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A HOST OF PRIZES will be presented Joshua Richard Fields and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fields of 3651 Phillips Road, Cass City. Joshua was the first baby of the new year born at Hills and Dales General Hospital, arriving at 6:38 p.m. Jan. 1. He weighed in at seven pounds, one-half ounce. Mrs. Fields is on leave from her job at Provincial House and the proud father works at Hills and Dales General Hospital. Joshua is the second child, joining Jonathan Michael, 3.

Problems outlined

Banks see few farm failures in area

By Tim Smith

The severe financial plight of small farmers in the country evidently has not escaped the state of Michigan or the Thumb area, but local lending institutions and representatives from Farmers Home Administration (FHA) offices in Bad Axe and Caro are optimistic the problem will soon take a turn for the better.

State FHA officials estimate that approximately 2,000 of 5,200 farmers who have borrowed up to $700 million from the agency are lagging seriously behind in loan repayments, and may lose their farms. But officials from Thumb-area FHA offices do not see many actual foreclosures ahead.

Those 2,000 believed to be in debt will receive letters in late January, detailing what options are available to them, so that delinquent loans can be re-worked and farm closures avoided.

Farmers who receive the letter will have 30 days to contact their corresponding local FHA office about restructuring loans, deferring payments, combining existing loans, and filing applications for new, lower interest rates. If a feasible plan cannot be worked out, liquidation, and then foreclosure -- an 18 month process -- would be resulting steps.

According to Thumb-area FHA officials, the farmers' plight in Tuscola, Huron, and Sanilac Counties is no worse than in the rest of Michigan.

Adrin Wagner, assistant county supervisor at the Caro-based FHA office, (which services farmers in Tuscola County) said the "majority" of approximately 150 farmers who use that branch are not "currently" under threat of foreclosure.

But Wagner, when questioned Monday, was unable to pinpoint the number of county farmers who might be in danger.

Approximately 120 of 304 Huron and Sanilac County farmers serviced out of the FHA office in Bad Axe are slated to receive the warning letters, according to Rodney L. Plews, FHA supervisor for the 2 counties.

Plews, however, said only "five or six" of those are almost a certainty to lose their farms, and only then because they are the most severe cases of financial crisis in the area.

"Those (who are facing almost certain foreclosure) have already gone through bankruptcy, and have already been discharged," Plews said. "Out of the letters we send out is it possible there will be a few more."

Through the outlining of options farmers may tap into, Wagner said the number of farmers facing drastic measures -- such as liquidation and foreclosure -- should be reduced.

"With the majority, we should be able to do something other than liquidate (the sale of assets in order to pay off a debt)," Wagner said.

Eva Hacker, clerk at the FHA office in Bad Axe, said the letters will be sent out to detail "all different possibilities they may not have been aware of."

Hacker said one option is to rewrite the amount of money delinquent into a new loan, with lower interest rates, and set up a new payment schedule.

Because the FHA is the "last ditch" for farmers to delve into in rectifying debts, officials there see those who are in more serious financial straits. Officials at local banks however, though cautious about handing out loans to farmers, do not appear ready to push the red-light button either.

Probably the most agriculturally-oriented bank in Cass City is Thumb National Bank, and manager Curt Strickland sees clear sailing ahead for farmers in the bank's Cass City-Pigeon service area.

"We haven't seen any foreclosures from those in this area, and there have only been a few who have come in with difficulties," Strickland said. "We're ready to work with those people and reach solutions in those cases."

Dick Gorz, president of Cass City State Bank, said his bank does not see multitudes of farmers coming in for dollars, mainly because it is a smaller bank with less loaning capacity.

Gorz said Cass City State Bank has a $200,000 loan ceiling and that a "small 300-acre farm" may require upwards of one-half million in loans in order to become operational.

And as a result, Gorz added his bank is "not terribly hooked to the farm credit situation."

"Our loans are miniature compared to the amounts of money these farmers need to get going. It's possible a farmer with a small farm of 300 acres may need $300-400,000 for equipment and an additional $200,000 for real estate," Gorz said.

"So we're not an agricultural lender as such, although we do have our share of agricultural loans -- it's a spotty situation," Gorz said, adding some farmers are handling loans well while yet others have encountered difficulty.

Bob Keating, president of Chemical Bank in Cass City, said the current woes of the farmer should go by the boards with the passing of time.

"Basically, in 1985, all crop farmers were finding that their income was very, very inadequate to meet loan payments," Keating said. "Most dairy farmers were able to take care of them, but that was about it."

"In my experience, I haven't hit the red light button yet but it has been a difficult three years for farmers," Keating continued. "It will be a tough market until farmers have price increases in what they sell, and that won't happen until fewer farmers are selling."

Keating explained that as more farmers grow discouraged and leave the field -- which could happen eventually -- the "market will begin to change" in favor of remaining farmers.

Linda Gaymer, the manager of Mutual Savings and Loan in Cass City, said the bank has not in the past jumped into the farm-loan pool becaue it is "strictly savings and loan," handling home mortgages for the most part.

The spiralling debts seen by farmers across the country and state are largely the result of a double-edged sword, that of increasing production and reduction in prices.

The FHA, a division of the United States Agriculture Department, intends to notify 90,000 farmers nation-wide that they are facing foreclosure unless they take steps to mend financial fences. The 2,000 statewide farmers, and approximately 175 in the tri-county area reflect the agency's estimation that approximately one-third of all FHA borrowers owe on their loans.

Wagner, of the Caro-based FHA, said he expects an increase in activity after the warning letters are issued.

"To this point there haven't been a lot of farmers in yet, but after the letters are sent out I'm sure we'll be scheduling a lot of complete analyses," he said.

County operating under new road brine use curbs

The Tuscola County Road Commission is operating its first winter under Department of Natural Resources restrictions on the use of brine to clear roads of ice.

Last winter was the final one where any type of brine was lawful for use on icy roads. Previously the county used brine from its five non-producing oil wells and received waste brine from producing oil wells.

We had an agreement, Jim Miklovic, secretary-clerk of the Tuscola County Board of Road Commissioners, said, where the brine from producing oil wells was given to the county.

That saved the oil company and the county money. The brine is useless to the company and they gave it to us to save the expense of having to dispose of it. We only paid for the trucking, Miklovic explained.

Brine from producing wells has been outlawed because of pollution problems. Brine from the non-producing county wells can still be used.

How much more will this cost taxpayers? Miklovic is not prepared to say. So much depends on the weather.

When we get icy conditions that require a lot of brine, the supply from the wells can be depleted and it's necessary to wait a few days for the supply to build again.

We always have to buy some salt for the roads, but how much depends on mother nature, according to Miklovic.

One thing sure, he says, is that given the same weather, the cost can't be any less and it may be quite a lot more.

Keeping roads clear of ice is no small item in the road commission's budget. Figures for 1985 have not yet been completed but costs for ice removal in the county in 1983 totaled $106,110 and for 1984 the cost was $95,850. That's ice removal only, not snow, Miklovic stressed.

It's impossible to tell what the costs will be in 1986, Miklovic said.

Sometimes in a year with lots of snow, cost of ice removal is down. That's because the first priority of the department is keeping the roads open.

In the recent snow storm (Sunday night), the crews spent all of their time clearing snow Sunday and Monday.

Until the roads are open, there won't be any money spent on ice control.

25-mile winds close roads

Driving 25-mile-per-hour winds closed schools in the Thumb area and closed all but trunk line roads Sunday night in Tuscola County.

Road crews struggled just to keep state trunklines open Sunday afternoon and evening, Jim Miklovic, secretary-clerk of the Tuscola County Road Commission, said.

We were unable to look at the county's primary and local roads until about midnight Sunday when the wind died down.

Opening of local roads started Monday and late Monday evening all county roads were to have been plowed, Miklovic pointed out.

Although the drifts closed the roads Sunday there was actually little new snow that day. According to the records kept at the Cass City wastewater treatment plant, just .03 of an inch was recorded.

Charge Jacobs after scuffle with Tuscola County deputy

A man wanted in Texas for a parole violation awaits examination in Tuscola County District Court and a county deputy remains off duty while injuries heal following an incident last Saturday, Jan. 4.

Deputy James Jashinske suffered lacerations to the face and chin, and wracked up his left leg and knee during a tussle with Joseph Lee Jacobs, 29, while the latter was apparently resisting arrest. The incident occurred at approximately 5 p.m. at a Caro gas station.

Jashinske was treated at Caro Community Hospital and released. Police said Monday that Jashinske may be out for one week.

Jacobs, who reports say did not have a permanent address but who had been living with common law wife Donna Mae Edinborough, 21, of Oil City, was arraigned Monday in District Court on two counts of resisting and obstructing a police officer and is scheduled for examination at 9 a.m. Friday, Jan. 17, before Judge Richard F. Kern. He is being held at Tuscola County Jail with bond of $7,500.

Edinborough, according to police reports, was accompanying Jacobs in an older model blue Oldsmobile westbound on State Street in Kingston village when Jashinske -- also driving westbound -- spotted an expired license tab.

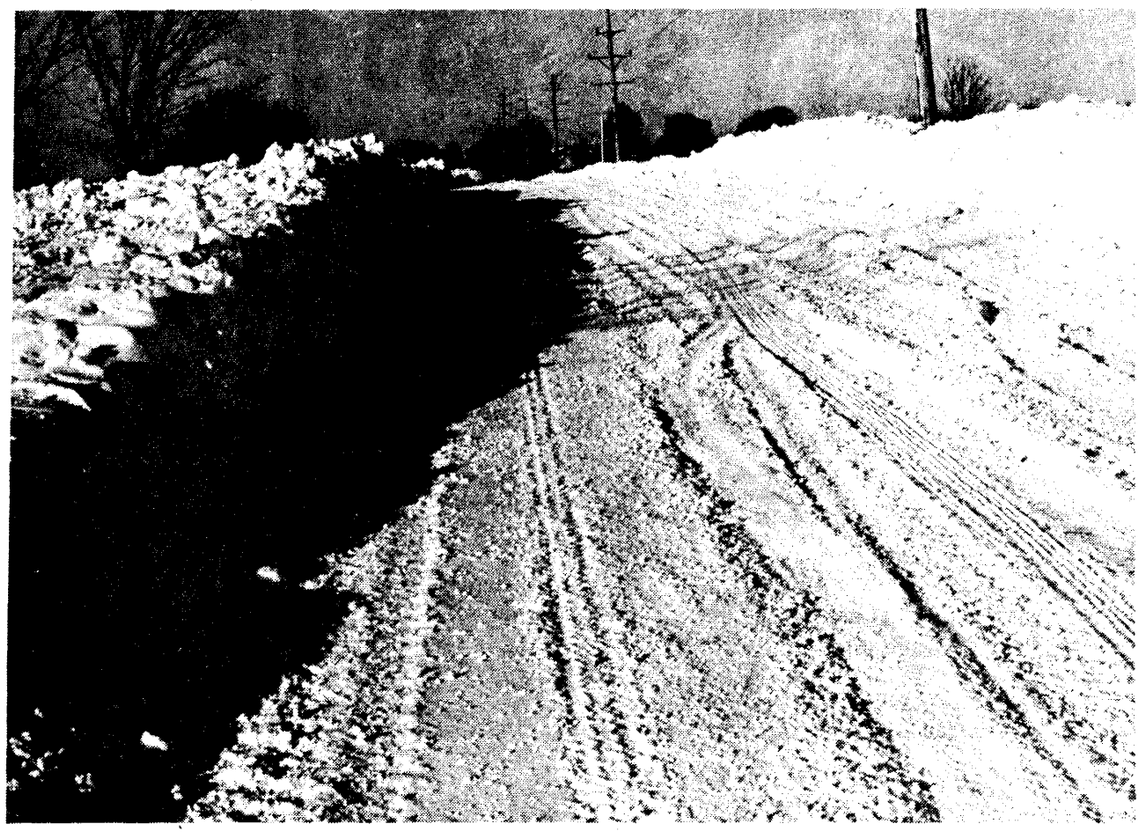
The Deputy followed, and flashed his patrol car lights to signal Jacobs off the road. But Jacobs did not stop, and continued into Caro, where Jashinske followed him into the Sunoco gas station on State Street.

At that time Jashinske asked Jacobs for his driver's license, which he failed to produce. When the deputy asked Jacobs to go in for questioning, the latter allegedly jumped Jashinske and attempted to pull the gun out of his holster.

Before Jacobs could be restrained and handcuffed, Jashinske needed assistance from Deputy Jeffrey Bagocius, Sergeant James Giroux, and a Cass City man who had been observing the melee in the gas station lot. Bagocius was reportedly struck in the tussle.

In addition to the two counts of resisting and obstructing an officer, a misdemeanor which carries a maximum two-year sentence, Jacobs was charged with additional misdemeanors of: driving with expired license tabs, and failure to have an operator's license in possession. The latter two charges carry penalties of 90 days in jail, and, or, $100 fine each.

Jacobs, reports say, is wanted in Texas, where he allegedly has violated parole for a robbery sentence he had been serving.



ALTHOUGH LITTLE SNOW fell Sunday, high winds caused drifting on Thumb roads. Secondary roads such as Koepfgen Road, north of M-81, were snow clogged until Monday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. H.T. Donahue

Dr. and Mrs. H.T. Donahue of Cass City celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Dec. 21, 1985, with a family get-together at Bay Valley Inn.

The couple was married Dec. 21, 1935, at the bride's home in Detroit.

They have three sons, John of Bay City, Richard and Margo Donahue of Unionville and Robert and Miriam Donahue of Birmingham, and seven grandchildren.

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Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little — Phone 872-3698

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Turner left Dec. 10 for Florida and returned home Thursday. They spent Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Severance, Kasey and Donnie, near Clearwater. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Rushlo and other friends while there.

