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Ledger changes size, heads, price

If you haven't noticed some changes in your Ledger this week, there's something wrong with your eyesight.

The most notable change of course, is the size. We have gone from a broadsheet format to what is called a

tabloid or tab format. There are many advantages to this from our standpoint, one being that the tab size is easier to work with and gives the paper twice as many pages, allowing for more flexibility. An example would be that in the past we have always had to combine society notes (weddings and such) with the church news. Now each can have their own page in most cases.

From the advertiser's point of view, the tab size is advantageous because the page size is smaller and an ad is not as apt to get "lost". Also, because there are more pages, we will be less forced to put two restaurant ads or two automobile ads on the same page.

We feel that most readers will appreciate the tabloid format also. The smaller size makes the paper easier to read whether you are holding it or spreading it out on a table or desk.

If there are so many advantages to the tabloid size, why then haven't we gone to it before this? Well, mostly tradition. The Ledger has been in existence since 1893 and has always been a broadsheet paper, and that's a long time to get into the habit of being a broadsheet.

You may have noticed that we have changed the type

face used in our headlines and that we have gone to a "down style" head. Down style simply means that only the first word in a head and proper nouns are capitalized. Our old format was upper and lower with the first letter in every word being capitalized in our headlines. We feel that the down style heads are easier to read and make for a cleaner looking paper. You may also notice that the heads are centered instead of being flush left.

As long as we were changing things, we also decided that it was time to change the price of the Ledger. We have raised the newsstand price from fifteen to twenty cents and the in-county subscription rate from \$5.00 to \$6.00. Out of county subscription rates have also gone up, raising from \$6.50 to \$8.00.

Now before you get excited about the price increase, let us tell you when these prices were last raised. On July 4, 1974, the Ledger went from ten to fifteen cents on the newsstand and from \$4.00 to \$5.00 for an in-county subscription. We all know what has happened to other prices since then.

We hope you enjoy your new Ledger. We're certainly excited about it and are looking forward to working with the new format.



Ledger Editor, Roger Brown begins work on the front page of the paper's first tabloid size issue. Much work has gone into the changeover from broadsheet to tab size.



ON DISPLAY

The model of the new Robert E. Lee is now on display at City Hall on Main Street. Built with exquisite attention to detail and with affection for the fund drive which built the new Showboat by Bill Barber, the model is under a clear plastic cover. If you somehow missed it while it was on display at State Savings Bank, catch up with it at City Hall.

REWARD

A \$50 reward has been anonymously donated for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for damages inflicted to the Runciman-Riverside playground on or about January 18, 1980. Considerable damage was done to the turf and sod on the school grounds. Any person having information regarding the incident should contact the Lowell Police Department at 897-7123. The reward will not be given to any individual actually involved in the act.

IT'S CLASSIFIED

The Ledger will feature a special section in our February 13 issue devoted to all those boys and girls, fellas and gals, grandparents and grandkids who have Valentine messages to send. Husbands should not be surprised if wives are wearing a tense look if they cannot find a Valentine with their name on it. Friends and relatives who keep track of the old hometown through these pages each week would love to find a mushy missive directed their way.

It's simple to take care of. Call the Ledger (897-9261) or stop in at 105 N. Broadway, drop it through our mail slot if we aren't here or drop the coupon (to be found elsewhere in this issue) in the mail. One dollar buys 20 words (3c each additional word). Where else can you buy happiness for a buck?

SMARTING OFF

The mailman brought a letter from Emerson Stevens this week who claims to have seen over a dozen robins in his front yard on January 22. Can't be, you say? Well, it can be because his front yard is in Riverview, Florida. He also wrote to let us know that our friends in Florida are keeping a close eye on the Gremlin who sometimes uses this column to "smart off" about those who forsake Lowell for a warmer climate. (Now who's smarting off? Isn't that what grandma meant by "the pot calling the kettle black", Emerson?)

OFF THE BLOTTER

Taken into custody on Thursday, January 24, on a warrant issued by the Friend of the Court in Grand Rapids was Robert Hill of Delton, Mich.

A female juvenile shoplifter was apprehended and arrested in Wesco on Tuesday, Jan. 22. On Thursday, a male juvenile was apprehended at Lipperts.

Thomas Chickering of Belding collided with Daniel Fuss of Alto on Tuesday, Jan. 22, on Main at Monroe when Fuss failed to yield at the intersection.

Hazel Clark of Saranac failed to yield right of way at Smith and Main Sts. on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 23, and collided with Charles Freeman of Lowell. There were no injuries.

Bryan Booth was unable to stop for a vehicle driven by Viola Meeds on M-21 near Valley Vista Dr. on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 24, resulting in minor injuries to Meeds.

Virginis Loomis of Durand and Richard Prins of Alto collided at Main and Monroe on Thursday afternoon. Loomis complained of minor injuries.

Richard VanPutten of Lowell was involved in a property damage accident on Friday evening, Jan. 25, when he struck a parked vehicle on Main St. near Broadway.

Wallace Hendrick of Ionia made a left turn into the path of Wallace Campbell of Lowell on Friday evening, resulting in a property damage accident on W. Main St.

The Lowell Showboat has been blessed over the years by people willing to chip in and help keep her going. Such is the case with the folks from Wernet Distributing and the Lowell Admiral Station (Ship's Stores).

