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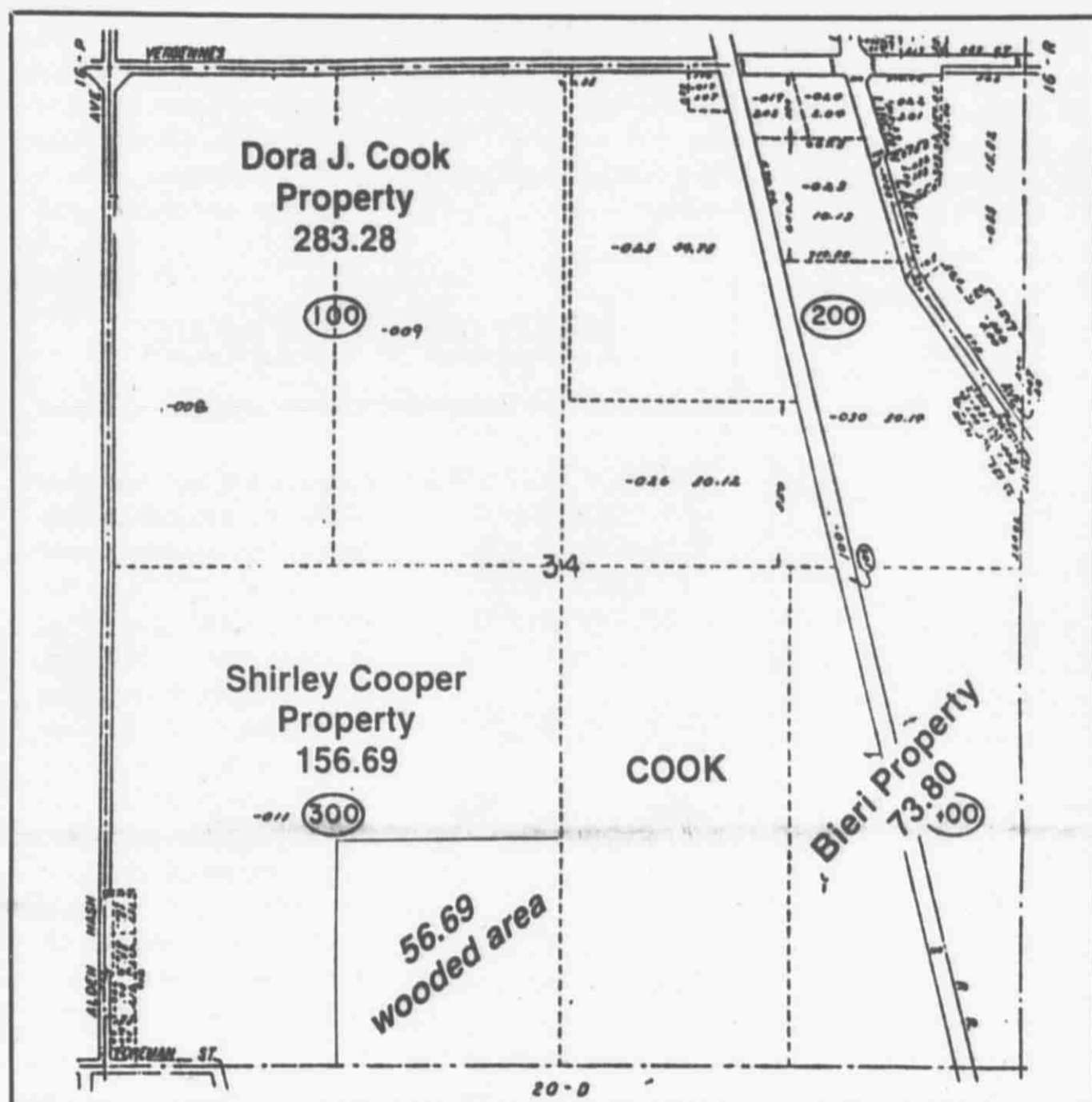
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## City of Lowell and Vergennes Township will meet to discuss possible water/sewer formal agreement

### School's search for land crosses over into Vergennes Township



Under what conditions would the City of Lowell and Vergennes Township enter into a written agreement to provide sewer and water if a proposed high school site is selected in Vergennes Township? And if an agreement is entered into how will the extension of water and sewer into Vergennes Township be paid for?

Lowell School's administration now eagerly seeks and awaits crucial answers to these questions after learning Judge Dennis Kolenda's decision was guided significantly by his perception the school did not satisfactorily pursue the extension of sewer and water lines into Vergennes Township.

Lowell Superintendent, Fritz Esch had letters delivered to both the City of Lowell and Vergennes Township seeking a water and sewer agreement in a timely and expeditious fashion.

"I will show them what speed is," Vergennes Township Supervisor, Jim Cook said. "Gary Kemp, Assistant Superintendent delivered the letter to the Vergennes Township Board at its meeting on July 16, and I hand delivered our response on the morning of July 17."

Cook said that under any conditions a formal agreement could be reached with the city. "Vergennes Township has no economic desire to assess the user (school)," he said.

Would Vergennes be willing to pay all or any of the costs to extend water and sewer into Vergennes Township? Cook deferred on that question. He did say, how much the school budgeted for possible extension in the bond issue would be a factor, as would the site location and other considerations.

The Vergennes Township Supervisor added unless the location of the new high school

would be in the southeast corner of the Township. The extension of water/sewer lines would be dedicated solely for the use of the new high school.

"The southeast corner has the most development, the highest density zoning, and the most growth. Therefore, there would be some interest in water/sewer availability," Cook said.

The Township Supervisor said he thought the two governmental entities (Township and the City) could overcome its petty disagreements of the past and reach a formal agreement. "I think the common cause is too overpowering not to," Cook said.

The Vergennes Township Board appointed Cook, Roger Roberts and Allan Baird to meet and negotiate with the City. A meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, July 25th.

While the school seeks  
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#### ATTENTION! STAMP COLLECTORS

Stamp collectors should take special note of a recent decision by the Postal Service to limit sales of philatelic items to a maximum sales time of two years starting September 20, 1991.

This means all old stamp collecting kits that were previously available for an unlimited period of time will be removed from sale September 20th. Stamp collectors interested in completing their collections will need to purchase before September 20th.

Lowell Postmaster Sylvia Taylor stated Lowell has several old kits still for sale. Contact her at 897-9949 for information or purchase kits at the Lowell Post Office at 120 N. Broadway, Lowell, MI.

#### COMMUNITY SWIM MEET THIS SAT.

There will be a Community Swim Meet at the "Y" pool at Recreation Park this Saturday, July 27 at 11 a.m.

There is a \$1 fee at the gate for participants. All ages welcome and certificates will be given.

#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

"Marketplace Ministry" First Baptist Church of Lowell, August 5-9 (Mon. - Fri.) 6:15 - 8:30 p.m. Open to all children entering kindergarten thru sixth grades.

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## Gallery viewing bench created through desire

### Barber designs and constructs viewing bench

The Lowell Area Arts Gallery viewing bench named Desire.

It isn't, but it could have been.

It was the desire of the art gallery to find a bench for seating.

It was the desire of Harry and Friends, a group of 15 West Michigan water color artists, and Matrix Services Inc. to pay for materials so a viewing bench could be constructed.

It was the desire of the Lowell Area Arts Gallery committee to commission fellow committee member, Jeremy Barber to draw up a design for approval and construction.

You see, desire had a lot to do with the viewing bench



Jeremy Barber designed and constructed this viewing bench for the Lowell Area Arts Gallery.

which now sits as a fixture of the Lowell Area Arts Gallery.

"There wasn't a piece of furniture readily available. But then the committee realized we had someone who was capable of drawing up a design and then constructing a piece of furniture for us," Lowell Area Arts Gallery spokesman, Dave Davis said.

Barber received education in designing from Kendall College of Arts and Design. The 1986 Lowell graduate is a cabinet-maker by trade.

"I was excited about getting the opportunity to do something original and of this size," Barber said. "The construction part was a challenge."

Barber drew from the wide range of design information he attained from Kendall College and cabinet-making experience in drawing up the shape and design of the viewing bench.

"The design of the viewing bench is very contemporary."

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# Obituaries

**FORSTROM**—Mrs. Loretta Ruth Forstrom, aged 76, of Lowell, formerly of Waterford, MI, passed away July 20, 1991. She was preceded in death by her husband, George. She is survived by William and JoAnne Schreuer and Family of Lowell; Uncle George (Margaret) Graham of Saranac, an Aunt, Marguerita Baril of AZ; and several cousins. Funeral Services were held Monday at the Roth-Gerst Chapel, Lowell. Deacon John Paroff of St. Mary's Church officiating. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Welcome Home for the Blind, 953 Monroe NW, Grand Rapids, 49505.

**GRIFFIN**—Wesley L. Griffin, aged 73, of Lowell, died July 17, 1991. He is survived by his wife, Betty; children Sharon (Roger) DePew of Alto, Robert (Judy) Griffin of Lowell; four grandchildren, Jeff, Joe, Rich DePew, Rob-

ert Griffin Jr.; sisters-in-law, Delores (Jack) Marks of Ada, Norene Griffin of Grand Rapids; several nieces and nephews. Mr. Griffin was a farmer and worked at Ada Beef for over 20 years. Funeral Services were held Saturday at Roth-Gerst Chapel, Rev. R.P. VanDonkelaar officiating. Interment Bailey Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Lowell Wesleyan Church.

**HANNA**—Mrs. Marguerite J. Hanna, aged 71, of Lowell, died Wednesday, July 17, 1991. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Robert Hormuth in 1973. Surviving are her husband, Jackson (Jack) Hanna; her children, Mrs. Douglas (Lynne) Julian of Phoenix AZ, Mrs. Richard (Terry) McCurdy of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Jerry (Carole) Wall of Seattle Wash.; ten grandchildren, three great grandchildren; her brother, Harry Fox of Rapid River MI; many nieces and

nephews. Mrs. Hanna had worked at the Children's Bible Hour and shared her ministry through the Chaplaincy of the Kent County Jail. Services were held Monday at the Heritage Baptist Church, with The Rev. Scott McCurdy and The Rev. Clifford Owens officiating. Interment Rosedale Memorial Park. For those who wish memorials may be made to the Forgotten Man's Ministry or the Children's Bible Hour.

**HILL**—Sam Hill, aged 82, life long resident of Ada, passed away Monday night at his home. Surviving are his

children, Judy and David Wekenman of New Mexico, David Hill of Ada, Jon and Florence Hill of Belmont, Joe Hill of Ada, Dennis and Lynda Hill of Grand Rapids, Dean and Bridget Hill of Novi, MI; six grandchildren, three brothers, David Hill and James Hill of Ada, Woodrow of Grand Rapids many nieces and nephews. Memorial contributions to Hospice of Greater Grand Rapids would be appreciated. Funeral Services were held Thursday at the Metcalf & Jonkhoff Funeral Home, Msgr. Ernest E. Schneider of St. Roberts of Newminister officiating. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

## Barber, continued...

said Arts Gallery spokesman, David Davis. The actual design and construction of the bench took Barber one year. "It was completed Saturday (July 15) and introduced into the Gallery on Sunday (July 16)," Davis said. Barber sketched 10 different designs, but only presented

one to the Gallery committee for its approval or disapproval. "I was nervous that it might not be accepted, but that was the design I wanted to do," Barber said. "It's nice to be able to give back to the Gallery something desired by the gallery and the community."

Cleopatra was not an Egyptian. She was of Greek descent.

## FMB's Rockford branch plans free picnic

FMB State Savings Bank, Rockford Office, is having a free summer picnic for all their neighbors on Thursday, July 25, from 11:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The community is invited to enjoy hot dogs, chips and cookies and register to win great prizes such as a gas grill and Coleman cooler.

"We're a neighborhood bank and we want to show people what we have to offer as well as have them meet our staff," said Laurie Adams, Branch Sales Manager. Plus, as a special gift, all who open a checking account with FMB-State Savings Bank will receive a free checking account for one year, one free set of checks, free ATM card and a free VISA or MasterCard to qualified customers.

The branch is also running a special incentive for kids. All children under 12 years of age will receive a certificate worth \$5 to deposit into any new or existing savings account. "We think the \$5 offer for children is a great way to promote the positive aspects of savings," stated Adams.

The branch, located on the corner of Belding Road and Lake Myers Avenue, hopes to continue to offer such community events in the Rockford area.

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## Legal Notices

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File No. 91,152,289 IE

Estate of MARY LUKASIEWICZ, Deceased

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following:

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ceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative HATTIE LUKASIEWICZ, c/o John D. Mitus, 410 Bridge Street, N.W., Grand Rapids MI 49504, or to both the independent personal representative and the Kent County Probate Court, Grand Rapids, MI 49503, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

John D. Mitus, (P31244) Attorney-at-Law 410 Bridge Street, NW Grand Rapids, MI 49504 774-4001

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# Coming Events

Notices in The Ledger's "Coming Events" are free of charge to any non-profit organization in the Lowell, Ada, Alto, and Saranac area. We prefer such notices to be kept brief and to be submitted by mail, but will accept notices by phone at 897-9261.

**FIRST MONDAY EACH MONTH:** The South Kent 4-H group regular meetings at 7 p.m. in the Alto Elementary School cafeteria.

**2ND AND 4TH MONDAY NIGHTS:** Men's Life Bible study group will meet at Calvary Christian Reformed Church in the Narthex. All men in the community are welcome. Call 897-6215 or 897-7555 for more information.

**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 1ST & 3RD TUESDAY:** Lowell Lions Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at Look Memorial Fire Station, South Hudson, Lowell.

**EVERY TUESDAY MORNING:** Ladies join us for Coffee Break/Story Hour at Calvary Christian Reformed Church, 1151 W. Main, Lowell. 9:30-10:45 a.m. Nursery provided.

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

**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.

**TUESDAYS:** Take Off Pounds Sensibly Tops #M 1372 meets every Tues-

day evening at the Lowell Congregational Church basement. Corner of Spring and Hudson Sts. Weigh-ins at 5:45 p.m.

**2ND WEDNESDAY:** Men's breakfast at Lowell Senior Center, 314 S. Hudson St. Call 897-5949 for reservations.

**EVERY FIRST WEDNESDAY:** Lowell Area Jaycees meet at 7 p.m. at the Lowell City Hall. New members welcomed. Membership 21-39 years of age. Leadership training through community involvement.

**THURSDAYS:** Take Off Pounds Sensibly Tops MI, No. 333, Saranac, meets every Thursday evening at the Saranac Public Library. Weigh-ins at 6:45 p.m.

**FIRST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH:** The Bowne Township Historical Society will hold its regular meetings at the Old Township Hall, at Bowne first Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. No December meeting.

**EVERY SECOND THURSDAY:** Lowell VFW Auxiliary No. 8303 meets at 3:30 p.m. at the VFW Post, 307 W. Main Street, Lowell.

**SATURDAYS:** Take Off Pounds Sensibly Tops #M 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. to 9:00 a.m.

**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.

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**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.

**EVERY SUNDAY:** Singles dance featuring Touch of Class. '50's and 60's music. Cost \$5. Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza, 5700 28th St., Grand Rapids. 1-96 at 28th St. then east 2 blocks.

**EVERY THIRD SUNDAY:** The Flat River Snowmobile Club meets at the clubhouse at 18841 Potters Rd. A potluck is at 12:30 p.m. with business meeting following. New members and guests are welcome.

**QUA-KE-ZIK:** Sportsmen's Club - meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the Club building at 1400 Foreman Road, Lowell.

**WOMEN OF THE MOOSE:** - Business meeting is held the third Monday of each month, at 8 p.m.

**LOWELL AREA ARTS COUNCIL:** -149 S. Hudson St. Hours: Monday thru Friday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Saturdays and Sundays, 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Closed holidays. Phone 897-8545.

**LOWELL LIBRARY HOURS:** Open Mon. 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Wed., 12:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Fri. & Sat., 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.

**MUSEUM NOW OPEN:** Admission is free to the Fallsburg Schoolhouse

Museum - Across the Covered Bridge from Fallsburg Park, 1 to 5 p.m. Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays. 4 miles north of Lowell in eastern Kent County.

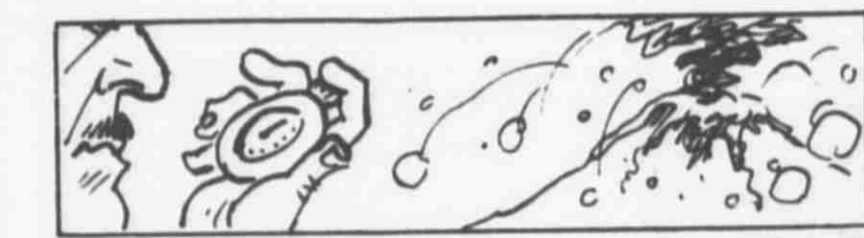
**FRI., JULY 26:** Picnic at the Senior Center, at 5 p.m. Balloons, music, etc. All seniors welcome.

**THURS., AUG. 1:** Vergennes Cooperative Club meets at Schneider Manor at 1 p.m. Forest Hills Kitchen Band will entertain. Hostesses: Connie Odell,

Faye Anderson and Dorothy Randall. Sponsor: Alice Baut.

**MON., AUG. 19:** Clark-Ellis Post No. 152 of the Ameri-

can Legion and Auxiliary annual family picnic will be held at 6 p.m. at the Herron cottage, Murray Lake, 11911 4 Mile Rd., Newsletter will be in the mail.



Here's news that erupts with interest: when active, the Paricutin volcano in central Mexico could spew four million pounds of rock and lava into the air in one minute.

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## Homespun Devotions

By Pauline Spray

"Who comforteth us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort them which are in any trouble . . ." (11 Corinthians 1:4).

Little Russell was playing outside. He was having the time of his life until a playmate dropped something on his bare foot and bruised his toe. Russell burst into tears

and refused to stop crying until his father picked him up and comforted him.

