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\$1,300 was raised by the White's Bridge Association for the preservation of White's Bridge during a four-day stretch.



LITTLE LEAGUE BOARD MEETING

There will be a Little League board meeting Thursday, Jan. 9 at the Lowell High School at 7 p.m. Come and join us in planning the '92 season.

CORRECTION FOR YMCA AEROBICS CLASS

The YMCA Step Aerobics class is being offered on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Bushnell School. NOT on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday as stated in the YMCA Winter brochure. Please note the correct days.

KENT COUNTY LIBRARY STORY TIMES

Kent County Library System offers a series of monthly story times for pre-schoolers, suggested age 3 1/2 to five. Registration is necessary.

For more information, call your local branch, Lowell, 897-9596 or Alto, 868-6038.

LOWELL AREA FIRE DEPARTMENT FORMING EXPLORERS POST

The Lowell Area Fire Department is now forming a Explorers Post for anyone interested in learning about the fire service. You must be at least 14 years of age and have completed the eighth grade or be 15 years old and not yet 21.

There will be a sign-up meeting at the Lowell Area Fire Station, 315 South Hudson St. on Thursday, Jan. 23, at 7 p.m.

A parent must come to meeting.

For more information call Tom, 897-7607 weekdays between 3 and 7 p.m.

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One-acre parcel deeded over to Department of Natural Resources

Canoe access and small parking lot in DNR's plans

A small one acre parcel of land that the City of Lowell had intended to sell to a patron back in 1970 was deeded over to the DNR provided some stipulations are met.

In a letter to the City, the Department of Natural Resources mentioned its interest in acquiring the property for a canoe access to the Flat River and a small parking lot for cars.

The restrictions included that the DNR not sell the property without the Council's approval and that it be sensitive to those that neighbor the land.

Ionia County Road Commission's Gordon Scheid, Superintendent-Manager, sent a letter expressing interest in the land donation for an off-street parking area and a truck turn-around area.

Tom Rittersdorf, 1950 Whites Bridge Rd., who lives across the road from the property, said he was against a park-public access.

"There is already a lot of traffic in this area which keeps me up," Rittersdorf said. "A park or parking access would only add to the traffic and increase the number of disposed beer and pop bottles. I believe a park would only

worsen the situation."

Scheid said the Commission would defer to the DNR for a canoe landing.

Victor D. Leabu, vice president of White's Bridge Hydro Co., reiterated the reason for the interest in the parcel of land is that it relates to the refurbishing of the covered White's Bridge.

The parcel of land is unbuildable according to Leabu, because part of it is in the flood plain and their is also a setback requirement of 100 feet by the Natural Rivers Act.

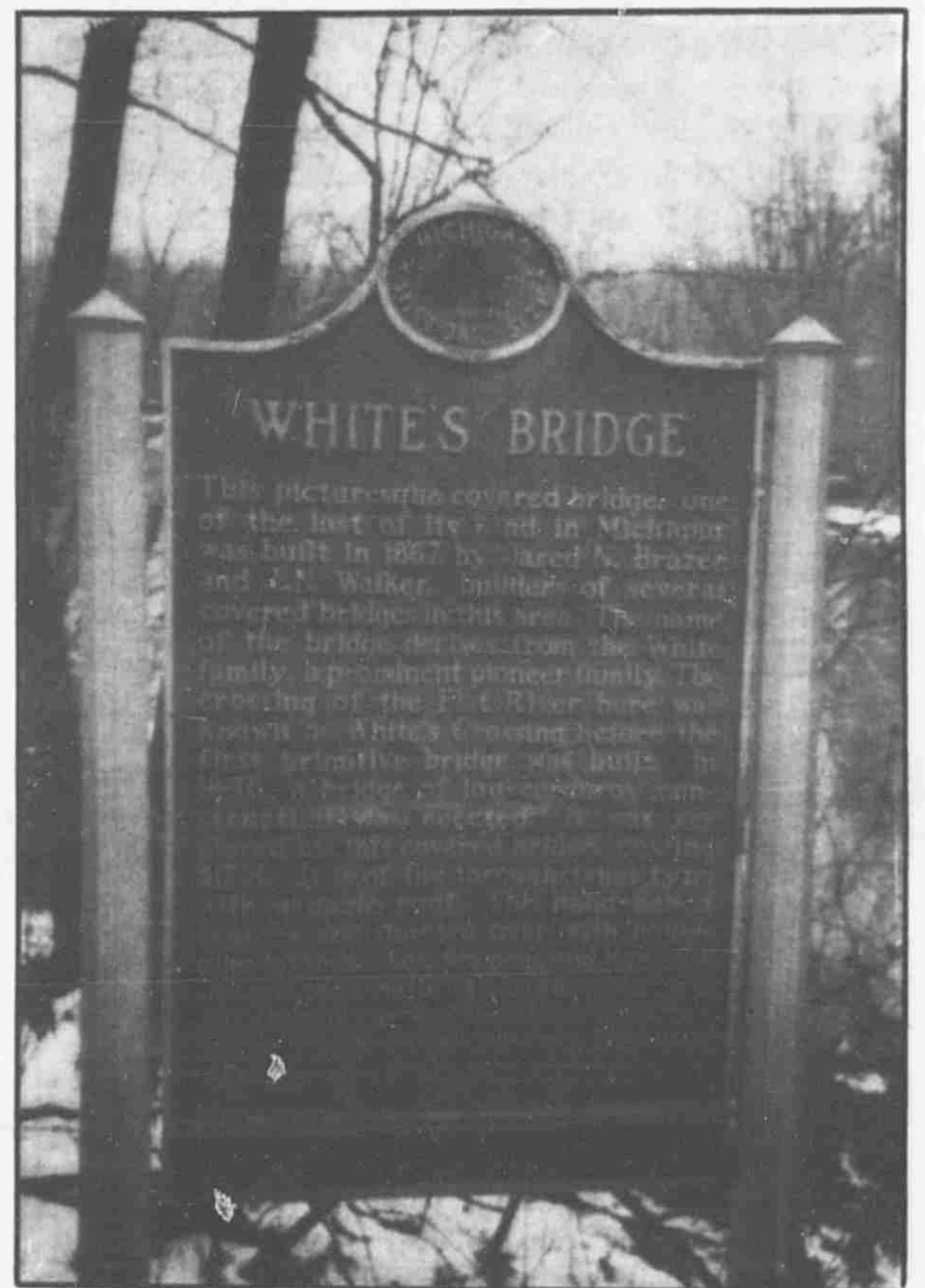
Leabu's father and Victor own the hydro electric dam near White's Bridge, which belonged to the City of Lowell from 1896 to 1970.

Research uncovered that a small piece of land at the northwest corner of the covered bridge on the Flat River was still owned by the City. It was purchased by the City in 1916 for \$50.

Leabu stated the property was intended to be transferred years ago, but wasn't. "Both the County and the DNR have joint interest and would be willing to work together," Leabu said.

The Council recommended that the DNR talk to Rittersdorf and hear his con-

cerns and that it be sensitive to the maintenance questions.



White's Bridge received a new shingled roof before the holidays.



Roger LaWarre fills up the bookcase in his new office at the Lowell First Congregational Church of Lowell.

LaWarre starts fresh, eager to develop worship life in The First Congregational Church

Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska and Kansas - Roger LaWarre received inquiries from Congregational Churches located in all eight of those states when he announced his interest in leaving St. Paul's Good-Shepherd Church in Park Forest, IL for the First Congregational Church of Lowell.

"I had been at St. Paul's Good-Shepherd quite a while, and I decided if I was to work to build another church in another community, now was the time, while I still had the energy," LaWarre said. "We left many good friends and nice people in Park Forest. My wife, Diane, and I like Michigan and were won over by the people we met here in Lowell during the interview

process. Everybody has been very warm and friendly toward us."

LaWarre's wish to move on to another church was circulated through the United Church of Christ bulletin.

LaWarre started his ministry in Allentown, PA. He worked in the youth ministry with people that had drug and alcohol problems and with runaways. "I was there five years. Because of my concern, I worked closely with runaways," LaWarre said. "I started the organization called Touch."

Following his five years in Allentown, LaWarre spent five years working for the Council of the United Protestant Churches as the head of

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Obituaries

BUTLER (HOWARD) - Mrs. Carol Butler, aged 56, of Walker, passed away Tuesday, December 31, 1991. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank and her daughter, Patricia DuBicke. She is survived by her children, Debra and Randal Rosloniec of Rockford, Susan and Casey Verburg of Grandville, Kathie and Randy Ruesink of Lowell, and Gerald Dubicke of Walker; his stepchildren, Frank and Debbie Butler of Grand Rapids, Mike Butler of Ionia; 11 grandchildren; her sister, Linda Dine of Wyoming; brothers and sisters-in-law; nieces and nephews; her uncle, Robert Howard. Funeral Services were held Saturday at the DeGraaf Funeral Home, with Fr. Najdowski officiating. Interment Resurrection Cemetery. The family suggests donations to the American Cancer Society.

DEVRIES - Ethel M. DeVries, aged 75, of Lowell, died January 4, 1992. She is survived by her children, John DeVries, Joyce (Bill) Venneman, all of Grand Rapids, Janice (Ron) Holthrop of Grandville, James (Michelle) DeVries of Kentwood, Henry (Evelyn) DeVries of Cascade, Julie (Dave) Spaanstra of Wyoming; brother, Clarence (Darlene) Timmer of Indiana; sister, Ann (Philo) Sidnam of Battle Creek; 14 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren. Funeral Services were held Tuesday at O'Brien-Eggebeen-Gerst Chapel, Dr. Douglas Fauble of Ada Christian Reformed Church officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Ada Christian School.

COLSON - John E. Colson, aged 56, of Lowell, died December 30, 1991. Survived by his wife, Rose; daughters, Cindy (Rodney) Lee of Grand Rapids, Jeanette (Kurt) Solomon of Belmont; stepchildren, Peggy (Frank) Williams of Sheridan, MI, Mary

HEEMSTRA - Jane Heemstra, aged 53, of Lowell, died Saturday, January 3, 1992. She is survived by her husband, Wendell; her children, Pamela (Matt) Kinnucan, Sandra (Jeff) Ross, Randall (Molly) Heemstra; three granddaughters, Meghan and Hannah Ross, Lauren Heemstra; her mother, Laura Smith of Lowell; brother, Lyle (Sherri) Wright of Grand Rapids. Funeral Services were Tuesday at Calvary Christian Reformed Church, Lowell, Rev. Carl J. Reitsma officiating. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Bethany Christian Home.

KAREL - Mr. Peter Karel, aged 91, passed away Wednesday evening, January 1, 1992 at Porter Hills Presbyterian Village. He was preceded in death by his wife, Evelyn; and brother Leon. Surviving are his children, Iris and Dene Allen, of Wyoming; sister, Ann (Philo) Sidnam of Battle Creek; 14 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren. Funeral Services were held Tuesday at O'Brien-Eggebeen-Gerst Chapel, Dr. Douglas Fauble of Ada Christian Reformed Church officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Greater Grand Rapids.

MENDEZ - John E. Mendez, aged 64, of Alto, died unexpectedly Sunday, January 5, 1992. He was preceded in death by his son Patrick. He is survived by his wife Frances; his children Dan and Judy Mendez; Mary Buche; Tom and Katie Mendez all of Alto; Robert Mendez of Ionia; and Melisa Mendez of CA; a brother Albert Mendez; a sister Mary Pulido both of Chicago and 11 grandchildren. Funeral services will be

Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Roth-Gerst Chapel, Lowell. Interment Merriman Cemetery. The family will meet friends Wednesday 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

MULDER - Mrs. Dorothy G. (Briggs) Mulder, aged 69, of Kentwood, went to be with her Lord, Sunday, December 29, 1991. Surviving are her

husband, Irving; her children, Judith (Briggs) and Lynn Jehly of Milwaukee, WI, Joan (Briggs) and Cameron Hoffman of Lowell, James Briggs Jr. of Alexandria, VA, Pamela (Briggs) and Norris Carstensen of Belding; a stepson, Donald S. Mulder of Alaska; 12 grandchildren; her brother and sisters, Chalmer and Mae Miller of Freeport,

Maxine Starbard of Hastings, Thessa and Fred Sawdy of Wyoming. Funeral Services were held Thursday at the Stroh Funeral Chapel. Rev. Mark J. Bergsma officiating. Interment Oakwood Cemetery, Lowell. Memorial contributions to Hospice of Greater Grand Rapids or to Unity Reformed Church.



Council re-elects Mayor Maatman

Lowell's City Council elected James Maatman, middle, to serve another two years as mayor. Maatman has served the past six years as Lowell's mayor. Don Green, left, was sworn in as the new Lowell Councilman, replacing Charlie Doyle. Jack Fonger was elected Mayor Pro Tem, replacing Doyle. He has served as a councilman for 12 years. He served as a trustee for eight years, (1953 - 1960).

Youths offered Career Exploring program

The Lowell Area Fire Department's Explorer Post is inviting the youth of area schools to join and participate in the commencement of the Career Exploring Program. The first meeting of the Career Exploring Program is scheduled for Jan. 23 at 7 p.m. at the Look Memorial Fire Station located at 315 S. Hudson St.

The purpose of the program is to give interested youth the best information the program can about careers in volunteer fire fighting through tours, guest speakers, discussions and projects. The group will meet three times a month throughout the year with qualified, successful men and women. Parents or legal guardians are asked to attend the first meeting with their child.

Registration for the Exploring Program is \$7 per person and should be brought to the meeting to expedite enrollment. "The youths' futures are the best reasons to look into the different careers now," said Kelly Holst, committee chairman of the Lowell Area Volunteer Fire Department.

Lowell City Council Proceedings

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOWELL

For the Regular Meeting of MONDAY, DECEMBER 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 FONGER and seconded by DOYLE that the minutes of the December 2, 1991 meeting be approved as written.
YEA: 5.
NAY: 0.
ABSENT: 0.
MOTION CARRIED.

IT WAS MOVED BY FONGER and seconded by HODGES that the minutes of the November 18, 1991 closed session meeting be approved as written.
YEA: 5.
NAY: 0.
ABSENT: 0.
MOTION CARRIED.

