# The Grand Valley Ledger 



GRAND SLAM SALE
Saturday, May 18 is a big day for you bargain hunters. The "Grand Slam" Sale is a community event and 200 families participate. The Sale is sponsored by Century 21, Reedy Realty, Inc. and is held in Eastgate. So you bargain hungry people start saving your pennies now!!!

POSTHUMUS TO SPEAK IN ALTO
State Senator Dick Posthumus will be speaking to the public at the Bowne Township Hall on Tuesday, May 21. You are invited to attend the session which begins at 8:00 p.m. The event is being sponsored by the Alto Friends of the Library.

## POPPY SALES THIS WEEKEND

Auxiliary members of both the Clark-Ellis Post of The American Legion and the Flat River Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will be selling Veteran's Poppies at various locations throughout town on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, May 16, 17, and 18. Money raised from the nationwide Poppy Sale is used for veterans in V.A. Hospitals.

## APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE FOR FALLASBURG FOOD BOOTH

Those wishing to operate a food booth at the popular Fallasburg Fall Festival can pick up their applications at the Lowell Area Arts Council office at 149 S . Hudson. The office is open afternoons only.

## HERITAGE ANNIVERSARY SALE

The guys out at Heritage Meat Market are celebrating their second anniversary with a gala celebration this Thursday, Friday and Saturday. There will be all kinds of bargains on hot dogs, hamburgers and polish dogs each day from 11:00 'til 7. The burgers and
dogs will be barbequed outdoors. There will also be specials on broasted chicken, free door prizes and specials from the deli case. Next door, Curtis Cleaners is celebrating their third anniversary at their new location and their 37th year in business. They have specials there and also at the adjoining car wash and laundry... see ads in this issue for details.

## LAW ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM

If enough interest is shown, the Lowell Police Department will start a unique program for those interested in making law enforcement their career. This program is for those fourteen years of age (but must be in High School) thru twenty years of age. Those inter Department (897-7123),

OFF THE BLOTTER
Roxie Sullivan, 68 , failed to yield right-of-way to a car driven by Mark Mason, 28, on Monday, May 6. The accident occurred at the intersection of Washington \& North Street and resulted in property damage only. Both drivers were from Lowell.
Two 16 year old juveniles from Lowell were involved in a rear end property damage accident Friday, May 3 on Main Street nea Smith Street.
Lowell officers arrested two escapees from the lonia Reformatory Wednesday, May 8. Both reportedly had escaped earier in the day. William Maas, 29, and Danial Drane, 23, wee turned over to the corrections officers after arrest.
Involved in a property damage accident early Saturday, May 11, was Elizabeth McCarty, 17, of Lowell, when she lost control of the car she was driving and skidded into the ditch on west Main near the Valley Vista Trailer Park.
Arrested and lodged in the Kent County Jail on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol, fleeing and eluding police officers and driving while license suspended was Terry Richards, 38, of Ada. The arrest was made early Friday morning, May 10th, following a 7 mile chase into Ada. Richards was turned over to Kent County authorities after arraignment on the charges. Richards will
also answer to a warrant issued by 17 th Circuit Court in Grand Rap ids issued for contempt of court early in 1984.
Arrested and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and driving while license suspended early Thursday morning, May 9, was Kim Chesebro, 37, of Lowell.

## Hostage drama ends quietly

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Spokesmen for the Sheriff Department said that this was one of the longest standoffs that the Tactical Squad has yet deal with. The spokesmen added th hey were very pleased with the outcome of the incident.

## Lowell School Board Notes:

The Lowell Board of Education held its regular Board meeting on Monday, May 13, 1985. Following the payment of bills the Board accepted extra-duty assignment resignations effec school year from Bob CopelandJunior Varsity Basketball Coach; Rick White - Varsity Golf Coach; Pam Heemstra - J.V Football Cheerleading Coach Marsha LaHaye - Varsity Foot ball Cheerleading Coach; and Jack Kempker - Varsity Basebal Coach.
In other resignations, the Board accepted a resignation from Alto Custodian, Paul Dintaman, effective June 30, 1985 due to his retirement. Also resigning were high school account ing teacher, Jill Bussard and part-time high school math teacher, Karen Pizarek. Both are effective at the end of the 1984 85 school year. Also resigning was middle school EI teacher, Gayle DeKok, who is on a Career Exploration Leave.
In the next items of business, the Board ratified the 1985-88 Lowell Area Food Service Association Contract with Lowell Area Schools. Approval was granted by the Board to purchase replacement typewriters for the high school, and the Board set June 10, 1985 for the 1985-86 Budget Hearing.
In other Board action, the Board acknowledged receipt of the advisory position on the transportation proposal for double bus runs beginning September 1985. The report was submitted to the Board as an advisory position which will be further studied by the administration with a final recommenda tion expected to be placed on the June 10 agenda.
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S.S.B. erects Time/Temp. sign

A Time and Temperature sign went up in front of the newly expanded and remodeled home office of the Loweil State Savings Bank last week. The new sign flashes the time and the temperature in both farenheit and celsius. The expansion and remodeling at the bank is nearing completion with only some wallpapering and carpeting remaining as significant projects. If you haven't stopped in lately, a brief visit and look around is certainly worth your time.
4) Develop a schedule for the replacement of district-wide audio visual equipment with the suggested plan for item replacement beginning with the 1986-87 school year.
5) Develop a vocal music and creative movement curriculum for elementary grades K-5.


## Funniest Movie In Years! 'MICKI \& MAUDE'

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Grand Valley To Hold Band Camp




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Gospel Group To Perform At Lowell Assembly Of God


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| ALTON BIBLE CHURCH <br> Sunday Schoo Lowell 897-5648 <br> Low <br> 10:00 A.M <br> Morning Worship $\square$ <br> Nednesday Ministries <br> 7:00 P.M. 7:00 P.M. <br> Life <br> and God's Love to Hurting Lives* |  |  |  |
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LOWELL TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF RIGHT TO REFERENDUM ON BECOMING A CHARTER TOWNSHIP
 Michigan Secretary of State that the township of
Lowell has a population of 2,000 or more and the Lownship board has the ight to exerclese one of three options concoming status as a charter township under the provisions of Act 359, Public Acts of 1947, as amended:

1. Adopt by mal ority vote a resolut
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Hecorporation as a charater township. 2. Adopt by malority vole a resolution of inte 3. Adopt by malortity vote a resol iution to plac fore the electorate at the next rogular or special township election the question of incorporation as a charter township.
In the event option 2 is adoppted by the township board, the eltizens of the township have the right to file a "Right to Referendum Poettion." This pettition muat be filided within the 60 days which must lapse between pasasge of a resolution of intent to incorporate and final pasagage of
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The pettition will follow, in general form, the nominating pettition form as prosecibed in the Mich gan Election Law, and in the heading will Indicate "Disagroement of Intent to Incorporate as a Chartar
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| Carol L. Wolls |
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| Lowell Townhhl clerk |



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full wheel covers. .......... $\$ 3,095.00$


1981 Dodge Omni, yellow, 4 cyl., auto., air, cruise, AM radio, ......... $\$ 2,995.00$
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1979 Plymouth Volere Station Wagon, 6 cyl., auto., silver, PS, PB, air, cruise,
AM radio, luggage rack....... $22,995.00$
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PS, PB, step bumper. ....... $40,485.00$


1978 Ford F100, step box, 6 cyl., auto,
PS, PB, box cover, 59,000 miles $\$ 3,295.00$





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