Beginning February 1, 1980, every gallon of milk purchased at the Lowell Admiral Station can mean 25c toward paying off Lowell Showboat debts. Coupon books are being printed that will be given to all milk customers at the Admiral Station located at 2050 West Main, Lowell. With each gallon of milk purchased, a sticker will be issued to the customer for insertion in the coupon book. Full books will be worth \$5 to the Lowell Showboat. Full or partial books must then be turned in

GREAT CURL! — Great Body! With Uniperm at Vanity Hair Fashions, 203 E. Main, Lowell, 897-7506. c12

WE SPECIALIZE — In Hearts & Flowers... Order only at Nature's Emporium, 611 W. Main, Lowell, 897-7977. c12

Milk coupon will aid Showboat

at the Grand Valley Ledger before April 30, 1980.

Here's another chance for all you Showboat supporters to help out. Buy your milk at competitive prices and put 25c in the Showboat coffers with each gallon purchased.

Amway gift solves Ada Twp. problem

Ada Township's need for a site to house a water metering station on the township's western edge was met last week through a gift from neighboring Amway Corporation.

Amway's gift to the township consists of a parcel of land 22,526 square feet along Ada Drive about three miles west of Ada. The parcel is approximately 123 feet long by 150 feet deep and is located near Sarasota Street.

The donation was announced in a letter to Dr. Paul Nelson, Ada Township Supervisor.

Vegas Night is this Saturday

If you had fun last year at the Showboat Las Vegas night, you'll have twice the good time this Saturday with the games area doubled at Deer Run Golf Club.

Five dollars is the admission and entitles you to \$15,000 in play money to begin the games. It also is your admission to the dancing which will follow the casino games.

Doors will open at 6 p.m. and play begins at 7 p.m. continuing until 11 p.m. Casino games include Black Jack, Over and Under Dice, Number Wheels, Race Horse Wheels, Chuck-a-Luck Dice and Chuck-a-Luck, Wheels. Grand Prize is a trip for two to Las Vegas and there will be a fine assortment of other prizes which will go on sale at 10 p.m. Prizes are worth \$2,000 total.

Showboat hopes to help you beat the "winter blahs" while they raise money toward reducing the debt balance. Of the total debt, roughly \$45,000 is still outstanding on the amphitheatre construction and \$13,000 is still owed on the new Showboat.

Dancing begins at 11 p.m. to the music of Sloe Gin and continues until 2 a.m. Deer Run Golf Club is located at 13955 Cascade Rd. (old U.S. 16), just three miles south of Lowell.

A 50-50 raffle will be held during the evening with the winner raking in 25 percent of the proceeds; second place, 15 percent; third place, 10 percent. Tickets to the Las Vegas Night and for the raffle are available at The Grand Valley Ledger, That Special Place and from Showboat Board Members. Tickets will also be available at the door.

Volunteers are reminded that they should be at Deer Run at 5:30 p.m.

NOTICE — Happy Birthday Linda Sharppo.

ROSIE DRIVE INN — 800 W. Main, Lowell. TAKE OUT Chicken Bucket. Breakfast Special: Eggs, Toast, Coffee, 95c. Weekly Special: Hamburgers, 2 for \$1. Wed. Night is Chicken Dinner Night, \$2.00. Sparerib Night Thursday night, \$2.95. Saturday Night Sizzler night, \$2.75, includes Baked Potato, Salad, Homemade Bread. c12

TAXI SERVICE — D & K Shutling, Ph. 897-8638, Mon. 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday-Saturday. c51f

PRECISION & FASHION HAIRSTYLING — For both men and women. Man's World Hairstyling. Phone 897-8102. c51f

Two from area gain Eagle rank

It's not getting any easier to earn the Boy Scouts of America's highest rank, but last year some 94 young men in the 12 county area covered by the West Michigan Shores Council did just that. Those 94 Eagle Scouts will be honored at the Council's annual Eagle Recognition Dinner, to be held next month at noon in the Campus Center Building of Grand Valley State Colleges on Feb. 9.

Two young men from the area will be honored at the dinner. From Lowell, Robert Yeiter, 13446 Forest River Drive, will be honored. His Scout unit is #102.

From Ada, James Hospodarsky of 8150 Shadybrook SE will be honored. His Scout unit is #365.

The Council Eagle Recognition Dinner is held each year to honor these young men who have put several years' work into attaining the Eagle Scout Rank. Each has held six previous ranks, and

earned at least 21 Merit Badges before becoming an Eagle. Each Scout applying for the Eagle Badge must also have completed a community service project. The project must be organized by the Scout, include other Scouts as workers, and be approved by his Troop Committee, the District Advancement Committee, and the Council.

Only about three percent of all the Scouts in the country attain the rank of Eagle.

CHILDREN'S SHOW AT PLANETARIUM

Saturday afternoons at 1:30 p.m. during February and March the Chaffee Planetarium will offer its popular program designed especially for young children—"The Sky Tonight."

Young visitors, ages 3 through 8 accompanied by an adult are invited to learn why we have day and night, see some of the brighter stars and constellations, and hear the story of how the sky bear got his long tail.

Tickets for this Saturday afternoon program go on sale at 1 p.m. Admission is \$1 for adults and 75c for children.



cozy corner

By Roger Brown

I have an uncle who has been a farmer all his life. When he built a new family room for his house a few years ago, he covered one wall with barnwood and mounted old farm related items all over it. Some of the things mounted on the wall were old horseshoes, harness parts, rusty old tools that one might find in a farmer's workshop, and things like that.

