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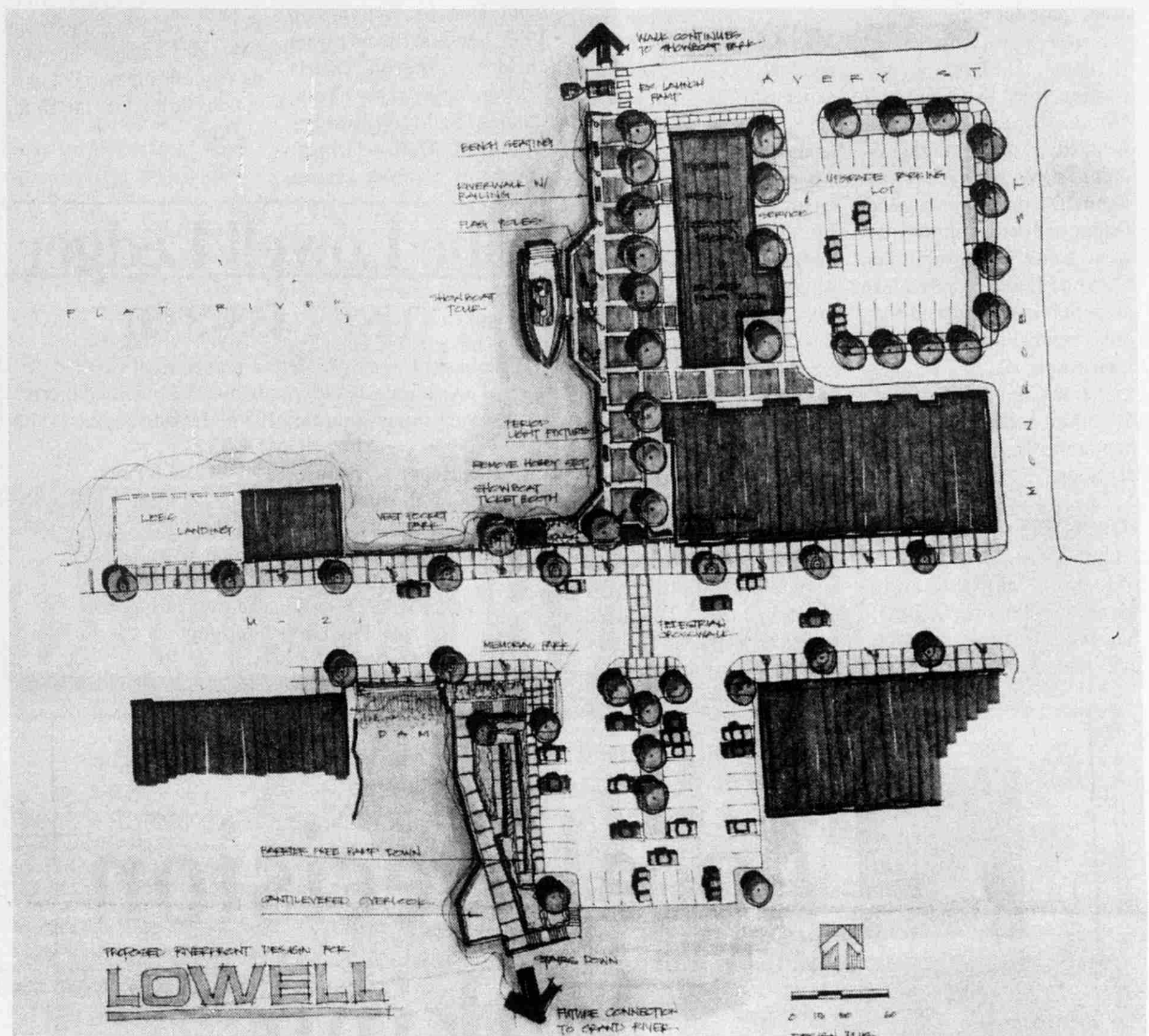
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Incredible!

It was a comeback movie made of - Lowell girls' basketball team trailed by as many as 29 points in its district contest against Belding Monday night before pulling out a miraculous 65-64 win. Above, Tammy Stauffer drives for a layup against Forest Hills Central. The complete story is on page 18.



This is a sketch of the proposed riverfront design for the city of Lowell. The city will begin work on its DDA project in 1995.

DDA project could be enhanced by FTE funds

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

Through the Federal Transportation Enhancement Fund, the Lowell Downtown Development Authority has an opportunity to improve upon its roughly \$1.2 million downtown improvement project.

Larry Swanson, of the Michigan Department of Transportation, suggested that the city apply for federal transportation enhancement funds. This would give the DDA an opportunity to do more projects or expand upon what is already planned.

Swanson also noted that the repaving of M-21 in the city is being scheduled for 1996. Bridge improvements and needed curb replacement will be handled at the state expense.

Through the Federal Transportation Enhancement (FTE) program, cities are asked to put in a minimum of 20 percent. FTE will match up to 80 percent. Swanson said the more the city matches, the better its chance of gaining additional funds.

