

# The Grand Valley Ledger

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## HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

The Grand Valley Ledger will be closed on Thursday and Friday of this week because of the Thanksgiving holiday. City Hall will also be closed Thursday and Friday, but most businesses including the Post Office and Banks will re-open on Friday following Thanksgiving. While we're on the subject of closings, Erb Lumber Co. will be closed Monday, November 29 to take inventory.

## MEETING SCHEDULED

A meeting has been scheduled for parents of Lowell 7th grade students to explain the results of the Michigan Education Assessment Test recently taken by the students. The meeting is slated for 7:00 to 8:00 P.M. on Thursday, December 2 in the Baird Quad at the Lowell Middle School.

## THE ANNUAL LOWELL SANTA CLAUS PARADE IS SCHEDULED

The annual Lowell Chamber of Commerce's Santa Claus parade is scheduled to step off at 2:00 P.M. on Saturday, December 4. The parade will form near the Lowell First United Methodist Church and proceed west along Main Street to Amity. Those wishing to enter a unit in the parade should call the Chamber of Commerce office at 897-8545.

## SENIORS SECOND ANNUAL SUB SALE

The Lowell High School senior class will be taking orders for submarine sandwiches November 19 thru December 2. You may call the high school to place your order at 897-9202 or phone 897-7515.

## YMCA HOLIDAY SPECIALITIES

Come and learn what's new in the world of chocolate. New treats for the holidays. Special candies for your special friends, featuring Marti Lind and Marti's Magic, Clarksville.

Time: Monday, November 19, 1982. Afternoon class - 1:00-3:00 P.M., Evening class - 7:30-9:30 P.M.

Place: First Congregational Church, 404 N. Hudson. Supplies available for purchase. Registration at door \$2.00 (\$1.00 good toward purchase.)

There was a tie in the YMCA 3rd Annual Turkey Trot. Mike Dey and Carole Mueller from Lowell were both just 3 seconds off their predicted times. Each received a turkey donated by Eberhards. Congratulations to them both and a big thank-you to the rest of the participants and to all those who helped. A special thanks to Eberhards.

## CHRISTMAS CRAFT WORKSHOP

Parents and children 4 yrs. and older are invited to attend the workshop at the Kent Co. Library Alto branch on Wed. eve Dec. 1 at 7:00 to make Christmas decorations and wrappings for gifts. This workshop will be conducted by April Curtiss and Marlene Whitman. All materials are furnished and there is no charge for this program. We do ask that you register for this program in advance by stopping by the library or calling 868-6038.

## PIZZA AND SUBS!

The Lowell Area Jaycees and Jayettes are holding their annual pizza and sub sale. The choice of pizzas include cheese, pepperoni, sausage, or deluxe and are selling for \$3.00 each. The sub is a 9 inch trench roll containing ham, salami, bologna, and cheese and is selling for \$1.50. Pizzas and subs are delivered fresh to you but packaged ready for the freezer. Order deadline is December 6th with delivery on December 9th and 10th. If you are interested in placing an order please call Beth Acre at 897-6851 or Starl Randall at 897-9543.

## SPAGHETTI DINNER SLATED

The Girls Varsity Club is sponsoring a spaghetti dinner on Friday, December 10th in the High School Cafeteria between 5:00 and 8:00 P.M. Pre-sale tickets are: \$2.50 for adults; \$2.00 senior citizens; \$1.50 (K-G). Tickets available at the door for 50¢ more. Proceeds will go to the Athletic Program.

## New restaurant to open here soon

Within a few weeks, unsuspecting pedestrians on Main Street in Lowell will be sorely tempted to spend good time and money in the unabashed indulgence of their appetites.

The temptation for area residents will be Rivertown Mall's new restaurant, A Bit of Europe, too, which, according to mall co-owner Muriel Dilley, is scheduled to open the first week of December.

Dilley admits that, as yet, the restaurant looks years from completion. But she expresses confidence that the early-December target date can be met.

As the name suggests, the new restaurant is related to the A Bit of Europe restaurant on Cherry Street in Grand Rapids.

According to Dilley, Sonja Dreyer, former chef of the Grand Rapids restaurant, will be heading operations in Lowell.

A Bit of Europe, Too, is planned to accommodate 110 diners. Patrons will be seated either in the main dining room, which overlooks the Flat River, or in the interior of the mall, French cafe-style.

The restaurant will include a private dining room which may be reserved for special occasions. Dilley says that at least two reservations for this room have already been made.

A small bar is also planned which, in addition to a full line of beverages, will include imported wines and beers.

The menu will be posted outside the restaurant European-style, and will feature a Royal European Dinner. For \$30 a couple may sample "very adequate portions" of three menu entrees.

Lilley says that this dinner is one of the more expensive meals. The planned menu will include meals in a wide range of prices.

