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Boundary dispute

O-G to talk with Cass City?

An agreement dealing with property transfers with the Elkton-Pigeon Bay Port School District, and an effort to open the communication channel with the Cass City School District were approved by the Owendale-Gagetown Board of Education Monday night.

During its regular monthly meeting, the Owen-Gage School Board gave its formal approval to a tentative agreement reached earlier with representatives from the Laker School District. The compromise deals with the Elenbaum, Parker, Schaper, and Voelker property transfers between the two districts. The agreement calls for the return of about 1,050 acres of non-resident property to the Owen-Gage School District. It also states that there will be no transfers of property between the districts for a 10-year period. Representatives from both parties are scheduled to sign the agreement in Lansing Friday before Raymond Godmer, a hearings officer with the State Board of Education.

Also Friday, briefs are scheduled to be filed by attorneys representing Owen-Gage and property owners in the Belk parcel of the Cass City School District. Along those lines, Owen-Gage Board members approved a motion to have Superintendent

Ronald Erickson request a joint meeting between the Cass City School Board and the Owen-Gage Board of Education. One of the main topics to be discussed would be the Belk and Goslin property transfers. "I think such a meeting could be productive," said Erickson. Discussion also centered around the feeling in Lansing that state officials would rather not have cases such as these settled at the state level, but instead through the local intermediate school district. Erickson said after the meeting that he planned on writing the letter to the Cass City School Board today (Tuesday).

THEFT POLICY

There was a long discussion Monday night between the board and members of the audience dealing with the pros and cons of having a specific school policy on students who are caught stealing personal property. The issue was tabled from last month's meeting following discussion of an incident where an expensive pair of gym shoes were stolen from a student. Many of the parents attending the meeting said there is a need for restitution, and in some cases, there is too long of a delay before action is taken by administrators. They also said there should be a difference in the punishment when a student steals

for the first, second or third time. The board was told that administrators need to consider the monetary value of the item stolen in determining the punishment of a student. A question was also asked as to when the police should become involved in the situation.

Superintendent Erickson told the audience that he is not unhappy with what the district has in operation now, where each case is dealt with on an individual basis. High School Principal Wayne Wright said should the board decide to adopt a policy on stealing, he would have no problem with that. "I love policies. They make my job so much easier," he said. The board then asked Wright to obtain copies of the policies on stealing that other area school districts are using, and to present them at the next meeting.

Some recommendations from a committee that was appointed to study the selection process for the student of the month were presented. Approved by the board was a proposal that there be a three-member committee, consisting of one school board member, and two members of the faculty. The nomination papers for the honor will be handed out on the third Monday of the month, and returned by the fourth Monday to the senior class adviser. Please turn to page 5.



GOOD NEWS FOR consumers is the steadily lowering prices for gas. Cass City dealers say prices dropped six to eight cents in a week.

Gas price dip helps buyers, but not retailers

A spot check of service stations in Cass City and Cass City Oil and Gas, a wholesaler, reveals that the price of gas has dropped six to eight cents per gallon since the price of crude oil plummeted last week.

That's good news for area motorists, but not necessarily good news for station operators. Major brand gas prices in Cass City Friday were \$1.29.9 per gallon for no lead and \$1.15.9 per gallon for regular leaded. The lowest prices at the pumps were \$1.12.9 for regular and \$1.18.9 for no lead.

That's the same price as charged in Bad Axe but higher than those charged at Caro where self-service prices Friday were \$1.10.9 for no lead and \$1.03.9 for regular leaded.

At least one station operator expects prices to fall further in the near future. Floyd Luetke, owner of L & S Mobil Service, looks for future calls from his wholesaler indicating that prices are to be lowered again.

That's what determines our prices, Luetke told the Chronicle. Right now, Luetke figures that he makes around six cents a gallon on gas.

Compare that, he says,

with the margin of 11 cents a gallon suggested by the Michigan Gasoline Retail Association to operate profitably.

Meanwhile, a glut in oil has brought no lead gas to under \$1.00 per gallon at some stations in Saginaw and Bay City.

That's considered cheap these days, but historically it's a big price to pay. Clare Mellendorf has been at Clare's Sunoco Station since July 31, 1962. At the time, he said, gas sold for about 30 cents a gallon and the station made a nickel. Today at the full service station, there is about nine cents per gallon profit. In other words, Mellendorf explained, we made about 15 percent on sales in 1962 and today the profit margin is about six percent.

Although the prices have dropped sharply all over the state and the nation, industry analysts point out that these prices reflect the cost of oil purchased in 1985.

The price of crude oil slipped to under \$15 a barrel last week as the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries increased production to try and force other oil producing countries to agree to production limits to control prices.

In the fall of 1985, the price of a barrel of crude was \$32.

A U.S. Department of Energy study indicates that the cost of crude represents slightly over half the cost of producing gas.

There is a Federal gas tax of nine cents per gallon and in Michigan, a four-cent sales tax on each gallon sold. Refining, marketing and profit for the oil companies and the dealers account for the rest.

In the oil industry, a ballpark figure on price is that for every dollar cut from the price of crude there is a drop of 2½ cents per gallon at the pumps.

If that yardstick remains accurate, the drop in crude would mean gas 40 cents cheaper than it is today.

Oil industry analysts say, however, that these rule of thumb estimates can no longer be relied on because the price cuts now being experienced have never occurred before.

Still, there's little doubt that \$1.00 per gallon gas will disappear for at least a while when the current price cuts are passed on to the distributors.

And that's good news for motorists, if not for hard pressed station operators.

Vote is Monday

4 seek 3 open positions in Cass City's primary election

Voters in Cass City will elect three candidates from among four persons running for the office of trustee on the Republican ticket in the village primary election Monday. The polls are at the Elkland Township Fire Department building, 6691 Church Street.

Seeking reelection are three incumbents, Mike Weaver, 44, Dorothy Stahlbaum, 46, and Elwyn Helwig, 54. Challenging is Clarence Schneeberger. All have long records of public service.

The remainder of the candidates are running unopposed. Candidate for president is Larry Davis, who is now serving as a councilman.

Seeking reelection are Joyce LaRoche as clerk and treasurer, and Dan Erla, assessor.

ELWYN HELWIG

Helwig first ran for election in 1978 and was unopposed. He has served two

Candidates present views on parking meters, village wages and direction village should be headed in answer to Chronicle questionnaire. Their statements appear on page 16 today.

full terms on the board.

Before becoming a trustee, he served for 12 years on the Cass City School Board. He served on the Elkland Township Fire Department, he is a member of the Tuscola County Licensing Board of Appeals.

Helwig has served as an election inspector for 21 years. He is a graduate of Cass City High School.

He and his wife, Linda, live in Cass City and the family includes two boys and one girl.

He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Cass City and has served in

various positions on the church board for many years. He has worked at Croft-Clara Lumber for 33 years and became president in 1978.

CLARENCE SCHNEEBERGER

Schneeberger attended Cass City Schools and graduated from Radio Electronics Television School in Detroit. He worked as an engineer for two radio stations before completing the General Motors Electronic Training Program and accepting

work with AC Spark Plug.

While in the service, he attended the Electronics Fire Control Ordinance School and was a computer instructor. After discharge, he attended General Motors Institute and Flint Junior College and again worked for AC.

He and his brother, Russell, started Schneeberger Furniture and Appliance in 1961. He completed the Whirlpool School of Management at Benton Harbor and Narda School of Management at Notre Dame University.

He has served as past treasurer of Cass City Rotary and past treasurer of Cass City Chamber of Commerce.

He is now president and chief operating officer of Schneeberger Furniture and Appliance and Schneeberger Development Corporation.

He and his wife, Opal, live four children and make their home in Cass City. He is a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church

and Tyler Lodge No. 317, of Cass City.

DOROTHY STAHLBAUM

Stahlbaum has been a resident of the Cass City area for 30 years. She entered the Cass City business community in 1971 when she started the Clothes Closet, which has since expanded into a small chain of three stores with outlets in Caro and Bad Axe as well as Cass City.

She has served as the president of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce and president of the Cass City Retail Committee. She has been a council member for seven years.

She and her husband, Jack, had five children, two girls and three boys, one of whom has died.

MIKE WEAVER

Mike Weaver, 44, came to Cass City March 1, 1968, as the new owner of Coach Light Pharmacy. He quickly became active in all community affairs.

He first was elected to the council in 1982 and is seeking his second term.

He has been president of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce and of the Cass City Retail Committee. He is a member and past president of Cass City Rotary. Weaver also serves as a member of the Cass City Industrial Development board.

He and his wife, Toby, have two children. He has been active in the St. Pancratius Church, where he served as a member of the board.

Store window broken in scuffle

Officers with the Cass City Police Department investigated the malicious destruction of property at Konrad's Bakery and Restaurant, 6479 Main Street, at 12:05 a.m. Sunday. Officers Schott and Hartzell were called to the bakery where a fight was in progress. They were also told that a window had been broken.

Police contacted Thomas Sutter, who lives above the bakery, and were told that a group of about 12 people was making noise, and bothering the neighbors.

Sutter told the officers that five minutes later, he heard the sound of breaking glass coming from the bakery. He then went downstairs to take a look before calling

the police.

According to the report, several people were questioned about the broken window, but police said they could find no one who knew anything about it. Officers said the window measured 12" by 16", and was located on the east side of Konrad's Bakery. It had a value of \$10. Police said the investigation of the malicious destruction of property is closed, unless further information is obtained.

Friday at 2:45 p.m., the Cass City Police Department took a report of a two-vehicle property damage accident that occurred in the Walbro Corporation parking lot, off of Garfield Street. Police said Dale D.

Clink, 24, of Mayville, was pulling into a parking space, when due to the slippery pavement, his vehicle slid and struck a parked car on the right side. Officers said the car was owned by Jackie Steinman of Pigeon, and was legally parked. No citation was issued, and Clink was not injured.

Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 7:15 a.m., Cass City police handled a car-deer accident in Sanilac County's Greenleaf Township. Officers said Vickie S. Wren of Decker was eastbound on Cass City Road, east of the intersection with Hoadley Road, when a deer ran from the right side of the roadway, into the path of her vehicle. Wren was not injured in the accident.

Appoint five to head festival

A new committee has been appointed for this year's Cass City 4th of July Festival.

During a meeting held last week, the five co-chairpersons for the group were named. They are Geraldine Prieskorn, Gary Jones, Lota Hartel, Alan "Duke" Sward, and Sandy Kozan. The group decided to continue with the tradition of not having just one chairman, but having each of the members serve as co-chairmen.

Geraldine Prieskorn was appointed the contact person for the group. She said one of the items dealt with by the new committee during its first meeting was a review of last year's festival activities. "Next, we will be contacting the vari-

ous people and groups involved last year, and seeing if they want to continue their event in this year's festival," she said.

Members of the committee agreed that advanced planning is one of the major keys towards making the 4th of July festival a success in 1986. Keeping that in mind, Prieskorn said, "July is really not that far away."

Some of the major issues to be discussed by the committee in the near future will be the festival parade, fund raising, and the fireworks display. "Fund raising is always something that needs to be dealt with, and with the cost and availability of insurance being what it is, that will also be a concern for the

display of the fireworks," Prieskorn added.

All of the committee members said they would be interested in hearing from people who want to volunteer their services for the festival, or from those who have some new ideas for activities to be held. Anyone with suggestions is invited to contact a member of the committee, or attend one of the group's meetings.

Prieskorn said the festival committee is planning to meet at least once a month, or as needed. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 20.

I WILL BE

at the Cass City State Bank, Cass City Friday, Feb. 14, to collect taxes. Elkland Township Treasurer.



ELWYN HELWIG



CLARENCE SCHNEEBERGER



DOROTHY STAHLBAUM



MIKE WEAVER

Marriage Licenses

Lyle I. McCoon, Columbiaville, and Francis M. McCoon, Caro.
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Lyle C. Frenzel, Mayville, and Arlene M. Dentel, Caro.
David A. Campbell Jr., Caro, and Angeline A. Robinson, Caro.
Gary L. Rogner, Vassar, and Judy K. Carmar, Vassar.
Gerald L. Stuart, Vassar, and Mary L. Milewski, Vassar.
Michael G. Eremia, Vassar, and Lori K. Marker, Vassar.

Cass City Area Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little

Phone 872-3698

Fourteen noon luncheons were served at the senior citizens' meal-site Feb. 3 and 16 were served Feb. 7. The Feb. 5 noon meal was cancelled because of the bad weather.

The Progressive class of Salem UM Church will meet Thursday evening, Feb. 13, at eight o'clock at the Gerald Auten home.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Ada Salgat and son Douglas were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gintner of Elkton and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Putnam of Caro.

Eleven from this area attended the quarterly meeting Friday in Byron, MI, of the Eastern Michigan Association of Regular Baptist Churches. The group included Pastor and Mrs. Don Gommessen of Bad Axe, Pastor John Wood, Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr., Mrs. Lou LaPonsie, Don Whittenburg, Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Imhoff and Pastor and Mrs. Chuck Richardson.

Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Stine were Dale Petzold and his mother, Mrs. Kathryn Petzold of Livonia. Afternoon callers were Mrs. Carmack Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stine.

Mrs. Lilah Wilhelm has had as visitors, her sisters, Mrs. Bernice Sweet of Harbor Beach spent from Wednesday until Sunday and Mrs. Irene Hall of Jackson and Mrs. Alice Neitz of Harrison came Friday and are spending the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright had with them Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright of Davisburg and Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Wright and three sons of Bay City who attended the Evangelical Free Church dedication.

Fifteen were present Thursday evening when the Ellington-Almer Farmers Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson of Fort Wayne, Ind., were in Cass City over the weekend when they came to attend the Evangelical Free Church dedication.

Lewis Crawford of Caro visited his sister, Mrs. Glenn McClorey, last Tuesday.

Baptist Women hold meet

Sixteen were present Monday evening, Feb. 3, when the Women's Missionary Fellowship met at the Baptist Church.

President Carol LaPonsie presided over the business meeting.

Plans were made for a personal shower in April for Mrs. Steve Anderson. The Andersons, currently in Flint, are missionaries to Togo.

Devotions were led by Carolyn Sorenson of Gagetown and prayer time was led by Ruth Fisher.

Refreshments were served by Linda Helwig and Jean Fisher.

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Engaged



CYNTHIA DEE SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Smith of Cass City announce the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Dee, to Daniel Davis, son of Mrs. Verda Davis of Creston, Iowa.

An April 12 wedding is being planned.

Planning saves at supermarket

by Betty Pattullo
Extension Home Economist



Time is money. Do you use your time and money wisely when you do your food shopping? Here are some ideas to help you save time and money at the supermarket, states Betty Pattullo, Tuscola County Extension Home Economist: **BEFORE YOU GO: PLAN AHEAD**

--Plan your menus before you go shopping. It will help you to resist impulse buying and save you time in the store.

--Read food ads and clip coupons before you make out your shopping list.

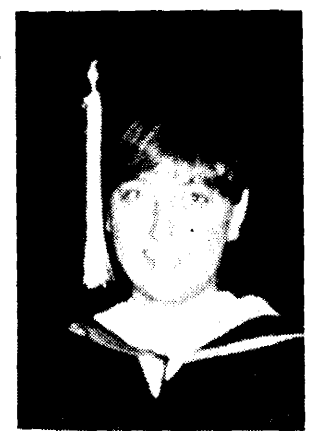
--Organize your list by departments -- meats, produce, frozen foods, canned goods, etc., to save backtracking and roaming the aisles more than once.

--Keep a piece of paper in the kitchen and write down food needs as they arise and as you use up the last of an item.

--Take advantage of sales by buying in bulk. Canned goods can be bought by the case, frozen foods by the carton.

Earns Master's at U of M

Rebecca Ann Hobart received a master's degree from the University of Michigan school of Social Work at commencement exercises Dec. 15, 1985, in Ann Arbor.



REBECCA ANN HOBART

Miss Hobart earned a B.A. degree in psychology from the U of M and is a 1980 graduate of Cass City High School. She plans to continue working in Ann Arbor.

She is the daughter of Marvin and Marilyn Hobart and granddaughter of Kenneth Hobart, all of the Caro-Cass City area.

Baptists hold birthday party

The Sunday School of First Baptist Church had a church-wide birthday party Sunday, under the direction of Stan Guinther, superintendent. During the Sunday School hour, those attending sat in pews designated for their birth months and contests were held. Captains told of famous persons born in their month.

After the evening service, the congregation went to the church fellowship rooms for games, a card exchange and cake and ice cream. About 175 persons attended.

For a masculine-looking gift package, use sporty paper and tie the four corners with heavy yarn.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morell took Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Anthes to Detroit Sunday. Mr. Anthes entered Ford Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern McConnell were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blue at Millington.

Denise Francis was admitted Monday to Hills and Dales General Hospital, ill with bronchitis.

Mrs. Daisy Hodges of Caro, Mrs. Ann Neal and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morell expect to spend Sunday, Feb. 16, as dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Neal in Toledo, Ohio.



Mrs. Paul Craig joined relatives Sunday evening at the John W. Homakie home, on West Cass City Road, when the second birthday of Sara Homakie was celebrated.

Midweek Lenten services begin Ash Wednesday in Good Shepherd Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m. The theme of the series is "Christ, Our Suffering Servant." Pastors of Thumb Lutheran churches (LCMS) are participating in a pulpit exchange for the midweek services.

Douglas Salgat returned home Saturday from a 3½-week stay in Saginaw General Hospital with a broken hip.

The Book club met Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Paul Craig. Book of the day was "Once Upon a Time" by Gloria Vanderbilt. The March 4 meeting is scheduled at the home of Irene Dillman when the book will be "In God's Name" by Yalop.

Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morell were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnston of Flint and Mrs. Daisy Hodges of Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozan attended the meeting in Fairgrove Sunday of the Veteran of Foreign Wars, District No. 7486.

The entire family of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stilson celebrated Gerald's 60th birthday Sunday at their West Cass City Road home. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parrish, Jamie and Kristie of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Stilson of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Gary King, Eric, Marsha and Justin of Deford and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kitchen and Kyle.

Mrs. Leslie Hartwick and Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. were luncheon guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Keating at Essexville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Diebel of Sebewaing and Mr. and Mrs. Les Hurd of Gagetown were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Elsie Thompson and Georgia Thompson.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

BIRTH:

Feb. 5, to Mrs. Day Gokey, Unionville, a boy.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, FEB. 10, WERE:

Mrs. Carrie Griswold, Rusty Woodward, Marcia Copeland, Mark Copeland, Mrs. Irene Dillman, Mrs. Mildred Eskilsen, Mrs. Wanda Lebiada, Mrs. Milie Mark, Sandra Nicholas, George Rolston, Mrs. Geraldine Suzor, Cass City; Mrs. Bertha Messing, Minden City; Frank Easlick, Mrs. Linda Richmond, Kingston; Mrs. Karen Bazan, William A. Mooney, Shawn M. Smith, Caro; Calvin Russell, Fostoria; Meremy Schwartz, Mrs. Anna Luana, George Nowakowski, Deford; Mrs. Christa Kinney, Bad axe; Mrs. Annabelle Harneck, Marlette; Mrs. Erma Dunlap, Decker; Mrs. Beverly Grifka, Uby; Louis Robles, Elkton; Gurdon Watson, Snover.

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Hills and Dales

Schedule of Events

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Feb. 16 thru Feb. 22

Dr. Gargis, Urologist	Feb. 18	9-12 a.m.	Out-patient Clinic
Dr. Donahue	Feb. 19	8-12 a.m.	Out-patient Clinic
Expectant Parents Class	Feb. 20	7-9 p.m.	Lg. Meeting Room
Dr. Jeung	Feb. 21	8-12 a.m.	Out-patient Clinic

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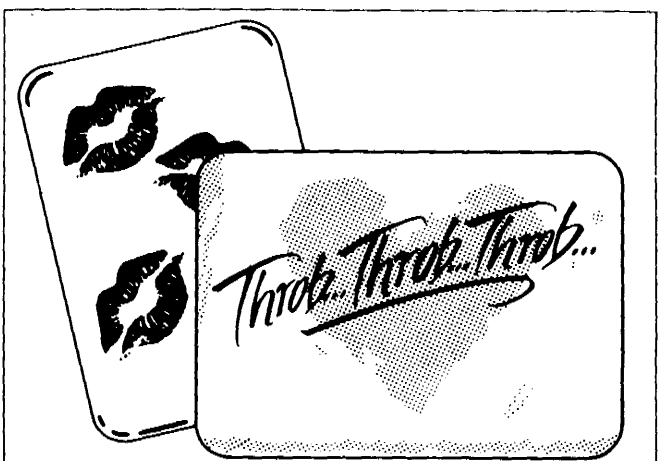
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"If It Fitz..."**Third opinion needed**

By Jim Fitzgerald



"I think we need a third opinion," I told my wife. I'd never seen her more depressed.

