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Free Program For Shoppers Kids Saturday

This Saturday, Dec. 9, the Lowell Area Jaycees and the merchants of Lowell will hold their annual Christmas Is For Kids program. The program will be run twice at the high school, from 10 a.m. until noon and from 1 to 3 p.m. Each two hour show will give the parents a chance to do some Christmas shopping in Lowell without having the kids along side.

There will be adult supervision for school children from age four up. Smaller children should be accompanied by an adult. Treats are in store for the younger set with plenty of cartoons and some surprises.

If you would like to cash in on this free babysitting for your shopping excursion, you can get free tickets from the following Lowell area merchants:

Keisers, Lipperts, That SPECIAL Place, Carys, Ben Franklin, Crystal Flash, ERB Lumber, Showboat Automotive, Zeigler Ford, Wesco, State Savings Bank, Clark Plumbing and Heating, City Hall, Western Auto, Hahn Hardware, Anderson's Shoes, Lowell Bakery,

Party Store, Riverside Fire-place, Art's TV, Modern Photographics, Eberhards, Wash King and the Grand Valley Ledger.

Lowell Jaycees and area merchants urge parents to save time, gas and aggravation by shopping in Lowell. Take advantage of Christmas Is For Kids and shop your hometown first.

Kent CAP Funded

Gov. William G. Milliken announced Friday that contracts totaling \$1.6 million have been awarded to 30 community action agencies to assist disadvantaged persons in Michigan.

The funds are administered by the Michigan Department of Labor's Bureau of Community Services which contracts with community action agencies to provide services.

Milliken said the program includes an additional \$548,000 in money, office space and volunteer time—all provided locally. Kent CAP will receive \$82,753 and Eight CAP (serving Ionia, Isabella, Gratiot and Montcalm) will receive \$54,136.

"This program permits innovative use of federal funds, combined with local talent and resources, to help meet basic needs of persons who otherwise would have to do without," Milliken said.

Seniors, Tape Your Roots

With the help of Sandra Litton's Girls Scout troop of Ada, Lowell Senior Neighbors Center is offering older persons an opportunity to present a unique gift to their families this Christmas. Recognizing the current interest in "roots", it is suggested that tapes be made that will record memories and early family history. The format can be either that of an interview or of a letter to younger family members.

Anyone interested in making such a tape should telephone the Center, 897-5250 for an appointment.

To help people pay their heating bills this winter, the Michigan legislature has set up a \$38 million program which will assist persons whose income falls within certain guidelines. The application is a part of the property tax credit form. If such a form has not been received by mail it will be available at the Lowell Senior Neighbors Center.

Elderly people are eligible for extra help, and qualify if they live in an apartment, a mobile home, foster care home, nursing or retirement home as well as their own homes. A person may apply as a senior citizen if he or she is over 65, or if he or she is the unmarried surviving spouse of a person who was 65 when death occurred.

Further information may be obtained by calling Mike Cavera at the Center, 897-5250.

The following volunteers will be at the Center on the mornings of Dec. 12, 14, 19 and 21 to help with filling out necessary forms: Ival Paulsen, Orion Thaler, and George Balli. Appointments can be arranged at other times if stated hours are inconvenient.

SANTA SAYS...

A subscription to the Grand Valley Ledger makes a perfect Christmas gift! Call 897-9261. Kent and Ionia Counties, \$5; All others \$6.50.

City, Townships Share Cost Of Fire Truck

In what appears to be a new era in city/township relations regarding area fire protection, the Lowell City Council authorized the expenditure of \$18,655.24 as the city's share of a new fire truck. This decision took place at the meeting of the Lowell City Council on December 4, 1978.

The shared cost is a direct result of the formation of a fire board comprised of Lowell Township, Vergennes Township and the City of Lowell with each government body sharing in equipment costs based on their individual State Equalized Valuations. The new fire truck is to be a tanker with a 1,500 gallon capacity and will cost \$43,894.68.

Each member's share is as follows: City of Lowell \$18,655.24 or 42.5%, Lowell Township \$13,080.61 or 29.8%, and Vergennes Township \$12,158.83 or 27.7%. The vote of the council with all members present, was unanimous.

After much discussion with Councilmen Robert Christiansen and David Carter speaking out against Act 198 tax breaks for industry, tax relief for a six-year period was granted to Michigan Wire Processing Co. The Act allows for a city to grant new or expanding industries a fifty percent reduction in the property taxes on building or machinery that will provide new jobs and generally benefit the community. The Act may be provided for any period up to twelve years. All previous requests for 198 tax relief in Lowell have been granted for the full twelve years.

Michigan Wire Processing will join C. J. Christoff and Sons, Inc., Attwood Corp., and King Milling Co. as those benefiting from 198 tax relief here in Lowell. Metric Systems, Inc., a new firm located on Foreman St., is also in the process of requesting 198 tax relief on their building and

equipment. The resolution to grant six years of 198 tax relief to Michigan Wire Processing, Inc. passed by a three to two vote of the council with Christiansen and Carter voting no.

For over two years, Councilmen Robert Christiansen and

Art Warning, have been requesting a drinking fountain be installed in city hall. The matter has grown into something of a joke. When Leo Pfaller left the council for example, he gave Christiansen a small bottle in which to bring his own water to

the council meetings. With a few dramatics and fanfare, City Manager Ray Quada unveiled a new water cooler recently installed in the council chambers. Of course, Christiansen and Warning were given the first cups of water from it.

VFW Presents Check To Deputy



In an effort to show their appreciation for risking his life in their behalf, the Lowell VFW Post 6388 hosted a pancake dinner with all proceeds going to Pat McCullough. McCullough is a Kent County Sheriff's Deputy who was wounded in a shooting incident in Lowell. More than 400 persons attended the pancake dinner that was held on Sunday, November 26.

On Wednesday, November 29, a check in the amount of \$1,000 was turned over to Deputy McCullough. Post Commander Duane Hendrick says that the event was a huge success and that he would like to thank everyone involved, especially the Ladies Auxiliary of Post 8303, Military Order of Cootles Pupents 14 and 76 and members of the community who were directly involved.

Many of those who helped with the project were on hand for the presentation of the check. They are, left to right, back row: Wes Adrianse, Olen Miller, Sr., Virginia Will, Patricia McCullough, Fred Phelps, front row: Lucille Erickson, Zelpha Ketchum, Lena Phelps, Marilyn Hendrick, John Erickson, Chuck Melle. Shaking hands are Duane Hendrick and Pat McCullough.

Santa Arrives In Lowell



Santa arrived on schedule Saturday in Lowell's annual Christmas parade. Two bands, cheerleaders and pom pom girls, student council and several merchants placed units in the parade. Clowns made sure the children lining the route went home with candy-stuffed pockets. Winnie-the-Pooh, Tigger and Bugs Bunny brought smiles to parents and children alike. Snow arrived right on time so that Santa could land his sleigh just outside of town but road crews had already cleared Main Street so Gil Wiese hitched a wagon on his tractor, and towed Santa and sleigh in the parade.

Emelander Is Still Critical

A Saranac man remained in critical condition Tuesday after his car rolled over near the intersection of Hawley and Potter roads at 5 a.m. Friday.

According to Deputy Chuck Shaylor of the Ionia Co. Sheriff Department, Charles Emelander, 22, of Higgins Rd., Saranac, was northbound on Hawley at an apparently high rate of speed when he lost control of his car.

The vehicle then traveled up an embankment and rolled over several times. The force of the rolling flattened the car roof to the body of the car.

Emelander was apparently thrown from the car or crawled

away. We found him lying in the middle of Potters road, a short distance from the car. It appeared the car may have passed over him while rolling," Shaylor said.

Emelander was transferred from Ionia Co. Memorial to Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids.



CRUISER CRUNCHED
A Lowell police cruiser sustained \$600 damage Monday, Nov. 27, when a woman lost control of her car on slippery roads and slid into it. Police Chief Barry Emmons had parked the cruiser, lights flashing, on the shoulder of Lincoln Lake near Bailey as he investigated an accident there for the Kent Co. Sheriff's Department shortly after 8 a.m.

CLOSED
The Strand Theatre will be closed until January for the holiday season. Owner Bob DeNolf sends season's greetings to the community.

MAGIC
James Royale's Magic Show will be presented at the Lowell High School Auditorium in two performances Monday, Dec. 11 at 5 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. The two hour illusion show is donating its services to benefit The Re-Float the Showboat Campaign. Advance tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children under 12, and may be purchased at Lipperts, Anderson's and That SPECIAL Place. They will also be sold at the elementary schools and the Middle school on Thursday, Friday and Monday.

INJURED
Josie Cavanaugh was injured in an accident in the Attwood parking lot Tuesday, Nov. 28, when she slid on ice and struck a vehicle driven by Raymond Young of Grand Rapids.

SANTA'S HELPER
As the Santa Claus Girls continue their annual good works, the Ledger was reminded of the first of Lowell's Santa helpers, Mrs. Hulda Fineis, Mrs. Burdick and Mrs. Weldon spent the Christmas season of 1930 making sure the area's needy were fed and clothed.

CHIEF AIDS STORK
Police Chief Barry Emmons knew it would happen some day. He's had several "close calls," but Monday, Dec. 4, he made an emergency delivery of a baby boy at 10 a.m. with the help of Mark Armstrong of Bud's Ambulance and Deputy Joe Lilley, a paramedic with the Kent Co. E-Unit. It was a first delivery for all concerned. Emmons says he's glad he's a policeman and not a doctor, but that "it was great to tell the mother her baby boy was OK."

SENIOR TAXES
Following the monthly men's breakfast to be held at the Lowell Senior Neighbors Center on Dec. 12 at 8:30 a.m., Ival Paulsen will review the process of application for property tax credits and home heating assistance. A holiday movie will also be shown. Reservations can be made by calling 897-5250.

QUIZ BOWL SEMI-FINALS
Last week, defending High School Quiz Bowl Champion Grand Rapids West Catholic defeated Zeeland 390-80 to move into the Class B semi-final contest on December 21, where they will face Lowell.

