

**Citizens of year named**

Nina Davis of Cass City became the 34th person to be honored as the citizen of the year Saturday at the annual meeting of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce at the Colony House.

Selected as junior citizen of the year from among 6 finalists was Jodi Erla, daughter of Arnold and Sharon Erla of Cass City. Junior citizens are selected from the senior class at Cass City High School.

Other traditional activities conducted prior to the dance that concluded the evening included the introduction of new and retiring board members by Lambert Althaver, who was the toastmaster for the evening.



**THE CO-WINNERS OF citizen of the year honors last year, Arlan Hartwick, left, and Wayne Dillon, presented the plaque to this year's honoree, Nina Davis.**



**Lambert Althaver Master of Ceremonies**

Bob Stickle is leaving the board after serving for 20 years as treasurer. Also stepping down is Jeri Tordai, the Chamber president for the last 3 years. She will remain active on the board as the new treasurer.

Tordai told the group about the new businesses that have opened in the last year. The new president of the Chamber, John Maharg, did not attend. Other officers include Jane Hittler, secretary. Three new members joined the board of directors, Jim Please turn to back page.



**WINNER OF THE junior citizen of the year honors as selected for the Cass City Chamber of Commerce was Jodi Erla. Announcing the decision and introducing the 6 finalists was John Cooper.**

**Businesses, schools hit Waves of vandalism reported**

Vandals threw eggs and tomatoes at one residence and broke windows at 2 schools and several businesses in Cass City last week.

The damage occurred in at least 2 waves and resulted in 8 separate complaints as of Monday, according to Cass City police, who are continuing their investigation.

The first wave occurred during the evening hours of Feb. 11.

Among those hit was Cass City Hardware, 6092 E. Cass City Rd. Owner Jeff Weinberger reported someone threw a rock at and shattered the store's plastic sign, located at the southwest

corner of Comment Drive and M-81.

Damage was estimated at \$300.

Police said vandals used beer bottles to smash windows at Cass City Middle School and Campbell Elementary School during the same period.

Principal Don Schelke reported 2 smashed windows on the north side of the middle school building, and Principal Dave Lovejoy reported one window broken on the north side of the elementary school.

Each of the windows is valued at \$100.

Broken beer bottles also

were used to smash a window and door screen at Kaiser-Estech, 4155 Vulcan St. Plant Manager Robert McLachlan reported the incident Feb. 12. Damage is estimated at \$50.

Later in the week, Marsha Rokicki, 6336 Brenda Drive, told police she returned home to find her home splattered with eggs and tomatoes. Also, some wreaths and a thermometer were found missing. Damage was estimated at \$100.

Police received another round of complaints Saturday.

Steve Cooklin reported \$100 damage at Wruble Elevator, where someone

used a BB gun to shoot a window in a metal frame door.

A window at Erla's Food Center, 6233 Church St., also was found shot by a BB gun. Damage was estimated at \$300.

Police received a similar report Monday morning from Dr. Paul Chappel's office, 6240 Hill St., where at least one window had been broken. No other details were available.

**2 VEHICLES STOLEN**

Also last week, 2 vehicles were stolen and subsequently recovered undamaged in the village.

Judi Ecker, Linwood, reported Feb. 10 that her

**Non-union employees School board okays 5 1/2% wage boost**

The Cass City School Board approved raises of 5 1/2 percent for all non-union employees for the 1992-93 school year at its regular session Monday night at the high school.

Raises put the minimum hourly wages paid at \$7.23 with the majority of hourly wages in the \$8.00 to \$9.00 plus range. The top hourly wage was granted to the maintenance supervisor, who earns \$12.97.

Supt. Ken Micklash will be at the top of the scale. His salary was boosted from \$58,124 to \$61,321. A complete breakdown of the salary schedule accompanies this story.

Trustee James Turner explained how the salary committee, which included Ben Hobart and Dan Ulfig, arrived at the wage boost. A comparison with salaries paid in 13 neighboring districts was made. Salaries paid in Cass City were at the mid-point or slightly lower than those paid in these districts. The superintendent's salary ranked 9th among the 13.

Another consideration for the raise was that it matched that granted to the teachers in the 2-year contract signed last fall.

Trustee Fred Matthews, asked rhetorically when did we get on this merry-go-round of across-the-board increases?

When it was pointed out that to have good workers you have to pay them, he said that he felt that many would have trouble finding jobs today as good as those at the school. Matthews said that he had served on the

salary committee and he knows the problems in trying to change, and he voted to approve the new wage scale.

**UNION CONTRACT**

The school also signed a contract with the Operating Engineers Union at the school. It also calls for a 5.5 percent raise. Bus drivers increased from \$2,528 per run to \$2,667 per run per year. Cooks went from \$6.69 per hour to \$7.06 and custodians were increased from \$9.00 to \$9.50 per hour.

One other price adjustment was made. Full-time teacher aides' payment for health

insurance increased to 50 percent of a single subscription rate, which amounts to \$85.00 per month.

**TEST SCORES**

While scores on the Michigan Education Assessment Program Test were not impressive, the scores were substantially better than the state averages, Jerry Cleland, counsellor, reported. There was discussion about the new test this year and it was agreed that there will need to be changes made. Much of the material was never presented to the students, and in math just 28.3 percent of the 10th graders passed, and that was much

better than the 18.7 percent state-average score. To get a state-signed diploma, a passing grade is demanded. They will have to change that test, Micklash predicts.

**RESIDENCY CHANGE?**

Board President Ben Hobart feels that administrators should be required to live within the school district. Two years ago he attempted to get a board policy passed to that effect.

At that time it was turned down for 2 principal reasons. The first was that there was doubt if such a regulation was legal and the second was that the majority of the board at that time felt it was unfair to put this restriction on the administrators when teachers and all other school employees could live anywhere they desired.

**OTHER BUSINESS**

- Fred Profit, Middle School custodian's, retirement, effective April 30, was accepted by the board with regret. He has been employed for 23 years at the school.
- Cathy Cooper and Donna Emerson outlined this year's extensive program for March as reading month in the school and it was approved by the board. Among the special events planned is an open invitation to residents to visit Campbell Elementary School and listen to the students read for a half hour or longer. Volunteers are asked to call Cooper at the school (872-2158) or 872-2434 at home.
- Athletic Director Don Schelke reported on a Michigan High School Athletic Association survey. The MHSAA is trying to establish a regulation to control students participating in a school sport (especially basketball) after the season is concluded. The Amateur Athletic Union has teams playing 40 or 50 games and

	1991-1992	1992-1993
Bookkeeper	\$25,031	\$26,408
Supt's Secretary	22,365	23,595
Social Worker	B.A. Min. Teacher Rate plus 5.5%	
School Nurse	20,389	21,510
Chapt. I Sec. (Part Time)	7.30 hr.	7.70 hr.
H.S. Prin. Secretary	8.87 hr.	9.36 hr.
Inter. Prin. Secretary	8.81 hr.	9.29 hr.
Elem. Prin. Secretary	8.81 hr.	9.29 hr.
Deford Prin. Secretary	8.75 hr.	9.23 hr.
Comm. Ed. Secretary	8.81 hr.	9.29 hr.
Maintenance Supervisor	12.29 hr.	12.97 hr.
Inter. School Supervisor	10.43 hr.	11.00 hr.
and Transportation	3,975	4,194
Campbell Cafeteria (Money)	7.44 hr.	7.85 hr.
H.S. Cafeteria (Money & Rec.)	7.57 hr.	7.99 hr.
Inter. Cafeteria (Money)	7.44 hr.	7.85 hr.
Crossing Guard Supervisor	27.39/day	28.90/day
Crossing Guards	19.89/day	20.98/day
Library Clerks	6.85 hr.	7.23 hr.
Chapter I Aides	7.57 hr.	7.99 hr.
Special Education Aide	7.57 hr.	7.99 hr.
Bus Mechanic	419/week	442/week
Supervising Head Cook	8.55 hr.	9.02 hr.

ADMINISTRATORS		
All contracts for 2 years except superintendent which is for 3 years.		
H. S. Guidance Counselor	\$43,662	\$46,063
H. S. Guidance Counselor & Co-op	43,662	46,063
Deford Principal	45,662	48,173
Comm. Ed. Director	39,923	42,119
Campbell Principal	49,317	52,029
Intermediate Principal	49,317	52,029
High School Principal	52,399	55,281
Superintendent	58,124	61,321

**Narcotics unit seeks grand jury**

Thumb Narcotics Unit officials have set their sights on creation of a multi-county grand jury in hopes of shutting down bigger volume drug traffickers in Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola counties.

The proposal was outlined briefly during TNU's annual meeting, held Thursday night at the Tuscola Area Skill Center in Caro.

TNU Commander Det. Lt. Gordon Good said the grand jury is being requested by the prosecuting attorneys in all 4 counties. He added the petition will be reviewed by the attorney general and must receive approval from the State Court of Appeals.

Provided that happens, the 17-member panel could be seated as early as late spring or early summer.

A multi-county grand jury would significantly boost drug enforcement efforts in the Thumb, according to Good.

He explained that grand

juries can elicit information that is often unattainable under the counties' existing criminal justice system. For example, grand juries can subpoena witnesses and compel them to testify or face contempt charges. They can also grant immunity to individuals in exchange for their testimony, he said.

Overall, Lapeer County Prosecutor Nick Holowka remarked, it's hoped that with a grand jury, law enforcement officials will be able to penetrate the upper levels of the drug trafficking hierarchy via testimony from lower level dealers.

Under the grand jury system, prosecutors present evidence and testimony to a grand jury, which then decides whether or not there is sufficient evidence to formally charge, or indict, a defendant.

Many states and the federal criminal justice system routinely use the grand jury.

Other states, including Michigan, have a 2-tier felony prosecution system that permits the prosecutor to file a felony charge without going before a grand jury.



**THUMB NARCOTICS Unit Commander Det. Lt. Gordon Good discussed creation of a multi-county grand jury during TNU's annual meeting Thursday in Caro.**

**Koylton Township**

**Zoning board officials resign**

Three of 4 officials serving on the Koylton Township Zoning Board submitted their resignations over the weekend.

The Township Board accepted the resignations of Zoning Board Chairman Russell Mayer and members Jean Kempa and Faye Stoll at a special meeting held Monday night.

All 3 indicated their deci-

sion to quit was based on what they described as the Township Board's disregard for Zoning Board recommendations.

The Zoning Board's fourth member, Mary Brief, did not resign. All 4 seats are appointed by the Township Board.

The resignations mark the second, third and fourth officials to leave office over the

past year in the controversy-torn township, stemming from the operation of Pioneer Work and Learn Center.

The rehabilitation center for male juvenile delinquents opened at Camp Kingston Hills in 1988, sparking a 3-year court battle with township zoning officials that went all the way to the Michigan Su-

preme Court and ended with the camp being shut down due to zoning violations.

A majority of Township Board members disputed the Zoning Board's authority to seek closure of the camp, and sought to give the camp time to seek necessary zoning changes in order to operate legally in the township. Eventually, the board ap-

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## Engaged

Movie time  
set Friday

Rawson Memorial Library's "movie time" for senior citizens will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the library, 6495 Pine St., Cass City.

Films scheduled to be shown are "Amazon: Land of the Flood Forest," "Biltmore Estate, Asheville, North Carolina" and "150 Years of Caring: A History of Michigan Hospitals."

The program is free of charge. Refreshments will be served.

Diane Zyrowski  
James Schmaltz

John and June Zyrowski of Kingston announce the engagement of their daughter, Diane Lynn, to James Walker Schmaltz, son of Howard and Lillian Schmaltz of Flint and Kay and Wallace Northern of Unionville.

A June 13 wedding is being planned. Grandparents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goodall of Cass City. James is a 1985 graduate of Cass City High School. He graduated from Oakland University in June of 1991 with a Bachelor's degree in Electrical Engineering. He is currently employed by the Yuma Proving Grounds in Yuma, Ariz.

Diane is a 1984 graduate of Kingston High School. She is currently employed at Walbro Automotive Corporation in Caro.

Dance club  
slates party

The Y.M.C.A. Thumb Dance Club will hold its next party Saturday from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at the Sandusky Maple Valley School.

Music will be provided by Helen Ann's Dance Band, and refreshments will be available. Guests are welcome.

## Engaged



Mark Thomas  
Marcy Enderle

Tony and Pat Enderle of Owendale announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcy Denise, to Mark Douglas Thomas, son of Eddie and Colleen Thomas of Dayton, Ohio.

The bride-elect is employed at the Dale Carnegie Institute of N.W. Ohio and the prospective groom is employed by Bostleman Corporation of Toledo, Ohio.

A December wedding is being planned.

"Ridicule is the test of truth."  
William Hazlitt

## Cass City Personal Items

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Officials at McKenzie Memorial Hospital, Sandusky, announced the recent births of a baby girl to Kevin and Shari Zimmerman of Deford and a baby boy to James and Linda Becker of Ubyly. The Zimmermans' new arrival, Kristan Janae Zimmerman, was born Jan. 31. The Beckers' son, Nicholas James Becker, was born Feb. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stine and Mrs. Dorothy Smith, all of Cass City, Ivan Stine of Ubyly and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stine of Hastings attended the Stine-Mrozinski wedding in Bay City Saturday.

Dale and Mary Damm and Tim and Susan Wooster, of Flint, were dinner guests Sunday of Wes and Nancy Frederick in Caro. The occasion was to celebrate the birthdays of Tim and Mary.

The Cass City High School graduating class of 1952 will hold a reunion at Rolling Hills Golf Course Aug. 8.

