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## Conserving Cridler property a natural fit for Wege Foundation

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

In his book *Economicology*, Peter Wege writes about the needed balance and partnership between economics and ecology.

"It's not always just the bottom line, we also need to look at the ecology of the whole area and take care of the natural things that form our ecosystem," Wege explains.

That is what's been done in a purchasing agreement that is expected to be completed this week. Reg Cridler, a former Grattan farmer for 30 years, has agreed to sell 60 acres of land on Vergennes Road which sits across from the high school and abuts on 80 acres of land owned by the school.

The 60 acres will be used to create the Wege Foundation Nature Area.

The dedication ceremony for the nature center is scheduled for Friday, Oct. 15.

"It's a great place for a nature study and people will be able to use it on a regular basis," said Land Conservancy of West Michigan executive director April Scholtz. "It will provide permanent preservation of land and give assurance that it will be kept in its natural state."

Which is why the Wege Foundation had an attentive ear when it was approached about helping to assure permanent conservation of that particular piece of land.

The property, owned by the Cridler family (Reg, Steve and Judy), has been in the family since their father purchased it in 1960. It abuts against the 80 acres of property purchased from Steve Wittenbach in 1993 by Lowell Area Schools.

Reg Cridler, with a background that includes training as a forester while a student at Michigan State University, has always viewed the 60 acres as unique and something that shouldn't be turned into a housing development.

Because of its sandy soil, its sustained ability of land, in the agricultural sense, has always been in question.

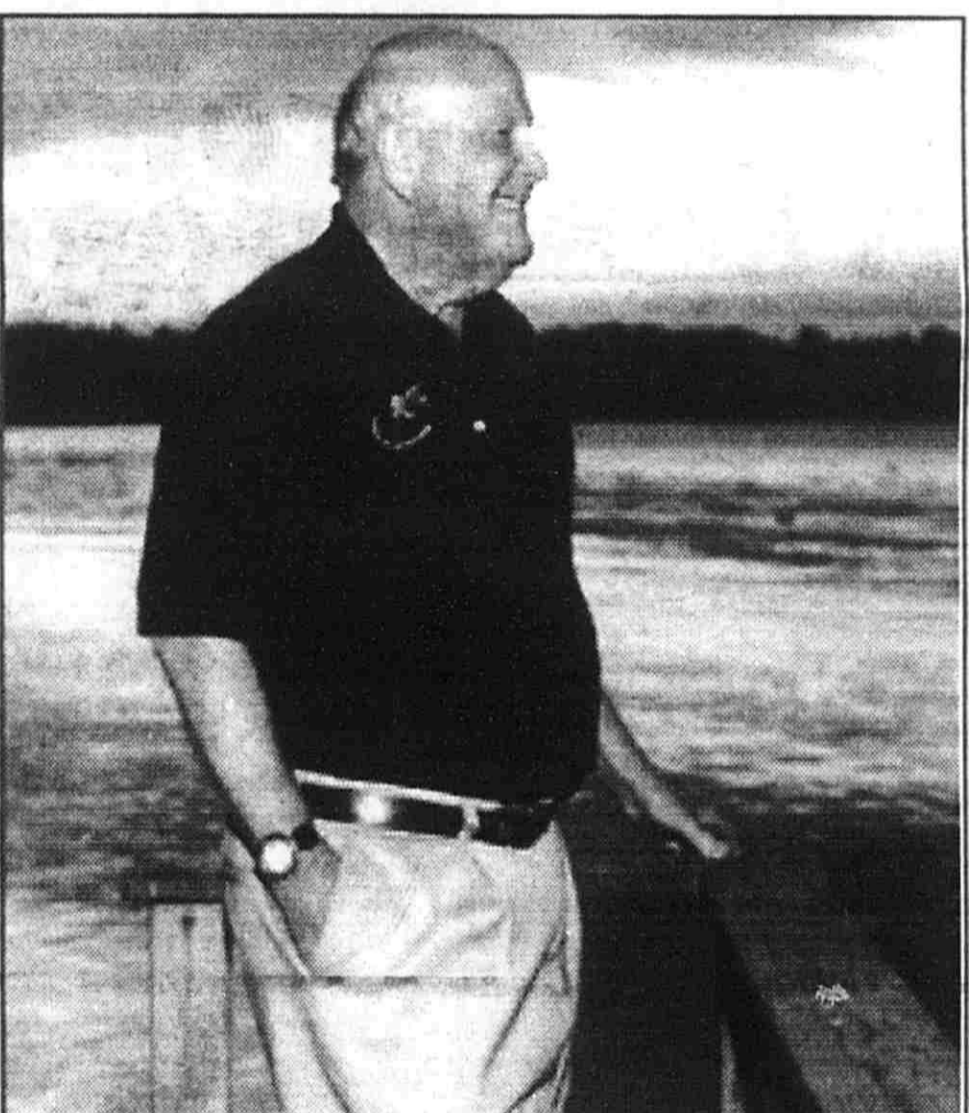
The property, which Cridler compares to that of the wilderness areas of the Upper Peninsula, is home to Lee Creek, a hardwood forest, spruce and pine trees.

Last fall, Cridler approached longtime friend Marsha Wilcox about his desire to see the property kept as a nature preserve.

Wilcox then shared with Lowell superintendent Bert

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**April Scholtz**  
Executive Director of the Land Conservancy of West Michigan



One of the primary priorities of the Wege Foundation, over the years, has been conserving the environment for the future.

Bleke what a wonderful teaching aid this could provide the existing high school and any future school that might be built on the district's 80 acres.

At the very least, it had the potential to be a wonderful nature center for the entire community.

The Lowell superintendent then turned around and contacted Wege who sent out foundation biologist Terri McCarthy to walk the property.

Shortly after that visit, Wege also walked the property and concurred that the foundation was interested in keeping the land as a nature preserve.

The foundation, which cannot own or manage property, agreed to purchase the land for \$360,000 and deed it over to the Land Conservancy of West Michigan. "It's in the business of conserving land," Wege said. "It is very exciting for all of us. This land will be preserved in perpetuity."

The Land Conservancy of West Michigan will own and manage the nature center.

The environmentally inclined Wege is responsible for the 1970 Center for Environment Study which was funded through a Kellogg Grant.

It was the Wege Foundation that provided funding for the Franciscan Life Process Center on Downes Road. It has since purchased property around the center to keep out any potential development.

"The school didn't feel comfortable buying the land, so it seemed like a natural fit for the foundation to purchase the land and deed it over to the land conservancy," said Scholtz. "With the land's diversity of habitat, it makes for a great place for a nature study."

The Lowell School District is in the process of developing a K-12

ecology curriculum.

"I'm nothing short of thrilled by the generosity of the Cridler family and Peter Wege, and in their concern for the environment, making this all possible for the community and Lowell Schools," Bleke concluded.

*It's not always just the bottom line, we also need to look at the ecology of the whole area and take care of the natural things that form our ecosystem.*

**Peter Wege**  
Chairman Wege Foundation

## Lowell Charter Township awaits gypsy moth survey results

By Jeffrey Redmond  
Contributing Writer

Lowell Charter Township has begun receiving citizens' responses to a public survey as to whether they are willing to pay a price in their fight against gypsy moths.

The township sent out surveys asking residents if they would favor paying an extra half mill to fight the gypsy moth problem.

As of Sept. 20, there were 175 responses to the survey, just eight percent of the 2,100 sent out.

Of these, 139 said "yes" to spraying for gypsy moths, which is a full 80 percent show of support for the project. With 32 saying "no," this is only 18 percent against. There were four non-committed (two percent).

If enough residents respond favorably to the survey, the half mill increase proposal will be put on a February ballot.

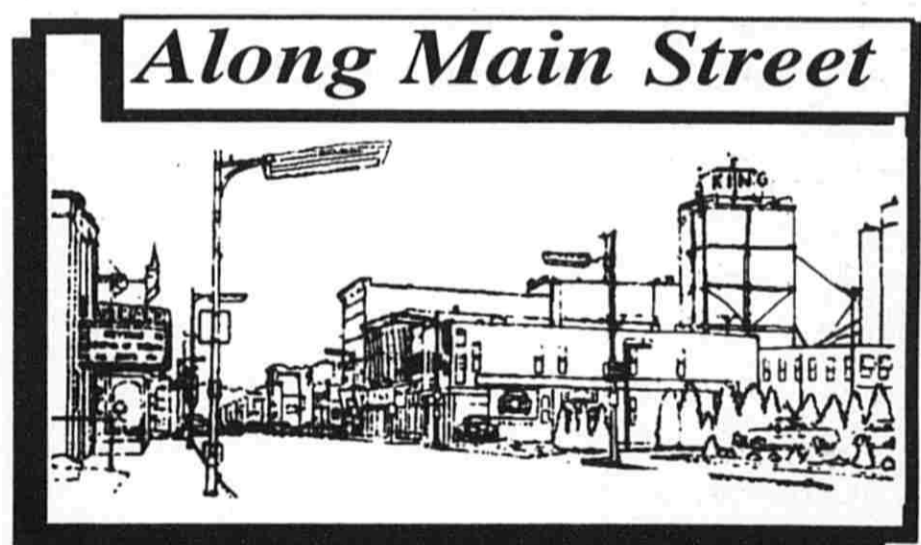
The half mill levy would raise about \$45,000 a year. The owner of a \$100,000 home, with a taxable value of \$50,000, would pay \$25 a year.

The township board has already approved spending \$5,000 to locate the moths. The township decided to go ahead and do the scouting regardless of the survey results. If the township waits for the results, it may be too late, according to township clerk Carol Wells.

If the results of the survey are not favorable to the proposed half mill increase, Wells said the township will contact areas where there is a definite problem and offer to spray at the landowners' expense.

Survey forms may be obtained and sent to the township hall at 2910 Alden Nash Ave. SE. The deadline for returning the forms is Sept. 30.

Lowell Charter Township supervisor John Timpson may be contacted at 897-7600 for more information.



### LOWELL SCHOOLS ATHLETIC BOOSTERS MEETING

There will be an athletic boosters regular business meeting in the high school staff lounge on Monday, Oct. 4 at 7 p.m. Please come and help support our athletes.

### CAR WASH TO BENEFIT SUMMER WORK CAMP

A car wash, sponsored by Lowell First United Methodist Senior High youth group, will be held Saturday, Oct. 9 from 9 a.m. - noon at Family Fare. A \$5 donation is requested. Proceeds to benefit summer 200 work camp.

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## OBITUARIES

**HOCKENBERRY** - Cheryl Lynn Hockenberry, aged 48, of Lowell, passed away September 21, 1999, of accidental injuries. She was born in Bedford, PA. to Kenneth and Wilma (Young) Hockenberry on July 30, 1951. She had been employed at Sherman-Williams Paint Co. since 1994. She is survived by three sons Blane Lester of Grandville, Stuart Lester of Lowell and Kenneth Lester of Kentwood; one brother Dennis (Betty Jo) Hockenberry of Fenwick; two sisters Muriel Hockenberry of Arkansas and Patricia Hockenberry of Virginia. She has been cremated and a memorial service was held on Friday at the Lake Funeral Home in Saranac with Rev. Kenneth Harger officiating.

Interment of ashes Saranac Cemetery. Anyone wishing may make contributions to the Kent County Humane Society in care of the Lake Funeral Home in Saranac.

**GRAY** - Curtis M. Gray, of Port St. Lucie, FL., died Friday evening, September 17, 1999. Formerly a resident of Lowell, he owned Gray's Upholstery business. He was preceded in death by his son Lonnie. Curtis is survived by his wife Esther L. Gray; their daughter Maureen Lynn Gray; two sons Gary and Marty Gray; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Curtis was grandpa Gray to all children who knew him. He will be missed by many. A memorial service was held at the Port St. Lucie

Christian Church in Florida on September 26. The family has asked that donations be directed to the Michigan Heart Association in lieu of flowers.

**HOOVER** - Ernest S. Hoover, aged 86, of Lowell, went to be with his Lord September 15, 1999. He is

survived by his wife of 50 years, Beatrice; children Patricia A. Tripp of Hinkley, GA, Sandra (Dale) Snyder of Bangor, MI, Ernest W. (Kathy) Hoover of Wichita, KS; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; sister Catherine Powers of Jackson; brothers Michael (Pauline) Hoover of Jacksonville, FL.

Jacob (Peg) Hoover, Gerald Hoover all of Lowell. Mr. Hoover was preceded in death by five brothers Leo and George of Lowell, Aloysius of Ionia, Andrew of Lansing and Henry of Oxford. Ernest retired from Veneklasen Construction in 1978. He was a member of Galilee Baptist Church in Saranac. Funeral

Services were held Saturday at the Galilee Baptist Church, 291 Orchard, Saranac. Rev. James Frank officiating. Interment Chapel Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Visiting Nurse Association of Western Michigan, 1401 Cedar, Grand Rapids, MI 49503 or Galilee Baptist Church.

## Community theater presents "Father's Been To Mars"

For its 23rd annual production, the Lowell Area Arts Council will present "Father's Been To Mars" by William Dalzell and Newt Mitzman. This family comedy will run for three nights, Oct. 21, 22 and 23 in the Performing Arts Center at Lowell High School. Curtain time is 8 p.m. each night.

Grand Rapids area director Sue Bradford directs a cast of 12 in this riotous 1950's farce about a television star, his space show and family. After "blasting through space" on TV for

three and a half years, Larry Gibson (Brent Alles, Grandville) finds it increasingly difficult to transform each evening from space hero Captain Galaxy to husband and father to wife Mildred (Lori Brinkley, Lowell) and daughters Gloria (Libby Aronson, Saranac) and Corky (Emily Aupperlee, Forest Hills). The eventual result is a hilarious scene, with ridiculous make-shift space costumes and a job promotion all but lost: when Mildred and Gloria decide to give Larry a taste of his own

medicine...unwittingly in the presence of the television network president.

The featured Gibson family is supported by a humorous cast of characters, aptly played by Lowell's Cheryl Blodgett, Don Silvis, Anne Pasquale, Patricia Fortin, Amy Vezino, Paul Despres and Bob Shindorf, and Grand Rapids' Susan Veenema. Costume designer Tami Eldridge created Captain Galaxy's spacesuit for this LAAC stage journey, sure to delight one and all.

Reserved seating is available for Friday and Saturday at \$6, in advance through the Lowell Area Arts Center, 149 S. Hudson, or at the door. General admission seating tickets for all performances, at \$5, are also available at Cousins' Card and Gift Shoppe, 223 W. Main, and the Franciscan Life Process Center, 11650 Downes. For more ticket or group rate information, call the LAAC at 897-8545 Tuesday through Friday, 1-5 p.m.

## Franciscans present "Haunting and Heavenly"

A special music event titled *Haunting and Heavenly - The Harp* will be held at the Franciscan Life Process Center on Saturday, Oct. 23 at 8 p.m. Maria Royce Hesse, Heidi Wolterstorff and other area harpists will present an evening of music designed to harmonize body and soul. Light refreshments will be included.

A suggested minimum donation of \$15 is the admission fee. All proceeds from this event will be used to support the music therapy program for children with autism.

## TOWNSHIP OF GRATTAN COUNTY OF KENT, MICHIGAN

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on October 6, 1999, at 7:30 p.m., the Planning Commission of the Township of Grattan will hold a public hearing at the Grattan Township Hall, 12050 Old Belding Road, within the Township, concerning the application of Alan Anderson for a special land use for a private road to serve four parcels of land, and for related matters, covering lands commonly described as 13391 - 7 Mile Road and legally described as follows:

That part of Section 14, Town 8 North, Range 9 West, described as commencing at the Southwest corner of the East 1/8 of the Southwest 1/4 of said section; thence Northerly 2640 feet; thence Easterly 200 feet; thence Southerly 2640 feet to highway; thence Westerly parallel to highway 200 feet to point of beginning; and also that part of Government Lots 1 and 2 and of the North 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 14, Town 8 North, Range 9 West, described as commencing 330 feet West and 753.4 feet North of the South 1/4 corner of said section; thence Westerly 1070 feet to a point which is 801.37 feet North of the South line of said section; thence Northerly to a line which is 1077 feet South of and parallel with the East and West 1/4 line; thence East on said line to a point being 330 feet West of the North and South 1/4 line; thence Southerly parallel with the North and South 1/4 line to the point of beginning, except therefrom the West 10 feet; Grattan Township, Kent County, Michigan.

All interested persons may attend the public hearing and be heard with regard to the requested special land use. Written comments may be submitted prior to the hearing, to the Grattan Township office, 12050 Old Belding Road, Belding, Michigan 48809.

Dated: September 27, 1999

PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF GRATTAN

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CASE NO. 99-08192-DO

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Plaintiff  
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Defendant  
**CALVIN LAWSON**  
 SSN: 394-56-0104  
 (WHEREABOUTS  
 UNKNOWN)

TO: CALVIN LAWSON,  
 Defendant.....

IT IS ORDERED:  
 You are being sued by plaintiff in this court for a divorce. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before October 22, 1999. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

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

A copy of this order shall be sent to Calvin Lawson at the last known address of 1261 Lafayette, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan by registered mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication, and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with this court.

AUGUST 30, 1999  
 GEORGE S. BUTH  
 JUDGE

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Lots 180, 181 and 182 except that part described as commencing at the Northeast corner of said Lot 180; thence Southwesterly 181 feet along the North lines of Lots 180 and 181 to the Northwest corner of Lot 181; thence Southeasterly 20 feet along the West line of said Lot 181; thence Northeasterly 172.25 feet to the point of beginning, in Island Park Murray Lake, a recorded plat, Section 33, Town 8 North, Range 9 West, Grattan Township, Kent County, Michigan.

All interested persons may attend the public hearing and be heard with regard to the requested special land use. Written comments may be submitted prior to the hearing, to the Grattan Township office, 12050 Old Belding Road, Belding, Michigan 48809.

