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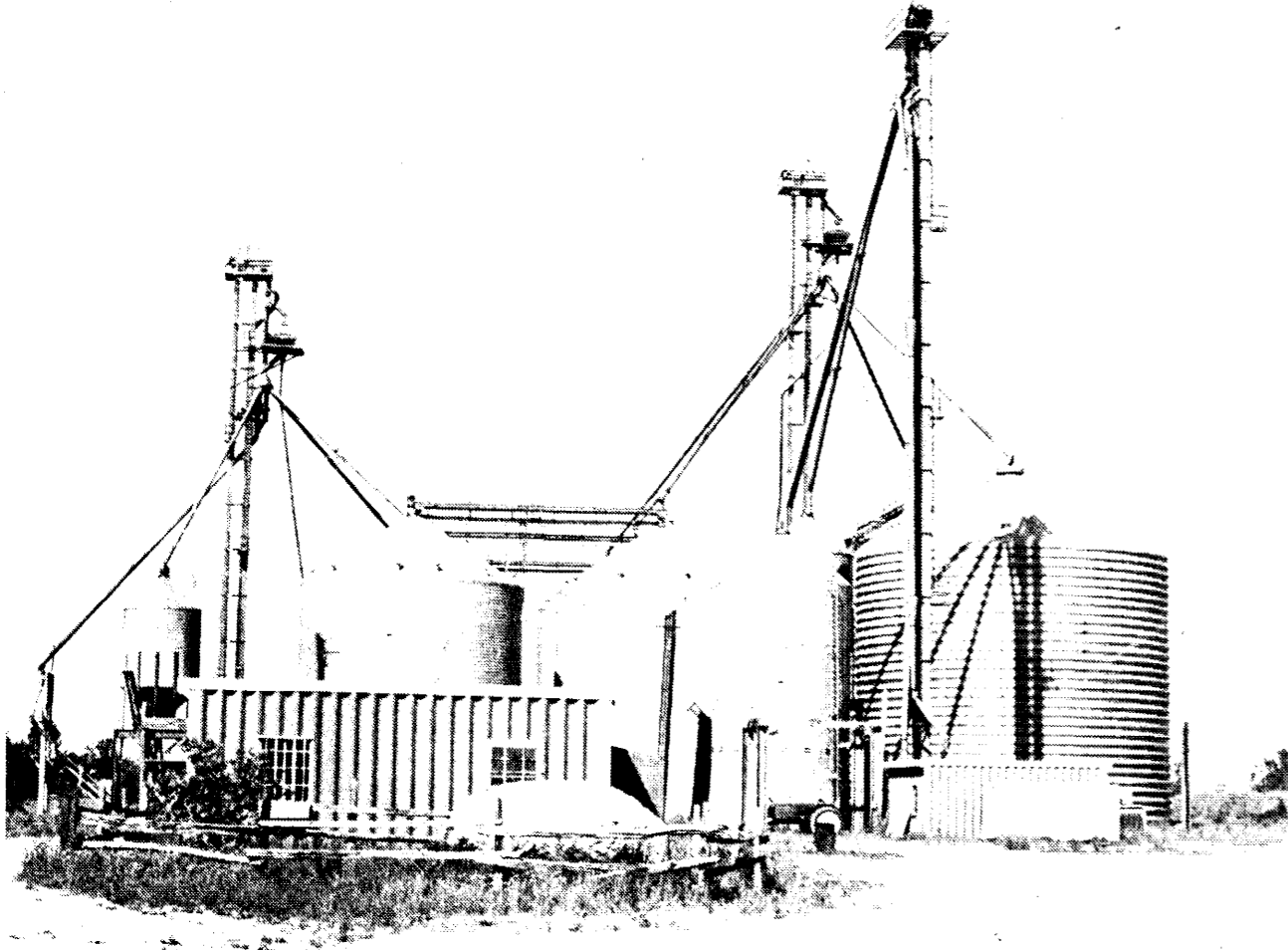
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EMPTY -- The now empty bins at the Thumb Area Commodity Cooperative Inc. terminal south of Cass City have a capacity of 714,000 bushels. It opened in September, 1976, and closed a couple of months ago.

Buyer sought

Closed grain terminal about \$800,000 in debt

By Mike Eliasohn

The Thumb Area Commodity Cooperative Inc. grain terminal south of Cass City has closed and is in the process of being foreclosed on by its main creditor.

The facility, according to its attorney, William Drillock of Marlette, owes about \$600,000 to Community Bank of Bad Axe, plus \$100,000 to Waters Trading Inc. on a bean sale deal that went sour, plus about \$100,000 to other creditors who obtained judgments against the cooperative.

TACCI, which in addition to the 714,000 bushel capacity terminal, owned the elevator at New Greenleaf, which has capacity of about 30,000 bushels. Operations ceased a couple of months ago, according to Terry Nichols, who was TACCI manager since September, 1982.

All the bins have been emptied. Farmers who owned grain in them had a choice of selling it or having it transferred elsewhere, so none are owed anything for their grain, according to

Nichols.

Grain that was being stored for the federal government's Commodity Credit Corp. was shipped to other elevators.

Some of the CCC owned grain, according to Drillock, was spoiled. Being awaited are results of an evaluation of the grain, to determine if TACCI owes CCC money for the damaged grain.

The Cass City terminal held its grand opening in September, 1976, at which time it was called the National Farmers Organization Grain Terminal.

Always locally owned, it broke away from the NFO three years later, in an effort to attract more customers, TACCI Board President Robert Bieble told the Chronicle in September, 1982. He couldn't be reached for comment about the terminal's going out of business.

According to Nichols, the cooperative's demise was due to several reasons, one of which was lack of adequate financing in the beginning. "It just got off to a bad start and never got

turned around."

Speculation by the management before he arrived was another. The terminal had contracts to sell a certain amount of grain, then when it didn't have enough to fill the contract, had to buy grain elsewhere at a loss to fill the contract. "It happened more than once."

The end of rail service by the Grand Trunk was a major blow. TACCI shipped more than 90 percent of its grain by rail. Last fall, when it couldn't get trains any more, it had to pay farmers 10 cents less than competing elevators to cover the higher cost of shipping by truck.

The cooperative stored and dealt dry beans, corn, wheat and oats and until a couple of years ago, soybeans. Nichols feels its failure to do anything else -- to sell seed, fertilizer, etc. -- also hurt. "That would have at least helped pay the bills."

Drillock feels the biggest reason for TACCI's folding was an increase in interest rates.

In the beginning, it was paying 7 1/2-8 percent on the money borrowed from Community Bank to construct the facility, which allowed it to make a small profit.

But the interest rate climbed to as much as 19 1/2 percent and it could no longer make a profit. "The thing that stuffed their ... down the hole is the interest rate," Drillock commented.

A Community Bank official declined comment, telling the Chronicle its relationship with TACCI was no different than with a single customer, and therefore not public information.

Drillock also feels that the NFO policy of holding grain until the price went up hurt the terminal in the beginning, that it only could make money if grain was continually moving in and out of storage.

He also said the terminal had some inadequate equipment, designed for farm storage bins, not commercial elevators. "It was more or less an oversized farm operation," Nichols commented and for a while had an inaccurate scale. It would pay farmers

for a certain amount of grain, only to find later it weighed less than that.

The bank is looking for a buyer for the facility, according to the attorney, and has a couple of prospects.

Asked if anyone has expressed interest in buying it, the bank official responded, "Not that I'm aware of."

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Fact finder to conduct teacher contract hearings

A state appointed fact finder will conduct hearings July 12 and 25 in an attempt to recommend a contract settlement for Cass City teachers and the school board.

The mediator is Joseph P. Girolamo, a Detroit attorney and arbitrator, appointed by the Michigan Employment Relations Commission, a state agency, which will pay his fee.

Teachers worked the past school year without a contract. The Tri-County Bargaining Association, which represents them in bargaining, filed a request with MERC last December for fact finding.

MERC took a long time to respond, then the selection process took place, involving both sides, which eventually resulted in Girolamo being named.

At the hearings, to be conducted at the high school, he will listen to testimony from both sides. He will then recommend a settlement. His recommendation is not binding, so a contract will still have to be negotiated.

According to Don Noble of the Michigan Education Association Cass City office, fact finders usually issue their recommendations 30 days after the final hearing, unless they request both sides to submit briefs after the hearing. If they do, the recommendation would likely come 30 days after the briefs are

With landfill closing

Burning ban, single trash hauler likely

Cass City homeowners may not have a choice in the future regarding what to do with their trash.

With the Sept. 1 deadline imposed by the state Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to either make improvements at the landfill or close it fast approaching, the village council Monday evening received a preview of the action likely to be recommended at the July 31 meeting by the public services committee.

There have been two meetings during the past month with DNR officials, the village's attorney, Clinton House, has been researching laws, and committee members Elwyn Helwig and Larry Davis and village superintendent Lou LaPonsie have been considering alternatives and reviewing ordinances from area villages regarding refuse disposal.

What they are likely to recommend is that the village seek bids from waste haulers and then award a contract to the low bidder to pick up all residential trash and haul it to an approved landfill.

All homeowners will be billed for the service along with the water bills. Burning of trash will likely be banned.

Davis and LaPonsie said that with one contractor picking up all residential trash, based on what they found in other communities, Cass City might pay less for refuse pickup than they pay now.

Davis pointed out that Cass City is perhaps the only village in the area that doesn't strictly regulate trash disposal. Residents can burn it, haul it to the landfill or pay a contractor

to pick it up. At least two waste haulers pick up household trash in Cass City.

There seems little doubt the committee will recommend closing the landfill. The cost of installing a plastic liner or denser clay there to reduce seepage, in accordance with state law, has been estimated at \$80,000, plus the DNR is aiming at eventual closing of all or most landfills in the state, to be replaced by recycling and other alternatives. The seepage rate slightly exceeds state requirements but isn't causing any known pollution problems.

One alternative that likely will be rejected is to establish a transfer station at the landfill, where homeowners could bring their trash, which would be put in a large bin to be hauled away by a contractor.

The DNR requires such trash bins to be inside a building and the area must be fenced. The cost can be from \$10,000-200,000 LaPonsie said. In reviewing what other area communities do with their trash, it was found none has transfer stations "and now we know why."

Since businesses and industries presumably already contract to have their trash hauled away, they likely won't be included in any ordinance governing trash disposal.

The public services committee will soon meet with

the supervisors of Elkland, Novesta, Elmwood and Elington Townships to inform them what will happen with the landfill. Those townships presently pay Cass City \$3.75 per resident per year so their citizens can use the landfill. Their boards will have to make their own arrangements for alternatives once it closes.

A still unanswered question is whether the state will pay any of the costs involved in closing the landfill and changing to something else.

Helwig read from a Michigan Municipal League bulletin that, "Michigan courts have held that Act 641 (the state law regulating landfills) is a state mandated cost and must be paid by the state. Thus, local government waste facilities are not required to meet the provisions of the law until the state provides funds. Since the state does not have money to fund local compliance, an amendment to Act 641 is proposed to remove the state mandate. It is highly questionable that this can be successfully done."

However, the position of the DNR, he explained, is their only job is to enforce Act 641. Who pays isn't their responsibility.

TAXES

Village Treasurer Joyce LaRoche reported property tax bills were mailed June 11. As of Tuesday, 15.29 per-

cent of the total of \$295,898 in taxes to be collected had been paid.

The top 10 taxpayers in the village and the amounts they will pay (real and personal property taxes combined) are: Walbro Corp., \$24,960; G.K. Technologies (General Cable), \$22,586; Provincial House, \$7,889; Detroit Edison, \$4,886; Charmont Lanes, \$3,632; Northwood Heights Apartments, \$3,432; Thomas Herron, \$2,960; Marshall Distributing, \$2,841; Cass City State Bank, \$2,672, and Chemical Bank, \$2,623.

The millage rate for village taxes is 15.123 mills, a decrease from 15.2995 last year. The total state equalized valuation of Cass City is \$23.44 million, up from \$22.15 million a year ago.

OTHER ITEMS

The 1979 police car with 115,000 miles on it was sold to Richard Greenwood for \$1,201, the highest of 10 bids.

Reconstruction of the two-lane portion of N. Seeger Street should begin next week. It is supposed to be done by Aug. 15. The bid was awarded last month to Hunt Construction Co.

The Tuscola County Road Commission took bids for resurfacing of the four lane portion of N. Seeger Street. Saginaw Asphalt is the contractor for \$36,011. The Michigan Department of

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Board oks tougher athlete eligibility

A new tougher athletic eligibility code was adopted at a special meeting of the Cass City School Board Monday at the high school.

It increased eligibility requirements from a passing grade in three subjects to a passing grade in all subjects in the current semester.

The final code revision was a compromise among trustees like Louis Horner who wanted stiffer academic requirements, as much as a "C" in every subject and those favoring easier requirements. Dick Wallace was a leader in the group favoring an easier eligibility standard.

The coaching staff and the administration favored

the code as passed. Principal Russell Richards said that an estimated 12 percent of the students failed at least one course during a semester.

Don Schelke, football coach, said that the new code would affect several of his football players.

Eligibility will be on a weekly basis under the new code. Each teacher will receive a form to be filled out on Thursday to determine eligibility for the following week.

Athletic Director Roland Pakonen said that the new code had the approval of the school's coaches. It was the coaches who originally asked for a stiffening of eligibility requirements.

The reason that stiffer academic requirements were not adopted was the fear that a group of students would be incapable of meeting all "C" standards no matter how hard they worked.

There was considerable discussion about making the scholastic standards apply to all extracurricular activities, but the plan was abandoned as impractical. In one other business the board signed a contract with Barbara Tuckey to teach at Deford Elementary School.

She will be a tenure teacher and will be paid for previous service, placing her on the top of the pay scale.



THE LITTLE ANT felled the mighty Maple. Village workers were forced to cut the big tree at the corner of Huron and Seeger when ants infested it.

Food, clothing available to help those in need

"In His Name," a project to help needy persons, run by Cass City churches, needs children's clothes and basic household necessities.

Meanwhile, the food closet at the First Baptist Church continues to operate.

In His Name started last November as a drive to collect items as Christmas gifts for area needy families. The group distributed boxes of clothing, food and toys to about 25 families.

"The response was so great that when Christmas was done, we had so much of this stuff, we said, 'What are we going to do with all of it?'" said a representative, who asked not to be named. "That's when we

started to look for a location."

In His Name moved into the former office of dentist E.C. Fritz, over the Coach Light Pharmacy. The office is open 9 a.m.-noon Tuesdays for persons who need items or would like to donate them.

Persons seeking aid do not have to show proof of need, because that is getting too personal, the representative said.

"We figure that if we help a lot of people and a few are ripping us off, it's still worth it," she explained. "We know we are reaching a lot of people who really need it."

Approximately 20 members from area churches

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Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little

Phone 872-3698



ANGIE AND RANDALL PERRY

Angie Saldana and Randall L. Perry were married April 28 in an afternoon ceremony at the First Baptist Church, Cass City, by Rev. John Wood.

The bride's parents are Blas and Lydia Saldana, Sandusky. The groom's parents are Jim and Geri Perry, Cass City.

The bride wore a dress with full skirt adorned with tiers of Chantilly lace and a fitted bodice with floral designs and Queen Anne neckline. The sleeves came to a point at the back. The skirt had a full cathedral-length train and was decorated with tiers of Chantilly lace. The cathedral-length veil also was adorned with Chantilly lace.

She carried a bouquet made of 16 white sweetheart roses, a touch of lavender forget-me-nots and baby's breath, decorated with white lace and ribbon.

The maid of honor was Debra Ouvry, Cass City, a friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Shelley LaPeer, Shana Loeffler, Linda Regnerus and Colleen Woods, all friends of the bride, from Cass City, and Maria Saldana, Deckerville, cousin of the bride.

The bridesmaids wore lavender dresses with off-the-shoulder, fitted bodices, floor length skirts and white lace gloves with wrist ruffles. They carried white lace parasols with corsages on the handles.

Flower girl was Jessica Saldana, Sandusky, sister of the bride.

Best man was Gary

Perry, brother of the groom, Cass City. Groomsmen were Mike Weiderhold, Caro, Phillip Martin, Richard Jones and Dale Doyen, all of Cass City, and Scott Beutler, Argyle, all friends of the groom.

Ushers were Kevin Loeffler, Gageton, and David Hutchinson, Cass City, friends of the groom, Blas Saldana Jr., Sandusky, brother of the bride, and Eusebio Saldana Jr., cousin of the bride, Deckerville.

Ring bearer was Tony Shaw, cousin of the groom, Decker.

Guest book attendant was Rachel Saldana, sister of the bride, Sandusky.

The music was "Whither Thou Goest," "Each for the Other" and "Hand in Hand We'll Walk Together." Songs were performed by Don Greenleaf, soloist, organ and piano, and Melanie Enos, soloist.

The ceremony was a candlelight wedding, with spiral brass candelabras, and white bows on the candelabras and pews. The wedding flowers were two arrangements of gladioli, lavender carnations and ferns.

The dinner was in the church basement. Hostesses were Helen Rayl, aunt of the groom, and Karen Spry, sister of the groom.

The couple spent their honeymoon in Toronto and live in Bad Axe, where the groom works as a radiator repairman at Cottick Radiator.

The bride is a 1983 Cass City High School graduate. Her husband graduated from there in 1979.

Thirty-nine women of Salem UM Church participated in the seventh annual mystery trip Saturday. Louise Buehly was in charge of arrangements. The trip began with breakfast at Salem Church served by Mrs. Buehly, assisted by Sandy Walter, Deb Otulakowski and Becky Hennessey. Chesaning was the first stop where the group had lunch at the Heritage House after which they toured six Heritage House shops. En route home the group spent an hour in Frankenmuth.

Mrs. Don Lorentzen, Mrs. Marie Jetta and Mrs. Betty Greenleaf were in Saginaw Sunday and were joined by Anne Marie Lorentzen of Saginaw for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frank and Mrs. Glenn McClorey visited Frederick McClorey Sunday in the VA Hospital in Ann Arbor. He is recovering from major surgery which he underwent Wednesday of last week.

David Kitchen, Cass City, and friends, Tony Chamberlain of Grand Haven and Volker Stein of Darmstadt, West Germany, were in Chicago June 15-17 guests of Matt Pritsker. The four are students at the college of literature, science and arts at the University of Michigan Ann Arbor.

Christine Wright of Salem UM Church is attending Bay Shore camp at Sebawaing this week.

Thirty junior and senior Sunday school class members of Salem UM Church accompanied by five teachers, Fran and Dave Lovejoy, Roy and Kathy Tuckey and Barbara Tuckey, spent Sunday at Bob-Lo Island.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

BIRTHS:

June 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Mark (Denise) McLeod, Port Austin, a boy, Joey Ray.

June 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby (Mary) Redmond, Deford, a boy, William Wayne.

June 21, to Mr. and Mrs. John (Linda) Gage, Cass City, a boy.

June 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Brian (Carmen) Jenkins, Marlette, a girl.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, JUNE 25, WERE:

Mrs. Selina Bunn, Mrs. Yvonne Burleson, Mrs. Margaret Creason of Cass City;

Jamie Pasanski and Clark Auslander of Decker; Mrs. Rose Christian of Unionville;

Mrs. Mabel Garries and Basil Taylor of Kingston; Louis Geiger of Deford; Mrs. Emma Irion of Sebawaing;

Michael Walkiewicz of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bullock of Eaton Rapids were luncheon guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ashmore of Gageton were Monday afternoon callers at the Andrew Kozan home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus Sr. went to Laingsburg Thursday to attend a picnic for Florida and Michigan people. About 80 attended. From there, the Martuses went to Battle Creek, where they visited their daughter, Mary Jean Zielke and children until Saturday. Another picnic is planned for August.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Wright and sons of Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright went to Milford Saturday to attend the silver wedding anniversary celebration of Mrs. Charles Wright's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morell spent from Monday until Thursday of last week fishing at Pickford in the Upper Peninsula.

Born June 23 at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, to Michael and Paula (Auvil) Doerr of Sebawaing, an eight-pound, seven-ounce girl. She was 21 1/2 inches long and has been named Jessica Chere. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doerr and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Auvil of Cass City. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Kathleen Auvil, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Decker Sr. and Mrs. Marian Whitefoot, all of Cass City.

The Great Lakes Bible College presentation of the summer choir program Sunday evening in the Novesta Church of Christ was well attended. The 30 choir members were selected from high school students from Ohio, Indiana and Michigan by auditions. Among the group is Carol Lockard of the local church.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kozan and grandson Greg of New Lothrop were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozan. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dost and son Andrew of Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozan and daughter Frances and Mr. and Mrs. Dost and son visited Randy Kozan on Rescue Road later in the day.

Eighty nine relatives and friends of Brian Czekai, a member of this year's graduating class, attended an open house for him Saturday afternoon at the George Czekai home on Crawford Road. Coming from a distance were people from Port Huron, East Tawas, Bay City, Saginaw, Clio and Millington.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rienstra had as guests, since June 1, Major and Mrs. Dean Rienstra of Boise, Idaho, and his daughter Dana of Caro. They spent from June 14-18 at the Rienstra cottage at Harrison and visited the Dennis Rienstra family and attended Amber Rienstra's ballet dance class recital.

The Peter Rienstras took the Dean Rienstras June 19 to Tri-City Airport for their return to Boise.

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Paul Asher, son of David and Sharon Asher, and Jennifer Baker, daughter of Tom and Sue Baker, will attend the camp this summer.

The scholarships, worth \$155, are awarded by Marshall Music Co., Lansing. More than 300 scholarships are given out statewide.

Peanuts are a basic crop of economic importance to about 84,000 farmers.

A change of time for Sunday morning services in Evangelical Free Church for the months of July and August has been announced. Starting July 1, Sunday school will start at 8:45 a.m. and morning worship service will begin at 10:00 a.m.

Some 40 persons of all ages met Friday evening at Evangelical Free Church at seven o'clock to participate in a road rally. In charge of arrangements were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Martin where the meal, following the trip about town, was provided by Mrs. Eldred Kelley. Devotions were led by Mr. Martin. Clues written in rhyme were provided each driver and the occupants of the car.

Lori Hyzer of Caseville came Monday night to spend until Saturday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Geiger.

The Golden Rule class of Salem UM Church meets Thursday evening of this week at six o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earnsey Seelye.

Lester Hendrick of Eaton Rapids spent from Friday until Sunday here and visited Theo Hendrick and Sunday attended a gathering of relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barrigar.

Marriage Licenses

Christopher J. Brandt, Gary, Ind., and Elizabeth D. Flemington, Cass City.

David A. Block, Saline, and Sherri L. Chapin, Caro.

Lewis C. Hall, Houston, Texas, and Linda S. LaHaie, Caro.

James L. Skinner, Caro, and Catherine A. Blakely, Akron.

Anthony D. Gifford, Otter Lake, and Layna J. Nelson, Millington.

Jesus G. Ruiz, Fairgrove, and Lee A. Higgins, Akron.

Kevin B. Aymer, Vassar, and Tina L. Williams, Vassar.

David W. Bock, Cass City, and Shari R. Spencer, Cass City.

Roger A. Vezeau, Cromwell, Ind., and Cindy L. Smith, Caro.

Gary S. King, Deford, and Mary B. Stilson, Cass City.

William R. Repshinska, Cass City, and Beverly J. Henderson, Cass City.

David R. McKenney, Vassar, and June A. Markhart, Reese.

Edward Lawson, Caro, and Grace L. Thurman, Detroit.

Ross L. Downing, Caro, and Margaret M. Woern, Caro.

Bruce A. Bowman, Millington, and Sheri L. Roggentine, Millington.

Lloyd J. McNaughton, Vassar, and Maryjoel Keller, Caro.

Albert L. Lord, Caro, and Susan A. Schlicht, Caro.

Randy L. Czaplak, Caro, and Sheila A. Stewart, Caro.



BRENDA AND PAUL WARCZINSKY

May 12, Brenda Ann Rich and Paul Edwin Warczynski were married at St. John's Lutheran Church, Palms.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. L.W. Nutzman.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Rich, Deckerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry E. Warczynski, Palms.

Beth Cleland, soloist, sang "The Wedding Song" and "Time in a Bottle," accompanied by Margaret Thompson at the organ.

Given in marriage by her father, Brenda chose a springtime gown featuring a scoop neckline with short puffy sleeves, nylon eyelet over taffeta, trimmed with scallops of Venice lace and tiny ribbons with a chapel train. A ring of baby's breath and white roses topped off her gown and veil.

The bride carried a bouquet of pink roses laced with baby's breath and tiny lavender flowers.

The mother of the bride chose a street length dress of pink polyester. The groom's mother chose blue for her street-length dress.

Maid of honor Angie Pearson, friend of the bride, chose lavender over taffeta for her waltz-length gown.

Bridesmaids Laura

WEDDING POLICY

The Chronicle will only use photographs with wedding stories if they are received within two months of the wedding date.

Photographs can be in black and white or color.

BRIDAL REGISTRY

Sharry Jones - July 7th
Dorothy Schwartz - July 21st
Dawn Mitchell - July 28th

Any "Bride-to-Be" registering with us will receive a free gift.



Nothing Ordinary

Cass City 872-5172

BIDS FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners will receive sealed bids for the construction of a radio transmitter and generator building to be located at 155 Deckerville Road.

Building size 14' x 14' to be constructed of hollow masonry with brick veneer and 4 ply built up asphalt roof. Bids to include general construction, electrical work and necessary permits.

Bids to be delivered to Tuscola County Department of Public Works, 207 E. Grant Street, Caro, MI 48723.

A Performance Bond of \$200.00 or Cash is required, refundable upon satisfactory completion of Project. Bidder shall furnish necessary liability insurance.

Plans and specifications may be inspected at Tuscola County Department of Public Works Office: 207 E. Grant Street, Caro, Michigan.

Deadline to receive bids July 20, 1984 at 4:00 p.m.

Bid Opening July 23, 1984 at 10:00 a.m.

Bid Award July 24, 1984 at 1:45 p.m. at Board of Commissioners Meeting.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive any informality in any bids should it consider same to be in the best interest of the County.

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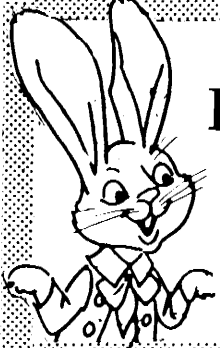
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- Sleepwear
- Coats

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The Clothes Closet

Bad Axe Cass City

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Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

The Cass City School Board passed a new athletic code Monday, but for awhile it looked as if no meeting would be held. There were only three trustees present at the 7:30 starting time. Louis Horner came in about 8:20 to make a quorum and Dick Albee made it to his final meeting a little while later.

Newly-elected trustee Ken Micklash was present but he can't take his board seat until July 1.

Dr. E. Paul Lockwood and Thresa Burnette didn't make the meeting.

The Fourth is on Wednesday next week so the Chronicle will be published a day early. Your usual good cooperation with the day earlier deadlines will be appreciated.

Unless you planned your vacation at the beach Monday and Tuesday the weather was ideal. Low humidity, mild, not hot, weather. Great for sleeping and golf. Zilch for water skiing and swimming.

Dean Brown, scout executive, is planning a 75th anniversary of scouting in Cass City next February. He's looking for old photos, hand books, uniforms or what have you for a display.

Any information about the early days of scouting in the community would be appreciated.

Kingston High lists honor roll

The following Kingston Junior-Senior High School students made the honor roll for the final marking period. A* indicates all A's. The rest received a B average or better.

SEVENTH -- *Lori Chantiny, *Dusty Finley, *Anna Peter, Shane Campbell, James Fourman, Christine Lis, Mary Lucius and Sherri Rieck.

EIGHTH -- *Joseph Sommerville, Rusty Dawson, Tim Dawson, Melissa Ernst, John Gusek, Louie Magiera, Robert Mock, Deanna O'Dell, Vanessa Owen, Amy Rieck, Tom Rye, Ed Trisch, Robert Zyrowski Jr.

NINTH -- Corey Brown, Karen Gerhardt, Lisa Klimek, Kris Kotsch, Julie Lis, Lynette Lucius, David Megge, Lisa Meier, Rebecca Raymond and Julie Sommerville.

TENTH -- *David Green, Melissa Banowski and Monica Tait.

ELEVENTH -- *Marcia Britton, *Deanna Newton, Jeff Boyl, Renee Brabo,

Lisa Kelly, Wendy Rogers and Lori Smith.

TWELFTH -- *Denise James, *Cathleen Szostak, Michael Byers, Belinda Eldridge, Alice Finley, Lynne Gilmore, Kelly Jaster, Matthew Kopko, Lori Langley, Martin Deuschner, Julie Moshier, Jill Reehl and Eric Stoll.

Cookies bake best on sheets that are shiny on the top, dull on the bottom. Dark sheets can lead to over-browned cookies.



The Haire Net

This business could be a lot more fun if I really enjoyed attending meetings, listening to speeches, attending banquets or considered policy discussions scintillating conversation.

It would be more fun most of the time if it were at least interesting. Sadly, most of the time it's just boring. Oh, there are some bright spots that tend to alleviate the long boring evenings.

Some, but not many. That's why I've shucked most of the meetings off on Mike or, in summer, whatever college student is around.

About the only meeting that catches me on a regular basis these days is the Cass City School Board. One of the privileges of



MEMORIAL FLAG -- Marian Guinther Whitefoot (center) presented a flag Friday to VFW Commander Jim Wilson and VFW Ladies' Auxiliary President Ruth Spencer. The flag draped the coffin of Mrs. Whitefoot's husband Clarence, who served in France in World War I. Mrs. Whitefoot was also made a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary. She has had seven sons and five grandchildren serve in the military. The flag will join others in a special unit of the VFW in future Memorial Day parades in Cass City.

Numerous tools stolen from pickup in Gagetown

Theft of numerous tools from a pickup in Gagetown was reported to Caro state police Wednesday, June 20.

