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TO ANSWER YOUR QUESTION

The Ledger has been besieged with people asking the reason behind the four resignations from the Lowell Showboat Board of Directors as was reported in last week's Ledger. The answer is: there is no reason in particular, just that those who resigned felt it was time for them to step down and make room for some "new blood" on the board. As our article pointed out, there was about 35 years of service on the board between the four resigning members, and our intent was to recognize them for a job well done, not to uncover some scandalous mass resignation. We're sorry if that wasn't clear to some in the first article, but we hope that this will clear the air.

CORRECTION

In last week's "Off the Blotter" an item stating that David Worthington and Robert Mendez received citations for use of marijuana was incorrect. David Normington was the offender, NOT David Worthington. The error was due to a Ledger employee incorrectly perceiving the name as it was handwritten in the police report. The Ledger apologizes for the error.

SPECIAL BOOSTER'S CLUB MEETING

A special meeting of the Lowell High School Boosters Club will be held immediately following the Monday, October 11 meeting of the Lowell Area Schools Board of Education. The board meeting will be held in the central office located in the west end of the Lowell Middle School at 7:30 p.m. The remainder of this year's programs for athletic activities will be discussed at this meeting and all athletic boosters and other interested parents are urged to attend.

HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING

The Lowell High School annual Homecoming weekend is October 15-16, with a parade preceding the football game Friday night. Dance Saturday night at 8-12 p.m. at Lowell Middle School cafeteria. Tickets \$4.00 per person available in high school cafeteria at lunchtime or at the door. Music by Basic English. The theme this year is "The Four Seasons" and the dance theme is "A Whole Lot of Love".

POST OFFICE CLOSED MONDAY

Area post offices will be closed Monday, October 11 in observance of Columbus Day. There will be no regular residential or business mail deliveries, and usual post office lobby services will not be available with the exception of Post Office Box service.

LOWELL YMCA WALK-A-THON

"Footsteps for Youth" is the title of the Lowell YMCA's Walk-a-Thon to be held on October 23rd. This Saturday stroll thru Lowell will begin at the Lowell YMCA Office at 1:00 p.m., covering neighborhoods, school yards and parks in our community and ending back at the Y-Office (survivors will be toasted with juice and goodies!). Walkers will be soliciting pledges for this 5 mile event during the next two weeks. Proceeds will benefit the Lowell YMCA Youth Programs. Anyone and everyone is eligible to participate! For further information call the Y-Office, 897-8445.

OFF THE BLOTTER

Issued appearance violations this week were: Brian DeBold for minor in possession of alcohol and Ronnie Ringewold for use of Marijuana. These subjects will appear later in 63rd District Court. Also referred into juvenile court were 2 juveniles on marijuana charges.

Lowell officers investigated 14 accidents in the month of September, one being an injury accident. The Rescue responded to 5 calls during the month.

Rosies — Broasted chicken Great Curl! Great Body! with Uniperm at Vanity to go. c48 Hair Fashions, 203 E. Main Lowell, 897-7506.

New roof for Foreman Building

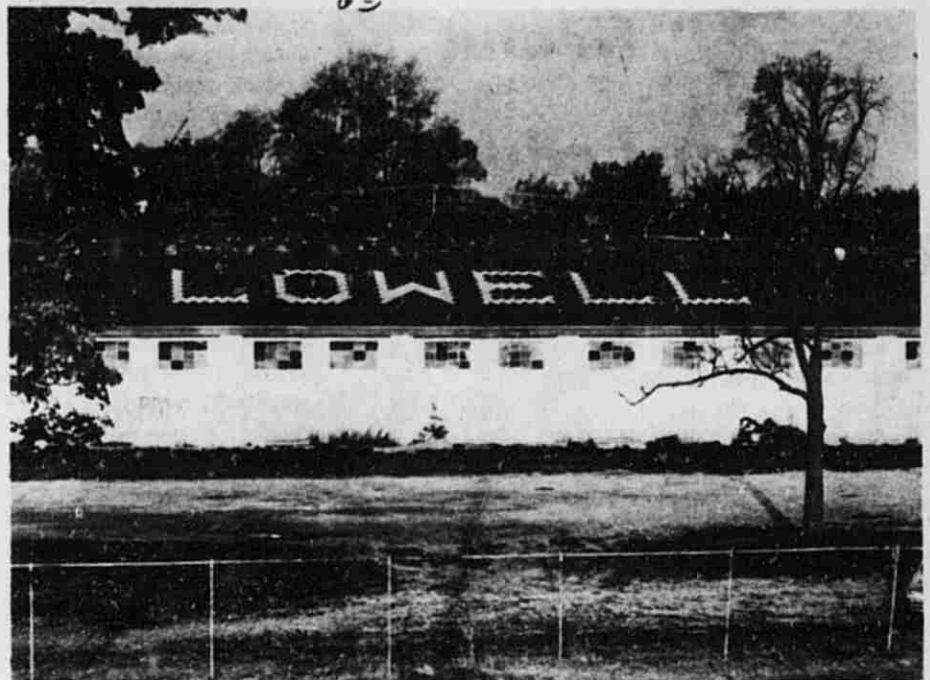
The Sherriff-Goslin Company began re-shingling the roof of the Foreman Building Friday, October 1, and plans to finish the job this week.

The Sherriff-Goslin Company, whose bid of \$16,827 was accepted by the Lowell City Council September 14, has promised to work the name of the city into the shingling work in 8-foot-high letters.

The contract was awarded to the company in part on the basis of its exceptional 10-year guarantee.

Sherriff-Goslin guarantees "Against leaks and defective material with full service at no expense to the customer for 10 years"

The shingle being used to cover approximately 16,000 square feet of roof on the Foreman Building is a re-roofing shingle, and will be laid over the top of the present shingling.



The new roof on the Foreman Building features interlocking shingles with the word "Lowell" woven into the dark shingles in a lighter color.

Lowell girl injured in auto crash

A Lowell girl was seriously injured Saturday evening in a one-car accident near Lake Odessa which killed two girls and injured several other passengers.

Belinda R. Burdett, 13, of Lowell remained in intensive

care Tuesday morning at Penneck Hospital in Hastings.

Pronounced dead at the scene of the accident were Barbara Johnson, 15, and Laurie Ann Senters, 13, both of Lake Odessa.

The accident occurred just outside Barry County on Woodland Road. The car, reportedly driven by Greg Duits, 16, of Lake Odessa, left the road and struck a mail box, phone box, tree,

and travel trailer.

Barry County Sheriff's Department declined to give any further information until the report on the accident is completed.

Attwood awards "Big Wheel"

The S.M. Osgood Company has captured Attwood Corporation's 1982 Big Wheel Award (Marine Division). The award is given to the sales representative group with the highest-percentage sales increase for the previous marine marketing year.

Phil Globig, Attwood's vice president, marine sales, said, "We are extremely pleased with the Osgood sales performance. They did an excellent job of penetrating new accounts and servicing a very large territory."

The S.M. Osgood Company calls on boat builders and marine distributors in 12 states throughout the Midwest and Central Plains. They have offices in Eden Prairie, Minn.; Kansas City, Mo.; Garland, Texas and New Berlin, Wis.

Attwood Corporation, located in Lowell, is the world's leading manufacturer of boating accessories.



Attwood's Phil Globig, vice president, marine sales (center), presents the Big Wheel Award to S.M. "Bud" Osgood, president of the S.M. Osgood Company. The award recognizes the representative group with the highest-percentage sales increase for the previous marine marketing year. Pictured left to right in front are Osgood, Globig and Roy Olsen, Attwood sales manager, distributor products. Osgood Company calls on boat builders and marine distributors in 12 states throughout the Midwest and Central Plains. Attwood Corporation, located in Lowell, Mich., is the world's leading manufacturer of marine accessories.

