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### Some votes missed in Koylton Twp.

A Tuscola County woman's apparent one-vote victory in the Aug. 7 race for Koylton Township clerk has been voided, leaving her with a one-vote loss.

Early reports on the results of the primary gave Mary K. Brief a 63-62 win over James Borek, a former Koylton Township trustee who was appointed clerk after the retirement of Winford Groner earlier this year. However, Brief's victory was short lived, having actually lost the race by one vote, 66-65.

Unofficial vote totals were inaccurate due to failure by an election worker in the township to record all absentee voter ballots in a statement to the Tuscola County. Please turn to back page.



A CROWD OF CONCERNED citizens jammed the Elkland Township Fire Hall Wednesday night to protest a change in the zoning of land in Elkland Township, west of Cass City. Presenting the case for PTI was owner Susan Ingleright, third from left.

### In Elkland Township

## Protest nixes asphalt plant

Nearly 40 persons crowded the Elkland Township Fire Hall Wednesday night to successfully protest to the planning commission a change in zoning that would have allowed an asphalt plant to operate.

After a 2-hour discussion, the planning board, which includes Jerry Houghton, Ed Karr, Aaron Anthes and Roger Root, voted unanimously against changing the zoning. Board member Richard VanVliet was absent.

The request for rezoning was made for PTI Corporation, which was represented at the meeting by Susan Ingleright, owner, and J.D. Tuckey, who owns the property located west of Cass City and south of M-81.

Anton Peters, Elkland Township Zoning Administrator, chaired the meeting and outlined the proposal. He told the group that he had visited the PTI plant that has been operating for about a year on M-53. He said that

he found the plant to be not overly noisy and not a major cause of dust pollution.

He explained that the meeting was to change the zoning from agricultural to industrial manufacturing so that an asphalt plant could operate. The planning commission cannot legally stop anyone from removing gravel from the site as this was the previous use, Peters said.

One fact remains, he continued. You have to take the gravel out from where it is.

None of the home or business owners were willing to agree with Peters' assessment. Dorothy Stahlbaum said that the plant would cause pollution, smell and dust problems.

B. A. Calka said, as a realtor familiar with property values, he is certain that the plant would reduce property values in the area and then quoted his experience with property surrounding another gravel pit. Ed Karr, equalization director for the

county, said that in every instance a gravel pit has reduced the value of property.

What would happen to property values and the increase in noise and truck traffic were the concern of all of the persons attending to fight the zoning change.

It was pointed out to the group that PTI had received DNR approval to operate and was prepared to meet all environmental regulations. Ingleright said that the business employed 20 to 24 persons and did business in the community.

Tuckey also pointed out that the plant operated only about 7 months of the year.

But in the final analysis, the overriding concern of the citizens was effective in preventing any change in zoning.

Peters pointed out that the decision of the planning board was final and PTI had no further recourse other than challenging the decision in court.

## O-G hiring practice criticized

Criticism of a hiring practice in the Owen-Gage School District dominated a monthly meeting of the Board of Education Monday night.

Discussion of the matter and approval of a motion to change the hiring process was sparked by the recommendation of a candidate to fill a secretarial position at Gagetown Elementary

School.

Elementary Principal William Britt recommended hiring Jeannie Brinkman, a Chapter 1 aide and substitute secretary at the school, to fill the vacancy left by retiring secretary Marjorie Schwartz.

Britt, who said he interviewed 5 candidates, told the board he chose Brinkman based on her experi-

ence in his office as well as her familiarity with the school and children, and her nursing background.

School board members asked if Brinkman had experience with computers. He indicated she doesn't, but said she would receive training in that area.

After brief discussion, a motion was made to approve the recommendation, but the proposal died without support.

Several board members indicated they weren't pleased with the method in which potential applicants are being chosen for employment.

Trustee William Kretzschmer was more direct, saying he believes a long-held practice in the district of allowing persons to "apply" for a specific job long before that job is open—in some cases several years in advance—is wrong.

"We all know that's what's

happened," he remarked. "I think when a job is open at the school, we should post it and not allow someone to have a 6- or 10-year inside track on it."

He added, "We're not hir-

ing names; we're hiring the best qualified people we can get."

ACKNOWLEDGED

Other board members as Please turn to page 10.

## Track on track

### Project end in sight as school okays loan, fence donation

Renovation of the Cass City track facility is expected to be completed before football season begins, thanks to a \$24,000 loan Cass City School officials have agreed to make to the Cass City Boosters Club.

The loan, as well as a donation of \$7,000 to \$12,000 to fence the track, were approved during a special Cass City School Board meeting Monday.

Boosters President Bob

Tuckey made the request, saying the organization wants the loan in order to finish the track renovation this year.

The boosters are responsible for spearheading the track project, which has consisted of converting the old 440-yard cinder track to an enclosed, 8-lane all weather metric track.

Tuckey explained the final stage of the renovation is placement of a 3/8-inch

thick synthetic running surface on the newly paved track surface at a total cost of \$45,000. The bid includes professional striping, which alone would cost \$3,000, he said.

"Why we're pushing to do this now is, of course, because the price of everything keeps going up," he told the board.

He added it's suggested that the rubberized surface be installed within 2 years of

the blacktop, which was placed on the track a year ago.

Tuckey said the boosters expect to pay the loan back over a 3-year period.

The club, which has collected some \$54,000 in donations from service clubs and other sources since December 1988, currently has about \$18,000 and anticipates receiving another \$18,000 in pledged donations over the next 3 years.

That leaves a deficit of \$9,000, but Tuckey indicated he's confident the boosters can raise the additional amount.

The board unanimously approved a motion to make the loan. President Ben Hobart made a point of noting, however, that the boosters' request is unique and that the district isn't getting into the money-lending business. Please turn to back page.

## O-G teachers not happy; picket staged

Owen-Gage teachers haven't declared a strike, but the group returned to the picket line early this week to let school officials know they're not happy with the salary figures being discussed in on-going contract negotiations.

Several teachers took part in the demonstration, which was held prior to the school board's monthly meeting Monday night in Owendale.

It was the second informational picket staged in 3 months by the teachers, who briefly picketed a school board meeting in May, less than a week after negotiations began on the upcoming contract.

At that time, Owen-Gage Education Association President Manuel Thies said the teachers were upset and angry. Please turn to page 10.



PICKET PARADE — Dissatisfaction with on-going contract negotiations prompted teachers in the Owen-Gage School District Monday to stage their second informational picket in 3 months.

## Cass City milk plant to close doors

by Tom Montgomery  
News Editor

Cass City's last remaining dairy will close its doors this month, marking the end of a long history of milk processing at the corner of Main and Maple streets that began in the early 1930s.

Wesley's Milk Plant will shut down Aug. 25, plant General Manager Gerald Stilson announced Friday.

Closing of the plant, which employs 10 persons, coincides with the retirement of Stilson, who has worked there nearly 44 years.

"I guess the dairy just decided to go when I go," Stilson, who has served as general manager since 1964, remarked in his office. "They always said when I left they were going to close it."

The news came as no surprise to Stilson, who indicated the writing has been on the wall for a number of years.

"The last couple of years I knew it wasn't going to last many years," he said. "We knew it was going to close, but we thought maybe it would go till Christmas time."

Several factors, including the buyout of the plant by the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, Inc., more than a year ago, have led to

the closing.

Small town dairies have become a thing of the past, and like other industry, bigger is better, Stilson remarked. "Everybody's merging; everybody's weeding the little guy out. I don't think it's right, but..."

Stilson said business has been good at the local plant, which processes milk into cream and skim condensed milk and then ships both products to Wesley's Quaker Maid, Inc., plant in Detroit for use in ice cream. However, he added, "They (parent company) claim they can buy the product cheaper."

### USEFULNESS

"I don't think business is as good as it used to be, and the plant's old and needs a lot of new machinery," Stilson conceded. "I guess basically...it's used up its usefulness."

The closing marks the end of an era, both at the corner of Main and Maple and in the village as a whole.

"It's been a dairy oriented corner for 60 years, probably," Stilson said of Wesley's location at 6608 Main St.

He explained that the existing Wesley's building was constructed in 1946-47, but

the corner previously was the home of McLellan Creamery, which opened around 1930.

According to Herb Bartle,

85, who started working for McLellan's in the fall of 1930, the business previously was a grocery store.

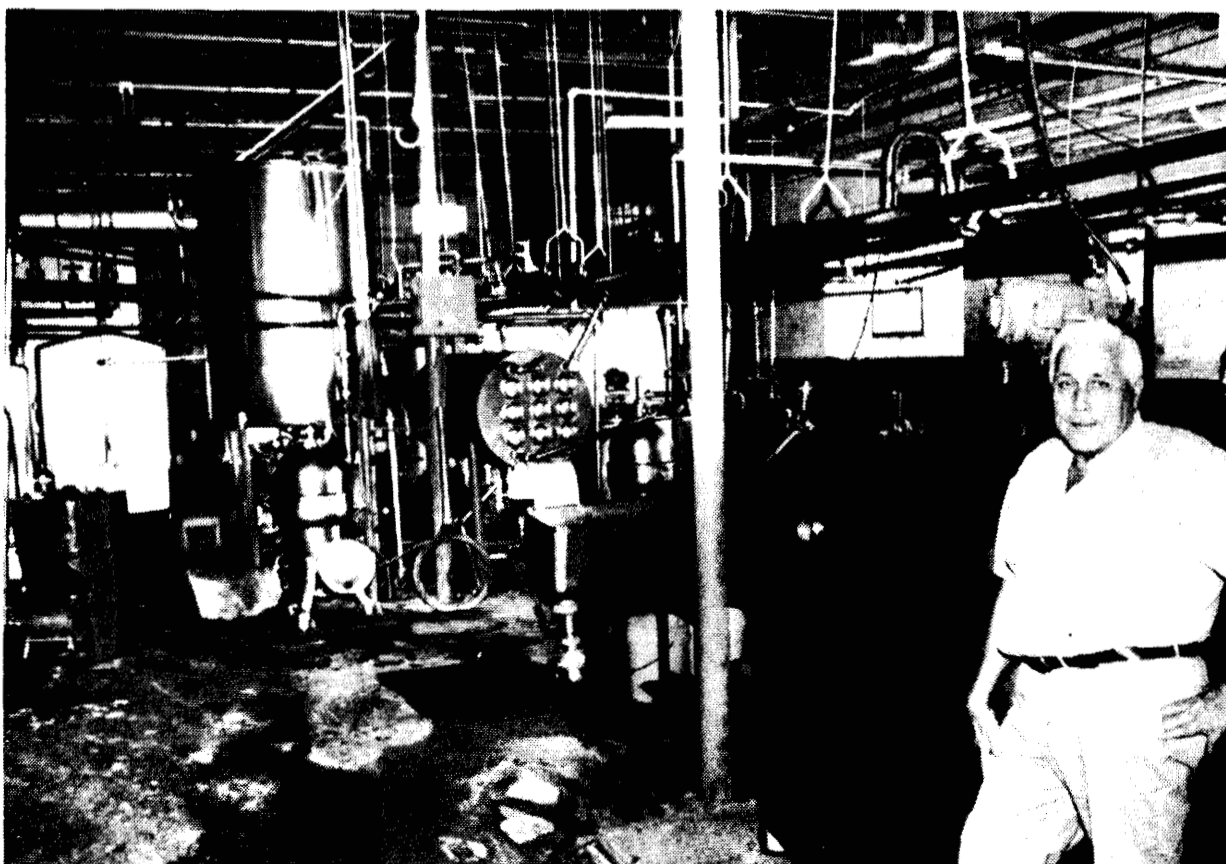
"At one time there were 3

creameries" in the village, Bartle remarked, noting the business was quite a bit different in those days.

"They (farmers) used to

separate the milk. Pertiner every farmer had a separator, and they just sold us the cream. About '41 we started

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SAYING GOODBYE — Cass City's last remaining dairy, Wesley's Milk Plant, will close its doors this month. The shutdown, which will eliminate 10 jobs, was announced in conjunction with the retirement of long-time plant manager Gerald Stilson (above).

## Cass City Area Social and Personal Items

Audrey Katzenberger

Phone 872-3049



Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Peters

Valerie Langenburg married Christopher Peters April 21 at St. Pancratius Catholic Church in Cass City. Rev. Julius Spleet and Rev. Harry Capps performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Louis and Jeanette Langenburg of Cass City and the groom's parents are village residents Anton and Marilyn Peters.

The bride's sister, maid of honor Brenda Erla stood up with best man Patrick Peters, the groom's brother.

Serving as bridesmaids were 4 friends of the bride: Tracy Green, Chicago, Ill.; Rochelle Peters, Cass City; Amy Monroe, Akron and Laura Raymond, Wildwood, Fla. Grooms-

men were Bob Erla, Cass City; Paul Brown, Cass City; Fred Tuckey, Millington and Rick Bergeron, Cass City.

Ushers were the bride's brother, Hank Langenburg of Cass City, and Scott McLachlan, Cass City, the groom's cousin.

Flower girl Veronica Conlin, the groom's niece, was

escorted by ring bearer Matthew Ender, nephew of the bride.

The bride wore a floor-length white satin gown with a high neckline and embroidered sheer yoke. Leg-of-mutton sleeves and a chapel-length train were dress features. Her finger-tip illusion veil was attached to a headband adorned with seed pearls and sequins.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore tea-length blush satin gowns with chantilly lace bodices and elbow-length sleeves.

Prima donna and Jack Frost white roses, stephanotis, ivy pearls and baby's breath made up the bride's bouquet. Her attendants carried crest-shaped bouquets of prima donna roses, miniature pink carnations, ivy and baby's breath.

A reception for about 350 guests was held at Colony House.

Following a trip to Florida the couple will reside in Cass City. The groom works for Vollmar Farms and the bride is employed by Marshall Distributing.

Susan Gimble and Ronald Crandell were married Saturday at Church of the Straits in Mackinaw City.

A bridal shower was held for Deidra Vargo at the home of Michelle Zdrojewski Saturday, Aug. 4. Friends and relatives from Cass City, Gageton, Owendale, Reese, Minden City, Caro and Palms attended. Ms. Vargo, daughter of Denny and Mary Lou Thick of Gageton, will marry Jon Zdrojewski, son of Ken and Michelle Zdrojewski, Saturday, Aug. 18, at St. Pancratius Catholic Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nemeth attended the Nemeth-Gazdag reunion at the home of Ernest Gazdag in Inkster last week.

Rev. and Mrs. William Cox of Glendale, Ariz., were guests of Louis and Grace Nemeth a few days last week.

Patti Timmons spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer. Other guests were Mrs. James Polich and Michael of Green Oaks, Ill., and Mrs. Jack Leitch, who spent Wednesday through Friday with the LaPeers. Dinner guests Thursday evening also included Wayne Curry, Mrs. Ruth Timmons and Debbie Timmons.

Gordon Stirton of Kerwood, Ont., was a Sunday and Monday guest of the Gaylord LaPeers.



Lester and Helen Ross

### 50th anniversary reception held

Lester and Helen Ross of Cass City will celebrate Hills and Dales General Hospital

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, AUG. 13, WERE:

Floy Arnold, Yvonne Burlinson, Jeffery Nausedas, Raymonde Winchester, Robert Woodward, Cass City; Fern Babich, Deford; Lillie Barrigar, Caro.

The Cass River Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Joyce Cameron home, Chestnut Boulevard.

Mrs. Mabel Ichue of Fraser, Mrs. June MacDonald of Troy and Mrs. Zelta Hem and Mrs. Jean Cohen of Flint were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Clair Auslander of Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Godbey of Livonia visited his grandmother, Mrs. Lyle Zapfe, Saturday.

Rev. Arthur and Ann O'Dell of New Berlin, Wis., visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Whittenburg, Monday.

Mel Rienstra spent 10 days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rienstra. He returned to his home in Bradenton, Fla., Wednesday. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rienstra and family at Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jarvis of Apache Junction, Ariz., came Thursday to spend a few days with his sister, Mrs. Ann Klinkman. Other weekend guests were Ann's sister-in-law, Viola Jarvis of Pigeon, her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis of Bay City, her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Sternburg, and her son, James Sternburg of Bad Axe, and his daughter Kristin of Plymouth. They all had dinner at the Wildwood Sunday, where Mr. and Mrs. William Klinkman joined the group.

Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Denver, Colo., Mrs. Betty (Brown) Smith of St. Petersburg, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy and Mr. and Mrs. Don Whittenburg.

Mrs. Helen Lorentzen of Cass City, Ann Marie Lorentzen of Saginaw, Betty Jean Lorentzen of Burton and Paula Jarvis of Clio visited Mr. and Mrs. Rick Lorentzen in Clio Friday to celebrate Daniel's third birthday.

Theda Seeger went to Drayton Plains Saturday afternoon to attend the 25th wedding anniversary of Don and Pauline Kitchen.

Mrs. Marilyn Dennis of Caro, Mrs. Joyce Neal of Toledo, Ohio, Mrs. Jack Laurie and Mrs. Stanley Morell of Cass City spent from Monday until Friday in Petersburg, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rienstra and Mel Rienstra were Tuesday afternoon and supper guests of Mel's daughter and family, Dawn and Steve Freeland and sons, Steven and Justin, in North Branch.

**Meg's Peg**



**Aljearz  
upearz &  
soovunearz**

by Melva E. Guinther

For some reason I haven't figured out, the old song, "You Belong To Me", was going through my mind over the weekend.

