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Negotiations stalled Provincial employees protest wage levels

Union employees at Provincial House in Cass City are among more than 1,500 workers at 20 Michigan nursing homes run by Beverly Enterprises who say they're "disappointed" with the company regard-ing 5-month-old contract

Workers at the local nursing home voiced their concerns Sunday by distribut-ing an "open letter" to families of nursing home residents.

The employees, represented by the Service Employees' International Union, Local 79, state in the letter that they "hope and expect to resolve these negotiations quickly and without disruption to patient care."

But the 2 sides, who were scheduled to wrap up a 3-day bargaining session today (April 15) in Lansing, appeared far from reaching an agreement on Mon-day, and the union has vowed "to do whatever is necessary to see that their demands are met."

Some 70 union workers at Provincial House have been working under monthto-month extensions of a 2year contract which expired Feb. 28.

MAJOR ISSUES

The union has aired 3 major issues related to negotiations-wages, staf-fing and insurance. To date, union officials say, the only issue addressed by Beverly Enterprises has been wages; the company's proposals are being described as "meager:

The average wage in Beverly Enterprises nursing homes is \$4.20 per hour, according to Provincial House union representative Sally Carb, who has worked at the facility for 11/2 years.

here 2 years, and I'm only making \$4 an hour," Carb remarked. "Would you stay for that?" She added that one of her co-workers recently began making \$5 an hour after 12 years of service to the company. Carb pointed out that Be-

"Come September, I'll be

verly Enterprises, the largest nursing home com-pany in the United States, offered a pay increase last month of 2 cents an hour.

The union, citing a total of \$45 million in profits last year for Beverly Enterprises nationwide, is asking for a raise of 50 cents per hour per year of the prop-

cials say recent changes made by the company have made existing insurance coverage inadequate and unaffordable. The company increased

premiums by 27 percent

over the past year, according to union second vice-president Willy Hampton. The company also raised the deductible from \$100 to \$250 for individuals and from \$300 to \$500 for families, he said.

Hampton noted that the union is asking for coverage for part-time members, a higher company contribution toward premiums and a health

On insurance, union offias as an alternative to existing insurance.

STAFFING

Union officials also contend that current staffing methods are inadequate. Staffing, they say, has been cut to state minimums and periodically has dipped below minimal levels. The "minimum" in

Michigan is 2.25 hours per patient per day. But union and Beverly Enterprises spokesmen disagree on whether Provincial House and other nursing homes are maintaining proper staff levels.

Carb cited an example of

1,315 invalid signatures

Petition for referendum for new social services building fails

All systems are go for the new Department of Social Services building after a petition drive to force a county-wide vote, thought to be successful, failed when not enough signatures

were verified. Tuscola County Clerk Elsie Hicks said that the Committee to Stop Waste of Tax Dollars was 733 signatures short of the 3,212 reguired to force the vote. Hicks spent last week verifying the petition signatures

were thrown out because the residents who signed the petitions were not registered in their township.

Paul Lefler, administrator of the County Building Codes office, said that the building is proceeding as planned, but the petition

drive set the plans back 2

We could probably start as early as the first part of June," said Lefler. "But we have no definite timetable

Lefler said in about 2 weeks the office will place an advertisement calling for bids to construct the building. "It will take 8 to 4" weeks for bids to come in and until we award contracts," he said.

Before the petition drive started, Lefler said they Budget," said Dillon. He were shooting for the begin- added that he was pleased ning of October for the com- that the the facility conpletion of the building, but struction is continuing as we have to readjust those dates," he added.

The controversy started when DSS officials came up with a plan to build the \$1.2 million facility by financing it with bonds. According to

assistant for the Tuscola County Department of Social Services, the bonds would be paid off through monthly rent payments from the state for the next 15 years. After the contract is paid off, the state has a

5-year option to rent. The DSS lease expires July 31 and Dillon doesn't know if the DSS will extend the lease until the new building is complete. "That is up to the State Department of Management and planned.

Edward Liebler, chairman for the committee and owner of the building the DSS is presently renting, filed papers in February with Hicks, because he felt Tom Dillon, administrative Please turn to page 14.



NARROWLY ESCAPING serious injury through the prompt work of Jeff Kosal, left, was Mary Thomas. She was caught when ground around an old septic tank caved in. She required treatment after climbing out on a ladder furnished by her husband, Arthur Thomas.

Thomases laud action by Jeff Kosal in cave-in

City resident Jeff Kosal woke up Saturday morning, he never dreamed he'd be a hero of sorts that day.

But that's exactly what happened. And the Cass City Intermediate School 8th grader's quick thinking is being credited with the prompt rescue of an elderly woman who fell into an old well near her Cass City home.

Jeff was riding his bike near the Arthur Thomas re-sidence, 4454 Woodland Ave., Saturday at about 10:45 a.m. when he became involved in the incident.

"I heard somebody calling, 'help,' and I turned around to see where it was coming from," Jeff recalled, adding he discovered ble," he continued. "She

When 13-year-old Cass that a woman, Mary E. ity resident Jeff Kosal Thomas, 67, had fallen into a deep hole.

"I told her everything was alright," Jeff, a member of Cass City Boy Scout Troop 594, continued. He explained that he went immediately to Thomas' nearby home and located her husband, Arthur, who then ran outside. Jeff called the Cass City Police Department while Thomas grabbed a ladder to rescue

"It's incredible," Arthur, 77, commented. "He was calm and he was alert. He did everything you told him to do--he thought quick."

"It happened so suddenly that I wouldn't have realized there was trouwas out there totally alone, and I was in the house on the phone when the boy

came in.'

Thomas stated that his wife, who fell when a portion of earth surrounding the hole gave way, sustained no broken bones, but was bruised in the fall. She was examined at Hills and Dales General Hospital and is now resting at home, he said.

Thomas had already been rescued from the nearly 7-foot deep hole when Cass City Police Officer William C. Hartzell

arrived on the scene. According to Hartzell's report, the hole, located in a driveway adjacent to the Thomas residence, was at one time covered with

Hartzell noted that village Department of Public

Works employees placed a barricade around the hole to prevent another mishap. According to Mrs. Thomas, who was picking

up brush around her home when the accident occurred, Saturday's events won't soon be forgotten. "Talk about a shocker, I thought I was buried

alive," she remarked.

Mr. Thomas agreed, adding that Jeff, the son of Michael and Barbara Kosal, 6764 Main St., saved the day. "It was just one of those things you couldn't imagine," he "(Jeff's) a wonderful child, I'll tell you. I just can't thank him enough."

O-G board okays big 9.5 mill tax boost request

After nearly 2 hours of discussion behind closed doors Monday night, the meting agricultural land Owen-Gage Board of Edu- values. The total SEV drop cation approved a motion in agricultural land actu-to ask for an additional 9.5 ally is nearly \$10 million, he

increase the district's total the impact of sagging agoperational millage to 41 ricultural land values. mills, including proposed renewal of a special 6-mill cated that the board will request approved by voters last fall after 2 unsuccessful elections.

The proposed millage rate is based on a state equalized valuation of SEV of \$44.7 million.

Kirby, citing an overall SEV decrease of 22 percent, or more than \$9 million from 1986-87 to 1987-88, said the total proposed operational millage is expected to raise a little more than \$1.44 million.

Kirby blamed the proposed millage hike on plummills at the district's annual school election June 8. said, adding that a slight increase in the value of resi-If approved, the hike will dential property lessened

> The superintendent indischedule public information meetings next month to discuss the proposed millage request.

In other business during the 4-hour monthly meet-\$35.27 million. The district ing, nearly 3 hours of which currently levies 31.5 opera- was spent in executive sestional mills based on an sion, the board approved 1987-88 contracts School Supt. Harley elementary Principal William Britt, high school Principal Robert Andrews

and Kirby. Each of the motions stated that the administrators' salaries will be determined at a later date.

With the exception of An-

drews' contract, the rollcall votes were unanimous. Andrews' contract was approved on a 6-1 vote, with board member Jack Brinkman casting the lone

TENURE, PROBATION

Three teachers were granted tenure, while 2 others received a second year of probation from the board following a 50-minute closed session.

Approved for tenure were special education teacher LeeAnn Anklam, band and English instructor Royce Ehrle, and counselor Ronald D'Aoust.

Special education teacher Sharon Krzyzaniak and English teacher Lisa Ehrle were approved for a second year of probation.

Also Monday, the board hired veteran coach Arnie Besonen to take over as coach for the high school boys' and girls' track

Besonen, who has 16

years of coaching experience, was hired to replace long-time track mentor Richard Glidden, who resigned last week.

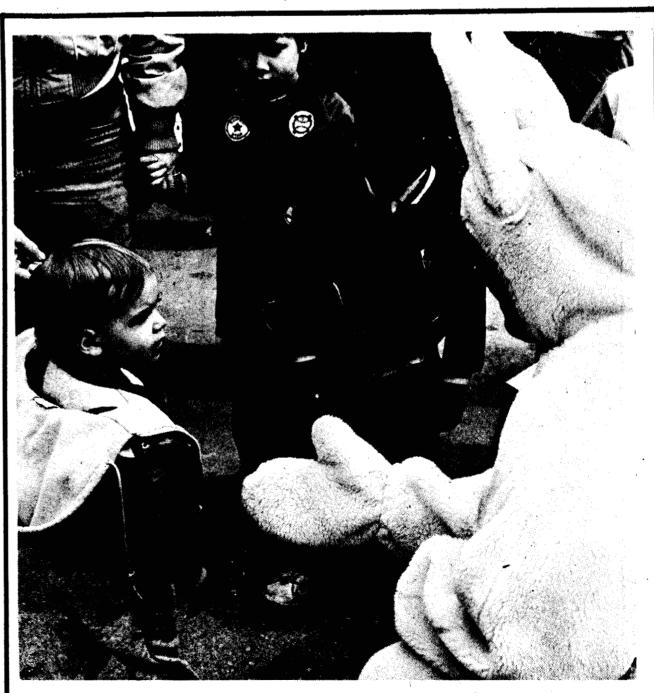
Turning to Kirby's report, the superintendent told the board that rent hasn't been received for a school district-owned house in Gagetown since September.

Kirby, who said he doesn't know who's renting the house, added that 2 letters have been sent, but there have been no re-

The board indicated it will contact the renters concerning rent payments.
The board also heard

monthly reports from Andrews and Britt, who noted that 29 students were enrolled during kindergarten round-up. Britt said the enrollment is up slightly from

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ANTHONY WIEGART, 18 months, isn't too sure if this big bunny is friendly or not. Anthony was one of 50 children that participated in an Easter egg hunt held Saturday at the Lamotte Township Fire Hall. The LaMotte Women's Auxiliary has sponsored the hunt for the past 5 years.



Meg's Peg What beige

by Melva E. Guinther

One advantage to being

Forgetfulness is not married is that you have necessarily the result of aging. It's just that the the dubious satisfaction of longer we live, the more stuff there is to forget.

Surely everyone knows the frustration of being unable to recall a name, title or word when you need it, and the harder you try, the more elusive the subject be-

Even more annoying is not being able to find

It's not the missing socks that bother me. I know where they go. They lurk amid the dust balls behind the washer and hide in the corners of the extra fitted sheet for the guest room and in the sleeves of garments that have been stored for the season.

But what becomes of the 8th Pepsi bottle when you get ready to return the empties?

Who keeps moving my glasses?

Where is the purse that matched my beige shoes last summer? And the earrings, the iridescent green ones and the little gold hearts, what happened to them?

Somewhere within the confines of our house is a bag containing 8 spools of ribbon bought on sale during one of my "crafty" spells last year. I'm feigning nonchalance about its whereabouts, but I will NOT buy another spool of ribbon while I know those 8

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knowing, deep down in your heart, although he/she will never admit it, that your spouse is in some way responsible for things that are missing.

Otherwise, you have to conclude, as we do when neither of us can account for a misplaced article, that someone broke in and stole...the map of Indiana, scissors, jar of pickles, or whatever.

We once made a well-intentioned resolve to write down the names of people who borrowed items, in case we needed them. Needless to say, even when we remembered to make the notations, we forgot where we put the list.

We never did figure out who has the cold packer, but it's a good excuse for not canning fruits and vegetables, which I never get

around to anyway.

On the other hand, Stan, who calls himself the Polish carpenter, could really use his level, which some other amateur builder apparently borrowed.

Sometimes these memory lapses are downright embarrassing. I don't know how long we tried to remember who borrowed our extension ladder before a friend reminded us that we had stored it in his garage.

A research study recently propounded that memory loss is more a matter of disuse than deterioration, and there are exercises that can prevent it and even restore the function to a great extent.

I intended to study this further. Unfortunately, I forgot where the article came from and what I did Caro.

HILLS AND DALES

Apr. 20

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Good Friday service has been scheduled for 1 p.m. Friday at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Cass City.

Sponsored by the Cass City Area Ministerial As-sociation, the service will feature guest speaker the Rev. John Tuckey, former superintendent of the Michigan Area Missionary Church. The Novesta Church of Christ choir will provide special music.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

Born April 10, to Mrs. Jaime S. Hartwick, Cass

PATIENTS LISTED MON-DAY, APRIL 13, WERE:

Nashia Rae Prich, Sebewaing; Linda Winter, Akron;

Steven Wren, Decker, Franklin McCullough,

Marriage Licenses

Brian Neuville, Caro, and Kandis Kuchar, Caro. John Ferkowicz, Silverwood, and Cari Copeland, Kingston. Neil Babcock, Caro, and

Sharie Fuerst, Caro.

Unionville. Ronald Brill, Caro, and Judy Osborne, Caro.

Jeanne Burnette, Cass

Edward Beach.

christ, Mayville. John Klebba, Cass City, and Clara Adams, Caro. Leslie Garrett, Caro, and Brenda Colland, Caro.

Diane Roberts wed Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Roberts of Center Line announce the marriage of their daughter, Diane, and James Floch Monday, April 13.

The wedding took place at Warren City Hall at 11:00 a.m. followed by a luncheon

at the Roberts' home.

Matron of honor was Brenda Gillette, sister of the bride, and best man was Thomas Ciesliga, brotherin-law of the groom.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Reva M.

Good Friday service set

The annual community

City, baby girl.

Albert Englehart, John Juhasz, Edward Lebioda, Richard Rolston, Mrs. Roberta Seeley, Andrea Bills, Shannon Conat, Marion Weltin, Edward Buehrly, Esther McCullough, Cass City;

Scott LaPratt. Unionville, and Tena Hitsman,

James Nicol, Caro, and

Howard Trinklein, Vassar, and Debra Hecht, Vas-

Andrew Anderson, Warren, and Darlene Arquette,

Mayville. Mayville, and Mildred Gil-

Larry Krutz, Caro, and Nancy Denner, Caro.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

Audrey Katzenberger

a bakery there.

spending the winter at Rus-

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stil-

son and son, David, of

Livonia spent Sunday with

his mother, Mrs. Verneta

there she attended the In-

Lakeville School in Otis-

Fresno, Cal., spent 5 days

in Sebewaing with her pa-

Shagenas. While here she

visited her father, who is a

patient in Huron Memorial

Hospital in Bad Axe. Chirld

is a granddaughter of

Bertha Shagena. She re-

turned to her home in

Mrs. Kay Carmichael

and daughter, Sara, spent

the weekend with her pa-

rents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Sixty-six attended the

turkey dinner served by the

Dorcas women in Salem

UM Church. A business

Louine Patton giving the

opening prayer and Fran-

ces Joos some readings

titled "Best Share The Joy"

and "Share The Earth."

Fresno Tuesday.

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kin, Fla.

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Phone 872-3049

Mr. and Mrs. George Cook spent the weekend with their daughter Rose in

Echo Chapter Order of Eastern Star meeting was held Wednesday, April 8, with 37 attending. It was Friend's Night with 8 visitors from Mayville present. A Friendship Circle was made as a token of appreciation for Mayville coming. Lunch was served by Barney Hoffman's com-

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Crawford spent Sunday with Mrs. Marion McClorey and son, Larry. The Crawfords were returning home from

Mrs. Ella Cumper was in Clifford Sunday at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cumper. They all attended a communion Sebewaing who underwent breakfast for David an operation a week ago Cumper, Mrs. Cumper's and is a patient in the Bad grandson.

Norma Szarapski was honored Saturday evening at a surprise birthday party at her home, with about 30 relatives and friends attending. A cooperative lunch and birthday cake were served.

John and Dorothy Tomczak were guests at a cocktail party held by Bob and Pat Habermehl, brother and sister-in-law of Donna and Ken Eisinger, in celebration of their new penthouse Time Share condominium at the Eagles Nest Complex on Marco Island, Fla., on the Gulf of Mexico. The Habermehls returned to Burton, Mich.,

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Rivard of Caseville spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer, Mrs. Ruth Timmons and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Timmons attended the Junior High Honors Band Concert at Lakers High School. Debbie Timmons played in the band.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williamson of Sandusky visited Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord meeting followed with

Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Johnson of Port Richey, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy, to Rick Damm of Oldsmar, Fla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Damm of Cass City.

