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## VISIBILITY ZERO

The dense fog that blanketed the area on Monday morning, Sept. 14 brought a flurry of calls to the offices of area schools. Other neighboring districts had delayed the opening of school but Lowell schools didn't, causing some confusion. With Lowell's school day starting later this year, buses are running during daylight hours so a delayed starting time was judged unnecessary.

## LOCAL SCALPERS

Our source swears it's true but it is hard to believe. Said source reports that a couple was approached in Alto with an offer of the Lowell history book for the slim sum of \$7.50. What ho---the books are only \$6 each anywhere in town or \$10 for the set of both 1931 and 1981 histories. The books are still available at City Hall, State Savings Bank, That Special Place, Sports, Lowell Savings and Loan, the Ledger and at the Fallasburg Fall Festival. Don't get scalped buying them from private sources.

## FLOWERS, ANYONE?

Members of the Lowell Area Arts Council are putting the final touches on this year's 13th annual Fallasburg Fall Festival but still need the following: fresh fall garden flowers, corn stalks, Indian corn, pumpkins, gourds, baby's breath, bib overalls (men's large and medium, on loan) and a pitchfork. Call 897-8533 or 897-8545 if you could help. Sure would be appreciated. The festival of arts and crafts and turn-of-the-century skills is set for Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 26-27.

## AU REVOIR

It's time to say good-bye to summer. Fall officially begins this week on Tuesday, Sept. 22 at 11:05 p.m. Now, autumn in Michigan (particularly our area) is beautiful with lovely warm days and cool nights, but it also means we are one step closer to "Old Man Winter." Nuf said.

## OFF THE BLOTTER

Janet Hendrick sustained injuries on Wednesday morning, Sept. 9 when the car she was driving was hit broadside on W. Main St. near Pleasant by Theodore Kingma. Kingma was uninjured as he exited a private drive onto M-21.

A vehicle driven by Theron King of Lake Odessa was struck on M-21 near Riverside Dr. on Thursday morning, Sept. 10, by a vehicle driven by Marian Carigon as she pulled from a parking space into the traffic lane. No one was injured in the accident.

Involved in a property damage accident on Grand River near Gulliford Dr. early Saturday morning, Sept. 12, was David Finkler when he lost control of his car and went into a ditch.

Cited to appear in 63rd District Court at a later date was David Finkler on charges of larceny under \$100 in an alleged arcaeny of gas on North Monroe.

Involved in a minor injury accident on Monday morning, Sept. 14, was Richard Jankowski Jr. of Grand Rapids on Bowes Rd. near M-21 when he lost control of his motorcycle and struck a car driven by Norman Adcock.

Two larcenies were reported to Lowell police this week, both involving change boxes, one from the Detroit Free Press and the other at the Curtis Auto Wash on West Main Street. Lowell police are investigating.

Philip Graham was slightly injured in an accident on Alden Nash Saturday about 12:30 a.m. Graham was northbound on Alden Nash when he entered a curve going too fast to negotiate it and lost control. He was taken to Butterworth Hospital by private conveyance.

Arrested and lodged in the Kent County Jail on Sunday evening, Sept. 13, on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol and driving in violation of restricted drivers license was Douglas Kim Eller of Lansing.

Lisa Brown and Howard Clark were involved in a property damage accident on Sunday afternoon when the Clark vehicle made an improper right turn off Main St. onto South Division into the path of the Brown vehicle.

## Boxcar Willie returns to Lowell for concert

Don't look for the pop sound in country western music when Boxcar Willie hits town this week. He doesn't have it and glad of it.

In the mid-seventies a Texas disc jockey named Cecil Travis "Marty" Martin got fed up with the Country Music Association's awards to singers with a heavy pop sound rather than vintage country-western. At age 44, he trumped up a hobo outfit he'd used once for an album cover of his regionally sold record. He established his image remembering how he and his father before him had hoboed across Texas by rail. He planned to sing "old train songs", some Jimmie Rodgers and Hank Williams songs, and thus became Boxcar Willie. Six years later, he is one of the current country scene's least likely success stories.

Boxcar Willie will appear in concert one night only, Wednesday, Sept. 23 at 7 p.m. at Riverside Amphitheatre, sponsored by the Lowell Showboat Corporation. He appeared here in early June, sponsored by the Iona Co. Sheriff's Posse, but the show had to be moved indoors due to weather conditions, much to the consternation of country music fans who could not get in. No such problems this time. Lowell contractor and Showboat board member Ivan Blough is building a portable covering for the stage so that the show WILL go on in the amphitheatre. Tickets are \$5 general admission, available in advance from the Lowell Showboat ticket office on Main Street, at all Believe In Music stores in Grand Rapids areas or by calling 897-9237. (Also available at the gate.)

What happened to make a star out of a fellow with a gravelly voice who looks like a bum? Well, folks, it seems Boxcar Willie was right about country fans hungering for some good old-fashioned country music. He shuffles out on stage in pin-striped overalls, old jacket, brown hobo hat and tattered shoes to lay it on enthusiastic audiences from the famous Gilley's outside Houston to the prominent Wembley Festival in London, England where he was named most promising international artist of 1979!



Boxcar Willie was inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame recently along with Louise Mandrell, the Stoneman Family, The Armstrong Twins, and Moe Bandy. Pictured with Boxcar Willie is Irlene Mandrell who accepted the award for her sister Louise. Boxcar Willie appears at Riverside Amphitheatre this Wednesday night at 7 p.m. in concert, sponsored by the Lowell Showboat Corp. Tickets are \$5 general admission.

Genial and salty Boxcar Willie is the absolute antithesis of the rhinestone cowboy. Don't expect him to hop off the freight that rolls through Lowell in time for the performance. The hobo stuff is for the stage. He's sandwiching in the Wednesday appearance for the Lowell Showboat on his way from Canada to another engagement. (Pretty heady stuff for the fellow who used to ride the rails.)

Boxcar performs on the Grand Ole Opry whenever he isn't booked elsewhere, just where he dreamed of being as a boy. Since his best-selling British LP was picked up for distribution by a U.S. firm specializing in sales by TV, Boxcar is a pretty busy "bum". He is among the latest celebrities to have their names and a bronze star imbedded in the plaza of the Country Music Hall of Fame.

Take the evening off next Wednesday. We'll see you at Riverside Amphitheatre by 7 p.m. for a couple of hours of down-home country music with country star Boxcar Willie.

ROSIE DRIVE INN — 800 W. Main, Lowell. Breakfast Special: Eggs, toast, and coffee \$1.00. Weekly Special: Regular Hamburg 59 c.

## Above The Board

### More negotiations

from the office of Superintendent Don Kelly

With the school attorney having received the fact finder's report over the weekend, the school board adjourned to closed session at Monday's board meeting to study the report. Gary Rivers, one of the teacher negotiating team members, announced at the beginning of the meeting that the teachers would reluctantly accept the fact finder's recommendations. Board President Roger Kropf commented that the surprise an-

nouncement brought some rumors to an end, and at the conclusion of the closed session said that the board felt the fact finder report "has the potential of being the basis for an agreement." He continued that the board would take formal action only after the two bargaining teams worked out the language necessary to implement the report. A meeting is scheduled with the state mediator on Tuesday afternoon.

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LOWELL AREA MASONS & EASTERN STARS — Will sponsor a Fish Fry on Saturday, September 12, in the Lowell Masonic Temple serving 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Adults \$3.50. Children under 12 \$1.50.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST — Saturday, Sept. 19 from 7-11 a.m. Adults \$2.50, children under 12 \$1.50. At Lowell Moose Lodge, 210 E. Main. Proceeds benefit Lowell Area School Association and Muscular Dystrophy.

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# Obituaries

**BARNES** — Ernest M. Barnes, aged 89, of Lowell, passed away September 11, 1981.

He is survived by his children, Mrs. John (Ernestine) Preiksha of Grand Rapids, Mrs. John (Betty) Murry of Chicago, James and Joanne Barnes of Rockford and Charles and Linda Barnes of Lowell; 15 grandchildren; two great grandchildren.

Funeral Services were Monday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell, with Rev. Gerald R. Bates of the First Methodist Church officiating. Interment Bowne Center Cemetery.

**HENDRICK** — Freida Hendrick, aged 52, of Lowell, passed away Sunday, September 13, 1981.

She is survived by her husband, Darwin; her children, Mrs. William (Ardis) Barber, Mitchell and Georgeann, Steven and David Hendrick, all of Lowell; a brother, Bernard Nummer, of Ionia and five grandchildren.

Funeral Services were Tuesday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell, with Dr. Richard Greenwood, of the First Congregational Church, officiating. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

**PUNG** — Cecil C. Pung, infant son of James and Jule (Devall) Pung, 204 Church Hill Street, Ionia, died shortly after birth Thursday, Sept. 17, at Ionia County Memorial Hospital.

Surviving besides his parents are: paternal grandparents Charles and Ethelyn Pung, of Ionia; maternal grandparents Cecil and Helen Devall, of Saranac; two brothers, Richard and Robert; and a sister, Kirsta.

A graveside service was conducted at Tuttle Cemetery, with the Rev. Mark Mitchell, of S.S. Peter and Paul Church officiating.

Arrangements by the Leddick Funeral Home.

**VAN DOMMELEN** — Mrs. Gertrude A. Van Dommelen, aged 70, of Leisure South, Kentwood, passed away early Monday morning, Sept. 7, 1981, at Butterworth Hospital after a lingering illness.

Surviving are her husband, Theodore; her stepchildren, Marilyn Van Dommelen at home, Ruth and Richard DeBruine of Jenison, Theodore J. and Jean Van Dommelen of Ada, Mrs. Jean Steffens of Holland, Bunny and Richard DeVries, Marcia and Howard Pastoor of Grand Rapids, Carole and John Kroes of Muskegon; her brother and sister-in-law, Rev. Harmon and Regina Kuizema; several grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

Funeral Services were held Saturday at the Cascade Christian Reformed Church, Rev. Durant VanOyen officiating. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Ada Christian School or MEM at Cary, MS.

**WIERSEMA** — Martin J. Wiersema Sr., aged 71, of 712 Spencer N.E., Grand Rapids, passed away Friday, September 11, 1981, at Butterworth Hospital.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or Pine Rest Children's Retreat.

**VERSLUYS** — Mr. Peter M. Versluys, aged 67, of Grand Rapids, passed away at Blodgett Hospital Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 9, 1981, and went to be with his Lord.

He is survived by his wife, Roelina (nee Katerberg); his children, John and Judi Versluys, Fred and Marthen Mulder, Roger and Janna Anderson of Alto and Dick and Roselyn Bont of Ada; 16 grandchildren; three brothers, Adrian, Jack and William Versluys; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Hoogeboom and Mrs. Christine Marsman; two brothers-in-law, George Talsma and Ryven Elinga.

