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Cass-T-Way fire loss: \$25,000

Authorities were unable to pinpoint the origin of an early morning fire that caused an estimated \$25,000 damage to the Cass-T-Way Inn last Wednesday.

Tuscola County Sheriff's Department Det. Sgt. Larry Walker and a state fire marshal sifted through the charred remains in the basement of the structure, where the fire began.

It was easy to determine that the fire began under the central portion of the hotel, but it was difficult to determine the cause, according to Walker, who said he couldn't rule out an electrical problem.

The fire, he added, "wiped out a lot of the floor joists. A lot of wiring was damaged." Some 50 fire fighters from 6 departments responded to the scene after patrons and a bartender at the adjoining Gilligan's, 6444 W. Main St., smelled smoke and reported the fire at 1:15 a.m.

"There was smoke all over. There was smoke in the bar, there was smoke coming out of the roof, out of the windows..." Elkland Township Fire Chief Dick Root said. "It just scared me. It was so hot," he recalled, noting he immediately called for assistance, not knowing at the time where the fire was concentrated or how extensive it was.

Only a few years ago, another Main Street fire gutted Fort's Confectionary Store. The Feb. 16, 1985 blaze caused an estimated \$150,000 in damage.

Initially, fire fighters were unable to determine where the fire was located. They cut a hole in the roof and broke windows to vent heavy smoke.

"We went through the

building and couldn't find a thing upstairs," Root said. He added firemen were greatly relieved to find the fire was in the basement, where they worked to contain it.

The 108-year-old inn's first floor sustained smoke damage and in some areas, water damage. A number of floor joists were destroyed, causing the floor in the inn's game room to bow. A hole was burned through the floor in the same room, and firemen cut holes in a nearby wall and storage room floor while fighting the fire. The inn's Chartroom dancing Please turn to back page.



THE FIRE WIPED out floor joists in the central portion of the inn, burning a hole through the floor of a game room and causing the floor to bow (above).

Festival draws big crowds to Cass City

by Nancy Salla
Staff Writer

The streets of Cass City were almost overwhelmed as thousands visited the village this weekend during the 3-day Freedom Festival.

The celebration was kicked off Friday evening with the Little Miss Pageant and Cruising Night.

Eleven girls competed in Friday's 3rd annual Little Miss Pageant. Third and second place Tiny Miss winners, respectively, were Carissa Bass, daughter of Jill Bass, and Tara Sherman, daughter of Allen and Susan Sherman. Maegan Laurie, daughter of David and Stephanie Laurie, was chosen as Tiny Miss.

Kira Groosbeck, daughter of Kim Groosbeck, was crowned Little Miss. Sara Guc, daughter of John and Sandy Guc, took second place and Laura Auten, daughter of Les and Donna Auten, was third. First place winners won a tiara and a trophy, second and third place winners received a trophy and all contestants were given a ribbon.

About 80 antique automobiles "dragged" Main Street Friday during Cruising Night. Blaine de Beaubien, festival committee organizer, said 18 owners registered their vehicles for competition in 3 categories.

Two Cass City residents took prizes - Tom Coleman's 1966 Tempest for Best Muscle Car and Robert Hunter's 1963 Corvette winning Best Classic

Car. The Best of Show award went to a Caro' owner of a 1953 Ford F100 truck. The winners were awarded trophies.

ALWAYS A HIT

Saturday's noon parade was once again a festival highlight. Festival committee organizer Gary Jones said the hour-long procession included about 75 entries. Prize-winning floats included entries from Thumb National Bank, First Baptist Church, Tendercare, Inc., and the Cass City Jaycees Club.

The sporting events were received well, with about 100 people registered for the basketball, horseshoe, mile run, tennis and beach volleyball events.

The basketball courts and spectator area were filled for the 3-on-3 event. The winning team of the men's division was comprised of captain John A. Meininger, Kirk Scharich, Tom Behr and 4-year winner Craig Tonti. The boys' division champs, all high school seniors or older, were captain Ron Bouck, John Gibson, Greg LeValley and 2-year champ Paul Uffig. The new junior boys' class found winners with captain Ben Hobbs, Brad McNeil, Scott Iwankovitsch and Jason Morgan.

The Jaycees tennis tournament had 13 entries, which were all men. Wayne Heckman, last year's singles winner, again captured the title. Doubles champions

for the third consecutive year were Dale and Wayne Heckman. The club is considering expanding the tournament into a 2-day event because of hot weather, the number of entries and to encourage female tennis players to participate.

Beach volleyball was a popular event with several teams entering each of the 4 categories. The "Browns" team were the adult men and co-ed team champs and the "Champs" captured first place in the adult women's division. Junior team winners were the "Bull Dogs" for the girls and "Surfers" for the boys.

Winners of a different type celebrated their good fortune. Janice Chippi won the Dodge Shadow drawing sponsored by the Cass City Rotary Club. Chippi purchased 3 \$10 tickets for the vehicle, which was donated by Board Chrysler Plymouth Dodge, Inc. The big winner in the 50/50 drawing was Dick Hampshire. Other drawing winners included Bill Zemke, Bill Dunn, Mike Bryant and Tony Davis.

HISTORY IN THE MAKING

Hundreds toured the Civil War camp displays throughout the weekend and witnessed Sunday afternoon's skirmish reenactment. University of Detroit history professor Dave Finney narrated the setting, which was in 1864 when President Abe Please turn to back page.

Sidewalk days

Varied program planned for event

The top savings event of the summer and perhaps of the year starts Wednesday with Cass City Sidewalk Days and continues through Saturday.

There will be plenty of activities for bargains seekers during the event. About 15 street vendors have indicated that they will set up shop and there will be home baked goods and other goodies offered, authorities said.

Music will be provided all 4 days by Jan Moore, piano and organ player and vocalist. She will perform at the Chemical Bank parking lot Wednesday and Thursday from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Friday night from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday from 10

to 11:30 a.m.

Area quilters will have displays at the Cultural Center and children will be able to swim free Thursday until 5 p.m.

New this year is a full schedule of events at Jordan College, which is planning a celebration in conjunction with the sale.

"Jordan Days" will offer a wide variety of activities to the public, said Colleen Forman, Jordan librarian.

This first-time event will begin today (Wednesday) from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and include an arts and crafts sale, a library display of miniature houses, antique clocks and artwork, a bake sale and an antique automo-

bile display in the college's parking lot.

A Department of Natural Resources fire prevention display is slated for 1 to 3 p.m. in the library or lounge area.

Lunch during the 3-day event is planned for 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Hot dogs and pop will be available for a donation. All funds the college earns during "Jordan Days" will be used for scholarships. Live entertainment will include Jan Moore's Musical Stars of Tomorrow and other local talent.

A free drawing for a 3-hour class at Jordan College is planned. The winner's choice of course is valued at about \$375.

Band director hired

Full curriculum returns to school

When school starts next fall Cass City will have re-established a full curriculum for the first time since it was curtailed in the financial crunch experienced several years ago.

Elementary art, the last of the elective programs axed, will return. Supt. Ken Micklash said proudly that not only has art been added, but the district will enjoy its benefits and still pay \$12,431 less than last year.

The reason is the resignation of teachers at the top of the salary schedule being replaced by teachers at the bottom.

Replacing Kathleen Jackson as home economics teacher will be Dottie Scollon. Mrs. Scollon will be a part-time teacher without the study hall obligations that Mrs. Jackson handled and will be paid an estimated 4/7 of a full-time contract. Mindy Nash, a 1991

Michigan State University graduate, will be the instrumental music teacher. She was at the board meeting and said that she was excited about the opportunity and the facilities at the school.

Jeff Hartel, the new basketball coach, will teach business courses taught by Ron Numberger and also science in the Intermediate School.

Craig Weaver will teach full time in the high school instead of splitting time between the intermediate and high school buildings.

The new art program will be taught by Martha Butcher (half time) and she will also teach Deford third grade, half time.

Dorland Kuntz, principal at Deford, will assume extra duties, spending half of his

time as principal and assuming added duties of athletics, special education and federal program. For this he will receive a raise in salary of \$2,000 to a total of \$45,000 for the year.

ELECT OFFICERS

Officers for the year were elected. Re-elected president was Ben Hobart. Jim Turner is the vice-president and Dan Uffig, the new secretary. Beverley Auten was elected treasurer by a 5-2 vote over Allan Hartwick. Voting for Hartwick were Uffig and Auten.

In routine business the board voted to meet on the third Monday of each month at the high school, with the exception of the December

meeting, which is scheduled at Deford.

All board members were authorized to sign general fund checks and the superintendent and the bookkeeper, the payroll checks. The superintendent was authorized to sign payroll transfer checks.

LOW BIDDER

Chemical Bank-Bay Area was the low bidder to provide an operating fund loan of \$1.1 million. The rate is 4.87 percent and the total cost to the school is \$39,185. Higher bids were received from Thumb National Bank and Trust and Kingston State Bank.

In past years the school has Please turn to back page.

Okay school

burglary alarm

The break-in a couple of weeks ago at the Cass City Intermediate School, where an estimated \$1,000 worth of equipment was taken, has galvanized the Cass City school board into approving a burglary alarm installation for the building.

Meeting in regular session Monday night at the high school, the board authorized the installation of a system similar to the one in the high school at a cost of \$1,260 plus a fee of \$130 for a year's monitoring by the Stanley Company.

Superintendent Ken Micklash said since the alarm system was installed at the high school there have been no break-ins. It solved the problem there, he added.

It may be that the school will also place the alarms in Campbell Elementary and Deford School.

The board suggested that Micklash discuss a package deal with Stanley with that in mind.

In another informal discussion it was revealed that scheduling difficulty will make it impossible to offer gymnastics as a school sport next year. What is approved is the sport as a club activity.

If it proves successful, the sport would be adopted as a school sport the following year.

Athletic Director Don Schelke says that there appears to be more interest in golf for girls and tennis than in gymnastics.

Police probe weekend stabbing in village

Cass City police are investigating a reported stabbing in the village over the weekend.

According to reports, the victim, Todd Allen Lynch, 19, 4291 West St., Cass City, told police he was assaulted late Friday night while walking north along a narrow walkway between 2 buildings leading from an alley to south Main Street, about a block and half west

of the intersection of Main and Seeger streets.

Lynch stated he was approached by a white male who swung a knife at him, slicing his right thigh.

Lynch, who estimated the incident took place at about 11:40 p.m., told police he walked around for some 20 minutes before calling for help.

He was transported by Cass City-Mercy Ambulance to

Hills and Dales General Hospital, where he received 6 stitches. Reports state he sustained a 2-inch laceration about 6 inches above the knee.

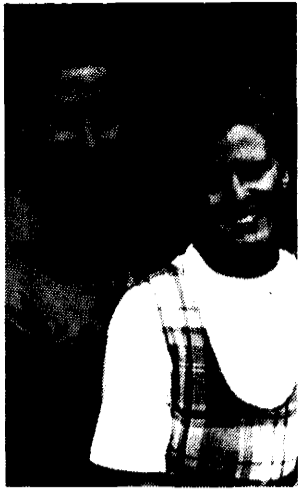
Lynch told police he didn't recognize his assailant. He described the attacker as a white male, age 17 to 19 years old with shoulder length hair and wearing a T-shirt and cut-off blue jeans.

The case remains under investigation.