Mrs. Keith Clark and son Adam of Williamston spent last week with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Schneeberger and Rusty. Guests of the Schneebergers over the week end included Keith Clark of Williamston and Mr.and Mrs. Roger Rockafellow and son Jared of Olivet. Saturday the family celebrated Jared's eighth birthday.

Lillian Hanby had as guests over the holidays, Dick Hanby of Fort Wayne, Ind., Mary Hanby of Newhall, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward of Coral, Mi.

Mr. and Mrs Jim Atkins of Florida left to return home Dec. 27 after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Gallaway. Chrystal Atkins and Mrs. Gallaway were callers at the Carmack Smith home.

Supper guests Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hanby, Lauri and Greg were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Todd and children of South Webster, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward of Coral, Mary Hanby of Newhall, Calif., Lillian Hanby, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hanby, Mr. and Mr. Jeff Hanby and Randy Patera.

The birthdays of Gil Schwaderer and Mrs. Ken Lalko were celebrated Sunday with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Bartle. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Schwaderer, Mr. and Mrs. Lalko and sons, Herb Bartle and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tuckey, Carolyn and Paul.

Twenty-two attended the senior citizens meal-site Friday at Good Shepherd Lutheran fellowship hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Millikin of Vassar visited Mrs. Lee Smith Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul Craig was one of six guests at a luncheon at the home of Nina McComb in Caro, Jan. 1.

New Year's guests of Rev. and Mrs. A.E. McFarland were seven of Rev. McFarland's eight children and their families. Present for the annual family gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon (Lois) Ferweda of Portage, Rev. and Mrs. Dallas McFarland of Coldwater, Rev. and Mrs. Richard (Deloris) Barriger of Princeton, Ill., Mrs. Jay (Avis) Edgett of Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis McFarland of Hubbard Lake, Mrs. Archie (Janis) Wickham of Mayville and Mr. and Mrs. Cletus McFarland of Coldwater. Twenty-three family members were present for the noon meal. During the afternoon the family placed a call to their sister, Mrs. Mert (Phyllis) Richards, who lives in Kissimmee, Fla.

Frances Gravatt, 95, of Houston, Texas, died Dec. 28. Mrs. Gravatt was the last member of the John McBurney family. She is survived by a son, Charles, of Houston and Mrs. George Cook and Mrs. Frances Golding of Cass City are nieces.

The Progressive class of Salem UM Church will meet Thursday evening, Jan. 9, at 8 p.m. at the parsonage with Rev. and Mrs. Clare Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Wagg of Conogo Park, Calif., have returned home after spending the holiday with their parents, Roy and Shirley Wagg and Dick and Judy Wallace.

Mark Guinther returned to his home in Concord, CA, Sunday, after spending two weeks with his parents, Stan and Melva Guinther. His sister, Sandy Guinther, returned to Dayton, OH, Dec. 30.

Lyle Clarke and daughter Carol of Memphis, Tenn., were callers Dec. 28 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carmack Smith.

Kim Wagg, a student at Michigan State University, returned to Lansing Sunday after spending the holidays with her parents, Roy and Shirley Wagg.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Shaw of Decker, a son, Dec. 30 at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe. Brent Alan weighed eight pounds and five ounces. He joins Mark, 5, and Lisa, 2. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw of Decker and Mr. and Mrs. John Guc of Cass City. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Keith Shaw of Decker and Mr. and Mrs. U.E. Moody of Vero Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Boag celebrates at open house

Mrs. Margaret Boag celebrated her 90th birthday Sunday, Dec. 29, at Provincial House in Cass City. Over 70 guests attended the open house held to honor the occasion.

MRS. MARGARET BOAG

She was born in Sanilac County, one mile south of Shabbona, the daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (McLaren) Phillips.

Her husband, Avon, died in March, 1965.

Mrs. Boag has three daughters, Phyllis Cox of Deford, Donna Miller of Marlette and Jean Bird of Cass City, and 21 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren.

She is a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, Cass City, and is a lifelong resident of Sanilac and Tuscola Counties.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

BIRTHS:

Dec. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Garry (Nancy) Bruce, Deford, a girl, BreeAnne Lane.

Jan. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Cynthia) Fields, Cass City, a boy, Joshua Richard.

Jan. 1, to Mr.and Mrs. Ronald (Samantha) Jones, Snover, a boy, Steven Scott.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, JAN. 6, WERE:

Susan Damm, Laura Taylor, Jeffrey Swiderski, Mrs. Carol Wildman, Misty Coryell, James Burleson, Mrs. Cecil Loomis, Mrs. Alta Roberts and Mrs. Evelyn Turnbull, Cass City;

Mrs. Elma Miklovich, Katrina Humphreys and Mrs. Judy Winchester, Gagetown;

Pauline Izydorek, Decker;

Charles McConnell, Caro;

Jacob Stachura, Deford;

Robert Grieve, Kingston.

3 on dean's list at Business School

Three area students were named to the dean's list for the fall term at Great Lakes Junior College of Business, Saginaw.

They are Vanessa Markel of Cass City, Deborah Czewski of Gagetown and Marcy Enderle of Owendale.

Students must achieve a 3.50 or better grade point average for the term.

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JOYCE A. LaROCHE

Your neighbor says

My wish is for peaceful world

Gladys Agar didn't make any resolutions for the new year but she does have a wish. I'd hope for a more peaceful world. One with more love in it also. I don't know what else you could wish for that would be better than that, she said Friday, as she was completing a stint in the gift shop at Hills and Dales General Hospital. Mrs. Agar works as a volunteer at the shop for a half day a week as a member of the Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary.

Mrs. Agar and her husband, Max are retired. They recently celebrated their 60th anniversary. Max Agar, who is 80 years old, has been a Cass City resident for almost all of his life. He was born in Cass City, Mrs. Agar said.

The couple has four children living. Three daughters and a son. The three daughters all married pastors and the boy is now retired from service.

Plants endangered

The fate of plant life in tropical regions, which contain about two-thirds of the Earth's 240,000 species of plants, is not rosy. National Wildlife magazine reports nearly 100,000 square miles of tropical forests are cleared or disturbed each year throughout the world.

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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.

Dec. 20, 1985.

Meeting opened with prayer and pledge to the flag.

Roll Call: 6 members present, 1 member absent.

ACTION TAKEN:

The agenda was adopted as amended.

Lou Schillinger appeared before the board regarding our insurance program. Also gave Pen Co. the opportunity to cover the Medical Care Facility as to insurance.

10:00 a.m. Held the public hearing for the 1986 general fund budget.

Bids were opened for the sale of 80 acres of county owned property. All bids were rejected.

We did not allow the erection of a monument for the Eagle Scouts on the Courthouse lawn.

Renewed the contract with Corporate Services for January 1986 - December 1987 to administer the self insurance compensation and re-insurance program.

Approved the 1986 general fund budget as amended.

Approved the judicial standardization payment for the 1986 judicial salaries.

Set salaries for 1986 for the Register of Deeds and Drain Commissioner.

Hired Michelle Morell, Linda Maynard and Tim Seath to fill vacancies in the Juvenile Division of Probate Court as probation officers and hired Bob Popielarz to fill the vacancy of Juvenile Officer-Director.

Approved the Letter of Understanding between the FOP Unit I, Tuscola County Board of Commissioners and Tuscola County Sheriff.

Minutes were approved as read.

Adjourned to Jan. 14, 1986.

Hills and Dales

Schedule of Events

Open to General Public

Jan. 13 thru Jan. 19

EVENT	DATE	TIME	PLACE
Dr. S. Wicha, M.D.	Jan. 13	10-12	Out-patient Clinic
Dr. Girgis, M.D.— Urologist	Jan. 14	9-11 a.m.	Out-patient Clinic
Dr. Roger N. Kahn, Cardiologist	Jan. 15	2-5 p.m.	Out-patient Clinic
Dr. Isterabadi, M.D.	Jan. 15	10 a.m.- 2 p.m.	Out-patient Clinic
H. T. Donahue	Jan. 15	8-noon	Out-patient Clinic
Dr. Hoon K. Jeung	Jan. 17	8-noon	Out-patient Clinic

Free Blood Pressures: 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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FISHERMAN (Aran) KNITTING — Thurs. Jan. 23, 4 weeks, 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.
Fee $16 -- must know knitting

BEGINNER'S KNITTING — Mon., Jan. 27
4 weeks, 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.
$16.00 includes materials.

BEGINNING CROCHET — Tues., Feb. 4,
4 weeks, 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.
$16.00 includes materials

BEGINNING NEEDLEPOINT — Thurs., Feb. 20, 6 weeks, 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.
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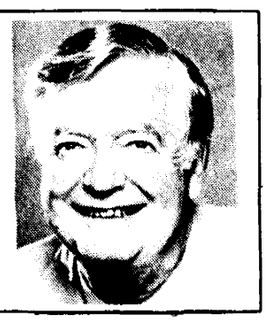

By Jim Fitzgerald

Before going to bed every weeknight, I push the button that instructs my clock radio to wake me up at 8:30 the next morning. On weekends when I want to sleep in, I don't push it. But the clock radio wakes me up at 8:30 the next morning anyway.

Life is a lot like that.

(Because of the preacher in my soul, I like to write life-is-a-lot-like-that columns, but seldom do. It's not easy to prove life is a lot like a clock radio. But I'm feeling especially inspired today, and able to accept the challenge.)

My point is that it's uncomfortable to stray from the master plan.

Just as it seems impossible for that clock radio to refrain from waking me up at 8:30 every morning, it seemed impossible for me to eat pizza at the Mama Mia Restaurant in Union Lake on a recent Saturday afternoon.

(You may want to stop reading and meditate about that for a couple of minutes. Go ahead.)

OK? Obviously, what I mean is that, according to the master plan, my clock radio turns on at 8:30 every morning. I am awakened by the voice of newscaster Paul Harvey. Until a few months ago, I was awakened by the soothing tones of WJR's J.P. McCarthy or the sensible music he invariably plays. But, for reasons I'll never understand, there's been a change in programming.

Paul Harvey on the J.P. McCarthy show is similar to Louis Farrakhan visiting the Muppets. No matter how volatile the subject, McCarthy is always calm, reasonable and fair-minded. No matter how humdrum the subject, Harvey is always wildly staccato, one-sided and slightly unbelievable.

Nevertheless, the master plan calls for WJR at 8:30, and if that's when Harvey interrupts McCarthy, that's who wakes me up. Except on week ends, when I don't push the wake-up button, because I want to remain asleep, but can't.

Naturally, it isn't the radio music or talk that awakens me on week ends. The radio doesn't turn on when the button isn't pushed. But it emits sort of an unworldly moan from deep within its bowels. I think it's a sound the radio can't control, the same as you can't stop your stomach from growling.

That mysterious sound from a turned-off radio awakens me when I don't want to be awakened, and I always curse it before going back to sleep. But I also understand it. I understand how difficult it is to veer from the master plan. I realize the moan from the dead radio is a muffled protest against variation.

I took three of my grandchildren to the Luncheon Theater at Mama Mia's to see the Peanut Butter Players' production of "Tom Sawyer." It's a swell show, thanks to talented youngsters and producer/director Jo Anne Lamun. But the only food served was pizza.

According to my master plan, I don't eat pizza. Up until Nov. 30, 1985, in over 59 years of living, I'd never tasted one crumb of pizza. I'm not sure why, but it probably has something to do with an old philosopher who told me, during the Great Depression, that he'd never eaten an orange because he was afraid he'd like it. He said he already liked bananas, was angry he couldn't afford all the bananas he wanted, and didn't want the same thing to happen with oranges.

My grandchildren were astonished by the sight of a person who'd never eaten pizza. They insisted I try it, and I gave in to them, not to mention hunger. It tasted good.

But later I growled an uncontrolled protest against the variance from my master plan. It is uncomfortable to depart from a lifetime norm, and I couldn't stop my stomach from saying so.

My clock radio is a lot like that.

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Sunday	25	8	.03
Monday	14	-8	.00

(Recorded at Cass City wastewater treatment plant.)

PRESENTATION OF a plaque, certificate of appreciation and gifts highlighted the retirement party of Isabelle Seeley Friday at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Farewell party honors Seeley

A long career in food preparation ended for Mrs. Isabelle Seeley Friday when she was feted at a retirement party at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Mrs. Seeley is a certified dietetic manager and started work at the hospital two weeks before it opened.

Prior to taking that post, she worked in food preparation at Pleasant Home Hospital for 20 years, from 1940 to 1960. She is a member of St. Pancratius Church and the Tri-County Dietetic Managers Association.

Before starting to work at the hospital, Mrs. Seeley attended school at Michigan State to learn about preparing hospital food.

There have been many changes over the quarter of a century that Mrs. Seeley worked at Hills and Dales.

We have many more special diets today than before. Now foods are placed in hot and cold carts and placed in dishes in the kitchen. Previously, they were placed in dishes as they were being served, Mrs. Seeley explained.

Now that she no longer has to meet a work deadline, what does the future hold? More kitchen work, said the honored retiree with a laugh.

I'm going to help my mother serve the senior citizen meals three days a week from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

In addition, she continued, I'll use some of the time to catch up on work around the house.

Mrs. Seeley is looking forward to more trips up north. We love it up there, she confided. Other than that she has no plans except looking after two cats and her husband, Clark.

Holiday tire theft

The Cass City Police Department is investigating the holiday theft of two tires and matching rims from a used car at Rabideau Motor Sales, located on Main Street.

According to police reports, the incident -- in which tires and rims were stolen from a Chevrolet Z-28 -- occurred between 5 p.m. New Year's Eve and Friday morning, Jan. 3, when Rabideau's reopened after a two-day hiatus.

Police say an estimated $500 was lost in the theft.

