summer.

The new millage, if approved, would be for but one year, according to the board members.

Of 18 school systems in the Kent Intermediate District, Lowell ranks near the bottom both in state equalized valuation and in voter-approved millage, according to Superintendent Pace.

The special meeting of Monday night can be re-convened at anytime at the request of board President Dr. Robert Reagan. It is expected that board members will return to the budget table again before week's end.

Voters not currently eligible to participate in the August 26 election have until tomorrow (July 26) at 5 p. m. to register with the township or city clerk of their residency, according to Pace.

A new state law now permits clerks to accept registrations for later elections even though registrations for the August 6 primary have been closed since July 5.

School officials emphasized that the special election is open to all qualified residents, not just property owners.

In other action Monday, the board disclosed it is now seeking applications to fill the dual-capacity position of assistant high school principal and athletic director created by the resignation last week of Dale Holgren.

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## Challenges Opponent to Debate

Edward Doyle, a candidate for state representative in the 89th District, today announced that he will seek a public debate with State Representative Stanley Powell, his opponent for the Republican nomination in the August 6 primary.

In his announcement, Doyle said:

"A debate at this time would create voter interest and stimulate a good voter turnout for the August 6 primary. But most important, the actions of our representatives are increasingly affecting our everyday lives. Therefore, the people should have the right to know exactly the positions of their candidates."

Doyle said that three possible sites—Lowell, Ionia and Hastings—are under consideration for the proposed debate.

## School Veteran Retires

"There have been a tremendous number of changes in the Lowell School system during the 36 years I've been part of it," reflected Harold Buck, head custodian, "but I suppose if I were to pick out the greatest differences it would have to be more kids and better equipment."

Serving Lowell Area Schools

since 1932, Buck is now retiring. There was only one building (the present junior high) housing 588 students when he joined the system compared with this year's eight buildings used to educate 2,531 students.

"We never heard of scrub machines back then and we

had to heat the water in the basement and carry it up to scrub the third floor," he reminisced.

When Lowell purchased its first school bus in 1935, Buck became the first and only bus driver. In addition to being custodian, he drove a school bus for 27 years and never

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READY FOR OPENING of the new Fonger's opening ceremonies are scheduled today at Super Save in Lowell is Mac Fonger, a 26-year store at 403 East Main and will continue year veteran in the food industry. Grand through August 3.

## Fonger's Super Save Sidewalk Sale is Success

Grand opening ceremonies are scheduled today (Thursday) for Lowell's newest business, which brings together two experienced veterans of the food industry.

Fonger's Super Save, located at 403 East Main in Lowell, is to be managed by Mac Fonger, who has been serving the people of Lowell and environs for 29 years.

Appointed as manager of the full-service fresh meat department was Frank Manglos, who has been in the meat business for many years, the past five in Lowell.

The 7,000-square foot super-market facility will be fully carpeted to blend with a tastefully-designed interior decor featuring pastel panels and ornamental lanterns.

Among services to be offered, in addition to the full line of fresh meats, will be pickup and carry-out service.

Fonger, 48, has resided in Lowell for the past 45 years. He is married and the father of five children.

A graduate of Lowell High School, he participated in basketball and baseball and maintains an active interest in sports of all kind.

Fonger is a member of the Lowell Lions Club, the Masonic Lodge, the American Legion and the Moose Lodge.

"It is a pleasure to once again be able to service the community of Lowell and surrounding area," said Fonger.

The grand opening celebration will continue through Saturday.

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## RUMMAGE SALE

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## Ask Trial on B&E Charge

Two Lowell area men have been bound over to Kent County Circuit Court to await trial on a charge of breaking and entering.

Victor Tidd, 21, of 928 North Hudson, and Joseph Trostke, 17, of 11451 Vergennes Road, appeared last Thursday in Grand Rapids Municipal Court for arraignment.

Tidd's wife, Judy, 19, who had been named in the original warrant, was released for lack of sufficient evidence.

Two jury trials were held last week before Justice Howard Rittenger.

Jerry Sherwood, 24, of Grand Rapids changed his plea from innocent to guilty during his trial on a speeding charge. He was fined \$15 and \$20 costs.

Larry Godfrey, 27, of 309 Chatham Street, Lowell, was found guilty of being disorderly by creating a disturbance on a public street and was fined \$50, plus \$20 costs and \$5 to the officer's training fund.

Gunther Firschner, 19, of Ada pleaded guilty before Justice Rittenger to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of minors. Three minors, in possession of alcoholic beverages at the time of their arrest by Lowell police, were released to the custody of their parents and referred to juvenile authorities.

Jake J. Luke of Route No. 3, Lowell, was arrested for driving under the influence of liquor. He was fined \$100 after pleading guilty before Justice Marie DeVries in Kentwood Justice Court.

A brief poll of Lowell merchants who participated in last Saturday's Sidewalk Days found opinions of its effectiveness ranged from average to excellent.

Only one merchant criticized the sale indicated that in his view there should be more advance warning of Sidewalk Days both for merchant and customer. He added that it would be far more effective to hold the sale in August which he described as a "clearance" month.

Otherwise the sale was described as effective by most retailers. One store owner stated that he felt Sidewalk Days pulled more strangers into town and that the ones who found bargains would probably be back to shop again.

While the majority of the shoppers seemed to go in for clothing and small items, each store which participated indicated that the day had lived up to their expectations.

Most retail businessmen indicate they are looking forward to another Sidewalk Days sale next summer.

## Two Awards Garnered in Contest

Royce Ford of Lowell has been named recipient of two awards in the recently-concluded nationwide "Switch It On" company contest.

The local dealership won a Grand Award for salesmanship during the April-May-June period and salesman Jim Artz received an expense-paid two-week Caribbean cruise for his outstanding record during the contest.

Artz and his wife will leave on the cruise in early August, according to dealer Royce Story.

## Key Positions Available

Young men looking for a career with a future should give careful consideration to an elevator career, according to King Doyle, president of the King Milling Company.

Mr. Doyle went on to say "Grain and farm supply firms desperately need young men with special training to assume key positions in this industry. Last year there were eight or nine jobs for every student graduating in this field."

The Institute of Agricultural Technology at Michigan State University has been training young men in the Elevator and Farm Supply Program for the grain and farm supply industry since 1947. This program cannot begin to fill the needs of the industry today.

Starting salaries range from \$4,500 to \$7,000 per year. Opportunities for advancement are excellent for the young men with ability and initiative.