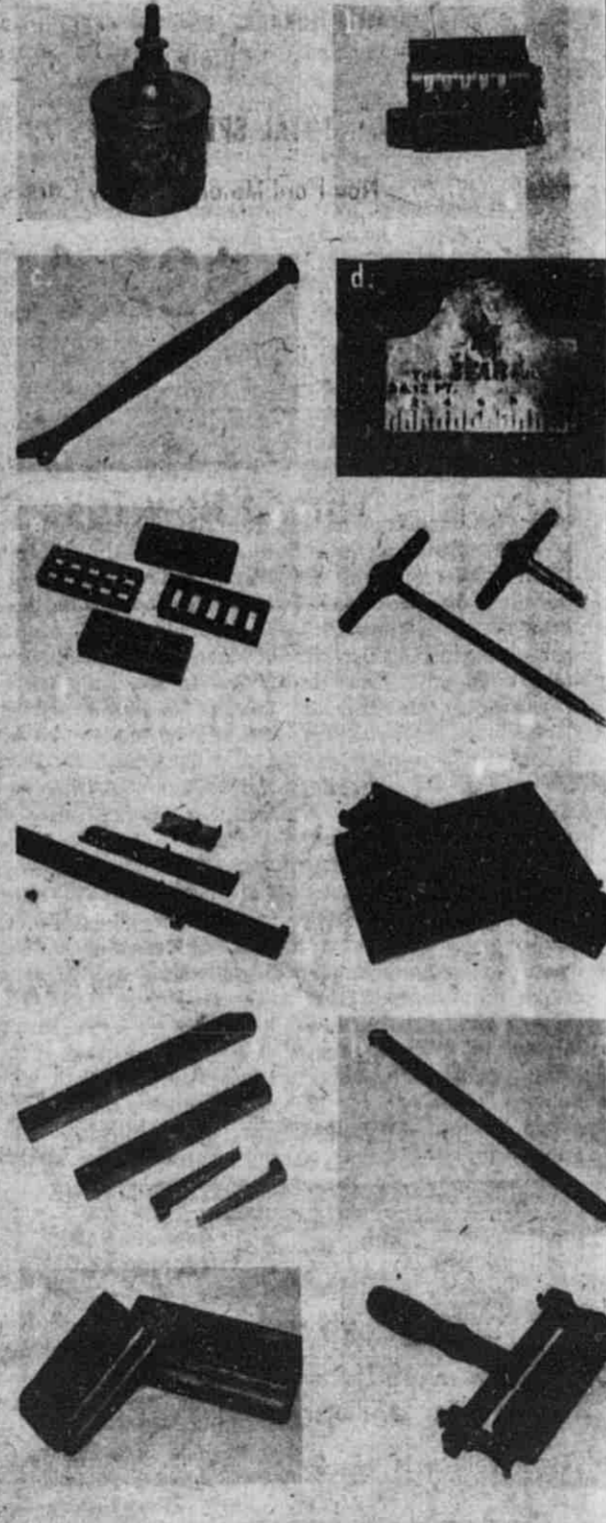
I have always been impressed with that wall, partly because I thought it looked nice and partly because I thought it was very commendable that a man should think enough of his trade to devote a portion of his home to it.

When we built our new home, I decided to do a wall like the one my uncle has, except that it would be adorned with old printer's tools and paraphernalia. It's sort of done, (I keep adding to it and rearranging it) and I think it looks pretty good. Terese hates it (says our family room looks like a museum).

As a side note, a local plumber once commented that he liked my wall very much and would like to do something similar in his house. But, he added that he didn't think he could ever sell his wife on letting him mount a collection of old toilet seats, plungers, etc., on the wall.

All of this has virtually nothing to do with what I intend to write my column about, which is not really a column this week anyway. It's a puzzle, and the only reason that I've gone to all this trouble, is to explain where the pieces for the puzzle came from; my family room.

The instructions are simple, just match up the pictures of the old printer's tools, with the appropriate name. Send your completed puzzle to the Grand Valley Ledger, 105 N. Broadway, Lowell, Michigan 49331. We'll print the names of the correct entries in next week's paper. We'll also have a drawing from all the correct entries received at our office by noon Friday, February 1, 1980. The winner of the drawing will receive a prize consisting of their name spelled out in antique wood type.



1. line gauge
2. type planes
3. brayer
4. quoins
5. galleys
6. composing sticks
7. quoin keys
8. furniture
9. make-up rule
10. solvent can
11. impression counter
12. quoin driver

