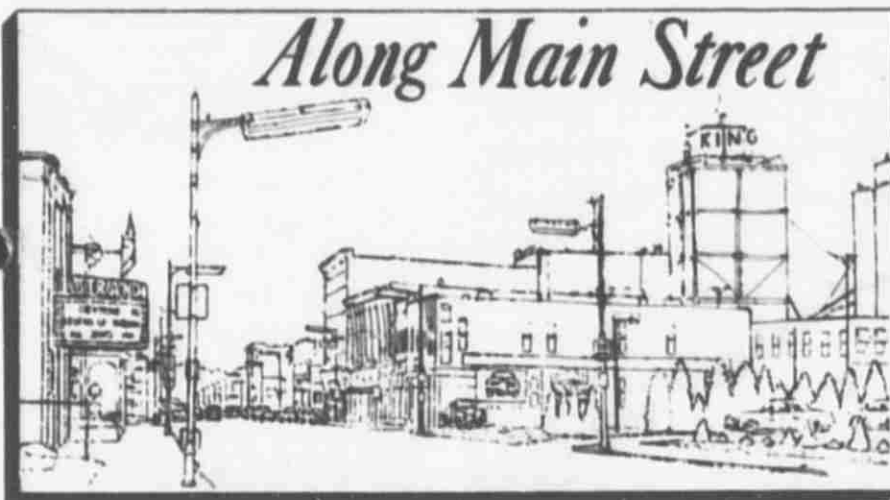


# The Lowell Ledger

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## CAKE CONTEST AT FALLASBURG VILLAGE

Across the Covered Bridge from Fallasburg Park, and up the hill: two days of fun, Saturday, Oct. 12 from 10-5 and Sunday, Oct. 13 from 10-5. The Cake Contest will be judged at 1 PM on Saturday. Cakes must be baked "from scratch" with old recipes and brought to the Cake Table at the Fallasburg Schoolhouse Museum by 12:30 Saturday. Pick up an entry form at the Antique Mall or Lambert's, or call 897-4306.

## PIONEER DAYS AT FALLASBURG VILLAGE

Food, crafts, demonstrations! Watch a horseshoe tournament or pitch a few yourself, learn to dowse for water or buried foundations, take a buggy ride, have your grandkid's picture put on a button, eat some home baking or a slice of prizewinning cake, shop at a flea market (including unclaimed clothing from a drycleaning chain), look for that perfect homecrafted gift, see how to make a basket! and much, much more.

Pioneer Days will be held on October 12 and 13. Saturday 10-5 and Sunday from 12-5. Take Covered Bridge Road across the Covered Bridge into Fallasburg Village, the second oldest village in Kent County, and see also the charming 1842 home of John Wesley and Phebe Fallas being restored to its original condition. Sponsored by the Fallasburg Historical Society.

## MAMMOGRAPHY SCREENING

The Butterworth Mobile Mammography Unit will be at Family Fare on Friday, October 11. Please call for an appointment at 776-1372 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

## VERGENNES "UNDER THE PINES" BAZAAR

Vergennes United Methodist Church will be having a bazaar on Saturday, Oct. 19th from 9:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. All handcrafted items will be for sale. Coffee & Donuts, Lunch and a Kookie-Walk. COME JOIN THE FUN! A winner will be chosen for our Full size Log Cabin Quilt which was made by our Women's Society.

## SPOOK HOUSE AT MOOSE LODGE

Lowell Moose Lodge at 210 E. Main, will be having a spook house Oct. 18, from 6-10 p.m., Oct. 19, from 2-10 p.m., Oct. 25, from 6-10 p.m. and Oct 26, 2-8 p.m.. Admission charge is \$1.

## LOWELL YMCA STEP AEROBICS

The Lowell YMCA has a new exercise program called Step Aerobics. This program is for all fitness levels. The intensity is controlled by the participant while stepping up and down on a variable height platform.

This program is low impact, low to high intensity class. Low impact is equal to walking while the intensity level is equal to running a seven to eight minute mile. Routines are both choreographed and freestyle.

Class currently meets on Tuesday and Thursday at Bushnell School gym from 6:30 - 7:30 P.M. First visit to class is free. Anyone who signs up for a 21 punch card will also receive a free Step Aerobics t-shirt. This offer is good through Tuesday, Nov. 5th.

## ALUMNI INVITED TO ASSEMBLY

All alumni are invited to attend the homecoming assembly on Friday, Oct. 11 at 1:30. Alumni are also asked to attend the tea afterwards in the library.

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## School reviews building site with prospective new neighbors

Jim Schafer, 580 Wildview, could not have anticipated that the rural setting he chose as home for his family would someday become a neighbor to a 1,200 student high school.

For that matter, neither could any of the approximate 40 Vergennes Township residents in attendance at last Tuesday night's Neighborhood Forum Meeting. All of whom shared thoughts, suggestions and fears about the buy/sell agreement the school has reached with Mary Wittenbach Dewey and Stephen James Wittenbach to acquire 180 acres of land for its new high school project.

The purpose of the meeting was not to discuss if the proposed property was the right location for the school, but for prospective neighbors of the new high school to give the school and its architects ideas of how the complex would best fit onto the site, causing the least amount of disturbance to those neighboring the school.

Eventually that was the direction the meeting took, but first many voiced their disappointment with the new site.

"It's a rural area. I moved out there because it is rural

and I'd like it to stay that way," said Denny Wittenbach, 11383 Vergennes SE.

Rich Cridler lives at 9992 6 Mile Rd., Rockford. He owns property adjacent to the Alden Nash/Vergennes site. Cridler said he was opposed to the new site. "For a school site to be located there would be totally out of character for the neighborhood. A subdivision would be better use of the property."

David Thaler, 885 Alden Nash SE, did not agree completely with Cridler. "I think the Cooper/Cook property was a better site, but I don't think 150 tracked houses on the Wittenbach property would be better than a high school," he said. "A high school is a problem we can all deal with. We all want Alden Nash paved and as many of the trees as possible preserved."

Thaler went on to say that he believes the school has looked long and hard and that people around the area need to cooperate. "I think it's time we quit fighting the school," he explained.

Many questions were raised in regards to the school's plans for vegetation screening and fencing.

School officials said fencing

in some areas would be considered. Lowell School Board president Roger Kropf and building site committee chairman, Norm Byrne confirmed that as much vegetation and trees would be left as possible. "The school will also be as near to the middle of the property as possible," Byrne explained.

Kropf added, "It is the Board's intent to create a campus setting. We want the school to have natural boundaries. To accomplish this, as much vegetation as possible will have to be left alone." If the intent is carried out, the vegetation screening will help block out sound, movement

and visibility of the complex.

As for the paths used in getting the utilities to the property, Lowell Superintendent Fritz Esch explained that the electric would be brought up Alden Nash from the south. Sewer would also come up Alden Nash along the road right-of-way and cross over a five acre piece of property.

The water path is still undetermined. Discussions with City and Township are still ongoing.

Sewer lines will run from Vergennes down to M-21 (approximately 1-1/2 miles). It will be a dedicated line, strictly

for use by the school.

Alden Nash will be the primary road. The location for the new high school will also help to accelerate paving from Foreman Road to Vergennes.

Soil borings have been completed on the property. The results show the land will support the weight of the complex. The topography is also okay for the type of building proposed.

The environmental impact study has been started and is expected to be completed by the end of October. The study will determine if there are any environmental hazards on the site.

A change of title still needs to be reviewed. This will show who has owned the property and if there was any negative impact incurred by the land.

"I am pleased with the forum, but not with the information that was provided. I realize it is probably still premature for many of the questions," Schafer said. "However, the public currently holds a jaundice image of the school. I am hopeful that the school will be able to answer more questions at the next meeting."

That meeting is scheduled for November.

## Schools questions 4th-grade reading MEAP test

It is the fundamental goal of all 20 school districts in Kent County to make reading an enjoyable experience for kids.

After reviewing the reading portion of this year's MEAP tests, the school districts fear is that this year's test appears to be destined to promote feelings of failure and inadequacies among fourth-grade students taking the test.

In further support of their fear, because of the pre-test process used with selected school districts last year, the Michigan Educational Assessment Program lowered its level of passing by 25 percent.



## FMB recognizes Lowell's PD

FMB State Savings Bank presented Lowell Police Chief Barry, Emmons, with a plaque of appreciation for the dedicated service Lowell's Police Department has provided the bank over the years. FMB president, Keith Caldwell, thanked the department for the following services: building surveillance, help with money transfers, and alarm responses. Pictured, left to right, are Chuck Myers, FMB vice president, Jim Valentine, Lowell police officer, Caldwell, Lu Green, FMB human resource manager, Jim Bosserd, FMB senior vice president, and Tom Kinney, FMB security officer.

Schools cont'd pg. 2



## Hildenbrand and Bellah set May 30 wedding date

Lee and Rose Hildenbrand of Lowell, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann Marie Hildenbrand to Jerry Bellah, also of Lowell.

Parents of the future groom are Denny Bellah of Grand Rapids and Peggy Bowden of Lowell.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lowell High School and Grand Rapids Junior College and is currently attending Central Michigan University. The future groom is a graduate of Lowell High School and is currently working in a lineman apprenticeship.

A May 30, 1992 wedding date is planned.



Ann Hildenbrand and Jerry Bellah



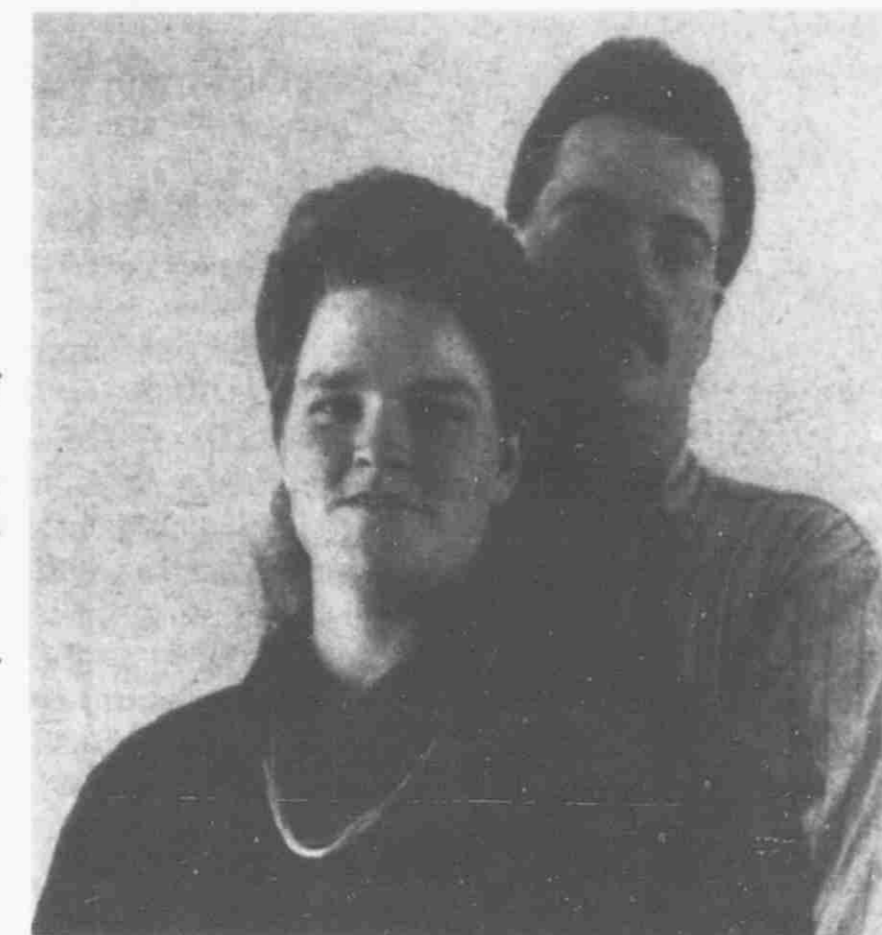
James and Dawn Dykstra

## Eves and Dykstra unite in a September wedding

Dawn Marie Eves and James Matthew Dykstra both of Belding were married September 21, 1991. Attending the bride were maid of honor, Ericka Ettinger and bridesmaids Terri Waley and Patty Larkin. Best man was Tim Stroodsnider and groomsmen Terry Able and Jerry Dykstra. The brides parents are Jim and Cherry Watkins of Marianna Florida. Parents of the groom are Edward Jr. and Ruth Dykstra of Belding.



People believe if a fly lands on your nose, somebody has something to tell you.



Kimberly Lambert and Boyd

## July wedding set for Lambert and Barnum

Ronald and Shirle Brooks of Lowell are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Lynn Lambert to Boyd Allen Barnum also of Lowell. Kimberly is the daughter of the late Robert Lambert.

The parents of the groom-to-be are Charles (Bud) and LaVonne Barnum of Ada. The future bride is a graduate of Lowell Senior High School and the intended groom is a graduate of Forest Hills Northern High.

A wedding is planned for July, 1992.

## Gerald R. Ford Museum attendance up 47 percent

The Gerald R. Ford Museum announced today that attendance for the past year soared to over 120,000 visitors, a dramatic increase of 47 percent over 1990. Visitation was higher than any year since 1984 and the fourth highest total in the Museum's ten year history.

Three major reasons for the increase were: increased educational programs, enhanced exhibitions, and the Museum's tenth anniversary activities. According to Museum Curator Jim Kratsas, "We are encouraged that the extra effort we put forward over the past year has paid off. And we will become even more active in the coming years, especially in the area of exhibits and educational programs."

# Viewpoint . . .



## Cozy corner by Roger Brown

I rolled through my 40th birthday without experiencing that dreaded "mid-life crisis", or at least I thought I did. I'm currently staring 42 in the face and wondering if my crisis was just a little late. Maybe it missed the bus or something. Here are a few reasons why I think my crisis might be catching up to me.