I was sitting close to her in the semidarkness of our living room as the late afternoon faded into evening.

"How long have we been a team?" I asked.

"I saw that commercial," she said.

That commercial is a WDIV-TV (Channel 4) promotion starring news anchors Carmen Harlan and Mort Crim. They sit in the semidarkness and agree "it shows" that they've been a team for a long time and are good friends off camera as well as on. Every time I see this commercial I feel so warm and cozy all over I have to turn down the thermostat.

"It shows that we've been married over 30 years," I told her. "Otherwise I wouldn't be home from work yet. I would be younger and friskier, and

would have stopped at a saloon, and we wouldn't be having this depressing conversation as the late afternoon fades into evening."

The depressing conversation concerned our kitchen, which was recently remodeled for around \$5,000.

"I don't know why plumbers can't be like doctors," she said. "Doctors never criticize each other's work."

An hour earlier, a maintenance man employed by our apartment building had gotten his first look at our new kitchen. My wife pointed out the stainless steel sink, saying our contractor said it was worth \$200 but he got it for us wholesale — only \$150.

"Boy, you really got took. That sink is worth around \$90," the maintenance man said.

He then looked at the plumbing beneath the new sink. "Whoever installed this is no plumber," he snorted.

When my wife relayed this opinion to me, I asked what he said was wrong with our plumbing.

"He said our loop was really no loop at all. He laughed at our loop," she said.

If there's one thing I can't stand, it's someone laugh-

ing at the loop in my plumbing. And if there's one thing I can't understand, it is what a plumbing loop is for.

The maintenance man also said there should be an overflow valve on our new sink. Originally there was, my wife said. And the first time she used the dishwasher in our new \$5,000 kitchen, water spurted out the valve and soaked her face.

So she complained to the man who installed the sink and he removed the overflow valve, saying it wasn't really needed.

"Who am I supposed to believe?" she asked.

She shouldn't have asked her teammate of over 30 years. I am at the complete mercy of plumbers, mechanics, and other build-and-fix practitioners. If the man with the wrench says I need a bigger loop in my plumbing, I tell him to stretch my loop and send me the bill.

But if a second man with a wrench says my loop is already big enough, I am confounded.

If a difference of opinion concerns the texture of pie crust, I can taste for myself and make my own informed decision. But what do I know about plumbing loops? Just the thought of looking under a sink makes my head throb and my palms sweat.

I told my wife we could solicit the tie-breaking opinion of a third man with a wrench.

Or we could simply sit close together, as the late afternoon faded into evening, and aggressively forget that we ever got a second opinion.

This is called giving up — or the hell with it.



THE MEMBERS OF THE Caro High School debate team, (from left) Jim Charmley, Burt Campbell, Steve Foerster and Brad Foerster, are having another winning season this year. They will be preparing this week for a national tournament in Boston to be held Feb. 14-17.

Caro debaters head for Harvard national tourney

Members of the Caro High School debate team will be on their way to Boston this weekend to take part in a national tournament at Harvard University.

The team's coach, Janet Swarthout, said this will be the squad's second out-of-state competition. The team from Caro won a regional contest held in December at the University of Pittsburgh. Swarthout said the tournament in Boston this weekend is expected to have nearly 100 teams entered from all over the country.

The team made it to the State of Michigan debate semi-finals held in Ann Arbor Feb. 1 by winning six preliminary matches. Caro

defeated the team from Frankenmuth 3-0 in the quarterfinals, and then lost to Marshall High School in the semi-finals by a score of 2-1.

The 69th annual tournament was sponsored by the Michigan Interscholastic Forensic Association. Three hundred students from 54 schools competed in the event.

Muskegon's Mona Shores High School defeated the University of Detroit High School in the Class A tournament. Marshall High School, after defeating Caro, went on to beat Harper Creek High School in the Class B division. Hudsonville Unity Christian High School defeated Grosse Pointe University Liggett High School in the Class C tournament.

Edison extends hours

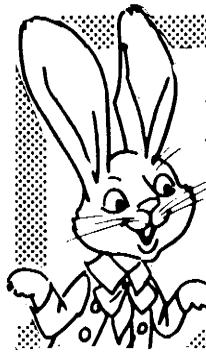
As part of a pilot program to improve service to its customers, Detroit Edison's Caro customer office is extending its hours of operation.

Normally, Detroit Edison's six Thumb Division customer offices are open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Beginning Friday, Feb. 7, only the Caro office at 125 W. Lincoln started to remain open until 7 p.m. every Friday for at least the next two months.

"With more people hold-

ing jobs, it has become difficult for them to conduct some of their personal business during normal working hours," according to Robert S. Howard, Thumb Division manager. "So, to provide better service and be more responsive to our customer's needs, we're extending the Caro office hours."

If the pilot program proves to be a success, office hours will be extended at other Thumb Division Detroit Edison customer offices.

**Rabbit Tracks**

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

For the second time this year Bill Zinnecker, postmaster at Cass City, is reminding patrons that snow and ice are hazardous to carriers. Salting and sanding the path to the box is very helpful, he suggests.

Rural patrons are reminded that carriers will not leave cars to deliver mail to obstructed boxes, he says.

No matter how easy it is for carriers to deliver, you won't be receiving any mail Monday.

In case you've forgotten, Monday is President's Day, an official federal holiday.

Monday is a federal holiday, but for the rest of us it's simply another day at the mill.

Over the years we've received our share of unsigned letters. The one received last week tops them all.

Really, it was a fine letter giving an opinion on the space tragedy. It wasn't signed, but that's not all. The writer requested that he receive a copy of the letter when printed. (Perhaps addressed to whom it may concern?)

A headline in last week's Chronicle used a word that proved to be a poor choice. It was poor because it evidently can be interpreted differently.

Jim Wilson called to say that he felt the word "klutz" means someone awkward and less than normal than his peers. My definition of "klutz" is a person who goofed around instead of attending to business at hand. The word was supposed to call attention to his turnaround from high school days and his Naval career achievements, both of which have been excellent, as the story points out.



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It was simply a casual conversation between two businessmen and the topic swung around to teachers' salaries.

The cause was the amount that teachers in the Livonia district will receive at the end of a recently signed contract.

No way will salaries ever come that high around here, he said. The people just won't pay it.

My friend usually has his finger on the pulse of the community and there's little doubt that a substantial

millage increase faces a rocky road around here today.

It's the old irresistible force against the immovable object. They're not about to close the schools, I said, which was the first thing we agreed on during the whole discussion.

He feels that there is so much resistance to more taxes out there that if more money is needed the only way it will become available is to change the system.

He didn't argue much when I pointed out that the impending teacher shortage will make the unions harder to deal with than they had been when so many were waiting in the wings without jobs.

After our talk, I got to thinking about the teacher shortage. The predictions I read say that there is a real crunch ahead.

In fact, in some areas the shortage is already being felt. With the increase in school age children, it's expected to be worse.

If these dire predictions are realized, I submit that the shortage won't last. If you want to crack the teaching ranks, act fast.

Right today I've learned of two college graduates that plan to go back to school to become qualified to teach.

The simple truth is that teaching today is a job with plenty of appeal and if there are jobs there will be a rush to fill them.

It may take a few years for the supply to catch up with the demand, but no way will the shortage be as acute or last as long as it did in pre-union days when only the very dedicated or the persons that couldn't find a better paying job elsewhere entered the teaching ranks.

An added incentive for entering the teaching ranks is the long-term security. It's not fool-proof of course. Most of us know teachers who lost their jobs when schools cut back and fewer students were attending school.

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Set benefit cancer auction

A benefit auction to raise funds for the American Cancer Society has been scheduled Saturday at the "Station Lounge," one block west of the spotlight in Cass City.

Under the direction of Lisa LeValley, chairperson, a group of volunteers is seeking donations that can be sold. Canned goods, baked goods, toys, jewelry and similar items are needed.

Persons who wish to help with donations should call 872-9140 or contact the "Station Lounge."

The auctioneer is Rinerd Schember and the auction will start at 2 p.m.

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New books at the library

THE LEBARON SECRET by Stephen Birmingham (fiction). In an elegant San Francisco mansion, a blackened cask of wine holds a prominent spot beneath portraits of five generations of LeBarons. The present owner of Baronet vineyards is aging beauty Sari LeBaron, who pits one family member against the next in her bid for absolute control. A gutsy immigrant who married above her station, Sari singlehandedly rebuilt the vineyard from Prohibition's ruin into a thriving multimillion-dollar business. Tiring of her endless machinations, son Eric spearheads an attempt to wrest the company from Sari's hands. Lining up behind him are Sari's sister-in-law and one-time best friend, Joanna; and Melissa, Eric's older sister, who at 57 remains eternally childish and irresponsible. Sari fights back grimly, while the past unfolds in all its sordid glory as she threatens to expose a rat's nest of old affairs.

SENSE AND MOMSENSE by Teresa Bloomingdale (non-fiction). Author Bloomingdale, mother of ten, once again presents her wise and witty formula for coping with the facts and foibles of contemporary domesticity. With her own brood half grown-up (and three small grandchildren on the scene), the Bloomingdale household remains a never-ending source of laughter and hilarious mischief. Here are delightful, often side-splitting musings on everything from kids, school, cooking, letter-writing, dirty dishes, and dirty laundry to fads, finances, using body language to communicate with spouses, and a host of other offerings that collectively spell "life with mother."

RARE EARTH by Mary Lee Grisanti (fiction). A talented writer forced to flee her native Russia, Anna Nikolayevna finds herself the focus of worldwide attention due to her controversial novel about a "nuclear winter." Granted special citizenship in America, her joy turns to stunned disbelief when she is brought up on charges of espionage. Her anguished fight for justice, amidst a furious swirl of political jockeying and complex personal relationships, is heart-wrenching and altogether unforgettable.

Police probe \$6,000 theft at sporting goods store

State and county police are continuing their investigations of two breaking and enterings reported over the past week, including one that netted thieves nearly \$6,000 worth of property.

State police at the Caro post were notified at 8:43 a.m. Sunday of a breaking and entering that occurred at Patullo and Sons Sports, located at 2777 Tomlinson Road, east of Caro. Taken during the incident were four outboard motors, three portable electric generators, several leather jackets, and snowmobile clothing. Police estimate the value of the stolen property at \$5,800. An inventory of items in the store was scheduled for late Monday or Tuesday.

Investigating officers said entry was gained into the place of business by twisting off a door knob on the front door of the building. They think the incident occurred either Saturday night or Sunday morning. Police also believe that the breaking and entering may

be related to similar crimes committed over the past few months in Cass City, Caro, and Bad Axe. The incident remains under investigation by state police.

At 7:10 p.m. Monday, Feb. 3, Tuscola County sheriff's deputies were told of the breaking and entering of a building in Ellington Township, and larceny of property with a value of more than \$100. The incident was reported by James Mewhiney, of 2877 Tomlinson Road, who told police he found an outbuilding unlocked, and some pipe wrench marks on the end of a door handle. He later discovered that a 7½ horsepower Mercury outboard motor was missing from the building. Upon investigation, police said that a pipe wrench had been used to twist the lock on the door handle of the structure. Thieves then entered through the door on the south side of the building. Police said the motor had a value of \$700.

A Detroit area man was

arrested Friday by Tuscola County sheriff's deputies on a charge of the possession of heroin, after police were called to a house in Kingston Township. At 10:35 a.m. Friday, police and the Cass City Ambulance Service were dispatched to a house at 3537 Ross Street on a medical emergency complaint. Upon arriving at the scene, police found a woman with very shallow breathing, and were told her condition was due to a drug overdose.

Sheriff's deputies said one of the persons in the house, Victor Gerard LaCroix, 29, of Warren, was seen taking an object from

the woman, and putting it in his pocket. Following a struggle with the man, police said LaCroix was placed under arrest for possession of heroin, and was lodged in the Tuscola County jail. Police said a field test of the item in the packet that was taken by the Warren man indicated that it was heroin.

Several pieces of evidence, including a shaving bag that police said contained different kinds of drug equipment, were sent to the state police crime lab in Bridgeport. The report of the incident has been turned over to the prosecutor's office.

Help group is active in county

Across the country, Feb. 16-22 is Big Brothers/Big Sisters Appreciation Week, which stands as a salute to volunteers, some 100,000 nationwide, and for the difference they make in so many young lives.

In Tuscola County, 37 youngsters, most from one-parent homes, are matched with Big Brothers and Big Sisters. Single parents have a considerable responsibility, especially if they must work. Sometimes there's just not enough of mom or dad, or their time to go around.

Fortunately, help is available. For more than 80 years, Big Brothers and Big Sisters have been providing much needed guidance and support to children from one-parent homes. Carefully screened and selected adult volunteers see such children for a few hours each week for at least one

year. They work on a one-child-one-adult basis, under the guidance of trained caseworkers, to fill the very individual needs of each child.

A Big Brother or Big sister's influence encourages a child's self-confidence and achievement. Because someone cares for them, the youngsters care about themselves. Goals are set and met. School grades and peer relationships often improve.

More importantly, a Big Brother or Big Sister is there — to share life's ups and downs. A caring person who advises a youngster when important decisions must be made — decisions which may have life-long consequences. Big Brothers and Big Sisters in Caro and in communities nationwide are helping to create a better tomorrow for today's youth and we know of no finer service.

3 counties share funds for needy

U.S. Senator Donald Reigle has announced 59 Michigan counties will share \$4.5 million for the Emergency Food and Shelter program administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

Included was \$17,836 for Huron County; \$23,867 for Sanilac County and \$30,907 for Tuscola County.

First enacted by Congress in 1983, the program supplements and extends emergency food and shelter services in high needs areas around the country.

"The money that comes from this program goes a long way to give food and shelter to the needy,"

Reigle said. "Because this money is targeted to those who need it most, it is good news for the people of Michigan."

Included in the award was more than \$450,000 specifically for a new "State-Set-Aside" program. This program was adopted to allow greater flexibility in selection of needy areas, and is intended to target pockets of poverty in non-qualifying areas—such as those that do not meet the minimum level of 1,000 unemployed individuals.

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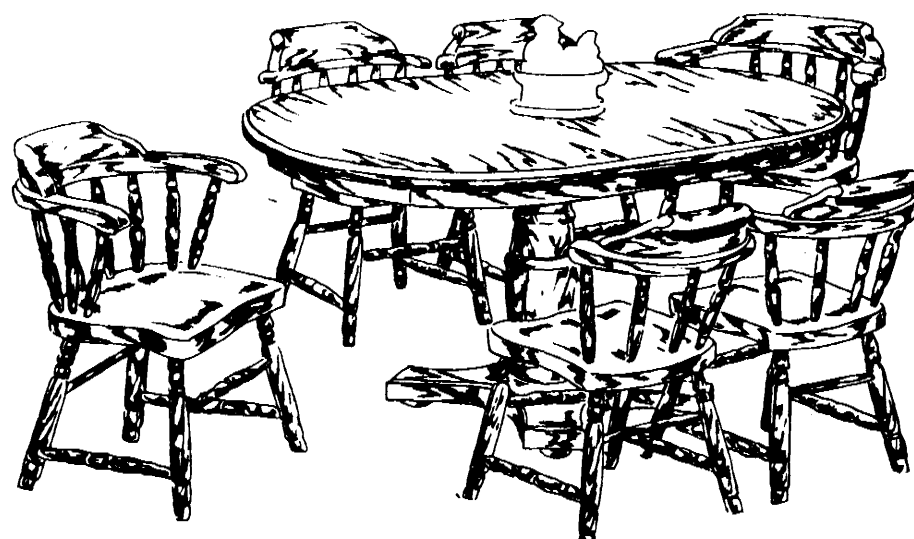
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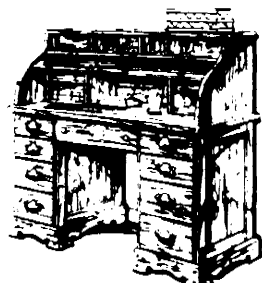


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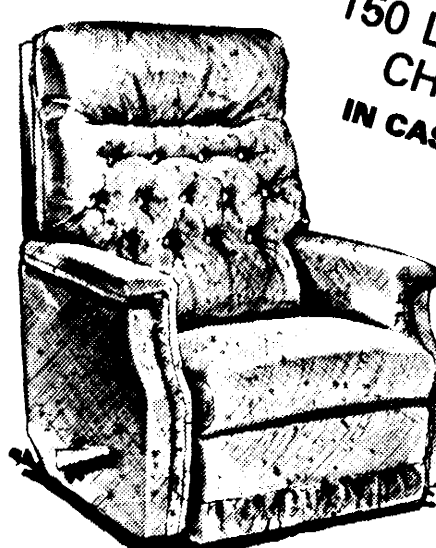


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A KINGSTON WOMAN, Norine F. Nelson, was the driver of a van involved in a three-vehicle accident southwest of Cass City Friday that sent a Caro woman to Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Slippery roads and blowing snow cause injuries, property damage

A Caro woman remained hospitalized today (Tuesday) after being injured in a three-vehicle accident that occurred in Elmwood Township Friday afternoon.

Tuscola County sheriff's deputies said Karen M. Bazan, 29, of Caro, was southbound on M-81, north of the intersection with Seeley Road, when she lost control of her car on the icy pavement, and struck a northbound vehicle driven by Norine F. Nelson, 50, of Kingston. Following the initial impact, police said the Bazan car bounced off the Nelson vehicle, and then struck a northbound milk truck driven by Ross O. McCallum, 21, of Cass City.

After the second impact, the Bazan car went off the roadway, throwing the driver from the car. Bazan was taken by Cass City Ambulance to Hills and Dales General Hospital for treatment of her injuries. As of Tuesday morning, she was listed in fair condition.

Police said the Nelson vehicle was forced into the ditch on the west side of the road. Nelson, McCallum, and a passenger in the Bazan car were not injured. Investigating officers were told that a northbound semi truck created a cloud of snow above the roadway, which may have contributed to the accident. Police were also told by Bazan that she thought the Nelson and McCallum vehicles were in her lane of traffic. The accident was reported at 2:25 p.m. Friday.

Wednesday at 8:25 a.m., Leland R. Daily, 39, of Kingston, was backing his car out of a driveway onto Washington Street, south of the corner with Noble Street in Kingston, when he

struck a vehicle driven by Louise M. Walkiewicz, 35, of Kingston. She told police she could not stop on the icy pavement, while Daily told the investigating officer that he did not see the oncoming vehicle. Neither driver was injured, and no citations were issued.

Also Wednesday at 1:00 a.m., Timothy R. Limberger, 28, of Deford, was westbound on Shabbona Road, east of the intersection with Cemetery Road in Novesta Township, when he lost control of his vehicle after going over a chunk of hard-packed snow on the road. The vehicle slid off the roadway, went into a shallow field, and struck a small tree. Limberger was not injured in the mishap.

A Kingston man received minor injuries in a one-vehicle accident that occurred in Kingston Township Tuesday, Feb. 4.

Tuscola County sheriff's deputies said Eugene H. Hergenreder II, 22, of Kingston, was northbound on Kingston Road, north of the intersection with Legg Road, when his vehicle

went over an icy patch on the pavement. He lost control of the vehicle, as it went off the west side of the roadway, and down into a ditch.

Hergenreder received minor injuries, and sought his own medical treatment. The accident was reported at 7:00 p.m.

