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FREE TREES FOR ARBOR DAY

The Qua-Ke-Zik Sportsman Club of Lowell is offering free trees to area residents for Arbor Day planting. The trees being offered are red pines and autumn olive bushes. You can pick yours up this Saturday, April 23 at either Bruce's Shoe Repair, 609 West Main or The Combination, 526 East Main from 9:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M.

RECIPES NEEDED

The Women of the Moose, Lowell Lodge 809 need recipes for a book they are compiling for future sales. Everyone's recipes are welcome, please send yours to Cora Stormzand at 516 West Main Street, Lowell, Michigan 49331.

PARADE ENTRIES NEEDED

Parade entries are needed for the WCUZ/Budweiser Showboat Parade to be held Saturday, May 28 at 11:00 A.M. Line up will be at Richards Park at 10:00 A.M. Children riding decorated bicycles and tricycles will be eligible to win a 10 speed bicycle to be donated by Kentwood Schwinn. The winner will be drawn that evening at the Bobby Bare concert in the amphitheatre. Anyone planning to participate in the parade should contact Bonnie Grooters at 897-7451 or Kevin Reynolds at WCUZ 451-2551.

SPRING AHEAD

We'll all be losing an hour of sleep come Sunday morning, Sunday, April 24, 1983 at exactly 2:00 A.M. we switch over from Eastern Standard Time to Eastern Daylight Time, meaning we set our clocks AHEAD one hour.

GIRL SCOUT BOTTLE DRIVE

The Lowell Area Girl Scouts will be having a door to door beverage can and bottle drive April 22-29. Proceeds will be used for transportation for a trip to Greenfield Village. If you would like pick up of your cans and bottles please call 897-5042 or 897-5244.

The Girl Scouts, because of fast growth, are looking for additional leaders to help with groups in the Runciman, Bushnell, Alto, and Middle Schools. Interested women may call the Michigan Trail Girl Scout office at 949-GIRL. It is not necessary to have a daughter in the Girl Scouts to be a leader.

WANTED:

Lowell YMCA Volunteer Tee Ball and Jr. Girls Softball Coaches. Any adult interested in helping, please contact Nancy at the Y office 897-8445

OFF THE BLOTTER

Lowell Officers assisted by Kent County Sheriff's Department Deputies recovered 3 stolen bicycles Tuesday which were taken by Juvenile run-a-ways. The run-a-ways were apprehended Tuesday evening in Ada.

Arrested By Lowell Officers Wednesday evening on a Grand Rapids friend of the court warrant was Wayne Johnson of Lowell. Brenda Keech of Lowell was arrested and lodged in the Kent County Jail Tuesday evening by Lowell Officers on charges of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol.

Arraigned Thursday in 63rd District Court was Vincent Yurkinas of Lowell on charges of fleeing and eluding Police Officers on April 3rd of this year. A second warrant was also issued for larceny over \$100. Yurkinas plead guilty to fleeing and eluding, and not guilty to the larceny charge. bond was set at \$3000.

A 13 year old juvenile was struck when he stepped into the path of a vehicle when attempting to cross Main Street near Amity Thursday morning. The vehicle was driven by James McCaul of Lowell who was not cited by Police Officers.

Involved in a property damage accident early Sunday morning was Herbert Brickley of Lowell when the car he was driving struck 2 parked cars on Main St near Broadway

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Insurance agency changes hands

The JRB Insurance Agency was sold last month to Gerald S. Patton, a native of the Muskegon area but until recently living in Howell, MI.

Norton Johnson, former owner of the agency, said that after working 34 years at JRB he felt it was time to move on. With a business associate, Johnson has started a new insurance management firm under the name of Insko Associates Inc. The new business will handle a large group insurance.

Aware of Johnson's desire to sell the firm, a company representative connected Johnson with Patton, who until recently was co-owner of the Cobb-Patton Agency in Howell.

Patton said that he had a desire to be "captain of my own ship," and so on March 16 the JRB Agency officially changed hands.

Patton said that though he has been in the area only a short while, he has appreciated the warmth of his reception into the community.

"People have the attitude of 'we're glad to see you,'" Patton said. He appreciated being welcomed not just as a business associate but as a friend.

Patton brings 15 years of insurance experience to JRB, the last seven as co-owner of the agency in Howell.

Staff at JRB will remain the same, under the new ownership, with Sandy Reynolds and Debbie Mercer on hand to attend to customer's needs.

Spring is in full swing at Lowell YMCA

The YMCA of Lowell is offering Lowell area residents the chance to show some spring-time vigor in the face of rather wintery weather with the introduction of its Spring II Program.

The Spring II Program will make available a wide range of classes for a wide range of ages over a 7-week period, April 25 through June 11.

Classes include indoor swimming lessons, guitar lessons, karate classes, men's fitness, women's fitness, rug hooking, three kinds of aerobics, and for young folks three different gymnastics classes.

A brochure more completely describing the classes and costs involved is available at the YMCA offices.

Interested persons should pick up a brochure at the YMCA or call the Y at 897-8445.



The new and the old: Gerald Patton, new owner of the JRB Agency, with former owner Norton Johnson.

1983-84 city budget calls for 1/2 mill increase in city taxes

Lowell City Manager Ray Quada presented his proposed budget for the city for 1983-84 Monday evening at the regular meeting of the Lowell City Council. The new budget calls for a one half mill increase in city taxes, raising the amount levied from 11.38 to 11.88 mills. Truth in taxation laws require that it also be explained that the one half mill increase coupled with recent raises in assessments amount to an approximate in-

crease in city revenues of one mill.

Quada explained the need for the increase by pointing out the loss of state shared revenues. Over the past year the city was supposed to receive \$205,000 from the state, but has received only \$110,000 to date. Quada expects state revenues to finally total at less than \$150,000 for the year, about \$55,000 less than projected.

This year's budget calls for expending \$799,000 in the city's general fund. Last year's budget proposed expending \$792,000, of which \$722,000 was actually used.

Public hearings on the proposed budget will be held at the next two council meetings of May 2 and 16. Another public hearing will be held on the proposed tax increase at the May 2 meeting.

Council approves softball field

The Lowell City Council gave their nod of approval to the construction of a softball diamond in the city's west side park. The park is near the corner of Foreman Road and Gee Drive. It is to eventually be developed to provide a recreational area for west side residents, particularly those in the Valley Vista subdivision. When complete, the park will feature the softball diamond, a soccer field, playground equipment, rest rooms and parking.

The proposed (but yet to be funded) M-21 to Gee Drive connector will border the park on the west. When and if the connector is built, the feasibility of city street from the connector to the Valley Vista Subdivision was discussed by the council. Such a street would run along the south-

ern border of the park allowing for easy auto and bicycle traffic from Valley Vista to the park.

Representatives from The Gus Macker Tournament present at the meeting voiced the possibility of moving their tournament to the new park, with the courts set up on the street along the park's southern border. All discussion

at the meeting was highly speculative, but interesting, as the Macker people announced that this year was their tenth anniversary and the last tournament to be held on city streets. Watch for more details about the 1983 Macker Tournament, and their future plans in next week's Ledger.

Crash fatal to Alto man

An Alto man lost his life early Sunday morning when the car he was driving skidded off the road and struck a tree south of 52nd Street on Alden Nash.

John B. Landis, 31, of 6734 Morse Lake Rd., Alto, was traveling south bound on Alden Nash when his car struck an icy

patch on the pavement and swerved out of control. A Kent County Sheriff's Department spokesman said that Landis was pronounced dead at the scene by medical examiner Eguene Kramer.

Francine Keiser, also of Alto, was a passenger in Landis' car.

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The Ledger's criteria for running obituary notices is to glean from the Grand Rapids Press obituaries that contain deceased persons or relatives of the deceased from Lowell, Ada, Saranac and Alto. Should you know of an obituary that would be of interest to our readers, but is not listed in the Press, please give us a call at 897-9261. There is no charge for obituary notices in the Ledger.

FENSKE - Ewald A Fenske, aged 86, passed away early Wednesday morning. Surviving are his wife, Bernadine; his family, Marilyn J. and Herbert W. Doege of Fraser, MI, Gordon and Charlene Fenske of Grand Rapids; six grandchildren and families, Linda and Laurie Doege of Fraser, Jayne and Randy Orent of Grand Rapids; David and Ann Fenske of Grand Rapids; Marrie and Alan Koopman of Lowell; Daniel and Terri Fenske of Grand Rapids; and six great grandchildren; his brother, William of Grand Rapids; and sister, Mrs. Charles (Ruth) Parsons of Newaygo; several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Friday, Rev. Dennis Ladd of North Park Presbyterian Church, of which he was a member, officiating. Interment Rosedale Memorial Park. He was a life member of Malta Lodge No 465 F.&A.M. Those who wish, please send memorials to the Shrine Crippled Children's Hospital or the Humane Society.

SKUTT - Miss Eleanor R. Skutt, aged 76, of Alto, and retired area School Teacher, passed away Thursday morning, April 14, 1983. She is survived by two brothers, Roger Skutt of Alaska, and Robert H. Skutt of Grand Rapids; and two nieces. In keeping with her wishes, there will be no formal Funeral Services. Interment will be made in the family plot at Greenwood Cemetery. A service by Roetman Funeral Chapel, Caledonia.

NOYES - Gilbert F. Noyes, aged 67 of Roscommon, formerly of Lowell, passed away Thursday, April 14 at Mercy Hospital in Grayling. He is survived by his wife Margie; one sister, Alma Platt of Mason, MI; one son, James E. Nead of Rancho Cucamonga, CA; one daughter, Barbara Caldwell of Fontana, CA and 10 grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Monday, April 18, at Higgins Lake Baptist Church, with Rev. George Taylor presiding. Interment South Boston Cemetery. Noyes was formerly a farmer in the Lowell area and held a life membership in the Lowell Moose Lodge.

HEMINGSEN - Wilma Hemingsen, aged 92, of Lowell, passed away April 16, 1983. She was preceded in death by her husband, Albert Sr. and a son, Albert Jr. Surviving children are Mr. Robert (Norma) Hemingsen, Mr. Alfred (Irene) Hemingsen, Mrs. John (Margaret) McCalliard all of Lowell.

Mr. Donald (Merlene) Hemingsen of Ionia, Mrs. Richard (Doris) Sabar of Chicago, and Mr. Gene Hemingsen of Detroit; 17 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren, and 10 great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Hemingsen belonged to the Vergennes Ladies Club and was a Charter Member of the Blue Star Mothers of Lowell. Funeral services were Tuesday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell, with Rev. Wil-

Lavia's Law of Tennis: A mediocre player will sink to the level of his or her opposition.

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Coming Events . . .

Notice in the Ledger's "Coming Events" are free of charge to any non profit organization in the Lowell, Ada, Alto, and Saranac area. We prefer such notices to be kept brief and to be submitted by mail, but will accept notices by phone at 897-9261.

TUES. AND THURS.: Free Style Wrestling Practice for ages 5-14 from 6:30 to 8:30 P.M. in the high school wrestling room.

WED., APRIL 20: Past Marons of Cyclamin Chapter No. 94 O.E.S. will meet at the Home of Verna Rogers at 1:30 P.M.

APRIL 20 - 24: Lowell Church of the Nazarene host Rev. Robert E. Fortner, Evangelist and Larry and Pat Neff, Song Evangelists at 7:00 P.M. each night. (Public welcome).

APRIL 23: St. Mary's Youth Ministry will sponsor a pancake supper from 4 to 7 P.M. Adults \$3.00 Children under 12 - \$2.00 Children Under 5 free. The money earned will go towards our trip to Cedar Point.

SUN., APRIL 24: Cascade Christian Church in cooperation with the Grand Valley Blood Program will hold a mobile blood drawing from 9:00 A.M. to 1:30 P.M. at the Cascade Christian Church. For further information or to make an appointment to donate call Cascade Christian Church 949-1360.