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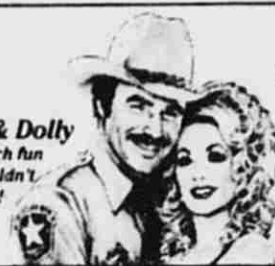
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KERR - Albert Kerr, aged 72, of Lowell, passed away Sept. 28, 1982. He is survived by brothers, Carl and Lawrence Kerr of Lowell, Leonard Kerr, Sr. of Englewood, Fla., Keith Kerr of Ft. Worth, Fla., and George B. (Peter) Kerr of Adrian; sisters, Sue Kerr, Elsie Maloney and Esther Staal all of Lowell, Ethel Stock of White Cloud, Delia Austin of Kalamazoo, Mrs. Russell (Ann) Haskins of Walhala, MI, Mrs. Lyle (Eva) Rigney of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Rus-

sell (Selma) Dahl of Spring Lake; and many nieces, nephews, and friends. Funeral Services were Thursday at the Roth-Gerst Chapel, Lowell, with Rev. Stanley H. Forkner of the Vergennes United Methodist Church officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

of Rockford, Joyce and Bob Farrish of Kentwood, Karen and Bud Oliver of Wyoming, Beverly Moss of Pittsburgh, PA, Sheryl and Daryl Ayriess of Wyoming, Nancy and Ron Wroblewski of Cutlerville, Doug Moss at home; 10 grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. Fred Moss of Jenison; his brothers and sisters, Marion and Marvin Elenbaas of Grandville, Dorothy and Martin Naerebout of Grand Rapids, Fred and Janice Moss of Alto, Bob and Gert Richards of Wyoming, Judy and Ed Bensted of Grand Rapids. The funeral service was held Wednesday afternoon at the funeral chapel. Pastor Douglas G. Beason officiating. Interment Floralview Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to the Kent Community Hospital Never Give Up Club. Envelopes available at the funeral home.

POTTER - Paul E. Born February 18, 1918 in Keene Township. Surviving by wife Maxine, 1 son Bradley of Lowell, 1 daughter, Donna of Lowell, 1 brother, Edwin of Saranac, 3 sisters Edith Wheaton, Saranac. Also a sister, Celia Boss of Lowell, Mrs. Mary Ann Hoddinott, Ohio; Two grandchildren, several nieces and nephews. Lived in Lowell area all of his

life. Funeral Wednesday, 1 p.m. at Lake Funeral Home, Saranac, Rev. Edwin Mendenhall officiating. Interment Pinckney Cemetery.

WHITTINGTON - Floyd Whittington, aged 70, of Ionia, former Grand Rapids resident, died Thursday morning. He was born in Grand Rapids, was a WWII Navy Veteran, worked as a Salesman for many years out of Grand Rapids. He is survived by his wife, Anna of Ionia; one son, George of Mackinaw City; two step sons, Louis Lemke of Muir, and Joe Lemke of Lyons; one daughter, Mrs. Harold (Ruth Ann) Darling of Dugway, Utah; five step daughters, Mrs. Richard (Sharon) Wierckz of Lowell, Mrs. Roger (Pam) Meike of Marquette, MI, Mrs. Lawrence (Nancy) Wizek of Ionia, Mrs. Jose (Mary) Villela of Brazil, Mrs. Danon (Barb) Ferguson of Fenwick; several grandchildren, and great grandchildren. Masonic Memorial Services were held Friday evening from the Leddick Funeral Home, Ionia. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the funeral home, with interment Balcom Cemetery. A memorial has been established for the Sheridan Community Hospital.

HOT LUNCH MENU WEEK OF OCTOBER 11, 1982

MONDAY

Spaghetti or lasagna, cole slaw, french bread, chilled fruits, milk.

TUESDAY

Beef or pork barbeque on a bun, potato chips and pickle, salad or soup, choice of fresh or canned fruit, cookies or bars, milk.

WEDNESDAY

Chicken or fish patty, mashed potatoes or rice and gravy, steamed green beans, bread or rolls and nut butter, jello w/whip or fruit, milk.

THURSDAY

Fruit juice, pizza or wet burrito, salad or veggies, assorted fruits, milk.

FRIDAY

Red Arrow sub or chicken salad sandwich, lettuce salad w/dressing, buttered corn, fruit, jello or pudding, bars or cookies, milk.

Price of lunches to students includes milk. Elementary 70¢, Middle and Senior High 75¢.

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Coming Events

THURS., OCTOBER 7: Vergennes Co-operative Club will meet at Schneider Manor at 1:00 P.M. Hostesses: Evelyn Tichelaar, Mary Teft, and Marcia Wilcox. Program: A book Review by Ellen Eady. Sponsor: Pauline Johnson. The annual election of new officers will be held at this meeting.

FRI., OCTOBER 8: Cyclamen Chapter 94 O.E.S. will hold the annual meeting at 8 P.M. in the Lowell Masonic Temple. Election of officers. Committee chairman, please have their reports ready in written form.

FRI., OCT., 8: St. Mary Home & School Association will be sponsoring a Meijers Corp. Party luncheon at 12 noon. Tickets are \$3 a piece and may be purchased by calling: Diane 897-7611; Sharon 897-7311; Lucerne 897-7945.

MON., OCTOBER 11: The Lowell Showboat Garden Club meeting will be held at the Lowell Congregational Church at 7:30 P.M. The program will be on ecology with the speaker from the West Michigan Environmental Council. Everyone is welcome to come.

MON., OCTOBER 11: The Golden Swingers will meet for potluck supper at 6 P.M. at the Lowell High School home economics room. Bring own service and a dish to pass. Coffee furnished. There will be a good program for the evening. All welcome.

TUE., OCTOBER 12: Evening Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Harold Ball 513 E. Main St., at 8 P.M. Program Re-Cycling Unlimited

Speaker Mrs. E. King, Co-hostess Mrs. Ivan K. Blough.

TUE., OCTOBER 12: at 7:30 P.M. The Lowell Masonic Lodge will hold its Regular October Meeting. A potluck dinner will precede the meeting, at 6:30 P.M. Life membership presentation will follow the dinner. All masons are welcome.

WED., OCTOBER 13: The Guidance office of the Lowell Senior High School urges college bound Juniors, Seniors, and their parents to attend the Michigan College night to be held at Calvin College on Wednesday.

WED., OCTOBER 13: Snow U.M.W. will serve a Roast Beef and Pork dinner at the Snow Christian Center, 3211 Snow Ave. S.E. Serving begins at 5:30 P.M. Public invited.

WED., OCTOBER 13: Lowell Women's Club will meet at 1:00 p.m. at Schneider Manor with Marie Street as sponsor. The program will feature Special Agent Wayne B. Davis, who will discuss the F.B.I. and Alice Bauer who will give a mini-report on conservation.

THUR., OCT., 14: West Michigan Survivors of Suicide will meet on Thursday, at Park Congregational Church, 10 Park Place, N.E. from 7:30 - 9:00 P.M. Harold D. Esler, Ph.D., a psychoanalyst in private practice and President of the Midwest Psychoanalytic Society and Institute in Birmingham, Michigan will speak on "After Suicide: How Can We Cope?" Dr. Esler received his psychoanalytic training from training

SAT., OCTOBER 16: The Bowne Center Methodist Church will be sponsoring the Bowne Center Fall Festival at 7:30 P.M. at the corner of Alden Nash and 84th. Canned goods, crafts, produce and white elephants, will be offered.

SAT., OCTOBER 24: Grand Opening of the Recycling Center at the Lowell Lanes parking lot (M-21 2 miles west of Lowell) 9-4. Bring your newspapers, brown bags and clean cans, bottles, aluminum and milk jugs. Watch Grand Valley Ledger for gifts and details.

TUES., OCTOBER 26: The annual Harvest Dinner will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Lowell from 5-7 P.M. Tickets may be purchased from Annabelle Wittenbach at State Savings

Bank or at the Church office. Prices are \$4.00 per adult, \$1.75 per child 5-12 years, and free to children under 5.

FRI., OCT. 29: Halloween Party for kids up to 12 years old at Moose Lodge upstairs. Games and prizes, goodies; 6 to 8 p.m. Free party sponsored by Moose Civic Affairs Committee.

MONDAYS: "Tough Love" adult support group for parents with kid (any age) problems. Meets every Monday night from 7-9 at Bushnell School. For more information call 691-7715. Starts October 4.