SLIPPERY
Wet snowfall and sleet glazed trees, rooftops and especially area roads Saturday night, creating a pretty scene but making many late for Sunday services. Treacherous roads hampered the Lowell Rescue Unit and Bud's Ambulance Sunday as they responded to a call. It was a good day for monopoly.

FILL IT OUT
City Manager Ray Quada has requested that City residents fill out the Recreation Questionnaire which appeared in last week's Ledger and send it to City Hall. The results of the community survey will aid the Advisory Committee in the formulation of a master plan for Parks and Recreation Facilities within the City of Lowell. Each member of the family is encouraged to submit a complete survey.

TURF TURN
Apprehended for destruction of property by Lowell police was Steven Grudzinskas of Ada when he and two other subjects tore up the grass at the fairgrounds with his car on Monday, Nov. 27.

DAMAGED PROPERTY
Lowell officers handled 19 accident reports for the month of November including three injury accidents. Lowell's Rescue Unit was summoned once.

Steven Ridgeway and Leo Handling, both of Lowell, were involved in a property damage accident Friday, Dec. 1, on Main and Amity. Apparently Ridgeway cut the corner and hit Handling's vehicle as he was making a left turn off M-21.

Charles Beltz of Belding struck a deer on Lincoln Lake near the Lowell Airport on Friday morning, doing considerable damage to his car.

Involved in a property damage accident on Thursday, Nov. 30, was James Pullen of Ada when he was struck by a vehicle driven by George Noteware of Lowell on S. West St.

Marie Merriman was uninjured when she pulled into the path of a vehicle driven by a 16-year-old juvenile on M-21 near Monroe last Tuesday, Nov. 28.

Thomas Labine hit a car driven by a 16-year-old juvenile female at Main and Pleasant as she was attempting to make a left turn Thursday, Nov. 30.

Jerry Geiger of Belding backed into Marilyn Andrews on Main St. and Lafayette Wednesday, Nov. 29, when he overshot the intersection and attempted to back up.

SHOPLIFTER
A 16-year-old juvenile was apprehended at the Wesco station for shoplifting on Thursday, Nov. 30.

SHATTERED
Lowell police are investigating five incidents of rocks being thrown at windows late Saturday evening, Dec. 2. Over \$200 worth of damage was done to five dwellings.

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Coming Events...

WED., DEC. 6: Lowell Garden Club will meet at 12 p.m. at Schneider Manor for a "Carry In" salad and dessert luncheon. Bring own service and food donations for Christmas Baskets. Hostesses are Pauline Johnson, Mable Ball, Gladys Schroeder, Beatrice Oberg, Effie Blommer and Belle Husar. Program chairman is Stella Bradshaw.

FRI., DEC. 8: Cyclamen Chapter No. 94 O.E.S. will have a Christmas potluck supper for members and family in the Lowell Masonic Temple. Punch bowl at 6 p.m.; Supper 6:30; meeting 9 p.m. Bring your own table service and a dish to pass. There will not be a gift exchange for adults but parents may bring gifts for their own children.

SAT., DEC. 9: VFW #303 will hold a Steak Fry at their Post, 307 E. Main St., T-Bones, 85; Sizzlers, 54; Salad Bar, Organ music while dining. Jan Wellman Trio, 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. for dancing. Open to the public.

SUN., DEC. 10: The Grand Rapids Junior College Music Department will present its traditional "Songs for Christmas" concert at Fountain Street Church on December 10, 1978 at 3 p.m.

MON., DEC. 11: Diabetes — a family disease, will be the topic of the Family Life Council of Kent County luncheon meeting on December 11th, at the Elks Club, 2715 Leonard Street, NW. Lunch will be served at 12 Noon, and the program will start at 12:30 p.m. All programs conclude at 1:30 p.m.

MON., DEC. 11: The Golden Swingers next meeting will be at Schneider Manor with potluck dinner at noon. Bring own service and dish to pass. Coffee and meat will be furnished. Also bring a gift for the gift exchange.

A Christmas program will follow the dinner. All welcome.

WED., DEC. 13: Alto Garden Club will meet at Cunningham Acres at 12:45 for a potluck dinner and 51 gift exchange. Spouses are invited.

THURS., DEC. 14: VFW Auxiliary Christmas Party and meeting, 6 p.m. potluck supper, 52 gift exchange.

THURS., DEC. 14: "The Christmas Story", a special program at Midwest Bible Club at Calvary Christian Reformed Church, Lowell (near Edwards), from 4-5 p.m. For all children K-4. Featuring Wayne Llewellyn and his puppets.

FFA Awards Given

Lakewood High School was the host of the 1978 FFA Greenhand and Chapter FFA Degree initiation recently. Participating schools in the initiation were Lakewood, Portland, Ionia, Belding, Rockford and Lowell.

Lowell members receiving the Greenhand award were Mary Jo Fox, Jamie Pohl, Kirk Strzick, Scott Barnhart, Ed Fisher, Carl Fuss, Chris Wingeier, Scott VanderVeem, Scott Leasure, Barb Baird, Bonnie Baird, Jeff Newcombe, Mark Kaufman, Randy Lotterman & Paul Bierman.

Members receiving the Chapter FFA Degree were Mike Alley, Mike Bergy, David Biggs, Dawn Condon, Karl Feasal, Marilyn Flanagan, Karl Kaufman, Terry Metternich, Brian Peterson, Tim Stuart, Steve Thomet, Lynn Wilcox, John Zerbec, Connie Baird and Lloyd Flanagan.

THURS., DEC. 14: The Grand Rapids chapter of the National Secretaries Association (International) will meet at 6 p.m. in Lakos Dry Dock, 310 Pearl St., Grand Rapids. For further information contact Jean Bonleair, 942-3610 or 532-3835.

SUN., DEC. 17: Architecture, Christmas decorations and Christmas symbols in the churches will be highlights of the December 17 Bus Tour of Churches, sponsored by G.R.A.C.E., the Grand Rapids Transit Authority, and participating churches. Bus tours, beginning at 2 p.m. from the parking lots of the Mayflower Congregational Church (lower lot) and the Grace Episcopal Church and at the Fountain Street entrance of the G.R. Junior College parking ramp; will end at 4 p.m. Parking at church lots and at the ramp is free to persons taking the tour.

ANTOR — Daisy Antor, 83, Howard City, died Saturday, Nov. 25, at the extended care facility of Kelsey Memorial Hospital, Lakeview.

Mrs. Antor was born Sept. 9, 1895, in Newaygo County. She lived her entire life in the Howard City area and was a member of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church of Howard City.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Doris Salomon, Coral Mrs. Treva Sheeley, Grand Rapids, Mrs. Carolyn Salweid, Garden City; two sons, Donald, Howard City, Fred, Riverside, Calif. four half-sisters, Mrs. Charabelle Sherman, Lansing, Mrs. Viola Bouwkamp, Mrs. Bertina Speed, both of Howard City, Mrs. Minnie Jackson, Lowell; three half-brothers, Roy Matthews, Howard City, Elmer and Alvin Matthews, both of Hastings; 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Germain Funeral Home, Howard City. Interment in Reynolds Cemetery.

SHAFER — Services for Wilbur (Harold) Shafer, 65, of 115 Water Street, Middleville, who died Thursday afternoon, Nov. 23, at Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids, were held Sunday at the Beeler Funeral Home at Middleville.

Rev. Arthur Jackson officiated and burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery at Wayland.

Mr. Shafer was a meat cutter and also worked at Atwood Brass Corporation in Lowell, retiring in June, 1976.

He served in the Army in World War II and was a member of the 103rd Division and the Middleville VFW Post 7548.

Mr. Shafer married Goldie Fisher on July 10, 1964.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Charles (Fern) Harper and Mrs. Phillip (Lorena) Jacobson, both of Middleville; Mrs. John (Dolores) Host of Jackson, and Mrs. Iva Garvey of Grand Rapids; a son, Glenn A. Sutton of Middleville; 17 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Frank (Gladys) Konecny and Mrs. John (Bertha) Lynema, both of Shelbyville, and a brother, Robert Shafer of Kalamazoo.

TIMM — Mr. Teddy J. Timm, aged 77, of Whitemyrtle Rd., Alto, passed away Sunday morning, December 3, 1978, at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital. Mr. Timm was a retired mechanic of the Grand Rapids City Coach Lines.

He is survived by his wife, Etta M. Timm; three daughters, Mrs. Carl (Joyce) Lass, Janet Kilmarin and Mrs. Jacqueline Moerland all of Caledonia; also surviving are 10 grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Timm resided at the Jack R. Jankhoff Funeral Home, 616 E. Main St., Caledonia, where funeral services including the committal service will be held Wednesday afternoon at 1 p.m., with Rev. Ed A. Schomburg officiating. Cremation to follow.

FRIEDLI — Emil Friedli, aged 83, formerly of Ridge-wood Manor.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys; a daughter, Eileen of Grand Rapids; a sister, Mrs. Marie Hanselman of Detroit; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Saturday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Pastor Paul Matson of the Seventh Day Adventist Church officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

FIERS — Mr. Emil Fiers, aged 68, of 6262 Egypt Valley NE, Rockford, passed away suddenly Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 28, 1978.

Survivors include his wife, Dopsis; his children, Edwin and Charlene Fiers of Kansas City, Kansas, Robert and Mary Fiers of Grand Rapids, Charles and Sally Fiers of Melbourne, Fla.; Arlene and Milton Barry of Rockford, Betty and Paul Sanders of Newaygo, and Marie Scott of Traverse City; 18 grandchildren; a brother, Gordon Fiers of Midland; three sisters, Sylvia Pickel of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Orville (Myrtle) Coble of Saranac, and Mrs. Alice Nyland of Cedar City; two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Helen Fiers of Montague and Mrs. Blanche Fiers of Cadillac; nieces and nephews.

Services for Mr. Fiers were held Friday afternoon with the Rev. John McKay officiating. Interment Rockford Cemetery.

SNIEDER — Joe Snieder (Snider), aged 71, formerly a resident of the Lutheran Village, passed away Monday afternoon, November 27, 1978.