SAT., APRIL 23: UMC of Lowell bake sale and Rummage sale sponsored by the Senior High Youth begins at noon until 4.

MON., APRIL 25: Arrowhead senior golfers get unwound and loosened up. We will start golfing at 9:00 A.M. All seniors welcome.

TUE., APRIL 26: The Annual meeting of the West Central Michigan Historical society will be held at Schneider Manor, Bowes Road Lowell.

Michigan, at 7:30 P.M. in the meeting room. Speaker will be Mr. Don Palmer, Director Kent County Parks Dept. Mrs. Goldie Clark, sponsor. Refreshments will be served.

THUR., APRIL 28: Bushnell Parent-Teacher Club will meet at 9:30 A.M. in the Bushnell Kiva. The agenda No. 1. Bushnell School policies. No. 2. Millage Elections No. 3. Carnival, May 13. There will be people representing administration, teachers and parents to answer any questions you have.

THUR., APRIL 28: Lasagna Dinner at 5:30 - 8 P.M. including salad, drinks and dessert. \$3.50 Adults, \$1.50 Children under 12 \$10 max. for family. Sponsored by Jr. High Youth Group at Congregational Church of Lowell, 404 N. Hudson.

SAT., APRIL 30: Iokemo District Scout Fest. Tickets are being sold for \$3 for entire family, and \$1 individually.

TUES., MAY 3: Annual Committee Mother Daughter Banquet First United Methodist Church 621 E. Main St Lowell. Turkey Dinner Planned potluck. Will offering Program - Valane Mann - from (Kent Library system) Theme is: Bloom where you are planted. Would like each person to bring a pack of seeds for a needy country. Reservations. Call Carol Zillmer 897-8597 by Tues. April 26.

TUES., MAY 3: The Alton Church Society will hold their annual meeting at 7:30 P.M. at the Alton Church.

APRIL 1983-JULY, 1983: Steak Dinner - Sizzler \$5, T-B \$6 and Rib Eye \$5. From 4-8 P.M. and Dance 8-12? every 3rd Saturday of the month. VFW Post 8303, 307 E. Main St., Lowell, MI.

TOPS MI 372 - Meets each Tuesday at 7 P.M. at the Congregational Church in Lowell. Weigh-ins start at 6:30 to 7, new members welcome.

Sexual assault seminar scheduled

A special seminar to help people develop a sensitivity to sexual assault problems and acquire a sensible perspective on the issue is scheduled for Monday, April 25. The seminar, presented by the Rape Crisis Team, will run from 7 to 10 P.M. at Fountain Street Church.

In addition to sensitivity and perspective, the seminar's goals include helping people face sexual assault more realistically and to become aware that they have control over sexual assault-related matters in their lives.

The first segment of the seminar will feature an overview of

sexual assault, defining the problem, describing related myths and corresponding facts, considering medical and legal aspects, and the services and philosophy of the Rape Crisis Team. The second segment offers a choice between two sessions. One will consider the impact on victims,

couples or families and significant others. This session will also discuss the healing process and prevention. The other option concerns talking with children about sexual assault and helping the child to cope with related problems.

The seminar is open to the public. It will be repeated from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. on Saturday, April 30. For further information call the Rape Crisis Team at 774-3535.

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Girls Scouts need leaders

Lowell and Alto area Girl Scout Leaders are recruiting in the first week of April. We need leaders in the Lowell and Alto Area. The Girl Scouts are growing so fast, we have more and more girls that will be in Scouts, but we don't have the leaders for the girls.

We need the mothers and Grandmothers. You don't have to have a daughter, that is going to be in Girl Scouts to be a leader. Runciman School needs leaders for 1st - 2nd - 3rd grade Brownie 4th grade Junior to start a new 5th grade Junior troop for next year. Bushnell School leader for 1st - 2nd grade Brownies, and co-leader 3rd grade Brownies. To start a second 4th grade Junior troop. Middle

School - to start a new 6th grade Junior, leaders for 7th grade Cadettes and 8th grade Cadettes leaders. Alto School 1st - 2nd grade

Brownie leaders and 4th grade Junior leader.

For more information please contact Michigan Trail Girl Scout Office 949-GIRL.



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APRIL 21: Tony Dommer.
APRIL 22: Mark Wilcox.
APRIL 23: Tom Meisner, Chuck Schram.
APRIL 24: Michael Kropf, Barbara Kropf, Pat Kropf, Gary Golf.
APRIL 25: Chris Hildenbrand.
APRIL 26: Marsha Ray, Casey Brown.

In the Service

Marine Pfc. Roy K. Wright, son of Richard H. and Roslyn M. Wright of 6569 McKendry, Saranac, Mich., has reported for duty with the second Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station New River, Jacksonville, N.C.

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 Oven fried chicken or fish wedges, mashed potatoes or rice and gravy, buttered green beans, biscuits or rolls, jello w/whip or fruit, milk.

THURSDAY
 Tacos w/meat, cheese and lettuce, veggies or salad, cornbread w/syrup, choice of fresh or canned fruits, milk.

FRIDAY
 Grilled cheese or chicken salad sandwiches, later tots and pickles, soup or salad, fruit or jello or pudding, milk.

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

Engagement Told



Dana Marie Bock

A July 3 wedding is being planned by Dana Marie Bock and Brian Richard DeForest. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bock of Rochester, MI. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Persha of Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald DeForest of Lowell.

Dana will graduate from Lowell High School in June, 1983, and is employed part-time at Erb Lumber in Lowell. Brian graduated from Lowell High School in 1982 and is enlisted in the U.S. Army stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, training for a medical career.

The Green Thumb Postulate: The life expectancy of a house plant varies inversely with its price and directly with its ugliness.

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Letters...

This letter is in response to a letter that appeared in the Ledger on April 6. It was written by a Vergennes Township property owner. His letter gave details of what took place when he appealed to have his assessment lowered by the Vergennes Township Board of Review.

Vergennes Township property owners are not alone when it comes to being treated unfairly by their township officials.

At a meeting with the Lowell Township Board of Review we petitioned to have our assessment lowered. At this meeting we were told that our card contained only the square footage of

our house and the amount of property. The card was from 1978. (5 years old).

Our house and property was then compared with another located just down the road from ours. The neighboring house is approximately the same number of years old and contains close to the same number of square feet. The big difference is that the amount of property is twice that which we own, and that the assessment is \$4,500.00 LESS than ours. This means we pay \$193.50 more per year than they do (for less assets).

The Board said they would come out and have a look. Two

and a half weeks later we received by mail, a copy of our petition which had been denied. In a telephone conversation with the Township supervisor we asked why our appeal was denied. We were told that they had looked at our house from the road (because it was raining) and that our house looks about equal to the others around it.

Sitting in a car, 300 feet away from our house (which is the distance our house is from the road) is hardly a fair method to use in assessing the value of someone's house and property. Now we must appeal to the State, because our Board of Review didn't take the time to fairly evaluate our assessment before closing their books for the year.

We urge ALL property owners who feel their assessment was not evaluated fairly to write the State Tax Tribunal, P.O. Box 30232, Lansing, MI 48909. Tell them you want to appeal your Township's denial of your petition. Include your name, address Township and County.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Mull

Dear Editor,
Last Thursday, April 14, a heavy rain fell in our area prior to the beginning of the school day. Many Bushnell students were stranded in the inclement weather as school personnel refused to open the doors for the early arrivals.

As a parent I can only surmise that this denial was based upon two factors. The school day does not begin until 8:45 A.M., even though the buses begin to arrive as early as 8:20. The teachers would be responsible for supervising those who arrive early, and their contract states that they are not required to have contact with students until 8:45. In addition, permission would have to be granted from the school ad-

ministration to make exceptions to policy. The principal was not in that morning, and apparently no one was in charge to make such a decision. The students were eventually allowed in the building, but many sat through morning classes in wet clothing. This problem also occurred last December, except thunder and lightning accompanied the rain.

Perhaps I am old-fashioned, but it appears to me that in certain instances common sense should prevail, and the safety and welfare of our children far transcends any contractual agreements made by two parties. Furthermore, a chain-of-command should be established so someone has authority to make decisions in the absence of the principal. (It appears that the secretary is often, unofficially, let in charge.) While no cases of pneumonia will probably result, our children have witnessed that adults, too, can shirk responsibility by (a) passing the buck, and (b) hiding behind a smoke screen.

At a time when relations are already strained between the community and school officials, one would like to believe that everyone would do their part to help bridge that gap. In a couple months we will again be facing a school millage election, and we tax payers will be subjected to the expressed overriding concern that the school system has for its students. Hopefully, we will have some positive examples from which to believe this declaration.

Sincerely,
Fred Lenger

Dear Editor,
Everyday as I work in the Lowell Veterinary Clinic, I hear stories of great dogs from the mouths of proud owners, yet I secretly feel that our dog, Jake, is the greatest dog of all. His obediently donated blood has saved many canine friends in the Lowell area, including some of your own pups. Jake's devotion to his owner, Ted, aged 5, is unwavering, needed, total.

Would you please publish this letter as an epitaph to Jake so that possibly the sub-human primate who hit him and left him to die by the side of the road will in some measure know the grief and loss that we feel. Our hope is the next victim of his/her carelessness will at least be offered the opportunity of medical care, and that all motorists driving on Vergennes Rd. near Lincoln Lake will slow down. Please realize that children and dogs necessitate careful driving habits. Don't make the last lesson they can ever learn a fatal one.

Thank you,
Valarie Tobias Main

Dear Editor,
Living in Fla. 8 months of the year we just could not be with out your paper.

I am praying for Mrs. Propst. She looks so sad and I would like for her to know "God" listens and I hope she will know that others care and must take care of herself. She must be a wonderful person. We thank you for sharing her sadness in your paper.

Sincerely,
Mrs. John Gerhart



Portland, Oregon was named by the flip of a coin. The losing name was Boston.

HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

...Be of good cheer: it is I: be not afraid (Mark 6:50).

The little bird lifts its throat heavenward. Sweetly and clearly it sends forth its notes of encouragement. "Cheer up! Cheer up!" it sings lustily.

Spring is here again. The trees are sending forth their buds, and the dull, dark earth is coming alive with tiny, green shoots of grass. Winter is over. New life is springing forth. Nature rejoices in the hope of bright, sunny days.

The thought of springtime brings joy to our hearts. The bleak, dark days of the winter months are gone. With notes of the birds, the green carpeted ground, and the fragrance of early flowers, comes a thrill of happiness.

Faith in God gives strength to the needy. There should be no cause for alarm in these turbulent days. God has promised sufficient grace - no matter what the day may bring forth. We have every reason to lift our hearts heavenward and join the little bird in sending forth resounding notes of encouragement. God is still on the throne.

"Cheer up!"
Prayer: O God, my Heavenly Father, Thou art still on the throne. Thou art sufficient for my every need. I have every reason to look up and be of good cheer. Amen.

Faith sees the invisible; faith hears the inaudible; faith touches the intangible.

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MISSIONARY CHURCH 10501 Settlewood Ph. 897-7185 Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Worship Service 11:00 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Prayer and Bible Study: 7:30 P.M. Wednesdays GLENN H. MARKS Foreman Road 897-9110	FRIENDSHIP COUNTRY CHAPEL Ivan Road & MacArthur Sunday Services 10:30 A.M. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 P.M. BOB ROUSH, PASTOR 897-7489	ATTEND SERVICES	
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BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH 3900 East Fulton REV. RAYMOND E. BEFUS Morning Worship 9:50 A.M. (Broadcast 10 A.M. WMAX 1470) Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Service 7:30 P.M.	CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL 1151 West Main Street - 897-8841 REV. RICHARD VANDEKIEFT Worship Service 10 A.M. & 6 P.M. Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Supervised Nursery During All Services	CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF LOWELL 201 North Washington Street REV. WILLIAM F. HURT Church School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Mid-Week Service Jr. Teens, Adults 7:00 P.M. Nursery-Come & Worship With Us	FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (Member United Church of Christ) North Hudson at Spring St., Lowell 897-5906 DR. RICHARD GREENWOOD Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Church School 10:00 A.M. (Cribbery & Nursery Provided)
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cozy corner

By Roger Brown

I've been known to actually get serious in this column on occasion. I guess I'd like to bend your ear a little bit this week too.

