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THE ROAD NARROWS sign on Seeger Street, south of Garfield Street, was right on Wednesday night. A giant maple tree blown over by the strong winds covered most of the road, restricting passage to one narrow lane.

For estimated 35,000

Storm cuts electric service

The storm that roared into the area last week uprooted and knocked over trees and downed electrical lines, leaving thousands without power.

But incidents of property damage appeared few and far in between, according to reports from sheriff's department dispatchers in Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac counties.

The fast-moving storm, packing winds of more than 55 miles per hour, hit with little warning Wednesday night and spawned at least one funnel cloud in the Thumb—between Bad Axe and Uby.

Thumb Electric Cooperative officials reported they had crews out throughout the night working to restore power to several hundred customers.

"We had a substation outage from 7 till about 8:30 that affected about 1,300 customers served from our Kingston substation," said Dave Fritz, member services and marketing manager for the Uby-based cooperative, which serves 10,000 members in the 3 upper Thumb counties. He noted lightning struck the substation transformer north of Kingston.

In addition, "We had quite a few individual and line outages," Fritz said, with 300 customers losing electricity in Tuscola County, 380 in Sanilac County and 69 in Huron County.

Detroit Edison workers also were kept busy throughout the night and into Thursday.

Spokesman Bob Dobkin

reported 150,000 customers without power in southeast Michigan, with 90,000 still out Thursday morning. In the Thumb, 30,000 customers were affected, but power was restored to all but 2,900 by the next morning.

Edison's Customer Communications Center in Southfield handled 71,000 calls by 8 a.m. Thursday, according to Dobkin, who said the storm was significant but didn't compare to one last July that left 700,000 customers in the dark.

There were fewer problems, in part, due to Edison's maintenance program, including tree trimming, rebuilding and strengthening circuits, and installation of lightning protection equipment, he said.

Tuscola County Central Dispatch received dozens of calls Wednesday reporting downed trees, according to Dispatcher Ted Hull. "All night long, that's all we received, calls of downed wires."

Hull said he hadn't heard of any major property damage. "We fared well compared to some other" counties, he added.

In Sanilac County, authorities also reported many downed trees and wires, as well as some property damage. High winds blew off part of a roof at a Deckerville residence.

Property damage reported in Huron County included a pair of mobile homes struck by trees in the Harbor Beach area, and a barn leveled by the high winds.

Parent input wanted

Kindergarten classes only at Deford School?

Cass City School officials are toying with the idea of reorganizing the district's elementary format in an effort to place all younger students and their teachers in one building.

Under the proposal, all preschool through kindergarten students would attend Deford Elementary School, while those in grades one through 4 would be taught at Campbell Elementary.

The plan is still in the early stages of review, and school officials plan to seek input from residents and parents before proceeding.

Currently, Cass City's preschool through kindergarten students are spread out among 3 buildings—kindergarten classes are taught at both Deford and Campbell, and the early 4s program is at the middle school.

The arrangement isn't typical of other area school systems. In fact, aside from consolidated districts, Cass City is the only school in the upper Thumb that has K-3 classes in separate buildings.

The idea of turning the Deford school into an early childhood center was suggested by the elementary teaching staff, according to school Supt. Ken Micklash.

"We became interested in it, too," he said, noting the school's advisory committee will be meeting to discuss the proposal. "It's something we wanted to explore," he added, "but we're not going to do it before we get input from the community and parents."

ADVANTAGES

Micklash said the plan offers a number of advantages in terms of teachers being able to better coordinate programs.

"I think the biggest thing... is getting the kids all together," he said.

Campbell Elementary School Principal Dave Lovejoy agreed. "By putting them all together at Deford, these young children are with age appropriate children all day."

Perhaps the biggest advantage is that grade level teachers would be together to discuss, plan and coordinate activities, according to Lovejoy, who added, "The good ideas just seem to multiply when they get together."

He said the elementary teaching staff also believes the Deford facility could be geared to young children, from playground equipment to special activities and programs. And the plan would eliminate problems with scheduling gym time for kindergarteners at

Campbell.

The plan would also eliminate feelings among some that the lower grade programs offered at Deford and Campbell are unequal.

"There are an awful lot of educationally sound ideas behind it," Lovejoy continued. "It's a more efficient use of the staff and facilities."

OBSTACLE

School officials indicated the proposal's biggest obstacle is transportation; specifically, how parents would react to the idea of bussing children to Deford.

"It wouldn't be a major task to accomplish (bussing)," Micklash commented, adding he believes cost won't be a big factor in the decision.

The reason, he explained, is the district would realize savings by eliminating the lunch program at Deford, as well as reducing expenses associated with special staff services, such as music and physical education.

"It's probably a break-even proposition. What you would save there you would have to spend in the shuttle program," he said.

Micklash emphasized that no decision will be made until parents have their say.

"If, after discussing this with people, we find out we're headed down a dead-end road—if they are just totally objectionable to it—then fine, things go on as they are," he said.

"It's not something we want to develop battle scars over, but it's something we want to explore."

Slow start for beets

Hay yields down

Yield of the first hay cutting is down significantly in Tuscola County, but cooperative extension officials say they expect things to improve.

About 90 percent of the first cutting has been harvested, according to Tuscola County Cooperative Extension Service Director Dennis Stein, who said dryer spring conditions this year have driven crop yields down 30 to 50 percent from normal for most farmers.

"It was down lower than a lot of growers would have liked," he added. "We could have used more rain."

Although temperatures have dipped in recent weeks, he said that has not impacted hay because, as a whole, temperatures have been average. Hay cutting is pretty much right on schedule so far this season.

Despite the drop in yield, Stein said most farmers are satisfied because crop output was good last year.

He pointed out that if crops receive adequate rain during the next few weeks, the second cutting could have better yields, helping offset poor first cuttings. Some farmers, he said, will begin second cuttings in as little as two weeks.

Stein noted most farmers are reporting good quality hay, with only minor pest problems.

