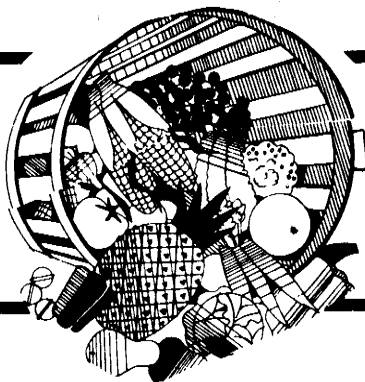


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PAGES

After 1-year freeze

Hefty salary hikes proposed at school

The Cass City Board of Education will vote on substantial pay increases for administrators and non-union employees at a special meeting slated Monday, Sept. 19, at the high school.

The recommendations of Ben Hobart and Dick Wallace, the salary committee, were presented to the board at its regular meeting Monday.

According to board policy, members of the board must receive salary proposals one week before action is taken.

The proposed increases range from 8.6 percent to 3.3 percent for administrators and 10 percent for other employees.

All of the non-union school employees have been under a one-year salary freeze and the raises suggested take that in consideration. The salary of the superintendent has been frozen for two years.

The salary of the community education director was increased by a third because his salary was

much lower than the other administrators. The increase makes his wages comparable to other principals. Because of the expanded number of persons in the adult completion program the Community Education Department is operated with payments from Federal and state tax monies and not from locally generated taxes.

Wallace told the board that part of his consideration for recommending the raises was that some of the administrators were being paid less than teachers at the top of the scale with a master's degree.

If the pay increases are granted, Cass City principals will be second to Caro in salary among area school districts. The superintendent will be paid less than Caro or Lakeland and more than Bad Axe and Marquette, according to information submitted to the board Monday. Actual salaries are shown in a chart in this issue.

In other action the board increased payment for adult high school teachers

from \$9.50 plus 25 cents incentive per hour to \$10.50 plus 25 cents incentive.

Enrichment teachers do not need to be certified and their rate was increased from \$7.00 per hour to \$7.00 for the first class, \$7.50 for the second class and \$8.00 for three classes or over.

TAX STORY

The truth in taxation hearing required by law

was held. It showed that because of increased valuation local taxes increased by 2.18 percent this year.

That means that the tax bill for district residents will be \$67,000 higher. Superintendent Donald Crouse pointed out that it did not mean that amount of increase to the school district. Under the state aid formula, he said, the amount received will be deducted from the amount the state pays the district.

Proposed salaries

	1982-83 Present	1983-84 Proposed	Percent Increase
Crossing Guard Super.	\$16.50/day	\$18.15/day	
2 Crossing Guards	\$12.00/day	\$13.15/day	
Administrators			
H.S. Guid. Counselor	\$24,850	\$28,500	14.7
H.S. Guid. & Co-op	\$24,850	\$28,500	14.7
Deford Principal	\$24,850	\$28,500	14.7
Evergreen Principal	\$24,850	\$28,500	14.7
Asst. H.S. Principal	\$26,600	\$30,500	14.6
Comm. Ed. Director	\$21,900	\$29,000 + FICA	32.3
		+ Sick Days	
Campbell Principal	\$28,738	\$32,000 + FICA	11.3
Intermediate Principal	\$29,375	\$32,000 + FICA	9
H.S. Principal	\$32,234	\$35,000 + FICA	8.6
Superintendent	\$38,067	\$42,000 + FICA	10.6

Note: FICA is Federal Insurance Contributions Act and stands for social security. Payment is 6.7 percent of \$35,700.

(Note: these salaries increased about 10 percent.)

Bookkeeper	\$15,840	\$17,500
Supt.'s Secretary	\$14,300	\$15,650
Supt.'s Office	\$5.25/hr.	\$5.75/hr.
High School Prin. Sec.	\$10,500	\$11,500
Inter. Prin. Sec.	\$5.25/hr.	\$5.75/hr.
Campbell Prin. Sec.	\$5.25/hr.	\$5.75/hr.
Deford Prin. Sec.	\$5.25/hr.	\$5.75/hr.
Comm. Ed. Secretary	\$5.05/hr.	\$5.65/hr.
Main. Supervisor	\$8.11/hr.	\$8.90/hr.
Inter. Sch. Super.	\$6.61/hr.	\$7.25/hr.
and Transportation	\$2,634	\$2,900
School Nurse	\$12,330	\$13,500 + MESSA
Campbell Cafe. (Money)	\$4.40/hr.	\$4.85/hr.
H.S. Cafe. (Money)	\$4.40/hr.	\$4.85/hr.
Inter. Cafe. (Money)	\$4.13/hr.	\$4.70/hr.
Evergreen Sec. & Cafe.	\$5.25/hr.	\$5.75/hr.

Pay off for unused sick days for the above people in excess of 70 days at 1/2 pay per unused day. The sick day allocation will be 12 days per year accumulative to 70 days.

Franchises, fire protection win; library tax loses

Detroit Edison and fire protection in Greenleaf Township were the winners in Tuesday elections.

In Elkland Township, the vote in favor of renewing the utility company's 30-year franchise was 17-1. The 18 voters were only .89 percent (89 one-hundredths of 1 percent) of the 2,014 registered voters in the township.

The turnout was better in Owendale, where 17 voters -- 13.6 percent of the 125 registered -- voted unanimously to renew the 30-year

franchise with Detroit Edison.

The utility paid for the costs of the two elections.

In Greenleaf Township, renewal of 1 mill for five years for fire protection was approved, 42-16.

A millage increase of .3 mill for five years for Rawson Memorial Library services, officially to establish a library fund, was defeated 51-7.

Sixty persons voted, which is 17 percent of the approximately 350 persons registered in the township.

TISD Supt. Bruce Dunn said the proposals weren't offered until the end of the

session, so they will be studied for the next bargaining session.

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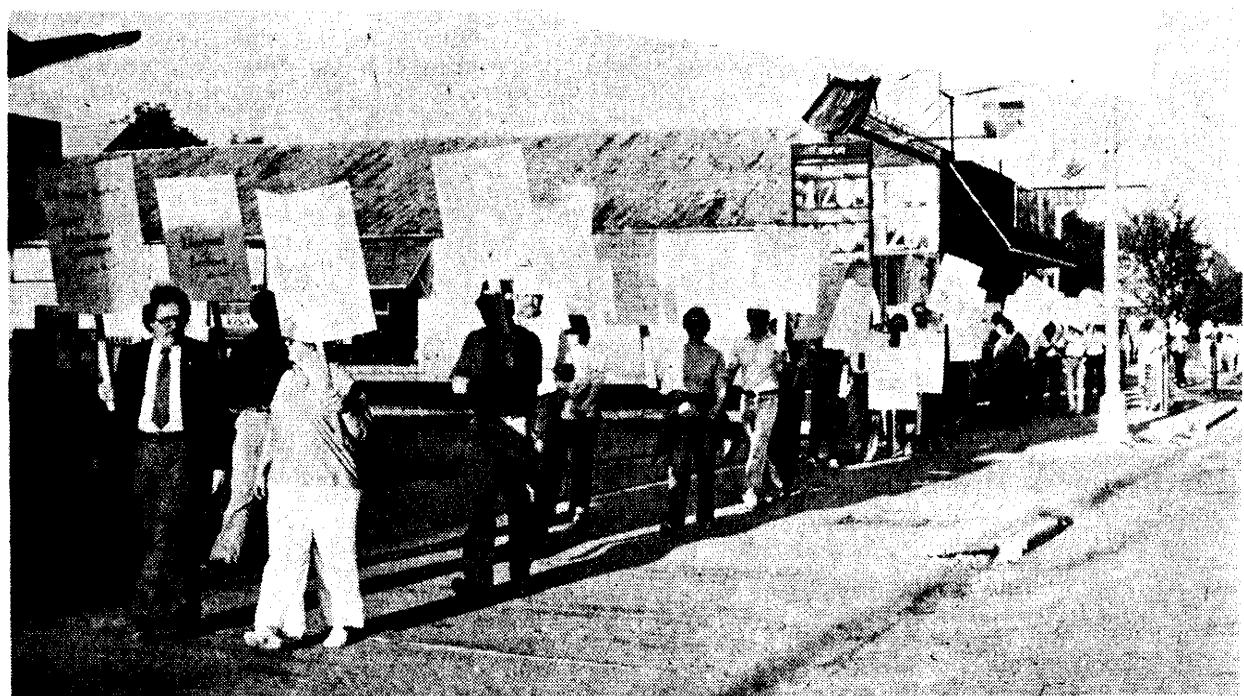
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"MARCH FOR EXCELLENCE" -- About 80 Thumb area teachers carrying signs supporting excellence in education marched from their rally in the Cass City Recreation Park last Thursday to the Michigan Education Association office at the other end of town. (Story on page 3.)

State board to decide 3 O-G property transfers

The state Board of Education's hearing officer has recommended to that one requested property transfer remain in the Owendale-Gagetown School District, one be transferred from Owen-Gage to Elkton-Pigeon Bay Port and one be transferred back from E-P-BP to Owen-Gage.

The recommendations of Raymond L. Godmer based on hearings conducted in Lansing June 29, were presented to the Owen-Gage School Board Monday evening.

Supt. Ronald Erickson speculated the state board will act on Godmer's recommendations, that is, approve or deny the transfers, at its October meeting.

The transfer requests date back to 1975 and 1976, but the state board postponed action pending resolution of the Goslin property transfer case. One of the purposes of Godmer's recent hearing was to update the information.

The three cases are:

1) Dietzel, et. al, which involved the request of nine property owners to transfer their property from Owen-Gage to E-P-BP. State equalized valuation of the parcels involved is \$1,024,900. Two school age children are involved.

Godmer recommended the properties stay in Owen-Gage because of "lack of continued interest" by the petitioners, "children of the main appellant have graduated," the children still involved attend Owen-Gage schools now or are willing to do so and the transfer would hurt Owen-Gage financially.

2) Shaper et. al. involves five property owners, whose property was unwillingly transferred from Owen-Gage to E-P-BP as part of the large Elenbaum transfer in 1975. They want it transferred back. State equalized valuation is \$544,900. No school age children are involved.

Because no school age

children are involved, Godmer said, "there are no sound educational reasons to warrant a retention of this area in the E-P-BP School District."

The transfer back to Owen-Gage, he also noted, would help it financially, plus all but one of the parcels are close to Owendale.

3) Richard Welchner is the only property owner involved. State equalized valuation is \$55,600 and two school-age children are involved.

Godmer recommended the property be transferred to E-P-BP because Welchner has had two children graduate from there and he has requested transfer of

only 10 of his 80 acres to reduce the valuation loss to Owen-Gage.

Although Owen-Gage offered to make arrangements to have the children take classes at E-P-BP or Unionville-Sebewaing that they can't get at Owen-Gage, Godmer felt that would be an inconvenience, which would be eliminated by the transfer.

In addition to those three transfer cases, Godmer will conduct a hearing Friday on a fourth case, the appeal by Harold Seibel on his request to transfer his 10 acres from Owen-Gage to Unionville-Sebewaing.

The case dates back to 1976. The Huron and Tus-

cola Intermediate School District boards of Education never acted on his request, which meant it was automatically appealed to the state board.

SEWER RELOCATION

The board decided to seek additional bids to relocate the sewer pipe at the elementary school.

When the present one, which runs under the gymnasium floor, became clogged, it leaked, which caused part of the gym floor to swell.

The new sewer pipe will run from the new part of Please turn to page 4.

Two 'critical' from Caro house fire

A child playing with a cigarette lighter was the apparent cause of a house fire in Caro Friday that resulted in severe injuries to three occupants and sent a total of six persons to hospitals.

In the burn unit at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw is Pat Kersey, reported in critical condition Wednesday morning. Her 1-year-old son, Richard, was reported in serious condition and Dustin Sockow, also 1, was critical. The two boys are in the intensive care unit.

The three were reported

suffering from severe smoke inhalation, plus Ms. Kersey was burned extensively.

Released from Caro Community Hospital during the week end were Sheila Sockow, 21, Richard's mother, and Robert Kersey, 3, Ms. Kersey's son. Both suffered from smoke inhalation and Ms. Sockow also had a cut foot.

Caro fireman Jeff Bago-cious was treated for smoke inhalation and released from the Caro hospital.

The Caro Fire Depart-

ment was called to the fire on Burnside Street at 9:36 a.m. The Elkland Township Fire Department was called at 9:40 and the Mayville and Fairgrove departments were also summoned to assist.

The home was divided into upstairs and downstairs apartments. All the occupants were downstairs.

Caro Fire Chief Dave Mattlin said apparently a child playing with a cigarette lighter started the fire. Damage to the house and contents has been estimated at \$55,000.

LIBRARY GAINS

Because the school has received permission to hire non-certified persons for non-teaching positions in the library in the elementary and intermediate schools will be open more hours.

Two clerks will be hired at \$4.50 per hour to check books in and out, repair books and assist in cataloging and marking books.

They are expected to free the certified librarian for more time for instruction.

However, that was computed on today's cost of oil and gas. Trustee Louis Horner said that if the saving was in the price of fuel rather than in the efficiency of the new unit that the money should not be spent.

He pointed out that the price of oil and gas is rapidly becoming equal and that estimated savings would not occur.

A further study will be made and action taken at a later meeting.

The recent road work south of the Intermediate School has made the parking lot higher than the sidewalk. The board authorized the reconstruction of the area affected.

Everything is still outstanding.

By mutual agreement, he said, it was decided to request the services of a state mediator. The TCBA will contact the mediator, and it will be up to him to arrange a meeting with both sides.

A mediator, Gordon Lee, met for the first time Friday with the two sides involved in the Tuscola Intermediate School District

(TISD) negotiations. According to TCBA chief negotiator Penny Letts, the mediator felt there were too many issues unsettled for him to be of benefit in helping reach an agreement.

Lee met briefly with the two sides together so they could agree on what issues they disagreed about and then served as go-between when the two sides were separated.

After Lee made his pro-

ouncement, the two sides agreed to meet again Monday of this week.

The latest session lasted about three hours. Michigan Education Association representative Lee Longfield said the TCBA made several proposals to the school board negotiators, but received "no response."

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Mediator sought in Cass City

The only agreement so far in various teacher negotiations has been that the service of a state mediator is needed.

Latest to join the list is in Cass City.

Negotiations there Tuesday lasted "a couple of hours," according to Tri-County Bargaining Association chief negotiator Fred Gerhardt.

Some issues were discussed, but nothing was set-

tled. "Everything is still outstanding."

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MULE TRAIN -- Newlyweds Bob Erla and Brenda Langenburg received an unusual send-off Saturday. The bride's father, Louis Langenburg, drove them and the wedding party around Cass City on his wagon pulled by mules. The wedding was held in Gagetown. The wagon ride started from the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Erla, on N. Seeger Street.



DARWIN AND KIMBERLY FARNUM

Kimberly Ann Goble, daughter of Jean Bennett of Ypsilanti and Jack Goble of Lexington, Ky., and Darwin James Farnum, son of Willis and June Farnum of Owendale, were united in marriage Aug. 6 at the First United Presbyterian Church of Ypsilanti.

Rev. Laurence Woodruff performed the double ring ceremony.

Gloria Laughlin, sister of the groom, was soloist. She was accompanied by organist Ronald Miller as she sang "There Is Love" and "One Hand, One Heart."

Patricia Price of Ypsilanti, friend of the bride, was maid of honor. Kathy Johnson of Lexington, step-sister of the bride, was bridesmaid.

Jerry Laughlin of Caseville, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Randall Howard of Owendale and Scott Tuckey

Baptist women hear poems

The Baptist Women's Fellowship met Monday evening at the First Baptist Church with 17 present.

Mrs. Clyde Wells presided over the business meeting. Prayer time for missionaries was led by Mrs. Mary Jane Warner who also read a letter from the Jim Evanses, who are missionaries in Argentina.

Devotions led by Mrs. Wells included a poem, "A Midnight Prayer for a Teen-Age Son" by Mrs. Richard Shaw and a poem, "A Midnight Prayer for a Teen-Age Daughter," by Mrs. Wells.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Olive Stark.

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Matthew Finkbeiner, attached to the Navy ship USS Vancouver, spent a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner, his aunt, Pat Holland, and family of Sebewaing and other friends and relatives in Gagetown and Owendale.

Dennis and Gloria Schulz of Ubyl announce the birth of a daughter, Kali Mc. She was born Saturday, Aug. 27, at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe. Her maternal grandmother is Hazel McIlhargie of Kinde and paternal grandparents are Vernon and Elva Schulz of Cass City.

Stan Guinther and daughter, Sandy Guinther, attended the Michigan State-Colorado football game Saturday. They were accompanied to East Lansing by Rona Hillaker, who visited Cindy Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stilson were in Cleveland, Ohio, from Saturday until Monday attending a hardware convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kitchen had as Sunday dinner guests, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kitchen, his grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Moore, and his cousin, Donny Vollmar, all of Caro.

The Elmwood Missionary Circle will meet Wednesday, Sept. 21, at the home of Mrs. Preston Karr.

Mrs. Marion Whitefoot accompanied her brother, Willis Brown, to Detroit Thursday. They returned to Cass City Friday, bringing with them their brother, Emmerson Brown, who is with Mrs. Whitefoot.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blades spent from Sept. 2-6 with their sons, John Blades at South Lyon and Edw. Blades at Canton.

Sharon Groth of Phoenix, Ariz., visited friends in Cass City Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Laura Lenzner and her father, Fred Jaus, of Bad Axe were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Jack Esau home.