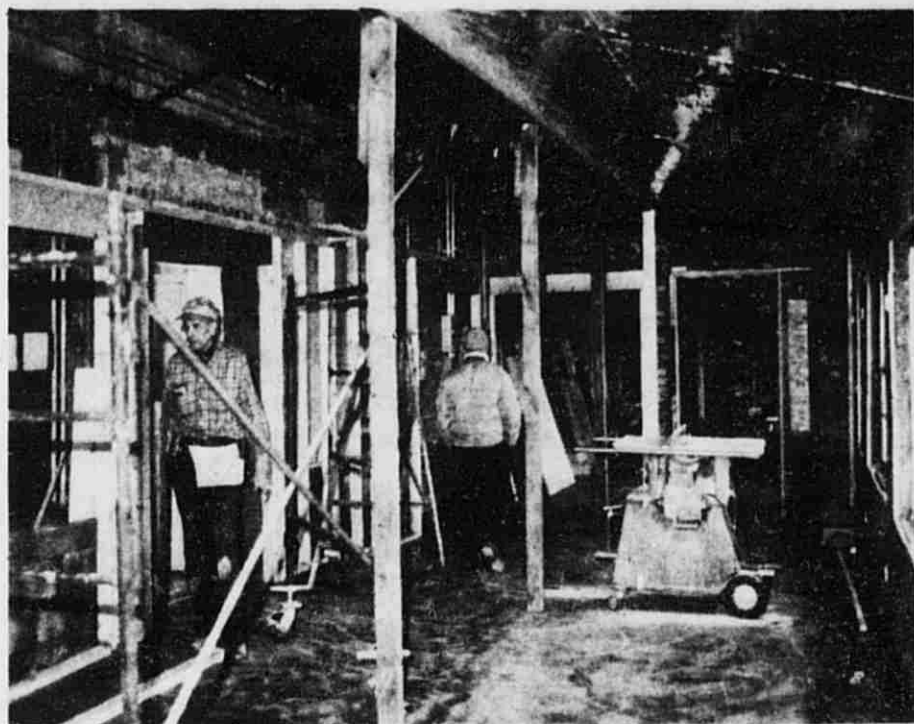
"We want fine dining for everyone," she says.

She adds that those impatient for opening day may make reservations by calling 897-8401.

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## Lowell Cable TV Department to begin home installations Monday

November 29 is the turn-on date for the Lowell Cable T.V. Service, according to Lowell Light and Power Superintendent Herb Haines.

But those installing the system have no time to play with, Haines says. Plans for the installation included a cushion of two work weeks in case problems should develop. Those two weeks of "play" have been completely used up.

In Haines words, "What is

being done today probably should have been done yesterday."

Haines said Monday that Lowell Cable T.V. is scheduled to begin serving its first customers after installers arrive on the 29th to begin hooking households to the system.

The long-awaited satellite dish and tower have arrived at the head end station.

Haines says that the satellite dish, which will pick up pro-

grams like HBO and Cinemax, will be assembled by Wednesday, November 24.

At that time the headend station will be switched on and the system will be "swept" -- checked for kinks.

The tower, which is lying in the municipal parking lot east of the headend station, will be installed November 29. Footings for the tower have already been poured.

## Emergency service is operable

The non-transporting ambulance service designed to fill the gap left by the pull-out of Bud's Ambulance is now in operation, according to Lowell City Manager Ray Quada.

Quada said Tuesday that the rescue unit is "completely stocked and operable."

Since the ambulance service was proposed in September, a rescue unit from Bud's Ambulance has been purchased, the unit has been stocked, and volunteers have been trained to drive the vehicle and locate rescue equipment.

According to Quada, about 15 additional candidates have

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volunteered for training to help staff the service. The city is looking for 5 to 10 more candidates to volunteer so that an emergency medical training class can be set up with Davenport College.

The new rescue service, which will benefit Vergennes

Township, Lowell Township, and the City of Lowell, is a non-transporting service. It is designed to take the preliminary steps all ambulance services must take, thereby speeding the patient on his way to the hospital.

## Late season "ace"

It appears that one area resident waited until late in the season to see his golf game peak.

Steve Kerr, 31, of 10038 Bailey Drive, shot a hole-in-one Saturday, November 20, at Saskatoon Golf Course, according to course golf pro Harvey Slater.

Using his five-wood, Kerr shot 193 yards to the sixth hole for his first hole-in-one ever. Slater added that Kerr shot a re-

spectable 37 for 9 holes that afternoon.

Kerr, who is employed at Old Kent Bank in downtown Grand Rapids, rather calmly remarked that he "couldn't believe it."

"You don't think too seriously about a hole-in-one and all of a sudden you get one," he said.

It's not a bad way to end the season.

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# Obituaries

**APECENKA** - Anna Apeckna, aged 96, widow of beloved Anthony, formerly of 724 Richmond NW., passed away Sunday morning at the Crestview Nursing Home. Surviving are her children, Mrs. Emily Vachul of Grand Rapids, George and Stephany Miller formerly of Cascade, now residing in West Olive, MI; five grandchildren, Mrs. Frances Province and Mrs. Janet Farrar of Calif., John Apen of Stone Mountain, GA, Mrs. Marilyn Crawford of Ada, and Mrs. DeLores Gustafson of Cascade; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Marian Apen of San Diego; 12 great grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. Funeral Services were held Tuesday afternoon, Interment Lithuanian Freedom Cemetery.

**HEAGLE** - John Wesley Heagle, aged 20, of 2187 Buttrick, SE, Ada, passed away Sunday of accidental injuries. He is survived by his parents, Wes and Yvonne of Ada; brother, Alan and Cindy Heagle of Allendale; sister, Leslie and Gary Boomers of Grand Rapids; grandparents, Mrs. Emily Heagle of Ada, and Mrs.

Louise Marsh of Grand Rapids; also several aunts and uncles. John was a 1980 graduate of Forest Hills Central High School. The Funeral Service was held Wednesday at O'Brien-Gerst Funeral Home, 3980 Cascade Rd., Rev. Joseph Huston of St. Paul United Methodist Church officiating. Interment in Cascade Cemetery.