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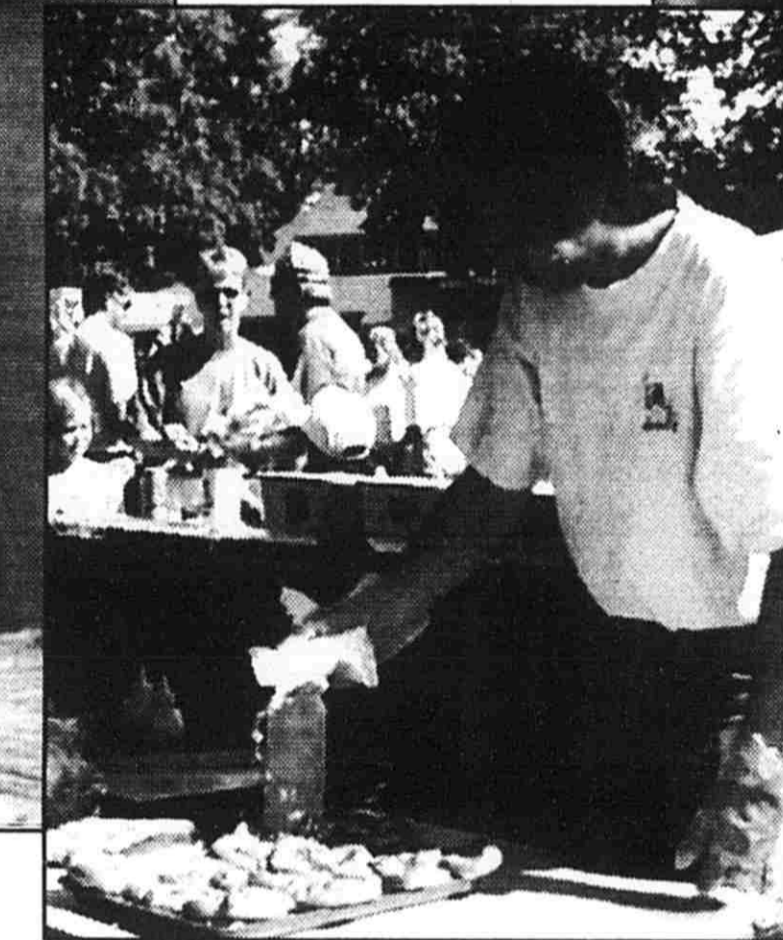
# Festive Fallasburg



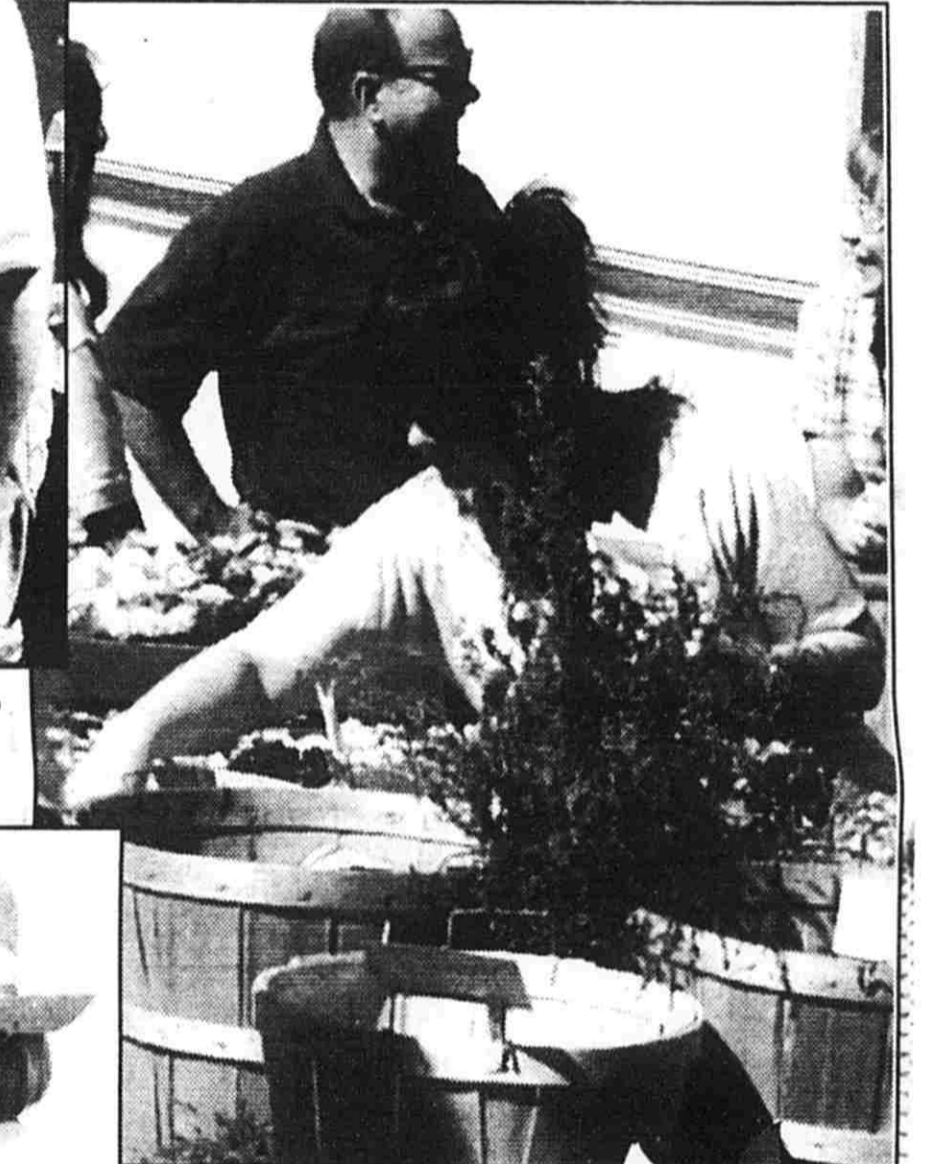
Eileen Jaklinski, of Wyoming, at Broom "N" Branches.



Tim Antel and daughter Shelby take in the sights.



Lions Club president, Dan Brubaker, prepares pretzels.



Left, David and Lynn Hall, of Holland.



Lowell Rotary members, Kim Clark and David Pomper work the grill.



Samantha Moody, 5 1/2, and Natalie Moody, 9, decorate pumpkins.



# Reflections

Of Faith

Dr. Roger LaWarre  
of the First Congregational  
Church

I have been reading a wonderful passage in John's Gospel, the Priestly Prayer of Jesus. You will find it in John 17. In verse 11, John records Jesus praying, "And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you, Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one." A little later in the reading Jesus seeks to include, not just his disciples, but all who would be followers in the centuries to come.

Jesus says in verses 20 and 21, "I ask not only on behalf of these (the twelve and those of Jesus' day) but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all

be one." The reason for this "oneness in Christ" becomes clear: "that the world may believe that you have sent me."

I remember the question asked by a speaker from *What's Up America Tour*, a group of 40 college age students that are covering all 50 states in an effort to find out from our youth what is important to them and to take the temperature of America. The speaker asked, "How many churches are there in your community?"

When I first heard that question, I started counting churches by name - Roman Catholic, Nazarene, Congregational, etc. Then the reality hit me as he said, "One! There is only one church and it is the People of God!" My congregation and all the other congregations are really the people for whom Jesus was praying in John 17:20-23. The problem seems to be that we who are in those many, many churches think that we are competing with each other. We have cities where even

the churches of the same denomination see each other as competitors and can't work together. There is no authentic love of God being expressed in this competitiveness and suspicion. In fact, I can imagine that to the non-Christian sector of our community, it must seem strange that the churches that

profess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior do not prioritize the need to worship and pray together. Instead, we go our own way.

Could it be, until the churches find ways to unite "as one," the world (the people of our communities) will be unable to believe that Jesus Christ is truly the Mes-

siah of God? Put another way. The lesson of unity and mutual love is so important to the way of true Christian living that we hinder the message of God's love by our fractured and parochial style of Christian worship.

I can't help but believe, when people (youth and adults) see the authentic Chris-

tian community and the authentic love that radiates from that community, they will flock to it. Wouldn't you?

Most gracious God, let my life reflect the power of Your love, that I may be one with my brothers and sisters, be renewed in Your Spirit and walk in grace and peace. In Christ Jesus I pray. Amen!

## VOWS SPOKEN



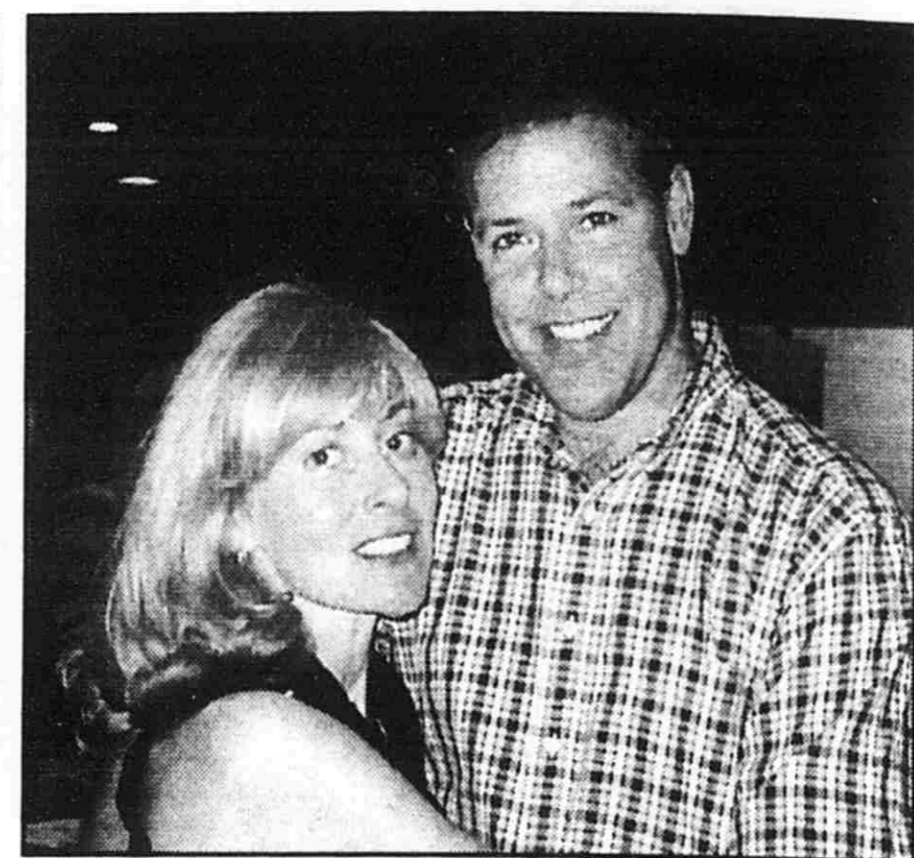
Brian and Kelly Roush

Brian Roush and Kelly Gage were married on June 12, 1999, at the Friendship Country Chapel in Lowell. The reception was held at Fallsburg Park in Lowell.

Brian is the son of Rev. Robert and Kathy Roush of Lowell. Kelly is the daughter of Jackie Soles of Cedar Springs.

The best man was Bob Roush Jr. The matron of honor was Becky Wieland. Brian and Kelly honeymooned in Niagara Falls, NY. The couple resides in Cedar Springs.

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A man's character is his guardian divinity.  
—Heracitus  
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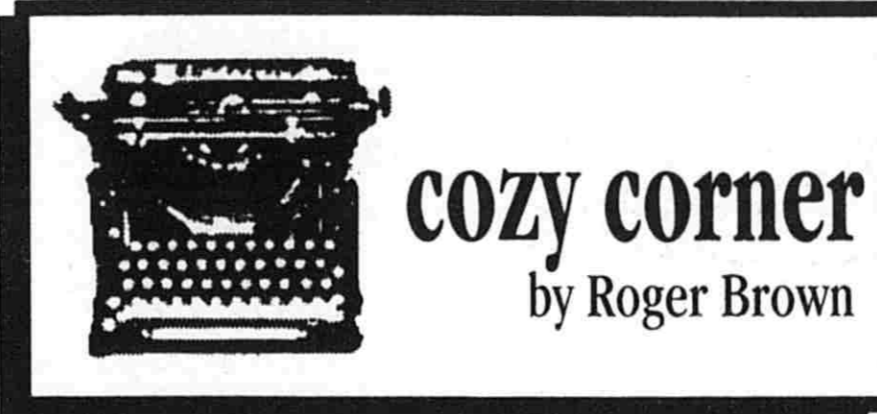
Adriana and Steven Lux.

Adriana Lima, of Brazil, and Steven Lux, of Lowell, were married on Thursday, September 23, 1999. The couple reside with their children in Lowell.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

SEPT. 30: Ernie Barnes, Jimmy Hodges, Lowell Swift, Linda DeCator, Ray Zandstra, Mark Willmarth, Jay Thaler, Marion Miller, Haley Main.  
OCT. 1: Sue Zoodsma, Stephanie Foss, Justin Aens.  
OCT. 2: Doris Titcombe.  
OCT. 3: Mike Moore.  
OCT. 4: Marj Harding, Raymond Kastanek, Cody Chambers, Rich Wade, Dennis Denton Jr., Morgan Olin, Theresa Baerwalde.  
OCT. 5: Bradley Kiczenski, Allen Reynolds.  
OCT. 6: Steven J. Ayres, Randy Tulecki, Emma Jo Clouser.

# Viewpoint . . .



## cozy corner by Roger Brown

Even if you are not a Detroit Tigers fan. Even if you are not a baseball fan. Even if you think a dugout is a canoe. If you live in this country and are still sucking air, then you know the last game in Tiger Stadium was played on Monday.

The old ballpark at the corner of Michigan and Trumbull opened in 1912. Its rich, rich history has been eloquently recorded in just about every sports magazine and newspaper sports section in the country. Radio and television stations have aired numerous specials about the stadium and its gloried past. Entire books have been published. Far be it from me to add or detract from all this media.

The game itself was covered live by FOX Television and various radio broadcasts. Virtually every TV and radio station in the state had a crew at the stadium offering commentary. ESPN ran highlights and clips of the postgame festivities until their tape wore out. Again, adding yet another description is far beyond my meager talents as a sports writer.

As you may have guessed by now, I did go to the game. The pilgrimage cost a fair amount of time, money and effort. In turn, I figure I at least ought to get some column material out of it. The problem is, with all the other media coverage, I'm at a loss as to where I might find a niche. I guess there's nothing to do but approach it like I do most everything in life. Clueless.

I began to get excited about the last game at "The Corner" a few weeks ago when I picked up a Sports Illustrated special edition on Tiger Stadium. I did a little asking around and was told that tickets were non-existent and I pretty much shelved the idea. As the date drew nearer, my desire to attend began to gnaw at me more and more. My old, "Where there's a will, there's a way" attitude finally got the best of me. Sunday night before the game, I called my old fishing and cribbage partner, Groucho.

His response to the idea was luke warm at first, but with some threats, cajoling and taunting, I finally got him up to tepid. That was good enough for me. I told him, "Meet me at my shop at 1:00. I'll drive." It was a done deal!

Groucho showed up right on time. After a non-stop low level flight in my Chevy, we pulled into a parking lot in the shadow of the historic stadium at 3:00. Without hesitation I shelled out \$25 for parking and an extra five bucks for a spot with easy egress to the street after the game. I know that in previous columns I've mentioned the fact Groucho is tight with a buck. I'll spare you all the adjectives that I could use to describe his affinity for holding onto money. However, cheap does float to the top of the list. Out of the corner of my eye I

could see him swallowing hard as I handed over the cash. It wasn't even his money and he was breaking into a sweat.

It didn't take long to find a scalper. "I got two left. I been gittin' a hundred apiece. But for you gents I'll let these last two go for seventy-five." They were ten dollar tickets. I peeled off the money for my ticket while Groucho tried to get the guy to come down on his price. There were cops everywhere. I told Groucho to either buy one quick, or I'd give him the car keys and he could listen to the game on the radio. It pained him deeply, but he dislodged the bills from his wallet.

When we went through the gate, rather than rip our tickets in half, they were embossed to commemorate them. We were also given a nice plastic holder for the ticket with a strap for wearing it around the neck. Cool! "Hey Grouch," I said holding up my ticket in its fancy holder, "this makes those tickets worth the money." He rolled his eyes. I knew I had something going with the theme.

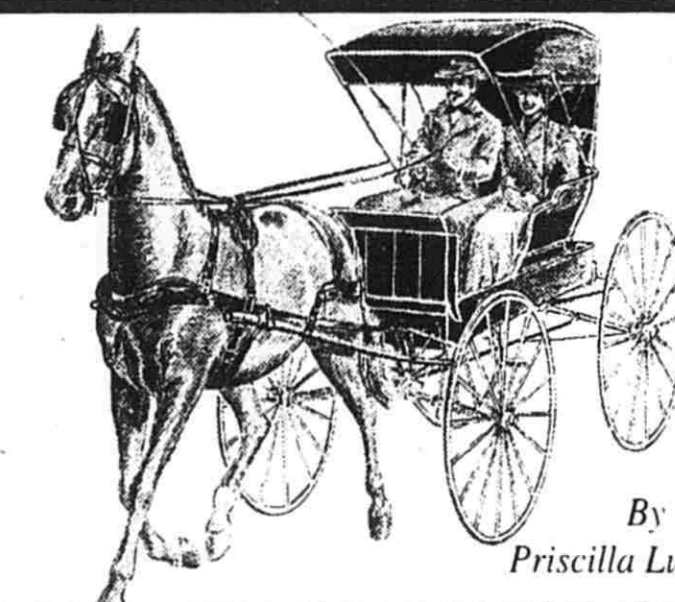
When we found our seats they turned out to be pretty darned good. Lower level, 20 rows back and just to the fair side of the left field foul pole. It was a hot day and the seats were in the shade of the upper deck with a nice breeze wafting through. Again I commented on the great deal we made on the tickets. Again I got the rolling eyes.

It didn't take long for us to notice an unusual number of extraordinarily attractive young women in our section. A guy behind said he recognized them as dancers from one of the clubs across the river in Windsor. Immediately came more comments from me about the great deal on the tickets. Groucho did some quick tabulations on his fingers, frowned and shook his head.

Unable to live with the ticket cost, Groucho sought comfort by asking guys around us what they paid. One guy had paid ten dollars less, but the three in front of us had been burned for a hundred apiece. I asked Groucho if he felt better and he gave me that gesture with the palm down, fingers spread and the hand wobbling slightly. The gesture means "a little bit."

The game turned into an eleven hit, no errors, 8 to 2 victory for the Tigers with the last hit in the old ballpark an eighth inning grand slam home run that nearly cleared the roof in right field. The pitcher then sat down the opposing team in order. The game ended with thousands of camera flashes going off with every pitch as the last batter struck out. Again my query about the value of our tickets. Finally, a gesture that indicated "maybe."

The postgame ceremony was incredible. No less than 60 uniformed ex-Tigers from teams as far back as the twenties trotted in from centerfield. Grown men were wiping away tears as names like Fidyich, Kell, Kaline, Whitaker, Trammell, Lolich, Freehan, Gibson, Horton, etc. took up their old positions. When it was over and people were crying, hugging, cheering or simply standing in awe, I asked one last time if his ticket was worth seventy-five bucks. Finally, I got a big grin and acknowledgment that the ticket was a great deal. He even threw in a, "Thanks for bringing me. It was a great idea." My evening was complete. And, what an evening it was!



## Ledger Entries

of 125, 100, 75, 50 & 25 Years Ago

### 125 YEARS THE WEEKLY JOURNAL OCT. 7, 1874

The best gift: a scholarship in the Grand Rapids Business College and Telegraphic Institute.

Many bears have been seen in Vergennes and Bowne townships, and bear meat can be had at the Lowell meat markets.

A series of "joint discussions" (debates) will be held by the two opponents for Fifth District Representative, in each of the five counties.

Prof. Henry Gordon of Ionia will organize a singing class in Lowell at the M.E. Church on Friday.

### 100 YEARS THE LOWELL LEDGER OCT. 5, 1899

Charles Jakeway's Alton evaporator has shipped 400 boxes of dried apples to Chicago. He also has an evaporator at Middleville.

Trains running from Lowell to Belding probably won't happen until about January. Crews are driving spikes from Smyrna to Belding.

Popular Music Co. of Indianapolis is sending customers sheet music arrangements of "The Flower That Won My Heart", "Mamie O'Rourke", and "March Manila, Dewey's March Two-Step" in a special offer.

Admiral Dewey arrives back in Washington from Manila with all sorts of celebrations and honors.

Gales blew an estimated 100,000 bushels of apples off the trees on the 24th and a hard freeze came along the 29th of September, plus snowfall in several places.

### 75 YEARS THE LOWELL LEDGER AND THE ALTO SOLO OCT. 2, 1924

Mortimer Cooley, Dean of the U. of M. engineering school, is running for Congress on the slogan, "Less politics, more engineering is needed in Congress."

The Lowell High School band receives a third place cash prize at the West Michigan State Fair band contest in Grand Rapids.

Manager Callier of the Strand Theatre, at the urging of school principal Clark, has booked a series of historical moving pictures: "Daniel Boone", "Jamestown", "Frontier Woman" and "Columbus".

The Board of Trade has a front-page ad soliciting women and girls to work in a proposed new garment factory in the Ypsilanti Reed factory building; wages \$9-25 a week, average \$13.

The Anti-Tuberculosis Society is sponsoring a Health Crusade in school grades 3-8, making a game of good health.

### 50 YEARS THE LOWELL LEDGER OCT. 5, 1949

The village council authorizes a study of the municipal electricity and water supplies, in view of needed expansion of both.

Roy Nelson, parole eligibility examiner for the state, visits the Monday Book Club, which organized a petition drive to deny Henry Marshall's parole (he killed Deputy Charles Knapp on Main Street in 1932). He explains legal and evidence issues that will enter into the final decision.