The Haire Net

Okay, let us start the New Year right with the eagle eye on community activities from the picture window at the corner of Oak and Main Streets.

QUESTION - What's in store on the economic front in Cass City?

ANSWER - If I really knew the answer to that, I'd give you the Chronicle and make more money than I could spend by speculating. There's a hunch here that we are going to see more of the same in '86.

That means not too bad and not too good. Even if farmers have a banner season, there is still a lot of catching up to do from 1984 and 1985.

QUESTION - The fine for not wearing a seat belt jumped from $10 to $25 Jan. 1. How about that?

ANSWER - I'm with the majority there for a change. A recent survey indicated that 82 percent of the persons contacted thought the law was a good one.

Unfortunately, it's one of those do as I tell you, not as I do kind of things. Only 58 percent said that they used the belts all the time. The Haires reflect that in their use of belts. Both Dorothy and John are for them, but only John wears them...most of the time.

QUESTION - Are parking meters kaput in Cass City?

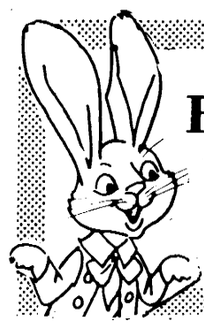
ANSWER - You had to ask, didn't you?

One man's opinion is, yes, they are. Face it, business today is tougher than it has been for many, many years. Competition from bigger stores is closer and small towns need every edge they can get. Certainly, there are arguments for parking meters, the most important being that they curb long time parking by non-customers. But judging from what's happening in other communities, it's hard to see where we can resist meeting that competition and provide free on-the-street parking also.

Parking meters are disappearing like a drop of water on a sandy beach.

QUESTION - Have you broken your New Year's resolutions yet?

ANSWER - Absolutely not. What's more I won't in the future. You can only be that cocksure when you let the new year slip in without making any resolutions at all.



Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

In the last few years when jobs were discussed, the popular refrain was school teaching is a very good job . . . .for a woman.

Forget that. School teaching is a very good job. Repeat: S-C-H-O-O-L T-E-A-C-H-I-N-G I-S A V-E-R-Y G-O-O-D J-O-B. Period.

Recently the Livonia School District signed contracts for the next three years. In the final year of the contract, a teacher with a master's degree at the top of the seniority list will be paid $50,500.

That's in addition to the liberal retirement, dental and health insurance plans. All this for working about 185 days a year in the classroom.

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It's a sad world we live in when you're afraid to do a good turn for a neighbor or the community. That's what happened when Coach Jeff Hartel wanted to use the Chronicle van to transport the Cass City freshman basketball team.

We had to say no when we wanted to say yes. But given the glut of liability suits, it becomes a terrific gamble to do so. An accident where a couple of youngsters were seriously injured could wipe us out financially.

Somewhere there is a cog missing in a system that makes it very difficult to lend a helping hand.

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Did you make a New Year's resolution? Or were you like me and resolved nothing special? The usual ones were halfheartedly thought about again. More exercise, less junk food, more vacations, less work and like they say in the ads, much more.

Is it pessimistic or realistic to feel that this year will end no different than those that came before when there were a few small successes coupled with major backsliding?

Speaking of resolutions, Mrs. Gladys Agar has one in "Your Neighbor Says" that we all can appreciate and adopt.

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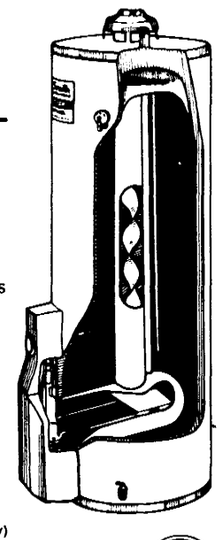

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Better health care for seniors?

Cass City natives seek improved standards

Issues of long-term health care for the elderly have involved Connie Schwaderer, administrator of the Provincial House, and Arlene "O'Dell" Peplinski, owner of a nursing home north of Bay City, in a nation-wide organization that is working to improve the standards of their businesses.

The two women, both raised in the Cass City area, are regional directors of the American Health Care Association, an organization representing both profit and non-profit nursing homes. Peplinski, the daughter of Novesta Township residents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill O'Dell, is the director of Region 6 of the Health Care Association. Schwaderer, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Bartle, Cass City, is the assistant director. Region 6 represents 30 nursing homes in 14 Michigan counties. Throughout Michigan the association represents 250 nursing homes.

Schwaderer said one of the duties of the association is to review nursing homes, that are members of Region 6, to see that the facility is operating within the health care standards set by the association.

Peplinski explained that because of today's advanced medical technology people are living longer, and many people did not prepare for the costs of long-term health care. She said the present Medicaid system is inadequate.

Schwaderer explained from Medicaid, a state assistance program, the Provincial House receives $42.70 per day for each resident. The costs of providing care to a resident is about $46 per day.

Schwaderer said another concern of the association is they feel all agencies providing long-term health care should receive the same amount from Medicaid. Schwaderer explained she recently read the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility receives $52 per day from Medicaid for a patient's care, almost $18 more than is paid the Provincial House. The amount Medicaid pays to a facility is set by the state. The private pay rate at the Provincial House is $56 per day.

ARLENE (O'DELL) PEPLINSKI (left) and Connie Schwaderer examine items that were for sale at the Christmas Bazaar at Provincial House. Some of the items were made by residents of Provincial House.

Peplinski added, another concern of the association is hospitals that are showing an interest in getting into long-term health care. "As long as they have to live with our rules and regulations, and our reimbursement programs, they are welcome in," she said. "We know the hospitals can't make it on $300 per day per bed. How are they going to make it on $30 to $40 per day ?"

Peplinski said because of the reimbursement program, nursing home owners are unable to pay their staff as much as they should receive.

"We recognize their worth, but we can't pay them what they are worth," Peplinski said. She pointed out hospitals in the Bay City area pay nurse aides and kitchen staff about $3 more per hour than nursing homes are capable of paying. "There is no more (money) to give them. It's just not there."

She said volunteers from the community are very important to the operation of the 51 resident nursing center Peplinski and her husband John own and operate in Kawkawlin. Peplinski pointed out when volunteers come in and read, or write letters it helps to brighten the day of a resident. This year a piano and a public address system were donated to the center. "Those are the things that give us some of the extras that make it a nice home."

Schwaderer added that members of the Zonta Club, the VFW and the VFW Auxiliary, church groups and the Business and Professional Woman's Club have given Christmas presents to the residents, and have made donations of equipment to the Provincial House, something that is appreciated.

Michigan Mirror

Welfare curb law illegal

New provisions in this year's social services budget restricting welfare payment levels for new state residents to benefits they had received previously in another state, if Michigan benefits are higher, were invalidated by a ruling by Attorney General Kelley.

Kelley said the provisions violate federal welfare law and were inserted in violation of the state constitution.

The provisions declare that the recipients of Aid to Families with Dependent Children and General Assistance benefits may not receive higher Michigan payments until they have resided in the state for six months.

They were inserted by legislators who assert many people move to the state just to collect Michigan's relatively high AFDC benefits, and a GA program for single adults which many states do not have.

In the Great Lakes area as of last January, Michigan's $526 maximum monthly benefit for a family of four compared to $316 in Indiana, $360 in Ohio, and $385 in Illinois, with only Wisconsin and Minnesota paying more at $637 and $611 respectively.

DSS spokeswoman Karen Meyer said the department had not been worried about the six-month restriction since officials concluded it conflicted with federal welfare law against residency requirements.

Kelley's opinion noted that conflict with AFDC law, and said the provisions in the state AFDC and GA budgets attempt to impose an additional financial condition without amending separate state law setting eligibility and financial standards. He said that violated the state consititution's restriction against amending a law by reference.

CONSUMERS ASKS RATE HIKE

A reduced rate filing, which would cover 75 percent of the costs of the mothballed Midland nuclear power plant, has been submitted by the Consumers Power Company to the Public Service Commission.

The $328.4 million a year hike for 15 years replaces last year's request for $472 million annually over the same period.

The increase would be on top of the $94 million a year hike for six years awarded last summer to Consumers to stabilize a financial condition caused by debts incurred during the Midland construction.

"The company has requested partial rate relief in late 1986 because of our serious financial condition which prevents us from carrying out capital and maintenance projects needed to maintain the quality and reliability of service," Consumers Chairman William McCormick Jr. said.

Consumers is studying options of possible use of the abandoned plant, including conversion to some other type of generating plant, and announced it would take a $490 million pre-tax writeoff on part of the investment.

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Report 2 car-deer accidents

A car driven by Julie Katherine Somerville, 16, struck and killed a deer in an incident last Saturday night.

Somerville, according to Tuscola County Sheriff's Department reports, could not avoid the deer when it crossed her car's path on Cemetery Road south of Severance.

The incident occurred at 7 p.m. Jan. 4. Somerville was not injured.

A deer was struck and killed Sunday night after it ran into the path of a car driven by a Caro man.

According to Tuscola County Sheriff's reports, the incident occurred at 10:40 p.m. on Deckerville Road, east of Kingston Road.

A car driven eastbound on Deckerville by Henry James Sherman, 33, of 1095 E. Riley Road, apparently could not avoid the deer on icy pavement after the animal jumped into the car's path. Sherman was not injured in the incident, according to the reports.

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New trash disposal system finds favor with residents

One year ago, on Jan. 1, revised methods of handling trash were made necessary because burning was banned in the village and the Cass City landfill was closed.

The new regulations were viewed with apprehension by many who felt that it would be at the very least an expensive nuisance and feared that trash removal would become a major hassle.

But after a year under the new system, most appear to have adjusted and find it more satisfactory than previous removal methods.

Depending on the place they live, families have developed various methods of removal.

In Cass City, of course, there is no choice for residential home-owners. Trash is picked up on Mondays for $2.50 per month and the fee is charged with the water bill.

Arlan Hartwick, who lives in the village, said that he was doubtful about the change when it was proposed. Now, "I really like it." Everything you don't want gets picked up and it isn't necessary to burn, he added.

Village homes probably get the best service at the least cost. Village businesses, which aren't regulated by a contract, do not fare nearly as well.

At the Chronicle, there is a pick up twice a week for a maximum of eight bags of trash and the $25 monthly fee was raised to $30. That's more than 10 times the cost that home residents pay for perhaps four times as much refuse.

Township residents don't do as well as village property owners either, However, most appear to be happy with the system.

ELKLAND TOWNSHIP

Supervisor Dave Milligan said that he hasn't heard anything from township people about the service. No news is good news, he added.

"We're satisfied with the system," said Mrs. Howard Muntz, who lives in Elkland township. It costs us $5 per month and we have it picked up. That's better than it was when we took the trash to the landfill ourselves and burned the paper, she feels.

One Elkland Township resident said that his trash was burned and buried on the farm.

ELLINGTON TOWNSHIP

In Ellington Township, Clayton Turner, clerk, said that he and five neighbors have solved their problem. We live within a half mile of each other and we have one dumpster for all of us to use, he explained. It costs about $5.00 per month and it's 100 percent better than the old system.

Turner couldn't say how others in the township were solving the problem, but hasn't received any complaints.

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP

In Novesta Township, the consensus is that it's working well, but changes could be made.

Supervisor Bill O'Dell said that he has received calls concerning the times that the dumpster the township provides is open. We are open one day a month now and twice a month in the summer, he points out. I'm going to suggest to the township board that we open two days a month year round.

The new system is a savings to the township compared to the fee we paid Cass City when the landfill was open, he concluded.

Scott Hartwick, 22, a Novesta resident, said that the new system, all things considered, was probably the best.

He uses a disposal company and says that the new system costs more money.

ELMWOOD TOWNSHIP

In Elmwood Township, the Ben Hobarts have solved their problem in unique fashion. They live in Elmwood Township, but also own land in Columbia Township and pay taxes there.