I tipped the scales this morning at 247. That's close to 20 pounds heavier than I was when I turned 40. I know the reasons behind the weight gain. One, I'm not eating the right foods, and two, I'm not riding my exercise bike. Two years ago I was riding my bike at least four times a week and ate only vegetables, lean meats and drank a gallon of water a day. I checked the calendar I recorded my weight and exercise this morning. I rode my bike exactly two times in September. I

probably had more pizza than baked chicken breast and steamed broccoli. And, instead of a big glass of water I might be more apt to go to the fridge for a Budweiser.

A couple of months ago I had a problem with my left ankle. It's the same ankle I sprained severely a few years ago. As a result of several small injuries it became so sore and swollen I decided to have a doctor look at it. The doctor ran several tests to determine whether or not there might be some internal reason for the inflammation. It turned out the ankle was simply injured and needed to be iced and elevated regularly. However, the tests indicated I have marginally high blood pressure, marginally high triglycerides and marginally high cholesterol. I asked the doctor if I am therefore marginally dead.

A few days ago I was having dinner with the kids while Terese was out of town. I was munching along on my Mexican combo dinner, when suddenly, I crunched down on something very, very hard. I thought I'd found a pearl in my refried beans. No such luck. It was half of a molar from my lower left side. It just decided to fall apart for no apparent reason. I could understand it if I was eating peanut brittle or opening a beer bottle, but refried beans? I'm currently fitted with a temporary crown and waiting the permanent one.

Then there's the stiff back every morning that takes a little longer to work out each passing day. I'm becoming more and

more aware of a thinning of hair on the back of my head. I notice myself saying, "huh?" more often. I've never worn glasses, but I keep thinking I ought to get my vision checked. As the result of working on concrete floors for all these years I've got a varicose vein developing on my right thigh. And, it seems like I'm forever clipping the hair growing in my ears. Despite how depressing all this growing old stuff may seem, it's better than the alternative. At least I keep telling myself that.

A friend that I only see a couple of times a year called to brief me on the details of our annual trip to Drummond Island. While he had me on the phone he told me about one of the guys who used to make the trip with us. I remembered the guy well. He was good looking, very personable, a Harvard graduate, GM executive, had two kids, a home in Grosse Pointe and a wife who is an heir to Proctor and Gamble. My friend said, "He came down with a bronchial infection a couple of weeks ago, wouldn't go to the doctor and woke up dead one morning!" We guessed him at 40 or 41 when he died. My heart certainly goes out to his family, and I don't want to sound insensitive here, but every time I hear about somebody dying at a young age like that, I become considerably less concerned about the hair in my ears or my varicose veins.

## Thad's Thoughts

Have you ever talked about doing something! And, talked about doing something! And, talked about doing something. And, a year or two later, you're still talking about doing that something.

It's a cross we all bear. This past summer, remember it, when the temperature was 80-90 degrees and you're winter jacket was stored away in the far corner of your closet. Well, that was when I removed the cross and did that something I've been talking about for a couple of years.

On a hot summer day after a couple of hours of lounging in the sun, or a frustrating game of golf, I've been known to enjoy a cold glass of "shorts" (you figure it out).

Which leads me to that something that I wanted to do. I wanted to attempt to brew my own quality beer.

So how do you go about doing this? I had seen a kit up in

Traverse City a year or so ago. So I contacted my friend (social worker extraordinaire, Rick Pahl) who now lives in Battle Creek, and asked that the next time he was up in the city of cherries if he'd pick up a beer brewing kit.

The store where I'd seen the kit had closed up shop. Next, I went to the yellow pages, looked under beer distributorships, one of the distributors suggested I check out hobby stores. When that all failed, I started asking associates in and around the work area. A few inquiring looks, but no one could help me locate kit.

Rick, in the meantime, was checking out the yellow pages in Battle Creek. He too, came up empty.

I called another college friend, this one in Kalamazoo (Marc Clafin) who assured me he'd check it out. Right!

A couple days had passed and I'd returned to the office one afternoon to see a note that Marc had called and I was to return the call when I came back to the office.

I called... "Scoop, I've located two stores which sell beer brewing kits," he said.

Two or three weeks later I was in Battle Creek with Rick preparing to finally do that something I'd talked about and talked about.

One small problem, we needed bottles that did not have the twist-on caps. After a relatively short search, a fine(?) pilsner was located, "Pfeiffer's."

The kit consisted of a plastic tub with a tight sealed lid, a

siphoning hose, yeast, a special brand of sugar, some Battle Creek tap water and time.

It took roughly three hours of a Saturday afternoon to blend together the contents. The contents had to sit in the tightly sealed tub for roughly 10 days or until the bubbling stopped.

I returned to Battle Creek 10 days later. We filled the sterilized bottles, added a half a teaspoon of sugar and capped them. During the capping process two bottles were smashed. It recommended you let the brew set at least a month before tasting. I think we allowed for 8-10 weeks. A couple weekends ago at a wedding (Rick's sister's) we tasted our first beer.

As the first bottle was poured, we all noticed that there was head. That was encouraging. Then the taste, Rick and I were pleasantly surprised. So were his parents. It wasn't the worst tasting beer we'd ever had, but by no means was it the best.

We brewed a half of a batch, which left us with roughly 26 beers. I brought back six bottles and shared my adventure with my working cohorts. The reactions were not negative, many were surprised. Suggestions were shared on how the second go-around could be improved.

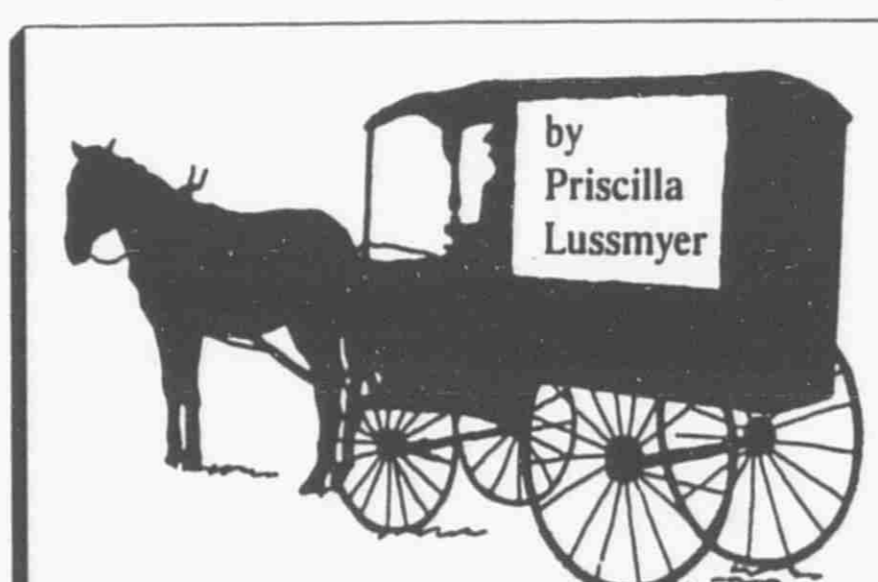
Have you figured it out yet! Start with the capital "S."

A name for the beer has been bantered about, "K-10," the apartment we lived in while attending Western Michigan University.

The other name which has received high marks is "Krahl." A clever combination of both last names.

## AREA CHURCH DIRECTORY

<p><b>ADA COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH</b> 7227 Thornapple River Dr. 676-1032 Pastor THOMAS J. BARTHA</p> <p>Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Sunday School 11:20 A.M. Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.</p> <p>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</p> <p>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</p> <p>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</p> <p>Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:20 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>Nursery available at both services Barrier Free</p>	<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> 2275 West Main Street</p> <p>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>CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> Meeting at the Lowell Middle School (12675 Foreman)</p> <p>Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. And Children's Activities 10:00 A.M. Midweek Bible Studies and Youth Groups LISTENING AND HELPING 897-0077</p>	<p><b>FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL</b> (United Church of Christ) 404 North Hudson 897-5906</p> <p>Worship and Church School 10:00 A.M. Rev. Terry Tessari 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</p> <p>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>FRIENDSHIP COUNTRY CHAPEL</b> 10200 Grand River Ave.</p> <p>Sunday Services 10:30 A.M. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 P.M. BOB ROUSH, PASTOR 897-7489</p>	<p><b>EVERGREEN MISSIONARY CHURCH</b> 10501 Settlewood Ph. 897-7185</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Worship Service 11:00 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M.</p> <p>Prayer and Praise - Wed. 7:30 P.M.</p> <p>GLENN H. MARKS - Senior Pastor 897-9110 STAN GERIG - Associate Pastor 897-5894 ALL ARE WELCOME! (Barrier Free)</p>
<p><b>ALTON BIBLE CHURCH</b> Lincoln Lake Ave. at 3 Mile Road</p> <p>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)</p> <p>Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 P.M.</p> <p>REV. KENNETH R. MCGEE, Pastor 897-5648 or 897-4273 YOU ARE WELCOME!</p>	<p><b>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> 10305 Bluewater Highway</p> <p>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. Army MSGNR JAMES MORAN MASSES</p> <p>Saturday Mass 5:30 P.M. Sunday Masses 9:00 &amp; 11:00 A.M.</p>		



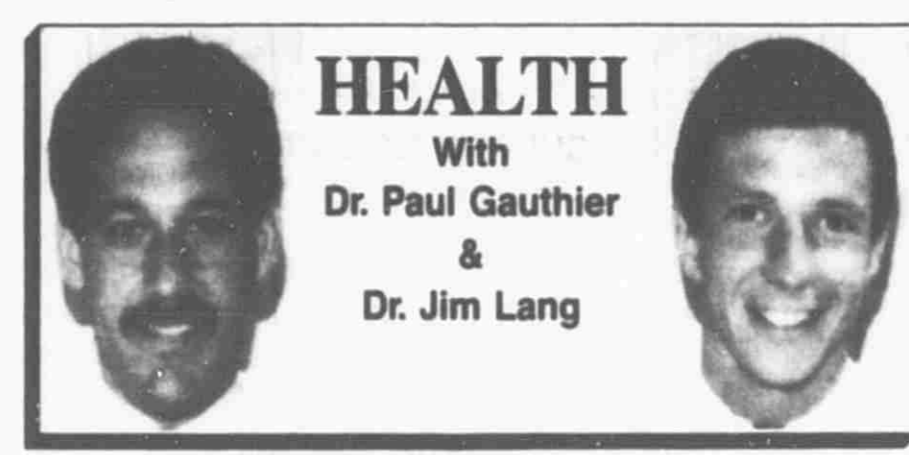
## Ledger Entries of 100, 75, 50 and 25 Years Ago

**100 YEARS AGO IN THE JOURNAL - Oct. 7, 1891**  
The Lowell Fair is on, with merry-go-round, horse racing, exhibits, balloon ascensions and a striking-machine for the strong men to hammer at.

A list of Lowell "prominent business places" has two clothing stores, three dry goods, a cobbler, two shoe stores, a hardware, tinsmith, jeweler, farm implement dealer, drug store, two meat markets and two groceries. The foot guards for Fred Yeiter's buggy were stolen last Saturday.

The Journal offers a watch to every boy and girl who sells 20, one-year paid-up subscriptions. Frost is wished for, to kill flies and the insects that are eating up the fall wheat.

**75 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - Oct. 5, 1916**  
"The Lone Star Ranger", by Zane Grey, is running as



## HEALTH With Dr. Paul Gauthier & Dr. Jim Lang

**SHOULD ANTIBIOTICS BE PRESCRIBED FOR A COLD?**

In the office we will often see patients that are diagnosed with a cold or other viral illness. When the patient is told that an antibiotic is unnecessary for treatment of this common virus they are sometimes disappointed because they assume an antibiotic will "knock the bug out." Unfortunately, antibiotics do not kill the virus that

causes flu or colds. Antibiotics are useful only in bacterial infections. They help weaken or kill the bacteria, aiding the body's immune system in clearing the infection. Although you may have taken antibiotics for a similar illness in the past it doesn't mean that the antibiotic helped you get better if the illness was caused by a virus. Your body's immune system eventually produces antibodies which kill the virus without an antibiotic. In other words, if you're taking an antibiotic for a viral illness and you got better, you got better in spite of the antibiotic not because of it!

Antibiotics are very useful for fighting bacterial illness such as strep throat, pneumonia, bronchitis and urinary tract infections but they should not be taken if the illness is presumed to be caused by a virus because of potential side effects, unnecessary costs, and possible development of resistant strains of bacteria.

If your doctor suspects a bacterial cause of an upper respiratory illness he will usually prescribe an antibiotic.



## Homespun Devotions

By Pauline Spray

Great peace have they which love thy law... (Psalm 119:165).

A restaurant was an unheard-of luxury when we seven children were growing up. Whenever we set out for

Grandma's house or a district gathering, Mom prepared a lunch for us to eat on the way.

If Mom did not prepare a lunch, Dad stopped at a way-side grocery store. After he had made his purchase and was back in the car, we waited excitedly while he allotted our rations of bologna, buns, and candy. These lunches quenched our hunger temporarily. But a good hot meal at the end of the journey was always welcomed.

A slice of bread and butter will quiet a youngster's hunger pangs until mealtime. As will an apple or a candy bar. But nothing really satisfies physical hunger like a hot, well-balanced meal.

There are books which stimulate the imagination. Some impart knowledge and wisdom. Others challenge us to nobler deeds. Many contain beauty of thought and rhyme. Books delight us with their stories of love, adven-

ture, and historical fact.

There is one Book which contains these and more. The Bible is God's inspired Word; therefore, its message is truly satisfying—like "a well-balanced meal."

Prayer: O God, Thy Word does what other books cannot do. Its message satisfies my soul's hunger. I thank Thee for its pages. Amen.

A glory gilds the sacred

page. Majestic, like the sun; It gives a light to every age; It gives but borrows none.

WILLIAM COWPER



Bits of teak wood more than 2,000 years old have been found in Indian caves.



## Book Review by Joan Wittenbach



## PET TAGS

### DENTAL DISEASE IN DOGS AND CATS

Dental calculus (tartar) is composed of various mineral salts, organic material and food particles. In the early stages of accumulation, the material is soft (plaque), but it later hardens and adheres to the teeth. Continual accumulation causes inflammation of the gums and eventual recession of the gums and loose, infected teeth. The breath becomes very odorous and the mouth becomes a dangerous source of infection.

