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Township explores the possibility of contracting city to provide its water system with maintenance

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

Lowell Township's water project is completed. Or is it?

The mains are running, Eastgate is on line and the school has water.

A closer look shows that there is still one very important entity that needs a service. That entity would be Lowell Township.

The township is in need of hiring out someone to perform water system maintenance.

It is looking to contract this water system maintenance service with the city - the generator of the water.

A meeting of city staff including Art Gall (director of Public Works), George Regan (Water Treatment Plant Supervisor), Bob Robinson (Water Distribution Supervisor), Judy Noonon (city treasurer/finance director) and Char McNab (payroll/utility billing) analyzed the tasks and costs involved in performing the service.

The basic rate for main-

tenance would be billed monthly. The township's cost would be \$27,000 a year. Tasks involved, liability insurance and administrative costs all went into the final figure.

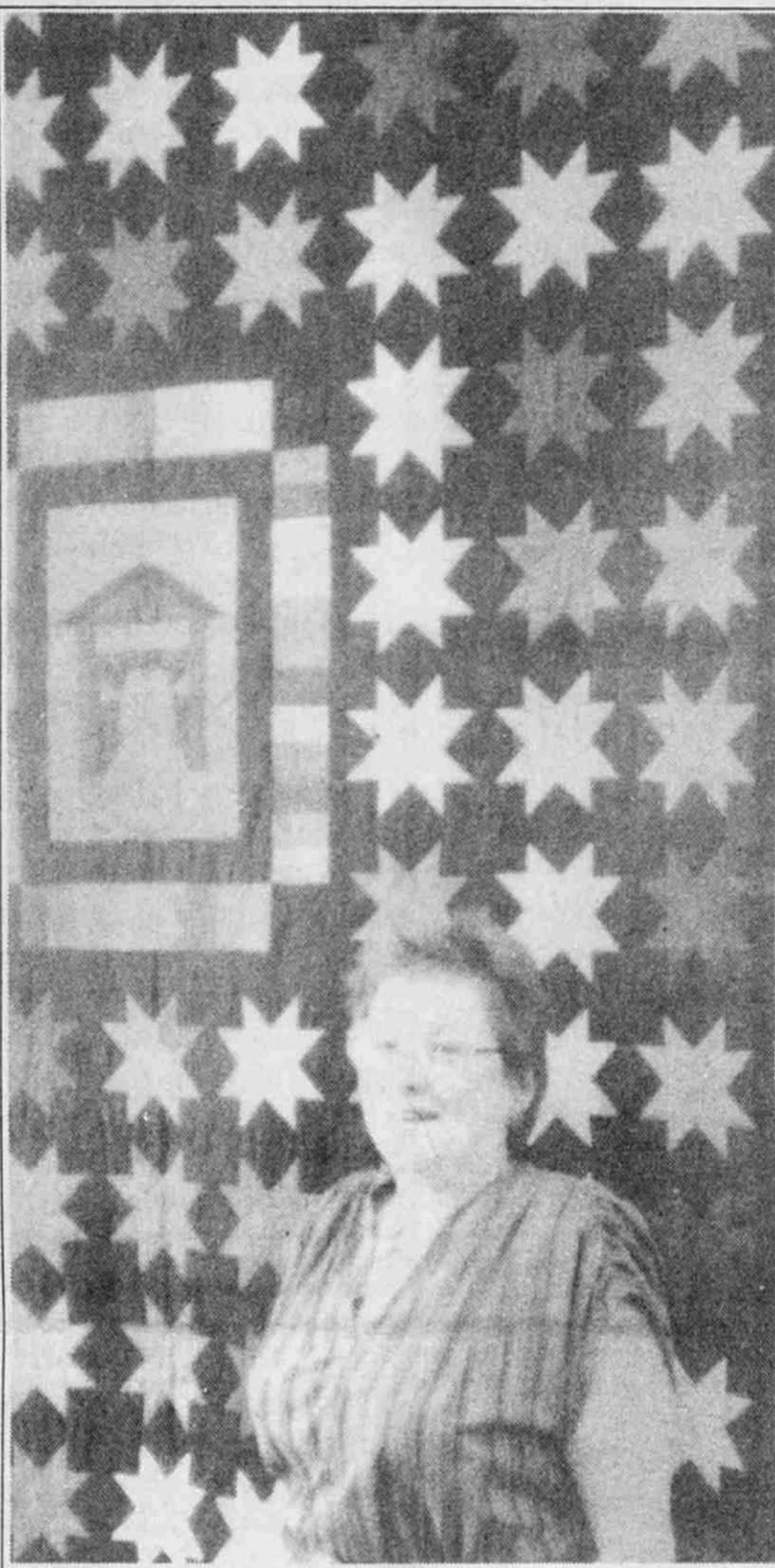
Materials and equipment rental would be billed on actual costs. It was estimated to be \$14,500 for one year. That cost would fluctuate from year to year.

Taking on the maintenance role for the township would mean the city would have to hire one half-time person to carry out the responsibilities for the township. The rest of the time, the new position would be assigned to for city duties.

Lowell Township Supervisor John Timpson reviewed the proposal and found it satisfactory, according to Pasquale. However, Timpson had not yet discussed it with the township board.

The township was also going to explore other contractual arrangements.

Councilman Bill Thompson wondered who gets serviced first if there are busted
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Dolores Dey proudly displays this year's Fallasburg Fall Festival quilt. The quilt is one of many prizes that will be raffled off this weekend at the festival.

Fallasburg Bridge highlighted with quilt's shining stars

By Marc Popielek
Contributing Writer

Every night the Fallasburg Bridge is surrounded by stars. Now the same can be said for this year's quilt commemorating the bridge.

For the 11th year in a row, a Dolores Dey quilt will honor the bridge. The quilt will be raffled off at this year's Fallasburg Festival.

The festival will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on September 24-25 at Fallasburg Park, four miles north of Lowell.

Dey, along with her two daughters Mary Wernet and Susan Ewing, put the quilt together in one month. She said it took some prodding from her daughters to get going, but once they got started, it all came together.

"My daughter Mary invited me to her cottage on the 4th of July weekend and she got me to work on the quilt," said Dey. "We started on the stars early in the morning and didn't finish till late in the night. All we did the entire weekend was work on the quilt and we were able to put it together."

Eleven years ago she volunteered to make a quilt and ever since then, the Lowell Area Arts Council has asked her to repeat her efforts. For Dey the project has always been a challenge.

"I like the challenge of coming up with a different design every year. This year I felt the stars would look good on a quilt; it was that simple," said Dey.

The quilt along with 30-35 other pieces of work will be raffled off for \$1 on Sept. 25. Dey said the raffle is usually one of the top draws and brings in funds to help the center with some of its projects during the year.

Kent County may have different ideas about controlling speed limit on Alden Nash and Vergennes

•• School's request not in line with state law

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

Most people living in and outside of the Lowell area are aware of Lowell's new high school facility.

Lowell Interim Superintendent Dick Korb, collaborating with Vergennes Township Supervisor Jim Cook and Kent County Sheriff James Dougan, is working to make sure that drivers are adhering to the safety precautions in the area of the school.

In a letter to Jim Porritt, managing director of the Kent County Road Commission, the school has requested assistance in the area of safety.

Requests noted in the letter include installing a package of school identification signs on Vergennes Road and Alden Nash; reducing the speed limit from its current 55 mph to 45 mph in the school zone on Vergennes and Alden Nash and to erect the appropriate signs indicating the new 45 mph zone; and

installing blinking zone signs on Vergennes Road and Alden Nash Road to reduce speed even further to 25 mph when school is in session.

However, the requests are not in line with state law.

Jeff Best, director of traffic and safety for Kent County, said school signs are not put up for high schools. "That is only done for elementary and middle schools," he said.

Another misnomer people have, according to Best, is that the county sets the speed limit. "We do not. The motorists set the speed," he said.

Speed limits are determined through speed studies. The study determines the speed of what 85 percent of the drivers are going at or slower.

The statutory speed for secondary roads like Vergennes and Alden Nash is 55 mph. If a second speed study was completed and it showed

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DDA monies could be available to the city by the middle of next month

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

Deadlines - not meeting them can be costly.

Meeting them can be rewarding - just ask the Lowell Downtown Development Authority.

Its ability to meet qualifications means the Lowell DDA will be able to capture more monies than once thought.

Originally it was thought that under the new school finance reform, the city of Lowell could afford and finance approximately \$800,000.

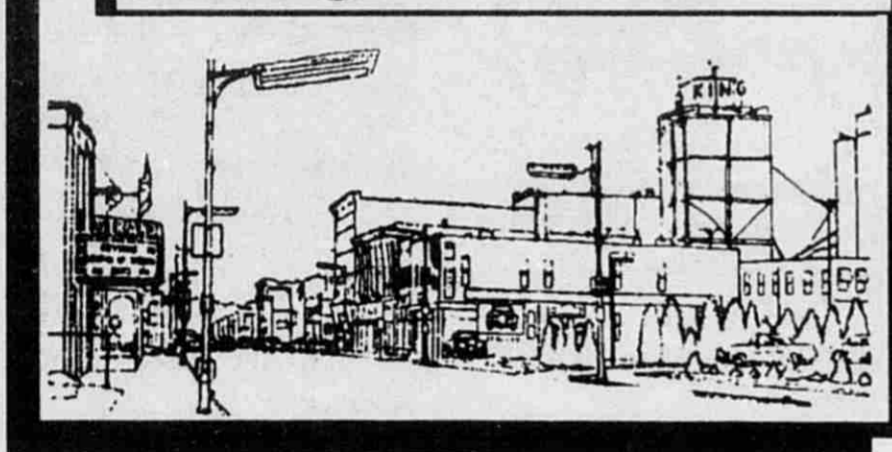
Because it met the qualifications, it was also able to take advantage of its pipeline project status. This will mean an extra \$400,000 towards its DDA project.