CIVIL WAR REENACTORS representing the Union Army carried a wounded Confederate soldier off the battlefield during Sunday's tactical skirmish. The participants used authentic weapons and wore wool uniforms to recreate the 19th century war. Other pictures on pages 6-7-10.

Engaged



**Lori Russell
Randy Teichman**

Randy Teichman and Lori Russell recently announced their engagement.

Russell is a graduating senior at CMU and Teichman is a graduating senior at Ferris State University.

Parents of the bride to be are Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Russell of Troy. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Teichman of Cass City.

An August 3 wedding is planned.

**76 members at 2-day
Hendrick family reunion**

Seventy-six members of the Theo and Effie Hendrick family enjoyed a 2-day reunion July 6 and 7 at the homestead on Cedar Run Road, Cass City.

They came from Jefferson-town, Ky., Lapceer, Monroe, Belleville, New Boston, St. Johns, Ashley, Milan, Carleton, Deford, Caro and Cass City.

A great-grandson, Ted O'Dell Jr., presented an American flag that was flown over the state capitol July 3, 1991, to be flown at the homestead.

The oldest family member present was George Fisher Sr., 81; youngest was Nicole Heronemus, 3.

Reunion president is Kay Drouillard of Belleville, secretary is Ray O'Dell of Carleton, and treasurer is Irene Tracy of Cass City. The reunion will be held at

the homestead July 4 and 5 in 1992.

**Local 6222
retirees meet**

Retirees of United Steelworkers Local 6222, Cass City, gathered July 2 at the Cass City VFW Hall for their regular monthly meeting.

Grace Nemeth reported on her attendance of the USWA Legislative Conference held June 24-26 in Washington, D.C. More than 800 delegates attended the event.

Also, it was noted the group is planning a trip to Muskegon to take part in a "Muskegon Luncheon Cruise." Members will tour a submarine and visit Rockford for a shopping extravaganza at the historical buildings of Squires Street Square.

In other business, officers were sworn into office, and Eldina Heck and Louis Nemeth were named winners of a 50-50 drawing. The retirees' next meeting will be held Aug. 6.

Cass City Personal Items

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Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy went to the Baird-Newton Funeral Home in Lapeer Tuesday afternoon to pay respects to their cousin, James Simpson. They had supper with Ivan's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tkach and family.

Officials at McKenzie Memorial Hospital, Sandusky, announce the birth June 30 of a baby boy, Steven Ryan Parth, to James and Laurie Parth of Kingston.

**2 area women
attend VFW
convention**

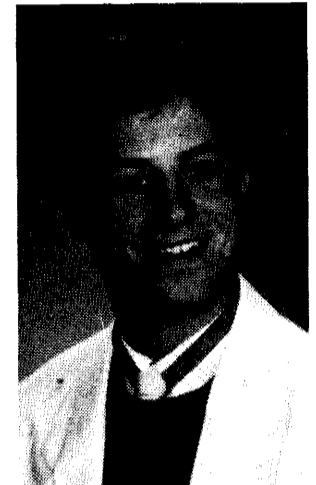
The 64th VFW Department Convention was held June 19-23 in Lansing.

Maggie Weippert of the Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post #3644, Cass City, and Vera Philpot of Ladies Auxiliary Post #2945, Sandusky, attended the convention. Business included the election of new officers for 1991-1992.

Sandy and Andy Welter of Dayton, Ohio, spent the July 4th weekend with her parents, Stan and Melva Guinther. They greeted friends and relatives Saturday at an open house honoring their marriage March 23 in Dayton.

**Rutkowski
graduates**

Mark Rutkoski recently graduated from the Ferris State University School of Pharmacy.



Mark Rutkoski

A 1985 Cass City High School graduate, he is the son of Herb and Kay Rutkoski of Cass City.

While at Ferris, Rutkoski was involved in both community and school related activities. He was president of his fraternity, Phi Delta Chi, and also received Rho Chi recognition for academic excellence while in pharmacy school.

Rutkoski has accepted a position at Pennock Hospital in Hastings. His future plans include earning a doctorate in pharmacy.

**Writer's club
sets meets**

The Thumb Area Writer's Club (TAWC) will meet the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month until further notice. This month the meeting dates are July 9 and July 23, at 7:30 p.m.

The second Tuesday of each month opens with a short business meeting, with the second half of the evening spent reading and critiquing. The fourth Tuesday of each month is reserved for critiquing only.

The meetings are held at the County Conference Rooms, 37 Austin St., Sandusky.

Writers needing encouragement in their creative endeavors are urged to attend both meetings. Everyone is welcome. Individuals do not have to be a member to attend. Membership is open to poets, fiction and non-fiction writers.

Marriage Licenses

Derek Allen Turner, Caro, and Shawn Marie Lupton, Fairgrove.

Warren John Kappen and Crystal Joanne Forster, both of Cass City.

Ronald William Gill II, and Laura Sue Bucy, both of Millington.

Alfred Gerald Bracciano and Tamara Jean Doescher, both of Cass City.

William Jerome Ford and Susan Ann Parrott, both of Marlette.

Michael Keith Kienitz and Cindie Ann Blackmer, both of Beaverton.

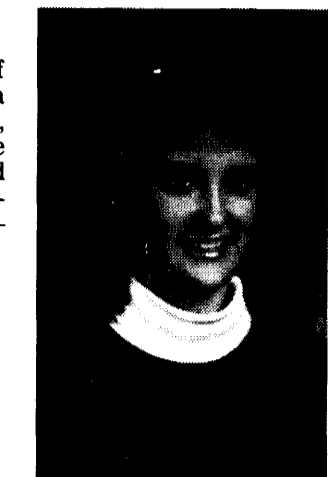
Brian Lee Burns, Millington, and Juliam Jean Terburgh, Tuscola.

Kelly Martin McNeil, Iron Mountain, and Ann Helene Klockziem, Vassar.

**Melissa Micklash in
Hope institute program**

Hope College, Holland, is hosting one of only 10 Michigan Department of Education Summer Institutes for the Arts, Sciences and Technology this summer, drawing more than 100 high school students from throughout the state for 2-week program that will include instruction in 7 disciplines.

Among those taking part is Melissa Micklash of Cass City.



Melissa Micklash

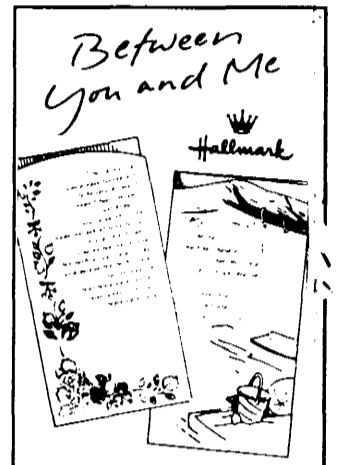
The institutes, coordinated through the State Board of Education, provide an opportunity for highly-motivated 10th and 11th grade students to participate in a non-traditional learning experience that includes both in-depth study and broad, interdisciplinary exploration. Activities range from group discussions, research, lab and field experiences, to simulations, art production and performances.

The students participating in the institute at Hope, scheduled for July 7-20 were chosen from among more than 300 applicants who listed the Hope program as their first or second choice.

The Hope program will allow students to concentrate in one of several areas, including dance, theatre, television production, envi-

ronmental biology, human physiology, nuclear science and psychology. In addition, through group discussions participants from different disciplines will share their specialized knowledge and individual perspectives while examining issues such as censorship, multiculturalism, medical ethics and toxic waste.

Titled "Toward the 21st Century: Challenge, Choices and Consequences," the Hope institute is designed to help students understand and prepare for the issues they will face in the future. The interdisciplinary approach is intended to enable them to appreciate the issues from a broader perspective.



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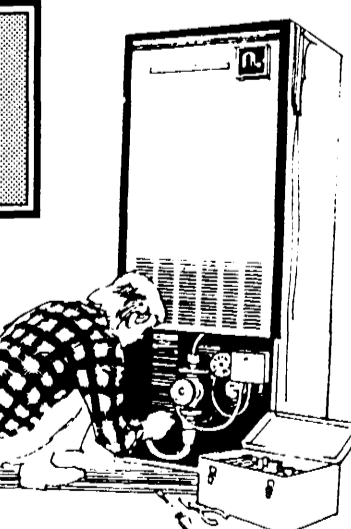
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Meg's Peg
**Cleaning
closets**
by Melva E. Guinther



My frugal friend, Minerva, went on a closet cleaning rampage last week. She says it's something that comes over her every 5 years or so. Going through the coat closet in the foyer, she came upon 2 lovely leather gloves, just like new. Unfortunately, both were for the right hand and one was a lady's and the other a man's. Hoping to find their respective mates, she set them both aside with a slight feeling of deja vu. Had she perhaps done the same thing when she cleaned the closet back in '86?

Reluctantly, as she sorted through the last items in the corners, she was forced to admit that if the missing gloves hadn't turned up in 5 years, chances were pretty good that they weren't going to. Nevertheless, she admirably slipped the fur-lined lady's glove on, and considered the practicality of keeping the left hand in her pocket.

Then, with a strength that had to come from deep within, she tossed the strays in the trash.

Cowering on the shelf, way in the back, she discovered the umbrella that she knew Herman had taken and left somewhere. (If Ernie didn't do it, it has to be the spouse, doesn't it?) She decided that she'd pretend

she hadn't found it, thereby keeping this one in the house. Min's umbrellas have a strange habit of being in the trunk of the car when she needs one.

When she came upon the lovely zippered shoe bag minus the carrying strap, Min suddenly remembered what that black leather thing was that had hung in the hallway so long and which she had finally thrown away the week before.

In another closet, she found a couple of those floor-length dresses that were in style maybe 20 years ago. Being a firm believer that what goes around comes around, she had hung onto them through her previous cleaning binges, assuming that they'd be in style again some day.

This time she bravely faced the fact that even if they were to become fashionable, there was no way she could ever squeeze her size 14 body into those size 10's again.

From still another closet, she pulled out Herman's moth-eaten high school sweater, complete with the stripes proving his athletic prowess back in the 50s. Even to a sentimentalist like Min, there's a limit to the nostalgia generated by a faded, holey remnant over 40 years old. She discarded it.

Later, as she fondly fingered the half finished yarn project that was to have been a rug for her daughter at college, Min thought maybe she'd still finish it. Never mind that her daughter graduated in '84 and now lives with her husband in a lovely house with wall-to-wall carpeting.

By the end of the day, when she finally completed the last closet, Min was exhausted, but understandably proud of the 3 trash bags full of stuff that she was finally getting rid of.

Unfortunately, what she had stuffed back into the closets could well have filled 10.

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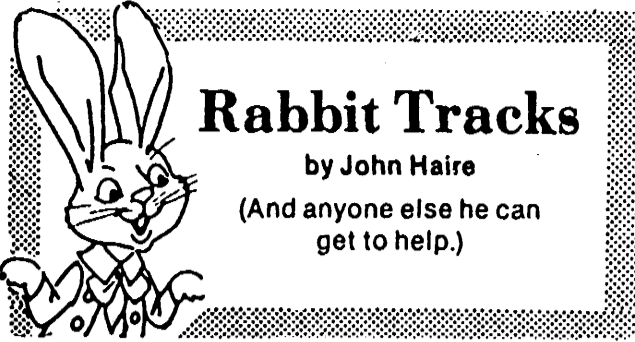
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Rabbit Tracks

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

It's impossible to have better raspberries than those grown by the Konrad Konwalskis. I gorged on about a quart and a half of them given to me by Mrs. Konwalski and every one was as big around as my thumb. Delicious.
Green string beans aren't that readily available in stores, but the Haires always were taken care of by the generosity of the Ken Martins. This year is no exception except that fresh garden peas were added. Ymm, good.