He is survived by five sons, Gerrit of Kenwood, George of Sault Ste. Marie, John of Wyoming, Herman of Wayland, Peter of Hudsonville; two daughters, Mrs. Theresa Carter of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Erwin (Katie) Salik of Lowell; 26 grandchildren, 40 great-grandchildren, and several great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Harm (Henrietta) Roelofs of Kentwood, and Mrs. Joan Mellem of Grand Rapids; several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Thursday afternoon with the Rev. Arthur E. Pomier officiating. Interment Winchester Cemetery.

LOUGHNER — Mrs. Elsie May Loughner, aged 75, of 11535 E. Fulton, Lowell, passed away Wednesday, November 29, 1978. Surviving are two sons, Charles Phillips of Ohio, Edward Loughner of Jenison; two daughters, Mrs. Betty Keely of Ohio, Mrs. Jo-Ann Leys of Standale; 17 grandchildren; one mother, Mrs. Ida Jones of Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Helen VanGard and Mrs. Bessie Seidler both of Ohio.

Funeral services were held Saturday with Mr. James Johnson officiating. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

VAN WORMER — Daniel VanWormer, aged 88, passed away Saturday. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lorraine Boery of Cuyahoga Lake; a son Clarence of Portland; a sister, Mrs. Norma Brown; eight grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral Mass was said Tuesday at St. Patrick's Church, Parnell with Rev. Kenneth-Schichler celebrant. Interment St. Patrick's Cemetery. Funeral arrangements by Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell.

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Airman William A. Breck son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis E. Breck of 414 N. Monroe, has been selected for technical training at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, in the Air Force aircraft maintenance field. Breck recently completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and organized the Air Force mission, studied and received special instruction in human relations. Completion of this training earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force. Airman Breck is a 1978 graduate of Lowell Senior High School.

New Buds On The Family Tree

Greg and Lynn VanDrie of Stevens Point, Wis., are parents of Melissa Lynn born Monday, Nov. 27. Proud grandparents are Harold and Lee Wittentbach of Lowell and Gertrude and Dorothy VanDrie of Greenville.

Christine and Stephen Ellison are the parents of twin boys, Isaac Andrew and Jacob Peter, born November 25 at Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital. Isaac weighed 4 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces and Jacob was 4 pounds, 6 ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. Cecil Ellison of White Cloud, and Mrs. and Mr. Alvin Bravata of Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hale are grandparents of a baby boy born Tuesday, Nov. 28 at Butterworth Hospital. John and Kim Bloem are the parents of Aaron James, who weighed 8 lbs., 6 oz.

Free Movies For Kids At Museum

Free movies for children will be presented in the Public Museum East Building at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 16. The films are "It Is For Tumbleweed" which follows the adventures of an animated tumbleweed blowing across the Southwest; "The Incredible Machine" provides a fascinating journey inside the complex and efficient human body; and "Mountain Music" shows how fictional clay figures react to natural sounds and amplified rock music.

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Tryouts Dec. 14 & 15

Area would-be thespians should note that the Lowell Area Arts Council will hold Open Tryouts Thursday and Friday, Dec. 14 and 15 for their second annual winter play.

"See How They Run", an English comedy, is slated for Feb. 21 through 24 with practice beginning the first week in January.

Tryouts are from 7-10 p.m. in the Middle School Quad 1. Personal scripts are available from that SPECIAL Place or from Director Kim Hoag. Contact Hoag at 897-9146 for information or for any conflict with tryout times.

United Way Ups Allocations

Because the annual United Way Drive topped the goal of \$3,792,727 by \$129,062, the Board of Directors was able to raise the amount of the allocations of the previously established 1979 figures for 17 local United Way agencies.

Of this additional money, \$73,633 will be given directly to the agencies with high priority needs. These include programs and services which the Allocation and Review Committee members considered the most important to the community. This represents a 13.4 percent average increase to all agencies. Previously \$25,000 of the overage had been designated for a Special Projects Reserve.

Fifty percent or \$18,500 of the additional funds will go to the Collection Loss Reserve and \$10,000 to the 23 state health and service agencies which are members of the United Way of Michigan.

Sue Blanford, Chairman of the Allocation and Review Committee, said, "I was gratified that instead of our being short of dollars, we have some additional ones to allocate this year. I believe it shows that the people of the community recognize the need for human services and are willing to support them with their contributions."

The United Way Board of Directors also approved the allocations for all the United Way agencies which had been established before the campaign. The agencies will receive their yearly allocations in about a one-twelfth increment each month.

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Sticker Price: \$10,944.00	
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Sticker Price: \$8,243.00	
1979 DODGE ST. REGIS 4-Door	SALE PRICE: \$ 7,267.00
Sticker Price: \$ 8,370.00	
1979 CHRYSLER BARON 2-Door	SALE PRICE: \$ 5,448.00
Sticker Price: \$6,952.00	
1979 DODGE MAGNUM 2-Door	SALE PRICE: \$ 6,328.00
Sticker Price: \$ 7,513.00	
1979 DODGE ASPEN 4-Door	SALE PRICE: \$ 4,612.00
Sticker Price: \$ 5,434.00	
1979 DODGE OMNI 4-Door	SALE PRICE: \$ 4,134.00
Sticker Price: \$ 4,952.00	
1979 DODGE SNO-COMMANDER	SALE PRICE: \$ 8,233.00
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W-150 115" WHEELBASE — 2-TONE TAN	SALE PRICE: \$ 8,081.00
List Price: \$9,809.00	
W-150 115" WHEELBASE — 2-TONE GREEN	SALE PRICE: \$ 8,317.00
List Price: \$9,330.00	
W-150 115" WHEELBASE — RED	SALE PRICE: \$ 7,975.00
List Price: \$9,004.00	

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Bushnell Parents Hear Mrs. Bovee

The Bushnell PTO had its evening meeting Thursday, November 30, at 7 p.m. in the Kiva. The guest speaker was Mrs. Marilyn Bovee, Director of Lowell School Food Service program.

She explained the program which has three base kitchens. The food is prepared at the base kitchen then sent by van to 6 serving areas which serve between 2,000 to 2,500 students each day.

The kids consume, \$135.00 worth of food a year under this Title I program which has no junk foods, carbonated drinks, candy or potato chips. The students receive one-third of their daily food requirements: 2 oz. protein, 1/4 cup fruit or vegetable, bread and a serving of milk.

Linder Type A lunch the Middle and High School students may choose three of the five components which help eliminate plate waste. There is also an a-la-carte line and snack bar combination at the Senior High School.

All the breads, dinner rolls, cookies, cakes, bars and casseroles are baked from "scratch" in the base kitchens. This nutritious meal costs 35c for elementary children and 40c for Middle and Senior High School students and those students that are eligible may receive reduced or free lunches. This program is Federally funded and self-supporting with no aid from local taxes.

There are 22 cooks, 3 substitute cooks, 13 student workers and 1 van driver besides Mrs. Bovee that put in 150 man hours a day to provide such an excellent food service program for our schools.

The meeting was closed with parents signing up to help with the student Christmas Sale, which will be Dec. 6 through 8th so that students can buy reasonably priced gifts for their family and friends.

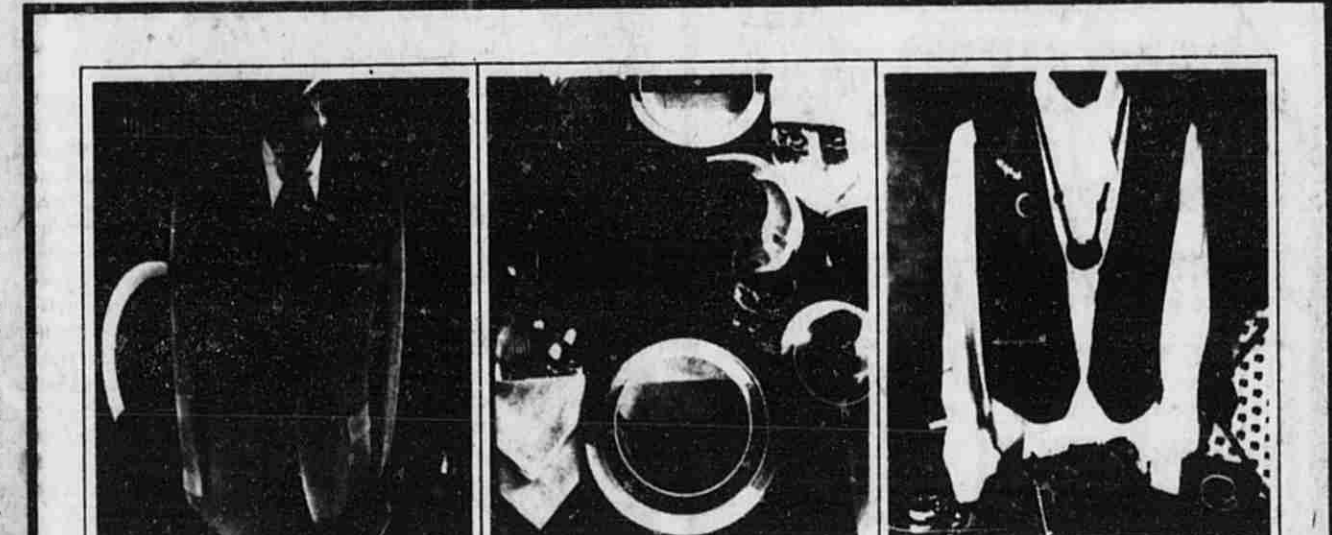
If you have a four-wheel drive motor vehicle, you should put snow tires on all four wheels for maximum traction, according to the Tire Industry Safety Council.

VA CAN HELP PAY VETS' MARKER COSTS

The Veterans Administration is now permitted to reimburse a veteran's survivors for part of the costs they spend for an eligible veteran's headstone or marker in any private cemetery.

This is one of the provisions of the Veterans' Housing Benefits Act of 1978 recently passed by Congress and signed into law by President Carter.

