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PREPARATIONS FOR THE planned relocation of an office complex (inset, left) south of its present location near the M-81-Doerr Road intersection are well underway. Above, workers dig a new foundation for the complex, which will be replaced by a combination convenience store and gas station, brought to Cass City by People's Oil and Gas Co., Pigeon.

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Set annual full surplus food distribution

by Tom Montgomery
News Editor

The federal surplus food distributions scheduled locally for Thursday will be the last in which participating families will receive full allotments of rice, cheese, butter, milk, flour and honey.

Reduced distributions, meanwhile, are planned for May and July.

What will happen after that, officials say, is neither certain nor promising.

"We're really at the same point we were" in November, Pat Christie, Community Services director with the Human Development Commission, remarked last week.

Reports received by Christie last fall from the Michigan Department of Education, which receives and distributes surplus food from the USDA, indicated that supplies of federal surplus commodities nationwide were dwindling. Availability of the commodities was guaranteed only through March at that time.

"What it looks like now is we'll have products through July, (but) the projections have not changed. Starting in May we're going to start seeing reductions," Christie said.

"What that means locally is that we're not going to have cheese in May or July at this point," she continued. "We are scheduled for milk in July, but we probably will not receive it unless something happens between now and then."

July, only butter and flour are expected to be distributed.

"It certainly is going to have an impact on these people," Christie remarked, adding, "After receiving these (commodities) for 4 or 5 years, this has become a staple in their diet. There are certain families that will be drastically impacted and there are those that won't."

According to Philip O'Leary, director of School Management Services in the Michigan Department of Education, this month's distribution may be the last for many families, particularly those living in rural areas.

"If the people are only going to get flour, cornmeal and a pound of butter, they're not going to travel 40 miles" to pick up the products, he predicted, adding that the dairy products, particularly cheese, are the biggest draws at the distribution sites.

GOING TO END

"Every indication that has come to me is that the program is going to end in July."

Rice, cheese, butter, milk, flour and honey will be distributed Thursday. In May, however, only butter, flour and cornmeal are expected to be available. In

Unfortunately, O'Leary pointed out, the problem facing officials is that the products simply aren't available, or won't be in the near future.

"We're definitely sure that 2 of them (rice and flour) are not going to be available. In Please turn to page 16.

Urge attendance at annual meeting

Stockholder group protesting policy of Farm Credit Service

There will be more than usual interest in the annual meeting of the Farm Credit Services of East Central Michigan at Marlette Wednesday, Mar. 30, at 11 a.m. at the Marlette Middle School.

A group of stockholders spearheaded by Lynn Lorenz and Verne Rienbold are attempting to rally stockholders to attend and voice complaints about the way The Federal Land Bank and Production Credit Association (PCA) is conducting business.

Farm Credit Services is composed of the Land Bank, PCA and Bank for Cooperatives. Serving a 4-state area is the St. Paul District, which is the 7th district, one of 12 across the country.

At issue is the way the system is structuring loans and the rate of interest charged. Rienbold says that the way the system is operating now, many farmers will not be able to avoid bankruptcy. They are not taking in consideration that the farmer has to maintain a reasonable standard of living and pay his local supplier, he maintains.

Rienbold charges that the Agricultural Credit Act that became effective in January addressed the economic plight of the farmer and provides \$4 billion to help distressed farmers.

Rienbold and officials agree that farmers' payments can be restructured if the farmer is proved to be a prudent manager and pays the bank more than would be received through a foreclosure.

Jim Bolton, vice-president of Farm Credit Services of East Central Michigan with offices in Marlette, points out that there have been no foreclosures in over 6 months in the district. He adds that the

Farm Credit Services has an obligation to the stockholders to get the greatest return on the invested funds. John Gyomory, of the Federal Land Bank in Caro, says that the Bank wants to work with farmers and work out repayment

plans that help the farmer and protect the interest of the stockholders.

Farmers borrowing money from Farm Credit System must buy stock in the cooperative.

Gyomory says that interest on the loans varies with ones of lower quality

paying more in interest than those of better quality.

The Rienbold group says that congress has voted \$4 billion to pay expenses of Farm Credit Services and that this money should be used to bail out farmers in severe financial plight. Rienbold claims that if this

is done the Land Bank will make more money and the farmer will be allowed to keep his farm.

Board of Directors Chairman Ronald Bernia believes that one of the causes for concern is the lack of information about the program. The money voted by

congress should make the Farm Credit System more viable and strengthen the stockholders interest, he says. However, in terms of helping the distressed farmers it should have little effect. We already are doing everything possible in most instances and that

won't change.

He agrees with Rienbold that the 45-day letter issued to farmers is new. Rienbold cautions farmers to fill out the letter of application for a new plan to avoid foreclosure. Bernia points out that when the cooperative taps the \$4 billion allotted by congress there is sure to be a weakening of local control.

One director among the 5 that serve on the board of directors for this area will be elected at the annual meeting. The Concerned Stockholders group hopes to have 70 or 80 present to back its views.

In a prepared statement, the group says that "at the present time, it appears that the employees began dictating policy to the directors instead of the directors dictating policy to the employees." They are listening to St. Paul and not the farmer stockholders or the congress which passed the \$4 billion subsidy, says Rienbold.

Another concern of the protesting farm group is the proposed consolidation of the East Central District into a larger district. There has been no decision about this, Bernia says, but we are studying ways to streamline the organization to make it more efficient with the help of a professional firm, B.E.I.

Clocks go ahead again April 3

The arrival of spring means many things to many people, but most will agree that whatever the activity, an extra hour of daylight gained this time of year is welcome.

Area residents are reminded to set their clocks ahead on Easter Sunday, April 3, which marks the change back to Daylight Savings Time.

As was true a year ago, residents will get that extra hour of daylight a bit earlier this year. Beginning last year, the switch was made on the first Sunday instead of the last Sunday in April.

Don't forget...spring ahead, fall back.

Owen-Gage rescinds illegal secret vote firing principal

High school Principal Robert Andrews' future with the Owen-Gage School District is in limbo following action at a special meeting early last week.

The school board, during a special session held March 21, rescinded a vote made at its March 14 regular meeting that rejected renewal of Andrews' contract for the 1988-89 school year.

The action, approved after a 67-minute executive session, was prompted by the board's earlier handling of the matter, which involved violations of Michigan's Open Meetings Act and P.A. 183 (administrator due process). Supt.

Harley Kirby acknowledged last week.

At the March 14 meeting, a motion to renew Andrews' contract was defeated 6-1 on a secret ballot, in violation of the state's Open Meetings Act. According to an Attorney General opinion, the act "prohibits a voting procedure at a public meeting which prevents citizens from knowing how members of the public body have voted."

Kirby stated that the board also neglected to notify Andrews in writing that it was contemplating contract non-renewal, including the reasons why, as is required by P.A. 183.

Renewal of the adminis-

trator's contract will be decided at the board's next regular meeting, scheduled for 7 p.m. April 11 in the high school library, Kirby said.

According to P.A. 183, the board must make a decision not less than 60 days before Andrews' contract expires June 30. Written notice of a board's contemplating contract non-renewal must be delivered at least 90 days prior to contract expiration, and the reasons stated therein "must not be arbitrary or capricious," the act states.

Andrews will have the choice to discuss his contract with the board in either open or closed session April 11.

County services at stake in Tuesday's special election

The effectiveness of a lengthy and intense campaign in favor of a county-wide millage in Tuscola County will be tested next Tuesday.

That's when voters will decide a request of 1.5 additional mills for 4 years for county services.

Also on the ballot will be a request of one mill for 5 years in Novesta Township. The millage, earmarked for road work, would raise about \$12,000 in 1989.

Residents can cast ballots at their respective pol-

ling sites from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Approval of the county-wide millage has been pushed heavily in recent weeks by Citizens for Better Government, a group composed of county officials, department heads, businessmen and citizens.

The group's message, taken to area residents via telephone calls, informational pamphlets and a news conference, is simple: voter approval of the millage would mean mainte-

nance of current services. Rejection, however, would mean the reduction or elimination of a host of non-mandated services, including the sheriff's 24-hour road patrol.

The county, which currently levies 4.2 mills for operations, hasn't had an operational millage increase in 24 years. The current millage rate is the lowest among Michigan counties.

The 1.5-mill request, based on a study of county finances over the next 4

years initiated by commissioners, would raise an estimated \$26,000 in 1989.

The additional money would be used to offset the loss of some \$500,000 annually in federal revenue sharing funds and \$626,000 in property tax revenue in 1987, 1988 and 1989, due to a 22 percent drop in the county state equalized valuation over a 3-year period.

A 17 percent decline in Tuscola County's SEV from 1985-87 was the largest drop among Michigan's counties over that period.



CHAPLAIN STANLEY J. Beach, awarded the Bronze Star while serving as battalion chaplain with 3rd Battalion, 4th Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division in Vietnam, was injured at Hill 400. With stomach, arm and leg injuries, Beach was evacuated, but not before he passed on his cross to his corpsman to carry in his absence. (Photo courtesy of Newsweek Magazine.)



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loniewski

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loniewski are making their home in Redford following their Nov. 21 wedding at St. Valentine's Church in Redford.

Fr. Robert Wheeler officiated at the ceremony uniting Miss Kelly Seurynek and Joseph Loniewski. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Seurynek of Gageton and the groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Edward Loniewski of Redford.

The bride chose a satin gown with cathedral length train; the bodice was a dropped waist of Alencon lace accented with sequins and pearls. She wore a cathedral length veil and carried a bouquet of white amherstium, gardenias and ivy.

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Cass City Social and Personal Items

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Mr. and Mrs. Dean Frakes of Caro and Charles Hutchinson of Romeo hosted a birthday party Saturday evening at the Caro Gun Club for the birthdays of Dean's mother, Mrs. Millie Frakes of Cass City, and Charles's wife, Nancy Hutchinson. About 40 guests attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Whittenburg had an overnight guest Friday, Rev. Melvin Pittman, a missionary in Togo, Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Whittenburg attended the Thumb Electric Cooperative meeting Friday at Colony House.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. entertained Missionary Jim Evans from Argentina and Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Hartwick and son Chris.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morell were guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karr in Gageton.

Mrs. Jack (Betty) Laurie will have throat surgery Wednesday as an outpatient at Saginaw General Hospital, Saginaw.

Marriage Licenses

Rick Webster, Otter Lake, and Dana Carr, Otter Lake.

Albert Wightman, Caro, and Brenda Langley, Caro.

Engaged



Kimberly Ann Kurtansky
Mark Thomas Zink

Charles and Lorraine Kurtansky of Reese announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Ann, to Mark Thomas Zink, son of Michael and Kay Zink of Millington.

A May 1989 wedding is being planned.

Twenty members of the Baptist Ambassador and Philathea classes attended a bowling/pizza party at the Charmont Saturday evening.

Twenty members of the Adult Fellowship of Trinity United Methodist Church attended the school play at Cass City High School Thursday, March 24. They went to the home of Harlan and Marge Dickinson for fellowship and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fuller of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dean of Caro were callers Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos.

Mrs. Enid Maxwell and Mrs. Bob Dast of Pigeon were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos Friday. Mrs. Dast and Mrs. Joos are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright went to Bay City Friday and took their grandsons, Jeremy, Matt and David, to Show Biz Pizza in Saginaw to celebrate David's 6th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Michalski of Uby and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Briolat of Cass City enjoyed a pre-Easter dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smalley and family in Ruth.

Born to Nicholas and Veronica Nahernak of Cass City, a son, Thursday in Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe. Phillip Austin weighed 6 pounds and 9 ounces and joins a brother, Andrew, 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rockafellow and son Jared of Olivet spent the weekend of March 18-20 with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Schneeberger.

Mrs. Muriel Holik of Cass City was feted for her 83rd birthday Saturday, March 19. The party was held at the Human Development Commission rooms in Caro and was attended by 46 family members.

The Tuscola County Genealogical Society will hold its regular monthly meeting, Monday, April 4, at 7 p.m. in Room 301 of Caro High School. New members are welcome.

An Oct. 8 wedding is being planned.

Mrs. Josephine Rondo of Pontiac spent from Friday till Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Max Agar.

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith of Mayville spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Max Agar. Mrs. Smith is a niece of the Agars.

Engaged



Pamela Mishler
Michael Loomis

The family of Pamela K. Mishler of Columbiaville announces her engagement to Michael D. Loomis. He is the son of David and Joyce Loomis of Cass City.

An Oct. 8 wedding is being planned.

Nichols graduates with honors

Navy Fire Control Technician Third Class Dallas (Andy) Nichols recently graduated with honors from one of the Navy's most advanced electronics weapons system schools, the Tomahawk-V.L.S., in Virginia Beach, Va.



Dallas Nichols

Nichols was due to report to his new command destroyer, U.S.S. Elliot, in San Diego, Calif., in mid-March.

A 1986 Cass City High School graduate, he joined the Navy in October 1985, and completed basic training Sept. 26, 1986, in San Diego. He completed school tours at Great Lakes, Ill., for basic electricity and electronics, and fire control technician "A" school, from October 1986 through June 1987.

Nichols is the son of Dallas and Kathy Nichols of Snover.

also sick - fever, sore throat. Her brother had a low grade temp and a gall over. I wasn't feeling the best either, sore throat, fever. There must be the flu going around. Even her father got hot last night. (We all know people who make us sorry we asked.)

From Don Greenleaf comes a copy of an article by free-lance writer Robert Fulghum of Seattle.

It's worth sharing:

"Most of what I really need to know about how to live, and what to do, and how to be, I learned in kindergarten. Wisdom was not at the top of the graduate school mountain but there in the sandbox at nursery school.

"These are the things I learned: Share everything. Play fair. Don't hit people. Put things back where you found them. Clean up your own mess. Don't take things that aren't yours. Say you're sorry when you hurt somebody. Wash your hands before you eat. Flush. Warm cookies and cold milk are good for you. Live a balanced life. Learn some and think some and draw and paint and sing and dance and play and work every day some.

"Take a nap every afternoon. When you go out into the world, watch for traffic, hold hands and stick together. Be aware of wonder. Remember the little seed in the plastic cup. The roots go down and the plant goes up and nobody really knows how or why, but we are all like that.

"Goldfish and hamsters and white mice and even the little seed in the plastic cup - they all die. So do we."

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Engaged



Teri Lynn Henderson
Jonathan M. Garety

Mr. and Mrs. Warren J. Henderson announce the engagement of their daughter, Teri Lynn, to Jonathan Martin Garety of Cass City.

They are attending Central Michigan University and will be seniors there in the fall. Miss Henderson is majoring in interior design with a minor in drafting. Garety is a computer science-mathematics major with a business minor. The wedding date is July 23 at Atlanta Congregational Church in Atlanta, Mich.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

Born March 26, to Mrs. Irvin (Carrie) Gilley, Kingston, a baby boy.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, MARCH 28, WERE:

William Ashmore, Todd Lynch, Thomas Little, Velma Valasek, Cass City; Scott Kundering, Mina Papke, Gageton; Thelma Flannigan, Marlette; Jeremy Blakely, Sebewing; Ward Goodell, Mayville; Joann Izydorek, Christopher Smith, Decker; Emma Wing, Pigeon.

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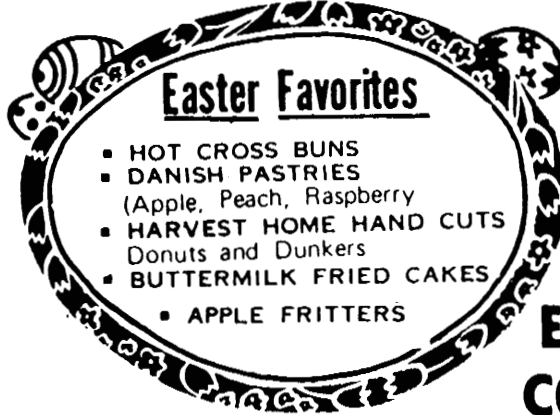
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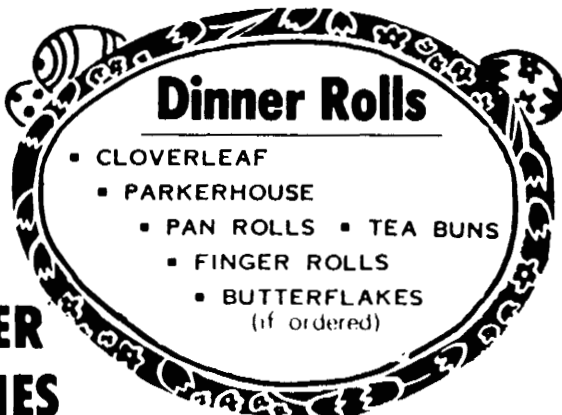
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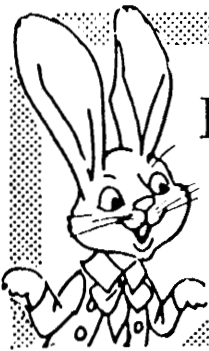
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Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

The talk swirled around the coaching and the coaches at the National Collegiate Athletic Association regional basketball tournament held over the weekend in Pontiac.

It was agreed that Bill Freider, coach at the University of Michigan and a very successful businessman, is a genius who is coaching, but not a coaching genius.

It was my first NCAA tournament and my 37th straight Michigan High School basketball finals tournament. Between the 2, give me the high school kids every time.

It doesn't appear that businesses in Colorado would care much if the minimum wage were raised. During the ski season, it evidently is a workers' market.

At a Wendy's a sign in front advertised for help, full or part time, and offered a minimum wage of \$6.00 per hour.

Incidentally, in Colorado Wendy's offers its traditional menu and in addition has pasta and Mexican food.

United Way to distribute funds

Elkland-Novesta United Way officials are looking for a few good local organizations in need of funding.

Local United Way President Doug Herringshaw stated that groups interested in receiving funds must submit a written request by April 8. Requests, which must include a group's previous or projected budget, can be sent to Herringshaw in care of Chemical Bank-Bay Area, 6522 Main St., Cass City.

"This is more money than we've had in at least the 5 years I've been here," Herringshaw said of the more than \$21,000 collected in 1987. The total easily topped the group's goal of \$17,000.

"We like to keep the money in the community," he remarked, adding that local United Way funds

have been used to help support organizations such as little league and Girl and Boy Scouts, as well as the Reading Is Fundamental program, the village pool, a Christmas basket program and others.

Herringshaw said funds also are given to the county United Way to help provide services locally that the Elkland-Novesta United Way can't fund alone.

Herringshaw invited all interested groups, particularly those that haven't requested money in the past, to apply for funding. "We'll listen to any request," he said, adding that the funds cannot be used for personal purposes.

Distribution of the local funds will be decided by the local United Way board in mid-April.



URSULA CURTIS, 10, and Provincial House resident Martha Robinson share a book and a smile. Curtis is one of 28 Campbell Elementary students who paired up with and read to residents of the Cass City nursing home March 23. The activity was held in conjunction with Reading Month.

Report handgun larceny

Cass City Police are investigating the larceny of 4 handguns and a camera from a Cass City residence Sunday evening.

Robert M. Ryland, 4242 S. Seeger St., told police that someone broke into his

home and stole the items sometime after 6:30 p.m. but before 9:50 p.m.

The guns and camera are valued at \$400, according to reports.

Also reported stolen over the past week is a new, 24-

inch 10-speed bike from the David W. McNaughton residence, 4875 N. Seeger St.

The bike, which is red in color and has the name, "Free Spirit," printed on it, was taken Friday, McNaughton reported. The bike is valued at \$100.

A malicious destruction of property complaint involving the First Baptist Church, 6420 Houghton St., Cass City, was filed by Elwyn Helwig.

An investigation revealed nearly \$400 in damage. Vandals apparently shot BBs at the church, breaking 2 large windows and putting holes in 4 aluminum screens, reports state.

The damage took place March 21 or 22, Helwig estimated.



The Haire Net

I'm sure that many of you must have asked yourself the same question that crossed my mind when I read the stories about Mayor Coleman Young's crackdown on drug houses in Detroit.

If the police had them spotted and could proceed with raid after raid when the mayor issued the green light, why didn't they do it before?

Dealing drugs is a dirty business and arresting criminals involved shouldn't require a mandate from the top.

From this reassuringly safe distance away in the Thumb, I confess that while the marked change in police procedure before and after struck a chord, it didn't get me all shook up as perhaps it should have.

What did really jangle my chain was an arrest made in connection with drugs. It involved a woman, Elvy Musikka, 43, of Hollywood, Fla. She is nearly blind from glaucoma. Doctors said that marijuana lowered the pressure of fluid in her eye, allowing

the optic nerve to be nourished with blood. They were unsuccessful in obtaining permission to treat her with the drug.

Desperate, she grew her own. She was arrested with a pound of Pot in her possession and faces up to a year in prison if convicted.

What she was doing is illegal, no doubt. What the authorities have done is legal; legal, but not right. Definitely not right.

Another puzzler about all this is why the doctors couldn't prescribe Pot for the patient. They administer morphine regularly, and morphine is a much more potent drug than marijuana.

What makes this so bizarre is that just about every day television shots of people buying and selling drugs are pictured. Most of it right out in the open. Then "60 Minutes" runs a story about a drug house that moved into a quiet residential area. It depicts the struggle of the residents there to get the authorities to do anything even though they had secured enough circumstantial evidence to give the police probable cause to raid.

