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Gary Morris headlines Memorial Day weekend

Plans are shaping up for the WCUZ/Budweiser Showboat Classic slated for Friday and Saturday, May 25 and 26 (Memorial Day Weekend). The event was a huge success last year, and planners are putting together a bigger and better program for 1984.

The highlight of the weekend will be a concert in the Showboat Amphitheatre on Friday, Country Music star Gary Morris is the featured entertainer. Morris' long list of hits includes: "Don't Look Back", "Headed for a Heartache", "The Love She Found In Me", "The Wind Be-

neath My Wings", "Why Lady Why", "You're Welcome to the Night" and "Caught Between Two Fires". The Gary Morris concert is scheduled for 9:00 P.M., and advance tickets are on sale at all Believe in Music record stores and will soon be available at several locations in Lowell. Tickets are \$6.00.

A double-elimination softball tournament will begin the weekend festivities on Friday night. Planners are aiming at 32 teams this year. Entry fee is \$125.00 per team which includes 20 tickets to the Gary Morris concert and 10 "Showboat Soft-

ball" caps. Extra tickets are available to softball players at \$5.00 each and extra caps are \$3.00. Entrants should make checks payable to WCUZ Radio and mail them to WCUZ Radio, 1 McKay Tower, Grand Rapids, MI 49503. Entrants should include their team name, manager's name, address, home phone and work phone.

A gala parade is slated for 11:00 A.M. on Saturday. The parade will proceed along Main Street. Bonnie Grooters is parade chairperson again this year, and parade entrants should contact her at 897-7451.

Volunteers are busily preparing for Showboat rides again this year. Bob Pfaller is heading a project that will bring the Show-

boat up to safety standards required before passengers can be carried for hire. Life jackets, fire fighting equipment and licensed captains are just some of the criteria that Bob has been working on to meet.

Other events on Saturday include a V.F.W. Pancake Breakfast, Chili Cooking Contests, numerous food booths, games

and activities for young and old, and The Wrangler Country Showdown on the Showboat stage.

Volunteers are needed in every area. The next organizational meeting is Wednesday, April 11, at 7:00 P.M. at the Lowell City Hall. For further information call Kevin Reynolds at WCUZ 451-2551.



ATHLETIC BOOSTERS TO MEET

A meeting of the Lowell Athletic Boosters will be held on Tuesday, April 10 at 7:30 P.M. at the Lowell High School. This is a make-up for the scheduled April 3 meeting that was scratched because of spring break.

MEMORIAL WEEKEND PLANNERS TO MEET

Organizers of the WCUZ/Budweiser Showboat Softball Classic will meet at the Lowell City Hall at 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 11. Interested parties are always welcome at these meetings, as there is much to be done to make this a successful event again this year.

FREESTYLE WRESTLING DISTRICT TOURNAMENT HERE SATURDAY

Lowell will host the district freestyle wrestling tournament at the Lowell High School Saturday, April 7. Wrestling should begin at approximately 10:00 and 200 to 400 wrestlers are expected to compete. Food and drinks are available at the school, all proceeds help fund the Lowell Wrestling Club. Admission is \$1.50 for adults, 75 cents for students and \$4.00 for families. Ex-wrestlers... referees and timekeepers are always needed. Contact Gary Rivers at 897-7303 if you can help.

OFF THE BLOTTER

Two Juvenile males were apprehended for shoplifting Tuesday, March 27 by Lippert Pharmacy employees.

Cited to appear in 63rd District Court Wednesday, March 28 for possession of alcohol by a minor was John Desser, 20, of Lowell.

Arrested and bonded out at the Lowell Police Department Friday, March 30 on a criminal bench warrant for failure to pay costs through 63rd District Court was James Schafer, 21, of Ada. He was arrested on a traffic stop in Lowell by the Kent County Sheriff's Department.

Arrested by Lowell Officers on a warrant issued by Circuit Court in Grand Rapids, stemming from Friend of the Court charges was David BruineKool, 38, of Lowell. He was lodged in the Kent County Jail.

Lowell Officers investigated 16 accident complaints in the month of March, two of which involved injuries.

Issued citations Thursday, March 29 for reckless driving, drinking while license suspended, driving without proof of insurance or registration plates, was Michael Millering, 18, of Lowell.

Two Juvenile females, 15 & 16, were arrested for possession of marijuana on school grounds Tuesday, March 27. Both will be referred to Probate Court on the charges at a later date and were suspended from school.

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Donald Kelly, former schools supt. passes



Don Kelly

The Lowell City Council approved two items that had been recommended to them for approval by the Lowell Planning Commission. A rezoning request from Superior Furniture Co. to rezone property east of their existing building from commercial to industrial was one of them. The company is planning a major expansion to the east, and the rezoning was a must. The council also scheduled a public hearing to establish an industrial development district for the entire block. Superior owns all the property on the block with the exception of the Lowell Granite Co. property on the northwest corner. Establishing an industrial development district is the first

APRIL 21, 1984 - Steak Dinner at the Lowell V.F.W. Post 8303 the third Sat. of every month, Main St., Lowell 4 P.M. - 8 P.M. T-Bones; Ribeyes; Steak for Two; Sizzler; Porterhouse Steak; Large Salad Bar. Easter Bunny Dance to follow dinner.

step in a company applying for tax abatement under public act 198 which allows for 50% property tax relief for a period of up to 12 years.

The council also approved a request from Metric Manufacturing, Inc. At the time the city sold Metric the property they now occupy on Foreman Road the city kept a 33' easement along the east bank of the creek on the property. Approximately two years ago Metric re-routed the creek, and there is now a 16' wide strip of land between the property line and the city's easement. The council approved Metric's request to have the deed redrawn moving the easement west to abut the adjacent property.

VALLEY AUTOMOTIVE - Full Service garage open from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M. Mon.-Fri.; 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. Saturdays. Certified Mechanics on duty. 2400 West Main St., Lowell 897-9046.

Donald Kelly died suddenly from an apparent heart attack last Thursday at age 54. Kelly was a teacher, coach and administrator in the Lowell School District for nearly 30 years prior to his retirement in February of 1983. Kelly began his teaching career here in 1954 as an industrial arts teacher and assistant football coach. When Chris Burch retired in 1958, Kelly replaced him as athletic director. The Lowell wrestling team was organized by Kelly that same year.

From 1960-63 Kelly taught Junior High English and then became the physical education teacher. During this time he also served as president of the Lowell Education Association and bargained with the administration on behalf of the teachers.

Following short stints as assistant principal and principal of the high school, Kelly was promoted to assistant superintendent in 1971. Kelly served in that capacity until 1977 when he was offered the post of superintendent of schools following the resignation of Leonard Sinke.

Active in Boy Scouting, Kelly was a member of the Lowell Scout Troop 102 and served on the Executive Board of the West Michigan Shores Council. As an adult Scout Kelly earned the Silver Beaver award, the highest award given to adult scouts.

Kelly and his wife Ethel moved to Spring Lake last year where he was working with a brother in the construction business. Complete obituary information appears in this issue.

Riggs sentenced

Daniel Riggs of 209 Lincoln Lake Avenue, Lowell was sentenced last Thursday following his conviction last December of violating the city's junk ordinance. Riggs was cited by Lowell Police following several complaints about inoperable farm machinery parked on his prop-

erty. Judge Joseph White of the 63rd District Court handed down a sentence that included \$300 in fines and costs, six months probation, 15 days to remove the remaining equipment and 20 days in the Kent County Jail, suspended pending the removal of the equipment.

Lowell Jaycee Women to publish cookbook

The Lowell Area Jaycee Women are publishing a cookbook of the most favorite recipes in the Lowell area. Everyone you talk to has an aunt, sister, or mother who is the best cook in town. They can all name a special recipe that no one else has.

The Jaycee Women would like to compile all of these recipes into one book. Many of the local merchants have shown their support of this publication by purchasing advertising space in the book to help defer the cost.

The Jaycee Women have favorite recipes of their own, how-

ever they believe that there are many other recipes out there that are worthy of publishing. If you, the reader, have a recipe that you wish to share with the public by way of this book please send it to: The Lowell Area Jaycee Women, 11260 Bluewater Hwy. Lowell.

Publication of "The Favorite Recipes of Lowell" will take place in May and be available for sale in early June. If you would like books reserved for you send your request to the Jaycee Women as the quantity will be limited to one printing.

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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.

ROTTMAN - George J. Rottman aged 79, of 2656 Fuller Ave. NE, passed away Saturday, March 31, 1984 at Butterworth Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Carrie Aleita Rottman, his children, Jean Lehman of Grand Rapids, Norman and Wilma Rottman of Rockford, Dr. G. Jay and Joyce Rottman of Ada; 16 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren; one sister, Hattie (Gerrit) Meeuwenberg of Grand Rapids, one brother, William (Hazel) Rottman of Fremont. Mr. Rottman was a member of Creston Christian Reformed Church. Services were held

Tuesday at the Funeral Chapel, with his pastor Rev. Donald Van Beek officiating. Interment in Fairplains cemetery.

COOPER - Mrs. Johanna "Jo" Cooper, aged 89, a long time resident of the Christian Rest Home, passed away Wednesday afternoon following a lingering illness. She is survived by her husband, Peter; her children, G. Jack (Jo) Cooper of Alto., MI, Kenneth E. (Carol) Cooper of Grand Rapids; her grandchildren, Marica (Dan) Meulenberg, Nancy (Edward) Huizinga, Jack G. (Dawn) Cooper, Linda (Paul) VandenToorn, Cathy (Gordon) Bruinisma; great-grandchildren, Dan, Mary Jo, Mark Meulenberg, Joel and Holly Huizinga, Kristin, Katie Jo VanderToorn, Bradley and Timothy Bruinisma; her brother, John (Betty) Weeber; her sister, Mrs. Hermine Holwerda; and many nieces and nephews. Mrs. Cooper was a member of Twelfth Street Christian Reformed Church for over 58 years and for many years a member of its Ladies Guild and Senior Fel-

lowship. Funeral Services were held Saturday at the Van't Hof Chapel, with her pastor, Rev. John W. Dykstra officiating. Interment Fairplains Cemetery.

KELLY - Mr. Donald E. Kelly, aged 54, of 16130 Hemlock Dr., Spring Lake, passed away unexpectedly on Thursday at Mercy Hospital. He married Ethel J. Ash on July 2, 1948 in Fruitport. He was a member of the Lowell United Methodist Church, boy Scouts of America Troop 102, West Michigan Shores Council Executive Board. As an adult Scout he received the highest council award, the Silver Beaver, the District Award of Merit and Wood Badge Beads. He served as Lowell United Methodist Church Scouting Coordinator for 20 years. Mr. Kelly graduated from Muskegon High School in 1947, received his BS degree from Western Michigan University in 1951, and his MA degree from Michigan State University in 1959. He taught school and coached for 16 years, was Assistant Principal from 1968 to 1969, High School Principal

from 1969 to 1971, Assistant Superintendent from 1971-1977, and retired 6 months ago as Superintendent of the Lowell School System after 30 years of service in the school systems. He was a member of the Kent County Superintendents Association, M.A.S.A., A.A.S.A., Board of Directors and Secretary of the K.C.S.A., and past Chairman of the General Education Advisory Committee of the K.C.S.A. Survivors include his wife, Ethel J.; children, Miss Jean Ann Kelly of Lowell, Mrs. Richard (Barbara Rae) McGraw of Covington, KY, Mr. Gordon Leslie Kelly of Holland, Mrs. Mark (Patricia June) DeForest of Spokane, WA, Mrs. Alex (Colleen Dee) Kennedy of Grand Rapids, Miss Karen Louise Kelly of Lowell, Mr. Dennis Scott Kelly of Spring Lake; parents, Russell and Leora Kelly of Fruitport; five grandchildren and five brothers. The funeral services were conducted Monday at the United Methodist Church of the Dunes.

ALLEN - David John Allen, aged 18, of 650 Montcalm, Lowell, TN, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colthorp of Breckenridge, MI Funeral Services were held at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, 305 N. Hudson, Lowell, with Dr. Darrell Wilson of the First Baptist Church of Lowell officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

Capitol Column

by
Senator Dick Posthumus

In a state with winters like Michigan, energy costs are no small matter, especially for the elderly and the poor. The State Legislature has just passed a thorough "energy assurance" package designed to help people on low and fixed incomes with their utility bills.

Senior citizens, welfare clients and low-income wage earners will benefit from the weatherization and heating assistance provided under the new legislation. The overall program will use about \$260 million in federal funds and about \$160 million in state aid to provide a number of services. Among them; low income wage earners will be given tax credits on their home heating bills; welfare families will receive winter utility shutoff protection if they agree to let the state weatherize their homes; and special "lifeline" rates will be repealed.

About 6,000 homes of welfare families will be insulated this year, with a final goal of 30,000. Once a home is insulated, the family must keep consumption at moderate levels. Also, homeowners would be expected to pay off some of the costs of the insulation if they sell their homes within three years after the weatherization is completed. A landlord would have to pay the state back if the building is sold within five years.

Under the plan, the elderly also get protection against power shutoffs. The utilities would

work with them to arrange a special payment program to make winter bills more manageable. Welfare clients, who owe back payments to the utilities, must agree to pay five percent of the debt out of their welfare checks each month.

As the final, and most controversial, part of the package, the lifeline utility rates will be repealed. Those rates, which offered lower bills for low consumption were as much help to people with winter homes in Florida as they were to the poor. The repeal puts the responsibility for rate structuring back in the hands of the Public Service Commission, and takes the state out of the rate-making business. Repeal of lifeline will mean lower rates for some and higher rates for others, but the average bills will be the same.

Some 300,000 Michigan citizens, two-thirds of whom are elderly, are eligible for assistance under Michigan's newly expanded energy assurance program. The final program, after long negotiations, is generally fair and progressive. All the measures, with the exception of the lifeline repeal, have been signed into law.

Hopefully, because of the preventive approach taken through weatherization, this program will eventually begin to pay for itself, and offer the best energy assurance to the people who need it most.

