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## Along Main Street

### LHS OCTOBER EVENTS

**Wednesday, Oct. 5:** Powderpuff football game at 7 p.m., bonfire afterwards; **Friday, Oct. 7:** Pep assembly with Homecoming court announced, tea party afterwards. Parade starts at 6 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell and ends at Richards Park. Football game begins at 7:30 p.m.; **Saturday, Oct. 8:** Homecoming dance from 8 p.m. to 12 a.m.; **Sunday, Oct. 9:** Grand Open House of the new Lowell High School from 2 to 5 p.m.

### MUSIC BOOSTERS CONCESSION STAND AT LMS

The Lowell Music Boosters will have a concession stand at Lowell Middle School athletic events throughout the entire year.

### SCHEDULED POWER OUTAGE

Lowell Light & Power has scheduled a substation maintenance power outage for midnight, Saturday, Oct. 8. The outage will last for approximately two hours.

The power interruption will affect various businesses, all of which have already been notified, and residential customers in the west downtown area.

### SPOOK HOUSE

A Halloween spook house is planned at the Lowell Moose Lodge, 210 E. Main St. (upstairs).

Dates for the spook house are: Oct. 21, 7 to 11 p.m.; Oct. 22, 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 11 p.m.; Oct. 23, 1 to 5 p.m.; Oct. 28, 7 to 11 p.m.; Oct. 29, 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 11 p.m. and Oct. 30, 1 to 5 p.m. Admission, \$1 per person.

### LIBRARY CELEBRATES BOOK WEEK

National Children's Book Week with local author Nancy Clouse, illustrator of *Pink Paper Swans*. Children, ages seven and up, will learn how to make book illustrations from cut paper and do an origami craft.

The workshops are being scheduled at the Lowell Library for Friday, Nov. 18 at 10 a.m. and the Alto Library, Friday, Nov. 18 at 1:30 p.m. Registration is required. For more information call the Lowell Library at 897-9596.

### CRAFT SHOW AT CHERRY CREEK

A craft show will be held at Cherry Creek Elementary on Saturday, Oct. 15 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Lunch will be served.

### 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.

### 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.

### OFF THE BLOTTER

A 13-year-old juvenile from Lowell will be referred to probate court for assault and battery which occurred Sept. 27.

William Cook, 67, of Lowell, failed to stop for the red light at Main and Hudson Street Sept. 29 and collided with a car driven by Andrew Jensen, 30, of Sparta. No one was injured.

Daniel Taylor, 22, of Lowell, damaged his vehicle Sept. 30 when he lost control and struck a utility pole at the fairgrounds.

Lowell officers investigated 14 accidents in the month of September, three of which incurred injuries. This brought the total for the year to 185 compared to 188 at the same time last year.

Robert Diefenback, 33, of Lakeview, was arrested Oct. 3 for driving under the influence of alcohol.

## Failure to comply with ordinance cost Felling, transient merchant, his permit

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Doug Felling's failure to comply with site requirements stated under Section 15-111 of the transient merchant ordinance has cost him his right to operate his produce business at 400 W. Main.

His failure to meet setbacks of 25 feet in front and 10 feet on the west side yards after four warnings caused Felling's transient merchant permit as of Sept. 28 to be terminated.

Felling appealed the revocation at Monday's City Council meeting. The council turned back his appeal by the vote of 4-1. It also requested that his produce be removed from the corner on Tuesday, Oct. 4.

Councilman Jim Hodges who made the motion said he was sorry that someone had to push the ordinance.

Councilman Bill Thompson asked if Felling was specifically told what he was in violation of on each of the four visits (which took place between Sept. 19 and Sept. 26.).

Lowell Police Chief Jim Valentine said that Felling was there on Sept. 23 when photographs were taken depicting where the setbacks were. Valentine added that on Sept. 25, items still had not been moved. "They were not moved until Sept. 27," Valentine said.

Felling stated that he did move items in an effort to comply with the ordinance and his failure to do so was only because he may not have understood.

Felling has been renting the lot from Len Westdale. The owner of the property said he believed denying Felling the permit to function as a transient merchant was an easy way

out to solving the problem. "I think it is unfair to put a man out of business," Westdale said.

Westdale added that when the lot was not being rented, Blue Ribbon Feed used the parcel without paying rent, taxes or asking permission. "I rent out the property and now there is trouble. Doug is paying to use the lot; one citation should not put him out of business."

Barb Carpenter, who along with husband Scott are owners of Blue Ribbon Feed, said not reissuing Felling his merchant permit was not putting him out of business. Felling owns All Season Floral.

Councilmember Jeanne Shores said the permanent plantings Felling put in on the corner really look nice. "I don't condone anyone not complying with the ordinances, but I think this dispute between the two parties has become personal," she said.

Through research, Valentine said he discovered the police department was involved with a total of 20 contacts concerning a variety of complaints called by either of the parties involved. Some of the 20 contacts made also included contacts initiated by the police department concerning specific ordinance violations.

Valentine estimated that a total of 24 manhours were invested as a result of these 20 contacts. The first reported contact was Aug. 4 and the last one was Sept. 29.

The police chief said most calls involved 10-20 minutes of an officer's time. Some, such as the felony investigation, subsequent prosecution, and one court appearance involved an estimated 8 1/2 hours of police officer and clerical time.

## Year-long battle between Kent County Airport and Township residents comes to a conclusion

By Marc Popielek  
Contributing Writer

It's been a year-long battle that has finally come to an end for Lowell Township residents William and Carol Wieland and Bruce and Sheryl Rittenger.

The two families reached an agreement over their property dispute with the Kent County International Airport.

Terms of the agreement weren't ideal for the two, but Carol Wieland said it was the best they were going to get.

"Three days before we were to go to court, our attorney said the airports latest offer was the best we would get. So upon his recommendation we took the deal," said Wieland.

The deal included \$460,000 for 158 acres of the Wieland property and \$425,000 for the Rittenger's 80 acres. Wieland said the final offer was double what the airport appraisal was of the land, but was one third less than what the land would have gone for on the open

market.

"Caledonia School just bought land similar to ours and their price was more in line with the market value," said Wieland. "But we were just tired of this and we knew it wouldn't get better."

Wieland said if the matter had gone to court, the attorney fees and the final decision probably wouldn't have been as much as their offer.

"We had precedent cases for our trial; one was in our favor and one wasn't, so the

decision could have gone either way. I guess you could say we took the chicken's way out," said Wieland.

The airport has already spent nearly \$6 million and with the agreement, they can proceed with their project.

The airport needs the land to replace wetlands that will be destroyed when they expand their runways. Federal guidelines require that one acre of wetlands be replaced with one and a half acres.

Wieland said the biggest losers in the deal will be her sister-in-law and the Rittengers.

"The Rittengers will have to move now and my sister-in-law will be surrounded by wetlands. For ourselves the land lost represents a quarter of our total farmable land. Now we have to look to replace it elsewhere," said Wieland.

## King and High Streets' water project put on hold until spring

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Cost and timing will delay the King and High Streets water main project until spring.

That is what the city father decided at Monday's meeting.

As part of a program to upgrade the water system to eliminated winter freeze-up problems, water main installation was bid for King Street (east of Division).

An alternate bid was advertised for main work between Washington and Monroe on King Street.

After reviewing the

project status with city staff and engineers, City Manager Dave Pasquale recommended to the council that the bids be rejected and be rebid in March.

Pasquale said the reason for the recommendations were two-fold:

- The low base bid (\$58,670) was substantially over what the project was budgeted for (\$45,000); and

- The job also requires much concrete sidewalk replacement work which is difficult during the coming months.

Last year it cost the city approximately \$18,000 to thaw out frozen water services. Included in that cost is

actual time and overtime of city employees.

With the delay of the project, Department of Public Works Director Art Gall

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Lowell girls race past Zeeland, pg. 20



# OBITUARIES

**JULIAN** - Mr. Edward M. Julian, aged 72, of Grand Rapids, passed away Sunday morning October 2, 1994 at Blodgett Memorial Medical Center. Surviving are his wife of fifty years, Chrysta; two sons, Robert (Jeanette) Julian of Plainwell and Gregory Julian of Tipp City, OH; three daughters, Lynn Julian of Portage, Mary (Graig) Hobdey of Gooding, ID, and Ann (Michael) Mulder of Alto; five grandchildren, Justin and Jeremy Julian, Matthew and Melissa Julian, and Samantha Hobdey. He was preceded in death by his son Allen. Mr. Julian's memberships included St. Stephen Church, Michigan Food Brokers Association, Grand Rapids Food Manufacturing Association and past president

of United Commercial Traveler's. Funeral Mass will be offered Wednesday (today) at 10 AM in St. Stephen Catholic Church. Father Thomas S. Vesbit Celebrant. Interment at Resurrection Cemetery. Contributions are suggested to the American Diabetes Association.

**MELLE** - Katherine Melle, aged 69, of Saranac, formerly of Lowell, died Thursday, September 29, 1994. She was preceded in death by her husband Leon; and sons Stan and Gerry. She is survived by her children Joe and Sherri Melle of Saranac, Florence Melle of Pierson, MI, Sandy and Roger Fetterhoff of Lowell, Mike and Lorna Melle of Ionia, Albert and Janice Melle of Grand Rapids; brothers Ed

and RuthAnn Kauffman of Hastings, Sam and Marie Kauffman of Ionia; sister Arwilda Butcher of Saranac, Pearl Fenstemaker of Grand Rapids; 14 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; several nieces, nephews, and friends. Funeral Services were held Saturday with Rev. Steve Koink of Eaton Rapids Christian Reformed Church officiating.

**NUGENT** - Jane Nugent, aged 76, of Lowell, died September 27, 1994. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph, son-in-law Darrell Corey and granddaughter Jennifer Nugent. Survived by her children MaryJane (Joseph) Anderson of Rockford, Suzann Corey of Sydney, MI Daniel (Barbara) Nugent of Sturgis, MI, Barbara (Daryl) Anderson of Lowell; sisters, Mary (Peter) Hoelsema of Grand Rapids, Anne (Clayton) Lindsey of Morley, MI; brothers John Jager of Morley,

Donald (Peggy) Jager of Grand Rapids; 11 grandchildren; three step-grandchildren. Mass of Christian burial was offered Friday at St. Patrick's Church, Parnell, Rev. Wayne Wheeler Jr., Celebrant. Memorials may be made to St. Patrick's Church.

**PECKHAM** - Richard M. (Dick) Peckham, aged 80, of Lakeland, FL, formerly of Lowell, died Tuesday, September 27, 1994 at the Lakeland Regional Medical Center. He was a sales associate for Sears, Roebuck, a member of the Congregational Church, Lowell and a member of the Loyal Order of the Moose, Lodge #809, Lowell. He was also a WWII Navy War veteran. He is survived by his wife Mary Peckham; children Richard Peckham of Rockford, Mary Peckham of Wyoming, Carol Peckham-Nysted of Lake Bluff, IL, Karen Peckham of Winter Haven, FL; brother John

Peckham of Fresno, CA; sister Jane Joyaux of Lansing and five grandchildren. Services were held Friday in FL. Entombment at Lakeland Memorial Gardens.

**SLAGER** - Miss Dena Slager, aged 91, resident of Lowell, went to her heavenly home Monday morning, September 26, 1994. Surviving are a brother and sister-in-law Andrew and Anne Slager; nieces

and nephews Ken and Jonie Kooistra, Bill and Linda Slager, Loren and Nancy Slager; several great nieces and nephews. Services including committal were held Wednesday with Rev. Douglas R. Fauble and Rev. Bernard D. VanSomeren officiating. Interment Martin Cemetery. Those desiring may send memorial contributions to Ada Christian School.

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# New high school captures a homecoming dream

Starting things off right in the new high school is being stressed at LHS this year, and these Homecoming week plans are a great way to begin the future in the new school.

Kicking off Homecoming week on Sunday, the student council cleaned up Vergennes between Lincoln Lake and Cumberland.

A leadership seminar hosted by Jostens Class Ring Company and attended by 27 schools in the area was held on Monday at Godwin High School. The speaker, Gary Zelesky, addressed student leaders on how to become better leaders and get them to be their best everyday.

At LHS, Monday was known as "Come As You Are Day," where students came to school looking as they did when they woke up.

To help students fulfill their dreams, a motivational speaker came in on Tuesday. Gary Zelesky helped fulfill

students' dreams by talking to them about taking responsibility for their decisions.

Tuesday was "Hat Day" at school. This year's girls' powderpuff football game will take place on Wednesday (Oct. 5) with kickoff at 7 p.m. in the new stadium. A bonfire will be held shortly after the powderpuff game at 8 p.m.

On Wednesday students will feel as if they're in a dream seeing double, as many students will be dressed for "Twin Day."

Students will literally go all out as they turn everything around for "Inside Out and Backwards Day" on Thursday.

During Friday, Oct. 7's pep assembly, this year's Homecoming Court will be announced. The winners for the underclassmen are as follows: the class of 1998's prince and princess - Christian

Wieland and Angela Dawson, the class of 1997's prince and princess - Jack Livingston and Tammy Eteo; and the class of 1996's prince and princess - Scott Smith and Karen Dykstra.

The nominees for Homecoming King and Queen are

Adrian Schuster and Amy Stauffer. Snacks will be provided for the members of the court and their parents at the tea party following the pep assembly.

Students will show their school spirit on Friday as they dress for "Red, White, and Black Day."

Giving students a chance to capture a date in their

dreams, this year's Homecoming dance, with the theme "Captured in a Dream" will be held on Saturday, Oct. 8 from 8 p.m. to midnight in the new high school cafeteria.

To prove to the public that the new high school truly is a dream-come-true, the official grand open house is being held on Sunday, Oct. 9 from 2-5 p.m.

## IN THE SERVICE

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Michael R. Lane, son of William C. and Joan M. Lane of Lowell, recently graduated from Field Medical Service School.

During the course at Field Medical Service School, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA, students are prepared for duty with Marine Corps combat units as either Navy hospital corpsmen or dental technicians. The course emphasizes battlefield

survival, personal protective measures and the basic tactics and use of weapons for self-defense.

To graduate, students are required to demonstrate basic proficiency in emergency medical techniques, casualty evacuation, field sanitation and preventive medicine procedures.

The 1987 graduate of South Mecklenburg High School of Charlotte, N.C., joined the Navy in July 1987.