PTA organizes a house-to-house canvass to bring membership up to the goal of 350; it now stands at 100.

Eleven Lowell women organize the new Lowell Business and Professional Women's Club. Mrs. Orloe Gwatkin is the first president.

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Chris and Helen Burch are present at the dedication of the "Burch Athletic Field".

Lowell's foreign exchange students, Craig Anderson, Carol Doyle, Wendy Stinchcomb and Jane Rivette, will present a series of travelogues on their experiences.

Meteorologist Craig James is guest speaker for the Rotary Club.

A total of 135 boys and girls turn out for the course on gun safety sponsored by the Hi-Lo Gun Club and Moose Lodge.

## School Mems

Week of 10/4 -10/8

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\*White & Chocolate milk offered daily.  
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WED: Salisbury steak & biscuit or chicken on bun, potatoes & gravy, fresh fruit, cookie.

THURS: Sausage pizza or chicken stir fry on rice & roll, pears, peas, jiggy jello.

FRI: Taco boat or corndog, berries & cream, refried beans w/cheese, nacho pieces.

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\*White & Chocolate milk offered daily.  
\* Lunch: \$1.50

MON: Burrito or footlong hot dog on bun, corn, pasta salad, applesauce.

TUES: 2 Turkey & bacon on buns, ravioli w/cheese & French bread, carrots, mixed fruit.

WED: Chicken parmesan/bun or salisbury steak & biscuit, potatoes & gravy, fruit, cookie.

THURS: Chicken stir fry over rice & roll or French dip w/au jus, pears, peas, jello.

FRI: Mexican bar: 2 beef/chicken tacos in soft or crunchy shells, refried beans, nacho chips, rice & blueberries.

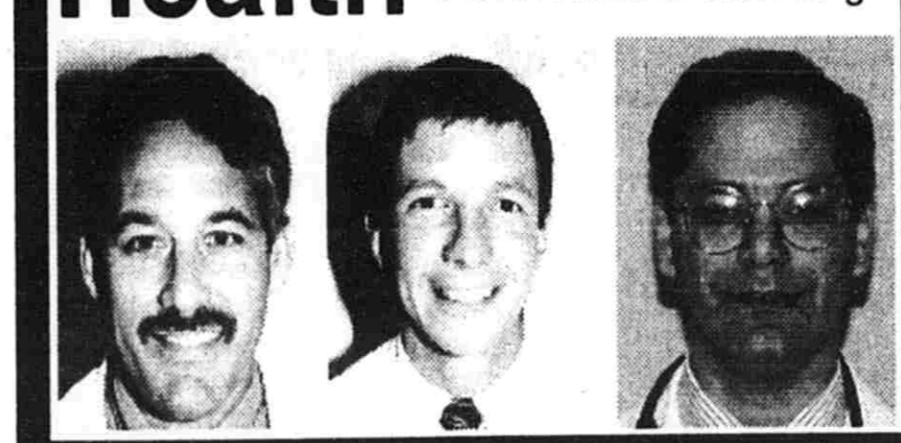
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**CONCUSSION AND SPORTS**  
 A concussion is a traumatic injury to the brain. It is almost always caused by a blow to the head. In most instances there

is no loss of consciousness. Signs of concussion include headache, visual disturbances, nausea, memory loss, loss of balance, dizziness and confusion.

The above signs, if confirmed by a doctor, are sufficient reason to remove a player from an athletic event. Even though the athlete may state he/she is feeling much better, it is recommended that no sporting activity take place until there is clearance from a physician.

The treatment for a concussion is rest. Warning signs that the concussion may be more severe include persistent vomiting, severe headaches, stiff neck, and speech disturbances.

If the above signs are present, further evaluation with CT scanning or MRI of the brain would be in order. Most athletes are allowed to return to competition with a single concussion. If, however, an athlete has repeated concussions, he/she should be counseled about the probability of changing sports. Fortunately, most athletes have full recovery from a concussion, with no lasting effects.

## To The Editor

Farmers will see their land values and taxes increase because agricultural-classed lands are selling for non-farm residential use. Fortunately, farmers are willing to continue to subsidize their land because taxable value can only increase by the CPI or five percent, whichever is least.

Farmers who are able to work outside jobs can provide some outside income to help sustain their families. Fifty-one percent of individual farm land must be tilled to retain the 18 mill exemption, the same as homestead.

All the rural residential class and the planners like to see the rural farm land be maintained at the expense of the farmers. Good luck to the rural township planners and residential real property owners.

James B. Cook Sr.  
Vergennes Township





Lowell High School girls installed were, front row, left to right: Tara May, Laurie Biener, Felicia Eshragh and Callie Boyce; middle row: Stephanie Ellison, Jackie Bennett, Kelly Chapman and Jennifer DenHouter; and back row: Laura Douglass, Carolyn Mercer, Maggie Wisner, Elissa Kinney and Annie Zalokar.

## Lowell Women's Club installs seniors

The Lowell Women's Club held their first meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 8. Fifteen Lowell senior girls were installed. These girls will attend all meetings and will participate in all civic and club functions.

Jim Reagan, representing Downtown Development Authority, talked about improvements and the City Hall update. Jim White, representing Lowell Area Schools, explained safety policies and precautions being taken.

Jim Bosserd, of the Lowell Area Community Fund committee, reported on the activities of that program.

The next meeting will be held on Oct. 13 at Schneider Manor. At that time, Betty Yeiter, a former Lowell teacher, will talk about her trip to the Philippines and her work for Habitat for Humanity.

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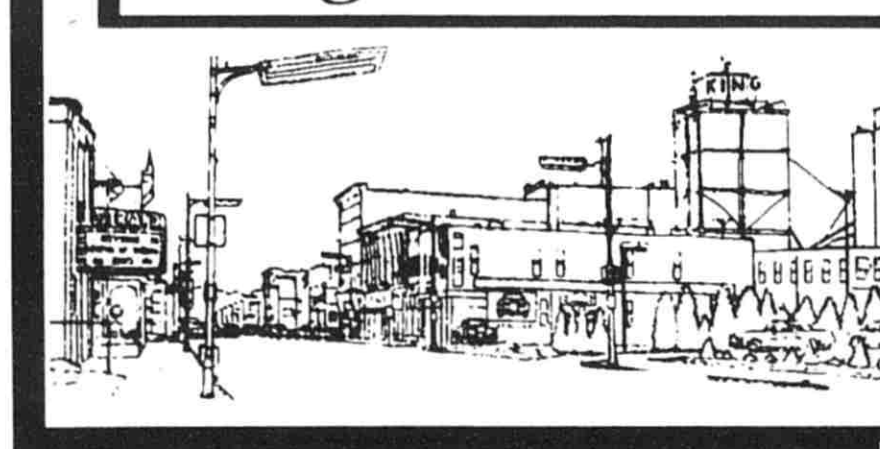
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Drawing classes for children begin Oct. 13 and 14 at Lowell Area Art Center. Space is limited. Call Liz at 897-8545 to reserve your space and for more information.

**PARENTS' INFORMATION MEETING**  
Parents' information meeting, "Preparing for Your Child's

I.E.P.C." Do you wonder what takes place at the planning meeting for your child? How can you be more prepared for these meetings? Come Monday, Oct. 18 from 7-8:30 p.m. at Lowell Area Schools' administration building, located at 300 High St. RSVP to 897-1214 or 897-1216 by Oct. 13.

## Showboat Video under new ownership

Showboat Video and Tanning has a new owner and her name is Karen DeVries.

DeVries is a graduate from Lowell High School.

"I've been thinking about it since last year. I've been able to work something out with the previous owner (Admiral)," DeVries said.

Showboat Video and Tanning hours are from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 11 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Sunday.

Along with renting videos and offering a tanning service, DeVries intends to offer health and nutrition supplements, and diet aids. There will also be popcorn available for customers.

"Eventually I want to add casual clothing and swimwear," DeVries said.

At the same location Carmela DeShone will offer a nail service and temporary tattoos. Appointments can be made by calling 897-4323.

"Having my own business



Karen DeVries, left, has purchased Showboat Video. She officially takes over on Oct. 1. Carmela DeShone will offer a nail and temporary tattoo service from the same location.

is a little scary, but I've always been one to dive right in," DeVries says. The Lowell resident is the mother of three boys, Trevor, Skylar and Tristen.

A man's opinions are generally of much more value than his arguments.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes

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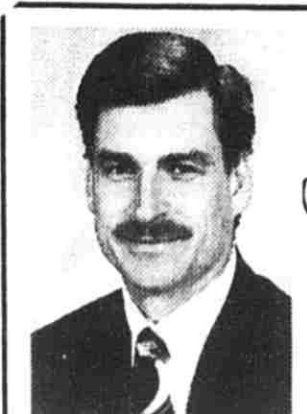
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## Making the right choices at top of list for "First Priority"

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Ever met a teenager who wants to listen?

First Priority's What's Up? America tour has and they are located all across the country.

Traveling on an unprecedented 100-city national tour, 40 teenagers and twenty-somethings are visiting schools, churches and businesses to interview peers and community leaders.

The national student group, as part of their Grand Rapids' stop, visited Lowell middle and high schools on Friday (Sept. 17).

"They delivered a secular message of hope and mak-

ing the right choices," said Lowell's Kris Gallagher, Lowell High School's First Priority campus coach. "It encourages students to stay firm and stand strong and not to be pulled away from their beliefs easily."

They addressed substance abuse and relationships through a variety of skits, encouraging students to denounce drugs, alcohol and sex before marriage.

The assembly opened with a humorous skit, exploring ways people are compelled to change the world. It included everything from eliminating the deficit to saving the ozone.

During the 40-minute as-

semblies, there were testimonials on drug addiction, physical abuse, and making the right choice.

Along with sharing its message, First Priority is also conducting a National Student Hope Census that will seek to discover the condition of the national spirit. It will identify the hopes, fears, aspirations, and priorities of today's youth. The results will be released at the end of the year.

"Our youth have an opportunity to model down into our lower grades. It is important that they feel good about what they are handing down," Gallagher explained. "They need to feel confident and see



The song "Won't Back Down" reinforced the message of standing up for what is right.

that there is a positive result to taking the right behavior."

Gallagher is hopeful that Lowell's local group of stu-

dents can continue with First Priority's message.

Lowell's club meets weekly before school at 7 a.m.

on Thursday.

For further information about First Priority contact Lowell High School.

### COLLEGE NEWS

**Erin Rebecca Haddix**, of Alto, was selected by the University of Michigan along with 880 top high school seniors from 237 schools throughout the state to receive the Regents Merit Scholarship award for "outstanding academic achievement, scholarly promise and potential contribution to the University community."

Recipients were selected for the merit award (financial need is not a consideration), based on their grades, class ranking and test scores.

Students selected as Re-

gents Merit Scholars will receive a \$1,500 non-renewable scholarship when they enroll at the Ann Arbor campus in the fall of 1999. In addition, the recipients' high schools have received recognition certificates for presentation at spring awards convocations.

Former Lowell High School standout **T.J. Thayer** made his first collegiate start at quarterback for the Kalamazoo College football team this past Saturday.

Although the Hornets lost to Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology 20-15, Thayer

rushed for 109 yards on 17 carries and sparked the Hornets to their first touchdown of the season. Thayer was 10 of 15 passing for 71 yards and one interception. He completed a six-yard touchdown pass to Todd Wilson in the third quarter.

For the season, Thayer is 15 of 27 passing for 133 yards with three interceptions and one touchdown. He is second on the team with 34 carries for 145 yards (4.3yards/carry).

Kalamazoo College is 0-3 on the season and is idle this week.

## LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED**

To the Owner or owners of any and all Interests in, or Liens upon the lands herein described:

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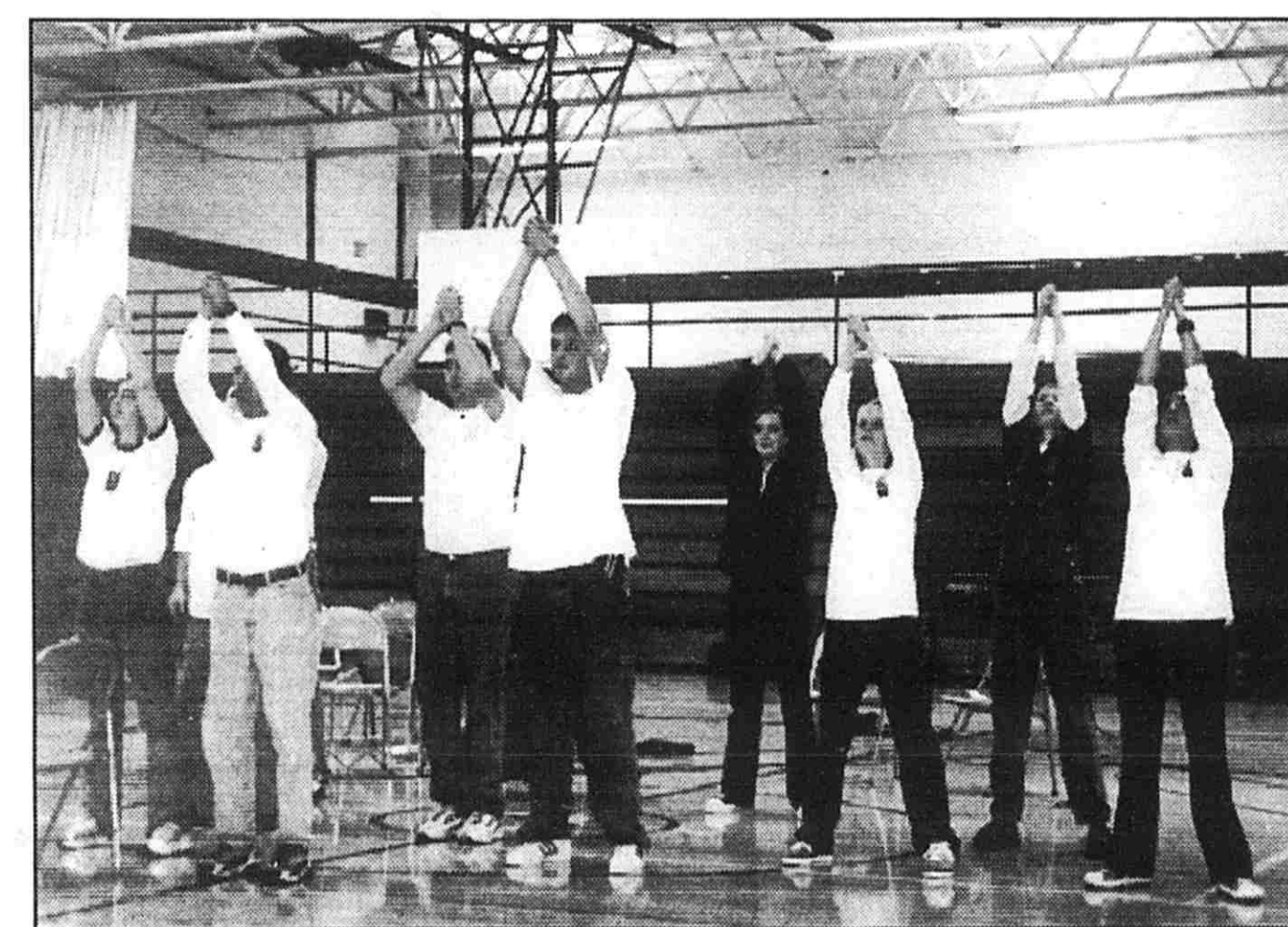
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The Lowell City Council, acting as the Zoning Board of Appeals, will conduct a public hearing at their regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, October 4, 1999 at 7:30 p.m. at the Englehardt Public Library Community Room, 200 N. Monroe Street, Lowell, Michigan.

The purpose of said hearing would be to receive comments on the following variance request:

215 James St. - Habitat for Humanity of Kent County - wishes to construct two homes approximately 900 to 1100 square feet of floor area at 215 James (a double lot that will be split) in an R-1 District where 1500 square feet is required.

Interested persons may submit comments to Lowell City Hall, 301 East Main Street prior to the meeting or appear in person at Englehardt Public Library.

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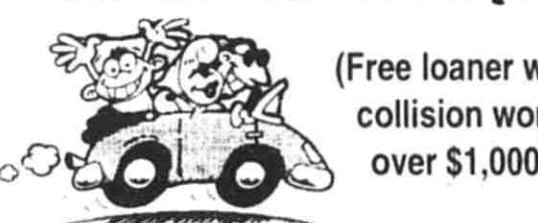
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**EVERY MONTH:** The Flat River Snowmobile Club meets at the clubhouse at 11841 Potters Rd. Just east of Montcalm Ave. To check meeting dates and times please call, 897-5015 for a recorded message. Guests are welcome.

**FIRST MONDAY:** Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) meets at the High School during lunch periods in the cafeteria for updates on coming events and information.

**EVERY MONDAY:** Men's senior golf club at 1 p.m. at Arrowhead. Come join us.

**EVERY SECOND MONDAY:** Attention mothers of preschoolers. MOPS meetings are held at Saranac Community Church, 125 S. Bridge St. Cost is \$3 and meetings are from 9:45 a.m. - noon. Everyone is welcome. Come enjoy crafts, food, free child care and new friends. For information call Meghan at 616-642-6748 or Trisha at 616-527-1333.

**SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** The Lowell Area Schools Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building located in the former Runciman Elementary, 300 High Street.

**SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH:** The Bowne Township Historical Society will hold its regular meetings at the Historical Museum at 84th and Alden Nash. 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 MONDAY:** V.F.W. Post 8303 meets at the V.F.W. Clubroom, 307 E. Main St. Lowell at 7:30 p.m.

**EVERY MON.:** Boy Scout Troop 102, for boys 11 & 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 N. Washington Street. Enjoy activities like hiking and camping and learn skills that can last a lifetime. For more informa-

tion call Terry Cavanaugh, 868-6481.

**TUESDAYS:** Take Off Pounds Sensibly Tops MI#372 meets every Tuesday evening at Key Heights Mobile Home Park Community Building. Weigh-ins at 5:45 p.m.

**TUESDAYS:** Flat River Woodcarvers are meeting at LAAC from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. New members welcome.

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

**EVERY FOURTH TUES.:** Showboat Board meeting, 7 p.m. at the Lowell Township office.

**EVERY SECOND TUES.:** Lowell Masonic Lodge regular meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Center, 119 Lincoln Lake, Lowell. All Masons are welcome.

**EVERY TUES.:** Ladies Coffee Break Bible study. Free nursery and preschool story hour/crafts time. Calvary Christian Reformed Church across from Burger King. 10 to 11:15 a.m. For information call 897-6462 or 897-7555.

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

**EVERY 3RD TUES.:** Parents of children with AD/HD Issues Group meeting at St. Lukes Lutheran Church, 32156 4 Mile NE (at 4 Mile and East Beltline) at 7 p.m. For info., call Linda at 874-5662. For teen group info, call Sarah 281-6588.

**EVERY 1ST TUES.:** Adults with AD/HD Issues Group meeting at Calvin College Rm. 206 of the Commons bldg. For information call Connie 942-6887.

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

**WEDNESDAYS:** 8 p.m. ALANON meets at Lowell Congregational Church.

**FIRST WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH:** Alzheimers Support Group meets at 6:30 p.m. at Cumberland Retirement Village. Phone 897-9310 for information.

**EVERY SECOND WEDNESDAY:** G.F.W.C. Lowell

Women's Club meets at noon in the community room at Schneider Manor, 725 Bowes Rd.

**SECOND WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH:** 2 to 3:30 p.m., Family Council for the Laurels of Kent Nursing Home. This is a volunteer group formed to enhance the quality of life for all the residents. Interested persons are welcome to meet in the Activity Room, Wing "C."

**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.

**EVERY WEDNESDAY:** DivorceCare meets at 7 p.m. at the Helping Hands Child Care Center, 1188 Lincoln Lake Rd. This support and recovery program is for all adults experiencing divorce or separation. For more information, call (616) 897-6890.

**EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY -** Starting Sept. 22, 6:45-8:45 p.m. G.E.M.S. Girls Club at Calvary Christian Reformed Church. All girls ages 8 to 13 are welcome. Call 897-8694 for information.

**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.

**THURSDAYS:** Weight Watchers meets in Lowell at the Nazarene Church, 201 N. Washington, at 7 p.m. Registration is a half hour before meetings. New members are invited to join at any time. Questions? Call 1-800-651-6000.

**EVERY THURS. -** St. Mary's Pregnancy Crisis Center, 402 Amity St., non-denominational-help for pregnant women and adolescents at the school. From 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. and on Mondays from 5:30 - 8 p.m. Phone 897-9393.

**FIRST THURSDAY:** 4H drama club meeting. The club examines theater related topics, creative and personal development skills. Meetings held once a month at Lowell Middle School choir room. For

more information call 897-1502 evenings after 5 p.m.

**FIRST AND THIRD THURSDAY:** The Alto Lions Club meets at Bowne Center Fellowship Hall, corner of 84th & M-50 (Alden Nash) at 7 p.m.

**EVERY 2ND THURS.:** N.A.R.F.E. meets 1:30 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 2700 E. Fulton.

**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 THIRD THURSDAY:** Royal Arch Masons regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Lowell Masonic Center, 119 Lincoln Lake, Lowell. Dinner at 6:30 p.m.

**EVERY THIRD THURSDAY:** LaLeche League of Ada, Cascade & Lowell meets at 6:30 p.m. for socializing with meeting at 7 p.m. Mother to mother support for pregnant & breastfeeding women. Nursing children are welcome to attend. Our current location is a church in Ada. Call Janet 897-6845 or Rebecca, 897-6734 for more information.

**SECOND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH:** The Ada Historical Society meets at the Averill Historical Museum of Ada, 7144 Headley at 7 p.m.

**THIRD THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH:** Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) meets in individual homes for huddle meetings for fellowship and devotions.

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**THIRD THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH:** West Michigan Parents of Murdered Children & Other Survivors of Homicide (POMC) meets at Trinity United Methodist Church, 1100 Lake Dr. SE, 7 p.m., Discovery Room. National POMC Day of Remembrance will be celebrated with a candlelight vigil, 7 p.m. Contact person, Danni Smith, Chapter leader 897-2544; second contact: Anita Droog, victim witness unit, (616) 336-2856.

**FOURTH THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH:** Fellowship

of Christian Athletes (FCA) meets at 7 a.m. in high school teachers dining room for a light breakfast. For information concerning FCA call Kris Gallagher at 676-1355 or Linda Johnson at 897-4922.

**EVERY SAT.** Lowell Amateur Radio Club sponsors the 145.270 - repeater which operates on a 24-hour basis. Also there is a Simplex Frequency 147.420 PL 186.2.

**ENGLERHARDT LIBRARY HOURS:** Mon. & Wed., 1-8 p.m.; Tues. & Fri., 1-5 p.m.; Thurs. & Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

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

**WED., OCT. 6:** WWII Flying Aces, Lowell Area Historical Association's program, will begin at 7:30 p.m. at Lowell Township Hall and features area WWII veterans Leonard Jackson and Alan Wisner. They will tell of their experiences and present actual film footage taken from WWII aircraft. All area WWII veterans are invited to bring any memorabilia.

**THURS., OCT. 7:** Vergennes Cooperative Club will meet at 1 p.m. at Schneider Manor. Hostesses: Doris Ellis, Barb Litschewski & Evelyn Briggs. Program: Molly Parker of Grand Rapids Foundation "A Year in the Life of a Legacy" (Englehardt Fund). Sponsor: Evelyn Briggs.

**WED., OCT. 13:** Snow United Methodist Church will serve a family-style beef & pork dinner at 5:30 p.m. Adults, \$7; 5-12, \$2.

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**FRI., OCT. 8 -** The annual meeting of Cyclamen Chapter #94 OESO at Lowell Masonic Center at 7:30 p.m. Committee chairmen,

have annual reports in written form. Questions, call Sandy Caswell 868-7467.

**SAT., OCT. 9:** Lowell's Cherry Creek craft show held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. with a raffle, bake sale & luncheon. Free admission. 12675 Foreman Rd. Sponsored by the Lowell Elementary PTO. For more info call Laura at 897-5653 or Terri at 897-5839.

**SAT., OCT. 9:** St. Patrick - Parnell annual arts & crafts show from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the school (4351 Parnell Ave., Ada - corner of 5 Mile & Parnell) Home-baked goods, lunch served all day, raffles, crafters. Proceeds are used to furnish altar and sanctuary supplies for St. Patrick Parish.

**SAT., OCT. 9 -** 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Ada Christian School is holding its fall Rummage Sale. Clothing, household goods, toys, books & baked goods available. Located at 7192 Bradfield, off Ada Dr. For info call 676-1289.

**MON., OCT. 11 -** Parents' meeting for Senior All-night Party at 7:30 p.m. in Performing Arts Center at high school. Come and join a committee to plan this event.

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## FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 1 THRU OCTOBER 7

Jason Behr (left), Shiri Appleby and Brendan Fehr star in one of the season's best new shows, The WB Network's new hour-long series *Roswell*. The show takes a more literal look at the classic story line of lovers from two very different worlds.

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**WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**

**LOWELL SENIOR NEIGHBORS CALENDAR 897-5949**

**MON.:** 8:30 a.m., Walking, Woodland Mall; Mon. Madness, noon.

**TUES.:** 8:30 a.m. Walking, Woodland Mall; 10:40 a.m., armchair exercise.

**FRI.:** 8:30 a.m. Walking-Woodland Mall.

**Special Events**

**FRI., OCT. 1:** 12:40 p.m., Color tour.

**MON., OCT. 4:** 12:40 p.m., Meijer shopping.

**WED., OCT. 6:** 8 a.m., Men's breakfast.

**WED., OCT. 6:** 9:30 - 11:30 a.m., Blood pressure.

**THURS., OCT. 7:** 12:40 p.m., 50 Plus, Breton Village Mall.

*(Dinner reservations should be made 3 working days in advance)*



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FRIDAY EVENING OCTOBER 1, 1999. Table with columns for time slots (7:00-11:30) and broadcast channels (WBWT, WOTV, etc.).

Dreamcatchers Photography advertisement featuring a couple's photo and contact information: Terry & Lori Huff, (616) 897-5880 or 240-9547.



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SPORT HIGHLIGHTS

RODEO: TNN Sun. 9 p.m. Championship Bull Riding Laughlin Shootout. RUGBY: FOXD Tue. 1 p.m. Rugby World Cup. SKATING: TNN Fri. 9 p.m. Rollerjam Wild West Shootout. SOCCER: FOXD Mon. 1 p.m. English Premier League Soccer.

FOOTBALL: ESPN Sat. 12 p.m. College Football Big Ten Game. GOLF: ESPN Fri. 3 p.m. PGA Golf Buick Challenge. GYMNASTICS: ESPN Mon. 9 p.m. Gymnastics Women's World Team Trials. HOCKEY: ESPN Fri. 7:30 p.m. NHL Hockey Pittsburgh Penguins.

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WIND SCULPS SUPER VALUE!! \$19.99. CARNATION SPECIAL 1 WRAPPED CARNATION CASH & CARRY ONLY 75¢. Advertisement for a florist.

SATURDAY MORNING OCTOBER 2, 1999. Table with columns for time slots (5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30) and rows for Broadcast Channels (WVMT, WOTV, WGVU, WXMI, WOOD, WLNS, WLK, WTLJ, WKAR, WSYM, WZPX) and Cable Channels (FX, FAM, MTV, VH1, USA, DISC, WGN, ESPN, CNN, CNN2, NICK, A&E, FOXD, TNT, TBS, DISN, TN, TRAV, TLC, SCFI, COM, TWC, HIST, AMC, H&G, LIFE, TOON, MSN, CSPAN, EWTN).

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SATURDAY EVENING / LATE NIGHT OCTOBER 2, 1999

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CABLE CHANNELS

Table of cable channels for Saturday Evening/Late Night, October 2, 1999. Columns include channel numbers (101-150) and program titles like 'Major League Baseball', 'The Tonight Show', 'The Simpsons', etc.

PREMIUM CHANNELS

Table of premium channels for Saturday Evening/Late Night, October 2, 1999. Columns include channel numbers (151-200) and program titles like 'The Godfather', 'The Untouchables', 'The Godfather Part II', etc.

SUNDAY MORNING OCTOBER 3, 1999

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60 Minutes (In Stereo)	Touched by an Angel "The Compass" (In Stereo)	"Forget Me Never" (1999, Drama) Mia Farrow, Martin Sheen. A woman copes with the early onset of Alzheimer's disease. Premiere. (In Stereo)	News	Xena: Warrior Princess "Fallen Angel" (Season Premiere) (In Stereo)	ER "Vanishing Act" (In Stereo)	"The Star Chamber" 1/2 (1983, Drama) Michael Douglas, Hal Holbrook, Sharon Gless. A secret panel of judges dispenses vigilante justice.	CBS Up to the Minute (Joined in Progress)																						
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Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	King of Queens "Assaulted Nuts" Doug's stapler mishap. (In Stereo)	Ladies Man (In Stereo)	Everybody Loves Raymond "You Bet" Frank asks fatherly. (In Stereo)	Becker (In Stereo)	Family Law (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)																					
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PREMIUM CHANNELS											
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"Mad Love" (1995) Two passion-filled teens embark on a road trip to Mexico. PG-13 (In Stereo)	"Snake Eyes" (1998, Suspense) Nicolas Cage, Gary Sinise, John Heard. A local cop must solve a high-profile assassination. (In Stereo) R (Violence)	"Desperate Measures" (1997, Suspense) Michael Keaton, Andy Garcia, Brian Cox. A San Francisco cop looks to a murderer to save his son. (In Stereo) R (Adult language, violence)	"Naked Gun 3.1: The Final Insult" (1994, Comedy) Leslie Nielsen. PG-13 (In Stereo)	"Hoop Life" "Doublemint Man" Marvin seeks therapy for stress. (In Stereo) R (In Stereo)	"Linc's Moonlighting" (In Stereo) R (In Stereo)	"Rude Awakening" (In Stereo) R (In Stereo)	"Compromising Situations" (In Stereo) R (In Stereo)	"Business for Pleasure" (1996, Drama) Carol Bernstein. A wealthy businessman tempts an ambitious female executive. (In Stereo) R (In Stereo)	"Champions" (1996, Action) Ken Shamrock, Louis Mandylor, Danny Trejo. An ex-gladiator returns to the ring to avenge his brother. (In Stereo) R (Adult language, adult situations, graphic violence)	"Buffalo 66" (1999, Comedy-Drama) Vincent Gallo, Christina Ricci, Anjelica Huston. An ex-con concocts a crazy plan to impress his parents. (In Stereo) R (Adult language, adult situations, nudity)	"Return to Savage Beach" (1998, Adventure) Julie Strain, Julie K. Smith. Undercover agents search for a stolen computer disk. (In Stereo) R (In Stereo)

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"Erik the Viking" (1989, Comedy) Tim Robbins, Gary Cady, John Cless. A peaceful viking tries to end the violence of the times. (In Stereo) PG-13 (Adult situations, violence)	"Air Force One" (1997, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Gary Oldman, Glenn Close. The U.S. president faces a one-man war against the Russian terrorists who have seized control of his plane. (In Stereo) R (Violence)	"Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin, Tom Berenger. A recently divorced book editor becomes entangled in her mysterious new lover's vengeful web. (In Stereo) R (Adult language, adult situations, nudity)	"Three Kings: First Look" (1999, Action) George Clooney, Mark Wahlberg, Ice Cube, Cuba Gooding Jr. A group of soldiers find themselves in a war zone. (In Stereo) R (Adult language, adult situations, violence)	"Soul Food" (1997, Comedy-Drama) Vanessa L. Williams, Vivica A. Fox, Nia Long. A young divorcee finds a way to strengthen family ties when domestic troubles and illness threaten to tear them apart. (In Stereo) R (Adult language, adult situations)	"Hush" (1998, Suspense) Jessica Lange, Gwyneth Paltrow, Johnathon Schaech. A pregnant woman becomes the target of her husband's psychotic mother when they move into her horse farm. (In Stereo) PG-13 (Adult language, adult situations, mild violence)	"Kiss the Girls" (1997, Suspense) Morgan Freeman, Ashley Judd, Cary Elwes. A forensic expert on the trail of a killer looks for help from a woman who managed to escape from her captor's lair. (In Stereo) R (Adult language, violence)	"Midnight Temptations 2" (1997, Drama) Johnny Gargallo, Susan Jay (In Stereo) R (In Stereo)				



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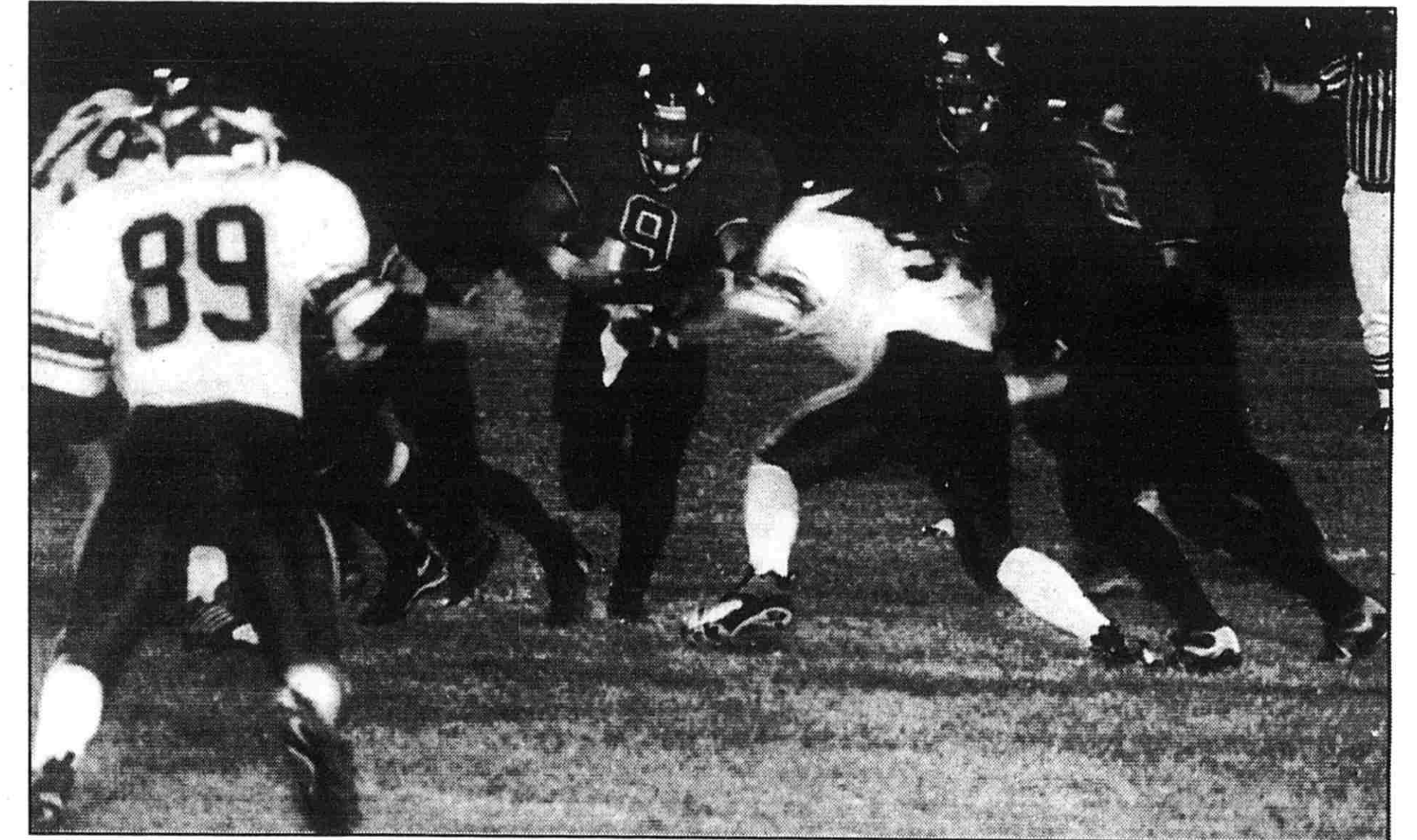
Advertisement for 'Touch of Country' furniture store, offering 10% off all table lace by Heritage Lane, with contact information for Caledonia and Lowell, MI.