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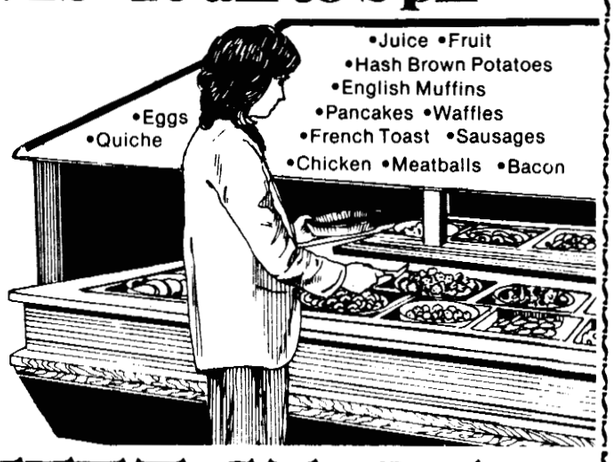

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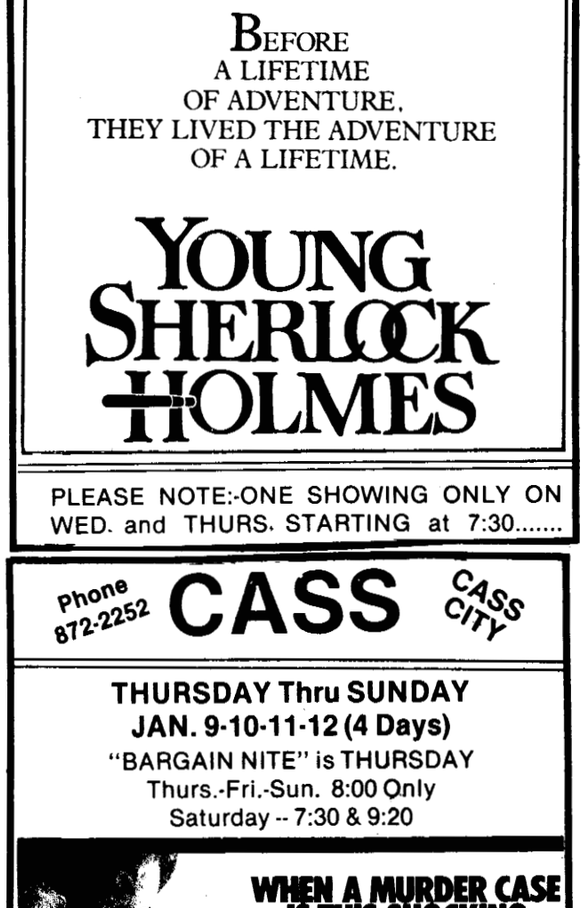

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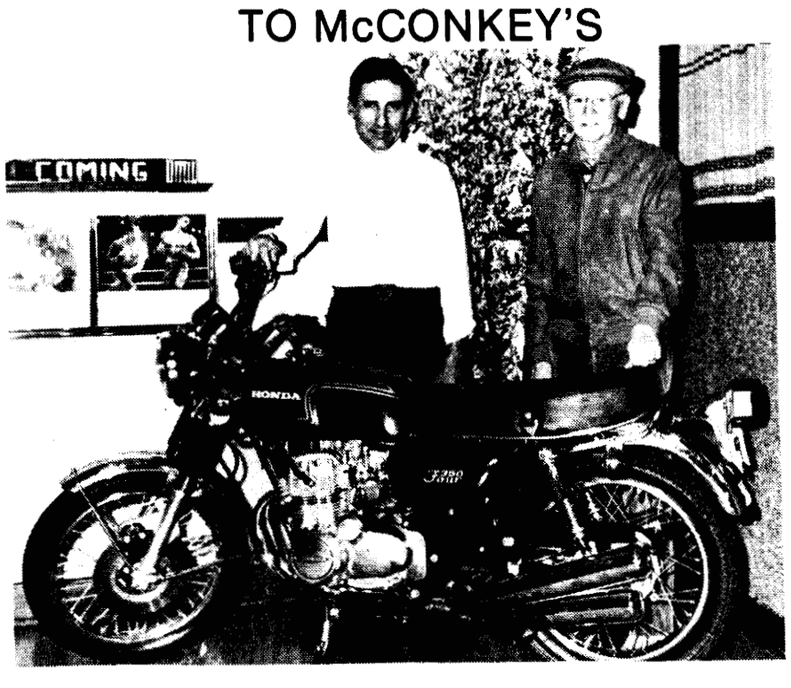

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Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Glaza.

Bob Leslie of Snover, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gibbard of Bad Axe were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard, Karen and Kathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Briolet, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kincaid, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Janowiak, Mr. and Mrs. Joe VanErp, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. John Cieslinski, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Pauvalowski, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Walsh, Roger Bouck, Rev. Patton, Dan Lackowski, Alvin Pollum, Steve Shemka, Kathryn Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson, Ray Michalski, Glen Shagena, Jack Tyrrell, Bob and Daryl Sweeney, Lucy Ricker, Kim Walsh, John Maurer, Max Koch, Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff, Lorene Bowron, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griggs, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey, Duane Colby, Pvt. Ed Robinson of Fort Lewis, Wash., and Annette Robinson of Warren visited Cliff Robinson while he was a patient in Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe.

Bonnie Spencer of Lakewood, Calif., and Mrs. Lynn Spencer were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mrs. John Naples and Jack of East Detroit spent from Friday till Monday and Janice Naples of East Detroit and a friend spent from Saturday till Monday with Mrs. Louis Naples.

Kathryn Tyrrell, Brenda and Carrie spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Rufino Labra at Coopersville and visited Mr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Bermiller and family at Midland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena at Sebewaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel and Marney and Lois Cardenas had New Year's dinner at the Linden Hoff in Bay City.

Mrs. Earl Schenk was a Sunday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Schenk and Beth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sharrow and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stirrett in Bad Axe.

Paul Martin of Long Island City, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Orb Czewski were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krug. Edanna Sweeney and David were New Year's night guests.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Pontiac went home after spending two weeks with Mrs. Alex Cleland, Carol Laming and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr.

Mr.and Mrs. Maynard Huff of Bad Axe were New Year's Eve guests of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Bonnie Spencer left Tuesday to return to Lakewood, Calif., after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

Edanna Sweeney and Reva Silver attended the Fraser Presbyterian Church dinner Thursday, in honor of Reva Silver's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shoemaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson and daughters and a friend from Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, Connie and Vicky from Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor and Danny of Minden City, Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and family were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson.

Bob Andersen of Wayne and Mrs. Earl Schenk spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schenk and sons at Tucson, Ariz.

Marty Chocley returned home after spending four days with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford and Don Jackson were New Year's evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan McCarty visited Bill Sweeney, Edanna Sweeney and David, New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dickens and Debbie of Warren spent Tuesday and New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and family. Other New Year's Eve guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Laba and daughter of Elkton.

Mrs. Louis Naples spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wietek in Detroit and visited Mr. and Mrs. William Hancock in Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. John Naples and family in East Detroit.

Kathryn Tyrrell attended a New Year's Eve party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Osentoski.

Marney Konkel spent from Friday till Sunday with Tammy Bock.

Mrs. Earl Schenk visited Beatrice Hundersmarck in Bad Axe Monday forenoon.

Brent Jackson of Harbor Beach spent eight days with Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Osentoski were New Year's supper guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gravenmier and Jesse of St. Clair, Jay McClusky of Houghton and Kip Wills of Ann Arbor were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer. Other evening guests were Cadet Dale Cleland of New York and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland.

Larry Silver, Lindsay and Tiffany of Bay City and Beverly Rockefeller were New Year's Day dinner guests of Reva Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gibbard and family and Dan Taylor were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard and family.

Bertha Shagena of Cass City was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Kathryn Tyrrell, Brenda and Carrie were Christmas Day dinner guests of Jim Tyrrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson had dinner New Year's Eve at Ubly Heights Country Club in Ubly.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker were Friday evening guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser.

Tom Morell, Linda Jackson, Melissa, Jason and Jimmy Jackson visited Don Jackson and Mrs. George Jackson New Year's Day.

Doug Sweeney of East Lansing, Suzanne Booms of Saginaw, Lynette and Dean Booms who attend Saginaw Valley Community College, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Booms and family of Harbor Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sweeney and family of Ubly, Dan Ritter of Elkton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney and family were late Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kanaby, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Walsh, Pete Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shoemaker and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar were among a group who shivareed Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Walsh Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena had dinner at the Franklin Inn in Bad Axe Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Hunt's birthday.

Julie and Philip Miller of Cass City were afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel and Marney and Lois Cardenas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Anderseri of Brighton spent the week end with Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Clara Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Pontiac was a New Year's Eve guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace and family.

Mrs. Bob Swackhamer, Jody Streussnig, Doris Kinney and Clayton Campbell were Monday guests of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Mary Lou Spencer returned to Ypsilanti after spending a couple days with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pearce and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Pearce and family of Wyandotte, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stinko of Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bailey and family of Mio, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and Agnes were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Marks and family at Milan and were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Dickens and Debbie and Mr. and Mrs. Danny LeGare at Warren.

Don Dean of Carsonville, Bob Leslie of Snover, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gibbard and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard Jr. and family of Bad Axe were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard and girls.

Greg Vargo of Vulcan in the Upper Peninsula, Howard Sweeney of Deckerville, Ira Robinson of Roseville, Mr. and Mrs. Don Thanes of Caro and Rev. and Mrs. Richard Turner visited Cliff Robinson at Bay Medical Center.

Mrs. Earl Schenk spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Andersen and family at Wayne and a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Andersen and family at Brighton where she was a Christmas dinner guest.

Mrs. Hiram Keyser, Mrs. Curtis Cleland, Mrs. Lynn Spencer and Mrs. Jim Doerr were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mrs. Melvin Particka.

Mrs. George Jackson and Don were New Year's night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and Dan.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney, and Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sweeney, Horace Croft, Mr. and Mrs. Allen McCarty and Bill Sweeney attended the funeral of John Sweeney at St. Clements Catholic Church at Romeo at 12 o'clock Saturday. Burial was in an Allenton Cemetery.

Evans Gibbard was a Monday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Barber Sr. at Royal Oak.

Cleatus Howey and Tom Kolar went to the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home to pay respects to Elsie Roback of Argyle Sunday evening.

Terry Wills of Ypsilanti, Harlan Dickinson of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor and Danny of Minden City, Bob Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, Connie and Vicky, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griggs, Roger Kincaid and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Soule of Sebewaing were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Marty Chocley and Katha Cleland of Rocheste Cadet Dale Cleland of West Point, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and Beth Ann and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were New Year's taco supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford returned home after spending 10 days at their home here.

Sally and Wayne Sweeney were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson and daughters of Homer and Mr. and Mrs. James Gage and family of Goodrich were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar.

Gregory and Mike Moore of Snover were New Year's Eve overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard and family.

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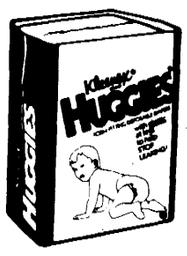
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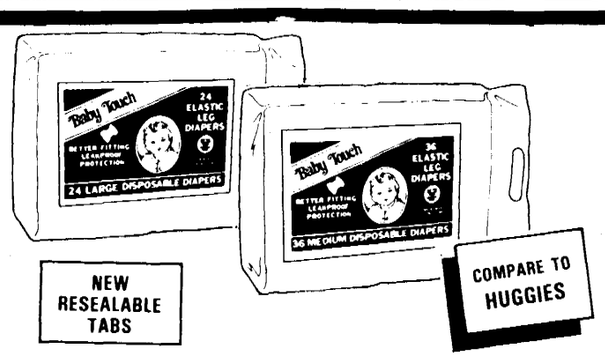

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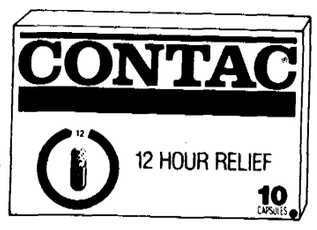

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Thumb Singles

The Polkalodians will entertain when the YMCA Thumb Singles Club holds its next party. It will be at the Sandusky Maple Valley Elementary School Saturday, Jan. 11, from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

Refreshments will be served and guests are welcome.

HEALTH TIPS

Exercise helps curb those winter blahs

Are you suffering from the winter blahs? You know, the feeling you get when you sit inside your house doing nothing but wait for the spring thaw. Well, sit no longer. Instead, get out and exercise!

"There's no need to let winter stop your exercise routine," said Dr. Joseph Rogers, chairman of the exercise committee of the American Heart Association of Michigan. "Exercise is a lifetime commitment...a commitment that will be easier if you select an exercise you really enjoy.

"When you decide to start a regular exercise program, particularly if your lifestyle has been sedentary, check with your doctor. He or she will help you find a program which suits your needs and your physical condition. You may be given an exercise tolerance test to determine your present capabilities and to identify potential hazards.

"Chances are, if you're in good health, your physician will recommend a program of frequent, ongoing exercise," Dr. Rogers said. "If you should choose an aerobic activity-that is, one which is rhythmic, repetitive, involves motion and the use of large muscles, and challenges the circulatory system, aerobic exercise significantly increases blood flow for an extended period, and promotes cardiovascular (heart and lung) fitness (which means you can exercise for longer periods without undue fatigue and respond to sudden physical or emotional demands more readily and with less stress). An added plus is the sense of well-being you'll gain.

"Activities often recommended include walking, jogging, swimming, roller skating, rope jumping, and active sports and games. All of these can be done indoors during the cold weather months," Dr. Rogers said.

"A natural way to enjoy the beauty of winter is to select an outdoor activity. It might be cross country skiing, ice skating, hockey, or jogging. They're all aerobic exercise.

"If you decide to exercise outdoors, you should observe some special precautions. Be sure to dress properly, wearing layers of light clothing instead of one heavy layer, and wear a hat and a scarf. Fifty to eighty percent of your body heat is lost through your head and neck in temperatures of 40 degrees or less. You might want to consider wrapping a scarf across your mouth too. It will help protect your lungs from excessive cold as your breathing increases during exercise," Dr. Rogers said.

"If you really don't like the cold, there are plenty of activities you can enjoy indoors. Swimming is a popular sport that can be enjoyed through community education classes, your local YWCA or YMCA, or open swim times at the community pool.

"Swimming tones muscles, increases stamina, and works the major muscles of the body. The resistance of the water is equivalent to exercising with weights, which adds to the balanced muscle strength. Because of the reduction of stress on the body, elderly people and those with joint problems, such as arthritis, may enjoy swimming without discomfort.

"Another great indoor activity is walking. Many people enjoy the comfort of walking in shopping malls during the colder months. Some malls even have organized walking clubs. Walking doesn't require any special equipment or clothing, just a comfortable pair of shoes," Dr. Rogers said.

"And remember, lack of exercise is only one possible factor leading to heart disease. If you ignore the other major risk factors, such as high blood pressure, a high cholesterol level and cigarette smoking, exercise alone probably won't help much. It's only one factor in a total program of cardiovascular health.

"If you are going to participate in an exercise program, be sure you know the warning signs of heart attack. They include: an uncomfortable pressure, fullness, squeezing or pain in the center of your chest behind your breastbone. The sensation may spread to your shoulders, neck or arm, and may last for two minutes or more. The pain may go away then return. Severe pain, dizziness, fainting, sweating, nausea or shortness of breath may also occur but are not always present," Dr. Rogers said.

For more information on exercise and your heart, call your local office of the American Heart Association of Michigan. Related booklets include: "E is for Exercise;" "Walking for a Healthy Heart;" "Swimming for a Healthy Heart," and "Skating for a Healthy Heart."