Untreated tooth and gum disease may allow bacteria to enter the bloodstream and cause damage to the valves of the heart as well as the kidneys.

To check your pets teeth, you need to roll the lip up along the side of the mouth. This way you can examine all the teeth. If you see an accumulation of tartar it may be necessary to have your pets teeth professionally cleaned. If they look clean now is the time to start with prevention such as:

- \* Feed hard or coarse foods. \* Provide hard rubber or nylon chew toys or hard treat foods. Remember that the treat foods are a source of calories and may lead to obesity if too many are given \* Brush your pet's teeth periodically. We can provide a special enzymatic tooth-paste developed for the teeth of cats and dogs. \* Regular professional cleaning at our office is the most effective way to ensure good dental health for your pet.

If you have any questions concerning your pet's teeth or any other animal health questions you can give me a call at 897-8484, or just stop in.

Bruce P. Langlois, DVM  
11610 East Fulton  
Lowell, Michigan 49331

## Health continued

Sometimes an illness that starts out as a cold can develop into a bronchitis or sinus infection that will require antibiotic treatment. Trust your physicians judgement. Don't take an antibiotic that has been prescribed for someone else. If an antibiotic has been prescribed for you, take it as directed and until completely gone even if you are feeling better before the antibiotic is gone.

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# Lowell City Council Proceedings

## OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOWELL

For the Regular meeting of MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1991.

The Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Maatman and the Clerk called the Roll.

Present: Councilmembers Doyle, Fonger, Thompson, Hodges and Mayor Maatman.  
Absent: None.

IT WAS MOVED BY DOYLE and seconded by THOMPSON that the minutes of the September 3, 1991 meeting be approved as written.

YEA: 5.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

IT WAS MOVED BY HODGES and seconded by FONGER that the bills and accounts payable be allowed and the warrants issued.

YEA: Councilmembers Doyle, Fonger, Thompson, Hodges and Mayor Maatman.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

### BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE (SEPT. 16, 1991)

GENERAL FUND .....	\$83,726.86
MAJOR STREET FUND .....	2,107.73
LOCAL STREET FUND .....	1,710.76
SEWER FUND .....	421.09
WATER FUND .....	1,241.46
EQUIPMENT FUND .....	4,406.10
AIRPORT FUND .....	387.89
CURRENT TAX FUND .....	18,116.93
LEE FUND .....	465.17
IMPROVEMENT FUND .....	159.00

**Item #1. RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING POW-MIA RECOGNITION DAY.** The Vietnam Veterans of America, Kent County Chapter requested that the City Council adopt a resolution recognizing September 20, 1991 as "POW-MIA Recognition Day". A ceremony will be held at noon on that day in Grand Rapids.

IT WAS MOVED BY FONGER and seconded by DOYLE to adopt the resolution recognizing September 20, 1991 as "POW-MIA Recognition Day".

YEA: 5.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

**Item #2. APPROVAL OF QUIT CLAIM DEED TO HARRY AND CAROL BARDWELL CONVEYING THE VACATED GROVE STREET.** The City Council vacated a portion of Grove Street to Harry and Carol Bardwell at its July 1, 1991 meeting. As required, the Bardwells paid the City \$500 for the survey needed to identify right of way. To complete the conveyance of vacated Grove Street, it is necessary to sign a quit claim deed from the City to the Bardwells.

IT WAS MOVED BY THOMPSON and seconded by HODGES to approve the quit claim deed to Harry and Carol Bardwell conveying the vacated Grove Street.

YEA: 5.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

### Item #3. ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

**A. 2400 W. MAIN STREET - SAM'S SERVICE CENTER - SIGN VARIANCE - SET PUBLIC HEARING (10/7).** Sam Lombardo, owner of Sam's Service Center, had presented a variance application to allow additional square footage in signs attached to his west building. In the industrial district, where the business is located, a total of 120 square feet of signage is allowed for this structure. Mr. Lombardo had proposed 12 signs on the building, three of which are not currently attached. In total, 288 square feet had been requested in signage. A public hearing can be scheduled for October 7, 1991 with a recommendation from the Planning Commission at their September 23 meeting.

IT WAS MOVED BY DOYLE and seconded by FONGER to establish a public hearing on Monday, October 7, 1991 to consider a sign variance for Sam's Service Center at 2400 W. Main Street.

YEA: 5.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

### Item #4. PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO PLANNING COMMISSION ORDINANCE REGARDING SPECIAL MEETINGS - PUBLIC HEARING.

The Planning Commission recommended an amendment to the Commission ordinance providing a procedure for those wishing to have a special meeting called. The Commissioners have been faced with petitioners who want a more immediate response to a site plan review, when a scheduled meeting could take weeks. The amendment outlines the need for a fee as well as the reason for the special meeting. It has been recommended that such a fee be set at \$250 per applicant.

Clark Jahnke (905 E. Main) stated his support of the amendment proposed during the time of public testimony.

IT WAS MOVED BY HODGES and supported by THOMPSON to adopt the proposed amendment to the Planning Commission ordinance regarding special meetings and the recommending fee of \$250 per applicant.

YEA: 5.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

### Item #5. RESOLUTION OF NECESSITY REGARDING ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY FOR AIRPORT.

As noted from previous meetings, a small triangular piece of property owned by Richard Lampkin intrudes into the Lowell City Airport. To resolve this problem, a resolution to authorize staff to proceed with acquisition including eminent domain if necessary has been proposed. If authorized, city staff will seek a negotiated settlement. Without such, the City would then proceed with eminent domain.

Councilmember Fonger felt that the resolution is not necessary. He believed that the City Council should handle the negotiations, not the city staff and City Attorney. Councilmember Doyle agreed. Councilmember Thompson said that city staff could not make a final decision since they would have to bring any proposal back before the Council first. City Manager Pasquale said that he would have the property appraised for what the city staff recommends to offer Richard Lampkin. If a settlement cannot be reached, then the City would have to initiate the condemnation of the property.

IT WAS MOVED BY THOMPSON and seconded by HODGES to approve the resolution of necessity regarding acquisition of property for airport authorizing the City Manager and City Attorney to negotiate with Richard Lampkin.

YEA: 3. (Thompson, Hodges and Maatman)  
NAY: 2. (Fonger and Doyle)  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

### Item #6. AUTHORIZATION OF CONTRACT PAYMENT TO GUST CONSTRUCTION FOR THE WELLHOUSE PROJECT.

Gust Construction of Cedar Springs submitted its first payment request of \$40,960.84 for the wellhouse project (\$118,500 in total contract cost). The Community Development Block Grant as administered by Kent County (\$53,050 allocated for the project) will be processed to cover this payment in its entirety. The engineering firm of Fishbeck, Thompson, Carr and Huber reviewed the progress and has recommended payment.

IT WAS MOVED BY DOYLE and seconded by HODGES to approve the authorization of contract payment to Gust Construction for \$40,960.84 for the wellhouse project with monies allocated from the Community Development Block Grant Fund.

YEA: 5.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

**Item #7. MONTHLY REPORTS.** No comments were received from the materials presented.

**Item #8. CITIZEN COMMENTS.** No comments received.

### Item #9. COUNCIL COMMENTS.

Councilmember Fonger requested a report showing how many hours the street sweeper is being used as well as to how often and what streets are being swept. He was concerned about the amount of time the sweeper has been used. Councilmember Doyle mentioned that cats are getting into garbage and in garages. Councilmember Hodges said the Stoney Lakeside Park project is nearing completion. He also mentioned what a fine job Officer Jim Valentine did with Bushnell Elementary fifth graders at school camp.

**Item #10. MANAGER'S REPORT.** City Manager Pasquale reported on the following:

- Mayor Exchange.** The City of St. Louis has invited the City of Lowell to Mayor Exchange in 1992. The City Council approved of the exchange with the City of St. Louis for Mayor Exchange Day, 1992.
- Upcoming bids.** It is anticipated that the Council will consider bids on the following projects at its October 7 meeting: (a) street improvements as well as patch work on Jackson and Valley Vista and cemetery paving (b) DPW pick up truck (c) fencing for Stoney Lakeside Park and the Water Treatment Plant (d) City Hall second floor window frame repairs.
- Dog Warden.** John Erickson has retired as dog warden after over 15 years of service. As of September 23, Ken Hall, a part time police officer, will take over these duties. Councilmember Doyle stated that John Erickson has done a fine job as dog warden.
- On Saturday, September 21, a block party has been planned from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Riverside between Hunt and Foreman.
- The State has issued an Traffic Control Order regarding the no parking west of Hudson Street on M-21. It is expected that the signs will be installed within the next few weeks.

**Item #11. APPOINTMENTS.** None.

IT WAS MOVED BY DOYLE to adjourn at 7:54 p.m.

APPROVED: October 7, 1991

James D. Maatman, Mayor  
David M. Pasquale, City Clerk

# Lowell recognizes its October Students-of-the-Month

The first students-of-the-month for the school year were announced recently at Lowell High School. They are Senior Gary Parcher, Junior Cathy Pasquale, Sophomore Stephanie Brown, and Freshman Ron Acheson.

Parcher is the son of Gary and Donna Parcher of Rockford. he was chosen for a dis-

play of citizenship which his teachers say is an example of the values that Parcher consistently shows in the classroom. Principal Jim DeWeerd related the story: "The office received a phone call from a lady in Forest Hills regarding Gary. She said that a boy had stolen the hood ornament from her Mercedes Benz and Gary

witnessed this event. Gary then chased the boy down, retrieved the hood ornament, and returned it and the boy. Gary then made the boy apologize to the woman." DeWeerd is proud that a Lowell High School student was willing to take action to right a wrong. Parcher is a member of FFA at Lowell High School and especially enjoys working in the greenhouse. His after-school job is at Ada Beef. In his spare time, Parcher enjoys hunting, fishing, downhill skiing, and waterskiing. He hopes to attend GRCC next year and plans to go into the electronics trade.

Pasquale is the daughter of Dave and Anne Pasquale of Lowell. Her teacher nominator commends her for doing her best in class, commenting, "She strives for perfection in her daily homework as well as on quizzes and tests. She is very courteous and conscientious, respects others, and is always polite." With this attitude toward her education, it is not surprising to learn that Pasquale enjoys all of her teachers and classes and has been on the honor roll every quarter. She is also very involved in activities.

She is a member of the tennis team, Teens Involved, International Club, and Close-Up. She is a member of the First Baptist Church and its youth group. She enjoys helping with children's Sunday School there. She is a dance demonstrator at Linda Moon School of Dance where she also studies tap, ballet, and jazz. This past June she danced on the Lowell Showboat. Pasquale also enjoys singing les-



October Students-of-the-Month at Lowell High School are, left to right, freshman, Ron Acheson; sophomore, Stephanie Brown; junior, Cathy Pasquale; and senior, Gary Parcher.

sons, cooking, and reading. Brown is the daughter of Dennis and Diane Brown of Lowell. She is presently a member of the basketball team and is serving as cooperation chairman of the Lowell FFA. She has also joined Teens Involved. In addition to these activities, Brown takes time to do well in the classroom. Her teacher nominator describes her as "a hard-working individual who strives for personal success as well as group success in a cooperative learning environment. She never hesitates to help when asked." When Brown is not busy with school activities, she is either on the job as a waitress at Adrian's Ramona Terrace or enjoying a ride on her bike.

Acheson is the son of Howard and Gail Acheson of Lowell. He has begun his freshman year at LHS as a football player and plans to keep busy all year with sports, including basketball and baseball. Despite the time he'll give to these sports, Acheson does not plan to ruin his record of having been on the Honor Roll since sixth grade. He won the Presidential Academic Fitness Award for middle school and will aim for the same in high school. Favorite classes this year are algebra and Hon-

ors English. Acheson's teachers agree that he is likely to achieve his goals. He is hardworking, friendly, polite, and helpful in the classroom, especially in group work with his classmates. In fact, one of Ron's favorite pastimes is "having fun with my friends." The faculty and staff at LHS feel these four young people continue a tradition of pride and respect which has characterized the students-of-the-month and urge the community to join in recognizing them for their selection.



In 1895 the Supreme Court declared income taxes unconstitutional.

## Coming Events cont'd

**SAT., OCT. 26:** Ada Christian School will hold its annual fall rummage sale from 9A.M. to 3 P.M. in the school gym at 7192 Bradford S.E., Ada. Come to find good used clothing, household items and fresh baked goods.

**NOV. 2, 3, 9 and 10:** The Qua-Ke-Zik Sportsman's Club rifle sight-in will be at 11400 Foreman Rd. Shooting hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost \$3 per gun. For more information call 897-5288, Mon. through Fri., 5p.m. - 9 p.m.

**NOV. 13 & 27:** Senior citizens flu shots will be given at the Lowell Township Hall between 9-11a.m. and 1-4 p.m. \$3.00 donation. Must be 65 years old or older.

## Legal Notices

### NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by CARL DOUGLAS SNELL and DIANE M. SNELL, his wife, Mortgagors, to Benchmark Mortgage Corporation a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 23rd day of January, A.D., 1987, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent and State of Michigan, on the 27th day of January, A.D., 1987 in Liber 2272 of Mortgages on Pages 371-374, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage as of the date of this notice is the sum of SIXTY-EIGHT THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN and 85/100 dollars (\$68,647.85), for principal and interest and,

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

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1991, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, local time, said mortgage will be foreclosed at a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the main lobby of the Hall of Justice in the City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent and State of Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage with the interest thereon at EIGHT percent (8.00%) per annum and all legal costs charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law,

and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows:

Property situated in the Township of Plainfield, County of Kent, State of Michigan, to wit:

**PARCEL A:** Lot 557 and the north 16 feet of lot 558 of Hills and Dales, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 35 of Plats on page 18.

