# The Grand Valley Ledger 



## AROUND THE CORNER

Saturday, December 6 is just around the corner so plan ahead. Santa Claus will arrive in Lowell at 2 p.m., according to the schedule released by his Chief Elf. Any group, business or individual who would like to be a part of the parade welcoming the roly-poly gent should call the Chamber of Commerce office, 897-8545, so they can plan the parade. One of the nicest things about the holiday season is making kids' eyes shine and one of the nicest ways to start is a special Santa Parade. We urge you to take the time, join the parade and shine a little love.

## REMINDER

Playbooks can still be signed out for perusal before tryouts for the Lowell Area Arts Councli's 3 -act comedy "Strange Bedfellows." Stop in at That Special Place on Main St. for a playbook. Tryouts are scheduled for Mondey and Tuesday, Dec. 8-9, at $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. in the Middle School. There are 18 parts to be cast: 5 men, 1 teen boy, 1 boy age 10ish; 10 women, 1 'teen girl. Play dates are Feb. $18-21$ with practice starting in Jenuary.

## GIFT BONANZA

Members of the First United Methodist Church, East Main St., will hold their annual Country Bazaar on Thursday. Nov. 20 from 9:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Various gifts are available plus a "Mrs. Senta" shop for kids. They'll also be serving lunch and supper.

## bumges featured

The Fallasburg, Ada and White's Covered Bridges are featured in the November issue of "Michigan Living" magazine published by the Automobile Club of Michigan. There are more than 3,000 bridges in Michigan just counting the bridges that are a part of the state highway system. Of Michigan's five covered bridges, three are located in our area of the state. But you knew that didn't you?

## OFF THE BLOTTER

Injured in a one-car accident on Monday, Nov. 10, was William Bertlette of Wyoming when his car went off the south 'edge of M-21 west of Cumberland Ave. striking guard rails and a tree. He sought his own treatment for injuries. Gerry Melle, 29, of Clarksville was fatally injured Thursday evening. Nov. 13, when the car he was driving struck a train just west of Clarksville. He was pronounced dead at the scene by Kent County Medical Edaminer Dr. Raymond Lang. The impact derailed the 17 th ear from the rear of the truin. The Lowell Rescue Unit was called to extricate Melle from the wreckage. They assisted officers from Kent and lonia County. Lake Odessa. Clarksville Fire Dept. and a unit from the Chesapeake \& Ohio Rail System.
Lodged Saturday evening, Nov. 15, in the Kent County Jail was Donald McQueen on charges of fleeing and eluding a police officer and furnishing alcohol to a minor.
Walter Huver reported to police officers that he fell asleep at the wheel and hit a fire hydrant at Main and Grove Sts. early Sunday morning. He was not injured.
Involved in a car-deer accident on Saturday morning was Clara Wingeier. There was minor damage to the vehicle and she was uninjured.
Vandals did about $\$ 1,500$ worth of damage on Main St. last Saturday evening. They cut slices into the awnings of Clark Plumbing and Heating. Pfaller's'Riverfront Clothing and the former Lowell Engineering building. They also smashed the phone receiver on Main St. near Lafayette. The matter is under investigation by the Lowell Police Department.

## FALL CLEARANCE - Stop prECISION \& FASHION

 in to register for Free Door HAIRSTYLING-For both Prize. Nature's Emporium, men and women. Man's 611 W. Main, 897-7977. World Hairstyling. Phone Drawing Nos. 25. . c-2 897-8102.
## Father-son duo win 1st Buck Contest

Winners of the fifth annua First Buck Contest is the father/son team of Phillip an Les Kline of Lowell. They arrived at the Grand Valley Ledger at 8:10 a.m. on opening day last Saturday with their 7 point buck in tow.
Sponsored by the Lowell Area Merchants and the Grand Valley Ledger, winner(s) of the contest will receive free processing of the deer from Gary's Country Meats and the Ledger; "Hot Seat" from Lippert Pharmacy; an $8 \times 10$ colo photo of hunter(s) and the huntee; a $\$ 15$ gift certificate from Pfaller's Riverfront Clothing; one pair Hanes thermal underwear from That Special Place; and a hunter orange knit hat and vest from Anderson Shoe Store.
The winning buck was takep south of Lowell and Whe Les first deer in 25 years of hunting
Among other successes reported to the Ledger was a 9 point buck bagged by Roger Stauffer of Lowell last Sunday morning on his first hunting outing ever. Also successful was Mary Robidoux of Lowell. She has bee hunting for 19 years and sho her 5 point buck south of Lowell on Saturday at $7: 20$ a.m. She held-dressed the 168 lb . buck by herself.
Representing the younger hunter in this tale of successful hunters is 14 -year-old Rex Hyzer who felled his 8 point er on opening day. This is his first year hunting. The buck was shot five miles north of Lowell.