Gerald Middaugh of Caro told troopers the tools were apparently taken while he was at work at Evans Products. He discovered them missing June 19. They were taken from a toolbox inside a wood storage box mounted in the pickup bed.

Taken were a sledgehammer, electric drill, two sets of sockets, two sets of wrenches, locking pliers, set of screwdrivers, three crescent wrenches, two side cutters, and two pairs of slip joint pliers and a hacksaw. Value of the stolen items was not listed on the police report.

Lee Rabideau of Phillips Road, reported to Cass City police, who gave the information to the sheriff's department, that his one-year-old Labrador dog was apparently stolen.

He said about 10:30 p.m. last Wednesday night, he heard a truck pull up in front of his house, the dog barked and then it was quiet.

He added that the dog, valued at \$100, was not on a chain and liked to ride in vehicles.

Wallace Czekai of 4544 Brooker Street told Cass City police Monday morning that someone shot a BB at an upstairs window, making a hole in it, apparently during the previous week.

Barbara Root of Huron Line Road, Cass City, told village police at 10 p.m. last Wednesday that the driver's side door of her car was damaged while parked since 9:15 at the Charmont. It appeared someone kicked the door or hit it with an object.

Bernard Dadacki of 3050

"If It Fitz . . ."

Teflon citizens

By Jim Fitzgerald



A friendly stranger suggested I write something nice about a woman who just graduated magna cum laude from a university. Such suggestions do not slide off my mind as dead marines and wasteful junkets might slide off polytetrafluoroethylene.

Polytetrafluoroethylene is the chemical used in the manufacture of Teflon. A recent survey indicates many citizens are Teflon. Eggs fried on their faces slide off easily, leaving behind no unsightly bits of yolk.

Ironically, the survey was made for Public Opinion journal in response to the often-made charge that President Reagan and his administration are Teflon. It is claimed they are so slick that no matter what outrageous stunt they pull, it never sticks to them. They are never left with egg on their face.

To test the Teflon theory, Public Opinion asked 366 adult Americans such current-events questions as: Did they spot any albumen on the face of Edwin Meese after it was revealed he sometimes eats interest-free eggs laid on him by friends seeking cushy jobs in the White House? One-fourth of those questioned didn't even know who Meese was, let alone that he and Reagan are three-legged racers whose four shoes easily are splattered by one dropped egg.

So it appears their outrageous stunts not only don't stick to Reagan and buddies, no matter how much publicity the stunts receive, but they also don't stick to the public. There may be more polytetrafluoroethylene slipping rampant through the nation than anyone at first suspected.

But I hope not. Polytetrafluoroethylene could

cause people to lose their alpha androstenal. And that could take a lot of fun out of living.

Alpha androstenal is derived from human perspiration. Because some scientists believe it emits a sexually attractive smell, alpha androstenal is used in the manufacture of an after-shave called Andron. According to the Chicago Sun-Times, a young woman exposed to alpha androstenal said:

"I was sitting in the dentist's chair when I whiffed my doctor's after-shave. It was so sensual, I almost attacked him. And he was 71 years old."

It is obvious to me, and I'm only 57, that this world needs all the alpha androstenal that perspiring people can produce. But Teflon people would surely lose their alpha androstenal before it could be bottled. It would slide quickly off their slick polytetrafluoroethylene and seep into the ground, causing earthworms to become sexy.

So, romantic fool that I am, I like to think there really aren't many Teflon people in the United States. I like to think the reason Reagan's outrageous stunts don't stick to most citizens is not that they have slippery skin, but that — like me — they figure it doesn't do any good to keep chewing on cold scraps of


albumen.

I was outraged by Reagan's foul-up in Lebanon and the hundreds of dead marines. And I was outraged by chief lawman William French Smith, the most widely traveled attorney general in U.S. history, who spent nearly 734,000 taxpayers' dollars on a luxurious round-the-world trip while, back home, the law cracked down on welfare mothers who spent food stamps frivolously.

But I've been angered by such outrages all my life, and sometimes I tire of griping about them because it never does any good. Often I let the outrages slide right off me, not because I'm Teflon, but because I'm weary of the hopelessness. It's much more satisfying to write something that makes someone feel good.


So: Congratulations to Lynda Lindhardt of Farmington Hills, a 37-year-old wife and mother who just graduated from Lawrence Tech with a 3.74 grade point average. The remarkable culmination of several years of darn hard work will be celebrated at a big party Saturday. I've never met Lynda, but today I'm happy for her.

But I'm not Teflon, in danger of losing my alpha androstenal. Reagan might not care, but earthworms do.



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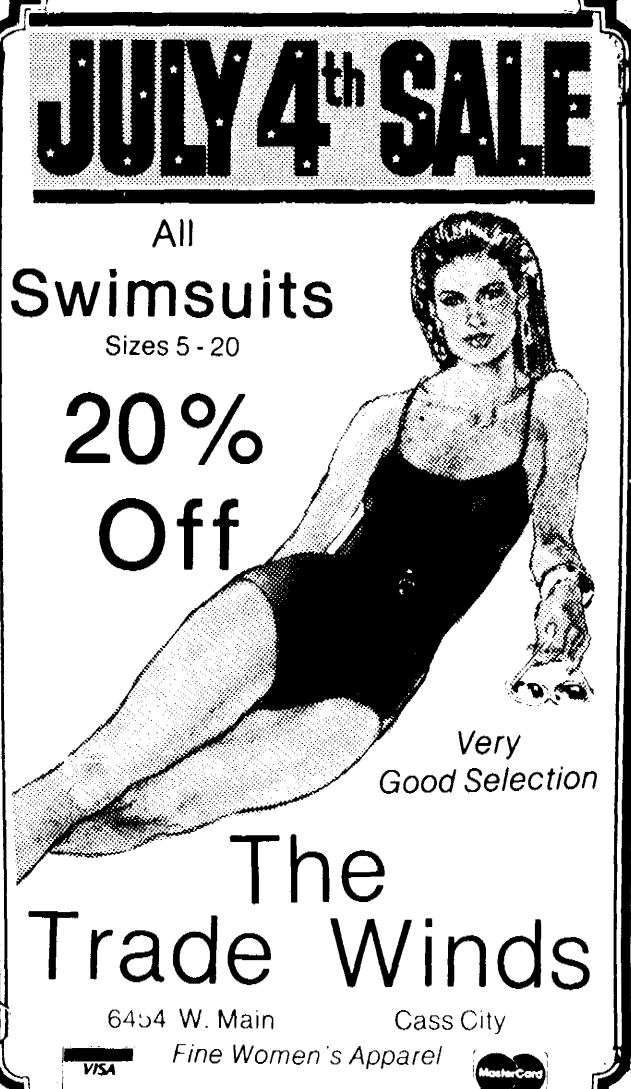
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being the owner (besides sweeping the floor) is that if it comes to a choice you can make it.

That's why Mike was selected to cover the village council and I kept the school board. Mike covers the Owen-Gage board meetings. The school boards meet on the same night of the month so I couldn't give up my vigil in Cass City even if I wanted to. And I do.

Why the school board over the council? Back when I covered both beats I came away mad more often than not because I felt that the council was trying to do its work and keep it a secret from you, the taxpayer.

Mike's had that trouble a little, too, since working here, but it's better now due to the freedom of information act that restricts elected representatives from working behind closed doors.

There's a tendency of every board that I've ever covered to want to cover up the controversial decisions and get its picture taken cutting the ribbon on a new building.

The Cass City School Board is like that, but things are better than they once were. That's because of a better understanding between the administration and the press.

We used to hear things via the grapevine and then have to go to the wall with the school to find out about it.

Today, at least most of the time, we feel that the board and the school level with you.

There are times, especially during hotly contested millage elections, when the meetings can get interesting.

But those times are rare. Most of the time it's a question of going over and over the same ground with the same questions and the same answers.

After you've heard it all a few times you hope it ends soon so that you can go home and watch the ball game.



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July 2 last day to certify crops

Farmers in Huron County are required to report their crops to the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office in Bad Axe.

The final day to do so is Monday.

As soon as they get their crops planted, they should call the office, 269-9549, for an appointment. If they have everything planted but beans, they can report their crops and list the beans as intended bean acreage.

The office expects to certify 2,200 farms within 10 days.

Obituaries

FRANCES KLEBBA

Frances Klebba, 99, of Cass City, formerly of Ruth, died Friday at Provincial House after a brief illness.

She was born March 8, 1885, in Au Sable, the daughter of John and Sophie (Kucharczyk) Makowski. She moved to Ruth as a young child and to Cass City in 1967.

Miss Makowski was married to Peter Peyerk in 1908 in Parisville. He died in 1910. In November, 1912,

she married Julius Klebba in Parisville, who died in 1965.

Mrs. Klebba was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Parisville and the Holy Altar Society.

She is survived by two sons, John Klebba, Cass City and Frank Klebba, Harbor Beach; one daughter, Mrs. Clement (Frances) Briolat, Cass City; three brothers, Edward Makowski, Harbor Beach, and Thomas Makowski, Bad Axe; three sisters, Mary Elwart, Sterling Heights, Agnes Grates, Dearborn and Rose Ratajczak, Detroit; 31 grandchildren; 87 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren.

Two sons, Martin and Joseph, two brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

(Margaret) Hey and Mrs. Roland (Genevieve) Gracey, both of Bad Axe, and Mrs. Stanley (Bernice) Witkowski, Saginaw; 57 grandchildren; 93 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Lucy Peruski, Uby.

Two daughters, four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, three sisters and 10 brothers preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning at St. John's Catholic Church, Rev. Patrick O'Connor officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

A rosary was offered Friday evening at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City.

Funeral mass for Mrs. Klebba was conducted Monday morning at St. Mary's, Rev. Joseph Morales of the Archdiocese of Saginaw, officiating.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

JOHN PALMER

John Donald Palmer, 75, of Cass City died Sunday at Provincial House after an illness of three months.

He was born June 25, 1908, in Argyle Township, and moved to Cass City as a young child with his parents.

Palmer married Maude Peters June 19, 1935, in Caro. He was a member of Salem United Methodist Church, Cass City.

Palmer is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Sally Corlis, Caro; one brother, Harry Palmer, Uby; one sister, Mrs. Ben McAlpine, Gageton; five grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. Two sons, Lee and Lawrence, and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at Little's Funeral Home, Rev. Clare Patton of Salem United Methodist Church officiating.

Burial was in Elkland Township Cemetery.

JOSEPHINE MORELL

Josephine Morell, 90, of Uby, died last Thursday at her home after a short illness.

She was born March 19, 1894, in Austin Township, the daughter of Thomas and Catherine (Kolar) Osentoski.

Miss Osentoski and Isadore Morell were married June 13, 1911, at St. Ignatius Catholic Church, Freiburg. They farmed in Austin Township until retiring in 1948 and moving to Uby. Her husband died Nov. 29, 1977.

Mrs. Morell was a member of St. John's Catholic Church, Uby, and its Christian Mothers, St. Anne's Circle.

She is survived by four sons, Arthur, John and Floyd Morell, all of Uby, and Michael Morell, Onaway; four daughters, Mrs. Fred (Irene) Guarnieri, Port Austin; Mrs. Robert

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Your neighbor says
Voters should get to know candidates

Sally Milholin, a fifth grade teacher at Cass City Intermediate School, feels citizens need to get well-acquainted with candidates for office.

"I think people should get to know them more. Not just those for president, but on down the line to the county and townships," Mrs. Milholin commented.

The news media have a responsibility to report on the candidates too, but it is the citizen's responsibility to seek the information.

"They should read several different papers, because some papers are biased in favor of a certain party, and they should get to know all the issues," she said.

Mrs. Milholin doesn't believe there is too much elec-

tion coverage, because on a national basis people need the information. The country and county are both large and the media must reach people the candidates may never meet in person.

The one criticism Mrs. Milholin levels at the media is the emphasis on things irrelevant to the election instead of focusing exclusively on the issues.

"I think some people make the decision based on what they see instead of the issues on the table," she explained, adding people end up voting for candidates for the wrong reasons.

The news reports on the mud-slinging among candidates gets too much emphasis, she said. News reports need more substance and should get deeper into the issues.

Voters can make intelligent decisions on village and township candidates if they just find out more, Mrs. Milholin commented. They should become aware of the important elements of the local election races.

"We're probably the best informed country in the world, or try to be," Mrs. Milholin said. "We try and get to know the candidates."

Mrs. Milholin and her husband Leo live in Caro. They have five children, ages 12-20.

125 years for Huron County

State Rep. Dick Allen will present a state resolution on the 125th anniversary of Huron County to county commissioners July 10.

The ceremony will be at 10:15 a.m. at the county courthouse. The bill, House Concurrent Resolution 996, was adopted and passed by the House of Representatives June 12 and the Senate the next day.

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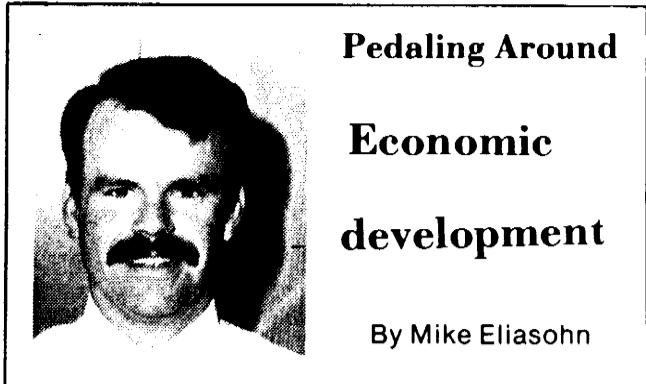
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**Pedaling Around
Economic
development**

By Mike Eliasohn

In the short run, I think the major benefit of Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties each having an economic development director, as described in these pages this week and last week, is that they are there.

That is preferable to not having them there. As I like to say, "If you stand still, you get run over." With other places having persons working full-time to promote development, the upper Thumb was at a big disadvantage not having anyone.

A condition of the Thumb Area Employment and Training Consortium federal grant that is paying a large portion of their salaries is that the three of them and their counterpart in Lapeer County (the consortium covers those four counties) work together.

That may be abhorrent to some, who have the attitude "my community first and to heck with the rest," but I disagree.

An example of the benefits of cooperation, and of having economic development directors in each county, was mentioned in last week's article.

A Sanilac County industry needed an already existing building for quick expansion, could find nothing suitable in that county, so the GROWTH director put the firm in contact with the Tuscola Economic Development Corp. director.

Perhaps some time in the future, a potential industry is lured to, for example, Brown City for a "look see," but decides that community can't meet its needs.

Without the economic development directors, the firm might then go looking in another part of the state or in another state.

Now, however, we have persons who can say that if Brown City can't meet your needs, maybe Cass City (or Caro, or Bad Axe, etc.) might be suitable.

Any large employer has a significant impact over a

large area in terms of employment. For instance, last week, I needed to pick up my car in Bad Axe and got a ride there with three Walbro employees, two of whom live in Harbor Beach and one near Verona.

Thus, even if a new plant is constructed in Caro or Marlette, for instance, some persons in the Cass City area likely will work there.

The economic development directors won't create miracles. With almost every town in the country seeking new business and industry and offering financial incentives, most of them aren't going to get a clean, quiet industrial factory that employs 100 or 1,000 persons, or even a dirty, noisy one.

I recall reading that most new jobs aren't created a hundred at a time, but are created by small employers who add a worker or two or three at a time.

Making the job of everyone involved in economic development in Michigan difficult is that the cost of doing business in this state -- wages, taxes, health insurance benefits, workers and unemployment compensation -- despite some reforms, are still higher than most states.

Indiana, which offers low costs, has lured 50 firms from other states, many of them from Michigan, which has created 6,000 jobs in the Hoosier State.

The development directors provide a service for business and industries in being a convenient source of information about government grants, advice, training programs, etc.

Jobs aren't created just in industry, of course. Unfortunately, Tuscola County and Cass City won't benefit from increased tourism as much as Huron and Sanilac Counties with their vast shorelines. Somehow, the banks of the Cass River just don't attract tourists.

But some of them will stop in Cass City on their way to those shorelines. They may only stop long enough for a meal or to buy gas, but that certainly is better than their not stopping.



DONATION -- Disabled American Veterans Chapter No. 50 gave \$360 to the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Saginaw for purchase of four glucose monitoring devices. At the check presentation were, from left, Walter Forth, Mayville, chaplain; Gary L. Wilkinson, hospital director; Larry Bills, Akron, commander; Estelle Hunter, acting chief of nursing services; Joseph Gruber, Cass City, judge advocate, and Andrew Kozan Sr., Cass City, vice commander.



DAV AUXILIARY NO. 50 presented a check for \$300 to be used in the Rehabilitation Medicine Service. From left are Agnes Gruber, Cass City; Wilkinson; Shirley Heatley, Caro, auxiliary commander, and Janice Bills, Akron.

Sanilac townships bounce between legislative districts

Voter confusion and a less orderly election in Sanilac County probably will be the result of a state Supreme Court ruling against the 1983 legislative redistricting plan. The court ruled June 19 that the reapportionment plan was unconstitutional. Nine Sanilac townships in the 77th district now will return to the neighboring 78th, which includes the rest of Sanilac and part of St. Clair County.

The townships--Greenleaf, Evergreen, Argyle, Austin, Minden, Wheatland, Delaware, Marion and Forester--were part of the 78th district in the 1982 elections. Residents there have never voted as a part of the 77th. Rep. Keith Muxlow, R-Brown City, is running unopposed in the 78th. Rep. Dick Allen, R-Fairgrove, is being challenged by Democrat Duane Harder in the 77th. This district comprises all of Huron and most of Tuscola County, including all of the Cass City area. The court ruling might mix up voters in the

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Forget-me-not sale aids DAV projects

The annual forget-me-not sale will be conducted Friday by the Tuscola County chapter of the Disabled American Veterans (DAV), Chapter No. 50.

Cass City will be one of the locations for the sale. Funds raised by the project will be used for the assistance of local disabled veterans and their families.

Funds collected in last year's forget-me-not drive were used to purchase glucose monitoring devices for use in the Veteran's Administration Regional Hospital in Saginaw.

In addition, the Tuscola County DAV Auxiliary donated money to the VA Hospital in Saginaw for its physical therapy department. These are services used by disabled veterans from this area.

The DAV Auxiliary has also been active in providing Christmas packages to hospitalized veterans and are known statewide in the DAV and other service organizations for their many contributions to the VA Hospitals, according to Chapter 50 Commander Lawrence M. Bills.

Vocational classes available

Registration is continuing at the Tuscola Area Skill Center for free vocational education classes for persons who are high school graduates and under 21 years of age.

The Skill Center is located at 1401 Cleaver Road, Caro. For more information call 673-5300.

Two sentenced for break-in of house

Two persons were sentenced Monday by Tuscola County Circuit Judge Patrick R. Joslyn for their roles in the April 21 break-in of a house in Millington Township.

Richard L. Reil, 18, of 5200 Waterman Road, Vassar, was sentenced for breaking and entering an occupied dwelling to one year in the county jail. He was credited with one day served.

Scott W. Shamel, 19, of 3313 Murphy Lake Road, Millington, was placed on two years' probation for larceny in a building. He was sentenced to six months in the county jail, with serving of 90 days of that deferred to the end of probation. He was credited with nine days served and work release privileges

were granted. Shamel was fined \$300, assessed \$300 court costs and is to pay restitution. He and Reil pleaded guilty May 21.

John Tobias, 19, of Essexville, pleaded guilty June 19 to violating probation by failing to pay any of his \$300 fine or \$94 restitution.

He was placed on 18 months' probation, plus the fine and costs, in August, 1983, for larceny in a building.

Joslyn accepted his plea and set bond at \$300 personal recognizance. A sentencing date will be set.

DISTRICT COURT

Jefferson D. Auvil, 25, of 8844 Grassmere Road, Cass City, was sentenced Monday by Judge Richard F. Kern for impaired driving

and attempting to disregard signal to stop (attempted fleeing and eluding) March 29 in and near Cass City.

On the impaired driving charge, he was fined \$192, assessed \$133 court costs and is to pay \$60 to the county mental health agency for screening. He was placed on probation for one year, is to attend an alcohol self-help group or receive counseling and his license was suspended for three months except for driving to and from work and treatment.

For attempting to disregard the police officer who tried to get Auvil to stop his car, he was fined \$57 and assessed \$43 court costs.

Also Monday, Kern granted the request of the prosecutor's office to dismiss a charge of possession of marijuana against Luis R. Arroyo, 21, of 4540 Elmwood Road, Cass City.

Arroyo pleaded guilty to the charge July 26, 1983, after which sentencing was delayed. The prosecution requested dismissal because he complied with provisions of his probation during the past year.

Steinbauer named bank corporation executive v-p

Thomas O. Steinbauer of Cass City has been appointed chief operations officer and executive vice-president of Peoples Banking Corp., effective July 1.

On that day, it will change its name to New Century Bank Corp.

A Bay City native, Steinbauer, 42, has been president and chief executive officer of Community Bank of Bad Axe, a Peoples Banking affiliate, since 1981.

He will be based at corporate headquarters in Frankenthum and report to Franklin T. Rittmueller, board chairman and chief executive officer. Steinbauer's duties will include managing corporate and affiliate planning and financial performance. He will also review performance of the top executive officers of each bank affiliate, including the chief executive officers, and help complete key management performance guidelines used to evaluate employee performance.

Most of Steinbauer's 22 years in the banking business have been at Peoples National Bank and Trust Co., Bay City. He became president and chief executive administrative officer in 1979, then resigned in 1981 to become president and chief executive officer of Community Bank shortly after it was acquired by Peoples Banking.

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RECEPTION
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GOLDEN WEDDING
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AUCTION
PERSONAL AND REAL ESTATE
 As I am moving to a retirement home, I will have a public auction located at 6712 Main Street in Cass City, three blocks east of the stoplight.
SATURDAY, JUNE 30 at 12:00 O'Clock
 The real estate and home of Bertha West located at 6712 Main Street will be offered for sale at public real estate auction at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 30. This nice home is in good to excellent condition with two bedrooms downstairs, full closets, all Oak floors and trim. Spacious living room with fireplace. Large dining room with built-in china cabinet. Efficient kitchen-dinette area with all custom built Birch cabinets, stainless steel sink, garbage disposal, built-in Hotpoint range and oven. Unfinished upstairs with Cedar closet, all floored and well insulated. Partial basement with shower-wash basin-stool. Fuel oil forced air furnace with 220 gallons of fuel oil. Electric circuit breaker, garbage disposal, sink, etc. 1 1/2 car garage-workshop with automatic door opener. Many other fine appointments not advertised. Legal description as follows: East 3 1/2 rods of Lot 2 and Lot 3 of Block 1 of Ale's Addition to the Village of Cass City, Michigan. The total amount of county and village taxes is \$990.52.
TERMS: CASH with 10 percent of selling price as security deposit on day of sale. Balance of money within 30 days from date of sale. Abstract will be certified to date for purchaser's approval.
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 G.E. automatic washer - like new
 Wringer washer - Dehumidifier
 Hoover vacuum sweeper - Sunbeam mixer
 Monarch sewing machine
 Sewing cabinet - Electric fry pan
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 Dining room table, buffet, 6 matching chairs
 Dinette set with 4 chairs - Couch
 3 occasional chairs - Wood desk
 2 double beds complete
 Dresser with mirror
 3/4 rollaway bed - Several card tables
 4 6' long tables - Pictures and frames
 Dishes - Pots and pans - Folding chairs
 Punch bowl set - Tablecloths - Linens
 Blankets - Suitcases
 Square dance dresses
 Many others
ANTIQUES
 Ansonia shelf clock with wood case
 Gilbert 8 day mantel clock, hand wind
 Piano stool with claw feet and back
 Oak 5 drawer chest - Rocker
 Captain's chair - Cedar chest
 Quilts - Baskets
 Coalport English China dishes, serving for 8
 Set of silverware, 12 place settings
 China cups and saucers
 11 glass etched plates - 12 sherbets
 Quantity of parfait glasses
 Water glasses, set of 8 and set of 12
 Roseville dish - Cookie jars - Crocks
 Quantity of pint, blue glass top canning jars
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SPECIALS GOOD THRU: TUES., JULY 3, 1984
CLOSED WEDNESDAY, JULY 4th

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Truworth Beet
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Limit 2 Please



Erla's Homemade
Hickory Stick
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10 lb. Box \$15.90 lb.

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English Cut
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Chuck Steaks **\$1.29**
lb.

SURE JELL
77¢
1 3/4 oz. Box



Erla's Homemade
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Smoked Bratwurst
\$1.59
lb.

Colby Longhorn
Cheese
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- White Seedless Grapes **89¢** lb.
- California Cantaloupe **79¢** ea.
- Nectarines **69¢** lb.
- Granny Smith Apples **49¢** lb.
- Calif. Celery **49¢** ea.
- Cabbage **15¢** lb.
- Tomatoes **49¢** lb.
- Jumbo Spanish Onions **\$1.00** 4 lbs.
- Radishes or Green Onions **49¢** lb.
- Mix or Match **4/\$1.00**

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KETCHUP
\$1.79
44 oz. Btl.

Viasic
HAMBURG DILL CHIPS
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22 oz. Bonus Jar



Kraft
Miracle Whip
Light **2/79¢**
8 oz. Trial Size Jar

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Dressing **77¢**
10 oz. Bonus Btl.

Hunt's
Fruit Cocktail **69¢**
15 oz. Can

Wesson
Oil **\$3.49**
64 oz. Btl.

'ell-O
Cheese Cake **\$1.39**
12 oz. Box

Freshlike Frozen
***Peas *Corn *Mixed Vegetables**
2/89¢
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Jumbo Roll

Fabric Rinse Downy **\$2.19**
64 oz. Btl.

Bar Soap Zest **\$1.99**
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Banquet® Frozen Fried
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Cookie Crisp Chocolate Chip Cereal **\$1.49**
11 oz. Box

Planter's 3 Varieties Snacks **99¢**
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26 oz. Can

Paramount Reg. 13 oz. Size
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Reg. \$1.89 Foil Bag

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Yogurt **2/89¢**
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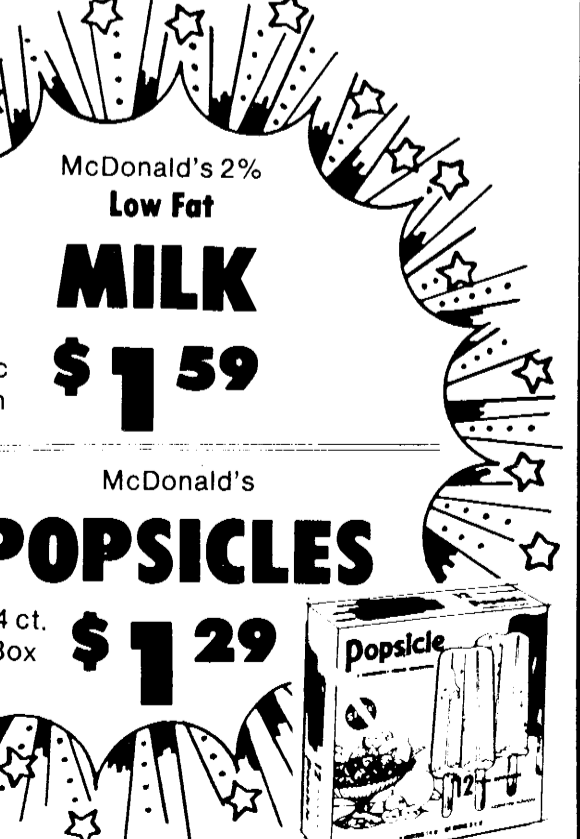
Kraft Casino Mozzarella, Muenster, Pepper **\$1.29**
8 oz. Pkg.

Schafer Hillbilly
Bread **79¢**
20 oz. Loaf

Vita Gold Frozen
Lemonade **3/\$1.00**
12 oz. Cans

McDonald's 2% Low Fat
MILK
\$1.59
Plastic Gallon

McDonald's
POPSICLES
\$1.29
14 ct. Box



Ubly bus driver going to nationals

Ubly school bus driver Leonard J. Schumacher is going to the national school bus championships, in Anchorage, Alaska, July 16-17.

A 10-year driving veteran, Schumacher won fourth place in the state School Bus Roadshow June 20 in Lansing.

Although he did not qualify through the state championships, he was still eligible for the nationals because he got enough points at the event last year, when it was held in Ohio. Schumacher took 15th in that competition. He will pay his plane fare to and from Alaska.

Schumacher advanced to the state championships this year after winning the regional competition in Marine City last month.

Schumacher won the state school bus roadshow last year. Drivers are tested with a written exam, pre-trip inspection with a group of judges and a driving test through an obstacle course.

This year's state winner was Jalene Scherwin of Otisville.

Coming Auction

Saturday, June 30 - The personal property and real estate of Bertha M. West will be sold at the residence, 6712 Main St., Cass City. Hillaker Auction Service.

Saturday, July 7 - Items from the E. J. Derder home will be sold at 6201 Dale St., Cass City. Hillaker Auction Service.



CHANGING OF THE GUARD. Rich Ypma, new president of Cass City Rotary is congratulated by retiring president Lambert Althaver. Installation services were held Tuesday, June 19, at Wildwood Farms.

Donations needed for new heart machine

The Hills and Dales General Hospital Auxiliary is collecting donations to pay for a machine used to monitor the heart of patients.

The auxiliary, which does service work for the hospital, wanted to buy the Swan Ganz machine, but could not raise the money right away because of the machine's expense.

Auxiliary President Virginia Hartwick said the group told the hospital to go ahead and buy the unit. The money being raised now will reimburse the hospital.

The auxiliary members will be canvassing residents for donations in the coming weeks. Anyone is free to contribute, Mrs. Hartwick said.

"We're very happy to get any donations, \$50 or whatever they want," she said.

The Swan Ganz cost \$17,098 and the auxiliary has raised about \$10,000 so far.