**PARCEL B:** That part of the northwest 1/4 section 33, T8N-R11W, described as: Commencing on the north line of Hills and Dales (Plat) Section 33, at a point which is 1888 feet west of the north and south 1/4 line of said section; thence west 135 feet along the north line of said plat to the east line of Ambrose Avenue; thence northerly 15.0 feet along the East line of said avenue on a 447.46 foot radius curve to the right; thence east 134.12 feet parallel with the north line of said plat to a point which is 1888 feet west from the north and south 1/4 line; thence south 15.0 feet parallel with the north and south 1/4 line to the place of beginning.

Tax# 41-10-33-104-001

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: October 2, 1991

Benchmark Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee

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# TOWN TALK

## Of the new television programs on this Fall, are there any you like?



**Ann Pratt**  
I like the new show called "Roc." It's humorous and I find it funny.



**Laura Hentig**  
"Roc." It's funny. Most of the new shows are not very good. Sometimes I wish they'd just keep some of the old ones on.



**Amy Fetterhoff**  
The show called Princess and it's on Friday. It's about three "uptown" girls who live together.



**Becky Kooistra**  
Sibs, it's on Wednesday night. One girl is a recovering alcoholic. Another girl is a real estate agent. The third girl is depressed about her break-up with her boyfriend.



**Michele Mayne**  
I saw the new show called "Sibs." It's the only new show I've seen. I didn't like it. It was supposed to be humorous. It wasn't. It was kind of stupid.



**Cindy Thomas**  
I like Drexell's Class. It's a comedy and I think it's funny.



**Charles Melle**  
I like the new show "Pro's and Cons." It's a detective show that's more of a serious comedy.

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# Letters

To the Editor:

We would like to thank all of the volunteers that helped us at the Fallsburg Park Children's Area. Your help was greatly appreciated!!

We would especially like to thank Robin White, Lowell High School art teacher, and Karen Lambert, Middle School art teacher. They provided us with some great students. The students were a big help. A special

acknowledgement should go out to Cat Kilpatrick, Sara Hecksel and Eric Siegler. These high school students came bright and early on Saturday and helped out until we closed down. Thanks guys!

We hope that you all had a good time and will help out again next year.

Chairpersons,  
Kathe Biggs  
Laura Leasure

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# China able to smile despite country's setbacks

Wanda Stinchcomb's purpose during her stay at the Beijing Foreign Language Training Center was to help improve the language skills of all professionals at the Ministry of Petroleum.

As Stinchcomb taught, she learned. Wanda learned of the changes that have occurred since the Tiananmen Square confrontation. She learned of how the Chinese people are still able to laugh and sing despite the suffering they incurred from the Cultural Revolution. She learned how the young Chinese students work hard to attain high marks on the Tofel Test so they can apply to come overseas and study. Wanda says almost all of them are successful if the government allows them to be.

"The Chinese people are delightful," Stinchcomb says. "Despite what has happened to them, they still like to laugh, sing, and dance. They are friendly and will go out of their way to help you."

Many are fascinated by Westerners. "There are some parts of China where the

people have never seen white people before, or anybody with red hair or this (as she runs her hand through her grey hair)," she says. "So they just kind of stare at you."

Stinchcomb taught oral English and did some writing as she helped compile an oral English Textbook. She was in the Center with three other teachers - two from Canada and one from England.

"It was a small school with probably 115 students, and that is probably stretching it," Stinchcomb says. Outside the Center stood a statue of Mao Tse-tung. "I had one Chinese student tell me Mao was good in war, but not so good in peace," she said. "I tend to agree with the student. The people are still suffering from the Cultural Revolution. Most of the people under the age of 40 have no concept of what went on. The reason for that is the government has glossed it over."

Stinchcomb spent a year at the Center before returning to the states on Sept. 26. That,

however, was not her first trip. The Lowell woman, in 1989, took a four-month trip to China, where she was involved in a work study program.

"I was told I would be staying at Beijing University. What I wasn't told was that the University was where the Tiananmen Square confrontation all started. The University sits just 10 miles away," Stinchcomb said.

She added that during this time students would come to you and talk, but you didn't approach them. "If government officials thought you were giving them information bad information, they'd go to the student and tell him/her not to talk to the American anymore. Thus, the student would never approach you again."

Stinchcomb explained, at the time Westerners had to be careful what questions they asked. "You had to be careful because you never knew who you were talking to."

The Lowell woman worked 12-16 hours a week

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Pictured above is the Great Hall of People. Stinchcomb says there has been a lot of patching and repairing here since the Tiananmen Square incident.



Wanda Stinchcomb and fellow teachers help show the Chinese the art of cooking out.



Stinchcomb helped her Chinese friend (left) out with his VISA. In a show of thanks she received quite the dinner.

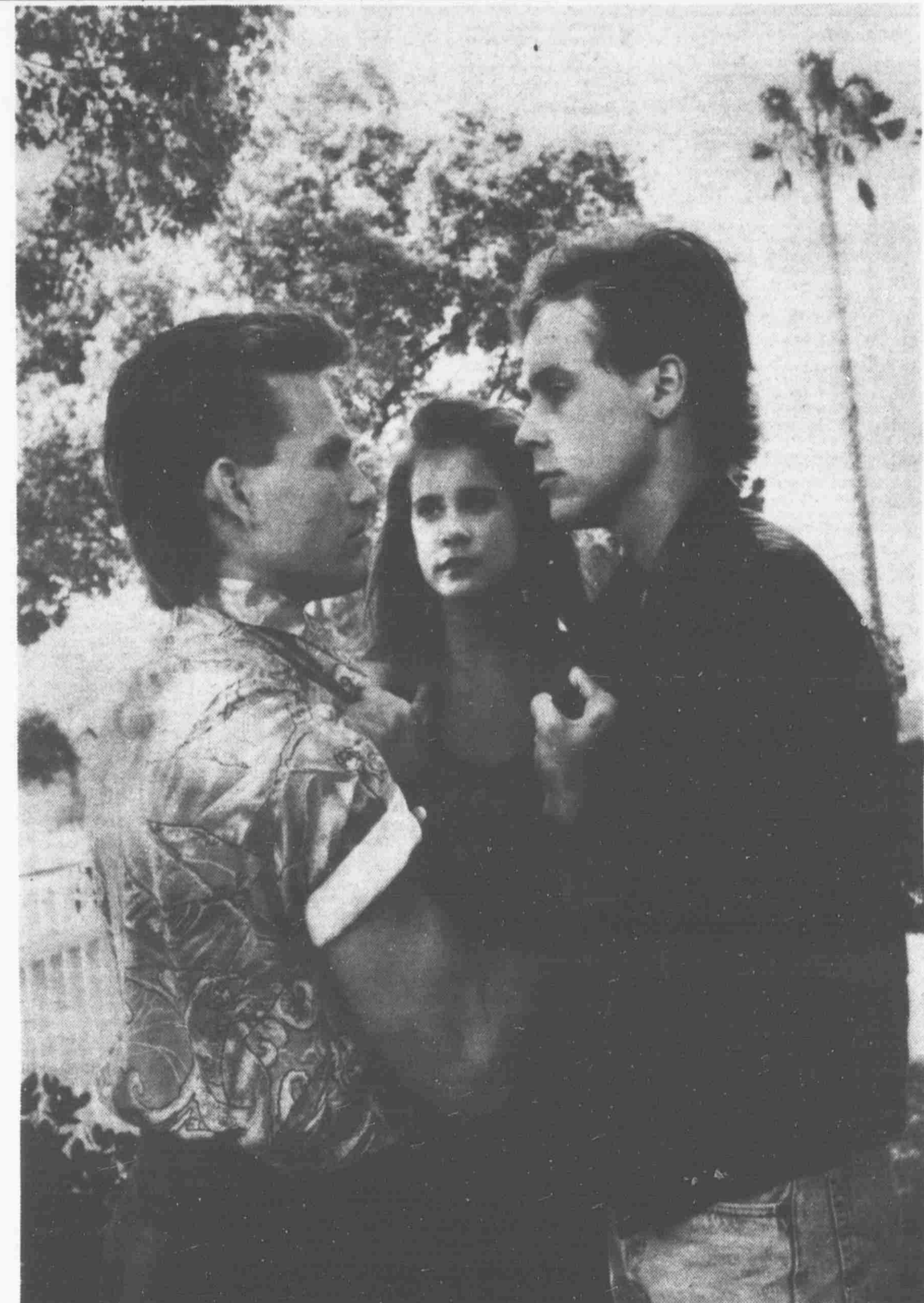
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## LISTINGS FOR FRI., OCT. 11 THRU THURS., OCT. 17

Life Goes On series regulars Tommy Puett (left) and Kellie Martin are joined by guest star Chad Lowe (right) in an eight-episode arc airing Sundays on ABC. Lowe plays a transfer student to whom Becca (Martin) is attracted.

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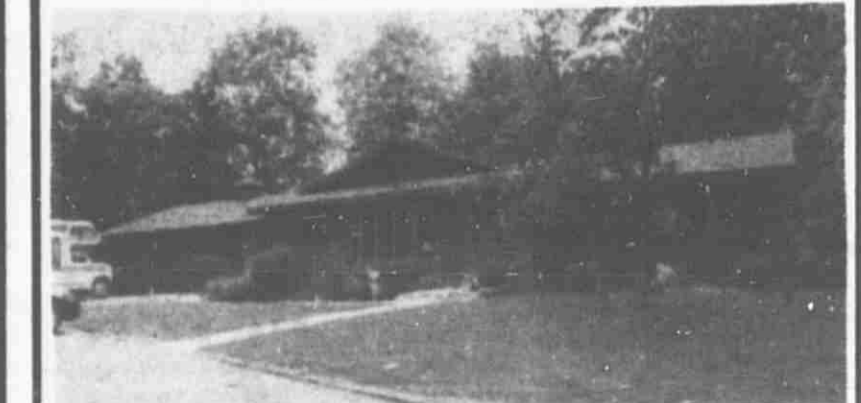
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- (B-148461) 10 ACRES CREEK FRONTAGE  
Possible land contract terms, rolling meadows & hilltop walkout site, oak & pine trees, has been perked. Call George Tatu 676-1261 or 676-2841 or Dick Bryan 676-1261 or 897-8278.
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- 6:00 MOVIE: The Poseidon Adventure...
6:30 Up Close
7:00 SportsCenter
7:30 MOVIE: Up Periscope...
8:00 MOVIE: Memphis Belle...
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10:05 MOVIE: For Ladies Only...
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MOVIE: Highway Dredger...
MOVIE: The House of the Living Dead...
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6:00 Music Videos
6:30 Highway to Heaven...
6:30 Charlie Chan in City of Darkness...
7:00 SportsCenter
7:00 The NFL Yearbook...
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8:00 WWC Power Hour
8:00 The NFL Yearbook...
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Remodeling and Decorating Today
Grudge Match
New Yankee Workshop
College Football Preview
F-Troop
Where's Waldo?
Captain Planet and the Planeteers
AFTERNOON
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DAYTIME

- MORNING
5:00 (MO) Music Videos
(TU) Paid Program
(W,TH) Werewolf
(MO) Love Boat
(W,TH) Star Ship Target Shooting Game
(TU,WE,TH,FR) ShowBiz
Today
(MO) Sports LateNight
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Get Smart
(MO) Patty Duke
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Home Shopping
(FR) Then Came Bronson
5:05 (MO) Hogan's Heroes
(TU,WE,TH) Gomer Pyle
5:15 (MO) Short Subjects
5:20 (TU) Warning: Medicine May Be Hazardous to Your Health
(FR) Three Stooges
(TU) Movie (CC)
5:30 (M) This Morning's Business
Andy Griffith
Hooked on Aerobics
(MO,TH,FR) Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet
(WE,TH,FR) Paid Program
Larry Lea
Getting Fit
DayBreak
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Mr. Ed
(MO) Dobie Gillis
(WE) World of Survival
AG Day
(TU) Trailer Camp
5:35 (CNH) Headline News
6:00 Awake on the Wild Side
Muppet Babies (CC)
NBC News at Sunrise
Kenneth Copeland
(FR) Here's to Your Health
(MO) Government by Consent
(TU) Personal Financial Management
(WE) Against All Odds: Inside Statistics
(TH) Business of Management
ABC World News This Morning (CC)
(TU,WE,FR) (MO,WE,FR) Movie
(TH) Encyclopedia Brown, Boy Detective (CC)
Mousercise
Today With Marilyn
(WE,FR) Facts of Life
(MO,TH) World Tomorrow
(TU) Hangin' in
Socias in Motion
CNH Headline News
Lassie
(FR) Rising Damp
(MO,TU,WE,TH) Snap Maxwell Story (CC)
CBS Morning News
Woody Woodpecker
6:05 I Love Lucy
6:30 Flintstones
(TH) News
Video Power
(TU) (TH) Movie
Jump, Rattle and Roll
(MO) Paid Program
James Robinson
Faith 20
Up Close
Business Morning
(FR) Launch Box
(MO,TU,WE,TH) Kids World A & E Preview
CBS Morning News
6:35 Flintstones
6:45 AM Weather
(MO) Movie (CC)
7:00 Merrie Melodies
Today (CC)
Eureka's Castle
To Life! Yoga
Sesame Street (CC)
Good Morning America (CC)
(TH) Movie (CC)
Good Morning, Mickey!
Denver, the Last Dinosaur
Batman
Success-N-Life
SportsCenter
DayBreak
Mr. Wizard's World (CC)
(FR) Nefertiti: For Whom the Sun Shines
(MO) Eagle and the Bear
(TU) My Family and Other Animals
(WE) Joseph Papp Presents
(TH) The Eighteenth Century Woman
(TH) CBS This Morning
Bugs Bunny and Pals
7:05 Tom and Jerry's Funhouse
7:15 AM Weather
7:30 (TH) Tiny Toons Adventures (CC)
Sesame Street (CC)
(MO) Movie (CC)
Care Bears (CC)
Voltron
Popoys
Business Day
Most Wanted: Yogi Bear
(MO) Eagle and the Bear
8:00 (FR) Day in Rock
(MO) The Week in Rock
(TU,WE,TH) Day in Rock
Peter Pan and the Pirates (CC)
Shining Time Station
Barber
(WE,FR) Movie
Gummy Bears
Cartoon Express
Auggie Doggie and Friends
DuckTales (CC)
DayBreak
Inspector Gadget
Popoys
8:05 I Dream of Jeannie
8:15 (TU,WE,TH,FR) Awake on the Wild Side

