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Along Main Street

ATHLETIC BOOSTERS WILL MEET JUNE 5

The June Athletic Boosters Club meeting will be held on Monday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the K-Quad at the High School. There will no meeting in July.

ON VIEW AT THE CENTER

The Lowell Area Arts Council Gallery will feature the work of Middle and High School students of the Lowell Area Schools. The exhibit opens Thursday, June 1 and runs through Friday, June 9.

A reception will be held at the Center Tuesday, June 6 from 7 to 9 p.m. The community is invited to attend.

Gallery hours are Monday through Friday, 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.

"HARRY AND FRIENDS" RESERVATIONS

Reservations time is here for the "Harry and Friends" brunch at Lowell Area Arts Council Center to be held on Sunday, June 11 in conjunction with a special reception for the artists.

A delicious summer fare menu will be served. Tickets are \$10 per person, by reservation only.

Two seatings are offered at 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Phone the Center at 897-8545 Monday through Friday, 1 to 5 p.m. Deadline for tickets is June 9.

BAKE SALE, SATURDAY, JUNE 3

A Bake Sale will be held Saturday, June 3 at Food City from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

All funds raised will go to the Mike and Marie Doyle Fund.

WOMAN'S CLUB AWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS

Lowell GFWC Woman's Club has come through again with three scholarships for local senior girls.

Winners, selected by the club, with the assistance of Barb Pierce, High School Counselor, are: Traci Breimayer, Rachel Cattanaach, Stacey Schwamberger.

The winner of the Ellura McPherson scholarship, presented by the Lowell Club, is Tammie Knottnerus.

LMS DRAMA CLASS PRESENTS "KRAZY KAMP"

The Lowell Middle School Eighth Grade Drama Class will present the comedy, "Krazy Kamp", Monday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the Middle School Cafetorium.

The public is invited to this performance and admission is free.

BE A PART OF HISTORY

Someday your grandchildren could say, "My grandparents (or parents, etc.) named this park," if your entry is chosen as the name of Lowell's new City Park.

What, you haven't entered a name for the "Name The Park Contest?" Well, the clock is ticking away and soon the last day of the contest will be here, June 1, 1989.

Contest entry forms are in the Buyer's Guide and the Lowell Ledger. Information on contest details and a park concept plan for viewing are available at City Hall during regular business hours. Call 897-8457 today.

H.O.O.P. APPLICATIONS STILL AVAILABLE

Just a reminder! H.O.O.P. applications are still available for the event taking place June 16, 17 & 18.

Applications may be found inside this issue of the Ledger. Hurry, fill out yours and return it now!

LOWELL ARTS COUNCIL OFFERS WORLD TOUR!

Why have a boring summer vacation? Take a trip around the world and have yourself a World of Fun!! Get your passport and visit five countries in five days.

World tour begins Monday, June 19 and concludes on Friday, June 23. Flights depart at 9:30 a.m. and return at noon each day.

Tickets are \$5 for each flight or \$20 if booked for the entire world tour. (Discounts if more than one in family). Tour guides

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Lowell/Marshall exchange Mayors

Showboat City greets City of Hospitality

When are the City of Marshall's problems, ideas and concerns discussed in Lowell?

When are Lowell's problems, ideas and concerns discussed in Marshall?

The answer is - On Mayor Exchange Day.

Each year in conjunction with "Michigan Week," Michigan communities throughout the state exchange Mayors. This year Lowell and Marshall exchanged Mayors.

The day provides an opportunity for cities to spend time discussing common concerns — pertaining to the cities' interaction.

The Mayor Exchange Day in Lowell started with a police escort for the visiting Marshall officials and a welcome gathering at city hall. Officials were then given a tour of city hall, the police station, fire station, rescue units, cable TV and the Showboat.

Other tours throughout the day included Lowell Light and Power, Water Treatment Plant, Wastewater treatment plant, Department of Public Works and Fire Station (number two). After lunch stops were made at Superior Furniture, parks, cemeteries, airport, schools, Flat River Antique Mall and the Lowell Area Arts Council. The day concluded with dinner at Deer Run Golf Club.

"It's always good to talk and exchange ideas with other city officials about mutual problems," Lowell City Manager David Pasquale said.

Marshall, population 7,200, has much of its original structure still in place. "We may be the most repurchased and refurbished city in Michigan," Marshall Mayor Joseph Schroeder said.

Schroeder, who laid claim to the Mayor's seat in January, is a lifelong resident of Marshall. "It's a great place to live. I like Marshall just the way it is," he says.

The County Seat of Calhoun County is known as the "City of Hospitality and for its preserved nineteenth-century buildings. It is the home of the popular Cornwell's Turkey House, Shuler's, and the Eaton Corporation.

"The problems facing Marshall are similar to any other city of its size - streets, sewer, and water. Currently the city is experiencing a problem with our cable franchise and the service it is providing to the community," Schroeder said. "Our greatest asset may be the pride reflected in our city."

Examples of that pride can be seen in Marshall's Civic Theatre which was constructed in 1949. It's had an airport since 1928.

Schroeder says a zoning ordinance has helped in the community's development.

Schroeder challenged for the mayoral seat in January because he felt the skills he accumulated as President of the Chamber of Commerce, being a member of the school board, a member of the zoning board of appeals, the planning commission and the 40 years he spent as an attorney could be used to serve the City of Marshall well.

"Marshall is known as the 'City of Hospitality.' But if our city shows half the hospitality that the City of Lowell has shown us during our visit, Mayor Exchange Day will be a success," Schroeder said.

Lowell Mayor Jim Maatman added, "Despite not being able to participate in all the day's activities, I know from previous experiences, you always leave the visiting city with a good feeling."

Lowell officials came away from Marshall feeling mighty fine. "Marshall is a real nice town," Pasquale said. "We got a chance to tour the historic homes, and review the city facilities."

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Agreement reached teachers sign 3-year pact

At a special meeting, the Lowell Board of Education approved a three-year agreement with the district's teachers. The agreement calls for a six percent increase in each of the three year agreements and a reduction of health care benefits which will save the district eight percent in annual costs.

The Board also approved a three year agreement with the district's support staff which in-

cludes secretaries, custodians, and paraprofessionals. Their agreement called for a 60 cents per hour increase for each year of a three year agreement and a corresponding reduction in health benefits.

The tentative agreement with the teachers was reached during an expedited bargaining session during the last week of April with the support staff tentative agreement being reached a week later.

The three year agreements will become effective August 28, 1989 just prior to the opening of the 1989-90 school year and will expire August 1992.

"We're pleased with the agreements, and with the way both groups worked with our administrators in expediting these agreements," said Board President, John Haggai. "Both settlements will keep our staff in the middle of the contract agreements throughout the Kent County," added President Haggai. "It is a spirit of cooperation and mutual respect for each other that allows us to achieve these big hurdles during some very difficult financial times. It's that spirit that makes Lowell Area Schools a great place for kids."

ICEMAN'S OUTLET - Iceman's Outlet Memorial weekend specials - 12 pk Miller & Lite \$5.49; two liter Coke \$1.49, and Pajama Jack Sunwear. Use the side door and meet the Ice-man.

GARY'S COUNTRY MEATS - For fresh meat cuts, cold cuts and cheese visit Lowell's exclusive meat market at 205 E. Main. Call 897-7306.

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MCGEE HOMESTEAD - Bed and breakfast. 2534 Alden Nash N.E., Lowell. 897-8142.



Lowell Mayor James Maatman presents a plaque to Marshall Mayor Joseph Schroeder at the Mayor Exchange dinner at Deer Run Golf Course.

PRECISION & FASHION HAIRSTYLING - For both men and women. Man's World Hairstyling. Phone 897-8102.

VILLAGE INN - Daily specials - Kitchen open until 2 a.m. - Beer specials 2-5 p.m. M-F. Call 897-8880.

COUSINS' CARD & GIFT SHOPPE - New spring selections are in. Open Sunday 12-3. Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., Sat. 10-6; and Wed. 10-8.

Obituaries

ABRAHAM - Mrs. Gladys M. Abraham, of Alto, aged 86, the widow of James I. Abraham, passed away Monday morning, May 22, 1989. Mrs. Abraham was a life-long school teacher (40 years), retiring from the Middleville Schools System. She was the Originator of the In-school Hot Lunch Program. She is survived by her son, James J. and Doris Abraham of Alto; five grandchildren, Jean Abraham of Alto, Peggy and Steve Penland of White Cloud, Jim E. Abraham of Lowell, Michael A. and Brian Abraham, both of Alto; a great-grandson, Steve Penland; her sister, Mary Gahan of Grand Rapids; several nieces and nephews. The Mass of Christian Burial and the Committal rites were offered Thursday at the Holy Family Catholic Church, Caledonia. Rev. Fr. James Cusack as Celebrant. Interment in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Parnell.

BURGER - Miss Patricia Anne Burger, aged 47, of Lowell, formerly of Coopersville, passed away Saturday morning of accidental injuries. She is survived by her son, Richard N. Burger of Lowell; her grandson, Cody James and his mother, Shelley VanHuizen of Allendale; her mother, Mrs. Vera Burger of Coopersville; two sisters, Elizabeth (Wayne) Collins of Spring Lake and the Rev. Marie Annette Burger of Flanders, NJ. The Funeral Service will be held Wednesday morning at the United Methodist Church of Coopersville, the Revs. Paul Mazur and Marie Annette Burger officiating. Burial Coopersville Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Educational Trust Fund for Richard Burger.

LEE - Wallace K. Lee, aged 79, of Lowell, passed away Thursday, May 25, 1989. He is survived by his wife, Lena; his children, Kenneth and Arlene Lee of Portland, Mi. Ruth and David Kiefner of Philadelphia, PA, Jerry Lee of Lowell; a brother, Harry Lee of Grand Rapids; and three grandchildren, Michael, Matthew and Daniel. Funeral Services were held Saturday at the Roth-Gerst Chapel, Lowell. Rev. Michael Funderburg officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Honey Creek Christian Home.

MENDOZA - Rene Mendoza, aged 47, of Ada, passed away Sunday, May 28, 1989. He is survived by his wife, Janet; his children, Stephen, Susan and Jack, all at home. Also surviving, his mother; two sisters; six brothers. Mass of Christian Burial will be offered Wednesday at St. Robert's of Westminster Church, Ada. Time to be announced.



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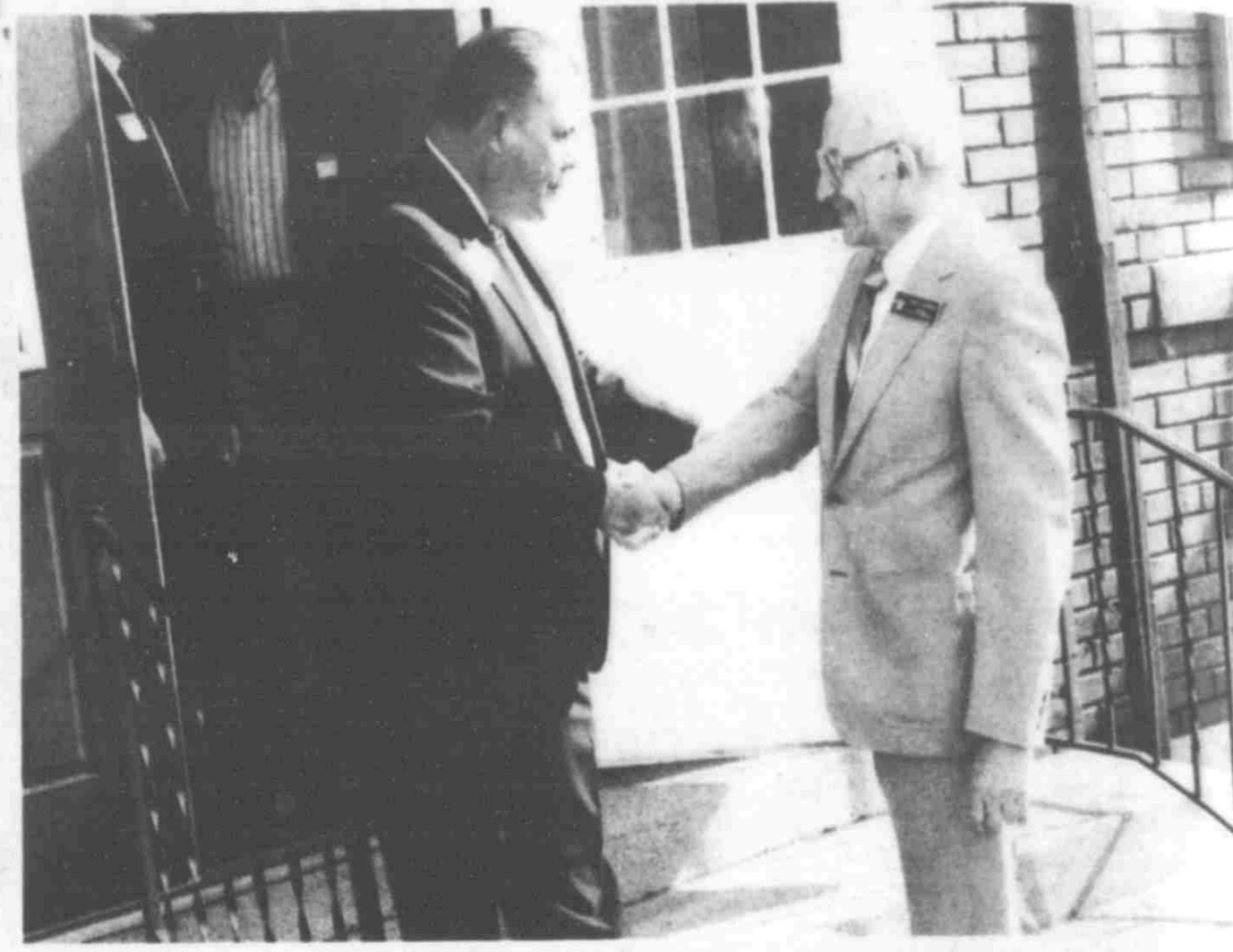
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Mayor Exchange Day cont'd.



Vice Mayor Protom Charlie Doyle greets Marshall Mayor Joseph Schroeder as he arrives at Lowell City Hall.



Lowell and Marshall City Officials took time to chat and exchange ideas and thoughts during the two-day Mayor Exchange program. From left to right are Lowell City Manager David Pasquale, Marshall Mayor Joseph Schroeder, Vice Mayor Protom Charlie Doyle and Marshall City Manager Chester Travis.

"Capitol Column"

By State Senator Dick Posthumus



Michigan has enjoyed the best no-fault law in the country, and it has resulted in significantly lower rates and greater consumer satisfaction than in other states. But the DiFranco decision threatens to undermine the original intent of the law -- speeding money to seriously injured victims while keeping costs in line.

Main St., cont'd.

The news about auto insurance is both good and bad. The good news is that the cost of auto insurance in Michigan rose less than 2 percent last year, about a quarter of the national increase, according to the Michigan Association of Insurance Companies. The bad news is that it's still too high, according to consumer groups, state lawmakers and Michigan rate payers. But there may be more good news to follow. Lawmakers recently unveiled a new plan to cut auto insurance rates by adopting new cost-saving revisions to the state's no-fault insurance system. If the plan goes through, it means a 10 percent rate reduction. The plan is designed to offset a 1986 Michigan Supreme Court ruling -- known as the DiFranco decision -- which drastically changed the rules that determine whether an auto accident victim is allowed to sue for pain and suffering. The ruling has resulted in significantly increasing claims paid by insurers and is gradually sending auto insurance premiums upward.

The new plan would allow only those who are severely injured to have access to the courts to seek damages for pain and suffering. It would also modify access to the courts to only those who are less than half at fault for causing an injury accident and develop a more reasonable schedule of fees and expenses for damage award winners. Dupli-

ated benefit payments would also be eliminated. Michigan has enjoyed the best no-fault law in the country, and it has resulted in significantly lower rates and greater consumer satisfaction than in other states. But the DiFranco decision threatens to undermine the original intent of the law -- speeding money to seriously injured victims while keeping costs in line.

TICKETS STILL AVAILABLE FOR SHOWBOAT

Tickets are still available for the Lowell Showboat that will be coming down the river on June 22, 23 and 24. Tickets are available for all the shows and all types of seating. Call the Showboat office 897-8280 or come down to the office at 202 W. Main in the Antique Mall.

OFF THE BLOTTER

Juan Sanchez, 27, of Alto was involved in a property damage accident May 24 when the car he was driving was struck from behind by a car driven by William Serne, 77, of Ada on M-21 near Ridgeview Dr. Cited into 63rd District Court for Open Container of Alcohol in a Motor Vehicle May 25 was Lewis Kidney, 26, of Battle Creek by Lowell officers. 3 juveniles from Lowell will be cited into Probate Court for Unlawful Entry, May 24 when they were apprehended inside the new apartments on Bowes Rd. Pleading guilty of Destruction of Police Property and Resisting & Obstructing a Police Officer was Terry Lee, 34, of Ypsilanti in connection with an incident May 11. Cited into 63rd District Court for Minor in Possession of Alcohol in a Motor Vehicle May 20, was Richard Ekkens, 20, of Grand Rapids. Arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol Sunday, May 21 was Gay Venneman, 29, of Belding. Involved in a property damage accident May 27 on Riverside north of Main St. were Janice Lachman, 38, of Birmingham, MI and Carl Wood, 47, of Saranac. Arrested May 26, and taken to the Kent County Jail for Retail Fraud (ie: Shoplifting) and Resisting & Obstructing a Police Officer was Michael Stiles, 29, of Lowell.