The words go something like: See the marketplace in old Algiers; send me photographs and souvenirs; just remember when a dream appears, you belong to me.

I'd like to say that the lyrics conjured up romantic thoughts of courtship days, but I'd be lying. What it actually made me think of was the inconsistency of the English language.

Look at the rhyming words in those lines, Algiers, souvenirs, appears. They rhyme, but they shouldn't.

Other words the writer could have used, although it would be tricky to retain the sentiment, are: jeers, biers,

and shears, all spelled differently to achieve the same sound. It's written (irz) in my dictionary.

"Tears" rhymes with souvenirs, too, but it also rhymes with shares, in which case it has an altogether different meaning. How does anyone ever learn to read, let alone spell, English?

Take another line from the song. Something about "Watching the sunrise on a tropic isle and seeing the pyramids along the Nile." If English followed a predictable pattern, you'd have to figure out a way to use sizzle to rhyme with isle. But no! Isle, while, dial and style all have the same (il) sound, and the inconsistency is enough to (ri) a person.

Still another part of the song has the jungle fresh with rain (long a). Rein and reign are pronounced identically. But "again", which in the song is supposed to rhyme, really doesn't, unless you're British.

The g in reign is as useless as the s in isle or aisle. It only serves to confuse and make spelling difficult.

It's time we adopted a fonetik spelling system! Take the gh foolishness...please!

Gh can represent just about anything or nothing at all.

It can be silent, as in through or drought, or it can sound like g alone, as in ghost, or ghashly. It can stand for f, as in cough, enough, or laugh, which is ridiculous.

We don't use the lowly f nearly enuf. It's a perfectly good letter. So why make gh a substitute? And why are there 5 and a half pages in the dictionary with ph sounding like f? Let's move filofosy and fotografy to the fs where they belong.

While we're at it, let's get rid of all the duplicate sounds. If we stop letting c sound like s, we could eliminate the letter k altogether. It doesn't get used much anyway.

J has only 10 pages in the dictionary, but if we stop using g in words like gesture, we could even things up. If giblets were spelled jiblets, everybody would know how to pronounce it. Spelling fonetically would be a snap.

On the other hand, if spelling were easy, nobody would need a proofreader, and I'd be out of a job.



Mr. and Mrs. Ray Francis

### 60th anniversary party scheduled

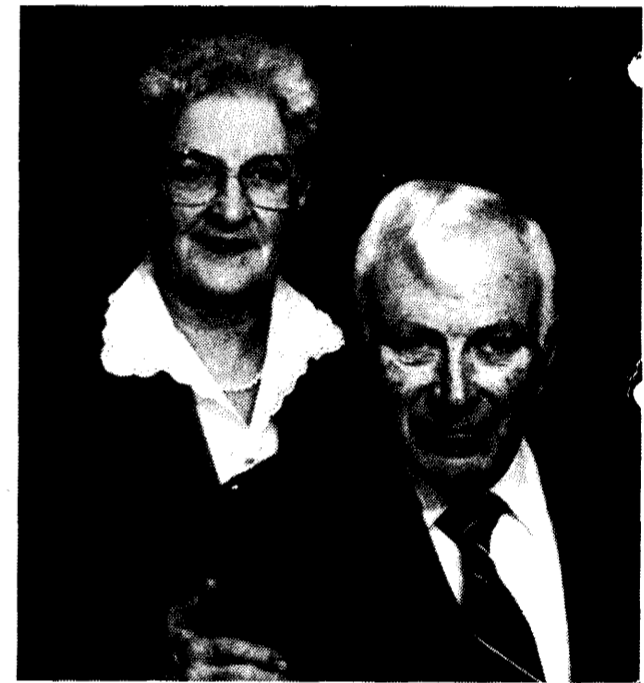
Friends and family of Ray and Susie Francis of Deford are invited to help them celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary Saturday, Aug. 25, from 1-5 p.m. at the Kingston High School Cafeteria. Susie Thorp and Ray Francis were married Aug. 27, 1930, in the Cass City Methodist parsonage.

Their children are Elmer and Janet Francis of Cass City, Madeline and Karl Marker of Saginaw, James

and Sharon Francis of Vassar, Edward and Alice Francis of East Lansing, Stuart and Gloria Francis of Reese, and Vivian and Bryce Updegraff of St. Louis.

They have 24 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Ray Francis retired from Saginaw Steering Gear in 1971 after 28 1/2 years of service. No gifts please.



Donald and Jean Reid

### Reids celebrate 50th anniversary

Donald and Jean Reid, Cass City, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner hosted by their children and grandchildren Aug. 4 at the Charmont.

Friends and relatives enjoyed a dinner and slide program entitled, "50 Years of Remembering."

Family members include 4 children and their families, Col. James and Betty Reid and their children, Valerie and Brian, of Grand Forks, N.D.; Dr. Richard and Pamela Reid and their children, Tammy and Paul, of Caro; Fredrick and Barbara Reid and their children, Jef-

fery and Laura, of Brighton, and Capt. Roger and Sharon Reid and their children, Ryan and Christina, of El Paso, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid were married Sept. 20, 1940, at home. The attendants were Jean's sister, Dorothea Quick of Cass City, and Don's brother, Raymond Reid of Denver, Colo.

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David Joseph Bogert and Bethany Sue Blasius, both of Vassar.

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**Engaged**

**Barbara Meredith  
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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Meredith of Caro announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Louise, to Daniel Mark Bostick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Bostick of Caro.

A May 1991 wedding is planned.

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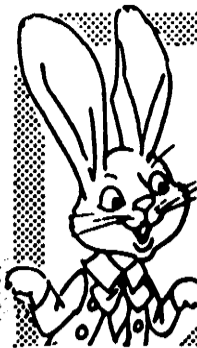
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## Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire  
(And anyone else he can get to help.)

If details can be worked out look for another improvement at Cass City Recreation Park. Planning for a joint effort between the Cass City Rotary and Lions Clubs is nearing completion.

If all goes well the plan is to add more court space to the east side of the present basketball court and make 3 courts running east and west to replace the one that now runs north and south.

Also with the expansion will come new baskets and backboards.

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We saw the ad for the new restaurant in Frankenmuth, Gepetto's. It indicated a traditional Italian-style menu.

It did, but it also evidently is attempting to be all things to all diners. It failed. The new spacious dining room was a big plus. After a shakedown period I'd guess that the service would be good.

There was help scurrying around like ants in a hive. We had someone escort us to the table and another fill our water glasses. Then we waited for 10 minutes (seemed longer) for someone to take our order and she said she didn't know we were there.

The food was acceptable (not great) and it costs about \$30 for a dinner for 2.

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It pays to have a friend (or relative) in the right places. An uncle of Dave Bartnik works for GM and last weekend he allowed Dave to drive his Cadillac.

Okay, what's so special about driving a Cadillac? This one had the dashboard of the Cadillac Allante. That's the 1994 Cadillac Allante, partner.

## The Weather

	High	Low	Preclp.
Tuesday	70	48	.02"
Wednesday	78	50	0
Thursday	84	60	0
Friday	82	55	0
Saturday	77	56	0
Sunday	70	60	.40"
Monday	70	46	0

(Recorded at Cass City wastewater treatment plant.)

## Voters of Tuscola County's 2nd District

Your support in the Aug. 7th Primary Election was very much appreciated.

I am pleased to be your candidate for Commissioner in District 2 and look forward to your continued support on Election Day.

Thank You  
Roy J. Tuckey

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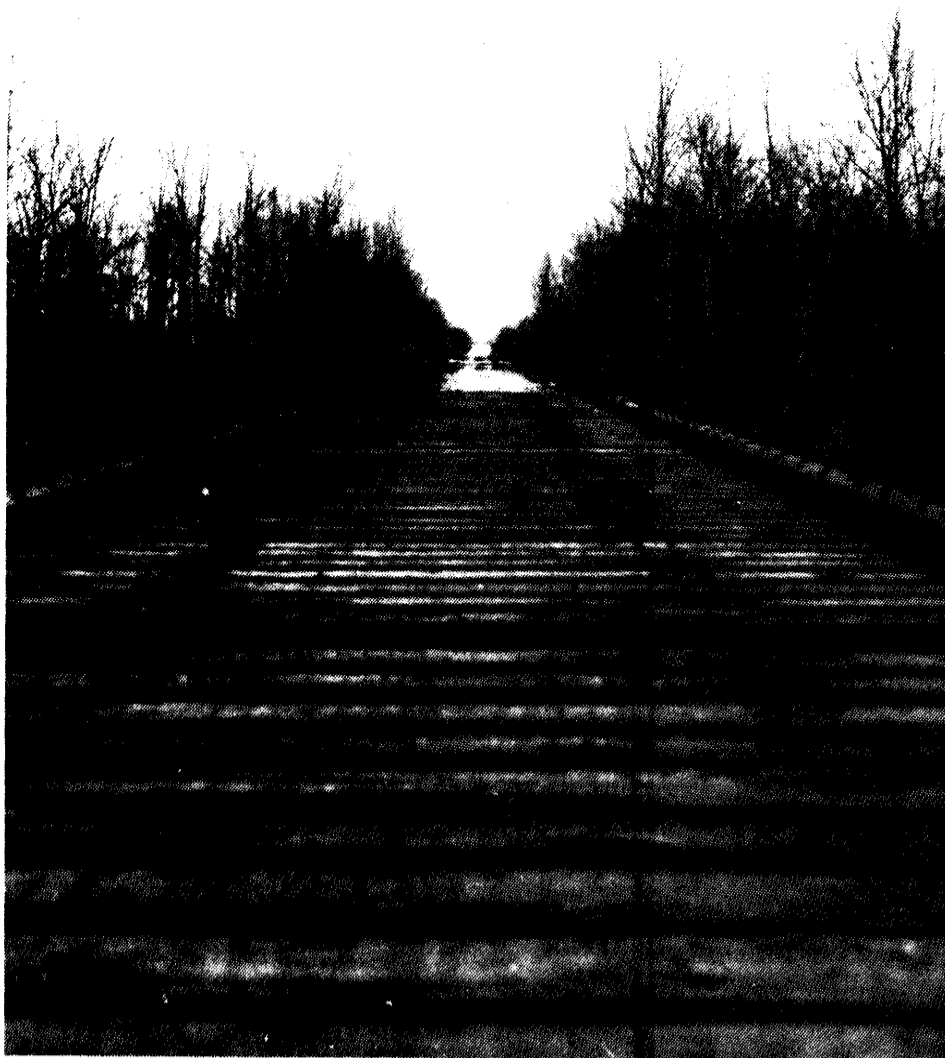
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FUNDING WAS RECENTLY approved for several state recreation grants, including a \$30,000 award to Cass City, which will use the money to develop a walking trail along the old Grand Trunk Railroad right-of-way (above).

## In Cass City

### Foot trail grant funded

A \$30,000 award to Cass City is among \$14 million in grants from the Protecting Michigan's Future Recreation Bond Fund that have been funded under legislation recently approved by Gov. James J. Blanchard.



The Haire Net

The Department of Natural Resources is taking a lot of heat because of the stories concerning the department's poisoning of tiny segments of several of Michigan's top trout streams for research purposes.

The DNR uses the data collected to guide it in the management of these tremendously valuable natural resources.

What kicked off the statewide controversy is the inept way that one of these kills was handled, resulting in a fish kill over a stretch of the river that was not in the proposed kill area.

It's inevitable, I suppose, that any agency dealing with such public-sensitive issues as our environment and natural resources has its work placed under a microscope.

Folks who have made a serious study and are committed to preservation of our streams, such as those in Trout Unlimited, have endorsed the DNR studies.

They don't, of course, endorse the sloppy way that the poisoning was carried out. The DNR does seem to have a penchant for fouling up its image at times.

Take the case of the fawn found at the porch of a home in Cass City, abandoned by its mother, and taken to be raised at an area farm.

Now it's against DNR policy and perhaps the law to take a fawn to raise and for good reason. Most times fawns found in the wild are not abandoned, and the mother returns when intruders leave.

That didn't prove to be the case here and the fawn was doing well at the farm when a DNR representative came and took the fawn away.

He came to the Chronicle when I was absent and told the office that there was something wrong about the story that the paper printed.

Since then 3 tries to phone him about the case while once leaving my number have proved futile. I suppose that it's not a top priority with the officer because the whole incident is water over the dam.

The DNR did a better public relations job when it proposed killing out all the fish in the Cass River. The experts are convinced that it would ultimately lead to better fishing. But because of local protests, the project was abandoned.

The opinion here is that the DNR was right, the fishermen wrong.

If you lived around here 25 years ago you can recall another fight with the DNR. At that time it was over killing antlerless deer.

The vast majority said that they didn't want to kill does and fawns, and brushed aside the DNR claim that deer in the area would increasingly become a hazard to cars and to the crops.

No one argues that the professionals were 100 percent right on this one and there are many farmers who wish that the doe season would be open the year around.

Tending to issues such as these seems much more appropriate than stirring up rancor over the possession of one fawn that would have died if not cared for.

Approval of this second round of funding will result in \$14.45 million being available to 131 cities, villages, townships, counties and other units of government for development projects.

Cass City will add a \$10,000 local match to its state grant for a combined project budget of \$40,000. The money will be used to develop a walking trail along the old Grand Trunk Railroad right-of-way in the village.

Proposed improvements to the trail, which stretches about 1 1/2 miles from the Cass River to the northwest corner of the village limits, include construction of a scenic overlook over the river at the south end of the trail.

Removal of brush and the addition of signs, barriers, rest areas and a pair of small bridges also have been discussed.

The trail will be designated as a foot path only. Towards that end, the Village Council has approved an ordinance prohibiting the use of motor vehicles, including motorcycles, snowmobiles and 3 and 4-wheel off-road vehicles, on the trail.

While village officials were notified in January that their grant application had been selected, work on the project has been stalled pending funding of the grant.

Village Manager Lou S. LaPonsie remarked Friday that work will get underway as soon as possible after a contract between the state and the village is signed.

Aside from the \$30,000 earmarked for Cass City, the recent funding of state grants includes \$85,500 that will go to Tuscola County for improvements to Vanderbilt Park, a 5-acre recreation area located in the northwest corner of the county on M-25 near Quanicasee.

Marines commend Stirrett

Marine Cpl. Jerry L. Stirrett, son of Jerry L. and Leann M. Stirrett, 3589 Third St., Owendale, was recently commended while serving with 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station New River, Jacksonville, N.C.

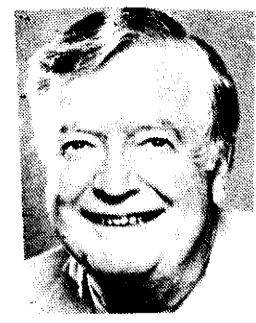
Stirrett was recognized for his outstanding performance of duty, professionalism and overall dedication to the service.

A 1987 graduate of Owen-Gage High School, he joined the Marine Corps in October 1987.

## "If It Fitz..."

### I'm not leaving

By Jim Fitzgerald



"What are we doing here?" my wife asked.

"Who wants to know?" "Everybody."

She was probably right. Specifically, only one young woman, sitting at the next table, had come right out and asked my wife what such an elderly couple were doing in the midst of so much youthful, ear-shattering revelry. But our Social Security appearance was attracting inquisitive glances from all over the big room.

Because of my fondness for saloons, and my preference for slightly warped entertainment, I'm used to risking unconsciousness in crowded joints where I could be the parent of everyone else present, and am wearing the only jacket and tie for miles around. But this evening was more extreme than usual. I could have been everybody's grandparent, and I was the only man wearing long pants.

"Just say I'm here to learn how to whistle through my teeth," I told my wife, "and you're a practical nurse paid to make sure I get home safely every night."

"I don't get paid enough," she said.

We were upstairs at the Old Shillelagh on a Friday night in Greektown, attracted by the music and comedy of Ron Coden, who often calls himself "the Jewish Leprechaun." It was a marvelous place to be if you enjoy eclectic.

The twenty-and-thirty-something crowd responded to Coden by yelling, stomping the floor, pounding tables, and whistling. I've never been able to whistle a peep, no matter how hard I try. There were short-panted men in the Old Shillelagh who could whistle up a taxi from two cities away.

#### KEEPING SKINNY LEGS PRIVATE

On hot days, I'm also jealous of men who wear short pants downtown with aplomb, which looks better than with black socks. Some guys even wear them to the office. My legs are slim without being too knobby, and I'm not sure why I don't have enough confidence to bare them on the street. It may have something to do

with my childhood when I was forced to go to school wearing pants so short they revealed the embarrassing garter belt holding up my long stockings. The garter clasps left puffy little indentations in the top of my stockings, and probably in the back of my psyche.

Anyway, I also heard "what are you doing here?" when I told a friend how weird it was to see the same action at the same time live on TV and live out my high-rise window. Got that?

On my TV screen, a reporter was pointing to a pair of shoes and saying they might have been discarded by a slaying suspect who'd just escaped from police headquarters and was being sought by many cops. Through my living room window I could see police headquarters, the shoes, the reporter and the searching cops, on foot and in helicopter. The suspect was quickly recaptured as he dined in a Greektown restaurant.

My friend meant I could afford to move to a suburb, so why did I continue to live in a city where a crook can

escape from a building full of cops? It must be because I enjoy weird as much as eclectic.

#### A SOFT BREEZE AND SWEET JAZZ

And there's serenity, too. Before going to the noisy Old Shillelagh that evening, we drove a few blocks east to the handsome new River Place Inn in the Stroch complex. We dined on the riverbank patio while lake freighters glided by, almost close enough to touch, a man named Gabriel (honest) blew sweet jazz on the saxophone, and a soft breeze made my long pants cool. It was a gorgeous dinner.