Lowell City Manager Dave Pasquale said recently the city of Spring Lake was successful in garnering these additional funds.

Spring Lake has a \$1.3 million bond issue. The construction will start in the spring.

Spring Lake Village Manager Eric DeLong said its match with the FTE program was 50-50 dollar matching.

"We included the monies from the Federal Transportation Enhancement program in planning for our project," DeLong said. "We had a good design team and felt confident we would get the additional funds."

Through FTE, Spring Lake received \$350,000. Those funds will be used for streetscaping, curb and gutter as well as sidewalks and benches. DeLong said lighting is not an eligible use of

the funds.

Should Lowell be granted FTE funds, they would not be available until the construction season (April) of 1996. The application deadline is April 15, 1995.

If Lowell were to receive these additional funds, they could possibly be used toward additional landscaping and/or extending the boundaries of the project.

Lowell will begin its DDA project in '95 by improving the city parking lot on Riverside Drive and at Memorial Park on the east end of town.

Other actions recently taken by the DDA include:

- initiating the engineering of streetscape improvement

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Township revisits hall addition with new priorities in mind

By Marc Popiolek
Contributing Writer

The Lowell Township Hall could get a face-lift providing construction costs for a new addition fall within the township's guidelines.

Two years ago the township decided not to go ahead with a 10,000 square foot addition because the estimates were well above what the township could afford.

The estimates ranged between \$400,000 to \$700,000, but the township only had \$300,000 to spend on the project.

At a recent meeting the township was presented with preliminary plans that are scaled down from two years ago.

Originally the township had plans for two 5,000 square foot floors in a two-story floor plan, but that has been reduced

to only 2,500 square feet per floor.

The change in space is due to the new high school being built. As part of the original construction plans, the school was going to use some space for their office needs, but that is not a factor any more.

The township still wants to add onto the hall because they feel the addition would benefit the community.

"At some point in time, we'll need to build something for the community. We are growing fast and in five years, we'll need the extra space," said Township Supervisor John Timpson.

Timpson said the hall could be rented out for community meetings and receptions and would also be beneficial during election periods.

One cost saving measure has the township building a

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SATURDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 19, 1994. Table with columns for time slots (7:00-11:30) and rows for Broadcast Stations (WMTV, WOVU, WGVU, WXMI, WOOD, WLX, WKAR, WZZM, WSYM) and Cable Stations (TBS, FAM, FX, USA, DISC, WGN, ESPN, CNN, NICK, A&E, TNT, NASH, SCIFI). Includes program titles like Star Trek: The Next Generation, Walker, Texas Ranger, and various news and entertainment shows.

SATURDAY LATE NIGHT NOVEMBER 19, 1994. Table with columns for time slots (12:00-4:30) and rows for Broadcast Stations and Cable Stations. Features programs like Home Shopping Spree, Court TV: Inside, and various news and entertainment shows.

SUNDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 20, 1994. Table with columns for time slots (5:00-11:30) and rows for Broadcast Stations and Cable Stations. Includes programs like Home Shopping Spree, News, Sesame Street, and various sports and entertainment shows.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON NOVEMBER 20, 1994. Table with columns for time slots (12:00-6:30) and rows for Broadcast Stations and Cable Stations. Features programs like Team Challenge, Who's Boss?, and various news and entertainment shows.

SUNDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 20, 1994. Table with columns for time slots (7:00-11:30) and rows for Broadcast Stations and Cable Stations. Includes programs like Murder, She Wrote, The Last Boy Scout, and various news and entertainment shows.

SUNDAY LATE NIGHT NOVEMBER 20, 1994. Table with columns for time slots (12:00-4:30) and rows for Broadcast Stations and Cable Stations. Features programs like Star Trek, Highlander, and various news and entertainment shows.

THURSDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 24, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS	WVMT Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Christy A tragedy forces Christy to decide how much she wants to stay in Cutter Gap. (In Stereo)	Eye to Eye (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)				
WOTV	Highway Patrol	Extra: Ent. Magazine	Movie: "MacGyver: Trail to Dooomsday" (1994) A madman plans to sell atomic missiles to mercenaries.	Primitve Live	News	Nightline				
WGUV	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour		Practical Sports	This Old House	Michigan Out-of-Doors	Trailside: Adventure	Thanksgiving of American Folk Hymns	Waiting for God	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	
WXMI	Fresh Prince of Bel-Air	Simpsons (In Stereo)	Martin (In Stereo)	Living Single	New York Undercover	"The Eyewitness Blues"	Kung Fu: The Legend Continues (In Stereo)	News	Cheers	
WOOD	Entertainment Tonight	Inside Edition	Movie: *** "Home Alone" (1990, Comedy) A young boy defends his home against inept burglars.	Abbott & Costello Meet Jerry Seinfeld	News	Tonight Show				
WLNS	Entertainment Tonight	Hard Copy	Christy A tragedy forces Christy to decide how much she wants to stay in Cutter Gap. (In Stereo)	Eye to Eye (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)				
WILX	Star Trek: The Next Generation (In Stereo)		Movie: *** "Home Alone" (1990, Comedy) A young boy defends his home against inept burglars.	Abbott & Costello Meet Jerry Seinfeld	News	Tonight Show				
WKAR	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour		Practical Sports	Wild America	This Old House	Frugal Gourmet "Fish"	Mystery "Point" "The Affair at the Victory Ball"	Practical Sports	Wild America (In Stereo)	
WZZM	Cops (In Stereo)	Current Affairs	Movie: "MacGyver: Trail to Dooomsday" (1994) A madman plans to sell atomic missiles to mercenaries.	Primitve Live	News	Nightline				
WSYM	Simpsons (In Stereo)	Roseanne (In Stereo)	Martin (In Stereo)	Living Single	New York Undercover	"The Eyewitness Blues"	Cops (In Stereo)	Highway Patrol	News (In Stereo)	Extra: Ent. Magazine
CABLE STATIONS										
TBS	(6:00) Movie: *** "Dirty Harry" (1971, Drama)		NBA Basketball: Golden State Warriors at Indiana Pacers. From Market Square Arena. (Live)		Movie: *** "The Enforcer" (1976, Drama) Clint Eastwood, Tyne Daly.					
FAM	Evening Shade	Evening Shade	Movie: *** "Harvest for the Heart" (1994) A farmer's son returns 20 years later to face his family.	700 Club	Father Dowling Mysteries (In Stereo)					
FX	Hart to Hart "Long Lost Love"		Under Scrutiny	Home and Away	Dynasty "The Proposal"	In Living Color	In Living Color	Sound FX Music videos.		
USA	Movie: *** "The Shooter" (1976) John Wayne. A terminally ill gunslinger struggles to find peace.		World of Wonder (R)	Amazing America	Movie Magic (R)	Know Zone "War Tech"	Beyond 2000 A practice machine that serves.	World of Wonder (R)	Amazing America (R)	
DISC	Beyond 2000	Next Step	World of Wonder (R)	Amazing America	Movie Magic (R)	Know Zone "War Tech"	Beyond 2000 A practice machine that serves.	World of Wonder (R)	Amazing America (R)	
WGN	(6:00) Movie: *** "White Fang" (1991, Adventure)		Hercules: The Legendary Journeys "Hercules in the Maze of the Minotaur" (In Stereo)							
ESPN	(6:30) Sportscenter	Weekend Kickoff	College Football: Syracuse at West Virginia. (Live)							
CNN	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primernews	Larry King Live						
NICK	Doug	Doug	Dream of Jeannie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	Mary Tyler Moore				
A&E	Rockford Files "The Jersey Bounce"		Biography Lucille Ball, B-movie star, and Desi Arnaz, Cuban bandleader became TV legends.	Thanksgiving Visitor						
PASS	CCHA Digest	IHL Hockey: Cincinnati Cyclones at Detroit Vipers. (Live)								
TNT	Flintstone Christmas (R)		Movie: "In Search of Dr. Seuss" (1994) Kathy Najimy. A reporter researches the author's amazing life.	Movie: *** "Father Goose" (1965) A woman and seven girls invade a loner's WWII island lookout.						
NASH	American Skyline	Country News	Barbara Mandrell Thanksgiving	Music City Tonight (In Stereo)	Club Dance (In Stereo)					
SCIFI	Ripley's Believe It or Not		Ripley's Believe It or Not	Ripley's Believe It or Not	Ripley's Believe It or Not					
PREMIUM STATIONS										
DISN	(6:00) Movie: *** "The Muppet Christmas Carol" (1992) Michael Caine, 'G'		Movie: *** "Much Ado About Nothing" (1993) Based on Shakespeare's play of love, jealousy and betrayal.	Movie: ** "The Money Pit" (1986) Tom Hanks.						
HBO	Movie: *** "Rudy" (1993) Sean Astin. A working-class teen dreams of admission to Notre Dame. PG		Movie: * "Ironheart" (1992, Adventure) Britton Lee. (In Stereo) R	Def Comedy Jam (R)	Inside the NFL (In Stereo)					
MAX	(6:30) Movie: *** "Coneheads" (1993) PG		Movie: "The Man Without a Face" (1993) A disfigured recluse becomes the mentor of a young boy.	Movie: *** "Flesh and Bone" (1993) A woman returns to the house where her family was murdered.						

