

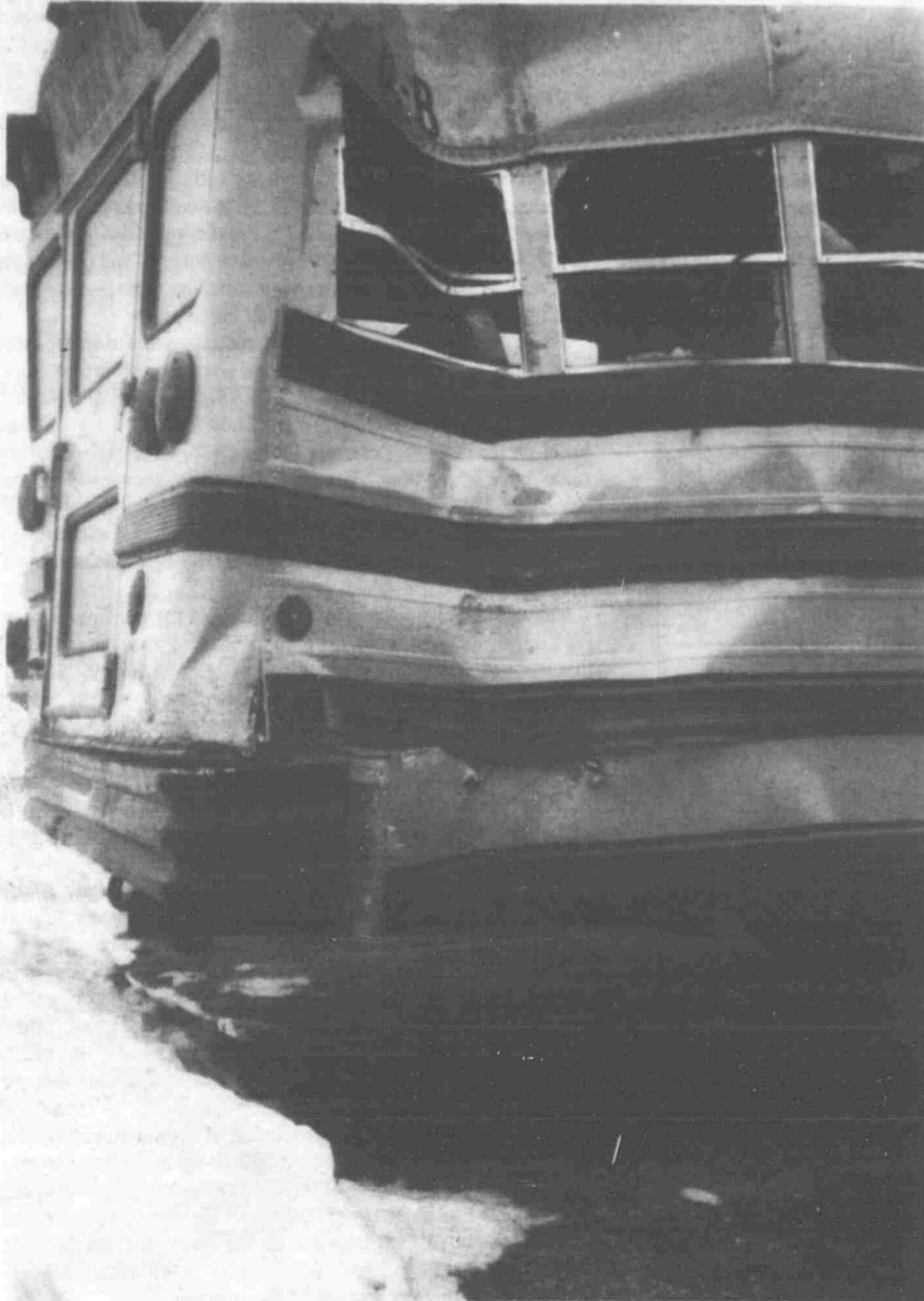
# The Lowell Ledger

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Wednesday, February 17, 1988

## Nine children injured in bus accident



Nine Lowell Elementary children received minor cuts and bruises, after the rear right side of the bus slid into a tree. The children were taken to Blodgett, Butterworth and Metro Hospitals.

Nine Lowell Elementary School children were injured in an accident on 36th street on Tuesday, Feb. 16.

Seven of the children were treated for minor cuts and bruises and released, and two were kept for closer observation.

Lowell Superintendent Fritz Esch said one of the students broke a bone in its shoulder blade.

"We are unable to release any of the names under the school's rights and policy act," Esch said.

Mary Kay Wright, the school bus driver, enroute to Alto Elementary, was traveling westbound on 36th Street and down shifted as the bus was beginning to descend on a hill, as she did this, the right rear side of the bus slid right and stopped after hitting a tree.

"The bus was sitting cross-ways in the road on the hill," Esch said. Esch, who was on the scene along with the Lowell Rescue Unit, and LIFE, said the nine children incurring injuries were taken to Metro, Blodgett and Butterworth Hospitals.

"The other 20 children were transported back to the bus garage, where their parents were waiting, and they were served hot chocolate," Esch said. "The



The aftermath of the school bus accident reveals the damage that was caused to the right rear inside of the bus.

children were then taken home." first at the scene, did a great job in terms of providing first aid and treatment for the children.

## LAAC Play starts Thurs.

The finishing touches have been put on the set of the 1988 LAAC Winter Play "The Impossible Years," and the props and costumes have been gathered for tonight's final dress rehearsal in preparation for the opening, Thursday night at 8 p.m. Working on his first play in his home-

town is Director Jim Ball. Co-producers are Dode Dey and Dave Durkee, who have overseen committees working on set production and finishing; props, costumes, and make-up; house arrangements, ushers, box-office, and refreshments, and program and publicity. According to

Dave, Dode and Jim, all systems are go for a very funny presentation, offered six nights during the next two weeks, Feb. 18-20 and 25-27.

Tickets for both Thursday night productions can be purch-

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### TWO NEW RAFFLE WINNERS DRAWN

Bonnie Post and Diane Richmond are the two latest finalists in the Lowell Booster Club car raffle. Two more finalists plus two second chance finalists will be drawn at the game this Friday against East Grand Rapids. Tickets are \$2.00 each and can be purchased at the game. The winner of the 1988 automobile will be determined at the basketball game on Friday, Feb. 26.

### A FEW CLASS OPENINGS LEFT A LAAC

Lowell Area Arts Council announces that there are a few openings left in the 6-week workshop for young artists, ages 9-14, which begins on Saturday morning, February 20. The class hours are from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. and Danno Fuller of Ionia is the artist-instructor. This is a basic drawing course designed for students with some drawing experience. Cost is \$18.00 for the six weeks. There are also a small number of openings in the adult basket making class on Wednesday, Feb. 24 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., and in the Junior and Senior High School students' basket making workshop on Saturday, February 27 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. For more information and registration, call the Arts Council Center at 897-8545.

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## Fire destroys local body shop

A fire that started in the North side of the T & D Truck and Auto building in the garage area at 834 W. Main, caused approximately \$15,000 worth of damage according to Lowell Fire Chief Frank Martin.

The Lowell Fire Department was on the scene at 12:25 a.m. Martin adds that the fire was out by 1:30, however, the fire department stayed on the scene, cleaning up, until 3:30 a.m.

Tim Kehoe, owner of T & D Truck and Auto, rents the building from its owner, Gladys Clemenz. Kehoe said he hopes a decision to rebuild is made, but wasn't sure.

Kehoe, who has been renting the building for the past year, did have renter's insurance according to Martin.

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Tim Kehoe, owner of T & D Truck and Auto, had his business destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. The exact cause of the fire had not yet been determined.



# Obituaries

**BROWN** - Chris Joseph Brown, aged 44, of Ada, passed away unexpectedly February 9, 1988 at Blodgett Memorial Medical Center. Mr. Brown was a high school teacher for the Belding School System. Surviving are his parents, Chris and Marie Brown of Kentwood; his brothers and their wives, his sisters and their husbands and 11 nieces and nephews. A Funeral Mass was offered on Friday, Feb. 12 at St. Robert of Newminster Catholic Church, Ada, Fr. David L. Hawley, Celebrant. Interment Resurrection Cemetery.

**DAUGHERTY** - Ortha (Doc) Daugherty, 77, of Mendon, died Saturday, February 13. Mr. Daugherty was a prominent civic leader in Mendon and St. Joseph County. Survivors are wife, Betty, a son Doug Daugherty of Clarksville, Bill of Lakeland, FL, and a daughter, Joanne Johnson also of Lakeland. Services were held Tuesday, February 16 at the Eickhoff Funeral

Home in Mendon. Memorials suggested to The Daugherty Community Center in Mendon.

**KAUFFMAN** - Amy L. Kauffman, aged 97, of Clarksville, passed away February 9, 1988. She is survived by nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were at the Koops Funeral Chapel, Clarksville, Rev. Arthur Ruder officiating. Interment Clarksville Cemetery.

