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## Main Street store robbed

### Saturday

A larceny at Nothing Ordinary, 6463 Main St., was reported to Cass City Police Saturday.

The break-in occurred sometime between 6 p.m. Friday night and 10 a.m. Saturday morning. According to the report, entry was gained through the rear door. Approximately \$155 was taken. The incident is under investigation.

A 10-speed bicycle valued at \$100 was taken from a shed at 6757 Third St. David Radeka discovered the bike missing Saturday. It was recovered Sunday behind the Media Center at Houghton and Leach Streets.

A leather jacket valued at \$160 was taken from Charmont sometime Wednesday evening. The incident is under investigation.

A car driven by Gary L. Suzor, 17, of 6656 Third St. struck a car driven by Paul G. Dybilas, 23, of Ubyl Wednesday, April 23. Dybilas, who had the yield, stopped at the intersection of Pine

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## Low prices prevail

# Beets bright spot in grim farm financial outlook

by Cymbre Sommerville

Farmers are scratching around to find alternate crops to combat low prices for beans, soybeans and small grains as the new planting season begins.

Despite the grim outlook, farmers are moving into 1986 with a "tremendous amount of reserved optimism", William Bortel, Tuscola County Cooperative Extension Service Director, said. Directors from Sanilac and Huron Counties saw little to be optimistic about as they reviewed the farm scene this year.

With farmers preparing to plant in the upcoming weeks the outlook for the year seems bleak with falling land values and low prices, but Bortel said that they are anticipating the positive.

He pointed out that no farmer would move to the fields without being optimistic because there is no predicting what will happen in the months ahead.

Bortel said that there are things for farmers to consider in 1986. Number one is the Feed Grain Program. The purpose of the program is to take acres out of production and the farmer is protected in a limited way by what he still grows.

Wheat is under a similar program. Second, is that sugar beet growers are looking at a promising situation. Bortel said that they may see a black margin at the end of the year. Lastly, farmers are trying their hand at some specialty crops such as pickles and vegetables.

He said that at this point it is impossible to pencil in a profit for such crops as dry beans, soybeans and small grain but Bortel said that dry bean yields will stay the same or slightly higher and colored beans will be up.

This year, as in the past, sugar beets look to be the most promising cash crop with the sugar companies able to handle more delivery.

Because beets promise to be one of the best money crops this fall, demand for acreage allotments exceed the capacity of Michigan Sugar Co. to handle them. Potential new growers are finding it difficult if not impossible to secure beet contracts. In spite of this, the number of acres planted will be greater than in 1985.

More than 80,000 acres will be planted this year to be handled by plants at Caro, Sebawaing, Crosswell and Carrollton.

On the other hand Bortel said that 10 percent less corn will be grown in Tuscola County in 1986.

In the 1986 Tuscola County Crop Report it was pointed out that farmers must stay competitive during the depressed agriculture economy and that a farmer in the '80's must consider all economical advantages to survive.

The report includes demonstration and research results in Tuscola County during 1985 along with production management practices.

The planting of corn hybrids for example, can "increase yield 20-40 bushels per acre with no added investment," the report states.

Bortel said that they are hoping that this is a cycle and that things such as the commodity prices will start to turn around.

Huron County Agricultural Extension Agent Jim LeCureux said that farmers there will be growing a lot more colored beans such as cranberries, pintos,

kidney and black turtle. There will also be increased acreage of sugar beets. On the bleaker side of things, there is not a lot of demand on the export market. "I hate to be pessimistic," said LeCureux, "but the low pricing structure doesn't look good."

Sanilac County Cooperative Extension Service Director Rex Sieting said that things look tight for a few years. "Right now we are working with nothing that will break even, the only thing that looks decent is sugar beets and they are a contract crop."

Last year the largest problem experienced by all 3 counties was the very wet fall, which made harvesting difficult. Both Bortel and Sieting said that another problem farmers faced was the drought-like conditions in July and August which affected yield. "The rain in the fall just added insult to injury," commented Bortel.

None of the 3 counties had a more than usual run-in with insects.

**SNOWMEN IN APRIL? Kari Lowe poses next to a snowman she and her mom Mari made last week. Mr. snowman didn't last long as the temperatures soared into the 80's, setting new records for Michigan daily.**



## Unscientific poll

# School asbestos removal favored

Registered voters in the Cass City School District will be going to the polls June 9 to decide the fate of a millage proposal seeking the levy of one additional mill for a 2-year period. If approved by the voters, the money generated from the millage will be used for the removal of asbestos from school buildings in the district.

The Chronicle contacted several people by telephone Thursday to get their opinions about the need for the millage being requested by the Cass City Board of Education. The majority of the district residents who agreed to be interviewed said they plan to vote in favor of the millage proposal in June.

One of the persons contacted who says she will be casting a "yes" vote is Kay Rutkoski, of 4271 South Seeger Street. "I usually vote in favor of the millage proposals requested by the schools, and the one in June should be no exception. There seems to be a danger of having the students breathing this asbestos all day long. I think it would be better to have it out of the schools," she said.

Rutkoski, a lab employee at Hills and Dales General Hospital, was asked for her opinion about the amount of the millage being requested. "One mill is not too much for the board to request for this purpose. I think the removal of the asbestos is something that should have been done earlier because it has been there for quite some time." The Rutkoski family has 2 members attending the Cass City schools, one in the 8th grade, and the other in 11th grade.

Louis Kanaby, 76, of 6694 3rd Street, said he is against asbestos remaining in the local schools, but feels that taxpayers should not be the ones to pay the bill for removing the substance. "I am planning to vote 'no' in June because I don't know if the schools should get the millage. I think the building contractors who put the asbestos in the schools several years ago should have known that it could cause cancer. They should be held liable for it, and I don't think taxpayers should have to pay. We paid

for the school buildings once already. Why should we have to pay again?" he asked.

Kanaby, who is retired, said he feels that having potential causes of cancer in the environment is nothing new. "I think that these cancer-causing materials are all over. You look at the things they put in meat and other foods at the grocery store, and at the sprays used by farmers on their crops. Having asbestos in the community is a concern, but I think 90% of it is politics," he added.

Marianne Senecal, 47, of 4862 Crestwood Circle, said she will be voting in favor of the millage proposal on the June 9 ballot. "I think the asbestos is a problem, and it is not worth risking the kids' lives to leave it there. I don't have any kids in the school system, but am concerned about the ones who are there," she said.

Senecal, a homemaker and dance instructor, said it would have been better to have the problem with asbestos solved earlier. "You know what they say about hindsight, but it's too bad the people in charge didn't realize that it was cancer-causing when the asbestos was used in the first place."

David Nye, 23, of 5883 Argyle Road, said he has not yet decided how he will vote on the issue in June. When contacted by The Chronicle, he said, "I haven't heard too much about the millage until now. If the situation with asbestos is a problem, then something should be done. The money generated by the extra mill is a lot of money, but if it has to be done, it should be. I would want to check into the issue more before deciding how to vote." Nye is employed at Active Industries in Elkton, and said he has no children in the Cass City schools.

Thomas Lounsbury, 37, of 4343 Dodge Road, said he is all for the millage proposal requested by the Cass City school board. "If it is a problem with the asbestos being in the schools, then I want it out. I am all for making the school buildings safer, if it is going to help benefit the kids," he said. Lounsbury, an employee with the Michigan Department of Agriculture, has 2 sons who attend the Campbell Elementary School.

Agnus Kitchen, 52, of 5011 N. Van Dyke Road, said she will be doing some research before deciding how to vote on the millage issue. "Our family just got back from Florida. We are aware of the situation with the asbestos being in the schools, but will have to weigh the pros and cons of the millage proposal. I guess we'll have to read more information on the issue," she added.

## at EDC meet

# Seek expansion of loan fund

Michigan Department of Commerce Director Doug Ross said Thursday that cooperation between local, county and state agencies is the key to economic development in Tuscola County and across the state. His comments were made during a dinner at the Tuscola Area Skill Center in Caro which was sponsored by the Tuscola County Economic Development Corporation, (EDC).

Ross told the gathering of about 125 people that Tuscola County has a lot going for it. "I think this area has a lot of opportunities for real growth in the future for a number of reasons. First, you are regarded as having a good quality of life, a good labor force, a good work ethic, and competitive wage rates. In addition to that, you are within a reasonable distance of a lot of major manufacturing centers," he said.

Ross said he has found that the same efforts that are used to increase tourism can be utilized in job retention and job creation. "In terms of tourism, we are finding that it is really a rapidly-growing business in the state. As a kid, I used to vacation in Caseville, so I know the Thumb is a good tourist area. I think the key to all of it is continuing to develop an accelerating rate of new business starts, whether it is tourism or manufacturing or related services," he added.

Ross pointed to the Tuscola County Economic Development Corporation's revolving loan fund as an example of what can be done on the local level. "One of the things that is always needed is capital, and this is where the revolving loan fund comes into play. It takes care of how we can work with the private sector and the banking community to make available capital for what is really

a different kind of economy. I'm not talking about huge companies, but the real growth is coming from smaller firms that don't have the same kind of assets or a previous track record. If we can't find ways to get them the needed capital, we won't be able to grow," Ross stated.

Also speaking to the group Thursday was EDC Board Chairman Lambert E. Althaver. He said, "We, the members of the EDC Board, feel we can be a forum, a place where people can come and discuss economic development problems. This is not for industrial development alone, and not just for new factories, but for downtown development, wholesale and retail sales. It's also for farming development in the agricultural industry. Economic development includes anything that not only develops new jobs, but also preserves those jobs that are already there. It is just as important to retain

jobs as it is to develop new ones."

Althaver encouraged individuals and businesses to contribute to the EDC's revolving loan fund. "With this fund, we don't want to be a bank, or take the place of an existing financial institution. We have created the fund with \$25,000 through private sources, as well as with initial economic development capital. The EDC would like to see this fund grow, and at the same time, be put to work."

Althaver said all the pieces have been put into place for the fund to be used. "We have a committee ready to take applications, and with the formal announcement tonight, we are declaring that the revolving loan fund is in business, and is ready to go. The EDC wants to see this money working in support of job creation and job retention in Tuscola County," he added.

## Chamber meet program set

There will be familiar and unfamiliar highlights in the program at the annual meeting Tuesday, May 6, of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce at the Cass City High School cafeteria at 7 p.m.

The familiar portion of the program will include the announcement of the junior citizen of the year by John Maharg and the citizen of the year by Arthur Holmberg. It will be the 26th person honored in the 24 years that the program has been conducted in the village.

Also familiar will be the state of the village address given by the village presi-

dent, Larry Davis. Chamber President Kim Glaspie will be the master of ceremonies.

The featured speaker will be the Most Rev. Kenneth Untener, bishop of the Catholic Saginaw Diocese. He is expected to talk about leadership and cooperation.

An unfamiliar part of the program will be a special presentation by a member of the Cass City Economic Development Association (EDC).

The EDC is expected to take over from the Cass City Industrial Development Corporation in the near future.

## College seeks land in county

Decisions on whether or not to sell county owned property and to hire 2 sheriff's deputies were referred to committees during a meeting Tuesday, April 22, of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners.

A representative of Great Lakes Junior College, formerly Saginaw Business Institute, came before the board to discuss the possibility of the college buying between 4 and 5 acres of land that is owned by Tuscola County. Board members were told that the college has been offering classes at the Tuscola Area

Skill Center since September of last year, but will no longer be able to use the center after the end of the current school year.

College officials said they would like to locate a building of their own on property along Cleaver Road in Caro, near the skill center. The board was told that the college would like to build the structure on about 5 acres of land owned by the county. The request to sell the property was referred to the board's building and grounds committee.

The annual report from the sheriff's department

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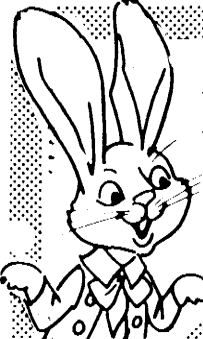


**MICHIGAN COMMERCE DEPARTMENT** Director Doug Ross was the guest speaker Thursday at a dinner in Caro sponsored by the Tuscola County Economic Development Corporation. Ross helped to announce the expansion of a revolving loan fund in the county.

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# Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

A surprising number of area residents caught Jim McLoskey last week on TV-19 doing a promo for the station. McLoskey was surprised when folks mentioned it to him. That's because the bit that appeared last week had been taped about a year ago when Jim was doing volunteer work at the station.

Jim this week starts a new job with the Tuscola County Economic Development Commission, one in which we feel he will do well.

Public relations is one of his strong points and he is cool under pressure.

Is it just a pessimistic attitude or experience with Michigan weather that makes me feel that we are doomed to pay for the 80-degree-plus weather we all enjoyed over the week end?

An expensive public relations packet came across the desk this week. It was from Miller Brewing Company and it announced that Miller will now offer "Genuine Draft" beer in Michigan.

The release came in a high gloss folder with a couple of pictures and was mailed first class.

For a small time weekly, it seemed like a lot of money to spend for this announcement of less than earth shaking proportions.

Compared to the myriad bucks that will be spent on the boob tube and other advertising media telling us about this amazing new product it's nothing at all. A grain of sand on the beach of publicity.

You know that the spring-summer season is upon us. John Maharg reports the first hole-in-one at Rolling Hills Golf Course.

It was registered Wednesday in the senior citizen outing by John Sobiecki of Cass City on the number 5 hole.

It was Sobiecki's first ace in 40 years of golfing.



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**BALANCING THE FEDERAL BUDGET** was a main topic of discussion when Michigan farmers met with their congressmen in mid-April. Among the participants were Tuscola County Farm Bureau members Jack Laurie of Cass City, (left), Karen Harrington of Akron, and Virginia Papp of Caro, (right), who met with 8th District Congressman Bob Traxler.

## Michigan Farm Bureau members return from meet in Washington, D.C.

130 members of the Michigan Farm Bureau, including Vice President Jack Laurie of Cass City, have returned home to their farms after flying to Washington, D.C., for the organization's annual lobbying mission.

While in the nation's capital, the group met with members of Michigan's congressional delegation, U.S. Department of Agriculture officials and White House representatives to discuss key issues of concern.

The Farm Bureau's debt restructuring plan, an amendment of the Gramm-Rudman law to repeal entitlement program exemptions and legislation allowing self-employed persons to deduct one-half of their health care coverage costs as a business expense were

considered the 3 priority issues for the farmers.

Members said the Farm Bureau supported the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings amendment because it was the best opportunity, at the time, to move the federal government toward fiscal responsibility.

Vice President Laurie said, "We have strongly supported reductions in federal spending, rather than tax increases, to balance the budget and eliminate deficits. We are willing to take our fair share of those spending cuts. If all programs, including the entitlement programs, took a share of the cuts, the impact on any single program would be lessened. It's a sacrifice that should be shared because everyone

will benefit from a balanced budget."

Michigan Farm Bureau President Elton R. Smith, who led the delegation of farmers to Washington, said that a key accomplishment for the group was gaining support for House and Senate resolutions urging the Farm Credit System to facilitate and participate in an agricultural loan restructuring program. Two Michigan congressmen, Bill Schuette and Dale Kildee, have agreed to cosponsor the House resolution, according to Smith. Senator Carl Levin is a cosponsor of the Senate resolution.

This was the 26th annual Washington Legislative Seminar sponsored by the Michigan Farm Bureau Women.

## "If It Fitz..."

### I need 2 tables

By Jim Fitzgerald



"I don't ask much out of life," I told my wife. "You're lucky I'm not a lawyer."

At the moment, all I wanted out of life was two dinky tables, one on each side of the chair where I sit while reading and watching TV at home. My wife was rearranging the furniture and she found the second table aesthetically displeasing.

"For 30 years, one table was enough," she said. "With two tables, the floor lamp has to go behind the chair, and it looks funny there. Why do you need two tables?"

Because my life grows more complicated all the time. Each day, it seems I need more things within easy reach so I won't have to get up out of my chair, which throws off my timing and otherwise interrupts training for the next international sitting marathon.

I need reading and writing material, food and drink, scissors and paste, and various small baskets in which to file notes and clippings that will ultimately be taken to the office. It is important that this business stuff be filed separately so it won't be stained by sticky stuff that will ultimately be taken to the kitchen if I ever establish a friendly relationship with someone headed in that direction.

Also, there are remote control devices for the TV and VCR, a flashlight for seeing channel numbers six feet away, a rearview mirror for looking out the window at the Detroit River without turning my head, and, in case of visitors, a pair of socks.

One table is simply not enough to hold everything I need. But why should I have to explain that to my wife? I've always been a faithful husband who provides well for his family and never smokes cigars in the house. Are two chair-side tables too much for such a splendid man to ask out of life, even if one of them does clash with the interior decorating?

I read about a Detroit lawyer — A. Robert Zeff — who is suing an auto dealership because he's unhappy with his \$150,000 Rolls Royce. For one thing, according to the newspaper, the windshield wipers are "erratic." Zeff wants his money back "plus \$1 million in damages for the mental anguish he suffered and the ridicule inherent in having a less-than-perfect Rolls."

Certainly a less-than-perfect life can cause more mental anguish than a less-than-perfect car. Certainly there is more ridicule inhe-

rent in a man not being allowed a second table than there is in an inconsistent wiper.