The amount of the bond will be \$1.235 million, of which \$1.2 million can be utilized for such improvements through tax increment financing. The city will capture property tax increments which will include state millage and local and intermediate school millage.

Pre-closing of the bonds is scheduled to take place Oct.

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Along Main Street



WHEN WILL TLC NETWORK START?

The kick-off meeting for the start of the TLC Network will be held Wednesday, Sept. 21 at 7 p.m. at Cherry Creek Elementary School (the former middle school building) in the cafeteria.

There will be a welcome from Dick Korb, acting superintendent for Lowell Area Schools and two guest speakers, Chief Valentine from the Lowell Police Department and Andy Johnson, Lowell YMCA director. There will then be an information session on how the network works and an opportunity for parents to sign up to become part of the network.

BLOOD DRIVE

The Lowell Rotary will be sponsoring a blood drive for the Grand Valley Blood Program on Wednesday, Sept. 28 from 3 to 8 p.m. at the Lowell Area Fire Station, 319 South Hudson. Anyone who is 17 years old and weighs at least 110 pounds may be eligible to donate blood every 56 days.

To schedule an appointment call Betty Morlock at 897-8457. For more information call Ginni Blanchard, GVBP Mobile Consultant at 776-1863.

YMCA BASKETBALL

YMCA basketball will be held Monday nights at the new high school gym. Adult open gym runs from 7 to 9 p.m. and the cost is \$2.

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INSIDE THE LEDGER

A 26-year Fallasburg Festival celebration continues this weekend,
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Priscilla Lussmyer named Person-of-the-Year, Page 28

#1 and #3 battle Friday, Page 20

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ADMISSION CHARGES FOR LMS BASKETBALL
Lowell Middle School will be charging admission for admittance to girls' basketball, boys' basket ball, wrestling and volleyball games.
The cost will be \$1 for adults and 50¢ for students. The money generated will be used to cover game management expenses.

HOMECOMING PARADE MARCHERS NEEDED
Anyone who is interested in marching in the homecoming parade on Oct. 7, please contact the Lowell High School at 897-4125.

WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP
Former West Michigan resident and award winning artist Dick Zayac will conduct a two-day watercolor workshop at the Lowell Area Arts Center. Painting on site is the goal, weather permitting. Zayac will conduct demonstrations and

will assist members with their own works.
A continental breakfast will be provided, bring a brown bag lunch. Paper and paint are provided. The workshop will be held at the Center on Friday, Sept. 30 and Saturday, Oct. 1 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. each day, rain or shine. The fee is \$75 for LAAC members and \$85 for non-members, in advance. Register with the Lowell Area Arts Council, 149 S. Hudson, P.O. Box 53, Lowell.

COMMODITIES DISTRIBUTION
Commodities will be distributed Thursday, September 29, between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Moose Recreational Building, 1320 E. Main. For more information call 897-6792.

OFF THE BLOTTER
Reid Hanson, 17, of Grand Rapids, was involved in a property damage accident Sept. 10 when he failed to yield at the intersection of High and Jackson Street and struck a vehicle driven by Ella Hurley, 74, of Lowell.
A 12-year-old juvenile, from Lowell, was slightly injured Sept. 13 when he rode his bicycle into the side of a van which was stopped at Pleasant and Main. The van was driven by Gerald Felling, 30, of Lowell.
Richard Thomson, 37, of Lowell, struck a deer Sept. 11 on

Foreman near Gee Drive, causing damage to his vehicle but not injuring the driver.
Lester Fenning, 77, of Lowell, failed to stop for the traffic light at Main and Hudson Street Sept. 13 and sustained injuries when he collided with a pickup truck driven by Sandra Caswell, 54, of Alto.
A vehicle owned by Jacqueline Miller, of Ionia, was damaged Sept. 7 when it was backed into by a 16-year-old driver from Lowell while in a parking lot on West Main Street. No injuries were reported.
George Van Oostendorp, 32, of Lowell, was arrested Sept. 13 by Lowell officers on a warrant for possession of marijuana.
Scott Johnson, 37, of Greenville, was arrested Sept. 15 for driving under the influence of alcohol and on a warrant out of Greenville for failure to appear in court.
Ross Starkweather, 44, of Lowell, was arrested by Lowell officers Sept. 16 on a warrant issued by the Friend of the Court in Ionia County.
Two juveniles, 15 and 16 years old, were taken to juvenile detention Sept. 18 for being in possession of a stolen vehicle.
Mary Smith, 30, of Lowell, was arrested by Lowell officers on a warrant Sept. 17.

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was completed and it showed that 85 percent of the vehicles were going at a speed of 45 mph or less, then the speed limit would be changed.
Best said studies show that drivers usually slow themselves down in areas where traffic is increased whether there are signs up or

not. He added that school speed zones are probably violated the most.
"If a second study would show that drivers are going faster than the statutory 55 mph on Vergennes and Alden Nash, we would then recommend to the county that there is a speeding problem and

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and/or frozen lines this winter?
"The frozen line problem last year nearly killed our guys," Thompson said. "Does the city want to take on somebody else's?"
Pasquale said with new lines, frozen lines are not anticipated. "We've put a lot of time into this to come up with a contract that covers both our and the township's needs. We feel we're doing what is

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4. City attorney Dick Wendt said that the closing of bonds and receipt of funds are scheduled for Oct. 13. This means the money will be available by the middle of next month. Bonds will have to be issued by Dec. 31.
The city will have three years to spend bond funds once received.
Lowell City Manager Dave Pasquale sees this as a plus. "We won't have to jump to get things done. The money will be secured and we will be able to proceed on a per-project basis," he said. "This gives us a good opportunity to look and see what will be

the most bang for our buck."
Pasquale noted that monies can be saved by coordinating projects with other projects. As an example, he noted the city could save on sidewalk curbing by coordinating the project with the state's plan to repave M-21.
"It would make sense to delay some projects if we could coordinate them with others," Pasquale said.
The project will provide for streetscape work on both sides of Main Street from Lincoln Lake to Jefferson along with improvements at the King Milling and Riverside parking lots.
It has been estimated that \$150,000 will remain for additional projects.
The DDA has requested cost information for added streetscape west to the railroad tracks, riverfront improvements and possible acquisition and demolition projects.
Wendt had more good news - a conservative two percent growth rate and a 6.5 percent interest rate, means the city can capture nearly \$100,000 in 1994. He added that he expects higher growth and interest rates under six percent.

Capital News Briefs

By Dave Conklin, Lansing

Engler and Wolpe trade charges over Ryan prison break...
(CNB) Lansing - Democratic gubernatorial nominee Howard Wolpe is calling on state corrections director Kenneth McGinniss to release vital information on prison breaks during his tenure as director. Wolpe contends the State Corrections Department is withholding information about how many attempted breaks have occurred at state facilities. Wolpe added, "I believe the breakout of 10 inmates from the Ryan Correctional Facility last month is only the tip of the iceberg."
Governor Engler is seeking action from state lawmakers on a plan to spend more than \$12 million to strengthen perimeter security at Michigan's correctional facilities. The funds will help construct guard towers, an additional 12 foot buffer fence topped by razor wire to surround the Ryan and Mound Regional Correctional facilities in Detroit and fund other improvements at facilities across the state.

Democrats leave state convention questioning if they can win in November...
(CNB) Flint - Some trade union officials attending the Democratic convention wondered if they have the fortitude to successfully defeat John Engler in November. The event was very subdued with many delegates packing their bags and leaving early. During the convention the following candidates were nominated:
Supreme Court: Incumbent Justice Conrad Mallett of Detroit; Washtenaw County Circuit Judge, Donald Shelton.
State Board of Education: Incumbent Gumecindo Salas of East Lansing; Detroit Federation of Teachers vice president, Carol Thomas of Southfield.
University of Michigan Board of Trustees: Incumbent Paul Brown of Mackinac Island; incumbent, Jim Waters of Muskegon.
Michigan State University: MSU Board Chairman, incumbent Joel Ferguson of Lansing; Michigan Cable Television Association executive

director, Colleen McNamara of Plymouth.
Wayne State University: Incumbent Leon Atchison; Mott Community College financial aid director, Alan Amen.
The convention also approved two issues, including: supporting efforts to repeal the measure that penalized teachers and support staff for striking, and urging the U.S. Congress to approve universal national health care insurance.

State Senate to address various issues in the next three weeks...
(CNB) Lansing - The State Senate is expected to address various measures during their first few weeks back from their summer break. Included are bills that would:
• Address the issue of not-guilty by reason of insanity pleas
• Expand prison boot camps
• Revise the scope of practice for optometrists and chiropractors
• Respond to the problem of domestic violence
• Remove residency restrictions for police and fire officers.

State revenue collections are up...
(CNB) Lansing - State revenue was up over \$33 million in July compared to the same month in 1993. So far this year, the state's general fund has increased by nearly \$399 million.
Total lottery sales were also up in July by 19 percent, to \$103.5 million collected. Sales were sparked by a 68 percent increase in instant game sales and a 14 percent in lotto sales.

Non-profit groups may soon be able to borrow money from the state to build housing for the elderly...
(CNB) Lansing - The State Senate Health Policy Committee this week reported out Senate Bill 1166, allowing non-profits to borrow money at a lower interest rate from the state Hospital Finance Authority for the purpose of providing housing for senior citizens. The Senate is expected to address the bill next week.

