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HAIRSTYLISTS FRED RUEHS and Marilyn Dawson of the Man's World Shop on East Main Street will be participating in a "Style-A-Thon" this Saturday, October 1, at the two Malls in Grand Rapids, Eastbrook and Northkent, and at Rogers Plaza. All donations made throughout the day, 9-9, will benefit the Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Center.

THE KAPTAIN'S KORNER and Maiden Voyage Shop at 107 West Main Street will be closed all day Monday, October 3, when the "kaptain" will set sail to take on a new line of cargo. Be on the lookout for "What's new this Fall," for the guys and gals.

LOWELL'S ATHLETIC BOOSTER'S Club will hold their first regular meeting of the school year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellison, 1015 N. Lincoln Lake Avenue on Monday, October 3. All new members are welcomed to join the group at 7:30 p.m.

A CHANCE FOR area farmers to hear the latest crop, livestock and farm economic information from Washington is being offered through "Farmer's Newswire." This newswire is a free service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and is available to all. Farmers wishing to use this service can call, toll free, 1-800-424-7964, 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The reports change each weekday at 4 p.m.

THE LAST DAY to register for the November 8 General Election in the City of Lowell will be Monday, October 10. Nancy J. Wood, Director of Elections, will take registration applications at her home, 409 N. Division Street, on Saturday, October 8, from 8 to 5, and on Monday, October 10, 8 to 8, at the City Hall, 301 East Main Street, as well as regular office hours, 8 to 5, weekdays.

LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL Cross-country coach, Tom Stahr was credited last Thursday afternoon with saving the lives of 40 students on the bus he was driving, when he deliberately drove the vehicle into a ditch north of Lowell, in an attempt to avoid a head-on collision with a semi-trailer truck. Stahr and members of the cross-country and girls' tennis teams were enroute to Cedar Springs, when the bus rounded a curve on Lincoln Lake Avenue and was confronted with the truck passing a car in a no-passing zone. Stahr's quick-thinking and ability to handle the bus, through annual training, saved the students from any injury, and after another bus was brought to the scene, they continued on their way.

A FALL LINE-UP of programs for adults got underway this week, under the sponsorship of the Lowell YMCA. The men's and ladies' gym programs started Monday and Tuesday nights, respectively, and the adult painting class will get started October 6, with the first class to be held at the Y office at 9 a.m. Those interested in the programs can secure more information by calling the Y at their new number, 897-8445.

"NEED A NEW Supply of Light Bulbs?" This will be the question asked on Tuesday, October 18, by the members of the Lowell Lions Club as they canvass the City of Lowell in their yearly door-to-door campaign. A spokesman for the Lions revealed this week that already a few of the 6-packs are on sale and can be picked up at Anderson Shoe Store, East Main, or at Art's TV on West Main. Proceeds from this annual sale are used to aid the visually handicapped, the blind, leader dog program, etc.

ON A WARRANT issued last week, Lowell Police Officers arrested Timothy Craig Rittersdorf of Lowell on charges of aggravated assault, stemming from a fight with a juvenile on September 16. Appearing in Kent County's 63rd District Court on September 19, Rittersdorf entered a plea of not guilty, and bond was set at \$2,000.

THE FALL RUN of the chinook and salmon down the Grand River is gradually getting underway, but the big run is yet to come. Already eager fishermen have tried their luck near the King Milling dam on West Main Street, with some going home with more than just a story to tell. Once the run is at its peak, the spectators will be lined up along the banks of the Flat and Grand to watch the anglers land those big ones.

DENNIS FREYERMUTH, 31, of Wilton, Iowa, wanted on a kidnapping charge, was arrested last Thursday by the Kent County Sheriff's Department near Ada. Freyermuth headed for Lowell to visit friends, was spotted by Capt. Robert Tanner. The suspect stopped his vehicle and asked the captain to shoot him, and quickly changed his mind. An assist on the capture was made by the Lowell Police Department. Freyermuth will probably be extradited to Iowa.

Walk To Beat Diabetes In Lowell October 15

Residents of Lowell can enjoy the fresh autumn outdoors while helping to beat this nation's third leading cause of death—diabetes. The American Diabetes Association, Michigan Affiliate (ADA/M) and the Lowell VFW, Flat River Post #8303 are co-sponsoring a Walk to Beat Diabetes on Saturday, October 15. Conrad, of WCUZ Radio is honorary chairman of the 11-mile route which starts at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell (621 E. Main), continues on Division Street to Grindle, to Montclair, to Fallasburg Park, to Lincoln Lake Road, to

Burroughs, to Flat River, to Riverside, to Main Street and back to the Methodist Church. Anyone, of any age, can participate in the Walk. Prizes, including a portable color television as statewide Grand Prize, a \$25 U.S. Savings Bond, calculator, and pocket radio will be awarded to those who turn in the most sponsored money. Mrs. Judy Spencer has been busy during the past month recruiting volunteers, planning the route and securing prizes. Volunteers needed please call Judy Spencer at 897-8676. Sponsor sheets may be picked up at schools, and local merchants, or by calling 897-8676.

Rains Delay Road Projects

The \$104,310 improvement of Alden Nash Avenue between the Int. 96 Lowell interchange and Segwun Avenue has been completed, but four other major road projects in the eastern half of Kent County have been delayed due to the recent rains.

They are the \$272,294 rebuilding and partial relocation of Five Mile Road between Murray Lake and Alden Nash Avenues; the \$464,123 construction of 44th Street between Patterson Avenue and the Kent County International Airport from two to four lanes and

The \$1,853,285 widening to four lanes the East Beltline between Int. 96 and M-21, and M-21 between the East Beltline and Int. 96 as well as the building of the \$4,067,785, four-lane divided, M-21 highway between Int. 96 and Ada.

