

# The Grand Valley Ledger

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## Deer Season Starts Thursday: So Does 1st Buck Contest

Whoever hits the front door of the Grand Valley Ledger first with their buck in tow will win the Fourth Annual First Buck Contest sponsored by the Ledger and Lowell area merchants.

The Ledger will also announce the successes of other Lowell area deer hunters. All hunters should phone the Ledger (897-9261) with their names, weight of the deer, time the

deer was shot and number of points. The information must be at the Ledger by Monday, Nov. 19 for our next issue.

Firearm deer season begins tomorrow (Thursday) for those who don't keep up with these things.

The rules for winning the First Buck Contest are simple: The first hunter to show up at the Ledger office, 105 N. Broad-

way next to the Post Office on opening day of deer season with a validly tagged buck will win a hunter's bonanza.

From Lippert's Pharmacy, the winner will get a large hunter-orange Hot Seat. From Anderson's Shoes, the winner will get a hunter-orange knit cap and vest. From Pfaller's Riverfront Clothing, the winner gets a \$9.50 value flannel shirt.

Lowell Cut-Rate and the Grand Valley Ledger will have your deer processed for you free of charge. Modern Photo will make the moment memorable with an 8 x 10 color picture of the hunter with his (or her) deer. Hahn's Hardware will give the winner two boxes of 5 shotgun shells, slugs only, in your choice of gauge.

Happy hunting.

## Christiansen, Maatman and Fonger Win Seats

Nearly one-fourth of Lowell's registered electorate turned out to vote in the citywide election last Tuesday, Nov. 6 to elect three councilmen. Incumbent Robert Christiansen, James Maatman and M. Jack Fonger will assume their terms on January 1, 1980.

Christiansen, 54, a sales engineer for H.H. Barnum Co. has served as the city's mayor and is presently a member of the Council. He received the most votes, 254. He will serve a four-year term.

Maatman, 30, was second with 24 votes. He is owner and operator of three professional photography studios with his partner, Roger VanVleck. He will also serve a four-year term.

M. Jack Fonger placed third in the Council race with 165 votes. Fonger, 61, is a retired Lowell postal worker. He served as a council member for several years in the 1950's. He won a two-year seat on the Council.

Vote totals for the three unsuccessful candidates were: Donald MacNaughton, 160; Phillip Schneider, 150; Gordon Gould, 94.

## Vergennes Twp. Gets Two Gifts

Vergennes Township was the recipient of two gifts recently for its Township Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Heilman gave the township a 5' x 8' American flag to be displayed in front of the Township Hall. Heilman was Township Clerk until his retirement when he and Mrs. Heilman moved from the area.

The township also received a completely installed flag pole from the Vergennes Cooperative Club.

Acknowledgement and appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Heilman and to the Vergennes Cooperative Club was extended from the Vergennes Township Board through Irene Osborne, Township Clerk.



Robert Christiansen

James Maatman

M. Jack Fonger

## Above The Board

## Bus Routes, Band Uniforms Have Parents In Turmoil

At a school board meeting—held for the first time in the northern section of the district—board members pondered whatever prompted them to serve on a school board of education. The Vergennes Township hall was well utilized Monday night with a regular school board meeting held downstairs, and a Township meeting on the top floor.

While Board Member Miller, an Alto resident, had a little trouble finding the township hall, apparently some concerned citizens did not. The president of the Music Boosters organization queried the board on the specifics involved in purchase of new band uniforms. This organization is presently in a drive to raise money towards the purchase of new uniforms for the senior high school band.

The discussion centered on the actual amount of financial aid from the Board to the new uniform drive.

Three Mile Road was again

represented by parents concerned with the change in transportation routes, resulting in their children's having to walk to the corner. The fact that "at least they have safety in numbers" was the response of one citizen whose child must walk a considerable distance alone. Board members seemed unhappy with having to refuse these requests but felt they had little choice, and moved to retain the present transportation policy.

Dave Burdette, Bushnell Elementary School principal commented on the Health Education Program initiated last year and the recent visit of Dr. Richard Foster who devised the original program. School Nurse Gwen Eskes commented on the enthusiasm of the students who had taken the program in fourth grade who were asking when they would have more health classes.

The board then made a motion revising its original budget, having adjusted state aid and

local taxes to reflect Fourth Friday counts and taking into account negotiated increases in salaries.

Purchase of 3-65 passenger bus chassis and 2-48-passenger bus chassis was awarded to Thomet, with the body bids being awarded to Hoekstras.

Still along transportation lines, the board passed a motion to purchase a 1977 Ford sedan, currently on lease, which is used to transport 3 pre-school children to a special education program at Kettle Lake. The board decided to request bids in both forms—as a lease or as a purchase—for the replacement of the lease cars. When the bids are received a decision will be made on a basis of the figures received.

Ten-thirty p.m. found board members facing revisions of school policies. After a brief discussion, the weary group adjourned.



## IN CELEBRATION OF FAMILY

This week, Nov. 18-24, has been proclaimed by Mayor Dean Collins as Family Week in Lowell. In his declaration, Mayor Collins urges all citizens to be mindful of the fact that the stability of a community, state or a country depends in great measure upon the influence of a strong, cohesive family. Take the time to hug each other next week.

## REMINDER

Just a reminder from City Hall that the city hydrants will be flushed Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 13, 14 and 15 and residents are urged to check their water for rust before doing laundry, etc.

## WINTER ARRIVES

The first patches of ice made an appearance on the Flat River and the Post Office steps last week to signal the official arrival of winter weather. For our friends in Florida, the gray, cold nasties are upon our corner of Michigan.

## HUNT RECIPE

The Ledger received a plea for help from Mrs. Henry VanderVenn. Seems she has lost her favorite baked bean recipe which was carried years ago on the label of Hallmark Beans, a brand name for Runciman Beans and now defunct. She hopes someone in our area still has a copy. Contact the Ledger with the information and we'll pass it along.