In Huron County, about 95 percent of the first cutting is completed, and farmers are reporting average yields, said Roger Swartzendruber, agriculture agent.

"The first cutting was good. It was late, but it was good," Swartzendruber said, adding Huron County farmers are about a week

behind schedule.

Hay isn't the only crop farmers are having some problems with in Tuscola County.

Stein said sugar beets are off to a slow start, with some farmers having to replant because of damage from wind, wetness and frost. Although some acreage has been replanted twice, he said if problems persist some farmers may decide to plant dry beans instead.

"It's too late now to really replant sugar beets," he explained.

But overall, the sugar beet crop is progressing well, Stein said.

"As a whole, the crops are about normal. The last rain was valuable."

Court exam set for 2 accused of growing pot

Two men were arraigned last week in connection with a Thumb Narcotics Unit raid at their Millington Township residence earlier this month.

Douglas L. Bindschatel, 37, and Patrick J. Tucker, 38, both of 9900 Millman Rd., were each charged in Tuscola County District Court with manufacturing marijuana and possession of marijuana with intent to deliver.

Bond was set at \$2,000 for Bindschatel and \$4,000 for Tucker. Both face a preliminary examination on the charges Thursday at 9 a.m.

Officers from the Thumb Narcotics Unit and county agencies raided the pair's residence June 2, seizing \$275,000 worth of marijuana plants and processed marijuana, as well as guns and a large volume of what was described as "highly sophisticated growing equipment."

The operation culminated several months of investigation by the drug unit and the Millington Police Department.

In other recent court proceedings:

*Nancy L. Guthrie, 54, of Mesick, was charged with conspiracy to possess marijuana with intent to deliver April 14 in Vassar Township.

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Elkland Township Fire Department

40-year career ends for Dick Root

Ask Dick Root about fire fighting and he'll quickly point out it's not a game.

"It's a school. There are no 2 fires that are alike. I still learn something every time we go out," he says, adding a fireman who stops learning is in trouble.

Root ought to know; the Elkland Township Fire Department chief has been fighting fires for more than 40 years. During that time he's held just about every office in the local department, including 8 years as chief, as well as served as a member and officer on most area firemen's associations.

He's seen the best and worst in fire fighting. This month the retired city letter carrier will hang up his helmet, coat and bunker pants for good, with plans to spend more time at home.

"I just feel it's time. I've had 40 years of it and I feel I want to give a little time to my wife and family now," he remarked last week.

Root joined the department in May 1952. There was big push at the time for disaster preparedness, and he was asked to join when the department expanded from 12 to 15 members.

"I figured 4 or 5 years and I'd have enough of it," he

said, smiling. "But I'm still here."

Root's lengthy tenure has been marked by change as much as anything else.

MORE TRAINING

Over the years he's seen training requirements go from nothing to a long list of mandatory classes designed to prepare volunteers to deal with fires involving hazardous chemicals as well as how to effectively fight flames and save structures.

And he's watched the role of fire fighters expand to include rescue personnel, whose duties include extricating traffic accident victims from mangled hunks of metal and, if necessary, calling in and coordinating the landing of an air ambulance such as the Flightcare Helicopter.

Although the dedication of area volunteers has remained constant through the years, today's department is head and shoulders above its predecessors, he said.

"There's just no comparison (between) now and the time I came on. "When I started there was no training whatsoever. We just put a coat on and went in and fought fires."

Root played an instrumental role in changing that, bringing the first 66-hour training class to the department in the early 1970s. Sixteen men took the course, which wasn't mandatory.

In contrast, firemen are now required to complete 132 hours of mandatory training within 2 years of joining the department. In addition, they must take 4 hours of hazardous materials classes and 24 hours of operations classes, and each year they must complete 24 hours of in-house training and 17 hours of hazardous materials training.

Root believes the classes are important, but said he feels the existing requirements are a bit too much to ask of a volunteer.

"I definitely support training... because if you try to go out and fight fires without knowing what you're doing, you're in trouble. But I don't believe in shoving it down their throat."

EQUIPMENT CHANGED

The equipment, too, has changed. When Root joined, the volunteers had 2 fire engines—a 1944 pumper and a 1949 pumper

—housed in a building behind Old Wood Drug. Today, the 25-member department has a tanker, 2 pumpers, a rescue van, grass buggy and Jaws of Life.

As the amount of training and equipment has increased since the 1950s, so have the dangers faced by fire fighters.

Root pointed out firemen were up against "plain old wood and cloth" in the earlier days. "Today, (it's) plastics, polyurethanes that burn so much hotter, faster," he said.

"I believe it's much more dangerous because of that fact, and the construction of a lot of your modern buildings."

He explained modern construction isn't necessarily bad, but that today's structural framing simply doesn't stand up to flames for an extended period of time.

A fire chief's concern about the safety of his fire fighters, including whether a structure will collapse while they're inside, is ever present.

New specialized equipment, improved protective clothing and training have helped departments deal with that danger. Sull, Root said, "Every time you walk

into a burning building, it's frightening. You can't see; you're walking into a blank wall."

The questions begin long

before arriving at the scene, however.

Root knows well the feelings stirred when the fire hall whistle screams. "You

never get over it. Every time you go, you wonder what you have. You wonder what you're going to find when Please turn to back page.



FIRE CHIEF DICK Root, a 40-year veteran of the Elkland Township Fire Department, is hanging up his gear for good, with plans to spend more time with his family. A new chief is expected to be named during the Elkland Township Board's next regular meeting, July 13.

Bufes celebrate 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bufe celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday at the Dearborn Inn.

The former Virginia Day of Cass City, and Fred Bufe of Wyandotte were married June 20, 1942, in the First Presbyterian Church of Cass City. The Rev. H. Norman Jackson, minister of the First Congregational Church of Wyandotte, performed the marriage ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Wendling Hastings of the Cass City Presbyterian

Church.