In the GTE prediction booklet, "2001 Imagine the Possibilities", it's predicted "Nails, rivets and screws will become collectors' items as advanced surface dynamic science enables chemists to create adhesives to replace virtually all current fasteners."

If this comes to pass it will be interesting to see how science solves the problem of removal and replacement of a part after it is repaired.

Although at least 2 businesses in Cass City were without phones Monday, the public relations department of GTE said that the storm that hit the metro Detroit area had no effect on phones in the Cass City exchange.

The number of calls received (44) was routine, GTE says. Major damage was recorded in the Milford-White Lake area and in Oakland County serviced by the Davison exchange.

Cass City fishermen swept the top prizes in a fishing contest held Friday and Saturday in Saginaw Bay.

The team of Rick Doerr, Marv Irrer and Joe Langenburg reared \$946 for catching the largest walleye in the contest. The fish weighed 9.46 pounds and the prize offered was \$1.00 per pound.

There was also a prize of \$500 for the team catching the 5 largest fish. That was won by Brian Kelly and Wally Masten, both of Cass City.

The Weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Tuesday	86	66	0
Wednesday	84	65	.19"
Thursday	85	60	.02"
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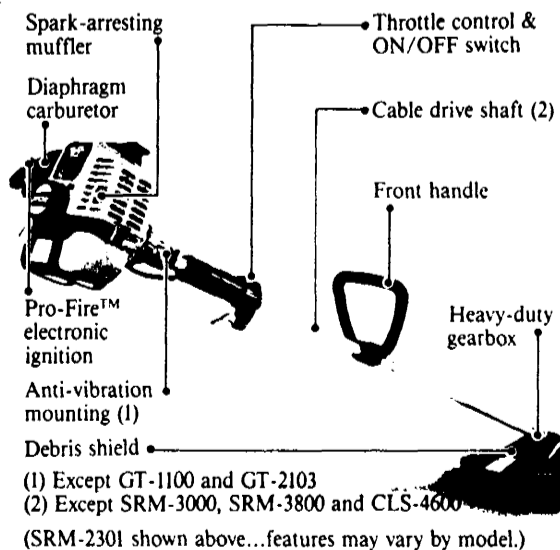
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FROGGIN' AROUND — This tree frog found both camouflage and a shady place to rest in the whorls of a corn stalk. The amphibian was sighted last week in a patch of sweet corn just west of Cass City.



A year ago while visiting the Aspen, Colorado, ski area a native I bumped into told me that he lived about 25 miles away and worked in town. He had lived much of his life in Aspen but skyrocketing land values increased taxes so high that he was forced to sell out and move.

On the other hand it's sure that there are more jobs in Aspen and better wages paid than there would have been if the skiing explosion had never occurred.

It's the same old story, pitting a rustic, wanted life-style against the economic impact that changed it. It's no contest, commercialization always wins.

I was reminded of this by what's happening in Boyne City, Mich. I go back 50 years or more in that community. More than that if you consider it was the town I was born in, but moved from after a year or so.

I can remember it like it was. Nestled on the eastern shore of Lake Charlevoix it was a quiet, sleepy town with modest vacation homes scattered along the lake front.

The city owned probably a half mile or more of frontage and it was so lightly regarded that about a half block was sold to Bendix to build a factory. Guessing, maybe that was 25 years ago. This year Allied-Signal, which took over Bendix, closed the plant and invaluable waterfront property is fronted by an empty building.

Where there was nothing a few short years ago, huge condominiums now have risen and Boyne City, awash in tax money, is building roads, tearing down bridges and generally making the town more like any bustling business community. In the last decade or so the trend has accelerated, much to the joy of the commercial fraternity.

Inevitably, the skyrocketing land values around the water have caused problems for folks who have had homes there for years. More and more of them have sold and modest homes have been replaced by up-scale and sometimes palatial homes.

Persons willing and able to pay up to \$2,500 a front-foot for land on the lake will have accommodations to match. Several former cottages have been razed and rebuilt and everywhere you turn expansion and modernization are the norm.

Lost in this economic boom is the friendly informal atmosphere that prevailed when a stranger in town was cause for comment.

There are advantages. The town has excellent groceries, open day and night. Fast food chains are rumored to be on the way and gourmet restaurants are already in operation.

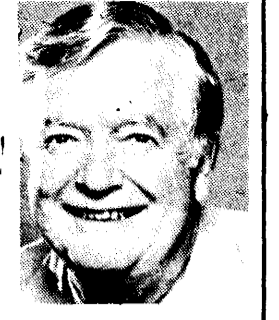
Still, if it were possible I'd revert to the days when the newspaper came from downstate about at noon and a now-closed newsstand was manned by the same people for over 60 years.

You knew them and they knew you and the no trespassing signs were few and far between.

"If It Fitz...."

Old-timer?

By Jim Fitzgerald



It was an ugly scene in downtown Detroit, but no one videotaped it. It wasn't repeatedly shown on television, so I'm the only one angry about what happened to me while I was walking through Greektown. Police Chief Stanley Knox probably won't invite me to walk with him.

It was around 9:30 on a Thursday morning. There were many pedestrians nearby, and several cars moving slowly along Monroe Street. The incident took only a couple of seconds and when it was over I looked around, still stunned, to see whether anyone had seen what happened, or overheard what was yelled at me.

No one seemed a bit concerned. A policeman, only a few feet away, had to have witnessed what happened. But he made no move to come to my aid. In fact, he was smiling slightly, as though it were a joke.

But there was nothing funny about the large, rather disheveled man who had approached me from the rear, walking swiftly, and, to get my attention, hollered: "HEY, OLD-TIMER...." Old-timer?

PAID UP FOR '91

I have never before in my life been called old-timer. Sure, I sometimes call myself an old poop, but I'm kidding, and I know I'm kidding, and I know I know I'm kidding. I'm not really old. I don't look old. I don't move old. I may saunter rather than stride, but I do it with a youthful insouciance that is surely obvious to the most disinterested observer.

So who was this man and why was he saying I looked like Gabby Hayes? He asked whether I could help him. My first stabbing thought was that he was a gerontologist making a business survey for a group of morticians. But then he said he needed money for food, and I realized he was a panhandler.

I have nothing against helping panhandlers, but I'm paid up for 1991. Early this year, when my wife and I marked yet one more wedding anniversary, she insisted that absolutely no gifts be exchanged, because we were all out of closet space. In a fit of whimsy, I slipped the money saved - \$50 - to the nearest panhandler. Later, over a candlelight dinner in a drive-thru restaurant, I told my wife she'd helped put a beggar through vocational school.

So I wouldn't have given the Greektown panhandler money even if he hadn't grievously hurt my feelings. But I would have given him a smile and my best I-don't-have-a-cent-on-me shrug. I wouldn't have been tempted to kick his shins. I wouldn't have looked around for a cop or anyone else to assure me I didn't look like an old-timer.

PARABLE DOESN'T MAKE LIGHT

I suspect ageism was involved. He was a young panhandler, probably twenty-something. But that doesn't mean I think all young panhandlers are ageists. It doesn't mean I'll never go downtown again for fear of being called an old-timer.

Also, this strained parable in no way means I'm making light of what happened to those 2 suburban women who ventured into downtown Detroit for the fireworks and were beaten up while a video camera recorded the action for a week's worth of 4, 5, 6, 7 and 11 o'clock super-hyped news posterity. The violent idiots responsible for that outrage deserve severe punishment.

But be real. Hundreds of thousands of people enjoy the fireworks every year, without a sniff of criminal incident. It's ridiculous to suggest that, because of 2 videotaped muggings, everyone should be afraid to come downtown.

And it's incidental - not to mention redundant - to speculate on whether the motive was racial or only stupid. The important point is that, no matter the race of victims and criminals, decent people of all races are dismayed and disgusted by the crimes.

To argue otherwise is as wrong-headed as saying everyone should stay away from downtown Birmingham because a white man pointed a shotgun at a black youth just for being there.

I've worked, lived and walked in downtown Detroit every day for the past 15 years, and the worst thing that happened was a cruel panhandler called me old-timer. Not that I'll ever forget it, by God.

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The regularly scheduled meeting of the
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Among issues to be discussed will be an application for a special land use permit for land owned by Thomas Herron located in Section 28 of Elkland Township

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O-G approves \$25,442 roof project

Owen-Gage School officials will spend \$25,442 this year for roof repairs at Gagetown Elementary School.

The decision was approved during the Board of Education's monthly meeting Monday night, when a contract for the work was awarded to a Mayville firm.

The work, slated to begin as soon as possible, will be done by Lynch Insulation, one of 4

builders to submit bids for the project, which will involve re-covering some 11,074 square feet of classroom area at the school.

The Lynch bid was one of 2 to offer a Duro-Last membrane roof covering; the other builder was Becker Insulation and Roofing Contractors, Fairgrove, whose bid totaled \$27,118. Other bidders were Thomas Roofing, Cass City, which submitted a

bid of \$24,710 for a different type of membrane roof, and Gregory Construction, Bay City, which submitted a bid of \$62,703 for a "build-up" roof.

School Supt. Harley Kirby recommended that the board approve one of the bids offering the Duro-Last materials. Members of the board's roof project committee agreed.

Kirby, who noted the existing Gagetown Elementary roof is about 15 years old, pointed out that the expected lifetime of a membrane roof is 15 years, only 5 years less than the lifetime of a "build-up" roof, which costs more than twice as much.

The project will be paid for in part with \$10,000 earmarked for capital outlay expenditures in the school's 1991-92 budget, according to

the superintendent, who said the remaining \$15,442 will come out of the district's fund balance.

In other business during the 2 3/4-hour regular session, the board voted to ask the Cass City Board of Education to consider an agreement in which the 2 districts would permanently "swap" 2 transfer students each.

Kirby explained that requests have been made to allow 2 children living in the Owen-Gage District to attend Cass City Schools, and to allow 2 children living in the Cass City District to attend Owen-Gage Schools.

Board members indicated agreement, and Trustee Jack Brinkman suggested that the arrangement be permanent, allowing the students involved to attend the schools of their choice through graduation.

Also Monday, the board: •Met in executive session for 70 minutes to discuss negotiations with the Tri-County Bargaining Association regarding a contract for the district's developmental preschool director.

•Briefly outlined progress in the district's search for a full-time high school principal.

It was decided the district will accept applications for the post until July 29. The applications will then be reviewed by Kirby and a board committee, which will make a recommendation at the board's Aug. 12 monthly meeting.

•Approved a resolution to join the Michigan High

School Athletic Association for the 1991-92 school year.

REORGANIZATION

Prior to Monday's regular meeting, the board held its annual re-organizational session, which included the election of a new board president for the 1991-92 school year.

Trustee William Kretzschmer, who served as president in 1989-90, was elected to return to the post this year. He replaces

former long-time board treasurer Jack Brinkman, who was elected to serve as vice-secretary Monday.

Ron Good, Tom Fritz and Walt Swiastyn were re-elected as vice-president, secretary and treasurer, respectively, and Rick Zichm was elected vice-treasurer.