As I'm sure most of you know, there will be no Lowell Showboat this summer. This decision was made because of the Showboat's inability to generate enough profits to effectively reduce the corporation's long term debt. The Showboat currently owes some \$45,000, which has been reduced from about \$56,000 that was owed seven years ago. At that pace, the Showboat would have been about thirty years paying off its debts. It was decided that the first step in getting the Showboat turned around would be to cancel the 1983 show and pursue other fund raising projects to clear away this ominous cloud of debt that hangs over our fifty-year-old tradition, and that brings me the Lowell Showboat 1983 Camaro Z-28 Raffle and the WCUZ/Budweiser Showboat Benefit Weekend.

First, to bring you up to date on the raffle. There have currently been about \$6,000 to \$7,000 worth of tickets sold. To break even, the raffle must generate about \$14,000. A huge mailing list comprised of 5,700 out of town people who have attended Showboat in the past was just sent out last week. The mailer included a flyer about the raffle, a letter explaining Showboat's plight and the reasons for running the raffle, a coupon for ordering tickets and a return envelope. Needless to say, we are counting heavily on this mailing to generate some ticket sales. The car was displayed at the Grand Center last weekend at WLAV FM's Rock Bottom Bazaar, and \$880 worth of tickets were sold in two days.

With enthusiastic pushes like these over the next two and one half months to the July 4 drawing date, I can see the raffle going right on past its break even point and raising many thousands of dollars to help reduce Showboat's debt. BUT, its going to take an enormous amount of work, and a handful of Showboat supporters just isn't going to get the job done. Last week's Along Main Street column contained a plea for volunteers to help work the raffle booth last weekend. I received one phone call. Luckily, that call resulted in an ambitious crew that worked two three hour shifts, but one phone call is hardly what I consider overwhelming community support.

WCUZ and Budweiser may be sponsoring the upcoming Showboat benefit on Memorial Day weekend, but they are relying heavily on the community to get behind them and help with the numerous activities that are scheduled for the two day festival. Not only that, the Showboat has free rein over any and all concessions for the weekend. Here is an excellent opportunity for local church and civic groups to come forward with ideas on how they might help Showboat capitalize on the masses that will be in Lowell May 28 and 29. Kevin Reynolds, Public Relations executive from WCUZ estimates that just the softball tournament and Bobby Bare concert could raise as much as \$20,000 for Showboat. It's anybody's guess what an energetic concessions effort could generate along with the softball tournament and concert.

Here are a couple of great opportunities for the citizens of Lowell to come forward and really show their support for the Lowell Showboat. You will be seeing a steady stream of notices in the Ledger about meetings, shows, parades and other such activities concerning these two projects. How about getting involved? I'd be willing to bet you'll find your efforts to be both fun and rewarding.

P.S. Don't forget to buy your raffle tickets, they are on sale all over town, and if we ever get some decent weather, you'll start seeing the raffle car displayed at locations like Lipperts, State Savings Bank and Eberhards. If you see the car, you won't be able to resist buying a chance on it...it sure is a beauty.

Keeping Seniors alive through graduation

Warm spring weather and youthful exuberance normally yield a bout of teenage hyperactivity, but officials of the Kent Intermediate School District are concerned that graduating seniors will mix drinking and driving as part of their end-of-school celebrations.

Statistics on teenage drinking support this concern. According to information released by Gateway, a substance abuse prevention education program, an average of 150 young people in the U.S. die each week as a result of alcohol-related accidents. Statistics also show that 49 percent of high schoolers drink in their cars.

To keep Lowell high schoolers -- particularly seniors -- from swelling the list of spring-time casualties, administrators and counselors at the high school are launching a quiet alcohol education campaign in conjunction with efforts by the KISD.

First of all, before the weather

warms up and matters get out of hand, High School Principal Gary Kmpet will address senior government classes, encouraging them to use discretion when venting pent-up energy.

Next, on April 28, State Police Community Relations Officer Gary Knottnerus will show seniors the film "Alcohol and Marijuana -- Teenage Epidemic," and will discuss how the law relates to drinking and driving.

And finally, on May 2-4, high school counselor Bob Van Bejois will present a three-day curriculum called "Youth Drinking and Driving." Students will learn facts about teenage alcohol-related car accidents and acquire skills needed to make socially responsible decisions that will insure a happy, safe, and memorable graduation season.

KISD officials have chosen the theme "Graduate with Pride...Don't Drink and Drive" to promote their efforts to resolve this serious problem.

Wrestling Club News

The Lowell Athletic Boosters Club hosted a Freestyle Wrestling tournament Saturday with 300 youngsters participating. Once again the Lowell Freestyle Club gained their share of the top four finishers spots. First place: Marty Barker, Dale Ensign, Dan Grezyck, Al Heintzleman, Jeff Hoffman, Jimmy Inman, Brett Kirby, Glen Rozich and Scott Swanson.

Second place: Mike Foss, Michael Heintzleman, Phillip Heintzleman, Jeff Kidder, Mike Rivers, Art Ward and Ryan Winchel.

Third place: Brian Adams, Charles Barker, Eddie Falk, Tony Stepek, Aaron Wester and Jake Verspoor.

Fourth place: Mike Barnes, Scott Nagy, Shawn Smith and Paul Wilcox. Wrestling at Cedar Springs on Friday night were Daron and Dale Ensign, Daron bringing home a first place and Dale a second. Mike Foss wrestled at Ferris on Friday night and finished first, with Kyle Gildea finishing second at Delton on Saturday.

The season is winding down with the Lowell Freestyle Club hosting Districts on Saturday and on to Regionals and State Finals.

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Pacific Intercultural Exchange is seeking home for foreign student

The Pacific Intercultural Exchange (PIE) is seeking Lowell area families interested in hosting a foreign exchange student in their homes for the coming school year.

Beth Uhen, area representative for PIE, said that many people are under the impression that host families must be wealthy, have a spare bedroom, and have teenage children.

None of the above are true. Uhen said that PIE is chiefly concerned that host families be willing to share their lives and culture with young foreign students. Uhen has herself hosted a

number of exchange students in her home which she frankly calls a "zoo." Students have loved the family atmosphere. In the past PIE has placed students in large, small, and single

parent families. Host families are responsible only to provide three meals a day and a warm welcome. Exchange students have their own spending money, medical insurance, and clothing.

Before being accepted into the program, all students with PIE are screened for their ability to speak English, maintain good academic standing, and get along with their peers.

Host families are similarly screened to assure students of an enjoyable year in the U.S. In connection with the search for host families, PIE is hoping to place a Mexican student in the Lowell area.

Ignacio, 15, has requested that he be placed in a small town with a couple with children. Ignacio enjoys sports - particularly swimming, basketball, and tennis. He has a younger brother and sister, and, in addition to taking care of his mother's car, working in the garden, and preparing occasional meals, he is sometimes responsible for babysitting his younger siblings.

Besides placing Ignacio for the upcoming school year, Beth Uhen is looking for families to host French exchange students for a six-week program beginning in July.

Families looking for more information about the PIE should contact Beth Uhen at 897-8238 or call the Grand Rapids regional office at 949-4161.

Legal Notices . . .

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER

File No: 83-48876-DM DEBRA J. RAPHAEL, Plaintiff, vs. CARL L. RAPHAEL, Defendant. At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan on this 15 day of March, 1983.

Present: The Honorable GEORGE V. BOUCHER Circuit Court Judge

On the 21st day of January, 1983, an action for divorce was filed by the above-named Plaintiff against you the above-named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 211 Barnett NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503 shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 16th day of June, 1983.

FAILURE to comply with this Order shall result in a judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed in this cause.

George V. Boucher Circuit Court Judge

Entered, Countersigned, and examined by: Early M. Lyons Deputy Clerk

Attest: A True Copy Dorothy DeWitt, Deputy County Clerk C23-24-25-26

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT ORDER OF PUBLICATION Case No: 83-49214-DM

SANTOS RODRIGUEZ, Plaintiff, vs. CARMEN RODRIGUEZ, Defendant. At a session of said Court held in the Circuit Courtrooms in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 29 day of March, 1983.

Present: HONORABLE GEORGE R. COOK Circuit Judge

In This cause an action was filed on the 10th day of March, 1983, by Santos Rodriguez, through his Attorney David A. Neff, against Carmen Rodriguez, Defendant, for an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

IT IS ORDERED that the Defendant, Carmen Rodriguez, answer to take such action as may be permitted by law on or before the 7 day of June, 1983.

Failure to comply with this Order will result in a default judgment against the Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

George R. Cook Circuit Judge

Entered, Countersigned, and examined by: Sandra Czewski Deputy County Clerk

Attest: A True Copy C22-23-24-25

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT ORDER OF PUBLICATION Case No: 83-49287-DM

DONNA J. LAUGHLIN, Plaintiff, vs. TERRY K. LAUGHLIN, Defendant. At a session of said Court held in the Circuit Courtrooms in the Hall of Justice, City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, State of Michigan, on this 24 day of March, 1983.

Present: HONORABLE ROBERT A BENSON Circuit Judge

In This cause an action was filed on the 21st day of March, 1983, by Donna J. Laughlin, Plaintiff, against Terry K. Laughlin, Defendant, for an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

IT IS ORDERED that the Defendant, Terry K. Laughlin, answer to take such action as may be permitted by law on or before the 24 day of June, 1983.

Failure to comply with this Order will result in a default judgment against the Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Robert A Benson Circuit Judge

Entered, Countersigned, and examined by me: Early M. Lyons Deputy Clerk

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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT KENT COUNTY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING FILE NO. 138,815

Estate of BYRON C. WEEKS, Deceased. Social Security No. 378-05-1666; Date of Death, Feb. 28, 1983; Address: 120 Brenda, Lowell, MI 49331.

TAKE NOTICE: On Monday, May 2, 1983, at 10:00 A.M. in the probate courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before Hon. DONALD J. DE YOUNG, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Clifford Bradley Beckett to change his name to Clifford Bradley Jack Beckett.

April 13, 1983 Clifford Bradley Beckett 420 Cheshire Drive N.E. Grand Rapids, MI, 49505 (616) 361-9109 C24

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: Tanny Liskun Hearing: May 10, 1983 at 3:00 p.m. Petitioner: Dennis Hoek Dated: April 13, 1983

JOHN P. STEETEE JUDGE OF PROBATE

Publication in the Grand Valley Ledger at least one week prior to the hearing date is ordered. Herbert Elzinga Petitioner 414 E. Main St. Lowell, MI 49331 (616) 897-9277 (Bus) C24

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF MONTCALM ORDER OF PUBLICATION

CARL JONES, Plaintiff, vs. PAMELA SUE JONES, Defendant. At a session of said Court held in the Circuit Courtrooms in the City of Ionia, County of Montcalm, State of Michigan, on this 30 day of March, 1983.

Present: HONORABLE JAMES E. BANKS Circuit Judge

In This cause an action was filed on the 15th day of March, 1983, by Carl Jones, Plaintiff, against Pamela Sue Jones, Defendant, for an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

IT IS ORDERED that the Defendant, Pamela Sue Jones, answer to take such action as may be permitted by law on or before the 1st day of June, 1983.

Failure to comply with this Order will result in a default judgment against the Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

James E. Banks Circuit Judge

Entered, Attest: A True Copy C22-23-24-25

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

In the matter of CLIFFORD BRADLEY BECKETT Chg. of Name. TAKE NOTICE: On May 3, 1983 at 9:00 A.M., in the probate courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before Hon. DONALD J. DE YOUNG Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Clifford Bradley Beckett to change his name to Clifford Bradley Jack Beckett.