More information regarding this challenging and rewarding career in the grain, feed and farm supply industry can be obtained by contacting Mr. Doyle or the Institute of Agricultural Technology, 120 Agriculture Hall, MSU, East Lansing, 48823.

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Elect T. E. DUNN DISTRICT JUDGE Tuesday, August 6 Life-Long Resident Political Adv

School Veteran Retires (Continued from Page One) had an accident. He remembers many bus experiences, but never any trouble with the students.



During the heavy snowfall of 1938, Harold took the basketball team to Grand Rapids to play in a tournament at Calvin. There wasn't any snow on the ground when the team left Lowell, but by 10 that night, when they started back, the storm was on. He got them back safely but not until 2-30 a. m. and anxious parents were still waiting at school to pick up the players.

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DOUBLE WINNER In the recent high school music camp at Central Michigan University is Michael Petter of Lowell, who was named "outstanding bus camper" (shown here being presented by CMU music department chairman Dr. Eugene Grove) and recipient of a \$50 gift certificate by G. LaBanc Corporation of Wisconsin, which was presented locally by Harry Bost of Grinnell's.

Wheat Season Begins Here The first load of the 1968 wheat crop arrived at the King Milling Company storage elevators on Wednesday morning, July 17, according to King Doyle, president of the company. Martin Alderik of 682 Spaulding SE brought in a truck load of the quality white wheat which marks the beginning of the busy harvest season. Mr. Alderik's wheat proved to test 59 with a moisture content of 13.3. However, behavior-wise I'm afraid I'd take the good old days. I've done a lot of thinking about why kids don't act quite as good as they used to and about the only thing that can come up with it is that their mothers don't stay home enough. It means a lot to a child to know that no matter where he is or what he's doing, his mother is right home if he needs her.

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Henry Romyn KENT COUNTY TREASURER VOTE AUGUST 6TH

Pleasant Valley Mrs. Bert Blank 693-3124 REPORT ON CONFERENCE Mrs. Lillian Newton, local delegate to the Annual Michigan Conference which convened last week at the Carson City U. B. Camp, gave an interesting report to church members Sunday. According to Mrs. Newton, one of the highlights of the Conference was the challenging message given by Bishop Clyde Meadows. This outstanding man is widely known not only in Michigan but all over the world.

After becoming head custodian in 1959, Buck decided to give up his bus route and all the parents of his students signed a petition to try and make him change his mind; they had that much confidence and trust in him. From a man who likes children, and he must like children to spend 38 years working around them, Harold had signed a petition to try and make him change his mind; they had that much confidence and trust in him.

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Ada Postmaster Milton Hein has announced that mail service limitations will start locally this Saturday in accordance with the congressional mandate to cut back Federal employment to the June 1968 level.

Residential customers who have received a notice that parcels are being held for them at the post office may also call for them at that time.

He also noted that beginning July 1, all planned extensions of city and rural delivery were curtailed. At present there are no plans to provide delivery service to new housing sub-divisions and to apartment projects.

Post offices have been ordered to fill only three out of four vacancies as they occur in order to make the overall cutback to the June 1968 level.

Operation Bentley is an offshoot of government Day which was originated in 1949 by D. Hale Brake, former State of Michigan Treasurer.

Group No. 1 of the Central Driving Records at the Michigan Department of State is now totally mechanized with all records on the computer.

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Advised by Postmaster General W. Marvin Watson to comply with the cutback required by Congress by a recently-enacted law bill, Hein announced the following reduction of postal services and curtailment of hiring: As of Saturday (July 27), all regular Saturday window service will be discontinued. General delivery windows will be open for one hour on Saturdays from 9:00 a. m. to 9:30 a. m. to deliver mail to General Delivery patrons, and to firms that normally call for their mail at the post office.

Members of the Forest Hills Swim Club Boosters who are helping coordinate the party are Mrs. William Orr, president; Mr. Randall Preston, Mrs. Doris Horning, Mrs. Theodore Wietke, Mrs. John Bazum, Mrs. Terrence Olson, Mrs. George Zarnick, and Mrs. Donald Griffin.

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Two Misses Enjoy Trip to America BY JERRY HANES The William Seidmans of Buttrick Road, Ada, have two delightful guests for 2 months. Arriving to visit the Seidmans for the summer two weeks ago were Geesje Stuart of Helgum and Barbara Otte of Lohbeck, Germany. Geesje is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Stuart and Barb is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans-Henrich Otte. Their fathers are associated with Seidman and Seidman in their respective countries.

Today's lecture... If one would consider some of the non-sense that appears here from time to time as lecture material... concern itself with an important date in the immediate offing.

One of the largest direct-selling firms in the nation, Amway sells about \$40-million worth of home-care and personal grooming products annually through more than 80,000 independent distributors in the United States and Canada.

Completes Three-Week Session A 1968 graduate of Forest Hills High School recently participated in Operation Bentley, a three-week study of the working of state and local government.

Attend Meeting in Utah DENNIS BATES Attending a National Youth Conference at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah is Dennis Bates, who will be a member at Forest Hills High School.

Persons who may have information about the missing quarter horse that is believed missing in the Palmview area. The horse, a deep sorrel stallion, was in a trailer that plunged into the Kalamazoo River two weeks ago in an accident that claimed the life of Everett Robert (Bob) Wittenbach of Lowell.

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Will Honor Departing GVSC Prexy Zamberge leaves August 15 for his new position as Director of the School of Earth Science and Professor of Geology at the University of Arizona, Tucson. He was appointed as GVSC's first president in February, 1962.

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### Hill Paces Kentree No. 2 to Victory

Dale Hill of Ada maintained his scoring touch by sparking Team No. 2 to an 11-4 victory over Team No. 1 in the opening match of the Kentree Polo Club eliminations to determine a qualifier for the Michigan championships next month.

Hill scored five goals and his cousin, Joey Hill, also of Ada, chipped in three more

### Smithy on Sports BY FRAN SMITH

News of the resignation of athletic director and assistant principal Dale Hill at Lowell High School was received shortly before press time last week, which accounts for the brevity of the story.

He departs soon for a new position as assistant principal at Crestwood High in Dearborn.

We had only a short opportunity to know Dale, arriving as we did near the halfway mark of the basketball season. But, from limited observation, he displayed qualities of quiet dedication to a job that seldom is appreciated by the general public.

We wish Dale and his family much happiness in their new life... and hope that our paths will cross once again, perhaps for a longer tenure than this one.

Well, mother, it's that time of the year again to consider laying in a stock of goodies for the TV snacker. Believe it or not, football is about to start!