Children want to be comforted when they are hurt or feel badly. And human beings never seem to outgrow the need for sympathy; adults, too, like to be noticed and comforted when they are weary, sick, and lonely. When we work hard all day, we like

to have our partners notice us. Sometimes we wonder why we are allowed particular trials. It is only after we have suffered ourselves that we are able to understand the like afflictions of others and to "comfort them which are in any trouble . . ."

The Lord is waiting to comfort His children just as Russell's father was quick to cuddle him close. But the Lord does not comfort us, Christians, simply to make us feel better or to be comfortable. He comforts us so we can be greater comforters to others.

**Prayer:** O Thou Great Comforter, the One to whom I can go for consolation in time of trouble, enable me to console those in need of my comfort. Because Thou hast given me much, I, too, must give. Amen.

Because we have been given much  
We, too, must give;  
Because of Thy great bounty,  
Lord,  
Each day we live.

AUTHOR UNKNOWN

## Engagement Told



Linda Hochkins

Brandy, Jamie, and Rebecca of Ivan Rd., Saranac, wish to announce the engagement of their mother, Linda Hochkins to George Hellar of Grand Rapids.

Parents of the future bride are Mr. and Mrs. Dewey C. Prins, Sr., of Alto. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hellar of Wyandotte are parents of the groom.



Jeff L. Bailey and Lorraine Merklinger

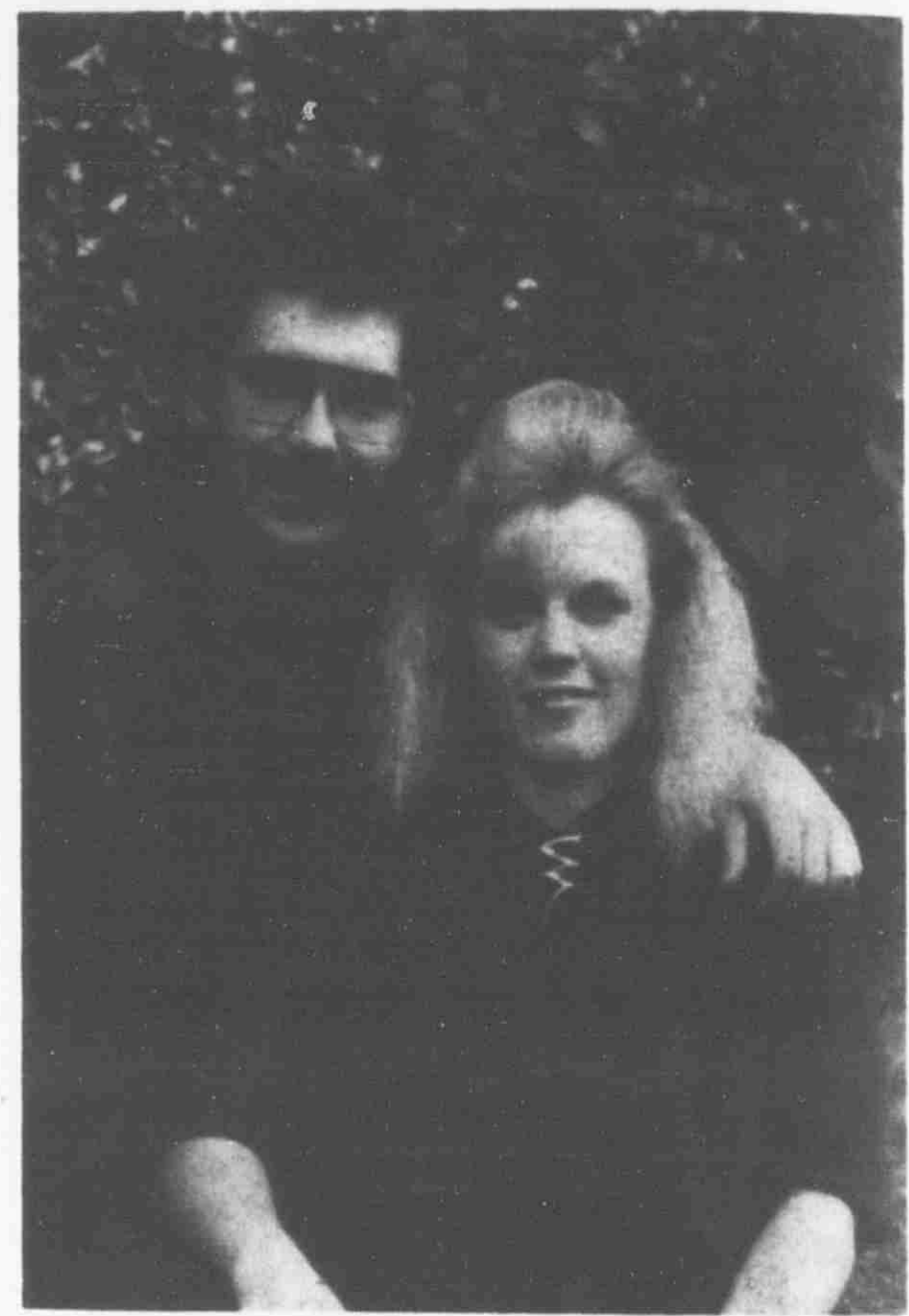
## Harvey and Carol Merklinger announce engagement of daughter

Harvey and Carol Merklinger, of Lowell, are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lorraine (Lori) Merklinger,

to Jeff L. Bailey, son of David and Joyce Bailey, of Lowell and Highland, MI.

A Sept. 28 wedding is planned.

## Engagement Told



Michael R. Horian and Tina Marie Videan

Russ and Sandy Videan of Pinkney Rd., Saranac, have

announced the engagement of their daughter, Tina Marie Videan, of Lowell, to Michael R. Horian, of Lowell, son of Pary and Suzie Horian.

Miss Videan is a graduate of Anacoco High School and Horian graduated from Lowell High School.

An October 26, 1991 wedding is planned.

# Viewpoint . . .



## Cozy Corner

by Roger Brown

My wife had to attend a sales meeting in Maryland last week, so I bought a plane ticket and tagged along. That's the reason there wasn't a Cozy Corner last week. That's the reason my daughter filled in for me selling advertising last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. And because I ended up eating my way through Maryland, much like the invading armies of the Civil War, the trip is the main reason I began a diet this morning!

I have an old Army buddy living in Frederick, Maryland, just 30 minutes from where the sales meeting was taking place. Consequently, the principal reason for me making the trip was to look him up. Andy and I were pretty close at one time. In fact he's my daughter's godfather. But, with the passing of time we drifted apart and hadn't seen each other, or had much contact for the past 12 or 13 years. I couldn't believe it when he greeted me at the door on Saturday afternoon. The son of a gun had turned gray haired on me! Imagine that!

We swapped lies for awhile and soon began to think about getting something to eat. This was the beginning of the binge. His wife, their two daughters, Terese and I headed for an eatery. After some debate, we settled on "Jug Bridge Seafood". Our hosts were concerned about a long wait because of the Saturday evening crowd, but it was decided it would be

worth the wait. Being ex-soldiers, and having stood in our fair share of chow lines, Andy and I opted to wait things out in the bar with a cold draught. At least we learned something in the Army.

"Jug Bridge" is famous for their blue crabs, steamed and liberally flavored with Old Bay Seafood Seasoning. We ordered three dozen and just for good measure we got a mere pound of steamed shrimp as an appetizer, some fries and some coleslaw. Yeh, you might say we were hungry!

To say "Jug Bridge" is something of a dive might not be kind, but it's a fair assessment. The odor of seafood hits you when you get out of the car. The building itself looks a bit ramshackle, at best. The interior decor is "Early picnic table and bare concrete floors". The tables are covered with layers of thick brown kraft paper. The napkins are stacks of brown, coarse paper towels you usually see in the men's room. Ah, but I knew there was something good going on there when we pulled up and I saw the parking lot was full and cars parked on both sides of the street for a considerable distance in both directions. It may be a dive, but Andy told me that when the weather is too bad to fly the helicopters to Camp David, President Bush's motorcade stops by the place for crabs. Gee, I hope that isn't classified.

Well, the shrimp were great, but I went easy on them in anticipation of my first experience with blue crabs. When they arrived at our table, the waitress unceremoniously dumped the bushel or so in a big pile in the middle of the table. Andy gave us a quick course in shucking the tasty devils, and away we went. I ate blue crabs until I could eat no more. I literally waddled to the car!

It went downhill from there. The next night I feasted on blue crab cakes at a place called the "Crab Shanty". On Monday

Andy and I spent the day in Baltimore. We toured around the "Inner Harbor" area and took in some sights like the U.S.S. Constellation, a WWII submarine and a huge Russian Navy sailing ship that was in port. Then we hiked uphill, in searing heat for about a mile and a half to the Lexington Market. We had worked up a thirst and an appetite. That was good, because there's nothing to do but eat and drink at the Lexington Market. The place is huge, and filled with booths where you can buy fresh produce, meats, seafood, poultry . . . you name it. There are also dozens and dozens of booths where you can buy prepared food of just about any description . . . oriental food, Greek food, soul food, Italian food, food, food, food and food!

We started out with a dozen prime oysters on the half shell and a draught. Then it was Greek gyros. Then it was a cup of french fries with vinegar. Then it was Italian sausage. We waddled back down the hill to the car.

The next afternoon I went back to Baltimore where I lunched on hot chicken wings at "Hooters", took in the National Aquarium and headed back up to Lexington Market. There I took in some of the food items I didn't have room for the previous day. Things were really becoming decadent when I considered a little bulimia to enable me to partake of more of that great chow!

That evening, our last, I ordered a soft shell crab and spicy fettuccine dish that was a house specialty at our hotel. I wasn't disappointed, and ate the whole thing. On the way to the airport the next morning I considered swinging by the Lexington Market one more time for a little breakfast and some crabs packed in dry ice to take home. Terese insisted we didn't have time and the City of Baltimore was saved the embarrassment of not having any blue crabs available to feed their tourist industry.

## Thad's Thoughts

The spirit on our way over to the games was let's not get injured, let's not embarrass ourselves, let's win a couple games and have fun. We were sounding like the All-American Kids.

Well, we were not there 15 minutes, when I broke one of the rules. I jammed my "pinkie" in warm-ups while rebounding a missed shot.

Then came the pairings. We were thrown into the first game of the tournament against a team calling itself "P.M.S." At first, I thought the team had short tempers, but the initials stood for Pat, Mark and Steve.

I'm sure it had something to do with playing in the first game of the tournament, and maybe a few pre-game jitters, but in sizing the opponents up in warm-ups, they looked big.

I learned later that I was mistaken. Big had not yet arrived. We played 15 minutes and I think the score was 3-3. I can't speak for the rest of my teammates, but this out-of-shape 30-year old was already tired. With the score 8-7 and the game already over 30 minutes long (each game was slotted for a half-hour), tournament officials only had to ask once if it was alright that we play to 15 and not 20.

Through all of the sloppiness, we survived 15-9. Next up was the "Dunkin' Dudes." The team was not as big but looked smooth and showed some finesse. We played well and won going away 15-3.

Our next opponent, McGee Homestead, in all honesty looked like the best team there and probably was, despite not winning the tournament. It had finished second in its age bracket a week earlier in the Macker.

In our pre-game chat, our 2-0 start had us believing we may not win, but we could play with them. We hung tough early and then on the back of our three-point (only counted for two) specialist, Jody, we pulled out a 15-11 win.

We were ecstatic. We were 3-0, in the finals, and whoever we played would have to beat us twice.

While we were busy winning three in a row, "P.M.S.," took the long road (losers bracket) and strung four consecutive victories together to join us in the championship game.



One big difference though, half way through the day "P.M.S." fourth player arrived. He (Jerry Bellah) was big, he was quick and he could shoot. John, Jody and myself combined didn't have all those qualities.

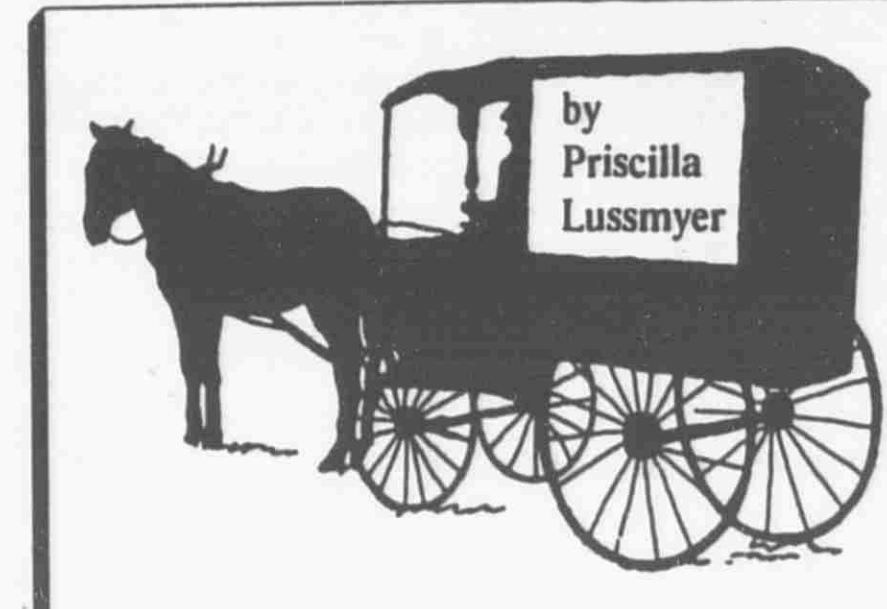
The only redeeming quality I could find in having to face him was he too attended Western Michigan University.

It was a struggle in the heat, but we prevailed 17-15.

We were exhausted but pleased. We came to have fun and we left tournament champions. There is a nice ring to that. I laid around in a semi-comatose state the rest of the day questioning whether I should have put my body through the test. Winning somehow made that question easier to answer.

## AREA CHURCH DIRECTORY

<p><b>ADA COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH</b> 7227 Thornapple River Dr. 676-1032 Pastor: THOMAS J. BARTHA Morning Worship . . . . . 10:00 A.M. Sunday School . . . . . 11:20 A.M. Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 P.M. WE INVITE YOU TO MAKE THIS COMMUNITY CHURCH YOUR CHURCH HOME. WELCOME TO ALL</p>	<p><b>BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH</b> 3900 East Fulton REV. RAYMOND E. BEFUS Morning Worship . . . . . 9:50 A.M. (Broadcast 10 A.M. WMAX 1470) Sunday School . . . . . 11:15 A.M. Evening Service . . . . . 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:30 P.M.</p>	 <p><b>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE OF LOWELL</b> 201 North Washington Street REV. JIM GELDHOF Church School . . . . . 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 A.M. Evening Service . . . . . 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Mid-Week Service Jr. Teens, Adults . . . . . 7:00 P.M. Nursery-Come &amp; Worship With Us</p>	<p><b>CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> REV. CARL J. REITSMA - 897-9836 1151 West Main Street Lowell, MI Morning Worship . . . . . 10:00 a.m. Sunday School . . . . . 11:20 a.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Nursery available at both services Barrier Free</p>
<p><b>CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> Meeting at the Lowell Middle School (12675 Foreman) Sunday Morning Worship And Children's Activities . . . . . 10:00 A.M. Midweek Bible Studies and Youth Groups LISTENING AND HELPING 897-0077</p>	<p><b>DAY BIBLE CHAPEL</b> Bible Believing - Non Denominational 9035 Centerline, Saranac, MI Worship Service . . . . . 10:00 A.M. PASTOR FRANK LATTIMORE 942-3868</p>	<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> 2275 West Main Street Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 A.M. Sunday Worship Services . . . . . 11:00 A.M. &amp; 6:00 P.M. Awana - Wednesday . . . . . 6:30 P.M. Wednesday Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 P.M. JOE GERKIN, PASTOR 897-0017 Dan Nave, Youth Director 897-6737</p>	<p><b>FRIENDSHIP COUNTRY CHAPEL</b> 10200 Grand River Ave. Sunday Services . . . . . 10:30 A.M. Wednesday Bible Study . . . . . 7:00 P.M. BOB ROUSH, PASTOR 897-7489</p>
<p><b>ALTON BIBLE CHURCH</b> Lincoln Lake Ave. at 3 Mile Road Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 A.M. Evening Praise . . . . . 6:00 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><b>FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> (United Church of Christ) 404 North Hudson 897-5906 Worship and Church School . . . . . 10:00 A.M. Rev. Terry Tesson . . . . . Pastor Eleanor Martin . . . . . Director of Education Roger MacNaughton . . . . . Director of Music Barrier-Free . . . . . Nursery Provided</p>	<p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> 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><b>EVERGREEN MISSIONARY CHURCH</b> 10501 Settlewood Ph. 897-7185 Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 A.M. Worship Service . . . . . 11:00 A.M. Evening Service . . . . . 6:00 P.M. Prayer and Praise - Wed., 7:30 P.M. GLENN H. MARKS - Senior Pastor 897-9110 STAN GERIG - Associate Pastor 897-5894 ALL ARE WELCOME! (Barrier Free)</p>
<p><b>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> 10305 Bluewater Highway Morning Worship . . . . . 10:00 A.M. Sunday School &amp; Adult Bible Class . . . . . 9:00 A.M. JOSEPH FREMER, PASTOR 897-8307</p>		<p><b>ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> 402 N. Amity MSGNR. JAMES MORAN MASSES Saturday Mass . . . . . 5:30 P.M. Sunday Masses . . . . . 9:00 &amp; 11:00 A.M.</p>	<p>Chris and Marcie (Dumbeck) Page of Grand Rapids, are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Kayleigh Elizabeth, on June 30, 1991. She weighed 7 lbs. 4 ozs. and was 20 inches long. Proud grandparents are Al and Betty Page of Cascade and Jim and Mary Dumbeck of Lowell. Great-Grandmother, Ila Knapp and Great-Great-Grandmother, Marion Wilson, both live in Cedar Springs.</p>



## Ledger Entries

of 100, 75, 50 and 25 Years Ago

the first Sunday School at the mouth of the Flat River, founded by a Congregational minister, Rev. Brown and a Baptist Superintendent, Geo. K. White.