IT WAS MOVED BY THOMPSON and seconded by DOYLE 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 (DEC. 16, 1991)

GENERAL FUND	\$ 63,375.94
MAJOR STREET FUND	45,908.77
LOCAL STREET FUND	72.40
SEWER FUND	128.96
WATER FUND	53,465.20
EQUIPMENT FUND	3,176.88
AIRPORT FUND	497.13
DATA PROCESSING FUND	16.06
CURRENT TAX FUND	29,741.10
LEE FUND	465.17
LOOK MEMORIAL FUND	60,000.00

Item #1. REQUEST TO ESTABLISH AN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT - CHADALEE FARMS, INC., - PUBLIC HEARING. Chadalee Farms, Inc. has proposed to develop the recently acquired .56 acre parcel from the City for industrial expansion. With the property now zoned industrial, the firm had petitioned to establish an Industrial Development District for tax abatement under Public Act 198. Chadalee Farms has chosen to include the added parcel to its current Industrial development district forming a single tract of 9.93 acres. No comments were received.

IT WAS MOVED BY DOYLE and seconded by FONGER to approve Chadalee Farms, Inc., request to establish an Industrial Development District for their 9.93 acres at 1400 Foreman Road.
YEA: 5.
NAY: 0.
ABSENT: 0.
MOTION CARRIED.

Item #2. ORDINANCE AMENDING BIDDING AND PURCHASING PROCEDURES - PUBLIC HEARING. City Manager Pasquale said that there has been a conflict between the bidding procedures policy and the bidding and purchasing procedures ordinance for purchases under \$5000. Under the City Council policy, purchases over \$2000 require Council approval. But in the present ordinance, purchases under \$5000 may be made with only City Manager approval and no competitive bids. The ordinance has been changed to match the policy in terms of dollar limits and authorizations.

No comments were received.

IT WAS MOVED BY THOMPSON and seconded by FONGER to approve the bidding and purchasing ordinance amendment to coincide with the purchasing policy.
YEA: 5.

NAY: 0.
ABSENT: 0.
MOTION CARRIED.

Item #3. PROGRESS PAYMENT AND CHANGE ORDER APPROVAL - STREET IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT. The street improvements project on Kent, S. Monroe, Avery and Lafayette has been substantially completed. But because of winter, the asphalt (including the cemetery road), regrading and some clean up work remain. The Council considered approval of a progress payment in the amount of \$40,613 as well as a change order. Approximately twenty items were listed on the change order. The major work involved added roto milling on Avery Street to provide a better road contour. The change order amounted to a net increase of \$6,494.99. The contractor also had requested an extension of the contract to June 1, 1992. City Manager Pasquale believed it would be more appropriate to grant such an extension to May 1, 1992 so that the cemetery road would be finished by Memorial Day. It is anticipated that the contractor needs one week to complete the project.

Councilmember Thompson asked if the bonding would cover through the extended completion date. City Manager Pasquale answered that yes, the bonding would be extended and mentioned that there would be no additional cost. Councilmember Fonger asked who would be responsible for maintaining the roads between now and May 1, 1992. City Manager Pasquale said that the City would be responsible for maintaining the roads but the contractor would have to do some regrading in the Spring before the road could be asphalted.

IT WAS MOVED BY THOMPSON and seconded by HODGES to approve the progress payment of \$40,613.00, the change order items for the amount increase of \$6,494.99 and the extended completion date of May 1, 1992 regarding the streets improvement project.
YEA: 5.
NAY: 0.
ABSENT: 0.
MOTION CARRIED.

Item #4. REPORT FROM THE LOCAL OFFICERS COMPENSATION COMMISSION. City Manager Pasquale mentioned that on December 11, the Local Officers Compensation Commission held their bi-annual meeting to consider salary adjustment for the Mayor and the City Councilmembers. The Commission decided to increase the compensation for the Mayor from \$25 to \$30 a meeting and to a maximum of \$600 to \$720 per year. The Councilmembers would be raised from \$20 to \$25 a meeting and to a maximum of \$500 to \$625 per year. Under Section 2-25 of the Code of Ordinances, these become final unless within thirty (30) days the City Council votes to reject it by a two thirds majority.

Item #5. KENT INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT - COLLECTIONS OF SUMMER TAXES FOR 1992. As with the Lowell Area Schools, the Kent Intermediate School District had requested that the City collect the district's summer property taxes. As part of a continuing resolution, the City collects the KISD's property taxes at no fee but is able to keep the interest earned during the bank deposit before distributing these monies to the KISD.

IT WAS MOVED BY FONGER and seconded by THOMPSON to approve the resolution to collect the Kent Intermediate School District summer taxes for 1992.
YEA: 5.
NAY: 0.
ABSENT: 0.
MOTION CARRIED.

Item #6. APPROVAL OF 1992 CITY COUNCIL MEETING DATES. The Council reviewed the proposed list of 1992 meeting dates. As established, the first and third Mondays have been scheduled each month for meetings. When holidays occur on Monday, the meeting would be set for Tuesday.

IT WAS MOVED BY HODGES and seconded by FONGER to approve the 1992 City Council meeting dates as proposed.
YEA: 5.
NAY: 0.
ABSENT: 0.
MOTION CARRIED.

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

Item #8. CITIZENS COMMENTS. Judy Harrison, Kent County Commissioner, was present to extend greetings from Kent County and expressed her best wishes to Councilmember Doyle on his retirement from the Council.

Item #9. COUNCIL COMMENTS. Councilmember Fonger asked that the City consider placing a cable or a barrier of some sort across the boat ramp at the end of Avery during the winter months.

Councilmember Doyle questioned why a trailer was located in Recreation Park. It was mentioned by the staff that space was being rented at the park on a weekly basis.

Councilmember Hodges said that the Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce should be recognized for the December 7, 1991 Christmas parade that the Chamber organized.

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

1. City Hall and non emergency services will be closed on Tuesday, December 24, Wednesday, December 25 and Wednesday, January 1 for the holidays.
2. Congratulations were given to Sgt. Al Eckman and Police Officer Mike Martin on their graduation from Police Command School. Sponsored through the Northwestern University Traffic Institute, this program is considered one of the best in the country.
3. Copy of the October 1991 Light and Power and Cable TV minutes were provided to the Councilmembers.
4. Duke Thomet stated that he will be resigning from the Planning Commission.
5. A letter from Mothers Against Drunk Driving was enclosed asking for Council endorsement of the 1991 Tie One On For Safety campaign.

IT WAS MOVED BY HODGES and seconded by FONGER to approve the resolution supporting the 1991 MADD "Tie One On For Safety" campaign.
YEA: 5.
NAY: 0.

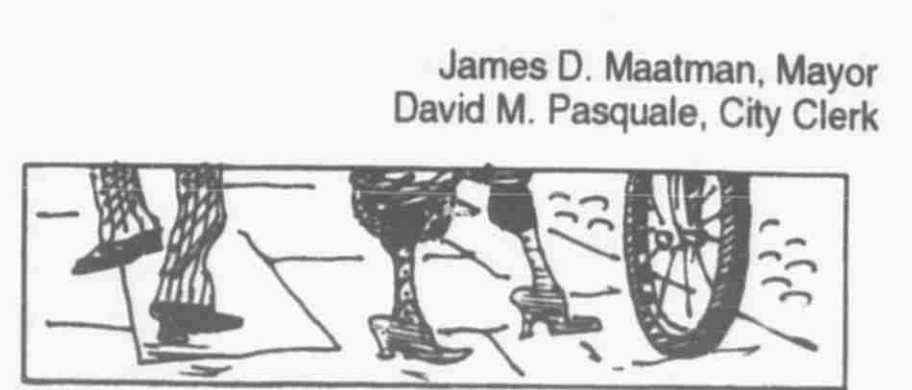
Item #11. APPOINTMENTS. Mayor Maatman stated that he has received a letter from Councilmember Hodges giving his resignation from the Parks and Recreation Commission. With Parks Commissioner Don Green being recently elected to the Council, Councilmember Hodges said there should not be two Councilmembers on the same Commission. He hoped to be considered for another position.

Mayor Maatman, on behalf of the Council, thanked Councilmember Hodges for his work on the Park and Recreation Commission. Mayor Maatman also mentioned that Councilmember Hodges has recommended Nancy Anderson (725 Lincoln Lake) be appointed to the vacant seat on the Parks and Recreation Commission. Mayor Maatman appointed Nancy Anderson (725 Lincoln Lake) to complete Don Green's term on the Parks and Recreation Commission. Green will assume the Council representative seat on the Commission.

Item #12. OTHER BUSINESS. Mayor Maatman presented Councilmember Doyle with a plaque for his nine years of service (1958-60, 1965-66 and 1986-91) to the Village and City of Lowell. Police Chief Emmons also gave Councilmember Doyle a gold badge in appreciation for all his work on the Council. Councilmember Doyle thanked the City and briefly commented on his experiences and challenges he foresees the City will encounter.

IT WAS MOVED BY DOYLE to adjourn at 7:57 p.m.
DATE APPROVED: January 6, 1992

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



The first noticeable tendency to shorten women's skirts came in bicycling costumes back in 1895. Skirts were shortened an inch or two from the ankle and the hems weighted with lead.

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Vows Spoken



Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Dirkmaat

William and Beverly Covell of Lowell are pleased to announce the marriage of their daughter, Holly Joy to John Henry Dirkmaat.

The wedding took place at West Leonard Christian Reformed Church in Grand Rapids on October 26, 1991.

The groom's parents are Henry and JoAnn Dirkmaat of Grand Rapids.

The maid of honor was Sharmayne Althaus, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Samantha Mabie, cousin of the bride and Judy Dirkmaat, sister of the groom. Best man was William Dirkmaat, brother of the groom. The groomsmen were Steven Covell, brother of the bride and Kurt Drost, friend of the groom.

Virtue is not left to stand alone. He who practices it will have neighbors.

—Confucius



Homespun Devotions

By Pauline Spray

Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you (1 Peter 5:7).

If I've heard my mother say, "Straighten up, Pauline!" once, I've heard her say it dozens of times. When I was a child at home, I was a constant worry to her because of my bad posture.

There is another reason why people are "stoop-shouldered." King Solomon said very wisely that heaviness in the heart of man maketh it to stoop.

Many people are troubled with heavy hearts. But they are carrying burdens which they need not carry. Jesus has bidden us to cast our worries,

our griefs, our troubles, and our cares upon Him. To those who labor and are heavy laden, He has promised rest. He has promised comfort to those who mourn. If we but wholly trust Him He can release us of our loads and give us joy and peace.

Does heaviness of heart cause you, fellow Christian, to bend beneath your load? If so, straighten up! Cast the weight you are carrying upon Him. You need not have "stooped shoulders."

Prayer: My Father which art in heaven, Thou hast bidden me to come boldly to the

throne of grace and cast all my cares upon Thee. I thank Thee because Thou carest enough for me to lift my burden and carry my load. Just now I take Thee at Thy Word, surrender my troubles to Thee, and accept Thy peace and joy. Amen.

Holy Ghost, with light divine,
Shine upon this heart of mine;
Chase the shades of night away;
Turn my darkness into day.

ANDREW REED

Happy Birthday

Jan. 2: Tim Arnold, Norma Gochenour, Jeff Dykhuizen, Rose Nead, Allison Crandall, Allison Heykoop.

Jan. 3: Tammy Allchin, Jon Vezino, Austin VandenHout, Alex Carpenter, Agnes Kent.

Jan. 4: Bryan Kimble, Orville Hostler, Nita Baker, Nicki Turner.

Jan. 5: Ronald Kryger, Carol Baker, Ryan Sauber, Craig Carpenter, Jim Inman.

Jan. 6: Brandon Triplett, Scott Chambers, Don Green, George Johnson, Pamm Shaffer, Doug Lindout.

Jan. 7: Brandon McCabe, Amy Alderink, Bonny Bishop, Bob Leyman, Beckie Seese, Grace Peters, Jean Nugent, Kim Griffioen, Elena Richmond.

Jan. 8: Omar Stahl, Ron Stanford, Helena Rose Gustavino.

Jan. 9: Katie Alderink, Paul Blattner, Dan MacDonald, Al Groenke, Gerald Mullen, Forrest Bowden.

Jan. 10: Cecil Gochenour, Eric Claypool, Mary Jo Vezino.

Jan. 11: Cindy Dumas, Renee Ellison, Laura Wierckz, Marion Guastavino.

Jan. 12: Debbie Biggs, Judy Ellison, Stewart Sauber, Rick Stegehuis, Mike Kathan, Rick Castro, Michael Vezino, Marie Rickert.

Jan. 13: Stephen Rutherford, Todd Burkett, Chris Wright, Doug Arnold, Debbie Kelley, Jonathan Dombak.

Jan. 14: Angie Nowak, Kristen Stouffer, Mike Kooistra.

Jan. 15: William Bower, Don Hicks, Rick Meisner, Jon Griffioen.

youth ministry for four churches. He has spent the last 11-1/2 years as pastor for St. Paul's Good-Shepherd Church.

"When I first started, St. Paul's was debating whether it was viable to remain open or if it should close its doors," he said. "It decided to stay open and hired me to help build its congregation."

La Warre, who had already set the dye in Park Forest, looks forward to starting fresh in Lowell and developing the worship life of the First Congregational Church, 404 N. Hudson, of Lowell.

Area Births

A baby girl was born December 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nysted and named Melissa Elizabeth. She weighed 8 lbs. 8 oz. and was 21 inches long.

Mrs. Nysted was the former Carol Peckham,

daughter of Dick and Mary Peckham of Lakeland, FL.

Viewpoint



Cozy Corner by Roger Brown

We arrived home from our holiday vacation to a rather interesting development. As we were unpacking the van on Sunday afternoon, Thad Kraus pulled up and gave my daughter a package that had been dropped off for her at the Ledger office. Something quite heavy was wrapped in newspaper and placed in a grocery bag with a note stapled to it. Kraus knew what it was and wore a "wait 'til ya see this" grin on his face. My daughter read the note and handled the package with about the same enthusiasm a bomb squad would when dealing with a ticking box at a bus station.

The note read: "Ms. Brown, My nine-year-old daughter Bethany, fished this out of the creek in the ravine behind our house today. I called your house and made arrangements with

Thad's Thoughts

The Michigan Educational Assessment Program is just one tool used to measure the educational progress of students.

It also happens to be the most highly publicized tool used. The results from the test are probably the most controversial. Each year schools warn that it is not fair to compare scores with the previous year or with other school districts. Each year in the newspapers, the results are printed and scores are compared.

Schools scream, parents compare and then scream. I've listened to both sides for four years now and am still trying to decide which is correct. If this was a MEAP test my time to complete the one-question test would have been up four years and 30 minutes ago.