State Savings Bank Consolidated Report of Condition

of Lowell, Michigan And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries:
at the close of business December 31, 1979, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Assets		Dollar Amounts in Thousands	DP No.	DP	DP	Theo
1.	Cash and due from depository institutions (From Schedule C, item 6)	11	1	600		1
2.	U.S. Treasury securities	12	1	695		2
3.	Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	13		201		3
4.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States (From Schedule B, item 2, Column E)	14	4	649		4
5.	All other securities	15		45		5
6.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	16		1,600		6
7.	a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income) (From Schedule A, item 10)	21	21	1,027		7.a
	b. Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	22		147		7.b
	c. Loans, Net	23		20,960		7.c
8.	Lease financing receivables	24		None		8
9.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	25		407		9
10.	Real estate owned other than bank premises	26		None		10
11.	All other assets (From Schedule G, item 3)	27		317		11
12.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 11)	32	31	424		12
13.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (From Schedule F, item 1, Column A)	33	4	393		13
14.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (From Schedule F, item 1, Columns B & C)	34	20	140		14
15.	Deposits of United States Government (From Schedule F, item 2, Columns A & B & C)	35		7		15
16.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States (From Schedule F, item 3, Columns A & B & C)	36	3	063		16
17.	All other deposits (From Schedule F, item 4, Columns A & B & C)	37		None		17
18.	Certified and officers' checks (From Schedule F, item 5, Column A)	38		296		18
19.	Total Deposits (sum of items 13 thru 18)	43	27	899		19
	a. Total demand deposits (From Schedule F, item 6, Column A)	44	5	131		19.a
	b. Total time and savings deposits (From Schedule F, item 6, Columns B & C)	45	22	768		19.b
20.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	46		None		20
21.	Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money	51		384		21
22.	Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases	52		None		22
23.	All other liabilities (From Schedule H, item 3)	53		423		23
24.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 19 thru 23)	54	28	706		24
25.	Subordinated notes and debentures	55		None		25
26.	Preferred stock a. No shares outstanding	56		None	(par value)	26
27.	Common Stock a. No shares authorized	57		37,500		27
	b. No shares outstanding	58		37,500	\$10.00 (par value)	27
28.	Surplus	59		1,375		28
29.	Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	60		1,250		29
30.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 26 thru 29)	64	1	1,443		30
31.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 24, 25 and 30)	71	2	768		31
32.	MEMORANDA DEPOSITS OF STATE MONEY - MICHIGAN (Included in item 16)	72		None		32
1.	Amounts outstanding as of report date:					Memc
	a. Standby letters of credit, total	74		None		1.a
	b. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	75		1,624		1.b
	c. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	76		None		1.c
2.	Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:					2.a
	a. Total deposits (corresponds to item 19 above)	77		1,902		2.a

I, Robert J. Elzinga, V.P. & Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition

has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Robert J. Elzinga
Signature of officer authorized to sign report

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true and correct.

H. J. Englehardt
Herbert Elzinga
Keith L. Caldwell } Directors

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th

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Pre-school sign-up

Registrations for Pre-school classes at the First United Methodist Church for Fall of 1980 are now being accepted at the church office. Tuition for families who are members of the Lowell

United Methodist Church is set at \$27 per month, since they already help to support the pre-school through their regular church donations. All others will pay \$30 per month tuition.

Alone Together meet Saturday WOTM chapter night is Monday

Betty Shelby of Kent County Cooperative Extension will present a program dealing with home repairs to members of Alone Together. The group will meet on Saturday, Feb. 2 at 3 p.m. at the First Congregational Church in Lowell.

Chapter Night for the Lowell Women of the Moose will be held on Monday, February 4, at 8 p.m.

Jane Comp, chairman of the Hospital Committee has on her committee the following co-workers: Addie Abel, Artie Briggs, Rosa Clark, Janice Dean, Helen DeMull, Lorna Franks, Matia Klap, Lillian Lapekas, Johanna Lesnew, Sharon McFall, Esther Minges, Corinna Miller, Winfred O'Jennes, Wilma Olivier, Fawn Shepherd, Carol Stormzand, Vicki Thuston and Susan Wolf.

There will be an enrollment of new members and lunch and social hour will follow. All committee members are asked to be present.

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<p>CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL 1151 West Main Street — 897-8041 REV. RICHARD VANDEKIEFT</p> <p>Worship Service 10 a.m. & 9 p.m. Sunday School 11:15 a.m. Supervised Nursery During All Services</p>	<p>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF LOWELL 301 North Washington Street REV. WILLIAM F. HURT</p> <p>Church School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Mid-Week Service Jr., Teens, Adults 7:00 p.m. Nursery—Come & Worship With Us</p>	<p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 2275 West Main Street</p> <p>Early Service 8:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Jr. High Youth Group 6:30 p.m. Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Sr. High Youth Group 8:15 p.m. Wednesday Family Hour 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>DR. DARRELL WILSON — 897-5300</p>	<p>FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (Member United Church of Christ) North Hudson of Spring St., Lowell 897-4900 DR. RICHARD GREENWOOD</p> <p>Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Church School 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>(Cribbery & Nursery Provided)</p>
<p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 621 E. Main Street — 897-7514</p> <p>Worship 8:30 & 11 a.m. Church School 9:45 a.m.</p> <p>GERALD R. BATES, MINISTER Donald L. Buege, Assoc. Minister "Communion is Communion" 1st Corinthians 10:16-21 Child Care During All Services</p>	<p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 2287 Sagwon, S.E. Lowell, Michigan 2287 Sagwon, S.E. Lowell, Michigan</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>MARK BUCKERT, PASTOR Ron Moykkynen, Elder 897-9551</p>	<p>TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCA) 2700 East Fulton Road Worship Service 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Church School 9:30 a.m.</p> <p>PASTOR RAYMOND A. HEINE Asst. Pastor CHRISTOPHER D. ANDERSON Nursery Provided</p>	<p>LOWELL ASSEMBLY OF GOD 3000 Alden Nash, S.E. (2 miles south of Lowell)</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Family Night 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>REV. ROGER E. KUBILIS, PASTOR Phone 897-7047 Come Join Us In Worshipping In Spirit And In Truth</p>
<p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS 8146 — 80th St., S.E., Alto, Mich. HIGH PRIEST DIRK VENEMA PASTOR 866-6292</p> <p>Church School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Midweek Prayer Service 7:30 p.m. Evening Worship Service 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>"But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing." — James 1:4</p>	<p>VERGINES UNITED METHODIST Corner Pennell & Bailey Drive</p> <p>Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour 11:00 a.m. Church School 11:15 a.m.</p> <p>REV. DONALD BUEGE "Little White Church On The Corner"</p>	<p>ROTH-GERST FUNERAL HOME LOWELL, MICHIGAN</p>

Church News

HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

Yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God (Romans 6:13).