According to the TV show it was because the police in the area were swamped and the case was just one of many.

Yet a nearly blind woman trying to save her sight is hauled into court for using the mildest of the illegal drugs.

There may be more to the story, of course, than what appeared in the paper. The story had no statement from the person or persons responsible for the arrest.

One incontestable fact is that thousands of Pot users puff away with immunity and this one is arrested. There's something wacky with a system which allows this to happen.

Musikka should move to any metropolitan community where it seems that holding a pound of Pot is about as dangerous as holding a pound of coffee.

Come to think of it, in certain sections of Detroit I wouldn't want to be walking down the street alone with either Pot or coffee or anything else.

"If It Fitz..."

Charlie Brown

By Jim Fitzgerald



While Jim Fitzgerald is vacationing, we're running columns he wrote for other newspapers before coming to the Free Press in 1976. This one's from 1970.

It was written somewhere, perhaps Tom Sawyer whitewashed it on a fence, that a father should take his son to baseball games.

My dad took me to Navin Field to see Hank Greenberg knock home runs into Cherry Street. And I take my son to Tiger Stadium to see Al Kaline knock home runs into the grandstand where Cherry Street used to be. Cherry Street was moved back and just the other day they renamed it Kaline Drive. Onward and upward.

My only problem with my dad was that he wasn't just a fan; he could also play baseball. He once pitched a no-hitter for the University of Detroit and he was signed to hurl for the Washington Senators. Only a chronic sore arm prevented him from becoming a major league hero. At least, that's what Grandpa and Grandma used to tell me.

Naturally, Dad would like to have seen his only son shine on the diamond. He never said much about it, but I knew that Schoolboy Rowe and Tommy Bridges at Navin Field were second choices. Dad would rather have seen me pitch for the Port Huron Skunks at Pine Grove Park.

BUT DAD NEVER COMPLAINED

I tried. From the time I was old enough, I went out for every team there was. It turned out there were only 3 things wrong with my game. I couldn't hit the ball, or throw it, or catch it. But I was a great cheerleader.

Because of my lungs, I was allowed to join several schoolboy teams. And in later years, I even belonged to an Army team that starred a couple of guys who later played professionally. My main position was behind the wheel, driving the team bus.

The only time I got in a

game was when only 8 other guys showed up. Then they'd stick me in right field and bat me ninth, behind the pitcher. Sometimes I played 10-man softball and the 10th man was always stationed right in front of me.

I didn't give Dad much to be proud of. He never complained, but I've never forgotten the humiliation of in-ning after in-ning in right field, never touching the ball. And when a left-handed pull hitter came up, the manager switched me to left field. And when a tardy teammate finally arrived, perhaps limping and blind in one eye, he'd pinch-hit for me.

I was Charlie Brown before anyone ever heard of Charlie Brown.

A CHIP OFF THE OLD RIGHT FIELDER

The other day I got to wondering about my 12-year-old son, Eddie. I raised him to be a baseball fan, but I never pressed him to be Babe Ruth or Sandy Koufax. He's on a midjet league team and I didn't want him to think he had to make me proud.

So I told Eddie about what a bum I used to be on the ball field. I confessed to all those lonely innings, stuck far in the corner of the outfield where the ball never came.

"That's nothing," laughed Eddie. "I play the outfield, too. And there's always a man out there cutting the grass. He never stops; he just cuts around me. He knows nothing's going to happen out there. I'm getting to know him pretty well."

Marvelous. No wonder I like to watch ball games with Eddie sitting beside me. Fortunately, we usually take his mother, too. If a foul ball comes our way, she can catch it.

What really bugs me is to read where some scientist just told Congress that Wheaties, the Breakfast of Champions, is no good. I grew up on that stuff, trying to become a sports champion. And now this scientist says Wheaties have so little energy value, a guy might as well have a shot of whiskey for breakfast. Now he tells me.

The Weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Tuesday.....	37	29	0
Wednesday.....	70	24	0
Thursday.....	54	39	0
Friday.....	62	36	.02"
Saturday.....	56	30	.04"
Sunday.....	38	21	0
Monday.....	46	44	.12"

(Recorded at Cass City wastewater treatment plant.)

Annual TURKEY DINNER

SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 1988

12:00 till 3:00 FAMILY STYLE



GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP HALL

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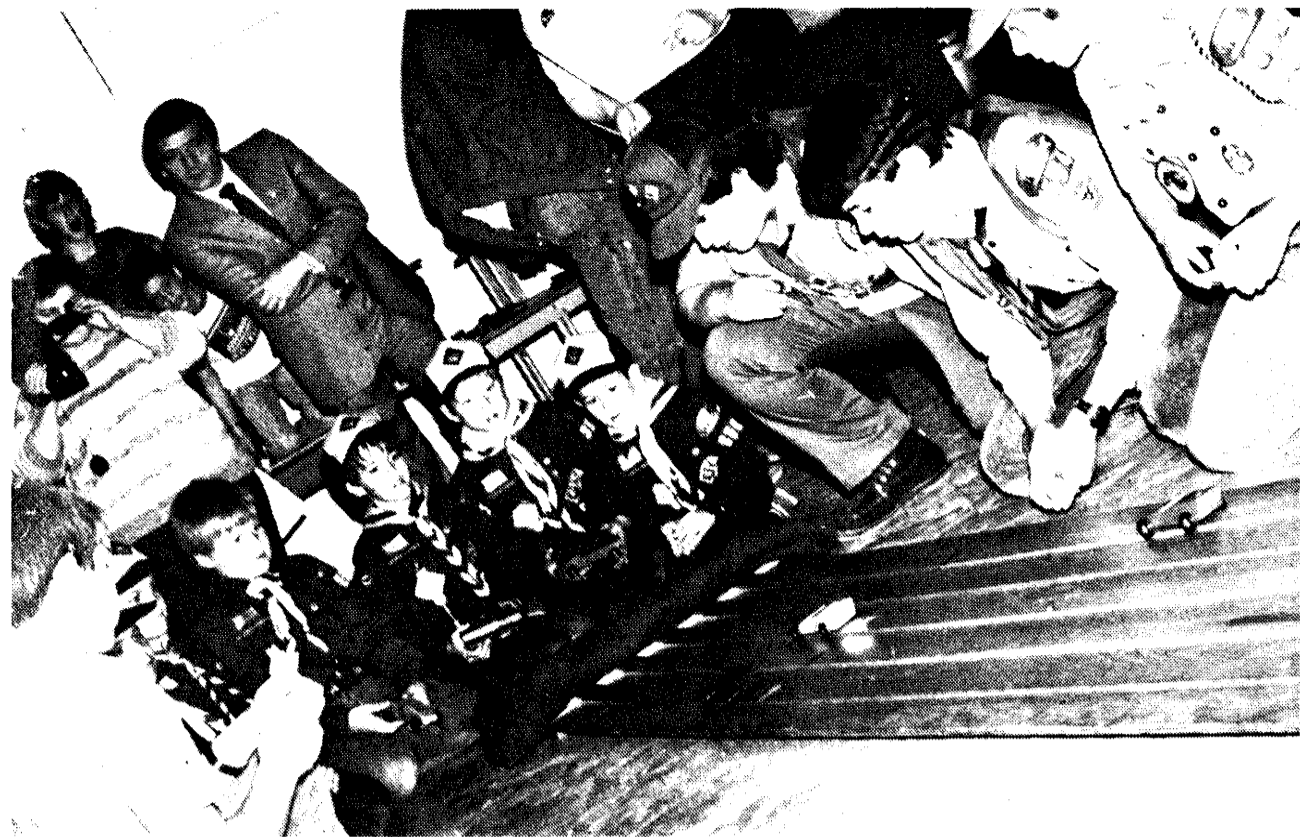
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VILLAGE OF CASS CITY



CASS CITY BUSINESSMAN Roger Board (suit & tie) closely watches the finish line during Thursday's Pinewood Derby races held at the Intermediate School cafeteria. Board was acting as official judge of the annual Cub Scout event.

Cub Scout Pack 3594

Pinewood Derby held Thursday

Cub Scout Pack #3594 held their monthly pack meeting.

Highlighting the evening's activities was the annual Pinewood Derby. Cars, designed and constructed by the Cub Scouts with some help from parents, were raced.

Boys receiving den ribbons for first, second, and third place were: Den #1, Josh Lounsbury, Jake Lounsbury, Daniel Kingsland; Den #2, Bobby Gengler, Kurt Iwankovitch, Matt Klinkman; Den #3, Mike Peruski, Ken Roehl, Josh Little; Den #4, Trevor Roth, Ryan Bennett, Tim Micklash; Den #5, Tommy Bartle, Mike Rolando; Den #6, Tim Sherman, Mike Prosowski, Nathan Weipert; Webelos Den, Justin Hulburt, Aaron Biefer, Scott Iwankovitch.

Trophies were presented to first and second place winners in 3 divisions: Wolf, Bear, and Webelos. Boys winning trophies and third-place ribbons were: Wolf, (1st) Tim Sherman, (2nd) Tommy Bartle, (3rd) Trevor Roth; Bear (1st) Josh Lounsbury, (2nd) Mike Peruski, (3rd) Bobby Gengler, and Webelos, (1st) Justin Hulburt, (2nd) Aaron Biefer, (3rd) Scott Iwankovitch.

The Grand Prix medallion was awarded to Josh Lounsbury as first place winner of the pack. Ribbons and trophies were presented by guest official Roger Board, owner of Board Chrysler-Plymouth.

Cass City. Line judges were members of Boy Scout Troop #594.

Also, Art Mapes received the Bobcat badge from Cubmaster Connie Iwankovitch. Josh Lounsbury received a Wolf badge and one gold and 3 silver arrows. Also receiving arrows from the Wolf dens were: Tim Micklash (silver), Jason Lowder (silver), Ryan Bennett (silver), Tommy Bartle (silver) and Mike Rolando (2 silver).

Wolf Cub Tim Sherman was given special recognition for earning the God & Me religious award. The Rev. Gary Butterfield was present to represent the Lamotte Missionary Church, where Sherman attends.

Arrows were presented to Bear Cubs Kurt Iwankovitch (silver) and Anthony Rolando (2 silver). Also, from Bear Den #2, Richard Priestap, Jared Roth, Kareem Khoury, Bobby Gengler and Art Mapes were presented the "Whittling Chip" card for demonstrating knowledge of safe knife usage and carving skills.

From the Webelos den, Scott Iwankovitch was awarded the "Citizen" badge by Webelos Den Leader Steven Roth.

Ken Micklash, representing the Cass City Gavel Club, presented Cubmaster Iwankovitch with a check for \$300 for the "Camper-ship" fund.

The Cub Scouts will have

a pizza/bowling party at the Charmont for their April pack event. The next pack

meeting will be held May 5 in the intermediate school cafeteria.

ENACT officials set for fundraising campaign

Aiding law enforcement efforts against drug trafficking in Tuscola County is the focus of a 3-month fundraising campaign that will be kicked off April 1 by ENACT (Eliminate Narcotic Activity in the County of Tuscola).

A non-profit organization, ENACT hopes to raise \$8,000 during the campaign, ENACT Board Chairman Victor Fitz remarked last week.

He added that the funds will be combined with \$4,000 collected by the organization over the past 2 years for a total of \$12,000, which will be donated to the sheriff's department for undercover narcotics investigations.

"Our goal is to put an undercover officer in the county on a full-time basis," Fitz, Tuscola County's chief assistant prosecutor, said.

ENACT was formed 2 years ago, and has raised about \$5,000 over that period, according to Fitz, who noted that money spent to date has been used for equipment purchases and undercover drug buys.

The upcoming fundraiser will include the use

of collection canisters as well as donations from service organizations and citizens. Local Lions Clubs in the county have volunteered to handle the canisters, Fitz said, adding that ENACT officials have scheduled meetings with various service groups in an effort to solicit support.

Private citizens who wish to donate to the organization can send their gifts to ENACT in care of the prosecutor's office.

"The nice thing about this is you know what it's (money) going to be used for—it's going to be earmarked for drug traffick-

ing enforcement," Fitz remarked.

"To us it's really important because you see the millions and billions spent on drugs in this nation," he continued. "To try to raise \$12,000 in our county doesn't seem to be that much."

Drawing winners announced

The Cass City Retail Chamber authorities announced winners in the free prize drawing held Saturday in connection with the "Swing into Spring" sale.

Grand prize winner was Cheryl Janssen of Cass City who won a swing set. Other winners and their prizes were: BMX bike, Bob Schafer, Elkton; 10-speed bike, Sue Wentworth, Decker; lawn chair and cooler, Serene Cody, Cass City, and fishing tackle box, Isabelle Seeley, Cass City.

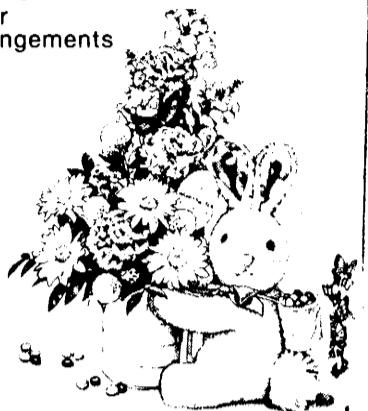
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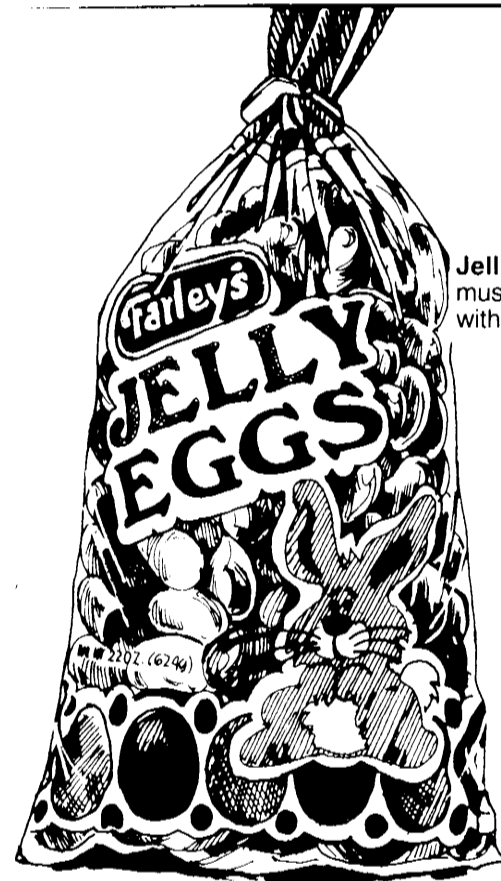
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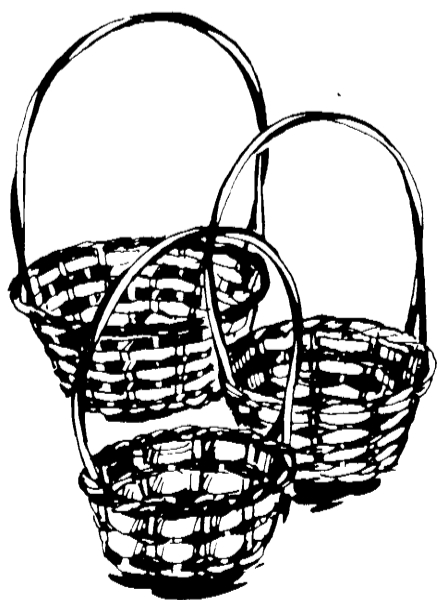
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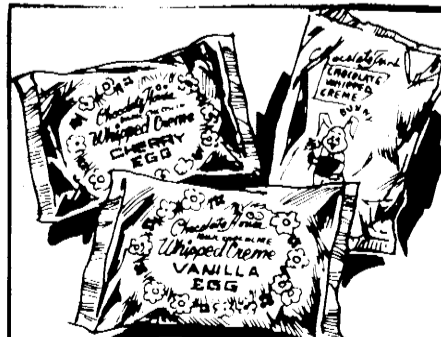
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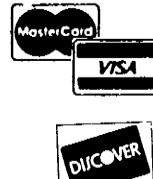
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FIRST-PLACE winners in the Wolf, Bear and Webelos divisions of the 1988 annual Cub Scout Pinewood Derby are (left) Tim Sherman, Josh Lounsbury (Grand Prix winner) and Justin Hulburt, respectively.

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The public is cordially invited to see this presentation.

Township annual meetings

Road work scheduled in many townships

Attendance was light at most area township annual meetings Saturday, when budgets for the 1988-89 fiscal year were approved.

Dwindling revenue because of falling land values was a common denominator among area townships. Road work, or lack of it, accounted for increased or decreased spending plans in a majority of 7 area townships.

Residents in Elmwood Township and in Sanilac County's Evergreen Township approved raises for township officials, while Ellington Township officials decided to seek additional road millage this summer.

Novesta Township, meanwhile, had the biggest turnout with 18 persons, including board members, while Elmwood, Elkland, Evergreen and Grant

townships each had 7 or fewer persons in attendance.

ELKLAND

It took only 25 minutes for Elkland Township officials to wrap up business for the 1987-88 fiscal year during their annual meeting at the Elkland Township Fire Hall.

A 1988-89 General Fund budget of \$184,315, which will guide expenditures and revenues for the fiscal year that begins April 1, was approved.

The proposed spending plan is nearly 20 percent higher than the \$147,949 actually spent by the township in 1987-88, but includes about \$31,000 in road construction and maintenance funds carried over from 1987-88. The township's proposed 1988-89 budget to-

taled \$179,750.

The largest planned expenditures in 1988-89 are for road work. Some \$30,000 has been budgeted for road maintenance, an increase of about \$15,000 from 1987-88 levels. Another \$39,215 has been earmarked for construction. Some \$37,380 was budgeted for construction in 1987-88, but only \$7,514 was spent.

Township Supervisor Dave Milligan stated that the board has not decided yet on any specific road projects for the coming year.

Planned transfers from the General Fund in 1988-89 include \$8,750 to the Fire Fund, compared to \$11,273 in 1987-88, and \$2,810 to the Cemetery Fund, compared to \$21,000 the year before.

Turning to revenues, the township expects 1988-89 income from property taxes to be at least equal to that in the previous year at \$75,000. A fund balance of \$5,000 is anticipated at the beginning of the new fiscal year, compared to \$1,722 in 1987-88. The township has another \$125,000 in savings, officials estimate.

Other township funds approved include the Cemetery Fund, set at \$25,640 for 1988-89. The figure represents a decrease of \$14,681 from the previous year in actual expenditures because the township improved roads in the cemetery, township Clerk Norma Wallace pointed out. The 1987-88 proposed cemetery budget was set at \$25,340.

Also approved were the township's 1988-89 Fire Fund of \$41,450, an increase of \$6,555 over actual 1987-88 expenditures (the 1987-88 proposed budget was \$41,100), and the Perpetual Care Fund of \$4,250. Although final actual figures for that fund are not available yet, Wallace indicated proposed 1988-89 expenditures represent an increase of \$2,000 earmarked for the purchase of Certificates of Deposit.

There is no Federal Revenue Sharing Fund for 1988-89 as the program has been eliminated. The township's 1987-88 revenue sharing fund totaled \$10,600.

No other action was taken during the meeting, although brief discussion on 2 matters was held between the 4 board members and 2 residents in attendance.

Supervisor Dave Milligan stated that 2 area churches have registered complaints regarding the noon fire whistle on Sundays. Elkland Fire Chief Dick Root stated that the whistle could be shut off manually, and added that the fire department is required to test the whistle only once per day. No motion was made on the matter.

Also, Root requested that firemen receive a raise—from \$4 to \$5 per hour—during fire runs. Wallace indicated that the raise could be granted without increasing the amount allocated for salaries in the Fire Fund.

The board indicated it will consider the matter

during a future regular board meeting.

NOVESTA

A reduced 1988-89 budget was approved during a 1 1/2-hour meeting attended by 18 persons, township Clerk Nurse L. Kloc reported.

The township's 1988-89 spending plan is set at \$102,412, down by \$7,386 from the 1987-88 budget of \$109,798. The budget, which calls for revenues of \$102,700, includes \$32,583 in carryover funds from 1987-88, as well as \$12,000 in unallocated money.

Funds earmarked for road construction, typically the biggest expense, also are down for 1988-89. The township plans to spend \$40,000 for roads during the next fiscal year, compared to \$53,400 in 1987-88.

Township officials hope to offset declining land values and boost their future road work plans via a special road millage request.

Voters will be asked to approve an additional one mill for 5 years in a special election slated for April 5. The millage would raise about \$12,000 a year based on recent state equalized valuation figures.

The township millage question will accompany a county-wide millage request of 1.5 mills for 4 years on the April 5 ballot.

In other business Saturday, electors voted to seek sealed bids for work at the township hall.

Township Supervisor William C. O'Dell explained that the hall will be remodeled, including removal of the structure's upper story and installation of a new roof.

The board also decided to continue meeting on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

ELLINGTON

Ellington Township voters this summer will decide a special road millage request of 3 mills for 10 years.

The action was approved during the township's 2-hour annual meeting, attended by 15 persons.