The machine has been in use in the remote monitoring section of intensive care unit for about 6-8 months.

according to Roxy Somerville, RN.

The patient has a catheter inserted through a neck vein, which is guided to the lower part of the heart. The device then monitors the blood flowing through the heart and can detect early signs of heart disease.

The Swan Ganz can be used on patients who have had heart attacks, low body fluids or a large blood clot in the lung, Miss Somerville said.

Anyone interested in donating can call Mrs. Hartwick at 872-2484.

Social Security checks to grow

Persons who are approaching 65 who do not plan to retire should be aware that their Social Security check will be larger when they finally do apply for it, according to William T. Clynes, Social Security district manager in Saginaw.

The reason is "delayed retirement credit." This credit increases a person's retirement checks for each month he or she does not get a benefit after 65 and before 70.

The credit adds 0.25 percent for each month - 3 percent for each full year - a person does not get a check because of work. It also applies to widows and widowers benefits.

The credit will gradually increase to 8 percent a year between 1990 and 2008.

In addition to these credits, a person's earnings after 65 may also result in a larger check than would have been payable at 65.

Clynes said a person who starts getting checks at 65 can still work and earn a significant amount before

Economic planning

Huron, Sanilac building tourism and industry

Last of two parts

With the long shoreline in Huron and Sanilac Counties, the economic development directors in those two counties are looking at tourism as a means of boosting employment within their borders.

They are also working on luring new industry, retaining industry already there, and to a lesser extent, also help retail businesses.

Both Huron County Economic Development Corp. Director Ralph Iden and Sanilac County GROWTH Committee Director Roger Kilbourn started their jobs earlier this year.

Unlike the Tuscola County EDC and its director, profiled in the Chronicle last week, the Huron and Sanilac economic development programs are less dependent on federal Job Training Partnership Act funds from the Thumb Area Employment and Training Consortium.

The Huron EDC is starting with a JTPA grant of \$27,432, \$10,000 from the Huron County Board of Commissioners and fees from issuing tax-free bonds used to finance job expansion and retention projects and purchase of farmland and farm equipment.

The Sanilac GROWTH Committee is separate from the Sanilac County EDC, so doesn't collect any bond fees. Two-thirds of its first year budget comes from .12 mill allocated by the county Board of Commissioners and one-third from the initial JTPA grant of \$36,834.

GROWTH may merge

with the EDC. Kilbourn said. Their separate boards of directors share some of the same members.

ONE OF IDEN'S first jobs was to assist the Huron County Tourist Association to develop a brochure touting the county's tourist attractions.

The former news director of the Bad Axe radio station is now working with Dr. Edward Mahoney, a Michigan State University tourism specialist, in developing a tourism marketing plan for the county.

The marketing plan may be expanded into a regional effort including Sanilac and Huron Counties and possibly Lapeer and St. Clair.

In Sanilac, Kilbourn is looking at that county's shoreline assets. Sport fishing is increasing, he noted, so GROWTH hopes to promote that, including possibly a fishing contest.

He and Iden are jointly working with the Michigan Department of Transportation to try to get 13.5 miles of Ruth Road north of Deckerville improved to the status of a Class A all-weather road. Some businesses in that area, Iden said, reported their business could improve if they had such a road available.

Kilbourn was also involved in the effort to have a road in the Marlette area upgraded to Class A status to benefit an industry in nearby Clifford. The factory was in Lapeer County, but the project benefited the whole area.

KILBOURN IS BECOMING involved with industry from three vantage points - job retention, helping present businesses expand and attracting new industries.

Working with the state Department of Commerce, he will start meeting with representatives of Sanilac industries to help them determine what aid they can use to "stay stable" or expand.

To attract new industry, Kilbourn is working on promotional material to send to targeted industries, many of which are auto related.

He has also been working with the group trying to purchase the old Stokely-Van Camp cannery in Crosswell.

One function he and Iden perform is to serve as clearing houses for businesses needing information about government grants, Small Business Administration loans, other forms of financing, training programs, etc.

IDEN DESCRIBED JOB retention as a "basic theme." Although promot-

ing new industry in Huron is an on-going effort, he noted, "At this point, we don't have any concrete prospects."

In his new job, he said, he runs into a variety of small problems. For instance, there was a manufacturer who had problems involving export of his product. Iden put him in contact with

the appropriate official at the Department of Commerce.

He and Kilbourn are working to a lesser extent with retail businesses.

The GROWTH director is assisting downtown Sandusky on funding sources for the planned renovation of downtown into a "gas-light district" theme.

Judge Riordan seeks reelection

Sanilac County District Judge Richard P. Riordan has announced his candidacy for reelection on the non-partisan ballot. He will run in the Nov. 6 general election.

Riordan has been a practicing lawyer for 20 years and has served the last six years as District Judge.

He was born in Worcester, Mass., and attended the public schools there. He graduated from Tufts University in Massachusetts.

After serving two years

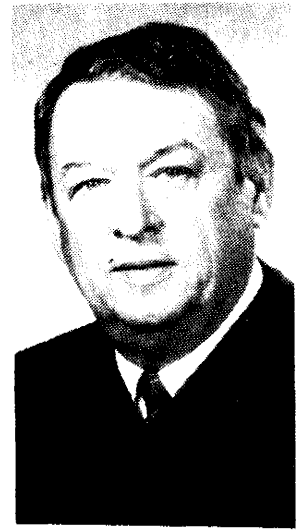
in the U.S. Army, he received his juris doctor degree from the University of Michigan Law School under the Korean GI Bill.

Riordan then practiced law in Detroit for 10 years, handling cases in Detroit Recorder's Court, Federal District Court, and Common Pleas Court, and the Circuit Courts of Wayne, Oakland, and Macomb Counties. He moved to Lexington in 1973 and practiced in the Sanilac County Courts until his election in November, 1978.

Riordan is a member of the State Bar of Michigan, Sanilac County Bar Association, and American Bar Association and the Michigan District Judges Association, where he serves on the Legislative Committee and the Government Relations Committee.

He has been a coach for several years in the Crosswell-Lexington Little League. He is a member of St. Denis Church in Lexington where he serves on the parish council.

Riordan and his wife Mary live in Lexington with their four children: Sarah, 16; Matthew, 14; Daniel, 12, and John, 10.



RICHARD RIORDAN

**CARO BMX
CHIPPEWA LANDING PARK**
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**1984 NBL
Sanctioned**

Racing Schedule

July 1 Sunday	Aug. 4 Saturday
8 Sunday	state Qualifier*
14 Sat. Double Pointer	12 Sunday
22 Sunday	19 Sunday
29 Sunday	26 Sunday Race for Muscular Dystrophy

*Registration is 10-11 a.m. and racing begins 12 noon. For this race only.

**Sign-Up 1-2 p.m. - Practice 2-3 p.m.
Race Time 3 p.m. Sharp**

Entry Fee: \$5 for first entry all classes and open. Open \$3 if secondary entry.

Safety Equipment: Bicycle pads and reg. helmets.

Awards: Ribbons to beginners and open. Trophies per NBL rules and ribbons to point classes.

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State police define state's legal fireworks

To clear up the annual confusion over which fireworks are legal, the Michigan State Police offer some definitions and precautions to help 4th of July celebrants have a safe and legal holiday.

The only fireworks which may be sold at the retail level and used by the general public are restricted to toy paper caps, snakes, toy smoke devices, toy trick noise makers, wire sparklers (size 14 or less), flitter sparklers, and both cone and cylinder fountains.

Fire marshal officers stress that many children, and adults as well, are seriously burned or injured each year while playing with fireworks and emphasize that caution should be used. These safety precautions are suggested:

- Make sure the fireworks are legal for use by local ordinance and state law.
- Check for manufacturer's label and instructions for use on all fireworks -- illegally manufactured fireworks rarely have either.
- Carefully follow instructions for use.
- Provide adult supervision and don't allow very young children to handle fireworks.
- Light only one device at a time.
- Ignite fireworks outdoors only and away from buildings and combustible materials.
- Don't attempt to alter or use fireworks in a manner not intended.
- Using fireworks carefully also prevents serious burns, according to staffers at Hurley Medical Center in Flint.

Any other fireworks are illegal for sale and use unless proper permits are obtained from the local governing body. Fireworks which send an object into the air, spin, twirl, or emit a noise, except toy paper caps and trick noise makers, are illegal.

Local jurisdictions may have more restrictive ordinances. Contact them for additional information.

Making comeback

The sorely missed bluebird, whose population is said to have decreased by as much as 90 percent in the past 50 years, may be making a comeback, says the National Wildlife Federation. The songbird, that ranges only in North America, has several thousand tenacious volunteers to thank for putting up man-made bluebird nesting boxes across the country.



THE SIGN that stood by Cemetery Road now rests against a building. The vertical white stripe covers the letters NFO, the terminal having opened as a National Farmers Organization facility.

Grain terminal deep in debt

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How much the bank gets for the facility -- if it finds a buyer -- determines how much the creditors will receive.

Drillock is sure the stockholders, mostly farmers, won't benefit from a sale, that they will lose everything they invested. "There is no way they're going to be paid." There are about 150 stockholders. An estimate on how much they will lose wasn't available.

In addition to there not being enough money left to reimburse stockholders, the attorney expressed doubt he will ever be paid. Nichols is no longer being paid and is looking for another job. "I haven't done much in two months," he told the Chronicle. "I've picked up the mail and that's about it."

Rotary and the Zonta Club and the four banks are paying for most of the 17 trash containers to be installed downtown. More donations are needed.

A request from Jack Esau to allow Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3644 to be allowed to rent the Cultural Center Thursday nights for fund raising bingo games was referred to the Parks and Recreation Committee for a re-

He feels that with a new owner and proper management, the terminal can be profitable, that there is enough potential business. "The big thing is, if you had good management, any elevator would go."

Council examines trash alternatives

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Transportation is supposed to be paying \$36,000 of that, for use of Seeger as an M-53 detour next year when the Cass River bridge is rebuilt, and the village, \$11.

Nine picnic tables paid for by the Rotary Club have arrived.

The arts and crafts program averaged 38 children per day for the first six days.

commendation at the July meeting.

Report decrease of grain stocks

The June 1 grain stocks report showed much lower stocks of corn, soybeans and oats, according to the Michigan Agricultural Reporting Service.

Corn stored in all positions, at nearly 53.8 million bushels, was 67 percent lower than last year. About 62 percent of the corn in storage was in on-farm locations.

Soybeans on hand were 5.4 million bushels, down 46 percent from last year. Old crop oats in storage at 3.3 billion bushels declined 52 percent from last year.

Old crop winter wheat is the only major crop in Michigan to show an increase in stocks. June 1 holdings totaled about 7.5 million bushels, 14 percent above last year's level.

Nationally, corn stored in all positions totaled 2.14 billion bushels, 57 percent less than last year's record high level of 4.92 billion bushels.

Soybean stocks totaled 456 million bushels, down 42 percent from a year ago, and 29 percent below June 1, 1982.

Old crop wheat stored in all positions totaled 1.39 billion bushels, down 8 percent from the 1.52 billion bushels a year ago, but 20 percent more than two years ago.

Churches help feed and clothe those in need

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serve on the In His Name committee, and each month a church collects items for the project from its members and staffs it on Tuesdays.

The organization grew out of a Bible study group at a local church. "In His Name was a name we thought was appropriate, because it tells us in the Bible to do these things in the name of Jesus Christ."

THE FOOD CLOSET AT the Baptist church, which started in March, 1983, continues its operations. After a slump in needs last year, the number of users jumped to about 62 a week in February.

"The program, when it began, was very strict. The stipulations were not having a job and too many material things and not qualifying for other social services, like food stamps," said Carol LaPonsie, who is in charge of volunteers.

"But after food stamps were cut back, the Human Development Commission (HDC) decided to broaden (loosen) their restrictions."

The new requirements are persons must be unemployed and their financial situations will be evaluated individually.

The food closet and similar operations elsewhere in the county were originally coordinated by James McCann, Tuscola County emergency services coordinator.

The HDC, which runs most food distribution services in the Thumb, thought it would be more convenient if it also ran area food closets, according to HDC Director Mary Anne Vandemark. They began running the Cass City service about a year ago.

Persons who want to make use of the food closet do not have to show proof of need, but they do need some personal identification. They fill out a form, which is forwarded to HDC.

Some persons are referred to HDC, but since they are unemployed, veterans are referred to the veterans' office and others to job training programs, both in Caro, Mrs. LaPonsie said.

USAGE OF THE FOOD closet has dropped to about 11 persons a week, because more job opportunities open up in the summer, Mrs. LaPonsie said. The service will continue indefinitely.

"We feel as long as there are two or even one need in the area, we will continue to serve to the Cass City area," she stressed.

Most of the food is purchased by the HDC, which takes food orders from the centers in the county. HDC receives federal grants to buy food.

Area residents also can donate food. The food closet staffers prefer canned or boxed food, and persons can drop it off at the First Baptist Church on Houghton Street from 8 a.m.-noon weekdays or call the secretary at 872-3155.

Persons in need of food can visit the church 9 a.m.-noon Tuesdays, Mrs. LaPonsie added.

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Married couples can serve together, but must have no dependents. Volunteers must be U.S. citizens. There is no upper age limit.

Volunteers are also needed in programs including math and science education, special education, health, nutrition, home economics, civil engineering, fisheries, skilled trades, and assignments that require fluency in French or Spanish.

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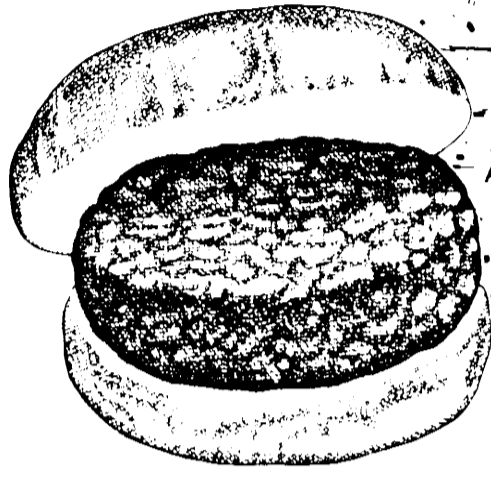
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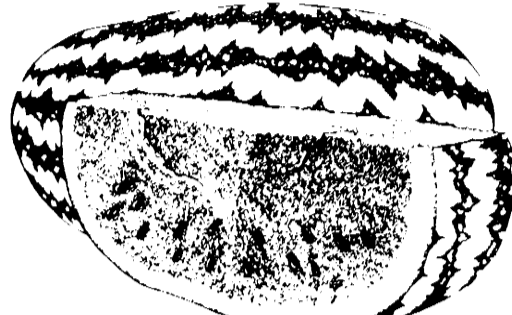
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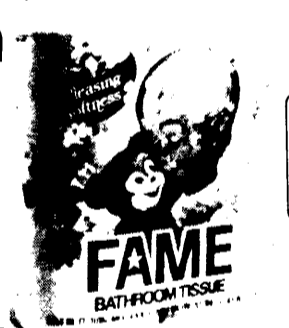
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N-R 159-2 **ON TEN save 50¢**

58 attend O-G Senior Citizens

The Owen-Gage Senior Citizens met in the St. Agatha Catholic Church parish hall in Gagetown for a potluck dinner last Thursday with 56 members and two guests, Gladys Wieland of Caro and Lorraine Rebert of Pinnebog, present.

Florence Schell said table grace. Elma Miklovich opened the meeting by having all recite the Lord's Prayer and the pledge to the flag.

The exchange of plants did not turn out too well, so will be attempted again at the next meeting. The group was also reminded to bring old razors, eyeglasses, hearing aids and cancelled stamps.

Door prizes were won by Maude Sarosky and Donovan Schell. Get well cards were sent to Millie Mosack, Mary Blondell and Cecil Loomis.

Aura Beardon, Irma Chisholm and Esther Werdeman thanked the group for the cards they had received.

The Homer Kretzschmers reported that their granddaughter is going to Children's Hospital next week for tests. A trip was discussed.

After the meeting, euchre was played at 10 tables.

The next meeting will be the regular meeting July 5. Blood pressure readings will be taken.

Big Brothers-Big Sisters elect officers

The Tuscola County Big Brothers-Big Sisters Board of Directors has a new slate of officers for the next year.

During its recent reorganization meeting, the board reelected Jim McLoskey of Caro to a second term as president.

Newly elected were Duane Burgess, Caro, first vice-president, and Kathy Kurtis, Vassar, secretary. The office of treasurer is expected to be filled later this month.

Also approved were five board members who are serving new three-year terms. They are Gary Volmar, Cass City; Bob Ponder, Caro; Pam Ill, Millington; Vic Fitz, Caro, and Ruth Grassmann, Gagetown.

Executive Director Lucy Schiller said the board is still looking for new members from the Kingston, Reese and Unionville areas. Persons interested in serving on the board are asked to call the agency at 673-6996.

Reunion set

The May-Gilbert-Klauka reunion will be Sunday, July 22, at the fairgrounds in Caro, starting with a potluck dinner at 1 p.m.

TUSCOLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

These are condensed minutes approved for publication by your Tuscola County Board of Commissioners. The full official text of this summary of Board proceedings may be examined at the office of the County Clerk during regular business hours.

June 12, 1984

Meeting opened with Prayer and Pledge to the Flag.
Roll Call: All members present.
ACTION TAKEN:

The agenda was approved as amended. Minutes of May 22, 1984 were approved as typed.
Motion to endorse Dave Hauxwell and Catherine Graf for membership on the East Central Michigan Health Systems Agency Board of Directors. Carried.

Claims and Accounts were presented and approved.
Motion to transfer monies from General Fund to Child Care Probate fund as their 4th quarter budgeted appropriations. Carried.

Motion to transfer monies from General Fund to the Department of Social Services as their third quarter budgeted appropriation. Carried.

Motion to pay the maintenance of effort bill for the Medical Care Facility. Carried.
Motion to approve the proposed Soldiers and Sailors Relief Commission policy. Carried.

A request from the County Treasurer to attend seminar at Higgins Lake was approved.
A request from the Friend of the Court to attend a Convention at Cadillac was approved.

Robert Brown of the Thumb Area Commission on Aging appeared before the Board with a review of the 1984-85 Commission on Aging budget.
Brett McLaughlin of the Caro Arts Society appeared before the Board with a request to use the courthouse lawn for 3 summer concerts. Request approved.

A letter of resignation was received from Dons Triebler of the Co-Operative Extension Office and placed on file.
G. Scott Stermer, County Prosecuting Attorney appeared before the Board and held discussion on the Citizens Probation Counsel. Matter referred to the Building and Grounds Committee.

Motion to set a special order of the day for July 24, 1984 at 1:30 p.m. for the awarding of bids for the removal of the house at 239 E. Sherman Street.
Motion adopting a resolution regarding the Judicial Branch.
Motion to receive and place on file the financial reports of the County Treasurer. Minutes of June 12, 1984 were read and approved.
Motion to adjourn to June 26, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. Carried.

Shabbona Area News

Marie Meredith

Phone 672-9489

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Czpla of Plymouth and Brian Schember were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family. Mr. and Mrs. Czpla called on Mrs. John Dunlap and later visited her father, John Dunlap, at the Caro Medical Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler and Jerry attended the Good Sam meeting held at Crosswell the latter part of the week. The group attended the Pioneer homecoming held at Crosswell.

Owendale RLDS women

The Owendale Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Women's department met recently at the Sebewaung home of Aileen Ziehm.

The women's leader, Mrs. Ardis Gemmill, Elktion, was in charge. The secretary, Mrs. Evelyn Haley, Owendale, read the minutes. The roll call question "Name your favorite hobby and craft" was answered by 15 members.

A letter from the district women's leader, Mrs. Geneva Richards, Cass City, was read, reporting on the Tri-District Women's Retreat to be held Sept. 14-16 at Blue Water Campgrounds at Lexington. The theme will be "Women and Evangelism."

A bake sale and yard sale was planned for Saturday, June 30, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at the church. Work committees were formed. Proceeds will go towards the building fund.

A family night is planned July 15 at the church. The fire of 1881 will be the topic with pictures and narration. The public is invited.

The church picnic will be Aug. 20 at 6 p.m. at the Elktion park. The women voted to give \$30 to the branch's Oriole's girls group and \$17 for the building fund payment on the foyer.

Mrs. Terry Thomas was the guest speaker. She spoke about the trainable mentally impaired and emotionally mentally impaired and some of the classes at the Huron Learning Center and its purpose.

For devotions, Mrs. Darlene Kuenzli, Cass City, read a story about love. Prayers were offered by Mrs. Valerie Graves, Elktion, and Mrs. Kuenzli.

A luncheon was served by Mrs. Ardis Gemmill and the hostess, Ms. Ziehm.

Jim Clark of Flint were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Van Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and Donnie were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buerkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billot of Snover were Monday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mrs. Helen Bullock of Sandusky spent the week end visiting her sister, Miss Grace Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh and daughter Lana and granddaughter, Candice Cherniawski, attended open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Nichols for their daughter Deanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wiswell of Sandusky were Wednesday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Smith and family were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

The Decker, Argyle and Shabbona United Methodist Churches joined for a cooperative dinner in honor of their pastor, Jim Rule. It was held at Lamotte Fire Hall at Hemans. It honored his ordination as an elder at the recent conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dorman of Snover were Friday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Shabbona United Methodist Women will meet Wednesday evening, July 11, with Mrs. Judy Britt. This is one week late due to the regular date falling on the 4th.

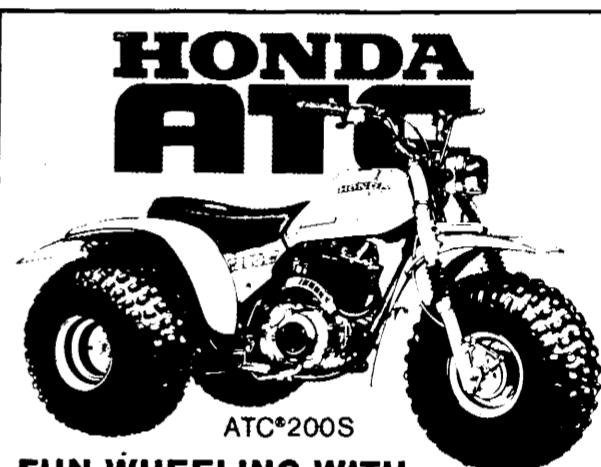


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Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

Reunited this week end after 72 years were cousins Marion Gunther of Cass City and Kittie Wood of Madison, S.D.

Two Cass City couples are in the running for the first annual Fourth of July king and queen contest as part of the village's holiday celebration. Richard and Christine Erla are being sponsored by the Rotary Club. The other couple is Ronald and Eloise Keegan who are sponsored by the Lions Club.

Linda Battel graduated May 12 from Central Michigan University with a B.S. degree in education with a

Deputies

arrest 60 in May

Tuscola County sheriff's deputies arrested 60 persons in May, one more than they arrested in April.

Thirty-six of those were for traffic-related offenses, mostly for drunk driving.

Officers issued 393 traffic tickets in May, 84 more than the month before. Of those, 182 were for speeding, 38 for defective equipment and 36 for stop sign violations.

Thirty-two appearance tickets were issued, a decrease of 3, of which 16 were for purchase, possession or transporting alcoholic beverages by minors.

The sheriff's department received 605 telephone calls last month classified as "criminal," an increase of 94 from April. The greatest number, 196, were for traffic problems (accidents, reckless drivers, etc.); followed by larcenies, 70; vandalism, 53; domestic situations, 47; and disorderly conduct, 43.

Deputies patrolled 45,436 miles in May, their cars consuming 4,996 gallons of gasoline (9.15 miles per gallon).

The county jail received 178 inmates, of whom 21 were female, and released 181.

Cass City police last month arrested or filed charges against seven persons, all for traffic related offenses. Caro state police made 28 arrests, 24 of them for traffic.

The number of respective complaints from and accidents in area townships and villages in May were: Columbia, 9 and 1; Elkland, 19 and 6; Cass City, 51 and accidents not recorded by sheriff's department; Elkington, 20 and 3; Elmwood, 8 and 3; Kingston Township, 12 and 1; Kingston village, 2 and 1; Koylton, 10 and 1; Novesta, 20 and 4, and Wells, 25 and 2.

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science major. She is the daughter of Lester and Margaret Battel of Cass City.

The Cass City High School class of 1969 held its second reunion Saturday at the White Creek Club. There were 33 class members present. Chairman of the event was Karen Osen-toski of Cass City.

TEN YEARS AGO

Elkland Township firemen attended a recent series of classes demonstrating rescue techniques conducted in Marlette by the Michigan Dept. of Public Health. Those attending from Cass City were Chuck Hughes, Don Finkbeiner, Ed Bergman, Paul Harmer and Cass City police officer Don Miller.

Elmwood Township Clerk Harlan Hobart is calling it quits after nearly four decades on the township board. Hobart never faced opposition at the polls.

In ceremonies held Saturday night, Tom Jackson received the Lion of the Year award from outgoing club President Tim Grassmann. Jackson has had perfect attendance at club meetings the past 20 years.

Sandra Hartel was expected home Wednesday after spending 10 days with the Roger Reids at Oscoda.

25 YEARS AGO

Richard Generous, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elger Generous, Gagetown, has been named to the dean's list at Flint Junior College.

Red Cross swimming classes will start at the Cass City pool July 6. They will last six weeks with Derek Romain as instructor.

The Evergreen 4-H Club met Monday at the home of Mrs. Alvin Burk. After the meeting, a light lunch was served.

The Jolly Dozen Euchre Club met Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Guilds. High prizes were won by Mrs. Calvin MacRae and Cliff Jackson. Low prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Powell.

35 YEARS AGO

Keith McConkey, assistant Scout leader, and William Martus took the Boy Scouts to Kingston last Thursday afternoon to play softball with the Kingston Boy Scouts.

An unusually large bass was caught Sunday morning in Harmon Lake, near Kingston, by Louis Sherwood, barber at Deford.

The Gavel Club Tuesday evening voted unanimously to post a wager of \$500 that the Rotary Club will be unable to erect a stadium at the park by the time the football season opens. The Gavel Club also expressed its willingness to assist in this project.

Mrs. Addie Knight and Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Knight, Janis and Edward,

Iris Tuckey named to United Way board

Iris Tuckey has been reelected to the 165-member United Way of Michigan board of directors.

Mrs. Tuckey, of 4681 Schwegler Road, is starting her fourth one-year term as a board member.

She said the board is working to get more communities represented on the board and there was no

representation from the Tuscola area before she was first elected.

Her job entails working with other board members on the allocations for the 22 state and four national agencies the state United Way helps fund. The money comes from United Way organizations on the community and county levels, who contribute 9-10 percent

of the money they raise. "The board also investigates agencies that they are giving money to to make sure they still have the need for funding," Mrs. Tuckey added.

The state board also works with local United Way groups.

"The first wealth is health," Ralph Waldo Emerson

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Milk production continues to decline, both nationally and in Michigan.

Dairy herds produced 463 million pounds of milk in Michigan during May, down 3 percent from a year earlier, according to the Michigan Agricultural Reporting Service.

Milk cow numbers averaged 394,000 head, down 10,000 from one year ago. Milk output per cow has also declined from year earlier levels. The May average of 1,175 pounds was down 5 pounds from 1983. Michigan continues to hold sixth place nationally in milk cow numbers and production.

The value of milk sold in Michigan during May averaged \$13.10 per hundred-weight (cwt.), down 40 cents from a year earlier. This price reflects the total value of milk at the dairy plant or receiving station before deductions are made for hauling and dairy assessment charges.

Slaughter cow prices averaged \$42.00 per cwt., down 3 percent from a year ago.

Nationally, milk production during May totaled 12.3 billion pounds, 3 percent less than a year earlier. Production per cow averaged 1,132 pounds during May, 6 pounds less than May 1983. Milk cow numbers averaged 10.9 million head, 2 percent less than a year ago.

Accumulated milk production during the first 5 months of 1984 exceeded 58 billion pounds, down 1 percent from the comparable 1983 period.

Gagetown Area News

Gen Kehoe
665-2221

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August 7, 1984

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NORMA WALLACE
TOWNSHIP CLERK

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August 7, 1984

MONDAY, JULY 9

J. SATTELBERG
TOWNSHIP CLERK

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August 7, 1984

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TOWNSHIP CLERK

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DONALD REID
TOWNSHIP CLERK

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ELLINGTON TOWNSHIP
FOR
PRIMARY ELECTION
August 7, 1984

MONDAY, JULY 9

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CLAYTON TURNER
TOWNSHIP CLERK

The Want Ads Are Newsy Too!

David Merz of Kellar, Tex., and his bride Lisa were callers Sunday at the home of Mrs. Alma Wald, where the family met the new Mrs. Merz. Mrs. Mary Louise Merz and family of Saginaw were also guests. Bill Merz is a patient at Sinai Hospital in Detroit.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Comment were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heinemann of Cape Coral, Fla. The Heinemanns celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last week at the home of a son in Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodell attended a graduation open house Sunday for Stephen Burns at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burns in Pontiac. Stephen graduated from Waterford-Mott High School.

To celebrate the 80th birthday of a sister-in-law, Mrs. Edna McDonald of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Munro attended the party at Sacred Heart Parish Center, Mt. Pleasant, Sunday.

As is their annual family custom, the McKellar and Penrod families attended the Sugar Festival and parade in Sebawaing Saturday. Present were Mrs. Bessie Kenney of Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Buffa of Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Malopolski and son of Roseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Ehrlich of Petoskey spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ehrlich and attended the wedding of granddaughter, Dawn Thick.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fritz hosted a birthday party Sunday for three-year-old Nathan. Guests were his grandmother, Ciel Zuraw.

Dave and Pat Zuraw of Houston, Tex., and Jan and Peter Bruessow of Caro.

Mrs. Reatha Hughes of Cass City and Mrs. Gladys Weatherhead attended open house Sunday in honor of Miss Sherri Horner of Cass City at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Horner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoover of Davison were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Comment.