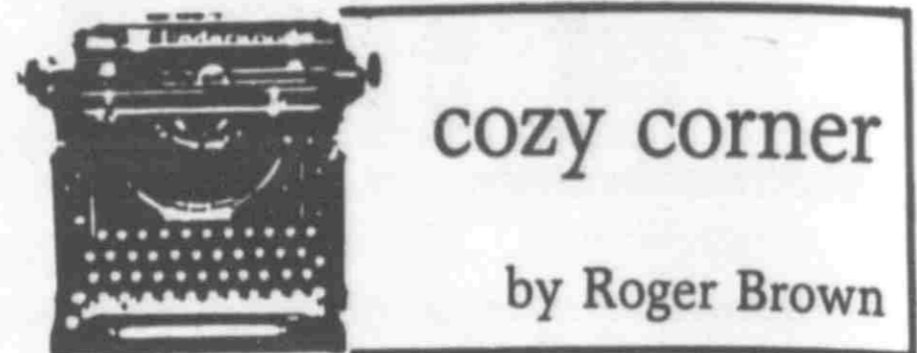
**LYNCH** - Richard A. Lynch, of Ada, passed away Friday, February 12, 1988. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn; his children, Mrs. Jack (Martha) Gilesie of Tampa, FL, Mr. Guy (Lynne) Kirsch of Houston, TX, Mr. Michael Lynch of Tampa, FL, Mrs. Rick (Molly) Lauffer of East Grand Rapids, Miss Meg Lynch of Tampa, FL; brothers, and five grandchildren. Mr. Lynch was Supervisor of Ada Township for eight years, past Chairman of the County Board of Supervisors, past President of Kent County

Conservation League, past Chairman of the Kent County Board of Health, and a retired Major with the U.S. Marine Corps. Funeral Services will be held today at 1:00 p.m. at O'Brien-Eggebeen-Gerst Chapel, Mr. Charles Heemstra officiating. Interment Findley Cemetery, Ada.

**MCWHINNEY** - Mrs. Neva I. McWhinney a former Lowell/Alto area resident, passed away Friday, February 12, 1988 at the Gerber Memorial Hospital in Fremont, MI, following a short illness, at the age of 71. She was born in Alto, MI on August 7, 1916, the daughter of Cora and Earl Vanderlip. She lived the majority of her life in the Lowell/Alto areas. Her husband, Robert, preceded her in death in 1979. Mrs. McWhinney is survived by two daughters, Patricia Dawson of Lowell, Sam (Carol) Sebastian of White Cloud, and a son, Garry of Lowell; 13 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

**RINGS** - Orpha Marie (Stauffer) Rings, aged 72, of North Hollywood, CA, formerly of Lowell and Grand Rapids, passed away February 6, 1988. She is survived by her beloved husband, Robert D. Rings; three

daughters, Nancy and Larry Dahlike of Ada, Lois and Chuck Winchester of Middleville, Mary and Glenn Powell of North Hollywood; her step-son, Gary and Robin Miller of Wyoming; 12 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Lester and Hezzie Stauffer of Lowell, Lloyd and Ernestine Stauffer of Belding; many nieces and nephews. Mrs. Rings was preceded in death by her son Bobby Rings Jr. (Tiger).



Our remodeling here at the Ledger is nearly complete. As with any building project, there are lots of things we'd do differently if we had it to do over again. The single most annoying problem is our front door situation. When we remodeled, we also expanded into the old warehouse that was situated between the Ledger and Larkin's Saloon. The lobby and all our offices are now in that portion of the building, so of course our main entrance is there. We left the door that previously served our front office, as an employee entrance.

Therein lies the problem. Everybody still uses the old entrance, and ends up standing in the middle of our composition room, no doubt wondering to themselves, "What the heck kind of lobby is this?". We then have to direct them back outside, and over to the next door, or parade them through our computer room. An awkward first impression on a customer, to say the least.

We've tried signs of all kinds, but nothing seems to work. First, I put a sign at eye level, in big bold type, on the employee entrance. It reads, "EMPLOYEES ONLY, PLEASE USE NEXT DOOR". Still they came in the wrong door. Then I added a sign a little lower on the employee entrance that reads, "PRIVATE". Still they came in the wrong door. Then I mounted a sign above, and perpendicular to, the main entrance that reads from both sides, "ENTRANCE". Still they came in the wrong door. Finally, I added a sign on the main entrance door that reads, "ENTER". And they're still coming in the wrong door!

I have to admit, the employee entrance is the old front door to the Ledger, and old habits are hard to break. I also have to admit that most of our customers park somewhere north of the Ledger, and the employee entrance is the first door they come to. And, I have to admit that the simple fact that we have two doors in the front of our building is probably a bit confusing. But, it seems to me that the public ought to be educated enough to read a one word sign like, "ENTER", "ENTRANCE" or "PRIVATE".

The staff has offered several solutions, none of which seems to be a plausible cure. Electrifying the knob to the employee entrance was one such idea. I can see it now. Some little old lady comes up to the door to pay her subscription, and gets jolted into next week. Sorry, but I doubt if my liability policy would cover that one. Somebody else offered the idea of arming all the employees in the composition room with squirt guns. When an unsuspecting customer ignores the signs and comes in the wrong door, he would be promptly squirted back onto the sidewalk. The idea had merit, but I finally discounted it because it might not be in the best interest of customer relations.

Another idea was for the installation of a loud recording that would play when the employee entrance is opened. The customer would be greeted by an Eddie Murphy type voice saying something like, "Back off Jack! Can't you read, fool? The sign says 'employees only!' Now get yo' butt back out on the street, and use the right door! I say again fool, back off!". Again, I felt such a scheme wouldn't be in the best interest of the customer.

We did try locking the employee entrance for awhile. Our salesman, who is in and out that door a hundred times a day, began to take on the appearance of a bulldog from bumping his nose on the door so frequently. I finally unlocked the door before he filed a workman's compensation claim against me.

The best idea yet came from an artist who helped me select the paint scheme for the front of the building. He suggested we paint the main entrance in a contrasting color, and the employee entrance the same color as the building. It's the old camouflage trick.

I'm thinking of going one better, and incorporating some of my old Army camouflage training. I'll get some shrubbery, leaves, netting, green greasepaint, etc. When I'm done, it'll look just like a door covered with shrubbery, leaves, netting and green greasepaint.

Maybe that electrified doorknob idea isn't so bad after all.

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**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 welcome.

**LADIES:** Join us for coffee break/story hour and interfaith Bible study at Calvin Christian Reformed Church, Tues. mornings at 9:30 a.m.

**FIRST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** The Bowne Township Historical Society will hold regular meetings at the Township Hall, 6059 Linfield, Alto, on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

**EVERY SECOND WEDNESDAY:** Lowell Woman's Club meets every 2nd Wednesday of the month at Schneider Manor at 12:00. Luncheon and program.

**EVERY SECOND THURSDAY:** Lowell VFW Auxiliary No. 8303 meets at 8:00 p.m. at the VFW Post, 307 W. Main Street, Lowell.

**EVERY THIRD SUNDAY:** The Flat River Snowmobile Club meets at the clubhouse at 11841 Potters Rd. A Pot-

luck is at 12:30 p.m. with business meeting following. New members and guests are welcome.

**SECOND SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH:** Post Polio Support Group meets at the Easter Seal Building, 4065 Saladin Dr. S.E. (off East Paris) at 2:00 p.m. Survivors, families and friends 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.

**THURS., FEB. 11:** Parents' Night program at 7:00 p.m., United Methodist Education Building, 621 W. Main St., Lowell, sponsored by the United Methodist Preschool. John Schmidt from Children's Village in Detroit will lead a discussion on "Children and Discipline." Babysitting and refreshments provided. No charge for this event. In case of severe weather, meeting will be held February 18.

**TUES., FEB. 16:** Women's Health Forum at 7:30 p.m. at the Lowell Assembly of God, 3050 Alden Nash, Lowell. Dottie Wiersma from St.

Mary's Breast Center will present "Your Breast Health" which will discuss detection and possible treatments of breast cancer. Women of all ages welcome to this free lecture.

**FEB. 11 - MAR. 31:** West Michigan Shores council - SME Kick-off & Campaign

**THURS., FEB. 18:** Ken Agers will meet at Vergennes Methodist Church at 10:00 a.m. We will have a Potluck Dinner and play Euchre. Also bring a Valentine for Valentine Exchange.

**THURS., FEB. 18:** "Children and Discipline" a discussion of child behavior will be held at United Methodist Education Building, 621 E. Main, Lowell. Speaker will be John Schmidt from Children's Village in Detroit. It will be at 7:00 p.m. and babysitting is provided as well as refreshments.

**FEB. 18-20 & FEB. 25-27:** Lowell Area Arts Council play "The Impossible Years" will be presented at 8 p.m. each evening at Lowell Middle School. Tickets can be purchased at the door on Thursday nights, reservations required for Friday and

Saturday. For reservations, call 897-6916.

**SAT., FEB. 20:** Six-week workshop for young artists, ages 9-14, begins at Lowell Area Arts Council Center, 149 S. Hudson, Lowell, from 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Conducted by Ionia artist-instructor, Danna Fuller. Basic drawing course designed for students with some drawing experience. Cost is \$18.00 and is limited to 12 students. Register now by calling 897-8545.

**SAT., FEB. 20:** West Michigan Shores Council, Scout Showcase Chairmen Meeting, call (616) 363-3828 for information.

**WED., FEB. 24:** Basket making workshop at Lowell Area Arts Council Center, 149 S. Hudson St., Lowell, 1-4 p.m. taught by Fallsburg Festival artisan, Barbara Caddik of the Basket Connection. Cost \$12.00 plus supplies for LAAC members, \$14.00 plus supplies for non-members. Class size is limited, early registration recommended. Call 897-8545.

**THURS., FEB. 25:** The Stated Regular meeting of Hooker Chapter, No. 73 Royal Arch Masons will meet

at 7:30 p.m., at the Lowell Masonic Temple. A light lunch will follow the meeting.

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# Coming Events

world of animals. Evening and weekend training classes begin March 7. Call Amber at 776-2588 for more information and an application.

**THURS., MAR. 17:** Senior Citizen motorcoach trip to Cook Energy Center and lunch at the Patchwork Quilt in Middlebury, Ind. Sponsored by Lowell Community Ed., 897-8434. Reservations by Mar. 1.

**JUNE 23, 24, & 25:** Lowell Showboat is back! Any service organization interested in having a snack or souvenir booth should contact Carol Collins at 897-9355.