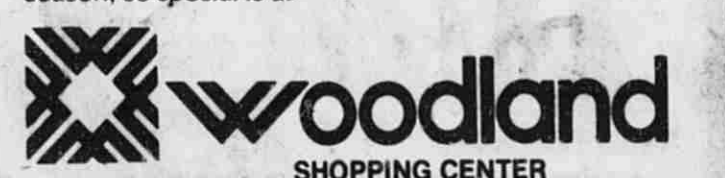
Survivors now have a choice of getting a VA-supplied headstone or marker or one they choose from a commercial supplier. The VA reimbursement, however, cannot exceed the average amount VA pays for the headstones or markers it supplies. Currently this amount is estimated at about \$43.00, far below the average cost of headstones or markers on the open market.



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Society Notes...

Lois Meyers Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Meyers of Saranac announce the engagement of their daughter, Lois Ann, to Michael L. Cahoon, Jr. Cahoon is the son of Mrs. Janet Cahoon of Saranac, and Michael Cahoon Sr., of Rogers City.

Ardelle Stauffer Weds S.Sgt. Andrew Klein



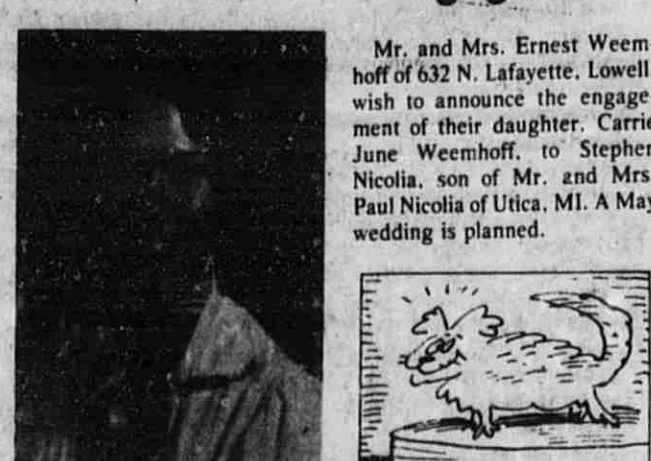
S. Sgt. & Mrs. Andrew Klein. Miss Ardelle L. Stauffer and S. Sgt. Andrew H. Klein were united in marriage at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 18, in the First Congregational Church of Lowell. Dr. Richard Greenwood performed the ceremony.

The bride entered the sanctuary adorned in a floor length gown of polyester interlock knit with a lace collar and edging around point of capri lace-front bodice, long sleeves with lace edges, empire waist and flared skirt with attached train. She wore a fingertip length veil with delicate scattered lace flowers. She carried a bouquet of yellow and orange carnations, orange daisies and baby's breath.

TOTS BELONG IN BACK SEAT

The University of Michigan Highway Institute on proper automobile safety restraints for children notes that if an accident occurs, a child sitting on an adult's lap has a greater chance of serious injury or death.

Carrie Weemhoff Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weemhoff of 632 N. Lafayette, Lowell, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Carrie June Weemhoff, to Stephen Nicola, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nicola of Uica, MI. A May wedding is planned.

While many parents convince themselves they can hang on to their tot in the event of a crash, researchers say the child would probably be safer alone, even without a seat belt. The worst combination of circumstances is a child sitting on the lap of an adult who is not wearing a seat belt.

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Tina Marie Merritt and Scott Michael Merritt, niece and nephew of the bride, were flower girl and ring bearer. Tina Marie wore a floor length dress of orange lace over tulle with a matching lace bonnet. She carried a miniature basket of yellow and orange carnations, orange daisies and baby's breath. Scott Michael carried a heart-shaped pillow with lace over satin.

The bride's mother wore a knee-length pink dress with a corsage of yellow and white carnations. A floor-length pink dress with a corsage of yellow and white carnations was worn by the groom's mother.

The soloist was Mrs. Richard (Georgia) Brogan of Wurtsmith Air Force Base. Chaplain Callahan from Battle Creek took pictures.

Lithering the guests were Roger Stauffer, brother of the bride, and Michael A. Merritt, brother-in-law of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Lowell Senior Center. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stauffer of DeWitt, brother and sister-in-law of the bride, served as master and mistress of ceremonies.

After the wedding, the newlyweds left for a honeymoon through the South.

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A dozen exhibition cases placed around a traditionally decorated Christmas tree, feature an extensive selection of children's toys spanning 200 years. Three cases of dolls range from early hand-carved models to nut-faced dolls and china-head creations. Other cases highlight early cast iron action banks, clockwork mechanism toys, educational games from bygone days, miniature doll house furniture and early pull-toys.

Along with the special toy exhibition, a dozen crafts are in operation along the Street of Shops. Traditional Christmas crafts are highlighted, including wreath making, quilting and the making of toys and miniature furniture.

Charles Dickens' classic "A Christmas Carol" is presented by the Greenfield Village Players in Henry Ford Museum Theater at 2 p.m., Dec. 9, 16, and 26-31, a "Special Combination Holiday Discount Ticket" is available, offering admission to both Village and Museum for \$6.25 for adults and \$2.50 for children.

The decorations in the Village range from the simple table setting in the Connecticut salt-

HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

She hath done what she could (Mark 14:8). Many times I've smiled about a paper weight which was a gift to me several years ago. Our children never received big allowances. I was touched when one of them used her weekly spending money to buy me this special Christmas present. I would not have chosen the particular item she purchased, but my heart was warmed because she sacrificed her pittance in order to express her love for me.

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The course is open to the public and will be held on two consecutive Wednesday nights, Jan. 3 and 10, from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. each night. The Red Cross Chapter building, 1050 Fuller, NE, is the location for the training which meets all requirements of the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) and the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Act (MOSHA). Those who successfully complete the course receive Red Cross certificates.

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Project Conserve To Aid Homeowners

Pat Paulsen, television actor and comedian and owner of the Traverse City Cherry County Playhouse, is serving as spokesperson for the Energy Administration, Michigan Department of Commerce "Project Conserve" program through which Michigan households can obtain a computerized analysis of steps they can take to save energy in their homes.

Television comedian Pat Paulsen has been enlisted to help launch Michigan's "Project Conserve," a computerized home energy audit program to help households analyze the energy-conserving potential of their homes.

Some 400,000 questionnaires will be mailed at random to single-family households during the next several months as the Energy Administration/Michigan Department of Commerce kicks off its project.

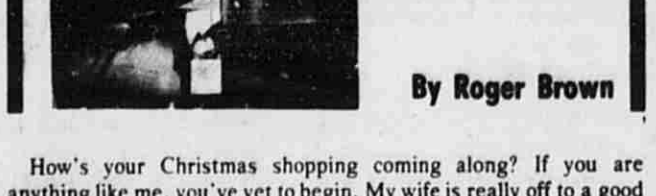
Householders who return the questionnaires will receive a computerized analysis of their home's energy-conserving potential and a chart of the cost and energy savings which could result if suggested energy-saving steps were taken.

Another 100,000 questionnaires will be distributed through community organizations. Any resident who does not receive the audit form by mail can obtain one by calling 1-800-292-1556 toll-free.

Project Conserve will enable residents to analyze the individual characteristics of their home. After the questionnaire is filled out and returned in a postage-paid envelope, a computer will analyze the data using local fuel, labor and material costs, and weather conditions.

The participant then receives a "Homeowner Report" which lists energy-saving steps he or she may wish to consider—such as caulking, weatherstripping, storm windows, insulation—and includes estimates of savings in both energy and dollars which would result if these steps were taken.

cozy corner



By Roger Brown

How's your Christmas shopping coming along? If you are anything like me, you've yet to begin. My wife is really off to a good start this year. She claims that she is nearly done and has only a couple of relatives to buy for. I can't quite swallow that, because so far, I haven't been able to find anything around the house that looks like it's for me.

No, I don't snop around the house looking for my presents, in fact I haven't pulled that childish stunt in at least three or four years. But I do seem to have an uncanny knack for guessing what a Christmas or birthday present is going to be as soon as I see the package, let alone shake it or anything.

This sixth sense of mine makes Terese so mad that she's threatened to take a present back to the store when I've guessed what it is before opening it. She goes to great lengths to disguise my presents in unlikely packages such as the down filled jacket that I got for my birthday last year. It was stuffed into a box so small that you wouldn't think that you could get a stocking cap into it, let alone a man's size 46 winter coat. Despite the hinkness package, I knew what it was. Don't ask me how I knew. I just knew.

When we were first married, I correctly guessed the contents of about five of the six packages that were under the tree for me and Christmas was still at least a week away. Since that time, none of my presents are placed under the tree until I've gone to bed on Christmas Eve.

Also as a defense mechanism, Terese absolutely will not buy me anything that I have asked for or have even hinted around for. Consequently, I have to be very careful about what I say in the months leading up to my birthday and Christmas. If I want a new record album, I dare not let it slip or I'll be sure not to get it.

I am learning to stifle myself, mainly because that I've been fairly warned to quit announcing what my gifts are before opening them, or quit getting gifts. So, I bite my tongue, tear off the wrapping paper and act surprised.

This year may be different though. Terese has been very quiet and secretive about what she has bought for me and I don't have the foggiest idea what my presents are going to be... yet.

Getting a head start on holiday plans makes a lot of sense especially when someone's life may depend on it.

Planning now to set aside a few minutes to donate blood will help to insure happier holidays for everyone. Blood needs remain constant during the holidays, but many of the supply sources are not available. Factories, offices and schools close making regular blood drives difficult.

The Grand Valley Blood Program is the sole source of blood for Kent County hospital patients. Anyone between the ages of 18 and 65 and in good health may donate blood. Seventeen year olds may donate with parent's or guardian's permission.