THURSDAY EVENING										OCTOBER 7, 1999		
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<b>BROADCAST CHANNELS</b>												
WVMT	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Diagnosis Murder "Bringing Up Barbie" Dr. Mark Sloane baby-sits a rebellious 14-year-old girl. (In Stereo)	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	48 Hours (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)					
WOTV	Extra (In Stereo)	Real TV (In Stereo)	Whose Line Is It Anyway? (In Stereo)	Whose Line Is It Anyway? (In Stereo)	Wasteland "Pilot" (Series Premiere) Six New Yorkers struggle with life and careers after college. (In Stereo)	20/20 Downtown	News	Nightline				
WGVU	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Fred Trost's Practical Sportsman	This Old House Presenting a fire.	Michigan Out-of-Doors	Fly Fishing	Mystery! "Second Sight" Ross Tanner and his partner investigate the motiveless murder of a 19-year-old man. (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 2)	What Can We Do About Violence? (Part 2 of 2)					
WXMI	Drew Carey Drew must cut employee perks. (In Stereo)	Seinfeld "The Pledge Drive" Jerry appears on a TV pledge drive.	Major League Baseball Playoffs: Divisional Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live)					News	Drew Carey "The Bachelor Party" Drew gets a bachelor party.			
WOOD	Inside Edition	Friends The friends flash back three years. (In Stereo)	Friends (In Stereo)	Jesse (In Stereo)	Frasier (In Stereo)	Stark Raving Mad (In Stereo)	ER (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)			
WLNS	Entertainment Tonight (In Stereo)	Hollywood Squares (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "Bringing Up Barbie" Dr. Mark Sloane baby-sits a rebellious 14-year-old girl. (In Stereo)	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	48 Hours (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)					
WILX	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Friends (In Stereo)	Jesse (In Stereo)	Frasier (In Stereo)	Stark Raving Mad (In Stereo)	ER (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)			
WTLJ	Marriage and Family Magazine	Dwight Elijah	TCT Today	Hal Lindsey	Hour of Healing (In Stereo)	Praise the Lord (Live)						
WKAR	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Fred Trost's Practical Sportsman	Michigan Out-of-Doors	This Old House Presenting a fire.	Burt Wolf: Travels & Traditions "New Hong Kong" Hong Kong.	Mystery! "Second Sight" Ross Tanner and his partner investigate the motiveless murder of a 19-year-old man. (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 2)	Michigan Out-of-Doors (R)					
WZMZ	Entertainment Tonight (In Stereo)	Hollywood Squares (In Stereo)	Whose Line Is It Anyway? (In Stereo)	Whose Line Is It Anyway? (In Stereo)	Wasteland "Pilot" (Series Premiere) Six New Yorkers struggle with life and careers after college. (In Stereo)	20/20 Downtown	News	Nightline				
WSYM	Home Improvement Tim enlarges the bathroom. (In Stereo)	Frasier "The Life of the Party" Roz has her baby. (In Stereo)	Major League Baseball Playoffs: Divisional Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live)					News	Frasier "The Life of the Party" Roz has her baby. (In Stereo)			
WZPX	Treasures in Your Home: The World of Collecting	It's a Miracle Dog drags stricken hunter to safety.	Touched by an Angel "Rock 'n' Roll Dad" Monica helps a music star emotionally support his young daughter. (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "X Marks the Murder" Mark and Steve track down a serial killer moments before Amanda is slain. (In Stereo) (Part 1 of 2)								
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>												
FX	M*A*S*H "Pilot"	M*A*S*H "Henry - Please Come Home"	NYPD Blue "Is Pans Burning?" A witness leads Simone and Sipowicz to a robber-rape. (In Stereo)	X-Files "El Mundo Gira" Agents Mulder and Scully seek out a mythical beast. (In Stereo)	Married... With Children "Master the Possibilities"	Married... With Children "Master the Possibilities"	X Show					
FAM	Extraordinary World of Animals (In Stereo)	Show Me the Funny	Garth Brooks: Live From Central Park From New York, country music star Garth Brooks performs his greatest hits. (R) (In Stereo)									
MTV	Celebrity Deathmatch	Celebrity Deathmatch	Celebrity Deathmatch	Celebrity Deathmatch	Celebrity Deathmatch	Celebrity Deathmatch	Tom Green (In Stereo)	True Life "Burning Man" Undressed (In Stereo)				
VH1	List (In Stereo)	Before They Were Stars	Behind the Music "Lenny Kravitz" (R) (In Stereo)	Behind the Music "Molley Crue" (R) (In Stereo)	Behind the Music "Poison" (R) (In Stereo)	Behind the Music "Poison" (R) (In Stereo)	Baywatch "I Jeopardy Carl! Jump" Garner and Mitch investigate a young basketball player's suspicious drowning. (In Stereo)					
USA	JAG "Blindside" Harm learns that his mentor is falsifying medical records to remain a Navy pilot. (In Stereo)	The Godfather Saga **** (1977, Drama) (Part 3 of 3) Marlon Brando, Al Pacino, Robert De Niro. "The Godfather" and "The Godfather, Part II" re-edited. (In Stereo)										
DISC	Wild Discovery "Jurassic Reef" "Living fossils," including a saltwater crocodile. (R)	On the Inside "Wall Street" A behind-the-scenes look at the stock market. (R)	Great Siberian Explosion One of the great unsolved mysteries of the 20th century. (R)	Beyond Bizarre Cryptozoology, sideshow performers: historical grave-digging, ghost hunter.	On the Inside "Wall Street" A behind-the-scenes look at the stock market. (R)							
WGN	Caroline in the City (In Stereo)	"Star Wars" **** (1977, Science Fiction) Mark Hamill, Carrie Fisher, Harrison Ford. The "special edition" of George Lucas' space opera. (In Stereo)	Science Fiction) Mark Hamill, Carrie Fisher, Harrison Ford. The "special edition" of George Lucas' space opera. (In Stereo)	News (In Stereo)	MacGyver MacGyver helps a rock star who believes her win sister is trying to kill her.							
ESPN	Sportscenter	Thursday Gamenight	College Football: Syracuse at Pittsburgh. (Live)									
CNN	Moneyline Newshour	Crossfire	World Today	Larry King Live	Newsstand	Sports Tonight	Moneyline (R)					
CNN2	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News	Headline News					
NICK	Hey Arnold! (In Stereo)	Rugrats (In Stereo)	Wild Thornberrys (In Stereo)	Cousin Skeeter "Be Like Skeeter" (In Stereo)	Brady Bunch "Today I Am a Freshman"	Love Lucy "The Million Dollar Idea" (In Stereo)	Jeffersons (In Stereo)	Taxi "Nardo Loses Her Marbles" (In Stereo)	Mary Tyler Moore (In Stereo)	Happy Days "Marion Rebels" (In Stereo)		
A&E	Law & Order "Conspiracy" Stone and Robinette investigate the murder of a separatist movement's leader.	Biography "Sal Mineo" Actor Sal Mineo, '50s teen idol.	Investigative Reports "Anti-Gay Hate Crime" Chronicles the rise in crimes targeting the homosexual community. (R)	Inside Story "Scene of the Crime" Baltimore crime lab workers who perform post-mortem exams. (R)	Law & Order "Trust" Stone fails to convict a teenager charged with shooting his best friend.							
FOXDT	College Football: Louisville at Army. (Live)											
TNT	ER "Power" The doctors must use their wits to save patients when a power outage occurs. (In Stereo)	"Baby Boom" *** (1987, Comedy) Diane Keaton, Sam Shepard, Harold Ramis. A high-powered exec inherits a distant cousin's infant.	"Animal Farm" (1999, Satire) Voices of Kelsey Grammer, Patrick Stewart. Farm animals stage a revolt against their human masters. (In Stereo)									
TBS	Fresh Prince of Bel-Air "72 Hours" (In Stereo)	Wrestling: WCW Thunder.	Wrestling: WCW Thunder.	Chimp Channel "Chimp Channel - 11"	Wrestling: WCW Thunder. (R)	Wrestling: WCW Thunder. (R)						
DISN	"P.U.N.K.S." (1999, Adventure) Randy Quaid, Tim Redwine, Henry Winkler. Children attempt to retrieve a device that gives supernatural strength to whoever wears it. "PG" (Adult language, violence)	"Beelzebub" *** (1988, Comedy) Michael Keaton, Geena Davis, Alec Baldwin. Newlyweds hire a vulgar ghost to frighten obnoxious new tenants out of their New England home. "PG" (Adult language, mild violence)	"The Ghost and Mr. Chicken" *** (1966, Comedy) Don Knotts, Joan Staley, Liam Redmond. A timid typesetter who longs to be a reporter hopes to land a big story by spending a night in a haunted house.									
TNN	Waltons "The Moonshiner" (In Stereo)	"Wild Horses" ** (1985) Kenny Rogers, Ben Johnson.	Championship Bull Riding: Laughlin Shootout. (In Stereo)	Dallas "Return Engagement" (In Stereo)								
TRAV	Adventure Bound (R)	Lonely Planet "Arctic Canada" (R)	Adventure Crazy (R)	Adventure Crazy (R)	Amazing Destinations "San Francisco & Chicago"	Lonely Planet "Arctic Canada" (R)						
TLC	How'd They Do That? Bomb squads race against the clock to defuse bombs.	Nature's Rage: Without Warning Those first at the scene of storms or disasters.	Nature's Rage: Tracking the Killers Better prediction, location and survival of disasters.	Nature's Rage: In Harm's Way People who willingly face disasters to study them.	Nature's Rage: Without Warning Those first at the scene of storms or disasters.							
SCI FI	"Starman" *** (1984, Science Fiction) Jeff Bridges, Karen Allen, Charles Martin Smith. U.S. agents pursue a space alien and a widow cross-country.	"Big" *** (1988, Comedy) Tom Hanks, Elizabeth Perkins, Robert Loggia. A 13-year-old boy is transformed into a 35-year-old man.	"Big" *** (1988, Comedy) Tom Hanks, Elizabeth Perkins, Robert Loggia. A 13-year-old boy is transformed into a 35-year-old man.									
COM	Daily Show (R)	Win Ben Stein's Money	"Married to the Mob" *** (1988, Comedy) Michelle Pfeiffer, Matthew Modine, Dean Stockwell. A federal agent becomes involved with a mobster's widow.	Saturday Night Live Quentin Tarantino, Smashing Pumpkins.	Daily Show	Win Ben Stein's Money						
TWC	WeatherCenter	WeatherCenter	WeatherCenter	WeatherCenter	WeatherCenter	WeatherCenter	WeatherCenter					
HIST	20th Century First moon landing in 1969 and the destruction of space shuttle Challenger. (R)	Lost Colony of Roanoke An entire colony of English settlers on Roanoke disappears in 1590. (R)	Suicide Missions Coming to the aid of wounded soldiers is often the most dangerous job. (R)	Offshore Oil Drilling How offshore oil drilling revolutionized the search for crude oil. (R)	Secrets of World War II Examines the combined operation of the Allied assault on Okinawa. (R)							
AMC	(5:30) "Guys and Dolls" *** (1955, Musical) Marlon Brando, Jean Simmons. A gambler bets he can woo a Salvation Army missionary.	"The Country Girl" *** (1954, Drama) Bing Crosby, Grace Kelly, William Holden. A faded recording star's self-pity and alcohol abuse have hampered his chances for a comeback.	"To Be or Not to Be" *** (1942, Comedy) Jack Benny, Carole Lombard, Robert Stack. Actors in Poland pose as Nazi bigwigs and affect the escape of an Allied pilot.	"In Name Only" *** (1993), Cary Grant, Kay Francis								
H&G	This Old House "Woodbox" (In Stereo)	New Spaces (R) (In Stereo)	Curb Appeal (R) (In Stereo)	Designing for the Sexes (In Stereo)	Kitchen Design (In Stereo)	House Hunters (In Stereo)	Dream Builders (In Stereo)	New Spaces (R) (In Stereo)	Curb Appeal (R) (In Stereo)			
LIFE	Intimate Portrait "Judith Light" Emmy Award-winning actress Judith Light. (R) (In Stereo)	Chicago Hope "Viagra-ated Assault" Dr. Austin discovers a heart patient is misusing Viagra. (In Stereo)	"The Lady Forgets" *** (1989, Suspense) Donna Mills, Greg Evigan, Andrew Robinson. An amnesiac is haunted by events from her missing years.	New Attitudes Bringing fun to the workplace.	Golden Girls "Love for Sale" Stan buys a date with Dorothy. (In Stereo)							
TOON D	Timon & Pumbaa (In Stereo)	Tale Spin (In Stereo)	Ducktales	Bonkers (In Stereo)	Aladdin	Darwin Duck	Gargoyles (In Stereo)	Gargoyles (In Stereo)	Mighty Ducks (In Stereo)	Adventures of Sonic the Hedgehog		
MSNBC	InterNight	Special Edition	News With Brian Williams	Headliners & Legends "John Gott"	Special Edition (R)							
CSPAN	House of Representatives (Live)	Prime Time Public Affairs										
EWTN	Our Lady of the Angels Monastery Daily Mass	Life on the Rock	Refurbishing the Soul	Rosary-Land	Fatima Message	Fatima Message	Fatima Message	Fatima Message				
<b>PREMIUM CHANNELS</b>												
SHOW	(6:15) "Looking for Lola" (1997, Comedy) Mark Krassnerbaum, Ara Cell, Armin Shimerman. "PG" (Adult language, adult situations)	"The Last Days of Disco" *** (1998, Drama) Chloe Sevigny, Kate Beckinsale, Chris Eigeman. New York's hottest disco serves as the focal point for two former college classmates on the prowl for fun. (In Stereo) (R) (Adult situations)	"Blackheart" (1998, Suspense) Richard Grieco, Christopher Plummer, Fiona Lowie. A con man's criminal past won't go away when he tries to start his life over with an attractive heiress. (In Stereo) (R)	Linc's "Moonlighting" CoCo takes second job to impress man. (R) (In Stereo)								
HBO	(5:00) "The Apostle" *** (1999) (In Stereo) PG-13 (Adult situations, violence)	Random Hearts: First Look "Random Hearts." (R)	Inside the NFL (In Stereo)	"Stealth Fighter" (1999, Action) Costas Mandylor, Ice-T, Ernie Hudson. A retired pilot is pressed back into service to defeat a former colleague who has stolen an American fighter jet. (In Stereo) (R) (Adult language, violence)	Comedy Half-Hour "Dave Chappelle" Dave Chappelle. (R) (In Stereo)	Shock Video 5: Turn-On TV International television boasts an array of sex and nudity. (R) (In Stereo)						
TMC	(5:50) "Dream a Little Dream 2" *** (1994) (In Stereo) PG-13 (Adult situations, violence)	"A Show of Force" *** (1990, Suspense) Amy Irving, Robert Duvall, Andy Garcia. A reporter learns that the U.S. may have sanctioned two protesters' murders in this account of a 1978 incident. (In Stereo) (R) (Adult language, violence)	"Sniper" *** (1993, Drama) Tom Berenger, Billy Zane, J.T. Walsh. A veteran Army assassin and his inexperienced partner set their sights on a drug lord in the jungles of Panama. (In Stereo) (R) (Adult language, violence)	"The Big Hit" *** (1998, Action) Mark Wahlberg, Lou Diamond Phillips, Christina Applegate. A professional hit man and his crew find themselves in hot water when they kidnap their boss's goddaughter. (In Stereo) (R) (Adult language, adult situations, violence)								
MAX	(5:45) "Sphere" * (1998, Science Fiction) Dustin Hoffman, Sharon Stone, Samuel L. Jackson. Experts investigate a spaceship on the ocean floor. (In Stereo) PG-13 (Violence)	"Why Do Fools Fall in Love" *** (1998, Biography) Halle Berry, Vivica A. Fox, Lela Rochon. An account of the short life of 1950s singer Frankie Lymon and the three ex-wives who battle over his money. (In Stereo) (R) (Adult language, adult situations)	"Blackheart" (1998, Suspense) Richard Grieco, Christopher Plummer, Fiona Lowie. A con man's criminal past won't go away when he tries to start his life over with an attractive heiress. (In Stereo) (R)	"Other Men's Wives" (1996), Frank Branson, Holly Jay Sampson (In Stereo) (R)								

# Vikings served up as homecoming treat in Lowell's 24-0 shutout

••• The Red Arrow defense, in its homecoming win, held Wyoming Park under 100 total yards. Lowell hosts Hudsonville in a key OK White matchup Friday.



Josh Brown rushed for 89 yards and scored two of Lowell's three touchdowns.

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

From an execution and mistake standpoint, Lowell played its best football game of the year Friday night in a 24-0 homecoming shutout over Wyoming Park.

The win improved Lowell's record to 4-1 overall and 2-1 in the OK White. "We didn't make a lot of mistakes tonight," Lowell football coach Noel Dean explained. "This club is maturing and we're starting to execute."

It had to, as the Vikings made Lowell work for every

yard and point it tallied. "Park is always a good football club. They are well coached," Dean explained. "Jack Ver Duin is one of the great football coaching legacies in the state."

Lowell used a well balanced rushing attack to amass 264 yards on the ground. It was the Red Arrows' ground attack that matched Lowell 74 yards for a touchdown on its opening drive. The big play of the drive was a 34-yard run by Lowell quarterback Josh Brown. That set up his one-yard touchdown run.

The Vikings on their

opening drive marched from their 27 to the Red Arrow 36 before the drive was halted by the game's only fumble. Lowell's Nate Borth recovered the fumble.

Lowell had the ball second and goal from the Park but could not get the ball in the end zone. "Wasn't that a great defensive stand," Ver Duin exclaimed. "We gave Lowell all it could handle. I'm real proud of these kids. They played hard against a good football team."

After stopping the Red

Arrows from their one, the Vikings moved the ball to the 11 before having to punt. A good punt return set Lowell up at the Park 11 with 1:35 to play in the half.

Three plays later, Brown took it in from a yard out, giving Lowell a 14-0 half-time lead.

The only third-quarter score came on a 28-yard field goal by Brady Foster with 4:26 on the clock.

The Red Arrows added a fourth quarter touchdown on an 11-yard scoring run by Tom Oesch. The senior ran

the ball nine times for 74 yards. Brown rushed the ball 17 times for 89 yards and scored two touchdowns. He was also 3-of-6 passing for 43 yards and an interception.

Ken Palcowicz carried the ball nine times for 61 yards. Lowell's defense held Park to 18 yards rushing and quarterback Brad Klompars to 7-of-21 passing for 80 yards.

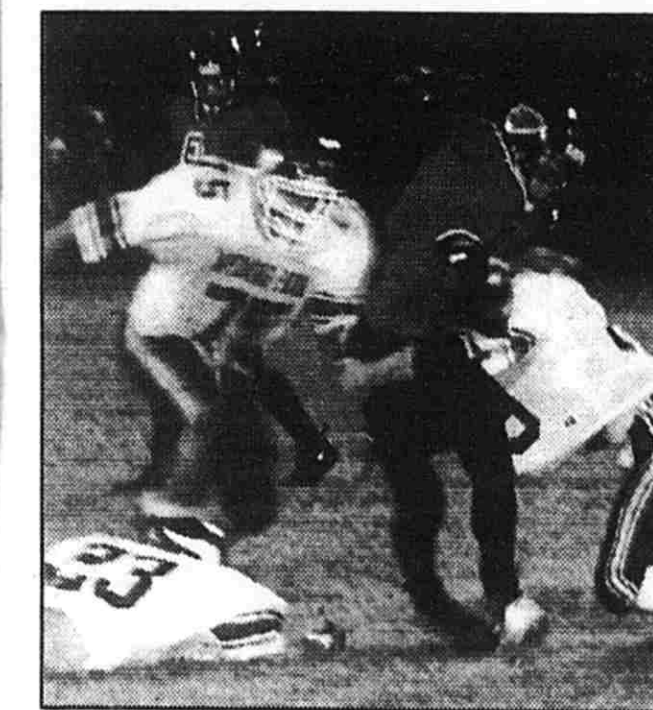
"I think the last couple of weeks our defense has been

playing well," Dean said.

Ver Duin's Vikings made their last trip to Lowell as a member of the OK White. Next year Park drops down from the OK Gold when Forest Hills Northern joins the White.

"I will miss the quality competition, the people and the coaches," Ver Duin explained. "Physically, however, we can't compete in the OK White."

With the loss, Park falls to 1-4 overall and 0-3 in the league.



Red Arrow Tom Oesch scored a touchdown and rushed for 74 yards in Lowell's win against Wyoming Park.



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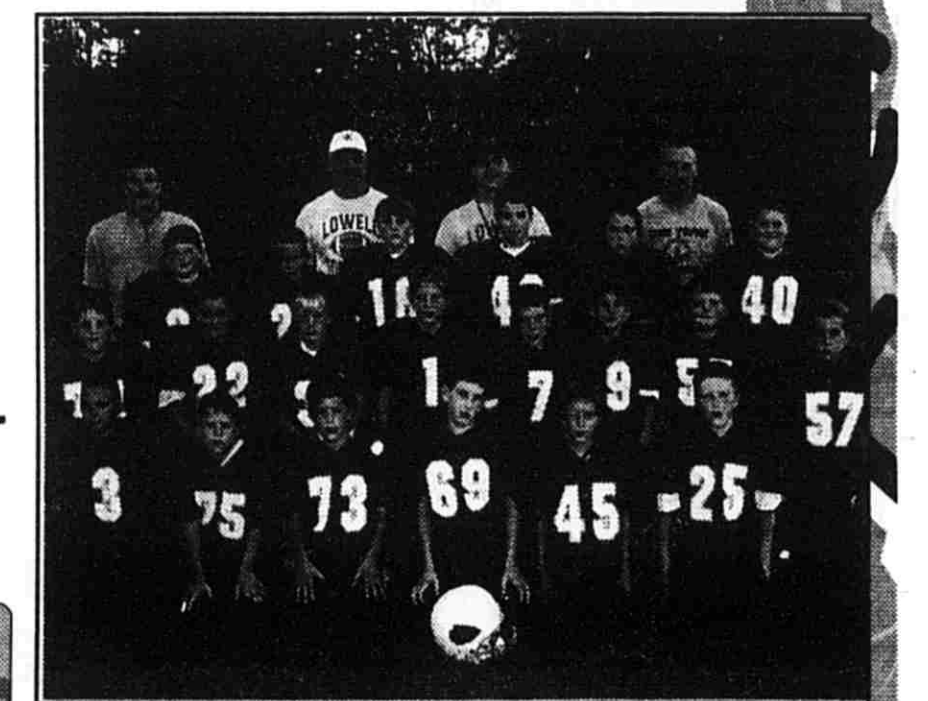
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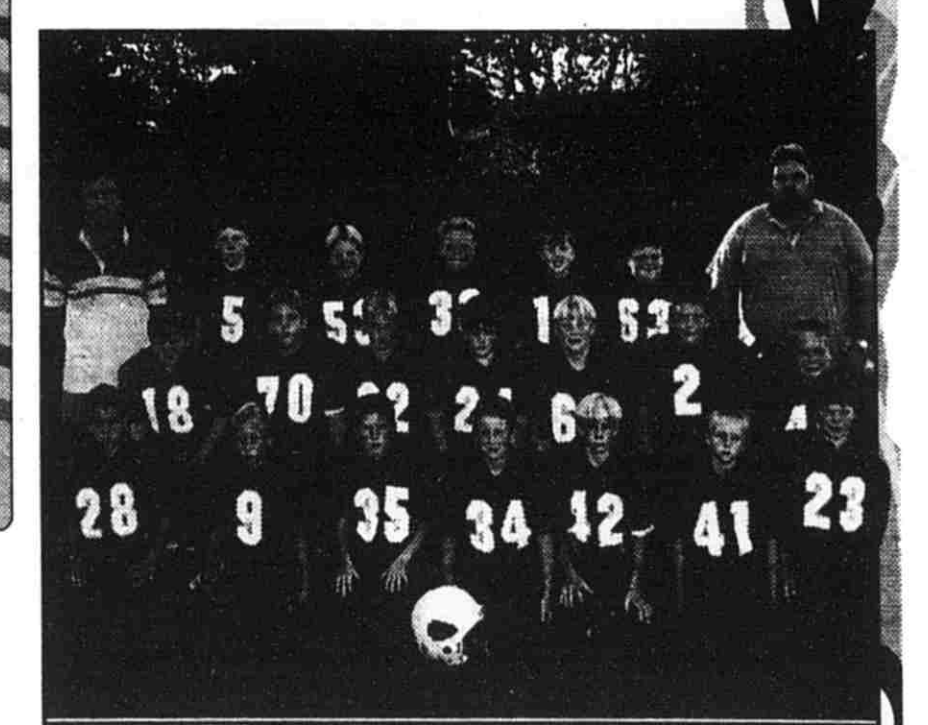
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# Red Arrow girls rebound from overtime loss to Park with comeback win against Eagles

Lowell rallied from a 10-point, third-quarter deficit to defeat Hudsonville Thursday. The game prior, the Red Arrows squandered a 10-point lead to Wyoming Park in a three-point loss.