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.
- 3RD SAT. OF EACH MONTH** - V.F.W. Post No. 8303 in Lowell, 307 W. Main. Steak dinner, serving 4 p.m. until 8 p.m. Public invited.
- EVERY TUES. MORNING** - Ladies join us for Coffee Break/Story Hour at Calvary Christian Reformed Church, 1151 W. Main, Lowell 9:30 thru 10:45 a.m. Nursery provided.
- EVERY THIRD SATURDAY** - Men's Breakfast 8 a.m. at Lowell Assembly of God, 3050 Alden Nash, (just south of town). Special speaker and good food. For more info call 897-7047.
- THIRD TUESDAY EVENING** - Ladies Joy Fellowship. Various topics and special speakers. For more info call Lowell Assembly of God at 897-7047.
- EVERY SUNDAY EVENING** - Royal Rangers for the boys. Missionettes for the girls for kids kindergarten and up. Christ Ambassadors for the youth (7 thru 12 grades). Christian Clubs to help our children grow through the means of achievement programs, special activities, crafts and basic moral learning. For more info call Lowell Assembly of God at 897-7047.
- LOWELL LIBRARY** - will be open: Mon. 9:30 to 4:30 p.m.; Wed., 12:30 to 8:30 p.m. and Fri. & Sat., 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- SENIOR CITIZENS BOWLING LEAGUE** - 60 years and older, welcome. Roll-Away Ltd. Lanes on Wed. at 1 p.m.
- THURS., JUNE 1:** Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet at Schneider Manor at 725 Bowes Rd., Lowell at 1 p.m. Sally Lyons from the Social Security Administration will speak on "Catastrophic Health Insurance." All persons on Medicare should attend. Open to the public at 1:30 p.m. Have your questions ready for Lyons to answer. Delores Laux, sponsor.
- EVERY 1ST & 3RD THURS.** - Lowell Area Jaycees, meet at the Lowell Congregational Church at 7:00 p.m. New members welcomed. Membership 21-39 years of age. Leadership training through community involvement. Interested, call 897-9152 or 897-6539.
- EVERY 1ST & 3RD TUESDAY** - V.F.W. Post 8303 meets at the V.F.W. Clubroom, 307 E. Main St., Lowell at 8:00 p.m.
- SATURDAYS** - Take Off Pounds Sensibly #MI 1493 meets every Sat. at 8:30 a.m. in the Congregational Church basement in Lowell. Corner of Spring and Hudson Sts. Weigh-ins from 8:30 a.m. 'til 9:00 a.m.
- TUESDAYS** - Take Off Pounds Sensibly #MI 372 meets every Tuesday evening at the Lowell Congregational Church basement. Corner of Spring and Hudson Sts. Weigh-ins at 5:45 p.m.
- THURSDAYS:** Take Off Pounds Sensibly #MI No. 333. Saranac, meets every Thursday evening at the Saranac Public Library. Weigh-ins at 6:45 p.m.
- SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** The Lowell Area Schools Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Board of Education office located in the Middle School, 12685 Foreman Road.
- EVERY MONDAY EVENING:** "Euchre" will be played at the V.F.W. Post 8303 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$1, prizes. Public welcome.
- EVERY MON. & TUES. MORNING** - Coffee Break Bible Study. Monday 7:15 to 8:30 p.m.; Tuesday 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Lakeside Community Church, 6201 Whitneyville Rd.
- SAT., JUNE 3:** The Grand Rapids Chapter of Rosicrucian Order A.M.O.R.C. presents a seminar dealing with reincarnation called "Life After Life." It will be presented from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Days Inn in downtown Grand Rapids at Pearl St. Registrations. is at 8:30 a.m. and the cost is \$20 for members and non-members. For more information call 453-8606.
- MON., JUNE 5:** Athletic Boosters club meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the K-Quad at the High School. There will be no meeting in July.
- MON., JUNE 12:** Bowne Township Historical monthly meeting will be held at the Township Hall at 6059 Linfield in Alto. This will be a reorganizational meeting. Old and new members welcome. If you cannot attend, please send any suggestions to the above address.
- WED., JUNE 14:** Snow UMW will serve a roast turkey and dressing dinner at the Snow Christian Center, 3189 Snow Ave. Beginning at 5:30 p.m. Public invited.
- JUNE 16 & 17:** Children's Love Festival. Come sell your crafts and help benefit the prevention of child abuse. Call 897-5638 to reserve your space.
- FRI., JUNE 19:** 7 p.m. Schneider Manor, Ida Onan, Sponsor. Regular meeting of the West Central Michigan Historical Society. Program: Amish Program by George and Gwen VanderMark. Board of Directors' supper meeting at 5:30 p.m. polluck.
- SAT., JUNE 24:** 1st Annual Main Street Arts & Craft Show. 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Lowell Main St. For more info call Arlene 897-9918.
- OCT., 11, 12, & 13:** Mac Island trip for Senior Citizens with a stay at the Grand Hotel for 3 days and 2 nights. Call Mary at 897-7092 for more information.

Lowell resident killed in May 27 two-car accident

A local resident, Patricia Anne Burger, 47, of Lincoln Lake Rd., formerly of Coopersville, died Saturday morning, May 27 in a two-car accident. Burger was killed when her car was struck broadside at the intersection of Vergennes St. and Parnell Ave. According to the Kent County Sheriff's Dept. Burger's vehicle, was northbound on Parnell when it was struck by a vehicle driven by Thomas Norden of Grand Rapids, who was traveling eastbound on Vergennes. Norden was not seriously injured and was treated at the scene.

Ehlers named "Recycler of Year"

Senator Vern Ehlers (R-Grand Rapids) this week was named "1989 Citizen Recycler of the Year" by the Michigan Recycling Coalition. The annual award is given to the Michigan citizen who has done the most to promote recycling efforts. Ehlers, chairman of the Senate Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs Committee, has sponsored numerous recycling measures, including a bill now under consideration by the Legislature to recycle auto batteries. "My family and I have been recycling for 20 years and we

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This is the second year in a row that Reedy Realty, Inc. has received this industry honor.

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Eighth-graders present "Krazy Kamp"



Pictured are eight of the twenty-five cast members of "Krazy Kamp." Front, Greg Biggs, Middle, left to right: Jason Graber, Aaron Stenel, Sara Lesky, Trisha Tyler. Back, left to right: Rachael Moore, Lori Tschirhart and Carleen VanStrien.

On Monday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m. the L.M.S. Eighth Grade Drama Class will present the outrageous comedy, "Krazy Kamp."

It's that time of year when some lucky kids look forward to summer camp. They anticipate fresh air, nature and fun in the great outdoors - the simple pleasures. But things just simply don't always turn out as planned. At Camp Poehontas, nothing seems planned or simple.

Come and join the fun at Monday's performance in the Middle School Cafetorium. "Krazy Kamp" will also be performed for area 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th graders. Admission to all performances is free.

The ancient Greeks believed that drinking from certain springs or wells would give them prophetic powers.



Homespun Devotions

By Pauline Spray

...he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever (1 John 2:17).

Promises are easy to make but difficult to keep many times. Once Dad promised to build us a log playhouse when we were youngsters. I remember how eagerly we looked forward to the day when the project would be completed. For years we lived in anticipation. But our dream never came true.

Dad's intentions were the best. But, with hungry mouths to feed, shoes to buy, obligations to

meet, and a thousand and one other things to do, he never got around to building us a cabin. Often we're unable to keep promises we make in good faith. Conditions prove impossible to bring them into fulfillment. Situations prevent us from doing those things which we had hoped to do.

However, God is able to keep His promises. And He does. We can rest assured that if we trust in Him we shall abide with Him throughout eternity. We will want to listen to His instructions and seek to please Him with our whole heart. Physical life may cease, but eternal bliss will go on forever - because "he promised."

Prayer: Dear God, I thank Thee for the promise of a heavenly home when this life is over. I thank Thee for the hope of abiding with Thee eternally. I rest on Thy Word. Amen.

Louisa M.R. Stead

VanAntwerp named state judge for student magazine program

Jill VanAntwerp, Lowell High School, has been appointed a state judge for the 1989 Program to Recognize Excellence in Student Literary Magazines.

Through this national program, established in 1984, NCTE honors students, teachers and schools producing excellent literary magazines. State leaders coordinate the program in their state and appoint two-person judging teams to evaluate magazines entered by senior high, junior high and middle schools in the state. Each magazine is judged and scored independently by the judges.

Magazines rated "superior" in the states compete nationally for "highest award" honors. In 1988, 25 schools received "highest awards" for their literary magazines.

The National Council of Teachers of English established this program as a means of recognizing students, teachers, and schools producing excellent literary magazines, as an inducement to improve the quality of such magazines, and as encouragement for all schools to pursue excellence in writing and school-wide participation in producing such publications. The 1989 program is supported with funding from Scott, Foresman and Company. The 1989 results will be announced in February of 1990.

The National Council of Teachers of English is made up of more than 90,000 members and subscribers at all levels of education. Its goal is more effective teaching of English language arts in the nation's schools and colleges.



Jill VanAntwerp



1989-90 NHS officers named

Officers for the 1989-90 school year have been elected by the Lowell High School National Honor Society. They are (l to r) President Stacy Beute, Vice-President Brad Briggs, Secretary Jeff Schmidt, and Treasurer Katie Wills.

Did you know?

Here are four surprising facts about investing on which you may want to stock up.

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a stock as stocks tend to zoom to new highs every five or six years and then tend to drop off for a few years.

The National Association of Investors, a non-profit, volunteer organization of individuals working with a number of corporations has set up a plan in which you can buy stock with small periodic payments.

Area teacher to serve as regional judge for NCTE Achievement Awards in Writing

The National Council of Teachers of English announces the appointment of Jill VanAntwerp, Lowell High School, Lowell, as regional judge for the 1989 NCTE Achievement Awards in Writing. Through this nationally recognized competition, now in its thirty-second year, approximately 800 high school seniors are cited for excellence in writing and are recommended to colleges and universities for admission and for financial aid, if needed. Over six thousand students have been nominated for Achievement Awards in 1989. Results of the contest are to be announced in October.

Students are nominated for Achievement Awards in Writing by their high school English departments and are chosen for recognition by state judging committees. (Each nominee submits an impromptu theme and a sample of his or her best writing to be judged.) The regional judging committees are composed of both high school and college teachers who work under the direction of state coordinators.

The National Council of Teachers of English is made up of more than 90,000 individual teachers and institutional members at all levels of instruction, from elementary school through graduate college. Its goal is more effective teaching of English language and literature in the nation's schools and colleges. NCTE publishes journals,

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| <p>ALTON BIBLE CHURCH Lincoln Lake Ave. at 3 Mile Road Sunday School . . . 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 A.M. Evening Praise . . . 7:00 P.M. Wednesday AWANA . . . 7:00 P.M. (Sept. - April) Prayer and Bible Study . . . 7:30 P.M. REV. KENNETH R. MCGEE, Pastor 897-5648 or 897-4273 YOU ARE WELCOME!</p> | <p>FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (United Church of Christ) 404 North Hudson 897-5906 Worship and Church School . . . 10:00 A.M. Rev. David Hagens . . . Pastor Eleanor Martin . . . Director of Education Maniyn Ossentjuk . . . Director of Music Barrier-Free . . . Nursery Provided</p> | <p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL (United Church of Christ) 621 E. Main Street 897-5936 REGULAR HOURS Morning Worship . . . 9:00 A.M. and 10:45 A.M. Church School . . . 9:30 to 10:30 A.M. REV. WILLIAM AMUNDSEN, MINISTER Nursery available at both services Barrier - Free Entrance</p> | <p>FRIENDSHIP COUNTRY CHAPEL 10200 Grand River Ave. Sunday Services . . . 10:30 A.M. Wednesday Bible Study . . . 7:00 P.M. BOB ROUSH, PASTOR 897-7489</p>  |
| <p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 10305 Bluewater Highway Morning Worship . . . 10:00 A.M. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class . . . 9:00 A.M. JOSEPH FREMER, PASTOR 897-8307</p>  | <p>MISSIONARY CHURCH 10501 Settledwood Ph. 897-7185 Sunday School . . . 9:45 A.M. Worship Service . . . 11:00 A.M. Evening Service . . . 6:00 P.M. Prayer and Bible Study-7:30 P.M. Wednesdays GLENN H. MARKS Foreman Road 897-9110</p> | <p>ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH 402 N. Amity MSGNR JAMES MORAN Saturday Mass . . . 5:30 P.M. Sunday Mass . . . 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.</p> | <p>Al and Mary (Clark) Shellenbarger are proud parents of a baby girl, Heather Rae. She arrived May 23, 1989. She weighed 5 lbs. 8 ozs. and was 19 inches long. Big brother, Christopher welcomed her home. Proud grandparents are Betty Malek, Doris and Lee Shellenbarger. Aunt and Uncle Beth and Jerry Dalstra, Uncles, Tim and Doug Clark.</p> |

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Students were carried out of the building and onto the grass where they were treated by rescue personnel.

following the mock disaster drill that took place at St. Mary's School on Wednesday, May 24.

The injury Taylor sustained in this drill was also quite serious. "I had first and second degree burns on my arms and face," she says.

Bryan Kimble, Captain of Lowell Area Fire/Rescue, was grateful for the extent that students took their role playing. "The kids were great. There came a point during the rescue that I actually had to ask a girl I was carrying out if her tears were because she was really hurt or if she was pretending," he says.

While the role playing helped simulate a real-life disaster situation the best it could, the results from such a drill proved as much or more beneficial to the fire, rescue, ambulance and police as it was to the students, teachers and school.



The disaster drill was the first of its kind in the Lowell area.

"I was surprised by how serious the emergency units took the drill," said sixth-grade St. Mary's student Bridget Taylor.

"It helped all of us become more aware of what would happen and what to do in certain disaster situations," Lowell Rescue Captain A-Team Joyce Wilkerson said. "I would definitely like to see the disaster drill take



The drill took roughly one hour and 15 minutes.



This student was found in the hallway by this Lowell fireman.



St. Mary's students got a first-hand look on just how rescues should be carried out.

place again, but not in Lowell - injured at the accident and that maybe Alto or Grattan, so more was taxing. Discussion was given as to how we would handle a larger disaster situation, like a school explosion or fire.

The organization of the disaster drill stemmed from a Lowell bus accident two winters ago. "It wasn't because of anything we did wrong at the bus accident, actually we were acknowledged for the way we handled it," Kimble said. "There were just nine

Mock Disaster at St. Mary's School



The disaster drill required that students, teachers and rescue personnel take the rescue seriously - so all could learn from the experience.

Sister Adele continued, "When I saw firemen crawling along the floor and dragging students out of the building, the role playing almost seemed like reality."

For students, it was a hands-on learning experience. "I learned that in fire disaster situations you should try not to panic, and when a fireman asks a question try to answer them," said St. Mary's



Disaster drill or not, rescue workers were still allotted time for rest.

third-grader Gena Buhler. Fourth-grader Mark Fox added "It was exciting learning about what's all that is involved with rescue."

Students in kindergarten through second-grade were not involved in the drill. "This served as a fire drill for them,"

Sister Adele said. "I felt the disaster drill, despite not being real still could frighten the younger children."

Sister Adele concluded that doing the drill again at the same school might not be effective, but using a new location would be.

A quiet moment is spent catching some fresh air.

There were 45-50 personnel in the first available ground ambulance," Kimble says. The fire alarm rang at St. Mary's School at 9:07 a.m. Once on the scene, it took rescue personnel 30 minutes to reach and to evacuate all injured students and teachers from the building. "That's good time," Kimble adds. "I was very proud of the Lowell agencies, their work and the professionalism they displayed."

Kimble added that there was no communication problem inside the school building.

One other problem that developed during the drill, the helicopter that was supposed to pick up two victims was called off to a real emergency. "In that situation we must make sure that

the victims are sent out on the first available ground ambulance," Kimble says.

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St. Mary's Principal Sister Adele was taken by the agencies efforts. "I think they should be commended for attempting something like this. It definitely benefits the community, school, students and the agencies," she says. "When I was first asked three months ago if the school would participate I said yes."

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Lowell voters give school district high grades

Voters in the Lowell School District who went to the polls on March 21 rate the schools more highly than do other citizens elsewhere in the state, according to a state-sponsored opinion survey conducted here in late April.

In a telephone opinion survey of a sample of voters who went to the polls March 21, three-fourths (74 percent) of those who voted gave the schools an "A" or "B" report card rating. That high rating is in marked contrast with a statewide rating of school districts, conducted in April by Project Outreach of the State Board of Education.

Ned S. Hubbell, director of Outreach, told the Lowell Board of Education the 74 percent report card rating is "significantly better" than the 50 percent of "A" and "B" ratings he recorded in

an April statewide opinion survey of 800 Michigan adults. And, said Hubbell, it is far superior to the 40 percent of "A" and "B" ratings recorded by Gallup pollsters in a 1988 national opinion survey of the public's attitudes toward the public schools.

Lowell public school parents, who comprised that majority (53 percent) of March election voters, gave the schools an "A" and "B" rating by a margin of 80 percent, Hubbell said.

Other data from the post-election opinion survey revealed that 39 percent of those polled said the quality of education in Lowell is getting better in recent years, 41 percent said it has remained constant and only 4 percent felt the quality of education is getting worse.

Those interviewed in the April 17-20 survey voiced a fairly high degree of trust in local school officials, survey data revealed. One-fourth (23 percent) said they have a high degree of trust in the school board; the majority (52 percent) said they have some trust in the board; only 7 percent reported no trust in the local school board. One-third (34 percent) said they have a great deal of trust in the Lowell superintendent, 39 percent said "some" trust and 6 percent reported no trust in the superintendent.

The biggest problem facing the Lowell School Board last year, said voters polled in April, was solved by voters in the March 21 millage election. "Passing the millage" was mentioned by 80 percent of the survey respondents as the school's

biggest problem. The record turnout of voters in March was chiefly due to two factors, according to those interviewed. "The voters value education/know the importance of this election", 33 percent of those interviewed said. Another one-third (33 percent) said the record turnout was due to a "good, effective millage campaign conducted by the 'The Neighbors Who Care' Committee."