**MILLER** - Wesley W. Miller, aged 93, formerly of Lowell, passed away at Grand Valley Nursing Home, November 18, 1982. He is survived by his

wife, Emma; his children, Fernis and Lucy Miller of Grand Rapids, Bernard Miller of Muskegon, Mrs. Beulaine Hilaski of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Walter (Elaine) Duggan of Cal., Ward and Joan Miller of Cal., Dale Miller of Saginaw; a sister, Mrs. Ella Tunistra of Lowell; 12 grand children, six great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Mr. Miller was a retired machinist of C & O Railroad. Funeral Services were Monday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell, with Rev. Robert W. Mueller of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Welcome Home of the Blind or charity of your choice.

**NEWBERGER** - Scott G. Newberger, aged 26, of Ada, passed away Thursday of accidental injuries. He is survived by his parents, John and Rosemarie of Ada; brother, Michael of Kalamazoo, Robert of Parkersburg, W. Virg.; sisters, Terese of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Dewey (Susan) Prins of Grand Rapids, Ann at home; grandmother, Mrs. Earl Newberger of Herman, Minnesota; nephew and niece, Eric and Jennifer Prins; also many aunts and uncles.

**PETTIT** - Marcia Doris Pettit, aged 61, formerly of Forest Hills, passed away Sunday in Kalamazoo. Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Harvery Pettit of Lowell and several cousins.

Funeral Services will be held Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the Metcalf Johnkoff Funeral Home, Rev. Raymond Gaylord of Cascade Christian Church officiating. Interment Martin Cemetery.

**WHEAT** - Mary Wheat, aged 77, of Lowell, passed away November 18, 1982. She is survived by her children, Mrs. Dan (Evelyn) Free of Ada, Philip (Juanita) Wheat, Mrs. Bill (Olive) Cook, and James (Marion) Wheat, all of Lowell, Mrs. Delmar (Doris) Carlson of Coopersville, Mrs. Alice Spanogle of Wyoming, Mrs. Arthur (Mary Lou) Botma of Grand Rapids, and Mrs. Gerald (Virginia) Roberts of Deland, FL, brothers, Wilber Johnson of Mio, and Fred Johnson of FL; sisters, Mrs. Josephine Astle of Detroit, Mrs. Sally Heath of Muskegon, Mrs. Merle Morrow of Saranac, Mrs. Lucile Curtis of Portland, Mrs. Betty Neidhart of St. Louis, MO; 32 grandchildren; 33 great-grandchildren; and 8 great-great-grandchildren. Funeral Services were Saturday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell, with Rev. Timothy Graham of Carlisle United Methodist Church of Byron Center officiating. Interment South Boston Cemetery.

**HOLY CROSS CEMETERY**. The family would appreciate memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society.

**THUR., DEC. 2:** Vergennes Co-Operative Club will meet at Schneider manor at 12:30 P.M. for a catered lunch, prepared and served by Ellura McPherson. Cost \$2.50 per person. Hostesses: Orpha Chaterdon, Margaret Ford and June Wittenbach. Sponsor: Carrie Groenenboom. Program: "Christmas" by Carol Briggs. Guests are welcome. Please have reservations in by November 30. In place of the traditional gift exchange, members are asked to bring a donation of food, money or clothing for Access 6 instead.

**MON., NOV. 29:** Kent County Library System/Lowell Branch, 325 W. Main St. "Monkey Shines", a special pre-school program for children ages 3-6 starring Curious George and other crazy monkeys. At 1:00 P.M.

**TUES., NOV. 30:** Kent County Library System/Alto Branch, 6059 Linfield. "Monkey Shines", a special pre-school program for children ages 3-6 starring Curious George and other crazy monkeys. At 1:00 P.M.

**WED., DEC. 1:** Christmas Craft Workshop. Parents and children 4 yrs. and older are invited to attend the workshop at the Kent Co. Library Alto Branch on Wed., eve Dec. 1 at 7:00 to make Christmas decorations and wrappings for gifts. This workshop will be conducted by April Curtiss and Marlene Whitman. All materials are furnished and there is no charge for this program. We do ask that you register for this program in advance by stopping by the library or calling 868-6038.

**DEC. 1, 2 and 3:** Camp Fire girls will be accepting your donations of commercially canned or packaged foods at tables at Eberhard's. The

collected items will be displayed on the Camp Fire float in the Lowell Santa Claus parade and then will be divided between the Moose for Christmas baskets and ACCESS-6 (All County Church Emergency Service System), which keeps food banks stocked and handles distribution when calls for help come in. One such "Bank" is located at the Lowell United Methodist Church.

**THUR., DEC. 2:** Country Store Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Salad bar (assorted salads) and soup luncheon from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. \$3.50. Ala Carte \$3.00 Salad, 50¢; Soup, Children 5 and under one half price. Spaghetti dinner 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. \$3.00 Adults, \$2.50 Sr. Citizens, \$1.50 Children under 12, Free children 5 years and under. \$10.00 family. Plus an array of home made baked goods, jams and candies, packaged to use yourself or give as gifts. Also hand-crafted items. Congregational Church of Lowell, 404 N. Hudson.

**FRI., DEC. 3:** Church Women United of Grand Rapids invites you to a very Special Christmas Musical Program. starting at 9:30 A.M.

**SAT., DEC. 4:** Kids Only Shopping at the VFW Post 8303, East Main Street. Sponsored by the Auxiliary will be held from 11 A.M. - 2 P.M. Come in all you "kids" and get your Christmas shopping done. Lots of things to choose from, also homemade items.