The Bufes were honored at a luncheon exactly 50 years ago to the day of their wedding. Among the friends and family attending were daughter, Janet and Dr. Irving Plotkin and 2 sons, Aaron and Joshua, from Lexington, Mass.; son, John, and Dee Dee Bufe of Carson, Va., and their children, Claire and Gretchen, of Tyler, Texas. A nephew, Michael Day of Covina, Calif., was also in attendance.

Others attending were Robert Bufe of Trenton, who was his brother's best man, and Mrs. Bette Bufe; Mrs. Andrew Lobban of Flint, a bridesmaid, Eleanor Bennink of Southgate, who was the organist, and nieces and nephews from Illinois, as well as neighbors, friends and relatives from Wyandotte, Dearborn, Grand Rapids, Flint, Petoskey and East Lansing.

Mrs. Bufe is a retired Wyandotte school teacher and Bufe was an industrial engineer at Great Lakes Steel Corp. In their retirement they still keep active in church and civic affairs and enjoy traveling. They have made Wyandotte their home all of their married life.

McNeil completes training

Pvt. Larry R. McNeil has completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

McNeil is the son of Sue Lambert of Gagetown, and Richard McNeil of Cass City.

The soldier is a 1988 graduate of Newport Pacific High School, Scranton, Pa.

Cass City Personal Items

Call your local news to the Chronicle office - 872-2010

A group of 30 McConnell relatives met at the home of Stan and Melva Guinther Sunday for a Father's Day cookout. Attending were Vern McConnell, Don and Arlene McConnell of Utica, Norman and Pat Blue of Millington, Chuck and Wanda McConnell and Mrs. Claud Small of Caro, Bob and Norma Speirs, Dave Nordquist, Ron and Randee Speirs, Russell and Andrea, Skip and Ellen Speirs, Adina and Brandon, Dave and Karen Speirs, Brad, Jason and Lindsey, Kim Blue, Steve Pavlicek of Birch Run, Chris McConnell and Tim McConnell.

Jon and Deidra Zdrojewski of Gagetown announce the birth of a daughter, Lauren Ann, born Tuesday, June 9, at 6:10 p.m. She weighed 6 pounds, 6 ounces, and was 20 inches long. She joins a brother, Brandon Vargo, 8 1/2. Grandparents are Ken and Michelle Zdrojewski of Cass City and Denny and Mary Lou Thick of Gagetown.

Four golfers from Cass City won the best ball golf tournament held at Scenic Golf and Country Club. The golfers are Mike Murphy, Jeff Hartel, Jerry Toner and Jim Hillaker.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer, Ruth Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood LaPeer, Patti Timmons, Brent Fritz, Debbie Timmons and Wayne Curry celebrated Patti's birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer.

Guests of Dale and Mary Damm for dinner Father's Day were Marion McClorey, Randy, Carmen, Jason and Ethan Damm, Tim and Susan Wooster of Flint, and Wes and Nancy Frederick of Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bader celebrated their 61st anniversary June 16, with a dinner in Imlay City. Present were the Baders' 7 children and their spouses. Their children are Bob Bader of Decker, Dale Bader, Marjorie Caister, Donna Auten of Cass City, Helen Hubbard of Kingston, and Wanda Parrott and Audrey Halas of Royal Oak.

John Haire was feted on his 70th birthday by family and friends with a dinner Sunday in Frankenmuth. Attending were Lynn Haire and husband, Larry Sroka, and children, Susie, Jeffery and Jimmy; B.J. Haire and husband, Roger Salo, and children, Suzanne and Cindy; Clarke Haire, Jill Root, Madeline Miller and Esther Allen.

Born to Mike and Tammy Shorna of Holt, a daughter, Hilary Lynn, Monday, June 8. She weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces, and was welcomed home by her big sister, Lindsay, 3. Grandparents are Lewis F. and Geraldine Tibbits of Sebawing and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shorna of Owosso. Great-grandparents are Lewis Tibbits Sr. of Bay Port and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Murry of Zephyrhills, Fla. Mrs. Tibbits has taught in Cass City for many years.

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 VFW Hall, located near the corner of M-46 and N. Fulton.

Refreshments will be served and music will be provided by Denny Ewald's Music Makers. Guests are welcome.

Mellendorf receives recognition

Olivet Nazarene University officials recently announced Naomi Mellendorf has been recognized for her academic performance and is on the dean's list.

She has achieved for her 4-year university classes a 3.87 grade point average.

While she has been a student at ONU she has competed for several scholarships and has been awarded the Olivet Scholar, Dept. of Music Award, Music Foundation Award of Russell Hopkins, and the Void and Libby Harshman Award.

She will be finishing her student teaching in the fall semester of 1992. Mellendorf is a music education major with a French minor. During her years at ONU she has been active in the Orpheus Choir, University Signers, assistant to the Music Theory Professor, worked as a resident assistant, worked in the technical computer services of the library, and has served as an accompanist for different students.

She was selected to sing in the National Choral Singers Group in Chicago, Ill., at its national convention.

Mellendorf is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph (Joe) Mellendorf of Caro. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Erma Mellendorf of Owendale.

Marriage licenses

Chad W. Burtrum, Frankenmuth, and Cheryl Diane Petzold, Millington Ronald Ervin Arnold and Kimberly Jean Hecht, both of Caro

Stanley James Fox and Lisa Lynn Fox, both of Kingston Rodney Richard Brown and Gale Dalene Dundas, both of Reese

Brian Scott Temple and Kimberly Anne Mauro, both of Unionville Joe Anthony Reynero and Shawn Marie O'Kelley, both of Caro

Matthews on dean's list

Judy Matthews, a sophomore at Concordia College, Ann Arbor, has been named to the Dean's List for achieving a grade point average of 3.5 or above for the winter semester. Judy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matthews of Decker.



Art and Marjorie Caister

Caisters honored on 40th anniversary

Art and Marjorie Caister were honored recently by their family for their 40th anniversary.