Also, the board voted to continue meeting on the second Monday of each month, alternating between the high school and elementary school buildings. All regular meetings in the 1991-92 school year will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Your neighbor says

Would like to see farming equipment

If crowds determined the success of the 13th annual Freedom Festival, the 3-day celebration was surely a hit.

Main Street was packed with parade spectators. People strained their necks and pointed as they watched parachutist Alvin Burk land in the intersection of Main and Seeger streets. The smell of grilled foods and sounds of laughing children filled the air.

Your Neighbor, Doyle Spencer, said the festival is something he tries not to miss. "I try to go every year," said the Cass City resident of 35 years.

Spencer said he visited the arts and crafts display as well as the outdoor flea market area. He also watched part of Saturday's truck and tractor pull in the north area of the Cass City Recreational Park.

One display Spencer said he would have liked to have seen was a display area of new farming equipment.

"I grew up on a farm, and I like to look at those machines," he explained.

The retired Flint Buick plant employee resides on Kelly Road. The father of 4 said he likes to spend some free time working in his vegetable garden.



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Tuscola County commissioner dead at 73

Tuscola County Commissioner Arnold F. Krumnauer Sr., 73, Vassar, died at his home Sunday night following a lengthy battle with stomach cancer.

A lifelong farmer in the Reese and Vassar areas, Krumnauer began his second term as the commissioner representing District 3—Gilford, Fairgrove, Denmark and Juniata townships—in January.

The Thumb native was a driving force behind the implementation of Tuscola County's new computerized, county-wide tax system.

In addition, he was active in a host of other county affairs, serving as a member of the Tuscola County Mental Health Board for 23 years and the Tuscola County Intermediate School Board

for 23 years. He was also active in the Tuscola County Retarded People's Association and the Watrousville Historical Society, and served on various local and state agricultural committees for 35 years.

Krumnauer was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church, Reese, where he had served as chairman of the congregation as well as being a member of various church committees.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara, and the couple's 3 sons and their families, all of Vassar.

Funeral services were scheduled for today (Wednesday) at 11 a.m. at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Reese, with the Rev. David C. Meckes officiating. Burial is to be in Trinity Lutheran Cemetery.

Ag Expo set July 16-18 at Michigan State

Hundreds of equipment manufacturers and farm supplies dealers and 3 days of field demonstrations -- that's Ag Expo, July 16-18 at Michigan State University.

Ag Expo's main exhibition site will be open daily beginning at 9 a.m., and the field events will begin at 10 a.m. each day. All of Ag Expo's activities, parking and transportation shuttles are free.

"We think Ag Expo blends well with farmers' interest in reducing production costs without reducing yield," says Bill Bickert, director of Ag Expo.

He believes that the key to more economical farming is the development of a system that will enable a farm to operate almost indefinitely. And he says that farmers won't find a better place than Ag Expo to begin to put such a system together.

"Manufacturers of farm equipment and supplies from 22 states and Canada will be here, along with MSU agricultural specialists, to help farmers develop plans for the future," Bickert says. "Even our field demonstrations, which this year are about seedbed preparation and secondary tillage, are intended to help contribute to an enduring farm operation."

Bickert says that Ag Expo is the only place in Michigan where farmers can compare as wide a range of equipment, supplies and services.

"Nowadays, farmers think more in terms of how major purchases will contribute to the efficiency and profitability of their operations," he says. "Not only do they want to examine the potential purchase firsthand, but they also want to see comparable items. The advantage of coming to Ag Expo is that farmers can make many comparisons at one location instead of spending time and money traveling from dealer to dealer."

Expo's main exhibition site consists of 35 acres that

will contain displays by about 350 exhibitors. Approximately 20 university departments -- from Crop and Soil Sciences to Human Medicine -- will also have educational demonstrations and displays.

The field demonstrations will cover more than 40 acres and will focus on cutting costs and preventing bottlenecks from occurring during spring planting.

The equipment lineup to be demonstrated will enable farmers to make comparisons between tillage equipment that will operate on conventionally prepared seedbeds and equipment for seeding through heavy crop residue.

The field demonstration site will consist of 3 concurrent tillage and seedbed preparation activities and an educational tent, where MSU agronomists will discuss reduced tillage practices and crop insect, weed and disease control.

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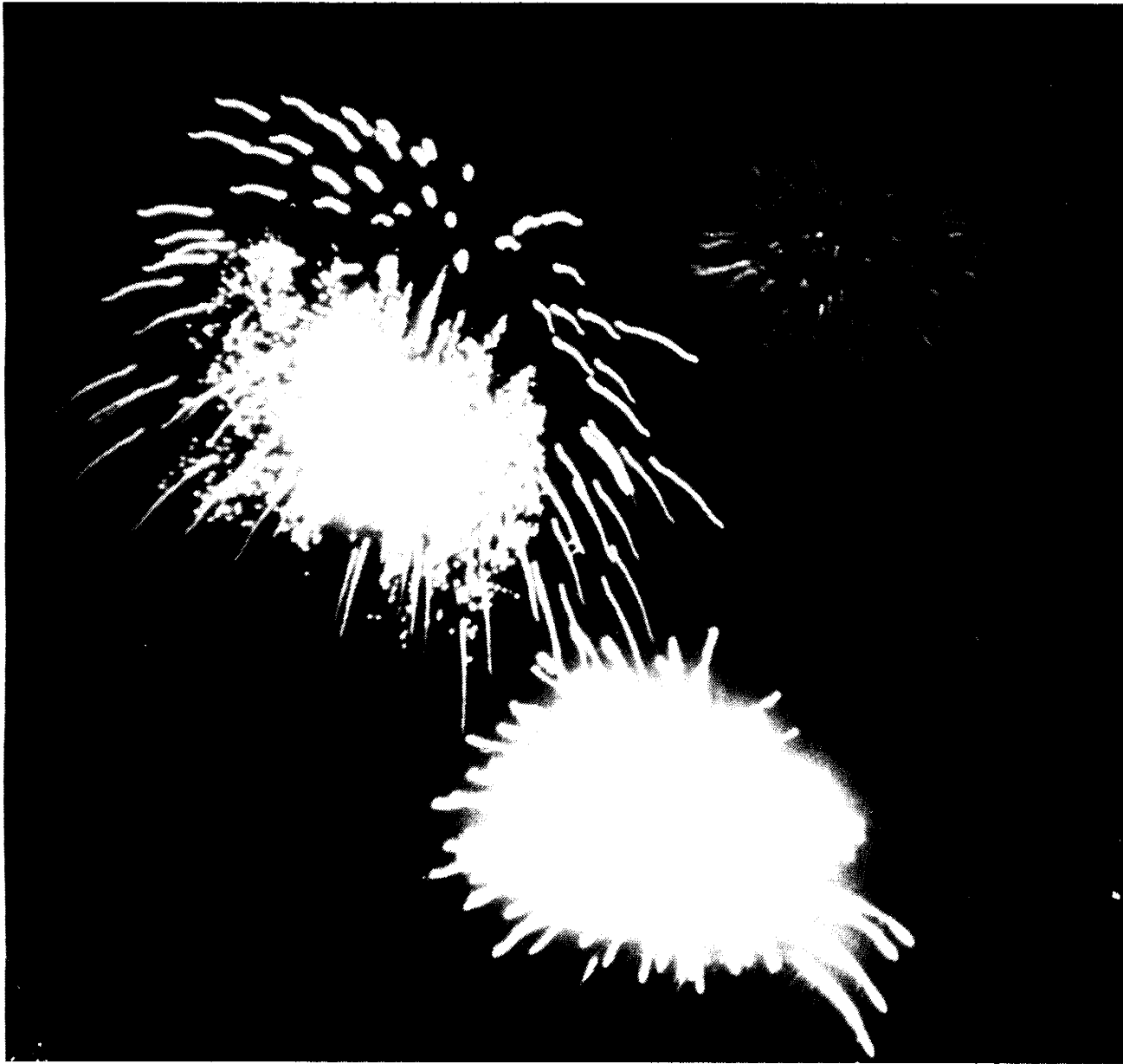
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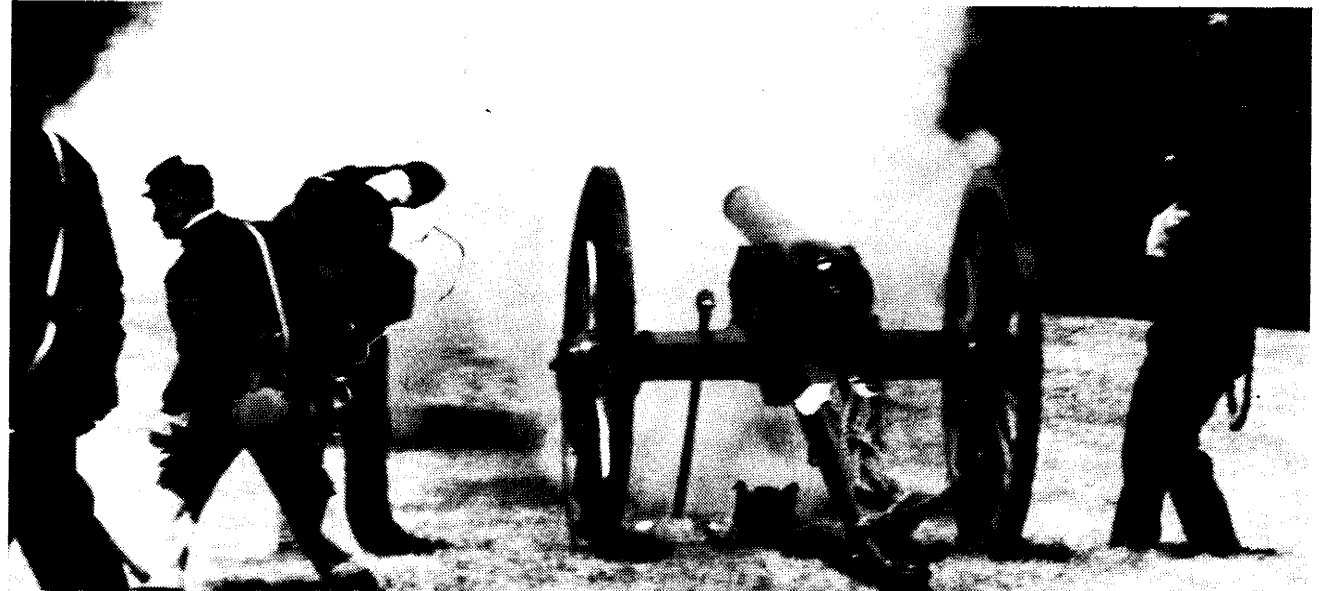
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LIGHTING UP THE SKY — fireworks again proved to be a favorite highlight of Cass City's Freedom Festival. Crowds packed into the village's recreational park Saturday night for the annual display.



JOE HUMPERT WON the stock pickup class during Saturday's truck and tractor pull. Above, the Fairgrove resident's pickup digs in against the weight of the "Humiliator."



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4 arraigned in Tuscola district court

Four persons were arraigned on various charges last Wednesday in Tuscola County District Court.

A pair of Caro men face charges of unlawfully driving away a 1990 Chevrolet Camaro belonging to Sandra G. Freeman May 27 in Wells Township.