About 125 people attended the sweetheart banquet with a Hawaiian theme Friday evening at the Baptist Church.

Micklash named  
to dean's list

Kenneth J. Micklash II has been named to the dean's list at the University of Michigan for the fall term.

Micklash is a sophomore enrolled in the college of engineering, majoring in mechanical and aerospace engineering. He is the son of Ken and Theresa Micklash, Cass City.

Hills and Dales  
General Hospital

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, FEB. 17, WERE:

Daniel Hennessey, Ann Klinkman, Cass City; Mihalina Adameczyk, Kingston; Celia Gamet, Sebawaing; Ashley Hyde, Decker; Jordan Kettle, Mt. Pleasant; Kristie Seeley, Ubyly; Barbara Sterker, Deford.

Michele Slung has made a fortune with her best seller, "Momilies." It's another case of "Why didn't I think of that?"

In case you haven't read it, "Momilies" is a collection of things Mom used to say.

Surely everyone has heard "Turn off the lights. We don't own stock in the electric company" or "Don't put anything in your ear smaller than your elbow."

And didn't everybody's mom stress the importance of underwear that was clean and in good repair because "you might be in an accident?"

Most of us don't realize how many Momilies we know until somebody else brings the subject up. As kids, we took them for granted, if not for gospel. "Quit that crying or I'll give you something to cry about!" was probably more of a Dadily in our house than a Momily, although Dad didn't really administer the discipline.

"Wait till your dad gets home" was probably effective because we kids could only imagine how severe Dad's punishment would be. Misbehavior worthy of his chastisement was right up there with the unpardonable sin.

Another Dadily when I was growing up was "Can it!" Our house was small and children's voices raised in hilarity and laughter could

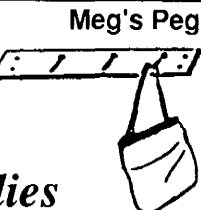
Practicing with their kids all month proved to be successful for Jim and Marilyn Mastie. They again won the prize for high score at the monthly get-together of the "What's Trump" card club. Hosting the gang next month will be Wayne and Sherry Dillon.

Mrs. Jim Hanson and Mrs. Elwyn Silib of Goderich, Ontario, spent from Sunday till Wednesday here. They attended the Raymond Roberts funeral.

Bob and Norma Speirs and Vern McConnell returned home Feb. 10 from a trip to Princeton, W. Va., where they spent a week with the Speirs' daughter and son-in-law, Becky and Mark Zmierski. En route home they were overnight guests of Don and Arlene McConnell in Utica.



Momilies



by Melva E. Guinther

hardly be shut out. Unfortunately, this childish glee often took place at night when sleep was more appropriate.

Dad would put up with just so much, then we'd hear, "Can it!" It was usually effective, even if the laughter was merely stifled. Whatever it was that made us laugh so hard after lights out couldn't just be turned off at will.

It was especially difficult when my cousin Ilene came to visit. When she spent the night, it seemed that we always giggled until we elicited the "Can it!", and then giggled some more.

A Momily at our house was "You'll catch your death of foolishness!", when one of us would go out without a hat, or with our coat open.

"Piecing" between meals would spoil your supper, and you'd better be prepared to clean your plate because of all the children in Africa, or India or China, wherever children happened to be starving at the time. Most of us would gladly have shipped our dandelion greens and pig hocks to them.

Probably every kid wondered at one time or another if his face would really "freeze that way" if he continued to make faces.

The classic Momily is "If you fall out of that tree and break your leg, don't come running to me!"

I'm not sure our mother ever said that, because we practically lived in the trees around our house, swinging from branch to branch, playing tag, hanging by our knees, etc. It's amazing how those trees have shrunk over the years. We figured we were daredevils without a net up there when we were kids.

The worst that I remember happening was falling and having the wind knocked out of me, which was pretty scary at the time.

The basic appeal of Slung's book is that everyone who has had a mother can relate to "Momilies." And, in small measure, they serve to bring Mom back to those who know they'll never again hear her unique instructions.

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Bible quiz team  
takes 2nd place

The Bible quiz team of the Cass City Church of the Nazarene placed second in the Eastern Michigan District competition, held Feb. 15 at Flint Central Church of the Nazarene.

The team was undefeated

## Engaged



Jane Lowe  
David Lewis

Dale Lowe of Snover and Paul and Ellen Lockwood of Cass City announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane Ann Lowe, to David James Lewis, son of James and Gloria Lewis of Pigeon.

A June 13 wedding is being planned.

## Engaged



Lynette Veldman  
Richard Witherspoon

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Veldman of Deford announce the engagement of their daughter, Lynette Marie, to Richard Charles Witherspoon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen A. Witherspoon of Cass City.

The bride to be is a 1989 graduate of Cass City High School. She attends Baker College in Flint, majoring in front processing specialist. After graduation in March with an associate of business degree, she plans to continue working at Hills and Dales General Hospital, and part time for Novesta Township.

The prospective groom is a 1987 graduate of Cass City High School and presently works at Howard Bell Inc., Caro, as parts manager.

A Sept. 26 wedding is being planned.

## Engaged



Kimberley Wald  
George Sangster

Kimberley S. Wald and George W. Sangster Jr. announce their engagement.

The bride to be is the daughter of Karen King of Cass City, and the prospective groom is the son of Charlotte Sangster of Decker and the late George Sangster and Yvonne Sangster.

An outside, June 13, wedding is planned.

APPENDICITIS -  
A DIFFICULT  
DIAGNOSIS

Everybody knows about appendicitis - but it is still a very difficult diagnosis to make in many cases.

It's the first concern of parents when a child gets a stomach ache. But there are also many other causes that are more common such as viral gastroenteritis and kidney infections. Another common problem is swollen glands along the bowel, which can be caused by a viral cold or sore throat - this may act just like appendicitis.

Appendicitis has a few typical symptoms to watch for. It normally begins with pain or an uneasy feeling around the navel. Over a few hours, the pain may migrate to the lower right side of the abdomen where it becomes quite tender half way between the navel and the front of the pelvic bone.

The child will usually develop nausea and is likely to throw up. There is seldom diarrhea, a sign that is much more likely to be due to a virus or food poisoning.

As the swelling and infection of the appendix increase, there may be a low grade fever. The blood count is usually moderately elevated. A high fever or a very high blood count is much more likely to be due to some other infection.

The main problem with appendicitis is the risk of rupturing which is still a life-threatening complication. A ruptured appendix commonly can occur within about 36 hours after the onset of pain, so a person should never delay when appendicitis is a possibility.

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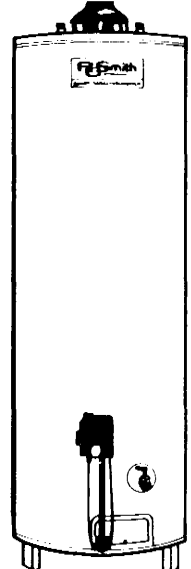


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# "If It Fitz...."

## Synchronization

By Jim Fitzgerald



It was impossible to contain my excitement. "Get in here quick and look at this," I hollered to my wife. "I think I've finally done it." Well, it turned out I hadn't. Not quite. But I'd come the closest ever in several years of trying.

The closest to achieving perfect dual synchronization of a single television commercial.

I'm not one of those insufferably impatient remote control TV watchers who constantly change channels. Usually I leave whatever's on. Otherwise I might never be able to end a sentence with 2 prepositions.

In ironical fact, except for the 30-minute-per-day synchronization quest, the only time I look up from my reading to stare long and intently at the TV screen is when the picture is badly blurred. Think about that.

Think about it some more.

My wife is a compulsive knitter and her hand-embedded knitting needles prevent her from securely grasping a remote control device. If you saw the movie "Edward Scissorhands," you understand her problem. Which means I'm sole custodian of our 3 remote controls (TV, VCR, cable) and it's my responsibility to fast-forward through commercials when we're watching a taped TV program via VCR. And if I fail this responsibility, my wife becomes a TV critic.

"The commercial's over, the program's back on," she critiques, "get your big nose out of the newspaper and PUSH THE BUTTON."

So, to escape my wife's odiousodium, I must closely

monitor my fast-forwarding, with a finger poised to punch whenever the blurred image appears to change from sales message - sporadic printed words on screen - to entertainment. At the same time, I must use another finger to keep my place in the newspaper. Because of geographical factors, the 2 fingers used can't be on the same hand. Which makes fast-forwarding time no time to scratch my big nose.

As for synchronized commercials, I discovered the possibility by accident, while cursing. The only time I continually hop channels is 6:30 to 7 in the evening, to see both NBC and CBS national newscasts. When Tom Brokaw breaks for a commercial, I punch up Dan Rather, and vice versa.

Sometimes, of course, I punch up another commercial, which used to make me curse. I want news, by God, not June Allyson breaking my heart by selling adult diapers. But then one night I punched up the same commercial. Continents apart, Brokaw and Rather simultaneously pausing for the identical sales message!

That's when I decided to follow the advice my wife frequently intones to her grandchildren: "When life sticks you with a lemon, make lemonade." She illustrates this philosophy by noting that after we were married, she taught me how to sit up and fast-forward.

My lemonade is the fascinating search for perfectly synchronized commercials. I mean word for word, image for image, so the channels

## At middle school

# Janell Papovich continues her reign as top speller

Janell Papovich has again proved she's a super speller. The sixth grader topped a field of 20 fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grade students in an all-school spell-down held recently at Cass City Middle School. She took first place after correctly spelling the word "beguiling."

Kareem Khoury was the runner-up. Papovich accomplished the same feat as a fifth grader in last year's contest, and was the elementary school spelling bee champ in 1990.

As the school-wide winner, she will take part in a district spelling competition next month. School officials haven't yet received details on the event.

The recent spell-down was held in conjunction with the Scripps Howard National Spelling Bee. Sponsored by Lawrence Technological University, the Detroit News and other leading newspapers throughout the world, the event is designed to aid students in vocabulary usage, spelling and English literacy.

The 2-week contest began with each teacher in grades 5 through 8 selecting 5 representatives from his or her class or English section. Those students took part in grade level competition, which eliminated all but 20 semifinalists, who participated in the spell-down.

The semi-finalists were: (fifth grade) Matt Derfny, Luke Frederick, Rose Hoelzle and Becky Oesch; (sixth grade) Janell Papovich, Cheryl Laming, Becky Lowe, Janice Mastie and Leah Shagenc; (seventh grade) George Cole, Joseph Khoury, Matt Klinkman, Pam Leiterman and George Wright; and (eighth grade) Charity Gaszczynski, Eric

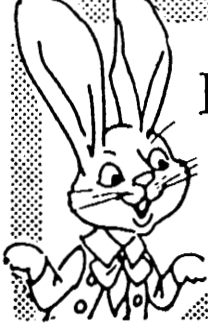


**SUPER SPELLERS — Janell Papovich topped all spellers and Kareem Khoury was runner-up in an all school "spell-down" held recently at Cass City Middle School.**

The average combination lock has from 100,000 to 1,000,000 possible combinations.

## Rabbit Tracks

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



In the early 1950's Cass City had championship teams in football, basketball and track. The coach for the football and basketball teams was Art Paddy. One of his star athletes was Tom Schwaderer, now Dr. Tom Schwaderer, who practices in Grand Rapids. Schwaderer's 10 seconds flat in the 100-yard-dash is still a school record. When he coached, Paddy had unlimited confidence in Schwaderer and now as time has taken its toll, Paddy found it necessary to have a new hip. Whom did he turn to? You know the answer: Dr. Tom Schwaderer.

Michigan is not known as an oil-producing heavyweight among the states, but it is. According to a release from the "Michigan Oil & Gas News", Michigan ranks 15 among 34 petroleum producing states for crude oil (20 million barrels annually) and 12 among natural gas producers (182 billion cubic feet.) Now the bad news: that production is only about 20 percent of the energy Michigan consumes.

Growing in popularity for printing newspapers is soy-based inks. It is slightly more expensive than traditional inks, but is environmentally friendly and less likely to rub off on the hands of the reader. Again, there is some bad news. Some of the soy-based ink is being imported.

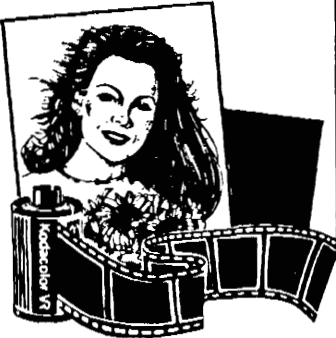
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Thursday	34	30	.02"
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## The Haire Net



It's time for another session of this and that as seen from the corner of Oak and Main. Pithy and not so pithy items without much significance other than they fill the space allotted to this column every week.

You have to want to be the best to be in the best department. Did you catch that story in the dailies the other day about Jack Nicklaus? Here's a guy that has won just about everything there is to win in golf. He may not be a billionaire, but it's sure that he would never miss an odd million bucks here or there from the total he has amassed.

He's 52 years old and the story tells how his coat size went from 41 to 44 due to a rigorous 2 1/2-hour a day exercise regime he has been following.

The average golf duffer can't relate to that. According to the story, there is one

activity that Nicklaus has been following lately we all can relate to. He has been experimenting with new clubs and a new golf swing.

Every time I read about the current fight with Japan about car production and sales I have mixed emotions. Naturally, my sympathies are with the plight of Americans who have lost jobs and are losing more jobs. But the other side of that coin is that I can remember the cars we drove 10 and 15 years ago. Ugh! (I had an Oldsmobile diesel, need I say more?)