Now this may seem somewhat incredulous in view of the pleasant summer weather we have been enjoying, but the fact remains that the many professional football teams (and we're just talking of the exact number) have now been in training for two weeks.

It certainly gives one cause to wonder just how greedy owners of professional teams can get.

In our nine years of association with the Detroit Pistons Basketball Club, we saw the season extended from seventy games to 82... the exhibition season from a normal six or seven to almost 20 games... and the playoffs from a maximum 15 to 21.

Baseball expanded its schedule, but still managed to confine the season to its regular April-to-October stint... sandwiching in doubleheaders to make up the difference.

Hockey, on the other hand, went from early October to late May this year with its expanded playoff schedule.

Is it really any wonder, then, that players are forming associations... they don't really call them unions... to gather a greater share of the profits!

Which causes management, in turn, to consider even longer seasons and higher box office prices.

Perhaps a solution would be to build all new stadiums a la the Astrodome and have all sports play a year-round schedule.

A reminder that the annual Morrison Lake CC Open Golf Ball team tournament is scheduled August 6... and that entries close next Thursday.

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Sarance	6	8
Merchants	3	2
Amway	1	4
Alto	1	1

**JUNIOR High**

Yankees	7	1
Indians	6	4
White Sox	5	6
Tigers	5	6
Twins	3	8

**MAJOR LITTLE LEAGUE**

Giants	6	3
Phillies	6	3
Cubs	5	4
Cardinals	3	6
Astros	2	7

**MINOR LITTLE LEAGUE**

Mets	10	0
Phillies	8	2
Giants	5	5
Astros	5	5
Cardinals	3	8
Twins	0	11

**CADET SOFTBALL**

Crows	3	1
Alto I	2	1
Alto II	2	2
Eagles	1	3
Robins	1	3

### Twin Loss Suffered by Lowell

Two setbacks over the week-end dropped Lowell from a commanding spot in the Southern Division of the Tri-County Baseball League.

Previously-winless Sheridan eked out a 10-9 decision over Lowell Saturday in a 15-inning marathon and Lakeview hurler Tom Skinner served up a shutout for his team Sunday in a 4-0 conquest of the local nine.

Rob Brownell and Paul Schram each collected three hits in the losing cause against Sheridan while Mel Byrnes connected for three safeties in the Lakeview game.

The double loss left Lowell with a record of 3-5... three games behind division leader Pawnee.

Dave Mahar collected two home runs and picked up the pitching win as Belding remained atop the Northern Division with an 8-0 mark.

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## Sports

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### Bearcat '99 Grabs LL Senior Title

Bearcats emerged as champions of the Thornapple Little League Senior Division, claiming three more victories in the closing week of the 1968 campaign.

Dave Slater was the winning hurler in a 6-2 triumph over Bulldogs and Curt Dykhuizen picked up the mound win in a lopsided 15-2 verdict over Cougars.

Mark Brandorfer was the winner in a 12-8 win over Hawks in a game that was originally scheduled for next week, but was played in advance by consent of both managers.

Results:  
Braves 15, Cubs 3  
Tigers 8, Pirates 4  
Orioles 8, Indians 7  
Orioles 6, Pirates 2

### Cops Two Features at Berlin

Randy Sweet of Grand Rapids behind the wheel of a 1965 Ford convertible, was the semi-late model feature winner at the high-banked Berlin Raceway Saturday night.

Sweet set a new track record in time trials with a clocking of 18.06, erasing his week-old record of 18.15.

The win in last week's postponed feature was claimed by Sweet, who polished off a stellar final of competitors in the 25-lap event.

Sweet topped off the 11th year Berlin Fair by taking the second 25-lap main event of the evening.

Heat race winners on the half mile Marne oval were Larry Knowlton of Kalamazoo, Bob Senneker of Middleville, Rich Senneker of Grand Rapids and Larry Gatham of Lansing.

A \$1,000 first place prize in a \$1,000 purse will go to the winner of the 100-mile, Marc Times Invitational Race this Friday night at the Berlin Raceway.

A \$500 bonus will be awarded to a driver who can lead the entire century distance. Race time is 8:30.

Forty-two year old Jack Nichols of Sturgis was killed Sunday afternoon at the Illinois Speedway, Schererville, Indiana, when his super modified race car crashed through a fence.

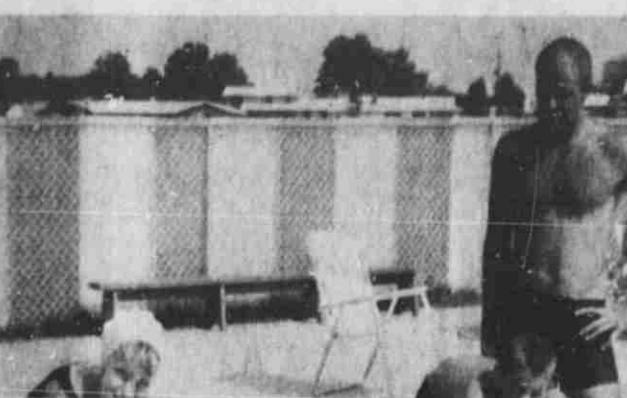
Nichols, a familiar figure at area tracks, was taking practice laps when mechanical difficulties set in causing him to lose control.

A new coat of paint on a '64 Chevelli featuring stars, stripes, red, white and blue streaked across the finish line at the Kalamazoo Speedway Sunday night to catch the checkered flag in the 25-lap semi-late model feature.

Driving was Kalamazoo Speedster Tom Marks, who managed to hold off Randy Sweet's repeated challenges for the win.

The races will be under the direction and promotion of Arnold and DeWayne La Combe of Crystal Raceway.

A total of 50 drivers have already entered the two-day racing program.



YOUNG MEMBERS of the Forest Hills Swim Team are shown here with Coach Gary VanDerende. From the left, they are: Kim Wietke, Kim Broersma, Howard Veitman and Dave Broersma. The team has done exceptionally well under Vanderende's tutelage.

Bing went on to win NBA rookie of the year honors and last season took down the league scoring title with a 27.1-per-game point average.

Russell, it may be recalled, was coveted as a Pistons draft choice following his great career with the Wolverines, but New York won the rights.

Coopersville will join the Tri-River League this fall.

We Welcome Your Social Items. The Deadline is Monday Noon.

Kahaler, 31, a native of

Forest Hills swimmers will meet next with the Dolphin Club in Kentwood on Thursday (July 25) at 1 p. m.