'Sometlmes teamwork is what it takes. The father-son duo of Philip and Les Kline were first to show up with their 7 point buek at the Ledger. They both shot at and hit the deer, and clalmed the prizes in the fifth annual First Buck Contest sponsored by Lowell Area Merchants and the Grand Valley Ledger.

## No tàkers for Bowne constable office

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Two write-in votes in
Bowne Township have given Bowne Township have given
Kent County Clerk Maury J. DeJonge a headache

ROSIE DRIVE INN - 800 W. Maln St., Lowell. TAKE OUT Chicken Buchet. Break. fast Speclel! Ham \& Cheese Omelette, Toast, Coffien, $\$ 2$. Weelly Spectal, Benker Bur gers, 65 , Somethlo Now gers, 65 c . Somethlng New: Pieff. Waed Nitht Chichen Nuilis. Wed. Nigut Cliccien Night, Thurs. Night Eibb Night, Pr. Night Sealood Nith. Sal. Ngle Staxler NIgh. Rosle's Hoursi San. \& Mon. close at 6:45, Tues.Sat., close at 8 p.m. Phone
897.9669 .

Keith Feldman and Robert Grummet each received one vote apiece for the men paying picer fonBowne Township constable Neither man soughs the job and both said gey have job idea who wrote their names on the ballote their names 4.

DeJonge's office is respon sible for filing Kent County's election results with the state election officials and could not do so until the snafu in Sowne was cleared up. farmer nether Feldman. farmer and builder. nor Grummet, a 15 -year-mem ber of the Kent County
Sheriff's department. indi-
cated any interest in the job, DeJonge had a drawing for the job-that-isn't at the Clerk's office last Frida afternoon. Feldman's prow pulled out the slip which said pinner. If he slip which said winner. The wants the job. he wil have to take the oath by noon Thursday and post a urety bond.

With neither man indicating interest in the position. ownship officials could declare the office vacant hut thats |  |
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Officials have no money to equip and pay a constable set aside in their budget. So Alto in Bowne Township will have to get along without constable-as it has done for almost 20 years.

## Oops!

The Gremlin is at it again The picture identifications for the Tri-River All Confer ence football team in las eek's issue were inadvert ently placed beneath the wrong pictures. We hope the confusion was minor since he pictures were side by side. Honored from Lowel were: Dan Phillips and Carl Kloosterman.

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## PREMIERE SHOWING <br> 

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Legal Notices


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## CITY OF LOWEL NOTICE

A Public Hoaring will be hold betore the Lowell Planning Commisalon on Monday, November 24, Hall, 301 E. Melin stroent tor the purposese of considering a roquest of Mr. Bill Niagy to rezone n the East Clity Limits, on East Maln stroet al the East Clty Limits, from P.U.D. 5 fo c.Commerciala, to aliow thity.
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process from the teacher association involving reprimanns, insuranace, and granting of credili for correspon Superintendent Kelly reported that schools do nol
expect a state aid bill for some time and it will probabil e leas than anticipated when the budget was preparicd Th board passed motions appointing Attorney
Eugene Alkema as legal counsel and or rspokesman for He Board in 19811 negotions with the teacher assoncia
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## Council Proceredings