Japan has forced us to sharpen up. My last 2 American-made cars have been great.

If we closed our door to competition, would we lag farther and farther behind? I think so. Take a look at the cars manufactured behind the iron curtain if you need a graphic example.

Sometimes I feel that the NCAA is caught up with its own power. Syracuse University is due to suffer sanctions for infractions of the amateur athletic code. The most serious of these was sending players \$50 inside cards at Christmas by a team supporter.

Others included giving free legal services to a player and free or reduced price meals and drinks at a popular local restaurant. Boosters also provided free board, meals and transportation.

A much more serious practice, that is not a violation of the NCAA code, is steering players into snap courses with the sole purpose of keeping them eligible, not to learn and graduate.

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Charter Number 15817 Comptroller of the Currency Seventh District

### Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	3,700
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	-0-
Interest-bearing balances	20,408
Securities	-0-
Federal funds sold	66,136
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	830
Loans and lease financing receivables	-0-
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	65,306
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	-0-
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	-0-
Assets held in trading accounts	1,635
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	1,711
Other real estate owned	-0-
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	2,569
Other assets	98,729
Total assets	1,421
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	100,150
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	

Deposits:	91,983
In domestic offices	
Noninterest-bearing	5,689
Interest-bearing	86,294
Federal funds purchased	-0-
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	-0-
Other borrowed money	-0-
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	-0-
Subordinated notes and debentures	-0-
Other liabilities	420
Total liabilities	92,403
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	-0-
Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	-0-
Common stock	527
Surplus	1,118
Undivided profits and capital reserves	4,681
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	-0-
Total equity capital	6,326
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	1,421
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	7,747
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	100,150

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformity with the instructions and is true and correct.

*Nelson Binder*  
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*John B. Schaefer*  
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## Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

### 5 YEARS AGO

Nearly a year ago, Gerald Hicks, a Deford area dairy farmer, submitted a bid in the federal dairy herd buyout program after more than 43 years in the business. His bid was one of 18 in Tuscola County to be accepted by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and Hicks says the program has been an excellent move for both himself and the state's dairy industry.

Pastor Randy D. Geary, a former Wisconsin pastor, recently began duties as head of the Church of God in Cass City Feb. 7. He replaces pastor Mark Cole, who is now serving as a youth pastor in South Carolina.

Jim Martin, 27, from Bay City, an authentic Civil War actor, entertained the Cass City Intermediate School's 5th and 6th graders for an hour with his stories about what life was like for the soldiers during the war between the North and the South.

Cass City resident Tamra M. Sherman is among a select few Saginaw Valley State College students to graduate "Summa Cum Laude" (with highest honors) following the fall 1986 semester. Sherman earned a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education.

The Cass City Red Hawks won their 10th straight game Friday when they beat the North Branch Broncos, 68-45. It would take a minor miracle for Cass City to blow the title now.

### 10 YEARS AGO

Three isn't a crowd, as far as Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stewart are concerned. For them, good things come in threes, in this case, William, Alfred and John. The 7-year-old triplets arrived to stay in the Cass City area home of their new mom and dad Jan. 23, the Stewarts having adopted the boys. To be on the safe side, however, should anyone from the family happen to see the article in the paper, the Stewarts' real names aren't being used.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kelley, owners of Cass City Floral, celebrated a quarter of a century in business Saturday.

Wayne Tomich is an inventor. Ten years after his first invention, he has finally struck pay dirt. His "Log Chute" is being manufactured in 3 states. He gets a percentage of each one sold. He and his wife Joan owned Mr. Kelly's Market in Gagetown for 5 years. They sold it in October.

Caro Area Services for the Handicapped (CASH) on the east edge of Caro, opened its doors for clients Tuesday for the first time since before Christmas. It was closed due to lack of revenue.

### 25 YEARS AGO

A committee was appointed Tuesday evening at a special meeting at the Cultural Center to come up with an action plan designed to double the size of the Cass City Recreational Park. Some 40 persons representing village and county government and various service clubs mulled over suggestions for the best method of raising some \$26,000 to purchase 27 acres owned by Mort Orr. The land is located immediately north of the present park.

Fr. Frank L. McLaughlin will say his final Mass before retirement, Sunday at St. Agatha Church in Gagetown. During his 8 years at St. Agatha he served as Chief of Chaplains of Tuscola county and was active in civil defense work. Replacing Fr. McLaughlin as pastor will be the Rev. Fr. Joseph P. Friske, assistant at St. Brigid parish, Midland.

The Elkland Township Fire Department feels that the building now housing Jim's Fruit Market would be adequate for a new fire hall, but would prefer a larger, new building, according to Fire Chief Nelson Willy.

The junior varsity cheerleaders won the annual talent show held Monday at Cass City Schools. The winning act was a pompon routine and was presented by Barbara MacRae, Patty Sawicki, Linda Brown, Jill Auten, Mona Calka and Sally Geiger.

### 35 YEARS AGO

Merchants in Cass City held a special meeting Monday evening to discuss

ways to stop the wave of shoplifting that has been reported in local stores in recent weeks.

The hopes of Walter Goodall, Cass City, to raise quadruplet lambs to maturity were wrecked Friday when one of the 4 lambs escaped from the pen and was kicked to death by a cow.

Pvt. Robert MacKay, 21, whose wife, Ilene, lives in Cass City, completed 8 weeks of basic combat training with the 9th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Colo., last month.

Interest is high in the new high school Men's Glee Club. The club plans to give several performances in the village in the near future, Roger Parrish, director, said this week.

Showing at the Cass Theater Friday and Saturday were "Rumble on the Docks," with James Darren, and "Don't Knock the Rock," with Bill Haley and his Comets.

## Sanchez returns to Florida

Navy Seaman Apprentice Jason M.J. Sanchez, whose former guardians are Ronald J. and Vicky Wilcox of Kingston, recently returned to Mayport, Fla., aboard the aircraft carrier USS Forrestal following a 7-month deployment to the Mediterranean and the Red Sea.

Sanchez deployed with the 10-ship battle group while they conducted operations, as well as provided support for the Kurdish Relief effort.

USS Forrestal assisted in President Bush's visit to Greece and Souda Bay, Crete, in July.

Before leaving the Mediterranean, Sanchez also participated in several multinational training exercises with Spain, Italy, Germany, Turkey, Greece, France, Great Britain and the Netherlands.

This is the last operational deployment for the USS Forrestal. The 36-year-old carrier will transfer to Pensacola, Fla., in late January to become the Navy's aviation training vessel.

## Maelin Damm is student of the month

Senior Maelin Damm has been selected as "student of month" at Owen-Gage High School for February. She is the daughter of Lloyd and Delores Damm, 6614 Gage St., Gagetown.



Maelin Damm

Damm has been active in a number of activities during her high school career, including Drama Club, Students Against Drunk Driving, French Club, 3.0 Club, yearbook staff, school newspaper, Youth For Christ singing group and her church youth group. She also has served as a counselor and office aide.

Her future goals include majoring in social work at either Saginaw Valley State University or Grand Rapids Bible College.



The Renaissance painter Raphael painted more than 300 pictures of the Madonna.

# Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson  
Phone 658-2347

Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hacker and family at Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt in honor of Mrs. Cleland's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Osentoski and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Heiman at Sebewaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Campbell of Utica were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Drake.

Jim Hewitt spent Saturday evening at the homes of Charlie Corbishley and Bob Karg in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena visited Bernard Shagena at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Friday afternoon. Bernard went home Tuesday after spending several days in the hospital.

Greg Grenevicch and Sue Boule of Lapeer went to Angola, Ind., to get Ralph Hoxi who was stranded there and brought him home Saturday evening and were supper guests of the Hoxie family.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Moore and family were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard.

Clara Vogel, who was a patient in Caro Community Hospital, was moved to Tendercare Nursing Home

in Cass City Thursday.

### EXTENSION MEETING

The Greenleaf Extension group met Thursday at the home of Jean Clarke for a potluck lunch at noon. The business meeting was conducted by chairperson Charlotte LaPeer. The group voted to hold classes on Environment, Family Life and Global. The council report was given by Nancy Braun and the 1992 MAEH Constitution was read to the group.

Homemade Valentines were exchanged.

Jean Clarke announced that the book, "Creative Home Design," was donated to the library from the Greenleaf Extension group. The March meeting place will be announced later.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Thursday guests of Mrs. Harlan Trisch at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kreh in Flint.

The Holbrook Helpers 4-H groups and leaders enjoyed an afternoon of tobogganing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland Sunday.

Ann Orton, Emily Miller, Mrs. Ralph Hoxie, Beth, Rob and Ryan went to see the movie, "Beauty and the Beast," in Cass City Saturday evening.

Reva Silver was a Thursday afternoon guest of Beverly Rockefeller.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser were Wednesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mrs. Kevin Robinson was a Wednesday guest of Mrs. Ray Michalski.

Gordon Farrelly and Nancy of New Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Guigar, Sophie Goronowich, Art Ertman and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly spent Sunday afternoon at Sheps in Argyle where Barney Schubering played.

Mrs. Jim Trepkowski was a Sunday guest of Mary Sweeney.

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

Ann Orton and Emily Miller were Friday overnight guests of Natalie Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Kanaski of Bad Axe and Mrs. John Walker attended the Teddy Bear reunion for open heart surgery patients at Delta College Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson visited Clara Vogel at Caro Community Hospital and Mrs. Paul Van Allen at her home in Caro Tuesday.

Bob Gaffke of Port Hope was a Sunday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Doerr and Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland, Beth Mulder and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff and Ki Tsutsumi for birthday cake for Mrs. Curtis Cleland's birthday.

Mrs. Rufino Labra and family of Allegan were weekend guests of Kathryn Tyrrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bartle and Tom were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland was a Sunday afternoon guest and Mrs. Ken Osentoski was a Monday forenoon guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mrs. Allan McCarty was a Sunday lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Heilig and family.

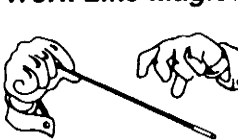
Mrs. Charlie Corbishley and Mrs. Bob Karg of Bad Axe and Mrs. Jim Hewitt attended the Secret Sisters annual dinner and meeting at the Bad Axe Free Methodist Church Saturday evening.

Matt and Justin Miller spent the weekend with Jack Miller at Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McLaughlin and Mr. and Mrs. John Walker had supper at Charmont Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard spent Friday in Bay City.

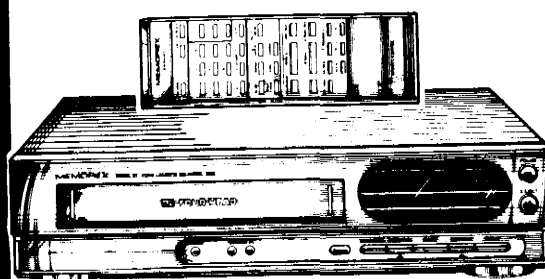
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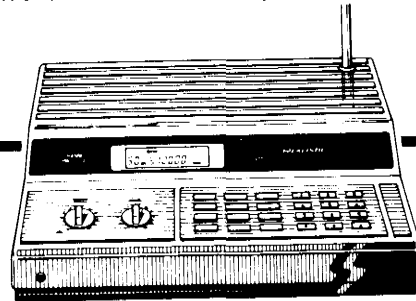
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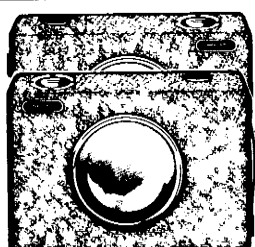
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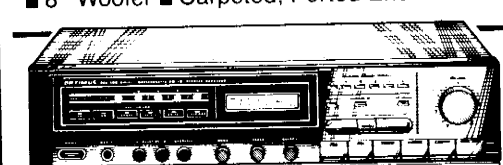
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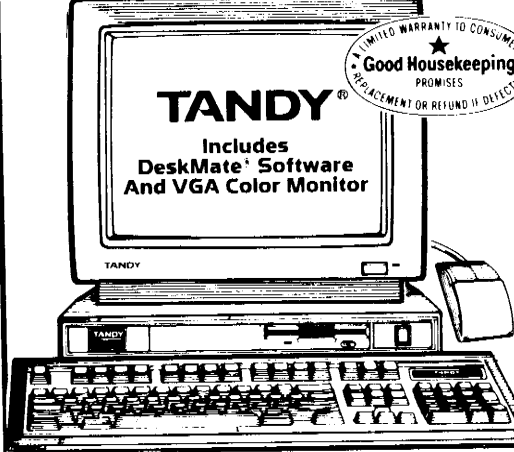
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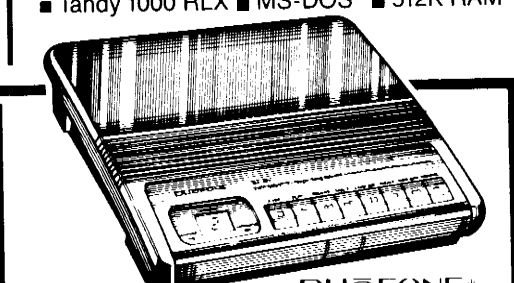
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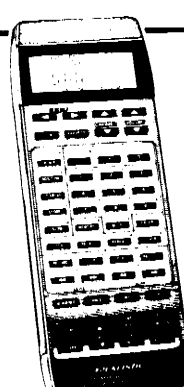
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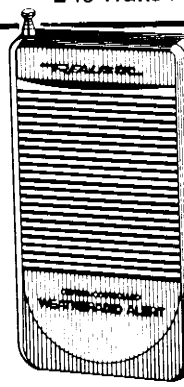
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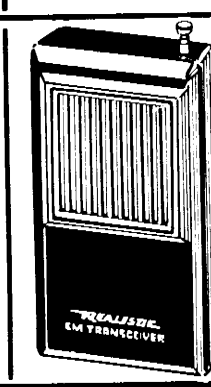
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## Next match critical

# Bulldog spikers post road wins

Coach Judy Campbell's Owen-Gage spikers kept their NCTL record unblemished last week, picking up a pair of road wins over Caseville and Peck.