MONDAYS: Rosary Recited at St. Mary's Church, Lowell 8 P.M. each Monday through October starting October 4.

THUR., NOV. 4: Cub Scout Pack 3188 is having their annual pancake supper. The place First Methodist Church of Lowell. Tickets are \$3.00 for adults, \$2.00 for children 6-12 and under 5 years of age are free. Tickets will be available at the door, or from your next door cub scout.

SAT., NOV. 13: Bishop Haas Women's Guild will have their annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar from 10 to 4 at the K of C Hall, Clyde Park S.W., Wyoming. Booths are still available. Call Betty Wouter 532-2006.

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Births

A son, Andrew Charles, was born September 18th to Charles and Julie Miller of Grand Rapids. He weighed 11 lbs., 49 oz. Proud grandparents are Don and Gloria Hojnacki of Ada and David and Pat Miller of Lowell.

Abbey Elizabeth Goff was born September 19, 1982, at St. Mary's Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces and was 20 inches long. Parents are Gary and Roxanne Goff of Lowell, Grand.

parents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goff of Saranac, Mr. David Dellinger of Highland, and Mrs. Betty Dellinger of Redford Township. Great grandmother is Mrs. Grace Bouwens of Alto.

Anniversary open house

An anniversary open house will be held on Sunday, October 10 at 2 p.m. for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood of Lowell. The party will be held at their home, Lot 8, Alexandria Street, Valley Vista Trailer Park, Lowell.

The Runciman Riverside P.T.O. will hold its meeting on Tuesday, October 5 at 7 p.m. in room 115 of the Runciman building. Baby sitting is provided.

Ruth Jones from the art

They have been married 42 years October 9. The couple asks that gifts be omitted. All friends and relatives are cordially invited.

museum in Grand Rapids will be speaking and asking for volunteers to work in the school.

Carolyn Jane Blough and Norma Lane will be sharing with us the importance of reading in our child's lives.

The books for our book fair will be on display at the meeting for parents to look at. Bonus coupons earned by sales will be used to purchase library books.

Local Freshmen at WMU

Summer orientation for 2,150 students who will be freshmen this fall semester at Western Michigan University has been completed, according to Raymond A. Passkiewicz, director of orientation at WMU.

Each of the new students has spent three days on campus, living in residence halls, meeting with academic advisors, taking placement tests and registering for classes.

Among them are Diana Bock, Terry Thuston and Jamie Zywicki of Lowell.

The first day of fall classes at WMU was Wednesday, September 1.

Happy Birthday...

OCTOBER 6: Michelle Serne, Dennis Dombak.
OCTOBER 7: Fred Ray, Richard Rasch, Jenny Idema.
OCTOBER 8: Gayven Hostler, Christopher Borton.

OCTOBER 9: Kent Dickerson, Sherry Hildenbrand.
OCTOBER 11: Joann Serne, Craig Potter, Lauri Brandt.

OCTOBER 12: Tim Gochenour, Maria Ritzema, Lynn Fritz.

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HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray



...if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another (1 John 4:11).

"Love makes the world go 'round." Or so it has been observed.

"Love is a funny thing — shaped like a lizard. It winds all around you and tickles your gizzard." That's what the frivolous rhyme in my old autograph book says. True love costs something. It demands sacrifice. Unselfish concern for others exacts denial with its devotion.

God proved His love for mankind when He gave His only Son a ransom for the sins of humanity. His love went beyond mere well-wishing. It was love in earnest. His love compelled Him to do something for the welfare of those He loved. It constrained Him to give, though the giving meant

self-denial and loss. Consequently, down through the ages humanity has profited by God's supreme gift.

Christians, we can prove our love for others by living outgoing lives, by showing compassion for those in need, by doing what we can to alleviate their needs, and by manifesting the true spirit of unselfishness in all our attitudes. If we love God, we will also "love one another."

Prayer: O God, I know Thou lovest me. I am very glad. Enable me to pass Thy love on to others. Make me a blessing. Let me be Thy channel today. Amen. Blessed, mighty Holy Ghost, Fill me to the uttermost; For Thy love, Thy light, Thy power.

Just a channel hour by hour. AUTHOR UNKNOWN

Autumn Years

When two glowing, young people pledge their love each to the other "till death do us part," they cannot see very far into the future. Only God can. When He decides to reach down and take one, leaving the other, what is the widow or widower to do? When the Grim Reaper calls, what then? Will the bereft live alone, or seek out entirely different living arrangements?

Perhaps this is a bigger decision for a man to make than it is for a woman. When death claims a husband, his widow is prepared to care for her physical needs. She goes on doing the necessary things she has always done — cooking, washing, ironing, and cleaning.

For man, it is another, and sadder, story. An aged man who has been cared for by a loving wife for many years is suddenly bereft of compan-

ionship, plus cook, laundress and general maid service. He is faced with undergoing a drastic change or making do the best way he can.

When Uncle Edward, who had insisted on living alone and raising strawberries, collapsed from heart failure, he was forced to enter a nursing home.

At first we dreaded visiting him because we expected to find a disgruntled bit of humanity. But we were happily surprised to find him living it up, enjoying the attention he was receiving.

The death of a partner may present the question which many have pondered: Should a single parent move into the home of one of his (or her) children? Certainly there are instances where this situation has proven successful, especially if Mother or Father has been able to contribute to the financial load. But unfortunately there are far more unhappy arrangements, many which produce heartache and trouble.

Because of the many services available nowadays, people can often live alone until reaching extremely advanced ages. (Only five per cent of people, 65 years and older live in institutions like hospitals and nursing homes, according to a 1976 governmental report.) Home aid, visiting nurses, meals on wheels, etc. are incentives to independent living.

Despite grief and loneliness, many women have refused to leave the homes they shared with their husbands, preferring to live alone. If there is someone nearby who can assist them with transportation, maintenance, and repair work, this may be the best thing to do.

If one is to live alone and like it, one must take the proper attitude toward doing so. If a person is determined to be lonely, hate solitude, and treat independence with disdain, he can count on being miserable. But on the other hand, living alone can produce rich dividends if one enters that estate with positive attitudes.

When one chooses to live alone, however, one should determine to live as independently as possible. The woman who expects favors and errands from sons and daughters or brothers-in-law is due for disappointment.

There will be times when it is necessary to ask for help. But, if one makes up one's mind to keep such times to a minimum, one will be happier — and so will everyone else.

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'OUTDOORS' with Jack Friesner

Deer hunting season is again upon us. One quarter of each year is open to deer hunting throughout Michigan; Bow and arrow season opened October 1 and essentially runs through 31 December. Gun season opens 15 November and lasts until 1 December and muzzle loading season is open for a period in early December. I have stated before that there are presently more deer in Michigan than at any other time in history, many times more than when Columbus discovered this land. I am very optimistic about this season and am willing to stick my neck out and predict that this season will see the largest deer harvest in history. The area of Kent and Ionia counties has probably the largest herds in the southern lower peninsula. This statement is predicated upon by the fact that this area showed the largest deer kill last year, and we had an excellent winter carry over. The fact is, our local herds are probably too high. Crop damage complaints and reports are high and the D.N.R. is expected to issue record numbers of doe permits.

I got out the old calculator and ran some figures on the statewide deer kill and the results are amazing. I believe that an excess of 200,000 deer will be harvested, within Michigan, by legal hunting, this fall. At an average of 55 lbs. of useable venison per animal this amounts to 5,500 tons of legally taken meat. Poaching is an ever increasing problem in our faltering economy and the flagrant disregard for law and order by our society results in probably an additional 5,000 tons being taken. Add to this our crop damage control permits and road kills of an additional 4,000 tons and we arrive at a figure of 14,500 tons of quality venison.

Let's say that roughly 25,000,000 lbs. of this results in table fare. What is the consumer value? Some have a low regard of venison, many others of us prefer it to all domestic meats, let's say that \$2.00 per lb. is reasonable. Fifty million dollars is quite a consumer savings.

The additional revenue spent within the state, by the deer hunter alone, is believed to be in excess of three hundred million dollars in direct expenditures, plus providing the entire tourist industry with advertising and additional funding which I believe could amount to one billion annually.