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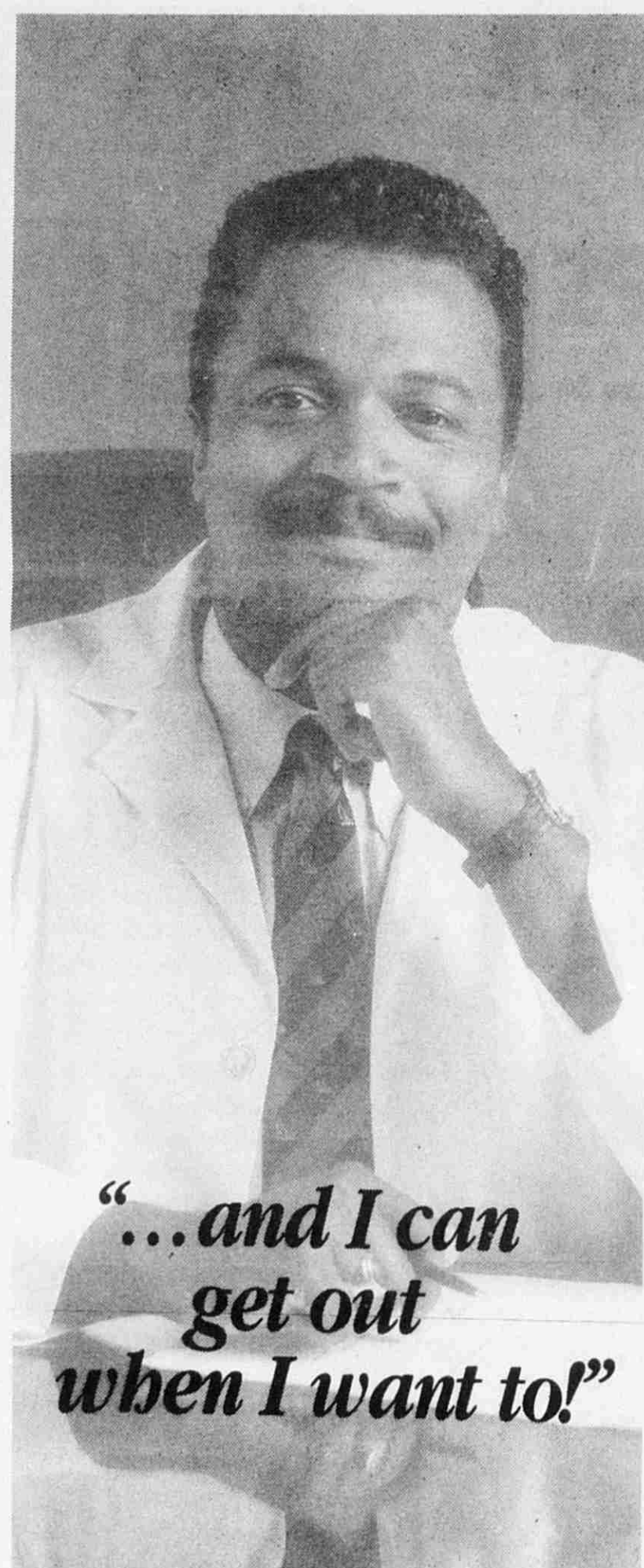
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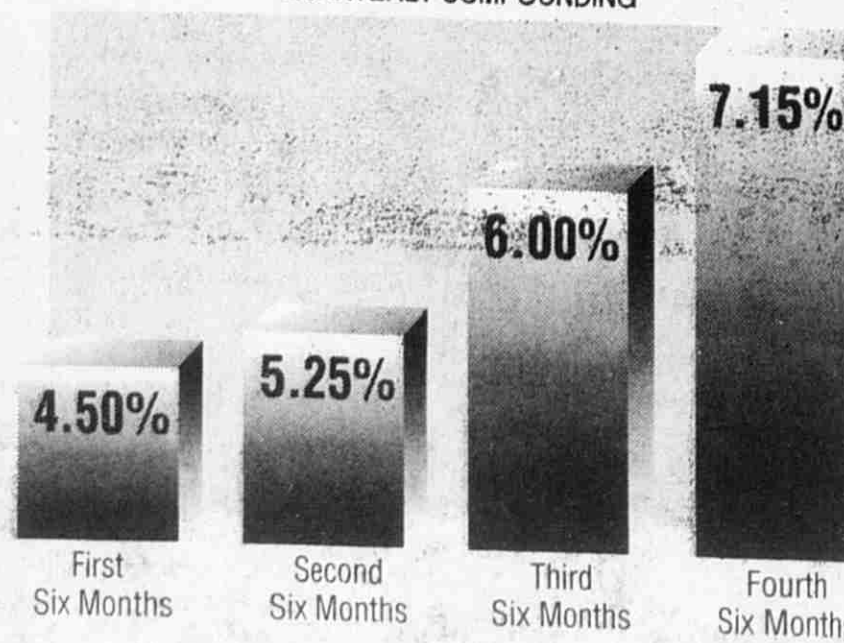
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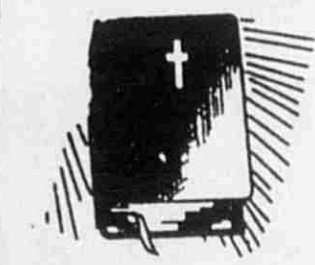


Carrie and Richard Curtis

Joined in marriage on June 25 at the First United Methodist Church of Lowell were Richard Robert and Carrie Ann Curtis of Lowell. Parents of the bride are Kevin and Christine Kennebec and Robert and Cheryl Smith of Lowell. Parents of the groom are Richard and Barbara Curtis of Lowell.

Maid of honor was Tammy J. Cantrell, flower girls were Cassandra DeCator, Brooke Curtis and Erin Curtis. Best man was Todd Bryan.

The couple honeymooned on a seven night/eight day Carnival Cruise to the Eastern Caribbean. The couple resides in Lowell and owns a group daycare center.



## Homespun Devotions

By Pauline Spray

Now therefore, our God, we thank thee, and praise thy glorious name (1 Chronicles 29:13).

"I don't like to be taken for granted," I admitted spiritedly.

"I don't either," my friend agreed. "Just let me over season anything and the members of my family tell me about it right away. So if they don't tell me when the food tastes good, I purposely put in too much salt the next time. I know they'll say something then," she said laughingly.

Oftimes we grow careless and fail to give thanks for our blessings. We take God's goodness for granted. We accept our daily benefits matter-of-factly, failing to express our gratitude for them.

When we grow indifferent to His goodness, God sometimes allows a special trial to come our way. Per-

haps one of the children becomes desperately ill and we despair for his life. After the crisis has passed, life never seemed so wonderful to us. We count our blessings and are amazed to find we have so many.

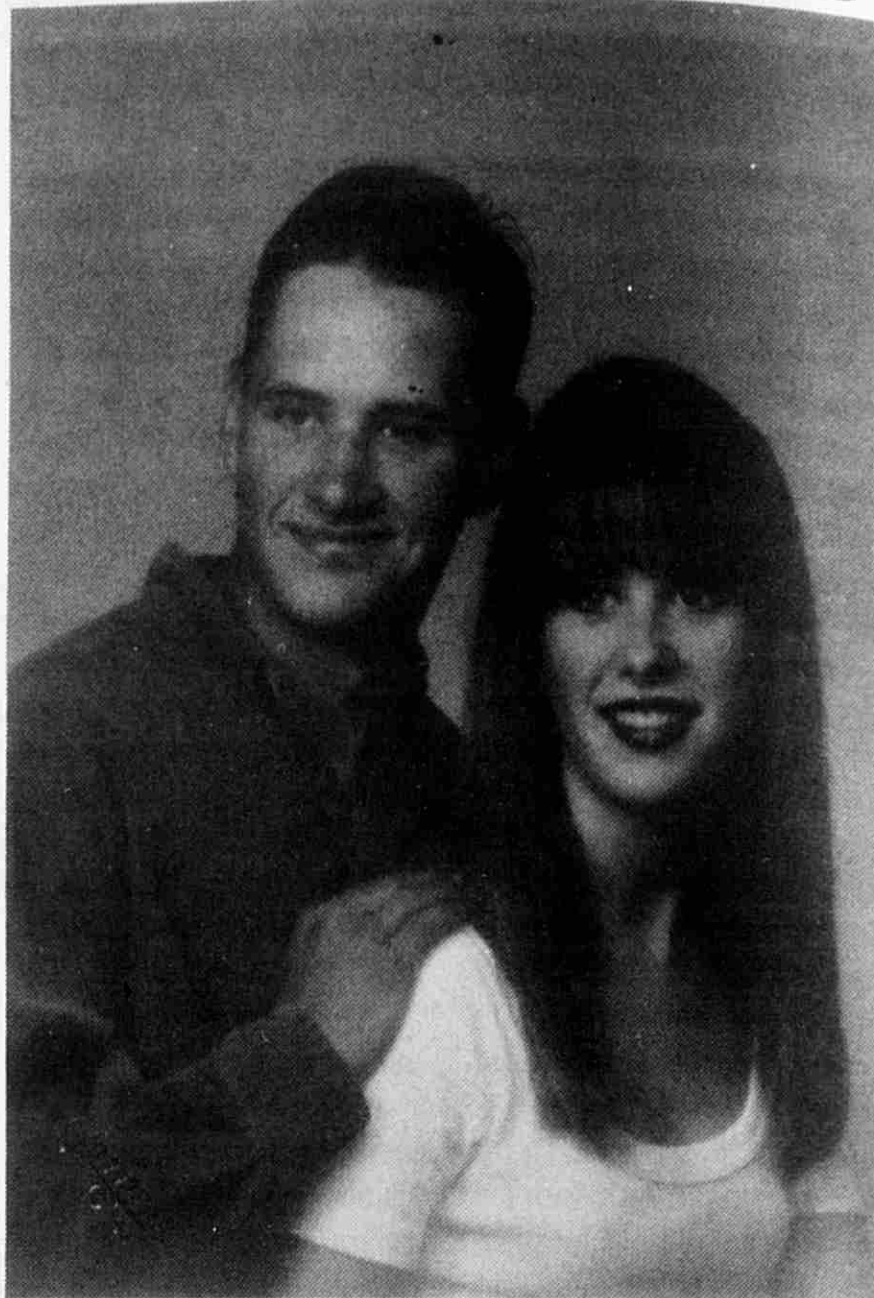
Frequently "too much salt" is just what we need to make us grateful for the many "just right" times which are ours.

*Prayer:* Dear God, Thou art worthy of my thanksgiving. Praise thy glorious name. I thank Thee for "too much salt." It has reminded me that I have very many "just right" blessings for which to be grateful. Amen.

There's not a single blessing Which we receive on earth That does not come from heaven, The source of our new birth.

B. E. WARREN

## Bundy and Anes plan Dec. wedding



Justin Anes and Rhea Bundy

The parents of Rhea Bundy of Lowell and Justin Anes, currently in the Marine Corp. stationed in California, would like to announce their children's engagement.

A December wedding is being planned.

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No bird soars too high if he soars with his own wings.

—William Blake

## AREA BIRTHS

John and Tricia Schroeder of Lowell are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Kaitlyn Paige. She was born September 10, 1994, weighed 7 lbs. 5 oz. and was 20 inches long.

She is welcomed home by big brother, Christopher. Proud grandparents are Marjory Lenneman and Howard and Roberta Miller, all of Lowell. Also the late Marvin Schroeder.

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A pessimist is a man who looks both ways before crossing a one-way street.  
—Laurence J. Peter

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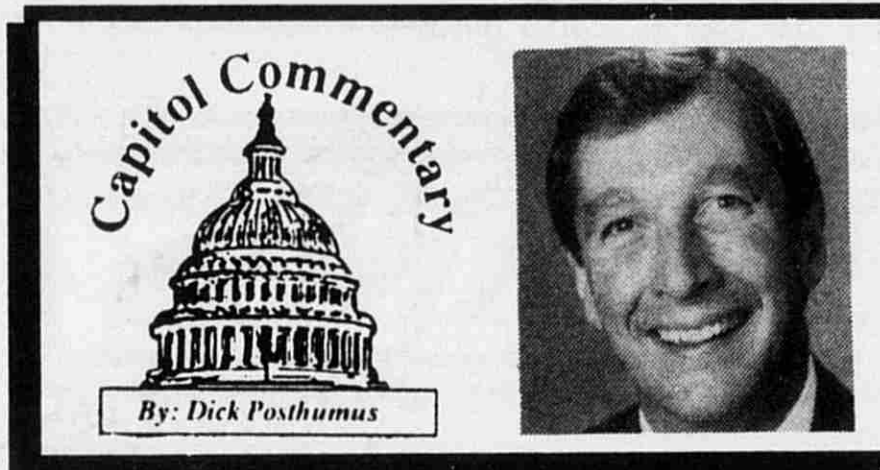
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## Ledger Entries of 100, 75, 50 and 25 Years Ago

**100 YEARS AGO IN THE JOURNAL - OCT. 3, 1894**  
"Wanted: 5,000 men to come and get cider and jelly made at Kellogg & Pinkney's dryer." One can also have them stored there.  
An article about recovering a young (20) thief's loot from many places concludes with "(He is) of respectable



This article is the fourth in a five-part series.

Our topic this week is Proposal C — probably the most complex and controversial of the four ballot proposals facing voters this November. Keeping this in mind, I will do my best to make sense of it for you.

In its simplest terms, you will be voting on whether or not to allow a law passed by the Legislature and signed by Governor Engler to take effect.  
The legislation provided motorists more choice and more affordable no-fault automobile insurance by reforming the current system. It would have already become law, but groups opposed to it succeeded in collecting the necessary petition signatures to put it on hold and force the issue onto the ballot.

To best explain the ballot proposal, I'd like to start with a look back to the days before no-fault insurance. At that time, Michigan averaged roughly 60,000 lawsuits a year over automobile accidents. Insurance payments were delayed for months, even years, while the courts tried to find who was at fault.

No-fault was established in 1973 to ensure quick compensation for losses and injuries without having to undergo expensive and lengthy court action to decide who was at fault. Motorists involved in accidents or injuries would turn to their own policies for benefits and sue only in extraordinary circumstances. The new system worked well for some time, but problems eventually surfaced.

## ABOUT YOUR MONEY...

With RANDALL J. SCHULTZ  
FMB Financial Group  
Account Executive

### INFLATION DOESN'T QUIT WHEN YOU RETIRE

In retirement, it's only natural to become more conservative in the management of your finances. Your peak earning period is behind you and there are fewer years in which to recover from a financial mistake. So it makes sense to be cautious.

Chance are, you are converting some of your assets into cash to provide retirement income. You're probably receiving fixed income paychecks, such as Social Security, pensions, profit-sharing and annuities, supplemented by investment income.

Since assured income has become a primary concern, your investment objectives may have switched from capital growth and low-income investments to principal preservation and high-income assets. To achieve these objectives, you may rely on certificates of deposit, high-quality bonds and other fixed-income securities.

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Harnessmaker H.S. Schreiner puts his long ad in verse. Sample: "My work will be firm and good, I will not sell you trash; And if you have no trade to give, I will not refuse the cash."

Bean crop is fair, potatoes good; two apple dryers burned last week at Alton.

The West Michigan Fair at Grand Rapids was a real success, with all kinds of exhibits of produce, livestock, sewing, flowers and even a baby show (first prize, a good watch.)

### 75 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - OCT. 2, 1919

The Board of Trade votes \$1,000 for holding a two-day Free Fair here October 23-24, including a \$50 prize for the best exhibit by a community organization.

Perhaps the largest farm sale in Kent County history was the purchase of the historic 480-acre Holmes farm in Grattan by Judge Emanuel Doyle of Grand Rapids last week, for the huge sum of \$48,000 cash.

Walter Kropf is the temporary chairman of the new American Legion Post in Lowell. Further organizing is going on, and naming the post for a fallen comrade will take place soon.

Hearings in Lansing are revealing tactics by the big meatpackers to drive smaller ones out of business.

Transfer of ships from the Navy and airplanes from the Army and Navy is being requested to halt smuggling and

rum-running by the modern submarines and airplanes.

### 50 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - OCT. 5, 1944

Saturdays's shopping crowd found stores out of sugar, butter and soap, and low on coffee, shortening, pork and good beef.

N.E. Borgerson is invited to Roosevelt's White House Conference on Rural Education. He goes by way of Chicago, where he speaks to the National Safety Council.

Lieutenant (jg) Arthur Curtis Jr. has received the Air Medal with gold star for his part in flying missions from a carrier in the Pacific Theater.

Common Council proposes asphalt tile floor, acoustical ceiling, glass brick windows, a kitchen and sealing off the stage for the top floor of City Hall.

### 25 YEARS AGO IN THE LEDGER - OCT. 2, 1969

The state is interested in developing a recreation area at Lowell's defunct hydro-dam 12 miles upstream in Ionia County. It would involve taking down the dam.

A Grand Rapids man driving erratically on Main Street takes off on foot away from police, steals a car and runs off the road in a high-speed chase, and finally is found in a field by a tracking dog.

You can get a new three-bedroom house in Valley Vista for \$200 down.

rial rates would be based on the loss risk within those areas. This is aimed to end the current trend of low-risk areas subsidizing high-risk areas.

Opponents of Proposal C argue that since the rate cut is required to be in place for six months, insurers will raise rates to previous levels soon after the six-month period is over. However, I would argue that by making the cost of offering insurance more affordable—as Proposal C would do—there would be no reason for such a rate hike.

You will have to decide whether you favor the current system or like the proposed changes. I urge you to study the issue before making a decision.

Once again, here is the language that will appear on the ballot:

**"PROPOSAL C: A REFERENDUM ON PUBLIC ACT 143 OF 1993—AN AMENDMENT TO MICHIGAN'S AUTO INSURANCE LAWS.**

Public Act 143 of 1993 would 1) Reduce auto insurance rates by 16 percent (average) for six months for policyholders reducing personal injury (medical) insurance to \$1 million. Extra coverage made available at added cost; 2) Permit the insurance commissioner to waive company's obligation to reduce rates if statutory formula would be in excess of the 1989-1992 state average; 3) Place limits on personal injury benefits; 4) Limit fee paid to health care providers; 5) Limit right to sue by setting higher standards for the recovery of damages for "pain and suffering" and prevent uninsured drivers and drivers over 50 percent at fault from collecting damages; and 6) Allow rate reductions for the accident-free driving with the same insurer."