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**LAKE TROUT SPEARING STATEWIDE BAN**  
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Jacob A. Hoefler, Chairperson John M. Robertson  
Natural Resources Commission Exec. Assistant

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# "Capitol Column"

By  
State Senator  
Dick Posthumus



We survived the Iron Age and the Bronze Age. Chances are good that, despite the warnings of "future shock" alarmists, we will make it through the Electronic Age.

However, unless we take some drastic steps, the Age of Paper might do us in.

Paper is everywhere—it covers not just our desks and our streets, but our countryside, as well. Most of us don't think about paper once it has been thrown away. But from our wastebaskets, it joins the 12 million tons of solid waste Michigan produces each year, enough to fill the Pontiac Silverdome 388 times. Eighty percent of that waste ends up in landfills, where it remains literally for eons, taking up valuable space and often seeping dangerous toxins into the earth.

Earlier this month, two bills were introduced which could help diminish our waste paper problem and serve as blueprints for dealing with our entire solid waste management crisis. Senate Bills 685 and 686 would set up a program to recycle waste paper from all State of Michigan offices and mandate state use of

recycled paper wherever possible. The hope is that, inspired by the state's example, businesses and private households will be encouraged to participate in similar paper recycling programs.

The bills are timely steps in the right direction toward better management of our solid waste. They could provide the spark we need to set in motion a comprehensive strategy to combat this growing and dangerous problem.

Key elements of such a strategy are already being debated. Legislation is pending, for example, that would impose a \$2-per-ton fee on garbage buried in landfills. The fee would discourage landfill dumping and would help pay off a proposed \$800 million environmental clean-up bond issue. Solid waste incinerators, which turn refuse into energy and are now in operation in many European communities, are another option being looked into by some Michigan communities.

The solid waste management dilemma is reaching crisis proportions—and the time has come to find solutions that do more than just look good on paper.

## Heart jumpers

Mrs. Missy Harrison, P.E. Instructor and Mrs. Diane Stanko, 3rd/4th grade teacher prepare the "oranges" as a nourishing snack for the 62 St. Mary's students who participated in the annual "Jump Rope for the Heart" project held at the school on February 9.

A special thanks to parents who provided the oranges and McDonald's for the orange drink. Everyone had a jumping time with - "heart" felt enthusiasm.

## H.S. artists reap awards

The Lowell High School Art Department is pleased to announce recent success at the West Central Michigan Scholastic Art Show. The show exhibited student work done by students of Ionia, Kent, Montcalm, Muskegon, Newaygo, and Ottawa counties.

The exhibition included 41 "Gold Key" winners (the highest regional award). Of these 41, judges selected 27 "blue ribbon" finalists to be judged for national awards in New York, where they will compete with artwork from schools all over the country.

This year 30 schools entered 900 pieces of artwork to be judged. Lowell finished in the top four with a number of awards. The following students received honors: Blue Ribbon Winners: Mark Eldridge, Kathleen Trowbridge, Theresa Wasciuk. Gold Key Winners: Michelle DeVries, Linda Keim, Kris Ann Knoop, Ted Rittersdorf, two gold keys; Honorable Mention for Excellence: Lori Callihan, Dan Morse, Ted Rittersdorf, (two honorable mentions); Glen Rozich, and Theresa Wasciuk. All of the winners are



Front row: (l to r) Kris Ann Knoop, Mark Eldridge, Michelle DeVries, Lori Callihan. Back row: (l to r) Glen Rozich, Ted Rittersdorf, Don Morse, Linda Keim, Theresa Wasciuk. Missing from picture: Kathleen Trowbridge.

seniors.

Mrs. White feels that this is one of the department's best showings and hopes that with three more shows to enter in 1988 they will continue to win.



## Homespun Devotions

By Pauline Spray

And one of them...turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God, and fell down on his face at his feet, giving him thanks... (Luke 17:15, 16).

One day when Sue was small, she continually whined and fretted until I made her sit down and tell me everything for which she had to be thankful. She found it a bit difficult to begin, but after some persistent prodding, she came up with an impressive list. And it was medicine that cured her of grumbling for a long time. Naming our blessings one by one is an exercise which is bene-

ficial to people of all ages. One has said, "Gratitude is a double-barreled blessing. It blesses the one who gives as well as the one who receives."

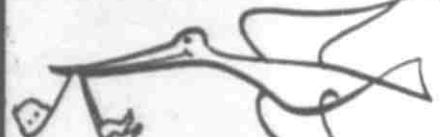
Ten lepers came to Jesus. He healed them all of their loathsome disease. Only one of them took time to thank the Master for what He had done for him. All too often, we Christians are like the nine ungrateful lepers. We are daily recipients of the Lord's many blessings. How often do we take time to thank Him for what He has done for us? Too many times we take our everyday blessings for granted. It doesn't take long nor much effort to say "Thank you, Lord, for what you have done for me."

Prayer: "I will praise thee, O Lord, with my whole heart; I will shew forth all thy marvelous works. I will be glad and rejoice in thee: I will sing praise to thy name, O thou most High."

Accept my humble thanks for all the blessings Thou hast given me, my Lord and my God. Amen

The worship most acceptable to God, comes from a thankful and cheerful heart.

## New arrivals



Nikki Hazel is happy to announce the birth of her sister, Tonielle Tommi-Lee. Toni was born February 4, weighed 7 lbs. 14 1/2 ozs. and was 21 inches long. Her parents are Tom and Shawn Hazel of Lake Odessa. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. MaryAnn Ayres of Lowell, and Russ and Jean Hazel of Lake Odessa. Olivia Ayres of Lowell is Toni's great-grandmother.

Benjamin VanderKooi DenHouter arrived January 12, 1988, weighing 8 lbs. and measuring 21 inches. His proud and pleased parents are Leonard and Kathryn DenHouter of Lowell. He was also welcomed home by his brother, Jonathan, and two sisters, Jennifer and Jessica.

## Lowell Senior High School Fall "Honor Roll" ...

### SENIORS

#### All As

Michele Denman, Ann Hilbrand, Julie Idema, Brian Johnson, Kevin Keech, Nancy Kwant, Kathy McFall, Kenneth Mulder, Tom Nugent, Tracy Thuston, Richard Wingeier, and Tricia Wittenbach.

#### As & Bs

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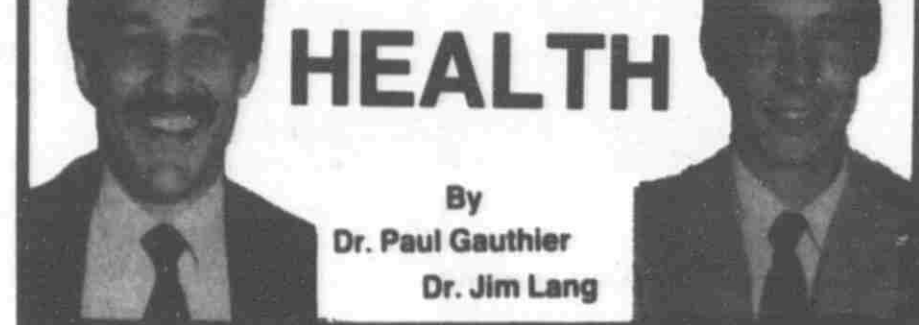
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## HEALTH

By  
Dr. Paul Gauthier  
Dr. Jim Lang

### THE MOST COMMON CANCER IN YOUNG MEN

Cancer of the testis is the most common cancer affecting young white men between the ages of 15 and 35. It is surprising that more young patients aren't familiar with this fact. Very few males examine their testis on a regular basis. In the past 15 years remarkable strides have been made in the treatment of this disease. In today's column we will be reviewing testicular cancer and the importance of self examination.

Testicular cancer is more common among young white males than in any other group and is very rare in blacks. It also appears that testicular cancer is more prevalent among white collar workers than in manual laborers, however there is an increased risk among farmers and agricultural workers.

The most important risk factor for developing the disease is a history of an undescended testicle. This condition is usually diagnosed in infants and should be treated with surgery or other means to bring the undescended testicle into the scrotum by age 2. Testicular cancer usually begins as a painless mass attached to the testis. Occasionally patients will have mild discomfort or heaviness in the affected testicle. Most masses that are found on self examination are benign and consist of small cysts, swelling of veins or infections of the epididymis (a small sac from the top of the testicle that extends down behind it.)

The cure rate for testicular cancer is very high. Early tumors are treated with removal of the affected testicle and chemotherapy. Cure rates in early cancers that have not spread to other organs are approaching 100%! One hindrance to early treatment is the patient's fear of impotence after treatment. However, only one testicle is usually affected and its removal will not alter sexual desire or function.

Examination of both testis should be performed monthly while showering. Hold the scrotum in both hands and visually inspect for size difference or irregular contour. Next, examine each testicle separately using your fingers and thumb. The testicle should be egg-shaped with a common-shaped structure behind the testis which is the epididymis. Report any small lump or enlargement to your physician.

Remember that early diagnosis ensures a greater chance for complete cure. Over 90% of lumps found by self examination are not cancer and require simple observation only. If a biopsy is needed to establish a diagnosis, sexual drive and fertility will not be affected.

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# Lowell hoopsters upset league foe, Wyoming Park

Lowell basketball coach Ken Akers kept telling people that his Red was playing better, but his Red Arrow team was also a couple games under .500, thus he was heard, but nobody listened.

Wyoming Park, up near the top of the O-K White conference all year long, heard loud and clear, after it was handed a thunderous 78-77 upset loss at the hands of Lowell.