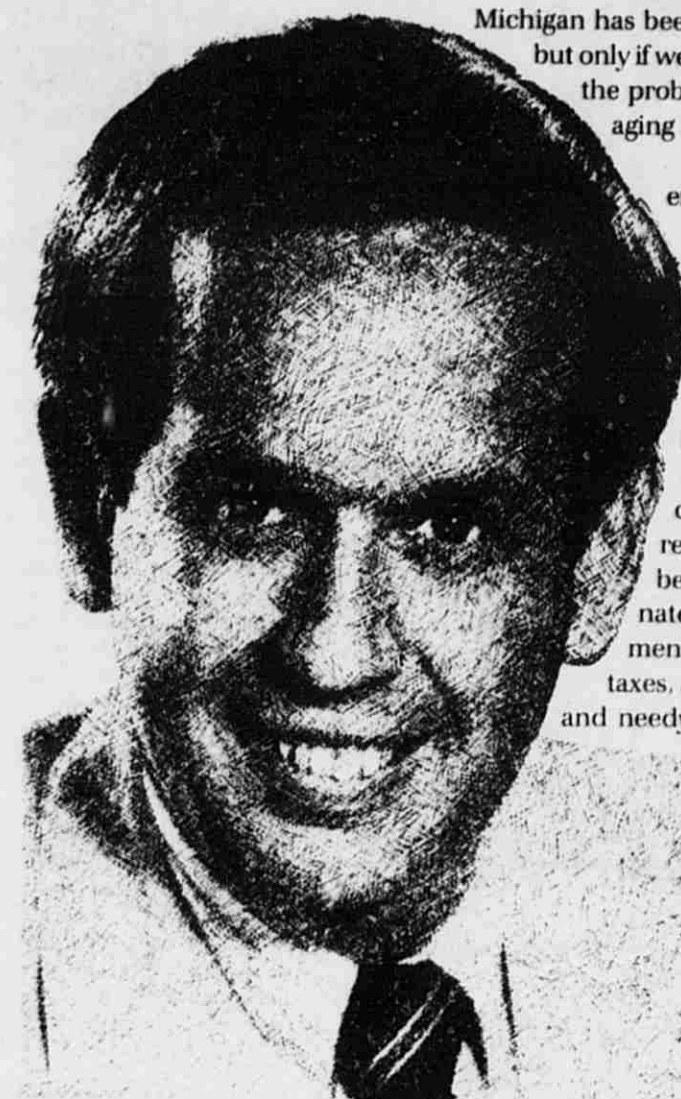
Our deer are indeed one of this state's most valuable resources. Increased and improved management has resulted in ever increasing numbers of these beautiful creatures. We must insure that no animals upon this earth are brought to suffer due to the ignorance of mankind. Funds provided by the sportsmen are utilized to maintain and improve management techniques, which, when coupled with a planned and controlled harvest of wildlife, will insure a continued population of healthy, well fed, birds and animals. Yes, our wildlife creatures are a renewable resource, just as are our other farmland crops.

From now through November we are going to be seeing increased numbers of deer on our highways. Unfortunately many of these animals, and some of you will die, due to collisions, if you do not drive defensively. Remember, they are in their living rooms, you are but a visitor passing through. Please be aware that they are present and drive accordingly.



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Mr. and Mrs. W. Alan Huver

Mr. and Mrs. W. Alan (Chris) Huver were united in marriage on Saturday, September 11, 1982 at 7:00 at the Bowne Methodist Church by Rev. Martin Fox.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Allan (Judy) Baird and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Judy) Huver.

Grandparents of the couple are Mrs. Essie Baird, Mrs. Hazel Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Menno Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Huver. Attendants were Carol

Leyman, Maid of Honor and Bonnie Hill, both sisters of the Bride. Jim VanderLaan served as Alan's Best Man, with Rob Huver, brother of the Groom, also attending. David Baird and Paul Blatner ushered at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Greg (Geri) Smit acted as Master and Mistress of Ceremonies. The reception was held at the Double "R" Ranch with special attendants Sheila and Sharon Huver, sisters of the Groom.

The new Mr. and Mrs. Alan Huver will make their home at 1626 Lincoln Lake Road.

Bonnie Baird married July 31



Mr. and Mrs. David L. Hill

Bonnie Sue Baird of 13738 3 Mile Road in Lowell was married to David Lee Hill of 1137 Lincoln Lake in Lowell on July 31, 1982.

The bride's parents are Allan and Judy Baird of Lowell. Parents of the groom are Carole Hill of Monroeville, Ala. and Robert Hill of Kalamazoo.

The wedding ceremony took place at 6:00 p.m. at Smyrna Bible Church with officiating minister Rev. Fox. Maid of Honor was Barb Baird, cousin of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Terry Thuston and Heidi Elzinga, friends of the bride and Carol Baird (Leyman), sister of the bride.

Best Man for the groom was Jay Rickert, friend of the groom. Groomsmen included Bill Nagy, a friend and David Baird, brother of the bride. Also attending the groom was Bob Leyman, brother in law of the bride.

The reception at 8:30 p.m. was held at Double "R" Ranch with Mistress of Ceremonies Carole Sue Baer.

The bride's grandparents include Essie Baird of Lowell, Hazel Baird of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Carole Potter of Lowell. The groom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hill of Kalamazoo.

Roth - Comdure wed

Mayflower Congregational Church in East Grand Rapids was the setting September 11th, at 5 p.m. for the exchange of wedding vows of Victoria Ann Roth and Orin Alden Comdure.

Parents of the newlyweds are: Richard B. Roth, LaVern and Juanita Baker, Theodore & Eileen Comdure, all of Lowell.

The Maid of Honor was Terry Reynolds of Lowell.

The Bridesmaids were: Brenda Baker of Lowell, Marian Mayou from Georgia, and Kathy Meulenberg from Grand Rapids.

The Best Man was Bruce Boyce of Lowell. The Groomsmen were: John Gray from Marquette, Randy Seaman of Lowell, and Jack Meulenberg from Grand Rapids. Mike and Bryan Roth were ushers-both from Lowell.



Orin and Vickie Comdure

The flowergirl and ring-bearer were Sarah and Christopher Scoles from Lowell.

The bride wore an A-line dress of rosebud lace and brussels, with a wedding band neckline and chapel length train. Her headpiece was a Juliet Cap of rosebud lace, trimmed with double ivory pearls, and chapel length.

The reception was held in the Hearth Room at the Cannonsburg Ski Lodge in Comstock Park. Herb and Colleen Swan, and Patrick

and Marlene McCormick were Masters and Mistresses of Ceremonies.

Orin and Vickie are both graduates of Lowell High School. Vickie is also a graduate of Grand Valley State College in 1977, with a BS Degree in Psychology and Sociology and is employed with Blodgett Memorial Medical Center in Personnel.

Orin is a 1982 graduate of Northern Michigan University, with a BS Degree. He is the Assistant Manager of Erb Lumber in Lowell.

In The Service...

Navy Hospital Corpsman 1st Class Gene A. Randolph, whose wife, Maria, is the daughter of Lena Stuck of 64 David Highway, Saranac, recently participated in two major NATO exercises, "Northern Wedding-82," and "Bold Guard-82."

He is a member of Battalion Landing Team 3/8, 24th Marine Amphibious Unit (MAU), Camp Lejeune, N.C. "Northern Wedding" was conducted in Denmark and "Bold Guard" in West Germany. Both exercises were designed to test the capacity

of alliance forces to resist aggression in the North Atlantic Ocean, Baltic and Norwegian Sea areas.

More than 160 ships, and 250 aircraft from the U.S., Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Germany, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal and the United Kingdom participated. The amphibious exercises also included more than 5,000 people in various ground forces.

After completing the NATO exercises, the 24th MAU deployed to the Mediterranean Sea.