The two M-21 eastbound lanes are slated to be opened to east and westbound lanes in the first part of October, and the westbound lanes are scheduled to be completed and in use before the end of the year.

But many details and all cleanup on this project will not be done until next spring.

The M-21-East Beltline project is scheduled to be completed next June. The remaining two projects—44th Street and 5-Mile Road—are slated to be finished this year, but may be delayed until next year unless the weather clears now and remains good, local highway engineers state.

Sodding of the bare embankments on Alden Nash Avenue will be done by a Kent County Park crew later in the fall.—Dave Barnes.

On Location In Lowell



ON LOCATION co-hosts Rick D'Amico and Bev Mikalonis anchor this week's telecast of their new show from Lowell. The show airs Saturday nights at 7:30 p.m. on WUHQ-TV 41!

Lowell, home of the Lowell Showboat was chosen as the "anchor town" for this week's "On Location," to air Saturday, October 1, at 7:30 p.m. "On Location" co-host Bev Mikalonis is visited the Showboat this past summer and will tell viewers about the performance she attended starring the inimitable Pearl Bailey.

Other taped travels will include a stop at Consumers Power. With Fall on our doorstep, heating costs return as a primary concern. This week on "Energy," Dean Sible will explain types of insulation.

In addition to information concerning available "Jobs" we'll watch co-host Rick D'Amico get a grip on things. In actuality he'll try his hand at milking a cow. Rendered obsolete by modern dairy equipment, hand milking was a daily chore for many area residents.

Although it's late in the vacation season, some people try to avoid that peak season rush and this week "On Location" looks at pre-vacation planning. First, Rick D'Amico and veterinarian Dr. Ron Spink will show viewers how to travel with your pets on "Vets and Pets." Then Bev Mikalonis goes "Under the Hood" to learn about things you can do for your car before driving great distances.

In this week's "Hollywood" segment Bev Mikalonis interviews Ron Howard, better

known as Ritchie Cunningham of ABC's Happy Days. Ron also played Opie on Andy Griffith and Bev asked how he managed to memorize all those lines at such an early age. Ron also discussed his other interests and future career plans.

After we get through the shock of the energy crunch, scientists tell us our next scarce resources are water and food. This week on "Threshold," Rick D'Amico reports on the experimental use of lasers to conserve water and grow bigger, better crops. Scientists and doctors are also concerned about the myths surrounding a drug known as laetrile (believed by some to be a cure for cancer), and so is private citizen Bonnie Turner. Bonnie voices her concern during the "You're On" segment of On Location. This segment is open to anyone with something to say, but TV-41 reserves the right to select the most representative and interesting subjects for airing.

Other segments of On Location will include a stop "In The Kitchen" to make pea soup and a visit with a couple who started dating in 1965 at Loy Norrix High School and wound up happily married. We'll also find Rick D'Amico "At The Doctor" for his final encounter with the Borgess Hospital Brain Scan Unit. Everyone is welcome On Location, Saturday nights at 7:30 on WUHQ-TV-41!

Planning Commissions Meet Jointly

The Monday, September 26 meeting of the Lowell Planning Commission was in part a joint meeting with the Lowell Township Planning Commission. The primary reason for the joint meeting was to discuss sewer service to building projects proposed by Gow Ramjeet located along M-21, just west of the city.

The building being proposed is a 24 lane bowling alley and cocktail lounge, a senior citizen housing development, and possibly a restaurant. The bowling alley is already under construction.

Lowell Township owns an eight inch sewer line into the city's sewage treatment plant and is allotted 160,000 gallons per day to be pumped into the city's plant. Currently over 20,000 GPD is being used by the Key Heights Trailer Park. The proposed Ramjeet projects are expected to use 21,000 GPD when completed.

There are plans to tie Eastgate in the Woods into this sewer system and the Township's engineers have recommended that 100,000 GPD be earmarked for that purpose. This leaves 19,000 GPD of the allotted 160,000 GPD left for future development in the area.

Disapproval The Lowell Township Planning Commission presented a proposed land use map of the township, which allowed for commercial zoning along both sides of M-21 from Alden Nash

Ask For Property Transfer

Five families residing in the "Aspens," a new housing development in Cascade Township have requested a property transfer from the Lowell Area School District to Forest Hills.

Their request will be heard at a special meeting of the Kent Intermediate School Board on Tuesday, November 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the KISB offices.

The five families contend that their children are now transported approximately 11 miles to school each day, while their neighbors to the north, south and west travel only two to six miles to Forest Hills.

The request asks that 80 acres, assessed at \$344,000 be transferred. The Aspens comprises only 20 acres of the 80 requested in the transfer. The remaining 60 has been included to straighten out the jigsaw boundary line between the two districts.

If the transfer is granted, all property bordering on Cascade Road between 36th Street and Whitneyville Avenue, and land on both sides of 36th between Cascade Road and Buttrick Avenue, would be in the Forest Hills District.

Most of the families making the request contend they did not realize the property was in the Lowell district when they purchased their home.

According to Lowell Superintendent Donald Kelly, the Lowell Board will most likely oppose the transfer, unless a fair trade of equal evaluation can be arranged.

The Forest Hills Board has been asked by the KISB to take a position on the issue at their October 18 meeting.