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Gas Truck Rolls Into Embankment

A delivery truck, loaded with cylinders of propane gas, rolled over an embankment on Peck Lake Road, three-tenths of a mile west of Morrison Lake Road, Saranac, about 5 p.m. Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 29. The truck, which was reported considerably damaged by Michigan State police, was unattended at the time. According to the report prepared by State troopers, Rick Thomet of Ada, driver of the truck, said the truck motor was turned off and the parking brake set when the truck rolled over the embankment. Thomet was making a call at the time. The truck, according to the report, rolled across the road and down the embankment, striking a fence on property belonging to Kerwin Knop of Riverside Dr., Saranac. State troopers summoned Reed and Hoppes succeeded in removing the truck from the ditch. No citations were issued.

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Diane Herbruck Speaks At Ag Convention

A Saranac woman was one of several farm women who spoke Wednesday, Nov. 29, at the National Farm Women's convention in Milwaukee of their successful efforts to promote farming and farm products. Diane Herbruck of Saranac, active in her family's egg business located on West Grand River Ave., Saranac, spoke at the convention in a program segment called "Ag Boosters Review."

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ANOTHER HARD WINTER FOR DEER?
What will the winter of 1978-79 hold for Michigan's whitetail deer herd? That's the weighty question on many a sportsman's mind now that the rifle deer season is over and winter is setting in. The state's deer herd has weathered two mighty tough winters in a row. It's been hard on them, especially in the northern sections of the state, as was evident by last spring's dead deer count and the large number of small racks checked by DNR gamekeepers this fall. Starvation has been dogging the herd the past two winters, they certainly don't need another lean winter again this year. As far as food goes, Northern Michigan looks pretty green on the Fourth of July. Even in deer season there seems to be plenty of bushes for deer to eat, but deer look at it differently. When the deer hunter grows, "What d'ya mean there's no deer food? Look at all the bushes and trees," he is usually looking from his angle only. To deer, all that lush green stuff means nothing unless it's what they like and where they can get at it. Deer food must be farther above the ground than snow than head high to a reaching fawn, and it must be available when needed most—December to April. As far as whitetails are concerned, food in tree tops might as well be on the moon unless it is brought within reach by axe, saw, wind, or heavy wet snow. Food under deep snow does not count either, although deer will paw through 12 to 16 inches of soft snow to get at acorns. Where winter weather is severe, food must be near the sheltered areas in which deer seek protection from the elements. Deer will thrive on some browse and starve on others. There are three classes of deer food—preferred, good and stuff. The preferred foods are those that sustain deer best. Ground hemlock, white cedar, red cedar, dogwood, and red maple are good examples of this class. Some second choice or good foods are hard maple, aspen, jack pine and white birch. These will not carry deer through the winter as well as the preferred species. The "stuff" or "starvation" species—balsam, red oak, cherry, spruce, tag alder and tamarack—will not keep deer going through the cold weather season unless the animals get

some of the better foods too. A deer will starve with a full belly of pure balsam and spruce. In fact, most starved deer have their stomachs full of food—the wrong kind. Acorns make good supplemental food when they are available. A diet of starvation foods plus one half pound of acorns per day will pull deer through a 90-day yarding period, but northern Michigan doesn't have even a fair acorn crop every year. Unfortunately, deer take the preferred species first and even though some browsing pressure is removed by killing more deer, the remaining animals still work on the favored foods. So far, the species showing signs of recovery have been the second and third classes. Continued heavy browsing of preferred foods in many northern areas is gradually eliminating some of them from the forests. Ground hemlock is practically gone and in many areas cedar has almost reached a point where it can no longer be considered as part of the deer food picture. The cedar seedlings which venture above the snow level are promptly decapitated by hungry whitetails. Lumbering brings the tops of trees down to deer but this food supply is gone for good almost as soon as it is cut. In short, northern Michigan's deer herd has a much smaller ration winter food than many hunters realize from the way things look to them in the fall. Gary was discovered by Kerman physicist Wilhelm Conrad Roentgen in 1895.

Other News
Gary D. Raimor, 18, of Saranac, was cited by deputies for violation of the basic speed law—too fast for conditions, after he struck a telephone pole at the corner of Vosper and Orchard streets Friday evening about 6:30 p.m. Raimor reportedly lost control on ice and slush, hit the pole and broke it off.

Other News
Carl W. Peck, 74, of Saranac was eastbound on David Highway about 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 28, when he lost control of his car and struck a road sign. He injured his shoulder in the accident.

Brian Dagget, 17, of Saranac was southbound on M-66 about 7 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 28, when his car slid out of control, slid across M-66 near School Boy road, and struck a northbound vehicle driven by William A. Black, of Ionia. Black was taken to Ionia County Memorial Hospital for facial cuts.

Allen J. Slaght, 18, of Saranac struck and killed a deer Tuesday, Nov. 28, about 7:30 p.m. on M-61, east of Hawley highway. Michigan State police are investigating the malicious destruction of a mallard reported to them Wednesday, Nov. 29, belonging to Joe Benis of Jackson Road, Saranac.

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Attends Maintenance Course

A representative of Benjamin Pools & Pools, Lincoln Lake Rd., the local dealer for Polaris snowmobiles, recently attended the Technical Service Training Center at the Polaris factory in Roseau, Minnesota. This course covered a 2 1/2-day instruction period devoted to all aspects of maintenance on the Polaris snowmobile. Shown here with Dick Arneson, instructor at the Training Center, is Doug Benjamin.

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Council Proceedings...

Official Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Lowell, Michigan.
Regular Meeting of Monday, November 20, 1978. The Meeting was called to Order at 8:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and the Roll was called. Present: Councilmen Carter, Heath, Warning and Collins. Absent: Councilman Christiansen.
IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Heath that Councilman Christiansen's absence be excused, supported by Councilman Warning.
Carried.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Heath that the minutes of the November 6 meeting be approved by adding the words "zoning code permitting" to page 2, paragraph 6, and striking the words, "with no decision forthcoming", supported by Councilman Warning.
Carried.
IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Warning that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued, supported by Councilman Heath.
Yes: Councilmen Heath, Warning and Collins.
No: Councilman Carter.
Absent: Councilman Christiansen.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS

General Fund	\$101,814.39
Major Street Fund	7,154.55
Local Street Fund	5,227.95
Sewer Fund	12,118.91
Water Fund	8,915.03
Equipment Fund	16,217.51
Water Bond Revenue	15,500.00
Storm Sewer Fund	1,267.54
Cemetery Fund	478.00
Trust and Agency Fund	478.00

78-79 Salt Bids
Manager Quada then opened the 1978-79 Salt Bids in the following order:
Dontart Salt Co. unable to bid

unable to bid \$20.90 per ton \$19.40 per ton
Carroll Salt Co.
International Salt Co.
Morton Salt Co.
IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter that the bid for the 1978-79 road salt be awarded to Morton Salt Co. at \$19.40 per ton, supported by Councilman Heath.
Carried.
Absent: Councilman Christiansen.

Settlement to Globe Industries Material Suppliers
Council then discussed the proposed settlement with Globe Contractors material and service suppliers. The following resolution was offered by Councilman Carter, supported by Councilman Heath for adoption.
WHEREAS, Globe Industrial Contractors, Inc. and Fidelity Insurance Company have submitted a revised payment schedule for material and supplies utilized in the construction of an underground storage tank at the Lowell Water Treatment Plant, and
WHEREAS, said revised schedule requires the amendment of a previously adopted resolution,
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the resolution authorizing payment for materials and supplies which was adopted on the second day of October, 1978 be amended as follows:
Industrial Tank Maintenance Co.
Previously approved payment deleted.

Atlas Steel Co. Previously approved payment reduced to \$1,286.95.
Robinson Cartage Co. \$757.60
Triangle Associates, Inc. \$915.00
Tneme Co., Inc. \$2,192.60
Peabody Testing Service \$2,400.00
Lambert Welding Supply \$1,024.62

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Manager is authorized to execute the necessary FMHA documents authorizing said payment, and the Mayor and City Treasurer are hereby authorized to execute the necessary checks payable in accordance with the original resolution adopted October 2, 1978 as amended here.
Carried.
Absent: Councilman Christiansen.
Report on Meeting With Engineering Firm and D.N.R.
Manager Quada then reported on the meeting with representatives of Fishback, Thompson, Carr and Huber, and the D.N.R. He explained that the Mayor will keep the grant eligible for a portion of the Step II project in relation to the expansion of the sewage treatment program. He stated that he would be meeting again in the following week with the D.N.R. representatives. A discussion followed.
There was no Citizen suggestion.

Manager's Report
Under the Manager's Report, Manager Quada stated that the Lowell Senior Neighbors Center will close on January 1, due to a lack of County funding. He stated that he would find out what period of time the City's donation of \$1,500 covered and would try to secure a pro-rated share return for the period of October 1 to December 31 saying he felt the City of Lowell's funds should not be turned over to the Grand Rapids centers for their use, when closing our local center.
He also headed a discussion on the Christmas gifts to the City's volunteer firemen, Reserve Police, stating he wished to extend the gifts to members of the Planning Commission, Housing Commission, Board of Review and Recreation Committee, who also give many hours of their time without payment. The Council concurred.
Manager Quada then defended the City's position on maintenance of the ball diamond, grandstand, and the pool and field house at Recreation Park, which was sharply criticized by School Board President David Miller at the Board Meeting November 13. Mr. Miller stated he felt that the City

should maintain these properties since the City and the YMCA used them more than the School.
Mr. Quada stated that the City used the ball diamond in the winter months only, as a skating rink. The School owns the ball diamond and grandstands, and uses them for their High School baseball season. Mr. Miller also felt the City should solve the parking problem in that area. The YMCA uses the ball diamond for their summer baseball program. The pool field house is owned by the City, but the School and the YMCA use them, through an agreement to maintain them.
Also, the City does not own the bleachers on S. Hudson Street and should not be expected to purchase new ones. The School District includes a large area outside the City limits. The City has done much for the Schools at City taxpayer expense.
Manager Quada then suggested that all of the School's equipment be removed from the field house for a thorough cleaning and repair, and that a rental program be started on a per month basis to provide the necessary cash for maintenance, to be done by the City. A general discussion followed.