- (TU,WE,TH,FR)
(TU,WE) (WE,TH) Movie
(MO) Best of National Geographic
(TH) News
Andy Griffith
(FR) Adult Learning
(WE,TH) TV
Programming
(MO,WE,FR) Government by Consent
(TU,TH) New Literacy: Introduction to Computers (CC)
Care Bears (CC)
The Judge (CC)
Gerald
Bodies in Motion
Newspaper
CNH Headline News
World of David the Gnome
David Letterman
Who's the Boss? (CC)
Family Ties (CC)
Homeworks
12:05
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Day in Rock
(MO) The Week in Rock
(MO,FR) Country Kitchen
(TU) Remodeling and Decorating Today
(WE) Side by Side
(TH) Going Our Way
A Closer Look
Leave It to Beaver
(FR) European Journal
(MO,WE,FR) Business File
(TU) New Literacy: Introduction to Computers (CC)
(TH) Gary Shocker in Recital
(MO) (MO,TH) Movie (CC)
Lunch Box
The Judge (CC)
(MO,FR) American Baby
(TU,TH) Healthy Kids
(WE) Paid Program
BodyShaping
Adventures of Little Koala
Young and the Restless
Easy Does It
12:45
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Adam Curry
(MO) Adam Curry
Top Card
(MO) Best of National Geographic
Days of Our Lives
Love Lucy
(MO,TU,FR) ITV Programming
(FR) Shape of Sound
(MO) Mystery (CC)
(TU) Black Issues Forum
(WE) Quality...or Else!
(TH) Nova (CC)
Gerald
All My Children
(TU) Influences
(MO,WE,FR) Movie (CC)
(TU) The Adventures of Robin Hood
(TH) Big Bird in Japan (CC)
Superior Court
News
(FR) ATP Tour Tennis
(MO,WE) Golf
(TU) Tennis
(TH) Scholastic Sports America (CC)
Sonya Live
Noodles
(MO,FR) The Avengers
(TU,WE,TH) Dinosaurs!
Discovery on the Go
1:05
Movie
Be a Star
(MO,TU,WE,FR)
Switched
(TH) Paid Program
(WE,TH,FR) (FR) Movie (CC)
Superior Court
(FR) PGA Junior Golf Championship
(TH) Horse Show Jumping
Mays the Bee
(TH) Bold and the Beautiful (CC)
(FR) Great Chefs of Chicago
(MO) Great Chefs of San Francisco
(TU,WE,TH) Great Chefs of New Orleans
(TH) Great Chefs of the West
2:00
Crook and Chase
700 Club With Pat Robertson
Another World
Merrie Melodies (CC)
(FR) Sewing With Nancy
(MO) Seniors Speak Out
(TU) Sit and Be Fit
(WE) C. Everett Koop, M.D. (CC)
(TH) Doctor Is In
(TH) One Life to Live
(TU) Cropp Family Nature Album
(TH) Mirthworm
Masquerade
Chain Reaction
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Now It Can Be Told
(MO) Columbus Day Parade
(FR) High School Anthology
(MO) Auto Racing
(TU) Top Rank Boxing
NewsDay
Litt's Bits
(TU) (WE,TH) Movie
Popoys
Now It Can Be Told
(FR) Espana Viva
(WE) French in Action
(TH) Alles Gute
Hooked on Aerobics
(TU) Movie
Raccoons
Divorce Court
Paid Program
Body by Jake
Crier & Co
Fred Penner's Place
Cover to Cover
Pasquale's Kitchen Express
11:45
(P) Pasquale's
(MO,TU) Movie
(MO) Casper's Halloween Special
(WE) Flintstones' New Neighbors
(TH) Raggedy Ann and Andy:

- (TU,TH,FR) Lansing Live
5:35 Good Times
5:45 (MO) PASS Video Program Guide
EVENING
8:00 Club MTV
Mama's Family
News
Mr. Belvedere (CC)
(FR) Tony Brown's Journal
(MO) GV Sports
(TU,WE) Growing Years
(TH) Square One Television (CC)
(FR) Asia Now
(MO) Michigan Business Weekly
(TU) Adam Smith's Money
2:50 (TH) Bugs and Daffy
3:00 Cookin' USA
Santa Barbara
Cherry 'n' Dale's Rescue Squad
Mister Rogers' Neighborhood (CC)
General Hospital
(WE) Movie
Under the Umbrella Tree
Holywood Squares
Father Knows Best
(TU,TH,FR) The Honeymooners
(TU) Golf
(TU) Black College Sports Today
International Hour
CNH Headline News
Flipper
(TU,TH,FR) Guiding Light
(MO,WE) Major League Baseball (CC)
Homeworks
3:05 Tom and Jerry's Funhouse
3:30 Top Card
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (CC)
Tale Spin
Sesame Street (CC)
(FR) Movie
(TH) A Dangerous Affair (CC)
Gummy Bears
Scrabble
Father Knows Best
(TU,WE,TH,FR) Saved by the Bell (CC)
Inside the PGA Tour
(MO) Sportsman Team Challenge
(TH) Major League Baseball Studio
Looney Tunes
Easy Does It
3:45 (FR) Adam Curry
4:00 Club Dance
Beetlejuice (CC)
(TU,TH,FR) Meury
(TU) Darkwing Duck
(FR) Sesame Street (CC)
Growing Pains (CC)
(TH) Belle and the Glory Boys
Donald Duck Presents
\$25,000 Pyramid
ALF (CC)
DuckTales (CC)
(FR) PGA Golf
(MO,TU) AWA Championship Wrestling
(TH) Legends of Professional Wrestling
EarlyPrime
Inspector Gadget
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(TH) City of Angels
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(TU) Dealers in Death: Murder & Mayhem in America
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Press Your Luck
Heroes on Hot Wheels
(FR) Kidd Video
(MO,WE) Little Mermaid
(TU,TH) Power Team
Most Wanted: Yogi Bear
Alvin and the Chipmunks
Cheers (CC)
Wildlife Chronicles
4:35 Brady Bunch
5:00 MTV's Most Wanted With John Norris
VideoPM
Growing Pains (CC)
News
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (CC)
Where in the World is Carmen Sandiego? (CC)
(TU,TH,FR) Cosby Show (CC)
(FR) A Dangerous Affair (CC)
(TH) Movie (CC)
Kids, Incorporated
Just the Ten of Us (CC)
Super Mario Bros. Supershow
Flintstones
(MO) Mountain Bike Racing
(TU,WE,TH) Monster Truck Challenge
Mork & Mindy
(WE) Top Rank Boxing
The Fugitive
(TU,TH,FR) Donahue (CC)
The Jetsons
Cheers (CC)
Nature of Things (CC)
Happy Days
Head of the Class (CC)
ALF (CC)
Square One Television (CC)
Night Court (CC)
(FR) (TU) Movie
Mickey Mouse Club (CC)
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Flintstones
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The answer to the Crossword Quiz is found within the answers in the puzzle. To find the answer, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

ANSWERS
1. Yo-yo or top
2. Villains of 2001
3. Minkie
4. The...of Hialeah
5. 40 Minutes
6. P. I.
7. File folder
8. High school drama
9. The...of Life
10. Verbs
11. Verb
12. Page of a book
13. Mammals necessary
14. Ben-Gurion
15. To Hiss and Joe
16. Stephen's Indians
17. Initials for Barbara
18. Manager for Henry
19. ...and Company
20. Bath of Lorr & Olor
21. Lullaby
22. Champion in the Young
23. and the Realities
24. Intense for Dudley
25. One around a castle
26. Game show host, far short
27. Mischief
28. Outgoing Women
29. ...of Life
30. Resonance
31. October 15th/16th
32. Verbs
33. Page of a book
34. Mammals necessary
35. Ben-Gurion
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Drought Ends: Lowell girls explode for 40 1st half points in 67-58 win over Zeeland

Lowell girls' basketball coach, Ken Akers, looked at the scoreboard prior to disappearing into the locker-room. The scoreboard showed Lowell led Zeeland 40-29, and it was only halftime. During the intermission, Akers checked the D's of all his players, making sure he wasn't coaching a group of imposters. Not really, but Lowell's coach was trying to piece together how a squad that struggled to score 40 points in games against Forest Hills Central, Northview, and East Grand Rapids could tally 40 points in one half against a team that had already beaten Central. Lowell did and went on to win the contest, 67-58. "The girls simply played outstanding basketball tonight," Akers explains. "If we can sustain this type of play, we can beat any team in the O-K White."

Second time around... Young Red Arrows experience a better fate against Sparta and Zeeland

The Red Arrows top scorer was senior guard, Angie Brown. The Red Arrow tallied 15 points, including three 3-point buckets. "Those were key buckets. The three-point baskets seemed to come when Zeeland was rallying." On defense, Akers turned to senior forward Renee Nugent to slow down All-State performer Beth Hilbink. "I think she can be a Division I college basketball player." Helbink came into the game averaging 28 points a contest, coincidentally the same number she scored against Forest Hills Central. Against Nugent and the Red Arrows she tallied seven field goals and six free throws, totaling 20 points. "Nugent played outstanding defense against Hilbink and she still scored 20 points." Nugent's concentration on Hilbink may have impacted her play on the offensive end. The Lowell senior only scored seven points. "Scoring has been tougher for Renee this year, but teams have also been keying her," Akers said. "Our guards did an outstanding job of pressuring the basketball." Akers explained. "The girls also did a better job of anticipating where the next pass was going to go."

National 4-H Week Schedule of Events

- MON. - SUN. Oct. 7-13 All Day Outstanding Exhibits
THURS. Oct. 10 6:30 - 8:30 P.M. Alumni Reception
7 P.M. Fall Style Show
SAT. Oct. 12 10 A.M.-9 P.M. Petting Zoo
10 A.M. Cows to Curd (How milk is made into cheese)
3 P.M. Performing Arts Talent Show
Sun. Oct. 13 Noon-5 P.M. Petting Zoo
D & W on Burlingame S.W. (just south of 28th St.)
SAT. Oct. 12 Noon-3 P.M. Pony Rides and 4-H Display
Kent County Extension 4-H Learning Center (1331 Franklin S.E., Grand Rapids)
SAT. Oct. 12 10 A.M. - 3 P.M. Open House Children's Games & Display
SAT. Oct. 12 9 A.M.-Noon Canoe Race & Scavenger Hunt in cooperation with the Rogue River Watershed Council

FAMILY FARE Athletes of the Week



Amy Gerkin teaming with Marcy Anes, helped Lowell post a 5-2 win over Rogers in O-K White tennis play. Gerkin and Anes won their doubles match against the Golden Hawks 6-1, 6-1. Gerkin then teamed up with Anes against Wyoming Park as they posted a come-from-behind win, 0-6, 6-2, 6-4. The Red Arrow soccer player tallied two goals in Lowell's 3-1 win over Sparta, helping Lowell avenge an early season 3-1 defeat. Later in the week, Graber also scored the tying goal against Zeeland, sending it into overtime. A game Lowell eventually won 2-1. The Lowell senior guard highlighted the Red Arrows powerful performance on the road against league foe, Zeeland. Brown netted a team-leading 15 points. Nine of those 15 points came on three clutch three-pointers. Brown's performance helped Lowell snap a three-game losing streak in conference play. "I have never seen the two players play any better than they demonstrated today," said Ackermann following their win against Rogers. The Lowell coach praised both Gerkin, and Anes for never giving up in the Wyoming Park match. "Their confident attitude has helped them win close matches," Ackermann explained.

# Harper pleased with improvement; Oliver places 11th at Fallasburg

With the rain, the cold, the wind, and a pretty tough course one could safely assume times at the Lowell Invitational on Saturday would be slow.

That is unless Molly Lori of East Kentwood is running. The defending Class A State

Champion ran like one on Saturday. Lori set a course record, coming home in 19 minutes flat. A year ago she finished in 19:28.

"She'd be my bet to win the state championship again this year," Lowell coach Tom Harper said. "Less than half

of the boys (30) finished with a better time than Lori."

Lori's incredible time could not stop Fremont from winning the invitational. The Packers finished with 27 points. Grandville was second at 55; followed by East Kentwood, 60; Rockford 120;

Lowell 159; Jenison 160; Northview 185; Reeths-Puffer DNF.

"I thought Stephanie Ward, Jenny Kerman, Angela Smith and Anna Lietzke all ran well considering the course and the conditions," Harper said. "Michelle Oliver and Sara Lesky struggled a little."

Oliver was 11th in 22:03; Lesky was 26th in 23:37; Ward came home in 38th at 26:04; Kerman was 39th in 26:22; Smith placed in 40th at 26:41 and Anna Lietzke was 48th at 30:55.

### Sparta 23 Lowell 35

The Red Arrows three, four and five runners edged closer to the top against Sparta as their times continued to improve.

"We're getting there. They gave us a good effort against Sparta," Harper said.

Lowell was led by sophomore Michelle Oliver. She finished atop the chart in a time of 21:22. Sara Lesky was fourth in 22:57. Stephanie Ward was ninth in 25:14; while Jenny Kerman was 10th in 25:15; and Angie Smith was 11th at 25:58.



Angela Smith picks up the pace in the cold and rain on Saturday.

For the winning Spartans, Michelle Pittman was their top harrier at 22:44. Kristen

Polakowski was third in 22:51; Liz Watson was fifth Girls cont'd pg. 21

## Soccer cont'd...

Lowell's junior varsity played to a 1-1 tie. Standouts were Eric Arnett, Jerry Winsor, Jason Prescott, Chris Scoles, Matt Nowak, Dan Huisenga and Kevin Dykstra.

### Lowell 2 Zeeland 1

Lowell spoiled Zeeland's homecoming soccer contest as it defeated the Chix in their second contest of the year.