Museum offers spring break specials

MATINEE PUPPET & PLANETARIUM SHOWS

During the week when area schools are on spring break (April 2 - 6), the Grand Rapids Public Museum is offering several matinee performances of its most popular programs. Both the Puppet Theater and the Chaffee Planetarium will have afternoon shows. Planetarium programs begin Tuesday while the puppet shows start Thursday.

April 3 - 6 "The Sky Tonight", 1:30 P.M., the popular sky show designed especially for young children. *Admission: \$2 adults, \$1.50 children & senior citizens. ALL AGES ADMITTED.

April 3 - 6 "Everybody Talks About It - Weather", 2:30 P.M. a sky show that explains some of the mysteries of our changing weather. *Admission: \$2 adults, \$1.50 children & senior citizens. CHILDREN UNDER 5 NOT ADMITTED.



Dr. Antonio Gasset, world famous ophthalmologist, was the discoverer of a heat technique to treat a blinding corneal condition called keratoconus.

April 5 & 6 "Clowning Around", 2 P.M. and 3 P.M. The delightful puppet show that used many of the Museum's 1930 vintage marionettes. *Admission: \$1.50 adults, \$1 children (5-15) and senior citizens. 50¢ children under 5.

Tickets for these programs may be purchased at the Museum's admission desk. *Program charges include Museum admission.

Final Scholarship dealing...

Junior and senior class high school students who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by May 7, 1984 from the Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045.

Any student interested in receiving an application, should send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with a note listing his/her name, address, city, state and zip code, year of graduation and approximate grade point average. Fifty award winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extracurricular activities and need for financial aid.



cozy corner

By Roger Brown

I guess Grand Rapids is OK as larger cities go, but it does have one huge design flaw that should have never been built, and has now grown to the point that threatens the entire city. I speak of course of the infamous 28th Street. I'd rather go 15 rounds with Larry Holmes than drive 28th Street on a Friday afternoon. But, that's exactly what I had to do last Friday.

I had been downtown on some errands, and had to drop off a typewriter at 2900 29th Street for repairs. The only logical route was US 131 to 28th Street, then east for several miles of the worst traffic since Ben Hur's chariot races. Grand Rapids may have a reputation for being a straight, religion oriented community, but none of that counts once the population gets out onto 28th Street. Every driver is a Mario Andretti, Evel Knievel or Clyde Crashcup, with just a little of the devil himself thrown in to make things interesting.

Heading east in the left lane, I was in heavy traffic approaching the Kalamazoo Ave. Intersection when someone up ahead decided it was time to conduct a famous 28th Street brake test. In such heavy traffic the only brake lights you see are the ones directly in front of you. When they come on and black smoke simultaneously appears from the skidding tires, you know it's time to mash your brake pedal like it was a big ugly bug.

My reflexes must still be up to snuff, because I got stopped in time. You would have needed a micrometer to measure the distance between me and the car ahead, but close only counts in horse shoes, hand grenades and halitosis. Glancing in the rear view mirror, all I could see was white. No; it wasn't snowing, it was a white car with white knuckles on the steering wheel and the whites of the drivers eyes that were as big as saucers.

This guy was a good driver, and I've got to hand it to him because I know he'd have been able to stop if he'd have had a couple more car lengths to do it in. My trailer hitch caught him right in the bumper mashing it through his grill and radiator. The microscopic distance between me and the car ahead didn't offer much of a buffer, and his trailer hitch mashed me in the bumper, denting it pretty nicely.

We all had a split second to relax before a fourth car decided to join in on the fun. The lady driving this car was also a good driver, and I know she would have been able to stop if she had about ten more car lengths to do it in. She really nailed the poor guy behind me and I don't think that there was a grill, bumper or body panel left unscathed on his car. The lady at the rear had extensive front end damage to her car, but fortunately nobody was seriously hurt.

We left the whole mess sitting out in the middle of 28th Street until the police arrived nearly a half an hour later. He joined in on the obstruction, and we all sat in his car giving our statements while rush hour traffic honked and cursed their way around us. It was great fun. The lady in the fourth car was crying, the guy in the third car was holding his head from thumping the windshield, the guy in the first car lit up a cigarette, and I came as close to starting smoking again as I have in the six years since I quit.

After issuing my statement I took off to finish my errands. When I dropped off the typewriter at the service center, I discovered that there had indeed been some injuries. The already sick typewriter had been thrown to the floor in the accident, and several parts were broken when it hit. The serviceman asked what we had been doing to it. I told him that it was a good typewriter, but it wasn't very portable.

HOT LUNCH MENU WEEK OF APRIL 9, 1984

MONDAY

Italian spaghetti or lasagna, cole slaw, french break w/ honey butter, chilled fruits or jello, milk.

TUESDAY

Barbeque beef on a bun or in a pita, lettuce salad w/ dressing, steamed corn or spinach, fruit or pudding, bars or cookies, milk.

WEDNESDAY

Oven fried chicken or sliced roast ham, mashed potatoes or rice and gravy, buttered green beans or beets, rolls, or biscuits and honey, jello w/whip or fruit, milk.

THURSDAY

Fruit juice, pizza w/meat and cheese, salad or veggies, fruit, pudding or jello, milk.

FRIDAY

Fishwiches or hot dogs, potato chips and pickles, soup or salad or baked beans, assorted fruits, milk.

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



The ironing board was invented by Sarah Boone in 1892.

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.

Robert Albers, Holland, Michigan. Mrs. Albers will speak on arranging spring flowers and twigs. Hostesses: Mrs. Olive Cook and Mrs. Marian Flynnard. Prospective new club members welcome.

7:30 P.M. There will be a spaghetti dinner before the meeting at 6:30. Bring your own utensils and dessert. F.C. to follow meeting.

at the door.
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.

WED., APRIL 4: The second of the Spring Review sponsored by the Lowell YMCA and the Lowell Library will be held in the Y rooms. Following coffee and conversation at 9:45 A.M. the program will start at 10:00.

MON., APRIL 9: The Golden Swingers will meet for potluck in the Lowell High School Economic Room. Bring a dish to pass and table service. Coffee will be furnished. All senior citizens are welcome. Good entertainment is planned.

WED., APRIL 11: Snow UMW will serve a roast beef and pork dinner at the Snow Christian Center, 3211 Snow Ave. S.E. Beginning 5:30 P.M. Public Welcome.

THIRD SATURDAY of the month - Steak Dinner at the Lowell V.F.W. Post 8303, Main St., Lowell 4 P.M. - 8 P.M. T-Bones; Ribeyes; Steak for Two; Sizzler; Porterhouse Steak; Large Salad Bar.

Cathy Clair, librarian at the Lowell branch of the Kent County Library System, will be the speaker at the second Review. She will discuss "If you liked James Harriot, You will like..." A look into the Past and Present of the Joys and Adventures of Animal Doctors."

MON., APRIL 9: The North Kent Herb Society will meet at 7:30 P.M. at the Krause Memorial Library, Rockford. Kim Smith will be speaking and demonstrating how to make baskets. Visitors are welcome. An Herb Plant sale is being planned for May 19, at 9:00 A.M. in front of the State Savings Bank, M-44, Rockford, MI.

TUE., APRIL 24: The LAAC sponsors the Boarshead Public Theatre of Lansing in a production of "Letters From Bernice" at 8 P.M. at the Lowell Middle School. Tickets are \$5, \$2 for students at "That Special Place" or LAAC, P.O. Box 53, Lowell. For information call 897-8545 or 897-5242. Tickets can be bought



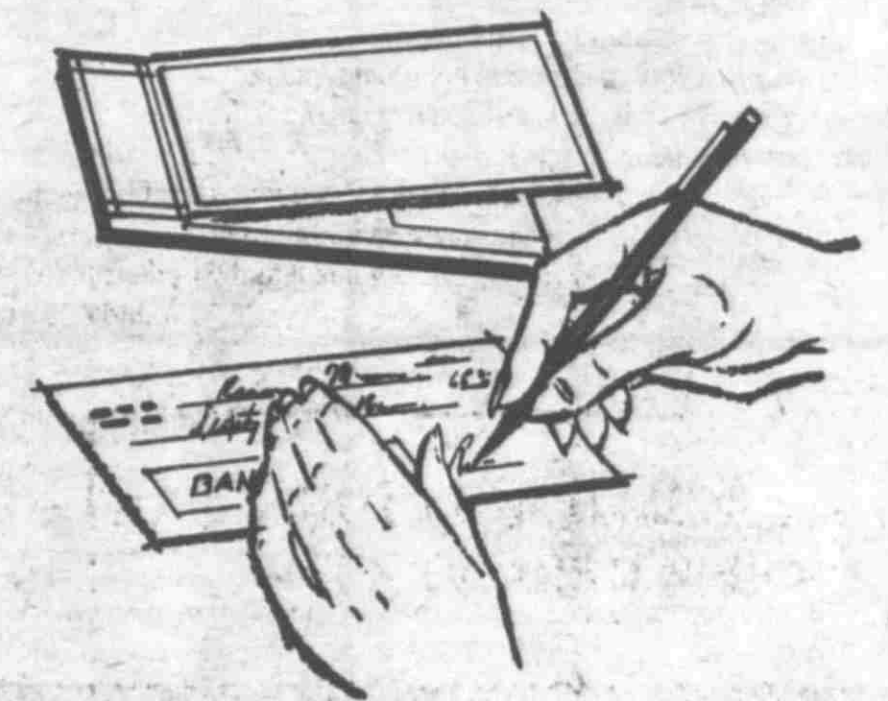
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Lowell Women's Club News

The Lowell Women's Club will meet at Schneider Manor on Wed. April 11, 1984.

Our program will define self-esteem and provide a "recipe" for building a healthy sense of "you". Betsy Knox, is Extension Home Economist and 4-H Youth Agent for the Ionia County Cooperative Extension Service. Betsy has a degree in Human Development from Michigan State University. Betsy is our President's daughter. Betsy McPherson Knox. The Women's Club is sponsored this month by Louise Schneider.

There will be a mini report by an Honary Student Guest on Education.

Tea Committee - Irma Richmond, Barbara Lit-schewski, Ellen Moore, Alice Mueller, Connie Odell, Marian Noteware and Marge Tatten.

Come to Women's Club April 11, 1984 and find out how to feel like a million dollar person. See you then!



Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Schreur

Gerrit and Alice Schreur will be observing their 60th wedding anniversary April 9. There will be an Open House Saturday April 7th, at the Cascade Christian Reformed Church, 2:00 to 5:00 P.M.

Their children are Jean and Jud Wilterink, Florence and Gordon Anderson, William and Joann Schreur, Freda and Robert Small, Gracia and James Veldman.

The Schreurs have 20 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service (Romans 12:1).

There are some things we cannot "Make" others do. We can use brute force to "make" the children brush their teeth and comb their hair. Discipline can be used to "make" a child obey, but we cannot "make" him bend his inward will. When told to sit down, one little girl replied, "I'm sitting down on the outside, but I'm standing up on the inside." No amount of correction from her parent could "make" the child "sit down on the inside." Only she or her own will could do that.

God made us free moral agents. No one can "make" us present our body "a living sacrifice" to God. This act or decision must come from within.

through the choice of the individual. And no matter how much we wish to see others experience the joy such an act will bring, we cannot force it upon them. Like the Apostle Paul, we can only entreat them, trusting they will realize the need, feel the necessity, sense the desire to enter into the life of peace which full surrender to the will of God brings. In the light of all He has done for us, this is but "our reasonable service."

Prayer: Precious Jesus, since Thou hast given so freely of Thyself for me, it is only reasonable that I, in turn, present myself living sacrifice unto Thee. Here am. Take Me. Use me. Amen.

Jesus, take this heart of mine; Make it pure, and wholly Thine.

Thou has bled and died for me; I will henceforth live for Thee.

ANNA B. WARNER

College news . . .

Mark T. Lessens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lessens of 517 Elm Street achieved placement on the winter quarter Dean's List at Michigan Technological University by earning a grade point average of 3.5 or higher. Lessens is a senior in civil engineering.

Jerry Poll, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Poll of Alto, graduated from MSU, March 16. Jerry majored in Elevator and Farm Supply, Soil and Chemical Technology.

A total of 3,371 University of Michigan students on the Ann Arbor campus were recognized at the University's annual Honors Convocation April 1.

Frank Rhodes, president of Cornell University, was the featured speaker.

A total of 3,942 awards were recognized at the convocation. Of the total, 3,271 were Class Honors, recognizing an undergraduate academic record equal to at least half A's and half B's for two terms (one term for new students) during 1983.

In addition, 446 students were named James B. Angell Scholars. They have maintained an all-A record for two or more consecutive terms as undergraduates.

Also, 225 members of the freshman class received the William J. Brantstorm prize, a book of their choice and a bookmark. The recipients ranked in the top five per cent of their class.

Some students have won more than one type of honor. Students from the area that received honors included Cynthia Ann DeMeester of 8814 Bluewater Hwy., Saranac who was awarded class honors, Randall Wade Broukman of 8300 Wilderness Trail, Ada received class honors and Anthony Schwacha of 2755 Segwyn, Lowell was also awarded class honors.

Happy Birthday

APRIL 5: Kish Burdette, Sue Meisner, Gertrude McGlamery, Jennifer Cosgrove.

APRIL 6: Todd Carless, Dave Lippert, Amy Dintaman, Paul Richards.

APRIL 7: Alan Southland, Philip Richard, Corey Vollink, George Kazemier, Rick Sauber, Lindsey Thaler, Kathy Sheffer.

APRIL 8: Lynn Willyard, Mike Horiara.

APRIL 9: Patti Huver, Stacy Lippert, Travese Jon Gage, Marcia MacDonald.

APRIL 10: Betsy Thaler.

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

Krause at the House



VICTOR C. KRAUSE • STATE REPRESENTATIVE • NINETIETH DISTRICT

In 1982 the Michigan Legislature passed a bill to provide that persons who purchased a motor vehicle, trailer coach, or boat and trade in their existing vehicle, trailer coach or boat as a partial payment would pay sales tax on the difference between the value of the two items. A form of consumer double tax-

ation would be eliminated, Michigan would be brought into parity with 36 other states, and it was hoped that the new law would stimulate lagging automobile sales. It seemed like a good idea at the time, and went into effect on January 1, 1984.