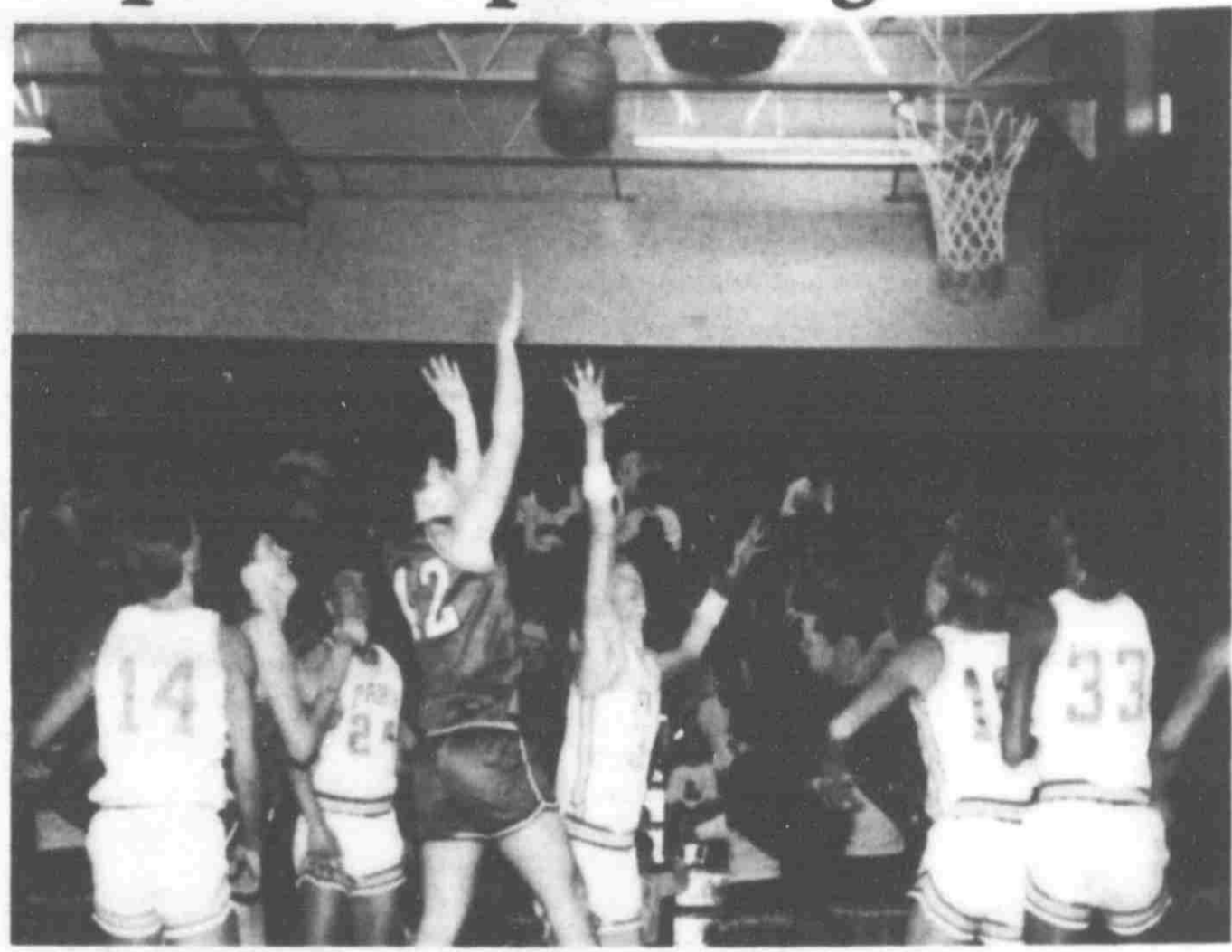
The Red Arrows in their best performance to date hit a 64-percent clip in the first half, building a 45-35 halftime lead.

"We got out to a quick start and jumped on Park early," Lowell coach Akers said. "The crowd really helped. They showed a lot of enthusiasm and played a big role in our performance."

The crowd enthusiasm helped build the Red Arrow confidence as the game progressed.

Lowell which has played well in games only to have 4-5 minute time periods where it has mental and physical collapses, avoided those type of pitfalls against Park.

"We had a total team effort," Akers said. Lowell, which has been averaging right between 20-25 turnovers in many of its games this season, had only 15 against the Vikings. "It was our



Reserve Joel Schrenk puts up a short seven-foot jumper against the Vikings. Schrenk was one of six Arrow players to hit double digits. He scored 10 points in the Red Arrows upset over Park.

best played game of the year."

Akers added, he still believes that beginning with the second half of the Northview game, Lowell has raised its level of play a notch.

The Red Arrows had six players in double figures, two of which came off the bench.

Rob Burritt came off the bench and scored 13 points, while Joel Schrenk added 10.

Other Red Arrows to reach double digits in scoring were Stroosnyder with 18, Phillips scored 16, Byrne added 11 and Nelson chipped in with 10.

Two of Schrenk's 10 points

came at the foul line in the final minute of play. His two foul shots gave Lowell a 74-72 lead.

After a Wyoming Park basket tied the score, Dan Byrne answered with a jumper, giving Lowell a 76-74 lead.

The Red Arrows followed that bucket up with a steal. The Vik-

ings then fouled Paul Stroosnyder with five seconds to play. The senior guard coolly sunk both ends of the one-and-one, expanding the Lowell lead to 78-74.

Play-making guard sensation Eric Taylor closed out Park's scoring with a last second three-point shot.

Lowell shot 53 percent from the floor for the game and out-rebounded Wyoming Park 38-26. "We only had three bad passes the entire game," said an elated Akers. "This club has come a long way both mentally and physically."

Byrne led the way on the boards with 13 caroms, while Jeff Phillips contributed with seven.

Ionia 95, Lowell 78

The Red Arrows held a 49-47 halftime lead over Ionia, and looked as if it may have a chance for an upset on the road.

However, Ionia dashed those hopes, as it used the fourth quarter to spotlight its 6-11, 250-pound junior center, Matt Hof-

kamp. The Bulldog scored 20 points, but many of those came in the final eight minutes. He also grabbed a game-leading 13 rebounds.

As so often is the case, the final score was not indicative of the closeness of the game. Ionia led by four (72-68) with three minutes to play. Then between missed Lowell foul shots and made free throws by the Bulldogs, Ionia built its 17-point winning margin.

Lowell did not score in the final two minutes of the contest. "I was happy with our play for the first three quarters. But, we had more lapses of mental mistake in the fourth quarter," Akers said.

Lowell committed 26 turnovers against the Bulldogs.

Jeff Phillips led the way for Lowell with 18 points. Stroosnyder and Nelson followed with 14 and 13 points respectively.

The Red Arrows, 7-9 overall and 6-5 in the conference, prepare for a home date with conference leading East Grand Rapids on Friday, Feb. 19.



Jeff Phillips sets up for jump shot as teammate Ken Nelson looks on. Phillips tallied 16 points, helping pace the Red Arrows to a victory.

Photo courtesy Matt Howard

# Tough District field at Hudsonville

## Seven Red Arrows qualify for Regionals

All 13 Lowell wrestlers advanced to the individual pre-districts to the Hudsonville districts on Saturday, Feb. 13. Seven of those grapplers then advanced to the regionals, which will be held at East Grand Rapids on Saturday, Feb. 20, starting at 10 a.m.

Aaron Adams (119), Jon Pratt (126), Kyle Gildea (145), Bart Olin (155) and Tom Nugent (167) all came off the mat with firsts

in the pre-districts.

Tony Stepek (98) and Dallas Kirkbride (HWT) recorded seconds, while Brad Whalen (98), Scott Nagy (105), Nate Nauta (112), Todd Nauta (138), and Mark Anderson (185) all tallied third-place finishes.

In the districts held at Hudsonville, of the seven wrestlers that qualified for regionals only Rivers walked away with a firsts.

"I'm sure we were in one of

the strongest districts in the state," Lowell wrestling coach Gary Rivers said. "I figured we'd have five wrestlers move on to regionals. We have seven, that means we wrestled real well."

Rivers added that the grapplers are anxious for the team pre-districts and districts to start. "They're ready."

Nate Nauta surprised the Lowell mentor with an impressive second-place showing in the 112-

pound class.

Earning thirds were Gildea, Olin and Nugent. "Olin performed real well also," Rivers said.

Qualifying with fourths were Anderson and Stepek.

The team districts will be Wednesday, Feb. 17, starting at 5 p.m. at the Lowell High School. Lakewood, Ionia, Portland, Forest Hills Northern and Lowell will all participate.

# Lose to Wyoming Park & Rogers

## Spikers drop two league games

The month of February has not started out very well for the Red Arrow volleyball team.

Lowell was the victim of two O-K White league setbacks before coming up short against Saranac in the Redskins' weekend tournament.

After opening with a 15-10 win in game one, Lowell was upended in the next two games against Rogers 13-15 and 7-15.

Miyuki Iwai had a team-high 11 assists in a losing effort. Lori Esch led the Arrows with 11 kills while Micky Denman recorded 10 digs and Ann Hildenbrand

chalked up two aces.

Lowell then went on the road to do battle with Wyoming Park. However, the Red Arrows fell in straight games, 15-17, 8-15.

Iwai handed in another fine effort as the Arrow notched four kills and five digs.

Julie Idema had a club-leading eight assists. Hildenbrand and Esch followed with four aces, three digs and four kills and three digs respectively.

Lowell won four of its six matches in the Saranac Tournament, unfortunately the second loss came in the championship

contest against Saranac.

In its opening game Lowell defeated Pewamo-Westphalia 15-5, 16-14. In game two the Arrows lost to Webberville 3-15, 8-15.

Following the loss, Lowell strung three victories together against Carson City-Crystal (15-7, 15-2); Bath (15-6, 15-13) and Hastings (15-11, 15-1).

In the title game, Lowell was defeated in two straight games (9-15, 8-15) by Saranac, the tournament host.