I've come up with a few conclusions. Parents want something they can measure their school and teachers by. Something that tells them if Mrs. Lang has done a good job teaching and preparing that snout-nose little Thad for the MEAP test.

School officials claim that Thad's low scores don't always mean that Mrs. Lang didn't do a good job teaching. She may have even done a better job. Schools claim many variables play a part in how Thad scored on the test. Those variables include his social economic background; is he a new kid in the district. His family life, maybe he doesn't test well; the test is different; maybe Thad and his class aren't as smart as last year's class. Maybe the district doesn't put as high a value on education as its neighboring district. That's not saying it doesn't value education, but the district may not have as much money to put into education.

When I went to school, the only thing the MEAP test measured was how nervous and upset it made students the night before and the day of the test.

No one likes to be told that they aren't doing as good a job as they have in the past. Unfortunately, if you are a teacher, the MEAP is used by many to determine just how good a job they are doing.

I've seen this year's math and reading tests, I can assure everyone out of school, they are not what they use to be. They shouldn't be though, different things are required of students today than when we went to school.

The MEAP test should be used to measure where a class is at different grade levels. I don't think it determines the success or failure of a student. It may show areas where work is needed.

This will sound as if I'm taking the easy way out, and I probably am. But let's not use the test to determine the success and failure of students, teachers and schools. Instead use it as a benchmark to chart the growth of students through their 12 years of school. The growth of teachers and schools to adjust to the changing educational needs of our students.

Hey, how about them Lions. They passed the test Sunday. Wayne Fontes is one heck of a teacher. I admit, I'm not a Lions fan, but I was thrilled to see the re-emergence of "America's Team" delayed one more year. I may never tire of seeing Jimmy Johnson lose.

Thad Kraus for my wife to drop it off at the paper office. If you have any questions, I can be reached at one of the numbers on the card. Quentin Shultze". (There was also a business card taped to the note.) So, Angie now knew that whatever was in the bag was fished out of a creek and had about the same left as a drowned cat might have. She screamed and dropped it on the ground. Angie resumed her timid unwrapping only after several assurances from Kraus that there was nothing dead in the bag.

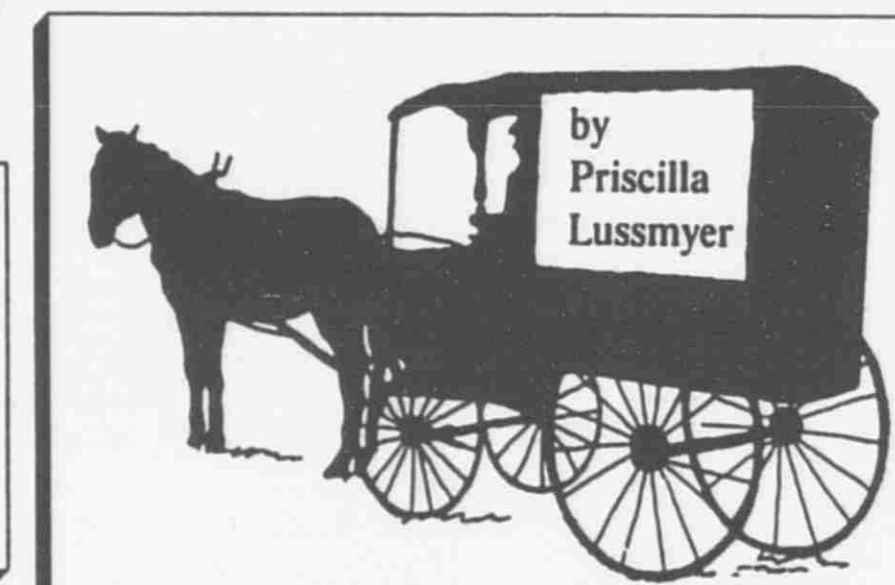
After what seemed like an eternity of peeling away layers of newspapers, a muddy, slimy, soggy purse was at last revealed. It didn't smell so great either. In fact, I'm not so sure a drowned cat might not have been a better find.

The story behind the purse goes something like this. Close to a year ago we went to a rock concert. Angie met us at the home of some friends in Grand Rapids. She parked her car in front of their house, locked it, and rode to the concert with us. When we returned, her car had been broken into. The thieves had smashed a window and stolen her purse, a leather jacket and some cassette tapes. It wasn't a heist that was going to

make the front page of the Grand Rapids Press, but I can assure you that it had this old boy seeing red for awhile. In fact, I think I went right on past red to purple on the color spectrum.

I look on thieves with about the same disdain I have for leaches, sore throats, gum disease and warts. My heart soared when I discovered blood in the car. One of the thieves had apparently cut himself on the broken window and my imagination soon had him dying of gangrene. Enough of my social commentary... on with the story.

I certainly appreciate the Shultze's efforts, but the honest truth is it was all for not. The purse and the enclosed wallet, make-up, lipstick, etc. bore the effects of residing in a creek with frogs and other aquatic creatures for the better part of a year. Angie guessed she had maybe five dollars in the purse at the time, and that was of course missing. Her driver's license, student I.D. card, my VISA card and a gasoline credit card were all still in the wallet. But, they were of course, reported as stolen and replaced months ago. So, in all reality, the purse could have continued it's happy existence as a miniature artificial reef.



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

100 YEARS AGO IN THE JOURNAL - JAN. 6, 1892

In a front-page list of U.S. 1891 death statistics, railroads killed 3261, mines 578, executions 123, lynchings 195, murders 5906. The good old days.

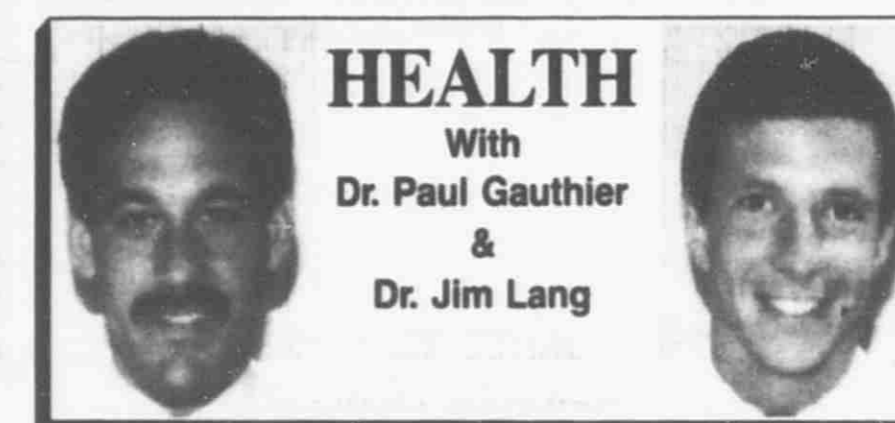
The new Methodist Episcopal church at Sweet's Corners will be dedicated next Sunday.

The village went dark Sunday when a tree weighed down with the heavy rain sagged into wires, chafed the insulation off an caused a big light display. Back at the plant the dynamo tried to caused a big light display. Back at the plant the dynamo tried to run the engine backward, so Charley shut the whole thing down.

The Grand Rapids Telegram Herald becomes the new Grand Rapids Herald.

Saranac is being sued for \$15,000 by the estate of a liveryman who went over the embankment while the bridge was being repaired.

75 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - JAN. 4, 1917



HEALTH

With
Dr. Paul Gauthier
&
Dr. Jim Lang

CAT SCRATCH DISEASE

Cat Scratch disease, usually a self-limiting entity, is thought to be caused by an as yet unidentified microbial organism. It is characterized by a local wound or scratch, enlarged regional lymph nodes, and occasionally fever and joint ache. Genders and races are affected equally. Contact with a healthy cat occurs in more than 90 percent of cases, but fewer than half have clinical evidence of trauma produced by a cat.

The incubation period of Cat Scratch disease ranges from two to thirty days after the trauma. The characteristic sore of cat scratch begins as a small reddish raised blister or pustule. This is most often seen on the upper extremity, where it may persist for several days to

The foundation of the new Municipal Light & Power plant gives way, destroying the building. Building tiles and some machinery are saved, Commonwealth Edison has hooked in some power though it has low water and disabled machinery (one light per house permitted). The foundation of 21 years had been inspected and judged good.

Muskegon milk producers are getting together to raise wholesale prices to twenty cents per gallon.

A mysterious "raider" ship, probably German, is thought to have sunk at least six British and Belgian freighters that are missing.

A Ford Roadster is \$345; the Chevy Four-Ninety has been reduced to \$490.

50 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - JAN. 8, 1942

Aerial maps of Kent County are locked away for the duration, just in case anyone has sabotage or espionage in mind.

Lots of zero weather the past week.

Save all our paper for the war effort. L. W. Rutherford and Peter Speerstra are working out a collection schedule, and proceeds will be turned over to the Red Cross.

A big patriotic mass meeting will be held at the high school Tuesday evening, with a Detroit speaker and movies.

Farmers' Week at Lansing in February will have the theme "Farming for Freedom."

25 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - JAN. 5, 1967

In spite of 28 more businesses in Kent County, Lowell lost seven in 1966.

Ernest Foreman is retiring from the egg-hatching business.

A press release by Gov. Romney a month ago asking whether the state capitol building should be restored or torn down receives very little response.

The YMCA swim team will be car-pooling to the West Y pool in Grand Rapids this winter.

Bob and Doris Ellis put on a game dinner for the postal employees as a result of Bob's successful western hunting trip.

months before resolving without leaving a scar.

There are no specific lab or x-ray tests to diagnose Cat Scratch. Your doctor will usually make the diagnosis on the basis of history and physical findings. Occasionally, a biopsy of the affected lymph node will be taken to rule out a more significant disease.

Spontaneous resolution of Cat Scratch disease occurs in one to two months. Recurrent attacks are rare. Conservative therapy with reassurance, local heat and pain medication is all that is usually required. We don't know specifically what causes Cat Scratch disease, but fortunately the vast majority of cases resolve on their own, with no lingering problems.

The U.S. agreed to purchase Alaska from Russia for \$7.2 million on March 30, 1867.



In 1783 it took Thomas Jefferson five days to travel by public transportation from Philadelphia to Baltimore.

AREA CHURCH DIRECTORY

<p>ADA COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH 7227 Thornapple River Dr. 676-1032 Pastor THOMAS J. BARTHA Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Sunday School 11:20 A.M. Evening Worship 6:00 P.M. WE INVITE YOU TO MAKE THIS COMMUNITY CHURCH YOUR CHURCH HOME. WELCOME TO ALL</p>	<p>BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH 3900 East Fulton REV. RAYMOND E. BEFUS Morning Worship 9:50 A.M. (Broadcast 10 A.M. WMAX 1470) Sunday School 11:15 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Service 7:30 P.M.</p>	<p>CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF LOWELL REV. CARL J. REITSMA - 897-9836 1151 West Main Street Lowell, MI Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:20 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Nursery available at both services Barrier Free</p>	<p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LOWELL 2275 West Main Street Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Sunday Worship Services 11:00 A.M. & 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>CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF LOWELL Meeting at the Lowell Middle School (12675 Foreman) Sunday Morning Worship And Children's Activities 10:00 A.M. Midweek Bible Studies and Youth Groups 'LISTENING AND HELPING' 897-0077</p>	<p>FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LOWELL (United Church of Christ) 404 North Hudson 897-5906 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>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOWELL REGULAR HOURS 621 E. Main Street 897-5936 Morning Worship 9:00 A.M. and 10:45 A.M. Church School 9:30 to 10:30 A.M. REV. WILLIAM AMUNDSEN, MINISTER Nursery available at both services Barrier - Free Entrance</p>	<p>FRIENDSHIP COUNTRY CHAPEL 10200 Grand River Ave. Sunday Services 10:30 A.M. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 P.M. BOB ROUSH, PASTOR 897-7489</p>
<p>ALTON BIBLE CHURCH Lincoln Lake Ave. at 3 Mile Road Sunday School 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Evening Praise 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Awana 7:00 P.M. (Sept. - April) Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 P.M. REV. KENNETH R. MCGEE, Pastor 897-5648 or 897-4273 YOU ARE WELCOME!</p>	<p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 10305 Bluewater Highway Morning Worship 10:00 A.M. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 9:00 A.M. JOSEPH FREMER, PASTOR 897-8307</p>	<p>EVERGREEN MISSIONARY CHURCH 10501 Settlewood Ph. 897-7185 Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Worship Service 11:00 A.M. Evening Service 6:00 P.M. Prayer and Praise - Wed., 7:30 P.M. GLENN H. MARKS - Senior Pastor 897-9110 STAN GERIG - Associate Pastor 897-5894 ALL ARE WELCOME! (Barrier Free)</p>	<p>ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH 402 N. Amity MSGNR. JAMES MORAN MASSES Saturday Mass 5:30 P.M. Sunday Masses 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.</p>



LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS LUNCH MENU Week of Jan. 13, 1992

MONDAY: Tacos with meat, cheese and lettuce. Johnny cake with syrup, steamed green peas or salad, assorted fruit or gelatin, milk.

TUESDAY: Cheeseburgers or hot dogs, tossed salad with dressing, steamed mixed vegetables, choice of fresh or canned fruit, cookies, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes and gravy, steamed broccoli and cauliflower rolls, homemade dinner bread and butter, gelatin or fruit, milk.

Elementary Schools Only...No Lunch at Middle & High Schools...

THURSDAY: Italian spaghetti, cole slaw, French bread with peanut butter, chilled fruit, milk.

FRIDAY: Grilled cheese sandwiches, soup or salad, fruit or gelatin, milk.

There is also a 3rd choice everyday of a chef salad for students in the middle and high schools. Weekly prepaid lunches welcome.

Coming Events

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

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

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

SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH: The Lowell Area Schools Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Board of Education office located in the Middle School, 12685 Foreman Road.

EVERY MONDAY EVENING: Euchre will be played at the V.F.W Post 8303 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$1, prizes, Public welcome.

MONDAYS: Overeaters Anonymous New meeting, 7:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 10305 Bluewater Hwy., Lowell. Call 361-5463. Come join us!

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

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

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

EVERY 1ST & 3RD TUESDAY: V.F.W. Post 8303 meets at the V.F.W. Clubroom, 307 E. Main St., Lowell at 8:00 p.m.

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY: Rollaway Ltd. Senior Bowling, 1 p.m. 55 and over.

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

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

EVERY THURS.: Co-dependents Anonymous (COCA) meets every Thursday at 7 p.m. at the Serenity Club, 101 W. Main, Lowell.