Almost all persons interviewed (90 percent) said they got enough information to help them make up their mind how they would vote in the March election. Major sources of election information, respondents said, were: the Lowell Ledger (41 percent), district Directions newsletter (31 percent) and word-

mouth of other people (29 percent). The vast majority of people interviewed (83 percent) said they thought having a citizens' committee run the March election campaign was a good idea. Only 7 percent of those polled said it was a bad idea. Respondents who felt such a committee was a good idea gave these responses: "It's good for the schools and community to have citizens involved" (43 percent), or "Information from peers is more believable" (31 percent) or "Provides a better understanding of citizens' concerns" (12 percent).

At the time of the Lowell March school millage election there was a great deal published in local and area newspapers about possible school finance reform being discussed in the State Legislature. But, according to the majority of survey respondents here, it had no, if any, effect on the outcome of the Lowell school election.

But later in the interview, survey respondents said they favored a school finance reform plan by a margin of 2 to 1, very near the support obtained in responses of 800 Michigan citizens asked the same question in an early April statewide opinion survey. In Lowell, 56 percent of those polled said they would favor raising the sales tax by 5.02, reducing the property tax by 33 percent and providing \$500 million for schools. In the statewide survey, 60 percent of those polled favored such a plan.

The Lowell opinion survey was conducted between April 17 and 20 and featured telephone interviews with 328 March election voters, chosen by systematic random sampling from pollbook records. A total of 54 volunteer interviewers were trained by Hubbell in the use of the questionnaire. The study was conducted as a research project of Project Outreach and at no cost to the Lowell Public Schools.

Lowell's Yeiters meet with Washington's Yeutter.



Don and Betty Yeiter of Lowell (left), on a recent trip to Washington D.C. met with Clayton Yeutter (right) Secretary of Agriculture for President Bush. They are distant relatives.

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12:00 Professional Tennis
1:00 MOVIE: Family Secret A father defends a man accused of a crime...

8:00 Night Court
8:30 Major League Baseball
9:00 Entertainment Tonight

EVENING

8:00 MOVIE: Golden Voyage Of Sinbad Captain Sinbad must battle an evil prince trying to steal an amulet...

8:30 Night Tracks (Stereo)
9:00 American Magazine
9:30 Friday Night Videos

SATURDAY

6:00 Green Acres
6:30 Walt Disney Presents
7:00 How To Buy Any Car Wisely

SATURDAY CONT.

8:30 Housecall
9:00 USA Tonight
9:30 Bozo

AFTERNOON

12:00 Music Videos
1:00 Country Clips
1:30 Taking Time

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 - MOVIE: The Big Red One
 - searing World War II drama about an American infantry sergeant and a jittery sharpshooter member of his rifle squad. Lee Marvin, Mark Hamill. 1980.
 - SportsCenter
 - Sports Tonight
 - Car 54 Where Are You?
 - Major League Baseball
 - Star Trek: The Next Generation
 - Summer Movie Spectacular
 - Super Sports Follies
 - Nature's Way
- 12:00 **Headbanger's Ball**
 - Grand Ole Opry Live Backstage
 - Friday The 13th
 - MOVIE: Hawk The Slayer
 - In an imaginary land, two brothers are locked in mortal combat. Hawk, a hero of incredible might and courage, and Voltan, an evil wizard. Jack Palance, John Terry. 1981.
- Public People, Private Lives
- Zola Levitt
- AWA Championship Wrestling
- NewsNight
- Make Room For Daddy
- Teletown Continues
- Other Side Of Victory
- Safari
- Night Tracks (Stereo)
- Grand Ole Opry Live
- Evans & Novak
- CNN Headline News
- Mr. Ed
- Think & Grow Rich
- Twin Star
- America's Top Ten
- MOVIE: Third Degree Burn (CC)
- This Week In Country Music
- MOVIE: Desperate Characters
- A comfortably middle class, childless couple is forced to acknowledge that their day to day existence is overshadowed by fear and disillusionment. Shirley MaClaine, Kenneth Mars. 1971.
- Life's Most Embarrassing Moments
- Too Close For Comfort

- MOVIE: Barnum
- A glittering recounting of the life of the master 19th century showman. Phineas T. Barnum, whose flamboyant personality launched a brilliant career. Burt Lancaster, Hanna Schygulla. 1986.
- MOVIE: A Polish Vampire In Burbank
- A shy, bumbling young vampire is kicked out of the family home, so that he may become a self-sufficient bloodsucker.
- Lighter Side Of Sports
- News Update
- Patty Duke
- TV Insiders
- Dick Clark's Golden Greats
- Children's Miracle Network Telethon
- Wings
- Travel Guide
- Night Tracks (Stereo)
- MAX MOVIE: Bulletproof (Stereo)
- Wish You Were Here
- It's Showtime At The Apollo 1989
- News
- Best Of Muscle Magazine
- Pinnacle
- Saturday Night Live
- Home Shopping Spree
- Diets Don't Work
- CountryClips
- National Coalition Against Porn In America
- Jewish Voice
- Life's Most Embarrassing Moments
- SportsCenter

- Runaway With The Rich & Famous
- This Week In Japan
- Susie
- MOVIE: Flying Tigers In World War II
- China, a squadron leader and his buddy shoot down enemy planes when they're not busy competing for the affection of a nurse. John Wayne, John Carroll. 1942.
- Larry King Weekend
- MOVIE: The Big Trees
- A ruthless land baron seeks possession, at any cost, of the timberlands belonging to peaceful homesteaders in California's redwood area. Kirk Douglas, Eve Miller. 1952.
- MOVIE: Flight Night
- (Stereo) (CC)
- Night Tracks (Stereo)
- MAX MOVIE: License To Drive (Stereo)
- CNN Headline News
- Home Shopping Spree

- Shining Time Station (CC)
- Robert Schuller (CC)
- MAX MOVIE: Sunshine Boys
- MOVIE: Asterix & Caesar's Surprise
- A shrewd, cunning little warrior, Asterix, finds himself in battle for possession of a village against Caesar's legions. 1976.
- Lloyd Olvigie
- BraveStarr
- Sportraits
- News Update
- Worldvision
- American Medical Television
- Good News
- On The Menu
- Hidden Heroes
- Making It Happen
- Meet The Press (CC)
- Long Ago & Far Away (CC)
- Oral Roberts
- Bugs Bunny
- This Week In Sports
- NewsMaker Sunday
- CNN Headline News
- Face The Nation
- Real To Reel
- MOVIE: The Green Berets
- Cynical war correspondent whose paper doesn't believe the U.S. should be involved in Vietnam goes on special assignment to the war. John Wayne, David Janssen. 1968.
- Top 20 Video Countdown
- Inside Winston Cup Racing
- Knight Rider
- Better Homes & Gardens
- Spartakus
- Depressi Junior High (CC)
- Jerry Falwell
- Kidsworld
- MOVIE: Desperate Women
- Three beautiful female convicts, each sentenced in spite of extenuating circumstances surrounding the crime, are rescued from a stranded prison wagon. Susan St. James, Dan Haggerty. 1978.
- Sports Reporters
- News Update
- Faith 20
- War On Wrinkles
- World Tomorrow
- Travel Guide
- Truckin' USA
- Real Estate Showcase
- Dance Trax
- Shining Time Station (CC)
- Sea Turtles' Last Dance (CC)
- MAX MOVIE: Not Necessarily The News
- Teen Win, Lose or Draw 1989
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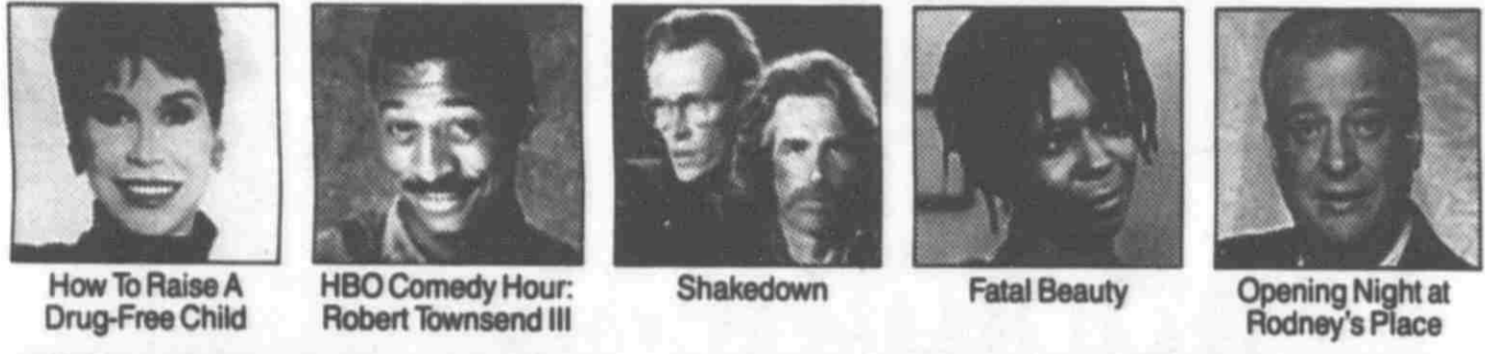
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- Best Of Walt Disney Presents
- MOVIE: A Polish Vampire In Burbank
- A shy, bumbling young vampire is kicked out of the family home, so that he may become a self-sufficient bloodsucker.
- Silent Code
- A Northwest Mountie is framed for a miner's murder. Tom Tyler. 1935.
- Sports Review
- Night Tracks (Stereo)
- Monoweb
- Super Ted
- World Tomorrow
- MAX MOVIE: Bye Bye Birdie (Stereo)
- You & Me, Kid
- NewsSight 89
- Alice
- Surfer Magazine
- News Update
- Mysterious Cities Of Gold
- MOVIE: Real Men (CC)
- Healthweek
- Fantastic Max
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- Midwest Outdoors
- It Is Written
- Mousercise
- Introduction To Life
- SCTV
- Motorweek Illustrated
- Style With Elsa Klensch
- CNN Headline News
- Spartakus
- Richie Rich
- Kenneth Copeland
- Twin Star
- Dr. D. James Kennedy
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- Welcome To Pooh Corner
- Calliope
- Varied
- SportsCenter
- Daybreak
- Little Koala
- Feed My People
- America's Top Ten
- Galt & The Golden Lance
- It's Your Business
- MAX MOVIE: Seabert: A New Friendship
- Dumbo's Circus
- Hour Of Power
- BodyShaping
- Big Story
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- Robert Schuller (CC)
- War On Wrinkles
- Day Of Discovery
- Denver, The Last Dinosaur
- Sunday Today
- In Touch
- Sesame Street (CC)
- Jimmy Swaggart
- MAX MOVIE: The Show Must Go On
- MAX MOVIE: Boeing, Boeing
- Good Morning, Mickey!
- Sunday Cartoon Express
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- It Is Written
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- What's Hu?
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- Chip 'N' Dale's Rescue Rangers
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- Andy Griffith
- Performance Plus
- Open House
- World Tomorrow
- Long Ago & Far Away

- Shining Time Station (CC)
- Robert Schuller (CC)
- MAX MOVIE: Sunshine Boys
- MOVIE: Asterix & Caesar's Surprise
- A shrewd, cunning little warrior, Asterix, finds himself in battle for possession of a village against Caesar's legions. 1976.
- Lloyd Olvigie
- BraveStarr
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- News Update
- Worldvision
- American Medical Television
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- On The Menu
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- Meet The Press (CC)
- Long Ago & Far Away (CC)
- Oral Roberts
- Bugs Bunny
- This Week In Sports
- NewsMaker Sunday
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- Face The Nation
- Real To Reel
- MOVIE: The Green Berets
- Cynical war correspondent whose paper doesn't believe the U.S. should be involved in Vietnam goes on special assignment to the war. John Wayne, David Janssen. 1968.
- Top 20 Video Countdown
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- Jerry Falwell
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- Three beautiful female convicts, each sentenced in spite of extenuating circumstances surrounding the crime, are rescued from a stranded prison wagon. Susan St. James, Dan Haggerty. 1978.
- Sports Reporters
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- AFTERNOON
- Mesquite Championship Rodeo
- Superboy
- Bowling Classic
- MOVIE: A Perfect Match
- Fashion model has a rare disease and her only hope for survival is a blood transfusion from a daughter she gave up for adoption. Linda Kelsey, Colleen Dewhurst. 1980.
- Nature (CC)
- Wall Street Week (CC)
- World Tomorrow
- MAX MOVIE: Terms of Endearment (CC)
- MAX MOVIE: Comedy Experiment: Merrill Markos's Guide (CC)
- Best Of Walt Disney Presents
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- BassMasters
- Friday The 13th
- Promises Of America
- Nova (CC)
- Firing Line
- MOVIE: Kevik, The Wolf Dog
- A young boy wins the love of a championship sled dog when he nurses the injured animal back to health. Ronny Cox, John Ireland. 1980.
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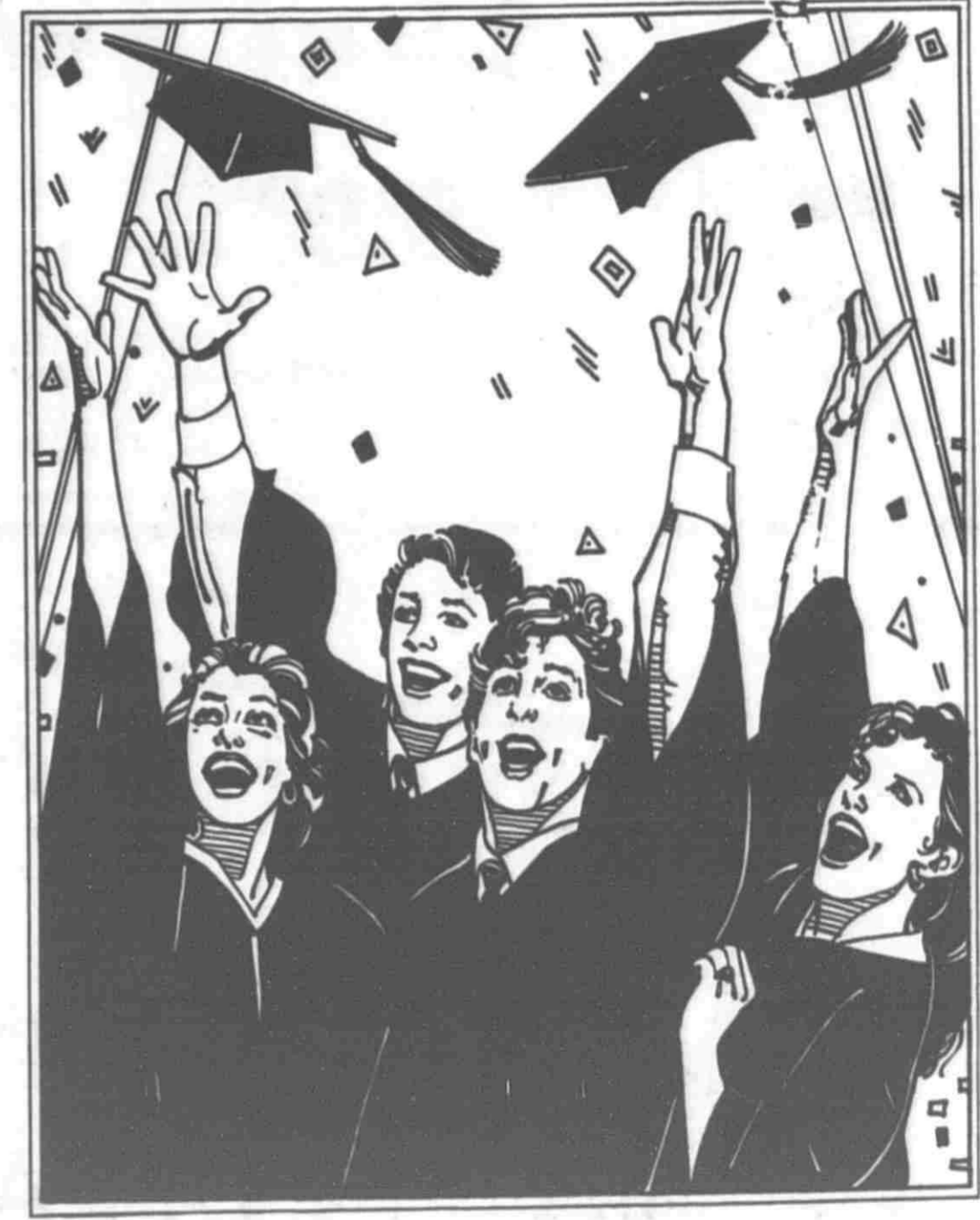
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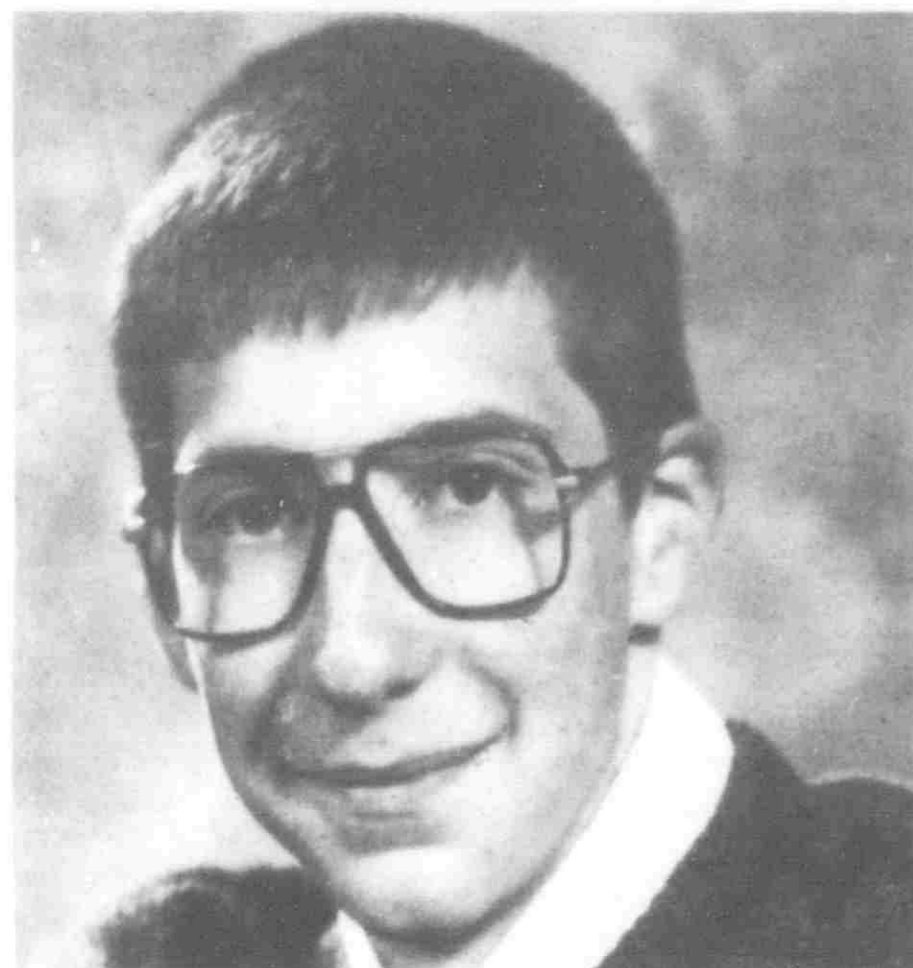
Co-Valedictorians



Stacy Lee Davis

STACY DAVIS - Plans on attending the University of Michigan provided she is not accepted at Harvard. The daughter of Gordon and Faye Davis will study to become a doctor. She would also like to learn how to fly and travel to many parts of the world. "Whiz Kid" award winner, National Honor Society member, class treasurer and a member of the Teens Involved Steering Committee.

