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Extensive tree maintenance program is outlined

If city officials instigate a tree maintenance program proposed by the T.J. Miller Co. of Moline, Michigan, 62 trees in city right-of-ways will get the ax. After an expression of interest by the Look Memorial Committee, Edward Gross, an employee of the T.J. Miller Co. conducted a maintenance survey of the city's 352 street trees and 250 cemetery trees. "Considering the amount of trees that Lowell is responsible for, along with the age and present condition of said trees, a perpetual maintenance program is a MUST.", Gross wrote in his report to the Look Committee and the Lowell City Council. In

his comments to the City Council about the report, Lowell City Manager Ray Quada indicated that the City's tree trimming and maintenance program consists basically of removing dead and storm damaged limbs, trimming limbs hampering utility lines and pedestrian and vehicle traffic. "An ongoing program of proper tree trimming, fertilizing or replanting is virtually non-existent", Quada said.

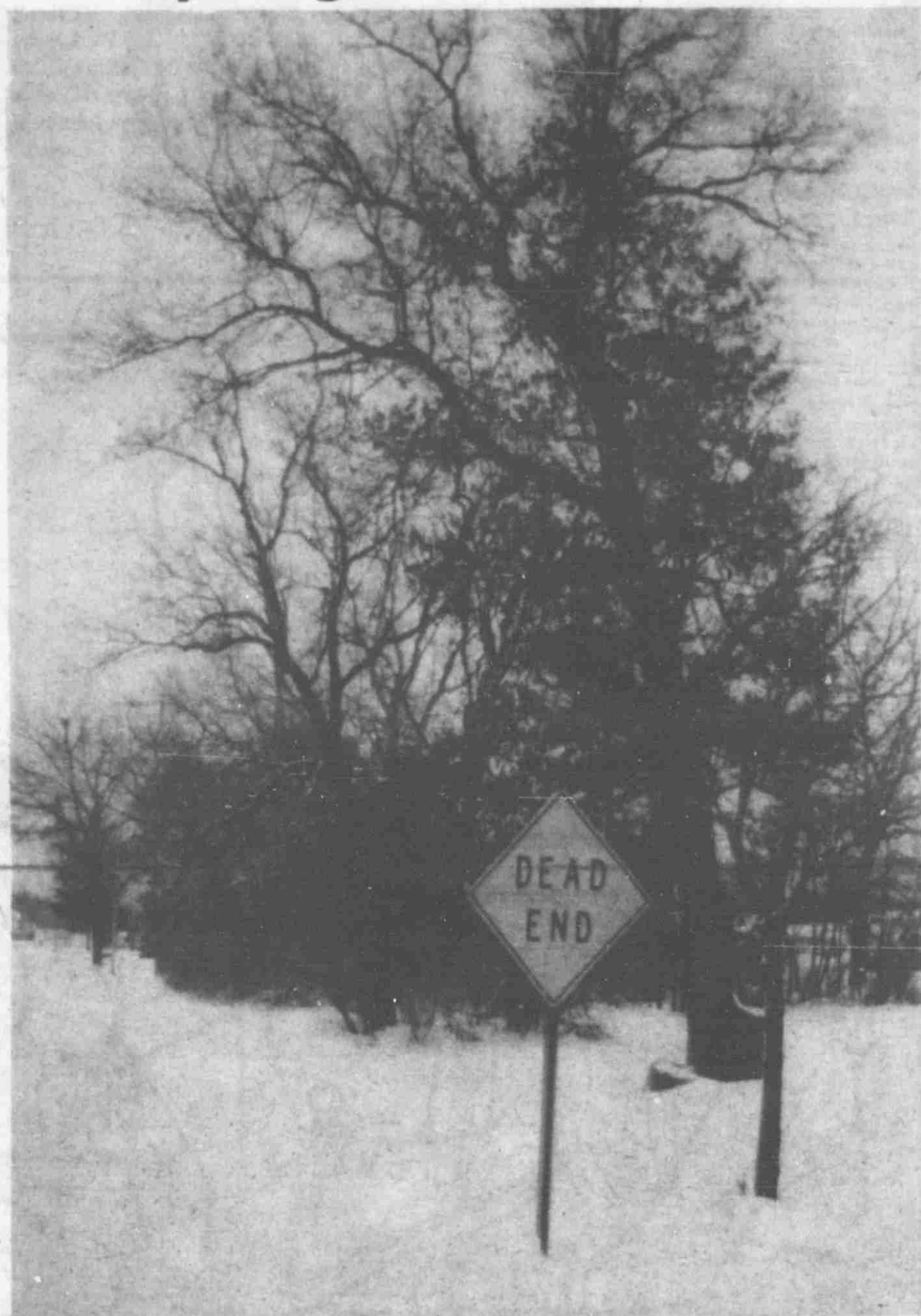
Such a program is exactly what Gross recommends. His findings following a tree by tree survey of the entire community lists 62 trees for removal at \$150.00 ea., 174 trees to be

trimmed at \$55.00 ea., 15 trees to be cabled at \$60.00 ea., 185 trees should be deep-root fertilized at \$35.00 ea and 72 stumps need grinding out at \$55.00 ea. The total for this initial maintenance would come to \$30,205.00.

Gross also included in his report the 250 trees in Oakwood Cemetery. Of these 5 need to be removed, 105 need to be trimmed, 250 fertilized, 140 evergreens need spraying at \$35.00 ea. and 5 stumps need to be ground out for a total of another \$20,450.00.

The removal or maintenance of existing trees is the first phase of Gross' report. In the second phase he recommends the replanting of 533 trees. The species he recommends are Honeylocust (skyline or sunburst), Marshall Seedless Ash, Crimson King and Sugar Maples. These four species are recommended by Gross because they are adaptable to most soil conditions and are very hardy trees with deep root systems making them more resistant to salt and environmental conditions. Gross also states that they will provide a variety of colors such as golden yellow, deep rich green and a very deep red which he says are needed in Lowell. According to Gross Lowell had a tree study conducted in 1974. Since that time 122 trees have been removed. That fact coupled with Gross' findings of 62 trees in need of removal along with another 135 with questionable lifespans prompted his recommendation for the immediate instigation of a replant program. Gross did not include a cost estimate for the replanting program in his report.

Quada is arranging a joint meeting between the Look Committee, the City Council and representatives from the T.J. Miller Co. Besides the initial maintenance and replanting program proposed by the company, they are also interested in instituting a long range perpetual care program. This care would provide a forestry service to the city that a community this size cannot afford to include in the Department of Public Works staff. All phases of the T.J. Miller's proposals will be evaluated at the meeting.



"Dead End" is an appropriate description of the trees in the background of this photo if a proposed tree maintenance program is instituted in the city. Four trees in this photo taken at the corner of Hunt and Beech Streets were slated for removal in a survey conducted by the T.J. Miller Co. of Moline, Michigan.



"TALL TALES AND HEROES" PRESENTED

The Lowell Drama and Choir classes will present "Tall Tales and Heroes" on Monday, January 21 at 7:00 P.M. in the Lowell Middle School Cafeterium. The public is welcome and admission is free.

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that the Lowell School District has increased high school graduation requirements significantly? This is a fact that the Lowell Citizens for Education thought you might like to know. Positive facts about our school system provided by the Lowell Citizens for Education will appear in this space on a weekly basis.

TEEN DANCE BENIFITS CANCER VICTIM

The Lowell Teens United group will be donating proceeds from their weekly dances to the parents of Mike Doyle to help defray their expenses in transporting him to and from St. Judes Children's Hospital. The dances are held each Saturday evening from 10:30 until 12:30 at the Lowell American Legion Roller Rink. Those age 13 through 19 are welcome, admission is \$1.50. Please wear heavy socks or tennis shoes.

LOWELL TO HOST WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

Lowell High School is hosting a wrestling tournament featuring wrestlers from ten area schools on Saturday, January 19 beginning at 10:00 A.M. Wrestling fans are invited to attend. Admission is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

OFF THE BLOTTER

Injured in an accident Tuesday afternoon, January 8 on Main Street at Riverside Drive was a 16 year old juvenile female and her 14 year old passenger. They pulled from a parking space on Main Street and were struck by a car driven by Zelma Pearson, 54, as she attempted to make a left turn. All of the parties are from Lowell.

Involved in a property damage accident on Valley Vista Drive near Sibley Street Tuesday afternoon, January 8 were Robert Hill, 27, of Lowell, as he collided with a car driven by Leonard Vennehan, Jr., 22, also of Lowell.

Arrested by Lowell Officers on a warrant issued by the Friend of the Court Thursday morning, January 10 was Rodney Oostdyke, 35, of Lowell.

Involved in a minor property damage accident Friday January 11 was Bernie Condon, 27, when he pulled from a parking space on West Main near Amity Street into the path of a car driven by Joseph Barnes, 25. Both drivers are Lowell residents.

A 16 year old juvenile female struck the rear of another car driven by Jack Suess, 49, of Wayland, Friday afternoon, January 11. Both cars were west bound on M-21 near Alden Nash. There were no injuries.

Walter VandenHout, 19, of Lowell could not stop in time and collided with a vehicle driven by Jacqueline Bowne, 32, of Saranac Friday afternoon, January 11. The accident happend at Main and Hudson Streets. Bowen suffered minor injuries in the accident.