### Pistons Announce GR Tilt

A head-to-head confrontation of two outstanding three-year veterans of the National Basketball Association is scheduled in Grand Rapids on Tuesday, October 7.

The Detroit Pistons announced today that they will meet the New York Knickerbockers 'that evening in a pre-season exhibition game to be played under the auspices of the Calvin College athletic department.

Pitted in the contest will be Dave Bing and former University of Michigan great Cezie Russell, both of whom attained All-America status while in college.

This will be the last meeting of the troop before fall applications are accepted, and would be a good time for you and your boy to look over the troop and meet its leaders.

On Monday, July 29, at 7:30 p. m. there will be a "Court of Honor" awards ceremony. This is to be held at the Boy Scout cabin to acknowledge the advancement of the individual scouts.

Troop 102

# GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors:  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a General Primary Election will be held in the

**TOWNSHIP OF GRAND RAPIDS**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN

AT  
**Precinct 1 - Grand Rapids  
Township Office**  
1838 East Belline, N. E., Grand Rapids, Michigan

**Precinct 2 - Orchard View School**  
2778 Lettingwell, N. E., Grand Rapids, Michigan

**Precinct 7 - Martin School**  
4362 Cascade Rd., S. E., Grand Rapids, Michigan  
within said Township on

**TUESDAY  
AUGUST 6  
1968**

For the Purpose of Placing in Nomination by All Political Parties Participating Therein, Candidates for the Following Offices, Viz:

**Congressional**  
Representative in Congress

**Legislative**  
State Representative

**County**  
Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Auditor in Counties electing same, Drain Commissioner, Coroners, Surveyor, County Supervisor, and such other Officers as are elected at that time.

**Township**  
Trustee

IN ADDITION Delegates to the Democratic and Republican County Conventions to be elected.

And for the Purpose of Placing in Nomination, Candidates Participating in a Non-Partisan Primary Election for the Following Offices, Viz:

**JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS  
JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT**

And Also to Vote on the following Constitutional Amendments:

1. Establishment of a Judicial Tenure Committee  
2. Establishment of a State Officers Commission  
3. Allows Governor to fill Judicial vacancies  
Elected and appointed Judges to qualify by filing affidavit  
Elected and appointed Judges to have designation  
of incumbency on ballot.

ALSO ANY ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS OR PROPOSITIONS THAT MAY BE SUBMITTED

**Notice Relative to Opening  
and Closing of the Polls**  
Election Law, Act 116, P. A. 1954

SECTION 720. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Marsha E. Bouwkamp,  
Township Clerk

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**VANILLA  
ICE CREAM**

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**200 TICKETS** THAT'S 100 PAIRS!  
TO THE LOWELL SNOWBOAT

TO BE GIVEN AWAY - DRAWING 8:15 P.M.  
COME IN REGISTER - BE OUR GUESTS.

## HEY, FOLKS

DON'T FORGET THE "OLD FASHIONED PICNIC-CONCERT IN THE PARK!"

ADA BALL PARK  
FRIDAY, AUGUST 2 AT 6:30 P.M. SHARP!

The concert will be put on by the Forest Hills Junior Varsity and Varsity High School bands. The Junior Varsity will begin playing at 6:30 P.M. and the Varsity band will follow.

No cooking that night, Mom, food—hot dogs and the works will be sold by the Forest Hills Music Association. Proceeds will go toward the new uniforms just ordered.

See you Friday, Aug. 2 at the Ada Ball Park at 6:30 P.M.

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## Ionia Racing Drew Field of 59 Cars

Those who crave for slugging racing action will find just that when the Ionia Free Fair stages its stock car racing programs at 2:30 p. m. and 2 p. m., August 9 and 10.

The races will be under the direction and promotion of Arnold and DeWayne La Combe of Crystal Raceway.

A total of 50 drivers have already entered the two-day racing program.

# SPECIAL CARS

# SPECIAL PRICES

Choose from 11 specially-equipped Plymouths, all at bargain prices. We're offering bargain prices on specially-equipped Furs, Satellites, Valentines and Barracudas. Equipped with the most popular extras around. For example, the Furs come with all-vinyl interiors, deluxe wheel covers, vinyl roof covers and lots more.

Right Now! Success Sale Chryslers at factory-reduced prices. Plus a new limited-edition Newport. Save big on a big specially-equipped Newport 2- or 4-door hardtop at a factory-reduced price. Special equipment includes all-vinyl interior trim, white or black vinyl roof cover, six special lights, outside remote control mirror and more. Right now, we're also introducing limited-edition Sportgrain Newports with wood-grain trim on the sides. Test price a Chrysler and save.

**Plymouth** CHRYSLER

**McQUEEN MOTOR CO., Inc.—1450 W. Main St., Lowell**

NAME LABOR EDITOR TO FILL VACANCY

Kent County Labor's "Man of the Year" has been named as director of the West Side Complex.

GAS and OIL FURNACES AND BOILERS COMPLETE BATHROOMS WATER SOFTENERS - WATER HEATERS For a Free Estimate OR 6-5821 - PHONE - 676-1772 Ada Heating & Plumbing 589 Ada Drive, Ada, Michigan

GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a General Primary Election will be held in the TOWNSHIP OF LOWELL STATE OF MICHIGAN AT Lowell Township Hall within said Township on TUESDAY AUGUST 6 1968

For the Purpose of Placing in Nomination by All Political Parties Participating Therein, Candidates for the Following Offices, Viz: Congressional Representative in Congress Legislative State Representative County Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Auditor in Counties electing same, Drain Commissioner, Coroners, Surveyor, County Supervisor, and such other Officers as are elected at that time. Township Trustee

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ELECTION Spotlight

BY AL HEEMSTRA Editor's Note: A good citizen is an informed voter. The new district court system in Michigan marks a revolutionary change in the law procedures. It is destined to have far-reaching effects on our judicial process. This article is Part 1 of a series on this vital subject by the Clerk of Cascade Township.

The new district court system which becomes operative January 1, 1969 will replace all Justice of the Peace Courts, Circuit Court Commissioners' Court, Municipal Courts and Police Courts everywhere in Michigan. The Legislature's lower court reorganization plan, known as Public Act 154 of 1968, was required by the provisions of the new Michigan Constitution. Its purpose is to achieve a more uniform approach to judicial procedure.

Few Michigan electors will ever read the full text of this major work of the 74th Legislature which adds six new chapters (31-35) and eight new sections (301-320) to Act 236 of 1961, called the "Revised Judiciary Act," and abbreviated RJA.