Jack Esau and daughter Anne returned home Sunday night from West Germany where Jack had spent two weeks and Anne had been the guest of Joerg Tritschler and his mother at Lausenburg, W. Germany. During Mr. Esau's stay he and Anne toured Italy, France and Switzerland. Anne Esau returns to East Lansing this week to begin her senior year at MSU.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cook for the Labor Day weekend were their daughter, Miss Rose Cook of Perry and Mrs. Maude Rolston of Goodrich, sister of Mr. Cook.

Labor Day supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cook were Mr. and Mrs. William Haley of Bad Axe and Mrs. Mary Beardsley of Cass City along with Miss Rose Cook and Mrs. Maude Rolston.

Recent overnight guests of Lloyd and Wilma Finkbeiner were Marcia Bradley of Lakeland, Fla., and Janetia Sowden of Clarkston. Marcia had spent a month in Traverse City with her son Tom and was en route to New Hampshire to visit her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sowden of Clarkston were callers Labor Day of her sister and husband, Lloyd and Wilma Finkbeiner. Jim was in Cass City to visit his mother, Mrs. Minnie Sowden, who is hospitalized at Hills and Dales.

Baptized at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in worship services Sunday was Jason Alan Rogers, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Rogers. Sponsors were Debbie Broecker and David Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nicholas and family of Kawkawlin were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Garrison Stine home.

Those from this area who attended the surprise celebration Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Evans on Hoppe Road were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagg, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lounsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barriger, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wiles and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury. Relatives and friends were celebrating Evans' 70th birthday.

Rodney Hutchinson and friend, Eileen Huhmann, of Kansas City, Mo., were with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchinson, over the Labor Day weekend. Tuesday, Sept. 6, they left for the Snokey Mountains. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchinson returned home Sunday evening. En route home, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Ware in Shelbyville, Ind. Other Sunday dinner guests in the Alvin Hutchinson home Sept. 4 were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tuckey, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wiles and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim (Marilyn Guinther) Young of Caro have moved into their new home at Hurds Corner and Dutcher Roads, which was recently built.

The Book Club met Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. H. T. Donahue.



Agatha and Muri LaFave

Mr. and Mrs. Muri LaFave of Owendale celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Saturday, Sept. 3, in Grand Rapids, with their children, spouses and grandchildren.

They are Mr. and Mrs. Dennis LaFave, Jared and Stephanie, Wheaton, Ill.; Mrs. Lynette Weatherhead and Brooke, Flushing; Robert and Marsha Potter, Grand Rapids, and Curt and Kathy Berkenpas, Grand Rapids.

Following dinner at Brann's restaurant, they were entertained by singer Tootsie (Ruth Russell) at the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel, who is originally from the Gagetown area.

LaFave and Agatha

Visitors Sept. 6 at the home of Mrs. Mary Kirtan were Mrs. Alma Boldt of Palms and her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Clellan of Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Bartle were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Hartley at Pontiac and in the afternoon attended open house for James Dey, hosted by his wife. Dey has recently qualified for his pilot's license. The Dey's are neighbors of the Bartles at their cottage at Houghton Lake.

Forty-two were present Sept. 7 for a ham dinner in the dining room of Salem UM Church which preceded the Dorcas Women's group meeting. Following the business women worked on articles for the bazaar which will be held in November.

David Kitchen returned to Ann Arbor last week to begin his junior year at the University of Michigan. He is a student in the college of literature, science and the arts. David is the son of Ben Kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Lorentzen of Mt. Morris were Saturday luncheon guests of his mother, Mrs. Don Lorentzen.

Mel Rienstra of Bradenton, Fla., returned home last Wednesday after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rienstra.



Blanche and Leonard Copeland

The children of Leonard and Blanche Copeland will conduct an open house Saturday in honor of their parents' 50th wedding anniversary.

The event will be from 2-6 p.m. at the Kingston Veterans of Foreign Wars hall, 3719 Ross Street.

Copeland and Blanche Bell Vance were married Sept. 16, 1933, in Caro.

They lived on a farm eight miles east of Cass City for four years, then bought the John B. Vance farm on Hadley Road, Cass City, in 1939, the homestead where Mrs. Copeland was born.

They built a house there in 1940 and a barn in 1945.

The Copelands have been racing horses for 35 years. They have two racing at Northville Downs and are racing three themselves at county fairs. They are members of the Michigan Harness Horsemen's Association, and the Northern

Michigan Fair and Racing Association and the U.S. Trotting Association. Copeland, 72, still drives in the races.

The couple has four children: Stuart Copeland, Kingston; Wilda Miller, Inverness, Fla.; Carol Betzold, Cass City, and Donald Copeland, Cass City; eight grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

The Copelands spend their winters in Inverness, where they own a home.

The great Gothic cathedral of Milan was started in 1386. It wasn't completed until 1805.

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Hills and Dales Schedule of Events OPEN TO GENERAL PUBLIC Sept. 18 thru Sept. 24

EVENT	DATE	TIME	PLACE
Drs. Isterabadi and Donahue	Sept. 21	8-12 a.m.	Out Patient Clinic
Expectant Parent Class	Sept. 22	7-9 p.m.	Lg. Meeting Room
Dr. Jeung	Sept. 23	8-12 a.m.	Out Patient Clinic

A clinic is available in the Ambulatory Care Center Fri. 8-8:30 p.m., Sat. 2:30-8:30 p.m. and Sun. 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

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Physical and Respiratory Therapy scheduled on an Out Patient basis as ordered by your physician.

Michael Lupinski, Speech Therapist, is scheduled by appointment.

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Engagement announced

Grace L. Parker of Cass City announces her engagement to James L. Hoe of Hawaii.

Hoe is a minister and a part-time dentist. The wedding will be in the near future. Mrs. Parker will then be moving to Hawaii.

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Spotting slurs

By Jim Fitzgerald



Last Tuesday night on national TV, sportscaster Vin Scully called Yankee outfielder Dave Winfield "daddy longlegs." Was that a racial slur?

A daddy longlegs is an insect—a spider, scorpion, mite or other member of the Arachnida class. I had to look it up in the dictionary. I used to think a daddy longlegs was someone with long legs who could dance like Fred Astaire. I think Astaire made a movie in which he was nicknamed Daddy Longlegs. Maybe Vin Scully was similarly confused.

Or maybe Scully called Winfield daddy longlegs because Winfield is black and Scully believes that in the evolutionary chain, black people are fewer long-legged steps away than white people from being spiders.

The Rev. Joseph Lowery, head of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, so far hasn't called a press conference to urge Scully to apologize for calling

ling Winfield daddy longlegs.

So the question might be asked: Is it a bigger racial slur to be called a monkey than an insect?

When another TV sportscaster, Howard Cosell, called Alvin Garrett, a black football player, a "little monkey," Lowery immediately called for an apology. Cosell balked, denying the racial slur charge and insisting he was complimenting Garrett on his swift running.

As for Dave Winfield, although he does have unusually long legs, I would never call him daddy longlegs. To me, he seems more like a mammoth than a mite.

Earlier this summer, on TV, I saw Winfield do something that stuck in my mind because it personified the almighty status of the superstar athlete. After making the third out of an inning by being thrown out at first base, Winfield headed directly for his defensive position. But first he had to shed some batting equipment, and he did it with a magnificently imperious gesture.

Winfield didn't take off his batting helmet and throw it toward the dugout, as most players do in similar circumstances. And he didn't hand it to someone headed in that direction to deliver for him. As he walked toward left field, Winfield simply jerked his head backward and the helmet fell to the ground behind him. He didn't look back. He knew someone would pick up his helmet and take proper care of it until he needed it again.

I was reminded of an em-

peror letting his royal robe fall for a servant to retrieve. To call the mighty Dave Winfield a spider because he has long legs is the same as calling Babe Ruth a beetle because he was rotund. Ruth was a bear or a bull, but he was no more an insect than Winfield is.

So Vin Scully's description wasn't apt, but was it racist? And was Howard Cosell slurring Alvin Garrett's race, or simply mouthing one more weary cliché? I'm inclined to declare the two sportscasters guilty of sloppy windiness, but innocent of racism, conscious or otherwise.

But it should be admitted that I may not be very good at spotting racial slurs. Recently I thought I read a glaringly racist sentence on the front page of the Detroit News, but apparently no one agreed with me. So if I see slurs where they aren't, maybe I don't see them where they are.

The News, in trying to describe the late Msgr. Clement Kern as a compassionate priest who helped people of the lowest circumstances, said: "His Corktown ministry encompassed the Hispanic, blacks and drunks."

I thought the juxtaposition was unfortunate, although unconscious. To be a drunk is to have an addiction that you're too sick to shake. It is not the same as being Hispanic or black.

I expected the News to suffer a slight public protest, or at least an indignant letter to the editor. But there was neither. Did I see a slur that wasn't there? Did the Rev. Lowery do the same thing in the case of Howard Cosell's remark?



MICHIGAN EDUCATION ASSOCIATION President Larry Chunovich addressed teachers from throughout the upper Thumb at a rally in the Lions Club pavilion in the Cass City Recreation Park last Thursday. (Another photo on page 1.)

Teacher pep rally supports education

Approximately 80 teachers representing most upper Thumb school districts gathered in Cass City last Thursday evening to demonstrate their "concern for quality educational programs and staffing" and also to hear a pep talk concerning contract negotiations.

Featured speaker was new Michigan Education Association President Larry Chunovich.

Represented were 17 of the 19 MEA locals affiliated with the Tri-County Bargaining Association, of which 11 are currently involved in contract negotiations (a 12th, Akron-Fairgrove, has settled) plus one non-TCBA affiliated local.

Chunovich, who earlier in the day visited MEA locals in the Detroit and Flint areas which are on strike, told the gathering that Michigan has lost 10,000 teachers over the past three or four years due to declining enrollment and finances. Lost, he suggested, was an opportunity for improved education through smaller class sizes.

"The economy is starting to turn around," he continued, and the number of teacher contract settlements is ahead of a year ago. "I would like to start the school year with every teacher working with a con-

tract."

As of last Thursday, there were 21 teacher strikes in Michigan, of which 20 involve MEA locals.

Chunovich, on leave from teaching math in the Southfield schools, then turned to teacher pay. He cited a Carnegie Foundation report that said teacher salaries are, in his words, "deplorable." Education can't compete, he continued, when starting teachers receive \$12,000-14,000 annually and comparable positions in business and industry pay a starting wage of \$23,000-28,000.

The MEA president was most vocal about school boards choosing to devote increasing revenues to building up their savings rather than using it for salaries. "We cannot tolerate school boards building equities on the backs of our (MEA) members. We're not going to have teachers subsidize the education of our children."

"Our only demand is fair and equitable contracts," he added.

Chunovich drew murmurs from his audience when he told them if he were teaching in Southfield this year, with 17 years' experience and a master's degree, he would be making \$36,000. (Tops in the upper Thumb is less than \$30,000, according to TCBA Presi-

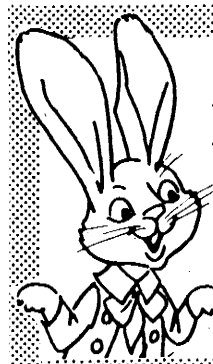
dent Penny Letts.

He said of the districts where there have been settlements this year, the average pay increase has been 5 percent annually, with some going as high as 8-9 percent.

Teachers can't settle for such things as larger classes and inequitable pay, he said, but those were only some of his concerns. "I can't emphasize enough our concern for quality of education."

The gathering was held in the Lions Club pavilion in the village park. Other speakers were Mrs. Letts, a Harbor Beach teacher and TCBA chief negotiator in the Tuscola Intermediate School District; Kingston Education Association President Fred Gerhardt, TCBA chief negotiator in Cass City, and Crosswell-Lexington Education Association President John Sprowl, TCBA chief negotiator in Deckerville and Sandusky.

Carrying signs proclaiming such things as "Time to rebuild education in the Thumb" and "Our students deserve the best," the teachers, led by Chunovich and Letts, then marched approximately a mile to the MEA office at the west end of Cass City, where hot dogs and other refreshments were served.



Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

The buildings are filling up. There will be an opening announcement for a concern that is taking over the former Federated Store in Cass City in the near future.

An unconfirmed rumor is that a new concern will take over the store at the corner of Main and Sherman Streets.

That's four new businesses in the space of a few short weeks.

The recession must be over.

There's a movement around town to form a caravan to see Brewster Shaw off on his space flight Oct. 28. The question that immediately arises is how close will the well wishers get to the blast off?

No matter, I guess, if Cass Cityans can't get close it's the spirit of it all that counts, isn't it?

In case you can't make it and would like to send along your best regards, you can sign a scroll saying "bon voyage to astronaut Brewster Shaw and the rest of the crew of Columbia-Spacelab 1."

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Two given sentences

Two Cass City men were sentenced Monday in Tuscola County District Court by Judge Richard F. Kern.

Craig M. Ryland, 30, of 4242 S. Seeger, was placed on probation for one year for driving with a blood alcohol content of .10 or higher in Cass City June 18. He pleaded guilty to the charge Aug. 9.

Ryland was fined \$160, assessed \$165 court costs and is to pay \$50 restitution to the county mental health agency.

He is to enroll in the Alcohol Highway Safety Education program, an alcohol self-help group and receive counseling from the county Health Department.

Ryland's driver's license was suspended for six months except for driving to and from work and the counseling and education sessions.

William D. Hennessey, 32, of 6181 E. Milligan Road was placed on probation for one year for impaired driving July 3 in Caro. He pleaded guilty to the charge Aug. 23.

He was fined \$160, assessed \$165 court costs and is to pay \$50 restitution to mental health. Hennessey is to enroll in the Alcohol Highway Safety Education program and receive counseling at the Health Department.

His driver's license was suspended for three months except for driving to and from work and the education and counseling sessions.

The Haire Net.



When Cass City plays Ortonville Brandon it may well be of concern only to the most rabid fan.

If form is followed, the Hawks will not be in contention for the play-offs and the Thumb B Association crown will have been decided.

But for many of the athletes in the late '40's and early '50's the game will have a special significance.

That's because the coach at Brandon is Art Paddy. Art who? You wouldn't be asking if you were around town during the years that Paddy was the basketball, football and track coach.

There may be only a couple of handfuls of men

around town now who played under Paddy. Yet, time after time when the bull sessions start among fathers and grandfathers the name Paddy comes up.

Part of that is nostalgia. Sure. After all, it was a heyday for winning athletic teams at Cass City.

The school posted championships in all the sports offered during those years. . . . basketball, baseball, football and track. And when the teams occasionally slipped a little they finished no worse than second.

Paddy's tenure here was at the end of an era. Belonging to a team was a status symbol then. Students turned out for games and not just because the teams were winning.

Paddy was a coach for the times. He was dedicated. He established standards and never deviated from them.

He left here to go to Bay City Central and left there voluntarily because basketball played second fiddle to Central's great football teams.

Since then he's moved around. He left another school coaching job, I've been told, because of a dispute with a school board member about who was going to play on his teams.

He's had success. He took Orchard Lake St. Mary's to the state championship in football and had a semi-finalist in basketball.

It's not surprising that after 30-plus years in the business Paddy's still coaching. That's where his heart is.

Paddy still ranks his great basketball teams in the early '50's among his best. Right there with his semi-finalists.

But it's not for the record that Paddy has a special niche with many of his players. More than any other coach that's been here, I hear his former players speaking of him with admiration and affection.

In Cass City at least, Paddy checks out at 100 percent with most of his players.

That made him a real winner and would have even if his teams hadn't won most everything in sight.

The weather

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The Regular Meeting of Village Council

The regular meeting of the Cass City Village Council was held Aug. 29, 1983 at 7:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building. All Trustees were present.

Wes Raven of Detroit Edison Company was present and submitted draft copies, for the council's review, of a proposed franchise agreement between the Village of Cass City and the Detroit Edison Company. He then requested to be put on the agenda of the Oct. 25, 1983 meeting to receive approval and to establish a special election.

Jim Hovey of Rural Housing Corporation was present to discuss the possible purchase of 3 acres of property located in the southeast part of the Village for the purpose of constructing a 24 unit Senior Citizens Complex. He requested a letter stating that the Village would support such a project, the availability of sewer and water, current zoning and a 12 month or 2 six month purchase options on the 3 acres in the amount of \$24,000.00. A motion was made by Trustee Helwig and supported by Trustee Weaver to authorize such a letter with the option to purchase subject to approval of legal counsel. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays (letter attached).

A motion was made by Trustee Ware and supported by Trustee Hampshire to adjourn into an executive session to discuss labor negotiations with the F.O.P. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Stahlbaum and supported by Trustee McIntosh that the Executive Session be adjourned and the regular session be called back to order. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Helwig and supported by Trustee Hampshire to ratify a 3 year contract with the F.O.P. with no increases in fringe benefits, 5% wage increase each of the three years and 2 language changes effective May 1, 1983. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

Minutes of the regular July meeting and the special meeting of August 15, 1983 were approved as presented.

The July financial statement was reviewed.

The Treasurer's report was reviewed showing 90.1% of taxes collected to date.

The Parks and Recreation Committee recommended that the Village allow the reserving of the pavilion located in the northern part of the park on a 1 year trial basis effective Jan. 1, 1984 at a rate of \$25.00 for people outside the Village and \$12.50 for residents of the Village with the revenue to be used for the purchase of picnic tables. A motion was made by Trustee Hampshire and supported by Trustee Stahlbaum to accept the recommendation. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Weaver and supported by Trustee McIntosh to purchase 1 aluminum and 2 wood picnic tables for display in the park. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Helwig and supported by Trustee McIntosh to send a letter to Len Zulewski, Mich. Department of Natural Resources, requesting a time extension of 180 days for the submis-

sion of engineering plans or final closure plans for the sanitary landfill. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays (letter attached).