Council Remarks
Under Council Remarks, the following topics were discussed: City costs for engineering for the proposed sewage treatment plant expansion; the possibility of purchasing new Christmas decorations; the Industrial Development Relations Board; the possibility of instituting a cut ordinance; and the repair of the tennis courts and the painting of downtown parking lots being completed.
IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Carter to adjourn at 9:05 p.m., supported by Councilman Warning.
Carried.
Approved: December 4, 1978
DEANE COLLINS, Mayor
RAY E. QUADA, City Clerk

NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF LOWELL

ATTENTION: SENIOR CITIZENS, BLIND, PARAPLEGICS, QUADRUPLEGICS, TOTALLY AND PERMANENTLY DISABLED
The 1978 Michigan Homestead Property Tax Credit is due for filing.
I will be available to help fill out the forms at City Hall Mondays through Fridays from 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. through 4:30 p.m. I will not be available Dec. 26 through 29.
You will need to bring the following information:
Your form booklet if you received one in the mail, (forms will be available at City Hall).
Your total income for 1978, which includes the following: Social Security, dividends and pensions, interest on savings accounts, rental income, health and accident insurance premiums paid by you, and your summer and winter 1978 tax bills, (your winter tax bill need not be paid to file).
Nancy J. Wood, Deputy City Clerk

FAMILY LAW CENTER
1201 McKay Tower
Grand Rapids, MI 49503
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION & TO APPEAR AND ANSWER
FILE No. 78-36493-DM
STATE OF MICHIGAN
CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT
DIGNA FAXAS Plaintiff,
SSN 584-03-4803
VS.
BEINVENTO FAXAS Defendant,
SSN [redacted]
At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 2nd day of November, 1978, the above-named Plaintiff against the above-named Defendant in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent for divorce.
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 2607 Jerome Ave., Brown, New York, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 8th day of February, 1979.
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 and filed in this cause.
ROMAN J. SNOW, Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered: DOROTHY DE WITT, Deputy Clerk.
ATTEST: A TRUE COPY. M. A. DIETRICH, Deputy Clerk. 11-29/12-20/78

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CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT
ARLENE ANN UPSHON Plaintiff,
SSN 378-36-1816
VS.
WILFRED LEE UPSHON Defendant,
SSN [redacted]
At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 8th day of November, 1978, 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 1028 Voorhes Street, Deland, Florida, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 8th day of February, 1979.
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.
JOHN T. LETTIS, Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered by me: DOROTHY DE WITT, Deputy Clerk.
ATTEST: A TRUE COPY. Jack Bronkema, Clerk. Dorothy De Witt, Deputy. 11/22-12/13

COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)
PROHIBITING SPEARING - MUSKELLUNG LAKES
The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, ordered that all spearing be prohibited throughout 1979 on the following waters except Chaguan Lake and the Center Chain of Lakes where spearing is prohibited during January and February only.

Lake	County
Kingston	Alger
Dumont	Allegan
Osterhout	Allegan
Clear	Barry
Crooked, Upper and Lower	Barry
Thornapple	Barry
Cornwall Impoundment	Chobogyan
Caribou	Chippewa
Budd	Clare
Sawyer	Dickinson
Bass	Gogebic
Long	Ingham
Lansing	Iron
Long	Iron
Chicago	Iron
Emly	Iron
Iron	Iron
Robinson	Iron
Runkle	Iron
Stanley	Iron
Swan	Iron
Center Chain of lakes	Jackson
(Center, Round, Moon, Price, Olcott, Little Olcott, Dollar, Wolf, Little Wolf and connecting waters)	Kent
Campeau	Kent
Dean	Lapeer
Nepesing	Lapeer
Whitmore	Livingston, Washtenaw
Woodland	Livingston
Brevort	Mackinac
Bas	Mason
West Twin	Montmorency
Brooks	Newaygo
Heron	Oakland
Tipisco	Oakland
Big Bear	Oakland
Clear	Ontonagon
Long	St. Joseph
Murphy	St. Joseph
Bankoon	Tuscola
Three Legged	VanBuren
Round	VanBuren

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSION ORDER

(Under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)
STURGEON SIZE LIMIT
The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no sturgeon may be taken or possessed from the waters of this state of a length less than 50 inches for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1979.
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929 and Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)
STATEWIDE TROUT AND SALMON REGULATIONS
The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929, as amended, and Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no person shall take lake trout by means of a spear or bow and arrow from any of the waters over which this state has jurisdiction for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)
LAKE TROUT SPEARING - STATEWIDE BAN
The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 14, 1978, meeting, under the authority of Sections 1 and 2, Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended by Act 82, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that no person shall take lake trout by means of a spear or bow and arrow from any of the waters over which this state has jurisdiction for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 165, P.A. 1929 and Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)
SANTA SAYS... A subscription to the Grand Valley Ledger makes a perfect Christmas gift! Call 897-9261. Kent and Ionia Counties, \$5; all others \$6.50.

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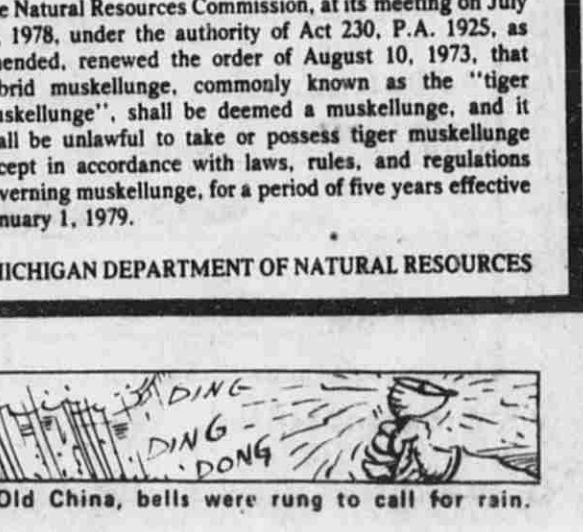
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MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Bowne Township Tax Notice

Taxes are due and payable in the Township of Bowne between December, 1978, and February 14, 1979.
I will be at the Bowne Township Hall, 6050 Linfield, Alto, on Wednesdays between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., on Fridays between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. and Saturdays between 9 a.m. and 12 noon beginning December 1.
Dog licenses are due and payable January 1, 1979, current certification of vaccination is required.
Anyone desiring to register for voting may also do so at this time.
David Hoffman, Bowne Township Treasurer

COMMISSION ORDER

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)
REGULATIONS ON TIGER MUSKELLUNGE
The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on July 14, 1978, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, renewed the order of August 10, 1973, that hybrid muskellunge, commonly known as the "tiger muskellunge", shall be deemed a muskellunge, and it shall be unlawful to take or possess tiger muskellunge except in accordance with laws, rules, and regulations governing muskellunge, for a period of five years effective January 1, 1979.
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES



Area Sports...

Wrestlers Take Third In Meet

The 1978-79 Lowell wrestling team got its season underway last Saturday at the Forest Hills Central Quadrangular meet.

The four teams competing were Forest Hills Central, taking first with 80 points; Muskegon Catholic Central with 61 points; Lowell, third with 46, and Alma with 46.

At 98 lbs. Dale Bieri lost in the first round competition but won his second round.

In the 105 and 112 weight classes Mark Kloosterman and Joe Rathbun were not lucky. Ted Kazemier at 119 pounds pinned both, his victims in 57 sec. and 1:04 sec. respectively.

Bill Nagy, at 126, and Tony Posthumus, at 132, didn't win first round matches, but came right back and won in second round competition.

Wrestling at 138 lbs. was Chuck Schrenk, and Chris Bieri representing the 145 weight class. They put on good close matches but weren't able to pull it off.

Jay Rickett at 155 lbs. won by a close margin and lost the same way on his next time on the mat.

Ken Stuart, at 165 lbs., was convincing, but couldn't pull off a victory. On the other hand, Senior Co-captain Doug Heintzelman and Dave Christman, wrestling at 178 and 191 lbs., were all fired up and ready to go, and won by good margins each time they were called on the mat.

Finally, at heavy weight, Dan Stuart lost in the first round but fought back and pinned his second opponent.

Come out and support the wrestling team this week when they take on Union High School, at home, with former Lowell wrestler Dan Zeits, on Thursday night, Nov. 30, in a triple mat deal at Porterville against Springport, Bath, and Porterville.

In the first match Saranac faced Porterville but fell 6-12. Troy Stanton opened the match planning the Vikings' Steve Hoffman in 37 seconds. Scott Krieger, Saranac's 20-15 in the second match of the night and fell 57-18.

In the final match Saranac challenged Bath, losing 50-24. Scott Krieger picked up his third pin of the night over Bath's Mike VanCyle in 35 seconds.

Springport (3-0) finished first followed by Porterville (2-1), Bath (1-2) and Saranac (0-3).



Ancient people believed a harness brought good luck to the wearer and also influenced a person's personality by strengthening such traits as courage, stincerity, and loyalty, according to The World Book Encyclopedia.

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Saranac Matmen Lose Meet

The advent of cold weather brings with it the threat of injury or death as a result of exposure. The biggest danger lies in the continued exposure to the cold which may result in a lowering of the core body temperature, a condition called hypothermia. Taking the work apart we find that hypothermia is a Greek word meaning under or beneath, thermia is derived from thermos, meaning heat. Hypothermia, then, is a condition of the body of less than normal heat.

The main problems of hypothermia is that when the core body temperature is lowered even a few degrees there is slurring of speech, disorientation and the body is unable to regenerate necessary heat. A ton of warm clothing or blankets will not help the hypothermia victim as they cannot warm themselves in this condition. External aides such as hot liquids and warm pads must be used to treat the victim.

It is best to avoid the dangers of hypothermia whenever possible. Sufficient clothing, including warm hats and mittens are important in retaining body heat. It may be a good idea to keep extra clothing in your car in the event you are forced to spend any amount of time in it or must travel to find help. Keeping your clothing dry is also an important consideration as it will reduce the insulation qualities of the garment.