Mr. Versluys was predeceased by a grandson, Joel Mark Versluys and a brother, John and two sisters, Catharine and Nell.

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Memorial contributions may be made to the Ada Christian School or MEM at Cary, MS.

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He is survived by his wife, Juanita D. Wiersema; his children, Joyce and Ernest Cowell of Grand Rapids, Robert and Hyla Wiersema, Donald and Marilyn Wiersema of Wayland, Carol Homrich of Grand Rapids, James and Ruth Wiersema of Lowell and Janice Wiersema of Grand Rapids; 13 grandchildren and three great grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Timmer of Detroit, Mrs. Jeanette Bowman of Beverly, Mrs. Edna McDowell of Bradenton, Fl. two brothers, Paul Pelon of Ionia and William Wiersema and wife, Gertrude of Wayland.

Mr. Wiersema was a retired 32 year employee of Grand Rapids Metalcraft Co. Services were held Monday afternoon at the funeral chapel, with Rev. Jack E. Rowe of Calvary Memorial Assembly of God officiating. Interment in Rosedale Memorial Park.

## Dental hygienists will tour China

Two former Lowell women are included among 17 Michigan Dental Hygienists' Association members departing this week on a two week working tour of the People's Republic of China.

Jane Reagan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan of King Street in Lowell, and Kathy Haybarker Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Haybarker, formerly of N. Hudson Street in Lowell, will be part of a total group of 32 leaving the United States on September 26th, after having participated in a protocol orientation in San Francisco on Friday, September 25th.

The trip has been arranged by the Sino American Technology Exchange Council, Inc., a non-profit organization dedicated to medical exchanges with the private sectors of the medical professions. All participants will be the guests of the Chinese

## Y fall programs listed

Look what's happening this fall at the Lowell Family YMCA.

**FOR STUDENTS:** Open gym at Alto - K - 2nd games, rhythms, locomotor skills and for 3rd - 5th Lead-up games to soccer, floor hockey and basketball. Kiddy Gymnastics - a gymnastic class for Pre-schoolers. Beginning/Intermediate and Advanced Gymnastics - Learn the skills of gymnastics. Individual work on routines and apparatus including balance beam, vault, floor exercise and uneven parallel bars. Elementary Music Hour - An hour of learning and singing of music - meets one hour a week at Bushnell.

**FOR WOMEN:** Aerobics in Motion - fitness program designed to improve cardiovascular health, flexibility and endurance. Womens Fitness classes - emphasis will be on stretching, flexibility, and muscle toning. Yoga - Postures and relaxation for those who are interested in

tuning in to their bodies through graceful movement. Quiltmaking class - Learn the "how to" of tradition. Quiltmaking. Beginning Sewing - Learn the professional sewing terminology and techniques through lectures, demonstrations and preparation of samples. Application of techniques will be utilized by each student making a garment of her choice. Advanced Sewing and Tailoring - For the advanced seamstress, develop advanced sewing techniques and learn professional tailoring methods through lectures, demonstrations and actual preparation of samples. Application of techniques will be utilized by each student making a garment of her choice. Knitting - Learn the fun craft of knitting. If interested please call your YMCA, 897-8445.

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# Coming Events

**WED., SEPT. 16:** Past Matrons of Cyclamen Chapter No. 94 O.E.S. will meet at the home of Verna Rogers at 7:30 p.m.

**WED., SEPT. 16:** Lowell Garden Lore Club trip to Blandford Nature Center, meet at Johnsons parking lot at 11 a.m., lunch at a restaurant on the way. Any questions call Del Driftmeyer at 897-5416.

**SEPT. 17, 18 & 19:** WOTM Annual Garage Sale at 406 N. Monroe from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Clothing and Household items. Rain or shine. Attention WOTM members: Don't forget your 3 pies for Fallasburg Festival.

**SAT., SEPT. 19:** Pancake breakfast from 7-11 a.m. Adults \$2.50, children under 12 \$1.50. At Lowell Moose Lodge, 210 E. Main. Proceeds benefit Lowell Area School Association and Muscular Dystrophy.

**SUN., SEPT. 20:** Annual VFW picnic & 35th anniversary celebration at 1 p.m. in Fallasburg Park for members and their immediate families. Bring dish to pass, tableware. Post will furnish meat and refreshments. Reservations by Sept. 15, contact the Post.

**SUN., SEPT. 20:** Lowell United Methodist Church is holding a Church Family Picnic. 1:00 at Fallasburg Park. Potluck with games and prizes for all ages.

**MON., SEPT. 21:** Athletic Boosters meeting at 7:30 p.m. in Mr. Perry's classroom. It is located in the first hall, to the left, at the front of the high school.

Every parent who has a child in sports should attend.

**SEPT. 21:** American Legion Auxiliary - 7 p.m. Our Guest speaker will be Stacy Lippert, our Girls State representative this year. We urge all auxiliary members to attend this meeting and a special invitation to the wives of our Legion members to join with us to hear Stacy relate her experiences while at Girls State.

Storing onions and potatoes together encourages the potatoes to spoil faster.

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## Heads Ada / Cascade VW drive

"By helping the United Way with all the organizations it represents, I have the opportunity to touch more people, to help more people than through any other method," stated Ronald J. Stuit, Assistant Vice President and Branch Manager for Old Kent Bank in Cascade.

Stuit has lived in Cascade for 20 years. In addition to numerous church related activities, he has been active in community organizations such as the Cascade Zoning Board of Appeals and the Forest Hills Central Music Association, as past president and currently as treasurer.

Stuit has been involved with the United Way for fifteen years. This is his third year as the campaign chairperson for Ada and Cascade. "I feel that everybody living



Ronald J. Stuit

in a community has a responsibility and a duty to give something for others in their community," said Stuit.

Assisting Stuit with the Ada campaign is Laura Raymond, from Old Kent Bank and Trust Company, direct-

ing the business section. The United Way campaign goal for Ada is \$94,639 and for Cascade, \$124,446. These goals are included in the overall Kent County goal of \$5,204,918, an increase of 15.6% over the amount raised last year.

## Local News

Two area students achieved placement on the Dean's List at Michigan Technological University for the summer quarter. Listed were: Nancy L. Weeks, a senior in business administration from Lowell; James A. Brouwer, a sophomore in forest technology from Ada. Brower earned a 4.00.

## Bike route to

### Fallasburg set

A bike path is slated for construction this month along Lincoln Lake Ave from Lowell to Fallasburg Park, according to Kent County Road Commission engineer David Groenleer. The project is expected to be complete by October 16.

Officials have estimated that it costs \$50,000 a mile to build a bike path which would put the price tag of the path at \$125,000.

Construction will be completely funded by the county. State law requires the county to set aside at least one percent of the county's annual gas and weight tax revenue for non-motorized vehicle trails.

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| 1974 | Chevrolet Impala 4 Dr., Brown, 51,000             | \$995  |
| 1974 | Ford Pinto Wagon Blue, auto, 55,000               | \$995  |
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Kathy is the editor of the Grand Rapids Dental Hygienists' Society newsletter, and is in her second term as the Corresponding Secretary for that organization. On the state level, she serves as the Michigan Dental Hygienists' Association Public Information Committee Chairman.

While in China, these American dental hygienists will be conducting school-room consultations with the use of visual aides for the purpose of continuing education in the profession of dental hygiene, by demonstration of toothbrushing, flossing, the use of fluoride rinses, and the importance of nutrition as it relates to decay. In the dental clinic setting they will be demonstrating oral hygiene techniques thru the use of scaling procedures.

It is hoped that this first step in the training of Chinese dental hygienists, and the related dental health education of the young, will help to bring about a great improvement in the overall dental health of the Chinese people.

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# Church News

## Letters

TO THE EDITOR,

I think it's about time some of us parents started speaking out about the school lunch program. Our kids are sick and tired of chicken every Wednesday. The rest of the week they get pizza, tacos and sandwiches. I realize the money for the lunch program is limited but I'm sure as parents we would be willing to pay more for a quality lunch.

Let's give these kids some beef, pork or fish once in a while. Beef and noodles or tuna casserole, roast pork, mashed potatoes & gravy, more fish sticks, meat loaf,

goulash, chili, barbeques, homemade soups and stews are just a few suggestions. The more expensive dishes could be served once a month, on Wednesdays if you must, instead of chicken.

More homemade hearty dishes could be served and I think more kids might purchase a hot lunch. Involve the home ec. class (if possible) in the cooking of these meals. This would save hiring additional help if needed. Ask for parents to volunteer some time and recipes if needed.

Goldie Callihan

## Missionary Conf. here this week

Vibrant young Christians from all over the world are joining hands to reach the 2.5 billion people who have never clearly heard the gospel. The new Missionary Church in Lowell stands firmly behind these young people and will host a missions conference Thursday through Sunday of this week, September 17-20. Two missionaries will be speaking, Rev. George Schroeder from Nigeria and Rev. Donald Matteson from Brazil.

Rev. Schroeder has a varied ministry in Nigeria, Africa. Bible instructor at the Florin Theological College, he also teaches Religious Knowledge in a teachers' area throughout this whole area.



Rev. Donald Matteson

The Rev. Donald Matteson began his missionary career in Brazil in 1968. His work in southern Brazil has included church planting and more recently heading the youth department. His duties have included conducting youth camps and retreats and children camps, also motivating and assisting the various youth groups in the local churches. This is a vital ministry because a great majority of Brazil's population is under 20.

Services will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the new church building, 10501 Settlewood, at 7:30 p.m. On Friday at 6 p.m. there will be a potluck dinner at 10720 Woodbushe Dr. Sunday services are Sunday School at 10 a.m. worship service at 11 a.m. and will be at the Lowell High School Choir room. Not only

training college; but his great talents in the line of music and preaching make him a popular singer and preacher for Christian student groups, in pastors' conferences, and other conven-

## Births

Gerald and Randi (Johnson) Ellis of Caledonia are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Sean Christopher, born Sept. 11 at Butterworth Hospital. Sean weighed 8 lb. 1 oz. and measured 20 inches long. Big brother Eric awaits at home. Proud grandparents are John and Charlene Butler of Ada, and Robert and Doris Ellis of Lowell. Great-grandparents are Bertine Hill, Ellen Johnson, and Oliver Butler, all of Grand Rapids; and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stauffer of Lowell.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE—Turn closet clutter into cash with a Ledger Classified ad. 20 words for \$1. Call 897-9261.

## HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

Blessed is the man whose strength is in thee . . . (Psalm 84:5).

Dad waited to have the mumps with us children. He and Paul were confined to bed at the same time. Dad complied with the doctor's orders and remained quiet. It was another story with Paul. However, there were three times during the day when Mom had no trouble keeping my brother in bed. At mealtime he climbed quickly under the covers and waited for his meals to be delivered.