As I stated before, this is a complicated and complex issue. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call me at (517) 373-0797 or write me at P.O. Box 30036, Lansing, MI 48908-7536.

Next week, I will detail Proposal P, which aims to provide a stable funding source for our state parks.

But limiting your retirement portfolio to fixed-income investments can be a mistake. And the reason is inflation.

Inflation can drastically shrink the value of a fixed-income stream from investments. For example, \$500,000 invested in government bonds yielding 4.25 percent will produce \$21,250 in annual income. However, after just ten years, with an inflation rate of five percent, that \$21,250 income will have the same purchasing power that \$13,000 does today.

To counter the effects of inflation, financial experts recommend that your retirement portfolio include growth investments. **Stocks Can Provide A Hedge**

Historically, stocks have outperformed fixed-income investments in spite of periodic setbacks in the market. Over the long term, equity investments have overcome short-term losses and outpaced inflation, while money market funds and Treasury securities barely stay ahead of inflation.

Since 1926, common stocks, as measured by the S&P 500 Index, have averaged a 10.3 percent annual return. During the same period, long-term government bonds averaged 4.5 percent annually, while inflation averaged 3.1 percent.

Remember that stock prices may fluctuate significantly over the short term, and stocks involve a greater degree of risk than do bonds or CDs. Yet a well-balanced portfolio of stocks and other investments has the potential to help protect your purchasing power from the effects of inflation without exceeding your risk comfort level.

While past performance is no guarantee of future results, an

example can show the importance of equities in your retirement portfolio.

According to Ibbotson Associates of Chicago, if you had invested \$10,000 in S&P 500 stocks in 1971, your investment at the end of 1991 would have grown to about \$94,800. On the other hand, if you had made the same investment in Treasury bonds, your nest egg would have been just \$44,100 at the end of 1991 - or more than \$50,000 less!

### The Bottom Line

Even at today's relatively low rate of about three to four percent, inflation will erode a fixed-income investment by almost two-thirds in 20 years. Consequently, inflation is a threat you can't ignore as you plan your retirement portfolio.

Growth investments, such as stocks, can pay off handsomely despite short-term fluctuations in value. Consider including them in your portfolio along with the fixed-income investments you rely on to meet daily expenses.

At the same time, reexamine the way you invest for fixed income. By staggering the maturities of your CDs and bonds, you minimize your exposure at any point in time to interest rate fluctuations. The result is a more predictable income stream. It also increases the likelihood that you will be able to hold your investments until maturity rather than redeem them early to offset a drop in interest income.

Schultz is an account executive for FMB State Savings in Lowell. For further questions or a free consultation, call FMB, 897-4153.



# Capital News Briefs

By Dave Conklin, Lansing

## Engler and Wolpe debate in Grand Rapids... Wolpe fails to TKO incumbent GOP governor...

(CNB) Grand Rapids - Political pundits following the Grand Rapids debate suggest former congressman Howard Wolpe has to define who he is and what he would do if elected governor. They compared his debate performance to nothing more than a young brother "whining" about what the older brother had done.

## Michigan taxes now below the national average...

(CNB) Lansing - The state Business Council Public Policy Institute announced last week that Michigan has been successful in lowering state and local taxes. This year, the state had an average rate of \$2,172.65 per person which was slightly below the nation's average of \$2,173.24.

## Democrat Howard Wolpe attacks Engler on labor issues and 911 service cuts in Michigan...

(CNB) Flint - Howard Wolpe, the Democratic candidate for governor, brought his campaign to the Flint area. During his visit, he attacked Governor

Engler for his anti-labor union policies, suggesting that under a second Engler term, he would break the back of organized labor. Wolpe also slammed Engler on cutting state funding for 911 service. Presently the system is paid for by a surcharge on telephone bills and not by state tax dollars.

## Stabenow snubbed at Ross Perot's Michigan Rally...

(CNB) Allen Park - Democratic lieutenant governor hopeful Debbie Stabenow was refused an opportunity to speak to over 1500 Ross Perot supporters at an Allen Park rally held this past weekend. Susan Esser, Perot's Michigan coordinator, told the Democratic state Ssnator they would not allow any surrogates on the stage. Stabenow then told Esser she wasn't replacing Wolpe but just wanted to speak as a lieutenant governor candidate. However, just a day before the rally, the Wolpe/Stabenow campaign had announced Stabenow would attend the rally on behalf of Wolpe. She also told reporters on a statewide conference call the day of the rally she would be representing the ticket. Stabenow accused Governor Engler of causing the embarrassment.

# School's new business secretary says it was the right time for a change.

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

It was a school in the midst of change and a township business office secretary looking for a change. A perfect fit! Or so it

seems after the first six months. and she began working in April.

Former Vergennes Township treasurer Carol Nauta applied for the part-time school business office secretary position back in March. Her new job responsibilities include accounts receiv-

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Carol Nauta has found her new role as school business office secretary both challenging and enjoyable.

# Success takes equestrian team back to state finals

By Marc Popielek  
Contributing Writer

It may not be officially recognized by Lowell High School officials, but the school's equestrian team is perhaps one of its strongest athletic teams.

For the second year in a row, the equestrian team will compete in the state finals in Detroit on Oct. 21, 22, and 23. And after last year's fourth-place finish, the team expects the same, if not better, results this time around.

"We have a strong team that displays the kind of teamwork it takes to win it all, so we're looking for good results this year," said second-year coach Chris Posthuma.

Lowell edged out Rockford, Cedar Springs, Hudsonville and South Christian for the District V Class A championship. They met their competitors three times in September and walk away winners every time.

Posthuma said the team performs well in all phases of competition and works well together.

"We have more versatility this year and our experienced riders have helped our newcomers achieve their best results," said Posthuma.

The 13-member team has the right mix between youth and experience. Returning members include Michelle Dykstra, Kelley Dykstra, Jill Dykstra, Lindsey Brogger, Jamie McCaul, Amanda Smit and Katie Stauffer. The newcomers are Mahrya Skinner, Laura Alexander, Jennifer Harper, Lyndsey Ghareeb and Monica Jaarsma.

Posthuma said the team performs well in all phases of the events which include showmanship at halter performance, English and Western equitation and saddle seat equitation. Among those four categories are several other events such as reining, hunt seat and several timed speed events.

Lowell will face 37 teams at the state meet and Posthuma said mental attitude will be the focus of the team.

"Some of the schools we face have 30 to 40 team members and they are financed by

their schools so they tend to have the advantage, but I'm sure our girls will perform well," said Posthuma.

Those sentiments are shared by one of the team's experienced riders, Amanda Smit. This is the second year for Smit and she believes the team can do well at the state meet.

"Last year we performed well, but this year we should do better because we have good team spirit and our teamwork is excellent," said Smit. Another point that Smit and Posthuma agree on is the lack of school support over the year. Posthuma said the team raises money to compete through fund-raisers and donations and has to fight to get recognition from the school.

"Unlike other sports our girls work and practice all year, but we don't get any recognition from the school," said Posthuma.

For Smit, an 18-year-old senior, just recognizing the team's accomplishments would be enough for her. "If the football team went to state, they would have a big pep

assembly. I'm not asking for an assembly, but it would be nice to be mentioned in the morning announcements," she said.

For four-year member

Kelly Dykstra, the problem with getting recognition comes from a misperception about the sport.

"People think all we do is sit on horses and ride. It is

much more work than that and you must be thinking at all times," said Dykstra. "Getting a lazy horse to perform up to show level takes an enormous amount of work."



Members of the 1994 equestrian team include: Chris Posthuma (coach), Jill Dykstra, Lindsey Brogger, Kelly Dykstra and Amanda Smit.

# CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS  
OF  
CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE  
CITY OF LOWELL

For the Regular Meeting of MONDAY, September 19, 1994.

The Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Maatman and the Clerk called the Roll. Present: Councilmembers Shores, Green, Hodges, Thompson and Mayor Maatman. Absent: None.

IT WAS MOVED BY GREEN and seconded by SHORES that the minutes of the September 6, 1994 meeting be approved as written.

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

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

YEA: Councilmembers Shores, Green, Hodges, Thompson and Mayor Maatman.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

## BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE (9/19/94)

GENERAL FUND	\$ 66,978.59
LOCAL STREET FUND	17.94
D.D.A. FUND	559.80
AIRPORT FUND	93.14
SEWER FUND	32.91
WATER FUND	4,703.46
EQUIPMENT FUND	1,543.62
LEE FUND	465.17
LOOK FUND	11,000.00
CURRENT TAX FUND	13,144.39

Item #1. AUTHORIZATION OF BOND RESOLUTION FOR DOWNTOWN IMPROVEMENTS (D.D.A.). City Attorney Richard Wendt was present to explain a resolution authorizing the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$1,200,000 for downtown improvements. He mentioned that the bonds will be repaid through tax increment revenues, which consists of the increases in property taxes in the downtown area over the next 20 years. Wendt added there have been several revenue projections. Based on conservative estimates, there will be

sufficient revenues available from tax increment financing to pay the bond debt service. The resolution provides that the bonds will be sold to the Michigan Municipal Bond Authority. The bonds will then be sold in a pool with other communities.

Wendt stated that the bonds, in addition to being secured by tax increment revenues, will be backed by the limited full faith and credit of the City as well as the revenue sharing payments received through the State. If the City failed to repay the principal and interest, the State could intercept the revenue sharing monies of the city to meet these payments. Wendt explained that this provides the City with a lower interest rate on the bonds.

Wendt added that the City of Lowell is taking advantage of a one time opportunity to issue these bonds. This is considered a pipeline project with bonds that must be issued by the end of the year. Wendt anticipated the preclosing on October 4 and the final closing with the Bond Authority on October 13. He noted that the Downtown Development Authority could receive their funds by the middle of October.

City Manager Pasquale stated that the DDA met on September 8 and discussed possible projects. He added that the main core project will be the streetscape within the downtown. This includes new sidewalks with brick accents and parking lot improvements. The DDA has entertained some additional projects including extending the streetscape further, the possibility of property acquisition and demolition of buildings along with riverfront improvements.

Wendt stated that when the bonds are sold, the City has three years to expend the funds.

City Manager Pasquale said that the Michigan Department of Transportation is planning on milling and repaving along M-21 through its entire length within the City Limits. He noted that the DDA could coordinate the work along with MDOT.

Wendt explained that, after the school property tax reform, there were additional legislative changes that allowed the DDA to capture more tax increment revenues. The City is eligible to take advantage of a pipeline project status in the amount of \$400,000 additional funds.

IT WAS MOVED BY GREEN and seconded by HODGES to approve the resolution authorizing the issuance of bonds for downtown improvements in the amount of \$1,235,000 through tax increment financing. YEA: 5.  
NAY: 0.  
ABSENT: 0.  
MOTION CARRIED.

## Item #2. RECOMMENDATION FROM THE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION CONCERNING

## DEMOLITION OF THE KING MEMORIAL POOL.

Councilmember Green as Chairman of the Parks and Recreation Commission stated that the Commission expressed concern regarding the status of the King Memorial Pool. He added that the last estimates to repair the plumbing were between \$30,000 - \$50,000. A new liner could cost approximately \$50,000, totalling to \$100,000 plus to reopen the pool. Green explained that the Parks Commission has investigated many options. Because of the high cost for renovation, the Commission has recommended to the City Council to demolish the pool. He noted that the Parks and Recreation Commission wishes to propose a new outdoor or indoor pool as part of the new Parks master plan. Green said that estimates for repairs to the field house and the cost to install a new roof should be pursued. He said that the block structure is probably sound and could be utilized for Department of Public Works or Water Department storage.

Councilmember Thompson asked if the City can afford the liability of having the pool remain as is. City Manager Pasquale responded it is a question of what the costs will be to fill in the pool. Councilmember Hodges added that the City would not tolerate an unsafe pool if it belonged to a private property owner. Councilmember Thompson said that the City is not keeping the water out of the pool and needs to find the funding to fill in the pool. Councilmember Hodges stated that the field house was in need of many repairs. He suggested tearing down the building. Councilmember Green responded that the Parks Commission would first want to investigate to determine if the building could be utilized.

City Manager Pasquale mentioned that the City will seek cost estimates for filling in the pool and present them to the Council. Councilmember Thompson questioned if the City crews would be able to fill in the pool. Streets and Parks Supervisor Daniel DesJarden stated that the City crews do not have sufficient manpower to pursue the project at this time.

No further action was taken by the City Council.

Item #3. WATER SYSTEM MAINTENANCE PROPOSAL FOR LOWELL TOWNSHIP. As mentioned at the last meeting, Lowell Township is interested in having the City performing maintenance for their water system. Lowell Township Supervisor John Timpson approached the City regarding City staff maintaining their system. City staff including Art Gall (Director of Public Works), George Regan (Water Treatment Plant Superintendent), Robert Robinson (Water Distribution Supervisor), Judy Noonon (City Treasurer/Finance Director) and Char

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## PANIC DISORDER

Panic disorder is a psychosomatic illness that affects over 5 million Americans each year. The onset of the disorder usually begins in young adulthood but it can occur at any stage

## Growth-focal point of new Vergennes clerk



After three months on the job, Mari Stone is settling in nicely as Vergennes Township clerk. Stone brings a variety of experience to the board and hopes to keep an eye on the township's growth.

By Marc Popiolek  
Contributing Writer

Statistics show Vergennes Township is one of the fastest growing townships per capita in Kent County.

For Vergennes Township's newest clerk Mari Stone, controlling that growth without losing the township's identity is extremely important.

Stone, a nine-year resident of Vergennes, has spent three months on the job and witnessed the growth firsthand.

"We've had 28 new-home building permits this summer. I think it's great as long as it is managed properly," said Stone.

Stone started as Vergennes clerk when Jeanne Hoffman moved from clerk to treasurer following Carol Nauta's departure. Her term will run for another year before her future as clerk will be voted on by the public.

Stone may not have had a lot of experience in government, but she is quick to learn.

"I've held many positions in my life and I've picked up things rather quickly," she said. "I saw this as a great opportunity to learn how a regular citizen can participate in local government."

Learning is nonstop for Stone, but she finds help from Hoffman, Supervisor Jim Cook and other individuals involved in the township's government. When she can't get answers from her colleagues in Vergennes, she can turn to the county's clerk association.

"Everybody has been great when it comes to helping me adjust to the new position, and network among

in a person's life. Women seem to be more frequently affected than men. Unfortunately, the cause of panic disorder is unknown.

Panic disorder is suspected in someone who has recurrent acute anxiety attacks. Usually the attacks have a fairly rapid onset (within minutes) and last for a variable length of time. Symptoms of an anxiety attack are sweating, shaking, palpitations, dry mouth, feeling of impending doom, chest discomfort, shortness of breath, feeling off balance, dizziness, and numbness. These attacks seem to come on spontaneously although minimal stressful situations may trigger an attack. These episodes can become quite distressing.

A person suffering from panic disorder may become fearful that they are losing control or going crazy. This can lead to reluctance to go places where an attack would be embarrassing or escape would be difficult. Many people with panic

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able, learning insurance, facility use, invoicing, and helping with payroll.

"Payroll is probably the biggest change for me," Nauta said.

Her role as township treasurer, which Nauta held for 14 1/2 years, included collecting property tax, and being in charge of insurances and receivables, and public official stuff.

Nauta began working for Vergennes Township in 1979 as deputy treasurer for Elmer Wittenbach (treasurer). Wittenbach passed away

in December of 1979, leaving Nauta to navigate as treasurer.

"Basically, I learned as I went," Nauta recalled. "Actually, had it not been for Irene Osborn (clerk), I wouldn't have made it."

Nauta worked for three different Vergennes Township supervisors during her 14 1/2-year tenure. She worked for a year under Roger O'Dell, four years for Eugene Kaye and nine-and-a-half years for Jim Cook.

"I enjoyed my time at the Vergennes Township office,"

disorder will restrict their driving and will refuse to go into public places for fear of developing a panic attack.

Fortunately, effective therapy is available for panic disorder including medication and psychotherapy. A correct diagnosis must first be made. Your physician will rule out other causes by obtaining a careful history and performing a physical exam. Once the diagnosis of panic disorder has been established, a short trial of medication will be prescribed to alleviate the anxiety attacks. Counseling or psychotherapy is also recommended in order to resolve this potentially disabling disorder. Appropriate treatment will significantly reduce the severity and frequency of panic attacks in most individuals.

