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Largest Crowd Ever Attends Fallasburg Festival

Everyone involved with the Fallasburg Fall Festival last Saturday and Sunday sported smiles a mile wide by the end of the event. Especially happy is Howard Platt, 4425-13 Mile Rd., Rockford. His name was drawn from 1,250 others as the winner of the original Fallasburg Quilt raffled by the Lowell Area Arts Council. The quilt was designed by John Harper and quilted by his wife Louise. Harper was chairman and coordinator of the event this year. Artists and craftsmen sold their works to an estimated crowd of 7,000, the largest number ever to attend the

annual event according to the West Central Michigan Historical Society, co-sponsors of the Festival.

The show was juried for the first time this year. Most of the artists were from the area with 11 showing from Lowell, 6 from Grand Rapids and 2 from Saranac. Thirty-six exhibitors in all, the balance were from Ada, Caledonia, Rockford, Newaygo, Wyoming, Greenville, Grand Ledge, Jackson, Lansing, Muskegon, Augusta, Portage, Ludington, Pigeon, Williamston, Vestaburg and Big Rapids. Co-ordinators of this area were Ellen Kinnebrew and Chris VanVantwerp.

Area groups sold over \$2,300 worth of good food to the hungry crowd. All involved underestimated the numbers to serve, and sold "two days worth" of food before the first day was done. Busy hands made pies, barbeques, beans and more Saturday night to be ready for the hordes which descended on Sunday. Vergennes Methodist Women, Alto Lions, Easttown Food Co-op, Moose Women and the WCMHS were beat after two days of non-stop service. Food coordinator was Laura Garcia.

Re-Float the Showboat Campaign was a little richer from sale of their auto raffle tickets at the event.

Entertainment both afternoons was top flight, thanks to the efforts of Gil Wise, coordinator, and Mitch McMahon, sound systems director and Emcee. All volunteers, 5 acts came from Lowell, 8 from Grand Rapids, and one each from Hastings, Muir, Ionia and Ludington. Dick McNeal and the Showboat Calliope blamed the weather for a sticky keyboard, repaired the problem, and went on to delight young and old.

Forgotten skills demonstrators brought authenticity to the "Celebration of Then and Now".

The downpour on Saturday morning only slightly dampened enthusiasm and made the park itself sparkle in the sunlight of a perfect autumn Sunday.



The Bright Majority, a barbershop quartet from Grand Rapids, wowed the crowds at the Fallasburg Fall Festival last Saturday for nearly an hour. The quartet appeared in the Saturday night performance of the Lowell Showboat this past year.

PUNT, PASS, KICK ON TONIGHT
 Lowell Jaycees and Harold Zeigler Ford are co-sponsoring the Punt, Pass and Kick program tonight (Wed., Oct. 4) at the Recreation Park-ball diamond. Competition will start at 7 p.m. with pre-registration at 6:30 p.m. The program is open to any boy or girl between the ages of eight and 10. Parents are invited to attend and cheer for their competitor.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT
 Arrested Monday afternoon by Lowell police officers shortly after he broke into a residence in Ada was Leonard Gasco, no permanent address.

DUI ARREST
 Joseph Skendzel of Grand Rapids was arrested by Lowell officers on charges of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

FENDERS BENT
 Involved in a property damage accident Tuesday was Deanna Key, Lowell, when she struck a vehicle driven by a 16-year-old juvenile male on Main St. near Jefferson.

Diane Shepard of Lowell also had her vehicle damaged when she was hit from behind by Patricia VanBeek, Lowell, who was attempting a left turn off Main Street onto Broadway Friday evening.

Steve Marher, Lowell, was struck in the rear of his vehicle by a male juvenile driver last Saturday on South Hudson near Grand River. Marher complained of minor injuries at the accident scene.

BUNDLE 'EM UP
 A paper drive is scheduled at St. Mary's School. A trailer will be at the school by 3 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 11 until Monday, Oct. 16. Papers should be tied or placed in shopping bags. Newspapers, flyers, handbills and magazines are acceptable. For pick up call Mrs. Jessica Schafer, 897-8097 or Mrs. Nancy Zwicki, 897-7800.

ATHLETIC BOOSTERS NEEDED
 Lowell Athletic Boosters Club want all parents, teachers and community sports patrons to feel welcome at their second meeting of the year. The meeting will be Wednesday, Oct. 4, 7:30 p.m. at the Dykhuizen home, 12620 Grand River Dr. The group must set goals for distribution of their monies and finalize plans for fund raising activities.

NO MAIL MONDAY
 A holiday mail schedule will be in effect Columbus Day, Monday, October 9, Postmaster Charlie Doyle said. While there will be no regular residential or business mail delivery or lobby window service, there will be special delivery and lockbox service, he said. Mail will be picked up from area collection boxes at the normal time of 4:14 p.m. Mail deposited in the "out of town box" located in front of the post office will be dispatched at 6 p.m.

SENIORS HEAR BALLOT ISSUES
 Lowell Senior Neighbors Center will host a Men's Breakfast on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 8:30 a.m. A speaker will discuss the issues on the November ballot. Reservations may be made by calling 897-5250. The Center is also taking reservations for a color tour on Oct. 16. Their bus will go north to Newaygo with a stop in Rockford for supper. Departure time is 1 p.m.

ANOTHER CYCLIST HOSPITALIZED
 Arrested by Kent County Sheriff's Deputies for fleeing and eluding a police officer last Friday morning was Deloss James Beean, Lowell. Lowell officers assisting in the chase reported that Beean went south on Jackson and Division over the south bridge, then east on Grand River Drive into Ionia County. On Riverside Dr. he lost control of his motorcycle. Beean was committed to Osteopathic Hospital for overnight observation after the arrest.

Also arrested for fleeing and eluding a police officer was Michael Jousma of Lowell last Saturday evening in a separate incident. Lowell officers chased him on his motorcycle from the Lincoln Lake/Foreman Road area to Gee Drive near Aiden Nash where he stopped.

LOWELL PD BUSY
 Lowell Police officers investigated 18 accidents in the month of September, three of which were injury accidents. The Rescue Unit responded to three calls for this month.

CRIMINAL CHARGE LODGED
 Joseph Pawloski, 36, of Lowell, demanded examination in 63rd District Court on a felony charge. Pawloski is charged with drunken driving, third offense. Judge Joseph White set bond at \$2,500.

SPECIAL TRASH PICK UP
 Thursday, October 5, is Special Trash Pickup Day in Lowell. If you have not already done so, notify City Hall at 897-9457 if you need this service. The first Thursday of each month is set aside for this special service to Lowell's citizens.

DINNER TO AID SHOWBOAT
 Bill and Norma Gardner will host a special dinner to benefit the Re-float the Showboat Campaign at their Village Inn on Main St., Lowell. Serving noon until 6 p.m., the menu includes roast beef, salad bar, dinner roll, coffee or milk. Cost is \$3.75 to adults, \$1.75 for children.

ADVERTISE IN THE GRAND VALLEY LEDGER



Al Hermans, Lowell, exhibited his handcrafted wood items at the Fallasburg Festival. Hermans has displayed his work at Fallasburg for many years and says he thoroughly enjoyed it this year as well.

Bob Ellis Gives 8 Gallons To GVBP

If you were involved in a serious accident or were the victim of a critical illness, your life might be in danger without a blood transfusion. Thanks to one local, volunteer blood donor, Robert Ellis, 2719 Bewell S.E., Lowell, many people in Kent County who have faced

the sole source of blood for all local hospitals.