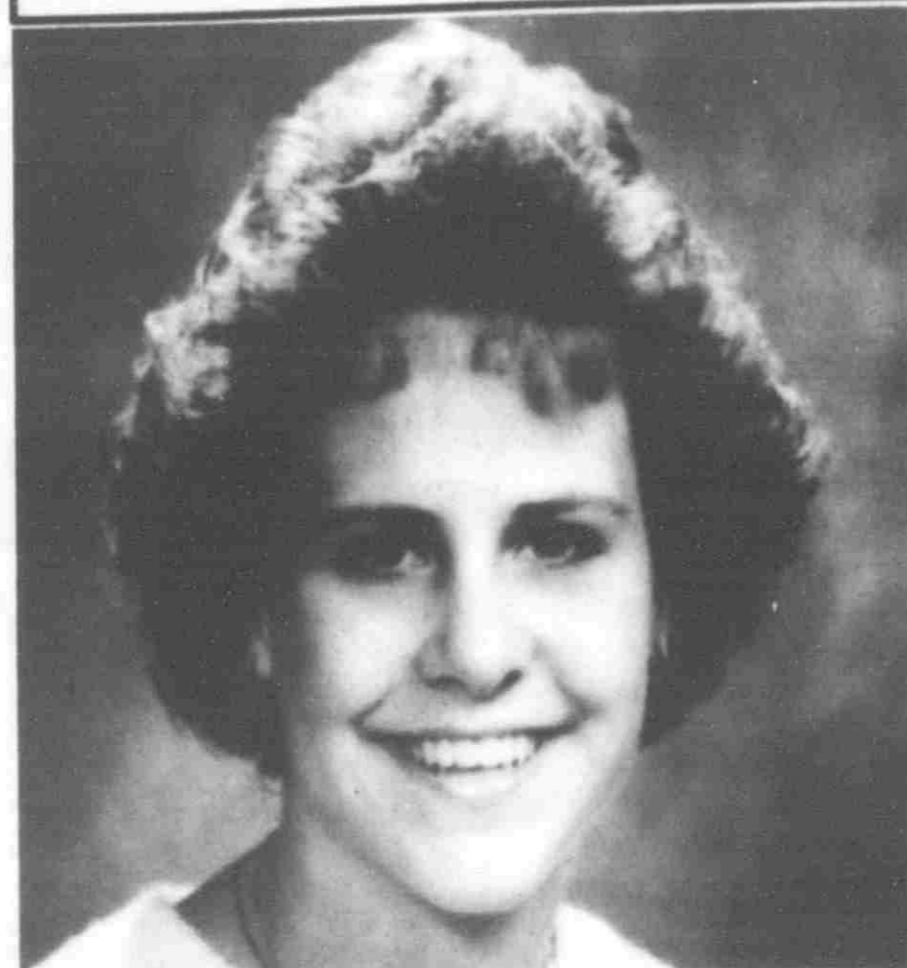
Her extra curricular activities include football cheerleader, volleyball, softball, pep band and a member of the Women's Club.



Patrick Dennis Nugent

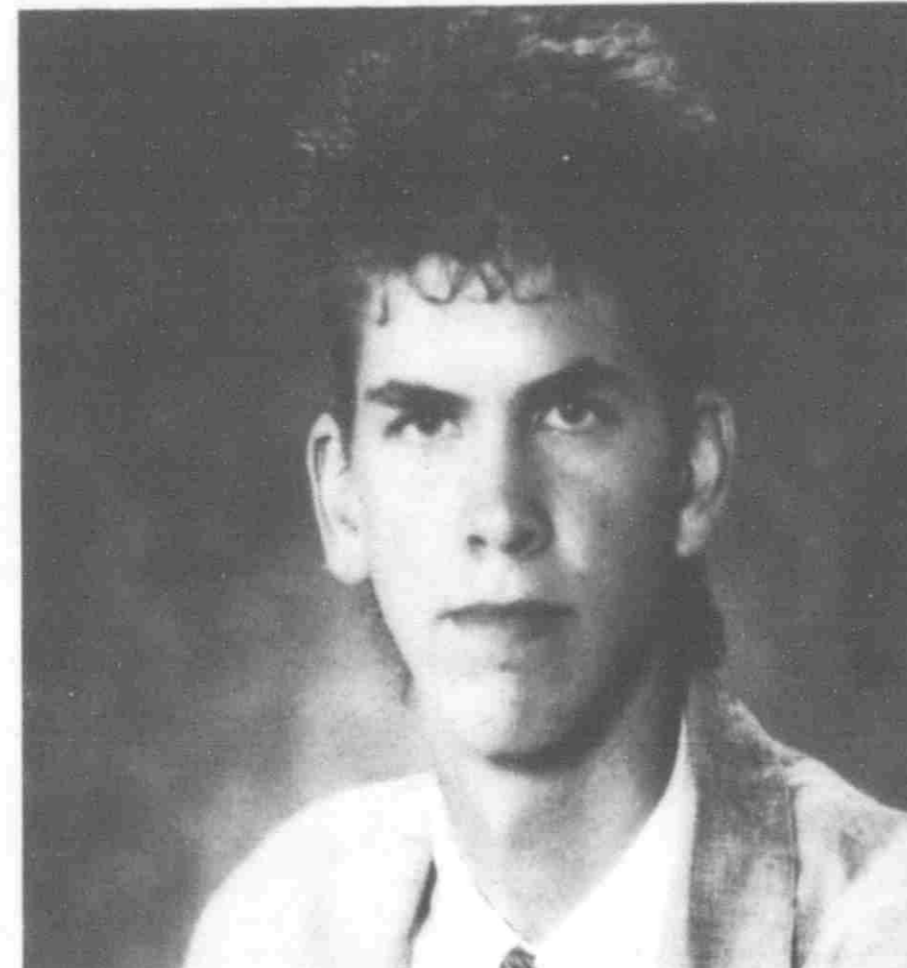
PATRICK NUGENT - The Lowell senior is a four-year academic honoree, a National Merit finalist, a debate conference champion, a Citizen's Bee regional champion, a member of the National Honor Society (Pres.), and a junior rotarian. Nugent, the son of Dennis and Mary Nugent, will study political science at the James Madison College of Michigan State University. He is also active with the Grattan Township Historical Society, a fifth-grade religion teacher at St. Patrick's, forensics, Close-Up, Science Olympiad, Young Democrats, Computer Club and International Club.

Co-Salutatorians



Megan Rae Kirby

MEGAN KIRBY - The daughter of William and Melodie Kirby will attend Michigan State University in the fall where she will study an area related to business. Kirby has served as sports editor for the school yearbook, class representative her freshman and sophomore years and class secretary her junior and senior years. Kirby is also the recipient of an academic excellence award from MSU. She plays softball, basketball and volleyball.



Jeffrey Bruce Zillmer

JEFF ZILLMER - The son of Bruce and Carol Zillmer will continue his education at the University of Michigan, studying to become an aerospace engineer. Zillmer was a member of the varsity football team and is active with Close-Up, the Ski Club and tennis. Twice the senior was a semi-finalist in the Michigan Mathematics prize competition and is a member of the National Honor Society.



TODD CARLESS - The son of John and Joan Carless plans to attend Wabash College, where he will pursue a degree in business. Carless participated in football (recipient of the coach's award), is a member of the National Honor Society, the class vice president and a Lowell junior Rotarian. Carless was also a member of Boys State.



TANYA COMSTOCK - Plans to attend Grand Rapids Junior College and continue studies in business, law and/or psychology. The daughter of James and Nancy Comstock is a member of the National Honor Society, the ski club, debate team, International club and a summer co-ed softball player.

Lowell High School's 1989 Top 10

The commencement exercise for the approximately 185 seniors of the Class of 1989 will be held Sunday, June 4 at 3 p.m. at the Showboat Amphitheatre.

Practice for the graduation ceremony will be held on Thursday June 1 at 9:30 a.m. Families and friends of the graduates are encouraged to arrive at the ceremony early. Parking will be available in the Runciman/Riverside areas and downtown along the river. Local police will be on hand to direct traffic.

The Class of 1989 Top 10 students will be attired in gold stoles. Graduates with three-point grade-point averages or better will be wearing honor cords.

Plans to move the ceremony into the LHS gymnasium will be made as early as possible in case of rain. If the ceremony is moved to the gym, admission will be by ticket only. All seniors will get 10 tickets apiece.



DOREEN SCHNEIDER - The daughter of Phil and Barb Schneider will attend Grand Rapids Junior College before transferring to a four-year school where she will study chemical engineering. Outside of academics she is involved in softball, volleyball, Teens Involved, National Honor Society, Women's Club and the annual staff. She is the editor of the yearbook, freshman and sophomore academic honoree, an all-regional softball pitcher her junior year.



MISSY NIKODEMSKI -The Lowell senior, come September, will pursue a degree in Biology from Michigan State University. She hopes to work in scientific research in the field of Biology. The daughter of Jim and Sandy Nikodemski was an academic honoree her freshman and sophomore years, the senior section editor of the yearbook her senior year and went to Washington D.C. with Close-Up in May. Her extra-curricular activities include tennis, Young Republicans, Science Olympiad, Ski Club, International Club and Close-Up.



JENNIFER VANDERMARK - is active as a volunteer at Blodgett Hospital, the Salvation Army, as a business basics teacher and is a YFU alumni volunteer. The daughter of Dennis and Denise VanderMark is a member of the National Honor Society, is an academic honoree, a member of the student council, a 1988 YFU (Youth For Understanding) exchange student to Switzerland, a National Merit Commended Student and a semi-finalist in the Michigan Mathematics prize competition. She will continue her education at Purdue University where she plans to pursue a career in the field of aerospace engineering.



HEATHER NAUTA - Her interests include flying (private pilot), traveling, horses, biking and downhill skiing. Her immediate plans are to earn a degree from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University in Aerospace Engineering. Nauta is an academic honoree, and a four-year letterman in debate. She is active in Science Olympiad, Women's Club, LHS computer team, Close-Up, National Honor Society and the Cornerstone Community Church Orchestra. She is the daughter of Vern and Gay Nauta.

"In addition to all of their outstanding interests, these 10 students have maintained their focus on the primary goal of academic excellence," Lowell High School Principal Dick Korb said. "They are a talented and dedicated group of students, coming from a diverse group of interests, but all committed to excellence."

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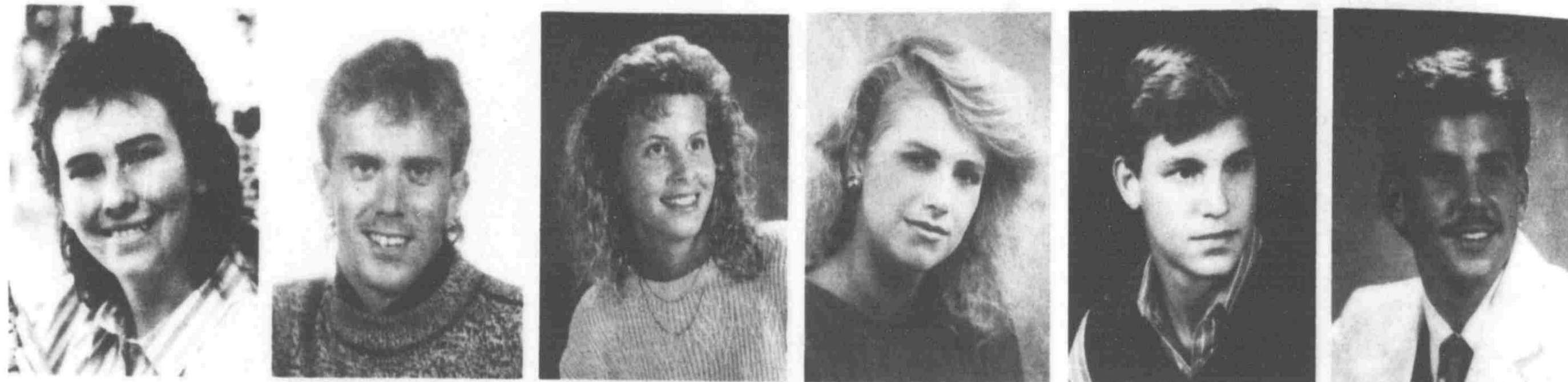
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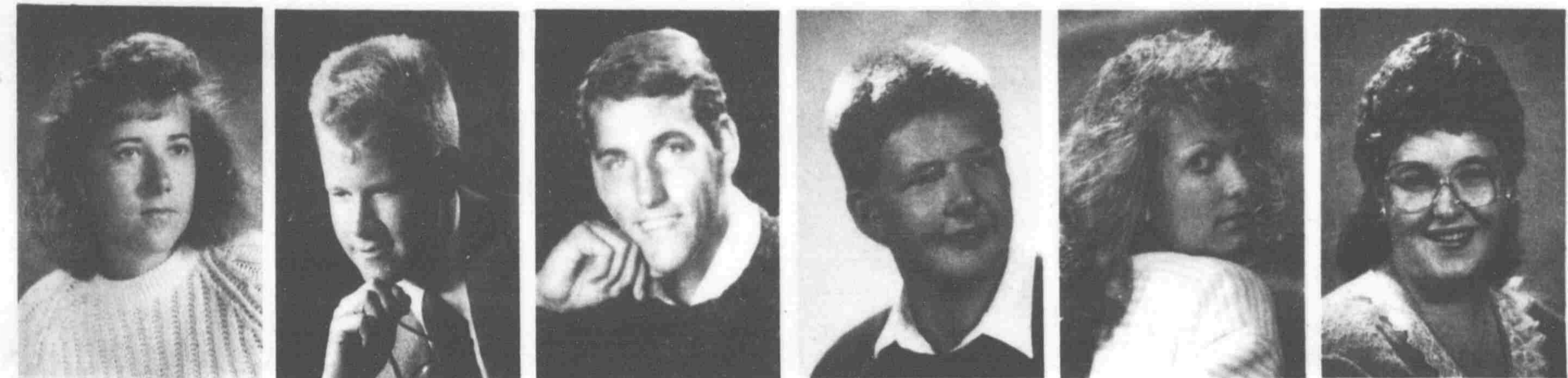
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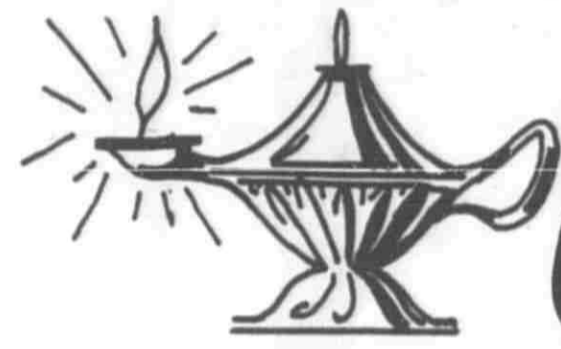