Free information on panic attacks can be obtained by calling the National Institute of Mental Health Panic Disorder Division at 1-800-64-PANIC.

Nauta said. "I liked helping people and the job was challenging and rewarding."

Nauta is a 1969 graduate from Lowell High School. "Lowell Schools has always been very good to me and my family. My children are successful and the school system did a great job preparing them for what they wanted to do after high school."

Nauta said she wasn't concerned about the negative talk and image Lowell Schools had encountered over the last 1-2 years.

"Right now, I think the community is beginning to come around and trust again," Nauta said. "I've seen some positive steps taken in that direction."

She points to Dale Folkert who was recently hired as the new business manager. She also mentions interim superintendent Dick Korb and his effort to better communicate with the public and community.

"I also think the opening of the new high school has been a real positive for this community," Nauta said.

## 30 years of experience in a variety of legal field headlines Lowell's newest law firm

By Marc Popiolek  
Contributing Writer

Lowell residents in need of a little legal advice or representation can now call on Van Dam and Jesson PC Attorneys at Law.

The firm has a half-dozen attorneys with over 30 years of legal experience ready to help area residents in a variety of legal issues. Those legal areas include bankruptcy, construction law, criminal defense, divorce, juvenile law, municipal law, and real estate - just to mention a few.

"Each client is unique and has specialized problems, opportunities and expectations," said James Van Dam. "We will dedicate our energy and talent working for you and we offer creative solutions and work vigorously for our clients."

Van Dam said the firm's attorneys are licensed in the Michigan courts while some are licensed in other states. A few are licensed to practice law in Federal Courts.

The firm's home office is located at 2010 44th St., but will schedule appointments over the phone at Greenridge Realty, Inc. (1160 W. Main) in Lowell, or at a location that meets the needs of the client.

The firm has been operating at its Lowell office for three months and the response has been positive.

"We've had people in the past drive to our Grand Rapids office because they enjoy the expertise a larger law firm can offer them," said Van Dam. "A larger firm located in a bigger city also offers the benefit of privacy."

Van Dam said the firm frequently speaks on various legal topics and they are happy to discuss this community service with service clubs, non-profit associations, religious organizations and similar groups free of charge. Their presentations are informative and usually include handout materials and when appropriate they provide time for questions and answers.



Erik Jesson, James Van Dam, Theresa Phelps and Timothy Taylor are just four of the attorneys ready to serve Lowell residents with their experience and expertise.

Van Dam said many times a client just needs a professional's answer to a simple legal question. "Once you establish a relationship with our firm, you are welcome to call us for advice on any legal matter," he said.

For more information or to schedule a conference, call 455-1448.

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said it is possible that the King Street area could have some frozen water problems. "It's like a snake in the grass until you come up upon it; you just don't know," he said.

Gall added that since last year, the city has repaired a number of services on its own. "We've made a dent in the number of residents vulnerable to having their water freeze because of city problems. But there are still some left to do."

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# Peer pressure the topic at FFA seminar

Hillary Tichelaar, Shari Grieser, and Monica Jaarsma of the Lowell FFA Chapter attended the National FFA

Organization's Made for Excellence (MFE) seminar in East Lansing. The two-day MFE personal development program

helped students learn techniques for dealing with peer pressure and on how to set and achieve goals. The conference also featured a self-discovery workshop designed to help members find their own success in life. This year's theme is "Voyage of Discovery - Excellence Marks the Spot."

MFE conferences, which began in 1987, will be held in 39 states during the 1994-95 school year. Forty-three conferences have been scheduled. More than 6,500 junior high and high school students are expected to attend.

"Made for Excellence is an exceptional opportunity for many FFA members to participate in a national conference without the expense of leaving their home state," said Scott Stump, MFE Program Manager. "These conferences bring out the very best in the students who participate."

MFE program staff members are college students who are former state or national FFA officers. Many staff members have also worked as counselors for the Washington Leadership Conference, FFA's national leadership seminar held in Washington, D.C. each summer.

Also attending as chaperones were Pete Siler, Lowell FFA advisor and Ken Schapman, student teacher.

## Kent District Library system celebrates kids' book week

Kent District Library is celebrating National Children's Book Week with local author and illustrator Nancy Clouse, and you're invited to join the fun. Although Book Week will be celebrated November 14-20, Ms. Clouse and the Kent District Library will be celebrating throughout the month of November with Cut Paper Workshops at area branch libraries.

Clouse, currently teaching Art History at Grand Rapids Community College where she serves as the chairperson of the Art Department, has taken her love of both art and children and put it into three very successful books.

Her first book *Puzzle Maps USA*, a geography book for young children, was published in 1990 and has achieved great success throughout North America.

Clouse's next literary achievement came with *Sebgugugu the Glutton*, a Rawandan folktale written by Verna Aardema, which Clouse illustrated with vibrant colors.

Her latest project, *Pink Paper Swans*, was released this year to rave reviews. Written by Virginia Kroll, it showcases Clouse's artistic talent in the area of cut paper art and origami.

"As exciting as these book projects have been," said Clouse, "I am first and foremost an art educator. That is where my passion is." According to Kris Vogelar, Kent District Library Youth Specialist, these programs offer kids a very unique opportunity.

"It's important for kids to connect with authors and illustrators," said Vogelar. "This hands-on experience will only reaffirm their joy of reading."

Children attending the workshops will learn how to make book illustrations from cut paper and will receive an origami craft to take home. These workshops will entail a great deal of work with scissors and paste. Therefore, it is recommended for children ages seven and up, with registration required.

This program is underwritten by a Library Services and Construction Act Grant and co-sponsored by Wm. B. Ferdman Publishing Company of Grand Rapids.

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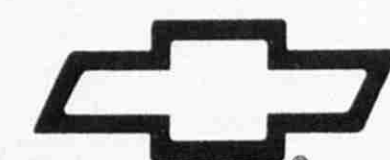
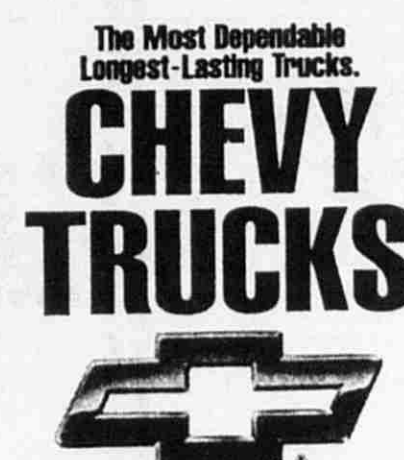


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<b>BROADCAST STATIONS</b>	WVMT Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Due South (In Stereo)	Eye to Eye (In Stereo)	Chicago Hope "You Gotta Have Heart" (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)			
WVTV	Highway Patrol	Extra: Ent. Magazine	My So-Called Life "Strangers in the House"	McKenna "Journey of Courage" (In Stereo)	Primetime Live	News	Nightline			
WGVI	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour		Practical Sports	This Old House	Michigan Out-of-Doors	Trailside: Adventure	Great Railway Journeys	Waiting for God	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	
WXMI	Fresh Prince of Bel-Air	Simpsons (In Stereo)	Martin (In Stereo)	Living Single	New York Undercover "After Shakespeare"		Kung Fu: The Legend Continues (In Stereo)	Newz (In Stereo)	Cheers	
WOOD	Entertainment Tonight	Inside Edition	Mad About You	Friends (In Stereo)	Seinfeld (In Stereo)	Madman of the People	ER "Hit and Run" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show	
WLNS	Entertainment Tonight	Hard Copy	Due South (In Stereo)	Eye to Eye (In Stereo)	Chicago Hope "You Gotta Have Heart" (In Stereo)		ER "Hit and Run" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show	
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WZZM	Cops (In Stereo)	Current Affairs	My So-Called Life "Strangers in the House"	McKenna "Journey of Courage" (In Stereo)	McKenna "Journey of Courage" (In Stereo)	Primetime Live		News	Nightline	
WSYM	Simpsons (In Stereo)	Roseanne (In Stereo)	Martin (In Stereo)	Living Single	New York Undercover "After Shakespeare"	Cops (In Stereo)	Highway Patrol	Newz (In Stereo)	Extra: Ent. Magazine	
<b>CABLE STATIONS</b>	TBS Who's the Boss?	Who's the Boss?	Native Americans (Part 3 of 3)	Native Americans (Part 3 of 3)						
FAM	Evening Shade	Evening Shade	Legends of Country Music (In Stereo)	Rescue 911 (In Stereo)	700 Club			Father Dowling Mysteries (In Stereo)		
NASH	Country America	Country America	Legends of Country Music (In Stereo)	Music City Tonight Scheduled: Turner Nichols	Club Dance (In Stereo)			Country News (In Stereo)		
MTV	Brothers Grunt	Yo! (In Stereo)	Prime Time (In Stereo)	Real World (In Stereo)	Real World (In Stereo)	Beavis and Butt-head	Beavis and Butt-head	Beavis and Butt-head		
USA	Wings (In Stereo)	Wings "High Anxiety"	Murder, She Wrote "A Body to Die For"	Movie: "The Companion" (1994) A novelist's android lover develops a murderous streak. (In Stereo)	Wings (In Stereo)	Wings (In Stereo)	Wings (In Stereo)	Wings (In Stereo)		
DISC	Beyond 2000	Next Step	World of Wonder	Amazing America	Movie Magic	Know Zone "Air Cargo"	Beyond 2000 An all-terrain hobby car.	World of Wonder (In Stereo)	Amazing America (In Stereo)	
WGN	Love Connection	Jeffersons	Movie: *** "The Ipcress File" (1965) A Cockney crook-turned-spy pursues a missing scientist.	Great American Events	News			Night Court (Part 1 of 2)	Simon & Simon	
ESPN	(6:30) Sportscenter	Weekend Kickoff	Astro World Series of Dog Shows From Houston.	Great American Events	Billiards: Challenge of Champions.			Windsurfing	Sportscenter	
CNN	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primetime Live	Larry King Live	World News			Sports Tonight	Moneyline (In Stereo)	
CNN2	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	
NICK	Doug	Looney Tunes	I Dream of Jeanie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	Bob Newhart	Mary Tyler Moore	Mary Tyler Moore	Get Smart	
A&E	Rockford Files "Dirty Money, Black Light"	Biography "Jimmy Hoffa" (In Stereo)	Biography "Jimmy Hoffa" (In Stereo)	Dudley Moore (In Stereo)	Dance Crazy In Hollywood (In Stereo)			Law & Order "In Memory Of"	On Pit Road	
PASS	Auto Racing: ARCA SuperCar. From Salem, Ind.	This Week in NASCAR	Motorcycle Racing	MotorSports Hour	College Hockey U.S.A.			College Hockey U.S.A.		
TNT	Bugs Bunny	NFL Pregame	NFL Football: Cleveland Browns at Houston Oilers. From the Astrodome. (Live)					NFL Post Game		
<b>PREMIUM STATIONS</b>	DISN	Movie: ** "The Mighty Ducks" (1992) An arrogant lawyer coaches an unruly pee-wee hockey team.	Movie: ** "Folks" (1980) Roger Moore. North Sea oil rigs are threatened by extortionists. PG	Movie: *** "Challenger" (1990) Karen Allen.						
HBO	(5:30) Movie: "Absence" (1993) Comedy Shane McDermott. (In Stereo) PG	Movie: "Lady Dragon 2" (1993) A champion kickboxer avenges her family. R	Del Comedy Jam (In Stereo)	Inside the NFL (In Stereo)						
MAX	(6:15) Movie: ** "Love Potion No. 9" (1992) PG	Movie: * 1/2 "Me and Veronica" (1993) Drama Elizabeth McGovern. R	Movie: ** 1/2 "Robin Hood: Men in Tights" (1993) Mel Brooks' warped vision of the legendary outlaw. PG	Movie: "Every Breath" (1993) PG						

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<b>BROADCAST STATIONS</b>	WVMT (11:35) Late Show	Sweating Bullets (In Stereo)	Jerry Springer	Dennis Prager	Home Shopping Spree					
WVTV	Last Call	Top Cops (In Stereo)	(Off Air)							
WGVI	(11:30) Charlie Rose	(Off Air)								
WXMI	Jon Stewart Actor Stephen Dorff ("S.F.W.")	Paid Program	Murphy Brown	(Off Air)						
WOOD	(11:35) Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	Late Seventies	Leeza (In Stereo)			NBC News Nightside		
WLNS	(11:35) Late Show	Murphy Brown	Cosby Show	Home Shopping Spree						
WILX	(11:35) Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	News (In Stereo)	NBC News Nightside (Joined in Progress)			Headline News		
WKAR	(Off Air)									
WZZM	Rush Limbaugh	Married... With	In the Heat of the Night "Legacy" (In Stereo)	Mike & Maty	ABC World News Now (Joined in Progress)					
WSYM	Jon Stewart Actor Stephen Dorff ("S.F.W.")	Psychic Line	Movie: *** "52 Pick-Up" (1986) Drama Roy Scheider, Ann-Margret, Vanity.	(Off Air)						
<b>CABLE STATIONS</b>	TBS	Movie: ** "Earthquake" (1974) Drama Charlton Heston, Ava Gardner. California is torn apart by a cataclysmic quake.	Movie: ** "Meteor" (1979) Sean Connery. A massive meteor is on a collision course with Earth.	Three Stooges						
FAM	Black Stallion	Big Brother Jake	Paid Program	Paid Program	700 Club	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	
NASH	Legends of Country Music (In Stereo)	Music City Tonight Scheduled: Turner Nichols	(In Stereo)	Country News (In Stereo)						
MTV	Alternative Nation (In Stereo)	Brothers Grunt	Liquid Television	Dreamtime (In Stereo)	Beavis and Butt-head	Dreamtime (In Stereo)				
USA	Quantum Leap (In Stereo)	Counterstrike "No Honour Among Thieves"	American Gladiators (In Stereo)	Movie: ** "Alphabet City" (1984) Vincent Spano. A hood is ordered to set fire to his parents' tenement.						
DISC	Movie Magic (In Stereo)	Know Zone "Air Cargo"	Beyond 2000 An all-terrain hobby car.	Next Step (In Stereo)	Beyond 2000	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	
WGN	(11:30) Simon & Simon	Movie: *** "Winning" (1969) Drama Paul Newman, Robert Wagner. A champion race-car driver is beset with off-track problems.	Racehorse Digest (In Stereo)	Sportscenter	Fame			Movie: "Vendetta II: The New Mafia" (1993)		
ESPN	(11:30) Sportscenter	Up Close	Volleyball: Men's World Championships.	Racehorse Digest (In Stereo)	Sportscenter	Up Close (In Stereo)	Boxing (In Stereo)			
CNN	Newsnight	Showbiz Today (In Stereo)	Calling All Sports	Sports Tonight	Larry King Live (In Stereo)	Crossfire (In Stereo)	Overnight	Overnight	Showbiz Today (In Stereo)	
CNN2	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	
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A&E	Biography "Jimmy Hoffa" (In Stereo)	Dudley Moore (In Stereo)	Dance Crazy In Hollywood (In Stereo)		Law & Order "In Memory Of"	Talking Baseball (In Stereo)	Skating Magazine (In Stereo)		Movie: ** 1/2 "Along Came a Spider" (1969)	
PASS	Trackside	Tennis: Champion's Tour -- Semifinals. From Hilton Head, S.C. (In Stereo)	American Adventurer						Bowling: Pro-Am	
TNT	Movie: ** 1/2 "Dirty Dozen: The Next Mission" (1985) A band of renegade GIs foil a plot to kill Hitler.	Movie: ** 1/2 "Sharks' Treasure" (1975) Adventurers brave sharks while searching for sunken treasure.	CHiPs "Thrill Show"							
<b>PREMIUM STATIONS</b>	DISN	(11:00) Movie: *** "Challenger" (1990) Drama Karen Allen, Julie Fulton.	Conversation With George Burns (In Stereo)	Movie: ** "The Mighty Ducks" (1992) Comedy Emilio Estevez. PG	Movie: ** 1/2 "Folks" (1980) Roger Moore. PG					
HBO	Movie: *** "True Romance" (1993) Young lovers hit the road with a suitcase full of cocaine. R	Pro First Look	Movie: * 1/2 "Let's Get Harry" (1986) Adventure Robert Duvall. (In Stereo) R	Movie: ** "Puppet Master 4" (1993) Horror R						
MAX	(11:30) Movie: * 1/2 "Every Breath" (1993) R	Movie: "Witchboard 2: The Devil's Doorway" (1993) Horror Ami Dolenz. R	Movie: * 1/2 "Foreplay" (1984) Gerry Sont. A womanizer's son works to overcome his fear of women.	"Single White Female" (1992) PG						

# Red Arrows rebound; smack Zeeland, 34-20

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Lowell went into Saturday night's big O-K White showdown against Zeeland with a couple of options.