## LONGER HOURS

Riverside Fireplace has expanded its holiday hours, in effect through December. The business will be open from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mon., Tues., Wed., and Fri. and 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Sat. They are closed on Thursday and Sunday.

## WORD OF PRAISE

More than one local citizen stopped at the Ledger office this week with a word of praise for the well-behaved and polite trick or treaters of Lowell last week. Good things kids do IS noticed and appreciated.

## OFF THE BLOTTER

Involved in a property damage accident on Sunday, Nov. 4 on North Broadway near Chatham was Tammy Lichte. The accident occurred when she lost control and hit a parked car, tree and lamppost.

Don Phillips was struck on Main St. near Smith on Wednesday, Nov. 7, by a female juvenile. Both the juvenile driver and her passenger were slightly injured in the accident.

John Felling and John Smoes collided on Barnes Rd. near West St. There were no injuries.

Three drivers complained of minor injuries and sought their own medical attention after being involved in a three car accident on Alden Nash at Segwun on Wednesday, Nov. 7 about 4:10 p.m. Louis Hyde was southbound on Alden Nash and could not stop in time to avoid collision with a vehicle driven by Inez Kauffman of Alto. Kauffman was stopped awaiting completion of a turn by Marlene Cain's vehicle. The Kauffman vehicle slid into the Cain vehicle after impact with the Hyde car.

Michael J. Hess was killed in a one car accident on 36th Street just west of Kissing Rock on Sunday, Nov. 11, at 2:30 a.m. Hess was eastbound on 36th St. when his car left the road and struck a tree. Lowell Rescue was called to free the victim. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

Donald L. Sherington of Grand Rapids, grandson of Mrs. Gertrude Grant of Alto was killed Saturday at 1-290 and US-131 when he lost control of his car and hit a concrete wall.

Involved in property damage accidents on Saturday evening, Nov. 10, were: Christine Doran of Belding when she failed to yield the right of way at Chatham and Amity and struck a vehicle driven by Paula Ross; and Eugene Strauss who struck a parked car on Main near Washington.

Arrested for driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor on Saturday evening, Nov. 10, were Leo Ryan and Craig Schneider after two separate traffic stops by Lowell officers.

Ionia County Sheriff's Deputies reported a car driven by Michael R. Thomas of Lowell was traveling on Tupper Lake Rd. near Bliss Rd. Friday night, Nov. 9 when the driver lost control and left the roadway landing in a ditch. Thomas and his passenger were taken to Pennock Hospital in Hastings for treatment of injuries.

James Bristol plead guilty to transporting open intoxicants in Ionia County before Judge Ward. John McKinley plead guilty to allowing an animal to run at large in court action before Judge Ward in Ionia County.

## State Names Flat Scenic River Amid Turmoil

Vowing that the fight is not over, representatives of the Tri-County Concerned Citizens pledged last week to carry the legal battle with the DNR to the courts. The group, which represents townships along the Flat from Six Lakes to Lowell in Montcalm, Kent and Ionia Counties, had voiced their strong opposition to changing the river's status in three public hearings nearly seven months ago. The DNR held the hearings to meet requirements under Public Act 231 of 1970, the

Natural River Act. Resistance to the DNR plan arose because eight of the nine affected townships had already enacted management plans in relation to the river and zoning ordinances for its adjoining lands in compliance with earlier DNR directives. The T-CCC felt they should be allowed to keep control and enforcement at a local level.

The Tri-County Planning Committee began work in 1976 on a river management plan to prevent the state control of the river and the state Natural Resources Commission approved their plan but said all nine townships had to approve and incorporate zoning ordinances. Keene Township in Ionia County decided against the plan. Those who complied with it were Otisco Twp. in Ionia Co., Vergennes in Kent Co., and Belvidere, Douglass, Pine, Fairplains, and Montcalm Twsps. in Montcalm Co.

Doug Carter, head of the DNR's Natural Rivers Unit, stated after Friday's decision, "Our position is that the designation will not affect township zoning already in place. If they enforce their zoning, we'll stay away. We won't zone over their heads."

Carter said that the state will begin the process of implementing state administrative rules in Keene Twp. in Ionia County and in Kent County, Oakfield Twp. and Spencer Twp. The latter two townships were included in the designation at the behest of state fisheries people as they have land contiguous to Wabasis Creek, Coopers Creek and Clear Creek which are feeder streams to the Flat River.

According to a T-CCC spokesman, the group has hired an attorney and plans to take the battle to the Supreme Court. The spokesman pointed out that the Natural Rivers Act had never been tested and that with state-wide support it would be tested with this case.

## Object To SnoMo Club

Controversy has arisen over the Flat River Snowmobile Club placing a trailer on private property on Covered Bridge Road adjacent to the south of Fallasburg Park as its headquarters, and seeking a zoning variance for such use from the Vergennes Township Zoning Board.

More than 64 signatures of residents in the area, many from Lowell, protesting the plan of the snowmobile club, have been sent to William Wight, Kent County park superintendent.

The complainants state that such a move will increase the snowmobile traffic and noise a great deal.

Wight points out that snowmobiling in the park has been permitted for several years. He also states that a zoning variance is up to the township zoning board and not the park department.

The petitions were sent to Wight by Robert Biggs of Vergennes Township.—Dave Barnes.

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## Sunday, November 25

in order to hook up the new sub station. Times and locations will be announced in next week's Ledger.

## SHS Presents Comedy This Fri. and And Sat.

The curtain goes up this Friday and Saturday, November 16 and 17 at 8 p.m. on a hauntingly funny comedy, "Great Caesar's Ghost!" by William D. Fisher, under the direction of David Benjamin, Saranac High School counselor and drama coordinator. The play is in three acts and will be presented in the high school cafeteria.

The play shows how one extremely scatter-brained lady, played by Elaine Kimble, and her friend, played by Amy Cornelisse, try to manage their daughter's lives. Both ladies love seances and mystics and this is how their family and staff manage to trick the ladies into allowing their daughters to live their own lives. There are some behind-the-scenes occurrences which are very frightening and in most cases hilarious.