**SAT., DEC. 4:** St. Charles Parish Greenville Christmas Craft Bazaar from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. 2 floors of quality craft, also an antique room. Lunch.


**DEC. 4, 11, and 18 - Saturdays** The Chaffee Planetarium of the Grand

Rapids Public Museum presents a holiday sky show designed especially for young children. "The Christmas Star" offers a brief description of that all important star and includes a sing-a-long and a flying Santa. Adults are asked to accompany the children. Showtime is 1:30 P.M. Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1.50 for children of all ages and senior citizens. In addition, this children's sky show will be repeated during the Christmas school recess, December 27 through 30 at 11 A.M.

**DEC. 6:** St. Mary's Altar Society Christmas party will be held at 7:30 P.M. at St. Mary's School. There will be an under \$3.00 Gift exchange.

**DEC. 10:** The Girls Varsity Club is sponsoring a spaghetti dinner in the high school cafeteria between 5:00 and 8:00 p.m. Tickets available at the door. Proceeds will go the Athletic Program.

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**THUR., DEC. 2 and 3:** Lowell Medical Care Center is having a Christmas Bazaar from 10 to 4 in the activities room. Any St. Mary's Parishioner wishing to donate baked goods or handmade items are asked to drop them off at the Center, the Church, or Phylis Lessons before Dec. 2.

**JANUARY 1983-JUNE, 1983:** Steak Dinner 4-8 P.M. and Dance 8-12? every 3rd Saturday of the month. VFW Post 8303, 307 E. Main St., Lowell, MI.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY...**

**NOVEMBER 25:** Melissa Peterson, Donna Rozman, Amy Swift, Angie Hyzer.

**NOVEMBER 26:** Tonya Comstock, Joan Durkee.

**NOVEMBER 27:** Kim Gould.


**NOVEMBER 28:** Paul Brandt.

**NOVEMBER 29:** Gail Thomet, Kelly Sauber, Gary Rivers, Tom Turner, Chantel Cosgrove.

**NOVEMBER 30:** Brian Carless.

**DECEMBER 1:** Traivs Briggs, Jill Borton, Wayne Borton, Paula Doyle.

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### In The Service

Pfc. David C. Kile, son of Donald J. and Bonnie J. Kile of 11652 Grand River Ave., Lowell, Mich., has been decorated with the Army Achievement Medal at Fort Lewis, Wash.

The medal is awarded to soldiers of achievement or meritorious service and acts of courage. Kile is a cannon crewman with the 1st Battalion, 84th Field Artillery.

Marine Pfc. Jeffrey S. Quiggle, son of Roger and Janice Quiggle of 216 Riverside, Lowell, Mich., has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

During the 11-week training cycle, he learned the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily

routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program

and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

### Birthday party for Minnie Huffman

Well-wishers are invited to attend a birthday party for former Ledger columnist Minnie Huffman, who will be celebrating her 91st birthday November 29th.

A party arranged by her daughter Rachel LaChappelle is scheduled for 1:30 - 3:30 P.M. in the second floor dining room of the Kent Community Hospital.

### HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

The Lord also will be a refuge for the oppressed, a refuge in times of trouble" (Psalm 9:9).

Attics fascinate me. They offer so many possibilities. Within them can be found suggestions of romance and adventure. Attics make wonderful playrooms for children. There youngsters can dress up in outdated garments and with imaginations relive events of by-gone days. Attics are made especially for rainy days. With the rain pattering gently on the roof, one feels snug and warm within the shelter of the attic walls.

An attic, too, is place of refuge. Where can you find a better place to hide and read a letter in seclusion, or work on a Christmas gift, or read a book without interruption? Here, also, can be found a refuge in the times of stress. Shut away in the quiet confines of an attic, one can find the solitude needed to organize or reorganize one's thinking.

But, Christian, whether or not your house has an attic, there is a Refuge for you in time of need. When the world presses in on you, when things go wrong, when loved ones do not understand you, when the pressures of life threaten to envelop you, God is waiting to give you quietness of mind and spirit. He is "a shelter in the time of storm."

Prayer: O Lord, Thou art my refuge in times of trouble. When the storms arise I hasten to Thee. I find shelter and comfort in Thee. Unto Thee I come for calmness and strength.

From ev'ry stormy wind that blows, From ev'ry swelling tide of woes, There is a calm, a sure retreat: 'Tis found beneath the mercy-seat.

Hugh Stowell

### Legal Notices

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 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 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: Barry Biermaker & Miranda Ward Hearing: Dec. 9, 1982 at 9:30 a.m. Petitioner: Patricia Parish Dated: November 17, 1982

JOHN P. STEKETEE JUDGE OF PROBATE

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF KENT PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

In the matter of Kevin Emil Anderson, change of name. TAKE NOTICE: on December 6th 1982 at 10:00 A.M., in the probate courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before Hon. Donald J. DeYoung Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Mary Beth Johnson for the change of name of her son from Kevin Emil Anderson to Kevin E. Johnson.