"We presented and adopted a 10-year plan for road improvements in the township," Clerk Clayton L. Turner stated. "We also approved putting a road millage proposition on the August ballot."

Turner explained that the 10-year road plan, which is contingent on approval of the additional millage, was drafted by himself and the board over a 3- to 4-month period.

If the additional millage is approved, those funds would be combined with General Fund money and possibly federal funds for a total of \$80,000 in road work per year, he said. Turner estimated that the millage would raise about \$30,000 in 1988-89.

Regardless of the millage outcome, township officials plan to spend more for roads in 1988-89 than they did the year before.

The board approved a 1988-89 General Fund budget of \$122,955, up by nearly \$40,000 over the 1987-88 spending plan.

The 1988-89 expenditures will be covered by \$75,078 in revenues along with \$87,000 in fund balance, leaving a fund balance of \$39,348.

Most of the budget increase is due to the cost of 3 road projects, Turner said. Nearly \$91,000 will be spent on roads in 1988-89, compared to \$54,374 during the previous year.

Projects slated to be completed are graveling of 2 miles of Jacob Road between Tomlinson and Dutcher roads, and 1.8 miles of Orr Road between Albin and Deckerville roads, and rebuilding of one mile of Akron Road between Green and Cedar Run roads, Turner remarked.

Also approved was a 1988-89 Fire Fund of \$8,500, slightly more than in 1987-88. Total revenues in that fund are set at \$6,669, while fund balance totals \$23,531.

Also, the board decided to continue regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month.

ELMWOOD

Less revenue due to declining land values prompted the township board to approve a reduced budget of \$81,000 for 1988-89.

The spending plan represents a decrease of 53 percent, or \$91,500 from the 1987-88 budget of \$172,500, which included more than \$100,000 for road work.

The more than \$100,000 for roads in 1987-87 included money carried over from 1986-87, and road millage funds, according to township Clerk Joanne M. Sattelberg.

"We're having to tighten our belts," Sattelberg remarked, adding that no major road projects are planned for 1988-89. "We'll do what we can, but it probably will be mostly graveling and patching."

Although state revenue sharing is up, Sattelberg pointed to falling property tax revenues due to declining land values. The township expects to collect \$24,000 in property taxes in 1988-89, she said, compared to \$29,200 the year before, and \$37,800 in 1986-87.

Revenue from a road millage (one mill for 5 years) also is down, with \$14,400 expected in 1988-89, compared to \$17,700 in 1987-88, and \$23,000 in 1986-87, Sattelberg noted.

Also during the 45-minute annual session, attended by 5 persons, raises for the supervisor, clerk and treasurer were okayed.

The officers, who haven't received a pay increase in at least 3 years, each will receive an additional \$500 in 1988-89, Sattelberg said, adding that the supervisor currently makes \$2,000, while the clerk and treasurer each earn \$3,000.

Township board meeting dates will remain the same in 1988-89 at 7:30 p.m. on the

Mice fancy

Taking a fancy to mice: A passion among some Britishers is breeding and showing fancy mice. Unlike ordinary mice, fancy mice come in a wide array of colors. International Wildlife magazine reports that the enthusiasm for fancy mice began in London in the 19th century. The owner of a "waltzing mouse" bred the first colorful batch. His mouse had a genetic defect that made it turn in circles. When it was crossed with an ordinary mouse, the resulting offspring exhibited a range of colors new to mousedom.

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GREENLEAF

A reduction in planned road work for the 1988-89 fiscal year allowed Sanilac County's Greenleaf Township Board to approve a budget of \$87,530, down by nearly 34 percent from 1987-88 spending of \$130,000.

The budget dominated discussion during the 1 1/2-hour meeting. Eleven persons attended.

"We're not going to go with any new construction," township Clerk Clare Brown said, adding that the township is caught up on road projects. "We're just going to go with some gravel work this year."

The township plans to spend about \$30,000 on roads in 1988-89, considerably less than the \$70,000 spent the year before. Much of that work was new construction, Brown pointed out, adding that the funding included money carried over from previous budget years.

Also approved Saturday was an annual contribution of \$100 to the Cass City Recreation program, and the township's brush control and brining programs. Brown said the township will again pay \$5,000 for a double-coat brining in the spring.

Regular meetings of the township board will continue on the third Thursday of each quarter. The meetings begin at 8 p.m.

EVERGREEN

Also in Sanilac County, Evergreen Township officials approved a reduced budget for 1988-89, according to township Clerk Otis Dorland, who reported that 7 persons attended the 2-hour annual meeting.

The board approved a spending plan totaling \$85,000, down by 23 percent from the 1987-88 budget of \$111,000.

"The land values are going down and the income is going down," Dorland remarked, adding that the board reduced road projects and approved across-the-board cuts to trim the 1988-89 spending plan.

Dorland said the board has decided to spend \$41,000

on roads in 1988-89, about \$11,000 less than in 1987-88.

Some \$24,000 in funds from a special road millage approved 2 years ago (one mill for 5 years) will go towards the reconstruction of Germania Road. A section between Robinson and Argyle roads will be done in 1988-89, Dorland noted. He added that another \$17,000 in township funds will be used for patching, gravel, brining and spraying.

In other business Saturday, township officials received pay increases for the first time since 1984.

The supervisor, who also serves as assessor, will receive a \$500 raise for a total salary of \$3,400, Dorland said. The clerk and treasurer, who each now earn \$1,700, will receive an additional \$300 in 1988-89, and the trustees, deputy clerk and deputy treasurer each will receive \$60 per meeting, up from \$40 per meeting.

Also, the board approved an annual gift of \$250 for the Cass City Recreation program, and voted to continue meeting on the third Thurs-

day of every third month at 7:30 p.m.

GRANT

In Huron County's Grant Township, Supervisor Betty Powell reported approval of a 1988-89 budget totalling \$127,500, up 41 percent (\$52,672) from 1987-88 spending of \$74,828.

Much of the increase is due to plans for increased road spending, Powell explained. She added that \$80,000 has been earmarked for roads in 1988-89, compared to \$52,000 the year before.

About \$22,000 of the road money will come from a road millage (2 mills for 3 years) that will expire in 1988-89.

Projected cost increases relating to insurance, elections, brush spraying and ditch work also contributed to the increased budget.

Six persons attended the 1 1/2-hour meeting, according to Powell, who noted that the board will continue to meet on the first Monday of every other month at 8 p.m.

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Edanna Sweeney spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney and family in Lansing. David Sweeney was a Sunday guest.

A.J. Beatie visited Don Jackson Thursday.

Mrs. David Hacker spent Wednesday with Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Friday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Howey.

Mrs. John O'Henley spent Thursday with Edanna Sweeney and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson and Edith visited Mrs. Harold Rounds in Bad Axe Saturday afternoon.

Barbara Lemke and son Mark were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Jack Krug.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills came home Monday after spending the winter in New Port Richey, Fla. Robert Walker and Reva Silver were Monday supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland spent Sunday with Beth Cleland at Big Rapids.

Laura Bloom and Brent Jackson of Bad Axe were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mrs. George Jackson and Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Britt were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Bob Cleland Jr. visited Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford and Bill Cleland at Drayton Plains Friday.

Jeanette Osentoski was a Saturday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar.

Brian Sweeney and David Sweeney spent Friday near Cadillac.

Matt Miller attended a Cub Scout meeting in Cass City Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer took his bowling squad of 16 couples to Pinconning to the Scotch Doubles, an annual affair, where they bowled Sunday. Lois and Marr Hill were high bowlers for the squad.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Ray Depcinski and A.J. Beatie were Tuesday evening guests of Don Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer of Cass City were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace were Wednesday evening guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Sylvester Osentoski was a Monday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolar.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Sunday afternoon guests of Charlie Moore at Palms.

Mrs. Evans Gibbard visited Lillian Otulakowski and Stella Leszczynski Wednesday.

Mrs. Steve Rickett and son Corey of Redford spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff. Angie Doerr was a Saturday afternoon visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills, Robert Walker and Reva Silver were Tuesday evening guests of Edanna Sweeney and David.

Mrs. Hiram Keyser and Mrs. Curtis Cleland, Phyllis Pelton and Marion Gray attended the MAEH Council meeting at the Extension conference room at Sandusky Monday.

Jason and Jim Jackson are spending a few days with Don Jackson and Mrs. George Jackson.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming were Friday forenoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cleland and family at Drayton Plains and

spent from Friday afternoon till Monday with Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford. Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Sedaburg, Bob Cleland Sr. of Waterford, Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming went to the Oakland sportsman's club for a wild game dinner and later went to the Dobski restaurant at Keego Harbor to hear Mrs. Bill Cleland sing.

Brenda Tyrrell of Saginaw spent the weekend with Kathryn Tyrrell.

Mrs. Brian Sweeney, Janice, Paula and Roger were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Youngs at Elkton.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mrs. Kim Anthony and family Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Harry Miller, Joan Warner and Kathy Martinez were Sunday afternoon guests of Margaret Carlson for cake and ice cream in honor of Margaret Carlson's birthday. Mrs. George Jackson was a Sunday evening guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer came home Friday after spending the winter in Holiday, Fla.

Bob Cleland Jr. and Mrs. Alex Cleland visited Jack Pelton Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Cliff Jackson was a Tuesday lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Damm and Mrs. Bob Damm and Christy in Pigeon and visited Bessie Spencer at the Scenic Convalescent Home in Pigeon.

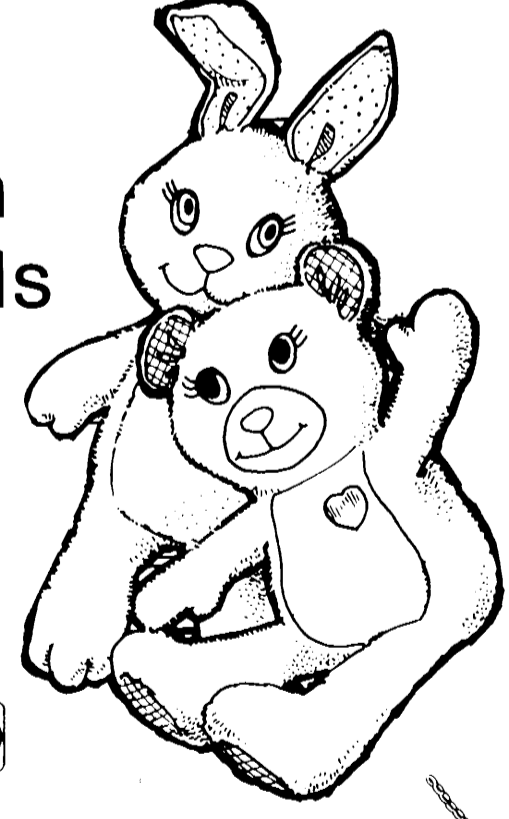
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 Odin - 6-rowed winter type for feed.
 Birka - 6-rowed spring type for feed only.
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WINTER WHEAT

Frankenmuth - soft white grain, 4-5" shorter than Ionia, Hessian fly resistant.

August - soft white grain, 4-5" shorter than Ionia.
 Hillsdale - soft red grain, taller than Arthur and 3-4 days later.
 Caldwell - soft red grain, 35" tall, Hessian fly resistant.
 Fillmore - soft red grain, excellent test weight, Hessian-fly resistant.

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On the basis of Michigan tests, spring wheat has yielded 25 to 30 percent less than the recommended varieties of winter wheat. On the basis of limited data, Era, Marshall, Wheaton, Butte, and Len varieties are suggested. All are semi-dwarf types; all spring wheat are basically feed wheat in Michigan.

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2 area pupils qualify for HOSA event

Two Cass City students are among several Tuscola Area Skill Center students who recently qualified for the state Health Occupations Students of America competition, to be held April 29 and 30 in Kalamazoo.

The students, Christina Sellers and John Partaka, both of Cass City, are among 17 students from the Tuscola Area Skill Center who competed at the regional conference of HOSA, held March 12 in Westland.

Sellers competed in the extemporaneous health display category, while Partaka was involved in the laboratory assisting category.

Also during the regional event, Caro High School junior Robbin Broadworth was elected Region III vice-president. She will be installed at the state conference, and will serve as a member of the State HOSA Leadership Team for the next year.

HOSA is a national organization operating to attract young people to careers in the medical, nursing and health professions.



THE "RAZAMATAZ READERS" clinched the 5th and 6th grade division title in the Battle of the Books competition Friday. Above are team members (back row, left) Deanna Baker, Michelle Brown, Shawna Peasley, (front row) Lisa Wallace and Amy Burns.

Winners named in "Battle of Books"

The winners and runners-up in the "Battle of the Books" competition were decided Friday and Saturday in Cass City.

In the fifth and sixth grade competition final, held Friday at Rawson Memorial Library, the "Razamataz Readers" defeated the "Michigan Wolvereaders," while the "Red Hot Readers" bested the "Book Busters" for the third and fourth grade championship.

In the honors round, held Saturday at the high school, meanwhile, fifth and sixth grade team the "All-Star Readers"—Betsi Gengler, Tracy Moore, Stacey Klinkman, Michelle Peruski and Melanie Fritz—claimed third place, and the "Foxy Five"—Kristy Messing, Darcie Monroe, Robin Longuski, Jenny Milligan and Carrie Tuckey—received fourth-place honors.

Third and fourth grade division runners-up were the "Red Hawk Readers," composed of Amanda Deering, Chad Diegel, Ashlie Chappel, Lesley Colling and Richard Priestap, and the "Crazy Cats," composed of Brenda Lounsbury, Cori Britt, Beth Reinhold, Dawn Longuski and Amanda Hudson.

The "Book Lovers of 1987-88" received honorable mention. Members of the team are Charity Gaszczynski, Karissa McIntosh, Rochelle Shaft, Jake Lounsbury and Melissa Grammatico.



WINNERS OF THE 3rd and 4th grade division are the "Red Hot Readers," composed of (back row, left) Andrea Cooper, Danny Sherman, Jill Wright, (front row) Heather Dunn and Emily Miller.

Cass City Schools

Honor Roll is announced

NINTH GRADE

All A's: Christopher Freundt, Jandi Hillaker, Peter Kappen, Janet Kubacki, Randy Peasley.

B or Better: Robert Batel, Amiee Cooper, Alan Dadacki, Sharie DeLong, Angela Hennessey, Chris Herringshaw, Dede Jackson, Tina McFarland, Kirt Merchant, LeAnn Meredith, Tricia Opal, Tracey Patera, Ryan Pringle, Roberta Rockwell, Steven Tuckey, Melissa Zinnecker.

TENTH GRADE

All A's: Mike Bills, Steve Bills, Josh Constas, Scott Dillon, Jan Erla, Ken Micklash, Janel Sweeney.

B or Better: Sandra Bulla, Wendy Hercliff, Jennifer Jamison, Doug Marker, Judy Matthews, Paula Merchant, Susan Papp, Garold Peasley, Beth Powell, Jason Robertson, Christie Rutkoski, Tim Rutkoski, Mary

Shagena, Don Smith, Kevin Smith, Laura Turner, Chris Ventline, Jackie Younglove.

ELEVENTH GRADE

All A's: Caren Britt, Jeff Hrycko, Brian Jones, Bill Kappen, Scott King, Janet Koch, Melissa Knowlton, Michelle Laming, Pam Nieboer, Ted Peasley, Roger Root, Cesar Valdez, Leigh Voss.

B or Better: Sally Brooks, Tracy Dohning, Dawn Edzik, Melissa Flemington, Amy Francis, John Kritzman, LeAnn LaRoche, Julie Loomis, Wendy Melendorf, John Merchant, Lorie Messing, Pat Murphy, Cindy Powell, Kathy Rockwell, Connie Schneebarger, Jason Smith.

TWELFTH GRADE

All A's: Kevin Bergman, Lisa Britt, Jane Dickinson, Vickey Englehart, Mark Gracey, Greg Hanby, Jack Hawley, Alice Kappen, Kathy Leino, Hilary Pike, Dean Whittaker.

B or Better: Barry Brown, Dave Burnette, Jeremy Capps, John Carlson, Kathy Connolly, Sandy Frank, Charlie Hall, Tanya Hatmaker, Angela Herron, Tammy Hurd, Deanna Hutchinson, Mike

Jones, Kris King, Laura Kosal.

Kathy Marshall, Kristy Marshall, Karen Mathewson, Chuck Merchant, Mike Mikolon, Dawn Mulrath, Chris Rabideau, Raquel Rockwell, Allen

Rosenstangel, Brenda Severance, Becky Smerdon, Jeff Sontag, Terri Summers, Dan Tuckey, Matt Tuckey, Wendy Wheeler, Bonnie Wilson, Teri Wilson, Shelly Woodruff, Julie Wrona.

RED HAWK STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Presented by the Cass City High School Student Council

Earning student of the week honors are Cass City 1988 valedictorians who maintained a perfect 4.0 grade average during their high school careers, left to right, Jane Dickinson, Mark Gracey, Kathy Leino and Dan Tuckey.

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Elkland volunteers called to 2 blazes

Elkland Township firemen over the past week responded to 2 blazes, including a chimney fire that caused slight damage to an area home.

Fire fighters were called to a blaze at the Otis Wright residence, 5694 Argyle Rd., Decker, at 5:50 p.m. March 22.

The fire, caused by an overheated wood furnace, was "pretty well out" when firemen arrived, Elkland Chief Dick Root reported. He added that a chimney and a wall had caught fire, causing minor structural and smoke damage.

Firemen responded to a grass fire Friday afternoon near a Deford area residence.

Root said the blaze, which covered about 1/4 of an acre at 1545 Phillips Rd., apparently was ignited by a pile of burning rubbish.

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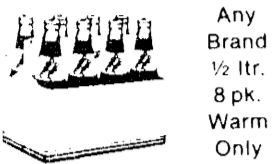
Special services for Lutherans

Holy Week services at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church include congregational Maundy Thursday potluck supper at 6:30 in the fellowship hall with communion service.

Worship services Good Friday are at 1:30.

Easter Sunday early service at 7:00 a.m. is followed by breakfast served by the youth group at 8:00 a.m. Regular worship service is 9:30. A special program is planned for Sunday School at 10:45 a.m.

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- Cass City VFW #1 56
- Dream Team 55
- #Ones 51
- Should A Been 50
- The Family 49
- Cass City VFW #2 44
- Four Stars 42
- Whatever 37
- S.O.A. 37
- Odd Balls 34
- Bee Gees 34
- Paisanos 15

- Men's High Series: J. Howard 589, D. Burkel 583.
- Men's High Games: J. Howard 248, B. Soldan 230, D. Burkel 210.
- Women's High Series: C. Haley 515.
- Women's High Game: C. Haley 217.
- High Team Series: Cass City VFW #2 1963.
- High Team Series: #Ones 695.

HOLY ROLLERS
March 20, 1988

- Schott's Accounting 16
- M&G's 16
- Pin Tippers 15
- Auctioneers 15
- Sandbaggers 14
- Should of Beens 14
- Moose's Folly 13
- Easy Does It 8
- Sugar Makers 7
- Rolling Relatives 6*
- Re-Racks 5*
- *Incomplete.

- Women's High Game: J. Lapp 203.
- Women's High Series: J. Lapp 536.
- Men's High Games: K. Schott 233, K. Martin 223, C. Comment 211-200, G. Lapp 216-202, G. Jackson 202-202, N. Willy 207.
- Men's High Series: N. Willy 584, G. Lapp 571, C. Comment 571, G. Jackson 557, K. Schott 553, J. Hacker 544.

High Team Game: Pin Tippers 709.
High Team Series: Pin Tippers 2015.

MERCHANTS' "A"
March 23, 1988

- Charmont 23
- Brentwood 21
- Croft-Clara Lumber 19
- Scott Chevy-Olds 19
- Paul's Urethane Sys. 17
- New England Life 15
- Cass City State Bank 15
- Kingston State Bank 14
- Fuelgas 14
- Best 5 13
- Cass City Oil & Gas 13
- Kritzman's 9

- High Series: R. Custard 640, E. Schulz 615, L. Wenzlaff 608, T. Comment 597, M. Lutz 595, J. Storm 594, D. Ouvry 588, J. Putnam 585, J. Gagnon 584, D. Doerr 582, D. Miller 579, B. Musall 579, J. Lefler 573, J. Smithson 569, P. Robinson 562, P. Harner 560, M. Lefler 559, P. Smith 551.

- High Game: D. Doerr and J. Storm 244, E. Schulz 228, M. Grifka 225, J. Lefler 219, R. Custard 218-212-210, M. Lefler 216, T. Comment 215, T. Furness 214, J. Putnam 214, D. Ouvry 213, L. Wenzlaff 213, J. Smithson 212, B. Musall 211.

MERCHANTS' "B"
March 23, 1988

- Herron Builders 27
- Clare's Sunoco 24
- D&D Construction 19
- Warju Flooring 18
- Winter's Truck Sales 17
- Tuckey Concrete 13
- Jaycees 13
- Cass Tavern 12
- Charmont 11
- Fuelgas 6

- High Series: R. Custard 743, P. McIntosh 612, J. Zawilinski 603, B. McLachlan 594, J. Peyerker 576, T. Comment 575, P. Brown 572, M. Lefler 572, T. Smith 566, B. Ridenour 560.
- High Games: R. Custard

- 278-277, P. McIntosh 238-226, P. Brown 238, T. Comment 217, J. Peyerker 215, T. Smith 212, J. Zawilinski 211-211, J. Maharg 210.