THURSDAY LATE NIGHT NOVEMBER 24, 1994										
	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30
BROADCAST STATIONS	WVMT (11:35) Late Show	Sweating Bullets (In Stereo)		Jerry Springer		Dennis Prager	Home Shopping Spree			
WOTV	Last Call	Top Cops (In Stereo)		Kenny Kingston	(Off Air)					
WGUV	(11:30) Charlie Rose	(Off Air)								
WXMI	Jon Stewart Comic Dana Gould. (In Stereo)		Kenny Kingston	Murphy Brown	(Off Air)					
WOOD	(11:35) Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)		Later (In Stereo)	Hawthorne	NFL Football	NFL Post Game	NBC News Nightside		
WLNS	(11:35) Late Show	Murphy Brown		Cosby Show						
WILX	(11:35) Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)		Later (In Stereo)	News (R)	NBC News Nightside (Joined in Progress)				
WKAR	(Off Air)									
WZZM	Rush Limbaugh	Married... With		In the Heat of the Night "The Rabbi" (In Stereo)	Mike & Maty		ABC World News Now (Joined in Progress)			
WSYM	Jon Stewart Comic Dana Gould. (In Stereo)	Psychic Line		Movie: **** "Gone With the Wind" (1939) The Civil War forces a Southern belle to face reality.	(Off Air)					
CABLE STATIONS										
TBS	(10:30) Movie: *** "Play Misty for Me" (1971) A psychotic listener develops a fatal attraction for a DJ.	Movie: *** "The Eiger Sanction" (1975) The chance of a career-making murder entices an ex-hit man.	Three Stooges							
FAM	Black Stallion	Big Brother Jake	Paid Program	Paid Program	700 Club	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
FX	Batman (Part 2 of 2)	Back Chat	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
USA	Quantum Leap (In Stereo)		Counterstrike "Dead in the Air"	American Gladiators						
DISC	Movie Magic (R)	Know Zone "War Tech"	Beyond 2000 A practice machine that serves.	Next Step (R)	Beyond 2000	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	Memory Power	Movie: *** "The Spiral Staircase" (1946)	
WGN	(11:30) Simon & Simon	Movie: ** "Police Academy" (1984) A police academy opens its doors to some motley misfits.	College Basketball: Great Alaska Shootout - Arizona vs. Minnesota. From Anchorage, Alaska. (Live)	Racehorse Digest (R)	Sportscenter	College Football: Syracuse at West Virginia. (R)				
ESPN	College Basketball: Great Alaska Shootout - Arizona vs. Minnesota. From Anchorage, Alaska. (Live)									
CNN	Newsnight	Showbiz Today (R)	Calling All Sports	Sports Tonight	Larry King Live (R)	Overnight	Overnight	Showbiz Today (R)		
NICK	Get Smart	Dragnet	A. Hitchcock	Superman	Lucy Show	F-Troop	Taxi	Mary Tyler Moore	Bob Newhart	Dragnet
A&E	Biography Lucille Ball, B-movie star, and Desi Arnaz, Cuban bandleader became TV legends. (R)	Thanksgiving Visitor (R)								
PASS	Auto Racing: Formula 2	English Soccer: Teams to Be Announced.	College Hockey U.S.A.	American Adventurer	Big 8 Gridiron Report (R)					
TNT	(10:00) Movie: "Father"	Movie: *** "Savannah Smiles" (1982) A rich runaway tags along with two bumbling fugitives.	Movie: *** "Jack and the Beanstalk" (1952, Comedy) Bud Abbott.	Movie: *** "The Valley of Gwangi" (1969)						
NASH	Barbara Mandrell Thanksgiving	Music City Tonight (R) (In Stereo)	Country News (R)	(Off Air)						
SCIFI	Ripley's Believe It or Not	Ripley's Believe It or Not								
PREMIUM STATIONS										
DISN	(11:00) Movie: *** "Continental Divide" (1961, Drama) John Belushi. PG	Movie: "The Trouble With Angels" (1966) A student and her cohort wreak havoc at a convent school.	Movie: *** "Much Ado About Nothing" (1993)							
HBO	American Coaches: Men of Vision and Victory	Hardcore TV (In Stereo)	Movie: ** "Double Impact" (1991, Adventure) Twin brothers join forces against their parents' killers. R	Tales From the Crypt	** "Body Chemistry II: The Voice of a Stranger"					
MAX	Movie: ** "Sniper" (1993) Tom Berenger. Two Army assassins take on a mission in Panama. R		Movie: "The Cool Surface" (1994, Suspense) Teri Hatcher, Matt McCoy. NR	Movie: *** "Carnal Knowledge" (1971, Drama) Jack Nicholson. R						

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.: Quake-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: Alzhemiers 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

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WEEKLY ACTIVITIES	
MON.: 8:30 a.m. Walk-ers.	ping assistance.
TUES.: 8:30 a.m. Walk-ers.	THURS.: 9:30 a.m. Bingo.
WED.: 12:45 p.m. Shop-	FRI.: 8:30 a.m. Walkers.
SPECIAL EVENTS	
WED., NOV. 16: 9:30 a.m., Advisory council.	FRI., NOV. 25: Center closed.
FRI., NOV. 18: 12:30 p.m., reminisce.	WEDS., NOV. 30: 7:45 a.m., Women's traveling breakfast.
THURS, NOV. 24: Center closed.	Make noon meal reservations 3 working days in advance.

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 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 Dari's at 7 p.m.

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.

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

EVERY THIRD SUN.: The Flat River Snowmobile Club

meets at the clubhouse at 11841 Potters Rd. Just east of Montcalm Ave., potluck dinner, 12:30 p.m., meeting at 1:30 p.m. New members and guests are welcome.

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.