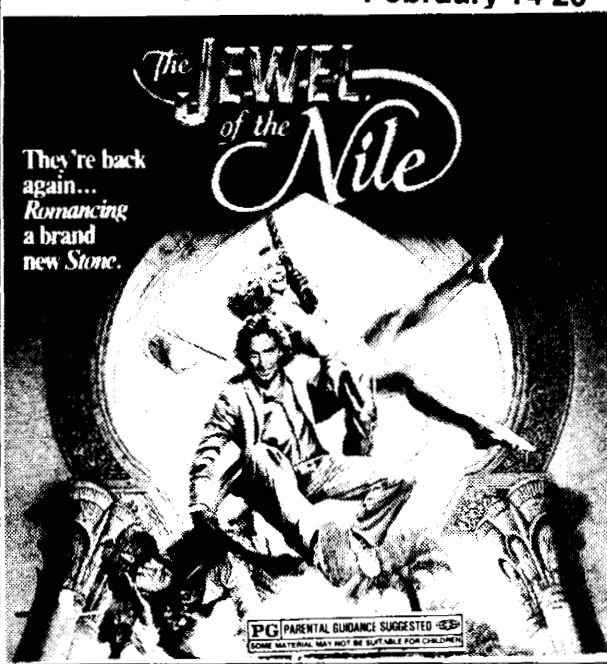
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O-G seeks talks with Cass City in boundary dispute

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visor. The group also recommended that the honor be for seniors only; that a decision will be made prior to the regular board meeting, and that if one person gets a majority of the votes, then that student will be

chosen. Following discussion, it was announced that Roger Godinez had been selected as Student of the Month for February. He was one of nine winners from Owen-Gage in the recent competition sponsored by the Business Office Education Club (BOEC).

SALARY INCREASES

Part of Monday's meeting was in executive session to allow the board to discuss negotiations on new contracts for administrators. Following that, the board agreed to hire Superintendent Erickson for next year, with a four percent salary increase this year. High School Principal Wright was also re-hired for next year, and given a four percent pay raise this year. Elementary School Principal William Britt was hired for the same position next year, and given a salary increase of four percent this year.

In some follow-up action to discussion last month, the board voted to implement a vocal music program as soon as possible in the district. Board members were told that choir would be added to the junior high school elective program, which now includes art, shop, and home economics. Choir will then be taught for one hour per day, with the students changing classes every nine weeks. The vocal music teacher would also teach at least one hour per day at the elementary school. The new program will cost the district about \$5,600 per year. The decision to add the vocal music program followed a presentation last month from Andrea Hofmeister of Gagetown.

SKILL CENTER

A procedure to be used for the selecting of students to attend the new skill center in Bad Axe was adopted by the board. Under that plan, all sophomores and juniors will fill out a new class request form, ranking the classes they want in order of preference. If they have more than the minimum number of credits needed, the students with the highest number of points from a combination of attendance, and suggested background courses will have first

chance for each class. If more than two students have the same number of points for a class at the skill center, then names will be drawn by a lottery. The first two drawn will be entitled to that class. The board was told that all of the other school districts in Huron County, with the possible exception of Bad Axe, will be using this kind of procedure.

A letter was received by the board from members of the Business Office Education Club, which told of a scheduling conflict March 14. A state leadership conference for BOEC is scheduled on that date in Detroit, while a band festival will also be taking place in Flint. Several of the BOEC members are also in the band, and have been told that they must go to the band competition, and miss part of the leadership conference. A motion was adopted by the board stating that transportation will be made available to both Flint and Detroit, provided that the band competition starts at an early time, allowing travel between the two sites.

Administrators told the board that the number of flu cases in the Owen-Gage district has been on the increase over the past week or so. There have been between 25 and 30 students in the elementary school out with the flu, with some new cases being reported each day. At the junior and senior high school level, between 19 and 25 students are absent with the flu.

TOP STUDENTS

It was announced that Amy Draschil is the high school valedictorian for the 1985-86 school year, while Debbie Engelhardt is this year's salutatorian.

The next meeting of the board is scheduled for March 10 in Gagetown.

Lettuce or celery will crisp up more quickly if you place them in a pan of cold water along with a few slices of raw potato.

Seek help for TV-19 auction

The search is on for volunteers in Tuscola and Huron Counties who would like to help with this year's Great TV Auction for Delta College's Channel 19, WUCM-TV.

Andrea Hofmeister of Gagetown has been appointed the co-captain for the "go-getter" volunteers in this area for the annual fund raising activity. She defined a go-getter as one of the ground-stage volunteers who will contact area merchants to donate items to be sold during the live auction broadcast on Channel 19. "Go-getters are

Cancer fund drive starts for youth

A Cass City area man is heading up an effort to raise money for a Caro boy who is receiving treatment for cancer, and whose family is in need of financial assistance.

The drive was started this week by Chuck Kappen, a barber at Gerry's Hair Hut in Caro, who is a good friend of Monte Zamudio. The 15-year-old student at Caro High School was stricken with cancer in September of last year.

Kappen said he started the drive to help alleviate the financial pressures on Monte and his family. "Monte is a nice boy, and is also very brave," he said.

Kappen said he got to know Monte very well through his job at the barber shop, and was also able to obtain a wig for him because of losing his hair from treatment. Monte has been receiving chemotherapy treatment at the cancer center of Saint Mary's Hospital in Saginaw. The cost of the treatment, and the travel expenses involved are not covered by the family's insurance.

Kappen said that Monte is still able to attend school. He is hoping that his fellow students will be able to pitch in and help with the effort, as well. Kappen helped with the placement of an article about Monte's situation in the Caro High School newspaper.

Kappen said persons who would like to contribute to the drive should make their check payable to the Monte Zamudio Cancer Fund. Checks can be sent to Al and Nancy Zamudio, 1314 E. Caro Road, Caro, MI 48723.

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Lutheran women collect items for kit project

The monthly meeting of Good Shepherd Lutheran Ladies Aid was held Monday evening, Feb. 3, at the church with 14 members in attendance.

Toothbrushes and toothpaste were collected for use in hygiene kits for abused women. Next month all are to bring combs and emery boards.

A World Day of Prayer evening will be held Tuesday, Feb. 11, in Kilmanagh.

A dinner will be served for Thumb area pastors, congregational representatives and the district president March 14 at Cass City.

The turkey dinner to be held in April was discussed. Betty Fuller read a Lenten devotion entitled "A Friend in Need."

Refreshments were served by Marie Spencer and Lucille Stine.

Shabbona Area News

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BUNCO

The Bunco Group met Saturday evening, Feb. 1, with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Phillips. High was won by Mrs. Robert Wheeler, low by Alex Wheeler and door prize by Andy Hoagg. A cooperative lunch was served.

The next meeting of the group will be Feb. 15 with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith attended the fifth birthday of their great-grandson, Brian Franklin, Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Franklin of Brown City. Andy and Candice Cherniawski spent the weekend

visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Laura Cherniawski at Brown City.

UMW MEET

The Shabbona United Methodist Women met Wednesday evening, Feb. 5, with Mrs. Clair Auslander.

The meeting was called to order with prayer by Mrs. Bob Bader, president. The secretary's report was given by Mrs. Arthur Severance and the treasurer's report by Mrs. Jerry Root.

A letter was read from Bill and Rosalie Cork. The lesson on prayer and self-denial was presented by Mrs. Arlie Gray.

Plans were made to serve the Deford milk dinner

Saturday, Feb. 15, to be held at the church.

Lunch was served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be March 5 with Mrs. Bob Burns and the lesson will be by Mrs. Wilbur Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harbec of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Hall of Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher of Saginaw, Miss Merilee Leslie and Ken Krucker of Detroit, Miss Kathy Gibbard, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore and Stephan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and fam-

ily. The family celebrated Audrey's birthday. After dinner, Audrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Behr, and her sisters and brothers and their families and a few friends joined the family for dessert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith attended the Michigan Milk dinner at Marlette Saturday noon.

Mrs. Don Smith was a Monday caller of Mrs. Paul Zimmerman and to see her new baby daughter.

The Fellowship group of the Shabbona United Methodist Church had breakfast out together at Bad Axe Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Smith took Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith out to dinner Wednesday to Sandusky. They were celebrating Ralph's birthday.

The RLDS Church Women's Department of Shabbona will meet Thursday, Feb. 20, at the church annex at 11 a.m. A potluck will be held. The ladies will be working on carpet rags and quilt blocks.

15 attend St. Pancratius Women's meet

St. Pancratius Women's Council met for 6:30 Mass in memory of the late Fr. Bozek's anniversary, after which they convened in the social hall for the regular monthly meeting, Feb. 3.

Fr. Julius Spleet explained about the new chapel. The Women's Council will donate money to buy a large plant.

Twenty-one get-well and sympathy cards were sent last month.

After the meeting, card bingo was played and lunch served.

Huron County Florida picnic

The Huron County picnic will be held March 6 in Palmetto Mobile Home Club, 1201 8th Ave. W., Palmetto, Fla., located on Business Rte. 41, (just north of Bojangles Restaurant).

Registration starts at 10 a.m. Those attending are to bring their own table service and a dish to pass. Lunch starts at 12 noon.

There will be a donation of \$1.00 each for expenses.

AROUND THE FARM

Two fertilizer meetings set

By Bill Bortel



A series of two "Fertilizer, Soils and Plants" meetings will be held at the Brentwood in Caro Wednesday, Feb. 19 and 26, states Bill Bortel, Tuscola County Extension Director. The two sessions will focus on:

Session 1 - Feb. 19:

Role soil plays in holding and supplying nutrients
How nutrients move in the soil
How plants take up nutrients

How soil types affect nutrient uptake

Nitrogen - Various forms:

When to use each
Best method of applications

How much to use

Potassium - Forms:

When and how much to use

What does soil do with

Lime - Forms (Dolomitic vs Sugar Beet):

When and how much to use

Characteristic deficiency systems

Ca forms and Mg.

Session 2 - Feb. 26:

Points of interest of Jerusalem and various parts of Israel will highlight the Lenten dinner meeting of Kingston-Deford United Methodist Churches when a potluck dinner will start at 6:00.

A colorful, musical slide presentation will be presented at Deford Sunday, Feb. 16, at 7:00 p.m. by the Rev. and Mrs. C. William Bollinger.

The pastor and his wife toured in Israel, Athens, Greece and Amsterdam, Holland, in 1977. They have compiled a booklet entitled, "Echoes From the Holy Land," highlighting significant points of interest with scriptural references.

Phosphorous - Forms (MAP - DAP) and Characteristics:

Rates to use
Movement and reactions in the soil

Sulfur - Forms:

Do we need, and response of different crops

Rates to use

Micro nutrients - Forms:

Which ones are needed.

When to apply

Questions

The meeting will start at 9:45 a.m. with coffee and rolls and close at 3:00 p.m.

The cost of the two meetings is \$15.00 which will cover morning coffee, lunch, registration and materials. Registration is required at the Tuscola Extension Office in Caro by Feb. 14. Please call 673-5999...Ext. 228.

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Cpl. Hutchinson at California Marine station

Marine Lance Cpl. Paul L. Hutchinson, son of Donald R. and Geraldine Hutchinson of 4654 Spence Road, Cass City, recently reported for duty with 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, CA.

A 1984 graduate of Cass City High School, he joined the Marine Corps in August 1984.

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HEALTH TIPS

Be alert for Reye's Syndrome symptoms

The National Reye's Syndrome Foundation issued a warning alert to be aware of the symptoms of Reye's Syndrome, a fatal children's disease that has been associated with the flu, chicken pox, or an upper respiratory illness. In a recent statement from the national Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, federal health officials say the winter flu season is taking a heavy toll on school children and the outbreaks are expected to increase in coming weeks.

An epidemic of flu-type illnesses is commonly followed by an increase in the number of cases of Reye's syndrome.

Influenza has been reported in 28 states and most cases have been Type B influenza, a virus more frequently associated with outbreaks in children.

"Although its symptoms are similar to other flu viruses, Type B flu can be the forerunner of Reye's Syndrome."

Free day care**program slated**

The Tuscola County Cooperative Extension Service will be offering a free program to all Day Care providers and parents of pre-school children. This program will be held Monday, Feb. 17, 7:00-9:00 p.m., the Cooperative Extension Service meeting room. Janet Webb, a representative of the Association for Child Development, will present a program entitled: "No More Winter Blahs."

Janet's program will include recipes for nutritious snacks, new book ideas, arts and crafts and many "adouts."

For additional information, you may contact Betty Pattullo, Tuscola County Extension Home Economist at 673-5999, Ext. 228.

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Down Memory Lane

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FIVE YEARS AGO

Twenty-six attended the Baptist Judson-Berean class outing Saturday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Connell at Shabbona. They enjoyed a sleigh ride. Don Greenleaf provided music.

Timothy Muz graduated in December from Michigan State University with a B.S. degree in crop and soil science. The 1976 graduate of Cass City High School is the son of Florence Schell of Elmwood Road and the late Michael Muz.

Cass City High School junior Julie Vargo has won two blue ribbons in the East Central Michigan Scholastic Art Awards competition, which qualified her entries for national competition.

Owen-Gage opened its defense of its North Central D League title with a win Monday evening at Caseville. In the first match, Becky Howard had six ace spikes and 11 good spikes. Kris Erickson scored 12 points and Julie Andrakowicz, nine.

TEN YEARS AGO

Eleven members of the American Legion Auxiliary attended the monthly meeting Monday evening. The meeting opened with the flag presentation by Gertrude Erla and prayer by Mrs. Reva Little, substituting chaplain. Mrs. Elgene Keller presided over the business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rienstra and sons of Mt. Pleasant spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rienstra. Other guests Sunday were Mel Rienstra of Caro and his sons Dwight and Dwayne of North Branch.

Lawrence J. Rapson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edric Rapson of Gagetown, has been named Owen-Gage High School's 1975-76 Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow. State Family Leaders of Tomorrow receive a \$1,500 college scholarship.

Boy Scouting is in the midst of a mini-revival in Cass City. Eighteen months ago there were just two active scouts in Cass City. Now there are 18 boys. That's due to the work of Scoutmaster James Baker who took over when the troop was in danger of dying and has put it back on the healthy list again.

25 YEARS AGO

Dr. H.T. Donahue announced this week that he will move into his new offices on Hill Street, opposite Hills and Dales General Hospital, Friday. He will close his present offices at Pleasant Home Hospital.

The Tri-county American Legion Post has been notified by the State Legion Office that William C. O'Dell has been certified as service officer for the local

post. He will assume the duties of the late Earl Douglas.

Attending the Farmers' week program in Lansing were Mr. and Mrs. Rinerd Knoblet, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rosenberger, John Koepf and Glen Tuckey.

Robert Jackson of Uby graduated from the Radio, Electronic and Television School in Detroit Jan. 31. Attending the exercises were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jackson and Mrs. Mrs. Clifford Robinson.

Miss Mary Hanby of Grand Rapids spent the week end at her home here.

35 YEARS AGO

Mrs. R.O. Avery, Mrs. Ernest Croft, Mrs. Henry Smith and Mrs. Edward Golding attended a meeting of extension club leaders at Caro Tuesday.

The Comrade class of the Church of Christ enjoyed a social meeting at the Mack Little home Saturday evening. Twelve class members and their teacher, Mrs. Leo Ware, were present.

"Pagan Love Story" with Esther Williams and Howard Keel is being shown at the Strand Theater.

Friday, Cass City defeated Caro with a 58-23 score, keeping them next to Sebewaing, the leader in the Upper Thumb League. Cass City high point men were Bob Wallace with 14 and Tom Schwaderer scoring 11.

Morris Sowden enlisted in the U.S. Army and went to Fort Sheridan, Ill., Tuesday to be inducted into the service. He was accompanied as far as Detroit Tuesday morning by Francis Sowden, Arthur Battel and Rodney Karr.

Owen-Gage BOEC members to advance

The Owen-Gage High School chapter of Business and Office Education Club (BOEC) participated in the Region II Competitive Events held at Baker Junior College in Flint.

Nine of 17 students who competed placed in the top eight:

Roger Godinez, 1st, Typing II; Tiffany Reinhardt, 3rd, Receptionist; Mike Mandich, 3rd, Data Processing Computer I; Dave Peters, 5th, Data Processing Computer I; Ron Good, 5th, Accounting I; Cindy Enderle, 5th, Banking Services; Kendra Reehl, 5th, Prepared Verbal I; Amy Thies, 8th, Job Interview I; Steve Czap, 8th, Economic Awareness.

They will advance to competition at the 1986 State Leadership Conference to be held in Detroit in March. Eight other members will also attend workshops and leadership training events at the conference. They will be accompanied by their advisor, Mrs. Peggy Randall.

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weekend with their respective parents, Mary Downing and Mrs. W.C. Hunter. Mrs. Alma Wald and Miss Mary Wald returned home last Sunday after visiting two weeks in Keller, TX, with Mr. and Mrs. David Merz. On their return they were dinner guests of Mike and Nell Wald. When they left on the trip, and were taken by the Bill Merz family of Saginaw, to catch their flight at Metropolitan Airport, Mrs. Wald's grandson, Billy Merz, was thrilled to catch sight of the Los Angeles Lakers also preparing to board a plane. Mrs. Carl Sieland of Caro, Mrs. Jerome Rocheleau of Cass City, Velma Helwig and Harry and Gen Kehoe were dinner guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rocheleau of Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Ziehm left last week for their visit in Arizona and before their departure, they were joined last Sunday at the Methodist Church brunch by Mrs. Ziehm's family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Kruse of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beutel of Pinconning, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beutel and Mr. and Mrs. Alden Arbuckle of Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Nate Joles. Also attending were a niece and nephew, Judy and Charles Wright. Sisters and brother and other spouses spent the day at the Ziehm home and enjoyed supper together at the Charmont in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Seurnyck are visiting their daughter, Mary Lee Houghton, and family in

Dallas, TX.

News has been received of deaths in the recent past of Mrs. Ruth Bognar Reynolds of Caro, Mrs. Steve (Helen) Kovach of Unionville and Sherman Roberts of Troy. Mrs. Reynolds is well remembered from the days she worked as sexton here at Elmwood Cemetery No. 1. The Kovach family were former residents, farming at west Bay City Forestville Rd. Mr. Roberts died last week at age 91 at the home of his daughter in Chicago, Ill. His funeral took place Thursday at Guardian Angel Catholic Church in Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. Murl LaFave were overnight guests last Sunday of their daughter and granddaughter, Lynette and Brooke Weatherhead of Flushing. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Comment returned home Wednesday after spending the past two weeks with Kathy Diebel and family in Marietta, GA.

Mrs. Anita Benitez of Elkton was a recent visitor at the home of Mrs. Joe Leyva and Mrs. Leyva's granddaughter, Tiffany Leyva of Caro, spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lorencz

planned to leave Feb. 15 for a trip to Oklahoma City, OK, to visit Mrs. Lorencz' parents. Their date of departure was changed with news of the sudden death of Mrs. Lorencz' father, and they left Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Adams are spending the winter in Florida, at Peace River. Their daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Avery of Munger, and their granddaughters, Tammy Avery of Munger, and Kim Voecker of Sterling Heights, were recent visitors, spending eight days with the Adamses, and visiting others in the area, Jiggs and Vada Connally, Paul and Sophie Shafer, Evelyn Hackney, Rhea Christie, Vic and Edith Hammink, Keith and Marie Divine, Louis and Esther Corbett and Jen and Marge Boro.

Bob and Donna Dunn, Willie Matt and Wina spent last week end in Mio for snowmobiling in the area. Mrs. Shirley Wood has sold her home in Akron and has moved to Fairgrove.

Martha Blehm visited her cousin, Mrs. Dorothy Baerwolf of Sandusky, Friday morning. Mrs. Baerwolf was a patient at Hills and Dales Hospital, Cass City.

Your neighbor says

July 4th festival is enjoyable work

Dave Lovejoy stepped down last week as a co-chairman of the Cass City 4th of July Festival Committee, and dropped by the Chronicle office to say thank you to a large number of people.

Lovejoy said he is looking forward to helping the new committee, and would like to thank everyone in the community for the support they have given over the years. "I have enjoyed everything I have done with the festival. It is hard work, but in the end, it is also a lot of fun," he said. He described his involvement with the event as being very rewarding, especially on the day of the festival itself.

Lovejoy said he feels the festival is helping to fill a void in the Thumb because

of there being a lack of things for teenagers to do. "With the festival being a family event, I would like to see more activities for the junior high school-age young people to do on the day of the festival."