Following a dinner, hosted by their son and daughter-in-law, Durrell and Susan Caister, they returned home to find about 70 relatives and friends ready to greet them for their anniversary.

Their family presented them with a trip to Mackinac Island, where they spent 2 nights at the Lakeview Hotel and toured the Island and

also Mackinaw City and the surrounding area.

En route they visited Elwyn and Mary McNaughton. They also met Mary (Burns) Hacker and her husband, Rick, and daughter, Mindy, of Houghton Lake.

The Caisters have 5 children, Durrell and his wife Susan of Bay City, David and his wife Becky of Caro, Dan, Doug and Deanna of Cass City. They also have 6 grandchildren.



YOUR FEET

Dr. Judi Ecker D.P.M. -PODIATRIST-

Spasms Of Tiny Blood Vessels.. the Culprit Behind Raynaud's Disease

The condition known as Raynaud's Disease involves the blackening of the toes and fingers along with stinging pain upon cold exposure.

It is a normal physiological reflex mechanism for blood vessels in your extremities to narrow when it is cold. However, for unknown reasons, in those with Raynaud's Disease, the vessel response to changes in the circulation in the feet and hands is highly exaggerated. The result? A finger or toe may appear white and lifeless. The skin color may turn blue or red before recovery.

In contrast, Raynaud's Phenomenon, which gives a similar clinical picture, may be a consequence of a more serious disease such as scleroderma. Certain tests are needed for the physician to distinguish the disease from the phenomenon.

To avoid attacks of

Raynaud's Disease, protection from cold is crucial! Dress Warm! Do not smoke. Nicotine decreases the blood flow to your skin. Avoid cold remedies and diet pills containing the drug "phenylpropylamine." Birth control pills also affect circulation and may induce attacks. Large amounts of caffeine should be avoided. If these measures fail, prescribed medication may be used to prevent the vascular spasms. In extreme cases, surgical procedures to cut the nerves that control the blood vessels may be performed. This is not always successful and is usually a last resort...

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"If It Fitz...."

2 tickets for a lie

By Jim Fitzgerald



She was pulled over by a Detroit cop for making an illegal left turn. She showed her car registration and a proof of insurance. The cop confirmed that they were legitimate. And he gave her a \$50 ticket for not having her car registration in her possession, and a \$25 ticket for not having her proof of insurance in her possession. You may want to read that paragraph again. Yes, it means exactly what it says. The woman was ticketed for not possessing documents that the cop knew she possessed.

Never mind police chiefs who steal millions of dollars from taxpayers and stash them in kitchen ceilings and little tin boxes. Never mind patrol officers who use the taxpayers' jet to fly to Las Vegas for gambling parties. Those crime-fighting tactics are easy to understand.

Police chiefs take our money to keep it safe from all the crooks doing business in Detroit. Low-ranking police officers fly our jet to gamble in Las Vegas because gambling casinos are against the law in Detroit and you don't want our cops breaking the law, do you?

But why would a cop ticket a woman for committing infractions she didn't commit, and the cop knew it.

It depends on whom you believe.

HOW IT ALL STARTED

It happened around 7 a.m. May 12, at 6 Mile and Ever-

green. The woman, a north-west Detroit resident, was on her way to work downtown. She asked that her name be withheld because she fears if her identity is widely known she might be harassed for blowing the whistle on a cop who did her a favor. The neighbors might think she's crazy.

And other cops might pinpoint her as not deserving their services, a development she really doesn't need, she said. She has suffered from no police response to complaints about repeated damage to her car when it is parked at the curb. But when she moved it to a safer spot, closer to her home, there was an immediate response — a \$20 ticket for parking on the lawn.

In the spirit of equal treatment, I'm also withholding the name of the officer who stopped her for an illegal turn. But his name is on the tickets, and I gave it — along with her name — to the brass at the 8th (Northwest) Precinct.

The woman conceded her left-turn guilt and the cop let her off with a warning, saving her a \$60 ticket. But he ticketed her for non-possession of registration and insurance proof that she possessed. He said all she had to do was take the tickets to the precinct, along with her registration and insurance proof, and the 2 fines, totaling \$75, would be dismissed.

That way it wouldn't cost her a cent, but "it will be a couple of tickets for me,"

she quoted the officer as saying.

PADDING WORK WITH LIES

That's exactly what happened, and most people would have accepted the \$60 savings gratefully and said no more. But this woman couldn't contain her incredulity. "He gave me 2 tickets for a lie!" she told me. She wondered how common it was for cops to do something like that to pad their work record.

Me too. I called the 8th Precinct, setting off an "internal investigation" that took more than 2 weeks and several more nagging phone calls from me. On Monday, Inspector Joseph Brown, the precinct commander, pleaded extenuating circumstances.

Brown said the officer claimed the woman couldn't find the documents, and by the time she did, he'd already written the tickets. He didn't want to go through the trouble required for him to void an already written ticket, so he told her to go to the precinct to have them dismissed.

When I relayed the police officer's version of the story to the woman, she called it a lie. She said she produced the documents immediately, well before the tickets were written.

So, you can believe what you want.

I believe \$100 bills grow in police chiefs' ceilings and police officers fly police jets to Las Vegas to arrest blackjack cheaters. Also, someday crime will take over Detroit and the cops' alibi will be that they didn't notice because they were busy waiting for a woman to find her car registration in her purse.

Register to vote by July 6

Monday, July 6, is the deadline for registering to vote in the Aug. 4 Primary Election. Persons who want to register to vote may do so up until the close of business at any Secretary of State branch office or at their county, city or township clerk's office.

The Department of State's Bureau of Elections notes the July 6 deadline comes on the heels of the Fourth of July holiday weekend. Most government offices will be closed Friday, July 3, in observance of the holiday, but will reopen for business July 6.

U.S. citizens 17 years of age who will be 18 on or before Aug. 4 are eligible to register to vote.