Like Paul when he had the mumps, some people love to be waited on. Others are independent — often too much so for their own good.

They would rather administer to the needs of others than to be waited on themselves. Unlike Paul, most people do not find pleasure in being ill. But afflictions may be blessings in disguise. When we are weak, then we can be strong. The Lord seeks our dependence; He wants our absolute trust and reliance. Weakness and afflictions often force us to trust Him implicitly; and His strength becomes our sufficiency. In fact, we find we can do far more through the strength He gives than we can through our own. There is "strength in weakness."

Prayer: Heavenly Father, grant that I shall not wait until I become weak in body to be strong in Thee. Give me Thy strength and let it be my sufficiency day by day. Help me to trust Thee implicitly. Amen.

Lord, we have wandered forth through doubt and sorrow, And Thou hast made each step an onward one; And we will ever trust each unknown tomorrow, Thou wilt sustain us till its work is done. SAMUEL JOHNSON

## OPEN LETTER

Dear friends, In early times, the cemetery was a hub of family activity. It was a place to picnic, to stroll, to meditate, to gather, to remember. The refreshing greenery of a cemetery should again serve as a recreation spot for the living, as well as a place for the dead. Respectfully,



## Kent Co. fair winners listed

The following is a listing of youth from Lowell, Ada and Alto who placed in the various events and categories of competition during the Kent County Youth Fair, held in Lowell August 17 through 22. (Youths are from Lowell unless otherwise indicated.)

ARCHERY: Stacy Shassberger.

CERAMICS: (Fired) Mike Doezema, Tammy Qualls, Becky Seese.

COLLECTIONS: (Coins) Jason Lockhart of Ada; (Models) Mike Horian, Rob Huver; (Match Book) Kevin Clouser; (Postcards) Ellen Padesky of Ada; (Spoons) Lisa Dezeuw.

CRAFTS: (Macrame) Karen Brandt.

CREATIVE ARTS: (Country Painting) Joe Merklinger, Missy Shassberger; (Drawing) Klaas Kwant; (Wire Metal Sculpture) Klass Kwant.

CREATIVE STITCHERY: (Other) Karen Brandt, Rob Huver; (Stuffed Toys) Sally Clark of Alto.

CREATIVE WRITING: Sally Clark of Alto, Jenny Dine of Alto.

FIELD CROPS: (Corn Stalks) Mark Wilcox.

FOODS: (Senior) Suzanne Townsend of Alto; (Cake Decorating) Kristin Kinsey of Alto, Jody Smith; (Food Preservation) Angie Hyzer.

GARDENING: (Flower) Tammy Walma of Alto; (Vegetable) Dalin Clark of Alto.

HORSE SCIENCE: Lisa Kelly, Jan Sanford, Wendy Silverman of Ada.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE: (Clothing, Senior) Holly Aylworth of Alto.

TRACTOR DRIVING: (Junior) Jay Bos of Alto.

WOODWORKING: Suzette Fluger.

LIVESTOCK DAIRY HOLSTEIN: (Grand Champion, Reserve Champion, Senior and Reserve Senior) Sheila Nugent.

DAIRY JERSEY: (Grand Champion) Cathy Wenger of Alto. (Reserve Champion) Shawn Wenger of Alto. (Senior) Cathy Wenger of Alto. (Reserve Senior) Shawn Wenger of Alto.

DAIRY HOLSTEIN JUNIOR CHAMPION: Jamie Cook. BOBDOG: (High Score Obedience) Janet Wenger of Ada. (Showmanship) Janet Wenger of Ada.

## CMU hosts h.s. students

High school juniors and seniors and community college students will have the opportunity to get acquainted with Central Michigan University during "CMU & YOU" Day on Saturday, Oct. 3. The tenth annual event will include campus tours, displays, information from academic representatives and information on career planning, financial aid, housing and student organizations.

Participants will also be admitted free to the football game against Eastern Michigan University at 1:30 p.m. in Perry Shorts Stadium. Students interested in participating in "CMU & YOU" Day should contact their high school guidance counselor or principal, or the CMU Admissions Office at (517) 774-076. Deadline for registration is Sept. 25.

## Renaissance '81 art competition announced

All area artists are invited to participate in Renaissance '81, an art exhibition which will result from a competition sponsored by a committee of prominent Grand Rapids business people. A total of five thousand dollars will be awarded to winners in the competition. The exhibition will be held at the Grand Rapids Art Museum, November 14 through December 6.

Five categories of art will be accepted for the judging: Painting, Graphics, Sculpture, Ceramics and Fiber Arts. A first prize of \$500 will be awarded in each category, and a second place award of \$300 will be given in each of the five categories. A special People's Choice Award of \$200 will be selected by visitors to the exhibition, and other prize monies will be awarded for selected works.

The theme of Renaissance '81 is the interpretation of the positive human spirit and optimism which is reflected in the dramatic revitalization and rebirth of downtown Grand Rapids.

Applications for the competition may be obtained from the Grand Rapids Art Museum, the Grand Rapids Public Museum, the Arts Council office, and the art departments of area colleges.

## LUNCH MENU

LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS HOT LUNCH MENU Week of September 21, 1981

MON. SEPT. 21: Fruit juice, pizza w/meat and cheese, garden salad or vegetable, assorted fruits and jello, milk.

TUES. SEPT. 22: Cheeseburgers or hamburgers, tossed salad w/dressing, steamed corn, chilled fruit bars or cookies, milk.

WED. SEPT. 23: Turkey and gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered green beans, raisin bread or rolls, jello w/whip or fruit, milk.

THURS. SEPT. 24: Goulash or ravioli, cabbage salad, french bread w/p. nut butter, choice of fresh or canned fruit, milk.

FRI. SEPT. 25: Grilled cheese sandwiches, potato chips and pickles, mixed veggies or baked beans, fruit or jello, milk.

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<b>MISSIONARY CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. (Meeting in the Lowell High School Choir room) 750 Foreman Road Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Prayer and Bible Study Wed. 7:00 p.m. (Meeting in the Pastor's Home, 10268 Foreman Road) Pastor Glenn H. Marks - 897-9110	<b>WHITNEYVILLE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST</b> UNDENOMINATIONAL 4935 Whitneyville Rd. Ada 49301 Sunday Morn. Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Evening Prayer Service 7:30 p.m. Challenger's Youth Group, Wed. 7:30 p.m. PASTOR JAMES GROENDYK	<b>ADA CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH</b> 7152 Bradford St. S.E. - 676-1698 REV. ANGUS M. MacLEOD Morning Worship 9:30 A.M. Sunday School 11:00 A.M. Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.	<b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ALTO</b> Corner of 60th Street & Bancroft Avenue Sunday School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Jr.-Sr. High Young People 6:30 P.M. Evening Worship 7:00 P.M. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 P.M. REV. GEORGE L. COON Telephone 868-6403 or 868-6912	<b>GALILEE BAPTIST CHURCH OF SARANAC</b> Corner of Orchard & Pleasant Sunday School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Evening Worship 7:00 P.M. Young Peoples Afterglow 8:30 P.M. Wed. Family Night 6:30-8:30 P.M. REV. JAMES FRANK 642-9174 - 642-9274 (Nursery & Children's Churches)	<b>BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH</b> 3900 East Fulton REV. RAYMOND E. BEFUS Morning Worship 9:50 A.M. (Broadcast 10 A.M. WMAX 1470) Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Service 7:30 P.M.	<b>CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> 1151 West Main Street - 897-8841 REV. RICHARD VANDEKIEFT Worship Service 10 A.M. & 6 P.M. Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Supervised Nursery During All Services	<b>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF LOWELL</b> 201 North Washington Street REV. WILLIAM F. HURT Church School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Mid-Week Service Jr., Teens, Adults 7:00 P.M. Nursery - Come & Worship With Us	<b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> 2275 West Main Street Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Jr. High Youth Group 5:30 P.M. Evening Service 7:00 P.M. Sr. High Youth Group 8:15 P.M. Wednesday Family Hour 7:30 P.M. DR. DARRELL WILSON - 897-5300	<b>FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> (Member United Church of Christ) North Hudson at Spring St., Lowell 897-9309 DR. RICHARD GREENWOOD Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Church School 10:00 A.M. (Cribbery & Nursery Provided)	<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> 621 E. Main St. - 830-945 A.M. Church School 9:45 A.M. GERALD R. BATES, MINISTER Beulah Poe, Assoc. Minister Nursery 8:30 & 9:45 A.M.	<b>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> 2287 Segwuh, S.E. Lowell, Michigan Sunday School 9:30 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. MARK BUCKERT, PASTOR Ron Maykkyen, Elder 897-9551	<b>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS</b> 8146 - 68th St. S.E. Alto, MI HIGH PRIEST DIRK VENEMA 868-6292 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.	<b>SARANAC COMMUNITY CHURCH</b> (United Church of Christ) 125 Bridge St., Saranac, MI DIAL-A-PRAYER - 642-9659 Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Sunday School 11:15 A.M. THE REV. EDWIN MENDENHALL 642-6322	<b>ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> 402 N. Armit FR. THOMAS SCHILLER PASTOR NEW HOURS Saturday Mass 5:30 P.M. Sunday Mass 9 & 11 A.M.	<b>TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCA)</b> REV. Dr. James G. Cobb, Pastor Ronald McCallum, Seminary Intern 2700 E. Fulton Worship Service 8:30 & 10:45 A.M. Sunday Church School 9:30 A.M. Nursery Provided - Barner Free	<b>VERGENNES UNITED METHODIST</b> Corner Parnell & Bailey drive Worship Service 10:00 A.M. Coffee Hour 11:00 A.M. Church School 11:15 A.M. DR. STANLEY H. FORKNER Ph. 531-7942 "Little White Church On The Corner"
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## COZY corner

By Roger Brown

I can't figure out how Grand Rapids does it. I mean they can take an old "has been" like Bob Hope, charge up to a thousand bucks a seat and pack the joint months in advance. I even heard that they got the President of the United States to come, and he's bringing half of Washington with him. On top of that I understand that there will be a bunch of foreign dignitaries, and get this, they even got Gerald Ford to give up golf for a few days and come all the way in from California. All this for a Bob Hope show?

Maybe it's all the related stuff they've got going on that's making the show such a big hit. I guess they've got balloon races, fishing tournaments, fireworks, outside concerts downtown, and I hear they're even dedicating some new museum. This thing is so big that they're going to have more people milling around downtown than during the raft race. All this for a Bob Hope show?

Now this I can't figure out at all. According to the schedule of events I saw, the "Today" show and "Good Morning America" are going to be broadcasting from Grand Rapids in connection with this deal. The thing that puzzles me is that they are going to be here Friday, which is the day after the show. Must be they're going to play a video tape of the show and get people's reaction to it, or something like that. The only other thing that's going on Friday is the museum dedication and I can't believe they're in town for that. All this for a Bob Hope show?