ATTENTION—Country Painters. Russ' Wood Works will be at the Fallasburg Fall Festival October 1 and 2. Carving plaques and unusual wood items to be painted for Christmas gifts... all at discount prices. p46-47

"SUPER YARD SALE"—Saturday, October 1, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Richard's Park, N. Hudson St., Lowell. p46

to Cumberland. This part of the proposed map met with the disapproval of both Lowell Planning Commission Chairman Bill Doyle and the city's planning consultant from Williams and Works, Dennis Elsen.

Doyle felt that this proposed commercial area was a prime example of "strip zoning" and that in his many years of planning involvement he had heard numerous warnings concerning such a situation.

Elsen felt that the city should not help to provide services to an area that has the potential of growing to the point commercially that it would create a hardship for businesses within the city.

The Township Planning Commission was asked what it had established as goals for the future of the township. The list included: preserve farmlands; preserve rural estate character; set aside areas for mobile home and multiple family housing; direct commercial and subdivision growth to areas that could be served by utilities; and extend public services into Segwun Village area. It was noted that the public services into the Segwun Village area has recently been dropped by the commission as a primary goal.

Hot Debate There was a vast amount of conversation between the two commissions that covered a

variety of topics and some of it was what one might almost define as hotly debated.

Toward the end of the meeting, however, several of the commissioners indicated that they felt the open communication between the two bodies had answered a lot of questions and had been very beneficial in many respects.

Public hearings concerning a rezoning request from Irwin Bristol and a sign variance for Johnson's Thrift-T-Mart were set for the Monday, October 24, meeting of the Planning Commission.

Fallasburg Fall Festival This Saturday And Sunday

A beautiful Fall background will be the setting this Saturday and Sunday, October 1 and 2, for the annual Fallasburg Fall Festival at Fallasburg Park. Activities on both days will get underway around 10 a.m. in the morning.

The people who participate and attend Arts & Crafts Festivals are a very special species. We enjoy the experience more each year as we meet and visit with them.

It is the creative nature of the artists and crafts people, the curiosity and appreciation shown for them by the crowds who spend time to see their wares and learn about them that inspires us to work for a successful show.

It is a way to make possible an exchange of ideas and for many to purchase unique items. People love to spend a day or two in the open air, making their products available to the public.

You will meet people like Norton L. Avery, venerable artist photographer, friendly and eager to share his knowledge of our God-given surroundings and his love of life.

Al Hermans with the beautiful wood items he lovingly fashions to be useful and decorative. Gordon Johnson and his wife, Velma, who have also been generous contributors to our efforts will be hosts at the School Museum helping out the regulars there, Clynis and Ida Benson.

There are musicians who will show the old-time dulcimer instrument and how it is played. As you stroll among the various exhibitions you will find other local people, however there are

from all over the state. Mr. and Mrs. Winnie from Traverse City will bring their railroad spike creations again.

Richard and Arlene Kerekes with their lovely stone jewelry, others with quilts, toys, leathercraft with demonstration, hand knitted things, large wood items, clocks and tables.

Ferris Miller will be around as anchor man for all exhibitors. He has spent many hours getting publicity out, arranging for entertainment spots and seeing that the physical aspects of the festival run as smoothly as possible.

Lowell To Expand Nutrition Program

Mrs. Esther Mitchell, Executive Director of Senior Neighbors, Inc., has announced an expansion of the nutrition program in Lowell.

Beginning Oct. 5, the Senior Neighbors Lowell Center will increase the days of noon time meal service from three to five a week. For the last year hot meals have been served to people, 60 and over, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday; meal service will now run Monday through Friday and will continue to be accomplished by information and recreation programs.

Senior citizens are invited to call 897-5250 for reservations. Donations are invited, but not required, for this federally fund-

ed program, administered by the Kent County Human Resources Department. The Lowell increase is part of a general expansion from nine to 12 meal sites in Kent County. Reservations must be made one day in advance; call on Friday for Monday dinners. A limited number of meals can be delivered to the home bound.

Looking forward to a wonderful weekend to enjoy and remember through the year.—Leonora Tower, Festival Chairman.

ROSIE DRIVE INN—800 W. Main St., Lowell. This Week's Special: Reuben Burgers, 50c. Bucket of Chicken To Go. Thursday night, Liver night; Saturday Night, Steak Night, 4 oz. Sizzler, \$1.79. c46

PPK Competition October 8



All boys and girls, ages 8 through 13 are invited to participate in the Punt, Pass and Kick (PPK) competition to be held Saturday, October 8, at 9 a.m. at Lowell's Burch Football Field in Recreation Park. This yearly event, co-sponsored by the Lowell Area Jaycees and the Harold Ziegler Ford Agency will see the young contestants competing for first, second and third place trophies in each age group. First place winners in Lowell's competition will go on to the district, and if successful, could go to the State and regional competition. The regional victors go to the National competition held during halftime at the Super Bowl.

Entry blanks for the participants in this area can be picked up at the Ziegler Ford Agency at 11979 E. Fulton, during regular business hours. Let's send someone from Lowell to the Super Bowl! Showen signing up for October 8's competition is Drew and Gtany Gesaler, both eight-years-old.

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LOWELL TOWNSHIP NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Lowell Township Board approved the rezoning of Mr. Ramjeet's property within Section Four of Lowell Township which was the subject of a public hearing on July 11, 1977 from the present zoning of residential and agricultural to commercial and residential.

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Lowell Township Clerk

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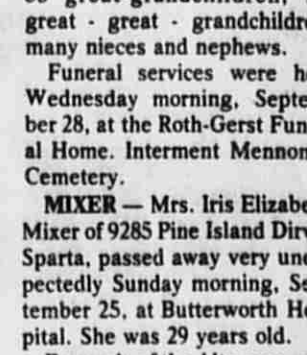
A lifelong Lowell resident, Mrs. Laura A. Dawson, passed away Saturday evening, September 24, at the age of 96.