The American Heart Association of Michigan is a United Way Agency.

Lonnie Wilson CMU grad

Lonnie G. Wilson of Gagetown was a December graduate of Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant.

She received a Bachelor of Science degree in biology and minored in public health education and health promotion.

A 1981 graduate of Cass City High School, she is the daughter of George and Glenda Wilson of Gagetown.

Huron DHIA annual meet

The annual meeting of the Huron County Dairy Herd Improvement Association will be Wednesday, Jan. 8, at 12:00 noon at the Rapson Sportsman's Club, Rapson.

"The annual meeting is the general membership's opportunity for input into the organization," says Andy Sommers, Extension Agricultural Agent. "It is also the time we recognize outstanding herd performance."

The day will feature not only the dinner and business meeting but several awards as well. There will be speakers from the state DHIA board and staff. The featured speaker will be Jimmy LaVoie, Executive Director of Huron ASCS. His topic will be the "New Farm Bill."

Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

Heather LeAnn Sowden, daughter of Donald and Gwen Sowden of Deford, was the first baby born at Hills and Dales Hospital in 1981. Mrs. Sowden gave birth to the eight-pound, 12-ounce girl at 6:09 a.m. Friday.

Thirty women attended the January meeting of Trinity United Methodist Women Monday noon in the church dining room. Group No. 1 with Mrs. James Baker and Mrs. Edward Baker served the luncheon. New president Mary Rexin presided over the business meeting. Mrs. John Marshall was in charge of the pledge service.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and family attended the Behr Christmas dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Deering at Mayville.

Damage has been estimated at between $100,000 and $200,000 in a fire that destroyed a farm storage and workshop building and its contents on the Alvin Seurynck farm west of Gagetown Monday afternoon. Contents included a combine, semi-truck and trailer and stake truck. The 40-by-80 building was about five years old.

TEN YEARS AGO

Ron Crandell was among those who attended the Orange Bowl football game in Miami, Fla.

Five Republicans and one Democrat will vie for three seats on the Gagetown village council. The Republicans include incumbents LeRoy Stapleton and Harry King. Others in the race are Richard Carroll, Charles Wright and William Downing. The lone Democrat in the race is John M. Rinke. Trustee Richard Burdon did not seek re-election.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Partlo and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Partlo and children of Akron were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Loomis and family.

Fire did approximately $500 damage to a car owned by Eugene Kaake, Gagetown, on Kingston Road south of Deford, late Monday afternoon. The fire began when the car apparently backfired.

25 YEARS AGO

The first baby of the new year born to parents who live in the Cass City area arrived at Cass City Hospital at 10:44 a.m. Jan. 1. The boy, David J., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker of Cass City.

Bruce E. Field was recently promoted to Guided Missileman 3rd Class Petty Officer. He had a 13-day Christmas leave and spent it with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker and girls spent Thursday evening at the Steve Decker home after the Wickware School Christmas program. Mrs. Steve Decker also attended the program.

Girl Scout Troop 52 elected officers at their Jan. 5 meeting. Vickie Morrison is president; Shirley Neal, vice-president; Gayle Rabideau, secretary, and Barbara Bliss, treasurer.

35 YEARS AGO

Fifty attended the special meeting of Echo Chapter, OES, here Wednesday evening when chapter officers conferred the degrees of the order on Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murphy. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. George Dillman, Mrs. R.M. Taylor, Mrs. Ralph Youngs, Mrs. Vera Harrison and Mrs. Ray Boughton.

Sixty-five persons were registered as new patrons of the Cass City Public Library during 1950, according to Mrs. Arthur Little, librarian. A total of $114.82 was received in fines and fees.

Cass City cagers won their fourth game of the basketball season Friday night when they defeated Unionville 49 to 36. Tim Burdon was the top scorer with 23 points followed by Lee Hartel with 7 points.

Manly Fay, who attends Alma College, was home with his parents for the New Year's vacation.

Mrs. Sherwood Rice Jr., invited several girls to her home Sunday afternoon to help her daughter, Cheri, celebrate her birthday.

Writer's Club to hold meet

The next meeting of the Thumb Area Writer's Club will be held Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanilac County Cooperative Extension Center, 37 Austin Street, Sandusky.

For more information about the club or for a monthly theme list to submit material for THUMBPRINTS, the club's newsletter for writers, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to TAWC, P.O. Box 27, Sandusky, Mich. 48471.

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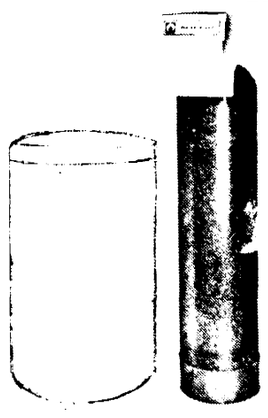

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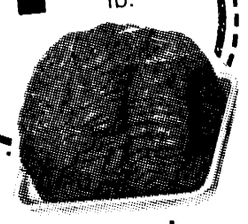

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2% MILK ½ gal. 99¢
Orange JUICE 79¢ qt.
Grapefruit JUICE 79¢ qt.
8 oz. YOGURT 2/88¢
Mountain Dew, Pepsi Light
Pepsi Free, Sugar Free Pepsi Free
Regular and Diet
PEPSI
8 pk. ½ Liter Bottles $1.99 Plus Dep.
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Michigan - 10 lb. bag Potatoes 49¢
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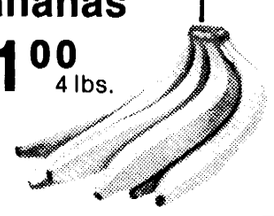

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Cass City Bowling Leagues

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "A"
Dec. 30, 1985

Kingston IGA	32
Charmont	31
Milletics Surveying	27
B.A. Calka	24
Kermit's Crushers	21
Larry's Car Wash	21
D & F Signs	18
Mr. Kelly's Market	13
Hillaker Auct. Serv.	12
Maurer Construction	11

High Series: M. Lutz 627, T. Furness 609, L. Tomaszewski 605, K. Martin Jr. 599, J. Fox 583, J. Houghton 567, J. Scheier 565, N. Holdburg 561, R. Spaulding 558, N. Willy 558, G. Pattullo 556, C. Comment 555, G. Benaruder 554, J. McIntosh 550.

High Games: M. Lutz 257, N. Willy 249, G. Pattullo 244, K. Martin Jr. 237, L. Tomaszewski 235, J. Houghton 233, T. Furness 232, G. Benaruder 226, R. Nicholas 225, J. Fox 213-211.

High Team Series: B.A. Calka 2990.

High Team Game: B.A. Calka 1091.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "B"
Dec. 30, 1985

Doerr Farms	30
Cass City IGA	26
D & D Construction	24
Deford Country Grocery	22
Kilbourn Tech Supply	22
Frank's Maxi Muffler	20
Miller Eggs, Inc.	19
Blue Harvestor	19
Kelly & Co.	14
Warju Flooring	14

High Series: D. Roth 637, D. Miller 596, J. Doerr 563.

High Games: D. Roth 243, Jim Baker Jr. 219, D. Doerr 212.

High Team Series: Miller Eggs, Inc. 2801.

High Team Game: Deford Country Grocery 1013.

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE
Jan. 2, 1986

Paul's	4
Deering Farms	3
Family Circus	3
Pin Pals	3
Floppettes	1
Miss Fitts	1
Rosie's Roses	1
Fed. Land Bank	0

High Game: M. Horne 196.

High Series: M . Horne 555.

High Team Game: Rosie's Roses 809.

High Team Series: Deering Farms 2310.

THURSDAY NITE TRIO
Jan. 2, 1986

Circle S	19
Rabideau Inc.	18
Anthony	15
Croft-Clara	15
Pine Valley	15
USWA Local 6222	15
J & J Service	14
Northon	14
Nelesco	13
Jacques Seed	12
Martin Electric	11
Three R's	7

High Series: D. O'Dell 610, R. Root 585, R. Nicholas 583.

High Game: D. O'Dell 231-215, R. Root 214.

High Team Series: Rabideau Inc. 1614.

High Team Game: Croft-Clara 585.

FRIDAY NIGHT DOUBLES
Jan. 3, 1986

The Family	5
All Wrights	5
Cass City VFW	5
Chums	5
Four of Us	5
Roadrunners	4
K.P.'s	3
Incredibles	2
Colwood Bar	2
Happy H's	2
B.B. & The Boys	2
Bee Gees	2

Men's High Series: R. Koch 538.

Men's High Game: N. Holdburg, R. Koch, B. Soldan 215, Keith Frappart 210.

Women's High Series: N. Rabideau 515.

Women's High Game: N. Rabideau 200.

High Team Series: All Wrights 1905.

High Team Game: All Wrights 664.

SUNDAY'S DIRTY DOZEN
Dec. 29, 1985

Ten Pins	25
Laurie Acres	21
Sandcastles	20
Charmont	19
Fearless Four	18
Sandbaggers	18
Misfits	17½
Bluelight Special	17
Special Blend	17
Skoal Bandits	15½
J.J. Flooring	15
Goslin Farms	13

Men's High Series: D. Doerr 567.

Men's High Games: G. Schlicht 222, D. Doerr 212.

Women's High Series: B. Fischer 479.

Women's High Game: B. Fischer 188.

High Team Series: Special Blend 1807.

High Team Game: Special Blend 658.

MERCHANETTE LEAGUE
Jan. 2, 1986

Charmont	16
Cass City Sports	15
Kritzman's	15
Esther's Health Spa	15
Chemical Bank	14
Walbro	13
Kar Mikel's	13
Herron Builders	13
Leiterman Builders	12
Anrod Screen Cyl.	9
Miller's Chicks	5
IGA Foodliner	4

High Team Series: Charmont 2352.

High Team Game: Charmont 813.

500 Series: J. Morell 540, Phyllis McIntosh 535, M. Kerbyson 520, L. Selby 511, Pat McIntosh 506, J. Steadman 502.

200 Games: Pat McIntosh 205, J. Morell 204, L. Hugo 202.

Pfc. A. Lefler at communication school in Calif.

Marine Pfc. Aaron T. Lefler, son of Robert and Doris Lefler of 8254 Van Dyke, Cass City, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

AARON T. LEFLER

During the 11-week training cycle, Lefler was taught the basics of battlefield survival and was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment.

A 1985 graduate of Cass City High School, he is attending communication school at 29 Palms, Cal.

AROUND THE FARM

Urge RUP certification

By Bill Bortel

Restricted Use Pesticides (RUP's) must be applied by or under the direct supervision of a person currently certified by the Michigan Department of Agriculture to use RUP's. This RUP use practice is going to be closely scrutinized by U.S. EPA and State Lead Agency enforcement personnel, primarily because there are a number of applicators who are bending the meaning of "under the direct supervision."

It should be remembered that the use of any pesticide, especially a RUP, entails a significant amount of responsibility and liability. One point that EPA stresses is that the liability for any violations committed by a non-certified person using a RUP is the responsibility of the certified applicator under whose "direct supervision" the non-certified person is working. Ignorance of the legal use of a pesticide is not an acceptable defense.

To overcome such liability risks, it would seem wise and prudent for any business (farm, nursery, lawn care service, PCO operation, etc.) to have all employees knowledgeable in the correct and legal use of pesticides. The best way to have trained and knowledgeable personnel is to have them go through the Education - Certification process offered by the Cooperative Extension Service and the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

"The Tuscola training workshop will be held Thursday, Feb. 6, 10:30 a.m., followed by the test at 1:30 p.m. Both the workshop and test will be held at the Extension Office meeting room (Civil Defense Center) in Caro," states Bill Bortel, Tuscola County Cooperative Extension Service Director.

ORDINANCE NO. 122

AN ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF COMPENSATION FOR THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT AND FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL.

The Village of Cass City ordains:

Section 1. The President of the Village of Cass City shall be paid the sum of Forty Dollars ($40.00) for each council meeting attended, but not to exceed the sum of Six Hundred Dollars ($600.00) in any one year.

Section 2. The members of the Village Council of the Village of Cass City shall each be paid the sum of Thirty Dollars ($30.00) for each council meeting attended, but not to exceed the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($450.00) in any one year.

Passed, adopted and approved at the regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Cass City on the 30th day of December, 1985.

Ray Armstead Jr., President

Joyce A. LaRoche, Clerk

School menus

ELEMENTARY

Jan. 13-17

MONDAY

Cheesy Macaroni or
Hot Dogers on Bun
Greenie Beanies
Fruit
Milk
Surprise

TUESDAY

Pizza or
Cheesy Macaroni
Sweet Peas
Chilled Pears
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Waffles/Sausage or
Hamburger on Bun
Tasty Tato Tots
Fruit Juice
Milk

THURSDAY

Sloppy Joe on Bun or
Grilled Cheese
Vegetable
Michigan Applesauce
Milk

FRIDAY

Super Sub or
Sloppy Joe on Bun
Creamy Coleslaw
Peachy Peaches
Choco-chip Cookie
Milk

SECONDARY

JAN. 13-17

MONDAY

Cheesy Macaroni or
Hot Dog on Bun
Whole Green Beans
Fruit
Milk

TUESDAY

Crispito/Cheese
Cheesy Macaroni
Sweet Peas
Chilled Pears
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Waffles & Sausage
or Hawkburger
Crunchy Tato Tots
Fruit Juice
Milk

THURSDAY

Sloppy Joe on Bun
or Hot Dog on Bun
Vegetable
Michigan Applesauce
Milk

FRIDAY

Super Sub or
Sloppy Joe on Bun
Creamy Coleslaw
Peaches
Milk
Choco-chip Cookie

Sr. Citizens Menu

Senior citizens are asked to make reservations on the day of the meal between 8 a.m.-9 a.m. by calling Lottie Konwalski 872-2845 or Commission on Aging 872-4770.