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

It was the last time Wyoming Park coach Rich Pullen would bring a Viking girls basketball team to Lowell as a member of the OK White conference.

Park's 50-47 overtime win against the Red Arrows was indicative of the many struggles the Vikings have encountered at Lowell over the years.

For Pullen, whose club will begin play in the OK Gold next year, this last victory as a member of the OK White was doubly special.

"It's nice to win our final game at Lowell," Pullen explained. "This was a typical Wyoming Park/Lowell basketball game. Our games have always been close."

Viking free throws with one second to play gave Park an emotionally charged vic-

tory in 1993 and serves as one of Pullen's favorites.

The dean of OK White coaches, who has been at the head of Viking girls basketball for 20 years, will also miss his friendly rivalry with Lowell girls basketball coach Ken Akers, who will retire after his 12th and final year.

"Ken is a real gentleman, a great guy and a good coach," Pullen said. "When you play Lowell, you know his club is going to scrap and fight and play hard. They leave everything out on the floor."

Akers was angered by his club's lack of fight and scrappiness which Pullen referred to.

"Wyoming Park wanted

the game more than we did. It showed in our defense, rebounding and the way we went after loose balls," said Akers.

Lowell squandered away a 10-point, first-half lead. Park narrowed a 26-16 deficit before half to three at 27-24.

The Red Arrows led 39-38 after three, but Park outscored Lowell 8-7 in the fourth quarter to tie the game at 46-46. The Vikings then outscored Lowell 4-1 in overtime for the win.

"We played well in areas, but not for 32 minutes," Akers said. "We also missed many easy shots. That, and mistakes just killed us."

Lowell's coach was encouraged by the play of freshman Blair Meyer. She tallied 15 points. "It was her best game of the year," Akers added.

The Red Arrows were led by senior guard Bethany Fredline, who netted 16 points. Center Amanda Stoutjesdyk tallied 11 points and grabbed 10 rebounds.

The loss dropped Lowell to 1-2 in the league and 3-3 overall.

Lowell 67  
Hudsonville 65

Having felt the pain of squandering a 10-point lead just days earlier, the Red Arrow girls basketball team overcame a 10-point, second-half deficit to squeak past the Eagles.

"We're happy to escape with a win," said Lowell basketball coach Ken Akers. "We got some scoring tonight, but our team defense was bad."

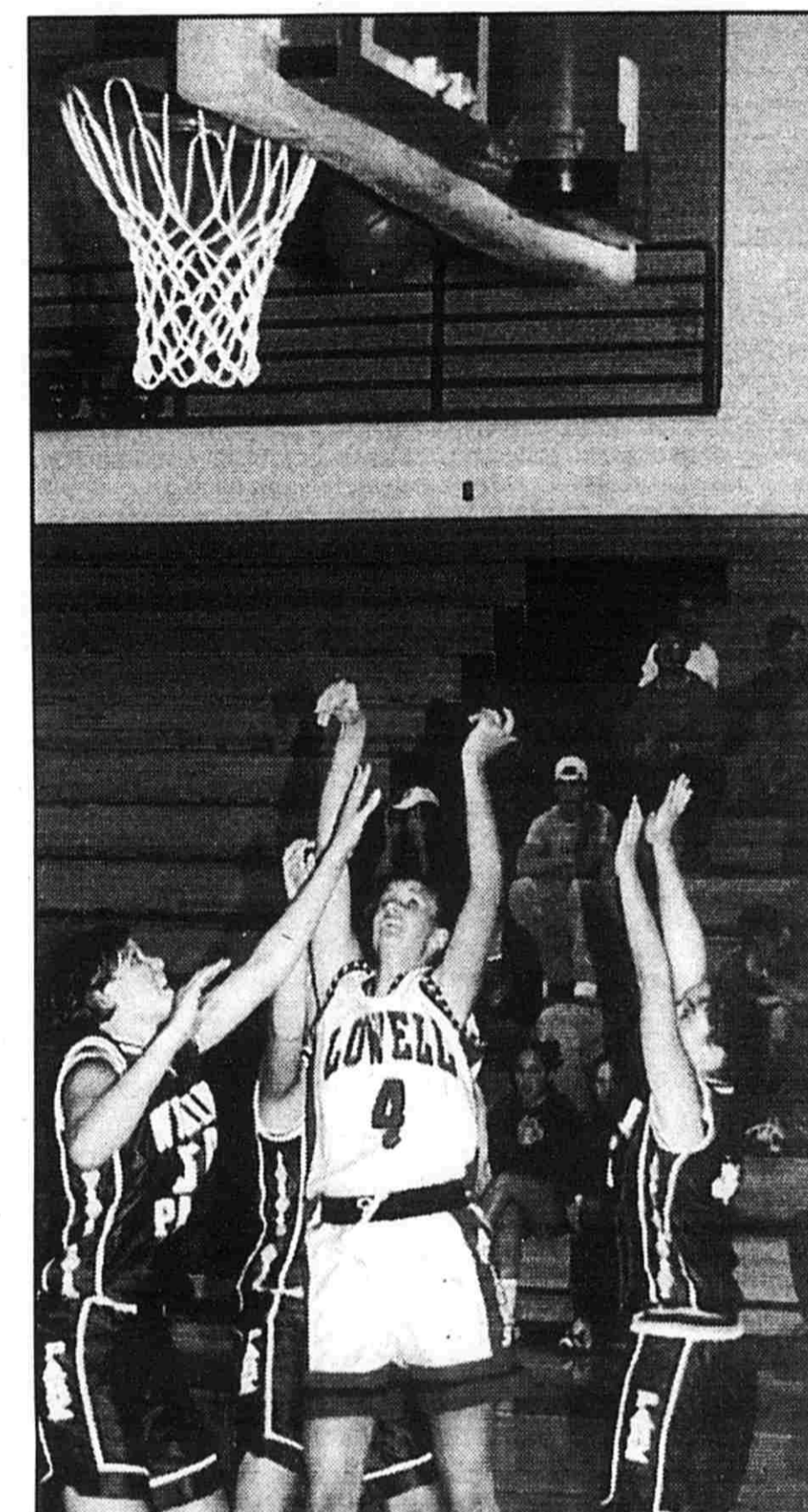
Amanda Stoutjesdyk led all scorers with 25 points and pulled down a team-leading

nine rebounds. Point guard Bethany Fredline netted 22 points. She was 15-of-18 from the foul line.

"Amanda and Beth did it for us offensively," Akers explained. The duo was a combined 15-for-25 from the field. As a team, Lowell was

a lot of playing time this year, made a positive impact coming off the bench. She dished out three assists, scored a bucket, had a steal and grabbed two rebounds.

"Shelby is a smart player and has good understanding and knowledge of the game."



Blair Meyer manages a shot in traffic. Lowell lost the game in overtime to Wyoming Park 50-47.

22-of-43, shooting 51 percent. Akers said, Lowell finished the week 4-3 overall and 2-2 in the league.

Shelby Tomczak, a sophomore who has not seen

## Lowell Equestrians District V Champions

The Lowell equestrian club now advances to the state finals Oct. 14-17.

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

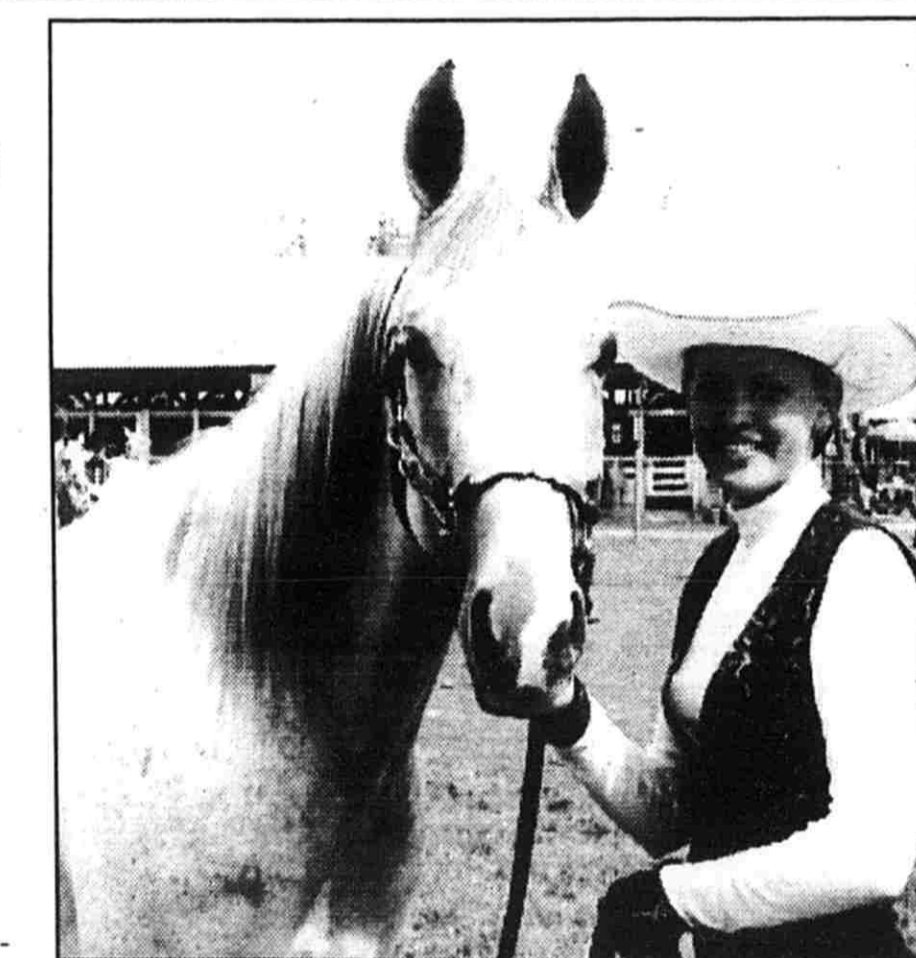
With its third consecutive win over Rockford on Saturday, the Lowell equestrian club earned the District V Class A championship.

Lowell defeated a competitive Rockford squad 245-207.

"It was a perfect end to a great homecoming week against a very competitive Rockford team," said Lowell coach Gail Parker.

In three weeks of competition, Lowell totaled 754 points while Rockford garnered 542.

In winning the District



Lowell equestrian Kelsey Scheider.

V Class A championship, Lowell earned a spot among the state's best in the state finals to be held Oct. 14-17 at the State Fairgrounds in Detroit.

Lowell's high point rider was team captain Jackie Dykstra. She scored 37 points. Dykstra earned firsts in the relay race and keyhole class. She posted seconds in cloverleaf, hunt seat bareback and western bareback.

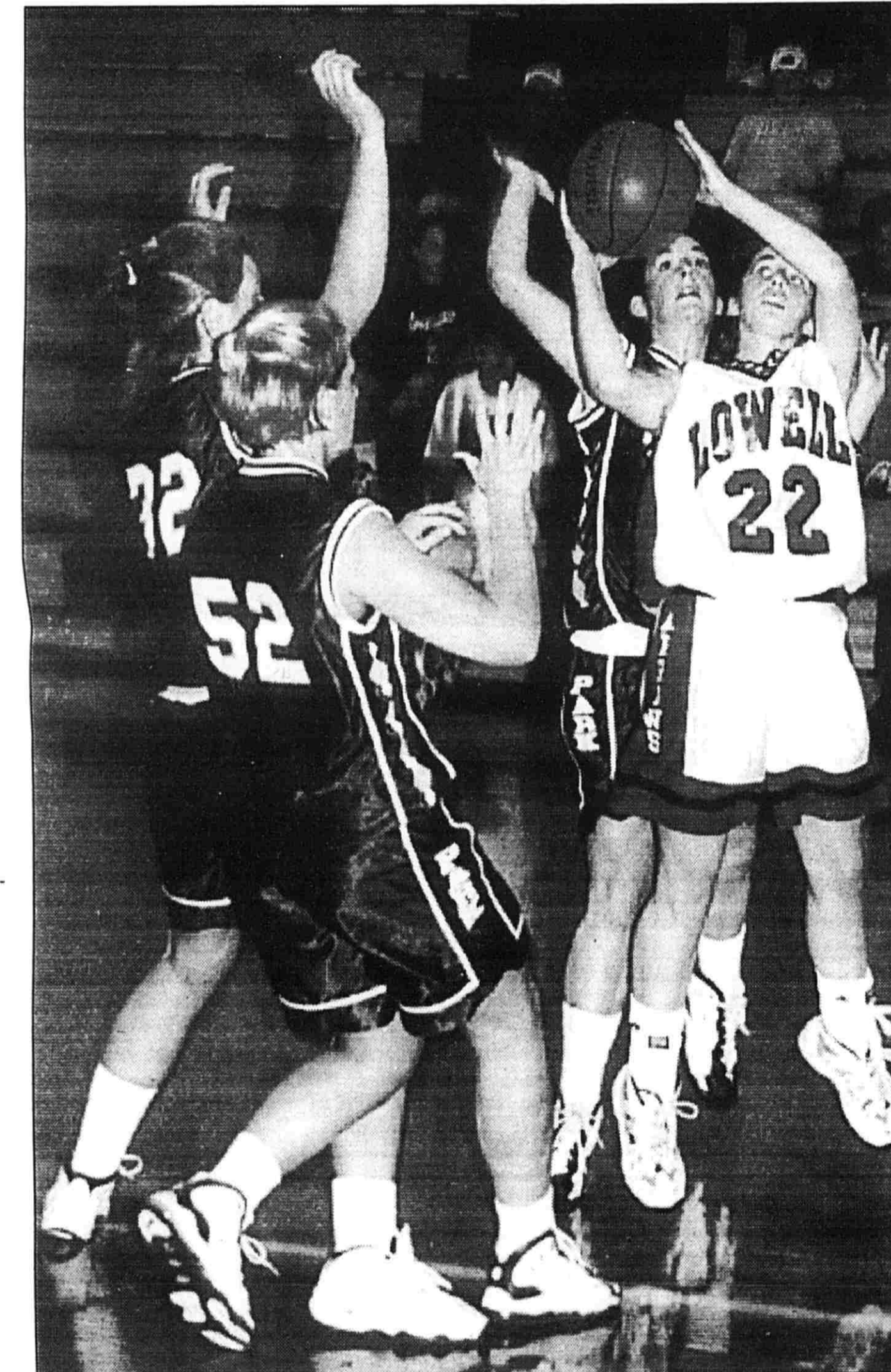
Katelyn Bush (35 points), Molly Balaam (25 points),

Beth Van Ens (15 points) and Tracy Seif (12 points) all placed in the day's first class (western showmanship), giving Lowell an early lead.

Placing in the western performance classes for Lowell were Dykstra, Bush, Van Ens, Shannon Boggs, Jasmine Steele and Michelle Stryzewski.

Contesting riders for Lowell were Kirk Johnson, Dykstra, Stryzewski,

Equestrians cont'd., pg. 25



Lowell's Bethany Fredline draws a crowd as she drives to the basket.

## Red Arrow golf struggles against league's elite

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Lowell boys golf team shot two rounds of 187 and neither were nearly enough to post wins in the rugged OK White.

The Red Arrows shot a 187 at the par 36 Crestview course against conference powerhouses Zeeland and East Grand Rapids.

The Chix fired a 155 and the Pioneers carded a 159.

"We're just looking for continued improvement," Lowell golf coach Jack Ogle explained.

Wade Gilchrist led all Lowell linksters with a round of 44. Kyle Hines was two shots back at 46 and Eric Ostrander and Joe Patterson carded rounds of 48 and 49 respectively.

Jon Stefan led the victorious Chix with a 37. Zeeland's Jeff VanderBeldt followed with a 38 and Joel Smith and Matt Wyngarden carded rounds of 39 and 41.

For EGR, Ben Healy came home in 38, followed by Andrew Krei 40, John Nelson 40, and Matt Topliss 41.

Northview 178  
Lowell 187

Kyle Hines shot a 46 and led all Red Arrow golfers at Deer Run against the Wildcats.

Gary Dykstra, Kevin Craig and Wade Gilchrist all finished a shot back with 47s.

Drew Pleune and Joe Robach led Northview with rounds of 43. Hans Papke fired a 44 and Tim Koster shot a 48.

## Red Arrow girls 2nd in Lowell Invitational

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Four freshmen and a sophomore led the Red Arrow girls cross country team to a second place finish at the Lowell Invitational on Saturday.

Lowell finished second with 83 points, trailing only Grand Haven which finished with 37 points.