November 9th 1982 Mary Beth Johnson 433 Sinclair, N.E. Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF KENT PUBLICATION NOTICE DECEASED TESTATE/AFTER APPOINTMENT CLAIMS FILE NO. 138,389

Estate of ROSCENA INMAN, DECEASED, Take Notice: on November 12, 1982 in the probate courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before Hon. Judge of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of Walter G. Benedict for administration of this estate. The decedent, whose Social Security Number is 366-14-1890, died on Oct. 23, 1982, a resident of Bowne Township, Alto, Michigan. Administration was granted to Walter G. Benedict, Personal Representative. The Last Will and Testament of the deceased dated March 14, 1979 and codicil dated September 21, 1982 were admitted to probate.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented on or before March 30, 1983 to Walter G. Benedict 10988 60th St. S.E., Alto, MI 49302 and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto. Freihof, Oosterhouse, De Boer & Barnhart, P.C. BY: Robert J. De Boer (P-12598) 1125 W. Main St. Lowell, MI 49331 (616) 897-9218.

November 15, 1982 Walter G. Benedict 10988 60th St. S.E. Alto, MI 49302 (616) 868-7822.

### Larabee graduates



Kimberly L. Larabee

After extensive training in Travel Tourism, Kimberly L. Larabee of Lowell, MI is a recent graduate of Southeastern Academy. To complete the program of study Kimberly met requirements in the areas of career and personal development in addition to specialized occupational training. Kimberly is now qualified for an entry level position in all areas of the Airline, Travel or Tourism Industry.

WEDDING INVITATIONS—& Napkins available at the Grand Valley Ledger, 105 N. Broadway, Lowell.

### HOT LUNCH MENU WEEK OF NOVEMBER 29, 1982

- MONDAY Ravioli or lasagna w/extra cheese, cole slaw, french bread, choice of fruits or jello, milk.
TUESDAY Choice of hot dog, pork barbecue on a bun or lasagna, tossed salad w/dressing and cheese, buttered corn, chilled fruits or pudding, Cherry cake or cookies, milk.
WEDNESDAY Fish wedges or chopped steak, whipped potatoes and gravy, steamed green beans, dinner rolls or bread, jello w/whip or fruit, milk.
THURSDAY Tacos w/meat and cheese or chili, jonny cake w/syrup, vegetables or salad, assorted fruits or cherry cobbler, milk.
FRIDAY Macaroni and cheese or sub sandwiches, buttered peas or salad, raisin bread or rolls, fruit or pudding, milk.
Price of lunches to students includes milk. Elementary 70c, Middle and Senior High 75c.

### Kids check on their parents

Lowell Community Education held an Open House Wednesday, November 17, in honor of National Community Education Day. A number of classes were open to visitors to observe, including art, furniture upholstery, and auto mechanics classes.

Consortium Director Linda Zaczek and high school counselor Gordon Gould were pleased with the turnout for Community Ed.'s first open house ever.

To Zaczek's thinking, turnout is fair play. Parents get to attend parent-teacher conferences -- now kids can check on their parents at Community Ed. Open House. Marge Rehl, Community Ed. Liaison, reports that enrollment in Community Education classes this year is about double last year. About 70 students are enrolled in high school completion classes, and another 100 are enrolled in those same classes just for the sake of enrichment.

Rehl adds that classes are free to students working toward high school completion and to senior citizens. Community Education is offering classes off school grounds this year for the sake of senior citizens. Nearly 30 seniors are enrolled in Michigan history classes at Altop Elementary School and Cumberland Manor.

Community Education also offers after-school art classes for students in grades 2-8 to help fill the gap created by school budget cuts. There is a nominal charge for these classes. The most popular Community Education class is computer programming, which already has a waiting list of 25 for the spring semester beginning January 24.

Rehl says that ideas for classes often come from the community.

"I have people stop me in the grocery store and say, 'Why don't you offer such and such a class?'"

The art class pictured is taught by Karen Lambert.

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## Wedding vows spoken

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Mr. and Mrs. Gary B. Roth

Suzanne Holwerda and Gary B. Roth exchanged wedding vows on Oct. 16th at the Blythfield Hills Baptist Church of Rockford.

Parents of the bride are Rev. and Mrs. James Holwerda of Grand Rapids, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roth of Lowell.

## Basketball coming

Sharon VanHoven was Maid of Honor and Debbie Tremp was bridesmaid. Kevin Murphy was Best Man and David Roth was Groomsman. Ushers were Brad Holwerda and John Afholter.

A dinner reception was held at Blythfield Hills Country Club. Mr. and Mrs. Roth spent their honeymoon in the Virgin Islands and are residing in Grand Rapids.

Basketball fans can get their first look at the 1982-83 Lowell High School basketball teams Tuesday night, November 30th, in the high school gymnasium beginning at 7:00 P.M. Varsity, Junior Varsity, and Freshman teams will be introduced at this time.

Head coach, Ken Akers will go over the new rule changes for this year. The session will conclude with an intra-squad varsity scrimmage.

## Hockey team wins first 2

The Lowell High School hockey team began league play last week with two victories. The Red Arrows defeated Creston 8-4 and Ottawa Hills 9-2.

The Arrows showed balanced scoring in the opener as five different people scored the first five goals. Lowell received first period goals from Pat Harkness and Paul Whaley. Max Astor, Andy Vredenburg, and Eric Schwamberger provided Lowell with a 5-2 edge after two periods.

A goal by Kerry Vezino and two more by Whaley provided the final total of eight.

Lowell's victory over Ottawa Hills was sparked by a 5 goal

performance by Whaley. Following Vezino's goal, Whaley accounted for the next 5 scores.

Wendal Waldrup accounted for the final two goals of the game.



New York City's massive Pennsylvania Railroad Station was originally modeled after the ancient Roman baths of Caracalla.