A 1988 spring wedding is planned.

Lutherans hold meet

Good Shepherd Lutheran Ladies Aid met for its monthly meeting Monday evening, April 6.

A program explaining the Jewish Passover feast was presented for all to experience and remember the Passover as Christ celebrated it. A Secret Friend program

will be initiated at the May meeting, with all women of the congregation invited to participate.

Another quilting work-night for World Relief was set for Tuesday, April 28. A mother-daughter happening will be held Sunday, May 17.

Refreshments served by hostesses Ann Fruendt, Betty Fuller and Eloise Dorsch.

A healthy lifestyle, it seems, can do more than just make you look better. It may, experts believe, help you live longer.

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Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. Herb Ludlow of Cass City returned home April 6 from Las Cruces, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles where he spent the winter Hartwick enjoyed dinner at with his daughter, Mr. and a Chinese restaurant in Saginaw, in celebration of Mrs. Koert Lessman. The the 23rd wedding anniver-Lessmans own and operate sary of the Hartwicks and the birthdays of Mr. and

Mrs. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hammond, new managers of the Cass City Apartments, had Edward Blades of Canas Sunday dinner guests their son, Bill, and family ton, Mich., spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Elsie of Flushing and their daughter, Linda Smith, and family of Mayville. Easter Sunday, April 19,

early services will be held at 8:00 a.m., followed by in-law of Esth-breakfast at the Trinity UM aunt of Stanley. Mr. and Mrs. Earney Seeley returned to Cass Church. City Friday, April 3, after

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Armstead and Bertha Shagena were in Bad Axe family and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Finkbeiner enjoyed ice cream and cake at the Tuesday to visit Bertha's home of the George Fishers son, Bernard Shagena, of days of Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr.

and Mrs. Jerry Reinelt and Mrs. Lou Reinelt of Argyle.

Mrs. Edna Radzwion and

daughters, Denise and

Dionne, and Steven Free-Helen Lorentzen spent land were guests Monday Thursday and Friday at the of Mr. and Mrs. Peter home of her son and family, Rienstra. Mr. and Mrs. Rick Lorentzen of Clio. While Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rienstra were early Easter dustrial Fair at the dinner guests of Mr. and

> family of Harrison at Frankenmuth Sunday. Easter was observed at Monday when 20 attended the dinner. There will not be a meal Good Friday. April birthdays will be

Joe Leeson, a student at Ferris State College, spent the weekend with his parents, Fred and Linda Leeson.

Jean Fry and sons, Brando and Drew, of Lake Orion visited Wednesday till Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander.

the winter there.

surgery a week ago.

Saturday. She was a sister-in-law of Esther and an

Sunday evening after Son-Rise service April 19 at church all of the Fisher 8:00 a.m. in the Novesta Church of Christ, followed by a continental breakfast.

Sr. to celebrate the birth- Progressive Class meeting of the Salem UM Church for a "fry bread" supper, Thursday, April 9. The was planned by Rienstra had as callers Ron Geiger and George Thursday afternoon, Mr. Wilson. Wilson showed slides on Arizona. May 2 they will sponsor a pig roast at the church.

> Stilson and Keith's mother. vincial House recently.

Mrs. Dennis Rienstra and surgery Friday.

the Cass City meal site Ludlow, his daughter Ilene celebrated Friday, April 24, and a special program will be presented by Donna

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cody returned from Port Richey, Fla., April 8, having spent

Stanley Kirn went to Chelsea to get his mother, Mrs. Esther Kirn, who is spending from Friday until Monday in Cass City with

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fleenor were in Ann Arbor Tuesday where Ray had a checkup after having eye

Stanley Kirn and his mother, Mrs. Esther Kirn, went to Troy to attend the funeral of Ruth Werner

There will be an Easter

Thirty-nine attended the

Mr. and Mrs. Keith mom-daughter Buehrly of Livonia visited her mother, Mrs. Verneta Mrs. Mary Buehrly, at Pro-

Miss Janis Seeley was a patient 2 days in Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe, having had knee

Saturday evening Herb anchusband, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCoon of Caro, and their family, Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Kendall and family of Haslett and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sullivan and family of Merrillville, Ind., enjoyed dinner at Wildwood Restaurant to celebrate the birthdays of Joe Sullivan Jr. and Herb Ludlow:

An Easter sunrise service will be held at the Salem UM Church at 7:00 a.m. April 19, followed by breakfast.

Elizabeth Stine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nicholas in Kawkawlin and en route home called on Mr. and Mrs. Ken Marker of Essexville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and family of Lapeer visited Mrs. Celia Smith Saturday afternoon.

The Clarence Ewalds have returned to their home in Cass City after wintering in Tavares, Fla. While in Florida, they visited with Mrs. Dan (Lucy) Withey of Eustis and the Watson Hudsons of Sebring, all of whom are originally from Cass City. They also visited friends from Caro and his cousins, Ed and Edith (Chaffee) Whiteman of Brooksville and spent 2 days at Spurgeon College, Mulberry, Fla., and greeted former Cass City pastor, Arnold P. Olsen. and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Crane and Katie Crane were callers in Pigeon Wednesday.

Margaret Lounsbury entertained the Tuesday Morning Bible Study Group in her home April 7.

Baptists plan May banquet

Ladies, of the Baptist Women's Missionary Fellowship set May 22 as the date for their motherdaughter banquet when they meet at the church Monday, April 6. Mrs. George Harmon is to be the peaker.

Shirley Shaw, president, opened the meeting by leading the group in singing a hymn. Mary Jane Warner gave the opening prayer and Jean Fisher read the minutes.

Kretzschmer Rosella gave a work-day report and Mrs. Shaw read a letter from Janet Moody, missionary nurse in Togo. Ruth Fisher was in charge of prayer time.

Kathy Gommesen, wife of the pastor at Calvary Baptist Church, Bad Axe, was guest speaker. Her message, "Planning Our Spiritual Life," was based on I Timothy 6:11. She also reported on activities of the ladies of her church.

Refreshments and decorations were provided by Marlene Langmaid and Rita Hanby.

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"If It Fitz..."

Amazing intellect

By Jim Fitzgerald

Recently I discovered something about myself that I'm not proud of: When I'm home alone, I never watch "Wheel of Fortune" or "Jeopardy" on TV.

When my wife is home, or any other human being is within earshot, I never miss 'hese shows. I delight in being the first to yell out correct answers. On the rare occasions when my wife beats me, there is even a perverse pleasure in accusing her of seeing the show earlier on a Canadian channel, otherwise how could she possibly know something her incredibly husband didn't smart

But my wife left me for 3 days this week. She visited one of our daughters for whom she was very lonely because they hadn't seen each other in 10 or 15 minutes. There is something about the relationship bet-ween my wife and our daughters that warrants unbiased comment from an

The Want Ads Are Newsy Too! astute student of anthropology who is me.

One example says it all: On a recent morning I was halfway out the door, headed for work, when my wife demanded, in an urgent tone, that I wait a minute. She was on the phone and asked the person on the other end of the line to hold on a minute. She had to finish writing a thank-you note that I had to rush to the post office so the recipient would get it the next day.

The thank-you note was to our daughter Ferd. thanking her for a thankyou note she'd sent her mother. And the person waiting on the phone while the note was being written was that same daughter

I swear I don't make this stuff up, folks. And I would be fascinated to hear from any other student of anthropology who can top this astonishing example of excessive communication between 2 otherwise fairly normal people.

Anyway, while my wife was out of town, I had not the slightest desire to watch 'Wheel of Fortune" and "Jeopardy." This was the case even though I'd just Vanna White in Playboy magazine and

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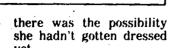




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Instead of turning on TV I read the newspaper, and when I read someone paid \$39.85 million for a Van Gogh painting of several sunflowers, I felt a little better about myself. I realized I never watched quiz shows alone because I couldn't strut my superior intellect before a live audience, especially my wife. I was a bozo braggart, certainly not an admirable personality trait. But at least I wouldn't pay \$39.85 million for a picture of sunflowers just to show off

After all, a person could buy or pick a fresh bouquet of sunflowers every day forever and not spend \$39.85 million. And certainly the real thing is better than a picture of it. A real sunflower smells like a bright summer morning; a painting smells like paint. There could be no reason other than braggadocio for paying \$39.85 million for a painting of several sunflowers. Maybe \$19.43 million,

but not \$39.85 million.

how incredibly wealthy I

That's what I thought. But further reading revealed that whoever paid \$39.85 million for the painting didn't want to be identified. The buyer didn't even want the public to know in which nation he or she lived. Furthermore, because of high insurance costs and security problems, there is a chance the painting will never be publicly displayed So the parallel between

my not watching TV quiz shows alone and someone paying \$39.85 million for a painting was considerably diminished. I am back to not feeling proud of myself for wanting to make my wife feel inferior by showing off my amazing intel-

At least there is this: Whenever I answer a TV question correctly, and suggest that my wife phone the University of Michigan marching band to come help me celebrate my smartness, she asks: "How much money will you get for your correct answer?'

Now I have a proper retort for her: Superiority is its own reward. How much of that \$39.85 million does she think Van Gogh got?

 \mathbf{T}_{he}

LYLE CLARKE, president of the Cass City Education Association, awards a certificate to Salutatorian Mark Kappen for graduating with a grade point average of 3.0 or better. Forty-one students were honored for their GPA's Thursday night at the high school.

41 Cass City seniors honored Thursday night for top grades

Cass City Education Association honored graduating seniors with grade point averages of 3.0 or better, Thursday night at the high school.

Lyle Clarke, president of the education association, presented the certificates to the seniors as parents and teachers looked on.

Salutatorian Mark Kappen and Valedictorian Deb delivered both

speeches highlighting their high school years. Kritzman, Katie LaBelle, Ann Leslie, Dan Merchant,

Those seniors honored were: Russ Auten, Alicia Bliss, Deb Blue, Christine Britt, Mike Britt, Allen Burk, Denise Cooper, Jen-nifer Davis, Kevin Haley, Jeff Hartwick, Lisa Hirn, Clayton Hobart, Julia Hrycko, Heidi Iseler, Alice Izydorek, Randy Izydorek, Becky Johnson, Mark Kappen, Mike Kelley, Jim

David Miller, Patty Milligan, Ken Pasanski, Virgil Peters, Robyn Powell, Jim Rabideau, Jeanette Robertson, Steve Ross, Lisa Rutkoski, Gary Suzor, Renee Szarapski, Eric Traube, Carolyn Tuckey, Kurt Tuckey, Thorsten Walte, who is a German exchange student, Kim Wing, Genny Wolfrum, and Jim

Academic Track Invitational

Pupils place in 4 events

Cass City Intermediate students posted one first place and 3 second-place finishes in an Academic Track Invitational held Thursday night at the Temple Theatre in Saginaw.

The competition featured some 500 pupils from 19 schools in the Saginaw and Thumb area, including 15 students from Cass City.

Four Cass City 7th graders combined talents to place first in the boys' quartet category. Members of the group are Garen Barker, Jeff Hockey, Brad Gray and Kent Winter.

Finishing second were 8th grader Chris Fruendt in the ancient history categ-

Reading the daily newspapers provides grist for many a column. Last week an item buried in the inside pages of one of them said that the majority of doctors aren't advising patients to quit smoking.

Haire

According to a survey published in the Journal of the American Medical Association, the article said, patients symptoms that make smoking especially risky-those with hypertension, obesity, diabetes, or who use birth control pills--were no more likely to be advised to quit cigarettes than people without those risks.

As I read, this seemed strange, but not nearly as bizarre as the cure that one of the authors suggested. The article quotes the doctors who were authors of the study as recommending that insurance companies pay for the time doctors spend counseling smokers. Physicians are not being appropriately reimbursed for health promotion activities, said Dr. Dean G.

If the good doctor could sell that, it would open a whole new revenue producing avenue for not only the medical profession, but for business as well. Stores sélling yard goods could get paid for teaching how to sew. Golf course owners could conduct clinics on course etiquette. Newspapers could collect for teaching how to read. TV how to

act and radio how to talk. What it's all about, says Dr. Sienko, is providing an

incentive (which is not present in the health care system) which could lead physicians to spend more time with patients on this matter.

A good many of the doctors could then counsel their patients secure in the knowledge that as smokers they know all the hazards. Don't do as I do, do as I tell

I suppose if there were a few bucks in it, a program could be devised that would require numerous sessions and hours of time. Anything is possible. But for the life of me I can't see what prevents doctors from doing it all in a brief conversation, with a few statistics on what smoking can do to your health.

When you get down to it, all the doctor can do in con-versation is tell his patients what they already know. Maybe it will sink home when it comes from an authoritative figure like a doctor, but I wouldn't bet on it.

Despite clinics run by laymen, hypnotism and other group therapy measures, long term success is limited without the one ingredient that is really necessary.

That's to really decide to quit smoking, period. You can use any of the recognized aids to quitting then and perhaps ease the pain a little. But if you don't really decide that you have smoked your last cigarette. forget it.
You don't have to pay a

doctor to tell you that. Tell them you read it here for

ory, 8th grader Amiee Fulcher, Janet Kubacki Cooper in dramatic read- and Jennifer McNaughton ing, and 8th graders Mindy in the girls' trio.

and Jennifer McNaughton

PAGE THREE Rabbit Tracks by John Haire (And anyone else he can get to help.)

The Chronicle is in a rut. Checking copies of previous years we learned that Cass Bartnik was pictured in the April 1 issue in 1985, 1986 and 1987. Nothing against Cass, you understand, but 1988 will be different. It's 3 times and

Jim Baker Jr. works for a company in Holly which is a vendor to Chrysler Corp., among others. We quizzed him about his job there as an electrical engineer He supervises installation. He'll be spending up to a year

with the Chrysler project. Why so long? The company is installing a machine that makes engine blocks from scratch. It's 500 feet long.

It's hard for me to visualize that. Almost as hard as it is to comprehend the cost that Jim says is upwards of 2 billion (yes, billion) dollars.

Only in a small town. George Ridge was touring the Orient and sent postcards from Peking and Bangkok. So? So they were addressed to "Willie and Carl" in care of Sommers' Bakery and without a hitch were delivered to Willie LeBlanc and Carl Weippert, who breakfast there with George frequently.

Mary Proudfoot, who lives in the apartments on Woodland Street in Cass City, says that she has solved the mystery of the disappearing food from her back yard

She had been feeding birds for about 2 years about 10 feet from her glass doors. The food thief was a large deer that crossed the lawn at dusk and was seen by Mary and Leta

Other animals in the back yard include a woodchuck and a rabbit and a few cats. Birds reported by Ms. Proudfoot include blue jays, mourning doves, robins, sparrows, swallows, chickadees, juncos, red cardinals, yellow finches, blackbirds and starlings.

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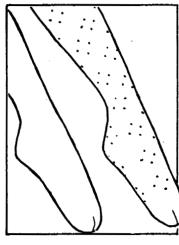


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Sheriff's department

Few mishaps reported locally

The deer was northbound

when it ran into the side of

Willis' car, doing a fair

amount of damage. After

the incident the deer left

circuit court Monday.

charge of malicious de-

struction of a building over

According to a court re-

port, Bloomfield allegedly

willfully and maliciously

destroyed a building on 122

Street

Tuscola County Sheriff's Department, with only one incident involving area residents.

On April 8, at 11 p.m., Douglas DuFord of Cass City and his wife Dorothy were driving north on Cemetery Road between Frank's Service Station and the grain elevator when they heard "a blast from some sort of weapon coming from the west," stated DuFord in a report. After the blast, the driver's side window broke apart and DuFord continued to drive to the Village Police Sta-

Neither DuFord nor his wife saw anyone, and when deputies went to the scene where the incident happened, all they found was glass debris.

There are no suspects and the case remains open.

ACCIDENTS REPORTED POLICE DEPART-

A 21-year-old Saginaw man was injured early Sun-

DEAD BY DAWN

the victim of a hit-and-run incident in Township, according to a Tuscola County Sheriff's Department report.

Charles L. Sparks, 3161 Reinbold Road and Van

The report stated a witness, who was ahead of on Van Buren.

broadsided him.

STATE POLICE

CARO DRIVE-IN

FRI.-SAT.-SUN., APRIL 17-18-19

Next FSS: "Golden Child" & "Critical Condition"

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It was a slow week for Tuscola County Courthouse, with only one felony was in excess of \$100." arraignment in district

Bloomfield faces maximum penalty of 4 years and/or \$2,000 in fines. His preliminary exam is set for April 17 at 9 a.m.

Caro...belonging to John March 23, for attempted fines and costs of \$800.

(CSC) in the second degree. Another count of CSC in the second degree was drop-

woman was traveling south

on Cemetery Road, near

Elmwood Road, when she

struck a deer, Friday night.