If this city is to improve, we need the truths told in the many books and newspaper columns (including this one) that bash Detroit and the Coleman Young administration. But there are other truths, and some of them are the many splendid reasons for what we are doing here.

I'm not leaving, even if I have to give my practical nurse a pay raise.

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The hearing will be held on Monday, August 20, 1990, at 7:30 o'clock in the p.m. at the High School Board of Education Office, 4868 North Seeger Street, Cass City, Michigan 48726.

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 3.06% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing.

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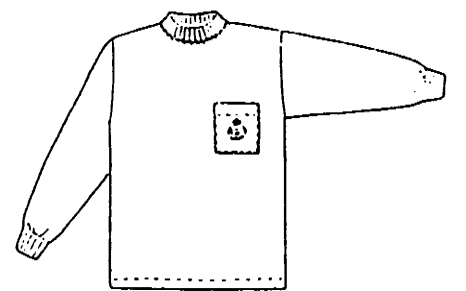
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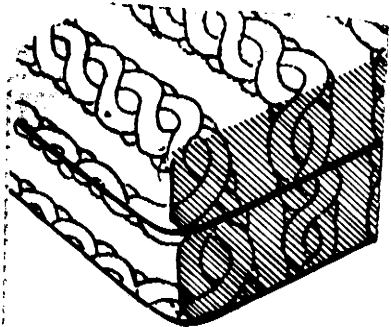


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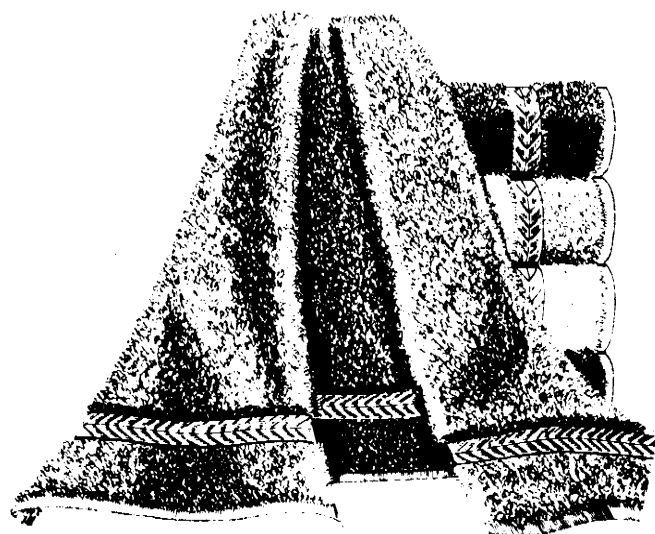
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# Science camp gets rave reviews in Cass City from teachers, parents

by Kristine L. Renaud  
Staff Writer

Ryan Bennett ran excitedly from table to table, demonstrating a number of science experiments for his mother, Linda.

As the 10-year-old used a scale to show her how different objects vary in weight, one could see that he enjoyed sharing his newly acquired knowledge.

Making science fun for students and teachers is the AIMS foundation's goal.

Activities that Integrate Math and Science is a program designed in California to instruct teachers in methods of teaching hands-on science. It tries to apply science to everyday situations, and make it less threatening as an individual course of study.

"If you do something with your hands you're likely to remember it for a long time," explained AIMS trainer Tim Meno. "We want kids to see science and technology in a different light by developing positive attitudes toward math and science."

A 2-week AIMS workshop recently was conducted at Cass City High School. Similar programs focused toward math and reading

were held earlier this summer in Reese and Akron. A state grant funds AIMS in each host school district.

Five Tuscola County teachers and about 40 children, second through ninth graders, participated in the science camp at CCHS. Teachers spent a week in training, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily, before the children started Aug. 1. From then until Aug. 9 the teachers met in the morning and applied what they had learned in afternoon classes. "AIMS is really nice," said Mayville teacher Judi Freeman. "It gives teachers an update on the subject and new ways to show concepts to the kids."

The summer program "gives us time to practice before we go back to our own classes," Freeman added.

A benefit of AIMS is that it shows teachers how to make science experiments out of everyday objects. Fruit seeds, buttons, paper cups, egg cartons, modeling clay and Legos are among the objects used to teach scientific concepts.

"The children think Legos are toys, but you can make all the simple machines with them," remarked Mary

Shantz, a teacher at Ruth Elementary School. Scales, a pulley and a universal gear were among the Lego machines the children built.

Meno and his colleague, Huron County's resource recovery coordinator Dee Deford (in training to become an AIMS instructor), supplied all the AIMS equipment and literature. At the end of the workshop it was divided among the 5 participating teachers for use in their own classrooms.

Because each teacher gets a science class starter kit as well as training, an AIMS program is doubly beneficial. "There's a good payoff for the schools as well as the individuals," Meno commented.

"I've heard nothing but good reports from all the kids and teachers who attended," said Marilyn Pe-

## Retirees meeting

Local 6222 retirees met for lunch and held a brief meeting Aug. 7 at the VFW Hall in Cass City.

A white elephant sale is planned for the group's next meeting, slated for Sept. 4.

ters, a Cass City resident. Peters recruited teachers and students for all 3 of the county's summer workshops.

Along with many other

parents, Linda Bennett visited the science camp Aug. 9 and gave it high marks. She said Ryan and his 8-year-old sister, Emily, enjoyed going to science camp because

they got actively involved in making and doing things. "They really got wound up about it, so you know they're having a good time and learning at the same time."



**BRENDA FULCHER** helps her nephew, 11-year-old **Jeremy Powell**, determine how much water he squeezed from a sponge with his left hand. Fulcher and Powell were visiting her son, Tommy, at Cass City High School's recent summer science camp.



**LOOK AT THIS, MOM!** — Ryan Bennett illustrates weight differences by using paper cups full of ordinary objects. His captive audience consists of (far left) 8-year-old sister Emily, mother Linda Bennett and 10-year-old Rachel Hoard.

## Obituaries

### Elmer O'Berski

Uby civic leader Elmer M. O'Berski, 68, died Tuesday, Aug. 7, at Saginaw General Hospital after a long illness. He was born Sept. 2, 1921, in Bad Axe, son of Frank X. and Margaret (Jaskoski) O'Berski.

He married Bernice J. Masa Aug. 20, 1949, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Bad Axe. A lifelong resident of Uby, O'Berski graduated from Uby High School and enlisted in the U.S. Air Force Sept. 5, 1940. He served until Oct. 30, 1945, becoming a master sergeant, and was awarded a bronze medal. He was the past owner of City Cleaners, Bad Axe and Uby, retiring in 1985.

O'Berski served on the Uby Village Council for 17 years and was Bingham Township treasurer for 17 years. He was a member of the Bingham Fire Department for 25 years, serving as past secretary and assistant chief. He was past commander and a charter member of Thumb Veterans Organization Post 1, a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5740, Parisville, a life member of the Disabled American Veterans and a member of the American Legion, Post 274, Oscoda.

He was a lifelong member of St. John's Evangelist Catholic Church, where he served as an usher, an Uby Community Club member and a former member of Knights of Columbus, Council 1546, Bad Axe.

Surviving are his wife "Bunny," Uby; 2 daughters, Mrs. Larry (Kathy) Kelly, Bad Axe, and Mrs. Ronald (Diana) Adrianse, Oscoda; 3 sons, Dennis (Anita) O'Berski, Cass City, Kenneth (Chris) O'Berski, Uby, and Garret O'Berski, Uby; 6 grandchildren; one sister, Mary O'Berski, Uby, and many nieces and nephews.

One sister, Lillian Walker, preceded him in death. Services were Friday at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church. The Rev. Peter Gaspeny, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery where graveside military services were conducted by the TVO and Parisville VFW 5740.

A scripture service was held Thursday evening at Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home, Uby.

### Beatrice Soldan

Mrs. Beatrice Uretta Soldan, 70, of Cass City died Sunday, Aug. 12, at Saginaw Community Hospital, after a lengthy illness.

She was born March 8, 1920, in Burnside, Mich., the daughter of Loy and Mildred (Stringham) Smith. Miss Smith was married to Milton Soldan May 15, 1940, in Bad Axe, where they made their home. They moved to a farm in Novesta Township in 1952. Mr. and

Mrs. Soldan celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in May.

She was a member of the Cass City Missionary Church and the WCTU.

Mrs. Soldan is survived by her husband, Milton; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Lucille) Hayes of Cass City; 3 sons, William Soldan of Unionville, Floyd Soldan and Lee Soldan and his wife Shirley, all of Cass City; 11 grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Velma Matthews of Clio. One brother, Arthur, preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the Cass City Missionary Church with Rev. Clifford Jordan, pastor, officiating.

Interment will be in Grant Cemetery, Gageton. Arrangements were by Little's Funeral Home, Cass City.

### Gabriella and Jedidiah Wells

Gabriella Wells was born and died June 29 in Kalamazoo, and Jedidiah Thomas Wells was born July 22 in Kalamazoo and died Aug. 5.

They were the infant twin children of Steven E. and Charla C. (Finley) Wells. Surviving besides the par-

ents are grandparents, Charles and Jean Finley of Kalamazoo and Clyde and Pat Wells of Cass City; 2 great-grandmothers, Lorain Finley of Kalamazoo and Viola Goughly of Amarillo, Texas, and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Services were held at Langeland Memorial Chapel, with Pastor Paul Joles of Westwood Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in Mt. Ever-Rest North Cemetery.

### Sr. Citizens Menu

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# Forest association holds annual meet

Aug. 17 and 18 will find well over 100 members of the Michigan Forest Association attending their annual state meeting this year in Caro. The Caro Moose Lodge will be headquarters for this year's meeting.

Field visits will be made to the Ed-Mar Tree Farm in Mayville, the Caro Regional Center Woodlot and the Sanilac Petroglyph Park.

Concurrent forestry workshops will be presented by Chuck Volz, Cass City DNR forester, and Michigan State University specialists Dr. Gary Simmons, Dr. Karen Potter-Witter and Dr. Glenn Dudderar. MUCC's Dennis

Laidler, a Lapeer native, will offer the "Michigan Birds of Prey" Wildlife Encounter presentation.

Harbor Beach's Judge James H. Lincoln, co-author of the book, "The Firey Trial," will be guest speaker at the banquet session.

The Michigan Forest Association (MFA) is an association of private woodlot owners. The group's primary goal is the proper stewardship of woodlots and forests.

More information is available about the association from Jim Guyor, chair of MFA Chapter 11, at (313) 329-4070.

# Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson  
Phone 658-2347

## DECKER REUNION

Around 80 members of the Decker family met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Decker and family near Sandusky for a family reunion and potluck dinner where they helped George (Clemens) Decker of Miami, Fla., celebrate his 90th birthday, and Martin Decker of Delaware celebrate his 86th birthday. The afternoon was spent playing volleyball and visiting.

Guests attended from Miami, Florida, Delaware, Buffalo, N.Y., St. Clair, Detroit, Lapeer, Port Huron, Caro, Uby, Cass City and Northern Michigan.

reunion Saturday at the home of Irene Kippen in Port Huron. The afternoon was spent playing games and visiting.

Around 80 family members attended from Toledo, Ohio, Fort Leonardwood, Mo., Indiana, Detroit, Port Huron, Brown City, Grand Rapids, Traverse City, Algonac, Imlay City, Uby, Bad Axe and Cass City.

The 1991 reunion will be held at Sanilac County Park No. 2 at Lexington.

Jim Tyrrell was a Thursday lunch guest of Edanna Sweeney and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt and Jim of Deckerville were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mrs. David Hacker was a Friday afternoon guest of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Spencer family association meeting in Lexington, Ky., from Thursday through Sunday. While in Kentucky they visited several horse farms and Shaker-town.

## FARM BUREAU

Twelve members of the Shabbona Farm Bureau group met Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lowe. Lynn Spencer led the discussion on "Your Organization at Work for You." Plans were made for the annual county Farm Bureau meeting at Colony House Sept. 12.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Marion Gray Sept. 13. A potluck lunch was served.

August Lindquest visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt Wednesday forenoon.

Roger Sweeney spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney.

Mrs. Mark Farrelly, Grant and Heath were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Pearl Shoemaker of Deckerville and Rev. and Mrs. Howard Turnbull of Bad Axe were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

## ROBINSON-LOWE REUNION

About 70 people attended the Robinson-Lowe reunion and potluck dinner at the Bad Axe Park Sunday. The afternoon was spent visiting and playing games. Larry Robinson of Caro will be in charge of the 1991 reunion.

Guests attended from New York City, New York, Temperance, Paw Paw, Detroit, Flint, Caro, Bad Axe, Uby.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Wednesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleland in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Glaza in Uby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kreh in Burton Friday evening.

Mrs. Martin Sweeney visited Addie Wasierski in Bad Axe Wednesday.

Kristy Wheeler and friend of Warren were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford spent the weekend at their home here and were Saturday guests of Mrs. George Jackson and Don.

Bob Andersen and Marie Defoe of Westland and Mrs. Earl Schenk spent the weekend at Higgins Lake.

# Windy family holds reunion

Sixty-eight attended the 12th annual family reunion Sunday, Aug. 12, at the Windy farm southeast of Cass City. A potluck meal with barbecued chicken and pork roast was served at noon.

Family members enjoyed playing volleyball, a hayride and looking at family pictures and visiting.

The oldest present was Warren Guilds, 73, of Waterford, and youngest was Steven Windy, 17 months old.

Officers elected for the coming year are president, Paul Windy of Cass City; vice-president, Linda Stewart of Cass City; secretary, Arlene Brown of Waterford, and treasurer, Liz Keyes of Reese.

Plans for 1991 were made to hold the reunion at the same place the second Sunday of August.

Members who came the farthest were Richard Guilds and son Joshua from Moultrie, Ga. Guests also came from Saginaw, Waterford, Reese, Lapeer, Gagetown, Caro, Mt. Clemens and Cass City.

## IN KOREA

Staff Sgt. Dale Keyser arrived in Korea July 28. He will be stationed there for one year.

His wife Juliet and daughter Katie will remain on the air force base in Grand Forks, N.D.

His address is Staff Sgt. Dale P. Keyser, PFC Box No. 4859, APO San Francisco, Calif. 96366.

He called his grandparents, Hiram and Martha Keyser, to let them know he arrived safely.

## OTULAKOWSKI REUNION

Approximately 70 relatives attended the 6th Otulakowski reunion Sunday at the Cass City Gun Club hall with a potluck dinner at 3 o'clock where they celebrated the birthdays of Leon Leszczynski of Bay City, Louise Donnelon of Sterling

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## FRIDAY, AUGUST 17

### 4:30 p.m.

**WURLITZER ELECTRIC ORGAN** with double keyboard, swinging rhythm & bench - very nice

Wood, office desk - new, nice

Stereo record player & radio (3 speed)

5" black & white television

4 drawer chest - Gold recliner rocker

2 rust swirl rockers - Desk lamp

Humidifier - Sewing machine table

2 night stands - White storage cabinet

2 shelf cabinet w/glass doors

Man's clothes chair - Oval mirror

Electric oven w/rotisserie

Large roaster

8 ft. bar & 6 stools - 2 folding suitcases

5 pc. nylon luggage - new

Fireplace log holder

Large Xmas tree stand - 4' Santa

Christmas decorations - New briefcase

78 RPM records - Window shades

Traverse rods - Picnic basket

Punch bowl & cups - Bar lamp - TV trays

Baskets - Novelty pieces

Wood lawn rocker

Couch, table & seats for van or trailer - new

Antenna rotor complete - Tires

4 VW hubcaps - Other hubcaps

Lawn sweeper

Treadmill exerciser

Kerosene heater 9200 BTU

3 man rubber raft with electric motor

Large Coleman cooler - Coleman camp stove

Catalytic heater 3000-5000 BTU

Rototiller - 3 boat cushions

Tackle box - 2 canoe paddles

Minnow catcher - Man's vest type life jacket

Man's snowmobile suit, large

Lady's snowmobile suit, medium

2 snowmobile helmets

Snowmobile face shield

Snowmobile gloves, mittens, goggles

2 pr. cross country skis w/poles

2 reversible rain suits large & medium

Ice fishing sled complete w/rods & skimmer

Ice shanty stove - Tarp 14x14

Many others

**JORDAN 3 1/2"x7" POOL TABLE** with cue sticks & balls - nice

Pool table light

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2 rocking chairs

Model T Ford wrenches

Other old wrenches

5 gal. cream can - 8 gal. crock

Milk strainer

Sheep shears - Milk & cream bottles

Grain bagger - Bottle capper

Shoe stretcher - Canning jars

Oil lamp - Pictures & picture frames

2 Schmidt beer advertising signs

King Tavern Ale advertising sign

Others

# INVITATION TO BID

**PROJECT-** Remodeling and Renovations to Cass City Intermediate School, City, Michigan

**LOCATION-** 4690 North Seeger Street, Cass City, Michigan 48726

**OWNER-** Cass City Public Schools, 4868 North Seeger Street, Cass City, Michigan 48726

**ARCHITECT-** Wigen, Tincknell, Meyer & Associates, Inc., 1647 South Washington Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan 48601, Telephone: 517-752-8107

**MECHANICAL ENGINEER-** Engineering Applications Inc., 815 Coolidge Road, Suite 307, Lansing, Michigan 48912, Telephone: 517-337-4422

**DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT-** The work contemplated under this project consists of renovation of existing maintenance garage (approximately 3,024 square feet) into (2) new classrooms and (1) commons area.

