

# The Lowell Ledger

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## Historic St. Mary's Church is demolished



Going . . .



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GONE !!!

The former St. Mary's Church building located at the corner of Lincoln Lake and Chatham Streets, is just a fond memory now as it was torn down last Wednesday to make way for new

plans of the present landowners, Phillip D. Johnson and Lyle Johnson. Some of the lighting fixtures, flooring and windows were reserved and sold to antique dealers.

The landmark structure was used for worship until April of 1980 when the people of St. Mary's Church dedicated their new building to the Blessed Virgin. Many precious memories were held of the sanctuary where parishioners had worshipped since 1879, in the recently demolished structure. In June 1879, the date inscribed on the cornerstone, the congregation which "numbered about 200" was happy to see a fine church building dedicated. The building cost \$3,300.00. Before 1927 St.

Mary's was a mission church when the Reverend Father Robert Bogg was made pastor at Lowell, and that same year the former John Arehart residence was purchased for a rectory.

Parishioners and community residents will miss the old structure but it has been empty for seven years without any concrete plans to repair or use it as it was, so the plan to tear it down before it became an eyesore to make way for progress was probably the best decision.



### SIGN UP FOR MIME WORKSHOP AT LAAC

Interested persons in the opportunity to attend workshops by Mime, Michael Lee of Ann Arbor, are reminded to sign up at the Lowell Area Arts Council Center, 149 S. Hudson Street, as soon as possible as the class sizes are limited. The Mime Workshop for children is scheduled for Friday, July 24 at 9:00 a.m. at a cost of \$5.00 per child. A workshop in Mime for Dancers, ages 14 to adults, will be offered at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, July 25 at a cost of \$10.00. The Arts Council Center is open afternoons and the phone number is 897-8545. Michael will be presenting an evening performance on Friday, July 24 at 8:00 p.m., which should not be missed. Tickets are \$4.00 each and available at the Arts Council Center, Great Lakes Federal or Flat River Antiques Mall.

### HELEN LOOK Y-DAY CAMP

The Helen Look, Y-Day Camp is entering its 5th week with all kinds of activities for youngsters. Every Friday the camp will visit a different place of interest, like the John Ball Zoo, the Kent County International Airport, the Impressions 5 Museum, and several other attractions. On the last Friday, the camp will go to Pleasure Island in Muskegon.

During the week there are activities at the camp which include games, songs, archery, B.B. guns, nature hikes and arts & crafts. All activities are supervised by experienced counselors and C.I.T.s. This year the camp is proud to have a young man from Spain as a leader.

The fee for this year's camp is \$40.00 for Y members and \$50.00 for non members. This fee includes; swimming at the Y pool Mon. - Thurs., the trips on Fridays and a Helen Look Y-Day Camp t-shirt. The fee is per week.

For more information about the camp please call the YMCA office at 897-8445. We hope to see your kids at camp!!

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## West side on the grow

The Lowell business district is about to do some changing and re-arranging, especially on the west end of the city. The 10,000 sq. ft. Lowell Plaza located in the old Johnson Food Basket building on West Main St. will open in mid August with six 1,533 sq. ft. retail spaces. And, a 22,500 sq. ft. strip mall currently under construction at the west end of the Family Fare supermarket is scheduled to open in early October.

Lyle Johnson, a partner with his brother Phil on the Lowell Plaza project says he has two of the six spaces leased to Tom's Gadgets and Gifts, a variety store that also has locations in Rogers Plaza and in Wayland. Johnson says the proprietor is an Alto resident. Johnson says he has had lots of interest in the project. "We've intentionally kept the floor space small, so that people with an idea for a new business can get started without the expense of the merchandise needed to fill a large store. Also, we've done everything possible to keep the rent low, and we are offering short term lease so people won't be tied to a long term leases if their business doesn't work out".

The Johnson brothers are already planning a 13,000 sq. ft. expansion to Lowell Plaza. The addition will adjoin the north end of the existing building and run to within 17' of Chatham St.,

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Jim and Bob Pfaller, proprietors of Anderson's Family Shoes and Pfaller's Clothing, go over a set of floor plans for their new store in the strip mall being built west of Family Fare.

then jut to the east to within 37' of Lincoln Lake Ave. A site plan has been submitted to the city for review by the planning commission.

Each store has its own heating and air conditioning system as well as rest rooms. "We're hoping to keep the entire plaza retail, but we'd also be willing to talk to someone looking for office space" Johnson said. Those wishing further information should call 897-6255.

The new strip mall at the west end of Family Fare will house Pfaller's Clothing and Ander-

son's Family Shoes in a 5,000 sq. ft. store, Hinkley's Drugs in a 5,500 sq. ft. store and Family Dollar in a 6,000 sq. ft. store. An additional 6,000 sq. ft. is still available for lease according to developer A.C. Geenen Construction Co., Inc.'s leasing manager Ivan Jekel. Jekel says, "We can split that space into three 2,000 sq. ft. spaces, two 3,000 sq. ft. spaces or a 4,000 and 2,000 sq. ft. configuration. We can still be very flexible at this point".

Jim Pfaller, owner of Anderson's Family Shoes has already

sold his building at 209 East Main St. to Ron McCollum, owner of the Flat River Antique Mall. McCollum plans to keep it a retail establishment of some sort. Bob Pfaller, owner of Pfaller's Clothing says he has five people interested in his building at 103 East Main St. Mike Hinkley, owner of Hinkley Drugs says he is still in the early stages of his planning and reserved comment.

The Family Dollar variety store is part of an 1,100 store

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# Obituaries

**BIBBLER** - Mrs. Bertha Bibbler, aged 85, passed away July 9, 1987, at Blodgett Memorial Hospital. She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Ed (Geraldine) Herald of Carson City; her granddaughter, Lola Jackson of Malibu, CA; and her daughter-in-law, Merry Swan Jackson of Santa Monica, CA; also several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Sylvester Bibbler in 1971, and her son, Robert Jackson of Santa Monica, CA in 1981. Mass of Christian burial was held Saturday, July 11 at St. Mary's Church in Lowell, with burial in Oakwood Cemetery. Mrs. Bibbler was a well known and life-long resident of Lowell and previously lived at 1052 Riverside Drive. The last four years she was a resident at Schneider Manor.

**BOZUNG** - Sheldon B. Bozung, age 69, passed away Friday, July 10, 1987, in Florida. Mr. Bozung was born in Keene Township, Ionia County, Michigan, on September 13, 1917. He was a World War II veteran and was a prisoner of war in Germany. Following service, he was a barber in Detroit and upon retirement moved to Florida. Military Memorial services were held in Florida with interment in Veterans' Cemetery there. Mr. Bozung is survived by his wife, Helen; son, Ronald (Donna) Bozung of Greenville, Michigan; daughter, Denise of Ann Arbor, Michigan, and five grandchildren. Also two brothers, Harold Bozung of Lowell and Glenn Bozung of Portland; one sister, Hazel Whitcraft, of Lake Odessa. Mr. Bozung was preceded in death by two brothers, Clayton and Edward and one sister, Ethel.

**STAUFFER** - Harry W. Stauffer, 80, of Ionia, formerly of Lowell, passed away July 11, 1987, in Arizona. Funeral services will be held this Friday, July 17, at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert C. Nixon of First Presbyterian Church of Ionia officiating. Interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery. Friends may meet the family at the funeral home on Thursday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Mr. Stauffer is survived by his wife, the former Mabel Hall; his daughter Rosemary (Bill) Webster of Palm Desert, CA; brothers, Lester (Jesusita) Stauffer of Lowell; Lloyd (Ernestine) Stauffer of Belding; sister, Orpha (Robert Rings of Hollywood, CA; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**BEIMERS** - Mrs. Mildred B. Beimers, aged 65, of Lowell, passed away Thursday, July 9, 1987. She is survived by her husband Richard J.; children Richard Beimers of Wyoming, Kurt Beimers, Janice Mol, all of Lowell; brothers, Frank Jablonski Jr. of Grand Rapids, Michael Lanning of Greenville; sister, Mrs. Vernon Johnson of Grand Rapids; brother-in-law, Ralph Beimers of Battle Creek; sister-in-law, Laura Lou Beimers of Lowell; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Mass of Christian Burial was offered Monday at St. Mary's Church, Lowell with Rev. Msgr. James P. Moran, Celebrant. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

**RYDER** - Mr. B.A. (Bunny) Ryder of Murray Lake, passed away Saturday at his home at the age of 75. Mr. Ryder was president of the Nut Bar Company, Inc. Surviving are his son and his wife, Ken and Mary Ryder of Grand Rapids; a brother, Harold K. Ryder of Port Richey, FL and a dear friend, Claudia Meulenbergh of Grand Rapids.