FRIDAY, JAN. 10

Oven Baked Chicken
Parslied Potatoes
Cauliflower with Cheese Sauce
Hot Rolls/Butter
Cherry Tart
Coffee, Tea, Milk

MONDAY, JAN. 13

Spaghetti & Meat Sauce
Italian Blend Vegetables
Salad Bar
Italian Bread/Butter
Baked Apples
Milk, Coffee, Tea

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 15

Breaded Veal Cutlet
Scalloped Potatoes
Peas
Corn Bread/Butter
Plums
Milk, Coffee, Tea

The Regular Meeting of Village Council

The regular meeting of the Cass City Village Council was held Dec. 30, 1985 at 7:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building. All Trustees were present with the exception of Trustee McIntosh.

As advertised a Public Hearing was opened concerning the 1986 budget. Hearing no objections the hearing was closed.

The minutes of the regular November and special meeting of Dec. 14, 1985 were approved as presented.

A motion was made by Trustee Hopper and supported by Trustee Weaver to enter into an executive session to discuss the recommendations of the Public Safety and Personnel Committee for the proposed 1986 Employee Wage and Fringe package. Roll Call Vote: Davis-yea, Helwig-yea, Armstead-yea, Stahlbaum-yea, Hopper-yea, Weaver-yea. Motion carried 6 yeas, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Helwig and supported by Trustee Hopper to adopt the revised 1985 budget. Motion carried 6 yeas, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Stahlbaum and supported by Trustee Hopper to adopt the proposed 1986 Budget Summary. Motion carried 6 yeas, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Stahlbaum and supported by Trustee Weaver that the bills be approved as presented. Motion carried 6 yeas, 0 nays. Roll Call Vote: Armstead-yea, Helwig-yea, Davis-yea, Hopper-yea, Stahlbaum-yea, Weaver-yea.

A motion was made by Trustee Hopper and supported by Trustee Weaver that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried 6 yeas, 0 nays.

Joyce A. LaRoche
Village Clerk

4th program on chemical dependency

One out of every three people in the United States is affected by someone's use of alcohol or other drugs. Virtually, all of us know people who are suffering because someone about whom they care drinks too much.

The more we know about the disease of chemical dependency, the better we are able to help those about whom we care.

As the fourth program in its Community Awareness Series, Hills and Dales General Hospital's ADEC Project presents the award winning film, "If You Loved Me." The film and a discussion of family issues will be held 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Rawson Memorial Library in Cass City Monday, Jan. 13.

Refreshments will be provided by the Cass City Business and Professional Women.

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Final game in series

Red Hawks routed by 'Muth to start new year with thud

All the elements for a blow out were present Friday when the Cass City Red Hawks played the Eagles at Frankenmuth.

The Eagles were bigger, much bigger than the Hawks.

Cass City was playing without two of its starters.

Frankenmuth was quick, talented and experienced. It was an all senior outfit that played most of the game against Cass City.

Couple these advantages with Frankenmuth's withdrawal from the Hawks' schedule next year and you can see that there was no reason for Coach "Whitey" Wilson to hold back his horses and he didn't.

The score was 92-49. The 'Muth regulars were pulled in the final quarter. Meanwhile, Coach Ron Nurnberger was playing everybody after it became apparent midway in the second period that the Eagles were going to win.

Nurnberger said that this year's Eagle team is the quickest that he has faced since he became a coach at Cass City.

The Eagles also have good size with Matt Bronner, 6-4, and Tim Crawford, 6-4, to control the boards. Crawford is one of the premier players in the area. He's an excellent ball handler and shooter and controls the flow of the game for Frankenmuth.

The Eagles out rebounded Cass City, 40-22.

There wasn't much to the game. With absolute control of the boards, Frankenmuth most times just kept shooting until the ball went in.

The winners jumped off to a 10-2 lead in the first 3½ minutes and never looked back.

At the end of the quarter it was 22-11. Crawford took personal control of the 'Muth offense in the second period, whipping in nine points and helped with the Eagle press that resulted in frequent Cass City turnovers. Also helping make the press effective was Randy Smith, a quick guard.

Crawford also paced the Eagle attack in the third quarter with four baskets and two free throws. He netted 25 points in just three quarters of play. The Hawks were led by Dan Ware with 10 points and Steve Ross with 9 points.

When the Frankenmuth regulars took the bench after three periods the Hawks trailed, 73-35.

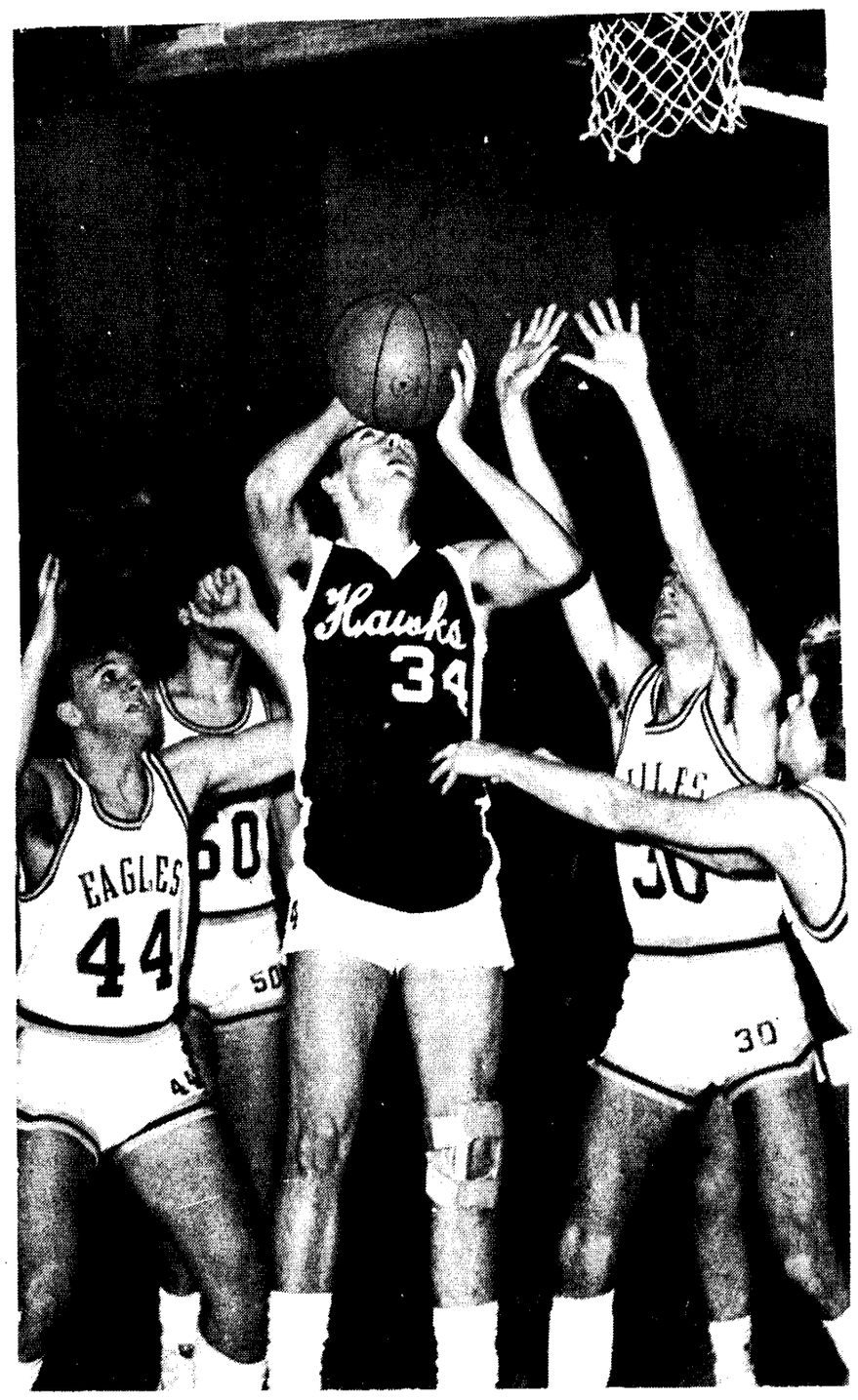
Cass City was forced to play without Kurt Bliss who still is nursing his broken hand. Mike Kelley made only a token appearance because of illness.

JV'S LOSE

Frankenmuth made it a clean sweep over the Hawks with a 59-52 decision in a close well played game.

Cass City	FG	FT	PTS
Peters	-	5-8	5
Lefler	-	1-2	1
McPhail	3	-	6
Suzor	1	2-3	4
Adams	2	1-1	5
Ross	3	3-4	9
Ware	3	4-6	10
Miller	-	6-7	6
Kelley	2		4
Hyatt	1	-	2
	16	22-31	49

'Muth	FG	FT	PTS
Crawford	11	3-3	25
Gemske	2	6-7	10
Bronner	5	5-6	15
Smith	3	2-2	8
Wright	5	1-1	11
Chautolois	1	1-1	3
Jackman	2	0-1	4
Heinkin	1	-	2
Keinerd	1	-	2
Russell	1	-	2
Torres	3	-	6
Kraumer	1	-	2
Showermain	-	2-3	2
	36	20-28	92



SURROUNDED BY FRANKENMUTH Eagles was Dan Ware. The host Eagles dominated the boards and dominated the game while posting an easy victory in the nonconference tilt.

Bulldogs spike way to Early Bird sweep

Owen-Gage started the volleyball season on a bright note by sweeping to the championship in the Early Bird Tournament at North Huron Friday, Dec. 27.

The Bulldogs won all four of the matches played without losing a game. In the opening round, Harbor Beach fell, 15-10 and 15-5. Ubly fell in the second match played, 15-9 in both games. Port Hope was the victim in the last two matches, 15-3 and 15-8, and 15-11 and 15-8.

Leading point getters for Owen-Gage were Cindy Enderle and Susie Salcido. Enderle accounted for 34 points and Salcido, 28. Salcido had 22 kill spikes and 34 good spikes. Janie Billy produced 9 kills and 14 good spikes.

Leading setters for the Bulldogs were Barb Hellebuyck with 39 and Marsha Lopez, 23 sets.

There were seven teams in the tournament. In addition to the teams that faced the Bulldogs, North Huron, Kingston and Akron-Fairgrove competed.

The Bulldogs will now be idle until Jan. 13.

Program offers senior residents heating help

For needy area residents who may be facing the choice of eating or heating this winter, the Human Development Commission is again offering assistance to persons who are finding it difficult or impossible to pay heating costs.

Pat Christie, HDC's community services coordinator, explained the program is designed to help people who earn less than 125 percent of federal poverty guidelines, and pay at least 12 percent of their income for heating.

The maximum payment is $200 which is designed to cover heating costs for one month. "At least it gets them that one fuel bill covered," Christie said. "We assume we are paying for the month of January."

For a family of three, the poverty level is $11,063. To meet the 12 percent income heating requirement, that household must have spent $1,327 on heating costs over the last 12 months. The poverty level for a family of four is $13,313, and the 12 percent heating expense requirement is $1,597. The poverty level for a six-member family is $17,813, and the 12 percent heating expense requirement is $2,137.

Christie said the program does not require persons who earn less than 75 percent of federal poverty guidelines to spend 12 percent of their income on heating costs. She explained people with very low incomes tend to spend only a small amount on heating.

"The very low income bracket persons that we tend to help are either senior citizen couples or a one-person household that is just getting by on social security," Christie said.

Statistics from 1983 show persons 60 years old or older spend as much as 25 percent of their total income to keep warm. Christie explained the elderly generally have a lower income level than other persons, and their houses are older, making heating more difficult. She added that generally the elderly like to keep a warmer house.

Christie said last year 237 Tuscola County residents applied for assistance, and 165 received payments. She explained about 40 to 45 percent who did not qualify for the payments didn't meet the 12 percent heating requirement.

Christie added, if a person's heating bills are paid directly to a heating vendor by the Department of Social Services the person is not allowed into the HDC heating assistance program.

To fund the program, the HDC received $134,038 from the Department of Labor's Bureau of Community Services. The funds will be distributed to residents of Tuscola, Huron, Sanilac and Lapeer Counties on a first-come first-served basis. Last year, in the four-county area, 473 households received a heating assistance payment.

Applications for the heating assistance program will be accepted at the HDC office located at 429 Montague St., Caro.

Turnover happy Owen-Gage cagers lose (to Port) Hope

That old bugaboo of throwing the basketball away again plagued Owen-Gage last Friday, Jan. 3, and the Bulldogs dropped a 46-43 last-minute decision to Port Hope.

Dean Roller's cage squad lost the contest in the final seconds when Tim Murphy sank a pair of free throws to shatter a 43-43 tie. But the Bulldogs never should have had a challenge.

"Turnovers have really hurt us all year," Roller said of his team, now 2-6 overall and 1-4 in the North Central Thumb League. The Bulldogs committed 24 miscues in the game, which Roller said is the squad's average.

Leading 20-19 at intermission, Owen-Gage got rattled by the fast-breaking Port hope squad and was out-scored in the frame 12-7. But the Bulldogs came back, and led 43-41 with about one minute left, after junior guard Stu Stirrett banked in a glass shot.

Unfortunately for Roller and the Bulldogs, Owen-Gage would not again score.

Stirrett led Owen-Gage with 25 points and 12 rebounds in an outstanding performance. Junior forward Steve Root also hauled down 12 boards while junior guard Rick Salcido chipped in with 9 points.

In the junior varsity contest last Friday, Owen-Gage pounded Port Hope, 68-54.

The Bulldogs play at Akron-Fairgrove tonight (Tuesday), and then are idle until Tuesday, Jan. 14, when they host Ubly.