A copy of resolution by the Novesta Township was read to the council. (attached) For the record the council would like to state, that: 1. The landfill is locally operated and is not used or controlled by the Tuscola County Solid Waste Commission. Commercial haulers are not allowed to use the landfill. 2. We have received no complaints from the residents on Cemetery Road as to rubbish along the roadway. 3. D.N.R. states that there is no contamination of ground water but the need for a liner is mandated by law under Act. 641.

A motion was made by Trustee Ware and supported by Trustee Hampshire to proceed with the engineering for a lift station and sanitary sewer extensions to be located at the south end of Sherman Street. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

The Council requested that the Public Utilities Committee along with the Village Superintendent and W.W.T.P. Superintendent establish a schedule for a public open house of the new W.W.T.P.

The Superintendent's report was reviewed.

The revised 1983 budget was briefly reviewed. Action on the revised budget is to be taken at the next regular meeting.

A letter was read from Ed Ratz, bidder on the Bauman house, stating that he is withdrawing his bid.

A motion was made by Trustee Ware and supported by Trustee Hampshire to accept the next highest bid from Gary Czekai of Cass City in the amount of \$257.00 with an extension of 30 days for removal. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

First Michigan Cable TV has begun the extension of service to Northwood Village and Estates.

A letter was read from Hills and Dales Picnic Committee expressing their thanks to the Village Employees for the "Little Extras" which made the day of their annual picnic an enjoyable one.

The Management and Employees of the Village of Cass City received an award of merit from the Water Pollution Control Federation for an excellent safety record in 1982.

A motion was made by Trustee Stahlbaum and supported by Trustee Weaver that the regular bills be approved for payment. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Stahlbaum and supported by Trustee Ware that the final bill to Weber Construction in the amount of \$66,559.80 be approved. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

A letter was received from the Department of Transportation stating that Oak Street from Main to Pine and Pine St. from Seeger to Oak have been reclassified from local to major streets.

A motion was made by Trustee Helwig and supported by Trustee Hampshire to adjourn. Motion carried 6 years, 0 nays.

Joyce A. LaRoche
Village Clerk

Enrollment up at Owen-Gage

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the building outside around the kitchen to the septic tank.

Elementary Principal Bill Britt reported on efforts to fix the floor by cutting slits to allow it to settle, which it has begun to do. He is afraid once the heat is turned on, the slits will open again.

Until the gym floor is back to normal, the board okayed playing of girls' junior high basketball games in the high school gym.

The high school gym floor has a large bubble in it. It has had it since a pipe broke a couple of years ago and that part of the floor was flooded, Erickson reported, but the swelling goes down each year by November.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL

Classes started Wednesday, Aug. 24.

"I think we started school too early..." board member Joseph Warack commented. "I haven't heard anyone who approached me who said they liked it." Their preference, he said, was to start after Labor Day.

He suggested putting a questionnaire in the school newsletter asking parents when they would like school to resume.

It was then mentioned that the Michigan High School Commission, in a list of recommendations released earlier that day, proposed lengthening the school year to 200 days. (State law now says a minimum of 180.) That would, of course, have a big effect on when school starts.

The commission also made recommendations about course requirements.

High School Principal

Wayne Wright said he wants to form a committee composed of board members, teachers, parents and student leaders, "to look at our graduation requirements... We need to evaluate those changes that are happening in education."

He said he would like the committee to meet once a month and have its recommendations ready for the board by May or June next year.

OTHER ITEMS

The board set the debt millage at 3.0 mills, which is 5 less than was levied in 1982. The operating millage is 26.75, for a total of 29.75 mills for end-of-the-year tax bills.

The preliminary enrollment count is 392 students, five more than last year. There are 212 in grades K-6 (211 last year), 61 in 7-8 (55) and 119 in 9-12 (121).

The district is going to have to buy two new buses, Erickson said.

The request of a high school junior to take only four classes, instead of the normal six, and work on his family's farm was discussed by the board. The present policy only allows seniors to take four classes and work. Wright will meet with the boy again and with his parents.

Purchase of new tops and skirts for varsity cheerleaders and new tops for junior varsity cheerleaders was approved. Total cost will be \$419.

A contract with new band teacher Alan Angelloff was approved.

Student of the month is Gary Erickson.



CASS CITY LIVESTOCK CLUB members who received trophies or grand and reserve champion ribbons at the Tuscola County Fair were, front row, from left, Steve Tuckey, Shannon Roach, JoLynn Schoch, Bill Little. Back row, Paul Tuckey, Tammy Roach, Deanna Hutchinson, Steve Cooklin, John Schoch. The prizes were displayed at last Thursday's buyers dinner.

Cass City Livestock Club hosts buyers of livestock

The Cass City Livestock Club held its third annual buyers' dinner last Thursday at the Wilber Memorial Building on the fairgrounds in Caro.

Purpose of the dinner was to thank buyers of the club members' animals at this year's Tuscola County Fair.

Anyone who would like to join the club is invited to its meeting Thursday, Oct. 6, starting at 7:30 p.m. in the vo-ag room at the Cass City Intermediate School.

New members will be received and officers elected.

Request mediator

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to when he can meet with them, according to TCBA chief negotiator Bob Gengler.

Gengler has the same

role at Owendale-Gagetown. He said Wednesday, Sept. 21, one of two dates proposed by Supt. Ronald Erickson, has been confirmed as the next bargaining session.

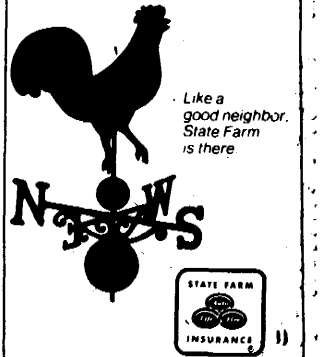
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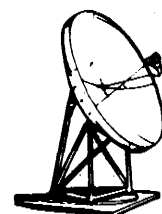
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Township group sets meeting

The Michigan Townships Association (MTA) is conducting an all-day educational session for township officials Wednesday, Sept. 21, at the Colony House on M-53, Cass City.

The meeting is part of MTA's annual fall district tour, which brings MTA staff and other resource people to township officials in the southern half of Michigan's lower peninsula.

The Cass City meeting is open to township officials from Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties.

The morning session, which begins at 9, will consist of a three-hour update on recent changes in state law, legislative activity, court decisions and attorney general opinions that are particularly relevant to townships.

Leading the morning session will be MTA Executive Director John La Rose, Director of Education Larry Merrill and Public Affairs Officer Pat Skelding.

The theme of the district tour, "Taking Care of Business," is reflected in three concurrent afternoon workshops which start at 1.

Larry Merrill and Pat Skelding of the MTA staff will teach a workshop designed to help township officials conduct effective board meetings. MTA Accounting Consultant Al Blankenship will lead a session on recent changes in the property tax collection law. At the third workshop, staff from the State Assessors Board will conduct a three-hour assessor's renewal program.

Registration will be from 8:15-9.

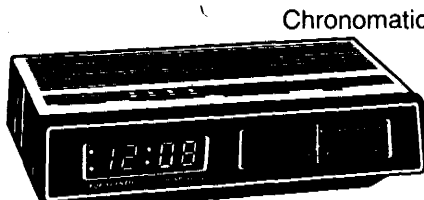
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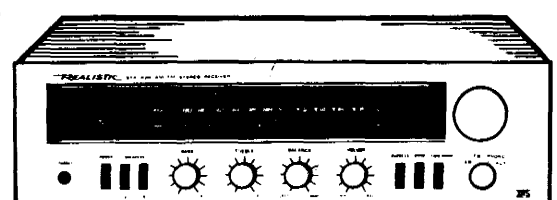


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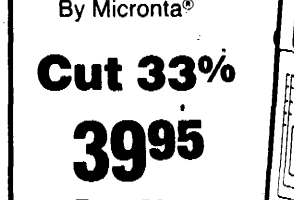
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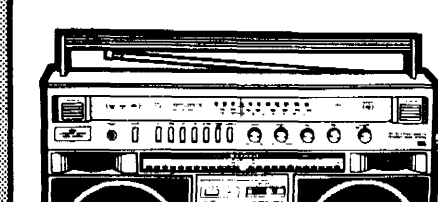
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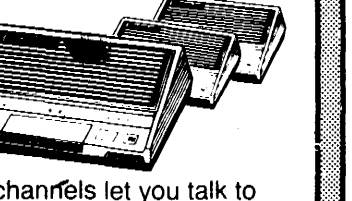
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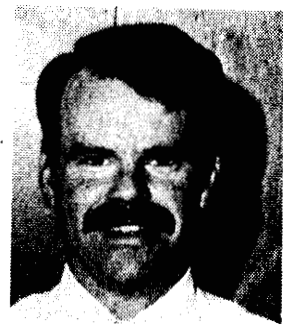
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Pedaling Around

And now the news

By Mike Eliasohn

Is a news event news if no one is there from the media to cover it?

Probably not.

Some things are considered automatically news, for instance, airplane crashes be it from mechanical causes, pilot error or because the Russians shoot it down.

But even some airplane crashes are news only because the news media covers them. Television stations will send a cameraman to the scene even if it was a Piper Cub that crash landed without injury to the pilot, even if the cameraman has to drive 60 miles to get there.

Earlier this year, a helicopter and a small airplane collided over New York harbor, with the loss of maybe two lives. (I don't remember.) Few if any persons living outside the New York City area cared, yet the story got a big play on the networks, or at least on the one I watch.

Not that I'm trying to minimize the loss of human life, but the story was an example of the news editors thinking, "If it happened in New York City, it must be important."

The networks also give coverage to anything the president does, no matter how trivial.

They also give coverage to almost anything that happens in Washington. If the assistant secretary of transportation quits to return to a job in private industry, that makes the news. Who cares?

What inspired this verbiage was the Tri-County Bargaining Association's "March for Educational Excellence in the Thumb" in Cass City last Thursday.

The official purpose was "to make a visible display of concern for quality educational programs and staffing in the Thumb area

school districts," but it was just as much a pep rally for teachers from school districts who are engaged in contract bargaining.

The rally was in the park. From there, the approximately 80 teachers, carrying signs, marched several blocks to the Michigan Education Association office at the other end of town.

They marched about 7 p.m., at which time there were few persons downtown to watch them display their concern for "educational excellence."

Even if the event had been widely publicized in advance, there still would have been few persons there.

But, there were three reporters there with cameras (me, plus ones from the Tuscola County Advertiser and the Sebawaing Blade). We were there because we were informed of the event by the MEA.

Had the news media not been informed, very few persons would have known about it except the participants.

Saturday, I received in the mail a news release from the MEA about the event and a photo, which I assume were sent to other upper Thumb newspapers. (I wrote my own story.)

Thus an event which affected only the participants receives a lot of news coverage.

And as of when I write this (Saturday), the photo I took of the march may be on the front page because of lack of something better to put there.

I am not trying to trivialize the purpose of the march. I only cite it as an example of what is called a "media event," ones which have little or no importance if members of the news media aren't there.



INSIDE-OUTSIDE -- Elkland Township fireman Don Finkbeiner cut a hole in the roof of the Dean and Ann Brown home Monday to gain access to the fire underneath. A rotary power saw was later used to cut a bigger hole. The fire was put out from the inside with an extinguisher wielded by Don Root.



Fire starts from chimney cleaning

A fire intended to clean a chimney caused a more serious one Monday.

Elkland Township firemen were called at 11:45 a.m. to the mobile home of Dean and Ann Brown on Grassmere Road, north of

Huron Line Road.

The fire was in the ceiling and firemen had to rip out ceiling paneling and cut away some of the roof around the fireplace chimney and pull out some insulation to put it out. A fire extinguisher was used.

Mrs. Brown said her husband had built a hot fire and used a chimney cleaner about 9:30 that morning to clean out the chimney. "We did it last year and it worked fine," she commented.

Later, after her husband had left, she was playing with her daughter when she smelled smoke. When she looked in the bedroom, she saw flames coming from the ceiling around the chimney.

She used a fire extinguisher to put out the flames and the fire in the fireplace, closed all the windows to cut off the oxygen supply and left with her daughter.

Firemen said it appeared the chimney got so hot, it caught wood joists in the ceiling on fire.

There was damage to the roof and ceiling in the vicinity of the chimney, smoke damage in the home and the chimney will have to be replaced, according to firemen. No monetary estimate of the damage was available.

They were there almost one hour.

Fire forces family of seven into mobile home

Seven persons living in a mobile home can get rather cramped, but that is all they have now, plus whatever persons have donated.

Harold and Lois James lost their home on Hoadley Road, Lamotte Township, in a fire Sept. 2 caused by an electrical malfunction because of a pickup truck striking a utility pole more than a mile away.

Living in the home were Mr. and Mrs. James, plus children Phil, 21, Harold Jr., 20, Paul, 17, Dahiel, 15, and Cheryl, 13.

Since the fire, the family has been living in their mobile home, which was their residence prior to moving into the house about four years ago, according to Harold Jr.

The mobile home didn't have any furniture in it. Since the fire, "quite a few people" have donated food, clothing and furniture to the family, he said.

As of Sunday evening, they still needed a refrigerator and a sofa bed. The family can be contacted by calling 635-7139.

James said the family had been building their house over a period of 8-10 years. The fieldstone walls of the lower portion might be usable, if the family decides to rebuild it, but all the wood structure was destroyed.

Scholarship awarded

Frederick Zawilinski of 7788 E. Cass City Road, Cass City, has received a \$2,000 scholarship for the 1983-84 academic year at Northern Michigan University, Marquette.

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Deer accounted for two traffic accidents last week.

Peggy Sue Stevens, 21, of 6919 Severance Road, told sheriff's deputies she was northbound on Crawford Road, south of Shabbona Road, at 12:45 a.m. last Wednesday when a deer ran into the path of her car.

She swerved, lost control and her car went off the east side of the road and rolled over onto its top.

Linda J. Harbin, 25, of Harbor Beach, was eastbound on M-81, west of M-53, at 10:25 p.m. Saturday, Cass City police reported, when her car struck a deer.

Robert C. Smith, no address listed, reported to village police Tuesday, Sept.

6, that a hit and run vehicle backed into the right rear fender of his car while it was parked in the lot at Leach and Pine Streets.

The damage was done between 8:15 and 8:35 p.m.

Caro state police ticketed Morley A. Griffen, 22, of 5844 Main Street, Deford, on a charge of careless driving after a 5:30 a.m. accident Sunday.

He told troopers he was southbound on Kingston Road, north of Marlette Road, when he fell asleep and the car drifted onto the east shoulder.

He woke up and tried to regain control but couldn't. The car crossed the road, spun around and went off the west side into a ditch.

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Four persons sentenced in Tuscola Circuit Court

Four persons were sentenced when they appeared Sept. 6 before Tuscola County Circuit Judge Patrick R. Joslyn.

Leslie L. Smith Jr., 18, of 132 W. Gamble Street, Caro, was sentenced to 5-10 years in a state institution near Jonia for youthful offenders for probation violation.

He pleaded guilty to the charge Aug. 22, of violating probation by pleading guilty in district court in July to larceny under \$100. He was placed on five years' probation in September, 1982, for breaking and entering an unoccupied dwelling.

Smith was credited with one year served, part of the original sentence, plus 23 days served since violating probation.

Joseph Panko, 28, of Bay City, was sentenced to one year in the county jail for receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100, a four-wheel-drive pickup truck last Dec. 3 in Arbela Township. He pleaded guilty to the charge June 27.

Panko was also placed on five years' probation, with serving of half his sentence delayed until the end of probation. He was credited with four days served. Work release privileges were granted. He was also fined \$500 and assessed \$300 court costs.

Dale Blazina, 36, of 101 Oakridge Dr., Apt. 1, Caro, was sentenced to one year in the county jail for criminal sexual contact (fourth

degree) with a 13-year-old girl April 23 in Almer Township. He pleaded guilty to the charge July 19. Blazina was credited with time already served.

David S. Bacon, 17, of 6211 Fulton Street, Mayville, was placed on five years' probation for larceny in a building.

Serving of 60 days in jail was deferred to June, 1984. Bacon is to remain in high school or find a full-time job and he was ordered under house arrest to his grandfather.

Bacon pleaded guilty Aug. 8 in connection with a June 22 break-in of a home at 5560 Bond Road, Kingston Township.

In other cases Sept. 6: Donald F. Tedford, 42, of 5658 Briarwood, Millington, stood mute to charges of assault with a dangerous weapon (a hammer) against Katherine Ross and assault with intent to do great bodily harm on Marie LaLonde.

He is charged in connection with an incident that took place Aug. 21 in and outside his mobile home.

A plea of innocent was entered on the two charges. Tedford pleaded innocent to a supplemental charge of being an habitual offender.

Bond was continued and a pretrial hearing scheduled Oct. 10.

Lorina L. Lynch, 19, of Madison Heights, pleaded guilty to larceny in a building, of stealing money about Aug. 15 from the

mobile home of Natividad Benitez, on Reagh Road, Gagetown.

Her plea was accepted and sentencing was scheduled in January. Bond was continued.

The guilty plea of Robert Wonch, 21, of Otter Lake, to unlawfully driving away an automobile July 11 in Vassar Township was refused. A trial will be scheduled.