Funeral Services were held Tuesday in the Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. W.D. Wood officiating. Interment Restlawn Cemetery.

**STERZICK** - Nina B. Sterzick of Lowell passed away Thursday, July 9, 1987 at Lowell Medical Care Center at the age of 92. She is survived by her children, Mrs. Leone Jeffery of Middleville, Mrs. Harold Langereis of Ravenna, Mr. Donald Sterzick of Alto; 12 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren. Funeral Services were held Saturday at the Roth-Gerst Funeral Home. Missionary Daniel Jeffery of The First Baptist Church of Middleville officiating. Interment Bowne Cemetery.

**HOLMES** - Mrs. Lela I. Holmes, of Grand Rapids passed away Wednesday, July 8, 1987 at the age of 81. She is survived by her sons, Arnold R. Holmes, Calvin Holmes, Jerry Holmes, Ronald Holmes, Danny Holmes, her daughters Mrs. Donald Burke, all of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Evert Platz of Rockford; 38 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; her sisters, Mrs. Violet Pursell of Kentwood, Mrs. Besie Bennett of Lowell; her brothers, Virgil Hall of Tennessee and Harold Hall. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arnold L. Holmes. The Service was held Saturday from the Pederson Funeral Home, with the Rev. Daniel Wheeler officiating. Interment Blythefield Memory Gardens.

**YEITER** - Mrs. Verna M. Yeiter, of Lowell, passed away Sunday, July 12, 1987 at the age of 89. She was preceded in death

by her husband, Harold. Survived by her daughter, Mrs. Herb Swan; three grandchildren, Cathy Ormiston, Laurie Wernet all of Lowell, Lynet Blodgett of Grand Rapids; four great-grandchildren, Heather, Jason, Mac and Mike; brother, Percy MacDonald of Toronto, Ontario; also several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Wednesday at the Roth-Gerst Chapel. Rev. William Amundsen of the First United Methodist Church of Lowell officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery.

**NYMAN** - Marie I. Nyman, of Grand Rapids, passed away July 7, 1987 at the age of 90. She was preceded in death by her son, Kenneth D. Nyman. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Zilpha and Fred Prescott; grandsons, Thomas Prescott all of Grand Rapids, William Prescott of Ada; seven great-grandchildren. Funeral Services were held Thursday at O'Brien-Gerst Chapel, Fr. Joseph Malewicz officiating. Interment Arlington Hill Cemetery, Bangor MI.

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## In the service . . . .

Staff Sgt. Mark A. Homolka has graduated from the Air Force noncommissioned officer leadership school.

The sergeant studied techniques of leadership, management and supervision. He is a tactical aircraft maintenance specialist at McChord Air Force Base, Wash., with the 318th Fighter Interceptor Squadron.

Homolka is the son of Milton and Beverly Homolka of 429 High St., Lowell, Mich.

The sergeant is a 1980 graduate of Lowell High School.

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## "Capitol Column"

By State Senator Dick Posthumus



Hazardous waste management in Michigan is a crisis waiting to happen. Only one commercially available hazardous waste landfill operates in Michigan, and other materials simply cannot be disposed of anywhere in

the state. The Senate, however, is offering proposals to reduce the amount of hazardous waste produced here, and safely handle toxic materials already created.

Four bills before the Senate Natural Resources & Environ-

mental Affairs Committee, will provide technical and financial assistance to reduce and treat the flow of hazardous materials. SB 413 creates a Waste Reduction Assistance Service, and a Waste Reduction Advisory Committee within the Michigan Department of Commerce (DOC). The service would establish a waste reduction clearing house to provide technical help to business and industry in reducing hazardous waste produced throughout the state. It would also develop a waste reduction grant program to help fund new waste reduction techniques.

SB 403 creates an Environmental Technology Board within the DOC. It would set up an En-

vironmental Technology Institute responsible for research and development of waste reduction technologies. The proposed institute could operate similar to the state's Cooperative Extension Service, which provides agricultural assistance through Michigan's university system.

SB 404 would create a Hazardous Waste Policy Committee within the state Department of Natural Resources (DNR). It would update Michigan's hazardous waste management plan adopted by the Natural Resources Commission in 1982.

The updated plan would address the development of enough hazardous waste treatment or disposal facilities to handle all the

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The Legislature must respond to our growing hazardous waste management crisis. According to the DNR, 2.5 million tons of hazardous waste were generated in this state during 1983, and there will be an increase in waste flow to about 2.75 million tons annually by 1990. These tons offer the framework needed to begin reducing the amount of hazardous waste produced in Michigan.

SB 405 creates the Office of Waste Reduction within the DNR. The office will encourage waste reduction through the DNR's registration and permit program. It will also consider imposing statewide goals for waste

## 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.

**EVERY SECOND TUESDAY** The Lowell Area Fishing Club now meets at the Flat River Snowmobile Clubhouse on Potters Road, just East of Montcalm Ave, at 7:00 p.m. All prospective members or interested individuals are cordially welcomed.

**EVERY SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAY** The Lowell Community Band will meet for rehearsals beginning March 10. Rehearsals will be held in the band room at Lowell High School, at 7:00 p.m. For information, call 897-8434. Everyone welcome!

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

**FALLSBURG SCHOOLHOUSE MUSEUM:** Located across the covered bridge from Fallsburg Park is open Saturdays and Sundays from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Free admission, donations accepted. Model of 1840s Fallsburg village, displays, souvenirs.

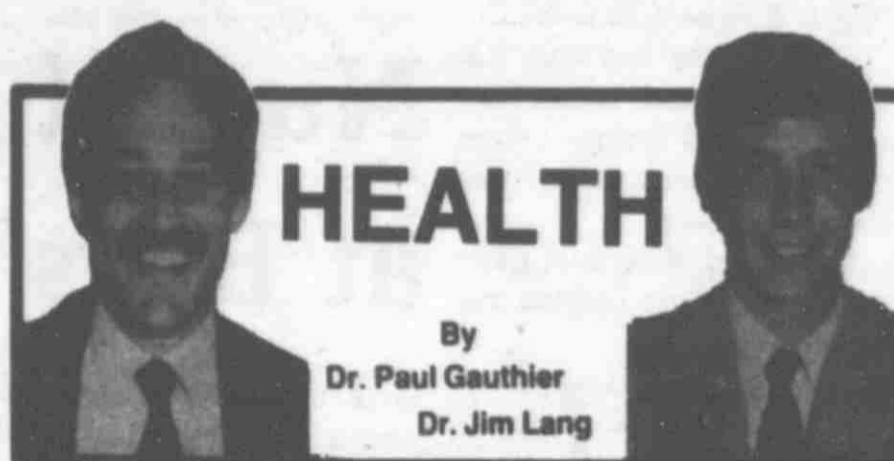
**WED., JULY 15:** Lowell Garden Lore Club will meet at 1:00 p.m., at the home of Priscilla Lussmyer, 12950 Beckwith Drive. All come.

**THURS., JULY 16:** Past Matrons of Cyclamen Chapter #94 O.E.S. will meet at the home of Sandy Caswell at 7:30 p.m.

**TUES., JULY 21:** 7:30 p.m., Fallsburg Schoolhouse Museum. West Central Michigan Historical Society monthly meeting. Program: Fox's Mill and Settlement. Guests welcome

**SAT., JULY 25:** ATTENTION LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL classes of '54-'59. Come join the '50s reunion. The more the merrier! 5 p.m. - 2 a.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. Double R Ranch, Smyrna. Camping and motel rooms available. Call 897-9462 for information.