Marshal Mueller publishes notice against shooting within the village limits, and boys swimming nude in the river.

**75 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - July 20, 1916**  
The refurbished post office opens with new steel ceiling, plate glass front and red brick exterior.

The bones of (maybe) Chief Wabasis have been turned over to the Kent Scientific Museum, and some have been sent to an eastern expert for analysis.

The skipper of the German U-boat that showed up at Norfolk (U.S. not in World War I until 1917) describes drinking champagne at the bottom of the English Channel and playing the phonograph for amusement on the long crossing.

The Michigan National Guard in Texas has set up Camp Cotton on a dump site, cleared it, and awaits installation of showers. Cool nights and plenty of water have helped.

**50 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - July 24, 1941**  
L. W. Lamb Construction of Holland is low bidder on the rest of the Main Street bridge reconstruction, as well as King Milling's new spillway dam, flume and forebay.

The new Kent County 4-H Club camp at Bostwick Lake is named for and dedicated to County Agent Keats Vining.

Peter Mulder assists Earle Haner in creating a rock garden scene in the flower store window with waterfall, lighthouse, bridges and log cabin.

The VFW and American Legion are directing collection of scrap aluminum for defense.

**25 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - July 21, 1966**  
The Flat River Retriever Club will hold a field trial this week at Hastings.

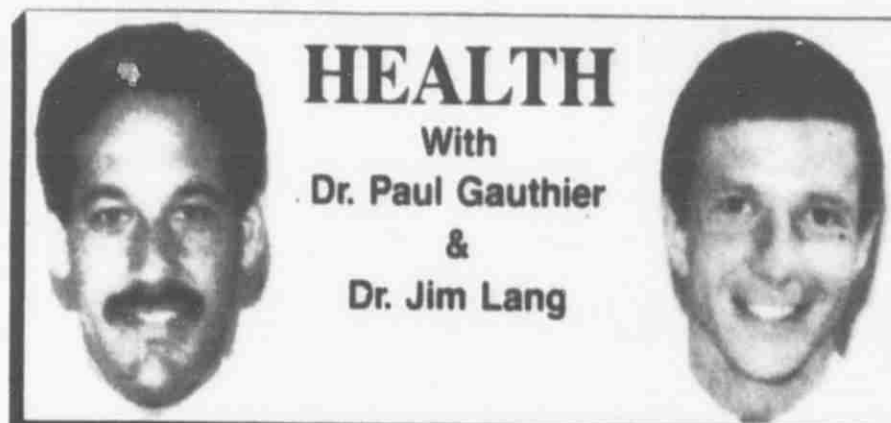
Sherry Davis' brother, Paul Hendrix, is killed in Viet Nam.

Lewis Gasper of Belding brings the first wheat into King Milling.

The proposed Eberhard shopping center controversy brings out 100 citizens to the zoning hearing on a hot

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# HEALTH

With  
Dr. Paul Gauthier  
&  
Dr. Jim Lang

## THE RISK OF SIDS IN YOUNGER SIBLINGS

Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) is a tragic event, well known to all of us through media exposure. Whereas the risk factors for the occurrence of SIDS include race, order of

birth, birth weight, and such maternal characteristics as age, marital and socioeconomic status, and smoking, investigators continue to explore the relationship between a SIDS event and the likelihood of subsequent infant mortality within the family unit. The thrust of these studies have been to appropriately address the issue of SIDS in an affected family and then to adequately approach the risk for another event in subsequent children.

Much of this research has taken place in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Washington School of Medicine in Seattle. There they conducted a 10 year study evaluating the recurrence of SIDS in affected families. Their investigators concluded that the rate of SIDS recurrence is fourfold to fivefold greater than in the general population. They also

found that the risk for non-SIDS death (that is, any infant mortality, regardless of cause) is increased among subsequent infants as well.

How is this information helpful? Well, it certainly lends credence to the intense yet sensitive counseling that must be offered to the parents of a SIDS victim. It also helps these parents cope with the possibility of having to apply monitors to their subsequent children to accurately assess their pulse and respiratory rates.

We do not know what causes SIDS, but research such as this out of Washington will go a long way toward dealing with the grief and subsequent anxieties affected parents may encounter.

# Letters

An Open Letter To The Voters In The Lowell School District:

Having been raised in Lowell, the son of two now-retired teachers in the Lowell schools, I attended Lowell schools beginning with kindergarten and graduating from Lowell High School. I then continued my education at Michigan State University, and received my Masters Degree in Business. After living and working in other parts of the country, I returned to Lowell to raise my family in this fine community which had a reputation of good

schools that enjoyed wide public support. My wife and I are parents of nine (9) children - three (3) of whom have already graduated from Lowell High School and six (6) more progressing through the Lowell school system. Thus, one can safely say that I am, and have been, intimately concerned with Lowell schools and the education of our children.

I am writing this letter because I am outraged that some people would stoop so low as to vote against the renewal of the school's operating millage as a way of "sending a message to the board" of

their opposition to the Lowell schools attempt to obtain the Qua-Ke-Zik Sportsmans Club's property through condemnation procedures. The acquisition of property for the new high school is, and should be, a totally separate issue from funding the current operations of our school district.

I am appalled at the accusations by some who are opposed to the Lowell school's efforts to obtain the gun club property that the school "has no right" to take the property. The right of "eminent domain" is a constitutional right of governmental entities, including school districts, to obtain land necessary for "the public good." To disagree with the school board's decision about the site it wants for the location of the new high

school is one thing. Reasonable people can, and often do, disagree because they have differing viewpoints. But, to vote to deny our schools the funds necessary to operate for that reason is pure and simple ignorance! Those who voted against the millage renewal for that reason, in effect, are attempting to hold the future of our kids hostage in an attempt to force, or coerce, the Board to take a course of action that they demand.

I resent the fact that many of the members of the gun club don't even live within the Lowell school district, and yet some voters have chosen to support the selfish desires of a few to protect their private hunting domain at the expense of the community. In voting against the operating millage for our schools, they have, thereby, placed in jeopardy the continued operation of the entire school district, and, therefore, education of our most precious asset, our children. Unless the renewal millage is passed when it comes up again at the end of September, the school district will be forced to close. Putting the recreational luxuries of a few ahead of the education of our children, who will become the leaders of the next generation, and ahead of the future growth of our community, is, or should be, anathema to every good and honest thinking resident of the Lowell school district.

I am shocked at the thinly veiled implications and often outright false accusations leveled by some against members of the school board, claiming that they misled or even lied to the people, etc. Those who have served and are now serving are some of the finest, most decent individuals in our community. None of them have anything to gain personally from either serving on the board (often a thankless job, anyway) nor from whichever piece of property the school ultimately obtains for the location of the new high school. Disagreeing with their decisions is one thing, but accusing them of deceit is unconscionable! Let's stop "bashing" the school board!

I am offended by the "NIMBY" (Not In My Back Yard) attitude of a few nearby residents, and their self-righteous claims of being concerned with the "rights" of the gun club whose land, they claim, is being "forcibly taken from them". I doubt whether we would even hear a peep out of them if the gun club was located anywhere else other than adjacent to their property. I'll bet they wouldn't care a lick if the school was built anywhere else, just so long, as they say, "not in my backyard!"

I take exception to the claims of a few that "the will of the people" is being ignored by the board. They claim that the recent millage defeat expresses "the will of the people." There are some 12,500 voters in the school district and only a little over 800 voted against the millage renewal.

Since when does less than 7% of the voting public constitute "the will of the people"?!! It seems that most of those who turned out to vote were those with an overpowering motivation against the school board, while many of the loyal supporters of the school apparently didn't feel compelled to make an effort

to go out and vote since there wasn't any real contest; millage renewals have always passed in recent times and no one was running in opposition for any of the school board positions.

By the way, where were those decrying the malfeasance or misfeasance of the current board members? If they are so concerned for the good of the school system, why didn't they seek election to the school board and submit themselves to the scrutiny of the voters? Perhaps it's because their real interests are purely one-dimensional (selfish) and not those of our children's education! I guarantee you that the outcome of the election in September will be different if even a fraction of the nearly 5,000 parents of school children, as well as thousands of loyal supporters of the school, whose children may have already completed their schooling, come out to vote.

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I resent the editorial-type cartoon run in a recent edition of the Buyers' Guide, unsigned, and not identified as a paid advertisement! It accused the school board of not listening to the "will of the people" and ignoring what the voters want. That biased piece of trash ought to be used to line your cat's litter box! We are not a "town-meeting" democracy where everyone gathers together and votes on every issue. In this country we have what is known as a "representative democracy" (in case you have forgotten, or as some do, choose to ignore, constitutional law).

We elect the best people we can and allow them to study out the issues, gather the facts (which we are often either not privy to or don't have the time or means to get), and then ask them to make their decision, in our behalf, based on all the facts, and do what is best for everyone concerned. I believe, in

regards to the Lowell school board, we have done just that. We have highly qualified people and they are making the best decisions they possibly can for the whole community, not just for a small number who belong to a private sports club or a few people who only want the rural setting of their property preserved, regardless of the consequences to the community or the education of our children!

I further resent recent coverage in the Grand Rapids Press that only seeks out the vocal minority opposed to the school board and does not try to balance their statements with comments by those of us who support the school board's efforts to secure the BEST possible site for the new high school.

I strongly support the School Board's efforts to get the answers from Vergennes and Lowell townships that Judge Kolenda claimed were deficient in his recent ruling against the school's condemnation procedures in seeking the property currently owned by the gun club. Then, with all the facts in hand, if the gun club still seems, in their best judgement, to be the most advantageous location for the new high school, I would totally support their efforts to go back to court and appeal the ruling of Judge Kolenda, which many feel was flawed. I have studied the judge's ruling and in it, he even said he expects his ruling to be appealed. The school district has too much money and time invested in their efforts to obtain the current proposed site to simply abandon it and start over, without fully pursuing their right of appeal. If, after answering the deficiencies identified by the judge's ruling, an alternate site then becomes the best choice, I would, likewise, then support the board's decision to change the preferred location for the new high school.

I urge everyone who is concerned with the education of our children, whether or not they have kids in school, regardless of their feelings or position on the school board's recent actions, to actively support passage of the millage renewal when it comes up again at the end of September.

Sincerely,  
David G. Thaler, LHS '61  
885 Alden Nash Ave.,  
Rte. 5  
(Vergennes twp. resident)

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continued,  
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# TOWN TALK

Are you in favor of or opposed to beer vending machines? Would the fact that they are manned make any difference?



**Steve Weber**  
*Sure. Why not? A person can buy a beer in a store or bar, why not a machine. As long as the beer is cold. The machines should be manned by a clerk. How is that any different than buying a beer in a store?*



**Mike Sherman**  
*As long as it is closely watched. Otherwise it would be too easily accessible to minors. I don't drink beer, but I think it needs to be watched closely.*



**Roger Dygert**  
*No. With drunk driving laws the way they are, this would make beer too accessible. We're trying to cut down drinking on college campuses. This would not help do that. If someone was to man the machines, then why not just have a beer store?*



**Steve Furman**  
*I'm opposed. It's too easy for kids to get beer now. There are too many drunks already on the road. If manned it might be alright, but why not have a bar or a beer store then?*



**Robert Rittersdorf**  
*It's just something more kids can get into. If it is manned it would be okay.*



**Mike Murphy**  
*I'm opposed. It's too easy for kids to get beer now. I don't think manned vending machines are safe-proof. I think there would still be kids getting beer. We have enough problems with booze on the road. Vending machines would make access too easy.*



**Dick DeVoe**  
*I'm opposed. There are enough ways to get beer, we don't need another method. It would just make it harder to restrict. I'm opposed even if they are manned.*



**Evelyn Leeman**  
*I'm opposed to it. I don't think beer should be made that easy to get ahold of. Not even if the vending machines are manned.*

The world's longest railway tunnel is the Dai-Shimzu in Japan. It's over 13 miles long.

## Danish Festival softball tourney Aug. 16, 17 and 18

The 27th Annual Danish Festival Softball Tournament will be held August 16, 17, and 18.  
The cost is \$110 per team and home team must supply new balls.  
The Class is Men's D and Below and Women's C and Below.  
Deadline is August 9. If you have any questions call 616-754-9163.

LET'S CELEBRATE... the dedication of Fallsburg Park as the home of the Fallsburg Cubs over coffee and donuts at Keiser's Kitchen.  
Thursday, July 25  
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
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# Student lunch prices increased for the 1991-92 school year

Stating that it felt Lowell High School Principal Jim DeWeerd said, as of last February, Lowell had the lowest lunch prices of all the O-K White Schools. It was also stated that while Lowell seems high following its increase, most of the schools in the Kent Intermediate School District have not announced their proposed lunch increases yet.

The increase will raise elementary lunches by five cents; middle school and high school lunches by 15 cents and adult lunches by 10 cents.

Elementary lunch price will rise from \$1.20 to \$1.25. Middle school and high school lunches will increase to \$1.40 from \$1.25. Adult lunches will go up to \$2.10 from \$2. Milk will cost students and adults 25 cents.

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The Aztecs of Mexico celebrated New Year's on February 2nd.

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ASSETS	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin.....	3,887
Interest-bearing balances.....	500
Securities.....	28,067
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell:	
Federal funds sold.....	1,050
Securities purchased under agreements to resell.....	0
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income..	58,371
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses..	651
Loans and leases, net of unearned income allowance, and reserve.....	57,720
Premises and fixed assets.....	1,248
Other real estate owned.....	187
Other assets.....	1,398
Total assets.....	94,057
LIABILITIES	
Deposits:	
In domestic offices.....	81,431
Noninterest-bearing.....	8,545
Interest-bearing.....	72,886
Federal funds purchased & securities sold under agreements to repurchase:	
Federal funds purchased.....	0
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase.....	5,454
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury.....	420
Other borrowed money.....	0
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases.....	0
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits.....	0
Other liabilities.....	522
Total liabilities.....	87,827
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Common stock.....	375
Surplus.....	2,425
Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	3,430
Total equity capital.....	6,230
Total liabilities and equity capital.....	94,057
Memoranda - Deposits of State Money-Michigan	0

James A. Bossard, Senior VP & Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with the applicable instructions, and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the applicable instructions and is true and correct.

The Directors  
 David G. Gerst  
 John Timpon  
 William O. Petro



## Harry and Friends watercolor show at Art Gallery thru Aug. 11

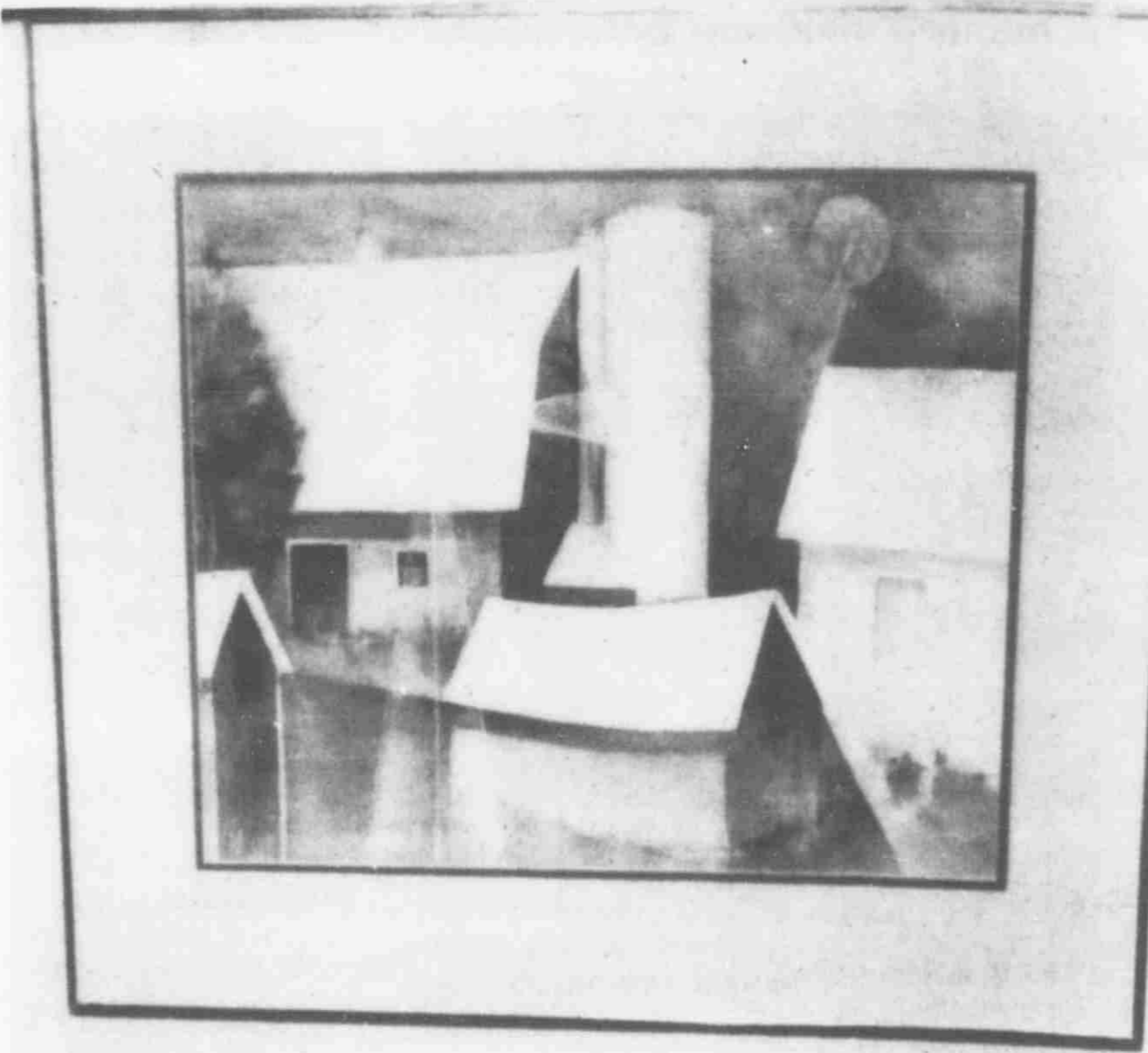
The fifth annual Harry and Friends watercolor show currently on display at the Lowell Area Arts Gallery is more bold and brash than ever before. The 27 pieces of art hung at the Gallery are the watercolor works of 15 artists. Harry and Friends is lead

by Harry Hefner, a retired chairman of the Western Michigan University Arts Department. The non-juried show opened on July 14 and will continue through Aug. 14. "The show is even more exciting than the previous four.