Loven-Goble announce wedding



Jean Loven & Kenneth Goble

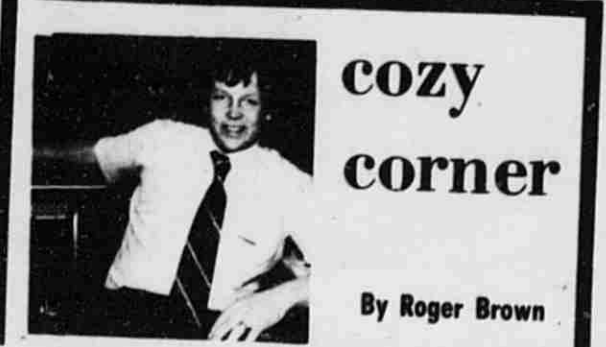
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Loven of Minneapolis, Mn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Marie to Kenneth Robert Goble, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Melvin F. Goble of Lowell.

The bride to be graduated from Evangel College in

Springfield, Missouri and is now employed by Dorn Communications, Inc., Mpls. Mn.

The groom to be is a 1973 graduate of Lowell High School and R.E.T.S. Electronics School. He is presently employed as senior service engineer by Physical Electronics, a division of Perkin Elmer Corp. in Eden Prairie, Mn.

An October 16th wedding will be held in Minneapolis, after which the couple will make their home at 6346 Xerxes, Edina, Mn.



cozy corner

By Roger Brown

I picked up a copy of "Real Men Don't Eat Quiche" the other day. It professes to be a "guidebook to all that is truly masculine", and since I didn't know what quiche is, I figured I must be a real man. Was I ever in for a surprise.

According to the book, "Real men carry cash, never the American Express Card". That's me. But the book also says, "Real Men don't smoke low-tar cigarettes". I don't even smoke. The book also says, "Real Men don't belong to the National Rifle Association". Yup, that fits. But it also states, "Real Men don't want Bo Derek". Now wait just a minute! I began to get confused, but I read on.

The Real Man's credo states, "Never settle with words, what you can accomplish with a flamethrower". I've always preferred words myself, so I guess I'm a "Quiche Eater". But wait a minute, "Real Men don't wear bikini underwear", and neither do I. Maybe I'm a real man after all. I got more confused as I read on.

Maybe chapter four would help, it was titled, "Who's Who in Real Men". Listed as Real Men were the likes of John McEnroe (the tennis cry-baby), Pete Rose (dies his hair) and Margaret Thatcher (?????). Over on the Quiche Eater side of the ledger were Frank Gifford (ex-football player), Reggie Jackson (home run slugger) and Deborah Harry (?????). Chapter four didn't help me determine whether I'm a Real Man or a Quiche Eater either. I read on.

In chapter five, about forty of the Real Man's favorite movies were listed. I had seen and enjoyed almost every one of them, which included the likes of Spatacus, Flying Tigers, The French Connection, High Noon, The Good, The Bad and the Ugly, The Great Escape and so on. But, I've also seen and enjoyed a lot of movies that I suspect are favorites of Quiche Eaters, movies like: The Graduate, E.T., The Way We Were, Funny Girl, The Electric Horseman, The Muppet Movie and so on. I still didn't know the extent of my masculinity, so I kept going.

The chapter on the Real Man's vocabulary was particularly confusing because there were about an equal number of words and phrases in the list that Real Men don't use, that I do and don't use. I don't say, mellow out, laid back, coequalize, or refer to movies as films or the cinema. But, I do sometimes say things like, catching rays, go for it, get my act together, or say something is "neat". I was more confused than ever, what a bummer (a definite Quiche Eater word).

For the most part I dress like a Real Man. The Real Man's wardrobe is basically dictated by clothes with the labels on the "inside". That's where most of my labels are, with at least one exception being my pink Izod sweater. But if my wardrobe is right for a Real Man, my car definitely is not. My MGB tops the list of cars a Real Man wouldn't be caught dead in.

Of the roughly thirty books listed in "The Real Man's Library", I have read about three. I suspect that my favorite authors like Kurt Vonnegut, Jr., Tom Robbins and Richard Braughtigan are definitely Quiche Eaters. Of the three things you won't find in a Real Man's pocket; lip balm, breath freshener and opera tickets. I sometimes carry one; the lip balm. Maybe that means I'm two thirds Real Man.

The book goes on and on, but I'm stopping here. If you're not sure whether you're a Real Man or a Quiche Eater, pick up a copy of this book. I'll guarantee you'll have no idea of what you are when you've finished reading it.

Letters...

Thanks Ledger:

The Vergennes Centennial house and site tour is over. The weather was beautiful, the leaves were pretty, the flowers were bright, the traffic was heavy and the tour was well advertised thanks to the Ledger and good committee. Many of the signs are still up and this week appears to be the most colorful week of the season so enjoy your home-town color tour not a hundred miles away but in your own back yard.

My appreciation to homes committee and township committee. However one lesson was learned well — next year there will be visitation rights to several homes of outstanding value which will provide a true inspiration of a well kept and preserved heritage. Thanks all — Don McPherson, Chr.

To the Editor:

It was with sincere interest in the future of education, that the many and varied groups in our community allowed us to visit them with our school millage information.

Our heartfelt thanks go to all of you who shared your busy schedules with us and found time to exercise your precious right to vote.

We also wish to thank the many community citizens who supported us and our efforts in the millage campaign.

Sincerely, Marsha Wilcox, Chairperson Say Yes for Kids Committee

To Lowell Area Arts Council: It was disappointing to see so few local artists represented at the Fallsburg Arts Festival. Isn't it possible to encourage and promote the

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Every joint has muscles that must work in unison for normal joint movement. As some of the muscles contract or tighten, others relax, and this should happen at the right time and with the right amount of pressure. If the muscles are out of balance, this can result in excessive stress on the tendons, causing irritation and inflammation.

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Area Sports

Rough week for girls b-ball

The Girls' Varsity Basketball Team lost a closely contested match Tuesday, September 28, to conference team Fremont, 47-50.

Coach Kathy Talus reports that the Lowell team pulled within one point of Fremont at the end of the third quarter, but was unable to snatch the game from Fremont.

Stats for the game show that the match-up was closer even than the score indicates.

According to Talus, Lowell took 70 shots from the floor for 18 field goals as compared with Fremont's 50 shots and only 17 goals.

Lowell probably lost the game in free throws. Fremont dumped in 16 out of 24 free throws, but Lowell had only 11 of 21.

Fremont normally has a very strong basketball program. Lowell has been unable to defeat them since Fremont entered the Tri-River Conference.

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High scorers in the Fremont game were Chris Hildenbrand and Kathleen Beachler with 13 points each and Kerry Cosgrove with 8. Cosgrove also pulled down 10 rebounds.

In the J.V. game held earlier the same evening, Fremont defeated Lowell 39-26, though the game was tied at the half.

Coach Kurt Holzhueter reports that Nancy Baerwalde and Val Phillips were high scorers for the game with six points each.

Thursday, September 30, Lowell faced Grand Rapids Catholic Central. The LHS varsity team took a 58-40 loss, a loss which can at least be partially accounted for by Lowell's 34 turn overs.

Though Catholic Central traditionally has a strong basketball program, Coach Talus was not overwhelmed by the ability of the Central team.

"They were not that much better. Any time you have that many turnovers you are hurting yourself," Talus said.

In the varsity game, high scorers were Kathleen Beachler, who had 9 points and 6 rebounds; and Lynn Dowling, with 8 points and 7 rebounds.

In J.V. action earlier that evening, the LHS J.V. team lost 55-15

Conference title a possibility for tennis

Coach Holzhueter said that the Central team consisted mostly of sophomores, as compared with the Lowell team, which is mostly freshmen.

Cathy Kazemier was responsible for 5 Lowell points in that game, and Nancy Stencel added 4.

The next girls' basketball games will be away against conference Sparta.

Second football victory

Varsity Football Coach Phil Christiansen was happy to report Lowell's second conference win of the season, in which Lowell overran Fremont 33-14.

The team scored the first four times it had the ball, and scored again the sixth time.

Offensive stats are impressive. Lowell gained 303 yards running, 61 passing and tallied 14 first downs before the clock ran out.

Quarter back Geoff Reinke played a fine game, completing 4 out of 5 passes. Team mate John Kloosterman scored three touchdowns Friday, rushing 86 yards on 10 carries.