Mrs. Tom Keehl, Kendra and Brent attended a piano recital Sunday at the Presbyterian Church in Bad Axe where Lisa and Rene Reehl performed.

At a family party Sunday, Tara McKellar, daughter of Gary and Janice McKellar, celebrated her fourth birthday.

Justin Kehoe of Brighton, eight year-old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe, underwent minor surgery Monday at St. Joseph Hospital, Ann Arbor.

100 YEARS

Dennis Rocheleau and Joe Rocheleau attended a special celebration Sunday in honor of the 100th birthday of Mrs. Lydia Grew. Mrs. Grew is the mother of the late Mrs. Dorothy Rocheleau and a sister of the late Harry Densmore. She had six children, three of whom are living, 15 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. Five generations were present at the party.

Mrs. Mildred Mosack returned home last Tuesday after visiting the past few

HEALTH TIPS

A balanced diet has many lifelong benefits

By C. Everett Koop, M.D.
U.S. Surgeon General

Diet is an important contributor to your good health. By making wise food choices, day after day, from childhood to old age, you can do much to improve your sense of well-being and your chances of staying healthy into the later years. Making wise food choices means eating a variety of foods that provide an appropriate mix of carbohydrates, protein, fat, vitamins and minerals. It also means eating foods in the right amounts, so that you maintain your best weight.

The twin goals of eating a well-balanced diet and staying at the proper weight are sometimes difficult for older people to attain.

Most people, for instance, need fewer calories, or less food energy, as they grow older. But older people generally need the same amounts of most vitamins and minerals as they did when they were young.

This means that the elderly, if they are to maintain an adequate level of nutrition without gaining extra weight, should be especially careful to eat nutritious food, while cutting down on sweets, salty snacks, high-calorie drinks and alcohol.

Exercise helps to keep off extra pounds. A person who exercises regularly can eat more without gaining weight than a person who sits most of the day.

Eating too little, on the other hand, can be harmful. People who don't eat enough may become sick more easily and recover from illnesses more slowly. In addition, a diet that contains too few calories is likely to be lacking in necessary vitamins and minerals.

Older people should discuss their eating habits with their doctors, especially if they have an illness, such as diabetes, that requires changes in what or how much they eat or if they are taking one or more medications for a prolonged period of time. Some medications can take away a person's appetite, and the doctor definitely will want to know when that problem occurs.

Then, too, the interaction of some drugs with certain foods can change the effects of those medications.

Other drugs can alter a person's nutritional needs.

A well-balanced diet includes fresh vegetables, especially dark green and deep yellow ones; fresh fruits, including citrus fruits; low-fat dairy products; lean meat, poultry, fish and/or beans; and whole-grain breads and cereals.

These foods provide the nutrients and energy that a healthy body needs. Eating these foods also helps to reduce the amount of fat and salt in the diet. And that's important: too much fat may increase one's risk of heart disease, and excess salt is dangerous for people who have high blood pressure.

Calcium, a mineral found in dairy products and in dark green leafy vegetables, is important for maintaining strong bones and teeth. A lifelong diet that is rich in calcium may help to prevent the bone fractures that are common in the elderly.

Older people also should be careful to get enough vitamin D, which, along with calcium, helps to keep bones strong. Vitamin D is found in vitamin-fortified milk, liver, egg yolks and saltwater fish and is formed in the skin following exposure to sunlight.

The first lighthouse in America was erected by the Province of Massachusetts in 1716 on Little Brewster Island.

weeks in Mentor, Ohio, with the A.J. Mosacks and the Bob Mosacks. While there, she was injured in a fall and spent several days in Genesee Memorial Hospital in Mentor. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mosack and family of Flint were guests here with Mrs. Mosack for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sundman entertained for lunch Monday, Mrs. Mary McKellar and Mrs. Sue Penrod.

Mrs. M.J. Swinney of Imperial Beach, Cal., spent from Monday to Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. Gerry Carolan, and Tuesday they were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kenoe. Callers of the Kehoes in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Les Clark of Caseville. They were en route home after attending the wedding in Berkeley Springs, W.Va., of a niece, Diane Day, and Brian Shockey, and spending a few days.

Lawrence Rapson, who teaches school in Florida, is spending the summer with his father, Edric Rapson. Miss Sue Rapson of Gaylord spent the week end and they attended the wedding Saturday of Dawn Marie Thick and David Martin Zaleski.

105TH ANNIVERSARY

St. Agatha Catholic Church marked the 105th anniversary of the parish June 21. On that date in 1879, Rev. Clement T.B. Krebs was appointed as the first resident priest of Tuscola County. His appointment gave him charge of the Mission of Gagetown, Tuscola County, embracing

Elmwood given drain petition

The Elmwood Township Board last Wednesday presented with a petition from Keith Goslin requesting cleaning, leveling and cutting of brush on a ditch that runs for 1½-2 miles before emptying into the Brookfield Extension of the Columbia Brookfield Drain.

The board approved the petition, which it will forward to Tuscola County Drain Commissioner Stanley Henry for further action.

Three actions were taken concerning township cemeteries.

A cemetery ordinance was approved, which establishes fees, who can be buried there, etc. Approval will be required before plot owners can sell their unused plots to someone else and the township will have first option to buy them back. The entire ordinance will be published in the Chronicle.

Township Supervisor Jim Turner will have the portion of the recently purchased addition to the Cass City Road cemetery surveyed so it can be resold as a home site. The township will keep the portion behind the cemetery for an addition, plus space for a driveway there. The cemetery is east of Hurds Corner Road.

The board decided to have a load of crushed gravel spread on the driveway at the other cemetery, on Walsh Road, south of Gagetown.

The next board meeting will be Aug. 8, a week earlier than usual.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Cass City Zoning Board of Appeals at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, July 19, 1984, at the Municipal Building, 6737 Church Street, Cass City, Michigan to consider an appeal by Limited Partnership of East Lansing requesting a variance to Section 1500 (e) of the Cass City Zoning Ordinance to allow the construction of a one story Senior Citizen multiple family dwelling to the length of 244.01 feet in the south east portion of the Village of Cass City.

JOYCE A. LaROCHE
VILLAGE CLERK

the Townships of Sebawaing, Brookfield, Grant and Sheridan in Huron County and all the Catholics of Tuscola County.

Father Krebs, sometimes called "the apostle of the Thumb," was born July 25, 1851, in Dorsten, Germany, and died in semi-retirement Jan. 21, 1927. His remains are buried in the parish cemetery at St. Agatha.

The parish today is in charge of Pastor, Father Julius Spleet, and Deacon, Lambert Kuhr.

Mrs. Ciel Zuraw attended the recital Friday, June 8, at Cass City Missionary Church of the piano students of Mrs. Ethel Whitaker. Mrs. Zuraw's 8-year-old granddaughter, Melanie Fritz, played selections.

Mrs. John Arvoy, Jeff and Tim of Owosso were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Comment from Wednesday to Friday.

Early last week, Mrs. Bill Malopolski and Mike of Roseville arrived to spend several days with Mrs. Sue Penrod. Mr. Malopolski arrived Friday and they returned home Sunday to attend festivities at the Renaissance Center before the Detroit Grand Prix.

Gary Carolan of Lapeer underwent surgery at Crittenton Hospital in Rochester Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Loomis and Mrs. Gladys Weatherhead spent Thursday in Bay City and Mrs. Weatherhead had a post-surgery eye check-up.

Sunday, June 17, a graduation open house at the Uby Fox Hunters Club honored five cousins, Peggy Zuraw, graduate of Caro High School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zuraw, Tanya Klee of Gaylord, Rodney Grigg, Sue Ritter, and Greg Gay, all of the Bad Axe area. Mrs. Ciel Zuraw attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeShano, Cathy and Carol of Vestaburg came Saturday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Munro. The girls accompanied the Munros to a graduation open house for Chris Munro in Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. DeShano attended a 20-year class reunion of St. Michael's School, New Lothrop.

Mrs. Mary McKellar attended the 4 o'clock wed-

50 attend Crocker reunion

Fifty relatives attended the annual Crocker family reunion Sunday at the White Creek Club.

Those who came from a distance came from Goshen, Ind.; Bradenton, Fla.; Battle Creek, and Saginaw.

Officers elected for the coming year were: President, Ken Proctor, Caro; secretary, Carolyn Cook, Saginaw, and treasurer, Brian Hazard, Pigeon.

The oldest attending was George Crocker of Saginaw who is 89 years old. The youngest was Sara Hazard of Pigeon.

The 1985 reunion will be the fourth Sunday in June at the same location.

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP

BOARD MEETING

MONDAY, JULY 2
7 p.m.

Topic: Road Problems at Township Hall, Deford

BILL O'DELL
SUPERVISOR

REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION Tuesday, August 7, 1984

To the qualified electors of the townships of Evergreen and Greenleaf, County of Sanilac, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that local township and city clerks will be at the locations listed below on

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1984

Last day to register from 8 o'clock a.m. until 5 o'clock p.m. The 30th day preceding said election

For the purposes of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said township, city or village as shall properly apply therefor.

The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

In addition to the nomination and election of candidates for various offices, the following propositions will be voted on:

PROPOSALS - Sanilac County

PROPOSITION RENEWING PRESENT MILLAGE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS SERVICES

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Ubyly, Michigan 48475
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Proposition for Road Maintenance

8 persons injured in two-car crash northwest of Kingston

A 6:20 p.m. accident last Wednesday northwest of Kingston sent eight persons to the hospital. It was one of four injury accidents during the past several days.

Most seriously injured were Milessa Elmy, 7, of

5766 Bond Road, Deford, and Shannon Hill, 14 or 15 of the same address, apparently her stepbrother. Milessa was reported in fair condition Tuesday afternoon at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw and Shannon was in serious condition

there. Their mother, Ruby P. Elmy, 34, of the same address, one of two drivers involved, was admitted to Caro Community Hospital and has since been released.

The other victims, riding in the second car, were all treated and released from the Caro hospital. They were the driver, Lois J. Mata, 27, of 300 Wood Road, Marlette, her children, Dominic, 5, and Jason, 4, and Marilyn Hathaway, 26, of 1850 Froede Road, Deford, and her daughter, Miranda, 1.

Sheriff's deputies said the Mata auto was northbound on Phillips Road, was slowing to stop at the stop sign at Bevins Road, and, according to Ms. Mata, her brakes didn't hold. The car continued into the intersection and struck the right side of the eastbound Elmy auto. The impact sent both cars

into the ditch at the northeast corner of the intersection. The Caro Fire Department used its Jaws of Life hydraulic equipment to help remove victims from the cars. The Kingston Fire Department assisted.

Ms. Mata was ticketed on a charge of failure to yield right of way.

OTHER INJURY CRASHES

Alvin D. Knechtel, 84, and his wife, Hannah, 83, of the Caro Senior Commons, were treated and released from the Caro hospital after an 8:30 a.m. accident Saturday.

Deputies said their auto was northbound on Colling Road. Knechtel stopped at the stop sign at Bay City-Forestville Road, then pulled into the intersection and his car was struck in the right side by the westbound auto driven by Nancy A. Elliott, 35, of 2240 Pierce Road, Uby.

A passenger in her car, Robert W. Elliott, 39, of the same address, sought his own treatment for minor injuries.

Knechtel was ticketed on a charge of failure to yield right of way.

John Graven, 81, of Fairgrove, and Trooper Ronald K. Schneider, 36, of the Caro state police post, were treated and released from the Caro hospital after a 7:40 a.m. accident last Wednesday west of Caro.

Deputies said Graven was southbound on Sheridan Road, stopped at the stop sign on Gilford Road, then started to turn left onto Gilford.

Schneider, who was westbound, swerved to the left to try to avoid an impact, but was unsuccessful and his patrol car and the Graven auto collided.

Graven was ticketed on a charge of failure to yield.

Jerry L. Randall, 17, of 2821 Froede Road, Kingston, was treated and re-

leased from the Caro hospital after a 7:30 p.m. accident Friday.

Deputies said he was riding a motorcycle southbound on a lane on his property, struck a washout and the motorcycle flipped, throwing Randall in the air.

Jack R. Sholes, 27, of 5686 Bond Road, Deford, sought his own treatment after an 11 p.m. accident Tuesday, June 19.

Deputies reported he was northbound on Kingston Road, south of Centerline Road, when his car went off the west side of the road on a curve and went into the ditch.

He told officers another vehicle ran him off the road.

OTHER ACCIDENTS

Robert J. Labeau, 33, of Caro, was arrested on a charge of operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor after a 6:19 p.m. accident Saturday.

Deputies said Ada Mae VanWagoner, 71, of 4055 White Creek Road, Kingston, was westbound on M-46, west of White Creek, when Labeau attempted to pass her. When an eastbound vehicle approached, he started to turn back into the westbound lane, but his car hit the left rear corner of the VanWagoner auto.

His car then went off the north side of the road, down a steep embankment into a hay field.

Labeau was released from the county jail the following day, after posting \$200 bond. Arraignment in district court was scheduled July 9.

At 12:30 p.m. last Thursday, according to deputies, Robert H. McCreedy, 32, of 6598 Gage Street, Gagetown, was backing out of a parking place outside Nicky's Beagio's Restaurant in Gagetown and backed into a parked car owned by Hortencia Fierros, address not listed.

Downing gets medical degree



GREG DOWNING

Greg Downing of Walsh Road, Gagetown, has received a doctorate of osteopathy degree from Michigan State University.

Downing will start a one-year internship at Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital this week.

A 1975 Owendale-Gagetown High School graduate, he has a bachelor of science degree in pharmacy from Ferris State College. He is the son of Jack and Harriet Downing.

50,000-plus expected at MSU Ag Expo

More than 50,000 visitors are expected during the three days of commercial farm equipment displays, field demonstrations and tours planned for Ag Expo July 24-26 at Michigan State University.

Unlike Farmers' Week and Natural Resources Days, which consist primarily of workshops, seminars and association meetings, Ag Expo puts farmers directly in touch with the latest farm equipment technology and university field crop demonstrations.

More than 400 equipment manufacturers will cover 35 acres with just about every type of equipment and supplies used on farms, including irrigation systems, field machinery, dairy equipment and supplies, livestock handling equipment, grain harvesting, handling and storage systems, buildings,

seed and fertilizer supplies, and farm computer and software systems.

The exhibitions will be augmented by MSU field demonstrations that emphasize crop protection with ground and aerial chemical application, and the latest developments in sprayer calibration for field and horticultural crops.

A sizable portion of Ag Expo will be devoted to analyzing farm problems. At least 18 university booths staffed by MSU specialists and technicians will be available to assist farmers with questions about soil, insects and crop diseases, animal health and other topics.

Details of Ag Expo are available at county Cooperative Extension Service offices or write to Ag Expo '84; 217 Agricultural Engineering Building; MSU; East Lansing 48824-1323.

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Retired bus driver traded the classroom for the open road

Margaret Battel was a teacher's aide in 1967, working with small children. However, the following year she left the school to go on the road-as a bus driver.

Mrs. Battel, 62, took the job to help support her family. Her husband Lester was farming 130 acres at their home on M-81, just west of Cass City. The extra income was needed to help raise their children.

Mrs. Battel retired this month after 16 years as a bus driver for the Cass City school system. She drove

children from kindergarten to high school, traveling about 67 miles a day.

In 1968 she received her chauffeur's license, which is required for all bus drivers.

"Veron Gingrich came out (at a PTA meeting) and said they needed a driver. So I went and took my chauffeur's license (test) and passed that. Then I went and got the bus and took it around," Mrs. Battel recalled.

Her training included how to drive in rough weather. In 16 years on the

road, she had only one mishap.

"In the winter the first year I drove a bus, in November (1968), I got stuck in the snow for several hours," Mrs. Battel said. She stayed with the bus for 2-3 hours, stuck in a little valley-like hole near the road.

In her later years behind the wheel, Mrs. Battel sometimes transported the children of children she drove when she first started. That happened with Jim and Rick Turner.

"I used to pick up the boys on 81, and one of them lives outside of town (Jim Turner). I have his two little girls now, Laurie and Kristy," she said. Rick Turner now lives in Ubyly.

The children usually were well-behaved, and the schools would help Mrs. Battel with any who got out of line. Bad students would lose bus riding privileges depending on how many times they were written up

by the drivers.

"I think it's interesting when you have kids that are problems on the bus, and then they graduate and come back and visit. They wonder why they were so bad," Mrs. Battel commented.

She received presents every year at Christmas. A child gave her a favorite gift last December.

"Last Christmas, one of the girls, Linda Warju, said, 'Mrs. Battel, I want to make you something for

Christmas.' And it was this bus," she explained, showing a ceramic bus cookie jar, "with all the students hanging out the window, and the driver on the roof, and it says 'Help!'"

After she retired, the school board gave her a coffee maker, and the bus drivers bought her a watch. Mrs. Battel said she is going to enjoy retirement.

The Battels have a son Paul, 24, and a daughter Linda, 26. Her husband farms 90 acres

Candidates sought for bean queen

Each year at the Huron Community Fair a Huron County bean grower's daughter is crowned as Huron County Bean Queen. The contest is sponsored by the Huron County Bean Growers' Association and Huron County elevators.

To be eligible, the candidate must be single, 18-25 years old and the daughter of a Huron County bean grower.

At the interviews, which will be held the first week of August, the candidate will be asked various questions concerning the production of beans.

The Huron County Bean Queen will represent the county at the state contest, held in Fairgrove on Labor Day.

During the year, the Huron County Bean Queen assists the Bean Growers at various promotional activities, such as the winter Bean Day program and promotions at the fair. In addition, the Bean Queen participates in several

county parades promoting the dry bean industry.

This year's queen, Cathy Mroczek of Kinde, will be participating in seven county parades and will crown the new Bean Queen Tuesday night of the fair, in front of the grandstand. The Bean Queen and candidates will receive gifts.

Candidates do not need to be sponsored by any particular group. Names, addresses and telephone numbers of candidates should be sent to Jim LeCureux, 104 County Building, Bad Axe 48413. Deadline is July 20.

A special event will take place during the Bean Queen ceremonies at the fair. Mrs. Sidney Foster, the 1934 Huron County Bean Queen, who now resides in Oceanside, Calif., will be present to participate in the program.

All former Huron County Bean Queens are invited to participate and they can contact LeCureux.

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SEALED BIDS

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners will receive sealed bids for the sale and removal of a 2 story single family house to be removed from the premises located at 239 E. Sherman Street, Caro, Michigan. Building can be inspected by appointment. Contact Tuscola County Department of Public Works - telephone 673-5999 ext. 209.

Site must be left free and clear of debris and filled to existing grade. Basement floor to be broken up.

A Performance Bond of \$200 or cash is required, refundable upon satisfactory completion of project. Bidder shall furnish necessary liability insurance.

Bids to be delivered to Tuscola County Department of Public Works, 207 East Grant Street, Caro, Michigan 48723.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive any informality in any bids should it consider same to be in the best interest of the County.

Deadline to receive bids - July 20, 1984 at 4:00 p.m.
 Bid Opening - July 23, 1984 at 9:00 a.m. - Courthouse Annex.
 Award Bid - July 24, 1984 at 1:30 p.m. - Board of Commissioners meeting.

A FITTING PRESENT -- Retired school bus driver Margaret Battel holds the ceramic bus cookie jar one of her young passengers gave her as a Christmas present.

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Burn victim remains critical

Ronald Foote, 17, of Sandusky, burned when a motor home exploded June 10 in Evergreen Township, remained in critical condition Tuesday afternoon at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw.

His brother, Robert Foote Jr., 26, of Sandusky, continues to improve. His condition has been upgraded to fair. He was originally listed as critical.

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Pitchers lead Croft-Clara to Scottville tourney win

The Croft-Clara fast pitch softball team traveled to Scottville last week end and came home with the championship trophy.

Pitchers Craig Helwig and Ken Martin did not allow a run in four games. Martin threw a no-hitter against Hamilton and a two-hitter against AUL of Flint. Helwig threw two three-hitters both against Custer VFW.

Hamilton went down 4-0 with Mike Rea and Mike Murphy each collecting two hits and two RBIs. Martin struck out 13. Custer VFW, one of the hometown favorites, was defeated 3-0, with Doug Elbers getting two RBIs. The home run was the difference in the AUL game as Doug Elbers and Jeff Williamson both hit a solo homer for a 2-0 score.

The championship game was a pitcher's duel from the opening pitch. Through six innings, Helwig gave up only two hits and had struck out 12 Custer batters and Tommie Paul, Custer's pitcher, allowed only two

hits and fanned 10 Croft-Clara batters.

In the top of the seventh, Elbers led off with a single and after two unsuccessful attempts to move him to second via the sacrifice bunt, he stole second and then Mike Rea got the winning hit to bring Elbers home. With two outs in the bottom of the seventh, Custer got a double, but popped up to first for the third out. Final score was 1-0.

Craig Helwig was selected the most valuable pitcher and Ken Martin received the most valuable player trophy. In a combined effort, Helwig and Martin allowed only eight hits, walked five and struck out 43 in 28 innings of play.

Shut-out ball was the name of the game in league play last week also as the Kings defeated American Collision 9-0 and Snitko 5-0 to stay in the second place slot in the Flint Fastpitch league at 10-2. Croft-Clara will play Wendy's and Nestor's Club this Thursday night at Whaley, starting at

7 p.m.

The tournament site this week end will be at Petoskey. Croft-Clara's first game will be at 8:30 Friday night against Auburn Fertilizer. The rest of the field is: Novak's of Midland, E.T.V. of Grand Rapids, Cary Trucking of Bronson, Sparetime of Cheboygan, Coney Island of Saginaw, Irish Pub of Lansing and Jock Shop of Cadillac.

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BEST OF SHOW — Brian Watros, 10, and his English Angora rabbit won the best of show trophy at the Tuscola County 4-H Fun Show June 16 at the Caro fairgrounds. There were 153 rabbits competing. Brian is the son of Charles and Sarah Watros of Dale Road, Cass City.

Farm Bureau honors Thompsons

Jim and Rhonda Thompson of Bach Road, Cass City, were honored in Lansing June 19 as the 150th subscribers to AgriCom, Michigan Farm Bureau's computerized marketing information and education program.

Another special guest was Michael Pridgeon, representing Pridgeon Farms of Montgomery, AgriCom's first subscriber.

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Chip Shots

Richard S. Jones returned last Thursday from a three-day satellite seminar and schooling in Niagara Falls. The course dealt with installation and service of satellite systems offered by numerous distributors.

He is with Richard's TV, Appliance and Sound Room of Cass City. The owners are Dick and Gerry Jones of Decker.

Seedlings are growing six times faster than the normal rate in a special chamber operated by a Minnesota reforestation project, reports National Wildlife magazine. By placing paper birch and white spruce seedlings under 1,000-watt arc lamps, the state project produces six-inch trees in about four months, compared to two years required in a nursery.

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UPS man honored for perfect driving

Charles Wright, a delivery driver for United Parcel Service, was recently recognized by the company for completing 20 years driving without an accident.

Humans and sea mammals share ills

Marine mammals suffer from some of the same diseases that affect people, reports the National Wildlife Federation. For example, a microbiologist at the University of California at Berkeley has noted that an increasing incidence of "Salmonella gastroenteritis" among California sea lions accompanied a dramatic increase of the same disease among California state residents.

Wright works out of the UPS facility on Main Street, Cass City. The center serves all or part of Huron, Sanilac, and Tuscola Counties.

Wright, 43, has worked for UPS since it opened its facility in Cass City in June, 1964, and has the most seniority of the 22 drivers there. When he started, he was one of only four drivers covering the same three counties, but the facility didn't handle as many packages as it does now.

Wright has no idea how many thousands of miles he has driven over the years. When he started, he drove 250 miles a day. He now delivers packages in the Bad Axe area, covering about 60 miles a day. (If he averaged 100 miles a day over 20 years, he would have driven about 500,000 miles.)

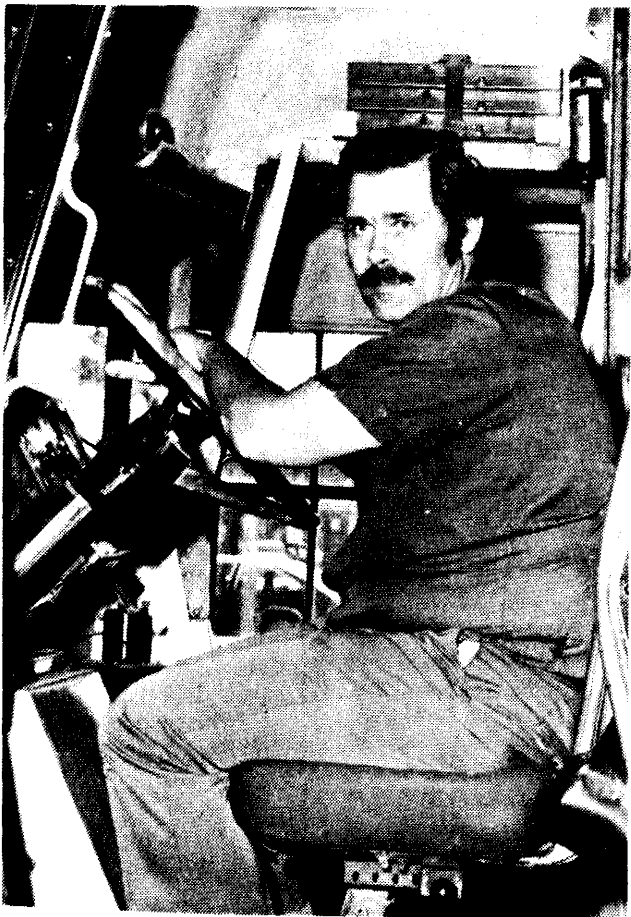
Wright said his secret to safe driving is, "I've al-

ways driven by the 'five seeing habits.' I always know what's on all four sides of my vehicle and I'm very careful where children are concerned."

Wright and his wife, Barbara, live at 4917 State Street, Gagetown. They have three children, Barbara, Karen and Scott.

He is the Elmwood Township-Gagetown fire chief and likes to play golf and hunt.

For his 20 years of safe driving, Wright received a color television from UPS.



CHARLES WRIGHT of Gagetown, who has driven 20 years for United Parcel Service without an accident.

Britton finalist in pageant

Deanna Britton, 18, daughter of Robert and Sally Britton of Cass City, was a state finalist in the 12th annual Miss Michigan Teenager Pageant at the Hilton Hotel in Plymouth June 8-10.



DEANNA BRITTON

Among the involvements of the pageant was the talent and essay competition.

Miss Britton participated in the essay competition, which involved giving a fully-memorized speech entitled "What's Right About America."

Out of 76 participants in talent and essay, she won the essay competition and was awarded a gift of money and a trophy.

Miss Britton was sponsored by several local businesses.

Folks needed for clown contest

Area residents are invited to dress up as clowns for the 4th of July Festival parade and take part in a clown competition.

The invitation stems from the possibility the non-profit Circus Clown Alley of Lansing might cancel its festival appearance, according to parade chairman Kim Glaspie.

"Whether we do anything with Circus Clown Alley, we don't know. That hasn't been confirmed yet. That's where we're at at this point," Glaspie said Monday.

About 100 clowns were originally expected to show up, but Clown Alley received "only a handful" of volunteers, he said, adding the organization didn't know why so few signed up.

The original contest was to have been held at 1:15 p.m. July 4, but will be about 10:45 a.m., just before the parade starts. The contest will be informally structured.

The contest originally

Beware of poisonous plants

Summer brings people into contact with Michigan's poisonous plants, which can cause bothersome if not deadly reactions.

The cross-country hiker and the person who clears brush and weeds around the farm, and even the suburban homeowner need to become familiar with native toxic plants and the problems they can cause.

The Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service has published a color-illustrated guide to 21 of Michigan's more toxic plants. Bulletin E-1662 lists the common names of these plants, briefly describes the harm they can cause to humans, and lists general guidelines for identifying toxic plants.

The bulletin costs 55 cents per copy and is available at county extension offices.

Some of the more commonly known poisonous plants in the MSU guide are black or blue nightshade, which has often been mistaken for hungry hikers for blueberries. Others that may look tempting but are deadly or extremely harmful are thorn apple, poison hemlock, red nightshade, elderberry, pokeweed and ground hemlock.

Rev. Lerner elected to full elder

Rev. Janet Lerner, pastor of the Bethel and Sutton-Sunshine United Methodist Churches, was elected to Elder's Orders and received as a full member of the Detroit Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church.

The 143rd session began June 12 at Adrian College. The Conference of Elders is an organization of clergy and laypersons. Pastors who apply are on three-year probationary membership and are then elected as full members.

June 16 she was ordained as an elder by Bishop Edsel A. Ammons, resident bishop of the Michigan Area of the United Methodist Church.

Rev. Lerner is the daughter of Wesley and Margaret Lerner of Chesaning. A 1973 Chesaning Union High School graduate, she received a B.A. degree in sociology from the University of Michigan in 1977.



REV. JANET LERNER

In 1981 she received two master's degrees in divinity and religious education from Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C. Rev. Lerner has been pastor of Bethel and Sutton-Sunshine since October, 1982.

Rev. Lerner is married to Peter J. Sivia, who was elected as a full lay member of the Detroit Conference.

Taking stock



By Bill Myers

When the International Gold Bullion Exchange of Fort Lauderdale went defunct, a list of the biggest losers was printed.

The top victims dropped a total of \$4.8 million.

Guess who lost the most? A Dr. Lam. Wouldn't you know it, I tell you, as a group, the doctors are the unluckiest people that I know of when it comes to investments. I wonder why.

There have been some notable disasters on the investment scene—the Gold Bullion Exchange, the devaluation of the Mexican peso and freezing of assets in the banks south of the Rio Grande, Penn Square Bank bankruptcy, and lately the Biscayne Federal Savings and Loan.

In the Bullion Exchange deal, people should have known better than to buy gold except through a bank or broker.