The defendants are Michael K. Hobson, 19, and Kirk R. Setla, 18, according to court records, which state Setla also faces one count of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor.

Preliminary examinations for the pair were scheduled for 9 a.m. Friday. Bond was set at \$2,000 each.

Also last week, James J. Post, 34, Vassar, was arraigned on charges of malicious destruction of a building over \$100 and assault and battery.

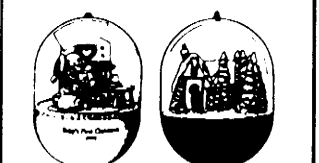
Court records state Post allegedly damaged a building at 215 Plumb St. in Vassar and assaulted Doris Kullman June 18.

Bond was set at \$4,000 for the defendant, whose preliminary exam will be held Friday.

Columbiaville resident Judy L. Schiefer, 41, faces a charge of using a forged motor vehicle certificate of title Dec. 18 in Vassar Township.

Her preliminary exam also is slated for Friday. Bond has been set at \$4,000.

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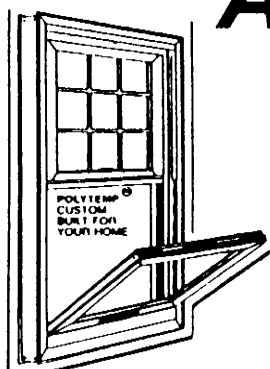
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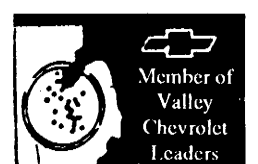
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CRUISIN' — Cass City's Main Street roared with the engines of a variety of classic autos during Cruising Night Friday.



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KRISTEN JONES TOOK advantage of the face painting offered at the Hills & Dales tent in the park. Kristen is the 8-year-old daughter of Sue and Bob Jones of Kingston.



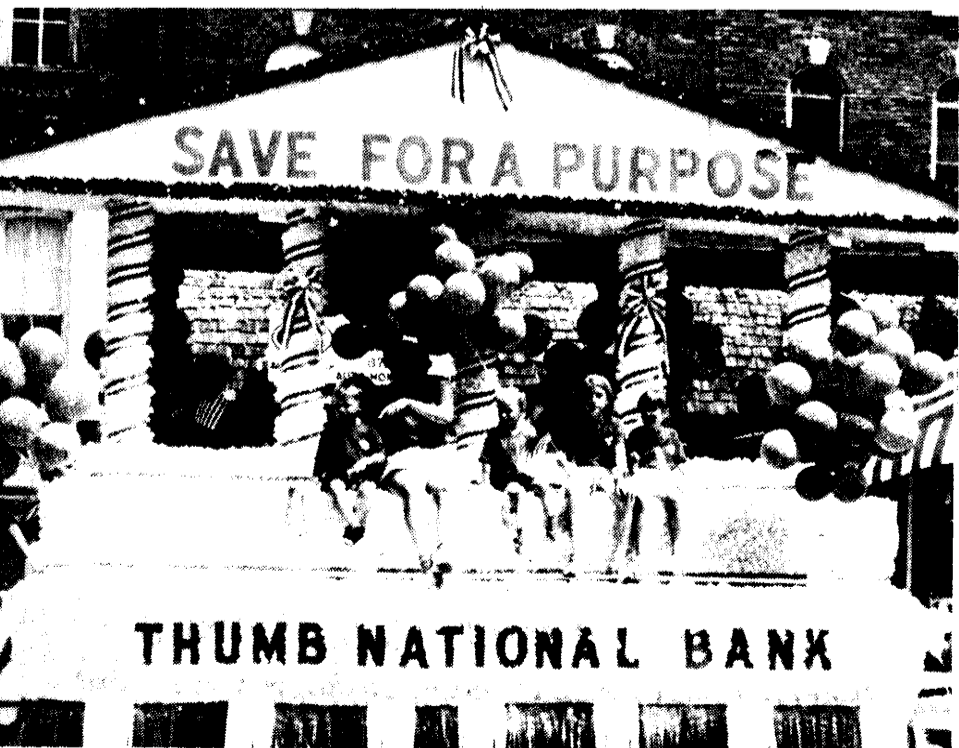
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July 4 Fest draws crowds

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Lincoln visited Fort Stevens, near Washington, D.C. The reenactors portrayed the Confederate Army attacking the Union fort, which was fortified with large cannons called parrot rifles.

Reenactors included members from the 5th Texas Confederate Infantry, Battery D from the 1st Michigan Light Artillery, the 3rd and 16th Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

Pinconning resident Lance Mack played the costumed role of Lincoln and addressed the more than 200 fest-goers who gathered to watch the skirmish.

"Our reliance is on the love of liberty which God has placed in our bosoms," he said of the North and South's conflicting definitions of freedom.

"In 1776 our nation was made, not of men but of law. And so shall it be today and for all time. Let us do our duty as we define it."

Congressional Medal of Honor recipient Lt. Col. Matt Urban spoke after the reenactment. A World War II veteran, Urban is one of the most highly battle-decorated soldiers, with 29 awards including 7 purple hearts.

The first Congressional Medal of Honor was awarded during the Civil War. Urban, who was wounded in the neck and never expected to talk again, gave the audience some timeless advice.

"Live for the future and never give up - try, try, try," Urban said.

"It's up to the young and old alike to live for the future," he added.

Urban also spoke of honoring America's veterans.

"These men - the blood, sweat, Prisoners of War, Missing in Action - are not in vain. They have established a legacy for the generations to come envied throughout the world...a legacy of freedom."



PARACHUTIST ALVIN Burk thrilled young and old alike as he landed on Main Street prior to Saturday's annual parade. Burk repeated the performance later the same day, landing in Cass City Recreational Park.

\$25,000 damage in hotel blaze

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lounge, however, sustained minor damage.

The adjoining Gilligan's also sustained only minor smoke damage and reopened for business last week.

Owner Tom Meismer said he hasn't decided how he will proceed with repairs at the west end of the inn, but indicated major renovation would be needed to restore that portion of the building.

Meismer lauded the efforts of fire fighters as well as the bartender on duty that morning, Rick Kerka, and 8 or 9 customers who acted quickly and evacuated the building.

Root also lauded firemen, saying the cooperation and teamwork among departments from Cass City, Caro, Kingston, Gageton, Akron and Fairgrove made all the difference.

"This one could have been bad," he remarked. "The people of Tuscola County can be proud of their fire fighters; they did one hell of a job. I can't praise them enough."

GRASS FIRE

Elkland firemen were wrapping up the early morning downtown fire when their personal papers sounded the day's second blaze.

Members of the crew, many of whom had not slept or eaten a full meal since the previous evening, rushed to a 6-acre grass fire near a Little Road residence, about 5 1/2 miles southwest of Cass City.

Homeowner Virginia Harper said she called for help after looking out her kitchen window to see almost the entire field behind the house on fire.

"I have no idea how it started," Harper said. "I was baby-sitting my grandson inside the house and heard a crackling noise - I knew I could never put it out myself."

It took firemen nearly 2 hours to contain the blaze, which was fed by dry undergrowth and northeasterly winds. The crew's inability to drive the large pumper trucks into the middle and far sections of the fire also hindered the effort.

Fighting the grass fire in the 85-degree heat took its toll. "We're coming up to get out of the sun...Some of our guys are just whipped," was a muffled reply over the team's radio.

"We're lucky we didn't lose anyone to heat exhaustion while fighting the building fire or this one," Root said. "Our uniform with tank weighs about 70 pounds—that's an awful lot to go running through a fire with."

Department of Natural Resources officials arrived at the scene after the blaze was extinguished to dig a trench around the fire area. No injuries were reported.

Curriculum returns to school

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more than made up for the cost of the loan by placing the money in a savings account at a higher interest rate until needed for operating.

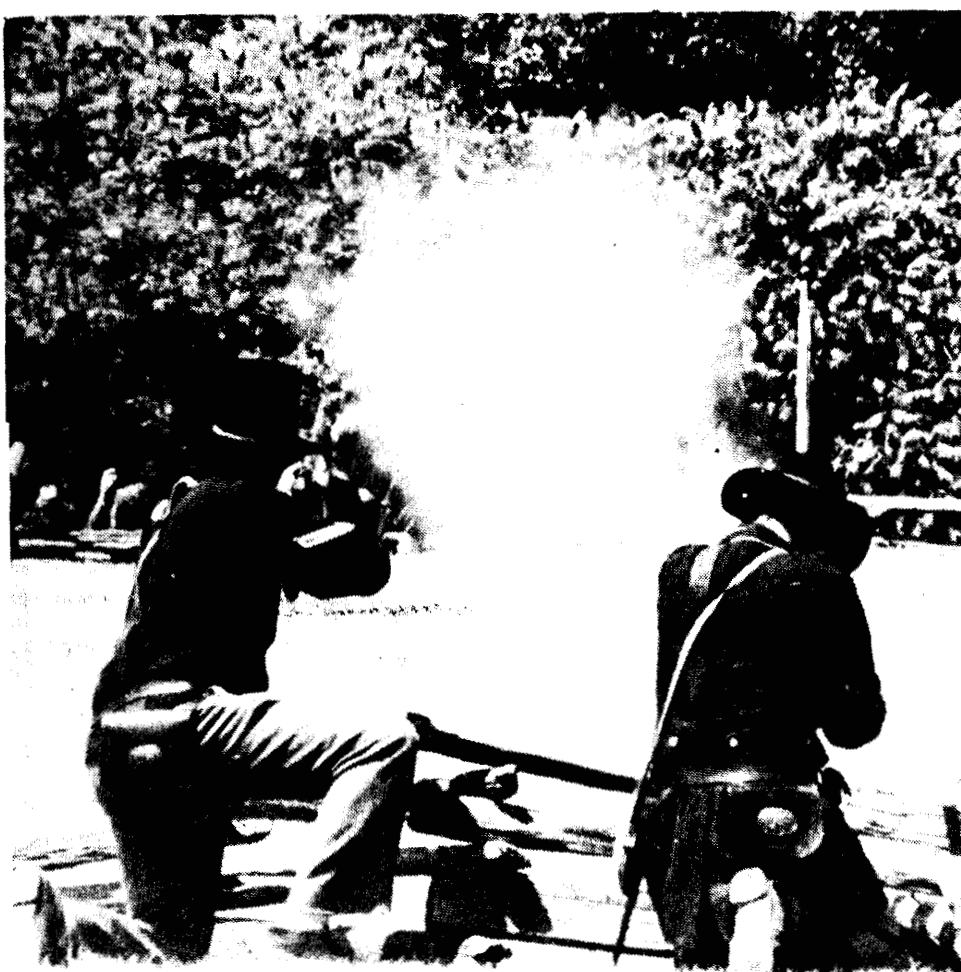
Banks approved for investment of funds remain the same and include Chemical Bank-Bay Area, Thumb National Bank, Citizen's Commercial and Savings Bank, Flint, and Second National Bank of Saginaw. The school is investigating the Michigan School District Liquid Asset Fund Plus and it may be added later.

OTHER BUSINESS

Student transfers were again considered by the board. Jim Dorland was given permission to have his 2 children attend Caro Community Schools, where they attended last year.

A request by Kenneth and Deb Haag to have their 2 children attend Owen-Gage Schools was approved with reservations.

The children will be allowed to transfer if Owen-Gage officials approve a transfer of the 2 children of Lois Nast from Owen-Gage to Cass City.