Individual team leaders for Lowell included Idema and Iwai with 26 assists; Esch with 22 digs and 28 kills; and Iwai and Hildenbrand with 10 aces.



Lowell's volleyball team took the net against league foes, Rogers and Wyoming Park. Unfortunately the Red Arrow spikers came up on the short end of the score in both contests. Lowell, however, earned a second at the Saranac Tournament.

Photo courtesy Matt Howard



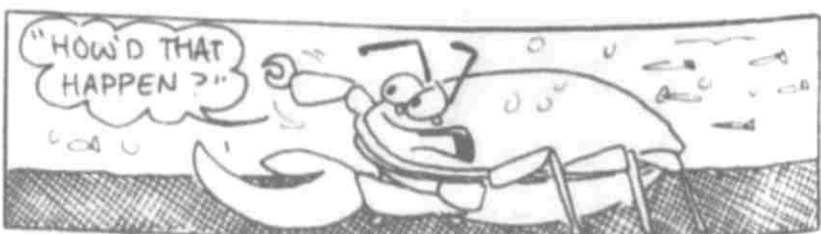
## WRESTLING TEAM DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

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Forest Hills Northern - Ionia - Lakewood - Portland - Lowell  
Winners go on to Middleville  
Feb. 24 at 6 p.m.



Dan Byrne extends himself in an effort to record a tip-in against Wyoming Park. Lowell won the contest 78-77.

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When a fiddler crab's front claw breaks off in a fight, a small claw grows in its place. The other front claw grows to be a big one.

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- (2) Ray Bradbury Theater
- (3) Car 54 Where Are You?
- (4) News
- (5) WKRP in Cincinnati
- (6) Tales from the Darkside
- (7) Friday the 13th
- (8) Futility Towers John Cleese
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STATE OF MICHIGAN ANNUAL TAX SALE IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT

ORDER FOR HEARING No. 87-55830-AA

In the Matter of the Complaint of the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State, for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon.

On reading and filing the complaint of the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, praying for a judgment in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described, for the amount of taxes, interest and charges due on said parcels of land, and that said parcels of land be sold to satisfy the amount of taxes, interest and charges due on each such parcel of land, and that said parcels be sold to satisfy the amount of taxes, interest and charges due on each such parcel of land, and that said parcels be sold to satisfy the amount of taxes, interest and charges due on each such parcel of land.

It is ordered that said complaint will be brought on for hearing and judgment thereon on or before the 15th day of January, 1988, at 10 o'clock a.m. in the Court above mentioned, and that in default thereof the same will be taken as confessed and judgment will be taken thereon as prayed for in said complaint. And it is further ordered that in pursuance of said judgment the lands described in said complaint for which a judgment of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and charges thereon as determined by said judgment on the first day of January, 1988, at 10 o'clock a.m. on said day, or on the day or days subsequent thereto, as may be necessary to complete the sale of said lands and each and every parcel thereof, at the office of the County Treasurer, at or such convenient place as shall be selected by a conveyance of said parcels of the County of Kent State of Michigan; and that the sale thereon and made will be a public sale, and each parcel described in said complaint shall be sold for the public sale, and the total taxes, interest and charges, and the sale shall be made to the person who offers the highest bid for each such parcel, and accepting a conveyance of the smallest unadvised fee simple interest thereon; or, if no person will buy the taxes, interest and charges on any such parcel, then the whole parcel shall be offered and sold, if any parcel of land is sold, the taxes, interest and charges, such parcel shall be passed over for the time being, and shall, on the succeeding day, or before the close of the sale, be offered, and if on the next succeeding day such sale, the same cannot be sold, the amount assessed, the County Treasurer shall do of the same in the name of the State.

Witness the Hon. Stuart Hoffus, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Kent County, 15th day of January, A.D. 1988.

Courtesigned: Betty J. Kauriel, Deputy Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT

In the Matter of the Complaint of the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State, for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon.

That he is the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, and that he is the complainant under the provisions of Act No. 206 of the Public Acts of 1983, as amended, and Act No. 2 of 1984, as amended, and that he is the complainant under the provisions of Act No. 2 of 1984, as amended, and that he is the complainant under the provisions of Act No. 2 of 1984, as amended.

That Schedule A annexed hereto is the tax record required by the act first above mentioned, and contains the names of all lands in the aforesaid county upon which taxes, which were assessed for the years mentioned therein, have remained unpaid for more than one year after they were returned as delinquent.

That extended separately in said schedule annexed, are the names of all lands in the aforesaid county upon which taxes, which were assessed for the years mentioned therein, have remained unpaid for more than one year after they were returned as delinquent.

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SUNDAY CONT.

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Continuation of articles and news snippets from the previous page, including 'Cavalade a stage actress works her way to film stardom in Tinseltown'.

MONDAY

Monday schedule for February 22, 1988, listing various TV programs and their start times, such as 'Speedway America Series', 'Sports Review', and 'Getting Fit with Denise Austin'.

NEW WORDS AT RANDOM

By Frances Hanson, Edited by Will Weng. In celebration of the new The Random House Dictionary of the English Language: Second Edition—Unabridged, with over 315,000 entries, the first new one-volume unabridged dictionary since 1966, you might like to try this puzzle.

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words. Clues include '75. Tartan group', '1. Lost in thought', '77. Interviewee close-up, in TV slang', etc.

Answers to the crossword puzzle. Includes words like 'Tartan', 'Lost', 'Interviewee', 'Community', 'Gripes', 'Traps', 'Praying', 'Ujah', 'Widow's', 'Cio-Cio-San's', 'Neighbor's', 'Get along', 'Grandfather', 'Diego Rivera', 'The Bible', 'Caesar's', 'Incentive', 'Princess Di's', 'Suburban', 'Come about', 'Belief', 'Dorm buddy', 'Yeared', 'de', 'plume', 'Like', 'Juniper', 'Pin', 'Asian holiday', 'Lively DNA', 'Ship's bow', 'Fruit', 'Casus', 'An event', 'Drank dantly', 'Spent', 'Gatesque', 'Social outcast', 'Filmmaker's', 'Snead's', 'Pizarro's', 'Coty or Descartes'.

Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words. Clues include '3. Chicago pro', '4. Desire', '5. Role for Buddy', etc.

Answers to the crossword puzzle. Includes words like 'Chicago pro', 'Desire', 'Role for Buddy', 'Acress Thomas', 'The Sultan of Swat', 'Homerun king Aaron', 'Comedian Hill's monogram', 'The 4077th was one', 'Actress Vigoda', 'Word with neither', 'Pacino and Michaels', 'Comedian Korman's monogram', 'Type of hold', 'Singer Don', 'The World Turns', 'Plays Van Owen', 'Oliver's partner', 'In the Family'.

Advertisement for WITTENBACH transmission service. Features the text 'TRANSMISSION SERVICE SPECIAL!', 'Remove Pan', 'Inspection of Transmission', 'New Transmission Filter', 'Replace Transmission Fluid', 'Replace Gasket \$35.95', and 'Most GM'.











# Thompsons operate "Germaines" as family business



said. "I renamed the bar 'Germaines' after my wife. We didn't want bar, tavern or restaurant tagged onto the end of it."

Thompson, who 10 years prior to purchasing Germaines was a Standard Oil agent, left the oil industry in 1982 because of the keen competition and lack of profit.

"The big kept getting bigger and the little kept selling out," Thompson said.

Following a knee operation and a trip to Europe, boredom got so bad, that between spending time at Germaines's, formerly Pinckney's, golf, and doing odd jobs like raking his son's yard, Thompson was ready for a change.

"Finally, my wife, of 32 years (Ha! Ha! I gotcha Ya Barb), said that if I was going to spend so much time at my friend's bar, why not buy it," Thompson said. "The timing was right. My friend was looking to get out. So with the support of my wife, I bought it."

Thompson stressed that he wanted it to be a family venture. Six years later, Germaine's probably involves more of Thompson's family than he ever imagined.

Germaine cooks, Doug, the youngest son, cooks and bartends; his two daughters Kay and Beth wait tables and do dishes; his mother, Kathleen, makes biscuits and does dishes.

Thompson has two other sons, Randy, who runs a foster care home in Lake Odessa, and Mike, who is a Miller's Beer distributor. Yes, dad does buy beer from him.

"It's been a challenge," Thompson said "It just doesn't happen, you must make it happen."

He adds, "At the time of the purchase, someone said 'I wouldn't last a year. I took it as a challenge and six years later I'm still going strong.'"

Add friendliness, good food and reasonable prices to the satisfaction of meeting a challenge and one begins to understand why patrons from Grand Rapids, Lowell and other surrounding towns enjoy eating breakfast, lunch and or dinner at Germaine's.

"For the people out there who haven't tried Germaine's, I say, please do," Thompson said. "If you're not satisfied, tell us and not your neighbors."

Germaine's has been serving its patrons quality food for the past 6-1/2 years. Jim Thompson with the help of his family attracts business from Saranac and surrounding cities. Above, from l to r, Germaine Thompson, Doug Thompson, Kathleen Thompson and Jim Thompson take an afternoon breather before preparing for Germaine's dinner crowd.

From scrambled eggs to prime rib, from a bar with food to a restaurant with liquor, from Pinckney's to Germaine's, Jim Thompson has made all the right moves in six short years as the owner of the small Saranac eating establishment.