The colors are bold and brash," said Lowell Area Arts Gallery spokesman David Davis. "Because of the styles and of the variety the show was not easy to hang."

The show display includes a red barn, "Windmill" piece of work by Donn Palmer, or the soothing, quiet look of Marjory Kempers "Daisies Number 4." Or viewers can ride the wave of local artist, Jan Johnson's "Surfer on the Crest."

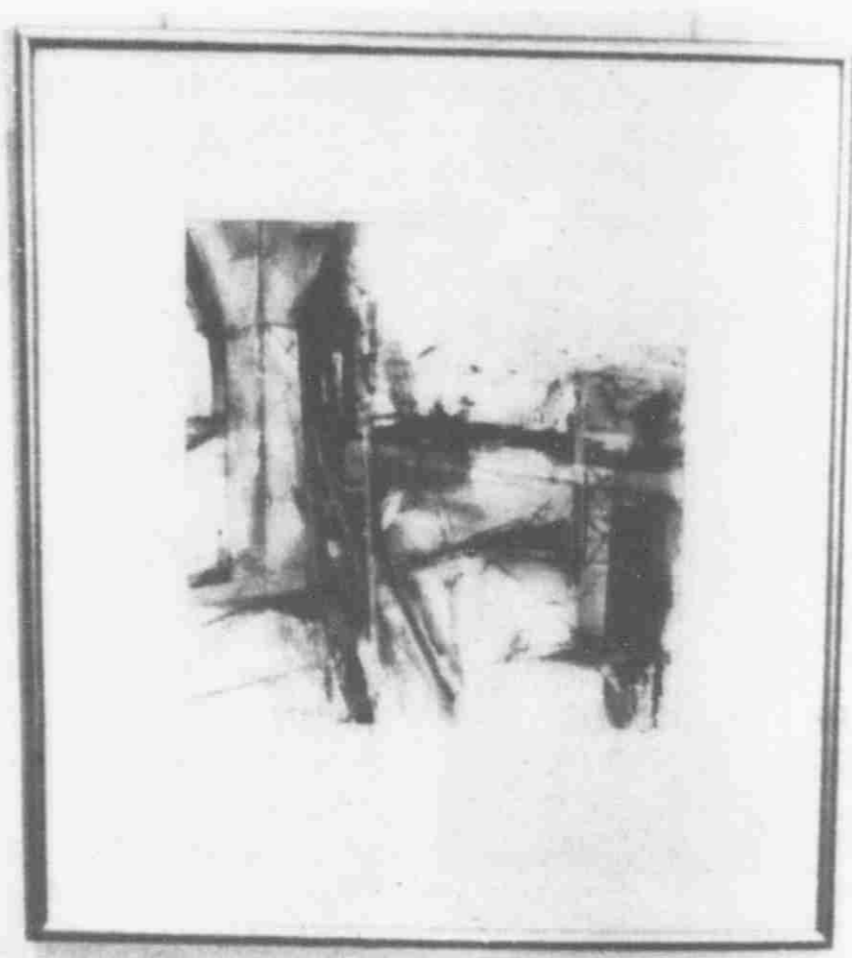
Lowell's Judith Tummino also has a piece of work on display. Others with works of art at the show are Loretta Sailors, Bertha Brown Verbrugge, Susanne Remes, Russ Shepherd, Carol Jelens, David Gacchina, Alicia DuRand, Louise Meeuwsen, Elsa McFarland, Sylvia Krissoff and Hefner.



Featured in the Harry and Friends exhibit at the Lowell Area Arts Gallery is Donn Palmer's "Windmill".



Featured in the Harry and Friends watercolor exhibit at the Lowell Area Arts Gallery is Marjory Kempers' "Daisies Number 4".



The watercolor display will be on exhibit at the art gallery through Aug. 11. The piece of work above is untitled. It was done by Marjory Kempers.

### Honor Guard to appear in Free Fair parade

The Michigan Department of Corrections Honor Guard will appear for the third consecutive year in the Ionia Free Fair's Grand Opening Parade on July 27.

The Honor Guard totals some 32 Department of Corrections Employees, assigned to a variety of positions throughout the state. The Guard's main duties include the presentation of the colors at Department functions, the Free Fair Parade, and funeral and graveside services if a corrections employee loses his or her life in the line of duty.

More than 100 entries are expected for the parade, which begins at 10:00 A.M.

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## Legal Notices

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WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by DENISE HAYWOOD, of the City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, Mortgagor, to CENTRAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 12th day of September, A.D., 1986, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent and State of Michigan, on the 18th day of September, A.D., 1986, in Liber 2241 of Mortgages on pages 1145-1147, which said mortgage was thereafter on, to wit: the 30th day of June, A.D., 1990, assigned to AMERIHOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION, a Michigan corporation, and said assignment was recorded on the 13th day of July, 1990 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Kent in Liber 2765 of Mortgages on page 266, and

foreclosed at a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the main lobby of the Hall of Justice in the City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent and State of Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage with the interest thereon at NINE AND ONE HALF percent (9.5%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. The premises described in said mortgage are as follows: Property situated in the City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, to wit:

That part of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 Section 32, Town 7 North, Range 11 West, Described as: commencing at the Southwest corner of Alexander Street and Gibson Avenue (formerly Parker Place); thence south 92 feet; thence west 49 1/4 feet; thence north 92 feet; thence east 49 1/4 feet to beginning.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: July 3, 1991

AMERIHOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION Assignee of Mortgage

Charles A. Forrest, Jr. Attorney-At-Law 703 E. Court Street Flint, MI 48503 Telephone: (313) 238-4030

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage as of the date of this notice is the sum of TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND NINETY FIVE AND 25/100 dollars (\$28,095.25), for principal and interest and,

WHEREAS, no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and default having been made whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

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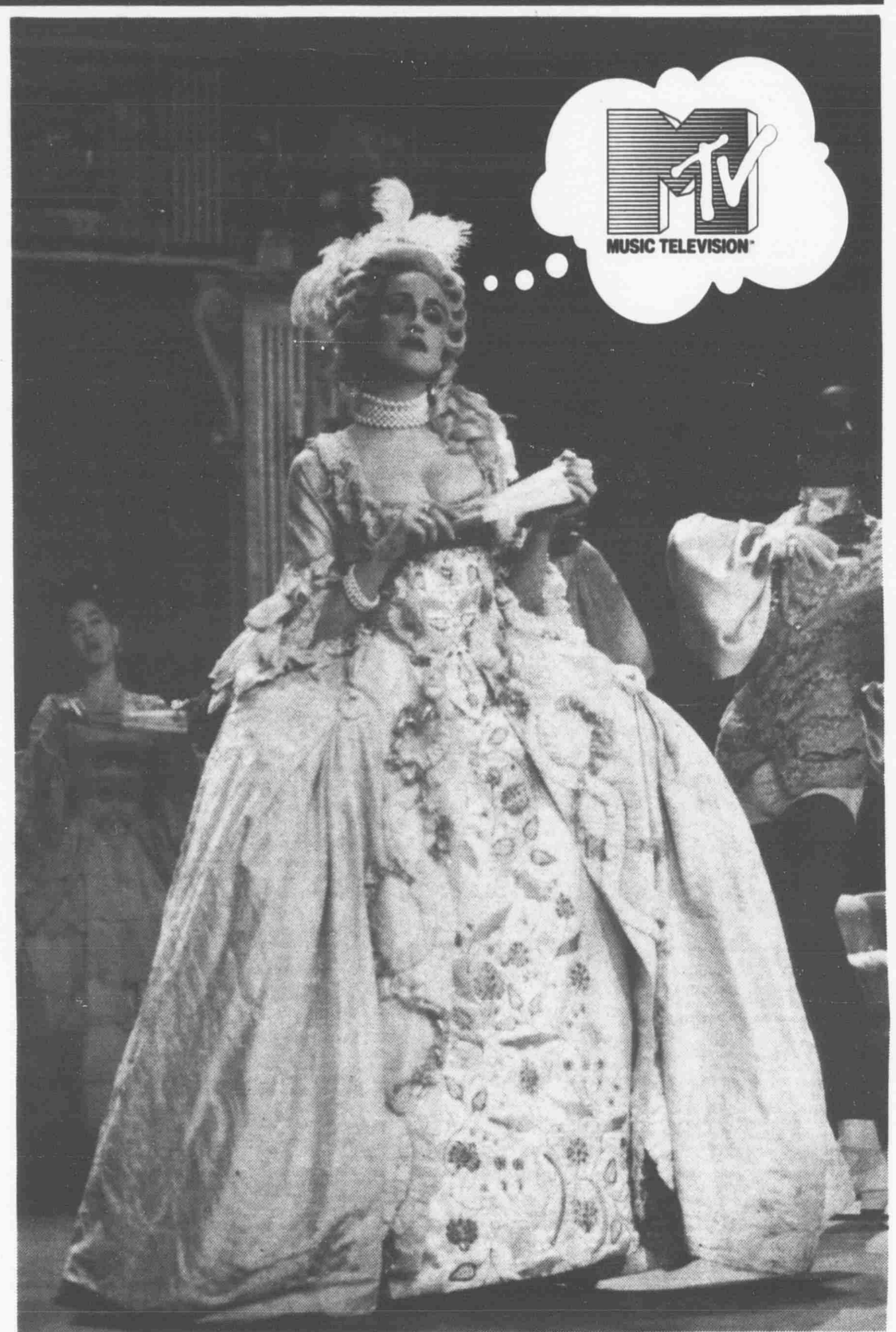
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- [MAX] MOVIE: Dance to Win (Stereo)
On Stage (Stereo)
Monsters
Motoworld
Sports LateNight
Donna Reed
Outer Limits
Home Shopping
Night Flight
MOVIE: Lust in the Dust A tramp comes to the town of Chin Verde and between quarrels with a local saloon boss, she has time for a romance with a tall dark stranger. Tab Hunter, Liane Kazan 1985.
Praise the Lord
One Day at a Time
Inside the Senior PGA Tour
NewNight Update
CNH Headline News
Mr. Ed
An Evening at the Improv
Night Tracks (Stereo)
MOVIE: Hyper Sapien: People From Another Star Visitors from outer space share their charming insights on life as seen from a galactic perspective. Ricky Paul Golden Sydney Penny 1986.
Runaway With the Rich & Famous
PBA Bowling Columbia 300 Open (R)
News/Future Watch
My Three Sons
Outer Limits
Music Videos
MOVIE: The Deadly Trap A crime syndicate plans a series of kidnaps to convince a woman whose husband has underworld connections, she is going insane. Faye Dunaway, Frank Langella 1971.
Larry King Weekend
Patty Duke
MOVIE: Mephisto An actor gives up his political and artistic standards for success. Klaus Maria Brandauer, Kristyna Janda 1981.
HBO MOVIE: Cutting Class
[MAX] MOVIE: A Man for Sale
Dobie Gillis
Home Shopping
Outer Limits

SUNDAY

July 28

MORNING

- CNN News
Alfred Hitchcock Hour
Paid Program
Pro Football Hall of Fame Induction Ceremonies From Canton, Ohio (R)
Sports LateNight
Fermwood 2Night
Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet
Scheme of Things
News/Moneyweek
Dragnet
Home Shopping
HBO MOVIE: Revenge of the Nerds II: Nerds in Paradise (Stereo) (CC)
[MAX] MOVIE: The Creeping Flesh
Music Videos With Downtown Julie Brown
Small Wonder
Crime Stoppers 800
World Tomorrow
Mousieries
Land of the Giants
NewSight '91
One Day at a Time
Inside the Senior PGA Tour

- Miracles Now With Oral Roberts
SportsCenter
DayBreak
Eureeka's Castle
Partners in Crime
Super Sports Follies
Fraggle Rock
HBO Tattler: When to Talk on a Friend (CC)
[MAX] MOVIE: Earth vs. the Spider
Images
Dumbo's Circus
Robert Schuller With the Hour of Power (CC)
BodyShaping
News/The Big Story
Headlines
Real Fishing With Bob Iuzumi
Day of Discovery
Fraggle Rock
Flintstones
Formula One Racing Grand Prix of Germany (L)
People to People
Sunday Today
Message From Calvary
Sesame Street
D. James Kennedy
HBO Babar
Wuzzles (CC)
Jam
Swiss Family Robinson
Chicago's Very Own
DayBreak

