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MANY BUSINESSES CLOSED FOR GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES

Many Lowell businesses will be closed for Good Friday Services. Some will be closed from noon until 3:00 p.m. and others will be closed from 1:00 until 3:00 p.m. Attractive signs listing these hours are available for businesses to post in their windows. The signs may be picked up at either the Grand Valley Ledger or from Chuck Meyers at the State Savings Bank. See page five of this issue for details concerning the Good Friday Services offered by the Lowell Ministerial Association.

PLANNERS FOR "WCUZ/SHOWBOAT CELEBRATION" TO MEET

Showboat Board Members and all friends of the Showboat are encouraged to attend an 8:00 a.m., Saturday, March 29 meeting at Lowell City Hall. Showboat President Ray Quada asked all those who have participated in planning the annual Memorial Day weekend event to attend, and bring along a friend. This year's festivities promise to be bigger and better than ever.

ANNUAL FIREMEN'S PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Saturday, March 29, serving from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the VFW Hall. Come and enjoy eggs, pancakes, sausage, and coffee. Cost is only \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

MAUNAY THURSDAY SERVICE

Maundy Thursday service will be conducted at the First Congregational Church of Lowell on North Hudson Street the day before Good Friday, Thursday March 27. The symbolic Last Supper service will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the downstairs dining room. Good Friday Service for the area will be held at 1:30 at the same church. Everyone is welcome at both services.

SWIM INSTRUCTORS NEEDED

The Lowell YMCA is taking applications for summer Life Guards and Swim Instructors. Applicants must be 16 years of age and pass C.P.R. and Senior Life Saving classes. Apply at 323 Main St., Lowell YMCA. Deadline April 10, 1986.

ATTENTION LHS CLASS OF 1981

The second organizational meeting to plan our 5th year class reunion will be held Saturday, April 5 at 1:00 p.m. at Larkin's in Lowell. Anyone interested but unable to attend should call 676-2371 days, or 897-8553 evenings.

ATTENTION LHS CLASS OF 1971

There will be an organizational meeting to plan our 15th year class reunion, on Sunday, April 6 at 2:00 p.m. at Deb Anchors' (Rickert).

Please bring your ideas, your favorite beverage, and any addresses of classmates you may have to: 1027 Lincoln Lake (inside the city limits, South of Fairchild Oil). We're looking forward to seeing you.

OFF THE BLOTTER

A 10 year old juvenile male was arrested by store employees at Eberhards Supermarket Wednesday, March 19 for shoplifting.

Arrested by Lowell officers for driving while license suspended, Friday evening, March 21, was Russell Maxim, 27, of Lowell.

Scott Myers, age 20, of Lowell, was arrested and taken to the Kent County Jail Tuesday, March 18, on two traffic warrants issued by the 63rd District Court.

Reported to Lowell officers, Saturday, March 22 was the breaking and entering of the YMCA pool lockers on South Broadway St. Taken was some athletic equipment.

Rebecca Roush, 20, of Lowell, collided with a car driven by Kristine Gokey, 18, of Alto, Friday, March 21 in the Third Base Service Station on East Main. No one was injured.

Paul Whaley, 21, of Belding collided with a parked car on Main St. near West St. Thursday, March 20. Whaley was not injured.

EPA files civil suit against city

The City of Lowell made the front page of Friday's Grand Rapids Press, and the article didn't concern Showboat, Macker or the wrestling team. Lowell and the State of Michigan have been named in a civil action filed by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The suit claims that Lowell is in violation of the Clean Water Act and its National Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit as the city discharges pollutants into the Flat River from its sewage treatment plant located at 300 Bowes Rd. The penalty in this case can be as much as \$10,000 per day for each day since July 1, 1985, when new waste limitations went into effect. A news release from the EPA states that Lowell is currently discharging about 600 pounds of suspended solids into the Flat River each day, and their NPDES permit allows for a maximum of 363 pounds per day.

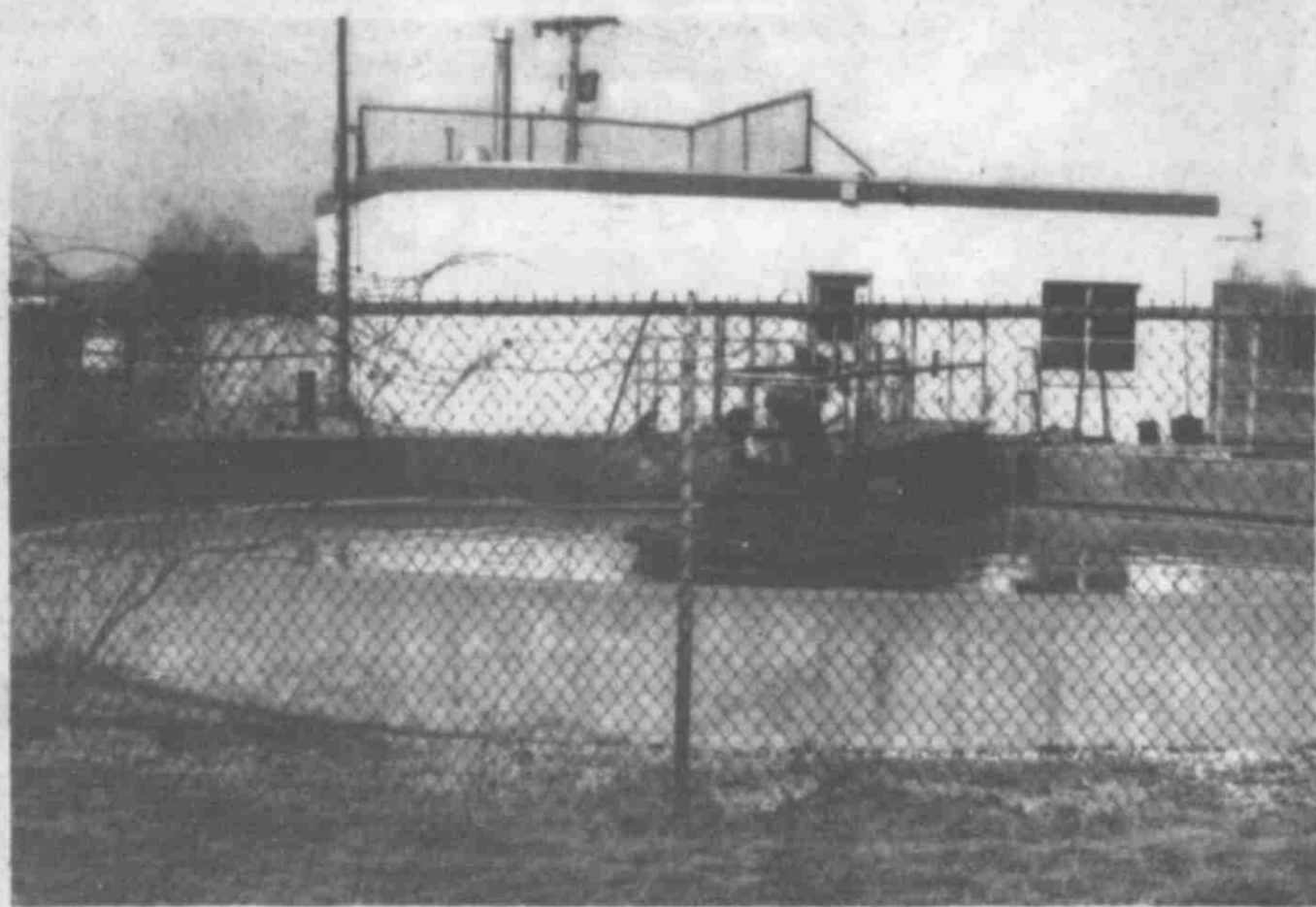
Lowell was one of only seven such suits filed by the EPA. Five suits were filed in New Jersey against Hoboken, West New York, Jersey City, Bayonne and North Bergen. The other suit was filed in Colorado against the city of Denver.

Lowell City Manager Ray Quada feels Lowell was singled out because the city government here has been very vocal about their stand on building a plant without federal and state financial help. Such plants have normally been funded at 75% federal dollars and 25% local and state. "The plant that has been designed and was approved by the EPA and state Department of Natural Resources (DNR) in December of 1982 would cost an estimated \$5 million to construct," says Quada. Quada points out that if Lowell has to fund this project alone, and is able to bond the project at a market rate of 7%, the first year's interest will be \$350,000, or about \$35 per month from each of the city's 1,200 sewer customers. "Add in operating expenses, payment on the principle, normal repairs, etc., and we could be looking at sewer bill increases from \$50 to \$75," Quada added.

On September 30, 1985 the EPA ordered the city of Lowell to submit a municipal compliance plan specifying corrective measures with a fixed rate schedule, which would allow the city to achieve full compliance as soon as possible, but not later than July 1, 1988. The compliance plan says in effect that the city will meet the EPA's discharge standards by July 1, 1988 with or without federal funding. Lowell is 36 on the state's list for funding, and well out of the running for financial help. Because there is no federal funding, and because \$75 sewer bills are beyond most residents' ability to pay, the city government has been unwilling to submit a municipal compliance plan.

The suit also cites Lowell for missing deadlines or failing to

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Lowell's primary sewage treatment plant at 300 Bowes Rd. was listed in the Environmental Protection Agency's civil suit against the city of Lowell as the source of pollutants now being discharged into the Flat River.

State Savings affiliates with Zeeland based bank

It was jointly announced today by Harold J. Englehardt, Chairman of the Board of State Savings Bank, Lowell, and David M. Ondersma, President and Chief Executive Officer of First Michigan Bank Corporation, that a letter of intent to affiliate has been signed by both companies.

The proposed affiliation is subject to the approval of various regulatory agencies and approval by the shareholders of the State Savings Bank. The affiliation would be accomplished through an exchange of 6.6 shares of First Michigan Bank Corporation common stock for each share of common stock of State Savings Bank. FMB stock is

listed on the National Over-the-Counter Stock Exchange. Tuesday's Wall Street Journal listed the stock at 20 3/8.

Ondersma commented, "We welcome the State Savings Bank to our family of banks and welcome the benefits this affiliation brings to both organizations and to the communities they serve." Englehardt stated that State Savings Bank will continue to operate under its current name and as a separate entity. He does not anticipate any changes in staff, officers or directors. "We will keep all our current employees, will continue to do all of our bookkeeping here and operate our computer center at the Lowell office", said Englehardt.

The main office of the State Savings Bank and a branch are located in Lowell, with one additional branch office on Myers Lake Road near Rockford. Established in 1934, the bank has grown to \$61,500,000 in assets at year end 1985.

First Michigan Bank Corporation, with total assets of \$760,687,000 as of December 31, 1985, is the parent organization of FMB-First Michigan Bank, Zeeland; FMB-Lumberman's Bank, Muskegon; FMB-Oceana Bank, Hart; FMB-Community Bank, Dowagiac, and FMB-First Michigan Bank-Grand Rapids.

Both millage issues pass

Less than 800 voters turned out Monday to cast ballots on two millage issues proposed by the Lowell School District. The small turnout of only 8 or 10 percent of the district's 8 to 10 thousand registered voters approved both issues.