"We've (Thompson and his wife, Germaine) gone from a small Ma and Pa Bar to something much bigger," Thompson

## Saranac H.S. Honor Roll

- 12th All As**  
Anne MacFarlane, Jeff Wingard.
- All As & Bs**  
Beckie Benz, Roni Chadwick, Clint Clemens, Chris Gage, Keith Grant, Ron Hale, Penny Leslie, Stacie Longwell, Joy Potter, Kurt Sage, Kathy Scheid, Terry Simmons, April Wheelock.
- All As, Bs, & 1C**  
Shawn Barcelow, Ginger Biggs, Missy Bodell, Jammi Boggs, Lara Coombs, Michelle Hoopman, John Mileski, Kurt Myers.
- 11th All As**  
Ken Davenport, Tiffany Freeman, Alan Pennington, and Brian Powell.
- As & Bs**  
Nancy Bignall, Stacy DuPont, Bruce Hopkins, Stacie Nead, Kyle Thompson, and Abigail Tucker.
- All As, Bs, & 1C**  
Teresa Cox, Kurt Mickelson, Sarah Tiejema, and Becky VanVleck.
- 10th All As**  
Cindy Cahoon, Tom Chadwick, Erika Hagen, Cara Jackson, Beth Walker.
- All As & Bs**  
Dan Brown, Steve Chadwick, Lisa Frank, Steve Hale, Wendy Harley, Colleen Klunder, Lisa Larsen, Heather McCarty, Amy Renwick, Marci Weeks.
- All As, Bs & 1C**  
Kelly Benjamin, Missy Cardinel, Jason Livingston, Jim Lowden, Roger Meyers, Lisa Neumann, Gretchen Parker, Beth Thompson, Jana Weeks.
- 9th All As**  
Michelle Barcelow, Tracy Decker, Jennifer Jurmo, Karen Keskey, Heather Smits, Keisha Westbrook.
- All As & Bs**  
Lucy Asbury, Brent Bowen, Eric Denny, Jon Hendrick, Elissa Hoopman, Lisa Ida, Tadd Kimble, Kurt Lardie, Mike Larson, Becky Meyers, Wendy Miles, Micah Rutz, Tim Sitzer, Crystal Teaker, Tracy Wiczorek.
- All As, Bs, & 1C**  
Pam Coombs, Jennie Goff, Laurie Harder, Tom Melle, Teresa Overbeck, Bob Perry, Brian Stull, Doug Woern.

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## Michigan driver's license fees are up, effective February 16

Effective February 16, 1988 any motorist whose license expires on or after April 5, 1988 will be required to pay \$12 to renew their driver license, \$20 to renew a chauffeur license. Persons applying for an original driver license or an original chauffeur license on or after February 16 will also be required to pay \$12 and \$20 respectively.

Effective February 16 the Secretary of State's Office will begin charging for each road test it administers for an original license. The fee will be \$11 for a driver license, \$25 for a chauffeur license or classified endorsement.

Beginning April 5 replacement licenses will be issued for \$4 if they are reported lost or stolen within 120 days of being renewed. Motorists whose driver license must be replaced after 120 days will be subject to the \$12 renewal fee.

The price of all vehicle registrations that expire on or after April 5 will increase by \$5 effective February 16. The fee increase will also apply to the renewal of expired license plates, historic plates, the government X plate and the non-profit organization Y plate.

Original trailer coach registrations, which include campers, also increases from 54 to 76 cents per hundred pounds on February 16. The new price applies to renewals which expire on or after April 5.

All title-related fee increases take effect April 5. Among the new fees will be \$10 for a title, \$8 for a title transfer, and \$15 for a 15-day late title.

A motorist whose driver license has been restricted, suspended or revoked is advised that the price of reinstatement fees will increase on April 5 regardless of when the action against the license was taken.

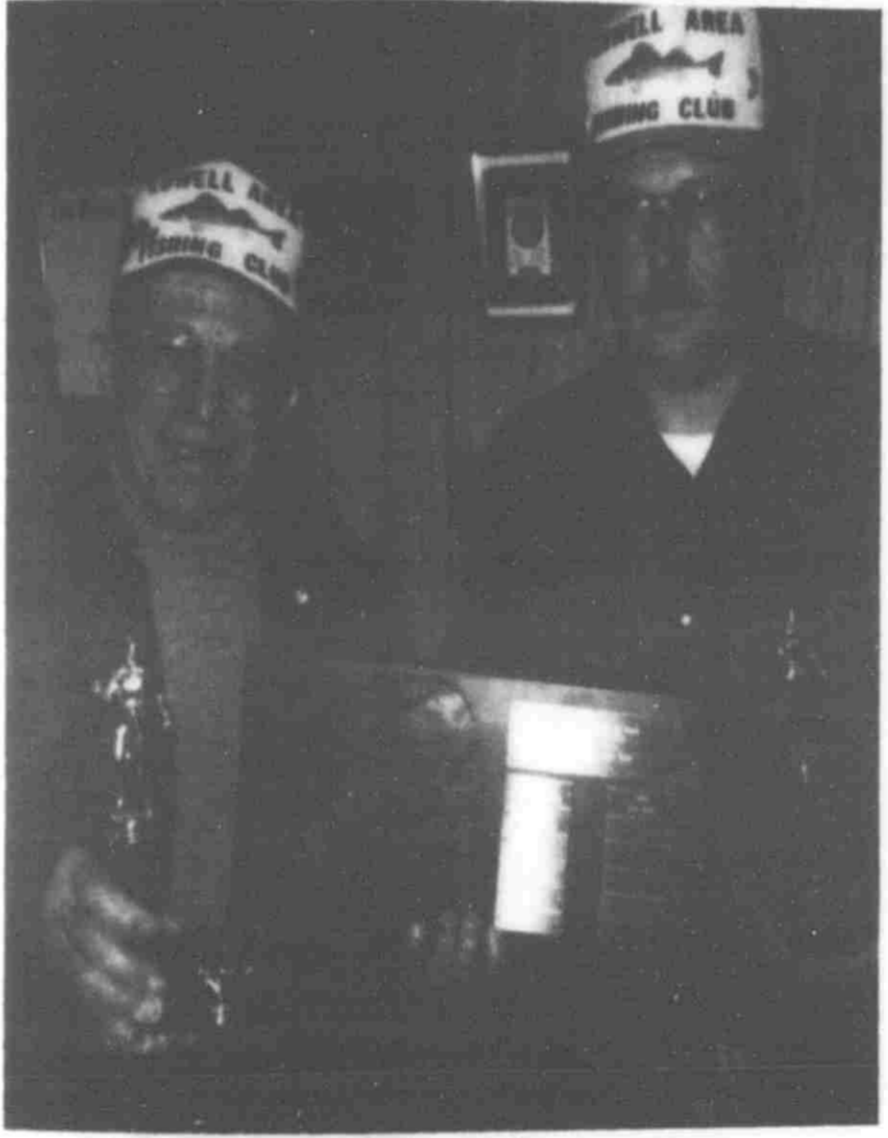
The price of reinstating a license suspended, revoked or restricted by the Secretary of State based on driving performance will increase from \$25 to \$60. These fees are paid when the driver license is reinstated.



Matt Newhouse and Ken Mulder were named as finalists in the 1988 National Merit Scholarship Program. Far left, Gordon Gould, Director of Student Services presents Newhouse with his certificate, while Dick Korb, Lowell High School Principal, far right, hands Mulder his certificate.

## Fishing Club winners

Recently the Lowell Area Fishing Club awarded 1st and 2nd place trophies to members Fred DeBakey and Len Hamp, respectively. DeBakey and Hamp were the Top Point Champions for the 1987 tournament season.



Fred DeBakey (left) and Len Hamp (right) proudly display their trophies won as Top Point Champions for 1987.

## Merit Finalist awards

Lowell High School seniors Ken Mulder and Matthew Newhouse were named as finalists in the 1988 National Merit Scholarship Program, a distinction that places the Red Arrow students in a select group representing fewer than a half of one percent of American High School seniors.

Their names were two of some 15,000 semifinalists in the 1988 merit scholarship competition.

Both seniors qualified as semi-finalists with high scores on the PSAT test. There high SAT scores then supported the PSAT results, and based on these results, they were named to the list of finalists.

"I am very proud for the school and especially for Mulder and Newhouse," Lowell High School Principal Dick Korb said. "There are only 10-15 students in the area that were named, and its quite an honor for two students from the same high school to be named."

The merit program, which receives neither federal nor state funding, is privately financed by grants from over 600 independent sponsors who share the goals of the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC).

In 1988, NMSC will be able to provide awards for only about 44 percent of the finalists, each of whom must use the merit scholarship for full-time attendance at a college or university in the United States with a regional accrediting commission on higher education.

Of the 13,500 qualified finalists, approximately 6,000 merit scholars will be selected. They will be considered for one of 1,800 National Merit \$2,000 Scholarships.

Mulder, 18, is the son of Allen and Ann Mulder. The senior, who will pursue chemistry after graduation is a member of the Lowell High School Band, the tennis team, the National Honor Society, a community education cultural cooking instructor, a Junior Rotarian, and was a member of the Fiesta Bowl Band in Tempe, Arizona.

Newhouse is the 18-year old son of Mark and Betty Newhouse. The senior plans on enrolling in the biology curriculum at Kalamazoo College, where he has received a \$3,000 honors scholarship.

He is a member of the National Honor Society, the yearbook staff, the youth group at the local Methodist Church, a Junior Rotarian, and was a participant in the Science Olympiad.

## VERGENNES TOWNSHIP NOTICE

**BOARD OF REVIEW**

The Board of Review of Vergennes Township will meet at the Vergennes Township Office, corner of Bailey Drive and Parnell Avenue on:

**MONDAY, MARCH 14**  
between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. and

**TUESDAY, MARCH 15**  
between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 12 noon, and from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing the tax roll and hearing all claims. You may appeal your assessed valuation one of two ways:

1. By letter addressed to the Vergennes Township Supervisor and received by him prior to March 16, 1988; or
2. Appearing in person on one of the dates the Board of Review meets.