Other leading roles are played by Dale Pitchford, Glen Cornelisse, Ann TerBurgh, DeAnn Eddy, Chris JeRue, Jim Darby, Chris Powell, and a cast of 13—plus one scary ghost!

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Chris JeRue, center, Elaine Kimble, far left, and Amy Cornelisse, left background, have the major roles in this Friday and Saturday nights' performance of "Great Caesar's Ghost", Saranac High School's annual fall play.

## Ribbon To Be Cut On E. Beltline

A ribbon-cutting ceremony, sponsored by the East Beltline Association, heralding the opening of the southbound lanes of the East Beltline between M-21 and Lake Eastbrook Boulevard, will take place at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 21, at Lake Eastbrook Boulevard, reports Charles Brooks, Grand Rapids district highway engineer for the Michigan Department of Transportation.

Southbound traffic will be able to use both lanes after the ceremony is over, but north-

bound traffic will continue to follow the detour until mid-December when those lanes will be opened to traffic, Brooks adds.

Those attending the event will include engineers from the Grand Rapids office of the MDT, merchants from the nearby shopping centers, county, township and Grand Rapids and Kentwood city officials, representatives from the MDT in

**WATCH FOR THE KRAZIES At Kelsers, coming this week. e1**

Lansing, legislators, and representatives of the contractor, L.W. Edison Co., Grand Rapids. The 3.2-mile-long, \$7,439,183, four-lane divided highway was started July 31, 1978.—Dave Barnes.

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# Seven Lowell Gridders Win All Conference Honors

With the end of the 1979 football season comes the announcement of the all-conference team. Mike Kaye was named first team quarterback. Karl Kloosterman, first team halfback. Steve Ries, Tom Grim and Jay Ricketts first team offensive line. Tim Grim, first team defensive line. Steve Ries, first team defensive back. Jay Ricketts and Bill Nage were named in second team defense with Kerry Kyster receiving honorable mention.

Varsity football statistics were also announced last Thursday evening at the annual football banquet. Awards were given including the "Oil Can" award which was given to Paul Brandt. "Most Improved" went to Mark VanWheelen, and in a tie, Mike Kaye and Karl Kloosterman received the "Most Valuable Player" awards.

In nine games this season, Lowell accumulated an average of 16 first downs per game. Lowell was penalized an average of 56 yards per game. Tom Grim, who did most of the punting throughout the season, punted 23 times for 35 yards per punt. On kickoffs, Steve King averaged 41 yards per kick in 33 attempts.

In rushing, Kloosterman led the way with 880 yards in 142 carries for a 6.2 average. He was followed by Brandt's 431 yards in 91 carries for a 4.7 average. Kaye followed with 136 yards in 64 carries for a 1.6 average per carry.

In passing, Soph. Jeff Quigley led all receivers in yards gained with 305 in 12 receptions for a 25.4 yards per reception. Kerry Kyster was second in yards gained with 198 in 18 receptions for an 11 yard average per catch. He was followed by Phil Richards' 132 yards in 7 receptions for an 18.9 average yards per catch. Kloosterman was next with 125 yards in 14 receptions for an 8.9 yard average. Kaye followed with 120 yards in 14 receptions for a 8.6 average per reception. Team totals were 1,027 total yards in 151 yards per reception.

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Jr. Kim Strouse scored her career high with 18 points. Elaine Blasher had 12. Diane Frasher with 8 and Shirley Wilcox, 6. Frasher pulled down 12 rebounds for Lowell.

Lowell is now 4-8 in the Tri-River League.

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### Lowell Edges C-Ville 55-53

The Lowell girls basketball team split with a win and a loss last week.

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### Shores, Burton Wed

Karla Burton and Daniel Shores were married before Dr. Richard Greenwood at the First Congregational Church of Lowell in an afternoon ceremony on September 15.

Parents of the couple are Ken and Margie Burton, 2820 Court Dr. SE, Lowell, and Don and Mary Shores, 3152 Kissing Rock Ave., Lowell.

The bride's gown was lace with a fitted bodice and fingertip lace sleeves with a full train. Her full length veil was gathered to a headpiece of lace and organza flowers.

Matron of Honor was Linda Schirmer and Debbie Shores was bridesmaid. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Fallsburg Park Pavilion with Allan and Virginia Conners as Master and Mistress of Ceremonies.

After a Southern honeymoon trip, the newlyweds returned to their residence on Savies Rd., Lowell.

### cozy corner

By Roger Brown

While in Grand Rapids getting supplies for the Ledger a couple of weeks ago, I stopped by a downtown camera shop to get a pair of my cameras. I was wearing a pair of corduroys that were probably the most comfortable pair of pants I've ever owned, and were consequently worn pretty thin.

As I stepped down from my van, the seat of my pants split about four inches. It wasn't your normal split seam, but rather a separation of the material running vertically up the side of the left back pocket. This was one of those really nice days that we were blessed with in late October and I was wearing a short sleeved knit shirt and no jacket that might help cover the tear.

Standing behind the open door of my van, I tried to survey the extent of the damage without being seen. I discovered that if I hitched my pants way up, unbuttoned my shirt and pulled it down as far as it would go, the rip was just barely covered.

Not wanting to make a special trip back into Grand Rapids, I called the situation "good enough" and went on into the store. On the way, I kept tugging at my shirt and turning around to see if anyone was staring at me.

I immediately went to the rear of the store where I could lean against the counter and face the front of the store. In this position, I hoped that no one would get behind me, and discover the source of my embarrassment.

As it turned out, the part I was after was a rare bird, and before it was located, the store manager and another clerk were called in to help. With three of them waiting on me, I had a heckuva time trying to simultaneously field their questions, tug at my shirt, pull at my pants and keep my rip to the rear of the store. It really really hurt to do all these things at once, but it was quite difficult to do all these things without looking ridiculous. I'm not sure if I succeeded.