Going back to when he first accepted the job, Lovejoy said serving as a co-chairman did not turn out to be more of an effort than he thought it would be. He gave a lot of credit to his co-workers, Roland Pakonen and Curt Strickland. "I think we were a really good team. We didn't feel pressured, and we had a lot of help," he said. "People are so good, if you just ask them. I think sometimes we are afraid to ask for help when it is needed."

When asked if he had any advice for the new festival committee, Lovejoy said, "I think the members should follow their instincts. Go with some new ideas. I think the people are ready for that." Lovejoy points to the idea of adding mud volleyball last year which was first mentioned while he was eating lunch with some students and staff at the high school. "We were talking about a mud football game at the University of Michigan, and that led us to volleyball," he said. Lovejoy said he feels that event is going to snowball this year, and is just one example of what creative thinking can do for the festival.



Dave Lovejoy, former co-chairman of the Cass City 4th of July Festival Committee, is pictured here.

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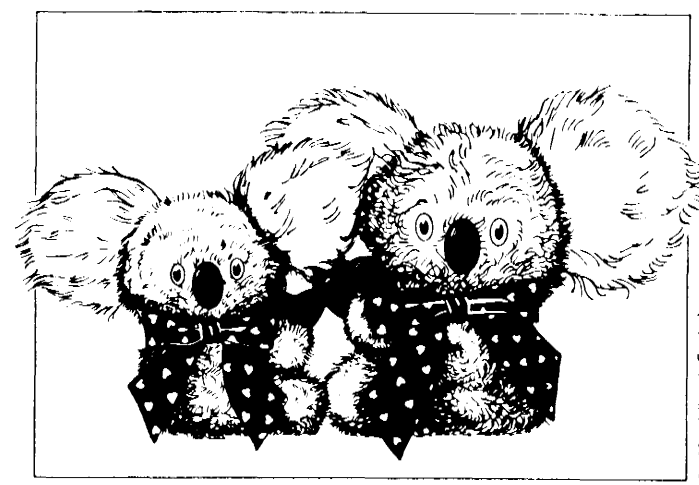
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Leslie Hewitt spent from Thursday through Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bredow.

Brent Jackson of Harbor Beach is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. in Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gibbard of Bad Axe were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard's 27th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Ken Osentoski was a Monday forenoon guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland, Carol Laming and Annie Pelton.

Larry Silver, Tiffany and Lindsay of Bay City were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Reva Silver.

Dean Booms of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Booms of Harbor Beach and Ken Sweeney of Uby were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

Allan McCarty came home after spending a few days in Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ross and family at Harietta in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar were Thursday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Slezak at Harper Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and Dan.

Kathryn Tyrrell spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Bermiller, John

and Steven at Midland.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Pontiac spent from Friday through Sunday with Mrs. Alex Cleland, Annie Pelton, Carol Laming and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace and family.

Edanna Sweeney and David were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krug.

Mrs. George Jackson spent Friday afternoon with Margaret Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer of Bad Axe were Thursday afternoon guests and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Huff of Bad Axe were Thursday evening guests.

Jack Krug visited Lynn Fuester in Cass City Wednesday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mrs. Leonard Shoemaker and Randy visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar Thursday forenoon.

Mrs. George Jackson and Don were Monday supper and evening guests of Kathy Martinez and Al Wagner.

Mrs. Evans Gibbard visited Mrs. Jim Curtis Saturday and Mrs. Carl Gibbard visited Mrs. Jim Curtis Sunday at Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City.

Jerry Cleland was a Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

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

Reva Silver visited Edanna Sweeney Tuesday.

Edanna Sweeney Tuesday.

Games were played and prizes were given. Mrs. Persells received many gifts.

A buffet luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Wednesday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman in Cass City.

Beth Schenk spent Thursday with Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stirett in Bad Axe.

Jim Hewitt visited Ella Mae Becker in Cass City Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Glaza came home Sunday after spending a month in Arcadia, Zephyrhills and Holiday, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. and Lavina of Oxford spent the weekend at their home here.

Brenda Tyrrell spent the weekend at Ferris State College at Big Rapids.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson Jr. of Roseville spent the weekend with Lorene Bowron.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hunt were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sweeney of Saginaw spent the weekend with Edanna Sweeney and David in honor of Edanna Sweeney's birthday.

Stephen Knowles of Pontiac spent the weekend with Ruth Knowles and Randall.

Cliff Robinson came home Friday, Jan. 31, after spending last week in Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe. Visitors throughout the week were Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor and Danny of Minden City and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and family, Saturday; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson of Roseville, Lorene Bowron of Bad Axe, Roger Kincaid of Uby and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, Connie and Vickie of Cass City, Sunday; Charlotte Albrandt of Caro, Monday; Ron Shiestel, Jim Osentoski and Bob Sweeney, Tuesday; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Nichol, Wednesday; Chuck Carpenter, Carl and Linda Krumanecker and Jack Tyrrell, Thursday.

Mrs. Ken Osentoski and Mark Matthews were Wednesday evening guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peters of Mt. Morris were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and Dan and afternoon guests of Mrs. George Jackson and Don.

Wayne Sweeney spent Saturday and Jim A. Sweeney and Bruce spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

Bernice Gracey was a Sunday overnight and Monday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hortop and family at Imlay City.

School menus

- ELEMENTARY**

FEB. 17-21

MONDAY

Reagan Ravioli/Roll or McCarter (Chicken)
Patty on Bun
Grant Green Beans
Madison Mixed Fruit Milk

TUESDAY

Pizza or Grilled Cheese
Hot Buttered Corn
Peachy Peaches Milk

WEDNESDAY

Mexican Tacos or P.B. & Jelly
Sweet Baby Peas
Chunky Pineapple Milk

THURSDAY

Spicy Chili/Crackers or Hammyburger
Vegetable
Michigan Applesauce
Chocolate Pudding Milk

FRIDAY

Fishwich or Coney Dog
Golden French Fries
Fruit Milk

SECONDARY

FEB. 17-21

MONDAY

Reagan Ravioli/Roll or McCarter (Chicken)
Patty on Bun
Grant Green Beans
Madison Mixed Fruit Milk

TUESDAY

Crispito with Cheese or Hawkburger
Hot Buttered Corn
Chilled Peaches Milk

WEDNESDAY

Mexican Tacos or Polish Sausage/Bun
Sweet Peas
Chunky Pineapple Milk

THURSDAY

Spicy Chili/Crackers or Hoagie on Bun
Vegetable
Michigan Applesauce
Chocolate Pudding Milk

FRIDAY

Fishwich or Coney Dog
Golden French Fries
Fruit Milk

PINK & BLUE SHOWER

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February 17, 1986

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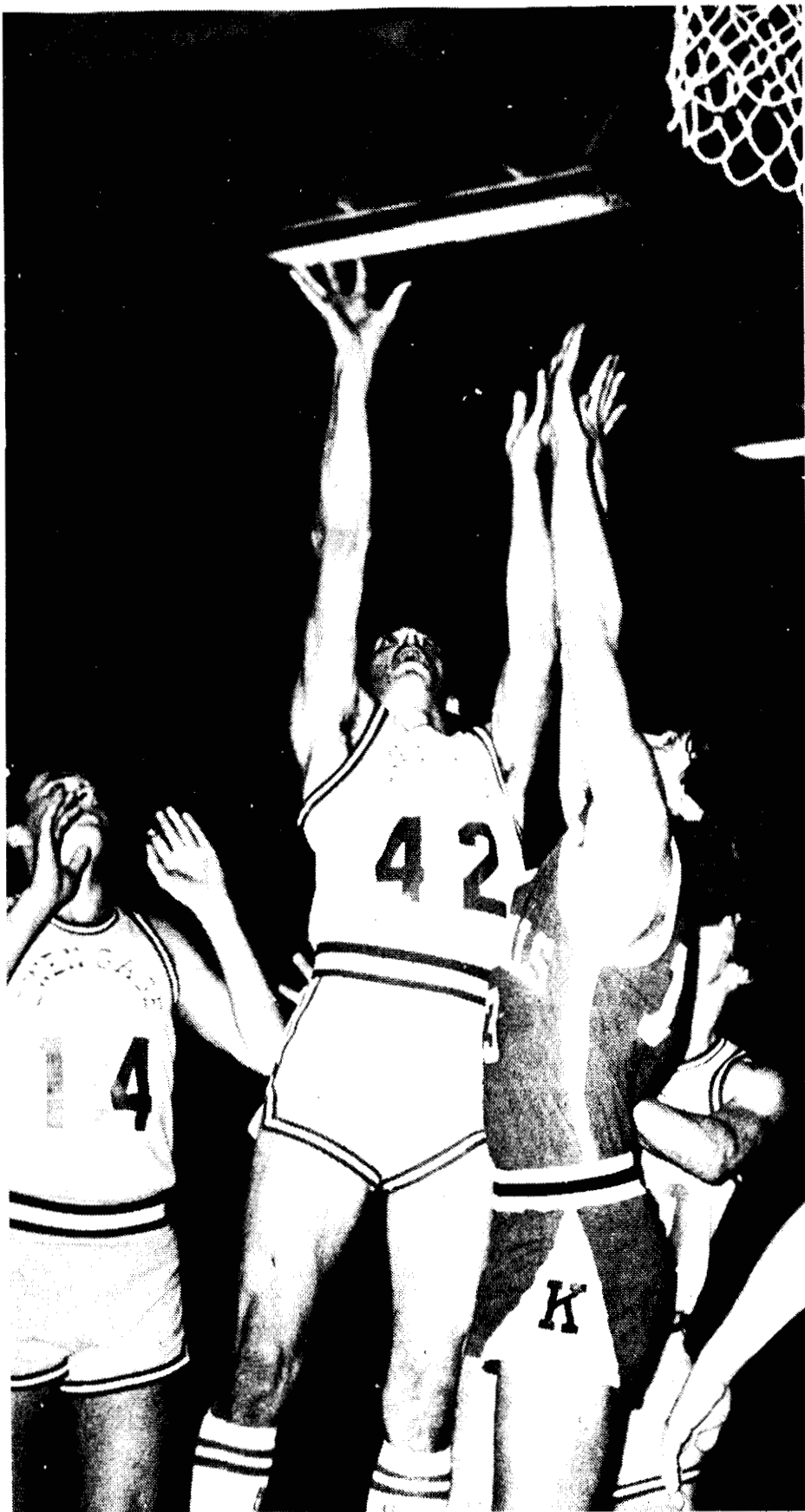
Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls

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The Polls for the said Election will be open from 7 o'clock A.M., and remain open until 8 o'clock P.M., of the same Election day.

Joyce A. LaRoche, Village Clerk



RON SUSALLA of Owen-Gage puts up a shot from close in as Stu Stirrett waits for a possible rebound against Kingston. The Cardinals won easily over the visiting Bulldogs.

Kingston continues to dominate D league hoop

The Kingston Cardinals showed why they are on top of the North Central D Conference Friday with a convincing victory over visiting Owen-Gage, 72-35.

The Cardinals jumped off to a first quarter lead and never looked back. The closest that the Bulldogs could come to the league

leaders came with 3:50 left in the first period when Steve Root hit the second of two short jumpers to pull within a bucket at 6-4.

The Cardinals then took control and moved in front 12-6 at the end of the quarter.

The two teams traded baskets in the first six minutes of the second quarter

before Kingston staged a run to settle the issue at the half.

It was 24-12 with 2:50 left before the intermission and by halftime the rampaging Cardinals were in front 32-16.

Coach Leon Westover started to go to his bench

for part of the third quarter with the big lead, although the regulars started the final period and played briefly.

Both coaches went to their benches in the last half of the final period.

Coach Dean Roller said that his team just didn't

play very well after two good performances in the previous games. One of the strengths of the Cardinals is the guards. They led the press that bothered the Bulldogs much of the night.

Mike Megge controlled the play and ran the Cardinals' offense well all night. In addition he scored 14 points. Dave Green was the Kingston high scorer with 19 points.

For Owen-Gage, Root led the attack with 11 points. Kingston held Stu Stirrett to just seven points, well below his season's average.

O-G falls to Deckerville

The Owen-Gage Bulldogs fell to Deckerville Tuesday, Feb. 4, in a game much closer than the final 71-56 score indicates.

With about 1½ minutes left in the game, the Bulldogs trailed by just five points, but faded when they tried to get turnovers with the press.

It was another of the fine sophomores in the league

that proved to be a thorn in the side of the Bulldogs. Tom Stolicer whipped in 35 points to pace the winners' attack.

For awhile it looked as if Deckerville was going to have little trouble. The visitors posted a 14-9 first period lead and stretched it to 33-24 at the half.

Before the Bulldogs started the last quarter rally, Deckerville had stretched its lead to 55-40.

It was just too much for Owen-Gage to overcome, especially after Stu Stirrett fouled out at the end of the third quarter and Dave Root left with fouls with five minutes remaining.

Owen-Gage showed balanced scoring as Ron Susalla netted 11 points and Stirrett, Root and Rick Salcido each scored 10.

Deckerville junior varsity made it a clean sweep for the night with a 74-43 decision in the preliminary.

NORTH CENTRAL THUMB LEAGUE

Kingston	10	1	12	2
Caseville	10	2	12	3
North Huron	9	2	9	5
Deckerville	9	3	10	5
Peck	5	6	5	9
Port Hope	4	8	4	10
Owen-Gage	2	10	3	12
CPS	2	10	2	13
Akron-Fair	1	10	1	13

Friday's Results

Peck 73, CPS 52
Kingston 72, Owen-Gage 35
Deckerville 68, Port Hope 61
Caseville 64, North Huron 59, OT

Box score: Owen-Gage: Dave Salcido 1-0-2; Stirrett, 2-3-7; Root, 5-1-11; Dave Peters, 1-2-4; Ron Susalla, 1-3-5; Dave Laurie, 3-0-6. Totals 13-9/17-35.

Kingston: Dave Megge, 2-0-4; Mark James, 2-2-6; Mike Megge, 6-2-14; Mark Reehl, 5-1-11; Marty Pleasant, 0-3-3; Dean Scheckles, 2-2-6; Green, 7-5-19; Kale Koehler, 3-0-6; Jeff Barden, 0-1-1; Gary Jaster, 1-0-2. Totals, 28-16/25-72.

6th in league

Hawk grapplers fall to Caro

League leading Caro continued its domination over the Cass City Red Hawks last week with a one-sided 65-6 decision at Caro.

The Hawks who are 1-6 in the Thumb B Association were shutout by Caro except in the 198-pound class which Jeff Reed won by forfeit.

The closest that Cass City came to scoring a decision

was in the 135-pound class where Mark Kappen was outpointed by Scott Tod, 8-5. According to Coach Don Markel, other wrestlers that performed well but were decisioned were Mike Mikolon, 145 pounds, and Chuck Merchant, 167 pounds.

The results:

Larry Curtis, CC, pinned by Steve King, C.
Dave Osentoski, CC, pinned by Nathan Brown, C.
John Kritzman, CC, pinned by Roger Broadworth, C.

Dennis Smith, CC, pinned by Mike Zamvadio, C.
Bill Kappen, CC, decisioned by Joel Wright, C, 15-0.

Mark Kappen, CC, decisioned by Scott Tod, C, 8-5.

Barry Brown, CC, decisioned by Mark Kettlehus, C, 14-6.

Mike Mikolon, CC, decisioned by Roger Eremia, C, 33-4.

John Lebiada, CC, pinned by Andy Lynch, C.
Chuck Merchant, CC, pinned by Ron Ruppert, C.

Pat McDonald, CC, decisioned by Dan Merz, C, 22-6.

Jeff Reed, CC, won by forfeit.

Jeff Lince, C, won by forfeit.

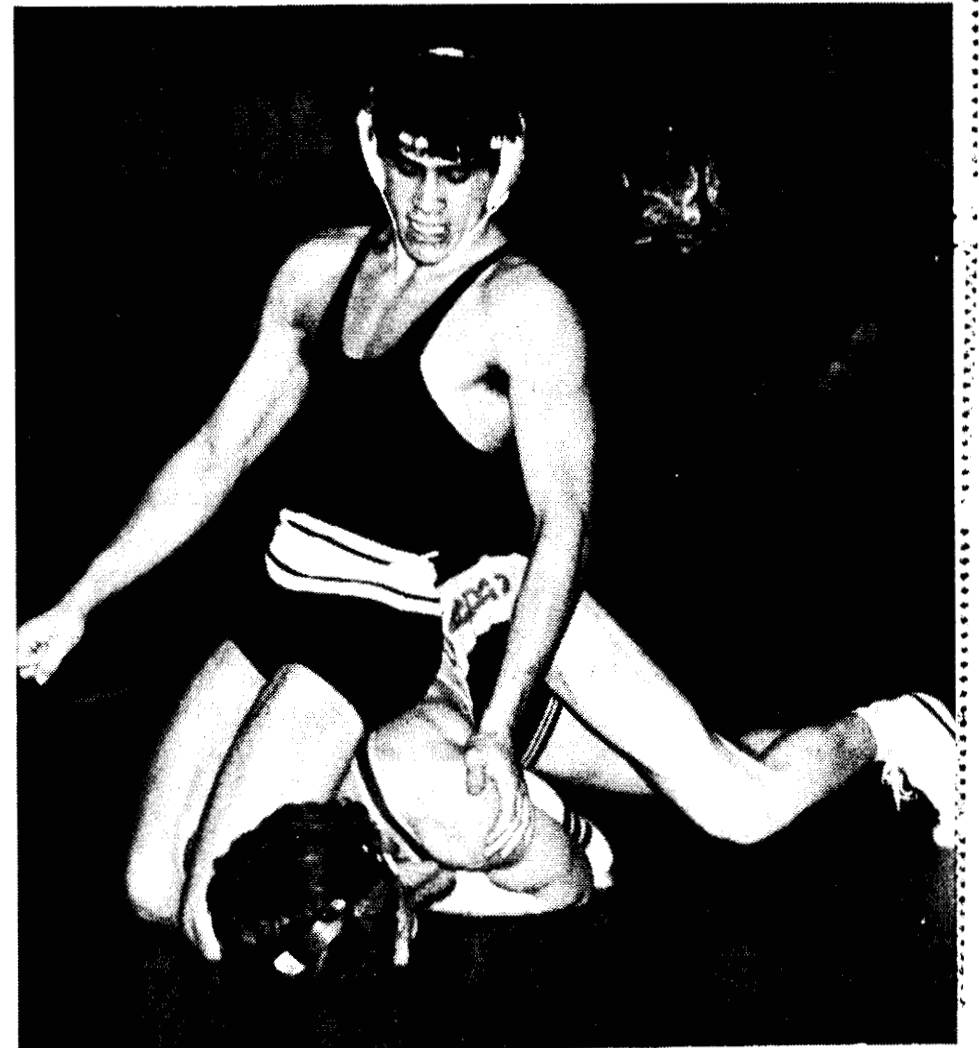
THUMB B MEET

Cass City finished sixth in the Thumb B Association wrestling meet at Imlay City Saturday while the Caro Tigers won easily with winners in six weight classes.

The teams finished in the following order: Caro, Bad Axe, Marlette, Imlay City, Lakers, Cass City and Vassar.

Cass City's points were earned by the following wrestlers: Mark Kappen, second at 132 pounds, losing again to Tod of Caro, 10-1. John Lebiada, 155 pounds, third; Chuck Merchant, 167 pounds, third.

Fourth place points were earned by Jeff Reed, 198 pounds; Mike Mikolon, 145 pounds; Bill Kappen, 119 pounds; John Kritzman, 112 pounds, and Larry Curtis, 98 pounds.



MARK KAPPEN scored points for this take down, but still lost a close decision to Caro's Scott Tod Friday at Caro.