THURS., NOV. 17: Commodities will be distributed between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Moose Recreational Building, 1320 E. Main. For more information call 897-6792.

SAT., NOV. 19: First United Methodist Church, 621 E. Main St., holiday craft show from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. For further information contact Lynn Drown at 897-6871.

NOV. 18, 19 & 20: The 3rd Annual Christmas Through Lowell. For more information call Jody at 897-8829, Diane at 897-6919 or Bill at 897-0064.

Nov. 29 thru Dec. 2: A book fair by Pooh's Corner will be held in Bushnell's Media Center on Tuesday, Nov. 29 through Thursday, Dec. 1 from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Friday, Dec. 2 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Books for all ages. Profits will go for new books and materials for Bushnell's library.

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Barry Hobrla


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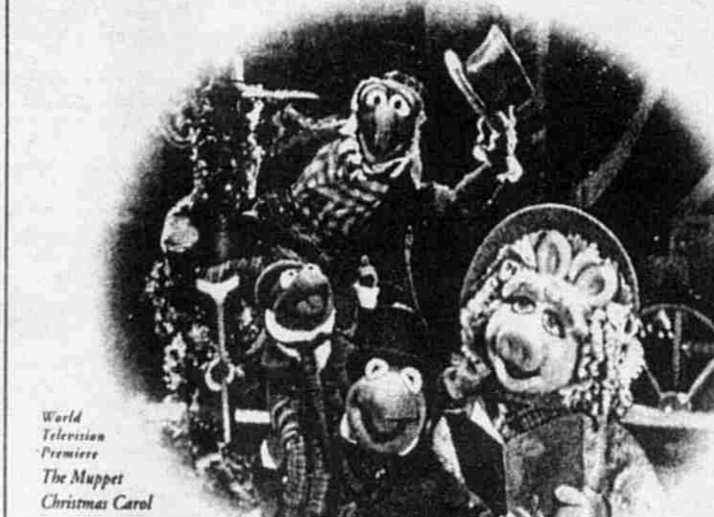
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Lowell girls battle back from third quarter, 29-point deficit to stun Belding, 65-64

By Marc Popiolek
Contributing Writer

In a game that creates heroes and movie deals, the Lowell girls' basketball came from 29 points down in the third quarter to post a victory in their opening district playoff game.

The Lady Red Arrows used determination, guts and a suffocating press defense to overcome the Belding Redskins 65-64 and move on to their next district playoff game Wednesday night.

Lowell trailed for most of the game as the Lady Redskins hit one 3 pointer after another. With 3:08 left in the third quarter, Lowell trailed Belding 56-36, but their full court press began to wear down Belding and produced turnovers that led to easy lay ups. By the end of the third quarter, the lead was trimmed to 60-42.

Red Arrow coach Ken Akers told his team not to give up and quit and then addressed his nine seniors.

"I told them that if they wanted to play another game, they would have to work hard. I knew we had the potential to come back, but I didn't know if we could come back that

much," said Akers.

The Lady Red Arrows were helped out with their comeback effort when Belding lost two of their starters. Carrie Albert and Maddie Gasper fouled out with 5:40 left in the fourth and nursing a 62-43 lead.

Lowell began to catch fire as they reeled off six points in 44 seconds. It would have been more, but the Lady Red Arrows couldn't convert their free throws.

For the night they missed 18 free throws, but hit them in key situations in the fourth.

In need of a boost to get the lead down even more, the Lady Red Arrows got just that from Kerry Nugent. Her hustling defense caused three turnovers in consecutive trips and she scored four points trimming the lead to 10 with four minutes remaining.

The rest of the team picked up where Nugent left off and held Belding to two points the rest of the way. The defense for the fourth quarter was so good it gave up only four points for the quarter.

"I knew we were playing good defense, but I didn't realize it was that good," said Akers.

Threes that were off in the

first three quarters began to fall as Krista Posthumus, who finished the game with 24 points, drained two in the late going to bring Lowell even closer.

When Posthumus wasn't hitting threes or driving for layups, Courtney Arnett was pounding away inside in route to an 18-point night.

With Lowell trailing 64-62, the Lady Redskins went into their version of the four-corner offense in an effort to run out the clock.

"We had to decide when to hold the ball and when to shoot. We didn't want them getting the ball because they were making great plays, but it didn't work," said Belding coach Dan Scholtens.

With :52 left in the game and holding onto a two-point lead, Belding's Shannon Lewis went to the free-throw line shooting one and one. She missed on her first attempt and Lowell got the rebound.

Under the guidance of Posthumus, the Lady Red Arrows pushed the ball up the court quickly.

Facing heavy defensive pressure, Lowell worked the ball around the top of the key and then found Kortney

Gowen wide open on the wing for a three pointer, which she promptly drained with 37 ticks left on the clock for Lowell's first lead since the first quarter.

It was Gowen's first basket of the second half and her second for the game as she finished with five points.

Belding's last second shot fell way short and Lowell came away with the storybook ending.

"The ball bounced our way in the fourth and we didn't give up. This is the best comeback victory I've ever coached," said Akers.