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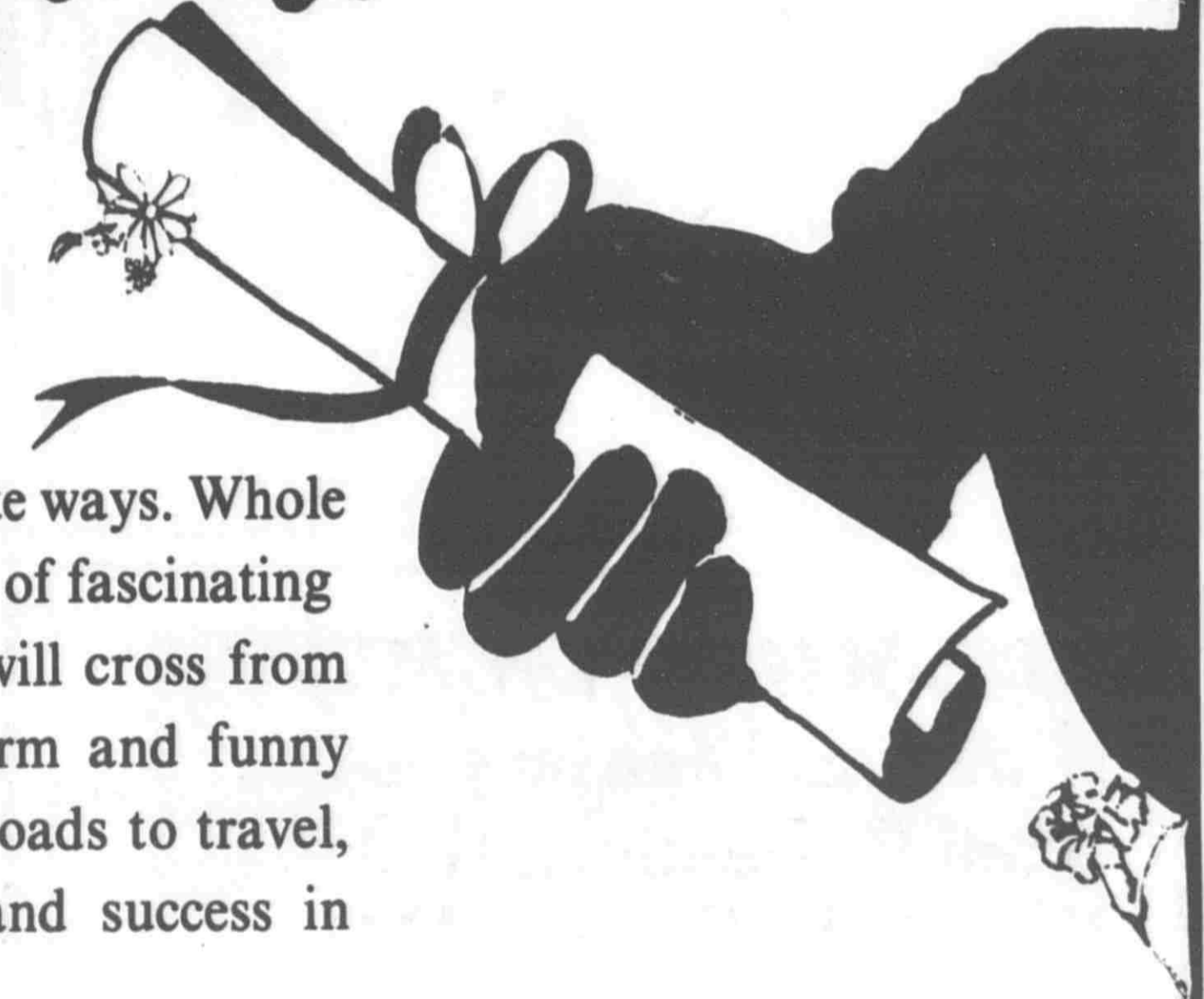


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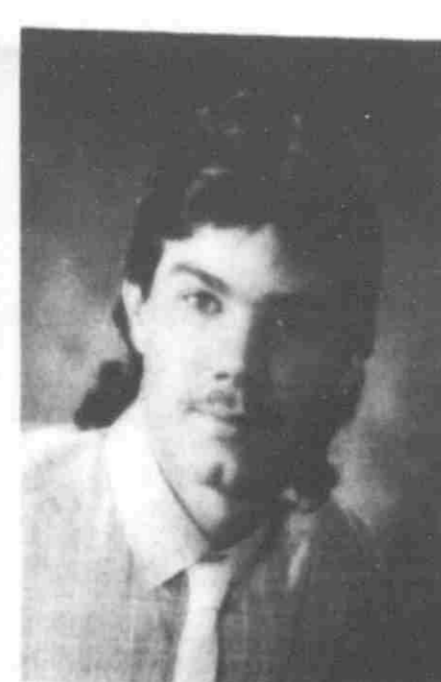
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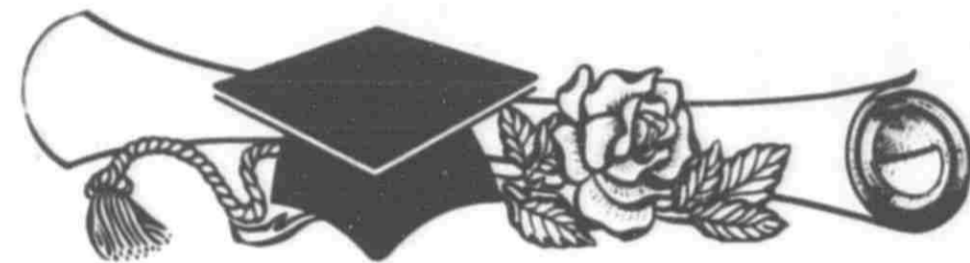


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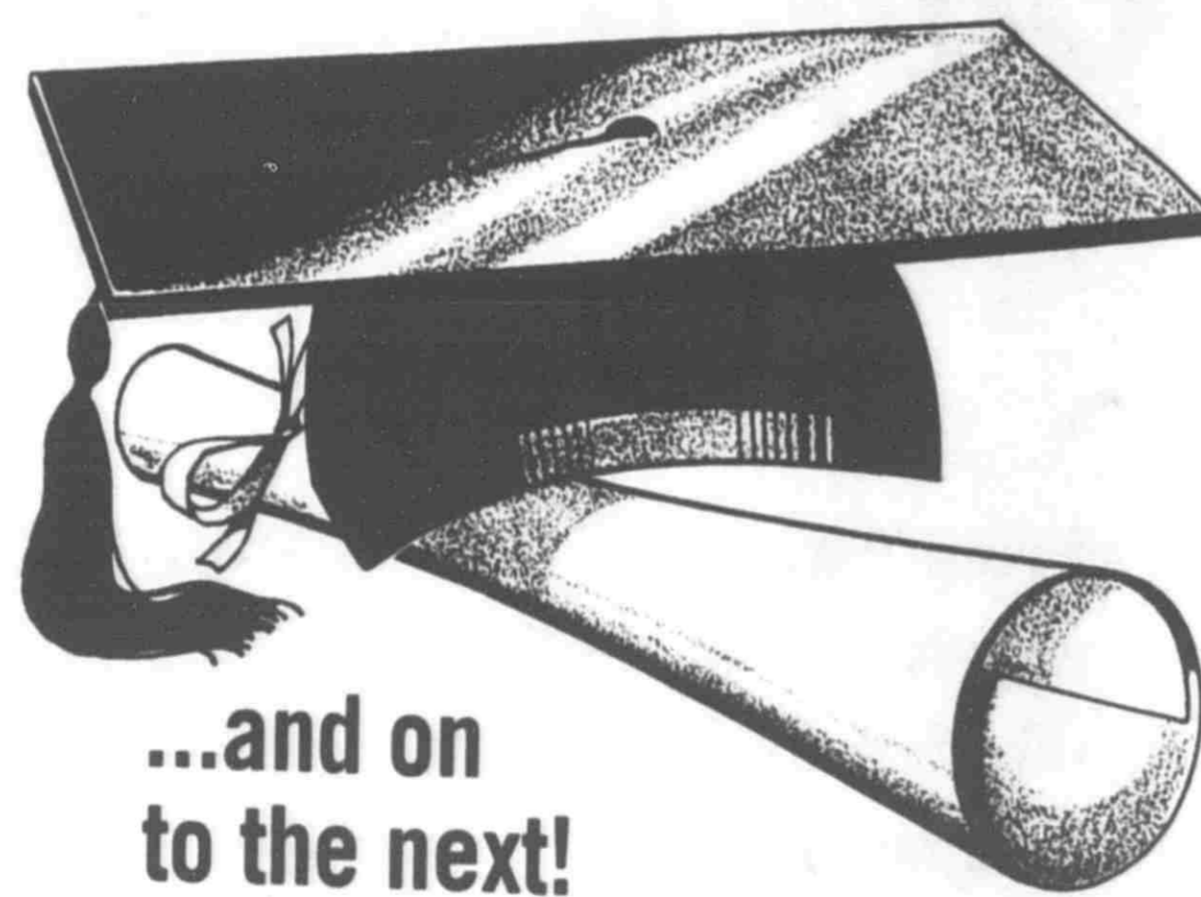
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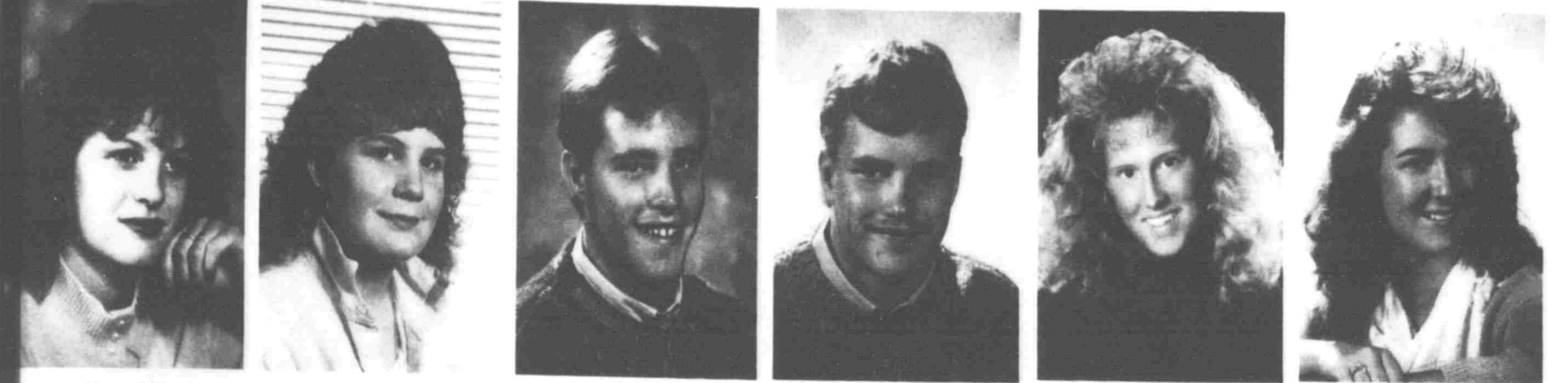
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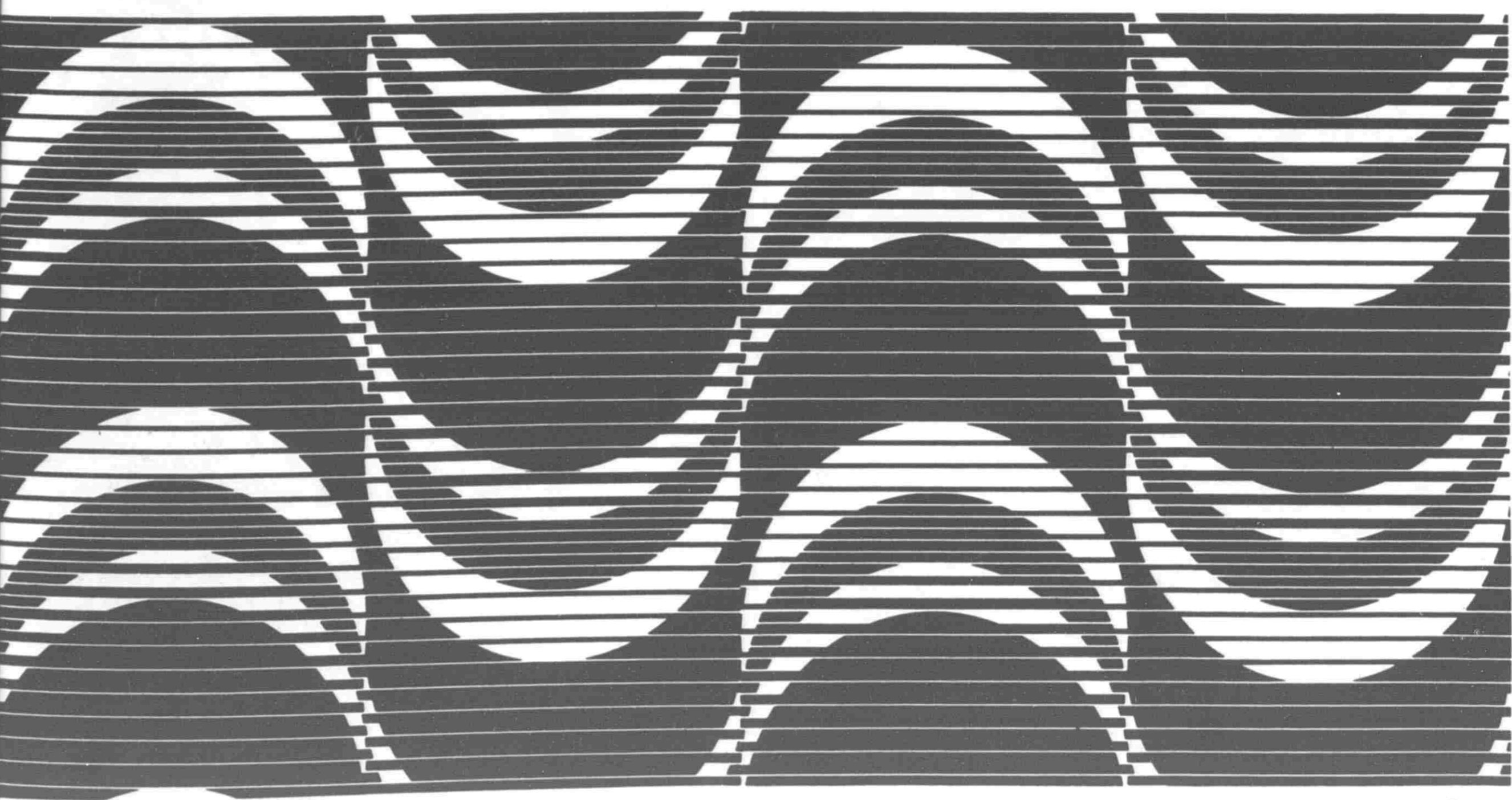
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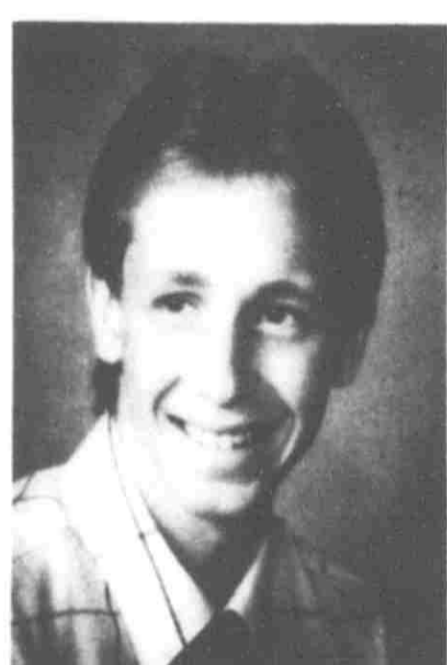
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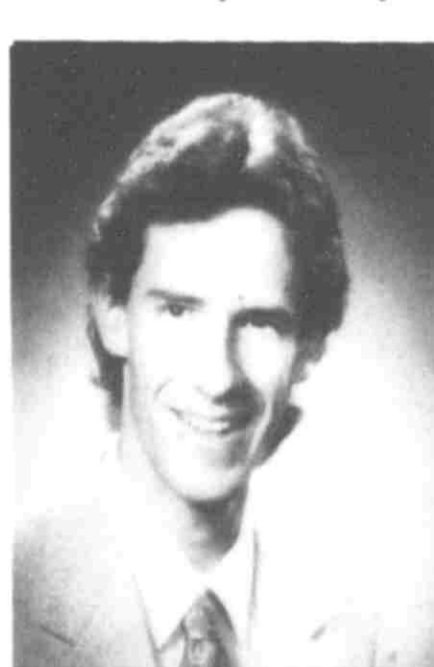
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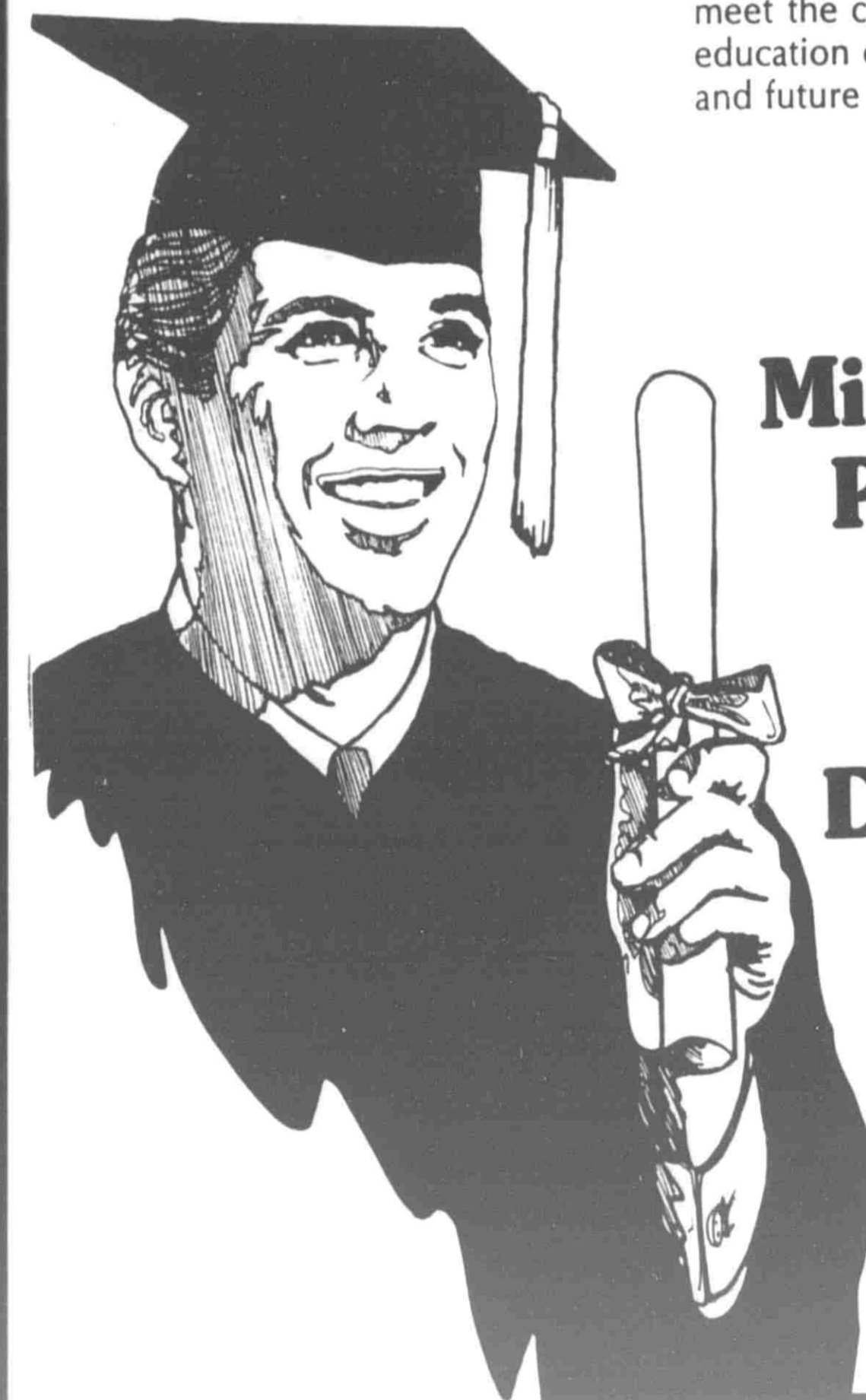
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- 2:05 **War Of The Worlds**
- 2:15 **MOVIE: Too Far To Go** After 20 years of marriage, the Maples have all the trappings of success, but they suddenly find that their relationship is disintegrating. Michael Moriarty, Blythe Danner. 1979.
- 2:20 **Great Performances** Ann Murray, Gino Quilico. 1989.
- 2:25 **Dr. Who: The Pirate Planet**
- 2:30 **MOVIE: The Haunting of Sarah Hardy** A young woman is haunted by terrifying visions of her past. Seta Ward, Morgan Fairchild. 1989.
- 2:35 **Wagon Train**
- 2:40 **Lead Off Man**
- 2:45 **Week In Review**
- 2:50 **MOVIE: Target: USA**
- 2:55 **Company Of Adventurers**
- 3:00 **Major League Baseball**
- 3:05 **(HBO) MOVIE: Soul Man** (Stereo) (CC)
- 3:10 **Major League Baseball**
- 3:15 **MotoWorld**
- 3:20 **MOVIE: The Suicide's Wife** Woman must come to grips with her despair after husband, a college English professor, kills himself, leaving no explanation. Ange Dickinson, Gordon Pinsent. 1979.
- 3:25 **[MAX] MOVIE: Native Son**
- 3:30 **CNN Headline News**
- 3:35 **The Golden Goose**
- 3:40 **American Sports Cavalcade**
- 3:45 **Lifestyles Of The Rich & Famous**
- 3:50 **French Open Tennis**
- 3:55 **MOVIE: Dumbo** In this charming Disney film, a stork brings a mother elephant a cuddly baby whose oversized ears make him a laughingstock, but allow him to fly. 1941. (CC)
- 4:00 **World Report**
- 4:05 **Animal Talk** Anthony Newley, Lance Kerwin. 1982.
- 4:10 **Teleton Continues**
- 4:15 **Sporting Life**
- 4:20 **Rifleman**
- 4:25 **Sporting Life**
- 4:30 **Small Wonder**
- 4:35 **Star Search**
- 4:40 **Great Performances** Ann Murray, Gino Quilico. 1989.
- 4:45 **Miller 200 CART Indy Race**
- 4:50 **(HBO) MOVIE: Real Men** (CC)
- 4:55 **MOVIE: Harry & The Hendersons** An ordinary camping trip turns into an adventure when a family discovers Bigfoot. Life is never the same after they decide to take him home with them. John Lithgow, Melinda Dillon. 1987.
- 5:00 **Throb**
- 5:05 **Gunsmoke**
- 5:10 **You Can't Do That On TV**
- 5:15 **NBA Basketball**
- 5:20 **Hillary's Adventures**
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- 9:10 **(3) (3) MOVIE: Shannon's Deal** NBC Sunday Night At The Movies Jack Shannon wandered down a path of destruction by gambling. His wife left him and he lost his partnership in the firm. Now he just scrapes by. Janey Sheridan, Elizabeth Pena. 1989. (CC)
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Crossword Quiz
Who is the actor who has found success for more than 25 years in roles from Little Joe to Jonathan Smith?