You haven't heard real ridicule until you've heard unexpected visitors razz me for carrying my socks in my shirt pocket. And you won't witness real anguish until you've watched me bite into a peanut butter sandwich and turn off the TV with remote teeth.

The measure is how much a man asks out of life. If all he asks for is a \$10 table, he has a right to be anguished and embarrassed if he can't have it. But if he asks for a \$150,000 Rolls, and gets it, but it arrives with defects, does he actually deserve \$1 million worth of balm? If so, how much do I deserve?

I probably won't sue over one dinky table, because I don't want court observers to call me litigious. However, I just thought of one more thing I want out of life. For the past week I've been stomping on an empty tube of toothpaste, striving

valiantly to squeeze out enough for one more brushing. Why didn't the family shopper buy a new tube?

My wife pointed out a colorful, cylinder-shaped can on the sink. I thought it was a space toy purchased to amuse the grandchildren. She said it was for me to pump toothpaste out of. After 60 years of squeezing, I'm too old to switch to pumping.

All I ask out of life, besides a second table, is toothpaste in a tube. Otherwise, I'm suing.

### Tobacco warning

State Representative Dick Allen said tobacco companies selling snuff or chewing tobacco in Michigan would have to print warnings on every package, under legislation approved recently by the Senate.

The measure would set fines of up to \$5,000 for violations.

## The Weather

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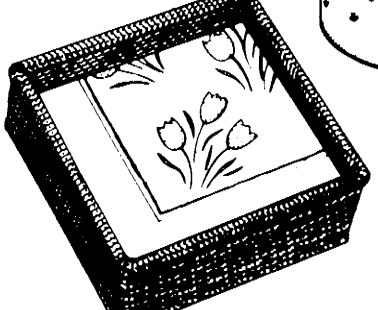
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The current whole herd buy out program deserves another name. It should be called the sell out program. A sell out by politicians interested in votes in an election year.

The cost nationally is estimated at \$1.8 billion with about 38 percent paid by the dairy producers. For the money, total milk production will be cut a little over 10 percent. In Michigan it will be about 12 percent.

That's the total reduction. One of the kickers in the program is that it doesn't happen all at once and is spread out over 18 months.

How long do you figure it will take the remaining dairy producers to expand and bring production back to where it was when the program started?

Judging by the track record, not long. When the payment in kind program went into effect there was a temporary decline in corn production, but we have corn coming out our ears again today.

The only benefit of the buy out is that it will save faltering dairy producers from bankruptcy.

The real solution is not complicated and most everyone knows it. Get the government out of the farming business.

That sounds heartless, but it may not be as unfeeling as it seems. After all, farming has been a losing profession for many for years. Not like the acute depression we are suffering today, but also not one a Wall Street banker would say was a growth industry.

But since it has been the government that has fostered this dilemma with its subsidy program, the government should give the farmer an opportunity to get his house in order before bowing out of the farm business.

Money could be made available for removing the interest burden for about 3 years with the clear understanding that after that period the law of supply and demand would take over and prices would not be artificially supported any longer. That's not any more wasteful of our tax dollars than paying for not growing corn or not producing milk.

While convinced that the only true solution to the farm problem is a free market, the sympathy is with the family farmer. After all, they are the backbone of small rural communities both as citizens and customers.

What's more you have to agree with one farmer who dropped into the office the other day and said that the farmer is being penalized for efficiency; for producing more with less labor than ever before.

That's all true. It's also true that things won't get any better unless we admit that government bandages to cover the wound just won't cure the patient. Killing off a few cows won't get the job done.

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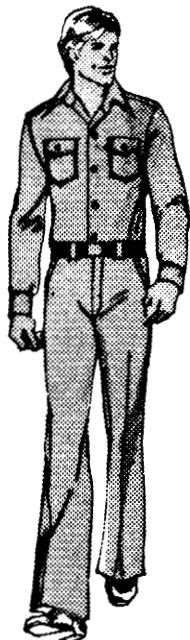
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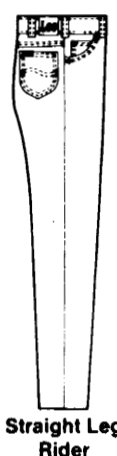


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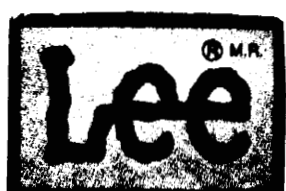
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## Children tour the township fire hall

As part of Wildfire Prevention Week April 20-25, area pre-school and grade school children toured the Elkland Township Firehall. On Thursday, 19 children from the Cass City pre-school met Smokey the Bear and watched an educational film. They also

took a ride on the fire truck around the park and watched a water hose demonstration. The purpose of the visit was to allay their fears about firefighters and to teach them the basics of fire safety.

Wildfires this year seem especially bad. Caro Fire Officer Jim Melin said that this year there have been 144 wildfires reported which have burned 1,527 acres. Last year during the same time only 40 fires were reported which burned a considerably less 220 acres.

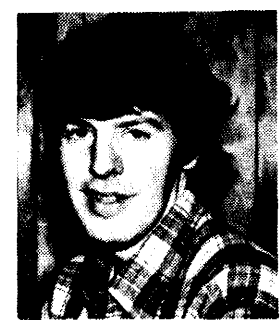
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CASS CITY PRESCHOOLERS were treated to a waterhose demonstration Thursday at the Elkland township fire hall.

## So to speak . . .

by Jim McLoskey



I attended a meeting in Caro last week with a group of people who came together to talk about a new program which is designed to help young people. During the course of that discussion, some very nice things were said about the community of Cass City, the Cass City school system, and about one particular group of school employees.

One of the people in attendance for this meeting was a high ranking county official whom I consider to be an authority on why some young people get into trouble with the law, and what can be done to keep the number of these cases as few as possible. This official works with schools in all parts of the county, and does not live in the Cass City area.

During the meeting, which lasted a couple of hours, he said that some schools in Tuscola County seem to have an attitude whereby administrators try to get rid of students who are trouble makers as soon as possible. He said these are the schools where officials hope that all of the bad apples are out of their school buildings by the 11th or 12th grade.

On the other hand, this official pointed to Cass City, which he called "a very stable community." He said the counselors in the Cass City schools are willing to take the effort to work out the problems of students, and at the same time, give them a chance to finish their high school education.

This difference in school policies across the county was news to me. I have always thought that students, both the good ones and those who are not-so-perfect, should be able to get their education. I never thought that some school administrators would encourage the filtering out of students, but I was very happy to hear that Cass City is not among this group. I am familiar with most of the counselors in the Cass City schools, and feel that the fine job they are doing is a prime factor in the compliments made by other people outside the district.

On a different note, I would like to announce that this will be my last regular column to appear in The Chronicle. As many of you know, I have decided to accept a position as director of the Tuscola County Economic Development Corporation. It seems like just a few days ago that I was trying to figure out what to call this column, and now the time has arrived to type my final "30", (journalism talk meaning end of story).

I would like to take this opportunity to thank John and all the staff at The Chronicle for putting up with me over the past few months. I have enjoyed my

stay here in the editor's chair, and hope that you, the readers, have benefited from at least a few of the items that were tapped out on this video display terminal. Take care!

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## Lutherans hold annual retreat

The Thumb Zone of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League held its Annual Retreat at Lake Huron Methodist Camp in Jeddo April 23-24.

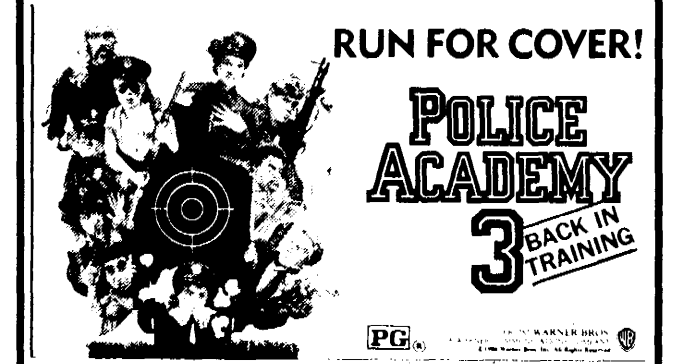
The theme of the retreat was "Walk in Love" and speaker and Bible study leader was the Rev. Albert Bahr of Port Hope, who is the Michigan District LWML Counselor.

Rev. Allen Fruendt of Cass City, Thumb Zone Counselor, presided over a candlelight meditation service Wednesday evening, outdoor morning devotions and a closing communion service in the chapel.

Sixty-two ladies were in attendance, representing attendance from 14 different congregations in the Thumb.

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## Lions to be selling White Canes this week

Once again the Lions will be hitting the streets of Cass City in conjunction with the annual White Cane Week drive scheduled for April 25 to May 5. The Lions will be out on the corner of Main and Seeger all day Friday, May 2, and Saturday morning, May 3, selling miniature White Canes.

This is at least the sixteenth year that the group has participated, according to Tom Jackson, local chairman of White Cane Week.

He said that last year they raised a little over \$1,200 which was one of their best years. The money collected from the sale of the pins is used to support many worthwhile projects such as leader dogs for the blind, the leader dog puppy program, the Michigan Lions Eye Banks, which assist in the restoration of sight to

the unsighted through transplants and research, and Pentrickton Center, Taylor, a school for blind children who have an additional handicap. Also to benefit are Beaumont Silent Children's Fund, Braille transcribing, free sight screening from sightmobiles, glaucoma detection clinics and numerous local community projects and institutions.

Approximately 23,000 Lions Club members in Michigan will be participating in the fundraiser in hopes of reaching a \$1.5 million goal. "It will enable us to purchase White Canes, Braille watches, eyeglasses, examinations and various other aids for the unsighted. We strive to help the blind help themselves. We can't continue our work without the generous people of Michigan. It's as simple as that,"

explained William Young, chairman of the White Cane Committee.

The Lions Club also promotes the White Cane law which requires motorists to stop for a person carrying a White Cane or being led by a guide dog in harness. Governor Blanchard has recently signed into law an amendment to the original legislation. The new law defines blindness, provides for mandatory punishment of offenders and requires knowledge of the law through driver education courses and driver licensing examinations.

"It is crucial to the safety of the 16,000 blind persons in this state that all drivers know this law," said Young. "Countless lives have been saved since the original law was passed. Michigan, by the way, was the first state to enact such a law," he added.

## Area agencies to host water quality workshops

The Human Development Commission, in cooperation with the Lapeer and Tuscola County Health Departments, Cooperative

Extension Service and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources presents, "Water Quality and You-Practical Suggestions to Keep Your Own Water Plentiful and Safe to Use," a free workshop for area residents.

The workshop will be offered at several different times and locations:

Lapeer County - Tuesday, May 13, Imlay City Hall: 3:00-4:30 p.m. and 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 22 - Lapeer DeAngeli Library: 9:00-10:30 a.m. and 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Tuscola County - Wednesday, May 28, Kingston Beagio's: 2:00-3:30 p.m. and Cass City, Veronica's Restaurant: 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 5 - Caro Indianfields Library: 10:30-12:00 noon and Vassar Beagio's: 2:30-4:00 p.m.

A panel composed of the cooperating agencies will be on hand to explain their role in the community, and provide information on how to maintain private wells, detect and prevent septic system problems, and utilize water conservation measures that save money, among others.

Information packets containing additional water quality-related materials will also be provided to workshop participants at

no charge, and other materials will be available for a nominal price.

Each workshop participant will also be registered for a chance to win 3 free months of home water treatment service provided by Culligan's of Marlette. Drawings will take place at the end of each workshop.

For more information, contact Val Osowski at (517) 673-4121.

## CCPD report

### 2 strike deer

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and Sherman and looked south and north and did not see Suzor, who was traveling south on Sherman. Suzor did not see Dybilas turning onto Sherman and he hit Dybilas on the driver's side front.

Jeffrey T. Loomis, 21, of 4796 E. Cass City Rd. was westbound on E. Cass City Rd. approximately two tenths of a mile west of Crane Rd. Thursday night when a deer jumped into the path of his car.

Carl Lounsbury of 5714 River Rd. was eastbound on River Rd. one quarter mile east of Warner Rd. Friday, April 18, when he struck a deer.

## Presbyterians attend meet

The Lake Huron Presbyterian met in Presbyterian Westminster Church in Bay City Wednesday, April 23, for an all-day meeting.

Guest speaker was Dr. Isabel Rogers, who is Professor of Christian Education in Richmond, Va.

Election of officers was held and Alexia Cook of Cass City is on the nominating committee for another year.

An offering in the afternoon was given to Church World Service for the blanket fund.

Attending were Betty Russell, Florence Karr, Cheryl Lester, Charlotte LaPeer, Jean Reid, Ione Perry, Pauline Milligan, Evelyn MacRae and Alexia Cook.

## Commissioners set salary for prosecutor

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was presented to the board by Undersheriff Paul Megge. It was received and placed on file. As part of the report, Megge requested that the board hire 2 deputies whose positions were left vacant over the past year. The request was referred to the board's finance committee.

In other action, county commissioners scheduled a special order of the day for Wednesday, April 30, at 1:00 p.m., for the presentation of the county's equalization report. The board set the annual salary for Prosecuting Attorney William Bond at \$40,000. The commissioners also selected a salary review committee which will review the salaries of the county's non-union employees. Commissioner Royce Russell (R-Cass City) was one of 4 members appointed to the group.

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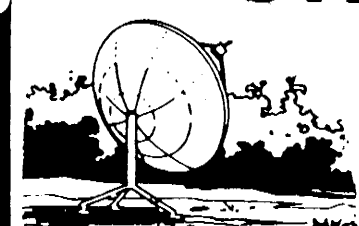
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**Group aids****World Relief**

The Thumb Zone of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League met at St. John Lutheran Church in Palms Tuesday, April 15, for its annual Spring Rally.

Marilyn Buchholz, zone president, presided with 112 women in attendance. The speaker was Mrs. Lila Tirsell of Midland, who gave a slide presentation describing her visit with a missionary family in Nigeria.

Over 100 pounds of soap were collected for Lutheran World Relief and the offering for the evening was given towards work in the Nigerian mission field.

Plans were discussed for the Annual Zone Retreat, which will be held at Jeddo April 23-24, and for the Michigan District Convention which will convene at Boyne Mountain in July.

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**Down Memory Lane**

From the files of the Chronicle

**FIVE YEARS AGO**

Three students from Cass City Intermediate School have been named local winners in the 12th annual America and Me Essay Contest, sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance Group. The three are Sam Miller, first; Craig Schuette, second, and Laurie Cook, third.

Michigan State Police Trooper Robert Smith of Cass City has been reassigned from the Detroit freeway post to the Iron River post in the Upper Peninsula. Smith was a Cass City police officer from June, 1974, to February, 1976. He and his wife Sharon, have three children.

Annexation petitions from Dr. Edward Scollon and Shirley and Frank McComb, both on Seeger St. across from the high school, were accepted by the Cass City Village Council.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burleson and daughter, Donna, and Susie Opanasenko flew home April 22 from Tucson, Ariz., where they spent Easter.

**TEN YEARS AGO**

One inch of snow fell in the Cass City area Sunday, April 25.

Cass City Police Chief Gene Wilson tossed his badge into the ring this week when he announced his candidacy for Tuscola county sheriff.

Debbie Broecker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Broecker of Decker, has been accepted to participate in the Future Farmers of America Work Experience Abroad Program this summer.

Evelyn MacRae was named Citizen of the Year at the Chamber of Commerce banquet. She became the 14th recipient of the award and only the second woman to receive the accolade. Junior Citizens of the year were Ann Hobart and Sue Pobanz.

**25 YEARS AGO**

The final meeting of the year for the Cass City Home Demonstration Group was held Monday evening at Bush's Restaurant. Mrs. William Ruhl, county council member, gave a county

report. Mrs. Albert Gallagher and Miss Catherine MacGillivray were selected to make arrangements for the club's annual banquet.

A record performance by Cass City's sprint relay team sparked the Hawks to a fourth place finish in the Central Michigan University relays at Mt. Pleasant. The quartet consisted of Roger Parker, Tim Anthes, Paul Holmberg and Bob Wright.

Two new businesses are now operating in Cass City. Duane Peters has opened a barbershop in the New Gordon Hotel and Russ Schneeberger has opened a fruit market at the corner of Maple and Main.

Miss Clotile Thompson and Miss Carol Fuester spent the past week in Cass City with their parents. Miss Fuester has just completed a course in dental nursing at Elkhart University.

**35 YEARS AGO**

Mack Little and Sons, Cass City, received a silver award on their Duroc Jersey gilt in the Michigan Sow Testing project, a contest in efficient pig production, supervised by Michigan State College specialists.

Pupils of the Quick School, their teacher, Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner, Mrs. John Little, director of the district, Mrs. Edward Leboida, bus driver, and her sister, Mrs. Dale Parrish made a trip to Pontiac last Friday where the group visited Pontiac Motors and saw a car made.

Mrs. Mason Wilson is spending the week in Uby at the Carl Stafford home while her daughter, Mrs. Stafford, is attending the State Federation of Women's Clubs meeting at Newberry.

Two Cass City boys have been assigned to the 97th Bomb Wing, Biggs Air Force Base at El Paso, Texas. They are Private Grant O. Glaspie and Private Harold D. Willard. Glaspie was a postal clerk here and is married to the former Jerry Orlowski. Willard was a salesman in civilian life before being called to duty.