It could either bounce back from a disappointing performance a week ago and take it to the home standing Chix, or go into the game with its dobers down and get bounced by Zeeland.

The Red Arrows, behind the strength of the veer offense, had three runners rush for 100 or more yards as it showed plenty of heart and pride in a 34-20 win over its

O-K White rival.

The win over Zeeland pushed Lowell's league record to 3-1 and left it tied for second with Forest Hills Central who defeated Hudsonville Saturday, 20-12.

Lowell's offense consistently ran the ball successfully against the Chix's defense.

"We were never able to stop the option," Zeeland coach Stan Jesky said. "There are three parts to the option, and we just never got the job done against it."

The Red Arrows rushed the ball 50 times for 326 yards. Fullback Jamie Compton led the way with 117 yards in

17 carries and two touchdowns.

Quarterback Brad Holtz ran the ball 16 times for 109 yards and three touchdowns.

Tailback Tim Stencel rushed the ball 17 times for 100 yards.

"Our offense was consistent which allowed us to keep it out of Zeeland's hands," Lowell coach Phil Christensen said.

With all the scoring (54 points), the pivotal plays occurred in the fourth quarter.

Trailing 27-20 with a little over six minutes to play, Zeeland had a fourth down

and one on the Lowell 44-yard line. Red Arrow line-backer, Compton, guessed right on the hole Zeeland was going to send running back Brian Brandt and stopped the Chix's potential game tying drive.

The flipside of that, on Lowell's next possession, it had a fourth and one on the Zeeland 46 with roughly four minutes to play. This time, instead of plugging a hole, Compton found just enough of one to keep Lowell's drive alive.

It only seemed right that eight plays later Compton took

it home from seven yards to give Lowell its 14-point margin with 1:07 to play in the game.

"Our defense bent but didn't break and we came up with the big play in the fourth quarter," Christensen said.

Lowell came out of the gate running, as it drove 80 yards in 10 plays with Holtz running it in from four yards out.

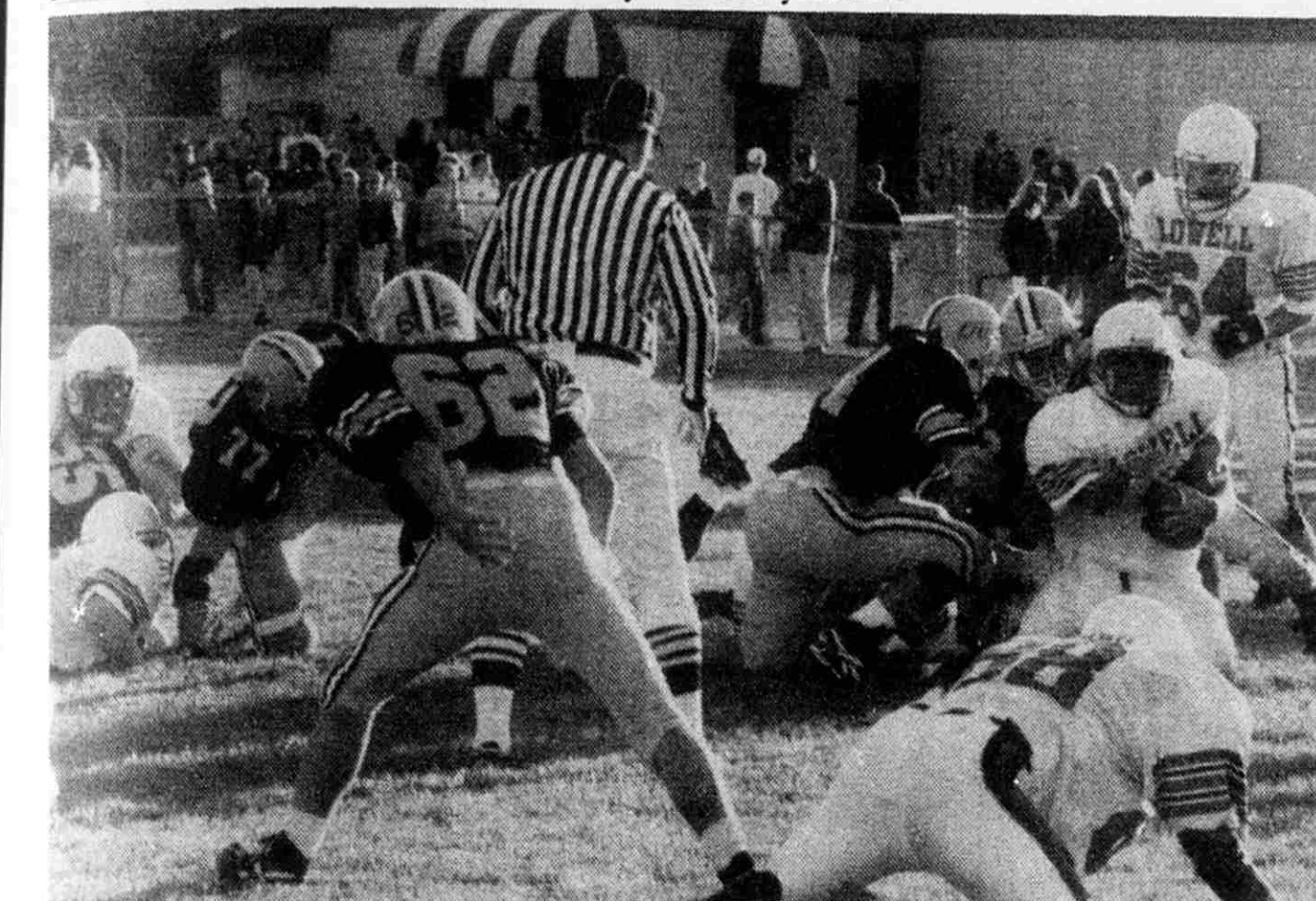
After holding Zeeland to three plays and a punt, Lowell marched the ball 57 yards in seven plays. This time it was Holtz on a 20-yard touchdown run.

Zeeland ate up over six minutes of the clock on its second possession as it drove 67 yards in 17 plays to cut Lowell's lead to eight at 14-6. The touchdown came on a 12-yard pass from Chad Overweg to Troy Obrenovich.

Lowell made it three-for-three on possessions and scores as it came right back with a 57-yard drive in four plays that was capped by a three-yard scoring scamper by Holtz.

With about two minutes left in the first half, Zeeland

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Tim Stencel, right, finds running room in the Zeeland secondary.

# Junior varsity football team bounces EGR and Zeeland

The Lowell junior varsity football team made it two league wins in a row with a 38-14 win over East Grand Rapids and a 26-12 win over Zeeland.

Lowell's Andy Smith set the tone for the Red Arrows in their win over Zeeland. Smith returned the Zeeland kickoff 80 yards for Lowell's first score.

Jeff Catlin ran for two touchdowns and threw for a third as Lowell broke down the Chix. Catlin's touchdown pass was to Aaron Brandt.

"The entire team deserves credit for the win. The boys worked hard at practice all week," Lowell coach Jim Fleet said.

Jack Livingston led Lowell in its win over EGR as he scored three touchdowns. Smith tallied two scores and Catlin added one.

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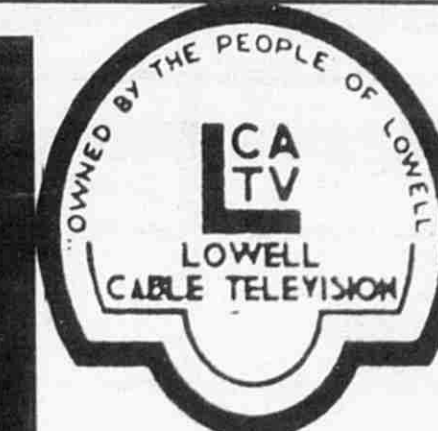
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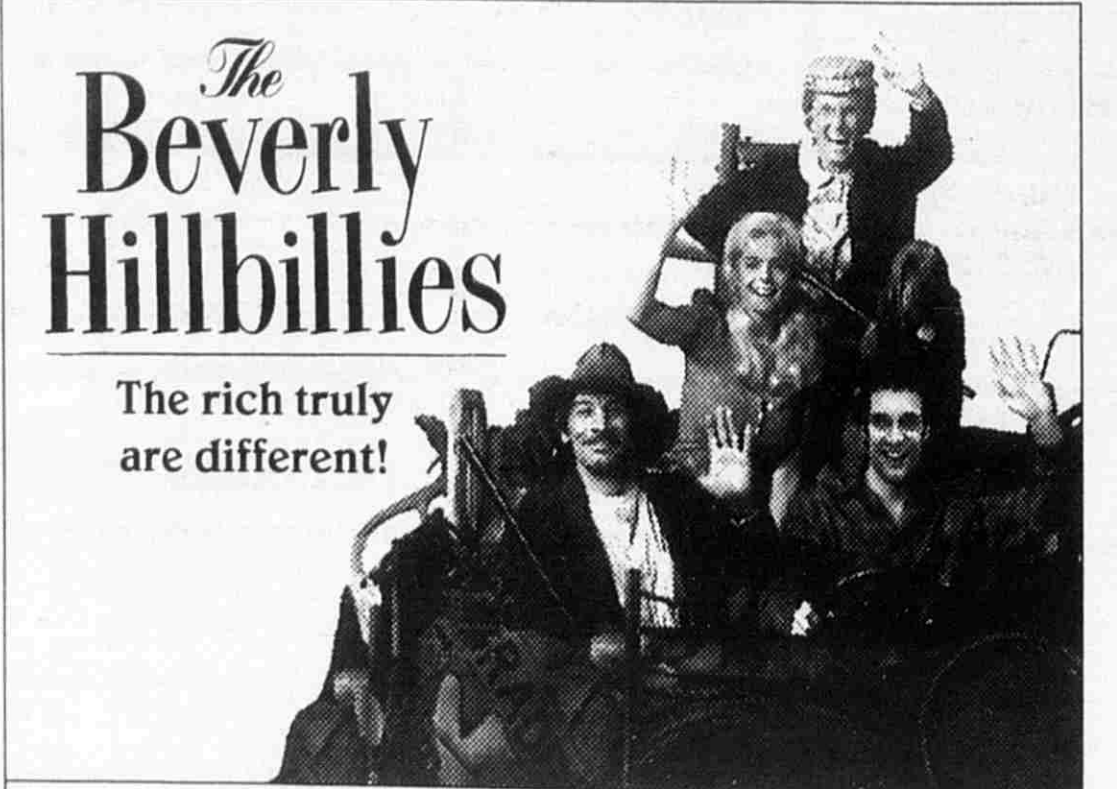
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# Hot! Hot! Hot! Red Arrows sizzle in 82-62 win over Chix

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

It was a school-record scoring performance that the Red Arrow girls' basketball team handed in at Zeeland. Lowell improved its O-K White Conference record to 3-1, and its overall record to 9-1 with a sizzling 82-62 win over the home-standing Chix.

The win left even the sometimes down-trodden Lowell coach Ken Akers with a smile on his face.

"The girls played extremely well together both offensively and defensively," Akers said. "This was a carbon-copy performance of our game with Greenville."

In all actuality, it was Lowell's best performance of the year. "This is the level we need to play at," Akers said.

Zeeland surprised both the Red Arrows and Akers as they came running with Lowell.

It was effective for the first eight minutes as Zeeland led 21-16 after one quarter of play.

"It surprised us at first which made it effective, but I didn't think Zeeland could keep the pace," Akers said.

Lowell's coach was right as the Red Arrow pressure was too much. It propelled Lowell to a 39-30 halftime lead.

The third quarter was more of the same as Lowell outscored Zeeland 27-11 to take a commanding 66-41 advantage. Lowell opened the third quarter with a 22-4 blitzkrieg.

The Red Arrows outscored Zeeland in quarters two and three, 50-20.

Four Lowell players finished with double digit scoring totals. Courtney Arnett netted a game-high 20 points. Krista Posthumus threw in 19. Korney Gowen added 12 and Alison Kissinger contributed with 10 points. Melissa Beute tallied nine points and a team-high 12 rebounds.

Beute also held Zeeland's go-to player, Stephanie VanEck, inside to three points.

"Beute's defensive effort was terrific," Akers said.

Jill Overweg led Zeeland with 19 points. Shelly Schipper added 16.

Lowell travels to Forest Hills Central on Thursday.

The comeback was led by freshman Ryan Wittenbach. "Wittenbach is tough. He's only a freshman. He's got some good years ahead of him," Renardy said.

Wittenbach finished second with a time of 17:39 behind Zeeland's Brent Miedema who stopped the clock at 17:24.

Kevin Brown, who shows steady improvement each week, fought his way back to a third-place finish with a time of 17:45.

Lowell coach Tom Harper told his Red Arrows before the race that they didn't have to be ahead after the first mile - just at the end. The strategy nearly worked as Lowell led by one after the top three runners from each side were home.

"I thought our boys ran a pretty good first mile," Lowell coach Tom Harper said.

"Zeeland beat us in the middle of the race. Our top three runners were able to make up the slack after the first mile, but our four and five runners couldn't get caught up. We let Zeeland get too far out."

Zeeland's John Petty was fourth in a time of 17:44. Right on his heels was Lowell's Jon Wojciakowski, stopping the clock at 17:45.

Kyle Lewis was sixth in a time of 17:49.

Joe Michmerhuizen and Kevin Blacchiere were seventh and eighth respectively at 18:03 and 18:22.

Lowell's Jon Dean was ninth at 18:30 and Casey Harper was 11th in 18:50.

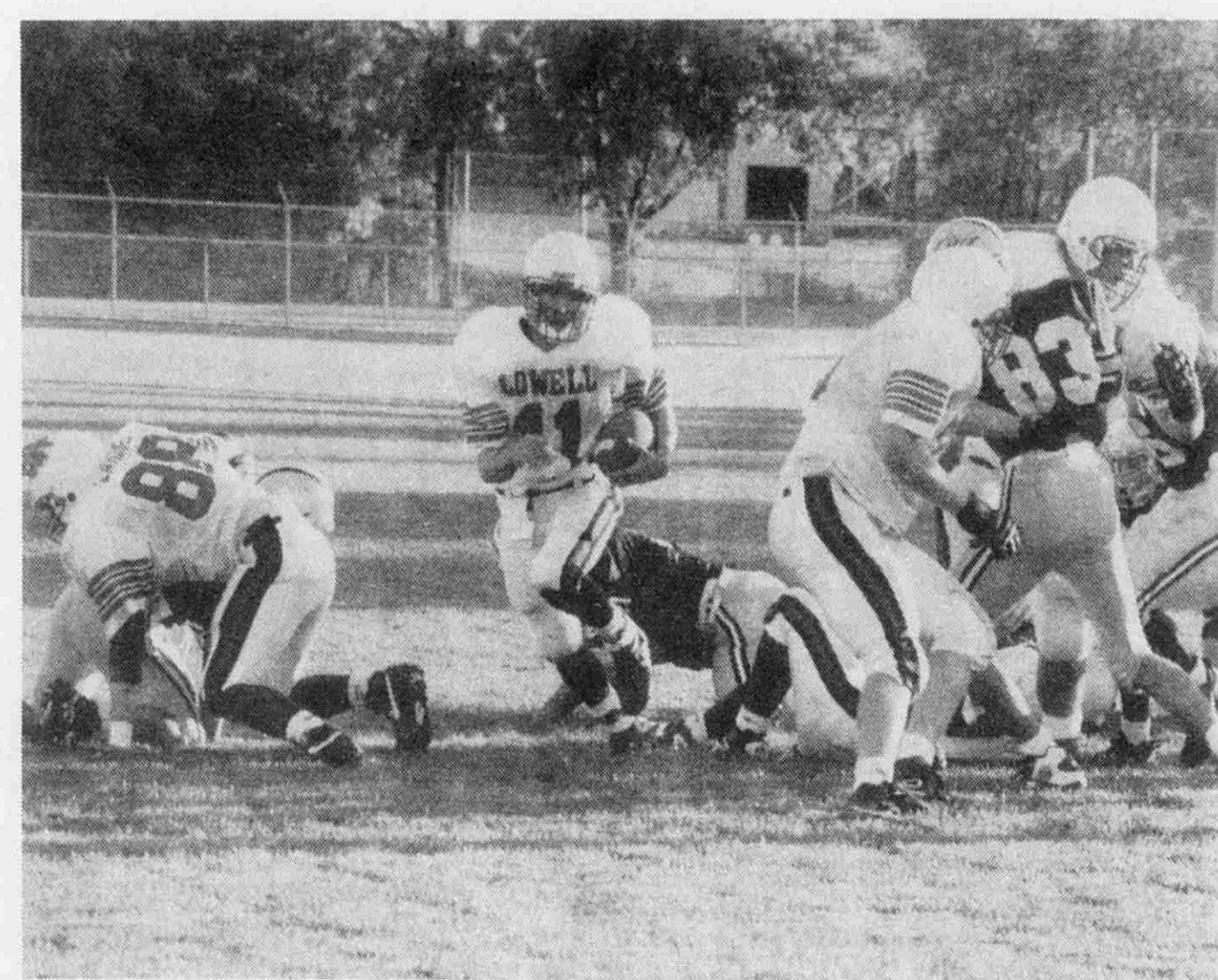
"We need to work on our distance," Harper said. "We're in good shape, but we need to be in better shape. This was just the first half. We have another half (conference meet)."