**SCOPE OF PROPOSALS-** Sealed proposals for: All Trades Construction Work

**DUE DATE AND PLACE-** Sealed proposals will be received until 12:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on Tuesday, August 28, 1990 at the office of the Superintendent, Cass City High School, 4868 North Seeger Street, Cass City, Michigan 48726. The bid opening will be public.

**PRE-BID WALK THROUGH-** A pre-bid walk through of the existing maintenance area is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time, on Wednesday, August 15, 1990. Attendance at this walk through is recommended for all prime and subcontractors.

**PROPOSAL GUARANTEE-** Each proposal must be accompanied by a proposal guarantee in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the basic proposal. Guarantee shall be in the form of a certified check or bid bond executed by an approved surety company, made payable to Cass City Public Schools, Cass City, Michigan. Proposal guarantee shall run for a period of thirty (30) days.

**ACCESS TO BIDDING DOCUMENTS-** Bidding documents are on file at the following locations and are available for the use of bidders: Office of the Architect, Saginaw; F. W. Dodge Corporation, Dearborn and Flint; Builders & Traders Exchanges, Detroit and Saginaw

**PROCUREMENT OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS-** Copies of the bidding documents may be obtained from the Superintendent's Office, Cass City Public Schools, 4868 North Seeger Street, Cass City, Michigan, with each general contractor being entitled to obtain three (3) sets of bidding documents by depositing \$75.00 for the three sets. Deposit checks shall be made payable to Cass City Public Schools. The entire amount of the deposit for the bidding documents will be returned to each bidder who submits a bona-fide proposal and who returns the documents, in good condition, within ten days after opening of proposals. A return of only \$25.00 per set will be made to those bidders who fail to submit a bona-fide proposal. If any bidder requires more than the sets of bidding documents stipulated, such additional sets may be purchased from the architect for \$25.00 per set. This purchase amount will not be refunded. Subcontractors and suppliers may purchase complete sets of bidding documents at the above cost or individual prints of the drawings by paying the architect the cost of the reproductions. This purchase amount will not be refunded.

Bid documents will be mailed to contractors upon written request and prepayment (by check separate from the deposit check specified above) of \$10.00 to cover cost of wrapping, handling and mailing. This is for the contractor's convenience only, and the cost of this service is without refund.

**CONTRACT SECURITY-** Successful bidder will be required to furnish a "performance bond" and a "labor and material payment bond", each bond in the amount of 100% of his contract, as required in the "Instructions to Bidders".

**RIGHTS RESERVED BY OWNER-** The owner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any irregularities in bidding, or to accept the lowest responsible proposal, that in the opinion of the owner will serve the best interest of the owner. The owner will not be obligated to accept the lowest proposal. The owner further reserves the right to approve all subcontractors.

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Primary winners gearing up for November

# Area voter turnouts better than average

District No. 2 Commission Seat	Gov.	U.S. Senate	Rep. in Congress	State Senate	State Rep.														
Scollon	Blanchard (D)	Engler (R)	Laue (R)	Levin (D)	Durant (R)	Schutte (R)	Traxler (D)	White (R)	Barcia (D)	Thatcher (R)	Neeb (D)	Samuelson (D)	Allen (R)						
Elmwood	45	31	23	31	30	61	101	13	49	18	86	59	67	46	53	34	8	90	
Elkland #1	57	99	12	58	44	95	138	23	89	15	130	93	96	66	85	37	28	140	
Elkland #2	69	106	17	78	45	119	177	6	108	27	147	113	104	87	91	73	76	148	
Elkland AVCB	13	33	1	7	5	12	42	4	12	6	40	12	37	11	33	9	1	39	
Kingston	20	36	28	50	23	65	70	19	58	13	67	65	55	50	50	16	31	67	
Novesta	42	33	23	25	25	* County	37	94	2	39	20	57	40	53	29	50	19	10	82
TOTAL	246	338	104	249	172	Total	1,896	2,957	404	1,697	614	2,505	1,792	2,207	1,449	1,882	663	506	2,475

With the first hurdle behind them, candidates who were successful in the Aug. 7 primary have set their sights on Nov. 6 and are gearing up for the final 3 months of their campaigns.

Among them are 3 Cass City residents.

"We're looking forward to November," Roy Tuckey, the Republican candidate in the District 2 Tuscola County Commission race, remarked last week.

Tuckey, Cass City, defeated Edward C. Scollon and Jack Brinkman, both Cass City, in the primary and will face Mary Lou Burns, a Cass City Democrat, in the General Election. Burns defeated Richard Erla, Cass City, in the primary.

Tuckey remarked his campaign plans haven't changed.

"I'm still going on the campaign policy that I have time to give the voters of District 2. Mary Lou's very nice; I just think I have more time and I'm experienced in several fields," he said.

Burns commented that she's also looking forward to November.

"I'm planning on working hard," she said. "It's going to be a good race, I think, with Mr. Tuckey."

Burns, who noted she was quite pleased with the primary numbers considering "this is Republican territory," said the remaining weeks of her campaign will include getting out into the townships and meeting with residents.

"I've gotten over one hurdle and now I'll head for the next one," she added.

Another Cass City resident, Kim D. Glaspie, scored an impressive victory in his bid to run for election as district court judge in November.

Glaspie, who was appointed to the post in April, and Caro attorney Duane Burgess advanced to the

General Election after defeating 2 other candidates on the non-partisan ballot.

Glaspie, who captured all but 4 precincts in the primary, commented that his campaign plans haven't changed. He said he intends to continue getting out and meeting voters.

Burgess, meanwhile, indicated the remainder of his campaign will emphasize the value of qualifications over incumbency.

"We'll just keep campaigning, meeting people and telling them about my qualifications," he said, adding he believes a number of votes are cast solely on the title of incumbent.

"If people don't know who to vote for, they just vote for the incumbent and don't consider qualifications one way or the other," Burgess commented. "So, I've got to let the people know what the qualifications are."

While voter interest in the Aug. 7 Primary Election was light in the county as a whole, races involving local residents drew higher than average turnouts in area townships.

Area voters, for the most part, followed countywide voting patterns, which testified to the strength of support for Republican candidates, even over popular Democratic incumbents.

Average voter participation among the county's 23 townships and the City of Vassar was 18 percent, ranging from 9 percent in Tuscola Township to 38.7 percent in Elkland Township.

The high turnout in

Elkland Township had a significant impact on the county-wide road millage (one mill for 2 years), which passed by 17 votes. The measure, defeated in 13 townships and the City of Vassar, received the biggest margin of approval from Elkland voters, who passed the question by 107 votes.

Other millage questions decided in the primary were a 3/4-mill request for library service (approved 89-81) and one mill for 5 years for roads (defeated, 87-83) in Elmwood Township.

In Huron County, Bingham Township voters approved a road millage, 264-126, and Sheridan Township passed a road millage, 48-16, and fire and ambulance millage, 57-7.

In Sanilac County, voters approved a county-wide millage request to fund a drug task force, but rejected a proposal to legalize bow and arrow hunting on Sundays. Evergreen Township voters, meanwhile, okayed a road millage, 83-66.

Overall, about 18 percent of Tuscola County's 34,070 voters cast ballots in the primary.

Two years ago, when the primary ballot featured races for sheriff, treasurer, prosecutor, register of deeds and clerk, some 30 percent of county voters went to the polls.

In Huron County, 39 percent of the voters cast ballots, compared to 37 percent 2 years ago. The turnout was 34 percent in Sanilac County, where about 35 percent of voters cast ballots in the 1988 primary.

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Area Huron Co. Vote Totals

	BinghamTwp	Dist. Total	BrookfieldTwp	Dist. Total
<b>Dist. 4 Commission</b>				
Alfred Grifka	67	127		
Shirley Guza	20	311		
William Nugent	48	100		
Julia Heilig	187	419		
Earl Longuski	130	278		
<b>Dist. 1 Commission</b>				
Bruce Kuhl		58		540
Gerald Elston		35		180

Area Sanilac Co. Vote Totals

	Greenleaf	Evergreen	Lamotte	Argyle	District/Co. Total
<b>Dist. 5 Commission</b>					
Guenther Kellner	9	18	19	14	203
Brad Apsey	11	22	47	31	529
Eugene Foote	48	86	93	82	634
<b>Circuit Court</b>					
Joseph Greenleaf	18	28	31	16	1,088
J. Anthony Sykora	13	49	49	23	1,947
Donald Teeple	33	50	73	51	3,128
James V. Young	5	16	35	21	1,739
<b>Bow/arrow Hunting on Sunday</b>					
Y	35	62	98	61	3,364
N	25	82	86	69	3,699
<b>Drug Task Force Millage</b>					
Y	49	101	141	89	5,062
N	25	45	49	39	2,050

Township	% voter turnout	Myers	Glaspie	Burgess	Bishop	Rd. Millage (N)	Rd. Millage (Y)
Dayton	20.5	32	71	37	18	67	63
Elkland	38.7	46	501	66	12	179	286
Juniata	15.7	22	99	24	8	73	64
Elmwood	27	17	131	21	3	88	81
Vassar	8.5	31	51	36	44	74	63
Wisner	13	6	13	21	7	23	16
Koylton	26.3	22	55	31	18	71	68
Columbia	17.3	19	56	35	10	44	61
Akron	15.1	33	58	29	9	34	67
Vassar City	15.1	26	53	28	124	113	110
Almer	28.5	77	194	159	11	184	214
Denmark	11.2	28	119	33	40	77	119
Gilford	8.4	3	15	15	1	17	22
Kingston	20.5	28	70	52	7	46	60
Indianfields	24.6	150	382	234	35	396	382
Tuscola	9	12	43	23	48	35	44
Millington	12.7	30	180	71	65	153	172
Fairgrove	18.8	22	94	54	13	56	86
Arbela	9.4	23	52	36	30	113	66
Novesta	26.9	29	113	30	4	99	49
Wells	15.5	28	51	36	2	77	54
Watertown	15.9	22	64	56	21	79	63
Fremont	25.1	44	165	115	49	168	124
Ellington	16.3	18	49	29	5	75	44
Totals		768	2,674	1,130	584	2,361	2,378

## 50 attend reunion in Bad Axe

The Robinson-Lowe reunion was held Aug. 5 at Bad Axe City Park. Fifty persons attended, coming from New York City, Paw Paw, Temperance, Caro, Cass City, Bad Axe, Gageton, Warren, Royal Oak and Flint.

Mrs. Lucy (Robinson) Hamilton of Royal Oak was the oldest and Shane O'Connor, the youngest. The family coming the farthest were the Wilford Bowrons of Temperance.

Officers were elected for the coming year. They are Phil Robinson, president; Delrene Preston, vice-president, and Becky O'Connor, secretary-treasurer. Larry Robinson will be in charge of games.

Next year's reunion will be held at the Cass City Gun Club on the first Sunday in August.

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**In Sanilac County**

**Announce 4-H award winners**

A number of area residents are among those named 4-H trophy and county honor winners at the 1990 Sanilac County 4-H Fair.

Among the 4-H Trophy winners is Joe Gierman, Decker, a member of the Lucky Stars Club who received champion senior swine showman honors as well as reserved grand champion pen of hogs, grand champion market hog and champion senior sweepstakes showman.

Another Lucky Stars

member, Lauce Herron, Snover, won champion junior swine showman and grand champion swine showman honors.

Marc Magraw, Kingston, a member of the Germania Silver Stars, received champion rate of gain-hog honors.

Another 4-Her, Lyle Sevrance, Decker, a member of the Evergreen Guys and Gals, earned the titles of champion junior sheep showman, grand champion

sheep showman, grand

champion homebred lamb, champion beef showman (14-15 yrs) and grand champion beef showman.

Robert Gornowicz, Snover, a member of the Bronc Riders Club, received several honors, including grand champion pen of rabbits, grand champion rabbit showman and champion intermediate rabbit showman. He also was named to grand champion cavy showman honors.

Also, Jeromie Foote,

Snover, a member of the Argyle Sox Club, earned first place in the bicycle rodeo, senior division, while Tricia Smith, also of the Argyle Sox Club, won first place in the junior division of the bicycle rodeo.

**COUNTY HONORS**

The following are area residents who won 4-H county honors, what their honors were awarded for, and their 4-H club member-

ship: Nick Anthony, Uby, "your living environment", Holbrook Helpers.

Stacey Berden, Snover, arts and crafts-junior, Laing Super Stars.

Teresa Berden, Snover, wood working and arts and crafts-senior, Laing Super Stars.

Candice Cherniawski, Snover, horticulture-flowers, horticulture-ornamentals and photography, Evergreen Guys and Gals.

Kelly Cole, Snover, wood-working, Laing Super Stars. Becky Fischer, Snover, foods-coffee cake, Germania Silver Stars.

Jenny Fischer, Snover, woodworking-best of show trophy, Germania Silver Stars.

Jeff Gillig, Decker, crops, Lucky Stars.

Dale Heronemus, Deford, woodworking, Argyle Sox. Melissa Keller, Uby, foods-coffee cake, Holbrook Helpers.

Benjamin King, Decker, horticulture-ornamentals, Lucky Stars.

Dennis King, Decker, vegetable gardening, individual exhibits of charts and cultural arts, Lucky Stars.

Jason King, Decker, arts and crafts-young, Lucky Stars.

Alicia Kollman, Snover, horticulture-ornamentals, Moonlite Riders.

Tina Long, Decker, foods-foreign baked product, Holbrook Helpers.

Jennifer Rich, Snover, arts and crafts-young and foods-cake decorating, Laing Super Stars.

Elvis Robinson, Snover, horticulture-ornamentals, Evergreen Guys and Gals.

Andrea Wallace, Cass City, sewing-junior, Evergreen Guys and Gals.

Lisa Wallace, Cass City, sewing-young, Evergreen Guys and Gals.

Janielle Wing, Snover, foods-cake decorating, Laing Super Stars.

**Deja Vu?**

**High gas prices return to area**

by Kristine L. Renaud Staff Writer

Commuting 156 miles every day can get expensive, especially in the light of recent skyrocketing gasoline prices.

Cass City resident Dale Mellendorf travels to Sterling Heights 7 days weekly for his job at a Ford Motor Company plant. Even though he car pools with 2 co-workers, gasoline is costly, especially in the past 2 weeks.

Since Aug. 2 when Iraqi troops stormed Kuwait, oil refineries have steadily increased gas prices — an unnecessary measure in Mellendorf's opinion.

"What I really think is they're all crooked," he stated. Iraq's invasion of Kuwait shouldn't have affected oil costs, he added, since the tiny country only supplies 2 percent of United States' crude oil.

Michigan's self-serve unleaded gasoline prices in

out-state areas had risen almost 22 cents by Aug. 9.

Previously this state's highest recorded price was \$1.46 per gallon in May 1984, according to an AAA survey.

Jim Benkelman, owner of the Cass City Maxi Muffler and Union 76 service station at 4083 N. Cemetery Road, said he was forced to raise prices when his distributor increased its price. Distributors are blaming recent cost hikes on the refineries, Benkelman noted, which claim the Middle East situation already is affecting crude oil prices.

Individual dealers are not at fault for increasing gasoline costs since they are at the mercy of distributors who, in turn, deal with the refineries, Benkelman remarked.

"You gotta do what you gotta do," Mellendorf said. Apparently what he has to do is buy gasoline outside of Cass City where it's cheaper. He purchases un-

leaded gas in Almont at \$1.15 per gallon, as opposed to about \$1.27 at the village's stations.

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# San-Cass, church leagues

## Area softball champs named



### Chip Shots

<b>FLIGHT 1</b>	George Bushong	132
Jim Apley	Dennis Krug	132
Jerry Toner	Jerry Houghton	130
Newell Harris	Scott Murphy	126
Don Hilbig	170	
Dave Hoard	168	
Tom Craig	167	
Dale McIntosh	167	
Dieter Roth	165	
Brad Goslin	158	
Paul Chappel	156	
Bill Kritzman	156	
Rich Tate	154	
Don Ouvry	153	
Elwyn Helwig	152	
Jim Peyer	148	
Billy Coston	147	
Dick Wallace	144	
Ken Zdrojewski	143	
Tim Cummings	139	
Dave Batzer	132	
Jason McCallum	115	
John Maharg	104	
<b>FLIGHT 2</b>	Myles Smith	199
Mark Swanson	194	
Jack Burns	176	
Clark Erla	173	
Randy Sherman	173	
Russ Biefer	167	
Doug Herringshaw	162	
Brian Reinhardt	158	
Fred Leeson	156	
George Ridge	152	
Kim Glaspie	150	
Jim Smithson	147	
Jack Hool	146	
Bob Stickle	145	
Don Erla	141	
Gene Kloc	141	
Clarke Haire	136	
Don Schelke	136	
<b>FLIGHT 3</b>	Todd Comment	189
Stan Guinther	177	
John Neumann	175	
Daryl Iwankovitch	174	
Kevin Vincent	172	
Dick Peterson	170	
John Haire	165	
Gary Haley	165	
Dick Haley	162	
Mike Neumann	158	
John Agar	156	
Mike Becking	155	
Dan Dickinson	152	
Dan Hittler	151	
Keith Adelberg	146	
Bill Ewald	143	
Wes Neumann	143	
Phil Gray	136	
Mike Lefler	131	
Avery Kaplan	130	
Steve Zigich	107	
Ed Miles	102	
<b>FLIGHT 4</b>	Tom Schweigel	187
Paul Bessler	177	
Bert Althaver	172	
Ken Tiseo	171	
Alden Asher	164	
Phil Moses	164	
Anton Peters	161	
Don Hazard	160	
Rick Doerr	154	
Keith Pobanz	154	
Dave Weeks	154	
Ken Jensen	152	
Doug O'Dell	150	
Craig Bellew	149	
Eric King	142	
J.R. Boldizar	139	
Jack Burns	139	
Ron Geiger	138	
Clayton Sawdon	138	
John Niebrzydowski	137	
Don Roemer	137	
Bob Bredemeyer	102	



AMERICAN DIVISION CHAMPIONS are the Mizpah team, composed of (Back row, from left) Jim Tuckey Jr., Tim Gardner, Jim Tuckey, Terry Czekai, Doug Hyatt, Jack Groombridge and Dennis Hyatt. Front row: Dennis Gardner, Jeff Lefler, Keith Czekai, Greg Woodruff, Al McKee and J. T. Mabe. Missing is Cliff Parrish.