THUMB B ASSOCIATION
(Through Jan. 3)

	League		Overall	
Lakers	3	0	4	2
Cass City	2	1	4	2
Vassar	2	1	2	3
Bad Axe	2	1	2	4
North Branch	1	2	4	2
Marlette	1	2	2	3
Caro	1	2	1	4
Imlay City	0	3	0	4

FRIDAY'S GAMES

Marlette 98, CPS 38
North Branch 74, Brown City 65
Ubly 60, Lakers 58
Frankenmuth 92, Cass City 49

NORTH CENTRAL THUMB LEAGUE

Deckerville	4	0	5	1
North Huron	3	0	3	2
Caseville	3	1	5	1
Kingston	2	1	3	1
Peck	2	1	2	4
CPS	1	3	1	5
Owen-Gage	1	4	2	6
Port Hope	1	4	1	5
Akron-Fair.	0	3	0	5

Friday's Games

Kingston 59, Mayville 41
Harbor Beach 54, North Huron 50
Caseville 92, North Branch Academy 74
Yale 54, Peck 47
Port Hope 46, Owen-Gage 43
Reese 66, Akron-Fairgrove 40

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1980 Chevrolet Chevette 4 dr., auto. trans.	3795.00	3195.00
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1980 Pontiac LeMans 4 dr.	3495.00	2495.00
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SATURDAY
JANUARY 11
9 a.m. to noon

Please bring itemized total of your 1985 income including interest, dividends and Social Security. Also bring health/accident insurance premiums paid and your tax bills.

David Milligan
Elkland Township Supervisor

Obituaries

William J. LaFave

William (Jim) LaFave, a lifelong resident of Gagetown, died Thursday, Jan. 2, at Bay Medical Center in Bay City after a short illness.

He was born April 26, 1931, in Elmwood Township, the son of Roy and Dorothy Carolan LaFave. He married Miss Leona Himmel March 2, 1957, in Gagetown. A crop farmer, he had served with the United States Army Signal Corps. He was a member of St. Agatha Catholic Church of Gagetown.

Survivors include his wife, Lee; one daughter, Miss Corinne LaFave of Bay City; one son, William E. LaFave of Tucson, Ariz., and two sisters, Mrs. Marjorie Rice and Mrs. William (Marion) Stanton, both of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

A wake service was conducted Sunday evening at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City. Funeral mass was held Monday morning at St. Agatha Catholic Church of Gagetown, with Father William O'Shea of St. Michaels Catholic Church, Wilmot, officiating.

Interment was in St. Agatha Cemetery, Gagetown.

David M. Lalko

David Matthew Lalko, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lalko of Cass City, succumbed Thursday, Dec. 26, at Saginaw General Hospital.

He was born Dec. 25, 1985, in Saginaw, the son of Kenneth and Cynthia (Langmaid) Lalko.

He is also survived by two brothers, Adam and Russell, both at home; maternal grandparents, Ernest and Constance Schwaderer of Cass City; maternal grandfather, Robert Langmaid of Birch Run; paternal grandparents, John and Genevieve Lalko of Kingston, and maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Bartle of Cass City.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday from Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Rev. Clare Patton, pastor of Salem United Methodist Church of Cass City, officiating.

Burial was in Elkland Cemetery, Cass City.

Man questioned by village police

A Caro man, accused of jumping on top of the trunk and roof of a Caro couple's parked car, is being questioned by Cass City police.

The incident occurred at 2:15 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, on Leach Street south of Main Street.

Cass City police say the couple, who reside in Caro, were seated in the car when a fight broke out. The man being questioned then allegedly jumped on their late model Buick, causing damages.

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1986 brings new farm file policy

With the start of a new year, most farms will be closing out their production and accounting records for the 1985 production year. In the past, many farms have delayed the task of year-end accounting until the last day to file their income tax forms to finish last year's accounting.

"In today's farm business picture, a farm producer should not or cannot delay development of end of the year accounting," says Dennis Stein, Tuscola County Cooperative Extension Agricultural Agent. The need for utilizing your 1985 farm business production and financial information in the planning of 1986 cropping and livestock program is most important," says Stein. Without a clear picture of a farm business history, it is very difficult to identify the strong and weak parts of the farm business. For many farmers today, the task of record keeping and analysis of those records is very difficult to accomplish. With little to no training or education in financial analysis, the need to utilize outside resources becomes very real. For many farms, the lender has been this financial consultant in the past; however, today's farm financial and market outlook requires your resource person to have a strong understanding of farm production and practices to put the whole package together.

As managers of farm business, it has become important for each farm producer to become skilled in utilizing records to determine the profit making potential of each farm enterprise - crops, livestock and other money making activities on the farm. "Many farms must identify, now, the need for some changes that take advantage of the farm's greatest money making enterprises and work to stay away from or cut down areas that show a loss," says Stein. The development of a plan and the setting of current and long term goals for the farm business are vital to success in the future.

Even with tough times, a good percentage of farms are showing reasonable profits by making the best use of their resources. The idea that young farmers just starting out can't make it is not true. Starting out may mean plenty of hard work, and good planning will make the farm business in the future profitable. One source of financial and production information is the Cooperative Extension Service, which can tap into a vast number of resources to explore options for today and tomorrow's farm business.

Shabbona Area News

Marie Meredith Phone 672-9489

The families of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Behr gathered for a belated Christmas dinner Sunday, Dec. 29, at the Evergreen Town Hall in Shabbona. A cooperative dinner was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sprague of Bay Port, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Puterbaugh and family, Mrs. June Cherniawski and family and Miss Lana Puterbaugh were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh and Dalton.

The families of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Saturday evening Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mika. A cooperative supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hoagg of Northville for the holiday and visited with relatives in Norcross, GA.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Meredith visited Mrs. Glen Folkert in Bay City Saturday.

The Shabbona United Methodist Women will meet Wednesday evening, Jan. 8, with Mrs. Normaleen Root. The lesson will be by Mrs. Kay Severance. Members are to bring something for a white elephant sale.

Mrs. June Cherniawski and family and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Laura Cherniawski and family of Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mika were Monday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Tuesday afternoon callers of Mrs. Merle Dorman of Snover.

Larry Ferguson of Oak Beach was a Monday afternoon caller of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

Woody and Doug Powell spent a few days visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Meredith, and other relatives.

Brian Schember was a New Year's supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Auslander were Wednesday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

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LETTER TO EDITOR

Operator traded machines

Dear John and Dorothy,

There have been quite a few times when I have seen articles and occasionally errors in the paper that I have said I should write but haven't. But now I want to thank you for the "genius" statement in your Haire Net column - or does the phrase "with efficiency" eliminate me? The work I do now I traded the linotype for a typewriter - smaller key board, quieter and cleaner.

I should also include in this that after the State Cross Country Meet held in Cass City this fall - which Benzie Central won - one of the mothers remarked on what a well organized event it was - everything ran on time and very smooth - thought you'd like to hear that.

Hope you and yours have a Happy New Year.

As ever,
Donna (Ballard)

EDITOR'S NOTE: Donna Ballard was the linotype operator in 1951 when the publisher first arrived in Cass City. She ran the machine as fast as it could go which in the trade was known as "hanging" the machine. At the same time she would correct the copy as she was setting the type.

Many leaks

It has been estimated that as many as 350,000 of the nation's 1.2 million underground gas station storage tanks may leak within two years, reports National Wildlife magazine. A small leak of only one-and-a-half cups per hour can contaminate as much as a million gallons of ground water in one day.

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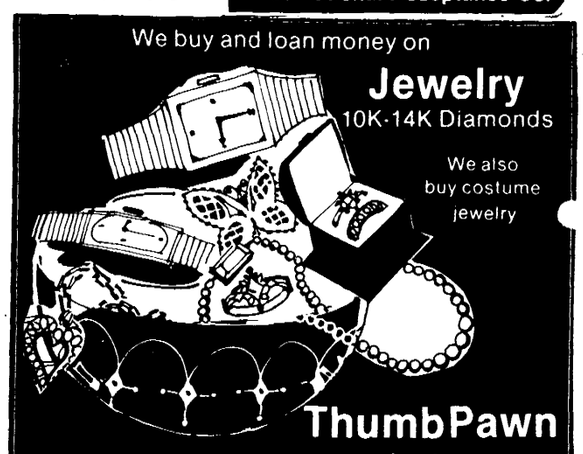
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THANK YOU to Dr. Martin, Hills and Dales Hospital staff, Fr. William O'Shea, Paul Megge, St. Michael Altar Society for the luncheon and all those who helped in any way at the time of the death of Tillie Kloc. The family. 13-1-8-1

I WOULD LIKE to thank all the staff of Hills and Dales General Hospital and Dr. Jeung for their tender loving care while I was in the hospital. Also Rev. Joe Robertson and Rev. Clare Patton and my family and friends for their visits, cards and gifts and for their prayers in my behalf. God bless you all. Doris Evens. 13-1-8-1

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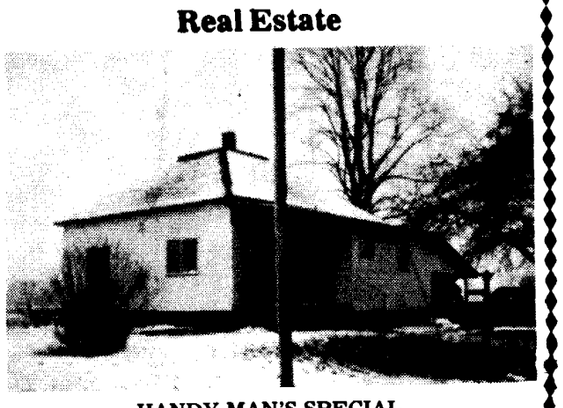

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Taking stock

By Bill Myers

Business editors are alarming investors that the new tax bill may take away the tax-exemption privilege of many issuers. Some say as much as 80 percent of bonds that have been qualifying as tax-free will be eliminated.

Not to worry, not to worry. Tax-frees you hold now would continue to be tax-exempt. If there was a real chance of their not being tax-free the market would reflect it, and actually municipals are selling today at quite high prices.

Some types of tax-frees could well be disqualified in the future, such as industrial development revenues, which are just a subsidy for any company that wants to expand. Why should McDonald's and Gannett newspapers get such a subsidy from the rest of us? Pollution control bonds issued by utilities are another subsidy to private business. Following the same reasoning, the government should subsidize your septic tank.

Should the government even consider stopping school districts from issuing tax-free bonds and there'd be a march on Washington not seen since Martin Luther King led his friends to the capital. The little units of government -- school districts, townships, counties and small towns and hospitals would have to pay a third more interest if the bonds they sold were taxable. Instead of 9 percent, they'd pay 12 percent. States would pay 11 percent instead of today's 8 percent tax-free rate.

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The latest wrinkle in municipal bonds is tax-free "Convertible Zero-coupons."

The highly-regarded municipal bond house of Gabriele, Hueglin & Cashman in New York regards them as the bargain of the year.

These hybrid bonds are long-term municipals which pay interest for anywhere from 10 to 15 years, and then convert to full coupon bonds, paying fat rates each year thereafter. The rates over-all are around a half percentage point above the regular bonds.

For example:

Maryland Health & Ed. Authority -- 0 percent bonds now selling to yield 9.75 percent tax free. July 1, 1997 they can be converted to a full coupon bond, worth par, and this will pay 9.75 percent in interest semi-annually until 2007. Bonds are an obligation of Johns Hopkins University and are rated AA.

The bonds will cost you now 32.6 cents on the dollar. The bond that will be worth $1,000 in 12 years -- 1997 will cost you $320. Then it will pay you $97.50 a year in interest. That's over 30 percent on what you're paying for it now. And it's still tax-free, and with no capital gains tax and no Federal income tax at all.

What a dandy thing this is for someone in their 50's! Say a man gets 30 of these bonds now, for which he pays $9,600. Twelve years from now they're worth $30,000. They'll pay him $2,925 a year. Social Security could well be $1,000 a month for this chap or $12,000 a year, to swell his income.

So he makes the same investment next year and the next -- three years altogether. His retirement income just from Social Security and this 3-time yearly investment when he's in his early 50's doubles from just these two sources. If he is in the IRA program and socks away $2,000 a year in some taxable zero-coupons, another fat chunk of income will come his way when the years will truly be golden.

These convertible zero-coupon bonds go by a lot of acronyms. GAINS (Growth & Income Securities] is perhaps the most common. Others are PACS, FIGS, TEDIS, BIGS, CADIS, PROFITS, CCABS, CAFIS, LIMOS, and STAIRS (stepped tax-exempt appreciation and income realization securities). Just tell your broker you're interested in convertible zeroes and he should know what you mean.

Another nice fit for these bonds is for a widow whose pension benefits from her late spouse run out in 10 or 12 years. While the pension money is still coming in, the widow can use other funds to buy these zero coupon bonds, which will pay no interest for the 10-12 year period. Then the pension expires and the zero coupons flower into full-interest bonds.

Say the pension is $6,000 a year and runs out in 12 years. Scrape up $19,200 now and buy the convertible zero described earlier. You can get 60 bonds with a par value of $60,000 for the $19,200. They'll pay $5,850 a year, starting when the pension runs out -- a trifle less than the pension paid during its 12-year life. This will go on for 10 more years.

So we've taken care of 22 years, of assured income. It will then be 2007, and we'll write another column then suggesting the next step. Don't go away.

A LITTLE CHRONICLE WANT AD GETS **Big Results**

Glaza named for new position

Ellen Glaza, affiliated with the Human Development Commission in Caro, has been selected as Regional Health Education Coordinator for the Michigan Model for Comprehensive School Education. Her position as coordinator represents a joint effort by the Human Development Commission and the Tuscola Intermediate School District.