The Bulldogs, who have won their last 6 dual matches, will face Akron-Fairgrove Thursday in a critical match for the league crown. Both schools stand 3-0 in conference play.

Although Owen-Gage defeated the Vikings earlier in the season, Coach Campbell expects a tough match from Coach Bill Shoop's squad on their own floor.

If Thursday's match with Peck is any indication, the 'Dogs seem poised to recapture the NCTL title, as they posted straight game wins

by the scores of 15-4, 15-11 and 15-5.

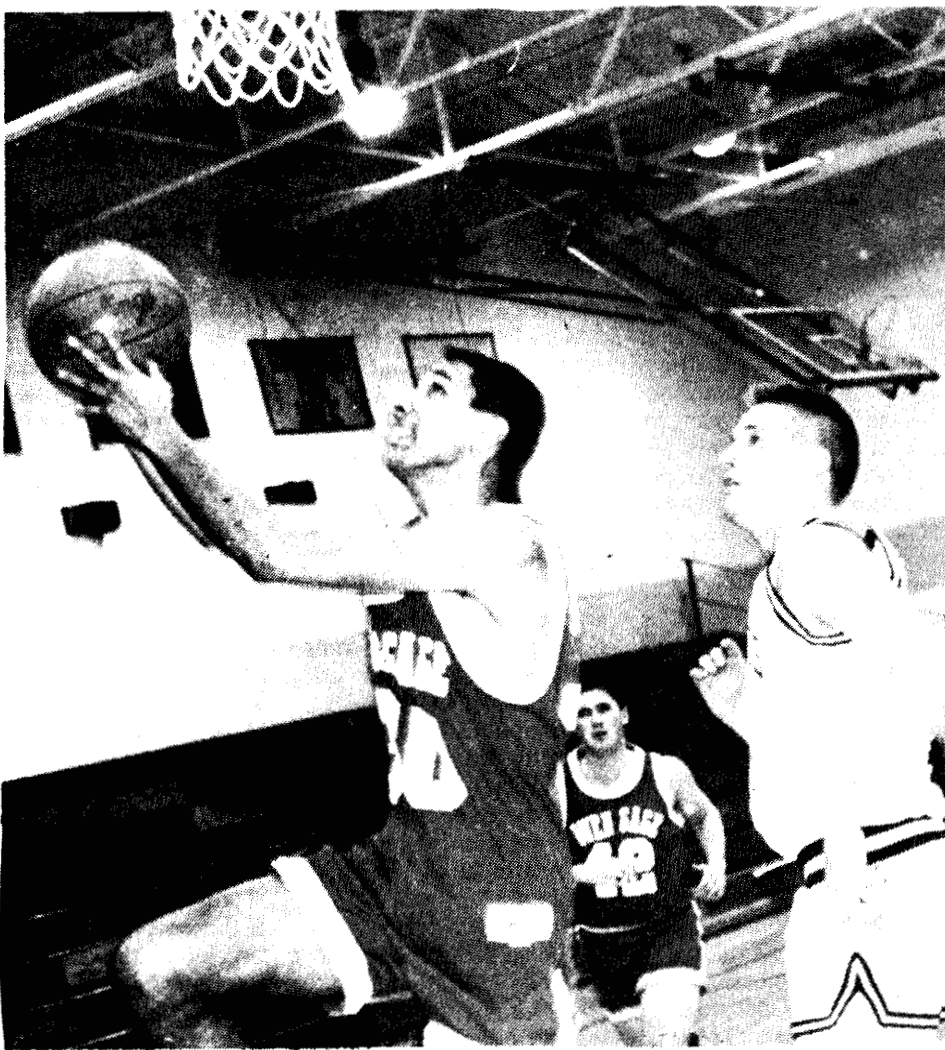
Campbell singled out the play of Alissa Draschil and Lisa Dorsch in the win.

Draschil, an unheralded player last year, continued her banner year recording 11 points on 10 ace serves. Dorsch, the 'Dogs' best front line threat, recorded 14 kill spikes for the winners.

Earlier in the week on Monday, Owen-Gage downed a much improved Caseville team 15-13, 15-7, (12-15), 15-5.

Again Draschil and Dorsch had big games for the winners as did junior Carli Salcido.

Salcido registered 24 points on the night, half coming on ace serves.



**BULLDOG JOE GARZA** slides past AuGres-Sims' David Dittenber for 2 of his 6 points in the 'Dogs' 52-49 loss.

## Walbro Corp. set to offer 1 million shares

Walbro Corporation (NASDAQ: WALB) announced the filing today of a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission relating to the proposed public offering by the company of one million shares of its common stock. The managing underwriters for the offering will be Stifel, Nicolaus & Company, Inc., Robert W. Baird & Co. Inc., and Interstate/Johnson Lane Corporation. The price will be determined by the market at the day the stock is issued. Currently Walbro stock is selling at \$22 1/4-\$23 a share.

The net proceeds of the offering will be used for the repayment of bank debt and an additional investment in Walbro's European joint venture with Magneti Marelli S.p.A. of Italy.

A copy of the preliminary prospectus can be obtained from the offices of Stifel, Nicolaus and Company, Inc., 500 North Broadway, 15th Floor, St. Louis, Mo. 63102, or from the offices of Robert W. Baird & Co. Inc., 777 East Wisconsin, Ave., Milwaukee, Wis. 53202, or from the offices of Interstate/Johnson Lane Corporation, 121 West Trade St., Charlotte, N.C. 28202.

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## Water quality project set in Huron County

Huron County has been selected to participate in a new water quality project, according to John Porath of the ASCS Office.

Funded under the Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP), the Water Quality Incentive Project (WQIP) sign-up period is open through Feb. 21.

Instead of cost-sharing, this program pays farmers to adopt a management practice that will enhance or protect water quality.

A water quality resource management plan outlining management measures necessary to improve and protect water quality will be developed by Soil Conservation Service or another designated agency. There

are many practices available under this program, including irrigation water management, integrated crop management, and animal waste management.

Additional information is available by calling the Huron ASCS office at 269-9549.

## Rocketry workshop slated

A rocketry workshop will be held April 11 at the Tuscola County 4-H office, 362 Green St., Caro.

Brian Thompson will present a class on the building of rockets along with the safety of launching them.

Beginners will build a skill level I rocket called "Space Racer." This class is for all beginners who have never done a rocket and those who have done only one or 2 before.

The advanced class will be building a skill level II rocket called "The Hornet." This class is for all skilled rocket builders who have made at least 3 rockets before.

Pre-registration is required by March 15. Additional information, including cost of the workshops, is available by contacting Thompson at (313) 793-7740.

## 4-H workshops slated

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## Judge Kent sworn in

Tuscola County Probate Judge W. Wallace Kent Jr. was recently sworn in as vice president of the Michigan Probate Judges Association.

The oath of office was administered jointly to the officers of the Probate, District and Circuit Court Judges Associations by Michigan Supreme Court Chief Justice Michael F. Cavanagh during a ceremony held in Lansing.

Kent, who actually began serving as vice president of the statewide association in October 1991, will become president-elect in October and will serve as president of the association from October 1993 through September 1994.

He was first elected as Tuscola County probate judge in November 1976



**Judge Wallace Kent**

and took office Jan. 1, 1977. He was reelected in 1982 and in 1988, and will be running again in 1994.

During the past 15 years,

# O-G struggles in losses to Eagles, Wolverines

All basketball teams, at every level, go through peaks and valleys.

After last Friday's performance against North Branch Wesleyan, the Owen-Gage Bulldogs must feel like they're trapped in an abyss.

Coach Brian Wright's cagers scored a season low 36 points in a 17-point drubbing at North Branch. Earlier in the year Owen-Gage defeated the Eagles, 73-66.

If the Bulldogs hope to return to the win column this Friday at CPS, they will have to find a way back to the foul line.

Against the Eagles the 'Dogs went scoreless from the stripe while attempting only 2 tosses.

Adding salt to the wound, Tuesday of last week, Owen-Gage was defeated by AuGres, 52-49. In that contest the hosts shot only 4 times from the stripe.

North Branch used a well balanced attack to jump out to a 15-8 lead as 7 different players registered a hoop in

the opening period.

Dustin Jones, who recorded game scoring honors with 20 tallies, then led the winners on a 19-8 run to the intermission with 3 quick baskets in succession, along with 2 tosses from the stripe.

The Bulldogs used 2 baskets each from Brent Fritz, Joe Garza and Mickey Parks in the third stanza and shaved 5 points from the winners' lead heading into the final period, where they trailed, 45-32.

Unlike their first meeting, however, when the Bulldogs erased a 5-point fourth quarter deficit with a 25-13 scoring blitz, Owen-Gage was held to a Brent Fritz basket in the final period. Fritz was the only Bulldog to finish in double figures, as he netted a dozen points.

### AUGRES

Denny Wendel, Kenny Byard and Dave Dittenber combined for all but 3 of the Wolverines' points in their 52-49 win at Owendale.

Dittenber scored 24 points, including 6 pressure free throws, in the final period with the game's outcome in the balance. On the night, Dittenber converted 10-12 free throws and registered 7 field goals.

Owen-Gage was led by Chris Anthes' 18 points. Anthes scored 10 of his markers in the final quarter as he and Dittenber were one man shows for their respective teams.

The game seesawed back and forth most of the initial half as Brad Niester gave the hosts a 6-5 lead, registering Owen-Gage's first 3 hoops of the game.

AuGres, however, captured a 15-14 lead after the opening period behind Dittenber's 8 points in the stanza. AuGres slowly added to their advantage and led 27-24 at the half and 42-34 after 3 periods.

**OWEN-GAGE:** Fritz 3-2 (0-0) 12; Garza 3-0 (0-0) 6; Mandich 0-1 (0-0) 3; Niester 1-0 (0-0) 2; Anthes 4-0 (0-0) 8; Parks 2-0 (0-2) 5. **TOTALS:** 13-3 (0-2) 36.

**N.B.W.:** Norton 2-1 (0-1) 7; Meredith 3-0 (0-3) 6; Tuttle 2-1 (0-0) 7; Jones 8-0 (4-9) 20; Volz 2-0 (0-0) 4; Sommers 1-0 (1-2) 3; Senica 1-0 (0-0) 2; Lindsay 3-0 (0-0) 6. **TOTALS:** 22-2 (5-15) 55.

**OWEN-GAGE:** Fritz 1-2 (0-0) 8; Garza 3-0 (0-0) 6; Mandich 1-0 (0-0) 2; Niester 3-0 (3-4) 9; Anthes 9-0 (0-0) 18; Englehardt 1-0 (0-0) 2; Parks 2-0 (0-0) 4. **TOTALS:** 20-2 (3-4) 49.

**AuGRES:** Brock 1-0 (1-2) 3; Wendel 6-0 (0-0) 12; Byard 6-0 (1-2) 13; Dittenber 7-0 (10-12) 24. **TOTALS:** 20-0 (12-17) 52.



**CASS CITY'S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** free throw shoot winners, for girls and boys ages 10-14, are: (from the left) Andrea Rea, Shelly Ulfing, Mandy Chappel, Ashlie Chappel, Sam Hobbs, Nathan Haag, Corey Ulfing, Chad Diegel. Missing were Kelli VanVliet and Trent LeValley.

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# Hillaker signs letter of intent

Jodi Hillaker of Cass City High School has signed a letter of intent to play basketball at Grand Rapids Baptist College.

Hillaker was a 3-year starter at Cass City High School and last year led the team in assists and steals and was second in scoring. She was named to the All-Conference team in both her junior and senior seasons, and as a senior was picked as the team's most valuable player.

Hillaker is carrying a grade-point average of 3.6 (4.0 scale) and scored a 28 on the ACT. She plans to pursue a business degree.

Hillaker's older sister, Jandi, an outstanding athlete at Cass City High School, has just completed her freshman year on the Grand Rapids Lady Comet basketball team. She led the team in scoring, assists and steals and was named the team's most valuable player.