PLAYOFF AND NATIONAL DIVISION Church League champs are the Catholics: (front row, left to right) Mike Ware, Gary Robinson, Bob Erla, Ed Robinson, Dieter Roth. Back row, Chuck Erla, Jeff Dillon, Jurgen Roth, Dennis Regnerus, Dave Mika, Leigh Langenburg.



THE CHARMONT-sponsored team posted an 11-5 record to finish second in the San-Cass League. Team members are (left to right) front row: Steve Wright and Greg Graham. Second row: Gary Robinson, Jeff Dillon, Coach Jim LaRoche and Leigh Langenburg. Third row: John Wiseman, Ed Robinson, Jim Baker, Rick Hollis, Doug Powers and Doug Beecher. Not pictured: Greg Larrison, Randy Nicholas and Jeremy Capps.



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Flight 2 - J. Burns - 39.  
Flight 3 - J. Neumann - 40.  
Flight 4 - P. Moses - 45.

#### Mudvolleyball

### "Hammer Time" wins tourney

The third annual 4-H Mudvolleyball Tournament was held Aug. 3 at the Sanilac County 4-H Fair. The Sanilac County 4-H Teen Club hosted the event. They invited anyone enrolled in the 4-H program to get "down and dirty" with them, and over 70 4-H'ers accepted their invitation. Eleven teams with 7 members each participated in the single-elimination tournament. The winning team, "Hammer Time," was made up of Lisa Campbell, Kristine Ross, Tricia Gnanit, and Scott Herpolsheimer of Marlette, Danny Rich of

Snover and Dennis King of Decker. "Hammer Time" eliminated 4 teams before finally emerging from the mud to be declared the winners.

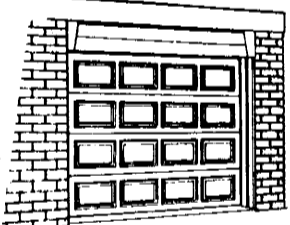
### 20 attend Aug. 8 Echo Chapter meet

Echo Chapter, Order of Eastern Stars met Aug. 8, with 20 members and officers present. There will be a Friends' Night at the regular meeting in September. The group's sister chapter, Mayville, will be the guests. A potluck supper at 6:30 will precede the meeting. The meeting was adjourned and refreshments served by Virginia Hartwick, Margaret Brown and Mable Wright.

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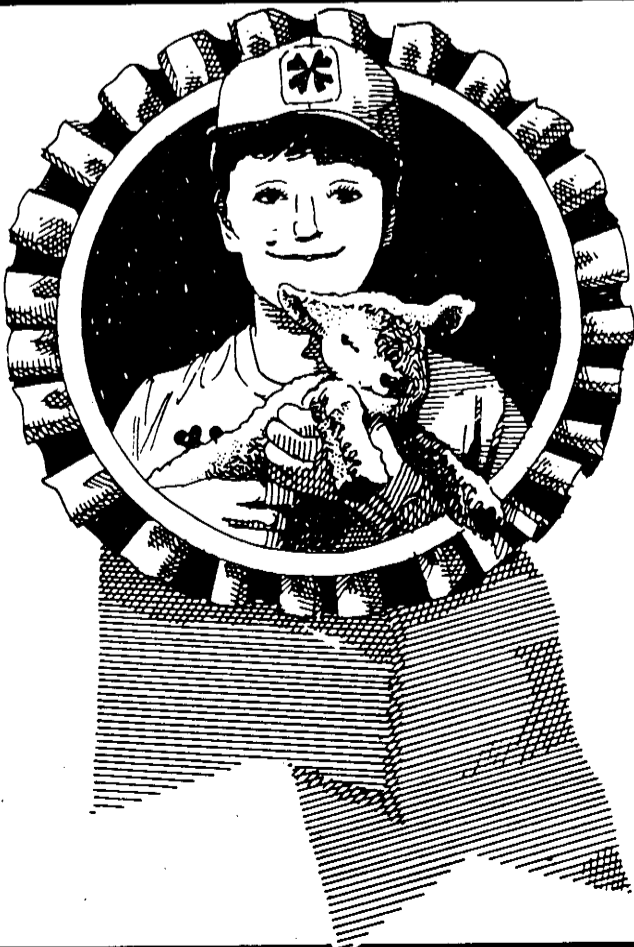
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SCREWY SUNFLOWER — Gordon and Mary Holcomb, 2391 McArthur Rd., Deford, have an unusual sunflower growing in their back yard — the plant has 10 buds and blossoms. Above, Mary poses with the interesting specimen as well as a typical sunflower growing nearby.

# O-G hiring practice changed

*(Continued from page one)*

well as some members of the audience acknowledged the practice described by Kretzschmer. One person remarked that everybody already knew who was going to get the secretarial job.

School Supt. Harley Kirby said such a job list exists, with names of job applicants dating back to 1965. He pointed out, however, that changing the hiring practice with Britt's recommendation would be unfair.

"I think that we've had this list thing, and I believe Mr. Britt was caught in that," he said.

Kirby added that his position is that administrators should be allowed to hire and fire the secretaries they work with, subject to final approval by the board.

The board later approved hiring Brinkman, but also acted on changing the hiring process.

A motion made by Kretzschmer states that the list of job applications is to be eliminated and jobs are to be posted only when a position becomes vacant. In addition, the individual doing the hiring is to review applications and select a minimum of 3 candidates, which will then be presented to the board for final selection.

The process will get its first test with the hiring of someone to fill Brinkman's post as Chapter 1 aide.

Because the decision must be made before school starts, the board authorized a committee of 3 members to act on the board's behalf.

**'AWARD' REJECTED**

In other business during the 2-hour session, Kirby told the board he opted not to accept a \$12,276 award for 6 computers through the state's Classrooms of Tomorrow Program.

The total award is the result of approval of grant applications written by 6 teachers in the district.

Kirby told the board that the award isn't a grant in the usual sense. He explained the program features a 5-year reimbursement plan in which the district pays for the equipment, but isn't guaranteed of full reimbursement by the state.

Under the plan, he said, Owen-Gage would be required to pay \$1,351 the first year and \$3,331 in each of the remaining 4 years. The state is guaranteeing reimbursement of the first-year payment only, the superintendent pointed out, adding the district will be stuck for the remainder of the cost if the state doesn't appropriate funding for the program in subsequent years.

Kirby indicated he feels that scenario is a likely one.

"I've been in administration for 13 years, and I have not seen the state carry through on any long range (program) yet," he said.

He added that under the program, the district would be paying a total of some \$2,400 in interest, money that would be better spent within the district for computer equipment.

### IN OTHER BUSINESS

Also Monday, the board:

- \*Approved a request from Mr. and Mrs. Grant Merchant to allow their son, a ninth grade student, to continue attending school in the Deckerville district, where his mother is employed as a counselor.
- \*Heard comments from district resident Vickie Merchant, who suggested the district hire a full-time principal and counselor next year, and make the counselor a K-12 position.
- Merchant, who indicated she feels younger pupils are being neglected in the area of counseling, pointed out that the state probably will require a counselor at the elementary level within the next 2 years.
- \*Was asked to consider purchasing a 12 or 15-seat passenger van to transport students to the skills center as well as provide transportation for some athletic teams, field trips and other activities.

The recommendation was made by Kirby, who noted the district faces a total cost of \$7,776 in the coming school year—an increase of \$1,776 over last year—to transport skills center students via Thumb Area Transit.

Last year Owen-Gage had 23 kids going to the skills center, compared to a dozen or fewer this year, Kirby said.

\*Approved a resolution stating Owen-Gage intends to comply with the School Aid Act of 1990-91, including participating in quality

of education measures such as compiling an annual education report, drafting a 3-to 5-year school improvement plan and seeking accreditation.

## Report vandalism, theft in Cass City

Incidents of vandalism and larceny were investigated recently in Cass City.

Bill Rogers reported that someone broke a rear window at a business located at 6422 Main St. sometime between 1 and 6 p.m. Aug. 6, according to Cass City police, who stated the person responsible apparently threw a rock from the alley bordering the business. Damage was estimated at \$50.

Also last week, Janet I. Francis, Cass City, reported the larceny of 2 hub caps from her 1985 Pontiac Sunbird. The theft occurred between 10 p.m. Aug. 7 and 11 a.m. Aug. 8 while the vehicle was parked in front of Francis' home.

### In circuit court

## Trial-bound pair plead

Two men scheduled for separate jury trials in Tuscola County Circuit Court over the past week instead entered pleas.

Ralph Hastings, 63, 4334 Krapf Rd., Cass City, entered a plea of nolo contendere (no contest) Monday to 2 charges of second de-

gree Criminal Sexual Conduct.

Sentencing for the defendant is scheduled for 9 a.m. Sept. 28. Bond was continued at \$30,000 per count.

According to court records, Hastings was charged with engaging in sexual contact with 2 persons at least 13 years of age but under 16 years between July and September 1989 in Elkland Township.

Charles F. Schmitt, 52, of Akron, who was scheduled for a jury trial last Wednesday, also pleaded no contest. He faces a charge of molesting a child (under the age of 16 years) for immoral purposes in July 1986 in Fairgrove Township.

Schmitt's sentencing was scheduled for Sept. 14. His bond was continued at \$1,000.

### 2 county men face charges

A pair of Tuscola County men were arraigned on separate charges Friday in Tuscola County District Court.

Caro resident Joseph H. Wentla, 32, was charged with assault with a dangerous weapon.

A preliminary examination in the case was scheduled for 8:30 a.m. Aug. 17. Bond was set at \$4,000.

Wentla is charged with assaulting Michael B. Wilson with a bar glass Aug. 8 in Almer Township, according to court records.

Also, Frederick W. Boehm, 17, of Mayville, was arraigned on a charge of breaking and entering a tent with intent to commit larceny.

His preliminary exam is also slated for 8:30 a.m. Aug. 17. Bond was set at \$5,000.

Records state Boehm is accused of breaking into a tent at Wingerts Food Center, 315 E. Main St., Mayville, Friday.

## Teachers not happy

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The frustration was aimed at the teachers' most recent labor agreement, a 3-year pact ending in the 1989-90 school year that was ratified in June 1989 after 2 years of negotiations. The contract provided "step" increases, but no raises.

"We're not going to sit and wait and wait and wait for a contract. And we're not going to be satisfied with the average (salary) increase. We want a decent contract (and) we want it before school starts," he remarked at the time.

Those sentiments haven't changed, according to Thies, who indicated Monday that money continues to be the issue.

The teachers, whose salaries are the third lowest in the state, aren't satisfied with the salary figures being proposed by school officials, he remarked, adding, "Percentage-wise, we are about 3 percent apart."

And that figure isn't getting any smaller as teachers, since June, have demanded an additional salary hike of one percent for each month that goes by without settlement of a contract.

Thies indicated May that a strike would be likely if a settlement isn't reached by the start of school later this month. He remarked Monday that a firm decision won't be made until after both sides meet again.

School Supt. Harley Kirby, meanwhile, disagreed with Thies' assessment of how far apart the 2 sides are on salary following 5 or 6 negotiation sessions, the last of which was held early last month.

He stated that until Monday, he had been unable to reach union representatives to set up another session.

Kirby noted both sides will meet again at 7 p.m. Aug. 23.

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The government of that small but oil-rich nation was overthrown Aug. 2 by Iraqi troops, led by President Saddam Hussein. This Middle East crisis has catapulted the oil industry into a panic.

Michigan's retail prices for regular unleaded gasoline jumped almost 22 cents between Aug. 2 and Aug. 9. Cass City's gas stations, facing increases from distributors, were forced to follow suit.

Your neighbor, Bryan Abbe, doesn't think price increases are necessary at this time because of the United States' 590-billion barrel Strategic Petroleum Reserve. Back-stocked oil was bought at a lower price, he noted.

"They shouldn't have to raise the prices yet. That gas hasn't gotten here yet," he pointed out.

A Gagetown resident, 18-year-old Abbe said he shares a car with his father who works in Bay City. The car's 12-gallon tank requires a fill-up every other day, Abbe said.

In the near future, Abbe's gas budget may have to expand to accommodate daily price hikes.

"If things keep going on over there (in the Middle East) I think prices will go up one or two more times," he commented.

Currently employed by Hills and Dales General Hospital, Abbe said he will attend Ferris State University in the fall. At this time, he doesn't plan to purchase a car, but soaring gasoline prices won't keep him from buying one in the future.

"They can do just about what they want to with that gas, but you've got to have a vehicle and you've got to put gas in it."



## Enrollment rises at Jordan College

Current enrollment this fall at the Thumb Area campus of Jordan College, Cass City, is up by 35 percent and climbing higher.

The number of students attending in the fall of 1989 was 170, while current enrollment is 230 with projections of more than 250 students.

"We are delighted with

the response we have received since coming to Cass City and have added a number of classes to our schedule, including calculus and algebra, which will be taught by Bill Tracy of Cass City," campus dean Jerry White remarked.

"Bill is a full-time Jordan College instructor who also teaches part-time for Saginaw Valley State University."

White noted 15 classes are already full for the fall semester; however, several classes have been added, including microcomputer applications, assessment administration Level I, interpersonal relations and popular media. Additional classes will be added as required.

In order to be eligible for total state and federal aid, students must file their financial aid application no later than Aug. 29. Because financial aid covers both the fall and spring semesters, it is critical that students contact the financial aid office immediately at 872-4394, White said.

## Clan reunites at local park

Approximately 85 persons attended the annual McConnell-Shagena reunion Sunday afternoon at the Cass City park.

After a potluck meal the group played volleyball. The business meeting was conducted by John Shagena, president, and Randee Speirs, secretary-treasurer.

Oldest member attending was Vern McConnell, 94, and youngest was Amber Miller, 3 months old. Madeline Peer, from Florida, traveled the farthest.

Ron Speirs was elected president to serve the next 2 years, with Skip Speirs as vice-president.

The group voted to hold the reunion at the same location next year, Aug. 11.

## Schuette earns diploma

Cass City area resident Dave C. Schuette, 19, 8374 Van Dyke Rd., recently earned a diploma in the Automotive Diesel Technician program at Northwestern Auto Diesel College, Lima, Ohio.

Schuette also had outstanding attendance while attending Northwestern.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Schuette, he is a 1989 Cass City High School graduate.

## 80th birthday celebrated

Approximately 85 friends, relatives and neighbors attended the 80th birthday party for Marion McClorey at her home Saturday. The party was a surprise to her and was hosted by her children and their families, George and Beverly Frank, Dale and Mary Damm, Larry McClorey and Richard and Margaret McClorey.

Mrs. McClorey's birthday is Dec. 7, but was held early so the persons who spend the winter in Florida could attend.

The birthday cake was made and decorated by Amy Barrons of Rochester, a grand-niece of Mrs. McClorey.

Guests came from Caro, Bay City, Rochester, Rochester Hills, Flint, Arizona, Sebawaing, Kingston, Gagetown and Cass City.

### FIVE YEARS AGO

Bill Profit, 15, a sophomore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Profit, attended basketball camp at Oakland University, Rochester, last week. He was awarded a certificate for second place on his team for free throws.

Mrs. Bruce Gelbaugh and daughter Emily of Plainwell spent the weekend with her mother, Donna Holm.

Sister Nancy Ayotte has been appointed as the parish administrator of Gagetown's St. Agatha's Catholic Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright had with them last week from Tuesday until Thursday, their grandsons, David, Matthew and Jeremy Wright of Bay City.

Jon Wilhelmi of East Detroit spent from Wednesday until Friday of last week with his mother, Lilah Wilhelmi.

### TEN YEARS AGO

Heidi Iseler returned home Thursday after spending a week in Pittsburgh, Pa., with Kelley Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacTavish of Clearwater, Fla., have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James MacTavish.

Plans were made Monday for an all-class reunion to be held Aug. 1 at Colony House. Named to the committee in charge at the planning meeting held in the Masonic Temple were Jack Esau, George Cole and Frederick Auten.

John Starman of White Pigeon spent from Thursday until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Auten and attended his class reunion Saturday evening, the Cass City High School class of 1960.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fleenor were hosts for the Clark

## Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

### THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Leonard Urquhart entertained the Cass City Lions Club Monday evening with movies and a commentary on his trip to Mexico last winter.