The first item on the ballot called for the renewal of 22.2 mills of operational millage for a five year period. The second item asked for a shift of .7 mills of debt retirement millage to operational millage. The .7 mills was due to be deducted from the districts 3.3 mills of debt retirement because increased assessments generated more money than was needed to pay off debts.

The first proposal passed by a 569-193 margin. The second item was a little closer at 484 to 287. The precincts tallies broke down as follows: Precinct 1 - Lowell City, renewal - 311 yes - 86 no, millage shift - 274 yes - 128 no; Precinct 2 - Alto, renewal - 78 yes - 36 no; millage shift - 57 yes - 59 no; Precinct 3 - Vergennes, renewal 164 yes - 71 no, millage shift 140 yes - 97 no and absentee ballots, renewal 16 yes - 0 no, millage shift 13 yes - 3 no.

The Ledger erred last week in a front page story about the election. We inadvertently listed Tuesday, rather than Monday as election day. The date, March

24, was correct, and a legal notice within the Ledger also listed the correct date. Notice of the election was also listed in the Lowell School District publication, "Directions," and in informational material distributed by the district. We sincerely hope voters realized our article was in error, and voted on the right day. The Ledger regrets the error, and has taken steps that will help prevent such a problem from occurring again.

ENJOY

Easter Services

PRECISION & FASHION HAIRSTYLING - For both men and women. Man's World Hairstyling. Phone 897-8102. Appointments not always needed at Vanity Hair Fashions, Open six days Lowell, 897-7506.

Obituaries

BRANDT - Mr. Russell Brandt, aged 84, passed away Saturday, March 22 at Ferguson Hospital. Surviving are his wife, Jeanette; his children, Rev. Donald and Priscilla Brandt of Jenison, Marilyn and Gary Zandstra of Cutler; five grandchildren; three sisters and four brothers, Mrs. Cora VandenBosch, Maurice, Rowland, Walter, and Chester Brandt, Mrs. Marie VanHouten, Mrs. Clarence (Ethel) Worst, all of Grand Rapids; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Gladys Brandt of Lowell and a brother-in-law, John Straayer of Ft. Services including Committal were held Tuesday, March 25, at the Zaagman Memorial Chapel. Rev. Frederick Dolfin and Rev. John Breuker officiating. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

Church, Msgr. James P. Moran Celebrant. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

HEINTZELMAN - Mrs. Ilene G. Heintzelman, aged 63, passed away Sunday, March 15. Surviving are her husband, Roy E. Heintzelman; children, David and Cindy Heintzelman of Grand Rapids, Jack and Kathy Heintzelman of Cutler, Vera Larsen of Grand Rapids; four granddaughters; one great-grandson; her mother, Mrs. Jettina Spidell of Ada; brother, Carl Spidell of Grand Rapids; sister, Mrs. Doris Haningberg; Aunt Carrie Watermuller; several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Thursday, March 19 at the Metcalf & Johkoff Funeral Home. Pastor Arvle DeVaney of Woodward Ave. Baptist Church officiating. Interment Floral View Cemetery.

FOX - Mrs. Bernadine Doyle Fox, aged 74, of Lowell, passed away Monday, March 17. She is survived by her sons, Mr. William (Nora) Fox of East Grand Rapids, Mr. Robert (Grace) Fox and Mr. John (Jamie) Fox both of Lowell; 12 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Hans (Martha) Fischer of Lowell. The Mass of Christian Burial was offered Thursday, March 20, at St. Mary's Catholic

MYERS - Mr. Harold E. Myers, aged 81, passed away Saturday, March 22 at Alpine Manor. Surviving are three grandsons, Harold M. McGee of Lake Orion, Robert R. McGee Jr. of Alto, Patrick M. McGee of Grand Rapids; three great-grandchildren, Michelle, Robert and Tara Lynn; one brother-in-law,

Floyd Miller of White Cloud; several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Tuesday, March 25 at the Cook-Grandville Funeral Home with Rev. Ronald Zartman officiating. Interment Rosedale Memorial Park.

PORRITT - Mr. Robert A. Porritt, aged 73, of Grand Rapids, passed away Friday, March 21. Surviving are his four daughters, Arleen (Charles) Mailhot, Grace (John) Kragt of Montana, Bev (Bill) Smith, Jane (Tom) Grypma; eleven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; his sister, Rose Heacock of Alto; one brother, Francis Porritt; several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Monday, March 24 at the Arslowicz, West Funeral Home. Interment Bowen Center Cemetery, Alto.

POTTER - Mr. Jackson M. Potter, aged 71, of Grand Rapids, died Friday, March 21. Surviving are his wife Dorothy M.; three sons, Stanley S. of Ada, Douglas J. of Cascade, and Dennis M. of Grand Rapids; seven grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Harry (Helen) Strader of Royal Oak; several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Tuesday, March 25, at the Metcalf & Johkoff

Funeral Home. Rev. Douglas Van Doren of Plymouth Congregational Church officiating. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

SERNE - Mrs. Doris May Serne, of Lowell, passed away unexpectedly Monday, March 17, at Butterworth Hospital. She is survived by her husband, William; sister, Etta Mathews of Newaygo, MI; sons and daughters-in-law, William and Jeanne Serne, of Valencia, CA, James and Eleanor Serne, Thomas and Christine Serne, Michael and Joanne Serne, all of Ada, MI, Patrick and June Serne of Lowell, MI. Mrs. Serne was preceded in death by one grandchild Dale Serne. Also surviving are 15 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren; cousins, nieces and nephews. The Mass of Christian Burial was offered Thursday, March 19 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Lowell, Msgr. James P. Moran Celebrant. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

HARMER - Harry E. Harmer of Grand Rapids, passed away Wednesday, March 19, 1986 at the age of 90. He is survived by

his wife, Edna; his son, Michael and Sue Shalander; his granddaughters, Saralyn and Jay Vezino, Amy and Allison Shalander, all of Lowell; his nephews,

Richard Place of Hiroshima, Japan, and Dudley and Lorna Place of Flint. Cremation has taken place. Arrangements by DeGraaf Funeral Home.

In the Service

Navy Fireman Apprentice James C. Melcher, son of Larry S. and Nancy L. Melcher of 7317 MacArthur, Saranac, MI, recently reported for duty aboard the destroyer tender USS Puket Sound, homeported in Norfolk, VA.

A 1985 graduate of Saranac High School, he joined the Navy in June of 1985.

Marine Cpl. Martin G. Alexander, son of Dolores K. Alexander of 820 N. Hudson, Lowell, MI, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

A 1984 graduate of Lowell Senior High School, he joined the Marine Corps in December 1984.

Army Sgt. Steven R. Ellison,

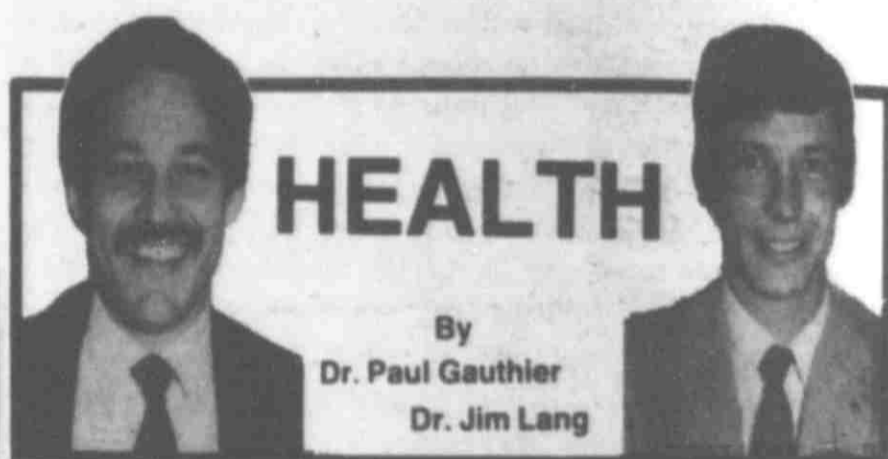
son of Napoleon B. and Judy E. Ellison of 6058 Riverside Drive, Saranac, Michigan, was involved in a NATO-sponsored exercise by participating in the Army's return of forces to Germany (REFORGER) and the Air Force's Crested Cap exercises.

The exercises are designed to develop uniformity of doctrine, standardize procedures for rapid response to a crisis and demonstrate solidarity in commitment to NATO goals and objectives.

Ellison is an aerial photoactive sensors repairman with the 2nd Military Intelligence Battalion in West Germany.

His wife, Mary, is the daughter of Ida M. Condon of 2405 Walden Woods, Wyoming, Michigan.

The sergeant is a 1980 graduate of Saranac Community High School.



HEALTH

By
Dr. Paul Gauthier
Dr. Jim Lang

FACTS ON INFERTILITY

In last week's article we began a discussion on infertility -- that is, a couple's inability to conceive a child. We discussed both male and female causes of infertility, and some of the surgical means of correction. Today we will concentrate on some of the medical therapies for infertility, and also discuss some of the support groups available for infertile couples.

Medical therapy for infertility is aimed primarily at inducing ovulation (egg formation and migration). Clomid*, a frequently used fertility drug, works by "fooling" the hypothalamus gland into producing more hormones which act to induce ovulation. If Clomid* proves to be ineffective, Pergonal* is an injectable product which attempts to mimic, as closely as possible, the hormonal releases of the male and female reproductive systems. In the female, Pergonal* aids in the development of ovarian follicles, which contain the eggs released at ovulation. In the male, this drug insures a sufficient production of sperm. Pergonal* therapy must be monitored closely by both physician and patient, since it acts directly on the ovaries; over-stimulation can result in multiple ovulation and the possibility of multiple pregnancy.

Infertility can be a difficult emotional and psychological experience for a couple. Feelings of anger, guilt, and helplessness are common reactions. A thorough evaluation requires an understanding team of physicians who will consider the couple's psychological state as part of the treatment process. Though cure rates are high, infertility treatment can consist of a long and exhausting set of evaluations and therapies.

To help couples through this period and to help those who must confront permanent infertility, there are support groups such as Resolve, Inc., P.O. Box 474, Belmont, MA. 02178, (617) 484-2424, a nonprofit agency with chapters in over 40 cities around the country. These groups can provide counseling and help refer couples to physicians specializing in infertility treatment.



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Coming Events

Notices 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.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE Chapter night meeting is held the first Monday of each month, at 8 p.m.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE Business Meeting is held the third Monday of each month, at 8 p.m.

MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE: will be conducted at the First Congregational Church of Lowell on North Hudson Street the day before Good Friday, Thursday, March 27. The symbolic Last Supper service will begin at

7:00 p.m. in the downstairs dining room. Good Friday Service for the area will be held at 1:30 at the same church. Everyone is welcome at both services.

QUA-KE-ZIK SPORTSMAN'S CLUB meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. at the club building at 11400 Foreman Road, Lowell.

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 will be discussed and awards presented.