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| Lowell, Michigan. | Equipment Fund | would be a welcome new busmess to the |
| Regular Meeting of Monday, November 3 , 1980. | Current Tax Fund ....................... s,254.63 $^{\text {a }}$ | televising service of sewer systems, such as the City |
| The Meeting was called to order by Mayor Collil | Building and Site Fund ................. $523,025.58$ | the E.P.A. |
| 8:00 p.m. Tne Pledge of Allegince was given and the | Lee F | Grant. Sophisticated television equipment and televis- |
| Roll called. <br> Present: Councilmen Christiansen, Fonger, Maat- | clilmen Maatman, Collins, | ing trucks will be stored on the premises, along with office space for the business. |
| man and Collins. | Fonger. | ssen |
|  | No: None | that the Site Plan be approved for the location of the |
| WAS MOVED by Councilman Mastman that | Absent: None. | pan |
| Minutes of the Octiober 20 meeting be approved | S.D.M. Lleoneo | Councillman Maatman. |
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| Bills and Accounts Payable from September 30 be | S.D.M. lic | mandatory upon recommendation of the Planning |
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| No: None. |  | tilice, requested by Mr. Bill Nagy. A letter submitted |
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| Water Fund........................... $\mathrm{s}^{894 .}$ | for responsibility it | Councill Remarks, Mayor Collins asked |
| Equipment Fund. ....................... 1,278 | Step II Grant process for E.P.P.A. guicelines. Man |  |
| ulding and Site Fund .................. 836.90 | Quada recommended approval. |  |
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| allowed and warrants issued, supported by Councilman Maatman | Carr | DEAN COLLINS. Mayor CAIty Clerk |
| BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE 11-3-80 | Approval of Site Plan/Interstate Pipe Co./Bowes Road Manager Quada then presented a Site Plan to the Council, stating that it had been reviewed by the |  |
| General Fund ....................... 827 ,499.77 | Planning Commission, for the interstate pipe Com- |  |
|  | to locate an office | The first matches had to be dipped. |

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Clear a path for rural mail

| Notices went out this week m the Lowell Post Office minding rural customers postal regulations rerding delivery of mail to ral ot curbside boxes reire customers to keep the proach to their mailboxes ared of snow, vehicles, d other objects. <br> This will permit the carrier <br> to deposit and collect mail without leaving the vehicie. The approach to and exit from the mallfor shouid be cleared sufficiently on both sides to allow the carrier to drive ahead and not be required to back up the velicicle after delivery. <br> Postmaster Chariie Doyle stated that carriers are in- <br> them deily as eo mail will be given out over the counter. On days of heavy snow, rural customers should meet their carrier if mailboxes have not been cleared. <br> Yes - We have so bananaa! <br> Bat we finally have seratch pads made. 50 e a poand. Grand Valley Ledger, 105 N . |  |  |
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## Lessens joins staff of WZZM TV

George Lessens, Lowell native, will join WZZM TV Channel 13 news and weather staff, according to Jack Hogan, News Director for the station. Lessens will be doing the Weekend Weather spot during the news beginining November 29 and will also be producing special science reports for the news department.

A graduate of Lowell High School, he earned his Assoclate Degree in science from and his Bachelor Darree in and his Bachelor Degree in meteorology from Pennsylvania State University this
past March. Since April lessens hin of this year, National Oceangeraphic the Atmone Angraphic and In June, he began doing the


George Iestoins
teievised weather report fo the "A.M. Weather" pro gram on public televisior channels. It was carried lo cally on GVSC TV Channe cally
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Lessens will replace wea thercaster Ted Gribas who is now feaching full time in the Forest Hills School District Gribas will continue to b affiliated with WZZM on a part time basis.

Lessens is the son of Dan and Phyllis Lessens of Low ell.
Honor Society
initiates 25
new members

The Lowell Chapter of the National Honor-Society held its traditional formal initia dion ceremony Thursday eve ning. November 13, in the " K ", quad of the high school. Twenty-six new members and their parents and friends were greeted by the President Deb Timinskis. Mrs Virginia Fonger, advisor, presented a short history of the organization and explatined the process of member selection which has evolved over the years since the Lowell Chapter was charter. ed in 1964 . , Those taking part in the candle-lighting ceremony were this year's offiietrs: Deb Timinskis. Tina Zywicki. Price. The candles symbolize the four cardinal principles of The four cardinal principles of leadership and scholarship. The speaker of the evening was Mr. Ray Ouada, Lowell City Manager, who urged the students to continue being active leaders as adults in active leaders as adins ther it be city, township or county bovernment county government.
Membership cards and soby Principal Gary Kemp and Mrs. Fonger to the following new members: Meredyth Ai Thaus. Paul Bacrwalde, Beth Meashum Bacrwalde. Beth Beachum, Rase Benedict, Joq Bieri, Rose aigelow, Jom Burdette Kelly Byrne Tom Burdette, Kelly Byrne. Tom Cawn Condon. Kevin Con Dawn Condon. Kevi ConKleinian Pam Miller CamKienjan, Pam Miller, Camden Parks. Bonnie Peters. Julie Ramsdell. Ann Rivers. Shores. Kim VinWeelden and Brian Westcott.
and Brian'Westcott. Following the progrant, and their advisors hosted a social hour in the Carl Hagen Media Center.

WEDDING INVITATIONS a Naplias avallable at the Grand Volley Ledger, 105 N. Broadway, Lowell.