The RJA was itself a tremendous contemporary accomplishment. It revised and consolidated the laws governing the courts of this State by amending or repealing laws dating as far back as the Revised Statutes of 1846 and a multitude of additional subsequent acts adopted by the Legislature. Truly remedial in character, it became effective January 1, 1963.

And now, to this RJA of 1961, we have the several new chapters 31-35 done by Public Act 154 of 1968, effective January 1, 1969. This Act voids much of the RJA of 1961 by reorganization of the lower courts.

Under Act 154 of 1968, all duties and powers of the lower courts are to be performed by the new district court. Note the use of the singular; there is really only one district court for the State of Michigan.

The entire state is divided into judicial districts, each of which is an administrative unit subject to the superintending control of the Supreme Court. A city located in more than one district becomes part of that district which has the greater part of that city in a district.

There are 30 districts, each of which has been placed in one of three classes.

A first-class district consists of one or more counties in which each county in the district is itself responsible for operating the district court in its own county.

The 6th district, for example, consists of the counties of Montcalm and Ionia. Each of these counties will be an election division of the 6th district and each will have one judge.

A second-class district consists of a group of political subdivisions within a county. The 6th district is such and consists of the county of Kent except the cities of Grand Rapids, Walker, Grandville, Wyoming and Kentwood. The 6th (Kent County, exclusive of the 5 cities) is divided into two election divisions, and again each division will have one judge.

The first division of the 6th district includes the cities of Cedar Springs and Rockford, and all the Townships in the north half of Kent County.

The second division includes the cities of East Grand Rapids and Lowell and all of the townships in the south half of Kent County and this includes, of course, Ada, Cascade, Cascade, Lowell and Vergennes Townships. We are part of District 6-2.

A third-class district consists of one or more political subdivisions responsible for its own district court. Grand Rapids has this designation and will have five judges.

In the next issue, we will elaborate on the duties, salaries and jurisdictions of this new lower court.

Vote for Gerrit Baker AUGUST 6 PRIMARY Political Adv.



KENT COUNTY 3RD DISTRICT SUPERVISOR

There is no substitute for experience Member of Kent County Airport Board, one of Kent County's finest assets. Adequate ambulance service is a MUST. I will continue to work for this service. Vote for Gerrit Baker AUGUST 6 PRIMARY Political Adv.

Union Bank Appoints Senior V-P

Fred B. Dykstra has been elevated to senior vice president of Union Bank and Trust Co., N. A. Announcement of Dykstra's promotion was made by Edward J. Frey, president of Union Bank.

Dykstra joined the bank in 1946, then took a temporary leave for army service. He served as Captain in the Finance Department and in 1948, rejoined Union Bank's Auditing Department.

He was manager of Northtown branch office from 1946 until 1961 when he became assistant cashier. In 1961 he was named manager of the Park-Wyoming office, and was transferred to the main office in the Commercial Loan Department, in 1966. In 1969 he was elevated to Assistant Vice President when he joined the bank's Business Development Department and was promoted to vice president in 1962.

Dykstra has been in charge of all branch operations now for over a year.

Two Events Scheduled to Aid Patient

Efforts to fulfill a pledge to raise \$20,000 to assist kidney patient Randy Cover of Grand Rapids are continuing.

It is expected that \$20,000 will be required to perform a delicate operation and to provide post-operative care for the youngster, including use of an artificial kidney.

Two events are scheduled this week, a square and round dance this Saturday (July 27) from 8 p. m. to 1 a. m. at Hilliards K. C. Hall near Wayland and a teen dance next Thursday (August 1) from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m. at Kelloggsville High gymnasium.

Donations will be taken at the door for both events.

Persons registering after 5:00 o'clock p. m. on said day will not be eligible to vote at said special election. Persons planning to register must determine when the City and Township Clerk's office will be open for registration.

All Township and City Clerks will be at their offices or other designated places for the purpose of receiving registrations between the hours of 5:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. on Saturday, the 28th of July, 1968.

Under the provisions of Act 200, Public Acts of Michigan, 1955 as amended, registrations will not be taken by school officials and only persons who have received 25 general electors with the appropriate Township or City Clerk of the Township or City in which they reside are registered school electors.

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education of The Lowell Area Schools, County of Kent, Michigan.

HAROLD MEYERNICK, Secretary, Board of Education

RE-ELECT MARTIN D. BUTH STATE REPRESENTATIVE 10 YEARS EXPERIENCE SPEAKER PRO-TEM Vote Republican Primary August 6

With Our Servicemen

Paul L. Kropf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton W. Kropf, 704 Lincoln Lake Ave., Lowell, and a student at Indiana University, is attending Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps summer camp at Ft. Riley, Kansas.

During the encampment, he is receiving six weeks of training in leadership, rifle marksmanship, physical conditioning and other military subjects.

Upon successful completion of summer camp and graduation from college, he is eligible to be commissioned as a second lieutenant in the U. S. Army.

Cadet Kropf is a 1965 graduate of Lowell High School. His wife, Judith, lives in Bloomington, Ind.

Chief Warrant Officer Charles R. Berry of Ada will lead the 120th Army Band, Michigan National Guard, in a series of concerts in the Grayling-Gaylor-Mio area during the annual maneuvers at Camp Grayling. The 25-member band is quartered at the Grand Valley Army in Wyoming.

Promotion of Floyd Holley to staff sergeant has been announced in Vietnam. The son of Floyd Holley of Lowell,

Elect T. E. DUNN DISTRICT JUDGE Tuesday, August 6 Life-Long Resident Political Adv