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Lowell School Board notes

The Lowell Board of Education held its regular Board meeting on Monday, January 14, 1985 in the Board office.

Following the payment of bills, the Board approved the employment of Maria Fotias as the new half time Speech Pathologist for Lowell Area Schools.

In other matters the Board approved a 6% increase for the Central Office secretaries for the 1985-86 school year to take effect July 1, 1985.

The Board then held a discussion of the Board's current Board policies relating to the Use of School Buildings and Facilities and proposed revisions to those policies. The Board accepted for review the revised policies on their first reading with the policies to appear on the next Board agenda for possible adoption.

In other action Middle School Principal Dave Burdette and

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High School Principal Dick Korb presented the summary of the North Central Evaluation recently held. The general comments were very positive with emphasis on continued striving for quality of the instructional program while maintaining a sound physical plant.

City and YMCA form recreation committee

The Lowell City Council and members of the Lowell YMCA Board of Directors met Monday evening to discuss the future of recreation in the city and to determine what role each body should play in providing a quality recreation program for the community. During the course of the meeting the board members explored areas of mutual interest and sought ways to avoid duplication of efforts.

In the end the group decided to appoint a six member sub-committee. Councilmen Dean Collins and William Thompson

In the last item of business the Board gave permission for the Alto 5th grade teachers to proceed with an Outdoor Education program allowing children to attend camp for three days in May as a pilot program during this school year.

along with City Manager Ray Quada were appointed to represent the city. YMCA Board Members Jim Corcoran and David Douma with YMCA Director Jim Hodges were appointed to represent the YMCA. The Sub-committee was directed to report back to a another joint meeting within sixty days.

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Obituaries

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.

YEITER - J. Glenn Yeiter, aged 94, formerly of 9929 Cascade Road, passed away Friday, January 11, 1984. He is survived by a brother, Floyd Yeiter of Lowell; sisters, Mrs. Ella Watson of Grand Rapids, Miss Audrey Yeiter of Goshen, IN; also several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Monday at Roth Gerst Chapel, Rev. Harold Deipert of Alto Bowne Center United Methodist Church officiating. Arrangements by Roth-Gerst.

officiating. Interment Merriman Cemetery. Arrangements by Roth-Gerst Funeral Home, Lowell.

WEBB - Willard R. Webb, aged 75 of Lowell, passed away Saturday. He is survived by his wife, Ruth G; children, Harold and Rena Webb of Birmingham, MI, Mrs. Allen (Nancy) Eaks of Roseville, MI, Robert Webb of Warren, MI, W. James and Beverly Albus of Fraser, MI, Edward and Donna Albus of Arizona, Mrs. Lawrence (Carrie) Pelon of Lowell; brothers, V. William and Malvern both of Arizona, Jack and Daniel both of Detroit; 15 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren. Memorial Funeral Services were held Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell with Rev. William Amundsen officiating. Arrangements by Roth-Gerst.

WILLIAMS - Mr. Adrian C. Williams, aged 76, of 4241 W. 124th St., Grant, formerly of Blissfield, MI, died suddenly in Mesa, AZ, Saturday, January 12. Mr. Williams was preceded in death by his first wife Irene and two brothers Lawrence and Claude Williams. Surviving are his wife, Donna; one daughter, Katherine Ann (Kay) Williams of Lowell; two sons, Thomas E. Williams of Springfield, MI and Robert A. Williams of Delton, MI; one step-daughter, Charleen Stanton of Albuquerque NM; one step-son, Burton Buehrer of Los Alamos, NM; six grandchildren; one great-grandson; two step-granddaughters. Funeral Services were held Wednesday January 16 at the McKinley Funeral Home, Grant, with Pastor Paul Deal officiating. Interment Ashland Center Cemetery, Grant.

Having trouble paying heating bills?

Consumers Power Company's "Winter Protection Plan" to help needy customers keep their homes warm through the heating season is now in effect.

"The plan provides shutoff protection to senior citizens and low-income customers during the time of year when they need it most," said Carl B. Flum, area manager, Greenville.

Besides the Winter Protection Plan, other programs are also available. For example, the Heating Assistance Program provides shutoff protection for Michigan Department of Social Services clients, and Consumers Power offers special budget pay-

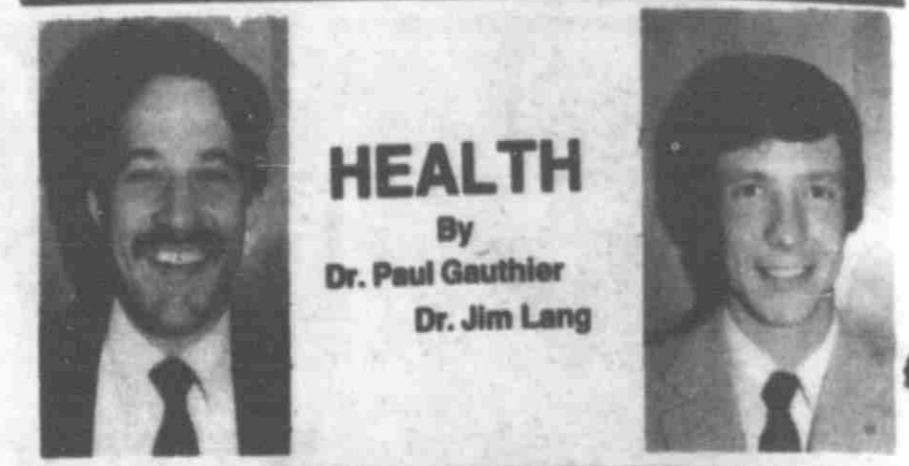
ment plans for the unemployed. Information about these and other heating assistance programs may be obtained by calling the state's toll-free Home Heating Hotline at 1-800-292-5650 or by calling Consumers Power.

Under the plan, protection is available to qualifying customers who agree to pay a budgeted amount toward their energy bills during the four-month period from December 1 through March 31 and the balance during the remainder of the year.

If an eligible customer has already had his service shut off for nonpayment, the customer may have service restored without a fee or a security deposit if he seeks assistance through the plan.

The program is available to customers who are below certain income levels, or a receiving government assistance of some kind (such as food stamps or Medicaid), and to those age 65 or older.

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HEALTH
By
Dr. Paul Gauthier
Dr. Jim Lang

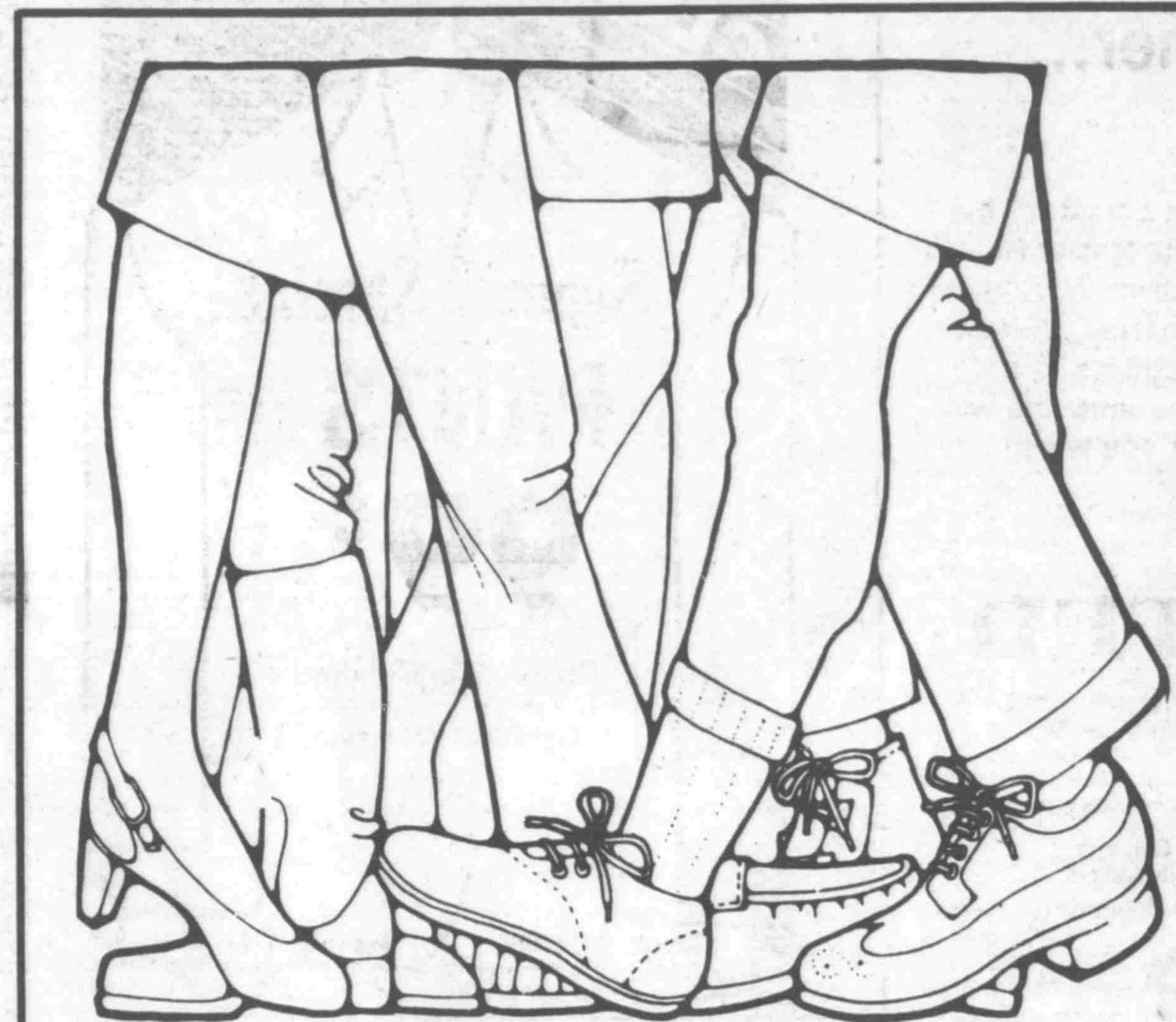
Carpal Tunnel Syndrome: A Very Common Ailment
Carpal Tunnel Syndrome is a very common disorder, seen frequently in the office of most family physicians. While it tends to occur mainly in those involved in physical labor, it may afflict anyone. It is termed an "entrapment neuropathy" which in plain English, means that it is a syndrome characterized by the trapping or compression of a major nerve, resulting in a typical set of signs and symptoms. In this week's column we'll briefly discuss for you this very common ailment.