Retirement & Estate Planning Seminar

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Ledger Entries, continued...

75 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - SEPT. 18, 1919
87 of the Lowell schools' 449 enrollees are non-residents. 49 students are enrolled in beginning Latin.
F.A. Gould has rented the east store of the King Block, become the agent for Overland, and will operate an up-to-date automobile and supply store and battery shop with 24-hour service.
The National Socialist Party is formed in a Chicago convention. A smaller, more radical group at the same convention forms the Communist Party.
Detroit food hoarders and price gougers will be indicted by a federal grand jury. Meanwhile, sales of surplus Army canned soup create a price war for soup in grocery chains.
Facing a severe shortage of pastors, the Presbyterian New Era conference may allow sermons by phonograph.

50 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - SEPT. 21, 1944
UNRRA—United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration—calls for donations of clothing for needy people in liberated areas overseas. The Lowell Ministerial Association is handling the collection.
Use your blue tokens by September 17. Most canned vegetables and fruits will go off rationing then and the tokens won't be used as "change" any more.
Bell Telephone has installed ducts for cables along Main Street. These will allow installation of a dial system after the war. A central office building will also be constructed on Hudson north of the library.
Make sure your \$5 Use Stamp has been purchased and is pasted on your windshield. U.S. Treasury agents are checking.
The shortage of sugar at canning time brings the

suspicion (not without basis) that warehouses are filled to overflowing with sugar.
25 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - SEPT. 18, 1969
The new 1970 models, five of them, are introduced by the car dealers of Lowell.
Lowell antique clock repairman Kornelis Bronsema is featured in story and picture.
Police are looking for an arsonist who touched off three grass fires on 36th Street, one of them a two-alarm.
Valley Vista residents protest the ban on 55-gallon drums as garbage cans (only up to 30-gallon cans may be used). City officials explain that by the time the larger containers are full of trash, they are a challenge to the city trash collectors to lift.

Letters, continued...

ground and ENJOY! With use and age, it will grow more and more beautiful.
Kathy Swift
Dear Editor:
I would like to publicly thank everyone involved with the Creekside Kingdom Playground Childcare. From those who cared for the children to those who donated toys and supplies and also to the people who donated their time and talents to entertain and give special presentations for our children.
Thank you to the Lowell

Area Schools for providing the facility for our daycare, and to the custodians from Cherry Creek Elementary who donated their time. A special thanks goes to Deb Schultz for acting as co-coordinator. Finally, my sincerest gratitude to Marcia Beiber and Bonnie Gordon, our volunteer coordinators who kept everyone "organized."
Everyone did a terrific job, and we couldn't have done it without you.
Kristy Dinc-Alguire
Dear Editor:
I had the privilege of attending Lowell public schools in the early 1940's. Mr. Burch was a teacher, coach and role model to many of the kids he had contact with, myself included. This man dedicated most of his life to the community and asked nothing in return. I have seen him shoveling snow, changing bus tires and whatever else needed to be done.
I had the great pleasure of playing football and baseball for Mr. Burch. Mr. Burch's influence on my young life is a big reason I am who I am

VERGENNES TOWNSHIP

THE VERGENNES TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS WILL MEET SEPTEMBER 27, 1994 7:00 P.M. AT VERGENNES TOWNSHIP HALL 10381 BAILEY DRIVE

Charles and Jeanne Straub of 12920 Lincoln Hills Drive, Lowell, MI, are requesting to build a pole barn closer to the road than the principal residence.

Jim Cook
Supervisor

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LOWELL AREA SCHOOLS BOARD BRIEFS

FROM SEPTEMBER 12, 1994 REGULAR BOARD MEETING

"SHARING THE VISION" STUDENT PROGRAM - As a new tradition at regular Board meetings, students will be presenting a short program related to what they are learning. Students from Cherry Creek Elementary demonstrated sign language and shared humorous writings which make reading fun.

STUDENT COUNCIL REPORT - Zac Cole, Student Representative on the Board of Education and also Student Council President, reported on the homecoming plans for October 3-8.

TECHNOLOGY PROJECT UPDATE - Technology Coordinator, Mark MacDonald, updated the Board on all the new technology being offered in the classrooms and explained the new AT&T telephone system which offers innovative ideas for classroom instruction.

PERSONNEL - The Board approved the employment of Dale Folkert as the new Business Manager, Sheryl Melle as the middle school In-house Suspension Supervisor, and approved the leave request of Heather Kohtz for maternity reasons.

BOARD POLICIES - Several revisions to Board and Administrative Policies were adopted on their second reading.

PASE MEMBER APPOINTMENTS - Deb Swan-Ellis and Barbara Meyers were nominated to serve on the P.A.S.E. Committee which is a KISD parent advisory committee for special education.

BUS DRIVER CONTRACT - The three-year contract with the bus drivers was approved with the salary package as follows: 1.5% for 1994-95, 1.9% for 1995-96, and 2.35% for 1996-97.

ADAD KINDERGARTEN CONTINUATION APPROVAL - The continuation of the All Day Alternate Day Kindergarten program was approved by the Board.

NEXT MEETING IS MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1994 - 7:30 P.M.
Presentation by T.D. & Associates (Superintendent Search) at 6:30 p.m. at Cherry Creek Elementary Cafeteria

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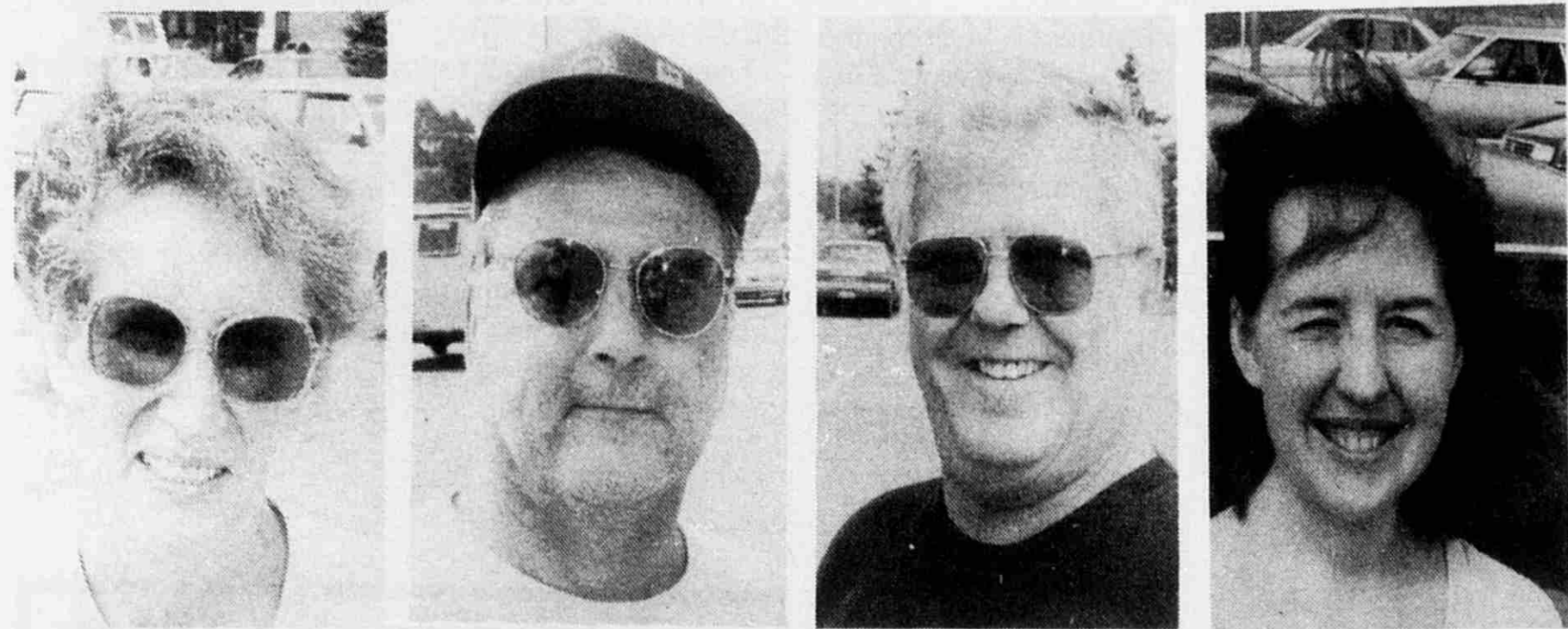
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TOWN TALK—

Do you care that the baseball season has been cancelled?



Mary Wenger
No. I like football better.

Steve Stephens
No. I think both sides are crazy. All either side wants is money, money money. They are all overpaid.

Erwin Cox
Yes. Due to the sponsors. I wish it hadn't been cancelled.

Cindy Gerig
It's a real shame the season has been cancelled due basically to money. Baseball is a tradition.