If you find yourself stranded on the highway it is best to turn on the engine intermittently to keep warm but make frequent checks to avoid snow blockage of the tailpipe. Don't eat snow! Eating snow will only rob you of much needed energy and will eventually make you more hungry and thirsty. A few candy bars in the glove box could be a life saver. Travel from your vehicle in blizzard conditions is not recommended unless you can see a house nearby. Exposure to the cold and wind can take its toll in a hurry.

Steve Harrington.



Fouls Trip Saranac: Lakeview Wins 59-52

Lakeview Wildcats scored a 59-52 victory over the Saranac Redskins Friday night.

"We had an excellent night, accounting for 22 of the Redskins 52 points. Tower added a really good play and used up eight minutes of the second half," Saranac Coach Kip Cady said.

Saranac jumped to an early 14-13 lead on the shooting of Ben Tower and Kevin Theisen. Tower pumped in six points for the Redskins while Theisen popped in four.

But the Wildcats outscored Saranac 20-15 in the second stanza as they dropped in 23 of 31 shots. The Wildcats managed just 16 field goals.

Saranac hit 10 of 16 shots for 63 percent from the charity strip, but put in 21 field goals. The Redskins will travel to Portland St. Patrick's Tuesday night for an 8 p.m. match-up.

While the Wildcats were stalling, the Redskins were fouling, which proved costly later in the game. Gary Raimor fouled out of the contest while Ben Tower, Theisen, and Kevin Reynolds all finished with four fouls.

Tower scored four of the Redskins six points in the third period. Teammate Theisen also suffered an injury in the period when he was hit on the nose by a Lakeview player and had to sit out the final three minutes of the stanza.

Saranac overcame the stall in the final period to out-pout Lakeview 17-16, but it was not enough to overcome the Wildcat's eight point bulge.

Baker was hot for Lakeview as he dropped in the nine free throws.

Theisen returned to the game for the Redskins and paced the team with eight points in the final eight minutes.

Reynolds had a good night on the boards, hauling in ten missed shots and also had three assists. Teammate Ben Tower

Junior Varsity In junior varsity action Friday night at Lakeview, the Saranac JV's were humbled 63-29.

Lakeview jumped to a fast 16-3 lead and extended that lead to 32-11 by the half. The pace continued into the third quarter as they out-pointed Saranac 10-3 to take a 42-14 lead.

The Redskins had the final eight minutes of the night in the final 15 points. However, Lakeview managed 21 markers and took the contest.

Mark Hastings and Jerry Darby scored high-games and honors for the Redskins, each putting in six points.

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Boosters Sell Popcorn, Fruitcakes

Lowell Music Boosters Club members held a short meeting after listening to a practice session by the Lowell Jazz Band and Choir on November 30.

Any parent of a band or choir member is welcome to attend the meetings. Lowell Music Boosters Club is made up of parents trying to help support Lowell High School and Middle School bands and choirs and we welcome anyone's help and suggestions.

Popcorn and fruit cakes will be on sale this Saturday, Dec. 9. Purchase all you need at three locations: Eberhard's, State Savings Bank downtown, and Lipperts. Last day to buy fruitcakes will be December 13th.

Lowell Music Boosters next meeting is January 15 at the Middle School at 7:30. Everyone is welcome.

Don't forget the Christmas Concerts coming this month. The High School Concert is December 18, Choir Concert at the Middle School is December 19, and Middle School Band Concert is December 14.

Looking back...

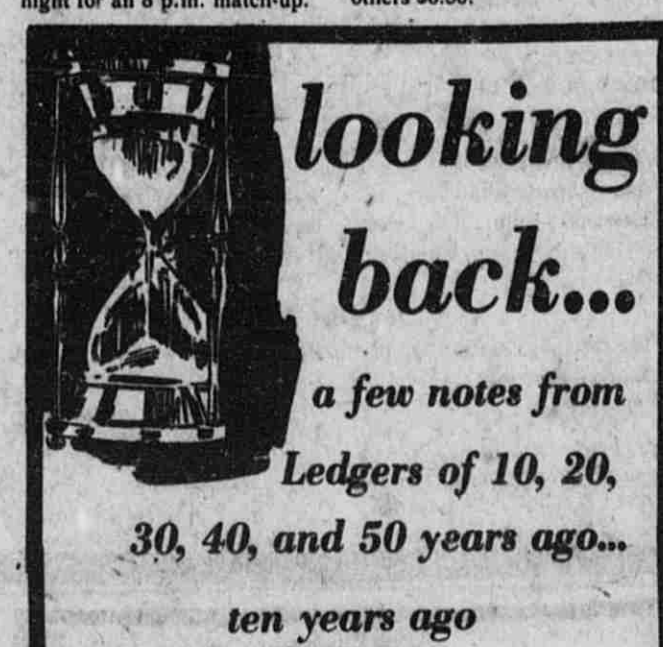
a few notes from Ledgers of 10, 20, 30, 40, and 50 years ago... ten years ago

At their regular meeting, the Lowell Board of Education looks for ways to deal with the problem of funding the school system following the defeat of a millage request.

Small electrical appliances were being offered by the Lowell Light and Power as prizes in their annual residential Christmas lighting contest.

Ada begins preliminary studies to determine the best source of water for the community.

Fifty-four area servicemen were listed in the Ledger along with their addresses so that residents could mail Christmas greetings to them. A majority of the addresses were APO San Francisco meaning the serviceman was probably in Vietnam.



Legal Notices

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The Kent County Purchasing Department is soliciting bids for the items listed below. Detailed specifications are available at the County of Kent, Room 227 County Administration Building, 100 N. Broad Street, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. The bids will be publicly opened in accordance with Article 10 of the Michigan Public Procurement Code. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. It is deemed to be in its best interests.

Bid for Ball Underwear. Must be received before 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 13, 1978.

Bid for Jeans. Must be received before 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 13, 1978.

Bid for Work Clothing. Must be received before 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 13, 1978.

Bid for Rental of work uniforms. Must be received before 2:00 p.m., Friday, December 15, 1978.

Bid for Laundry Service. Must be received 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, December 13, 1978.

JACK SINGLEY, C.P.P.O., Director of Purchasing

thirty years ago

It was reported to Deputy Frank Stephens that a black bear was sighted in Lowell and has been tipping over garbage cans. Further reports told of a bear sighted near the Consumers Power dam. Stephens is organizing a bear hunt to be led by conservation officers.

Lowell retailers will be open every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evening, now through the Christmas buying season. The Christmas lights over Main Street are said to be attracting visitors from long distances again this year.

The Radio Service Co. has loudspeakers placed atop its building playing Christmas music for all of Main Street to enjoy. Shoppers were invited to stop in and have their favorite tune played over the system.

forty years ago

Lloyd Stouffer and Hoyt Phelps receive honorable mention recognition as "all-star" high school football players. Both performed exceptionally well for the Lowell football squad.

Oliver Cummings is the new proprietor of the Lowell Gamble Store.

The Lowell Rotary Club now boasting 31 members with the recent addition of Bruce Walter holds its 67th consecutive meeting with all members present.

Theo Feuerstein, 38, a farmer residing south of US-16 on M-50, loses an arm in an accident involving a corn shredder.

fifty years ago

The Lowell Santa Girls are off to a slow start with only \$14.00 in donations turned over so far. The deadline for the end of the drive is a mere six days off.

Mr. H. D. Hudson, president of the Hudson Manufacturing Company of Hastings, Minnesota, is scheduled to speak before the Lowell Board of Trade. Hudson has just recently purchased the Lowell Specialty Co.

The R.D. Stocking store, was advertising 1929 model Atwater Kent Radio for only \$117.00, without the tubes. On the same page, hamburger meat advertised at 18 cents per pound and men's shirts were listed at \$2.00 and up. Kinda makes that \$117 for a radio sound like a lot of money, doesn't it?

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Steve Barry and Bob

EST. 1978

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Early Bird Bingo 6 p.m.

FOR SALE

DUSTER - 1972, 6 cylinder, 2 door automatic Sports Coupe. Good condition. Best offer. 949-7827. Call before 1 p.m. or after 9 p.m. c4

FOR SALE

BUNK BEDS - Salem Maple complete with mattress, safety rail, ladder, now with \$10 down, balance \$107. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights 10-9. c4

DEADLINE TUESDAYS AT NOON

Call 897-9261

MODERN BEDROOM SUITE

5 piece walnut with mattress to settle account now with \$10 down, balance \$187 or \$5 weekly. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights 10-9. c4

THREE ROOMS OF - Furniture, sofa and matching chair heavy nylon cover, two walnut end tables, and matching cocktail table plus two decorator lamps. Dineette with formica top and 4 chairs. Bedroom dresser with mirror and 4 drawer chest plus full or queen size panel headboard. All 3 rooms now with \$10 down, balance \$597 or \$5 per week. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights 10-9. c4

APALLOOSA HORSES - All ages, good 4:8 horses, J.M.B. Western Shop and Stables, M-57 and Harvard Rd. 754-7639. 454-9914. c4

COLONIAL HOUSEFUL - Would like responsible person to begin payments in Jan. 4 piece Colonial maple bedroom, Herculon Colonial sofa and chair, 2 Colonial end tables, Colonial coffee table, 2 Colonial lamps, dinette with 6 chairs, \$768. Ask for lot 6. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights 10-9. c4

LOVE SEATS - Beautiful Velvets, Herculon & Fur covers, close out now from \$48. King of Discounts, 1100 Leonard NW, Grand Rapids, 456-1787. Week nights 10-9. c4

TRAVEL TRAILER - Spartan 1973, 30 ft., self-contained. Double axle. Well insulated. Large living room, very clean. Like new. \$4,200. 534-8944. c4

HORSES FOR SALE - Have severe allergy to horses - consequently, wife's and daughter's horses must go (to good home only). Top AQHA blood lines. Call Caledonia 891-8153. p4-5

1978 CHEVETTE - 4 door, red, automatic transmission, custom interior and ext. Top rack. 10,700 miles. Phone 949-0335 after 5 p.m. c4

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Check your homeowner's policy for adequate coverage.