Downington Rd., suffered

no injuries and minimal

damage was done to her

Cynthia J. Nicol, 6447

The sentence stemmed

TWO ELKLAND Township firemen try to control a 12acre grass fire near Cumber Road Saturday afternoon. Fire fighters had to let part of the fire burn until Department of Natural Resources officials arrived with a plow. Trash burning is blamed for the fire. A 2-acre grass fire on Deckerville Road in Deford was easily extinguished Friday afternoon, after a flicked cigarette started the blaze.

Wildfire Prevention Week

Chief cautions residents

This week marks Wildfire Prevention Week and the number one cause the more than 10,000 wildfires in Michigan in 1986 was debris burning. Jerome Root, Elkland Township fire chief, urges residents to take extra precautions when burning de-

bris, especially this year. According to Root, so far this year there have been 3 wildfires in Elkland, compared to 11 in all of 1986 and 16 in 1985. About 79 acres have been destroyed so far this year; compared to only

Root said that most of the problem stems from the mild winter Michigan had. "This year there was not isn't lying flat. That's why they are burning so many acres," he stated.

According to an article put out by the Michigan Interagency Wildfire Preventagency tion Group, a fire starting in standing dead, dry grass can burn 40 feet per minute in 5 mph wind and 145 feet per minute in 10 mph wind.

Root stated that even though the ban placed on debris burning by the De-partment of Natural Resources was lifted after the first rain, residents should be careful when they light up debris and make sure it is in an approved debris burner. A burner is made of metal or masonry, with a metal covering device with openings no larger

than 3/4 of an inch. Root said that many grass fires start because the people have improper trash burners.

Permits for burning are available at the Elkland Fire Department and through the DNR, but Root said he'd rather the residents came to the fire hall local fire agencies for supto get it. The permit is free

According to Root, debris burning is not allowed in the Cass City village limits.

On the back of the permit there are rules which state that a person can be liable for all the expenses of putting out the fire, if he is negligent and allows the fire to escape. Also if a person sets a fire and doesn't take precautions or leaves the fire unattended, he is guilty of a misdemeanor. "Whata misdemeanor. ever it costs the DNR to put

pay," said Root. Some \$400 million was spent by federal, state and large areas.

out the fire, you have to

pressing wildfires in Michigan in 1986, according to the wildfire prevention group. Also \$500 million was estimated as the damage done by these fires to property and natural resources.

In the article the group listed 6 safety rules to follow when burning debris: don't burn on windy days; never leave the fire unattended; use an approved debris burner; keep the area around burning containers free of debris; obtain a burning permit, and have fire fighting tools and extra help when burning

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It was a quiet week at the day morning after he was Donald E. Willis, 49, 6789 the scene. East Main St., Cass City, was uninjured when his westbound car struck a deer on West Cass City Road April 8 at 7:10 a.m.

> Janes St., refused treat-ment after he was broadsided by a vehicle which caused him to drive into a ditch at the intersection of Buren Road.

> Sparks' car, watched the accident in his mirror and saw a green pickup without headlights traveling south

According to a report, the unknown vehicle was eastbound on Reinbold Road and Sparks was going south on Van Buren when the unknown driver ran through the stop sign and

There were 3 car/deer mishaps covered by state troopers this week, 2 of which involved Cass City

residents.

STARTS

AT DUSK!

Kastraba...resulting in the criminal sexual conduct damage, the value of which

Caro man arraigned in

malicious destruction case

In another incident, Gre-

gory S. Erla, 18, 4581 West St., Cass City, was driving

east on M-81 when he struck

Erla reported no injuries

and only a small amount of

damage was done to his

In the third car/deer mis-

a deer April 6.

court and a sentencing in Larry E. Bloomfield Jr., 21, 2397 East Deckerville Rd., Caro, was arraigned in district court on the

In circuit court, a 39year-old Mt. Morris man was sentenced to a year in the county jail. The court suspended the sentencing for 6 months.

James Rozsa, 371 Main St., entered a plea of guilty at his preliminary exam

from a November, 1984, incident when Rozsa "did attempt to commit CSC in the second degree...but failed in the perpetration or was prevented in the execution," according to a court

Along with the year in jail, Rozsa was sentenced to 5 years probation and

No injuries in Saturday crash involving 16-year-old youths

No injuries were reported in a 2-car mishap involving youths from Cass City and Sebewaing on Main Street at Seeger Street Saturday

According to the Cass City Police Department, a vehicle driven by a 16-yearold Sebewaing youth was eastbound on Main Street when it collided with a westbound vehicle driven by a Cass City youth, also

The report stated that the eastbound vehicle was making a turn north onto Seeger Street when the accident occurred. There was a green light for east/west traffic, but the driver of the eastbound vehicle "did not see that he did not have enough time to safely make

Also reported during the

mid-February.

No citation was issued.

past week was a minor property damage accident involving 2 parked vehi-Linda J. Gedert, 4580 Hill

St., reported that her car was damaged when a pickup truck rolled from a parking place into her vehicle at about 1 p.m. April 8. The truck is registered to

Pupil gets full scholarship

A Sandusky High School granted on a no-need basis

Kimberly Siers, Snover, is among the 1987-88 Presidential Scholarship winners recently announced by the school. The valedicto-

student is among 5 pupils to 5 students, each of whom whose academic perfor- is first or second in their mance has been awarded respective class standings. with a scholarship covering per year. The scholarships tuition, fees and books for are annually renewable to a 4-year degree from students who maintain a 3.6 Saginaw Valley State Colgrade point average.

Current high school juniors interested in applying for SVSC's Presidential

Scholarship should verify their class standing by submitting a letter to SVSC rian of Sandusky High from their high school prin-School's class of 1987, she is cipal or counselor. Selecthe daughter of Robert tion is made on the basis of Siers and Diane Thompson. mid-senior year standing. The scholarships are Application deadline is



Kimberly Siers

Community ed classes dates aired

The Cass City Community Education Department recently announced several class offerings beginning April 27 in conjunction with its spring enrichment prog-

Classes set to begin April 27 include "powder puff mechanics," a 4-week class to be held at 7 p.m. on Mondays; "grow spectacular roses," which also lasts for 4 weeks, and "fun and fitness," to be held on Mondays and Wednesdays for 6 weeks. Other future offerings

are a 5-week "beginning computer class" set for Tuesdays beginning April 28; a 3-week "investment planning class" beginning April 29; an "elbow basket class" and "onion basket class" scheduled for May 5 and 19, respectively; a "lawn mower clinic" set for May 5; a one-night "lawn chair webbing class" set for May 6; a 6-week "karate class" scheduled to begin May 11, and a 2-night "Red Cross first aid class," set for May 27 and 28.
Additional information

on all class offerings is available by contacting the community education of fice at 872-4151.

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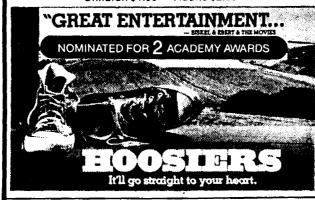
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Egg Hunt at fairgrounds

The 4-H Teen Club of Tuscola County is sponsoring an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 18, from 11:00 a.m. till noon.

'All children from preschool age to fourth grade are invited to attend," says John Wurm, Tuscola County Extension 4-H Youth Agent.

This event is being sponsored by the Tuscola County 4-H Clubs, but will be open to all youth in that

age group.
The location is the parking lot between the 4-H Horse Arena and the tennis courts, on the fairgrounds in Caro.

Drug rally scheduled

A "Youth Temperance" rally has been scheduled for 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. April 25 at Deford Community Church.

Guest speaker at the event, which will focus on the use and abuse of drugs, including alcohol, will be "Abraham Lincoln." The rally is being held in conjunction with Youth Temperance Education Week, April 19-25.

FARMER PEET

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Milk

Marsha Potter of Grand Rapids accompanied her parents, Murl and Agatha LaFave, on an 8-day trip in the southern states. In Macon, Ga, they visited a cousin, Mrs. Maurice Han-

months in LaBelle, Fla., Dick and Esther Walsh and Madge Murray returned last week to their farm home here.

Last Sunday guests of Bill and Shirley Lenhard were Jeff Lenhard of Sebewaing, Ann and Mary Lenhard of Saginaw and Brad Miklasovic of Carrollton. As a member of the re-

cently formed Lake Huron Chapter of the Sweet Adelines, Kathy Sullivan spent last weekend in Flint where the group joined other groups in a statewide competition at Whiting Au-

On the weekend of April 6, after a few days at their cottage near Kalkaska, C.A. and Jean Marecki of Rochester visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rabideau.

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Francis Goodell is recuperating after eye surgery at St. Luke's Hospi-

Gagetown Area News

lovich were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs.

as dinner guests Bob, and Joshua Joanne Beauchamp of Bay City.

Monday, April 6, the Gagetown Women's Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Gladys Laurie, with 9 members and 2 guests attending. The guests were Carol and Julia Hrycko of Cass City.

and the late Bill Merz. Program chairman Evelyn Ziehm introduced Miss Great-grandmother Alma Wald. Mrs. Merz Julia Hrycko, who told of spent a few weeks in Texas with the new parents.

ELMWOOD EXTENSION

Wednesday, April 1, Helen Stock of Unionville hosted the meeting of the Elmwood Extension Club. Seven members and one attended and answered roll call with an April Fools joke.

Millie Laurie and Elma Miklovich attended the March 16 Area Extension Council meeting held at the Home Extension office building in Caro, and they gave a report.

Plans were made for attending Homemakers' night April 23 at the Gilford Methodist Church and for a spring tour to a glass factory in Ohio and a cruise on the Maumee River.

Quilts and crafts were displayed at the meeting and guest Ila Seurynck made candy nests and Eas-

ter eggs as favors. Next meeting is May 6 at the home of Nel Wald and members were asked to bring small prizes for the volunteer visiting program at Gagetown Senior Manor.

Clare and Jeanne Comment left April 7 for St. Petersburg, Fla., to be with Harry and Dee Comment.

Mr. Comment is ill. Mary and Elma Wald entertained their Elmwood Sewing Circle last Wednesday afternoon.

Gen Kehoe Phone 665-2221

The St. Agatha fish fry Friday was attended by an estimated 400 persons. Some out-of-towners attending were Joy and Pat LaFave, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rocheleau and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rocheleau and daughter of Caro, Helen and Lee Wood of Essexville, Wil and Wen Birch of Bay City, Bill and Marge Bliss, Irene and Steve Kruschko and Frances and Grady Newberry of Cass City, and Jim and Krys Mosack of Flint. The Mosacks spent the weekend

at their home here. Wil and Wen Birch of Bay City and Harry and Gen Kehoe were callers Friday evening at the home of Velma Helwig.

Kindergarten roundup took place last Tuesday at the Gagetown school.

Mrs. Julie Lopez returned April 7 after a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfonzo Salinas, in Benbrook,

Kendra Riehl and Sandra Miller performed with the singing group "Cornerstone" in concert at the Sebewaing Methodist Church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Stella Leyva spent 2 weeks with her sister, Genevieve Rodriquez, in San Antonio, Texas.

New books at the library

AMERICAN EDEN by Marilyn Harris (fiction). The setting is post-Civil War Alabama, where Lady Mary Eden and her husband, Burke Stanhope, have settled. Their 17year-old daughter, Eve, is kidnapped by white supremacists who have been terrorizing the progressive Stanhope family. When Yorrick Harp, head of an allfemale traveling theater group, rescues Eve and smuggles her out of Alabama, intending to make her part of his troupe, the chase is on. Eve's fiance, Stephen Eden, and the Stanhope's general manager, a black man named Paris Boley, pursue Harp across the U.S. While the 2 men fight their way through a variety of desperadoes, Eve is abused in a multiplicity of ways.

DEADLINE FOR A CRITIC by Wm. Kienzle (mystery). The story begins with the sudden death of a vicious critic. Ridley Groendal. His longtime homosexual lover, Peter Harison, testifies that Groendal died after a huge dinner which taxed his weak heart, but Koesler suspects murder. questions several people who grew up with him and the dead man, including their former mates at the seminary where Groendal abruptly gave up studying for the priesthood. Koesler's investigation disclosed the motives for the critic's malicious attacks on innocent victims, whom he blamed for his own failures. As the priest talks to men and women whose lives and careers Groendal had ruined, the shocks proliferate. The strongest occurs in the final, unforeseen disclosure.

SHOW ME A HERO by Alfred Coppel (fiction). Frustrated at the inability of the U.S. government to gain the freedom of our ambassador to Lebanon and his staff, America's most popular actor, Harry Redding, decides to fund a rescue, a la H. Ross Perot. Under the guise of a World War II epic being filmed in Tunisia, Redding hires Maj. K.C. Quary, an Army assault specialist, to lead the operation and organize the force that will strike into Libya, where the hostages are being held near a Russian-staffed nuclear facility. With the assistance of a suspiciously secretive Israeli, Quary gathers an army of soldiers for hire and sets off for the desert, undeterred by numerous obstacles.

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her year in Finland as a tal, Saginaw. His sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kolb of Pon-Rotary exchange student. She spoke of life with her 3 host families, life at school tiac, visited last Sunday. and touched on the Finnish Marge and Leonard Karr economy. During her stay After spending the winter returned home recently after a 4-day visit with their she learned to speak the language. son, Dr. Dale Karr in Bos-Zora Walrod conducted ton, Mass. the short business meeting Last Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Joe Mikduring which a bake sale for April 25 was planned

Max Berry of Saginaw, and Mrs. Elma Miklovich. In celebration of the birthday of Bill Goodell, Mr. and Mrs. Goodell had

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the grandson of Mary Louise Merz of Saginaw Owen-Gage

and a rummage sale for

4 at the home of Evelyn

Randy and Julie Smith

and daughter Ashley of

Belding were callers last

weekend at the home of

Born to David and Lisa

Merz of Keller, Texas, a son, Cory David, Tuesday,

April 7. He weighed 8

pounds and 6 ounces and is

The next meeting is May

June was discussed.

Ziehm.

Alma Wald.

School menu **APRIL 20-24**

MONDAY

Beef Vegetable and Tomato Soup Crackers Salad Bar Apple Crisp

TUESDAY

Spaghetti Vegetable Salad Bar **Croutons** Peaches

WEDNESDAY

Pizzaburger Fries Corn Salad Bar Fruit

THURSDAY

Chicken Mashed Potatoes, Gravy Mushroom Green Beans Salad Bar Jello/Topping

FRIDAY

Tuna Noodle Peas Salad Bar Applesauce

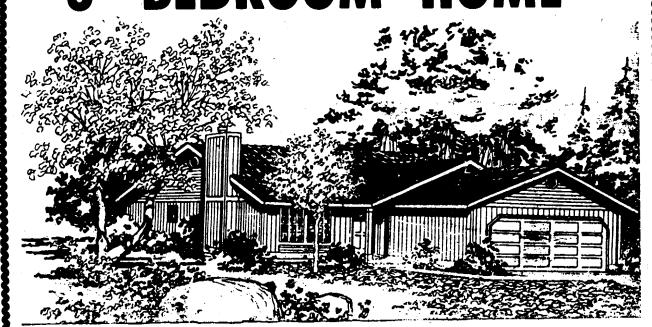
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sponsors program at Owendale

The Owendale Women's Club is sponsoring a Drug and Alcohol program Monday, April 20, in the Owendale High School library. Donna Rees of Hills and

Dales Hospital, Cass City, will present the program. The public is invited to this meeting at 7 p.m.

group met Thursday at the home of Jean Clarke for a potluck lunch at noon. The

It was reported that the

A motion was made by

closing date with U.P.S. has

for curb and gutter on Sher-

to Third Street at 7:00 p.m.

A motion was made by

per to adopt a resolution de-

dicating Maple Circle for

public street purposes. Roll

Call Vote: Weaver-yea.

ported by Trustee Weaver

within the Village of Cass

City. Roll Call Vote: Hop-

per-yea, Stahlbaum, yea,

Davis-yea, Weaver-yea.

Motion carried 4 yeas, 0

Trustee Hopper and sup-

1987. Motion carried 4 yeas,

The Planning Commis-

The manager's report

The Annual Regional

A motion was made by

Meeting for Region VII will

be held April 22, 1987 in

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A motion was made by

Hopper-yea,

Motion

Trustee

ried 4 yeas, 0 nays.

Davis-yea,

nays.

viewed.

Marlette.

Consolidated Report of Condition of CHEMICAL BANK CASS CITY

Authority and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

was reviewed.

Stahlbaum-yea.

carried 4 yeas, 0 nays.

The Regular Meeting of Village Council

The regular meeting of proved as presented. the Cass City Village Counwas held March 30, 1987 at 7:00 p.m. at the Municibeen set as April 15, 1987. pal Building. All Trustees were present with the ex- Trustee Stahlbaum and ception of Trustees Helwig, supported by Trustee Weaver to hold a public McIntosh and Tuttle.

Minutes of the regular hearing to establish a Spe-February meeting were apcial Assessment District proved as presented. Ron Weider of the Boy man Street from Garfield

Scouts of America was present to request that special April 27, 1987. Motion carpermission be given for a B-B gun and archery range to be placed in the park for Trustee Stahlbaum and a Cub Scout Day Camp to supported by Trustee Hopbe held from Aug. 3 through Aug. 6. A motion was made by Trustee Weaver and supported by Trustee Stahlbaum that the permis-sion be granted. Motion - carried 4 yeas, 0 nays.