**SUN., JULY 26:** The combined children's choirs of Calvary Baptist Church invite you to join them as they present "Psalms of the Camping Adventure." It will be an exciting and fun-filled evening for the entire family! The musical will be presented at 6:00 p.m. Calvary Baptist Church is located at 1200-28th Street.



## HEALTH

By Dr. Paul Gauthier and Dr. Jim Lang

### SWIMMER'S EAR

Otitis Externa or "Swimmer's Ear" is a commonly seen ailment in the doctor's office during the summer month. Swimmer's ear is an infection of the outer ear canal and is generally caused from prolonged exposure to heat and moisture. The sensitive skin lining the ear canal is adversely affected by the water encountered in swimming and becomes susceptible to bacterial infection.

The signs and symptoms of swimmer's ear may develop within hours of prolonged swimming or as long as five days later. The earliest symptoms are itching in the canal and a feeling that the ear is "plugged". The canal initially becomes red and swollen, then the infection progresses to the point of yellow-green discharge which flows from the outer canal. In all but the mildest cases, pushing or pulling on the earlobe or other outer ear structures causes marked discomfort. In advance cases, the pain of swimmer's ear is intense, constant and aggravated by motion of the jaw or external ear.

Early treatment of swimmer's ear is very important. Treatment consists of meticulous cleansing of the external ear canal by your doctor, followed by the usage of antibacterial ear drops for 7-14 days, depending on the extent of the infection. Also of importance is the avoidance of any further contamination of the ear canal. Accordingly, your doctor will probably instruct you to use ear plugs while showering or swimming, at least during the time of treatment.

In summary, swimmer's ear is a common but potentially very painful outer ear infection, one which requires prompt evaluation and treatment in order to ensure a favorable outcome.

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## Ford to attend exhibition

In celebration of Michigan's 150th Birthday, GTE-Michigan is sponsoring a touring Sesquicentennial art exhibition entitled "Artists of Michigan from the Nineteenth Century," according to Max Preston, state vice president-general manager for GTE-Michigan.

Preston said President Gerald R. Ford has agreed to serve as honorary guest-host for the exhibition's private opening at the Muskegon Museum of Art on September 17, 1987. The public opening will be September 20.

The Muskegon opening will kick off a seven-city statewide tour of the exhibition, which features a full-scale review of the artistic accomplishments of artists working in Michigan during the nineteenth century, Preston said.

"Artists of Michigan from the Nineteenth Century" includes over 60 paintings, including words by Thomas Moran, Charles H. Eaton and Mathias Alten. Guest curator for the touring art exhibition is J. Gray Sweeney, professor of American

Art History, Arizona State University.

The exhibit will be at the Muskegon Museum of Art on public display from September 20 to November 1, 1987. From there it travels to the Detroit Historical Museum where it will begin a four-month-long public exhibition on November 15, 1987.

The Statewide Services Program of the Detroit Institute of Arts will coordinate the remaining five stops on the art exhibition's tour which includes: April 3-May 1, 1988, Saginaw Art Museum; May 15-June 12, 1988, Ella Sharp Museum (Jackson); June 25-August 14, 1988, Jesse Besser Museum (Alpena); August 25-September 23, 1988, William Bonafis Fine Arts Center (Escanaba); and October 9-November 4, 1988, Lee Hall Gallery at Northern Michigan University (Marquette).

Exhibition sponsor GTE-Michigan provides telecommunications products and services to residential and business customers to 537 Michigan communities in 58 of the state's 83 counties.

## Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Rose

Gail Marie Dawson and Jonathan Mark Rose were united in marriage by Rev. W.J. Amundsen at the First United Methodist Church in Lowell on May 16, 1987. Parents of the couple are Mayoma Dawson and the late William Dawson and Robert and Toni Rose.

The bride was escorted by her brother, Ron Dawson.

The Maid of Honor was Michele Doyle, bridesmaids were Tricia Wittenbach and

## Bancroft celebrates 85th Birthday

The children of Esther Bancroft would like to invite friends and relatives to an open house to help celebrate her 85th birthday on July 19, 1-5 p.m. at Schneider Manor, Lowell. No gifts please.

Wendy Norton. Flowergirls were Angela & Soheila Dawson.

The Best Man was Andy Rogers, Groomsman were Matt Rose and Todd Molag. Ushers were Dale Dawson, Craig Potter and Dave Strouse.

Master and Mistress of Ceremonies were Terry Dawson and Linda Black.

After a week-long honeymoon in Florida, the couple resides in Lowell.

## Homespun Devotions



By Pauline Spray

Let us therefore fear, lest, a promise being left us of entering into his rest, any of you should seem to come short of it (Hebrews 4:1).

I started to bake a cake. Before turning the oven on, I checked to see if there was anything inside. Sure enough, there was. I'd forgotten all about it. Throughout the week we had eaten stale cookies with our coffee, or gone without sweets. All the time right there in the oven where I had stored it, within reach, was a delicious chocolate cake going to waste.

Christians too often struggle with problems and wear themselves out trying to solve their problems. They struggle needlessly because they feel they have to work things out for themselves. All the time the Lord is within reach, waiting to give His assistance.

The Lord has prepared a rest

for His children. It is available by believing in Him implicitly and trusting Him unconditionally. It's sad so many live in fear and perplexity when they could be resting in Him. He has made the necessary provisions. It is there for the "entering in." Let us not "come short" of it but take advantage of this blessed privilege and make the Lord "our haven of rest."

Prayer: Just now, O Lord, I believe Thee with all my heart. Just now I trust Thee unconditionally. Just now I cease from my struggling, and I anchor my soul in Thee, O Haven of Rest. Amen.

I yielded myself to His tender embrace,

And, faith taking hold of the Word, My fetters fell off, and I anchored my soul:

The haven of rest is my Lord. H.L. GILMOUR

## Nugent elected at Boys' State

Tom Nugent of Lowell was recently elected to the office of Board of Trustees at the 50th session of the Michigan American Legion Boys' State Convention held at Michigan State University.

Approximately 980 student leaders from around the state, who have just completed their junior year of high school, gathered June 18-24 to hold mock elections and to learn firsthand how city, county and state governments function.

Candidates were nominated and ballots passed for all state offices in the "Federalist" and "Nationalist" parties located in the mythical 51st state. After the elections, "governmental business" was transacted.

Nugent is the son of Terry and Jean Nugent, Lowell. He attends Lowell High School.

## Local Students Honored

Diane Kazmierski, 4724 Morse Lake, Lowell, is among the 517 Michigan State University students to earn a perfect 4.0 grade-point average for the spring term 1987.

Nearly 1,480 students are included on the list of those who completed the requirements for certificates, associate's, bachelor's and doctoral degrees at Ferris State College during the spring quarter.

The spring graduates were eligible to participate in the official commencement ceremonies held on campus, May 23, 1987.

Scott Metternick of Saranac, received an BS in Marketing/Prof. Golf Mgmt.; Gary Shellenbarger of Saranac, received an AAS in Heavy Equip. Serv. and Beverly Balentine of Lowell received a BSW in Social Work.

## Pete Siler attends agricultural workshop

Pete Siler, Agriculture and Natural Resources instructor from Lowell High School attended the 1987 Technical Agricultural Workshop (TAW) at the Harley Hotel in Lansing, Michigan, July 6-10, 1987. The TAW is organized and sponsored by the Michigan Association of Teachers of Vocational Agriculture (MATVA) and the Department of Agriculture and Extension Education (AEE) at Michigan State University, in cooperation with the Vocational and Technical Education Service of the Michigan Department of Education.

"The TAW is designed to allow Ag and Natural Resource teachers to gain information about the latest technologies available in the ag and natural resource industries," said Siler

"this allows us to better prepare our students for careers in agriculture and natural resources, or to continue their education in these areas."