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SOLICITATION OF BIDS The Kent County Purchasing Department is soliciting bids for the item(s) listed below. Detailed specifications are available at the Purchasing Office, Room 222, 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 its best interests.

Bid For: Renovation of Cedar Springs Community Building. To be received by Thurs., April 28, 1983 at 10:00 a.m.

Bid For: Building of Car Rental Office at the Airport. To be received by Monday, April 25, 1983 at 10:00 a.m.

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Carol L. Wells Lowell Township Clerk 897-7600 C24

Vergennes Township NOTICE

PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

The Vergennes Township Planning Commission will meet to:

(a) Consider a request to use a parcel of land on Vergennes Ave. for the disposal of solid septic waste.

(b) To Review an 80 acre parcel that will be subdivided on:

APRIL 26, 1983

at 7 P.M. at the Vergennes Township Hall.

The Zoning Board of Appeals will meet to consider the following:

1) The placement of a sign for Arrowhead Golf Course.

2) Construction on a lot near Murray Lake with less than the minimum front footage.

3) Conversion and use of used mobile homes for live stock or farrowing houses.

4) A temporary mobile home permit on Murray Lake Ave.

The Zoning Board of Appeals will meet on April 26, 1983 at 8 P.M. at the Vergennes Township Hall. Corner of Bailey and Parnell. Roger A. Odell Chairman

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76 West Michigan Journal
77 Masterpiece Theatre: 'Private Schulz' When Schulz is parachuted into England, he's spotted as an imposter. (60 min.) [Closed Captioned]
78 Ovation Today's programs are 'The Fifth Estate Fire for Hire' and 'The Singer and the Dancer' (2 hrs.)
79 MOVIE: 'Stagecoach Days' In the old west, the stagecoach was the only means of travel. Jack Lu-

- den, Eleanor Stewart. 1938
80 News Update
81 News in Review
82 Pro Bowlers Tour
83 Magic of Oil Painting
84 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Wonder of It All' Rare animals from every continent are filmed in this documentary. Rated G.
85 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Silent Movie' A has-been movie director tries to save a studio owner. Mel Brooks, Marty Feldman, Dom DeLuise. 1976. Rated PG.
86 Style With Elsa Klensch
87 Split Enz
88 Hardy Boys/Nancy Drew
89 Adams Tournament of Champions Golf
90 Six-Gun Heroes
91 Auction
92 MOVIE: 'The Man From the Alamo' The sole survivor of the Alamo discovers that American renegades dressed as Mexicans were responsible for the massacre. Glenn Ford, Julie Adams, Victor Jory. 1953.
93 Wyatt Earp
94 Caesar's Palace Tennis Classic: Semifinals
95 News Update
96 Sports
97 CBS Sports Saturday
98 MONY Tournament of Champions Golf
99 Wagon Train
100 Big Story
101 You Can't Do That on TV
102 CBS Sports Saturday
103 Wide World of Sports
104 Nashville on the Road
105 Supersoccer
106 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Beyond the Reef' A pet tiger shark helps a young man and his sweetheart save some fabid black pearls. Dayton 'Ka'Na. Maren Jensen. Rated PG.
107 (MAX) Making of 'Raiders of the Lost Ark' Time Out Theater Today's program is 'Graham Hill Story'. (60 min.)
108 News/Sports/Weather
109 Against the Odds
110 Pop! Goes the Country Club
111 Motorweek Illustrated
112 Soul Train
113 Newsmakers Saturday
114 Black Beauty

- England Sir Percy Blakeney is a mining fool, while in France he gallantly rescues aristocrats from the bloody guillotine of the Revolution. Leslie Howard, Merle Oberon, Raymond Massey. 1935.
115 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Absence of Malice' A Miami liquor salesman is mistakenly implicated in the death of a local union leader and a reporter becomes an unwitting accomplice in the injustice. Paul Newman, Sally Field, Don Hood. 1981. Rated PG
116 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Sea Wolves' A group of British soldiers attack German ships hiding in supposedly neutral waters. Gregory Peck, Roger Moore, David Niven. Rated PG.
117 Professional Wrestling
118 MOVIE: 'Five Golden Dragons' An American playboy in Hong Kong becomes involved with an international smuggling ring comprising the Five Golden Dragons, whose actual identities have remained a secret, even to each other. Robert Cummings, Margaret Lee, Brian Donley. 1967
119 MOVIE: 'The Log of the Black Pearl' A stockbroker hires a captain to continue his dead grandfather's quest for sunken treasure. Ralph Bellamy, Kiel Martin, Glenn Corbett. 1974.
120 Sports Saturday
121 Glen Campbell Show
122 Arthur C. Clarke's Mysterious World
123 P.M. Magazine
124 Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta
125 Sports Look
126 At The Movies
127 Split Enz
128 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Matilda' A prizefighting kangaroo hops into the life of a theatrical agent. Elliott Gould, Robert Mitchum, Clive Revill. 1978.
129 T.J. Hooker
130 1983 Salute to Rhythm and Blues
131 Different Strokes Arnold and Willis learn that the building they were born in is being torn down. (R) [Closed Captioned]
132 MOVIE: 'The Scarlet Pimpernel' in

- faculty at the school is not exactly the 'most cohesive in the state.'
133 Father Dear Father
134 Fantasy Island A woman becomes an executive and Jesse Moreau struggles to rid himself of a horrible dream. (R) (60 min.) [Closed Captioned]
135 Tom Jones
136 Benny Hill Show
137 Sing out America
138 MOVIE: 'The Snake Pit' The horrors of a mental institution are recalled by a woman who lived through torment. Olivia de Havilland, Mark Stevens, Leo Genn. 1948.
139 Caesar's Palace Tennis Classic: Semifinals
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141 MOVIE: 'Sunday in New York' A girl arrives at her brother's New York apartment and must weigh her standard of morality against her brother's lifestyle. Cliff Robertson, Jane Fonda, Rod Taylor. 1964.
142 America's Top Ten
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145 Money Week
146 Entertainment This Week
147 ABC News
148 Blackwood Brothers
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152 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Confessions from Holiday Camp' A camp counselor gets more than he can handle when he plans a beauty contest. Robin Askwith, Anthony Booth. 1977.
153 Best of 700 Club
154 (HBO) Yesterday Show Yesterday's news becomes today's comedy in this program.
155 (HBO) 'Boy Cont'd'
156 Prog cont'd
157 Sports Update Programming for the next several hours may be altered due to Daylight Savings Time.
158 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Evilspale' A cadet is the unwilling object of practical jokes until black magic and computers combine for revenge. Clint Howard. Rated R. (This movie will air at 3:15am EDT; 1:15am MDT and 12:15am PST.)
159 ESPN SportsCenter
160 News/Sports/Weather
161 Pinwheel
162 What's Nu?
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164 Oral Roberts
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175 Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
176 Sesame Street
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183 Jim Bakker
184 Larry Jones Ministry
185 Catholic Mass
186 Jerry Falwell
187 Big Blue Marble

- 188 Tush!
189 Evans and Novak
190 Great Paintings
191 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Hardcore' A man discovers that his runaway daughter is involved in pornographic films. George C. Scott, Peter Boyle, Season Hubley. 1978. Rated R.
192 Twilight Zone
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SATURDAY CONT.

- 12:30 Albert Show
12:35 America's Top Ten
12:40 Flash Gordon
12:45 Spectrum
12:50 You and the Law
12:55 Market to Market
13:00 America's Bandstand
13:05 Wild Bill Hickok
13:10 Washington Dialogue
13:15 Standby... Lights! Camerai Action!
13:20 Outdoor Life
13:25 American Video Awards
13:30 Blackstar
13:35 Eighty-Three
13:40 This Week in Baseball
13:45 This Old House
13:50 Magic of Oil Painting
13:55 MOVIE: 'For Your Eyes Only' Agent James Bond tracks an underworld figure who has stolen a crucial British defense mechanism. Roger Moore, Topol, Carole Bouquet. 1981. Rated PG.
14:00 MOVIE: 'Tycoon' A young American railroad builder finds action and romance in Latin America. John Wayne, Laraine Day, Sir Cedric Hardwicke. 1947.
14:05 MOVIE: 'Yaqui Drums' A Mexican bandit, arrested while holding up a stagecoach, joins a rancher in his fight against a saloon owner. Rod Cameron, J. Carroll Naish, Mary Castle. 1957.
14:10 Great Sports Legends
14:15 News/Sports/Weather
14:20 Tiger Pregame
14:25 Road to Los

SUNDAY

SUNDAY 4/24/83

- 6:00 Sports Review
6:30 Agriculture U.S.A.
6:45 Money Week
6:55 (MAX) Making of 'Raiders of the Lost Ark' (This program will air at 1:45 PDT.)
7:00 Captain Kangaroo
7:15 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Excalibur' The sorcerer Merlin helps young Arthur gain England's two greatest treasures, the enchanted sword Excalibur and the beautiful Guinevere. Nicol Williamson, Nigel Terry, Helen Mirren. 1981. Rated PG.
7:30 Week in Review
7:45 John Wesley White
7:55 Dennis the Menace
8:00 News Update
8:15 Daaf Hear
8:30 Groovy Ghoules
8:45 Style With Elsa Klensch
8:55 Sacred Heart
9:00 Captain Kangaroo
9:15 Herald of Truth
9:30 Ernest Angley
9:45 This is the Life
9:55 Rural Route 10
10:05 Ken Copeland
10:15 Understating Human Behav.
10:25 (HBO) Fraggles Rock Visit the world of Fraggles Rock underneath the basement of an eccentric inventor.
10:30 World Tomorrow
10:35 (HBO) Rock: Shenna Easton in Concert Shenna performs her big hits videotaped at Hollywood's Palace Theatre.
10:40 MOVIE: 'The Magnificent Seven' A gunfighter recruits six tough guys to defend a group of Mexican peasants from bandits. Yul Brynner, Eli

- Wallach, Steve McQueen. 1960.
10:45 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Dr. Zhivago' A young couple's fate is determined by the tides of the Russian Revolution. Omar Sharif, Julie Christie, Geraldine Chaplin. 1965. Rated PG.
10:50 Larry Jones Ministry
10:55 Newsmaker Sunday
11:00 Dick Van Dyke
11:05 From the Editor's Desk
11:10 Day of Discovery
11:15 Victory Garden
11:20 Jerry Falwell
11:25 Southwest Championship Wrestling
11:30 Jimmy Swaggart
11:35 Rawhide
11:40 News Update
11:45 Kids Writes
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12:45 The Tomorrow People
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13:00 Challenge Match Fishing
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13:10 Bowling
13:15 Creativity w/ Bill Moyers
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13:35 Scholastic Sports
13:40 Dr. James Kennedy Religion
13:45 Cisco Kid
13:50 SportsCenter Plus
13:55 News/Sports/Weather
14:00 You Can't Do That on TV
14:05 Virgil Ward's

- 14:10 Jack Van Impe
14:15 Meet The Press
14:20 MOVIE: 'Gossip Columnist' A writer arrives in Hollywood with hopes of becoming a political journalist and instead becomes a gossip columnist. Kim Cattrall, Robert Vaughn. 1980.
14:25 Freedom to Speak
14:30 Understating Human Behav.
14:35 Greatest Sports Legends Today's program features Duke Snyder.
14:40 Lone Ranger
14:45 International Surfing
14:50 Crossfire
14:55 Reggie Jackson's World of Sports
15:00 NBA Playoffs: Teams to be Announced
15:05 MOVIE: 'High Noon' A small town marshal must face a killer who he sent to prison five years earlier. Gary Cooper, Grace Kelly, Otto Kruger. 1952.
15:10 Second Look

Bank Critics "Looking For a Scapegoat"

It's not banks' fault if interest rates are high and poor countries are in trouble, says the head of the nation's second-largest financial institution as he defends the industry's record.