SUNDAY NO ROLLERS
March 20, 1988

- Power Pistons 23
- D&D Construction 20 1/2
- Gamblers 20 1/2
- Intimidators 15 1/2
- Warju Flooring 14 1/2
- J&J's 13
- Spuds 12
- D&T's 11
- Road Runners 11
- Hummers 10
- Bill's Foodland 9
- Designer Balls 8

- Men's High Series: C. Karr 688, K. Beachy 654, R. Custard 605, S. Murphy 587, R. Bouck 584, J. Howard 552, P. Leiterman 548.

- Men's High Games: K. Beachy 246, C. Karr 243-237-208, K. Beachy 232, S. Murphy 230-202, B. Inbody 224, R. Custard 215-200, J. Howard 208.

- Women's High Series: P. Ulfig 539.

- Women's High Game: P. Ulfig 216.

- High Team Series: Road Runners 210.

- High Team Game: D&D Construction and Intimidators 748.

THURSDAY NITE TRIO
March 24, 1988

- Northon Const. 16
- Scott Chevy-Olds 16
- Cass City IGA 14
- Quaker Maid 13
- Croft-Clara 13
- Rolling Hills 13
- Kilbourn Serv. 12
- Spaulding Bldg. 12
- Anthony's Party Store 10
- Nelesco 9
- Jacques Seeds 9
- Kilbourn Tech 7

- High Team Series: Northon Construction 1999.
- High Team Game: Quaker Maid 690.
- High Series: D. Beecher 595, N. Willy 594, G. Deering 590, E. Schmaltz 578, J. Healy 589, K. Northon 580.
- High Games: K. Northon and E. Schmaltz 226, G. Robinson 213, R. Nicholas 223, N. Willy 222, J. Healy 214, R. Kilbourn 224, D. Beecher 222.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "A"
March 21, 1988

- Miller Eggs, Inc. 36
- LaFave Steel 32
- Blue Water Harvestore 29
- Hogan's IGA 28
- J&J Brinkman Farms 26
- Charmont 23
- Estech, Inc. 22
- D&F Signs 20
- Kermit's Crushers 16
- Cass City Sports 9
- Larry's Car Wash 6
- Doakers Pro Shop 5

- High Series: M. Lutz 685, E. Schulz 671, T. Comment 657, J. Howard 647, R. Spaulding 650, J. Lefler 628, B. McLachlan 624, D. O'Dell 623, T. Dorland 618, M. Diegel 603, B. Bader 593, J. Brinkman 589, S. Murphy 586, D. Doerr 588, S. Miller 579, J. Smithson 577, R. Rabideau 571, D. Neibauer 569, G. Graham 562, R. Englehardt 561, J. Dunkam 557, W. Swastyn 555, D. Miller 552.
- High Games: J. Howard 278-213, T. Comment 266-217, M. Lutz 265-226, E. Schulz 253-211, J. Lefler 247, R. Spaulding 247, D. Doerr 246, S. Miller 241, D. O'Dell

Hills and Dales to hold classes on diabetes

A series of classes on diabetes will begin next week at Hills and Dales General Hospital. "Diabetes Update 1988" will begin April 5 with a free introduction and registration period from 7 to 8 p.m. Two-hour classes will be held April 12, 19, and 29 and May 3. Participants will be charged a fee, which covers materials, individualized consultation with a dietitian and other professional staff, if needed, and 8 hours of classroom instruction by a nurse, dietitian, physical therapist and pharmacist. Additional information on the series is available by contacting the hospital at 872-2121.

- 224-210, G. Graham 223, R. Englehardt 223, D. Neibauer 222, R. Brinkman 222, T. Dorland 221-210, M. Diegel 220, J. Brinkman 218, B. McLachlan 214, J. Smithson 214, D. Hampshire 213, S. Murphy 212, R. Rabideau 211, R. Doerr 210.
- High Team Series: J&J Brinkman Farms 2969.
- High Team Game: Miller Eggs, Inc. 1052.

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE
March 24, 1988

- Deford Country Gro. 37
- Kingston State Bank 28
- Family Circus 27
- Farm Credit Service 27
- Pin Pals 16
- Rosie's Roses 8

- High Series: B. Watson 532, L. Yost 515, E. Zajac 504.

- High Games: E. Zajac 196.

- High Team Series: Deford Grocery 1824.

- High Team Game: Deford Grocery 623.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES' LEAGUE
March 22, 1988

- Chemical Bank 30 1/2
- Get Away Gang 26 1/2
- Charmont Boozers 25 1/2
- Country Gals 21 1/2
- Georgine's 20
- WWI 20

- High Series: L. Beachy 499.

- High Game: J. Britt 180.

- High Team Game: Georgine's 585.

- High Team Series: Charmont Boozers 1701.

CHARMONT LADIES

- Veronica's 20
- Live-Wires 19
- Charmont 16
- Colony House 16
- Pizza Villa 16
- Cable-ettes 15
- Anthony's Party Shoppe 14
- Fort's 13
- Spare-Me 12
- Truemner Salvage 11
- Cass City State Bank 9
- Erla's 7

- High Team Game: Anthony's Party Shoppe 1046.
- High Team Series: Veronica's 3075.
- High Series: C. Smithers 604, S. DeLong 564, J. Lapp 551, P. Corcoran 502.
- High Games: C. Smithers 215-204, S. DeLong 202, J. Lapp 200.

MERCHANETTE LEAGUE
March 24, 1988

- Cass City Sports 18
- Konrad's Bakery 17
- Caro Chiropractic 16
- Cass City State Bank 14
- Chemical Bank 13
- Kritzman's 13
- Sobczak Construction 12
- Miller's Chicks 10
- Kelly & Co. Realty 10
- IGA Foodliner 8
- Anrod Screen Cyl. 7
- Croft-Clara Lumber 6

- High Team Series: Caro Chiropractic 2394.

- High Team Game: Caro Chiropractic 860.

- 500 Series: C. Furness 584, J. Smithson 548, G. Corcoran 546, C. Davidson 543, P. Corcoran 523, J. Morell 513, D. Childs 510, J. Pajot 503.

- 200 Games: C. Furness 213-202, K. Ridenour 202, G. Corcoran 201.

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New books at the library

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MARY EMMERLING'S AMERICAN COUNTRY COOKING: Recipes and Menus from Family and Friends Across America (nonfiction). Through vivid colors, lavish illustrations and homestyle cooking, this volume celebrates "the warmth of country style." Following the calendar year from early spring through late winter, Emmerling presents 28 complete meals from rustic locales across the country. Background tidbits on the "hosts," setting and food are offered as integral parts of each party. With color photographs of scenic surroundings, prepared dinner tables and parties in progress, Emmerling conveys the country lifestyle; the commonplace recipes are almost an afterthought.

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Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Copeland returned home Monday after spending the winter at Inverness, Fla.

Colleen Janssen came home from the Distributive Education Clubs of America state convention with medals for finishing in the top 8 for food marketing and third place in competency based events. The senior attends Cass City High School and Tuscola Area Skill Center.

Keith McConkey this week announced the winners in the drawings held in conjunction with the grand opening of his remodeled jewelry store. They were Pat Childs, Fay Bullock, Joyce Vargo, Connie Schwaderer, Genevieve Freiburger and Rachel Lamoureux.

Cass City native Arlene Peplinski and her husband

Blood drive nets 49 units

A recent blood drive sponsored by the Owendale Women's Club and conducted by the Red Cross Bloodmobile unit from Flint netted 49 units of blood.

Among the 56 persons who attended the drive were first time donors Chris Abbe, Marcie Draschil, Tonya Haldane, Shawn Norcross, Sharon Parker, Nick Pavlichek, Troy Reehl, Marc Reinhardt, Susan Salcido, Lois Albrecht, Joy Sprague and Sheila Sockow.

A spokesman for the women's club expressed appreciation of local businesses that donated to the drive, as well the donors, Owen-Gage students who helped set up the bloodmobile and Clarence Gaeth and Jim Roe.

John of Essexville have purchased Huron Woods Nursing Home in Kawkwalin. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill O'Dell of Cass City.

TEN YEARS AGO

After 36 years, Charles Bigelow has decided it is time for someone else to take over as sexton of the Elkland Township Cemetery.

Airman First Class Thomas D. Moore, son of Mrs. John Moore of Cass City, has been named outstanding airman of the quarter at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio.

Eleanor Horst of Owendale was the winner of \$5,000 in the Michigan Lottery's instant game, "Tic-Tac-Dough."

Elkland township firemen presented Dick Root with a clock-plaque Monday night honoring him for having served 25 years with the department. Fire Chief Jack Hartwick made the presentation.

25 YEARS AGO

Two 17-year-old youths enlisted in the Navy Mar. 21. They are Leslie Schram, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Schram, and Alan Guilds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guilds, all of Cass City.

John B. Battel spent a week's vacation at home, returning to school at East Lansing Sunday.

Dick Erla, co-owner of Erla Food Center, announced this week that the store was going out of the food locker rental business in order to have more space for the grocery business.

Richard Donahue was among 787 Michigan State University students awarded degrees as winter graduates recently. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. H. Theron Donahue of Cass City.

35 YEARS AGO

Bernard Freiburger was the unanimous choice of the board of directors of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce Monday evening for the post of president.

Charlotte Patterson won over \$200 in the Woman's State Bowling Tournament. Three other Cass City bowlers, Mrs. Doris Klinkman, Mrs. June Paddy and Miss Irene Stafford, also won money in the tournament.

Army Pvt. Jack Kappen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kappen, rural Cass City, is en route home after spending 8 months fighting in Korea.

Army Pfc. James A. Cutler, son of Mrs. Myrtle McColl, Cass City, recently completed maneuvers in Japan.

G. Kocan on MTU dean's list

A Cass City resident is among 861 students who earned placement on the dean's list at Michigan Technological University for the winter quarter.

Gerald H. Kocan, Cass City, qualified for the honor by earning a grade point average of 3.5 or better. He is a senior studying mechanical engineering.

Some used to consider it bad luck for women to look at trumpets.

Writer's Club to meet April 12

Persons interested in writing short stories are invited to the next meeting of the Thumb Area Writer's Club slated for April 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanilac County conference rooms, 37 Austin St., Sandusky.

A short story workshop will be conducted by Dick Colwell, who teaches creative writing at St. Clair Community College in Port Huron. Colwell has more than 25 years of experience

in the writing field and is a dynamic speaker. He has been a popular guest at previous TAWC workshops and his presentations are both informative and innovative.

The club's annual Spring Writing Contest will begin April 1 and conclude June 15. The contest is open to all amateur writers residing in Michigan.

The categories are: short

story (1,500 words or less), non-fiction (1,000 words or less) and poetry (32 lines or less). Three cash prizes will be awarded in each category.

Persons who wish to obtain a complete list of contest rules and an entry form can send a self-addressed, stamped business size envelope to: TAWC Writing Contest, Box 27, Sandusky, MI 48471.



2nd Annual
Jaycees' Easter Egg Hunt
9:30 a.m.
Saturday, April 2
Ages up to 10 years old —
Bring Your Baskets To
Cass City Park Tennis Courts

SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A SPECIAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN ALL PRECINCTS IN TUSCOLA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ON

TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1988

TO VOTE ON THE FOLLOWING COUNTY AND LOCAL PROPOSALS

TUSCOLA COUNTY OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL
Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be levied against all property in the County of Tuscola, Michigan, be increased, as provided in Article 9, Section 6 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, and the County be authorized to levy 1.5 mills (One Dollar and Fifty Cents) per \$1,000.00 (One thousand Dollars) of the State Equalized Valuation of such property, in each of the four (4) years of 1988 through 1991 inclusive, to provide funds for operational purposes?

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL
Proposed by Township Board that we levy a ONE MILL TAX on Novesta Township SEV assessed valuation to be used solely for upgrading some of our Old Black Top roads and preparing other bed beds for future black topping for the period of 1988 thru 1992, inclusive?

AND ALSO ANY ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS OR PROPOSITIONS THAT MAY BE SUBMITTED

TREASURERS' TAX STATEMENT

Patricia Donovan, Treasurer of Tuscola County, Michigan, hereby certifies that as of January 31, 1988, the records of this office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitations established by the constitution of Michigan, in any local unit of government affecting the taxable property located in Tuscola County, Michigan, is as follows:

ASSESSMENT JURISDICTION	LOCAL SCHOOLS		INTER. SCHOOL		TOWNSHIP		COUNTY		TOTAL
	VOTED OPER	VOTED DEBT	VOTED BLDG	VOTED VO ED	VOTED OPER	VOTED BRIDGES	VOTED MED CARE		
AKRON TOWNSHIP	21.00		2.60	1.75	3.25	50	50	29.60	
AKRON FAIRGROVE SCHOOL	18.00	3.50	2.60	1.75	3.25	50	50	27.99	
ALMER TOWNSHIP	21.00		2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	27.35	
*AKRON FAIRGROVE SCHOOL	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	27.49	
HD SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	25.40	
SS CITY SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50		
ARBELA TOWNSHIP	17.95	1.31	2.00	1.25	2.00	50	50	24.76	
FRANKENMUTH SCHOOL	19.95	4.742	2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	32.04	
MILLINGTON SCHOOL	21.00	70	2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	41.66	
VASSAR SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	29.05	
*Sp. Ass. 7 Fire Dept									
COLUMBIA TOWNSHIP	21.00		2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	27.85	
AKRON FAIRGROVE SCHOOL	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	27.99	
CASS CITY SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	25.90	
GOSIN IN PROPERTY	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	25.90	
ORENGAGE SCHOOL	31.75	4.9157	2.60	1.75	1.49	50	50	41.66	
UNIONVILLE SEB SCHOOL	18.00	3.50	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	28.35	
DAYTON TOWNSHIP	20.50	2.50	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	29.35	
KINGSTON SCHOOL	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	29.75	
MAYVILLE SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50		
DENMARK TOWNSHIP	17.95	1.31	1.25	75	.61	50	50	23.37	
REESSE SCHOOL	16.50	3.25	2.60	1.75	.61	50	50	25.71	
VASSAR SCHOOL	21.00	70	2.60	1.75	.61	50	50	27.66	
*Sp. Ass. 7 Fire Dept									
ELKLAND TOWNSHIP	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	75	50	50	25.15	
SS CITY SCHOOL	31.75	4.9157	2.60	1.75	1.49	50	50	40.91	
REJONG SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	75	50	50		
ELLINGTON TOWNSHIP	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	50	50	50	26.99	
CARGO SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	50	50	50	24.90	
CASS CITY SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	50	50	50		
ELMWOOD TOWNSHIP	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	27.99	
CARGO SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	25.90	
CASS CITY SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	25.90	
GOSIN IN PROPERTY	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	25.90	
ORENGAGE SCHOOL	31.75	4.9157	2.60	1.75	1.49	50	50	41.66	
UNIONVILLE SEB SCHOOL	18.00	3.50	2.60	1.75	1.50	50	50	28.35	
FAIRGROVE TOWNSHIP	21.00		2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	28.35	
AKRON FAIRGROVE SCHOOL	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	28.49	
CARGO SCHOOL	16.50	3.25	2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	28.49	
REESSE SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	27.75	
FRANKENMUTH SCHOOL	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	26.49	
REESSE SCHOOL	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.75	
CARGO SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50		
MAYVILLE SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50		
GILFORD TOWNSHIP	21.00		2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	27.35	
AKRON FAIRGROVE SCHOOL	16.50	3.25	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	26.10	
REESSE SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50		
CARGO SCHOOL	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	27.80	
INDIANFIELDS TOWNSHIP	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.3059	50	50	27.80	
CARGO SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.3059	50	50		
UNIATA TOWNSHIP	21.00		2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	27.35	
*AKRON FAIRGROVE SCHOOL	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	27.49	
HD SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	26.10	
REESSE SCHOOL	16.50	3.25	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	27.55	
VASSAR SCHOOL	21.00	70	2.60	1.75	1.00	50	50	28.05	
KINGSTON TOWNSHIP	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.40	
CASS CITY SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.35	
KINGSTON SCHOOL	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	28.53	
MARLETTE SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50		
KOYLTON TOWNSHIP	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.35	
KINGSTON SCHOOL	18.50	2.1259	2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50	28.35	
MARLETTE SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	2.00	50	50		
MILLINGTON TOWNSHIP	19.95	4.7420	2.60	1.75	3.969	50	50	32.60	
MILLINGTON SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	3.969	50	50		
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NOVESTA TOWNSHIP	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	24.40	
CASS CITY SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50		
TUSCOLA TOWNSHIP	17.95	1.31	2.30	1.75	.50	50	50	23.26	
FRANKENMUTH SCHOOL	19.95	4.7420	2.60	1.75	.50	50	50	30.54	
MILLINGTON SCHOOL	21.00	70	2.60	1.75	.50	50	50	27.55	
VASSAR SCHOOL	21.00	70	2.60	1.75	.50	50	50	27.55	
VASSAR SCH. PINKERTON			2.60	1.75	.50	50	50		
*SP. ASS. 7 FIRE DEPT									
VASSAR TOWNSHIP	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.75	
*LINGTON SCHOOL	19.95	4.7420	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	30.04	
VASSAR SCHOOL	21.00	70	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	27.05	
WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.75	
MAYVILLE SCHOOL	18.95	4.7420	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	30.04	
MILLINGTON SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50		
WELLS TOWNSHIP	20.00	1.14	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	26.49	
CARGO SCHOOL	17.90	1.15	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	24.40	
CASS CITY SCHOOL	20.50	2.90	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.35	
KINGSTON SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50		
WISNER TOWNSHIP	21.00		2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	26.35	
AKRON FAIRGROVE SCHOOL	18.00	3.50	2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50	28.85	
UNIONVILLE SEB SCHOOL			2.60	1.75	1.75	50	50		
CITY OF VASSAR	21.00								

Gagetown Area News

Gen Kehoe

Phone 665-2221

The date named last week for the Elmwood Extension meeting was incorrect. It is to be at the home of Mrs. Murl LaFave Wednesday, April 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodell attended the St. Patrick's Day Festival at Bay City last weekend. Their grandson, Josh Beauchamp, competed in the children's races held before the parade. Each participant received a T-shirt and a medal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Raatz

Signing slated for

Easter service

The regular Easter Sunday Mass at St. Michael Catholic Church, Wilmot, will include interpretation via sign language for hearing impaired persons.

The April 3 Mass will begin at 11:30 a.m.

Peggy Melzo, Saginaw, will interpret the Mass with sign language, according to the Rev. James Falsey, the priest at both St. Michael and St. Joseph Catholic Church, Mayville.

"I was kind of excited about it," Falsey remarked. "We wanted to offer it. I think even for those of us who haven't witnessed signing, it's a beautiful language and it's kind of neat to see."



Actor Boris Karloff's real name was William Henry Pratt.

returned home after 2 months in Lake Placid, Fla., with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Strong.

Ann and Mary Lenhard of Saginaw each spent a night with their parents, Bill and Shirley Lenhard last week.

Madelyn and Jay Pitcher of Sebawaing were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elger Generous.

Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashmore were Andy Kozan of Cass City, his daughter, Frances Palmateer, and her baby son, Alec.

George Baranic returned home Saturday from Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, after undergoing surgery.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burrows were Ken and Mary Kay Koch of Southfield. Saturday visitors were Kathy Lupp and children of Essexville and David Burrows of Unionville.

Will Birch of Bay City underwent eye surgery at Bay Medical Center last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch attended the reception March 12 honoring newlyweds Fred Mikolon and Donna Matt at the VFW Hall in Sebawaing.

Don Schwartz spent the week in San Francisco visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Schwartz and son.

Janet Koch, student at Cass City High School in the advanced speech class, took part in forensics individual tournaments at Freeland and Midland March 12 and 19.

Sister Nancy Ayotte and Sister Judy O'Brien of

Kinde attended the funeral Tuesday of Wilford Booms at Helena. He was the father of Sr. Evelyn Booms of the IHM Community.

Janet Koch, a member of the Youth for Christ singing group, "Satisfaction," appeared with them in concert at the Tuscola Community Church. Hilda Koch and several relatives from the area attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch attended a farewell party last Tuesday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weber and family, who were leaving to return to Germany after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weber in Frankenthum, at whose home the party was held.

Mrs. Marian Dangel of Port Huron visited her sister, Mrs. W.C. Hunter Sunday.

Phylis and Skip Conners returned from LaBelle, Fla., to Caseville where they're selling their home on Main St. Mrs. Gerry Carolan visited Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Root entertained Sunday at an early Easter celebration and a farewell for their son Steve, who left Wednesday for duty at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. Guests at the family get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Root of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tamblin of Essexville and Mrs. Don Schwartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe and Velma Helwig attended the Palm Sunday brunch at Village Hall in Bay City and visited Mr. and Mrs. Wen Birch. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Birch of Grand Rapids were weekend guests of the Birches.