No one, not even Mom, could make doughnuts like our long-time neighbor, Mrs. Moses. Mom tried using her recipe but without success. Sometimes the two women did their baking together in the same kitchen, working side by side. Although they made doughnuts at the same time and in the same room, the ones Mrs. Moses made had that certain flavor only she could create. Mom never learned her secret.

Many Christians find their lives do not quite measure up to the standard for which they hope. Power is lacking to live victoriously. The possession of joy and contentment has not been attained. They long for a deeper and more satisfactory experience.

The answer for these Christians is found in a total, unconditional surrender to the will of God. Only when they will do, will they know the fullness of His presence in their lives. That's the way to be filled with His Spirit.

Reflections From Outer Space

By Rev. Jerry Bates

So I care!
So you care!
So God cares!
I said that last week! Now may I go on from there?
It seems to me that I must say a lot more about that caring.

Caring starts with the realization that every person has problems of their own. There are very few, and I mean very few, persons who say that they don't have problems and I really wonder about their truthfulness. My experience is that the vast majority of persons have problems.

Now the problems are not the same. Each person has a set of problems that are tailored to his personality and circumstances. For one person, because they have children, that's a problem.

And for another the fact that there is teenager in the family causes a problem. There is the problem of relationships, the way a husband and wife communicate, and the way persons on the job relate to each other.

Add to this the persons that we meet socially and you can have a gigantic set of problems.

What we do about our problems varies! First off, we need to recognize that each individual has problems, but I have already said that.

Second, we need to realize that the problems that we have are tailored to us. Now, I am not saying that there is a higher power, God, who plans and prepares our problems so they fit us. What I am saying is that because of our personality, the characteristics which go to make us a person and then the choices we make in the life situation (home, village, mate, etc.), give us a particular set of problems that are different from those of another.

Third, because we all have problems, we need to be ready to share our problems, with another; not that we can give them our problems, but we can let them know we have problems and are willing to listen to theirs, if they are willing to listen to ours.

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SAT., FEB. 2: Showboat Las Vegas Night, 7-11 p.m. Admission \$5 includes \$15,000 play money to start and admission to the dance which follows from 11 p.m. to 2 a.m. Drawing for 50-50 raffle will be held during the evening.

SAT., FEB. 2: Fish and Ham Dinner, Clarksville Masonic Hall, serving 5-7:30 p.m. Family Style. Donation, adults \$4; children under 12, \$2; under 5, free.

SAT., FEB. 2: Alone Together will meet at 3 p.m. at First Congregational Church of Lowell. Speaker Betty Shelby on home repairs.

MON., FEB. 4: "Cuddly Creatures Great and Small", a 40 minute story hour for preschoolers, through Lowell Library, at the Methodist Education Building, 1 p.m. Call 897-9596 for more information.

MON., FEB. 4: The Runciman-Riverside PTO will be having a meeting at 7 p.m. in the Runciman all-purpose room. Officer Schneider of the Kent County Sheriff's Dept. will show the film "Better Safe Than Sorry", which deals with the topic of abduction. Parents are urged to attend. There will be a short business meeting. A sitter will be provided.

MON., FEB. 4: Monthly meeting of Lowell Athletic Boosters at 7:30 p.m. at the Dykhuizen residence, 12620 Grand River Dr., Lowell.

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Ottawa Hills puts Lowell on ice, 4-1



In hockey action last week, Lowell was led by Ottawa Hills, 4-1. Arrow Bob McGrew #14 sets up for the only goal of the evening for Lowell, assisted by Steve Ries and Brad Shambhala.

Saranac spikers now 4-1

Saranac Girls Volleyball squad upped their record to 4-1 last week with a walk-away win over Vestaburg and a 2-match game win over Central Montcalm, both on the home court.

In the first match with Vestaburg on Thursday, Jan. 24, Deb Stuart scored nine points in a row. Saranac won the match 15-5. In the second match, Monty Hayden racked up six points in a row and Deb Schneider finished it slickly with nine points in a row for a 15-0 win.

Coach Annette Schneider commended her squad for staying alert when it would have been easy to relax considering the easy time Saranac had with the competition.

In the Central Montcalm meet on Monday, Jan. 28,

Saranac girls won 15-10 and 15-10 in a 2-match game.

Deb Stuart again scored nine points in a row in the first match. In the second, Deb Schneider scored 14 points which gave her a 17 point total for the game.

The girls hosted their annual Parents Night on Monday. Parents saw some "pretty good spiking" from Deb Stuart, Monty Hayden and Barb Snay, according to Coach Schneider.

The squad traveled to Battle Creek last Saturday for a 55-school tournament and won one of their matches against Centerville. The tournament was a learning situation for the team as they viewed different approaches to defense and offense.

The next meet for the Saranac spikers will be

Thursday night at home at 6:30 p.m. with Montabella. On Monday, they will try to avenge their one loss to Portland at 6:30 p.m. on their home court.

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JV's win a close one

The Lowell J.V. basketball team lost to the Kenowa Hills Knights last Tues., Jan. 22, 57-49.

The first quarter opened with Jeff Quiggle sinking the first basket for the Arrows 5 seconds into the quarter. The Knights followed with a long shot.