The price is essentially the same with these reputable concerns, so why speculate with the highflying operators?

In the Mexican debacle, shed no tears for those victims. Most were stashing money in Mexican banks for the sky-high interest rates, and more particularly because the interest was not reported to the IRS in America.

Well, they got the high interest all right, but there was one catch: they didn't get their principal back.

Americans who speculated in land in the Bahamas a few years ago got clipped, too.

Land went up in price, but the Pindling government decreed that it must be sold to Bahamians. And the islanders, except for an elite few, are notoriously short of money.

The Penn Square Bank that folded cost big city

banks a bundle. They all should have known better than to buy shaky loans from Penn Square just because the interest rate was high. Again, they got the high interest, but none of the principal.

An officer of an Ohio bank that didn't get clipped told me that the loans were poorly documented and the Chicago and New York banks that bought this paper were both negligent and greedy—a bad combination.

Then there was the Biscayne Federal Savings and Loan that the Feds closed and then reorganized.

Gracious, there were stories six months earlier of the sorry shape Biscayne was in. Plenty of time for depositors to get out, and even the shareholders could have salvaged some of their investment. But they hung on.

While the deposit insurance paid off the smaller depositors, the big ones had to wait awhile on the reorganization. The shareholders, meanwhile had stock worth nothing.

We see ads on the financial pages for 12½ percent tax-exempt bonds. Usually when you get to the smaller type, you find it's for a nursing home or retirement center. Those places often have financial problems, and this big premium on interest rates on their bonds clearly reflects the high risk. If a bond is sold to yield over 9.5 percent, look out. There's a catch in it somewhere.

As for foreign investing, most of us find there are enough problems here at home. Let the Bahamians and the Mexican politicians get their fingers in the pie, and you'll be eating at the second table—if at all.

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GARAGE SALE - Toys, dishes, clothes, quite a few large women's clothes, many other miscellaneous items. Starting Thursday, 10 a.m. running thru? 6614 Gage St., Gagetown. 14-6-28-2

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GARAGE SALE - Wednesday 3 to 7 p.m. Thursday 10 till 5. One block south, 1/2 west of the Ford Garage. Clothing - all sizes, paperbacks, Avon collectibles, jewelry, several sets of dishes, knickknacks and some furniture. 14-6-28-1

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GARAGE SALE - June 28-29, 9 till 5. 4770 Koepfgen Rd. Lots of items. Veron Gingrich. 14-6-28-1

GARAGE SALE - Bike, TV stand, foot whirlpool, some furniture, tires, clothes, lots more. 6578 Seed, Thursday, June 28, from 9-8, Friday, June 29, from 9-5. 14-6-28-1

GARAGE SALE - Lots of baby clothes, until Saturday, 6324 Houghton. 14-6-28-1

BASEMENT SALE - Thursday and Friday 10 a.m. Jeans, tops, shoes, shirts and pants for teens, men, women and some baby clothes. Lots of small baskets and miscellaneous items. Freda Parrish. Call 872-3513. 4381 Brooker St. 14-6-28-1

MOVING GARAGE SALE - Thursday-Friday 9-5. Stereo console, wood table, pictures, bed springs, small deep freeze, fireplace doors, pool table/Ping-Pong top, baby clothes, men's, ladies', children's clothes from size 9, weed eater, miscellaneous. 4685 Hospital Dr. 14-6-28-1

YARD SALE - sewing machine, coffee-maker, infant changing table, child's bed rail, women's and children's clothes. Thursday and Friday, 9 to 5. 6576 Huron St. 14-6-28-1

SEVERAL FAMILY Garage Sale - 6877 Herron Dr., corner of Herron and Houghton. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 28-29-30, 8 to 5 and Saturday 8-12. 14-6-28-1

GARAGE SALE - Thursday and Friday 9 to 5. 4216 Maple St. 14-6-28-1

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Card of Thanks

A SPECIAL thanks to all our friends and relatives who attended our 25th wedding anniversary party Saturday. Special thanks to Marge Gage and Denny and Donna Gibson. Albert and Shirley Griffen. 13-6-28-1

WE WISH TO express our thanks to Dr. Jeung and the staff at Hills and Dales Hospital for the great care. Also thanks to Fr. O'Connor and Fr. Spleet and all family and friends for visits, prayers and concerns. Kevin and Jean Anthony. 13-6-28-1

WOULD LIKE TO thank all my family and friends for their visits, prayers, cards and gifts, to Rev. Lambert for his visits and prayers, also to Dr. Jeung and nurses for their wonderful care while I was at Hills and Dales Hospital. God bless you all. Violet Diebel. 13-6-28-1

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Demolition action-packed

It will be "smash-'em up" time starting at 3 p.m. Wednesday as cars compete in

the demolition derby, sponsored by the Cass City Jaycees.

Admission will be \$3 for adults, \$1 for kids 5-12 and children 4 and under are

free, said derby organizer and Jaycees member Dan Ulfig.

The demolition derby replaces the tractor pull, which has been a money-loser at previous festivals. It will be in the same location, in front of the sledding hill.

Ulfig said the Jaycees are hoping about 30 cars or more will enter. Some of the biggest derbies in the state have 60-80 cars.

Entry fee for the event is \$15. The cars are old wrecks on their "last wheels."

"Anybody that's got access to an old car (usually enters) and they're going to junk it anyway. Some of the young people really enjoy it," Ulfig said.

Competition will start with eight-car heats in the track area, which measures 40x100 ft. Cars will go into four slots on each side of the track area. The heat begins with the autos backing up into each other until one car outlasts the others. The winning car from each of these heats will win \$50.

All heat winners will go on to the "grand finale" heat to determine the top two cars. Driver of the first place car will get \$150, and second place \$75, Ulfig said.

Participants must follow several rules to ensure safety. For example, driv-

ers must wear safety helmets, and all glass including windows, lights and mirrors must be removed from the car.

Drivers either must be 18 or older, or if 16 or 17 must have their parents sign a consent form to enter, Ulfig said.

Registration forms and complete rules and regulations are available at McMahan Auto Supply, Cass City; Huron Auto Parts, Bad Axe; Caro Auto Parts; Rieck's Used Auto Parts, Kingston, and Yager Auto Parts, Sandusky.

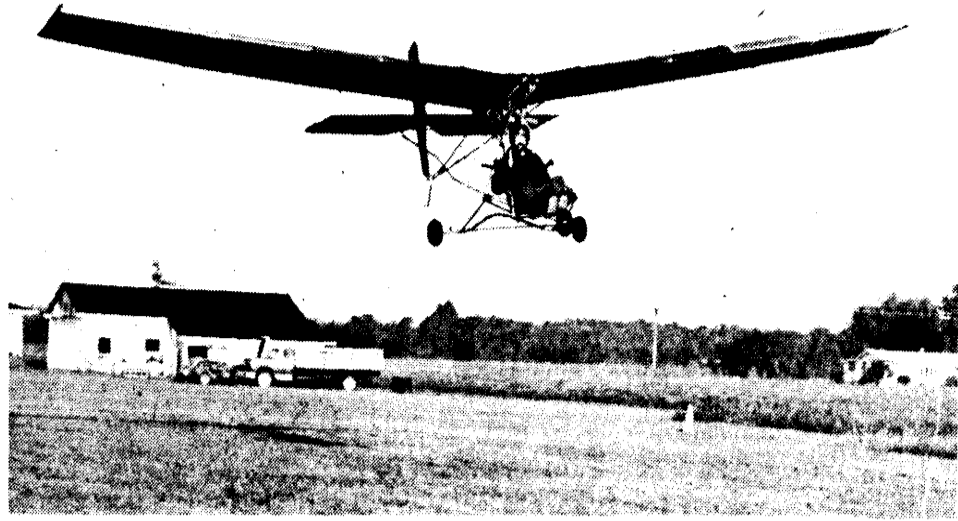
Sanilac GOP meeting slated

The Sanilac County Republican Party will meet Thursday, July 5, at 8 p.m. in the county conference room, 37 Austin Street, Sandusky.

All Republican candidates are encouraged to attend.

Beaver pelts

Starting in the 1600s, it was the beaver pelt that lured Europeans to most of North America's wild reaches, says National Wildlife magazine.



WEATHER PERMITTING, ultralights like this one will be flying and on the ground behind the high school starting at 7 p.m. Tuesday. This one is being flown by Ed Bezemek of Argyle.

(Story in special section).

Lots of hard work goes into food sales

There are many places to buy food at the 4th of July Festival, and all of them take a lot of hard work to set up. The Rotary Club's pancake breakfast and hot dogs sale is an example.

The Rotarians will serve breakfast from 7-11 a.m., and after the parade they will have hot dogs and Polish kielbasa, sauerkraut and pop to wash it all down.

The planning starts about three weeks before the festival, when the Rotarians plan the menu, determine the amount of food needed, set prices for children's and adults' meals and order the supplies, said Rotary member Dick Erla.

Most of the equipment, including grills, spatulas and pots and pans, belong to the Rotary Club. They also borrow things or rent things here and there, Erla added.

On Tuesday night the men will set up the grills and get everything connected. They rent a 10-by-30 foot tent, which the tent owner sets up. It takes club members 2-3 hours to set up everything for the food sale, Erla said.

The Rotarians get a couple of young people to watch over the tent and equipment overnight.

This part of the festival is the hardest. "Running around and getting things, risking your own neck, getting everything there (is hard)," Erla explained. "Getting picnic tables -- Walbro lends us some."

Erla picks up the meat at about 6:30, using a refrigerated truck to transport the meat. The truck stays at the booth all day to keep the meat fresh on the hot holiday. The Rotarians also borrow a van to run other errands.

"There's always little things that come up at the last minute, and you've got to go around and pick them up," he added.

Other club members arrive at the tent at 6 to get the grills -- each measuring 30 inches by 2 feet -- fired up and start preparing the coffee.

"We get some of the 'hundred cuppers' from Walbro or up at the school there," Erla said. "We

serve about a couple hundred cups (of coffee)."

There will also be milk available.

By 7 the families start coming in. Erla estimated the club served breakfast to about 150-160 persons last year.

After the parade the Rotarians will be back for the afternoon crowd. Estimates for lunch and dinner items last year were 800-900 hot dogs, 700-800 Polish dogs and 30-40 pounds of sauerkraut.

Several of the volunteers end up doing the same thing year after year. About 6-8 persons work at a time, and a couple of the Rotary Anns, the Rotary club members' wives, also help out, Erla said.

Proceeds from the food sales will go to the Rotary Foundation, paying the club's pledge toward the tennis courts, hospital contributions and other Rotary services. The organization made about \$1,200 last year after expenses.

There are many bills to pay after the food sale. There are food costs, tent rental, pop machine rental and the 25 percent net profits that go to the Chamber of Commerce for the festival.

"That kind of knocks our profit down because 25 percent is quite a lot. And of course the costs of things are going up," Erla said.

The work is hard in every aspect of the food sale. "They got a float (along with the food sale). They've got to set everything up. You've got to do a little pushing here and a little pushing there to get the men to work. You don't want anything half done," Erla commented.

The work is a little easier than when the festival first began because the Rotarians have become veterans at planning the food sale. Erla has been in charge of the food sale since it began.

Some of the men who volunteer work all day, Erla said.

Whether the pancake breakfast and afternoon sales will be back is not certain, because the festival's own future is in doubt, he added.

There are benefits from staging the food sale.

"I would just say it's a community service. We make a little extra which we give away anyway. There's no profit (for Rotary) in it at all. It all goes to the town," Erla stressed.



DEMOLITION DERBY -- Tony Sweeney (left) and Jerry Bartnik will probably be driving in the demolition derby, which starts at 3 p.m. This already dented car, after a roll-over is installed, will be entered by the Jaycees.

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Rock videos will highlight teen dance

Young people will not only listen to music this year at the annual teen dance, but they will watch it as well.

The dance goes "high tech" for the second year in a row, when Saginaw disk jockey "Elmar" comes to town with his rock video show. The dance will be 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Wednesday inside the village equipment storage building.

"They love them (rock videos)," dance coordinator Sandy Nicholas said. "Elmar is very up to date. He had 'Thriller' (by Michael Jackson) right after it came out. He makes enough money that he can keep up."

The dance is open to persons 13 and up, and the admission will be \$2 per person. Mrs. Nicholas estimated 300-400 persons mostly under 20 will come.

The dance previously was held on the tennis courts, and anyone could

come and listen to the music without paying. Now that it's inside, if persons want to see the videos, they must pay, she said.

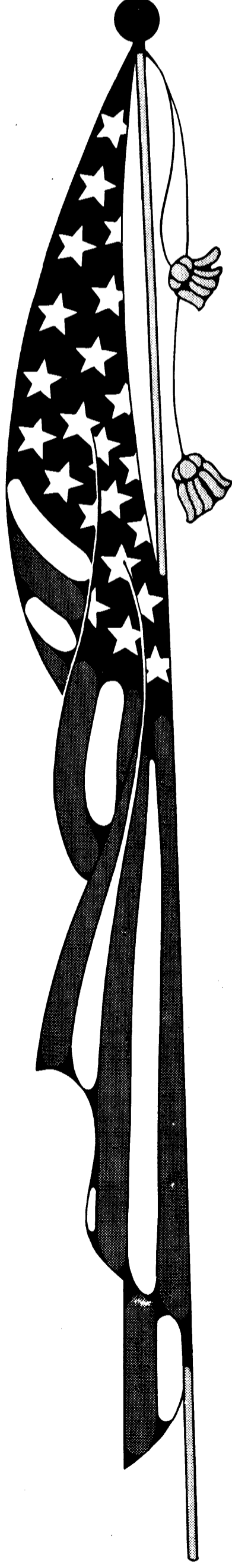
"It didn't make money (before the video show). The kids that were there last year (when videos debuted) said there were more people," Mrs. Nicholas explained.

The dance will net a profit of about \$400 after Elmar gets his \$200 fee.

Elmar has been in the music business for about 12 years, managing rock clubs and as a DJ since 1980.

"Back in about 1977, '78, I was involved with a musical thing I was promoting in New York. It was the history of the Beatles, the history of '60s music. I was exposed to video at that time," Elmar recalled.

After that he bought a video cassette recorder and tapes and started using them in his show.





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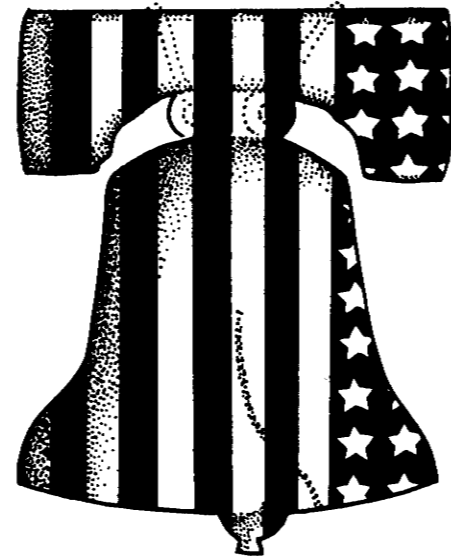


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An Annual Report to the Thumb Community

Citizens work hard, but industry proves to be

By H.V. Wood

Attracting new business to Cass City is slow and time-consuming. Members of the industrial, agricultural and retail sectors say they have no commitments from businesses willing to locate in Cass City.



BILL KRITZMAN

Last year the Rotary Club set up industrial, agricultural and retail committees to help tackle the problem.

The village received \$4,000 to produce and distribute about 1,000 brochures promoting Cass City. They were sent to businesses in Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Michigan, according to village Superintendent Lou LaPonsie.

There has been little response to the brochures, for many reasons, Cass City Industrial Corp. President Bill Kritzman said.

"Everyone is in the same boat. Everyone's after industry. Every town is trying to attract business. They (companies) get so much of the stuff they throw it in the basket. If they're interested they go directly to the place," he continued, or go to a state agency that deals with community development.

However, sending out the brochures is not totally in vain. LaPonsie said businesses sometimes call back one or two years after getting Cass City litera-

ture. "What we try to do now is follow up on some leads on a one-on-one basis, a more personal basis. We send out letters and follow up with phone calls," he explained.

The village government also spent \$800 to promote the industrial park in Detroit magazine's industrial park directory. It also spent \$990 for ads in the Chicago Tribune and Wall Street Journal. Again the village has gotten few responses, because businesses take their time responding.

The Chamber of Commerce has gotten some responses, according to former Chamber President Curt Strickland. He estimated he gets a half dozen letters a week, mostly from persons curious about the community who might relocate, and tourists. Any business persons usually contact LaPonsie.

ATTRACTIONS

The village has the lowest tax base in the Thumb, LaPonsie said. It is 15.123

mills, with 2.5 mills included as a levy to pay for the new wastewater treatment plant.

Water and sewage rates are cheaper than most area communities. The \$6 million wastewater treatment plant is the most advanced in the Thumb, LaPonsie said.

Cass City's location is convenient for everyone. "We're situated between each of those highways (M-53 and M-24). We're not far from the Saginaw, Bay City, Flint area. We're situated so if you can't find it in Cass City, it's not too far away," LaPonsie commented.

Other resources the village has to offer are a modern hospital, good school system and a large recreation park. However, the largest resource is the industrial park southeast of town.

INDUSTRIAL PARK

Already home to Walbro Corp., General Cable, Anrod Screen Cylinder, Arnica Corp. and Marshall

Distributing, the park covers 28 acres and has fully constructed sewage systems and streets.

The Industrial Development Corp., which owns the park (except for the parcels it has sold to the industries there) works with the state and the Tuscola County Economic Development Corp. to attract business here.

Local business persons and others have met with the county EDC director, Lydia Wielenga, who has provided them with information on companies that will never locate in Michigan and others that might, village needs, help to the retail community and financial help, Kritzman said.

"She has the contacts. She can't do it personally, but she can tell you where to go. She is also the filter down from the state. She has her finger on every (business) contact in the area," he added.

The industrial park has few leads from interested businesses. One thing the Industrial Development

Corp. has worked on is getting established companies to expand, or attract companies within a 20-mile radius of the village, Kritzman said.

"Right now we're in limbo. We don't know where to turn. We just wait for them to come to us. We're working with the area director (Miss Wielenga) to channel industry to our area or her area



LOU LaPONSIE

Lots of enthusiasm and pride in tug-of-war team competition

Several enthusiastic teams will participate in this year's tug-of-war competition, which will start at 5 p.m. Wednesday in front of the grandstand.

There will be separate divisions for men's and women's teams, with a maximum of 10 persons per team. The weight limit for the men's teams will be 2,000 pounds and 1,500 pounds for the women, tug-of-war chairman Wayne Dillon said.

The entry fee is \$20 per team, and teams will be accepted until the weigh-in time at 4 p.m. Wednesday. The weigh-in will be at the Pillsbury Elevator on Main Street.

"At 4 p.m. sharp we'll start weighing them in, and at 5 o'clock will be the tug-of-war," he said.

The weigh-in process will use a truck scale. A truck will be parked on the scale and its weight recorded. Teams will get on the truck, and the truck weight will be subtracted from the total weight to get the team weight. All legal team members will have their

hands marked, Dillon said. The tug-of-war will use double elimination. Losers of the first round will compete against other losers, and winners will play the other winners. Winners from this category will play each other until the first, second and third place

teams are determined in each division.

Prizes for both men's and women's teams will be 50 percent of the entry fees for first place, 20 percent for second place and 10 percent for third place. The final 10 percent of the entry fees will be used for trophies,

Dillon said. Competition is spirited, and some teams take the contest very seriously. Dillon said one team for practice would tie a rope to a tractor and pull against its weight.

"(There's) a lot of enthusiasm and a lot of

pride," he said. "They want to win."

The pulling is all hard work, Dillon added. "I pulled in it the first year. And I ached all over after that. I couldn't get off the tractor (after farm work) for three days."



WAYNE DILLON

Hungry? Cass City Park food booths ready to help

A wide array of foods will be available all day Wednesday to festival-goers who need to satisfy their taste buds.

The Rotary Club will serve pancakes and sausages from 7-9 a.m. in the area north of the basketball court. After the parade, Rotary will serve Polish hot dogs and kielbasa.

The Eastern Stars, Jaycees and Cass City Gun Club will serve hot dogs,

hamburgers, chips, fries, popcorn and pop. The Eastern Stars and gun club will be by the basketball courts, and the Jaycees will be at the demolition derby.

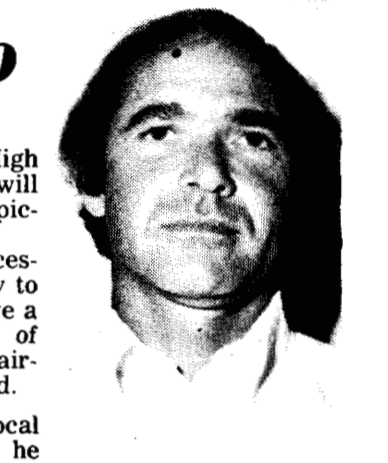
Two church groups will sell food. The Trinity United Methodist Women will have cotton candy and the Shabbona Methodist youth group will sell pop at the parade.

The Cass City Band Boosters will have pizza and pop. The Lions Club will be in its new pavilion with

chicken dinners. The Cass City High School junior class will serve ice cream by the picnic tables.

"I think with 10 concessions, we'll have plenty to eat this year. We'll have a pretty good variety of food," concessions chairman Dale McIntosh said.

He contacted only local organizations because he said he felt it was more fair to give the business to Cass City people.



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50 to 60 antique cars expected in 6th annual show at Festival

Historical cars from all over the Thumb will converge in Cass City Wednesday for the festival parade and afterwards will be in the park on exhibition.

The Thumb Area Antique Auto Club is hosting the show, which will be held for the fifth year. Approximately 50-60 cars are expected, club member Jim Perry said.

Cars from the turn of the century to the mid-1960s will participate, he said.

The group is seeking "any that's more rare or specialized in nature," Perry said. "For example there were cars that

were made in the '60s of a specialized nature. The Studebaker Avanti is kind of rare."

The cars will line up on Pine Street, west of West Street Wednesday before the parade. Cars can participate right up to the time of the parade, Perry said.

"If they drive into town on the day of the parade and we're there, we'll put them in the parade before we leave," he said.

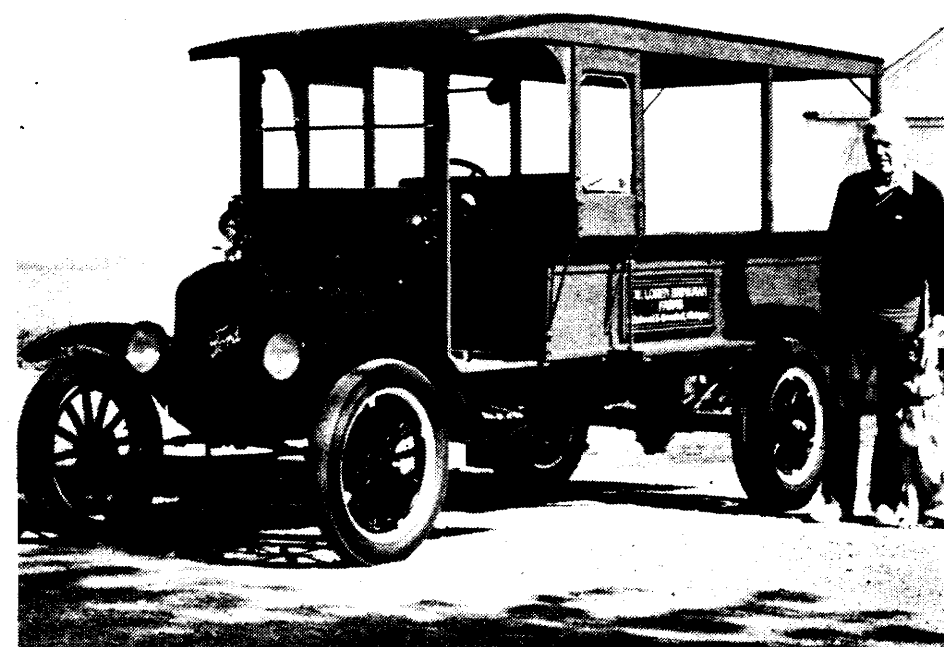
Immediately after the parade, the cars will go to a fenced-in area where they will go on display until late afternoon. Persons can come and examine the dif-

ferent types of cars, Perry said.

"It seems to draw just a steady crowd when the cars get there (and stay) for about four or five hours," he said.

The vintage car show is not a contest, just a display. The most popular cars are from the 1920s and '30s and the late '50s and early '60s, Perry said.

Cars from the '20s and '30s include Ford Model A's and T's, and '50s and '60s cars include classics like the 1956 Chevy, 1965 Ford Mustang and various convertibles, Perry said.



MODEL T -- Loren Brinkman of Southfield, who has a week-end residence in the Cass City area, stands by his newly restored 1917 Ford Model T Huckster truck that he hopes to drive in the Fourth of July parade and have on display with the other antique vehicles afterwards. The truck was restored by Grant Hutchinson of Cass City.

Fish pond slated for kids

Children will have the opportunity to go angling at the Cass City Jaycees' children's fish pond Wednesday, beginning at 1:30.

For 25 cents a try, kids can catch plastic foam fish from a tub filled with water, Jaycees secretary Connie Klinkman said.

"You pick it up and it has a number on it, and that

number corresponds to a prize, and that's the prize you get," Mrs. Klinkman said.

Kids can catch fish as many times as they want. Prizes will include clay, stuffed toys, suckers and balloons, she said.

All proceeds from the fish pond will go toward activities the Jaycees do for

the community, Mrs. Klinkman said.

"We've collected money for burns (patients). We purchase seedling trees and give them to the preschoolers and elementary school as part of our Arbor Day plans. We've sponsored fingerprinting of the kids. We did all the schools in this area," Mrs. Klinkman said.

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(Tuscola County)," he explained.

INDUSTRY

Rod Krueger, chairman of the Rotary Club's industrial committee, said the committee got about five contacts. However, none of the contacts are firm commitments, and some have even fallen through.

Committee members contact others they know in industry to spread around information on Cass City, he said.

The strongest possibility is a steel tubing manufacturer from Detroit. Another possibility is a parts manufacturer which would supply parts to Walbro. Anrod Screen Cylinder in turn would supply components to the parts company.

Krueger said the committee is looking for companies that can interact with the established plants, like a trucking company. However, one interested trucking firm decided to set up shop in Marlette.

Another possibility that fell through was a screw machine parts manufacturer which makes parts for appliances and machinery.

Getting a plastics manufacturer has been put on hold, and a Detroit paper filter manufacturer is a "distant possibility."

"We picked out (contacted) just about anyone and everyone there was. I'd say the bulk were plastics manufacturers," Krueger added.

AGRICULTURE

The Rotary agricultural committee wants to attract businesses that would use agricultural resources of the area, according to committee member Dick Erla. "We're looking not only for Cass City, but the Thumb. It's not just for us but the whole area," Erla added.

A processing plant handling area crops—beans espe-

cially—is being sought. A soybean or bean-canning plant would benefit the area, he said.

In the area of meat processing, there is already a small beef processor in town, but the committee would like to get a large pork processing plant. "You've got to look at the potential. We've got one of the largest livestock yards in the state of Michigan, four miles from Cass City. The production is here, but a lot of it is shipped out," Erla said.

The committee has worked with legislators from the state and federal government to get contacts, he said.

One detriment to the area is the lack of railroad service, but the solution would be to use trucks, Erla said.

"On the whole I think the beef man and the dairy man have done well. I think the cash crop farmer isn't doing so well," because of rising production costs, Erla said.

"(But) this is the idea of the game. If you've got a processing plant in the area, you could get more dollars to the cash crop farmers in the area."

RETAIL

The Rotary retail committee has been trying to get a men's clothing store and a child-maternity wear store in the area, committee member Mike Weaver said.

Two or three years ago,

We picked out just about anyone and everyone there was. I'd say the bulk were plastic manufacturers. - Krueger



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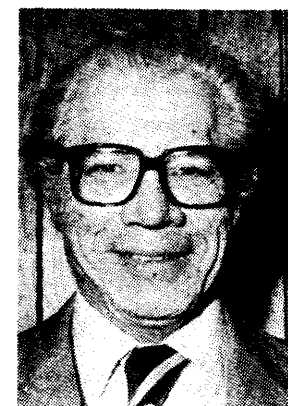
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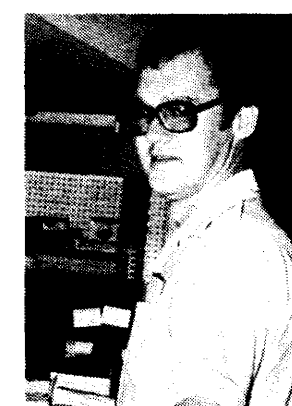
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Thumb National building expansion made necessary by rapid growth

Growth that has exceeded original expectations has made it necessary to add 50 percent more space to the Thumb National Bank and Trust building in Cass City, according to authorities at the bank.

The addition will have 1,150 square feet plus 800 square feet of basement space. The present building is 2,400 square feet.

When completed sometime in July, the addition will provide three new offices, meeting room and

employee lounge. The basement will be used primarily for storage.

The addition also reflects our confidence in the future growth of Cass City, Curt Strickland said when discussing the addition.

When Thumb National

first opened its temporary office in a mobile home in Cass City, the bank's assets were listed at \$36.1 million.

Today the bank has grown to \$65.6 million. The total includes \$10.1 million at the Cass City branch.

Thumb National opened

in Cass City in August of 1978 and opened its bank building in May, 1979.

The growth in the bank has also resulted in more jobs for local area persons. When the bank opened it was staffed by Rich Ypma, Curt Strickland and Cindy Kruse.

Since that time, four additional persons have been hired, all from the local area. They include Dale McIntosh, Lora Karr, Carol

Knight and Shivaun Forster.

It has been a policy at the bank to become heavily involved in local civic affairs.

Ypma has been an active member of the Cass City Rotary Club and serves this year as its president. Strickland served as president of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce and is currently co-chairman of the July 4 Festival.