- Count Duckula
Wild World of the East
Paid Program
It is Written
Poppo
Flintstones
What's Nu?
Destiny
To Be Announced
Wonderful Wizard of Oz (Stereo)
[MAX] MOVIE: The Goonies (Stereo) (CC)
Found Puppies
Cartoon Express
Gerbert
Heritage of Faith
Evans and Novak
Headlines
Touch a Child's Life Michael Learned, Blair Brown
Perspective
Underdog
Miracles Now With Oral Roberts
Captain Planet and the Planeteers
Exciting World of Speed and Beauty Unlimited motorcycle racing
Outreach Mass
Paid Program
Sesame Street
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Day of Discovery
HBO MOVIE: Batman (Stereo) (CC)
Animated Fraggle Rock
Auge Doggie and Friends
Mass for Shut-ins
Morning News
CNN Headline News
Cartoon Kablooney
MOVIE: Apache Drums Although run out of town by the jealous mayor, a gambler returns to aid the townspeople who are raided by Mescaero Apaches. Stephen McKeally, Cohen Gray 1981.
CBS Sunday Morning (CC)
In Search of the Lord's Way
Kenneth Copeland
Collector's Journal With Ralph and Terry Kovel
Bugs Bunny and Pals
Leave It to Beaver
European PGA Golf British Open (T)
Just Say Julie!
Truckin' USA Nevada 500 Off-Road Race (Stereo)
Catholic Mass
Midwest Outdoors Magazine
Larry Jones
Donald Duck Presents
Flintstones (CC)
Leave It to Beaver
News/Your Money
Flipper
Wild Kingdom
House for All Seasons
Andy Griffith
Top 20 Video Countdown
Trucks and Tractor Power Magazine (Stereo)
To Be Announced
It's Your Business
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Backstage Disney: Main Street Electrical Parade
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- Cartoon Express
SportsCenter
News/SportsWeek in Review
Sabbie Your Shorts
About Town
Paid Program
Weekend Travel Update
American Medical Television
Treasure Island A boy finds a map to hidden treasure and eventually has a run-in with Long John Silver. Wallace Berry, Jackie Cooper 1934.
This Week in Rock
The Basemasters Pro Bass Angler Gary Klein (Stereo)
MOVIE: Iceman A scientific expedition at the polar ice cap discovers a Neanderthal man cryogenically preserved in the ice and still alive. Timothy Hutton, Lindsay Crooke 1984.
Westdale's Realty's Better Homes and Gardens
Mr. Mom An unemployed executive is forced to trade his briefcase for an apron when his wife goes off to work. Michael Keaton, Ten Garr 1983.
On the Waterways
Wall Street Week (Stereo) (CC)
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- England residents foreshadow the declaration of war and the beginning of Tommy Lee Jones, Robert Ulrich 1988.
European PGA Golf Monte Carlo Open (T)
Survival Specials
Pan American Games Fidel Castro One on One
Sincer
News/World Report
CNN Headline News
MOVIE: Shipwreck! A widower, a photojournalist and three youngsters sail around the world and become marooned on a dangerous island. Robert Logan, Mikki Jamison-Olsen 1978.
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- MOVIE: Bugs Bunny Superstar Animator Bob Clampett takes us on a tour through the history of the world's most loved cartoon rabbit. Narrated by Orson Welles, 1975.
MOVIE: Swains Family Robinson A shipwrecked family battles storms, wildlife and pirates to turn a deserted island into a tropical paradise. John Mills, Dorothy McGuire, 1960.
MOVIE: Into the Badlands Bounty hunters, hired killers and barmaids figure into three tales of the Old West. Bruce Dern, Mariel Hemingway, 1991 (Stereo) (CC)
Tin Tin, K-9 Cop (Stereo) (CC)
Baseball Tonight
World Today
Inspector Gadget
Unknown War
World Grand Prix Motorcycle Racing From Yugoslavia (T)
60 Minutes (Stereo)
CNA Digest
Revenge
Liquid TV
Parker Lewis Can't Lose (Stereo) (CC)
Lockwell (Stereo) (CC)
Wild America (Stereo) (CC)
Black Stallion (Stereo) (CC)
News/Sports Sunday
Looney Tunes
Idiot Box
In Living Color (Stereo) (CC)
Expose (Stereo) (CC)
On the Waterways
Animal Collection
America's Funniest Home Videos (Stereo) (CC)
MOVIE: Less Than Zero (Stereo) (CC)
Bardotown (Stereo) (CC)
MOVIE: Breaking Point A man is pursued by Mallofos after testifying against them in court. Bo Svenson, Robert Culp, 1976.
NHRA Today (Stereo)
Off the Record
PrimeTime Live: Ferris Bueller's Day Off (Stereo) (CC)
The New Adventures of Davy Crockett (CC)
Dog House
MSA CTP Racing G.I. Joe's Camel Grand Prix (L)
Make the Grade
PGA Golf Greater Hartford Open, final rd (L)
Firepower
Inside Winston Cup Racing (Stereo)
Facts of Life
New Lassie (CC)
Financial Advisors
This Old House (CC)
Tom and Jerry's House of Horrors
Welcome Back, Kotter
Bonanza
EarlyPrime
Family Double Dare
World in Action
Revenge
My Blue Heaven (Stereo) (CC)
Winners Mario Andretti (Stereo)
Growing Pains (CC)
Smaller Wonder
Michigan Business Weekly
Hometown (CC)
Swamp Thing
Big Break 1992
Married...With Children (Stereo) (CC)
MOVIE: 'Cast the First Stone' NBC Sunday Night at the Movies A schoolteacher, who is a former nun, jeopardizes her job after she becomes pregnant by rape and decides to keep the baby. Jodie Foster, Joe Spano, 1985 (Stereo) (CC)
Masters Theatre (CC)
Tom Peters' Speed to Life (Stereo)
HBO Madonnal The Blond Ambition World Tour '90 (Stereo)
National Geographic Explorer
Counterstrike
Charles Stanley
News/Week in Review
CNN Headline News
Donna Reed
Birth of Europe
Motorport Hour
MOVIE: 'Angel of Death' CBS Sunday Movie A convicted killer escapes and works his way into the lives of an unsuspecting woman and her son. Gregory Harrison, Jane Seymour, 1990 (Stereo) (CC)
Discovery Sunday
News/SportsWeek in Review
CNN Headline News
Wild & Crazy Kids
Living Dangerously
USWA Main Event
Michigan Golf Monsters Four legendary golf courses
Wild Things
MOVIE: Lifeguard A California man, who at 32 is the oldest lifeguard on the beach, faces a turning point in his life as he contemplates a more conventional career. Sam Elliott, Anne Archer, 1985.
WCW Main Event
Avonlea (Stereo) (CC)
The A-gonauts
This Week in Rock
Motorports Magazine
Heroes The Human Tug Truck
NBC News (CC)
Harry and the Hendersons
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HBO MOVIE: Spontaneous Combustion (Stereo)
CNN News
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MOVIE: Crackers Down-on-their-luck maffis become safe-crackers to ease their financial troubles, but a host brings them numerous problems. Donald Sutherland, Jack Warden 1984.
New/The Big Story
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Major League Baseball White Sox at Blue Jays (L)
International Outboard Grand Prix From Bay City, Mich 1978.
Crossfire
Looney Tunes
Crusade in the Pacific
NBA Basketball Pistons at Suns (R)
Family Feud
Love Connection
World Monitor
MTV Prime With Martha Quinn
Hogan's Heroes
On Stage (Stereo)
MOVIE: Starman A powerful alien comes to Earth, falls in love and finds himself pursued by government agents. Jeff Bridges, Karen Allen 1984.
Fresh Prince of Bel Air (Stereo) (CC)
MOVIE: First Blood A Vietnam veteran uses his Green Beret training to turn a battle with small-town police into a minor war. Sylvester Stallone, Richard Crenna, 1982.
Great Journeys (Pt 7 of 8)
Adventure (CC)
MacGyver (Stereo) (CC)
Avonlea (Stereo) (CC)
Murder, She Wrote (CC)
MOVIE: Charles & Diana: A Royal Love Story The fairy tale romance and marriage between Charles, Prince of Wales, and 19-year-old kindergarten teacher Lady Diana Spencer is portrayed. David Robb, Caroline Bliss, 1982.
MOVIE: The Bestmaster A man in feudal times uses supernatural powers, pagan rites and sorcery to avenge his father's murder. Marc Singer, Tanya Roberts, 1982.
IHRA Drag Racing Empire Nationals (R)
HBO MOVIE: Think Big (Stereo)
[MAX] MOVIE: Autumn Leaves
AMA Motocross From Hagerstown, Md (R)
MOVIE: Romanoff & Juliet The president of tiny Concordia wants to keep his country a secret. Sandra Dee, John Gavin, 1959.
HBO MOVIE: A Chorus Line: The Movie (Stereo) (CC)
Sunkist K.I.D.S.
[MAX] MOVIE: China Venture
USWA Wrestling
MOVIE: The Fastest Gun Alive A peace-loving Western storekeeper tries to erase his reputation as a fast gun but news of his presence in town attracts a desperado. Glenn Ford, Jeanne Crain, 1959.
Major League Baseball Prates at Braves (L)
HBO MOVIE: The Squeeze (Stereo)
[MAX] MOVIE: Radio Days (Stereo)
Sports Reporters
Star Shot Clay Target Shooting Game
Teen Win, Lose or Draw (CC)
Cartoon Express
Andy Griffith
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World Today
CNN Headline News
Wild & Crazy Kids
SportsCenter
Challengers
Beyond 2000
Gilligan's Island
9 to 5
ABC News (CC)
HBO News (CC)
Mr. Belvedere (CC)
Nightly Business Report
ABC News (CC)
MOVIE: The Looney, Looney, Looney Bugs Bunny Movie Bugs and his friends attend a special awards ceremony featuring clips of their past works. (Annotated) 1991.
Dream of Jeannie
Up Close
Get Smart

MONDAY

July 29

MORNING

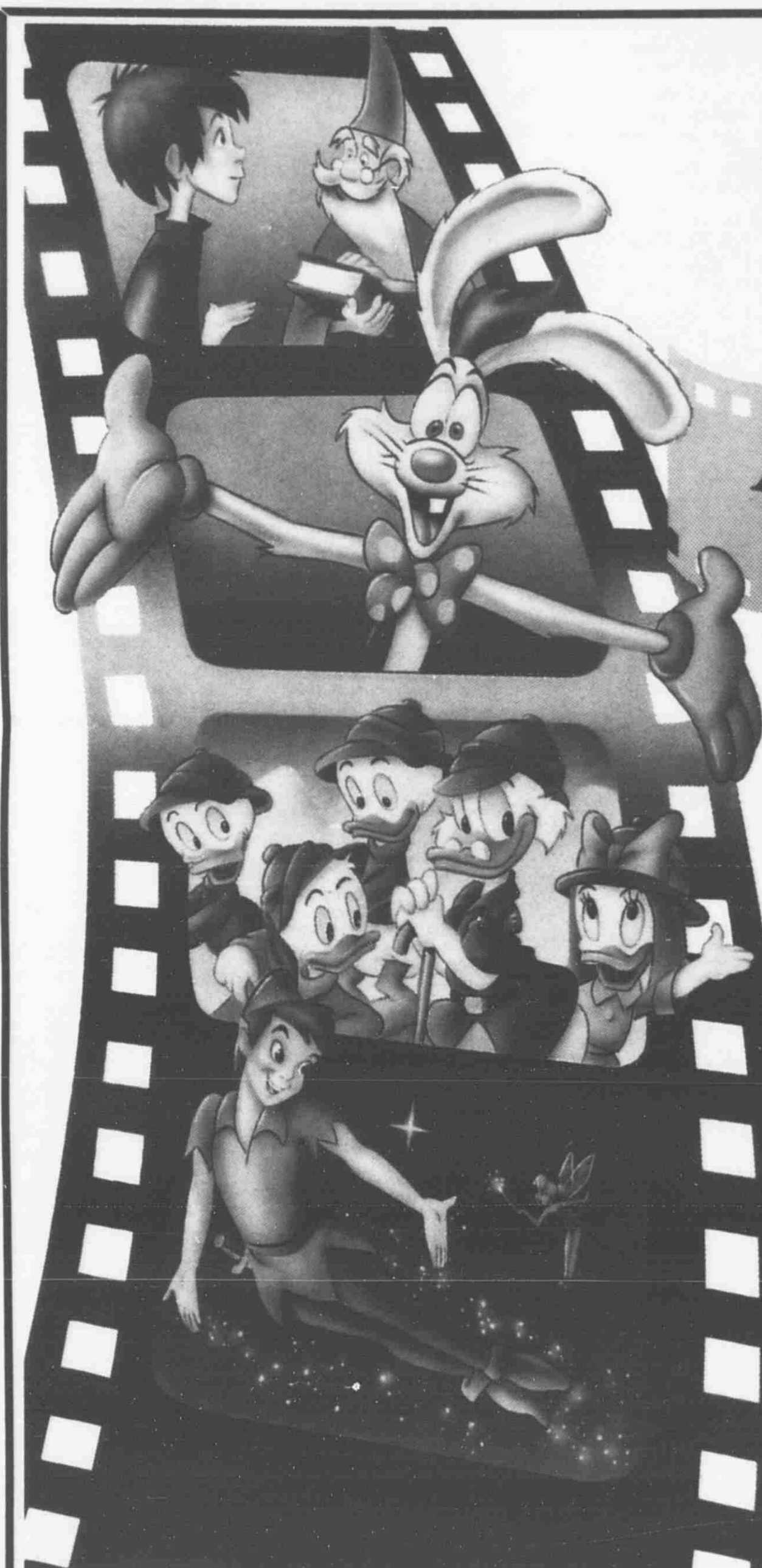
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SportsCenter
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Baseball Tonight
[MAX] MOVIE: Hot Pursuit (Stereo)
MOVIE: Sybil (Pt 1 of 2) A psychiatrist tries to treat Sybil, a woman with 16 personalities. Joanne Woodward, Sally Field, 1976.
Rockumentary
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Airwolf
MOVIE: The Year My Voice Broke A teenage boy deals with adolescent insecurity and small-town secrets as he tries to consummate his lust for his best friend. Noah Taylor, Loene Carmen, 1987.
Paid Program
World Tomorrow
MOVIE: The Crimson Pirate A pirate captain captures a ship loaded with supplies, as well as a king's emissary whose mission is to stop a rebellion. Burt Lancaster, Nick Cravat, 1952.
MOVIE: Crazy Moon When a rich boy meets and falls in love with a deaf girl, his life is thrown completely out of whack. Kiefer Sutherland, Vanessa Vaughan, 1986.
Green Acres
First Church of Christ
Friday the 13th: The Series
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Smash Hits
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Tales From the Darkside
Sports LateNight
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Trapper John, M.D.
Lee Haney's Championship Workout
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CNN Headline News
Caroline's Comedy Hour
HBO HBO Comedy Hour (Stereo) (CC)
[MAX] MOVIE: Ghosts Can't Do It (Stereo) (CC)
Paid Program

AFTERNOON

- [HBO] MOVIE: Jack and the Beanstalk
MOVIE: Ship of Fools Passengers on a pre-World War II ocean liner face their personal problems and their feelings about fascism. Vivien Leigh, Oskar Werner, 1955.
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MOVIE: The Bestmaster A man in feudal times uses supernatural powers, pagan rites and sorcery to avenge his father's murder. Marc Singer, Tanya Roberts, 1982.
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HBO MOVIE: Think Big (Stereo)
[MAX] MOVIE: Autumn Leaves
AMA Motocross From Hagerstown, Md (R)
MOVIE: Romanoff & Juliet The president of tiny Concordia wants to keep his country a secret. Sandra Dee, John Gavin, 1959.
HBO MOVIE: A Chorus Line: The Movie (Stereo) (CC)
Sunkist K.I.D.S.
[MAX] MOVIE: China Venture
USWA Wrestling
MOVIE: The Fastest Gun Alive A peace-loving Western storekeeper tries to erase his reputation as a fast gun but news of his presence in town attracts a desperado. Glenn Ford, Jeanne Crain, 1959.
Major League Baseball Prates at Braves (L)
HBO MOVIE: The Squeeze (Stereo)
[MAX] MOVIE: Radio Days (Stereo)
Sports Reporters
Star Shot Clay Target Shooting Game
Teen Win, Lose or Draw (CC)
Cartoon Express
Andy Griffith
Star Shot Clay Target Shooting Game
World Today
CNN Headline News
Wild & Crazy Kids
SportsCenter
Challengers
Beyond 2000
Gilligan's Island
9 to 5
ABC News (CC)
HBO News (CC)
Mr. Belvedere (CC)
Nightly Business Report
ABC News (CC)
MOVIE: The Looney, Looney, Looney Bugs Bunny Movie Bugs and his friends attend a special awards ceremony featuring clips of their past works. (Annotated) 1991.
Dream of Jeannie
Up Close
Get Smart

EVENING

- MTV News: Racism
Truckin' USA An off-road excursion (Stereo)
Mama's Family
Big Break
Austin City Limits
New Yankee Workshop
Murder, She Wrote (CC)
Big Brother Jake (Stereo) (CC)
MOVIE: Lulu Belle An insensitive Southern singer brings ruin to the man who love her. Dorothy Lamour, George Montgomery, 1948.
News/SportsWeek in Review
CNN Headline News
Wild & Crazy Kids
Living Dangerously
USWA Main Event
Michigan Golf Monsters Four legendary golf courses
Wild Things
MOVIE: Lifeguard A California man, who at 32 is the oldest lifeguard on the beach, faces a turning point in his life as he contemplates a more conventional career. Sam Elliott, Anne Archer, 1985.
WCW Main Event
Avonlea (Stereo) (CC)
The A-gonauts
This Week in Rock
Motorports Magazine
Heroes The Human Tug Truck
NBC News (CC)
Harry and the Hendersons
Victory Garden (CC)
ABC News (CC)
Manic Mansion (Stereo) (CC)
SportsCenter
News/Inside Business
Clarissa Explains It All
CBS News (CC)
Hall of Fame Comedy Hour
American Sports Cavalcade Hosts Steve Evans, Brock Yates
Hidden Video (Stereo)
Julie Brown Show (Stereo) (CC)
Collectors (Stereo) (CC)
Austin City Limits
Life Goes On (Stereo) (CC)
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DAYTIME

MORNING

- 5:00 (M) Morning Stretch
(WE) Best of Walt Disney Presents
(TU) Paid Program
(W,TH) My Sister Sam
(MO,FR) (M) (MO, TU) Movie
(TU,WE,TH,FR) ShowBiz Today
(MO) Sports LateNight
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Mr. Ed
(MO) Farnwood 2Night
(TU,WE,TH,FR) (M) (TH,FR) Home Shopping
(FR) Man From U.N.C.L.E.
(TH) National Velvet
5:05 Hogan's Heroes
(FR) Movie (CC)
5:10 (TH) Walt Disney Presents
5:15 (FR) HBO Comedy Hour
(TH) Movie
5:20 (M) Three Stooges Shorts
5:30 (M) This Morning's Business
Hooked on Aerobics
(W,TH,FR) Paid Program
Lary
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Getting Fit
(MO) SportsCenter
DayBreak
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Dobie Gillis
(MO) Survivors
(TH) Trailer Camp
5:35 (WE) Chimps: So Like Us
CNN Headline News
5:40 (M) The Mind (CC)
(TU) Voyage: Challenge and Change in Careers
(WE) Strategies in Reading
(TH) Survival Specials
(M) ABC World News This Morning
(MO) (WE) Movie (CC)
Mousercise
Today With Marilyn
(TU,WE,TH) Facts of Life
(MO,TH) World Tomorrow
(TU,WE,TH,FR) SportsCenter
CNN Headline News
Lassie
(MO, TU, WE, FR) Blackadder Goes Forth
(TH) Slap Maxwell Story
CBS Morning News
News
Woody Woodpecker
6:05 Gomer Pyle
6:10 (FR) Movie
6:15 (WE) Movie (CC)
6:25 (TH) Movie
6:30 Flintstones
(WE) Surfing
Kenneth Copeland
You and Me, Kid
(MO) Paid Program
James Robison
Faith 20
Nation's Business Today
Business Morning
Kids World
A & E Preview
CBS Morning News
6:35 My Three Sons
6:45 (TU) Contract for Life: The S.A.D. Story
(MO) Movie
7:00 Tiny Toons Adventures
(WE) Today (CC)
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (CC)
To Life! Yoga
Good Morning America
(TU, TH) Movie
Good Morning, Mickey!
Cartoon Express
The Littles
Success-A-Life
DayBreak
Wizard's World (CC)
(FR) Images of Another World
(MO) Flying Marines
(TU) My Family and Other Animals
(WE) Previn on Concertos
(TH) Freud
CBS This Morning
Fun Zone
7:05 Munsters
(FR) Movie
7:10 (TU) AM Weather
7:15 (M) (MO, WE, TH, FR) AM Weather
7:30 Merrie Melodies
(TU) Tiny Toons Adventures (CC)
Captain Kangaroo (CC)
(FR) Do It for Yourself
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Business File
(TU) Chimps: So Like Us (CC)
(WE) Movie (CC)
Care Bears
Dinosauars
Nation's Business Today
Business Day
Most Wanted: Yogi Bear
(MO) Eagle and the Bear
7:35 Leave It to Beaver
8:00 Dennis the Menace
Merrie Melodies
Sesame Street (CC)
(FR) Sewing Connection
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Business Management
Baber
Donald Duck Presents
Jam
Flintstone Kids
Banana Splits
DayBreak
Inspector Gadget
World of Survival