She was born September 14, 1881, in Vergennes Township, and attended schools in Lowell.

She was married to John Dawson of Lowell in 1900; he preceded her in death.

Her survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Bertha Bibbler of Lowell, Mrs. Edward (Gerardine) Harold of Carson City and Mrs. Henry (Kathryn) Fasse of Saranac; a son, William of Lowell; 24 grandchildren; 50 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

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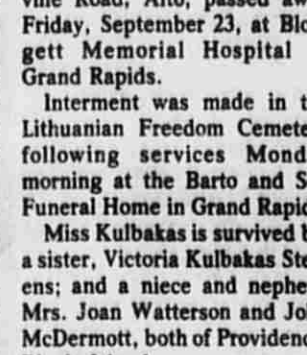
KULBAKAS - Miss Julie Kulbakas, aged 62, of Whiteyville Road, Alto, passed away Friday, September 23, at Blodgett Memorial Hospital in Grand Rapids.

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FARM BUREAU INSURANCE GROUP

Boy Scouts Resume Their Activities

Lowell Boy Scout Troop 102 resumed its activities on Thursday, September 15 after a summer break.

The first uniform check found the following results: Black sheep and Eagles 100%, Wolverines with 98%, Lions 85%, and the Cobras and Bear coming in with 79% each.

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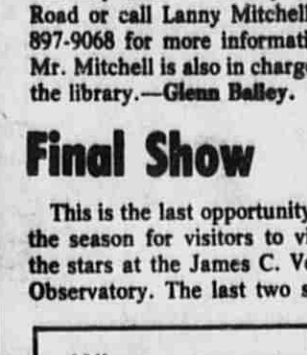


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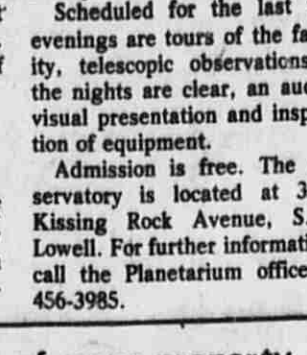


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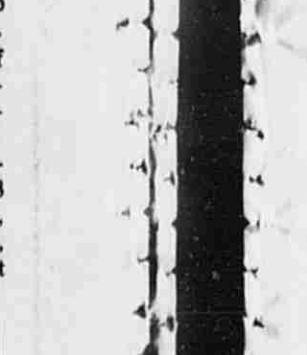


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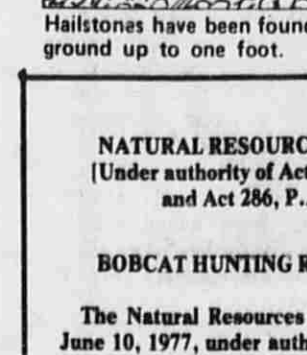


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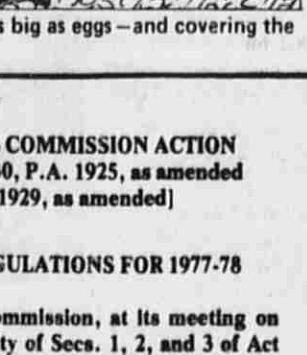


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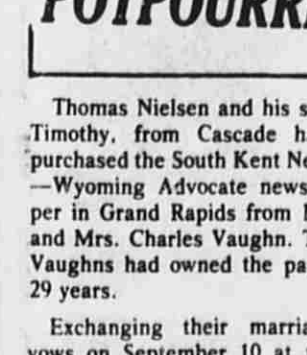


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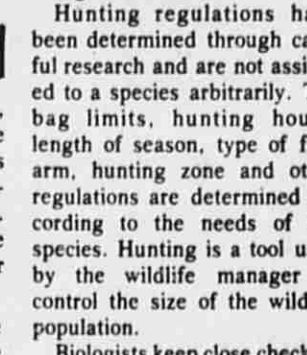


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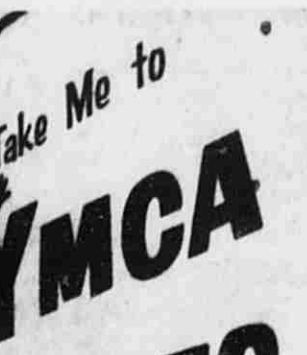


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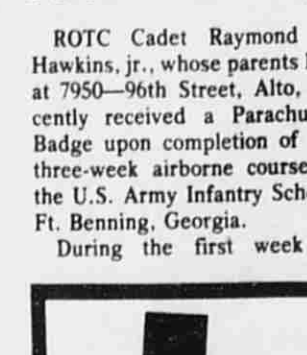


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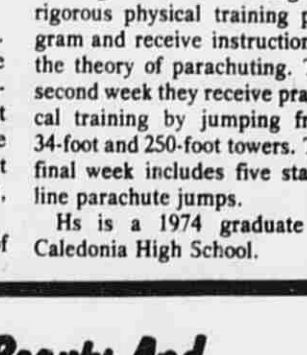


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Mayor Signs Treaty



Lowell Mayor Robert Christiansen, left, was an Indian for a day as he signed the treaty proclaiming September 26 through October 8 as "YMCA Indian Guides and Princess Weeks."

YMCA Indian Long House Chief Jack Thomet was on hand to assist with the signing. YMCA Indian Guides and Princess is a club program for Dads and their sons or daughters, kindergarten through third grade.