Phil Vroma also contributed a touchdown, and added 83 yards in 9 carries to

Lowell Girls Tennis lost their first conference match of the season to Sparta on Thursday, September 30, losing 3-4.

Winners for Lowell were first singles player Tawnie Knottnerus, undefeated for the season, who won 6-0, 6-0; third singles Diane Rittenberger, 6-3, 6-1; and last singles Kim McFall, 6-2, 6-2.

Saturday, October 2, the

tennis team participated in the Greenville Invitational tennis tournament. There, Knottnerus once again distinguished herself by defeating three straight opponents 6-0, 6-0, winning the first singles flight.

Coach Mark Weber said that the tournament played "no-ad" games, which makes Knottnerus's score even more remarkable.

On Monday, October 4, the girls beat the Forest Hills Northern team in a surprising 5-2 victory. The FHN team has already taken the conference title in its league.

Winners were: Tawnie Knottnerus, who played three hours to win at first singles, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4.

Amy Hill, second singles, won 7-5, 6-2. Diane Rittenberger won at third singles, 6-3, 6-0. Dana Bock, fourth singles, winning by scores of 7-6, 2-6, 6-3.

The doubles team of Pam Westcott and Kim McFall, pulled out their match in three sets, 1-6, 6-1, 6-3.

Weber remarked that the coming match with Greenville, October 7, could determine the Tri-River conference title.

Larkins Softball Team

The Larkin's Softball team has compiled an impressive 4-1 record in the Wyoming Fall Softball League. Three games remain to be played in the season.

Sponsored by the local business, Larkin's Softball, the team is coached by Kelly Holst and his assistant Dave Clark, and includes local talent Dale Dawson, Chris Divine, Harry Hall, Chris Kropf, Dan Hendricks, Kevin

Kennedy, Bernie Koster and Leo Harden.

The Larkin's team is playing in the Wyoming League for the second year, finishing last year in the basement.

This year, however, the team so far is tied for first place.

All games are played at Palmer Park on 44th Street. Results are not yet in on the Tuesday night 7 p.m. game for this week.

Register your livestock brands this fall

Beginning on October 1, Michigan cattlemen and farmers may now register livestock brands with the Michigan Department of State.

According to Secretary of State Richard H. Austin,

Public Act 52, approved by the Governor in March of this year, permits individuals who own cattle, horses, hogs, sheep or goats to register brands with the Department of State.

Purpose of the law is to provide uniform identification for livestock. Fee for registering an original brand is \$50.

Applications for register-

ing brands will be available at the Michigan Department of State, Livestock Brand Registry, P.O. Box 30330, Lansing, 48909. The Registry telephone number is (517) 322-1469.

JVs defeat Fremont

The JV Football team traveled to Fremont Thursday, September 30 and returned with a 38-0 victory.

Brian Gessler got the Arrows on the scoreboard with a 19 yard run off left tackle. Tony Dommer's 20 yard TD return of an intercepted pass increased the Lowell lead to 14-0.

Three second half touchdowns by Dennis Jannenga,

Dave Bowden, and Rob King closed out the scoring.

Line coach Dan O'Reagan had praise for lineman T.J. Haggai, Dan MacDonald, Dennis Kelly, Dale Feld, and Alan Post as they opened large holes for the Red Arrow backs.

Lowell entertains unbeaten Sparta at 7:00 on Thursday, October 7 in their next game.

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Cross Country Invitational held

Lowell hosted the annual Cross Country Invitational Monday, October 4, at which 17 schools participated.

Schools competed in one of three divisions, according to the size of school enrollment. In division III (smallest schools), South Christian was the team winner with 43 points, followed by Calvin Christian with 53. Individual winner was Chris Johnson of Lakeview.

In division II, in which Lowell competed, results were as follows:

Caledonia 50, Zeeland 77, East Grand Rapids 99, Lowell 101, Forest Hills Northern 102, Wyoming 113, Cedar Springs 141.

Individual winner in division II was Dave Rackow of Caledonia. Lowell runners George Schoolmaster and Matt Peters finished 4th and 6th respectively.

East Kentwood and Jenison finished on top of division I, with scores of 38 and 41. Individual winner was Rusty Kochonon, who set a record for the 3.1 mile course of 16:18.

In the girls division, East Kentwood took first honors with 47 points, followed by Forest Hills Northern, with 90. Wyoming Park's Chris Van Heulen was the individual winner with a time of 20:20.

Top girl finisher for Lowell was Jill Borton, who ran the course in 23:08.

Ninety runners participated in the J.V. run. Brian Carless of Lowell finished in 22nd place in that competition.

In earlier action, Sparta ran past the Lowell runners Thursday, September 30, defeating them 25-31. Top finishers for Lowell were

George Schoolmaster, first; Matt Peters, fourth; and Robert Shelby, sixth.

PERSONALIZED - Playing cards, Single or double deck. Grand Valley Ledger, 897-9261.

"This Week In Outdoor NR Michigan"

Kent County: Salmon running very good at Sixth Street Dam in Grand Rapids and will be up in Childsdale in Rockford with the onset of colder weather.

Rainbows and browns hitting at the Rogue River with night crawlers and some spinners.

Muskegon County: Chinook and king salmon fishermen doing well in Muskegon Lake and River catch-

513 Summer Graduates

Nearly 525 students are included on the list of those who completed the requirements for certificates, associate's, bachelor's and doctoral degrees at Ferris State College during the summer quarter.

The 513 summer gradu-

VERGENNES TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The Vergennes Township Board will meet Oct. 11, 1982 at 8:00 P.M. at the Vergennes Township Hall to consider:

An Ordinance to designate an enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the Township of Vergennes under the provisions of the state Construction Code Act (Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended.)

The Township of Vergennes ordains:
Sec. 1. Agency Designated. Pursuant to the provisions of the Michigan Building Code, in accordance with Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the Executive official of the Township of Vergennes is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the Township of Vergennes under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan. The Township of Vergennes hereby assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout

1). its township limits.
Sec. 2. All Ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This Ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with provisions of the Act governing same.

Linda Biggs, Clerk

PROCEEDINGS of the Kent County Board of Commissioners Special September 1982 Meeting

Continuation of Recessed Meeting of July 7, 1982

September 28, 1982

The Board of Commissioners met in Special Session, pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Rules. Called to order by Chairman Buth. Roll called.

Present: Blakeslee, Boerema, Dekraaker, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kemper, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Sletsema, Smolenski, Somerville, Wahlfeld, Chairman - 16.
Absent: Blyntson, DeLange, Kuhn, Pappel, Severson - 5, all explained.

Quorum present.
Commissioner Dekraaker gave the invocation. Those present united in the Pledge of the Allegiance to the Flag.

The notice of the call of the meeting was as follows: "September 22, 1982 TO THE CLERK OF THE KENT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:

"WE THE UNDERSIGNED, BEING NOT LESS THAN ONE-THIRD (1/3) OF THE COMMISSIONERS ELECT OF THE KENT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, HEREBY PETITION FOR A SPECIAL SESSION OF SAID BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO BE HELD ON THE 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1982, AT THE KENT COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, ROOM 310, 300 MONROE N.W., GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN AT 9:00 A.M., FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPROVING THE GRANT ACCEPTANCE OF 1982 FAA, ADAP PROGRAM FEDERAL FUNDS OF APPROXIMATELY \$800,000.00 FOR AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT. SAID MEETING IS CALLED PURSUANT TO SECTION 8.1 OF THE STANDING RULES OF THE KENT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS. I HEREBY WAIVE THE REQUIREMENT FOR TEN (10) DAYS NOTICE BEFORE THE TIME OF THE MEETING.