In a downtown Grand Rapids specialty shop, in the middle of a weekday afternoon, I didn't expect the situation complicated by meeting anyone that I knew. But, true to form, old Murphy's Law came through. In came an old friend of my wife's family, shopping for a new camera.

With this turn of events, I had to add avoiding eye contact with him, to my list of gyrations. It worked, because he had his questions answered and left the store without confronting me, and forcing me to leave my secluded position.

Finally the part was located and while paying for it, I dropped a quarter on the floor. The sweater got that one, because I wasn't about to bend over after it. With the transaction complete, I stepped out smartly, tugging at my shirt and never looking back to see if anyone was pointing and laughing.

Getting back into my van, the rip lengthened itself from about four inches, to a foot. This really didn't pose any problem, other than I needed to stop for gas. Have you ever tried to find a full-service gas station these days? It's like the old quip about never being able to find a policeman when you need one.

I finally got my gas, and got home without any further incident, other than worrying about a flat tire, a speeding ticket, or something else that might necessitate leaving the van. I guess there are exceptions to Murphy's Law.

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## Obituaries...

**SMITH** — Howard C. Smith, aged 61, of 5405 Hotchkiss Road, Lowell, passed away suddenly Wednesday morning, November 7, 1979.

He is survived by his wife, Eleanor; his children, Mrs. James (Barbara) Coolsas of Massapeque, NY, Howard A. of Saranac, Steven, Susan and Thomas at home, Staff Sgt. Roger D. Caudill of CA and Diana Caudill of Lansing; a brother, Elmore of Greensboro, NC; three sisters, Mrs. Gladys Walker and Mrs. Lily Williams of NC and Mrs. Virginia Horton of Cadillac; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Rev. Jack Cook officiating. Interment Chapel Hills Memorial Garden.

**YOUNG** — Charles F. Young, aged 88, of Howard City, and a former Caledonia resident and retired employee of the former Gibson Refrigerator Company, passed away Friday, Nov. 9, 1979 in the United Memorial Hospital, Greenville.

Surviving are his children, Elmer Young of Howard City, Donald McDermid of Alaska, Melvin McDermid of Dutton, Mrs. Shelvin (Betty) Hart of Alto, Mrs. Eleanor Simmons of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Carol Williams of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Frances (Stedman) Green-ville.

Surviving are his children, Elmer Young of Howard City, Donald McDermid of Alaska, Melvin McDermid of Dutton, Mrs. Shelvin (Betty) Hart of Alto, Mrs. Eleanor Simmons of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Carol Williams of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Frances (Stedman) Greenville.

Survivors include his wife, Donna; five sons, Winston of Lansing, Kenneth Wayne of Grand Lakes, Ill., Frank, Mike and Myron, all of Palo, three daughters, Mrs. Linda Sage of Saranac, Mrs. Laura Jean Howell of Crystal, Mrs. Marlene Lake of Palo; three brothers, Charles, Stanley and Harry, all of Ionia; 15 grandchildren. One sister preceded him in death, Mrs. Gertrude Grant of Alto, deceased formerly of Hamilton, passed away Friday, Nov. 9, 1979.

Survivors include his wife, Kathy; two brothers, Earl of Jensen, Cornelius of Wyoming; two sons, Michael and Brian both of Holland; a sister, Anne Huesing of Holland; and a daughter Brandy of Lowell.

The service was held Monday morning at Pedersen-Pierce Funeral Home.

He is survived by his wife, Rena; his children, Jack and Elsie Buys and Jake and Betty Klein of Alto; six grandchildren; a great-grandson; two brothers, Joseph Buys of Jensen, Jacob Buys of Grand Rapids; two sisters, Mrs. Roy (Lena) Oxtens of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Jacob (Marie) Pater of Mesa, AZ.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon with his Pastor, The Rev. John Berends of Lakeside Community Church officiating. Interment in Cascade Cemetery.

The family suggests memorial contributions in his memory, to the New Church Building Fund of the Lakeside Christian Reformed Church.

**EICKHOFF** — Helen Norton Eickhoff, aged 64, of 4130 Buttrick SE passed early Saturday, November 10, 1979 at her residence.

She is survived by her husband Harvey; her children, Lee Norton of Alto, John Norton of Grand Rapids, Janet Zachowicz of Ada, Janice Jackson of Lake Odessa, Judy McCormick of Grand Rapids, Larry Norton of Ada; a brother, John Bralio of Freeport; a sister, Bernetta Thies of Venies, FL; eight step-children; 40 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Tuesday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home.

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# Saranac Doin's...

**Off the Blotter**  
 Larry Smith of 103 Center was fined \$15 for defective equipment on his vehicle. Brian Simpson of 2095 Hawley paid \$24 for speeding. Randy Bailey, 7255 Bliss Rd., paid \$20 for speeding.  
 Michael Reid, 161 Mill St. was fined \$30 for speeding. Linda Brimmer of 5261 Bluewater Hwy., paid \$19 for having no registration plates. Roger Knop of 8041 Riverside Dr., paid \$24 for being unable to stop in the assured clear distance ahead.  
 Steven Guernsey, 8120 West Bluewater Hwy., was fined \$32 for speeding.

## November 24 Wedding Plans Told



Rep. Alan Cropsey and Erika Rumminger

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## Saranac Honor Roll Announced

Those receiving all A's for the Saranac High School Honor Roll were:  
 Brenda Bignall, Jamie Clover, Randy Murphy, Juniors; Karen Biggs, Carrie Bush, Melody Stahl, Sophomores; Laura Rickert, Kim Sweet, Jean White, Freshmen; Rick Bush, Craig Lowetz, Judy Overbeck, Selma Stahl, Karen Vargo, 8th Grade.

**SENIORS**  
 A's & B's  
 Deborah Adams, Doug Borup, Craig Coulson, Kim DeMeester, DeAnn Eddy, Steve Ellison, Ted Heilman, Colleen Hunter, Cheryl Kimball, Dawn Klimeshik.