What happened next is typical of how our state government responds to fiscal "crises". The law worked too well. Lost sales tax revenue estimates jumped from \$29 million to \$63 million and suddenly the bureaucrats in Lansing were saying "what are we going to do? Schools will close, and local governments will suffer. SAVE THE BUREAUCRACY!"

Nonsense. Spending taxpayers dollars is a matter of budget priorities and until the Administration and Legislature changes its priorities, education will continue to suffer at the expense of funding welfare programs. Furthermore, no one is doing anything about the enormous waste and inefficiency in our state government.

Enough Legislators succumbed to bureaucratic pressure, and voted to reduce the sales tax credit from 100% to 30% by rationalizing that it was a bad bill.

Forget about double taxation and giving the people of this state a break. Don't let car dealers realize profits from increased sales. Government creates jobs, not private industry. Baloney!

When will we ever learn.

Arrow track season underway

A record number of 35 teams competed in the John Bos Invitational girls indoor track meet at Ford Fieldhouse Thursday, but one local participant stood out.

The early season tuneup, held annually at Grand Rapids Junior College, is valuable because team scores are not kept, allowing for experimentation and wide participation.

Out of the six girls from Lowell that competed, senior Lynn Dowling proved to be more than a match for class A and B competitors by producing a best-ever effort of 37-feet-11 in the shotput. Dowling's outstanding individual performance eventually earned her a second.

Coach Kathy Talus expects to do well this season after a third place finish in the Tri-River Conference last year. Valuable team members have graduated, but talented freshmen and returning team members are expected to be tough competition for their upcoming opponents.

"Chris Hildenbrand graduated in 1983 and her absence will be a big loss," Talus said. "But Cathy Kazemier, conference champ in the high jump and Dowling, conference winner in the shotput and discus are both back."

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Wrestling Club news

The freestyle wrestling club split up 2 weekends ago, March 23 & 24, with our boys wrestling Friday night and Saturday at Lakewood, Friday night and Saturday at Cedar Springs, and Friday night and Saturday at Ferris State College in Big Rapids.

Friday night at Lakewood School Boy (15-16) and Juniors (16 - older) wrestled and Medal winners were: 1st place: Brett Kirby; 2nd Place: Brian Fox, Jim Johnson; 3rd Place: Brett Nagy. Saturday at Lakewood the kids division (8 - under 9-10, 11-12, 13-14) wrestled and Medal winners were 1st place: Kyle Gildea, Jeff Hoffman, Jimmy Inman, Michael Kropf, Scott Nagy, Jason Pecor, Richard Stauffer, Ryan Winchel, Mike Rivers; 2nd place: Aaron Adams, Jason Harrell, Chris Nauta, Nathan Nauta, Joseph Scott, Scott Swanson; 3rd Place Gregory Geiger, Corey Geacock, Bart Olin.

At Cedar springs Friday night 13-14 kids Division, School Boy and Juniors, wrestled and medal winners were: 1st Place: Kyle Gildea, Al Heintzleman, Todd Nauta; 2nd place: Tim Hall, Tom Nugent, Glen Rozdich, and Cedar Springs the younger kids division wrestled and medal winners were: 1st place: Miko Foss, Matthew Inman; 2nd place Sean Wheeler; 3rd Place: Ryan Scott, Shawn Smith.

The medal winners Saturday at Forest Hills were: 1st place: Aaron Adams, Miko Foss, Kyle Gildea, Jimmy Inman, Mike Rivers, Shane Smith, Art Ward; 2nd place: Phillip Heintzleman, Jeff Hoffman, Ron Vander Boon Jr.; 3rd place: Al Heintzleman, Michael Heintzleman, Michael Kropf, George Smith.

The medal winners Saturday at Forest Hills were: 1st place: Michael Fuller, Chris Nauta, Jason Pecor, Richard Stauffer; 2nd place: Joshua Fuller, Nathan Nauta, Jake Verspoor; 3rd place: Ryan Scott, Shawn Smith, Scott Swanson.

The medal winners Saturday at the Gull Lake were: 1st place: Ryan Winchill; 2nd place: Sean Wheeler.

The Junior medal winners Friday night at Forest Hills were: 1st place: Dale Ensign; 2nd place Greg. Zimmerman; 3rd place: Rob Hall.

This week April 7th is the week of Districts and it will be held here at Lowell in the High School.

The first four places of each weight division and age group will then be eligible for Regionals the following week April 14.

The Regionals will run the same, and the first four places will go on to State, with the exception of 8-under boy's. State Tournament April 20-21.

Regionals will be held at Union High School in Grand Rapids, and the State Tournament is held at Grand Rapids J.C.

We hope to see you all this week at the Lowell District, to cheer our Young Lowell wrestlers on. They have all worked hard to get where they are and they want your support. Good Luck to each and everyone of you boys.

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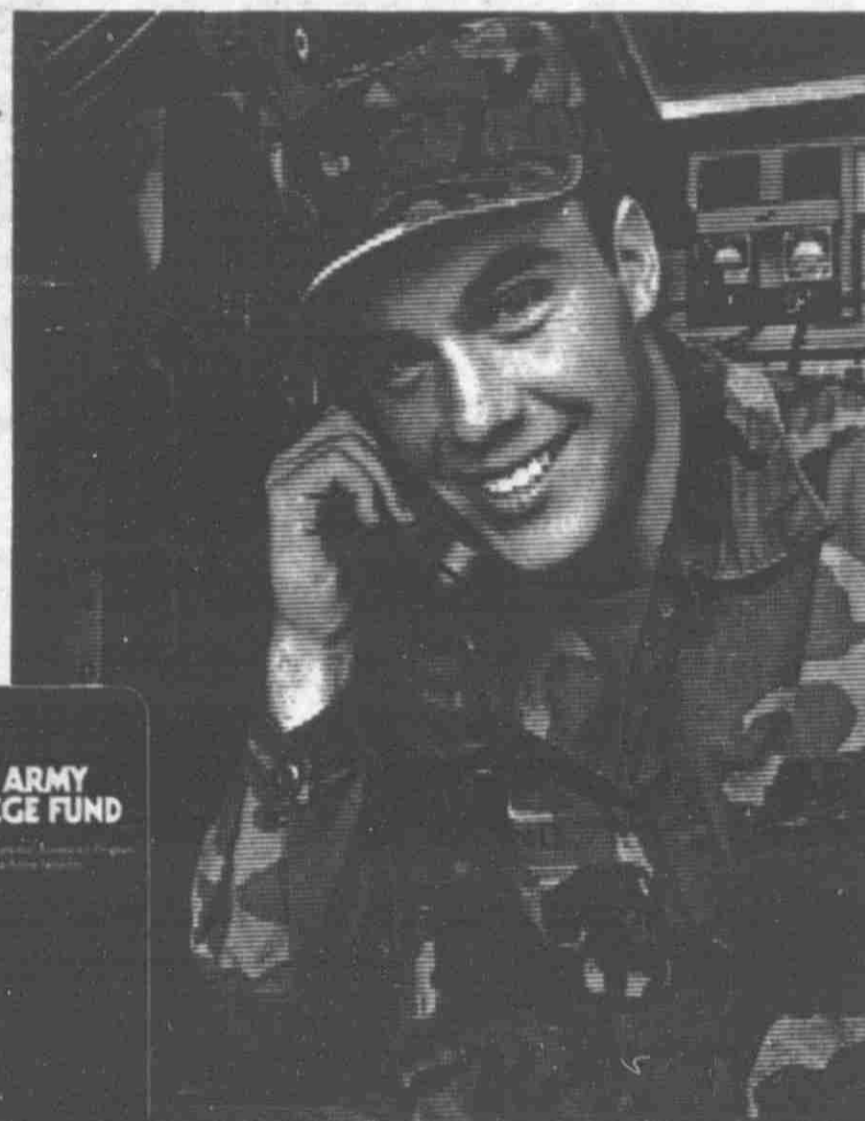
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<p>BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH 3900 East Fulton REV. RAYMOND E. BEFUS</p> <p>Morning Worship 9:50 A.M. (Broadcast 10 A.M. WMAX 1470) Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Service 7:30 P.M.</p>	<p>CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL 1151 West Main Street - 897-8841 REV. RICHARD VANDEKIEFT</p> <p>Worship Service 10 A.M. & 6 P.M. Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Supervised Nursery During All Services</p>	<p>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF LOWELL 201 North Washington Street REV. WILLIAM F. HURT</p> <p>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</p>	<p>FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (Member United Church of Christ) North Hudson at Spring St., Lowell 897-5906</p> <p>DR. RICHARD GREENWOOD Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Church School 10:00 A.M. (Cribbery & Nursery Provided)</p>
<p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 621 E. Main Street 897-5936 REGULAR HOURS</p> <p>Morning Worship 9:00 A.M. 10:45 A.M. Church School 9:30 A.M.</p> <p>REV. WILLIAM AMUNDSEN, MINISTER Nursery available at both services</p>	<p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH Corner of Segwyn & Grand River</p> <p>Morning Worship 8:30 A.M. 11:00 A.M. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 9:45 A.M.</p> <p>JOSEPH FREMER, PASTOR 897-8307</p>	<p>WHITNEYVILLE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST UNDENOMINATIONAL 4935 Whitneyville Rd. Ada 49301</p> <p>Sunday Morn. Worship Service 10:00 A.M. Sunday School 11:00 A.M. Sunday Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wed. Evening Prayer Service 7:30 P.M. Challenger's Youth Group, Wed 7:30 P.M.</p> <p>PASTOR JAMES GROENDYK</p>	<p>SARANAC COMMUNITY CHURCH (United Church of Christ) 125 Bridge St., Saranac, MI DIAL-A-PRAYER-642-9659</p> <p>Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Sunday School 11:15 A.M.</p> <p>THE REV. EDWIN MENDENHALL 642-6322</p>
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Letters

Dear Sir:
I have read with great interest the letters and editorials about the proposed sale of the Recreation Park ball diamond to Michigan Wire Company. I'm pleased when I read well thought out letters expressing both sides of the issue. I'm also interested in the challenge made to local softball players to express their opinions. As a mens league ball player for the last five years I do have feelings about the issue at hand.

First off, I do have reservations about selling public land, especially that which borders a waterway. But without major changes in the entire area it could hardly be considered a park. This does seem unfortunate because I'm sure the people opposing the move are correct in their memory of a once beautiful area.

So let's take a mental stroll along the public shoreline in Lowell. Riverside Drive is a right of way with little recreational value other than to drive by swan watching. Below Main Street you have the mill, a railroad crossing, a block long stretch of litter and overgrown weeds, then the ball diamond, football field and city sewage plant, not really much room for recreation on the water. Looking to the east side you start at the Grand River and have undeveloped land all the way back to the railroad. As a side note, I realize that many fishermen use the area developed or not but I figure they'll continue to do so with or without the sale of the ball field. Continuing north, we have another section of wooded shoreline and then the wall below the dam. While this wall area serves a useful purpose and the city went to great expense repairing it, it could hardly be con-

sidered attractive. It would also seem the maintenance was more to keep the city parking lot at street level rather than river level. I question recreation as the motivation.

This brings us back to Main Street, from here we can see the shore line up to the Showboat. Beyond is all private riverfront property. So the only stretch of scenic, recreational shoreline available to a wide range of people and activities is the walkway from the boat launch to the Showboat gate. A very nice accessible and unfortunately intermittently maintained shoreline.

Which brings us to the main concern of most of the softball players in Lowell, field maintenance. We have played in ruts, holes, dips and ridges for years. The facilities are a disgrace from the softballers' point of view. Poor parking, lighting, seating and numerous little things are concerns. We have complained and even approached the City to take care of it ourselves and were told to leave it alone. The obvious question is how did Recreation Park get in such bad shape in the first place and if the City can't take care of one field, how does it propose to take care of four.

The softball players association proposed a complete take over of the adult league and would have paid a field use fee as well as take responsibility for maintenance and upkeep. Having seen the numbers presented, I question the quality of a park build for \$75,000 and the ability and or interest on the City's part for upkeep. I'm curious if there is money set aside or if we may be voting on a bond issue if the sale question passes. That is a point to consider and a question that should be answered.

From a non-softball playing perspective a person would see either progress or destruction in the sale question. I see a great opportunity and a City Commission unprepared for all the possible problems due to poor planning.

I don't believe for a minute that the new fields solve the problems stated. Parking facilities proposed are terrible at best. The drawing in the Ledger showed three more parking units the same as the one already built at Gee Drive. A good look will tell you that that lot won't hold the traffic from one team let alone the opponent, ump, spectators and the teams for the next game who will be there ahead of time. So where to park, the shoulder of Gee Drive? The residential streets in Valley Vista? A question Valley Vista residents should want answers to.

The other problems are all financial questions. Will Michigan Wire's offer build four quality diamonds? Will one or all be lighted with state of the art equipment? Will there be enough money for bathroom facilities and decent seating? Will a complex without these things be worth the move in the first place?

So I feel it is important for the city to give more information on their plans in the event of a successful vote. I can't justify in my mind the sale of public land that is an asset to the community, without a complete picture of the City Council's intentions. This would include a timetable for completion.

As a resident I see the need for Michigan Wire and for their growth. I also know they have no where else to go. I'm in favor of the sale with the stipulation that the new park be complete and operational, adequate parking in

place, bathroom facilities and lighting on at least one of the fields, before the land ownership is transferred.

The challenge was to get a softballers' point of view. Softball is big business and it is growing in Lowell so there is no doubt that we need more fields. Yet I can see where softball could be paying the big price down the road. It's clear Michigan Wire and softball need more room and it's easier to move softball, but unless these questions are cleared up in the near future, my vote will be no. Why sell one poorly maintained ball field to build four more poorly maintained ball fields?

Respectfully,
Bill Green,
Catcher, The Gators

Dear Editor

To those who maintain such a narrow view as to only a few businesses benefiting from city owned public parking lots - open up your eyes to our Senior Neighbors who have access to a city parking lot for their vehicles when on a trip or for their other life benefiting activities at the Senior Neighbor Center.