Activities planned for Y-Indian Guides and Princess Week include visits to schools, evening meetings for Dads and their sons or daughters in the schools and a weekend Campout.

bridges over creeks and swampy land. The CETA crews will be members of the Sierra Club, Michigan Trailfinders, Fountain Street Ski Club, Department of Natural Resources, the park department and Explorer Scouts.

The trails were laid out and easements acquired early last winter by members of the above groups for which Mrs. Patsy Allen of the Sierra Club was the co-ordinator in the venture.

Parachutist Badge

ROTC Cadet Raymond L. Hawkins, Jr., whose parents live at 7950-96th Street, Alto, recently received a Parachutist Badge upon completion of the three-week airborne course at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Georgia.

He is a 1974 graduate of Caledonia High School. training, students undergo a rigorous physical training program and receive instruction in the theory of parachuting.

The second week they receive practical training by jumping from 34-foot and 250-foot towers. The final week includes five static-line parachute jumps.

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POTPOURRI

Thomas Nielsen and his son, Timothy, from Cascade have purchased the South Kent News - Wyoming Advocate newspaper in Grand Rapids from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vaughn. The Vaughns had owned the paper 29 years.

Exchanging their marriage vows on September 10 at the United Methodist Church in Lake Odessa were Jo Ella White and Donald Miller of Lowell.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Miller, sr., of Lowell. Students from this area were among 2,676 to be awarded degrees at Central Michigan University at the end of the winter session in May.

Diane E. Barrus of Lowell has returned to her studies at Taylor University. Her Lowell friends wishing to correspond with her can forward their letters to: Diane E. Barrus, Box 3, English Hall, Taylor University, Upland, Indiana 46989.

The Rev. J. Marion DeViney, formerly of Lowell, shared the queen's court honors at the Grand Valley Rose Society's Show recently at the North Kent Mall in Grand Rapids.

Hunting is one of the most popular fall sports in Michigan. Unknown to many hunters is the fact that wildlife belongs to the people of the state.

MAKING GLASS BEADS

A fascinating film on "Making Glass Beads" will be presented in the Grand Rapids Public Museum periodically between 2 and 5 p.m. Saturdays, Sundays, and Veteran's Day during the month of October.

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACT

(Under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended and Act 286, P.A. 1929, as amended)

BOBCAT HUNTING REGULATIONS FOR 1977-78

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on June 10, 1977, under authority of Secs. 1, 2, and 3 of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, Secs. 38 and 39a, Chapter IV, and Sec. 1, Chapter V, Act 286, P.A. 1929, as amended, established rules for the taking of bobcats in the winter and spring of 1977-78, as follows:

- Seasons
 - Zone 1: Hunting and trapping, October 25, 1977, through March 31, 1978
 - Zone 2: Hunting only, January 1, 1978, through February 28, 1978
 - Zone 3: Closed to hunting and trapping
- Shooting Hours
 - 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. EST
- Areas
 - Zone 1 - The Upper Peninsula, except Bois Blanc Island which will be included under Zone 2 regulations, and Drummond Island, which will be closed.
 - Zone 2 - Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Otsego, Montmorency, and Alpena counties; also Bois Blanc Island.
- Registration
 - Any person killing a bobcat under authority of a valid hunting or trapping license shall present the bobcat at a Department of Natural Resources district office or other designated field office within 72 hours of the kill. There a confirming seal shall be attached and information obtained from the licensee as to date and place of kill and other pertinent information deemed appropriate. Registration shall be in the peninsula where the animal was killed. No tastermist or fur buyer shall accept a bobcat or bobcat pelt without the confirming seal attached, or process it in any fashion. Registration hours will be during regular working hours or where offices are open for some other purpose, after hours. No charge will be made for sealing.

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The First Congregational Church of Lowell is having a "Super Yard Sale," (SYS) in Richard's Park, across from the

church on North Hudson Street, this Saturday, October 1, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. This project is seen as a good fund-raiser and a "trial balloon" (TB) of special fund-raising projects. The proceeds of the sale will be the beginning of the special Fundraising Program (FFP) which is needed if the proposed

remodel the downstairs project is to become a reality. There'll be something for everyone at the sale. What a super reason to clean the garage, the basement, the attic, even the back of the truck, and bring that "it's in good shape, but never use it item" down to the yard sale. If the items are too big, or you

HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

By Pauline E. Spray



Ah Lord God! Behold, thou hast made the heavens and the earth by thy great power and stretched out arm, and there is nothing too hard for thee (Jeremiah 32:17).

For years I've been making curtains out of unbleached muslin. I've been very pleased when guests have remarked about them and found it difficult to believe they were made from inexpensive material. True, life, to such a person, becomes a minus instead of a plus. However, when he ceases to be negative and begins to live optimistically, everything changes. The world takes on new color, and those things he had thought to be impossibilities become not only possibilities, but realities.

Nothing is impossible with the Lord. When one truly believes this, one's whole outlook on life is changed. Christians, we can live lives that are attractive to others. Like the fringe on my curtains, "faith makes the difference."

Prayer: "Praise waiteth for thee, O God, in Zion." Thou art very great. Thy wisdom is beyond my comprehension. Thy power is unlimited. All things are possible with Thee. Impossible become possibilities and realities because I trust in Thy ability to answer my prayers. Amen.

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Ada Student On CMU Homecoming Steering Committee

Laurie Caeteng, a sophomore from Ada, is a member of Central Michigan University's 1977 Homecoming Steering Committee. Ms. Caeteng, a Broadcast major at CMU, is the daughter of Nessie and Ulf Caeteng.

This committee of administrators and student body representatives plans and oversees the activities of the fall Homecoming Celebration.