Little League all-stars to play double header

Cass City's brightest young baseball players will take to the field at 2 p.m. Wednesday for the annual Little League all-star game.

Each of the six Little League teams will send its best four players. The league is set up like major league baseball with the American and National Leagues, said its president, Marv Irrer.

The American League is made up of the Tigers, Orioles and Yankees, and the National has the Cubs, Giants and Pirates.

"The kids are familiar with the major leagues and

they feel better associated with that," he said.

Little League players are ages 10-12 and "occasionally a 9-year-old who's really good," Irrer said.

The team managers pick the best players based on their fielding percentages, batting averages and especially leadership and sportsmanship, he said. Most all-star players are 12 years old.

The managers from the top teams of the American and National division will manage each division's all-star team. The teams will play a doubleheader Wednesday, Irrer said.



IN THE FOREGROUND is the addition to the Thumb National Bank building in Cass City. The community acceptance of the bank has made the addition of 50 percent more space necessary, according to bank officials.

Doug Oldham concert set

Gospel singer Doug Oldham, the first performer to have a gospel album earn a gold record for sales, will be in Cass City for a night of song Wednesday.

The concert starting at 7 in the Cass City High School gym, is being presented by the Cass City Area Ministerial Alliance. Tickets are \$5 in advance or \$6 at the door. Children 11 and under are free.

Oldham tours the United States, Canada and Europe and does more than 150 concerts a year. Most of his albums have sold more than a million copies.

He appeared for five

years on Rev. Jerry Fallwell's "Old-Time Gospel Hour." Currently he hosts his own show called "Hi, Doug!" on cable's Christian Broadcasting Network.

Oldham wrote an autobiography, "I don't Live Here Anymore," which was a religious bestseller for three months.

The gospel vocalist's greatest satisfaction is his ministry. He spreads "the good news through Christ through personal testimony and song," according to Christian Artists Corp., his booking agency.

"They'll hear good music and can expect to be up-

lifted, and to have a real time of praise," said Rev. Vern Lockard of the Novesta Church of Christ.

He said Oldham is a recovered alcoholic who came to Christ.

This is the second year the alliance has presented a well-known gospel artist. Last year Merrill Womach was the featured performer.

The Ministerial Alliance is an organization of area ministers who "meet together to have fellowship and to provide spiritual leadership and guidance to the area," Lockard said.



DOUG OLDHAM

Ultralights to fly

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Ultralight airplanes were scheduled for a demonstration during the 1983 Fourth of July Festival, but all that was demonstrated was that they can't fly in windy weather, leaving a couple of hundred would-be spectators disappointed.

Assuming the weather this year is calm, at least two of the tiny aircraft should be landing in the field behind the high school about 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Scheduled to be flying their planes are Bob White

of Caro and Chuck Curtis of Lapeer, and possibly one or two more, probably from Lapeer.

Most ultralight airplanes don't have much more than fabric-covered wings and a tail, an engine and a seat for the pilot, with everything held together by aluminum tubes and steel wires.

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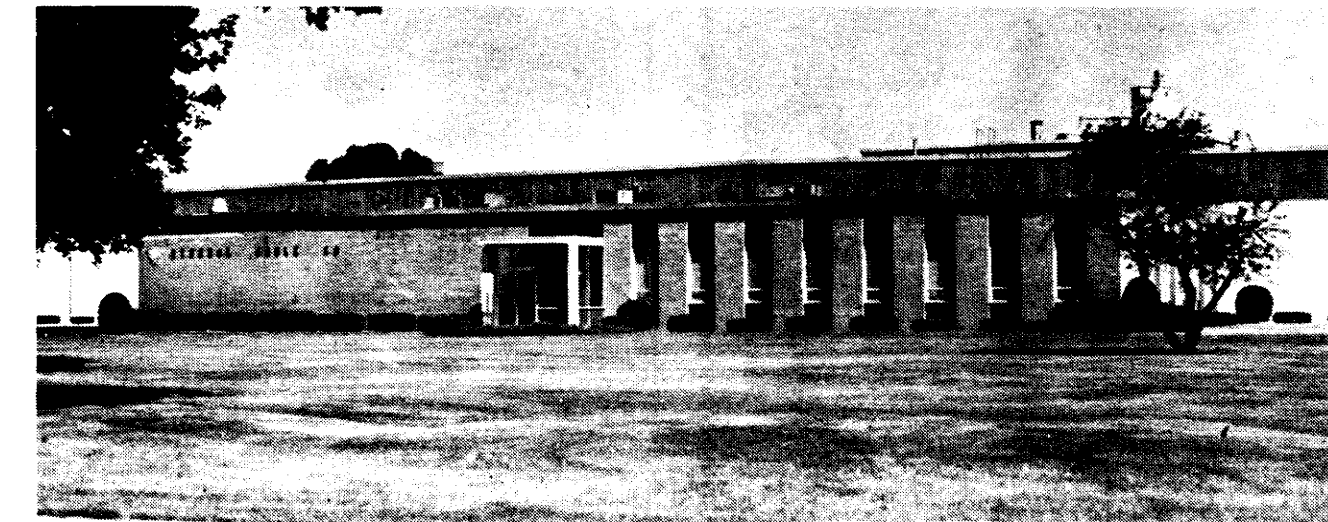
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Kieltyka organizes march

Vietnam vets in Festival parade

Frank Kieltyka, 25, never served in Vietnam. However, the war has been a subject that occupies a large portion of his life. He has been advertising in area newspapers to encourage Vietnam veterans to be

Korean War, and now it is time to honor the Vietnam vets. Kieltyka said.

He first got interested in Vietnam through the experience of his brothers, John and Keith (Skip) Kieltyka, 36, who are both veterans. John recorded his war experiences on Super 8 film and slides that Kieltyka said were shocking and graphic.

He was especially close to John and remembers when he came home. "I remember him telling my daddy at the airport he just lost the war. I was in the military for about three years and slides that Kieltyka said were shocking and graphic.

Axe, Kieltyka has gotten a few calls, but not as many as he would like.

"They wouldn't even let me show them in my history class," he said.



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The softball tournament will begin Friday at 7:30 p.m., and continue Saturday and Sunday starting at 10 a.m.

Twelve teams will play elimination rounds, and the top four teams will appear in the championship games during the festival.

The teams that confirmed their entries are Firehouse Bar, Rose City; Cloverleaf Lounge, Clo; Charmont, Cass City; Village Quick Stop and Thumb National Bank, Pigeon; Marlette Area Softball Hitlers (MASH); We'llere Lounge and Bishop's Inn, Bay City; McGraw-Edison, Dairy Lanes and Samilac Dairies, all of Sandusky, and McMahan Auto Supply, Cass City.

year, tournament manager Roy Hull said.

The teams are Class C, CC and D teams, as ranked by the Amateur Softball Association (ASA). They will draw numbers to determine what division they will play in. McMahan team manager Ed Stoutenburg said.

There will be six teams in two divisions. "It's to get a lot of softball action in. It's a round-robin tournament. Everyone will play five teams," Hull said.

Entry fee was \$125 per team. The money will pay for trophies, softballs and umpires. Hull said he will hire 8-10 umpires, who charge \$20 a game. Last year McMahan made about \$75 after paying all expenses.

Trophies will go to the top four teams. The first two games, the winners will play each other for first and second, and the losers will go to the consolation round, Hull said.

The Croft-Clara Kings will play an exhibition double-header against the Mitchell Corp. team, Corunna.

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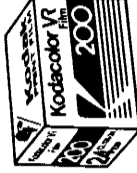
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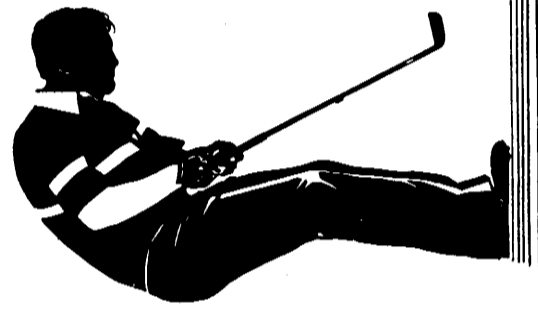


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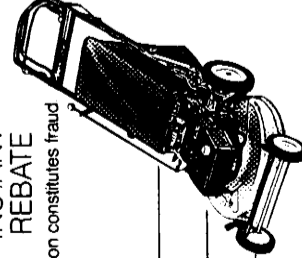
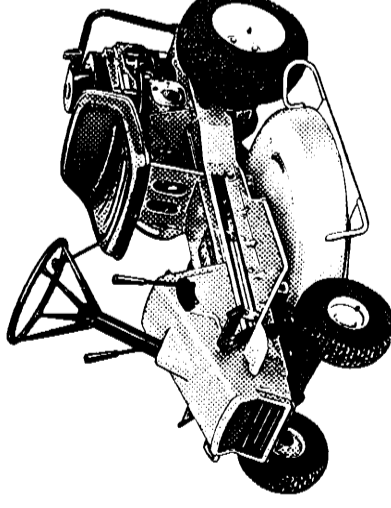
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simply because the logistics of the event are so huge. "It's hard to get these different groups to come, because of the different parades in the area. We start in January, February, sending out invitations by mail. We try new twists every year to make it interesting," Gaspie said. Main Street will be blocked off to traffic from

early in the morning until early afternoon. The parade will assemble at Brooker and proceed east on Main until it reaches the entrance to the park. Participants are accepted until the start of the parade, and the committee has been flexible, with "last-minute shuffling," Gaspie said.

"We get people from all over (to watch the parade)," Gaspie commented. "We get people from all over the Thumb area. We're getting a lot from the tri-cities. It's in the thousands. The whole Main area is packed from Brooker down to Ale. That whole thing is wall-to-wall people."



CO-CHAIRMEN -- Dave Lovejoy (left) and Roland Pakonen are co-chairmen of the festival along with Curt Strickland.

Square dancers set to perform

Area residents will have the chance to learn basic square dancing at the sixth annual dance Wednesday from 6-9 p.m. at the basketball courts. The dance will be coordinated by Alvin and Juanita Burk of Cass City, who are members of the Rocking Eights Square Dance Club in Caro. About 30-50 couples from square dance clubs in Cass City, Bad Axe, Caro, Marlette, Midland and Frankenmuth are expected to show up, Mrs. Burk said. Any club members are invited.

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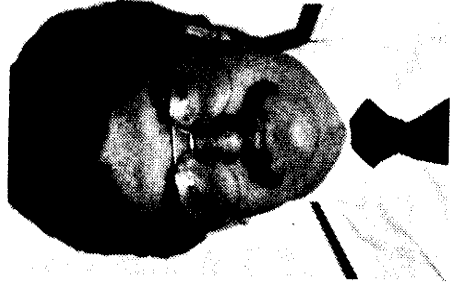
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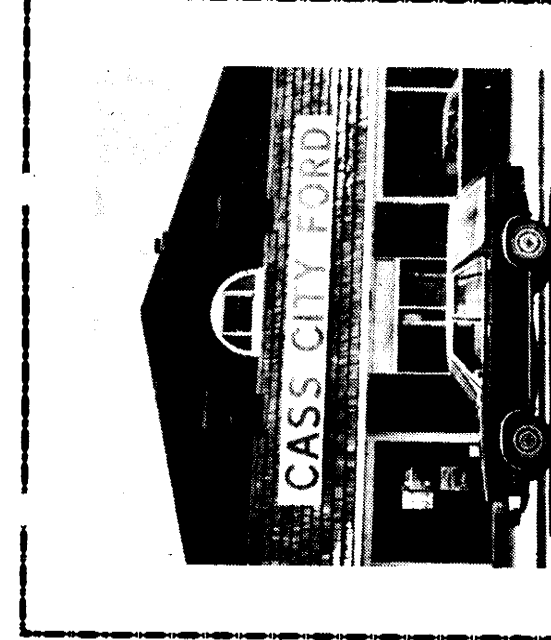
Floats will be as varied as the Rocking Eighties parade will march on down Main beginning at 11 a.m. and lasting approximately 1 1/2 hours.

Floats, antique cars, musical acts, beauty queens, clowns and war veterans will be the order of the day, Chairman Kim Glaspie said.

About 100 units are expected in this year's parade.



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About 60 exhibitors have signed up for space so far, said coordinator Sandy Nicholas. The sellers are coming from Freeland, Caro, Sebawaing, Pigeon, Kinde, Standish, Pincon-

ing, Flint, Bay City, Vassar and other communities. "We've had artists of all kinds of dolls, cake decorating, wood-craft, flower arranging and doll clothes," Mrs. Nicholas said.

Most of the flea market exhibitors will be outside, and will have several unusual gifts for reasonable prices.

Exhibitors will be charged \$15 for inside space and \$12.50 for outside. "The people that exhibit outside never call in advance. They just show up. I sent out 125 invitations."

She estimated the rent money will total \$750-900 and therefore help defray the costs of putting on the festival.

A large turnout is expected, but smaller than the last two years when the exhibit lasted two days when the 4th was on a week end. Time will be limited because the holiday is in the middle of the week.

"The exhibitors enjoy coming. They say they (the customers) buy a lot from them. The customers like to buy the stuff as gifts," Mrs. Nicholas said.



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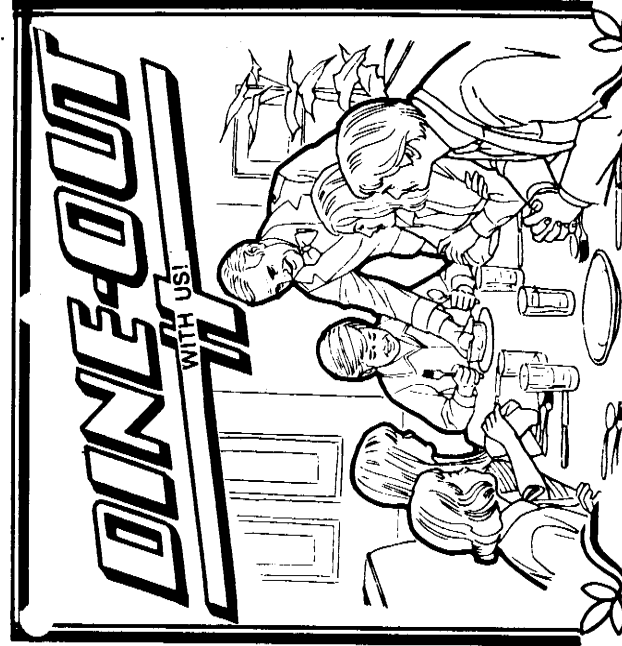
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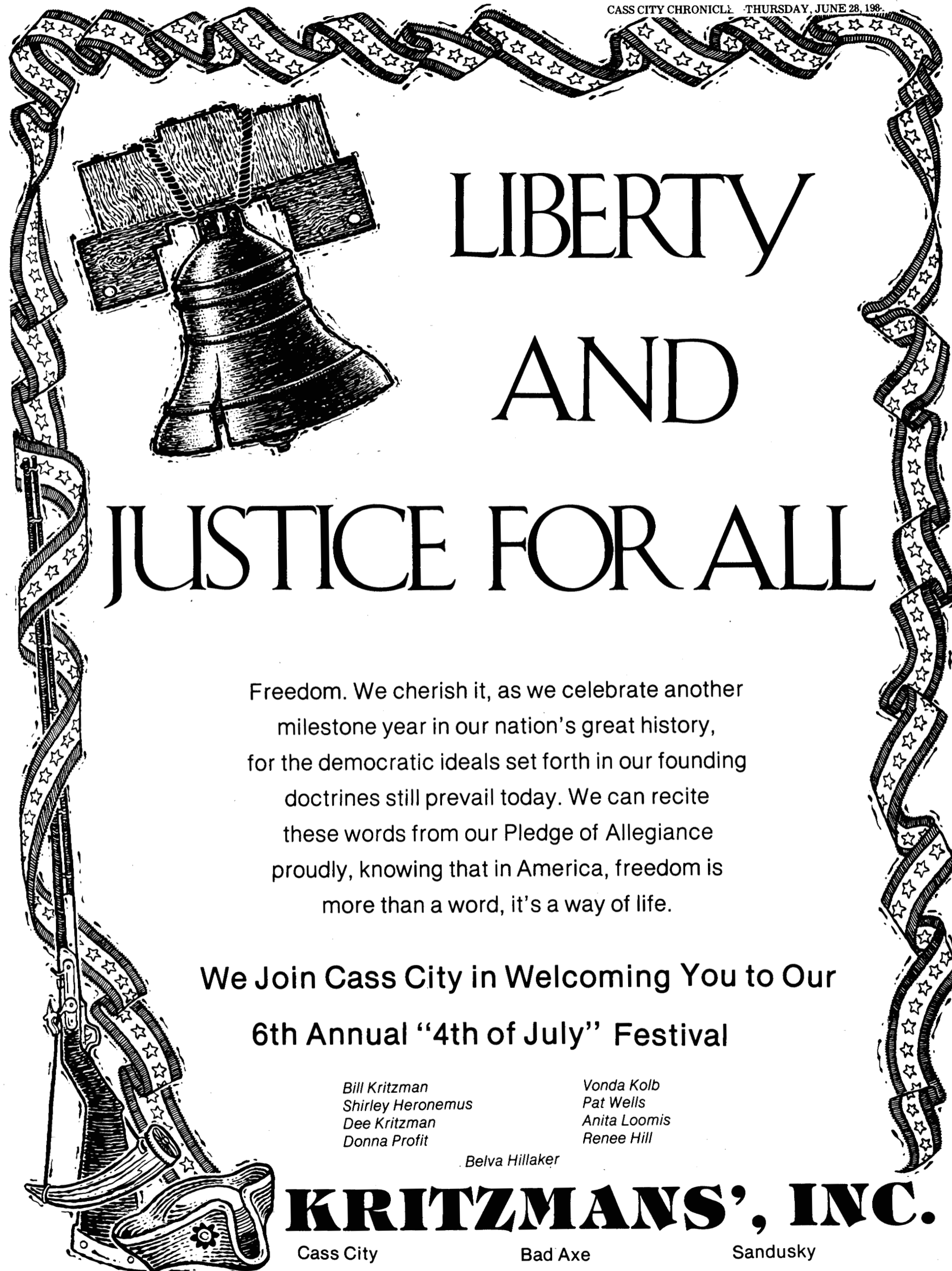
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Deford Community Church is sponsoring children's games on the football field at 2 p.m. Wednesday.

All children from toddler to 10 years are invited to the free event, which features relays and tossing games, said chairwoman

Cheryl Kilbourn.

Kids will be divided into five age groups, with two years per group—toddlers-2 years, 3-4 and so on. There will be two games per age group, Mrs. Kilbourn said. Older children, ages 6 and up, will play the shoe game. "They take off all their shoes and mix them up, and then try to find their own (in the pile)," she said.

Older kids also will run in relay games such as three-legged and sack races.

The basket toss will use a large basket for the younger children and a tiny basket for the older children, to present more of a challenge. In the old shoe toss, judges will measure how far children throw the shoe.

A variation of musical chairs, what could be called "musical plates," will be played the same way, with paper plates fastened to the ground instead of chairs, Mrs. Kilbourn said.

The "let's go fishing" game will be a large poster of a boy sitting under a tree with a fishing pole. Children will cast fishing lines over the poster, and adults behind it will attach small prizes to their poles.

"(They'll get) paper airplanes, whistles, plastic bracelets for the girls. Just little trinkets," Mrs. Kilbourn said.

First-place winners will get candy if they are 6 or older and a sucker if younger. Every child will

get a certificate of participation, Mrs. Kilbourn said.

Younger children should be at the park at 2 p.m., and the older children's games will start about 45 minutes later.

"We urge all children to attend," Mrs. Kilbourn said. "Prizes will go out to all children who attend, not just the winners. Children like to get prizes, no matter the value, because it's valuable to them."

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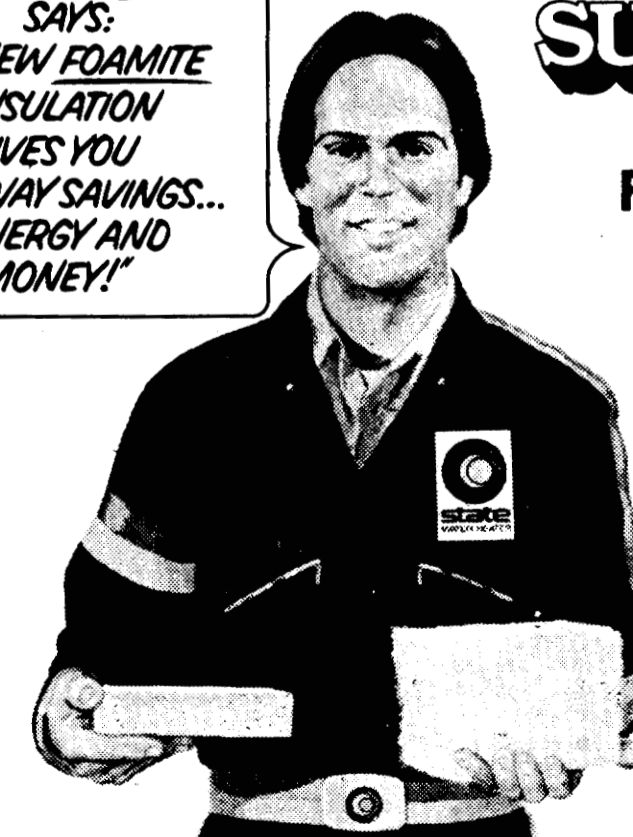
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PAGEANT CONTESTANTS - Festival Queen candidates, from left, are Debbie Hurford, DeAngela Garety, Julie Smith, Barbie Merchant, Juanita Bradley, 1983 queen Susie Sheldon, Paula Rockwell, Lisa Hirn and Denise Francis. Missing is Stephanie Smith.

Festival queen will be multi-talented girl with poise

Nine girls will compete for the title of 4th of July Festival Queen starting at 8 p.m. Monday in the high school cafeteria.

Contestants are Debbie Hurford, daughter of Lynn and Betty Hurford; DeAngela Garety, daughter of Raymond and Dolores Garety; Barb Merchant, daughter of Joan Merchant and Allen Merchant; Paula Rockwell, daughter of Paul and Donna Rockwell; Juanita Bradley, daughter of Russell and Connie Bradley; Lisa Hirn, daughter of Robert and Maryann Hirn; Denise Francis, daughter of Elmer and Janet Francis; Stephanie Smith,

daughter of Richard and Mary Smith, Julie Smith, daughter of Donald and Janice Smith.

The girls will have personal interviews Monday afternoon. Four non-Cass City judges will ask the girls about themselves. Girls will wear numbers and judges will not know the names of the girls they are interviewing, said pageant coordinator Sally Doerr.

Wayne Dillon will be the master of ceremonies. After the girls' dance routine, he will come out and explain how the pageant is run and the format the judges follow.

"He tells a lot of jokes,

too. He's very funny," Mrs. Doerr said.

The interviews will be 50 percent of the competition. The remaining 50 percent is divided among events Monday night.

The show will open with each girl giving her 4th of July speech. "The speech is about history or something that happened to them," Doerr said.

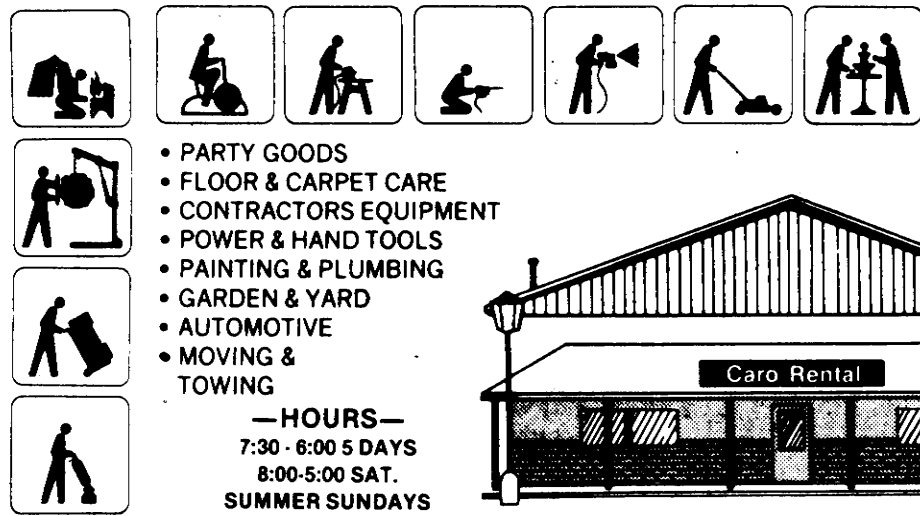
The speech is worth 25 percent. Next the girls will perform a dance choreographed to the record "Footloose," sung by Kenny Loggins. They will be judged on overall performance and how well they learned the dance, she said. The dance is worth 10 percent.

In the evening gown competition, worth 15 percent, the girls will be judged on poise, coordination and smile.

The judges will make their final deliberation before announcing the winner. They evaluate the girls with a point system and are allowed to add personal comments to their written evaluations.

The winner will get flowers, a tiara and a cash award. Runners-up will receive flowers. The queen and her court will appear in Wednesday's parade.

The pageant will begin with the pledge of allegiance.



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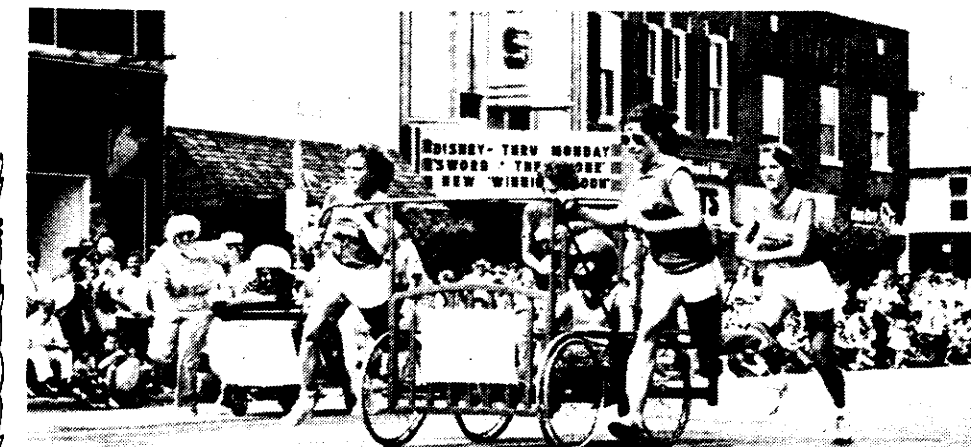
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MATTRESS TO MATTRESS competition will take place during the bed race, which starts at 10 a.m. downtown. Shown during the 1983 race is the Cass City Sports women's team outdistancing the entry from Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Popular bed race returning again

No one fell asleep last year, so the bed race will be back at this year's Fourth of July Festival.

Last year's event, the first, drew 11 entries, with teams from Cass City Sports pushing their wheelchair-wheeled entry to win in both the men's and women's divisions. "Surgery Silver Streak" from Hills and Dales General Hospital won the trophy for best appearing bed and crew.

Like last year, heats and finals will be one block in length, with half the races starting a block east of the Seeger and Main Street intersection and the rest a block west. Finish line for all events will be at the stoplight.

Racing will start at 10 a.m. and finish in time for the start of the parade at 11. Entrants are asked to assemble at the main intersection no later than 9:40 for the judging of the best appearing bed and crew. The judges will be Marilyn Biefer and Maxine Clara.

Wayne Dillon will do the announcing.

The entry deadline is Friday, so it isn't known yet how many teams will compete. To enter, contact bed race chairman Mike Eliasohn at the Chronicle, telephone 872-2010.

A maximum of four

pushers is allowed per bed, who must run in all the heats. The rider must weigh at least 100 pounds and wear a safety helmet.

Each bed is supposed to have the name of the team or sponsor on it, for easy identification by spectators.

Fifth annual tot race set

Little runners will compete in a race of endurance and fun on the high school track at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the fifth annual tot run.

Children will be divided into three age groups this year, which is a new format. In previous years the kids aged 1½-13 all ran together, said organizer Curt Strickland.

Children 5 and under will run one lap; ages 6-9, two laps, and ages 10-13, three laps. One lap is a quarter of a mile.

Kids must register together with their parents. The registration is at the football announcing booth from 1-2:30, Strickland said.

Ribbons will go to first through fifth place winners, plus every runner will receive a participation ribbon.