**HEALTH TIPS  
Magic Bullets  
for cancer**

Imagine a medical procedure selective enough to seek out cancer cells and kill them. Such a weapon would surely be a magic bullet since sparing normal healthy cells would be as important as killing the cancerous ones. Current cancer treatments such as chemotherapy and radiation treatments do kill large numbers of healthy cells.

These magic bullets are monoclonal antibodies. Last week we found that antibodies are produced in our lymphocytes anytime

foreign materials (antigens) come into our bodies. Since antigens are typically large molecules or even bacteria, any antigen will stimulate the production of several different antibodies. These antibodies are called polyclonal antibodies (poly means many) because several types of lymphocytes are stimulated by a single antigen. Cancer cells are normal body cells which have become abnormal. Producing polyclonal antibodies against them is not effective since some of these antibodies will also recognize normal cells. What is needed is a single type of antibody that recognizes only the cancer cells and not normal cells. A monoclonal antibody (mono means one) will do just that.

Monoclonal antibodies are made in the following way. Lymphocytes are taken from a mouse that has been given the antigen against which antibodies are wanted. These lymphocytes are fused with a cancerous lymphocyte tumor to produce new types of cells called hybridomas. Hybridomas produce large numbers of a single type of antibody and, like cancer cells, can be kept alive indefinitely in laboratory solution. The hybridomas are screened to select those that are only effective against cancer cells.

The idea, then, would be to inject these monoclonal antibodies into the cancer patient whose cancer cells had been used as antigens to make the monoclonal antibodies in the first place. The antibodies would selectively seek out the cancer cells and mark them for destruction. Unfortunately, by the time a cancer is diagnosed, there may be too many cancer cells for normal body methods of destruction. However, toxic materials can be chemically linked with the monoclonal antibodies to carry a poison directly to the cancer cell. Already scientists have produced monoclonal antibodies with radioactive iodine attached that have been used on patients with liver cancer. Seven of 104 were cured and half of them showed improvement. Clinical trials are currently being conducted where poisons like methotrexate have been linked to monoclonal antibodies.

The big problem at this point is that the antibodies come from a mouse. Therefore human immune systems make their own antibodies to the mouse-made

monoclonal antibodies. The first treatment works well, but subsequent ones from the same mouse cells do not. Human monoclonal antibodies are needed, but they are difficult to obtain. Human monoclonal antibodies have been made against gram negative sepsis, the leading cause of death from hospital infection. They were produced using the spleens of persons who had had their spleens removed for other reasons.

There are tremendous uses for monoclonal antibodies outside the body that can occur with no problems. Already home diagnostic kits to detect pregnancy, and the time of ovulation are available. Others are or soon will be available to hospitals to detect pneumonia, sickle-cell anemia and many other diseases. Cancerous bone marrow cells are being cleansed of the bad cells by attaching microscopic magnetic pellets to monoclonal antibodies made against the cancer. The antibodies attach to the cancer cells and the marrow cells are passed by magnet. It pulls the cancer cells out, leaving behind the "clean" normal bone marrow cells. They can be replaced into the patient.

The potential of monoclonal antibodies in the diagnosis and treatment of diseases and the detection of other body products is truly staggering. Few of us will remain untouched by these magic bullets.

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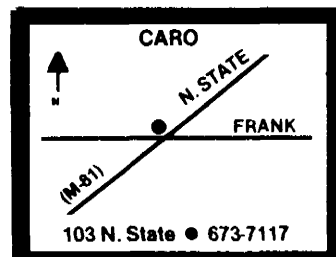
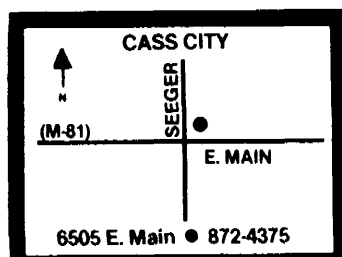
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To the Electors of the School District:

Please take notice that the annual school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 9, 1986.

The last day on which persons may register with the appropriate city or township clerks, in order to be eligible to vote at the annual school election called to be held on Monday, June 9, 1986, is Monday, May 12, 1986. Persons registering after 5 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, May 12, 1986, are not eligible to vote at the annual school election.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This notice is given by order of the board of education.

Ben Hobart, Secretary, Board of Education

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## Perrys host class meet

Twenty-seven members of the Golden Rule class of Salem UM Church and 2 guests attended the April 24 meeting at the home of Harold and Ione Perry. The meeting began with a potluck supper. Muriel Addison was in charge of devotions with "Time" the topic. Helen Bartle was in charge of games. Cards were signed to

send to the sick, Effie LaPeer, Maud Palmer, Cliff Robinson and Mary Buehrly. The May meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earney Seeley.

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### TRACTORS

Oliver 1800 gas, C series, cab, single outlet, 18.4x34 tires and duals, 300 hours on major overhaul

Oliver 1800 gas, wide front, 18.4x34 tires

Oliver 770 gas, narrow front, new rear tires

John Deere 2010 gas, wide front Moline 4 Star, wide front, 13x26 tires and duals

### EQUIPMENT

New Idea 325 corn picker with 12 row husking bed  
2 Ford 1 row side mount corn pickers

White 543-4 row planter

New Holland 717 chopper with 2 row corn head

John Deere 15A flail chopper

Gehl 108 haybine

New Holland 270 baler

Oliver 4-16 inch hydraulic reset, semi-mount plow, 3 point

John Deere 14 ft. wheel disk

3 point ditcher plow

Gehl Hi-throw blower with 50 ft. of pipe and spout

### EQUIPMENT

Farmhand No. 830 grinder-mixer  
New Idea no. 217 manure spreader  
34 foot elevator with electric motor  
2 Gehl Ba83 self-unloading boxes on running gears

Killbros No. 300 gravity box on running gear

Hay rack on running gear

Flat rack on Ford running gear

Round bale carrier, 3 point

3-1200 bushel round corn cribs

3 ton wooden feed bin

30 Kilowatt generator on cart

16 ft. steel gate

6-8½ ft. cement feeder bunks

Jewelry Wagon

1968 IHC 1 ton truck with box, 750x16 tires for parts

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# Holbrook Area News

Ms. Thelma Jackson  
Phone 658-2347

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson were Larry Robinson of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor, Danny and Shane of Minden City, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson, Tracy and Chris, Gary Krug, Jim Osentoski and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Nichols, Friday; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson Jr. of Roseville, Lorene Bowron of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Puvalowski, Saturday; Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Dickinson and Libby and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson of Cass City.

Others were Roger Kincaid of Ubyly and Joe Van-erp, Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wills of Bad Axe, Monday afternoon; Larry Robinson of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff were Monday supper guests, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney, Edanna Sweeney, Reva Silver, Mrs. Terry Nicol, Tuesday; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griggs of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Satchell, Mrs. Larry Robinson of Caro, Philip Robinson, Ted Pelpinski, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Chippi, Rev. Patton of Cass City, Jim Leitch of Sebawaing; Mrs. Kevin O'Connor and Shane of Minden City, Janice Winter and Ray Michalski.

Mrs. Carrie Robinson of Harbor Beach and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar spent from Friday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson and family at Homer.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Sunday afternoon and supper guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Booms and family at Harbor Beach.

Bill Cleland and Heather of Drayton Plains, Bob Cleland of Birmingham and Eric Sedaburg of Pontiac were Friday overnight and Saturday guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland, Carol Laming and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr. Mrs. Ken Osentoski was a Saturday forenoon guest.

Brent Jackson of Harbor Beach was a Friday afternoon guest of Mrs. George Jackson and Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Talaski and Florence Andreski of Bad Axe were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard Sr.

Mrs. Jim Hewitt, Ruth Knowles and Randall were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Corbushley and Charles in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Andersen and Carol of Brighton were Sunday guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk. Reva Silver was a Sunday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker were Tuesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena attended the funeral of Milo Shagena at Little's Funeral Home at 11:30 Saturday. Burial was in Elkland Cemetery, Cass City.

Mrs. Fred Hagen was a Friday afternoon guest of Edanna Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney spent from Sunday till Tuesday with Dr. and Mrs. Tom Collins at Allegan.

Lucy Hamilton of Royal

Oak spent the weekend with Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Tom Gibbard came home Wednesday after spending 3 days at Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schantz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fahs of Sandusky were Friday evening guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hind, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cieslinski, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills, Reva Silver and Edanna Sweeney had lunch Tuesday at the Franklin Inn in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kitchen were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Richardson and Brenda.

Gary Dorman of Deford, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and Beth Ann, Angie Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr, Jamie and Jeff were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland for cake and ice cream in honor of Mrs. Jim Doerr's birthday.

Mrs. George Jackson visited Margaret Carlson Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Fritz VanErp visited Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

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

Bernice Gracey spent Friday and Saturday with Kristy Collins in Pontiac and had a Chinese dinner at China City restaurant in honor of Bernice Gracey's birthday.

Mrs. Gloria Clark of Corona, Calif., who is spending 5 days with her mother, Beatrice Hundersmarck in Bad Axe, was a Tuesday afternoon guest of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick were Monday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Edanna Sweeney and Reva Silver were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mrs. Carrie Robinson of Harbor Beach, Mr. and Mrs. James Gage and family of Goodrich and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar attended the 9:30 Mass at a Catholic church at Concord where Alice Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson of Homer, took her First Holy Communion. A dinner followed at the Robinson home.

Mrs. Andy Hay, Mrs. Angus Sweeney and Mr.

and Mrs. Clarence Rumpitz attended the Retired School Personnel lunch and meeting at Colony House Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Soule of Sebawaing were Monday dinner and Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mrs. John O'Henley was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Henley and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker were Saturday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer.

Mrs. Craig Johnson of Ubyly and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended a Presbyterial meeting at Westminster Presbyterian Church at Bay City Wednesday.

John Baranic Jr., Ron and Ed Sweeney called on David Sweeney Friday.

Bernice Hughes of Cass City was a Friday lunch guest of Reva Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland attended the Fiddlers' Jamboree at the Vassar fairgrounds Saturday.

Jason and Jim Jackson spent the weekend with Don Jackson and Mrs. George Jackson.

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

Bowron.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt, Ruth Knowles and Randy were Friday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bredow at Bad Axe.

The Olin Boucks attended the Frit Communion service of their granddaughter, Madeline Mae Bouck, in Hartland Sunday. She is the daughter of Ernest and Monica Bouck.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller in Cass City.

Bernice Gracey was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hortop and family in Imlay City in honor of Bernice Gracey's birthday.

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

Arlan Hendrick of Brown City and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Copeland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gravennier and son, Jesse of St. Clair, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

Virginia Greenlee of Argyle and Reva Silver had dinner Saturday evening at Wildwood Farms.

## GARY WILLS, OWNER

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## New books at the library

WHEN ALL YOU'VE EVER WANTED ISN'T ENOUGH by Harold S. Kushner (non-fiction). In the rabbi's sympathetic and eminently readable guide, discontented people can find reasons to banish doubts on whether living is worthwhile. The Book of Ecclesiastes is the main source of reassurance here, for the spiritually bankrupt. Citing the short entry in the Old Testament as "the most dangerous in the Bible," the author argues that a fear of uselessness is humanity's ancient enemy. Ecclesiastes poured out his complaints that all his wealth and wisdom and achievements were nothing; he must die and be forgotten like an animal. Why does God withhold the power to enjoy the gifts that are the scribe's by the grace of God? Exploring the despairing voices in these pages, Kushner emphasizes the lesson that the unknown writer finally learned more than 1000 years ago - every person matters.

ADRIFF: SEVENTY-SIX DAYS LOST AT SEA by Steven Callahan (non-fiction). In February of 1983, Steven Callahan, an experienced sailor then in his late 20s, set sail from the Canary Islands in a small, self-built cruiser. He was headed for the Caribbean, where he hoped to find part-time work. Just west of the Canaries his boat sank, and Callahan was able to transfer enough emergency supplies and food into his five-foot-diameter rubber raft to last 18 days. Incredibly, and despite terrifying odds, he managed to survive in the Atlantic for 76 days, subsisting on two dozen fish, three birds, several pounds of barnacles, and less than a pint of salvageable water. On April 21, he was rescued by three fishermen near Gudeloupe in the Caribbean. Only the second person in history to have survived more than a month alone at sea, Callahan poignantly describes his horrifying battle against the elements, starvation, sharks, and illness.

DEATHBED by William X. Kienzle (mystery). Father Koesler of Detroit is the acting chaplain at an inner-city Catholic hospital. Defying efforts to close the haven for the poor, its chief, Sister Eileen, fights rising costs and enemies on the staff. Tricks by a feckless arch-conservative fail to daunt the nun, such ploys causing only temporary confusion. But Koesler senses the minatory aura, very different from foolishness, which he interprets as a determination to kill Sister Eileen. He's right, although unable to change events set in motion by a malcontent who strikes suddenly.

## SURGERY CLINIC

Caro Family Physicians are pleased to announce the opening of a surgery clinic at

**HILLS & DALES GENERAL HOSPITAL**  
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Dr. Guat Sy

who is a practicing colo-rectal and general surgery physician will be at the clinic Thursday afternoons from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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## AUCTION

ANTIQUE - HOUSEHOLD - SHOP EQUIPMENT

As we are moving to Arizona, we will sell the following items at public auction located 1 mile north of Elkton, 2½ miles east at 3926 Richardson Road in Huron County on:

## SATURDAY, MAY 3 At 10 a.m.

### SHOP EQUIPMENT

Search 3 hp. air compressor - Anvil - Large bench vise - Kennedy Mechanics double tool box - Impact wrench - Torch set and cart - Lincoln 225 amp welder - Bench grinder - Electric drill - Big Six wet and dry vacuum - ½ T. chainfalls - Forge - Weller sander - Belt sander - Skisaw - Sabre saw - Creeper - Axes - Sledges - Forks - Shovels - Others.

### ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

54" round oak table with 4 leaves - 6 matching wood chairs - Oak dresser with mirror - Large wardrobe (primitive) - Gentleman's dresser and matching commode - Slag glass lamp with original paint - Platform rocker - Pressed back rocker - Child's rocker - Dressing table - Treadle sewing machine - 3 barrel cider press - Fruit press - Sausage stuffer - Cream separator - Crock - Milk strainers - Scythe - 2 small wood barrels - Cistern pump - German corner curio cabinet with beveled glass - Small rectangular German curio cabinet with beveled glass - Lanterns - Jenny Lind bed ¾ - Coat hook - Hand corn planter - Several milk cans - Jugs - Shovel plow - Cast iron griddle - 2 German coffee grinders - Assortment of dishes - Figurines - Potato crates - Others

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### HOUSEHOLD

Philco 25" console color TV - Sanyo Beta cord video recorder - Norge upright freezer - Whirlpool washer and dryer - Linde small freezer - Electric range - Kitchen table and chairs - Zenith AM/FM radio and record player - Large assortment of records - 2 record cabinets - Large Brady couch - Lazyboy rocker recliner - Recliner - Hide-a-bed couch - End tables - Table lamps - Stereo - Hamilton Beach malted milk mixer - Blender - Meat slicer - 2 electric coffee pots - Deep fryer - Glass front gun case - Dishes - Pots and pans - Electric broom - 8mm movie projector and screen - 3 pc. bedroom outfit - 2 twin beds - Baby crib - 4 drawer chest - Dresser - Smith Corona electric typewriter - Crock pot - Others.

### HAM RADIO GEAR

Amperex 5894 power tube - Heath Kit ALC bridge - National (NC) one ninety general coverage receiver - Craig 11 channel scanner - Ken-tech X-904 tape player/recorder - Realistic SA-10 solid state stereo amplifier - West Union Jask Fax machine - 5 boxes teletype paper (12 rolls per box 8½" wide) - 2 boxes perforator tape - 1 box teletype paper (10 rolls per box 8½" wide) - 8 rolls triple Sheek teletype paper 8½" wide.

### GUNS

Swedish Mauser 7.5mm straight full bolt - Mossberg 195 12 gauge bolt action - Mossberg 385 20 gauge bolt - C-V - A 50 cal. black powder rifle - Very old muzzle loader.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Simplicity 16 hp. 42" cut riding lawn mower with snowblower - Fibre glass 16' boat with trailer and 40 hp. Johnson outboard motor, electric start - Troy-bilt 6 hp. rototiller - Homelite XL2 chainsaw - Electric chain saw - Pulley for 8N Ford tractor - 7 hp. Elgin outboard motor - Sears weed wacker - 500 gal. fuel tank - Water pump and tank - Electric cords - Coleman lanterns - Smelt fish nets - Anchor cattle duster - Wheel barrow - Golf clubs and bag - 2 electric fencers - 7 wire pen gates - Small grain blower - Electric bug killer - 35 gal. fish tank complete - Roto push mower - Chicken waterers, feeders, brooders, 50 egg incubator - Small cultipacker - Welder - Lawn roller - Glider - Picnic table - Many others.