O-G seniors hold March meet

Members of the Owen-Gage Senior Citizens group who wish to attend a dinner slated April 21 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Bach, will be able to sign up for the event at the seniors' next meeting, to be held April 7.

The meetings are held at St. Agatha's Parish Hall in Gagetown.

According to Iva Volz, secretary of the senior citizens group, 38 members, including guests Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karr, attended a potluck dinner March 17.

Gerry Carolan and Mike Pisarek won the door prizes, while Jim Winchester received the traveling prize. Euchre winners were Beulah Kretzschmer and Donovan Schell (high), and Carolan and Karr (low).

The Human Development Commission's Foster Grandparent program was discussed during the group's March 3 business meeting, attended by 37 members. A letter explaining the program was read by Elma Miklovich.

Also during the meeting, blood pressures were taken by Johanna Miklovich. Door prizes were won by Pisarek and Johanna Miklovich.

The group's April committee will consist of Doris and Donovan Schell, Verneta Kling, Bernice Clara and Helen Rocheleau.

Beardmore to speak at Sanilac Republican meet

State Board of Education Vice-Chairman Dorothy Beardmore will be the guest speaker at a regular meeting of the Sanilac County Republican Committee, slated for 7:30 p.m. April 7 in the County Conference Room in Sandusky.

Beardmore will present a variety of information designed to help people understand the complexity of the state's education system and the difficulty of financing.

The public is invited to attend. Further information is available by contacting Carol Dale at (517) 635-3271.

Academic Track team suffers second loss

Cass City's team Academic Track record fell to 1-2 last week after a loss to Caro, 128 2/3-94 1/3.

Despite the loss, Cass City Intermediate School students netted 12 first-place marks and 9 second-place finishes in 26 competition categories.

First-place honors were earned for Cass City by Soo Yun (music and keyboard solo), Shane Pratt (trivia),

by C. Everett Koop, M.D., Surgeon General

Americans with a fondness for lead-glazed ceramic products, particularly those acquired overseas, should be alert to the potential that these products may have for causing lead poisoning. Improperly manufactured ceramic ware can release excessive amounts of lead into food, leading to serious, even life-threatening reactions.

Lead is a common component in glazing materials for ceramic dishes, bowls, pitchers, plates and other earthenware. The glaze is a thin, glassy coating that is applied and fused onto a shaped body of clay. For the fusion process to be safe, the lead glaze has to be fired to a high enough temperature for a sufficient length of time. Temperature and time vary, according to the glaze formulation, the size of the ceramic and other factors. Products not properly formulated and fired especially those used to store acidic foods for prolonged periods of time, present the greatest danger to consumers. The acid in the foods can speed leakage of the lead from the finish.

There is no way to tell, by simply looking at a piece of ceramic ware, whether it has lead in it or, if it does, whether the glaze was formulated and fired to meet accepted standards. Although most companies follow accepted manufacturing practices (recent inspections by the Food and Drug Administration indicate that U.S. ceramic producers are complying with required standards), an alarmingly high number of foreign companies producing ceramic ware do not. Because of the failure of their products to meet accepted standards, FDA currently is concentrating on ceramic ware imported from Italy, Macao, Mexico, North Korea, Pakistan, the Peoples' Republic of China and Thailand, among other countries.

FDA experts warn that products ordered by mail

HEALTH TIPS

Ceramic ware can cause lead poisoning

or brought into this country by tourists, military personnel and other overseas travelers often have been the source of lead-poisoning cases in recent years. At the same time, inherited antiques and old ceramic products discovered in attics or acquired at yard sales and craft shows also have posed public health problems.

Lead consumption can be devastating and even life-threatening. High levels of lead in the body can damage the nervous, reproductive, cardiovascular, immunologic and gastrointestinal systems, as well as the kidneys and liver and the process by which blood is formed. In children, even low lead levels can cause learning and behavior disorders and impair growth.

One of the primary dangers of lead poisoning is its insidiousness. While a single exposure to lead concentrations may not immediately produce dramatic symptoms, prolonged exposure to hazardous levels of lead may be initially overlooked as a source of these symptoms, and the patient may have to endure a period of physical and emotional agony until the proper diagnosis is made. For this reason, it is important to be aware of the problem as well as its manifestations, and to take steps to avoid it.

How to minimize exposure to lead in ceramic ware? Here are some tips from the FDA.

- Don't store goods in ceramic ware. Use glass or plastic containers for foods with high acid content, such as orange, tomato and other fruit juices, wines, tomato sauces, vinegar and so forth.

- Be similarly wary of antiques and collectibles. Family heirlooms and items sold at garage sales, craft shows, antique shops, flea markets and other such outlets may have been made before the establishment of

accepted manufacturing practices.

- Be cautious of ceramic items made by amateurs or hobbyists. Glazes that are safe can be obtained by hobbyists, but you have no way of knowing if proper techniques and equipment were used. The safest course is to buy for display only.

Ceramic ware can be tested by commercial laboratories, although the process may be expensive. For information on qualified laboratories in your area, call your local health department.

Salem class holds meet

The Golden Rule class of Salem United Methodist Church met in the fellowship room Thursday for potluck supper, hosted by Ray and Etta Fleenor.

A meeting followed conducted by the president, Mrs. Helen Bartle. Mrs. Audrey Katzenberger had devotions. Twenty members answered roll call.

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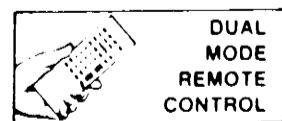
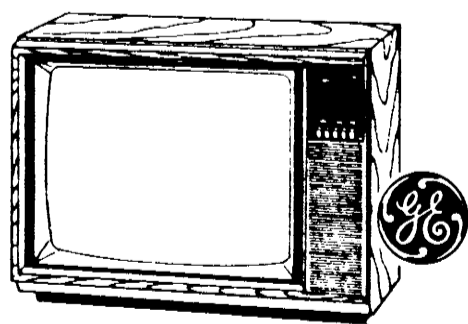
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Weatherman cooperates

There's skiing for everyone in Colorado

by John Haire

If you downhill ski you should ski Colorado at least once. It's like baseball, if you are a fan a trip to the major leagues is a must, and the mountains outside of Denver are the major leagues of skiing.

There is an almost bewildering choice of resorts to choose from and a bewildering crowd at every popular slope.

Keystone, Breckenridge, Aspen, Vail, Beaver Creek, Snowmass, Wolf Creek, Loveland, Winter Park, Aspen Highlands, Copper Mountain, Cooper Mountain, and Estes Park are a few, but by no means all, of the choices available.

For a Michigan skier any of these resorts would put to shame the best Michigan has to offer. All have runs that are over 3,000 feet from summit to base as compared to about 400 feet at Boyne Mountain, the best Michigan has to offer in the lower peninsula.

The runs are only part of the story. What brings skiers to Colorado from all over the United States is the snow and the climate. In Colorado you don't see the snow-making machines that dot the sides of every ski run here. Two of the 4 days there was several inches of new powder snow and 3 of the days the sun was shining brightly.

March is one of the busy months in Colorado and the weather enjoyed while there showed why. In Denver, 90 minutes away from the town of Frisco where we stayed, it was 64 degrees one day, 40 at the base of the mountain and about 28

at the top. That makes for ideal skiing.

Skiing is big business in Colorado. There are buses galore running to every resort. Typical are the ones that service Breckenridge. They run every 15 minutes from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and every half hour thereafter until 10 p.m. In addition there are daily buses,

limousines, vans and rental cars that serve the entire Summit area and they are as numerous as fleas on an itching dog's back.

While in Colorado for 5 nights and 4 skiing days we were at 4 resorts and what follows is our impression of them. It should be pointed out that enjoyment ratings

are strictly personal and are influenced by intangibles. If you were up late partying the night before, then when you approached the hills the wind whipped up minor snowstorms and you suffered from assorted bangs and bruises from the day before, obviously it wasn't as enjoyable as when you started fresh, wide-eyed and bushy tailed.

VAIL

One of the 2 best known (the other is Aspen) resorts in Colorado, Vail is great, but for me it was the least enjoyable of the 4. The Vail excursion got off to a bad start for me when we arrived and were shuttled into a 3-story parking garage. Admittedly, it was convenient, but somehow it just

They were displaying what I thought was a nice looking pair of shoes and I looked around until I found the discrete price tag indicating that they could be mine for a mere \$682. (No misprint.)

didn't seem right. Skiing is supposed to get you away from it all.

There were traffic jams on the roads and waits at the lifts, especially at the lower levels.

It could be, too, that Vail is a little rich for a country boy from Cass City. Not the cost of skiing, it was about the same as elsewhere. But the shops, ho, boy! I wandered into one, not the one that sold mink coats exclusively, but one that did handle ladies' clothing.

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On the plus side the skiing was good in the upper levels and the lifts efficient and fast.

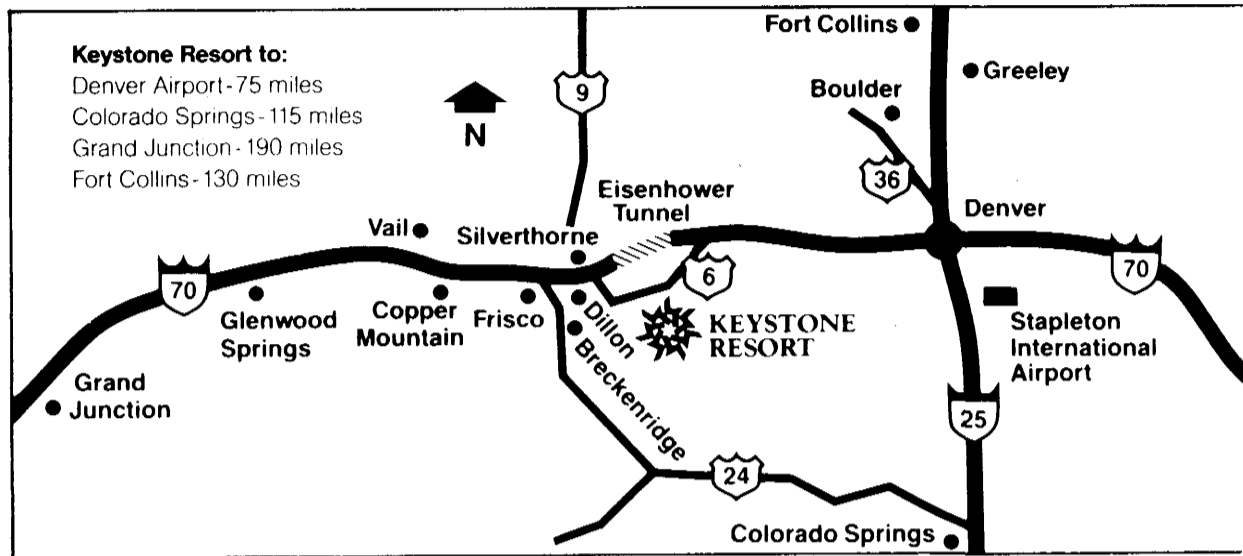
BRECKENRIDGE

For our group Breckenridge was the finest. We were blessed with about a foot of new powder snow which was right down the alley of the better skiers in the group. With the powder snow they were able to ski the back bowls of the mountain and came back speaking in glowing terms of the exhilarating experience.

Besides the bowls, there were numerous other slopes that suit the needs of the intermediate and advanced intermediate skiers. In a word it was the greatest.

BEAVER CREEK

Beaver Creek is not as well-known as some of the resorts to many outstate visitors. It is sure to become better known. The resort is scheduled to host the 1989 World Alpine Ski Championship. The attraction for some of the skiers in the group was that they skied the course that the champions will use next



Set training school for Special Olympics volunteers

Michigan Special Olympics, a sports program for mentally impaired adults and children, will hold a training school for volunteer volleyball coaches April 15 at Highland Pines

School in Caro. The training school will run from 4 to 7 p.m. and is open to anyone interested in coaching Special Olympics volleyball. Bob Miner, an adapted

physical education teacher and veteran Special Olympics coach, will lead the training school. He will cover training and competition tactics as well as techniques for working

with mentally impaired athletes.

Registration information is available by contacting Kathy Williams, MSO training coordinator, 127 Rowe Hall, Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant 48859, or by calling (517) 774-3911.

Special Olympics is a community sports program for mentally impaired athletes of all ages and abilities. Worldwide the program reaches 1.3 million special athletes. In Michigan, 27,000 Special Olympians participate in 14 sports offered throughout the year.



Ty Cobb, the greatest batter of all time, had a lifetime batting average of .367.

Hot spots for smelt dipping

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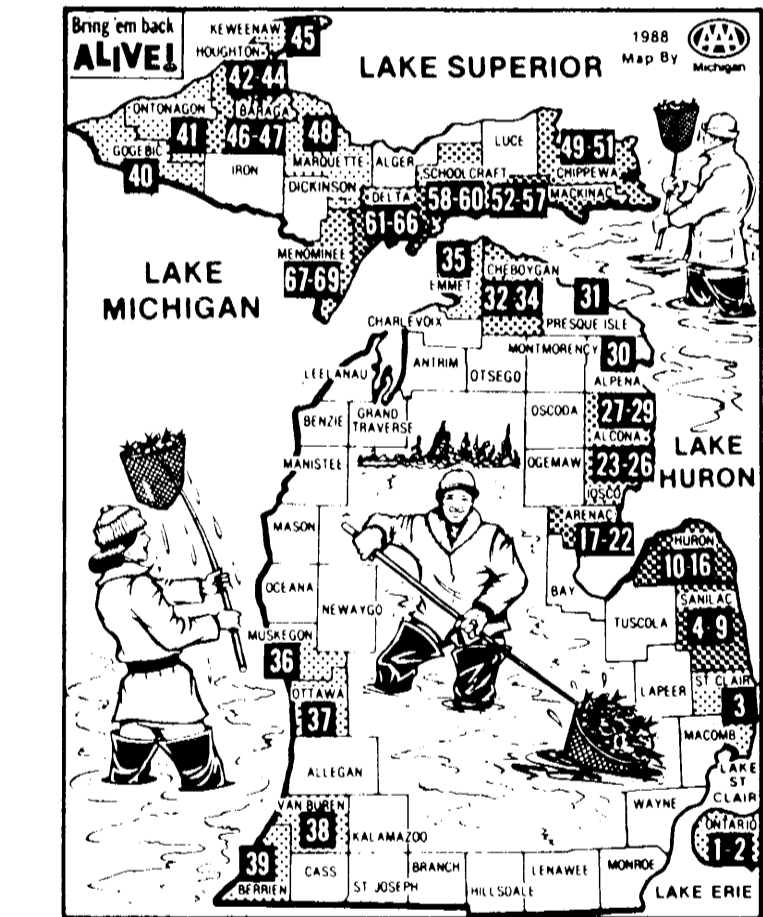
ONTARIO—1. Point Pelee: 45 mi. S.E. of Detroit via Hwy. 3. Dip along both shorelines. Park hours are 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. during smelt season, tentatively set for April 22-30. Ontario \$6.25 smelt license required for non-residents. 2. In Wheatley: At end of Camper's Cove Road. Dip along shore line. Also, behind Onstead Fishery, 1 mi. E. of Camper's Cove. Much of the land is private; permission to fish may be needed.

LOWER PENINSULA

ST. CLAIR COUNTY—3. St. Clair River: In Port Huron at foot of Blue Water Bridge. Sears Dock and Pine Grove Park, at St. Clair north of Pine River mouth, at Marine City and at Algona south of M 29. Long-handled nets needed in most areas because of deep water and strong current. SANILAC COUNTY—4. Lexington Harbor: At Lexington. Dip from piers and along shoreline. 5. Port Sanilac Harbor: At Port Sanilac. Dip from pier and along shoreline. 6. Bridgehampton River: At Forestier along M 25. Dip from mouth to hwy. 7. Cherry Creek: At Sanilac County Park 1 mi. N. of Forestier. Dip in park near creek mouth. 8. Elk Creek: At Sanilac State Park 2 mi. S. of Forestville along M 25. Dip from mouth to hwy. and along shoreline. 9. Mill Creek: At Forestville along M 25. Dip from mouth to hwy.

HURON COUNTY—10. Sucker Creek: 1.5 mi. N. of White Rock. Dip at mouth. 11. Elm Creek: 2.5 mi. N. of White Rock. Dip at mouth. 12. Ocker Creek: 1.5 mi. S. of Port Hope along M 25. Dip from mouth to hwy. 13. Willow Creek: At Huron City along M 25. Dip at M 25. Bridge. Land near mouth is private; permission to dip required. 14. New River: 1.5 mi. N. of Huron City along M 25. Dip at hwy. bridge. Land near mouth is private; permission to fish there required. 15. Grindstone City Harbor: At Grindstone City. Dip along shore and from pier. 16. Pinnebog River: At Port Crescent State Park. Dip at river mouth. ARENAC COUNTY—17. Au Gres River: At Au Gres along U.S. 23. Dip along shore near mouth. Long-handled nets needed off breakwall. 18. Schnitzelbank Creek: On S. side of Point Look out north of Au Gres. Dip at mouth. 19. Lake Huron: Near Bear Track Inn, approx. 8 mi. N. of Au Gres. Dip along shoreline. 20. Angelo's Creek: Between Bessinger and Hammell Beach roads. Dip at mouth. 21. White Stone Point: Dip along shore near water plant. 22. Whitney Drain: At Singing Bridge. 9 mi. S. of Tawas City along U.S. 23. Dip in lake off mouth and in river.

IOSCO COUNTY—23. Tawas River: At Tawas City along U.S. 23. Dip along shore, along breakwall just north of river, mouth and at mouth. 24. Tawas City Park: At Tawas City. Use long-handled dip nets off dock for best results, or dip along shoreline. 25. Dead Au Sable River: 2 mi. S. of Oscoda along U.S. 23. Dip at hwy. Land near mouth is private; permission to fish there may be needed. 26. Au Sable River: At Oscoda. Dip on breakwalls with long-handled nets and along shore of river for 1/2 mi. upstream. ALCONA COUNTY—27. Harrisville Harbor: At Harrisville. Dip in harbor, especially near Mill Creek mouth. 28. Black River: In Black River at Black River Rd. and Lakeshore Dr. 2 mi. E. of U.S. 23. Dip at mouth and along shoreline. 29. Lake Huron shoreline: North of Harrisville from Sturgeon Point to the lighthouse. Dip along shoreline. ALPENA COUNTY—30. Thunder Bay River: In Alpena. Dip at 9th Street Dam. Long-handled nets helpful as water is too deep to wade. PRESQUE ISLE COUNTY—31. Oc-



queoc River: dip downstream from U.S. 23. CHEBOYGAN COUNTY—32. Mill Creek: 4 mi. E. of Mackinaw City along U.S. 23. Dip in creek mouth and along shore. 33. Cheboygan River: In Cheboygan, from dam downstream. 34. Greene Creek: Ten miles E. of Cheboygan, from U.S. 23 to mouth. EMMET COUNTY—35. Carp Lake River: At Cecil Bay. Corners 5 mi. W. of Mackinaw City along Wilderness Park Rd. Dip at hwy. and mouth. Land is public; good fishing access. MUSKEGON COUNTY—36. Duck Lake outlet: 5 mi. N. of Muskegon State Park along Scenic Dr. Dip from hwy. to mouth, along shore and off the piers of Muskegon and White lakes. OTTAWA COUNTY—37. Pigeon Lake outlet: At Port Sheldon. Dip along shoreline. Water in outlet proper is generally too deep for wading. Also dip off piers at Grand Haven and Holland. VAN BUREN COUNTY—38. Deer Lick Creek: 3 mi. S. of South Haven at end of 13th Street off old U.S. 31 (Blue Star Highway). Dip at mouth and along shoreline. BERRIEN COUNTY—39. St. Joseph River: Off north and south piers at river mouth.

UPPER PENINSULA

GOGEBIC COUNTY—40. Montreal River: 17 mi. NW of Ironwood via U.S. 2 and County Rd. 505. Dip at Legion Park along C.R. 505 or at river mouth. ONTONAGON COUNTY—41. Union River: 2.5 mi. W. of Silver City along M 107. Dip from hwy. to mouth and along nearby shoreline. HOUGHTON COUNTY—42. Schlotz Creek: At Oskar on Portage Ship Canal. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 43. Sweettown Creek: 1.5 mi. W. of Hancock on Portage Canal along M 203. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 44. Pike River: At Chassell along U.S. 41. Dip from hwy. to mouth. KEWEENAW COUNTY—45. Fanny Hooe Creek: At Fort Wilkins State

Park E. of Copper Harbor. Dip from outlet to mouth. BARAGA COUNTY—46. Falls River: In L'Anse along U.S. 41. Dip at mouth. 47. Silver River: 10 mi. NE of L'Anse on Huron Bay. Dip from hwy. to mouth. MARQUETTE COUNTY—48. Dead River: In Marquette south of Presque Isle Park. Dip to bridge. CHIPPEWA COUNTY—49. Galloway Creek: 1 1/2 miles from mouth to M 123. 50. Roxbury Creek: Mouth to Lake Shore Dr. 51. Naomikong Creek: Mouth to Lake Shore Dr. MACKINAC COUNTY—52. Nunns Creek: 10 mi. W. of Cedarville along M 134. Dip from hwy. to mouth only. 53. Carp River: 12 mi. NE of St. Ignace along Mackinac Trail. Dip at mouth. 54. Cut River: 2 mi. E. of Epoufette along U.S. 2. Walk down to river, dip at mouth. 55. Paquin Creek: 3 mi. W. of Epoufette along U.S. 2. Walk in, dip at mouth. 56. Black River: 6 mi. E. of Naubinway along U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 57. Millicocquin River: 1 mi. W. of Naubinway. Dip within hwy. right-of-way. Use long-handled nets. SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY—58. Manistique River: At Manistique. Dip below old U.S. 2 in rapids. 59. South Town Creek: 1 1/2 miles west of Manistique to U.S. 2. 60. Marblehead Creek: 6 mi. E. of Manistique from the County Road bridge to the mouth. DELTA COUNTY—61. Tacooosh River: In Rapid River along U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 62. Days River: 2 mi. N. of Kipling along Old U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 63. Escanaba River: 3 mi. N. of Escanaba along U.S. 2. Dip from dam to mouth. 64. No-See-Um Creek: 10 miles south of Escanaba at M 35. 65. Ford River: At Ford River along M 35. Dip from hwy. to mouth. 66. Squaw Creek: At Little Bay De Noc. Dip from County Road 13 bridge to mouth. MENOMINEE COUNTY—67. Cedar River: At M 35. Dip near mouth of Waton Creek near M 35 bridge. 68. Menominee River: At Menominee. Dip at Hattie St. bridge. 69. Deer Creek: 5 mi. N. of Cedar River.