Thomas Purman, agent A motion was made by for William & Thomas Trustee Hopper and sup-Breakey, Developers, was present to inquire into the to adopt Ordinance #125, possibility of purchasing an Ordinance to establish Village owned property in cable service and systems the southeast portion of the Village for the possible construction of a low to moderate income apartment complex. The budget and finance committee will look

into this matter. The February Financial Statement was reviewed.

Stahlbaum to establish a A motion was made by Trustee Weaver and sup-Public Hearing to consider ported by Trustee Stahlbaum to approve the an application to renew the Cable Television Franchise appointments of Commitnow held by Welbac (fortees and Boards as premerly First Michigan Cabsented by President Davis. levision) for an extended term of ten (10) years to be Motion carried 4 yeas, 0 held at 7:05 p.m. April 27,

A motion was made by Trustee Stahlbaum and supported by Trustee Weaver to purchase a 1987 Caprice police car from sion minutes were re-Chevrolet-Olds dealer of Cass City in the amount of \$11,764.25 plus transfer fees. Motion car-

ried 4 yeas, 0 nays. A motion was made by Trustee Hopper and supported by Trustee Weaver to advertise for bids on the Trustee Stahlbaum and 1981 Chevy Impala upon de- supported by Trustee livery of the new car. Mo- Weaver that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried tion carried 4 yeas, 0 nays.

A motion was made by 4 yeas, 0 nays Trustee Stahlbaum and supported by Trustee Weaver that the bills be ap-

of Cass City Michigan

business meeting was con-**EXTENSION MEETING** ducted by Velma Cleland in the absence of Martha The Greenleaf Extension Keyser. Mrs. Ray Rienelt explained the services of the Sanilac County Health Department.

The group also discussed cooking for 2, accompanied by handouts of recipes after the lesson. The group did a craft project, directed by Jean Clarke. A card and gift were sent to Martha Keyser who had the misfortune to break her wrist re-

cently The May meeting will be held at the home of Donna Walsh. The lesson will be on Michigan Heritage.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dickens and Debbie of Warren were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson and daughters of Homer spent from Sunday evening till Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar. Other Monday and Tuesday guests were Mrs. Bruce Slezak and Kennie of Harper Woods.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Around 12 attended a buffet luncheon and surprise personal bridal shower for Donna Osentoski at the home of Catherine Melnik

in Ubly Sunday afternoon. Donna Osentoski and Ray Pulcer will be married April 18 at St. John's Catholic Church in Ubly.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills were Monday supper and evening guests of Reva Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Cleatus Howey.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland were Wednesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McEachin, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Osentoski, Mrs. Walter Zawilinski and Mrs. Fritz VanErp attended the fish fry at the Bad Axe K of C Hall Friday evening.

Kelly Wallace was a Wed-Joyce A. LaRoche nesday forenoon guest of Village Clerk

_ And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business

Mrs. Alex Cleland, Carol Laming and Annie Pelton.

Holbrook Area News

Keith McTaggart and Mrs. Bryce Hagen were Wednesday visitors at the home of Edanna Sweeney and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena visited Bernard Shagena of Sebewaing and Mrs. Angus Sweeney at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Saturday even-Katie Anthony spent

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday after school at the home of Mrs. Curtis Cleland for Holbrook Helpers

4-H sewing group.
Mr. and Mrs. Larry
Glaza were Monday dinner
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Štanley Glaza. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson visited Mr. and

Mrs. John Walker Wednesday afternoon. PINK AND BLUE SHOWER

Several ladies attended a pink and blue shower Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Curtis Cleland for Mrs. Ralph Hoxie. Mrs. Curtis Cleland made and decorated the cake that centered the table when a lunch was served.

Mrs. Jerry Cleland was in charge of games. Prizes were won by Mrs. Jim Doerr and Mrs. Larry Konkel. Mrs. Hoxie was presented with a corsage and

Guests attended from Detroit, Cass City and Ubly.

Jack Krug was a Tuesday afternoon guest of Lynn Fuester in Cass City. Danny Wietek of Detroit spent the weekend with

Mrs. Louis Naples. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Briolat of Chicago were

Friday forenoon guests of Mrs. Fritz VanErp. Mrs. Cliff Robinson was Thursday overnight and Friday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor, Danny Joe and Shane at

Minden City. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena of Sebewaing and Bertha Shagena of Cass City were Thursday even ing guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Glen Shagena. Bernice Gracey was a Friday lunch guest of Mrs. Allen Hortop in Imlay City and afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Persells in Rochester.

Reva Silver visited Mrs. Jack Walker and Harry Edwards at 4 Seasons Health Care Center at Bad Axe Fri-

Herb Day in Bad Axe

Herb Day will be held Saturday, May 9, at the Bad Axe George E. Greene Elementary School. Herb enthusiasts can attend 3 sessions. The morning session at 10:30 will focus on how to start an herb garden, propagate herb plants and dry them for further use.

Afternoon sessions will be filled with new ideas for using herbs. "Herbal Gifts from the Kitchen" will be demonstrated in the 1:00 p.m. session. Those interested in using herbs or creating herbal food gifts will learn many tips from Gloria Rodammer of the Frankenmuth Herb Soci-

Hobbyists and crafters will want to attend the 3 p.m. session on "Herbs for Use and Delight." Rodammer will share creative ideas and tips on how to make decorations, potpourri and special gifts using herbs.

The Herb Festival is sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service and is open to all interested persons.

The fee for the series is \$5.00 if you pre-register. Individual sessions will be \$2.00 each. To register, mail your check to the Cooperative Extension Service, 104 County Building, Bad Axe, MI 48413. For additional information, contact Barb Neuman, Extension Home Economist, at 269-9949

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The Chronicle

Calvin Hunt came home Monday after spending a week in St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw where he had

undergone surgery.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Briolat in Cass

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson of Caro and Mrs. Cliff Robinson attended the Tiger talent show at Caro High School Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff

Jackson visited Bernard Shagena Abina and Sweeney at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard

Talaski, Florence Andreski of Bad Axe and Dorothy Fisher of Port Austin were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard. Reva Silver was a Satur-

day supper and evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. erald Wills. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena took Charlie Moore of Palms out to din-

ner in Deckerville Wednesday in honor of Mr. Moore's 93rd birthday. Mrs. Cliff Robinson visited Mrs. Angus Sweeney at Huron Memorial Hospi-

tal in Bad Axe Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly visited Earl Moon at the VA Hospital in Saginaw

Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stirrett in

Bad Axe. Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mrs. Alex Cleland Wed

nesday afternoon. Angus Sweeney visited Edanna Sweeney and David Thursday forenoon. Joe Konkel and Dorothy Harris of Bad Axe were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel.

- Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Tuesday

evening guests of Mr. and Sweeney were Tuesday Mrs. Calvin Hunt. Mrs. Calvin Hunt.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Minden City, Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Mrs. Kevin Robinson were among a group who attended a bri-dal shower for Mary Hus-evening guests of Mr. and sey at the Masonic Temple Mrs. Glen Shagena. in Cass City Sunday after-noon. It was given by Sandy Robinson, Gladys Robin-son, Jane O'Gazaly and Shirley Parks and bridesmaids.

Mary Hussey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hussey, and Edward Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, will be married May 9 at St. Pancratius Catholic Church in Cass

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Leslie of Decker were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard.

Paul McKee of Lapeer visited Reva Silver Tuesday afternoon.

Cheryl Shagena Riversdale, Calif., left Tuesday after spending a week with Mrs. Bernard Shagena at Sebewaing and visiting Bernard Shagena at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe.

The Holbrook Helpers 4-H crocheting group met Thursday after school at the home of Mrs. Jim

Julie Koroloski and family of Bad Axe were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff

Jackson were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker. Mrs. Raymond Wallace

was a Monday afternoon guest of Annie Pelton, Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming. McCallum, Fay Lena

and

Edanna

Silver.

Brenda Tyrrell of Kawkawlin spent the weekend Mrs. Kevin O'Connor of with Kathryn Tyrrell. Cheryl Shagena

Riversdale, Calif., and Mrs. Bernard Shagena of

Mrs. Curtis Cleland vis-

ited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt Monday afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Thelma Jackson

Phone 658-2347

Mrs. Bob LePla of Yale was a Tuesday afternoon guest of Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Slezak and Kennie at Harper Woods.





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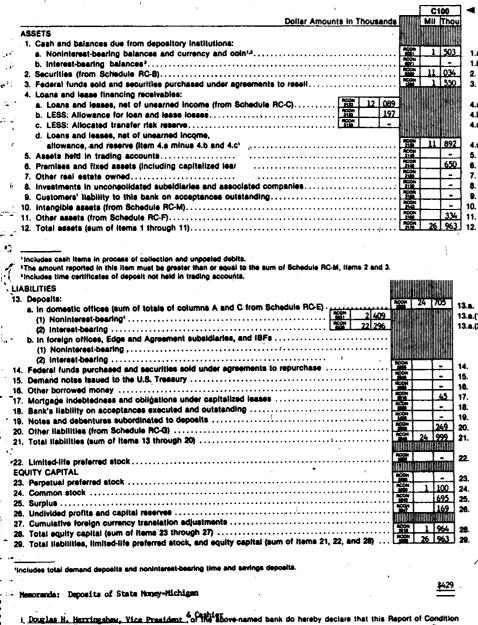
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Deford

Church.

4-H winners

6 district

WCTU holds meet Friday

Mrs. Phyllis Wright was hostess for the first WCTU meeting of the year Friday. Mrs. Beatrice Solan, vicepresident, presided.

Miss Georgia Thompson gave the opening prayer. Nine answered roll call with a scripture verse. Mrs. Ruth Dorman, 8th district WCTU chairman, announced a Spiritual Life Day to be held April 25 at

Community

The lesson, from the Gospel of John, dealt with each one having a purpose in living." Special prayer time was held for members Martha Putnam and Hazel

The group will meet with Marilyn Woodward May 15 at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Wright served a luncheon.

'A contented mind is a continual feast." English Proverb

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m., Monday, April 27, 1987, at the Municipal Building, 6737 Church Street, Cass City, Michigan, on the proposed street improvements and special assessments for curb and gutter to be made on Sherman Street from Garfield Street to Third Street.

> JOYCE A. LaROCHE Village Clerk

Cass City Bowling Leagues

MERCHANTS' "A" April 8, 1987

New England Life **Brentwood** Paul's Urethane Syst. Rabideau Motors **Kingston State Bank** Croft-Clara Lumber Charmont **Best Five** Michigan Livestock **Fuelgas** Kritzman's Cass City Oil & Gas

High Series: R. Geiger 633, S. Fobear 624, D. Miller 611, T. Comment 606, E. Schulz 606, J. Lefler 605, J. Putnam 604, D. Romain 603, J. Mathewson 590, K. Pobanz 587, J. Smithson 587, G. Lapp 586, N. Benitez 578, G. Gagnon 578, D. Gorz 559, J. Burns 553, M. Grifka 550, W. Teets 550.

High Games: J. Mathewson 288, T. Comment 256, S. Fobear 247, R. Geiger 245-212, K. Pobanz 226, G. Gagnon 225-213, M. Mellendorf 224, D. Englehart 223, D. Miller 223, D. Romain 223, G. Lapp 216, N. Benitez 214, J. Putnam 214-214, A. Rug-gles 214, G. Riccardi 213, B.

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> MERCHANTS' "B" April 8, 1987

Winter's Truck Sales D & D Construction Warju Flooring Charmont -**Fuelgas** Spring-Green Cass Tavern Jaycee Clare's Sunoco Herron Builders **Tuckey Concrete** Walbro

High Series: P. Berry 590, M. Lefler 586, P. Harmer Sr. 571, T. Peruski 562, B. Dunn 558, N. Benitez

High Games: M. Lefler 234, P. Berry 221.

> **CHARMONT LADIES** April 7, 1987

Charmont Erla's Colony House Veronica's Live-Wires Cablettes

Truemner Salvage Anthony's Party Shoppe 15 **Cass City Sports** Pizza Villa

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High Team Series: Fort's High Team Game: Erla's

High Series: S. DeLong 529, C. Davidson 524, M. Truemner 501, P. Corcoran 523. M. VanVliet 511, L. Beachy 511. High Games: M. Horne 209, C. Davidson 204.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "A" April 6, 1987

April 6, 1987 Kermit's Crushers Miller Eggs, Inc. Charmont On Strike Blue Water Harvestore 38 Jo Marc Ent. Hogan's IGA The Irregulars J & J Brinkman Farms 30 Kilbourn Tech D & F Signs Pin Missers B.A. Calka Estech, Inc. **Kool Cats** Larry's Car Wash **Bud Bowlers** Cass City IGA 191/2 Kelly & Co.

High Series: N. Willy 613,

10 oz. Fruit & Nut Egg

B. Fischer 605, C. Comment 603, S. Miller 591, V. Peters 587, N. Holdburg 581, D. Doerr 572, D. Miller 572, F. Schulz 568, B. Bader 560, R.

Albrecht 552. High Games: D. Miller V. Peters 236, B. Fischer 226-213, D. Doerr 223, C. Comment 221, B. Albrecht 221, R. Nicholas 217, M. Lefler 215, R. En-

Englehardt 556, R. Nicholas 555, D. Volz 553, B.

M. Diegel 211. High Team Series: B.A. Calka 2906. High Team Hogan's IGA 1059. Game:

glehardt 214, J. Hacker 212,

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "B"

Main Street Auto Shetler Plumb. & Heat. Cole Carbide

High Series: D. Volz 612, V. Peters 568, M. Lutz 553. High Games: D. Volz 241,

M. Mozden 210. High Team Series: Main Street Auto 1907. High Team Game: Kool

Bowler of the week

The Thumb Women's Bowling Association Bowler of the Week for March 23-29 is Connie Swartzentruber with a 578 actual series.

She bowls for the Stamp Pad on the Thursday Night Ladies' League at Crazy Horse Saloon, Ubly

Other 550 and higher series bowled were: Sharon Schornack, 574, Bad Axe Lanes; Florence Penfold, 566, Biff's, Kinde; Wanda Sorrell, 565, Biff's, Kinde; Janet Wehner, 565, Bad Axe Lanes; Carol Majeski, 559, Bad Axe Lanes; Sharon De-Long 557, Charmont, Cass City, and Arlene Becking, 555, Bad Axe Lanes.

Sr. Citizens Menu

Senior citizens are asked to make reservations on the day of the meal between 8 a.m.-9 a.m. by calling Ann Stepka 872-5337.

MONDAY, APRIL 20

Baked Stuffed Pepper with Rice & Beef Cheese Sticks Yellow Wax Beans Salad Bar Variety Bread/Butter **Peach Slices** Milk/Coffee/Tea

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

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FRIDAY, APRIL 24

Easy Lasagna Italian Blend Vegetables Coleslaw Italian Bread/Butter **Favorite Cake** Milk/Coffee/Tea

Menu subject to change.

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MERCHANETTE LEAGUE April 9, 1987

Cass City Sports Hills & Dales Kritzman's Caro Chiropractic Chemical Bank Goslin Farms Walbro Leiterman Builders Miller's Chicks IGA Foodliner Konrad's Bakery Anrod Screen Cyl.

High Team Kritzman's 2392. High Team Game: Cass City Sports 856.

500 Series: N. Wallace 573, L. Selby 557, L. Erla 550, J. Steadman 544, L. Bennett 536, J. Morell 530, L. Leiterman 523, C. Furness 514, A. Henderson 514, J. Walker 501.

200 Games: N. Wallace 219-200, J. Steadman 213, J. Walker 206, L. Selby 204-201, P. Little 203, A. Goslin

FRIDAY NIGHT DOUBLES **End of Second Half** April 10, 1987

Cass City VFW #2 Cass City VFW #1 The Family Hillaker Auctioneers Road Runners Odd Quad Incredibles **Bee Gees** Hollywooders Chums Should A Beens

Men's High Series: D. Wright 586, J. Navarro 581, H. Edwards 580, R. Koch

Men's High Games: D. Wright 236, H. Edwards 221, R. Koch 221. Women's High Series: C. Hewitt 539.

Women's High Game: C. Hewitt 190. High Team Series: KPs

High Team Game: The Family 737.

from county

"Six Tuscola County youth have been selected to compete on the state level in their 4-H program area, says John Wurm, Tuscola County Extension

Youth Agent. These district winners have been invited to attend 4-H Exploration Days at Michigan State University, where they will go through a 2-day process of evalua-

"It is really great to have 6 winners from Tuscola County," says Wurm. The winners are Sean Smith of Caro for public speaking; Kristine Adams of Reese for arts; Dennis Buckmaster of Mayville for poultry; Ryan Brown of Kingston for crafts; Lynnette Lucius of Silverwood for sheep and Mary Lucius, also of Silver-

wood, for gardening.
The youth will attend 4-H Exploration Days for the evaluation to compete for State Awards. The state winners then go on to the National 4-H Congress, which is held annually in Chicago.