Time is also spent in "It Works For Me" sessions where teachers relate ideas that maybe useful to others. Some topics covered include "Utilizing Greenhouses," "Animal Science," "Recordkeeping," and "Forestry." A special feature of this year's TAW was speaker Chuck Lofy of Minnesota who spoke on the topics of "Stress/Conflict" and "Handling Change."

MATVA members also enjoyed the annual awards banquet where outstanding MATVA members were recognized for their contributions to the profession of agriculture and national resources teaching.

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## cozy corner

by Roger Brown

Every Tuesday morning when I sit down to write this column, I call up job file number 15 for all my starting codes. File 15 is a column I wrote about a year ago, and I simply run the cursor past the all the codes to the beginning of the text. I then kill the text and start writing. The thing that has grabbed my attention for the past year is the opening sentence for that "cozy corner" in file 15. It begins, "It's been a cool wet summer so far, hasn't it?"

Every Tuesday, even cold blustery Tuesdays in February, I have to read "It's been a cool, wet summer so far, hasn't it?" Well, since it's the middle of July and the summer has been anything but cool and wet, I decided to read the entire column. . . just to see what I was up to last summer.

The column turned out to be a series of "You know it's mid-summer when . . ." gags. For example, the first one was, "You know it's mid-summer when the grass is nearly a foot high and mower is still in the shop". What impressed me about most of the gags is how much things can change from year to year. The tall grass joke is a good example. It's been so hot and dry this summer, that most people don't even know where their lawn mowers are. Or care.

Another line went something like "If you live in Mackerville, you don't care if it's mid-summer and your mower is in the shop, because your grass has all been trampled anyway". Of course we all know that situation has changed. Now Mackerville residents know it's mid-summer when they see the exodus to Belding.

Another line dealt with mosquitoes. It went something like, "You know it's mid-summer when you are attacked by mosquitoes so big you expect them to fly in a V formation like geese". Well, I don't know about you, but I don't think I've slapped a mosquito all summer. Can't say as I've missed it either.

Of course some things never change. I also wrote about the kids who couldn't wait to get out of school, and are now so bored they can't wait to go back. No change there. I wrote about the arrival of property tax statements. No change there. I wrote about those pounds you promised to lose before summer that are still there. No change there. I wrote about looking for a new swim suit to better conceal some of that extra baggage, and finding only wool slacks and sweaters in the stores. No change there. I guess those negative things just never seem to change.

There are some new "You know it's mid-summer" lines that are suited for the kind of summer we've been having. Here are a few examples.

You know it's mid-summer when your tan is fading because it's too hot to be out in the sun.

You know it's mid-summer when you are tempted to sleep in your car because it's air-conditioned.

You know it's mid-summer when the sun melts your garage door opener into an unrecognizable glob of plastic on your dashboard. (true story)

You know it's mid-summer when the dog won't even come to you for a dog biscuit because he's flopped out in front of a fan. (another true story)

You know it's mid-summer when you make a pot of coffee at work, and nobody drinks it.

You know it's mid-summer when you work up a lather just watching somebody work.

And finally, you know it's mid-summer when yours truly stoops to writing his annual "You know it's mid-summer" column.

## Letter to the Editor

July 7, 1987

Dear Editor,

Having just read Larry Glenn Owens' column in the Sports section (Grand Rapids Press, July 6, 1987) it has become apparent that the entire world outside of Lowell has a very large misconception of the reasons for the Macker Tournament's exodus from here.

Every media account for the past 30 days has placed the blame squarely on the shoulders of Lowell City Council. This is understandable since the only information the media was receiving came from Macker Council press releases. In fact, however, the Mayor and Council members I spoke to expressed a desire to meet with the Macker people, to discuss their concerns and resolve any problems. This was several days before their Monday press conference announcing the move. This offer to meet was refused by the Macker people. Their only known offer to meet came at 11:00 p.m. the night before their press conference. This was directed to our former City Manager and he was given only until 10:00 a.m. the next day to reach a resolution. Obviously, this was an impossible time frame to work with.

Several references have also been made that the City of Lowell's "greed" motivated Macker to move, pointing to the 5% fee. Admittedly the resolution was poorly worded and did not reflect the intent of City Council, prompting Council's desire to meet with Macker. City Council's only desire was to recover costs incurred by the tournament, which State Law requires them to do of any for-profit group requesting the use of public property. Even so, Lowell citizens reached into their pocketbooks and offered to privately pay these extra expenses themselves. Again, this offer was refused by the Macker people.

Published reports say everything went smoothly in Belding during the tournament. This is not surprising. With the exception of one property owner's complaint, things went smoothly in Lowell for 13 years. The Macker is a very well-organized, well-run event. Hosting it would be a coup for any small community. Thirteen years has taught

Lowell aspects on how to host it, aspects that Belding will learn should the event return there.

The fact is, we don't know why Macker left Lowell. We may never know the real reason. Lowell is a growing, progressive, prosperous city that would never knowingly alienate an event like Macker. But one thing is clear: LOWELL DID NOT ABANDON MACKER, Macker abandoned Lowell after 13 years of unwavering support. Belding may do well to watch its back side.

Sincerely,  
Dennis Thomet  
Member, Lowell Chamber of Commerce.

## NOTICE

### SALE CANCELLED

The Public Auction for storage compartments at L&A Mini Storage on July 18, 1987 has been cancelled due to most storage compartments meeting their contractual obligations. The remaining storage compartments will be scheduled for a public auction at a later date.

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## Bartons observe 50th

An Open House for Maynard and Mable Barton will be held July 25, 1987 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m., at the United Methodist Church Education Building, 621 E. Main, Lowell, Michigan. It will be in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary. Hosts will be their children and grandchildren.



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# Vic Krause recommends task force on welfare

Independence rather than dependence is the theme of a welfare package unveiled today by an area lawmaker who wants to launch pilot programs in several counties during 1988.

State Representative Vic Krause (R-Rockford), who chairs the House Republican Policy Committee, announced the recommendations of a GOP task force on welfare at a State Capitol news conference. He was joined by House Republican Leader Paul Hillemonds (R-Holland).

"While there is no panacea for welfare reform our task force believes that we can improve the system by focusing on job programs," Hillemonds said. "The key to a successful employment program is to assist all able-bodied persons in finding jobs before they become dependent on the welfare system."

"It is crucial that we focus on the employment strengths of

each individual and assist the person in acquiring a job consistent with these strengths," Krause said.

The task force report calls for the Department of Social Services to broaden the definition of who is employable to include all able-bodied adults and out-of-school teenagers including those with dependent children. Certain exemptions would still apply.

House Republicans also recommend that:

--employable persons should be required to participate in daily employment/training activities.

--every applicant should be given information on how to increase spending power while working, and still retain some benefits.

--DSS should encourage more integration between DSS offices, local employers and local employment training agencies.

--the roles of DSS staff should be redefined so that procedures

will better assist applicants and clients in finding jobs.

--performance standards be established for an independent firm to evaluate the success of each pilot program.

In addition to the pilot program concept, House Republicans also cite the need to strengthen the economic base of fragmented

families and the importance of support services such as child care, health care and transportation for the working poor and welfare recipients.

"Work programs cannot successfully train public assistance recipients and place them in private sector employment without

providing adequate support services," Krause said.

Hillemonds commended Krause and the task force for researching the welfare issue during the last several months. The task force report is the second to be issued by the House Republican Policy Committee which

Hillemonds established earlier this year.

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If the dependent has a social security number, but the taxpayer does not know what it is, the taxpayer should contact a local Social Security Administration office.

To get a social security number, a dependent must have evidence of: (1) date of birth, (2) U.S. citizenship or legal alien status, and (3) identity. A public, hospital, or religious birth record is generally sufficient for the first two items. A school record and certain other documents can be used for proof of identity. For more information, taxpayers may ask at any Social Security Administration office for the free leaflet, "Applying for a Social Security Number."

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## COMING ATTRACTIONS

### Marsha Warfield's night in court

By Evan Levine

For a show that relies heavily on semi-crude, adolescent jokes brimming with innuendo, NBC's "Night Court" is also frequently very funny. This is thanks largely to the absurdities of the ensemble cast, including Emmy Award-winner John Larroquette and actor-cum-magician Harry Anderson, who operate in a breakneck manic style, and whose antics include everything from performing magic tricks to leading sumo wrestlers into the courtroom. But then there's Roz.