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Water problems aired Council okays street bids, zoning ordinance

Water problems along Third Street, zoning matters and the selection of bids for curb and gutter, and asphalt dominated a regular meeting of the Cass City Village Council Monday night.

Eight Third Street residents addressed the council regarding rust problems in their water.

A petition requesting that the council take immediate action to solve the problem also was presented. The petition was signed by 21 residents who live along

Third Street from Woodland Avenue to Seeger Street.

"We've been aware of the problem and we ran tests on that main," village Manager Lou S. LaPonsie remarked after the meeting.

LaPonsie explained that weekly testing revealed that the iron content in the water along certain sections of the main is at an "objectionable" level about 35 percent of the time based on state classifications. Although the problem represents no health risk, he noted that the iron results in staining as well as an unpleasant taste and odor.

LaPonsie pointed out that the main, made of cast iron, is at least 54 years old and appears to be disintegrating. The worst areas, he noted, lie between Woodland Avenue and Sherman Street.

Both a state Health Department official and the village's engineering consultant advise that the only long-term solution is to replace the main, LaPonsie said, adding that the project would cost up to \$25,000 per block, including a new plastic main, leads and blacktop.

The council directed its Public Services Committee

to present a recommendation on the matter at the council's regular April meeting, which has been rescheduled for April 18.

ZONING

Turning to zoning, some 2 1/2 years of work by the Planning Commission, the consultant firm of Vilican-Leman and Associates, Inc., Southfield, and village attorney Clinton C. House was rewarded with final approval of a revised zoning ordinance.

The action came after a brief presentation by Vilican-Leman representative Claude Coates, who outlined various changes in the village's zoning regulations.

Council members lauded the planning board, which recommended approval of the document March 15, as well as others involved for their time and dedication in completing the project.

In another zoning matter, a recommendation by the Planning Commission to rezone 4 lots located at the southeast corner of Ale and Church streets was tabled.

Council President L.E. Althaver recommended that the council take no action Monday because the rezoning request, from General Business to Residential, is pending purchase of the property by Randy and Sandra Kozan.

Also Monday, a motion to rezone recently annexed property at the southwest corner of M-81 and Doerr Road, from Residential to General Business, was approved. The action was recommended by the Planning Commission.

A portion of the property, purchased by People's Oil and Gas Co., Pigeon, is the future site of a combination 24-hour convenience market and gas station.

areas will be assessed \$7.43 per foot, compared to expected estimates of \$8-\$9 per foot.

Also accepted was a low bid of \$34,299.50 for asphalt from PIT, Oakley. The bid, which breaks down into a per-ton cost of \$18.95 (about 5 cents cheaper than the village paid last year), includes \$15,600 for the Leach and Third Street projects, compared to an expected cost of \$19,000.

IN OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, the council approved a motion to establish an Industrial Development District as requested by Engineered Tools Corp., 4429 Doerr Rd., Cass City.

There were no objections voiced during a brief public hearing on the district Monday night.

LaPonsie stated that Engineered Tools officials, who plan to build an addition in order to expand their manufacturing capability, must now apply for an industrial facilities exemption. The application is a request for a tax abatement of up to 50 percent on the new addition for a maximum of 12 years.

A public hearing will then be scheduled, followed by approval or rejection by the council.

LaPonsie explained, adding that the application will then go to the State Tax Commission for action.

Also Monday, the council

Approved a request from Ron Wieder, representing the Boy Scouts, for the use of BB guns and bows and arrows at an annual Boy Scout Camp to be held this summer at the village recreational park.

Heard a brief presentation on the upcoming county-wide millage election from Tuscola County Commissioner Kim D. Glaspie, Cass City.

Approved renominations of the following persons to village boards and commissions: Geraldine Prieskorn, 6-year term on the Economic Development Corporation; Craig Guernsey, completion of the last year of John Smenstek's 3-year term on the Planning Commission; Bob Stickle, 3-year term on the Zoning Board of Appeals, and Nat Tuttle, 3-year term on the Library Board.

Lauded 12 years of service to the village by Trustee Lynda McIntosh, who did not seek reelection to the council March 14. Matt Prieskorn will replace McIntosh, who has served 8 years as a trustee and 4 years as village clerk.

ROAD BIDS

There was good news regarding bids on curb and gutter construction, and asphalt for road projects slated for 1988.

The projects involve one block of Third Street, from West Street to Vulcan Street, and 4 blocks of Leach Street, from Garfield Avenue to Pine Street. Paving of 4 blocks of Main Street, from West Street to Sherman Street, also is planned.

A low bid of \$24,772 for curb and gutter work from William C. Smith Construction, Midland, was accepted by the council, which had anticipated paying up to \$35,000 for the work.

The figure means property owners in the affected



THESE CAMPBELL ELEMENTARY students are among about 150 Cass City pupils who each received a free book last week, courtesy of the Cass City branch of the American Association of University Women. The books, made available through the Reading Is Fundamental program, are distributed by the group 3 times a year.

4 students to attend competition

Four Tuscola Area Skill Center students have qualified for the National Office Education Association Leadership Conference and Competitions, slated for April 27-May 1 in Louisville, Ky.

Angie Cartwright, Caro; Deanna Rutkowski, Vassar, and Jackie Burns and Sarah Batzloff, both of Millington, will attend the national event.

They are among 44 Tuscola Area Skill Center students who competed against 2,000 students representing more than 100 Michigan schools at the Business Office Education Clubs state competition, held March 11-13 in Detroit. The students competed in business clerical, data processing and accounting events.

Area students who placed at the state competition, but didn't qualify for national competition, are Heather Merchant, who finished fifth in the computerized accounting category, and Julie Loomis, who placed seventh in the computerized accounting category. Both students are Cass City residents.

District court

Pair charged in break-in

Two Caro men were arraigned in Tuscola County District Court Monday on charges of breaking and entering an unoccupied dwelling with intent to commit larceny, and larceny in a building.

William C. Pomeroy Jr., 20, and Jeffrey D. Greenacre, 23, are charged with the March 3 breaking and entering of the M-46 Party Shoppe, 1020 W. Sanilac Rd., in which 10 cases of beer were taken, court records state.

Bond for each man was set at \$25,000. A preliminary examination has been scheduled for April 5 at 1:30 p.m.

The breaking and entering charge carries a maximum penalty of 10 years imprisonment, while larceny in a building is punishable by up to 4 years imprisonment and/or \$2,000.

Cass City resident Gregory S. Guinther, 26, 6684 Huron St., was sentenced to 2 years probation and ordered to pay a \$207 fine, \$138 in costs and restitution of \$60 for a March 1 conviction of impaired driving. He also received a 6-month license suspension.

Also last week, Dearborn resident Anthony E. Nerkowski Jr., and his brother, Lawrence A. Nerkowski of the Gagetown area, were each bound over to circuit court following preliminary examinations March 22.

Anthony Nerkowski was bound over on charges of breaking and entering an occupied dwelling with intent to commit larceny, and larceny in a building. The charges stem from the Feb. 28 break-in of the Joseph D. Rocheleau residence, 5935 Walsh Rd., Gagetown.

Nerkowski also is facing charges in connection with the Feb. 28 armed robbery of a Cass City couple at their Pine Street residence. Lawrence Nerkowski, meanwhile, was bound over to circuit court on a charge of obstruction of justice. He is charged with threatening and/or offering payment to Larry Wilding, Cass City, in an attempt to hinder or discourage him from appearing or testifying as a witness in a criminal case pending in district court.

Both men are out on bond.

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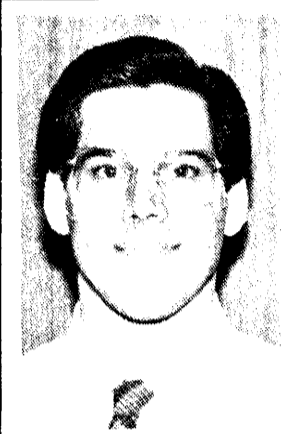
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Rebecca Moore named director of marketing

Former Cass City resident Rebecca Massingale Moore was recently named director of marketing for Quest Financial Services, Inc., of Dayton, Ohio.



Rebecca Moore

Quest Financial is an independent insurance and investment brokerage firm. Moore, a 1971 Cass City High School graduate, is currently responsible for the firm's national TermQuote term insurance shopping service.

In her new position, she directs marketing efforts in 46 states, coordinates advertising and supervises the company's sales staff.

Moore earned an associate's degree in business data processing from Los Angeles Community College in 1982, and 5 years later graduated from Wright State University College of Business Administration.

She resides in Dayton with her husband, Thomas, a captain in the Air Force, and her children, Ashley and Suzanne. Her mother, Perry Massingale, and sisters, Linda Dillon and Nora Fredericks, all reside in the Cass City area.

Tuscola Sgt. Tom Kern seeking sheriff's post

Sgt. Tom T. Kern, 44, announced recently that he will seek the Democratic nomination for the office of Tuscola County Sheriff in the August primary election.

Rounding out 13 years as a command officer, Kern is a 17 year veteran of the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department.



Sgt. Tom Kern

Kern holds an associate degree in police administration from Delta College and a bachelor of arts degree from Saginaw Valley State University. He is a charter member of the Fraternal Order of

Police in Tuscola County and is a member of Trinity Lutheran Church of Reese.

Sgt. Kern presently supervises the county's breathalyzer program for drunk driving enforcement in the county. He authored an alcohol enforcement grant application which resulted in Tuscola County receiving \$148,325 in state funds. He also heads the department's LEIN (Law Enforcement Information Network) computer operation. He has presented numerous lectures on drug and alcohol abuse to school and church groups and through attendance at numerous law enforcement schools and seminars has received training from some of Michigan's leading law enforcement officials.

Sgt. Kern and his wife, the former June A. Stoick, have 3 children and make their home at 1695 South Quanicasssee Road, Reese.

"I feel that I am broadly qualified for the office of Sheriff because of both book-learning and 17 years as an officer with the department," Kern said in making his announcement.

"I have developed some ideas that I feel can be implemented to make the county's law enforcement agency more efficient and

economical. I hope to present some of these ideas during the campaign in lay language that all can understand."

"Our county is having financial problems," Kern continued. "The Commissioners are not magicians. They need the help and cooperation of all county department heads to return our county to a sound fiscal position. It is time - perhaps past time - to tighten the budget belt and go after new sources of revenues. I plan to make that part of my approach."

Kern said he welcomes inquiries from tax payers and any offers of help - financial or otherwise would be appreciated.

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Your neighbor says Spring means time for spring cleaning

Spring weather in Michigan often inspires us to do many things that old man winter conveniently provides an adequate excuse to put off until warmer temperatures arrive.

The warmer temperatures are now upon us and Caro resident and your neighbor Shirley Rhodes will use the warmer temperatures as an incentive to accomplish something that she finds a bit dreary.

Spring cleaning! Shirley, who is single and shares housing with 2 other girls, says that her spring cleaning usually stretches out over a period of time, rather than cramming it in all in one day.

Our spring cleaning isn't too bad because all 3 of us split up the chores pretty evenly. Shirley went on to say,

"I'm not a neat fanatic, but I do like to come home to a neat house," says the Highland Pines Tuscola Intermediate teacher.

Worst part of spring

cleaning? For me it's reaching in high corners, replied Ms. Rhodes.

Spring weather also marks the start of other things that Shirley finds a bit more interesting than cleaning.

I like to watch softball and play tennis, remarked Shirley with a grin.



IRS okays state tuition program

Following a favorable Internal Revenue Service ruling, Governor James J. Blanchard said the college tuition guarantee program, the Michigan Education Trust, will go forward immediately and probably enroll participants by late spring.

The IRS ruled that while there are tax consequences to some aspects of the program, there are none on the purchasers. Implementation of the 1986 act was being held up pending the ruling.

Richard Cole, president of the Michigan Education Trust and Blanchard's special advisor on the future of higher education, said although he has not seen the actual ruling, he has the sense it will make the state program most costly.

He said the ruling will have some implications on the tax status of the trust

itself and the trust, as a corporate body, may be subject to taxation.

Cole said the ruling will have an effect on the investment strategy as taxable investments would yield higher returns but be subject to federal taxation while non-taxable investments, not subject to federal taxation, would yield a lower rate.

The tax consequences will be determined on what type of investments the fund makes, he noted. Cole said this could make the program most costly to parents.

Cole said the year-long IRS process was not unusual in that it "addressed a very comprehensive question to a very complex issue."

He said the ruling could have very serious tax/revenue consequences to the federal government. He

said he was not happy with everything in the ruling, but it would allow the MET program to go forward. "It (the ruling) reflects the current tax laws and we will live with that," he said.

The trust fund president noted a market study conducted by Michigan State University indicated a great demand to participate in the tuition guarantee program.

He added a New Jersey investment marketing organization selling on the theory of protecting the future college tuitions of children has been very successful in Michigan due to the awareness of citizens of the MET program. "This is a good reason to believe the program will be well received," he said.

Depending upon the initial demand, Mr. Cole said the state will probably have to limit participation. He said there would have to be some measuring of age of student, cost of projected tuition and determine future participation. He suggested the program would be opened on "some variation of first-come, first-served."

He said he anticipated everybody who signs a contract and makes the proper financial arrangements within the first week or so to be accepted.

"At that point, we may pause to determine how the next round will go," he said.

WASTE DISPOSAL WORKSHOPS

The State Board of Education is sponsoring a

series of workshops to teach Michigan school districts how to dispose of hazardous waste material in accordance with state law.

The regional workshops, which will be held from late March through early May at 8 different locations around the state, will assist school personnel in developing a waste management plan to handle small quantities properly.

Interim State Superintendent Gary Hawks said the Department of Natural Resources plans to begin monitoring local school districts to determine if waste is managed and disposed according to state regulations.

"Each school district has a legal responsibility to dispose of hazardous waste material in a manner that will protect the environment and human health," Hawks said.

4 minor mishaps reported in Cass City

Cass City Police reported 4 minor vehicle mishaps over the past week.

Northbound vehicles driven by Anna H. Klakulak, 3811 Bay City-Forestville Rd., Cass City, and Gail A. Mellendorf, 5517 Pringle Rd., Decker, sustained damage in a collision Saturday afternoon.

According to police, the 1 p.m. mishap occurred when Klakulak's vehicle pulled out from a parking space on Seeger Street into the path of Mellendorf's vehicle.

Two vehicles traveling south on Seeger Street north of Main Street collided Friday evening.

A vehicle driven by Ruth M. Dorman, 1297 S. Main St., Snover, struck a vehicle driven by Margaret R. Weippert, 7521 Elmwood Rd., Cass City, while attempting to make a right turn onto Main Street from the inside lane of Seeger Street. Both vehicles were

stopped at the light prior to the 6 p.m. accident, reports indicated.

Vehicles driven by Kimberly A. Wildman, 6877 Heron Drive, Cass City, and Ted E. Morgan, 6897 Cass City Rd., Cass City, were involved in a crash at the intersection of Seeger and Church streets March 23 at 4:55 p.m.

Reports state that Wildman was westbound on Church Street when she stopped and then started through the intersection, striking Morgan's southbound vehicle.

Also March 23, a vehicle driven by Donald I. Krug, 2095 Phillips Rd., Deford, struck a vehicle driven by Richard Erla, 4633 Huron St., Cass City, on Doerr Road south of Main Street at 3:25 p.m.

Krug was backing out of a private drive and Erla was northbound on Doerr Road when the mishap occurred, police said.

Adopt proposal on vet facility

The Michigan State Senate last week adopted a proposal by Senator James A. Barcia (D-Bay City) calling for a feasibility study of locating a long-term veterans health care facility in the Thumb area.

Senate Resolution 308 requires the Michigan Veterans Trust Fund Board, in conjunction with the Department of Public Health, the Department of Management and Budget, and the Office of Services to the Aging, to undertake the study.

"The statistics certainly substantiate the need for a veterans long-term care facility in our area," Barcia said. "In fact, it's way overdue."

According to information supplied by the U.S. Veterans Administration, 111,250 veterans, 29,740 of them over the age of 60, live in the Thumb area. "In spite of the significant number of veterans living in the Thumb region, Michigan has only 2 veterans long-term care facilities and they are located in Grand Rapids and Marquette, a considerable distance from our area," Barcia said.

He also pointed out that Michigan falls far short of the recommended federal level of nursing home beds, which is at least 4 beds per 1,000. "The recommended number of beds is 4,448 for a total state veterans population of 1,112,000," Barcia said, "but Michigan currently has less than 1,000 long-term care beds. "Even with the proposed conversion of the Allen Park veter-

ans medical center into a long-term care facility, still more beds are desperately needed."

According to Barcia, the passage of Senate Resolution 308 by the Senate is an important step toward locating a veteran's facility in the Thumb area.

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Saginaw art exhibit to open March 30

Special guests at the private opening of the GTE-sponsored sesquicentennial art exhibit at the Saginaw Art Museum will include direct descendants of Chief David Shoppenecons, a Chippewa Indian whose portrait is among the paintings in the "Artists of Michigan From the Nineteenth Century" exhibition.

Siblings Ardith (Dodie) Harris, Frederick Harris, and Geneva Pino, great-grandchildren of Chief Shoppenecons, will attend the March 30 opening, with Frederick Harris dressed in Chippewa attire complete with headdress.

As a young man Chief Shoppenecons, who was well-known to Michigan residents in the 1800s, lived in the Saginaw Valley where hunting and fishing flourished. In 1875, he and his family moved north to Grayling, since game and fish were becoming scarce in the Saginaw area due to the area's rapid development. For the remainder of

his life, Shoppenecons was a hunter, trapper, guide and craftsman. Historically it is unclear whether Shoppenecons was actually a Chippewa chief, although he was considered one by non-Indians.

The painting in the exhibition which will be displayed at the Saginaw Art Museum, "Portrait of Chief David Shoppenecons," features the Chief at 87 years of age. Eanger Irving Couse, a native Saginaw artist, was commissioned in 1907 by Charles Willis Ward, a patron of the Detroit Museum of Art (the current Detroit Institute of Arts), to paint the life-size portrait.

Shoppenecons' great-grandchildren all live in Peshawbestown in the Suttons Bay area of northern Michigan. Dodie Harris is employed by the Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians, Geneva Pino is an LPN for the Tribal Clinic, and Frederick Harris is a farm equipment repairman.

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May 10 slated as Thumb night in TV 19/35 auction

May 4-11 is Delta Broadcasting's TV 19/35 seventeenth annual Great TV Auction, and this year's event offers a unique twist for cities in the Thumb.

There will be one night during the auction featured as "Thumb Night." That night will be May 10. Merchandise and services donated to the auction by Thumb area merchants and professionals will be auctioned off in block of time Thumb City by Thumb City.

TV 19/35 believes "Thumb Night" will give Thumb merchants and professionals more in return for their donation than has been given in the past. In addition to individual merchants and professionals receiving recognition, Thumb cities and the Thumb will be receiving recognition.

In support of TV 19/35 public television and "Thumb Night," the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners have proclaimed May 4-11 as TV 19/35 Great TV Auction Week for Tuscola County.

Tammy Sherman and Lillian "Cookie" Kuperis, both Cass City residents, are Cass City's Go-Getters for Auction '88. Go-Getters are the heart of the auction. They are the volunteers who solicit merchandise and services for the auction and explain the benefits of participating.

Individuals or businesses interested in donating items for the auction can contact Sherman or Kuperis at 872-3276. Indi-

viduals interested in volunteering can contact Mary Therese Gookin at 686-9351.

In the past, proceeds from the auction have enabled Delta Broadcasting to purchase capital equipment such as cameras for color broadcast, a new transmitter to replace the original Channel 19 transmitter tower, studio recording and distribution equipment and most recently, the construction of a transmitter tower in the Bad Axe/Udly area.