Thank you - King Milling Co., Lowell City Manager Ray Quada and City Council members for having the vision to make this possible. I ask that you use that vision to see a new Broadway and Main St. Public parking lot overflowing for the 4th of July celebration, softball games, Kent Co. 4-H Fair, and any other community events taking place at Recreation park, where parking is at a premium during these events. Any Lowell parade will guarantee all parking lots overflowing, especially at Broadway and Main Street, as that corner is the turning point for many parades.

Thank you - Roger Brown for your presentation at the City Council meeting, and Chuck Lippert for your commitment to this community. With tongue in cheek, to my nephews and brother-in-law for their contribution of some hope, after being in - business at 215 W. Main for 10 years, that we may see some relief in our parking problems.

Let's not be short-sighted, everyone will benefit - let's go for it!

Shirl Smith
That "Special" Place

People of Lowell,

Please get out your copy of "Lowell, 50 years of History, 1931-1981", that you bought during the Sesqui-Centennial. Turn to Page 113 and inspect the picture at the top of the page carefully. In the picture, Michigan Wire has moved in but not expanded. It shows a well kept

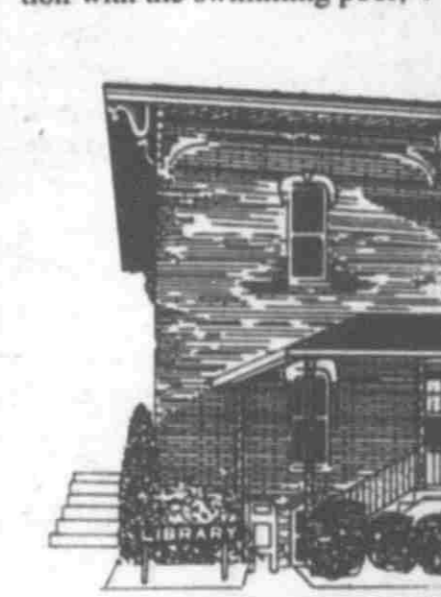
industrial area. Is it that way now? According to my eyes and all of the comments in the paper it isn't.

If they could keep up their property then, why not now? If the city government welcomed this firm "with open arms" then they were misled. If someone had wanted to bring in an auto parts salvage area to this location, they would have been kept out because of proximity to a park. Vote No.

Sincerely,
Don Green

Dear Editor

The Lowell Showboat Garden Club wishes to express its concern over the possibility that the City of Lowell may allow the sale and use of Recreation Park as an industrial site. Granted, the present condition of Recreation Park is deplorable but perhaps the City should consider the renovation of these facilities with new and adequate restrooms, tennis courts that can be used, and a sportsfield Lowell could be proud of. Its location in conjunction with the swimming pool, 4-



If mystery is your cup of tea, visit the Lowell Branch Library for a dose of intrigue and entertainment. Some new books we've recently added to our shelves include:

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THE BAKED BEAN SUPPER MURDERS by Virginia Rich is the latest murder mystery by the authoress of the popular COOKING SCHOOL MURDERS. Once again, the familiar detective Mrs. Potter, investigates the crime and, as usual, the reader will not be disappointed. Rich has included a new collection of delicious recipes for her fans in culinary crime.

THE HANGING TREE, by Bill Knox is the eighteenth in the series of novels to feature Detective Superintendent Colin Thane. In his attempt to break a multimillion-dollar videotape racket, Thane comes to realize that counterfeit videotapes are big business - big enough to attract the backing of organized crime. A false passport, a videotape of a hot American film, and cash all play a part in this interesting mystery.

WHERE SHOULD HE DIE by Sara Woods is the latest in a series of Woods mysteries in which Anthony Matland is called upon to help solve a crime. The plot involves a beautiful, young nurse - Veronica Proctor - who has been hired to tend a very rich old man. When the latter dies, Ms. Proctor is named as the sole heir. Events become involved when the dead man's family contests the will. This is a brilliant blend of intricate plotting and courtroom suspense, showcasing Woods style at its best.

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H grounds, and access to the Flz and Grand Rivers makes it a natural for a recreation area. Developed and maintained properly, this area has the potential for recreation and beauty in the heart of our City. Lowell needs Recreation Park as well as new park facilities proposed by the City.

In addition, we would like to say that anyone who has walked or driven by the industry in question can see a lack of stewardship for maintaining the area in and around its facilities. How can the City seriously consider multiplying this already serious blight in our community?

The Garden Club wishes to be constructive in its approach to this sensitive problem, realizing that the decisions involved are far from simple and may have more than one answer. Let's have progress but not at the expense of sacrificing recreational areas.

Thank you for allowing the citizens of the community to express our opinions.

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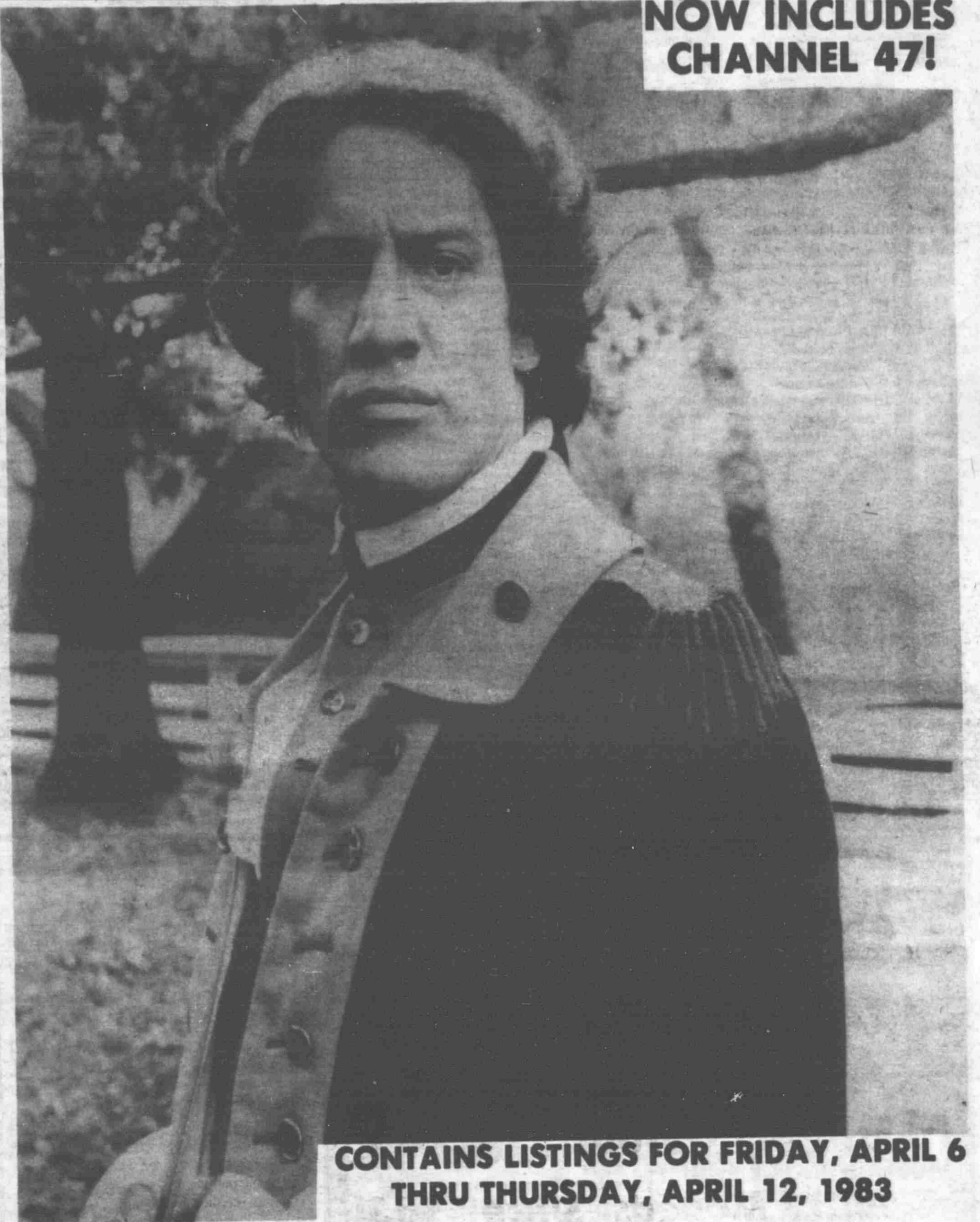
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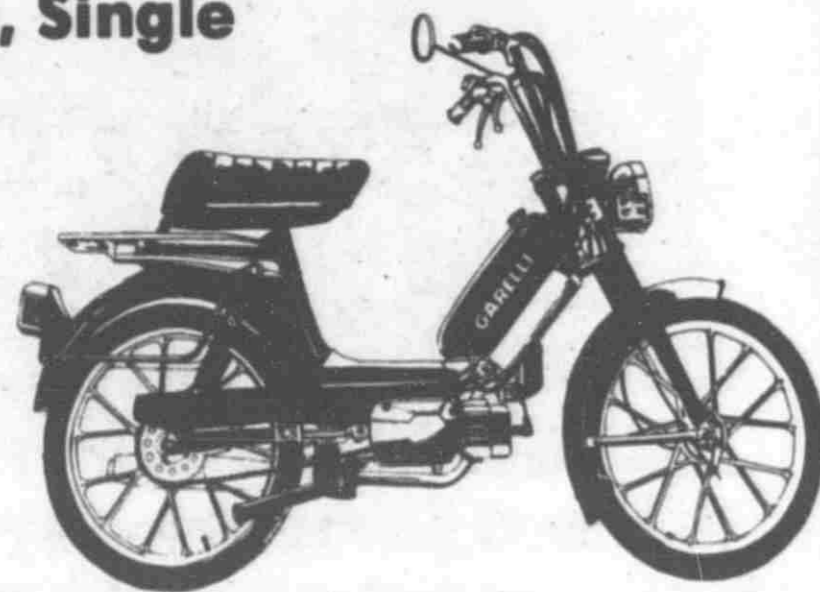
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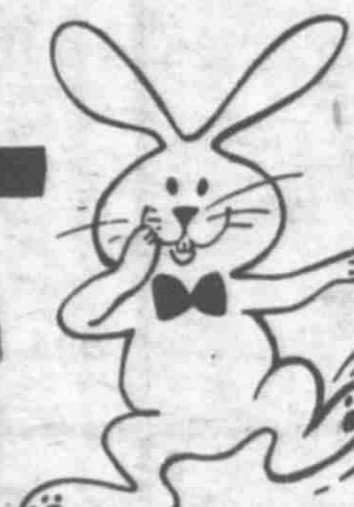
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6:30AM [MAX] - 'Megaforce'
8:30AM [HBO] - 'Tender Mercies'

Tomorrow A married man, feeling neglected, turns to a former sweetheart, Barbara Stanwyck, Fred McMurtry, Joan Bennett, 1956.
NCAA Division II Women's Basketball Championship from Springfield, MA
[HBO] MOVIE: 'Silver Dream Race'

- 12:00 [HBO] Video Jukebox
[IMAX] MOVIE: 'I See a Dark Stranger'
[MOVIE: 'In the Doghouse'

Copperfield VI
[13] Benson
[17] Christian Blind Mission
[47] MOVIE: 'Victory at Entebbe'

- 6:00 [13] News
[17] Little House on the Prairie
[47] Eight is Enough
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Nights
[13] TV's Greatest Comedians
[17] West Michigan Wheel
[47] 700 Club
[47] Old Couple

- 6:00 [13] News
[17] Little House on the Prairie
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Two's Company
[13] MOVIE: 'Pillow of Death'
A respectable lawyer suddenly falls in love with another lawyer and goes insane. Lon Choney, Jr., Brenda Joyce, 1945.

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[IMAX] MOVIE: 'Cujo'
[13] Night Flight
[17] Last of the Summer Wine
[47] [HBO] MOVIE: 'Silver Dream Race'

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FRIDAY CONT.

SATURDAY

SATURDAY 4/7/84

- MORNING
5:00 [13] Night Tracks Cont'd
[17] Prog cont'd
[47] [HBO] Video Jukebox

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SATURDAY'S MOVIES
SATURDAY 4/7/84
6:00AM [HBO] - 'Dead Man Don't Wear Plaid'
8:00AM [HBO] - 'Black Stallion Returns'
8:30AM [MAX] - 'The Princess and the Cobble'

SATURDAY 4/7/84
11:15 Sports
11:30 [13] New Wilderness
[17] Amazing Spiderman/Incredible Hulk
[47] Hecksle and Jockle

SATURDAY CONT.