The carpal tunnel is a circular band of connective tissue located in the wrist area. Through this tunnel several anatomical structures pass, the most important of these being the median nerve. This major nerve of the upper extremity passes through the carpal tunnel at the wrist on its way to the smaller, intricate muscles of the fingers. The carpal tunnel itself is a comparatively rigid structure which is essentially inelastic. It is the rigidity of this carpal tunnel and its inability to expand in response to repetitive wrist motion, which can eventually lead to compression of the median nerve and the characteristic symptoms of carpal tunnel syndrome.

As the median nerve becomes more compressed in the carpal tunnel, a wide range of symptoms may occur. Typically, the patient will complain of pain or a burning and tingling sensation in several of the fingers. This pain may radiate up into the forearm or even to the shoulder joint. The pain may be constant or intermittent and is frequently aggravated by manual activity. Very commonly the pain or numbness will abruptly awaken the person from sleep. Hanging the affected arm over the side of the bed may give partial relief, as may rubbing of the fingers. Upon awakening in the morning, the affected individual usually states that the hand is clumsy and difficult to use for several minutes. As long as compression of the median nerve exists, these symptoms will continue. If compression is severe enough, many of the muscles of the hand, in time, will actually atrophy.

Once the suspicion of Carpal Tunnel Syndrome exists, your doctor may decide to treat you conservatively with anti-inflammatory medicines, local heat and splinting of the affected wrist at night. If this is ineffective, confirmation of Carpal Tunnel Syndrome is usually made by performing nerve conduction studies of the median nerve. This is a special neurological test done on an out patient basis. If Carpal Tunnel Syndrome is confirmed, and conservative treatment has failed, the only viable alternative is surgical decompression of the median nerve. This is a very simple surgical procedure, also done on an outpatient basis. Unless significant muscle atrophy of the hand muscles has already occurred, this surgery generally results in complete recovery, with sensation and motor ability of the hand returning to a normal state. While surgery may not seem a very enjoyable entity to contemplate, in regards to Carpal Tunnel Syndrome it is a very small price to pay for complete recovery from this uncomfortable yet common ailment.

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Coming Events

THUR., JAN. 17: Cub Pack 3188 Pack Meet and Derby Registration, 6:30-8:30 P.M. at Runciman School. Bring tools and weight necessary to make cars meet requirements. All cars must register at this meet.

gether to present "Tall Tales and Heroes," at 7:00 P.M. in the Middle School Cafeteria. The public is welcome and admission is free.

FRI., FEB. 15: Smorgasbord and dance at Lowell Moose Lodge. Smorgasbord from 5-7:30 with dancing starting at 8:30 to 12:30.

MON., JAN. 21: The Lowell Middle School Drama and Choir classes will join to

THIRD SATURDAY of the month - January 19 - Steak Dinner at the Lowell V.F.W. Post 8303, Main St., Lowell 4 P.M. - 8 P.M. T-Bones; Ribeyes; Sirloin for Two; Sizzler. Live music and Dancing following dinner.

EVERY THIRD THURSDAY: Pack Meeting, Cub Scout Pack 3188 will meet at

Runciman School, beginning at 7:00 P.M. This is a family event. Future activities are discussed and achievement awards presented.

EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT: Teen Dance, sponsored by Teen's United, at the Lowell American Legion Roller Rink. 10:30 P.M. to 12:30 A.M. \$1.50 per person.

Tennis shoes or socks! Ages 13 to 19. Information on Dance or joining Teens United call 897-8238.

THE LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS ATHLETIC BOOSTERS: meet the 1st Mon. of each month at 7:30 in the K-Quad of the High School.

METHODIST PRE-SCHOOL'S: second semester will begin soon. There are currently afternoon openings (12 noon to 2:15 P.M.) in the following classes: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, pre-kindergarten; and Tuesday, Thursday, three-year-olds. Call the First United Methodist Church at 897-5936 to register.

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Lowell Women's Club News

The Lowell Women's Club met at Schneider Manor on Wednesday January 9, 1985. Dr. Richard Flanders of Grand Valley College showed films on "Archaeology in The Grand Rapids Area, involving recent work done by Grand Valley State College on historic and prehistoric sites.

A mini report was given by two student members on "Home Life." The next meeting of the Lowell Women's Club will be held at Schneider Manor on Wednesday Feb. 13, 1985.

Fourteen senior girls from Lowell High School will be hosts of our Valentine program with Barbara Pierce as chairman.

There will be a mini report given by one of the students members on "Michigan History."

Louise Schneider will be the sponsor for the day. Priscilla Lussmyer is our Lowell Women's Club Historian: Priscilla tells us there are a number of scrapbooks, pictures, certificates and other memorabilia with old program books plus some other materials kept at her home. There are also records, scrapbooks, etc. kept at the Lowell Library. Just ask the Lowell Library or Priscilla if you wish to see any of these materials.

Please remember all meetings begin at 12 o'clock sharp at Schneider Manor on the second Wed. of each month.

Connie Odell
Press Reporter

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HOT LUNCH MENU WEEK OF JANUARY 21, 1985

MONDAY

Italian spaghetti or lasagna, cole slaw, french bread w/ honey butter, fruit or jello, milk.

TUESDAY

Cheeseburgers or corn dogs, lettuce salad w/dressing, corn off the cob or carrots, assorted fruits or pudding, bars or cookies, milk.

WEDNESDAY

Chopped steak or chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes or rice and gravy, buttered green beans or beets, d raisin rolls or bread and p-nut butter, jello w/whip or fruit, milk.

THURSDAY

Tacos or burritos, corn bread w/syrup, mixed vegetables or salad, chilled fruit or jello, milk.

FRIDAY

Assorted sandwiches or hot dogs, potato chips and pickles, soup or salad, fruit crisp or fresh fruit, milk.

Price of lunches to students includes milk. Elementary 75¢, Middle and Senior High 80¢.

Michigan's Sesquicentennial starting Jan. 26

Secretary of State Richard H. Austin today announced the first of a series of events related to Michigan's Sesquicentennial - the opening on January 26 of a special exhibit at the Michigan Historical Museum depicting the events of 1835 that related to statehood in 1837.

This exhibit, entitled "Michigan - A State Outside the Union", shows events of 1835 that led to statehood in 1837, including a call for a constitutional convention by then-territorial governor Stevens T. Mason, election of convention delegates, the October vote to ratify the constitution, election of state officials and the first session of the Michigan Legislature.

Although the Michigan Supreme Court, Attorney General and Legislature all declared Michigan became a state on November 2, 1835, the United States Congress did not grant Michigan admission into the Union until January 26 of 1837.

The delay was caused by the "infamous" border war between Michigan and Ohio over the "Toledo Strip" that included a natural port at the mouth of the Maumee River. Congress eventually decided in Ohio's favor and Toledo, Michigan to accept all

In the Service

Marine Cpl. Peter F. Desser, son of Thomas J. and Jane F. Desser of 1241 Hawthorne Hills Drive, Ada, MI, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station Futenma, on Okinawa.

A 1979 graduate of Lowell Senior High School, Lowell, he joined the Marine Corps in December 1981.

The first talking film made in England, "Blackmail", by Alfred Hitchcock, used the advertising slogan, "See and Hear It—Our Mother Tongue As It Should be Spoken," a swipe at previous American-English films.

History of Vergennes Post Office

The postal records in the National Archives show that the post office at Vergennes, Kent County, Michigan was established on August 12, 1837 with Noble H. Finney appointed postmaster. The office was discontinued on November 1, 1837. The post office was re-established on October 9, 1848 with Orlando Odell appointed postmaster. Orlando Odell was the great grandfather of Adelbert Odell. Orlando died on September 7, 1860. His wife Silence W. Odell was appointed as his successor on September 24, 1860. The post office was discontinued on April 4, 1871.

The post office at Alton, Kent County was established on February 19, 1851. The name of the office was changed to Vergennes on June 11, 1900 and the office was discontinued on December 31, 1909 and its mail was sent to Lowell.

The Vergennes Post Office was located near the road, which is now Bailey Drive, on land now owned by Roger Odell. The post office was in the front part of the house and the Orlando Odell family lived there all their lives as did their son, Adelbert Odell and his family until Carrie Odell died in 1932.