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Agency on Aging sets hearing

The Region VII Area Agency on Aging has scheduled a public hearing to obtain comments on its draft Annual Implementation Plan, which will cover the period of Oct. 1, 1988 through Sept. 30, 1989.

The public hearing will be held in the South Washington Senior Center, 1537 South Washington, Saginaw, April 21. The hearing will begin at 12:30 p.m.

Development of an Annual Implementation Plan is one of the requirements under the Older Americans Act, which provides Federal funding to Area Agencies on Aging across the State. The Region VII Area Agency on Aging plans programs for older residents of Bay, Clare, Gladwin, Gratiot, Huron, Isabella, Midland, Saginaw, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties.

The Annual Implementation Plan outlines the priorities for services, funding and other activities for the next fiscal year.

Copies of the Plan and Plan Summaries will be available after April 1. Anyone interested in receiving a copy can do so by contacting the Region VII Area Agency on Aging, 1200 North Madison Avenue, Bay City. Plan Summaries will also be available at the public hearing location. Anyone needing directions to the hearing location should call Region VII at (517) 893-4506.

Persons unable to attend the public hearing may still forward written comments to the Area Agency on Aging office by May 9.

Mrs. E. Toner gives program to Sr. Citizens

The Cass City Senior Citizens held their March 10 meeting in the fellowship hall of the Lutheran Church. Fourteen members and one guest were present.

A potluck lunch was served, after which the group enjoyed a picture on the "Eyes" shown by Mrs. Ellen Toner. A short business meeting was held.

April 14 will be the next meeting and Mrs. Jane Mitchell will have a program.

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Letter to the editor

Co-op extension programs important

To the Editor, Tuscola County should learn to know and appreciate the work of the Cooperative Extension Office as one of its county services. There are many doors of opportunity offered by the office, starting with the involvement of 4-H with the future of our children as well as their "teen-plus" program.

People of all ages can also find the free family service programs of great benefit for their home use such as "birdhouse building" and "home orchard maintenance" classes offered recently and in the past.

More services are provided in agriculture and technology as well as in job placements.

One community service organization that shouldn't be overlooked is the extension homemakers. Home study clubs meet throughout the county learning and putting to use study topics provided by Michigan State University, dealing in all areas of family living. This quality information quite often is used to benefit our community. Two examples

Area students participate in DECA meet

Five Tuscola Area Skill Center students took part in the Michigan Distributive Education Clubs of America State Career Development Conference, held March 11-13 in Dearborn.

Activities at the conference included competitions, career seminars, elections and exhibits.

Tuscola County students who participated are Cass City resident Holly Smith, who was among the top 10 finalists in the occupational area of hotel/motel management; Jill Kramer of Kingston, and Millington residents Alisa Gibbs, Angie Hartwick and Cris Kilbourne. The students were accompanied by their instructor, Sheryl Diegel.

Distributive Education Clubs of America is a national student organization operating to attract young people to careers in marketing, merchandising and management.

of this are: we were responsible for getting legislation passed for providing needed flashers and cross arms for the railroad tracks in the Reese area, and for most recently sponsoring "Winter Driving" workshops offered to the public.

As an extension homemaker I see the value of voting YES on the county operating millage proposal. And I urge everyone to do the same. We cannot overlook the need for county growth and development offered by the extension office. We spend more money on cigarettes and videos in a month so its certainly apparent that approximately \$30 a month is a small price to pay for a lot of education!

Mrs. Vicki Reinhold MAEH, president Caro.

Obituary

Ella Price

Ella Victoria Price, 90, of Cass City died Sunday, March 27, at Provincial House after a lengthy illness.

She was born March 15, 1898, in Florence, Wis., the daughter of John and Anna (Erickson) Holmburg. She married Charles Price in 1922 in Hillsdale. They moved to Cass City from Lansing in 1933. Mr. Price died in June of 1936.

Mrs. Price was a teacher in the Cass City Public Schools, teaching fourth grade from 1935 until her retirement in 1967.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Cass City and a past member of the Michigan Education Association and the National Education Association.

She is survived by one son, Kenneth Price of Rochester, Mich. One daughter, Kathryn, 2 sisters and 2 brothers preceded her in death.

Funeral services are scheduled Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Little's Funeral home, Cass City, with Rev. Harry Capps, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Cass City, officiating.

Interment will be in Oak Grove Cemetery, Hillsdale.

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FOR SALE - solid pine twin size bed with 3 drawers on bottom, dark walnut stain, \$250, includes mattress. Phone 872-4195 after 4 p.m. 2-3-23-3

CAN AM 250, runs good, must sell; 1986 Honda Fat Cat, 200cc, four stroke, bought in 1987 new, \$1,000 or best. For more information call 872-3996. 2-3-30-3

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MARLETTE Mobile Home - 12x50, 2 bedrooms. Everything excellent condition. Many extras. \$4,700. Call 872-5157. 3-3-30-3

FORSALE - nice 3 bedroom ranch home, attached 2 car garage and workshop, on paved road. 4 north and 4 1/2 east of Cass City. Call 872-3188. 3-3-30-3

HIGH AND DRY, 33 acre parcel between Deford and Caro near State Land. Some woods, \$14,000. Possible terms. Peter Real Estate, phone 683-2711. 3-3-24-4

Thinking of Buying or Selling? Call one of our Real Estate professionals.



FOR SALE - Abandoned house on 2 acres, Cass City Schools, \$7,000; farmhouse and 2 acres, 3 bedroom, Cass City Schools, \$15,000. Call 872-2443 after 5:00. 3-3-30-3

For Rent

FOR RENT - house, 3 bedrooms, southeast of Cass City, \$300 per month plus security deposit. Call 479-9618. 4-3-30-3

ONE BEDROOM apartment available now at Cass City Apartments, senior citizen complex. Call 872-2009 for more information. Equal Opportunity Housing. 4-3-30-3

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WANTED - small or large farms to rent or lease for hunting purposes. Phone 313-693-6421 or 313-693-1263. 3-3-25

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PLAN TO ATTEND Annual Turkey Dinner Sunday, April 17, 1988

Good Shepherd Lutheran Fellowship Hall Main St., Cass City Adults \$5.00 Children \$2.50 Under 5 - free 5-3-23-2

WEDDINGS: Ordained minister to officiate. With or without rehearsal. Your home or elsewhere. Phone 517-872-4700. 5-3-2-5

BELATED Happy Birthday to Daryle M. From Mom and Dad A. 5-3-30-1

CASS CITY GUN CLUB Fish Supper Cod and Walleye, fries, cole slaw, baked potatoes, bread, desserts, beverages FRIDAY, APRIL 8 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. Adults - \$4.50 Children - \$2.00 4 miles south, 1 east, 1/2 north 5-3-30-2

WILL GIVE beginning guitar lessons. Call Brian Mallory, 872-4730. 5-3-23-3

INCOME TAX SERVICE - Prompt, personal attention. Soper's Tax Service, 3371 River St., Kingston, Mi., phone 517-683-2815. 5-1-6-14

BPW Easter Bake Sale SATURDAY APRIL 2, 1988 10:00 a.m. till sold out Dan's Men's Wear 6455 Main St. Cass City 5-3-30-1

LOST DOG - Black Cocker Spaniel, answering to name of Ebony, west of Deford, for information call 872-3762. \$35 reward. 5-3-16-3

REVIVAL SERVICES Evangelical Free Church 6403 Chestnut Blvd. April 10-15 Sunday through Friday 7:00 p.m. 5-3-30-1

AVAILABLE FROM Rent-A-Stork: "Unique" baby announcement products for new parents. Call 872-3407 or 872-2191. 5-10-15-1f

BINGO - Every Thursday at St. Pancratius Hall, S. Seeger, Cass City. Doors open 6:00 p.m. Early-bird 6:30, regular bingo 7:00. Phone 872-5410. Knights of Columbus Council No. 8892. 5-12-31-1f

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Taking stock

By Bill Myers



The rascals who run newspapers -- and I used to be one of them -- have been sneakily cutting the page width as years go by. You don't think that's devious? You should be a printer and you'd have other thoughts.

Time was, back in the 30's, when newspapers had a "type page" 18 inches wide. Length, 21 inches. By type page I mean the space occupied by type -- in other words, without the margins.

Today the length of a page is about the same, but the width has shrunk to 14 or 14 1/4 inches.

Ads are sold by the column x the height. So a column inch is a column wide and an inch high. When he shrank the width of a column by 10%, no publisher ever thought of cutting the rate by 10%. Indeed, the width-shrink was only a cowardly way of raising the rate.

Today, the width of a page is 18% less than it was 50 years ago. Assuming costs are exactly the same as they were in the 30's, think not for one moment that the full page ad that cost \$100 then would cost 18% less, or \$82 now.

Once long ago in Michigan there was a fellow editor named George Shaw who ran the Pigeon Progress. George was a fellow with imagination. He practiced the vertical shrink method of boosting ad rates. I remember his describing it at a panel discussion of the Michigan Press Association.

"Most of the ads we run," said George, "were 2 columns by 5 inches. We got \$2.50 for them -- 25¢ a column inch. Those merchants wouldn't stand for it if we wanted to charge 30¢ an inch.

"Well, what I did when I made up the pages, I'd take 6 points of space out of each ad. (For non-printers, six

points is 1/12th of an inch.) I'd do this maybe twice a month. In six months that 5-inch ad had shrunk to 4 inches.

"Nobody ever noticed it. I still got \$2.50 for the ad, and the fellow was paying 30¢ or a little more per inch and didn't know it, and everybody was happy."

Now, let a professor of ethics determine whether George Shaw, the country editor of Pigeon, Michigan, was any sneakier than the publishers of the New York Times who practiced horizontal shrinkage.

My fellow printers will understand it is easier to shrink an ad vertically than it is horizontally. For the rest of you, it's too much bother to explain.

Now that we've taken a shot at the newspaper tycoons, let us pick out J. Peter Grace of the famed Grace Commission as our next target.

We applaud Mr. Grace's mighty effort to bring some business sense to the U.S. government, and we are sad that his efforts didn't get too far, Congress and the bureaucrats being what they are.

All we are doing now is a little nit-picking, and it's fun to find that the mighty ones make goofs even as you and I.

In an article in the Hillside (Mich.) College publication called Imprimis, Mr. Grace says:

"In our report to President Reagan, we warned that \$1 borrowed now will have cost \$71 by the year 2000."

(He had used 5% as the rate of interest, which was odd, because the government is paying about 8.5% for medium term money, like 12 years.)

Anyhow, if you borrow \$1 now and pay it back with interest compounded semi-annually at 5%, 12 years from now the amount due would be \$1.81 -- and not \$71, as Peter Grace claims.

Funny that the editor of a publication with such a distinguished name as Imprimis wouldn't have caught that error. Nothing like a college education.

Speaking of newspapers and such, the late Henry Clay Kudner, who ran the Lapeer County Press which our family owned later, had a cute stunt for collecting past-due subscriptions. If a subscriber was delinquent, ol' Kud' ran the fellow's name upside down whenever it was in a news item. Everybody knew what that meant.



MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU President Jack Laurie discusses an issue with John Graykowski, aide to Sen. Donald Riegle, and Sen. Riegle during the 4-day MFB 28th annual Washington, D.C., Legislative Seminar, held March 15-18.

Owen-Gage board

Eligibility rules tightened; new grade policy okayed

Tougher eligibility standards, a new grade policy and 9-week marking periods were approved by the Owen-Gage Board of Education during a 3 1/2-hour special meeting March 21.

All 3 items were introduced and tabled at the board's March 14 regular meeting.

Beginning in the 1988-89 school year, Owen-Gage athletes who receive an E will be allowed to practice, but not play, until they bring the grade up, under a new policy that calls for eligibility to be based on weekly grading reports.

Any student who receives an E will be ineligible for the following calendar week, according to school Supt. Harley Kirby. He added that grades reported on the last school day of the week will determine eligibility for the upcoming week.

As before, athletes must maintain a 2.0 grade point average (C), or 12 points. Should a student receive 10 or 11 points on their weekly grading report, that student will have to earn 12 points the following week in order to participate in inter-scholastic athletic events.

Turning to grades, the board approved a new policy designed to provide students with incentive to choose courses that are academically challenging and to reward the additional effort with extra honor points.

EXTRA POINTS

According to the policy, which goes into effect in the 1988-89 school year, students who take chemistry, physics, calculus,

trigonometry, accounting or English IV will receive an extra honor point for an A, B, C or D grade in those classes.

An A grade, for example, will net 5 points, compared to 4 points awarded previously. An E grade, as before, is worth no points.

Kirby pointed out that students who have taken one of the "weighted" courses this year will be given credit for the extra honor points they've earned under the new policy, which will affect selection of next year's valedictorian and salutatorian.

Also last week, the board approved switching from 6-week marking periods to 9-week marking periods.

The change, which also goes into effect in the next school year, calls for a revision in the weight of each marking period.

Currently, each of the 3 marking periods and the semester exam constitutes 25 percent of the semester grade. Under the new policy, however, each marking period will be worth 40 percent of the semester grade, with the semester exam making up the remaining 20 percent.

The new policy was proposed earlier this month by the high school faculty,

which stated in a letter that "an increasing number of our students are willing to do absolutely as little as possible with the hope of sliding by with a grade of D. This does as little as possible as often as possible syndrome will definitely undermine the effectiveness of all of our efforts."

Among the new policy's advantages, according to the faculty, are that it will reduce students' incentive to "coast" through 26-week periods and/or a final exam, emphasizes the need for students to stay on task for a longer period of time during the semester, gives more opportunity to notify parents of students' difficulties, and gives students more opportunities to make-up lost work due to prolonged absences, failing tests, etc.

The motion, approved on a 3-1 vote, was approved with the suggestions that the present grading scale be re-evaluated, and that all deficiency reports be signed by parents and returned to teachers the following day.

Voting "yes" on the motion were trustees Mary Ann Abbe, Patrick Goslin and William Kretzschmer. Trustee Joseph Warack cast the lone dissenting vote.

Man sentenced in larceny case

An 18-year-old Caro man was sentenced in Tuscola County Circuit Court Friday for a Feb. 19 conviction of larceny in a building.

Vern E. Durocher, 1795 Hunt Rd., was sentenced to one year in the county jail with credit for 47 days already served. Durocher's conviction, on a plea of guilty, stems from the larceny of tools and other items from a mechanics shop at 4702 Saginaw Rd., Vassar, Jan. 25.

Arthur A. Jerry, 30, Southfield, entered a plea of guilty to larceny in a building. Sentencing is to be set. Bond was continued at \$20,000.

The offense, which occurred Dec. 5 in Elkland Township, involves a 12-gauge shotgun that was stolen from a residence at 6747 Kelly Rd., Cass City, court records state.

Jerry faces a maximum sentence of 4 years imprisonment and/or \$2,000.

Robert E. Witkovsky, 20, 624 Frank St., Caro, pleaded guilty to unlawful use of a motor vehicle Nov. 17, 1987, in Caro.

Sentencing is to be set for Witkovsky, who faces a maximum penalty of 5 years imprisonment. Bond was continued at \$5,000.

Also last week, a 19-year-old Owendale man's guilty plea to a charge of larceny from a motor vehicle was taken under advisement.

Sentencing for Robert A. McIntosh, 7384 Hartman Rd., is to be set. Bond was continued at \$5,000.

Court records state that McIntosh took a radio Feb. 16 from a vehicle owned by Pat Curtis Chevrolet-Olds-Cadillac, Inc., Caro. The offense carries a maximum penalty of 5 years imprisonment or \$1,000.

The father of all news services is the General News Association of the City of New York, started in 1849.

Surplus food program in trouble

Continued from page one
available after April," he said. "The cheese is gone for the month of May."

WON'T HELP

"The entire program may be gone after September," he said. O'Leary noted that the program's fiscal year will end Sept. 30. Even if additional monies are made available for the next fiscal year, he said, it won't help if the surplus food doesn't exist.

O'Leary attributed the dwindling surplus supplies to several factors, including the federal dairy herd buyout, which has meant that the federal government has purchased less surplus dairy products. Sales of surplus non-fat dry milk to other countries, and an increasing number of surplus food recipients have contributed as well.

Locally, an estimated 4,300 families in Tuscola, Huron, Sanilac and Lapeer counties receive federal surplus commodities, according to Christie.

A breakdown of that figure shows that Tuscola County has 1,175 families receiving surplus foods, while Sanilac County has 1,089 families, Huron County has 1,158 and Lapeer County 878.

The HDC normally distributes 90,000 to 100,000 pounds of surplus food every other month at 11 distribution sites in the 4-county area, with families receiving amounts based on the number of persons in a household.

A family of 2, for example, receives an average of 20 to 25 pounds of food, while a family of 5 receives about 45 pounds.

BEGAN IN 1981

Christie noted that the HDC has operated the program since 1981. "We were going to do this once or twice," she recalled. "Within a year, we were distributing every month, and then we went to every other month."

The HDC "basically got involved because no other agencies in the state wanted to do it," she said,

adding that despite some reimbursements, the program costs the local agency money to administer.

A single distribution, she said, costs \$3,000 to \$4,000. Volunteers are reimbursed for mileage, and there are other costs, such as storage and computer reports on the number of persons who attend each site. The average reimbursement for a 90,000-pound distribution, meanwhile, is \$2,600.

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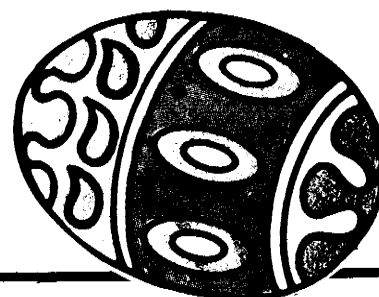
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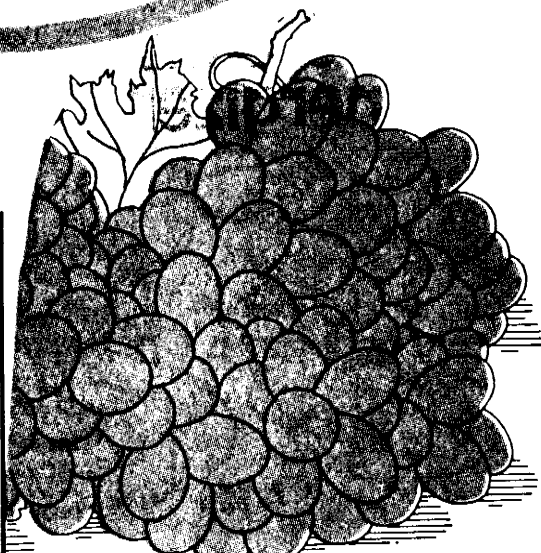


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Regular or Extra Creamy
Birds Eye Cool Whip
.79



Mrs. Paul's
Fish Sticks or Fillets
30 ct. 19.2-21.7 oz.
2 99

Apple, Blueberry or Cherry
Banquet Pies
8 Inch / 20 oz. Pkg.
.99

•Wheat • 2/1 lb. Loaves
Rhodes Bread Dough.... **.99**

•White • 5/1 lb. Loaves
Dakota Hearth Bread Dough..... **1 59**

•Original, Buttermilk or Blueberry
•16 Ct. / 19 oz. Economy Pkg.
Downyflake Waffles..... **1 39**

•4 Ct. Regular or 8 Ct. Mini
Freshlike Corn On The Cob... **1 19**



Save Up To .30 lb.
Leon's Original
Potato Salad
1 29 lb.

•Save Up To .20 lb.
Eckrich Sliced Roast Beef..... lb. **3 49**

•Save Up To .30 lb.
Land O Lakes
Bavarian Muenster Cheese..... lb. **2 29**

•Save Up To .46 lb.
•Olive, Pickle or Mac & Cheese
Eckrich Loaf..... lb. **2 39**

Available Only In Stores With Participating Deli Depts.

Bulk Foods

Bulk Pastel Dinner Mints
1 29 lb.



Buy a little, or a lot...
Bulk Flake Coconut
1 19 lb.

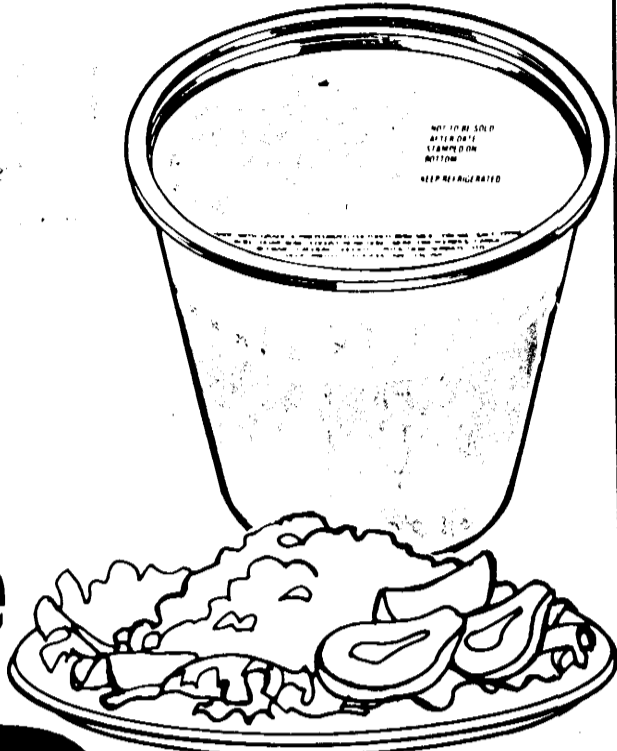
•Buy a little, or a lot...
•Quality at a "No Frills" price....