As of March there were 5,793,029 registered voters in Michigan. This is 84.7 percent of Michigan's voting age population of 6,836,532.

Persons with questions regarding voter registration should contact their local clerk.

Help Toll-free service tells resources for older people

Area residents can identify community resources for older people in Michigan or anywhere in the United States by simply calling 1-800-677-1116.

"That's the national toll-free number for the Elder-

care Locator, designed to help solve the dilemma many people face today when seeking assistance in caring for older adults," said Region VII Area Agency on Aging Director Mohammed Khan.

Kritzman honored for 15 years of safe driving

James Kritzman, a delivery driver for the United Parcel Service, was recently recognized by the company for completing 15 years driving without an accident.

Kritzman works out of the UPS facility located at 6254 Division St. in Cass City.

He presently provides delivery service in the Lexington area.

Business manager Jack Baker presented the 15-year safe driving award at a ceremony honoring Kritzman's achievement.

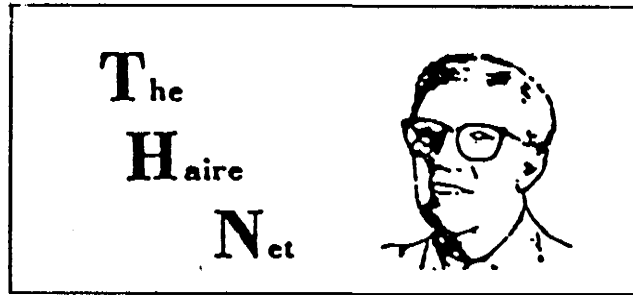
Kritzman and his wife, Debra, live in Lexington.

As part of the Bush Administration's National Transportation Strategy, The U.S. Department of Transportation issued the following statement: "A corporate commitment to safety backed up with a

comprehensive safety program has helped United Parcel Service achieve a highway safety record considerably above the industry average."



James Kritzman



If you follow the news, you know that it appears that legal gambling in the metro Detroit area is inevitable. If not in Detroit, in Windsor.

And if gambling comes to our Canadian neighbor across the river, how long will it be before Detroit votes to meet the competition?

Legalized gambling is sweeping across the country as politicians see it as an easy way to raise money without risking voters' wrath at the polls.

It continues to grow even though the only state and community that have used it for long-time benefits are Nevada and Las Vegas.

It generates big bucks in Atlantic City, of course, but it hasn't appreciably helped the residents that live there. In fact, the skyrocketing boardwalk real estate prices have been a hardship for many, forcing them from apartment homes.

We are talking about casino gambling here, craps, black jack, keno and slot machines. But the state lottery hasn't been the panacea that it was supposed to be either.

There's no denying that it generates big, big bucks. In the 20 years that it has been operating in the state, it has contributed \$4.8 billion to the state treasury. In addition, it has been a scandal-free operation.

When the lottery was first legalized, it was heralded as an answer to the state's educational financial crunch. The money was earmarked

for our schools.

Over the years, the lottery profits have grown, but it hasn't been much help to the schools. This year the lottery will contribute about 6 percent of the money the state pays for education. The trouble is that the money that the lottery generates for the schools is deducted from the total paid by the state and this money is spent elsewhere. The share of the educational costs paid by the state has decreased since the lottery was organized.

The lottery tends to tax the poor, the less-educated, studies have proven. Persons looking for that pot at the end of a rainbow.

What's worse is that an estimated 5 percent of the population are compulsive or potentially compulsive gamblers.

Supporters say that persons will gamble regardless of whether it is legal and that's true. But they won't gamble as much and many that are hooked by the lottery won't be hooked at all because they never start.

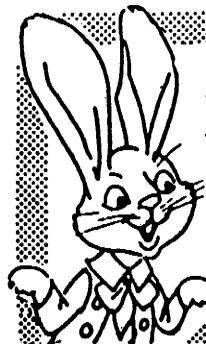
Gambling via the lottery is state-run and honest. Casino gambling, if it comes, will be run by gamblers. Easy, uncheckable cash is always a magnet for the sharpies and the crooks.

One of the selling points by backers is that casino gambling will provide many new jobs in Detroit. Most will be low paying.

It is a way to lure tourists back to the core city, supporters say, and revitalize the downtown.

It may for awhile, but what happens when Flint and Saginaw join the gambling parade and resort hotels add gambling, too?

Casino gambling is a bad idea, but it appears to be coming. We should do what we can to stem the tide as long as we can.



Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

It's nearly impossible these days to pick up a paper or a magazine without finding a story about Prince Charles and Diana. Every one concerned with their private lives and a version of how the fairy tale unraveled.

The interest in private lives of royalty, movie actors and actresses and other prominent persons is amazing. You can add sports heroes to the list, too.

History confirms that royalty is as human as the rest of us. Even more so. Why should we be surprised that their marriage is reportedly on the rocks? Even more to the point, why should we care?

By my personal barometer, the summer business in northern Michigan is hurting. The gauge is the number of persons eating at the Boyne River Inn on the weekend and the traffic on US-75.

Two weeks ago, despite very fine weather, both were down, down, down.

There are new owners this week of The Coin Shop in Cass City. Purchasing the business from Alden Asher and Bob Stickle is Capital Collectibles, which is also involved in mail order and trade show business.

The company is owned by Craig Helwig and his brother-in-law, Dave Powers. Brian Helwig is the probable manager in the store.

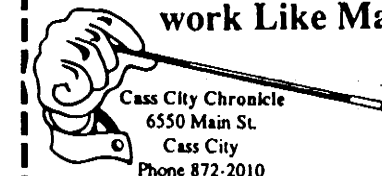
Going camping? Michigan is the place, judging by the summer booklet published by the Michigan Travel Bureau. There are 92,000 campsites in state and national forests, and private campgrounds. Want to know where they are? Send 75 cents and a self-addressed 6x9 envelope to: Michigan Association of Private Campground Owners, Box 68, Williamsburg, Mich. 49690.

The Weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Tuesday	79	59	0
Wednesday	91	65	1.06"
Thursday	81	55	.68"
Friday	56	43	.03"
Saturday	50	45	.04"
Sunday	64	38	0
Monday	70	48	0

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Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

5 YEARS AGO

Barbara Merchant was elected Michigan Sugar Queen and was crowned Friday during the Michigan Sugar Festival in Sebewaing.

Veron Gingrich retired after serving various duties as transportation supervisor, chief custodian and general maintenance of Cass City Public Schools. He was honored along with 6 other school employees and a school board member at the school's annual luncheon June 16.

Rotary's retiring president Gary Vollmar turned over the gavel to the new president, James Ceranski, at a meeting held June 16 at the Chamont.

Cass City natives Ross and Mary Evelyn Beach have returned to the United States for a year's furlough after spending several years doing missionary work in the African country of Chad.

Twelve members of the Baptist Philathea Class met Saturday night at the home of Stan and Melva Guinther. Barb Hutchinson, who was born on Christmas Day, was honored with a surprise half-year birthday party.

10 YEARS AGO

Dr. Edwin C. Fritz, DDS, will end his long dental career Wednesday, June 20, after 45 years in Cass City.

A tornado hit Marlette Sunday night, taking the roof off the Sears store and damaging 2 other stores when plate glass windows were lost. Hail stones roughly one-quarter inch in size were reported near Deford. The hail was one inch deep in some areas.

Mrs. Bertha Hildinger was recognized for her 30 years of service as a licensed practical nurse at a ceremony at Provincial House in Cass City Monday evening.

Michael Klinkman graduated June 4 from the University of Michigan Medical School with a degree in medicine. He has begun his residency training in family practice at University Hospital at Chelsea Community Hospital. He is the son of Doris Golding and a 1973 graduate of Cass City High School.

Kingston is celebrating its 125th anniversary this week.

25 YEARS AGO

Howard "Baldy" Ellis, a former Cass City businessman, died Thursday from a heart ailment from which he suffered for 10 years.

One of the oldest businesses in the area will close Friday when the Frutchey Bean Co. of Deford will close its doors.

A fire destroyed Walt's Tavern in Gagetown last

week. Damage was estimated at \$30,000.

Mary Wolak overcame the crippling effects of polio to teach herself the fundamentals of organ playing and has been playing the church organ for St. Michael's in Wilmot for 30 years.

Over 150 attended the open house Sunday, June 11, in honor of the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chisholm Sr.

35 YEARS AGO

Three pupils from the Cass City area were among the graduates of the Northeastern School of Commerce in Bay City. They are Janet Field, Geraldine Warner and Robert Zinnecker.

Cass City village employees will receive a raise of four cents an hour, from \$1.40 an hour to \$1.44 per hour. Village Engineer William Schram and Clerk Wilma Fry received salary adjustments in October.

Some 40 were present Saturday evening when the class of 1927 enjoyed a reunion held at the school in Cass City. Willis Campbell talked to the group. There were 19 class members in attendance. The reunion was planned by Katherine Wallace Gross, Don McLachlan, James MacTavish, Charles Bigelow and Pauline Knight Milligan.

Philip, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keating, and Sharon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Eberline, underwent tonsillectomies in Pleasant Home Hospital Friday.

Appoint Ettema to board

Dominic Monastiere, president and CEO of Chemical Bank Bay Area, has announced the appointment of Judith A. Ettema to the bank's Caro Advisory Board.



Judith Ettema

Mrs. Ettema and her husband, Douglas, own Caro Pharmacy, Inc.

She is currently vice chairwoman of the Caro Community Hospital Endowment Board of Directors and a past director of the Caro Chamber of Commerce. She has been actively involved in community functions including the Tuscola County Pumpkin Festival.

Mrs. Ettema and her husband have 2 children and reside in Caro.

Church to show Billy Graham film

A premier showing of the Billy Graham film, "Eye of the Storm," will be held Sunday at 7 p.m. at the Deford Community Church, 1392 Kingston Rd., Deford.

Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson

Phone 658-2347

Curtis Cleland came home Sunday after spending 11 days in Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City. Mr. and Mrs. Marty Chockley of Algonac spent the weekend at the Curtis Cleland home.

Alice McComb of Cass City was a Friday lunch guest of Reva Silver.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bird of Byron were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie and family.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Farrelly.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser Thursday.

Randall Knowles of Canton was a Tuesday overnight and Wednesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Wednesday afternoon went to the Free Methodist Camp at Covenant Cove for 3 days.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Waterford, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Young, Mrs. Herbert Hichens, Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming were among a group who attended the wedding of Kim Wald and George Sangster on the river bank at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rich Patera in Cass City at 11 o'clock Saturday.

A dinner and reception followed at the VFW Hall in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Zawilinski of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney of Lansing and Mrs. Fritz VanErp attended a graduation open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill VanErp in Detroit for their son, Sunday.

Cory Rickett of Redford, Mrs. Fred Haas of Maumee, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hosner, Rick and Cindy of Georgia, Jamie Doerr, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff met at Raccoon Mountain Camp in Tennessee where they spent several days together camping.

Kathryn Tyrell attended a meeting of the Blue Water Library Federation at the St. Clair County Library at Port Huron Wednesday.

Bernice Sowden was a Wednesday afternoon guest of Reva Silver.

Sue Boulee of Lapeer was a Tuesday evening guest of Mrs. Ralph Hoxie and family.

Mrs. Dennis Bartle, Mrs. Gordon Farrelly and Mrs.

Allen Farrelly visited Mrs. Henry Osentoski Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Chris were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Anthes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Saturday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bredow in honor of Mrs. Bredow's birthday.

Adam Keyser Deamel of Unionville spent from Monday until Wednesday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser. Lisa Deamel and girls of Unionville were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser and Adam returned home with his mother.