There were times when the need for Mr. Ellis' blood was urgent and dramatic. Local hospitals would call him for blood when critical heart surgery was planned. Often, surgery would not proceed unless all blood needed for a patient was on hand 24 hours prior to surgery. "There were also calls for blood for infants needing complete transfusions and I was contacted," Ellis said.

Through the GVBP, volunteer donors in Kent County business, civic, religious, and community organizations now give enough blood during most months to meet all the blood needs of hospitals in the county.

"The community should congratulate Robert Ellis and all the volunteer donors in Kent County who donate regularly to help save lives. It is these caring individuals that enable the GVBP to maintain an adequate supply of blood for seriously ill and injured patients at our local hospitals," said Shirley Shine, technical director of the GVBP. "These unselfish people contribute greatly to improving the quality of life and health for hospital patients in the county."

Hospital Tours

Greater Grand Rapids Hospital Council announces their sponsorship of "Hospital Tour Day", Wednesday, Oct. 25, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Children and Senior Citizen groups are especially invited to tour the area hospital of their choice. Participating hospitals are Blodgett, Booth, Butterworth, Forrest View, Osteopathic, Mary Free Bed, Pine Rest and St. Mary's.

Advance reservations are required. Call the GRHC at 774-2024 to register your group for a tour.

GREAT CURL! GREAT BODY!
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Bob Ellis, 2719 Bewell, Lowell, has been congratulated by the Grand Valley Blood Program of the American Red Cross as an 8 gallon blood donor.

these situations are alive today because of his gifts of life-saving blood.

On September 12, Mr. Ellis donated his 64th pint of Type O Negative blood and became an 8 gallon donor of the Grand Valley Blood Program (GVBP), Kent County's community blood center.

When asked why he continues as a regular blood donor, Ellis replied, "I feel I'm helping somebody. I never know where it (the blood) goes. I really don't care. I know I'm helping someone and that's what counts."

Ellis, Chairman of the blood drives of the Clark Ellis Post of American Legion, Lowell, first donated blood in February of 1955. Since then, he has been a regular blood donor, first to area hospitals and then through the GVBP. By giving pints of his blood five times a year for 23 years, Robert Ellis has become a member of the elite eight-gallon donor group of the GVBP, now



While Mom and Dad browsed through the exhibits, those and many other children kept busy creating their own works of art at the Children's Folk Art Booth. Mary Siebers and her crew supplied pumpkins for painting, apples for sculpture, and clothespins and scraps for dolls. Bobbi White and her helpers organized lawn games for folks who were a little taller.

John Roth Dies At 87

John F. Roth, 305 N. Center, Lowell, died last Tuesday morning, Sept. 26. He will be missed by a grateful community as well as his family.

A loyal Rotarian and community activist for years, Mr. Roth is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Elmer (E.J.) Czapke of Grand Rapids; a son, Dr. Wil-



John Roth was an endman on the Lowell Showboat, local Rotarian and community activist for many years.

liam Roth of Alma; a sister, Mrs. Edith Parks of Calif.; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held Thursday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Dr. Richard Greenwood officiating, with interment in Oakwood Cemetery.

Lifelong friend Forrest "Bucky" Buck said recently, "Stars galore grace the horizon of the Lowell Showboat but the one bearing the name JOHN F. ROTH shines among the brightest. He was an Endman for about 25 years. All of his performances were in minstrel blackface.

"His characteristic humor was unexcelled," Bucky recalls. "His little Black Book will go down in Showboat history. John would forget the words to his song, ad-lib and bring down the house. He never missed a punch-line. It was my privilege and pleasure to have worked with him. He will long be remembered by his many friends and Showboat fans."

ROSIE DRIVE INN - 800 W. Main St., Lowell. This Week's Special: Hippy Burgers, 95c. Tuesday Night, Family Night, Burger Night; Wednesday Night, Chicken Night; Thursday Night, Liver & Onions; Saturday Night, A Delicious Sizzler. c47

Wittenbach Chairs United Way

Arnold Wittenbach is the Lowell Community Division Chairman for the 1978 United Way campaign which begins October 4 and ends November 8. "It's a worthwhile cause. United Way is the best way to help a lot of people," he said. As Campaign Chairman he is responsible for the volunteer organization to carry out the solicitation of small business firms, and residential, governmental, educational and professional groups in Lowell. This will be his third year as Chairman.

Stanley N. Gardner is also returning as the Business Chairman. Individual Gifts Chairperson is Florence Jefferies. The United Way 1978 campaign goal has been set at \$3,792,727, a 7 percent increase over last year. The 1978 Lowell goal is \$6,166.



Lowell Community Division Chairman for the Annual United Way Campaign Arnold Wittenbach with Business Chairman Stanley N. Gardner and Individual Gifts Chairperson Florence Jefferies.

SCRATCH PADS - Assorted weights, colors, sizes... all are priced at a cheap, cheap, cheap 40 cents per pound. The Grand Valley Ledger, 105 N. Broadway, Lowell.

Ada Restaurant Opens This Week

West Michigan's newest restaurant, scheduled to open on October 2, 1978 is situated on the banks of the Thornapple River in Ada. The Thornapple Village Inn is part of a group of turn-of-the-century style buildings housing small shops and businesses located on Ada Dr., immediately off of M-21.

Inn owners are partners in Investors Incentives Inc., a real estate development firm with properties in Grand Rapids and Aspen, Colorado. John F. Gil-

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more, President, says that the theme for The Inn is established by its location in which a country environment with a sense of history fuses with the tastes and lifestyles of today.

According to Gilmore, cost of construction and furnishings of the Inn is in excess of \$500,000.

During the Fall and Summer, a large wood deck is expected to be an inviting gathering place. The heart of the Inn, as it was for inns of the past, is the Taproom. The pegged wood floors, beamed ceilings, and the tour-de-force of the Inn, the bar itself, will invite friends to gather all year long after boating, hunting, tennis, cross-

country skiing or at the end of their work day.

A continental and classic American menu, in the owner's view, is in keeping with the "yesterday-today" theme of the Inn. A selection of entrees will change each day. An extensive wine cellar will cater to the growing interest in wine.

Thornapple Village Inn will be open for lunch and dinner, Monday through Saturday. Reservations will be taken. The Vintage Room, a dining room adjacent to the wine cellar with seating for 50, is available for reservation for groups and private parties.

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Colleen Hill Gets HEW Grant

A \$143,381 grant has been given to the department of blind rehabilitation at Western Michigan University by the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

A major share of the grant will be used to provide tuition and fees and training stipends for approximately 45 students during the current school year. Among the students is Colleen M. Hill, 12365 Bailey Dr., Lowell.

These students are enrolled at the graduate level in groups of approximately 16 or 17 four times a year during the University's fall and winter semesters, and spring and summer sessions. One phase of the training

is for orientation and mobility specialists who "... teach visually-impaired persons to move about effectively, efficiently and safely in familiar and unfamiliar surroundings." They also instruct in the development and more effective use of the senses which are not impaired.

The other group of students is studying rehabilitation teaching. They instruct severely visually-impaired adults "... in alternative and adoptive methods of performing the basic skills of living—personal management, homemaking, minor household repairs and leisure time activities."

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District Director At BPW Meeting

Lowell Business and Professional Women's Club met at Schneider Manor, Monday, September 25, for a salad supper and business meeting.

Guests present were Mrs. Phyllis MacPherson, District Director of BPW; Mrs. Jill VanAntwerp, Mrs. Theo Schmitt, Mrs. Cindy Hall and Mrs. Marian Rutherford.