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

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

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

2ND THURSDAY OF MONTH: All Lowell Area Senior Citizens are invited to attend the Lowell Community Ed Lunch and Learn at 12:15 p.m. given at the Lowell High School. Cost of lunch is \$2.10

SATURDAYS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly Tops #M 1493 meets every Sat. at 8:30 a.m. in the Congregational Church basement in Lowell. Corner of Spring and Hudson Sts. weigh-ins from 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

EVERY THIRD SATURDAY: Men's Breakfast 8 a.m. at Lowell Assembly of God, 3050 Alden Nash, just south of town). Special speaker and good food. For more info call 897-7047.

EVERY SUNDAY EVENING: Royal Rangers for the boys. Missionettes for the girls for kids kindergarten and up. Christ Ambassadors for the youth (7 thru 12 grades) Christian Clubs to help our children grow through the means of achievement programs, special activities, crafts, and basic moral learning. For more info, call Lowell Assembly of God at 897-7047.

EVERY THIRD SUNDAY: The Flat River Snowmobile Club meets at the clubhouse at 18841 Potters Rd. New members and guests are welcome.

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

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

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

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

MUSEUM NOW OPEN: Admission is free to the Fallasburg Schoolhouse Museum - Across the Covered Bridge from Fallasburg Park, 1 to 5 p.m.

Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays. 4 miles north of Lowell in eastern Kent County.

THURS., JAN. 9: Little League Board meeting at 7 p.m. at the Lowell High School. Come and join us in planning the '92 season.

MON., JAN. 13: Lowell Friends of the Library meeting will be held at 7 p.m. at the Lowell Library. Everyone is invited to attend and support this new group.

TUES., JAN. 14: The Lowell Middle School eighth grade drama class will present "Mountain Fever," about a neurotic rock star, at 7:30 p.m. in the Middle School cafeteria. Don't miss this free evening of entertainment.

TUES., JAN. 14: The parents meeting for the "Senior All-Night Party" will be held at 7 p.m. in room A-1 at the Lowell High School.

THURS. JAN. 16: Keenagers will meet at Vergennes United Methodist Church at 10 a.m. We will play cards and have a potluck. Bring dish to pass and own table service.

THURS. JAN. 23: The Lowell Area Fire Department is forming a Explorers Post. Sign up meeting at 7 p.m. at the Lowell Area Fire Station, 315 South Hudson Street. All interested persons 14 years old and having completed eighth grade and those between 15 and 20 years of age. For information call Tom, 897-7607 weekdays, 3 to 7 p.m. A parent must come along to meeting.

FRI., JAN. 29: Lowell Area Historical Association annual meeting at Look Memorial Fire Station at 7 p.m. All members invited.

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Left to right, front row: Shelly Moseler, Mitch Brecker, Missy Kemen, Kim Gildner. Second row: Mary Mutschler, Shannon Vos, Karen Dykstra, Carrie Simpson, Kelly Tabor. Third row: Michelle Billingsley, Emily VanStrien, Austin Hardy.

Middle School drama class presents "Mountain Fever"

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 14, the Lowell Middle School eighth grade drama class will present the comedy, "Mountain Fever," at 7:30 p.m. in the Middle School cafeteria.

The play is about a neurotic and famous rock star, a tolerant and talented back-up quartet, a felonious manager, an irate mobster and an array of other characters, caught up in the big city rock world. The entire entourage takes to the hills, to get away from it all for awhile, where the refreshing mountain folk introduce them to a foreign world known as Mulekick.

"Mountain Fever," directed by Cheryl Blodgett, will also be presented in four separate performances for the 5th-8th graders. The public is invited to the January 14 evening performance and admission is free.

One man's way may be as good as another's, but we all like our own best.

—Jane Austen

Main St., cont'd.

MIDDLE SCHOOL PRESENTS "MOUNTAIN FEVER"

The Lowell Middle School eighth grade drama class will present "Mountain Fever," a play about a neurotic rock star, on Tuesday, Jan. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Middle School Cafetorium. Don't miss this free evening of entertainment.

PLANNING MEETING FOR SENIOR PARTY

A meeting for the Senior All-Night Party will be held on Jan. 14 at 7 p.m. in Room A-1 at the Lowell High School.

David Cotten, 32, of Greenville was involved in a property damage accident on Hudson near Elm Street when, making a right turn, the semi-tractor trailer he was driving struck a parked car owned by Helen Huhm of Saranac. The accident occurred on Dec. 27.

Frederick Elton, 41, of Grand Rapids was injured in an accident on West Main near Valley Vista Drive Dec. 21, when his vehicle was struck in the rear by a car driven by Suellen DeKorte, 46, of Grandville. DeKorte also suffered minor injuries.

Mari Wilkins, 29, of Lowell, attempted to make a left turn off Main Street on to Valley Vista Drive, Dec. 31, and pulled into the path of a car driven by Sonata Ogle, 30, also of Lowell. No one was injured.

Arrested for driving while under the influence of alcohol and driving while license suspended was John Proctor, 19, of Ionia, by Lowell officers Jan 1.

Samuel Briggs, 41, of Morley was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol, Dec. 31 and taken to the Kent County Jail.

Arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol Jan. 5, was Mark Rittersdorf, 36, of Grand Rapids.

Willard Confer, 23, of Cedar Springs was arrested and charged with driving while license suspended, second offense, by Lowell officers Jan 4.

Arrested Jan. 4 for driving under the influence of alcohol, second offense, was John Felling, 31, of Lowell.

Arrested on a warrant issued by the 63rd District Court Jan. 3 was Darryl Dumas, 29, of Alto.

Lodged in the Kent County Jail for driving while license suspended, second offense, was Ryon Webb, 19, of Lowell on Dec. 23.

Arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol, first offense, Dec. 26 was Donnyel Gobert, 22, of Grand Rapids, by Lowell officers.

The art of pleasing consists in being pleased.
—William Hazlitt

To bring up a child in the way he should go, travel that way yourself once in a while.
—Josh Billings

Legal Notice

Councilmember Thompson, supported by Councilmember Fonger, moved adoption of the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE NO. 91-9

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE II, SECTION 2-71 "BIDDING AND PURCHASING PROCEDURES" OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LOWELL

THE CITY OF LOWELL ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 2-71 of Division 2, Article II, Chapter 2 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lowell is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:

Section 2-71. Bidding and Purchasing Procedure.

(a) All purchases of materials, supplies or services in an amount of more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) must be competitively bid with sealed bids submitted to the city council for approval. Advertisements for competitively bid with sealed bids submitted to the city council for approval. Advertisements for competitive bids shall be placed in a local and or area newspaper that provides the widest coverage. Purchases of materials, supplies or services shall not be separated so as to avoid the competitive bidding process. In the event no bids are received or all bids are rejected, the city council may, after stating the reasons therefor, direct the city manager to make the purchase in the open market without bids.

(b) All purchases of materials, supplies or services in amounts between two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) and five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) may be made without competitive bids, but shall be made upon (i) obtaining at least three vendor quotes and (ii) approval of the city council.

(c) All purchases of budgeted materials, supplies or

services of less than two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) may be made by the city manager without competitive bids, quotes or city council approval.

(d) All purchases of unbudgeted materials, supplies or services of less than two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) may be made by the city manager upon approval of the city council, but without competitive bids or quotes.

(e) If two or more qualified local vendors are located in the city or the surrounding area, the requirement of obtaining competitive bids or quotations may be limited to such local vendors upon prior approval of the city council.

(f) The city may at any time select a vendor other than the vendor providing the lowest bid, quote or price.

(g) The competitive bidding or quotation requirements of this section may be waived by majority vote of the city council where there is a sole supplier or other conditions exist which inhibit the bidding or quotation process. Any other requirements of this section may be waived upon a four-fifths majority vote of the city council.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days after its publication in the Lowell Ledger, a newspaper of general circulation in the City.

YEAS: Councilmembers Doyle, Fonger, Hodges, Thompson and Mayor Maatman.
NAYS: Councilmembers None.
ABSENT: Councilmembers None.
ABSTAIN: Councilmembers None.
Date: December 16, 1991

David M. Pasquale, City Clerk
CERTIFICATION

I, David M. Pasquale, City Clerk of the City of Lowell, hereby certify that the above ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Lowell City Council on December 16, 1991, and was published in the Lowell Ledger on January 8, 1992.
Date: December 17, 1991

David M. Pasquale, City Clerk

TOWN TALK

Will the current economic situation affect or hinder President Bush's chance for re-election in November?



Jim Brown
If it doesn't change within six months it will definitely have an affect. November is a long ways away. The current economic situation I believe has already had an affect on the presidential campaign.



Jeanne Rockett
I think the economic situation is the only thing the democrats can hold on to and hold against him. It's not going to bother Bush's re-election. His popularity will not dip any lower than it already is.



Clifford Daniels
I think so. A recession can't help his chances. I think the recession will last a while. Things are going to get worse before they get better.



Mary Osbon
It depends on who runs against him. One man in three years didn't get us where we are now. You can't blame one man for this problem. I don't care who he is.



Walt Palmer
Yes, unless it changes dramatically and quickly within the next 60 days.



William Fears
I would certainly think so. President Bush is a good P.R. man overseas, but he is not doing well here. I think he's already in trouble.



Brian Howard
If things keep going the way they are it will. I don't think President Bush has enough time to turn things around. Not only that, he's just the President, it is going to take more than him to clean things up. Bush has been good on foreign policy.



Harvey King
Possibly it will, but I think President Bush will be re-elected. I don't think the democrats have anyone. I would also say the President needs to get us going in the right direction within the next couple of months.

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LISTINGS FOR FRI., JAN. 10 THRU THURS., JAN. 16

For 40 years, NBC's The Today Show has started America's morning. Five days a week, the show focuses on breaking news stories from around the world, as well as features on business, sports and the arts. Anchors Katie Couric and Bryant Gumbel appear in Tuesday's prime time salute to the show.

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PROGRAM CARS

- 1991 CHEVROLET GEO PRIZM, 4 door, automatic, air, stereo.
- 1991 CHEVROLET GEO TRACKER, convertible, air, stereo cassette, 1500 miles.
- 1991 CHEVROLET LUMINA, 4 door, V6, air, tilt, cruise, power windows & locks.
- 1991 CHEVROLET CAPRICE CLASSIC, 4 door, full power, V8, 2 to choose from.
- 1991 BUICK SKYLARK, 4 door, V6, automatic, stereo, power windows, tilt wheel.

SEDANS

- 1991 OLDSMOBILE CUTLASS SUPREME, V6, full power, tilt, cruise, cassette, 10,000 miles!
- 1989 BUICK PARK AVENUE ULTRA, fully equipped, leather trim, 21-way power seats.
- 1989 CHEVROLET CORSICA, 4 cylinder, automatic, air, cassette, cruise.
- 1989 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS LS, V8, fully equipped, all power, cassette.
- 1987 BUICK ELECTRA, fully equipped, leather trim, low miles.
- 1987 CHEVROLET CAPRICE, V8, air, cassette, tilt, cruise.
- 1987 FORD TAURUS LX, fully equipped, all power, cassette.
- 1986 BUICK PARK AVENUE, full power, cassette, only 64,000 miles!
- 1986 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM, 4 cylinder, air cassette, tilt, cruise, just 68,000 miles!
- 1986 OLDSMOBILE DELTA 88, 2 to choose from.
- 1985 PONTIAC PARISIENNE, V6, air, stereo, tilt, cruise, power locks.
- 1985 LINCOLN TOWN CAR, V8, fully equipped, all power options, cassette.
- 1984 CHEVROLET CELEBRITY, 4 cylinder, automatic, air, stereo.
- 1981 BUICK CENTURY LIMITED, V6, air, stereo, only 62,000 miles!

SPORT COUPES

- 1988 CHEVROLET CAMARO, V8, automatic, air, full power, cassette, only 31,000 miles!
- 1985 CHEVROLET CAVALIER, Type-10, 4 cylinder, 5 speed, air, stereo, just 61,000 miles!
- 1985 CHEVROLET CAMARO Z28, automatic, air, cassette, tilt, cruise, only 50,000 miles!
- 1985 CHEVROLET CAMARO, V8, automatic, air, full power, T-tops, only 59,000 miles!
- 1985 OLDSMOBILE FIRENZA GT, V8, automatic, full power, cassette, tilt, cruise.

WAGONS

- 1989 CHEVROLET CAVALIER, automatic, air, stereo, only 16,000 miles!
- 1989 CHEVROLET MARK III VAN CONVERSION, fully equipped, all power, cassette.
- 1989 FORD JAYCO VAN CONVERSION, fully equipped, all power, cassette.
- 1988 CHEVROLET S10 BLAZER, Tahoe, V6, automatic, full power, cassette.
- 1988 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER, 5 passenger, automatic, air, cruise, stereo.
- 1987 FORD BRONCO II XLT, V6, 5 speed, cassette, tilt, cruise.
- 1986 GMC K1500 SUBURBAN, 4x4, Sierra Classic, fully equipped, trailer package.
- 1985 PLYMOUTH RELIANT, 4 cylinder, automatic, air, stereo, cruise, just 77,000 miles!
- 1983 FORD BRONCO, 6 cylinder, automatic, air, stereo.

PICKUPS

- 1989 CHEVROLET K2500, SILVERADO, V8, air, cassette, tilt, cruise, plow, only 23,000 miles!
- 1989 CHEVROLET C1500 SCOTTSDALE, V8, 5 speed, stereo.
- 1989 FORD F150 XLT LARIAT, V8, 5 speed, air, cassette, power windows, only 28,000 miles!
- 1987 DODGE DAKOTA, V6, automatic, stereo cassette, aluminum cap.
- 1987 DODGE DAKOTA, 4 cylinder, 5 speed, cap.
- 1986 CHEVROLET C10, Custom, automatic, stereo, only 45,000 miles!
- 1984 FORD F150, 6 cylinder, 4 speed, air, stereo, aluminum cap, only 70,000 miles!

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SATURDAY cont.

- past and his current life as a bum. Jack Nicholson, Mary Streep, 1987.
(1) Grudge Match
(2) MOVIE: King Kong Group on a mysterious island...