- (M) Popeye
8:05 Brady Bunch
8:30 (FR) Paid Program
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Brady Bunch
Muppet Babies (CC)
Wonderful Wizard of Oz
(MO, TU, FR) Movie
Welcome to Pooh Corner
Cartoon Express
Popeye
Bozo
SportsCenter
Heathcliff
(WE, FR) Crusade in the Pacific
(MO, TU) Crusade in the Pacific
(TH) World War I
8:35 Zoobilee Zoo
Dream of Jeannie
9:00 VideoMorning
Wonderful World of Disney
Highway to Heaven (CC)
Flintstones
Today's Special
Sesame Street (CC)
Live With Regis & Kathie Lee
(TU, WE, TH, FR) Movie
(WE) The World Entertainment News Report
Under the Umbrella Tree
Flying Nun
(TU, WE, TH, FR) Baseball Tonight
(WE) Play Ball With Reggie Jackson
(TH) Major League Baseball Magazine
Morning News
CNN Headline News
Lassie
(FR) City of Angels
(MO) Eleri Queen
(TU) Dalmatians
(WE) O'Hara, U.S. Treasury
(TH) Mrs. Columbus
Sally Jessy Raphael
Happy Days
(FR) Wheel of Fortune (CC)
(FR) North/South: Fang Li Zhi and Chen Jian Xing
(MO) Beyond 2000
(TU) Producing Miracles Every Day
(WE) The Making of a Continent (CC)
(TH) Mark Twain
Fraggle Rock
9:05 Little House on the Prairie
9:10 (TH) Movie
Bullwinkle
(FR) Taste of Louisiana
(MO) Lap Quilting With Gloria Bonstead (CC)
(TU) Sewing Connection
(WE) Welcome to My Studio
(TH) Today's Gourmet With Jacques Pepin
Dumbo's Circus
Hazel
Cooky's Cartoon Club
(FR) Thoroughbred Digest
(MO) Baseball Tonight
(TU) Golf
(WE) Surfing
(TH) Jet Skiing
Mays the Bee
(MO) Paid Program
(MO) OED
(TU) Rhine
(NH) What a Picture
Pink Panther
Adam Curry
Graham Kerr
Wheel of Fortune (CC)
Wonderful World of Disney
(FR) Good Thyme Cooking
(MO) Strip Quilting
(TU) Sewing With Nancy
(WE) Fun With Watercolors
(TH) Health Smart Gourmet Cooking
Mister Rogers' Neighborhood (CC)
Geraldo
(MO, FR) (TU, WE, TH, FR) (WE) Movie
(MO) Hey, Cinderella!
Lost in Space
700 Club With Pat Robertson
Trapper John, M.D.
(FR) ATP Tour Tennis
(TU) Horse Show Jumping
(WE) Women's Pro Beach Volleyball
(TH) Four-Man Beach Volleyball
World Day
Eureka's Castle
(TU, WE, TH, FR) The Fugitive
(MO) Biography
(WE) Designing Women (CC)
Webster
(FR) Pulse
(MO, TU, WE, TH, DR) Edell's Medical Journal
Daktari
10:05 (WE) Movie
10:30 People's Court
Trump Card
(FR) Amish Cooking From Quilt Country
(MO) Quilt in a Day
(TU) Needle Workshop at Home
(WE) Joy of Decorative Painting
(TH) Gourmet Cooking
Reading Rainbow (CC)
(MO) Movie
(FR) Inside the Senior PGA Tour
(MO) ESPN's SpeedWeek
(MO, TU, WE, TH) War in the Gulf: A Look Back
(TH) Family Feud
The Judge
Classic Concentration
Your Health!
10:35 (TU) Movie (CC)
11:00 (WE) Side by Side
Lassie & Shirley
\$100,000 Pyramid
Small Wonder

- Club Connect
3-2-1 Contact (CC)
Home
(TU, TH, FR) (TH) Movie (CC)
(MO) Rory Story
Divorce Court
Heart to Heart With Sheila Walsh
Joan Rivers
Getting Fit
DayWatch
Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
(TU, WE, TH, FR) The Avengers (CC)
(MO) As It Happened: The Royal Wedding
(TH) Price Is Right
Full House (CC)
Tastes of the World
Daktari
11:30 Kate & Allie (CC)
(FR) Trialwatch
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Cover to Cover
Silver Spoons (CC)
Degraded High (CC)
Hooked on Aerobics
(WE) News to Us (CC)
(MO, FR) Movie
(FR) Sabar Comes to America
(TU) Dorothy in the Land of Oz
Divorce Court
Paid Program
Basic Training Workout
Crier & Co
Fred Penner's Place
Pasquale's Kitchen Express
AFTERNOON
12:00 Beach MTV
Cookin' USA
Morning News
(MO, WE) (WE) Movie
(MO) Best of National Geographic
(TH) Charles in Charge (CC)
Reading Rainbow (CC)
(FR) Stalin (CC)
(MO, WE) Government by Consent
(TU) Firing Line
(TH) Marilyn MacKay's Autograph
(MO, TU, TH, FR) Lunch Box
The Judge (CC)
Geraldo
(FR) Senior PGA Golf
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Bodies in Motion
NewsHour
CNN Headline News
World of the Game
Who's the Boss? (CC)
Family Ties (CC)
Do It for Yourself!
12:05 CHIPS
(MO, FR) Country Kitchen
(TU) Remodeling and Decorating Today
(WE) Side by Side
(TH) Going Our Way
A Closer Look
Andy Griffith
Sacred City
(MO, WE) Government by Consent
(TU) Sit and Be Fit
(TH) Kathryn Brown in Recital
Loving (CC)
(TU) Movie (CC)
Music Box
The Judge (CC)
(MO, FR) American Baby
(TU, TH) Healthy Kids
(WE) America's Backroads
(MO, TU, WE, TH) BodyShaping
Adventures of Little Koala
Young and the Restless
Square Foot Gardening
(TU) Movie (CC)
1:00 Top Card
(MO) Best of National Geographic
Days of Our Lives
Dick Van Dyke
(FR) Stained Glass With Vicki Payne
(MO) Calligraphy is Fun
(TU) Crafting for the 90s
(WE) New Garden
(TH) Justin Wilson's Louisiana Cookies
(FR) Escape from Iran: Inside Story
(MO) Mystery! (CC)
(TU) Infinite Voyage
Father Knows Best
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Leave It to Beaver
Sunkist K.I.D.S.
Tony Awards
Pasquale's Kitchen Express
3:35 (MO) Tom and Jerry's Funhouse
3:45 (MO, TH) Cartoons
4:00 Hot Seat
Club Dance
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (CC)
Hard Copy
Tale Spin
Sesame Street (CC)
Family Ties (CC)
Sara Bears (CC)
(FR) PGA Golf
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Press Your Luck
Bismarck
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Flintstones
(FR) Senior PGA Golf
(MO, TU, WE, TH) USWA Wrestling
NewsDay
Heathcliff
Oprah Winfrey (CC)
Woody Woodpecker
Donahue
Do It for Yourself
(MO, TU) (WE, TH) Movie
4:15 (FR) Movie (CC)
4:30 Peter Pan and the Pirates (CC)
Instant Recall
Mister Rogers' Neighborhood (CC)
Benson
(TU) Tattle: When to Tell on a Friend (CC)
(FR) Movie (CC)
Donald Duck Presents
(MO, TU, WE, TH) High Rollers
(MO) IHRA Drag Racing
Augie Doggie and Friends
(WE) PBA Bowling
(TH) NHRA Drag Racing
Mays the Bee
(TH) Bold and the Beautiful (CC)
Antiques Roadshow
(FR) (WE) Movie
5:00 Steve Masters
Country Standard Time
700 Club With Pat Robertson
Mister Rogers' Neighborhood (CC)

- Alvin and the Chipmunks
Contrary to Love
(FR) National Audubon Society Specials (CC)
(MO) National Geographic
(TU) Fun and Fancy Fabric Painting
(WE) Tom Peters' Speed Is Life
(TH) Nova (CC)
(TH) One Life to Live
(MO, WE) (MO, TU) Movie
(MO, TU, WE) Under the Umbrella Tree
Dick Van Dyke
Four-Man Beach Volleyball
(Mickey) Thompson's Off Road Championship Grand Prix
NewsDay
Lift Bits
(FR) Eleri Queen
(O'Hara, U.S. Treasury
(WE) Mrs. Columbus
(TH) City of Angels
(TH) As the World Turns
(FR) Pulse
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Dr. Edell's Medical Journal
(TU) Movie
Gummy Bears (CC)
(TU) African-American Journal
(TH, FR) (FR) (WE) Movie (CC)
(TU) Gunplay: The Last Day in the Life of Brian Darling (CC)
(MO) Wuzzles (CC)
(TU) Mouse Factory
(WE) Animated Fraggles Rock
(TH) Afternoon Time
Win, Lose or Draw
(MO) AMA Motocross
Lassie
Your Health!
(TH) Ten Came Bronson
2:45 (TU) Tom and Jerry's Funhouse
3:00 Cookin' USA
DuckTales (CC)
Santa Barbara
Newton's Apple (CC)
(FR) Acrylic Fun for Everyone
(MO) Victory Garden
(TU) Joy of Painting
(WE) Travels in Europe With Rick Steves
(TH) Paint With Pittard
General Hospital
Raccoons
Hollywood Squares
Father Knows Best
(FR) Lead-off Man
(MO, TU, WE, TH) One Day at a Time
(FR) NFL Yearbook
Looney Tunes
International Hour
CNN Headline News
Flipper
(TU) (TH) Movie
Guiding Light
Tastes of the World
3:05 (WE, TH) Tom and Jerry's Funhouse
3:15 (FR) Major League Baseball
(MO) Courtship of Eddie's Father
3:20 (FR) Major League Baseball
3:30 Top Card
Chip 'n' Dale's Rescue Rangers (CC)
3-2-1 Contact (CC)
Sesame Street (CC)
(MO) (WE) Movie (CC)
Pound Puppies
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(FR) (WE) Movie
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Mister Rogers' Neighborhood (CC)

- Reading Rainbow (CC)
(TU) Movie (CC)
Kids, Incorporated
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Just the Ten of Us (CC)
Popeye
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Chip 'n' Dale's Rescue Rangers (CC)
(MO, TU, WE) Monster Truck Challenge
(TU) NFL Yearbook
EarlyPrime
Mork & Mindy
The Fugitive
Donahue
Mill Street Blues
Cheers (CC)
Mother Nature
5:05 (MO) Major League Baseball
(TU, WE, TH) Laverne and Shirley
5:15 (TU) Movie (CC)
5:30 Club MTV
Reading Rainbow (CC)
3-2-1 Contact (CC)
Night Court (CC)
(MO) (MO, TU, WE) Movie
Mickey Mouse Club (CC)
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Welcome Back, Kotter
Popeye
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Mask (CC)
(MO) Sports Reporters
6:00 Power Packs With John Norris
Charles in Charge (CC)
Hogan Family (CC)
(FR) (WE) Tony Brown's Journal
(MO) I Know a Song
ALF (CC)
Reading Rainbow (CC)
3-2-1 Contact (CC)
Night Court (CC)
(MO) (MO, TU, WE) Movie
Mickey Mouse Club (CC)
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Welcome Back, Kotter
Popeye
(MO, TU, WE, TH) Mask (CC)
(MO) Sports Reporters
HOROSCOPE
July 23 through August 3
LEO (July 23 - Aug. 22)
It seems you are looking at your life from the outside, rather than living it. You say things you don't mean, then can't figure out how to rectify the situation. Follow your instincts.
VIRGO (Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)
You will be happy with loved ones this week. Even when you are knocked off your feet, you'll come up swinging because of your family's support.
LIBRA (Sept. 23 - Oct. 22)
Your work environment get you down, things will get better soon. Turn what little energy you have toward making a positive change in your life.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23 - Nov. 21)
It's important you get plenty of rest this week so you can party on the weekend. You might meet the person of your dreams.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)
A new person will cause profound changes. An argument with this person will give you new insights.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)
Don't lose your cool when dealing with difficult people this weekend. They are trying to get under your skin, so don't give them the satisfaction.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)
Try not to draw attention to yourself. Others will abuse your time if you can. Listen carefully when being instructed on a new project.
PISCES (Feb. 19 - March 20)
Don't let anyone threaten you. You don't deserve that kind of treatment. You may make a mistake, but it is an honest one.
ARIES (March 21 - April 19)
Don't worry about someone saying no to you, especially if the comment comes from an authority figure. Someone else may know what is best.
TAURUS (April 20 - May 20)
An important assignment will have you running in all directions. You may want to run away. Resist temptation.
GEMINI (May 21 - June 20)
You may get into a philosophical argument with a loved one. Keep your open mind and remember they have as much right to their opinion as you do to yours.
CANCER (June 21 - July 22)
Your love-life might just take a turn for the better this week. You will also feel closer to estranged family members.
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- CROSSWORD PUZZLE
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For this daring and ambitious bleached-blond singer/actor, nothing seems sacred except stardom.
The answer to the Crossword Quiz is found within the puzzle. To find the answer, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.
ACROSS
1. First... Like
5. Gabor and Marie Saint
9. Group of bees
10. Captain Stubbins' portrayer
12. Suffix for eight or velvet
13. Ride on which the Bear?
14. Lumberman's tool
15. Middle of the alphabet
16. ... Orator
17. ... monogram
18. Leave ... Beaver
19. Charles and Combs
20. Star Year (1950-51)
21. Snide line
22. Profile for cycle or angle
23. ... visited out in the streets of L.A.
24. Overwhelms
25. Gary Cooper's state of birth: abbr.
26. Betsy Ross' loc.
27. Mrs. Mertz & others
28. Sound of uncertainty
29. What's the name of the...?
30. Address: Partman
41. One Day ... Time
42. ... Grown in Broadway; 1946 film
43. ... calls on Alice
44. My Two ...
DOWN
1. Show about current events (2)
2. Author Fleming
3. Balconette
4. Girl's name
5. Actor Richard
6. Best Italy's state of birth: abbr.
7. Ms. Gardner
8. Show about current events (2)
9. Heavy truck
11. Connie Chung's field
14. City of pain
15. Condemn: abbr.
16. George Jefferson's wife
19. Field of ...; recent film
22. Chided
23. In addition
24. Late actress ... May Wong
31. ... the Sheriff?
34. Star
35. Initials for L. A. Law's Herndon
36. Estrada's initials
37. Cheryl or Alan
40. Historical period
42. Lifestyle of the rich ... Famous
44. English letter
46. "Honeyway State": abbr.

Mitchell brings the bus to a stop after 31 years at Lowell

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"When I first started driving a bus there was a prejudice against women. Many schools didn't believe a woman could drive a bus," Mitchell said. In 1985 Mitchell received the Kent County Traffic Squad School Bus Driver of the Year award. "I'm proud of the award and my accident-free record." Mitchell says her loyalty to driving a Lowell School bus was because she enjoyed kids, the people she worked with, and the fact the job allowed her to be home when her children were. Her bus was loaded with children. "They were 60 passenger buses and I had kids standing in the aisles when I pulled into the school," Mitchell remembers. Mitchell and her bus-driving peers are sent to a bus driving school each year to familiarize themselves with new safety procedures and bus laws. "I wasn't tired of driving a bus, but I knew I'd had enough," Mitchell explains. She says she isn't sure what she will do in retirement. "I'll probably read, bowl and visit the Upper Peninsula more," she said. Her last 15 years at Lowell, Mitchell drove the special education bus. "They are the best kind of students to drive. Their parents appreciate the job you're doing," she says. "You also have to work harder to get the kids to smile. So when you do, that's real rewarding." The reward was great enough that Mitchell would do all 31 years over again. "Lowell Schools has been a good place to work."

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Alice Mitchell got off the Lowell School bus after 31 years in the school system. The last 15 years she has driven the Special Education bus for the school district.

Reunion planned for North Bell/South Bell schools

Legend has it that after a heated school meeting, one faction burned the old Bell school to the ground, and thus two districts were formed. Truth or Fiction? The picture is from 1949-50...do you see anyone you know? The committee for the North Bell/South Bell Schools Reunion have been working diligently to find all those who attended the North Bell/South Bell Schools to inform them that there will be a grand reunion at Fallsburg Park in Lowell this summer. The reunion will be August 10th beginning at 12 noon in section A-1 in the upper level by the pavilion. Everyone should bring a dish or two to pass, table service and a beverage (no alcohol please); and all the old pictures and memories you have. The committee members: Ken Dawson, Pat (Kysner) Miller, Al and Phyllis Mick, Richard and Ruth King, and Frances (King) Walling have had some good times looking at all the old photos and sharing memories. If you know of any classmates that have moved from the area please get in touch and tell them that there will be a reunion. More information can be found if you give Pat (Kysner) Miller at 897-9060 or Frances (King) Walling at 897-9048 a call.

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Residents: "We want separate issues on ballot"

If the purpose of Thursday night's community meeting at the Lowell Middle School was to ascertain the questions and concerns the Lowell Community has about the renewal millage, there may very well be four issues on the ballot come September. "It was clear through what was heard Thursday night, the community residents want separate issues on the ballot," Lowell Superintendent Fritz Esch said. The four issues explained and discussed were the 26.1 operational millage renewal; the Headlee override; the 1.4 mill energy/maintenance extension; and a .5 additional mills for operation. Esch said there were six reasons for the .5 mill increase proposal for one year with the possible request for renewal in 1992. They are: the loss of interest income on the summer taxes; the cost of interest to borrow approximately \$2 million in order that the school can continue to run up to the winter tax collection; hedge against delayed state aid payment this year; may help off-

set projected fund deficit of \$400,000 for 1991-92 school year; may ask for renewal in June of 1992 if state reduces or freezes level of support; may need to purchase portable classrooms due to delayed high school opening. Lowell Township Clerk, Carol Wells said the first renewal millage vote did not give people a chance to vote their feelings. Cindy Boyce, President of the PTO at Bushnell, adds "We all understand that x amount of dollars are needed to pay bills. But I believe many found the ballot filled with many issues to be overwhelming and confusing," she said. The extension on the 1.4 mills for energy and maintenance for two additional years (1993-95) is a ballot issue so that the high school can be re-roofed; in order to retrofit Runciman and Riverside (1993); and possible request transfer of a portion to defray millage for opening the new high school. "The school has stated right along, that once the new high school is up, additional mills would have to be sought,"

Esch said. "You can't add an additional building and continue to operate at the same mill level" Gert VanZyll asked the Board if it would appeal Judge Dennis Kolenda's condemnation decision. The administration said that decision still has not been made. To that, VanZyll said she thought appealing at this point would be silly, knowing of the problems the school has had trying to get the land up to this point. Pinky McPherson said she thought it would be a good Residents, cont'd., pg. 18

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**Adrian**—This industrial city on the River Raisin has two colleges—Adrian and Siena Heights. An impressive historical district with 79 homes, the Crosswell Opera House and Lenawee County Historical Museum can be seen on a bike tour.