Available Only At Stores With Participating Bulk Depts.

We Give
To Holiday



★
Small or Large Curd
FAME
Cottage
Cheese
24 oz. Ctn.



.99

General
Merchandise



Save .36
C or D Size
Eveready
Energizer
Batteries
2 Pack

1.99

Health &
Beauty Aids



Save .60
Assorted Varieties
Ivory
Shampoo or
Conditioner
15 oz.

1.79



Homogenized,
2% Low Fat, or 1/2% Low Fat
FAME
Milk
1/2 Gallon Ctn.

.89

Regular or Unsalted
Land O Lakes
Butter
1 lb. Quarters

1.79

• Plus Calcium or Select • 96 oz.
Citrus Hill
Orange Juice..... **2.98**

Quality



Save .36
9 Volt

Eveready
Energizer
Batteries
Each

1.99

Save 1.00
Reg. or Caffeine Free
Extra Strength
Dexatrim

20 Ct. Capsules
3.99

• Save .40
• 9 oz.
Baby Magic
Bath or Lotion... **2.19**

Country Crock
Classic
Quarters

1 lb.
.59

• 2 lb. Tub
Imperial
Light Spread..... **1.19**

• 64 oz.
Campbell's V-8
or Tomato Juice **1.57**

Save .19
Potting
Soil
4 Quarts

21.99



BUDGET S-T-R-E-T-C-H-E-R

Buy Of The Week



IGR COUPON
1 Pound Package
FAME
Skinless Franks
.59
Limit 2 • Additional Purchases .89
Limit one coupon per family. Coupon
and \$15.00 purchase required, ex-
cluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages
or other coupon items.
Coupon expires Sat., April 2, 1988.

Clip & Save At **IGR**
Double Value Coupons
Redeem Up To 8 Double Value Coupons
With Manufactures Coupons & Purchases.

3 Double Value Coupons W/\$15.00 Purchase Or More
6 Double Value Coupons W/\$30.00 Purchase Or More
8 Double Value Coupons W/\$45.00 Purchase Or More

<p>IGR CLIP-A-COUPON With This Coupon at IGA, Get DOUBLE VALUE On any manufacturers coupon for .50 or less! Limit one coupon per manufacturers coupon. Expires Sat., April 2, 1988.</p>	<p>IGR CLIP-A-COUPON With This Coupon at IGA, Get DOUBLE VALUE On any manufacturers coupon for .50 or less! Limit one coupon per manufacturers coupon. Expires Sat., April 2, 1988.</p>	<p>IGR CLIP-A-COUPON With This Coupon at IGA, Get DOUBLE VALUE On any manufacturers coupon for .50 or less! Limit one coupon per manufacturers coupon. Expires Sat., April 2, 1988.</p>	<p>IGR CLIP-A-COUPON With This Coupon at IGA, Get DOUBLE VALUE On any manufacturers coupon for .50 or less! Limit one coupon per manufacturers coupon. Expires Sat., April 2, 1988.</p>
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• Present this coupon with any one manufacturer's cents off coupon up to .50 face value, and get Double Savings!
• Only one Double Value Coupon per item.
• If doubled total exceeds retail price, double will not be honored.

• Tobacco and Alcoholic Beverage purchases excluded.
• This offer applies only to manufacturers coupons. It does NOT apply to Free coupons or to retailer's coupons.
• Limit 8 per customer.

SAVE ON SURF®



Pre-Priced At 2.99
Liquid
Surf
Detergent
64 oz. Btl.

2.50



64 oz.
ONLY
\$2.50
LESS
CASH REFUND
-\$2.50
YOU PAY ONLY
\$0.00

\$2.50 CASH REFUND OFFER
MAIL IN CERTIFICATE

To receive your \$2.50 Cash Refund on Surf Liquid 64 oz. Laundry Detergent mail this completed certificate and 1 net weight statement to the address below. (To remove the net weight statement from the front label of the bottle, submerge the bottom of the bottle in very warm tap water and soak for 15 minutes. Gently peel the net weight statement off the bottle and set aside to dry before mailing.)

Mail to: Surf Liquid \$2.50 Cash Refund Offer, P.O. Box 4815, Young America, MN 55399

Offer good only on 64 oz. size.

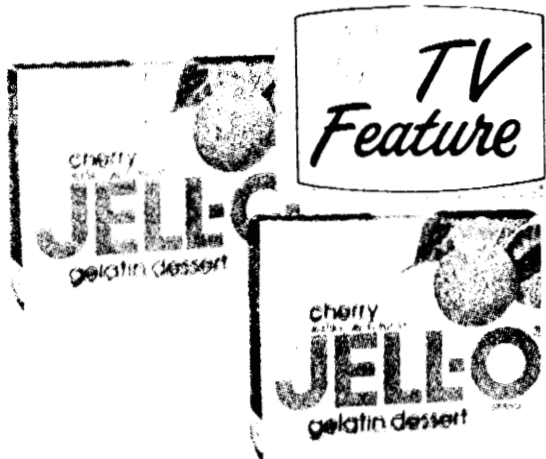
Name _____ (print clearly in letters proper to country)
Address _____ Apt. # _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Other offers \$15.00. Mail must be accompanied by this offer. Offer limited to one per family, group or organization. Make no check for receipt or your check in the mail. Void where prohibited, taxed or restricted. This certificate may not be mechanically reproduced and must accompany your request.

SAVE THIS SLIP FOR YOUR RECORDS
How to receive your refund: Mail this coupon, with a net weight statement, to: Surf Liquid \$2.50 Cash Refund Offer, P.O. Box 100, Young America, MN 55399

Date _____

"I Get Attention"



TV Feature

Assorted Flavors
**Jell-O®
Gelatin**
3 oz. Pkg.

3/1.00



Cream Style or Whole Kernel
**Freshlike
Corn**
12-14.5 oz.

.37



Pre-Priced At .99
Assorted Flavors
**Faygo
Soda Pop**
2 Litre Btls. • Plus Deposit

.69



TV Feature

White or Assorted Pastels
**Charmin
Bath Tissue**
4 Pack

.99



Jiffy Biscuit
**Baking
Mix**
40 oz.

.79



Dole
**Mandarin
Oranges**
11 oz.

.69

Little Dills or Baby Dills
**Bessinger
Dill Pickles**
32-48 oz.

1.99

*Friendly
Service*

THIS WEEK'S



*"Attention
Getters"*

INTRODUCES

The Plush **Charmin** FAMILY

4 Roll \$.99

6 Roll \$ 1.99

9 Roll \$ 4.39



White
Blue/Yellow



No Dyes, No Inks
No Perfumes

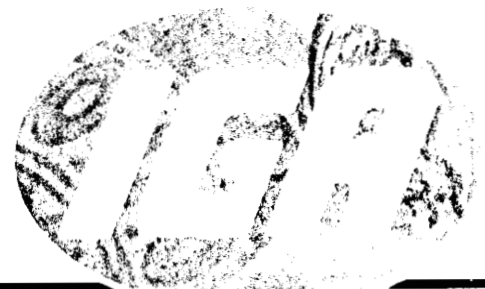


Designer Colors



Each Roll Has 50%
More Sheets

Still Squeezably Soft

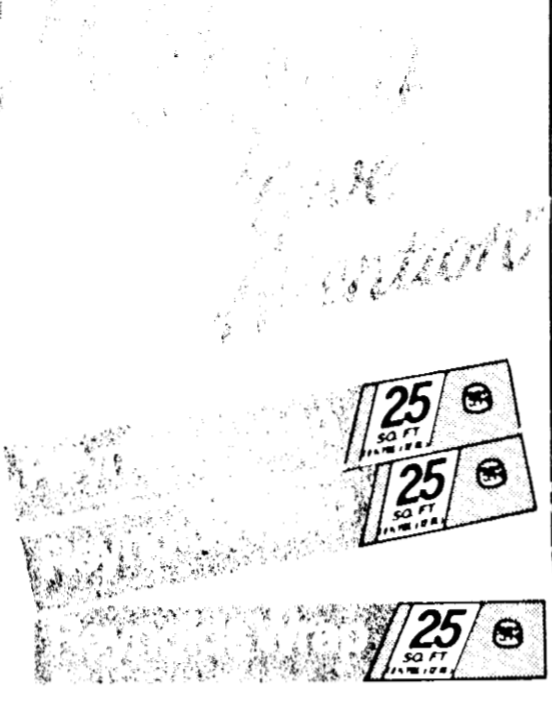


WEEKLY ADVERTISING
PROMOTIONS



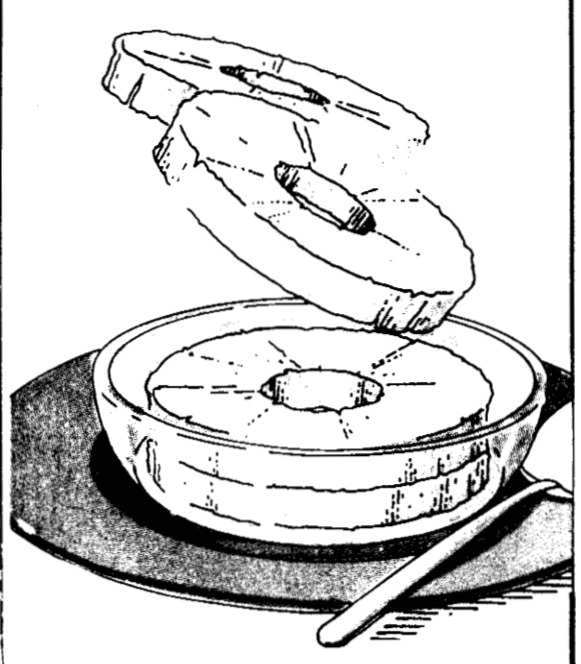
Assorted Grinds
Maxwell House
Coffee
3 lb. Can

6.99



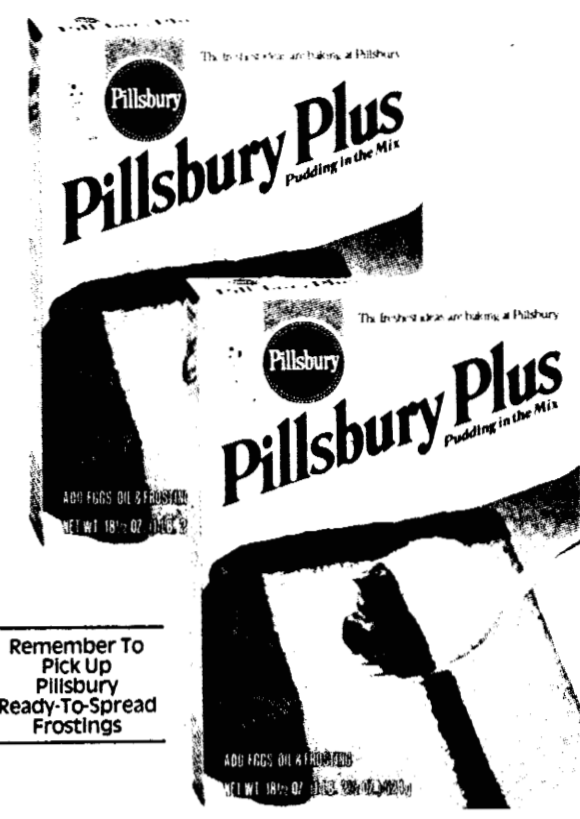
Standard
Reynolds
Foil
12 Inch / 25 Ft.

.59



Assorted Varieties
Packed In Juice or Syrup
Dole
Pineapple
20 oz. Can

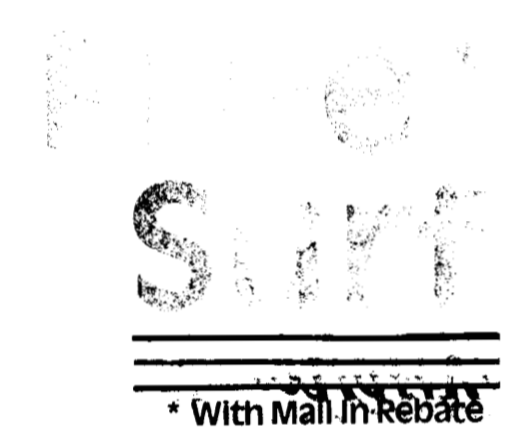
.79



Remember To
Pick Up
Pillsbury
Ready-To-Spread
Frostings

Assorted Layer Varieties
Pillsbury Plus
Cake Mixes
With Coupon • 18.25-18.75 oz.

.59



Pre-Priced At 2.99
Liquid
Surf
Detergent
64 oz. Btl.

2.50

* With Mail In Rebate



Campbell's
Tomato
Juice
46 oz. Can

.89



Light Brown or Powder
FAME
Sugar
16 oz. Poly Bag

.49

THIS WEEK'S



2 Ply
Vanity Fair
Napkins
90 ct.

.89

Pet
Evaporated
Milk
12 oz. Tall Can

.55

All Reg. & Low Cal Varieties
Henri's
Dressings
16 oz.

1.49

• 40 oz. **Bruce's Cut Yams** **1.19**

FAME Red • 10 oz. Bucket **Maraschino Cherries** **.79**

Plochmann's • 10.5 oz. Squeeze Btl. **Mustard** **.59**

Diamond • 10 oz. **Walnut Meats** **1.99**

• Honey Roasted Mixed or Reg. Mixed • 12 oz. **Planters Nuts** **3.49**

• Fine, Medium or Wide • 8 oz. **Zehnder's Noodles** **.59**

• Assorted • 6 oz. **Stove Top Stuffing** **.99**

Ready-Crust • 6 oz. **Pie Crust** **.99**

Kraft • 10-10.5 oz. **Marshmallows** **.59**

• Reg. or Less Salt • Stuffed Thrown Manz • 7 oz. **Mario Olives** **.99**

• Angel Flake • 14 oz. **Baker's Coconut** **1.49**

• Real Semi-Sweet • 12 oz. **Baker's Choc. Chips** **1.49**

• With Coupon • 18.25-18.75 oz. **Pillsbury Plus Cake Mixes** **.59**

Remember To Pick Up Pillsbury Ready-To-Spread Frostings!



In-Store Bakery

• Soft • 12 Ct. **Dinner Rolls** **.79**

• Great W/ Strawberries • 10 oz. Foil Pan **Angel Food Cake** **.99**



• 16 oz. Loaf **Seedless Rye Bread** **.79**

• Caramel Iced • 6 Ct. **Baked Cinnamon Rolls** **1.09**

• 12 oz. Foil Pan **Choc. Iced Brownies** **1.69**

• Great With Cheese • 8 Inch / 24 Oz. **Apple Pie** **1.99**

Look For Our Other In-Store Bakery Specials!

Bakery

Oven Fresh **Brown & Serve Rolls** **Free!**

12 Ct.
Buy One And Get One



IGA Buttered Split Top **Wheat Bread** **.59**

20 oz. Loaf

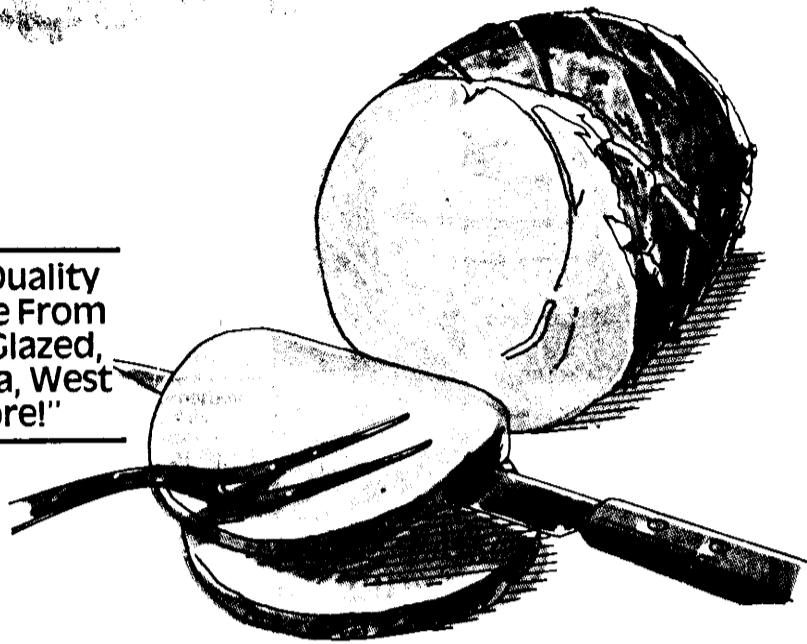
Oven Fresh • Buttered Split Top • 24 oz. **White Bread** **.69**

Freshness

Available Only At Participating Stores With In-Store Bakeries.



"Good Selection Of Quality Easter Hams. Choose From Spiral Sliced-Honey Glazed, Farmer Peet Bonanza, West Virginia....And More!"



Save Up To .30 lb.
FAME Premium
Boneless Ham Steak
3.29 lb.

Save Up To .90 lb.
Whole or Halves FAME Premium Boneless Ham
6-9 lb. Avg.

1.49 lb.

Save Up To .20 lb.
Mash Brand
"Old Fashioned Style"
Shank Portion Ham
1.29 lb.

Save Up To .30 lb.
Grade 'A' Premium
Honeysuckle Hen Turkeys
8-15 lb. Avg.



Save Up To .20 lb.
FAME • Smoked or Polish
Smoked Sausage
1.79 lb.

• Save Up To .50 • 1 lb. Pkg.
FAME Premium Sliced Bacon 1.49

• Save Up To .40 • 1 lb. Pkg.
• Sliced • All Varieties Except Beef Bologna
FAME Luncheon Meats 1.29

Save Up To .40 lb.
Johnsonville
Brats, Reg. or Hot Italian or
Easter Kielbasa
Tray Packed

2.09 lb.

• Save Up To .40 lb.
Easter Style
Farmer Peet Bockwurst 2.59 lb.

Quality Meats

Save Up To .30 lb.
Turkey Store
Fresh Ground Turkey
1.69 lb.

Large End, sold AS ROAST
Save Up To 1.00 lb.
IGA TABLETITE • Beef • 1/4" Lean & Trim
Standing Rib Roast
2.89 lb.

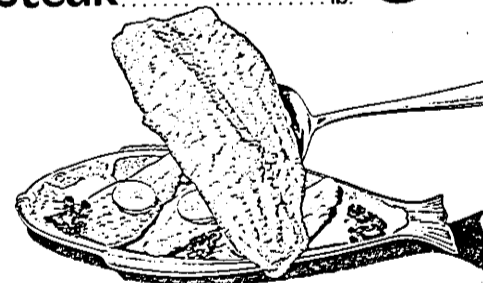
• Save Up To .80 lb.
IGA TABLETITE • Beef • 1/4" Lean & Trim
Rib Steak 3.19 lb.

Save Up To .36 lb.
IGA TABLETITE • OF Holly Farms
Mixed Fryer Parts
.39 lb.

Save Up To .40 lb.
Fresh Dressed Smelt 1.29 lb.

• Save Up To .40 lb.
Genuine North Atlantic • Individually Quick Frozen
Cod Fillets 2.49 lb.

• Save Up To .30 lb.
Individually Quick Frozen
Ocean Perch Fillets 1.99 lb.



Freshness

SAVE \$1.00 AT THE CHECKOUT
when you buy any TWO packages of Betty Crocker® Angel Food Cake Mix.

Good Week Of March 28, 1988
Only At Your Local IGA Store.
Supplier Code 093572.

Limit one coupon per family. This coupon may not be reproduced.
Retailer: General Mills will reimburse you for the face value of this coupon plus 8¢ if submitted in compliance with our redemption policy. Send to GMI COUPON REDEMPTION, Box 177, MPLS, MN 55460 or an authorized clearinghouse.

Cummi Bunnies, Jelly Bird Eggs, Spiced Jelly Bird Eggs, Marshmallow Chicks & Rabbits, Mellowcreme Pets or Solid Chocolate Rabbits
Brach's Easter Candy .20 OFF
Limit 2 • 2.25-16 oz.
Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items.
Coupon expires: Sat., April 2, 1988.
Save .20 On Each
NR 156-5

• 7-10 1/4" Plates, 6.25" Bowls or 7-9 oz. Cold Cups
FAME Design Plates, Bowls or Cups .30 OFF
Limit 3 • 24-100 Ct.
Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items.
Coupon expires: Sat., April 2, 1988.
Save .30 On Each
NR 155-6

• Longhorn Mild, Med. Sharp, Sharp or Extra Sharp Cheddar
County Line Cheese .30 OFF
Limit 2 • Random Weight
Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items.
Coupon expires: Sat., April 2, 1988.
Save .30 On Each
NR 154-7

• Tablets
Bayer Aspirin 2.99
Limit 1 • 100 Ct.
Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and \$7.00 purchase required, excluding tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other coupon items.
Coupon expires: Sat., April 2, 1988.
NR 153-8