Youth come from all over the country to compete for national scholarships and awards. If the youth puts together a quality notebook on their involvement with 4-H, they will increase their chances of that

state award," says Wurm. The youth who set their minds on this goal in the early years of their involvement with 4-H, have a very good chance of winning. The next opportunity for 4-H youth getting involved in this event will be towards the end of this year.



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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Village Council of Cass City will consider on April 27, 1987, at the Municipal Building, 6737 Church Street, Cass City, Michigan, 7:05 p.m. an application to renew the Cable Television Franchise now held by Welbac (formerly First Michigan Cablevision) for an extended term of ten (10 (10) years.

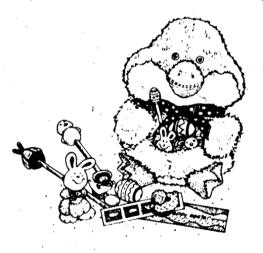
The public is invited to assist the Council in reviewing the performance of Welbac under the existing franchise and to determine the future cable related community needs.

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VILLAGE CLERK

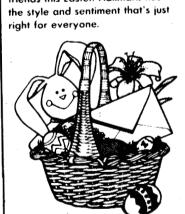
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HEALTH TIPS

Few mentally ill get proper treatment

by Wayne J. Katon, M.D. Associate Professor of Psychiatry University of Washington School of Medicine Seattle

mated 30 million Ameri- problems? cans suffering from mental illness today are getting these are the people who fill proper treatment, accord- their waiting rooms. Some ing to the National Institute studies suggest that up to 50 of Mental Health.

ment can be made availa- by psychosocial rather than ble to the 13 million who biomedical suffer from anxiety disor- Other investigators, howders, including phobias, ever, find that percentage and the 9.4 million who are high. plagued by depressive dis- Mental disorders often the 1.5 million victims of cal complaints, making it schizophrenia can be difficult to distinguish bethelped. Most other disor- ween the two. There is, of ders also respond to treat- course, a biological basis

relieving anxieties and have physical problems. treating phobias. And there

Furthermore patients treating phobias. And there is evidence that even panot readily admit to having tients with schizophrenia ceive adequate treatment.

Why then are 4 out of 5 people who need such treatment not getting it?

The main reason appears to be that they are going to the wrong doctors. Ideally, whether their treatment demands medication, psychiatric counseling or other approaches, patients suffering from mental illness should be treated by Unfortupsychiatrists. nately, most of them are

The truth is that primary care physicians have become the principal provid for the most part, those are ers of mental health services. In the U.S., over onehalf of patients with mental problems are cared for solely by their primary care Severe Depression and Anxiphysicians -- not by psychiatrists. And a 1981 survey of 350 family physicians showed that more stance. than one out of every 5 of their patients had signific that between 20 and 25 perant psychiatric problems. cent of all adults experi-Nonpsychiatrists, in fact, ence at least one clinically write the majority of pre- significant episode of descriptions for psychotropic pression at some point in drugs (agents that exert an effect upon the mind).

that primary care physi- problems frequently incians fail both to diagnose tertwine with depression. most psychiatric disorders and to treat them properly when they are diagnosed. Although major depresoften recognized than any something they face con-

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other mental illness, half to three-quarters of medical doctors who are not psychiatrists nevertheless miss it.

Why then do primary care physicians handle so Only one-fifth of the estimany patients with mental

First of all, it's because percent of visits to general Certainly effective treat-practitioners are prompted problems.

orders. Similarly, many of are accompanied by physifor a great deal of mental Mental health experts illness and, in addition, have a high rate of success many patients with in dealing with depression, psychiatric problems also

can frequently have their finite stigma is attached to psychiatric problems. A desymptoms controlled suffimental illness. Not only ciently well to function in the real world if they redenial on the patients' parts, to the point that they often refuse to seek treatment, but the denial frequently extends even to their families, who refuse to face the problem head-

> Another consideration is that the 6 most common mental health problems primary care physicians have to deal with are 6 in which they have received little or no training: depression, anxiety, obesity, marital discord, alcohol abuse and sexual disorders. It's important to note that, the very same problems that so often are obscured by physical complaints.

ety are Widespread

Take depression, for in-

Some studies indicate ir lives. And although primary care physicians treat about 54 percent of Misdiagnosis a Major Prob- such cases, they still tend to diagnose only about half of them -- in part because a Evidence also suggests wide variety of medical

Anxiety is another disorder most primary care being done at the Univerphysicians have not been sity of Washington School trained adequately to desion, for instance, is more tect or handle, yet it is

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stantly. In a recent study of more than 700 patients seen in a family medicine center over a 9-month period, William W.K. Zung, M.D., professor of psychiatry at Duke University Medical Center in Durham, N.C., found that one of every 5 of them had clinically significant anxiety symptoms.

Complicating matters still further, anxiety attacks are associated with multiple physical symptoms. This is most multiple dramatically the case with panic disorder -- a form of anxiety in which the victim suffers repeated unprovoked attacks of extreme fear accompanied by such physical signs as shortness of breath, chest pain, dizziness and tremors. Often patients with such signs are mislabeled hypochon-

Panic disorder in itself represents a serious medical problem. My studies and those of others have shown that, compared with controls, patients with panic disorder or simple panic have a significantly higher lifetime risk of major depression, multiple phobias and avoidance behavior as well as higher scores on their psychological distress scales.

Other studies shown, unfortunately, that more than half the patients with panic disorder have been treated -- if at all -with inappropriate or ineffective medication. Much the same can be said of depressed patients who fail to seek psychiatric help.

A Lack of Emphasis in Train-

All this is not to say that primary care physicians are poor doctors. Far from it. Their traditional training simply has not prepared them to address mental health problems. A review of the literature on mental health training required in primary care hospital residency programs de-monstrates that relatively little emphasis is given to the treatment of specific mental disorders. Indeed, one-third of practicing primary care physicians feel they need further train-

ing in that area. Among the remedies for this situation is more teaching about the proper use of psychoactive medications and the techniques of psychotherapy.

Such teaching is now of Medicine and at many other medical schools across the country. It is not yet being done, however, in most hospital residency programs, where physicians -- in effect -- get their "advanced training." In most 2-to-3-year programs, in fact, less than a single full day is devoted to this important area.

It's a situation that must be corrected. An awareness on the part of primary care physicians that as many as 20 percent of their patients may have psychiatric problems is a step in the right direction -- but patients must also be made aware that without proper treatment such problems may well contribute significantly to their physical ail-

Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

FIVE YEARS AGO

After 41 years on Main Street, Bernard Ross has decided to retire. He has operated the Federated Store for 41 years. He and his wife Loretta have six children.

The Elkland Township Fire Department should have its new tanker truck in about 4 weeks. The township board Monday evening approved purchase of a stainless steel 3,100-gal-lon tank for the truck, to be constructed by Marcan Industries of Bay City at a price of \$11,146.

Arthur Vogel, at Palms.
Lucille Fleming of
Snover Rd., Decker, has

Evergreen honor roll

*Indicates all A's.

4TH GRADE

Michelle Brown*, Amy Burns, Jill Laming, Lisa Wallace.

Magic show set for April 18

The magic of master magician Doug Irish and Holly will be featured in a show set to begin at 2 p.m. Saturday at Cass City High

sored by the Cass City the event will be used to help purchase a piano, which has been placed at Provincial House for use by nursing home residents.

ble at the door.

Owen-Gage School officials recently announced their school's 3 winners in the 18th annual "America and Me" essay contest, sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance Group.

Carnagie's essay will now advance to state-level competition, from which the top 10 essays in Michigan will be selected. The top statewide winners, who will be announced in early May, will receive plaques and U.S. savings bonds ranging in value from \$300 to \$1,000. In addition, the top essayists will be honored at a banquet in Lansing and at a meeting with Michigan's top governmental leaders in late May.



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tectors has gone up, residential fire deaths have **PIGEON**

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Robinson recently returned Hunter, and Dick Joos, son

homefrom a trip to Florida. of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice

Although Cass City many area chickens and

e opening dual meet for noon when they found 15

swamped Sandusky 99-10 in pheasants Saturday after-

both clubs, Coach Mike young foxes in the back of

Yedinak said that this the old Barnes place west

As expected, Roger Parker troit, is spending the week

led the thinclads with 14 with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn

year's track team is the of Cass City.

points. Jim Rawson was McCullough.

hosts its Spring Community

Banquet at Colony House.

This year's master of cere-

monies will be Bill

25 YEARS AGO

weakest in several seasons.

Chamber president.

second with 11 points.

35 YEARS AGO

Among area school chil-

dren who have measles in

Cass City are Bob Hunter.

Village President Clif-ford Croft has proclaimed

April 21 through April 26

official clean-up and fix-up

in-law, Lyle Dodds, proba-

bly saved the lives of a good

Miss Joan Copeland, De-

week for the village.

TEN YEARS AGO

Lynn Albee, son of Mr. Twenty-five women at and Mrs. Gilbert Albee of tended the Monday evening Cass City, is one of 24 public meeting of the Presbyte- discussion course students rian Women's Association responsible for organizaheld at the church. Mrs. tion of the 1962 Freedom K.I. MacRae reviewed the Forum at Albion College. book "Whatever Became of Albee is a senior at the col-

Kritzman.

Adams..

Mr. and Mrs. Milton The Elmwood Extension Crawford and son Pat of Group met at the home of Caro visited Mr. Craw- Mrs. Ada Salgat April 10. ford's sister, Mrs. Glenn The business meeting was McClorey Sunday after- conducted by Mrs. Anker. oon. Mrs. Gladys Laurie and A full evening is being Alma Wald were appointed planned Saturday, April 23, to secure materials for when the Cass City exhibits for achievement

Mrs. Mary Kirton was an Easter guest of her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs.

been selected as the outstanding volunteer in 1981 for Sanilac County Special Olympics. She has been involved with Special Olympics for handicapped youngsters for 4 years.

Two Cass City men are among 12 county persons newly appointed or reappointed notary public durpointed notary public dur-ing the first quarter of 1962. Frank Butler, who lives on a farm north and west of Listed from Cass City were Cass City, and his brother-B.A. Calka and Duain W. in-law, Lyle Dodds, proba-

Following is the 4th marking period honor roll for Evergreen Elementary

5TH GRADE

Kari King, Sarah Wright.

The show is being spon-

Tickets for the show are available in advance by calling 872-2921 or 872-2244. Tickets also will be availa-

O-G school announces

essay winners

The students, who earned first, second and thirdplace awards are Sarah Carnagie, first; Melissa Copeland, second; and Kathy Wildman, third. All 3 received award certificates for their achievement, while Carnagie's name will also be engraved on a plaque for permanent display at the school.

A team of finalist judges, including Gov. James J. Blanchard and Lt. Gov. Martha Griffiths, will determine the statewide win-



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Sanilac museum

begins new season

torical Society will hold its first regular meeting of the 1987 year April 21 at 8 p.m. in the Museum in Port Sanilac.

One of the goals of this year, according to Lee Cork, president of the society, is not only the preservation of the museum but the continued growth and development of the society itself. A concerted drive is underway to enroll more members from the area-atlarge. Anyone who is interested is invited to the April 21 meeting. Jane Miller, the administrator, is arranging a special prog-

The museum is located at the south end of Port Sanilac on the west side of M-25. It is a 20-room Victorian mansion operated and maintained by the Sanilac

The Sanilac County His- County Historical Society. It was built by Dr. Joseph Loop in the 1870's as a family home and as his medical office headquarters. It is still furnished in the original articles of that day. It was deeded to the society by Captain Stanley Harrison, a colorful sea and lake captain who was the grandson of Dr. Loop.

> Wedding Announcements

> > Invitations

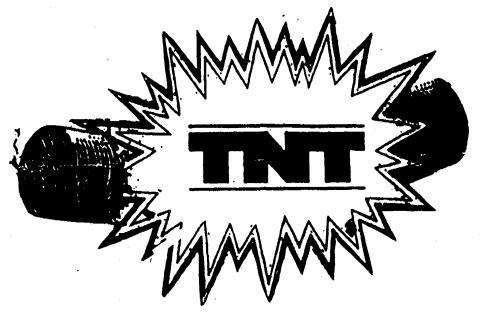
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O-G track teams face depth problems



THE 1987 CASS CITY High School girls' track team. Back row (from left): Julie Hrycko, Kati Scollon, Jeanie Sweeney, Krista Nurnberger, Lisa Nicholas. Middle row: Missy Nicholas, Dennille MacAlpine, Tina Ballard, Connie Profit, Laura Stine, Coach Larry Robinson. Front row: Melessa Osentowski, Candy Heaton, Sue Papp, Julie Auten, Traci Haas.

Boys' track team | Experience is key aims for speed | for girls' team

A lack of depth will force Owen-Gage High School's boys' track team to concentrate on speed this season rather than on distance running and field events.

And, the 8-man squad will be forced to compete this year without veteran coach Richard Glidden, who has been the boys' team mentor for the past 7 years. Glidden, who resigned last week because of "unexpected commitments" indicated that a new coach is expected to be hired sometime this week.

Bulldogs, opened their season Tuesday at Deckerville against Kingston and Deckerville, are few in number. But 3 experienced short-distance runners are back from last year to pace the 1987 team.

Expected to provide

ners; Bill Kuhl and Stu Stirrett, who both specialize in the 440 and 880 relays. In addition, Kuhl is expected to be a force in the 100-yard Senior Ricky Salcido, a second-year track member, will compete in the mile

> and long jumps. Freshman Andre Damm, a sprinter and short-distance runner, also will be a key throughout the season. according to Glidden. "He's one of the hottest prospects we have. He is

relay as well as the high

Note: Veteran

football coach

Arnie Besonen

was hired by the

Owen - Gage

School board

Monday night to

replace Richard

coach of both

the girls' and boys' track

a pair of 4-year letter win-

Glidden

teams.

fast," Glidden remarked. Newcomers Chad Stirrett, Graham Besonen and Brian Abbe, all freshmen; and sophomore Marc Reinhardt, will try to fill some of the long-distance running and field event spots, Glidden said.

The coach predicts perennial league powerhouse Akron-Fairgrove will dominate the conference again this year, with Kingston and Deckerville close be-

"If we could pull out some things, Owen-Gage would be in the middle of the pack," Glidden said.

Fireflies

to Ranger Rick magazine, is still looking for a new fire Photuris species can imitate the flashing signals of other kinds of female fireflies. When tricked males comè to mate, Photuris females eat them!

Experience is expected to help counter depth problems this season for the Owerl-Gage High School girls' track team which, like the boys' squad, recently lost long-time coach Richard Glidden, who resigned.

Glidden, who has coached the girls' team for 8 years, predicted this year's squad will improve by 50 percent over the 1986 team.

The Bulldogs opened their season Tuesday at Deckerville against Kingston and Deckerville.

Despite a lack of seniors, the Bulldogs aren't without

Leading the team this year will be 3-year performer Susie Salcido, who holds the school record in dash, while Stirrett will discus in addition to being take part in the long jump. a strong relay runner. Glidden noted that Salcido also will participate in the hurdle events.

Owen-Gage also is expecting consistent performances from returners Jackie Norcross (shot put, discus), Andrea Mandich

(short-distance runs,)^r jump) and Ashmore (shot put, 88 run). Glidden indicate that junior sparkplug Gin Errer, part of a relay tear which captured the school record in the 440 relay, i questionable in terms c whether she will partic

pate this year. Freshman Brandy Sal cido and junior Ray Lvn Rocheleau are expecte, be the team's distance leau ers in the mile and 2 mile runs, while junior Amy Thies will participate in the 440 and 880 relays.

As in the boys' competi tion, Glidden says he be lieves powerful Akron-Fairgrove will again dominate the North Central Thumb League. "They've got so much depth." coach commented. "I've got a half dozen and they come out with 20 kids.'

Glidden added that the Bulldogs, who bottomed ou 2 years ago and showed sig nificant improvement in 1986, will continue to im-

Boys' and girls' track schedul

April 14 Owen-Gage, Kingston, Deckerville

at Deckerville 21 Owen-Gage, N. Huron, Akron-Fair. at A-F 28 Owen-Gage, Caseville, Peck at Owen-Gage May 5 Owen-Gage, Carsonville/Pt. Sanilac, Pt.

12 Track League Meet at Lakers

Team pictures next week

Twp. meeting uneventful

It was a quick and uneventful night at the Elkland Township board meeting

A light snack: According Norma Wallace, the board

chief, Jerome Root Jr. Root

was the first fire chief for

bers discuss a few more

Elkland Township ap pointed 5 years ago. The board is hoping to make a decision at their next meeting after the fire men and the board m, ..

items, stated Wallace. Two firemen are up for the position, Richard Root and Milt Connolly.