Mrs. Alex Greenleaf spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. John Gledhill of Roseville, who is vacationing for 2 weeks with friends at Harbor Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kelly and baby have moved to their home on E. Third Street and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robinson and family have moved to their own home on Houghton, which was vacated by the Kellys.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hutchinson and Mr. and Mrs.

Leslie Profit left Tuesday morning to attend the centennial at MSU.

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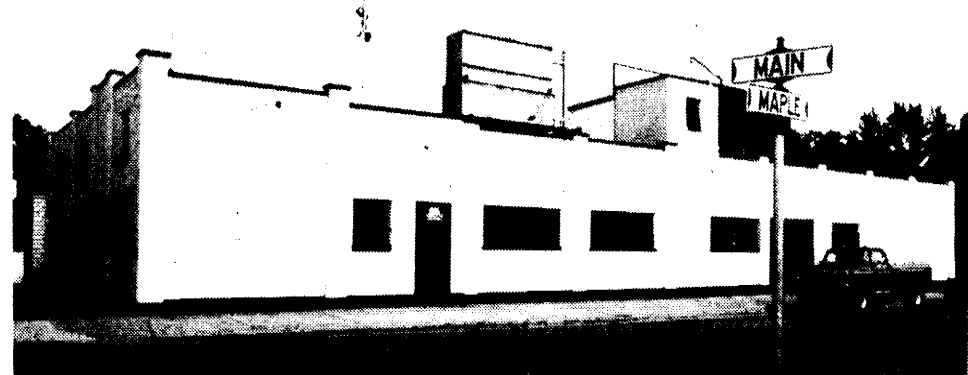
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# School okays \$24,000 loan, donates fencing



**THE CLOSING OF Wesley's Milk Plant marks the end of some 60 years of dairy processing at the corner of Maple and Main streets in Cass City.**

## In Cass City

### Wesley's milk plant closing

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making butter there," he said, adding the creamery also made cottage cheese as well as other cheeses, including colby and cheddar.

#### SOLD EGGS

The creamery also sold eggs. "At one time we had a big egg route. We'd go throughout the country buying eggs," Bartle recalled. He said the eggs also were brought in by farmers on Saturday nights, when everybody would come into town to visit and do a little shopping.

Bartle noted McLellan's tore down its wood building and constructed the front portion of the Wesley's building in the early 1940s.

A few years later Wesley's Quaker Maid took over, and although the business has continued to operate under that name, ownership has changed.

Wesley's was bought out in 1964 by Borman Foods Inc., owners of the Farmer Jack store chain, Stilson said, and the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company acquired

Borman Foods in January 1989.

In recent years, Wesley's has processed an average of 120,000 pounds of milk a day and shipped 5 semi-loads a week to Detroit, according to Stilson, who recalled some of the many changes he's seen in the business over the years.

#### FEWER FARMS

Noting the plant buys directly from dairy farmers, he pointed out the plant used to have 480 farms, compared to 30 now.

Today, those farms produce about 30,000 pounds of milk every other day, while another 90,000 pounds arrives every day from Michigan Milk Producers Association farms.

Stilson recalled that when he started, Wesley's processed sweetened condensed milk, which was placed in 50-gallon oak barrels for shipping. He noted there was a lot of labor involved then at the plant, which also has processed butter and powdered milk at one time or another in its history. "Back in those days, dairy work was hard work," he

said. "Now, there's no hard work; it's just push buttons and wash tanks."

Stilson, who will turn 65 in February, indicated the closing of Wesley's has come at an appropriate time for him in terms of retirement.

#### CONCERNED

But he's aware of what effect it will have on the local economy—the business pays \$1,000 in taxes a year and \$1,700 per quarter in sewer fees. And, he's concerned about those whose jobs will be lost.

Among the work force are several members of Stilson's family. His son, Eldon, has worked there for 18 years; his daughter and son-in-law, Jill and Elmer Parrish, have been employees for 8 years, and another son-in-law, Robert Kitchen, has worked there for 11 years.

"You always lose a few nights of sleep thinking about it," he said. Still, he remarked, "For me, I'm relieved they're getting out now—that it's happening right now. These guys are young enough that they can go out and get new jobs. I have confidence in my kids that they're going to get jobs."

As for Stilson and his wife, Betty, the future holds a move to Zephyrhills, Fla., and, perhaps, a trip to Alaska next year.

Stilson, who said he plans to return to Cass City during the summer months, remarked he'll keep busy in Florida, where his brother, Don Stilson, a former owner of the Station bar in Cass City, has an aluminum business.

"I don't golf and I don't fish much, but I work," he added.

And while Stilson plans to keep working, he admitted retirement will take some getting used to.

"It'll be different," he commented. "I'll probably be walking down here every morning."

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In a related matter, the board approved spending an estimated \$12,000 for the purchase and installation of a 6-foot fence, pending approval by village officials, around the track facility.

A second option, if village officials reject the first plan, would involve the installation of a 4-foot fence at a cost of some \$7,000.

The primary purpose of the additional fencing, which would encircle the existing 4-foot fence, is protection of the new track. But board members agreed the added security also would help put an end to people walking into athletic events, particularly football games, without paying.

Tuckey indicated work on both projects could get underway as early as this week.

#### COMPUTER GRANTS

In other business during the 75-minute session, the board approved a resolution committing the district to participation in Gov. James Blanchard's Classrooms of Tomorrow program.

School Supt. Kenneth Micklash noted 16 Cass City teachers successfully applied for a combined \$33,372 in grants to purchase 16 computers through the new program.

He pointed out, however, that the participation involves a \$27,000 risk on the part of the district.

Micklash explained that the grant funding is tied to a 5-year pay back plan in which Cass City would agree to pay for the computers and hope the state will continue to fund reimburse-

ments under the program. Micklash said reimburse-

ment of the first year's payment of \$3,674 is assured

### Koylton votes missed

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Clerk's office, according to county Clerk Erma Brown, who said the missing votes were recorded on tally sheets, but not in the statement.

"It was close. I didn't think it would be that close," Borek remarked Monday. Borek said that he left the primary with the understanding that he had won by a vote, so he knew someone had made a mistake.

Brief was unavailable for comment by press time.

Another Koylton race last week saw Democrat Douglas Kramer defeat Russell Mayer, 67-45, to win the right to run for trustee in November against Republican Elizabeth Baggleman, who garnered 26 votes.

According to Brown, the township had problems with

vote totals in the District 5 County Commission seat race as well, but the outcome remained unchanged.

Unofficial vote totals gave incumbent Republican Michael Green, Mayville, a one-vote victory over Donald P. McLane, 356-355. But Brown reported Monday that Green actually received 81 votes to McLane's 38 in the township, giving the incumbent a 3-vote margin of victory, 359-356.

Just the same, McLane, Mayville, has filed a petition for a re-count, which is tentatively scheduled for Sept. 11, Brown said.

The re-count will be conducted by the county's Board of Canvassers, composed of Sally Bauer-schmidt of Caro, James McKay of Vassar, Grace Nemeth of Cass City and Margaret Wentz of Postoria.

### Cass City police report no injuries in 2 mishaps

No injuries and only minor damage were involved in a pair of vehicle accidents in Cass City over the past week.

A 2-vehicle collision was reported Thursday on Main Street east of McCullough Drive.

Cass City police stated Robert C. Nolan, 4421 Crane Rd., Cass City, was eastbound on Main Street at about 9:30 a.m. when another vehicle, driven by

Koepfgen Rd., pulled out of a driveway and failed to see Nolan's vehicle.

Later in the week, Milton A. Stack, 5460 Lamton Rd., told police he backed into another vehicle on Seeger Street north of Main Street while attempting to pull into a parking space Saturday at 10:40 a.m.

The driver of the other vehicle was identified as Rosemary A. Gaeth, 5876 McAlpin Rd., Gagetown.

and that he feels the state also will reimburse the second payment of \$9,056. However, there's no guarantee the state will fully reimburse the district for the final 3 annual payments of \$9,056.

Total cost of the program will be \$39,900, including

both principal and interest, according to Micklash, who noted the computer prices are considered a good value.

Board members indicated they believe the risk is worth taking part in the program and that the district will benefit from the added technology.

### TMJ support group slates Aug. 22 meeting

The Tri-County TMJ Support Group, an educational support group for those who suffer from facial, neck or jaw joint pain and dysfunction, will meet Aug. 22 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Mary's

Mobile Classroom. Thomas Hyde, D.M.D., will discuss facial trauma and temporomandibular disorders.

Those with questions may call (517) 673-8234.

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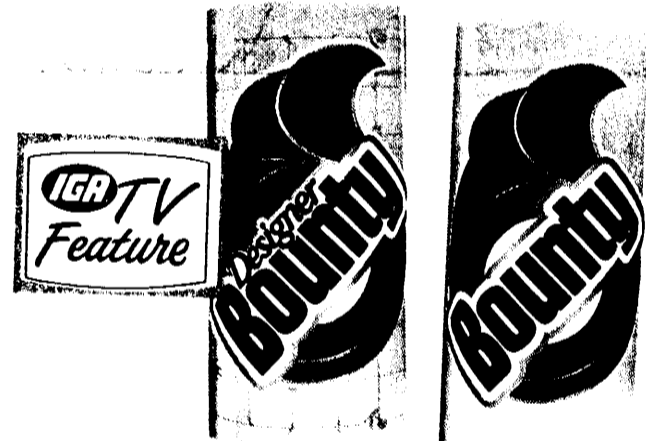
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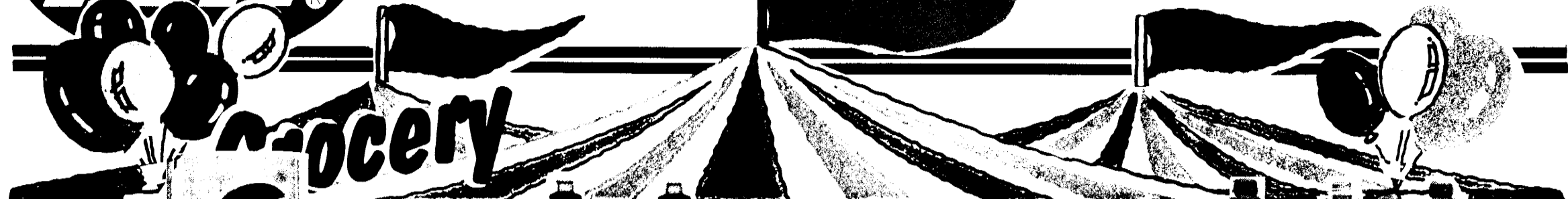
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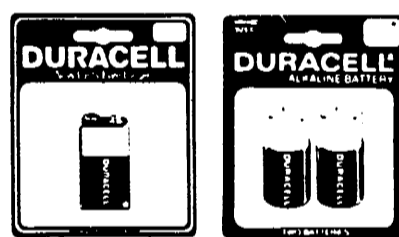
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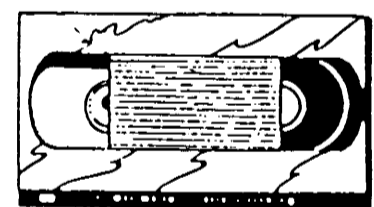
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- Conditioner
- Hair Spray
- Spritz
- Mousse
- Styling Gel
- Sculpting Gel



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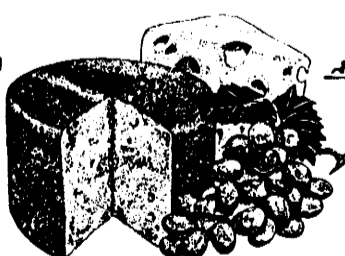
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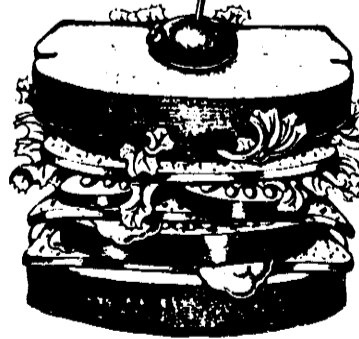


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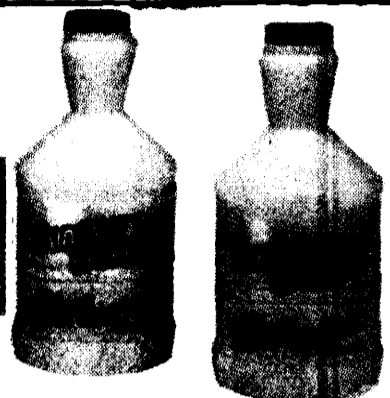
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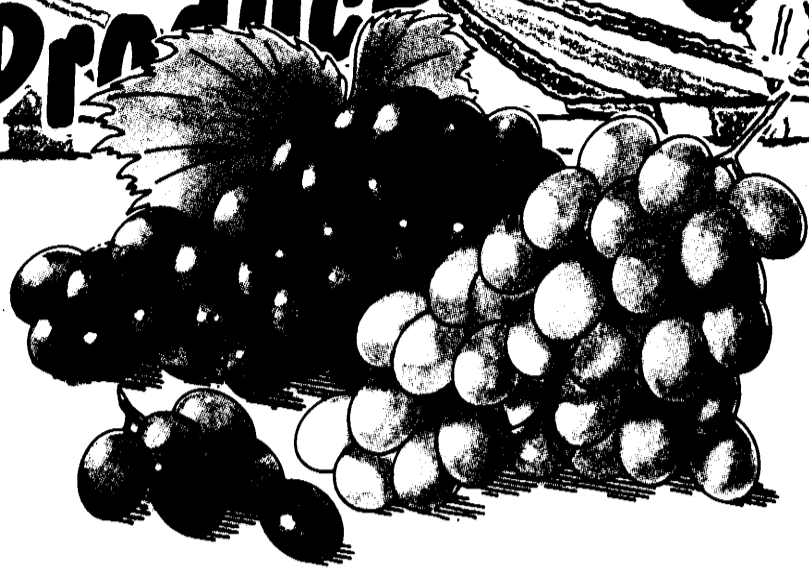
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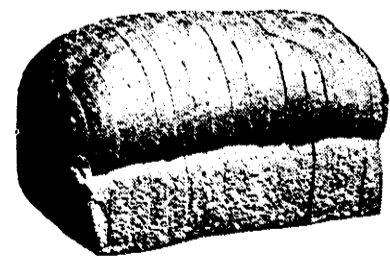
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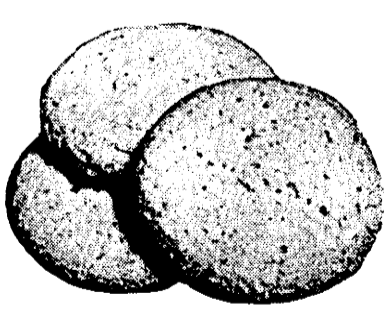
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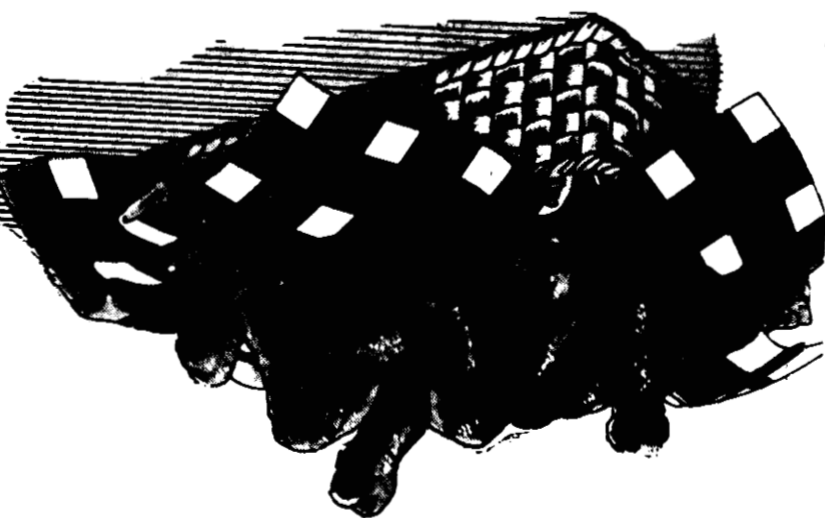
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\$3.49/lb.