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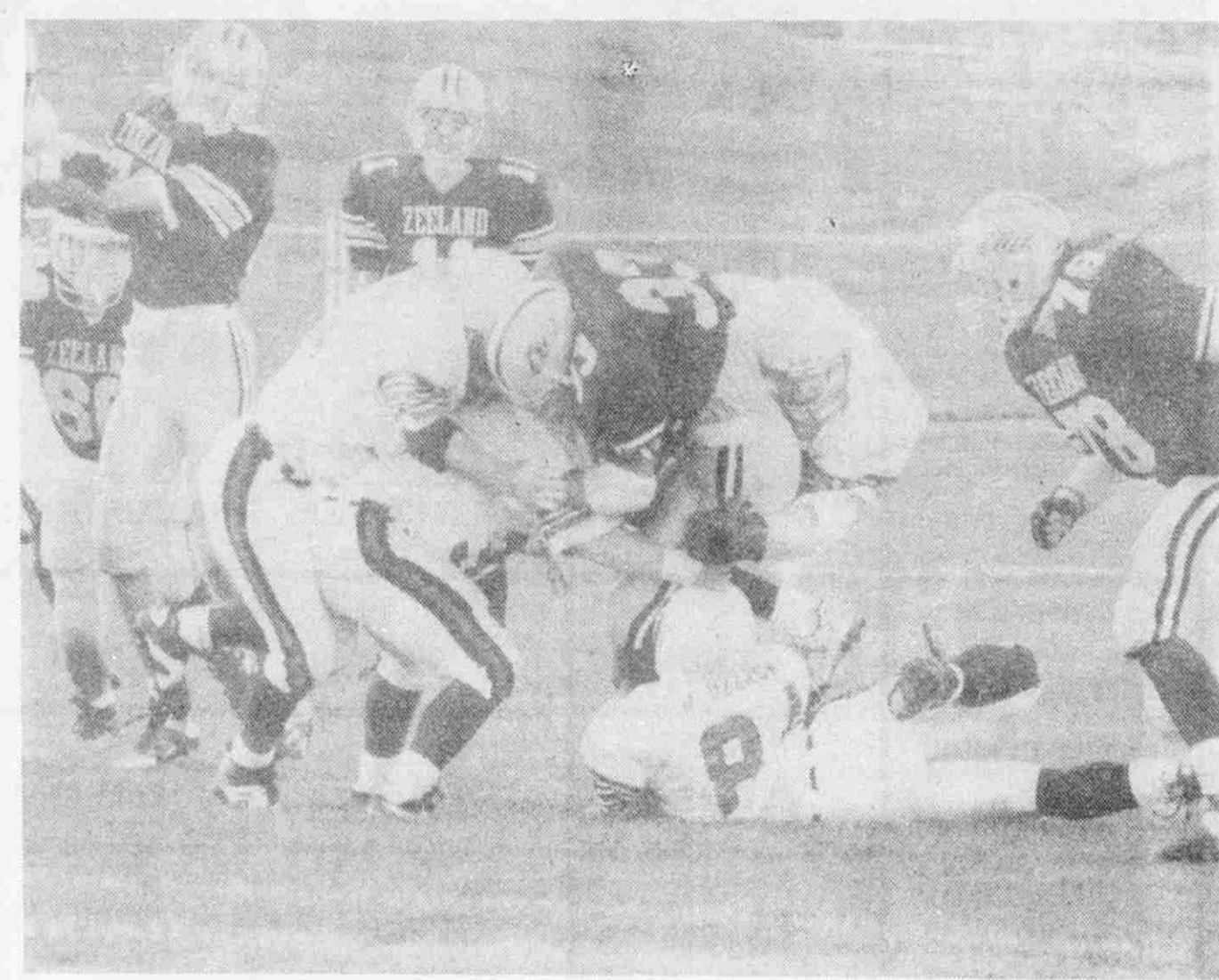
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No man who is in a hurry is quite civilized.  
—Will and Ariel Durant



Lowell quarterback Brad Holtz rushed for 109 yards against the Chix defense.



Lowell defenders wrap up Zeeland back Brian Brandt.

# Lowell unable to catch up to fast starting Chix

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Using the theory -- if you want to run fast, you must be up front where the fast runners are -- Zeeland, the defending O-K White cross country champions, held off Lowell in the first of their two league showdowns, 26-29.

"We feel if we put a team away early, we don't have to worry about our finish," said one of Zeeland's two coaches, Mark Reinardy.

The Chix didn't put Lowell away early, but they definitely held an advantage.

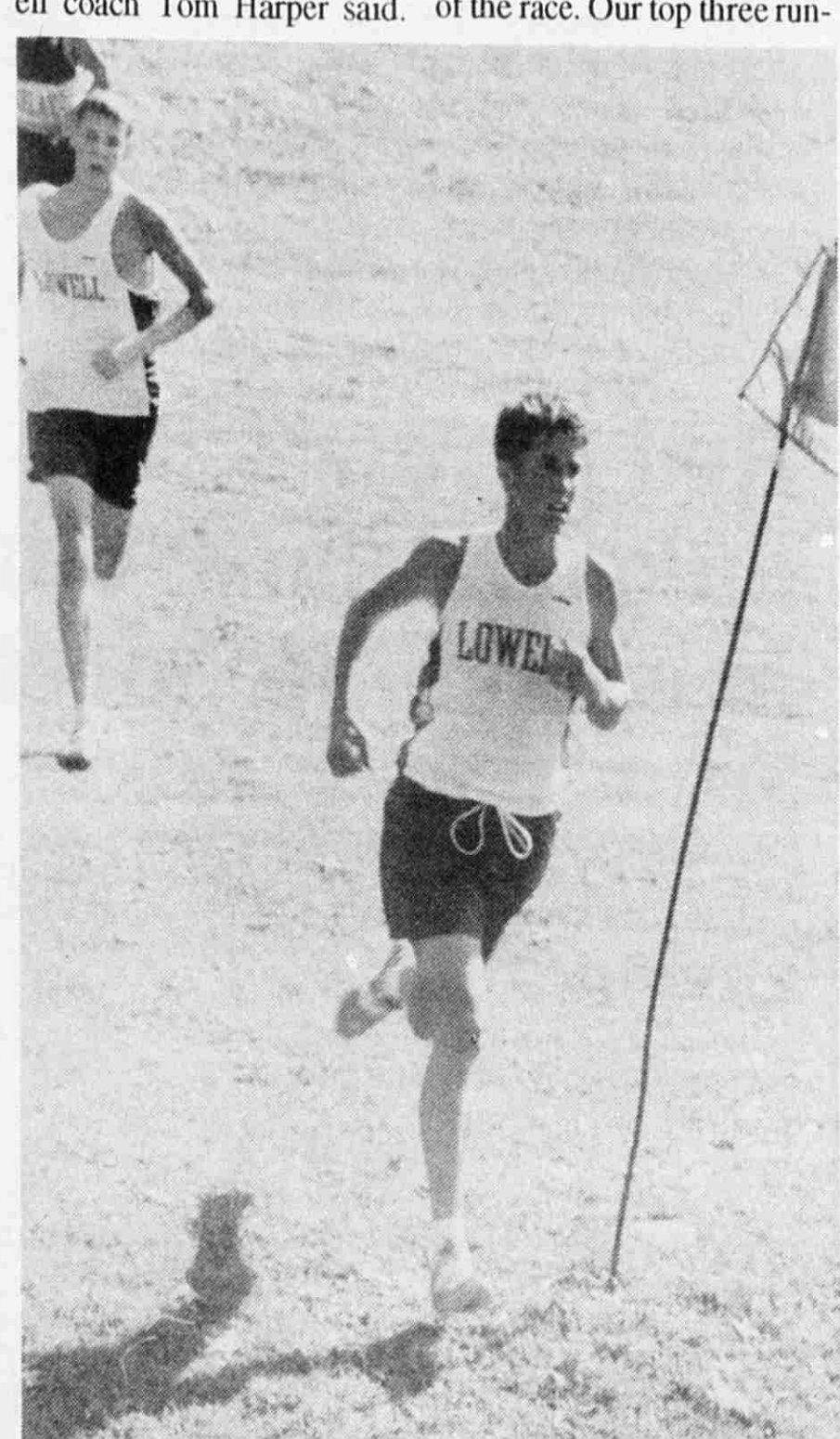
"I felt pretty good about our chances going into the second mile," said Zeeland coach Chuck Yonker. "However, give Lowell credit. They did a good job of coming back."

Lowell coach Tom Harper said that the boys ran a pretty good first mile, but Zeeland beat us in the middle of the race. Our top three runners were able to make up the slack after the first mile, but our four and five runners couldn't get caught up. We let Zeeland get too far out.

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Ryan Wittenbach, right, Kevin Brown placed second and third, respectively.



Lowell's Ann Townsend works the course at Johnson Park.

## NOTICE GRATTAN TOWNSHIP ADOPTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

On Monday, September 26, 1994, the Grattan Township Board approved an amendment to the Grattan Township Zoning Ordinance. Specifically, the Township Board enacted the following ordinance amendment, which will constitute two additional subsections being added to Section 3.16 of the Zoning Ordinance, which section regulates keyhole development and lake or stream access.

H. In addition to the above limitations, no easement, private park, common area, lot or access property abutting or adjoining a lake or stream shall be used to permit access to the lake or stream for more than one (1) single-family home, dwelling unit, condominium unit, site condominium unit, apartment unit or any other use unless such additional access use is approved as a special use or as a planned unit development (PUD).

I. The minimum water frontage requirements of this Section shall be doubled if the property involved is not served with public sewer or if more than fifty percent (50%) of the water frontage of the property involved is comprised of or adjoins a wetland as defined by Michigan law.

The ordinance amendment will become effective on the date that this Notice appears in the newspaper. A copy of the above-mentioned amendment to the Grattan Township Zoning Ordinance, as well as the Grattan Township Zoning Ordinance itself, may be purchased or inspected at the Grattan Township Hall located at 11676 Old Belding Road, Belding, Michigan, during normal office hours (which are 8 a.m. through 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday.) Telephone (616) 691-8450.

Peggy Gurney  
Grattan Township Clerk

## TOWNSHIP OF VERGENNES NOTICE

The Vergennes Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. on October 19, 1994 at the Vergennes Township Hall, 10381 Bailey Dr., to receive public comments on proposed amendments to the Vergennes Township Zoning Ordinance, as follows:

I. A proposed amendment to Section 201.602 F. of the zoning ordinance to expand and clarify the conditions for expiration and renewal of permits for erection and alterations of buildings and structures.

The present wording of Section 201.602 F. identifies only one situation allowing renewal of a building permit and provides no limit on the number of years that can be involved in erection or alteration of buildings and structures. The proposed amendment provides a procedure for renewal of a permit up to three years from the date of issuance, for cancellation of the permit if the work is not completed within that period, and sets conditions that may be required to again obtain a permit after such cancellation.

II. A proposed addition to Section 202.004 (e) to provide that improved surfaces of private driveways and private roads shall be located and constructed a specified minimum distance from the sidelines of the adjoining lot or parcel.

The present ordinance wording requires that private roads serving three or more lots be a minimum fifteen feet from an adjoining lot or parcel. No such requirement is stated for private driveways on a private road serving only two lots. Consequently, a driveway or two lot private road can now be constructed with no setback from an adjoining lot. The proposed amendment would add a new definition (Section 201.202 QQ. Lot, location of driveways) specifying that the improved surface of private driveways shall not occupy any part of sideline spacing (side line setback) for the underlying zoning district. Section 202.004 (e) would be amended to require that the improved surface of private roads serving two or more lots be not less than 15 feet from an adjoining lot or parcel, except if side line spacing of the underlying district exceeds fifteen feet such road surface shall be located at least the distance of such side line spacing from the adjoining lot or parcel.

The full text of the proposed amendments can be reviewed at the Vergennes Township Hall from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Written comments will also be considered if received by the Township Clerk prior to 7 p.m. on October 19, 1994.

Rick Gillett  
Chairman

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Sealed bids for the purchase and installation of a 1000 pound Lime Slaker unit will be accepted at Lowell City Hall, 301 E. Main St., Lowell MI 49331 until October 12, 1994, at 2:00 p.m. where they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Please mark envelope "LIME SLAKER UNIT BID." Parties interested must contact Water Treatment Plant Superintendent George Regan at 897-5234 for specifications.

The city of Lowell reserves the right to reject any or all bids and also the right to waive any formal defects in bids when deemed in the best interest of the city. Further, the city reserves the right to accept a bid higher than the lowest bid, if the city's interest will be better served.

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The meeting will begin with a public hearing concerning proposed amendments to the Vergennes Township Zoning Ordinance.



# Lowell's 1st and 2nd doubles shine against Rogers

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

It was a defining moment in the tennis season for Lowell's first and second doubles teams.

In a league where defining your success by wins and losses can be disheartening, the doubleteams of Stephanie Stormzand/Jamie Morlock and Lindsay Gustafson/Becky Thomas had their shining moments against Wyoming Rogers on Wednesday.

Stormzand and Morlock dispatched Sara Dickey and Debbie Drouge (number one singles) in two sets 6-3, 6-1.

"The girls were aggressive and put balls away at the

net," Lowell coach Wendy Ackermann said. "They won their match decidedly. They played very well together."

The fine play of Gustafson and Thomas led the doubles team to their first win of the year.

"They've been close before, but this time they were able to finish what they started," Ackermann said. "It was their first win of the year at second doubles."

The Red Arrows defeated Beth Hopfinger and Jennifer Barnes 7-6, 6-2.

Gena Buhler and Laurie Roth played well but fell short in a 6-3, 6-4 loss to Heather Vane and Missy Homing.

Lowell was swept in its

four singles matches. Jennifer Lackey defeated Lea Sterly in number one singles 6-0, 6-0.

Beth Hoag fell to Rogers' Mandy Thurkette 6-3, 6-0.

Third singles play saw Mandy Dubridge defeat Melissa Malone 6-1, 6-3.

## Red Arrow linksters finish 6th in conference meet

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Hopes on improving upon its disastrous 0-12 dual meet season never materialized for the Lowell boys' golf team in the O-K White Conference meet at Egypt Valley on Monday.

The Red Arrows placed sixth in the seven-team field.

East Grand Rapids entered the conference meet tied for first with Forest Hills Central. The Pioneers then went out and won the league championship. Of the top 10 individual scores at Egypt Valley, the Pioneers were responsible for five of them.

Those numbers helped EGR finish with a round of 338, some 18 strokes better than Central, who along with Wyoming Park finished with a 356.