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## Gagetown Area News

Gen Kehoe  
Phone 665-2221

Paul and Maggie Langlois of Caro returned home April 17 after spending the past 3 months in Fort Meyers Beach, Fla. On the weekend they visited relatives, Mrs. Ray Toohey of Caro, Mrs. Harry Hool of Cass City, and Sunday were callers at the home of Velma Helwig and the

Harry Kehoes in Gagetown. Returning also from Florida were Phyllis and Skip Connors of Caseville. They spent the winter in LaBelle and before leaving Florida, were the guests of Mrs. RoseAnn Krauss of St. Petersburg where they helped Harry Comment celebrate his birthday

Tuesday, April 15. Among the party of 10, who celebrated with a boat trip, were Eileen Pennock and Clare and Jeannie Comment. In a letter to friends, Bud and Harriet Kuhr of Rochester announced the arrival of a new grandson born to Peg and Rick Kuhr of Caro Friday, March 28,

at Bay Medical Center. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces and is named Matthew Edward. Deacon Kuhr was on the sick list and off work recently, having suffered a perforated lung in a fall from a chair while replacing a light bulb.

C.A. and Jean Marecki of Rochester spent Sunday, April 20, with Mrs. Marecki's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rabideau.

Friday evening, April 18, Kay and Herb Rutkoski of Cass City, Jim and Velma Helwig and John and Noreen Helwig met for dinner at Wildwood Farms in celebration of the 16th wedding anniversary of John and Noreen.

Last Wednesday evening, Mrs. Don Loomis and her mother, Mrs. Frank Weatherhead, attended a special meeting at the Methodist Church in Sebewaing where Rev. Kent Fishel of Fort Wayne, Ind., was the featured speaker.

Pat Kreger, youngest son of Max and Mary Kreger of Sandusky, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Les Munro was confirmed last Sunday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Sandusky. After the service, the Kreger family and grandparents, Mrs. Gertrude Kreger of Sandusky and the Les Munros, gathered for brunch at a local restaurant.

Mrs. M.E. Grady is a patient at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit where she expects to undergo surgery this week.

Elger Generous returned home recently from Caro Community Hospital. Callers at the Generous home were Pearl and Ted Kain, returned from their winter in Florida, Grace and Steve Kamrad, Paul and Donna LaFave, Ray and Lila Parker, Bill Johnston, Jerry Generous and Ila Seurnynck.

Bishop Kenneth Untener of Saginaw celebrated

mass at the H & M Retirement Home Tuesday, April 22, for the 8 resident women and Sister Josepha Wentworth. Guests were Sister Carmella of Uby and Mr. and Mrs. Les Munro. A coffee hour and blessing of the home followed the service.

Mrs. Frank Weatherhead was a caller Friday at the home of Mrs. Emma Kettlewell in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe spent from Wednesday to Friday with Mr. and Mrs. William Prieur in Farmington Hills. Thursday, they visited Mrs. Madge Murray at the U of M Hospital, Ann Arbor. Other recent visitors of Mrs. Murray were Miss Sharon Walsh of Chicago, Ill., and Mike Walsh and children of Sylvania, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rocheleau and Mrs. Carl Sieland of Caro visited Friday with Mrs. Velma Helwig, Miss Denise Rocheleau and other relatives.

At ceremonies Friday at St. John Fisher Chapel in Rochester, Miss Mary Kay Burrows was inducted, as a charter member, into the Sigma Theta Tau Chapter of the National Honor Society of Nurses. Mary Kay is the daughter of Bill and Nancy Burrows, and she's spending a few days here with her parents. Sunday, May 4, she will take part in the pinning ceremony at Oakland University, and June 7 will receive her degree in nursing at graduation ceremonies. Sunday, Kathy Burrows Lupp and 2 children of Sebewaing spent the day at the Burrows.

Callers Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Comment were Jim and Joyce Turner of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Comment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mosack of Flint spent the weekend at their home here. Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ted LaFave of Caro were callers.

Lynette LaFave, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murl LaFave of Owendale, was united in marriage to Paul Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin of Sun City, Ariz., at a private family ceremony Saturday, April 19, at St. Robert's Catholic Church in Flushing. Rev. Father J. Sessions officiated. A reception for family and friends followed at Bailey's restaurant in Flushing. The new Mrs. Martin is a preschool special education teacher and Mr. Martin teaches high school social studies in the Flushing school system.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hewitt of Westland and their daughter, Pam Hewitt Evans, and her daughter, visiting from Little Rock, Ark., were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe. Mrs. Evans' daughter, 2-month-old Tiffany, met her relatives for the first time here, her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Beatrice Hewitt in Elkton and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kehoe in Cass City.

Don Schwartz and Bill (Buck) Burrows were fishing at Neff Lake for the opening of trout season Saturday.

Shirley Lenhard visited her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Kimmel, in Caro Sunday. Mrs. Kimmel returned last week after spending the winter in Bradenton, Fla.

Miss Toni Watterworth of Caseville and Mrs. Gerry Carolan spent the weekend in West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Birch of Bay City were callers Sunday in Caseville at the home of Phyl and Skip Connors and in Gagetown, at the Harry Kehoes.

Mrs. Ray (Clara) Toohey and her daughter, Margaret Ann, both of Caro, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Seurnynck.

## O-G Seniors meet in Bach

The Owen-Gage Senior Citizens met April 20 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Bach, where the Ladies Aid served dinner to 56 members. Rev. Eric and Mrs. Lambart and children were guests. Rev. Lambart gave the table prayer.

After dinner, euchre was played and high prizes went to Louis Ouvry and Evelyn Winchester. Low prizes went to William Ashmore and Mary Kuehne. Traveling prize went to Louis Ouvry and door prizes to William Ashmore and Venita Kling.

Members signed get-well cards for Nettie Doan and Maud Sarosky. Ed Good and Homer Kretschmer were welcomed back.

At the regular business meeting April 3, there were 47 present and 26 blood pressures were taken. Iva Peterson and Bertha Shagena signed as new members.

Happy birthday was sung for Vernita Jaster, Bernice Gracey and Ada Salgat.

A card was signed for Tony and Mary Enderle who celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary.

Door prizes went to Jim Winchester and Iva Volz.

On the committee for May are Mary Kuehne, Mary Blondell, Vernita Jaster, Elizabeth Bartholomy and Aura Beaudon.

## Zontians

### hold meet

The Zonta Club of Cass City held its regular monthly meeting April 15 at the Charming.

A highlight of the meeting was the drawing of the 50/50 raffle. The winner was Helen Nickrand of Decker.

The Zontians picked representatives for the Zonta International Convention to be held in Toronto in June. Isabel Wright was chosen delegate and Betty Hurst, alternate.

After the meeting, a white elephant auction was conducted, an annual fund raiser for the Zontians. Four Zontians went April 24 to join the Owosso Club for their Annual Inter-City dinner at Eddie O'Flynn's.

## Retired group at Skill Center

The Cass City Retired Persons group met at the Good Shepherd Lutheran fellowship hall April 10 for blood pressures and went to the Skill Center in Caro for lunch. Fifteen members attended.

The May meeting will be held the second Thursday, May 8, when Theda Seeger will show slides of her trip to New Zealand and Australia.

Monday, April 14, the group served refreshments at Rawson Memorial Library following the film on Drug and Alcohol Education Campaign program.

The kitchen committee for May will be Margaret Beckett and Edna Simcox.

## School menus

### ELEMENTARY

MAY 5-9

MONDAY

Chicken Patty/Bun  
or Hammyburger  
Great Green Beans  
Diced Peas  
White Cake w/Blueberries Milk

TUESDAY

Italian Spaghetti w/Roll  
or Hot Doger  
Sweet Baby Peas  
Chunky Pineapple Milk

WEDNESDAY

Tasty Tacos or  
Spicy Burrito  
Hot Buttered Corn  
Mixed-up Fruit Milk

THURSDAY

Pizza or  
Grilled Cheese  
Vegetable  
Creamy Applesauce Milk

FRIDAY

Submarine Sandwich  
or Hot Doger  
Golden French Fries  
Fruit Milk

Blueberries Milk

TUESDAY

Italian Spaghetti w/Rol  
or Hot Dog  
Sweet Peas  
Chunky Pineapple Milk

WEDNESDAY

Tasty Tacos or  
Mexican Burrito  
Hot Buttered corn  
Mixed Fruit Milk

THURSDAY

Ravioli/Roll or  
Hamburger  
Vegetable  
Michigan Applesauce Milk

FRIDAY

Submarine Sandwich  
or Hot Dog  
Golden French Fries  
Fruit Milk

## Hours extended

State Representative Dick Allen has announced that the Capitol Tour Guide program has extended its hours to include Saturdays and holidays from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., and Sundays from 12:00 noon until 4:00 p.m.

The state is also designing new souvenirs and preparing materials of special interest to visitors.



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The zoning administrator is responsible for administering the Elkland Township Rural Zoning Ordinance. This includes (1) assisting the general public, land developers, builders, and interested citizens in understanding the ordinance and its meaning; (2) providing for identification and enforcement of violations of ordinances; (3) provide assistance to the planning commission in considering zoning ordinance amendments, special land use permits, and site plan reviews; (4) assist the Board of Zoning Appeals in its administrative functions; (5) issue necessary land use permits for qualifying properties; (6) determine that appropriate implementation of the ordinance has been made; and (7) report to the Elkland Township Board of Trustees, Planning Commission, and Board of Zoning Appeals on land development activities in the township.

## APPLICATION DEADLINE IS MAY 9, 1986

Please Send Resume To:

Norma Wallace, Clerk  
4693 N. Seeger St.  
Cass City

**THIS WEEK'S SUPER SPECIALS**

SALE RUNS WED., APRIL 30 thru SUN., MAY 4

**BACON** \$1.39 lb.  
Farmer Peet Thick Sliced

**BIG BOLOGNA** \$1.35 lb.  
Koegel's

**VIENNAS** \$1.75 lb.  
Koegel's

**ROUND STEAK** \$1.49 lb.

**CUBE STEAK** \$1.69 lb.

**CO-JACK CHEESE** \$1.89 lb.  
Mixed

**MILK** \$1.85 gal.  
McDonald Homogenized

**ICE CREAM** \$1.29 1/2 gal.  
Carnival - Ass't Flavors

**BREAD** 79¢  
Schaller's Soft & Good 24 oz. Loaf

**POTATO CHIPS** \$1.89 1 lb. Bag  
Paramount

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## Shabbona Area News

Marie Meredith  
Phone 672-9489

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCloskey of Holland visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woodson of Warren were Friday afternoon callers of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

### BUNCO

The Bunco group held their regular meeting Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Auslander.

High was won by Mrs. Paul Phillips, low by Albert

Jones and door prize by John Agar.

A cooperative lunch was served. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg, Friday evening, May 2.

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The Shabbona United Methodist Women will meet Wednesday evening, April 30, at the church with Mrs. Peg Rule as hostess. Please notice the change in date.

Miss Candice Chreniawski returned home Thursday after being a pa-

tient at Hills and Dales Hospital, Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Wednesday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dorman.

### EXTENSION

The Shabbona Extension group met Tuesday evening, April 22, with Mrs. Dan Masten. There were 9 members and one visitor, Mrs. Ron Behr, present.

The evening was spent in making a poster for the Homemakers night in Deckerville, May 8. It is our cultural art display. Plans

were made to attend.

A short business meeting was held with Mrs. Jerry Root, president, in charge. Plans were made to go out and eat for our next meeting. The date is May 27.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ken Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Wednesday callers in Saginaw.

### PIONEER SENIOR CITIZEN'S GROUP

The Pioneer Senior Citizen's group went to Donnellas. There were 17 who enjoyed the fellowship. A short business meeting was conducted by Emerson Bailey. Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were given by Edna Geister.

Plans were made to meet again May 22 at the Shabbona RLDS Church. Mrs. Bruce Holcomb will show pictures.

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Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger and grandson, Curtis Kreger, spent a few days up north at their cabin.

## Your neighbor says Volunteer work is enjoyable

Last week was designated National Volunteers Week to recognize those who volunteer their time and energy for various causes.

Cass City resident Janet Hurley, who is a very active volunteer, believes that more people should contribute their time. "It would be nice to see more people doing it (volunteer work)," she commented.

She believes that organizations can always use people. Adding that the fire department and the Girl Scouts in particular can use volunteers.

She recommends volunteer work for young people who can't get a paying job. "At least it gets their foot in the door somewhere," she agrees that it may help them get a job later on.

Another advantage to volunteer work is the ability to create your own hours. Janet is extremely busy, having only 9 free days in the month of April, but she is able to work around her children and be at home when they get

there. What is it that motivates some and not others? For Janet, and for most, it is the desire to get involved in something they enjoy and can benefit from in some way. Janet says she does it simply because she loves kids and because "I get bored very easily."

Her list of activities is long. She has been a member of the Girl Scouts for 30 years, she is involved with the Boy Scouts, fire department, Provincial House and Zonta Club. She also travels to summer camp for a week.



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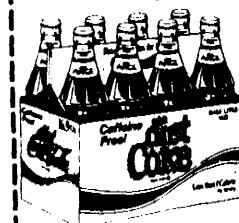


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## Cass City Bowling

### MERCHANTS' "A"

April 23, 1986

#### Final Standings Round 3

Best Five	27
New England Life	27
Croft-Clara Lumber	26
Rabideau Motors	26
Ouvry Chevy-Olds	23
Michigan Livestock	22
Cass City Oil & Gas	22
Charmont	20 1/2
Paul's Urethane Systems	20
Gagetown Inn	19 1/2
Fuelgas	16
Kingston State Bank	15

Winner - Round 1 - New England Life.

Winner - Round 2 - Croft-Clara Lumber.

High Average - Gerry Gagnon 188.

High Series: J. Gallagher 509, G. Lapp 598, W. Teets 592, G. Wichert 586, J. Smithson 585, D. Vatter 576, J. Guinther 563, E. Helwig 559, D. Wallace 558, R. Koch 551, D. Romain 550.

High Games: G. Wichert 234, J. Gallagher 230, J. Smithson 230, D. Wallace 223, J. Fox 221, E. Frances 220, W. Teets 219, G. Lapp 213, J. Houghton 210.

High Series for Year - G. Gagnon 690.

High Game for Year - D. Miller 268.

High Team Series for Year - Best Five 3057.

High Team Game for Year - Best Five 1090.

### MERCHANTS' "B"

April 23, 1986

#### Final Standings Round 3

Fuelgas	31
P.J.'s	28
Charmont	27
McMahan's Auto Parts	22
Clare's Sunoco	22
Tuckey Concrete	22
Herron Builders	21
Cass City Sports	21
Winter's Truck Sales	19
Bye	7

Winners of Round 1 - Cass City Sports.

Winners of Round 2 - Charmont.

High Average - Dale McLaren 189.

High Series: R. Hull 636, M. Mozen 592, J. Zawilinski 582, T. Peruski 562.

High Games: R. Hull 218-211, J. Zawilinski 217, C. McLaren 215, R. Wagg 214.

A. Peters 210.

High Series for Year - D. McLaren 679.

High Game for Year - M. Mozen 270.

High Team Series for Year - Charmont 2937.

High Team Game for Year - Herron Builders 1047.

### MERCHANTS' LEAGUE

April 24, 1986

Walbro	29
Kar Mikel's	27
Leitman Builders	27
IGA Foodliner	25
Cass City Sports	23
Anrod Screen Cyl.	23
Miller's Chicks	22 1/2
Kritzman's	20
Herron Builders	20
Charmont	18
Esther's Health Spa	15
Chemical Bank	14 1/2

High Team Series: Cass City Sports 2417.

High Team Game: Cass City Sports 835.

500 Series: S. DeLong 562, Pat McIntosh 520, D. Sweeney 519, J. Smithson 516, J. Lapp 510, D. Wischmeyer 508, C. Klinkman 503.

200 Games: S. DeLong 201.

### FRIDAY NIGHT DOUBLES

April 25, 1986

#### Final Standings

K.P.'s	82
Cass City VFW	75
The Family	73
B.B. & The Boys	69
All Wrights	65
Incredibles	58
Colwood Bar	56
Bee Gees	54
Roadrunners	53
Four of Us	51
Happy H's	41
Chums	37

Men's High Series: B. Davidson 552.

## Bowler of the week

The Thumb Area Women's Bowling Association Bowler of the Week for April 7-13 is Donna Wischmeyer with a 620 actual series.

She bowls on the Thursday Night Merchante League for Walbro at Charmont Lanes, Cass City.

Other 550 and higher series bowled were: Pat McIntosh, 594, Charmont Lanes; Lisa Gordon, 582, Bad Axe Lanes; Judy Laskowski, 568, Bad Axe Lanes; Jessie Otto, 568, Pigeon Lanes; Marilyn Smith, 558, Biff's, Kinde; Cathy Lerash, 556, Bad Axe Lanes, and Arlene Becking, 550, Bad Axe Lanes.