Belding took a commanding lead into halftime behind the efforts of their star guard Kim Coon. She finished the game with 22 points, 16 of which came in the first quarter.

"Coon was difficult for us to guard; she is a great player. She was beating us in the first half, so we changed our press from a man-to-man to a zone and it started to create the turnover we needed," said Akers.

Belding threw over the top of Lowell's man-to-man press in the first half which left Coon and Angie Weeks open for three pointers.

Weeks finished the contest with 16 points, as she drained four 3-point baskets in the game.

But that all changed in the fourth quarter as both players were shut out.

Rounding out the scoring for Lowell was Tammy Stauffer's eight points.

Lowell's next opponent

in the district will be the Ionia Bulldogs. The game is scheduled for 7 p.m. in Belding. The winner of that contest will move on to the finals game on Friday night. The champion of the Belding District will then move on to the regional to play the winner of the Allegan District.

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Krista Posthumus peers inside for Angie Arnett in action against Forest Hills Central.

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LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KENT 333 MONROE NW GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49503

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND TO APPEAR AND ANSWER

FILE NO. 94-2419-DM

TERESA YARBROUGH Plaintiff

vs.

ANDRE CALVIN YARBROUGH Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the Hall of Justice, Grand Rapids, Michigan on October 21, 1994.

PRESENT: The Honorable DONALD A. JOHNSTON, Circuit Court Judge.

On the 14th day of October, 1994, an action for divorce was filed by the above named Plaintiff against you, the above named Defendant, in the Circuit Court for the County of Kent.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you, the Defendant, whose last known address was c/o JENNIFER DOOLEY, WESTON APARTMENT #612, 44 IONIA SW, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN 49503 shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 30th day of December, 1994.

FAILURE to comply with the Order shall result in a Judgment by default against you, the Defendant, for relief as set forth in the Complaint filed against you.

DONALD A. JOHNSTON Circuit Court Judge

Examined, Countersigned and Entered: SYLVIA STRATTON, Deputy Clerk

LEGAL AID OF WESTERN MICHIGAN BY: Christine A. Wu (P-48845) Attorney for Plaintiff 89 Ionia NW - Suite 400 Grand Rapids, MI 49503 (616) 774-0672

It's an art that Superior Furniture doesn't want to do without

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

In the eyes of Judy Diephouse, recognition has been long overdue.

When Diephouse first started decorative painting 20 years ago, she was considered a crafter. Today, her painting is considered a treasured art form.

"For years we were considered craft people. There are some that still call us crafters," Diephouse said.

The Chicago native and her partner of six years, Lynne Deptula, have developed a unique style of free-hand decorative painting on furni-

ture, recipe boxes, small cabinets, and wooden bowls. Recently they started spreading their craftsmanship on walls.

"The difference between an artist and a crafter is that an artist does his/her work freehand; no two pieces are alike. However, a crafter uses patterns and stencils," Diephouse said.

The quality of their art work so impressed Superior Furniture vice president Harold Rodenhouse that he invited them to hand decorate five furniture models which Superior Furniture introduced at a furniture show in October.

"The reception and inter-

est were very, very good," Rodenhouse said. "We were somewhat surprised."

However, the response has Superior Furniture adding five more models to be hand decorated. The models will include some of the larger pieces (jewelry cabinets, hall consoles and chest of drawers).

"Hand painting on furniture has been around for 100 years," Rodenhouse says. "Though, today, there seems to be more of an interest in the hand craftsmanship."

Rodenhouse first learned of Diephouse and Deptula's work through his daughter, Sandy Ruiter. "Sandy took

an art class in which Judy was the instructor," Rodenhouse said.

Both Diephouse and Deptula have degrees in education.

Deptula attended Central Michigan University earning a degree in secondary education and then taught in Rockford.

Diephouse attended Calvin College where she re-

ceived a degree in elementary education and then taught three years in Jenison.

Diephouse has strong views on elementary art education. "There are two types of art teachers out there. The media art teacher gives the child different media to play with and sees what he/she can do artistically."

She points out that the other is a teacher of art. "You

don't put a child into a library and tell him/her to learn how to read. The same theory should apply to art. Children should be taught the basics such as perspective and shading."

Both Diephouse and Deptula had done freehand art work on furniture before being asked by Superior Furniture. "It just wasn't the same

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Lynne Deptula

Admiral Petroleum to fill up former Action Auto building

By Thad Kraus
Lowell Ledger Editor

In an agreement with the state of Michigan which states it will take care of any environmental problems stemming from an oil leak, Den-

nis Lemmen, president of Admiral Petroleum, purchased his eighth defunct Action Auto store.

The purchase became official on Nov. 1. The Action Auto branch automotive stores went bankrupt approxi-

mately five years ago.

"What I'm doing with the store in Lowell is similar to what I've done in Three Rivers, Portage, Caro and Saginaw," Lemmen said.