- 2:50 (HBO) MOVIE: Roger Corman's Frankenstein Unbound (Stereo) (CC)
(3) MOVIE: Young Cassidy In 1911 Dublin...
(4) Twilight Zone
(5) U.S. Air Force Top Gun Competition From Panama City, Fla. (R)

SUNDAY

January 12

MORNING

- 5:00 Music Videos
(1) Paid Program
(2) Love Boat
(3) Star Shot Clay Target Shoot-Out Game
(4) Sports LateNight
(5) Patty Duke
(6) NBC NightSide
(7) Home Shopping
(8) Danger Day (Stereo) (CC)
(9) My Sister Sam (CC)
(10) Fishin' Hole
(11) News/Moneyweek
(12) Dobie Gillis
(13) Fitzpatrick Travel Talks
(14) Christopher Closeup (CC)
(15) NBC NightSide
(16) Midwest Outdoors Magazine
(17) (HBO) MOVIE: Worth Winning (Stereo) (CC)
(18) World Tomorrow
(19) (HBO) MOVIE: Vincent and Me A 13-year-old painter who admires van Gogh finds herself battling art lovers and traveling through time to meet the artist himself...

- James Robinson
News/Style With Elsa Klensch
Litt' Bits
ShortStories
All Creatures Great and Small
(1) Paid Program
(2) It's Written
(3) Popeye's Hour
(4) Flinstones
(5) What's Nu?
(6) Destiny
(7) Paid Program
(8) Sesame Street (CC)
(9) Wonderful Wizard of Oz (Stereo)
(10) Captain N (CC)
(11) Paid Program
(12) Scholastic Sports America (CC)
(13) Business World
(14) To Be Announced
(15) Discovery Journal
(16) MOVIE: Star Trek: The Motion Picture A star captain goes after sunken treasure in shark-infested waters...
(17) The Incredible Ida Early
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(19) The Ugly American An American ambassador arrives in a Southern Asian country and finds his arrival has stirred up pro-communist elements...

- (MAX) MOVIE: Ferris Bueller's Day Off (Stereo) (CC)
(2) Jim Henson's Mother Goose Stories (CC)
(3) Jem
(4) Swiss Family Robinson
(5) Chicago's Very Own
(6) Best of American Muscle Magazine
(7) DayBreak
(8) Count Duckula
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- CHN Headline News
(1) Danger Mouse
(2) Kingdom of the Wild
(3) CBS Sunday Morning (CC)
(4) In Search of the Lord's Prayer
(5) Kenneth Copeland
(6) American Medical Television
(7) Bugs Bunny and Pals
(8) Andy Griffith
(9) Fishing the West
(10) Just Say Julie!
(11) Truckin' USA American Truck Historical Society (Stereo)
(12) Catholic Mass
(13) Sesame Street (CC)
(14) Larry Jones
(15) Donald Duck Presents
(16) Sesame Street (CC)
(17) The Last Dinosaur (Stereo)
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- 12:30 Bill Dance Outdoors How to corral crappie (Stereo)
(1) Truckin' USA American Truck Historical Society (Stereo)
(2) Wall Street Week (Stereo) (CC)
(3) Paid Program
(4) MOVIE: The Music Man A con man convinces the people of River City, Iowa that he can solve all their troubles by forming a marching band...
(5) Outside the Lines Stereos: Whatever It Takes.
(6) News/Science and Technology Week
(7) Pro Football Playoffs The conference championship game between the Dallas Cowboys and the New York Giants...
(8) College Soccer NCAA Championship (I)
(9) This Week With David Brinkley (CC)
(10) MOVIE: Revenge for a Rave When the authorities fail to move fast enough for him, a lone vigilante relentlessly tracks the three men who raped his pregnant wife...
(11) The Week in Rock
(12) The Basemasters Sight-fishing for largemouth bass.
(13) Firing Line
(14) The Howling A female TV news anchor is sent to the Black Knight in order to reveal the identity of those who are trying to overthrow King Arthur...
(15) (MAX) MOVIE: Across the Tracks (Stereo)
(16) Winners Rusty Wallace (Stereo)
(17) Michigan Outdoors
(18) (HBO) MOVIE: Worth Winning (Stereo) (CC)
(19) It's Your Move
(20) Get the Picture
(21) Travel and Adventure
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(23) Championship Rodeo
(24) New Tarzan
(25) Lifestyles of the Rich & Famous
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(27) This Old House (CC)
(28) Just the Ten of Us (CC)
(29) Billiards WPA World Championship, final (R)
(30) LPT Bowling Sam's Town Invitational (R)
(31) News/Moneyweek
(32) Nick Hill List
(33) Women in Jazz
(34) Tennis Magazine
(35) Women's College Volleyball NCAA Championship (I)
(36) Ebony/Jet Showcase
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(39) American Sports Cavalcade The Miller Modified 200 (Stereo)
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(42) What's Up, Doc? An eccentric woman and a straight-laced professor become involved in a chase to recover four identical light bags...
(43) Motorsports Magazine
(44) Bob Vila's Home Again
(45) On Scene: Emergency Response
(46) New Explorers (Stereo) (CC)
(47) Quizbusters
(48) This Week With David Brinkley (CC)
(49) Grinch Grinches the Cat in the Hat
(50) NFL GameDay
(51) NFL Review
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(54) In America
(55) American Medical Television
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(57) In-Fisherman Angling Adventures Fishing for 30 plus to king salmon (Stereo)
(58) MOVIE: The Adventures of the Wilderness Family Fed up with the stress and pollution of city life, an urban family moves to the Rocky Mountain region...
(59) NFL Live (Time may vary)
(60) MOVIE: The Cheap Detective After a detective is

- murdered, everyone is suspected of the crime. Peter Falk, Ann-Margret, 1971.
(1) Nature (CC)
(2) Newton's Apple (Stereo) (CC)
(3) (MAX) MOVIE: Elmer Fudd
(4) Fluffy Dogs (Stereo)
(5) All American Wrestling
(6) MOVIE: Change of Habit Three novices learn about the world before becoming full-fledged nuns...
(7) The Prince and the Pauper 1599.
(8) The Snowman (Stereo)
(9) NHRA Today (Stereo)
(10) NFL Live Postgame (Time may vary)
(11) Wild America (Stereo) (CC)
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(15) Inside Winston Cup Racing (Stereo)
(16) Wonderful World of Disney David Alan Bailey, Richard Jaeckel.
(17) To Be Announced
(18) Star Search
(19) The Black Knight A peasant disguises himself as the Black Knight in order to reveal the identity of those who are trying to overthrow King Arthur...
(20) People's Palace: Secrets of the New York Library (Stereo)
(21) MOVIE: A Friendship in Vienna The friendship of two 13-year-old girls, one Jewish, the other the daughter of a German collaborator...
(22) Paid Program
(23) Best of the BBC
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(2) Erie, Indiana (Stereo) (CC)
(3) National Geographic Special (CC)
(4) Austin City Limits (Stereo)
(5) Life Goes On (Stereo) (CC)
(6) MOVIE: Escape From New York The year is 1997, and the president's plane crashes within the confines of Manhattan...
(7) News
(8) Computer Chronicles
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(18) Addams Family
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(28) College Basketball Villanova at Seton Hall (L)
(29) Crossfire
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(31) Candid Camera
(32) Entertainment Tonight (Stereo) (CC)
(33) Sanford and Son
(34) Best of Saturday Night Live
(35) On Stage (Stereo)
(36) MOVIE: The Judge and Jake Wyler A retired, eccentric judge who runs a private investigation firm with the assistance of parolees gets a murder case...
(37) PrimeNews (CC)
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(39) Evening Shade (Stereo) (CC)
(40) FBI: The Untold Stories (Stereo) (CC)
(41) Natural World
(42) Fonda on Fonda
(43) MOVIE: Invasion U.S.A. A hard-bitten, retired CIA agent is called into service when Soviets invade Florida and try to bring America to its knees...
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(45) Blossom (Stereo) (CC)
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(49) Scholastic Sports America (CC)
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(51) Nashville Now (Stereo)
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(54) MOVIE: 'RoboCop' ABC Monday Night Movie After being gunned down in a crime-ridden future world, a dead cop is sent to a machine...
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(57) [MAX] MOVIE: On the Border
(58) College Basketball Kansas at Missouri (L)
(59) Get Smart
(60) Designing Women
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(3) (MAX) MOVIE: Elmer Fudd
(4) Fluffy Dogs (Stereo)
(5) All American Wrestling
(6) MOVIE: Change of Habit Three novices learn about the world before becoming full-fledged nuns...
(7) The Prince and the Pauper 1599.
(8) The Snowman (Stereo)
(9) NHRA Today (Stereo)
(10) NFL Live Postgame (Time may vary)
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(12) The Incredible Ida Early
(13) MOVIE: The Charge of the Light Brigade in 1855 India...
(14) The Ugly American An American ambassador arrives in a Southern Asian country and finds his arrival has stirred up pro-communist elements...
(15) Inside Winston Cup Racing (Stereo)
(16) Wonderful World of Disney David Alan Bailey, Richard Jaeckel.
(17) To Be Announced
(18) Star Search
(19) The Black Knight A peasant disguises himself as the Black Knight in order to reveal the identity of those who are trying to overthrow King Arthur...
(20) People's Palace: Secrets of the New York Library (Stereo)
(21) MOVIE: A Friendship in Vienna The friendship of two 13-year-old girls, one Jewish, the other the daughter of a German collaborator...
(22) Paid Program
(23) Best of the BBC
(24) Winners Rusty Wallace (Stereo)
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(39) News/Moneyweek
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(44) Ebony/Jet Showcase
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"Together Lowell Cares" campaigns for drug and alcohol awareness

In its commitment to educate students on the conflict and pain drugs and alcohol can cause, Lowell School's had to sidestep a feud between two national organizations.

Lowell's previous drug/alcohol awareness week was tied in with the national "Red Ribbon" Week. However a feud between "Red Ribbon" Week officials and MADD officials on who has the right to use the red ribbon symbol has Lowell Schools side-stepping the feud. Instead, it has reorganized its efforts on a local basis as "Together Lowell Cares."

Lowell has participated in the Red Ribbon Drug awareness week over the past three years. While it will not participate with the Red Ribbon committee this year, it will

keep the drug/alcohol awareness week theme but work under the local TLC committee.

The week of Jan. 27 through the 31 has been designated as "Together Lowell Cares": Drug and Alcohol Awareness Week. District-wide activities will take place throughout the week.

On Monday, Jan. 27, schools and businesses will celebrate Together Lowell Cares button day. TLC buttons will be distributed and to bring in a penny a day throughout the month of January (if they can). The pennies collected over this period of time will be taken to Studio 28 and put in with the wall of pennies.

The pennies will benefit Project Rehab's Dakotah

The fool wonders, the wise man asks.

—Benjamin Disraeli

sold at the schools and local businesses.

On Tuesday, Jan. 28, students at all schools will celebrate the day.

On Wednesday, Jan. 29 students will participate in red shirt day. Coinciding with that, will be "Hands Off Drugs" T-shirts which elementary students will make and wear.

On Thursday, Jan. 30, schools and businesses will celebrate sports day. The day will be used to promote the idea that sports and drugs don't mix.

Jan. 31 at all Lowell Schools will be red and white day.

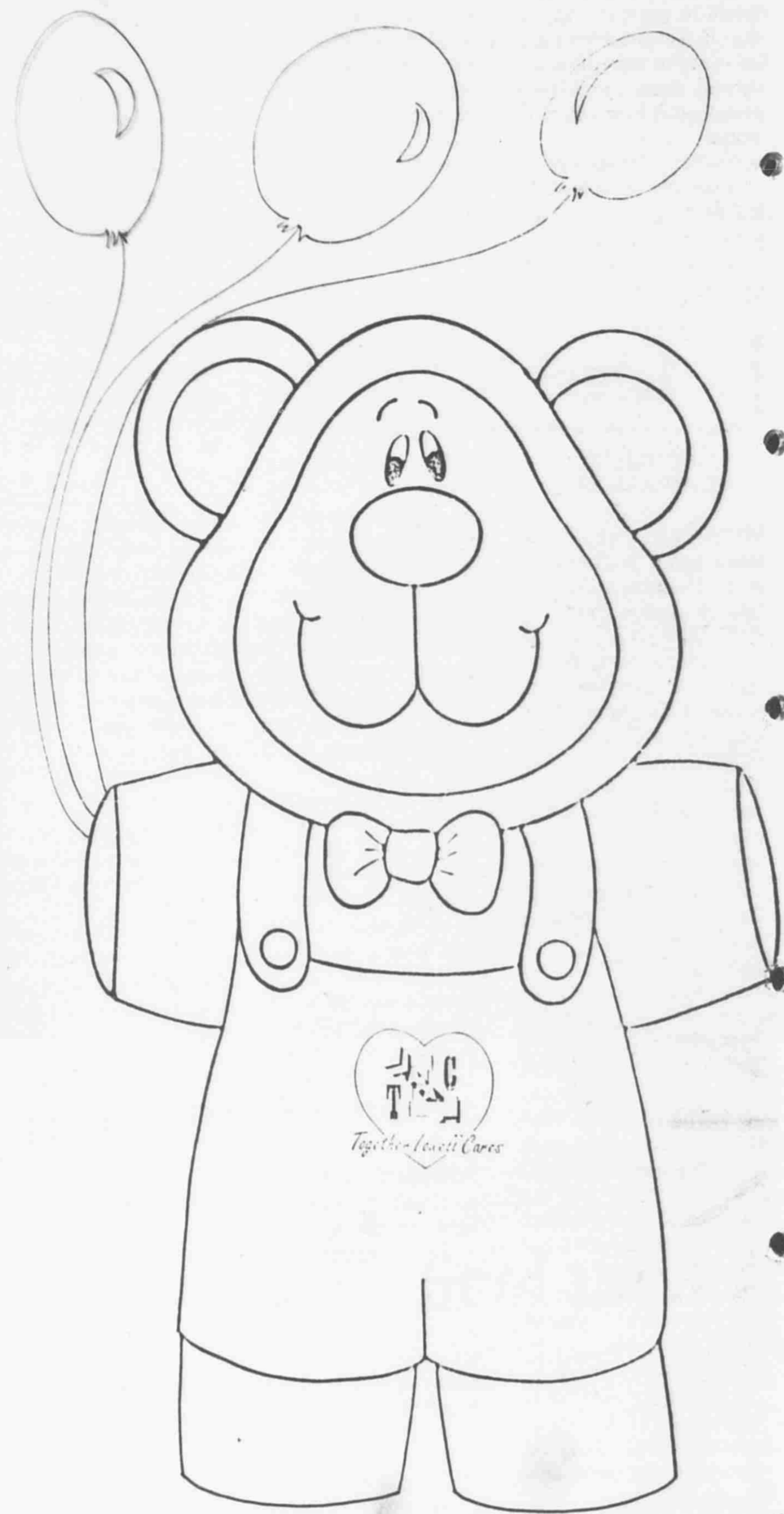
The drug and alcohol awareness week will culminate on Saturday, Feb. 1 with parent workshops dealing with relevant parenting information with an educational theme such as school improvement, single and step-parenting.