Q Mr. Armacost, why are bankers taking so much heat from President Reagan, members of Congress and the public?
A The glib answer is it seems to be a popular sport. Beyond that, you probably have an age-old preoccupation that banks have necessarily never been society's favorite institutions. People say they only go to a bank when they have to. We think in our institution we've changed a lot of those attitudes by changing the way we operate. But you can find turgid quotes down through the ages about bankers.
In the debate over withholding of taxes on interest and dividends, the real issue—whether using banks and other institutions as tax collectors will solve the problem of tax evasion and avoidance—is being deflected by attacks on bankers. This is a natural result of a tendency in our society to "find the rascal," find somebody to blame. In the case of politicians, it's very easy for the minds of the public to seize upon the simple accusations and assume, because of the sources, that they are therefore true.
Q Is withholding really a problem for a big bank like yours?
A It's not really a big-bank problem in the sense of either technical feasibility or cost. For us, it is a very expensive process. It may cost us 8 to 10 million dollars to put the system in place and another seven-figure number every year thereafter to operate it. We're good sports, so we'll get the job done. But I've got to tell you that thousands of our smaller competitors are scratching their heads wondering how they're ever going to comply.
More fundamental, though, we haven't seen the big cost yet—thousands of customers coming into our lobbies once we start withholding, asking for explanations, expressing frustration and anger at not being able to reconcile statements or having to file for exemptions, blaming the tax collector, which in our case is us.
Q Many people believe that banks could bring interest rates down faster. Is that feeling justified?
A Only in part. Banks are the focal point because people assume we control markets and set levels of interest rates, but we don't. Why rates are where they are is complex and difficult to understand. It has to do with government policy, the size of deficits, investor psychology and supply-and-demand factors in credit markets. For government officials, the simple thing, again, is to say to bankers: "Lower interest rates." If it were left to me, I would lower interest rates tomorrow, because my own firm and shareholders would make much more money. It's hard to justify the claim that banks benefit from high interest rates. In fact, they don't.
Q Why not?
A Bankers make money on the spread—the difference between the cost of money they borrow and the rate at which they lend it out. We have a lot of outstanding loans made when rates were lower. Those rates remain fixed, even though higher interest rates mean that we are paying a lot more

deposits. A year ago, we were paying depositors 14 1/2 percent to finance the 6 or 7 percent loans on our books.

Q Banks are accused of paying very low federal taxes—only 23 percent of their income in 1981, according to a Senate committee study. Is that accurate?

A No. Remember, that 23 percent figure came from a limited study, which was intended to rouse public opinion against bankers as a quid pro quo retaliation against their opposition to withholding of interest income. That figure is for U.S. taxes on U.S. income and not on global income.

The study conveniently left out the effective cost of non-interest-bearing deposits banks must keep at the Federal Reserve System—a 150-million-dollar cost in the case of our bank. The U.S. Treasury trades reserve earnings as a direct cash reduction of the budget deficit, so we view them as taxes. Also, tax exemption to financial institutions for investing in tax-exempt municipal bonds was intended to lower the borrowing costs of local governments.

When you add all of these factors together, you will find most banks have a much higher effective tax rate than publicized and one that is not out of line at all with the general corporate rate of 46 percent.

Q Why have there been so many bank failures and loan problems during the past year? Is it partly due to poor management?
A You have to answer that on a case-by-case basis. Certainly at Penn Square and the banks that got involved in that bank's loan problems, management is the issue. However, in looking at the industry as a whole, loan write-offs reflect what's going on among customers. The quiet tragedy of the last three years of grinding no growth, high inflation and volatility in financial markets is the closure of thousands of businesses. The bankruptcy rate is up over fivefold.

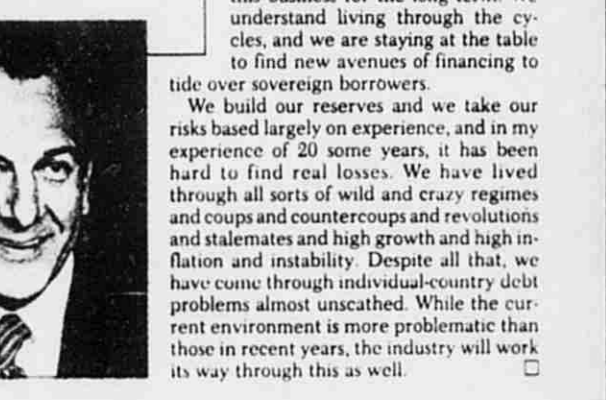
Q Have U.S. banks been irresponsible in making big loans to poor nations, as is charged?
A No. People who claim banks are irresponsible knaves running through the world throwing cash around to see what institution is going to have the biggest debt are looking for a scapegoat. Most of these debt problems are liquidity problems brought on by stagnation in the global economy. It reflects the overabundant use of short-term credit in a world that needs access to long-term capital resources to finance the adjustment process. Then, too, there are more protective devices built in the sovereign-credit equation than there are

in loans to firms or individual households. That's clearly reflected in our actual write-off experience over any historical time period.

Q Are bank lending less abroad?
A That most certainly has already happened. However, the long-term players—banks like our own—are in this business for the long term. We understand living through the cycles, and we are staying at the table to find new avenues of financing to tide over sovereign borrowers.

We build our reserves and we take our risks based largely on experience, and in my experience of 20 some years, it has been hard to find real losses. We have lived through all sorts of wild and crazy regimes and coups and countercoups and revolutions and stalemates and high growth and high inflation and instability. Despite all that, we have come through individual-country debt problems almost unscathed. While the current environment is more problematic than those in recent years, the industry will work its way through this as well.

Interview With Samuel Armacost, President of Bank of America

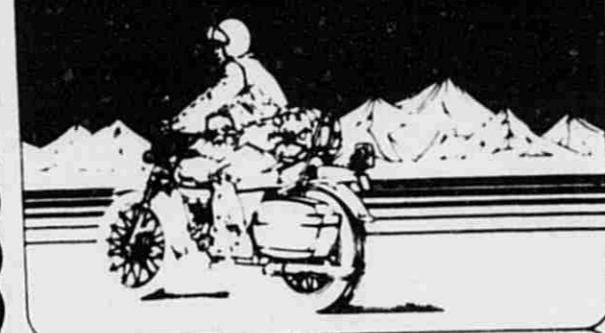


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SUNDAY CONT.

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12:30 Sports America
MOVIE: 'Silent Enemy' Navy frogmen must stop the Italians from attaching mines to British ships during World War II.

- Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta
12:30 (MAX) 30 is a Dangerous Age, Cynthia
Beyond the Horizon
Lead Off Man
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Major League Baseball: San Francisco at Chicago Cubs
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MOVIE: 'Escape From Zahrain'

- 2:15 Sing out America
Twilight Zone
Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City, NJ
News/Sports/Weather
4:17 USFL Football: Teams to be Announced
Grizzly Adams
Wall Street Week
Louis Rukeyser analyzes the '80s with a weekly review of economic and investment matters.

- 4:45 (MAX) MOVIE: 'J.D. and the Salt Flat Kid' Two Texas ranchers head for Nashville to pursue singing careers.
5:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Life and Assassination of the Kingfish' Drama about Louisiana's legendary Depression-era governor and U.S. senator Huey P. Long.

- 5:30 (MAX) MOVIE: 'McLintock!' A tough cattle baron meets his match in a strong-willed woman.
6:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Salamander' An intelligence officer and an industrialist thwart a fascist coup d'etat in Italy.

- 6:30 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Norriss Tapes' A writer investigating the supernatural disappears, leaving behind taped notes.
7:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Prairie' The question arises as to whether sons of feuding neighbors were switched at birth.

- 7:30 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Plainsman' Wild Bill Hickok, Buffalo Bill and Calamity Jane foil Indians and gunrunners.
8:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Lies My Father Told Me' A boy's peddler grandfather wins his heart with magical tales.

- 8:30 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Cardinal' A soldier commits a murder and implicates the Cardinal's brother.
9:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Valley of Mystery' Passengers and crew are pitted against jungle perils.

- 9:30 (MAX) MOVIE: 'The Barkleys of Broadway' A popular pair of Broadway performers break up through quarreling only to find out how much they need each other.
10:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Love at First Bite' A vampire visits the big city in this lighthearted spoof.

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7:00AM (MAX) - 'Who Has Seen the Wind?'
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9:00AM (MAX) - 'J.D. and the Salt Flat Kid'
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DAYTIME

Monday Through Friday Daytime Network Programming is Listed Here, Refer To This List Throughout The Week...

- MORNING 5:00 Varied Programs
5:30 Varied Programs
6:00 Morning Stretch
6:30 CBS Early Morning News
6:45 News
7:00 CBS Morning News
7:30 PTL Club
7:45 Today
8:00 Today
8:30 SuperStation Fun-time
8:45 Live & Well
9:00 Movie
9:30 Top/Morning
9:45 Business Times on ESPN
10:00 Varied Programs
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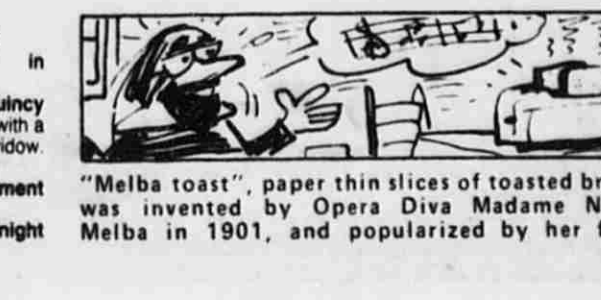
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THURSDAY 4/28/83
MORNING
5:30 (MAX) AFI Showcase
6:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Who Has Seen the Wind?'
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8:00AM (MAX) - 'Mirror, Mirror'
8:30AM (MAX) - 'Wolf Larsen'
9:00AM (MAX) - 'Lifeboat'
10:00AM (MAX) - 'Z'



THIS WEEK'S SPORTS AT A GLANCE . . .