In their first contest, Lowell and Zeeland tied in overtime 1-1.

Zeeland opened the scoring on a shot by Ben Dozenan. The score came after a brief defensive lapse, according to Lowell coach John Turkal.

Trailing 1-0 at half, Lowell came out and took control of the contest in the second half of play.

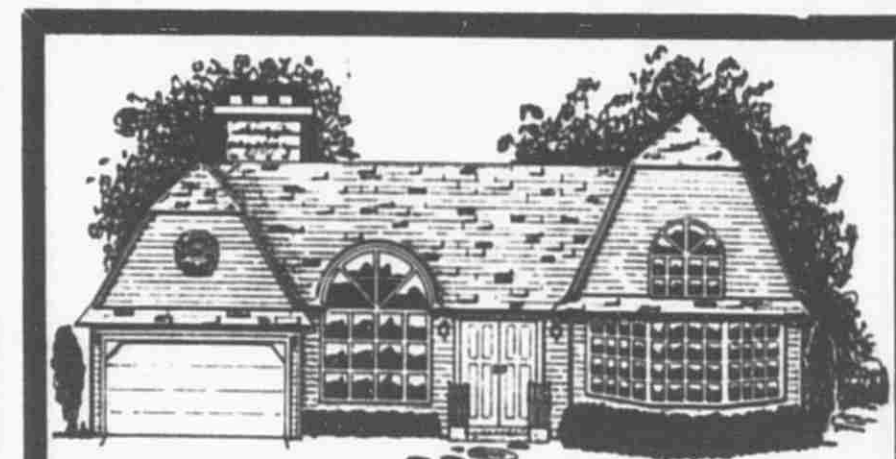
"I told the boys at halftime that they were running their flex offense well, and that if they kept it up the end result would be a win," Turkal said.

Lowell tied the contest at 1-1 on a Jason Graber goal. Lowell got the go-ahead and winning goal from Scott MacNaughton. The score came off a double assist by John Roudabush and Josh

Andrews. The assist helped Roudabush remain the team's top scorer.

"Roudabush's excellent play at the midfield has the young Red Arrows confidently executing our offense," Turkal explained.

The Lowell coach praised the work of the Red Arrow strikers, Josh Andrews, Ryan White, Matt Mead, Jim Young, Dusty Hawk and Chris Geisert.



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## Lucky Seven Lowell equestrian team wins Class A District V title again

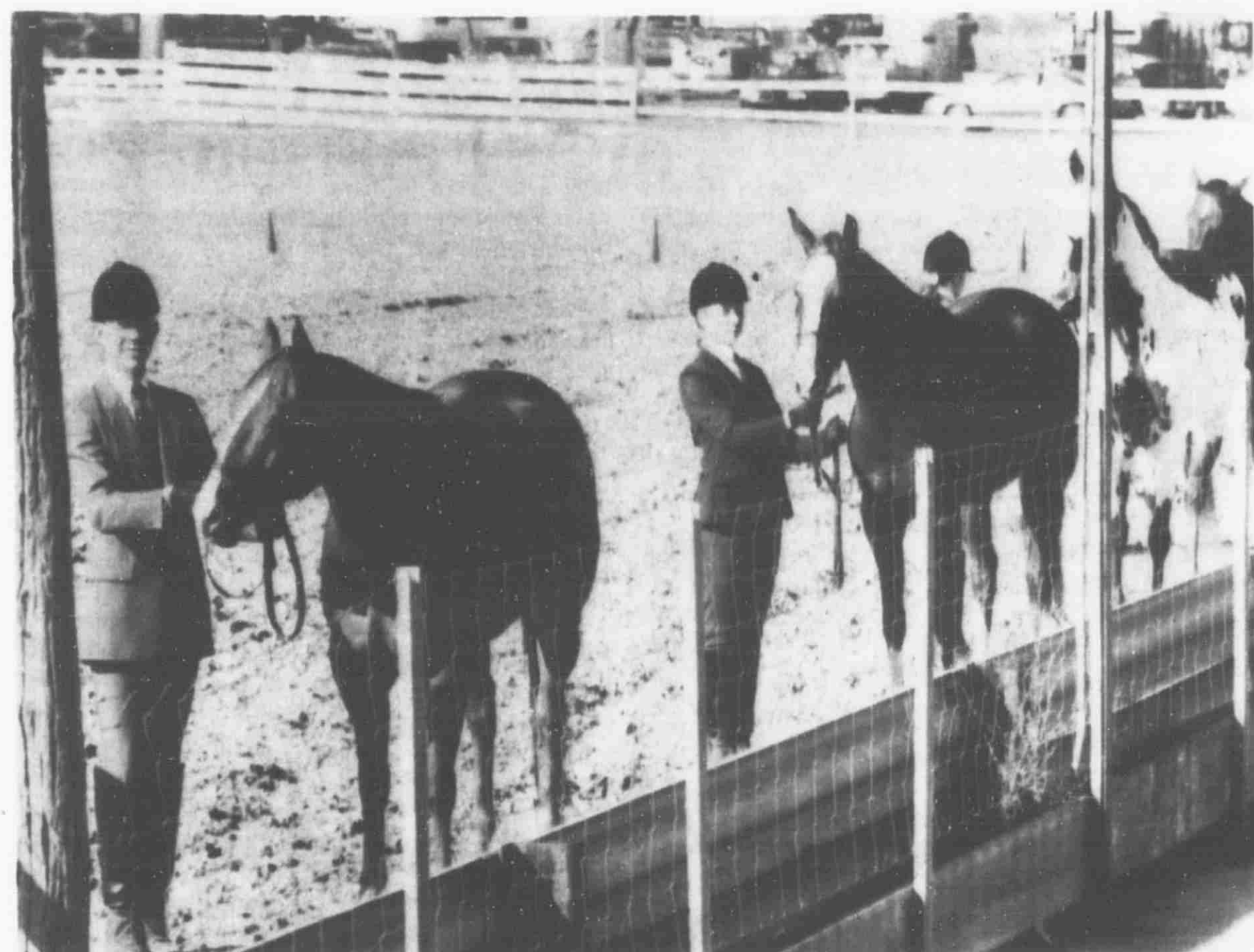
The Lowell Equestrian Team traveled to Hudsonville to win Meet III and their seventh consecutive Class A District V Championship.

Lowell jumped out to a commanding lead in western fitting and showing by taking the four top placings. Adam Johnson won the class, followed by Clay Pelon second, Heather Pelon third and Carrie Wingeier fourth. Saddle seat fitting and showing had Brandy Wingeier fourth and Denise Parker sixth. Clay Pelon led off Lowell's 1-2-3 finish in hunt seat fitting and showing with Tiffany Ireland second and Carrie Wingeier third.

Caledonia cut Lowell's 22-point lead to only three after the saddle seat performance classes. In equitation, Brandy Wingeier placed fourth and Parker fifth. Heather Pelon won the saddle seat pattern. Brandy Wingeier was sixth and Parker was seventh. Bareback had Brandy Wingeier second and Michelle Dykstra sixth. Lowell increased its lead to 25 points in the hunt seat division. Equitation had Clay Pelon second, Ireland third, and Johnson sixth. Ireland took top honors in bareback followed by Johnson second, Heather Pelon third, and Holly Jaworowicz seventh. Ireland and Jaworowicz returned in equitation over fences for a fifth and sixth respectively.

In the western division, Lowell stretched its lead to 67 points. Equitation had Johnson first, Clay Pelon second, and Heather Pelon fifth. Scoring in bareback were Johnson first, Clay Pelon second, Ireland third, and Brandy Wingeier sixth. Adam Johnson continued his winning ways in western riding. Heather Pelon earned second and Brandy Wingeier seventh. Clay Pelon remained undefeated in trail with Heather Pelon third and Dykstra fifth.

Contestors lengthened Lowell's final lead to 75 points. Carrie Wingeier ran second in the flag race with a time of 10:97. Tiffany Murray was fourth in 12:67 and Jamie McCaul was seventh in 14:48. Carrie Wingeier won the clover leaf race in 21:19.5 with Jaworowicz seventh in 22:43. Carrie Wingeier earned Lowell's only placing in speed and action. Her time of 10:87.9 took second place. Dykstra and Jennifer Schenk teamed up in the two person relay for third place in 13:62.4. McCaul and Murray took a fifth in 15:60.7.



Lowell equestrians place one, two and three in the hunt seat fitting and showing. Pictured left to right are, Clay Pelon and "Double Kings Mr. Doc"; Tiffany Ireland, "Spanky Dee Bar"; and Carrie Wingeier, "This Is Me."

The final scores had Lowell winning the A division 160 to Caledonia's 85. The B division winner in this ring was Rockford 50 followed by Belding 41 and Forest Hills Central 21. In a separate ring Comstock Park won with 83 points over Holland Christian 77, Cedar Springs 69, Zeeland 60, Northview 21, Hopkins 14, and Byron Center 8.

The total scores from the Lowell, Cedar Springs, and Hudsonville meets determined the District V Champions. Lowell won the A division 438 to Caledonia's 287. Comstock Park took the B championship with 238 points followed by Holland Christian 226, Cedar Springs 207, Rockford 194, Belding 137, Zeeland 129, Byron Center 67, Forest Hills Central 49, Northview 45, and Hopkins 24. Lowell and Comstock Park will represent District V at the M.I.H.A. Championship Meet on October 26 and 27 in Mason.



Heather Pelon and "Glorfindle McCue" win the saddle seat pattern.

"Jason fell down and lost position and time. He did a good job in finishing as well as he did," Harper said.

Sergio Saldivar ran a sensational race as he came home in 26th place in a time of 18:47. "Sergio did a real good job. I was real pleased with his performance," Harper said.

Tom Mull was 28th in 18:54. Dude Kanoza was 34th, stopping the clock at 19:13

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## Red Arrow boys get the job done! Boston and Kanoza pick up the pace at position 4 & 5

Lowell's boys' cross country team had a job to do, and it did it very well.

So well in fact, Lowell coach Tom Harper labeled their 21-36 win over Sparta

the club's best race of the year. "On paper, comparing times last week, we beat Sparta by one point," Harper explained. "However, the boys knew they were supposed to win and went out and got the job done."

The victory lifted Lowell to 3-2 in the O-K White behind Forest Hills Central and Zeeland. The Red Arrows are now 3-4 overall.

"One of the big keys in the race was the performances of our fourth and fifth runners," Harper said. "Both Kyle Boston and Dude Kanoza ran good races."

Kanoza, Lowell's fifth runner, came home in 18:44, finishing eighth overall. Boston stopped the clock at 18:27, coming off the course in sixth place.

The Red Arrows were led by senior David Stouffer. Lowell's top runner came off the terrain in 17:43, earning top honors. Teammate Jason VanderWart, second, was five seconds back at 17:48.

Tom Mull placed fourth overall in 18:02.

"The boys did what they had to do, and did it well," Harper said.

Sparta's Chris Sheiner was third overall in 17:52. Aaron Kamphuis was fifth overall in a time of 18:19. He was fol-



Lowell's Michelle Oliver climbs "The Hill" at the Fallasburg Invitational on Saturday. Lowell's girls finished fifth overall.

at 24:00; Rainer Finke, sixth, 24:12; and Jennifer Kingsbury placed seventh at 24:16.

"Our three, four, and five runners are improving. They

all finished in the 25 minute time marker," Harper said. Lowell's record now falls to 0-7 overall and 0-5 in the league.

THE GRIDIRON EXPERTS SAY!	 Sports Editor Thad Kraus	 Football Coach Phil Christensen	 Mr. Red Arrow Bob Perry
Sparta/Lowell	Lowell	Lowell	Lowell
Northview/W. Park	Wyoming Park	Northview	Wyoming Park
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Western/N. Ill.	Western	Western	Western
Oklahoma/Texas	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
Miami OH/Central	Miami OH	Central	Central
Cincinnati/Dallas	Cincinnati	Dallas	Dallas
San Diego/LA Rams	LA Rams	LA Rams	San Diego
Last Week's Record	5-5	6-4	6-4
Overall Record	23-16-1 .588	21-18-1 .538	23-16-1 .588

# Lowell girls post second straight league win against Rogers

It hasn't happened often enough in 1991 to suit Lowell coach Wendy Ackermann, but nonetheless, she was elated over Lowell's second consecutive victory in the O-K White.

Having come off a 7-0 shut-out over Sparta, the Red Arrows hosted the Golden Hawks last Wednesday.

With two of the three doubles matches going three sets, Lowell battled for a 5-2 win over Rogers.

Jennifer Idema, playing fourth singles, gave a stirring 6-0, 6-0 winning performance over Golden Hawk Theresa

Alderink. "Jennifer played a strong match. It was probably her best match of the year," Ackermann said.

Lowell's top singles player, Kathie Abel, defeated Jennifer Lackey 6-4, 6-1 in straight sets.

Alison Zillmer went three strong sets before falling to Rogers' Renee Hui, 2-6, 7-5, 4-6.

In third singles, Diedre DenBoer lost in straight sets to Mandy Thurkettle, 2-6, 2-6.

In come-from-behind fashion, Tara Sterly and Rachael Neile-McGrew battled back

from a set down to defeat Robin VanderBerg and Holly Horning, 5-7, 6-2, 6-3 in doubles play.

In second doubles, Connie Colburn and Sarah Scoles took three sets to upend Rachael VanZueren and Kalani McEwen, 7-5, 6-7, 6-4.

Amy Gerkin and Marcy Anes defeated Melissa Horning and Desi Revers in third doubles, 6-1, 6-1.

"Our doubles teams had a lot of close matches going to three sets. They played well and helped us get the team victory," Ackermann said. "I'm real happy with the win.

It is our second consecutive win in the conference."

### Wyom. Park 5 Lowell 2

Against a stronger Wyoming squad, Lowell fell to the homesteading Vikings.

"Wyoming Park has a strong club," Lowell coach Wendy Ackermann said. "Our girls battled and kept going at them."