A UNION SOLDIER fires while another re-loads during Sunday's re-enactment of a skirmish in 1864 in which Confederate troops fired on Fort Stevens, located near Washington, D.C. President Abraham Lincoln was visiting the fort when the fighting broke out.

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WALT LANGLEY (left with Doc) and his son, Kevin (with Dolly) work the horses at least 6 hours in the fields every day except Sunday. The team placed second in state competition in the 3,300 and under weight division June 26.



WALT LANGLEY AFFECTIONATELY pats Dolly, one-half of his prize-winning draft horse team. "She's got it in her head to pull," he said of the speckled Belgian mare.

Doc and Dolly

Langley says his Belgians can pull with the best of them

It's been 15 years since Walt Langley has owned a team that could quench his thirst of winning. This season he's depending on Doc and Dolly to "pull through."

A lifetime owner of draft horses, Langley's Belgian team took second place in state competition June 16 in Ithaca for the "lightweight" 3,300 pounds and under class pulling on the dynamometer.

A dynamometer is a device mounted on a truck bed which controls a set weight and measures the animals' mechanical power. Contests are based on weight elimination, with each team required to pull the set weight 27 1/2 feet to qualify for the next weight class.

Although the event is not timed, Langley said a dynamometer is designed to mechanically make the load more difficult for the team to pull if the horses move slowly.

The Cass City area team was knocked into second place after his horses pulled 3,600 pounds 17 feet and 8 inches. Langley's competitor won first-place on his third and final attempt by pulling the load 2 feet more. Langley took home \$190, a

second place ribbon and the desire "to get them next time."

A long-time member of the Michigan Dynamometer Association and the Thumb Draft Horse Association, Langley considers his animals his "hobby and relaxation," even though he treats the sport as seriously as some people treat their careers.

HARD WORKERS

Beginning in May, Walter or his son, Kevin, are training the horses in the fields from 6 a.m. to 12 p.m., every day except Sunday, rain or shine.

"People will drive by and see us bundled up with scarfs wrapped around our heads in the snow or rain," said Kevin, 25 years old. "But it's got to be done."

To exercise the 1,650 pound beasts, Walt has the team pull a wagon loaded with 2,000 lbs. of cement up a slow incline on his property near Hartsell Road, 6 miles north of Cass City. He also has Doc and Dolly pull 8,000 pounds of cement once or twice on a "boat" which resembles a sled with

runners.

"The winter is their vacation and even though we cut their feeding rations almost in half, they still gain about 150 pounds," Walt said. "But we jump right into working them hard in the spring and in no time the fat disappears and leaves rock-hard muscle."

The team, which stands about 16 or 17 hands high each, compete in the "lightweight" horse pulling divisions, with "heavyweight" draft horses weighing up to 2 tons each.

Walt said people shouldn't be fooled by the label of his horses' category - Doc and Dolly can pull with the best.

"They can pull 3,600 pounds, a heavy load for their size," he boasted. That weight on a dynamometer is comparative to the team pulling a 9-bottom plow through 6 inches of deep stubble ground.

HELLO DOLLY

That this is Doc and Dolly's first season pulling as a team especially pleases Walt.

"You go through and buy a lot of horses in order to weed out the ones you want to keep," he said. "Sometimes you will spend thousands of

dollars on an animal that doesn't meet your expectations.

"But as soon as I put these two together, they were matched and traveled well."

Walt said he purchases his horses from Max Ledyard, a dealer in Camden, Mich. Walt said Ledyard "has an eye for good horseflesh" and knows to set aside draft horses from the other animals, which he sells for riding or to the Japanese for food.

Although Doc, a gelding, may be slightly stronger than the mare and carry more weight during competition pulls, Dolly's determination and spirit are Walt's pride and joy.

"She's got it in her head to pull," he said. "We can work her in the fields and she gets so bored that she almost falls asleep, but when we compete, her head goes up and she gives it all she's got."

Walt said he spotted Dolly's abilities from the moment he saw her.

"I usually like to buy my horses 'green' - never having been pulled before - so I can train them to respond to my personal commands," Walt explained. "But as soon as I saw her, I knew she was the one."

TOP NOTCH

To keep the horses in prime physical condition, Walt said he feeds them 4 gallons of top quality grain and half a bale of hay daily, several vitamins, and has a veterinarian administer muscle-building steroids. The animals' hooves also are trimmed short and shod to allow more traction for faster pulling.

The Langleys plan on participating in about 33 pulling events around the state during the pulling season, which ends in October. Kevin began driving the team during competitions 2 years ago, but Walt still oversees much of the animals' training. Their next area pull is in Vassar on July 11.

Although the schedule seems grueling, Walt said he loves his horses and refuses to ever whip one.

"And I've never ate horse and don't ever intend to try it," he added.

Despite the hard workouts, Walt admits he somewhat spoils his Belgians.

"I play country western music for them in the barn 24 hours a day and a first place blue ribbon will get them 5 or 6 sugar cubes each."

Elmwood Sewing Circle awards 2 scholarships

The Elmwood Sewing Circle awarded 2 area recent graduates \$100 scholarships each for the college of their choice.

This is the third year the 18-member group has financially helped first-semester college students, said Adeline Butler, group secretary.

The sewing circle contacted the principals of Cass City and Owen-Gage high schools regarding the selection. The scholarships were awarded on the basis of grade point averages and scholastic achievement.

Angie Hennessey, a Cass City High School graduate, will begin attending Michigan State University, Lansing, in August. The 18-year-old said she will pursue a business management degree. The daughter of Linda Barrons and Bill

Hennessey, Angie is currently employed at the Chemical Bank Service Center as a bookkeeper and receptionist.

Connie Miller was the 1991 Owen-Gage graduate scholarship winner.

Rutkoski is on honor roll

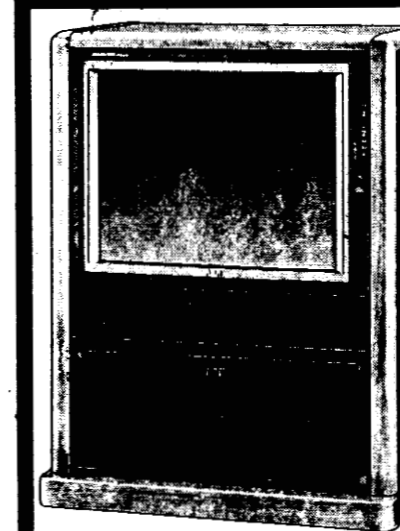
Timothy J. Rutkoski, Cass City, maintained his status as an honor roll student throughout his freshman year at Michigan State University.

A sophomore, he is considering a career in the medical field and is enrolled in pre-med classes.

A 1990 graduate of Cass City High School, Rutkoski is the son of Herb and Kay Rutkoski of Cass City.



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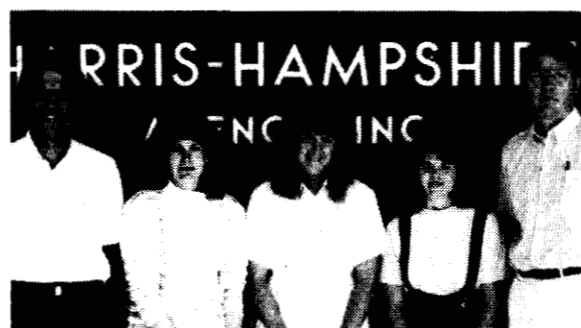
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New Hawk cage mentor no stranger in Cass City

By the end of summer Cass City High School's new basketball coach will no longer be a stranger to athletes interested in playing basketball for the Red Hawks. He already is well known to long-time followers of the program at the school.

Jeff Hartel, 30, is a 1978 graduate of Cass City High School and he was a 3-year regular on the school's championship teams of the

Hartel asks that all boys interested in playing basketball attend sessions scheduled next week, July 15-19. Students in grades 9 and 10 will meet from 8 to 10 a.m. and students in grades 11 and 12 from 10 a.m. to noon. Players not able to attend are asked to call Hartel at 872-3514.

He played under departing

coach Ron Nurnberger and says that he will continue the tradition that Nurnberger started. Cass City has a first class program and too many changes shouldn't be necessary, Hartel feels.

The young coach comes back to his home town as a veteran mentor. His career started in Cass City when he was freshman boys' coach for 3 years and girls' junior varsity coach for a year. After earning his teaching

degree, he was hired at Forest Hills Northern, a school in the Grand Rapids suburbs with a high school enrollment of about 680. Cass City has about 430 in the high school.

At Northern he served a year as the varsity assistant and 2 years as coach. His varsity team was 1-19 the first year and 8-13 the second, with a 7-7 record in league play. Hartel also served as freshman football and baseball junior varsity coach at the school.

Hartel and his wife, Ann, have 2 children, Rebecca, 6, and Brad, 2.

Softball benefit game set

The fourth annual "Toys-for-Tots" benefit softball game is slated Saturday, July 20, at Cass City Recreational Park at 7:00 p.m. The staff from the Thumb Area Consortium plays the staff of Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola County Department of Social Services.

The event benefits the "Toys-For-Tots" charity. Admission to the game is free, however donations of an unwrapped new toy or small cash contribution at the game is appreciated. All game proceeds of toys and cash contributions are used within Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties to provide toys for needy children at Christmas time.

Individuals or groups who cannot attend the ball game but wish to make a toy or cash donation should call Jerome Lewis at the Consortium Office in Marlette, 517/635-3561, for more information.



Jeff Hartel

Ugly homecoming plans complete

Live entertainment and a large variety of events promise to make for a successful 1991 Ugly Homecoming celebration on July 12-14.

An evening tractor pull on Friday will open the weekend festivities. Food and beverages will be available at concession stands in the Veterans Memorial Park 6 m.

Saturday has a long line-up with volleyball tournaments beginning at 9 a.m., followed by the kids' parade and games in the afternoon. Marc LeJarret, a "folk magician" will delight crowds by weaving myths and folk lore with magic while appearing in traditional dress. Sponsored by the Sleeper Public Library, the free presentation starts at 12:30 p.m. in the park and will last about 45 minutes.

The Zurek-Graham Veterans of Foreign Wars post is bringing back Ugly's famous Ox Roast sandwiches on Saturday evening. The truck and tractor pull will

continue Saturday night.

The Grande Parade is scheduled for 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, with antique automobiles being judged at 3 p.m. A 2-cylinder tractor club's tractor display, pony pulling, arts and crafts fair and day-long volleyball tournament will round out the weekend.

For more information look for flyers in your local businesses or call Marshel Osen-toski at 658-2262.