**Albion**—The city at the forks of the Kalamazoo River includes Albion College. The 135-acre nature center can provide a respite from biking with hiking trails through meadows and woodland. Outside of town is the Brueckner Museum and Gladstone Cottage, which house fine arts and antiques.

**Ann Arbor**—The University of Michigan campus covers more than 1,300 acres in the city. Highlights include Gothic buildings in the Law Quadrangle, Michigan Stadium, Burton Memorial Tower, Kelsey Museum of Archeology and the Museum of Art. Nearby, the Hands-On Museum, Kerrytown retail district and Gallup Park are worth a visit.

**Big Rapids**—Nature is the attraction around Ferris State University. A short bike

trip from the campus leads to a refreshing canoe or tube trip down the Muskegon River.

**Detroit**—The 185-acre Wayne State University campus sits in the heart of the Cultural Center. Nearby attractions include the Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit Science Center, Detroit Historical Museum, Museum of African-American History and the Center for Creative Studies.

**East Lansing**—Michigan State University's campus is a bike rider's delight. With more than 5,000 park-like acres, cyclists can roll along the banks of the Red Cedar River and visit the Beal Botanical Gardens, Kresge Art Museum or the MSU Museum. Grand River shops and restaurants are right off campus and Lansing is a short distance west.

**Hillsdale**—A renovated Victorian shopping district and 350 lakes and streams surrounding the community make this an interesting destination. Along with Hillsdale College, include stops at the Hillsdale County Poorhouse Museum and Slayton Arboretum.

**Holland**—Hope College is just a short distance away from the Netherlands Museum, Windmill Island and the Baker Furniture Museum. The Wooden Shoe Factory and Dutch Village require a longer ride.

**Houghton**—Michigan Technological University's A.E. Seaman Mineralogical Museum displays more than 20,000 mineral specimens. Twin city Hancock is home to Suomi College and Old Main, a national historic site.

**Kalamazoo**—Western

Michigan University and Kalamazoo College are in the middle of a variety of city attractions. Possible stops include the Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, Kalamazoo Public Museum and the historic districts on Vine, South and Stuart streets. The 38-mile Kal-Haven biking and hiking trail also starts west of Kalamazoo.

Other possible stops include the Clarke Historical Library and the Michigan High School Coaches' Association Hall of Fame.

**Sault Ste. Marie**—The oldest town in the state is home to Lake Superior State University. The big attraction is the Soo Locks. Parkland parallels the locks and a walkway links an overlook, Fort

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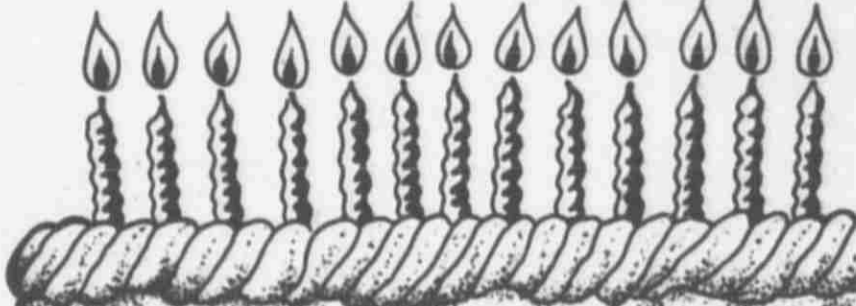
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## Land, continued...

answers from the City and the Township, many await the school's decision as to whether it will appeal Judge Kolenda's decision.

School administration officials have hinted that decision may not come until after it is learned whether an agreement can be reached by the City and Township.

The School's time is limited though, it only has up until 21 days after the order is signed by the Judge to appeal the decision. As of press time on Tuesday the order had not been signed.

While the school waits, it is exploring other possible sites. Most notably, the Lowell Airport and the Cooper property located at Alden Nash and Foreman.

Lowell City Manager, Dave Pasquale said the City would consider selling the airport property (88 acres) with an adjacent 37 acres reserved for cemetery, but first would have to find land to relocate the airport. Property adjacent to the airport land may also be available to the school.

Lowell Airport Board chairman, Roger Brown, said if the airport was to relocate, it would have to be a spot where

the airport could qualify for federal funding. "Lowell Airport can't qualify for federal funding unless it is a 30 mile drive from another federal funded airport," he said. "I guess that would mean relocating to the north and east, probably Ionia County."

The Cooper property, 156 acres, would be ideal for a school site because it would allow for future growth. However, Dick and Shirley Cooper, owners, are not sure they want to sell it. "I don't want to sell, but I feel sorry for the school. The school board and staff have done a tremendous job with the school system since I arrived in the 60's. Back then, to be honest, it wasn't that good of a school system," Dick Cooper said.

Cooper added that the property is zoned R-1 and has the capability for one-acre parcels. "I wanted to develop it," he said "I've also planted trees on the land."

Cooper said he's in a quandary. "The school, I think, did what it thought was best for the system and because people don't like the word condemnation, it's now being knocked on the head for its decision."



The Lowell Airport is one of two pieces of property that Lowell Schools has been looking at as a possible site for the new high school.

The Lowell property owner said the community has always supported the school in the past. "I hope the school can find a nice, suitable piece of property. I hope it's not mine, so I don't have to make a decision," he said.

Lowell Superintendent Fritz Esch said the Board of Education may also request the Judge to amend his previous findings of fact for the purpose of clarifying his decision.

"It is crucial that the school board receive a commitment from Vergennes Township Board of Trustees that it will allow the City of Lowell to sell water and sewer service to the school if the new high school is located within Vergennes Township," Esch said. "It is also imperative that the City of Lowell agree to sell up to 30,000 gallons of treated water and sewer capacity per day to the Lowell School District at rates not greater than those paid by comparable users in the City."

The question of annexation pops up with every discussion about locating a school in Vergennes Township. Lowell City Manager, Dave Pasquale said unless the land is contiguous, annexation would never be an option. "When

other properties are separating it from the City boundaries it makes it difficult to annex," Pasquale said. "Under those conditions the City would just provide the service to the site," he said.

Pasquale said he'd have to take the questions before the Council to see how it wants to approach it. "No conditions come to mind that would be a prerequisite for a formal agreement," Pasquale said. "We have very little lead time and a decision is needed in a short period of time. For the school to get through this crisis, two critical questions must be answered. Will the renewal millage be passed in September and where will the site for the new high school be?"

The school has a list of five criteria for land consideration:

1. located north of the Grand River;
2. located within 1/2 mile of existing sewer and water facilities;
3. contain minimum of 115 acres for new high school—ideal site would contain 150 or more acres, which would allow for future growth and expansion;
4. located within reasonable proximity of existing school facility;
5. not displace any residential homes.

The school's defeat in court will set their \$30 million bond issue back a full year according to Esch.

## Letters, continued...

To the Editor and the Lowell School Board:

When I went to School here the "Burch Athletic Field" was one of the best High School fields in the county. Track, Baseball, Tennis, Football, recreation areas of the community. The City and the School cooperation is a positive activity. Why isn't this satisfactory today? The area school system is much larger today than years ago. Why the need for 100 or 150 acres of land?

No one will be able to walk to School with what the Board is asking for. There is no need to go out so far that every student will have to ride to School? The School should be an enrichment to and for the community, it should be located near the community activities not way out away from the community.

I, being a World War Two veteran, said many times, "I

want to go back to where I come from". My oldest sister tried her damndest to get me to stay out in California when I left the service, but I came back to where I called home.

Now this School should be built in the area of the community whereby the users of the facilities can walk to and from the use of the facilities. Young and old should be encouraged to use these facilities. This School is part of the community, not way out away from the community.

We have enough land in the School System today for the recreation system the school needs. Put it to use properly. Yes, we need the School system, but not the recreation system of 100 to 150 acres the Board is asking for. You trim your new School system and you may get what you are asking for.

Gordon C. Hill.

## Residents, continued...

idea if the school would put a committee in place to insure that the information gets out for every millage vote.

Esch agreed and labored again on the fact that school funds cannot be used to pay for campaigns. "They must be

paid for out of private contributions."

Another community meeting is tentatively scheduled for late August said Dick Korb, Director of School and Community Services.

## In the Service

Ryan B. Brinks, a 1991 graduate of Lowell High School and the son of Gloria and Buell Brinks of Lowell, Michigan, enlisted in the

United States Army for a 2-year tour of duty as an Infantryman. He reported for active duty on July 16, 1991 and is receiving his training at Fort Benning, Georgia.

## Happy Birthday


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July 26: Elaine Gregersen, Ron Bancroft, Evelyn Briggs, Sarah Hall, Eric Olson.  
July 27: Jim Hostler, Kathy Southland, Sharon Tichelaar.  
July 28: Connie Kazemier, Margaret Fitzsimmons.

July 29: Barb Kortjohn, Kristi Noskey, Diane Stencel, Rachel Condon.  
July 30: Jodi Andrews, Cam Briggs, Carol Schrenk, Karla Carpenter, Patricia Finkler, Tara Friesner.  
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The nonconfidential portion of this application is available for inspection within one day following the request for such file. It may be inspected in the Corporation's regional office during regular business hours. Photocopies of information in the nonconfidential portion of the application file will be made available upon request. A schedule of charges for such copies can be obtained from the regional office.

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# School awaits petroleum residue water results from DNR

Just when school officials thought what else could possibly go wrong? Murphy's Law was correct. Something else went wrong.

Plans to replace the 30-year old water well at Alto School were initiated last Monday.

School specifications show that back in 1966 when the conversion from number three fuel oil to natural gas was made, the 5,000 gallon tank was emptied of fuel, filled with sand and capped.

This is the part where Murphy comes in. For reasons which may never be known, that never happened. Instead

it was just covered up.

Unfortunately when officials got to the tank, they discovered there was still 960 gallons of fuel in the tank and that the corrosion at the bottom of the tank caused by condensation had caused seepage. Residents will tell you water in Alto has never been very good due to iron content. School officials are hopeful the seepage did not contaminate the well water used by students.

Crystal Flash was called in to pump out the tank.

In 1988, the State Health Department tested for petro-

leum residue. The test showed the water was okay.

"After finding the fuel oil in the tank and noticing seepage, water was taken immediately to the DNR for tests. The results should be in by Thursday or Friday (July 25 or 26)," said school director of energy and maintenance, Clare McCaul. How much fuel seeped out is not known.

A new well (\$40,000) was being put in by Lowell Schools because the old well was pumping sand, did not provide enough water pressure, and was not big enough to handle the fire sprinkler system which will be installed through the renovation work being done as part of the \$30 million bond issue.

"Obviously, had we known the tank had fuel in it five

years ago we would have removed it then," McCaul said.

"We wanted to replace the old well so it didn't break down during the school year. Had that happened, we would have been forced to close the doors until a new well was installed. We would have then found the tank which would have been disastrous in terms of how long the schools doors would have been closed."

McCaul said the new well will be located further away from the building. "The exact location will be determined by the State Health Department," he said. McCaul added that it will be plenty south of the current well location. Robinson, Campau and Crowe Inc. built the original building

and put in the fuel tank and well.

The architects for the conversion from fuel oil to natural gas, according to school officials were McMillen/Palmer. The engineers were Dean, Fairbrother and Gunther.

"This is why today we have construction managers," McCaul said. "It's a way to bird-dog what is supposed to be done." It states in the specs that the tank was supposed to be emptied, filled with sand and capped.

McCaul said the school is not eligible for federal funds through MUSTFA (Michigan Underground Storage Tank Financial Act) since its tank is not regulated.

"I suspect the lab test will be negative," McCaul said.

Lowell Board members suggested that the matter be referred to the school's legal council. Cleanup options facing the school district even if contamination is not found may include lifting the building to dig out the contamination; cleaning it out the best it can and filling it with clean soil.



The word "bicycle" is a combination of a Latin and a Greek root: *bis* is Latin for twice and *kyklos* is Greek for circle.

# Boys' State/Lowell sports - Stahr is a leader in both

As a government/history teacher for Lowell Schools, recent history should have brought Tom Stahr that some day he would be LHS athletic director.

As a high school youth at Grand Rapids Union, Stahr was selected to attend Boys State. He continued to be active in Boys State at the college level as a staff member. His position slowly evolved to a counselor, an advisor, a special advisor, an assistant program director and the past several years he has served as the

Boys' State program director. In 23 years at LHS, Stahr's position has evolved from a teacher/cross country coach, to a teacher/assistant athletic director. Now, following Bob Perry's retirement after the 1990-91 school year, Stahr will assume the full-time athletic director position in 1991-92.

Evolution has treated Stahr well since arriving in Lowell 23 years ago. Evolution doesn't always get a chance to unfold if there isn't dedication and loyalty. Stahr has dis-

played both of these characteristics at Lowell High School and with Boys' State.

"I didn't graduate wanting to be an athletic director. I didn't graduate wanting to be the program director at Boys' State," Stahr said. "As time has passed, it has evolved."

The athletic director position is Stahr's job, Boys' State is a hobby. "It's one week in June," Stahr said. Starting in September he will devote all of his time to his new position. "Being athletic director will require some adjustments, but

six years as assistant A.D. under Bob Perry has prepared

me well for the challenge. I will miss the daily contact with students that I enjoyed as a teacher."

The Union graduate is both eager and nervous about his new role. His communication and listening skills he has needed as program director at Boys' State should serve him well.

"I enjoy the dynamics and enthusiasm of Boys' State," Stahr said. "It's also satisfying as the program director to sit back and watch a program unfold and run like it is supposed to."

The idea for Boys' State was started by three school

teachers in Illinois in 1934. It was started in response to the Hitler youth movement, "Brown Shirt."

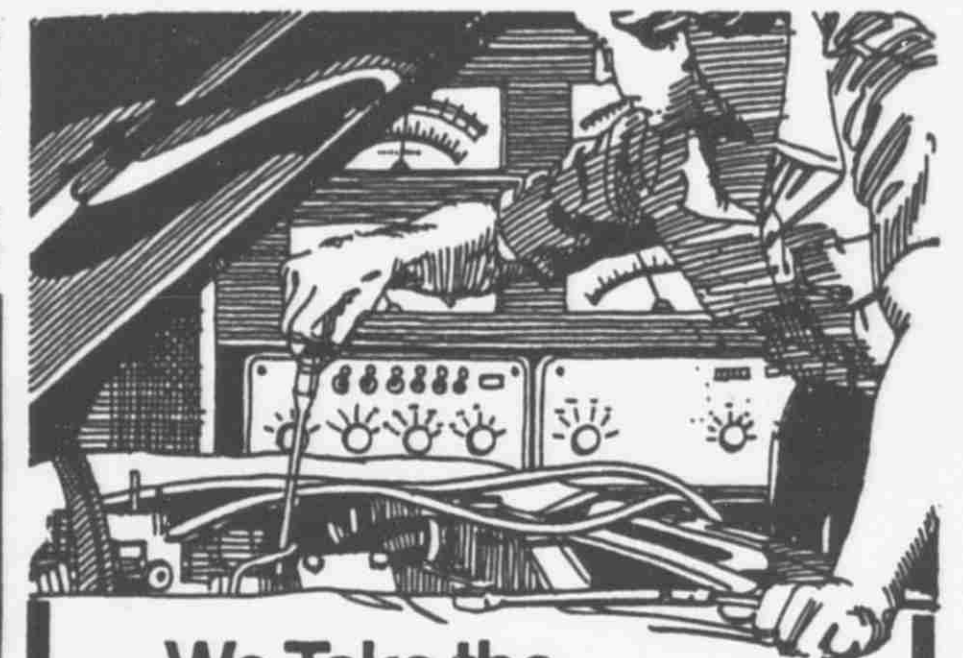
Its basic premise was to give youths a better understanding of their government.

The idea caught on and in 1938 Boys' State was started. Since its inception, every state in the country except Hawaii has a Boys' State program. The program is sponsored by

the American Legion. In 1940 the American Legion Auxiliary started a Girls State program.

"Hopefully those students who participate have an awareness of their government and leadership abilities," Stahr said.

Lowell students, Jon Kohler, Brett Knoop and Dave Hildenbrand were chosen by Stahr, cont'd., pg. 22



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Larkin's	7	3
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King Milling Rats	3	6
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as of 7-19

## "The Nique-sters" win 3-on-3 tourney

Playing for the thrill of victory and in the agony of defeat, eight area three-on-three basketball teams made their way to the driveway of the Jeff Barber residence for a day of hoops in a double-elimination basketball tournament Saturday.

A new, enlarged driveway with basketball court markings not three weeks old was baptized under six hours of continuous basketball fire.

"I asked a few people if they wanted to play and interest was shown," Jeff Barber

said. "So I decided to put a little tournament together. Unlike other tournaments, this was just for fun. There were no trophies or money for the winning team. I think it's the prizes that cause arguments and disturbances in the play."

Barber said he would like to do it again in September as long as there is an interest.

In the tournament on Saturday, the team, "The Nique-sters" won the event. Members of the championship team were John Norton (Greenville), Jody Perrien (Ionia) and Thad Kraus (Lowell)

"The Nique-sters" opened the tournament on Saturday morning with a 15-9 win over P.M.S. Ironically enough, six hours later it defeated P.M.S. in the championship game 17-15.

"The Nique-sters, never lost, as it won all four of the games it played. In its second game, it defeated "The Dunkin' Dudes" 15-3 and in the semi-final it handed McGee Homestead its first loss of the afternoon by the score of 15-11.

Members of the second-place "P.M.S." squad were Mark Kloosterman, Jerry Bellah, Pat Schaefer and Steve Strouse.