CMU's Homecoming Queen will reign over the festivities on October 29 at Perry Sports Stadium. The theme for 1977 is "The Way We Were—The Way We Are." Gridiron opposition for the Saturday game will be Bowling Green State University.

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Board Seeks To Conserve Energy

With rising fuel costs cutting into everyone's budget, the Saranac Schools' Board of Education took no exception to the matter when they met recently, and fully discussed the situation with their consultants.

Energy Consultant George Richards of Manson, Jackson and Kane, told the board that fuel is already up 40 percent over the past few years and a 10 to 12 percent increase each year for the next four or five years should be anticipated.

Richards said he knew of no new break throughs in energy conservation and added that "energy conservation is being conscious of what energy is being used and compensating."

While reviewing several of the recommendations made by the consultants, Richards pointed out to the board that if the changes amount to more than 50 percent of the value or extend the life of buildings more than 10 years, then the system would have to alter the handicapped.

In Saranac's case, Richards said the Middle School would have to install an elevator, be re-wired, and have new windows and a new heating plant installed.

As of August, the total estimate for recommended changes in the school system to conserve energy was \$467,858, for a projected savings of \$19,375, a year.

Compared with three other school systems, handled by the consulting firm, Saranac is as much, if not more in need of Federal assistance.

Superintendent Earl Cady advised the board that Terry Buck has been hired as a custodian in a CETA position and a cook has also been hired. Cady also recommended the hiring of Patricia deAquiri as a health teacher. Along with this, the board also authorized a contract for Dave Benjamin as a junior

Redskins Victorious

The Redskins of Saranac High School continued their ways last Friday night by posting a 20-8 Tri-Central League football victory over Central Montcalm.

Saranac currently holds possession of first place in the league with Maple Valley. Both teams have matching 2-0 records.

Scoring all three of Saranac's touchdowns was Steve Metternick, who in 17 carries picked up 117 yards.

Metternick's scoring was made on runs of five, three and four yards. On the defensive unit, Metternick was also credited with eight solo tackles and two assists.

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Saranac Can Now Dial Direct

Michigan Bell Telephone customers in the Saranac exchange are now able to dial their own long distance person-to-person and credit card calls.

Robert J. Hammond, district manager for Michigan Bell, said the new system also will permit customers to dial collect calls and calls billed to a third number.

When making one of the new calls, a customer merely dials "0" (Operator), immediately followed by the area code if needed, and then the telephone number in the distant city, Hammond said.

Dialing "0" signals an operator at one of the consoles that a long distance call is being dialed, he explained.

After a customer completes dialing the number, the operator comes on the line long enough to get acceptance of a collect call, obtain the credit card number, bill to third number, or get the right person on the line for a person-to-person call.

Injured

A 13-year-old boy bicycle rider was injured slightly early Tuesday evening, when he allegedly rode his bike into the path of a vehicle on Bayles Road about 200 feet west of M-21, according to Ionia State Troopers.

Timothy Tyler of Ionia came in contact with a vehicle driven by Gregory Covert, 17, of Saranac, according to the report which indicated the boy "appeared from nowhere" in front of the vehicle around 6:30 p.m., and the driver wasn't able to stop in time to avoid the mishap.

In other action, Ionia troopers are currently investigating reports of money missing from student lockers in Saranac's high school. Two reports were filed, one indicating \$55 was missing from a locker and another \$2.75 was missing from a second locker.

Other News

Memorial Hospital Admissions: Julie Kiddle, 5843 David Highway; Gregory Griffin, 507 Jackson Road.

Belding Hospital Admissions: Susan Welch.

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In Memory Of My Wife

Many people bring flowers to churches in memory of their loved ones, but Percy "Curley" Knowles of 725 Bowes Road, Lowell, decided on something quite different to honor the memory of his wife, Lucille Bogardus Knowles.

During the Sunday morning worship service September 18 at the First Congregational Church of Lowell, a song written by Knowles and dedicated to the most beautiful person I ever knew, my wife, Lucille, was sung.

Featured soloist for "You Are My All In All," was Dr. Roy Wescott, accompanied by pianist Vern Bultema.

"You Are My All In All" Since the day I found you, Life has been a song. All this world is sunshine, Since you came along. Flowers have brighter colors, Beautiful to see. Everything's so precious, They mean you to me. You are the sun, and the moon dear, You are the stars up above. You are the birds that sing near, You are the flowers they love. You are the air that I breathe dear, You are the rain from heaven. You are my soul, my hope of life, You are my all in all. 'Fore the day I met you, Days were all the same. Nights were filled with darkness, Till the day you came. Flowers had no meaning, Days then seemed a year. Everything has changed tho', Now that you are here. Chorus:

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OPEN LETTER from DAVID GERST

Dear Friends, Can one acquire integrity? Perhaps the first step is to discipline oneself to practice absolute honesty in little things; not evading the inconvenience of the truth when a tiny lie would be so much easier; not spreading that choice bit of gossip that is probably untrue. These disciplines may sound trivial but when one honestly seeks integrity and begins to find it, it creates a power that sweeps one along.

Respectfully,
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Playing Volleyball

Two former Lowell High School students have been placed on the roster of the 1977 girls' Volleyball team at Northern Michigan University at Marquette. Kelly Nugent, an award win-

a physical education major with a health minor.

Also joining the team is Deborah Canning of Lowell, who this fall commenced her freshman year at NMU.

The team, "The Wildcats" opens their 1977 season with nine straight games on the road.



cozy corner

By Roger Brown

I think that I might have mentioned before that it is sometimes terribly hard to come up with a topic for this column. You have probably noticed that I keep it personal, the problem is that it has to be written every week, and it is not every week that I experience something suitable for me to expound upon in the "cozy corner."