FRIDAY
4/22/83

5:00AM **24** — College Basketball: Aloha Classic
 8:00AM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 9:00AM **25** — ESPN's Sportsforum
 9:30AM **25** — Inside the USFL
 10:00AM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 11:00AM **25** — Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV
 1:30PM **25** — Inside the USFL
 2:00PM **25** — World Championship Tennis: Spring Final from Hilton Head, SC - Championship Match
 2:15PM **25** — Major League Baseball: San Francisco at Chicago Cubs
 5:00PM **25** — PKA Full Contact Karate
 6:00PM **25** — Pony's People in Sports
 6:30PM **25** — McDon. Teen SportsScene
 7:00PM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 7:15PM **25** — NBA Tonight
 7:30PM **17** — Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta
24 — Sports Probe
25 — NBA Basketball: 1983 Opening Round Playoff Game
 8:00PM **24** — NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs
 10:00PM **25** — 2nd Annual Legendary Pocket Billiard Stars
 11:00PM **24** — Night Flight
25 — ESPN SportsCenter
 11:30PM **3** **3** **6** **6** — NBA Basketball: Western Conference Playoffs
 12:00AM **25** — Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV
 2:30AM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 3:00AM **24** — Night Flight
 3:30AM **25** — NBA Basketball: 1983 Opening Round Playoff Game

SATURDAY
4/23/83

6:00AM **25** — ESPN's Sportsforum
 6:30AM **25** — 2nd Annual Legendary Pocket Billiard Stars
 7:00AM **24** — Sports Look
 7:30AM **24** — Sports Probe
25 — ESPN Outdoors
 8:00AM **24** — Scholastic Sports Acad.
25 — ESPN SportsCenter
 9:00AM **19** [HBO] — Women's Gymnastics 1983 Caesars Palace Invitational
25 — NCAA Instruct Ional Series
 9:15AM **25** — Vic's Vacant Lot
 9:45AM **25** — NCAA Instruct Ional Series
 10:00AM **25** — McDon. Teen SportsScene
 10:30AM **25** — F. A. Soccer: Road to Wembley
 11:30AM **25** — Play Your Best Golf
 12:00PM **25** — McDonald's High School All-American Basketball Game from Atlanta, GA
 1:30PM **8** **8** — Major League Baseball: Teams to be Announced
 1:45PM **3** **3** **10** **10** — Major League Baseball: Seattle at Detroit
 2:00PM **24** — Scholastic Sports Acad.
25 — PKA Full Contact Karate
 2:15PM **25** — Major League Baseball: San Francisco at Chicago Cubs
 2:30PM **5** **8** — United Airlines Tournament of Champions Tennis
 3:30PM **4** **4** **13** **13** — Pro Bowlers Tour
 4:00PM **8** **8** — Adams Tournament of Champions Golf
25 — Caesar's Palace Tennis Classic: Semifinals
 4:30PM **6** **6** — CBS Sports Saturday
10 **10** — MONY Tournament of Champions Golf
 5:00PM **3** **3** — CBS Sports Saturday JIP
4 **4** **13** **13** — Wide World of Sports
 6:00PM **17** — World Championship Wrestling
 6:30PM **19** [HBO] — Women's Gymnastics 1983 Caesars Palace Invitational
 7:00PM **24** — Sports Probe
25 — ESPN SportsCenter
 7:30PM **17** — Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta
24 — Sports Look
24 — Professional Wrestling
25 — USFL Football: Los Angeles at Michigan
 11:00PM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 11:30PM **17** — K.I.C.K World Championship Kickboxing
 12:00AM **25** — Caesar's Palace Tennis Classic: Semifinals
 2:30AM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter

SUNDAY
4/24/83

6:30AM **25** — Polo: U.S.P.A. Rolex Gold Cup
 7:30AM **25** — McDon. Teen SportsScene
 8:00AM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 9:00AM **25** — Caesar's Palace Tennis Classic: Semifinals

11:00AM **24** — Southwest Championship Wrestling
 11:30AM **25** — Fishin' Hole
 12:00PM **17** — Challenge Match Fishing
8 **8** — Bowling
24 — Scholastic Sports Acad.
25 — SportsCenter Plus
 12:30PM **25** — International Surfing
 1:00PM **3** **3** **6** **6** — NBA Playoffs: Teams to be Announced
12 **23** — Sports America
25 — Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City, NJ
 1:30PM **4** **4** — USFL Football: Teams to be Announced
17 — Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta
 2:15PM **25** — Major League Baseball: San Francisco at Chicago Cubs
 2:30PM **8** **8** **10** **10** — MONY Tournament of Champions Golf
 3:30PM **3** **3** **6** **6** — NBA Playoffs: Teams to be Announced
 4:00PM **25** — Caesar's Palace Tennis Classic: Final
 4:30PM **8** **8** **10** **10** — SportsWorld
 4:45PM **4** **4** — Wide World of Sports
 6:30PM **24** — Colgate Women's Games
 7:00PM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 7:30PM **24** — Sports Probe
 8:00PM **24** — NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs
25 — Thoroughbred Racing Spcl.
 8:30PM **25** — ESPN Special: Top Rank Boxing Winter Highlights
 11:00PM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 12:00AM **25** — USFL Football: Los Angeles at Michigan
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 5:00PM **25** — Thoroughbred Racing Spcl.
 5:30PM **25** — Australian Rules Football
 7:00PM **25** — ESPN's Inside Baseball
 7:30PM **24** — Sports Look
25 — ESPN SportsCenter
 8:00PM **24** — Men's Gymnastics: UCLA at Nebraska
25 — ESPN Special: 1983 NFL Draft Preview
 9:00PM **25** — USFL Football: New Jersey at Chicago
 10:00PM **24** — Sports Probe
 10:30PM **24** — NHL Journal
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 4:30AM **24** — NHL Journal

TUESDAY
4/26/83

5:30AM **25** — ESPN's Inside Baseball
 8:00AM **25** — ESPN SportsCenter
 8:30AM **25** — ESPN Special: 1983 NFL Draft Preview
 9:30AM **25** — ESPN Special: 1983 National Football Draft from New York, NY
 2:15PM **25** — Major League Baseball: San Diego at Chicago Cubs
 6:00PM **25** — ESPN's Sportsforum
 6:30PM **25** — This Week in the NBA
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Lowell Troop 102 to host Scout Fest April 30-31

The annual Scout Fest of the Iokema District, West Michigan Shores Council of Boy Scouts will be hosted here April 30-31 by Lowell Troop 102. Weekend activities will start with a huge parade starting at Bushnell School down Hudson and Main St. to Monroe St. and Riverside School at 10:30 A.M.

Grand Marshall for the 30 unit parade will be Gerald Perry of Ionia who is being honored for his 45 years in Scouting as a Scout Master and in various other capacities.

In addition to Boy Scouts, Webelos, Cub Scouts and Tiger Cubs from West Michigan, the Lowell High School and Middle School bands will be participating. There will be units from the National Guard, the State Police at Rockford, the Kent Co. Sheriff Dept., Lowell Police and Area Fire and Rescue Units.

Also represented will be the Grand Rapids Saladin Shrine, Lowell Showboat Calliope and their Showboat Raffle Camaro Z-28, the local Gus Macker-

Tournament officials, and both Lowell and Casnovia VFW Posts. Of special interest are the Cedar Springs Red Flannel Queen Linda Hunt and the National Campers and Hikers Teen Queen Shannon Westra of Kentwood. From Howard City, the Conservation Club will field their Black Powder Unit who will demonstrate their musket skills after the parade. Local businesses and industry will have units in the parade. Members of the City Council will be on hand to welcome the over 1,400 Scouts to our city.

Troops will have displays on the grounds of Riverside School all day featuring crafts and the skills they have learned during the past year. The District finals of the Pinewood Derby will be run in the afternoon. The evening Campfire will begin at 8 P.M. in the Riverside Amphitheatre. An interdenominational service will be held Sunday morning at 8:30 A.M. for the Troops by the Lowell Ministerial Association. The public is invited to attend the weekend Fest. Tickets are available from any Scout for \$1 or \$3 per family.

West Michigan cities represented by their Scout Troops are:



Members of the Saladin Shrine Temple will be participating in the parade April 30 at 10:30 A.M. which will kick off the weekend Scout Fest of the Iokema District of the West Michigan Shores Boy Scouts of America. There will be over 30 units in the parade with more than 50 Scout troops representing 23 West Michigan cities.

Minors in possession

The Minors in Possession Diversionary Program (MIP) at LHS received a shot in the arm Friday as a result of a donation made by the local chapter of the Knights of Columbus.

MIP is a drug education program sponsored jointly by the Rockford State Police, the Kent County Juvenile Court, and Project Rehab for students found in possession of marijuana or alcohol.

The object of MIP is to give school officials and law enforcement officers an alternative punitive course to take with young people caught using or abusing controlled substances while at the same time making a young person more aware of what he is doing and why.

In return for the successful completion of the MIP program, which involves six three-hour sessions and requires the participation of the student and both his/her parents, school administrators are willing to reduce school suspension time significantly (normally it is 10 days).

Officials at the state police post will also drop all records of marijuana or alcohol possession for the student who finishes the program.

Since the program was instituted in October, eight families from the Lowell area have participated.

In two instances, according to Assistant Principal Dick Korb, families came forward voluntarily, before any entanglement with the school or police.

Cost for participation in MIP is \$65 per family, Korb said, and on a couple of occasions families who have not been able to afford the fee have been helped through

contributions from individuals and civic groups in the community.

The \$130 donation by the Knights of Columbus is the first gift to the MIP at Lowell not prompted by an immediate need. Korb said that the donation was "very much appreciated" by school administrators and staff, and he expressed his gratitude to the Knights of Columbus for their obvious concern for the welfare of LHS students.

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PROCEEDINGS of the Kent County Board of Commissioners April 1983

April 6, 1983
The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.
Called to order by Chairperson Ruth.
Roll called.

Present: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Absent: None.

Chairperson Ruth presented Father Paul Huesing of the Catholic Information Center, who gave the invocation.
Chairperson Ruth pointed out an organization that is going to be successful, whether it be government or industry, depends on the loyalty of its workers, and Kent County has been blessed with many loyal workers. He asked Commissioner Byington, Chairperson of the Board of Health, to make the first presentation.

Commissioner Byington thanked Marie Durand for her 29 years of service. Marie Durand was the original Nutritionist at the Kent County Health Department, and presented to her an Outstanding Service Award.
Ms. Durand stated she had enjoyed her 29 years at the Kent County Health Department and thanked the Commissioners for her plaque.

Commissioner Gainey recognized Mr. Wynyard of the Advance Newspapers for the nice report regarding Ms. Durand's retirement.
Chairperson Ruth made the following presentations to employees of Kent County in recognition of their years of service:

Fins in recognition of 20 years of service to Kent County were awarded to the following:
Frances McGee (Child Haven); Jasmette Haling (Register of Deeds); Alfred Strember (Juvenile Detention); James Porter (Sheriff); Eruvin Agnew (Kent County Hospital); Rita Padgett (Kent County Hospital); Bessie Green (Kent County Hospital); Dora Gill (Kent County Hospital); Hazel Haviland (Kent County Hospital); Earl Walton (Kent County Hospital).

Fins in recognition of 25 years of service to Kent County were awarded to the following:
Grand Shouse (3rd Dist. Court); Howard Hefferan (Juvenile Detention); Robert Hammond (Bureau of Equalization); Gloria Harris (Kent County Hospital); Susanna West (Kent County Hospital); Verna Lindner (Jail); Stanley Wheeler (Sheriff Dept.); Roland Carlson (Sheriff); Phillip Hieffron (Sheriff); William Tendrick (Sheriff); Phillip Hieffron (Sheriff); Patricia Markwardt (Library); Katherine Goedert (Kent County Hospital); Anje Henderson (Kent County Hospital); Dr. W. S. Piskin (Kent County Hospital).

A Watch in recognition of 30 years of service to Kent County was awarded to the following:
Agatha Salvin (Health Department)
Antique Mantel Clock in recognition of 35 years of service to Kent County were awarded to the following:
Roger Venekise (Juvenile Court)
William H. Fitzsimmons (County Clerk)

An Antique Mantel Clock and one extra day of vacation with pay was awarded to Arlene Beute of the Cooperative Extension Service in recognition of 40 years of service to Kent County.
Commissioner Kuhn recognized her Mother-in-Law, Doris Kuhn, from Child Haven.
Chairperson Ruth extended the Board's condolences to Commissioner Poppel in the death of his father-in-law.

Commissioner Poppel recognized the Kent County Health Systems Agency, in its poor health in Osteopathic Hospital and suggested calls or cards.
Chairperson Ruth reported Duane Esling, former Kent County Commissioner, has undergone heart bypass surgery and is in Butterworth Hospital.
Commissioner DeVriendt moved the approval of the minutes of the previous meeting, March 2, 1983, as written and published. Seconded by Commissioner Wahlfeld.