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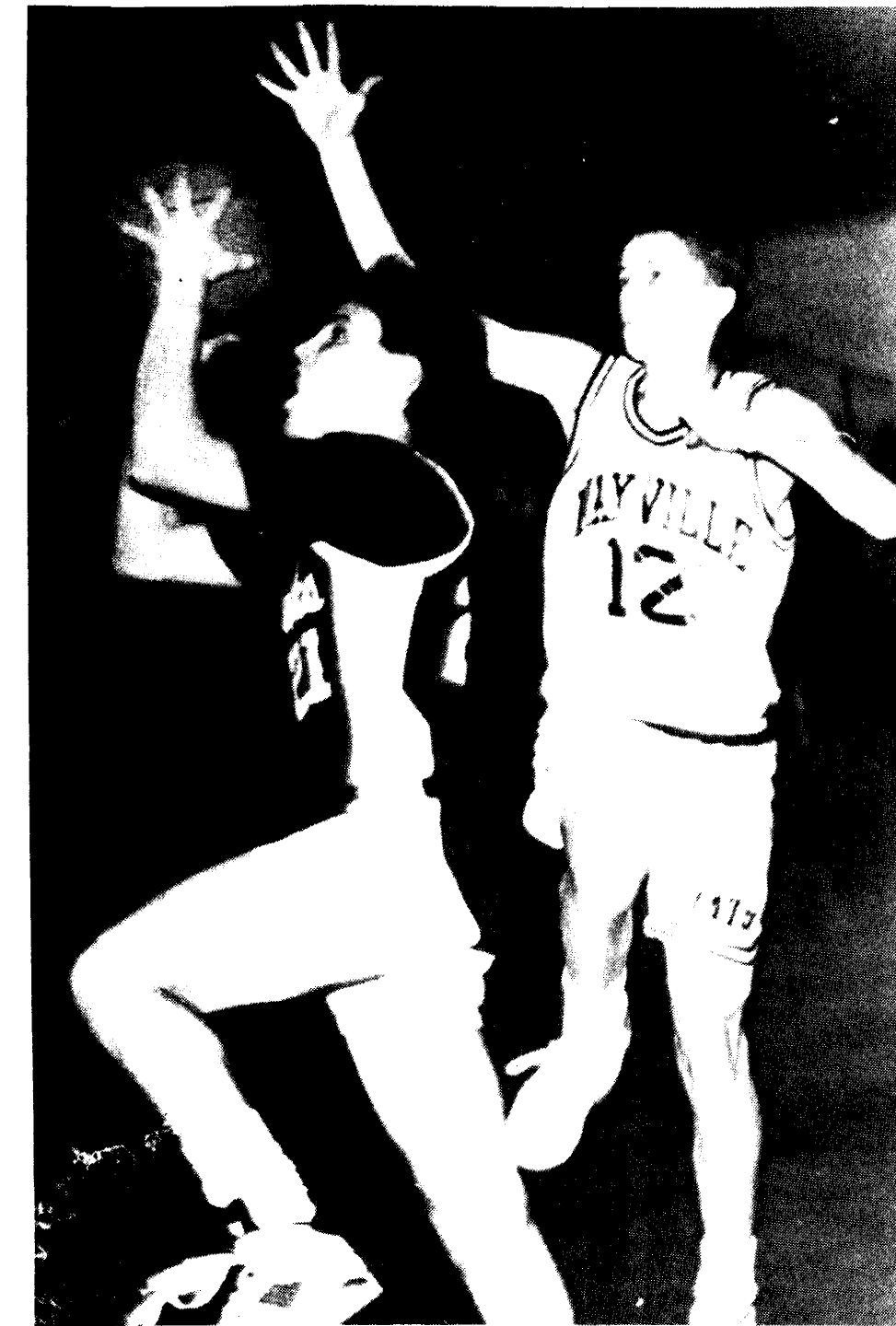
## 3 straight games

# Deckerville spikers shut out Cass City Monday

The Cass City Red Hawk volleyball team entertained Deckerville Monday and were defeated in straight games, 16-14, 9-15 and 15-13.

Coach Jenifer Green's spikers will have to put the defeat behind them if they hope for a good showing Saturday at the Vassar tournament.

And that could be tough, considering that the Hawks lost 2 of Monday's games after leading late in the



JOHN GIBSON scored on this fast-break lay-up on his way to a career-high 20 point night against Mayville.

match. In the first game, Cass City played its best ball of the night and built a commanding 12-4 lead.

Deckerville came charging back and sliced the lead to 12-9 before Cass City's Mary Polega recorded 2 service points, the first one coming on a well placed ace serve, putting the hosts at game point.

The Eagles, however, entered the game's final 7 tallies to swipe the first game of

the match. In the second game Cass City again jetted to an early lead behind the serving of Polega and Leslie Goslin and led 4-1.

Deckerville's Melanie Mousure, the best volleyball player on the floor, led the visitors on an 8-point run with several cross court spikes that gave the Eagles a 9-4 edge.

Jodi Hillaker put the Hawks at 7-9 with 3 service points as Jodi LaRoche,

Jenny Storm and Barb Kelley each had a kill shot in the stretch.

The 2 schools traded points until, with the Hawks trailing 9-11, Deckerville scored 4 unanswered points for the win.

In the final game Cass City had the serve and a 13-11 lead before Deckerville ran off the game's final 4 points for the win.

Much of the success in the earlier part of the final game can be attributed to the hustle of Red Hawk Keri Santos, who saved several shots with diving digs.



RED HAWK Keri Santos digs in for a save against Deckerville on Monday.

# Cass City loses 2 games by total of just 3 points

## Mayville wins in double overtime

It figured to be another close game, the kind that keeps the spectators glued to the end of their seats until the final buzzer, and it turned out to be exactly that, as the visiting Mayville Wildcats defeated the Cass City Red Hawks Friday in double overtime, 70-69.

It was a game in which it appeared first one team then the other had the victory wrapped up only to have the win slip away as the trailing team came up with a clutch basket to keep victory hopes alive.

In the fourth quarter the Hawks trailed until the very end as Mayville nursed a lead that varied between 2 and 7 points. It appeared as if the game was over when the Wildcats were in front by a basket and at the foul line with 19 seconds left. Mike Swan missed and Matt Harmon also failed to connect from the foul circle after Mayville got the ball back on a Cass City turnover.

That set the stage for the first game-saving play for Cass City. Paul Ulfig went to the line, but missed. The rebound was juggled around, but ended in Ulfig's hands. His short jumper went in as the whistle sounded to tie the game.

In the first overtime Matt Seger put Mayville ahead with a pair of buckets, but Cass City evened it up again at 63-all as Ulfig hit 2 free throws and Greg LeValley scored.

Ulfig fouled out with 18 seconds left in the first overtime. The Hawks also lost

John Gibson via the foul route in the fourth quarter. The junior guard had one of his best nights of the year, scoring 20 points and playing a strong defensive game. Mayville lost Scott Frenzel in the fourth quarter. He was Mayville's top rebounder and leading scorer with 23 points.

The teams traded baskets in the second overtime until, with 8 seconds left, Ron Bouck calmly converted 2 free throws to put the Hawks

ahead by a point, 69-68.

Bryan McKenna, who had missed an opportunity to end the game in regulation, atoned for the miss as he hit a 12-foot jumper to win the game as the gun sounded.

Cass City had a slight edge on the battle for the boards, 29 to 26.

### JV GAME

The Hawk junior varsity won the preliminary game, 49-38.

CASS CITY - Irrr 0-1 (3-4) 6; Bouck 0-0 (2-2) 2; Gibson 6-2 (2-4) 20; Gray 2-0 (2-3) 6; LeValley 4-2 (2-2) 16; Mika 1-0 (0-0) 2; Ulfig 4-0 (3-9) 9; Evans 2-0 (2-3) 6. TOTALS: 19-5 (16-28) 69

MAYVILLE: Harmon 1-1 (0-2) 5; McKenna 3-0 (1-3) 7; Frenzel 5-1 (10-11) 23; Wingert 1-0 (3-4) 5; Seger 8-0 (0-1) 16; Swain 6-0 (2-3) 14. TOTALS: 24-2 (16-25) 70.

## Well-played Bad Axe-Cass City game marred by fight

A string of road games for the Cass City Red Hawks started on a sour note Friday at Bad Axe when the Hatchets defeated Cass City, 68-66, in what observers for both teams called a well-played game. Cass City was to play at Uby Tuesday, Marlette Friday and Lakers Friday, Feb. 28.

The fine performance on the floor was marred by a fight that broke out after the final whistle and the Hatchets had posted their first Blue Bay Conference win of the year and their second of the season.

A little trash talking by the victors resulted in a fight among the players and fans who came out of the stands to participate.

Coach Jeff Hartel said that in no way does he condone fighting, which has no place in basketball competition. However, he added, I support my players who came to the defense of their teammates.

Tensions were high because the game was up for grabs, not decided until the final whistle. Trailing by 2 points with 12 seconds left, Paul Ulfig was fouled and converted both baskets to tie it. Bad Axe took the ball and Cass City failed to stop the man with the ball and he went the entire length of the floor to score a lay-up.

That left about 3 seconds. A length of the floor pass was caught underneath Cass City's basket and the shot put up before the final

buzzer. It rolled around the rim and bounced out as the game ended.

To make the game as close as it was Cass City had to come from behind. After a strong first quarter paced by John Gibson's 9 points, the Hawk offense went into a deep freeze. Entering the second period Cass City was ahead, 19-16, and at the half the Hawks trailed 39-31.

The Hatchets hit a pair of 3 pointers in the quarter and Jeremy Adams added 3 field goals and a free throw in his team's rally.

The Hawks' last half rally was led by Ulfig, who was limited to a pair of field goals in the first half.

He ripped in 11 points in the third quarter as the Hawks closed the gap to 52-48 and added 10 more in the last quarter in the Cass City rally that set the stage for the last minute action previously described.

Ulfig ended the night with 25 points. Gibson added 15

and Greg LeValley, 11. Brent Cubitt led Bad Axe with 22.

CASS CITY: Irrer 3-0 (0-0) 6; Bouck 2-0 (1-3) 5; Gibson 4-1 (4-5) 15; LeValley 3-1 (2-2) 11; Ulfig 11-0 (3-5) 25; Evans 2-0 (0-3) 4. TOTALS: 25-2 (10-18) 66.

BAD AXE: Carder 0-0 (2-2) 2; B. Cubitt 4-3 (5-6) 22; Coiner 3-0 (4-5) 10; M. Cubitt 5-1 (0-0) 13; Blackstock 1-0 (0-0) 2; Adams 4-0 (2-4) 10; Brining 3-0 (3-8) 9. TOTALS: 20-4 (16-25) 68.

## Drawing to aid stricken student

The Aid Association for Lutherans, Branch 6493 from Our Savior, Marlette, will sponsor a drawing at Friday's Marlette-Cass City basketball game to benefit a Marlette student mysteriously stricken with paralysis.

Donations are also welcomed by the AAL branch, which will match up to \$1,500.

The student, Terry Packard, has been paralyzed from the shoulders down since January 1991. After extensive testing, the cause is still unknown.

Organizers say the high school junior is slowly regaining partial movement in her arms and legs.

## Volleyball tournament set March 21

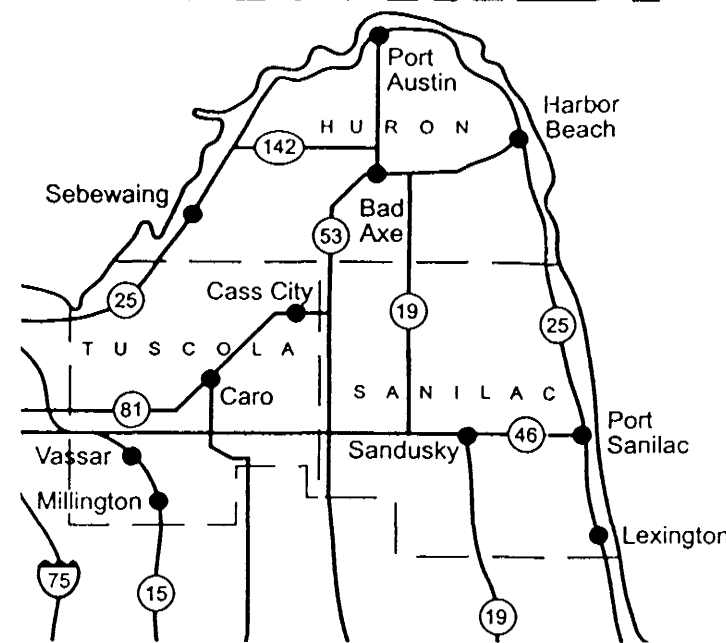
An adult co-ed power volleyball tournament will be held March 21 at Sandusky High School.

Additional information is available by contacting Beth Schumacher at (313) 648-3472, Monday through Thursday after 2 p.m.

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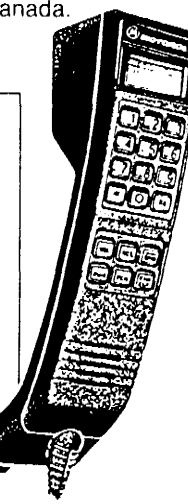
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CASS CITY EIGHTH grade students (left to right) Charity Gaszczynski, Jake Lounsbury and Shivaugn Rayl have been named winners in the 23rd annual America & Me Contest. Rayl composed the first-place entry, Gaszczynski placed second and Lounsbury, third.

## America & me

# Announce essay winners

Cass City Middle School students Shivaugn Rayl, Charity Gaszczynski and

Jake Lounsbury were recently named first, second and third place winners, re-

spectively, in the 23rd annual America & Me Essay Contest.

They are among 8 Cass City students who entered essays under the direction of Michelle Ancomb and Diana Williams. The others are Natalie Ramsey, Whitney Osentoski, Leann Deering, Chris Revis and Patricia Krol.

The 3 local winners will receive award certificates for their achievements.

As the school's first place winner, Rayl's name will be engraved on a plaque for permanent display in the school library. Her entry now advances to state level competition, from which the top 10 essays in the state will be selected.

The top 10 state winners, who will be announced in May, will receive plaques and U.S. savings bonds valued at \$500 to \$1,000. In addition, they will be honored at a banquet in Lansing and at a meeting with Michigan's governmental leaders in late May.

In all, several thousand students from nearly 500 Michigan schools took part in this year's America & Me Contest, which is sponsored by the Farm Bureau Insurance Agency.

This year's topic was "How I Will Make a Difference in My Corner of America."

Established in 1968, the contest, open to all Michigan eighth grade students, encourages youths to explore their roles in America's future.