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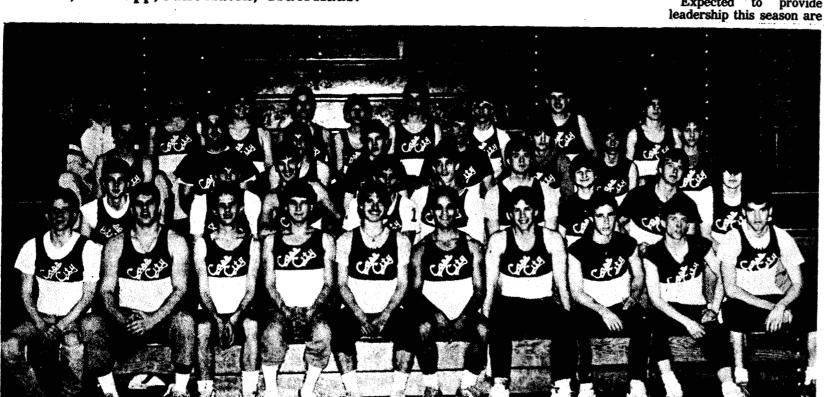
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THE 1987 CASS CITY boys' track team. Back row (from left): Coach Don Markel, Rob Krueger, Brent Morell, Bob Lefler, Scott Marshall, Chris Keller, Tim Rutkoski, Don Smith, Chris Ventline. Second row: George Butcher, Brent Beecher, Randy Woodward, Mike Scollon, Dennis Dadacki, Jason Smith, Brad Bradley, Darryl Wood. Third row: Steve Ross, Bill Profit, Don Herron, Brent Wood, Andy Izydorek, Greg Hanby, Mark Gracey, Jeremy Brown, Al Rosenstangel. Front row: Jeff Lince, Jim Kritzman, Ken Mikolon, Ken Pasanski, Brent Kostanko, Dan Schmaltz, Brett Toner, Russ Auten, Mike Kelley.

Young teams play ball for O-G

Baseball team may be Gutsy and young softball young, but experienced team takes the field

New Owen-Gage High School baseball coach Jim Wissner has his work cut out for him. His task? Orchestrate a

re-building season with one

of the youngest squads in the North Central Thumb League. "We're pretty young," Wissner acknowledged, adding, "We've got a lot of 9th

kids; they've got baseball experience." Owen-Gage will host Port Hope in its season opener Monday before traveling to Carsonville-Port Sanilac

graders, but they're good

April 23. Wissner has 4 returnees from last year's Bulldog team, which finished in the conference cellar after posting a 7-11 mark in 1985. Three of the veterans will be counted on to provide depth on the mound, the coach said.

Junior shortstop-pitcher Chris Abbe; senior pitchershortstop Stu Stirrett; and sophomore pitchers Marc Reinhardt and Dennis Maxwell will provide the nucleus for the 16-man squad,

dominated by 9 freshman. Other players expected to contribute extensively, according to Wissner, who replaces Walt Harrison at the top coaching spot, are freshman first baseman and catcher Chad Stirrett, freshman second baseman Brad Susalla, freshman

third baseman and pitcher Kevin Koch, outfielders Steve Czap (senior), Jay Susalla (sophomore) and Chad Zimmerman (sophomore), and freshmen Brian Abbe and Graham Beso-

> Rounding out the roster are first-year players John Olzak and Terry Thorp, both seniors; freshman Joe Fisher and junior Gary

> Shemko. Wissner pointed out that despite initial starting positions, each of his players will probably contribute at more than one position. "We're going to get a lot of experience for everyone,'

he added. "We're going to be a con-tact team," he remarked about his squad's offensive plans. "We're not going to be a power team. We've got speed, so if we can get on base, we're going to move them up one way or another."

Wissner predicts that last year's top teams, including defending league champ Caseville and runner-up Carsonville-Port Sanilac, will be strong again this year. Akron-Fairgrove and Deckerville also should be

strong, he said. And Owen-Gage? "We're not giving up on this year; we're just going to be looking for better days," Wissner said. "We're trying to gain some experience for gelhardt, who both played

they're gutsy. That's how Judy Porter, coach of the another season. Owendale-Gagetown high school softball team, describes her girls.

The team which has 3 freshmen, 9 sophomores, 2 juniors, and 5 seniors, plans to do better than their middle-of-the-pack record last vear. "There were 'young' mistakes," Porter said about last year's majority freshmen team. "We have an era of kids again that are going to be gutsy and this year's team is going to

Porter has most of her team back, and she said they should have no trouble out in the field. The thing that worries Porter is when her players enter the batter's box. "We have quite a bit of speed for base running, if we can get on base,'

she said. Another area Bulldogs will be working on is pitching. "Pitching is one our weaknesses, we haven't had enough time to practice.

As of April 9, the team had only had one practice, but Porter said the girls will practicing everyday until the opening game

April 20. The team only lost 2 seniors last year, Marcia Lopez and Debbie Ensecond base and center

It's a young team and field. The rest of the Bulldogs are back for

Catcher and shortstop Cindy Enderle will be playing her last season for the team, as well as, pitcher and outfielder Barb Hellebuyck. Another senior, Charlene Goslin, who plays infield, will also be leaving the team at the end of the season. Porter stated that the loss of the 3 will be detrimental to the team.

With such a young team, however, Porter will be able to work with most of the girls for 2 more years. The 2 juniors on the team are a big part of its winning ability. Susie Salcido, who pitches and plays shortstop, and first baseman Janie Billy, will be back with their nonstop energy.

For quickness Porter looks to 2 sophomores who were starting players last year. Third baseman Angie Bolzman and Andrea Mandich, who is vying for second base, have the speed and agility to make them the team's top base steal-

other starters, Two sophomores Dawn Holland, who plays outfield and catcher, and outfielder Tonya Haldane are also part of the nucleus of players that returned to the team this year.

Porter thinks the team to

beat this year will be Peck, which she says is the strongest team of the North Central Thumb League. She said that in all reality her team will probably break even again this year,

> end of the season. The Bulldogs start off the season on their home turf with a game against Port Hope on April 20 at 4 p.m.

but she would be happy if

they were in the top half of

the league standings at the

Schedule

All games start at 4 p.m. 20 Pt. Hope

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> leyan Deckerville Caseville Kingston Akron-Fair. A

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Obituaries

Dorothy Ballard

A 70-year-old Cass City woman described as being a good mother who enjoyed close family relationships died April 7 at her residence following a lengthy illness.

Funeral services for Dorothy C. Ballard, 4698 Huron St., were held Saturday afternoon at the First Presbyterian Church of Cass Čity.



Ballard was born Feb. 4. 1917, in Lakewood, Ohio, the daughter of John and Jessie (Frommyer) Luthi. She first came to Michigan to attend the University of Michigan, where she graduated from the College of Architecture.

While attending school, she met Dr. James H. Ballard, a medical student at the time. The couple, who were married June 28, 1941, in Lakewood, settled in Cass City 5 years later.

Ballard was preceded in death by her husband on April 30, 1982.

Aside from family get-to-gethers, Ballard kept busy as a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Cass City Zonta Club, Saginaw Bay Yacht Club, American Association of University Women and Hills and Dales -General Hospital Auxiliary.

She is survived by 4 daughters, Mrs. Ralph (Dorothy) Bahna of Stamford, Conn., Mrs. James (Katherine) Scharl of Clarkston, Mrs. Daniel (Jane) Lyons of Homestead, Fla., and Mrs. Daniel (Barbara) Montgomery of Chelsea; 3 sons, James Bal-Chelsea; 3 sons, James Ballard of Chicago, Ill., John Ballard of Cass City and Employed at the former lard of Chicago, Ill., John Steven Ballard of Homes- A&P and Economy martead, Fla., and 14 grand- kets in Cass City. She was

Eugene Frank of Prince-

ton, New Jersey. The Rev. Harry Capps of-ficiated at the funeral ser-day at First Presbyterian vice. Burial was in Elkland Township Cemetery.

to Sloan Kettering Cancer ery.

Memorials may be made

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Harry Comment

Harry Vincent Comment, 79, a lifelong resident of Gagetown, died Saturday, April 11, at Humana Hospi-tal in St. Petersburg, Fla., efter a lengthy illness after a lengthy illness.

He was born April 15, 1907, in Gagetown, the son of Frank and Henrietta (Proulx) Comment. He Miss Dolores Freeman Oct. 28, 1933, in Amanda Gagetown, where they made their home. A crop farmer, he was a member of St. Agatha Catholic Church of Gagetown.

He is survived by his wife, Dolores; one son, Comment Gagetown; 3 grandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Neoma Rieck of Unionville. Two sisters, Irene and nieces and nephews. One brother, Harvey, and 2 sis-

A prayer service was scheduled Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. at Little's Funeral held Sunday at Little Home, Cass City.

be conducted Wednesday at cal Free church of Cass
11 a.m. at St. Agatha City, officiating.
Catholic Church of Burial was in Elkland Gagetown, with Rev. Julius Cemetery.

A. Spleet officiating.
Interment will be in St. Agatha Cemetery.

Laura Lenzner

Laura M. Lenzner, 79, Bad Axe, died Tuesday, April 7, at McKenzie Memorial Hospital, Sandusky, after a long illness.

She was born May 16, 1907, in Elkland Township, daughter of the late Fred and Mary (Schwegler) Jaus.

She married Dr. Gray F. Lenzner Oct. 25, 1940, in Geneva, Ohio. He preceded her in death Nov. 2, 1961.

Mrs. Lenzner attended the Wright Rural Elemenchildren. Others are one a librarian at Bad Axe Pub-

sister, Mrs. James Miller of LaJolla, Calif., and one sister-in-law, Mrs. A. sbyterian Church, Bad Axe. Surviving are a number

of cousins. Church. The Rev. David Dively, pastor, officiated. Bu-

to the First Presbyterian Church, Bad Axe.

Verneta Linderman

Miss Verneta Linderman, 68, a lifelong resident of Evergreen township, died Thursday, April 9, at her residence.

She was born June 4, 1918, in Evergreen Township, the daughter of Jacob and Amanda (Roddenberg) Linderman.

Miss Linderman had been employed by Walbro Corporation for 26 years, retiring in 1980.

She is survived by 4 brothers, Fred Linderman of Decker, Roy Linderman of Sandusky, James Lin-derman of Cass City and Nelson Linderman of Fowlerville, and a number of ters, Edna and Hazel, pre-

Funeral services were held Sunday at Little's Funeral home with Rev. Eldred Funeral services were to Kelley, pastor of Evangeli-

Nancy Stokes

Services were held Monday for Nancy M. (Heckroth) Stokes of Pittsburg, Texas, who died Thursday, April 9, following a long ill-

She was born Sept. 29, 1948, in Fond Du Lac, Wis., the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Paul Heckroth.

A graduate of Cass City
High School, she married Jack Stokes in 1968 at Pittsburg, Texas.

Survivors are her husband, 2 sons, Derrin and Brian, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Heckroth of Deford. Others are 3 sisters, Mrs. Jeff (Janice)
Tuckey of Cass City, Karen
of Lennon, MI, and Paula, at home; 4 brothers, Ronald and Daniel, both of Cass City, Randall of Caro and Timothy of Lennon, and grandmothers, Mrs. Mae Salzsieder of Oshkosh, Wis., and Mrs. Adeline Webb of Chicago.

4 area students make dean's list

Four/area residents have been named to the dean's list at Northwood Institute in Midland for maintaining a 3.0 grade point average

Brian Gyomory, David Purvis and Matthew Purvis, all of Deford, and Laurie Louis of Gagetown.

Northwood Institute is a private, co-educational, accredited college college specializing in practical career preparation in busi-

Mailing out income taxes

Early or late?

Wednesday at midnight is the due date for filing income taxes, and some people, who waited until the last minute, will be scrambling to get their forms filled out in time, while others, who played it safe, will be sitting back in their easy chairs watching

Johnny Carson. Everyone has his own special system for filling out and mailing in tax forms. Some mail early so they can get the refund sooner, while others, who owe money to the government, will wait to the last possible minute so they can collect interest on the money they have in the

Harold Adams, a Cass City resident who works for Saginaw Steering Gear, is an early bird. "I usually get them in right away, especially if I think I'm going to get something back," he

Village resident Ronald Jamieson is on the other side of the tracks, saying he waited until April 14 before he sent out his forms. "We owe a lot of money," he said and he wants it to collect as much interest as possible

before he has to pay the government. "We made more money this year than the IRS (Internal Revenue Service) pounding on my door." we figured," Jamieson added.

Renee L. Hill is a happy medium between these 2 extremes. Hill said that she sends in her forms in the middle of March, and her reasoning for this is sound. When I first get it (the form), it's a while before the deadline and I get to ride a little bit. Then in March, I think, I have to get this in and I could really

use the money (from the refund)," Hill chortled.
Shirley Shaw also waits until March to mail her tax forms. However, she said she has to wait for some investment forms which usually don't come until early March, before she can get the tax forms filled out. Frederick Bachman, an area businessman, said he too has to wait for business papers to come in before he can mail off his forms in March.

All the residents interviewed said that they have someone else fill out their forms. "I'm afraid of making a mistake and that's why I have someone else do it," said Hill. "I don't want

Jamieson doesn't have to leave home to have his forms filled out. His wife, Valerie, is a certified public accountant. "I really don't have to worry about the forms," Jamieson said. But Jamieson is the lucky

one, most people have to hire someone to fill out the forms. Some don't attempt to fill the forms out because they are complicated. "They (the forms) could be much easier," said Adams. Bachman agreed, adding, "The whole tax system could be simpler."

Hill said she doesn't think the forms are too complicated, but she doesn't want to risk making a mistake that may cost her money. Shaw agrees. "Some of the investment forms are a little complicated, the others are pretty good. I used to do them," she added. Those who sent in their

forms early this year, and didn't owe on their taxes, are enjoying their refunds, while the others impatiently wait, already having the refund divided a hundred ways.

Letters to the editor

Brother's name left out of memory lane

Dear Editor:

In regard to the Feb. 18th issue of the Cass City Chronicle, "Down Memory to the "25 years ago" portion in your paper, and not know I always will. to sound too critical, isn't it quite common, or even journalistic courtesy, to refer to a person by their first name?

Good news or bad news, usually for all the years I've been reading your paper, people being addressed in articles of interest, are rec-ognized on a first and last name basis.

Yes, it made me feel proud all over again to have memories refreshed about the extraordinary game, played by the Cass City
Junior High basketball
team, when they defeated
Sebewains 55-1. I do not reDear Editor,
In this 150th year call another team ever per- In this 150th year of forming such a feat! But I Michigan's statehood, Cass was a little disappointed City and its surrounding that my brother's first community can be proud name was omitted, as he that it has been a part of was the top scorer in the that history. Although Cass game with 13 points. It was City is not yet itself 150 game with 13 points. It was City is not yet itself 150 also not a coincidence that Al Wallace, who scored 12 points, was his best friend throughout their entire sports' careers, and life in general City is not yet itself 150 years old, it does have a history of its own. This history is important to those of us who live here. It is also important to those who have lived here

coach was none other than documents, pictures, arti-Irv Claseman, who also di- cles, letters or hand-merected many varsity basketball championships.

I, as well as many others,

have often wondered what it would have meant to this group of gifted and talented Junior High kids, to have the opportunity to play for Irv Claseman on the varsity level. Unfortunately, Mr. Claseman moved away before they reached their po-The Lord in Heaven also

called my brother away

several years ago. By the way, if someone would happen to ask you in the future who the "Schember" was Lane" column, I could not help but notice, in my opinion, a slight but very important mistake. In reference have a first name, and I'm sure they'll remember. I

In all due respect - a

Rinerd Schember History

committee

In this 150th year of have lived here.

We would like to capture It might also be noted that those kids were also undefeated in all sports actually a sport actually and the sport actually and the sport actually and the sport actually are going to accomplish tivities, until they reached varsity status. Also, in case many people don't remember, the Junior High coach was none other than documents nictures ortions. down stories that pertain to the interest, growth and development of our community, we would like to hear from you.

If you have any such in-formation that you are willing to share please take it to the Rawson Memorial Library. We promise to return it to you.

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Senator wants May 30 as Memorial Day

Citing a need to restore a proper tribute to Michigan veterans, state Senator James Barcia (D-Bay City) April 9 reintroduced legislation that would return the Memorial Day observance to May 30, rather than the fourth Monday of May.

"Memorial Day was never intended to be a recreational holiday," Barcia said. "I am urging my Senate colleagues to return the practice of honoring the sacrifice of our veterans on 'their day,' instead of any Monday that creates a convenient long weekend for

vacationers."
In 1971, Michigan joined most states and the federal government in changing the observance of the Memorial Day holiday from a fixed date to the

fourth Monday in May. 'Memorial Day was intended as a time to allow families to pay tribute to those loved ones and individuals who sacrificed their

lives so that we could live

in freedom. It was not de-

signed to simply allow us to have a leisurely three-day weekend," the Bay City Democrat remarked. Barcia introduced the

same bill during the 1986 legislative session. His proposal passed the Senate by a 33 to 2 vote, but stalled in the House State Affairs Committee. The House of Representatives attempted to force the bill out of committee with a "discharge motion" which narrowly failed on a vote of 49 to 49. "It was through the intense efforts of the VFW and the VFW Auxiliary that this rare procedural motion almost succeeded," Barcia noted.