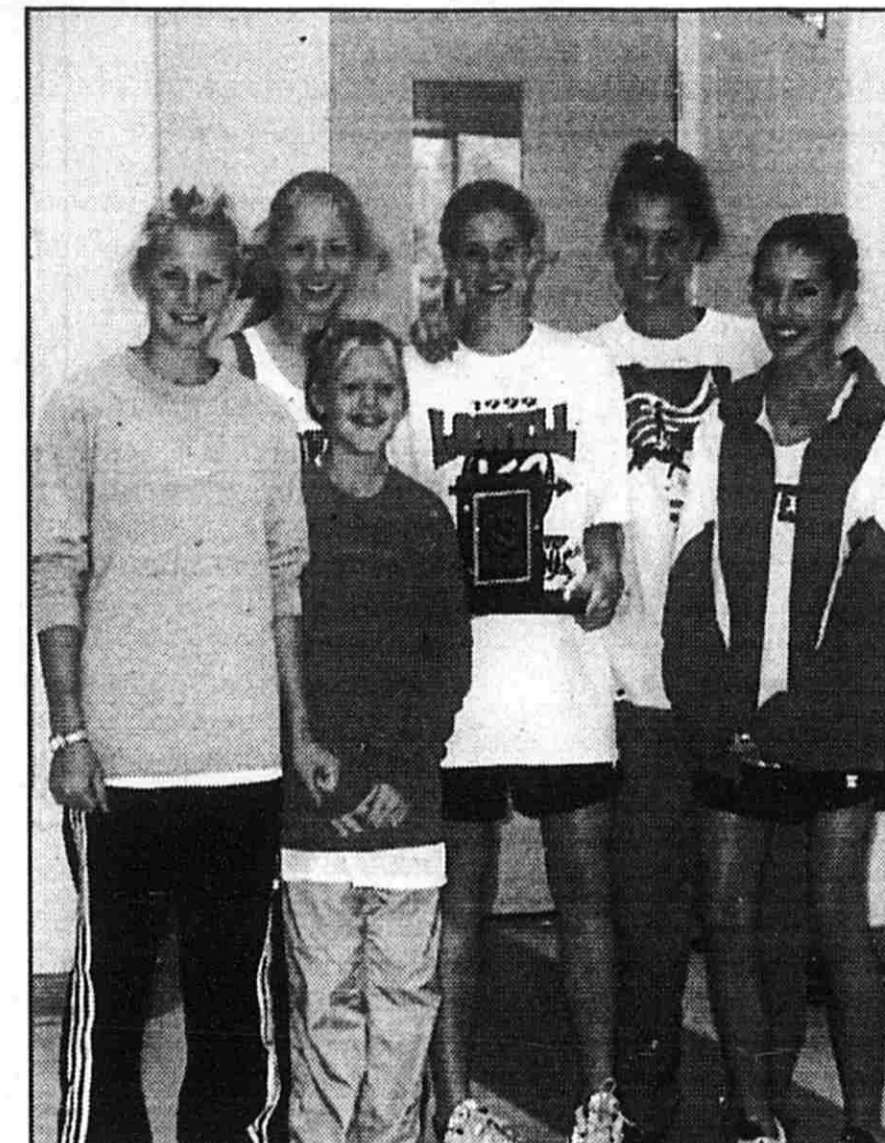
Following Lowell were Greenville 99; Holland Christian 116; East Kentwood 143; Zeeland 144; St. Johns 166; Northview 203; Forest Hills Northern 205; Grand Rapids Union 282 and Kenowa Hills 285.

"I can handle a second to a stronger older club like Grand Haven," said Lowell cross country coach Clay VanderWarf. "Our top three runners were freshmen."

Lowell's fourth and fifth runners were a sophomore and another freshman.

Three Red Arrows placed in the top 15. Lisa Wojciakowski was seventh overall with a time of 20:33; Holly Plattner placed ninth at 21:00; and Katie Clements, 15th, stopped the clock in 21:20.

Sophomore Molly Kirsch came home in 21:57 and finished 23rd. Freshman Abby Vos (29th) was



Lowell girls cross country team pictured with the runners-up trophy after placing second behind Grand Haven.

clocked at 22:05.

Grand Haven's Anne Zuelke was the top harrier with a time of 19:26.

Lowell 15  
Wyoming Park DNF

The Red Arrows, running against an undermanned Viking squad, earned its second league win of the year. Wyoming Park had just

two runners.

In what amounted to a warm-up for the Red Arrows, Lisa Wojciakowski took top honors with a time of 21:14 at Johnson Park.

Following the freshman home were teammates Holly Plattner 21:29; Katie Clements 22:02; Molly Kirsch 22:47; and Katie Anderson 23:12.

## Goals difficult to come by in Red Arrows' losses to EGR and Zeeland

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

A late flurry of first-half goals by East Grand Rapids helped lift the Pioneers to a 6-1 OK White high school soccer victory over Lowell.

"We're taking enough shots, but not enough of our shots are between the pipes," said Lowell soccer coach Chris Barlow. "We need more quality shots to challenge the keepers."

Lowell got off to a quick 1-0 start behind a momentum-building goal by Mark Maatman.

Nick Kuhl, off an assist from Garth Haller, tied the score at 1-1. The game remained tied until late in the first half.

Kuhl and Tim Price took advantage of Red Arrow defensive breakdowns around its goal and tallied EGR's second and third goals of the game before halftime.

"We allowed people to run unmarked down in front of our goal," Barlow said. "That is unacceptable. I take responsibility because I didn't make changes in our game plan to adjust to what East was doing."

Offensively, Lowell continues to struggle

putting goals on the board.

Its problems, according to Barlow, stem from not striking the ball correctly and/or carrying the ball too far into the goal box, thus losing a scoring opportunity.

East outscored Lowell 3-0 in the second half.

"We started pressing in the second half and gave up some transition goals. We gambled and got caught," Barlow explained.

Zeeland 2  
Lowell 1

The Red Arrows scoring troubles continued against the Chix.

The two teams battled to a 1-1 first-half tie.

Lowell scored on a goal from Jim Jastifer and Zeeland got on the board when Brent Alferink creased the Lowell net.

The only and winning goal of the second half was scored by Zeeland's Andy Bruischat. "We had very few quality shots on goal," Lowell soccer coach Chris Barlow said.

The loss dropped Lowell's overall record to 4-3-1 and league record to 2-3-1.

## Equestrians, cont'd....

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Steele, Balaam and Holly Denton.

"They closed the door on a late run by Rockford," Parker said. "We took first and second in the final three classes (cloverleaf, keyhole and two-person relay of the day)."

The Lowell coach also gave special recognition to the team grooms, Emily Roth, Jennie Meyers, Laura Miller and Jen Den Houter.

## JV football team blasts Vikings

Defense played a big part of Lowell's 41-8 victory. The defensive team of Matt Barry, Brad Eldridge, Nick Onan, Travis DeVoid, John Hauschild, Kyle Sitzer, Josh Marchido, Phil Moerdyke, Carl Standford and Een Fleet created two interceptions by Brandon Duprey and an interception by Austin Hunt and several fumble recoveries.

"Our defense created turnovers, and our offense turned them into points," stated JV coach Jeff MacDonald.

Quarterback Bill Harrison ran for two scores and completed a TD pass to Logan Dykstra. Quarterback Zach Beachum ran for one TD along with Onan picking up a Wyoming Park fumble and scooting in for a TD; and Eldridge going off the left side for the final score.

Lowell's JV team travels to Hudsonville on Thursday.

## Lowell boy harriers break through with league win against Vikings



There were 12 teams who competed in the Lowell Invitational on Saturday.

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Lowell boys cross country team's first OK White Conference victory of the season came down to which club had more depth.

Red Arrows' Andy Oetman and Derrick Harmon proved stronger than Wyoming Park's Steve Gates in Lowell's 27-29 win over the Vikings.

Oetman, the fourth Red Arrow to finish the Johnson Park course, came home in eighth place with a time of 20:01. Harmon finished 12 seconds in back of Oetman at 20:13.

Both harriers finished well ahead of Gates who was clocked at 20:40.

Red Arrow Dan Rottier was first overall, stopping the clock in 17:59.

Park's Mark VanderMeer (18:20) and Matt Cusillas (18:40) were second and third respectively.

Lowell's Mike Armstrong placed fourth with a time of 18:48. Caleb O'Boyle (19:14) finished fifth.

Tim Gates was sixth for the Vikings in a time of 19:43

while Tim Wylie was seventh, stopping the clock in 19:50.

"It was nice to get a league win under our belt. The boys ran a hard race. I was pleased with their effort," Lowell

cross country coach Clay VanderWarf said. "Oetman, Harmon and Mike Wierenga (10th) all moved up to help seal the win."

### Lowell Invitational

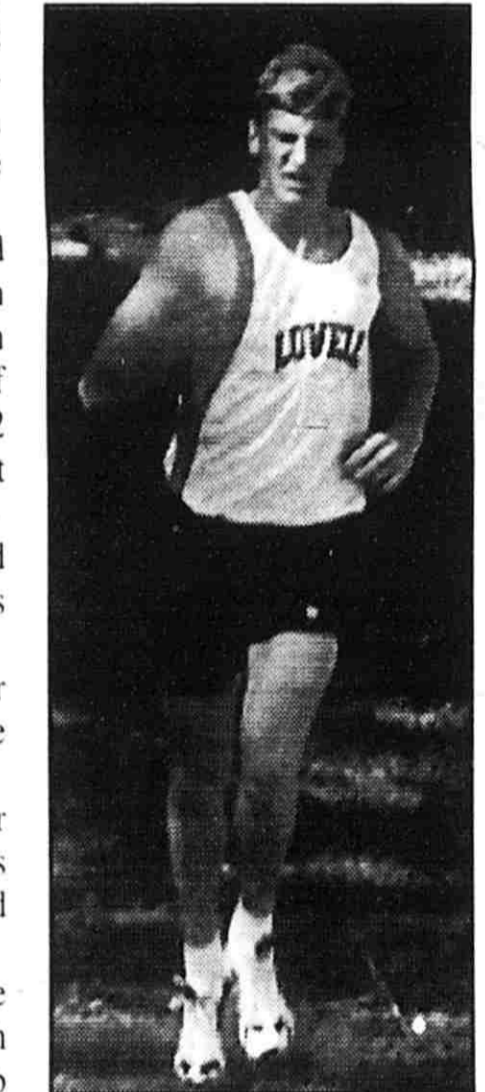
Among a tough 12-team field, Lowell harriers finished 10th.

Holland Christian won the invitational with 54 points. They were followed by Grand Rapids Union 81; East Kentwood 94; Grand Haven 108; Traverse City West 136; Forest Hills Northern 180; Kenowa Hills 178; Greenville 190; St. Johns 210; Lowell 213; Northview 259 and Grand Rapids Central 287.

Lowell's Dan Rottier was the team medalist and 11th overall, coming off the course in a time of 17:26.

Following Rottier were teammates Mike Armstrong, 40th, 18:32; Caleb O'Boyle, 43rd, 18:33; Andy Oetman, 56th, 19:28 and Derrick Harmon, 63rd, 19:38.

The invitational medalist was Holland Christian's Brian Maat who finished in 16:25.



Red Arrow senior Dan Rottier was the first Lowell runner to finish Saturday's race. Rottier placed 11th.

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# Red Arrow netters just miss second league win in tough loss to Hudsonville

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

Lowell's girls tennis team came up just short against Hudsonville in its quest for a second OK White Conference win.

In defeating the Red Arrows 5-3, the Eagles won critical close matches at fourth singles and third doubles.

"It was a heartbreaker," said Lowell girls tennis coach Bonnie Wall. "We just couldn't quite pull it out."

The two teams split their four singles matches - Hudsonville winning at the first and fourth flights and Lowell earning victories at second and third flights.

Katie Gunberg, second singles, defeated Denise Elgersma 6-1, 6-4 in straight sets.

Jenny Gunberg, third singles, dominated Katie VanderMolen 6-1, 6-0.

"Katie was intense and eager to win. She continues to play better," Wall said. "Jenny just cruised. She's smooth and playing well."

Lowell's Kim Meiste, first singles, lost to Kristina Scott 6-1, 6-0.

Laura Douglass, fourth singles, lost a tough three-setter to Lyndsay VanderMolen 2-6, 6-3, 4-6.

"Laura played well and worked hard, but couldn't quite pull it out," Wall explained.

Lowell's only win in doubles play came from its first flight team of Virginia Bultema and Marianna Vieira.

They defeated Becky Smedley and Melissa Tarskey 6-2, 6-1. "They keep getting stronger. They are playing and working well together," Wall said.

In second doubles, Stephanie Ellison and Lindsey Sage were upended by Lyndsay Malott and Andrea Neseth 6-3, 6-2.

Hudsonville's Sherri Stelpstra and Katie VanderKolk defeated Lowell's Amanda Stouten and Erin Barnes 6-4, 7-5. "It was a tough match. Amanda and Erin just couldn't win the big points," explained Wall.

Amanda Lonick and Nicole LaFave lost to Rachel Vilums and Stephanie Swanson 6-3, 6-0.



Lowell's Katie Gunberg posted a 6-1, 6-4 win over her Eagle counterpart.

### EGR 8 Lowell 0

In losing 8-0, coaches sometimes have a hard time finding a positive.

Lowell girls tennis coach Bonnie Wall made an exception following her club's loss to the Pioneers.

"Virginia Bultema and Marianna Vieira played their best tennis of the year in a three-set loss at first doubles," Wall said.

The doubles team lost 6-4, 2-6, 0-6 to EGR's Lauren Bok and Alliyson Mulder.

"It was the highlight of the match for us," Wall said. "I think that first set shocked the East players. Virginia was

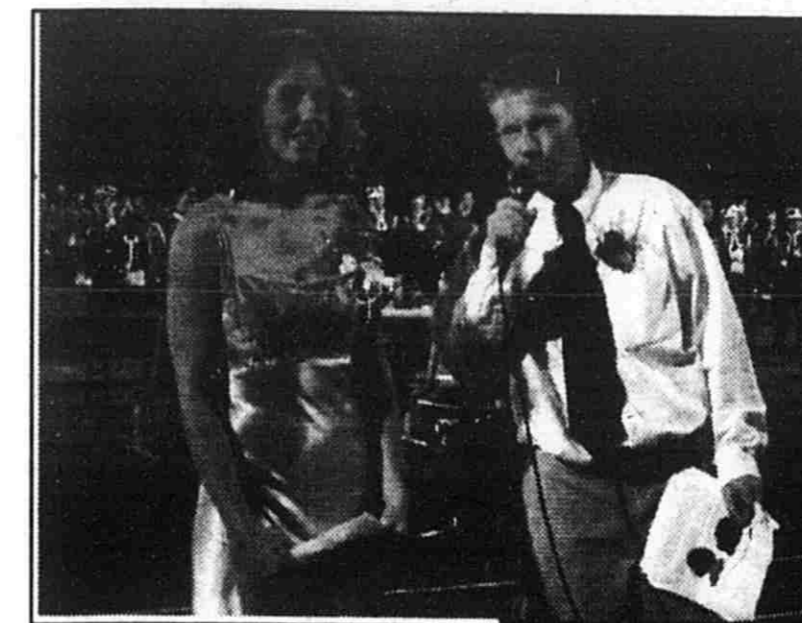
hitting strong backhands and Mary hit strong forehands."

In other matches, Stephanie Ellison and Lindsey Sage, second doubles, lost 6-1, 6-3; Amanda Stouten and Erin Barnes, third doubles, were defeated 6-2, 6-0; while Amanda Lonick and Kelly Riddle lost in straight sets 6-0, 6-0.

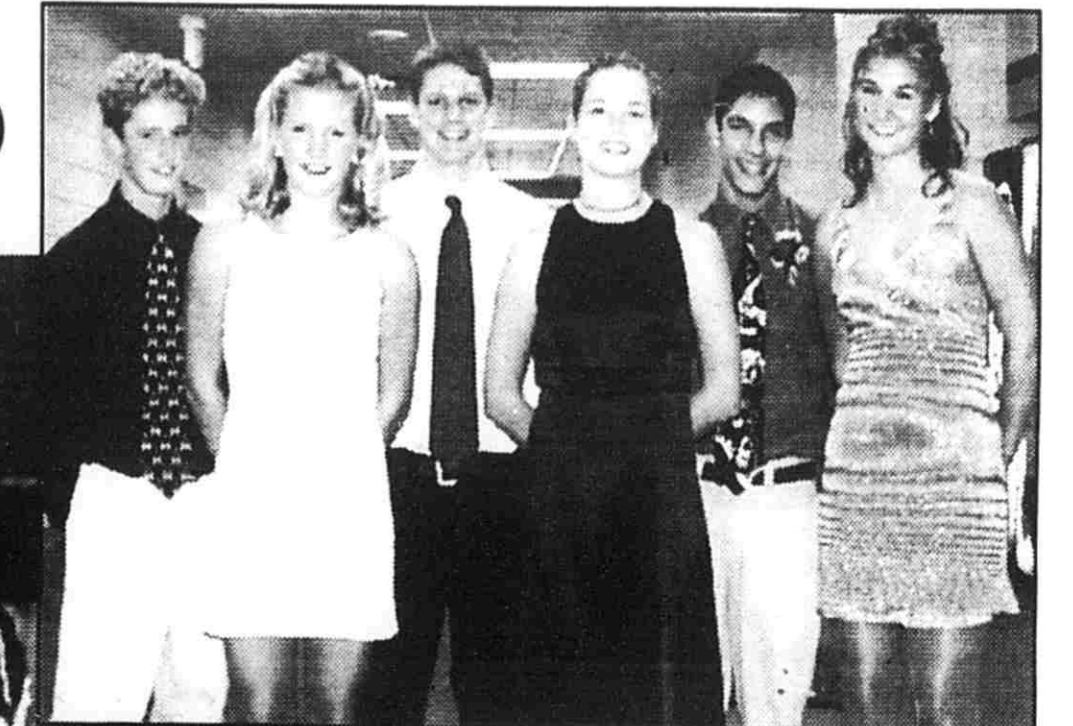
In singles play, Kim Meiste, first singles, lost 6-0, 6-0; Katie Gunberg, second singles, fell 6-0, 6-0; Jenny Gunberg, third singles, lost 6-1, 6-1; and Laura Douglass, fourth singles, lost 6-1, 6-0.

"The girls won some games and played pretty well. They competed," Wall said.

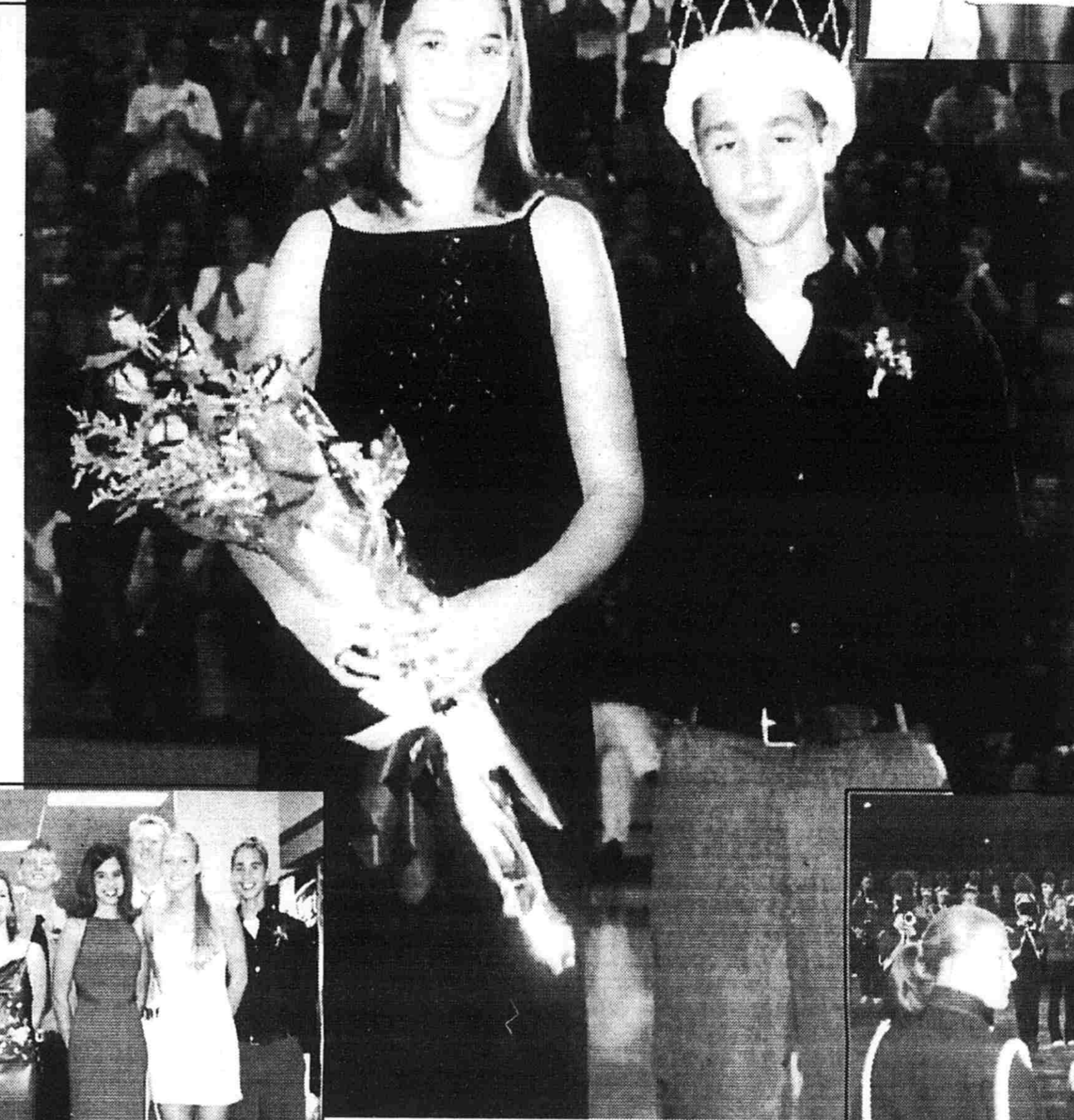
# Homecoming '99



Homecoming master and mistress of ceremonies were Bethany Fredline and Andy Oetman.