## Library 'friends' conduct elections

The Friends of Rawson Memorial Library, Cass City, recently conducted their first election of officers.

Elected president was Geneva Richards. Jackie Seski will serve as vice president, Pat Britt was elected secretary and Ann Elliot, treasurer.

The "Friends" meet on the first Thursday of each month at the library, located 6495 Pine St. The low-key group welcomes new members and invites men and women interested in volunteering their time for various projects to attend the meetings.

Activities sponsored by the organization in 1991 included a video quilt show and display, assembling a bi-monthly newsletter, preparing materials for children's programs, furnishing refreshments for programs, bar coding books and assisting with automation, and preparing new library materials.

"The service rendered in our community by the library is immeasurable and the services given by the volunteers (are) inestimable," Richards commented.

Upcoming events planned by the "Friends" include a needlework show set for March 23-31, and a book sale. Donations of books for the sale are welcomed and can be dropped off at the library.

## LWML Day of Prayer service set

The Ladies of the Thumb Zone, Lutheran Women's Missionary League, will hold their annual Day of Prayer service Feb. 25 at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Cass City.

This year's theme is "The Seven Words of Jesus from the Cross." Services will be held at 1 and 7 p.m.

The Kilmanagh society will conduct the 1 p.m. service and the Linkville society will serve refreshments. The Unionville society will be in charge of the 7 p.m. service, with the Fairgrove society serving refreshments.

Ladies planning to attend are asked to take their Bibles for the Bible study, which will focus on the Lenten theme.

Last year, Cass City society members decided to participate in the Christmas sock mite gathering. More than \$33 was collected in addition to the regular mite offerings.

"This may not seem like much, but the little mite does a mighty job when it comes to supporting mission needs," said Donna Schuette, a member of the Cass City Society and public relations chairman for the Thumb Zone of LWML.

She added members have decided to fill the socks again in 1992.

## O-G pair selected for all-star band

Becky Fahrner, daughter of Faith and Fred Fahrner of Owendale, and Tanya Muntz, daughter of Janet Muntz of Cass City, have been selected to perform with the 1992 Michigan State University All-Star Band.

Both students attend the Owendale-Gagetown Public Schools and are members of the high school band.

They will be performing Feb. 1 at the Warton Center for Performing Arts on the campus of Michigan State University.

# Obituaries

## James Marshall

James Roy Marshall, 47, of Deford, died suddenly Feb. 10 in Tuscola County from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

He was born May 30, 1944, in Wayne, the son of Ted Marshall and the late Eleanor (Neff) Marshall.

He was united in marriage to Paula Phillips April 10, 1964, in Shabbona. The couple made their home in the Deford area.

Marshall was employed by the Saginaw Division of General Motors. He served with the U.S. Air Force and was a member of the Lamotte Missionary Church.

He is survived by 2 sons, James B. Marshall and Jason Marshall, both of Marlette; one daughter, Sandra Lynn Marshall of Deford; his father and step-mother, Ted and Evelyn Marshall of Caro; one sister, Judy Marshall of Cass City; 2 brothers, Theodore Marshall of Detroit and David Marshall of Cass City, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday at the Lamotte Missionary Church, with the Rev. James Keller of Flint and the Rev. Richard Mearns, pastor of the Cass City Church of the Nazarene, officiating.

Interment was in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass

## City.

Arrangements were made by Little's Funeral Home, Cass City.

## Clara Vogel

Clara A. Vogel, 94, of Caro died Monday, Feb. 17, at Tendercare Nursing Home in Cass City following a brief illness.

She was born July 1, 1897, in rural Cass City, the daughter of Albert and Elizabeth (Vogt) Vogel. She lived in Cass City for 52 years before moving to Caro in 1949.

Miss Vogel was a member of the Ellington Nazarene Church. She had been employed as a cook for several years at the Sachridner Nursing Home in Caro and later was an active foster care mother.

She is survived by 5 nieces, Wanda Enoch, Beverly Hills, Fla., Thelma Jackson of Ubyly, Clara Bond and Barbara Hanby, both of Cass City, and Dorothy Van Allen of Caro; 4 foster daughters, Martha Coy of Aurora, Ill., Sandra Whitney of Livonia, Patricia Peterson of Gravette, Ark., and Avis Gottler of Imlay City; 4 foster grandchildren; one foster great-grandchild, and several great-nieces and nephews.

Preceding her in death were one brother, Charles Vogel; 6 sisters, Lillian

Decker, Susan Shoemaker, Ida Gordon, Alma Vogel, Elizabeth Spencer and Edith Schweigert.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, at the Huston &

Ransford Funeral Home in Caro with the Rev. Roger Mosey and the Rev. Paul Holdren officiating.

Burial will be in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

## Cass City retirees meet

Fifteen members of the Cass City Retired Persons group met Thursday at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

The tables were decorated with a valentine theme by group President Edna Simcox and Yvonne Burleson.

The group sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." The salute to the flag was led by Rose Worstell and a business meeting was held.

There was an exchange of valentines and members read the verses on theirs. After lunch, valentine bingo was played by the group with many prizes awarded.

Vivian Mosher received the bingo cover prize. Treats were furnished by Mrs. Mitchell and Deloris Fleming.

At the March meeting, everyone is to wear something green.

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# Cass City Bowling Leagues

## SUNDAY NIGHTERS Feb. 9, 1992

High Rollers 14  
Misfits 11  
Sugar Makers 10  
Sweet Guys 10  
Surprise Strikers 10  
Old Timers 9  
Schott's Accounting 7  
The L.T.'s 6  
Town & Country 6  
Alley Cats 6  
Try Hards 3

Men's High Series: F. Schott 551.  
Men's High Game: F. Schott 214.  
Women's High Series: D. Hayes 524.  
Women's High Game: S. LaPratt 191.  
High Team Series: Schott's Accounting 1915.  
High Team Game: Schott's Accounting 654.

## SUNDAY DIRTY DOZEN Feb. 9, 1992

K's & Z's 13  
Woodchoppers 11  
Mallory Music 10  
In-Denial 9  
The Untouchables 8  
Mixed Emotions 8  
Wright Turn Bowlers 6  
Don Erla Foods 4  
Fun 4  
Chevy Bunch 3  
\*Points to be adjusted.

Men's High Series: D. Romain 567.  
Men's High Game: D. Romain 232.

Women's High Series: C. Crane 488.  
Women's High Game: C. Crane 187.  
High Team Series: K's & Z's 1907.  
High Team Game: Woodchoppers 686.

## TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS Feb. 10, 1992

Cass City Sports 7  
Spaulding Builders 5  
Miller Eggs 5  
C.R. Hunt 5  
B.A. Calka 5  
Kermit's Krushers 2  
Parkway Drive Thru 2  
Charmont 2  
Kelly's Market 2  
Erla's Inc. 0

High Series & Games: S. Miller 662 (212-246), C. Bellow 590 (258), Doug O'Dell 626 (258), M. Lutz 658 (232-247), R. Doerr 630 (227-233), R. Spaulding 625 (213-220), S. Hammett 621 (237), E. Schultz 613 (225), J. Zawilinski 599 (212-224), M. Weltin 595 (225-239), C. Kelley 578, K. Kilbourn 235, Bill Shagena 215, M. Grifka 213, M. Irrer 212.

High Team Series: Kermit's Krushers 2843.  
High Team Game: Parkway Drive Thru 1010.

## CHARMONT LADIES

ServiStar 3  
Thumb Nat'l Bank 3

Truemner Salvage 3  
Board's 2  
Cable-ettes 2  
Cass City Tire 2  
Continental Rental 2  
Charmont 2  
Pizza Villa 2  
Gilligan's 1  
Live-Wires 1  
Wild John's 1

High Team Series: Truemner Salvage 3017.  
High Team Game: Thumb Nat'l Bank 1079.  
High Series: P. Corcoran 699, P. McIntosh 556, D. Mathewson 545, E. Romain 517, D. Sweeney 516, R. Speirs 485, B. Howard 514, V. Patera 483, M. Moore 482.

High Games: P. Corcoran 284-232, M. Moore 204, P. McIntosh 208, B. Howard 185, D. Mathewson 213, V. Patera 177, J. Merchant 176, L. Comment 177, R. Speirs 177, S. Badder 172, D. Sweeney 174, E. Romain 177, K. Guinther 174, S. Lefler 173, S. Seeley 188.

## TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES' LEAGUE Feb. 11, 1992

Sutter's Bakery 21  
Alley Hoppers 18  
Charmont 13  
Sunshine Girls 10  
Country Gals 6

High Series: L. Comment 502.  
High Game: P. Jamieson 190.

High Team Series: Charmont 1736.  
High Team Game: Charmont 630.

## NIGHT OWLS 2 Man Teams Feb. 12, 1992

D & G 17  
Bad to the Bone 14  
TJ's 14  
D & D 10 1/2  
Lookin Up 9  
R & R Bowling 7 1/2

High Series & Games: J. Schwartz 594 (218), Terry Kuck 502 (232), B. Kingsland 533 (210), G. Kuck 517, T. Babish 511, L. Albrecht 500.

## MERCHANTS' "A" Feb. 12, 1992

Kingston State Bank 4  
Mathewson 4  
Charmont 3  
New England Life 3  
Charmont Motel 3  
Kritzmans' 2  
Gilligan's 2  
Warju Flooring 1  
Summers 1  
Brentwood 1  
Chronicle 0  
Jaycees 0

High Series & Games: W. Smith 757 (278-256-223), K. Beachy 693 (234-233-226), J. Howard 683 (277-213), W. Teets 683 (257-224), M. Jackson 669 (243-224), D. Orton 630 (267), J. Storm 629 (269), J. Millettics 625 (227-216), L. Spickerman 610 (222), M. Lutz 608, D. King 604 (244), R. Hull 585 (215), C. Altizer 575, C. Russell 570 (230), G. Robinson 566 (214), R. Nicholas 559 (222), P. Robinson 559, R. Rabideau 226, D. Iseler 224, J. Santos 224, L. Summers 223, J. Spencer 214, J. Putnam 213.

## MERCHANTS' "B" Feb. 12, 1992

Shag's Angels II 4  
Gilligan's 3  
3 S.O's 3  
Mack Tools 2 1/2  
Bliss 1 1/2  
Board Chrysler 1  
Charmont 1

High Series & Games: M. Lutz 641 (249), R. Kerkau 620 (234-225), M. Weltin 607 (215), J. Grifka 581, M. Grifka 550 (211), B. Shagena 213, S. Hammett 212.

## THURSDAY NITE TRIO Feb. 13, 1992

Deford Country Groc. 8  
Kilbourn Tech 6 1/2  
Jacques Seeds 6  
Northon Const. 6  
Lemke's Repair 4  
Kilbourn Service 4  
Nelesco 3 1/2  
Martin Electric 3 1/2  
Cass City IGA 3  
Charmont 3  
Gilligan's 1 1/2  
Rooster Ranch 0

High Series & Games: E. Schmaltz 661 (226-243), R. Hollis 246, D. Beacher 601 (221-223), D. Iseler 231, Doug O'Dell 593 (213), D. King 601 (214), S. Miller 587 (226), D. Doerr 604, Dan Smith 592, K. Kilbourn 612 (228).

High Team Series: Northon Const. 1908.  
High Team Game: Nelesco 653.

## THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE Feb. 13, 1992

HI Roth 29  
Team #006 25  
Kingston Mini Mart 25  
AIDES 22  
Sal's Country Clipper 20  
Pin Pals 13  
Deford Country Groc. 9  
Bye 1

High Series: D. Smith 587.

High Game: D. Smith 222.

High Team Series: AIDES 1787.

High Team Game: AIDES 627.

## FRIDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES Feb. 14, 1992

Look Out, We're Back 43  
Cass City Oil & Gas 40  
Should've Been 40  
The Family 33  
The Old Folks 22  
Town & Country 20  
The Kids 14  
Bee Gee's 12

Men's High Series: L. Gasczynski 539.  
Men's High Game: L. Gyomory 197.  
Women's High Series: B. Watson 593, M. Fee 529.  
Women's High Game: B. Watson 214.  
High Team Series: Cass City Oil & Gas 2089.  
High Team Game: Cass City Oil & Gas 727.

## SATURDAY SPINNERS Jr. League Feb. 15, 1992

Sharks 15  
Gutters 13  
Kids Club 12 1/2  
The Blue Whale 12  
Cherokee Indians 12  
Turtles 2 12  
Switcheroo's 11  
Braves 10  
Terminators 10  
Big Time Bowlers 5  
K K E 4  
Super Arc's 3 1/2

Boys' High Series: A. Bradley 367.  
Boys' High Game: A. Bradley 143.  
Girls' High Series: K. Gaymer 296.  
Girls' High Game: K. Gaymer 120.  
High Team Series: Turtles 2 936.

High Team Game: Turtles 2 320.

## SATURDAY SPINNERS Sr. League Feb. 15, 1992

Tigers 16  
Miller Eggs, Inc. 15  
Bulls 13  
High Rollers 12  
The Strike Force 12  
The Wild Side 12  
Mess Meisters 11  
Disaster Area 8  
Neon Cruisers II 8  
White Kittens 8  
T.L.C. Jrs. 3

Boys' High Series: C. Zawilinski 447, A. Hanselman 426.  
Boys' High Game: S. Spencer 167.  
Girls' High Series: C. Graichen 405.  
Girls' High Game: C. Graichen 166.  
High Team Series: Miller Eggs, Inc. 1525.  
High Team Game: Miller Eggs, Inc. 563.