The Red Arrows' victories came in doubles play. Tara Sterly and Rachael Neile-McGrew battled three sets in number one doubles action before earning a 6-2, 4-6 7-6 (7-4) win against Vikings',

Karen Wylie and Becky Richards. "It was a tough match, but I was happy to see Tara and Rachael hang on for the win," Ackermann said. "Tara and Rachael are girls who never give up no matter what the score. Their confident attitude helps them win matches."

Playing third doubles, Amy Gerkin and Marcy Anes held back Tera Fowler and Tracy Cornell, 0-6 6-2, 6-4.

"This is the best match I've ever seen Amy and Marcy play. They worked hard together and were very determined to win. Both played

extremely well at the net," Ackermann said.

Lowell's singles players did not fair as well against the strength of Wyoming Park.

Marian Bentley defeated Kathie Abel in straight sets 6-2, 6-0.

In second singles, Alison Zillmer was defeated by Nikki DeVries, 6-0, 6-1.

In third singles, Diedre DenBoer was upended by Sara Wolters, 6-1, 6-1.

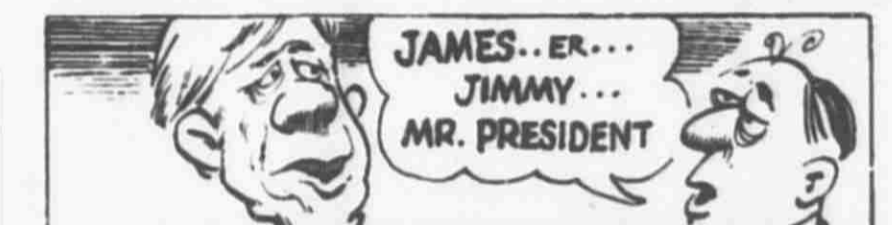
Jennifer Idema, fourth singles, lost to Peggy Patrick

6-2, 6-0.



## Lowell's Kloosterman drops a six-point

Lowell's Mark Kloosterman dropped a six-point, 130-pound buck at 7:45 Tuesday morning approximately one mile south of Lowell. Kloosterman used his new Hoyt-Fast Flite Bow.



The most common first name of U.S. presidents is James.

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**TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES PUBLIC HEARING**  
**MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1991 AT 8:30 P.M.**  
FOR ALL CITIZENS AND TAXPAYERS  
Precise Engineering has filed a request with the Township of Vergennes to establish (The Precise Engineering Development District) for the property described, under the provision of Act #198, P.A. 1974 as amended, as permanent parcel # 41-16-34-200-051, located in the N.E. corner of Section 34, on the west side of Lincoln Lake Rd., adjacent to real property occupied by Bob's Body Shop.

## Red Arrow linksters struggle in final week of season

It wasn't the way Lowell coach Jack Ogle wanted his club to enter the league conference meet - with losses to Ionia, Northview and Forest Hills Central.

"It's the same problem we've had all year, no depth," Ogle reiterates.

"It leaves no room for your top guys to have a bad day. Everyone has the right to a bad day."

In a non-conference meet with Ionia at Deer Run, the Red Arrows were edged out by the Bulldogs, 177-178.

Lowell's team medalist was Chad Dunn, who carded a round of 40. Chris Elzinga followed him home with a 43. Chris Byrne came off the course with a 48 and Sean Smith was fourth with a 53.

Ionia handed in scores of 41, 42, 46 and 48. First and last names were not made available.

- FHC 168 Northview 175 Lowell 178 Forest Hills Central 46.

**GRATTAN TOWNSHIP NOTICE**  
**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS REGULAR MEETING**  
A Public Hearing of the Zoning Board of Appeals will be held at the Grattan Township Hall, 11676 Old Belding Rd., on:  
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at which time and place the following subject will be considered and any interested persons will be heard.  
1) Kimm E. Slater requests a variance to construct an addition to his house with less than the required set back. Section 3.07 & 7.03 (2). Parcel # 41-12-33-351-003, 3794 Murray Lake Rd. Lowell.  
Written comments concerning the request should be received by October 16, 1991 and addressed to Gerald W. Gurney, Secretary, Grattan Township Zoning Board of Appeals, 11676 Old Belding Rd., Belding, MI 48809.

## Legal Notices

**MORTGAGE SALE**  
WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by ROBERT CHAMPLIN and MARY LOU CHAMPLIN, husband and wife, of the City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, Mortgagees, to Central Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 19th day of January, A.D., 1987, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent and State of Michigan, on the 26th day of January, A.D., 1987 in Liber 2272 of Mortgages on Pages 18-21, 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 71, and

Property situated in the City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, to wit:  
Lot 3, Block 1, Barclay and Stevens addition to the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, except the north 15.00 feet thereof.

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: September 25, 1991.

AmeriHome Mortgage Corporation Assignee of Mortgage

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# Determined running and key 3rd down passing, lifts Zeeland passed Lowell in O-K White action, 22-7

Lowell shut down Zeeland's wing-t, however that didn't stop the Chix from going airborne.

Zeeland didn't pass much, but when it did, it proved costly to the visiting Red Arrows.

The Chix took advantage of a porous Lowell secondary as it posted a 22-7 win over Lowell at Zeeland Stadium before a wet and cold homecoming crowd Saturday afternoon.

Lowell hung tough through three quarters before Zeeland completed its biggest pass play of the afternoon. Lowell trailed 15-7 to start the final quarter. Zeeland had the ball third and 21 at the Lowell 44 when senior quarterback, Jeff Karger, completed a pass to running back, Paul Miller, coming free over the middle.

Miller was sprung free on the play by a Mike Meeuwesen block on a Lowell defensive back. With the aid of the block, Miller cruised down the left sideline for the Chix's third and final touchdown of the afternoon.

"I thought we did a good job of shutting down Zeeland's wing-t, but they were able to complete some big passes against us," said a subdued Lowell coach Phil Christensen. "On that big pass

play to start the fourth quarter, we had people where we wanted them, we just didn't make the play."

The loss dropped Lowell to its fourth consecutive defeat, following a season-opening win against Catholic Central. More importantly, all four losses have been to O-K White Conference foes. The Red Arrows are now 1-4 overall and 0-4 in the league.

Zeeland improved its record to 4-1 overall and 3-1 in the conference. "We believe if we win all of our remaining games we have a legitimate shot at making the playoffs," said an elated Zeeland coach, Stan Jesky.

The Chix coach was proud that his kids hung in there after falling behind 7-0 to Lowell. "The adverse weather conditions help set up Lowell's first-quarter score. It also help set up a couple of our scores. Our kids did not hang their heads"

Brian Stouten fumbled a Lowell punt halfway through the first quarter setting shop for Lowell at the Chix 28 yard-line. Four plays later, from the Zeeland 15, Jason Essex popped through the right side of the Zeeland line and scampered 15 yards for the game's first touchdown.

"We made some adjustments following the score and did a good job of shutting down an offense that can be



Lowell quarterback, Randy Crawford seeks shelter from his offensive line.



Crawford sets to air it out in second half action against the Chix. Lowell lost the contest 22-7.

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**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE**  
WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by JOSEPH L. JOHNSON, and JACQUELINE L. JOHNSON, his wife, of the City of Grand Rapids, County of Kent, State of Michigan, Mortgagees, to The Bradford Group, Inc., a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 26th day of October, A.D., 1989, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Kent and State of Michigan, on the 1st day of November, A.D., 1989 in Liber 2682 of Mortgages on Pages 987-991, which said mortgage was thereafter on, to wit: the 26th day of October, A.D., 1989, assigned to BENCHMARK MORTGAGE CORPORATION, a Michigan corporation, and said assignment was recorded on the 1st day of November, 1989 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Kent in Liber 2682 of Mortgages on Page 992, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage as of the date of this notice is the sum of THIRTY FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY AND 27/100 dollars (\$35,420.27), 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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### Runciman/Riverside Students-of-the-Month

Runciman/Riverside students selected as Students of the Month for September are front, left to right, Lisa Thomet, Patrick Miller, Sophia D'Agostino' back row, left to right, Michelle Wansten, Heather Reddy and Robby Smit. These youngsters have exhibited the wonderful qualities of being cooperative, enthusiastic, and hard workers. Congratulations to these fine youngsters and their very proud parents and teachers.

### Chadalee Farm purchase approved by City Council

As authorized by the City Council at its Sept. 3 meeting, bids were taken involving the sale of one-half acre, formerly Creekside Park property, north of Cherry Creek. Also an appraisal was undertaken by Bruce Boersma.

Wendell Christoff, president of Chadalee farms, pro-

posed to purchase the subject property for the appraised price plus appraisal costs.

Christoff's bid was the only one received.

The cost of the appraisal was \$500 and the property was appraised at \$6,500.

The Council thus approved

selling the property to Chadalee Farms for \$7,000. The money will be put in the City park fund and used solely for parks.

## City put its faith in Good Fence Inc.

A bid from Good Fence Inc. out of Wyoming was accepted by the Lowell City Council for installation of a fence between Stoney Lakeside Park and the Water Treatment Plant.

Good Fence Inc. bid of \$11,914 was the lowest of the

six bids received by the City. Other bids were received by Cedar Springs Fence Co. (\$11,993.94); K&L Fence Builders (\$12,152.27); Fence Consultants of West Michigan (\$12,840); Freedom Fencing (\$13,725); and Ace Hardware (\$16,916).

Along with the installation of the 1,000 lineal feet between the Park and the Plant, 385 lineal feet of fence will be placed in front of the plant property along with two gates. The fencing will provide an extra measure of security for

### Frosh football team trips up Zeeland

The Lowell Red Arrow Freshman football team improved its record to four wins, zero losses and one tie with a 20-14 victory over previously unbeaten Zeeland last Thursday afternoon at Burch field.

The Freshman offense compiled over 300 yards rushing and passing for the third time this season while holding Zeeland to 105 total yards. Zeeland scored its two touch-

downs through the air.

Freshman Head Coach, Dick Korb credits a total team effort for their success to date. "Our goals this year were to develop a team attitude, build character and learn the basic offensive and defensive sets that they will be playing for the next four years." Korb added, "We work hard each week on the basics of the game and stress the importance of

improving with each contest."

The Freshman travel to Sparta this Thursday and Wyoming Rogers Oct. 17, before returning home for their final two games of the year against Wyoming Park on Oct. 24 and Caledonia Oct. 31. All Freshman games are played on Thursday at 5 P.M. Korb's assistant coaches this year are Bill Ingraham and Pete Kemp.



Randy Crawford hands off to Brett Knoop in action against Zeeland on Saturday.

## Football continued

difficult to stop," Jesky said. The score stayed 7-0 until midway through the second quarter. Mike Gruppen capped off a Zeeland 83-yard drive in 10 plays with a six-yard touchdown run. A key play in the drive came on a third down and eight from the Lowell 48. Karger dropped back and

completed a nine-yard pass to Gruppen. Actually the pass was about six yards and Gruppen carried three Lowell defenders the extra three yards for the first down.

Lowell's John Saboo fumbled the ensuing kickoff and Zeeland's P.J. LaRose recovered at the Lowell 19-yard

line. Four plays later, Jeff Viening powered his way into the end zone from two yards out, giving Zeeland the lead at 13-7.

The Chix tacked on two more points when a snap got by Lowell punter, Chris Miedema, and rolled into the end zone where he was tackled for a safety.

"Viening ran real tough," Jesky said. "He was a very determined runner today."

Lowell was hurt by Viening's brute strength running style and was hindered by the absence of six starters.

The Red Arrows will attempt to recover at Friday night's homecoming against Sparta. Sparta is coming off a surprising 20-14 win over Wyoming Park.

### NOTICE

As of September 23rd, 1991, residents of the City of Lowell will have a new Animal Control officer. John Erickson has retired from that position. The new Animal Control Officer will be Ken Hall Jr. He can be reached at 897-9121. In the event that he cannot be reached, call the Lowell Police Department at 897-7123.

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## Runciman students learn of community services

If loving Lowell is wrong, than Mrs. Ann Schaaf's Runciman Elementary first-grade class doesn't want to be right.

Schaaf, with the help of Lowell Police officer, Pete Douse; Lowell Fire Chief, Frank Martin; and Supervisor of Postal Operations, Pat Fonger, showed her first-grade class how the community gives back some of that love through services and protection it provides. This was all done as part of a "Loving Lowell" series, the first graders of Schaaf's class took part in.

While at the police station, Douse showed the children how he radios for assistance, the usage of safety flares and

fingerprinting and arresting procedures.

At the Look Memorial Fire Station, Schaaf's class got a first-hand look at the equipment used during an emergency by the Lowell Area Fire Department. Martin stressed the importance of boating safety. "It's important that kids remember to wear their life jackets," he said.

Fonger shared with students the process used to get their letters from Lowell to their friend or relative in another town.

"It was wonderful and the students had a great time," Schaaf said. "I'm very appreciative of the cooperation provided to us by Douse, Martin

and Fonger. They were all very good with the children."

Schaaf, who is in her first year at Lowell Schools, spent 14 years in the Grand Rapids School system prior to coming to Lowell.

"I don't think there is any doubt the kids have better retention when they are experiencing what is being talked about," she said.

Schaaf hopes to help students become more aware with recycling. "With the recycling bins at Food City, I thought it might be interesting for the students to bring in items and then have them go through the process of taking items to the dropoff point and placing them in the correct bins," Schaaf said.



Could there possibly be two Lowell Fire Chiefs? Chief Frank Martin takes time out to garb student, Paul Mochmer, with Lowell's official firefighters equipment.

### Area Births

George and Nancy Currier of Colbran, CO are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Joshua Aaron, born September 22, 1991. Joshua weighed in at 9 lbs. and was 20 5/8 inches long.

He was welcomed home by his big sister Emily. Grandparents are Jeanne Shores of Lowell and Carleton and Joy Currier of Colbran. Great-grandparents are Gerald and Florence Staal of Lowell.