Marsha Warfield

In direct contrast to the high-pitched hysteria of the other characters, Marsha Warfield plays bailiff Roz Russell in a slow, deadpan style that's attention-grabbing for its very lack of showiness. Warfield took over a seemingly jinxed role. Selma Diamond and Florence Halop, who had each played a bailiff in a feisty, wisecracking style, died within a short time of each other.

"I came into the show not wanting to compete with people who were already established and knew what they were doing," explained Warfield. "That would have been the quickest way to lose the job."

Warfield claims that delivering her lines in an understated style that harks back




CONTAINS LISTINGS FOR FRIDAY, JULY 17 THRU THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1987

The cast of NBC's "Night Court" includes (clockwise from top left), Markie Post, Harry Anderson, John Larroquette, Marsha Warfield, Richard Moll and Charlie Robinson. The show airs Wednesdays.

to radio comedians was the only way to stand out. "Things were pretty much in a state of flux when I came in," she explains. "I thought of other actors who had come into established shows. I remembered when Steve Landesberg joined the cast of 'Barney Miller' as Dietrich, he chose to underplay his role, and he really stood out. I patterned myself after him a little. I took a big risk, but the character was pretty loosely

defined, so I thought I'd try." With a role in a top-20 show and a standup comedy act that she takes on tour across the country, Warfield doesn't worry about such matters as the total lack of reality in the courtroom her character inhabits. "It's a set," she says practically. "It's a TV show. I wouldn't go onto a set of a bedroom and take my clothes off and go to sleep, and I don't go onto this set like it's a real courtroom."

Warfield's practicality also extends to her view of herself. "I always knew I could stand up in front of an audience and be funny," she asserts. "But it's like anything else. If you're a doctor you don't have to doctor all the time, and if you're a comedian you don't have to be funny all the time." So who does she think is funny? "That's easy," says Warfield. "Me."



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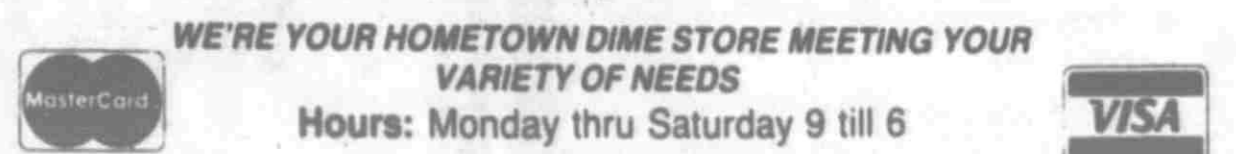
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5:10 Last Minutes of Billy Crystal
5:15 [MAX] Cinemax Comedy Experiment: This Week Indoors

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5:40 [MAX] MOVIE: 'King Kong'

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# Storms rip Lowell

A heavy thunderstorm that included lightning, hail and high winds, moved through Lowell last Thursday during the lunch hour. The storm dropped golf ball sized hail in certain areas and caused major damage to the roof at Harold Zeigler Ford. Fred Willison, Used Car Manager said, "I've been in a tornado before, and there was no way I was going to ride one out in a trailer". Willison was referring to the mobile office that serves as the dealership's used car office. "The wind switched from the west to the east, the air smelled funny and I heard a roaring noise, so I beat it for the main building" Willison said.

## Al Orlyk retires



Lowell's familiar City Assessor will not be found sitting at his desk anymore. Alex "Al" Orlyk retired on June 30. Semi-retired, Al has worked part-time for the City of Lowell for the past ten years as City Assessor and for nine of those years as City Building Inspector. During that time he has seen the city grow to a bustling community. Al and his wife Helen have always been avid travelers. They are looking forward to having more free time to travel now. Fellow city employees honored Al with a farewell party on June 30. Among the mementos presented to him was a cook's apron emblazoned with the words "World's Greatest Chef" — a salute to Al's culinary talents. Co-workers will miss the tantalizing aroma of Al's famous homemade soups.

## "Main St.", cont'd.

### BAILEYS MOVE TO TRAVERSE CITY

A letter was received from Dean Bailey, formerly Pastor at the First United Methodist Church in Lowell to inform us that his address needs to be changed for the Ledger. He is now serving as Senior Pastor of the Central United Methodist Church in Traverse City. Couldn't have happened to a nicer guy! Dean also updated us on the family activities as follows: Glenn is now Associate Director of Crossroads Urban Center in Salt Lake City (an ecumenical agency serving poverty stricken people); Tod lives in Westland with his wife, Karen, and is a parole officer for the Department of Corrections, State of Michigan, in Detroit. Jill is graduating from Central Michigan University this summer in Special Education, living in Grand Rapids, and will be teaching this fall for Northview Public Schools. He ended his letter by saying "I applaud you on your move back to the Lowell Ledger masthead and I enjoy the crazy 'Cozy Corner' immensely!"

### SUCCESSFUL REUNION FOR CLASS OF '77

The Lowell Class of 1977 met for their 10th reunion on July 11 at the Airport Hilton, after an afternoon golf outing at Deer Run. The evening included dinner, an entertaining slide show and dancing. 98 class members were present. Thanks to all who helped make it a successful reunion.

### OFF THE BLOTTER

A five year old passenger of a car driven by Laury Topping, 25, of Saranac, was injured when Topping's car was struck from behind by a vehicle driven by Robert Applegate, 41, also of Saranac. The collision pushed Topping's car into the path of another vehicle driven by Arlin Maas, 43, of Lowell. The accident occurred Wednesday afternoon, July 8, at Main and James.

Receiving appearance violations to 63rd District Court Friday evening, July 10, were Jeffrey Gonyo, 21, and Albert Melle, 24, both of Lowell, for disorderly person.

No one was injured in an accident Friday evening, July 10, on West Main near Valley Vista Drive, when a vehicle driven by Dorene Sauer, 26, of Lowell, who failed to have her headlights on, struck a car driven by a 16 year old driver from Saranac, who failed to yield while exiting a private drive.

Cited into 63rd District Court for selling alcohol to minors was Herlett Salmon III, 21, of Saranac, by Lowell officers.

Arrested and lodged in the Kent County Jail Sunday evening, July 12, on a criminal bench warrant issued out of Grand Rapids Court, was Roy Thomas Miller, 39, of Ada, by Lowell officers.

No injuries were reported in an accident Thursday, July 9, at Main and Pleasant St., when a car driven by Charles Babb Jr., 25, of Grand Rapids, turned left into the path of a car driven by a 16 year old juvenile from Lowell.

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When Willison reached the service area of the main building, he was unable to open the west door because of a fresh paint job that had the door stuck. Willison then ran to the north door where he encountered the same problem. He then began beating on the door, but the roar of the wind kept those inside from hearing him. He finally beat on the door so hard that he smashed the glass in the door, and cut the back of his hand. The wound required seven stitches to close.

Inside the building "people were makin' tracks in every direction" said Acting Service Manager Don Fell. According to Fell, the wind lifted the huge flat roof completely off the concrete block walls so that Fell could see a foot or two of daylight all the way around the building. When the roof slammed back down, a large hole caved in at the north end of the building. Roofers were on the job Monday morning to repair the damaged roof.

Despite the extremely high winds, the Lowell Light and Power Co. and the Lowell Police Department did not report major damage. There were several brief power outages during the storm that played havoc with many computers, TV's and telephone systems in the area.

## Chlordane banned in homes

Chlordane, a dangerous insecticide used to fight termites in homes, would be banned under legislation offered by State Senator Vernon Ehlers (R-Grand Rapids).

"There are other termiticides, both chemical and non-chemical, which are more effective against termites and safer in the home," Ehlers said. "It's ridiculous for pest control companies to use chlordane and put homeowners and their families at needless risk when safer products are available."