The answer to the Crossword Quiz is found within the answers in the puzzle. To find the answer, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

Across:

- Blues man King.
- _____, *Madeline*.
- Singer Eddie, init.
- _____. *Takes a Thief*.
- Hart* _____ *Hart*.
- Actor *Velez*' initials.
- Regarding, for short.
- Texas *Wheeler*'s Jack.
- Cousteau's milieu.
- _____. *Trapper*.
- Name of the _____.
- Keatons' oldest.
- My Two _____.
- One, to Charo.
- Scarlett's home.
- Darver's st.
- Trapper John, _____.

Down:

- Bea's monogram.
- Type of cheese.
- _____. *Street Week*.
- Actor *Bryant*.
- "Bart Packer" Moore.
- Fleming* _____.
- Stoney Burke*'s E.J. Stocker.
- Baseball's Young.
- Allice's boss.
- Star's story.
- _____. *Crest*.

Michael Landon
Crossword Quiz Solution

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DAYTIME

MORNING

- 5:00 (MO) Music Videos
5:05 (TH,FR) Green Acres
5:10 (TU) Movie
5:20 (FR) America Undercover: Verdict: The Wrong Man (CC)
5:30 (FR) Body By Jake
5:45 (MO) Inland Business
6:00 (FR) NBC News At Sunrise
6:15 (MO) Nightly Business Report
6:30 (FR) News
6:45 (MO) AM Weather
7:00 (MO) Music Videos
7:15 (MO) AM Weather
7:30 (FR) Dennis The Menace
7:45 (MO) AM Weather
8:00 (FR) Alvin & The Chipmunks

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 (MO) American Magazine
12:05 (FR) CNN
12:10 (FR) News
12:15 (FR) Love Lucy
12:20 (FR) Captain Kangaroo (CC)
12:25 (MO, TU, WE, TH) Long Ago & Far Away (CC)
12:30 (FR) American Government Survey

- (MO, WE) Third Testament
(TU) Firing Line
(TH) American Art Forum
(FR) Crazy About the Movies: Gregory Peck-His Own Man (CC)
(TU, TH) (WE) Movie
Zorro
Hot Potato
Gerald
(MO, TU, WE, FR) Professional Tennis
Sonya Live In L.A.
Pimwheel
Family Feud
Growing Pains (CC)
(FR) The Crossover
(MO) Human Face Of Hong Kong
(TU) California Highways
(WE) Hand & Eye
(TH) Amat People Of New Guinea
12:05 (FR) CHiPs
12:30 (FR) Hollywood Squares
12:35 (FR) CNN
12:40 (FR) Leave It To Beaver
12:45 (FR) ITV
12:50 (MO, TU, WE, TH) Zoolibee Zoo
12:55 (FR) Sea Turtles' Last Dance (CC)
1:00 (FR) Sally Jessy Raphael
1:05 (FR) Happy Days
1:10 (FR) Geraldo
1:15 (FR) Home from the Hill
1:20 (MO) Disappearing World
1:25 (TU) Hands
1:30 (FR) Royal Family
1:35 (TH) Sami Herders
1:40 (FR) Little House On The Prairie
1:45 (FR) New Dating Game
1:50 (FR) Teddy Ruxpin
1:55 (FR) Captain Kangaroo (CC)
2:00 (TH, FR) Movie (CC)
2:05 (FR) Golden Age of Sport: Heroes of the Roaring '20s
2:10 (WE) Neil Diamond's Greatest Hits...Live!
2:15 (FR) Fantasy Island
2:20 (FR) ABC World News This Morning (CC)
2:25 (TU) Girl on the Edge of Town
2:30 (FR) CNN
2:35 (MO, FR) (TH) Movie
2:40 (FR) You & Me, Kid
2:45 (MO, TH) To Be Announced
2:50 (WE) New Healthy Diet
2:55 (FR) Today With Marilyn
3:00 (FR) Kenneth Copeland
3:05 (FR) Bodies In Motion
3:10 (FR) Daybreak
3:15 (FR) Mysterious Cities Of Gold
3:20 (FR) CBS Morning News
3:25 (FR) This Morning's Business
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4:35 (FR) Nation's Business Today
4:40 (FR) Business Morning
4:45 (FR) CNN Headline News
4:50 (FR) Little Prince
4:55 (FR) NBC News At Sunrise
5:00 (FR) CBS Morning News
5:05 (MO) Safe Harbor
5:10 (FR) AM Weather
5:15 (TH) Movie
5:20 (MO) Music Videos
5:25 (FR) Scooby Doo
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5:55 (WE) Healthy People, Healthy Business
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6:05 (FR) Good Morning America (CC)
6:10 (FR) Madeline: The Musical (CC)
6:15 (MO) Encyclopedia: The J Volume (CC)
6:20 (WE) Nature Watch: Cuckoo Birds (CC)
6:25 (TU) Movie
6:30 (FR) Good Morning, Mickey!
6:35 (FR) Last of the Wild
6:40 (MO, TU, WE, TH) Cartoon Express
6:45 (FR) Superbook
6:50 (FR) Archie Bunker's Place
6:55 (FR) Daybreak
7:00 (FR) Mr. Wizard's World
7:05 (FR) CBS This Morning
7:10 (FR) AM Weather
7:15 (FR) Dennis The Menace
7:20 (FR) Mister Rogers' Neighborhood (CC)
7:25 (MO, WE, FR) Business File
7:30 (FR) Deaf Mosaic
7:35 (TH) Madeline Cooks
7:40 (FR) Babar: An Elephant's Best Friend
7:45 (MO, WE) Babar: The Show Must Go On
7:50 (TU, TH) Seabert: A New Friendship
7:55 (MO, FR) Movie
8:00 (FR) Welcome To Pooh Corner
8:05 (FR) Check It Out!
8:10 (FR) Adventures In Dry Gulch
8:15 (FR) Jem
8:20 (FR) Nation's Business Today
8:25 (FR) Business Day
8:30 (FR) Alvin & The Chipmunks
8:35 (FR) Smurfs
8:40 (FR) Sesame Street (CC)
8:45 (FR) Marketing
8:50 (MO, TU, WE, TH) Food For Entertainment
8:55 (MO) Movie (CC)
9:00 (FR) Donald Duck Presents
9:05 (FR) She-Ra
9:10 (FR) Father Knows Best
9:15 (FR) Bozo
9:20 (FR) Daybreak
9:25 (FR) Lassie
9:30 (FR) Beverly Hillsbillies
9:35 (FR) Flintstones
9:40 (FR) C.O.P.S.
9:45 (FR) Captain Kangaroo (CC)
9:50 (FR) Dumbo's Circus
9:55 (FR) Cartoon Express

- (FR) AWSA Waterskiing
(MO) NHRA Drag Racing
(WE) Fishin' Hole
(International Hour)
Count Duckula
Guiding Light
(FR) Indonesia: Many Are One
(MO) Mermaid & The Balloon
(TU) Royal Family
(WE) Max Boyce Meets The Dallas Cowboys
(TH) Human Face Of Hong Kong
Tom & Jerry
3:30 (FR) House Of Styles
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Super Stuppy Double Dare
Alvin & The Chipmunks
(FR) ITV
(TU) Mouse Factory
(WE) Contraption
(TH) Wuzzles
Tic Tac Dough
Green Acres
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(WE) 1989 Swamp Buggy Spectacular
Finders Keepers
(MO) Travel Images
(TU) Deal Mosaic
3:35 (FR) Flintstones
4:00 (FR) Club MTV
4:05 (FR) Nashville Now
4:10 (FR) The 20/20 Tales
4:15 (FR) People's Court
4:20 (FR) Sesame Street (CC)
4:25 (FR) Love Connection
4:30 (FR) Nature Watch: Octopus, Master Of Disguise (CC)
4:35 (FR) The Wilder Summer
4:40 (FR) Encyclopedia: The J Volume (CC)
4:45 (TU, WE, TH, FR) (TU, TH) Movie
4:50 (FR) Raccoons
4:55 (FR) Professional Golf
5:00 (MO, TU, WE, TH) High Rollers
5:05 (FR) Hazel
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5:35 (FR) Fun House
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5:45 (FR) Wings
5:50 (FR) Hand & Eye
5:55 (FR) World Showcase
(WE) Middle Kingdom
(TH) Chernobyl: The Bitter Taste Of Wormwood
4:05 (FR) Flintstones
4:10 (FR) Vol MTV Raps Today
4:15 (FR) Brady Bunch
4:20 (FR) Superior Court
4:25 (FR) Punky Brewster
4:30 (FR) Family Ties
4:35 (FR) The Wilder Summer
4:40 (FR) Survival Series: Leopard of the Wild
4:45 (FR) Henry Fonda: The Man and His Movies
4:50 (FR) Donald Duck Presents
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5:00 (FR) Father Knows Best
5:05 (MO, TH, FR) G.I. Joe
5:10 (FR) CNN Headline News
5:15 (FR) Dennis The Menace
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5:25 (FR) Family Feud
5:30 (FR) Stonehenge: If Only Stones Could Speak
4:35 (FR) Gilligan's Island
4:40 (FR) Hard 30: MTV's Head-bangers' Half Hour
4:45 (FR) Wonderful World Of Disney
4:50 (FR) This Evening
4:55 (FR) A-Team
5:00 (FR) Mister Rogers' Neighborhood (CC)
5:05 (FR) Reading Rainbow (CC)
5:10 (FR) Cosby
5:15 (MO) Movie (CC)
5:20 (FR) DTV
5:25 (MO, TU, WE, TH) Kids, Incorporated
5:30 (MO, TU, WE, TH) Dance Party USA
5:35 (FR) Big Valley
5:40 (MO, TH, FR) C.O.P.S.
5:45 (MO, TU, FR) College Baseball
5:50 (FR) Renegades/TNT All-American Pulling Series
5:55 (FR) Newswatch
6:00 (FR) You Can't Do That On TV
6:05 (FR) Donahue
6:10 (FR) Hill Street Blues
6:15 (FR) Cheers
6:20 (FR) Current Affair
6:25 (FR) New Animal World
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5:15 (FR) American Magazine
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(MO) Major League Baseball Doubleheader
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5:00 (FR) Silver Spoons
5:05 (FR) News
5:10 (FR) Little House On The Prairie
5:15 (FR) 3-2-1 Contact (CC)
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3-0, 9-2

Lowell baseball & softball teams double-dip 'Cats & FHN Malcolm superb in shutout victory

You'll win close ballgames with good pitching and defense. Lowell baseball coach Kris Kropf has continually reminded himself of that fact throughout the year - a year in which his club has come up on the short end of its share of close games.

"When we played a lot of games toward the end of the season we were hitting the ball well, but the long extended breaks hurt our bats," Kropf said. In Friday's pre-district 3-0 win over Northview, Lowell again got steady defense, solid pitching from Ryan Malcolm and just barely enough hitting.

Lowell pushed all three of its runs across in the sixth inning. David Organeke doubled into deep center field. The next two Red Arrows were retired and looked like the Lowell nine would strand another runner in scoring position. Lowell stranded runners in scoring position in its first three innings and in the fifth.

Then, with two out, Northview's pitcher dropped what looked to be a third out popball along the first baseline, just barely in fair territory, scoring Organeke. Arrow Craig Mersman followed with a walk, putting Lowell runners at first and second.

Jerry Goggins followed with a clutch two-out double into the alley in left-center field, scoring both runners. Goggins was gunned down trying to stretch the hit into a triple.

Malcolm went 6 1/2 innings allowing no runs on four hits while walking three and striking out two. Malcolm, who was in trouble up to his chin in the fifth, worked his way out of a bases loaded and one out jam.

Lowell's Mike Gahan came in relief in the seventh with one out and two men and a ball two count on the batter. He worked the count full before enticing the Wildcat batter to ground into a 6-4-3 double play to end the contest.

Lowell, who will host district play on Saturday, will play Forest Hills Central at noon.



Jerry Goggins was cut down at third after trying to stretch a two-run double into a triple.

District play Saturday

BASEBALL, Lakewood and Belding will play at 10 a.m. followed by Lowell and Forest Hills Central. The championship game will be played at 2 p.m. SOFTBALL, Central Montcalm and Northview will play at 10 a.m. with Lowell and Lakewood to follow at noon.

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Lowell girls bounce Huskies from pre-district

Following two hard earned victories against Forest Hills Central in the pre-district qualifier and against Zealand in the conference clincher, on paper it looked as though Lowell was in for "Struggle Number Three" in its pre-district game against Forest Hills Northern.

However the arm of Doreen Schneider was as tough as ever, and the hitters lashed out at Huskie pitching as Lowell rampaged to a 9-2 victory. The Red Arrows, sparked by a third inning solo home run by Megan Kirby, and second and fourth inning triples by Kathy VanBelkum and Schneider respectively, scored two runs in the second inning, one in the third, one in fourth, four in the fifth, one in the sixth.