HOMESPUN DEVOTIONS

by Pauline E. Spray

For through him we both have access by one Spirit unto the Father (Ephesians 2:18).

When all is said and done, little things actually add up to more than great things in life. Little irritations test the mettle of one's religion as well as big trials. The phone rings when you are in the midst of making biscuits. You

In 1940, the post office house was moved west to its present location at 10629 Bailey Drive. Orlando and Bertha Odell lived there the rest of their lives. Orlando died in 1947 and Bertha died on March 28, 1954. The house is now owned by Adelbert and Connie Odell.

Statue of Liberty film to be shown at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

A short, one-half hour film on the restoration of the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island will be shown at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 2287 Segwun, SE, Lowell on Sunday, January 20th, at 2:30 P.M. A free-will offering will be taken; all monies to be donated to the restoration fund. Light refreshments will be served immediately following. Everyone is invited!



have to stop, wipe your hands, and answer it, only to find the party on the other end of the line has hung up. Doreen gets tar on her best dress. Freddy kicks the toes out of his last pair of shoes. Billy puts you on the spot in front of company in spite of the times you have warned him against doing such a thing. You begin to bake a cake and find you have no more eggs. On and on it goes.

Dedication to the divine will of God is the desire of every consecrated Christian. He is willing to accept the big challenges that come in life and face the most difficult situations with divine assistance. But he must also learn to cope with the fretting minors which come daily. These tests call for God's help continually. It is only through infinite strength that we can keep from turning minors into majors. Prayer: Dear god, give me grace for the little irritations, the minors, which come daily. Help me to be patient. Don't let me turn minors into majors. Amen. O Master, let me walk with Thee. In lowly paths of service free. Tell me Thy secret; help me bear The strain of toil, the fret of care. WASHINGTON GLADDEN

Happy Birthday

JANUARY 16: Bob Dine, Don Sterzick.
JANUARY 17: Jim Moore, Debra Wieland, Aric Hendrix, Betsy Eldridge.
JANUARY 18: Ruth Ann King, Deane Dickerson, Sue Wittenbach.
JANUARY 19: Tim Stencel, Susan Korte.
JANUARY 20: Megan Kirby, Lyle Johnson, Karen Lyn Serne, Ed Gahan.
JANUARY 21: Chayne Avery, Mark MacNaughton, Margery Ritzema, Tony Stepek, Jamie Vezino.
JANUARY 22: Fran Walting, Bob Pfaller, Dale Latva.



cozy corner by Roger Brown

I subscribe to Time Magazine, and the first thing that I turn to when my weekly issue comes are the letters from readers. Time recently had a cover story concerning video cassette recorders, expounding on how popular they are becoming. A reader responded to the article in a letter to Time that said simply, "Doesn't anyone read any more?" Good question! I was prompted to assess my reading habits.

When I was a kid I was a voracious reader. I was reading at a seventh or eighth grade level in the fourth grade. I read anything I could get my hands on. By the time I had finished high school I had read just about everything John Steinbeck had ever written, lots of Ernest Hemingway, Jack London and other favorite authors. Besides these works I was always dragging around some monster like "Andersonville", "The Sand Pebbles" or weird stuff like "Catcher in the Rye", "Lord of the Flies" and Franz Kafka works. You'll notice I didn't list any text books... my grades made that pretty evident. Instead of paying attention in biology class, I was at a desk in back absorbed in "Cannery Row", learning a little marine biology from "Doc" and a little human biology from the girls at the "Bear Flag".

I must have burned out on reading by the time I got to college. I don't remember reading much while there, but of course I wasn't there very long. After a year, Ferris State College and I had determined that I wasn't college material.

Immediately following college came a little notice from my uncle with the long white beard, and I don't mean Santa Claus. In the Army I was a military policeman, which might sound like exciting work, but most of the time it was glorified guard duty at a missile site, a gate post or outside a general's quarters. It was a perfect opportunity to get my reading machinery cranked up again, and did I ever. Anti-war works were big on my list back then. In Korea we M.P.'s had to guard General Edward Rowney's quarters (he's in the news a lot now as one of our nuclear disarmament negotiators). I'm sure he would have died if he had known he was being protected while he slept by an M.P. pouring over "Catch-22", "M.A.S.H." or "Slaughterhouse Five". During my Army days I became a big fan of Kurt Vonnegut, Jr. and read everything he'd ever had published, a lot of it two and three times.

Since the Army there hasn't been much time for reading in my life. With a wife, kids and a business, especially this business that requires a lot of reading, there just isn't much time left for recreational reading. I have kept up with Vonnegut's new books, I've read a couple of John Irving books and experienced a six month stint during which I read most of Bruce Catton's Civil War history works. Other than that, books have been pretty few and far between over the last twelve years. In fact, I'm currently in the middle of three books that I have started at different times and places, and haven't found time to finish. I started one of them more than three years ago, so that gives you some idea of how much I read lately.

So, in answer to the question, "Doesn't anyone read any more?", I guess I have to say, "no", when speaking for myself. But, gee whiz, I sure hope there are still kids that sit in the back of their biology class reading Hemingway, Steinbeck and Melville and G.I.'s reporting for guard duty with some Heller or Vonnegut in their field jacket pocket. V.C.R.'s may be a powerful influence on our society, but I don't think they will ever match that kind of entertainment.



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Postmaster Doyle requests snow removal

Postmaster Charlie Doyle has asked area mail residents to clear ice and snow from sidewalks and steps in order to receive delivery of their mail.

Postmaster Doyle said he realizes it's not always easy to remove ice and snow, but carriers are not required to risk personal injury from unusual hazards to deliver the mail.

Rural and curbside customers are reminded to keep their mailboxes cleared of snow, vehicles, and other objects.

This will permit the carrier to drive up to each mailbox to deposit and collect mail without leaving the vehicle. The approach to and exit from the mailbox should be cleared sufficiently on both sides to allow the carrier to drive ahead and not be required to back up the vehicle after delivery.

Postmaster Doyle further stated that carriers are instructed to take all mail with them daily as no mail will be given out over the counter. On days of heavy snow rural customers should meet their carrier if mailboxes have not been cleared or have a temporary receptacle, such as a box or bushel basket, where carrier may leave the mail. Mail that is scheduled for delivery in the Lowell post office area will not be given out at the post office.

According to a Boston University scientist, there's mounting evidence that toxic waste dumps cause illness among people living nearby, reports the National Wildlife Federation. Dr. David Ozonoff found an increased incidence of nausea, fatigue, respiratory problems and headaches among residents living near a once highly toxic dump site two years after its chemical wastes had been removed.

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Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs), the most popular tax shelter for the average American accounted for some 13 million contributions last year. According to the Michigan Association of CPAs, you should be planning now to make your contributions so your 1984 income tax can be reduced. If you have been putting money into an IRA for several years, perhaps you should be thinking about rolling it over into an account that earns more tax-deferred interest.

Here's how the IRA works for you: If you are in the 32 percent tax bracket and you make the maximum IRA contribution of \$2,000, you cut your tax bill by \$640. In effect, the government pays you to save. You can deduct \$2,000 from your income and you pay no tax on the income earned until the money is withdrawn. Let's say, at 35 you expect to contribute \$2,000 a year for 30 years. At 10 percent, your \$60,000 in contributions will grow to \$330,000 because interest is compounded. When you retire and begin withdrawing your money, you'll save tax dollars because your tax rate can be expected to be lower in retirement years. (If you withdraw from an IRA before age 59-1/2, you must pay a 10 percent penalty.) IRA withdrawals are combined with other taxable income for that year, then taxed at your usual bracket rate.

If your spouse has no earned income, you can put another \$250 a year into an IRA. An equitable way to do this would be to split the account into equal amounts of \$1,125 in each of your names. If both of you work, you can each put the maximum \$2,000 into an IRA, thus reducing your joint income by \$4,000. While the law sets no minimum

contribution level, most banks refuse to handle small amounts. A new tax rule did away with the extended deadline for IRA contributions. Previously, you could apply for an extension of your tax return filing deadline which meant you might have until October 15 to raise the money. Now, your contribution must be made by April 15 to qualify as a 1984 deduction.

Your IRA money may be invested various ways. Your age and financial situation should dictate your investment objectives. If you are approaching retirement, you are probably better off with more conservative IRA investments: certifications of deposit, annuities and corporate or government bonds. If a secure retirement fund is not your primary objective, you may consider higher-risk IRA investments for their promise of greater returns. These include aggressive-growth stock mutual funds, or more speculative commodities or stock options. Factor in the risk element as you reach decisions.

Arrows in 2nd place after win

The Red Arrows remained one game behind league-leading Northview with a win over Sparta last Friday night. Lowell is 4-1 in league play (7-1 overall) while Sparta fell to 0-5 in the conference and 1-6 overall.

Wade Reister, making his first varsity appearance, led Sparta with 10 points, but was no match for the double-figure scoring turned in by Lowell's Craig Potter (22 points), Dale Fegel (15) and Pat Brown (14). Potter also had 10 rebounds, including eight off the offensive boards. Lowell led 32-22 at half-time, but then went to its inside strength for a 22-10 third-quarter advantage to open a more comfortable margin.

Volleyball team starts out with Holiday tournament

During Christmas vacation, Lowell's varsity volleyball team traveled to Hastings for the annual Holiday Invitational volleyball tournament. Facing strong opponents in pool play -- Lakewood, Gull Lake, and Wayland -- the young Arrows showed great improvement throughout the day but couldn't manage to take any games from their opposition.