Party Pack-3 lb. Pkg.  
Johnsonville  
**Bratwurst**  
\$6.99

Posidon Brand-1 lb. Pkg.  
Peeled & Deveined  
**Cooked Shrimp**  
\$8.99

Armour-Reg. or Beef-1 lb. Pkg.  
**X-tra Bite Franks**  
\$2.29

## Eckrich Buy One, Get One Free Special!

When you buy  
one at regular price,  
Limit 1 coupon per family.  
Sat., Aug. 18, 1990.  
IGA HOMETOWN PR. QUD

**Free**  
10 oz. Pkg.  
Regular Only!  
Eckrich  
**Smoky Links**

When you buy  
one at regular price,  
Limit 1 coupon per family.  
Sat., Aug. 18, 1990.  
IGA HOMETOWN PR. QUD

**Free**  
Reg. or Thick - 1 lb. Pkg.  
Eckrich  
Sliced  
**Bologna**

When you buy  
one at regular price,  
Limit 1 coupon per family.  
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IGA HOMETOWN PR. QUD

**Free**  
Bun Size - 1 lb. Pkg.  
Butterball  
Turkey  
**Franks**

When you buy  
one at regular price,  
Limit 1 coupon per family.  
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**Free**  
Smoked or Polish - 1 lb. Pkg.  
Eckrich - Bun Size  
Smoked  
**Sausage**



**HOMETOWN PROUD**

Creamy or Crunchy  
**Jif**  
Peanut Butter  
Limit 1 - 28 oz. Jar  
NR 95-5

**\$2.99**

Assorted Print or Deluxe Sizes For Boys or Girls  
**Luvs**  
Diapers  
Limit 1 - 28-60 Ct.  
NR 96-6

Extend Tabs or  
**Dimetapp**  
Elixer  
Limit 1 - 4 oz. Btl. or 12 Ct. Pkg.  
NR 97-7

**\$3.59**

Reg., Mild, Med., Extra Sharp or Swiss  
**County Line**  
Cheese  
Limit 3  
Random Weight  
NR 98-8

**50¢**  
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# Ben Franklin Tremendous Values

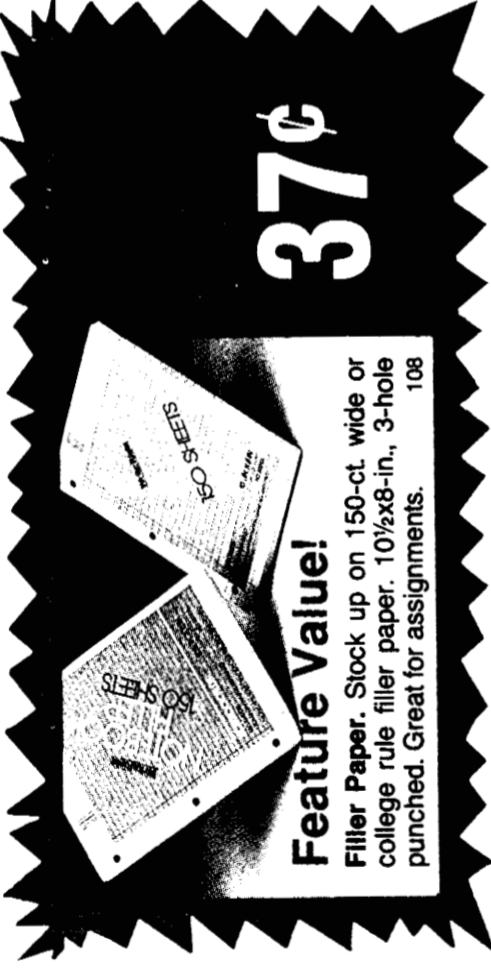
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**Red Heart Wintuk® Yarn.** In 3½-oz. solid, 2½-oz. shaded and 4-ply worsted variety. In basic shades or the most popular seasonal colors. **\$1 skein**

Wintuk®  
The shape keeper



**Feature Value!**

**Filler Paper.** Stock up on 150-ct. wide or college rule filler paper. 10½"x8-in., 3-hole punched. Great for assignments. **108**

**37¢**



**Stacking Storage Crates.** Plastic construction. In blue or almond. **74**

**2.97 ea.**



**DMC® Embroidery Floss.** Colorful 6-strand, 8.7-yd. craft floss. **27-29**

**5 for \$1**

Darice® Organizer ..... **2.97**

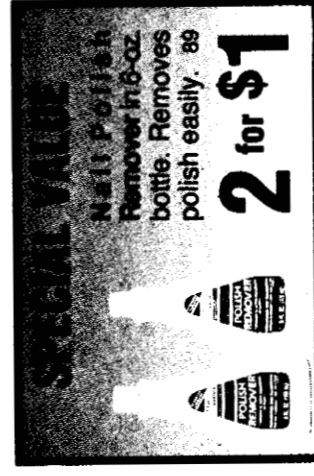


**Northern® Paper Products.** **108**

**Bath Tissue** ..... **.99¢**

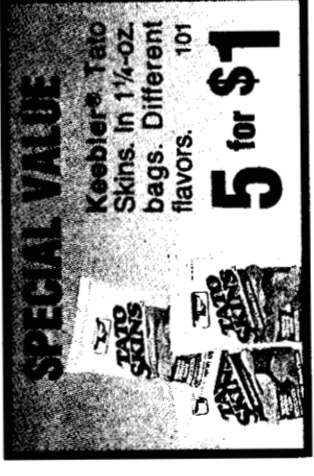
**Brawny Towels** ..... **.67¢**

**140-ct. Napkins** ..... **.67¢**



**Nail Polish Remover** in 6-oz. bottles. Removes polish easily. **88**

**2 for \$1**



**Keebler® Taro Skins** in 1½-oz. bags. Different flavors. **101**

**5 for \$1**



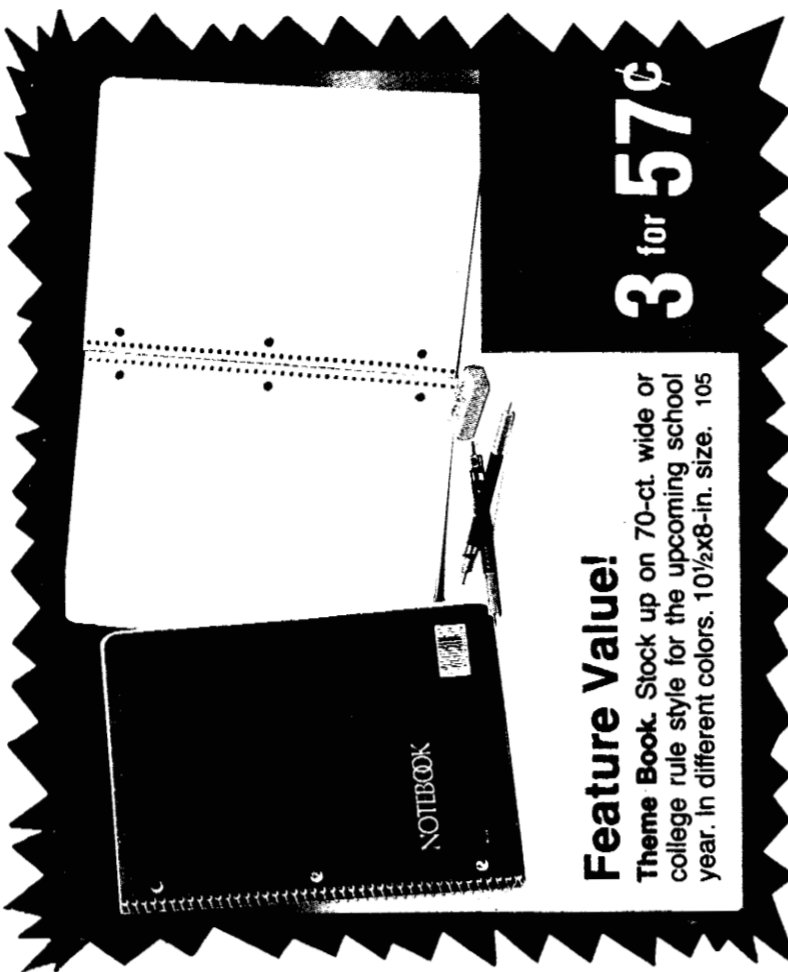
**Nabisco® Teddy Grahams** in a 10-oz. package. **102**

**1.47**



**Roll Bag or Backpack.** Select an 18-in. roll bag in denier nylon or a jumbo, nylon, teardrop backpack. Two-tone color scheme. **78**

**4.97**



**Feature Value!**

**Theme Book.** Stock up on 70-ct. wide or college rule style for the upcoming school year. In different colors. 10½"x8-in. size. **105**

**3 for 57¢**



**Hunt's® Snack Pack.** Select tasty pudding or apple sauce. In 4¼-oz., 4-pack. Many different flavors. **100**

**99¢ pkg.**



**Duo-Tang® Portfolio.** Organize homework, notes or other materials in this 2-pocket portfolio. **56**

**8 for \$1**

2-Pocket, 3-Prong ..... **5 for \$1**



**Scripto® Pens.** Blue or black ink ballpoint pens. Write at any angle! In 10-pk. **37**

**78¢ pkg.**



**Memorex Video Tape.** Hi-standard VHS, T-120 video tapes. Excellent clarity and color retention. **77**

**2.97**



# Ben Franklin®

Mon.-Thurs. 9-5:30, Fri. 9-8; Sat. 9-5:30; Sun. 12-4  
6520 Main Street

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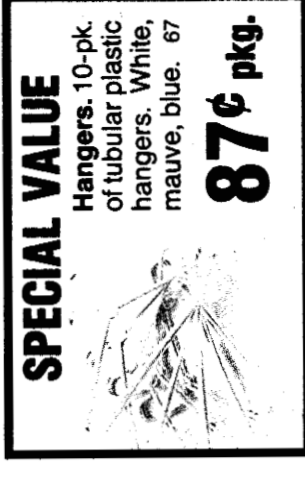


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**SPECIAL VALUE**  
Hangers. 10-pk. of tubular plastic hangers. White, mauve, blue. **87¢ pkg.**



**SPECIAL VALUE**  
Capri Sun® 100% natural 6¼-oz. fruit drink. 10-pk. **2.27 pk.**



**SPECIAL VALUE**  
Oreo® Cookies. 20-oz. original or Double-Stuf cookies. **103**



**SPECIAL VALUE**  
Suave® 8-oz. hair spray. 16-oz. shampoo or conditioner. **93**

**97¢ ea.**

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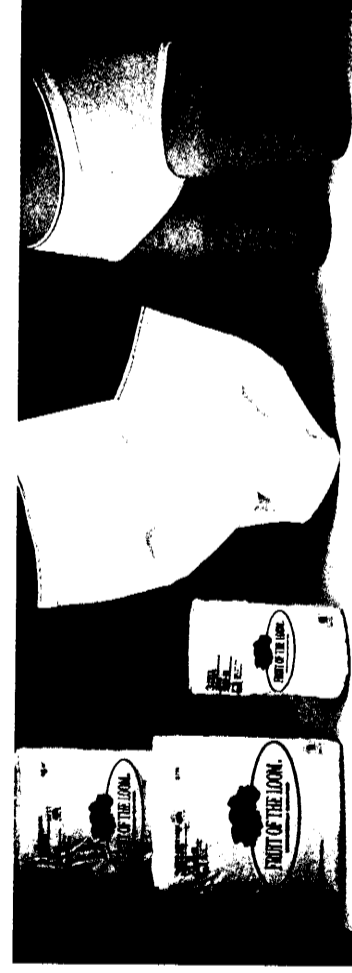
# Ben Franklin Super Savings

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Ladies Pants or Top. Choose poly/cotton harem knit pants with yoke waist or a solid, 2-button mock turtleneck with crest on the collar. In S,M,L. 11-12

Harem Pants ..... 6.88  
Mock Turtleneck ..... 9.88



FRUIT OF THE LOOM® Mens or Boys underwear. 100%-cotton, white elastic band briefs or tees. In S to L boys or S to XL Mens. 3-pk. 15

Boys Briefs ..... 2.97  
Boys Tees & Mens Briefs ..... 3.97  
Mens Tees ..... 5.47



Girls Jeans or Turtleneck. Poet acid wash, jean or Supertex® turtleneck top. 100%-cotton indigo denim jeans or lycra pastel colored top. 9

4-6x Turtleneck ..... 4.88  
7-14 Turtleneck ..... 5.88  
4-6x Jeans ..... 10.88  
7-14 Jeans ..... 11.88



Sweats by Tuitex

Tuitex® Family Sweats. Long sleeve, crewneck sweatshirt or sweatpants. In cotton acrylic fleece. Many sizes & colors to choose from. 6-14-18

Child 4-7 Sweats ..... 4.88 ea.  
Child 7-16 Sweats ..... 5.44 ea.  
Ladies & Mens Sweats ..... 6.44 ea.



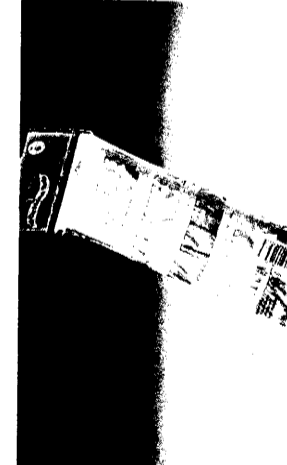
Ladies Woven Top. 100%-cotton, long-sleeve, oversized rib crewneck pullover. In pastels. Size S to XL. 13

8.88



Handbag. Hobo style, vinyl handbag with shoulder strap and zipper top. In 3 styles. Various colors. 2

4.97 ea.



Girls Briefs. Wundies® Day of the Week® panties. Cotton/poly blend in solid colors. Sizes 4,6,8,10. 5-pk. 7

3.97 pkg.



No Nonsense® Pantyhose. Regular petite/medium, medium/tall and queen. In various colors. 17

1.17 ea.

# Great Low Prices

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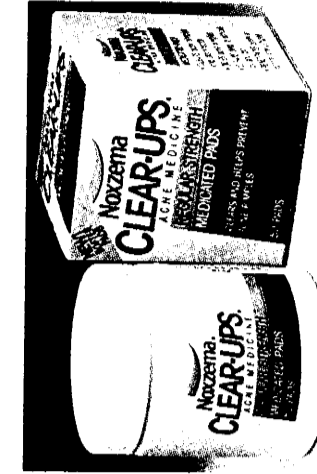
Tylenol Gel Caps. Extra-Strength, 50-ct. gel cap headache and pain relief. Fast-acting medicine. 85

3.97



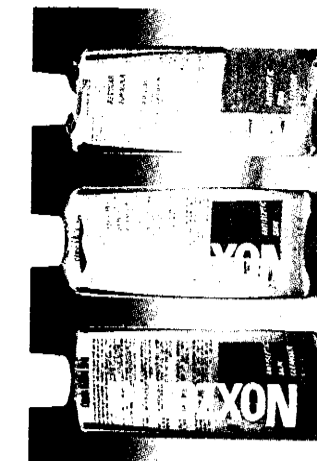
Suave® Products. 2-oz. solid anti-perspirant or 2½-oz. roll-on. 10-oz. skin or hand & nail lotion. 89-91

1.33 ea.



Noxzema® Clear-up Acne Pads. Regular Strength medicated pads. In 50-ct. jar. 90

1.44



Noxzema® Skin Cleanser. 4-oz. antiseptic skin treatment. Regular, extra-strength or sensitive skin. 92

1.22 ea.



Revlon® Implements. Choose from emery boards, nail clipper or slant-tip tweezer. Your choice. 88

\$1 ea.



Feature Value!  
Gillette® Shave Cream or Bic Shavers. Foamy 11-oz. shave cream variety or Bic® 10-pk. mens or ladies shavers. 84

1.17 ea.



Cover Girl® Products. Choose from assorted lipsticks or powdered & liquid make-up. Your choice. 87

1.97 ea.



Vaseline® white petroleum jelly in 3¼-oz. jar. Removes makeup & soothes cuts or chapped lips. 86

1.22



Tampax® Slender, Regular or Super Plus tampons. The trusted name in feminine protection. 10-ct. 96

1.27



Clairol® Nice N' Easy Hair Color. Select from a wide variety of colors to match your mood or lifestyle. 95

4.47 ea.

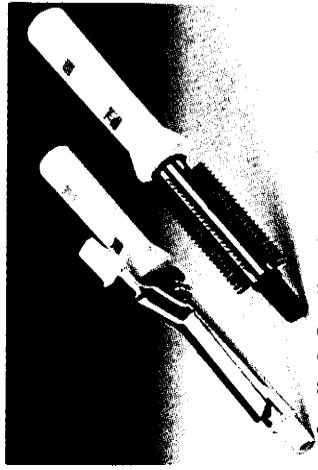


Lander® Bubble Bath or Baby Shampoo. 1½-liter bubble bath or gentle baby shampoo. 94

1.77 ea.