- USA Super Cartoon Saturday
Auto Racing '84: Formula One Brazilian Grand Prix
News/Sports/Weather
Livewire
Step Too Slow
Auction
Motorweek Illustrated
Good Times
Newsmakers Saturday
The Third Eye
EVENING
6:00 News
Greatest American Hero
Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
New Tech Times
MAX MOVIE: 'Second Thoughts'

- Switch
Hee How
Star Search
Fame
Muppet Show
Newman's Apple
People's Court
Down to Earth
Cover Story
Alas Smith and Jones
SportsCenter
News Update
Reggie Jackson's World of Sports
Sports Saturday
Good Neighbors
7:30 PM Magazine
Major League Baseball: Montreal at Atlanta
NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs: Division Semifinals
At The Movies
Mr. Wizard's World
Evans and Novak
Mr. Wizard's World
On Stage America
Dr. James Dobson: Focus on the Family Pt. II
Different Strokes
MOVIE: 'Something to Sing About'
MOVIE: 'Promote!'
HBO MOVIE: 'The Black Stallion Returns'

- Watersfront
MOVIE: 'The Battle of the Commandos'
MAX MOVIE: 'The Pawler'
Spy
Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at San Diego
News/Sports/Weather
Double Feature: Dandel and Sally
INN News
HBO MOVIE: 'Frances'
TBS Evening News
Countdown to '84
Unknown War
News
M*A*S*H
Rock Palace
Night Flight
Western Endowment
SportsCenter
Sports Tonight
Star Trek
Your Money
Meat's Family
News
This Week in Japan
Mickey Spillane's Mike Hammer
MOVIE: 'Fantasy Island'
Paul McCartney Special
Entertainment This Week
Yellow Rose
MOVIE: 'Promote!'
HBO MOVIE: 'Superman III'
John Ankerberg
Pinnacle
Night Tracks
MOVIE: 'The Savage is Loose'

- Best of 700 Club
Solid Gold
Blasphemous Watch
MAX MOVIE: 'Used Cars'
M*A*S*H
Night Tracks Cont'd
Prog cont'd
Best of 700 Club
Sports Update
Country Jukebox
Crosstie
Night Flight
Heritage Singer
Editor's Desk
SportsCenter
News/Sports/Weather
HBO MOVIE: 'Touché'
Hi Doug
MAX MOVIE: 'Hanged Man'
Hardy Boys/Nancy Drew Mysteries
Father Murphy
Cartoon Theater
Ripley's Believe It or Not!
Best of World Championship Wrestling
Dragon!
Hogan's Heroes
NBA Basketball: Houston vs. Seattle from Tacoma, WA
Off the Record
Benny Hill Show
Week in Review
Hogan's Heroes
Open Up
Larry Jones Ministry
SportsCenter
News/Sports/Weather
Spider's Web
Mission: Impossible
Independent Network

- Sgt. Bilko
Fame
Love Connection
Patrol
New Serendipity Singers
John Oates
Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
Skiing: Dual Downhill Race
Style With Elsa Klensch
With/Without
Name Of The Game
ABC News
Mr. Wizard's World
NBA Tonight
60 Minutes
Entertainment This Week
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Great Pleasure Hunt
INN News
Taking Advantage
Oral Roberts
Ovation
Rock Church Proclaims
ABC News
7:00 Club
News
Martin the Emancipator
Firing Line
Michigan Outdoors
Jerry Falwell
MAX SCTV #10
Twilight Zone
Sports Tonight
News
Veggie
MOVIE: 'The Long Goodbye'
Philip Marlowe becomes involved with murder and strange characters in Hollywood. Elliot Gould, Sterling Hayden, Nina Van Pallandt. 1973
Rockford Files
Yellow Rose
How the West Was Won
Crossfire
Dennis the Menace
News Update
HBO MOVIE: 'Cold Room'
Bat Patrol
Media Watch
MOVIE: 'Beverly Hills Cop'
The Beverly Hills Cop. Huntz Hall. 1947.
Big Story
World/Large

SUNDAY

- SUNDAY 4/8/84
MORNING
5:00 Sports Review
Zane Grey Theatre
Professional Rodeo from Mesquite, TX
Money Week
Captain Kangaroo
CNN Headlines News
Heritage Singers
Baseball 1984 - A Look Ahead
News Update
Sacred Heart
Media Watch
Music and the Spoken

- Word
New Zoo Revue
Rural Route 10
HBO: Misunderstood Monsters
MAX MOVIE: 'Dot and the Bunny'
Lesson
Style With Elsa Klensch
With/Ring
Captain Kangaroo
W.V. Grant
Ernest Angley
Tennessee Tuxedo
Sunday Morning
World Ministries Other Angel
When I Grow Up
World Tomorrow
Sunday Cartoon Express

- News/Sports/Weather
Pinwheel
Jerry Falwell
Lafayette on Family Life
Underdog
Dr. James Kennedy Religion
Jimmy Swaggart
Jack Van Impe
HBO MOVIE: 'Kingfisher'
It Is Written
Jewish Voice
Day of Discovery
Numero Uno
Big Story
Chenal 3 Clubhouse
Rev. Stanley
Rex Humbard
King Leonardo
Sesame Street
Jimmy Swaggart
Cartoon Carnival
MAX MOVIE: 'Magafora'
Zola Levitt
Three Scars
SportsCenter
News/Sports/Weather
Calendar
Sun/Service
Wesleyan Singers
Oral Roberts
Dudley Do-Right
Kenneth Copeland
Robert Schuller
Starcade
Fellowship of Excitement
Crossfire
W/This Ring
Sunday Morning
Harold of Truth
Message From Calvary
Sesame Street
Expect a Miracle
HBO MOVIE: 'Bugs Bunny's 3rd Movie: 1001 Rabbit Tails'
Leave It to Beaver
Kenneth Copeland
Mass for Shut-Ins
ESPN's SportsWoman
News/Sports/Weather
Jim Bakker
Comedy Tonight
Johnny Quest
Catholic Mass
Jerry Falwell
Rex Humbard
Andy Griffith
Heritage of Faith
Gymnastics: NCAA Division II Men's Team Championship from Springfield, MA
Evans and Novak

- MOVIE: 'But Not For Me'
A young secretary pursues a romance with a Broadway producer. Clark Gable, Lili Palmer, Carroll Baker. 1959.
Community Calendar
Bowling
Inside Story
Victory Garden
World Tomorrow
HBO MOVIE: 'Superman III'
All American Wrestling
Dr. James Kennedy Religion
Wild, Wild West
ESPN's Speedweek
News/Sports/Weather
You Can't Do That On TV
Vigil Ward Fishing
Human Dimensions
American Sportsman
Meet the Press
Comment
Entreprise
House For All Seasons
This Week with David Brinkley
Sports Plus
Crosstie
The Third Eye
Auto Racing '84: NASCAR Northwest Bank 400 from North Wilkesboro, NC
MAX MOVIE: 'Dream House'
Tales of the Unexpected
One Step Beyond
News Update
One Last Ride
Freeman Report
NBA Basketball: Lakers at Portland
Miller Dart Finals
At The Movies
Architecture/ Paul Rudolph
MOVIE: 'A Little Game'
A man overhauls his stepson and a friend talking about the little games they play at school that may have resulted in the death of a classmate. Ed Nelson, Diane Baker. 1971.
This Week in Baseball
Wonder Woman
Fun Moments in Sports
Nabisco/Dinah Shore Invitational Golf
Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau
Scholastic Sports Acad.
Wagon Train
Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at San Diego
PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Final Round from Greensboro, NC
News Update
Health Week
Legal Briefs
HBO MOVIE: 'Kingfisher'
You'll Mag. for Women
Pinnacle
Gunsmoke
Holtz Call
Sanford and Son
All Creatures Great and Small
MOVIE: 'Smoky and the Hotwire Gang'
Rockford Files
Cousins/Amazon
MAX MOVIE: 'Serenata'
The Best Years of Our Lives
Candid Camera Hour
MOVIE: 'On the Old Spanish Trail'
Roy Rogers becomes a singing cowboy with a travelling show in order to help pay off a debt. Roy Rogers, Jana Frazer, Andy Devine. 1947.
News/Sports/Weather
Livewire
Star Search
Home Sweet Home
Newsmaker Sunday

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MONDAY 4/9/84

- MORNING
5:00 [HBO] All American Wrestling
5:15 [MAX] MOVIE: 'Dream House'

MONDAY'S MOVIES

- 5:15AM [MAX] - 'Dream House'
7:00AM [MAX] - 'Black Beauty'
8:00AM [HBO] - 'Hammitt'

MONDAY 4/9/84

- AFTERNOON
12:00 [HBO] MOVIE: 'Mirror Crack'd'

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TUESDAY 4/10/84

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WEDNESDAY

- WEDNESDAY 4/11/84
MORNING
5:00 [HBO] All American Wrestling
5:15 [MAX] MOVIE: 'Dream House'

WEDNESDAY'S MOVIES

- 6:00AM [MAX] - 'The Princess and the Cobbler'
6:30AM [HBO] - 'Tommy Stinson'

- 6:45 SportsCenter
6:50 [HBO] MOVIE: 'China' A truck driver, turned profiteer, comes to the aid of the Chinese. Lorelei Young, Alan Ladd, William Bendis. 1943.

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- 8:00 [HBO] MOVIE: 'The Princess and the Cobbler'
8:30 [HBO] MOVIE: 'Tommy Stinson'

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6:30AM [HBO] - 'Tommy Stinson'

THURSDAY

- THURSDAY 4/12/84
MORNING
5:00 [HBO] All American Wrestling
5:15 [MAX] MOVIE: 'Dream House'

THURSDAY'S MOVIES

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6:00AM [HBO] - 'Challenge for Robin Hood'

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"Though modesty is a virtue, bashfulness is a vice." - Benjamin Franklin



A sheet of fabric wastebasket helps give a room a nice soft smell in a hurry.

THIS WEEK'S SPORTS AT A GLANCE...

FRIDAY 4/6/84

- 5:30AM **21** - Sports Probe
- 8:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 8:15AM **26** - ESPN's Speedweek
- 8:45AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 9:00AM **26** - NCAA Division II Women's Basketball Championship from Springfield, MA
- 12:00PM **26** - Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City, NJ
- 2:00PM **21** - Nabisco/Dinah Shore Open Golf
- 2:30PM **26** - ESPN's Speedweek
- 3:00PM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Second Round from Greensboro, NC
- 5:00PM **26** - World Cup Alpine Skiing
- 6:00PM **26** - ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
- 6:30PM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 7:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 7:30PM **17** - Major League Baseball: Montreal at Atlanta
- 8:00PM **26** - Inside the USFL
- 8:30PM **21** - Pro Boxing
- 9:00PM **26** - NCAA Division II Gymnastics Championships - Individual Competition
- 10:00PM **26** - Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at San Diego
- 11:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 11:15PM **26** - Best Kicks of '83: PKA Karate Anthology
- 12:45AM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 1:15AM **26** - ESPN's Speedweek
- 1:45AM **26** - Inside the USFL
- 2:15AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 2:30AM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Second Round from Greensboro, NC
- 4:30AM **26** - Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City, NJ

SATURDAY 4/7/84

- 7:00AM **26** - ESPN's Speedweek
- 7:30AM **26** - ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
- 8:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 8:15AM **26** - Instructional
- 8:30AM **21** - Scholastic Sports Acad.
- 8:45AM **26** - Inside the USFL
- 9:00AM **26** - FIS World Cup Skiing: Women's Slalom from Waterville Valley, NH
- 10:00AM **5** **17** - Championship Wrestling
- 10:15AM **21** - Sports Probe
- 10:30AM **26** - High School All-American Cheerleading Championships
- 11:00AM **21** - Scholastic Sports Acad.
- 11:30AM **26** - Play Your Best Tennis
- 12:00PM **26** - NFL's Greatest Moments
- 12:30PM **26** - NCAA Division II Gymnastics Championships - Individual Competition
- 1:30PM **10** **10** - Major League Baseball: Teams to be Announced
- 2:30PM **15** **17** - NCAA Lacrosse: Virginia at Maryland
- 3:00PM **8** **8** - Major League Baseball: Teams to be Announced
- 3:00PM **26** - Play Your Best Tennis
- 3:00PM **4** **41** - Sportsbeat
- 3:30PM **4** **41** **13** - Professional Bowlers Tour
- 4:00PM **3** **3** **6** **6** - CBS Sports Saturday
- 4:30PM **8** **8** - Nabisco/Dinah Shore Invitational Golf
- 5:00PM **4** **41** **13** - Wide World of Sports
- 6:00PM **17** - World Championship Wrestling
- 7:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 7:30PM **17** - Major League Baseball: Montreal at Atlanta
- 8:00PM **26** - USFL Football: Birmingham at Jacksonville
- 10:00PM **26** - Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at San Diego
- 11:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 12:00AM **26** - ESPN's Wide World of Championship Skiing
- 1:00AM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Third Round from Greensboro, NC
- 3:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 4:00AM **26** - Best Kicks of '83: PKA Karate Anthology

SUNDAY 4/8/84

- 5:30AM **26** - Professional Rodeo from Mesquite, TX
- 7:00AM **26** - Numara Uno
- 8:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 9:00AM **26** - ESPN's SportsWoman
- 9:30AM **26** - Gymnastics: NCAA Division II Men's Team Championship from Springfield, MA
- 11:00AM **26** - Fishin' Hole
- 12:00PM **8** **8** - Bowling
- 12:15AM **21** - All American Wrestling
- 12:30PM **26** - ESPN's Speedweek
- 12:45PM **26** - Sports Plus
- 12:45PM **26** - Auto Racing '84: NASCAR Northwestern Bank 400 from North Wilkesboro, NC
- 1:00PM **3** **3** **6** **6** - NBA Basketball: New York at Philadelphia
- 1:30PM **8** **8** - SpeedWorld
- 2:00PM **4** **41** - American Sportsman
- 2:30PM **4** **41** - Major League Baseball: Montreal at Atlanta
- 3:30PM **10** **10** - Major League Baseball: Detroit at Chicago White Sox
- 4:00PM **8** **8** - NBA Basketball: Los Angeles at Portland
- 4:00PM **8** **8** - Nabisco/Dinah Shore Invitational Golf
- 4:00PM **21** - Scholastic Sports Acad.
- 4:00PM **26** - Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at San Diego
- 4:00PM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Final Round from Greensboro, NC
- 6:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 6:45PM **26** - NBA Tonight
- 7:00PM **26** - NBA Basketball: Houston vs. Seattle from Tacoma, WA
- 7:30PM **21** - NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs
- 9:30PM **26** - NBA Basketball: Phoenix at Denver
- 12:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 12:30AM **26** - Skiing: Dual Downhill Race
- 1:00AM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Final Round from Greensboro, NC
- 2:00AM **21** - NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs
- 3:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 3:30AM **26** - NBA Basketball: Houston vs. Seattle from Tacoma, WA

MONDAY 4/9/84

- 5:00AM **21** - All American Wrestling
- 8:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 8:30AM **26** - Mazda SportsLook

9:00AM **26** - Auto Racing '84: Formula One Brazilian Grand Prix

- 10:30AM **26** - Skiing: Dual Downhill Race
- 11:00AM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Second Round from Greensboro, NC
- 1:00PM **26** - USFL Football: Birmingham at Jacksonville
- 4:00PM **26** - NBA Basketball: Phoenix at Denver
- 6:30PM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 7:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 7:30PM **26** - Inside Baseball
- 8:00PM **21** - Sundry Cup Tennis
- 8:00PM **26** - NASCAR Darlington Dash Series - Spring 100
- 9:00PM **26** - USFL Football: Los Angeles at Denver
- 10:30PM **26** - Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Los Angeles
- 12:00AM **21** - Year in Tennis
- 12:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 12:15AM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 12:45AM **26** - Auto Racing '84: Formula One Brazilian Grand Prix
- 1:30AM **21** - Foot Locker Track and Field Meet
- 2:15AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 2:30AM **26** - Inside Baseball
- 3:00AM **26** - USFL Football: Washington at Houston or Los Angeles at Denver