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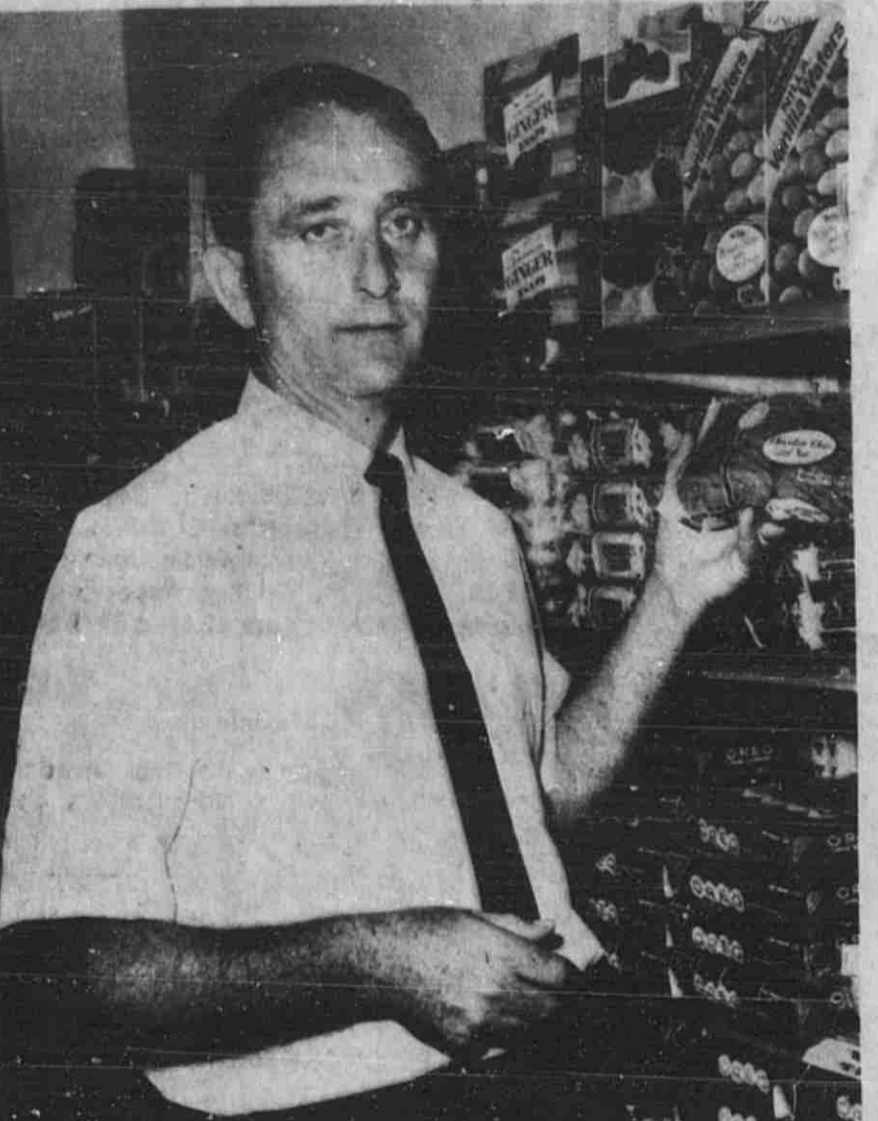
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Grand Opening



Welcome To FONGER'S Super Save



Mac Fonger, Manager

THURSDAY JULY 25 9a.m. to 9p.m.

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  - Roman Cleanser Bleach 1-gallon 19¢
  - Wagner Orange Drink 12-oz. Bot. 39¢
  - Spartan Apple Sauce 1-lb. Can 15¢
  - Jello Gelatin All Flavors - Family Size 6-oz. Wt. 15¢

- U.S.D.A. Choice **Swiss Steak** Lb. 77¢
- U.S.D.A. Choice **Sirloin Steak** Lb. 85¢
- U.S.D.A. Choice **T-Bone Steak** Lb. 89¢
- U.S.D.A. Choice **Boneless Rump or Sirloin Tip Roast** Lb. 89¢

- U.S.D.A. CHOICE **Round Steak** .... lb. 79¢
- U.S.D.A. CHOICE **Porterhouse Steak** lb. 99¢

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**29¢** LB.

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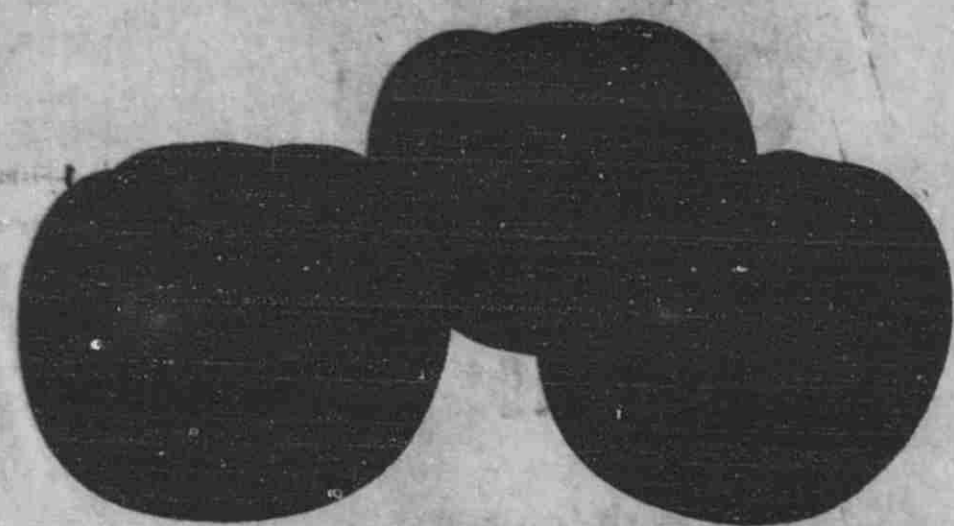
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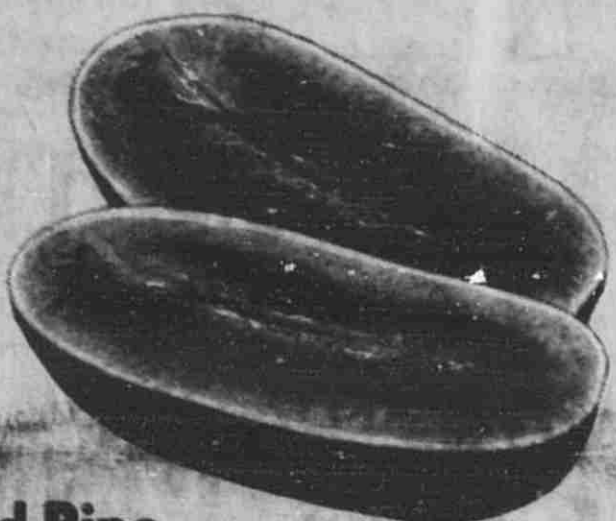
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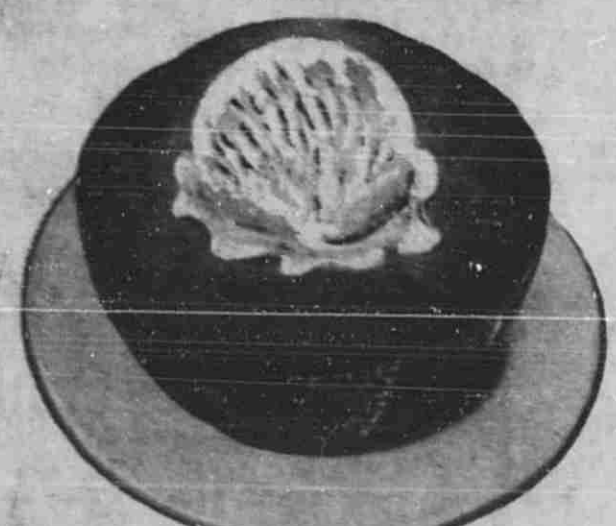