## Kingston Schools announce honor roll

Kingston School officials recently named the following students to the first semester honor roll:

Randal Sommerfield, Anne Stark, Chuck Taylor, Kim Taylor

### 10TH GRADE

Danny Browning, Christopher Glaza, Tanya Harman, \*Melanie Kramer, \*Angela Sims, Aaron Tait, Eddi Walkiewicz, Tracy Wilcox, \*Kevin Zurro, \*Debbie Zyrowski.

### 11TH GRADE

Hope Armstrong, Sarah Gerhardt, Erin McLaughlin, James McLaughlin, Harold Murthum, Judy Rauch, Shannon Schell, Maria Vanderpool, Amy Wrubel, Matthew Zajac.

### 7TH GRADE

David Albin, \*Carrie Harp, \*Shannon Jacques, \*Devin Kelley, Emily King, \*Jessica Larsen, Jimmy Mallory, Brandi Myers, Meredith Roland, Edmund Woodward.

### 8TH GRADE

Samatha Ketterer, Daniel Mahan, Amy Moore, \*Angela Moore, Janice Nagy, April Sommerfield, Karri Stark, \*Joel Tait, Shallen Westfall.

Honorary - Jason Lucius.

### 9TH GRADE

\*Alexander Albin, Laura Crisp, Jessica Crittenden, \*Nancy Diebold, Adam Gennrich, Ken Gilley, Candace Glaza, Chris Harp, Elizabeth Kendall, Brian Maynard, Lisa Morningstar, Angel Nicol, \*Bayne Roland, Kristina Sims.

### 12TH GRADE

\*Carol Adamczyk, Anita Gohs, \*Erika Grubba, Eric McLaughlin, Don Moore, Steven Nemeth, Christina Smith, Russell Smith, Leslie Steff, Jodi Swallow, Jeffrey Zajac, Jill Zyrowski.

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1989 DELTA 88, loaded	\$9,395	\$195 <sup>38</sup>	48
1989 CELEBRITY EUROSPORT, loaded	\$4,695	\$97 <sup>44</sup>	54
1989 BERETTA GT, loaded	\$8,495	\$176 <sup>66</sup>	48
1988 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME, 2 dr.	\$8,195	\$170 <sup>42</sup>	48
1988 DELTA 88, full power	\$8,295	\$172 <sup>50</sup>	48
1988 CHEVY CAPRICE, V-8, auto., air	\$7,895	\$164 <sup>18</sup>	48
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1989 ASTRO LT VAN, loaded	\$12,195	\$253 <sup>61</sup>	48
1989 ASTRO CONVERSION VAN	\$10,895	\$226 <sup>87</sup>	48
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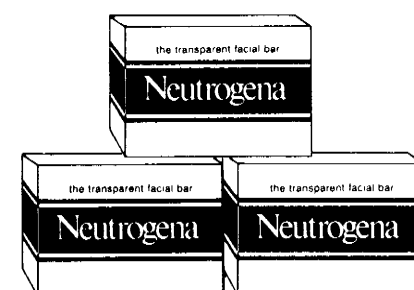


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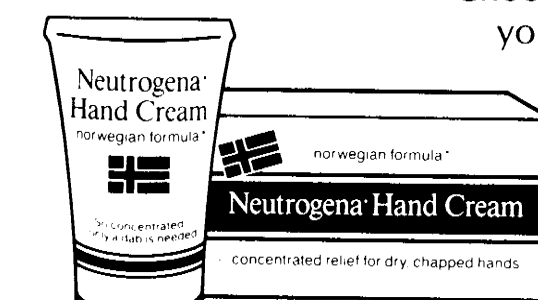
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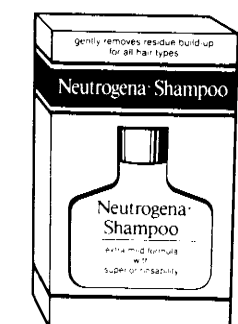
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# What we need is capital punishment

A jury found Jeffrey Dahmer sane when he killed and dismembered 15 men and boys in a horrifying quest for sexual gratification.

Your neighbor, Louella Ford, 62, of Silverwood was asked how she felt about a plea of insanity for cases like these.

Ford says that it shouldn't be allowed. What we need is capital punishment, she adds grimly.

While Ford lives in Silverwood, she is in Cass City 5 days a week and has been since last October. She drives her daughter, Sharon Ford, 45, to the hospital for physical therapy. Sharon had both of her knees wrecked in an automobile accident.

Besides Sharon, Ford has 2 other daughters, Joyce Forth of Mayville and Jean Seibert of Silverwood.

Louella Ford volunteered happily that she recently became a great-grandmother for the sixth time, with the birth of Kellie Lynn of Flint.



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# TNU nets \$3 million in drugs

The Thumb Narcotics Unit, assisted by a host of law enforcement agencies, took some \$3 million worth of illicit drugs off Thumb streets in 1991.

And that's a conservative estimate, considering marijuana accounts for a majority of the take and that the \$3 million figure was tabulated using an estimated street value of \$1,500 per pound for the drug.

In fact, the going price for a pound of marijuana is closer to \$2,200, TNU Commander Det. Lt. Gordon Good remarked during the Thumb drug task force's annual meeting Thursday in Caro.

TNU serves Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola counties, with a contingency of 9 officers and a secretary, in a geographical area encompassing a population of some 204,000 people. The unit, organized in May 1989, is a multi-jurisdictional concept team funded by federal, state and local monies.

Good briefly outlined the organization's accomplishments in 1991, saying it was another successful year, with activity in all categories up 25 to 28 percent.

A break-down of the year's statistics reveals that TNU officers, with the help of local police and other law enforcement agencies, investigated a total of 87 complaints; 40 in Lapeer County, 30 in Tuscola County, 12 in Huron County and 5 in Sanilac County.

Officers arrested 80 people on 157 counts, including 151 drug charges, with 41 arrests in Lapeer County (77 counts), 29 arrests in Tuscola County (56 counts), 9 arrests in Huron County (21 counts) and one in Sanilac County (3 counts).

Aside from drugs, officers seized 3 vehicles, \$17,422 in cash and \$10,000 worth of property.

The drug unit garnered 39 informants, including 16 in Tuscola County, 13 in Lapeer County, 7 in Huron County and 2 in Sanilac County.

### 2ND CASH CROP

He commented that the Thumb, because of its rural nature, is an increasingly popular area for growing marijuana, which is now the second highest ranking cash crop in Michigan.

"It's becoming a very, very expensive and lucrative commodity on the market," he said.

In other business last week, officials elected the TNU Board of Directors, and honored Robert DeTavener of the Lapeer County Sheriff's Department, the task force's Officer of the Year for 1991.

County officials elected to the board were:

Huron County — Fairhaven Police Chief Kurt Kelly and county Prosecutor Leslie Hagen; Lapeer County — Almont Police Chief Len Everett and Rosemary Simpson of Oregon Township; Sanilac County — Sandusky Police Chief Tim Woelkers and county Commissioner Dan Dean, and Tuscola County — Cass City Police Chief Gene Wilson and Arbelia Township Clerk Mary Warren.

Everitt was elected chairman of the board, while Hagen will serve as vice-chairman, Tuscola County Undersheriff James Fyvie as secretary and Sanilac County Treasurer Virgil Strickler, treasurer.

### 1,952 POUNDS

In all, TNU officers purchased/seized a total of 1,952 pounds of marijuana valued at \$2,928 million, 462 grams of cocaine valued at \$57,750, 1,051 units of LSD valued at \$5,255, and 2 grams of heroin/morphine valued at \$250.

The combined \$3 million worth of drugs is nearly 14 times the value of drugs purchased and seized the year before (\$217,155).

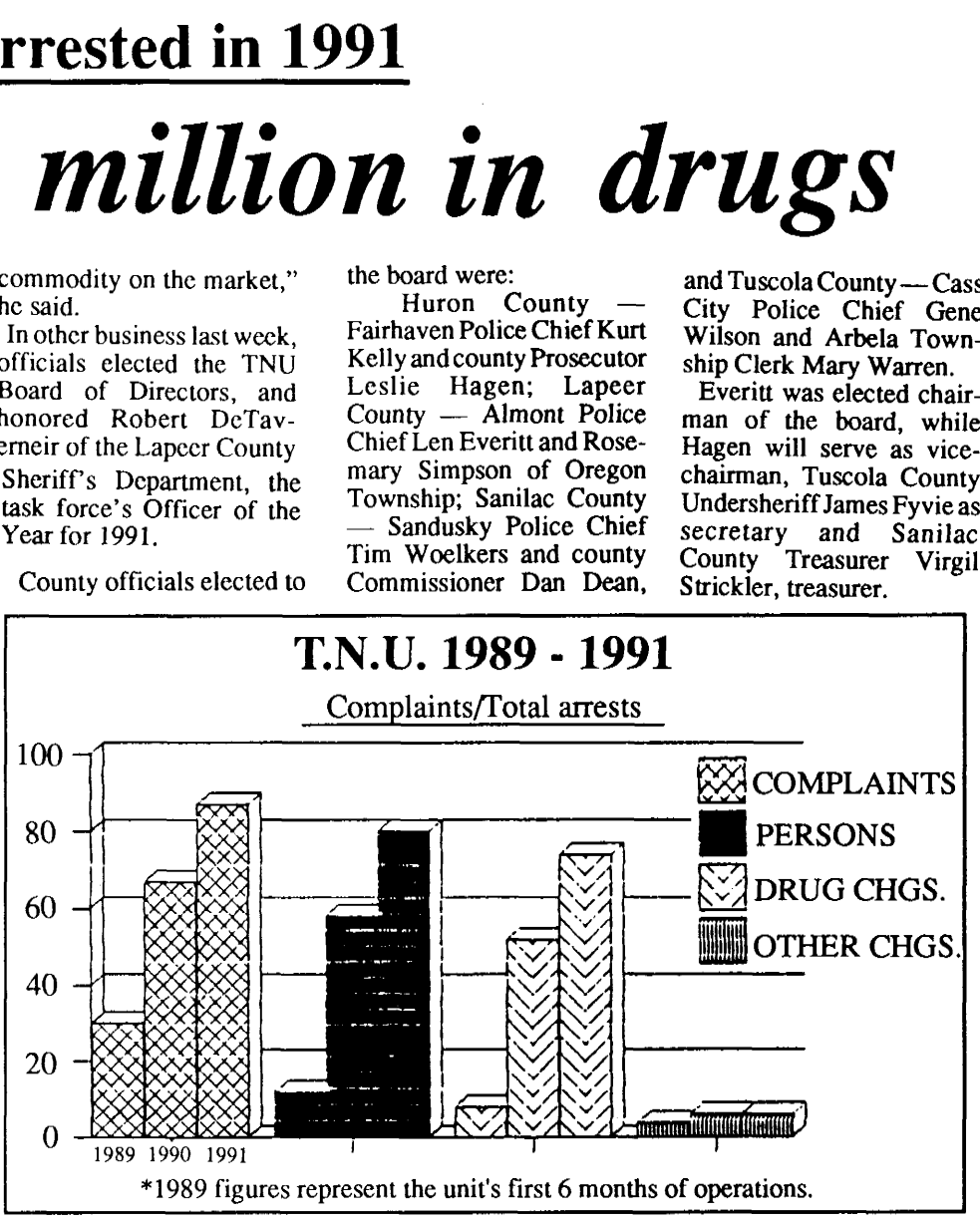
Good pointed out that 1991



MORE THAN \$1,500 in grant money from the Detroit Edison Foundation was presented to 6 Tuscola County teachers for energy-related classroom projects that encourage environmental awareness.

The awards were presented Jan. 29, by Nancy Halifax, general supervisor, Detroit Edison's Tuscola District, and Patricia Kirby, school improvement coordinator, Tuscola County Intermediate School District. The foundation recently awarded more than \$25,000 to nearly 90 teachers in Southeastern Michigan. The mini grants averaged \$250 each.

Pictured are: (front row, from left) Betty Wiseman, Reese High School; Barbara Ann Ruckle, Caro Middle and High School; Linda Bates, Schall Elementary School, Caro; (back row) Halifax, Janice Finkbeiner, Schall Elementary School, Caro; Mary Ann Safranek, Kingston High School; Carl Keiser, Unionville-Sebewaing High School, and Kirby.



## No action on road funding request

The Elkland Township Board last week tabled action on a request to help pay for road improvements to 3 miles of Elmwood Road, east of Cemetery Road.

The request was made during the board's Feb. 10 monthly meeting by 3 representatives of the Novesta Township Board, according to Elkland Township Clerk Norma Wallace. She noted some Elmwood Road residents who reside in Elkland Township also were in attendance.

No decision was made during the meeting, Wallace said, adding the section of road in question isn't under Elkland Township's jurisdiction. No cost figures for the planned improvements were available.

In other business, the board voted to buy a copy machine at a cost of \$1,275, and appointed election inspectors for the March 17 Presidential Primary Election.

Selected in Precinct One were Elwyn Helwig, Pat Wells, Shirley Strickland and Yvonne LeValley, with Helen Bartle as an alternate. In Precinct 2, the inspectors are Wallace, Mary Rabideau, Joan Little and Helen Lorentzen, with Janet Bishop as the alternate.

Also last week, the board: •Authorized installation of signs at the township cemetery that offer a \$500 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of individuals who vandalize cemetery property.

Wallace said the signs and reward were offered to the township at no charge by Cumings Memorials of Caro.

•Scheduled the township's annual meeting for 8 p.m., April 13 at the township fire hall, immediately following the board's regular monthly meeting.