TUESDAY 4/10/84

- 8:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 8:15AM **26** - Inside Baseball
- 8:45AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 9:00AM **26** - ESPN's SportsWoman
- 9:30AM **26** - Best Kicks of '83: PKA Karate Anthology
- 11:00AM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Third Round from Greensboro, NC
- 1:00PM **26** - Auto Racing '84: Formula One Brazilian Grand Prix
- 2:30PM **26** - Inside Baseball
- 3:00PM **26** - USFL Football: Washington at Houston or Los Angeles at Denver
- 6:00PM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 6:30PM **26** - This Week in the NBA
- 7:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 7:30PM **17** - Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta
- 8:00PM **21** - NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs
- 8:00PM **26** - Inside the PGA Tour
- 8:00PM **26** - Amateur Boxing: USA vs. Cuba from Reno, NV
- 11:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 11:15PM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 11:45PM **26** - USFL Football: Washington at Houston or Los Angeles at Denver
- 12:00AM **21** - NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs
- 2:45AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 3:00AM **21** - Sports Probe
- 3:00AM **26** - This Week in the NBA
- 3:30AM **26** - Auto Racing '84: Formula One Brazilian Grand Prix

WEDNESDAY 4/11/84

- 5:00AM **26** - Rough and Tumble World of Australian Rules Football Down Under
- 8:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 8:15AM **26** - This Week in the NBA
- 8:45AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 9:00AM **26** - Numara Uno
- 9:30AM **26** - Australian Rules Football: Match # 1
- 11:00AM **26** - PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Open - Final Round from Greensboro, NC
- 1:00PM **26** - 7th Annual Relax Invitational Junior Tennis Championships from Fort Washington, NY
- 3:00PM **26** - ESPN's Wide World of Championship Skiing
- 4:00PM **26** - Track and Field: Colgate Women's Games
- 5:00PM **26** - ESPN's SportsWoman
- 5:30PM **17** - Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Chicago Cubs
- 6:00PM **26** - Play Your Best Tennis
- 6:00PM **26** - Fishin' Hole
- 6:30PM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 7:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 7:30PM **26** - Auto Racing '84: NASCAR Northwestern Bank 400 from North Wilkesboro, NC
- 8:00PM **21** - NBA Basketball: New York at Boston
- 9:30PM **26** - PKA Full Contact Karate (Season Premiere)
- 10:30PM **21** - NBA Basketball: Portland at Los Angeles
- 11:00PM **26** - Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Los Angeles
- 11:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 11:15PM **26** - ESPN's SportsWoman
- 11:45PM **26** - Vintage Football Film: Great Years
- 12:45AM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 1:15AM **26** - Inside the PGA Tour
- 1:45AM **26** - Fishin' Hole
- 2:00AM **21** - NBA Basketball: New York at Boston
- 2:15AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 2:30AM **26** - ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
- 3:00AM **26** - Horshoew Jumping: U.S. Open Jumping Championship from Charlotte, NC

THURSDAY 4/12/84

- 5:00AM **26** - Inside the PGA Tour
- 5:30AM **26** - ESPN's SportsWoman
- 8:00AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 8:15AM **26** - ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
- 8:45AM **26** - SportsCenter
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- 11:00AM **26** - Auto Racing '84: NASCAR Northwestern Bank 400 from North Wilkesboro, NC
- 2:00PM **26** - PKA Full Contact Karate (Season Premiere)
- 3:30PM **26** - FIS World Cup Skiing: Women's Giant Slalom from Waterville Valley, NH
- 4:00PM **21** - Masters Golf Tournament
- 5:00PM **26** - Bianchi Cup Pistol Tour.
- 5:30PM **26** - Skiing: Dual Downhill Race
- 6:00PM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 6:30PM **26** - Numara Uno
- 7:00PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 7:30PM **26** - ESPN's Speedweek
- 8:00PM **21** - Masters Golf Tournament
- 8:00PM **26** - NFL's Greatest Moments: Best Ever Teams
- 9:00PM **26** - Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV
- 10:00PM **17** - Major League Baseball: Atlanta at San Diego
- 11:30PM **3** **3** **6** **6** - Masters Golf
- 11:30PM **26** - SportsCenter
- 11:45PM **26** - Mazda SportsLook
- 12:15AM **26** - Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV

1:30AM **21** - NHL Stanley Cup Playoffs

- 2:45AM **26** - SportsCenter
- 3:00AM **26** - Auto Racing '84: NASCAR Northwestern Bank 400 from North Wilkesboro, NC
- 4:30AM **21** - Sports Probe



The first enclosed baseball field opened at Union Grounds, Brooklyn, NY in 1862.

DAYTIME

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

MORNING AFTERNOON

- 5:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - CBS News Nightwatch
- 5:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Varied Programs
- 5:30 **10** **10** **10** **10** - Jim Bakker
- 5:30 **10** **10** **10** **10** - Another Life
- 5:30 **10** **10** **10** **10** - Crossfire
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Ag-Day
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Morning Stretch
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 20 Minute Workout
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 700 Club
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Loveme & Shirley & Co.
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Jimmy Swaggart
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - TBS Morning News
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - IMAXI All-Day Movies
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Stoney
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Ramper Room
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Chico and the Man
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Business Times on ESPN
- 6:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Daybreak
- 6:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - CBS Early Morning News
- 6:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - ABC News This Morning
- 6:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - NBC News at Sunrise
- 6:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Hooked on Aerobics
- 6:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - ABC News
- 6:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - A Study in the World
- 6:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Faith 20
- 6:45 **3** **3** **6** **6** - CBS Morning News
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Good Morning America
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 17 Capper
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Tennessee Tuxedo
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Today
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Varied Programs
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - SuperStation Funtime
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - USA Cartoon Express
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Fit for Life
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Top/Morning
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Business Times on ESPN
- 7:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Livewire
- 7:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Varied Programs
- 7:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Underdog
- 7:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - To Life!
- 7:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Weather
- 7:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - I Dream of Jeannie
- 7:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Alive
- 7:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Muppet Show
- 7:45 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Weather
- 7:45 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Varied Programs
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Inspector Gadget
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Bullwinkle
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Sesame Street
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Bewitched
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Blondie
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Bazo Show
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Varied Programs
- 8:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Weather
- 8:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Great Space Coaster
- 8:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Inspector Gadget
- 8:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Wild World of Animals
- 8:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - I Love Lucy
- 8:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - My Little Mermaid
- 8:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Today's Special
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Hour Magazine
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 700 Club
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Match Game/Hollywood Squares Hour
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Donahue
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Great American Movie Network
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Family
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Instructional Programs
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Sesame Street
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Waltons
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Movie
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - College
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Debbie Gillis
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Daywatch
- 9:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Pinwheel
- 9:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - I Married Joan
- 9:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Beverly Hillsbillies
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - New \$25,000 Pyramid
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - PTL Club
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - More Real People
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Facts of Life
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Woman to Woman
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - IMAXI All-Day Movies
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Candid Camera Hour
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 700 Club
- 10:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Movie
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Press Your Luck
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Edge of Night
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Sale of the Century
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 2-2-1, Contact
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Love Connection
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Price Is Right
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Benson
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Doris Day
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Waltons
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Wheel of Fortune
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Electric Company
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Benson
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Let's Make a Deal
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Leave It to Beaver
- 10:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Livewire
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 2-2-1, Contact
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Little House on the Prairie
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Candid Camera Hour
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Tic Tac Dough
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Loveme and Shirley
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Newswatch
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Livewire
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Bewitched
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Live at 5:30
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - 2-2-1, Contact
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Varied Programs
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Three's Company
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Let's Make a Deal
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Leave It to Beaver
- 11:00 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Livewire
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Deaf for Living
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - L.A. Law
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - INN News
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Dream House
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Hooked on Aerobics
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Taxes
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Great American Home-maker
- 11:30 **3** **3** **6** **6** - Another Life

1984's Best Places for Smelt Dipping

It's time for anglers to begin preparations to scoop up bucketfuls of smelt during the annual runs in April and May, according to the Automobile Club of Michigan.

The silvery fish which averages 8 inches long and 2 ounces in weight is considered one of the Great Lakes' best tasting species, whether broiled, pan fried or deep fried in batter.

Sixty Great Lakes smelt hot spots, including Canada's Point Pelee National Park and the Wheatley area southwest of Detroit, are listed on the Auto Club's 1984 Smelt Guide.

Most Auto Club fishing contacts expect this season's runs to be as good as last year, which was rated average.

As usual, Lake Huron beaches and tributaries should be the sites of the state's best runs. Since many lakeshore beaches are private, anglers should check whether permission is required before donning waders.

Peak runs are expected April 10-25 in Lowell Michigan. Due to cooler water temperatures, Upper Peninsula smelt runs off Lake Superior and its tributaries should peak April 17,30.

Best smelt runs usually occur between 10 P.M. and 1 A.M. in water temperatures of 40 to 45 degrees. Runs occasionally occur during daylight hours.

Officials at Point Pelee have set extended hours for smelt dippers at the park from April 13-29. During those days, the park will be open until 2 A.M

Know what's new with your 1983 tax return

When you prepare your 1983 Federal Income Tax Return, you may notice some changes. Although there are fewer new rules to contend with than last year, these rule changes can be confusing and easily overlooked.

Last year, those changes meant headaches to taxpayers and the IRS. According to the IRS, two million married couples neglected to take a hefty new deduction for two-earner couples and another 377,000 botched the new child and dependent care credit formula. To avoid losing out on tax savings and to keep out of trouble with the IRS, the Michigan Association of CPAs urges you to take a closer look at what's new on your 1983 income tax return.

The deduction for married couples, when both spouses work, is twice what it was last year. A two-earner couple should subtract 10 percent (up to \$3,000) from the earned income

of the lower-paid spouse. Take this deduction in Part III of Form 1040A, or on line 29 of Form 1040.

Medical expense deductions will be calculated against a stiff new formula this year. Deduct only those medical and rental expenses that exceed five percent of your adjusted gross income. That means an individual with a \$15,000 adjusted gross income can deduct medical expenses only if they total more than \$750.

Besides that, the separate deduction for half of your health insurance premiums (up to \$150) has been eliminated. But you may include the cost of medical insurance premiums with other medical and dental expenses.

The casualty and theft loss deduction, which works like the medical deduction, also changes on the 1983 tax returns. Now you can deduct only unreimbursed casualty and theft losses that exceed 10 percent of your income. You must also reduce each casu-

ality loss by \$100. The new casualty and theft loss rules severely limit the size of deductions. For instance, someone with a \$15,000 adjusted gross income whose basement is flooded can only deduct unreimbursed losses above \$1,600.

Another change in IRS procedure concerns the reporting of state and local income tax refunds. Refunds received from state and local governments have always been taxable, but now, for the first time, local government agencies are sending the federal government statements on the amount of your refund. A copy of that statement, the 1099-G, will also be sent to you. You must add the amount of your 1982 refund to your 1983 taxable income, unless you did not deduct state or local income taxes last year.

Motorists who use their cars for business may now deduct 20-1/2 cents a mile for the first 15,000 miles of business travel.

That's a half-cent increase in the standard mileage rate deduction over last year. Other mileage deductions are unchanged. It's 11 cents a mile for business travel over 15,000 miles; nine cents for medical and volunteer travel.

In addition to the changes in rules, the IRS has altered its forms. Form 1040EZ, introduced last year to simplify filing for singles who earn less than \$50,000, looks different. The new format allows for optical scanning of the EZs which promises to speed processing of returns while lowering IRS labor costs.

Form 1040A, the traditional short form, has also undergone changes so that more people will be able to use it. You can now use the short form to adjust your income for an IRA contribution by using line 11 of that form.

Paying attention to the changes in filing your income tax return will save you and the IRS trouble and money, and it lessens the chance that you will be audited.

4-H offers shooting sports

Are you interested in archery, skeet shooting, rifle target shooting or muzzle loaders? If so... then 4-H has a project for you! The 4-H Shooting Sports program offers 5 different areas - skeet and trap, archery, 22 rifle, muzzle loaders, and air guns. Youth receive "hands-on" experience as they learn the proper way to handle firearms. The program emphasizes safety and respect for the firearms and is geared towards target shooting. Competition is an exciting part of the program... for club competitions right on up to the State Shooting Sports Tournament. Shooting, like all 4-H projects, helps young people to learn new skills, develop confidence in themselves and develop social skills.

We are actively seeking adults and youth who would like to become involved in the 4-H Shooting Sports program. If you would like to know more about this exciting project, please contact Pat Tolle at the Kent County 4-H office, 386 Fuller, N.E., Grand Rapids, MI 49503 (774-3265).

Kent County Cooperative Extension Service is an Educational unit of Michigan State University. Kent County Extension offers up-to-date information and educational programs in Agriculture, Horticulture, 4-H, Family Living, Homemaking Clubs, Nutrition, Energy, Natural Resources and Public Policy. For more information, call 774-3265.

LETTER POLICY

The Ledger invites readers to express their feelings on topics of general interest in letters to the editor.

Letters should be no longer than 600 words and typed double space if possible. They should be addressed to The Editor, Box 128, 105 N. Broadway, Lowell, MI 49331. All letters must be signed by the author.

The Grand Valley Ledger retains the right to edit all letters for punctuation, grammar, spelling and length but not for content.

Kent County Cooperative Ex-

Grand Haven's 150th birthday celebration

Long before the white man arrived, Michigan Indians realized the importance of the Grand River as a natural inland highway for transportation of their furs for trading.

The protected entrance of the wide, 250-mile-long river at Lake Michigan here was called "Gagabouache", meaning "big mouth" and it became the site of a major trading post.

In 1834, Rev. William M. Ferry and an entourage of twenty settlers sailed into Gagabouache and translated the Indian-named harbor into "Grand Haven."

Rev. Ferry picked Grand Haven, in central west Michigan, as the site of a new city after exploration of the full length of the Grand River from its mouth southeastward to its source 250 miles inland at Grass Lake, near Jackson.