After losing the first game

of the tournament to "The Nique-sters," "P.M.S." won its next four games against "Harrumph," "Dunkin' Dudes," "Dunkin' Dudes," and "McGee Homestead," before losing in the finals.

In the Toilet Bowl, "Harrumph" defeated "The Good With The Bad."

## College News

A total of 1457 students completed the requirements for certificates, associate's, bachelor's and doctoral degrees at Ferris State University during the spring quarter, which ended May 15, 1991.

Degrees awarded by the university are: doctor of optometry; master of science; bachelor of science; associate in arts; associate in applied science; associate in science; and certificates in six areas of study.


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Levels of recognition are: highest distinction, 3.75 to 4.00; high distinction, 3.50 to 3.74; and distinction, 3.25 to 3.49.

Diane Gail Stencil, of Lowell, received a Bachelor of Science degree in Medical Technology and graduated with high distinction. Matthew L. Vredenburg, also of Lowell, graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Information Systems.

Robin Held received Associate's degree in Arts and Sciences in Dental Hygiene with high distinction and David Thomas Shuster received an Associate's degree in Arts and Sciences in Manufacturing Tooling Tech. Both students are from Ada.

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### ATHLETIC PHYSICALS SCHEDULED

Athletic physicals for Lowell High School Girls will be given at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 31, in the high school gym by Drs. Gerard and Evenhouse. NO 9TH GRADERS. Ninth graders must make an appointment with their regular family physician.

Athletes may not begin practice without a physical. Athletes who miss the July 31 physicals must make an appointment with their family physician and there will be charges. After July 31, sports physicals will not be done by Drs. Gerard and Evenhouse for girls who are not their regular patients. Physical cards are available in the high school office.

### LIBRARY PARTY FOR SUMMER READERS

Young people who participated in the Kent County Library System's summer reading clubs, "Heroes Old & New," "Read a While on the Nile" and "Dino Readers" are invited to a party in their honor.

The party will be held at Alto Park on Tuesday, July 30. Kids can stop by anytime between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m. and enjoy refreshments, special prizes and grab bags of surprises. They can also join the fun at the craft-making table and pick up their reading club folders. For more information, call the Alto Library, 868-6038.

### OFF THE BLOTTER

Deanna Hoyt, 21, of Woodland, was involved in a property damage accident July 17, when she backed from a parking space into the side of a car driven by Kristen Luurtema, 18, of Wyoming in the Family Fare Shopping Plaza on West Main.

Dale Merklinger, 26, of Lowell backed onto Gee Dr. from a private drive July 16 and struck a car driven by Ona Ross, 59, of Lowell. No one was injured.

Cited into 63rd District Court for Minor In Possession of Alcohol, was Robert Mask, 19, of Lowell on July 19 by Lowell officers.

Thomas Mohr, 22, of Lowell was cited into 63rd District Court for Open Container of Alcohol in a Motor Vehicle, July 20.

Stacy Zoerman, 18, of Lowell backed into a trailer owned by Mary Matzen, also of Lowell, in the parking lot to the Hunt St. Apartments July 9. No one was injured.

Jay May, 30, of Lowell struck a utility pole and Bell Telephone cable box on Godfrey St. at Lincoln Lake St. July 11. May was not injured.

Michael Vezino, 19, of Lowell was cited into 63rd District Court for Careless Use of Firearms in the City, on July 17.

Michael Mazei, 22, of Rockford reported to Lowell Police. His car had been struck by a hit and run driver July 6 while parked in a private lot in the 500 block of West Main St.

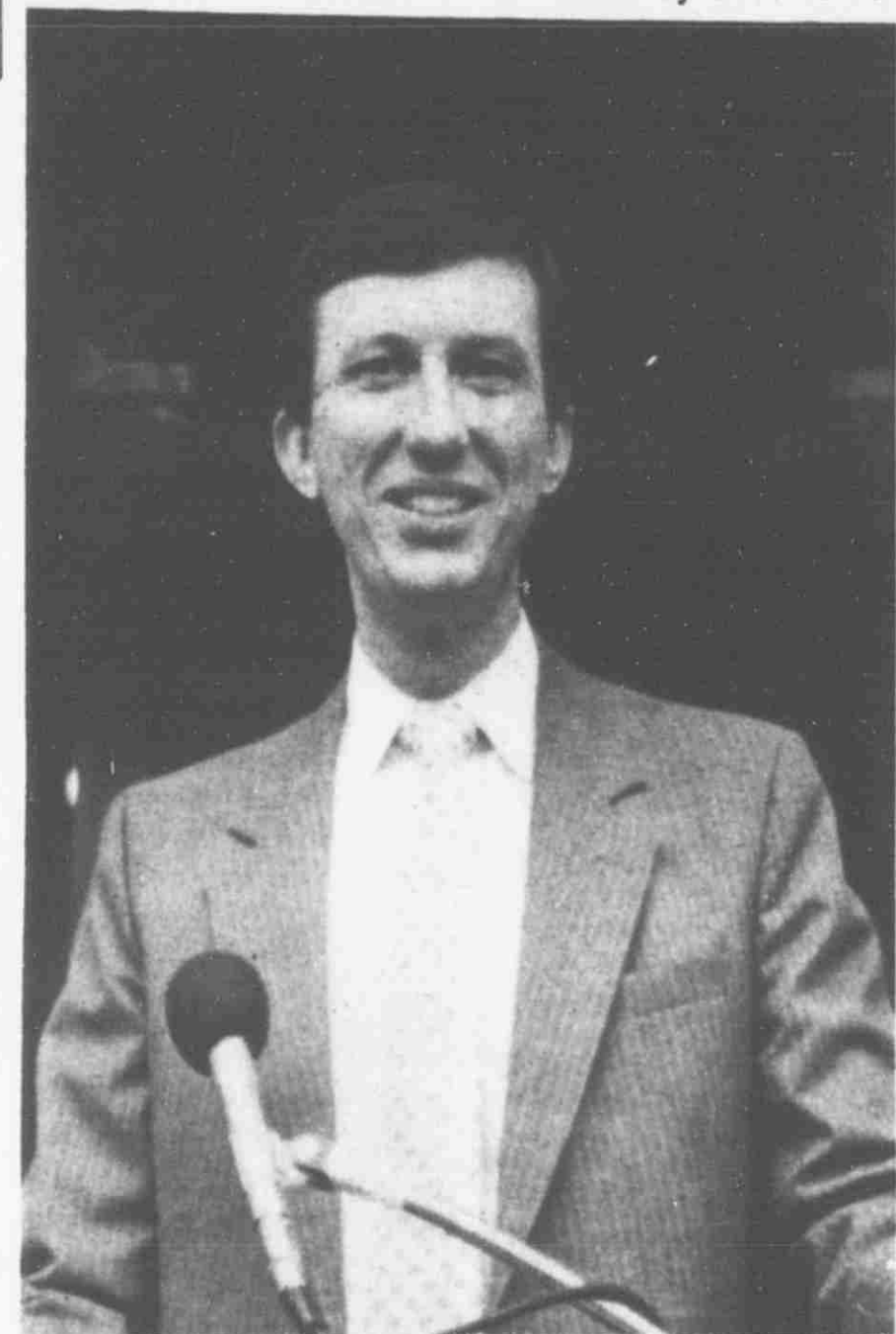
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# College News

A total of 1,132 students achieved placement on the spring quarter Dean's List at Michigan Technological University by earning a grade point average of 3.5 or higher. Dr. Martha Janners, Dean of Students, reported that 251 students earned straight A averages of 4.00.

Richard Stegehuis, a senior in Electrical Engineering, with a perfect 4.00 and Kristen M. Stouffer, a sophomore in Environmental Engineering, both of Lowell, were included on the list.

Students from Ada included on the list are: John J. Korienek, a senior in Envi-

ronmental Engineering, with a perfect 4.00; Susan M.

## Officers attend conference

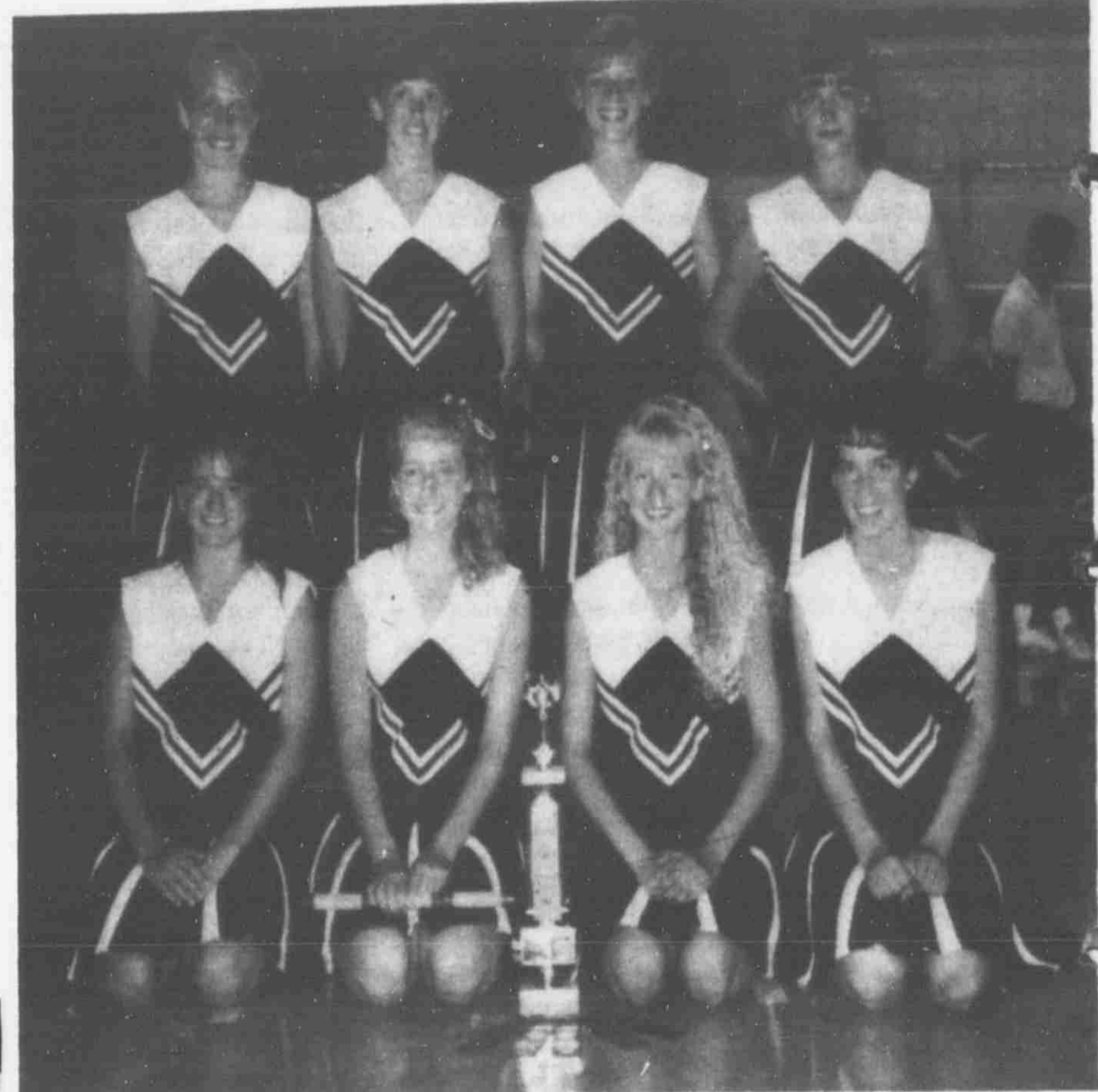
Regional FFA officers of Region 5 recently attended the State Leadership Conference for regional officers on the campus of Michigan State University on July 16 and 17.

The five Region 5 officers attending the conference were president Dave Hildenbrand, from the Lowell chapter; vice-president, Dan Pennington, from the Lakewood chapter; treasurer, Aaron Gasper, from Belding;

Rittersdorf, a junior in Scientific and Technical Communications; Garth A. Snyder, a senior in Electrical Engineering, with a perfect 4.00 and Rob E. Springer, a junior in Mechanical Engineering.

reporter, Connie Hoskins, from Cedar Springs; sentinel; Renee Nugent, from Lowell; regional advisor, Pete Siler, from the Lowell FFA.

Regional officers participated in training sessions to strengthen their leadership skills and personal effectiveness while developing plans and ideas for their 1992 leadership camps for Chapter officers.



LHS' 1991-92 Varsity basketball squad with UCA trophy and ribbons. Pictured are, front row, left to right: Molly Byrne, Karla Carpenter, Heather Todd, Christie Douglas. Back row: Cheryl Kirkbride, Cristi Ponchaud, Alicia Ebling, Vickie Videan.

## LHS basketball cheerleaders hit their mark at UCA competition

Over 200 girls from around the State of Michigan showed up for the Universal Cheerleading Association competi-

tion July 9-12 at Central Michigan University. Lowell was one of 19 schools to participate. Representing Lowell was its 1991-92 varsity basketball squad (eight members), and its coach Christine Beachler.

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"That's really great considering this is the first time a Lowell cheerleading squad has attended a competitive camp," Beachler said. "The squad received one red evaluation (stands for excellent) and all the rest were superior marks."

The cost for the camp was \$144 per person. Beachler said money was raised through fund drives.

Each of the first three days there, squads were introduced to new floor cheers, sideliners, chants, dances and Pom routines. Once each day, the squads were evaluated on their understanding and comprehension of the material.

"The girls competed on the final day," Beachler said. "The girls did not finish first or second, but they were one of only five or six schools to get a trophy for superior work."

## Stahr, continued

the Lowell faculty to attend Boys' State this year. The students' costs are covered through sponsorships.

"The name Boys' State carries a lot of prestige," Stahr said.

Stahr said he would like to expand the Boys' State sponsors to include more organizations and increase the number of students who attend each year from 800 to 1,000. "I'd also like to see Boys' State draw more students from the Detroit area," Stahr explains.

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# Board issues layoff notices; steering committee formed

As an exercise in safeguarding the school district and in abiding with the current contracts the board of education approved issuing lay-off notices to administrators and supervisors effective October 21 due to the district's projected negative cash flow conditions.

The Lowell Board of Education denied authorization to the Board's secretary to issue a lay-off notice to Lowell Superintendent, Fritz Esch.

"I believe we need somebody to run the school district, especially the Superintendent," Lowell Board of Education member, Charlie Kohler said. "I don't believe any member of this board can take time from their job or have the authority to run the school district. This is a \$50 million corporation. I want someone here to run it."

The exact date as to the

district's inability to function financially due to a lack of cash flow has not yet been set and will be determined within the next 30 days by State auditors who will be working with the school's auditing firm.

"In lieu of the fact that our contracts require a 90-day notification, it is appropriate for the Board to notify its administrators and supervisors that they will be laid off effective Oct. 21," Esch said.

The layoffs can be avoided if the special election for the purpose of the millage renewal is passed. Monday night the Board set the special election date for Tuesday, Sept. 24. The Lowell School District will share that date with four other schools who will hold bond and/or millage elections. In doing so, the schools will also share in the costs of the election date which is coordinated through the Intermedi-



Jim Hodges

ate School Board.

If the renewal millage is passed overwhelmingly, Esch has asked the Board to meet that night to call off the layoff.

The success of that millage renewal election will depend heavily on the ability of the "Neighbors Who Care" campaign committee.

The steering committee held its first meeting Monday night. Chairing the committee is Jim Hodges. "We stuck with the 'Neighbors Who Care' theme, for one, it's worked; and it's identifiable."

At the millage organizational and planning meeting on Thursday night (July 18) 55 volunteers and concerned citizens signed up to help with the campaign.

"The steering committee will meet once a week to start," Hodges said. "No official fund raisers have been planned as of yet."

David Thaler is the chairperson for the finance committee. "Interested parties in making contributions to help defray the expenses incurred can contact Thaler," Hodges said.

Other chairpersons include

Bruce Boyce, public relations and advertisements; Ginny Gustafson, volunteers, tele-

phone and mailing; and Marsha Wilcox, community presentations.

## Bollock to speak on the Fallasburg Cubs, July 25

Bill Bollock, co-writer of the Fallasburg Cub book and team historian will be at Keiser's Kitchen on Thursday, July 25, and will talk to players and fans about the team that put Fallasburg Park on the map. The Kent County Parks Commission dedicated Fallasburg Park as the home of the Fallasburg Cubs on July 3. Included in the discussion will be "Baseball in the De-

pression Years With the Fallasburg Cubs."

Bollock will also autograph copies of the Fallasburg Cub book.

Free coffee and doughnuts will be served from 2 until 3:30 p.m. at Keiser's.

## Posthumus, Ehlers

### announce drug-abuse grants

Senate Majority Leader Dick Posthumus (R-Alto) and Senator Vern Ehlers (R-Grand Rapids) announced the recipients of criminal justice law enforcement grants among communities in their districts. The money for the grants was appropriated by Congress under the Federal Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 and will be used to combat drugs.

"Each community has different anti-drug priorities," said Ehlers. "These grants allow local governments to tailor drug education and prevention efforts to each community's needs." The grant awards are as follows:

- \* \$235,735, to Kent County for the continuation of a project to identify activities of drug traffickers, cut off the flow of illegal drugs, and destroy the drug retail system;

- \* \$200,000, to the city of Grand Rapids to continue and expand the Tactical/Narcotics Unit. The money is for additional officers, vehicles and equipment;

- \* \$74,232, to the city of Grand Rapids for the continuation of a project to promote intellectual growth and health in neighborhoods to create safer environments;

- \* \$124,648, to Kent County for increased conviction of drug offenders through prosecution by experienced prosecutors specializing in major or repeat drug offenders; and

- \* \$11,752, to the City of Lowell to administer a Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) program, for one officer to teach 5th grade classes in four schools.

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