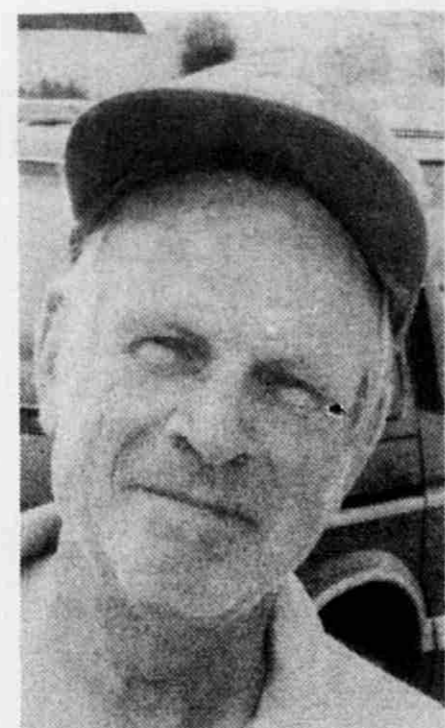
JV football team runs record to 3-0

The junior varsity football team is presently 3-0 after a strong second half performance allowed the team to defeat Ionia 32-6. Wyoming Park challenged the Red Arrows in their second game. An exciting 12-7 victory was

established by the end of the night. Hudsonville junior varsity came into Red Arrow Stadium with the focus on winning their first game against Lowell and establishing a second victory in the O-K White. They were held three points

short by a thrilling interception by Jack Livingston. Jeff Catlin scored one touchdown while Andy Smith scored twice. Aaron Brander also had an interception.

An 18-5 victory was the final score as Hudsonville's final attack was ended on the one-yard line with 10 seconds left to go. The JV squad looks ahead to East Grand Rapids for yet another tough conference dual.



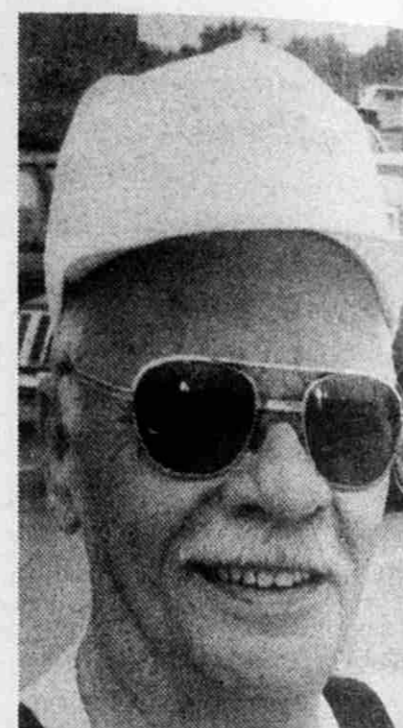
Herb Holcomb
I don't give a damn. They are all out of line. They are all money grabbing. The common fan makes about \$30,000 a year.



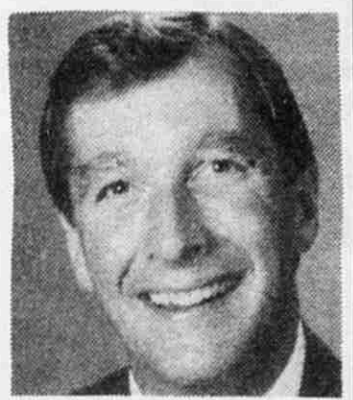
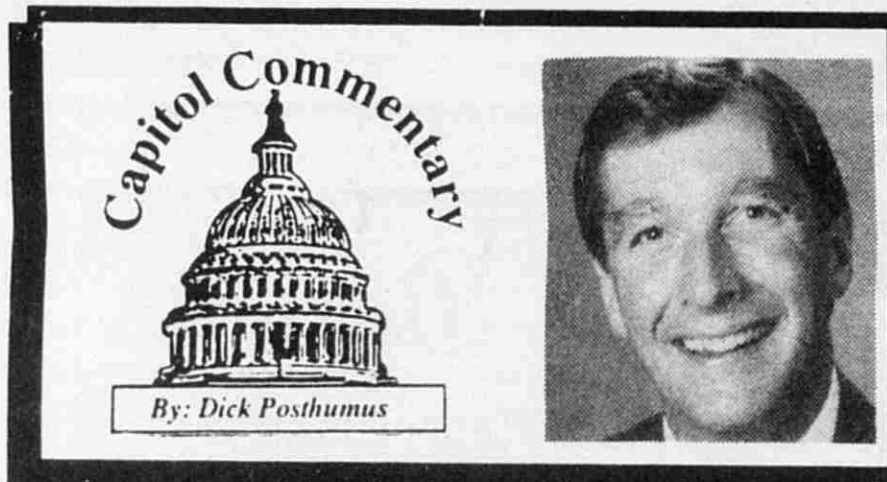
Walt Chaffee
No. I never watch it. However, I did follow the Whitecaps through the write-ups the paper.



Dottie Blain
Yes. I love the Tigers. I hope they get things settled and come to a compromise.



Norman Johnson
It doesn't bother me. I'm not a baseball fan.



This column is the second in a five-part series. As promised last week, this week's column will focus on Proposal A—one of four ballot proposals Michigan voters will decide on in poll booths this November.

First, I want to point out that this fall's Proposal A is totally

different from the much-talked about Proposal A passed earlier this year. While the earlier Proposal A dealt with school funding, the one coming up in just three months asks voters whether they favor a constitutional convention.

When the Michigan Constitution was written in 1963, framers feared the document could become outdated. To allow for progress and change, they included a provision in the constitution that required Michigan voters to decide every 16 years whether the document needs revision. The last vote was in 1978.

If voters reject Proposal A this fall, the state constitution would be left in its current form. However, if voters approve Proposal A, we will be required to hold another election by May 1995 to nominate delegates to a constitutional convention. Voters in each of Michigan's 38 senatorial districts and 110 state House districts would nominate in partisan elections

one person to serve as a convention delegate.

The delegates would then convene on the first Tuesday of October, or before that date is specified in law, to rewrite the state constitution. After their work is done and supported by a majority vote, the delegates would submit the rewritten constitution to state voters for approval.

Some groups believe voters should support Proposal A, arguing this is an opportunity to update a 31-year-old document. Others see it as an opportunity to implement more tax-cutting initiatives and step up protections for homeowners and local units of government against the power of the state.

Those opposed to Proposal A fear a rewrite of the constitution is risky business. Delegates may have narrow political agendas and attempt to carry out changes that could not be won at the ballot box if they stood alone. Most, like myself, believe more change is necessary to help our state compete in a world marketplace. However, many like myself also believe these changes can be made without the costs and risks associated with a constitutional convention.

I'd like to provide the ballot language for you one more time so you have an opportunity to familiarize yourself with it.

The ballot will read like this:
"PROPOSAL A: A proposal to convene a constitutional convention for the purpose of drafting a general revision of the state constitution."

Shall a convention of elected delegates be convened in 1995 to draft a general revision of the state constitution for presentation to the state's voters for their approval or rejection?"

Next week, I will detail Proposal B for you, which deals with the right of convicted criminals to automatically appeal if they've pled guilty or no contest to charges brought against them.

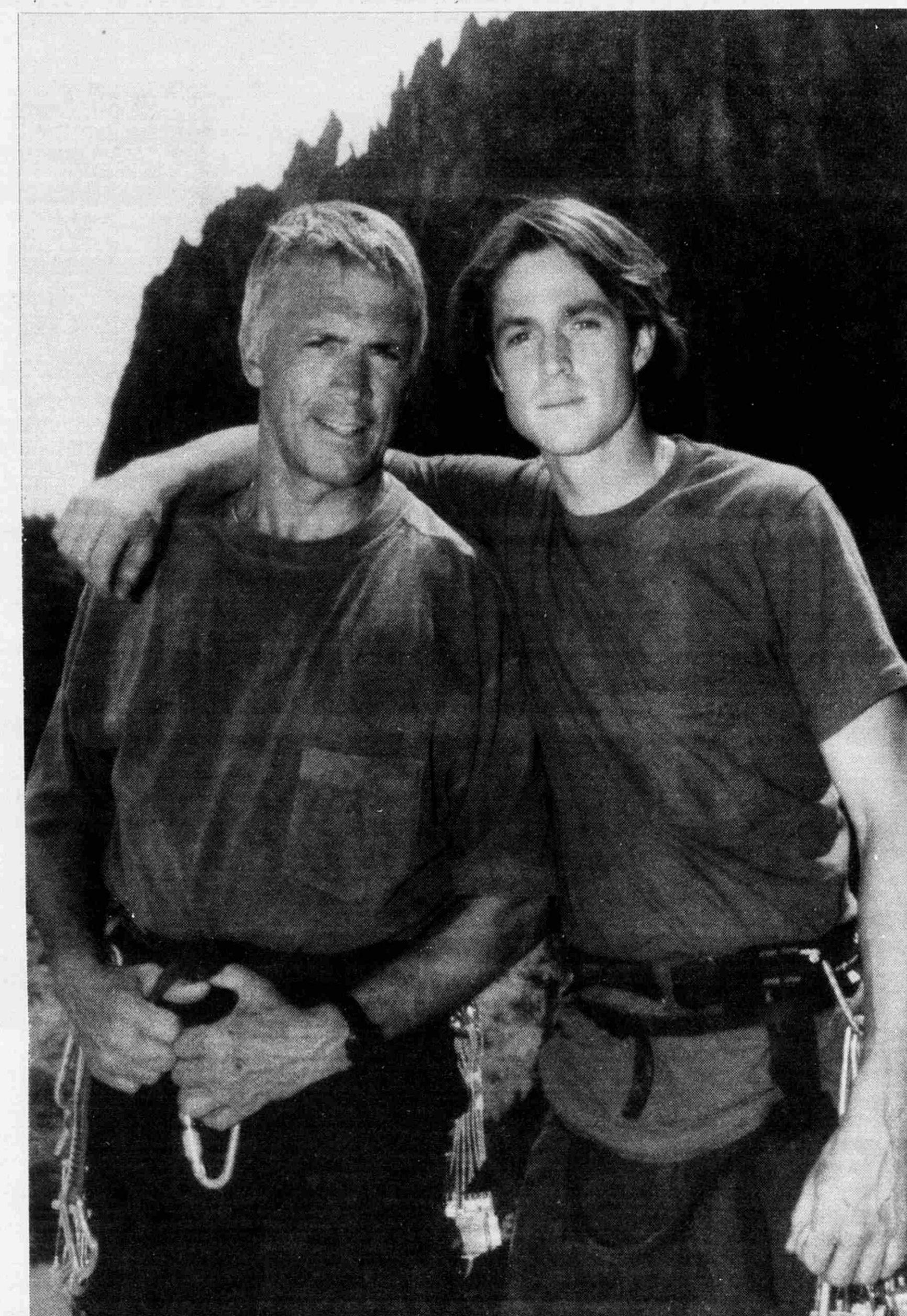
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34	EWTN



FOR THE WEEK OF SEPT. 23 THROUGH SEPT. 29

Chad Everett (left) returns to network series television as an Oregon wilderness guide building an uneasy reconciliation with his prodigal son (Eric Close) after a devastating personal tragedy in *McKenna*, a family drama airing Thursdays on ABC.