## Camp Keewano



The 7th grade TenDaYa Camp Fire Discovery Group recently spent a week-end camping at Camp Keewano, the Camp Fire resident camp near Hesperia. The time was shared with other Discovery and Horizon club members of Keewano Council.

Pictured standing, l. to R. Linda Keim, Robin Sisson, Sara Swift, Kim Gould, kneeling — Tina Hamp, absent, Laura Wierckz.

## Certificates awarded

Twenty-seven snowmobilers received their snowmobile safety certificates at Lowell High School on November 12, 1982, after completing the Michigan Snowmobile Safety Training program sponsored by the Flat River Snowmobile Club, and coordinated by Bradley Potter.

A clothing demonstration was done by Virginia Souser. Sgt. Jim Montgomery from the Sheriff Department presented a program on snowmobile laws and law enforcement. Ed Marshall gave a demonstration on snowmobile maintenance, and Al Eckman from the Lowell



The Rev. Mr. Richard Greenwood, treasurer of the Lowell Ministerial Association, presents a \$500 check to Access-6 representatives Priscilla Lussmyer and Carol Wells. Access is the acronym for Area County Church Emergency Support System, a non-government relief agency serving Kent County. Evelyn Barnes and Sid Kerr, as well as Wells and Lussmyer, are local representatives for this agency, which operates a food bank out of the United Methodist Church in Lowell, and a clothing depot at the Second Mile House on Thornapple River Drive in Cascade.

Police Department gave a talk about First Aid. Also assisting were instructors Faith Marshall and Don Souser.

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Our nation's freedom was born in the families that formed our thirteen colonies. During Family Time Week we pay tribute to the vital role the American Family has played and continues to play in the preservation of our free society.

The family is the birthplace of order, justice and faith, and is essential to the healthy growth and development of children into responsible adults and good citizens.

Armed and buttressed by the knowledge that he or she is an individual backed by an affectionate family, the child becomes an adult who willingly accepts community responsibilities and serves as a leader in the affairs of the nation.

Family Time Week is a positive response to those who have stated that the family is no longer of any value, that it is an outdated institution.

Therefore, I, Dean E. Collins, Mayor of Lowell, do hereby declare November 21-27, 1982, as Family Time Week in Lowell, and urge all citizens to be mindful of the fact that the stability of a community, state or a country depends in great measure upon the influence of strong, cohesive families.

Dean E. Collins,  
Mayor

## LOWELL TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Synopsis of minutes from Regular Meeting - 15  
November, 1982.

Call to order at 8 P.M. Present: 5 Board members; 32  
others.

Minutes of 18 October, 1982 approved as read.

OLD BUSINESS: Letter to be sent to County on  
Community Development program; permit renewal  
granted Northeast Gravel; report on status of cable  
TV project given.

NEW BUSINESS: set the date for a public hearing on  
Cable TV for December 6th, 1982; approved a ser-  
vice agreement with Jack's Typewriter Service;  
adopted two amendments to the M-21 Interceptor  
Sewer Ordinance which set the fee for future con-  
nections to Cumberland Manor Pump Station; ap-  
proved calling Doubleday to repair a voting  
machine; discussed Cumberland Avenue and  
Grand River Drive.

Adjournment at 9:30 P.M.

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### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



Dear Editor:

The Board of Education of the Lowell Area Schools maintains one of the Highest fund equities (as percent of total budget) of any school district in Kent County. One of the reasons is to minimize the need to borrow money while waiting for tax money. This maneuver is to save the expense of interest on borrowed money.

The Lowell teachers have asked the Board for the development of an Early Retirement Incentive plan. This plan would allow partial payment of a teacher's salary during the years of early retirement to fill the gap before social security becomes effective. The school board then hires a new teacher at a lower salary, thus saving money. Besides saving money, education is benefited by allowing teachers, whose health prevents them from maintaining the previous quality of work, to leave the profession and survive financially. In addition, a new teacher is added, bringing new ideas and enthusiasm to the Lowell Schools.

The action described in the first paragraph of this letter saves money at the expense of school employees. The idea considered in the second paragraph saves money while improving the quality of education, benefiting both teachers and students.

It makes one wonder about the attitude of a school board that enthusiastically holds to an idea whose results at best cancel each other out while denying a practice which would enhance the cause of education.

Sincerely,  
George Stegmier



### COZY corner

By Roger Brown

I guess everybody has to have a phobia of one kind or another. Mine's heights. I have to qualify that, because I'm not afraid of flying in the least. I have about thirty hours of flight instruction under my belt. I've been up to 3,000 feet in a hot air balloon and I've ridden thousands and thousands of miles in commercial jets without ever once feeling uneasy, let alone being frightened. Put me up on a two-story roof, and I'm apt to wet my pants.

This subject comes up because of a friend recently telling me about, and showing me pictures of a trip to California, during which he took a ride up the side of an 8,500 foot mountain in one of those trams that travel on a cable. He told about how he and all the other scaredy-cats on board were in the center of the car clamoring to get a white knuckle, death grip on a vertical pole there. His wife on the other hand, was among those at the windows, and was trying to organize a group effort to get the car rocking. The husband would have strangled her, except that he didn't dare let loose his grip on the pole. There was a bar and restaurant at the top of the mountain, and the husband said the ride back down wasn't nearly so bad with about three stiff drinks in him. He didn't mention taking a window seat though. I'd have died half way up.