In a separate project Lowell Schools will ask students

Family Treatment Center and Shalom Family. The goal is to

collect three million pennies or \$30,000 by Jan. 25. The

money will be used for treatment of troubled adolescents.



Lowell Schools to celebrate drug awareness week, Jan. 27 to 31.

\$1,300 Raised in effort to refurbish White's Bridge

There are two covered bridges left in Kent County - Fallasburg and Ada, and one covered bridge left in Ionia County - White's Bridge, which is located about four miles north of Lowell.

Restoration work completed, and to be completed, on White's Bridge is working to keep it the only covered bridge in Ionia County.

A \$13,000 state equity matching grant program to Keene Township and White's Bridge made way for a new shingled roof which was completed before the holidays.

Lynn Lafler, general chairman of the White's Bridge restoration, said work still remains to be done. The bridge needs new side-boards, it needs to have a structural analysis and the White's Bridge Road needs to be re-engineered and surfaced where it isn't.

"Water run-off is currently as big a problem or bigger than fire," Lafler said. "The north and south approaches to the bridge need work. They are both in poor shape."

Work for the analysis and to complete the new approaches will cost \$50,000. A

local effort was made over the holiday to raise money for bridge renovation work.

Over a four-day period, Dec. 20-23 the White's Bridge Association collected over \$1,300, with the proceeds going toward the preservation of the bridge. "We had over a 1,000 people come view the Christmas lights and donate toward the preservation of the bridge," Lafler said. "We deemed the venture very successful and plan on doing it again next year."

The bridge, built in 1869, is 122 years old. It is still used on

a daily basis by approximately 138 motorists.

The bridge was renovated with a cedar shingle roof and siding on both entrances, paid for by the matching grant from the Department of Commerce.

"We applied for \$20,000 and ended up with \$13,761," Lafler said.

The decrease in funds prevented the bridge's rough-

hewn pine sideboards from being replaced.

The bridge was designed by Joseph Brown Jr. of Buffalo, N.Y. It was built by a pair of new England men, Jared N. Brazze and J.N. Walker. White's Bridge was named for a local pioneer family that first crossed the Flat River at that point.

Lafler said an Ionia group called the Ruritans, along with

help from the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers 109, were instrumental in outfitting the bridge with lights over the holidays.

A tax exempt foundation called the White's Bridge Association was formed to help continue in the effort to renovate the bridge. Donations were collected at both entrances to the bridge over a four-day period during the holiday.



Mrs. Bruinisma, school librarian, became "Smart Fox" who ended up with the gingerbread man.

A light load at Runciman

Thanks to Bill Thompson (right) and driver, Al (left), the first graders became the Christmas freight of an L. G. Cook semi! This was part of Mrs. Schaff's class unit study on transportation.



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Red Arrows girls reach quarterfinals at Creston Invit'l.

As its serving game goes, so goes the Red Arrows' volleyball team. Lowell is currently 4-4-3, guess which games they served well in?

"Our serving game has been schizophrenic," Lowell volleyball coach Laurie Kuna said. "We live and die with our serve."
Kuna and her club traveled

to Creston on Saturday for the Creston Blue-Gold Volleyball Invitational.

Lowell has won two of its three matches in pool play. The Red Arrows defeated Creston 15-10, 15-12. Lowell also upended Covenant Christian 15-8, 15-12.

Lowell's only loss in pool play came against Catholic Central. The Red Arrows were defeated 15-9, 15-13.

Lowell advanced from pool play to the quarterfinals, where it played Grand Rapids Central. The Red Arrows won in a lengthy three set match, 8-15, 15-1, 15-11.

The victory moved Lowell into the semi-finals where it was knocked out of the tournament by Northview, 15-2, 15-7.

"Our girls simply ran out of gas," Kuna said. "That was

a long game against Central and there wasn't much of a rest before we played Northview."

Kuna, however, is happy with the way her club has performed early in the season. "With each game our young players are becoming less and less inexperienced. Each game we have more players doing

more things right," she explained.

Earlier in the week, Lowell traveled to play Grand Haven and Forest Hills Northem. The Red Arrows lost to Grand Haven in straight sets, 15-7, 15-8. "We didn't serve well in the first game. We served better in game two, but didn't play well," Kuna said.

Against the Huskies, Lowell went three sets before losing 7-15, 15-4, 14-16. Lowell missed seven serves in 74 attempts. Alison Zillmer led Lowell with eight kills. Heather Gowen had five kills and five digs and Erin Nausieda contributed with four digs. Lowell's top server was Angie Nauta who tallied a team-high 10 service points.

Against Grand Haven, Carolyn Kline led Lowell with 10 service points and Heather Gowen had three kills and four blocks.

"The girls are definitely improving with each game," Kuna said. "Our best defensive game came against Catholic Central."

Lowell's coach says her club still needs work on spiker coverage and defensive coverage. She also remains optimistic that the girls will continue to improve in those areas.

"I'm playing a lot of young kids, but I'm confident about putting them in."

Kuna praised Angie Nauta for her hard work on setting and Gowen for her passing. "It helps a lot when the pass gets to where the hitter is supposed to be," Kuna explains. "I'm also extremely pleased with the front role play of Niki Gurney. She has been covering the ball so well. She's making her playing time count."

Central too legit for Lowell in 77-33 victory

Forest Hills Central beat up on Lowell Friday night, and it didn't take the Rangers long.

Forest Hills Central showed the Red Arrows that it is too legit to be considered anything less than an O-K White basketball favorite in 1992.

Following the Rangers 77-33 dismantling of the Red Arrows, Lowell's basketball coach Phil Beachler, having seen Northview and now FHC, made an early season comparison.

"I don't know, but from where I was sitting, Central looks like the better ballclub," Beachler explained.

Central's Stevens did not feel comfortable with the label of favorite. "We're a contender. This is a very competitive league. No one team domi-

nates," he said.

Stevens and his Rangers, 3-0 in the league, will find out how they match-up against the other contender on Friday when they travel to Northview. The Wildcats squeaked past Zeeland Friday night, 47-46, improving its league mark to 3-0.

The Rangers are led by senior Major Flynn. The senior tallied 13 points against Lowell. "He does everything. Major penetrates, dishes, shoots three's and plays defense," Stevens said. "You can't ask much more of a player than that."

On the other side, Lowell's Beachler will be asking his Red Arrows for better transition, better defense, better shooting and better rebounding. It's a lot to ask, but if Lowell is going to salvage

anything from a season which has started out at 1-4, some of those requests need to be filled.

"We worked all week on getting back on defense and getting a hand in the shooter's face," Beachler said. "The boys didn't get it done tonight."

The result was some torrid first-half shooting by the Rangers. "It was the best shooting game we've had all year. We got free, we got set and we hit our shots," Stevens said.

The Rangers opened up a 26-13 first quarter lead and extended it to 47-22 at halftime.

Lowell hustles, but they are struggling to put the ball in the hoop right now," Stevens said.

As ugly as things were in the first half, things were worse in the second half. The Red Arrows managed just 11 second half points while FHC pumped in 30.

The Red Arrows are now 1-2 in the league and 1-4 overall. They were led in scoring by the trifecta of Chad Dunn, Dave Jones and Jon Amundsen. All three Arrows netted eight points apiece.

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Holtz's foul shots lift frosh to a 40-38 win over Rangers

Lowell's freshman basketball team improved its record to 3-1 with an exciting 40-38 come-from-behind win against Forest Hills Central.

The Red Arrows led once throughout the entire contest. Fortunately for them, that lead came with five seconds remaining in the contest. Brad Holtz stepped up to the foul line with the game tied at 38-

38 and netted two free throws, giving Lowell the win.

Lowell went in at halftime trailing by 13, 28-15. Behind the outstanding defensive play (1-2-2) zone in the second half,

it held the Rangers to 10 second half points.

"The boys did a good job in the zone. Central did not get many shots," Lowell coach Dave Eichberg said.

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Red Arrows' JV lose 71-56 to FHC

In junior varsity action, the Red Arrows played their finest game of the season, as it trailed the Rangers by just four points at halftime, 37-33.

FHC pulled away in the second half as it posted a 71-56 win.

"Forget whether we won or lost, the boys played their best game of the season," Lowell coach Keith Boeve said.

Lowell was led by Joe Minier with 15 points. Ryan White tallied 13 and George Ponchaud and Ryan Boersma contributed with 10.

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In the Dec. 31 edition of the Lowell Ledger it was incorrectly reported in the Christmas lighting story that

mailbox and house numbers at Hahn's Hardware and/or Bernard's True Value Hardware. No coupon will be given out toward the purchase of house numbers.

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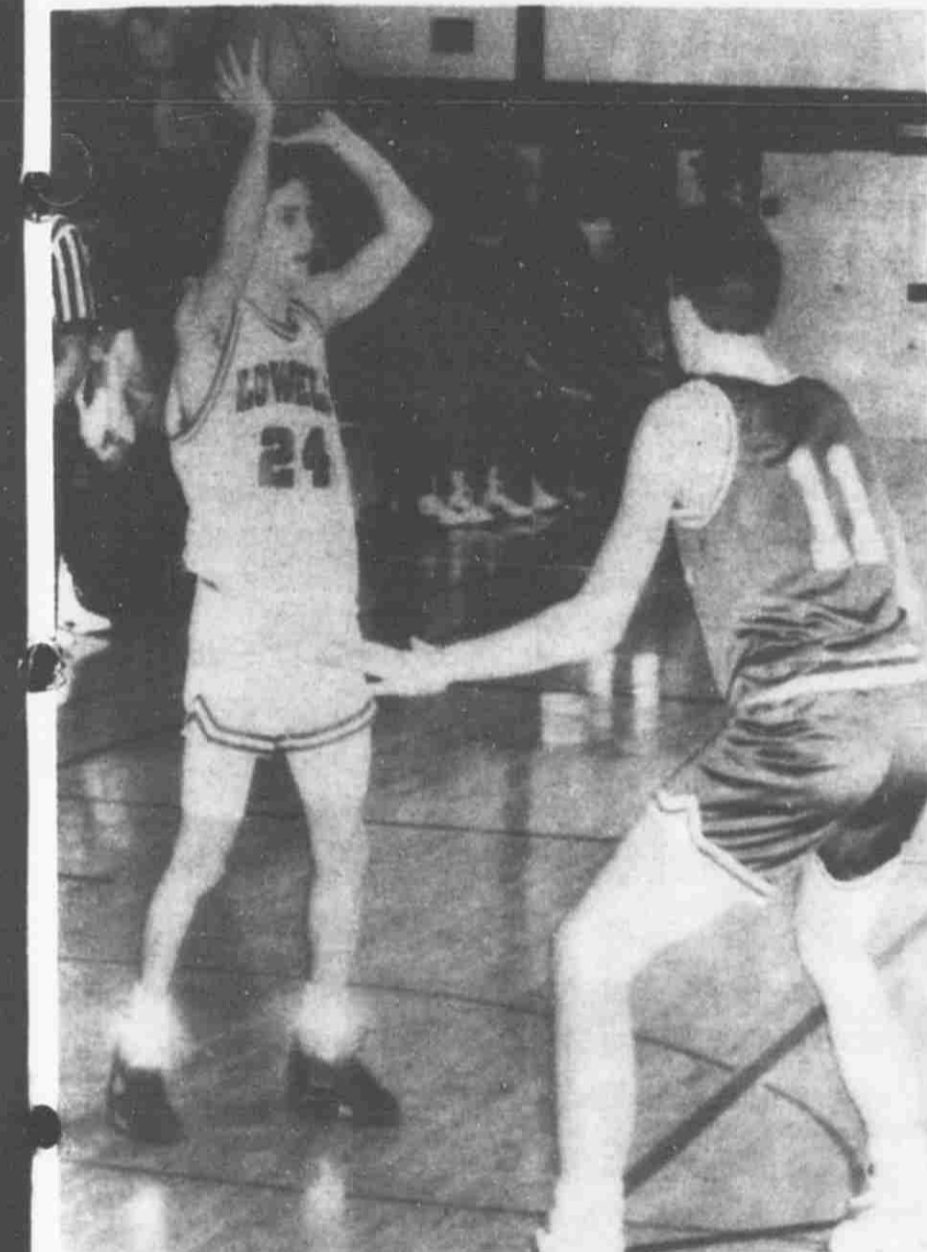
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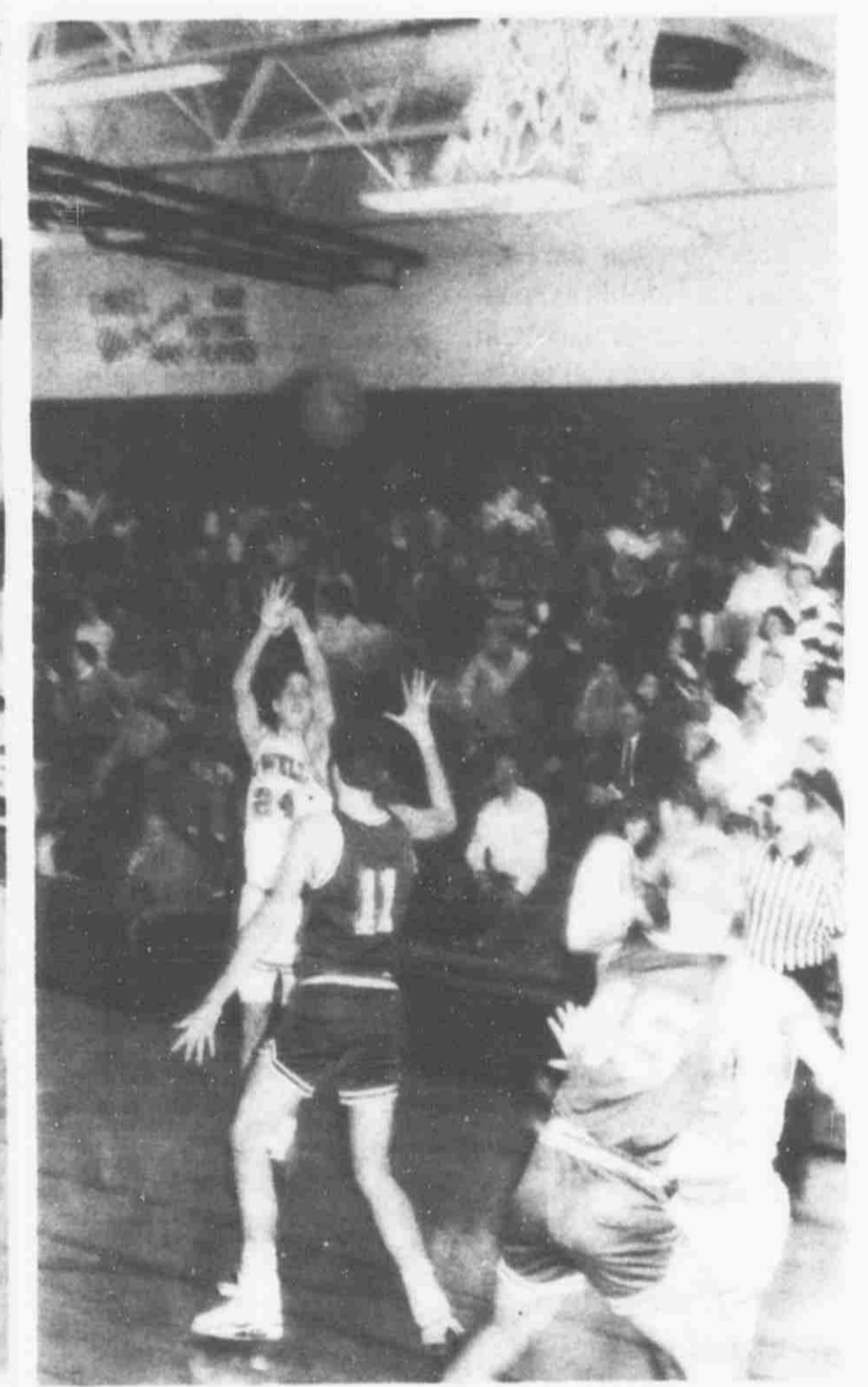
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Lowell's Matt Kemp looks to pass the ball to a Red Arrow teammate in second-half action against Forest Hills Central. Lowell lost the game, 77-33.