"I've brought in other entities Admiral, cont'd. pg. 24

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STATE OF MICHIGAN 17th JUDICIAL DISTRICT JUDICIAL CIRCUIT 333 Monroe, N.W. Grand Rapids, MI 49503 (616) 336-3679

Plaintiff CHERYLE L. SPENCER 3092 Wingate Dr. #2B Kentwood, MI 49512

vs.

Defendant TODD J. SPENCER Address unknown

ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION/POSTING AND NOTICE OF ACTION

CASE NO. 94-2048-DO TO: TODD J. SPENCER

IT IS ORDERED: 1) You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to obtain a judgment of divorce. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before November 30, 1994. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

October 28, 1994

Examined, Countersigned and Entered: DAVID R. DRAIN Deputy County Clerk

Saranac's Sprague wins "First Buck" contest



Lowell's Todd Phillips grounded his five-point 160-pound buck at his grandmother's land on Grindle. Phillips said the buck came in about 7:30 on a slight run. He dropped the buck with his 12-gauge from 35-40 yards out. The buck was Phillips' second since taking up the sport. Phillips was on a school break from Saginaw Valley.



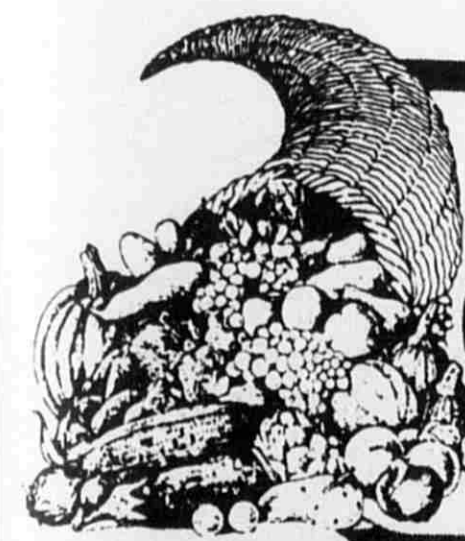
Brian Sprague, Saranac, was the Lowell Ledger and area merchants' "First Buck" winner. Sprague arrived at the Ledger office approximately 10 minutes before 8 a.m. Tuesday with a 160-pound, four-point buck. Sprague was out just 15 minutes when he saw his prize-winning buck. Watching the buck through his scope until it got to within 60 yards, Sprague then fired his 12-gauge Remington X-70, dropping the buck in its tracks. Sprague was out with his son, Trevor, who will get his first taste of the sport next year during the bow season. "I enjoy the nature part of deer hunting," Sprague said. "It's very enjoying." The Saranac man has hunted since his youth. Tuesday's buck marked his 12th deer since he started hunting.



John Crissman, Alto, followed Sprague approximately 20 minutes later with a three-point, 150 pound buck which he downed on his Alto farm. Using his 44-magnum, Crissman plugged the buck in the neck from 20-yards out. The Alto man had only been out 30 minutes when he saw the buck. "I pulled the trigger at 7:31," he said. Crissman has been hunting since the age of 14.



Lowell's Terry Abel and his son Brian were out at 52nd Street and Pratt Lake when Terry set his sights on a seven-point 160-pound buck. Abel, using his Remington 870 with scope, hit the buck, which then ran 60-yards before falling. It was Abel's third buck and seventh deer overall. He grounded the buck at 7:45 a.m. Later in the day, Abel went out and got himself a 140-pound buck.



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quality of furniture," Diephouse said.

Both artists are members of the National Society of Decorative Painters. The organization is 22 years old and

was founded in Newton, Kansas. It currently has approximately 40,000 members.

Not long ago, Diephouse and Deptula designed two series of pattern packets for the decorative painter. They are now in the process of writing and designing instructional painting books.

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to share the space that will compliment Admiral."

The environmental problems which surfaced while Action Auto was in business are currently being worked on, according to Lemmen. "The environmental problems are not as bad as everyone thinks or what I originally

thought," Lemmen said.

The new Admiral, which is scheduled to open Dec. 15, will offer more diversified products. Lemmen said it will be more in line with the convenience marts.

With the opening of the new Admiral store, one might assume that the current store

would close down — not so. "I'm going to leave it open and see how things go," Lemmen said.

The former Action Auto covers approximately 8,000 square feet. Its size will allow Lemmen to lease space to three other businesses.

Currently, Showboat

Video and Blimpy's are also slated to open on Dec. 15. Showboat Video, 2333 W. Main, and Blimpy's are owned by Jim and Sandra Fizer.

Lemmen said there is still a 2,000 square foot space available for leasing. Lemmen is pleased that the

new location will also provide a side street access. "This may also bring us different clientele."

"We were interested in moving Showboat Video because of the additional space it will provide," Sandra Fizer said. "It will allow us to become more modern. We will

add all new shelving and implement a computer system to help make us more efficient."