THE RECYCLE CENTER at Eberhard's parking lot is open for bottles, tin cans, aluminum, newspaper, and brown paper bags.

THE LOWELL COMMUNITY BAND will rehearse the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at 7:30 P.M. in the Lowell High School band room.

MARCH 9 - APRIL 5: The Lowell Area, Arts Council Center Gallery will have a design showcase "Made In Lowell." The show is a display of the products of nine Lowell Manufacturers. Hours at the Art Center Gallery 1-5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 1:30 - 4:30 Saturday and Sunday. Other viewing times can be arranged by calling the Center, 897-8545. The Center is located at 149 S. Hudson in Lowell.

MARCH 17 - MARCH 27: Just a note to inform you of our "Senior Parents Sub-sale." The price will be \$1.50 each or 3 for \$4.00.

SUN., MARCH 30: Ionia Long Rifles is having a Shoot on March 30th. Call Tom after 6:00 p.m.

MARCH 30 & 31: Presenting an Easter Musical: "Up From the Grave" by Joe E. Parks, performed by the 48 voice choir of Alto Baptist Church. Directed by David Roush. Easter Sunday at 7:00 p.m. and Monday, 7:00 p.m. Alto Baptist Church, corner of 60th and Bancroft, A.O. Nursery provided. "Come share our joy in the risen Lord."

APRIL 3 & 4: Lowell Senior Neighbors cordially invites the public to attend their Raffle, Bake Sale and Flea Market at the Center, 214 E. Main, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Contributions are gratefully accepted.

FRI., APRIL 4: St. Mary's Church will be hosting a Meijer's Club Luncheon. Food, prizes and MC Buck Mathews, all for only \$3.00. Starts at 12:00 p.m. Babysitting provided. For more information and tickets call Robynne 897-9816 or Florence 897-9098.

MON., APRIL 7: Vergennes Co-op Club - Meijer Dinner Party 6:30 - 8:30 at the Vergennes United Methodist Church on the corner of Parnell and Bailey. Living Past Club Presidents will be recognized. Buck Mathews will be the MC. Tickets are \$3 each. For ticket reservations call 897-7110 or 897-7241.

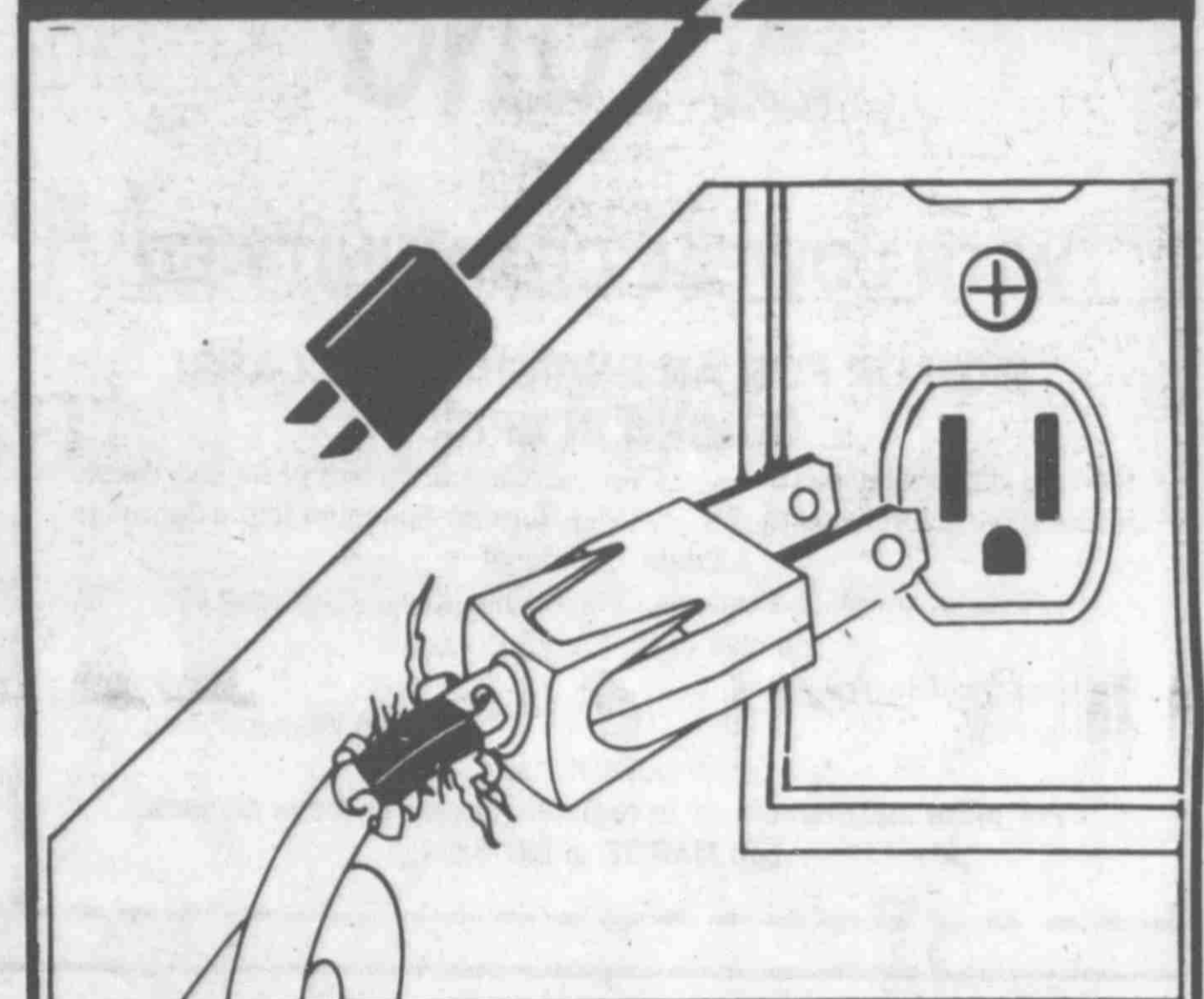
TUES., APRIL 15: MYSTERY TRIP! Lowell Commu-

nity Ed. is sponsoring a Mystery Trip for Senior Citizens. Cost is \$1 plus the price of lunch. You must register by calling Marge at 897-8434 or sign up at the Lowell Senior Neighbors' Center.

THURS., APRIL 17: Lowell Community Ed., in cooperation with St. Mary's Hospital, is presenting a series of 5 classes, "For Women Only." The following topics will be

covered: PMS, Menopause, Osteoporosis, Nice Women Finish Sick, and Inside Arthritis. For information, or to register, call Marge at 897-8434.

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Don't forget about the Lowell Women's Club tour of homes, April 29 at 10:00 a.m.

Assuming that your calendar has April 26 marked with a big X for the Home Tour starting at 10:00 a.m., let's describe another of the five homes to visit. This one is an historic white house in the city of Lowell. The present owners have been in it about a year. The living room features a bay window, as well as a fireplace flanked by sofas. Bright blue oriental rugs adorn the floors in this and the dining room, with other smaller ones scattered throughout the house. The kitchen has a breakfast nook, plus pine cupboards around the walls, creating a warm and homey effect. There are five bedrooms, count 'em, with the master bedroom showing another bay window, plus a pair of peacock chairs.

The tour will begin at Schneider Manor with coffee and Danish and a chance to shop for baked goods, handmade crafts and Lowell Women's Club cookbooks. Donation for the tour will be \$5, with proceeds toward our LHS scholarship fund.

Summer zoo discovery weeks begin in June

Summer Zoo Discovery Weeks will be offered by the John Ball Zoo and the John Ball Zoological Society this summer. Summer Zoo Discovery Weeks are half-day, week long classes for children ages 4-10. Classes use the zoo as a resource and include such topics as: Animal Art, Junior Zookeepers, Dinosaurs, Mammals, Birds, Re-

ptiles, Monkey Business, Animal Smorgasbord, and others. Summer Zoo Discovery Weeks are offered from June 23 through August 22. Cost of the week long classes are \$20.00 for Zoo Society family members and \$25.00 for non-members. To receive a class schedule and registration form, call 776-2591.

Jansma honored at Ada Masonic Temple

Evelyn Jansma, Grand Martha, of the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star of Michigan, is being honored at a Reception, Thursday, March 31, 1986 at the Ada Masonic Temple given by Vesta Chapter No. 202 of Ada.

Evelyn and her husband, Roger, are members of Vesta No. 202, as was her Mother. She has held many offices in her own Chapter and has been a Grand Committee Member, and also a Grand Representative to New Hampshire. She is currently the 2nd Vice President of the Kent County Association Order of the Eastern Star. The Worthy Grand Matron, Jean W. Bateman, and Worthy Grand Patron, Glenn A. Martin, and the Grand Officers of the Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star of Michigan will be exemplifying the Degrees of the Order following the Reception. Alice Rooker is Worthy Matron and Roger Rowland is Worthy Patron of Vesta Chapter No. 202 of Ada.



Evelyn Jansma

SWING INTO SPRING

WITH LOWELL COMMUNITY ED

SIGN UP FOR AN ENRICHMENT CLASS! COMING IN APRIL:

- Painting With Watercolors
- Home Buying & Financing
- Care & Culture of African Violets
- Turn an Aquarium Into a Terrarium
- Learn to Crochet
- Menopause
- Pre-Menstrual Syndrome
- Osteoporosis
- Nice Women Finish Sick
- Inside Arthritis

For more information, or to register for any of these classes, call MARGE at 897-8434

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:
Many of us mark the coming of Spring by the sighting of the first robin, others by the warmer days and still others by the crocus as it opens its fragile petals. But to me Spring has not officially arrived until Bill's Ice Cream has opened. As I drove through town last week I viewed Rosie Ball busy at work preparing for opening day. I was overcome with excitement for now I truly knew Spring was upon us. Bill's treats have delighted my taste buds for seven years and this year I will be introducing the youngest of our family to their tantalizing desserts. Yes, I am sure many feel as I do that the opening of Bill's is the essence of Spring.
A Faithful Patron



Homespun Devotions

By Pauline Spray

Learn to do well... (Isaiah 1:17)

"Mama, you owe Daddy some money," one of the children announced as she and her father returned from a trip to the store. "Why?" I asked, in surprise. "All you had to buy was a loaf of bread and I sent a quarter for that." Setting a sack of groceries on the kitchen table, my husband said, "She went into the store to get the groceries but didn't have enough money. I gave her enough to finish paying for them." "But," I insisted, "all I wanted was a loaf of bread."

"Mama, I just got everything that was on the list in your change purse," she explained innocently.

Then it dawned on me. I had made a costly mistake. It doesn't pay to keep used grocery lists in my billfold. But this experience taught me a lesson, even if it was expensive.

We learn through our mistakes. Often times it is the only way we learn.

John Newton said: "Experience is the Lord's school, and they who are taught by Him usually learn by the mistakes they make that in themselves they have no wisdom; and by their slips and falls, that they have no strength."

Sometimes experience is the best, but "an expensive teacher."