Mrs. VanAntwerp, treasurer of the Lowell Area Arts Council, gave specific details of the Fallburg Festival to be held on Sept. 30-Oct. 1.

Following a short business meeting Mrs. MacPherson gave directions for obtaining the Blue Book of rules and regulations that Club members may obtain.

"Finding Your Forebears" Presented at Alto Library

"Finding Your Forebears," a program on how to look up your ancestors will be the program at the Alto Library on Monday, October 9, at 7 p.m.

Bertha Clinton, librarian at the Gaines Township Library in Cuterville, will be the discussion leader. Mrs. Clinton took a course on genealogy at Salt Lake City this summer and will share her experiences. She will discuss how to begin and what sources to use to find one's forebears.

There will be a bibliography and a book display on geneology.

Vivian Mulder, librarian at Alto, said, "I hope anyone who is interested in their family will come. I would like to invite high school students, as well as adults."

The Alto Library, a part of the Kent County Library System, is at 6059 Linfield. For further information, call the library at 868-6038.

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Obituaries

KELLEY—Services for Mrs. N. Patricia Kelley, 72, of 4205 Trails End, Gun Lake, who died Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 26, at Osteopathic Hospital in Grand Rapids, were held Friday at the Beeler Funeral Home in Middleville.

Rev. Arthur D. Jackson officiated with burial in Bowen Center Cemetery.

She was born March 31, 1906, in Lowell Township, Kent County, the daughter of Robert and Eva (Miller) Ford. Mrs. Kelley

retired from Michigan Bell Telephone where she had worked for 26 years as an employment representative. She was a member of the Middleville VFW Auxiliary.

She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Elmer (Helen) Thompson and Mrs. Dick (Thelma) Krus, both of Wyoming and Mrs. Goldie Sikema of Spring Lake; one brother, Robert K. Ford of Fawn Lake, RS Shantyville.

MISNER—Archie B. Misner, 82, of 9300 Eaton Hwy., R 3, Lake Odessa, died Friday evening, Sept. 22, at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital, where he was a patient for one month.

Services were Monday, Sept. 25, at the Pickens Krogs Chapel, Pastor Joseph Fox officiating with burial in Lakeside Cemetery.

He was born April 4, 1896, in East Jordan, the son of Thomas and Cynthia Misner. He attended school at East Jordan. He

married Lucy Lavanway in 1921. She died Jan. 16, 1977.

They had three children: Robert, who died in Lake Odessa in 1949. He worked at the Mitchell Real Estate Co. in LaSalle, as a carpenter.

Surviving are four sons and four daughters: Archie, Jr., Robert, Jerry Dockett of Grand Rapids, Douglas Dockett of Lowell; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Duleya of Belding, Mrs. Norman (Mary Lee) Veldt of Mattawan; and 19 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at the Van't Hof Chapel, Internment Rosedale Memorial Park.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

Our thanks to West Central Michigan Historical Society and Lowell Area Arts Council for their support of our Re-Float The Boat project.

The Fallburg Festival was a beautiful event. We're looking forward to next year.

Sihrl Smith, Barb Curtis, Dee Doyle, Chairman, Bonnie McNeal, Doris Rhines, Barb Brown, Det. DeForest, Miltie Mullen, Carolyn Hinzman, Bev Hall

SLAYTON—Raymond E., aged 80, of Ada, passed away Monday morning at the Butterworth Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Beatrice; daughters Martha A. Lindsey of Sumnerland Key, Fla. and Kathleen (Jane) Snyder of Lezy, MI; a brother Keith, a sister Shirley Travis of Detroit; also eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held Wednesday, Oct. 4, 2 p.m. at the Ada Community Reformed Church. Rev. Jack Richards officiating. Memorial contributions will be made to the building fund of the Ada Community Reformed Church. Arrangements by the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home.

WANG—Mrs. Alice Wang, 81, of 1026 Maryland NE passed away Saturday, September 30, 1978, at St. Mary's Hospital. She is survived by her husband John VanGemert, two daughters, Mrs. Willard (Jane E.) VanSickle of Byron Center and Mrs. Russell (Gertrude) Pifer of Grand Rapids; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; two sisters Mrs. Bert (Hilda) Farkson of Lowell and Mrs. James (Josephine) VanderGiesen of Grand Rapids, two brothers John Ebels and Steven Ebels both of Grand Rapids.

Services were held at 1:00 Tuesday afternoon at the funeral chapel, with Rev. Bert A. Baker officiating. Interment in Fairlains Cemetery.

Cider Sipping Season Begins

Sipping fresh cider while munching hot doughnuts is as much a part of fall as football and fall color, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

"Combining a trip to a cider mill with a Sat. football game or a fall color tour is an invigorating way to get into the spirit of the fall season," stated Auto Club Touring Manager Joseph Ratzke. "Although many cider mills are open all year, it is in the fall when apples are harvested that customers flock to their favorite mills," Ratzke explained.

"Since pressing often is done on an irregular schedule, persons wishing to view pressing operations should telephone ahead before starting out," Ratzke advised.

Visiting a cider mill can be an all-day activity since some of the mills feature such attractions as flea markets, horse-drawn wagon rides, gift shops and animal farms.

Area mills are Nelson's, Ionia; Pierson's, Orleans; Bush's, Belding; H&W, Belding; Seltsma, Grand Rapids; Hill Brothers, Grand Rapids; Robinette's, Grand Rapids.

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For The November 7 General Election Will Be Tuesday, October 10, 1978

Registrations will be accepted during regular office hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., weekdays, at City Hall, 301 E. Main Street.

I will accept registrations at my home, 409 N. Division on Saturday, October 7, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and at City Hall, Tuesday, October 10, until 8:00 p.m.

Nancy J. Wood, Director of Elections

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Council Proceedings...

Official Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Lowell, Michigan.

Regular Meeting of Monday, September 18, 1978.

The Meeting was called to Order at 8:00 p.m. by Mayor Collins. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and the Roll called.

PRESENT: Councilmen Carter, Heath, Warning and Collins.

ABSENT: Councilman Christiansen.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter that the Minutes of the September 5 meeting be approved as written, supported by Councilman Heath.

Carried.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and Warrants issued, supported by Councilman Heath.

Yes: Councilmen Carter, Heath, Warning and Collins.

No: None.

Absent: Councilman Christiansen.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS

General Fund	\$ 97,100.04
Major Street Fund	\$ 308.25
Local Street Fund	\$ 3,616.40
Sewer Fund	\$ 14,232.92
Water Fund	\$ 12,234.07
Equipment Fund	\$ 15,631.68
Lee Fund	\$ 17,821.73
Storm Sewer Fund	\$129,082.34
Federal Revenue Sharing Fund	\$ 47,677.00

Mayor Collins then opened the Public Hearing on the request of Michigan Wire Processing to establish an Industrial Development District.

Manager Quada stated that Mr. Detrick of that company was in the hospital and was unable to attend the hearing. He read a letter from Mr. Detrick, outlining the plans for the company with the adoption of such a district.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Heath that the Hearing be closed, and that the Industrial Development District be approved for Michigan Wire Processing, supported by Councilman Warning.

Yes: Councilmen Heath, Warning and Collins.

No: Councilman Carter.

Absent: Councilman Christiansen.

A discussion followed. Councilman Carter clarified his "No" vote, explaining that until after the November election, and the outcome of the Tish tax amendment, he

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would continue to vote no in the best interest of the City. When the tax question is resolved, he will then consider the issue and vote accordingly.

Councilman Christiansen entered at 8:09 p.m.

Council then discussed the possibility of selling the property adjacent to the Middle School, which is used as a parking lot by the school, per an agreement made in 1972. Manager Quada stated that he had received a request to purchase the other half of the old well site by a company wishing to build on the site.