Lowell defenders gaze up as Central passes over top of the Red Arrow defense.



Matt Kemp lets go of a jumper against Central.

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Athletes of the Week

Alison Zillmer
The Lowell senior delivered 12 service points against Covenant Christian, eight of which were aces. "Alison is serving real tough," Kuna said. "She's doing all the smart things. She's making the smart plays. Her volleyball game sense is coming out."

Rich Depew
The Lowell senior co-captain was one of two Red Arrows to record a first-place finish at Grandville and he was the only Lowell grappler to earn top honors at Hastings. Depew defeated Grandville's Tom Oraverson, 3-2 and Saturday at Hastings, he defeated Lakewood's Marty Landes.

THE GRIDIRON EXPERTS SAY!	Sports Editor Thad Kraus	Football Coach Phil Christensen	Mr. Red Arrow Bob Perry
Detroit/Washington	Detroit	Washington	Washington
Denver/Buffalo	Denver	Buffalo	Buffalo
Last Week's Record	7-3	7-3	4-6
Overall Record	97-71-2 .576	99-69-2 .588	104-64-2 .618

Depew and Anes lead Lowell to third at Grandville

Some say at 125 pounds, Justin Anes is a smart wrestler. Lowell assistant wrestling coach Jim Fleet calls him quick on his feet.

"He's very good on his feet and excels at take downs," Fleet says.

On Saturday at the Hastings Invitational, Anes used take downs, good feet and a growing confidence to post four wins in five attempts.

Anes, who was not seeded, won his first match, lost his second match and then strung three consecutive wins together to place third. In his final match of the day he defeated Ted Blakely, 7-4.

"We anticipated Justin doing a good job for us this year. He wrestled well as a 112-pound freshman," Fleet said. "His continued success will depend on hard work and conditioning."

Lowell seeded five wrestlers at the Hastings Invitational, and placed seven. The Red Arrows finished third behind Charlotte and Lakewood.

The Vikings powered their way to the title with 157 points. Charlotte was second at 120-1/2. They were followed by Lowell 117-1/2; Delton 117, Grand Ledge 89-1/2; Middleville 73, Harper Creek 71, Hastings 68-1/2, Ionia 66, Battle Creek Central 64.

"The tournament had a strong field of wrestlers. While the team strength wasn't as strong as the invitational at Grandville, collectively, there were as many or more good wrestlers," Fleet said.

Senior co-captain Rich Depew earned Lowell's only first place honor, as he went 3-0 on the day, deciding

Lakewood's Marty Landes 11-1 in the title match.

"Rich has been consistent, he wrestled well again on Saturday. He's also wrestling smart," Fleet said.

Lowell's other captain, Dave Stouffer, got caught in a head throw early and was never able to overcome a 5-0 first-period deficit against Lakewood's Kyle Durkee. Stouffer was decided 9-5.

Corey Kirkbride finished fourth as he defeated Chris Foster of Middleville with a pin in 49 seconds of the first period to get into the placement round.

"Corey was not seeded, but he beat two seeded wrestlers to earn a fourth-place spot," Fleet said. "Quietly Corey has done a good job. He may be our sleeper."

Jason DesJarden, 140 pounds, completed the day at 2-2 and a fourth-place finish. DesJarden defeated Jeremy Gardner, Charlotte, with a pin at 3:50 of the second period.

Jim Inman, 130 pounds, decided John Wilcox of Lakewood to get into the finals. Inman went 2-2 on the day and finished fourth.

Senior Dave Rottier was also 2-2 and placed fourth. He got into the finals by trashing Grand Ledge's Bob Beatty 16-0.

Doug Weeks, 119 pounds, and Chris Kamphuis, 135 pounds, finished the day at 2-2 but did not place.

Finishing at 1-2 and not placing were Mike Rottier, 103 pounds; Rich Stouffer, 160 pounds; and Sean Smith, 189 pounds.

Lowell's heavyweight Andy Wester was ill and did not wrestle. Lowell voided that weight class.

Gingerbread Man comes alive for Runciman 1st graders

Principal Dudeck turns into a cow! How can that possibly be? The story of the Gingerbread Man comes alive for the First Graders of Runciman! Remember how the little old man and the little old woman made a gingerbread boy. Well, with the use of puppets the story became alive! Cooks, Dorothy and Elaine became the little old man and little old woman. Mr. Dudeck was the cow who wanted to devour that tasty gingerbread man. Secretary, Ilene Roth played horse; Mrs. Donahue's class were the farmers; Mrs. Stormzand's class were the school children; and librarian, Mrs. Bruinsma became that smart fox who finally ended up with that delicious gingerbread treat!

The students of Mrs. Schaa's class said they'd never forget being the gingerbread boy with their two foot high paper gingerbread men which they each created! "And don't forget Mrs. Schaa, no running in the hall," commented one of the runaway gingerbreadmen.

Michiganians use winter to discover Florida

Ponce De Leon may have discovered it, but nearly 1.7 million Michiganians take advantage of it annually and help its economy flourish, according to AAA Michigan.

"It is the state of Florida and Michigan residents flock there every winter—half by air and half by auto—to bask in balmy weather and 8,462 miles of coastline, enjoy championship golf courses and world-renowned sight-seeing.

"Last year, Michigan sent the eighth-highest number of visitors to Florida by air, and the seventh-highest number

by car," said Peter Erickson, AAA Michigan Member Services Director. "Between December and March, AAA Michigan's touring department prepared nearly 50,000 TripTiks and routings to Florida, more than we prepare for any other destination.

"The most popular city in Florida is Orlando. Although an inland city, Orlando draws the most 'snowbirds' because it's home to Disney World, Sea World, Universal Studios and the Kennedy Space Center."

AAA Michigan's "Free-ways to Florida Fun" guide illustrates six recommended routes to Orlando from both Kalamazoo and Detroit. The shortest route from the Detroit area to Orlando is along I-75, about 1,171 miles. From Kalamazoo to Orlando, the shortest route is 1,218 miles and travels along I-69 and I-75.

AAA suggests that a family of four visiting Florida budget about \$180 per day for lodging and meals, plus \$9.70 per 100 miles for gasoline, oil, tires and maintenance. In Florida, motorists will pay an average \$1.103 per gallon for regular self-serve unleaded gasoline.

For those who fly to the Sunshine State, round-trip coach fares will range anywhere from \$251 to \$916 between November and March, the peak season. Tickets in the lower price range are subject to availability, must be purchased three weeks in advance and are non-refundable. Travelers must also be willing to be flexible about travel times and dates.

VERGENNES TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The Vergennes Township Meetings for 1992 are scheduled as follows:

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| January 13, 1992 | July 13, 1992 |
| February 10, 1992 | August 10, 1992 |
| March 9, 1992 | September 14, 1992 |
| April 13, 1992 | October 12, 1992 |
| May 11, 1992 | November 9, 1992 |
| June 8, 1992 | December 14, 1992 |

The Township Meetings are held the second Monday of each month at the Vergennes Township Hall, 10381 Bailey Drive at 7:30 p.m. Township Hall Phone: 897-5671.

The Planning Commission meetings are scheduled as follows:

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| January 22, 1992 | June 24, 1992 |
| February 26, 1992 | September 23, 1992 |
| March 25, 1992 | October 28, 1992 |
| April 22, 1992 | November 18, 1992 |
| May 27, 1992 | December 16, 1992 |

All Planning Commission meetings will be held in the Township Hall at 7:30 p.m.

The Zoning Board of Appeals meet as required or on request.

Permits:
Gerald Roark - Building Inspector - 676-0302
Butch Visser - Electrical & Mechanical Inspector 676-0302 or 949-3765
Bob Cooley - Plumbing Inspector - 949-3765

Jean Hoffman
Vergennes Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Vergennes Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, January 22, 1992 at 7:30 p.m., at the Vergennes Township Hall, for the purpose of receiving comment on a Special Exception Use application from the Lowell Area Schools to construct a high school and accompanying athletic facilities in the NE 1/4 of Section 33.

The application, with the proposed site plan, includes an approximately 100 acre parcel, plus a five acre strip for an ingress/egress road from Alden Nash road to the primary parcel.

The application and proposed site plan can be examined at the Vergennes Township Hall between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays. Written comments will also be considered if received at the Vergennes Township Hall, 10381 Bailey Drive, Lowell, MI 49331, before 7:30 p.m. on January 22, 1992.

Gil Wise
Chairman

Council appoints five to vacated board seats

Much needed appointments were made to a number of boards at Monday's City Council meeting.

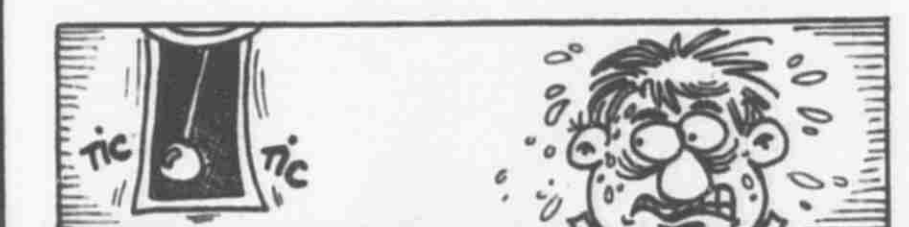
First and foremost was the Lowell Light and Power Board and the Lowell Cable Board.

The Council decided last year to split the Lowell Light and Power/Lowell Cable TV Board into two separate boards with no one person serving on both.

On Monday, it approved the appointment of Barb Brown to the Lowell Light and Power Board, replacing Ivan Blough.

There were three appointments made to the Lowell Cable TV Board. Included in those appointments were Blough, councilman Jim Hodges and Bob Masten. Blough's appointment is good through June 30, 1994. Masten's is good through June 30, 1993 and Hodges term goes through June 30, 1992.

Joe Aitchison was reappointed to the airport board and Jim Soles was named to one of the ex officio member vacancies.



The first pendulum clock was built by the Dutch scientist Christiaan Huygens in 1657.

LOWELL CHARTER TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The January regular board meeting will be held on Monday, January 20, 1992 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lowell Township Hall, 2910 Alden Nash, S.E., Lowell, MI. At such time in addition to regular business and in accordance with the law, a budget covering proposed expenditures and estimated revenue of the Township shall be submitted for consideration. Copies of the proposed budget are available at the Township Hall during regular office hours.

Carol L. Wells
Clerk
897-7600

ONE PLACE HAS IT ALL!