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BROADCAST STATIONS	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
33 WWTM	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Due South (In Stereo)	Eye to Eye (In Stereo)	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	News	News	Late Show (In Stereo)		
47 WOTV	Highway Patrol	Extra: Ent. Magazine	My So-Called Life "The Substitute" (In Stereo)	McKenna (In Stereo)	Primitime Live	News	News	Nightline		
35 WGVU	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	Practical Sports	This Old House	Michigan Out-of-Doors	Trailside: Adventure	For a Deaf Son (In Stereo)	Waiting for God	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)		
17 WXMI	Fresh Prince of Bel-Air	Simpsons (In Stereo)	Martin (In Stereo)	Living Single	New York Undercover (In Stereo)	Kung Fu: The Legend Continues "Dragonswing"	Newz (In Stereo)	Cheers		
8 WOOD	Entertainment Tonight	Inside Edition	Mad About You "Home"	Friends (In Stereo)	Seinfeld (In Stereo)	Madman of the People	ER "Going Home" (In Stereo)	Tonight Show		
6 WLNS	Entertainment Tonight	Hard Copy	Due South (In Stereo)	Eye to Eye (In Stereo)	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	News	News	Late Show (In Stereo)		
19 WILX	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)	Mad About You "Home"	Friends (In Stereo)	Seinfeld (In Stereo)	Madman of the People	ER "Going Home" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show		
23 WKAR	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	Practical Sports	This Old House	Michigan Out-of-Doors	Trailside: Adventure	For a Deaf Son (In Stereo)	Waiting for God	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)		
23 WZM	Cops (In Stereo)	Current Affairs	My So-Called Life "The Substitute" (In Stereo)	McKenna (In Stereo)	Primitime Live	News	News	Nightline		
17 WSYM	Simpsons (In Stereo)	Roseanne (In Stereo)	Martin (In Stereo)	Living Single	New York Undercover (In Stereo)	Cops (In Stereo)	Highway Patrol	Newz (In Stereo)	Extra: Ent. Magazine	

LaHaie helps balance Lowell's attack; Red Arrows blast Eagles, 27-13

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

It wasn't pretty but it put Phil Christensen's Red Arrows where he hoped they'd be after three games into the 1994 season.

With its 27-13 O-K White league win over Hudsonville Friday night, Lowell (3-0) ranks third in the state in Class BB. The Red Arrows will be preparing for their showdown with the defending Class B state champions, the number-one ranked Pioneers from East Grand Rapids. Kickoff is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at Red Arrow Stadium.

In a penalty-and mistake-filled contest, Lowell managed to build a 27-0 lead before the home-standing Eagles scored twice in the final quarter of play.

"It was kind of ugly, but I thought we controlled the contest from the opening gun. The problem was we kept self-destructing," Christensen said.

The win was highlighted by the return of tight end/outside linebacker Scott LaHaie. The senior caught two touchdowns from quarterback Brad Holtz. For the evening, LaHaie gathered in six passes for 139 yards.

They hooked up on a second quarter 66-yard touchdown pass with 4:07 to play in the half. The score gave Lowell a 14-0 lead.

LaHaie's second touchdown of the evening came on a 35-yard corner route with 11:54 left to play in the game, giving Lowell a 27-0 lead.

"Lowell has a nice club, especially offensively, Holtz and LaHaie are two pretty good players," said Hudsonville head coach Bill



Aaron Kennedy chases down Hudsonville quarterback Jamie Glass.



Tim Stencil (#9) works his way through a crowd. The Red Arrow back had 69 yards in 18 carries.

Blacquire. "I wasn't dissatisfied with the way we played defensively. Offensively we are having problems moving the ball."

Much of that has to do with the pre-season loss of the Eagles' starting quarterback, senior Dean Esteves.

"It's a problem when you have two kids with no experience playing at quarterback and trying to run the option," said Blacquire.

The Red Arrows made it 20-0 with 3:35 to play in the third quarter when Holtz scored on a seven-yard quarterback keeper.

Jamie Compton got Lowell on the scoreboard midway through the second quarter with a two-yard touchdown burst.

Hudsonville's scores came on a 40-yard touchdown run by Brian Scott with 9:54 to play in the fourth quarter.

The Eagles only other touchdown came with 1:27 to

THURSDAY LATE NIGHT SEPTEMBER 29, 1994										
BROADCAST STATIONS	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30
33 WWTM	Late Show	Sweating Bullets (In Stereo)	Jerry Springer		Dennis Prager	Home Shopping Spree				
47 WOTV	Last Call	Top Cops (In Stereo)	(Off Air)							
35 WGVU	(11:30) Charlie Rose	(Off Air)								
17 WXMI	Jon Stewart Queen Latifah King's X (In Stereo)	Kenny Kingston	Murphy Brown	(Off Air)						
8 WOOD	(11:35) Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	Late Seventies	Leeza (In Stereo)	NBC News Nightside				
6 WLNS	(11:35) Late Show	Murphy Brown	Cosby Show	Paid Program	Home Shopping Spree					
19 WILX	(11:35) Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	News (F)	NBC News Nightside (Joined in Progress)					
23 WKAR	(Off Air)									
23 WZM	Rush Limbaugh	Married... With	In the Heat of the Night "A Frenzied Affair" (F)	Mike & Maty		ABC World News Now (Joined in Progress) (F)				
17 WSYM	Jon Stewart Queen Latifah King's X (In Stereo)	Murphy Brown	Cosby Show	Paid Program	Home Shopping Spree					

JV girls lose to Wyoming Park

Wyoming Park's junior varsity girls basketball team jumped out to a quick lead and then sustained an advantage throughout as it defeated Lowell 54-45.

The Vikings led 19-14 at the end of one quarter and 34-22 at halftime.

Lowell got close in the second half, but was never able to catch back.

The Red Arrows outscored the Vikings 23-20 in the second half.

Jenny Borge led Lowell in scoring with 15 points. Lisa Murphy contributed with 14 points.

Jacklyn Karsten scored a

PIGSKIN PICKS '94	Team Photos			
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EAST GRAND RAPIDS vs. LOWELL	LOWELL	LOWELL	LOWELL	LOWELL
HUDSONVILLE vs. CEDAR SPRINGS	CEDAR SPRINGS	HUDSONVILLE	HUDSONVILLE	CEDAR SPRINGS
NORTHVIEW vs. ZEELAND	ZEELAND	ZEELAND	ZEELAND	NORTHVIEW
COLORADO vs. MICHIGAN	COLORADO	MICHIGAN	MICHIGAN	MICHIGAN
ATLANTA vs. WASHINGTON	WASHINGTON	ATLANTA	WASHINGTON	ATLANTA
NEW ENGLAND vs. DETROIT	NEW ENGLAND	DETROIT	DETROIT	DETROIT
PITTSBURGH vs. SEATTLE	SEATTLE	SEATTLE	SEATTLE	PITTSBURGH
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PIGSKIN PICKS '94	Team Photos			
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EAST GRAND RAPIDS vs. LOWELL	LOWELL	LOWELL	LOWELL	LOWELL
HUDSONVILLE vs. CEDAR SPRINGS	CEDAR SPRINGS	HUDSONVILLE	HUDSONVILLE	CEDAR SPRINGS
NORTHVIEW vs. ZEELAND	ZEELAND	ZEELAND	ZEELAND	NORTHVIEW
COLORADO vs. MICHIGAN	COLORADO	MICHIGAN	MICHIGAN	MICHIGAN
ATLANTA vs. WASHINGTON	WASHINGTON	ATLANTA	WASHINGTON	ATLANTA
NEW ENGLAND vs. DETROIT	NEW ENGLAND	DETROIT	DETROIT	DETROIT
PITTSBURGH vs. SEATTLE	SEATTLE	SEATTLE	SEATTLE	PITTSBURGH
SAN DIEGO vs. RAIDERS	RAIDERS	SAN DIEGO	SAN DIEGO	SAN DIEGO
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Vikings lay claim to top spot with convincing win over Lowell

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

Wyoming Park's Rich Pullen and Lowell's Ken Akers knew the importance of their teams' conference opening match-up.

The winner would have a leg up on the race for the O-K White Conference crown.

The two clubs battled the opening 16 minutes in the heat box at Wyoming Park, with the Vikings holding a 34-32 lead at the break.

However, Park's man-to-man defense and offensive rebounding was too much for the Red Arrows in the second half, as the Vikings ran off to an impressive 67-52 win over the defending league champions.

"Our big people came a long ways tonight," Pullen said. "I wasn't sure how well they would play, but they did a good job on the boards."