He stated that the School was interested in then purchasing the parcel on which is located the Middle School parking lot.

Mr. David Miller and Mr. Donald Kelly of the School were present and explained the school's needs, and asked that the City not sell the property until a satisfactory solution could be worked out for all parties interested.

Councilman Christiansen suggested that a committee be established of two Council representatives and representatives of the School Board to work out a solution.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Heath that Councilman Warning and Councilman Carter, along with the City Manager, be appointed as City representatives to the committee, supported by Councilman Carter.

Carried.

The next item of discussion was the need for an emergency traffic signal device at the corner of Main and Monroe Streets to alert motorists of approaching fire equipment. Manager Quada stated that the State Highway Department suggested instead of a flashing 4-way stop device at the intersection, that signs in the shape of fire truck silhouettes with a flashing beacon and flood light be installed approximately 250 feet east and west of the intersection. The cost of approximately \$7,000 would be paid by the State Highway Department. The Highway Department also would include in an agreement that parking be prohibited in excess of 100 feet east and west of the intersection on the north side of Main Street.

A lengthy discussion followed on the City's initial request for a 4-way flashing traffic light, not fire truck signs, being denied, and another attempt by the State to remove parking from Main Street.

Council concurred that the Manager again contact the Highway Department, and again request the 4-way flashing stop signal, in connection with the fire truck signs if necessary.

Manager Quada then reported that the necessary sidewalk replacement due to the storm damage could be done by City crews for a cost of \$500 to \$750 and recommended that it be done before cold weather.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Christiansen that sidewalk repair and replacement be done by City crews for a cost of \$500 to \$750, supported by Councilman Warning.

Carried.

In conjunction with the sidewalk repair, many stumps left in the wake of the storm will have to be removed. At the time a firm is hired to do the work, area residents will be able to contract with the company for stump removal on private property at a considerably cheaper rate.

Manager Quada then headed a discussion on the use of the \$75,000 grant funds for rehabilitation of residential property. In 1975 a Rehabilitation Funds Committee was established. This committee worked unsuccessfully until June of 1977 to disperse the funds.

The Manager noted that it is necessary at this time to transfer the duties of the defunct Rehab Committee to the newly formed Housing Commission to actively start dispersing funds. Mr. Merrill Barrett a professional in the rehab funding field will be working with the Housing Commission on the project.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter that the Community Development Advisory Committee be dissolved, and the duties be transferred to the Lowell Housing Commission, supported by Councilman Christiansen.

Carried.

Manager Quada distributed copies of the 1977-78 Lowell Light and Power Audit Report. He asked Council to consider naming a Council representative at the next meeting as a member of the Economic Development Program.

There was no Manager's Report, and no Citizen input.

Under Council remarks, Councilman Heath asked about the possible purchase of recording equipment for the Police Department. Manager Quada stated that the department has been given equipment for use and will report back at the next meeting.

Councilman Heath also commended the Department for their quick response time to the emergency medical call on East Main Street on Saturday night, (9-18-78).

Councilman Warning asked about a tree trimming program throughout the City in connection with the stump removal. Manager Quada replied that it would be done at the same time.

Councilman Carter reported that the Michigan Municipal League Meeting at Mackinac Island was very worthwhile. He stated that he wished more Councilmembers had attended.

Pesticide Rule

A public hearing on proposed amendments to a regulation on pesticide applicators will be held Thursday, October 12, in LaSalle, according to Michigan Department of Agriculture officials.

The hearing will begin at 10 a.m. in the department's hearing room, located on the fifth floor of the Lewis Cass building, 300 South Walnut Street.

Proposed amendments to Regulation No. 636 will establish and prescribe standards of certification for commercial applicators using pesticides to preserve wood products and establish administrative standards for categories not covered in the original regulation.

In addition, these proposed amendments will prescribe standards of certification for private applicators who use fumigants and will require certification for pilots applying pesticides.

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Under a general discussion, Council talked about the Tish-Healy amendment being proposed and the fire truck bids to be taken soon.

Councilman Heath headed a discussion on the Santa Claus Christmas Decorations. He asked about their being cleaned before the coming season, and the possibility of purchasing something new.

Manager Quada stated that the decorations were slated to be taken to the Amway Corporation for a thorough cleaning, the cost of the cleaning to be a donation of the Amway Corp. As to buying new decorations, they belong to the Chamber of Commerce, and the City cannot at this time really afford to buy new ones.

IT WAS THEN MOVED to adjourn at 8:04 p.m. by Councilman Carter.

Approved: October 2, 1978.

DEAN E. COLLINS, Mayor

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Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hazard own the number 1 Centennial Home in Vergennes Township located at 3 Mile Rd., Ada.

Vergennes Township's Number 1 Centennial Home was announced at the Fallburg Fall Festival last week by the Vergennes Historic Committee. Owned presently by Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hazard, it was formerly the John McFarley family home, located on 3 Mile Rd., Ada. It was judged best in authenticity and preservation by the

Butler-VanLuyn Annual Open House At G.R. Public Museum

Married in a candlelight ceremony Friday, September 22, at St. Jude's Church were Cynthia Lou Butler and Richard Scott VanLuyn. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Butler, Sr., of Ada and Mr. and Mrs. William Watkinson, Grand Rapids.

Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William VanLuyn, Grand Rapids. The bride's father is the late Mad of Honor Lorraine Boshovics, Grand Rapids and Best Man William VanLuyn, brother of the groom. Bridesmaids were Randi Ellis, Big Rapids, sister of the bride; Mary Jo Remington, Cedar Springs; Betsy Beckett and Michelle McMann, both of Grand Rapids.

Arla Hover Wed

Glendon and Janet Bovee of Lowell, announce the marriage of their daughter, Arla Hover to Robert L. Bartholomew, son of Robert and Margaret Bartholomew, of Escobedo, California. The candlelight ceremony was performed by Rev. Dean Bailey in the First United Methodist Church, Lowell, at 7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 27. A reception was held at the Hidden Hills Party House, Grandville, after the ceremony.

Society Notes... Kim McKay Wed Saturday

An exciting evening is in store for visitors when they attend the annual "Open House" at the Grand Rapids Public Museum from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday, October 7. Among the many attractions are movies, slides, behind the scenes tour, Gaslight Village shows open, music, planetarium shows, a garden show, and free popcorn and cider. The opening of the Gaslight Village Shops is eagerly awaited every year. That is when people are invited by courteous hosts and hostesses to enter the shops, ask questions and browse around to their heart's content. Free cider will be served in the Village. Don't forget to walk out the

Engagement Announced

Miss Deborah Helman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Helman of Ada is pleased to announce the engagement of her daughter, Deborah Jane, to William Leroy Bulson of White Cloud. Bill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bulson of White Cloud. Debbie is a 1973 graduate of Lowell High School and is employed at Butterworth Hospital. Bill attended White Cloud High School and has served in the Army. Plans are being made for a January 13 wedding.