Last week's column about being thrown from a horse is a good example. If I did something that profoundly dumb every week, I'm afraid I wouldn't be long for this world. A good topic has to be something that I can stretch into a couple of typewritten pages and many times I've started columns that ended up in the wastebasket because they couldn't be stretched past a few paragraphs. So for this week, lacking any better idea, I'm going to hit you with a few short subjects.

Many of you fishermen are eagerly awaiting the arrival of salmon here in Lowell. This year I have promised myself that I'm going to join you in what appears to be one heckuva good time. I've got a pair of waders but my problem is convincing my wife for the need of a new rod, reel, license, stamp and all the other paraphernalia that goes along with salmon fishing.

Somehow, all my reasons for needing any kind of sporting equipment lose credibility when she points out my three guns (none of which have been fired for six or seven years), two hunting dogs, bow and arrow, fishing gear, and a closet full of hunting boots, jackets, vests and other assorted hunting gear, all of which get limited, if in fact any use.

For this year anyway, I might have to get along by borrowing my dad's salmon fishing gear, but after the column I wrote about borrowing, I don't know if I'll even be able to do that. I've got a hunch that any household with small children must be similar to mine in the fact that the older they get, the more toys they accumulate. The perpetual clutter and the constant picking up that these toys create isn't what bothers me as much as the constant repair work. I'm under pressure right now to repair a broken tricycle, wagon, and toy rifle. I have a friend who is contemplating going into some kind of business of his own, and I think I'm going to recommend a toy repair shop. I know of at least one good customer.

We're three weeks into the football season and my wife and I have already had our first confrontation concerning the sport. Unlike many wives, my wife is not a football widow, she really likes the sport and especially Lions games. When I announced that I was going to the Lions vs. Vikings game on a stag excursion, she blew up and reminded me that I had never taken her to a Lions game. It took a lot of talking and a promise that I would get her over to Pontiac for a game this year but as it stands now I'll be going with the guys on October 16.

My wife and I must have really gotten sick of painting when we were finishing up our new home. I'm talking about our front door which is painted with two coats on the outside and the nine glass panes have been scraped free of paint. The inside of the door however, has only one coat as we ran out of paint at that point. Not wanting to scrap the glass panes until the second coat was applied, the door has been left like that for months now creating the worst of eyesores. As I said, I think we both are awfully sick of painting and we are both waiting for the other one to get up the gun and finish the project. With both of us having a history of stubbornness, that poor front door might remain that way for several more months.

Well, I guess that's enough copy to fill the "cozy corner" until next week, when I'm luck on doing something really dumb between now and then so that I'll have something to write about.

Lowell Loses To Sparta 20-6

The Lowell Arrows' Varsity football team scored for the first time last Friday at Burch Field, losing to Sparta 20-6. Sparta began the scoring at the end of the first quarter with a four-yard run by Spartan Steve Reed.

Lowell tied up the score in the middle of the second quarter, with Rob Thomson throwing 65 yards to Steve Westphal, bringing the score to 6-6. At the end of the second quarter Sparta scored again with Bill Badgerow throwing nine yards to Nick Lewis.

Lowell held Sparta after the half until the fourth quarter, when Bill Badgerow passed nine yards to Nick Lewis to score again. Tim Jones caught the pass for the extra points for the Spartans bringing the score to 20-6.

Lowell ended up with 119 yards passing, 76 yards rushing and 34 yards of returns for a total of 229 yards total offensive play. Quarterback Rob Thomson completed 5 out of 18 attempted for the 119 yards. Steve Westphal caught one pass for 65 yards, John Wilder caught one for 19 yards and Bryan White caught three for 35 yards.

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I Bet You Didn't Know..



Has there ever been another football team like this one? The 1947 Notre Dame team had a total of 44 different boys who were good enough to eventually play pro football. . . . And, the team was so deep in talent that a fifth-string end was picked for the College All-Star team!

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Did you know there was once a pro football team that had EIGHT members of the same family playing on it? . . . When Columbus, Ohio was in the National Football League in the early years, they had eight players named Nesner—seven brothers and the son of the oldest brother!

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The last day to register for the November 6 General Election will be Monday, October 10, 1977. I will take registration applications at my home, 409 N. Division Street on Saturday, October 8 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and Monday, October 10 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at City Hall, 301 E. Main Street, as well as regular office hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays.

Nancy J. Wood, Director of Elections 445-46

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JV Team Opens 1977 Season

The Lowell Red Arrows' Junior Varsity football team opened the 1977 season with a non-conference game at Ionia on the 8th of September. The Arrows scored once when halfback Russ Cain received a pass from quarterback Mike Kaye, but the Arrows were defeated 14-8. On the 15th of this month the Arrows returned home to Burch Field for the league opener against the Fremont Packers. The Arrows defeated the Packers 28-8. Paul Blatter received two touchdowns, when he received two dump passes from Mike Kaye. Russ Cain also scored a touchdown for the Arrows first victory of the season. Last Thursday the Arrows lost to Sparta with a final score of 20-8, at Sparta. Kerry Kysar carried the ball 15 yards to score for Lowell in the fourth quarter. End Dave Hill received a pass from quarterback Mike Kaye to score the extra points.

LUNCH MENU

LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS WRESTLE ON OCTOBER 3

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Wednesday, Oct. 5: Beef and Noodles, Buttered Green Beans, Rolls on Bread, Frosty Creme Dessert, Milk.