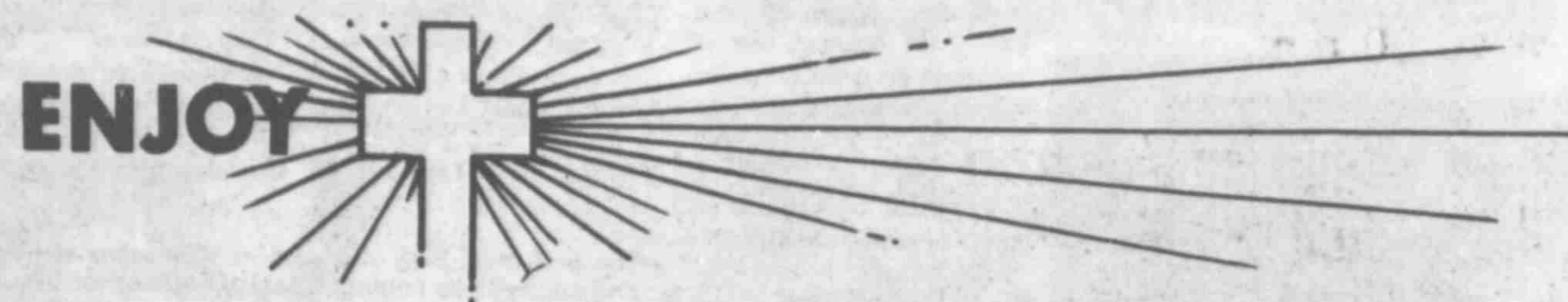
Prayer: Dear Lord, help me to "learn to do well." May I always seek Thy infinite wisdom instead of relying on my finite understanding. Give me Thy superior power. I shall slip and fall if I depend on my own inferior strength. Grant that I may profit by my blunders and mistakes. Amen.



MARCH 26: Margaret Hoats, Bob Perry, Carol Maynard, Jan Silvis, Rose Hildenbrand.
MARCH 27: Joel Roudabush.
MARCH 28: Doris Anderson, Jason Curtiss, Tammy Stepek, Randy Dintamin.
MARCH 29: Cathy McCabe, John Ellison, Rick Haver, Sandra Van Weelden, Ron Potter.
MARCH 30: Dolores Ellison, Ron Howard.
MARCH 31: Peter Kemp, Tera Raab, Lilly Rose Hawkins, Tony Heykoop.
APRIL 1: Christopher Volink, John VanTassell.

ATTEND SERVICES

ALTON BIBLE CHURCH Lincoln Lake Ave. and Three Mile Rd. Lowell 897-5648 Sunday School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:10 A.M. Family Bible Hour 7:00 P.M. Wednesday Ministries 7:00 P.M. "Applying God's Word to Daily Life and God's Love to Hurting Lives"	MISSIONARY CHURCH 10501 Settlemore Ph. 897-7185 Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Worship Service 11:00 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Prayer and Bible Study-7:30 P.M. Wednesdays GLENN H. MARKS Foreman Road 897-9110	ADA CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH 7152 Bradford St., S.E. 676-1698 REV. BRIAN P. BOSSCHER Morning Worship 9:30 A.M. Sunday School 11:00 A.M. Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.	ADA COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH 7227 Thornapple River Dr. 676-1032 Pastor: JERRY L. JOHNSON Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Sunday School 11:20 A.M. Evening Worship 6:00 P.M. WE INVITE YOU TO MAKE THIS COMMUNITY CHURCH YOUR CHURCH HOME. WELCOME TO ALL
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ALTO Corner of 60th Street & Bancroft Avenue Sunday School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Jr.-Sr. High Young People 6:30 P.M. Evening Worship 7:00 P.M. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 P.M. REV. GEORGE L. CCON 868-6403 or 868-6912	BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH 3900 East Fulton REV. RAYMOND E. BEFUS Morning Worship 9:50 A.M. (Broadcast 10 A.M. WMAX 1470) Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Service 7:30 P.M.	CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL 1151 West Main Street - 897-8841 REV. STEPHEN M. ARRICK Worship Service 10 A.M. & 6 P.M. Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Supervised Nursery During All Services	CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF LOWELL 201 North Washington Street Rev. Rick Upchurch Church School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Mid-Week Service 7:00 P.M. Jr. Teens, Adults Nursery-Come & Worship With Us
FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (Member United Church of Christ) North Hudson at Spring St. Lowell 897-5906 REV. DAVID HAGENS Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Church School 10:00 A.M. (Cribbery & Nursery Provided)	FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 621 E. Main Street 897-5936 REGULAR HOURS Morning Worship 9:00 A.M. and 10:45 A.M. Church School 9:30 to 10:30 A.M. REV. WILLIAM AMUNDSEN, MINISTER Nursery available at both services Barrier - Free Entrance	GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH Corner of Segwun & Grand River Morning Worship 8:30 & 11:00 A.M. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 9:45 A.M. JOSEPH FREMER, PASTOR 897-8307	RENT YOUR SPACE TODAY!! 897-9261
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Good Friday SERVICES

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The Reverend DAVID HAGENS

March 28th at 1:30 P.M.

Speaker:
The Reverend RICK L. UPCHURCH
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Pack 3102 holds Pinewood Derby



A smiling Scott MacNaughton and an unidentified Cub Scout prepare their cars for a heat in Pack 3102's annual Pinewood Derby. MacNaughton finished with a second place in his division.

Lowell Cub Scout Pack 3102 held their annual Pinewood Derby competition at last Tuesday's pack meeting. The Cubs and their fathers built the often elaborate races from a kit consisting of a chunk of pine, wheels and axles. The rest is left to the imagination.

Pack 3102 has an elaborate 3 lane track with electronic eyes to pick the correct winner in even the closest races. The competition was divided into three age brackets of 8 year olds, 9 year olds and ten and over. The first place finisher in each age bracket will go on to district competition.

First place in the ten and over division went to Chris Scoles. Second and third went to Scott MacNaughton and Greg Biggs respectively. The first, second and third places in the 9 year old division went Sean Brown, David Brandt and Eric Anderson. In the eight year old division Robby White took first with Chris Goggins and Dale Kivinen taking second and third.

Time to sign up for YMCA Softball



Sara and Kyle Triplett register for the YMCA's Cadet Youth Softball. Looking on is their father, Dale Triplett, who is a volunteer Coach for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd grade level team. The Y also offers T-Ball for current and entering kindergartners and Jr Ball for 4th, 5th, 6th graders. Registration is open to boys and girls thru April 18th.

Local woman makes G.R. medical history

A Lowell woman made Grand Rapids medical history recently. Louise Ryder underwent a complicated inner ear surgical technique used for the first time in a Grand Rapids hospital. Ryder, 50, suffered from a severe inner ear malfunction that caused perpetual dizziness and impaired hearing. She compared her symptoms of dizziness to the feeling one gets when lying on a waterbed. The problem had progressed to the point that her husband, Jim, had to steady her as she walked.

Ryder was diagnosed with Meniere's Syndrome last year. The uncommon disease causes hearing loss, dizziness and uncomfortable pressure in the affected ear. A new surgery rectifies the problem without destroying the ear, as was the case with previous surgical methods.

The surgery was first used in the state about 18 months ago, and has been performed several times at University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor. A team of doctors from Blodgett Memorial Hospital observed the operation in Ann Arbor, and decided to perform it here.

The three hour surgery performed by Dr. Thomas R. Spooner and neurosurgeons Dr. David Herz and Dr. Oliver D. Grin, Jr. requires the skills of these specialists. The surgeons enter behind the ear, drill through the skull and locate the eighth nerve. The nerve transmits a person's hearing and balance messages. The surgeons then cut halfway through the nerve to interrupt the faulty balance reflexes, but maintain the patient's hearing ability.

Following the operation, Ryder said that she was a little unsteady from the surgery, but not dizzy and was able to hear again. She is now recovering at home, and progressing rapidly.



Curling is a sport that resembles shuffleboard or lawn bowling and entails throwing stones at a house. It is played on a large strip of ice and uses a stone that weighs 38 pounds.

EPA vs. Lowell, cont'd.

meet several compliance deadlines. "Any deadlines that we have missed regard construction, and we can't begin construction until we've resolved this money issue," Quada said. "We currently have our engineers scaling down our plant design in case we are forced to build without state or federal help." Quada noted. Quada feels the city can build a plant on their own that would meet the EPA's discharge requirements, but would cost much less than the \$5 million price tag on the current design. The EPA requires a design that will service not only the city, but also will handle some inflow from Lowell Township. Also, if the city builds with its own funds, they can skirt the Davis/Bacon Act which mandates that certain pay scales be met on federally funded projects. The EPA plan also stipulates that federally funded sewage plants be designed to handle projected increases for 20 years.

Quada feels that the bottom line to the issue is that the EPA either flatly refuse to fund the project or guarantee that Lowell keep its place at 36 on the state's list for funding, even if the city builds the plant on their own. "I'd hate to see the residents of Lowell have to pay outrageous sewer bills only to give up our slot in line for funding if it ever becomes available," Quada said.

"So far, the EPA has not agreed to do that, they just want us to sign a compliance plan and let us worry about the money later," he added.

Quada wouldn't speculate on where the civil suit might lead. "I just don't know..." he said, "we haven't even been officially served yet. I do know that we will seek legislative help in dealing with our problem," he added.

The first radio SOS was sent in 1909 when the liner *Arctophoe*, with its engines disabled, radioed for help off Cape Hatteras, North Carolina.



What do you call that little metal or plastic tip on the end of your shoelace? An aglet, say the experts.

GRATTAN TOWNSHIP NOTICE ANNUAL MEETING

The Grattan Township Board will hold an ANNUAL MEETING

SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1986

at 1:00 p.m. at the Grattan Township Hall, 11680 Old Belding Road, Belding, MI

A budget shall be submitted for consideration which includes Federal Revenue Sharing Entitlement Funds.

Citizens attending the hearing have the right to provide written and oral comments and ask questions concerning the entire budget and the relationship of entitlement funds to the entire budget.

Rex Lally
Clerk
C18,19

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Air stored in TELESCOPES and BRASS BUTTONS for hundreds of years may help researchers understand the "greenhouse effect" by which the earth's temperature rises, reports "International Wildlife" magazine. Scientists hoped that by measuring the carbon dioxide level in the antique air, they can better understand how changing levels have influenced global warming over centuries.

LOWELL TOWNSHIP NOTICE BUDGET HEARING

The Lowell Township Board will hold a SPECIAL MEETING

MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1986

at 8:00 p.m. at the Lowell Township Hall, 2910 Alden Nash, SE.

A budget shall be submitted for consideration and adoption which includes Federal Revenue Sharing Entitlement Funds. These funds include \$4,712.00 on deposit and the anticipated allocation of \$12,561.00.