Northview was fourth at 366, followed by Hudsonville, 384; Lowell, 388; and Zeeland

Lowell's Diana Fick lost in straight sets to Holly Harper 6-4, 6-1.

**Zeeland 8  
Lowell 0**

The Red Arrow girls' tennis team was limited to a total of four games in their eight

matches against Zeeland. Two of those games were won by Lowell's number one singles player Lea Sterly. The Red Arrow, however, lost in straight sets to Heather Wilbur 6-0, 6-2.

Cheryl Anderson, playing number two singles, was a straight set loser to Jennifer Beck 6-0, 6-0.

In third singles Chix's Kim Frey defeated Beth Hoag 6-0, 6-0.

Diana Fick won one game at fourth singles before falling to Cheryl Piersler 6-1, 6-0.

with a score of 395. Medalist honors went to Central's Andy Mathews with a round of 82. East Grand Rapids' Matt Gietzen and Wyoming Park's Jason Hartman finished one stroke back at 83.

Pioneers' Lucas Bonney carded an 84. Teammates Andy Nietering and Paul Bianchi followed with rounds of 85 and 86 respectively.

Zeeland's Mitch Bos and Northview's Aaron Cliff carded rounds of 87. Central's Jason Fill came home in 89. EGR's Alan Matza was 10th with a round of 90.

Lowell was led by Scott Smith's 93. B.J. Barber was second with a 95. Mike Roudabush and Dustin VanStee finished with even rounds of 100.

The final team standings in the O-K White were: 1. EGR 2. FHC 3. Wyoming Park 4. Northview 5. Hudsonville 6. Zeeland 7. Lowell

in doubles play Zeeland's Stephanie Berens and Amy Jolman defeated Melissa Malone and Stephanie Stormzand 6-0, 6-0.

Jennifer Brandt and Kate Manting defeated Lowell's Lindsay Gustafson and Becky Thomas 6-0, 6-1.

In third doubles Andrea Jordan and Lindsay Kooiker bested Kim Kamphuis and Gena Buhler 6-0, 6-0.

Samantha Heetderks and Danielle Sneller straight set Lowell's Laurie Roth and Lisa VanStrien 6-0, 6-0.

search of answers to the high bill.

Barb Flater and Sharon Nethercot were just two of several residents wanting to know why they must pay the \$1,000 fee.

"I'm a single mother of two children and a lump sum of \$1,000 is extremely tough for me to afford," said Nethercot.

Lowell Township Supervisor John Timpson informed the residents that the fee was to help pay for the water line that ran out to Eastgate. He said the cost of the line was shared by both residents of

Eastgate and the new high school.

"We were mandated by the health department to provide good water to residents in Eastgate. We did that, through the help of the school, with the least amount of cost," said Timpson.

Timpson pointed out several alternatives. They included supplying water to Eastgate without the school's help, installing a new well system in the area or treating the water from the old wells.

"Our feasibility study indicated that the cost of this water project is \$1.7 million. For a new well system the cost would have been \$2.2 million and treating the existing wells was \$1.9 million," said Timpson. "Now imagine residents paying for this project without the school being involved. It's easy to see that this was the least expensive route."

The fee will help pay off a \$650,000 bond which was issued to get the project started. With the school involved, the

township figured it represented 70 residential homes and was charged accordingly. Timpson said the school's cost took a large burden off residents in Eastgate.

Residents can pay the \$1,000 up front or stretch the payments over three years with a financing rate of seven percent.

That fee will be charged to anybody who hooks up to the water line. At this time only the high school, 280 residents of Eastgate and one property owner in Vergennes have hooked up to the line.

The fee will not be added to the homeowners monthly water bill. Only the \$15 monthly charge and \$2.50 per 1,000 gallons of water used will appear on the bill.

Flater, of 11174 Woodbush Dr., said the cost is high, but enjoys the new water.

"I love it. I don't have to boil my water anymore and it doesn't smell like a locker room," said Flater.

The Red Arrow junior varsity girls' basketball team pulled out a tough league road victory at Zeeland.

Led by Emily Dunn's 19 points, Lowell won the contest 52-48 in overtime.

The game was close from start to finish. Zeeland led 17-13 after one quarter. Lowell outscored the Chix 11-6 to take a 24-23 advantage at halftime.

Lowell hung onto the one-point lead (32-31) as the clubs entered into the final eight minutes.

The two teams finished regulation tied at 46-46. Lowell outscored Zeeland 6-2 in overtime to gain the victory.

Other Lowell scorers included Jenny Borg with 10 points, Shannon Laux with nine and Missy Luyk with six.

Courtney Kissinger, Heidi Noskey and Dunn led Lowell in rebounding.

The Red Arrows converted on 16-of-26 foul shots. Zeeland was four-of-9.

Lowell's record now stands at 3-1 in league play and 7-3 overall.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT  
FOR THE COUNTY OF  
KENT

Civil Action No.  
1595-DM  
Honorable ROBERT A.  
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DARCI LYNN MCCREADY  
SS No. 383-90-3784  
Plaintiff,

vs.

BRIAN KEITH MCCREADY,  
SS No. Unknown  
Defendant.

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT  
RE PENDENCY  
OF DIVORCE ACTION

YOU ARE HEREBY  
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for divorce has been filed  
against you in the Circuit  
Court for the County of  
Kent, State of Michigan.

YOU ARE ORDERED  
to file an appearance with  
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Monroe Avenue, NW,  
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# Lowell soccer team records back-to-back shutouts

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

It was written that Rick Barry (former NBA player for Golden State) never met a shot he wouldn't take.

Lowell soccer coach Dave Wydock stressed that same mentality to his club prior to the Red Arrows game against Hudsonville.

"I told them that I wanted them to shoot, shoot, and shoot," Wydock said.

His instructions were an attempt to break his club out of its scoring doldrums.

The Red Arrows listened as they recorded 38 shots on goal. One of the 38 shots found the net and Lowell made it stand up as it defeated Hudsonville 1-0.

"Not all of the shots were right on goal, but they were close," Wydock said. "The boys were aggressive to the ball and had shots. We missed quite a few, but did get one in the net."

Lowell's only goal came midway through the second half when Matt Carstens creased the net on a crossing pass from Brad Simkins.

"We controlled the game for the most part. There were a few times when Hudsonville flaired up," Wydock said. "I can see that in a couple years Hudsonville is going to be a pretty good soccer team."

Lowell goalkeeper Chris Wilcox had an excellent day in the net. He had seven saves. The Red Arrow defense held

Hudsonville to 13 shots on goal.

Wydock recognized Simkins (fullback) and Denny Briggs (sweeper) for their outstanding defensive play against the Eagles.

**Lowell 1  
Zeeland 0**

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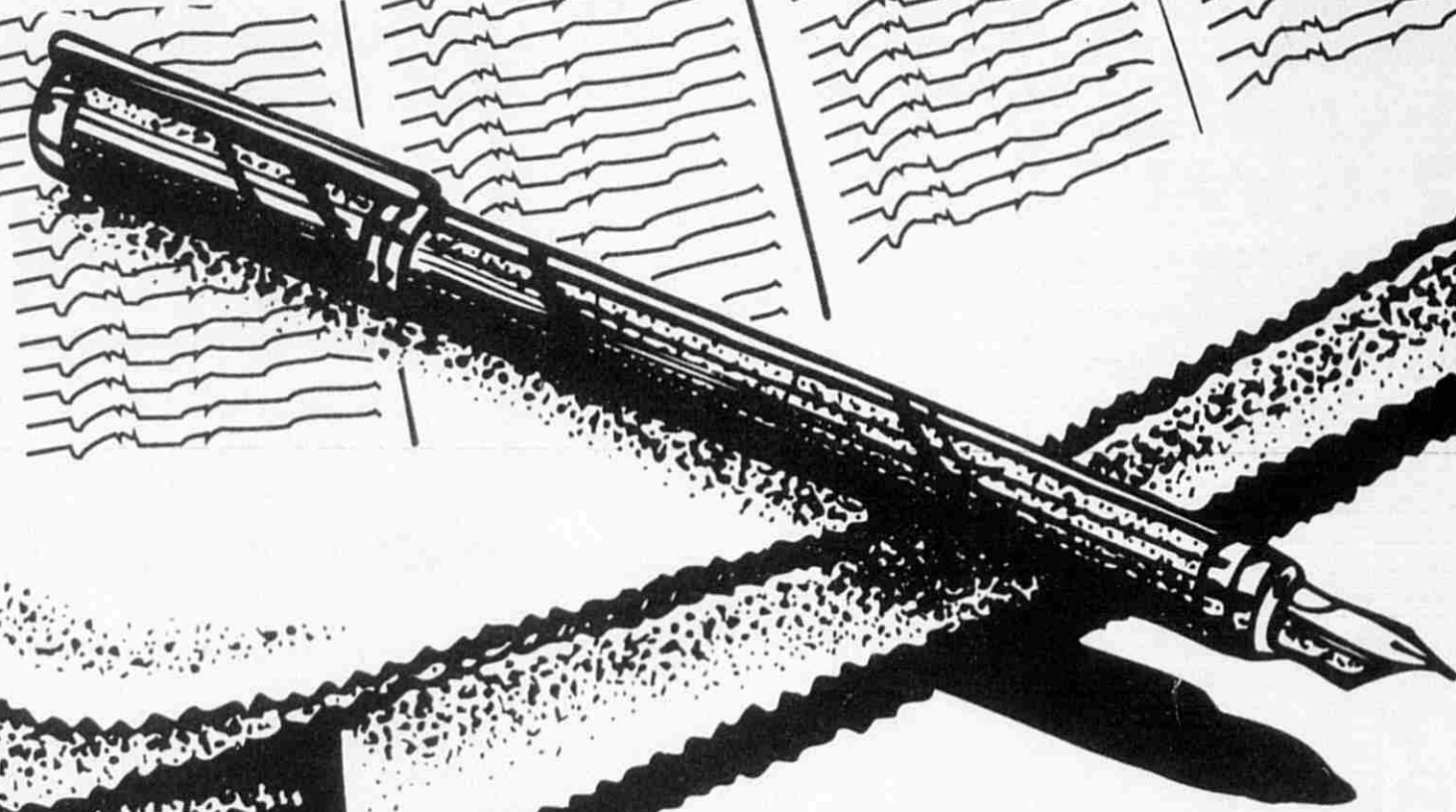
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# COMING EVENTS

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

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

**SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** The Lowell Area Schools Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. in the library at Bushnell Elementary, 700 Elizabeth.

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

**SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** Golden Ages meet 6 p.m. at Hale House (Senior Neighbors, 314 S. Hudson). Potluck. All are welcome.

**EVERY MON.:** Boy scout Troop 102, for boys 11 and up or Completing the 5th-grade, will meet from 7 to 8:30 p.m. during the School year in the Scout Cabin at the end of North Washington Street. Enjoy activities like hiking and camping and learn skills that can last a lifetime. For more information call 897-8829

**SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** The Bowne Township Historical Society will hold its regular meetings at the Township Office, 6059 Linfield E., Alto. The meeting is at 7:30 p.m.

**FOURTH MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** American Legion Clark-Ellis Post 152 at Lowell V.F.W. Hall, 307 E. Main St. at 8 p.m.

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

**EVERY 1ST & 3RD MONDAY:** 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 MI#372 meets every Tuesday evening at the Lowell Congregational Church basement, Corner of Spring and Hudson St. Weigh-ins at 5:45 p.m.

**EVERY SECOND & FOURTH TUES.:** Qua-Ke-Zik Sportsmen's Club meets at 8 p.m. at the Club building, 1400 Foreman Road, Lowell.

**EVERY TUES.:** Support One Group for the single, separated and divorced, 7 p.m. at Saranac Community Church.

**EVERY TUES.:** 10 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Ladies Coffee Break Bible Study, Children's Bible Story Hour. Calvary Christian Reformed Church, 1151 W. Main, Lowell. Nursery provided free. For ladies with or without previous Bible knowledge.

**LAST TUES. OF EVERY MONTH:** Concerned women for America meets at 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Lowell, 2275 W. Main Street. Protecting the rights of the family through prayer and action. Phone for more information 897-6044 or 897-6418.

**FOURTH TUES. OF EVERY MONTH:** Family story-time offered by Saranac Public Library at 7 p.m. Designed for the whole family, pre-school thru 6th-grade, plus parents. For information call 642-9146.

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

**EVERY WED.:** Royal Rangers for the boys at 7 p.m. Sunshine Adventure Team for the girls kindergarten and up. Christ Ambassadors for the youth (7th thru 12th-grades) Christian Clubs to help our children grow through the means of achievement programs, special activities, crafts, and basic moral learning. For more information, call Christian Life Center, 3050 Alden Nash S.E., 897-1100.

**FIRST WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH:** Alzheimers Support Group meets at 6:30 p.m. at Cumberland Retirement Village. Phone 897-4810 for information.

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

**EVERY FIRST WEDNESDAY:** Parenting group available the first Wednesday of the month from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Share, learn, question and discuss issues important to you as a parent. Call Sister Barbara Cline, F.S.E., at 897-7842 for more information. Held at the Franciscan Child Development Center.

**EVERY FOURTH WEDNESDAY:** Elderly volunteers needed to participate in the

Intergenerational Program with school age children from Lowell in many different seasonal activities. Two times available: 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. or 12:45 to 1:45 p.m. Call Sister Colleen Ann Nagle, F.S.E. at the Franciscan Child Development Center, 897-7842.

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

**FIRST AND THIRD THURSDAY:** The Alto Lions Club meets at Dar's at 7 p.m.

**VERY THIRD THURS.:** The Flat River Snowmobile Club meets at the clubhouse at 11841 Pottery Rd. Just east of Montcalm Ave. at 7 p.m. New members and guests are welcome.

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

**EVERY FRIDAY:** Respite day care for the elderly. Activities and respite for the aging person from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call Sister Darlene Wessling, F.S.E. at the Franciscan Child Development Center, 897-7842.

**EVERY SAT.** Lowell Independent Amateur Radio Operators sponsor an information net on Frequency 147.420 Simplex - Lowell Showboat Network.

**SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS:** Hours at the Fallsburg Schoolhouse Museum, 2-6 p.m. May thru mid-October. "Across the Covered Bridge from Fal-

lasburg Park." Admission is free.

**EVERY SUNDAY:** The Grattan Museum, Old Belding Road in Grattan, is open from 2 to 4 p.m.

**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: Tuesday thru Friday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Saturdays and Sundays, 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Closed holidays. Phone 897-8545.

**ALTO LIBRARY HOURS:** Open Tues. 12 to 8 p.m.; Thurs. 12 to 8 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Phone 868-6038.

the Lowell Masonic Temple, 112 Lincoln Lake from 5 to 7 p.m. cost, \$6.50, adults; children 6 thru 10, \$4.

**THURS., OCT. 6:** Vergennes Club meets at Schneider Manor at 1 p.m. Hostesses, Priscilla Lussmyer and Marsha Wilcox. Sponsor, Catherine Hurlbut. Program: "A Trip on Poland, Hungary and Czechoslovakia" by Betty Yeiter.

**SAT., OCT. 8:** The annual Fall Festival will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Hope Church of the Brethren on M-50 at Kent and Ionia county line.

**TUES., OCT. 11:** Travelog on Alaska at 1:30 p.m. at Schneider Manor activity room, 725 Bowes Rd. For information call Mary Condon, 897-7092. Everyone welcome.

**WED., OCT. 12:** Snow United Methodist Church, 3189 Snow Ave., will serve a roast beef and pork dinner, family-style, beginning at 5:15 p.m. Public welcome.

**WED., OCT. 12:** GFWC Lowell Women's Club meets at Schneider Manor for luncheon at noon. Hostesses, Charlene Chapman, chairperson, Carolyn Jane Blough, Pat Dombak, Patricia Eldridge, Emma Herron, B.J. Thompson and Joyce Thuston. Programs: Many report public relations; "A Woman and Her Health" Betty Ford Center. New members welcome.

**THURS., OCT. 13:** National Association of Retired Federal Employees meeting at 1:30 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 2700 E. Fulton. Speaker to be announced.

**FRI., OCT. 14:** Annual meeting of Cyclaman Chapter #94 O.E.S. at 7:30 p.m. in the Lowell Masonic Temple. Committee chair-man please have annual reports in written form.