Rev. Ferry's historic exploration voyage is being re-created this spring as one of the highlight events of Grand Haven's 150th birthday celebration.

A group of Grand Haven business and professional men and women, members of the clergy, educators and other citizens will retrace Rev. Ferry's trip each weekend, starting in early April, aboard an authentic Indian war canoe. The canoe, being built in Chicago, will be 26 feet in length with a four foot beam and will carry twelve passengers, about half of whom will paddle.

The Grand Haven Representatives plan to greet members of the Jackson City Council on April 3. On following Monday evenings the canoeists will meet with officials of other river-side communities, including Eaton Rapids, Lansing, Grand Ledge, Portland, Ionia, Lowell, Ada and Grand Rapids.

The canoe will arrive at Gagabouache on the afternoon of Memorial Day, May 28 and appropriate ceremonies will be held at Grand Haven's waterfront stadium.

The Grand river odyssey is one of some 100 activities in the

city's year-long Sesquifest.

Another upcoming highlight event will be the Queen's Cup celebration, starting June 26. Some 200 sailboats will participate in the annual Queen's Cup sailing race from Milwaukee, Wis., to Grand Haven. An ox roast and other entertainment is planned for the visiting yachtsmen, and visitors will be able to tour the municipal marina to see the huge sailing fleet.

The patriotic Independence Day parade will be held on Saturday, July 7. The day before, Indians from seven nations will arrive for the traditional annual Indian Ceremonial to be held at the city's Mulligan's Hollow park. Ritual tribal dances and competitive events will take place on Friday and Saturday.

The city's Coast Guard Festival will be July 30-Aug. 5. Highlights of the festival, which annually attracts more than a quarter million spectators, include a two-hour parade, ship tours and spectacular fireworks.

September and October will be filled with local activities including a talent show, antique fashion show, heritage craft festival, community pageant and a climactic Founder's Day Banquet on Nov. 2, marking the day Rev. Ferry arrived at Gagabouache in 1834.

The Sesquifest is one of some 200 festive events scheduled in west Michigan this spring, summer and fall for the entertainment of visitors. Additional details on events, attractions and other facilities in west Michigan are available free from West Michigan Tourist Association, 136 Fulton Street, East, Grand Rapids, MI 49503.



Most of the fresh water on earth is unusable for living things; it is locked in the snow and ice at the poles and the peaks of the highest mountains.



Segebrush, the perennial that flourishes in the Western plains, is known for its sweet odor but bitter taste. Its wood is often used as fuel, giving off pleasant smelling smoke.

Council Proceedings

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS of the CITY COUNCIL of the CITY OF LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Regular Meeting of Tuesday, March 19, 1984.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by Mayor Maatman. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and the Roll called.

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

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Collins that the Minutes of the March 5 meeting be approved as written, supported by Councilman Fonger.

Carried.

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

Yes: Councilmen Collins, Fonger, Schneider, Thompson and Maatman.
No: None.
Absent: None.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS

General Fund	\$34,220.87
Major Street Fund	29.25
Sewer Fund	532.04
Water Fund	1,522.27
Equipment Fund	52,004.67
Trust and Agency Fund	2,138.00

Manager Quada announced that contract negotiations with the Police Department have been completed and recommended approval of the contract. He stated that each year the contract procedure is accomplished with no difficulty or conflict, which speaks well of the City.

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

WHEREAS, the City of Lowell has negotiated in good faith with the Lowell Police Officers Association; and

WHEREAS, the bargaining committee has reached an agreement providing for certain amendments to the 1983-84 contract between the City of Lowell and the Lowell Police Officers Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lowell City Council does hereby authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute a two (2) year agreement with the Lowell Police Officers Association incorporating the following amendments:

1. A 4.8% salary increase effective July 1, 1984

2. A 4.8% salary increase effective July 1, 1985
3. Expiration date extended to June 30, 1986
4. Longevity increase from \$30/yr for each year over 5 years to \$40/yr for each year over 5 years - Maximum to remain at \$400
5. Allow newly hired officers to accumulate one (1) sick leave day per month during the first year of employment instead of 1/2 day per month.
6. Extend the probationary period from six (6) months to one (1) year and prohibit membership in the association during that period.

Carried.

Manager Quada then reported that the initial contract for Christmas decorations had expired. He explained that the contract with Mid-Michigan Display had been for two years, contingent upon the satisfaction of service provided, with a renewal then of an additional two years. The company puts up the decorations, comes back several times to check on them, replace light bulbs, etc, then comes back after the holidays and removes them. The cost would remain at \$53 per pole, with 30 poles to be decorated. Citizens have commented on the nice change, but, Manager Quada stated, we could still resurrect the old Santas. Council was quick to decline.

The following resolution was then offered by Councilman Schneider supported by Councilman Thompson for adoption.

WHEREAS, the City of Lowell entered into a two (2) year trial agreement with Mid-Michigan Display for providing Christmas decorations and installation services; and

WHEREAS, said service and decorations were satisfactory to the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lowell City Council hereby extends its contract with Mid-Michigan Display for a period of two (2) years at a cost of \$53.00 per pole decorated.

Carried.

Mayor Maatman turned the meeting over to Manager Quada to conduct the election of offices for the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Manager Quada opened the floor for nominations for Chairman.

Councilman Schneider placed the name of Councilman Thompson in nomination supported by Councilman Fonger.

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Schneider that the nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot cast for Councilman Thompson, supported by Mayor Maatman.

Carried.

Manager Quada then turned the meeting over to Chairman

Thompson for the election of a Vice-Chairman.

Chairman Thompson opened the floor for nominations for Vice-Chairman.

Councilman Fonger placed the name of Councilman Schneider in nomination supported by Mayor Maatman.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Collins that the nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot be cast for Councilman Schneider, supported by Mayor Maatman.

Carried.

Chairman Thompson then opened the Public Hearing on the request of McDonald's Inc. for variances from the City's sign ordinance requirements: 1. a variance of square footage requirements, by 10.3 square feet for the main pylon sign; 2. a variance from front yard set-back, 12 feet within the required 25 feet; 3. a variance from square footage requirements for the directional signs, from 6 square feet to 7.3; and 4. a variance of 4 feet from side yard set-back requirements for the directional sign on the east side of the property.

Manager Quada introduced Mr. Bob Chappell, Michigan Real Estate Manager for McDonald's who explained the need for each of the variance requests.

1. The pylon sign is a standard size sign of 101.03 square feet. The City's ordinance requirement is for 91 square feet. Mr. Chappell explained that they would have to have a special sign made smaller to meet the requirements.

2. The front yard set-back requirement for location of the main sign is 25 feet from the property line. The request is to locate it 13 feet from the property line, in approximate alignment with other area business signs.

3. The square footage of the driveway directional signs from 6 square feet required to an increased to 7.3 square feet. The face of the sign is the proper size, but the identifying arches on the top of the signs constitutes the additional size.

4. A 4 foot variance from side yard requirements for the driveway directional signs from 25 feet to 21 feet on the east side of the property.

A discussion period followed.

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Schneider that all four (4) sign variances be granted as submitted by McDonald's Inc., supported by Councilman Collins.

Carried.

Chairman Thompson closed the hearing at 8:30 P.M.

He then opened the Public Hearing on the request of Mr. Gould Rivette for a variance from height requirements in an R-2 Single Family Residential zone, to allow the construction of a

1-1/2 story garage, with a height of 16 feet rather than the required 12 feet.

Mr. Rivette was present and explained that the garage would replace a smaller one that would be removed. He wishes to save a 120 year old tree between the house and garage, and would use the loft area as storage. All the houses in that block are 2-story dwellings and the additional height of the garage would still be lower than all the surrounding roof lines and would not look out of place.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Collins that the height variance as requested by Gould Rivette be granted, supported by Councilman Schneider.

Carried.

Chairman Thompson closed the hearing at 8:34 P.M.

He then opened the Public Hearing on the request of Roth Rental for a side-line variance to allow an addition to their existing building.

Mr. Dick Roth and Mr. Dale Finkler were present and explained that the addition would be two feet from the property line, as is the existing building, but that the building line would be straightened out. The existing building is at a slight angle to the property line, which would make the addition less than two feet from the property line, if not straightened out. The additional space would be for office space and storage.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Schneider that the sideline variance, as submitted by Roth Rental be granted, supported by Councilman Collins.

Carried.

Chairman Thompson closed the hearing at 8:36 P.M.

Manager Quada announced that he has received two additional requests for public hearings, one, a variance from height requirements in an R-2 Single Family Residential zone to allow construction of a 1-1/2 story garage at 420 N. Monroe, submitted by Brian Burke, the other a request for a variance from square footage living space requirements of 1500 square feet to 1100 square feet, in an R-1 Single Family Residential Zone to allow the construction of a home on N. Washington Street, submitted by Ned Swift.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Schneider that the Regular Meeting of April 16 be set as Public Hearings on the requests of Brian Burke and Ned Swift, supported by Councilman Collins.

Carried.

Chairman Thompson closed the Zoning Board of Appeals at 8:39 P.M. and turned the meeting back over to Mayor Maatman.

Under Citizen input and suggestion, Mr. Don Fizer of Michigan Wire Processing was present and announced that Michigan Wire is prepared to offer a total of \$75,000 for a five-acre parcel containing the ball diamond at Recreation Park. An outright payment of \$25,000 the first year, with the balance of \$50,000 to be paid off in five years at \$10,000 per year.

Manager Quada asked about an interest figure if payment were set up that way. Mr. Fizer replied that while he had not thought about interest, because of the large amount being offered, it could be negotiable.

Councilman Schneider commented that it was good of Mr. Fizer to make known his intentions and offer, it will not be an easy decision in any case. The Council also has mixed emotions on the subject, not wanting to lose any business or industry, but hating to lose a part of a longstanding park also.

Mr. Dave Clark stated that Lowell had invited Michigan Wire here in the first place, to that location, with open arms, to entice them to locate their operation inside Lowell. Also, the Park had been given to the Schools for a period of 15 years, there was no vote then. When the Schools gave a right-of-way to King Milling co., and the City built the Sewage Treatment Plant, there were no votes then either. Then the Schools promised to build a new grandstand with bleachers which was never done, then they gave it back to the City. Now it is time to take a long hard look at priorities. Lowell needs more and better recreation areas, but we also need the support of our industries in the City, or the City won't need any parks. When the City built the new ball diamond (on the property obtained for the West End Park) a 100 foot strip on one side was traded for another 100 foot strip on another side, for a new business plant, to keep them in the City.

Manager Quada stated for clarification, that in this particular case, the State law and the City Charter specifically state that the decision must rest with a 3/5 vote of the people first.

Mr. Gordon Hill stated that Michigan Wire should be treated like a junk yard and forced to fence in to hide and enclose the entire area, it could be dangerous if a youngster fell into one of the tanks used for stripping rust off the rolls of wire.

Councilman Collins asked Mr. Fizer if Michigan Wire was planning to build on the property if acquired. Mr. Fizer replied that they would build a new "heat treatment" building.

There were no Council remarks or reports.

Under the Manager's Report, Manager Quada headed a discussion on the dilapidated condition of the Curtis building on West Main Street and the abandoned house on East Main Street. The house is owned by Blackhawk, Inc. of Chicago. They have been contacted on numerous occasions and asked to either fix up or secure the house or tear it down. They have refused to do either. It is open and dangerous, with holes in the floors where boards have rotted through, etc., and kids have been in and around the structure.

Dine receives award

Consumers Power company has presented Robert Dine of Alto with the 1983 President's Award.

The award is given to employees of Consumers Power who promote safety among company members and the community. The Western Region, which includes the Grand Rapids office where Dine works, has not had an injury or any lost time due to accidents in over a year.

Dine's award reads, in part, "your professional excellence in the areas of accident and injury prevention helped Western Region achieve the best safety per-

formance index record in Consumers Power history, an impossible accomplishment except for the vision and example of those like you - the people in charge." Dine has been an employee of Consumers Power for 25 years, and a member of the Western Region Safety Committee for two years. Each of the 12 committee members received the award.

Councilman Collins asked if the City could condemn both buildings and tear them down. Manager Quada replied that the Curtis has had a quote from Bieri Bros. to demolish their building, but have not proceeded. The City has been reluctant to condemn and tear down any structure because of the law suit in about 1970 when a building on East Main Street collapsed, and the City had it removed because the owner did not. The court ruled that the City should have held one more public hearing than it did, consequently it cost the City approximately \$15,000.

The discussion continued that it could legally be done, and Council concurred to have the City Attorney thoroughly check the proper wording, etc. to get the buildings removed for safety's sake.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Thompson that condemnation proceedings be started against Blackhawk, Inc. supported by Councilman Collins.

Carried.

IT WAS THEN MOVED by Councilman Thompson that condemnation proceedings be started against Curtis Laundry and Dry Cleaners, supported by Councilman Fonger.

Yes: Councilmen Fonger, Schneider, Thompson and Maatman.
No: Councilman Collins.

Manager Quada requested an executive session at the close of the meeting to discuss pending litigation.

IT WAS MOVED BY Councilman Fonger that the Council adjourn into an executive session.

Manager Quada stated before adjournment, that Council would need to appoint a Lowell citizen who is a user of the Lowell Cable System, to the Lowell Cable TV System Citizens Advisory Board, and to be thinking of names of persons that could serve by next meeting.

Mr. Henry Erickson was present and asked if he could make a brief slide presentation at the next council meeting concerning what he feels are improper procedures in the installation of the Cable TV system.

Councilman Fonger stated he thought it should be shown to the Cable Board first, or invite the Board members to the Council meeting to make sure that they see it. Council concurred.

Support for adjournment by Councilman Schneider at 9:15 P.M.

Approved: April 2, 1984
James D. Maatman,
Mayor

Ray E. Quada
City Clerk

Flood of 1904 washes out bridge



Mildred Stauffer of 5115 Bancroft St., Alto brought in this interesting photo of the 1904 flood in Lowell. To get a perspective, we have figured out that the Photographer was atop the three story building that is now Lippert's General Offices on the corner of Main and Water Streets. The small white building in the foreground is the old King Milling co. office that now houses The Accounting Center. The building under construction across the street and on the other side of the washed out bridge is the current Rivertown Mall. Thanks for the use of the photo Mildred.