Tom Caldwell put in a lay up with Quiggle following with a long shot to pull the Arrows ahead 14-10. Kenowa swished one with two seconds left in the first quarter. The quarter ended with Lowell ahead 14-12.

The Knights stole the ball dropping one in to tie up the game 16-16. A foul called against the Arrows placed the Knights at the strip to score as they pulled ahead by one, but Arrows' Bob Schrenk and Jeff Quiggle hustled back scoring two to put the Arrows in lead by 3.

The last few seconds of the quarter the Knights dunked 2 as they led 21-20 at the half.

Phil Beachler sank one at the line for the Arrows to fire them up for a comeback. As the Arrows trailed by a mere 28-29 the Knights took hold of the game and by the 4:06 mark took a strong 11 point lead, 36-25.

Within a minute of the fourth the Knights battled their way up to a 13 point lead, but Caldwell came back for Lowell as he shot 2 at the line. Good hustle by Schrenk gave Lowell another 2 points.

For the remainder of the game both teams swapped baskets as the Knights went on to take a 57-49 victory.

Jeff Quiggle and Bob Schrenk led the Arrows in scoring with 16 points each. Tom Caldwell added 10.

Friday night action saw the J.V.'s defeat Cedar Springs. The ball changed hands several times in the first 2 minutes of the 1st quarter before Arrow Tom Caldwell scored the 1st two buckets.

At the 4:20 mark Jeff Quiggle sank 2 at the strip for the Arrows to put them in the lead 6-2. The Hawks followed as they sank one at the line. By the end of the first Lowell took a four point lead 9-5.

Aggressive defense by Lowell led by Bruce Yeiter allowed Bob Schrenk to drop in 3 as they pumped up a 9 point lead. It was almost 3 minutes into the quarter before Cedar scored their first point at the line. With 3:31 remaining in the quarter Caldwell swished in 2 points for the Arrows as they took the lead by 10, 20-10. For the remainder of the quarter both teams swapped baskets as Lowell led 22-11 at the half.

The Arrows then took control of the game as Burdette rebounded and put one in. Caldwell followed with a steal to allow Phil Beachler to swish in 2 points, increasing their lead to 19, 34-15. Lowell led at the end of three quarters 41-25.

Both teams fought hard for the ball as the fourth began, but Cedar Springs took command as they dropped Lowell's lead to 11 points.

The Hawks fought back as they trailed by only 8 points with 1:24 remaining on the clock, but the Arrows held them off until time ran out with the Arrows taking the win 49-41. —K. Lambert.

Lowell wrestlers have busy week



Lowell wrestler Eric Swift, down 0-4 at one point in his match with an Ionia wrestler, struggles back to take a 5-4 victory in Saturday's competition.

The grapplers of Lowell high school had busy schedule which included the Kenowa Hills Quad meet last week. The first match was against Creston with the final score tied at 31 all.

Troy Hall (98) was defeated 6-15. Dale Bieri (105) and Randy Roth (112) both pinned in the second period. Joe Rathbun (119) was pinned in the first. Eric Swift, wrestling at 126, was defeated 1-12.

In the 132 weight class, Greg Martinez won his match 17-7. Tony Posthumus (138) pinned his man in the second. Chuck Shrenk (145) was pinned in the second. Wrestling at 155, Jay Rickert pinned his opponent in the third. Brian Brown (167) lost by decision 1-4. Dave Chrisman (185) won 6-4. Dan Stuart (198) lost by decision 4-6 and Mark VanWeelden (Hwt.) was defeated 1-16.

Kenowa Hills was next in line and the Arrows took them 50-17. Hall, Bieri, Roth and Rathbun took the first four weight classes as they pinned their opponents. Swift lost by decision 0-10. Martinez easily pinned his man in the first.

Posthumus won his match 11-2 but Shrenk was defeated 4-9. Rickert won his match 9-0. Brown lost 6-16. Chrisman and Stuart both pinned their man. VanWeelden was pinned in the first.

The Arrows hosted a dual match and defeated both Lakewood and the Canadian All-Stars last week.

In the Lakewood match, Lowell had the winning points, 57-18. Hall, Bieri, and Rathbun easily pinned in the first. Roth and Swift drew byes. Martinez won a close match 12-10. Posthumus was pinned in the first and Shrenk drew a bye.

Rickert, Brown and Chrisman all pinned their opponents. Stuart and VanWeelden were both defeated by pins.

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Redskins down C-M, 62-52

The Red Arrows took third place in their own Invitational meet last Saturday. First place trophy went to Haslett and the runner-up trophy went to Lakeview.

The Invitational featured the Canadian All-Stars who placed fourth.

The All-Stars were from Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario, and were guests in Lowell homes, returning the welcome given by the Canadians last season when the Red Arrows competed there.

The international exchange began in 1972. Lowell eventually replaced one of the original teams and is now the only team in the Grand Rapids area still involved in the exchange.

Third place finishers from Lowell were Roth, Rathbun, Posthumus, Stuart and VanWeelden. Second places were taken by Hall, Martinez and Chrisman. A first place went to Rickert.

The next match for Lowell will be Thursday, Jan. 31 at 7 p.m. at Fremont.

Ben Tower was hot on the boards again Friday with 37 points for the evening and Saranac came away with another win, this time over Central Montcalm, 62-52.

The C-M Greenhorns gave Saranac a good run for the money. At the end of the first period, Saranac was ahead but only by two. At the half, C-M had trimmed the lead to only one point.