Gordon J. Roy, 21, of 159 State Street, Caro, stood mute to a charge of malicious destruction of a building, to damaging the Peoples State Bank building in Caro Aug. 12.

A plea of innocent was entered and pretrial hearing scheduled Sept. 12. Bond was continued.

Arnold D. Shell, 35, of Gladwin, pleaded guilty to obstructing a police officer in lawful performance of his duties May 10 in Tuscola Township. His plea was accepted and sentencing scheduled Dec. 5. Bond was continued.

Roger D. Shears, 18, no available address, stood mute to charges of breaking and entering and larceny in a building Oct. 30, 1982, at Jensen Equipment Inc., Millington.

Randy Bliss, 21, of 7702 W. Deckerville Road, Fairgrove, pleaded guilty to violating probation by his being arrested July 29 for driving under the influence of liquor.

He was placed on three years' probation in March of this year for attempted felonious assault.

Sentencing was scheduled Sept. 19. Bond was continued.

Lee R. Collins, 35, of 209 W. Grant Street, Caro, stood mute to a charge of arson of real property at his address Aug. 13.

Bond was continued at a pretrial hearing scheduled Oct. 3.

Post office applications available

MSC Manager/Postmaster Loren C. Glover announces the U.S. Postal Service will conduct examinations for the position of Clerk/Carrier to establish a register of eligibles for future hire in Area No. 2, Tuscola County Post Offices. Applications for the examination are now available at all post offices throughout Tuscola County. The examination may be taken only once for each hiring area. Only one application per individual may be filed for the entire county. Closing date for applications will be close of business, Sept. 16, 1983. General age requirement is 18 years of age with no maximum age limit.



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Cass City Retired Persons initiate four new members

The Cass City Retired Persons held their meeting last Thursday at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church fellowship hall with 32

members present. President Donna Wernette called the meeting to order. Four members were initiated.

Jeff Jeung back from Interlochen

Jeff Jeung of Cass City recently returned from Interlochen, where he was a junior boys' division camper in the 56th season of the National Music Camp.

He participated in beginning winds, junior chorus, and piano ensembles. He also studied piano with Paul Kerbyson of Cass City and was a participant in various recitals of the junior division during the eight-week season.

Jeff, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Hoon K. Jeung, was selected as the junior boy second honorable mention of the Alumni Board Scholarship for the 1984 season.

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Charmont 3
Cass City Sports 3
IGA Foodliner 3
Kritzman's 3
Geiger-Hunt Ford 3
Walbro 2
Miller's Chicks 2
Chemical Bank 1
Cass City 1
Joos' Fifth Wheels 1
Esther's Health Spa 1
Herron Builders 1
Anrod Screen Cyl. 1

500 Series: D. Wischmeyer 522.
200 Game: H. Sontag 201.
High Team Game: Charmont 802.
High Team Series: Walbro 2268.

THURSDAY NITE TRIO Sept. 8, 1983

Martin Electric 7½
Anthony's Party Shop 7
Englehart's 6
Circle S 5
Pizza Villa 5
Van Dale 5
Babich Farms 4
Oops 3
Pine Valley Farms 2½
Jacques Seed 1
Gordon Builders 1
Nieboer Masonry 1

200 Games: J. Hacker 216, G. Deering 202-203, L. Smith 222-212, M. Mellen-dorf 201, D. O'Dell 233-200.
525 Series: J. Mathewson 541, D. Miller 545, K. Martin 525, B. Babich 528, J. Hacker 564, G. Deering 582, L. Smith 603, M. Mellen-dorf 557, D. O'Dell 625, D. Englehart 558.
High Team Series: Anthony's Party Shop 1893.
High Team game: Oops 682.

GUYS & GALS Sept. 6, 1983

Hutchinsons 3
Rolling Hills 3
Copeland & Gornowicz 3
Country Cousins 2
Brand X 2
Arnold 1
Terrasi & Son 1
Odd Couples 1

Men's High Series: B. Thompson 516.
Men's High Game: B. Thompson 194.
Women's High Series: M. Romig 476.
Women's High Game: M. Romig 168.
High Team Series: Rolling Hills 1735.
High Team Game: Rolling Hills 606.
Men's 500 Series: J. Romig 511, E. Bilicki 504.

SUNDAY NIGHTERS Sept. 11, 1983

Alley Rats 4
4 L's 3
Hay La's 3
Wild Bunch 3
Gutter Dusters 3
Try Hards 1
The Elms 1
Spuds 1
FBI 1
Lucky Strikes 0

Men's High Game: E. Hutchinson 232.
Men's High Series: E. Hutchinson 548.
Women's High Game: M. Lagos 187.
Women's High Series: M. Lagos 475.
High Team Game: 4 L's 639.
High Team Series: 4 L's 1807.

500 Series: F. Hayes 536, B. Wildman 526, J. Lorencz 516.
200 Games: F. Hayes 220.

MERCHANTS' "A" Sept. 7, 1983

Kingston State Bank 4
Charlie's Market 4
New England Life 4
Charmont 3
Gagetown Oil & Gas 3
Ouvry Chevy-Olds 1
Fuelgas 1
Rabideau Motors 1
Agri Sales Inc. 1
Cass City Oil & Gas 0
Paul's Urethane Systems 0
Croft-Clara Lumber 0

210 or Better Games: G. Thompson 256-233, R. Walker 242-214, J. McIntosh 236, D. Ouvry 223, J. Smithson 221, D. Englehart 217, D. Vatter 215, T. Comment 211, G. Prich 210.

550 or Better Series: R. Walker 644, G. Thompson 619, D. Vatter 611, J. Lefler 597, J. McIntosh 593, R. Ouvry 586, C. Comment 586, G. Prich 577, D. Ouvry 569, G. Diebel 555, F. Ruggles 555.

MERCHANTS' "B" Sept. 7, 1983

Charmont 4
Tuckey Concrete 4
Clare's Sunoco 4
Herron Builders 4
Blind 4
Cass City Sports 4
Thumb National Bank 0
Wischmeyers 0
Evans 0
McMahon's Auto Parts 0
210 or Better Games: T. Comment 233-227.
575 or Better Series: T. Comment 663.

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE Sept. 8, 1983

Federal Land Bank 7
Gypsy's 7
Deering Farms 6
Crazy Ladies 5
Happy Hoofers 5
Parkway 4
Rich's Disposal 4
Family Circus 3
Pin Pals 3
Paul's 2
Team No. 8 2

High Series: M. L. Lorencz 499, M. Cosway 518.
High Team Series: Parkway 1613, Rich's Disposal 1658.
High Team Game: Gypsy's 566, Federal Land Bank 598.

CHARMONT LADIES Sept. 6, 1983

Truemner's Salvage 4
Cass City Staté Bank 4
Live Wires 3
Colony House 3
Gagetown Oil & Gas 3
Erma's 3
Veronica's 1
Cass City Sports 1
Fort's 1
Cablettes 1
Charmont 0
Ouvry's 0

Women's High Series: M. Michalski 499.
Women's High Game: M. Michalski 212.
High Team Series: Colony House 2217.
High Team Game: Colony House 775.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES Sept. 6, 1983

Pierce's Honey Bees 4
Hills & Dales 3
Chemical Bank 3
Pin Pickers 1
Hillside Beauties 1
Team No. 4 0

Women's High Series: P. Schwartz 480.
Women's High Game: P. Schwartz 192.
High Team Series: Pierce's Honey Bees 1698.
High Team Game: Pierce's Honey Bees 606.

FRIDAY NITE DOUBLES Sept. 9, 1983

All Wrights 7
Fear Some Foursome 5
Wood Choppers 5
The Family 4
The Holy H's 3
Gutter Getters 2
4 of Us 2
L&S Standard 0
Polacks 1
Lucky's Kountry 1
Korner 1

Men's High Series: T. Furness 589.
Men's High Game: T. Furness 232.
Women's High Series: C. Furness 187.
Women's High Game: V. Patrick 454.
High Team Series: Fear Some Foursome 1961.
High Team Game: Fear Some Foursome.

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The group was accompanied by a three-member photographic team from the British Broadcasting Corp. Natural History Unit, who will be recording on film aspects of the Waorani culture and ancient methods of blow gun and spear hunting, to be made into a documentary for a British and American television series.

The medical team will carry out a variety of biomedical studies, the purpose of which will be to answer questions relating to their origins, as well as the genetic basis of various diseases, and to determine the possible reasons why many diseases common to Western society are not found among the Waorani.

The Waorani, numbering only about 600, live deep in the Equatorial rain forest near the headwaters of the Amazon basin in eastern Ecuador.

The tribe is linguistically isolated, have no form of writing, no formal laws, no notion of rank, status or class, no clearly defined history, and play only one musical instrument with one note.

Avoiding any contact with the outside world, it

was not until 1956, when five missionaries were slain by their spears, that world attention focused on them. In 1958, two American missionaries were the first outsiders to make peaceful contact with them.

The expedition is being done in collaboration with the American Museum of Natural History, and a complete set of artifacts will be collected for that institution. It is being sponsored by the Explorers Club, both BBC and ABC television, Stanford University Medical Center and Cetus Immune Research Institute.

Dr. Burck is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clem C. Bauman of Pleasant Ridge and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Morton Orr of Cass City.

She received her BS degree in physics from Michigan State University, her PhD in genetics from the University of British Columbia, was a post-graduate fellow at the California Institute of Technology, and is currently a third year medical student at Stanford University in Palo Alto, Calif.

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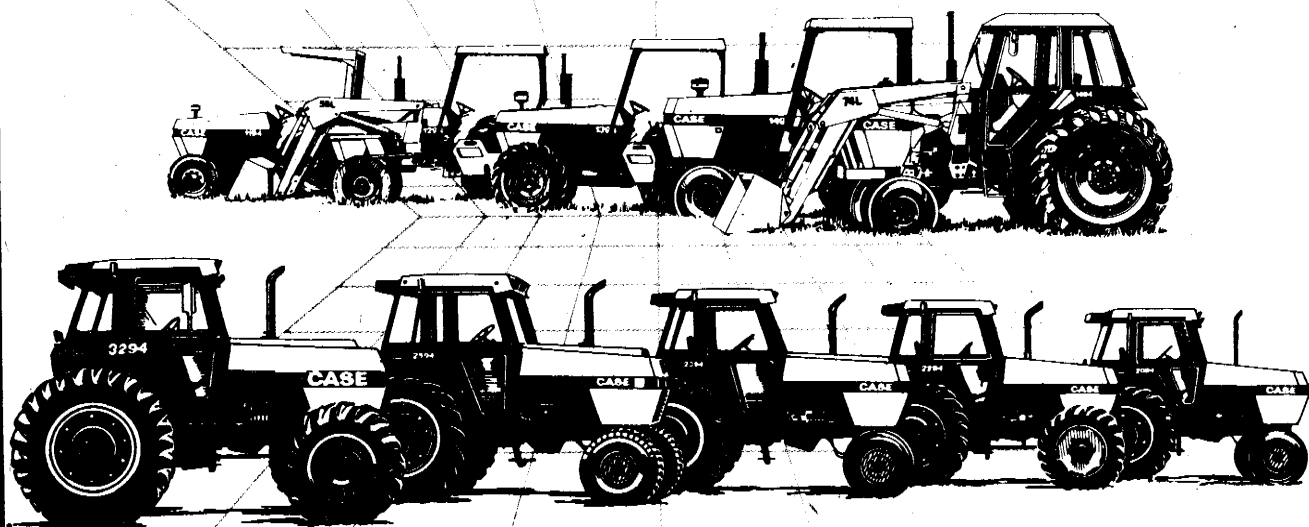
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Owen-Gage
reunion
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Obituaries

Mrs. Lucille LaFave entertained her Canasta Club Aug. 31. The ladies had lunch at the Charmont before their afternoon of cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashmore and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Arnold and grandsons, Tim Hines and Eric Martin, spent 10 days in Mackinaw City as guests of the Arnolds' daughter, Dawn Stone.

Helen and Reid Andrews and daughter Katie of Natrona Heights, Penn., arrived Labor Day and spent a few days with Mrs. M. Downing. The Andrews are former Gagetown residents.

The Ashmore reunion was held at Cass City Village Park last Sunday with a potluck dinner for the 100-member group. Bill Ashmore was the eldest present.

Mrs. Sue Penrod returned home last week after a 10-day vacation during which she accompanied Diane and Bill Malapolski and Michael of Detroit touring the east. They visited the Senior Malapolskis in Philadelphia for a few days and Wildwood and Atlantic City, N.J., among other points of interest.

Guests Labor Day week end of Mrs. Mary McKellar were her nephew, Larry Mauk, and friend Rose, of Detroit and Pat and Dominic Buffa of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bain of Drayton Plains returned home last Tuesday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Comment while Mrs. Comment is recuperating from recent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe spent Labor Day week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Prieur in Farmington Hills.

Deacon and Mrs. Bud Kuhn spent Labor Day week end with their family in Saginaw. Saturday, Sept. 3, they attended the wedding of their daughter, Ann Marie, to James Kostyla of Flint at St. Andrew's Church, Saginaw, with Father George Serour officiating. Ann Marie made her own headpiece and bridal bouquets and wore the wedding dress of her mother's from 30 years ago.

Tuesday, Sept. 6, Mrs. Lucille LaFave and Mrs. Gerry Carolan were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Skip Connors of Caseville. Other guests were Toni Watterworth of Lapeer, Evie Head of Wixom, Marge Rice and Marian Stanton of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Les Clark of Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Winchester returned recently after an extended vacation with their daughter and family, the Terry Leonards in Sheboygan, Wis. Mr. Winchester was ill during the vacation and spent time in Sheboygan and Milwaukee hospitals.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Munro were Mrs. Marsha Bradley of Lakeland, Fla., Jan Sowden of Clarkston and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner of Cass City.

A total of 650 graduates, teachers and guests of Owendale and Owendale-Gagetown schools attended the second alumni reunion of graduates recently at the Colony House, Cass City.

Graduates from Owendale High and Owen-Gage High School attending numbered 385 of the 1,254 living graduates. The reunion covered the years 1914-1976.

The head table honored the oldest graduate attending, Gertrude King Clement of Southfield, class of 1918.

Others honored were Alta Smith Charmicle, Troy, class of 1921; Bernadine Kretschmer Good, Gagetown, and Harriet Sampson Bacon, Bad Axe, 1923, and Estella Buschlen, Midland, and Arnold MacCallum, Owendale, 1925.

Also, Muriel Buschlen, Midland, 1926; Selma Schnepf Eldridge, Saginaw, and Veneta McCullough Kling, Owendale, 1927; Florence Kain Dinkel, Bay Port and August Ehrlich, Owendale, 1928; Gretta McGuire Bayes, Breckenridge, and Andrew Pastor, Flint, 1929.

Others were Harold Parker, Troy, 1930; Stella Kain Error, Owendale, 1931; Esther Schnepf Peer, Houghton Lake, Peter Pastor, Cardiff, N.J., and Beryl Ricker Otto, Cass City, 1932, and Marguerite Good, Bad Axe, Lillian Ropp Jacoby, Deford, Lillian Buschlen Griffith, Coleman, Edward Schnepf, Owendale, and Maxine Ricker Clara, Cass City, 1933.

They were presented with corsages or boutonnieres by the greeting committee.

Other classes attending were 1934 with seven graduates present; 1935, five; 1936, eight; 1937, four; 1938, four; 1939, seven; 1940, four; 1941, three; 1942, eight; 1943, seven; no 1944; 1945, five; 1946, 10; 1947, two; 1948, three; 1949, 10; 1950, four; 1951, seven; 1952, seven; 1953, 10; 1954, six; 1955, 11; 1956, seven; 1957, six; 1958, five; 1959, 16; 1960, 11; 1961, 15; 1962, 12; 1963, 16; 1964, 20; 1965, 11; 1966, 10; 1967, seven; 1968, 11; 1969, three; 1970, nine; 1971, 11; 1972, four; 1973, nine; 1974, 11; 1975, six, and 1976, six.

Graduates attended from all over Michigan, plus New Jersey, Louisiana, Ohio, Florida, California, Nebraska, Texas, Illinois and Colorado.

Pat Zuraw left Friday to return to Houston, Tex. His mother, Mrs. Ciel Zuraw, entertained at a family get-together. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zuraw and family and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bruessow of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Les Fritz and family and Dave and Jim Zuraw, Gagetown.

Harold Johnston of Alma and Mrs. J.C. Pitcher of Sebawaing visited their mother, Mrs. Harry Johnston, at Huron County Medical Facility last week.

Mrs. Gerry Carolan spent the week end with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Carolan of Lapeer.

Mrs. Floyd Werdean returned to her home Labor Day after spending several weeks in Rochester with her daughter and family, the Dennis Grylickis, recuperating from hip surgery. Mrs. Werdean and Mrs. Harry Comment played duplicate bridge Monday when Mrs. Jean McCluskey of Cass City entertained their club.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Comment were John Comment of Essexville and Mrs. Kathy Diebel and sons of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mosack and family of Flint spent Labor Day week end with Mrs. Mildred Mosack. Saturday evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Langlois, Caro.

Miss Mary Wald and Mrs. Alma Wald left last Tuesday to spend a month with Mike and Nell Wald near London, England. A trip to Rome during their stay is planned.

Mrs. Marian Dangel of Port Huron was a Labor Day caller at the home of her sister and family, the W.C. Hunters.