Chip Shots	
FLIGHT 1	John Haire 17
Ken Zdrojewski 131	Bob Stickle 101
Randy Sherman 122	John Agar 96
Dale McIntosh 120	Don Erla 96
Billy Coston 116	Anton Peters 93
Jerry Toner 112	Phil Moses 90
Don Ouvry 111	Wes Neumann 90
Elwyn Helwig 110	Doug O'Dell 95
Bill Kritzman 107	Tom Wallace 87
John Maharg 103	Clate Sawdon 86
Mark Swanson 101	Jerry Lackowski 82
Kevin Vincent 100	Rick Doerr 76
Clarke Haire 98	Gary Jones 7
Don Hilbig 97	
Mike Murphy 97	FLIGHT 4
Dave Hoard 93	Dave Weeks 120
Jason McCallum 88	Jack Burns 118
Jim Apley 85	Jon Zdrojewski 118
Jack Burns 69	Craig Bellew 114
John Neumann 65	Bert Althaver 113
Newell Harris 57	Tom Schweigel 112
	Don Hazard 111
FLIGHT 2	Eric King 106
Gene Kloc 133	Jim Bolton 102
Dan Dickinson 122	Gary Robinson 101
Dick Haley 108	Jim Ceranski 96
Todd Comment 107	Ken Jensen 90
Jack Hool 107	John Niebrzydowski 90
Jim Smithson 107	Ed Miles 90
Rich Tate 105	J.R. Boldizar 89
Jim Peyer 103	Pat Essian 87
Fred Leeson 102	Paul Bessler 84
Russ Biefer 100	Paul Ewald 69
Jerry Houghton 99	Kevin Green 66
Dick Wallace 97	Bob Bredemeyer 65
Dennis Krug 93	
Dan Hittler 93	LEAGUE HONOR ROLL
Brian Reinhardt 91	
Ernie Bellew 89	Low Actual Round for
Scott Murphy 80	Year - John Maharg and
Kim Glaspie 79	Don Oury - 35.
George Bushong 75	
Clark Erla 50	WEEKLY
	Flight 1 - Don Ouvry - 35.
FLIGHT 3	Flight 2 - Dan Dickinson
Mike Becking 123	and Rich Tate - 39.
Mike Neumann 121	Flight 3 - Wayne
Stan Gunther 118	Heckman - 39.
Ken Tiseo 118	Flight 4 - John
Wayne Heckman 115	Niebrzydowski - 44.
Keith Adelberg 112	
Daryl Iwankovitch 111	



MEMBERS OF THE CBF Senior League Division champion Charmont team are (front row, left to right) Ben Schott, Mark Kubacki, Jim Hempton, Kris Repshinska, Richard Kubacki, Matt Anthony, (back row, left) Bill Graham, Paul Murphy, John Phillips, Paul Ulfing, Jason Morgan, Al Prosowski and Manager Ken Schott.

Team in tourney

Charmont league champion

Tuesday the Cass City Charmont team finished its regular season with a win over USA No. 2, 23-4. John Phillips and Al Prosowski combined pitching efforts to pick up the win. Bill Graham led the Charmont hitters with 3 hits. Charmont finished on top of the

Senior League Division with a 15-1 record.

Cass City will now enter a Little League sanctioned district tournament at Saginaw North complex. Cass City will be in the Senior division and will meet Midland Association Wednesday, July 10, at 6:30

p.m. The tournament is double elimination with 14 teams entered.

Cass City's team will consist of regular season players on the Charmont team plus the addition of Tavis Osentoski, Brian Graichen and coach Scott Dillon.

High fish mortality anticipated

Michigan anglers are liable to see an unusually high seasonal fish mortality as a result of unseasonably warm weather, according to fisheries biologists from the Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

"When the temperature rises this rapidly, it automatically has an impact on the fish," explained Chief John Robertson of the Fisheries Division. "No one should be alarmed at this naturally occurring phenomena, and overall, while the losses will be higher than normal, we do not expect any significant impact to the fishery."

Daytime temperatures rising into the upper 80 and low 90 degree range in southern lower Michigan in recent days has led to a fast warming of inland lake waters.

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Holbrook Area News

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Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hosner, Cindy and Rick of Warner Robbins, GA, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Rickett of Redford, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Doerr, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff boarded the Amtrak Train at Lapeer Friday and traveled Toronto, Canada to spend the weekend.

Mrs. Dale Hind was a Wednesday forenoon guest and Reva Silver was a Wednesday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufino Labra and family of Allegan spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tyrrell.

Mrs. Melvin Particka and Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mrs. Hiram Keyser Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick in Cass City and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Sofka and Krysten were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka.

A.J. Batie and Ray Depcinski were Wednesday evening guests of Don Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter VanToll were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hind and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie, Beth, Rob and Ryan were Thursday guests of Loraine Hoxie in West Bloomfield Hills in honor of Loraine Hoxie's birthday.

Mrs. Martin Sweeney visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester in Cass City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stir-

rett of Bad Axe were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Steve Masouff of Troy and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bartle and Tom were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Becky and Jill Felmlee were Tuesday and Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka where they were joined on Wednesday by Marty Felmlee and Jennifer.

Melissa, Jason and Jim Jackson and Kathy Martinez were Monday guests of Mrs. George Jackson and Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Mulder of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Marty Chockley of Algonac spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland. Other Saturday evening cookout guests were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Reva Silver was a Tuesday evening guest of Edanna Sweeney.

Justin, Matt and Emily Miller and Annie Horton spent 9 days with Jack Miller at Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Naples of East Detroit were Saturday overnight and Sunday guests of Mrs. Louis Naples and Gwen Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Copeland were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Bernice Gracey and a friend of Dunedin, Florida were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Brent Jackson and a friend from Bad Axe were Tuesday guests of Mrs. George Jackson.

Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Mr. and Mrs. Chuck

Mulder of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Chockley of Algonac, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hosner, Cindy and Rick of Warner Robbins, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills and Reva Silver were Monday guests of Violet Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Goodfellow in Utica.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers at Millington.

Mrs. Glen Shagena visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alex Cleland spent from Tuesday till Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford and was a Friday guest of Blanche Clutz and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cleland and family at Walled Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer attended a golden wedding anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Jack Glaza at Ubyly Fox Hunters Hall Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford spent Wednesday overnight and Thursday at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hosner, Cindy and Rick, of

Warner Robbins, Ga., left Monday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Kathryn Tyrrell attended a birthday party for Cody Collings in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. A VanErp of Harrietta, New York came Thursday evening to spend the 4th of July weekend with Mrs. Fritz VanErp and Edanna Sweeney and David.

Mrs. Ed Vandervennett and granddaughter, Nickie Craig of Canton, spent a few days with Mrs. Louis Naples and Gwen Morris.

Gordon Farrelly of New Baltimore was a Tuesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Donna Barber, George Barber Jr. and Jamie, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curtis, Ursula and Larry spent the 4th of July weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard. Larry Curtis is spending a 30 day leave with his parents after serving in Saudi Arabia He will be stationed in Germany when he returns to duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Werner were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. George Jackson and Don.

Tuscola bean queen candidates sought

The Tuscola County Bean Queen Committee is seeking candidates for the annual contest with the winner being crowned Aug. 1 at the Tuscola County Fair.

All contestants will receive a cash award. The 1991 Bean Queen will win a \$500 savings bond and the chance to win a \$1,000 scholarship at the state contest.

Rules for entering the contest are: 1) Contestant must be unmarried and a daughter of a farmer who has grown beans within the past 5 years; 2) Ages 17 to 25 as of July 1, 1991; 3) Previous county Bean Queens are

ineligible; 4) Formal dress is required for the crowning ceremony.

Entry forms are available at the Tuscola County Extension Service office, 362 Green St., Caro, or at the County Farm Bureau office, 1023 E. Caro Road. The deadline for entering the contest is July 15. The contestants will meet with judges for a dinner interview on July 22.

Tuscola County Bean Queen Committee members are: Mike and Mary Findlay and Ron and Bonnie Cybulski of Caro, Deb and Tim Harris of Mayville, and Brenda Ryan of Akron.

Greg Erla receives bachelor's degree

Greg Erla recently celebrated his graduation from Saginaw Valley State University.

in 1986. He is currently employed at Erla's Food Center & Packing, Inc.

Sr. Citizens' Menu

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

July 12, 15, 17, 19

Friday - Polish sausage on bun w/sauerkraut, scalloped potatoes, wax beans, fresh strawberry shortcake.

Monday - Tuna salad, chef salad w/cheese, spinach salad, carrots, cucumber, pepper, assorted crackers, orange blossom dessert.

Wednesday - Pot roast w/ gravy, mashed potatoes, Sophie's slaw, whole wheat bread, pineapple topped cake.

Friday - Ham, cheese & tomato sandwich, wax beans, golden salad, fresh blueberries w/whipped cream.



Greg Erla

The 23-year-old received a bachelor's degree in administration and accounting and is seeking employment with a certified public accounting firm.

The son of Arnold and Sharon Erla, Greg graduated from Cass City High School

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AC111B	PRIN. OF ACCOUNTING I	4	8:00-11:00	M-W	104
AC111C	PRIN. OF ACCOUNTING II	4	8:00-10:00	TH	104
AC201A	COMPUTERIZED ACCOUNTING	3	1:00-2:30	M-W	CL
AC201B	INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNTING	3	5:30-7:00	T-TH	102
AC202A	FED. & STATE INCOME TAX	3	1:00-2:30	T-TH	104
BE100A	BUSINESS ENGLISH I	3	2:30-4:00	T-TH	102
BE100B	BUSINESS ENGLISH II	3	7:00-10:00	W	104
BE110A	INTRO. TO BUSINESS	3	7:00-10:00	T	SL
BE121A	BUSINESS LAW I	3	7:00-10:00	T	102
BE121B	BUSINESS MATH	3	11:30-1:00	T-TH	104
BE121C	BUSINESS MATH	3	7:00-10:00	TH	SL
BE202A	SMALL BUSINESS MGMT.	3	10:30-12:00	T-TH	101
BE251A	PRIN. OF MARKETING	3	8:00-10:30	T-TH	102
CI100A	INTRO. TO BASIC	3	8:00-7:00	T-TH	CL
CI115C	MICROCOMPUTER APPLICA.	3	8:00-10:30	T-TH	CL
CI115D	MICROCOMPUTER APPLICA.	3	7:00-10:00	W	CL
SI101B1	KEYBOARDING/TYPING I	3	2:30-5:30	T-TH	TL
SI101D1	KEYBOARDING/TYPING I	3	11:00-12:30	M-W	TL
SI102A1	FORMATTING/TYPING II	3	8:00-8:30	T-TH	TL
SI102B1	FORMATTING/TYPING II	3	5:30-7:30	T-TH	TL
SI131A	SHORTHAND I	3	8:30-11:00	T-TH	TL
SI132A	SHORTHAND II	3	8:30-11:00	T-TH	TL
SI140A	INTRO. TO TRANSCRIPTION	3	8:30-11:00	M-W	TL
SI142A	EXECUTIVE TRANSCRIPTION	3	8:30-11:00	M-W	TL
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SI144A	MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION	3	8:30-11:00	M-W	TL
SI150A	RECORDS MANAGEMENT	3	1:00-2:30	T-TH	CL
SI161A	WORD PROCESSING I	3	11:00-12:30	T-TH	CL
SI161B	WORD PROCESSING I	3	7:00-10:00	M	CL
SI162A	WORD PROCESSING II	3	2:30-5:30	M	CL
SI162B	WORD PROCESSING II	3	2:30-5:30	T	CL
SI163A	WORD PROCESSING III	3	2:30-5:30	T	CL
SI163B	WORD PROCESSING III	3	2:30-5:30	T	CL
SS201A	TYPING II	3	8:00-9:30	T-TH	TL

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BE1110B	INTRO. TO BUSINESS	3	6:30-9:30	T
CI115E	MICROCOMPUTER APPLICA.	3	6:30-9:30	T
CI125A	ELECT. SPREADSHEET	3	6:30-9:30	TH
EM101C	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3	5:30-7:00	M-W
PY101B	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3	6:30-9:30	M
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Obituaries

Larry McClorey

Larry McClorey, 59, of Cass City, died July 1 at his residence following a brief illness.