I saw Bob Hope in Korea about twelve years ago, and I have to admit he put on a good show, but if it hadn't been for the "Gold Diggers" and the "Ding-a-lings" (a couple of very female dance acts popular at the time) I don't think I'd have been impressed. I think that Red Skelton is a lot funnier than Bob Hope and they didn't have this big hoopla for him when he was in town a few months ago. For that matter, I think Bill Cosby is funnier than both of them put together, and Grand Rapids didn't make a big deal over him either. All this for a Bob Hope show?

I guess what bothers me most is that Grand Rapids can make such a big deal over Bob Hope, sell him out and even get Gerald Ford to come while the Lowell Showboat is struggling to sell \$5.00 tickets to a "class act" like "Boxcar Willie". It just doesn't make sense, and neither does this column.

P.S. All kidding aside, having gone in the red for its '81 show, the Lowell Showboat is in desperate need of money. The "Boxcar Willie" show coming up next Wednesday has the potential to be a great money-maker if tickets sell well. Each and every one of you can show your support by selling some tickets at work, or to your friends and relatives, or by just attending the show yourself.

The Showboat ticket office is open every afternoon for those of you wishing further information on how you can help this "community project".

## Salmon season starts



So there is no more salmon snagging, so what! Angler Martin Fox of Alto caught four beautiful Chinook on Monday below the Main Street Dam using a blue and silver Cleo within a two-hour span. The salmon weighed 22, 21, 19 and 15 lbs.

## Red Cross open house for nurses

Kent County Red Cross nursing and health services will conduct an Open House on Tuesday, September 22, from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m., at the Red Cross building, 1050 Fuller, N.E., Grand Rapids.

Registered nurses, licensed practical nurses and nursing students are encouraged to attend the open house to explore a variety of Red Cross nursing and health services. Red Cross nurses volunteer throughout the community in first aid

## Fall rally is free

"Stretching your Clothing Dollar" or how to dress elegantly but cheaply is the topic for the annual M.A.E.H. (Michigan Association of Extension Homemakers) "Fall Rally" on September 22 at 1 p.m. at the Youth Building on the Ionia Fairgrounds.

Joanne Thurber Schultink, M.S.U. Extension Specialist in Textiles, will be the guest

speaker. She will address the issue of making the most of your clothing dollar by exploring such possibilities as dime store bargains, used clothing stores, recycled clothing, homemade but easy accessories, and even garage sales.

This program is a free event. All interested consumers are invited.

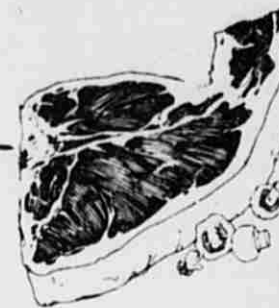
stations, senior citizen health screening programs, and high blood pressure clinics. In the event of a major disaster in our area, a Red Cross nurse is stationed in every shelter site. Registered nurses may obtain Continuing Education Units (CEU's) for several Red Cross courses. For more information, call Red Cross nursing and health services, a United Way service, at 456-8661.

## STEAK DINNER

Saturday, Sept. 19th

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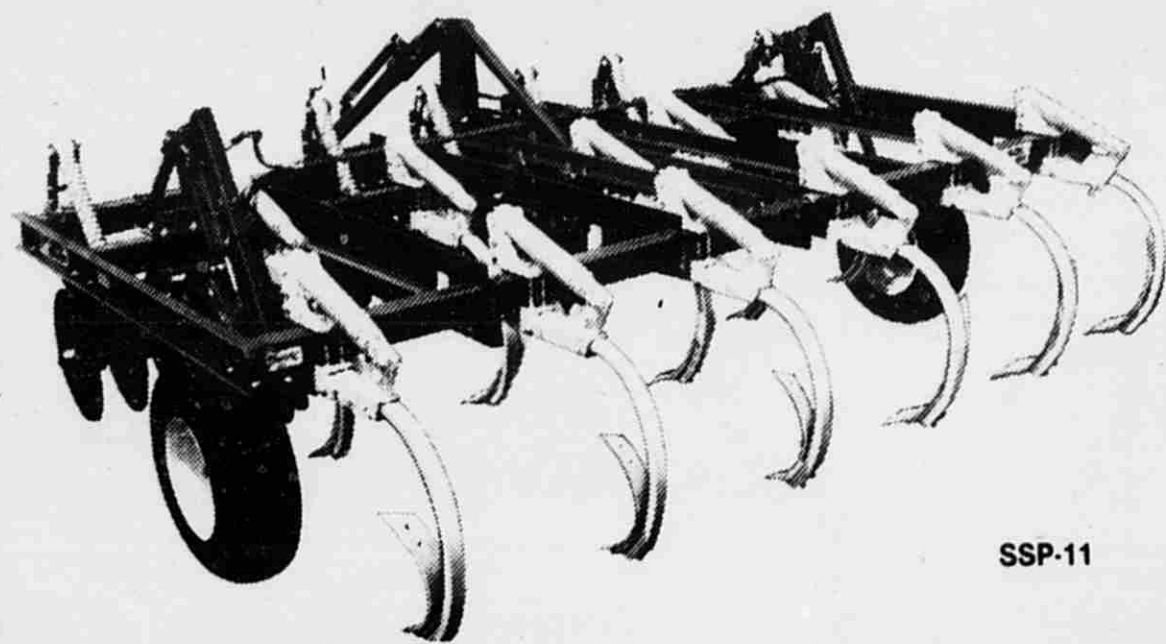
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# Society Notes

## Ella Bannon honored

The Lowell Women's Club met in the lounge of Schneider Manor on Wednesday, September 9, to begin its fall and winter program.

A luncheon, which was served to the 54 ladies present, was provided by the Club officers. Special guest for the day was Hester White of Novato, California, a former resident and well-known elementary teacher in the Lowell schools.

September birthdays of club members Verna Yeiter, Dorothy Hale, Bertha Bryant, Grace Kutchey, Lila Thaler, Edith Roth, Barbara Litschewski, Pauline Watts, Alice Mueller and Ellen Moore were recognized.

The club's annual program booklets given out at the meeting were dedicated to Ella Ford Bannon, long-time member and dependable worker in the club. The dedication page reads, "Her

faithful attendance and service on many different committees over the years and her gentle, cheerful personality are an inspiration to us all."

## Happy Birthday...

SEPTEMBER 19: Judy Kline, Teresa Heintz, Mark Kettner, Carol Shimmel, Judith Ann Bowden, Thelma Phelps, Esther Simpson.

SEPTEMBER 20: Jack Winks, Ed Stormzand.

SEPTEMBER 21: Ann Wiersma, Elma Tunis.

SEPTEMBER 22: Rose Fonger, Marj Cahoon, Gladys Sherman, Yvonne Free.

SEPTEMBER 23: Claverly, Doris Ingalls.

SEPTEMBER 25: Harry Ford, Patricia Mull, Phyllis Beachler.

## Engagement announced

Wilda and Roger Stranger, of 1120 Pickey Road, Saranac, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Anne Coulier, to Kim Matthew Schwacha, of Saranac.

Schwacha is the son of Arlene Schwacha, of 2549 Emery Drive, Lowell.

The bride-to-be is a 1978 graduate of Saranac High School employed at Amway Corp. Schwacha is a 1974 graduate of Lowell High School and also is employed at Amway Corp.

A May 22 wedding is planned.

## Class will hold reunion

The Lowell High School graduating class of 1933 will hold their reunion Fri., Oct. 23 at the Lowell Masonic Temple. Dinner is at 7 p.m.

Reservations accompanied by check (\$7.50 per person) must be in by Oct. 15 to Esther (DeVries) DeRushia, 712 Washington St., Lowell, Mich. 49331.

The classes of '32 and '34 are also invited to attend.

Addresses are still needed for John Winifred Bridges and Erwin Basler.

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## To reside in Lowell



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young

Lowell Wesleyan Church was the setting for the exchange of wedding vows between Patricia Lynn Wagner and Robert Young on June 27.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Wagner of Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs.

Hugh Young of Lowell. Karen Venneman was Maid of Honor and Rob Morris was Best Man. Ushers were Rick Arnett of Big Rapids and Henry Whittum of Lowell.

The newlyweds will make their home in Lowell.

## Saranac couple to wed

Miei R. Bos, of Saranac, is engaged to Ray C. Herrick, of Saranac.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Jeana Halos, of Mackinac Island and Mr. and Mrs. Don Bos, of Saranac. The groom-to-be is the son of

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Herrick, of Mason.

Bos attends Grand Rapids Junior College while Herrick is employed at Lacks Industries in Saranac.

No wedding date has been set.

## Ford has two new models for '82



Ford dealers will introduce two new models for 1982. The Escort 4-door hatchback pictured is one of those with an EPA-estimated rating of 31 city and 47 highway.

For 1982, Ford Division will introduce two new models and add a number of functional refinements to existing car lines. Mark Powell, General Manager of Harold Zeigler Ford, Lowell, said today.

"Ford Escort -- 1981's best-selling front-wheel-drive small-car line -- adds a new four-door hatchback model for 1982 and the Ford Granada adds a station wagon," Powell said. "We expect consumers to compare it with the larger, heavier Chrysler 'K' and General Motors 'J' cars. Since it offers comparable front and rear head and leg room, superior fuel economy and a price hundreds of dollars lower, the Escort should do very well in such a face-off."

Among them many functional improvements made to the entire Escort line for 1982 is an increase in the estimated EPA ratings of the

base Escort to 31 city and 47 highway making Escort one of the most efficient cars available. Other improvements aim to improve acceleration and smoothness of operation. Front seat leg room has been increased and a larger fuel tank is now standard.

"Granada's ride, handling and classy good looks represent an outstanding combination of luxury and function in a family-sized car," Powell continued. "The new Granada wagon should be a popular addition to the line." The new wagon has nearly 74 cubic feet of cargo space on a load floor almost seven feet long with the rear seat folded.