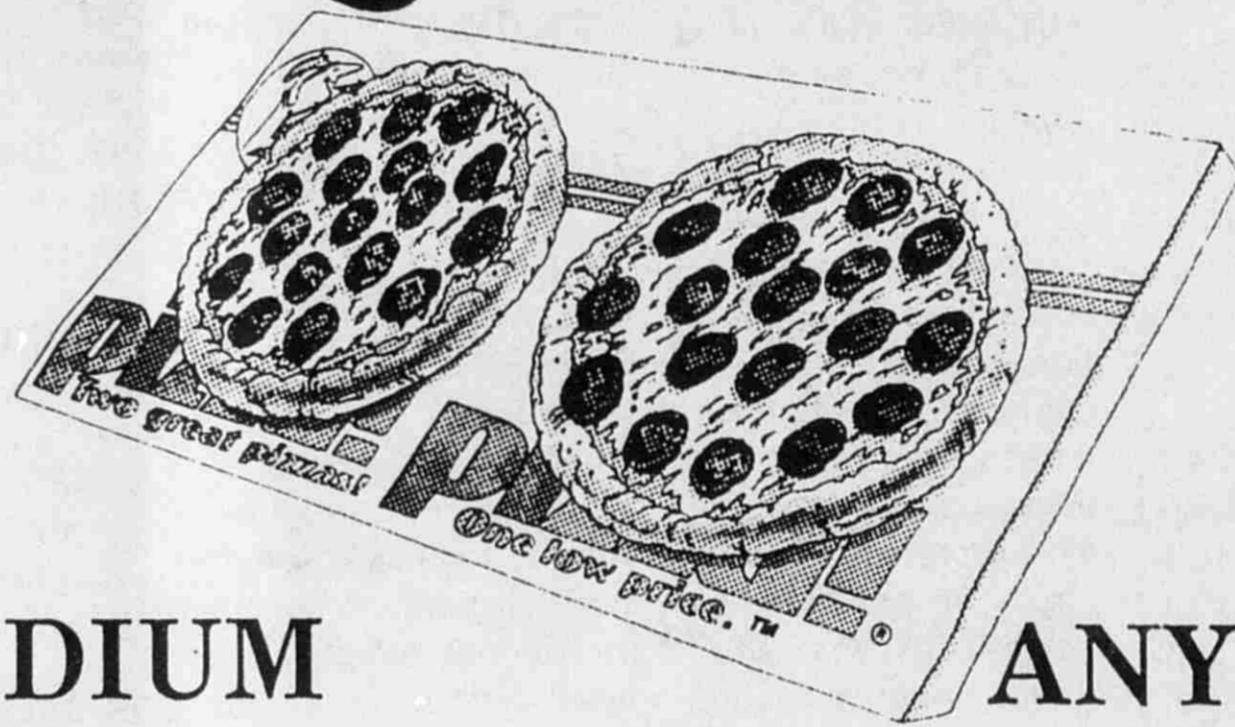
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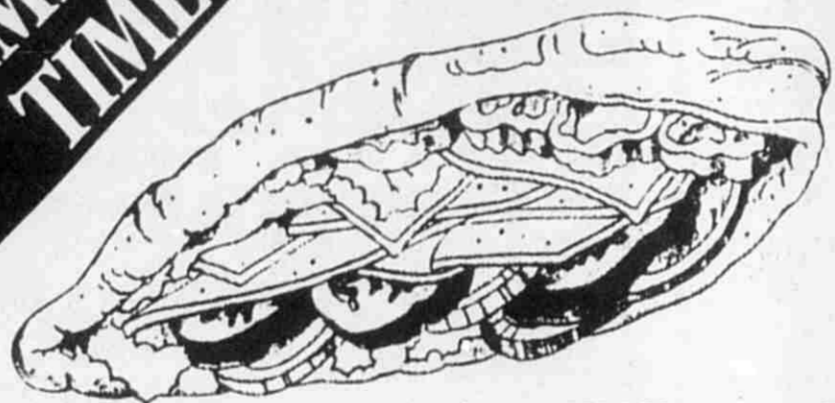
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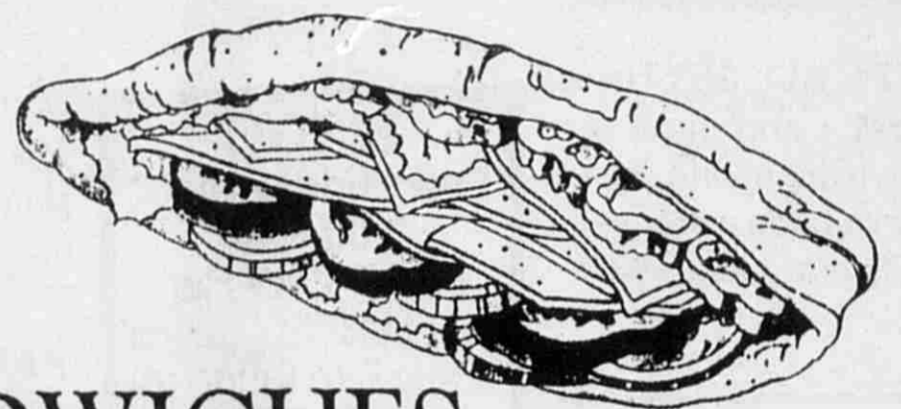
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