Mrs. Elma Miklovich spent grandparents' day, Sunday, at the home of her son, James Hauk in Akron. Granddaughters, Kathleen Hauk and Tricia Roth, and son Jason of Bay City were also present.

Millington Logan (Mac) McDonald, 87, of Owendale died Saturday at Hills and Dales General Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born Oct. 7, 1895, in Grant Township, the son of Duncan and Margaret (Young) McDonald.

McDonald was married to Norene Heron of rural Owendale, who died in 1936. On May 18, 1940, he married Lulu Keillor in Bad Axe. They made their home in Owendale.

As a young man, McDonald played with the Rabideau and George Pariseau's Orchestra. He served in the U.S. Army during World War I in France with the 139th Infantry.

After returning to civilian life, McDonald was a mail carrier out of Owendale for more than 37 years, retiring in 1957. He was a life member of Tyler Lodge F and AM, No. 317, Cass City; a member of the Saginaw Valley Scottish Rite, and the Shrine bodies of Saginaw.

McDonald is survived by his wife; two sons, B.K. McDonald of Saline, and Donald McDonald of Eager, Ariz.; two daughters, Betty Lou McDonald of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. Charles (Ann Elaine) McCoy of Virginia Beach, Va.; nine grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren. One sister, Edith, and two brothers, Wellington and Alvia, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Rev. Myra Sparks of the Owendale United Methodist Church officiating.

Burial was in Elkland Township Cemetery.

Ruth Mildred Walker, 81, of Romeo, died Saturday, Sept. 3, at Mt. Clemens General Hospital.

She was born Sept. 2, 1902, in Elkland Township, the daughter of George and Minnie Karr.

Miss Karr married Charles Henry Walker Nov. 12, 1938, in Caro. He died Oct. 26 of the following year. They made their home in Cass City and Mrs. Walker lived here until about 25 years ago. She worked in some Cass City restaurants.

Mrs. Walker is survived by a number of cousins. One brother, Lloyd Karr, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Rev. Harry Capps of the First Presbyterian Church of Cass City officiating.

Burial was in Elkland Township Cemetery.

Yulu Van Winkle, 92, formerly of the Deford area, died Monday at the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility in Caro following a brief illness.

Yulu Smith was born July 13, 1891, in Peck and came to Tuscola County as a young girl. She married Grant Van Winkle Sept. 25, 1912, in Caro. He died Sept. 13, 1966.

For many years, Mrs. Van Winkle was employed by General Telephone Co. in Cass City as chief operator and bookkeeper. She retired in 1943.

Surviving are one son, Richard Van Winkle of Tipton; two daughters, Mrs. C.A. (Georgene) Palmer of Deford and Mrs. S.L. (Shirley) Wilsie of Caro; 11 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren. One brother, Harry Smith of Caro, and one sister, Ethel Jewett of Flint, preceded her.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the Huston and Ransford Funeral Home in Caro. Dr. John H. Bunce officiated, with burial in Elkland Township Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or the American Heart Association of Michigan.

ELLA PROFIT

Ella Christine Profit, 82, of Cass City died Friday at Provincial House after a lengthy illness.

She was born May 9, 1901, in Tonawanda, N.Y., the daughter of Jacob and Christina (Wolfe) Helwig.

Miss Helwig married Glen Profit June 1, 1927, in Uby.

Mrs. Profit was a life member of Echo Chapter No. 337, Order of the Eastern Star, Cass City. She was a member of the Fraser United Presbyterian Church and a member and treasurer of its Ladies Aid Society for many years.

She is survived by her husband; three daughters, Mrs. Joseph (Berneice) Armstead of West Branch, Mrs. Roger (Almeda Christina) Forster of Cass City and Mrs. James (Donna Mae) Sturm of Bad Axe; 11 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Arena Lavigne of Warren. Two brothers, Levi and Howard, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Rev. Robert Von Oeyen of the Fraser Presbyterian Church officiating.

Burial was in Elkland Township Cemetery.

Elkland okays land for tax payment relief

The Elkland Township Board Monday evening gave its consent to two Farmland and Open Space Preservation Act (Public Act 116) agreements between the state and property owners.

They are for 80 acres in Section 7 and 40 in Section 8, south of Bay City-Forestville Road, owned by Leonard Karr, and 98 acres in Section 15, between Cemetery and Schwegler Roads, owned by Henry and Grace Hulbert.

Alan Klcio of Harris-Hampshire Agency reviewed the township's insurance policies with the board and will check into updating them.

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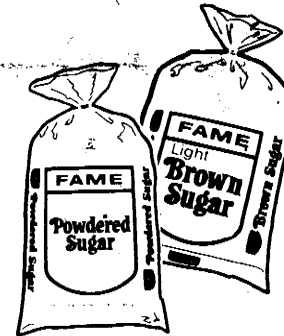
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Owen-Gage rolls to win in non-league opener

Patience paid for Owen-Gage last Friday night as the Bulldogs had a lopsided win over visiting Arenac Eastern, 31-0.

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more than an hour behind schedule.

With its season opener under its belt, Owen-Gage must now prepare for its league opener at home this Friday against Carsonville-Port Sanilac.

"They've got two quick backs and good outside speed," Bulldog coach Arnie Besonen said of his upcoming opponent. "They went down to Grosse Pointe and beat that team (University Liggett) pretty easily, 34-18."

The one weak spot in Owen-Gage's play last Friday, which is receiving attention in practice this week, is kicking. "Our kicking game, punts, everything was pretty bad," Besonen said.

The veteran coach had praise for his young players and the offensive line in the opener. "Our young players came alive once they got into the momentum of the game," he said.

The offensive line started slow, he continued, but once

it "really started to jell, we were blowing holes in their lines you could drive a Mack truck through."

Despite the score, Besonen thought the Eagles played better than they did last year, when the Bulldogs beat them 34-6.

Alan LeValley scored the first touchdown of the game in the first quarter on a four-yard run. His extra point kick missed.

Reid Goslin added six points in the second quarter on a 38-yard run. LeValley again missed the extra point kick.

In the third quarter, Earl Harris scored on a 36-yard pass from Goslin. Matt Ricker tried kicking the extra point and missed.

Freshman Vic Battisti scored the second touchdown of the quarter on a six-yard run. Ricker kicked the extra point.

The final score came in the fourth quarter on a 46-yard punt return by Gary Erickson. LeValley's extra point kick attempt missed.

Defensive standouts for Owen-Gage were Erickson with 17 tackles and Goslin with seven tackles and one interception.

Ken Burgoyne made seven tackles for the Eagles.

Score by quarters:

O-G	6	6	13	6	31
AE	0	0	0	0	0

Fun day ends golf year

The Ladies' Golf League at Sherwood on the Hill in Gagetown held its awards luncheon and Fun Day, Aug. 31.

League winners were: First place, Shirley Kramer and Madeline Verschoore, Unionville; second, Karen Van Hoost and Donna Sting, Unionville; third, Flo Kunding and Jo Ann Schafer, Sebawing; third place consolation, Marie Goslin, Gagetown, and Geri Corcoran, Decker.

Most improved golfer was Pat Maybauer, Unionville. Shirley Kramer scored the low gross on the ringer board. Dotti Schafer and Donna Sting had the most improved ringer scores.

Lonna Tetreau, Bev Leyva, Madeline Verschoore, Betty Koepf, Karen Van Hoost, Barb Burdon, Marge Galmish and Cathy Swartzendruber won balls for perfect attendance.

Women having birdie scores were Bev Schelke, Karen Van Hoost, Jo Ann Schafer, Cathy Swartzendruber, Shirley Kramer, Barb Burdon, Geri Corcoran, Madeline Verschoore and Marie Goslin.

The fun day foursome teams were also awarded various golf prizes and door prizes.

Leading ground gainers for the Bulldogs were LeValley, 11 carries and 84 yards; Goslin, six carries and 54 yards, and Ricker, six for 53 yards.

The team rushed for 275 yards in 41 carries. It gained 51 yards in the air on three completions of seven attempts, for total gain of 326 yards. The Bulldogs made 11 first downs, fumbled once and were penalized 10 times for a total of 77 yards.

Leading rusher for Arenac Eastern was Matt Navarre with 10 carries and 36 yards.

The team rushed for a total of 77 yards in 20 carries, gained 20 yards on four completions of 17 passes, plus one interception, for a total of 97 yards gained. The Eagles made eight first downs, didn't fumble, and were penalized six times for 40 yards.



RAKING IN THE top prize in the best ball tournament for members of the Cass City Golf League were John Maharg, left, and Ed Pasant, not pictured. Presenting the cash award for the victory is Dick Wallace, league secretary. The tournament was held Sunday at Scenic Golf and Country Club, Pigeon.

WINNERS OF THE regular season championship in the Cass City Golf League were, from left, Gary Diebel and Clint House. Diebel won the C-D division title and House the A-B title. Cash awards were presented at the annual club outing.

Commissioners set tax rate

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners Tuesday established millage rates for end-of-the-year property tax bills.

The county will levy the full amount of the allocated millages — 4.2 mills for county operations; .5 mill for bridge and village street repairs, and 2 mill for senior citizen activities.

The board held a public hearing Aug. 31, required by state law before it could levy the millage. Otherwise, it would have had to roll the millages back 2.13 percent to offset valuation increases since last year.

The board established the annual wage for new Chief Assistant Prosecutor David Myers, promoted from assistant prosecutor, at \$21,200 annually. Assistant Prosecutor JoEllen O'Connor, having been there a year, will now earn \$19,000 annually.

Commissioners approving applying for state cooperative reimbursement funds for 1984. The program pays the cost of finding delinquent fathers who owe child support.

Commissioners have received a complaint filed with the Michigan Employment Relations Commission charging it with failing to bargain collectively with three District Court employees after having asked them to submit proposals covering salary, sick leave, insurance, etc.

The complainants are Clara F. Peterhans, court recorder and judicial secretary; Roland E. Price, probation officer, and Magistrate Donald C. Smith.

Slo pitch title on line Sunday

Charmont of Cass City will play Osentoski Realty and Auctioneering of Bad Axe Sunday for the Thumb Slo Pitch League playoff championship.

The best two-of-three games will start at 1:30 p.m. at the Cass City Gun Club off Severance Road, four miles south of town and a mile east, then north. Charmont, with a better league record (16-0) has the home field advantage. Osentoski was 14-2 in the league.

Charmont, which is 34-7 overall, beat Osentoski twice during the league tournament, 26-23 and 13-12. The teams didn't play each other during the regular season.

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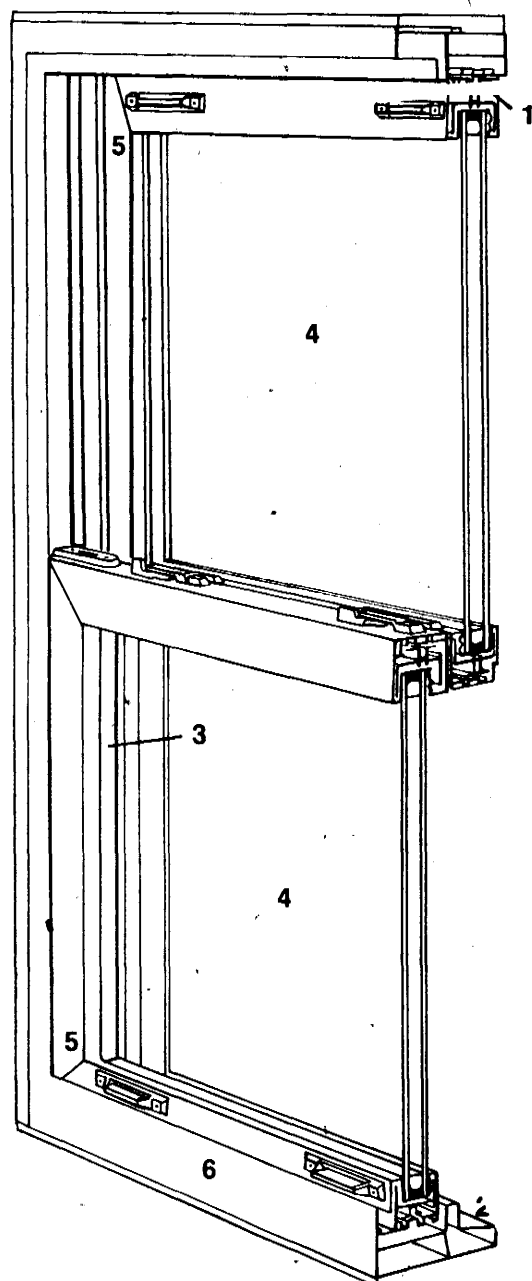
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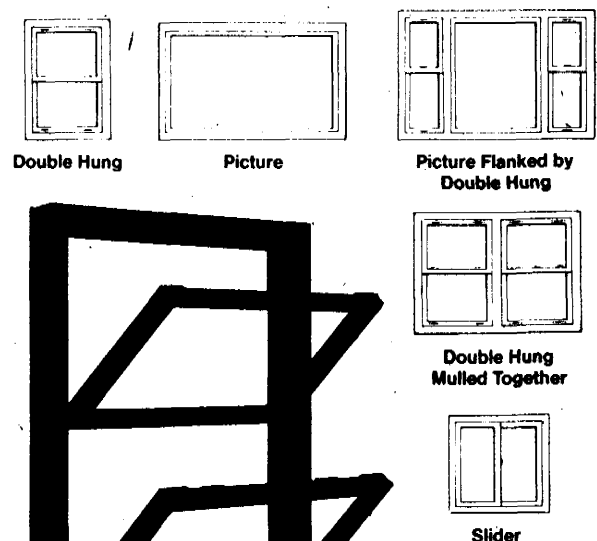
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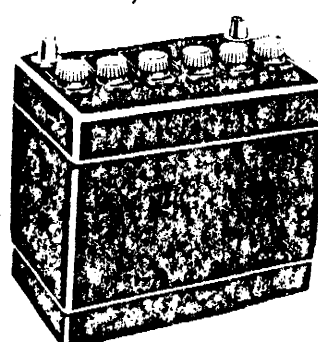
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Hawks fumble chances in grid opener at Tawas

The Cass City Red Hawks disappointed their fans in the opening grid game of the year Friday as they lost at Tawas, 27-0, in a lackluster performance.

Coach Don Schelke said this week that it looked as if the team just wasn't ready to play. Mistakes cost us a couple of touchdowns, Schelke said, but even worse than that were the turnovers.

Cass City lost six of eight fumbles and had three passes intercepted. You can't turn the ball over nine times and expect to win, Schelke asserted.

Undoubtedly that's one of the things that the coach will be stressing in practice this week as he prepares for Friday's game at Mayville.

The Wildcats were also soundly defeated in their opener by Capac and the loser of Friday's game may be in for a long season.

Besides the turnovers Tawas had one thing going for them. He's a tailback named Joe Boik. Boik is quick, big and agile and may be as fine a back as Cass City will see all year.

He rambled for 52 yards with 9:40 left in the opening quarter for the score by Tawas. The Hawks came rambling back after that

score for a first down on the Tawas 12-yard on the strength of a Bryon Beecher to Joe Langenburg pass good for 51 yards.

But the first of the many fumbles ended that threat and after that it was all Tawas.

The host team promptly went the distance to score with a mixed passing and running drive. The second touchdown came with 2 minutes left in the first period

on a 16-yard pass play.

Tawas used short passes to cap drives in the second and third quarters. Both were three-yard tosses. The first came at 6:30 of the second period and the second at 8:50 in the third quarter.

The statistics reflected the game. Cass City rushed for 72 yards in 22 attempts and Tawas piled up 258 yards in 43 tries. Cass City completed three passes for 65 yards with three inter-

ceptions while Tawas was four of eight with one interception.

Oddly enough, Tawas gained only 20 yards in the air but scored three touchdowns with passes.

The Hawks lost 30 yards in penalties and Tawas 50 yards. Leading rusher for Cass City was Brian Wright with 38 yards in six carries.

Todd Sweeney led the defense with one solo tackle and seven assists.



TODD SWEENEY led the Hawks on defense against Tawas.

Hawks win 2 non-league cage games

The Cass City Red Hawks stepped out of the Thumb B Association for a pair of games and found the going easier than it is in league play.

The Hawks edged Ubyly by a point Thursday, 34-33, and had little trouble pushing by Caseville Tuesday, Sept. 6, 51-36.

In both games the Hawks used one quarter to push to victory. The visiting Ubyly Bearcats jumped off to an early lead Thursday. At the end of the first quarter it was 9-4 and at the intermission, the Bearcats were in front 19-13.

The Hawks then rallied to win in the third quarter, outscoring Ubyly, 14-2, to lead 27-21 and then held on for the win.

Jill Hutchinson scored 19 points and grabbed 17 rebounds for Cass City while Judy Ruthko, 11, and Lorette Wodwaski, 10, paced the Bearcats. Ubyly edged Cass City on the boards, 30-28, and hit 33 percent from the field while

Cass City notched 31 percent. The Hawk JVs also won, 27-23.

CASEVILLE GAME

The Hawks had little trouble with visiting Caseville. It was close for a quarter. Cass City bounced out to a 13-10 first quarter lead and then removed all doubt as to the outcome with a 19-3 bulge in the second period and a 32-13 lead.

Caseville outscored Cass City in the last half, 23-19, to make the final score closer.

Hutchinson continued her torrid scoring with 18 points to go with 13 rebounds. The remainder of the scoring was divided among Kim Wagg, Shannon McIntosh, Sherri Horner and Joy Root. Barb Craig was credited with 10 rebounds.