Miss Deborah Helman

HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

By Pauline E. Spray

The Lord thy God accept thee (II Samuel 24:23). "We don't like you!" Many a child has burst into tears when his playmates shouted these cruel words at him. Acceptance by others is of great importance to us humans. Teen-agers are especially eager to be approved by their crowd. If it means wearing the latest fads in clothing, fantastic hair styles, and acquiring objectionable habits, they will conform in order to be received by the group they run with. People go to many extremes trying to obtain the approval and admiration of others. Many consider it a necessity to own the latest models. Others go beyond their means to keep up with the Joneses, hoping this will do the trick. Some live under false pretenses, claiming



Mrs. Donald Degner

to be something they are not, to make a favorable impression. To be accepted by God is of the greatest importance. To meet His approval, one must do His will completely. He is not pleased with half-hearted devotion. A life unreservedly surrendered to Him will receive His approbation; it will bring peace and serenity to the accepted. Prayer: O Lord, help me to live so I am acceptable to Thee—always. I consecrate my life to Thy service. I surrender my will; it is Thine. I trust Thee for Thy approval. Amen. Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord. By the pow'r of grace divine; Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope, And my will be lost in Thine. Fanny J. Crosby

Big Rapids, Don's brother Ray, Donald B. Degner, both of Lansing, were married Saturday, September 30, in a late afternoon ceremony at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell. Rev. Dean Bailey officiated. Miss McKay is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Orval McKay of Lowell and her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Degner, Shell Lake, Wis. Matron of Honor for her sister was Mrs. Jo (Car) Monroe. Following their honeymoon they will reside at 4311 N. Grand River, Lansing. Miss McKay is employed at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, in Neonatal ICU and Donald is employed at General Aviation, Lansing Airport. All Michigan citizens over 18 are eligible to register, providing they have resided 30 days or more in the city or township where they live.

WOTM Hold Chapter Night

Women of the Moose held their Chapter Night Monday, Oct. 2, Lucille Green, Mooseheart Chairman, gave an interesting talk and answered questions about banking. The Chapter wants to thank the co-workers who furnished gifts for their booth at the Fallburg Fall Festival. Don't forget that business night of the WOTM will be held Monday, Oct. 16 at 8 p.m.

Cowboy Ken At Grace Brethren

The Lake Odessa Grace Brethren Church presents a Boys & Girls Round-up starting Sunday morning, October 8th at 10 and 11 and continuing through Thursday, every evening at 7:30 for the week of October 8-12. Special guests, Cowboy Ken and Aunt Marge Schmidt from Onaway will present a program of Magic and Music with a message. The Schmidt's will supply the musical part of the program with their guitar and bells. Aunt Marge is a graduate of the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago. Cowboy Ken had his training at the Grand Rapids School of Bible and Music in Grand Rapids. Both are children's specialists in the field of evangelism. All boys and girls of every age are invited to attend with their parents. The church is located on Vedder Road, 1/2 mile east of Nash Road, one mile south of M-50. Bill Stevens is pastor.



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Matt Westgate welcomed the new bride, Nathan Scott, born Sept. 29 at Biogdgett Hospital, weighing in at 7 lbs., 11 oz. The boy's parents are Tim and Cindy Westgate of Lowell. They own the Waco Good Neighbor Store here.

Downtown YWCA Open House

The YWCA downtown is having an Open House on Wednesday, October 18 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. The community is invited to see what the YWCA is all about. The YWCA is located at 25 Sheldon Avenue S.E. There will be demonstrations, displays, craft participation, free pool dips and refreshments. Classes and work groups will be in session throughout the day and evening.

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CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL 1151 West Main Street — 897-8841 REV. RICHARD VANDEKIEFT Worship Service 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. Sunday School 11:15 a.m. Supervised Nursery During All Services	CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF LOWELL 201 North Washington Street REV. WILLIAM F. HURT Church School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Mid-Week Service 7:00 p.m. Jr. Teen, Adults 7:00 p.m. Nursery—Come & Worship With Us	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 2275 West Main Street Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Jr. High Youth Group 5:45 p.m. Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Sr. High Youth Group 8:15 p.m. Wednesday Family Hour 7:30 p.m. DR. DARRELL WILSON — 897-5300	FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (Member United Church of Christ) North Hudson at Spring St., Lowell 897-9309 DR. RICHARD GREENWOOD Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Church School 10:00 a.m. (Cribbery & Nursery Provided)
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 621 E. Main Street — 897-7514 DEAN I. BAILEY, MINISTER "Out of the Garden" Genesis 3: 1-13 Child Care During All Services	GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 2287 Segway, S.E. Lowell, Michigan Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. MARK BUCKERT, PASTOR Ron Moynihan, Elder 897-9551	LOWELL ASSEMBLY OF GOD 3050 Alden Nash, S.E. (2 miles south of Lowell) Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Family Night 7:00 p.m. REV. ROGER E. KUBILIS, PASTOR Phone 897-7047 Come Join Us In Worshiping In Spirit And In Truth	VERGENNES UNITED METHODIST Corner Pennell & Bailey Drive Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour 11:15 a.m. Church School 11:00 a.m. LEE RIN STRAIT, PASTOR "Little White Church On The Corner"
REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS 6147 — 68th St., S.E., Alto, Mich. (Near Whitneyville Rd.) 888-8808 ELDER IVAN STARK, PASTOR Church School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Fellowship 7:30 p.m. Communion—First Sunday 11:00 a.m.	SNOW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 3189 Sn. route, S.E. (between 28th & 31st Streets, East) REV. ALLEN WITTRUP 942-6765 Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Church School 11:05 a.m. "Serving Ada, Cascade Areas"	TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCA) 2700 East Fulton Road Worship Service 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Church School 9:30 a.m. PASTOR RAYMOND A. HEINE Asst. Pastor CHRISTOPHER D. ANDERSON Nursery Provided	VERGENNES UNITED METHODIST Corner Pennell & Bailey Drive Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour 11:15 a.m. Church School 11:00 a.m. LEE RIN STRAIT, PASTOR "Little White Church On The Corner"

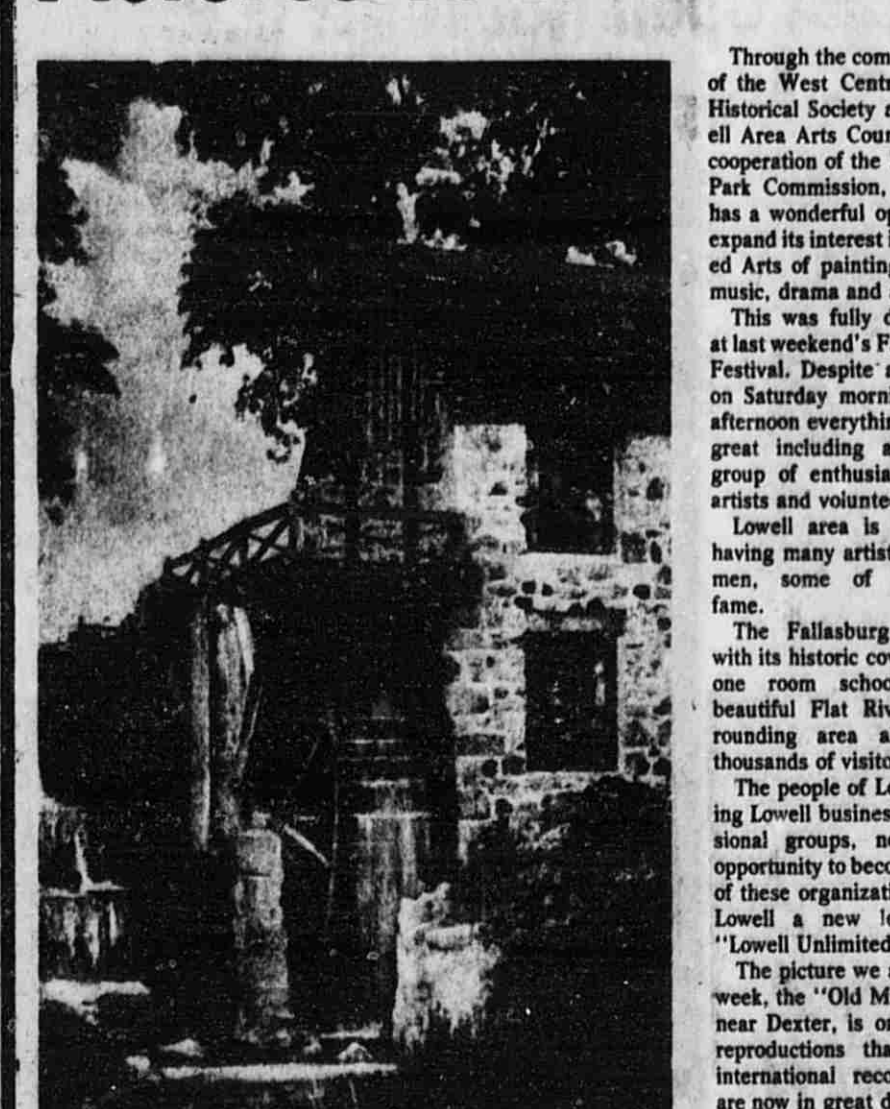
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NEW Grant Aids 50