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**Andis® Curling Iron or Brush.** Hot electric styling brush or hot curling iron with on/off light & 2-settings. 73

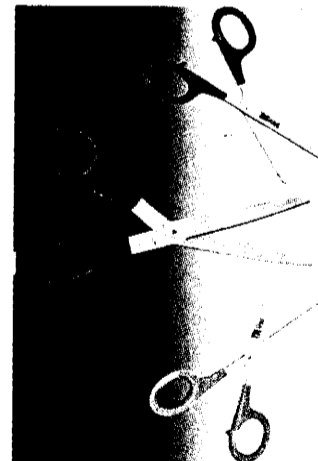
**3.97 ea.**

**Pro-Style Hair Dryer** ..... 5.57



**Satin Mixed Bush.** Choose from a wide selection of styles and colors. A great accent piece! 32

**1.97 Bush**



**Cut-Rite® All-Purpose Scissors.** Features stainless-steel blades and molded plastic handles. 8-in. 34

**1.97**

**Fiskars® Fabric Shears** ..... 6.97



**Darlice® Mini Glue Gun.** Thumb feed, UL approved glue gun in fashion colors. 3 glue sticks. 31

**2.97**

**50-ct. Mini Glue Sticks** ..... 97¢

# Comfortable Values

# Ben Franklin

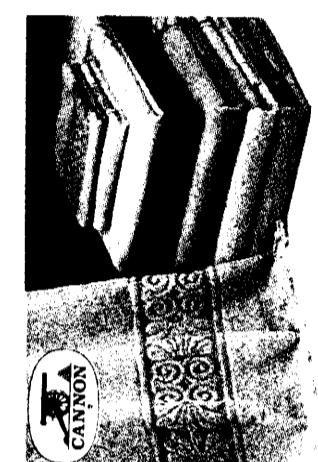
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**Cannon® Kitchen Towel.** Slightly irregular, 16x25-in. to 16x28-in., terry towels. In patterns & solids. 24

**\$1 ea.**

**Dishcloth** ..... 2 for \$1

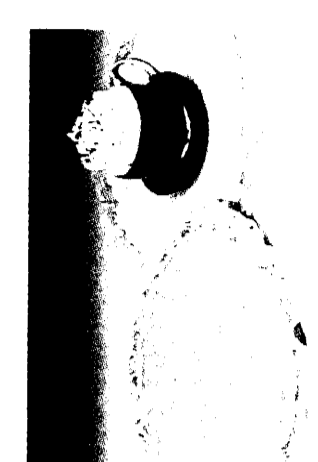


**Santa Cruz® Towel.** Choose from irregular bath and hand towels or washcloths. Cotton/poly blend. 23

**Bath Towel** ..... 2.57

**Hand Towel** ..... 1.97

**Washcloth** ..... 57¢



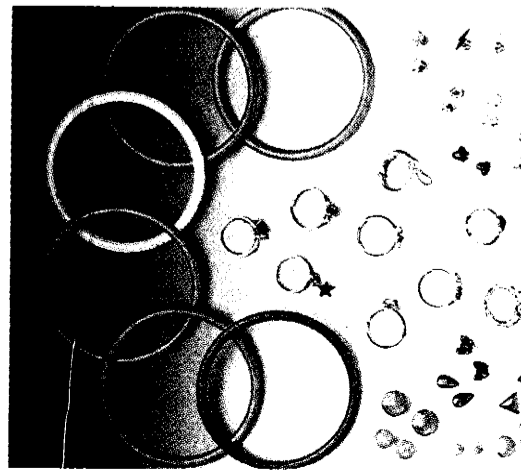
**Dolly.** Round, 12-in. solid and lace dolly with lace edge. In white and natural colors. 4-piece set. 70

**1.47**



**Ruffled Eyelet.** White or natural color embroidery eyelet. In 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2-in. widths. 33

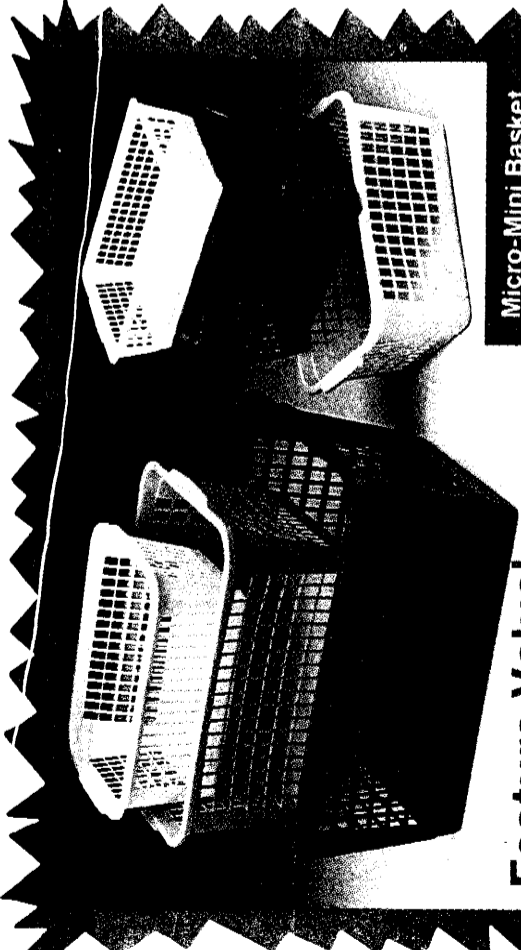
**2 yds. \$1**



**Bracelets or Earrings.** Select from a variety of neon and other assorted color earrings and bracelets. 1

**4 for 88¢**

**Ring Assortment** ..... 88¢ ea.



Micro-Mini Basket

**33¢**

**Feature Value!**  
**Micro-Mini Basket.** Use this 9 1/2x6 1/2x2 1/2-in. basket for a decoration or to hold your small but precious objects. In various colors. 75  
**12x9x4 1/2-in. Mini Size** ..... 47¢ ea.  
**15x11x6-in. Handi Size** ..... 88¢ ea.  
**18x12x7-in. Maxi Size** ..... 1.47 ea.



**Childrens Books or Puzzles.** Choose from a large assortment of puzzles and activity books. 104

**2 for \$1**



**Flannel Bed Pillow.** 100%-cotton flannel print cover with polyester fiberfill stuffing. Standard size. 25

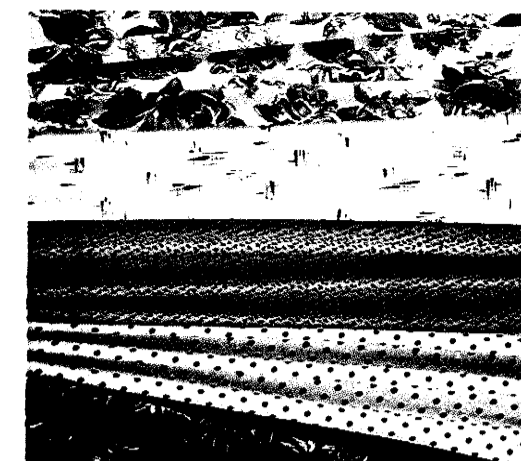
**4.97**

**Pillow Cover** ..... 1.97



**Perma-Press Prints.** 45-in. wide, dress or blouse florals. Poly/cotton blend. In fashion lengths. 35

**1.44 yd.**



**Feature Value!**

**Percale Sheet.** Irregular, cotton/poly, percale flat or fitted sheets in a wide array of solids and prints. 26

**Full Size Sheet** ..... 5.97

**Queen Size Sheet** ..... 6.97

**Sheet Garters or Pillowcase** ..... 2.97

**3.97**

**Twin**

# Household Helpers

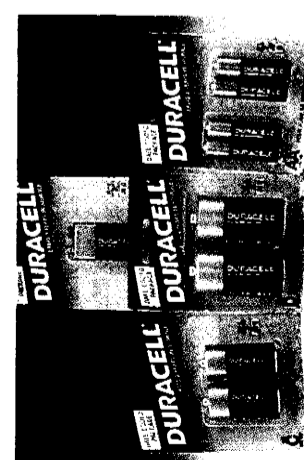
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**Tacky Glue.** Non-toxic, 4-oz. clear drying glue. In gold squeeze bottle. Great for most craft projects. 30

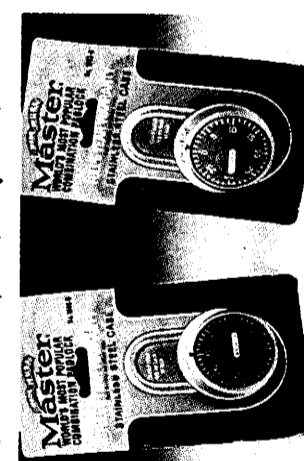
**99¢ ea.**



**Duracell Batteries.** Choose a 2-pk. of "C" or "D" size batteries. Or select a single-pack 9-volt battery. 79

**1.87 ea.**

**"AA" 4-pk.** ..... 2.47



**Master® Padlock.** Color-faced, 1 1/2-in., nickel plated, combination shackle lock. Great for lockers. 60

**2.77**



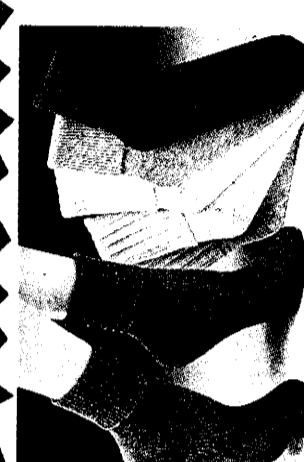
**Baggies® Bags.** Choose 15-ct. Leak Bags, 30-ct. tall kitchen bags or 25-ct. trash bags. Your choice. 97

**2 pkgs. \$3**



**Crew Socks.** Mens or young mens cotton/nylon socks. White & solids. Size 10 to 13 or 9 to 11. In 3-pk. 20

**2.77 pkg.**



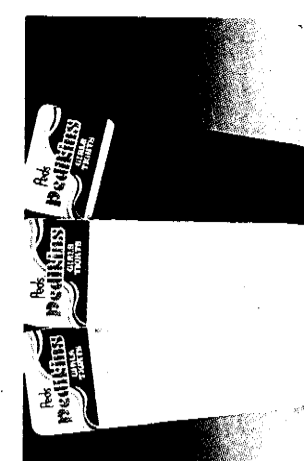
**Ladies Anklets.** Cotton/Orlon® blend, cuffed anklets in many colors and styles. In 3-pair package. 18

**2.97 pkg.**



**Ladies Gitanos® Briefs.** Solid, white, hi-cut briefs. 100%-cotton. Available in sizes 5 to 7 & 8 to 10. 3-pack. 4

**3.97 pkg.**



**Girls Tights.** 100% nylon tights in sizes 4 to 6 or 7 to 10. Choose from a wide selection of colors. 19

**97¢ pkg.**

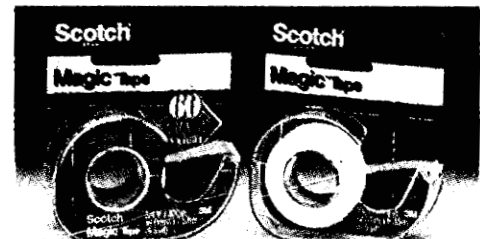
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# Budget Buys



**Empire® Pencil Kit.** Includes 3 pencils, eraser and sharpener. In Snoopy, Garfield or Mickey. 41

**1.97** Kit



**Scotch® Magic Tape.** In green plaid utility dispenser. 1/2x250-in. roll. For home, school or the office. 50

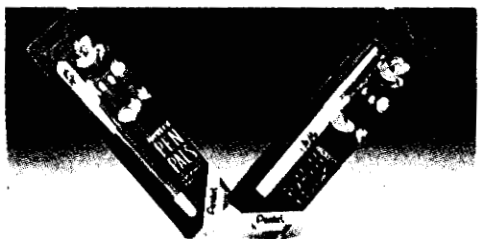
**37¢**

3/4x300-in. roll . . . . . 57¢



**Bic® Hot Stics Pen.** 6-pk. of ball point pens in hot barrel colors. Choose from blue or black ink. 38

**1.57** pkg.



**Disney® Roller Ball Pen.** Mickey Mouse, Minnie Mouse or Donald Duck character pens. Black ink. 39

**77¢** ea.



**Lisa Frank® Products.** Fashion design 2-pocket portfolio with assorted designs and colors. 57

**67¢** ea.

3x5-in., 60-ct. Memo Pad . . . 2 for \$1

**Feature Value!**

**Union Camp® Wireless Theme Book.** Choose from 80-ct. wide or college rule theme books. Great for schoolwork. 106

**57¢** ea.

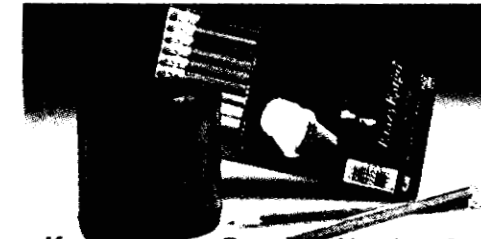


**Exoticar or Futuristics Portfolio.** Hot exotic car or high-tech graphics style 2-pocket portfolio. 5-types. 58

**2 for 98¢**

60-ct. Themebook . . . . . 77¢

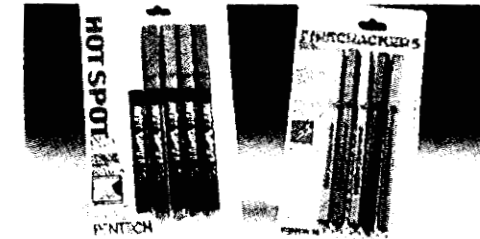
# Outstanding Bargains Ben Franklin Better quality for less



**Krazy Kargo Pencils.** Number-2 lead pencils in bright colors. In 12-count package. Great for school. 44

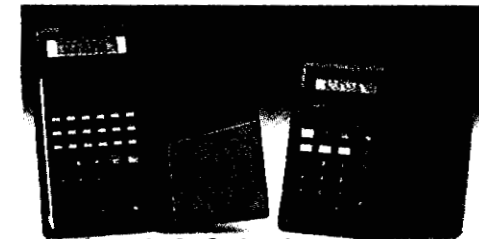
**77¢**

Pencil Sharpener . . . . . 3.97



**Highlighters or Pens.** Hot Spot, pocket size fluorescent highlighter or Firecracker color pens. 5-pk. 43

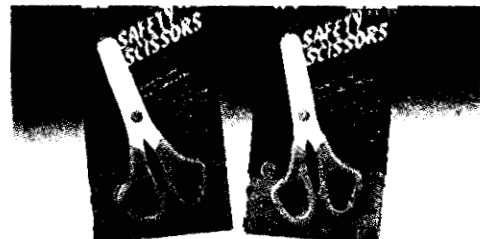
**1.57** pk.



**Unisonic® Calculator.** 8-digit solar, pocket calculator with battery back-up. With metal frame. 64

**4.97**

Casio® Calculator . . . . . 8.97



**Safety Scissors.** All-plastic. Will not cut skin, clothing or hair. With neon-colored handles. 51

**97¢**



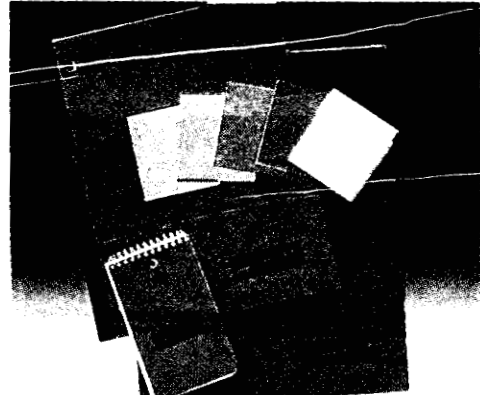
**Binder or Storage Case.** TufGard 1/2 or 1-in. polyurethane binder or 7/2x11-in. storage case. In neon. 59

**97¢**

**Feature Value!**

**Mead® Products.** Trapper Keeper, Data Center, Flapper and Super Shades All in One. Complete school organizers. 107

**4.47**



**Screamer Memo Book.** Take note of this 3x5-in. 60-ct. memo book. Choose from 6 hot, neon colors. 60

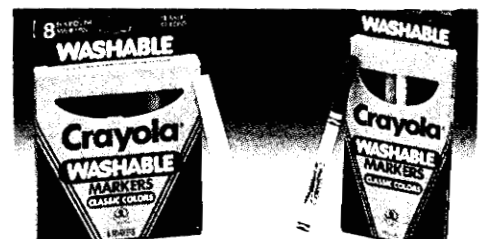
**2 for \$1**

110 ct. Wireless Notebook . . . 1.17  
2-Pocket Portfolio . . . . . 77¢ ea.



**Thermos® or Aladdin® Lunch Kit.** Nintendo, Barbi, Mutant Ninja Turtle & more! With 8-oz. bottle. 66

**4.77** Kit



**Crayola® Markers.** Fine or broad tip washable marker. For drawing or coloring. In basic color 8-pack. 49a

**2.49** pkg.



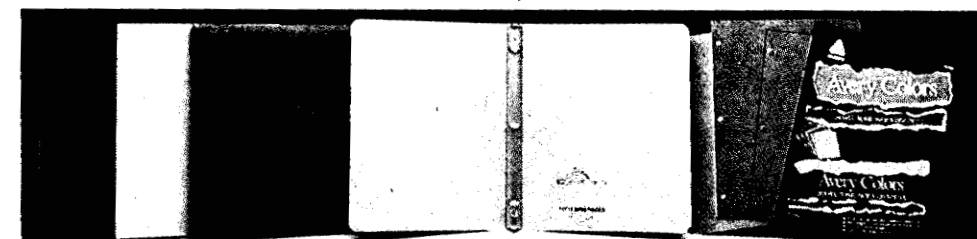
**Legal or Steno Pad.** 80-ct. 6x9-in. green steno pad or yellow or white 50-ct. 8 1/2x11 1/4-in. legal pad. 65

**47¢** ea.



**Elmer's® School Glue or Glue-All.** Clear, water soluble school glue or glue-all. In 4-oz. size. 81

**2 for \$1**



**ACCO® Binder.** Pressboard or Accohide binder with 3, 1/2 or 1-in. metal rings. In an expansive array of vibrant colors. Colorful and durable! 61

**78¢** ea.

Avery® Index Divider . . . . . 48¢ ea.



**Prang® Paint Set.** Removable tray with #7, soft hair brush. Hinged plastic cover box. 8-paint colors. 55

**1.97**



**Scripto® Mechanical Pencils.** Yellow, 7-mm. thin-lead, mechanical pencil. In packages of 7. 47

**97¢**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**Empire® Pencils.** Number-2 type. In 10-pack. For school etc. 48

**2 for \$1**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**Erasers.** Art gum or soft, green rubber erasers. 49

**2 for 48¢**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**Stapler.** Boston Pony stapler with 100, #10 staples. 62

**97¢**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**School Box.** Large, molded plastic box. Hinged top. 52

**97¢**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**Empire® 4 1/2-in. wood crayon pencils** in 12-colors. 54

**67¢**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**Ross® Pritt Glue stick.** 26-oz. rub-on glue. Non-toxic. 45

**47¢**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**Wood Ruler.** 12-in. grooved ruler. Inches and metric. 46

**17¢**

**SPECIAL VALUE**

**Crayola® brand crayons** in 16-ct. package. Many colors. 53

**77¢**