He was born Aug. 29, 1931, in Cass City, the son of Marion Crawford McClorey and the late Glenn McClorey.

He was united in marriage to Millie May in September 1951 in Cass City, where the couple made their home.

McClorey was a member of St. Pancratius Catholic Church of Cass City and Central Thumb Council #8892 Knights of Columbus. He had also been coaching a girls' softball team in Sebawaing.

McClorey is survived by 2

sons, Lawrence R. McClorey of Saginaw and Mark McClorey of Cass City; one daughter, Cindy Bauer and her husband, James, of Sebawaing; 4 grandchildren; his mother, Marion McClorey of Cass City; one brother, Richard McClorey of Cass City, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Dale (Mary) Damm and Mrs. George (Beverly) Frank, both of Cass City. One brother, Frederick, preceded him in death.

A prayer service and Knights of Columbia memorial were held Wednesday evening at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday at St. Pancratius Catholic Church, with the Rev. Julius Spleet, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Elkland Cemetery, Cass City.

Marcus Peters

Marcus (Mark) P. Peters, 65, Austin Township, formerly of Decker, died Friday, July 5, at his daughter's residence in Davison.

He was born Dec. 20, 1925, in Austin Township, the son of Louis and Mary (Morell) Peters.

He attended Freiburg country school. He was a laborer in construction in the

Saginaw and Detroit areas, working for the Auslander Logging Company for 20 years and the Kappen Saw Mill, Cass City, for the last 10 years.

Surviving are 3 daughters, JoAnn (Gregory) McCarty, Davison, Delores (Frederick) Roberts, Deckerville, Sharon (Marvin) Kritzman, Sandusky; 3 sons, Carl Peters, Ubyly, Dale (Sherry) Peters, Cass City, and Norman Peters, Decker; 14 grandchildren; one sister, Margie (John) Zawilinski, Cass City; 2 brothers, Clarence Peters, Austin Township, and Edwin Peters, Utica.

He was preceded in death by one grandson, Derrick, in 1981; 3 brothers, Jerry Peters, Raymond Peters and Louis Peters; 4 sisters, Marie Roberts, Vernetta Flannery, Viola Flannery and Ellen McCormick.

Funeral services were held Monday at St. Ignatius Catholic Church, Freiburg. The Rev. Michael Bell, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

George Rolston

George Rolston, 88, of Caro, died July 3 at Tendercare, Cass City, after a short illness.

He was born Nov. 9, 1902, in Greenleaf Township, Sanilac County, the son of the late Fred and May Mills Rolston.

Rolston, a self-employed carpenter, attended the Ellington Church of the Nazarene. He came to Caro from Greenleaf Township in 1985.

He is survived by 2 brothers, Stanley Rolston and Richard Rolston, both of Cass City; a number of nieces and nephews and a special friend, Clara Vogel of Caro. Two brothers, Russell and Clarence Rolston, and one sister, Gladys

Hill, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. A. E. McFarland, elder of the Nazarene Church, New Lothrop, and the Rev. David Lewis, pastor of the Ellington Church of the Nazarene, officiating. Interment was in Elkland Cemetery, Cass City.

Stanley Stec

Stanley J. Stec, 73, Madison Heights, formerly of Sheridan Township, died Wednesday, July 3, at Oakland General Hospital after a short illness.

He was born April 1, 1918, in Buffalo, N.Y., son of Simon and Helen (Zaremba) Stec.

Mr. Stec was a member of the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a pattern maker for Binderline Development Inc. for 15 years, retiring in 1983. He was an active member of the Republican Presidential Task Force, a former member of the St. Louise Seniors Club, and a past member of the Polish American Legion No. 7, Detroit.

Surviving are one daughter, Sylvia (Nelson) Garland, Lake Orion; 4 grandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren; 5 sisters, Mary Sal, Hamtramck, Josie (John) Stachura, Saginaw, Katherine (Ernest) Flesch, Caro, Sophie (Stanley) Lanczynski, Chesaning, and Stella (Roy) Stroh, Marysville, and 5 brothers, Joseph Stec, Saginaw, John Stec, Warren, Walter Stec and Peter Stec, Caro, and Michael Stec, Cass City.

Preceding him in death were infant twin sisters.

Services were held Monday at St. Columbkille Catholic Church, Sheridan Township. The Rev. Peter Gaspeny, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

88-pint blood drive over goal

Blood donors gave a total of 88 pints, topping the goal of 70 pints, during Hills and Dales General Hospital's July 2 blood drive.

First time donors were Ronald Fritz, Donna Little, Bill Little, Deborah Meisner and Gina Rippey.

Receiving pins were one-gallon donor Elizabeth Evans; 3-gallon donors Elaine Armstrong and Wayne Heckman; 4-gallon donors Beverley Auten, Gregory Mueller and George Wald, and 5-gallon donors Dave Dearing, Jerold Little and Pat Rabideau.

The next blood drive is Oct. 22.

Lester ends 5-week jet course

Navy Airman Apprentice Paul E. Lester, son of Robert L. Lester of 4285 Clothier Rd., Kingston, has completed the aviation machinist's mate basic jet engine course.

During the 5-week course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Naval Air Station Memphis, Millington, Tenn., Lester received introductory instructions on the characteristics and operating principles of jet engines. His studies included engine lubrication, ignition and fuel systems. He also studied the procedures for refueling and defueling aircraft, for removal and installation of aircraft engines and for the operation of aircraft ground handling equipment.

He is a 1990 graduate of Kingston High School, Kingston.

Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

5 YEARS AGO

A freak hailstorm pummeled the area and it took much of last Thursday for Mrs. Mardell Ware and Mrs. Frances Justin, the Wares' next door neighbor, to clean up their yards on N. Cemetery Rd. following the short hailstorm. Leaves, broken flowers and rose bushes were victims.

Katie LaBelle, daughter of Ed and Pam LaBelle, was crowned Fourth of July queen Tuesday night.

Bishop Kenneth E. Untener of the Saginaw Diocese will dedicate the new Eucharist Chapel at St. Pancratius Catholic Church Saturday, July 12.

The Progressive Class of Salem UM Church will meet Thursday at the park. In case of rain, the meeting will be at the Ron Geiger home.

First Baptist Church of Cass City took home 3 top prizes in competition during the July 4th activities: one of the top 4 float designs, best decorated bed entered in the bed race and junior division winner in the bed race.

10 YEARS AGO

Five sisters were together July 3 to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Russell Leeson of Wild Fowl Bay at the home of Mrs. Emmaline Urquhart near Caseville. The group included Mr. and Mrs. Russell Leeson, Mr. and Mrs. William Martus Sr., Mrs. Leo Kehoe and Mrs. Betty McLeod of Sandusky.

Fourth of July Festival Queen Brenda Langenburg was crowned Friday at Cass City's first queen pageant.

Twin sisters, Mrs. Ruby Hartsell and Mrs. Ruth Windy, celebrated their birthday July 9.

Rep. Lorn Armbruster and

Miss Michigan, Gwen Brown, were here Saturday morning to help dedicate the historical marker plaque at the Cultural Center. Others participating in the dedication were Village President Lambert Althaver and Elkland Township Supervisor Jack Gallagher.

25 YEARS AGO

The Cass City School Board this week appointed Robert Stickle to replace Jim Seals as assistant principal at Cass City High School.

The American Legion Auxiliary held its meeting Monday at the Legion hall and Linda Calka gave an account of Wolverine Girls State in Ann Arbor, which she attended in June.

A teletype machine has been installed at Mac & Scotty Drug Store. The machine does the work handled for years by the Western Union telegraph operator at the railroad de-

pot in Cass City.

Richard Loeding of Snover, service representative for Brookside Farms Laboratory, attended the 14th annual Jamboree of the group at Russells Point, Ohio, recently.

35 YEARS AGO

Richard W. Wallace is among 7 from the county who will be inducted into the Armed Forces Tuesday, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Little and family attended the Church of Christ Rock Lake assembly at Vestaburg from Thursday until Saturday.

Miss Leila Battel went to Mt. Pleasant Sunday, where she is taking a 2 weeks' teacher's course at Central Michigan College.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clara and son Jack left Monday for Grayling, from where they took a canoe trip. They are expected home Thursday night.

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Area women attend convention

The 50th anniversary celebration of the International Lutheran Women's Missionary League drew more than 7,000 participants to Cleveland, Ohio, June 27-30.

The theme of the 24th biennial gathering was "Celebrate the Jubilee! Glorify His Name!"

Local residents attending the convention included Tina Hoard, Ruth Balzer, Adeline Butler, Joan

Matthews and Lois Moslander.

Highlighting the business activity of the convention was the delegates' approval of a \$1,111,000 mission goal. The delegates chose 12 projects to support in the next 2 years, with mission money gathered through freewill offerings.

The next LWML convention will be held in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, in June 1993.

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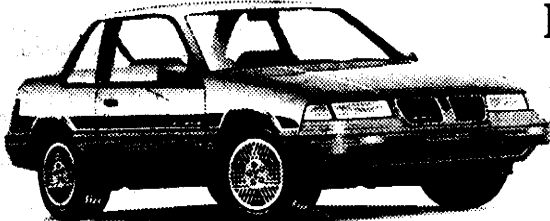
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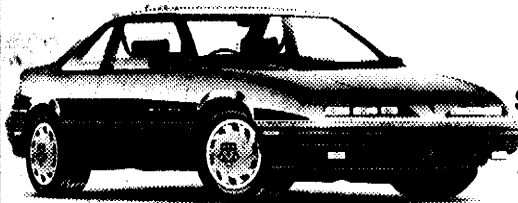
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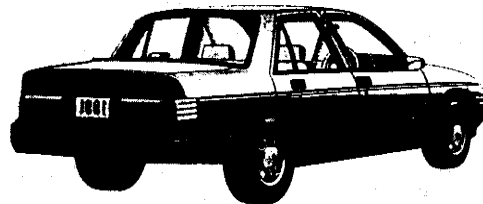


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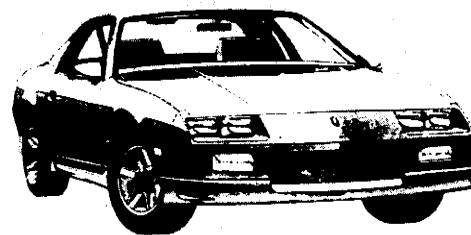
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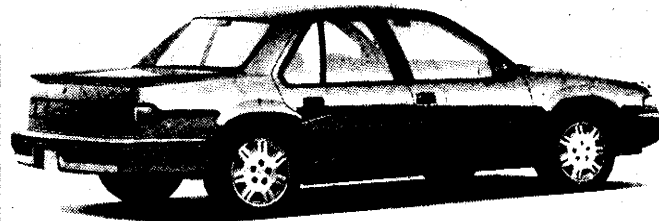
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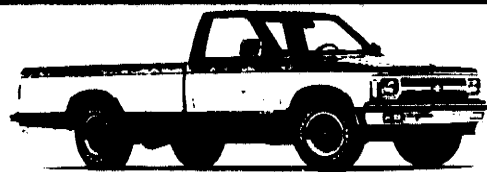
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