**SAT., OCT. 15:** Swiss steak dinner, 5 to 7:30 p.m. at Bowne Center United Methodist Church (corner

of 84th St. and Alden Nash, Alto). Adults, \$6; children, (6 to 12), \$3.

**OCT. 15 & 16:** Snowmobile grass drag races hosted by Flat River Snowmobile Club at the Flat River track in Smyrna. Races start at noon.

**SAT., OCT. 22:** Family and friends of Cyclaman Chapter #94 O.E.S. are invited to the open installation of officers at 7 p.m. in the Lowell Masonic Temple.

**TUES., OCT. 25:** Annual Harvest Dinner will be held at First United Methodist Church, Lowell from 5 to 7 p.m. Turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Take-out dinners are available after 5:30 p.m. Prices are: adults, \$6; children, 6 thru 12, \$3.50, and under 6, free.

**WED., OCT. 26:** Lowell area Hunger Walk organizational meeting at First United Methodist Church of Lowell at 7 p.m.. All interested in hunger issues welcome.

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**MON.:** 8 a.m. Walkers. **THURS.:** 9:30 a.m. Bingo.

**TUES.:** 8 a.m. Walkers. **THURS.:** 1 p.m. Euchre.

**WED.:** 12:45 p.m. Shopping assistance. **FRI.:** 8 a.m. Walkers.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**WED., OCT. 5:** 7:45 a.m., Men's traveling breakfast. **THURS., OCT 20:** Noon, Euchre potluck, Schneider Manor.

**WED., OCT. 5:** 10 a.m. Blood pressure. **FRI., OCT. 21:** 12:30 p.m., Uncle John's Cider Mill.

**THURS., OCT. 6:** 8 a.m., Color tour. **WED., OCT. 26:** 7:45 a.m., Women's traveling breakfast.

**THURS., OCT. 13:** 8 a.m., Mystery trip. **THURS., OCT. 27:** Call for time, Senior Neighbors North, dinner/dance.

**WED., OCT. 19:** 9:30 a.m., Advisory council. **FRI., OCT. 28:** 12:45 p.m., reminisce.

Make noon meal reservations 3 working days in advance.

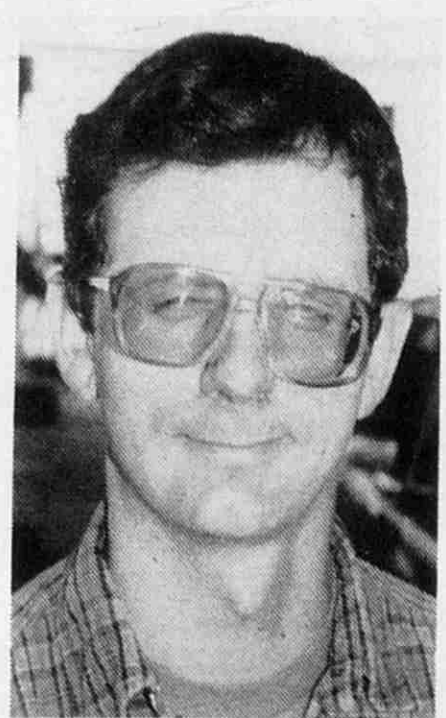


# TOWN TALK

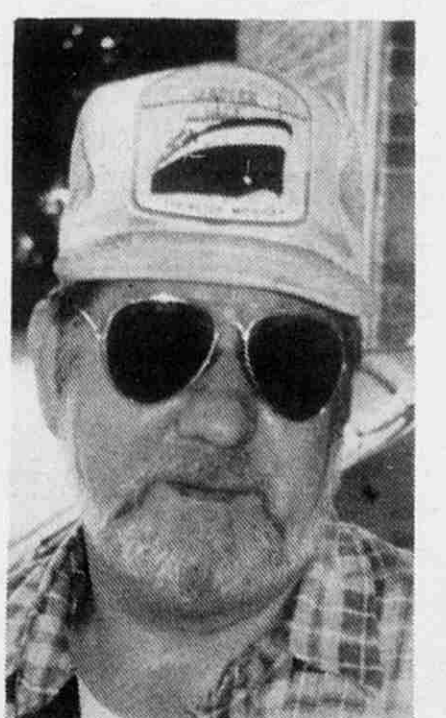
Would you want to serve on the O.J. Simpson jury for \$5 a day?



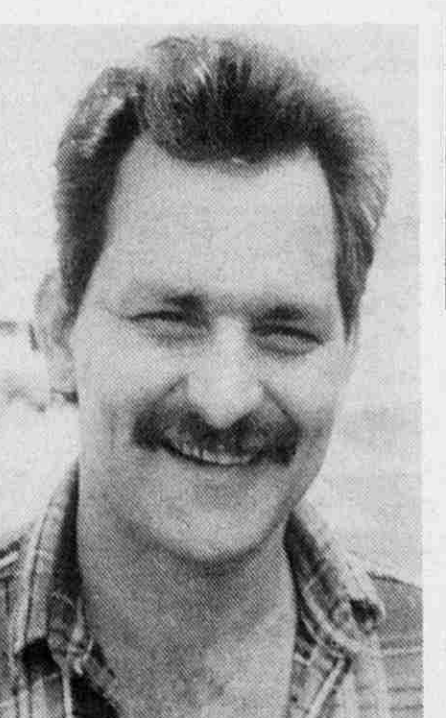
**Dorothy Hoag**  
If I didn't have a family or nothing else to do, I think it would be fun.



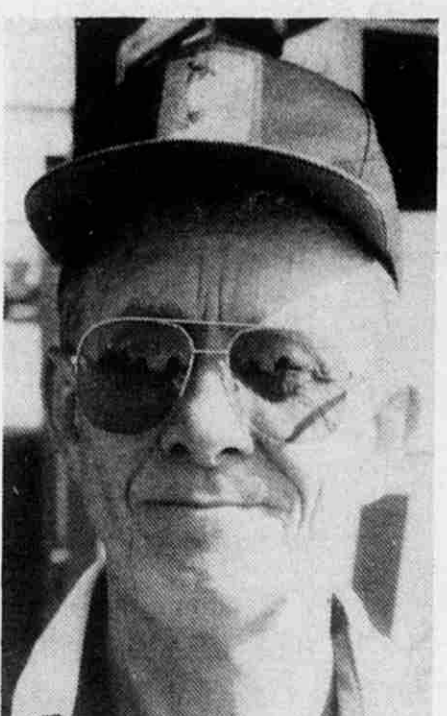
**Tom Wenger**  
No. Five dollars is not enough. I have a family to support.



**Jim Lacey**  
I'd do it. I don't know that I'd like to, but I think it's our responsibility.



**Stan Pifer**  
No. I wouldn't want to be out of work that long. Five dollars a day is not a good wage.



**Tom Smith**  
I wouldn't serve on it for \$25 a day. There would have to be money above and beyond the stipend. How is a person supposed to be away from their job and family for that long? That's preposterous.



**Rosemary Wilde**  
I don't think so. There has been too much on television. It would make it difficult to be a juror.

## City enjoys meltdown in salt prices

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

If the city is buying salt, winter must not be too far away.

Lowell's City Council approved the purchase of salt from North American Salt Co., Overland Park, KS at a cost of \$26.30 per ton.

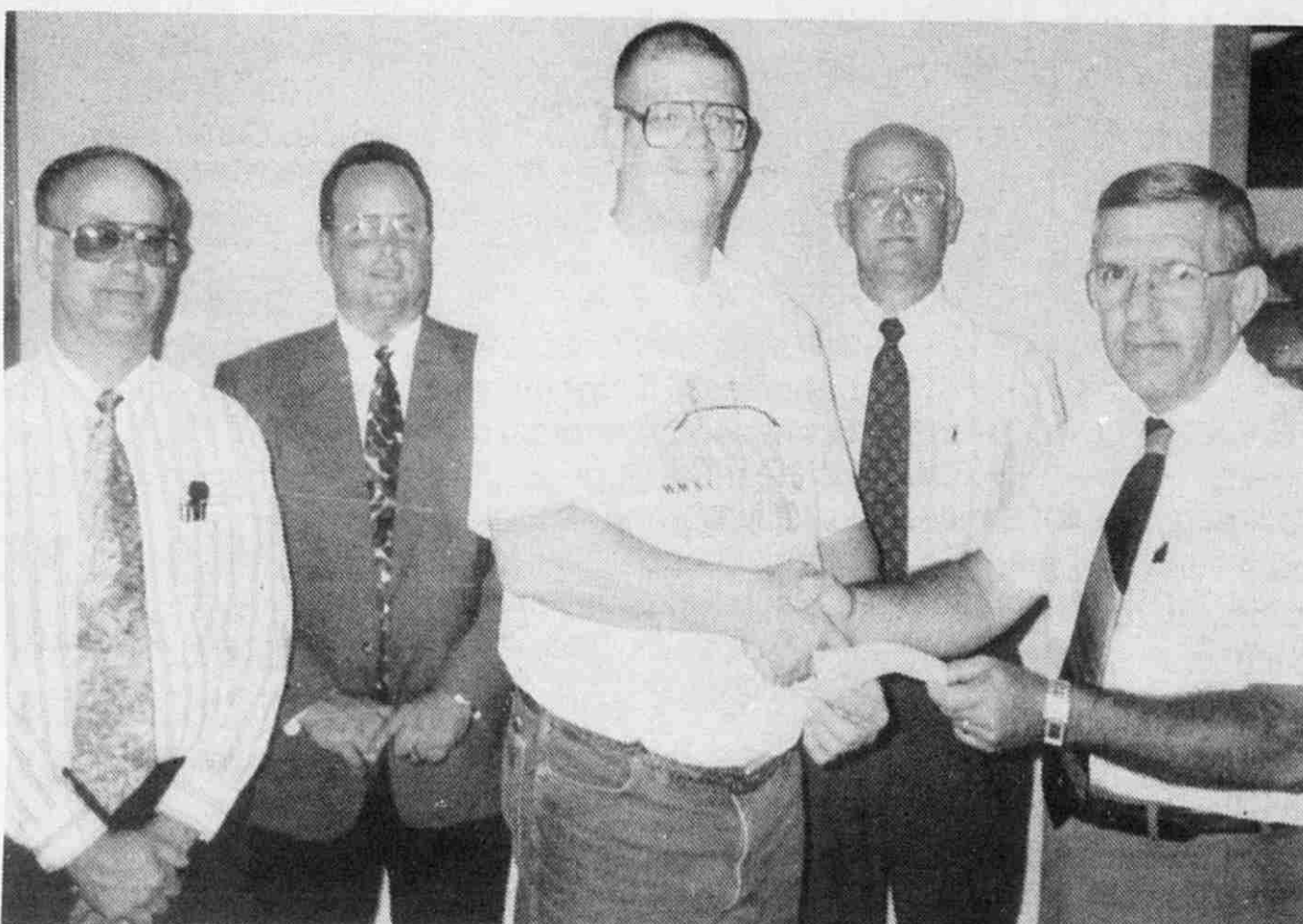
Last year the city paid \$32 per ton.

The city requested that the vendor supply 200 tons of road salt for the 1994-95 season.

Department of Public Works Supervisor Art Gall said normally the city gets 150 tons.

He added that because the request was being made as part of a consortium that includes the county and a number of municipalities, it was able to get a better price.

The lowest temperature that the salt will work is 15 degrees.

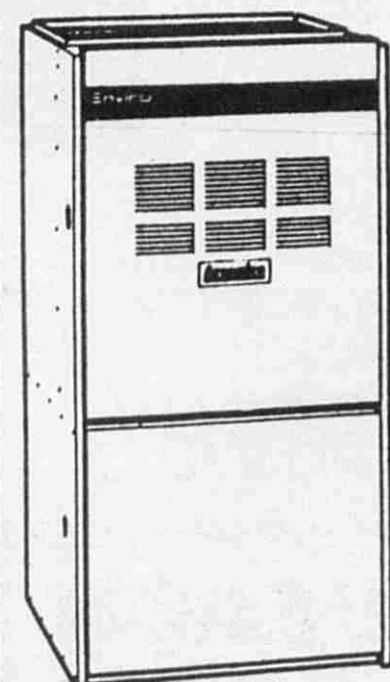


## Boy Scouts receive donation from car dealers

The Lowell Area car dealers recently made a generous contribution toward Boy Scout Troop 102's recent chicken barbecue.

Accepting the check is Dirk Ritzema, Commission Chairman, from Stew Thomet, Thomet Chevrolet; Harold Koning, Wittenbach GMC; Ron Russell, Zeigler Ford and Fred Willison, Vennen Dodge.

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**Tom Smith**  
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**Donna Blocher**  
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## EVENTS

**ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW** - at St. Patrick's School in Parnell, corner of 5 Mile & Parnell. Sat., Oct. 15, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.; Sun., Oct. 16, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Will have crafters, baked goods, raffle & lunch served both days. Sponsored by St. Patrick's Altar Society.

## EVENTS

**CHERRY CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL** - in Lowell will be having a craft show on Oct. 15, 1994 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Lunch served.

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**YARD SALE** - Thursday, Oct. 6 from 10-7 p.m. Furniture, clothing & more. 4431 Bancroft SE, Lowell.

**AUCTION** - Public Welcome! Food & General merchandise. Saranac VFW Hall, Sun., Oct. 9 - 3 p.m. Fun! J&J Wholesale Outlet, 897-5411.

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**I WISH TO THANK** - everyone who made my benefit so special. I will always remember your thoughtfulness and generosity. A special thanks to Larkin's, Debbie Fahling, Al White, Kathy Seece, Al Hodges and Mary Westhouse. I also wish to thank McBitchin Band, the Williams Family and Stevie Ray Ellis Band, and all the people who donated the food and prizes. Thank you. Garry McWhinney

## Thank You

**WE WISH TO THANK** - all those who prayed, sent cards, flowers and brought food and helped us during the illness and death of our husband, father and grandfather. Words can not express our gratitude.

The Family of Leslie Hoag

## In Memoriam

**IN MEMORY OF** - Robert Ruesink who passed away October 10, 1990.

Softly the stars are shining. Upon a precious grave. Beneath lies one we loved dearly. But whom we could not save. Friends may think we've forgotten, when they see us smile. Little do they know the heartache, that our smiles hide, all the while. We mourn for him in silence, No one can see us weep. But many tears are shed, while others are asleep. They say time heals all sorrows, and helps us to forget. But time so far has only proven, How much we miss him yet. God gave us strength to fight it. And courage to bear the blow, but what it meant to lose him, No one will ever know.

Sadly missed by his wife, children, grandchildren & parents.

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# Fill dirt to put a lid on pool

By Thad Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

King Memorial Pool will be filled.

Not with that liquid substance that a person could practice their butterfly stroke in. No, it will be filled with 700 cubic yards of fill dirt.

The city has the dirt and will use two of its trucks and a loader to complete the project. It is estimated that the job can

be completed in three days. Manpower to complete the job will cost \$1,058 and equipment rental will cost the city \$1,124.28, making the total cost \$2,182.28.

City Manager Dave Pasquale said the project would

be initiated within two weeks.

Funding for the project would come through the contingency fund.

The liability risk of the pool sitting empty was what drove the council to its decision to have the pool filled.

Unlike many other instruments which can be tuned, no two cymbals sound exactly alike.



# Fun at the Kingdom

St. Mary's kindergarten class took a trip to Creekside Kingdom on Sept. 22. It was a first-time event for many. They enjoyed the "Kingdom" and several comments were made. "I feel like a queen in my kingdom," said Anastasia Price. "This is so big I can't get to everything," said Evan Ormiston. "I want to come back," said Terri Lynn Totch. Pictured above are, left to right: Evan Ormiston, Eoin Galvin, KayLyn Koza and Brian Langlois. Pictured at left are Shannon Anderson and Colin Rich.



# Contest winners presented with savings bonds

The four winners of the "name the school" contest for Cherry Creek Elementary were presented with \$100 Savings Bonds. They are, sitting, left to right, Holly Gregersen, senior; Debbie Stoutjesdyk; standing, left to right, Teresa Johnson, fourth-grade; and D.J. Armstrong fifth-grade.

# Thank You

The following individuals have made contributions to the Lowell Music Boosters. The monies raised will be used toward the purchase of new band and choir uniforms.

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Also the middle school slumber party which included Andrea Baker, Janelle Ford, Julia Ennis, Tiffany Jordan, Angie Johnson and Kelly Carney collected \$54.

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