Lowell's four-run fifth put the game out of FHN's reach. Jennifer Murphy started the rally with a single. LeAnn Iteen then walked. The runners moved up to second and third on a stolen base and a wild pitch and then scored on a Kerry Zywicki two-run single. On the play to the plate, the Lowell senior made her way to third and then scored on a VanBelkum RBI. VanBelkum eventually came around to score the Arrows' fourth run of the inning.

Schneider in picking up the victory, improved her mark to 20-4. She allowed two runs on two hits while walking three and striking out five. "Schneider was super," Lowell coach Bob Rodehouse said. "He was also pleased with the hitting. "The girls did a good job with the bats today."

VanBelkum was 2-for-3 with an RBI; Kirby was 2-for-4 with an RBI; Schneider was 1-for-2 and scored a run; and Heather Ormiston was 1-for-1 with two RBIs. Lowell scored nine runs on eight hits against Huskie pitching.

Lowell is now 23-5 on the year and will play Lakewood winner in the opening round of the districts at Lowell on Saturday. Game time will be at noon. The Red Arrows will be shooting for their second consecutive district title.



High fives were all around following Lowell's 3-1 pre-district victory over Northview.

Oops! Heather Gowen performed superbly in the regionals at Hastings, although, above, it is Angie Arnett closing in on her competitors. The Ledger apologizes for the error in names in last week's paper.

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Lowell High School bestows honors to seniors



Bob Rice busied himself with senior band awards.



Laurie Kuna, English/school paper, presents Shannon Tichelaar, right, and Jill Reinke, left, with their honors.



Lowell's Ramona Gerst is the recipient of a business award at senior awards night.

The last two weeks in May and the first week in June is a special time of year for the 1989 Lowell High School seniors.

It is all started with the high school prom, a celebration of friendships that have grown and nurtured over four years. Then comes "Senior Awards" night which is a celebration of academic excellence. This is followed by graduation, a celebration of the culmination of four years of hard work with an exciting and somewhat nervous eye on the future.

On Wednesday, May 24 Lowell High School seniors, parents and staff took time to recognize the accomplishments of academic excellence.

Not unlike the final tabulation of the 1989 Class, Co-Valedictorian Stacy Davis was once again at the top in distinguished honors. Davis was recognized for

her National Honor Society national scholarship. She was one of just 450 students nationally to receive the honor.

Sharing valedictorian honors with Davis in 1989 was Pat Nugent. He was also a recipient of a distinguished award. The senior was awarded the Christa MacAuliffe Kent County Education Association Scholarship. Nugent was also honored with the Academic Excellence award from Michigan State University.

Co-Salutatorian Jeff Zillmer

was honored with the Regents Alumni Scholarship; a University of Michigan four-year Naval ROTC Scholarship, a U of M National Association of Professional Engineers Scholarship and a U of M College of Engineering Scholarship.

Fellow Co-Salutatorian Megan Kirby received an academic excellence award from Michigan State University and a Lowell Education Association Scholarship.

Lowell's Ben Richmond was

honored with an appointment to the U.S. Naval Academy and the Bechtel Scholarship to the University of Michigan at the University of M Club in Grand Rapids.

Mike Mull was the recipient of an honors scholarship from Grand Valley State University and the Trotter Tri County Scholarship from GVSU.

Jason Douma was awarded with the Hope College Scholarship Academic Achievement Award and the Eastminister Presbyterian Church Scholarship.

Winners of annual writing contest announced



Pictured are students whose winning entries in the High School Creative Writing Contest have been included in a booklet. Left to right standing are Dawn Anderson, Wendy Perdok, Amie Kanoza, Dan Pipe, Rob Phillips, Misty McComber, Jay VanAntwerp and Brian Benn. In front are Laura Zigmont and Rodger Quiggle.

Winners of the annual creative writing contest held at Lowell High School were announced last week.

Sharing first place honors for poetry and winning \$20 each were Rodger Quiggle and Misty McComber. The third place prize of \$10 was Rob Phillips and Honorable Mention was given to Laura Zigmont, Brian Benn, Yvette Armstrong, Dan Pipe and Wendy Perdok.

Prizes for the competition were donated by the Lowell Area Arts Council. Judging the poetry were Jill VanAntwerp, Laurie

Kuna and Andy Andrzejewski. Judging the short stories were Jane Gillespie, Robert Copeland and Margaret McMahon.

The High School English Department extends congratulations to the winners, and thanks the judges and the LAAC. A

booklet has been published with the poetry and short stories of the students.

The only American author to win the Pulitzer Prize four times was poet Robert Frost.

Happy Birthday

JUNE 1: Dawn Finkler, Debbie Bowen, Jackie Ralys, Paul Blattner, Elsie Harrington, Jake Wilkerson.
JUNE 2: Karen Christensen, Dave Thaler, Elaine Denton, Larry Fosburg.
JUNE 3: Brittany Reinhart, Judy Pawloski, Tracey Snyder, Meg Behnke, Ron Nead, Dan Kehoe.
JUNE 4: Jennifer Kline, Ashley Danelle Kehoe, Dianna Johnson, Danielle Johnson, Karen Peckham.

JUNE 5: Norma Hemingsen, Shirley Kloosterman, Orin Condrure, Tricia Gonzalez, William Knottnerus, Robert Lucas, Art Backstrom, Mary Peckham.
JUNE 6: Tom Hecht, Tammy Huver, Mrs. Greg Noskey, Aaron Wester.
JUNE 7: Mack Canfield.

The Welsh national flower is the leek—a vegetable that closely resembles the onion.

at Awards Ceremony



Traci Breimayer, right, was awarded a Women's Club scholarship from Principal Dick Korb, left.

Melanie Nelson was the recipient of the Michigan Appaloosa Youth Scholarship.

The Academic Scholarship/Masters College in California went to Heather Nauta.

The Bissell Scholarship Award was given to Tom Cichon while the Tuition grant from the Michigan Department of Education (Davenport College) went to Scott Johnson.

Doreen Schneider was the recipient of an academic excellence award from Michigan State University. She was also awarded the Distinguished Scholarship Award from Grand Rapids Junior College.

Other awards included Krista Rozich, Old Kent Bank Scholarship to GRJC; Dave Kniola, Student Life Scholarship Oakland University; Jamie Cook, Business Division Scholarship GRJC; Traci Breimayer, Steelcase Scholarship GRJC; Tanya Comstock, Distinguished Scholarship Award GRJC; Joe Teunesen, Steelcase Scholarship GRJC; Angela Ogg, Spring Arbor College Scholarship Award; Sarah Kettner, Spectrum Scholarship Award Aquinas College; Jennifer VanderMark, Scholarship Award Western Michigan University; and Amie Kanoza UAW Cap Scholarship.

Local award winners included Tim Antcliffe, Burch Scholarship; Pete Kemp, Reinke Scholarship; Julie Tarak, Runciman Scholarship; Kanoza, Gumsen Scholarship; and Eric Kelley, Court Scholarship.

Social Study awards went to Mike Geisert, Heather Nauta, Pat Nugent and VanderMark. FFA awards went to Cook, Joel Manion, Becky Parcher and Bob Dine.

Lowell Women's Club Scholarships were awarded to Stacey Schwamberger, Traci Breimayer, Rachel Cattanaach and Tammie Knottnerus.



Bob Dine is congratulated for his efforts with the FFA.



Amie Kanoza, right, receives an English award from Jill VanAntwerp.

ACT recognition went to Jody Andrews, Ralph Anheuser, Tim Antcliffe, Lisa Bishop, Breimayer, Carless, Cattanaach, Michelle Chamberlain, Angela Clinger, Comstock, Cook, Davis, Tracy DeWitt, Dine, Kevin Dudeck, Laura Finney, Geisert, Pat Gilbert, Tammy Gippner, Jeff Gurney, Kelley, Kirby, Kniola, Michelle Lan-

gridge, Mull, Tony Nauta, Heather Nauta, Missy Nikodemski, Nugent, Ogg, Jessica Ray, Richmond, Schneider, Jim Smith, Phil Smith, Jody Spillane, Dennis Stickney, Rick Stockreef, William Teunesen, Kim Tryon, Trevor Tyler, VanderMark, Jim VanDyke, Tim Verburg, Weststrate, Zillmer and Zywicki.



Julie Tarak

Tarak awarded Runciman grant

Julie Tarak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tarak, is the 1989 recipient of the C. H. Runciman Scholarship Grant.

Tarak has been involved in many activities during high school. Basketball, 9-12 grade; Captain and Honorable Mention All-Conference, 12; Most Improved, 11; Golf, 11-12; Captain and All Conference, 12; Lowell's Womens' Club, Ski Club, Homecoming Representative, 11; Prom Court 12; Student Council 9-12; and Class President, 9.

Tarak will attend Michigan State University in the fall and pursue a major in Business.

The C.H. Runciman Scholarship Grant was established by the Runciman family to help deserving Lowell students meet college expenses.

Past recipients have included, Brett Kirby, Amy Swift, Brian Kidder, Tawnie Knottnerus, Kelly Byrne, Sarah Shalander, Chris Huver and Tricia Wittenbach.

Four Lowell students honored by Kent Skills Center



Pictured from left to right are: Steve Barnhart, Scott VanVeelen, Sue Schug and Kathleen Jones.

Steve Barnhart, Scott VanVeelen, Sue Schug, and Kathleen Jones were named Kent Skills Centers' Outstanding Students for 1989 at an awards ceremony at the E. Beltline Skills Center Auditorium on Tuesday, May 23.

Students were recognized for their all "A" record, excellent attendance and overall superior performance in their programs. Barnhart is a junior and in the Landscape Construction Design program. He feels the experience

of landscaping the three homes that are built by the KSC Residential Construction Class was a highlight of his year.

VanVeelen is graduating this year from two years in the Machine Metals program. He feels that KSC was a good experience, will help out in his future and will look good on a resume. He hopes to work at General Motors this summer. He will continue his program at Ferris State University in the fall.

Jones is junior and has com-

pleted the one-year Child Care program. She liked the experience of working with children. She feels this helped prepare her for a career in the child care field. Her goal is to be a director of a daycare center.

Schug is a senior completing a two-year Computerized Accounting Program. She likes KSC because she received or the-job training. She will work at FMB State Savings Bank and begin classes at Davenport College in the fall of 1990.

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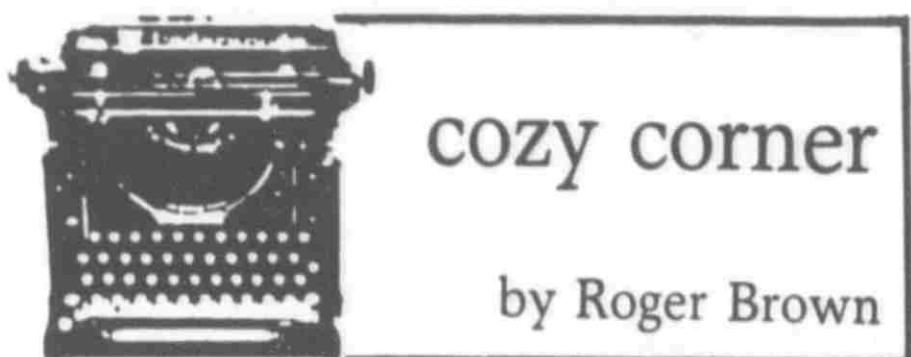
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I left you last week with Terese and I stranded at the top of a scenic overlook in the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lake Shore. We were on a weekend outing in celebration of our 17th wedding anniversary and I pulled the bonehead move of locking the keys in the car. It was windy and cool, but even though she was dressed in shorts, Terese didn't notice the cold because she was too busy tuning.

I was hard at work wasting my time with a flimsy piece of wire I found holding up a young sapling. I had prided the door open just enough to sneak the wire in from the top and rear of the door. Of course the locking mechanism is located low and forward on the door, so I was trying to get lucky from three feet away. Fat chance.

As I played around with that wire a steady stream of passing tourists stopped to offer their advice, condolences, wisecracks, etc. At least fifty people stopped to say something to the effect of, "Oh my, I've done that before". Then they'd go on to tell me how they finally got out of the predicament. The solutions offered were along the lines of being towed to a garage, hiring a locksmith, getting a ride home for extra keys, finding a police officer with a "Slim Jim", and a host of other ideas. . . none of which were plausible atop a sand mountain 200 miles from home.

At least another fifty people stopped and asked, "Did you lock yourself out of your car?" After the first ten or twelve of those inquiries I really felt like saying, "No, I've always wanted a nice looking Buick, so I'm stealing this one".

One old boy looked over my shoulder for a good fifteen minutes muttering over and over, "Golly, I just don't know what I could do to help". His wife stood nearby muttering over and over, "My my, what a shame". I know their hearts were in the right place, but I doubt they realized how close they came to being thrown off that mountain.

Some people offered legitimate help. One couple that was leaving offered to look for a park ranger on the way out and tip them off to my plight. Another fellow vacationing from New York offered me a coat hanger, which was a vast improvement over the flimsy wire I'd been using. It still wasn't effective in grabbing the smoothly rounded lock release lever. I continued to toil away with the coat hanger, but felt down deep that I was probably just wasting my time. I was right.

Still the tourists wandered by offering free, but mostly worthless advice. I was getting pretty good at tuning it all out until I heard a woman say, "Oh boy, I'll bet we get to read about this in the Ledger". I have seen the woman around Lowell, but I didn't know her. She knew me though, and with her tongue firmly planted in cheek she offered to tell the kids that Terese and I were alive and well when she got back to Lowell. I thanked her for her concern, and assured her that a complete account of my stupidity would be published in the Ledger.

I realize that I'm the one who locked my keys in the car, so I don't have much room to talk, but some of the advice I received was also a little less than brilliant. One lady wondered if I couldn't get in through the engine compartment. She obviously didn't realize that car hoods have to be unlocked from the inside on most cars built in the last fifteen or twenty years. She also didn't notice that I'm a little on the large size to be crawling through the heat duct on a Buick. Another lady thought the manufacturers should install an emergency lock release system in the trunk. She didn't take into account the fact that the trunk would be locked too. And, if such an emergency release were accessible, it would be pretty silly to lock your car in the first place since a thief could use it too. There were others, but that gives you an idea. Oh gosh, it was a fun time up there on that mountain.

Finally, a young guy with an obvious knack for mechanical ability watched me for a while and offered a possible solution. I could get the coat hanger on the release lever, but as soon as I pulled up, the wire would slip off. I had tried various loops and hooks at the end of the wire, but nothing worked. This fellow immediately spotted the problem and suggested that I bend the coat hanger at the end until it broke. He figured the jagged end might be sharp enough to dig into the chrome covered plastic. After a few tries, I had the freshly broken wire in the right position, and bingo! The lever raised a little, and I crossed my fingers, arms, legs and toes before trying the door handle. It opened! You've never seen anybody get into a car and get moving as fast as Terese and I did.

It took about an hour and a half, but we were outa' there! We stopped down the road a ways for a picnic lunch. The couple with the coat hanger spotted us, and said we were a definite entry in their trip diary. The park rangers finally caught up to us and said they couldn't have helped us anyway. They had their "Slim Jims" taken away after several door lock systems had been ruined. Several other people stopped to offer their congratulations. We were real celebrities. It was an experience I won't forget, but I don't think I'd recommend it.

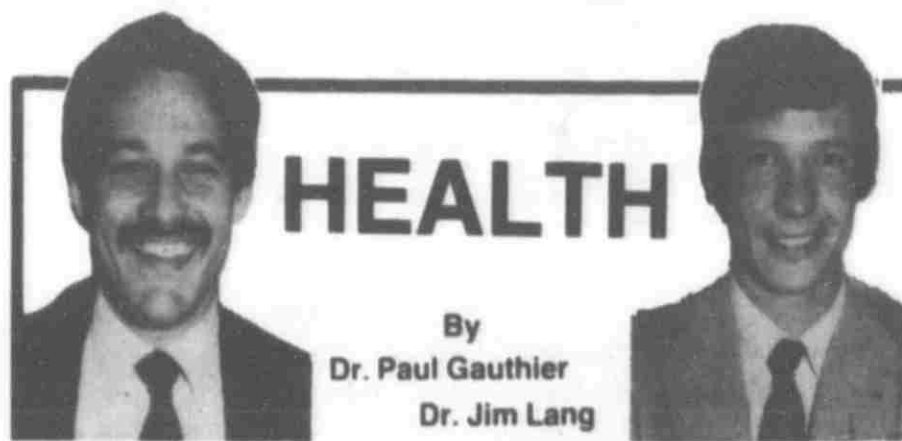
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Approximately 5% of children have strabismus, which is a congenital deviation of the eyeball. These deviations of the eyeball can be in four directions: inward, outward, upward or downward. Strabismus is usually observed either shortly after birth or at the age of 2-3 years; rarely is the onset at a later age. Infants do not develop coordinated eye movements until about four to five months of age. An occasional infant is observed to have temporary deviation of the eyes, and realignment subsequently occurs. Any child who

has a deviation that persists for several months or who develops a deviation after the age of six months should be investigated for the cause of the strabismus.

A few simple eye tests and a formal examination by your doctor is often enough to make the diagnosis of strabismus. Visual screening examination of all preschool children is therefore an important tool in finding early cases of strabismus.

Children do not outgrow strabismus. Early treatment is important and should be implemented by an eye specialist (ophthalmologist). Treatment is directed toward the development of good visual acuity in each eye, realignment of the eyes in good cosmetic position, and functional re-establishment of good binocular vision. Several steps are taken to attain these objectives, but if they are unsuccessful, surgical intervention is usually indicated. Early surgery (9-24 months) with alignment of the eyes is more likely to result in a functional cure than surgery performed at age 4-5 years or later.

As noted earlier, visual screening of pre-school children is exceedingly important in early diagnosis of this very treatable problem.