Facing Ionia in the final pool match, Lowell led through most of the first game before falling to the Bulldogs 15-10. Cheryl Treglia, Trisha Stencel, Tonya Strouse, Angie Hyzer and Jenny Hoffman all contributed to Lowell's scoring.

In the second game, Lowell led at one point 10-3 and again at 12-5, but lost their momentum and the game, 16-14. Players scoring points for the Arrows were Amy Swift, Pam Durkee, Trisha Frey, Jamie Andrews, Hoffman, Hyzer, Stencel, and Strouse.

Coach Laurie Kuna was optimistic despite her team's losses. "We need to work on our defensive positioning and our blocking," she said, "but the experience of this tournament will do us good."

Kuna cited the leadership and experience of seniors Angie Hyzer and Tonya Strouse as positive factors. Also, the overall athletic ability of the younger players has her looking forward to the development of a good team.

On January 5, the varsity participated in the Kenowa Hills Invitational, playing Caledonia, Kelloggsville, Wyoming Lee, and Allendale.

Early in the day the team struggled, losing two quick games to Caledonia. "Our serving was off," Coach Kuna commented on the match with the Scots.

Led by Strouse's serving, Lowell took two games from Allendale. They followed that performance by splitting their two games with Kelloggsville and dropping two games to Kenowa Hills.

In their last match of the day, the Red Arrows met Wyoming Lee's Rebels. Lee hadn't lost a game the entire day, and they continued their streak by taking the first game from Lowell 15-5.

The Arrows got revenge in the second game. Trailing 8-5, Angie Hyzer sent a steady barrage of sharp, low serves over the net to an astounded Lee team.

Hyzer served 10 consecutive points, 8 of which were aces, and Lowell won 15-8.


"That win did a lot for our confidence," Coach Kuna remarked. "Lee was the best team in this tournament, and to beat them like we did was a great accomplishment."

The volleyball teams open the regular season this Wednesday, January 16 when both varsity and junior varsity teams travel to Belding to play the host Redskins and the visiting East Grand Rapids Pioneers. Matches begin at 6:00.

Lowell's first home match will be Thursday, January 17 when the varsity hosts Ionia and Delton at 6:00 at the high school.

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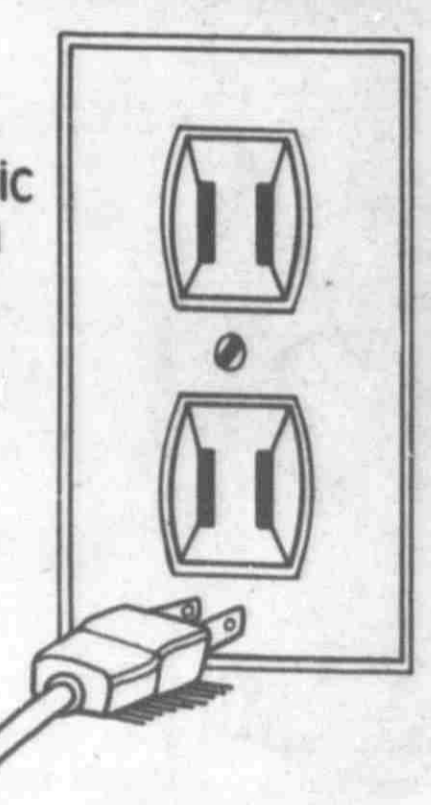
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Coverage of the Boy Scout Iokemo District Klondike Derby held Saturday, January 12 at the Bill Nowak Activities Center. Tape to be aired Wednesday, January 16 at 7:00 P.M., Thursday, January 17 at 7:00 P.M. and Saturday, January 19 at 4:30 P.M. immediately following L.H.S. Basketball.



CONTAINS LISTINGS FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 18 THRU THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1985

Lee Parcell and Duncan Regehr star as movie greats Olivia de Havilland and Errol Flynn in "My Wicked, Wicked Ways...The Legend of Errol Flynn." The film, based on Flynn's autobiography, airs Monday, Jan. 21 on CBS.

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WUHQ	Battle Creek, MI	2	41
WXMI	Grand Rapids, MI	2	17
WLNS	Lansing, MI	2	3
WFSL	Lansing, MI	2	47
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MONDAY 1/21/85

MORNING
5:30 Mazda SportsLook
6:00 [HBO] MOVIE: 'The Wilderness Family'

MONDAY'S MOVIES

6:00AM [HBO] - 'The Wilderness Family'
8:00AM [HBO] - 'The Pirates of Penzance'
9:00AM [HBO] - 'The Brink's Job'
9:00AM [HBO] - 'The Promise of Love'

[MAX] MOVIE: 'It Happened at the World's Fair'
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MONDAY'S MOVIES

11:30AM [HBO] MOVIE: 'Jaws III'
12:00PM [HBO] MOVIE: 'The Lucky Star'
12:30PM [HBO] MOVIE: 'The Bedfellows'

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4:30AM [HBO] MOVIE: 'The Pirates of Penzance'
4:55AM [HBO] MOVIE: 'The Brink's Job'

WEDNESDAY

WEDNESDAY 1/23/85

MORNING
5:30 Mazda SportsLook
6:00 [MAX] MOVIE: 'Huckleberry Finn'

WEDNESDAY'S MOVIES

6:00AM [MAX] - 'Huckleberry Finn' (CC)
8:00AM [HBO] - 'Straker As'
9:00AM [HBO] - 'We Were Strangers'

[MAX] MOVIE: 'Young Lions'
[HBO] MOVIE: 'The Lucky Star'
[HBO] MOVIE: 'The Bedfellows'

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TUESDAY 1/22/85

MORNING
5:30 ESPN's Ringside Review
6:30 [HBO] MOVIE: 'Toby and the Koolha'

TUESDAY'S MOVIES

6:30AM [HBO] - 'Toby and the Koolha'
8:00AM [HBO] - 'Twilight Time'
9:00AM [HBO] - 'Because of You'

[MAX] MOVIE: 'The Promise of Love'
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THURSDAY 1/24/85

MORNING
5:00 [HBO] MOVIE: 'Lonely Lady'
5:30 [MAX] Maxtrax
6:00 [MAX] MOVIE: 'Hanover Street'

THURSDAY'S MOVIES

6:00AM [HBO] - 'Lonely Lady'
8:00AM [HBO] - 'Hanover Street'
9:00AM [HBO] - 'The Year of Living Dangerously'

[MAX] MOVIE: 'Young Lions'
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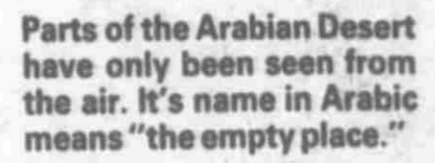
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1:30PM	College Basketball: Wake Forest at Duke
3:30PM	Cosmo's Tahoe Billiards Classic from Lake Tahoe
4:30PM	College Basketball: UCLA at Arizona State
6:30PM	Mazda SportsLook
7:00PM	SportsCenter
7:30PM	Super Bowl XVII Highlights
8:00PM	Wrestling TNT
8:30PM	Super Bowl XVIII Highlights
9:00PM	Scotch Super Bowl
9:30PM	Friday Night Boxing
10:00PM	Cosmo's Tahoe Billiards Classic
11:30PM	World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Baqueira, Spain
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SATURDAY 1/19/85	
5:30AM	Triathlon Fever
7:00AM	College Basketball: USF at Old Dominion
7:30AM	Auto Racing '84: Formula One - The World Driving Championship
8:30AM	SportsCenter
9:30AM	Championship Wrestling from Georgia
10:00AM	Alpine Ski School
10:30AM	Championship Wrestling
11:30AM	Mazda SportsLook
12:00PM	ESPN's Speedweek
12:30AM	Scotch Sports Preview
12:00PM	World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Baqueira, Spain
1:00PM	College Basketball: Memphis State at Louisville
1:30PM	NCAA Basketball: St. John's at Boston College
2:00PM	NCAA Basketball: St. John's at Boston College
3:00PM	College Basketball: Virginia at Clemson
4:00PM	PBA Tour: Showboat Invitational
4:30PM	College Basketball: Maryland at University of Nevada at Las Vegas
5:30PM	PGA Golf: Phoenix Open
6:00PM	World Champion Quarterhorse Show
7:00PM	Scotch Sports Preview
8:00PM	College Basketball: Indiana at Ohio State
8:30PM	Sports Saturday
9:00PM	Wide World of Sports
9:30PM	World Championship Wrestling
10:00PM	College Basketball: Indiana at Ohio State
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12:30AM	College Basketball: Iowa at Michigan
1:00PM	College Basketball: Arkansas at Houston
1:30PM	College Basketball: Iowa at Michigan
2:00PM	SportsCenter
2:30AM	Scotch Sports Preview
3:00AM	SportsCenter
3:30AM	Mazda SportsLook
4:00AM	College Basketball: Virginia at Clemson
SUNDAY 1/20/85	
5:00AM	World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Baqueira, Spain
6:30AM	SportsCenter
7:00AM	Super Bowl I Highlights
7:30AM	Super Bowl II Highlights
8:00AM	Super Bowl III Highlights
8:30AM	Super Bowl IV Highlights
9:00AM	Super Bowl V Highlights
9:30AM	Super Bowl VI Highlights
10:00AM	Super Bowl VII Highlights
10:30AM	Super Bowl VIII Highlights
11:00AM	Super Bowl IX Highlights
11:30AM	Super Bowl X Highlights
12:00PM	All American Wrestling
12:30PM	Super Bowl XI Highlights
1:00PM	Super Bowl XII Highlights
2:00PM	NBA Basketball: Philadelphia at Boston
3:00PM	SportsCenter
3:30PM	College Basketball: DePaul at Notre Dame
4:00PM	Super Bowl XIII Highlights
4:30PM	Super Bowl XIV Highlights
5:00PM	Wide World of Sports
5:30PM	Super Bowl XV Highlights
6:00PM	Super Bowl XVI Highlights
6:30PM	World Indoor Track and Field Championships
7:00PM	Super Bowl XVII Highlights
7:30PM	PGA Golf: Phoenix Open
8:00PM	Super Bowl XVIII Highlights
8:30PM	Super Bowl XIX Pre-Game Segment (CC)
9:00PM	Bowling
9:30PM	Super Bouts of the 70's
10:00PM	Bodybuilding: 1984 Mr. Universe Competition from Las Vegas, NV
10:30PM	Kick-Off
11:00PM	Super Bowl XIX: Miami vs. San Francisco
11:30PM	SportsCenter
12:00AM	World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
12:30AM	Super Bouts of the 70's
1:00AM	Super Bowl Post-Game
1:30AM	NHL's Greatest Moments: Best Ever Teams
2:00AM	SportsCenter
2:30AM	World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
3:00AM	Triathlon Fever
3:30AM	All American Wrestling
4:00AM	SportsCenter
4:30AM	Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City, NJ