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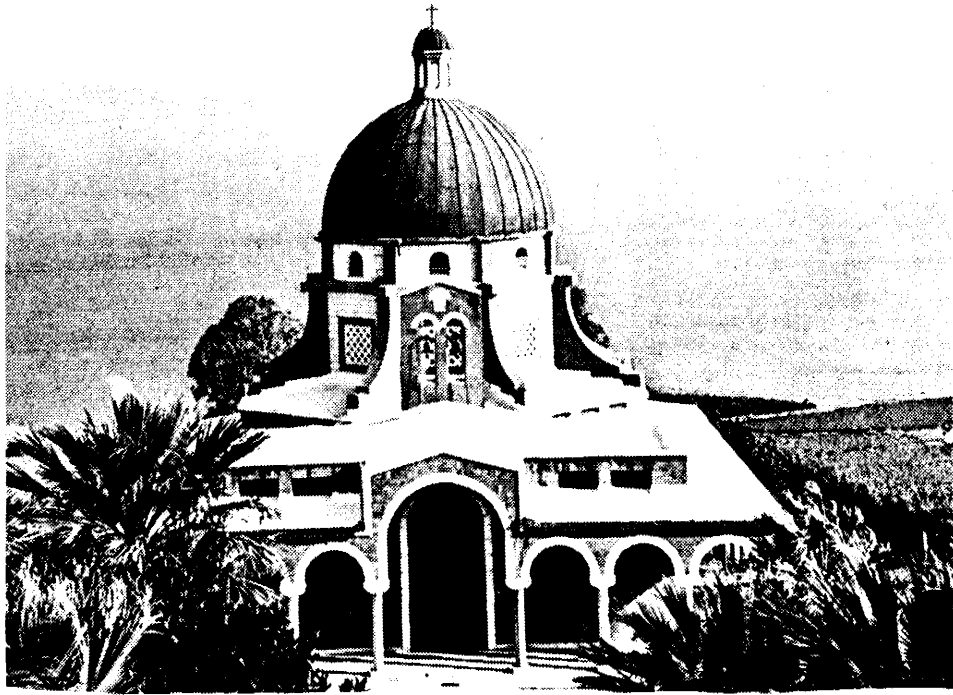
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# The Pattons take in Israel



ONE OF THE MANY sights seen by Rev. and Mrs. Clare Patton during their recent trip to Israel was the Sea of Galilee.

Although it took a little encouragement from some friends, Rev. and Mrs. Clare Patton, of 4454 Ale Street, now say that they are happy they took the opportunity to take a 9-day trip to Israel, and are looking forward to returning to the Holy Land next year.

The Pattons were among a group of 44 people from Michigan who traveled to Israel in February, as part of a trip sponsored by a Florida-based group called Educational Opportunities For Clergy and Laity. Rev. Patton is the minister of the Salem United Methodist Church.

He said, "We had talked

about going to the Holy Land before, but at first, had not wanted to go because of the length of the trip, and the cost. But on the basis of receiving a scholarship cutting the cost in half, and getting some encouragement from others, we said we would do it. We heard that some friends of ours from Flint were also going, which was a bonus."

The Pattons describe the trip they took to Israel as "very rewarding." They left from New York via airplane and arrived at the Ben Gurion International Airport in Tel Aviv. Nearly all of their travel over the

next week was by bus with stops being made in such places as Mt. Carmel, the Sea of Galilee, the Golan Heights, Tiberias, Jerusalem and Bethlehem. As the group was traveling, members were able to hear lectures given by Biblical scholars who live and teach in the Holy Land.

When asked to describe what he felt was the highlight of the trip, Rev. Patton talked about sailing on the Sea of Galilee. "While beside the Sea of Galilee at the Mount of Beatitudes, I had a chance to sit in a garden contemplating the privilege of being there, and sensing the presence of the Lord. I spent that time in meditation and prayer."

stop was the Shrine of the Book, which houses some of the scrolls from the Dead Sea Scrolls.

The Pattons found that there was plenty to do each day during their trip to Israel. They had one day at their leisure to explore Jerusalem, while the other days were planned in advance with the rest of the group. "Our days were long. They started at 6:30 a.m., with dinner scheduled between 6:30 and 7:00 p.m. It was tiring, but we did appreciate the trip organizers covering as much of the country and things of interest in such a short period of time," they said.

The Pattons also said they felt very safe while they were traveling through Israel. "Most of the people there feared for our safety. But nothing disturbed us, and never once did we see anything that caused us to be anxious. On top of that, the airline security was excellent. Some of our family and friends were a little concerned about that aspect of the trip," they said.

was much in demand. We did not have to pay a tax, and there was usually a discount for American money. We brought back a few things, and some others that we bought for Christmas gifts are being shipped to us."

Now that the trip has had a chance to sink in, Rev. Patton said his travel in the Holy Land was a very worthwhile experience. "You read the scripture with new insight following such a trip. As you read the gospel, you can picture many of the places in your mind's eye. It brings the scripture to life in a new way. I think I can read scripture now, and perhaps declare the news with some new insight. I would recommend this kind of a trip to both ministers and to lay people, as well."

Mrs. Patton agreed with her husband's opinion of the trip's highlight. "At the Mount of Beatitudes, there was a serenity and a peace in the air. When people talk of the Sea of Galilee, I had thought it would be larger, but it is the size of what we would call a lake. You also feel that you were there where Christ had been, and it had not changed at all," she said.

The Pattons were also able to visit a place called Yad Vashem, which is a memorial to the 6 million Jews who were killed in Nazi Germany. Another

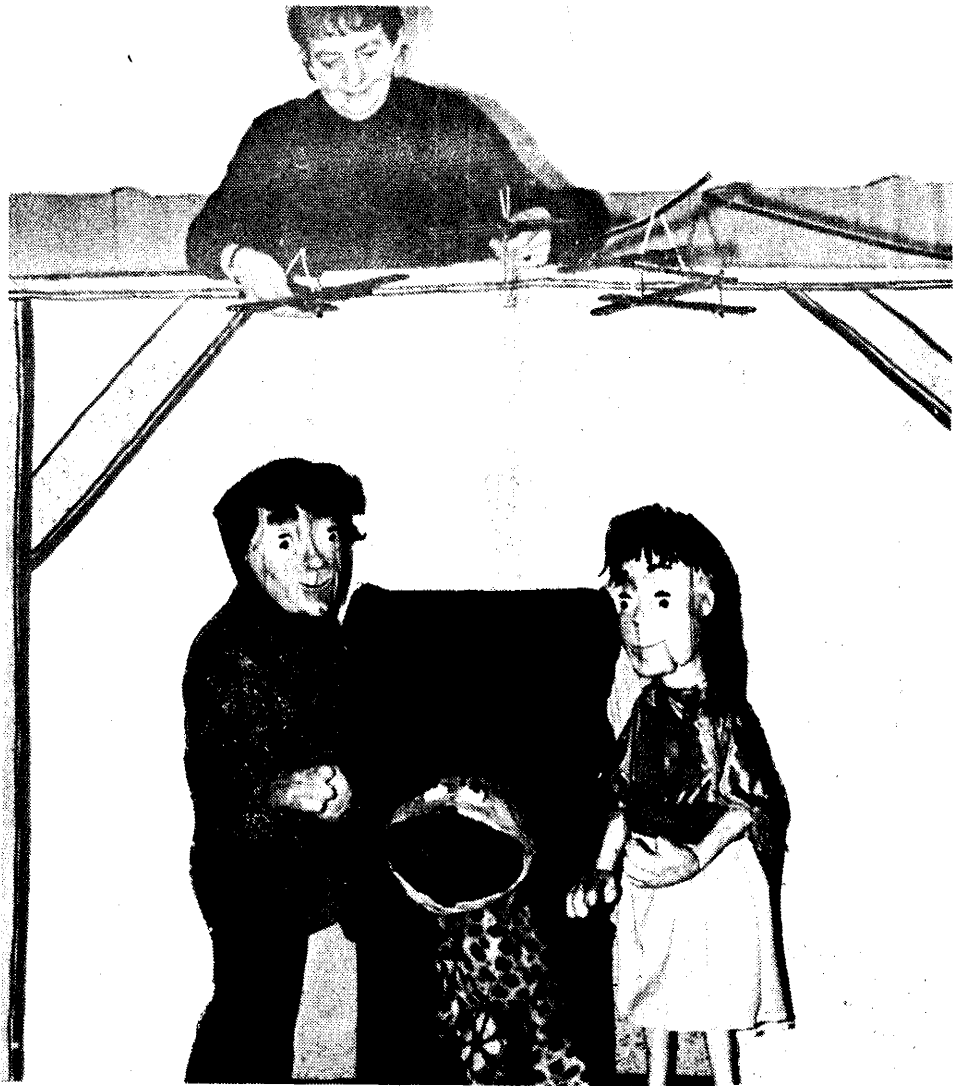
During their trip, the Pattons found that the American dollar is very popular in Israel. Rev. Patton said, "With the exchange rate that was in effect, our dollar was worth \$1.47, and

Mrs. Patton said she was so impressed with the trip that she would like to return to Israel next year. "The Educational Opportunities group also offers some 3-day extensions that can be taken following the 9 days in Israel. I am excited about the possibility of going back. As far as the extensions are concerned, I'm still plugging for either Rome or Athens," she said.

Rev. Patton responded by saying, "We shall see."



REV. AND MRS. CLARE PATTON review some of the sights they saw while looking through a book that they purchased during their recent trip to Israel.



PIPER'S PUPPETS visited Campbell Elementary April 18 to perform Cinderella as part of Detroit Institute of Arts Youth Theater. Kathy Piper of Sunbury, Ohio, put on the production entirely on her own. A one-man show, she operated the puppets, performed their voices and controlled the lights. She also built the scenery.

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Protection against pests

By Bill Bortel

This spring, a variety of creeping, crawling, flying pests will threaten the fruitfulness of your home garden. Without proper control, these persistent little troublemakers will ravage the homegrown fruits and vegetables you have craved all winter, states Bill Bortel, Tuscola County Extension Director.

To protect your quality edibles from pests, we suggest that you carefully inspect your garden every three to five days. If you do discover a problem, try to identify the pest and the most appropriate means of control.

A successful, productive harvest often depends on your gardening knowledge. By familiarizing yourself with the pests most common to your particular crops, you can avoid the disappointment and anguish of seeing your once lush garden filled with partially eaten fruits and vegetables. Here are a few of the most common pestering culprits you may encounter this spring:

**Cutworm** - Cutworms are plump, soft-skinned, greasy-looking caterpillars that attack nearly all plants, except those with hard, woody stems. Some of the crops most seriously injured include tomatoes, peppers, corn, eggplants, beans, cabbage and potatoes. Known for their night-time feeding habits, these pests, which vary in length from 1-1/2 to 2 inches, usually hide in cracks and crevices around the bases of plants during the day.

While some climbing species feed on buds, fruit and foliage, other species feed near the soil surface, chewing through the stem and leaving the plant to wilt and die. Although they only consume a small portion of the fruit or vegetable, these

well-fed worms are capable of destroying entire crops. Cutworms start feeding on seedlings in early spring and may continue attacking more mature plants into the summer.

**Flea Beetle** - Don't be deceived by the flea beetle's small size. Even though adult beetles are only about 1/16-inch long, their damage to foliage has a severe effect on many garden plants, including tomatoes, potatoes, peppers and eggplants.

These black, vigorously jumping beetles make small rounded or irregular holes in leaves, which, after an attack, look as though they have been peppered with tiny pellets. The holes increase a plant's chances of contracting destructive, sometimes fatal diseases. Flea beetles are most noticeable in the spring when they attack delicate, newly planted vegetation.

**Colorado Potato Beetle** - As its name implies, the potato beetle's favorite food is the potato, but when the vegetable is not available, it also may feed heavily on tomatoes, eggplants, cabbage and peppers. One of the best known beetles in all America, this yellowish brown pest can be recognized readily by the black and yellow stripes that run lengthwise on its wing covers.

Both adult beetles, which are about 1/2-inch long, and their cherry-red, black-spotted larvae can devour and completely destroy potato foliage. Attacks start in the spring when beetles first emerge from the ground and may last all summer due to a second generation.

**Corn Earworm (Tomato Fruitworm)** - Corn earworms, also known as tomato fruitworms, are general feeders, attacking such crops as corn, tomatoes, squash, okra, strawberries, peppers, eggplants and peas. These greenish or brownish striped caterpillars usually measure about 2 inches long when fully mature and curl into a ball when disturbed. During the spring, these worms initially feed on foliage, but later switch to the fruit once it is formed. Depending on where you live, several generations may occur per season, making the corn earworm one of the most persistent pests in your garden.

To protect your fruits and vegetables from these and other pests, use a good broad-spectrum insecticide. With any insecticide, always read and follow label instructions carefully before use.

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## Hawk track teams sweep past Spartans

Cass City High School track teams continued undefeated with wins at Imlay City Thursday on a warm windy afternoon with the girls winning easily and the boys posting a victory by a comfortable margin. The girls' score was 108-38 and the boys' results were 89 1/2 to 70 1/5.

Cass City's girls won all but 2 of the events and 2 of the girls were double winners. Joan Steely won the shot put and the 100-yard dash and Chris Tuckey finished first in the mile and half mile.

The boys showed the importance of depth and points awarded for relay wins in the victory over the Spartans. The Hawks won both the 440 and the mile relays, worth 10 points, and added enough second, third and fourth place finishes to win handily even though Imlay City won 9 of the 17 events.

The only double winner in the meet was Quinn of Imlay City, who won the shot put and the discus.

Complete results for the boys were:

Shot - Quinn, IC, Erla, CC, Hanby, CC, Wright, CC, 43'1".

Discus - Quinn, IC, Hanby, CC, Wright and Rosenstangel, CC, 121'5".

High jump - Herron, CC, Teichman, CC, Stahlbaum, CC, Pakkala, IC, 5'3".

Long jump - Lefler, CC, Schmaltz, CC, Donnelly, IC, Meier, IC, 18'4".

Pole vault - Teichman, CC, Nadrowski, IC, 10'6".

2 mile relay - Imlay City 9:33.73, Cass City 9:59.

High hurdles - Wade, IC, Ross, CC, Schmaltz, CC, Brown, IC, Wood, CC, tie, 15.51.

100 dash - Thuma, IC, Erla, CC, Donnelly, IC, Adams, CC, 11.01.

880 relay - Imlay City, 1:41.17, Cass City, 1:41.92.

Mile run - Auten, CC, Penzein, IC, Butcher, CC, Herron, CC, 5:16.59.

440 relay - Cass City 47.80, Imlay City 49.02.

440 run - Mosher, IC, Donnelly, IC, Dadacki, CC, Merchant, CC, 56.31.

Half mile - Muessig, IC, Auten, CC, Teichman, CC, McLarty, IC, 2:14.

Low hurdles - Ross, CC, Wade, IC, Schmaltz, CC, Wallace, CC, 41.97.

220 dash - Erla, CC, Thuma, IC, Meier, IC, Donnelly, IC, 25.19.

2 mile - Penzein, IC, Auten, CC, Scollon, CC, Jones, CC, 11:39.19.

Mile relay - Cass City 3:42, Imlay City 4:00.

Complete results for the girls were:

Discus - Cleland, CC, Robinson, CC, Britt, CC, Maxwell, IC, 72'5".

Shot - Steely, CC, Robinson, CC, Cleland, CC, Maxwell, IC, 28'5 1/2".

High jump - Powell, CC, Janis, IC, Bryant, CC, Brandt, IC, 4'3".

Long jump - Wilson, CC, Granata, IC, Mayes, IC, Powell, CC, 14'4 1/2".

2 mile relay - Cass City 11:45.82, Imlay City 11:45.82.

High hurdles - Land, IC, Romain, CC, Sweeney, CC, Bauman, IC, 19.00.

100 dash - Steely, CC, Mayes, IC, Wilson, CC, Granata, IC, 17.28.

880 relay - Cass City 1:59.81, Imlay City 2:01.08.

Mile run - Tuckey, CC, Scollon, CC, Bryant, CC, Cheney, IC, 6:11.10.

440 relay - Cass City 55.52, Imlay City 56.28.

440 run - Land, IC, Nicholas, CC, Brandt, IC, Stine, CC, 1:05.70.

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220 dash - Edzik, CC, Petree, IC, Campbell, IC, Leslie, CC, 30.31.

2 mile - Scollon, CC, Imlay City, 14:25.30.

Mile relay - Cass City 4:49.21, Imlay City 5:07.00.

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SERVING ON THE SCREENING committee for the 1st annual Puttin' on The Hits competition at the Cass City Intermediate School were (from left): Tim Rutkoski, Ken Micklash and Laura Edwards, all 8th grade students.

## 9 groups compete in first 'Puttin' on the Hits' show

Although there weren't any talent scouts in the crowd, students at the Cass City Intermediate School took part in the school's first annual Puttin' On The Hits competition Friday afternoon, April 18.

The event was organized by members of the student council, and included performances by 9 groups from students in the 5th, 6th and 7th grades. Student Council Advisor Dick Partlo said, "Everybody had a great time! Since this was the first event of its

kind we have had, there was a little confusion among the judges, but I think the whole show went together well."

Partlo said the 1st-place winners in the competition were the Hoppettes who performed to the song "It's My Party." The group included 7th graders Shannon Marshall, Angie Hennessey, Jennifer McNaughton, Nichole Harris and Stephanie Spencer.

Coming in second place were members of the group called Double Trouble who performed to the song "Micky." The 2 performers were Sarah Edzik and Krista Connolly.

The third-place finishers were the Beachettes performing to the song "Be True To Your School." The group included 6th graders Shannon Goslin, Monica Rockwell, Mya Pakonen, Alex Pakonen, Kristen Seuryneck, Catherine Coe, Debbie Adams and Jodie Wright.

Cash prizes of \$30, \$20 and \$10 were awarded to the top 3 groups in the competition. The money was raised through various student council activities earlier in the school year.

## Walks, errors hurt as Bulldogs bow to Kingston

The Owen-Gage baseball team played its first games of the season Thursday without 3 of its top players, and lost a double-header to Kingston, 8-5 and 11-1.