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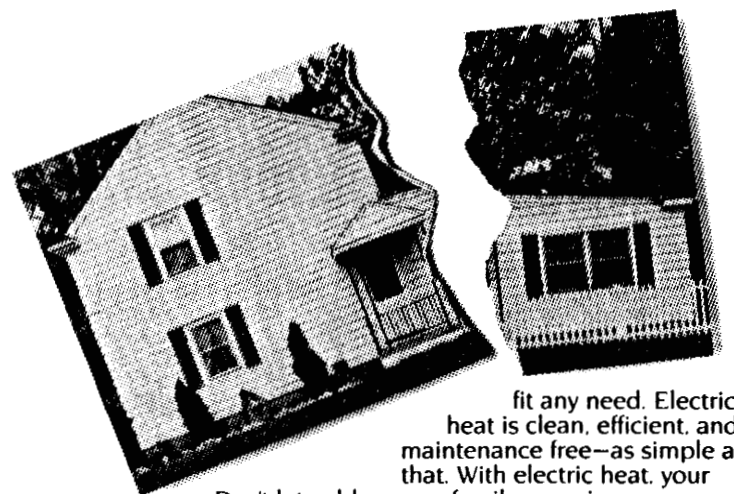
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Hawks win to earn split with Marlette, 67-64

The Cass City Red Hawks basketball team evened the score with the Marlette Red Raiders Friday, winning the second game between the teams, after losing the first, but it wasn't easy. The Hawks and the Red Raiders went right to the wire before Cass City was able to post the game in the win column, 67-64.

With 50 seconds left, Marlette capped a rally move to within a single point of Cass City as Darren Hazen hit both ends of one and one free throw opportunity.

With 20 seconds left, the Raiders had the ball and an opportunity to go ahead. The shot missed and, with 12 seconds left, Mike Kelley was fouled. With the game on the line, he converted both shots and that was the ball game.

In the first game between the two schools, Marlette

came from behind in the last quarter to win. It looked for awhile as if history was going to repeat itself.

Late in the third quarter, Scott Adams converted a pair of free throws and the Hawks led, 49-42. But behind Jim Fleming, the long range Marlette bomber, the Red Raiders came back.

He took charge of the offense and scored nine of his 17 points to keep Marlette on the heels of the Hawks.

Marlette jumped off to a big lead in the first half of the first quarter. Darren Hazen scored the first six points for the visitors and Steve Redmond and Fleming each added buckets and the Raiders were off and running with a 12-4 lead midway in the period.

Cass City started to close the gap, behind Kelley and Dave Miller. Kelley whip-

ped in four buckets and Miller added a couple more and by the end of the quarter, Cass City trailed by a single bucket, 18-16.

Kurt Bliss took over for the Hawks in the opening minutes of the second period. Against the Marlette zone, he whipped in three shots in a row from the corner and when Miller added another basket with 5:47 left in the half, Cass City went in front for the first time in the game, 24-22.

After that the score changed hands six times before the Hawks spurted in the last minute and a half with nine unanswered points to lead 39-34 at the intermission.

Cass City maintained a

lead all of the third quarter before Marlette staged its rally and almost pulled the game out of the fire.

Coach Ron Nurnberger said that Virgil Peters off the bench provided a defensive spark for Cass City and he pointed to the work of Dennis Hyatt as another strong plus for the Hawks.

Hyatt played the center position in the absence of Dan Ware, who was sidelined with an ankle injury.

Cass City was led by Kelley with 24 points. Bliss added 16 and Miller 14 points.

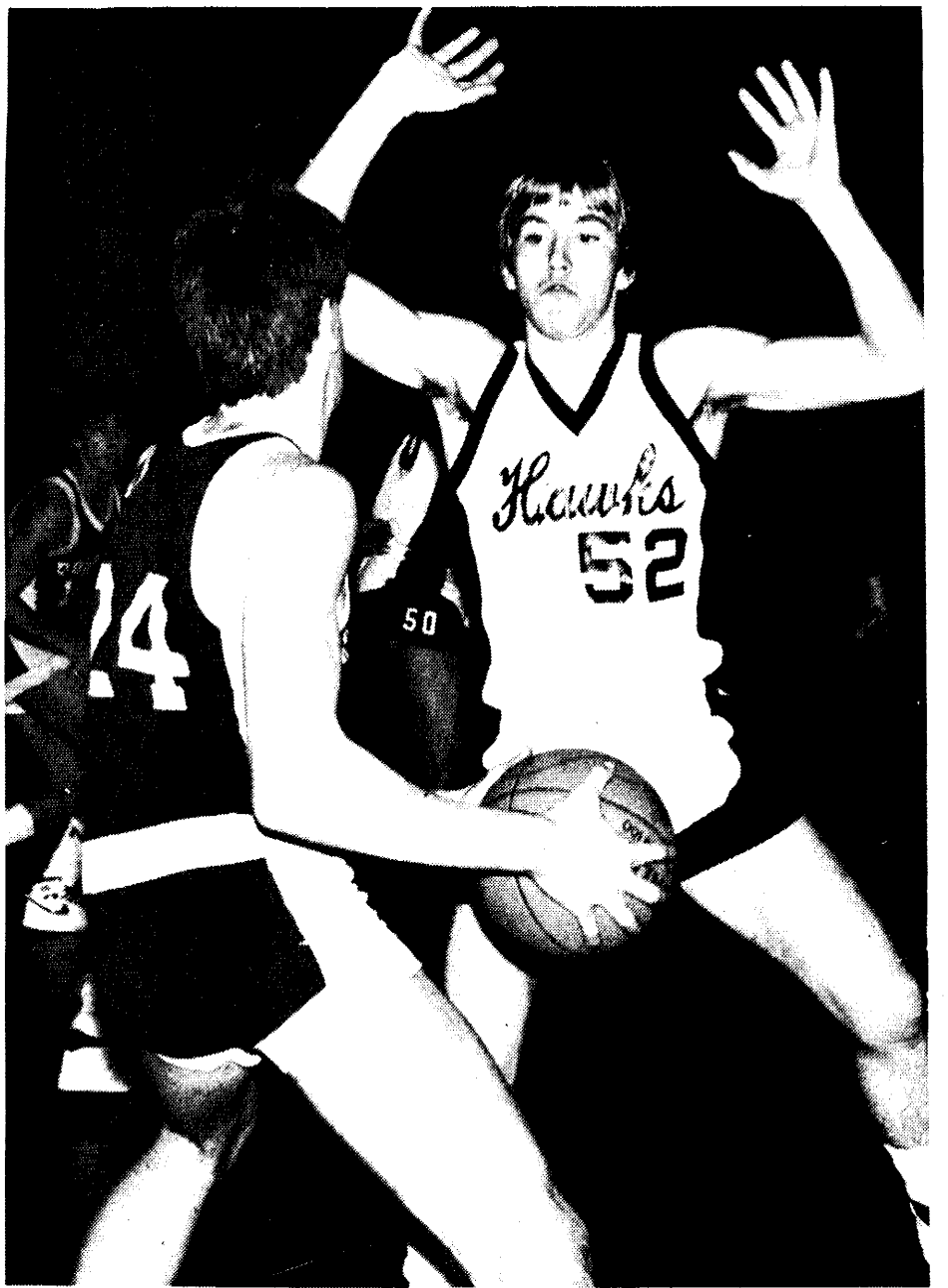
JV'S WIN

It was an easy win for the Cass City junior varsity.

They won 66-38.

CASS CITY	FG	FT	PTS
Peters	1-3	0-1	2
Adams	0-1	2-2	2
Ross	1-2	1-2	3
Miller	5-10	4-5	14
Bliss	8-17	0-1	16
Kelley	7-12	10-12	24
Hyatt	2-4	2-5	6
	24-49	19-28	67

MARLETTE	FG	FT	PTS
Fleming	8	1-2	17
Kolomak	2	-	4
Pasek	1	3-4	5
Moore	3	0-1	6
Redmond	4	3-3	11
Hazen	5	2-2	12
Fishell	1	1-2	3
Harbin	2	2-4	6
	26-59	12-18	64



Broncos end title hopes for Hawks

It's a fight now for second place in the Thumb B Association as the Cass City Red Hawks' last faint hopes for a share of the Thumb B Association title went glimmering with a loss Tuesday at North Branch, 53-36.

It was a dismal performance, Coach Ron Nurnberger said, and the statistics proved it. The Hawks shot 26 percent from the field and 33 percent from the free throw line.

Despite the lopsided final score, the game was close until midway through the final period. At the end of three quarters the game was tied at 32-all.

Cass City went stone cold dead in the final period. The Hawks scored just one basket in the first four minutes when the game was on the line and dropped behind 41-34 and were forced to foul in an attempt to get back into the game.

The Broncos proved deadly from the foul circle converting six of nine attempts.

Cass City was hampered by the loss of Dave Miller

and Kurt Bliss with fouls. Both players picked up bench time with three fouls in the first half. Miller picked up his fourth early in the third quarter and sat on the bench again until the start of the last quarter. He fouled out with 3:44 left in the game. In all he played a little over half the game. Bliss played about three quarters.

Bliss and Miller provided what little offense Cass City was able to muster against the quick, aggressive North Branch zone defense.

Miller put on a scoring spurt briefly in the last half of the first period and the start of the second quarter before picking up his third foul.

Bliss rammed home three quick baskets in the third period, after Miller was benched, to keep the Hawks in the game.

There wasn't anything else for Hawk fans to cheer about. Dan Ware went out in the second half with an ankle injury and Mike Kelley suffered a similar injury that reduced his effectiveness. Kelley has been one of the top scorers for Cass City in recent games and the Broncos held him to just four points. His usually effective jumper from 12 feet just wouldn't fall.

The Hawks' press just didn't bother the Broncos' Ron Porritt who controlled the ball and converted three key free throws down the stretch.

Porritt led the Broncos with 16 points while Jim Shelton added 14. Miller scored 15 and Bliss, 12, for Cass City.

JV WINS

The Hawk junior varsity had an easy time leading all the way in a 61-36 decision.

THUMB B ASSOCIATION (Through Feb. 7)

	League	Over-all
Lakers	9 0 11 3	
Cass City	7 3 10 5	
North Branch	6 3 10 4	
Vassar	6 4 6 8	
Marlette	4 6 5 9	
Caro	4 6 4 10	
Bad Axe	2 7 3 11	
Imlay City	0 9 0 13	

Friday's Results

Cass City 67, Marlette 64
North Branch at Lakers
ppd. weather
Imlay City at Bad Axe, ppd. weather
Vassar 55, Caro 51

JV spikers split 2 games

The Cass City JV volleyball team split games last week against Thumb Association teams. Monday, Feb. 3, the Hawks lost at Imlay City, taking the first game, 15-6, and losing the next two, 15-11 and 15-7.

Thursday, Cass City topped visiting Marlette, winning the first two games and the match, 15-2 and 15-10, before dropping the last game, 15-12.

CASS CITY'S Dennis Hyatt puts the defensive pressure on Mike Costello of North Branch. Cass City's defense was better than its offense as the Broncos won, 53-36, Tuesday.

Benefit bowl-a-thon set

Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Inc. of Tuscola County has an increasing caseload and would like to increase its staff to help children from one-parent families, Lucy B. Schiller, executive director, announced this week.

To do it, more money is needed and the organization has organized a "bowl for kids' sake" at the Brentwood in Caro.

The event is a bowl-a-

thon that depends on payments of pledges by sponsors who are found by bowlers on participating teams.

The sponsor pledges a set amount per pin per bowler sponsored and Saturday, March 15, is Celebrity Bowl day when participants compete for prizes by bowling one free game.

Bowlers' scores are figured by the score of the bowler times the amount

pledged per pin. For every five pledges collected, participating bowlers receive one chance to win the early bird grand prize drawing. All money must be turned in by April 27.

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Pheasant raising

DNR asking clubs to help

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"In the past, we've had great success with sports groups assisting the Department in the raising and releasing of these pheasants to help increase Michigan's wild pheasant numbers," says DNR Wildlife Biologist Martin Pollok. "Last year 29 clubs participated, raising more than 17,000 birds. We hope their interest and participation will continue again this year."

The Department will donate up to 30,000 day-old pheasant chicks to the participating sports groups. The clubs, in turn, will be required to provide all food and materials necessary to

maintain the birds in a healthy condition for at least 12 weeks and be required to retain or establish specific habitat in the release areas for the birds.

Each club will attend a pheasant workshop in its local area where DNR personnel will instruct their members in proper pheasant rearing and husbandry. Each club will be requested to sign a contractual agreement with the Department prior to receiving the pheasants.

The chicks will be delivered during the month of May. Participating sports groups must release the birds no later than Oct. 15.

Sports groups interested in participating in this program should contact, prior to April 1, Martin Pollok, DNR Wildlife Division, P.O. box 30028, Lansing MI 48909 or call 517-373-1263. Information is also available from any of DNR's 13 District Offices located throughout the state.

County crew patches M-81

The road to Caro from Cass City should be quite a bit smoother to travel over, thanks to the efforts of repair crews with the Tuscola County Road Commission last week.

Commission Clerk Jim Miklovic said the patching of M-81 using asphalt was done Thursday. He described the process as filling the holes that are along the joints of the pavement. "The joints are the part of the road's surface that make the clicking noise as your tires go over them," he said.

Miklovic said these are the road problems that develop around this time of the year. "As the road crews drive around the county, they keep an eye

out for repairs that are needed. Since we were caught up on our snow plowing, and had a few days of good weather, we decided it was a good time to put some of our asphalt to use," he said.

Miklovic added that the holes along the joints show up on the State highways earlier than they do on the other roads. "The road crews have not done too much on the county roads yet," he said.

Motorists using M-81 between Cass City and Caro didn't have long to see the asphalt on the dry pavement last week, as all of the work done by the Tuscola County Road Commission was covered with snow Friday.

Cass City Bowling Leagues

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Mr. Kelly's Market	32
Kermit's Crushers	31
Maurer Construction	22

High Series: J. Osborn	608
J. Millett's	592
Rabideau	575
K. Martin Jr.	568
Del Miller	568
E. Schulz	558
High Games: J. Osborn	212
High Team Series: Mr. Kelly's Market	2916
High Team Game: Mr.	

Kelly's Market 1026.

High Team Series to Date: Kingston IGA 3131.
High Team Game to Date: Kingston IGA 1143.
High Individual Series to Date: G. Benaruder 737.
High Individual Game to Date: M. Jackson 287.
High Individual Average to Date: K. Martin Jr. 190.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "B"

Feb. 3, 1986

Round 2 Finals

D & D Construction	47
Cass City IGA	46
Frank's Maxi Muffler	46
Doerr Farms	45
Kilbourn Tech Supply	40
Deford Country Grocery	36
Miller Eggs, Inc.	35
Blue Harvestore	35
Kelly & Co.	28

Circuit Court

3 sent to jail

A former inmate at the Camp Tuscola minimum-security prison near Caro was sentenced in Tuscola County Circuit Court last Monday, Feb. 3.

Jesus C. Gonzales, 28, of Camp Tuscola, appeared before Circuit Court Judge Patrick R. Joslyn. He was sentenced after pleading guilty to possession of a controlled substance (marijuana) while on prison property. The judge gave Gonzales a sentence of between 24 months and five years at the State Prison in Jackson to be served consecutively with the sentence that he is now serving. Officials with the Department of Corrections said the charge stems from an incident that occurred on the grounds of Camp Tuscola Nov. 30, 1985.

James R. Anderson, 18, of Vassar, also appeared in Circuit Court in Caro last Monday, after pleading guilty to a charge of attempted delivery of marijuana. He was sentenced to 180 days in the

Tuscola County Jail, with credit given for five days already served. Part of the sentence, 120 days, will be deferred to the end of his probation which will last three years. Anderson was also fined \$150, and charged court costs of \$100.

David S. Guerin, 19, of Millington, was arraigned on charges of possession of burglary tools, and the breaking and entering of a coin-operated device. He pleaded guilty to entering a coin-operated machine, which was accepted by the court. Bond in the case was set at \$30,000. Sentencing will be scheduled at a later date.

MSU head to speak in Caro

Michigan State University President Dr. John DiBiaggio will be the guest of honor for the third annual meeting of the Tuscola County Alumni and Friends of Michigan State University to be held April 8 in Caro.

The meeting is open to all MSU alumni and friends, and will be held at the Caro Knights of Columbus Hall on Ryan Road, south of Caro. The annual session is scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m., and dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m.

One of the many people who is looking forward to the event is Tuscola County MSU Alumni Club Secretary Harold Perry. "To my knowledge, this is the first time that Dr. DiBiaggio has come to Tuscola County," he said.

Perry said that ticket prices are the same as last year, \$8.50 per person, and will go on sale in March. "But because the K of C Hall will hold a maximum of about 225 persons, the tickets and will be sold on a first come-first serve basis," he added. Reservations for tickets to the annual meeting may be made by contacting Perry at 4331 S. Seeger Street, or by calling 872-3016. He said the officers of the Alumni Club would like to fill the hall for the MSU President.

Perry describes Dr. DiBiaggio as "a very dynamic speaker" after having the opportunity to hear him give a presentation earlier. DiBiaggio, 53, became the 17th president of Michigan

Warju Flooring 27

High Series: G. Howard 526.
High Games: R. Rabideau 214, B. McLachlan 211.
High Team Series: D & D Construction 2669.

High Team Game: Doerr Farms 949.
High Team Series to Date: Doerr Farms 2885.
High Team Game to Date: Doerr Farms 1042.

High Individual Series to Date: D. Roth 695.
High Individual Games to Date: T. Comment, J. Zawilinski 279.
High Individual Average to Date: J. Zawilinski 181.
Winner of First Round: Kermit's Crushers.

FRIDAY NIGHT DOUBLES

Feb. 7, 1986

K.P.'s	32
The Family	31
B.B. & The Boys	30
Cass City VFW	28
All-Wrights	24
Bee Gees	19
Four of Us	17
Incredibles	16
Colwood Bar	16
Roadrunners	15
Chums	13
Happy H's	11

Men's High Series: R. Koch 579.
Men's High Games: R. Koch 234, D. Wright 216.
Women's High Series: L. Wright 515.
Women's High Game: D. Smith 189.
High Team Series: All-Wrights 1910.
High Team Game: All-Wrights 698.

GUYS & GALS

Feb. 4, 1986

Super Friends	20
Country Cousins	17
Brand X	14
Dawdan's	14
Get Along Gang	14
Pin Planters	14
Four B's	10
Odd Couples	9

Men's High Series: J. Bolton 567, R. Vandemark 533, J. Brown 514.
Men's High Games: J. Bolton 215, R. Vandemark 200, J. Brown 200.

Women's High Series: K. Milligan 507.
Women's High Game: K. Milligan 177.
High Team Series: Pin Planters 1858.
High Team Game: Pin Planters and Country Cousins 641.

SATURDAY SPINNERS

Feb. 1, 1986

High Rollers	13
Go Getters	11
Partiers	9 1/2
Gutter Dusters	9
No. 1	8
The Studs	6
Vantastics	5 1/2
The Crue	2

Boys' High Series: T. Leach 493.
Boys' High Game: T. Leach 210.
Girls' High Series: L. LaRoche 457.
Girls' High Game: L. LaRoche 188.
High Team Series: No. 1 1592.
High Team Game: The Crue 573.

CHARMONT LADIES

Feb. 4, 1986

2nd Round Finals

Cable-ettes	40
Veronica's	27
Cass City State Bank	25
Charmont	24 1/2
Cass City Sports	24
Colony House	24
Erla's	21
Fort's	20 1/2
Mr. Kelly's Market	16
Live Wires	15
Trueman Salvage	14
Ouvry Chevy-Olds	13

High Series: L. Hugo 543, R. Speirs 500, C. Furness 500.

High Games: K. Guinther 197.
High Team Series: Cable-ettes 2364.
High Team Game: Erla's 812.

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE

Feb. 6, 1986

Pin Pals	19
Paul's	18
Deering Farms	15
Family Circus	14
Rosie's Roses	9
Miss Fitts	9
Federal Land Bank	8
Floppettes	4

High Game: M. Lorencz 180.

High Series: G. Pierce 517.
High Team Game: Rosie's Roses 815.
High Team Series: Rosie's Roses 2376.

MERCHANTETTE LEAGUE

Feb. 6, 1986

Charmont	31
Cass City Sports	26
Walbro	26
Kar Mikel's	26
Leiterman Builders	26
Esther's Health Spa	25
Kritzman's	25
Chemical Bank	21
Herron Builders	19
Anrod Screen Cyl.	18 1/2
Miller's Chicks	13 1/2
IGA Foodliner	7

High Team Game: Charmont 859.
High Team Series: Charmont 2428.