Saranac put some space between the scores in the third quarter with a 41-35 lead. Coach Kip Cady changed tactics and positioned Tower near the free-throw line to diminish the effect of the Greenhorn 2-3 zone defense. Tower was able to turn the game around for Saranac from that position, dropping in three shots in a row.

Saranac hit on 27 of 58 field goals and 8 of 17 free throws. Lionel Haskins was second high scorer with 11. Scott Metternick, Craig Coulson, and Ted Heilman each had four assists.

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Arrows defeat Kenowa, lose to Cedar

Team work, that's all it takes. The Lowell Varsity basketball team did just that as they defeated the Kenowa Hills Knights Tuesday, Jan. 22, 73-59.

Mike Kaye dropped the first five points for the Arrows as they took a 5-4 lead in the start of the 1st quarter. The Arrows continued to put the pressure on as the Knights failed on all attempts to score. Even with a technical foul against Lowell, Kenowa couldn't sink one, but with six seconds left in the first the Arrows took a whopping 20-6 lead.

The Arrows came on

strong in the second quarter as Dave Wittenbach stole the ball allowing Steve Doyle to score. With 4:43 left in the 1st half Darryl Dumas dropped in 2 to up their lead to a strong 20 point spread, 31-11.

With 10 seconds left Kenowa dropped one in and a foul against the Arrows allowed the Knights to score 2 at the line leaving the score 39-23.

The Arrows took the first five points to start off the 3rd quarter. As Lowell continued to display fine team work and aggressive defense they increased their gap to 25 points

within 3 minutes, 51-26.

The Knights came storming back to try and narrow the gap but the Arrows held them off as they led 59-36 in the closing of the third.

Kenowa came into the fourth charged up as they dropped 2 at the line, followed by a long shot, but Dumas came back for the Arrows to put the pressure on as he popped one in with the score 61-40.

Kevin Conrad swished in 3 points for the Arrows to put their lead 68-47. With 8 seconds left on the clock the Knights sank 2 at the strip. The game ended with Kenowa

sinking one through the hoop as the buzzer sounded.

Dave Wittenbach led the Arrows in the scoring department with 16 points along with 6 steals and 6 assists. Three other Arrows scored in double figures. Mike Kaye contributed 14 points and 5 steals. Darryl Dumas had 13 points and 11 rebounds. Gary Ellison added 12.

The Lowell Varsity Basketball team went down in defeat at the hands of the Cedar Springs Hawks last Friday, Jan. 25, 75-59.

Good hustling by Lowell gave them a 10-4 advantage over the Hawks with 5:15 remaining in the 1st quarter, but Cedar Springs came back with three buckets to trail by one.

As both teams tried to put a hold on each other a foul was called against Lowell with 1:53 remaining on the clock. The Hawks scored one at the line to tie it up 10-10.

Cedar Springs took command of the game as they took an eight point lead at the end of the first, 18-10.

Cedar Springs sank one at the line five seconds into the second quarter, but Gary Ellison came back for the Arrows with two points assisted by Darryl Dumas.

Good defense resulted in numerous turnovers by both teams for the next few minutes, but the Hawks soon took over as they increased their lead to 14, 28-14.

With one second left the Hawks swished two in at the line as they dominated Lowell 33-18 at the half.

The third quarter exchanged hands for the first four minutes as both teams played evenly. Mike Kaye dropped in 2 points at the 3:01 mark, but the Hawks still kept a 14 point lead 43-29.

As the Arrows then tried to narrow the gap, the Hawks added to the point spread further as they swished in 2 more. With 1:37 left on the clock the Hawks were lead-

ing by 20 points 51-31.

Ellison came back with 4 points as he pumped up 11 points for the Arrows in the third quarter, but Cedar Springs dropped one through the hoop as the buzzer sounded, 53-35.

With 2:30 left in the game Arrow Darryl Dumas and

Mark Butterworth each sank

2 points for the first time, decreasing the Hawk lead to 10, 67-57. But by the 1 second mark the Hawks had pulled ahead by 16 to take the game 75-59—K. Lambie Rubber Stamps & Engraves Signs made to order, 897-9261.

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Sgt. Harold Hauter retired from the Facility after 34 years of service, and Bryce retired after 14 years of service.

The ceremony included

several employees who retired recently and a few who will retire soon, according to Riverside Superintendent William Abshire.

The ceremony had been delayed for those who had already retired until they could be signed by Perry Johnson, Department of Corrections director. They were presented by Donald Houseworth, regional administrator, and Abshire.

Youth uninjured in hit-and-run

A Saranac youth was involved in a hit and run accident on Thursday, according to Ionia County Sheriff's Department. Crystal Bates of 71 Main St. had begun a left turn off Main onto Pleasant St. when her car allegedly was struck by a vehicle attempting to pass. The vehicle left the scene after hitting the Gates car.

Gates and three other passengers were uninjured.

Police reported that they have identified the alleged hit-and-run vehicle and that the case is open pending completion of the investigation.

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Local man hospitalized

Ed Brown, Elm Road, Jackson, was injured in a car accident early Thursday morning, Jan. 24.

Ionia County Sheriff's deputies reported that Brown had been traveling east on Portland Rd. at about 1:30 p.m. when he lost control of his vehicle, slid sideways and struck a guard rail. The car flipped over while in mid-air and landed right side up on the Morrison Lake Golf course.

Brown was admitted to Ionia County Memorial Hospital suffering a fractured pelvis, lacerations and frostbite.

Off The Blotter
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For more information, call the Ionia County Extension Office (616) 527-1400. Entries are due on or before February 4.