Last year, a study of homes treated with chlordane showed 50 percent had indoor air contaminated with the chemical above detection levels. Other studies have shown the cancer risk for some chlordane-treated homes is nearly 1 percent, or 1,000 times higher than that accepted in Michigan toxic substance regulation or by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

"These high risks are based only on chlordane inhalation," Ehlers continued. "Families are actually at greater risk, considering possible oral exposure or contact with skin."

"Recent Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) studies clearly show the dangers of using chlordane," Ehlers concluded. "There's simply no reason to use chlordane when safer, effective termiticides are readily available."

Timbuktu, in the country we know now as Mali, was a famous center of learning—particularly law and theology—in the 14th Century.

# Legal Notices

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT  
FOR THE  
COUNTY OF KENT  
ORDER OF PUBLICATION  
AND TO  
APPEAR AND ANSWER  
Case No. 87-5457-CH  
STEPHANIE WARD, Plaintiff,  
vs. RICHARD DAN-  
NING & LINDA DANNING,  
Defendants.

At a session of said Court held in the Courthouse, Grand Rapids, Michigan, on this 1st day of July, 1987.

Present: THE HONORABLE GEORGE S. BUTH, Circuit Court Judge.

On the 5th day of May, 1987, an action for assignment of land contract was filed by the above named Plaintiff against you the above named Defendants, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendants, whose last known address was 911 - 9th St., N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 20th day of October, 1987.

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

GEORGE S. BUTH  
Circuit Court Judge

Examined, countersigned and Entered:  
Susan Atkinson,  
Deputy clerk  
Attest: A True Copy,  
S. Atkinson

C35,36,37,38

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
County of Kent  
Probate Court  
JUVENILE DIVISION

TO: RONALD FOX  
In The Matter Of: Ronald FOX  
Hearing: July 30, 1987, at 11:00 a.m.

TO: STEVEN DUANE ULBERG  
In The Matter Of: Jamie WHEELER  
Hearing: August 19, 1987, at 9:00 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).

Dated: July 8, 1987

JOHN P. STENETEE  
JUDGE OF PROBATE

## CITY OF LOWELL NOTICE

Persons interested in seeking election to the Lowell City Council to fill any of the three (3) vacancies occurring, must obtain nominating petition forms for circulation and return not later than 5:00 p.m., July 28, 1987. Petition forms are available between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. from the Lowell City Clerk, 301 East Main Street, Lowell.

Ruth A. Harte,  
Acting City Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
IN THE  
PROBATE COURT  
FOR THE  
COUNTY OF KENT  
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DETERMINATION OF  
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FILE NO. 87,145,251 SE  
Estate of MARGARET  
ANN WALDIE A/K/A MARGARET WALDIE, Deceased  
384-05-9002

TO: Interested Persons including those addresses or whereabouts are unknown.

TAKE NOTICE: On August 7, 1987 at 10:00 a.m., in the probate courtroom, Grand Rapids, Michigan, before Hon. A. Dale Stoppels/Donald J. DeYoung, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Shirley Szczepanek a/k/a Shirley Szczepanek requesting that she be appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Margaret Ann Waldie, deceased who lived at 1044 Dayton, S.W. Grand Rapids, Michigan and who died on June 11, 1987; and requesting also that the will of the Deceased dated April 7, 1982 be admitted to probate.

Further notice is given that the legal heirs at law of said deceased will be determined at this time.

Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the Deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to both the Personal Representative and to the Court on or before September 16, 1987. Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record.

June 16, 1987  
Shirley Szczepanek a/k/a Shirley Szczepanek  
2769 Ingersoll St. S.W.  
Wyoming, Michigan 49509  
534-1266

Timothy J. Conroy (P12155)  
Attorney  
410 Bridge St., N.W.  
Grand Rapids, Michigan  
49504  
454-4119

C35

Is the U.S. too waste-full? Within a decade, half the states will face serious problems in trying to dispose of their garbage. Although the problem is worse in urban areas, large, sparsely populated states also are running out of landfill space and cannot easily obtain new sites. According to NATIONAL WILDLIFE Magazine, lone-term solutions, such as incineration and facilities to convert trash to energy, are needed.

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# CLASSIFIED ADS

## Personal

LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1972 - We need your responses for the 15 year reunion. Please send your reservations to Cindy Bigelow Boyce, deadline was June 21st. 1987.

## BINGO

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

## LEGION OF THE MOOSE Tuesdays BINGO!!

Early Birds 6:00 P.M.  
Regular Bingo 7:00 P.M.  
1320 E. Fulton TFN

## BINGO

Every Saturday night  
7:00 P.M.  
LOWELL MOOSE BINGO  
1320 E. Fulton  
Early Bird Bingo at 6:00 P.M. TFN

## MONDAYS

Que-Ke-Zik  
Sportsmans Club  
Early Bird Bingo 6:30 P.M.  
Regular Bingo 7:00 P.M.  
Que-Ke-Zik Clubhouse  
11400 Foreman Road  
Lowell, Michigan TFN

HISTORIC BOWEN MILLS - OLD FASHION DAY - July 18, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Special features: Musical Saw Players Festival and Contest. Opening of Sesquicentennial Plank House. Arts/crafts, flea market, water powered demos, blacksmithing, good food. Bring cameras. \$2.00 adults, students free. 2 miles north Yankee Springs State Park Entrance, 795-7530. P35

CASH FOR LAND CONTRACTS  
Any type property anywhere in Michigan. 24 Hours. Call Free 1-800-292-1500. First National Acceptance Co.

SAT., JULY 25:  
ATTENTION LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL Classes of '54-'59. Come join the '50s reunion. The more the merrier! 5 p.m. - 2 a.m. Dinner at Double R Ranch, Smyrna. Camping and motel rooms available. Call 897-9462 for information.

Jim Cook, Jr.  
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All Types of Sales  
(616) 897-8872

## Business Service

APPLES - Lodi, tart and juicy, excellent for sauce and eating out of hand. ORCHARD HILL FARMS, Clarence Klahn, 9896 Cascade S.E., Lowell. 868-7229. C35&36

ATTENTION HUNTERS - 8 week old Lab puppies, 1 black male and 1 yellow male left. AKC Registered, shots, mother and father excellent hunters. Call Saranac, 642-9742. C35

BROWN'S ASPHALT paving, commercial and residential. Free estimates. Call 897-5639 or 897-7953. CTFN

LET RAY TRIM or cut down your tree the safety way with a cherry picker. 616-794-2499. CTFN

ATTORNEY SERVICES  
Divorce, from \$150 plus costs.  
Bankruptcy from \$500 including costs.  
Simple Will \$45;  
Adoption \$200;  
Incorporation, from \$200;  
Drunk Driving, from \$250;  
Drivers License Restoration, \$300 Plus Costs.  
Landlord/Tenant, Probate, Workman's Compensation, Real Estate, & Personal Injury. RICHARD HEATH LOWELL - 897-9480. GRAND RAPIDS 241-2292.

G&S CONCRETE - Flatwork, basement floors, driveways, approaches, trailer pads, patios, etc. Call 794-1455. Belding.