The tentative Real Property assessment and assessment multiplier required by P.A. 165 of 1971 are:

Ratio - 50%	Multiplier - 1.00
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James B. Cook  
Vergennes Township Supervisor

C14-16-17

## CITY OF LOWELL NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF REVIEW

The Lowell City Board of Review will meet to receive and review the various Assessment Rolls for 1988 at City Hall on:

**TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 1988**  
AT 9:00 A.M.

A second meeting, for the purpose of hearing appeals, and a continuation thereof, will be held at City Hall on:

**MONDAY, MARCH 14 and TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1988**

At the following hours on both days:

9:00 A.M. - 12 NOON, and 1:30 to 5:00 PM

As well as the following:

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16**  
from 5:00 to 7:00 PM

Appeals may be made by letter or on forms available at City Hall. Letters and/or forms must be submitted not later than March 11. A personal appearance is not required.

The following ratios and multipliers are expected for Real and Personal Property assessments:

Commercial Property	50.00%	1.0000
Industrial Property	50.00%	1.0000
Residential Property	50.00%	1.0000
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# National Children's Dental Health Month observed



Dr. Todd Gillan's office uses February, National Children's Dental Health Month, as an opportunity to educate youngsters on the importance of taking care of their teeth. Above, front (l to r), Jackie Bander, hygienist; Chris Boies, receptionist; Judy Hardy, dental assistant; Stephanie Lenox, dental assistant, back (l to r), Joanne Gillan, public relations; Dr. Todd Gillan; and Barb Van Popering, dental assistant. Absent from the picture is Sarah Kenyon, business manager.

The month of February brings us many things. Valentine's Day, Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays, Ash Wednesday, and yes, it's National Children's Dental Health Month.

Dr. Todd Gillan, Lowell dentist, uses this time and has members of his staff speak at various schools to students (Alto, St. Mary's, Belding...) on brushing

care, and what foods cause decay." Gillan continues, "Parents are bringing their children in on a regular basis for checkups. Also,

## Krause at the House



**Vic Krause**  
19th District  
State Representative

Michigan's unemployment rose to 10.2 percent in January, the greatest level since September 1985, the Michigan Employment Security Commission reported last week. It was the highest jobless rate among the nation's 11 largest states, exceeding even Texas, which had the second worst rate at 8 percent.

The national rate was unchanged at 5.8 percent.

Michigan's high joblessness was blamed on the closings of four General Motors plants, layoffs in other auto plants and job losses in other areas, including retail trade, construction and local education.

children are just taking better care of their teeth." Other keys to better teeth include fluoride, sealants, better dentists, and education.

"People now realize that prevention (regular checkups, brushing and flossing) help avoid major dental problems," Gillan said.

Gillan, who grew up in Montague, earned a bachelors in science at Ferris State and became a registered pharmacist. He then attended the University of Michigan where he received his dental degree.

"I think the anxiety and fear that children once had of dentists, has subsided. It's not there like it used to be," Gillan said. "Better dentists, better techniques, a better chairside manner are responsible for this change."

He adds that he has children who actually enjoy coming to his office.

Gillan's office hopes to start a pre-natal class for mothers that are expecting and for mothers that have just delivered. This class will help educate them on caring for their child's teeth.

"There's talk of making February, National Dental Healthcare month," Gillan said. "This way we are targeting everyone and not just the children."

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

### LOWELL AREA ARTS COUNCIL PLAY "THE IMPOSSIBLE YEARS" TO START SOON

Tickets went on sale Feb. 1 for this year's family comedy about a modern day couple and their two teenage daughters along with the trouble that follows. Performances are Thursday, Friday, and Saturday for two weeks, Feb. 18-20, and Feb. 25-27. Thursday night tickets are available at the door for \$3.00, \$2.00 for children and senior citizens. Reservations for \$5.00 table seating on Friday and Saturday can be made by calling Corrie Durkee at 897-6916. Blocks of 20 or more tickets can be purchased for \$4.50 each. Reserve your seat soon.

### UNITED METHODIST PRESCHOOL TO SPONSOR PARENTS NIGHT

Have you ever wondered how to handle children when they misbehave—or talk back—or refuse to obey the rules? If you have or if you are interested in other aspects of child raising, you'll be interested in a Parents' Night, sponsored by the United Methodist Preschool on Thursday, February 18, at 7:00 p.m.

You are cordially invited to the United Methodist Education Building at 621 East Main St., Lowell, to hear John Schmidt from Children's Village in Detroit lead a discussion on "Children and Discipline."

Babysitting will be provided and refreshments will be served. There is no charge for the event.

### LOWELL SHOWBOAT IS BACK

Lowell Showboat dates for this year are Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 23, 24, and 25. Any service organization interested in having a snack or souvenir booth should contact Carol Collins at 897-9355.

### ATHLETIC BOOSTERS CLUB 50'S DANCE

Mark March 5th on your calendars for a fun filled night out with your friends. Cruise to Shady Acres on Bailey Road at 7 p.m. for the buffet, then be prepared to enjoy dancing, games and prizes. Tickets are \$8.00 and can be obtained from Denise at 897-9678; Barb at 868-6945 or The Lowell Sport Shoppe.

### OFF THE BLOTTER

Injured in an accident Tues., Feb. 9 on West Main near Valley Vista Dr. were Joyce Miller, 57, of Ionia when the car she was driving struck the rear of a car driven by Viola Meeds, 75, of Lowell. Meeds received minor injuries.

Lori Wymer, 23, of Ionia sustained injuries Tues., Feb. 9 when she struck the rear of a car driven by Alyce Lawrence, 40 of Lowell on West Main near Ridgeview Dr.

Gabriele Crosby, 29, of Belding failed to yield right of way while exiting a private drive Feb. 10 and drove into the path of a car driven by Daniel Sherwood, 18 of Lowell on Main near West St. No injuries were reported.

Christine Crace, 18, of Lowell drove left of center and caused a property damage accident on Valley Vista Dr. near Deborah St. by striking a car driven by William Godwin, 42, also of Lowell Thurs., Feb. 11.

No injuries were reported in an accident Feb. 9 when a car driven by David Caldwell, 59, of Lowell pulled onto the roadway on Ottawa St. near Hudson and struck a car driven by Manard Dustin, 77, of Ludlow.

Arrested and jailed on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol Wed., Feb. 10 was Ricky Sorensen, 30, of Lowell after was involved in a hit & run property damage accident on M-21 and Center St. The driver of the second vehicle was Colleen Thompson, 37, of Ionia.

Involved in a property damage accident Feb. 11 on West Main near Pleasant St. were Ann Hildenbrand, 17, when the car she was driving was struck from behind by a vehicle driven by Walter Price, 17, of Lowell.

Arrested by Lowell officers Feb. 10 on a criminal bench warrant issued out of Kentwood District Court was Lawrence Johnson.

A 16 year old juvenile was uninjured when she lost control of the car she was driving and struck a sign on M-21 at the west city limits Thurs. afternoon Feb. 11.

Arrested and taken to the Kent County Jail for driving under the influence of alcohol Sat. evening Feb. 13 was Roger Crout, 33, of Lowell.

Blair Armstrong, 36, of Lowell, slid on icy roads on Grindle Dr. near James St. and struck a vehicle owned by James Thompson of Lowell, who slid into the ditch earlier on Sunday afternoon Feb. 14. No injuries were reported.

## Legal Notices



STATE OF MICHIGAN CIRCUIT COURT COUNTY OF KENT ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER  
File No.: 88-62599-DM

STATE OF MICHIGAN CIRCUIT COURT COUNTY OF KENT ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER  
File No.: 88-62595-DM

KIM MARIE BLUMBERG, Plaintiff, vs. JEFFERY LEE BLUMBERG, Defendant.

ANN MARIE MILLER, Plaintiff, vs. GERALD WAYNE MILLER JR., Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, Grand Rapids, Michigan on this 20th day of January, 1988.

PRESENT: The Honorable GEORGE V. BOUCHER, Circuit Court Judge.

On the 15th day of January, 1988, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against you the above named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was 831 Fremont, N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504 shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 15th day of April, 1988.

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

GEORGE V. BOUCHER  
Circuit Court Judge

Examined, Countersigned and Entered:  
Dorothy DeWitt, Deputy Clerk

Gerald V. Malling P28374  
Box 5  
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616-754-9313

In 1967, Carl Yaztremski won the batting title in the American League with a .301 batting average.

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The House Republican Task Force to Improve Michigan's Competitiveness was organized for this purpose.

After holding a series of statewide hearings, and listening to Michigan employers consistently testify that the high cost of doing business in Michigan is driving them away, the Task Force made many significant recommendations to help employers, employees and Michigan as a whole. They include lowering the costs of health care, unemployment compensation, workers compensation and product liability, all of which compare unfavorably with other states.

Many knowledgeable voices are predicting a national recession before the end of the decade. We must act now to protect jobs in our state and provide Michigan with some comprehensive, fair, business reform if we are going to become and remain economically competitive through what could be hard times ahead.

Examined, Countersigned and Entered:  
Donna Sanford, Deputy Clerk

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### TUESDAY

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### WEDNESDAY

Oven baked chicken or sliced ham, mashed potatoes or rice and gravy, buttered green beans or corn, Hill-billy rolls or bread and p/nut butter, jello w/whip or fruit, milk.