About 50 children run in the event every year and some as young as 2 ran four laps or one mile, when all the kids ran together, Strickland said.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 4

9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Arts and Crafts Display at the Park - Green Municipal Annex and Scotty McCullough Drive

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1:00-5:00 p.m. Bingo - Under the Trees in the Park

1:15 p.m. Clown Judging - In Front of Grandstand

1:30 p.m. Motorcycle Stadium Trials - North Side of Hill

1:30 p.m. Children's Fish Pond - Near Swimming Pool

2:00 p.m. All-Star Little League Game

2:00 p.m. Lumberman's Exhibit - Woods at North of Park

2:00 p.m. AAUW Paint-In - For Young Children - Near Pool - Free

2:00 p.m. Pet Show - Under the Trees - Thumb of Michigan Dog Fanciers

2:00 p.m. Kids' Games - On the Football Field - Free

3:30 p.m. Tot Run - On the Track

3:30 p.m. Demolition Derby - South of Big Hill

4:30 p.m. Softball Tournament - Finals - Diamond #1

Softball Exhibition Game - Croft-Clara vs. Mitchell Corporation - Diamond #2

5:00 p.m. Tug of War - In Front of Grandstand

5:30 p.m. Community Choir Concert - Followed by Jazz Exhibition by Sally Doerr Dancers

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6:30 p.m. Square Dancing - Basketball Courts

7:00 p.m. Gospel Concert with Doug Oldham - Cass City High School Gymnasium

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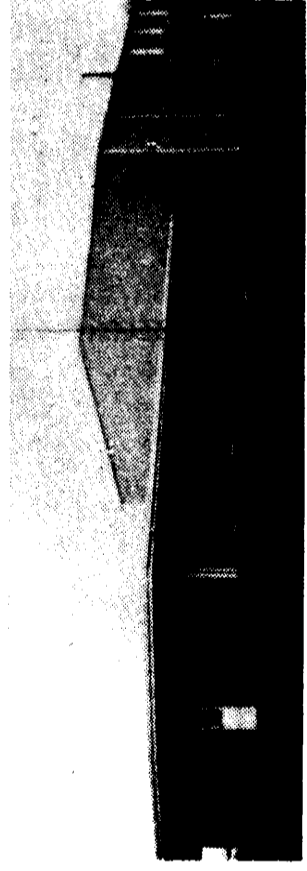


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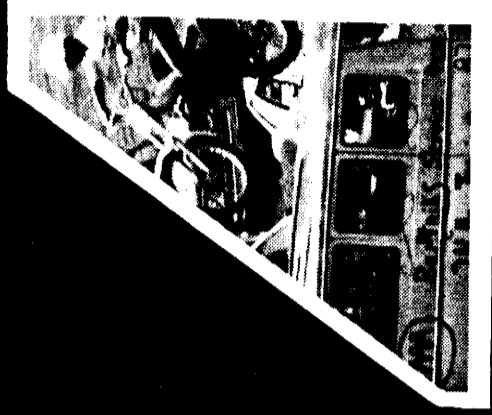
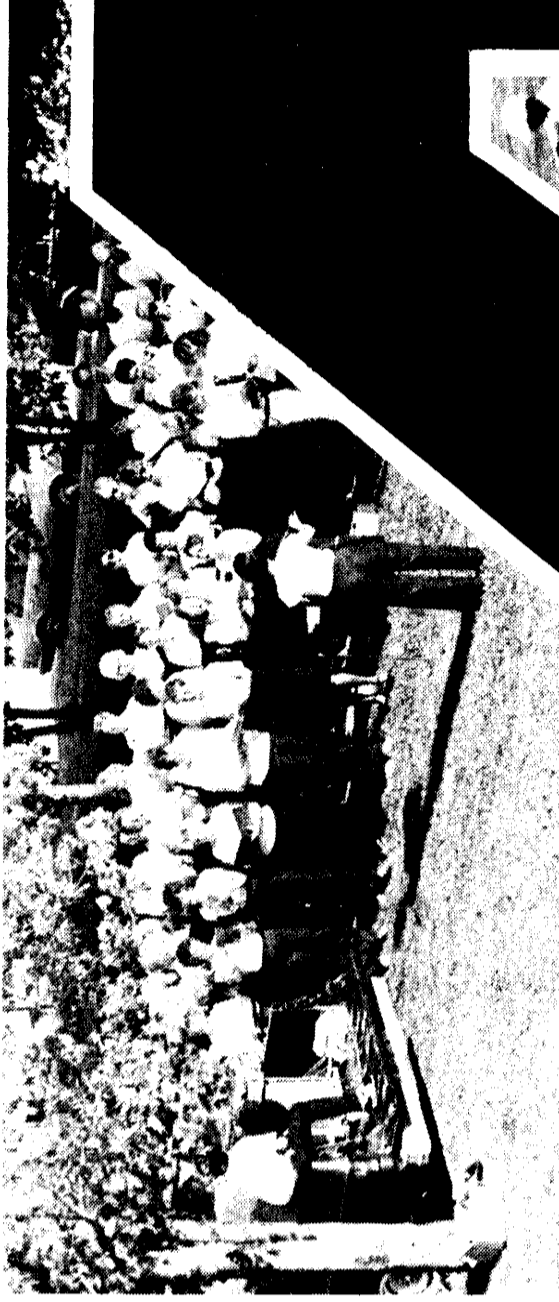


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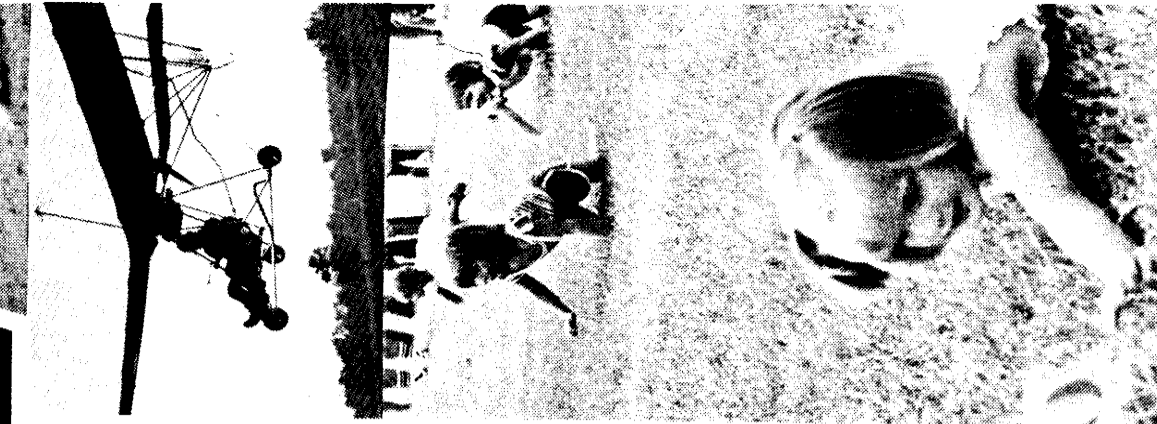
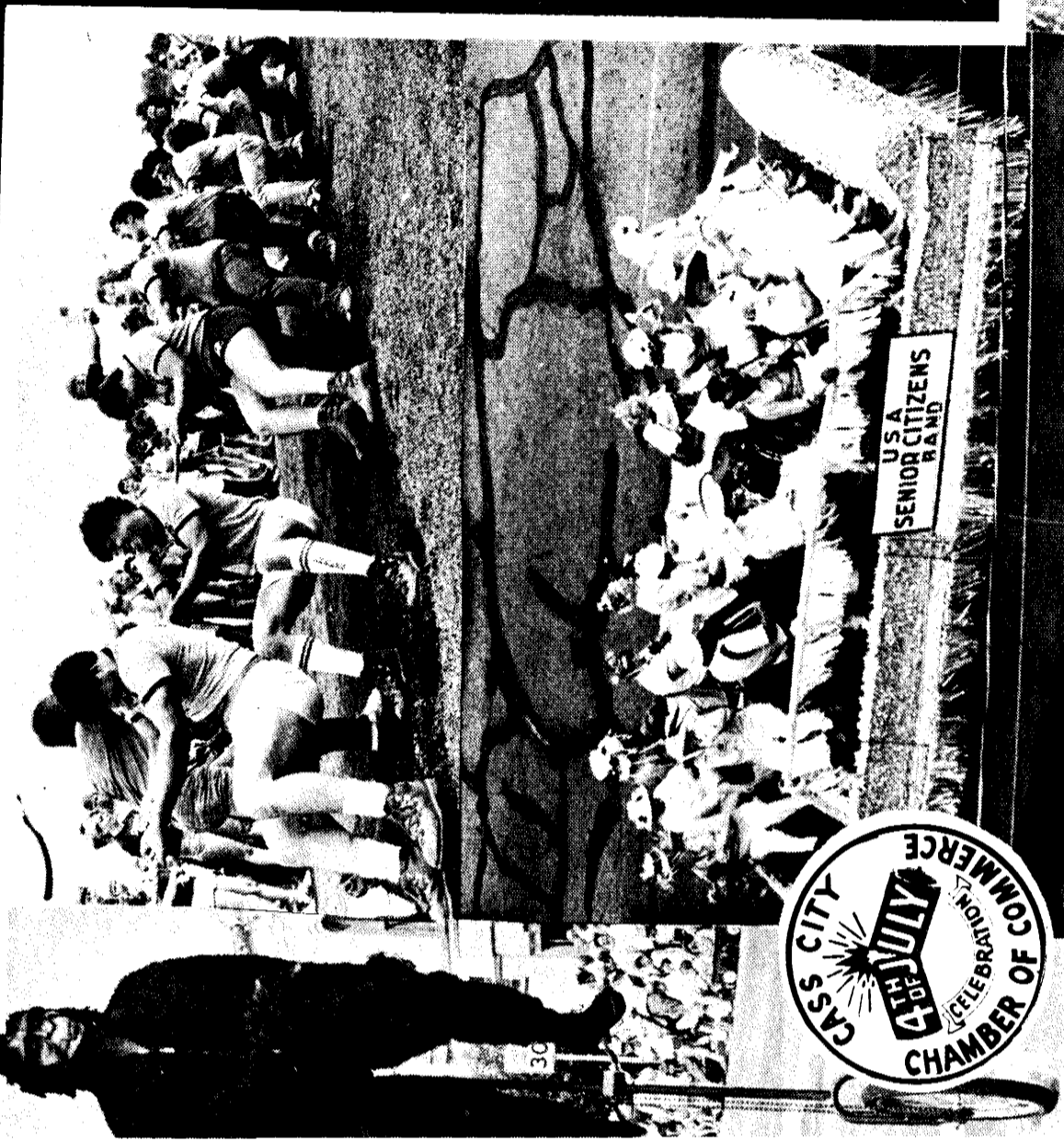
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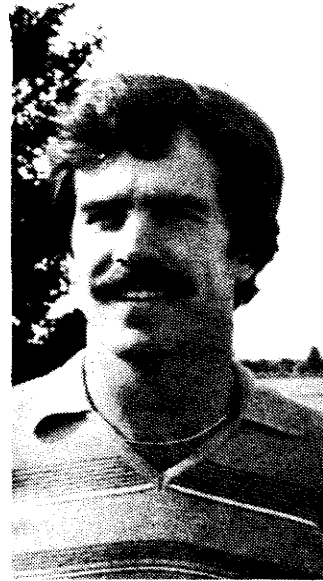


CASS CITY'S 6th ANNUAL 4th of JULY



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Curt Strickland
Chamber President

It's make or break Festival this year,

The future of the Cass City 4th of July Festival is uncertain.

The festival has been a money loser since its inception, and it may be discontinued after this year.

However, if the festival breaks even or even turns a profit this year, 1985 will see the staging of the seventh annual festival, co-chairman Curt Strickland said.

"Every year the festival is not a money maker. Every year it has been a point blank money loser. The only (consistent) money maker is the beer tent," Strickland said.

Events have been dropped this year, new ones added and advertising reduced in order to tighten the festival budget.

The 1983 festival lost \$5,000, according to festival co-chairman Dave

Lovejoy.

To offset it, the Chamber of Commerce, the festival's sponsor, contributed \$2,500, area merchants, \$1,500; the Lions Club, \$500, and the Gavel Club, \$300.

The festival will cost \$14,000-16,000 this year. Besides proceeds from various events, donations come from the Chamber of Commerce, local merchants, community organizations and residents.

There are a myriad number of things to pay for, from award ribbons for the tot run to paying parade participants," Strickland said.

For example the Lions Club will kick in \$600 to pay members of the Circus Clown Alley troupe, which will be in the parade. The Gavel Club will pay \$350 to cover the costs of the motorcycle stadium trials, Lovejoy said.

Donations are welcome from all.

"Anyone that wants to give, we accept the money. We want to continue this wonderful thing," Lovejoy said.

The village government will contribute the equivalent of \$1,500-2,000 in equipment and manpower, according to village Superintendent Lou LaPonsie.

"We'll be handling the traffic routes, putting up the barricades and the detours. We'll work at the park grounds, emptying the wastebaskets," LaPonsie said.

Workers will also take care of electrical needs like lighting for night events and provide power hookups for concessions, he added.

The Department of Public Works will take care of all park-related jobs, such as the lighting, emptying the village equipment shed for the arts and crafts show and preparing the track for the demolition derby.

THE ADULT FUN RUN, fireworks and tractor pull have been dropped, mostly due to expense. The fun run would have had to have been held the same day as two other area running events.

Last year the festival committee spent \$400 on 75 T shirts, timing equipment and a public address system, but only 50-60 runners participated.

Fireworks, a festival favorite, were dropped due to the expense. They cost \$2,000.

"We had to cut it to help it break even," Lovejoy said. "One of the easiest things to cut was 10 minutes of entertainment there and the whole thing went up in smoke, so to speak."

The tractor pull made money the first two years, but the rising cost turned it into a money loser. Strickland did not know how much the tractor pull lost.

A demolition derby conducted by the Jaycees will replace the tractor pull, and the festival committee is hoping it will make a profit.

THE LARGEST MONEY maker has been the beer tent.

When the 4th fell on a week end, the tent would be open two or three nights, but this year will be open

Free balloons, popcorn, fruit juice, too

There's plenty of free health care information at hospital exhibit

Once again, at the festival, Hills and Dales General Hospital will provide free health information from 1-7 p.m. in the park for both children and adults.

For children there will be free balloons, popcorn and fruit juice. They can watch two puppet shows, one about various poisons around the house, and the other about a boy about to have his tonsils out, hospital in-service director Jane Mitchell said.

A special rag doll will be back this year. "Organ Annie is a Raggedy Ann doll

where you unzip her belly and out pop her organs. It'll be kind of an anatomy lesson for kids," she explained.

There are many things for adults as well. There will be free literature on the heart, diabetes, blood pressure, child growth and development, nutrition and safety.

Emergency room nurses will give demonstrations for parents of how to treat cuts. They will show how to wash the wound, different dressings and the use of a bandage, Mrs. Mitchell said.

The cardiopulmonary

unit of the hospital will do pulmonary function studies. "You can breathe into this machine and they can tell you how your lungs function. It's for adults or kids or whatever," she explained.

A Cass City Ambulance Service crew will have the ambulance on exhibit, unless there is an emergency.

The hospital lab will have booths with posters to explain its common lab tests, medical technician Ronda Hume said.

The chemistry tests deal with the makeup of blood. Lab technicians break

down the blood into red cells, white cells and platelets, Miss Hume said.

"We (also) do bacteriology that looks for infectious diseases. We do a serology. That's just diluted blood and looking for antibodies for diseases like mono. If

you've had a disease your body has produced antibodies to fight it," she added.

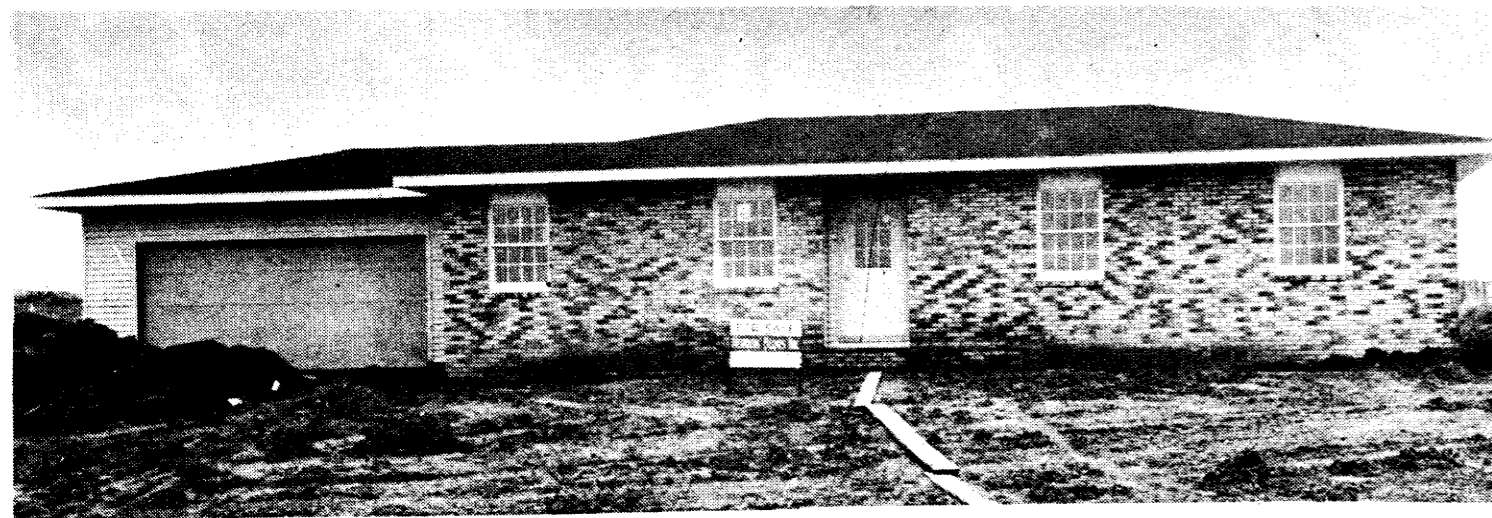
The lab employees will show blood-banking, how donated blood is catalogued and processed for later use. The posters will explain

all the tests and in detail, and the employees will hand out literature on the tests, Miss Hume said.

"It's enough to explain to people we're not just poking them and that we're taking blood for a reason," she stressed.

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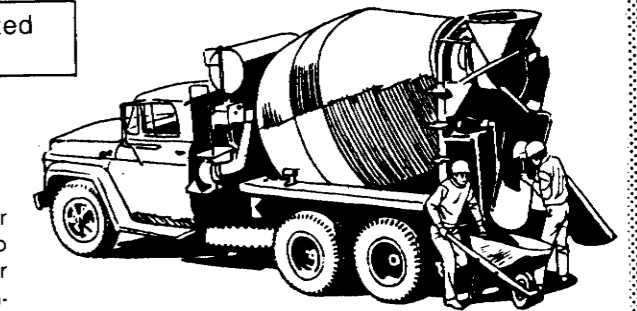
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CYCLE STUNT — A member of the Michigan-Ontario Trials Association drives over a car in last year's festival parade.

Popular motorcycle stunt team returns

It's basically finesse not speed. It's the rider's skill in traversing the obstacles.

People will see what stunts a motorcycle and rider can do at the motorcycle stadium trials starting at 1:30 Wednesday.

The event, being sponsored by the Cass City Gavel Club, will be a demonstration put on by the Michigan-Ontario Trials Association of Port Huron. The riders will also do stunts in the parade.

"The objective is to get over, under or around an obstacle without stopping or putting your feet down," said event chairman Dick Roth. "It's basically finesse and not speed. It's the rider's skill in traversing the obstacles."

A 20-foot-long telephone pole is set up horizontally. The cyclist must travel the entire length of the pole without stopping. Another obstacle is a teeter-totter type device the cyclist drives up onto and lowers by his own weight.

There will be several jumps, including jumping over 55-gallon barrels, cars and a large farm truck. Most of these obstacles have no ramps leading to them, Roth said.

Other obstacles will be log forms, hurdles and large wooden spools for wire.

There will be 3-5 main riders and six others helping out, who will do a few stunts. Last year, about 500 persons came to see the riders at the festival, Roth said.

After that 1983 festival, the first one the Trials Association attended, they started to travel to other festivals. They now do many summer demonstrations, Roth added.

Admission is free. The demonstration will be at the north end of the park between the big hill and the woods. The area will be roped off for safety.

for Cass City's July 4 says planning board

only Tuesday night.

In fact, the beer tent will not be in a tent at all this year. Instead it will be a party at the Colony House on M-53.

Renting a tent, getting insurance and a temporary liquor license costs money, Strickland said, so the festival will save money holding the event indoors.

The largest expenses include advertising and the parade. The massive parade costs \$1,500-2,000 to pay some of the participants.

By June 15 the festival committee had spent \$645 in advertising. "What we're trying to do is localize our advertising. We spent \$2,800 on advertising last year and now we're cutting back," Lovejoy said.

"I'm doing it with press releases. I'm doing it with the local papers. I'm also doing radio, but that's pretty expensive, so we won't do too much," he added.

ANOTHER REASON

for the money losses is most of the events are free. Only the demolition derby, beer tent and concessions will cost festival-goers anything, Strickland said. The festival gets 25 percent of all concessions' net profits.

Other events that will defray festival costs are money from rental space from the arts and crafts festival, admissions at the teen dance and 25 percent net profits from the demolition derby.

Strickland said he expects more persons to come than last year, when the festival ran three days. The festival committee is expecting 10,000 persons.

"People come from all over the Thumb, the tri-county area, Tuscola, Sanilac and Huron Counties," he added.

The festival will continue, Strickland said, "if the community continues to support us as they have in the past and the village puts its support in."



PLANNING MEETING — Preparing for the Fourth of July Festival requires a lot of advance planning. At a May 10 meeting were, clockwise from left, Sandy Nicholas, Roland Pakonen, Dave Lovejoy, Rita Capps, Curt Strickland, Henry Bartnik, Dan Ulfig, Dale McIntosh, Kim Glaspie and Rick VanVliet.

Youngsters can paint free at annual paint-in

Young Rembrandts are invited to the park Wednesday from 2-4 p.m. for the American Association of University Women's 5th annual paint-in.

The event is open to kids 10 and under and will be staged by the arts and crafts building, said coordinator Linda Albee.

"The primary thing we have is easel setup, and children can show up and paint. It's free and open to all kids," Mrs. Albee said.

The reason the AAUW stages the event is because painting is a messy event, and kids do not get to do it that often. By doing it outside, they do not have to worry about the mess and "There's no one to holler at them for making a mess," she said.

Most of the children who participate are aged 3-6,

and Mrs. Albee said it is one event where kids of this age group do not need a lot of supervision.

The kids will be provided with tempera water-base paints and smocks to protect their clothes. AAUW members will be on hand to give the children painting advice like mixing paint for color and helping those who do not know what to paint get started, Mrs. Albee said.

The persons in charge will encourage the children to stay away from all-black pictures and to paint pictures with more color. The greatest emphasis will be on the primary colors, she said.

The AAUW was formed in the 1800s to provide a place for college educated women to come together, Mrs. Albee said.



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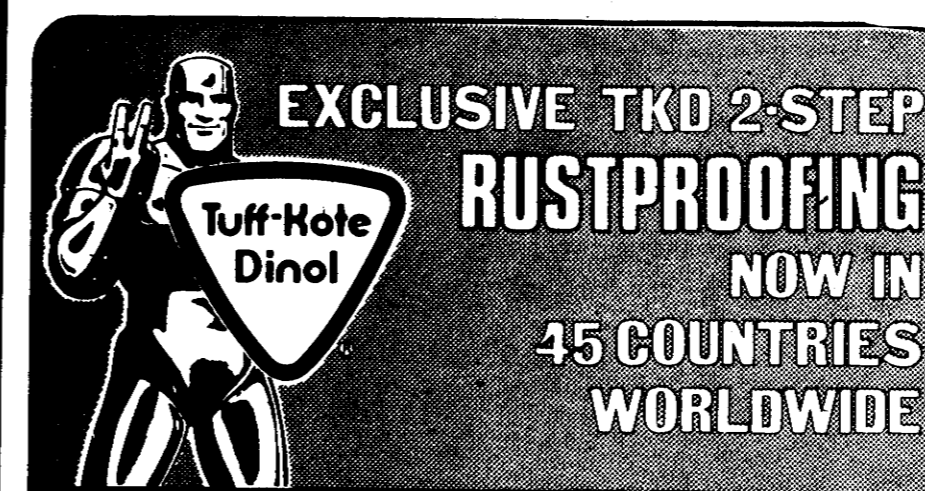
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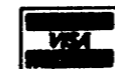
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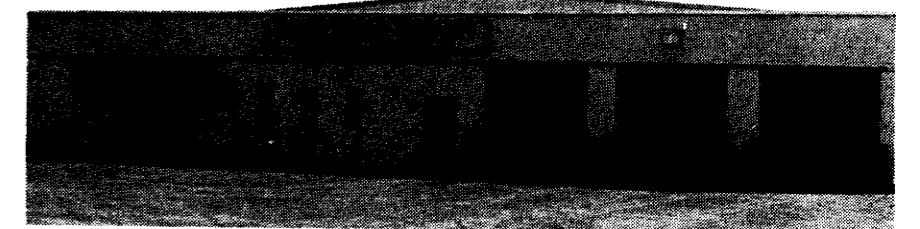
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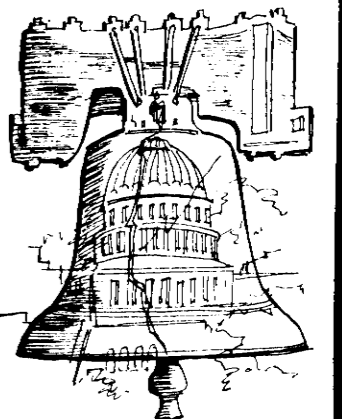
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Man's best friend takes center stage at show



JUDY ROCHELEAU shows off Becky, her purebred bull masiff.

Man's best friend will be front and center in a fun dog show starting at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the park, sponsored by the Thumb of Michigan Dog Parkers. The informal dog show is staged especially for children and to make people more aware of pet care, said chairwoman Judy Rocheleau.

The registration deadline is 1:30 for any type of dog, whether pedigreed or mixed. The dogs must be at least six months old to enter because the hot weather is hard on puppies, Mrs. Rocheleau said.

The show is free. Judging will be in 10 categories; the same as in previous years: Best-behaved, biggest, smallest, funniest, best tricks, dog with the shortest tail, longest tail, best-groomed, best-dressed and best dog overall.

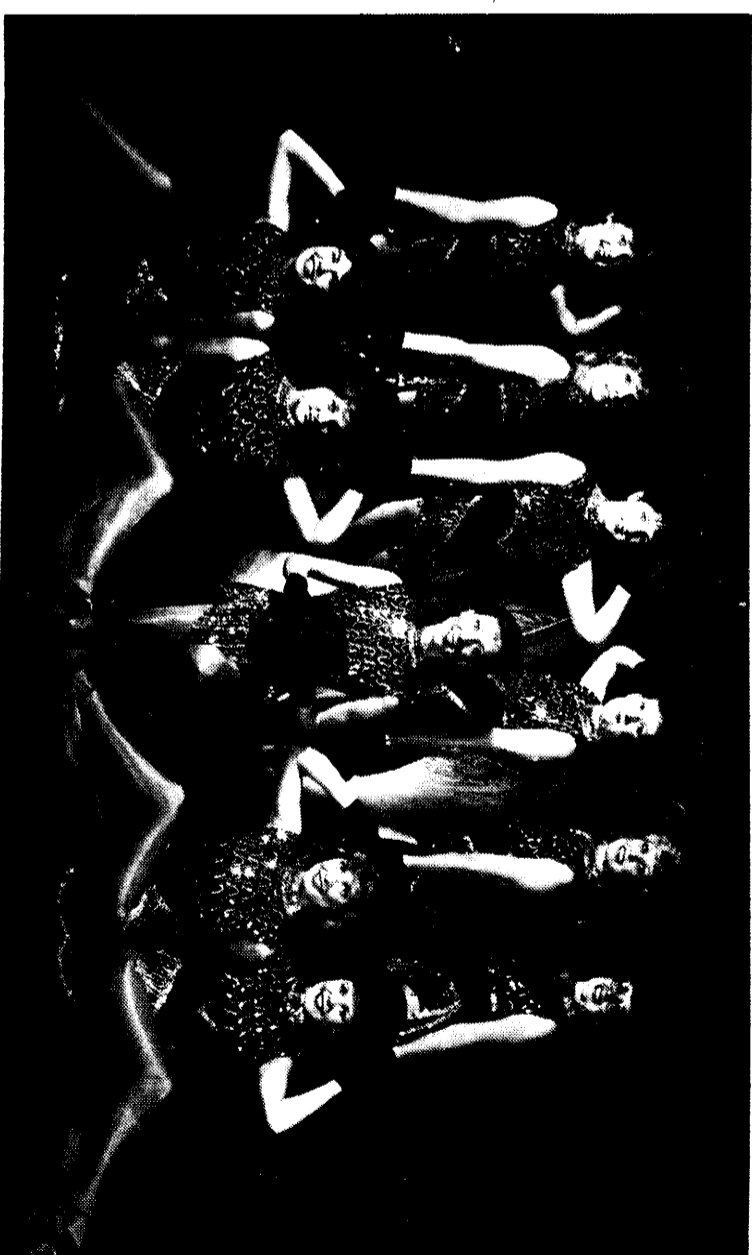
First place winners will get a plaque, and second through fourth place dogs will get ribbons. Every dog that participates will get a merit ribbon, Mrs. Rocheleau said.

It's staged to make people more aware of pet care.

There will also be an obedience demonstration by members and their dogs and a hurdle-jumping demonstration, she said.

"Mostly what the demonstration is (to show) that most dogs aren't dumb and really learn things. It teaches people (that) their dogs can be trained to do things," Mrs. Rocheleau said.

Doerr's Dance Troupe will perform 3 times at Festival



They will enter the stage in black-and-silver, sequined costumes, stepping in unison. They are Sally Doerr's Dance Troupe, and they will make three appearances at the 4th of July Festival.

The dancers will appear as a chorus line with choreography similar to New York City's Rockettes. Clad in top hat, tails and black gloves, the 11 dancers will perform a routine to Frank Sinatra's "New York, New York," Mrs. Doerr said.

The group will appear at the queen's pageant Monday night, the parade Wednesday and at the basketball courts at 5:30 the same day. This is the second year the dance troupe has appeared at the festival, Mrs. Doerr, a Gagetown resident, said.

"Last year we did a country western song, and this year I wanted to do something more classic and a more precision Rockettes style," she said.