500 Series: S. DeLong 589, P. Little 528, L. Selby 526, J. Morell 524, J. Smithson 515, A. Gracey 505.

MERCHANTS' "A"

Feb. 5, 1986

Final Standings Round 2

Croft-Clara Lumber	28 1/2
Best Five	27
Charmont	25 1/2
Paul's Urethane Syst.	24
Kingston State Bank	24
Gagetown Inn	23 1/2
New England Life	23
Cass City Oil & Gas	22
Michigan Livestock	19
Fuelgas	18
Rabideau	15 1/2
Ouvry Chevy-Olds	14

High Series: D. Miller 647, C. McLaren 570, G. Robinson 562, T. Peruski 555.

High Games: D. Miller 234-233, T. Peruski 227, Comment 217, C. McLaren 215.

High Series to Date: D. McLaren 679.
High Game to Date: M. Mozdén 270.

High Team Series to Date: Charmont 2937.
High Team Game to Date: Herron Builders 1047.

High Average to Date: D. McLaren 189.
Winner of Round 1: Cass City Sports.

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Cass City grad becomes Navy recruiter

In 1979, Ray Piaskowski, a Cass City High School graduate, walked into the U.S. Navy recruiting office in Caro, was seated in a chair located to the side of a big desk, and started asking some questions about joining the Navy. Now, just about seven years later, 1st Class Petty Officer Piaskowski works in the same office, takes a seat behind a neatly-organized desk, and provides the answers to some of the same questions that he had asked earlier.

Piaskowski, 25, of 4260 S. Seeger Street, is the newest of two recruiters who work out of the U.S. Navy recruiting office located at 429 N. State Street in Caro. He has held the position since December of last year, after doing some initial recruiting at the U.S. Navy office in Detroit.

Asked how he likes his new job, Piaskowski said, "I'm enjoying it. We put in a lot of time on the road, and I like to drive, and I like the area." He said the Navy likes to place recruiters in their hometown areas so that people feel they are not talking to a complete stranger who doesn't know a thing about their background.

At the same time though, Piaskowski said he and his wife, Mary Jo, are adjusting to the return of Michigan winters. "This is the first time I have seen a real winter, along with the snow, in the past six years," he added.

The weather here in Michigan's Thumb is a whole lot different from Piaskowski's last command at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, where he was a sonar technician on board the U.S.S. Davidson. His duties dealt with operating and maintaining the sonar on the ship, which included the tracking of submarines

and other kinds of ocean movement. While on the U.S.S. Davidson, which is a fast frigate, Piaskowski was in charge of 30 people during his three-year tour. Going back in his Naval career, Piaskowski took his basic training at Great Lakes, Ill., which lasted for two months. It was then on to San Diego, Calif., for four months of the first phase of sonar training and electronics. Piaskowski then accepted orders to his first ship which was based in Portland, Maine. He de-

scribed the ship as a mine sweeper, which was one of the few wooden vessels still remaining in the U.S. Navy. "During the 18 months I was there, we trained quite a few reserves, and did mine sweeping from Montreal to Miami," he said. It was also while in Maine that Piaskowski met his wife.

The next stop for the 1st Class Petty Officer from Cass City was California, where he had one year of advanced training in sonar and electronics. After com-

pleting the schooling, Piaskowski accepted a three-year tour based in Pearl Harbor. After that, he requested recruiting duty, and wound back in Michigan, going first to Detroit, and then to Caro. He will remain at the recruiting office in Caro at least through December of 1988, and will be able to stay longer, if he wants to.

In his current job, when a person interested in the Navy comes into the office, Piaskowski said one of the first things done is referred

to as simple blue-printing. "I ask questions about a military test that is given, about their physical condition, and about any involvement in crime or drug use. I also find out about the job or educational opportunity that the person is looking for," he said.

Piaskowski says the Navy has 12 ways to obtain schooling to earn a degree, and more than 70 different job skills for the offering, ranging from medical to mechanical to electronics. "The number-one selling job we have right now is nuclear engineering, which is also the toughest job we have," he said. When asked why that's the case, Piaskowski pointed to that particular program having a graduation bonus of \$6,200, and a re-enlistment bonus of \$30,000.

Concerning women in the Navy, Piaskowski feels that job opportunities for women have increased by 50 percent when compared to the situation when he joined in 1979. "Many of the women are getting into the non-traditional jobs. A lot of them want to be welders, and they are doing a fine job at it," he said. There is also a strong demand and a waiting list for women entering the medical and dental fields.

As with just about every kind of a job, Piaskowski says he has to deal with a few misconceptions while serving as a Navy recruiter. "Sometimes, parents feel all we are trying to do is to get their son or daughter off to boot camp, and that is not the case," he said. "What is talked about here in the office, or the papers that are signed does not put them in the Navy."

Piaskowski also said that some parents don't understand that recruiters serve as a second counselor, along with a high school counselor. "Our job is not just to put bodies in the Navy, but to counsel students in the right direction, and not to waste their talents," he said. "If I can't find them a job in the Navy, I can always call the offices representing the Army, Air Force, or Marines."

The graduate from Cass City High School has some advice for students who are thinking about the Navy in the future. He says, "Stick to the books, and take as much math and English as possible. Without a high school diploma, you just can't get in, and you aren't going anywhere. That diploma paves the way for you in a lot of areas." He said the Navy of today is a far cry from the 1960's, when

as long as a person was able-bodied, he could join.

Another part of the Navy that has changed over the years is the improvement in pay. Piaskowski said a person coming into the Navy today can receive base pay of \$640 a month. "On top of that, there are other kinds of pay, such as sea, sub, special duty, pro, and hazard duty. Money is given towards housing if a person doesn't have it, and there are 30 days of paid vacation per year. Not too many companies I know of can offer a package like that to a young person right out of high school," he said.

Piaskowski feels that President Reagan has done an outstanding job for the military. "The president has been getting bigger pay raises, is spending more on defense, and is spending more on people themselves," he said. That is not the case with the Navy's advertising budget, though. Piaskowski says the advertising money for the Navy has been cut completely down to zero. "That's why very seldom will you see a Navy commercial on television, unless it is combined with the other three Armed Forces."

One item that Piaskowski stresses is that he, as a recruiter, is not in the busi-

ness of selling jobs. "The Navy offers 70 job areas, but it is a Navy job counselor in Detroit who can guarantee what job a person will get. He is the person who has a computer, will take a person's test scores, says which ones you qualify for, and then asks which one you would like." He said, "We no longer throw you a book, and ask you to take your pick of jobs."

For people between the ages of 17 and 24 who would like to learn more about the Navy, Piaskowski says all it takes is a phone call to get the process started. There is a toll-free number, 1-800-327-NAVY, or persons can call collect at 673-8139. "We can set up appointments at school, home, or in the office, which is located across from the court house in Caro. The recruiting office is open Monday through Saturday," he said.

And for those who are keeping track of such information, Piaskowski says the Cass City and Caro areas lead the county in the number of Navy recruits. In addition, Tuscola County ranks number one in the three-county Thumb area. He said the Caro office is expected to have a third recruiter come on board the end of this month.



1ST CLASS PETTY OFFICER Ray Piaskowski, a 1979 graduate of Cass City High School, has returned to Tuscola County as a Navy recruiter after traveling more than 150,000 miles over the last seven years.

Kelley to file suit on landfills

Attorney General Frank Kelley has notified current and past owners of landfills that have been identified as sources for toxic chemical pollution of Battle Creek River and groundwater that he will sue for reimbursement of state cleanup costs.

The suit is also to seek damages and civil penalties. Involved are two Thomas Solvent Company sites and two Grand Trunk Western Railroad sites. Kelley said the state and federal governments have spent several million dollars to block the spread of the groundwater contamination, and the state has committed \$1.8 million to clean up one Thomas Solvent site.

He said the civil lawsuit could be filed in federal district court within 60 days if the parties do not agree to settlement.

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In areas where screening has been done it has been found that approximately 7-10 percent of children in this age group are developing scoliosis and 2-3 percent require treatment. If this condition is detected early, progressive deformity can be prevented.

Letters and pamphlets will be sent home with all the students in the classes that are to be examined.

Parents of children who have been determined to have scoliosis will be notified immediately, and recommended that they take the child to a family physician or orthopedist for further examination.

For additional information or possible questions, call Geri Tonti, RN, 872-2433.

Obituary

Winnifred McLellan

Mrs. Winnifred McLellan, 76, of Ubyly died Friday, Feb. 7, at Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City after a brief illness.

She was born July 25, 1909, in Sheridan Township, Huron County. Her parents were James and Amarilla Hilts Dew. Miss Dew married Henry P. McLellan Jan. 1, 1943, in Greenleaf Township where they made their home. Mr. McLellan died Nov. 16, 1976. She was a member of the Fraser United Presbyterian Church and its Ladies Aid and

Coming Auction

Saturday, Feb. 22 - Chuck and Brenda Cichoracki will hold a farm machinery sale at the place located three miles west of North Branch to Fish Lake Rd., then four miles south to Gravel Creek Rd., one mile east to Five Lakes Rd., and a half mile south. Osentoski Auction Service.

choir. She was also a life member of Miriam Chapter #214, OES, Ubyly.

Surviving are one son, James McLellan of Ubyly, and his wife Kay, and one grandson, Brock McLellan.

Funeral services were held Monday at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City. Rev. Robert Von Oeyen of Harbor Beach officiated. Interment was in Elkland Cemetery.

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Activities at the meeting will include election of officers for the coming year, election of delegates to the upcoming district meeting and consideration of other matters pertaining to the dairy farming industry.

Guest speaker will be Elwood Kirkpatrick, president of Michigan Milk Producers Assn. Door prizes will be given.

Sixty-eight Locals throughout the state form the grassroots nucleus of MMPA, the state's largest milk marketing cooperative. MMPA membership totals some 6,000 dairy farmers statewide.

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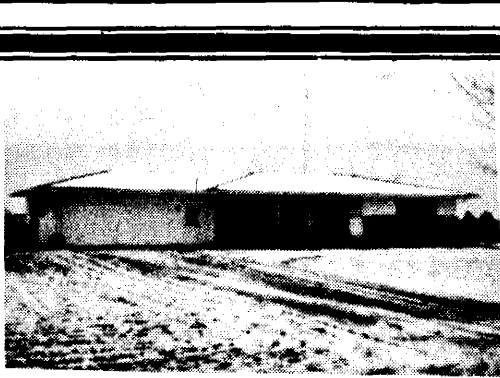
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Love,
Your wife Bonnie

Lynn
It's you I love -
Rats on that cat!
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WE ALL LOVE YOU
ADSJDDJSJPKACLN

RGL
Happy Valentine's Day
and Anniversary
With Love,
DRL

Happy Valentine's Day
Grandma & Grandpa
Hulien
and
Grandma & Grandpa
Leeson
Your Joe

To my Susan,
You are
my Valentine!
Your Kitty

Grandma McClorey,
HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
Love, Susan

To Deanna & Helen
(Heartbreakers)
This is our day -
Happy Heart Day -
Fire-up Florida is less
than a month away!
Karen

Happy Valentine's Day
Jim, Anna and Sandra
3 of the greatest any
Mom could have

Happy Valentine's Day
Grandpa Tom
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We love you
Kimberly, Christopher,
Crystal, Lynsey, and
Misty Lynn

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
to the VBM's &
the Speirs clan
From sunny California

If all of the yuppies we
know we were ratin',
We'd love best
the yuppies
in Concord and Dayton
Happy Valentine's Day
Love,
Mom & Dad

SRE,
Still love ya after
all these years
SJE

Colleen -
Valentines are very
Sweet, but not
as fun as Cookie
feet!
Love,
Mommy & Daddy

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
to the
SIX GREATEST
Paul - Aaron - Kevin
Christi - Lesli - Nicole
Grandpa & Gram

We Love you Mom
Not just on Valentine's
Day but everyday
Rikki and Daniel

Message of Love
to Diane
Roses are red,
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Sugar is sweet,
And so are you.
Mom, Dad & Lisa

To Grandma with love
on Valentine's Day
Rikki and Daniel

Happy Valentine's Day
Jason
We love you,
Grandpa & Grandma
Damm & Aunt Susan

BJ -
Inventory and Metro
are my nemesis,
But I love you anyway
Foosie

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
Linda
Louie
Justin
and BJ
Love you,
Grandma and
Grandpa Salas

Libby-Libby-Libby
with the label-label-label
on the table-table-table
Happy Valentine's Day
Mom & Dad

Steve,
Happy Valentine's Day,
Honey
I love you,
Andrea

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
Jim
Thanks for being a great
husband through all the
good and bad.
Your loving wife
Nancy

Happy Valentine's Day
Daddy
Rose are red
Violets are blue
We love you Daddy
and Mommy does too
XXXXXOOOO
Kimberly and
Christopher

Happy Valentine's Day
Daddy
Rose are red
Violets are blue
We love you Daddy
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Christopher

Happy Valentine's Day
Ma
Love, Scotty & Dad

Happy Valentine's Day
Mom & Dad
Love,
Kathy
Krista
Mac

Valentine Greetings
to
Lynn and Jenny in
Sarasota, Fla.
Love,
Duane, Eugene
& Kris

Happy Valentine's
M.Z.
With all my love

Happy Valentine's
M.Z.
With all my love

To Mom and Dad
We love you so much
Thanks for everything
Love,
Lance & Ingrid

There are lots of new
wares on the market for
sure.
But we still think a lot
of the old wares on Mohr
Happy
Valentine's Day

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
Gene and Sue
Veronica and Matthew
Love You,
Grandma and
Grandpa Salas

Happy Valentine's Day
Grammy & Grampa Kolb
We love you!
Jennifer & Travis

To Mom and Dad with
love from Louisiana
Jim, Cora, and Jimmy

Happy Valentine's Day
Grandma and Grandpa
Loeding
Rikki and Daniel

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY
Grandma
With love,
Scotty

Happy Valentine's Day
Mike
Love, Kathy

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Real Estate For Sale

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Real Estate

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Card of Thanks

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Don, Anita, David, Joyce, and Lucile, we just wanted to say "Thank You" once again for the thoughtful, tender loving care you gave Mom. You were always there when she had a need and even when she didn't. That has been a real comfort to us, knowing when we couldn't be with her, she was never alone. God has truly blessed us with a special family. We are forever grateful!! Dorothy and Shirley. 13-2-12-1

I WANT TO thank the ambulance crew, emergency room gang, all the lovely nurses and aides who tried so hard to help me. Dr. B. Martin for her work day and night, respiratory gang that was so good to me. Housekeeping gals who didn't feel much better than I did and the good cooks. Dr. Donahue for his deep concern for me. Friends who sent cards, letters, candy, prayers and visits and anyone I can't remember. God bless you all. Love, Mayme Guild. 13-2-12-1

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NEAR CASS CITY: Blacktop Road - 1.21 Acres - Completely remodeled home with 7 rooms. All modern kitchen with Oak cabinets, etc. Hand finished woodwork, furnace plus wood-burner, well insulated, easy to heat, 150 amp breaker box, decorated country style, garage 18x26', many large shade trees, flowers, etc. All this for \$42,900.00. Call for an appointment right now!!!

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Taking stock

By Bill Myers



Once in a while a mutual fund comes along that appeals to me.

Most of them don't catch my fancy because of big load charges, and annual expense charges that run as high as 1 percent of your investment. Some of them also have an exit fee that you pay when you cash in.

But here's a new fund — actually, a "Unit Investment Trust," to be technical.

The fund is called GSIF, and it's sponsored by Merrill Lynch, Shearson, Prudhomme, Dean Witter and Paine Webber. The big guns.

All the fund has done is to have bought two issues of government bonds:

1. 8.25% due May 2005.
2. 10.75% due Aug. 2005.

So what's the big deal? Why not do it yourself?

First, you can get in for as little as \$250. If you want to buy bonds directly, yourself, you'd have to spend at least \$1,000, and most brokers wouldn't want to monkey with less than \$5,000, without tacking on a fee out of proportion to the investment. Some banks locally charge as much as \$75 a transaction; that would be 7.5% on a \$1,000 bond.

Other attractions:

1. You can have the income re-invested, or not as you wish.
2. You can write checks against your account, minimum of \$500 a check.
3. The bonds are U.S. government, safest investment in the world.

4. You can add to your holdings whenever you want.

5. Load charges run from 2.25% (up to \$100,000 investment) down to as low as 0.25% for the big spenders.

6. The sponsors will hold your shares in safekeeping. All the firms are insured up to \$2.5 million — some of them more than that.

7. Cash-in is easy. No fee. Again, if you held a few bonds yourself — not in such a fund — commission for selling would be high in proportion to the dollar amount.

This particular fund would net you about 14th of one percent each year less than the bonds themselves pay. That's not too much for all the other advantages you get.

Now you should realize the income is all taxable under Federal income tax. State and local income taxes you do escape because these are government bonds. That doesn't mean anything in Florida, or a few others with no state income tax.

It is important, though, where state income taxes are high, like New York, California and Minnesota, for example. In those states you'd have to own taxable bonds yielding over 1% more to equal the state-tax-exempt status of the government bonds in the new fund we've talked about.

In comparison with municipal bonds, the new fund's income is subject to Federal income tax. If you have more than \$20,000 income subject to tax, then you're better off to have municipals.

If you scratch around you can find some tax-exempts yielding 9.5%. Some names I've liked with a combination of good yield and quality:

- Florida Board of Education (state obligation).
- State of Oregon.
- Jacksonville, Fla., Electric Utility.
- Austin, Texas, Utility System.

Municipal Electric Authority of Georgia.

Several issues of Alaska and Florida Housing bonds.

You'll have to take long maturities to get a decent yield, but the above names would average you about 9.5%. An assortment of them will give you diversification geographically — Oregon to Texas to Alaska to Georgia to Florida, some housing bonds, some electric revenues, and a couple state obligation bonds.

Most market advisory letters stick to stocks in their recommendations. I guess it's because they're more dramatic, and there's always the chance of an inside tip that works out great.

Richard Russell, who writes the highly regarded Dow Theory Letters, and who has been around a long time, had this to say in a recent letter to subscribers:

"My recent best position was taken in bonds during early 1984, at which time Treasury bonds were yielding over 12%. Then you could compound and get almost 40% on your investment in three years."

"The beauty of the 1984 bond position was that one could assume a large position in an extremely safe investment, and sit with it."

"The year 1984 saw a huge rise in bonds and the total rate of return (interest appreciation) hit 40%..."

Seldom do comparisons of bonds and stocks point out that bonds are a lot safer than stocks. Seldom is the tax rate included in the comparisons. Dividends are taxed; municipal bond interest is not. Capital gains in either is taxed the same.

This "total return" referred to doesn't mean anything unless you figure it after tax. The last couple of years, if your income was \$30,000 or \$35,000, tax-exempt bonds brought more after tax money to you than the average stock. And meanwhile you were a lot more secure, and certain you'd get your capital back at due date.

3 incumbents and one challenger will vie for Cass City Village Council

Because four persons are seeking the three open positions on the Cass City Village Council, the Chronicle has asked each of the candidates to express views on two areas of concern and whatever thoughts they have on village government.

The questions are:

1. Parking meter abandonment has been discussed by merchants on Main Street and local shoppers. Are you for or against any change and what are your reasons?

2. There is a new contract coming up with the Fraternal Order of Police which represents the Cass City Police Department. Can you see any need for change and what type contract do you feel should be negotiated to be fair to the police and taxpayer?

3. If you are elected, what change in emphasis, if any, would you like to see inaugurated? Why?

ELWYN HELWIG

Dear John:

In response to your letter of Feb. 3, 1986, my opinion on the issues you brought to my attention are as follows:

Parking Meters - In 1961 the Village Chamber of Commerce approached the Village Council concerning a parking problem in the downtown business area. The solution to that problem was the installation of parking meters in 1966. In keeping a close watch on the parking situation over this last holiday period, I noticed a number of non-shoppers were taking advantage of the bagged meters. I believe metering is still the answer since the Village furnishes free parking lots in the downtown business area which are presently subsidized by the parking meters.

Police Contract - I cannot fully answer this as we have not yet received the FOP's demands for the upcoming contract. I believe whatever the settlement will be, it will be as fair as possible to both the police and the taxpayer.

Change of Emphasis - The main emphasis has been and should continue to be the concern for the quality of life for our citizens. I believe the Village offers quality services with one of the lowest tax bases in the area. This is also one of the major points in seeking to attract industry or business into our community and is another reason I would want this emphasis to continue.