Motion carried unanimously.
A report of the Finance Committee of their meetings of February 25, 1983 through March 29, 1983 was presented. (All have received copies and copies are on file in the Office of the County Clerk.)
Commissioner Dekraeker moved the report be received, concurred in, and filed. Seconded by Commissioner Marsh.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Under Public Comment, Dick Bellows, a Government Relations Manager for Minton Consolidated Gas Company for the western District, voiced the concern of Minton Consolidated Gas Company regarding the escalating natural gas prices to be addressed under Resolution No. 4-83-40, Item 11 on the Agenda. He introduced the Resident Manager from Mt. Pleasant, Harley Shoemaker, who urged the support of the Gehart Bill.
Resolution No. 4-83-48 regarding Revenue Sharing was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER DEKRAEKER
WHEREAS, this Board of Commissioners has heretofore adopted a revenue sharing plan for the years 1972 through 1983, and
WHEREAS, in accordance with said plan, all expenditures must first be approved by this Board of Commissioners, and
WHEREAS, there is attached hereto marked Exhibit A and made a part hereof, the requests for expenditures to be authorized at the April meeting of the Kent County Board of Commissioners.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Controller take such action as may be necessary to properly minute these expenditures for the United States Department of Treasury.
EXHIBIT A

Table with columns: DEPT., ITEM, AMT., FIN. APPROV. DATE. Rows include Sheriff's Radio, P.G.C. Dict. Equip., Reg. of Deeds Typewriters, Clerk's File Cabinet, Fire Prev. Radio Equip., Sheriff's Radio Equip., totaling \$15,982.24.

Commissioner Dekraeker moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Byington.
MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-41 regarding the transfer of \$10,400 from the General Fund Contingent Account to the Probate Court Building Repair and Maintenance Account for air conditioning repair was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BOEREMA
WHEREAS, the air conditioner at the Probate Court Building was extensively damaged because of problems with the electrical power for that building, and
WHEREAS, Phoenix Contractors has provided a price not to exceed \$10,400.00 for the necessary repairs of the air conditioner system, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee recommends a General Fund Contingent Account transfer for this repair.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve a General Fund Contingent Account transfer of \$10,400.00 to the Probate Court Building - Repairs and Maintenance Account.
Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Sietsema.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-47 establishing a reserve in the General Fund in the amount of \$86,597.30 for Family Counseling Services was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER SIETSEMA
WHEREAS, 1980 Public Act 4, effective February 11, 1980, increased the fee for a marriage license from \$5.00 to \$20.00 and also requires the County Board of Commissioners to allocate \$15.00 of each fee collected to the Circuit Court for family counseling services as set forth in 1980 Public Act 16, effective February 14, 1980, and
WHEREAS, pursuant to 1980 Public Act 16, Circuit Court established a family counseling program and contracted with 4 agencies in 1981 to provide family counseling services; these contracts were renewed in 1982 and 1983, and
WHEREAS, funds collected but not expended are to be held in escrow or reserve for the purpose of family counseling per 1980 Act 16, and
WHEREAS, listed below is the actual revenues and disbursements for this activity since its inception in February of 1980.

Table showing Revenues Collected and Disbursements for Counseling Services from 1980 to 1982. Total revenues: \$224,250.00. Total disbursements: \$137,652.70. Overuse/Underuse: \$86,597.30.

WHEREAS, the Controller's Office would like to establish a reserve within the General Fund for the net unused revenues of the family counseling activity, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee recommends the establishment of this reserve.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve the establishment of a reserve in the General Fund in the amount of \$86,597.30 for family counseling services.
Commissioner Sietsema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Marsh.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

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House & Grounds - County Administration Equipment Account be made for replacement draperies for the first floor of the County Administration Building.
Commissioner Somerville moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Blakeslee.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-40, urging Senators and Congressmen to curb the cost of Natural Gas throughout the United States was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER GAINAY
WHEREAS, natural gas prices for heating of homes, businesses and other uses has increased substantially over the past years, and
WHEREAS, the various Public Service Commissions throughout the United States because of interstate costs of gas have increased the rates paid for natural gas, and
WHEREAS, there is an abundant supply of natural gas within the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States should carefully consider the problem and take such action it can in order to curb the costs of rising natural gas prices.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the County Board of Commissioners, on behalf of the citizens of Kent County, hereby encourages the Congress of the United States to take such action as may be necessary to curb the cost of natural gas throughout the United States, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution shall be sent to the Senators and Congressmen from the State of Michigan.

Commissioner Gainay moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Sietsema.
Commissioner DeVriendt moved the following substitute resolution:
RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER DEVIENDT

WHEREAS, the cost of gas has risen over 200 percent in the last six years, and
WHEREAS, many consumers, particularly those on fixed and low incomes, are unable to afford these increased costs, and
WHEREAS, these price increases have come, month after month, in spite of abundant supplies of natural gas and declining demand for them, and
WHEREAS, such price increases are the result of both federal legislation - namely, the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 - and outdated industry practices, and
WHEREAS, a bill, called the Natural Gas Consumer Relief Act, has been introduced in Congress, which would curb unwarranted increases in the cost of gas, and
WHEREAS, that bill would roll ceiling prices on natural gas back to January 1982 levels - or some 15 to 20 percent - and maintain controls on "old" expensive gas, and
WHEREAS, that bill would ban all automatic price escalators and limit take-or-pay contracts between producers and pipelines to 50 percent of obligation, and
WHEREAS, that bill would force gas producers and pipeline companies to renegotiate all high-priced contracts immediately and penalize gas pipeline companies which failed to pay the cheapest natural gas available, therefore,
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kent County Commission support the Natural Gas Consumer Relief Act and urges Congress to do the same, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution be sent to all members of the Michigan Congressional delegation, the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee and the House Energy and Resources Committee, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the various communities in the Kent County Area.

Commissioner Gainay withdrew his resolution as he felt Commissioner DeVriendt's substitute resolution is stronger. Commissioner Sietsema withdrew his second.
After considerable discussion, Commissioner DeVriendt's substitute resolution carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-51, turning over the tax rolls of the various Townships and Cities in Kent County to the Legislative, Judicial and Taxation Committee was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION - LEGISLATIVE, JUDICIAL & TAXATION COMMITTEE
Kent County Board of Commissioners
April 6, 1983
WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners is required to examine the several assessment rolls of the Townships and Cities for County Equalization purposes, therefore be it

RESOLVED That the tax rolls of the Cities of Cedar Rapids, East Grand Rapids, Grand Rapids, Grandville, Kentwood, Lowell, Rockford, Walker and Wyoming and the several Townships be turned over to the Legislative, Judicial and Taxation Committee and that the said tax rolls of the several cities and townships be returned to the assessing officers of those units after the adoption of the 1983 Equalization by the Kent County Board of Commissioners.

Commissioner Lamoreaux moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Sietsema.
MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-52 regarding a Right-of-Way Easement with Consumers Power Company at the Airport was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BOEREMA
WHEREAS, the Aeronautics Board has considered a request for a right-of-way easement with Consumers Power Company and recommends approval, and
WHEREAS, a right-of-way easement of the West 654 feet of the North 365 feet of the Northwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 30, T6N, R10W, and a route to be taken is described in the attached easement (which need not be printed as part of the minutes), and
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners authorize the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners and the Clerk of the Board to execute the right-of-way easement agreement with Consumers Power Company.

Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Somerville.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.
Resolution No. 4-83-54 regarding a transfer of \$17,701 from the General Fund Contingent Account to the West Michigan Health Systems Agency - Contributions - Other Account, was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BOEREMA
WHEREAS, West Michigan Health Systems Agency (WMHSA) has requested an additional four cents per capita from Kent County, and
WHEREAS, Kent County in 1983 has budgeted six cents per capita or \$26,670, and
WHEREAS, the additional request of four cents per capita equals \$17,781, and
WHEREAS, eight counties served by WMHSA have agreed to ten cents per capita with Ottawa and Muskegon yet to decide, and
WHEREAS, in past years, WMHSA has received from ten cents per capita to four cents per capita depending on the amount of Federal funding, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee recommends the additional appropriation of \$17,781 from the General Fund.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve of a General Fund Contingent Account Transfer of \$17,781 to the West Michigan Health Systems Agency Activity - Contributions - Other Account.

Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Wahlfeld.
After considerable discussion, Commissioner Lamoreaux moved to table the item for one month so that further information can be gathered. Seconded by Commissioner Laninga.
Commissioner Lamoreaux's motion to table carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Lorch, Laninga, Gainey, Lamoreaux, Kuhn, Kemper, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Marsh, Byington, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 12.
Nays: Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Sietsema, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Byington, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 9.
Chairperson Ruth referred the West Michigan Health Systems Agency Resolution back to the Finance Committee and requested the Commissioners desiring answers attend the meeting.

Resolution No. 4-83-55, transferring \$24,704 from the General Fund Contingent Account to Accounts within the Correctional Facility for two new Cook II positions was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONERS BLAKESLEE AND MARSH
WHEREAS, the Sheriff is requesting the addition of (2) two Cook II positions for the Correctional Facility at Range 26, 136,062.00, and
WHEREAS, the need is based on keeping resident training and supervision adequate to lessen dependency on convenience type foods, to utilize fresh bulk products such as Government surplus and Honor CAMP Programs in order to eliminate the reliance on emergency only, and to cover vacation and sick time; and to keep nutritionally sound, low cost volume meal production at the lowest cost, and
WHEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee recommends the addition of these two positions, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee has reviewed this request and recommends a General Fund Transfer.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve the addition of (2) two Cook II positions for the Correctional Facility at Range 18, \$13,062.00, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a General Fund Contingent Account transfer of \$24,704.00 be made to the following accounts within the Correctional Facility for the balance of 1983:

Table with columns: Account Name, Amount. Rows include Salaries and Wages (\$18,656.80), FICA (\$115,000), Hospitalization (\$2,400.00), Life Insurance (\$83.00), Pension (\$2,100.70).

WHEREAS, the Buildings, Parks and Transportation Committee and Finance Committee recommend this project, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee recommends the use of Public Improvement Funds,
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve earmarking \$49,000 within the Public Improvement Fund for this project.

Commissioner Kemper moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Laninga.
Commissioner Kuhn moved to amend the resolution, changing the total cost of the project in Paragraph 4 to \$37,000, and eliminating the last portion of paragraph 3 after the word "asphalt", thereby eliminating the reference to the canopy. Seconded by Commissioner Bandstra.

After considerable discussion, Commissioner DeKraeker called for the question. Seconded by Commissioner Wahlfeld.
The call for the question carried.
Commissioner Kuhn's amendment failed by the following vote:
Yeas: Kuhn, Bandstra - 2.
Nays: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 19.

Commissioner Kemper's motion to adopt the original resolution carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 19.
Nays: Kuhn, Bandstra - 2.

Resolution No. 4-83-56 regarding the sale of three parcels of property to the Road Commission for \$4,510 to be used for railroad clear vision corners near the Byron Landfill Operations was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER KEMPER
WHEREAS, the Kent County Road Commission has requested to purchase three (3) parcels of land (See Exhibit A) for the purpose of railroad clear vision corners, and
WHEREAS, the Board of Public Works has reviewed this request and finds that these parcels do not interfere with landfill operations at the Byron Landfill, and
WHEREAS, the Board of Public Works recommends the sale of these three (3) parcels for a total of \$4,510.00, and
WHEREAS, the Buildings, Parks and Transportation Committee recommends approval of the sale of the three (3) parcels.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the sale of the three parcels named (See Exhibit A) for the sum of \$4,510.00 to the Kent County Road Commission for railroad clear vision corners, and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Kent County Board of Commissioners and the Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute said Quit Claim Deed on behalf of the County.

Commissioner Kemper moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioners Laninga and Wahlfeld.
MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-43 regarding approval of a Housing Assistance Plan was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER OPEWAL
WHEREAS, the application process for Kent County's Community Development Entitlement Program involves the formulation of a Housing Assistance Plan (H.A.P.) for the entire Kent County area less the cities of Grand Rapids and Wyoming, and
WHEREAS, the H.A.P. is a document that is required to be approved by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development on an annual basis, and
WHEREAS, the H.A.P. attempts to provide funds for the rehabilitation of owner and renter occupied households, demolition of existing housing, and construction of senior citizens and low/moderate income housing, and
WHEREAS, the H.A.P. was prepared with input from the local communities as to the projected housing activities that may occur within their jurisdictions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners does hereby approve of the Kent County Housing Assistance Plan and authorizes its submission to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Commissioner Oopewal moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Lorch.
MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-50 regarding the addition of a Public Health Nutritionist II and a Public Health Nutritionist I at the Health Department was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONERS PUEPEL AND MARSH
WHEREAS, the Kent County Board of Health, on March 11, 1983, requested the following change:
Addition of - Public Health Nutritionist II, Range 25, \$18,180.00.
Deletion of - Public Health Nutritionist I, Range 23, \$16,473.00.

WHEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee reviewed and approved this request on March 23, 1983, and
WHEREAS, the Health Department requests to upgrade this position to more fully comply with the standards suggested by the Michigan Department of Public Health, and
WHEREAS, this position is functionally a nutrition consultant for the entire community as well as the basic resource for program delivery personnel, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee has reviewed this request and recommends approval.

WHEREAS, funds are available in the Health Department's budget for this change.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kent County Board of Commissioners approve the following change:
Addition of - Public Health Nutritionist II, Range 25, \$18,180.00.
Deletion of - Public Health Nutritionist I, Range 23, \$16,473.00.

Commissioner Puepel moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Marsh.
MOTION CARRIED BY COMMISSIONERS BOEREMA, KEMPER AND SIETSEMA dissenting.
Resolution No. 4-83-45 regarding an Interlocal Agreement to establish the Grand Rapids Area Employment and Training Council II was presented. (All have received copies.)

RESOLUTION BY COMMISSIONER BYINGTON
RESOLUTION 4-83-45
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF THE GRAND RAPIDS AREA EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING COUNCIL II INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

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WHEREAS, the Urban Cooperation Act of 1987, Public Act 1 of 1987, as amended, authorizes governmental units to exercise jointly those powers, privileges and authorities they may exercise separately; and
WHEREAS, the Job Training Partnership Act, P.L. 97-300, was established to prepare youth and unskilled adults for entry into the labor force and to afford job training to those economically disadvantaged individuals and other individuals facing serious barriers to employment who are in need of such services; and

WHEREAS, the Job Training Partnership Act, authorizes the formation of a consortium of units of general local government to be a Service Delivery Area (SDA) for the purpose of obtaining funds and operating programs under the Act; and
WHEREAS, the County of Kent desires to become a member of a SDA consortium created for the purpose of implementing the Job Training Partnership Act, and any successor legislation to the Act, and any additional local, state or federal legislation adopted to achieve purposes related to those of the Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Chairperson of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Kent is hereby authorized to execute the attached Grand Rapids Area Employment and Training Council II Interlocal Agreement for and on behalf of the County of Kent.
Commissioner Byington moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Puepel.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

Resolution No. 4-83-52 regarding authorization of a feasibility report for a proposed Dakfield Township Sewage Disposal System in the area of Scran Lake was presented. (All have received copies, and copies are on file in the Office of the County Clerk.)
Commissioner Byington moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioners Blakeslee and Martin But.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Martin, Lorch, DeKraeker, Laninga, Gainey, Sietsema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Somerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 21.
Nays: None.

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Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Somerville.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.
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Commissioner Boerema moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Wahlfeld.
After considerable discussion, Commissioner Lamoreaux moved to table the item for one month so that further information can be gathered. Seconded by Commissioner Laninga.
Commissioner Lamoreaux's motion to table carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Wahlfeld, Lorch, Laninga, Gainey, Lamoreaux, Kuhn, Kemper, Vaughn, Poppel, Oopewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Marsh, Byington, Boerema, Chairperson Ruth - 12.
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WHEREAS, the Personnel, Safety and Social Services Committee recommends the addition of these two positions, and
WHEREAS, the Finance Committee has reviewed this request and recommends a General Fund Transfer.

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Red Arrow softballers begin '83 season

The softball team of Lowell High School unveiled their 1983 team this past week. Five return- ing starters head a list of freshman and sophomores on the team this past week. Senior Kerry Cosgrove and Juniors Kathleen Beacher, Chris Ellison, Doreen Rickert, with sophomores Phyllis Beacher are the only people that have any experience as the Arrows graduated 5 seniors from their second place finish of last year.

"These girls certainly will be asked to lead us. We lost a lot of quality people that have been with us for four years. You might call this a rebuilding year, stated 5th year coach Bob Rodenhouse. "Our outfield has almost no experience and we have very little experience on the corners." Sue Sarniak, Danette Brown, Trisha Stencel and Angie Hyzer are called upon to patrol the outfield this year. Tonya Strouse and Dinanna Miller are being looked at on 3rd base. Phyllis Beacher who played left last year has been moved to first, while her sister Kathleen moved from right field to catcher. Rodenhouse sees this year strong points a strong middle and above average pitching staff. "Cosgrove and Ellison should do very well this year, but it will also depend on what kind of support we get behind them. A pitcher is only as good as her defense. The girls have been working hard and are doing all that is asked of them. We are young and we will make lots of mistakes because of inexperience, but I hope that we will learn from our mistakes and improve." Rounding out the team is Junior Beth Stuart who is sidelined with a knee injury, and freshmen Cam Briggs, Jenny Hoffman, Michelle Lindhout, Dawn Riggs, Cheryl Triglia, and Jennifer Cosgrove.

Commissioner Blakeslee moved the adoption of the resolution. Seconded by Commissioner Marsh. Motion carried by the following vote:
Yeas: Blakeslee, Janfield, Martin, Lorch, DeKraker, Lantieri, Ganey, Slettema, Lamoreaux, DeVriendt, Sonerville, Marsh, Kuhn, Kemper, Byington, Vaughn, Poppel, Oboewal, Bandstra, Boerema, Chairperson Bush - 21.
Nays: None.
Chairperson Bush introduced Mrs. Edith Calloway, who serves on Kent County's Compensation Commission.
Commissioner Byington announced a brief Personnel Committee Meeting following this meeting.
Chairperson Bush reminded the Commissioners of the luncheon for Commissioners to be held at Mothers' Restaurant by the Kent County Soil Conservation District.
Commissioner Marsh moved to adjourn, subject to the call of the Chairperson, and to Friday, April 29, 1983 at 9:00 a.m. for a Committee of the Joint Meeting, and to Wednesday, May 4, 1983 at 9:00 a.m. for an Official Meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Blakeslee.
Motion carried unanimously.

Richard Bush, Chairperson
Maurice J. DeSousa, County Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT OF PRIVATE FOUNDATION NOTICE

The annual report of the Lowell Area Housing, Inc. Foundation for the year ended December 31, 1982, is available for inspection at its principal office, 115 West Main Street, Lowell, Michigan during regular business hours by any citizen who requests in within 180 days after the date of this notice.

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SCHOOL ELECTION

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MAY 16, 1983

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:
Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 13, 1983.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1983, IS MONDAY, MAY 16, 1983. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1983, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

Linda Beers
Secretary, Board of Education

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Orpha Chaterdon and Family

In Memoriam

IN MEMORIAM
In special memory of my nephew David Morris who passed away 2 years ago April 21.
Uncle Mike Stevens
Roswell, New Mexico

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'New Beginnings' run slated for this summer

This summer Lowell will be the stage for an event intended to have international influence.

Organizers here are planning a "New Beginnings" celebration, an affair designed both to show approval to the Soviet Union for the recent release of Lydia Vashchenko and to draw attention to the continuing plight of the remaining members of the Vashchenko family, who until recently were guests of the U.S. Embassy in Russia.

The "New Beginnings" celebration will center around a five-mile run which is tentatively scheduled to begin and finish near the area about the Showboat Amphitheatre. One thousand runners are expected to participate.

In addition, the event will include a 1.5 mile fun run-and-walk. Organizer Bernard DeVito is hoping the walk will have similarities to Martin Luther King's Freedom March, with participants carrying signs showing support for the release of Lydia Vashchenko and encouraging the Soviet Union to adopt a more-open emigration policy.

Lydia Vashchenko is one of seven Russians who on June 27, 1978, fled to the U.S. Embassy for aid in emigrating from the Soviet Union.

The two families -- the Vashchenko's and Chmykhalov's -- initially sought to leave the Soviet Union through the channels prescribed by the Soviet



government, choosing to leave the country because of religious persecution. The families are Pentecostalist Christians.

The Vashchenko's received and accepted an invitation to visit the U.S. Embassy, but on arrival there Soviet guards would not permit them to enter.

When the family rushed past the guards, one member of their group was caught, beaten, and carted away. The group refused to leave the embassy until it knew what had become of him.

It is only in recent weeks that Lydia, following a month-long hunger strike, was permitted to leave the Soviet Union.

The other members of her family, heartened by her release, have left the embassy and returned to their home town in hopes of soon being permitted to emigrate to Israel.

DeVito, a Lowell resident, became involved in the matter of the Vashchenko emigration through an article printed in a January 1982 issue of Parade Magazine, and through the article with the Society of Americans for the Vashchenko Emigration (SAVE).

SAVE is attempting to ease

the release of the Vashchenko's by publicizing their plight and pressuring legislators to pass appropriate legislation.

The event planned for Lowell is local manifestation of a national effort.

Following the 5-mile run and the fun run-and-walk, the "New Beginnings" celebration will conclude in the Showboat Amphitheatre with an awards presentation, and, if things go as hoped, with an address by Senator Carl Levin.

State Senator Richard Posthumus and other legislators have been asked to attend and participate.

DeVito is hoping the event will be a community affair, and to that end is soliciting school, civic, and church groups for help in manning the races, running food booths, and providing entertainment.

Persons interested in the celebration are asked to call the "New Beginnings" organization at 897-6840.

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'OUTDOORS'

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Due to the highwater and cold weather conditions, the fishing is very slow. The Steelhead are presently in the Grand River system in good numbers but the high and roily water presents a real problem to the fishermen. A few fish are being taken below the Sixth Street Dam in Grand Rapids, on the Rogue below Childsdale, in the lower Flat, and from Prairie Creek in Ionia. Few people are fishing these areas now, however, due to the water conditions. I personally believe that good success could be had right here in Lowell, by individuals using a boat and fishing the better runs and known bedding and holding areas. A thorough knowledge of the River and these areas would be required for this type fishing. Flat fish, Tadpollies, or other wobbling type plugs fished in or near these areas are probably the best for this type of fishing, although Spawn bags or flies, drifted slowly through these areas, should also produce.

In general all major Michigan rivers are in poor condition right now. If we were to receive no more rain it would be at least two more weeks before the Grand will be in fishable condition. When the water does finally recede we will see a multitude of shiny new spawning beds, but most of the Steelhead will have already left.

At present, the White river at the Hesperia dam is full of fresh run Steelhead, it's high but clear and fishable. Large numbers of fish are also being reported in the little Manistee but heavy fishing pressure is keeping them badly spooked. The Lower Pere Marquette should also be good. Pentwater Creek near Pentwater contains a fair number of fish. The tributaries of the Big Manistee should be excellent. Rumor has it that good numbers of nice fish are being taken from the Bear, Stony, and other tributaries. The Betsy and Platt are also producing.

Pier fishing along Lake Michigan is improving. The Smelt and Alewife are moving into the shallows, and of course are being followed by the predators. The Steelhead, Brown and Lake Trout, and Salmon fishing is picking up and should be excellent within a week.

Smelt dipping should be good by this weekend. Fair number are being taken from many Lake Huron streams and I have just heard some reports of Sparodic runs along Lake Michigan. Providing the weather stays fairly warm they should be at their peak along Lake Michigan within the week. Upper Peninsula, Lake Michigan tributaries should be good within ten days and Lake Superior streams by the first week in May.

Blue Gill fishing on some area lakes has been good to excellent and the Crappies should start on all lakes very soon.

Nearly all small streams running into the Grand, are designated trout streams and do not open until April 30. Too many people are fishing these streams early and the DNR is watching them closely.

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