Mrs. Greg Moore and family of Snover, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Otulakowski of St. Clair Shores, Eugene Otulakowski, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Otulakowski and family of Leszczynski of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard attended a graduation open house for Nicole Gubachi at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gubachi Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van-Tall, Doris Kinney and Mr. and Mrs. Don Near were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Edanna Sweeney was a Wednesday afternoon guest and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills were Wednesday evening guests of Reva Silver.

Ann Horton spent Wednesday and Thursday with Emily Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Murray of Williamston were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer.

Mrs. Jim Tyrell and Cody were Monday evening guests of Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Campbell of Uica were Tuesday afternoon guests and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bartle and Tom were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt spent from Sunday afternoon till Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Karg and family at Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser received word of the death of his sister, Bernice (Keyser) Winterli of Mount Morris, who died June 7. Bernice was the daughter of Hiram and Sarah Keyser and had stayed with her grandparents, Mervin and Enzia Keyser and attended Wickware school. Survivors are 2 brothers, L.T. Keyser of Clio and Hiram Keyser.

Mrs. Larry Young and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Brown were among a group who attended the wedding of Jane Lowe and Dave Lewis at the Caseville Methodist Church at 4 o'clock Saturday. A dinner and reception followed at the Pigeon Library.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. George King and Jim. Ki Tsutsumi spent several days with Mr. and Mrs.

Steve Hosner and family in Redford. Other Tuesday overnight guests were Jamie Doerr, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff.

Cody Tyrell spent Monday with Edanna Sweeney. Pat Braun of Byron visited her daughter, Tish Braun, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie and family where Tish is spending a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester and Alex Particka were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold LaPeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kulish of Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Majeski of San Diego, Calif., and Laura Kulish were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Justin, Matt and Emily Miller spent from Saturday till Tuesday with Jack Miller at Byron.

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

Olive Derpenghaus and Phyllis Johnson of Iron Mountain spent from Wednesday through Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser and Saturday attended the Moore-Ward family reunion with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser where they helped Lillian Hanby celebrate her birthday.

Patsy Eggert of Port Hope was a Monday forenoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Dairy month

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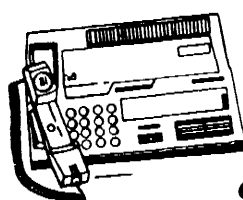
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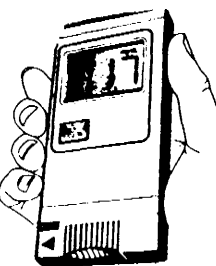
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Randy Sherman	98
Ernie Bellew	95
Clarke Haire	91
Ken Zdrojewski	87
Dan Dickinson	84
Don Hilbig	84
Newell Harris	83
Don Ouvry	83
Russ Bieffer	81
Dale McIntosh	81
Dave Hoard	80
Rich Tate	79
Mark Swanson	78
Jerry Toner	78
Elwyn Helwig	71
Kevin Vincent	69
Bill Krizman	67
Jim Apley	65
Mike Murphy	57
John Maharg	56
Dennis Krug	46

FLIGHT 2	
Ken Tiseo	101
Jim Smithson	93
Clark Erla	91
Scott Murphy	89
Jim Peyer	88
Jack Hool	87
Gene Kloc	87
Jack Burns	85
Jason McCallum	83
Fred Leeson	82
Mike Neumann	80
Jerry Houghton	79
Todd Comment	76

Chip
Shots

Mike Becking	72
John Neumann	72
Kim Glaspie	69
Brian Reinhardt	66
Dick Haley	58
Dan Hitler	53
Dick Wallace	53
George Bushong	50

FLIGHT 3	
Don Erla	98
Doug Cleland	95
Craig Bellew	92
Phil Moses	91
Keith Adelberg	90
Jim Hillaker	86
Clayton Sawdon	86
Tom Wallace	78
Doug O'Dell	77
Bob Stickle	74
Daryl Iwankovitch	73
John Haire	72
Bert Althaver	71
Jack Burns	71
Jon Zdrojewski	69
Anton Peters	68
Gary Jones	67
Rick Doerr	65
Wes Neumann	60
Eric King	57

FLIGHT 4	
Doug Zdrojewski	110
Pat Essian	108
Rich Swartzendruber	102
Gary Robinson	97
John Niebrzydowski	92
Bill Ewald	89
Alden Asher	86
Ken Jensen	85
Paul Bessler	84
Kevin Green	84
Jim Bolton	83
Jim Ceranski	75
Les Booms	69
John Agar	65
Don Roemer	64
Don Hazard	60
Tom Schweigel	55
Mark Bartlett	47
Craig Kelley	44
John Jewett	41

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WEEKLY

Flight 1 - Dave Hoard - 36.
Flight 2 - Mike Becking -
40.
Flight 3 - Don Erla - 41.
Flight 4 - Gary Robinson -
42.

STANDINGS

BOYS' LITTLE
LEAGUE
Standings
Through June 20

Yankees	9 - 1
Giants	8 - 2
Cubs	5 - 5
Orioles	4 - 6
Tigers	4 - 6
Pirates	3 - 6
Dodgers	1 - 8

Tigers 2 - Cubs 1 (6-17)
The Tigers defeated the
Cubs 2-1 in a game short-
ened by rain. Pitching for the
Tigers were Craig Swiderski
and Isaac Ponder. Joseph
Khouri led the Tigers with 2
hits while Josh Little had
one.

Mike Proowski and Tim
Micklash teamed up to
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Micklash, Mike Proowski,
Scott Rutkoski, Taylor Di-
egel and Kaleb Parsell each
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Wednesday - Pizza,
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Friday - Oven Baked Fish,
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Cass City honor pupils

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12TH GRADE

All A's - Bart Hall, Diana
Loomis, Reuben Rienstra,
Soo Yun.
B or Better - Julie Adelbrg,
Jeremy Bogart, Catherine
Coe, Jodi Erla, Leslie Gos-
lin, Jodi Hillaker, Jeff
Hockey, Rusty Hrycko,
John Koepf, Stephanie Leit-
erman, Lyle Reil, Essi Re-
ponen, Monica Rockwell,
Amy Ross, Jeff Schember,
Heather Shaft, Trina Whit-
taker, Kent Winter, Greg
Woodruff.