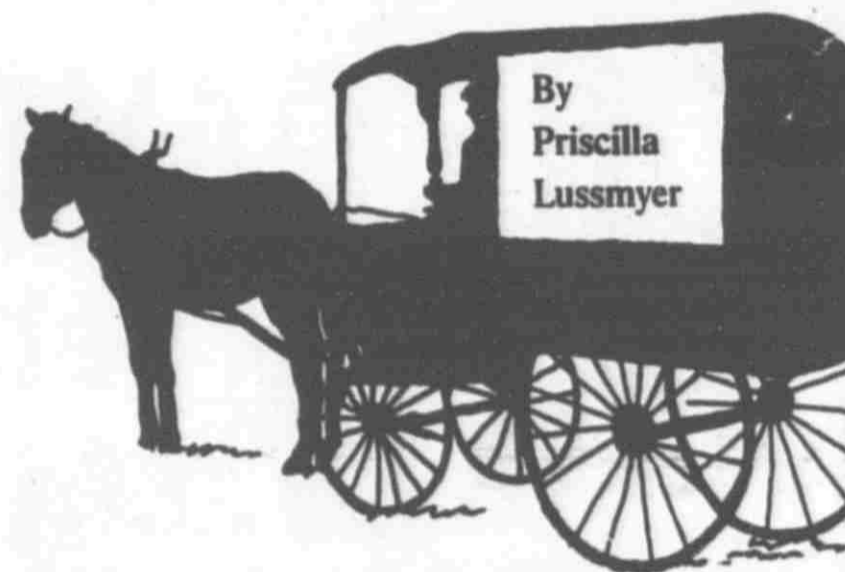
### THURSDAY

Tacos w/meat, cheese and lettuce, cornbread w/honey, salad or vegetable, choice of fresh or canned fruit, milk.

### FRIDAY

Assorted sandwiches or fishwiches, tossed salad w/dressing, vegetable soup w/crackers or vegetable, chilled fruits or jello, milk.

Price of lunches to students includes milk. Elementary 85¢, Middle and Senior High 90¢.



## Ledger Entries... of 75, 50 and 25 Years Ago

**100 YEARS AGO IN THE JOURNAL - FEBRUARY 17, 1988**  
The Lowell & Hastings Railway has added two "elegant new coaches" and a combination mail, express and smoker car.

Reeds Lake will have 5 steamers operating this summer, plus a toboggan on rollers, which will shoot eager bathers 120 ft. down a slide into the lake.

The Old Reliable Johnson Store on the east side, S.D. Goss, Proprietor, will give away a sewing machine and a Sewell Body Cutter in addition to reduced prices on groceries.

Logan Laconics column, written by Bridget, reports much illness; lung fever, diphtheria, Typhoid-malarial fever and sore throats.

**75 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - FEBRUARY 20, 1913**  
President D.G. Look announces committees for Lowell Board of Trade: New Industries, Sports and Special Days, Market, Village Improvement and Conventions. Everybody is on a committee of 25 or 26 members.

A Citizen's Caucus is scheduled at City Hall for qualified electors to nominate village officers.

Big argument in Ada between the school board, which wants to continue the two-year old high school, and the electorate, which wants to go back to ten grades because of the expense.

Woodrow Wilson will resign as governor of New Jersey March 1 and take on the presidency on March 4.

**50 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - FEBRUARY 17, 1938**  
Almost 3 inches of rain in 10 1/2 hours puts the Grand River a foot over flood stage. Main St. at the railroad crossing is awash for 3 blocks, and numerous basements fill up.

Area bean growers are urged by C.H. Runciman to seek federal aid for their distressed farmers. The government purchases commodities for welfare, helping growers too.

Seventh graders of the Lowell, Bowne and Cascade districts tour the Ionia Reformatory.

Basketball scores: Lowell 34, East 24; Lowell 23, G.R.Christian 25. Names mentioned: Fonger, Kyser, Stauffer, Phelps, Coach Avery.

**25 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - FEBRUARY 21, 1963**  
City Council looks for a new fire siren. Firemen often can't hear the old one.

Trude Schlemitzauer goes to New York City to appear on the T.V. show, "To Tell The Truth".

Federal government waste is a topic on page 2, specifically, selling expensive equipment for cents on the dollar.

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# School Board is seeking new strategic plan for future

Many schools talk about planning, but few are able to put it into successful practice. The Lowell Board of Education's call for strategic planning committees composed of citizens and staff is this district's endeavor to bring planning and practice together.

"Developing a plan of action to respond to changes within the school-community will minimize the degree to which residents, taxpayers, and school employees are caught by surprise due to changes in the community environment," Lowell Superin-

tendent Fritz Esch said. Lowell Area Schools (and American education in general) is rapidly moving through changes brought on by demographic shifts in populations, State and Federal legislation mandating more programs at local taxpayers expense, and economic limitations of resources which affect the entire school district organization.

Recognizing the forces that are affecting the school district, three assumptions can be made about the district's future.

According to Esch they are:

today's answers will not work to resolve future problems; future problems will be difficult to predict; and the rate of change in the years ahead will be faster than ever before.

Therefore, the Lowell Board has asked its strategic planning committees to produce a long range plan for school improvement by charting the future issues which will affect the district.

The project which has been organized into six sub-committees to analyze the scope of school improvement from a particular

point of view.

Each sub-committee has a chairperson, a board member, a member of the administration, a teacher, and community members.

Since October of 1987, the following subcommittees have been meeting on a regular basis to identify the issues in their assigned area.

A list of the sub committees and their chairperson follows: Technology, Barry Breckon; Facilities, Charles Kohler; Staffing and Staff Development, Dan Vollink; Community Ser-

vices, Peggy Idema; Instructional Programs and Related Services, Mary Yost; Administrative Services, Dave Douma.

These chairpersons and subcommittees meet monthly with Ray Quada, chairman of the strategic planning committee, to review common problems and direction.

Once subcommittee reports are written and submitted, the strategic planning committee will begin its task of organizing and prioritizing the items into a single document scheduled for presentation to the board on Dec.

12.

Any citizen or staff wishing to share an opinion may do so by calling or writing to one of the chairpersons.

"We welcome and urge people to share their thoughts," Esch said. "We don't want this to be a project where community members feel they've been kept in the dark. We want them to help us with the direction and goals of the school's future."

Letters may be submitted to the chairperson at Lowell Area Schools, 12685 Foreman Rd., Lowell, MI 49331.

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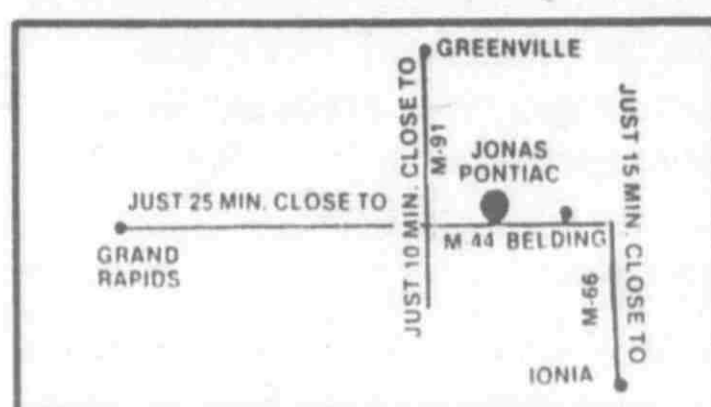
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## Fire, continued.



Cleanup of the fire at T & D Truck and Auto began Tuesday morning, after a fire around 12:35 a.m. caused approximately \$15,000.

## LAAC Play, cont'd.

ased at the door. They are \$3 with a special price of \$2 for senior citizens and students. Tickets for Friday and Saturday nights must be reserved. They are \$5 each and can be reserved by calling Corrie Durkee at home (897-6916) or stopping in to see her weekday afternoons at Lowell Vision Center, 1002 D W. Main (Crystal Flash Plaza). All productions begin at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be sold Fridays and Saturdays.

The LAAC, which is partially supported by a grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts, earns a portion of its budget through the annual winter play. Other sources of income besides the grant and the play are the Fallasburg Fall Festival and a yearly fund drive. Services offered the community include a

gallery at the LAAC Center, 149 S. Hudson; various programs and classes at the center; grants to area schools for assemblies or artists-in-residence; grants to area teachers for the use of the arts to enhance classroom instruction; scholarships to local youth for summer camps for arts and crafts experiences; administration of the Louise Harper Memorial Scholarship Fund for a stipend for higher education in the arts; and opportunities for area artists to sell their products.

For further information on programs, gallery, classes, scholarships, or the fund drive, contact the LAAC Center between noon and 5 p.m. weekdays at 897-8545. The gallery is also open on weekends between 1:30 and 4:30.

## Lowell FFA wins all District Leadership contests

The Lowell FFA Chapter participated in the District Leadership Contests at Cedar Springs High School on February 11, 1988. For the first time in the history of the chapter, Lowell placed first in all eight of the contests.

The 35 members who participated in the contests will now advance to the Regional Contests at Hastings High School on February 25, 1988.

Lowell FFA members participating in the Regional Contests are: Jennifer Cook (Greenhand Public Speaking); Stacy Beute, (Public Speaking); Jamie Cook, (Job Interview); Tom Nugent, (Extemporaneous Public Speaking); Sue Rittersdorf, Jenny Afton, Bob Dine,

Matt Howard, Jon Kinsey, Ryan Brandt, Becky Parcher, and Kelleigh Kinsey, (Parliamentary Procedure); Todd Noskey, Jon Grieser, Marc Jaarsma, Chris Kenney, Jason Jones, Jared Blough, Steve Barnhart, (Agricultural Forum); Heather Pekkham, Jody Smith, Chris Wieland, and alternates--Joe Grieser, Jenny Elliott, April Albrecht, (Demonstration); Scott Fisk, Earl King, Nancy Wingeier, Nicki Kline, Dan King, Thomas Mauric, Mike Lindhout, David Hovey, and Tracy Little, (Greenhand Conduct of Meetings.)

Other schools participating in the contests were: Ionia, Saranac, Belding, Coopersville, St. Johns, and Cedar Springs.



When you have forgotten to take the butter out of the refrigerator for a recipe, shred it like a carrot. The pieces will be soft enough to use.