**JUNIORS**  
 Linda Anticif, Jim Austin, Mike Benz, Lori Boike, Geoff Doty, Melinda House, Michelle Ida, Janet Kneale, Debbie Schneider, Ryan Simmons, Debbie Stuart, Roxanne Wright.

**SOPHOMORES**  
 A's & B's  
 Jodi Carlson, Cindy DeMeester, Cheri Gates, Stephanie Kimble, Mike Knowles, Dawn Leaf, Stacy Metternick, Carol Mutscher, Mariah Smith, Barbara Snay, Janet Wisner, Deb Yaw.

**FRESHMEN**  
 A's & B's  
 Becky Borup, Kris Cantu, Dean Coffman, Rebecca Coulter, Cindy Geiger, Mary Goss, Christine Gevels, Becky, Josh, and Arvin.

**4 Take Medals At State Meet**  
 The Saranac boys cross country team made its first trip as a team into state competition last Saturday, Nov. 3, and finished a respectable sixth out of nine teams competing in the Class D finals with 133 total points.

**Christmas Crafts For Kids**  
 The Lowell YMCA will be offering a Christmas Crafts Class beginning Saturday, November 17th. Anyone in the 4th-6th grades are welcome to join. The class meets at 9 a.m. Saturdays at the YMCA Office.

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# Society Notes...

## United In Marriage



Thomas and Carol Dreth

Carol Lee Wittenbach and Thomas L. Dreth were married at the First United Methodist Church in Lowell on August 18 with the Rev. Gerald Bates officiating.  
 Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Wittenbach, Bennett Road, Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Levent of East Jordan.  
 Honor Attendant was the bride's sister, Lynn Wittenbach. Maid of Honor was Patricia Stevens. Best Man was David Dreth of East Jordan, brother of the groom, was best man.

## Armstrong-McQueen Nuptial Celebrated



Mrs. Mark Charles Armstrong

Wanda Sue McQueen and Mark Charles Armstrong were united in marriage on October 6, in an afternoon nuptial at St. Mary's Church of Lowell with Fr. Thomas Schiller, celebrant.  
 The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McQueen of 198 Montclair, Lowell, and Mrs. Lawrence Armstrong of 318 N. Lincoln Lake, Lowell, are parents of the groom.  
 For her wedding Ms. McQueen chose a white Chantilly lace and organza gown with lantern sleeves and cathedral train.  
 The honor of serving as the bride's Matron was dedicated to the late Barbara Lee McQueen, sister of the bride, Bridesmaids were Tammy Kerr, Jennifer Hayes and Karen Kerr. Jennifer Armstrong was Junior Bridesmaid and Yvette Armstrong was Flower Girl.  
 Blair Armstrong served as his brother's Best Man. Groomsman were Don Ritzema, George Lessens and David Armstrong. Junior Groomsman was Jeremy Armstrong and Daniel Engle was Ring Bearer. Donald McQueen and Marvin McQueen, brothers of the bride, were Ushers.  
 RoseAnn Ritzema was organist and soloist for the ceremony. At the reception, held in the Fallburg Park Pavilion, Mr. and Mrs. Ferris McQueen were master and Mistress of Ceremonies.

## Reflections From Outer Space

By Rev. Jerry Bates

I can't help it that I don't have any hair on the top of my head. I can't help it that my haircut is almost the same as Dean Bailey's. Somehow our genes caught up with us that way. There are a lot of things that I can't help. But there are many things I can help. I decide where I work. I decide how I talk. No one else but me decides what I think or how I act.

I can blame all of the above onto my heritage. You know my mother and my father raised me in a certain way. They spanked me too often as a child and then, never when I needed it. They believed that children in the company of adults should be heard and not overheard, seen or heard. They made sure that I went to Church every Sunday and not only Sunday morning, but Sunday night as well. You know that I even went to Church on Wednesday night service.

I can blame the kind of person I am on my parents, if I want to. I can say that the way I speak and how I act all goes back to the way they trained or warped me. But someone I have to take responsibility for myself. My life is my responsibility.

When I speak, I let you see inside of me, so I am responsible for what I say. I can't blame my language or my ignorance onto my parents. I decide what I say. You see, someone else has to take responsibility for our own actions. Some of us continually try to blame our actions on somebody else, but Alone Together, a newly organized group of divorced and widowed women, met at the First Congregational Church on Sunday, Nov. 11. Plans were made to hold formal monthly meetings on the first Sunday of each month at the church. A 16-monthly events will be announced as they are scheduled.

The group's current calendar of events includes a Christmas Potluck at 3 p.m. in the Church dining room with entertainment. Members should bring canned foods for a Christmas banquet.

For further information, call Shirley at 897-8545

## Vows Solemnized



Suzanne and Dennis Wittenbach

The First Congregational Church of Lowell was the setting for the marriage of Suzanne Timpon and Dennis Wittenbach on Saturday, Nov. 3 with Dr. Richard Greenwood officiating.  
 Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John R. Timpon of 3025 Segawa St. in Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wittenbach of 10300 Bennett Rd., Lowell.

Tracy Timpon, sister of the bride, was Maid of Honor and Ronald Wittenbach, cousin of the groom, was Best Man. Jeff Timpon, brother of the bride, was Usher.  
 Following a reception at the Grand Rapids Riding Club, the new Mr. and Mrs. Wittenbach honeymooned in Florida. The couple reside at 11383 Vergennes Rd., Lowell.

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**HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS**  
 by Pauline E. Spray  
 Jesus... saith until him, Follow me (John 1:43).  
 The fog was so thick we could scarcely find our way through its denseness. As my husband and I were about to turn into low-flying clouds which obscure our view and threaten to "ditch" us in our travels. A glance to the left or to the right does not help. We despair for our lives. We wonder if we can make it. All is dark and foreboding. The pathway ahead is obliterated by the troublesome fog.  
 But help lies in the gloom. If we keep looking straight ahead, we shall catch a glimpse of Christ leading the way. He can see through the denseness. He knows every turn in the road. If we take things into our own hands and "go around" Him, we are sure to run into trouble. But we shall reach our heavenly home without accident or harm if we keep our eyes on Christ and "follow Him."