Another key for Pullen's club was the way sophomore Renee Bolitho handled the relentless Lowell pressure.

"We knew Lowell likes to pressure and play a fast game," Pullen said. "I thought our young people handled it well. I thought we did a better job of handling the ball in the second half. We laid off the fouls and controlled the ball."

On the other side, Akers wasn't quite as pleased with the way his club handled things.

"We didn't rebound. They killed us on their offensive boards," Akers lamented.

"Park did a better job of capitalizing on our mistakes."

The Lowell coach was worried going in that a weak non-conference schedule might hurt them against the Vikings.

"The girls were not prepared mentally to play at Park's level," Akers said. "Now they know, if they are going to reach that level, the girls are going to have to work real hard."

The Lowell coach added that while it would be an uphill battle, his club is a long ways from peaking.

"Don't count us out; we'll get there," Akers said.

Ann Bentley led Park with 23 points. Teammates Tiffany Pitman and Ronda Bolitho each added 13 points apiece.

Courtney Arnett led Lowell with 23 points. Kortney Gowen and Krista Posthumus each added nine points.

The win improved Parks record to 4-1 overall and 1-0 in the conference.

Lowell dropped to 5-1 overall with the loss, and is 0-1 in the league.

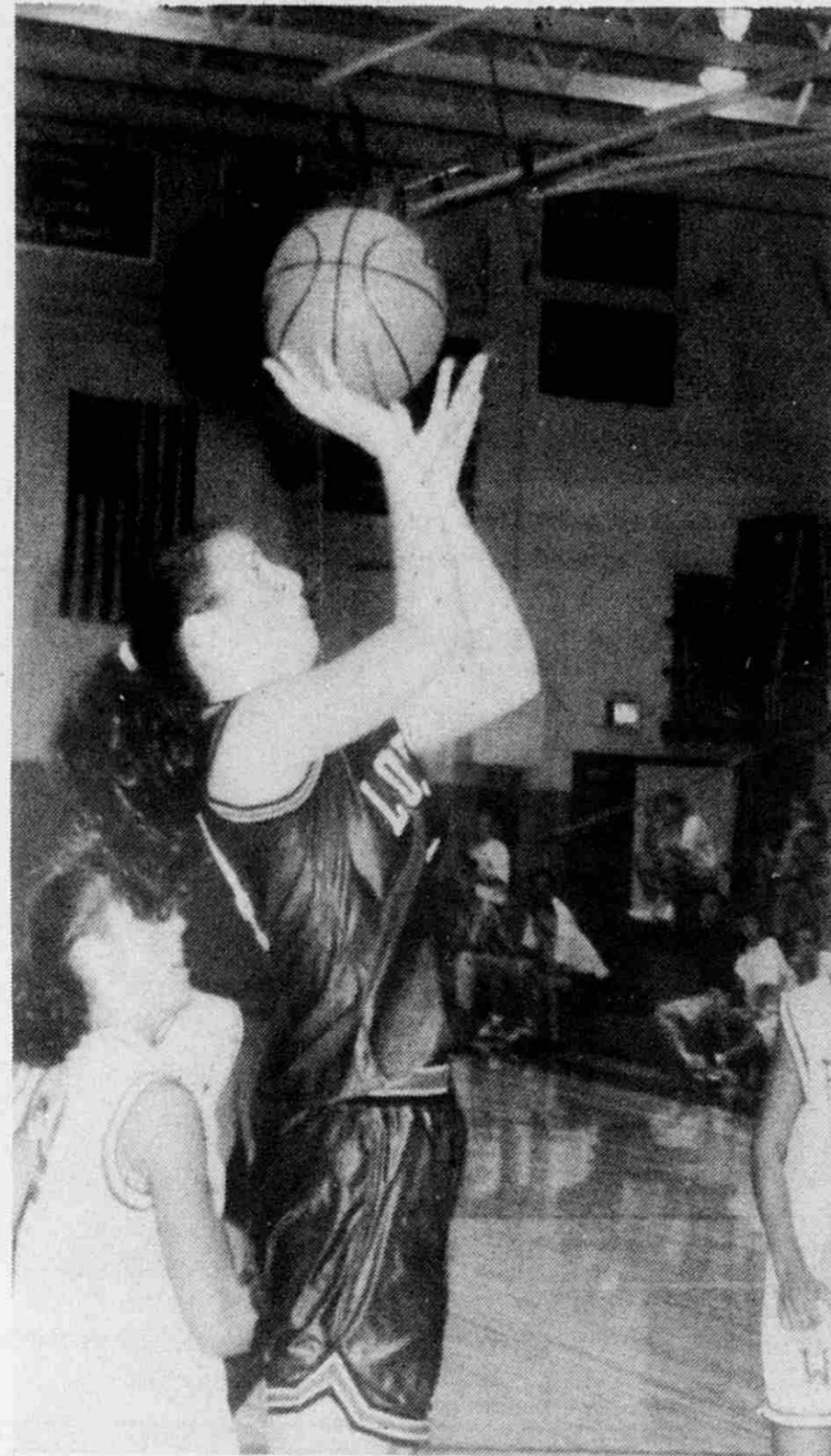
Lowell made it 5-0 with its convincing 58-35 dismantling of the 0-5 Vikings from Lakewood Tuesday night.

Red Arrow coach Ken Akers used this non-conference matchup to give five worthy seniors a chance to start their first varsity game.

Alison Kissinger, Cori Boersma, Kerry Nugent, Katie

Haywood and Cindy Kosnik made the most of their start as they propelled Lowell to a 16-13 first quarter lead.

"I thought they played well together," Akers said. Kissinger led the Red Arrow five as she finished with



Courtney Arnett hits on a jumper in the lane.

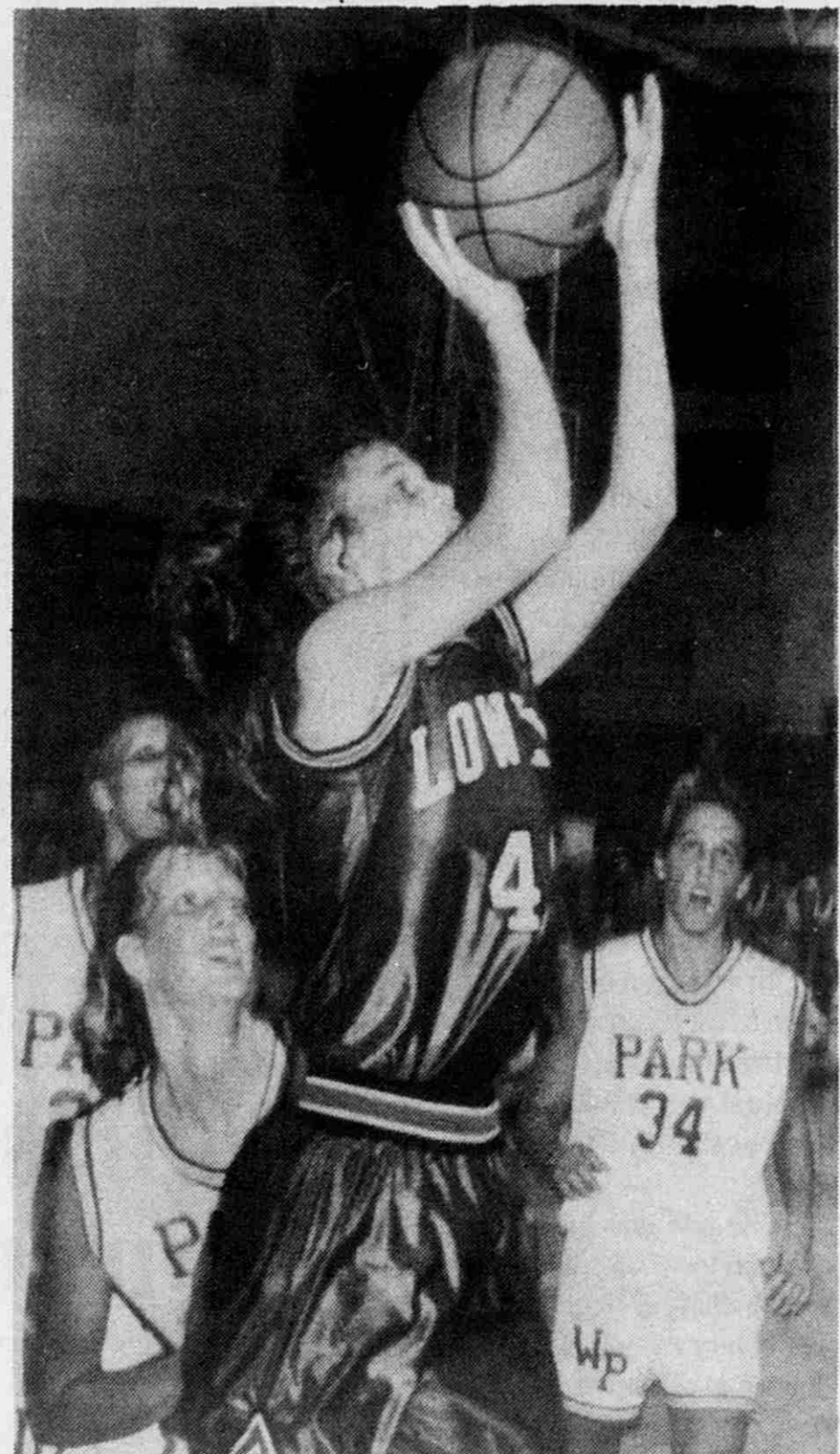
10 points and a game-high seven rebounds.