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PERSONS OF ANY AGE - (Pre-school through adult) interested in music lessons to be given in the Ada area. Call 897-5230 after 7 p.m. c4

NOTICE

The newspaper cannot verify the financial potential of those advertisements. Readers are advised to approach any business opportunity with reasonable caution.

RELIABLE PERSON - With dependable car to deliver Grand Rapids Press in Lowell's Rural Area. Call 459-1411 for information. c4-5

WE NEED CHRISTMAS HELP

Would you like to earn \$300 between now and Christmas? If so, and you can spare 2 hours a day, call Barbara at 363-7739. c48f

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NAME DAY

The powers that be continue to give close attention to naming each week and naming each day. There's a Mother's Day, Father's Day, Groundhog Day, Veteran's Day and Memorial Day. If you still haven't fit into one of the specialized categories, there is a last hope for you. December 12 is National Ding-A-Ling Day.

LADIES DAY OUT, OUT

The staff of the YMCA regrets that its Ladies Day Out scheduled for Tuesday, Dec. 5, has been cancelled. Seems only 20 ladies had time this busy season to take the day off. The Y plans to reschedule the event for early spring.

AUDITION

Auditions for the Lowell Area Arts Council's winter play "See How They Run" have been moved to Quad I in the Middle School on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 14 and 15, at 7 p.m. Anyone in the area is welcome to audition for the fast-paced comedy.

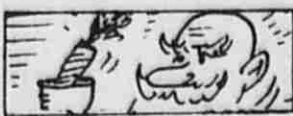
DISTRICT COURT

William J. Sanborn, 2401 Bowes Rd. paid \$29 for speeding Nov. 16. Michael P. Scott, 1296 Sibley paid \$19 for speeding Nov. 27. Jay S. Murray of 3193 Montcalm SE paid \$29 for speeding Nov. 18. Kathy Ellison of Riverside Dr. paid \$19 for speeding Nov. 13. Gilbert A. Reynolds of 282 Dawsman Park, Clarksville paid \$12 for multiliterated operators license Sept. 26. Terry L. Randall of Goodemote Rd., Clarksville, paid \$29 for speeding Nov. 19. Thomas C. Price, 5826 Alden Nash NE paid \$24 for operating overweight vehicle Nov. 21.

US131 Due For Improvement

Two projects to advance construction of US-131 Freeway northward in Mecosta County are among 17 highway construction and maintenance projects on which bids will be taken Dec. 13 in Lansing, the State Highway Commission announced today.

The US-131 projects, estimated to cost \$8.9 million, involve construction of .53 miles of divided freeway, and construction of seven bridges. The freeway construction project area is between Four Mile Road and Lincoln Road in Aetna and Mecosta Townships. Other major project in the Dec. 13 bidding include construction of a seven-span plate girder bridge to carry US-131 Business Route (Leonard Street) over the Grand River in Grand Rapids, estimated at \$2 million and due for completion in September of 1980.



George Bernard Shaw, the famous British playwright, was a vegetarian.

if it fitz'

By Jim Fitzgerald

With this issue the Ledger introduces syndicated columnist Jim Fitzgerald. He writes for the Detroit Free Press and was formerly the editor of the Lapeer County Press, America's largest rural weekly. His wry wit focuses on everything from computers to crooked politicians to his readers—Mother and Aunt Madeline. . . . Editor

A stranger phoned to tell me what his mother did in a fried chicken restaurant. She made him think about saying nice things. On the counter there was a pile of "comment cards." A sign asked customers to take a card and write down what they thought of the chicken. The mother started to reach for a card, but then changed her mind.

"I can't think of anything to complain about," she explained. "It never occurred to her to write that she liked something," her son told me. "People are always eager to say bad things, but they never say nice things. You know what I mean."

Hmmmm. Why do you suppose he phoned me?

That same week there was a letter from a 67-year-old woman who said nice things. She liked something I'd written about Betty Ford.

"That remark about Jerry Ford attending the funeral of his wife's old face just tickled us to death," the woman wrote, "and as long as death is imminent, it is more pleasant to die laughing."

The woman explained she'd been on chemotherapy for cancer for over two years. For her, the cliché was no exaggeration. She could die laughing—any minute.

So a dying woman, in pain, had taken the time to write something nice to me. And, by coincidence, she did it while I was pondering the message from the son whose mother wouldn't write nice things about chicken.

What's it all about, Alfie?

I'm not sure. But there's no denying that people throw more bricks than kisses. And certainly I'm more guilty than most. An intrepid columnist can't be expected to save the world without offending the people he is saving it from. Especially if he's an incurable smart-aleck who would hot-foot his grandmother for a laugh.

Perhaps it would be good for my soul if I admit the chicken tastes fine. And even if the chicken is rotten, I could follow the splendid example set by the woman who could die laughing: I could say something nice about the coleslaw.

I could start with Christmas.

Usually I wait until Christmas Eve before saying anything nice about Christmas. The "Christmas season"—which begins the Fourth of July—is full of people trying to make a buck. When some fine Christian businessman asks me to write about his Nativity scene, he's really asking me to advertise whatever he's selling behind the manger. Everyone has an angle.

Everyone? Not really. It may be true that Jesus would have been born in a heated shopping mall if Mary and Joseph had been carrying a Master Charge card. But it's also true that there'll be another Christmas party for poor children at Holy Trinity Church this year.

By now, thanks mostly to Magr. Clement Kern, everyone knows about Holy Trinity in Detroit's old Corktown where, today, most of the Irishmen are black or speak Spanish. This is the church that gives help to whoever needs it every day of the year. The Christmas party is just one small part of the continuous action.

But that doesn't mean some special seasonal help isn't needed to make the party a success. Money is being solicited to pay for gifts, food and photos taken with Santa Claus. One of the Santas doing the soliciting sent me this note:

"I don't know if you can figure out how to give the party a plug, but if you can it would be appreciated by the 250 kids we're expecting to attend.

Donations are being accepted by Leo Derderian at the Anchor Bar in the old Ft. Shelby Hotel. The party is Dec. 16. I figured I could plug it by saying something nice about the chicken—and about all the nice people who do nice things during the Christmas season, just to be nice.

I doesn't hurt to be nice. It hurts to be a kid who gets nothing for Christmas, and it hurts to die laughing.

27 Teens Ready For Snowmobiling

Twenty-seven area young people between the ages of 11 and 16 completed the Snowmobile Safety classes that were presented Nov. 28, 29 & 30 at the Lowell Middle School through the combined efforts of the Lowell Middle School, Kent County Sheriff's Department, and the Flat River Snowmobile Club of Lowell.

According to the Laws of Michigan, any person between the ages of 12 and 16 must have completed a Snowmobile Safety Course and have in their possession while operating a snowmobile a Certificate of Safety to this effect. These classes have been held every year since that law went into effect by members of the local club, the Sheriff's Department and the schools.

The classes cover the operation and maintenance of a snowmobile, the laws governing the use of a snowmobile, instruction in how to dress while riding a snowmobile, Ecology and the care of the environment by snowmobilers, and safety and first aid instruction to meet emergencies that might arise in connection with the snowmobiling.

Co-ordination of the classes was done by Louis Roskamp of the Flat River Snowmobile Club. Assisting him with the classes were: Deputy Jim Montgomery, Kent Co. Sheriff's Dept.; George Hamelink, snowmobile mechanic with the Landman Sports Center; Bruce Hinzman, Safety Director of the Attwood Corp. and Reserve Officer with the Lowell Police Dept. Rescue Unit; Bradley Potter, Ecology Chairman of the Flat River Snowmobile Club; and Faith Marshall, Clothing and Registrations.

It is interesting to note that one of the students, Helena Mehrstedt, was old enough to not need the Safety Certificate but wanted to take the Course anyway so she could operate a snowmobile effectively. Helena is an exchange student from Sweden to the Lowell High School and is making her home with the Jahnke family in Eastgate. She completed the classes with a perfect score.

Lunch Menu

Mon., Dec. 11: Lasagna or Goulash, Cabbage Salad, French Bread, Chilled Fruit, Milk.

Tues., Dec. 12: Choice of Hamburgers or Cheeseburgers and Pickles, Tossed Salad, Buttered Whole Kernel Corn, Cookies or Bars, Choice of Fruit, Milk.

Wed., Dec. 13: Roast Pork and Gravy with Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Hillbilly Bread of Rolls, Cranberry Jelly, Jello with Whip or Fruit, Milk.

Thurs., Dec. 14: Tacos with Meat, Cheese and Lettuce, Cole Slaw, Biscuits or Cornbread with Syrup, Choice of Fresh or Canned Fruit, Milk.

Fri., Dec. 15: Fishwiches with Tartar Sauce, Pickles and Potato Chips, Green and Wax Beans, Assorted Fruits or Whipped Jello, Bars or Cookies, Milk.



around city hall...

by Roy Quada

Christmas and snow plowing are upon us. Christmas always brings happiness and smiles. Snow plowing rarely brings either, but frequently causes the opposite to occur.

The City crews are responsible for the removal of snow from all City streets with the following exceptions: Kent County D.P.W. crews remove the snow on M-21 and Hudson Street north from M-21 to the City limits. They also plow M-91 from Hudson Street east to Riverside Dr. and north to the City limits.

Perhaps the greatest cause for concern on the part of residents is related to the order in which streets are plowed. Frequently individuals suggest that their street is the last street plowed and that City crews should reverse the order and plow their streets first.

It is the policy of the City to plow major streets first to assure that emergency vehicles can get within two blocks of most homes in the City. Residential streets are plowed after major streets are open and free to a full flow of traffic. Opening these streets would only result in congestion along major roadways which would hamper snow plowing efforts.

During major snow storms residents are asked to observe the following:

1. Remain off the streets except for emergencies;
2. Remove all cars from the street when a major storm is predicted;
3. Shovel driveway snow in the direction of traffic flow;
4. Mark mailboxes along the roadway.

Every attempt will be made to make this a safe and happy winter but snow removal requires a total community effort. With your help and generally a half day of work and patience, traffic should flow as normal as ever.

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The late Edgar Bergen, who announced his retirement from the theater only weeks before his death, was asked why he was retiring. His response:

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