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Dream Whip	4 1/2 oz. wt. pkg.	39¢
Franco American Spaghetti's	15 oz. wt.	15¢
Jif Peanut Butter	18 oz. wt. jar	59¢
Spartan Red Raspberry or Strawberry Preserves	1 lb., 2 oz. jar	39¢
4-Fishermen Fishsticks	18-ct. family size pkg.	14 oz. 49¢
Spartan Sliced Amer. Cheese	24-ct. pkg., 1 lb. pkg.	59¢
Just Wonderful Hair Spray	13 oz. wt. can	49¢
Oven Fresh Raisin Bread	1 lb. loaf 3 for \$1.00	
Spartan Bread	1 lb., 4 oz. loaf	15¢
Spartan Hot Dog or Hamburg Buns	dozen	29¢
Vets Dog Food	15 1/2 oz. wt. can	9¢
Beechnut Strained Baby Food	4 1/2 oz. wt. jar	7¢
Gerbers Strained Baby Food	4 1/2 oz. wt. jar	8¢
Chicken of The Sea Tuna	6 1/2 oz. wt. can	26¢
Nestle's Milk Chocolate	2 lb. can	69¢
Pet or Carnation Evaporated Milk	13 oz. wt. can	13¢
Jello Gelatin	3 oz. wt. pkg.	9¢
Campbell's Tomato Soup	10 3/4 oz. wt. can	8¢
Hi C Orange Drink	qt., 14 oz. can	23¢
Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee Cheese Pizza	15 1/4 oz. wt.	45¢
Kraft Macaroni & Cheese Dinner	7 1/4 oz. wt.	15¢
Pioneer Beet Sugar	5 lb. bag	49¢
Quaker Oats	1 lb., 2 oz. pkg.	28¢
Pantry Pak Paper Plates	150-ct., 9 in.	89¢
Spartan Luncheon Napkins	200-ct.	25¢
Spartan Bleach	gallon	45¢
Roman Cleanser Bleach	half gallon	32¢
Mr. Clean Liquid Cleaner	pt., 12 oz.	59¢
Tideax Giant Size	3 lb., 1 oz.	75¢
Ivory Liquid Detergent	pt., 6 oz.	59¢
Dash Low Sudsing Detergent	3 lb., 2 oz.	69¢
Purina Dog Chow	5 lb. bag	65¢
Purina Dog Chow	25 lb. bag	\$2.57
Fillsbury, Gold Medal or Robin Hood Flour	25 lb. bag	\$1.98
SPARTAN TOMATO JUICE	qt., 16-oz. Can	4 for \$1.00
SPARTAN CATSUP	pt., 4-oz. Bot.	4 for \$1.00
SPARTAN TOMATOES	1 lb., 12-oz. Can	4 for \$1.00
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- Kleenex Facial Tissue 200-SIZE **26c**
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- FRANCO AMERICAN Spaghetti 15 1/2 oz. wt. can **12c**
- KRAFT Miracle Whip 4 1/2 oz. wt. jar **42c**
- MAXWELL HOUSE OR Hills Bros. Coffee 3 lb. can **\$1.67**
- SHEDD'S Peanut Butter 5 lb. post **\$1.89**
- General Mills Wheaties 12 oz. wt. pkg. **32c**
- General Mills Cheerios 10 1/2 oz. wt. pkg. **32c**
- Kellogg Corn Flakes 1 lb., 2 oz. pkg. **36c**
- Kellogg Rice Krispies 10 oz. wt. pkg. **35c**
- Kellogg Special K 6 1/2 oz. wt. pkg. **32c**
- Kellogg Variety Pak 5 1/2 oz. wt. pkg. **39c**
- Nabisco Shredded Wheat 15 oz. wt. **39c**

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Regular Hours, Starting July 29: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Except Fridays (8 a.m. to 9 p.m.)

Hospital Notes

Earl Hall, 5040 Ada Drive, is in Butterworth Hospital recovering from heart surgery.

Coming Events

The Alton Cemetery Association annual meeting will be held at the Alton Church on Tuesday evening, August 6, at 8 o'clock.

Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet August 1st at the Vergennes Hall with Frances Cloosen and Harriet Fansler as hostesses.

The first Snow School reunion will be held on July 27, 1:30 p. m. at the Snow Christian Center.

The Annual Sweet School Reunion will be held at the Sweet School on the first Sunday in August, August 4, 1968.

The Lila Group will meet August 4, at noon, in the lounge of the Congregational Church.

The Scarlet Troubadour's Drum and Bugle Corps will sponsor a car wash on Saturday, July 27th, 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The Lowell Bowling Association will hold its first meeting of the fall bowling season on Monday, August 12th, 7:30 p. m.

The Open Trail Riders will have an open horse show Sunday, July 28, 1968, starting at 10 a. m.

Located 2 miles North of Grant on M-37-1 mile East on 104th-1/4 mile North on Willow Ave.

Admission free. Chuckwagon on grounds.

START CAMP FUND You can help send our Lowell High School athletes to conditioning camp for a week this summer.

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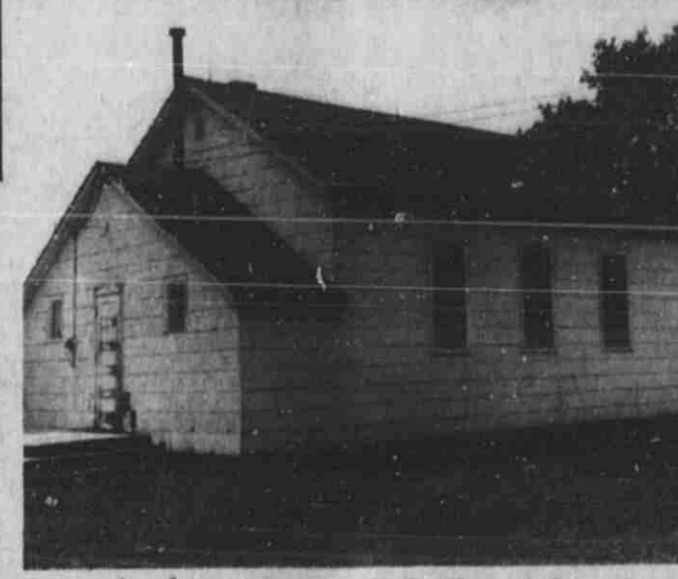
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And for the Purpose of Placing in Nomination, Candidates Participating in a Non-Partisan Primary Election for the Following Offices, Viz: JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS

SECTION 728. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer.