Sincerely,
Elwyn L. Helwig

CLARENCE SCHNEEBERGER

To the people of Cass City, This letter is in response to the Cass City Chronicle's request for my stance on several issues concerning the citizens of Cass City. But before going into that, let me first say that it is with great pride and patriotism that I enter this race for trustee. It will be my first entry into the political arena and will be a success whether I win or lose. Only in nations governed by democratic forms of government is it possible

for someone like myself to run for public office. Residing in a country less responsive to the needs of its citizens may never have afforded such an opportunity. American business has shown me that there are always opportunities. One merely has to recognize them.

It is with a true commitment to democracy in mind that I will respond to the first question. The issue of whether or not to remove parking meters is a question that has attracted much attention. Not only in Cass City but also in other towns nearby. My feeling is that this decision should be left to the vote of the people. Actually, the question states that the issue has been discussed by "merchants on Main Street and local shoppers." They should be the ones to decide this issue. This can only be done by a direct vote of the people. This is the kind of change I would like to see. Let the people make these decisions rather than a few people sitting on the city commission. Functioning as a truly democratic form of government, as much as possible, is the key.

Your second question concerned the new contract with the Fraternal Order of Police for the Cass City Police Department. In regard to this, I feel that all personnel serving the public and hired by the city government should be treated equitably. With respect to pay raises and benefit improvements, all should get what the others have gotten. Most of these employees have already been granted a 5% pay increase. I feel that negotiations with the Fraternal Order of Police should reflect the direction already established, when granting increases to other city employees.

Overall, I would like to see a more controlled and conservative monetary policy. Not only by spending less and living within our means, but also by finding more effective and efficient ways to accomplish our objectives.

Statistics show that other larger communities in our area have lower operating budgets than we do. This should tell us that something can be done to reduce our expenses. Being a businessman for 25 years, I believe I am qualified to pursue that goal. The experience I have acquired through the years has shown me that minimizing expenses, rather than increasing revenue, will produce responsible fiscal policies.

Thank you for this opportunity to express my views to the people.

Sincerely,
Clarence Schneeberger

DOROTHY STAHLBAUM
Dear John,
This letter is in response to your request for my opinion.

Academics ready to pace students

Students at the Cass City Intermediate School have joined an interscholastic league of academic competition. The program known as Academic Track encourages all students to experience interscholastic team competition.

Academic Track, as all sports do, teaches the student the importance of team effort and sportsmanship, while stressing individual performance and self-confidence.

Principal Robert Stickle said two interscholastic meets have been scheduled for Cass City students. March 4, Cass City's team will travel to the Unionville-Sebewa Middle School. The squad will then host the team from Akron-Fairgrove March 20.

Stickle said that three students from the school will take part in each of the events. Competition by test will include arithmetic, biology, geology, United States history, music, art, trivia, word-clock, physical science, earth science, ancient history, speech/theater, spelling and communication arts. Included

in the competition by performance will be interpretive reading, vocal solo, dramatic reading, boys' quartet, skit/improvisation, instrumental solo, girls' trio, instrumental group, art-graphite/charcoal, and art-dry color.

Competition for the event will be in two major forms. The written tests will be given over the major academic areas, fine arts theories, and histories. For the balance of the meet, judges will score live performances by students. These will include artistic creation, and musical and theatrical performances.

Stickle said that parents can help the school's team in many ways. He said the most important part is for parents to encourage their children to participate. He added that help from parents at the home meet will also be appreciated.

Following the meets with Unionville-Sebewa and Akron-Fairgrove, the Cass City students will put their thinking caps away, and get ready for next year's competition.

MIKE WEAVER

John,
Here are a few of my thoughts regarding Village Government:

I don't believe the removal of parking meters in Cass City would help business in our downtown area. In this day, shoppers determine where they will shop by the selection of retail business in any town. I believe a good mix of aggressive, competitive retailers will do more to attract shoppers than the presence or

absence of parking meters.

After being on the Village Council for four years I am very pleased with the way our Village Manager, President and Council have managed the resources of our village. Fourteen years ago our village government had to ask for tax revenues in advance to meet village expenses. Today we enjoy a surplus, at the same time providing good village facilities, upgraded village equipment and in general a very well managed village government. With the prop-

osed reduction in Federal revenue sharing, Cass City could lose up to \$44,000.00. This will require reductions in some village departments or the use of surplus. In times like these I appreciate the careful conservative nature of the past village government.

Since the Police bargaining unit has not presented the Village with their requests for the new contract, any comments at this time would not be appropriate.

Mike Weaver



FORMER HIGH SCHOOL Principal Art Holmberg returned to the classroom Tuesday, Feb. 4, to lead a discussion of distances in space with the 5th grade at Cass City Intermediate School taught by Mrs. Geraldine Tibbitts. Holmberg has visited observatories and is noted in the area for his interesting lectures to students and civic groups. (Photo by Dick Partilo)



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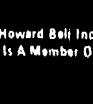
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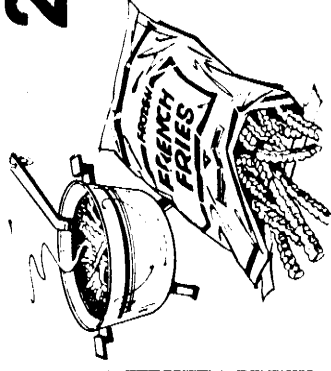
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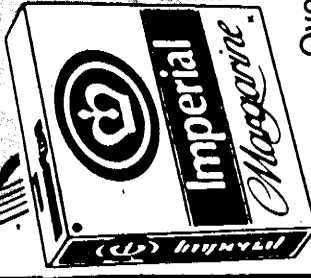
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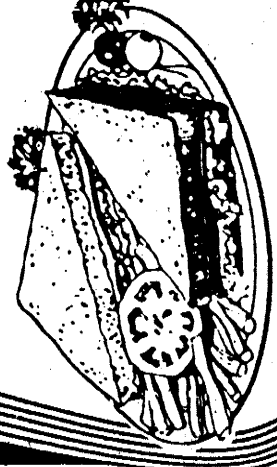
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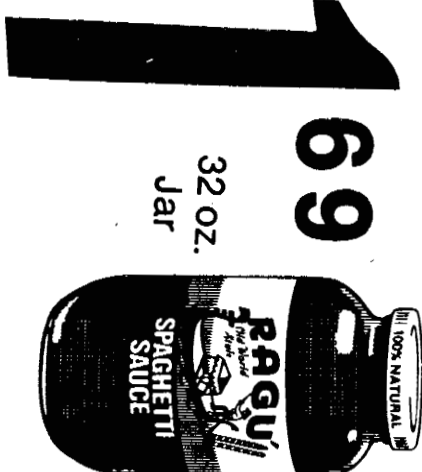
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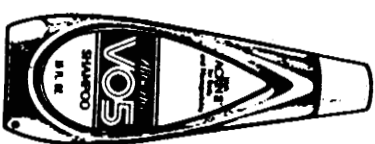
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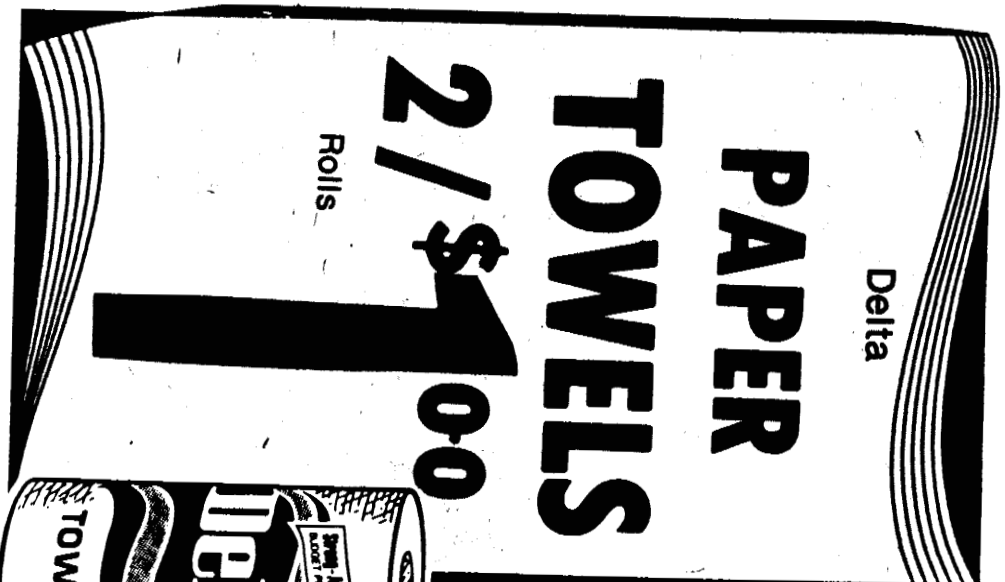


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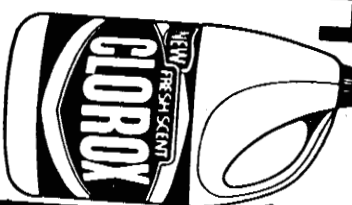


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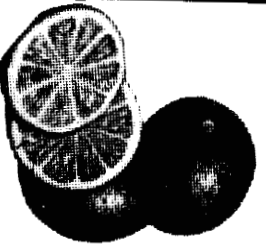
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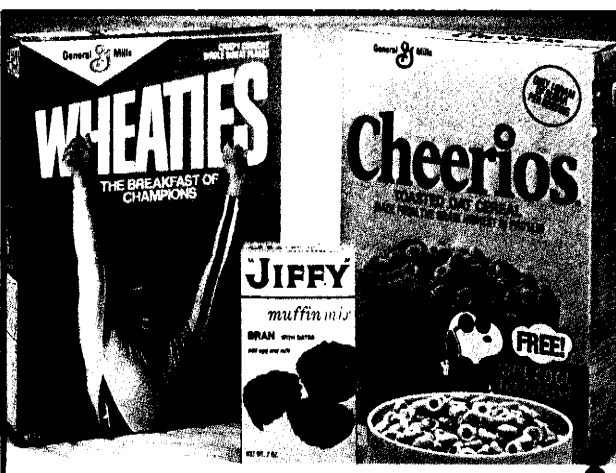
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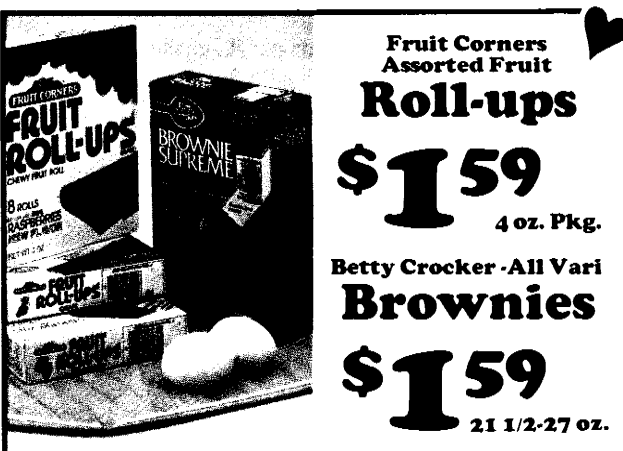


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Betty Crocker
Potato Buds 99¢
13-7.5 oz. Box



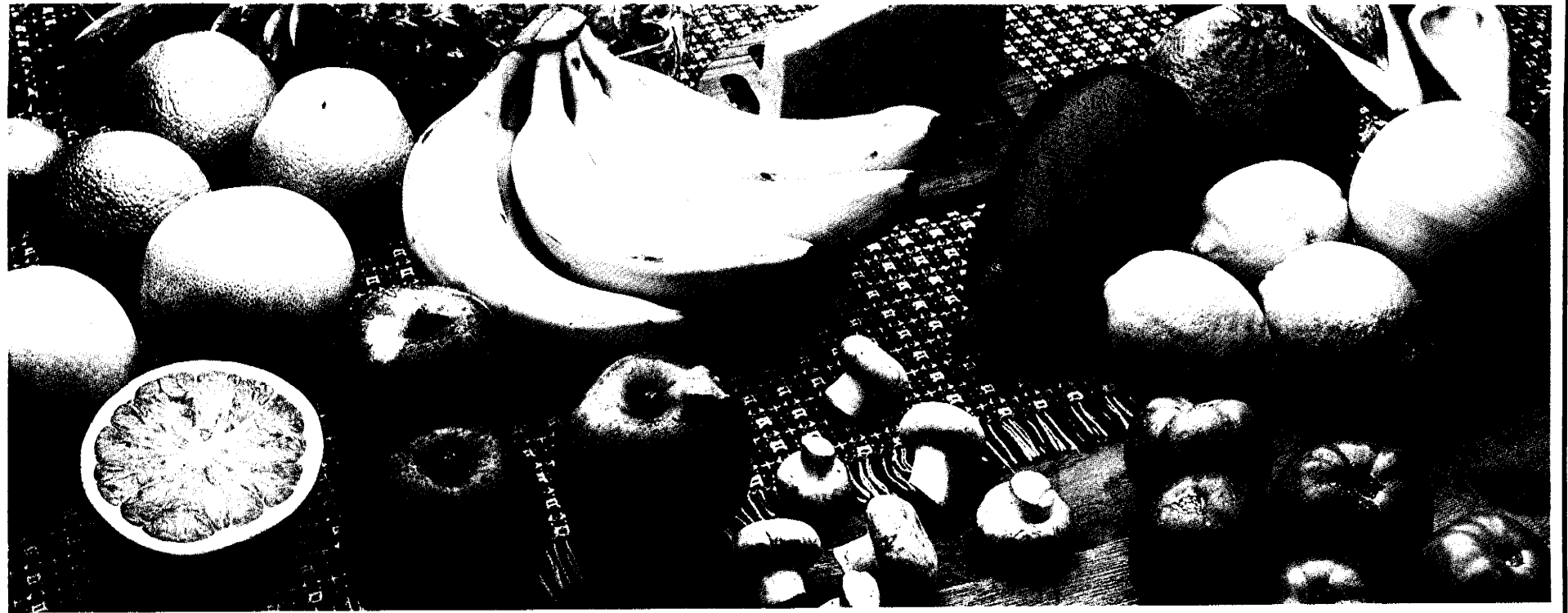
All Purpose -Unbleached
Gold Medal Flour 89¢
5 lb. Bag
Your Choice... Limit 1, Please



Fruit Corners
Assorted Fruit
Roll-ups \$1⁵⁹
4 oz. Pkg.

Betty Crocker -All Vari
Brownies \$1⁵⁹
21 1/2-27 oz.

Fresh Produce



"CA" Crisp N Delicious
**Red Delicious or
Ida Red Apples**

99¢
3 lb.
Bag

California Choice Seedless - 4 lb. Bag
Navel Oranges ... \$1.49

Fresh & Tart
Sunkist Lemons.. 5/\$1

U.S. No. 1
Premium Quality Golden Ripe

**Dole
Bananas**

27¢
lb.

Crisp Green

**Cucumbers or 3/\$1
Green Peppers**

Farm Fresh - 12 oz. Pkg.

**Campbell's ... 99¢
Mushrooms ...**

Florida - Pink or White - 32 Size

Grapefruit 3/\$1

Medium Yellow - 3 lb. Bag

Cooking Onions.. 69¢

Our Good Prices!



All Varieties - 6-3-9.3 oz. Can
**Swift
Soup Starter.. \$1.19**

Fisher - 12 oz. - Reg. or Low Salt
Mixed Nuts..... \$2.99

New! All Flavors - 7 oz. Pkg.
Orville Redenbacher
Crunch Snack.... \$1.19



Catalina, Reg. French,
Creamy Cucumber, 1000
Island, Creamy Buttermilk,
Bacon & Tomato, Presto or
Zesty Italian

**Kraft
Dressings**

87¢
8 oz.
Btl.



Beefaroni, Beef or Mini Ravioli or
Spaghetti with Meat Balls - 39-40 oz. Can

**Chef Boy Ar Dee \$1.79
Pasta**

Chef Boy Ar Dee - 28 7/8 oz. Dbl. Pk. **\$1.79**

Cheese Pizzas..... \$1.79

Chef Boy Ar Dee - 30 oz. Dbl. Pk. **\$2.69**

Pepperoni Pizzas. \$2.69

Chef Boy Ar Dee - 14 oz. Pizza
Crust Mix & Sauce 79¢



**Green Giant
Vegetables**

43¢
12-17
oz. Can

Green Giant - Whole - Sliced - 4.5 oz.
Mushrooms \$1.19



Jet - Mini - Mini Flavored
Kraft
Marshmallows

59¢
10-10.5 oz.

FAME Instant Hot

Cocoa Mix

\$1.69
23 oz.



Kraft Deluxe
**Macaroni
Dinner**

99¢
14 oz.

FAME

Tomato

Juice

79¢
46 oz. Can

**IGA TABLERITE®
Mixed
Pork Chops**

\$1.19
1b.

**IGA TABLERITE®
Lean & Meaty
Spare Ribs**

\$1.49
1b.



**Fame Whole Round
Boneless Ham**

\$1.39
1b.

Water Added
In Curing

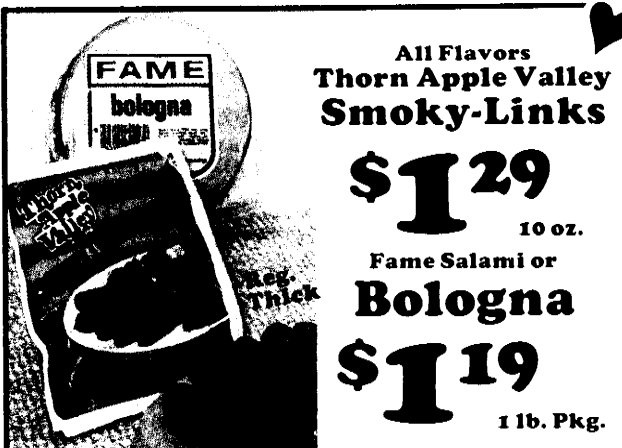
Table King - 1 lb. Pkg.
Sliced Bacon ... \$1.29

Thorn Apple Valley - Mixed
Corned Beef ... 1b. \$1.69

Thin Cut
IGA TABLERITE®
Boneless
Pork Chops **\$23.90**
10 lbs. or More

IGA TABLERITE®
Pork Cutlets **\$18.90**
10 lbs. or More

IGA TABLERITE®
Center Cut
Pork
Chops **\$17.90**
10 lbs.
or More



**All Flavors
Thorn Apple Valley
Smoky-Links**

\$1.29
10 oz.

Fame Salami or
Bologna

\$1.19
1 lb. Pkg.



**Farmer Peet's
Lower Salt
Re-Peet-Er
Bacon**

1 lb. Pkg.

\$1.39

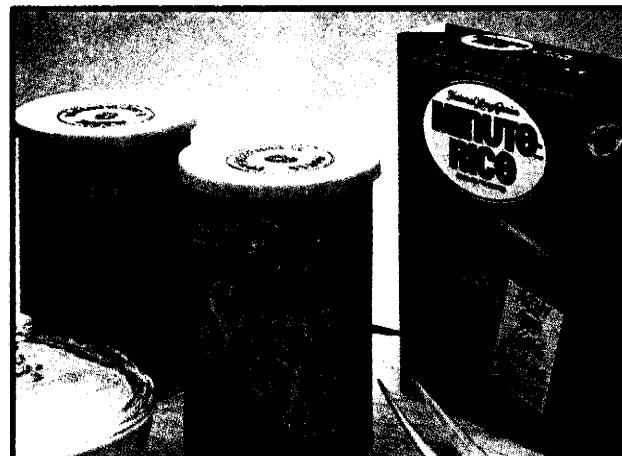


Pork-A



**Speas
Apple-Cherry or
Apple
Juice**

99¢
3 Pack
Speas - Reg. or Natural
Apple
Juice
\$1.49
64 oz.



Pork or Chicken - Flexible Serving

**Stove Top
Stuffing**

\$1.29
8 oz.

Natural Long Grain - 14 oz. Box

**Minute
Rice \$1.29**



**Sunshine
Chips N Middle
Creams, Peanut,
Cup Custard,
Vienna Fingers
or
Hydrox
Cookies**

\$1.49
12-16 oz.



**Vlasic
Sweet Butter
Chips, Polish,
Kosher or Baby
Dill
Pickles**

\$1.88
46 oz.