In the first game, Dennis Maxwell pitched all 6 innings, giving up only 5 hits to the Kingston squad. However, Coach Walt Harrison said 8 walks allowed for a number of unearned runs. "It was those walks that killed us," he said.

Pacing the Bulldogs at the plate were Marc Reinhardt with 2 singles, and Dave Peters with a double. Steve Czap and Bill Kuhl, a late addition to the team, each had one single. The winning pitcher for

Kingston was J. Reinelt. Kingston's top hitter was M. Pleasant, with 3 singles.

The Owen-Gage Bulldogs' second game Thursday afternoon got off to a rough start as Kingston let loose for 11 runs in the 5-inning game. The starting pitcher for Owen-Gage was Stu Stirrett, who went two-thirds of an inning. He gave up 4 runs, 2 hits and 3 walks. Stirrett was credited with the loss.

Marc Reinhardt finished the game from the mound for the Bulldogs. He allowed 7 runs on 4 hits and 2 walks.

Dave Peters led the Owen-Gage team at the plate with 2 singles. Mike

Megge had 3 hits for Kingston.

Coach Harrison said he was able to field only 9 players for the games Thursday. "I lost 3 of my best players when they were declared ineligible to play under the school policy on grades. With that in mind, I think the guys on the team did pretty well. I feel we could have won the games if the 3 other players would have been there," he added.

Harrison said he didn't know when the 3 ineligible players would return to the team. "If they show improvement in their grades, they will be back on the squad."

## Last inning Kingston rally nets split with Bulldogs

A case of last inning jitters prevented the Owen-Gage softball team from winning its first game of the season Thursday, but the Bulldogs came back in the second game of a double-header with Kingston to split the season openers. Owen-Gage lost the first game 12-11, and won the second contest 24-1.

The Bulldogs got off to a good start in the first game by scoring 4 runs on 3 hits in the first inning. They followed with 7 more runs, and led Kingston 11-7 at the end of 5 innings.

That was when things began to go downhill for the Bulldogs, according to Coach Judy Porter. "I think

we were struck with the last inning jitters," she said. Owen-Gage could manage only one hit in the 6th inning, while Kingston had 5 runs on 4 hits.

Coach Porter said, "Susie Salcido was our starting pitcher. She pitched a nice game, but it was the 9 errors that caused us some problems. Kingston had just 2 errors."

Salcido had a good game at the plate, too. She had a home run and a single, while Tanya Haldane had 2 singles and a double.

Strong pitching, combined with strong hitting, allowed the Bulldogs to coast to a 24-1 victory over Kingston in the second

game Thursday. Barb Hel-lebuyck went the distance on the mound, and was the winning pitcher. She allowed only one run on 3 hits before the game was called on account of darkness.

Owen-Gage's 24 runs, including 15 in the 4th inning, were the result of 10 hits and 16 walks. Marsha Lopez led the team with 8 runs batted in (RBIs) and collected 2 singles. Janie Billy was not far behind with 4 RBIs and 2 singles. Freshman Tanya Haldane contributed a single and a double to the winning effort.

Owen-Gage had just one error, compared to 4 for Kingston.

## Karate class is offered

The Cass City Community Education Department announces it will hold a 3-week mini-Karate class Wednesdays, beginning May 14 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Cass City Intermediate Cafeteria.

The American Tai Kwon do Academy is again teaching the class. The cost is \$10.00 for the first family member, \$8.00 for the second and \$6.00 for the third or more. Call the Cass City Community Education office to register at 872-4151.

## O-G track teams fair in opener

Mother Nature finally cooperated enough for the members of the Owen-Gage boys' and girls' track teams to take part in their first meets of the season Wednesday, April 23, but the competition from Decker-ville proved to be too much for the Bulldogs. The boys' team lost 88-23, while the girls' squad lost 45-39.

Owen-Gage Coach Dick Glidden said the girls' team was leading the competition right up to the very end, but that was when the strong depth of the Decker-ville squad took over. "For having the number of girls we do, and almost beating a Class C school, I think that is pretty impressive," Glidden added.

The Owen-Gage girls' team won 7 of its events, while the boys' squad won 2.

### GIRLS' RESULTS

Long Jump - Andrea Mandich, OG, 14'11".

High Jump - Won by Decker-ville.

Shot Put - Shirley Ashmore, OG, 21'3".

Discus - Susie Salcido, OG, 92'9".

110 Low Hurdles - Susie Salcido, OG, 22.08.

100 Yard Dash - Andrea Mandich, OG, 13.16.

2nd place - Gina Errer, OG, 14.10.

880 Yard Relay - OG team of Andrea Mandich, Gina Errer, Susie Salcido and Rilla Milbocker, 2.13.

1 Mile Run - Won by Decker-ville.

440 Yard Relay - OG team of Mandich, Errer, Salcido

and Milbocker, 1.04.

440 Yard Dash - Won by Decker-ville.

880 Yard Run - Won by Decker-ville. 3rd place - Shirley Ashmore, OG.

330 Low Hurdles - Won by Decker-ville.

### BOYS' RESULTS

Long Jump - Won by Decker-ville. 2nd place - Stu Stirrett, OG.

High Jump - 1st and 2nd place won by Decker-ville. 3rd place - Stu Stirrett, OG.

Shot Put - Dennis Maxwell, OG.

Discus - Won by Decker-ville.

120 Yard High Hurdles - Won by Decker-ville.

100 Yard Dash - Won by Decker-ville. 2nd place - Steve Root, OG.

880 Yard Relay - OG team of Steve Root, Bill Kuhl, Stu Stirrett and Gabe Milbocker.

1 Mile Run - Won by Decker-ville.

440 Yard Relay - Won by Decker-ville.

440 Yard Dash - Won by Decker-ville. 3rd place - Jack Joles, OG.

880 Yard Run - Won by Decker-ville. 3rd place - Dennis Maxwell, OG.

330 Yard Low Hurdles - Won by Decker-ville. 3rd place - Marshall Sheldon, OG.

220 Yard Dash - Won by Decker-ville. 2nd place - Bill Kuhl, OG.



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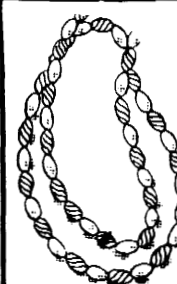
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# Academy pupils seek help for award trips

Students at the Thumb Christian Academy are sweating out possible trips to Mackinac Island and Mt. Pleasant that they earned by winning the governor's Environmental Youth Award Program.

What makes the proposed May 18-20 trip to the island uncertain is money. The 21 persons that are eligible to make the trips, which includes the acceptance of the award from the governor at his Mackinac Island home, must raise funds to go.

According to Ilene Satchell, principal, it will cost \$60 each for a total of \$1,320. That's the amount needed figuring costs as close to the bone as possible. Lodging will be at the Mackinac Hotel and has been quoted at \$12 per person and the plan is for 4 or 5 students to share each room. The trip will be by private car and gas is another \$100. You can't believe how costs mount up, Satchell said. It costs \$70 just to ferry over to the island. Another \$34 has been budgeted for gas for the one-day trip to Mt. Pleasant, where the students will show their project to representatives of the National Resources Commission.

We have less than 4 weeks to raise the necessary funds and the only way we see of making it possible is to seek help from the communities we serve, Satchell explained.

As a little extra incentive to good hearted persons willing to help, the students are offering 2 free tickets to the annual high school play Friday, May 16. Refreshments will follow the play.

Persons willing to give the students a helping hand are asked to send donations to Thumb Christian Academy, 3086 Rescue Road, Bad Axe, Mi 48413.

## Honor Louks with \$100 Eaton grant

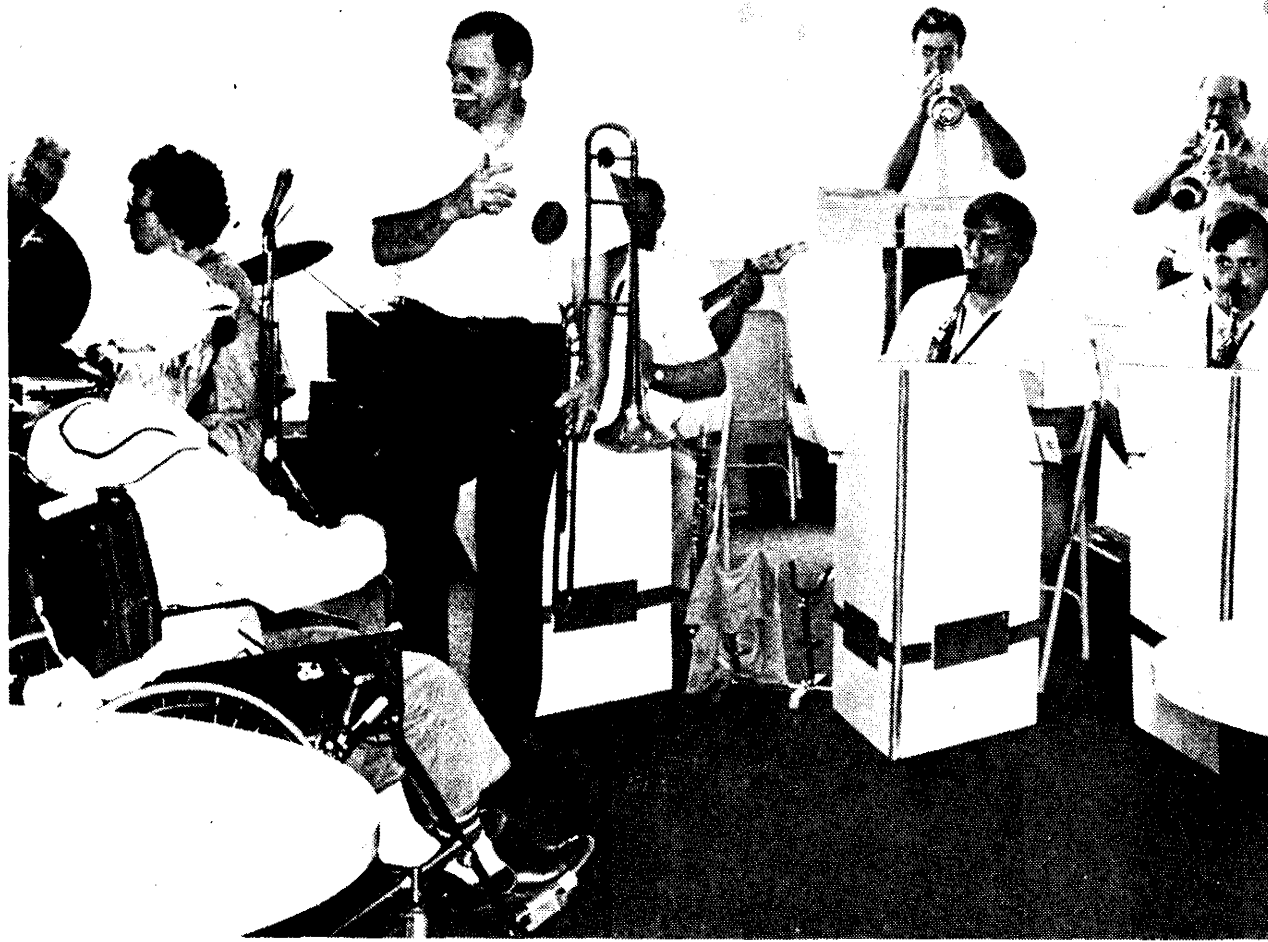
Administrators at Delta College have announced that Gary J. Louks, of 6632 Pine Street, has been named this year's recipient of the Eaton Corporation Award for the outstanding graduate in English.

The honor is given annually by the Eaton Corporation to a Delta College student who has a grade point average (GPA), of at least 3.8. The winning student is recommended by instructors and professors at the college. Louks has a current GPA of 3.85.

The Cass City student is scheduled to receive his Associate of Arts degree during commencement ceremonies Thursday, May 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the college's Pioneer Gym. In addition to being honored during commencement, Louks and other students will be recognized at a special luncheon earlier that day. Louks will have his name placed on a plaque, and will receive \$100 from the Eaton Corporation to use towards his education.

The 38-year-old Louks said he has taken 19 hours of English classes while attending Delta College. He said he went back to school about 3 years ago after being laid-off from work.

Louks said he is planning to transfer to Saginaw Valley State College to receive a Bachelor's degree in elementary education. He is a 1965 graduate of Bad Axe High School.



THE BOB OLSEN BAND entertained both residents and guests at Provincial House Sunday.

## Charge youth with smashing school windows

A Marlette man was arraigned in Tuscola County District Court Monday.

Jerry F. Trumbler Jr., 20, was arraigned on a charge of malicious destruction of property over \$100. Bond was set at \$5,000, and May 5 was set for a pre-trial.

According to the Tuscola Sheriff's Department, Trumbler was arrested in connection with a Monday morning incident in which 21 windows were smashed at the Kingston High School. Approximately \$2,000 in damage was done to the school.

The deputies were responding to a vehicle fire at the east entrance of the school when they discovered the broken windows. The burning vehicle was registered to Trumbler's wife Kimberly.

Cynthia R. Grubba, 33, of Deford was sentenced on a charge of impaired driving, to 2 years probation and her license was revoked/suspended for 6 months. She was also fined \$100 and ordered to pay restitution of \$60.

## Damage slight in 3 fires quelled by fire fighters

Members of the Elkland Township Fire Department were able to put a quick stop to a fire in a house east of Cass City Thursday night that did about \$800 worth of damage to the structure and contents.

Fire Chief Jerome Root Jr. said the report of the fire was received at 11:03 p.m. from the Alex Morrish residence, on Hoadley Road.

Root said the fire started near a hot water heater in the basement of the house. He said clothing had been placed too close to the heater. Flames from the clothing went up to the ceiling of the basement, but fire fighters were able to keep the flames from spreading any further, according to Root.

The fire chief said only minor damage resulted from the fire. He estimated the property loss at \$500 to the structure, and \$300 to the contents.

Elkland Township fire fighters stayed on the scene

for about an hour. No injuries were reported.

No damage was reported in a grass fire at the Yung Chow residence, Shabbona Road, a half mile east of Dodge Road, Sunday afternoon. Members of the Elkland Township Fire Department battled the blaze for more than an hour.

The Department of Natural Resources was called and a crew plowed a furrow around the fire to contain it, Chief Jerome Root said.

A small fire was reported at 5055 McAlpine Rd., early Thursday morning at the home of Randy Diebel.

According to Elkland Township Fire Chief Jerome Root Jr., the smoke alarms woke Diebel up and there was an extinguisher handy, so the fire was out when firefighters arrived on the scene.

The fire which was reported at 5:30 a.m. was caused by an electrical wire running behind the dryer out to a freezer on the porch. According to Root, firefighters were on the scene for approximately 45 minutes to make sure the fire was out.

Approximately \$100 in structural damage and \$400 in content damage was done to the 12 x 60 trailer.

# Hold party for volunteers at care center

The Provincial House relies a great deal on the work of volunteers, so they held a party Sunday to say thanks to those dedicated individuals who help both the staff and residents during the year. According to activities director Mary Vatter, the party, which was hosted by the Girl Scouts, was partly in response to National Volunteer's Week.

"They (the volunteers)

## Day camp sign-up set

May 23 has been set as the deadline to sign up for Girl Scout Day Camp '86 to be held at the Camp Pine Acres on Orr Road, Caro.

The camp will take place June 16-20. The cost is \$21 for scouts, and \$25 for non-scouts.

Camp Director Jackie Greenfield said, "Girls going into the second grade next year through sixth graders who are going into the seventh grade next year can come to this camp. You don't even have to be a Girl Scout to attend. If you used to be a Girl Scout, but dropped out and now miss outdoor camping and lots of fun, then this could be for you!"

Greenfield said this year's camp activities will include songs, dance, games, archery, crafts, flag ceremonies, outdoor cooking, dry land canoeing and photography.

"In addition, older girls can take training, and be an aide or assistant leader to a group of girls at the camp. Even a mom or an aunt can come out, if they have a day or more to share with us," Greenfield added.

Persons who would like additional information about Girl Scout Day Camp '86 are asked to call 673-4257 or 673-4940.

have put in many many hours. They call bingo, decorate the home, hold parties, help with crafts, shop, and visit with residents one-on-one which is important," said Vatter.

The festivities included the Bob Olsen band, a 15-piece group whose members are from all over the Thumb. Olsen's father is a resident at Provincial House.

Vatter said the group is varied, "Some are doctors, band leaders, you name it."

The group volunteered their time. Provincial House only paid a \$50 travel cost instead of the usual \$200-300 fee.

Thirty-seven volunteers were honored and a total of 125 attended the event.

## Name blood drive donors

There were 10 first time donors at the Hills and Dales blood drive Tuesday, April 22. Eighty-five units of blood were obtained and 10 additional people attempted to give but could not for various reasons.

According to Jane Mitchell, blood drive coordinator, first time donors are: Nancy Fader, Mabel Lenda, Dolores Tuckey, Lola Ostentok, Kenneth Zdrojewski, Thomas Fritz, Norman R. Bouffard, Barbara Crickon, Thomas Crickon, Edward Schutte, Maynard Stine, Scott Horner and Michael Ware.

Those who received one gallon pins are: Ellen Palmer, Evelyn Witkovsky, Norman A. Bouffard and Alice Weaver.

Two gallon donors are Judith Polk, Cheyenne Klinkman and Clifford Jordan.