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**Adelbert Odell Honored**  
 The Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Michigan, with the approval of Grand Master Charles S. Moulthrop, Jr., have granted the Lowell Lodge #84M #90 the privilege of presenting Mr. Adelbert Odell, his life membership certificate and pin. The presentation will be made at the annual banquet Tuesday, Nov. 13 at 6:30 p.m.  
 Mr. Odell has served the Lowell Lodge well serving as Worshipful Master in 1944-1945. He has been very active on various Degree Teams. Mr. Odell will join an elite group consisting of Jurl Armstrong, Keith Baugley, Charles Colby, Richard Court, Raymond Goosen, Robert D. Hahn, Clyde Klayton, Nelson Meekins, Erwin Merriman, Bruce McQueen, Howard Rittenger, Roland Shively, Lloyd Shultus, Stephen Smith, Howard C. White, George Whitfield, John Winks, Arnold Wittenbach and George Story.  
 All Masons and their wives, Royal Arch members, Eastern Star members, Shriners and friends are invited to the annual supper. Tickets, \$3.50 each may be obtained from Lodge members or at the door. Reservations may be made to W.M. Cecil DeRushia, or Sec. Forrest L. Buck.  
 There will be a social hour for visitors in the lounge, while the members are conducting their Annual Meeting and election of officers in the Lodge rooms at 7:30.

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 Evening Service 8:00 p.m.

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 2275 East Main Street  
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 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
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 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
 Sr. High Youth Group 8:15 p.m.  
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# Coming Events...

THURS., NOV. 15: Hooker November convocation at 7:30 Chapter #73 RAM will hold their p.m. in the Masonic Temple in

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

ON COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS  
A Public Hearing will be held before the Lowell City Council on Monday,

**November 19, 1979**

at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Room of City Hall, 301 East Main Street.

The purpose of the hearing will be to receive citizen input on the potential use of Community Development Block Grant Funds.

The City of Lowell may be eligible to receive \$25,000.

Any citizen or organization may submit ideas for use of the funds, either in writing or orally at the hearing.

Ray E. Quada,  
City Manager-Clerk

## LOWELL TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Lowell Township Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Monday,

**November 26, 1979**

at 8:00 P.M. at the Lowell Township Hall, 2910 Alden Nash, SE to consider Lowell Missionary Church's request for a use variance which would allow them to build a church on property owned by them within Section 8 of Lowell Township.

Carol L. Wells,  
Lowell Township Clerk  
897-8831

## Four Attend FFA National Convention

Four Lowell FFA members attended the National Future Farmers of America convention held at Kansas City, MO, November 4-9.

Lynn Wilcox, Dawn Condon, Marilyn Flanagan, and Kent Feldman were among the 31,000 FFA members, advisors, and guests from all 50 states attending the convention.

In addition to the convention, members attended numerous tours and agricultural exhibitions.

AREA TREASURES  
John Ball Park Zoo is located at W. John Ball Park Dr., NW, and W. Fulton Ave., Grand Rapids. It is open daily from 9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Admission is 25c for adults.

## Legal Notices...

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT  
FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT  
ORDER FOR PUBLICATION

Case No. 79-39470-DO  
THOMAS ROBERTS, Plaintiff,

VS.  
JERI LYNN ROBERTS, Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Circuit Courtrooms in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, on the 31st day of October, 1979.

PRESENT: Honorable John T. Letts, (P-16583), Circuit Judge.

The above-entitled matter was filed on October 31, 1979 by Thomas Roberts, Plaintiff, against Jeri Lynn Roberts, Defendant, for an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Defendant, Jeri Lynn Roberts, answer to take such action as may be permitted by law on or before the 30th day of April, 1980.

Failure to comply with this Order will result in a default judgment against the Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

John T. Letts  
Circuit Judge

Wade S. Seys  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
412 McKay Tower  
1200 Bankers Bldg.  
Grand Rapids, MI 49503  
Examined, Countersigned, & Entered, JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK; HEALY M. LYONS, Deputy Clerk.

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JACK BRONKEMA, CLERK,  
HEALY M. LYONS, Deputy,  
11/7-11/28

These "Lifeline Hoboes" on Halloween won first prize at the VFW-Volunteer Firemen party in the age 1-5 category. They are: Heather Sauli, Maggie Blanning and Nicki Myers.

A great array of Halloween characters consisting of 139 children and 75 adults attended the VFW Auxiliary and Volunteer Firemen's Halloween Party on October 31.

Prizes for costumes were awarded in age groups as follows: 1-5, Heather Sauli, Maggie Blanning, Nicki Myers, 6-9, Misty McClure, Andy Shaffer, Janelle Hendrick, 10-15, Jeremy Barber, Tobi Shaffer, Carol Stason; 16-Up, Noreen Martin, Sue Saudi, Marion Corrigan.

On Oct. 17 Lowell VFW 8303 entertained 60 members of the

Kent County Council at a meeting and lunch.

Kids! Don't forget the "Kids Only" Christmas Shopping store at the VFW Post 8303, 3077 Main St. the day of the Christmas Parade. The store will be open at 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. Parents are welcome (in the parents room only) and invited to enjoy coffee and brownies while the children shop.

The Cooties Pup Tent 76 served another fine breakfast, Sunday morning, Nov. 11 at the post. These breakfasts are open to the public. Watch for the announcement of breakfasts in the future.

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**NANCY** - How about some Chinese food with a little sausage on the side? - Disco Dell.

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

Regular Meeting of Monday, October 15, 1979.

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: Councilmembers Carter, Christiansen, Jackson, Warning, Lessens and Collins.

Absent: None.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Christiansen that the Minutes of the October 1 Meeting be approved as written, supported by Councilman Carter.

Carried.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Warning that the Bills and Accounts Payable be allowed and warrants issued, supported by Councilman Christiansen.

Yes: All present.  
No: None.  
Absent: None.

**BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS**

General Fund	\$22,472.28
Major Street Fund	22.50
Local Street Fund	22.50
Water Fund	5,308.52
Sewer Fund	391.53
Equipment Fund	1,720.15
Federal Revenue Fund	2,000.82
Trust and Agency Fund	328.00
Storm Sewer Fund	16.50

Councilman Christiansen read and offered the following resolution for adoption, supported by Councilman Carter.

Carried.

**Declaration of Restrictive Covenant**

WHEREAS, application for licensure under provisions of 1978 PA 641, 1970 CL 290.401 et seq, for the purpose of conducting, managing, maintaining or operating a disposal area upon lands situated in the Township of Boston, County of Ionia, has been properly made; and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Natural Resources, will contemporaneously issue such license; and

WHEREAS, 1978 PA 641, supra, Section 16 requires that at the time of licensing of a sanitary landfill, an instrument which imposes a restrictive covenant upon the land involved shall be executed by all the owners of the tract of land upon which the landfill is located and the director.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Lowell for themselves, their heirs, successors, lessees, or assigns declare, covenant and agree:

1. That the lands hereinbefore described have been or will hereafter be used as a sanitary landfill, and that neither they, nor their servants, agents, employees, nor any of their heirs, successors, lessees or assigns shall for shall by their leave or suffering permit others to engage in filling, grading, excavating, drilling or mining of the lands and premises above described until 15 years after completion of all landfill activity upon the same, unless written authorization therefor is obtained from the Director of the Department of Natural Resources; and that the State of Michigan or any municipality may in addition to any other remedy available at law bring an action for an injunction or other process against any person, county, or municipality to restrain or prevent any violation of the restrictive covenant hereby imposed upon the subject premises.

2. That at the time of the ensailing and delivery of these presents the above described premises are free from all encumbrances whatever, (except)

The director of the department of natural resource does for and on behalf of the State of Michigan covenant and agree to execute, acknowledge, and deliver to the party of the first part, a release of the within restrictive covenant, in suitable form, upon the expiration of the 15 year period provided for herein.

**Restrictive Deed Landfill Operation**

Council then discussed the proposed restrictive deed and covenant for the sanitary landfill operation, in essence, the land at the landfill could not be used for any purpose for a period of 15 years from the closing date of the landfill. It would be restricted for use only as a landfill now, and could not be used for any other purpose.

The following resolution was offered by Councilman Christiansen, supported by Councilman Carter for adoption.

WHEREAS, the City of Lowell currently operates a landfill located on Ware Road in Ionia County; and

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Public Act 641 requires the execution of a restrictive deed and covenant relative to said land; and

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Public Act 641 requires proof of ownership of said land,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lowell City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor and City Clerk to execute a restrictive deed and covenant which shall bind the property located on Ware Road to landfill use only for a period not less than fifteen years following its last active use date; and

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the City Manager is hereby authorized, if necessary, to contract for a survey of said property and to verify ownership by the City of Lowell.

Carried.

**Police Cruiser Purchase Policy-Tabled**

Manager Quada then recommended that the discussion on the police cruiser purchasing policy be withheld until all available information is received. Council concurred to table. Council then discussed the purchase of an Oxygen Deficiency Alarm Unit, which measures the amount of oxygen present in the underground sewers; and alerts men to the dangers of toxic gases in the passageways.

**Purchase of Oxygen Deficiency Unit**

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Carter that the bid process be waived, due to the recommendation of Manager Quada on available information on the best, most reliable unit, and that the quote of Safety Services, Inc. for \$650.00 for a Combo 033 Dynamometer Combustible, Toxic and Oxygen Deficiency Alarm Unit, supported by Councilman Warning.

Carried.

**Uniform Traffic Code Amendments**

Council discussed the decriminalization of many of the minor traffic violations by the Michigan State Police, and filed with the Secretary of State. Since the City operates within the Uniform Traffic Code along with the State Police, the City can, by resolution, adopt the amendments to that code for use by City Police.

The following resolution was offered for adoption by Councilman Carter, supported by Councilman Warning.

WHEREAS, the Michigan State Police Department was directed to decriminalize the Uniform Traffic Code; and

WHEREAS, said decriminalization has been accomplished through the promulgation of rules which are a supplement to the 1976 Uniform Traffic Code booklet; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lowell has adopted the Uniform Traffic Code and past amendments thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lowell City Council does hereby authorize, in accordance with procedures set forth in Chapter 9, Section 9.5 of the Uniform Traffic Code, the adoption of the Michigan Traffic Code Emergency Rules as prepared by the Michigan State Police Department and filed with the Secretary of State of Michigan on August 1, 1979.

Carried.

**Manager's Report**

Under the Manager's Report, Manager Quada stated that he had received a letter from County Commissioner Vernon Ehlers on a County-wide uniform emergency vehicle-police central dispatch. Manager Quada, Mayor Collins and Councilman Jackson to attend. He also discussed the property damage accident which demolished the phone booth, the railing to the City Hall front steps, and the canopy over the V.F.W. entrance.

There was no citizen input.

**Council Remarks**

Under Council Remarks, Councilman Jackson asked if any decision had been made to date on the paving of Godfrey Street.

Manager Quada replied that the County Road Commission has not determined whether or not to pave it, pending the ownership of Vergennes Township, and the City of Lowell being established for shared cost.

Postmaster Charles Doyle was present and asked the status of the Division Street Bridge, stating that mail delivery is only one of the services being delayed because of the closing. Manager Quada stated that the application for replacement has been sent, with no word having been received as yet.

Councilman Warning asked about the possibility of installing a new railing in the center of the City Hall steps for safety of the elderly who come in to City Hall. Requests for such a railing have been made in the past, and as long as the old one was removed for us, now is the time. He also asked if City Hall was equipped with smoke detectors. No-fire extinguishers only.

Councilman Carter stated that Liquor by the Glass has been okayed County-wide for sale on Sundays, beginning January 1, 1980, and its effect on the City. Manager Quada stated that the City needs to do nothing, and will automatically go with the County-wide policy.