MONDAY 1/21/85	
5:30AM	Mazda SportsLook
6:00AM	SportsCenter
6:30AM	College Basketball: Providence at Marquette
7:00AM	Aerobic-Bodies in Motion
7:30AM	College Basketball: Iowa at Michigan
8:00AM	College Basketball: Indiana at Ohio State
8:30AM	College Basketball: Duke at North Carolina
9:00AM	Mazda SportsLook
9:30AM	SportsCenter
10:00AM	NHL Hockey: Montreal at Boston
10:30AM	College Basketball: Pittsburgh at Boston College
11:00AM	SportsCenter
11:30AM	College Basketball: Washington at UCLA
12:00AM	NHL Hockey: Montreal at Boston
12:30AM	ESPN's Ringside Review
1:00AM	Mazda SportsLook
1:30AM	Dr. Schell's 10K Run
2:00AM	SportsCenter
2:30AM	College Basketball Report
3:00AM	College Basketball: Washington at UCLA
TUESDAY 1/22/85	
5:30AM	ESPN's Ringside Review
6:00AM	SportsCenter
6:30AM	College Basketball Report
7:00AM	College Basketball: Pittsburgh at Boston College
7:30AM	Aerobic-Bodies in Motion
8:00AM	College Basketball: Washington at UCLA
8:30AM	Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City, NJ
9:00AM	College Basketball: Pittsburgh at Boston College
9:30AM	SportsCenter
10:00AM	Prime Time Wrestling
10:30AM	College Basketball: West Virginia at Virginia Commonwealth
11:00AM	NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Utah
11:30AM	Skiing American Style
12:00PM	World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
12:30PM	SportsCenter
1:00AM	College Basketball: West Virginia at Virginia Commonwealth
1:30AM	All American Wrestling
2:00AM	Wrestling TNT
2:30AM	Winning Golf
3:00AM	Auto Racing: ARCA 150
3:30AM	SportsCenter
4:00AM	Alpine Ski School
4:30AM	Rodeo
WEDNESDAY 1/23/85	
5:30AM	Mazda SportsLook
6:00AM	SportsCenter
6:30AM	World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
7:00AM	PKA Full Contact Karate: Featherweight Contenders Bout from Santa Barbara
7:30AM	Aerobic-Bodies in Motion
8:00AM	Track and Field: Sunlist Invitational Track Meet
8:30AM	Bazing Special: 1984 - A Year of Change
9:00AM	Triathlon Fever
9:30AM	College Basketball: West Virginia at Virginia Commonwealth
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6:30PM	Tap Rank Boxing
7:00PM	College Basketball: Alabama-Birmingham at Old Dominion
7:30PM	NBA Basketball: Dallas at Washington
8:00PM	SportsCenter
8:30AM	Mazda SportsLook
9:00AM	College Basketball: Ohio State at Illinois
9:30AM	Aerobic-Bodies in Motion
10:00AM	Cosmo's Tahoe Billiards from Las Vegas, NV
10:30AM	College Basketball: Dayton at Notre Dame
11:00AM	College Basketball: Ohio State at Illinois
11:30AM	Aerobic-Bodies in Motion
12:00AM	ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
12:30AM	SportsCenter
1:00AM	College Basketball: Alabama-Birmingham at Old Dominion
1:30AM	NBA Basketball: Dallas at Washington
THURSDAY 1/24/85	
9:00AM	SportsCenter
9:30AM	Mazda SportsLook
10:00AM	College Basketball: Ohio State at Illinois
10:30AM	Aerobic-Bodies in Motion
11:00AM	College Basketball: Dayton at Notre Dame
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Things you should know about ice safety

This is the time of year when anyone who ventures out on the ice should be thinking about ice safety stresses Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Law Enforcement personnel.

Early winter freezes and thaws render ice unsafe for any type of traffic, particularly in December and January, and as temperatures rise, in March and April. "In 1983 alone," says Frank Opolka, Chief of DNR's Law Enforcement Division, "12 Michigan residents lost their lives in ice accidents; in 1984, DNR reports show six fatal ice accidents occurred in Michigan."

What constitutes a safe depth of ice is difficult to state. While three inches of ice on a farm pond may hold a person with little danger, that same three inches on a moving stream or a lake with springs, stumps and currents, could be very dangerous. On the great lakes, one step from three foot thick ice may lead the next step to nothing more than skim ice.

The following measures are suggested to reduce the risk of ice accidents:

- 1) Do not drive on ice.
 - 2) Test the ice continually with an ice spud or similarly heavy bar or staff, especially for ice skating and ice fishing.
 - 3) Stay away from stream mouths and lake inlets and outlets.
 - 4) Be suspicious of gray or dark spots in the ice, these may be soft areas. Note: ice deteriorates along shoreline and around pilings and docks first.
 - 5) Rescue gear should be available. A ladder is a good tool and at least 50 feet of good line, a tree limb or even an article of clothing can save.
 - 6) If you work on ice, two large spikes carried on the body can be used as a hand hold on the ice when crawling from a hole.
- Those who can avoid ice travel, should do so, says Opolka, particularly snowmobilers, cross country skiers and snowshoers who can enjoy these sports on solid ground.

In 1982, four snowmobilers traveling on a lake and unfamiliar with the conditions, crashed through the ice and drowned.

If travel over ice is unavoidable, as in ice fishing or is work-related, some of the factors, that should be weighed are: type of ice, recent weather, a person's own knowledge of conditions and area, and the body of water you are crossing.

What do you do when you go through the ice? Opolka offers these suggestions:

- 1) Turn on your back and kick to work your way out of the hole; your clothes will offer some flotation.
- 2) Get out of the ice in the direction you walked on.
- 3) do not stand, rather, roll away from the hole until you feel you can safely stand.
- 4) Work fast, you have just minutes before the cold water will affect your reasoning.
- 5) Your clothes will soon freeze; walk to safety quickly. If

you are going to your car, remove your keys before they freeze in your pocket.

What do you do when assisting someone who has fallen through the ice? Stay on solid ground; avoid getting on the ice if possible. If a person must assist from the ice, they should lay flat and spread their weight as much as possible. Rescue gear (ladder, rope, tied around victim; etc.) should be utilized.

A person removed from cold water may appear to be beyond help, but still may be successfully resuscitated. Start cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and transport immediately to a hospital.

Ice sports are very much a part of Michigan's winter recreational scene, says Opolka, and stresses not to be afraid of the ice, but instead, respect it by taking the proper precautions for a safer, more enjoyable winter.

DNR Report . . .

FISHING INFORMATION:
Little to report in the District at this time. Ice is safe on most all small lakes. There is a lot of inland lake fishing taking place with good success for panfish and northern pike.

WILDLIFE INFORMATION:
The warmer weather in late fall and December has been good for most wildlife species. Very few crop damage complaints to nursery stock and orchards from wintering deer have occurred thus far, which indicates a mild winter. Deer have not concentrated in river bottom lands as they normally do in December, but they have started to the last couple weeks with the snow and colder temperatures.

Also due to the mild weather in December, we had a record number of Canadian geese recored during the mid-December goose count. Over 4500 geese still remain in our 7 county district.

We are making a mid-January

eagle survey in cooperation with the National Wildlife Federation and are asking anyone spotting an eagle to contact the District office.

Beaver season opened in area C January 1. We have a good beaver population in the portions of Kent and Montcalm Counties open to trapping. Beaver pelt prices have improved from last year and we anticipate an increase in trapper interest for beaver harvest this year.

Deadline for turkey permits is February 1.

According to EPA's latest estimates, U.S. industry generates more than 300 gallons of toxic waste for every person in the country each year, says the National Wildlife Federation. All told, that adds up to 71 billion gallons of toxic waste. This is 60 percent higher than EPA's figures released last year.