The next drive will be held on Wednesday, September 3.



24 TENTH GRADE Cass City students achieved 100 percent in math and reading on the Michigan Educational Assessment test. Back row, left to right, Matt Tuckey, Dean Whittaker, Ryan Smith, Larry Miller, Al Rosenstangel, Ray Stachura, Barry Brown, Chuck Merchant and Willie Grindey. Second row, left to right, Dan Tuckey, Mark Gracey, Colleen McIntosh, Bonnie Wilson, Jennifer Palmer, Karen Mathewson and Kristy Marshall. Front row, left to right, Dawn Mulrath, Brenda Severance, Alice Kappen, Kathy Leino and Tammy Hurd. Not pictured: Tanya Hatmaker and Kathy Marshall.

## Soil district to join observance

The Tuscola Soil Conservation District will join the nationwide observance of Soil Stewardship Week during the period of May 4-11, announced Henry Gruber,

District Chairman. Conservation's New Frontiers is the theme for this year's observance. The reference booklet suggests a revival of the pioneer spirit to explore the new frontiers of today. "Society must adjust constantly to changes dictated by discoveries, technology, demographic factors, and depletion of resources." The publication further emphasizes that the basic motivation for the conservation and orderly development of natural resources is man's recognition of his responsibilities under God to protect and use wisely His precious gifts of soil and water.

## To air farm problems at meeting

Farm families, husbands, wives, sons and daughters are all being affected by the financial problems of the farm.

A special program has been planned for Sanilac, Huron, Lapeer and Tuscola counties on Wednesday, April 30 at the Colony House, Cass City.

Dr. Mike Kelsey, professor of Agricultural Economics will speak on the topic "Options other than Bankruptcy." Other speakers include Tom Abbey, attorney and Ken Peterson, Director of Community Mental Health. Following the program the speakers will serve on a question and answer panel.

The program is sponsored by The Dislocated Farmers Program and MSU Cooperative Extension Services from Tuscola, Huron, Sanilac and Lapeer counties.

## Ertman, 24, pleads guilty to charge

Daniel Ertman, 24, of Cass City pleaded guilty to impaired driving Monday in Huron County District Court and was fined \$250 plus costs of \$150. In addition, his operator's license was suspended for 90 days with the exception of driving to and from employment.

Ertman was driving southbound on M-19, about a half mile south of Ubyly, when he was observed by Deputy Arnold Glaza, who reported that he was traveling at a high rate of speed.

A high speed chase followed with speeds over 80 miles per hour reached.

The police report indicated that Ertman made several turns down Ubyly streets before jumping out of his car. Deputy Glaza pursued on foot and Ertman was caught after the chase went through several backyards.

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## Large response to distressed farm family program

Betty Pattullo, program coordinator for Michigan's Employment and Training Program for distressed farm families and their employees, is a busy lady. The program has attracted nearly 4 times more people than originally anticipated.

In the past 2 months, 350 farmers have come forth, 98 of the applicants from the Thumb area. She said that this is more than came forth in the entire state of Iowa in a year when the Iowa farmers met troubled times a few years ago. Forty-seven of the 98 are from Tuscola County.

The program seems to be meeting with success. Pattullo said that as of last week, 6 persons have been placed in jobs. The job list is varied. One farmer was placed as a youth counselor, another works for a tiling company and another for a fertilizer company. Two are enrolled in the training program at the skill center and one is enrolled at the Huron County career center. Pattullo said that the reason more people aren't in educational programs is because the money for the program came in during March, after most classes began.

Seventy have been referred to jobs, but she said it is often up to them to make the contact. "The major responsibility is left up to them...they're expected to go out and look for jobs on their own as well."

Pattullo said that the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners voted to extend the time her secretary works to 2 full days a week. "She spends that time making contacts, following job leads and making follow-up calls."

"Farmers have a wide range of abilities," she said. "They have strong work ethics, great organizational ability and are accustomed to working long hours." Three of the applicants have Bachelor of Science degrees.

There are 3 goals that the program strives to meet: to reduce unemployment and underemployment of displaced farmers; to improve the salary, economic

position and human resource level of displaced farm family members and their employees; to improve understanding of rural labor markets, human service delivery needs, relationships between farm and nonfarm related human service organizations in rural areas.

Both farm families and employees are eligible and Pattullo said that one-third of her clients are farm wives. To be eligible the farm business must have received either a notice of foreclosure, filed bankruptcy or have a debt to asset ratio of 40 percent or greater.

The program runs out June 30, but Pattullo said that they have applied for an extension and she is optimistic about receiving it.

Pattullo said that other agencies are also concerned about the farmers' plight and are offering programs. The Department of Social Services offers various programs that the farm family can apply to.

### Mothering Day at Pigeon church

Area women are invited to a Christian Mothering Day Saturday, May 3, at Cross Lutheran Church in Pigeon. Emphasis is on learning to apply Biblical principles to the profession of motherhood.

Keynote sessions will cover "Stress in Motherhood" and "The Devotional Life of a Mother" presented by Doris Kramer of St. Jacobs, Ontario, Canada and Elise Arndt of Troy. Mothers then have the choice of attending 2 of 10 additional sessions such as "Sibling Rivalry" and "Husband and Wife Communication."

A hot lunch, which is \$2.50 for adults and 75 cents for children, is available at the school. A nursery is also provided.

Pre-registration for the day is available by calling Ruth Mohr at 453-2041, Nadene Barbret at 856-2135 or Evelyn Winkel at 375-2340.

### March's top DHIA herds

	No. of Cows	Cow Days in Milk	Test	Lbs. Daily Milk	Lbs. B'fat
1. Clare Smith	75	89	4.78	47.1	2.25
2. Ron Opperman	109	89	3.76	51.1	1.92
3. Schiefer Farms	124	86	3.38	54.5	1.84
4. Howard Bodeis	58	97	3.75	48.3	1.81
5. Marv Rupprecht	35	77	3.54	50.9	1.80
6. Nathan Rupprecht	10	100	4.89	36.8	1.80
7. Sergeant Farms	104	90	3.69	48.0	1.77
8. Lloyd Walz	84	89	3.52	50.0	1.76
9. Hampshire Farms	72	94	3.64	48.4	1.76
10. Gerald Koeltzow	34	79	4.01	43.9	1.76

#### TOP 5 OWNER-SAMPLER HERDS FOR MARCH

1. Richard Wiacek	87	80	4.50	44.4	2.00
2. Glenn Minard	20	100	3.52	55.4	1.95
3. Donald Curry	44	95	4.65	41.1	1.91
4. Venema Whitecreek	57	81	3.66	51.3	1.88
5. Ullery Allen	15	80	4.00	43.3	1.73

## Robinson part of Team Spirit

Army Specialist 4 Edward J. Robinson, son of Philip L. and Sandy Robinson of 6778 Third St., has participated in Team Spirit '86, a Republic of Korea/United States Combined Forces Command sponsored exercise held in South Korea.

Team Spirit '86 was the 11th in an annual series of combined joint field training exercises staged to increase the defensive posture of the Republic of Korea and U.S. combat and support forces.

The exercise involved forces stationed in South Korea, as well as U.S. forces from other locations within the Pacific Command and the continental United States.



EDWARD J. ROBINSON

Robinson is an infantryman with the 9th Infantry Division at Fort Lewis, Washington.

Robinson is a 1983 graduate of Cass City High School.

## VFW elect new officers

New officers for 1986-87 were chosen by the Cass City Veterans of Foreign Wars Post Number 3644 during a meeting held Tuesday, April 15.

Elected to the position of post commander was Bill Zeidler.

Other officers elected by the post membership include Oscar Brooks, senior vice commander; Earl Markel, junior vice commander; John Wright, adjutant, and Bill O'Dell, post chaplain.

Re-elected to the position of quartermaster was Jack Esau. Jim Wilson was chosen to be the new service officer for the post.

Named as trustees of the Cass City VFW Post were Jack Burns, Emerson Kennedy and Jack Doerr.

The new officers are scheduled to be installed during the May meeting of the post. They will serve in their elected positions until May of next year.

During the meeting last week, the VFW members discussed the annual poppy sale which will take place May 16 and 17.

20 members of the Cass City VFW Post were in attendance for the monthly session.



**SIGNED INTO LAW** by Gov. Blanchard last week was a bill that Village Superintendent Lou LaPonsie said gives village managers the same capabilities that city managers enjoy. It should make managing easier as councils can now grant managers more authorities by ordinance if they deem it advisable, LaPonsie said. On hand for the signing of the bill were Rep. Dick Allen (R-Caro), left of Blanchard (seated) and LaPonsie, right of the governor.

## Cass City teens injured in mishap on Doerr Rd.

According to a Tuscola County Sheriff's report, Brenda S. Gibson, 16, of 4394 Oak St. was eastbound on the south end of Doerr Rd. Tuesday, April 22, when a dog ran into the path of her car and she lost control, striking a utility pole at the intersection of Doerr and Elmwood. Both Gibson and her passenger, Brenda K. Schember, 16, of 4297 Maple St., received minor injuries.

According to State Police, William Magiera, 28, of 901 Hurds Corner Rd. was southbound on Hurds Corner Rd. near Decker-ville Rd. Wednesday, April 23, when he slid into a ditch on the west side of the road. According to the sheriff's report, Magiera was traveling too fast for conditions.

Barbaranne Watson, 20, of 6338 Pine St. was westbound on Bay City-Forestville Rd. Monday, April 21, when she lost control in the slush and went into a ditch on the south side of the road. She was cited for violation of the basic speed law.

Pamela Holmes, 24, of Caro was westbound on East Cass City Rd. near Spence Rd., Tuesday, April 22, when she lost control due to the ice and snow and spun around into the path

of an eastbound car driven by Michael W. Czadzeck, 38, of Caro. Both received minor injuries.

According to State Police

at the Caro Post, David W. Bock, 22, of 6170 Cedar Dr. was eastbound on M-81 southwest of Colwood Rd. when he struck a deer.

## Emergency care requires consent

Summertime and vacations are starting again and in many cases this means that both children and parents are out and about and hard to reach.

Michigan law requires all hospitals to have parental consent for emergency care of minors.

According to Jane Mitchell, inservice director at Hills and Dales, a problem arises if a child is brought into the emergency department and the parents are

not with him nor can they be reached by telephone.

"The problem occurs when the injury is not life threatening but a delay could be uncomfortable for the child, such as a broken arm," said Mitchell. The child can be treated if the injury is life threatening.

To help alleviate this problem, Hills and Dales has developed a "Power of Attorney for Medical Treatment" form that gives the hospital written permission to treat the child. The form will be sent home with all students, kindergarten through 6th grade, in the Cass City Schools this week. It is asked that parents fill it out and return it to Hills and Dales. The forms must be renewed every 6 months.

Mitchell said that they made the forms available in the schools last fall because they were having a problem with children getting hurt on the playground and parents would either be at work or shopping and were just not available by phone.

If an additional form is needed for an older child, call Jane Mitchell or the emergency room at Hills and Dales, 872-2121.

### Substance Abuse workshop at Colony House

McKenzie Memorial Hospital, Sandusky, and Bay Haven at Samaritan Hospital, Bay City, are sponsoring a workshop on chemical dependency. It will be held Friday, May 16, at the Colony House, Cass City, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Dr. Grebe, Medical Director at Samaritan, will be the keynote speaker on "Medical Aspects of Substance Abuse." Other topics include: The Disease of Chemical Dependency, Identification, Assessment and Intervention of the Chemically Dependent Adolescent, Treatment of the Adolescent and Family, and Special Needs of the Woman Alcoholic.

Registration is \$15 and includes lunch. Please register by May 12. To register, send your name, address and check to: Louise Blasius, McKenzie Memorial Hospital, 120 Delaware St., Sandusky, MI 44871.



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### Registration for Bike-a-Thon to begin soon

Attention Cass City residents! Dust the cobwebs from your bike, pump up the tires and get ready for the annual Bike-a-thon for St. Jude Children's Hospital Saturday, May 10.

This year, along with the regular route, there will be a short-short route for preschool children. It will not cross streets and will be well supervised.

Sponsor forms can be picked up at the library. Those who raise \$25 receive a St. Jude t-shirt. When \$75 is raised, the rider receives a barrel tote bag and a t-shirt.

There will be a clown and surprises along the route, and hot dogs and drinks at the end of the ride.

Last year our community raised close to \$1,400 to send the hospital to help in research and treatment of children diseases.

Beyond the services to patients, contributions go towards a basic research program. Important studies in nutrition, metabolism, influenza and infectious diseases, which affect the healthy as well as cancer patients, are under intensive study.

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Alan W. Ott, president, reported 1986 first quarter earnings for CFC of \$1,478,000, which represents a 4.1% increase over net income for the first quarter of 1985 of \$1,420,000. Earnings per share for the first quarter of 1986 were \$1.01, the same as earnings per share for the first quarter of 1985. He also reported the payment of the 1986 first quarter dividend and maintenance of the quarterly cash dividend of 31 cents per share.

In addition, the shareholders approved the proposal to increase the authorized outstanding capital stock of the Corporation from

2,000,000 to 3,000,000 shares. Robert B. Bennett, chairman of the board of CFC, announced his retirement in accordance with the Corporation's mandatory retirement policy. Gilbert A. Currie was elected to succeed Bennett as chairman of the corporation.

## Coming Auctions

Wednesday, April 30 - Ray and Nancy Schlattman will sell farm and dairy equipment, two miles south and 1 3/4 miles west of Marlette on Clifford Rd. Osen-toski Auction Service.

Saturday, May 3 - James A. Miller will sell antiques, household goods and shop equipment at 3926 Richardson Rd., 1 mile north and 2 1/2 miles east of Elkhorn. Hillaker Auction Service.

Saturday, May 3 - Gary Wills will sell farm and milking equipment at the place located 6 miles east and 2 1/2 miles north of Cass City on Gilbert Rd. Osen-toski Auction Service.

SUNDAY, May 11 - June and Laurence Atkerson will hold an auction including guns and antiques at the warehouse located at the corner of State and Hooper Sts., on M-81, Caro. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Sunday, May 18 - An auction to settle the estate of Earl Kritzman will be held at the farm located 2 1/2 miles south of Argyle on M-19. Included are farm machinery, antiques and collectibles and household goods. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

# Medicare meeting

Tuscola County Farm Bureau will be holding a Blue Cross-GHS Medicare informational meeting at the Sacred Heart Parish Center on Frank St. in Caro. The meeting will be held Tuesday, May 20, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Representatives from Blue Cross and GHS will be there to explain their Supplemental coverages to Medicare.

There is no charge for the meeting, however, the county office must know how many people will be attending. Please contact the county office by May 17 for reservations. The public is welcome to attend.

# Obituaries

## Ray Auvil

Ellit Ray Auvil, 69, of Snover died unexpectedly Friday, April 25, at Hills and Dales Hospital, Cass City.

He was born June 3, 1916, in Parson, West Virginia. His parents were Reason and Dessie (Haller) Auvil. He married Freda Miller July 26, 1946, in Detroit. They moved to the Cass City area shortly after their marriage.

He was a member of the Evangelical Free Church and the National Farmers Organization. He served with the U.S. Army in World War II and was in the invasion of France on D-Day, June 6, 1944.

Surviving are: his wife, Freda; one son, Dr. Steven Auvil of Allentown, PA; three daughters, Mrs. Carl (Nancy) Weippert of Cass City, Mrs. Alfred (Kathy) Keaton of Kalkaska and Miss Janet Auvil of Southfield; five grandchildren; three stepgrandchildren, and one brother, Clarence Auvil of Baltimore, MD. Four brothers, Bob, Scott, Dale and Raymond, and one sister, Edith Kight, died previously.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Evangelical Free Church with Rev. Eldred Kelley, pastor, officiating. Little's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements and burial was in Elkland Cemetery.

## Clara Simmons

Clara H. Simmons, 92, of Panama City, Fla., succumbed Thursday, April 17, in Panama City.

Mrs. Simmons was born in Tuscola County near Caro, the daughter of Charles and Sarah Jane (Vyse) Hutchinson.

She married William H. Simmons of Gageton, Sept. 16, 1909, and they spent many years as farmers near Gageton. After retirement, they spent several years building and remodeling homes in Cass City, and Mrs. Simmons was the architect and planner.

She was a member of the Cass City Art Club for about 30 years. She had a hobby of making paintings, crochet and shellcraft.

She moved to Panama City in April 1973.

She and her husband celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary just before he died Sept. 27, 1968. She was preceded in death by a son, Elmer A. Simmons, Sept. 8, 1965.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Orville (Evelyn) Karr of Richland; 4 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren, and 3 great-great-grandchildren.

Three sisters preceded her in death, Christie Seeley, Mabel Middaugh and Fern Rondo McCoon, and several nieces and nephews.

Cremation took place in Panama City. A graveside memorial will be held Saturday, May 3, at 1 p.m. at the Elkland cemetery.

## Louis J. Striffler

Services for Louis John Striffler, 83, were held in the Verheyden Funeral Home in Grosse Pointe April 9. Mr. Striffler died at Cottage Hospital April 8.

He was born Jan. 13, 1903, the son of Solomon and Katherine Striffler at the home on Schwegler Rd., northeast of Cass City.

Two brothers and three sisters preceded him in death.