It was then moved by Councilman Carter to adjourn at 8:46 p.m.

DEAN COLLINS, Mayor

RAY E. QUADA, City Clerk

# The Back Page...

## Giant Birthday Party At G.R. Museum

On Sunday, November 18, from 1 to 5 p.m., the Grand Rapids Public Museum will celebrate its 125th Birthday. The Public Museum began as

the Grand Rapids Lyceum of Natural History on November 14, 1854. Since its origin, the Museum has grown from a private club to its present status

as the first museum accredited by the American Association of Museums, employing nearly 50 full-time and 20 part-time people.

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To help in the celebration, the Museum is asking all those whose birthdays are on November 14th to be sure to come to the party. If you can prove that November 14th is your birthday, you will be entitled to a free gift.

This giant Birthday party will have something for everyone. Music will be heard throughout the Museum. There will be cake and punch. In addition, there will be a sneak preview of the "People of the Grand" Exhibit, which will not be opened again until November 1980. All these activities are free.

## Bowl For C-F On Nov. 26

Buzz Fazio, chairman for the 1979 Cystic Fibrosis "Bowl For Breath", announced today that 75 bowling centers throughout Michigan will participate in this year's Bowl-A-Thon, which will take place on Friday, November 23, the day after Thanksgiving.

The objective of the Bowl-A-Thon is to raise badly needed money for research for this lung-damaging disease, Cystic Fibrosis.

Everyone is invited to participate, and entry forms are now available at participating bowling centers throughout Michigan. Entrants are encouraged to recruit as many sponsors as they can and have them pledge no more or no less than a penny a pin for each point in three games of bowling. The event is not only for boys and girls but for adults as well!

If you pick up an entry form, secure ten sponsors, bowl three games, and collect a penny a pin. You'll have a good time, win prizes, and help strike out Cystic Fibrosis, the leading genetic killer of children. For information contact American Legion Lanes, Lowell.

## Comedy Delights Crowds



Helen Wittenbach played the leading lady in the play-within-a-play presented by the students of Lowell Senior High School last weekend in the comedy, "Macbeth Did It". The annual all-school drama drew a good crowd Friday night and near capacity on Saturday. Ms. Wittenbach had some harsh words for her drunken "husband" Kurt DeVries in the scene pictured. Directed by Ivan Haney, the production raised funds which will offset its costs and help defray expenses of future presentations.—Photo by Chris Conlisk.

## Send Foreign Mail Now For Holidays

Postmaster Charlie Doyle has released the suggested mailing dates for military and civil mail intended for Alaska, Hawaii and overseas. In order that relatives and friends receive their Christmas greetings and parcels on time, Doyle suggests that you follow the guideline below.

**MILITARY MAIL —**  
Nov. 1 — Space Available Mail (SAM) and regular surface parcels to the Mid East;

Nov. 8 — Parcel Airlift (PAL) mail to the Mid East; Nov. 10 — Space Available Mail (SAM) TO Southeast Asia, Surface parcels to Central & South America, Europe and Africa, Space Available Mail (SAM) to Africa; Australia and Central & South America;

Nov. 13 — Surface parcels to the Caribbean/West Indies; Nov. 17 — Parcel Airlift (PAL) mail to Africa, Australia, Central & South America and Southeast Asia; Nov. 21 — Space Available Mail (SAM) to Europe & the Far East; Nov. 22 — Space Available Mail (SAM) to Caribbean/West Indies and Iceland. Surface parcels to Iceland; Nov. 24 — Space Available Mail (SAM) to Greenland. Surface parcels to Greenland; Nov. 28 — Parcel Airlift (Pal) mail to Europe & the Far East; Nov. 30 — Parcel Airlift (Pal) mail to Iceland and the Caribbean/West Indies. Dec. 1 — Surface parcels to Alaska and Hawaii, Parcel Air-

lift (Pal) mail to Greenland, Space Available Mail (SAM) to Alaska. First-class and Priority mail to Australia, Central & South America & Southeast Asia; Dec. 5 — First-class and Priority mail to the Mid-East; Dec. 8 — First-class and Priority mail to Africa & Greenland, Parcel Airlift (PAL) mail to Alaska; Dec. 12 — First-class and Priority mail to Europe & the Far East; Dec. 14 — First-class and Priority mail to Alaska and Hawaii.

**INTERNATIONAL (Civil) MAIL —**  
Oct. 27 — Surface mail to SE Asia, SE Africa, West Africa, Australia & Far East.

Nov. 1 — Surface mail to the Mid East; Nov. 10 — Surface mail to North & Northwest Africa, Central & South America and Europe; Dec. 13 — Surface mail to the Caribbean/West Indies; Nov. 28 — Air parcels to North & Northwest Africa, Australia, the Mid East and Southeast & West Africa; Nov. 30 — Air parcels to Central & South America and SE Asia.

Dec. 1 — Surface mail to Canada and Mexico, Airmail letters and cards to Australia, Central & South America and Southeast Asia; Dec. 5 — Airmail letters/cards to the Mid East; Dec. 8 — Air parcels to Europe and the Far East. Airmail letters/cards to North & Northwest Africa, Southeast & West Africa; Dec. 12 — Air parcels to Caribbean/West In-

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**GOOD NEWS...**

Cards and letters would brighten the day of John C. Osmolinski of Lowell, a patient at Veteran's Hospital. His address is 4th Floor West, Room 22, Bed 3, Ann Arbor, MI.

**Happy Birthday...**

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November 19: Luchio Linares, Joyce Griffith, Evelyn Roudabush, Helen Vandenhock.

November 20: Brian Brown.

November 21: Carl Claus, Terry Zandstra.

November 22: Marcia Caldwell.

Belated Wishes to Penny Hansen, Nov. 15.

## Get In Trim For Holidays

If you're worried about getting in shape for the holidays, come and join the YMCA's "Holiday Trimmings". Women's exercise class at Runciman Elementary. We will meet

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