Council Proceedings

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

Regular Meeting of Monday, December 17, 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 December 3 meeting be approved as written, supported by Councilman Schneider.

Carried.

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

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

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TOTALS

General Fund	\$46,741.17
Major Street Fund	854.65
Local Street Fund	3,139.42
Sewer Fund	981.61
Water Fund	49,434.28
Equipment Fund	3,815.98
Building and Site Fund	4,273.23
Trust and Agency Fund	377.50
Current Tax Fund	17,300.11
Lee Fund	1,555.20
Look-Daley Fund	510.00

Council opened the agenda with a discussion on setting a date for a public hearing on the establishment of a Commercial Development District, under the regulations of P.A. 255.

Manager Quada stated that at the last meeting he had noted the fact that Act 255 would be discontinued on December 31, 1984, however, the State has reconsidered and it may be extended for at least one year. It is on the governor's desk for signature and there is no question but what it will be signed.

Three applications have been received in the City, Thomet Chevrolet, which is already pending, and Hinkley Drugs and Ptaller's Clothing were just received this week. Council can establish the size of the district as they see fit, making it larger or smaller than the requests. It had been discussed in the past with the suggestion that the entire business district be design-

nated as a Development District, thereby allowing any interested business the opportunity to apply for the Exemption Certificate.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Collins that the meetin of January 21, 1985 be set as a Public Hearing date for the establishment of a Community Development District under Public Act 255, supported by Councilman Fonger.

Carried.

Council then discussed the truck bids to replace the 15 year old utility truck. It is a small enough unit to be used for the City's parks and cemetery, and being an automatic shift, has been useful in the City's Summer hiring program of high school and college students who are responsible enough to be permitted to drive. In this day and age, few can drive a stick-shift easily.

Bids were tabulated as follows:

Vennen Chrysler-Dodge	\$12,592.30
Zeigler Ford	12,698.00
Wittenbach	12,650.00
Thomet Chevrolet and Buick	12,850.00

Manager Quada stated that all models meet all specifications, and he recommended the low bid of Vennen Chrysler-Dodge for \$12,592.30.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Thompson that the bid of Vennen Chrysler-Dodge for \$12,592.30 be accepted for a utility truck, supported by Councilman Fonger.

Carried.

Mayor Maatman removed from tabling the request by Lowell Cable TV Board for rate increases discussed at the last meeting.

Manager Quada stated that the State has received the copy of the Audit of the Cable System and has contacted the City on our intentions to take care of the deficit. He noted that it could affect the City's credit rating in applying for funding.

Mr. King Doyle, Chairman, stated that the Board felt the increases were fair, noting that the rates requested for January 1 raises will only affect this fiscal year, the July raises will be for the new fiscal year. A discussion followed.

Dr. McKay, also a member of the Board stated that if rates are only allowed to go up 50¢, the System will still fall behind more, because HBO will be going up purchase price in April. \$1.00 is needed beginning in January just to keep up with the increase.

Council concurred that they would like to meet with the Audit Firm to discuss other ideas on putting the System in the "black" and to consider additional raises for July.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Collins that rate increases beginning January 1, 1985 for \$1.00 for Basic Service, From

\$8.95 to \$9.95, Cinnemax, \$1.00, from \$7.00 to \$8.00, and HBO, \$1.00 from \$8.95 to \$9.95 be approved, supported by Councilman Schneider.

Carried.

Manager Quada then stated that Crystal Fish Gas Stations have applied to the Michigan Liquor Commission for a blanket license to sell packaged alcoholic beverages at all their gas-convenience stores across the state. No action is required, and the Manager noted that Municipalities don't have much say any more in the granting or refusal of such licenses.

Manager Quada then stated that he has again received a request from the Kent Intermediate Schools to collect half of the school tax levy in the Summer with the City's summer tax. He stated that it was done last year with no additional problems, except for complaints that the Summer tax bills are now larger than the Winter ones, instead of evening out as was promised. Manager Quada stated that it was due to Kent Intermediate District putting their entire 2 mills on the Summer bill, rather than splitting it in half, as the others did.

IT WAS MOVED by Councilman Collins that the request to collect the Kent Intermediate School District taxes in the Summer tax bills be approved, to include a request for advisement of why the entire two (2) mills is to be collected in the Summer, supported by Councilman Fonger.

Carried.

Under Council Remarks, Councilman Thompson stated that it is nice to see Hinkley Drug Stores coming to Lowell.

Councilman Fonger asked if people are again using City parking lots for car-pooling. Manager Quada replied that it happens occasionally. When discovered, warnings are given. They cease for a while, then start in again. Most often, in the lot behind Mr. Bill's.

Under the Manager's Report, Manager Quada presented three drawings on ideas for additional Main Street parking. It includes removing or rerouting traffic on Riverside Drive at Main Street. In all three ideas, parking lot would be made with tree plantings to maintain a park-like setting. It will be a topic of discussion for the Planning Commission at their next meeting.

Manager Quada then requested an executive session at the close of the Regular meeting to discuss land acquisition.

IT WAS THEN MOVED to adjourn into executive session at 8:50 P.M. by Councilman Collins; supported by Councilman Thompson.

Carried.

Approved: January 7, 1985
James D. Maatman, Mayor
Ray E. Quada, City Clerk

LEGAL NOTICES

Lowell hosts Klondike Derby

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE
COUNTY OF KENT
ORDER FOR
PUBLICATION
AND TO
APPEAR AND ANSWER**
Case No: 84-53233-DM
DONALD BESS, S.S. No. 371-62-3425, Plaintiff, vs. MELLENIE BESS, S.S. No. 361-48-3433, Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, Grand Rapids, MI on the 13 day of December, 1984.

PRESENT: The Honorable WOODROW A. YARED Circuit Court Judge.

On the 6th day of September, 1984 an action for divorce was filed by the above-named Plaintiff against you, the above-named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 1605 Francis, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507 shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 26th day of February, 1985.

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

WOODROW A. YARED
Circuit Court Judge
Examined, Countersigned and Entered:
Susan Atkinson,
Court Clerk

ATTEST: A True Copy
C9, 10, 11, 12

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE
PROBATE COURT
FOR THE
COUNTY OF KENT
PUBLICATION
NOTICE
DECEASED
INTESTATE AFTER
APPOINTMENT CLAIMS
DETERMINATION
OF HEIRS**
FILE NO. 141-149

Estate of GAIL E. CRAMER, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE: On September 28, 1984, in the probate courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before Hon. Donald J. DeYoung, Judge of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of Debra Lee Hough for administration of this estate.

The decedent, whose Social Security Number is 380-18-1349, died on August 18, 1984, a resident of Winter Haven, Florida. Administration was granted to Debra Lee Hough, Personal Representative.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented on or before April 1, 1985 to Debra Lee Hough 9166 Pine Is. Dr., Comstock Park MI 49341, and proof there of, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

January 10, 1985
Thomas D. Anderson, Jr. (P. 10187)
Box 246
Cedar Springs, MI 49319 696-1930

Debra Lee Hough
9166 Pine Island Drive
Comstock Park, MI 49341
C9

On Saturday January 12, the Iokemo District Boy Scouts held a Klondike Derby, at the Bill Nowak Activity Center in Lowell.

Lowell Boy Scout Troop 102 hosted the event. It was attended by about 160 Boy Scouts, 40 Webelos, and 25 adult leaders, from Ionia, Kent and Montcalm Counties.

A Klondike Derby is an outdoor activity which gives scouts an opportunity to use their scouting skills, and to learn leadership and team work.

Submitted by: Scout Scouts
Travis Briggs,
Nathan Robertson
& Andy Schafer

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Kent
Probate Court
JUVENILE DIVISION

TO: Clifford Wayne LANPHERE In The Matter Of: Jessica Marie LANPHERE
Hearing: February 13, 1985, at 9:00 a.m.

A petition for termination of parental rights has been filed in the above matter. A hearing on the petition will be conducted by the Court on the date and time stated above in Kent County Juvenile Court, 1501 Cedar NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan. It is therefore ordered that you personally appear before the Court at the time and place stated above. This hearing may result in a permanent loss of your rights to the child(ren).

Dated: January 9, 1985

JOHN P. STEKETE
JUDGE OF PROBATE



A Boy Scout Klondike Derby team administers first aid at one of the many checkpoints in last Saturday's event. Other checkpoints tested the teams on scouting skills such as nature lore, knot tying, etc.

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Turkey hunting application deadline Feb. 1st

Hunters are reminded the deadline to send in license application cards for the 1985 spring wild turkey hunting season is February 1, says the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). This year, 15,900 licenses will be available. Hunt periods (there are 33) have been

lengthened and hunting areas (14) expanded this year as a result of a DNR survey of turkey hunters conducted in 1984. An additional change for 1985 prohibits the use of bait to take wild turkeys. "Michigan's 1984 spring season produced another good har-

vest of turkeys," says Charles Guenther, DNR Wildlife Division Chief, "and has made possible the addition of a new 103 square mile hunting area in the Upper Peninsula. The Clare District hunting area was also expanded to 801 square miles for the 1985 season," he adds. The first turkey hunting period will begin April 22 (April 29 in the U.P.), the last hunting period will begin a half hour earlier in the Lower Peninsula, 5:30 A.M. - 4 P.M. In the U.P., the hours remain the same as last year, 5 A.M. - 3 P.M. Bag limits remain one bearded turkey per hunter. Regulations for the spring gobbler season were approved by the Natural Resources Commission at its October, 1984 meeting in Lansing. Application cards for resident and senior resident turkey licenses are on hand at all DNR license - issuing offices and most license dealers, and from DNR Information Services in Lansing (517-373-1220). Nonresident applications will be available only at DNR Information Services.