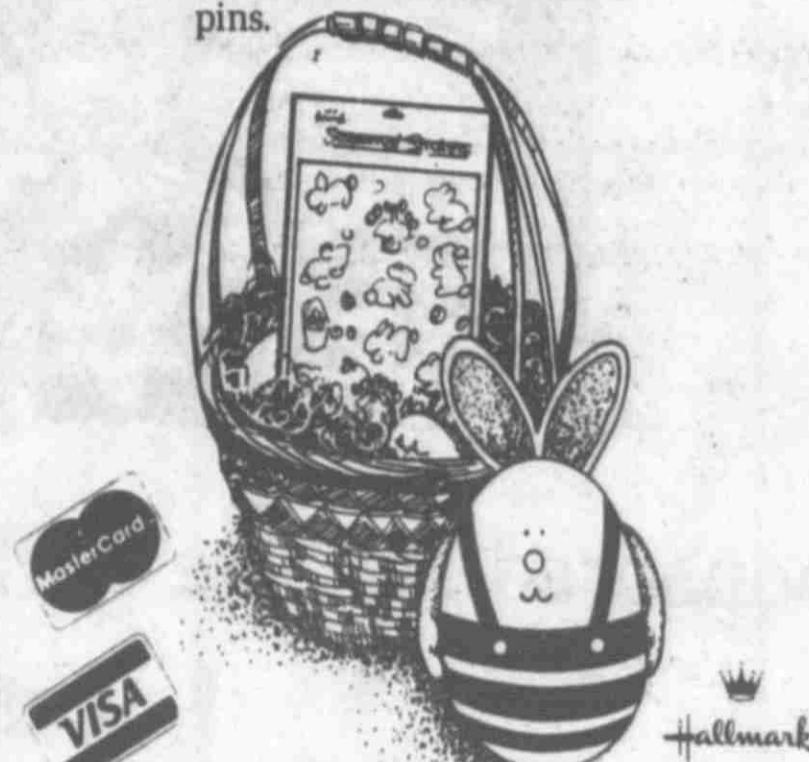
Citizens attending the hearing have the right to provide written and oral comments and ask questions concerning the entire budget and the relationship of entitlement funds to the entire budget.

A copy of the entire proposed budget shall be available for public inspection at the Lowell Township Hall during regular business hours.

Carol L. Wells
Lowell Township Clerk
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- Motorweek Illustrated
EVENING
4:00 (1) ABC News
(2) Geo-A Ticket to the World
(3) Solid Gold
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- MOVIE: 'Dark Waters' A girl returns to her Southern mansion after a shipboard disaster, convinced someone is trying to drive her insane. Merle Oberon, Françoise Tonie, Thomas Mitchell. 1944.
MOVIE: 'Reunion' Six former classmates accept an invitation to a weekend of fun in a mansion on a secluded island.
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- SUNDAY
3/30/86
MORNING
5:00 Night Flight (R)
Sports Review
Route 66
5:30 Houston News
Inside Business
6:00 Christian Science Monitor
Sports Tonight
CNN Headline News
Donald Duck Presents
NewSight '86
Superman
Auto Racing '86: Off Road
Racing Parker 400
Going Great
Showbiz Week
6:10 Easter Is
6:30 InSight
Wall Street Journal Report
(HBO) MOVIE: 'Hard to Hold' (CC)
The World Tomorrow
(MAX) MOVIE: 'Forever Darling'
Mausoleum
Pleasant Grove Way
Christian Science Monitor
Style With Elsa Klensch
NICK Rocks
Mark & Mandy
The World Tomorrow
(MAX) MOVIE: 'Forever Darling'
Ernest Angley
Whoole & Chopper
7:00 Sunday Morning
Rural Route 10
Hans' Lucy
It Is Written
Sunday Cartoon Express
Wish Upon a Star
Jimmy Swaggart
Greatest Sports Legends
Winning Golf
Daybreak
Powerhouse
With This Ring
Cartoon Carnival
Jerry Falwell
W.V. Grant
Underdog
Dr. James Kennedy
Jimmy Swaggart
Great Decisions
Bugs Bunny and Friends
Welcome to Push Corner
Community Calendar
SportsCenter
Kids Writes
Who's Hot?
Robert Schuller
Rev. Stanley
It Is Written
Uncle Waldo
Jimmy Swaggart
Peter and the Magic Egg
Good Morning Midway!
Dr. James Kennedy
Dr. James Kennedy
Steve Garvey Celebrity
Daybreak
Out of Control
News Update
7:15 With This Ring
7:30 On the Menu
Millionaire Maker
The World Vision Special
Funniest World of Home-Barbers
Seal to Seal
Day of Discovery
The World Tomorrow
(MAX) MOVIE: 'Sixteen Candles' (CC)
Davey & Goliath
The Lone Ranger
Newsmaker Sunday
Turkey Television
7:45 Dr. James Kennedy
8:00 Rev. Stanley
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- Oral Roberts
PAW-PAWS
Kenneth Copeland
Robert Schuller
(HBO) Fraggle Rock: Space Frog Folies (CC)
(MAX) MOVIE: 'Jesus'
Dumbo's Circus
Hour of Power
Crosstime
Bella & Sebastian
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- Fall of Eagles
Blue Knight
(HBO) Bernstein Bears' Easter Surprise (CC)
(MAX) Album Flash: Daryl Hall & John Oates
Fame
In Reclit
MSSL Soccer: Dallas at Cleveland
Standby... Lights! Camera! Action! Young Filmmakers
(HBO) 'April Showers' A setback turns a vixen into a star. Ann Sothern, Jack Carson, Robert Alda. 1948.
Michigan Focus
The Lone Ranger
Bowling Championship
West Michigan Week
Wall Street Week
The World Tomorrow
(HBO) MOVIE: 'Norma Rae'
Gunsake
Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
All Creatures Great and Small
The Redford Files
(HBO) MOVIE: 'Passage to India' (CC)
(MAX) MOVIE: 'The Shocking Miss Pilgrim'
Alfred Hitchcock
Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
Shroud of Mystery
Meet the Press
Close Kid
Michigan Journal
Washington Week in Review (CC)
This Week With David Brinkley (CC)
MOVIE: 'My Seventeenth Summer'
Flying House
Greatest Sports Legends: Third Annual Reunion
Baseball's Greatest Hits: 1971 All-Star Game
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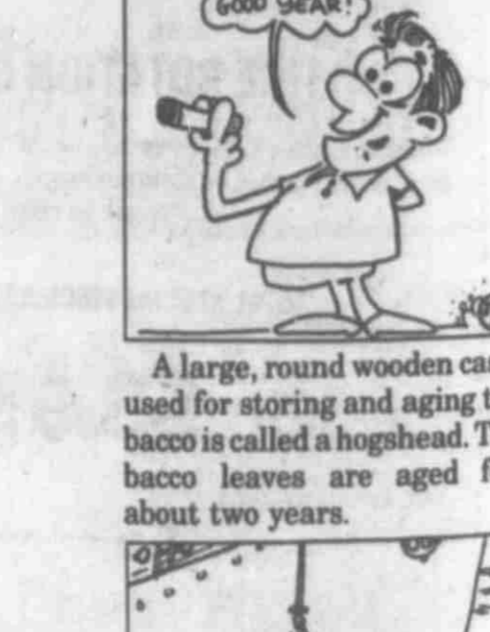
SATURDAY'S MOVIES

- 5:00AM (1) 'This is the Army'
4:00AM (HBO) 'Antarctica' (CC) (Dubbed)
(MAX) 'All Fall Down'
8:00AM (HBO) 'You Light Up My Life'
(MAX) 'Bite the Bullet'
9:30AM (HBO) 'A Piano for Mrs. Cimino' (CC)
10:00AM (1) 'Angel and the Badman'
(2) 'Easter Parade'
10:30AM (MAX) 'The Candidates'
'The Secret Life of Walter Mitty'
'More Than Magic'
11:05AM 'Charley Varrick'
11:30AM (HBO) 'On the Town'
12:00PM (1) 'Peter and Paul'
(2) 'Simon, King of the Witches'
12:30PM (MAX) 'The Big Street'
'Wichita'
1:00PM 'The Absent Minded Professor'
1:30PM (HBO) 'Roplin'
2:00PM (MAX) 'The Natural' (CC)
'The Day Mars Invaded the Earth'
'Magic of Dr. Snuggles'
3:00PM (1) 'Cool Hand Luke'
4:00PM (1) 'Doctor Who: State of Decay'
(HBO) 'Swing Shift' (CC)
'Treasure Island'
4:30PM (MAX) 'The Man in the White Suit'
5:00PM (2) 'Dr. Who: Underworld'
6:00PM (MAX) 'The Candidate'
7:00PM (HBO) 'Onward Blues' (CC)
'Darby O'Gill and the Little People'
8:00PM (MAX) 'The Boy Boy'
'Alone in the Dark'
'Give Us Barabba!'
'Peter and Paul' Part 1 of 2
'Divorce of Lady X'
9:00PM (1) 'The Postman Always Rings Twice' (CC)
(2) 'Ice Castles'
(3) 'Interrupted Melody'
'The Railway Children'
10:00PM (MAX) 'Bonanza'
'Dark Waters'
11:00PM (2) 'Zorba, the Greek'
'This is the Army'
'Tax'
11:30PM (1) 'A Little Romance'
(2) 'The Goldengirl'
(3) 'All the Rivers Run'
(4) 'Reunion'
(MAX) '10 to Midnight'
12:00AM (4) 'Charge of the Light Brigade'
'Divorce of Lady X'
12:30AM (HBO) 'The Breakfast Club' (CC)
1:00AM (1) 'Three Comedies'
1:10AM (MAX) 'Pulcinella at the Beach'
2:00AM 'Dark Waters'
2:15AM (HBO) 'Fraternity Vacation' (CC)
2:50AM (MAX) 'Last Winter'
3:00AM 'This is the Army'
3:30AM 'Dark Passage'
3:55AM (HBO) 'The Blues Brothers'
4:30AM (MAX) 'Roadhouse 66'

SUNDAY'S MOVIES

- 6:30AM (HBO) 'Hard to Hold' (CC)
(MAX) 'Forever Darling'
8:00AM (MAX) 'Jesus'
10:00AM (HBO) 'Remember the Stone'
'The Boy Who Talked to Badgers'
10:30AM (MAX) 'Sixteen Candles' (CC)
10:35AM 'The Sons of Katie Elder'
12:00PM (1) 'April Showers'
(HBO) 'Norma Rae'
(MAX) 'Unfaithfully Yours'
12:30PM 'My Seventeenth Summer'
1:00PM 'Return of the Kung Fu Dragon'
2:00PM (1) 'The Bible'
(2) 'Easter Parade'
(3) 'The Shoes of the Fisherman'
(HBO) 'The In-Laws'
(MAX) '9 to 5'
'Revenge of the Humenolds'
3:00PM (2) 'The Robe'
'Silver Dream Racer'
'King Solomon's Mines'
3:20PM 'The Man Who Shot Liberty Valance'
4:00PM 'Buffalo Bill'
5:00PM (HBO) 'Passage to India' (CC)
(MAX) 'The Shocking Miss Pilgrim'
'Wind in the Willows'
6:00PM 'Second Chorus'
6:30PM (MAX) 'Sixteen Candles' (CC)
7:00PM (1) (2) (3) 'The Ten Commandments' (CC) (R)
'The Big Fisherman'
'Give Us Barabba!'
'Peter and Paul' Part 2 of 2
8:00PM (HBO) 'Remember the Stone'
(MAX) 'She Wore a Yellow Ribbon'
9:00PM (1) (2) (3) 'Mrs. Delahed Wants to Marry' (CC)
(4) 'Miracle of the Heart: A Boys Town Story'
(5) '15 Years Later'
10:00PM (HBO) 'Conan the Destroyer' (CC)
(MAX) 'The In-Laws'
11:00PM 'The Man in the White Suit'
11:30PM (1) 'All the Rivers Run'
(2) 'Reflections of Murder'
(3) 'Gig'
11:45PM (MAX) 'Hombre'
11:50PM (HBO) 'The Soldier'
12:50AM (HBO) 'Once upon a Time in America' (CC)
1:40AM (MAX) 'Fighting Back'
2:35AM 'It's a Great Life'
2:55AM (MAX) 'Candy Strip Nurses'
3:00AM 'Master Minds'
4:55AM (MAX) '9 to 5'

IT'S A FACT!