Complete Formal Wear Rental WEDDINGS OR OTHER SPECIAL OCCASSIONS PFALLER'S RIVERFRONT CLOTHING, INC. 103 E. Main St. Lowell Ph. 897-6411

## Help Wanted

HOUSEKEEPING - One of Grand Rapids leading hotels is looking for an individual with potential to join our team in our housekeeping department. We offer competitive pay and benefits such as vacation, holiday and sick pay. Day or evening positions are available. Apply in person only. MIDWAY MOTOR LODGE, 4101 28th Street S.E., Grand Rapids. E.O.E. C33-35

WANTED TO HIRE - Resident helpers and kitchen help. Cumberland Retirement Village. Contact Nan Ditto, 897-8413, M-F, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. C35

WANTED - Woman to care for my mother, 2 or 3 days a week, 6 to 8 hours each day. Call 897-8201. NCTF

HELP WANTED - Cook Supervisor, full time position days. Apply at Cascade Care Center, 1095 Medical Park Drive, 949-7220. C34&35

HELP WANTED - Packers/Packers for second shift. Apply between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. KENTWOOD FINISHING CORP., 4201 Brockton S.E., Kentwood, MI. E.O.E. C35

HELP WANTED - Now taking applications for RN's, part time and full time charge nurse positions on the day shift. Apply in person, LOWELL MEDICAL CARE CENTER, 350 N. Center, Lowell. C35&36

## LOST

Short haired gray cat, Peck Lake Rd. area, declared, family pet. Call 897-5876 or 774-8511, ask for Pat. x35

## FOR SALE

TEMPO, 1986 - 2 door, 23,000 miles, stick and stereo. This week only \$5,995. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. (Open Sat.) c10

TAURUS, 1986, GL-4 door, six, auto, air, stereo, beautiful blue. This week only \$8,995. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE - 1986 Cutlass Ciera Brougham, 4 door, grey/silver exterior, grey interior, air, cruise, power windows & doors, AM/FM cassette, auto calculator, 20,000 miles, \$12,500 FIRM. 897-7095 4:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m., weekdays only. P35&36

## FOR SALE

TAURUS, 1986 - 4 door, six, auto, air, stereo and more. Beautiful black with red cloth interior. This week only \$8,995. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. C10

CHEVROLET CAPRICE, 1987 - 4 door Factory Official, Brougham LS, fully equipped, every available option, 5,000 miles. Was \$18,408, now just \$15,995! Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell 897-9294.

FORD F150 4x2 - Six cylinder, power steering, only 32,142. Stock no. P128. This week only \$6,795. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c9

BUICK RIVIERA, 1987 - Factory Official car, 4,000 miles. Fully equipped. Own a \$21,000 automobile for only \$15,995! Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

REGAL, 1982 - Six, auto and loaded. Beautiful two-tone blue. This week only \$4,595. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

CHEVROLET CAVALIER, 1987 - 4 door CS, automatic, air, stereo, special purchase F.O.'s. Only 2 left at \$8,988! Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

FORD, 1984 F150 - 4x2, 302 V8, auto, this week only \$5,995. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

CHEVROLET IROC-Z, 1985 - 5-speed, all power options, only 4,200 miles! Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

RANGER, 1986-4x4, real sharp and priced right this week only at \$6,995. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

## FOR SALE

ISUZU PICKUP, 1984 - 4 cyl, stick, nice truck. This week only \$2,995. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

CHEVROLET CELEBRITY, 1986 - Eurosport coupe, V6, automatic, air, cassette, tilt, cruise, CL trim. Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

RANGER, 1986 - Super Cab, 4x4, stick, loaded with all the toys. This week only \$8,995. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

CADILLAC EL-DORADO, 1984 - V8, leather trim, fully equipped. Price just slashed to \$8,968!! Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

HORIZON, 1983 - 4 cyl, 47,000 miles, stick. All for only \$2,795. This week only at HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS, 1985 - coupe, V8, full power, wires, Landau, only 17,000 miles! Price just reduced to \$9,988!! Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

LEMANS, 1981-Pontiac, six, auto, air. All for only \$2,695. This week only at HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

OLDS TORONADO, 1983 - V8, leather trim, fully equipped. Price just reduced to \$8,988!! Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

ESCORT ST. WAGON, 1984-Great little car and priced right at \$3,595. This week only at HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

CHEVROLET ASTRO, 1986 - cargo, V6, automatic, 2 to choose from. Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

## FOR SALE

BONNEVILLE, 1982 - Station Wagon, lot of toys, all for only \$4,195. This week only at HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

FORD F250, 1985 - supercab, duals, 6.9L diesel, air, stereo, much more. Perfect tow vehicle. Thomet Chev-Buick, Lowell. 897-9294.

FORD F150 4x2, 1984 - Great truck and all for only \$5,995. This week only at HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

FOR SALE - Large Naugahyde sleeper, \$125.00 and propane torch, used once, \$10.00. Phone 897-7219. P35

MAZDA, 1986 - 323, only 13,000 miles, one owner and priced very right at \$5,395. HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

ESCORT, 1985 - This week only \$2,995. Can you believe it! HAROLD ZEIGLER FORD, Lowell, MI. 897-8431. Open Saturday. c10

## In Memory

In memory of Jim McNally, July 18, 1986. Son, wife, brother and friend, we remember him and miss him dearly, but we know to die physically is to enter life eternally in our God, The Father, Christ Jesus, Holy Spirit. C35&36

## Card Of Thanks

THANK YOU I would like to extend my sincere thanks to the Lowell Music Boosters, the Lowell Education Association, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Siler, Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Ayres, the Lowell Women's Club and Roger's Department Store for your generous support of my choir tour to New Zealand, Australia, and Hawaii. I greatly appreciate your help! Thank You, Becky Dine C35



# Lowell Area School Board notes . . .

The Lowell Board of Education held its regular meeting on Monday, July 13, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board office. Newly elected Board members Roger Kropf and Jack Lane received their oath of office. Prior to the approval for the payment of bills, the Board elected John Haggai as President, Chris VanAntwerp as Vice-President, Linda Beers

as Secretary, and Wayne Dowling as Treasurer. The Board then presented a plaque to Marion Rutherford and Gert Steffens who recently retired from the district after many years of outstanding service. Ruby Rittersdorf and Rex Crout were not present to receive their awards. The Board also recognized John Schneider and Bud Provonche

who recently received a second place trophy in the Michigan Mechanic Idea Day and Expo for their "unique and innovative" service truck.

In the next item of business, the Board formally accepted the gift from the Lowell Rotary Club for donating two sets of bleachers at the high school tennis courts. Following the pay-

ment of bills, the Board conducted an organizational meeting to establish various guidelines and procedures to follow for the coming year. A resolution was adopted to continue to hold regular Board of Education meetings on the second Monday of every month. The public is invited to attend these meetings which are held in the Board of

Education office at 12685 Foreman Road at 7:30 p.m.

Under personnel matters, the Board approved the employment of Barbara VanderLaan as an elementary vocal music teacher, Mark MacDonald as the middle school special education LD teacher, Keith Boeve as the high school special education LD teacher, Phil Beachler as the high

school math-biology teacher, Sandra MacDonald as a 5th grade teacher, Leanna Rice as a 2nd grade teacher, Ausma Martinsons as a 5th grade teacher, and Kay Wisner as a half-time kindergarten teacher. Resignations were then accepted from JoAnn Frey and Kathy Osmun with best wishes for continued success in their outstanding careers.

Because of the Board's responsibility as fiscal agent for the LCTK community education consortium, the Board approved contracts for supervisory personnel for the 1987-88 school year. The Board then adopted the Michigan High School Athletic Association, Inc. membership resolution for the 1987-88 school year and the Board of Canvassers report on the June 8, 1987 annual election was approved as submitted.

In the last items of business, the Board awarded the construction bid of a new storage barn at Alto to Durkee Linton Lumber Co. of Alto and awarded the retiling bid of the high school cafeteria and gymnasium balcony to Dewey Prins Ceramic Tile.

## West side cont'd.

nationwide chain. The chain features merchandise under \$20.00.