Mrs. Glaza will serve schools in Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties. She is a graduate of the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and has post-graduate trainirg in health education and substance abuse prevention.

In January of 1986 Mrs. Glaza will begin to train kindergarten through first grade teachers in the special curriculum for the Michigan Model for Comprehensive School Health Education. The two elementary schools in the region that will commence participation in this innovative project right after the first of the year are Bea McDonald School in Marlette and George Greene School in Bad Axe.

The students will be taught every aspect of good health care, including personal safety, hygiene, nutrition, substance abuse prevention, as well as problem solving techniques, and a thorough study of human biology.

This program is scheduled to expand into the fourth, fifth and sixth grades in the fall of 1986. The curriculum will build sequentially each year health-oriented knowledge, attitudes, and skills that are necessary to promote and maintain health over child's lifetime.

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IRS still needs records

"Early in 1985, a lot of attention was placed on listed property that farms and businesses use for personal and business use," says Dennis Stein, Tuscola County Extension Agricultural Agent. "Falling into the listed property group, were all cars and pickups, computers, etc., for treatment of contemporaneous records' requirements," continues Stein. "This record keeping requirement was later revised to take out the word "contemporaneous," which many felt meant the need for records had changed. Now that the 1985 tax forms have been printed and released, it is clear that the changes made in the terms of the law did not change the IRS's intention for the need for detailed written records on this class of property.

When reviewing the 1985 form, 4562 Depreciation, you will find a series of questions that require beginning and ending odometer readings and ask you to verify the personal or business miles. You will be asked on the form if you have written records to verify the business or personal use of all listed property."

"With year end very rapidly upon us, you may want to take the time to get that log dusted off and in your pickup or car," says Stein, "and for '86, keep that detailed log of your business or personal miles driven." This will make the task of filling out your tax form much easier for '86 and help the IRS to better understand how you calculated the business deduction percentage for your listed property.

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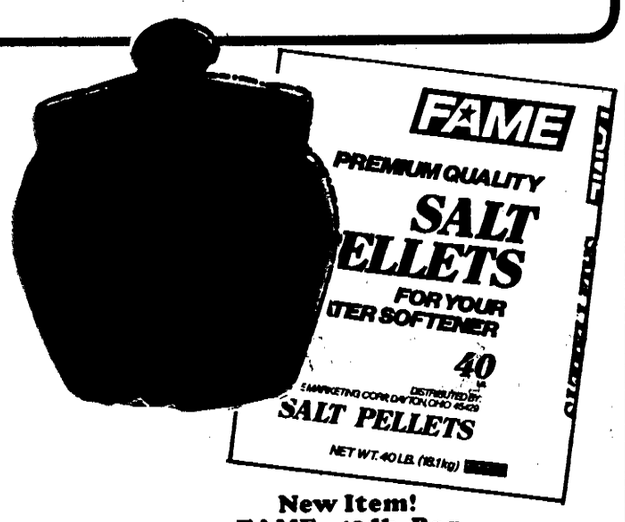

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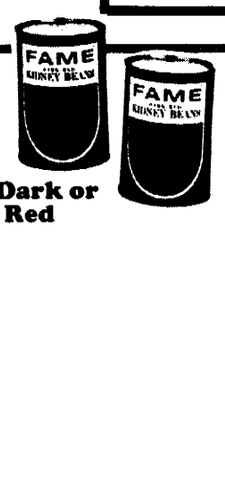

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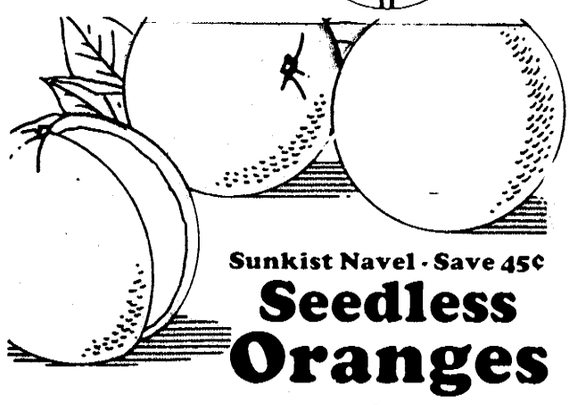

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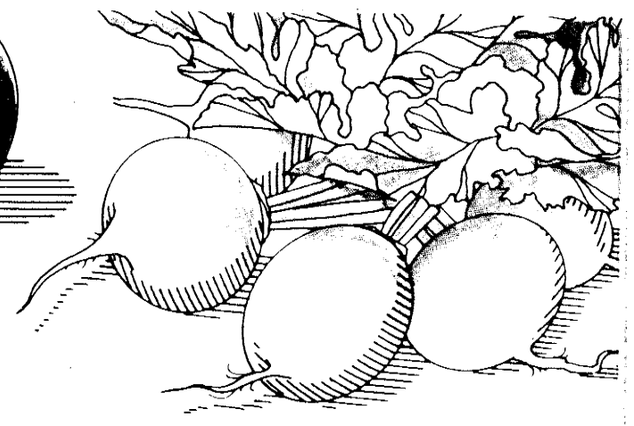

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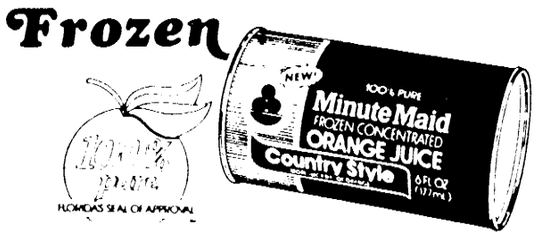

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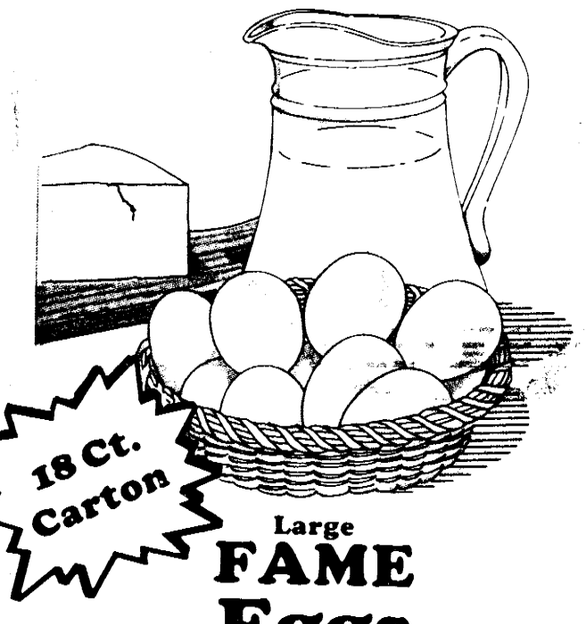

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Limit 1 - 26 oz. Pkg. .....

Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and $7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages, or other coupon items. Coupon expires: Sat., January 11, 1986.

SAVE $1.00 NR 152-9

COUPON

Beef or W/Liver-Bacon Top Choice $3.00 72 oz.

Beef, Beef-N-Cheese or Beef Liver Bacon
Gravy Train Dog Food $1.00 OFF
Limit 1 - 25 lb. Bag.....

Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and $7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages, or other coupon items. Coupon expires: Sat., January 11, 1986.

SAVE $1.00 NR 151-10

COUPON

Adult or Kid - 20¢ Off Label
Aqua Fresh Pump $1.00
Limit 1 - 4.6 oz. .....

Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and $7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages, or other coupon items. Coupon expires: Sat., January 11, 1986.

NR 150-11

Clip & Save

TEAMING UP WITH SPECIAL OLYMPICS

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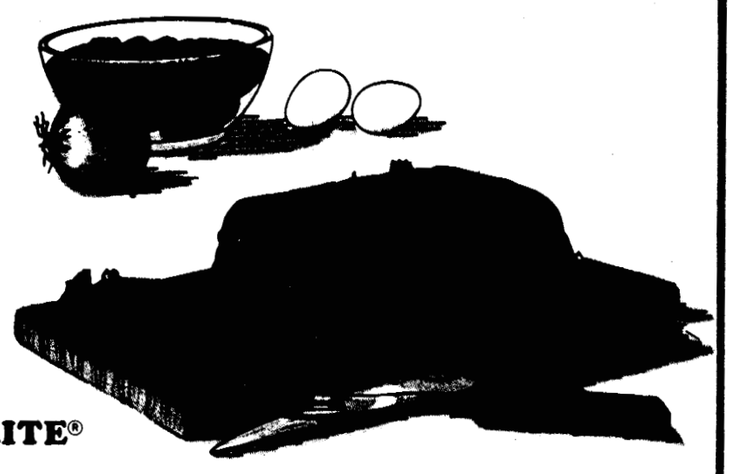


IGA TABLERITE® Fresh
Ground Hamburger

Save $3.90 10 lbs.

10 lbs. FOR $9

90¢ lb. -10 lbs. or more

Lesser Amounts - $1.00 lb.

IGA TABLERITE® Family Pack
Top or Bottom Round Steak
Save 80¢ lb. $1.89 lb.

IGA TABLERITE®
Round Steak

Save $7.90 10 lbs.

10 lbs. FOR $16

$1.60 lb. -10 lbs. or more

Lesser Amounts - $2.00 lb.

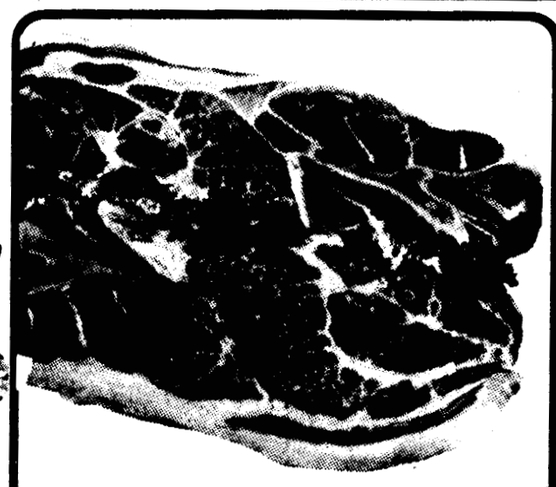
Holly Farms
Save 49¢ lb.
Pick O Chick
$1.00 lb.

Wilson - 1 lb. Pkg. - Save 78¢ on 2
Certified Bacon
2/$3

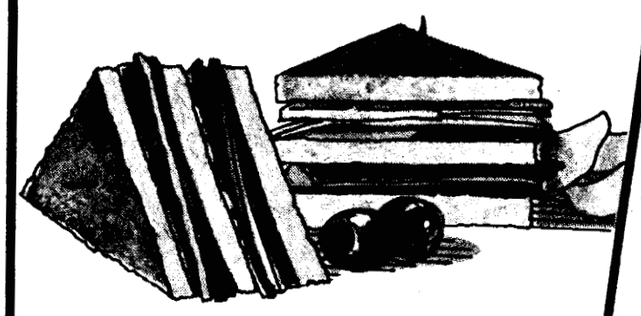
Eckrich Reg., Polish or Beef
Save 99¢
Smoked Sausage
$6.00 3 lb. Pkg.

Regular or Thick Bologna or Salami
Save 18¢ on 2
FAME Lunchmeats
1 lb. Pkg. **2/$3**

IGA TABLERITE® -Save 6¢ lb.
Fryer Leg Quarters
39¢ lb.



IGA TABLERITE® -Save 20¢ lb.
Pork Steak
$1.29 lb.



John Morrell - 3 lb. Can - Save 99¢
Canned Ham
$6.00 3 lb. Can

MEAT NUTRI-FACTS

This Weeks Feature: 236 calories per serving

Tasty Top Round Steak

Top Round Steak

NUTRITION INFORMATION PER COOKED, TRIMMED SERVING		TOTAL RECOMMENDED DIETARY INTAKE %
CALORIES	236	12
TOTAL FAT	12.9g	19
Saturated Fat 3.0 Monounsaturated Fat 4.0 Polyunsaturated Fat 4.3		
CHOLESTEROL	69mg	23
SODIUM	389mg	12
PROTEIN	26g	58
IRON	2.8mg	16
ZINC	4.7mg	32
THIAMIN	12mg	8
NIACIN	3mg	15
B-12	2.6mcg	43

TASTY TOP ROUND STEAK

1 beef top round steak, cut 1 inch thick (approximately 2 pounds)
¼ cup oil
2 tablespoons soy sauce
1 tablespoon cider vinegar
2 teaspoons honey
1 teaspoon *each* garlic powder and ground ginger
1 green onion, finely chopped

Combine oil, soy sauce, vinegar, honey, garlic powder, ginger and onion. Place steak in plastic bag; add marinade, turning to coat. Tie bag securely and marinate in refrigerator 4 hours, turning at least once. Drain marinade from steak; reserve. Place steak on rack in broiler pan so surface of meat is 3 to 4 inches from heat and broil to rare or medium (20 to 30 minutes), turning and brushing with marinade. Carve steak into thin slices. 4 servings.

Wilson -Save 38¢ on 2
Certified Franks
1 lb. Pkg.
2/$3

Cheese, Beef or Regular - Save 15¢
Eckrich Franks
1 lb. Pkg.
$2.00

Meat

Farmer Peet's
People Pleasin' MEATS

Farmer Peet Reg. or Low Salt -1 lb. Pkg. -Save 50¢
Repeeter Bacon $1.69

Half Flat Baby Boneless -Save 40¢ lb.
Farmer Peet Bonanza Ham. $2.59 lb.

Deli Delights

Fresh Quality Deli Products

Regular or Garlic
Eckrich Bologna
Save 60¢ lb. **$1.59** lb.

Bil-Mar -Save $1.10 lb.
Turkey Breast..... $3.49 lb.

Available Only At Stores With Delis!

Save 29¢ lb.
Schooner Fishsticks
$1.00 lb.