"As was the case last year, there will be intensive lobbying by recreational and tourism pressure groups to defeat the bill," Barcia continued. "Despite last year's setback, I remain optimistic that eventually this important legislation will be signed into



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ram on Denmark. A busi-

with the subject "Silent

Plans were made for a mother-daughter dinner May 9 and also for a mystery trip June 20.

Next month they are inness meeting followed. vited to the Trinity Chur Betty Kirn had devotions for a 6:30 supper May 4. vited to the Trinity Church



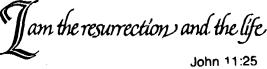


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folks dress up in their finest spring frocks and go to church to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ. It's when families get together for dinner and talk about old times while the kids hunt for hidden eggs. But like Christmas, many feel that Easter is becoming too commercialized.

Teresa Williams, 32, 5862 VanDyke Rd., and her 4-year-old son, Jacob, differ on their views of how they celebrate the holiday. Williams said that on Easter morning they go to church and then go to her family's

house for dinner. Jacob, on the other hand, said Easter means getting "candy from the rabbit." The rabbit is otherwise known as the Easter bunny. Jacob said his favorite

Easter Sunday is when candy is gum, but he does enjoy biting the ears off the chocolate Easter bunnies he gets in his basket.

When asked if Easter is more of a commercial holiday than a religious holiday, Williams nodded. "People tend to forget what Easter is really about."

Williams said that chil- 1978 MIDAS motor home, dren need to be taught the 28,000 actual miles. Call real reason for Easter and 673-2494. asked her son if he remembered what she said about FOR SALE - 1983 98 Oldsthe holiday. Jacob thought for a bit then smiled, "God died on the cross.'

Williams was born in Cass City, but moved away for 12 years with her husband who was a general contractor. Her husband got a job with General Telephone and they moved back to the village 2 years ago.



Cass City sets kindergarten roundup

Cass City School officials should register from 1 to 3 ecently announced registrecently announced regist-ration dates for the annual kindergarten roundup for all children who will be at least 5 years old before Dec. 1 and are planning to attend school in the fall.

Campbell Elementary
School's registration for
rural children will be held from 6:30 to 8 p.m. April 28, and for town children from 4 to 5:30 p.m. April 29. Deford Elementary School's registration will be from 9 to 11:30 a.m. April 30, while Evergreen Elementary School kindergarten pupils

them to registration. The state requires a preschool vision and hearing test for children. Clinic dates for Deford and Campbell Elementary pupils have been set for May 21 and 22 at the Campbell School. Also, children will be screened for possible speech problems. Evergreen Elementary students, meanwhile, will be tested by the Sanilac County Health Department beginning at 8:30 a.m. May

Parents must register

their children and submit a

birth certificate and up-to-

date immunization record before their children will

be admitted to kindergar-

ten, according to Campbell

School Principal Jac-

queline Freiburger, who added that parents should

take these records with

Cass City has 2 develop mental kindergarten rooms. Appointments will be made to test all children, especially those with summer and fall birthdays. Freiburger said. She added that children are selected for the developmental kindergarten program

through the testing. Freiburger urged parents unable to attend on scheduled registration dates to contact the school

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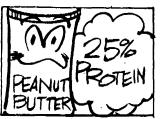
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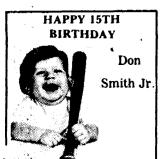
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118 ACRES in Ellington township - 3 bedroom home; large barn; harvestore silo, etc.

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rented at \$13,000.00 for 200 acres; SELL 235 TILED ACRES with no buildings for \$117,500.00 on land contract or will TRADE for smaller FARM — ALL OFFERS CONSIDERED!!!!

111 ACRES ON M-53 - choice hunting and recreational land - Florida owner wants quick

sale - asking \$35,000.00. Will hold land contract. WE HAVE SEVERAL FARMS, BUSINESSES FOR SALE - not shown here.

HUNTING LAND-ALL SIZES & PRICES

Taking stock

By Bill Myers



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page 2: Quote: "Beginning in 1950, the rate of inflation in this country moved steadily higher for over 30 years. Sure, there were brief interruptions here and there. But, by and large, the inflation rate marched upward and onward to new

Then Weiss tells you to look at their graph on page 4, titled "The inflation rate has plunged..

The graph starts in 1960 (not '50 as referred to on page 2) and shows an inflation rate for the next 5 years running between 7/10ths of 1% to slightly under 2%, 1960-1965.

This is "steadily higher with brief interruptions"? If the graph had gone back to 1958 it would have shown the same level of under 2% inflation. Actually, it was the longest stretch of level prices in the history of America, from 1958 to 1965.

Then the inflation graph shows a drop from 1970 to '73 of 6% to 3%. From '75 to '78 it dropped from 12% to

Under Carter it soared to 15% in 1980. From then to the end of 1986, with 2 little jogs upward, it dropped to 1%. In 6 years it plunged from 15% to 1%. This is "steadily higher"? This is a "brief interruption"?

Of such stuff are \$85 a year market letters made.

Petersburg stockbroker and columnist, Mel Burko, recommended to a reader, who was 65, that he take the \$100,000 CD he had on hand and buy himself an annuity.

Berko said it would pay him \$11,928 the rest of his life. This was last summer when good corporate bonds were yielding 10%, or \$10,000 a year on his

\$100,000 nest egg. So the fellow would get nearly \$2,000 more a year during his lifetime, but that would be it. There'd be none left for his heirs when he departed this mortal coil. Just put into a good fixed income investment, such as the 19% bonds then on the market, would let him live off the income, without disturbing the principal. One of the disadvantages

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a spendthrift son made a gift to the young man that can't be spent by him until the father dies.

The gift consisted of some zero coupon bonds, taxexempt, so no report need be made each year to the government. He opened a joint account in his name and the son's name, giving his own (the father's) address so he gets the broker's statements. The broker asked for only one Social Security number, so the son's was used.

Since no tax is involved, there's no evasion. When the father dies, the account automatically is the sole property of the son. No probate, no estate tax, since the gift each year is \$10,000

It amounts to enforced savings for many years for the beneficiary. It avoids the cost of setting up a trust, and is simple for the father to manage.

A lawyer could nitpick the thing, I suppose, but it looks like a pretty good solution to me. It couldn't cause much trouble, because there is no income tax due anyhow, since the income is zero until the bonds are sold, or mature.

Of people who talk to me. a common problem they have in giving money to children and grandchildren is that the gift will often be spent foolishly. There's no easy way to prevent this, except by tying up the funds for a while. The hope is that the young one will get more sense as the years go by. Meanwhile, the donor has run their gifted funds for them, and at least postponed the day when the money will be gone with the

Bill Myers is a retired editor and investment counselor.

DSS petition drive falls way short of goal

Continued from page one. that the taxpayers will still be paying for the building through state taxes. Thurs-

day Liebler said that he had more than 3,900 signatures. Liebler could not be reached for comment after the signatures fell short. The new building is to be erected between the Medi-

cal Care Facility and the Intermediate School District complex in Caro.



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EMPLOYEES AT Provincial House, Cass City, stood in the rain Sunday to pass out flyers presenting their views in stalled contract negotiations with Beverly Enterprises, which owns the facility. From left, Sally Hubert, Cora Remsing, Sally Carb and Paula Yax.

Contract negotiations

Nursing home employees air frustration, demands

Continued from page one. what she called inadequate

staffing, saying that there should have been 7 aides and 2 nurses on staff Saturday night, but there were only 4 aides and 2 nurses on

Carb, who estimated about 110 residents at the facility, added, "And this happens all the time--at least twice a week.'

"If (an aide) calls in and can't be replaced, they'll ask one of the afternoon girls to stay 4 hours later," she said about staff shortages on the midnight shift, for example. "And they'll ask 3 or 4 of the day girls to come in an hour early.'

DIFFERENT STORIES

verly Enterprises' Eastern Division, indicated on Monday that staffing levels at Provincial House are being maintained at proper levels.

'We're staffed basically at the state minimum or better. In Cass City, the levels are 2.25 per hour per patient or better," he said. Regarding wages, Harri-

son declined to give any details on specific proposals, but stated that existing pay levels are "fair from the standpoint of. . .the industry." Currently, he added,

the average wage of nurs- that the company is ignoring union concerns.
"I think we've been giving home employees is \$3.75

"Wages are based on ing them serious considerawhat we're getting from the state and what we believe we can afford," Harrison ontinued. Hampton, meanwhile, He explained that 65 to 75 disagrees. "It doesn't apcontinued.

percent of the company's business involves reimbursements from the state and federal governments. "They set the standards

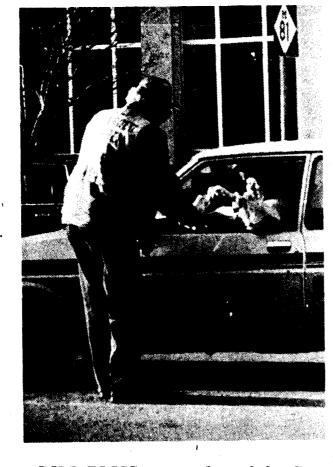
and, to a great extent, the wages," he said. Harrison noted that last year's Medicare reimbursement increase of 2 percent reflects a trend of lower increases in such funding.

Harrison acknowledged higher costs for health insurance, but added that the company hasn't increased rates for 3 years. Currently, Dave Harrison, director the company pays-75 per-of communications for Be-reent of premiums, and employees pay the remain-

ing 25 percent.
"The problem is the rising cost of health care," he remarked, adding that the rate increase, which took effect Jan. 1, was based on seniority, with persons with less than one year on the job being charged higher rates than employees with more than one year of ser-

"The rate increase, in reality, if you have more than one year of service, is \$1 per month," he said.

Harris disputed claims



BILL BLISS, a member of the Cass City-Gagetown chapter of the Knights of Columbus, accepts a donation from a motorist to help raise money for retarded children. The donation drive, which was state-wide, was held April 10 to 12.



Funding in county is jeopardized

Funding for operation of then distributes government public ser-amount vices and schools in Tus- townships, school districts cola County is being seri- and other units of governously jeopardized by an un-ment within the county. The expected development at borrowing is repaid by the the federal Internal Re- County Treasurer as she

county's financial consulto pay back the notes. tant, that this new development has caused the post- program, even for a few ponement of the sale of the months, will have serious county's General Obliga- detrimental effect on the tion Limited Tax Notes, cash flow for all units of

Michigan cities, a concern lay off personnel or otherwas raised by the IRS that wise reduce their operating interest on those notes budgets, because taxes might no longer be considered tax exempt. It was further suggested that in-terest on county-issued General Obligation Limited Tax Notes also might not be considered tax exempt.

As a result, no bond counsel in Michigan is currently willing to issue the necessary legal opinions in connection with the delivery of such notes. Therefore, Tuscola County's sale of notes has been cancelled until its bond counsel, Dykema. Gossett, Spencer, Goodnow & Trigg, can obtain clarifi-cation of the position of the

he commented.

"We've been negotiating

pear the company is taking

the union seriously," he

Hampton, who stated

that the company has of-

fered raises of as much as

6 cents an hour, added that

a strike hasn't been ruled

out. However, he pointed

out, "we want to do every-

thing that is humanly possi-

ble to settle" before resort-

ing to a walkout.

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when they want to."

said.

The tax notes in question are sold to provide dollars that go into the county's 100% Tax Payment Revolving Fund, established a number of years ago. Under this program, the county borrows an amount equal to the amount of real property taxes that are delinquent as of March 1. It

venue Service, according to collects the delinquent County Treasurer Elgene taxes. Many counties will not be able to issue these Treasurer Keller said she tax notes unless they rehad been informed by John main tax exempt because R. Axe, president of Munic-interest rates on the notes ipal Financial Consultants would have to be increased Incorporated (MFCI), the beyond the counties ability

which had been set for April government within the 0. county," said Treasurer
Axe said that, in an unreKeller. She said that, if the lated situation dealing with suspension continues for Consolidated Tax Anticipa- more than 2 months, it may tion Notes issued by some cause some units to have to against which these units are borrowing will not be collected in full until 1990.

> Treasurer Keller said the

Michigan Association of County Treasurers will be spearheading an effort to gain relief from this impasse through Congressional action.

Last year Tuscola County borrowed \$4,500,000 by issuing General Obligation Limited Tax Notes, a process that is unique to Michigan.

O-G School board requests more millage

Continued from page one Manuel Thies presented programs for the upcoming Baccalaureate and graduation ceremonies, set for May 17 and 21, respectively. Cass City resident Michigan Farm Bureau President Jack Laurie is the scheduled commencement speaker. he announced.

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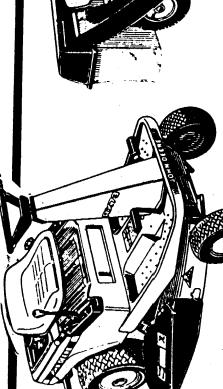


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ing it over charcoal on grills, or on stone hearths. Permanent ovens have been found among the ruins of Pompeii. The manuscripts of the Mid-

dle Ages reveal boiling and broiling were the two most common methods of cooking then. Bread was often baked in an oven resembling a beehive. Such ovens were found only in the great houses of the wealthy or in public bakeries.

The Romans, who were famous for their banquets, prepared food by cook-

Rose finishes new home and relai

When her husband died a year and a half ago, Rose Guinther had to make a big decision: should she finish the house they had started in the summer of 1985 or stay in her Cass City home? She chose to finish the

The decisions didn't stop there. "Most men would know a lot of the things that' I had no idea about," said Guinther. "It would have been much simpler for me to stay in the house in

When asked if she regrets finishing the house, Guinther smiled and shook her head. "No, but if it hadn't been started, I would never have had the nerve to do it." Guinther and her hus-und owned the 5-acre lot

for 11 years and started building after their 3 sons were grown.

When her husband died, only the outside of the house was completed. "With the

help of friends and relatives I did it (the inside) myself," Guinther said.

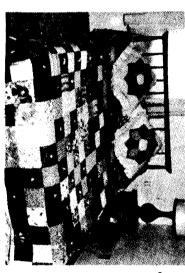
The Guinthers drew up the blueprints themselves, but she said sometimes even those didn't help, especially when it came to the electrical wiring. "I didn't have everything set in my mind," she said. When the electricians were doing the wiring, she had to tell them where she wanted all the lights and sockets for the house. "They kept saying, 'Are you sure you want it there?'"
Guinther said it was much cheaper to build the house herself than hire a contractor. She said the house cost somewhere in the area of \$40,000, but the house cost somewhere in the area of \$40,000, but through a continuous would have cost

contracto

The decisions were never-ending for Guinther. "People don't give you enough information. They take it for granted that you

know. I had no idea what kind of water pump I needed for the well. I've learned a lot. I've learned what I don't know. But you have to make the decisions,

The one thing she has learned through her experience was to be patient. "No one comes when they say they will. There were several times when I had only one other person helping me. When the dry wall came, Guinther carried most of it in by herself. "I only had to go to the chiropractor once," she laughed. The house, located on Cemetery Road, is almost complete. Guinther said all Please turn to page 3.



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Built-in buffet: Consider creating a built-in buffet with shelves to hold china and linens. An attractive laminate or tile countertop is perfect for serving buffet-style. And wall cabinets with stained-

 Corridors: In uneven or extra-wide hallways, cabinets keep everything from extra towels to vacuum cleaners out of sight but handy. Use open shelving above base cabinets for a mini-library. For more information on he nize your entire home with

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The non-profit, member-supported gardening organization sponsors a national survey that each year quantifies gardening in America.

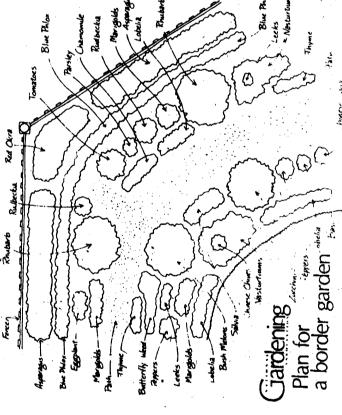
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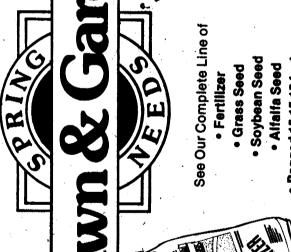
three years, averaging about 400 square feet in size compared with 600 square feet in the first three years of the '80s. According to the National Gardening Survey, the size of the typical home vegetable garden of America's gardening households has decreased in the last At the same time, some 10 million households that do not have a vegetable garden are growing some food in containers, on patios and rooftops, in windowboxes and in border plantings.

"With the right planning, informat and plant varieties, gardeners are find they can grow some vegetables a flowers even if they don't have back y space." said Charles Scott, president the National Gardening Association.