Cass City shot 32 percent from the field and Caseville 21 percent.

The Hawks' record is now 2-1.

Boys and girls

Hawks 3rd in Rotary meet

Cass City finished third in both the boys' and girls' division of the Rotary Invitational held Tuesday, Sept. 6, at Scenic Golf and Country Club, Pigeon.

Winning the boys' competition was USA with 56 points. Caro was second with 69 points and Cass City third with 86 points.

Among the girls, Sandusky won with 82 points, closely trailed by Capac

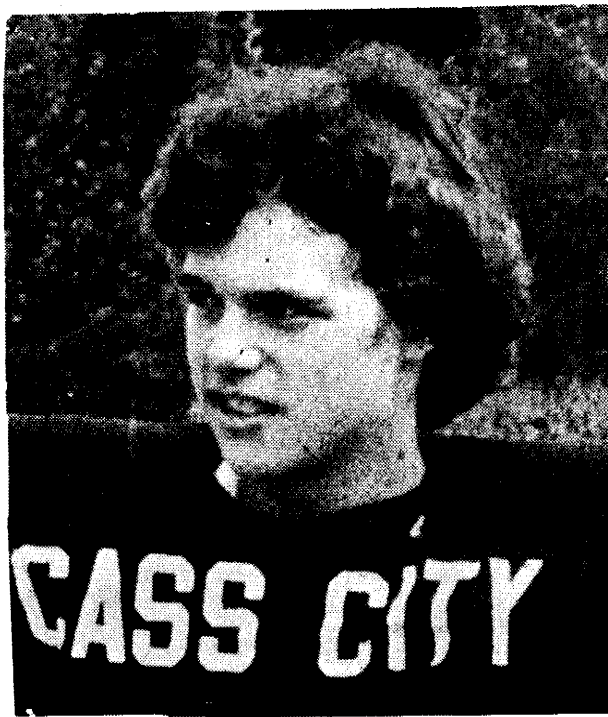
with 83 points and Cass City with 90 points.

Among the boys, Greg Bliss, defending state champion, was upset by Dean Fuerst of USA. Coach Doug Grezeszak said that the runners had trouble with the marking on the track and became lost while running.

Bliss finished second in a time of 17 minutes flat. Other boys' places and

finishes were: Kevin Bliss, 17:20, fifth; Kurt Bliss, 17:53, 14th; Mike Mid-daugh, 18:48, 32nd, and Randy Nicholas, 18:50, 33rd.

Among the girls, Renae Stimpfel was second in 19:59. Other finishes by Cass City girls were: Chris Tuckey, 21:11, eighth; Ruby Bryant, 21:20, 10th; LaDonna Hawley, 24:16, 31st, and Jeanne Marshall, 25:31, 39th.



BRIAN WRIGHT - The senior co-captain was the leading rusher for Cass City.

Croft-Clara softball team's season ends with regional loss

Croft-Clara ended its season in Midland Sept. 3-4 finishing second to Peter Meredith and The Farm from Madison, Wis., in the Great Lakes Regional.

The Cass City team owed out 1-0 in the championship game. Jeff Hartel and Mike LeRoux managed the only two hits off Meredith.

April 30 started the season in which Croft-Clara played in 12 week-end tournaments and won 11 trophies: two for first place, seven for second and two for third.

The team finished second in both the first and second half of the Thumb Travel League.

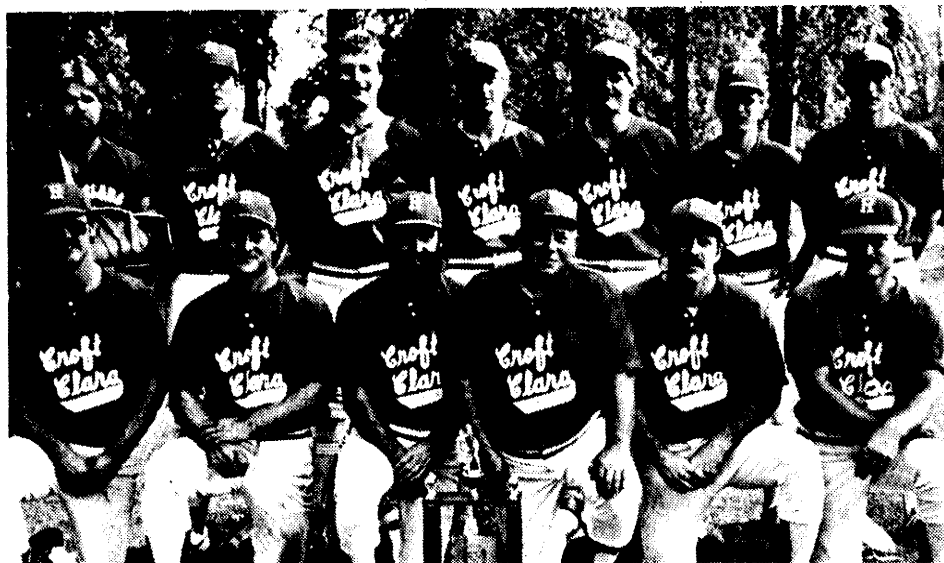
Doug Elbers led the team with a .329 average, 22 homers and 50 RBIs. Jerry Toner was second with a .286 average.

Craig Helwig, with an ERA of 1.21, struck out 352 in 372 innings. Ken Martin

had an ERA of 1.45, striking out 189 in 192 innings. Croft-Clara finished the

year with a 55-30 record. Craig Helwig was selected by Novak Truck-

ing of Midland as a pick up player for the national finals in Decatur, Ill.



CROFT-CLARA softball team members for the 1983 season were, front row, from left, Scott Hartel, Doug Elbers, co-managers Jack Hillaker and Bill Elbers, Mike Rea, Brad Elbers. Back row, Mike Murphy, Craig Helwig, Ken Martin, Mike LeRoux, Dean Elbers, Jeff Hartel, Dave Elbers.

McDonald helps

Western Michigan University tackle Mark McDonald made some key plays in the Broncos' 21-14 victory Saturday over the University of Texas - Arlington, played at Arlington.

The 1979 Owendale-Gagetown graduate sacked Gold Crush quarterback Danny Jackson on a first-down play at midfield, but the play was nullified by a Bronco holding violation. There were less than 4 minutes left in the game.

Jackson was replaced by starter Ned Frederick, who was sacked by McDonald and middle guard Jack Giarmino for a seven-yard loss on third down. Giarmino grabbed a fumbled UTA snap with 47 seconds left to end the team's last hope. Earlier, with 14:28 left

and WMU ahead 14-7, McDonald recovered a UTA punt, which set up the Broncos' last touchdown, made in five carries over a distance of 22 yards.

McDonald's parents, Bud and Jeanette McDonald of Owendale, saw the game, having flown with the players, coaches, team doctor and other parents on a charter flight to Arlington.

Police cases

Seek restitution in check theft

A case involving theft of a check for \$68.50 that was then cashed may end with paying of restitution.

Cass City Police Chief Gene Wilson said the check, made out to a credit card company, was signed by Ralph Retherford of 4646 Hunt Street. His mother, Betty, gave the check to a 16-year-old girl she knew to mail.

Instead, the girl later told police, she and a 14-year-old girl opened the envelope. The name on the check was crossed off, a woman's name (not their

own) was written in and the check was cashed at Tim's Photo, 6523 Main.

Wilson said if restitution is made to the photo store, it's unlikely charges will be brought against the girls.

Village police are investigating the theft of a postal mail order for \$15.

Margaret Grider of 6467 Main Street reported last Wednesday that the mail order was purchased April 26 by her mother and was sent to her, but never received.

She reported it to the postal authorities. Investi-

gation found it had been cashed at the Cass City State Bank.

Wilson believes the money order was probably stolen from Ms. Grider's mailbox. If the culprit is found, it will be up to the Postal Service to prosecute.

Graydon L. Spencer of 5906 Bay City-Forestville Road, Cass City, reported to sheriff's deputies last Wednesday that a window of a 1953 stake truck at his residence had been shot out with a BB gun. Damage was estimated at \$200.

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Novesta seeks tax hike, lowers millage

The Novesta Township Board decided Monday evening to seek a half-mill tax increase for fire protection Nov. 8 in conjunction with a Detroit Edison franchise election that day.

The board also voted to roll back millage rates in accordance with the truth in taxation law.

David Winfield of Detroit Edison explained the franchise vote to the board. Citizens will be voting on renewal of a 30-year franchise with the utility. Such elections are required by the state constitution.

The board decided that will be a good time to seek the millage, which if approved, would raise about

\$7,000 annually, about what the township pays now out of its general fund to Elkland Township for fire protection, according to Supervisor Bill O'Dell.

If the millage passes, that would enable the board to spend money for other purposes, such as more road construction, he explained. If the added levy is defeated, the board would continue to pay the standby fee to Elkland out of the general fund.

Shabbona church plans homecoming

The Shabbona United Methodist Church will have a homecoming Sunday.

A potluck dinner and visiting will start at 12:30. A hymn sing will start at 2:30, featuring the reunited gospel quartet of brothers Lloyd and Roy Severance and Alex and Don Lindsay.

Lloyd Severance said the group sang in numerous places for about 10 years, but last sang together 30 years ago. Some other persons belonged at various times, but the four who will sing together Sunday belonged to the group the longest.

It was known as the Shabbona Methodist Quartet. Sunday school is at 10 a.m. and services at 11:15.

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Computers nothing new on dairy farms in the Netherlands, visitor says

Dutch dairy farms aren't much different than American ones. After all, a cow is a cow.

But there are some differences.

Bert Vedder is able to make comparisons because since June 30, the Dutch dairy farmer has been working on the dairy farm of Pete and Delores Walsh on Wheeler Road, north of Cumber.

The Walshes, with sons Craig and Bryan, both married and working full-time, and children Kelli, Kari and Daryl helping, farm about 900 acres, milk 85 cows and feed hogs.

Although Vedder and his father milk more cows, 100-

120, they farm only 137 acres and by Dutch standards, they have a large farm. The average is only about 62-75 acres.

Vedder, 19, is working on the Walsh farm through the Future Farmers of America Work Experience Abroad exchange program. He will leave Dec. 1 and tour the United States with other Dutch farmers, now working in Wisconsin in the same exchange program. He will return home shortly before Christmas.

When he returns to the family farm in the north central part of the Netherlands, he will go into partnership with his father. They operate the farm

alone. During his absence, a hired man has been working with his father.

Vedder graduated last spring from a two-year agricultural school near his home. Before graduates receive their diplomas, however, they must work at least two months on a farm other than their home farm (provided they come from a farm).

As long as he had to work on another farm, Vedder decided it was an opportune time to see what agriculture was like in the United States. "Everyone was talking about American farmers, a lot on TV."

Language wasn't a problem. He studied English in

school for five years.

THE VEDDERS ONLY grow hay on their 137 acres, separated into three parcels, two of them several miles from the home farm. It isn't like hay here. It looks more like grass.

What the cows don't graze on goes into the silo for use in the feed bunkers in fall and winter. The Vedders only bale about 300 bales a year, to be fed to the small calves.

The Vedders usually grow a few acres of corn, but didn't plant any this year.

The only thing the cows eat other than the hay, in the field or as silage, is a supplement consisting of soybeans, corn and a few other ingredients, which is purchased.

The cows are fed the supplement through a computerized feeding system, with the high milkers getting to eat more.

In contrast to the United States, where such systems are relatively new and few farms have them yet, the Vedders have had theirs seven years.

"We were one of the first in our country," he said. They had problems with it the first year, since the system wasn't perfected yet by the manufacturer.

"I think this year or next, we'll buy a better one," Vedder said. "I think we were a little bit early (in buying the first one)."

The advantage of the computerized system was in feed savings, since each cow now only eats what she needs. There was only a slight increase in milk production.

Cows in the Netherlands produce less milk than their U.S. counterparts, an average of about 12,000 pounds per cow per year versus 18,000 in the U.S., but have a higher butterfat content. The cows — Holsteins on the Vedder farm — produce

less milk because they were bred to be a little beefier and a little shorter than U.S. cows, which are bred to produce more milk.

The Vedders and other Dutch dairymen are now using artificial insemination with the semen coming from American bulls to breed cows that produce more milk.

THE VEDDERS HAVE a 12 stall herringbone milking parlor with the milkers having automatic popoffs when the milk stops flowing from the cows.

Their free stall barn has capacity for 150 cows. Automatic scrapers clean manure from the aisles. The manure goes into a tank and is sprayed on the fields twice a year.

That all sounds like many American dairy farms, so there wasn't much to surprise the young Dutch farmer. One of the few surprises was the size of farms here. "It's a lot bigger than I expected. A lot more land."

Equipment is also bigger here. The biggest tractor on the Vedder farm only has 60 horsepower.

When he returns home, Vedder would like to try three times a day milking and growing alfalfa hay. He has doubts about the latter,

however, since yields may not be enough for the limited amount of land available.

THE WALSHES WILL be sorry to see him leave. "He's a hard working kid," said Mrs. Walsh. "He's sure spoiled us because he works so hard."

Vedder has been so busy working, he hasn't had time to do much else.

He has visited a couple other dairy farms, a county fair and the Cass City Fourth of July festival.

A few weeks ago, he and three other exchange program farmers, from France, New Zealand and Australia, went canoeing for two days on the Rifle River north of Standish.

The Walshes' next door neighbor is Capt. Francis Kanaby, a Great Lakes ship's pilot, who took Vedder with him when he piloted a Dutch freighter down the Detroit River Friday night from Port Huron to Detroit, a six hour journey. The vessel was hauling barley to East Germany.

Vedder visited with the mostly Dutch crew and the captain and his wife, who only live, they all discovered, 20 miles from each other.

By Bill Myers
Taking stock



If I have a dim view of so many "tax shelters," it's because I hear of so many stories like this one, where the results weren't very brilliant.

In 1976 this widow, whom we'll call Ann, invested \$25,000 in a "guaranteed accumulation account." It had the feature of deferring taxes on the "policy" until the money was withdrawn. This part has turned out as promised.

Now, seven years later, the policy has an "annuity value" of \$40,768 if the money is left there. That amount is earning further interest each year.

However — and here's the rub — if Ann wants to cash it in, the surrender value is only \$36,957. Call it \$37,000.

So her original investment of \$25,000 has earned \$12,000 in seven years. That's the real worth of this or any other security — what you can get for it. In this case, \$37,000.

If she wants to use the money she will pay tax on the \$12,000 as ordinary income. And she is in a 50 percent bracket.

Now \$12,000 looks like a pretty good gain in seven years. But not in the period of 1976 to 1983 of steadily rising interest rates. And the \$12,000 is also taxable at a 50 percent rate, as soon as it is cashed in.

I looked up the average yield of tax-free bonds for each year in that period. I used yields on short-term bonds so the investment would show little market change. Such bonds could always be cashed close to par. Rates assumed were 6 percent tax-free for years '76, '77 and '78. Then in line with the market rates of 8 percent for the next two years were used. Finally, for the last two years, '81 and '82, short-term yields of 11 percent were figured.

After cranking in all these figures, which already may be tiring you, we come up with:

Income from \$25,000 of tax-free bonds, compounded at above rates for seven years...\$17,790. Call it \$18,000.

Income from the "guaranteed accumulation account" (surrender value, or what the company would pay you)...\$12,000. Less 50 percent income tax in this actual case...\$1,000. Net: \$6,000 for Ann, after tax.

I explained all these figures to her. I showed her that she could have gotten three times as much (\$6,000 x 3 = \$18,000) from some dull old tax-free bonds.

"Why, he was such a nice young man who sold this to me. I'd known him for years. A neighbor," she

said, shaking her head. "Ma'am, he's still a nice young man," I assured her. "The only difference is he's \$1,000 richer than he was before he collected his commission on this sale."

"And the only difference in your situation is you're \$12,000 poorer."

Some shelter. Lest you cry "Monday Morning quarterback" at me, let's look at the current sales pitch of this Los Angeles firm.

You were guaranteed 10 percent compounded for five years on purchases made last April, and a 4 percent minimum after that. But there's still a seven percent surrender charge.

So let's put in \$10,000, with 10 percent compounded for five years. The income will be \$6,105. So you draw it all out, the whole \$16,105. You pay the seven percent surrender charge of \$1,127. Mind you, you're paying that not on the principal — 7 percent to get your own money back.

That leaves you \$6,105 minus \$1,127 = \$4,978. Call it \$5,000 net.

Whoops! There's an income tax, 50 percent in Ann's case. The \$5,000 net now shrinks to \$2,500.

Now if you ask me, which no one has, I'd take the \$10,000 and buy some zero coupon tax-exempt yielding nine percent, with a maturity five years hence. The zero coupon, like the "accumulation policy" eliminates reinvestment problems.

In five years, \$10,000 in "zeros" yielding 9 percent would amount to \$15,000. No tax. No surrender charge. The income is \$5,000. The "shelter" coughed up \$2,500.

CPA firm opens Cass City office

Robert Tuckey announced this week that the accounting firm in which he is a partner will open an office in the Erla shopping mall in Cass City Oct. 1.

The company, Anderson, Tuckey and Bernhardt, currently has an office in Caro and plans now are to conduct business in both the Caro and Cass City offices Tuckey reports.

Tuckey is a native of Cass City and a graduate of Cass City High School. He makes his home in the community. He served as president of the Cass City Boosters' Club.



WORKING VISITOR — The chores for the day were done when Bert Vedder of the Netherlands watched the cows with Delores Walsh. His jobs on the Walsh farm have included milking cows, feeding hogs and disking.