Burial was in Elkland Cemetery Thursday, April 10. Services were conducted by the Rev. Clare Patton, of Salem United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Icele, and several nieces and nephews.

## Irene Wagner

Mrs. Irene Retherford Wagner, 91, of Saginaw, formerly of Hazel Park, died April 10.

She was born near Deford, Feb. 13, 1895, the daughter of Lewis and Alice Retherford. She graduated from Cass City High School and taught school in Deford before going to Detroit in 1918 where she worked in the office of the Detroit Street Railway.

Miss Retherford married Calvin Wagner June 30, 1922. They made their home in Hazel Park. He died Aug. 18, 1947.

She was a member of the Baptist Church in Hazel Park.

She leaves one brother and sister-in-law, Philip and Betty, of Cass City; three sisters, Mrs. Norma Prining of Saginaw, Mrs. Marion Seidel of Saginaw, Mrs. Evelyn Pearson and husband Lee of Arlington, Va.; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Fern Lloyd of Midland, and several nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by two brothers, Myron and John, and two sisters, Ruth and Esther.

Funeral services were held at Reitz-Herzberg Funeral Home in Saginaw Monday, April 14. Rev. William Bach officiated and interment was in Oak View Cemetery in Royal Oak.

# Math team second in regionals

The Cass City Intermediate School was recently notified that its math team placed second in the region in the Michigan Mathematics League Contest. The region consisted of Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac, St. Clair and Tuscola Counties.

The top 5 scores on the test were submitted as the team score. The top 5 students with these scores are Chris Fruendt, Jeff Jeung, Chris Herringshaw, Peter Kappen and Jandi Hillaker. In addition to the team's second place, Chris Fruendt tied for second place student in the region.

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## 3 Owen-Gage students place in contest

Three students from Owendale-Gagetown Area School in Owendale have been named local winners in the 17th annual America & Me Essay Contest.

The three students, who earned the first, second and third place awards, are Bryan Abbe, first; Brandy Salcido, second, and Maria Goslin, third. All three received award certificates. As the school's first place winner, Bryan Abbe's name will also be engraved on a plaque for permanent display in the school.

Abbe's first place essay now advances to the state level competition, from which the top 10 essays in Michigan will be selected. The top 10 statewide winners, who will be announced in May, will receive plaques and U.S. savings bonds ranging in value from \$200 to \$1,000. In addition, the top 10 essayists will be honored at a banquet in Lansing and at a meeting with Michigan's top governmental leaders.

A team of finalist judges that includes Gov. James Blanchard and Lt. Gov. Martha Griffiths will determine the top statewide winners.

Several thousand eighth grade students from 500 Michigan schools participated in the 1985-86 America & Me Essay Contest. The topic of the 1985-86 contest was "Why I am Important to America's Future."

Started in 1968 and open to all Michigan eighth grade students, the contest encourages Michigan youngsters to explore their roles in America's future. As sponsor of the contest, Farm Bureau Insurance Group has earned 11 national awards from the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge.

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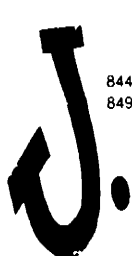
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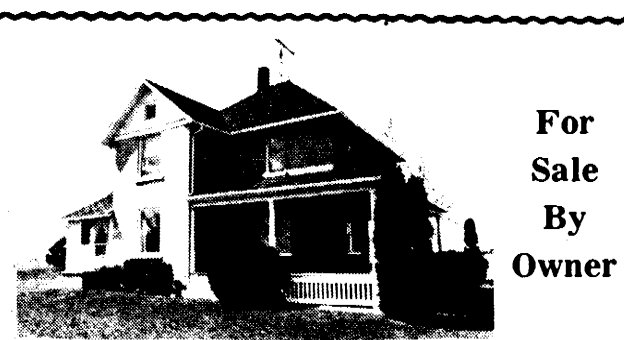
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## Taking stock

By Bill Myers



What the USA needs is a wailing wall to take care of the anguished citizens crying out about the Federal budget.

Read the papers and watch the telly and you'd think every last person was being condemned to poverty and privation. And then, the states and the counties and down to Boca Raton and Delray Beach -- what suffering lies ahead for them!

Meanwhile the defense department is taking all the tax money that could be handed out to us deprived souls.

Figures and facts and percentages make the media allergic -- and it also means a little work to compile. And then, finally, the numbers would spoil some sensational stories.

All right -- the bogey man: Defense. The Reagan budget 1986 to 1991 shows an increase of \$100 billion. Up 38%. Wow!

Meanwhile, Social Security goes up by \$91 billion. Totals for both defense and social security are nearly the same. The \$91 billion increase for social security is a boost of 35% by 1991. Just 3% less than defense. No cries of dismay, though, for this inflated spending. Naturally not. It's for "social purposes" as sacred as mother love.

Federal pensions and unemployment pay -- they're budgeted to go up \$14 billion, or 12%.

Veterans benefits -- you've heard the howls when it was suggested that veterans hospitals' admissions might be confined to needy veterans -- not just everyone who happened to have worn a uniform at one time. Well, the Reagan budget provides they go up \$500 million, or 2% by 1991. Hardly neglectful of the ex-servicemen.

Health and education -- untouchable by the spending crowd. Listen to Carl Rowan whine (you can hear him even without the telly turned on) and you'd think we were leaving education only for the rich. The budget provides that spending here will go up from \$66.4 billion currently to \$66.7 billion by 1991. That's only 2%, but at least we aren't allotting less for these things.

Just why the Federal government needs to get into education is beyond me. The states and private foundations can handle college needs. The counties and local school districts can tailor and pay for their own grade school and high school program.

Why Great White Father in Washington needs to subsidize school lunches for families with incomes of up to \$25,000 has never been explained to me. Why Uncle

Sam has to back college loans for families with incomes of \$200,000 a year and more is even more ridiculous.

If the lender of student loans was a little closer to the borrower there wouldn't be the hundreds of millions of dollars in unpaid loans out today. Again, let the states get into the business if need be. Provide a guarantee of say 75% of the loan when banks make them. That would screen out a lot of undeserving applicants.

Revenue sharing -- handouts from Washington to the states and communities -- is not really a big deal -- \$6.2 billion for 1986. It would drop to \$2 billion by 1991, a big drop percentage-wise, but only \$42 billion less in dollars. The money is attractive for local politicians for no direct tax has to be used for these projects. Almost anything qualifies. Again, towns, counties and states are not in such hard shape they couldn't get along without \$20 a head less from the Federal trough. That's all \$2 billion amounts to when spread over the whole country.

Besides revenue sharing, which will be cut \$4.2 billion over six years, the catch-all section called "Energy, Environment and Natural Resources" will be pared \$2.7 billion, or 15%. The Energy Department which flourished under the Carter administration, gave us such things as coal gasification and gasohol. The coal-reduction plant out in the Dakotas gives us \$10 manufactured gas, when the natural product is available at \$2. Gasohol struggles along only because we subsidize it by not adding on the regular gasoline taxes to it.

So these two departments -- energy and the environment, and revenue sharing will be cut a total of \$6.9 billion by 1991. Just this year, social security checks were upped \$8 billion under the inflation adjustment plan. So they trim some programs and then turn around and ladle it out to another. Nobody's really getting hurt as bad as the professional sobbers and demagogue congressmen would have us believe.

The Job Corps training proposed cuts have stirred up some mighty howls. Reductions of 12% are asked. The present program has been furnishing room, board and training to 38,000 youths at a cost of \$9,000 a season per trainee. Seems as though that's pretty high. Results have not been very exciting. Up-to-date vocational schools train youngsters for a third that sum.

It won't hurt the country to tighten up its spending a little -- and it's darned little that the Administration is asking in net outlays. Let's try tightening our belts a notch.

Bill Myers is a retired editor and investment counselor.

## 34 new members

### Students inducted to Honor Society

Thirty-four students from Cass City High School were inducted into membership of the National Honor Society in a ceremony held on Tuesday evening, April 22. The program, planned by Karen Wallace and Kathleen Jackson, Honor Society Advisors, was held in the Cass City High School gymnasium.

The purpose of the National Honor Society is to recognize those outstanding students who are very much involved in the life of the school and the community. All students deserving recognition for consistent, above average performance should gain acknowledgement. Additions are made each spring by a faculty council from a list of students who meet scholarship requirements. Counselor Wayne Dillon told the audience that it is a very difficult decision, but "it is worth the time and effort because it is important to recognize the good things that kids do." He surprised the students by asking them to give their parents a standing ovation for their time and energy, such as picking the students up late at night and getting them up at 5 a.m. for trips.

To be eligible for membership consideration, sophomore students must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.2, juniors must have a 3.1 average, and seniors must have a 3.0 average. Additionally, potential members must meet high standards in leadership, service and character. "You are the kids who get things done," Dillon told them that night.

Leadership is based on the student's participation in 2 or more community or school activities or election to an office. To meet the service requirement, the student must be active in 3

or more services projects to the school or community. Character is measured in terms of integrity, behavior, ethics, and cooperation with both students and faculty.

There is a total of 64 members in the Honor Society which makes up 12 percent of the student body.

The National Honor Society ranks as one of the oldest and most prestigious national organizations for high school students. Chapters exist in three-fourths of the nation's schools, and since 1972 more than 12 million students have been selected to membership.

In addition to the induction ceremony, Russell Richards, High School Principal, presented Tamara Iseler with an honor award recognizing her 4.0 grade point average compiled over the 4 years. This average represents perfect academic achievement in her high school career.

#### NEW INDUCTEES

Seniors inducted were: Lorri Bishop, Gillian Bryant, Debra Cook, Susan Damm, David Lockard, Shelley Nicholas, JoAnn Steely, Julie Sugden, Bethany Tuckey.

Juniors inducted were: Alicia Bliss, James Kritzman, Patricia Milligan, James Rabideau and Lisa Rutkoski.

Sophomores: Kevin Bergman, Jane Dickinson, Vickie Englehart, Mark Gracey, Tammy Hurd, Michael Jones, Alice Kappen, Kathy Leino, Lisa Nicholas, Kathryn Marshall, Kristy Marshall, Dawn Mulrath, Stacey Patera, Raquel Rockwell, Brenda Severance, Becky Smerdon, Ray Stachura, Daniel Tuckey, Matthew Tuckey, Dean Whittaker.



CASS CITY HIGH SCHOOL students were inducted into the National Honor Society Tuesday evening, April 22. New members, front row, left to right: Brenda Severance, Becky Smerdon, Raquel Rockwell, Stacey Patera, Lisa Nicholas. Second row, Kristy Marshall, Kathy Leino, Mike Jones, Mark Gracey, Jane Dickinson, Lisa Rutkoski, Patty Milligan. Third row, Jim Kritzman, Alicia Bliss, Bethany Tuckey, JoAnn Steely, David Lockard, Debra Cook, Lorri Bishop. Fourth row, old members, Sara MacRae, LuAnn Messing, Shellie Paladi, Annette Stachura, Deb Blue, Mark Kappen and Mike Kelley.



NEW MEMBERS of the National Honor Society, front row, left to right: Dean Whittaker, Matt Tuckey, Dan Tuckey, Ray Stachura. Second row, Jim Rabideau, Kevin Bergman, Vickie Englehart, Tammy Hurd, Alice Kappen, Kathy Marshall, Dawn Mulrath. Third row, old members, Robyn Powell, Eric Traube and Carolyn Tuckey. Same row, new members, Gillian Bryant, Susan Damm, Shelley Nicholas, Julie Sugden. Fourth row, old members, Brent Brooks, Angella Churchill, Diane Cooper, Tracey Grindy, Brian Gyomory, Lori Hartwick, Tammy Iseler and Tammy Jantz.

### Joslyn accepts plea from Deford man

A 62-year-old Deford man was arraigned in Tuscola County Circuit Court Monday.

Alex Mester entered a plea of guilty to second degree criminal sexual conduct. His bond was continued and a sentence date of June 9 was set.

Richard Emmons, 41, of Gagetown was found competent to stand trial. Motion to withdraw third degree criminal sexual conduct charges was granted by the court. Arraignment on a guilty plea to second degree criminal sexual conduct was continued one week.

The charges stem from an incident in Elkland Township Nov. 23, 1985. James Anderson, 19, of Vassar entered a plea of not guilty to charges of breaking and entering of an unoccupied dwelling with intent to commit larceny and larceny in a building. A pre-trial was set for May 5 and bond was continued. Charges stem from an incident April 11.

Brian Coombs, 18, of Vassar was sentenced to probation of 4 years, fined \$300 and ordered to pay costs of \$300 and restitution of \$2,498.22 on a charge of breaking and entering of an unoccupied dwelling with intent to commit larceny. He was also sentenced to one year in the county jail with 6 months deferred and 48 days credit. On a charge of conspiracy to commit malicious destruction of property, he was sentenced to 6 months in the county jail. The charges stem from an incident Feb. 20, 1985.

Christopher Perez, 22, of Caro entered a plea of not guilty on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon.

#### New legislation

Legislation has been signed into law that would eliminate the double taxation of certain Michigan goods sold to Michigan businesses, but through a retailer in another state.

The new law deals with "drop shipment" transactions, where the out-of-state retailer never takes physical possession of the property and the property never leaves Michigan.

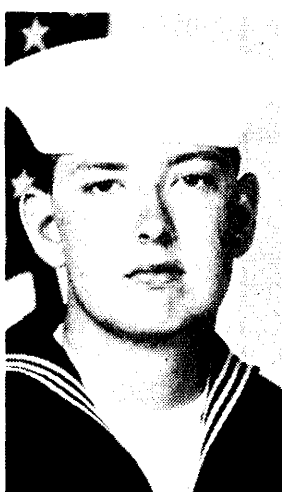
Pre-trial was set for May 12 and bond was continued.

Dale Matzke, 20, of Millington entered a motion for a property bond which is to be reviewed.

The request of Steven Matzke, 21, of Millington for change of venue was taken under advisement.

### Palmateer part of Team Spirit

Navy Airman Apprentice James A. Palmateer, son of Carl A. and Joyce C. Palmateer of 6292 W. Main St., Cass City, recently participated in Team Spirit '86.



JAMES A. PALMATEER

During the month long exercise, approximately 200,000 personnel from all services of the U.S. and Republic of Korea participated.

Exercise Team Spirit is the largest joint exercise conducted in the free world, involving approximately 28 U.S. ships, 218 Navy and Marine Corps aircraft, and 28,000 Navy and Marine Corps personnel.

Upon completing Team Spirit, a port call was made in Sasebo, Japan.

Palmateer is currently stationed aboard the aircraft carrier USS Midway, homeported in Yokosuka, Japan.

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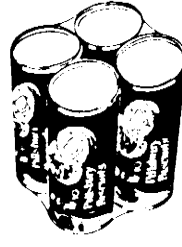
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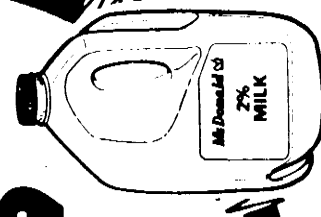
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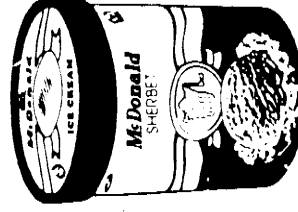
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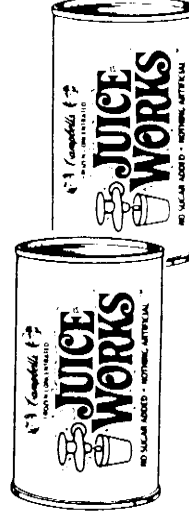
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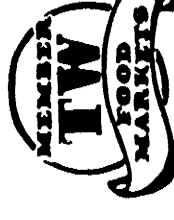
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Good thru Sat., May 3, 1986  
Good at Erla's Food Center

ERLA'S



FOOD CENTER

IN CASS CITY

SALE ITEMS NOT AVAILABLE TO DEALERS

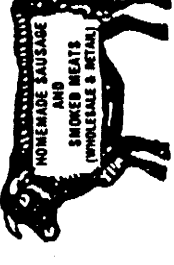
BEER &  
WINE

OPEN

MON.-THURS. TO 6 PM

FRIDAY TO 9 PM

SATURDAY 8 AM TO 6 PM



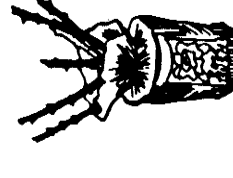
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Baked Goods

SPECIALS GOOD THRU  
SAT., MAY 3, 1986

SENIOR CITIZENS 5% DISCOUNT  
EVERY WEDNESDAY

Excluding Beer, Wine and Cigarettes



OUTDOOR  
NURSERY

FULL GARDEN SUPPLIES



SWIFT'NING  
SHORTENING

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99¢

42 oz.  
Can



Keyko  
Quartered

MARGARINE

2 / 89¢

16 oz. Pkgs.



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Banquet® Frozen

FRIED  
CHICKEN

\$2.39

2 lb.  
Pkg.



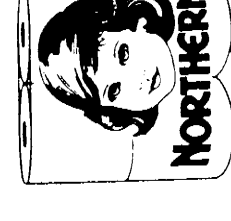
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Northern • Assorted  
BATHROOM

TISSUE

88¢

4 ct.  
Pkg.



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DOUBLE COUPONS

MONDAY & TUESDAY ONLY  
EVERY WEEK — UP TO 50¢

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