A large, round wooden cask used for storing and aging tobacco is called a hogshead. Tobacco leaves are aged for about two years. The country that grows the most tobacco is China. America's leading exporter of tobacco products is Philip Morris, which is also the largest consumer products company in the United States. These facts come from the Philip Morris Trivia Game.

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SUNDAY

- Oral Roberts
PAW-PAWS
Kenneth Copeland
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(HBO) Fraggle Rock: Space Frog Folies (CC)
(MAX) MOVIE: 'Jesus'
Dumbo's Circus
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- Fall of Eagles
Blue Knight
(HBO) Bernstein Bears' Easter Surprise (CC)
(MAX) Album Flash: Daryl Hall & John Oates
Fame
In Reclit
MSSL Soccer: Dallas at Cleveland
Standby... Lights! Camera! Action! Young Filmmakers
(HBO) 'April Showers' A setback turns a vixen into a star. Ann Sothern, Jack Carson, Robert Alda. 1948.
Michigan Focus
The Lone Ranger
Bowling Championship
West Michigan Week
Wall Street Week
The World Tomorrow
(HBO) MOVIE: 'Norma Rae'
Gunsake
Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
All Creatures Great and Small
The Redford Files
(HBO) MOVIE: 'Passage to India' (CC)
(MAX) MOVIE: 'The Shocking Miss Pilgrim'
Alfred Hitchcock
Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
Shroud of Mystery
Meet the Press
Close Kid
Michigan Journal
Washington Week in Review (CC)
This Week With David Brinkley (CC)
MOVIE: 'My Seventeenth Summer'
Flying House
Greatest Sports Legends: Third Annual Reunion
Baseball's Greatest Hits: 1971 All-Star Game
NICK Rocks
Good News
On the Menu
Millionaire Maker
The World Vision Special
Funniest World of Home-Barbers
Seal to Seal
Day of Discovery
The World Tomorrow
(MAX) MOVIE: 'Sixteen Candles' (CC)
Davey & Goliath
The Lone Ranger
Newsmaker Sunday
Turkey Television
7:45 Dr. James Kennedy
8:00 Rev. Stanley
It Is Written
Uncle Waldo
Jimmy Swaggart
Peter and the Magic Egg
Good Morning Midway!
Dr. James Kennedy
Dr. James Kennedy
Steve Garvey Celebrity
Daybreak
Out of Control
News Update

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MONDAY

MONDAY 3/31/86

MORNING
5:20 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Hard to Hold' (CC)
7:00 (HBO) R.W.
9:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Love and Death'

MONDAY'S MOVIES

5:20AM (HBO) 'Hard to Hold' (CC)
7:00AM (MAX) 'Love and Death' (CC)
8:00AM (HBO) 'Desperately Seeking Susan' (CC)
8:30AM (MAX) 'The Lavender Hill Mob'
10:00AM (HBO) 'Red Dawn' (CC)
10:00AM (MAX) 'The Deep'
10:05AM (HBO) 'Never a Dull Moment'
12:00PM (HBO) 'Rappin''
12:00PM (MAX) 'Wholly Moses'

MOVIE: 'Never a Dull Moment'
MOVIE: 'Doctor's Secrets'
MOVIE: 'The Secret Life of Walter Mitty'

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12:00 (MAX) 'Wholly Moses'
12:00 (HBO) 'Never a Dull Moment'
12:00 (MAX) 'The Deep'
12:05AM (HBO) 'The Secret Life of Walter Mitty'

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WEDNESDAY 4/2/86

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5:00 (HBO) 'Candy Man'
7:00 (HBO) 'Allison and the Magic Bubble'

TUESDAY'S MOVIES

5:00AM (HBO) 'Candy Man'
6:30AM (MAX) 'The Grey Fox'
7:00AM (HBO) 'Allison and the Magic Bubble'

TUESDAY 4/1/86

(HBO) 'The Tale of the Bunny Plinko'
(MAX) MOVIE: 'The Grey Fox'

TUESDAY'S MOVIES

5:00 (HBO) 'Candy Man'
7:00 (HBO) 'Allison and the Magic Bubble'
8:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Benji'

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THURSDAY 4/3/86

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6:20AM (MAX) 'Forever Darling'
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Top smelt dipping spots in State

CANADA

ONTARIO—1. **Pointe Pelee:** 45 mi. S.E. of Detroit via Hwy. 33. Dip along both shorelines. Park hours are 9 a.m. to 1:30 a.m. during smelt season. April 11-27. Ontario \$8.25 smelt license required for non-residents. 2. **In Wheatley:** At end of Camper's Cove Road. Dip along shoreline. Much of the land is private, permission to fish may be needed.

LOWER PENINSULA

ST. CLAIR COUNTY—3. **St. Clair River:** In Port Huron at foot of Blue Water Bridge. Sears Dock and Pine Grove Park. At St. Clair north of Pine River mouth; at Marine City and at Algonac south of M-29. Long-handled nets needed in most areas because of deep water and strong current.

SANILAC COUNTY—4. **Lexington Harbor:** At Lexington. Dip from piers and along shoreline. 5. **Port Sanilac Harbor:** At Port Sanilac. Dip from pier and along shoreline. 6. **Bridgelandhampton River:** At Forestor along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy. 7. **Cherry Creek:** At Sanilac County Park 1 mi. N. of Forestor. Dip in park near creek mouth. 8. **Elk Creek:** At Sanilac State Park 2 mi. S. of Forestville along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy. and along shoreline. 9. **Mill Creek:** At Forestville along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy.

HURON COUNTY—10. **Sucker Creek:** 1.5 mi. N. of White Rock. Dip at mouth. 11. **Elm Creek:** 2.5 mi. N. of White Rock. Dip at mouth. 12. **Ocka Creek:** 1.5 mi. S. of Port Hope along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy. 13. **Willow Creek:** At Huron City along M-25. Dip at M-25 bridge. Land near mouth is private, permission to dip required. 14. **New River:** 1.5 mi. N. of Huron City along M-25. Dip at hwy. bridge. Land near mouth is private, permission to fish there required. 15. **Grindstone City Harbor:** At Grindstone City. Dip along shore and from pier. 16. **Pinnebog River:** At Port Crescent State Park. Dip at river mouth. **ARENAC COUNTY**—17. **Au Gres River:** At Au Gres along U.S. 23. Dip along shore near mouth. Long-handled nets



needed off breakwall. 18. **Schnitzelbank Creek:** On S. side of Point Look-out north of Au Gres. Dip at mouth. 19. **Lake Huron:** Near Bear Track Inn, approx. 8 mi. N. of Au Gres. Dip along shoreline. 20. **Angelo's Creek:** Between Bessinger and Hammell Beach roads. Dip at mouth. 21. **White Stone Point:** Dip along shore near water

plant. 22. **Whitney Drain:** At "Singing Bridge" 9 mi. S. of Tawas City along U.S. 23. Dip in lake off mouth and in river. **IOSCO COUNTY**—23. **Tawas River:** At Tawas City along U.S. 23. Dip along shore, along breakwall just north of river mouth and at mouth. 24. **Tawas City Park:** At Tawas City. Use long-

handled dip nets off dock for best results, or dip along shoreline. 25. **Dead Au Sable River:** 2 mi. S. of Oscoda along U.S. 23. Dip at hwy. Land near mouth is private, permission to fish there may be needed. 26. **Au Sable River:** At Oscoda. Dip on breakwalls with long-handled nets and along shore of river for 1/2 mi. upstream. **ALCONA COUNTY**—27. **Hartsville Harbor:** At Hartsville. Dip in harbor, especially near Mill Creek mouth. 28. **Black River:** In Black River, at Black River Rd. and Lakeshore Dr., 2 mi. E. of U.S. 23. Dip at mouth and along shoreline.

ALPENA COUNTY—29. **Thunder Bay River:** In Alpena. Dip at 9th Street Dam. Long-handled nets helpful as water is too deep to wade. **CHEBOYGAN COUNTY**—30. **Mill Creek:** 4 mi. E. of Mackinaw City along U.S. 23. Dip in creek mouth and along shore. 31. **Cheboygan River:** In Cheboygan, from dam downstream. 32. **Greens Creek:** Ten miles E. of Cheboygan, from U.S. 23 to mouth.

EMMETT COUNTY—33. **Carp Lake River:** At Cecil Bay Corners 5 mi. W. of Mackinaw City along Wilderness Park Rd. Dip at hwy. and mouth. Land is public, good fishing access. **MUSKEGON COUNTY**—34. **Duck Lake Outlet:** 5 mi. N. of Muskegon State Park along Scenic Dr. Dip from hwy. to mouth, along shore and off the piers of Muskegon and White lakes.

OTTAWA COUNTY—35. **Pigeon Lake outlet:** At Port Sheldon. Dip along shoreline. Water in outlet proper is generally too deep for wading. Also dip off piers at Grand Haven and Holland. **VAN BUREN COUNTY**—36. **Deer Lick Creek:** 3 mi. S. of South Haven at end of 13th Street off old U.S. 31 (Blue Star Highway). Dip at mouth and along shoreline. 37. **Brandywine Creek:** 5 mi. S. of South Haven off 29th Ave. and 77th St. Dip at mouth and along shore.

UPPER PENINSULA

GOEGEBIC COUNTY—38. **Montréal River:** 17 mi. N.W. of Ironwood via

U.S. 2 and County Rd. 505. Dip at Legion Park along C.R. 505 or at river mouth.

ONTONAGON COUNTY—39. **Union River:** 2.5 mi. W. of Silver City along M-107. Dip from hwy. to mouth and along nearby shoreline.

HOUGHTON COUNTY—40. **Schlitz Creek:** At Oskan, on Portage Ship Canal. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 41. **Sweden Creek:** 1.5 mi. W. of Hancock on Portage Canal along M-203. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 42. **Pike River:** At Chassell along U.S. 41. Dip from hwy. to mouth.

KEWEENAW COUNTY—43. **Fanny Hooe Creek:** At Fort Wilkins State Park E. of Copper Harbor. Dip from outlet to mouth.