Fifty low-income, educationally disadvantaged high school students from Kent and Muskegon counties will be the initial beneficiaries of a \$97,092 Upward Bound grant to Grand Valley State College, according to Bert Price, Assistant to the President of Grand Valley. The H.E.W. grant "will enable us to establish Grand Valley's first Upward Bound program—a much-needed boost toward college for young people who otherwise would be unlikely to continue their education after high school," Price said.

The Grand Valley program will include a six-week summer residential program on the Grand Valley campus in addition to academic year activities. Fifty low-income, educationally disadvantaged high school students from Kent and Muskegon counties will be the initial beneficiaries of a \$97,092 Upward Bound grant to Grand Valley State College, according to Bert Price, Assistant to the President of Grand Valley. The H.E.W. grant "will enable us to establish Grand Valley's first Upward Bound program—a much-needed boost toward college for young people who otherwise would be unlikely to continue their education after high school," Price said.

Lupus: Rare Disease Isn't So Rare

Lowell Jayettes join the Michigan J.C. Auxiliary in promoting awareness and education of a disease which affects as many as one million Americans each year. This difficult-to-diagnose disease is dubbed "the great impersonator" and approximately 5,000 will die this year. Systemic Lupus Erythematosus, commonly called "Lupus" can affect virtually any tissue or organ in the body at any time and can range from fatigue and low grade fever (most common symptoms), mild headaches and a simple rash to anemia, arthritis, heart problems or kidney failure—or any combination of these. It is characteristic of SLE to periodically flare up, then disappear sometimes for years. The result is that many Lupus victims find themselves misdiagnosed and misunderstood and the symptoms misdiagnosed for many years before the disease is identified. Lupus is now known to be far more common than ever before imagined; the incidence of Lupus is 1 person out of every 2,000—which would make SLE more common than muscular dystrophy, multiple sclerosis, rheumatic fever, cystic fibrosis, leukemia and other "popular" diseases. Systemic Lupus can strike both men and women, but for the most part its victims are women; one woman out of 700 appears to suffer the disease and it is most common (and usually first diagnosed) in women of child bearing age—between 15 and 40. The sad thing about this disease is that although it afflicts so many, it is virtually unknown to the public and is still in the learning phases within the medical profession. The Michigan Lupus Foundation, a grass roots organization, was founded in 1974 by a small group of people who have Lupus for the purpose of understanding and educating others concerning the disease, to provide moral support and encourage medical research. With early diagnosis and proper modern medical care, a Lupus victim can now have hope for a somewhat normal life for many years. Early diagnosis is the real key, however, and the awareness program is an important tool in diagnosis. Contact the Michigan Lupus Foundation, 22201 Mack Avenue, St. Clair Shores, Mich. 48066, phone 313-775-8310 for more information on Lupus—the rare disease that is not rare.

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BLANDFORD CENTER PRESENTS "BACK TO THE EARTH DAY" Back to the Earth Day will be celebrated at Blandford Nature Center of the Grand Rapids Public Museum from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, October 8. A variety of demonstrations such as meat smoking, wine making, bread baking, sausage and sauerkraut making will be shown. Other demonstrations on the agenda are canning, preserving, pickling, grain grinding and the making of dried apple dolls, rug hooking, and beeping. Camping skills featuring outdoor cooking will appeal to many. The farm and barn buildings will be open. There will be a number of tools that visitors will see being used after which they can try to manipulate them in good place to learn how to milk a goat or clean fowl. All offices of the State Savings Bank of Lowell will be closed on Monday, October 9 in observance of Columbus Day

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POTPOURRI

Glenn Bailey, son of Rev. and Mrs. Dean I. Bailey, 613 East Main St., and John Hosley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hosley, 607 North Washington, are among more than 400 students who have been admitted to the freshman class of 1982 at Kalamazoo College.

Pvt. First Class Michael G. Koster, son of Mrs. Marjorie and Frederick Koster, Sr., of 3028 Timponia, Lowell, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at the Marine Corps Base, Twenty-nine Palms, California. He joined the Marine Corps in December 1976.

OPEN LETTER

Dear Friends,
To the bereaved, avoid saying, "You'll get over it soon; you will stop hurting." If they truly loved the deceased, they may never "get over it"—they may never "stop hurting." But with God's grace and strength, they can adjust to their loss and go on living as their loved one would want them to.

Respectfully,
David C. Roth

ROTH-GERST FUNERAL HOME
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Changes Made At Alto Library

Alto Library is making some changes this fall. The most important change has been in the hours the library is open. We are no longer open on Friday afternoons, but are instead open on Thursday from noon until 5 in the afternoon.

Librarian Vivian Mulder hopes that these new hours will make the library a more convenient place to visit. The library is now open on Tuesday from 1 p.m. until 8 in the evening, Thursday from noon until 5, and on Saturday from 9 a.m. until noon.

8th Graders Compete In Essay Contest

Thousands of Michigan eighth grade students will explore their personal views of America and compete for \$2,000 in awards in the tenth annual America & Me essay contest, sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance Group (FBIG).

The contest, open to any Michigan eighth grader, will be held October 16 to November 10 in schools throughout the state. Prizes on the local level will include award certificates for school winners and engraved plaques for each participating school, while the top ten statewide winners will receive savings bonds ranging in value from \$500 to \$1,000.

ROTARY NOTES

On September 27 Lowell Rotarians and their guests enjoyed a social hour and dinner meeting in the Community Room of the Myers Lake Bank of the State Savings Bank.

Rev. Dean Bailey gave the invocation, during which a period of silence was observed in memory of John Roth. Mr. Roth was the senior member of the club and remained active in club affairs until his death on September 25.

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Kent
JUVENILE DIVISION

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held in the juvenile court in the matter of, on the date and time and on petition by position shown below. All parties to said children are requested to appear at the hearing date is ordered, under the provisions of the "Juvenile Code."

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PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

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Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Martha J. Simmons, 1227 Alleton, S.E., Grand Rapids, Mich. 49506, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49506, proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court on or before December 18, 1978. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.
Dated: September 19, 1978
Attorney for Petitioner:
Timothy J. Conroy,
460 Union Bank Bldg.

REGISTRATION NOTICE

Vergennes Township
The Last Day To Register For The November 7 General Election Will Be Tuesday, October 10, 1978

I will receive registrations at my home by appointment on Saturday, October 7 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
On Tuesday, October 10 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Call 897-8365 for an appointment.
Irene Osborne, Clerk
Vergennes Township

REGISTRATION NOTICE

City Of Lowell
NOTICE

The Lowell City Council has created a Cemetery Board to be comprised of three (3) residents of the City of Lowell for the purpose of reviewing cemetery rates and regulations regarding the operation of Oakwood Cemetery.