While on a business trip to Detroit a couple of years ago, the wife decided we should have lunch in the revolving restaurant at the top of the Renaissance Center. With my heights phobia, elevators are not one of my favorite modes of travel. The elevators at the Ren Cen travel in glass tubes on the outside of the building, a fact I didn't know until we were about ten floors up, and the glass shaft began. I was about the color of guacamole dip when we reached the top. All the way through lunch I tried to talk Terese into taking the stairs back down.

On a recent trip to Chicago, the wife again decided it would be nice to have lunch at the top of a tall building there too. I was spared the Sears Tower, (world's tallest) but ended up at the top of the John Hancock building. A mere ninety some stories up. We ended up in the lounge where they have counters right up against the windows, and you sit there in your bar stool facing straight out, with nothing between you and a thousand foot drop to Michigan Street, but a peice of glass. I had trouble enjoying the lunch too.

Probably my worst experience ever, was when I was in the army and stationed in Colorado. A bunch of us were out joyriding one day, and ended up at the Royal Gorge Bridge. You may have heard of it, but for those who haven't, it's billed as the world's highest suspension bridge. I'm not sure just how high it is, but when I was there a train was travelling along the canyon floor below us and it looked to be about HO gauge.

We were all standing on the walkway near the center of the bridge, when a car came across. The deck of the bridge was just wooden boards, and the whole thing felt like it was coming apart. I held onto the railing for dear life until the car had passed, and then beat feet off there, much to the amusement of my friends.

Later on the same day we toured some underground caverns. Much more to my liking.

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### Step forward in tournament play

Tournament play has begun for the Lowell girls basketball team, which easily defeated Ionia 43-24 on Saturday, November 20, in District play at Belding.

Coach Kathy Talus reports that the game Saturday started really slowly, with the Ionia team gradually building a 6-0 lead in the first quarter. Before the first quarter ended, the Ar-

rows came back with 5 points of their own, but not enough to gain the lead.

Midway through the second quarter a field goal by Paula Doyle tied the game at 12-12.

"We dominated the game after that," Talus says.

"The key to the game was cutting them down on percentages," she says. The Arrows held their Ionia opponents to a 14% average on field goals.

High scorers in the Ionia game were Lynn Dowling, with 12, Chris Hildenbrand with 10, and Paula Doyle, with 7. Dowling was also responsible for 8 rebounds, and her teammate Kerry Cosgrove pulled down 9.

The Arrows face Greenville in the last game of District play Wednesday, November 24. Despite Lowell's bad loss to the Greenville team only two weeks ago, Talus expects that the team will make a good showing Wednesday.

She pointed out that Lowell defeated Greenville once this season by getting an early lead and then letting the Yellow Jackets play catch up. She hopes to follow the same game plan Wednesday.

### Lowell girl competes



Cheryl Freglia a Lowell 9th grader, participated this past weekend in the 2nd level of the Pepsi Hot Shot Contest.

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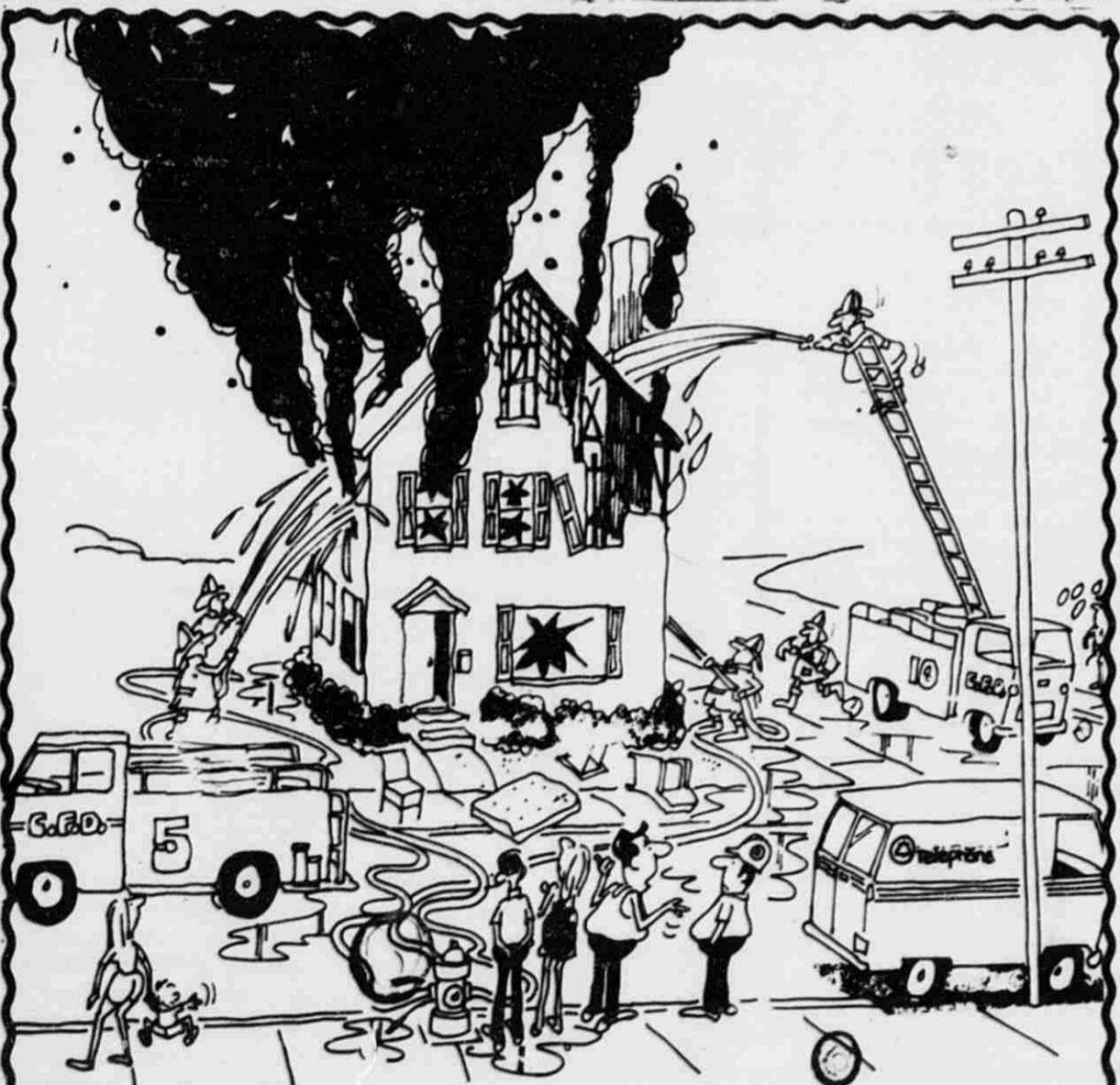
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Muskegon County:  
Some steelhead and lake trout activity well off Grand Haven and Muskegon jiggling