Roger G. Laninga
Richard D. Buth
B. Severson
Dan Kemper
Joseph A. Mazurkiewicz
Friley T. Johnson
Michael R. Smolenski
Vernon J. Ehlers
Jo Somerville

George Sletsema
Margaret E. Blyntson
Katherine D. Kuhn
Daniel S. Pappel
John K. Boerema
Andrew Dekraaker
Gordon J. Froman
Clarence Blakeslee
William J. Gainey"

Resolution No. 9-82-1505, to approve the Grant Acceptance of 1982 FAA, ADAP Program Federal Funds of approximately \$800,000.00 for Airport Development was presented. (All have received copies and a copy is on file in the Office of the County Clerk.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BOEREMA

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND APPROVING THE EXECUTION OF THE GRANT AGREEMENT BY THE COUNTY OF KENT, MICHIGAN, ACTING THROUGH AND BY THE KENT COUNTY AERONAUTICS BOARD, AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION, FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING FEDERAL AID FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE KENT COUNTY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN, UNDER PROJECT NO. 3-26-0039-0182, CONTRACT NO. ASP-FAR2-Q2-10.

BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Kent County Board of Commissioners:

Section I. That the County of Kent shall enter into a Grant Agreement for the purpose of obtaining federal aid for the development of the Kent County International Airport, Grand Rapids, Michigan, and that such Grant Agreement shall be as set forth hereinafter.

Section II. That the Chairman of the Kent County Board of Commissioners is hereby authorized and directed to execute said Grant Agreement in six (6) copies on behalf of the County of Kent, Michigan, and the County Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to impress the official seal of the County of Kent, Michigan and to attest said execution.

Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Dekraaker.

Commissioner Boerema explained the whole project amounts to \$2,000,150 to be completed in two years. The first year's program is in the amount of \$639,206 and an additional \$960,849 will be received for the second year. There is state funding of \$72,104. The total cost in the amount of \$1,277,111 is to be funded from the Airport Construction Fund. The main purpose of the grant is for a new Crash/Fire/Rescue Building to be started in the next construction season, but also included is the lighting of the taxiways and runways. Installed in 1963, construction of a taxiway from Taxiway 1C to Taxiway 10 for the Northern Air Service due to larger planes, widening and lighting of the two high speed exit taxiways and installation of taxiway hold slumps/positions.

The Grant was accepted by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Boerema, Dekraaker, Ehlers, Froman, Gainey, Johnson, Kemper, Lamoreaux, Laninga, Mazurkiewicz, Sletsema, Smolenski, Somerville, Wahlfeld, Chairman - 16.
Nays: None.

Absent: Blyntson, DeLange, Kuhn, Pappel, Severson - 5.
Commissioner Dekraaker moved to adjourn, subject to the call of the Chairman, and to Friday, October 8, 1982 at 9:00 a.m., for a Public Hearing on the 1983 Budget and as required by Truth and Taxation Public Act No. 5 of 1982, to be followed by a Committee of the whole Meeting, and to Tuesday, October 12, 1982 at 9:00 a.m. for a Statutory Meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Johnson. Motion carried unanimously.

Publication in the Grand Valley Ledger once at least one week prior to the hearing date is ordered.

Richard Buth, Chairman
Maurice D. Dekraaker, County Clerk

SOLICITATION OF BIDS

The Kent County Purchasing Department is soliciting bids for the items listed below. Detailed specifications are available at the Purchasing Office Room 227, County Administration Building, 300 Monroe Avenue, N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. The bids will be publicly opened in the Purchasing Office at the time designated below. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids as it deems to be in the best interests.

Item: Concrete Work at the Department of Social Services. Must be received by Thursday, October 7, 1982 at 11:00 a.m.

Item: Area for Runways. Must be received by Thursday, October 14, 1982 at 10:00 a.m.

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Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held in the Juvenile Court in the City of Grand Rapids, Michigan in the matter of, on the date and time and on petition by petitioner shown 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 ward shall contact the Juvenile Court Center, 1501 Cedar St., 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: James Roger Bennett
Hearing: Oct. 19, 1982 at 11:00 a.m.
Petitioner: Leon Hale

Child: Dalonna & Roy L. Blackman
Hearing: Oct. 26, 1982 at 9:00 a.m.
Petitioner: Diane Gillham

Child: Khousou Day Huayen
Hearing: Nov. 8, 1982 at 11:00 a.m.
Petitioner: Paul Brinks

Child: Desiree Howard
Hearing: Oct. 21, 1982 at 11:00 a.m.
Petitioner: William Lee

Child: Shawonna Davis
Hearing: Oct. 28, 1982 at 11:00 a.m.
Petitioner: William Lee

Child: Shirley Palmer
Hearing: Oct. 20, 1982 at 11:00 a.m.
Petitioner: Leon Hale

Dated: September 29, 1982

Publication in the Grand Valley Ledger once at least one week prior to the hearing date is ordered.

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Tricia Eddy meets Monsma and Mondale at local luncheon



Pictured at a recent Fund raiser luncheon for Senator Steven Monsma are Tricia Eddy, 3rd grader in Sarnac, former Vice-President Walter Mondale, and U.S. Rep. Tom Mathieu. The luncheon took place at Lazy Dayz in Grand Rapids.

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OAKWOOD CEMETERY FALL CLEANUP NOTICE

City crews will be removing old floral arrangements, plastic flowers, urns, etc. from Oakwood Cemetery, beginning November 1, 1982.

If you have any of the above which you wish to keep, please remove them from the Cemetery by October 30, 1982.

Anything left after that date will be removed and destroyed by the City.

Ray E. Quada
City Clerk

TREE TRIMMING NOTICE

Shepard Tree Service will be in the City of Lowell the week of October 11 through the 15th to do annual trimming work for the City.

Any resident wishing to have any tree work done on private property may call City Hall, 897-8457, and their name will be placed on the list for contact by Shepard Tree Service. City office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Ray E. Quada,
City Clerk

Ask the Governor

QUESTION: It seems like many parents are abandoning their families and leaving the cost of raising their children to our already financially strapped state Government. Why isn't something done to tighten up the system and make these parents pay?

GOVERNOR: It may surprise you to know that the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services recently revealed that Michigan ranked second in the nation last year in collecting past-due support payments for children in families receiving Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC).

The Michigan Department of Social Services, working with the Friend of the Court and county prosecutors, brought in the second largest dollar amount in the United States, collecting \$87.3 mil-

lion, an increase of 12.5 percent over 1980. This put Michigan second only to California, a state hit much less severely by the current economic slump. Nationally, the average was \$12.4 million collected per state.

Also, the Michigan Social Services Department made its collections more efficiently than any other state -- collecting \$3.36 for every dollar spent administering the program. Nationally, the average was \$1.55 collected for every administrative dollar spent.

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Council Proceedings

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
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CITY COUNCIL
of the
CITY OF LOWELL, MICHIGAN

The Meeting was called to order by Mayor Collins at 8:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and the Roll called.

Present: Councilmen Christiansen, Fonger, Maatman, Schneider and Collins.
Absent: None.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Schneider that the Minutes of the September 7 meeting be approved as written, supported by Councilman Maatman.

Carried.

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

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

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS	
General Fund	\$26,525.00
Sewer Fund	452.93
Water Fund	1,605.54
Major Street	47.74
Equipment Fund	8,404.03
Capital Projects	224.88
Lee Fund	151.06
Investment Fund	240,000.00

The first item of business was the awarding of bid for the roof repair of the Foreman Building. Manager Quada stated that bids have been reviewed by the City's engineering firm, Fishbeck, Thompson, Carr and Huber, and recommended that it be awarded to the Sherriff Goslin Company, as the best type of job and materials for the best price.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Christiansen that the bid of Sherriff-Goslin Company for \$16,827 be accepted, supported by Councilman Schneider.

Carried.

Manager Quada stated that the firm will start the first week of October, and that the word "LOWELL" will be worked into the roof pattern in a contrasting color at no extra charge.

Council then discussed the transfer of Revenue Sharing monies to the Water Fund to cover the purchase of "outside-read" water meters, and the Equipment Fund for the purchase of fire equipment and two police monitors.

The following resolution was offered by Councilman Schneider for adoption, supported by Councilman Maatman.

WHEREAS, it is a requirement of the Federal Revenue Sharing Act that appropriations from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds be properly documented; and

Water Fund	\$4,500.00
Equipment Fund	2,544.00

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Manager is hereby authorized to increase the 1982-83 Budget amounts in the categories cited above and decrease the Federal Revenue Sharing contingency Account by the total amount to be expended (\$7,044.00)

Carried.