REGISTRATION NOTICE

Grattan Township
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On Tuesday, October 10, I will be at my home between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Other registrations will be taken by appointment at my home. Call 891-8834.
Patrick Malone, Clerk
Grattan Township

REGISTRATION NOTICE

City Of Lowell
NOTICE

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 25th day of August, 1978.

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LEGAL NOTICES...

Complaint filed in this cause.
STUART HOFFIUS, Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered: JAMES L. DYKEMA, Deputy Clerk.
9/28/10/11

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
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REGISTRATION NOTICE

City Of Lowell
NOTICE

The Lowell City Council has created a Cemetery Board to be comprised of three (3) residents of the City of Lowell for the purpose of reviewing cemetery rates and regulations regarding the operation of Oakwood Cemetery.

Interested persons should contact the City Manager at 301 E. Main Street or call 897-8467.
Ray E. Quada, City Manager/Clerk

REGISTRATION NOTICE

Grattan Township
The Last Day To Register For The November 7 General Election Will Be Tuesday, October 10, 1978

I will receive registrations at my home, 5110 Garvin Lake Road, N.E., on Saturday, October 7 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
On Tuesday, October 10, I will be at my home between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Other registrations will be taken by appointment at my home. Call 891-8834.
Patrick Malone, Clerk
Grattan Township

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City Of Lowell
NOTICE

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 25th day of August, 1978.

PRESENT: The Honorable George R. Cook, Circuit Court Judge.

On this 8th day of May, 1978, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 1513 College, N.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 5th day of December, 1978.

FAILURE to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this cause.

GEORGE R. COOK, Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered: ELIZABETH SCHLOSSER, Deputy Clerk.
ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, ELIZABETH SCHLOSSER, Deputy Clerk.
10/4/10/25

FAMILY LAW CENTER
1201 McKay Tower,
Grand Rapids, Mich. 49503
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER
STATE OF MICHIGAN
CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT
File No. 78-3578-DM
WICKY LEE CARTER
SSN 377-72-6989

Plaintiff,
VS.
GERALD THOMAS CARTER
SSN

Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 17th day of August, 1978.

PRESENT: The Honorable Stuart Hoffius, Circuit Court Judge.

On this 17th day of August, 1978, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 1024 1/2 Crosby, N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 17th day of November 1978.

FAILURE to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this cause.

STUART HOFFIUS, Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered: SALLY MODDERMAN, Deputy Clerk.
ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, SALLY MODDERMAN, Deputy Clerk.
9/29/10/11

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1201 McKay Tower,
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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER
STATE OF MICHIGAN
CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT
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SANDRA KAY GODECKE
SSN 382-54-8414

Plaintiff,
VS.
HAROLD GEORGE GODECKE, JR.
SSN

Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 7th day of September, 1978.

PRESENT: The Honorable Stuart Hoffius, Circuit Court Judge.

On this 7th day of September, 1978, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 2201 West Fourth Street, Sedalia, Missouri, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 7th day of December, 1978.

FAILURE to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this cause.

STUART HOFFIUS, Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered: JAMES L. DYKEMA, Deputy Clerk.
ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, JAMES L. DYKEMA, Deputy Clerk.
9/28/10/11

FAMILY LAW CENTER
1201 McKay Tower,
Grand Rapids, Mich. 49503
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER
STATE OF MICHIGAN
CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT
File No. 78-3581-DM
BARBARA LOUISE OGG
SSN 374-54-0487

Plaintiff,
VS.
MELVIN MONROE OGG
SSN 255-72-2291

Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 21st day of August, 1978.

PRESENT: The Honorable John T. Letts, Circuit Court Judge.

On this 21st day of August, 1978, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 1000 Mason, Grand Rapids, Michigan, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 21st day of November, 1978.

FAILURE to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this cause.

STUART HOFFIUS, Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered: EALY M. LYONS, Deputy Clerk.
ATTEST: A TRUE COPY, EALY M. LYONS, Deputy Clerk.
9/20/10/11

FAMILY LAW CENTER
1201 McKay Tower,
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT
JOHNNY L. HUGHES, JR.
Plaintiff,
VS.
DOROTHY JEAN HUGHES
Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 25th

Voters Better Bone Up On Issues

November Ballot Is Long

With recent certification of three more initiative ballot proposals and the Legislature's adoption of two additional questions, it has become even more imperative that voters prepare themselves before entering the voting booth on November 7.

Besides statewide elections, legislative and local issues, voters will be asked to decide no fewer than 11 proposals, nine of which amend the state constitution.

The proposals will widely vary, but the questions which will undoubtedly draw the most attention are the tax questions—Headlee tax limitation and Tisch property tax cut.

A complete rundown of all the ballot proposals is as follows:

Proposal A: Whether a new constitutional convention should be called. As a result of the ratification of the current state constitution, in 1962, voters are automatically asked every 16 years whether a new convention should be called to completely rewrite the document. Recent estimates indicate a convention could cost taxpayers as much as \$10 million.

Proposal B: An initiated act by Oakland County Prosecutor L. Brooks Patterson, this proposal requires that persons convicted of crimes serve a minimum sentence before they are eligible for bail or parole. This would not amend the constitution but initiate and enact a new statute attempting to guarantee persons convicted of a crime will serve a prison sentence and not be able to plea bargain and avoid any formal punishment.

Proposal C: A proposal to allow the state to make deposits in banks, savings and loans, and credit unions. The amendment would increase options of the disposal of officials responsible for investment of public funds and allow officials to seek out competitive or advantageous rates of interest, regardless of the type of institution.

Proposal D: To return the legal drinking age to 21. The Legislature has already enacted law to change the age from 18 to 19, but the so-called Coalition for 21 said that law does not go far enough and now, following circulation of petitions, voters will have the final say.

Proposal E: One of the hot tax-oriented issues. The Headlee tax limitation amendment would limit increases in state spending to actual increases in personal income. Voters will have to pay particular attention to this proposal as it will be hotly debated over the next few weeks. Proponents argue the proposal will finally place a check on frivolous spending by government while opponents say it would actually provide no tax relief, freeze into place the unfair property tax system and limit flexibility of government to respond to demonstrated but anticipated needs.

Proposal F: Giving state police troopers collective bargaining rights.

Proposal G: The so-called Voucher Plan, this proposal would remove school financing from local property tax efforts. It would raise school revenues through other taxes and issue vouchers to all parents which could be redeemed at the school of the parents' choice—either public or private.

Proposal H: The Tisch property tax cut proposal slicing tax assessments in half. This will be another hotly debated issue as taxpayers will get a shot at protesting increasing property taxes, but opponents will argue it will be an unfair tax shift to the income tax and the main

benefactor will be business and industrial properties.

Proposal I: Another get tough on crime issues, voters will be asked to remove the right of bail for repeat offenders of serious crimes in an effort to get the repeat offender off the streets.

Proposal M: Part of the overall transportation package, this proposal officially changes

the name of the state department to the Department of Transportation and creates distribution formula for road and transportation funds.

Proposal N: Provides for the creation of a railroad redevelopment authority and the issuance of up to \$175 million in revenue bonds to rebuild the railroads in the state.

Proposal O: Part of the overall transportation package, this proposal officially changes

Cedar Springs Red Flannel Days

Everything is set for the second of three Red Flannel Festival weekends, with this Saturday offering the largest selection of events.