Mazola Oil

\$1.79
32 oz.

FAME - Yellow or White

Popcorn

69¢
32 oz.



**IGA TABLETITE® -Beef
Full Cut
Round Steak**
Quality Beef! **\$1.79** lb.

Top or Bottom - 5 lbs. or More
Boneless
Round Steak ... lb. \$1.99
5 lbs. or More
Boneless Beef
Cubed Steak ... lb. \$1.89

**A-1 - 10 oz. Bottle
Steak Sauce \$1.97**

**Fresh Pork
Link
Sausage \$15.90**
10 lbs. or More

**Fresh Made
Pork
Sausage \$11.90**
10 lbs. or More

**IGA TABLETITE®
Pork & Beef
Combination Roast ... lb. \$1.89**

**IGA TABLETITE®
Pork & Beef
Meat Loaf
Mix lb. \$1.69**



**Weaver Sliced
Chicken or
Turkey Ham
99¢**
6 oz.
**Smoked, Beef or Polish
Hillshire Farms
Sausage \$1.99**
lb.

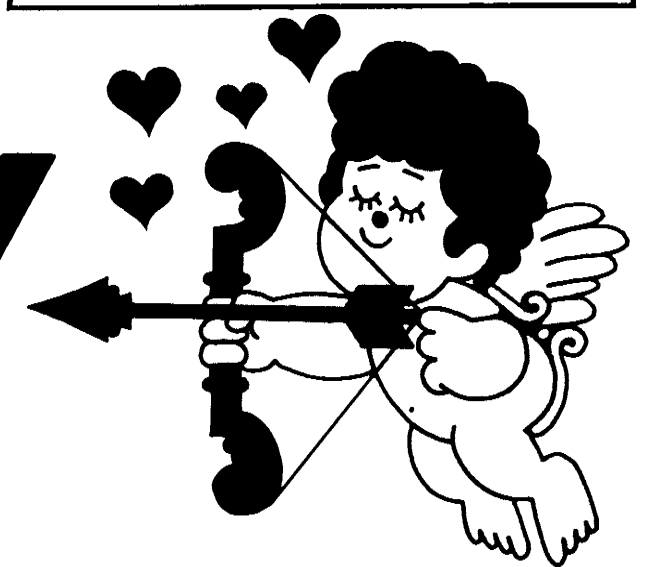


**Mr. Turkey
Turkey
Franks
69¢**
12 oz.
**Mr. Turkey
Turkey Ham
\$1.39**
lb.



**All Meat, Beef or Cheese - 1 lb. Pkg.
Eckrich Franks \$1.89**
Eckrich
All Varieties - 10 oz. Pkg.
Smok-y-Links.. \$1.49
Reg., Thick or Beef - 1 lb. Pkg.
Eckrich Bologna \$1.79
Lean Supreme - Reg., Beef or Polish
Eckrich Sausage . lb. \$2.19

-Plenty



**Bush's
Chili, or
Light or Dark
Red Kidney
Beans
3 / \$1**
16 oz.

**REDROSE
Tea Bags
\$2.59**
100 Ct.
**FAME
Evaporated
Milk
2 / 89¢**
12 oz.

**Mueller's
elbows
Mueller's
thin spaghetti
Mueller's
OLD
FASHIONED
noodles**
**Demings - 15.5 oz. Can
Pink
Salmon \$1.69**
Fine, Medium or Wide - 1 lb. Pkg.
Mueller's Noodles .. 89¢
Elbow Macaroni or
Regular or Thin - 1 lb. Pkg.
Mueller's Spaghetti. 59¢

**Ortega
Mild or Hot - 8 oz.
Taco Sauce or
Taco Shells - 10 Ct.
88¢**
Cheddar, Mozzarella
or Colby
County Line
**Shredded
Cheeses \$1.39**
8 oz.

**Franco-
American
Spaghetti's
44¢**
14.75 oz.
Campbell's Chunky
New England
**Clam
Chowder
99¢**
19 oz.



All Flavors - Premium
Ice Cream

\$1.79

1/2 Gal. Sq. Ctn.

FAME -24 oz. Btl.
Maple, Butter, Lite or
Chocolate
Syrup.....

99¢



Assorted
Varieties
Budget
Gourmet
Entrees

\$1.29

10 oz.

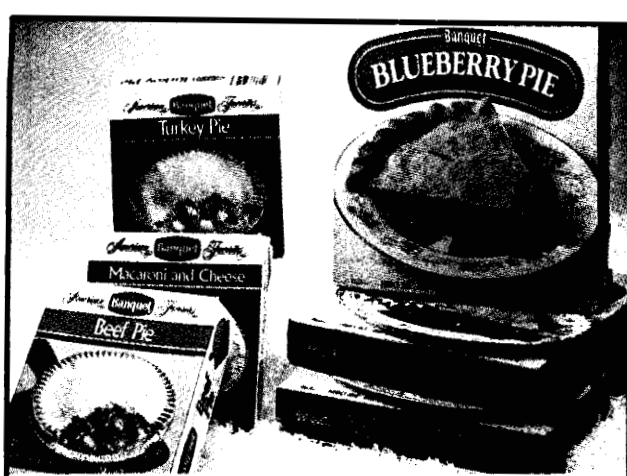


Pepperoni Pizza,
Ham & Cheese,
Sloppy Joe or
Barbeque

Hot
Pockets

\$1.99

10 oz.



Beef, Chicken, Turkey or Mac & Cheese

Banquet
Pot Pies

3/\$1

8 oz.

Apple, Blueberry or Cherry -20 oz. Pkg. -8 Inch
Banquet
Fruit Pies ...

99¢



Frozen Dough
Dakota Hearth
White Bread

\$1.59

5/1 lb.
Loaves

Frozen -Reg. or Buttered
Orville Redenbacher

Popcorn

\$1.89

10.5 oz.



All 10 Inch Varieties
Jeno's
Pizzas

99¢

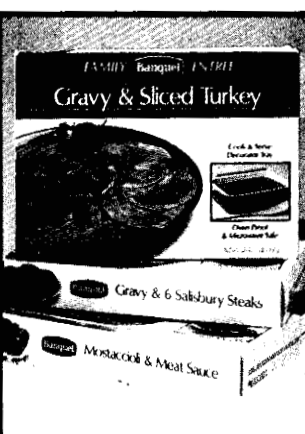
10.3-
10.8 oz.

Saus., Combination
or Pepperoni

Jeno's Pizza
Rolls

99¢

6 oz.



Mostaccioli,
Sliced Turkey or
Salisbury Steak

Banquet
Family
Entrees

\$1.89

2 lb.



Cole's Garlic
Mini-Loaf

79¢

8 oz.

Coles -All Varieties
Micro
French Bread
Pizzas

\$1.89

6.5-8 oz.



Ore Ida
Golden
Patties

99¢

15 oz.

Ore Ida Reg. or Crinkled
Golden
Fries

\$2.79

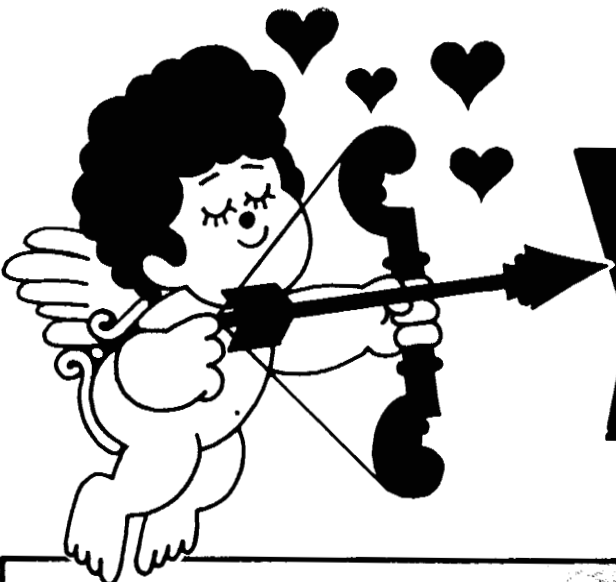
5 lb.



"Fresh Frozen"
FAME
Ocean Perch
Cod or
Fillets

\$1.69

16 oz.



You'll Love....



Special Gem Offers On Pkgs.....

27 oz. Box
Spic & Span **\$2.99**

60 Ct. Box
Bounce Softener **\$3.29**

3/5 oz. Bars -Deodorant Soap
Safeguard **\$1.79**

3/4.75 oz. Bars -Normal Formula
Camay Soap **\$2.29**



30 Ct. Pkg. -3-Ply
Glad
Trash Bags **\$2.99**

Handle Tie -20 Ct. Pkg.
Glad Kit. Bags.. **\$1.59**

Handle Tie -20 Ct. Pkg.
Glad Trash Bags **\$2.49**



Blue or Green
Liquid
Vanish

\$1.29

12 oz.

Renuzit -Assorted
Fresh N Dry

99¢

4.5 oz.



Sure & Natural
Regular Maxi-Shields

30 Absorbent pads
with superabsorbent
polymer

Sure & Natural
Deodorant Maxi-Shields

Sure & Natural
Super Maxi-Shields

Carefree
PANTY SHIELDS

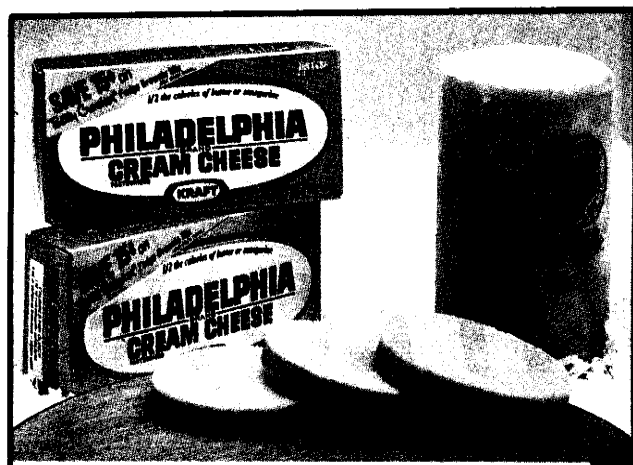
Wettest soft
than flexible
Comfortable everyday freshness

Reg., Super or Deod.
Sure & Natural
Maxi-Shields

\$3.49

26-30 Ct.

Assure -24 Ct. -Scented or Unscented
Pantyliners or
Carefree -26 Ct. Reg. or Deod.
Pantylshields **\$1.89**



**Philadelphia
Cream Cheese**
88¢ 8 oz.
Kraft - 1 lb. Pkg.
Midget Colby \$2.49
Longhorn ...



**Sunny Delight
Tropical or
Citrus
Punch**
\$1.09 64 oz.
**Swiss Miss - Assorted
Puddings**
99¢ 4 Pk.



Kraft - Reg. or Pimento - 2 lb. Pkg.
Velveeta Cheese . \$3.19
Velveeta Slices - 16 oz.
American, Swiss or Pimento
12 oz./16 Ct. Pkg.
Kraft Singles... \$1.59
Cheddar and Colby
Kraft Natural - 8 oz.
Chunk Cheese.. \$1.39



**All Flavors
Light & Lively
Yogurt**
2/79¢ 6 oz.
**Sealtest - Assorted
Polar B'ars**
\$1.79 6 Pack



**100% Pure Tropicana
Reg. or Homestyle Chilled
Orange
Juice**
\$1.89 64 oz.
**100% Pure Tropicana
Reg. or Homestyle Frozen
Orange
Juice**
99¢ 12 oz.



**All Varieties
Pillsbury
Toaster
Streudel**
\$1.29 11.5 oz.



**Chicken, Shrimp or
Meat & Shrimp
La Choy
Egg Rolls**
\$1.09 6.5-7.25 oz.
**China Boy
Bamboo Shoots,
Chow Mein Noodles
or
Water Chestnuts**
59¢ 6-8 oz.

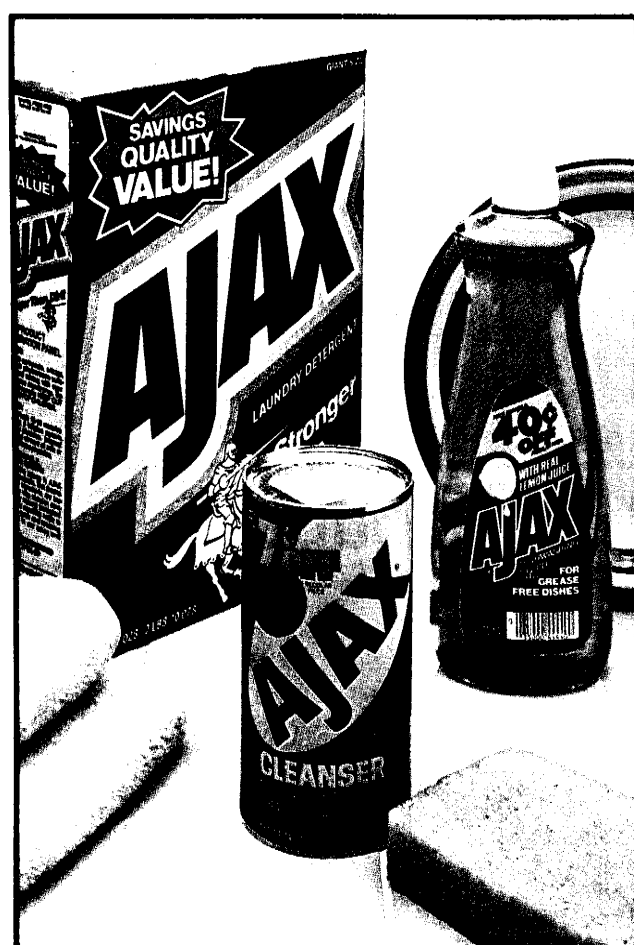


**Walnut, Butter
or Pecan
Sara Lee
Coffee Cake**
\$2.29 11.25-11.75 oz.
**Sara Lee
Pound
Cake**
\$1.79 10.75 oz.



**Birdseye
Cool Whip**
\$1.49 16 oz.
**Birdseye "Farm Fresh"
Vegetables**
\$1.29 16 oz.

The Value & Savings!



7¢ Off Label - 14 oz. Cans
**Ajax
Cleanser** **3/\$1.09**
40¢ Off Label - 22 oz. Btl.
**Ajax
Dish Liquid** **\$1.09**
Giant Laundry - 42 oz. With Coupon
**Ajax
Detergent .. 99¢**



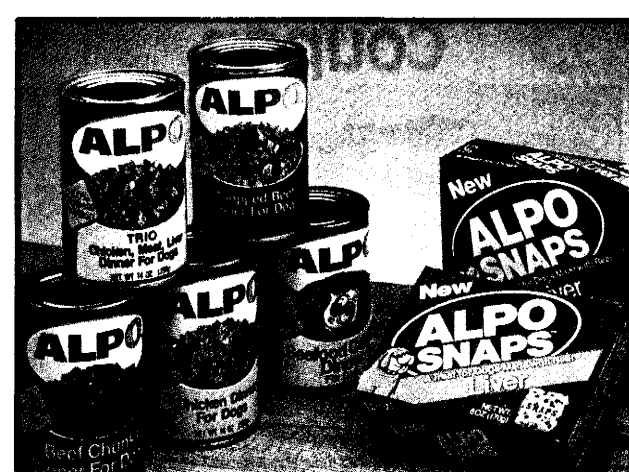
Dow - 17 oz. Can
**Bathroom
Cleaner** **\$1.39**
100 Ft. Jumbo Roll
Saran Wrap \$1.89
25 Ct. - Qt. Storage
Ziploc Bags \$1.29



**Scented
Wood
Fibre
Rose**
\$3.99
**30 Ct. Plastic or
Sheer,
50 Ct. Plastic Asstd.
or 20 Ct.
Medicated
Johnson's
Band-Aid. 2/\$3**



32 oz. Btl.
**Kills Germs!
Listerine. \$3.19**
100 Ct. Pkg.
**Fibre Trim
Supplement \$4.29**
Reg. or Gel
4.1 oz. Pump
**Check-Up
Toothpaste \$1.99**
40 Ct. Pkg.
Efferdent \$1.99



All Flavors
Alpo Dog Food
**Your
Choice! 44¢** 14 oz. Can
Liv-A-Snaps - 6 oz. Pkg.
**Pet
Treats 44¢**

Fresh.... To You, With Love



The Surprising Taste of Spam!

Spam 12 oz. Can **\$1.35**
Dinty Moore -24 oz. **\$1.59**
Hormel Reg., Hot or Chunky -15 oz. **\$0.87**
Mary Kitchen -15 oz. Corned or Roast **Beef Hash** **\$1.19**

16 oz. Loaves -Un sliced **White Bread** .. **2/99¢**
 10 oz. Foil Pan -Plain **Angel Food Cake** **89¢**
 21 oz. -Mocha **Dessert Cake**..... **\$3.99**
 Great with Ice Cream...
 8 Inch/24 oz. **Apple Pie** **\$2.49**
 Available only in stores with participating Bakeries



Elegant Glassware
At Beautiful
Savings!
**CRYSTAL
SWIRL**
 Glassware by Libbey.
 See Participating Stores
For This Week's Feature.

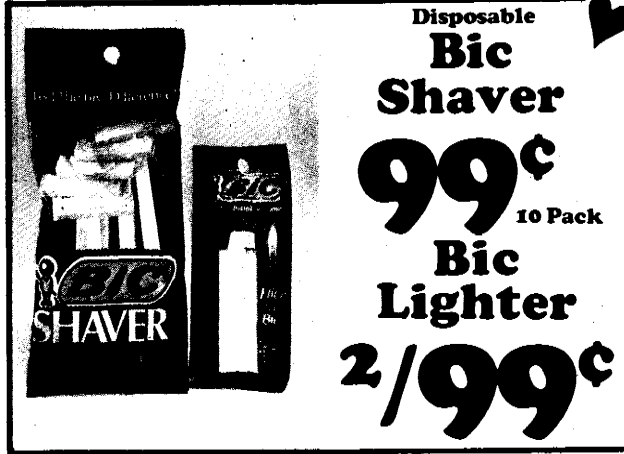
Leon's -Get a little or a lot!
**Potato
Salad** **\$1.39**
 Williams -Sliced to order!
**Longhorn
Cheese** **\$1.99**
 Available only in stores with participating Dells



Oven Fresh
King Size -24 oz. Loaf **Lumberjack
Bread** **69¢**
 Mackinaw Milling -20 oz. Loaf
Cracked **Wheat Bread**..... **99¢**
 Oven Fresh -1 lb. Loaf **Italian Bread** **69¢**



All Varieties
Balsam & Protein
**Flex
Shampoo or
Conditioner**
\$1.69
 15 oz.



Disposable
**Bic
Shaver**
99¢
 10 Pack
**Bic
Lighter**
2/99¢



Coupon
 Giant Laundry
**Ajax
Detergent**
99¢
 Limit 1 -42 oz. Box
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.



Tab, Sprite, Mello Yello or
Caffeine Free Varieties, Cherry,
Regular, Diet or Classic
Coca-Cola®
\$1.00 **ON TWO**
OFF
 *Subject To
Availability
 Limit 2 -8 Pack/1/2 Litre -Plus Dep.
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.
 NR 96-6



Coupon
 Pain Reliever
**Bufferin
Tablets**
\$2.59
 Limit 1 -40 ct. Pkg.
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.
 NR 97-7



Coupon
 Del Monte
**Budding ot
Fruit Cups**
25¢ OFF
 Limit 3 -4 Pack
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.
 NR 98-8



Coupon
 All Flavors Quaker
**Instant
Oatmeal**
25¢ OFF
 Limit 2 -12-15 oz.
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.



Coupon
**Kitty
Litter**
75¢
 Limit 1 -20 lb. Pkg.
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.



Coupon
 Reg., Meat or Mush.
**Prego
Meat Sauce**
30¢ OFF
 Limit 2 -32 oz. Jar
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.



Coupon
 Mild, Med., Sharp Pine.
or Amish Swiss Half Moon
**FAME Chunk
Cheese**
25¢ OFF
 Limit 3 Packages
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.



Coupon
 Hamburger, Chicken
or Tuna
**Helper
Helpers**
20¢ OFF
 Limit 4 -6-10 oz. Pkg.
 Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items. Coupon expires Sat., Feb. 15, 1988.
 NR 10-