ON THE FARM in the Netherlands, this wagon picks up mowed hay like a baler does, but hauls it loose to the silo. The tractor is the largest on the Vedder farm, 60 horsepower.



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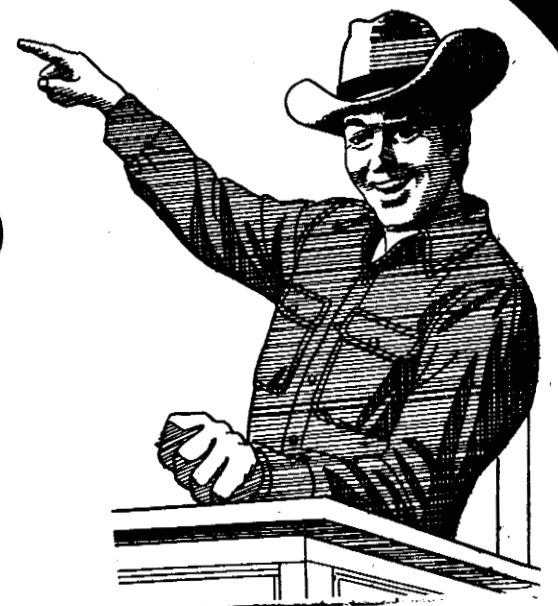
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3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Pony Rides - location same as above.

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Dr. Nipper accepts new pastorate

Dr. John F. Nipper has accepted the pastorate of the Park Avenue Presbyterian Church at Des Moines, Iowa. He began his new duties Sept. 1.

Dr. Nipper served the Ubyl Presbyterian Church and Fraser Presbyterian Church from 1968-73 before going to Vandalia, Ill., where he served the First Presbyterian Church since July, 1973.

He is married to the former Charlene MacRae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin MacRae of Cass City. The Nippers have two children, Michael and Laura.

Their new address is 2319 Stanton Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50321.

Deford Community plans events

Special events in the Deford Community Church begin Saturday and will conclude Wednesday, Sept. 21.

A run-a-thon will begin Saturday at the church property. Youths and adults of the church will participate until the conclusion Sunday at 10 a.m. The project is to raise money for a youth camp on Cyprus, where the missionary is James Roussos.

The missionary convention begins Sunday evening at 7 when family night attendance will be stressed. Ladies' night will be observed Monday evening at Nicky's Beagio's Restaurant in Gagetown when the missionary speaker will be William Harrigan.

Tuesday evening, men of the church will meet at the same location with Sam Birkey, missionary to Haiti, as the speaker.

Wednesday evening has been designated as children and youth night with a meeting at 7 at the church.

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'Grandparents' to be feted

A fifth-year birthday celebration for the Foster Grandparent Program will be held Friday at the St. Joseph's parish hall in Argyle.

The day will give special honor to the 44 foster grandparents who served Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties in 1982-83.

They provided one-on-one attention and love to children with special needs. Also part of the celebration will be a welcome for nine individuals who have become Foster Grandparents!

Representatives from the Foster Grandparent work sites—county intermediate school districts, local schools (public and parochial) and others—will also attend.

The Thumb area Foster Grandparent Program is sponsored by the Human Development Commission.

Second dairy assessment may disappear

There is a chance that dairy producers may not have to pay the second 50-cent assessment that went into effect Sept. 1, according to Michigan Farm Bureau commodity specialist Michael Kovacic.

The assessment went into effect when President Reagan vetoed a congressional resolution calling for a one-month delay to give itself more time to develop a new dairy program.

"Although the assessment is effective, it will probably not show up in milk checks until October," Kovacic said. "So, if Congress approves new dairy legislation that does not contain an assessment, dairymen may not see the impact of this second 50-cent assessment."

Unlike the dairy assessment implemented in April, the second assessment includes a plan for refunding the fee to producers who cut production.

Farm Bureau favors legislation that would repeal both 50-cent assessments and authorizes the secretary of agriculture to adjust the price support.

"All doors are open to courtesy," Thomas Fuller

School Menu

SEPT. 19-23
MONDAY
Pepperoni Pizza
Sweet Peas
Chilled Applesauce
Milk
TUESDAY
Ring Day
Goulash
Steamed Green Beans
Peach Chunks
Bread & Butter
Milk
WEDNESDAY
Coney Island Hot Dogs
Hot Buttered Corn
Chilled Applesauce
Milk
THURSDAY
Oven Baked Chicken
Potato Tots
Fruit Cocktail
Dinner Roll & Butter
Milk
FRIDAY
Flaked White Cod/Bun
French Fries
Chilled Peaches
Milk

New books at the library

SUDDEN DEATH by Rita Mae Brown (fiction). This novel strips away the hypocrisy of the women's pro tennis circuit to reveal the greed, in-fighting and potential for scandal that lies beneath tennis' wholesome image. Carmen Semena, an Argentine dynamo in love with an older woman, sets her sights on the Grand Slam. Carmen's career is almost ruined when her former lover and tennis rival leaks word of their affair to a cut-throat reporter.

BALEFIRE by Kenneth Goddard (fiction). Thanatos, a terrorist backed by an international cabal known as the Committee, launches a carefully planned assault on the police department of Huntington Beach, Calif. This is the first stage of a spectacular demonstration against the 1984 Olympics, about to open in nearby Los Angeles. After several cops have been killed, wounded or grievously humiliated, Detective Sgt. Walter Anderson secretly organizes a team of colleagues whose determination to locate and destroy Thanatos becomes an all-consuming obsession.

CHILDREN WITHOUT CHILDHOOD by Marie Winn (non-fiction). Today's 12-year-olds may have sex, smoke marijuana and watch porn on television. Childhood, as earlier generations knew it, is dead. The replacement of marbles by arcade video games signals the death of childhood play, comments author Winn. With television exposing kids to an endless variety of adult situations, parents have abandoned a protective role. They now have a "collaborative" relationship with their offspring in which the child is enlisted as an accomplice in his or her own upbringing, Winn argues.

HEALTH TIPS

Early detection vital with cancer

At a rate of nearly one death every 80 seconds, cancer will claim the lives of approximately 400,000 Americans this year. These numbers are grim.

But even more disturbing, according to the Michigan State Medical Society, is that 130,000 of these people might have been saved through earlier detection and treatment.

Cancers are malignant tumors (localized tumors are termed benign) and are characterized by unrestrained growth of abnormal cells. In their rapid growth, cancers may travel through the body's circulatory and lymphatic systems to distant locations. This spreading and the consequent destruction of normal tissue, unless checked, will be fatal.

Not all cancers, however, grow at the same rate of speed. Some may take months to spread beyond control; others become incurable within weeks. Likewise, the growth rate of a particular cancer seldom remains constant. Accelerations and remissions are common.

One-third of all cancers in the United States are being cured today. That means that 33 percent of the patients are surviving, free of disease, for at least five years following treatment completion. Most of the credit for this improvement must be attributed to earlier disease detection.

Cancers are most readily curable if treated before they are able to spread from their original locations. Thus it is important for all persons to know the warning signs of cancer and to report the appearance of any of them to their physician immediately. Early discovery of a cancer, without prompt diagnosis and treatment, destroys the advantage of finding it early.

The cancer warning signals include the following:

- 1) Unusual bleeding or discharge.
- 2) A lump or thickening in the breast or elsewhere.
- 3) A sore that does not heal.
- 4) Change in bowel or bladder habits.
- 5) Hoarseness or cough.
- 6) Indigestion or difficulty in swallowing.
- 7) Change in a wart or mole.

Persistence of any of these symptoms for longer than two weeks warrants a doctor's attention. They do not necessarily indicate a cancer, but should be investigated.

Individuals need to maintain an awareness of their bodies. That means watching for irregularities, performing breast or testicle self-examinations, and ensuring that the dentist

checks for oral cancers and the physician checks for cervical, colon, and rectal cancers regularly.

Cancer does not mean death—particularly if detection of the malignancy is made early.

Spinach is a member of the goosefoot plant family. Surprisingly, it is first cousin to the beet. Eating spinach is a good way to build up iron in the blood.

Scouts collect over \$200

Boy Scout Troop 589 and Cub Pack 3589, both of Gagetown, collected more than \$200 for "Jerry's Kids" (the Muscular Dystrophy

Association) Labor Day. In addition to the scouts, also collecting were Scoutmaster Dave Kirby; activities chairman Rusty Martindale; Martindale's daughter, Angie; Stacy Rievert, and Bill Fisher of the Elmwood Township-Gagetown Fire Department.

Fisher drove the scouts around on a fire truck as they went door-to-door asking for donations.



Coffee beans are actually the pits of a red, cherrylike fruit.

Doug Erla graduates

Douglas P. Erla received a bachelor's of business administration degree from the University of Michigan-Flint at the end of the first summer half-term.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Erla of 6732 Main Street and a 1979 graduate of Cass City High School.

Erla is now seeking employment in sales or management.

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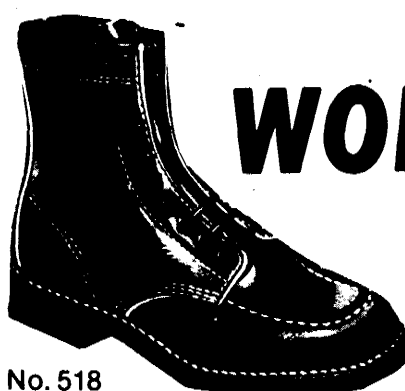
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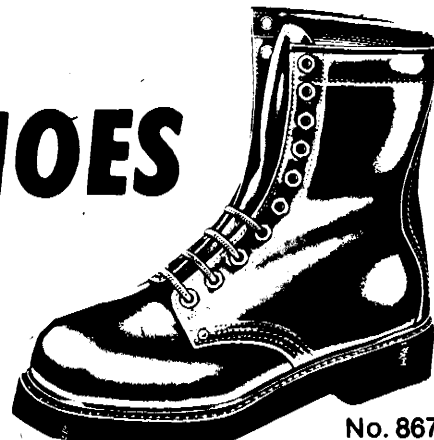
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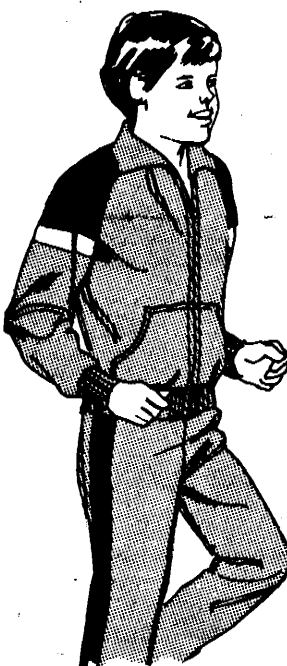
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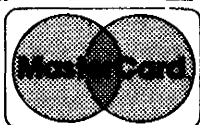


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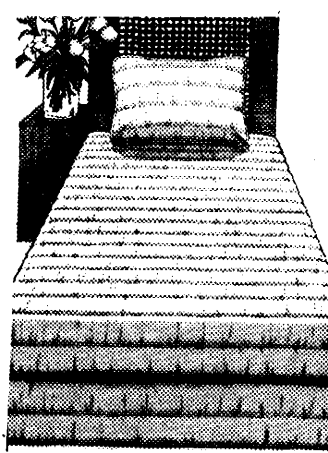
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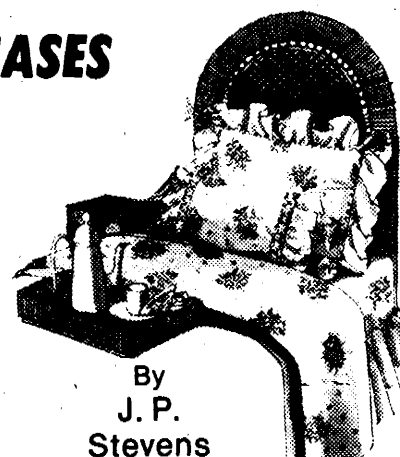
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ing came from California, Idaho, and Ohio, plus many places in Michigan. The oldest attending was Henrietta Severance of Saginaw, who is in her 80s. There was a potluck

Minard promoted

Marine Lance Cpl. Gary J. Minard, son of Gary Minard of 3575 Carter, Snover, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station, New River, Jacksonville, N.C.

meal, games, visiting, a program and singing. A program was printed for the 50th reunion, giving a brief history of the family. Officers reelected were: Les Severance, president; Roy Severance, vice-president; Alberta Severance, secretary-treasurer, and Janet Severance, program chairman.

The 51st reunion will take place in the same place on Labor Day, 1984.

Michigan farmers had total farm expenses of \$3.0 billion in 1981. Just for the containers to package and ship their products to market, farmers paid \$13 million.

Your neighbor says

Some good shows are on television

"There are a lot of good programs on TV," according to Doris Hurd. "All you have to do is look for them."

Among shows she watches are "The Waltons" (shown in reruns), "PM Magazine" and game shows.

Shows she enjoyed that were on this summer were "On the Road," with Charles Kuralt, "which was very good," and "Our Times" with Bill Moyers. Mrs. Hurd liked "Little House on the Prairie." "I used to watch that every night when it was on. That's something the whole family can watch."

She watches Billy Graham specials.

Other favorites include the "Dukes of Hazzard" -- "I don't miss that at all if I can help it." -- and "Dallas."

Mrs. Hurd has some reservations about television. For instance, some children might get the wrong impression from watching the car chases on "Dukes of Hazzard." "...kids think, 'if they (on "Dukes") can drive that fast, I can too.' It depends on the child."

She also thinks there is too much profanity on television, citing the example of her 2½-year-old granddaughter, who, not realizing the significance of the words she heard used on television, said, "Damn it," when her doll didn't work.

Television shows could use less violence. "I think we have enough violence in this world as it is."

But for persons who think television portrays too much of the sordid side of life, Mrs. Hurd cautions that it's only make-believe. "To me, it's just a play. I just take it as it comes. Maybe some things get out of hand once in a while."

A widow, Mrs. Hurd lives on Third Street. She has four daughters and 13 grandchildren.



Change in policy

The Tuscola County United Way Board has announced a change in the designation policy for United Way pledges this year.

According to executive secretary Peggy Hutton, Tuscola County residents who are employed outside the county can now designate 100 percent of their pledge to Tuscola County United Way.

The Tuscola County United Way urges all Tuscola County residents employed outside of the county to ask for a special designation form when filling out their United Way pledge card at their place of employment.

It feels this new policy will be an important part of the support local agencies will receive this year and for many years to come.

Kingston 4-H'er fifth in standardbred judging

Michelle McGraw of Kingston placed fifth in conformation judging at the Michigan 4-H Standardbred Production Project Show Aug. 27 in Adrian.

The show was the final activity in a number of events planned to help Michigan 4-H members participating in the Michigan 4-H Standardbred Production Project to develop a greater understanding of the Michigan harness horse raising industry.

4-H members involved in the production program were given a weanling standardbred foal to raise for

one year. During the year the 4-H'ers attended a number of workshops and field trips designed to help them learn about harness horse breeding, training and racing. They also work with the foals to teach them basic stable and trailering manners.

At the end of the program, members bring their yearlings to a special show so that judges and prospective buyers can evaluate the horses' conditioning and training and potential as winning harness horses.

The yearlings are sold at an auction and 4-H members receive one-third of

the selling price after expenses. The breeder who donated the horse to the program receives the remainder.

Selling prices for this year's horses ranged from \$1,100 to \$8,200, with the average price being \$3,100.

The Michigan Standardbred Horse Production Project is jointly sponsored by the Michigan Harness Horsemen's Association, the Michigan Standardbred Breeders' Association and the Michigan 4-H Youth Program.

Horses for this year's project were made available by several breeders.