All applicants must pay a fee when sending in their application card, this fee is the cost of the turkey license. Hunters may apply individually or with one partner, and may select three specific areas to hunt, however,

only one area will be assigned. Successful applicants will receive their 1985 wild turkey hunting license in the mail by March 15. Unsuccessful applicants will be notified by mail at the same time. Their application fee will be refunded after March 22. Should license applications quotas for specific hunt areas remain unfilled, unsuccessful applicants will be notified by March 15 and remaining licenses will be issued on a first/call/first served basis (517-373-9337) between March 20-22 only. To hunt wild turkeys, a hunter must have a 1985 wild turkey hunting license, a 1985 small game stamp (unless hunting on your own land), and if hunting in the southern part of the lower peninsula, a public access stamp. Cost of the various licenses are as follows: Resident turkey license \$7.25 Senior resident turkey license 1.00 Nonresident turkey license 20.25 Resident small game stamp 7.25 Senior hunting stamp 4.00 Nonresident small game stamp 35.25 Junior (age 12-16 small game stamp 3.75 Zone 3 public access stamp 1.10

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by David M. Rayner and Carol J. Rayner, his wife, Mortgagors, to Lake Michigan Mortgage Company, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 27th day of February, A.D., 1973, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent and State of Michigan, on the 1st day of March, A.D., 1973 in Liber 1773, of Mortgages on Pages 1340-1343, which said mortgage was thereafter, on wit: the 5th day of March, A.D., 1973, assigned to the FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States, and said assignment was recorded on the 5th day of March, 1973 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Kent in Liber 1774 of Mortgages on Page 212, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage as of the date of this notice is the sum of Fifteen thousand seventy one and 99/100 (\$15,115.19) dollars, for principal and interest and,

WHEREAS, no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and default having been made whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative,

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on THURSDAY the 21st day of February, 1985, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, local time, said mortgage will be foreclosed at a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the main lobby of the Hall of Justice in the City of Grand Rapids County of Kent and State of Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage with the interest thereon at 8.125% per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

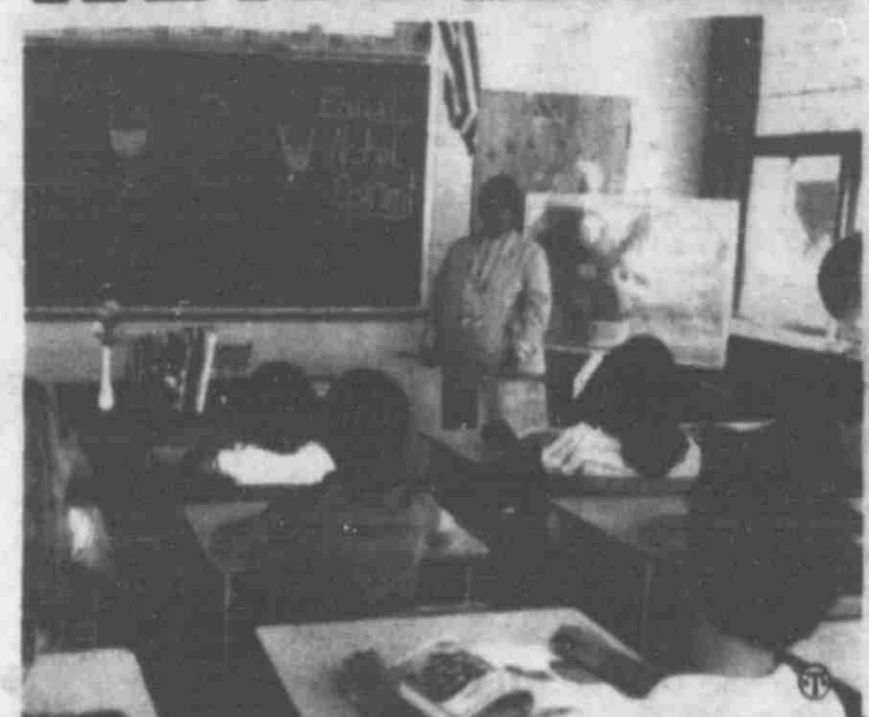
The premises described in said mortgage are as follows: Property situated in the County of Kent, State of Michigan, to wit:

Lot 32, KONKLE - CHAMBERLAIN PLAT, as recorded in liber 34 of Plats, page 3, Kent County Records.

Take notice that the period of redemption, pursuant to M.S.A. 27A.3240 shall be six months from the date of said sale.

Dated: January 16, 1985
FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States, assignee of mortgage.
CHARLES A. FORREST, JR.
 Attorney at Law
 8145 South Saginaw Street
 Grand Blanc, MI 48439
 Telephone: (313) 694-7200
 C8,9,10,11,12

NEWS OF EDUCATION



Youngsters are learning about alcohol abuse early in one community's successful effort to cut down drunk driving among teens.

Teaching children about the use and abuse of alcohol is a sobering subject. One town is doing it successfully, without raising taxes or introducing new restrictions. Concerned with teenage drinking, the teachers and parents of Lee, Massachusetts have joined forces to put alcohol education in the schools from the sixth grade up. Thus beginning early, the young people are taught how values are shaped, how to know oneself, about peer pressure and about the characteristics of alcohol and drug abuse. In the 10th grade driver education classes provide an in-depth study on how alcohol and drug use affect driver safety. All the teamwork has paid off and Lee has sharply reduced its drunk driving among teens. The program's success has prompted the National Football League, The Distilled Spirits Council of the United States and the National Association of State Boards of Education to mount a national campaign so other communities can benefit from this program.

FREE BOOKLET
 A booklet has been prepared by the National Association of State Boards of Education on how to establish an alcohol prevention program in a community. The booklet is available free by writing to: TEAMWORK, Box 1197, Dept. D, Washington, D.C. 20013.

MICHIGAN OUT-OF-DOORS JOURNAL

TIMBER -- Department of Natural Resources crews have begun to remove buildings in the Green Timbers tract after a two-year delay caused by controversy over disposition of the structures. The Green Timbers property, covering 6,440 acres in the Pigeon River country State forest, was purchased by the state in 1982 from the McLouth Steel Corporation, which had used it as a retreat for company executives. The \$2.3 million for the purchase came from Kammer Recreational Land Trust fund revenues, generated from oil and gas drilling on state-owned land. After the state acquired the property, McLouth officials sought to regain ownership of the cabins, outbuildings and 220 surrounding acres, which would have established a privately owned enclave within the tract. The Michigan United Conservation Clubs (MUCC) and the Natural Resources Commission opposed McLouth's proposal. Other groups then sought to block removal of the buildings, but the DNR staff disagreed with the plan to retain the structures on the tract. Some of the buildings will be dismantled to provide materials for cabins for construction in state parks. Other building will be placed on bids and those that are not purchased will be burned.

POLLUTION PROBLEMS -- The Sixth U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals has ordered the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to reconsider its approval of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources program for controlling industrial discharges of toxic water pol-

lutants into municipal sewers and wastewater treatment plants. That happened in response to a lawsuit filed by the National Wildlife Federation (NWF) and the Michigan United Conservation Clubs (MUCC). The NWF and MUCC objected in December 1982 to EPA's proposed approval of the DNR's program of supervising cities developing pretreatment programs alleging that it failed to assure adequate control of these toxic substances. The "pretreatment" program, as it is known, requires that more than 100 cities in Michigan develop controls on industrial discharges of toxic wastes into their sewers. Often, these wastes pass untreated through the municipal wastewater treatment systems to pollute lakes and rivers or they contaminate the sludge produced by the municipal treatment plants.

HOUGHTON LAKE HONORED -- The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has honored the Houghton Lake Sewer authority for having the best operated wastewater treatment facility in Michigan during the past year. Last summer, the EPA praised the operations and maintenance staff at the authority's Roscommon Township Treatment Facility for its outstanding performance.

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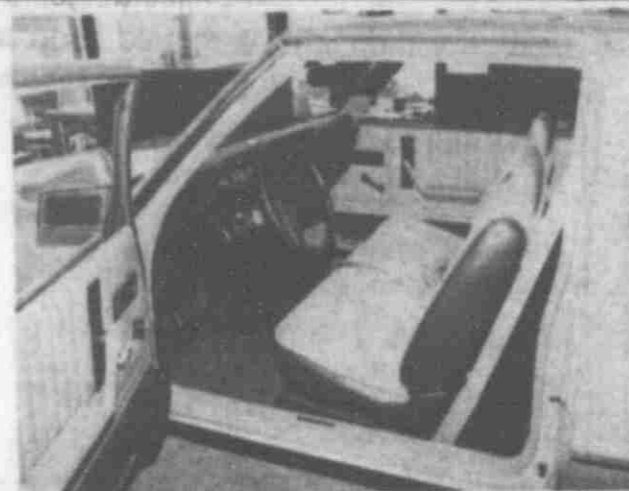
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