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bushes, strawberry plants and rhubarb. She also plans to grow tomatoes, melons and pickles in her garden this summer. only thing she has been working on. During the past 11 years, she and her hus-band planted raspberry

Only the stairs and deck in the back of the house, are left to finish on Rose Guinther's new home

Rose Guinther made one of the biggest decisions of her life when she decided to finish the house on North

Cemetery Road, after her husband

cooked for the guys," she said. Guinther still goes up to the cabin, but not as much as she would like to. She said she has been a little busy for the last year or

cuinther said one of her favorite features of her new home is her kitchen-living room combination. "Whatever house I've lived in, people congregate in the kitchen," she evel "Because it's an open room (in the new house), when

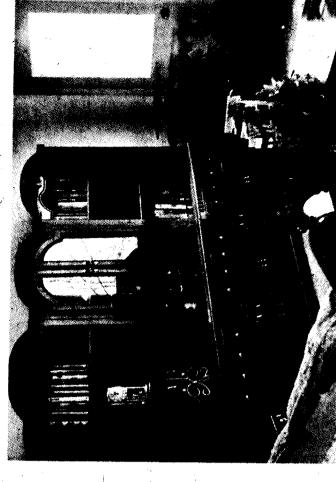
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A WOOD WALL unit adds a rustic look to Guinther's living room. The back door leads to the creek, one of the reasons the Guinthers bought the land 11 years ago.

PAGE THREE

In back yard

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20-foot deck will

complete new home

sits in almost perfect seclusion. "You can hear the cars on the road now," Guinther said, "But in the summer the leaves block out the noise." Continued from page 2.
that's left are the finishing
touches. When the warmer
weather comes, she plans
to build an 18 to 20-foot deck
that overlooks the creek in
the back of her house. Also
the steps and the trim still
need to be done.

house isn't the

basement is a practice studio for one of her sons and his band. On a short tour of the house, she stated that this was the second house she and her husband have built.

The house has 2 bedrooms and a bathroom. The

Her newest project is Christmas trees. For the past 10 years, a neighboring farmer planted her small field with corn, but this

When they bought the land, they also bought a 2- acre lot up north in Mio where her husband and his friends built a cabin. "I cooked for the guys," she

field with corn, but this summer she is getting 1,000 Christmas trees from the state to plant.

you're cooking you can still talk to the people in the liv

ing room."
She also likes the window in the living room that faces the creek, but adds, "anyone near water would have a window like that."
She said that when they first bought the land, they had fallen in love with it, especially in the summer time. Trees surround the back of the house along the creek and hide the home

from the road a few hundred yards away. The neighbors' houses are neighbors' houses are barely seen across the fields in front and the house

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age interest rate for most payment and the number of years of the loan.

According to 2 bank officials, the most popular was the best year ever for mortgage was the 5 year balloon mortgage, which tion costs for residential must be refinanced at the work were \$638,000. The end of the specified time.

Bank officials all agree that the rates probably won't decrease any further and that they are starting to level out.

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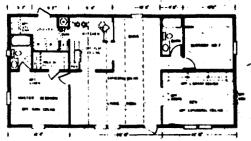
Construction on new homes took off like a rocket last year as 11 new housing permits were issued for construction inside the village limits. In 1985 there were only 3 new houses built, one fewer than in

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"1986 was our busiest mits has to do with the growth of business in the Industrial Park. "The expansion of Walbro has of the banks was 9 percent, brought more people into down from 11 percent in the area," he said. Another 1985. Interest rates vary factor adding to the inwith the size of the down crease is retired farmers and city people moving into the village.

LaPonsie stated that 1986 the village since construcconstruction cost figure is based on the estimates given by home builders on their permits. "We are

though there was one less summer. permit issued than in 1985. The construction cost for additions was \$83,705 with 28 permits issued. The preissued with a total cost of

\$103,000 \$250,000 in 1985.

looking for a continuation will be a good year, espe- Caro, and the building of a of it," LaPonsie said. He cially for industrial per-

Village Manager Lou village got to matching the the projects already lined LaPonsie said that most of construction costs of last up are planned additions to the increase in home per-year was in 1976, when esti-Marshall Distributing Co. mated costs were \$440,000. and Walbro, while United There was a rise in resi- Parcel Service is planning dential renovation costs, al- to build a new building this

AREA BUILDERS

Since the village has had vious year 29 permits were one of its best years in construction, so have some of the area builders. Tom Her-Although in both 1985 and ron of Herron Builders said 1986 there was only 1 indust- that 1986 was an excellent rial permit issued, there year and he owes it largely was a big drop in the cost. to the lower interest rates.

Last year's costs were Herron built 12 houses compared to last year, along with 2 addi tions for Walbro, an addi-LaPonsie thinks that 1987 tion to Midwest Rotary in

A range of options: Creating dream kitchen step by step

the home. But with the advent of two career couples sharing the cooking and the popularity of informal entertaining, this room is getting even more attention

Improving your kitchen one remodeling project at a time can often be the best, most economical way to make a difference. Even minor changes can make a vast improvement and be the first steps in the creation of your dream kitchen.

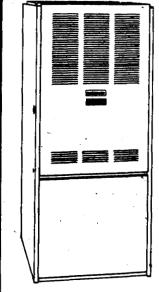
In smaller kitchens, a common objective in remodeling is to create more space. The average modern kitchen holds more equipment and appliances than ever before, with everything from food processors to microwave ovens fast becoming standard items.

A number of options allow you to free more space in the kitchen without knocking down any walls. One possibility is to mount smaller appliances beneath cabinets to create mere counterto

Another practical, space saving improvement is to install a new, multi functional appliance. A hi/lo cooking center, a range with a second, smaller oven on top, offers maximum cooking capacity in a minimum of floor space.

For someone who enjoys cooking and entertaining, a second oven is a wonder ful asset — especially when you're serving more than one hot dish simultaneously. Or, you can use the smaller oven to bake dessert while cooking a roast in the

For others whose cooking priority in the kitchen runs toward quick and convenient rather than elaborate dinners, a microwave as a second oven might prove



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Bathrooms grow with new lifestyles

the house was strictly functional, prim and discreetly tucked away? Well, the American lifestyle has changed and so has the American bathroom.

Today, those pink and blue tiled walls

have given way to baths with opulent greenhouse windows, skylights and hot tubs. The bathroom has become the last true sanctuary: A personal retreat from the rigors of day to day living.

Telling statistics

Preposterous, you say? Consider the facts. While the average American family has fewer members, bathroom construction has dramatically increased. Seventy-two percent of all new homes now have more than one bathroom. Kitchen and Bath Magazine estimates that nearly six million bathrooms were redone in 1985. Why are fewer people needing more bathrooms?

The bathroom is taking on added importance as a type of bathing spa in the portance as a type of bathing spa in the home, an environment dedicated to soothing the body and mind and maintaining good health. Women, particularly those who juggle the roles of wife, mother and working woman, find solitude in the pleasures of a relaxing bath.

Closing the bathroom door and soaking in a bathtub or whirlpool provides an opportunity to relax, unwind and

an opportunity to relax, unwind and shut out the world for a little while. Although men are less willing to admit it, they too could benefit from this downtime experience.

Luxurious additions

Manufacturers are responding to the needs of the bathroom as a bathing spa. Downsized whirlpools, steam saunas, shower massagers, digital scales and elaborate home exercise equipment are now big business. For the truly exotic bathroom experience, environmental chambers are now available that produce

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tion. These products require a firm foundation to carry the weight of the tub plus

For a more modest approach to bath-

room relaxation, manufacturers have

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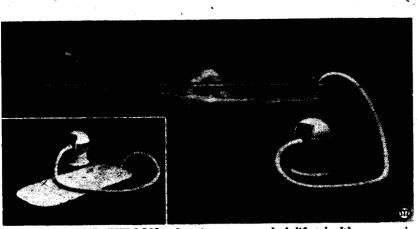
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costs in kitchen modernization

This year, millions of homeowners will spend from \$10,000 to more than \$20,000 to create the kitchen of their dreams. For many, this will mean custom-designs that may involve moving walls to expand space, adding fixtures to accommodate new appliances and a general "rebuilding" of the entire kitchen with a large investment of time and money.

For those on a more limited budget,

pensive steps in kitchen remodeling is the replacement of a built-in cooktop," says Laura Strayer, consumer specialist at Kitchen Aid. "In most cases it can be installed without professional help. And, because it's a focal point in the kitchen, it makes a dramatic impression early on in the kitchen make-over."



A home recently built at 4677 Hospital Dr.

• Decide on a style that reflects the new kitchen decor. Cooktops range in style from traditional brushed chrome to a variety of colored porcelains, to "gourmet" models that resemble professional cooking equipment.

One style growing in popularity is the European look, characterized by sleek, sharp lines, high-gloss black surface and a smooth shape that gives the kitchen a high-tech look.

• Review the cleaning features of models you're considering. Only the sink receives as much use in the average household as does the cooktop, says Strayer. Easy-to-clean is a sign of good

Basic features to look for include: Removable electric elements or gas burner grates; drip pans and knobs; lift-up tops with sturdy support; easy access to the burner box with no exposed wiring or obstructions; raised edges to prevent spillover onto countertop; absence of cracks or narrow spaces where food soil can collect.

• Evaluate the easy operation and compare with other cooktops. The control panel of a cooktop is the feature that's exposed to the most manhandling and its construction is a good indication of the level of quality that a manufacturer has put into the product. The panel should be easy to read with permanent graphics that won't wear off.

"Push-to-Turn" switches give precise heat settings for both gas and electric heat. These have the advantage of being more difficult for small children to operate and provide a positive "off" position. Chrome-plated die-cast are preferred over plastic o "Push-to-Turn" switches

Weigh the range of special features available with each cooktop. Extra features translate into greater efficiency and more value for the money.

repair labor, if not covered by the man-ufacturer, will cost you money. Manu-facturers with a reputation for high performance and reliability offer good warranties. Check the warranties offered by the inufacturer. Replacement parts and

"Whichever cooktop you choose, choose one that pleases you," says the KitchenAid advisor. "After all, this is the first step toward your dream kitchen."

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Americans reportedly spend \$90 million yearly on birdseed for their fine-feathered friends. However, much of the money is wasted because some species don't eat seeds. Woodpeckers and hummingbirds are two examples.

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also includes the cost for additions to homes.

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party store and grocery
store in the Sandusky area.
"Business is a lot bigger;
every year it's going up,"
said Herron. "I think it
(construction) will level out
this next year. It has to; we
can't have any more of an
increase. We have as much
as we can handle right

Herron has already lined up 4 new houses and more jobs for Walbro.

Not all construction companies are as busy as Herron. Haven Maurer of Maurer Construction saw a 20 percent increase in workload in 1985, but 1986 stayed about the same.

"We mostly build grain bins," said Maurer. But, because of the problems the farmers are having, the company is starting to build commercial and residentials.

"Construction costs are leveling off," he said. He also said that if Michigan wants the small businessmen to stay in business, then the interest rates won't increase. "It's hard to tell what the future will hold," said Maurer. "Business will stay about the same for this year."

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Roses are delicate, beautiful flowers that look like they can be grown only by professional gardeners.

But, by becoming knowledgeable of the five basic steps to rose care — planting, watering, fertilizing, pruning and pest control — you can grow your own vibrant rose garden.

Planting

The ideal location for a rose garden is a spot with an eastern exposure that provides at least six hours of sun a day. However, the absence of an ideal spot shouldn't discourage anyone — roses are hardy flowers and can thrive almost any-

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One of the most important steps toward ensuring a healthy rose is the planting hole. A hole approximately 2 feet wide and 1½ feet deep will provide the rose with plenty of room to grow.

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Roses are thirsty plants that require a lot of water. As a general rule, roses should be watered once a week throughout the growing season.

During the hottest part of the summer when the roses are in flower, you may want to water everyday. Be sure the surrounding ground is thoroughly soaked.

Morning is the best time to water roses because leaves dry quickly — preventing

Fertilizing diseases from developing.

Pest protection

Aphids are easily recognized as tiny insects which primarily cluster on soft, new growth. Mites are almost invisible; however, their presence is made evident by the fine webs they make on the undersides of leaves.

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percent... multi-family homes booming in Michigan. Singlewere up 22 percent. family Once again Tuscola County led Sanilac and Huron counties in the total number of housing permits. Tuscola had 76 compared to Sanilac's 60 and Huron's 48. The number of mobile home permits issued in Tuscola County was 106 compared to 61 in Sanilac and 37 in Huron.

Julie Vella of Majestic Construction Company in Caro said that they are so booked up that they are so booked up that they stopped advertising. The company is going into its second full

had seen in 5 years. 1987 unight be even a better year if for Smith, who said that of there is a possibility that the company may be contracted to build con-Smith added that the re-cent increase in prime rates is sure to have an ef-fect on construction companies. the low interest rates, people are showing more interest in new homes or the remodeling of their present homes. "Business Vella said that because of

sent homes. "Business would be hurt, of course, if interest rates went up," she said. "People can't afford big monthly payments and construction on their

Vella stated that the biggest project they have right now is the building of a convenience store and they also plan to do more projects for the company e that owns the store through 1987.

rates won't increase. "It's hard to tell what the future they also plan to do more will hold," said Maurer. "Business will stay about the same for this year."

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In 1986, 26,928 single family homes were built company and a pared to 21,379 in 1985.

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Most garden roses require regular feeding. Nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium are the primary nutrients roses need for proper growth.

Whether organic or inorganic, fertilizers help grow sturdy plants with green leaves and vibrant flowers. It is best to fertilize once a month throughout the, growing season. Pruning

The best time to prune is in spring just as the buds are beginning to swell. The first step when pruning any rose is to cut the dead canes to the crown. Remove all of the weak, spindly growth that tends to crowd the center of the bush.

A rose's most feared enemies are aphids and mites. If your roses are left unprotected, these two pests may drain the life from the rose bush.

Two of the most popular methods of pest protection are spraying and dusting.

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Campanella said that he sees the increase in construction leveling off at the end of 1987. "Interest rates in will probably start to go up; however, we expected them to go up last year and they didn't."

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Campanella added that if interest rates do start to go up, construction will go down. "Interest rates and construction are so directly tied it's amazing. The low interest rates are making homes more affordable to more people," he said.

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Expert presents tips on how to water lawns for best results this summer

by David J. Wehner, Ph.D.

Your lawn, like all other living things, requires water to grow and be healthy. Sometimes the amount and distribution of natural rainfall is not adequate to keep your lawn green and it may be necessary to help nature along by providing additional water.

In addition to the pleasure of having a beautiful lawn and the value it adds to your home, a properly watered lawn will help keep your home cool in the summertime. If you need to be convinced of this, just take off your shoes and socks on a hot July day and put one

other foot on your lawn. Proper watering practices will help ensure a high quality lawn and efficient use of

The 2 most frequently asked questions regarding watering the home lawn

1. How should it be done? 2. What is the best time of the day to water the

Turfgrass scientists follow a simple rule: Water a lawn deeply but in-frequently. This means that water should be applied until the soil is moist to a depth of 4 to 6 inches. Then allow the lawn to use this moisture before watering

again. Watering too frequently will not only waste water, but also promote a shallow root system.

When you water your lawn, allow the sprinkler to remain in one place until enough water has been applied, A screwdriver can be stuck into the soil to de termine how deep the water has penetrated. (Usually at least 2 hours is required in each sprinkler location.)

In some cases, it may be necessary to utilize several short periods of water application since water cannot always enter the soil as fast as it is applied resulting in it running off. If you see a trail of water in the street 2 blocks long coming

from your lawn, it may be an indication that you are applying water faster than the soil can absorb it. If this happens, rotate the location of the sprinkler frequently until enough water has been applied to the entire lawn.

The answer to the question of what time of day is best to water your lawn depends partly on whether there are any restrictions in your community regarding the use of water. The best time is either in the early morning or the even-

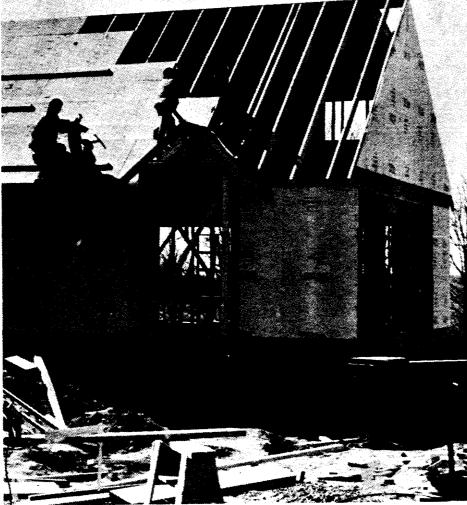
These are the periods when you will be the most effective with the water that you apply. There are several reasons for this.

During these times, the wind will not be as strong and the water pressure will be the highest so that you will get a better coverage from your sprinkler. Also, the sun is not as intense during these times and less water will be lost to evaporation. Avoid using a soaker hose during windy, sunny conditions when most of the water which comes out as a fine mist will blow into the street or

the ground. Proper watering - in addition to correct mowing, fertilization, and weed control - are investments that pay the dividend of a beautiful

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