BARAGA COUNTY—44. **Falls River:** In L'Anse along U.S. 41. Dip at mouth. 45. **Silver River:** 10 mi. N.E. of L'Anse on Huron Bay. Dip from hwy. to mouth. **MARQUETTE COUNTY**—46. **Dead River:** In Marquette south of Presque Isle Park. Dip to bridge.

CHIPPEWA COUNTY—47. **Galloway Creek:** 1 1/2 miles from mouth to M-123. 48. **Roxbury Creek:** Mouth to Lake Shore Dr. 49. **Nasomikong Creek:** Mouth to Lake Shore Dr. **MACKINAC COUNTY**—50. **Nunnis Creek:** 10 mi. W. of Cedarville along M-134. Dip from hwy. to mouth only. 51. **Carp River:** 12 mi. N.E. of St. Ignace along Mackinac Trail. Dip at mouth. 52. **Cut River:** 2 mi. E. of Epoufette along U.S. 2. Walk down to river, dip at mouth. 53. **Paquin Creek:** 3 mi. W. of Epoufette along U.S. 2. Walk in, dip at mouth. 54. **Black River:** 6 mi. E. of Nautibway along U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 55. **Millicouquin River:** 1 mi. W. of Nautibway. Dip within hwy. right-of-way. Use long-handled nets.

SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY—56. **Manistique River:** At Manistique. Dip below old U.S. 2 in rapids. 57. **South Town Creek:** 1 1/2 miles west of Manistique to U.S. 2. 58. **Marblehead Creek:** 6 mi. E. of Manistique from the County Road bridge to the mouth.

DELTA COUNTY—59. **Tacooash River:** In Rapid River along U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 60. **Days River:** 2 mi. N. of Kipling along Old U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 61. **Escanaba River:** 3 mi. N. of Escanaba along U.S. 2. Dip from dam to mouth. 62. **No-See-Um Creek:** 10 miles south of Escanaba at M-35. 63. **Ford River:** At Ford River along M-35. Dip from hwy. to mouth.

MENOMINEE COUNTY—64. **Cedar River:** At M-35. Dip near mouth of Elwood Creek near M-35 bridge. 65. **Menominee River:** At Menominee. Dip at Hattie St. bridge. 66. **Deer Creek:** 5 mi. N. of Cedar River.



When smelt run, stampede starts

Ask the average sportsman what an *Osmorus mordax* is and you may get a blank stare. Tell him *Osmorus mordax* is a smelt and he will run to his favorite dipping spot, according to AAA Michigan.

Smelt dipping is extremely popular because it is easy to do and requires very little fishing knowledge or equipment. Smelt also are tasty treats.

Sportsmen can expect a strong 1986 season, especially in Southwest Michigan and in the far western Upper Peninsula. Department of Natural Resources officials predict generally strong runs again this year.

Smelt runs should peak the last two weeks of April in most Lower Peninsula streams and in late April through early May in the U.P. Warmer weather could start the runs a week earlier, while a cooler spring would mean later runs by one week. East and Southeast Michigan smelt runs generally last 14 to 16 days while Lake Michigan tributaries, where activity is not as strong, have 18-day runs. Lake Superior tributary runs generally span 10 days while other U.P. streams are home to smelt runs for 12 to 15 days.

An expected heavier snow runoff and considerably better hook-and-line smelt catches during the winter are positive indicators of strong runs in the U.P. Evidence of a larger smelt population is being found in streams from the Indiana line to Ottawa County in Southwest Michigan.

The smelt season generally begins in Southeast Michigan on the St. Clair River system from Algonac to the Blue Water

Bridge in Port Huron and then advances north.

AAA Michigan's 1986 Smelt Guide lists 64 of the state's most productive locations. The guide also includes two Ontario locations -- Point Pelee National Park and the Wheatley area southwest of Detroit. From April 11-27, Point Pelee will extend its hours from 6 a.m. to 1:30 a.m.

Smelt runs begin when the water temperature reaches 40 to 45 degrees. Most runs occur between 10 p.m. and 1 a.m. or on dark days.

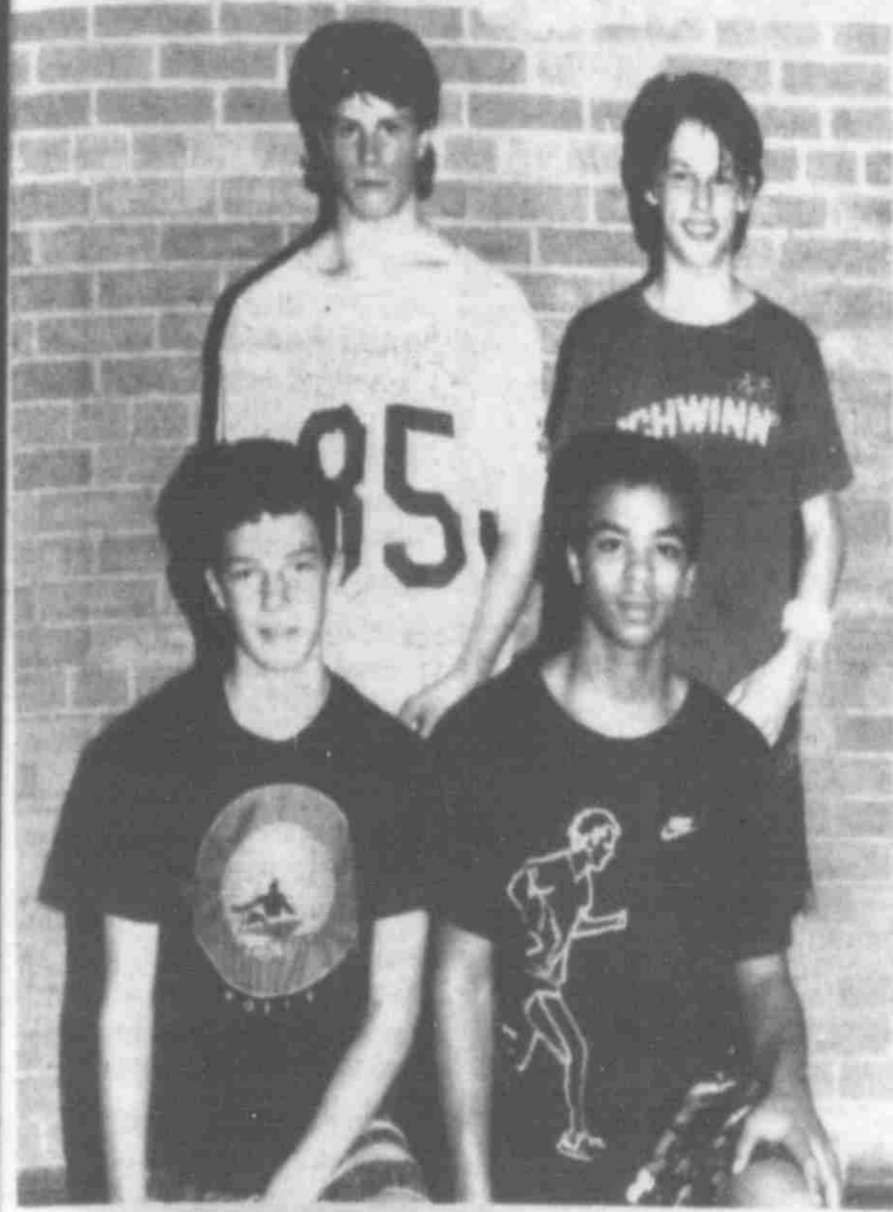
When the smelt are running, anglers of all ages can be found in or along their favorite streams. Dipping doesn't require as much knowledge as other fishing and basic equipment -- besides a fishing license -- is nets, buckets, waders and warm clothing.

Smelt dippers may use hand nets up to one-half mile upstream from any river mouth from March 1 to May 31 south of M-72 and from April 10 to May 31 north of M-72. On some streams, large dip nets up to 9 feet square are allowed by permit only. Other pertinent fishing rules may be found in the 1986-87 Michigan Fishing Guide, available free at all DNR field offices.

Many beaches or stream banks are private property so sportsmen should secure permission from the property owner before starting.

Most sportsmen measure their smelt success by the pound or bucket, and the small, silvery fish provide good eating. Besides being simple to clean, smelt can be broiled, pan- or deep-fried.

YMCA's 3 on 3 Basketball finishes season



Congratulations goes to the team of Ryan Holtz, Bob Adams, Toby Alderink, and Mike Gahan for taking first place Wednesday night in the YMCA 3 on 3 Basketball. The team finished with an outstanding record of seven and one.

Congratulations also goes to the second place team of Brad Briggs, Matt Faulkerson, Ryan Crowley, and Scott Nagy, who finished with a six and two overall record. All of the teams played well and showed very good sportsmanship.



Freestyle Club traveled to Big Rapids & Northview, last week

The Lowell Freestyle Club members wrestled this past weekend at Ferris State College

in Big Rapids, and Northview in Grand Rapids. Friday night at Ferris the 8- under through 11-12 year olds wrestled, with over 200 kids competing. The Lowell medal winners were: 8 under - 3rd place, Dave Meeuwsen. 9-10 - 1st place, Richie Stouffer, Ron VanderBoon. 2nd place, Scott Swanson. 11-12 - 1st place, Eddie Falk.

Lowell Fire Dept. attends seminar

by Frank C. Leasure
Public Relations Officer

Spring is the time of year when barn fires and farm accidents occur and the Lowell Fire Department attended a seminar on these subjects March 22, 1986. An Agriculture Accident and Rescue program was sponsored by the Caledonia Fire Department. Many area departments were there besides Lowell. The program was presented by Barry County and Kent County Farm Bureau in cooperation with the Michigan Farm Bureau, County Cooperative Extension Service and the EMT Association.

The day was filled with speakers, movies, and videos of rescue efforts on large farm machinery

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Firefighters that attended the seminar from the Lowell Area Fire Department were: Steve Noall, Michael Hill, John Umlauf, Greg McClure, Russell Towne, and Frank Leasure.

All in all the day was very worthwhile and is just one of the many seminars the Fire Department attends to learn more about what to do in different rescue situations.



The first ship to cross the North Pole beneath the ice was the Nautilus on August 3, 1958.

Try using bacon fat for popping corn; drain on brown paper; add salt.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by David Frank Jibson and Kristina Jibson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Lake Michigan Mortgage Company a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 6th day of June, A.D., 1975, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent and State of Michigan, on the 12th day of June, A.D., 1975 in Liber 1822 on Pages 994-997, which said mortgage was thereafter (after mesne assignment) on, to wit: the 6th day of June, A.D., 1975, 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 12th day of June, 1975 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Kent in Liber 1822 on Page 999, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage as of the date of this notice is the sum of Twenty two thousand six hundred sixty three and 64/100 dollars (\$22,663.64), 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 8th day of May, 1986, 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 eight and one half percent (8.5%) 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 Township of Oakfield, County of Kent, State of Michigan, to wit:

A part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 12, Town 9 North, Range 9 West, commencing at the Southwest corner thereof; thence East along said South line of Section 12, 10 rods; thence North parallel with the West line of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section 12, a distance of 32 rods; thence West parallel with the South line of said Section 12, 10 rods; thence South along the West line of said Southeast 1/4, Southeast 1/4 of said Section 12; a distance of 32 rods to the point of beginning, Oakfield Township, Kent County Michigan.