Courtney Arnett, coming off the bench, led Lowell in scoring with 15 points. Krista Posthumus added seven and Melissa Beute contributed with six.

Other Red Arrows breaking into the scoring column were Boersma with four points and Kortney Gowen with four. Karen Dykstra, Tammy Stauffer, Nugent, Haywood, Kosnik and Elena Richmond all tallied two points apiece.

"I thought Richmond, Boersma and Kosnik played well," Akers said. "Kissinger had another strong performance for us."

Lakewood's leading scorer was MacKenzie Pierson with 12 points.



Kortney Gowen puts up a baseline jumper in action against Wyoming Park.

Lowell and EGR poised for big game

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

Their kids are poised and disciplined. George Barcheski's achievements as football coach at East Grand Rapids speak for themselves.

Not a bad combination! During Phil Christensen's 15-year tenure at Lowell, his clubs have seldom been out of any game. His clubs have been viewed by other coaches as a team capable of beating the league's best. Every year Lowell usually finds success against at least one of the conference favorites.

Friday night, Red Arrow Stadium will play host to its first O-K White Conference football game. It will also mark the Pioneers first visit to the new sport facility.

Lowell and East Grand Rapids first started playing one another in football in 1927. They played each other every year until 1963. The two schools did not start playing one another again until 1984.

East has dominated the football rivalry. The Pioneers own a 28-11-2 mark against Lowell. Since the inception of the O-K White, EGR is 9-1 against the Arrows. Lowell's last victory came in 1990 (13-

12 OT). East's success has not meant Lowell has not been competitive. On the contrary, Lowell has been very competitive.

What separates this game from the historic past is both schools come in highly rated and with high expectations. East is the defending state champion and is currently ranked number one.

Lowell is ranked third in the state. Many will tell you, including Christensen, that rankings aren't worth the paper they're printed on. "We accept what our ranking is, but that is just paper. The talking must be done on the football field," he said.

Barcheski is comfortable with where his club is after three games. He is also a crafty psychologist of the hype leading up to big games.

"Our kids have played well enough to win," Barcheski says. "It hasn't been anything special," he quips. "We've beaten two good teams (FHC and Zeeland), but they are not the best teams in the league - Lowell and Northview are."

The Red Arrows and Wildcats just happen to be the next two opponents on the Pioneers' schedule. Both games are away from home.

Christensen talks to his players about East with respect, but not intimidation.

"EGR is a good football team and so are we. I feel good about our chances," he says. "It will come down to which team has the fewest turnovers and penalties."

The game plans are basic for both sides.

East will focus on stopping Brad Holtz and tailbacks Tim Stencel and Jamie Compton. "We don't match up with their size up front, so we will have to find other ways to counter that," Barcheski says.

Lowell will work to stop Pioneer tailback Dylan Karczewski. To do that, Lowell's offense will have to control the football.

"If we can control the football, then we can cut down on the opportunities Karczewski has to demonstrate his abilities," Christensen said. "We won't key on him because then another back kills you cutting back against the grain."

A Lowell win Friday night would cut against the grain of Pioneer tradition in big games.

A Lowell win Friday night would cut against the grain of Pioneer tradition in big games. It would also mean the poised and disciplined were clothed in red and white.

A great nose indicates a great man. — Edmond Rostand

Arrow boys take step closer to big run with Zeeland

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

Lowell's boys cross country team continued on its conference championship confrontation collision course with Zeeland as the Red Arrows defeated Hudsonville 20-39.

The Red Arrows are now 2-0 in the O-K White with wins over Wyoming Park and the Eagles.

Lowell is scheduled to run against Zeeland, the defending league champions, on Sept. 28 at Johnson Park.

Lowell claimed five of the top six spots.

Hudsonville's John Hazebrook was the meet's medalist, stopping the clock at 18:07.

However, the next five runners were wearing Lowell red. Ryan Wittenbach was second, 17 seconds in back of Hazebrook at 18:24.

John Wojciakowski was third, coming home in 18:53. Casey Harper followed in fourth place with a time of 19:03. Matt Inman was fifth at 19:15 and Kevin Brown was sixth in 19:26.

For Hudsonville, Kyle Jenkins was eighth with a time of 20:03. Brad Hill was ninth,

coming off the course in 20:05. Andy Gibbie was 10th at 20:11 with Jay Powers finishing 11th in 20:21.

The race marked the first O-K White cross country meet held at the new high school facility.

**Hudsonville 15
Lowell 50**

The Eagles claimed four of the top six spots against the

Deeb was sixth at 23:24.

Hudsonville's Julie Visser was fourth with a time of 23:02. Teammate Kelly Burgess was fifth at 23:22. April Boersen was seventh with a time of 25:36.

Sparta Invitational

The boys cross country team placed fourth at the invitational over the weekend.

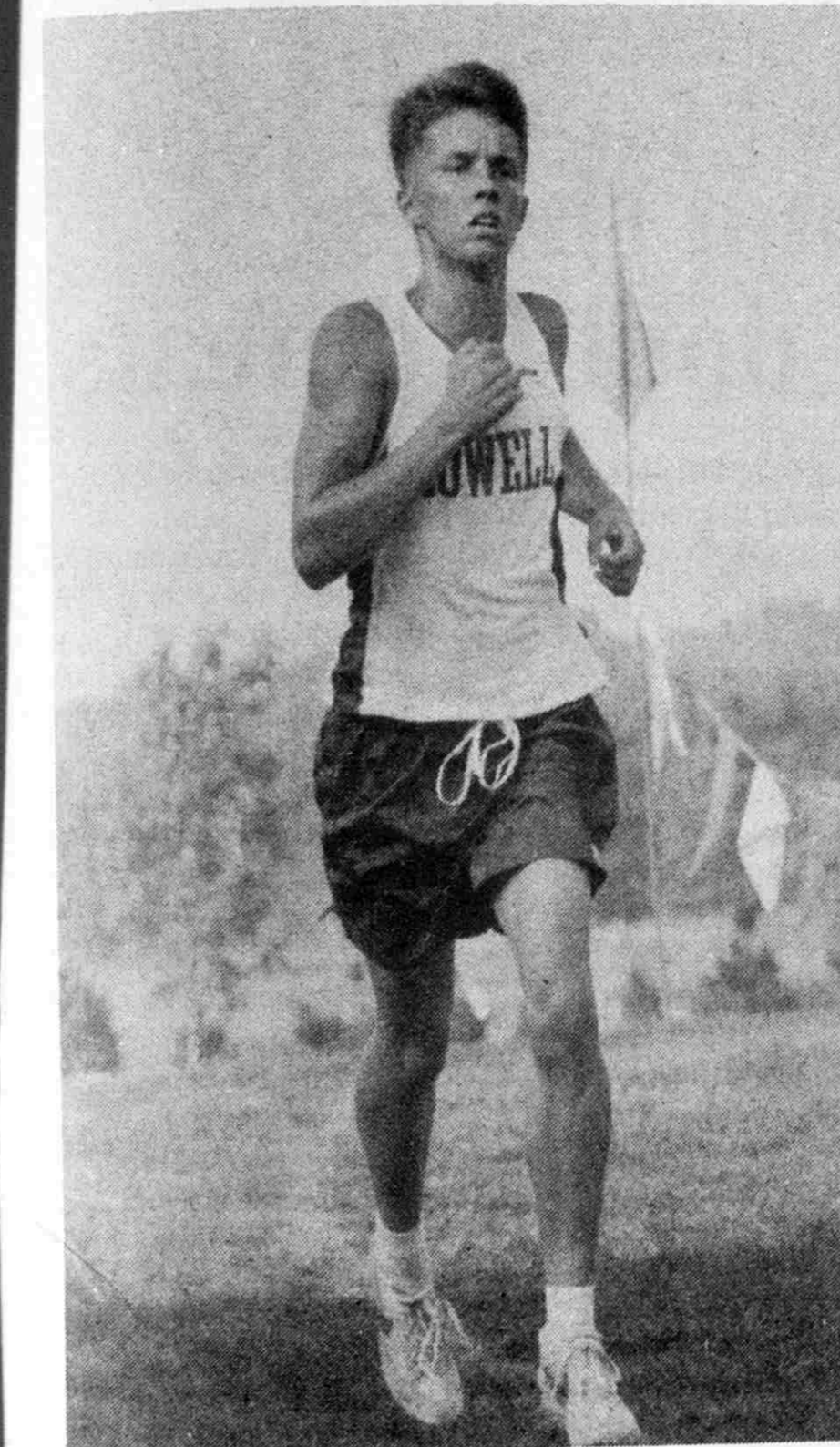
Lowell finished fourth

with 108 points. Ionia won the event with 63 points. Cedar Springs was second with 69, and Hudsonville Unity Christian was third with 107 points.

"We had some good times," Lowell coach Tom Harper said. "I was missing my number three runner. With him (Casey Harper), I believe we could have finished third. Our score would have dropped at least 10 points."

Lowell's Ryan Wittenbach was ninth, John Wojciakowski was 11th, Matt Inman finished 19th, Jon Dean was 32nd and Kevin Brown was 37th.

"Ryan, John and Matt ran real well," Harper said. "Jon ran his best race of the year." Annie Oesch and Melissa Deeb finished fifth and sixth respectively. Ann Townsend was 61st.



Ryan Wittenbach continued to lead the Red Arrow boys' cross country team.



Annie Oesch was Lowell's first Red Arrow girl harrier home against Hudsonville.



Casey Harper makes his way through Lowell's new cross country course.

undermanned Red Arrow girls cross country team.