Announcing the birth of their son, Ryan James, are Jeffrey Sr. and Lisa Wolfe of Lowell. Ryan arrived on Oc-

tober 4, 1991 weighing 8 lbs. 8 oz. and was 20 1/2 inches long. Also welcoming Ryan home is his brother, Jeffrey Jr. Grandparents are Jack and Fran Ryan of Lowell, Sandra Lancaster of Hastings and her fiancée, Don Tofiva and Roger and Yvonne Wolfe of Sarasota, FL. Great grandmothers are Gladys Ryan of Lowell, Betty Lancaster of Hastings, Maxine Hawkins of Hastings and great-grandparents Martin and Treva Johnson of Lowell.

### OFF THE BLOTTER

Lowell police officers investigated 16 accident complaints in the month of September. Four of which incurred injuries.

Kurtis Volkens, 20, of Kentwood was involved in a property damage accident Oct. 4, when he drove a truck under the canopy of Crystal Flash Service Station on West Main and struck it.

Deborah Gage, 40, of Lowell was involved in a property damage accident Oct. 5, when her car was struck from behind by a pick-up truck driven by Kimberly Perkins, 22, of Lowell in the drive to McDonald's restaurant.

A car owned by Linda Phillips of Lowell was struck by a hit and run driver Oct. 1 while parked in the Family Fare parking lot on West Main.

Arrested and charged for driving under the influence of alcohol, on Oct. 7, was Scott Beak, 31, of Grand Rapids.

James Loomis, 33, of Riverdale, MI, was taken to the Kent County Jail for driving under the influence of alcohol on Oct. 4. Loomis was also wanted on a bench warrant out of Gratiot County for contempt of court.

William Brown, 28, of Lowell was arrested for assault Oct. 6.

Lonnie Raney, 28, of Muir was arrested by Lowell officers Oct. 1 for driving under the influence of alcohol, second offense.

Leon McKay, 24, of Lowell was issued an appearance ticket to 63rd District Court for disorderly conduct, i.e. fighting, on Oct. 2.

Marc Denman, 17, and Ronald Pastor, 18, both of Lowell were cited to appear before the 63rd District Court for minors in possession of alcohol by Lowell police on Oct. 4.

Edward Roth III of Lowell lost control of the car he was driving and struck a light pole in the fairgrounds Oct. 5. No one was injured.

Arrested on a warrant issued by an Ionia County Court was Joseph Yurkinas, 31, of Lowell on Oct. 1.

Arrested and taken to the Kent County Jail on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol, third offense and driving while license suspended, second offense, was Mark Osburn Jr., 32, of Lowell by Lowell officers, Sept. 30.

### City continued

the plant and wells. Lowell City Manager Dave Pasquale said this is particularly important with the impending opening of the new park.

The cost for the project will be allocated to the Water Fund (\$8,544) and the Lee Fund (\$3,370).

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WEDNESDAY: Chicken nuggets or Swiss steak, mashed potatoes and gravy or rice, buttered green beans, wheat rolls with peanut butter, chilled fruits or pudding, milk.

THURSDAY: Tacos with meat, cheese and lettuce, Johnny cake with honey or syrup, salad or vegetables, choice of fresh or canned fruit, milk.

FRIDAY: Grilled cheese sandwiches, baked beans/tomato soup/or salad, assorted fruit, cookie bar, milk.

There is also a 3rd choice everyday of a Chef Salad for students in the Middle and High Schools. Weekly Prepaid Lunches Welcome

# Lombardo sign variance request granted by City

A sign variance request by Sam Lombardo, owner of Sam's Service Center, was approved by the Lowell City Council.

At its Sept. 23 meeting, the City Planning Commission reviewed the variance request with Lombardo and then made the following recommendations to the Lowell City Council before approval.

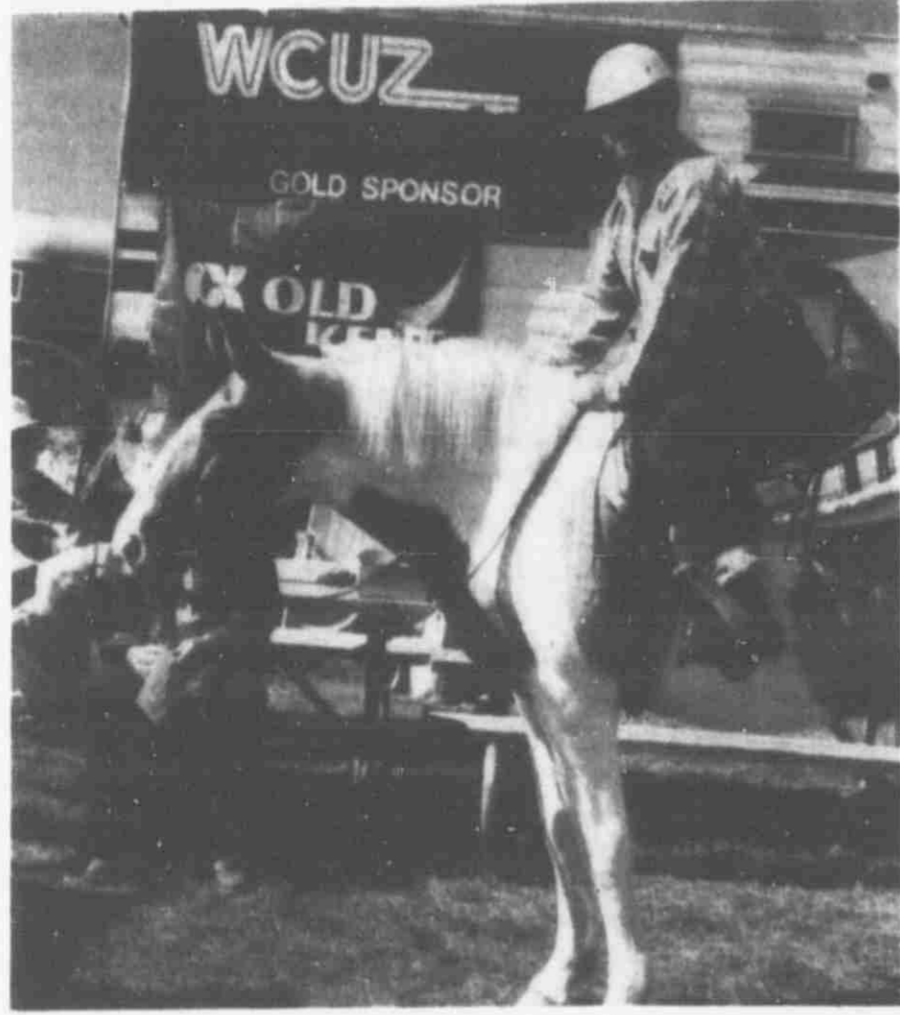
For the west building - remove the 96 square foot sign on the east side, leaving 192 square feet for the recom-

mended amount. Further, two signs in the rear would be removed with one identification sign remaining.

For the east building - the one new sign on this structure's east side would be removed with the six existing signs remaining.

Lombardo proposed 12 King Louis XVI popularized the cultivation of potatoes in France by wearing potato flowers in his button-hole.

Following the Planning Commission's recommendation, the Council approved the variance.



David Putnam rides "Chief," owned by Gail Roderick, at the 1991 KSRP Ride-a-Thon.

# Scott, KSRP high pledge winner

The 13th annual Kent Special Riding Program Benefit Ride-A-Thon raised \$24,700 at the Ionia State Recreation Area on Saturday, Sept. 28.

The event attracted 298 riders, 26 more than a year ago. However, the funds raised fell short of the 1990 total, \$25,500.

This year's ride-a-thon was sponsored by Old Kent Bank and Trust, radio station WCUZ, Gannett Outdoor, Gilson Press, and numerous other area businesses.

The high pledge winner this year was Sandy Scott of Lowell, who brought in \$1,272 in pledges.

Rhonda Lang, of Saranac, won the grand prize drawing for a round trip for two to the Cheyenne Rodeo Days in Cheyenne, WY. Lang has participated in the ride-a-thon for seven years and raised \$430 this year.

The Kent Special Riding Program is the 4-H horseback riding for the handicapped program in Kent County. KSRP serves physically, mentally, and emotionally impaired riders of all ages. The program holds three six-week sessions each spring, summer and fall. KSRP was started in 1976 and to date has served over 3,000 riders.

The Annual Benefit Ride-A-Thon is the major fundraising event for KSRP. The money raised will be used to cover operating expenses and allow KSRP to obtain new equipment and expand their facilities and operations.

# China continued

while working at the Center over the past year. "I had plenty of time for sight-seeing. You were able to go almost anywhere."

The City of Beijing reminded her of Chicago in the way it was spread out.

Toward the end of her stay in China, Stinchcomb traveled to Moscow. She arrived the night of the coup in Moscow at the In Tourist Hotel.

"I was sitting in the hotel lounge with some young Englishmen, when a young man rushed in and said 'Gorby (Gorbachev) has been arrested.'" Wanda explained. "Later, I was in a taxi on my way to Hotel Russia when the taxi slowed and then stopped for 12 tanks that went by us at full speed."

Stinchcomb was amazed at the amount of traveling people were doing within the Soviet Union at that time. "Basically people went where officials would allow them to go," she explains.

Stinchcomb said she'd like to return to China and Moscow someday. She was asked to stay on at the center for another year, but with family back home and after what happened in Russia, the Chinese government was getting even more strict, according to Wanda.

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**THANK YOU Showboat Garden Club** members for your help with the Fallburg Festival. Dolores Gabriorn

**WE WISH TO THANK** all our friends, neighbors and relatives for the many acts of kindness shown us at the passing of our dear mother, grandmother and great-great-grandmother. A special thanks to Rev. Bill Amundsen, Drs. McKay and Gerard, the Gerst staff and the nursing staff at Lowell Medical. God bless you all. The Family of Elizabeth Ford

**I WOULD LIKE TO THANK** my relatives and dear, dear friends for the many cards, gifts and notes of memorabilia on my surprise 80th birthday party. A special thanks to my daughter Jean; son and wife Tony and Carol; grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Also Marilyn McClure, Daughters Misty and April, Ron and Rose Nead for their help and Margaret Green for the excellent video of the party. Your thoughtfulness will be with me forever. Cora Stormzand

Deeply missed and loved by son, Randy.

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**RUESINK** - In loving memory of my father Robert who passed away one year ago today, October 8, 1990.

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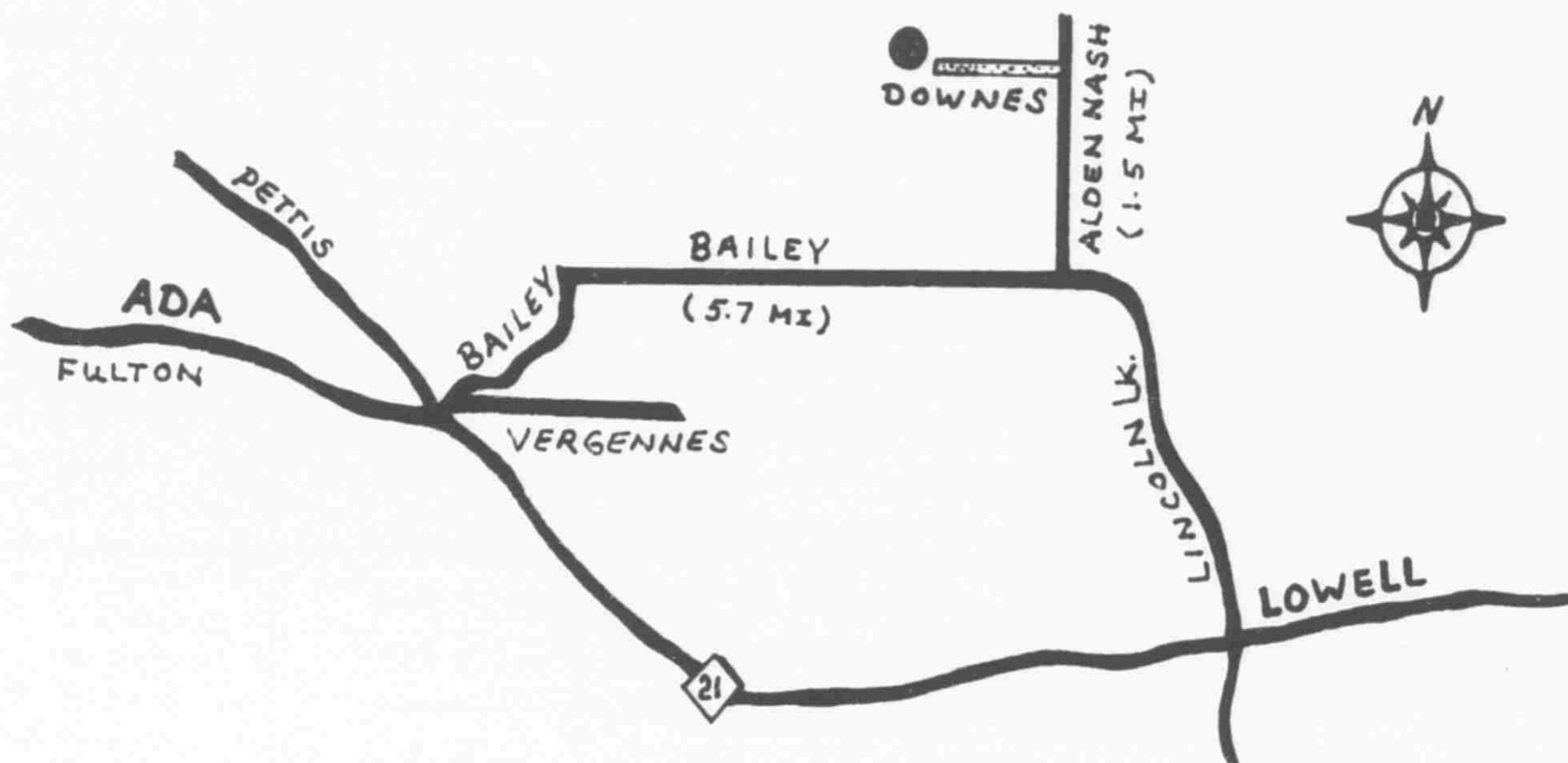
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