The annual band festival at Skinner field will start at 9:45 a.m. About the same time, an

Arts and Crafts Fair and a stage show will begin on the lawn of the Intermediate School. A horsepulling contest will also be in swing near the site of the city's former water tower. The second annual tractor pull, a day-long event, will begin at 11

Bergy Bros. Receive Award

On October 2, 1978 Robert J. Coll, Safety Consultant from Michigan Mutual Insurance Co. presented Bergy Bros. Inc., 11550 Depot S.E., Aito, Mich., with a safety award to Larry O'Mar, manager and to all the employees for recognition in maintaining a safe work area, and in performing their daily work in a safe manner, which resulted in No Time Lost Accidents.



Left to right—Paul Karrar, Corwin Tischer, Robert O'Mar, Chris Zaagler, Margaret Stauffer, Lyle Stauffer, Steven Karrar, and Larry O'Mar.

Rep. Sawyer To Answer Questions

The Lowell Women's Club will meet Wednesday, Oct. 11 at 1 p.m. in the lounge of Schneider Manor at 728 Bowes Road.

Club president and program chairman Mr. E.E. Randall has arranged for Congressman Sawyer to answer questions from the club members via a special phone hook-up. Congress was to have adjourned September 28 but is being held over until October 15, making it impossible for the Congressman to be with us in person. We need written questions for discussion because time will be limited.

This will be a different type of program than we have ever had and should be most interesting and informative since we go to the polls to vote November 7 on several proposals and offices. We will welcome the presence of guests and future members to this meeting.

Mrs. Harry Richmond, past president of our Club and chairman of our department on Michigan history, will give a mini-report on "Inflation." We will also have discussion on legislation functions in the hope of making us more effective Americans.

Our Club will also hear reports on "Saving the Free Enterprise System", which is sponsored by Cities Service and Proctor & Gamble and is currently a key activity of the Federation of Women's Clubs.

The afternoon's program will be completed with tea served by the hostess, Mrs. Ellis, and her tea committee of Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Weeks, Mrs. Avery, Mrs. Swanson and Mrs. Gray.

looking back...
a few notes from Ledgers of 10, 20, 30, 40, and 50 years ago...

ten years ago
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Tole of Lowell was burglarized over the weekend and fifty dollars was reported stolen.
A front-page feature told of a truck driver who wound up in Lowell to deliver caskets only to find out that he was in the wrong Lowell and should have been in Lowell, Indiana, some 230 miles away.
Lowell varsity gridders go down to Sparta in a tightly fought 19-12 game.
A Ledger column, "With-Out Servicemen", listed several areas men as serving in Vietnam.
Lowell and other area voters are reminded to register as the deadline nears for those wishing to vote in the Up-coming fall election.

twenty years ago
The Lowell Showboat announced a \$2,021.19 loss for the 1958 production. This is the first time ever that the Lowell Showboat marked a loss. Total receipts of \$30,566.15 compared with expenses totaling \$32,587.33.
A new, \$50,000 plus dry cleaning operation is opened at the corner of Hudson and Math in Lowell. The new plant is owned and operated by Richard Curtis who also owns plants in Battle Creek, Muskegon and one under construction in Florida.
The Ada Post Office moves into its new quarters after operating out of the Ada Masonic Temple for over forty years.
Molly Wepman announces a grand opening at her new Main St. store that was built following the loss of her old building to a fire earlier in the year.

thirty years ago
The Lowell Board of Trade voted by a large margin to donate \$1,000 to the Lowell American Legion Post earmarked for use in the Community Memorial Building.
Lowell gridders battled to a 19-0 loss with Greenville.
A half-page ad appeared in the Ledger urging potential bowling leagues to sign up at the new bowling lanes scheduled to open on October 15.
A drive to collect usable shoes across the state is reported as being successful. All three stores in Lowell that sell shoes were cooperating with the drive: Wepman's, Coons', and Hill's.

forty years ago
Lowell High gridders run over Ionia 27-7 at Ionia in a game that was also the dedication for Ionia's new field.
Columns planned for the east and west boundaries of Lowell were approved by the State Highway Commission. The columns, to be called the "Gateway to Lowell", are a project of the Lowell Garden Lore Club, the columns are to be constructed of native stone.
A guest speaker at the Lowell Rotary Club's regular meeting proclaims that better times are ahead, the year is 1938 and the entire country is mired in a deep depression.
A feature of international interest pictured British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain boarding a plane for Germany where he will meet with Adolph Hitler for the second time.

fifty years ago
More burglaries are reported in Lowell as the home of Mrs. L. B. Ayres is hit for \$22. A \$200.00 reward is offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the burglar or burglars.
The 1928 model Chevrolets are now available to the public and model prices begin at \$375 for a light delivery truck.
A man is arrested at Lowell's Hotel Waverly for allegedly stealing \$38 from another man's room. It is not known if the arrest is in any way connected with the recent rash of burglaries around the Lowell area.
An advertisement offering suits or overcoats made to measure for \$25 was placed by the Lowell Cleaning & Dyeing Works.

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RE-FLOAT SHOWBOAT
by "Bucky"
What's in a name? The name of Lowell is more than 1,000 years old, so this town has tradition and background. Heraldic authorities gave 40 coats of arms to royal and noble Lowell families, beginning with the Christian era. It is interesting to seek the origin of the name and trace its development because it means something in temperament and achievement.
Royal families of England, Germany and France were born under the name of Lowell. The name was not in the same form of spelling but the present form is a development of the original genesis. The name Lowell in Greek and Latin means wolf and comes from the Latin Lupus (wolf) and Lupellus (little wolf). It changed to Lou, Lovel, then Lowell. "But we cannot live on traditions of yesterday except that we may carry on those things that have impressed the past."—Lowell Ledger, Aug. 13, 1931.
The United States is not the largest country in the western hemisphere. It's Canada, with a total area of 3,851,809 square miles.
October 6: Cindy Blough, Kenneth Roth, Everette LaChappelle, Bryan Johnson, John Kehoe.
October 7: Sheila Smith, Bill Ferguson, Fred Ray.
October 8: Edna Haddan, Christopher Borton, Peg Gerhart.
October 9: Betty Coons, Jamie Cook, Mark Asplund, Diana Keim.
October 11: Lucille Johnson, Jerry Thaler, Dorothy Vanderveen.
October 12: Dr. Harold Myers, Kenneth Pratt, Dan Phillips, Thelma Rittenger, Tim Gochenour, John Sterick, Ella Thompson, Robert Vanderval.
For the word "Showboat", there are two derivations. One is the Flo Ziegfeld stage production taken from Edna Ferber's novel "Showboat". The lyrics of this Broadway production were written by Oscar Hammerstein II. Music by Jerome Kern featured such songs as "Oh Make Believe", "Oh Man River", "Why Do I Love You", and "Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man 'O Mine". This offered high class entertainment.
Secondly, there was the Old Mississippi riverboat that plied the muddy river making frequent stops to present an hilarious minstrel-medicine show type of entertainment.
Add all this memorabilia together and it comes out Lowell Showboat.
Watch for our car display and raffle ticket sales at the Adgate Super Market in Saranac in the near future.
Hope to make an up-date on the Re-Float the Lowell Showboat fund drive soon.
Two musical groups have volunteered their services to help Re-Float the Boat. The Glass Freeway, from the Lansing area, and the New Knapp Family. This information has been turned over to Dr. Vredenburg, chairman of the Special event committee.
See you next week. In the meantime—HELP RE-FLOAT THE LOWELL SHOWBOAT!

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