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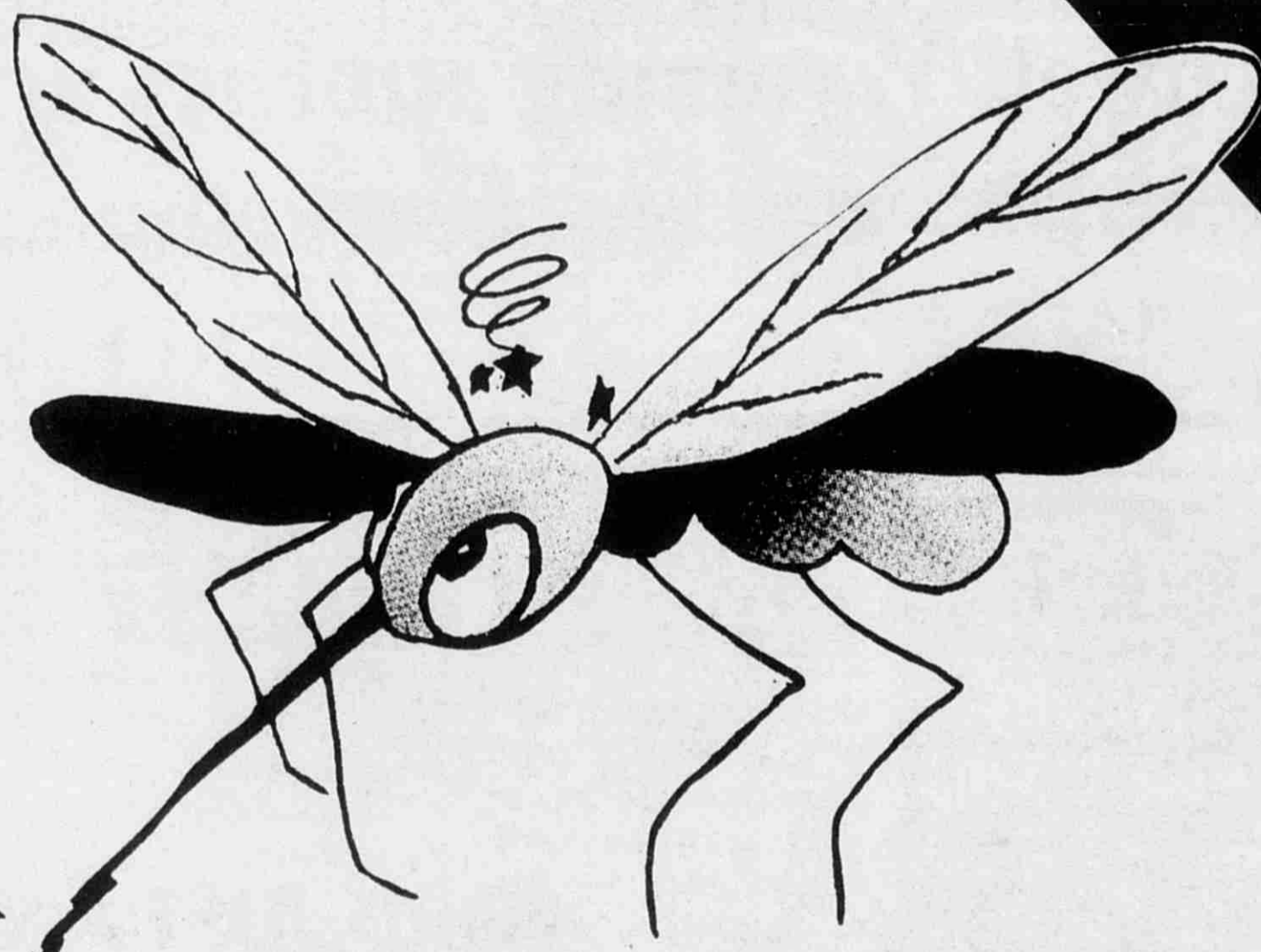
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Person-of-the-Year Award accentuates Lussmyer's high energy

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

From her days as a physical education teacher to her intense efforts with the Fallasburg Historical Society, Priscilla Lussmyer has always exuded a special energy that has set her apart.

Lowell's Chamber of Commerce honored Lussmyer Thursday night at Dari's with the ninth annual "Person-of-the-Year" award.

"I am genuinely thrilled to receive the award," Lussmyer said. "However, I've not done anything alone. There have been an awful lot of people beside me who I'd like

to share this honor with tonight."

Lussmyer, who came to Lowell at the age of nine, grew up on Burrough Street where she played on Burrough's Bridge and listened to the sounds of the cars driving over the bridge's wooden planks.

Lussmyer contributed her intense effort to save the bridge when county officials decided the bridge was unsafe and needed two lanes.

Joining the fight to preserve the bridge, Lussmyer and many others were successful in having Burrough's Bridge moved to Portland where it will be used as a foot

bridge in the downtown area.

"My first encounter with Priscilla came as Lowell city manager. She talked to me on the front steps of City Hall about recycling," Ray Quada said. "We discussed refuse recycling. Later through her efforts, Lowell's first recycling station became a reality. She is capable of taking on government, and with kindness, wisdom and logic, she helps them realize the error in their ways."

What many may not know is that Lussmyer taught physical education for grades K-12. She was also one of the last teachers in Michigan who

was allowed to teach all the grades.

Lussmyer believes that if a choice has to be made, music, art and physical education should be eliminated from the high school years - not the elementary.

Her reasoning for this is that the mind is still eager to learn and accept new ideas in the formative years. "Increasing motor skills through physical education increases reading ability," she says.

The achievements of the Fallasburg Historical Society have been spearheaded by Lussmyer.

She was actively involved

in procuring grants from Steelcase, Grand Rapids Foundation, and the Michigan Equity Fund.

These were used to purchase the Tower House property. Additional funds from the Michigan Equity Fund bought two parcels - the John Wesley Fallas House with the lot and the barn with 10 acres.

Another purchase using the Michigan Equity Fund was the Betsey Fallas House.

Lussmyer has also authored the column "Ledger Entries" in the Lowell Ledger. She has done this for the past seven years.

Lussmyer finds time to sing alto in the Lowell Methodist Church Choir and the Grand Rapids Cantata Choir.

She also belongs to two bell choirs.

"Friends did a wonderful job of keeping this a secret," Lussmyer said.

The "Person-of-the-Year" honoree became emotional when many members of her family surprised her with their presence.

"Seeing half of my family there made it seem as if I was dreaming the whole thing," Lussmyer said. "This was one of the more thrilling, exciting moments in my life."

Previous honorees were Ray Quada, Al Eckman, Robert Reagan, George and Dode Dey, Ivan Blough, Orval McKay, King Doyle and Chris VanAntwerp.



Ray Quada hugs the 1994 Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce Person-of-the-Year, Priscilla Lussmyer.



Ray Quada takes a few moments to highlight some of Lussmyer's many accomplishments.



Priscilla Lussmyer says a few gracious words of thanks for the Person-of-the-Year honor.

LEGAL NOTICES

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OF ACTION
CASE NO. 94-5-15957-DO

JACKOLYN M. BRICKLEY
7592 W. Bluewater Hwy.
Saranac, MI 48881
Plaintiff

vs.
JERRY KENNETH
BRICKLEY
Address Unknown
Defendant

IT IS ORDERED: You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to obtain a judgement of divorce. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before September 26, 1994. If you

fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

A copy of this order shall be published once each week in the Lowell Ledger for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this court.

A copy of this order shall be sent to JERRY KENNETH BRICKLEY at the last known address by registered mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication, and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with this court.

8-18-94
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Judge

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TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Vergennes Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 28, 1994 at 7:00 P.M. at the Vergennes Township Hall, 10381 Bailey Drive on a request for special exception use permit in the N.W. 1/4 of section 35 as described below:

C. Nederveld is requesting a special exception use of construction of a 6-family apartment building in the N.W. 1/4 of Section 35 at the northwest corner of Flat River Road and Flat River Court in the R 3 district. It should be noted that a portion of this property is part of the Flat River District.

The application for this special exception use may be reviewed at the Vergennes Township Hall between 9 A.M. and 3 P.M. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Written comments will also be considered if received by the Township Clerk not later than 7 P.M. on September 28, 1994.

Rick Gillett
Chairman

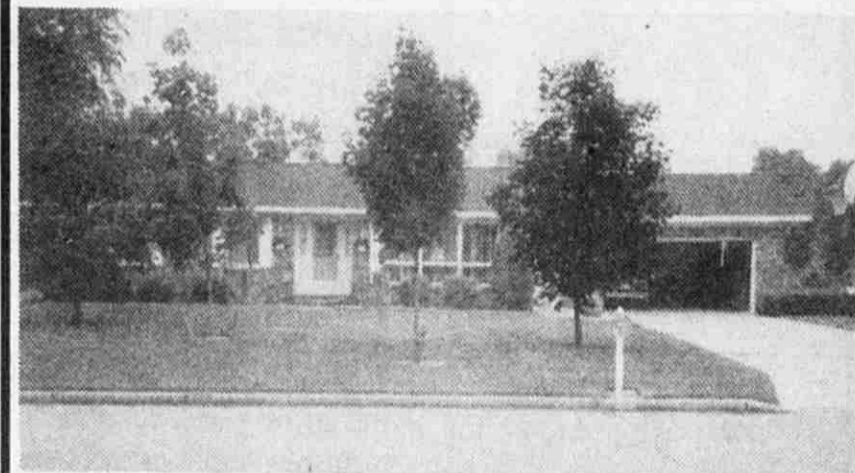
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