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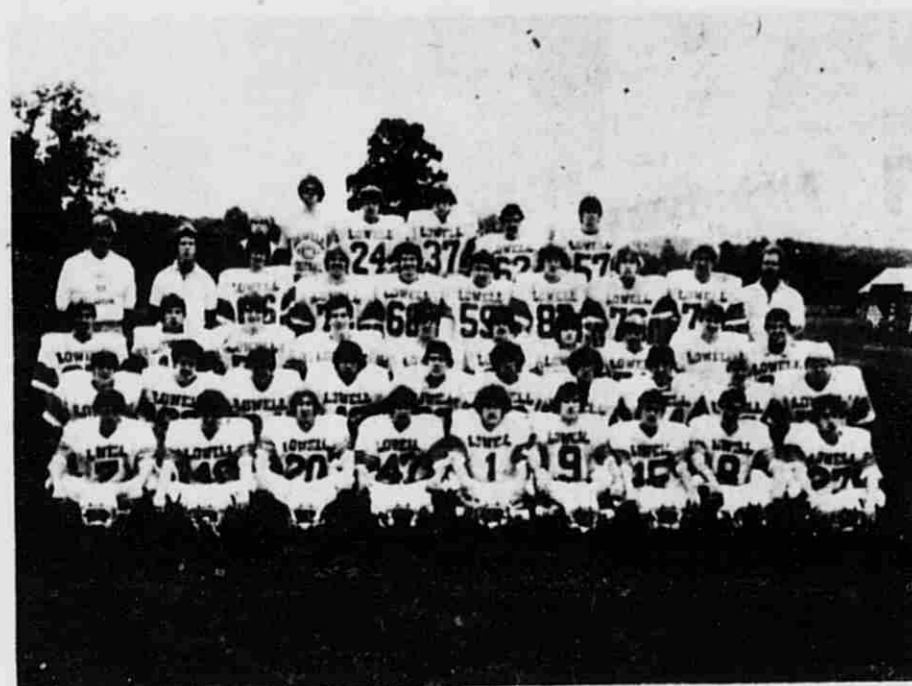
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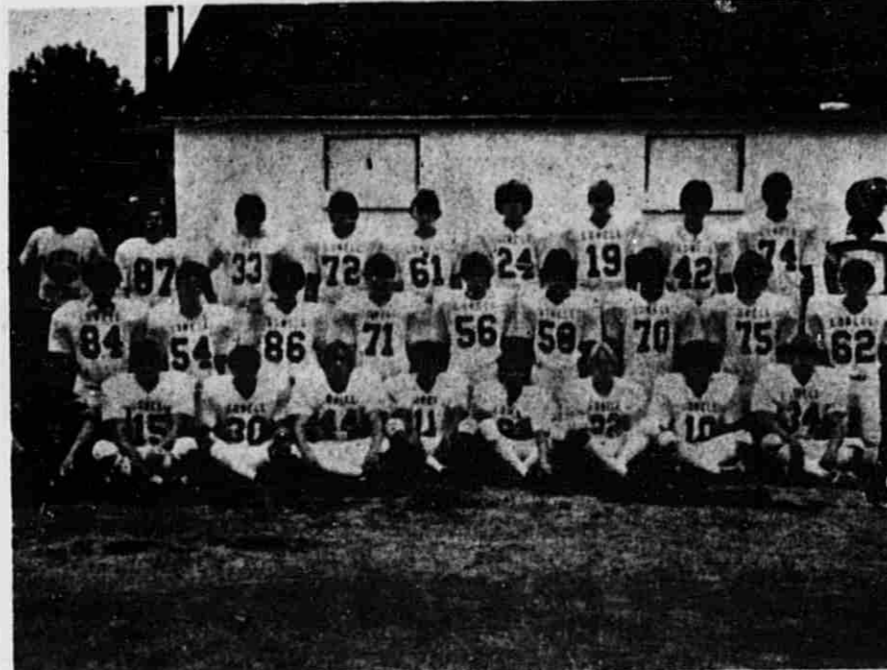
# LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL FALL SPORTS TEAMS . . .

## VARSITY FOOTBALL



Front row (l to r): Marshall, Van Kooten, Roth, Vredenburg, Ed Lowry, Shawn Lowry, Van Belkum, McCaul, Lambert. 2nd row (l to r): Ulichnie, Gerard, Adams, Martinez, Whaley, Brown, Sheler, Versiula, Fuller, Zywicki. 3rd row (l to r): Lotterman, Quiggle, Poll, Ranburger, Grim, McCready, Waldrop, Wilkerson, Burdette, Grummel. 4th row (l to r): Coach Russell, Coach Christensen, Videan, Kauffman, Hinds, Weaver, Evans, Fizer, Albus, Coach Vashaw. 5th row (l to r): Mgr. Quiggle, Mgr. Brecken, Vroma, Rose, Merklinger, Bailey.

## JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL



Front row (l to r): Mgr. Mike Ketchum, Reinke, Ralys, Burkett, Dennis Rasch, Farrell, Southland, Adams, Pot. 2nd row (l to r): Parsley, Alderink, Mitchell, Ryder, Blakely, Kidder, Ed Rasch, Miller, Strouse. 3rd row (l to r): Coach Rob McCormick, Walker, Kloosterman, Schrenk, Barnes, Stepek, Barber, Burdett, Strouse, Coach Bennett.

## GIRL'S VARSITY BASKETBALL



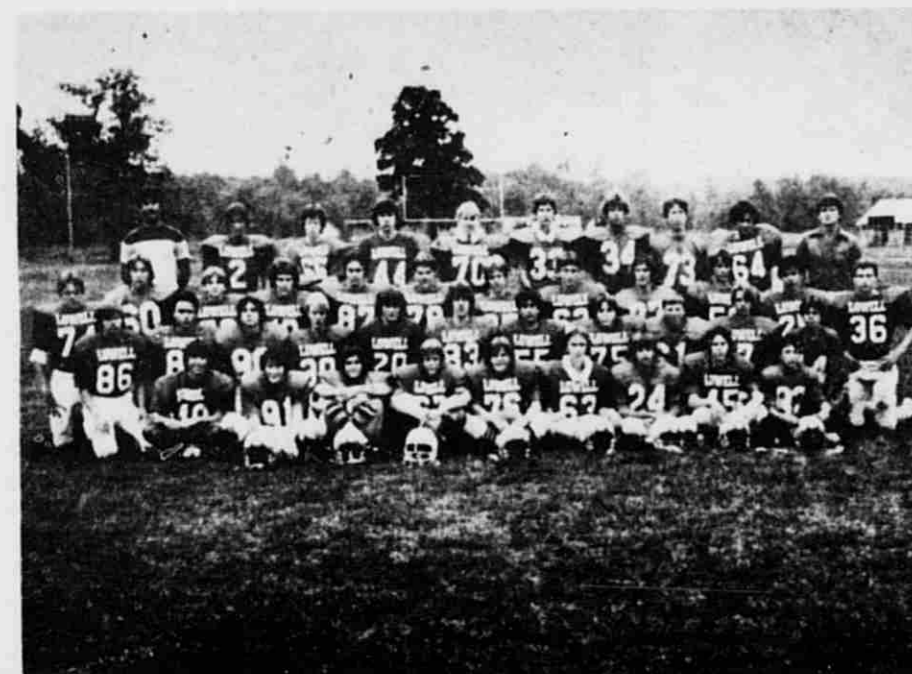
Front row (l to r): Jackie Malone, Kerry Cosgrove, Chris DeWitt, Tami Kalkman, Ruth Bobko, Amy Cosgrove. 2nd row (l to r): Mgr. Lynn Willyard, Penny Richardson, Beth Bechum, Chris Hildebrand, Tonia Smith, Julie Roth, Coach Kathy Talus.

## GIRL'S JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL



Front row (l to r): Chris Ellison, Robin Burns, Maria Ritzema, Paula Doyle, Phyllis Baechler, Kathy Kazemier. 2nd row (l to r): Mgr. Amy VanDerGallen, Lynn Dowling, Tonya Strouse, Kerry Malone, Nancy Beerwalde, Kathleen Baechler, Coach Julie Niemela.

## FRESHMAN FOOTBALL



Front row (l to r): J. Fitzpatrick, J. Carey, B. Beer, M. Roskamp, T. Abson, K. Kaminski, D. Bowden, B. Gessler, H. Brown. 2nd row (l to r): C. Callahan, T. Miller, T. Dommar, M. Ross, V. Shepard, T. Whaley, M. Wingeler, D. Callen, D. Flanagan, J. Lipka, B. Daugherty. 3rd row (l to r): D. MacDonald, T. Haykoop, D. Kelly, R. King, D. Kryger, P. Ruzich, B. Laverance, D. Fogel, T. Lanneman, D. Arnold, P. Brown, D. Jannenga. 4th row (l to r): Coach Ned Miller, D. Yetter, K. Katt, S. Wolfe, K. Hall, T.J. Haggal, T. Goshenour, D. Brown, J. Watrous, Coach Kent Morford.

## CROSS COUNTRY



Ann Rivers, Matt Barton, Ken Blaine, Matt Peters, Chris Anderson, Sue Schoenborn, Kathe Dey. 2nd row (l to r): Greg Carlson, George Schoolmaster, Shawn Barton, Coach Tom Stahr, Jill Brown, Kathleen Schoenborn, Droog. Missing from picture: Paul Rittenger, Robert Shelby, Kevin VanHeulen, Kevin Hurt.

## GOLF



Front row (l to r): Scott Abel, Greg Caldwell, Andy Rogers, Tom Caldwell, Jim Mesaner, James Fisher. 2nd row (l to r): Coach Rick White, Jon Vazino, Eric Etzings, Kerry Vazino, Dave VanPutten, Steve Kropl, Joan Miller, Lori Greenwald.

## GIRL'S TENNIS



Front row (l to r): Carle Shores, Kim McFall, Fran Saboo, Dana Bock, Diane Rittenger, Amy Hill, Kristine Schroeder, Kim VanWeelden, Tawnie Knotnerus. 2nd row (l to r): Janet Merriman, J. I. Webster, Renee Schroeder, Ruth Blakely, Sue Westcott, Kellie Marvin, Pam Westcott, Shelly Gessler, Kris Kinsey, Coach Robin Przewdzik. 3rd row (l to r): (standing) Stephanie Kidder, Greta Osborne, Grace Peters, Male Driedger, Adele Esparza.

## VARSITY FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS



Front row (l to r): Pam Miller, Tonley Yasochyia, Pam Pool. 2nd row (l to r): Kamie Lawrence, Lisa Muser, Coach Marsha LoHays, Jamie Nagy, Leni Gudus.

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Front row (l to r): Sue Sarniak, K. Lambert, D. Quirk. 2nd row (l to r): D. Richard, T. O'Neil, Coach Dorough, M. Sarne, D. Will.



## Big prizes for winner of Trout-Salmon Contest

One thing is certain: the prize-winning fisherman will not catch his big fish in the coming Grand River Trout-Salmon Contest by snagging it. Snagging is illegal in the Grand River this year, and in most Michigan streams.

The big winner in the four-day Grand River Trout-Salmon Contest, running Tuesday thru Friday, September 15 thru 18th in downtown Grand Rapids will receive a handsome pay-off worth roughly \$1800 for the \$2 entry fee.

Grand prize for the heaviest fish among the coho, chinook, brown trout, steelhead or lake trout will win a 12-foot Sea Nymph aluminum boat, a 9.8 h.p. Mercury outboard motor and a Balco trailer to carry them. Second prize will be a gasoline-powered mini-truck for man or boy. Third prize will be a 10-speed Columbia tandem bicycle.