Snay completes training

Airman Karen S. Snay, daughter of Robert J. Snay of 7904 Emberly Drive, Jenison, has been assigned to Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training.

Another Boy Scout from BSA Troop 71, a candidate for Eagle Scout, has completed his project necessary to obtain the highest honor in Scouting.

Brien Simpson, with the help of his troop, gave out stickers imprinted with local emergency phone numbers.

Members of Troop 71 helping Simpson

Members of Troop 71 helping Simpson were: Brian Clouse, Bart Denny, Eric McDonald, Rob and Steve Simpson, Dan White, Jack Brondyke, Eric Auguston, Ken Hurt and Keith Chambers.

In order for Simpson to be eligible for his Eagle project, he had to earn 21 merit badges, 14 of which were required. He has to be a life Scout and be approved by the council to undertake that particular project. The project also has to be a service project, beneficial to the community.

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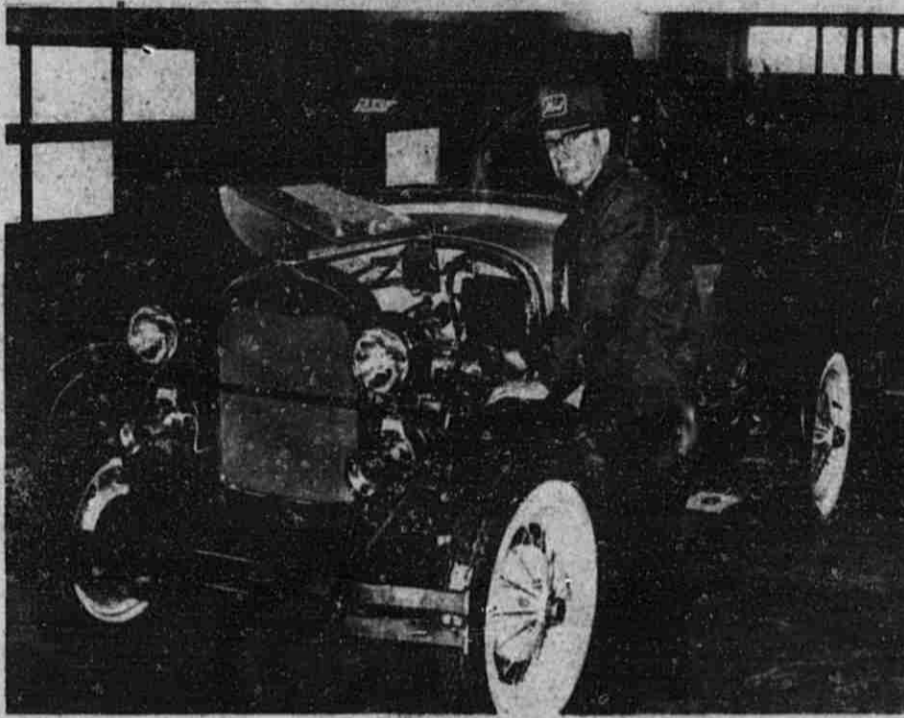
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Every effort has been made in the manufacture of these autos to preserve the illusion of the 1929 classic. Even the horn sounds with that old familiar "Ah-OO-Gah". Authentic as it appears, available options such as cruise control and digital clocks were probably not offered on the original 1929 models.



Don Fell, shop foreman at Harold Zeigler Ford, begins servicing and preping the 1979 version of the 1929 Ford Model A Roadster.

USE THE LEDGER CLASSIFIEDS

Design deadline is Friday

There remains less than a week before the deadline for submission of designs for the proposed sculpture for Richards Park. If you've got that design pattering around in your mind, put it on paper and submit it for consideration.

Lowell's Parks and Recreation Commission has plans for the revitalization of Richards Park on North Hudson St. The Lowell Area Arts Council has committed its organization to provide a locally designed and produced sculpture for the southeast quadrant of the redesigned park (near the corner of Elm St. and Hudson St.)

All entries will be considered by a jury of qualified people selected by the LAAC and the P & R commission. While no financial payment will be given for the design, the creator of the winning design will receive recognition for his or her public service.

So far, two designs have been received. The winning design will become the property of the City of Lowell. Other designs submitted can be picked up from the City Hall after final selection is made if the designer wishes.

Entrants are asked to keep in mind the following design criteria. The sculpture should be appropriate to the

community and park setting. It should be safe and attractive for children to play on (because they will). It must be able to be constructed by the LAAC and be as near vandal-proof as possible.

Final selection will be announced by March 1 and construction will begin in the spring. Designs and models should be submitted to That Special Place or Natures Emporium. For more information call 897-5721.

Adventure course

Outdoor Adventures, a course for Lowell High School Students, will again be offered by Lowell Community Education. Starting February 19, and running from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. for 15 weeks, the course will cover a variety of outdoor skills.

Topics covered include: wilderness survival, wilderness first aid, campcraft, campfire cooking, orienteering, backpacking, canoeing and rock-climbing.

For more information or registration, call the Community Education Office, 897-8434.

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Officer Dennis Schneider of the Kent County Sheriff's Dept. will be at the Runciman All-Purpose room on Feb. 4 at 7 p.m. to show the film "Better Safe Than Sorry" which deals with the topic of abduction.

Parents are urged to attend. Officers of the PTO feel this movie would be excellent

for our children to view on an annual basis and they would like opinions from parents. This is sponsored by the Runciman-Riverside PTO.

A short business meeting will precede the movie. A sitter will be provided for parents' convenience.

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