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SOLICITATION FOR BIDS

The Kent County Purchasing Department is soliciting bids for the item(s) listed below. Detailed specifications are available at the Purchasing Office, Room 2210, 2210 West State Street, Ionia, Michigan 48860. The bids will be publicly opened in the Purchasing Office on October 3, 1977, at 10:00 a.m. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. It is to be in its best interests. Bids for items must be received before 10:00 p.m., Thursday, October 6, 1977.

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Lake Issue Is Settled

In an out-of-court settlement last week, the Kent County Road Commission agreed to pay Karen Ford of Lowell \$10,500 for filling in Lewis Lake, situated on his property on Lincoln Lake Avenue, north of Lowell, near Four Mile Road, N.E.

Damages occurred to the lake when the Road Commission tore up the roadway to create a new roadbed in 1975. As the result of fill-in, etc., the once 10-acre lake with depths of 20 feet turned into a 2-foot deep swamp.

Ford in his action against the Road Commission had originally asked for not more than \$100,000.

His settlement was the second largest payment the Road Commission has made for violation of the state's Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Act.

MUSEUM OPEN HOUSE

The Grand Rapids Museum Association invites the public to take a look behind the scenes at some of the Museum's operations when they hold their annual Open House in the Public Museum from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday, October 1. Admission is free.

C.E.C.A. Fund Gives Report

The following answers have been given, in reference to the questions asked about the funds being raised by the Citizens for Extra Curricular Activities (C.E.C.A.)

All of the following extra curricular activities in the Lowell Area Schools are being funded by the C.E.C.A.:

Annual, All-School Play, Athletic Director, Band, Baseball - 1 Coach, Boy's Basketball - 2 Coaches, Boy's Tennis, Boy's Track - Girl's Track - 1 Coach, Choir, Cross-Country, Debate.

Football, Forensics, F.F.A., Fall Cheerleading, Golf, Girl's Basketball - 2 Coaches, Girl's Tennis, Gymnastics, Hockey, Jr. Class Sponsor, Sr. Class Sponsor.

Pon Pons, Winter Cheerleading, Wrestling - 1 Coach, Transportation Limited, Middle School Boy's Basketball - 3 Coaches, Middle School Girl's Basketball - 1 Coach, Middle School Wrestling - 1 Coach, Middle School Gymnastics - 1 Coach, Intramurals.

Reductions
The Lowell School administra-

tion has made reductions in the following ways to keep the cost of the above programs to a total of \$33,174.00.

The following "assistant coaching" positions were eliminated:

1 Varsity Football, 1 Junior Varsity Football, 1 Freshman Football, 1 Freshman Basketball, 1 Wrestling, 1 Baseball, 3 Middle School Assistant Coaches, 1 Track.

Also, only the very necessary equipment is being purchased. If it is a matter of safety, then we must purchase the equipment.

Many people have pledged to pay money toward the goal of \$33,174.00. Please, in order to help reach our goal, send in your pledges as soon as possible.

To bring everyone up-to-date, the C.E.C.A. has given the Board of Education \$11,058.00 which is one third of the goal. This was to get the present extra curricular activities in motion. If everyone would pay their pledges we would have more than enough to pay the second payment of \$11,058.00.

If you have not pledged or you desire to give more, any amount will be appreciated. Stop in at Lowell State Savings Bank or mail your pledge to the bank. In order to gain credit on your income tax write your check to - Lowell Area Schools % CECA.

This group has worked hard and are still working to achieve this goal. Many fund raising activities are being planned by this group. Paper drives, selling tickets on the game ball each week, bake sales, dance, concession booth at the fair, raffles, and an auction at the fair.

If you have fund raising ideas, or wish to help in any way, join the C.E.C.A. at their next meeting held every Tuesday night, 7:30 at the Middle School.

New Experiment Station Near Clarksville

Activities heralding the official opening of Michigan State University's newest outlying agriculture experiment station, near Clarksville, will take place Thursday, September 29.

The new Clarksville Horticultural Experiment Station will eventually centralize much of the developmental vegetable, ornamental and fruit crops research.

The Clarksville station is located immediately south and west of I-96 Clarksville-Saranac interchange on Portland Road.

During the opening ceremonies horticultural scientists and administrators will provide a progress report on planned activities as well as a review of construction work at the headquarters area. At present, irrigation wells are being drilled and renovations to the manager's quarters are underway.

Dr. Sylvan Wittwer, director of the MSU Agricultural Experiment Station, says, "The future development of this research farm is an important part of the improvement of the Agricultural Experiment Station's statewide research network."

Dr. Robert Andersen, horticultural scientist and planning coordinator for the Clarksville site, said that he hopes to announce the name of the first manager of the Clarksville station on September 29.

The opening ceremonies will begin at 10 a.m. "Anyone interested is welcome to attend," says Andersen. "Special invitations have been extended to the industry-grower committee, area legislators, media representatives, and Cooperative Extension Service personnel in horticulture."

Funding for the Kent Special Riding Program is obtained through the support of individuals and community service groups. Contributions can be made through the 4-H Office. If you have questions regarding this program, please contact Lynn Kay VanDrie, Extension 4-H - Youth Agent at 774-3265.

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Therapeutic riding helps han-

dicappers to improve their balance, posture and coordination; all of which are needed to control a horse. In Kent's Special Riding Program, both the physically and the mentally handicapped are taught to ride, not taken for a ride.

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HOME NURSING COURSE

The Kent County Chapter of the American Red Cross will offer the Red Cross "Home Nursing Course" beginning Wednesday, October 5. The class will meet from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. every Wednesday through November 9 at the local chapter house at 1050 Fuller N.E., Grand Rapids. For further information or to register call the Red Cross Nursing Office, a United Way Service, at 456-8661.

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