Host families sought

How would you like to have an international son or daughter live in your home next school year? Or for the second semester six month program? Youth for Understanding is looking for families interested in sharing their home with a foreign student. These exchange students come from such countries as Germany, France, Holland, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, Japan, the Philippines, Brazil, Colombia, as well as from many other European, and South American countries. To qualify, a family must be willing to provide understanding and love to the student. Youth for Understanding tries to match a student with a family, based on similar activities and interests. The host family provides room and board, but the students are expected to provide their own spending money and clothes. You as the host family play an important part in helping to make this a good experience for the exchange student. Youth for Understanding is now seeking homes for students who will arrive from 25 different countries in August and 10 Latin American countries in January. Learn about France, Denmark, Japan or other exciting countries from teenagers who live there. If you are interested, please call 800-878-0200, or write: Youth for Understanding, 6264 Dixie Hwy., Bridgeport, MI 48722.

See the sights

You too can experience the sights and sounds of our Nation's Capitol. See the White House . . . U.S. Capitol . . . National Cathedral . . . Smithsonian . . . Washington Monument . . . Take a cruise down the Potomac River and stop at Mount Vernon, the home of America's first President . . . shop in historic Old Towne, Alexandria . . . talk with your Congressman. All American Tours (G&M Coaches) and Congressman Hal Sawyer (R-Rockford) announce they are sponsoring bus trips to Washington, D.C. this year, and they still have openings on the following trips: DATES: May 15-20 and June 19-24. COST: \$299 Single Occupancy, \$239 Double Occupancy, \$215 Triple Occupancy, \$199 Quad Occupancy. Trip Includes: Round trip transportation via deluxe chartered motorcoach. Three nights Hotel accommodations at Howard Johnson Motor Lodge across from the Watergate Complex. 1-2/2 hour sightseeing cruise down the Potomac River to Mount Vernon, George Washington's home. Three hour guided night tour of Washington, D.C. Tour of Capitol with Congressman Hal Sawyer (if Congressional schedule permits) coffee and doughnuts following. Transfer to White House for Public tour. Tourmobile ticket for self guided sightseeing. QUESTIONS? CALL: Kim MacKellar, Congressman Sawyers Office - 451-8383 Burnyce Gilde, All American Tours (GM Coach) 791-2244.

'OUTDOORS'

with Jack Friesner

Our warming weather and consequent warming of the waters has brought on the Annual run of Steelhead up Michigan streams and will soon bring on the Smelt Spawning runs. The Great Lakes brown trout will also be in the shallow in shore areas, especially in, and around, river and stream mouths.

Good Steelhead fishing can be anticipated in several western Michigan streams. The Grand has a good run along with the Muskegon, White, Pentwater, Pere Marquette, Little and Big Manistee, Platte, Betsie, and several others. A few dark fish have been reported which were already spawned out. These fish were from last fall's run which wintered in the river systems.

Best Steelhead baits include wigglers, flies, spoons, spinners, and spawn; fresh cured, and artificial. Spawn and flies are best when presented by drifting the offering through the areas where fish are holding or spawning when fish can actually be seen in such areas. Flies are probably the better choice. Most patterns of wet or weighted flies are good. Favorite patterns include, Spring Nymphs, Muddlers, Skunk, and various stone fly patterns. I personally don't believe that the pattern makes much difference. Different colors for varying water and light conditions seems to be more important than pattern. Presentation is by far the most important aspect. In order for any drifted lure to be effective it must be within the fish holding plane of from two to eight inches off bottom and be on a natural drift. As for wiggler fishing, it is most productive by utilizing a bobber so the bait remains suspended in this same plane and drifted through the holding areas.

Spinners and spoons come into their best use when fishing big or discolored waters. They allow one to cover more water under these conditions, when the fish cannot be pinpointed. As with most stream fishing all casts should be made in a quartering upstream direction and the lure slowly retrieved through the swing. Some fish are taken on wobbling type plugs, fished directly downstream and allowed to work in the current, however, generally speaking, once a lure reaches a point quartering downstream, you should retrieve and re-cast, cover all potential fish holding water by varying the length of your casts, then move upstream or downstream and repeat.

Patience and perseverance are your most important personal assets, these and confidence in your tackle and ability, depicts the consistently successful fisherman. No one expects the novice to be instantaneously an expert and the amount of expensive tackle also means nothing. The only thing that makes a person successful is experience, and experience cannot be gained if you do not participate. We should have a good run this Spring. For the best in bait and tackle, stop by THE COMBINATION, 526 E. Main Street, Lowell.

Back to college workshop offered at Aquinas

Aquinas college will host a workshop for adults who are thinking about returning to college. The workshop is scheduled for March 24, from 9:00 A.M. until noon in Wege Student Center on campus. The informational workshop, sponsored by the Continuing Education and Graduate Management programs, is designed to provide answers to some of the questions adults might have when considering returning to college. Topics to be addressed include: choosing a career, financing your education and making use of support services. Participants will also learn about how to select a major. Information will be provided about majors in accounting, business, computer information systems, English/communication arts, liberal education, psychology, religious studies and sociology. Information will also be available on the Graduate Management Program leading to the master's degree. The public is encouraged to attend this workshop without charge. To make a reservation, call 459-8281, extension 317.

LEGAL NOTICES

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

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

Child: Stella King, Lafayette Morris & Venessa, John & Crystal McInaney
Hearing: 4-30-84 at 4:00 p.m.
Petitioner: Dennis Hoek

Child: Jill Andre & Jacquelyn & Jinger Meyers
Hearing: 5-02-84 at 11:00 a.m.
Petitioner: Chuck Audy

Child: Zorana & Thomas McSwain
Hearing: 4-23-84 at 9:00 a.m.
Petitioner: Dennis Hoek

Child: Kenneth & Steven McCallum
Hearing: 4-23-84 at 9:00 a.m.
Petitioner: Dennis Hoek

Dated: March 28, 1984
JOHN P. STEKETEE
JUDGE OF PROBATE

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 227, County Administration Building, 300 Monroe Avenue, N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. The bids will be publicly opened in the Purchasing Office at the time designated below. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids as it deems to be in its best interests.

Bid For: Crash Fire Rescue Vehicle. Must be received by Tues., 4-17-84 at 2:00 p.m.

Bid For: Lawn Maintenance. Must be received by Weds., 4-11-84 at 10:00 a.m.

Bid For: Winter & Summer Tax Statements. Must be received by Thurs., 4-5-84 at 10:00 a.m.

Bid For: Xerographic Paper. Must be received by Thurs., 4-12-84 at 10:00 a.m.

Bid For: Repairing Parking Lot. Must be received by Weds., 4-11-84 at 10:00 a.m.

Bid For: Carpeting-FOC. Must be received by Weds., 4-18-84 at 2:00 a.m.

JACK STANLEY, CPPD
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING

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

CITY OF LOWELL NOTICE

A Public Hearing will be held before the Lowell City Council-Zoning Board of Appeals on Monday, April 16, 1984 at 8:00 P.M. in the Council Room of City Hall, 301 E. Main Street.

Purpose of the Hearing will be a request by Mr. Ned Swift for a variance from square footage requirements of living space of 1500 feet, to 1100 square feet. An additional 400 square feet to be finished off at a later date.

The variance would allow the construction of a new home on North Washington Street, being the last piece of property inside the City Limits, across from Oakwood Cemetery. (No property address has been assigned).

All interested persons will be afforded an opportunity to be heard at that time.

Written Comments should be directed to the City Manager at 301 E. Main Street.

Ray E. Quada
City Manager-Clerk
C23-24

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All interested persons will be afforded an opportunity to be heard at that time.

Written comments should be directed to the City Manager at 301 E. Main Street.

Ray E. Quada
City Manager-Clerk
C22-23

CLASSIFIED ADS

Personal

ALONE AGAIN? - For romance or companionship call "Friendship Finders" 1-616-455-3904 (recording) Choose from 1000's 18-80. Free registration! Minorities welcome!

GREAT BEFORE SCHOOL JOB!! - Responsible Detroit Free Press carrier wanted: City route, established customers, good tips. No experience necessary. Interested? Call 897-8097; 3:30 - 5:00 P.M. M-F.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

Will be having a Bingo starting at 2 P.M. on Sunday, 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th Sundays of the month. Closed 3rd Sunday of each month.

JACKPOT BINGO

Every Friday night, 7:30 P.M. Lowell VFW Hall, East Main St. Lowell. Early Bird Bingo at 6:45 P.M. PUBLIC WELCOME

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Thank You

The family of Thelma A. Roth would like to thank their relatives friends and neighbors for flowers, cards and kindness shown to us at the loss of our Mother and Grandmother. A special thanks to Roth-Gerst Funeral Home.

Richard Roth & Family
Edward Roth & Family
NC22

Thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors, who made my 75th Birthday a special day for me. Many thanks to my children Clifford, Frances, Mindy and Edward, Dick, Ruth Ann and Earl for all the nice things they did to make my day a happy one.

May God Bless
Bathea (Bea) King

In deep gratitude, we thank the relatives, friends and neighbors for the love and concern shown to us, and the respect for Jack, at the time of our loss and since.

Special thanks to Pastor Bill, - Dr. Gerard, The Emergency personnel, Jack's Masonic Lodge No. 90, and the Lowell Rotary Club.

A special thanks to our nephew, James Coles, Detroit City Fireman for his final salute to the Chief.
Gratefully,
Irma Pasanen & Family
C23

Capital Ideas

There are nearly a dozen bills in both houses of Congress dealing with the subject of acid rain.



A common feature of many of these bills is that the greatest share of the emission cutbacks proposed would come from the coal-using states of the Midwest. With acid rain impacts occurring in the Northeast, the effectiveness of such schemes is far from assured.

Another serious problem with such legislation is that it could be economically disruptive. Tens of thousands of jobs could be lost and electric power costs would rise.

Free Information For a free booklet on acid rain and proposed answers to the problem, you can write to the Consolidation Coal Company, Consol Plaza, Pittsburgh, PA 15241.



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LOWELL TOWNSHIP NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING

To the residents and property owners of Lowell Township, Kent County and to whom it may concern:

Zoning Hearing

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, April 30, 1984 at 8:00 P.M. at the Lowell Township Hall at 2910 Alden Nash, SE, the Lowell Township Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing for the purpose of hearing comments regarding proposed amendments to the Lowell Township Zoning Ordinance. The proposed changes included:

Changes to the definition section, revise dwelling requirements, mobile home footings, location of swimming pools and accessory buildings, regulations on lots, non-conformities, junkyards, public hearing requirements to comply with current laws, special use permits.

The proposed changes to the Zoning Ordinance will be posted on display at the Lowell Township Hall during regular office hours.

Carol L. Wells
Lowell Township Clerk
897-7600
C22 & 25

Lowell FFA members attend 56th State Convention

The Lowell Future Farmers of America celebrated National Agriculture Week by attending the 56th Annual FFA State Convention.

Michigan State University was the site of the convention, held March 21 through the 23.

Six members and advisor Pete Siler attended as delegates and participants in contests and award ceremonies.

Mark Wilcox, chapter vice-president, received the State Farmer Degree, the second highest degree in the FFA. Mark's parents Gordon and Marcia Wilcox, and brother Paul, also at-

tended the award presentation and the preceding banquet.

Lowell was represented by delegates Nick Wingeier and Mike Hale, who voted for the 1984-85 State Officers and were present at all business sessions. Alternate delegate Jami Johnson, Chapter secretary, also acted as a member of the State Resolutions Committee.

The Alpha Gamma Rho Outstanding Junior Award was presented to chapter reporter Jenny Dine. Jenny also represented the Lowell chapter and Region V in the State Public Speaking Contest, and won a silver award for

the speech "PCB - The Farmer's Plight".

Chapter sentinel Tracy Jousma attended the convention, held each year during MSU's Farmer's Week.

Other vocational agriculture students found a way to bring National Agriculture Week closer to home. Missy Smart and Trisha Uhen put a "Farm Week" display together for the agriculture room in the high school, with the assistance of Angie Eichhoff and Joe Francis. The movie "Food from Farm to You", provided by the National FFA Foundation, was shown to

agriculture classes Friday to round out the week, but FFA members plan to continue their active pace.

Region V Sentinel and chapter President Erin Johnson have begun preparations for this summer's leadership camp by attending a planning session with other regional officers and advisors, including Mr. Siler, on March 17. Teresa Taylor is helping in this planning by designing a cover for the camp's schedule booklet.

Lowell is proud to have so many active members, and is living up to the 1984 FFA theme "Keeping America on the Grow."



Back Row: Nick Wingeier and Mike Hale. Front Row: Jenny Dine and Jami Johnson.

Observatory open to public

Beginning in April, on clear nights only, the James C. Veen Observatory will be open to the public on the second Saturday and last Friday of each month through October from 8:30 to 11 P.M. The Observatory is located at 3308 Kissing Rock Road in Lowell.

The Veen Observatory is a multi-faceted astronomical observation and educational center designed and built by the Grand Rapids Amateur Astronomical Association with assistance from the Public Museum.

In addition to two fully equipped telescopes, the observatory houses a lecture room seating 40 people, a library and photographic darkroom. Opened in June of 1970, the facilities are used almost every clear night for various activities; individual observations, photographic programs, field trips for school classes and the public inspections mentioned above.

To reach Veen Observatory, follow Cascade Road south to 36th Street and then east on 36th Street about four (4) miles to Kissing Rock Road. Entrance to the Observatory grounds is from Kissing Rock Road 1/3 mile north of 36th Street.



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1978 BUICK RIVIERA - V8, stereo cassette, full power, low miles.

1977 BONNEVILLE WAGON - V8, air, stereo, tilt, cruise, power locks, 3rd seat.

DODGE ASPEN SE - 4 door, 6 cylinder, automatic, air, FM, cruise, power windows, rustproofed, only 57,000 miles.

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1982 CHEVROLET C10 PICKUP - V8, 4 speed, FM, rustproofed, step bumper, cap.

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