**ANNUAL
SCHOOL
ELECTION**

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION
OF THE ELECTORS OF
LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS
KENT AND IONIA COUNTIES,
MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD JUNE 12, 1989**

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the annual election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 12, 1989.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

At the annual school election there will be elected one (1) member to the board of education of the district for full term(s) of four (4) years ending in 1993.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCY(IES):

**Linda I. Beers
Dennis P. Brown
David Jack Noonan**

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the annual school election:

APPROVAL TO LEVY MAXIMUM AUTHORIZED MILLAGE

Shall the maximum authorized millage rate of Lowell Area Schools, Kent and Ionia Counties, Michigan, be approved for levy in 1989 without the reduction required by section 31 of article 9 of the state constitution of 1963?

THE VOTING PLACE(S) ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1
Voting Place: Runciman Elementary School, 300 High Street, Lowell, Michigan. The first precinct consists of the City of Lowell and those portions lying north of the centerline of Cascade Road in Cascade and Lowell Townships in Kent County, and Boston Township in Ionia County.

Kids' fishing contest planned

The Lowell Area Fishing Club is holding its 3rd Annual Kids FREE Fishing Days clinic and contest.

The '89 event will again be held at the Lowell Middle School pond on Foreman Rd. The date and time for this year's outing are Saturday, June 10, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Boys and girls ages 5 to 13 are invited to participate. Capping the event will be a free hot-dog and soft drink lunch.

The annual event is, as in the past, being held on the DNR's Free Fishing Weekend, June 10 and 11.

"Fishing is one of the most enjoyable and relaxing sports there is, something a person can do all of his or her life," said Len Hamp, President of the Lowell Area Fishing Club. "It's important to get started right and early to get the most enjoyment from any sport. That's what we would like to help these boys and

girls do." Attendance will be limited and kids should pre-register. (A form can be found in the Ledger and in the Buyers Guide. "They (the kids) should bring along any fishing tackle they have, but some will be available for their use," said Hamp.

The Club also requests the boys and girls be accompanied by a parent or guardian. "We've had some Grandpas and Grandmas attend in the past. It gives

them a day out with the grand-kids and does them both a lot of good," Hamp says.

For more information about the Kid's Fishing or the L.A.F.C., call Hamp at 897-5142 or the Secretary of the L.A.F.C. at 897-8625 evenings 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. The Lowell Area Fishing Club meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Flat River Snowmobile Clubhouse on Potters Rd.

**ENTRY FORM
LOWELL AREA FISHING CLUB
KIDS' FISHING CLINIC
SAT., JUNE 10, 1989
AGES 5 to 13 years**

CHILD'S NAME _____
AGE _____
ADDRESS _____
ZIP _____

Entry deadline is June 9, at 12 noon. Child(ren) should be accompanied by an adult and bring any fishing tackle they have. They will be fishing from the bank at the pond west of Lowell Middle School. (If the child has any handicap L.A.F.C. should know about, please note on a separate sheet of paper.) Entries limited to the 1st 50 kids.

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PRECINCT NO. 2
Voting Place: Old Township Hall, 8240 Alden Nash Road, Alto, Michigan. The second precinct consists of Bowne Township in Kent County and Campbell Township in Ionia County and those portions lying south of the centerline of Cascade Road in Cascade and Lowell Townships in Kent County, and Boston Township in Ionia County.

PRECINCT NO. 3
Voting Place: Vergennes Township Hall, corner of Bailey Drive and Parnell Avenue in Vergennes Township. The third precinct consists of the Townships of Ada, Cannon, Grattan, and Vergennes in Kent County, and Keene Township in Ionia County.

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

STATEMENT OF KENT COUNTY TREASURER AS TO VOTED INCREASES

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
)SS.
COUNTY OF KENT)

I, JOHN K. BOEREMA, the duly elected, qualified and acting Treasurer of the County of Kent, State of Michigan, hereby CERTIFY that part of Lowell Area Schools, is located within the boundaries of said County of Kent and that, at the date hereof, the records of this office indicate that there are voted increases in the total tax rate limitation, in local units, affecting the taxable property in said school district as follows:

| Unit | Voted Increases | Years Effective |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| By Kent County: | NONE | |
| By Grattan Township: | NONE | |
| By Ada Township: | 1.25 Mills, | 1987 to 1991 Incl. |
| By Vergennes Township: | NONE | |
| By Cannon Township: | 1.00 Mills | 1984 to 1989 Incl. |
| By Lowell Township: | NONE | |
| By Bowne Township: | NONE | |
| By The School District | 1.4 Mills | 1987 to 1993 Incl. |
| | 22.2 Mills, | 1986 to 1990 Incl. |
| | 0.7 Mill, | 1986 to 1990 Incl. |
| | 2.9 Mills, | 1989 Only |
| | 3.2 Mills, | 1990 Only |

John K. Boerema
Kent County Treasurer

Dated April 13, 1989
at Grand Rapids, Michigan

I, Lucille Heppie, Treasurer of the County of Ionia County, Michigan, hereby certify that as of April 14, 1989, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Lowell Area Schools, Kent and Ionia Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

| | | |
|------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| By Ionia County: | .003 | unlimited |
| By Boston Township: | None | |
| By Campbell Township: | None | |
| By Keene Township: | None | |
| By the School District | 1.4 Mills, | 1989 to 1993, Incl. |
| | 22.2 Mills, | 1989 & 1990 |
| | 0.7 Mills, | 1989 & 1990 |
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Lucille Heppie
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Dated: April 14, 1989

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VOTE - Linda Beers for Lowell Board of Education.
Monday, June 12.
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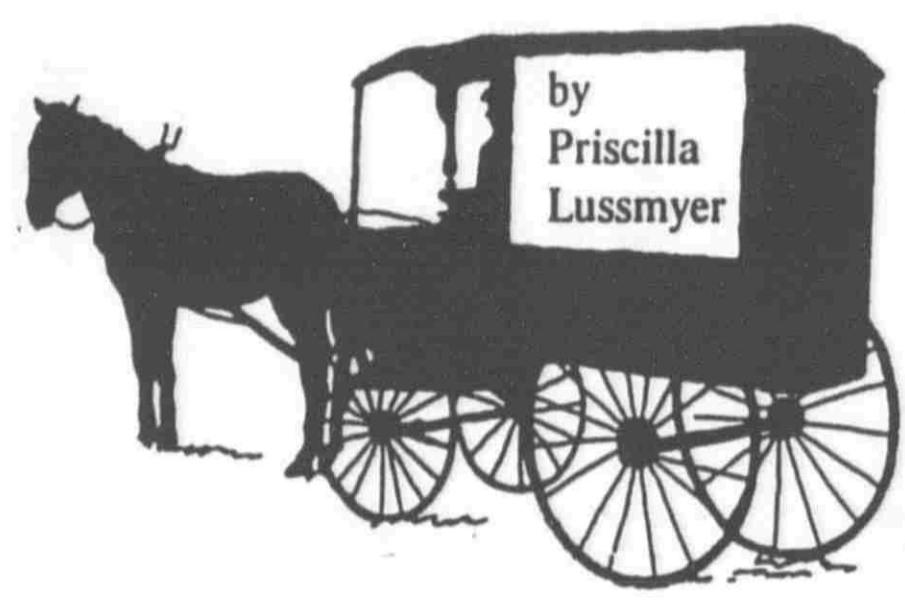
SALES

GARAGE SALE - Thursday and Friday, June 1 and 2 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, June 3, 10 a.m. to ? Dressing table with mirror and matching stool, console stereo, woodburner, clothing, adult and children and many more treasures. 122 Race St., Freeport.
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WANTED

WANTED - Room or small apartment for single male. In or around Lowell, Saranac or Clarksville area. Call 897-7054.

Ledger Entries



100 YEARS AGO IN THE JOURNAL - MAY 29, 1889
The Class of 1889 numbers 5 and will graduate June 28. After the 90's temperatures, frosts nearly every night last week, with snow one night.

Water pipes have been laid to Oakwood Cemetery to help beautify the grounds.

Fish, mostly mullet, are dying in great numbers in Grand River, reason unknown.

A large tent goes up at Morse Lake for the coming week's revival meetings.

75 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - MAY 28, 1914
The Decoration Day program will include a speech, readings, male quartet and the Silver Family Band. Readers are asked to bring flowers to the old Lowell Hotel to strew on the graves, and auto owners are requested to transport passengers in the parade.

Michigan Agricultural College at Lansing is in dire financial straits; the decision to borrow operating funds lies in the Supreme Court's hands.

Teacher, Richard Walker of West Vergennes sprains his ankle, so his sister, Ruby, is teaching in his place.

Farmers trading in town can't drive up to stores to unload produce because of automobiles standing in the way. The Ledger asks car owners to be considerate.

50 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - JUNE 1, 1939
A new state law gives couples 30 days instead of 15 for the required pre-marital medical exam, and requires testing for syphilis for all pregnant women.

End-of-year field trips, Baccalaureate, athletic banquet and Commencement keep LHS students busy. 76 seniors, "in all likelihood" the largest class ever, will graduate.

Senator Arthur Vandenberg's defeat of the Florida Ship Canal project adds fuel to the "Draft Vandenberg for President" fire for next year.

25 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - MAY 28, 1964
The editor tuts-tuts the Kroger Store for planning to stay open during the Memorial Day Parade.

Discussion takes place about telling the difference between fire and tornado alarms.

119 seniors will graduate.

The Vergennes Cooperative Club celebrates its 50th year with a new project of rebuilding the historic Fallasburg Village.

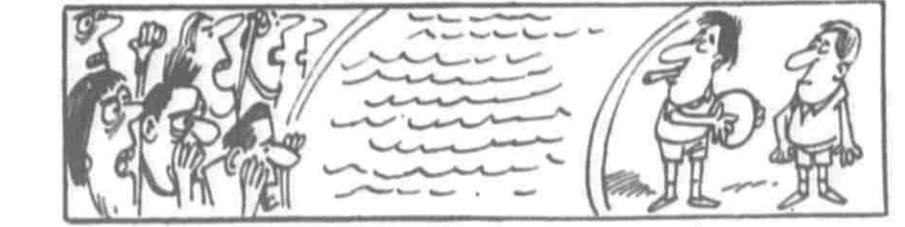
The 1964 LHS Annual is dedicated to "that single voter" who cast the deciding vote on the new school millage proposal.

BRISTOL BODY SHOP



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A stadium in Brazil has a moat to protect the players from the fans.

Beers' board of education seat up for election, June 12

One four-year term on the Lowell Board of Education is up for election on the June 12 ballot. The board seat opening up is that of Linda Beers. Joining Beers in the race for the seat are Dave Noonon, and Dennis Brown.

Beers, the incumbent in the race, was appointed in 1980 to fill the term of office vacated by Tom Heintzleman and won two four-year terms in 1981 and 1985.

She attended Washington Senior High School, and has been a Lowell resident for 15 years. Linda is married to Mel and they have two children, Mindy age 15 and Dena age 12. Linda is employed by the Michigan Association of School Boards as a governmental relations specialist.

Her involvement with the community includes being a member of the Kent Intermediate Association of School Board's Legislative Network and the Michigan Association of School Boards.

"I am running for the Lowell School Board of Education because I have a commitment to education. There are many challenges to be met and I feel I have the experience and commitment to be a contributing member of the team of school board members, administration, staff, students, and community that will

be successful in meeting these challenges."

Dave Noonon has resided in Lowell for five-and-a-half years and is employed by NAPA Lowell Store. Dave and his wife have three children, Ann 22, Amy 17, and David 9.

Noonon attended Lansing Everett High School and Grand Rapids Reformed Bible College.

His community involvement includes being a member of the Congregational Church, Cub Master of Pack 3102, past board member of Life Motivation (Drug and Alcohol Rehab Program), past member of the Grand Rapids Urban Fellowship and the Northeast Community Ministries, and past counselor at the Sunshine One-Way House.

"First, let me say that I will not speak ill of the current school board. All the members approach the job with their own ideas of what the school district should and should not be, with regard to the education of our children. In fact, the reason I am seeking a seat is very simple. My son, David, is in the fourth grade and I am concerned and interested in the education he receives. This interest and concern is strong enough to convince me that I am willing to invest the time and effort necessary to ensure that he receives only the best education, academic, athletic,

and social that we as parents can provide."

Brown has lived in Lowell for 23 years and is employed by Diesel Technology Corporation. Dennis and his wife have five children, Dennis age 21, Roxanne 20, Patrick 18, Jennifer 13 and Stephanie 12.

Brown graduated from Coopersville High School, is involved with the St. Patrick's Parnell Plant Committee, and is a member of the Credit Committee at Multi Products Credit Union.

He is running for the school board because, "We, the lower and middle income taxpayers, are the backbone of the revenue from taxes and we should be better represented on all policy making boards and committees."

Beers, Noonon, Brown vie for seat



Linda Beers



Dennis Brown



Dave Noonon



In 1970, an Air Force cost analyst named Ernest Fitzgerald told Congress about cost overruns on the C-5A troop transport plane. Fitzgerald was outraged that taxpayers were being ripped off as their hard-earned dollars were being poured into a project that kept growing more and more expensive.

Neither the Pentagon nor the Nixon Administration appreciated Fitzgerald's testimony. The President himself gave the order to fire Fitzgerald and he was quickly dumped. It took him 12 years before he got his old job back.

Fitzgerald may be the most prominent government employee to be penalized for blowing the whistle on governmental waste, fraud and abuse. But he is far from the only one to face retaliation for doing what he

knew was right. In fact, over the last decade an estimated 2,000 federal workers have complained of reprisals for whistleblowing.

These people shouldn't be punished. They should be praised. They are front line soldiers in the battle against waste, fraud and mismanagement. Giving protection to them is a very simple and very effective way to save taxpayers' dollars.

That is why I've authored the "Whistleblower Protection Bill." It's also why I'm proud that my bill has passed the Congress and was just signed into law by President Bush.

The law protects whistleblowers by making it easier for them to prove that they were retaliated against for reporting instances of waste or mismanagement. It also grants federal employees the right--for the first

time--to appeal their own cases to an administrative appeals board. And it ensures the independence of the Office of Special Counsel (the agency charged with protecting whistleblowers) and requires it to work in the interest of whistleblowers.

Getting this bill passed was no picnic. Last year both the House and Senate unanimously passed an almost identical bill. Nevertheless, President Reagan vetoed it. He said that it would block the government from firing incompetent workers, an argument that just doesn't hold water.

Fortunately, the Bush Administration joined Congressional supporters in working to produce an even stronger bill. The final version makes a number of substantive changes in last year's bill. Those changes meet some of the President's concerns and also correct some provisions which had been weakened in a

vain attempt to win President Reagan's support.

I was pleased at the White House-Congressional cooperation that produced this new law. First, the "Whistleblower Protection Act" will combat waste and mismanagement in the federal government. And, second, the cooperation between the White House and Congress that helped get it enacted may mean that the new Administration is making an effort to work out differences with Congress on a vital piece of legislation.

We cannot solve our nation's most difficult problems--like the budget deficit--through confrontation and partisanship. We can solve such pressing problems if we work together. I hope that the spirit of cooperation that led to this bill's enactment is early evidence of a new spirit in Washington.

CITY OF LOWELL

PUBLIC HEARING

The Lowell City Council will consider an amendment to its Code of Ordinances deleting Article II of Chapter 4 thereby eliminating reference to regulation of Billiard and Poolrooms.

A public hearing will be scheduled for Monday, June 5, 1989 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 301 E. Main, Lowell, Michigan to consider the amendment.

Interested persons may submit comments prior to the meeting or appear in person at City Hall.

Betty R. Morlock
Deputy City Clerk

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CITY OF LOWELL

NOTICE OF COMBINED 1989-90 BUDGET HEARING AND TRUTH IN TAXATION HEARING

To conform with Act 5, Public Acts of Michigan, 1982, the Lowell City Council will hold a public hearing on a proposed increase of .6291 mills in the operating millage rate to be levied in 1989. This rate will be 12.383 mills which is the same as levied last year. The hearing will be held:

MONDAY, JUNE 5, 1989 at 7:30 P.M.
Council Chambers, City Hall, 301 E. Main St.
Lowell, Michigan

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 5.348% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing.

The taxing unit publishing this notice identified below has complete authority to establish the number of mills to be levied within its authorized millage rate.

Additionally, the City Council will receive testimony and discuss the proposed 1989-90 Budget. Following the public hearing, the City Council may adopt its 1989-90 Budget.

A copy of the proposed 1989-90 Budget is available for public inspection during normal business hours at City Hall.

David M. Pasquale
City Clerk
City of Lowell, MI
Date: May 26, 1989

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CITY OF LOWELL

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Lowell City Council, acting as the Zoning Board of Appeals, will conduct a public hearing at its regularly scheduled meeting of June 5, 1989 at 7:30 p.m. at the Lowell City Hall, 301 East Main St., Lowell, Michigan.

The purpose of said hearing will be to receive comments on the following variance request:

Ivan Blough, on behalf of the owner, requests a variance for parcel 41-20-02-344-001 located at 608 W. Main Street to construct two wall signs (one allowed) for the Yogurt Station. The total number of wall signage will be reduced from 70 s.f. to 64 s.f.

Interested persons may submit comments prior to the meeting or appear in person at City Hall.

Betty R. Morlock
Deputy City Clerk

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THANKS FROM THE CITY OF LOWELL

The City of Lowell wishes to thank the following merchants and organizations for their donations of gifts and/or tours for the Mayor and City Officials of the City of Marshall on "Mayor Exchange Day", May 23 and May 25, 1989.

- Atwood Corporation
- Bernard's True Value Hardware
- Christoff & Sons
- Cousin's Card & Gift Shoppe
- Crystal Flash
- Flat River Antique Mall
- King Milling Company
- Larkin's Saloon
- Lowell Area Rescue
- Lowell Area Fire Department
- Lowell Arts Council
- Lowell Chamber of Commerce
- Lowell Litho
- Lowell Police Department
- Lowell Showboat
- Lowell Sport Shoppe
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