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: March 26, 1986

FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States, assignee of mortgage.

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GRATTAN TOWNSHIP NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing of the Board of Appeals of Grattan Township will be held at the Grattan Township Hall on Old Belding Road in Grattan on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1986

at 8:00 p.m. at which time and place any interested person will be heard.

Donald L. Shaffer has requested a variance concerning the following described property:

Lot 28, Bedaki Shores, Sections 33 and 34, T8N, R9W, Grattan Township, Kent County, Michigan.

Commonly known as 4255 Bedaki Drive, Lowell, Michigan, to permit the erection of a residence on a substantial lot.

George Paulias
Secretary
Grattan Board of Appeals
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VERGENNES TOWNSHIP NOTICE ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting will be held

SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1986

at 1:00 p.m. at the Vergennes Township Hall, 12625 Bailey Drive, Lowell, MI

A budget shall be submitted for consideration which includes Federal Revenue Sharing Entitlement Funds.

Citizens attending the hearing have the right to provide written and oral comments and ask questions concerning the entire budget and the relationship of entitlement funds to the entire budget.

A copy of the entire proposed budget shall be available for public inspection at the Vergennes Township Hall, 12625 Bailey Drive, Lowell.

Jean Hoffman
Vergennes Township Clerk
C18-19

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- FORD LTD CROWN VIC WAGEN** - all power, fully equipped. SHARP!
- BUICK ELECTRA LIMITED** - 4 door, full power, all options.
- DODGE CHALLENGER** - 5 speed, stereo, rear defog, 33,000 miles.
- CHEVY CITATION** - 2 door, 4 speed, FM, PS, 31,000 miles.

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1979

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1978

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Lowell wrestlers end a great season



1985-86 Wrestling Team

by Tom Nugent

The spectacular 1985-86 Lowell Red Arrow Wrestling season is only a memory now. Last Tuesday the Team awards Banquet was held to cap off what many say was the best wrestling team ever in Lowell.

Several awards were presented to the wrestlers. Receiving the Most Pins award was Jim Johnson with 43 pins. Tony Huver was named the Most Valuable Player for his second consecutive year. The most improved award went to Jim Johnson. And three captains were named for the 1986-87 season. Those three who will lead next year's team are Brett Nagy, Mike Nugent and Jim Johnson. Congratulations Grapplers on such a GREAT season! And thanks to everyone who made this season unforgettable.

LOWELL TOWNSHIP NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Richard Posthumus is requesting to have a portion of his property at 4102 Segwun, SE in Section 23 of Lowell Township that is zoned Ag-1 rezoned to Ag-2 and a portion that is Ag-2 rezoned to Ag-1 to allow splitting up the Ag-2 land on a private drive, without relinquishing any prime agricultural land. This rezoning request will be the subject of a public hearing before the Township Planning Commission to be held on

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1986

at 8:00 p.m. For further information, please call the Hall at 897-7600 during regular office hours.

Carol L. Wells
Lowell Township Clerk
C18,19

BOWNE TOWNSHIP NOTICE ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting will be held on

SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1986

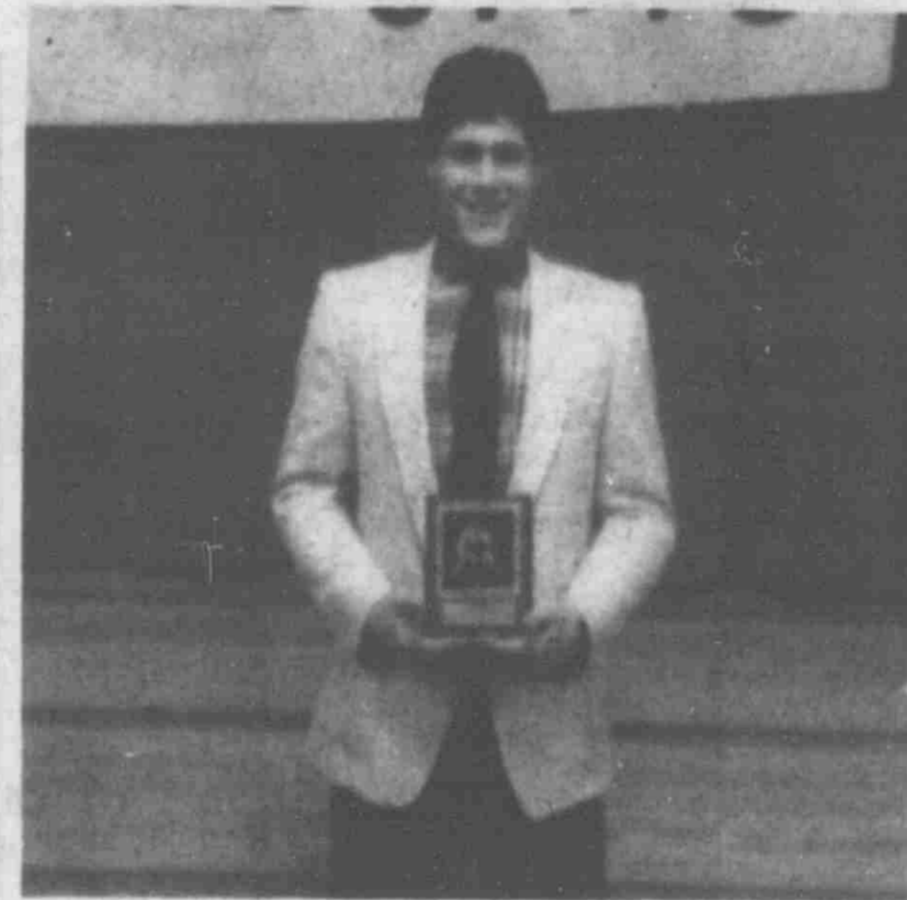
at 1:30 p.m. at the Bowne Township Office, 6059 Linfield, SE, Alto, MI

A budget shall be submitted for consideration which includes Federal Revenue Sharing Entitlement Funds.

Citizens attending the hearing have the right to provide written and oral comments and ask questions concerning the entire budget and the relationship of entitlement funds to the entire budget.

A copy of the entire proposed budget shall be available for public inspection at the Bowne Township Office, Wednesday and Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Sandra L. Kowalczyk
Bowne Township Clerk
C18,19



Tony Huver was voted the Most Valuable Player for the 1985-86 season.

Rev. Robert Hickock, former Lowell minister, seriously ill

Former Lowell resident, Rev. Robert Hickock (LHS, Class of '53) is gravely ill with an advanced brain tumor. He is married to the former Nancy Potter (LHS, Class of '54). Bob is Pastor of Jefferson Avenue United Church in Saginaw. In recent

years, they had been remodeling the Potter homestead east of Lowell for an eventual retirement home. Lowell area friends may send greetings and letters to Bob and Nancy at: 326 S. Jefferson, Saginaw, MI 48607.



Legal Notices

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Kent
Probate Court
JUVENILE DIVISION

TO: HARRIS JUNIOR AND MARILYN ANN LEZMAN
In The Matter Of: Yolanda Ingrid LEZMAN
Hearing: April 3, 1986, at 2:30 p.m.

TO: TIM AND LISA ARIZOLA AND PEDRO ANDINO
In The Matter Of: April ARIZOLA and Pedro and Elba ANDINO
Hearing: April 22, 1986, 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: March 19, 1986
JOHN P. STENKETE
JUDGE OF PROBATE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Kent
Probate Court
JUVENILE DIVISION

TO: ROBERT FOLK
In The Matter Of: Amanda FOLK
Hearing: April 16, 1986, at 11:00 a.m.

TO: JAMES LONG
In The Matter Of: Natasha LONG and Daniel Campbell LEVERSEE
Hearing: April 23, 1986, at 11:00 a.m.

A neglect temporary wardship petition 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 temporary or permanent loss of your rights to the child(ren).

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WANTED TO BUY - Antiques of all kinds - one piece to entire households. Flat River Antique Mall 897-5360.
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SWIM INSTRUCTORS NEEDED - The Lowell YMCA is taking applications for summer Life Guards and Swim Instructors. Applicants must be 16 years of age and pass C.P.R. and Senior Life Saving Classes. Apply 323 Main Street, Lowell YMCA. Deadline is April 10, 1986.
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Thank You

Card of Thanks
The entire Serne Family would like to express their thanks to the Lowell and Kent County E-Units and to all those who so kindly gave of themselves in our time of need. Your consideration and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.
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Card of Thanks
I would like to thank all my friends and family for the cards, plants, food and prayers during my stay in the hospital and since my return home.
Louise Ryder
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Lowell to get touch tone service



Bob Canfield, a switching equipment technician at Lowell's Michigan Bell switching station displays some of the new equipment installed to provide touch tone service to the "897" exchange.

The "897" exchange will get Michigan Bell's touch tone service beginning in early April. New equipment has been installed at the Lowell switching station on North Hudson St. over the past several months. Customers can call Bell's business office to make applications. The phone

number for commercial accounts is 530-3535. Residential accounts should call 530-3500. The charge for touch tone dialing is \$2.50 per line, per month. There is also a service charge for the initial switch over.

Besides being a much faster means of dialing, touch tone also

allows customers to use an ever increasing array of computer services activated by the touch tone system. Many banks offer computer banking, and several paging and message systems are available.

Microfilmed Ledgers at Library



Lowell Librarian Kris Vogelar demonstrates the microfilm reader available for use with the reels of microfilmed Lowell Ledgers and Lowell Journals.

Geneologists, historians and the just plain curious . . . can now find fulfillment at the Lowell branch of the Kent County Library. The long-awaited microfilm of past copies of the Lowell Ledger and Lowell Journal are now available to the public.

Copies of the Lowell Journal from 1870 through the late

1890's and the Lowell Ledger from 1893 until the present are neatly stored on microfilm at the library. The microfilming, a microfilm reader and a cabinet for the film was all funded by the Look Memorial Committee at a cost of approximately \$5,000. "I think this is a wonderful asset to the community", said Ledger Publisher Roger Brown. "We now have over 100 years of Lowell history available to the public, and neatly stored in a box not much bigger than a bread box", Brown added.

The original copies of these issues were all bound, but many were in pretty sorry shape. "I'm glad we got this project done before the copies deteriorated any further", Brown said. There are

some gaps, but for the most part the microfilm is a pretty complete history of the community.

To some this may all sound pretty boring, but these old copies of the Ledger and Journal contain details of tremendous floods, huge fires, a spectacular train wreck, a bank robbery complete with a Main St. shootout that killed a Lowell police officer and lots of other Lowell history that is anything but boring. Of course there is a lot of the less exciting, but still important history, such as births, deaths, marriages, etc.

The next time you are at a loss for something to do, you may want to consider a trip to the library for a journey back in time.

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