Each day there will be 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prizes for the heaviest fish among the five species caught that day. First

prize will be a Daiwa rod and reel, second prize, a 48-quart capacity Igloo cooler -- enough to keep any fisherman happy, and third prize will be a lined, nylon wind-breaker jacket.

The contest hours are from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. each day. Fishermen can enter the contest by registering ahead of time at almost any tackle store or department in the Grand Rapids area. Latecomers can also register at the judges Weigh-In Station located just south of the Fish

### P-W blanks Saranac

Saranac's Redskins ran into a brick wall in their season opener Friday night and were defeated 38-0 when they met Pewamo-West-phalia.

P-W scored five touchdowns and John Heckman was credited with a safety when Saranac punter Nelson Terburgh fell on the ball in the end zone after a bad snap from center, making the half-time score 18-0.

Ladder at the Sixth Street Dam. Judges hasten to point out that fishermen must be registered before they enter a fish for judging, not after it has been caught.

The Contest is being operated by the Michigan Steelhead and Salmon Fisherman's Association, Trout Unlimited, and the Izaak Walton League. It is one of the many celebrations in conjunction with the Celebration On The Grand the week of September 14th.

Saranac quarterbacks Robert Simpson and Ryan Murphy completed two passes in five attempts for 11 yards total. Leading tackler for the Redskins was Todd Chipman with 3 solos, 4 assists and one interception. Jamie Chvala had 3 solos, one assist and one fumble recovery for the defense and Joe Overbeck and Dan Talcott each had 3 solos and one assist. Terburgh punted 7 times with a 28 yard average.

## Saranac X-C bows

Saranac's cross country team lost the season opener to Lakeview, 19-42. Lakeview took the top three spots.

For Saranac, Troy Stanton took fourth, Mike Knowles was fifth, Ken Seiler placed 12th, Bob Larson was 15th, Larry Melcher was 22nd and Pat Sichelsteel was 24th.

## Arrows bow to Ionia

23 - 13

Lowell buckled under pressure from a strong Ionia defense in their opener on Friday here. The scoreboard read 23-13 after a hard-fought game.

The Red Arrows scored the first touchdown early in the first quarter and kicked for the extra point, taking a 7-0 lead. Ionia scored minutes later but Lowell retained a slim margin with the extra point attempt went wide.

The Bulldogs took the lead late in the first when Rick Johnson tackled the Lowell quarterback in the end zone. Late in the second, Ionia scored again on a one-yard sneak. A two-point conver-

## Frosh schedule changed

The Freshman football game scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 17 has been changed to an away game. The game will be played at Portland at 5 p.m. Thursday. The team will face Portland again on October 22 here.

## JVs best Ionia,

36-6

The Lowell JV football team opened its season with a 36-6 victory over the visiting Ionia Bulldogs.

Lowell took the opening kick-off and marched 60 yards for the first score on a 10 yard pass from Jerry Adams to Jack Pursley. The Red Arrows scored on their next two possessions to make the score 20-0 after the first quarter. Eric Potter scampered 10 yards for one score and Pursley caught his second TD pass, this time from Jeff Reinke.

Potter scored the only TD of the second quarter as the Arrows led 28-0 at half. Steve Ralys scored on a 9 yard burst in the fourth quarter to finish out the scoring.

The Red Arrow defense, which held Ionia to 3 yds. total offense in the first half, was led by John Kloosterman, Cole Burdett, Ed Rasch, and Mike DeJong.

The Arrows travel to Belding Thursday, September 17 for a 6:00 contest.

## Girls down first two foes

The Lowell Varsity Girls basketball team opened the season on a good note as they defeated Middleville, 47-46. The Red Arrows held an 11 point advantage with 1:10 left in the game. Middleville never gave up and forced numerous turnovers to get within a single point.

Senior Beth Beachum led all scorers with 15 points. She got help from Chris DeWitt (11) and Tami Kalkman (10). Kalkman grabbed 11 rebounds.

On Thursday, Lowell downed Ionia 39-24. Beachum and Dewitt combined for 26 points.

Lowell played a conservative offensive game shoot-

ing only 38 field goals and connecting on 15 for 40%.

DeWitt played an outstanding defensive game and collected 11 defensive rebounds.

Lowell opened their conference schedule Tuesday with Belding and they are at home Thursday, Sept. 16, against Forest Hills Northern.

Lowell played a conservative offensive game shoot-

# Area Sports

## Boys X-C had winning week

Lowell High Schools' boys' cross country team has begun the 1981 season with three successive wins.

Lowell runners George Schoolmaster, Ken Blain, and Matt Peters captured the first three places against Caledonia as the Red Arrows hung on for a 29-30 win. The Scots made it interesting as they placed thirteen runners ahead of Lowell's fourth and fifth finalists; but the strength of the Red Arrows' first three runners guaranteed the victory.

Sophomore Schoolmaster again led the way as Lowell defeated Ionia, 26-29. Freshman Joe Droog and Sophomore Robert Shelby came through to save the day by outdistancing Ionia's sixth and seventh runners at the finish line to wrap up the win for the Arrows.

## Rough start for SHS girls

It was a rough sports week in Saranac as the varsity girls' basketball team was dumped by Portland St. Pat's, 53-26.

Leading scorers for the Redskins were Monty Hay-

den with four, Barb Snay with 9, Martha Smith with 5 and Kristen Cantu with four. Saranac was 10 for 41 shots from the floor for 24 percent. Snay and Smith led in rebounding with 14 each.

Lowell's girls' team dropped their only decision of the week to Ionia, 19-37. The Bulldogs, led by Betsy Erskine, took the first three places. Kathe Dey's fourth place finish led the Red Arrows.

The only action this week finds Lowell participating in the Forest Hills Northern Invitational at 10:30 on Saturday. The next home meets are Sept. 22 at 4:30 against Lakewood and September 24 at 4 p.m. against Belding, Ionia and Saranac.

## JVs stop two

The girls J.V. basketball team opened their 1981 season Tuesday evening at Middleville. They scored their first victory with a 39-19 trouncing of the Trojans.

The scoring punch came from the Beachler duo: Phyllis, a freshman, netted 11 and Kathleen, 10. Leading rebounders of the game were Phyllis Beachler with 7 and Kathleen with 6. Lowell proved to be too much for the young Trojans, as their aggressive defense and fast break were the deciding factors.

Thursday evening, at home, the JVs were put to the test against a strong Ionia team. Once again, Lowell's intimidating defense and fine ball control by guard Paula Doyle helped boost the Red Arrows to a 31-26 win over the Ionia Bulldogs.

Leading the way was Lynn Dowling, a sophomore, scoring 9 points. She had help from teammates Paula Doyle and Phyllis Beachler who scored 7 apiece. Kathleen Beachler led all players with 9 rebounds.

Lowell faces Belding at home Sept. 15 and meets Forest Hills Northern on Thursday, Sept. 17.

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## Lumberjack Weekend is Sept. 19-20

The life and lore of American lumberjacks is highlighted September 19 and 20 when Greenfield Village offers its first Lumberjack Weekend which includes demonstrations of traditional activities, interpretation of early industries related to lumbering and special programs with which visitors can become involved.

From 1 to 3 p.m. each day the Michigan Woodcutters' Association will demonstrate their specialized skills as part of sanctioned competition for national points. Near the Village Glass plant about 40 contestants will compete in two-man cross cut, buck and Jack and Jill cross cut sawing, underhand and vertical chopping, ax throwing and land log rolling.

Nearby, the Village's steam-powered sawmill will be in operation both days from noon until 5 p.m. and the Village Blacksmith Shop will demonstrate the making of ax heads.

There is no additional charge for the Lumberjack weekend beyond regular Village admission of \$7.00 for adults and \$3.50 for children 6-12. Senior citizens are \$5.50 and there is no charge for children under 6.

For further information or to register, call 456-8571.

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Roll Tickets, single or double, assorted colors. Grand Valley Ledger, 897-9261.

## Offer divorce info workshop

Women's Resource Center, 226 Bostwick NE, Grand Rapids, will sponsor a Divorce Information Workshop on Monday, Sept. 28.

The workshop will be conducted by Diann J. Landers, attorney, Flickinger & Verheulen. Topics to be discussed include: how to find a lawyer, no-fault divorce, cus-

tody and property settlements, and easy-to-understand definitions of legal terms.

The workshop will be held from 12:15 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. There is a \$3 fee. Advance registration is necessary.

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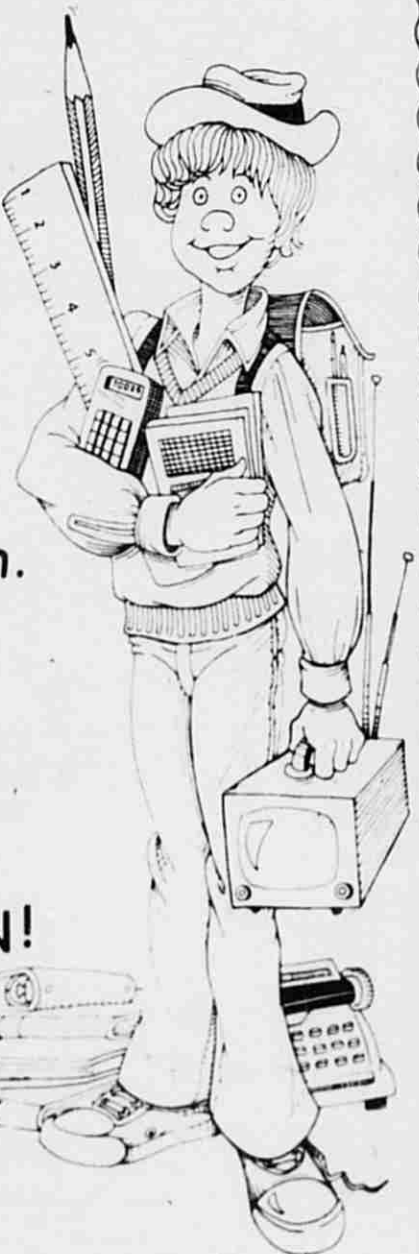
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- Q. HOW DOES THE TAX FREE FEATURE WORK?**  
**A.** During the time the All Savers Certificate is available from October 1, 1981 through December 31, 1982, you can earn \$1,000 tax free interest on a single return and \$2,000 on a joint return regardless of which year or years you take the exclusion or the number of certificates you have. It is a one-time only exclusion. Any interest earned above these figures is taxable.
- Q. CAN FUNDS CURRENTLY INVESTED IN A 6 MONTH MONEY MARKET CERTIFICATE BE TRANSFERRED INTO THE NEW ALL SAVERS CERTIFICATE?**  
**A.** Yes. And the interest penalty usually imposed for early withdrawal is waived so you will experience no loss of earnings by making the transfer.
- Q. WHAT IS THE MAIN ATTRACTION OF THE TAX FREE FEATURE OF THE ASC?**  
**A.** For many savers in the middle income tax brackets and above the ASC's tax free yield will be higher than the after tax return available in the market place.
- Q. WHAT ABOUT SAVERS WHO AREN'T IN HIGH TAX BRACKETS?**  
**A.** They profit, too, because the ASC provides a good one year return for a low minimum deposit.
- Q. O.K. BUT THERE HAS TO BE A CATCH SOMEWHERE - WHAT IS IT?**  
**A.** It's not really a catch, but if any portion of the certificate is withdrawn early, you lose the tax exemption on all the interest earned so it is important to leave your ASC funds on deposit for the full term of the certificate. (There is also a penalty of three months loss of interest for early withdrawal on one year certificates.)