Celebrate 100 Years

Sweet School located five miles south of Lowell is celebrating its 100th birthday this year.

The school built in 1868 now belongs to the Lowell Area Schools since its consolidation several years ago but the community spirit came to the fore and it was decided that the neighborhood lease the building for one dollar a year.

The local 4-H Club meets there; also the Sweet Community Club which was organized during the Thirties and has been going ever since. It meets nearly every month for a program of fun and visiting with the families planning the program.

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Marriages Solemnized

The Boston Square Reformed Church in Grand Rapids was the scene Friday evening for the marriage of Miss Lorna J. Faber to Roger A. Bordey.

Betrothals Announced



BONNIE KOSTER

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koster of Timpon Road, Lowell, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bonnie Elaine, to Karl Kenneth Van Spronson...



ELIZABETH HUIZENGA

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Huizenga of Grose Point Farms, Michigan, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann to James Craig Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce C. Walter of Riverside Drive, Lowell.



KATHY JO OESCH

The engagement of Kathy Jo Oesch to Dallas B. Beland was announced this week by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Oesch, Route No. 2, Freeport.



HAROLD F. JEFFERIES

ADA, BOWNE, CALEDONIA, CASCADE, GAINES, LOWELL, VERGENNES, and LOWELL CITY ELECTORS VOTE AUGUST 6

Assisting the groom were Frank Murray as best man and Terry M. and James E. Haehnel, and Ronald Bultema.

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Forest Hills Hi-Lites

New Hear This: Lt. (jg) and Mrs. Judson Schelling are visiting the Lyle Stoval's at 7108 Thoreau, S.E. while he is on leave from the Naval Air Base in Memphis, La.

The nautical bit was played throughout the decorations and bit of fare which included dishes that could be created in a tiny galley. The tables were covered with bright red sailcloth and were lighted with candles attached to small anchors.

Welcome Aboard: John and Patsy Clark and children, Russell and Susan, have just moved to the Forest Hills area from Dallas, Texas.

Miss Byrne attended Ferris State College and recently returned to the area in California. No wedding date has been set by the couple.

vision of the Pack with Glenn Dunk, Cubmaster, in charge. Lay Notes: Ten senior high young people, plus two adult counselors, will represent the Cascade Christian Church at C.Y.F. Conference II July 28-August 3 at Crystal Christian Assembly, Bradford.

Enjoying the work and fun were many area cast members, including Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kennedy, Mrs. James Silver and son, Dan; Mrs. Gus Attoludis and her two children; Mrs. R. E. Van Sloyer and son; the Gerrit La main family, the Jack Brienfelds, Mrs. Jack Zimmerman and daughters, Karen and Kim; Mrs. Randall Preston, Kim and Lynn; Gary Beling, Sharrie Alley, the Robert Hanes family and Dan Ellinger.

POLO Michigan Championship Eliminations Sat., July 27 4 p.m. Team 3 vs. Team 4 Sun., July 28 3:00 p.m. Team 1 vs. Team 2 Benefit Randy Covert Fund KENTREE POLO CLUB Michigan & Tom Drs., Ada

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delightful facilities at their disposal. All meals were served overlooking Lake Michigan in the large dining room of the lovely old hotel.

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Social Scene

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Other out-of-town guests in Lowell this weekend to attend the Wittenbach wedding were Mrs. Edith Mueller and her sister-in-law, Miss Catherine Mueller of Rockford, Ill., who entertained as dinner guests Mrs. Edith Vos and Mrs. Lillian Porter of Grand Rapids and Miss Agnes Perry of Lowell.

Susan Bauer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bauer of 369 Flat River Drive SE, Lowell, and Shirley Krebs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krebs of 123 North Division, Lowell, were among the 200 high school musicians and dancers attending the 3rd session of the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp near Muskegon.



MRS. GERRIT VAN DRIE

Miss Wittenbach Weds

Lowell Methodist Church was the scene for the Saturday afternoon wedding of Miss Lynn Kay Wittenbach and Gerri Greg VanDrie with the Rev. E. Robert Webber officiating. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Wittenbach, Bennett Road, Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerri J. VanDrie of Greenville.

Personalized matches are available at the Ledger office.

Take 3rd Place in Best-Ball

Two Lowell women golfers, representing Silver Lake GC, took third place in the Morrisson Lake GC Ladies Best-Ball tournament last week.

Tied for second at 86 were Darlene Topp-Chris Falkenberg and Ruth Sparkie-Ambel Clark.

Others from the area who competed were Ardis Adams, Flo Beggs, Clara Callier, Evelyn Free, Frances Griffin, Shirley Holt, Shirley Hoffman, Dot Hunt, Sharon Ferris, Sally Kline, Helen Koewers, Selma Rittenger and Marie Stein.

Junior attendants were Mark and Michele Jois of Madison, Wisconsin.



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BIRTHS LI and Mrs. David G. Thaler of Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio, are parents of a son, David George G. Thaler, born Saturday, July 20. Grandparents are the Orion Thalers of Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Alexander of 782 Hunt Street, Lowell, are welcoming a new daughter, Renee Katherine, who was born on July 23 at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids. Miss Alexander weighed six pounds, nine ounces at birth. HARE RECOVERING Secretary of State James M. Hare has returned to Lansing from Washington, D. C. after three weeks of hospitalization for a mild heart attack. The temperature indicator may be higher than normal. Do not feel undue concern. Modern engine cooling systems are pressurized for just such unusual operating conditions. Watch Next Week for "Smack-About System" A warm welcome to Patrolman Lewis Cook, newest member of the Lowell Police Dept. Before you look for a car, look to MCQUEEN MOTOR CO., INC. We will be pleased to show you our selection of beautiful new and used cars. To insure top performance, our expert mechanics are ready to serve you. Visit MCQUEEN MOTOR CO., INC., 1650 W. Main St., 897-9225. Open Monday, Wed., Thurs. 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., Fri. til 6 p. m.

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