Pictured above are Lowell High School freshman, sophomore and junior class representatives: front row, left to right: Molly Kirsch, Nicole Gillikin and Ashley Cunningham; back row, left to right: Bill Harrison, Bryan Posthumus and Travis Anderson.



The 1999 Homecoming Queen and King were Elissa Kinney and Mike Armstrong.



The 1999 senior class court includes front row, left to right: Elissa Kinney, Becky Brander, Callie Boyce, Katie Johnson and Jessica Rocco; back row, left to right: Joe Giuliano, Brian Conley, Mike Rekeny, David Barry and Mike Armstrong.



The Lowell High School marching band.

## OAKWOOD CEMETERY

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## CITY OF LOWELL

### KENT COUNTY, MICHIGAN SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 99-8 ADOPTED BY THE LOWELL CITY COUNCIL ON SEPTEMBER 20, 1999

Ordinance No. 99-8 amends Section 8-46 of Division 2 of Article II of Chapter 8 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lowell to provide that (i) the Board of Cable Television shall be composed of the three members who at the time serve on the Board of Light & Power and (ii) members of the Board of Cable Television may be compensated for their services upon adoption of a resolution of the City Council establishing such compensation.

Ordinance No. 99-8 is effective ten days after the date of this publication.

David M. Pasquale  
City Clerk

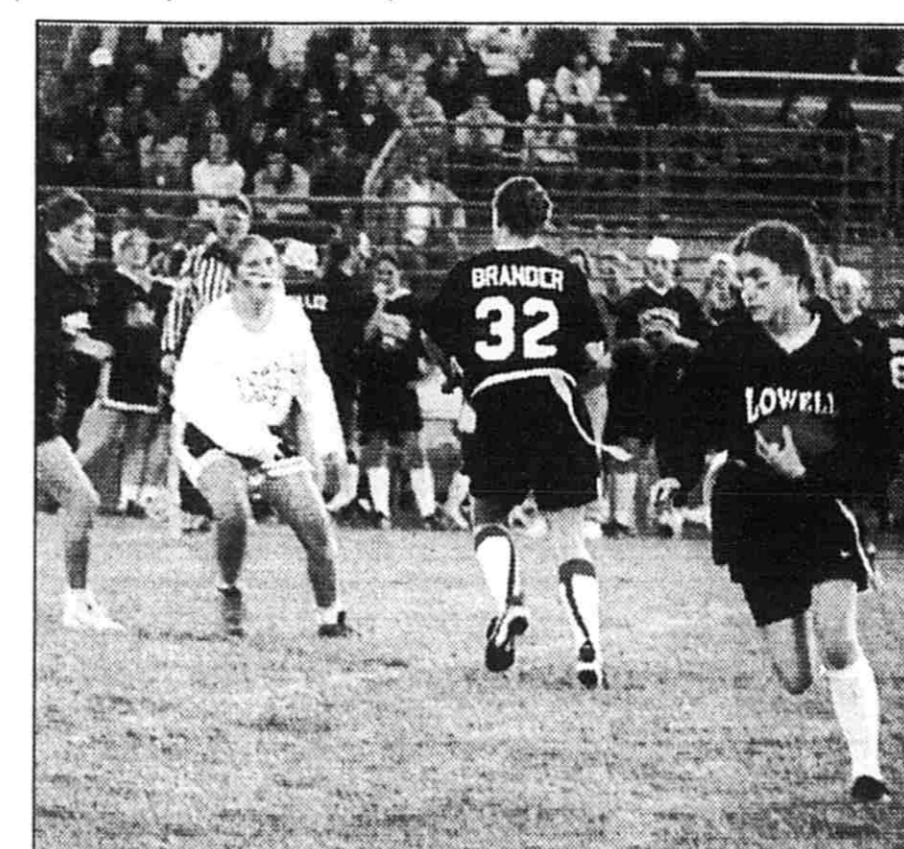
## NOTICE TO THE QUALIFIED RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF LOWELL

### THE LAST DAY FOR RECEIVING REGISTRATIONS WILL BE MONDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1999

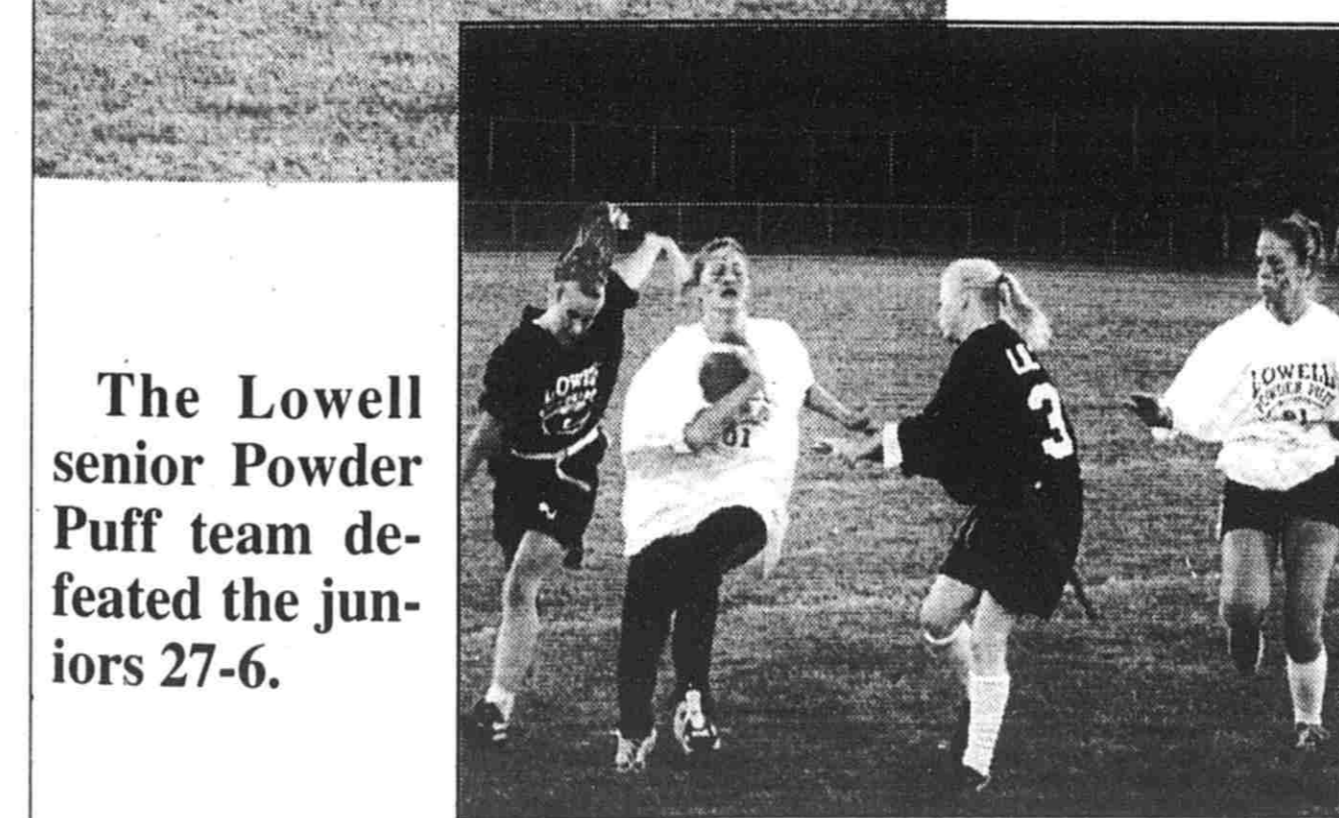
Registrations will be taken at City Hall, 301 E. Main Street, Lowell, Michigan between 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for the City General Election for the purpose of electing three (3) seats on the City Council and two (2) City Charter amendments.

Only registrations received on or before October 4, 1999 will qualify persons to vote in the City's General Election held on Tuesday, November 2, 1999.

Betty R. Morlock  
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### Powder Puff Football Packs Emotion



### The Lowell senior Powder Puff team defeated the juniors 27-6.



## Pullen's in the House

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Kenworthy successfully completed 12 weeks of training designed to challenge new Marine recruits both physically and mentally.

Kenworthy and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a.m., by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Kenworthy spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training.

They performed close order drill and operated as a small infantry unit during field training.

Kenworthy and other recruits also received instruction on the Marine Corps' core values - honor, courage and commitment, and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct.

Kenworthy and fellow

recruits ended the training phase with The Crucible, a 54-hour team effort, problem solving evolution which culminated with an emotional ceremony in which the recruits were presented the Marine Corps Emblem, and were addressed as Marines for the first time since boot camp began.

Kenworthy joins 41,000 men and women who will enter the Marine Corps this year from all over the country.

He is a 1998 graduate of Grand Rapids Christian High School of Grand Rapids.

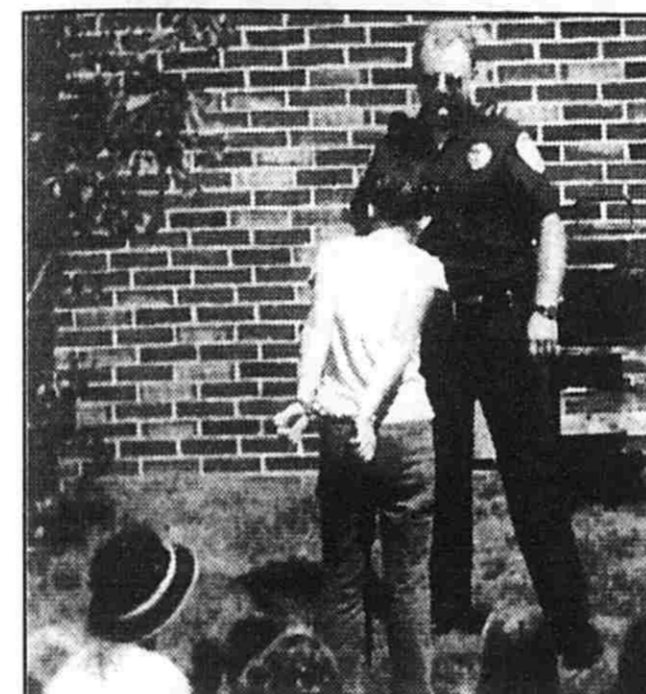
### AREA BIRTHS

sured 20 1/2 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Don and Carly Kermeen of Lowell, James and Belinda Deemter of Newaygo and Doug and Shirley Sanders of Coral.

Proud great-grandparents are Martin and Peg Deemter of Baldwin.

Scott and Kerry Sanders are pleased to announce the birth of their son Dakota Scott. He was born August 14, 1999, at 2:50 p.m. He weighed 7 lbs. 7 oz. and mea-



### Lowell P.D. make procedure call

Lowell police officers James Hinton and Trevor Slot discussed police procedures with children at the Center Court Apartments' annual picnic. The officers also gave the kids a close-up look at their police squad cars, handcuffs and other items. Their day included participating in some children's games and even taking time to taste some picnic food.

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**MURRAY LAKE GREENHOUSE** - invites you to a seminar, Sat., Oct. 2, 1-2:30 pm. on fall planting & winterizing ponds & perennials Door prizes; decorative garden fountain, \$150 value & other assorted items valued to \$100. Host: John Szymczak, Michigan Certified Nursery man & master gardener, with 22 years experience. Call to sign up, 897-7347 or visit 12745 Four Mile Rd. NE (corner of Lincoln Lake & 4 Mile Rd.)

**BIG GARAGE SALE** - Sat., Oct. 2, 8-5 p.m. Everything priced to sell. Exercise equipment, Holiday Crafts, lots of ladies clothing, plus lots of coats, like new. 2536 Lincoln Lake (5 mi. N. of Lowell).

**GARAGE SALE** - This Wed. & Thurs. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Early birds welcome. Fri., 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Everything 1/2 off or marked down. 725 Whites Bridge Rd., Lowell. Glass top dining set, \$50; table saw, \$35; dresser w/mirror back, \$60; gardening, swimming pool stuff, several rodent homes, gas grill, desk, women's shoes, size 10 & clothing 9/10-13/14 & lots of wood crafts & more.

### FOR RENT

**STORAGE UNITS** - 5 x 5 to 20 x 40, heated units available, household goods, boats, cars...you name it! Rates from \$15 per month. LANDMAN STORAGE CO. 897-8451.

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### CARD OF THANKS

**CARD OF THANKS** - Thanks to all who remembered me on my 90th birthday. Your thoughtfulness was very appreciated.

Jack Winks.

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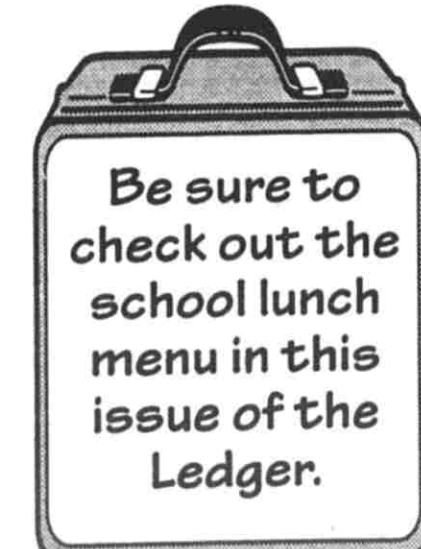
**MURRAY LAKE GREENHOUSE** - GREAT CLEARANCE SALES- Hardy mums, \$2.50; new & unique bearded iris, bird seed. Visit us for your fall perennial plantings, trees, shrubs & evergreens. Hrs: 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Tues., Wed., Thurs.; 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Mon., Fri. & Sat.; 9 a.m.-noon, Sun. (CLOSED NOON - 2 P.M. EA. DAY). Call 897-7347 or 897-2628.

**DRIVER'S LICENSE SUSPENDED OR REVOKED?** - Driver's license RESTORATION: \$750 incl. all filing fees. FREE consultation & evaluation of your case. Have a question? Call Attorney Martin Mead, 235-0330, 9-5 Mon-Fri.

**BASIC TO ADVANCED PHOTOGRAPHY CLASS** - by Roger at Modern Photographics. Beginning soon. Call for reservation & information on class. 897-5606.

### PERSONALS

**DO YOU READ** "Mothering" magazine? Do you like Dr. Sears' attachment parenting? Are you searching for other parents who are supportive of your sometimes unorthodox parenting decisions? If so, come to our discussion group. Call Kim @ 897-5257.





# MI Child offers insurance families need at price they can afford

By Thaddeus J. Kraus  
Lowell Ledger Editor

It is estimated that 150,000 Michigan families are eligible for MICHild.

Only 10,000, however, have taken advantage of the program. That statistic has Michigan Family Resources Kent County Health Department "Healthy Kids - Healthy Families" project manager Ken Van Loo scratching his head.

MICHild is a health insurance program for uninsured children of Michigan's working families. The services offered by MICHild are provided by many HMOs and other health care plans at an affordable price.

"It's been available since last summer. It's a win-win program for everybody," Van Loo explains.

That may be the catch. The deal is so good that many people may think it is too good to be true.

The program was put together in 1997 at the federal level. Congress passed the Child Health Insurance Program legislation to pay for health insurance for uninsured children. In Michigan, the state insurance program funded with these

dollars is MICHild.

Michigan has authorized a 10-year commitment and has budgeted program allocations for the next five years. While many expected working families to rush to sign up for MICHild coverage, enrollment has been sluggish. To help raise awareness and increase enrollment in MICHild, the Michigan Department of Community Health has made outreach grants to local health departments as well as provider networks and other agencies.

MICHild's coverage includes regular checkups, shots, emergency care, dental care, pharmacy, hospital care, prenatal care and delivery, vision and hearing, and mental health and substance abuse.

If a family qualifies, the monthly premium payment is \$5. "Even if the family has more than one child, they pay just \$5 a month," Van Loo said. "There are no co-pays and no deductions."

To qualify, children must be citizens of the U.S., be under 19 years old, have no health insurance and live with a family

with monthly income under: \$1,800 for a family of two; \$2,300 for a family of three; \$2,800 for a family of four; and \$3,200 for a family of five.

Back in July, Lowell's Clair and Alva Maughan, parents of four children, heard about the MICHild program for the first time.

"I learned of it through a television ad," Maughan said. "Prior to that I hadn't heard of the program."

Clair Maughan is a self-employed contractor. "We're not poverty level by any means, but the cost of health insurance is outrageous," Alva Maughan explained. "Our concern was whether we'd qualify."

Since being put on the program (Sept. 1), Maughan's have used it for their toddler's ear infection.

The Maughan family is one of 14 in the Lowell district taking advantage of the program. There are only 529 families who have signed up in Kent County.

For more information, families may call 1-888-988-6300.

## Financial Focus

With Christopher J. Bowma

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If you've just gotten married, then you're probably still basking in the excitement of your special day. And well you should — your wedding should be an experience you'll always cherish.

After you've returned from the honeymoon and opened the wedding presents, you'll want to begin your married life together on a positive note. One of the smartest things you can do is to get a grip on your finances — right from the start. Here are a few suggestions for doing just that:

- **Communicate** — Discuss your approaches to handling money. One of you may be a "spender and the other one a "saver." Develop some guidelines for resolving your differences.

- **Use one checkbook instead of two**—You'll find it easier to track your finances this way.

- **Develop a debt reduction strategy**— Decide how any debts accumulated before your marriage, such as student loans, will be handled.

- **Draw up a budget**— By setting up a realistic budget, and sticking to it, you'll reduce the likelihood of "living beyond your means."

- **Consider your life insurance needs**— If you need both your incomes to manage your household expenses, consider purchasing a life insurance policy. This may be more of an issue when you have children.

- **Manage credit wisely** — Consolidate your credit cards. Try to get by on just one card — and use it only for emergencies. Credit-card debt is one of the leading sources of financial difficulty for newlyweds — and even for people who have been married awhile.

- **Pay yourself first** — Every time you get paid, deposit a small amount into an investment vehicle, such as a mutual fund. Not only will you be building up your financial resources, but you'll also get into the "investment habit" —

which should last a lifetime.

- **Choose appropriate investments**— At this stage of your financial life, time is most likely on your side. Consequently, you may want to put most of your money into "growth" instruments, such as stocks and stock-based mutual funds. It's true that stocks are more volatile, on a day-to-day basis, than other investments. However, over the long term, stocks have historically outperformed every other financial asset. By investing relatively modest amounts of money on a regular basis into growth instruments, you have the potential to eventually achieve significant capital appreciation.

- **Take full advantage of all your savings opportunities** — If your employer offers a 401(k) or other tax-advantaged retirement plan, contribute as much as you can — and put most of your money into the "growth" funds that are offered.

As newlyweds, you have a great many things to look forward to in your lives. By developing strong budgeting, saving and investing habits right from the beginning, you will find it much easier to achieve all those goals you share together.

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From The Lowell Area Community Fund

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Identify key indicators to a healthy organization and learn to assess the health of your organization.  
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At this session, participants will understand the differences between an internal and external audience and how to create messages that appeal to both, while delivering the desired message.

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As a very interactive presentation, this session will teach members how to take a group of people and create a team.



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