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# Saranac Doin's

## Saranac Library dedicated

A special ceremony took place at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 13, when the remodeled and expanded Saranac library was dedicated. Rev. James Frank opened the dedication emphasizing that all had come to give thanks. In addition to this general thanksgiving, there were many workers to thank for hours of dedicated service and work to make this day possible.

Construction co-ordinator Robert A.M. Clark introduced several special guests including past librarians Evelyn Jepson, Clara Chadwick and Shirley Bartlett, who were presented with pins recognizing their years of service. Mrs. Bartlett was especially honored, as this ceremony also marked her retirement after 16 years as Saranac's librarian. Present co-librarian Emily Laird presented Mrs. Bartlett with a gift from the library board. A certificate commemorating her service was presented Mrs. Bartlett by Village President Max Tullis.

liam Overbeck Jr. who represented Overbrook Construction, Inc.; and the members of the library board.

Plans for a special plaque in memory of the late Rose Walbridge, whose bequest made this project possible, were unveiled by Mrs. Christel Olmstead.

An address of congratulations was presented by guest speaker, Kay Davis, Director of the Lakeland Library Co-operative, of which the Saranac Library is a member. Ms. Davis explained the Co-operative and how the Saranac library and other members benefit from such an organization. She also related a bit of the history of this particular co-operative, including Saranac's many years of involvement. Ms. Davis expressed much praise for the responsible membership of the Saranac Library while Mrs. Bartlett was librarian and added her congratulations to those Mrs. Bartlett had already received.

Village Representative Forrest Buck then presented a proclamation to the library from the Village Council. This was received by Library Board President Jean Harker, who then cut the ribbon officially opening the expanded Saranac Public Library.

A reception and open house continued throughout the afternoon so that villagers might see the work of many dedicated individuals. This library is a visual representation of the work of many hands and of the spirit of co-operation which Saranac villagers are proud of. Jill VanAntwerp

## Spend a day "doing" at Bertha Brock

The emphasis will be on "doing" at the Ionia County Fall Festival this Sunday, Sept. 20. Held at Bertha Brock Park on M-21 between Saranac and Ionia, the 3rd annual Fest will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. The festival is a free, family event.

Participation is the key for those attending. Highlighted will be "New Games", which emphasize the fun of doing rather than winning and The Society for Creative Anachronism. They will be in medieval costume and enact a "joust" plus juggling and song from that period. . . history in action.

There will be teaching artists from a variety of media. Learn the basics of macrame, counted cross-stitch, tatting, floor loom weaving, spinning, candy making, dried flower arranging, ceramics, quilting, cake decorating, enamel jewelry making, plus ventriloquism and lassoing. There will be no sale of items; again the emphasis is on "doing" your own items.

There will be a large children's area with 12 different activities ranging from footprint painting and hat-making to nature collage and movement exploration. There will be music, too, with singing and use of simple instruments.

A favorite of last year's 5,000 visitors is the Liar's Corner with various persons trying to best the preceding "tall tale".

Another first for the festival is the opportunity for "city folks" to have a real hands-on experience milking a cow, churning butter, pressing butter, pressing cider and separating cream.

Dial-a-Ride Shuttle Service will be available for festival visitors beginning at 12:30 from the tennis courts at the Ionia Fairgrounds, Bosley's Drug Store in Ionia and the west parking lot at the Michigan Training Unit. Use of the shuttle will alleviate tight parking conditions at the park.

The Festival is a county-wide cooperative event coordinated by Ionia County 4-H and supported by area churches, organizations, businesses, and individuals.

**Post officers elected**  
Hubert Dixon of 6030 Potter's Road, Saranac, was elected Post Commander of the LeRoy L. Dausman Post 175 of the American Legion Tuesday night.

Other officers elected included: James Pittman, first vice commander; Ray Carigan, second vice commander; Robert Leary, finance officer; Dave Mackey, post adjutant; Edward Belcher Jr., sergeant at arms; Al Walter, judge advocate; Isabelle Harte, historian; Murl Childs, chaplain; and Richard McCord, Larry Quinn, John Harte, and Max Densmore, executive board members.

Ed Roetman will remain as post service officer.

**Off the blotter. . .**  
Ionia County Sheriff's deputies investigated a two-car accident on Pleasant St. south of Orchard last Friday evening. Mary Fielden made a right turn from a parking lot to Pleasant and struck a vehicle driven by Hoyt L. Christensen of Ionia. She was cited for improper turning.

Deputies are investigating the breaking and entering last Saturday of a garage at the Lee Leary residence on Pleasant St. Stolen were gas cans, funnels and other tools.

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Flint, and WXYZ, WDIV and WJBK from Detroit.

All these stations will share in a video pool supplying their coverage through a special video network setup for the event. Each station will have commentary by its own correspondents or hosts.

"Celebration on the Grand" September 14-19 is a series of more than 40 community events plus openings of the Ford Museum, Amway Grand Plaza Hotel and new Grand Rapids Art Museum.

Among the events is the taping of a television special by comedian Bob Hope.

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### New food stamp rules effective Oct. 1

New rules will change the way food stamp eligibility is determined and how benefits are calculated, starting October 1.

The new rules will implement portions of the Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1981 and are aimed at saving \$1.3 billion in federal costs for the food stamp program in fiscal year 1982.

Starting October 1, eligibility will be calculated using a household's gross monthly income, before deductions. Under the new rules, households whose gross incomes

exceed 130 percent of the official poverty line will be declared ineligible. This change is expected to save \$244 million and will affect approximately four percent of the food stamp caseload, or 875,000 people. The new gross monthly income limit for a family of four is \$916, or around \$11,000 annually.

Other changes in food stamp eligibility requirements alter the definition of a food stamp "household," and ban benefits to boarders and strikers.

### Help for PR persons

Publicity chairmen of area organizations could benefit from a free informative booklet which gives tips for better publicity, how to write a news release and hints on picture usage.

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**ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN CIRCUIT COURT THE COUNTY OF KENT KATHY ELLEN HELDER, Plaintiff,**

**vs. MOHAMED SEGHIR BOUSSAHELA, Defendant.**  
File No. 81-44923-DM  
At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan on this 14 day of August, 1981.

Present: The Honorable George V. Boucher Circuit Court Judge.  
On the 13th day of August, 1981, an action for divorce was filed by the above-named Plaintiff against you the above-named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.  
**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 3777 30th Street, #3,

Grandville, MI 49418 shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 13th day of November, 1981.  
FAILURE to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this cause.

George V. Boucher Circuit Court Judge Examined, Countersigned & Entered: Dorothy DeWitt, Deputy Clerk.  
**ATTEST: A True Copy. D. DeWitt, Deputy Clerk.**  
8/26-9/16

### PUBLIC NOTICE

On August 29, 1981 the Kent County Board of Commissioners adopted a budget for 1982 Federal revenue sharing funds. A copy of this adopted budget is available for public inspection at the Kent County Controller's Office, 300 Monroe N.W., Grand Rapids.

RICHARD J. PLATTE COUNTY CONTROLLER

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

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held in the Juvenile Court in the City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, to the matter of, on the date and time and on petition by petitioner, show below alleging that said children are neglected children within the provisions of the Juvenile Code. To preserve your parental rights under the law any parent or guardian shall contact the Juvenile Court Center, 1501 Cedar NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan, or take such other action as may be permitted by law, on or before the hearing date. Failure to comply with this order may result in said children being made temporary wards of the court.

Child: Michael Aycock Hearing: September 30, 1981 at 10:00 a.m. Petitioner: Sherie Rodriguez

Child: Celeste & Marlon Babers Hearing: October 1, 1981 at 11:00 a.m. Petitioner: Marva Lewis

Child: Joseph Poitier Hearing: October 1, 1981 at 9:30 a.m. Petitioner: Maryann Podolak

Child: David Neng Vang Hearing: October 8, 1981 at 11:00 a.m. Petitioner: Linda Schripama

Child: Fred Patton Hearing: October 9, 1981 at 2:30 p.m. Petitioner: Gloria Anderson

Child: Lisa Garcia Hearing: October 13, 1981 at 4:00 p.m. Petitioner: Marva Lewis

Child: Patricia & Steven Sellgren Hearing: October 18, 1981 at 11:00 a.m. Petitioner: Maryann Podolak

Dated: September 9, 1981

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Real Estate and home, vehicles, equipment, household furnishings, furniture, antiques, appliances. Sat., Sept. 19, 10:30 a.m., located at 1748 Boston SE, between Kalamazoo and Plymouth Rd. Real Estate to be offered at 12 noon. Walkout driveout garage and basement, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, dinette, large living room 21 x 15, 14 x 36 recreation room, fireplace with heatolator, large storage and laundry room, extra large bath. Large lot, black top drive and cement. Plymouth and Boston. School district Mulick Park, Ottawa Hills High School, close to schools and shopping. Maple round table with 5 matching captain chairs, plus 2 door kitchen cabinet; Signature dishwasher; Admiral side by side refrigerator freezer combination; 4 drawer double pedestal desk; 4 round cane bottom dining chairs; sewing table; bookcase 4 drawers double dresser; rattan chair and coffee table; Hollywood twin size box springs; mattress, small stand and chairs; lamps; 4 drawers oak chest; colonial wingback sofa; 4 burner gas range; Kelvinator refrigerator; ping pong table; metal storage racks; G.E. model 14 automatic washer; Norge gas drver; small pool table; 2 black and white TVs. Antiques, chairs, center table; hanging china glass oil lamp; oak platform rocker; 12 piece setting china; other glassware; small oak 3 drawer marble top chest; straight back arm chair; rocker; cherry drop leaf table; piano stool; chest; trunks; jugs; crocks; small glass front 2 door china cabinet; pie safe; oak drop leaf table; magazine rack; treadle sewing machine; picture frames; hog kettle; toys; milk cans; Staffordshire dogs, 1966 24 ft. Westwind trailer; sleeps 6, stove, refrigerator, toilet, 14 ft. Duratech aluminum boat, 12 ft. Delcraft aluminum boat, 180 hp. Evinrude outboard and boat trailer; 1973 Olds Cutlass, 2 door, automatic, power steering and brakes; 1975 Olds Vista Wagon, automatic, air, power steering and brakes; Dynamic power mower, Homko snowblower, boys bike, sweeper, garden and hand tools. Real Estate conditions: 10% down day of sale, balance in thirty days. Terms and conditions will be announced day of sale. All conditions and statements day of sale will hold precedent over printed matter. Real Estate offer subject to the approval of the Attorneys and Administrator.