Manager Quada then reported back to Council that he had contacted five other sandblasting companies for comparative costs to sandblast the King Memorial Pool. Only one other quoted 50¢ per square foot, the four others all quoted \$45 to \$50 per hour. Manager Quada then contacted Acme Pool Company again. They will start the job September 21, at 50¢ per square foot.

There was no Citizen Input.

Under the Manager's Report, Manager Quada stated that the newly purchased rescue unit is being readied for operation and will be in use in about two weeks.

Under Council Comments, Councilman Schneider stated that he has had several complaints about the junk car parts and vehicles in back of Central Precision Grinding on E. Main Street. Manager Quada stated that most of the building is being used for the car refinishing business, that Precision Grinding will be moving soon to their new location. He was directed to talk to the owners of the Big-D Auto Trim company about cleaning up the operation and regulating the removal of junk parts.

Mayor Collins announced that there will be a joint meeting of the Council and the Helen Look-Daley Committee on Wednesday evening, September 22. A discussion followed on the City's responsibility for final approval of what will be allowed.

Manager Quada stated that he had attended the meeting on the County's land swap with the D.N.R. and eventually the City. The County board concurred to proceed with the proposed swap.

Mayor Collins asked that the Council meet after the next regular Council meeting as the Zoning Board of Appeals and election officers.

IT WAS MOVED to adjourn at 9:00 p.m. by Councilman Christiansen.
Approved
Dean E. Collins, Mayor
Ray E. Quada, City Clerk

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Marie and Bill Stauffer P48

We would like to thank you for your love shown to our brother Albert during his long illness and for the thoughts of sympathy, the many floral tributes and food at the time of this death. We would like to express our special thanks to his many friends at Murray Lake, Rev. Forkner, Drs. McKay and Gerard and to Roth Gerst. your kindness means so much to our family and will never be forgotten.
God Bless
The Kerrs P48

We would like to thank everyone for their prayers, gifts, cards, flowers and their concern while Brad was in the hospital and since his return home. Many thanks,
Howard & Barb Briggs & Family P48

We would like to Thank all the people for their comforting words, cards, flowers, and gifts during our son's, Brian Ferguson, stay in the hospital and upon his death. There are so many people to give special thanks to. Rev. Lee Buer for all the time he sat with us in the hospital and his comforting words. For the nurses and doctors in the I.C.U. unit at the hospital and their wonderful care of Brian and understanding.
Mary Ann Sikkema and Dave Smith for all the days and hours they spent with us helping us to cope. There are so many others and there are no words to express our gratitude and comfort that we reviewed, but everyone will always be remembered in

our hearts for everything that was done and all the prayers. We know we have wonderful friends and relatives and they all seemed to be there when we needed them the most.

We will never forget you Dennis and Debby Ferguson and Family

The Lowell Moose wish to express their appreciation for efforts and donations for successful teen dance and hayride. Klahn Orchard, Kropfs, Lowell Area J.C. Hesslers, Vandersib, Wolbers, DeYoungs, Richards, Lipperts, Mr. Bill's, Zzano's Pizza. And a special Thanks to Marla Clap, Bob Osborn, Cliff LeVene, John Mingsu, Robbin Smitt, Dee. Future plans are in the making for young people. See what the Moose can do for you.
Phil Dibble
Chairman
Lowell Moose 809 c48

LEDGER DEADLINE
To help us meet our deadlines, please take note of the following guidelines for submitted material, including pictures.

All news copy should be in the Ledger office by 5 p.m. on Mondays. The material should be type-written or written legibly. Either way, we ask that you provide space between the lines to make room for possible editing.

Wedding stories should be submitted within six weeks after the ceremony.
We prefer black and white photos. Color photos, because they don't reproduce as well, will be accepted only if they are of exceptional quality.

The deadline for classified ads (want ads) is Monday at 5 p.m. Display advertising deadline is also Monday at 5 p.m.

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Fallasburg Fall Festival is termed a success

Over 20,000 visitors enjoyed the artwork, food demonstrations, and entertainment at the 14th Annual Fallasburg Fall Festival.

September 25th and 26th, making this year's festival the most successful yet for its sponsor, the Lowell Area Arts Council. Volunteer traffic controllers from the Lowell Knights of Columbus were kept busy parking the steady stream of cars entering the park.

While there was much to see and do during the two days of this year's festival, a highlight of the weekend was the Sunday afternoon drawing for the winner of the handmade quilt designed by Robyn Burradell. As with the previous four Fallasburg quilts, this one featured the covered bridge in its medallion center. As a result of Sunday's drawing, the proud owner of this beautiful quilt is Loretta Sailors of 2528 Alger S.E., Grand Rapids.

In addition to the quilt seven other prizes were offered in this year's raffle. All were made by artists selling at the festival. A porcelain dish made by Anna Greidanus Probes of Lowell was won by Arno Driedger of Lowell. A pewter statuette made by

John Markov of Ludington was won by Sandy Oatley of Lansing. A framed batik scene by Terri Schneider of Traverse City was won by Roger Gillespie of Lowell. A carved Cedar bird by Glen VanAntwerp of Lansing was won by Bryan May of Grand Rapids. An etched bronze pendant by Jeannine LaValle Beck of Colon was won by Wendy Southwell of Lowell. A wooden box with an etched mirror by Richard Heinselman of Paw Paw was won by Maryann Ayres of Lowell, and a trepunto design by Susan Winter of Lansing was won by Jack Brinker of Jackson.

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FSB says "Yes to Michigan"



First Security Bank employees Sharon Nugent, Michelle Shaler, and Mary Ann Sawka were sporting "Say Yes to Michigan" sweatshirts Friday, October 1, as part of a First Security Bank promotion. The sweatshirts will be on sale to bank customers with a \$100 deposit in saving or checking accounts until October 29.

Lowell School Retirees gather

"Those Were the Days" seemed to be the theme song among the Lowell Area

Schools retirees as they gathered for lunch at the Showboat Inn last Friday.

Newest member of the group was Ken Smith, whose custodial help over the years had made him a special friend of just about every teacher in the system. He was accompanied by his wife Ann, who could probably tell some very interesting stories right along with Ken's.

Highest honors for the day went to Virginia Elzinga, who was able to call each retiree by name as well as state the area in which he or she served.

Other retirees who enjoyed the event were Anne Berger-

son, Orval and Bertha Jessup, Helen Noah, Orion and Lila Thaler, Hester White, Irma Williams.

In addition were Chris and Helen Burch, Rev. Marion and Zora DeVinney, Tony and Maxine Kropf, George and Evelyn Lane, Victor and Evelyn Lumley, Russell and Margaret Patrick, Elmer and Ila Swanson, Ivan and Dorothy Whan.

WHILE THEY LAST! - Those ever-popular scratch pads are in stock again at the Ledger. Stop in soon and get them for 75¢ a pound before they are gone.

Lowell Masons to honor George DeGraw

Lowell Lodge #90 Free and Accepted Masons, at its October meeting Tuesday, October 12, will honor George DeGraw, by presenting him with his Life Membership to the Lodge. In order to be eligible for this honor, a person must be a member of a lodge forty years. In 1942 Robert Hahn and Wesley Roth, recommended George's name to the Lodge for membership. Edward Bennet, was Master of the Lodge at that time. He was assisted in his Lodge work by George Story, Dr. Doug. Oatley and Dan Winger.

George DeGraw, himself, became Master of the Lodge in 1948. He has been very active in the Lodge work, as has been his wife Fran in Eastern Star activities.

George now becomes a member of a very elite group. Lowell Lodge #90 now has twenty Life members representing 998 years of Masonry.

LHS students to take PSAT tests

The guidance office at Lowell High School has announced that it will administer the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test on October 19.

This test, usually taken during a student's junior year, aids young people in assessing their own academic aptitude and in preparing him to take the SAT, an aptitude test required for entrance to many colleges.

The PSAT is also required for students who wish to be considered for the National Merit Scholarship Program.

Students taking the PSAT receive: Before the test, a complete sample test with an answer key and scoring instructions.

After the fact, a report of student answers, including the correct answers and their own responses and scores.

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