with Swedish pimples, but not much Big Lake activity. When they can get out, fishermen are producing some steelhead, coho and chinook from 35 to 90 feet of water, 30 to 35 feet down.  
Ottawa County:  
No fishing activity to report in the area. Lake trout has slowed down greatly.  
HUNTING INFORMATION:  
So far the deer season seems to be very successful with more hunters, expected to be out on the weekend. Department biologists report excellent hunting conditions with 1 inch of snow throughout the district. Pressure is down 10-15 percent and kill down accordingly. Hunter attitude is good due to the excellent conditions. Many hunters reported seeing fewer deer than previous years. Biologists believe many hunters went north for the first week and anticipate heavy hunting pressure the next two weekends.

Main Auto in Holland reports 9 deer weighed in from the Allegan area, all 120 pounds or better. Angler Archer in Muskegon reports 5 deer weighed in just in one morning (with no contest running) all between 135 to 159 pounds and all 4 to 8 points.  
The managed waterfowl hunt ended at Muskegon November 14th. We had the best season ever in terms of hunter participation and goose kill.

The greatest asset this city possesses are our rivers. They are unique to but a handful of communities, yet due to an apathetic attitude, it seems that we have largely neglected them. Early June, after the flood waters have subsided, and spring fish spawning has been completed would be the ideal time for this project. Through the winter months I will attempt to contact all aforementioned organizations and solicit the necessary support concerning this project. I know it can be done and it behoves us, all, as a community, to utilize and beautify all of our natural resources.

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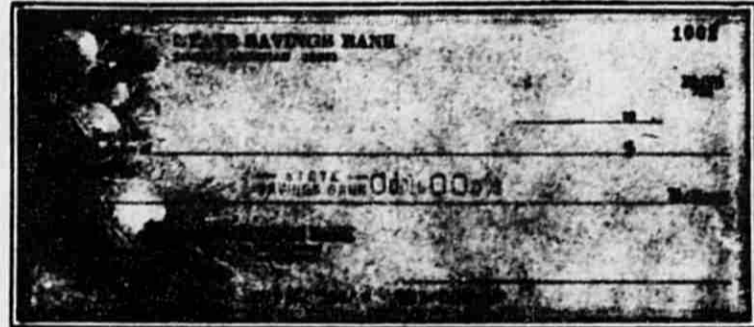
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Shown above are the officers for the 1982-1983 Lowell YMCA Boys Leaders Club. At the present time, there are 25 boys that are members of this year's club. The program is for boys 12 to 18 years of age, inclusive, that are willing to learn - and to help others learn skills in all areas of physical education and development. The Leaders assist in various Lowell YMCA programs, serving as assistant instructors, care takers of equipment, spotters on apparatus work, office helpers, referee's, timers, scorers, etc. These Leaders are able to be involved in service and social activities with others their own age, have the opportunity to become active in community service, and have a chance to develop a system of values with an understanding of the needs and interest of others. The Leaders Club program dates back to 1884 making it the oldest of the YMCA physical education programs. Anyone that might be interested contact the Advisor - Al Eckman - at 897-7586.

**SPECIAL SPEAKER AT TOUGH LOVE MEETING**

What legal action is taken against teens who are status offenders -- who are habitual truants, runaways, or substance abusers?

John Weiks, supervisor of the Crisis Intervention Program, will explain the philosophy of the Kent County Juvenile Court toward status offenders at the regularly scheduled meeting of Tough Love, Monday, November 29, at 7 P.M. in the KIVA room of the Bushnell School.

In addition, Weiks will list some of the community resources available to parents and youth when a child's behavior is creating problems with the family or authorities.

According to Weiks, Crisis Intervention is a diversionary program provided by the Juvenile Court to keep kids out of the penal system.

To this end, Crisis Intervention provides family counseling available any day of the week (by appointment). The staff strives to meet with families on the day of referral.

Weiks, who has been with Crisis Intervention for the past five years, brings with him four years of experience as a school teacher. He is presently enrolled in the doctoral program in Counseling Psychology at Western Michigan University.

Barb Pierce, of the counseling office at Lowell High School, encourages concerned parents to attend the meeting.

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