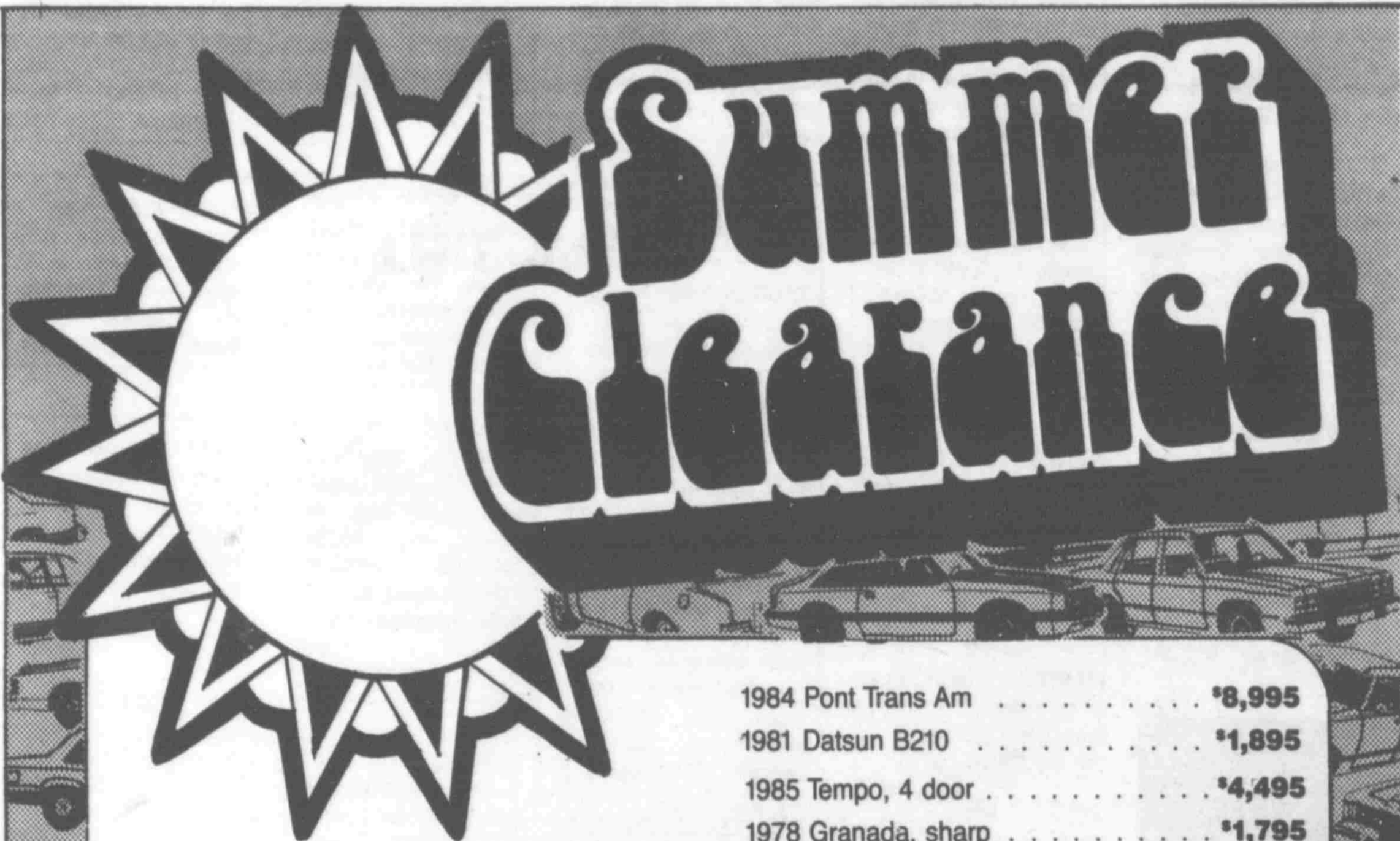
Jekel says there are big plans for the complex that will eventually include 85-90,000 sq. ft. of retail space. "We envision a fine restaurant, a fast food restaurant near the entrance, a 10,000 sq. ft. expansion of Family Fare and additions to the retail mall" Jekel said. "Lowell has been great, our experience here has been very enjoyable and the cooperation from the people we've worked with has been tremendous" Jekel added.

Other recent developments on West Main indicate a tremendous growth on Lowell's west side. Bernard's True Value hardware will open Saturday at 1601 West Main, and construction will begin soon on a new drive-thru and self service car wash just west of there. Thomet Chevrolet and Buick recently added a new Recreational Vehicle sales and service center. Venen Chrysler, Dodge and Plymouth is planning a major expansion of their car lot and Harold Zeigler Ford is adding to their lot as well as constructing a used car sales center. Eberhard's recently changed their store to a Food City concept that included major renovation. The Admiral gas station is installing new digital pumps and canopies. And Showboat Video opened earlier this year at 2333 West Main.

The west side of Lowell appears to be destined for a serious growth spurt in the coming years. The city is preparing for the ever increasing traffic by requesting a traffic study from the State Highway Department and is currently taking bids on a connector street from the west end of Sibley St. to Main St.

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*Diamonds are forever. According to INTERNATIONAL WILDLIFE Magazine, microscopic diamonds older than the sun and the planets have been found imbedded in three different kinds of meteorites. The diamonds -- over four and a half billion years old -- may be the oldest particles ever discovered. They were created in the atmosphere of a distant star and were strewn across space when the star later exploded.*



1986 Tempo . . . . .	<b>*5,995</b>	1984 Pont Trans Am . . . . .	<b>*8,995</b>
1986 Taurus . . . . .	<b>*8,995</b>	1981 Datsun B210 . . . . .	<b>*1,895</b>
1985 Ford F150 . . . . .	<b>*6,795</b>	1985 Tempo, 4 door . . . . .	<b>*4,495</b>
1982 Buick Regal . . . . .	<b>*4,595</b>	1978 Granada, sharp . . . . .	<b>*1,795</b>
1984 F150, 4x2 . . . . .	<b>*6,795</b>	1985 GMC-Rally STX Van . . . . .	<b>*10,995</b>
1984 Isuzu Pickup . . . . .	<b>*2,995</b>	1981 T-Bird, X-sharp . . . . .	<b>*3,995</b>
1983 Ply. Horizon . . . . .	<b>*2,795</b>	1985 Olds 98-Brougham . . . . .	<b>*10,995</b>
1986 Ford F150 . . . . .	<b>*6,995</b>	1985 Lincoln Town-Sig Series . . . . .	<b>*15,995</b>
1981 Pont. Lemans . . . . .	<b>*2,695</b>	1985 Pont. Cent. Wagon . . . . .	<b>*10,995</b>
1984 Escort Wagon . . . . .	<b>*3,595</b>	1986 GMC Pickup . . . . .	<b>*9,995</b>
1982 Pont. Bonneville . . . . .	<b>*4,195</b>	1983 Lincoln Town Car . . . . .	<b>*8,995</b>
1985 F150, 4x2 . . . . .	<b>*5,995</b>	1981 Dodge Pickup . . . . .	<b>*2,995</b>
1986 Mazda 323 . . . . .	<b>5,395</b>	1981 Olds Omega . . . . .	<b>*1,595</b>
1985 Escort, 2 door . . . . .	<b>*2,995</b>	1980 Buick Century . . . . .	<b>*1,495</b>
1980 T-Bird, 2 door . . . . .	<b>*2,595</b>	1985 Camaro, 2 door . . . . .	<b>*5,995</b>
1985 Merc Station wagon . . . . .	<b>*6,995</b>	1983 Mustang . . . . .	<b>*4,995</b>
1985 Ply. Horizon . . . . .	<b>*3,595</b>	1985 Dodge Royal SE Pickup . . . . .	<b>*8,495</b>
1985 Bronco, 4x4 . . . . .	<b>*9,995</b>	1986 Bronco II . . . . .	<b>*10,995</b>
1982 Merc Grand Marquis . . . . .	<b>*5,995</b>	1986 Trans AM . . . . .	<b>*11,995</b>
1986 Cutlass Cierra Brougham . . . . .	<b>*10,595</b>	1985 T-Bird Turbo . . . . .	<b>*10,995</b>
		1983 T-Bird Turbo . . . . .	<b>*6,995</b>
		1985 Tempo, 4 door . . . . .	<b>*6,995</b>
		1977 Chev Impalla . . . . .	<b>*895</b>
		1976 Dodge Pickup . . . . .	<b>*895</b>

### THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS

1986 Ford, F250, 4x4, Lariat Pickup, loaded . . . . .	<b>*14,995</b>
1985 Ford, F350, 4x2, diesel, air, loaded, dual rear wheels . . . . .	<b>*13,995</b>
1983 Mustang, GLX, convertible, real sharp . . . . .	<b>*5,995</b>
1985 Camaro, 2 door, air, 4 speed . . . . .	<b>*5,995</b>
1984 Ford Motor Home, loaded, 15,000 miles . . . . .	<b>*16,995</b>

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- \*Jim Cox
- \*Fred Willison
- \*Jim Clemmons

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