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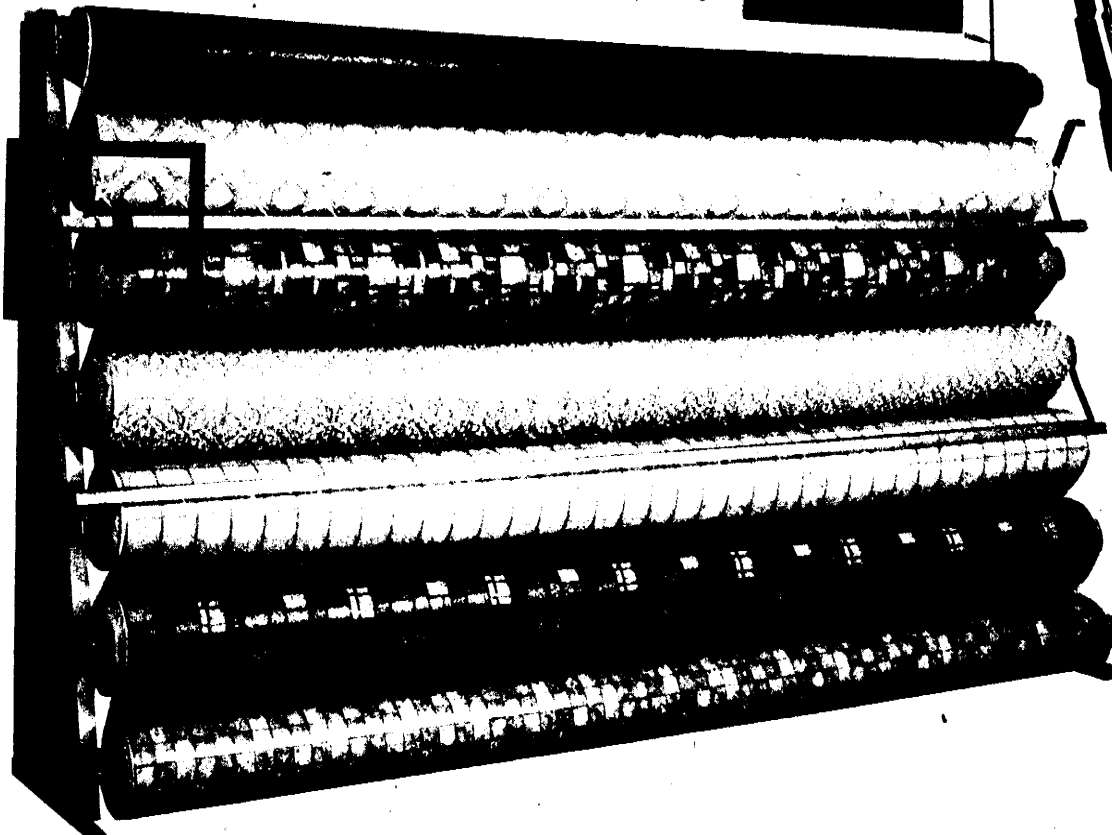
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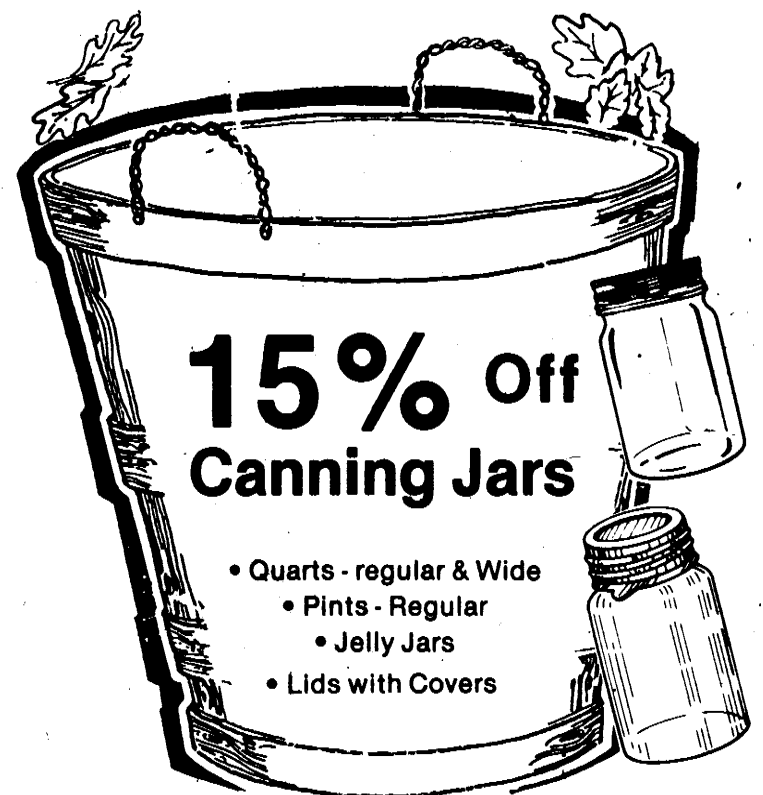
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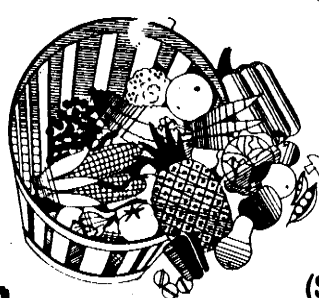
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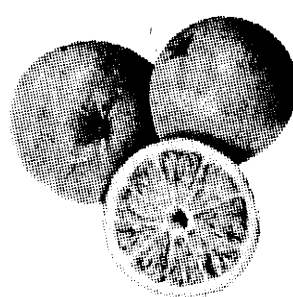
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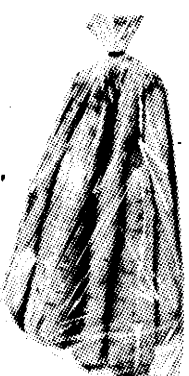
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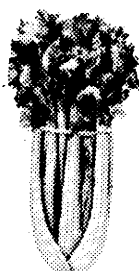
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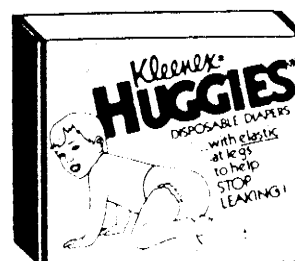


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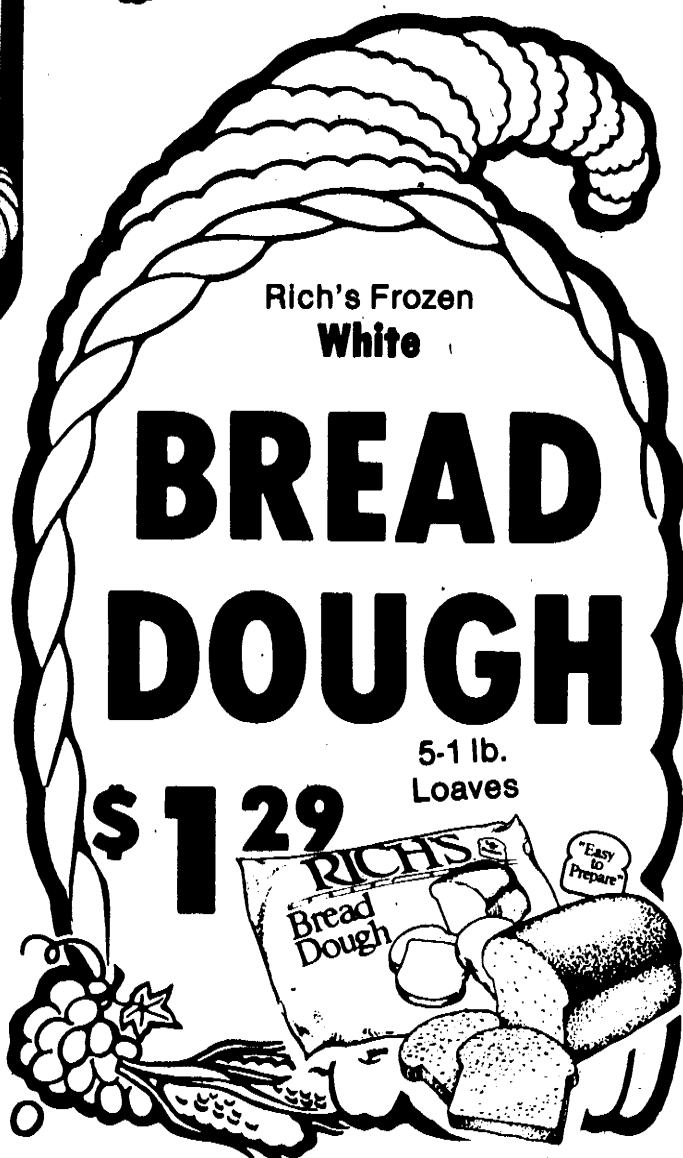


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Mrs. Milford Robinson, Mrs. Frank Pelton and Mrs. Karen King and girls attended a cookout Labor Day with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rich and family of Decker-ville.

Scott Moore celebrated his second birthday Saturday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Moore, and sister Laura. Also guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Moore, Tracy and Charlotte and her friend of New Jersey. Cake and ice cream were served.

UMW

The Shabbona United Methodist Women met Wednesday evening, Sept. 7, with Mrs. William Jones.

Greetings were extended by Mrs. Arlie Gray, president. Roll call was answered by 19 members, with a childhood picture for identification. The worship was in charge of Mrs. Arthur Severance. The leaders were Mrs. Clark Auslander, who talked about the Statue of Liberty, and Mrs. Andy Hoagg who read poems.

The same officers were reelected. Lunch was served by the hosts.

The Oct. 5 meeting is with Mrs. Dick Wallace. A pledge service will be held with Mrs. Karen King as leader.

Mrs. Orpha Wagner of Florida and Mrs. Phoebe

Klinkman of Cass City were Thursday afternoon callers of Mrs. Wilfred Turner.

The Pioneer Group will meet Thursday, Sept. 22, at the Sanilac County Park for a potluck dinner at noon. Bring a reading or something for the program. If weather is bad go to Edna Geister's home at Hemans.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Geister of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister of Marlette, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Franklin and family of Brown City, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Smith and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russ Smith and family. The occasion was in honor of Russell's birthday.

Mrs. Vern Severance of Saginaw has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Duane Geister, at Hemans. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Wednesday afternoon and evening guests at the Geister home. They all went out for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler spent three days in Milton, Ont., visiting relatives.

Farm Bureau annual meeting set Sept. 22

The Tuscola County Farm Bureau annual meeting will be held Thursday evening, Sept. 22, at the Caro High School cafeteria.

A buffet dinner will be served from 6:30-7:30.

The business meeting will be called to order at 7:45. The agenda will include reports on county and committee activities, election of directors, and consideration of resolutions.

Three communicators of the year, representing radio, newspaper, and television, will be recognized as well as retiring board members and students who represented the county Farm Bureau at the Young People's Citizenship Seminar.

There will be door prizes and entertainment, a vocal duet by the Partlo twins, Lisa and Lora, complete with costumes and a dance routine. The twins were the winners of the 1983 4-H talent contest.

Salem church honors its choir members

One hundred members of the Salem United Methodist Church attended an appreciation dinner Friday evening sponsored by the Golden Rule class for the 28 choir members.

It was held in the church dining room. Three former choir members who are not now taking part were given special recognition, Esther McCullough, Neva Zinnecker and Clark Helwig. The women were presented with corsages and Helwig with a boutonniere.

Muriel Addison was the acting hostess. Helen Bartle was in charge of the program. There was group singing and Mrs. Stanley Kinn, Helwig and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos gave a resume of former choir activities.

The program concluded with many pictures of the church and various functions being shown by Earl Harris.

Mrs. McCullough served punch preceding the meal, which featured a decorated cake.

Nicol-Watson reunion held

The annual Nicol-Watson reunion was held at the Cass City Recreation Park Aug. 28 with 72 relatives enjoying a potluck dinner.

Some of the older members were Gladys Hichens, Leland Nicol, Earl and Ruth Nicol and Ernest and Mildred Nicol. Youngest attending were Daniel Nicol and Heather Cleland, both less than 1 year old.

Canadian relatives attending for the first time were Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Campbell, and Rory Campbell, all from Ontario.

Rory played the bagpipes in the afternoon for entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Heronemus and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith dined out for breakfast Wednesday.

The first fall meeting of the Shabbona Extension will meet Monday evening, Sept. 26, with Mrs. Jim McIntosh at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dorman of Caro were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Sunday, Sept. 18, after church, a cooperative dinner will be served followed by visiting and old fashioned Gospel Sing at 2:30. It is Homecoming for Shabbona United Methodist Church. Guests are welcome.

The Evergreen Guys and Gals 4-H will meet Monday, Sept. 26, at the Evergreen School at 7:30. This is one week later. Sign sheet will be available.

Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh and Mrs. Alex Cherniawski and Candice were Friday callers of Mrs. Philip Leppardt of Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Groombridge of Cass City.

Many from this community attended the garden wedding of Amy Doerr and Frank Hess at the home of Amy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr, Uby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg and Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mika and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Frownfilter of Vassar were Monday dinner guests of Mrs. Frank Pelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Darr and Tisa were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Moore and family were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Kritzman spent Labor Day week end visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Balboa Ankenbrandt, at their summer home in Killaloe, Ont.

'Last acre' fete set for soil survey

The Tuscola Soil Conservation District will sponsor a "last acre ceremony" for the new progressive soil survey in Tuscola County Wednesday, Sept. 21, at the Albert and Arlo Ruggles farm, a half-mile east of Kingston on M-46 (south side).

Maynard McConkey will present the background on the development of the soil survey and the agencies involved. There will be an examination of a representative soil profile and a brief discussion of the uses of a soil survey.

Completion dates for compilation of the soil maps and the final publication for distribution will also be discussed.

For further information on the soil survey, contact the Tuscola Soil Conservation District Office, 852 S. Hooper Street, Caro.

Republicans schedule fund raiser

The Tuscola County Republican Committee will host a roast pig fund-raiser Thursday, Sept. 22, at the Caro Knights of Columbus Hall from 6:30 p.m.-midnight.

Guest speaker will be former Michigan Supreme Court Justice Thomas E. Brennan, president of Cooley Law School in Lansing.

Other special guests will be House Minority Leader J. Michael Busch of Saginaw; State Senator Dan DeGrow of Port Huron; Rep. Dick Allen of Fairgrove, and Jackie McGregor, vice-chairperson of the Republican State Committee.

Included in the evening's fare will be a roast pig dinner, refreshments, dancing and an auction of donated merchandise, according to event chairman Lyman Parker.

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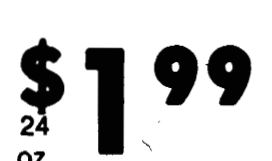
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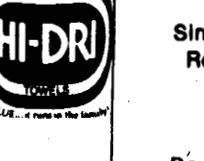


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Wendy Doerr of Novi spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gil Maurer of Elkton were evening guests of Reynold Tschirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orben Wilkins in Pontiac.

Katha Cleland of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Renaud and sons of Toronto spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and Saturday attended the garden wedding of Miss Amy Doerr and Fred Hass at the Jim Doerr home.

Mrs. Murill Shagena of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena attended the Hospital Auxiliary brunch at the Masonic Temple in Cass City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka.

Brenda and Carrie Tyrrell visited Mrs. Dave Sweeney Saturday.

The Euchre Club will meet Saturday, Sept. 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming.

Mrs. Jim Hewitt was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mrs. Jim Doerr and an evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bredow near Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming were Thursday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Leitch in Bad Axe in honor of Mrs. Laming's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Welton of Detroit were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and family.

Helen Collins of Rochester spent from Friday night through Monday with Mrs. Delbert Gracey.

Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended a Presbyterian Board meeting at the Linden Presbyterian Church Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cieslinski were Wednesday dinner and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka.

Mrs. Ronnie Gracey of Bad Axe was a Wednesday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mrs. Bessie Johnson and son Lennie of Shelbyville, Ind., spent from Wednesday till Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland. Other Wednesday guests were Mrs. Adrian Kippen of Port Huron and Mrs. Leslie Bailey of Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer of Bad Axe were Friday evening guests of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Virgo and Darnella were Friday afternoon guests of Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming spent the week end with Mrs. Marion Graves and Mrs. Ailene Mader at Canton.

Mrs. Don Jackson and Jim were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family.

Mrs. Delbert Gracey spent Thursday and Friday with Helen Collins in Rochester.

Dawn Harris, Sanilac County Home Economist, Carol Dropeski and Mrs. Lynn Spencer met at the home of Mrs. Curtis Cleland Tuesday for a planning meeting for the Color me Beautiful meeting Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 5, at the Deckerville Civic Center.

Janice Moore of Deckerville was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Milkey of Lewiston were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson visited Mrs. Lynn Hurford in Cass City, Mrs. R.B. Spencer and Clara Vogel in Caro and were supper guests of Clara Bond.

Wendy Doerr of Novi, Jerry Cleland and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Sunday evening fish cook-out guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family in honor of Jim Doerr's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel and Marney attended the Saginaw fair Sunday.

Mrs. Stephen Knowles of Pontiac and Jim Hewitt returned home Friday evening from a six-day trip when they took Lori Schultz to Gulfport, Miss., after Lori had spent nine months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt, while

Danny Schultz spent nine months in Guam. Danny Schultz, who is in the Navy, was promoted to 3rd Class Petty Officer and will arrive in Gulfport, Miss., Sept. 16, from Guam.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming.

Brent Jackson and Tony Roberts spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson and family in Oxford.

Jack Ross and Floyd Zuluaf of Uby and Bryce Champagne were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Virginia Zimmer of Marlette was a Friday guest of Mrs. Dave Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Monday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Glaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Friday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman.

Mrs. Bessie Johnson and son Lennie of Shelbyville, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mrs. George Jackson was a Sunday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. and family.

Mrs. Bessie Johnson and son of Shelbyville, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleland and Karen in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Canham of Niagara Falls, Canada, left Saturday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rounds of Bad Axe were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson and Edith.

Drs. Raymond and Catherine Miller of Bad Axe were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Overmyer and Fred Haas of Toledo, Ohio, and Denise Zerba of Mt. Pleasant were Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson attended a wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Bob Volmering at Pigeon VFW Hall, Saturday evening. Miss Tammy Morley and Bob Volmering were married at 2 o'clock Saturday at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church at Ruth.

Glen Shagena visited Leslie Hewitt Sunday evening.

Reynold Tschirhart was a Sunday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza.

SHOWER

Mrs. Stella Laba and Mrs. John Walker were co-hostesses at a pink and blue shower for Mrs. Jeff Laba at a Huron County road hall Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Games were played and prizes given. Mrs. Landenburg won the door prize.

A buffet lunch was served to around 30 guests.

Leigh Ann Overmyer, Lynn Haas of Toledo, Ohio, and Wendy Doerr of Novi were Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kim Anthony and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Chinoski of Parisville, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Maurer of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bukowski and Reynold Tschirhart attended the wedding of Justin Titeca and Tim Deachin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deachin of Lake Orion, Saturday morning at the Zion Evangelistic Church at Clawson. A dinner and reception followed at Bennetts' Court Yard at Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Booms and family at Harbor Beach.

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