Daniel Salcido

### Salcido arrives for duty

Air Force Staff Sgt. Daniel T. Salcido, a security supervisor, has arrived for duty at Malmstrom Air Force Base, located just east of Great Falls, Mont.

The sergeant is serving as a fire team leader, providing intelligence to Wing Security Control, as well as participating in armed response to infiltration or attack.

Salcido is the son of Anthony Salcido, 4822 Center St., Gagetown.

He is a 1977 graduate of Lincoln Park High School.

## Gospel concert scheduled

Les and Linda Green, nationally known TV and recording artists from Syracuse, N.Y., will present a gospel music concert at the Cass City Missionary Church, Feb. 26 at 7 p.m.

Les originally performed with the award winning quartet, "The Envoys," and has appeared regularly on talk shows such as the "700" Club.

Linda, his wife of 18 years and mother of their 3 sons, not only adds musically to the ministry with her alto voice, but shares her practical approach to everyday Christian living.

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Zoning officials resign

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proved 2 motions — one of which was formally rejected by the Zoning Board — that paved the way for the camp to re-open.

"Losers don't like winners — we've won all the way, and now the losers want to turn that around," commented Mayer.

Stoll stated in a brief letter that she no long wishes to work for a township board that has "total disregard for zoning laws."

She later said she doesn't believe the board has considered some important zoning issues, such as how the Pioneer operation affects surrounding property values. "That's a zoning consideration, regardless of whether you feel the camp is a good thing or a bad thing," she added.

Stoll lamented that zoning issues have become clouded by emotion and bitter feelings.

"I really feel bad about the whole situation. It's become a vengeful, get even battle; forget ordinances and forget everything else."

Kempa echoed those com-

ments and said the Township Board, in acting to allow the camp to re-open, has failed to place a control on the number of such facilities that can locate in the township.

"They have changed our zoning laws, just like that, and they don't realize what they've opened up."

Township Board Trustee Douglas Kramer disagrees.

He denied accusations that the Township Board has ignored zoning laws, and indicated the problem has largely been Mayer acting independently of both the Zoning Board and the Township Board's wishes.

Aside from the recent resignations, the camp controversy has led to 2 recall attempts, including one that ousted township Supervisor Terry Boyne from office early last month.

More recently, a group of residents attempted to get Mayer dismissed from his post. A dozen citizens approached the Township Board during its Feb. 10 monthly meeting and submitted a list outlining 14 charges against Mayer.

The residents accused him

of: 1) Failing to run the zoning board in a fair and professional manner, 2) Scheduling illegal closed meetings, 3) Using delay techniques to obtain personal objectives, 4) Failing to enforce the zoning ordinance equitably, 5) Prejudging zoning issues, 6) Failing to follow the law in regards to number of meetings and elections of chairman and secretary, 7) Failing to carry out Township Board motions, 8) Using his township position for personal use, 9) Making decisions on his own and inferring that they were Zoning Board decisions, 10) Failing to follow the township ordinance, 11) Failing to maintain a master plan, 12) Not conducting himself in a professional manner at an appeals board meeting, 13) Illegally asking for a Zoning Board member's resignation, and 14) Failing to comply with township ordinances at his personal residence.

Mayer acknowledged he's made some mistakes, but said most of the accusations presented to the Township Board are "a bunch of crap."



FROM THIS GROUP of 6 finalists from the Cass City High School senior class was selected the Chamber of Commerce's junior citizen of the year. From left: Leslie Goslin, Soo Yun, Catherine Coe, Brad Gray, Bart Hall and Jodi Erla.

PTA seeks approval of petition drive

Elaine Howard and Linda Volz, representing the Cass City Parent-Teachers Association, asked approval from the Cass City Board of Education Monday night of 2 proposed changes in the state constitution.

The PTA is circulating petitions supporting the changes and wanted the approval to use as a way to convince voters to sign petitions members will circulate.

There was no action on the proposal by the board and some reservations were expressed by President Ben Hobart.

One of the amendments seeks to change the law so that it will mandate a guaranteed access to a substantially equivalent public education for students regardless of their place of residence by Sept. 1, 1994.

The second amendment wants all money earned by the state lottery earmarked for school use only. The measures are endorsed by most school organizations.

Howard presented statistics to the board showing how rich districts spend much less of available income to provide much more money to students than poorer districts such as Cass City.

While acknowledging the

inequity of the system, Hobart also pointed out that if the districts were equalized as suggested, what you would be talking about here is a tax increase. The rich districts wouldn't become cheaper and the money would have to be raised to bring our expenditures up to that level, he feels.

Trustee Jim Turner had reservations about the earmarking of lottery funds.

Volz told the board that the reason the amendment is

needed is that the legislature has been talking about this problem for 25 years and done nothing and probably won't unless the constitution is changed.

The board took no action at this meeting. It may be on the board's March agenda.

In other business, Athletic Director Don Schelke told the board of plans for new football uniforms, and that boys' and girls' basketball uniforms are on the docket for next year.

Honor roll pupils at Middle School

Cass City Middle School officials recently named the following students to the school's third marking period honor roll:

5TH GRADE

B or Better - Doug Ball, Aaron Barrigar, Nathan Brown, Keith Caverly, Mandy Chappel, Carey Chard, Shelly Crow, Kyle Daniel, Joe Delong, Matt Derfny, Becky Dore, Ryan Downing, Sheri Foster, Nathan Fritz, Nathan Haag, Dave Hobbs, Jason Humpert, Laura Kunderinger, Mandy LaPeer, Steve McIntosh, Tara McNeil, Kara Mellendorf, Nicole Misovich, Amanda Morrish, Joel Nicol, Julie O'Berski, Susan O'Hara, Kary Otulakowski, Scott Ruggles, Marissa Sweeney, Adam Stockler, Shelly Ulfing, Jeremy Walther, Jason Wright, Heath Zawilinski, Sara Zorn.

All A's - Jim Dale, Kara Gaymer, Rose Hoelzle, Michelle Laming, Rebecca Oesch, Amy Venema, Eric Zawilinski, Nicolette Zawilinski.

6TH GRADE

B or Better - Jennifer Bechwith, Ryan Bennett, Stephanie Burleson, Christina Doerr, Jamie Englehart, Julie Erla, Jonathan Fobear, Cara Graichen, Shannon Haley, Andrew Hartwick, Jennifer Haynes, Cyrus Healy, Kristy Hicks, Rachel Hoard, Cheryl Laming, Chad Lenhard, Becky Lowe, Missy Lowe, Aaron Long, Lindsay Maharg, Janis Mastie, Jason Osantowski, Laura Osantowski, Jeremy Partaka, Andrea Rea, Amber Rienstra, Roger Rockwell, Michelle Scott, Tim Sherman, Ryan Smith, Chris Smutek, Amanda Stoner, Craig Swiderski, Shandy Viney, Matt Zigich.

All A's - Tammy Acker, Josh Brinkman, Lori Brown, Stacey Ceranski, Andy Green, Emily Hopper, Ryan Hutchinson, Nathan Matt, Janell Papovich, Leah Shagene.

7TH GRADE

B or Better - Katie Anthony, Elizabeth Bashur, George Cole, Mandy Deering, Sam Hobbs, Kurt Iwankovitsch, Marcia Klaus, Joni Laming, Pam Leiterman, Amanda Lowe, Jason MacAlpine, Gia

Chamber honors Davis, Erla

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Bolton, Dick Erla and Dick Teno.

NINA DAVIS

This year's citizen of the year has a long record of community and church service. She serves on the Elkland-Novesta United Way board, is a member of Cass City Business and Professional Women's Club and is president of the Thumb Bowling Association board. She is a member of the Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary and a worker at the community Thanksgiving dinner.

A member of St. Pancratius Church, she has held all the offices of the women's council several times. She teaches religious classes and is a worker on many church committees.

She has been chairperson of the Frances F. Reh bowling for 5 years and last year was the third highest money raiser in the Diocese of Saginaw, which includes over 60 communities.

Davis has been an employee at General Cable for over 38 years, moving to Cass City from New York in 1963.

JODI ERLA

Erla has been involved in a host of projects at the school. She is a member of the National Honor Society and is active in basketball and cheerleading. She participated in the Theater Festival and the Foreign Language Club.

She worked for Toys for Tots and the United Way Food Drive. She is senior class president and student council vice-president.

She helped organize project F.E.T.C.H. with the debate class and attended Rotary Leadership Camp.

She is a member of a 4-H Club showing horses and works at Erla's, Inc. She is a member of St. Pancratius Catholic Church.

PAST CITIZENS OF THE YEAR

Willis Campbell	1963
Herb Ludlow	1964
M.B. Auten	1965
Lucile Bauer	1966
E.B. Schwaderer	1967
Dr. H.T. Donahue	1968
James Bauer	1969
Audley Rawson	1970
Curtis Hunt	1971
W.E. Walpole	1972
H.M. Bulen	1973
Harry Little	1974
Cliff Croft	1975
Evelyn MacRae	1976
Helen Baker	1977
Lambert Althaver	1978
William Kritzman	1979
Dr. D.E. Rawson	1980
Esther McCullough	1981
James Ware	1982
Holly Althaver	1983
Arthur Holmberg	1984
Thomas Herron	1985
Geraldine Prieskom	1986
Thomas Proctor	1987
Jack Esau	1988
Lou LaPonsie	1989
Michael Weaver	1990
B.A. Calka	1991
Lloyd Vyse	1992
Ken Jensen	
Arlan Hartwick	
Wayne Dillon	
Nina Davis	

PAST JUNIOR CITIZENS OF THE YEAR

Betty Kennedy	1965
Robert Rabideau	1966
Tim Knight	1967
Joan Maleck	1968
Lynn Haire	1969
Sally Geiger	1970
Cindy Strickland	1971
Anne Bulen	1972
Ron Crandell	1973
Kim Glaspie	1974
Melody Bacon	1975
Marie Hobart	1976
Ann Hobart	1977
Sue Pobanz	1978
Cathy Hobart	1979
Ross Ridenour	1980
David Hines	1981
Frances Kozan	1982
Ken Martin Jr.	1983
Tammy Tibbits	1984
Scott Hobart	1985
Carrie Lautner	1986
Suzie Scollon	1987
Julie Smith	1988
Tammy Iseler	1989
Clayton Hobart	1990
Dave Burnette	1991
Jane Dickinson	1992
Amy Francis	
Jeff Bader	
Jane Marker	
Steve Tuckey	
Jodi Erla	

School board okays 5 1/2% wage boost

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it cuts into participation in other sports at the school sometimes, he feels.

The board asked Schelke to report that it was in favor of limiting the number of games like this to about 4. No action of any type is expected, Schelke said, before the 1993-94 school year.

•The school will pay the remainder of the operating loan it secured last fall before the due date to save money. In previous years the money was invested at a profit before it was used. With today's interest rate structure, that is no longer

possible, Micklash told the board.

Cass City

School menu

FEB. 24-28

**Monday** - Chicken Patty on Bun, Corn, Fruit, Milk.

**Tuesday** - Chili w/Crackers, Carrots, Fruit, Milk.

**Wednesday** - Chicken Nuggets w/Roll, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit, Milk.

**Thursday** - Pancakes & Sausage, Tater Tots, Fruit, Milk.

**Friday** - Cheese & Pepperoni Pizza, Green Beans, Fruit, Milk.

2nd Entree - - - Hot Dog w/ Bun.

CASS CITY SCHOOL NEWS

These are busy times in the Cass City High School Guidance Office. We are entering the final semester of school for seniors and their records are being checked to be sure that all graduation requirements are completed. Each graduate must have:

- 4 credits of English and Speech
- 2 credits of Math
- 2 credits of Science
- 3 credits of Social Studies
- 1 credit of Physical Education
- 1/2 credit of Computer Science

Each senior must also have credits in liberal arts and vocational classes. The total number of credits required for graduation is twenty-three. These requirements are among the toughest in the area.

Fifty-seven seniors have applied for admission to colleges.

We have presented financial aid information to all seniors in Government class and many of them are filling out applications. Collier Scholarship applications are due on March 1, 1992.

Sophomores visited the Skill Center on Feb. 6th to see the program offered. Fifty-seven of our students currently attend the Skill Center. An additional sixty-four students work part time on Co-op job placements while being enrolled in a minimum of at least five class hours.

The Student Council has chosen to participate in a peer-counseling program sponsored by the Michigan 4-H. We sponsored three students and two teachers at a week-end seminar on January 31st through February 2nd. They were impressed with the program and recommended that we participate. The program, called "Natural Helpers" educates students to effectively counsel other students. Twenty-five students will participate in a thirty hour training program conducted by Michigan 4-H held at Kettunen Center near Tustin, Michigan. Their training will include listening skills, and coping with dysfunctional families, abusive families, peer pressure, family conflicts, loneliness, rejection, depression, anger, and loss. They will learn when and how to make referrals to professionally qualified helpers and how to handle sensitive issues in a caring and confidential manner.

Four adults will also be selected to attend a five day workshop which will enable them to train peer counselors in future years. Funding for the Natural Helpers program will come from the Cass City High School Student Council and from a grant from the Michigan 4-H.

Cass City High School Guidance Department

REDHAWK

Students of the Week

Courtesy of Board Chrysler/Plymouth/Dodge/Jeep/Eagle, Inc. - Downtown



Jenny Milligan, daughter of Al & Kathy Milligan, and Lora Nolan, daughter of Denise Poslusny & Henry Nolan.

The Student of the Week is selected by the Cass City Student Council.



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