THE CLASSIFIEDS

<h3>EVENTS</h3> <p>BINGO Every Friday Night 7:15 P.M. Lowell VFW Hall East Main St., Lowell Early Bird Bingo at 6:45 P.M. PUBLIC INVITED</p>	<h3>BUSINESS SERVICES</h3> <p>NEED MORE MONEY? Start your own business at home. Unlike most businesses where you need a large capital outlay just to get started, you can start on a shoestring and make a great deal of money in a short period of time at home. And just part time to start. For more information send a SASE to: Wedgewood Publishing, P.O. Box 191, Lowell, MI 49331. C9</p>	<h3>BUSINESS SERVICES</h3> <p>START YOUR OWN CAREER in a fast growing business. Sales experience or training not necessary. For appointment call, 246-8481. C9,10</p>	<h3>SALES</h3> <p>WINTER GARAGE SALE Heated garage. New & used items, new Dayton generator, sofa, antique furniture, craft items, clothes, etc. Friday, Jan. 10, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. 2674 Lincoln Lake Rd., 2 houses south of 3 Mile. C9</p>	<h3>FOR SALE</h3> <p>NISSAN SENTRA - 1983 wagon, 120,000 miles, air, \$850 or best offer. 897-6601. C9</p>	<h3>CARD OF THANKS</h3> <p>THANKS TO ALL the special people who gave money and cards, Gordy and Dirk and Alto Gas softball team for the time I was in the hospital</p> <p>Thanks again, Bill Yoder</p>
<h3>BINGO</h3> <p>Every Saturday Night 7:00 P.M. LOWELL MOOSE BINGO 1320 E. Fulton Early Bird Bingo at 6:00 P.M.</p>	<h3>ELECTRICAL WORK</h3> <p>Residential - Commercial • New Construction • • Maintenance • Small jobs welcome. Senior Discount. Call Davis Electric 676-9574</p>	<h3>HELP WANTED</h3> <p>CHIROPRACTIC DOCTORS OFFICE is seeking an energetic health oriented person to schedule patients, do computerized billing and assist doctor. Job will begin in February. No smokers. Typing required. Person must have exceptional organizational skills, the ability to think and act independently and a strong desire to help others. Applicants will be considered on the basis of sincerity, office skills and their understanding of natural health. If you have these qualifications send your confidential resume to Assistant, PO Box 211, Lowell, MI, 49331. C9,10</p>	<h3>FOR SALE</h3> <p>1987 FORD RANGER XLT - 4 cylinder, 5 speed, Tonneau cover, super sharp, excellent condition, \$4,450. Call 693-2168. C9</p>	<h3>A CHILDREN'S BOUQUET</h3> <p>The unique new gift idea just for children. Gift baskets designed for newborn thru school age. From bibs and rattles to books, cars, ribbons and crayons. Let me fill and decoratively wrap a beautiful basket for the new arrival, a sick child in the hospital or special occasion. Delivery available. Call Annette, 676-2836. P10-11</p>	<h3>I WISH TO THANK</h3> <p>the ladies at Schneider Manor for the gifts, money, cards at Christmas time. To the other ladies I clean for, the cards, money and gifts. To Clara Dalstra, for the cookies; to Oscar and Shirley Peckham for being special. I hope you all have a Happy New Year.</p> <p>Ila Phillips</p>
<h3>BUSINESS SERVICES</h3> <p>DAVIS ELECTRIC Quality • Service Dependability RESIDENTIAL COMMERCIAL LIGHT INDUSTRIAL Ph. 676-9574</p>	<h3>LICENSED DAYCARE</h3> <p>For 12 years. Openings on days, certified CPR, meals furnished. Sibley Street. Call 897-7359. C9</p>	<h3>HOWARD ACHESON, JR.</h3> <p>Income Tax Service. Appointment only. Lowell area, 897-5428. Alto area, 868-2044. C9-14</p>	<h3>WOOD FOR SALE</h3> <p>Premium quality rounded pickup load. Apple wood, \$75; apple stumps, \$60. No deliveries. (Dave) 897-8820. C5tn</p>	<h3>FOR SALE - 1 - 12 x 18</h3> <p>sunporch, consisting of 7-60 x 68 insulated aluminum sliding glass doors complete with aluminum self supporting roof. \$850. Call 897-9920. C9</p>	<h3>THE FAMILY OF GLENN RICKERT</h3> <p>would like to thank all our relatives, friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown to us during his illness and our recent loss. A special thanks to all who sent food, flowers, cards & contributions to the memorials. Thanks to the Lowell Medical Care Center for their loving care and to Dr. Gerard. Rev. William Amundsen for the lovely memorial service, Roth-Gerst Funeral Home and the United Methodist Ladies for preparing and serving the lunch.</p> <p>God bless all of you. Mrs. Glenn Rickert Marilyn & Larry Cahoon & Family Shirley Weeks & Family Gladys Clemenz & Family</p>
<h3>CASH!</h3> <p>For single family, multi-family and handyman specials. All areas considered. Written offer in 48 hours.</p> <p>Marshall Redder, Remax, 457-3245. C44tn</p>	<h3>TUCKER'S TAX SERVICE</h3> <p>Income taxes prepared, computer processed and computer checked. Reasonable rates! Call 361-2334 for appointment. C10-24</p>	<h3>PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS</h3> <p>MTNA/MMTA member, new to Alto area, now accepting students. Call 868-7364. C9</p>	<h3>MOBILE HOME - 60 x 12,</h3> <p>8 x 12 expando, 2 sun decks, central air, washer/dryer, stove/refrigerator included, many improvements, nice lot in Key Heights, immediate possession. \$7,200 or best offer. Call, 897-7987 or 956-4783. C9</p>	<h3>FOR RENT</h3> <p>FOR RENT - 2 bedroom upper apartment in Lowell, 2 family home. No smoking. \$400 per month plus utilities. Deposit & reference required. 897-4861. C9</p>	<h3>THANK YOU</h3> <p>to all relatives, neighbors and friends for money, food and gifts brought to me before and after Christmas Day. Also, phone calls, and a nice flower from my nurse. Also to Snow United Methodist Church for their gift of kindness.</p> <p>Thanks and God bless. Aunt Ella T.</p>
<h3>HOME CLEANING SERVICE</h3> <p>Reasonable Rates. Local references available. Call "Sisters" Jan Ward or Billie Fallstrom at 897-7290. Ctn</p>	<h3>COMPLETE FORMAL WEAR RENTAL</h3> <p>WEDDINGS OR OTHER SPECIAL OCCASIONS</p> <p><i>Pfaller's</i> CLOTHING</p> <p>RIDGEVIEW SHOPPING CENTER 2173 W. MAIN ST., LOWELL PH. 897-6411</p>	<h3>HELP WANTED</h3> <p>Licensed cosmetologist or barber, part time. Call 897-6267. C3tn</p>	<h3>APPLEWOOD - Cord,</h3> <p>\$100; pickup load, \$75. Sorry no deliveries. 897-8820. C10tn</p>	<h3>FOR RENT - Very nice 2</h3> <p>bedroom mobile home on 2 acre lot southeast of Lowell, \$380 per month, deposit & references required. Call 642-9876. C9,10</p>	<h3>PERSONALS</h3> <p>"Know More Diet" Jump Start Class FRIDAY, JAN. 10 5:30 - 7 P.M. First United Methodist Church A fun approach to weight loss from <i>Jazzercise</i>. Call 897-6124 • 15</p>
<h3>HOUSECLEANING</h3> <p>Openings available. References, reasonable rates. Call 897-9421. C9</p>	<h3>HOUSECLEANING</h3> <p>Openings available. References, reasonable rates. Call 897-9421. C9</p>	<h3>HELP WANTED</h3> <p>Licensed cosmetologist or barber, part time. Call 897-6267. C3tn</p>	<h3>SECOND BEST SHOPPE</h3> <p>Treasures to be found! New fun prices in '92! Ye Olde Curiosity Shoppes is better than before. This month's special: Blouses, jeans, slacks, shirts, \$3.50 while they last! 214 E. Main, Lowell. Noon 'til 6 p.m. Tues. thru Sat. C10-11</p>	<h3>BLUE HEELER TYPE PUPS</h3> <p>Unusual spotted marks, frisbee catching, cow dogs. \$20 & up. 897-7328. C9,10</p>	<h3>IN MEMORY</h3> <p>of Raymond A. Phillips, who passed away Jan. 1, 1979.</p> <p>You are always in our thoughts, And forever in our hearts. Ila Phillips</p>



DISCOVER YOURSELF

through

LOWELL COMMUNITY EDUCATION

(Second Semester Schedule)

IMPROVE YOUR EMPLOYMENT SITUATION; DEVELOP JOB SKILLS WHILE EARNING A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA! All Lowell Adult Ed. classes, including those at the Kent Skills Centers, will earn you credit towards your high school diploma. These classes are FREE to adult non-grads, and to grads under the age of 20. (Others may take classes for a fee).

CALL 897-8434 TODAY TO REGISTER!

ENRICHMENT CLASSES

LOWELL FAMILY CELEBRATION

The Lowell Area Schools TLC Committee, (Together Lowell Cares), formerly the Red Ribbon Committee, in cooperation with Lowell Community Education and Lowell Parent/Teacher Clubs, is sponsoring a day of informative workshops this winter.

The purpose of the workshops is to explore issues concerning families and education and will be geared toward adult participation.

Topics will include: Home Issues That Impact Education, What is School Improvement?, ADHD - Learn More, Learning Disabilities, New Trends in Education, Single Parenting, Blended/Step Families, and Tough Love.

The workshops will be held Saturday, February 1, from 8:00 am to 12:30 pm in the Lowell Middle School. Registration fee is \$3.00 per person. Babysitting and refreshments will be provided. Please call Marge at 897-8434 to register, or for more information.

* ESPECIALLY FOR WOMEN * MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR LIFE!

Lowell Community Ed. is offering a series of 4 growth sessions especially for women beginning Thursday, February 6, 7:00-9:00 PM in the Lowell High School. Topics to be included are:

- *** Dealing With Stress
- *** Becoming Appropriately Assertive
- *** How to Handle Anger
- *** Image; Reaching Inside to Find Our Full Potential

Join us for stimulating and positive discussions sure to help you discover alternatives and choices available to you. Fee is \$18, which includes all 4 sessions. To register, call Marge at 897-8434

SOLUTION FOCUSED PARENTING SESSIONS

This series of 6 sessions is designed for parents of teenagers. It will help parents avoid needless power struggles with their adolescents over "thorny" issues.

Parents are provided the opportunity to learn "hands on" effective techniques and how to establish small, realistic goals for themselves and their teenagers.

The focus is on parents' strengths and resources, rather than on alleged problems.

Sessions begin on Tuesday, February 25, 7:00-9:30PM in the Lowell High School. Fee is \$60.00 for all six sessions. (Class size limited to 8). To register, call Marge at 897-8434.

ADVANCED CAKE DECORATING

You've asked for this class and here it is! Begins Tuesday, January 28, and runs for 6 weeks. Classes will be held in the Lowell High School, 7:00-9:00 PM Fee is \$20. You must register by calling 897-8434.

Classes held in the Lowell High School begin the week of January 20 and are as follows:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
Math	Computers	English	Government
Science	Art	U.S. History	Word Perfect 5.1
Computers		Remedial Reading	
Computerized Accounting			

KENT SKILLS CENTER

Starting Date January 27, 1992

Starting Date For Classes Meeting M-F January 27, 1992

Registration For High School Completion And Graduates Under 20 Begins January 6, 1992

Open Registration Begins January 13, 1992

CLASS AGRICULTURAL

- **Floral Design I
- **Floral Design II
Prerequisite Floral Design I
- **Floral Design III
Prerequisite Floral Design II
- Landscape Design & Maintenance

BUSINESS

- **Accounting I
- **Accounting I & II
- **Accounting Applications On The IBM Personal Computer
- **Applied Communication
- Automated Office Systems

- *Banking-Lending Procedures
- *Database File Management On Personal Computers
- Entrepreneurship-Establishing A Small Business
- **Information Processing

CONSTRUCTION TRADES

- **Architectural Design and Drafting
- **Residential Construction-Basic Wiring
- **Residential Construction-Finishing
- **Residential Construction-Plumbing
- **Residential Construction-Roughing

GRAPHIC COMMUNICATIONS

- **Advertising Art I & II
- **Commercial Photography I
- **Commercial Printing/Offset
- **Graphic Arts Cluster
- **Printing-Typesetting Composition (Desk Top Publishing)

HEALTH OCCUPATIONS

- College Health Career/Tech Prep
- *Graduate Nurse Aide Training
Starting date - February 11, 1992
(85 hour program plus an additional 15 hours to be arranged with instructor)

HOME AND COMMERCIAL SERVICES

- Baking
- Commercial Baking
- Culinary Arts-Introduction

INDUSTRIAL/MECHANICAL

- **Auto Mechanics-Tune-Up/Electrical
- **Automotive Reconditioning Maintenance
- **Automotive Technology

- **Furniture Finishing Technology
- **Furniture Technology

- **Heating & Ventilation-Heating Boiler Systems
- Hydraulics/Pneumatic/Electronics
- **Introduction To Woods

- **Jewelry Design And Marketing
- **Machine Metals - Introduction
- **Machine Set-Up And Inspection
- **Machining - CNC
- **Patternmaking I
- **Patternmaking II
- **Professional Auto Body I

- **Professional Auto Body II

- **Refrigeration II
- **Small Engine Repair

- **Statistical Process Control

TECHNICAL

- **Air Traffic Control
- **Applied Mathematics For Technology
- **Architectural Design and Drafting
- Drafting-Basic
- Drafting-Computer Aided Design-Basic (CAD)
- Drafting-Computer Aided Design-Intermediate (CAD)
- Drafting-Computer Aided Design-Advanced (CAD)
- *Electromechanical
- **Electronics
- Engineering Drafting
- **Industrial Electricity-Alternating Current
- **Mechanical Blueprint Reading

GARDEN MINI-CLASSES

Kent Skill Center
1655 E. Beltline NE

Take 4 gardening mini-classes at the regular fee and receive 5th class free!

ROSES

Thursday, March 5
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Alice Otter

BIRDS IN YOUR BACKYARD

Monday, March 16
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Dr. Mary Jane Dockravy

DO NATURE BEFORE SHE DOES YOU

Monday, March 23
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Dr. Mary J. Dockravy

RESIDENTIAL LANDSCAPING

Tuesday, March 24
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Alice Otter

PERENNIALS

Wednesday, March 25
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Carol Kerr

VEGETABLE AND FLOWER GARDENING

Tuesday, March 31
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Don Kisten

MICHIGAN WILD-FLOWERS

Thursday, April 15
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: George Vaughn

ORCHIDS

Wednesday, April 29
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Holly VanderWoude

MUSHROOM CLASS & FIELD TRIP

Wed. April 29 & May 2
7:00-9:00 pm - \$12 Fee
Instr: Westhoven/Benson

ECOLOGY: From Plants to Parking Lots

Thursday, April 30
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Jim Muller

PRESSED FLOWERS

Wed. May 6, 13, 20, 27
7:00-9:30 pm - \$15 Fee
Instr: Joan Berlin

COMPOSTING

Thursday, May 7
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Bill Bosserman

HERB GARDENING

Thursday, May 21
7:30-9:00 pm - \$6 Fee
Instr: Halgard Adams

Call 771-3151 for information or to register.



ARCHERY SEMINAR

From beginners through advanced, learn all the aspects of archery. Includes: equipment selection, use & maintenance, safety, shooting techniques with computerized analysis, hunting tips, and much more. QUESTIONS & ANSWERS. These seminars will be sponsored by the Kent Regional Community Education

March 12, 19, 26, April 2, 1992
7 - 9 p.m. \$22 Class Fee
Kent Skills Center (East Beltline)

Association and conducted by Vic Berkompas (owner of Vic's Archery of Hyton Center/Grandville for 29 years). Vic's an experienced hunter with record trophies to his credit. Avid archer since 1961 including manufacturing his own products and inventions.

Call 771-3151 for information or to register

WILD TURKEY HUNTING

with Dennis Geurink
Midwest Editor / Field & Stream

Wednesday, February 26
7 - 9:30 p.m.
\$6 Class Fee + \$4 Book Fee

REFUND POLICY:

A full refund will be granted if the class is cancelled and you paid ahead of time, OR if requested at least 2 days prior to the 2nd scheduled class meeting. No refunds will be granted after that date.