The 11 women in the group are aged 16-27 and are from Mrs. Doerr's ad-

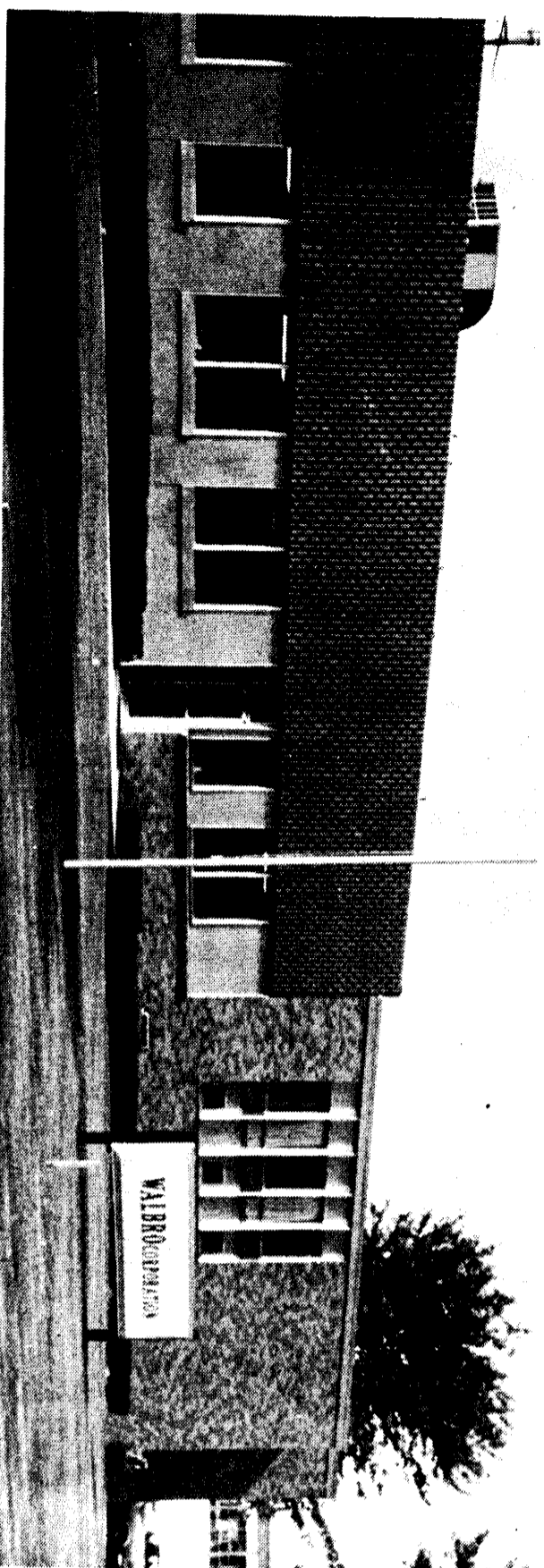
It will be precision dancing, Rockette style.

vanced jazz dance class. They have been studying with her 3 1/2 years. The troupe itself has been in existence for a year and has appeared at other functions, including the Carro Pumpkin Festival Parade, Mrs. Doerr said.

The dancers spent four months learning two dance routines, and the chorus line routine is the one Mrs. Doerr selected for the festival. "The girls work hard. They are required to learn two dances, and they have to put a lot of time into it," Mrs. Doerr said.

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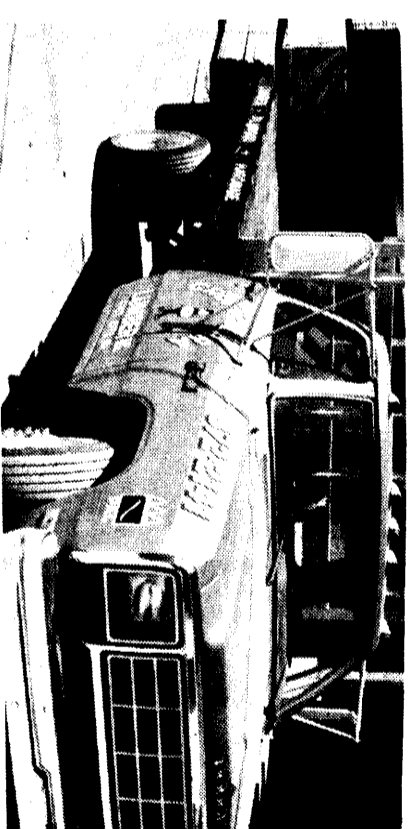


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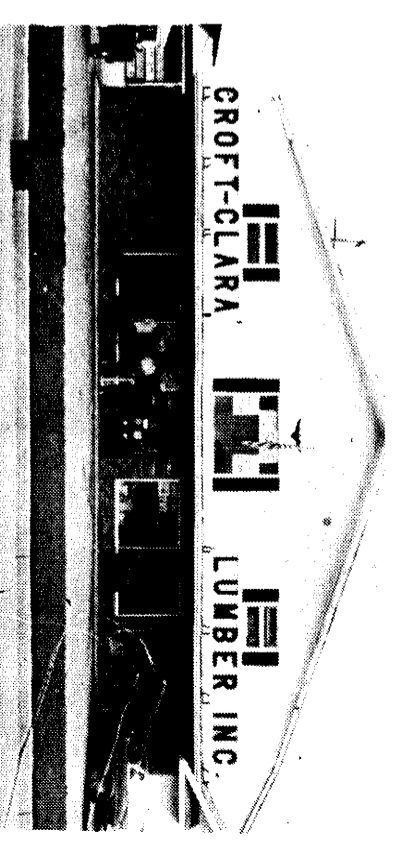
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Tom Thumb Singers to feature popular patriotic songs by Cohan

A choir of all ages will fill the air with patriotic songs at 5:30 Wednesday at the basketball court. The choir, made up of members of Cass City's

Tom Thumb singers and village residents, will sing songs by American com-

posers. The concert will feature a medley of songs by composer George M.

Cohan, including "You're a Grand Old Flag" and "Yankee Doodle Dandy."

Chorus members aged 9-73, who will perform a half hour, also will sing "Michigan Morn" and lead the audience in a couple of sing-alongs, Tom Thumb director Andrea Hofmeister said.

The singers will wear white and navy blue clothing, and red, white and blue buttons identifying them during the concert. They will wave little American flags during one number, she said. "Everyone is invited to come practice with us," Mrs. Hofmeister said before the rehearsals. "Even if they can't carry a note, they can come and we'll teach them the music."



THE TOM THUMB SINGERS at one of their two concerts at Cass City High School. They will perform in the park at 5:30 Wednesday near the basketball courts. Director is Andrea Hofmeister.

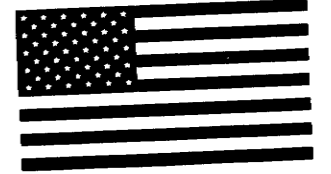
Contest scheduled to find area's most beautiful baby

Who is the area's most beautiful baby? Festival-goers can stop at the Beautiful Baby Contest booth to vote on that question Wednesday from 11 a.m.-5 p.m. by the basketball courts. It is sponsored by the Cass City High School junior class.

Photos of infants and toddlers 3 and under will be on display at the booth and persons will pay 25 cents a vote for their favorite child. There is no limit on the number of votes you can cast, said junior class member Tammy Iseler. The winning child will get a trophy, and the proceeds of the contest will help pay for the junior-senior prom, Tammy said.

The idea for the contest came from an advisor to the junior class, who saw a similar contest at the Huron Community Fair in Bad Axe. This is the first year the contest has been staged here.

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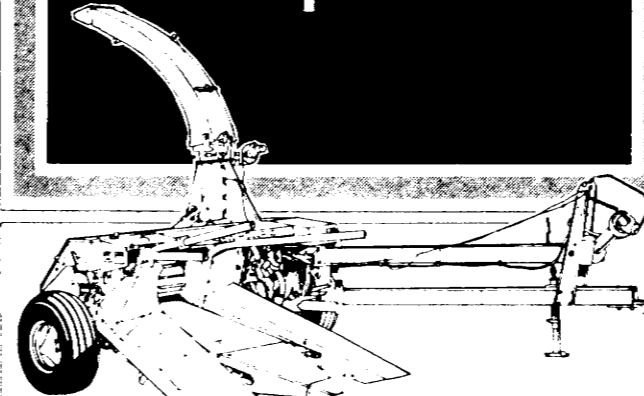
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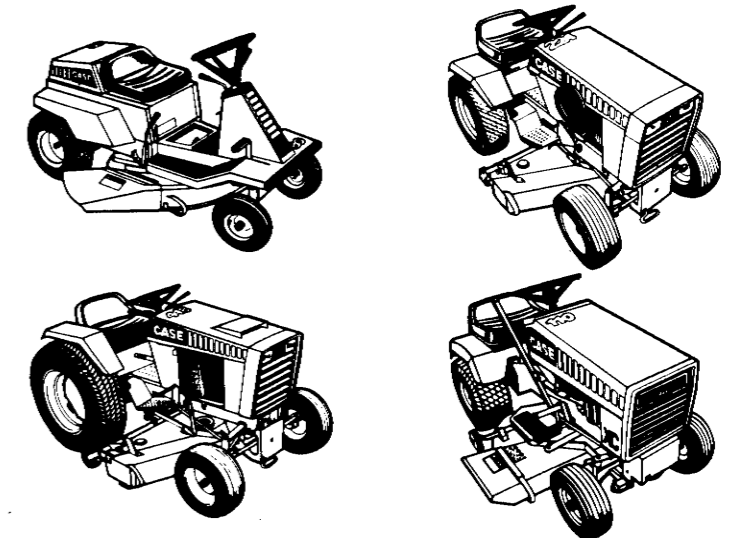
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Little trouble expected at Festival

Police force girds for special effort

One of the Cass City Police Department's Miller. biggest challenges comes every year at festival time. The full-time, four-man force doubles to handle the 4th of July festival, accord-

ing to senior officer Don Miller. At 6 a.m. July 4, the men in blue will be at work on Main Street, preparing for the parade. The officers haven't had any major traffic problems most of the time and call them to move their vehicles. If the car's owner is unknown, officers can run the license plate through the computer and find the owner.

After all the cars are gone, the policemen put up barriers at all streets that intersect with Main from Brook to the park entrance. Traffic is rerouted onto Church or Garfield until the parade ends. During the parade, about four officers work. Some of the pedestrians get crowded on the sidewalks and as the exhibits go by we have to hold them back," Miller said.

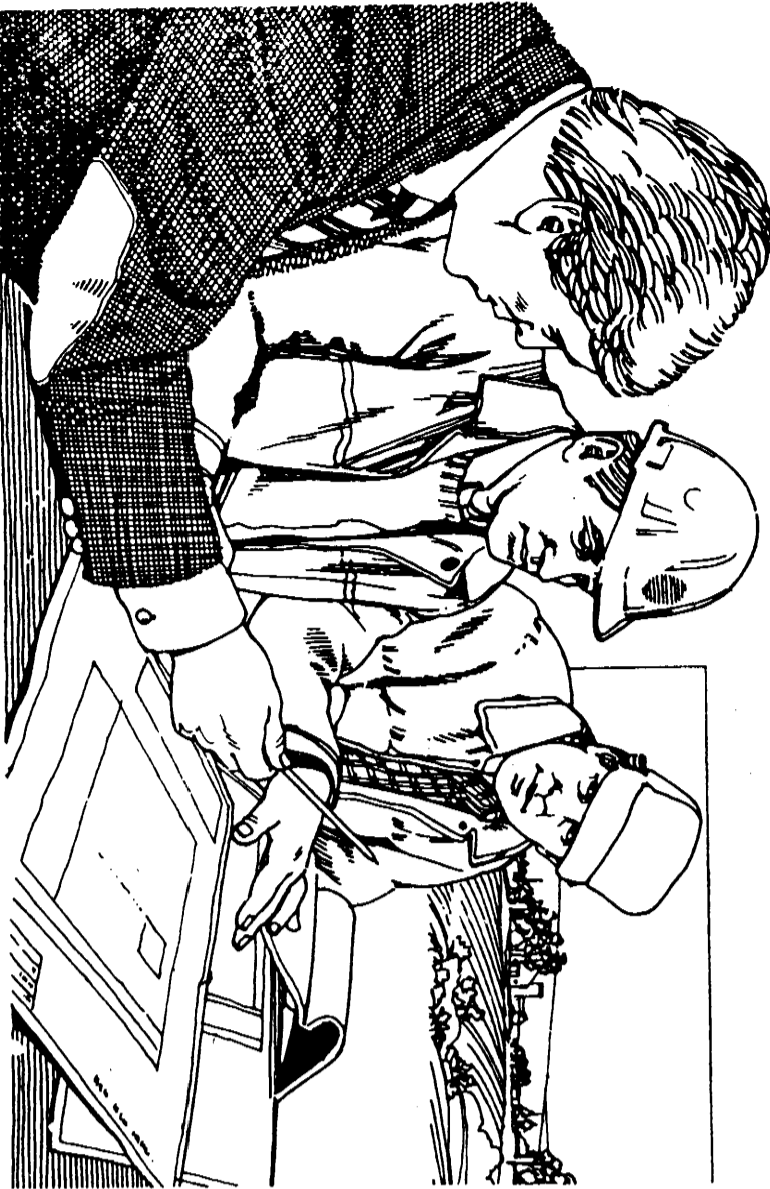
The biggest festival problem used to be the beer tent in town and other alcohol-related problems, he said. Now the "beer tent" will be at the Colony House on M-53, far outside the village limits. The problem was with the beer tent. Intoxicated people can give you a hard time, especially if you're wearing a uniform," Miller explained. "At softball games there can be drinking in the stands. Intoxicated people do get rowdy. They like to fight and use obscene language." Miller warned that the ordinance prohibiting alcohol in the park will be strictly enforced. Anyone seen with alcohol will have it confiscated.

The police will also patrol the arts and crafts displays, flea market and the teen dance. At the flea market, officers have sometimes found vendors selling fireworks.

Explosive fireworks are illegal in Michigan, and the vendor will be closed down and sent on their way." If caught selling fireworks, Miller said.

In addition to the village's three full-time patrolmen and Police Chief Gene Wilson, four part-time officers will be on duty the day of the festival.

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A parade down Main Street was a traditional attraction back then as it is now. The first through fourth place "most comical displays" in the 1914 "calithumpian parade" were awarded cash prizes of \$6, \$4, \$3 and \$2 respectively. ("Calithumpian" means noisy and boisterous.) This year's top four floats, not necessarily the most comical, will be given prestigious awards commemorating three past and one present civic leader. Each celebration seems to bring renewed boasts of bigger and better events than the previous one. Things were no different 70 years ago.

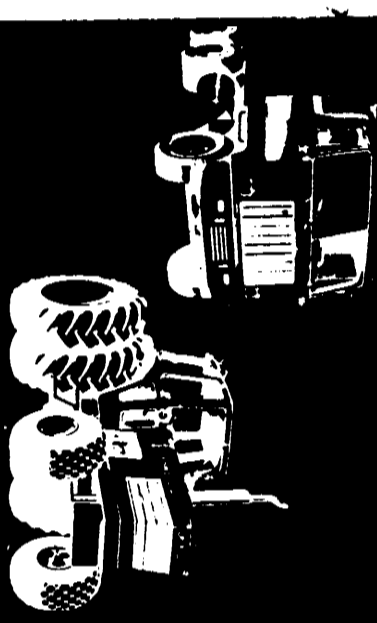
The 1914 Chronicle stated, "Cass City expects to entertain one of the largest crowds ever gathered within her borders." A boast like that could easily refer to this year's festival. Some things never change.

'Beer tent' party at Colony House

The annual beer party--the beer tent was open two of the 4th of July Festival's biggest money-makers--will be inside the Colony House this year instead of under a large tent. The beer tent this year would have been too expensive to run only one night. Festival co-chairman Curt Strickland explained. In addition to the cost of renting the tent, there would have been insurance and a temporary license to purchase, all avoided by having the event inside the Colony House. Such costs were defrayed when the 4th was on a week end, as it was

the last couple of years, and the beer tent was open two or three nights, he said. The party will be Tuesday from 8 p.m.-1 a.m. The Colony House is on M-53, almost four miles north of M-81. The band will be "Night Lite," a top 40 and variety band from Bad Axe according to Strickland. At least 600-800 persons are expected for the event at Colony, which has a 1,000-person capacity, he said. Food will be available. Only those 21 and up will be admitted.

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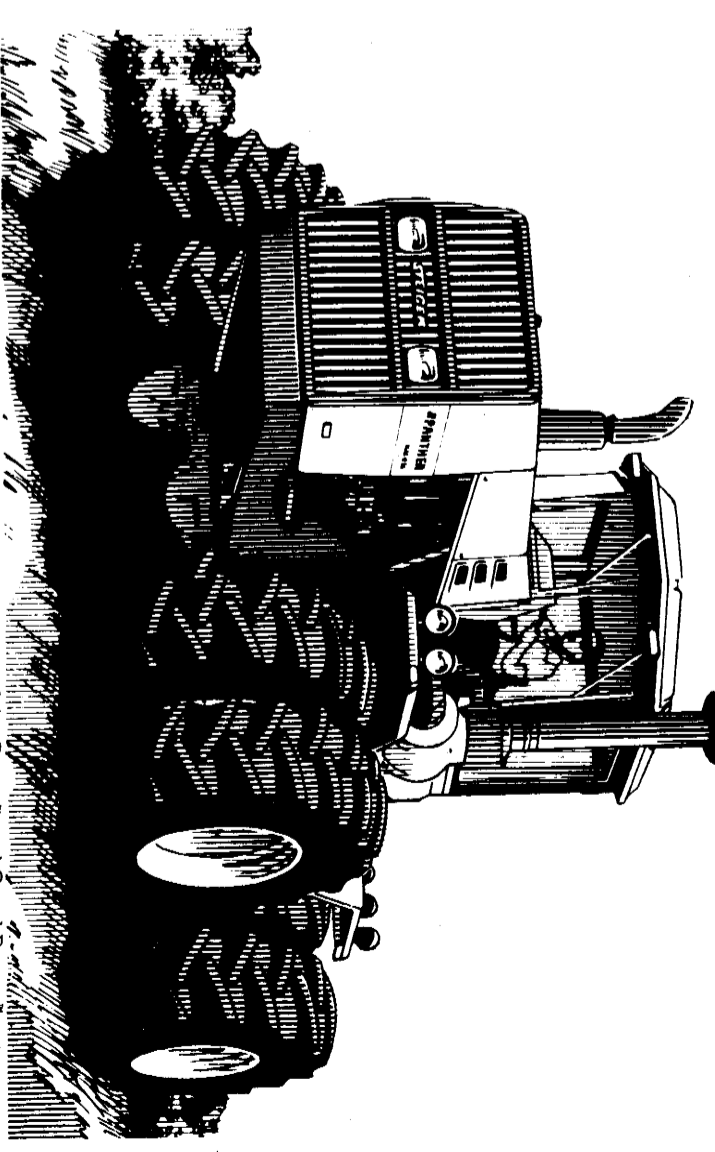
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They will show chainsaw cutting, axe throwing

and the use of a crosscut saw, said organizer John Matt of Gagetown.

There are two chainsaw classes, regular and modified. In both, the lumberjack has to cut through an 8-inch by 8-inch beam.

"You have to start the saw from the ground and make three cuts in so many seconds," Matt explained.

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placement of the engine, Matt explained.

The axe throw stresses accuracy and aim. The lumberjacks stand 20 feet away from a target and try to hit a 4-inch round bullseye. They get one practice throw and three actual throws, he said.

Lumberjacks can get a maximum of 15 points in the axe throw. They can throw axes underhand or overhand.

In the two-man cross-cut competition, the winner is

the team that saws through the log in the fastest time. Most teams are "Jack and Jill" teams, where the lumberjacks saw with their wives.

The lumberjacks have appeared at many other summer festivals, including the Chippewa Landing Festival in Caro and the Huron Community Fair in Bad Axe. The demonstrations draw 100-500 spectators, Matt said.

The demonstration is free.

"We plan a good show for them. We'll make it interesting. It's a lot of things people haven't been exposed to," Matt commented.



Bingo expected to earn money for church and Chamber

St. Pancratius Catholic Church will be running bingo games from 1-5 p.m. Wednesday under a tent by the equipment building.

Persons 18 and up are welcome to take part and they can get three bingo cards for 50 cents, church activities chairman Henry Bartnik said.

Cash prizes will be based on the number of people playing and therefore the

money collected for game cards. The average maximum prize is \$22.50, Bartnik said.

Most people win, and many even win twice during a bingo session. Participants play an average of 12 cards per session, Bartnik added.

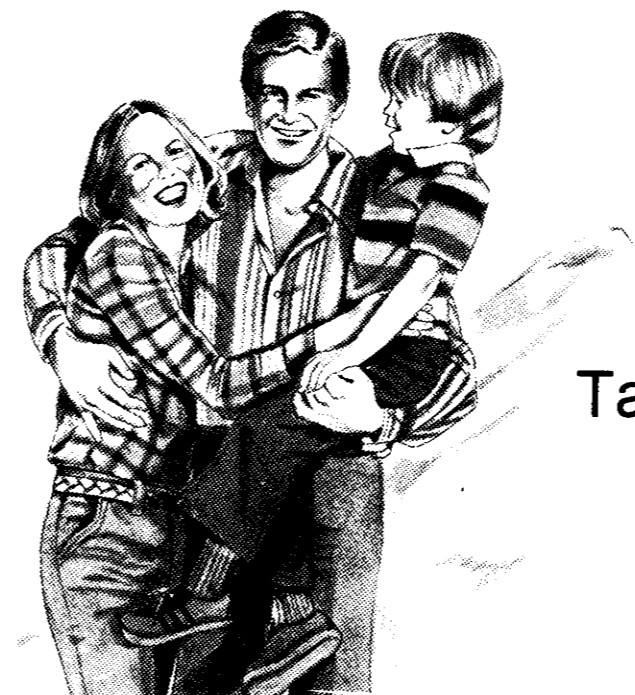
He added that he has seen persons play up to 21 cards or more. "You've really got to keep your eyes on the

cards." No turnout was estimated, but if the weather is nice, many will come. Last year, rain kept people away.

The Cass City Chamber of Commerce will get 25 percent of the earnings for use of the park grounds. The remaining money will go to St. Pancratius, Bartnik said.



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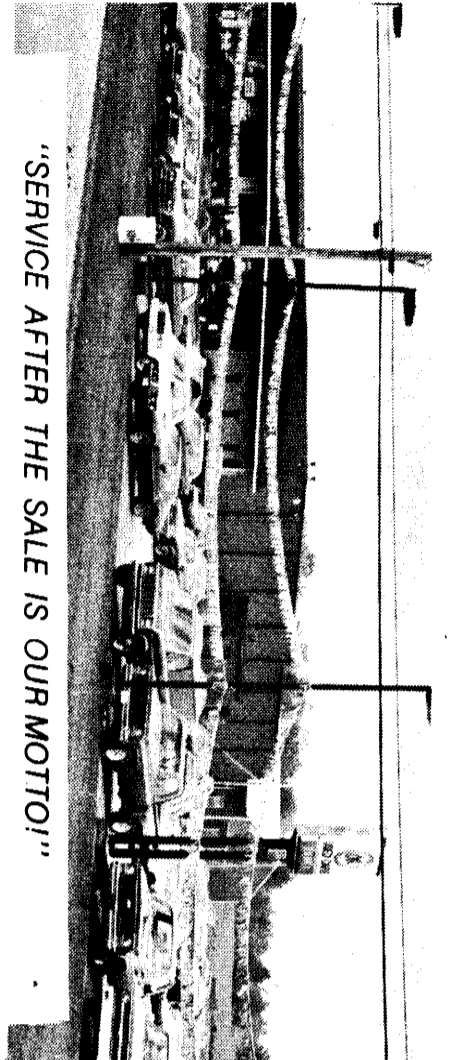


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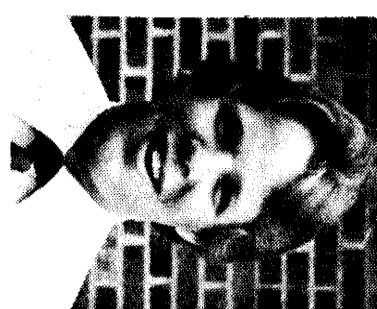


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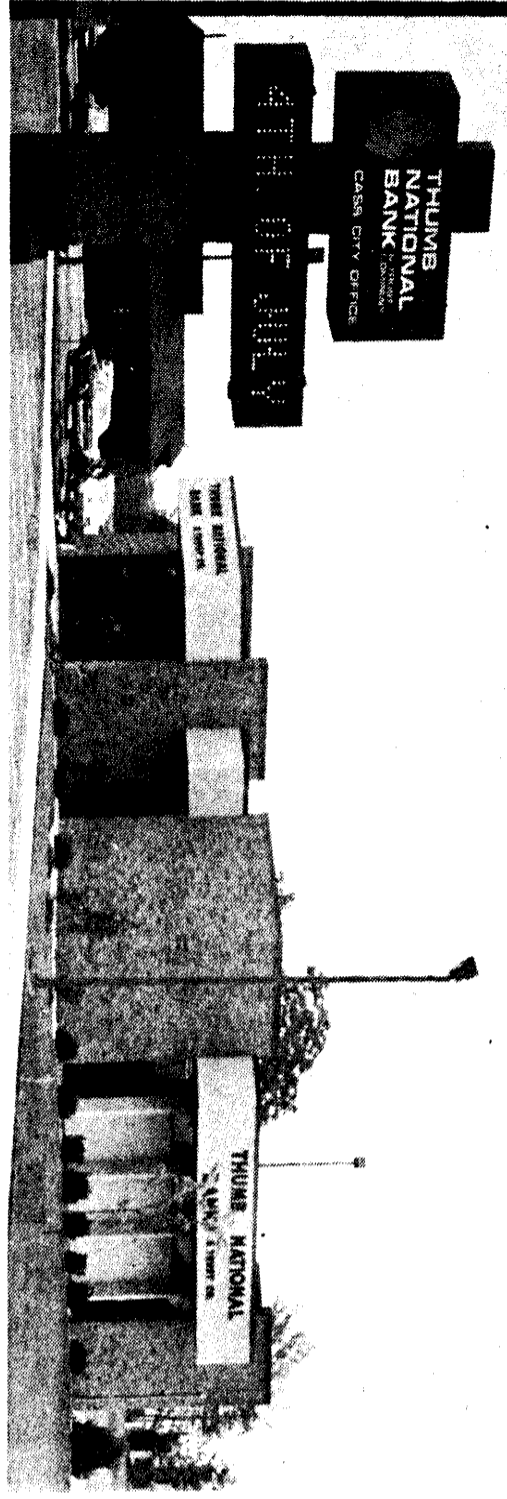


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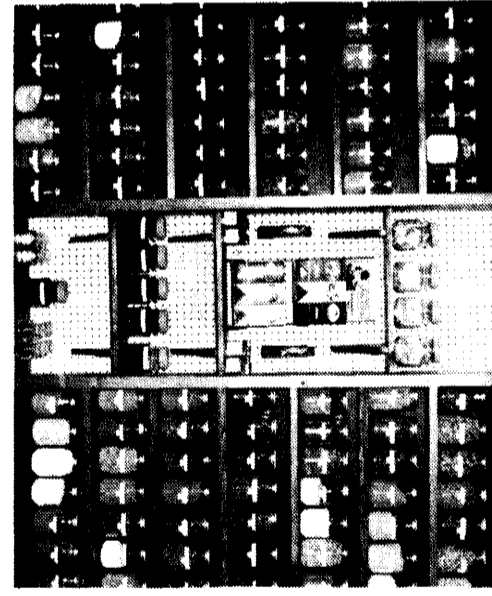


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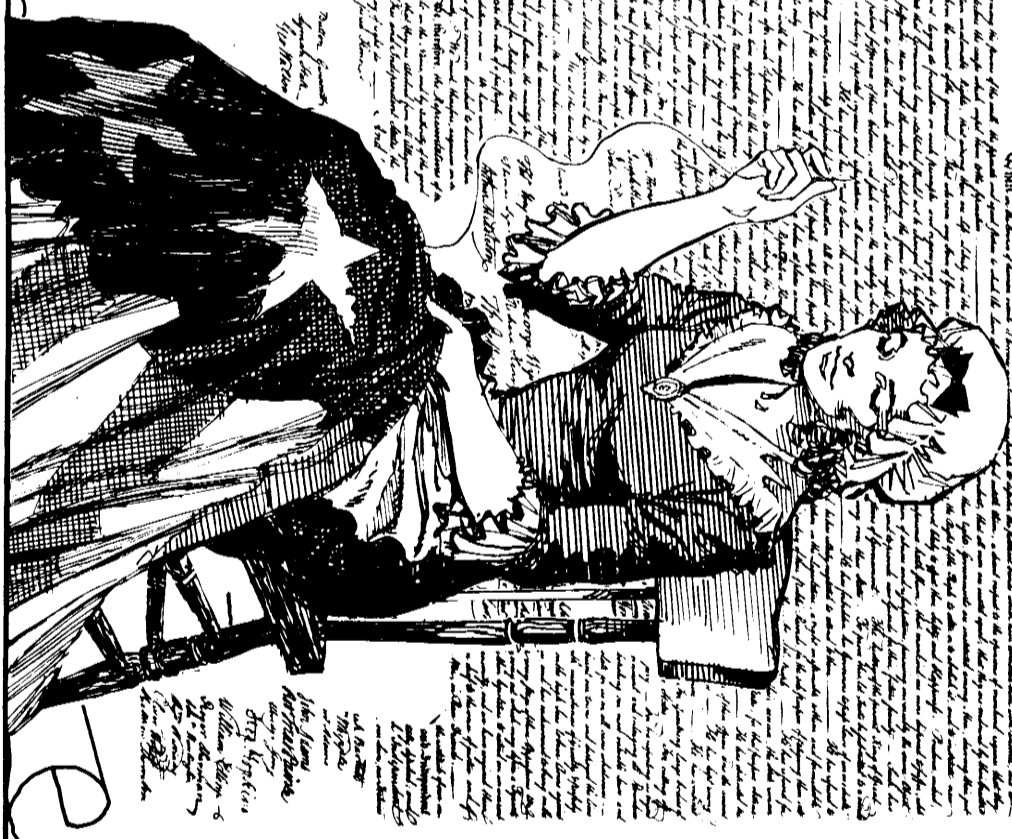
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