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(517) 322-2444

Ray E. Quada City Clerk

## McNeal named to new post

The J.I. Scott Co. has announced staff realignments in its Account and Production Services areas.

New agency Vice President/Director of Account Services is Robert W. Moff. He has been an agency Account Supervisor since 1977. Richard Kleinfeld, J.I. Scott Co. Director of Mechanical Services, has been named Vice President, and will be responsible for agency production services.

Richard McNeal of Lowell, formerly Vice President/Director of Production Services, is now Vice President/Director of Support Services.

J.I. Scott Co., now in its 15th year, has offices in Grand Rapids and Traverse City, Michigan.

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## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

**GRATTAN TOWNSHIP**  
To the residents and property owners of Grattan Township, Kent County, and to whom it may concern:

**ZONING HEARING**  
Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, October 7, 1981, at 8:00 p.m. at the Grattan Township Hall in Grattan, the Grattan Township Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing for the purpose of hearing comments regarding proposed amendments to the Grattan Township Zoning Ordinance. The proposed amendments would allow underground homes which are either partially or totally below grade as a Special Use.

Also to be considered are changes in Section 3.40 re. walls and fences.

The proposed changes to the Zoning Ordinance will be posted on display at the Grattan Township Hall in Grattan beginning on September 16, 1981.

**GRATTAN TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION**  
c45 & 47

## PUBLIC AUCTION ALEX'S FORMERLY DINES 321 E. Michigan (3 blocks east of Capitol) just w. of S. Cedar, Lansing, MI

By order of the city of Lansing, public auction, Sat. Sept. 26, 1981 at 9:30 a.m. Restaurant equipment: fixtures, stainless steel kitchen equipment, grills, ovens, walk-in cookers and freezers, compressors, reach-in, laundry equipment, condenser units, antique back bar, plumbing fixtures, copper, wiring, stainless steel deep sinks, 2 and 3 compartment, disco dance floors complete, shelving, iron pipe, gas pipe, lumber, plywood, folding partitions, hop load bar, coolers, bar equipment, fixtures, carpeting, drapes. Special lights, dimmers, wiring, steel gates, conduit wiring, switchboxes, signs, iron ornamental railings, mirrors, pillars, partitions. Carpeting, draperies, plywood, doors, shelving, cabinets, 2 disco dance floors complete with flashing lights, center lights, spot lights, control booth.

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This is a large sale. Many other items. Building to be demolished for convention exhibition, complex project. For a complete listing call or write:  
The City of Lansing Owners

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**PANCAKE SUPPER** - Proceeds for World Hunger. September 24, serving begins 5:30 p.m. Snow Christian Center, 3189 Snow Ave. Lowell. Adults \$3.00; children \$1.75. Family ticket \$9.50. c45-46

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**FOR SALE** - 16 foot Cherokee Tri-Hull 100 HP Evinrude. Must sell. Call 897-6297 before 2:30 p.m. 41tf

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**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
By order of the owners we will sell at Public Auction the Former Assets of Hornes Restaurant, at the corner of I-96 and Highway 66 (approximately 9 miles south of Ionia or 10 miles west of Portland, Michigan) (on these Premises) Thursday, September 24, 1981 beginning at 11:00 a.m. (-2) Microwave ovens (2) milk machines, potato peeler, slot (one-arm bandit) machine-taken or 25 cent, toaster, Garland stove w/broiler, Savory Rowe Roll Around Toaster, Hobart Dishwasher, 6 ft. stainless work table, pie or salad refrigerated cabinet, (2) grills, work counters, (54) upholstered chairs, assorted tables, (12) vinyl upholstered booths, (2) 24 ft. and 27 ft. curved counters, (18) stools, malt machine, (3) Antique wagon wheels, (4) compartment stainless ice cream cabinet, Bunn coffee maker, cups, glasses, dishes, salt and pepper shakers, 2 compartment stainless sink, 6 door refrigerator, 8 ft. Koch refrigerator with sliding glass doors, 6 ft. Horizontal deep freeze, Sunbeam Ice maker and many other related items too numerous to list. Inspection: Wednesday, September 23, 1981, 10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Thursday, day of sale, from 9:00 a.m. Terms: Cash or certified funds. For free descriptive brochure call or write Ben Kleiman Associates, Auctioneers, P.O. Box 2294, Grand Rapids, Michigan, Phone (616) 456-8800.

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### IN MEMORIAM

**IN MEMORIAM**  
In memoriam of my son and children's father, Charles Seeley who passed away Sept. 20, 1979.  
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From Day to passing Day  
What changes God is planning  
In his sure and loving way.  
We don't know the reason why.  
Our sorrow had to be  
Why we must lose the one  
We love so specially  
We cannot know, but we must trust  
Our faith will help us find  
Our way to that tomorrow  
When our gulf is left behind.  
Ila Phillips  
Seats Seeley  
Joe Seeley  
Charles Seeley Jr.

**IM MEMORIAM**  
In loving memory of our beloved father and grandfather, Robert D. McWhinney, who passed away two years ago, September 13, 1979.  
God gave us a wonderful father,  
He was one of the very best.  
When his work on earth was finished,  
God called him home to rest.  
To Those who have a father,  
Cherish him with care.  
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**MOVING SALE** - Sacrifice. Everything must go. 4104 Stafford S.W., Wyoming, Mich. Sept. 18, 19 & 20, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Furniture, household items etc. c45

### CARD OF THANKS

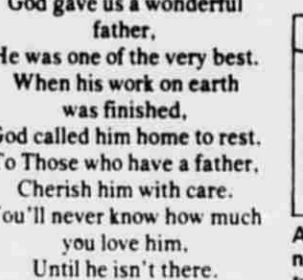
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Thanks,  
Karen Shade  
Marty Chamber  
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### IN MEMORIAM

**IN MEMORIAM**  
We thank all the clergy, nuns, relatives, friends, and hospital personnel who extended to us many deeply appreciated acts of kindness and thoughtfulness during and after the long final illness of our beloved wife and sister, Olive. Our remembrance of these will be long cherished.  
W.R. TenEyck and Family

### PRINTED NAPKINS, MATCHES

A half cup each of ammonia and white vinegar, plus two tablespoons of cornstarch in a bucket of warm water can make a good window washing solution.





## Board, continued

While the teacher contract still remains open, the board did ratify the 1981-82 agreement with the custodians. Assistant Superintendent George Jacob cited improvements for the custodians in the areas of vacations and insurance benefits, with a wage increase of 53c per hour.

High school and middle school student handbooks received the board's approval,

with a "sign of the times" possibly being involved in the only change. Now included in the handbooks is a section covering "buying, selling, using, distributing, or in possession of pills or substances under the pretense of an illegal or controlled substance." Assistant High School Principal Dick Korb explained that this was in response to some new developments across the na-

tion, as well as Western Michigan, with students selling "look-alikes" or "pep-me-ups," pretending they were some of the popular street drugs. Korb commented these pills contain mostly caffeine or dexedrine.

Other board action included passing motions setting this year's tuition rates at \$472 for elementary students; \$550 for secondary, and \$202 for transportation. Superintendent Kelly advised the board that there were only a few students who would be involved in these areas.

## Fallasburg Fall Fest is Sept. 26 & 27

Fifty-five artists and craftsmen were selected recently to set up booths at the 13th Annual Fallasburg Fall Festival to be held September 26th and 27th at Fallasburg Park.

A jury of five considered the 140 applications mailed to the sponsoring Lowell Area Arts Council by the July 30 deadline. The many fine entrants made a difficult job of narrowing this group to a manageable size for the rain or shine festival to be held at the pavillion grounds. The final group fulfills the jury's goals of quality work, the variety of media and adherence to the show's turn-of-the-century theme. This gathering will rival any Western Michigan art fair or festival for the selection and calibre of work it offers to those who are looking for fine art and crafts for gifts and decorating.

While the artists' home towns range from Marquette to Cleveland Heights, Muskegon to Detroit, four of the artists are local and another fifteen are from the Lowell and Grand Rapids area.

Lowell artists are Jan Johnson, Doug and Sandy Lindhout, Sharon Pollice and Anna Griedanus Probes. Other area artists include Nancy Dausman of Saranac, Jack and Shirley Folkerstma of Alto, Pam Hemmes of Greenville, and Karl Kwekel of Clarksville. In addition to these individuals, one local group, the Lowell Showboat Garden Club, has a booth.

In addition to these fine wares, the visitor to the festival will be able to buy a chance on the fourth original quilt handcrafted by LAAC members. This year's quilt was designed by artist Jan Johnson and executed by a committee led by Dolores Dey and Diana Fulkerson.

The quilt features repeated blocks depicting four Lowell scenes. One scene is the Fallasburg Covered Bridge, which has been the trademark of each quilt so far. In addition, the blocks represent a mill with its silos, a church, and the joining of two rivers. Done in earth tones, the full size quilt will be a treasure to pass on for generations for some lucky ticket holder.

To make the raffle even more enticing, five other prizes will be awarded. Two ticket holders will receive two of four quilted pillows done by Dolores Dey using the quilt's designs. Three other prizes will be pur-

chased from the artists exhibiting at the festival.

Get tickets for this raffle from That Special Place, The Grand Valley Ledger, or any arts council member. You can also buy tickets at the festival grounds right up to the drawing at 5 p.m. Sunday afternoon. You need not be present to win.

With the addition of entertainment, food booths, children's crafts, skill demonstrations and special events, including tethered balloon rides by Sky American, Inc. (if weather permits) this festival will be another to remember. Fallasburg Park is the place to be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., September 26th and 27th.

## Company honors Kaska

Mike Kaska of the Grand Rapids district office of John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. has been cited as the company's runner-up staff manager in this region.

Kaska, who resides with his wife Sally and daughter Jennie at 1520 Laurie Gail, Lowell, and ten other agents from the Grand Rapids district office were honored for sales achievements at a four-day John Hancock Regional Honor Club conference Sept. 10-13 at the Toronto Hilton Harbour Castle in Toronto, Canada.

District Manager Pete M. Andary said that in the past

12 months Kaska's sales force compiled a leading sales record in the region which covers 18 offices in two states.

Kaska is a 1971 graduate of Aquinas College. He became staff manager in March of 1978. He is currently enrolled in the CLU Program.

## MAGAZINE MISSES MARK

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