11TH GRADE

All A's - Rosie Blue, Kristy
Gnagey, Tamara Mearns,
Rachel Sugden.
B or Better - Tracey Burns,
Sarah Edzik, Bill Graham,
Heidi Hall, Mark Hawley,
Barb Kelley, Nicola Kupe-
rus, Melissa Micklash, Julia
Milligan, Richard Parrott,
Robert Roach, Roxanne
Rutkoski, Ben Schott, Lyle
Severance, Steve Smith,
Heather Stratton, Robin
Voss, Andrea Wallace, Tara
Wentworth.

10TH GRADE

All A's - Dave Bills,
Melanie Fritz, Noel
Hornbacher, Stacey Klink-
man, Darcie Monroe, Mike
Sherman, Lindi VanVliet,
Jason Walther, Sarah
Wright.
B or Better - Becky Britt,
Aaron Hewitt, Barry
Hornbacher, David Hutch-
inson, Ryan King, Ann
Koepf, Mark Kubacki,
Robin Longuski, Rachel
Malone, Kristy Messing,
Jennifer Milligan, Tracey
Moore, Paul Murphy, Ed
Nizzola, Kelli Opal, Mich-
elle Peruski, Sam Rienstra,
Jodi Schember, Heather
Shagena, Marc Wallace.

42 at O-G Seniors meet

Forty-two Owen-Gage
Senior Citizens met Thurs-
day, June 18, at St. Agatha
Parish Hall at noon for a
potluck dinner. Stella Pisa-
rek said grace before the
meal and there was one
moment of silence in mem-
ory of Dorothy Lamirande,
sister of Lloyd Finkbeiner.
President Orville Mallory
brought a short meeting to
order with the group reciting
The Lord's Prayer and
pledge to the flag.
A get-well card was signed
by members to be sent to
Elizabeth Szidik.

9TH GRADE

All A's - Michelle Brown,
Amy Burns, Lisa Deering,
Leana Edwards, Ben Hobbs,
Scott Iwankovitch, Jen-
nifer Laming, Nathan
Mastie, Mandy Nizzola,
Lindi Parrott, Mandy
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drea Speirs, Kristy Wood.
B or Better - Cori Bullock,
Lisa Burns, Erica Frederick,
Brian Graichen, Carol
Guza, Mike Marshall, Brad
McNeil, Jason Morgan,
John Rea, Joenie Remsing,
Shawn Rienas, Tammy
Stine, Kevin Storm, Clayton
Venema, Danette Ziehm.

Frances Harbec won the
women's door prize and
Mike Pisarek won the
men's.

After the meeting was ad-
journd, euchre was played.
Men's high prize was won
by Harold Blehm and men's
low by Lloyd Finkbeiner.
The women's high prize
went to Florence Schell and
the women's low prize was
shared by Alma and Mary
Wald. The owl prize was
won by Stanley Frankowski.

The committee for July
will be Amasa and Virginia
Anthes and Edward and
Frances Sowden.

Your neighbor says

She likes the
cool weather

Although summer is officially here as of last weekend,
recent temperatures that dipped down into the 40s offer
little in the way of support for that fact.
Colder temperatures don't bother Cass City resident Rose
Hancock. She said ever changing weather patterns are
typical of the Great Lakes state.

"It's Michigan," she ex-
plained. "Living here in Michi-
gan, that's exactly what you
get."

Hancock prefers the fall and
cooler temperatures.

"If I wanted it warm, I would go
to a southern state."

She said the perfect tempera-
ture for her would be 80 degrees
with low humidity. But living
with high humidity is often a fact
of life, she added.

"I don't like the humidity, but
that's one of the things you put
up with."

During the summer she and her husband, Dennis, like to
go to Lake Huron and walk on the beach and have picnics,
she said. They also like to visit car shows and she likes
gardening.

However, they don't have a lot of time to do such activities
right now because they keep very busy operating the The
Golden Fawn, a bar located about 15 miles southeast of Cass
City, in Argyle. They've owned the bar for about 5 years.

Hancock grew up in Cass City, has family in the area, and
has no plans to live elsewhere.

"I like the town," she said. "Everyone's friendly."



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Obituaries

Roy Anthes

Roy T. Anthes, 82, of Cass City, died Tuesday, June 16, at Hills and Dales General Hospital, after a lengthy illness.

He was born Aug. 9, 1909, in Greenleaf Township, Sanilac County, the son of Walter and Susan (Race) Anthes.

He was united in marriage to Josephine "Marie" Wright Sept. 21, 1940, in Cass City.

Anthes, who attended Mizpah Missionary Church, retired from General Cable in 1972.

He is survived by his wife, Marie; 2 sisters, Mrs. Lucille Bush of Caro, and Mrs. Edwin (Alice) Goetlesben of Bad Axe; 2 brothers, Paul Anthes of Conway, Ark., and Harold Anthes of Waterford. One son, Larry, preceded him in death Feb. 12, 1986, also, one sister, Lena.

Funeral services were conducted Friday at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Richard Culp of Brown City and the Rev. J.T. Mabe, pastor of the Mizpah Missionary Church, officiating.

Burial was in Elkland Cemetery, Cass City.

Memorials may be given to the heart fund.

Felix Dominguez

Felix Dominguez, 70, of Saginaw, died Wednesday, June 17, at St. Luke's Hospital, after a short illness.

He was born March 6, 1922, in Erington, Kan., the son of Sidney and Enedina (Ortiz) Dominguez, moving to Owendale when he was a child. He later moved to Saginaw from Chicago in 1986.

Dominguez was a member of Our Lady of Help of Christians of Saginaw and the VFW Post of Carlton. He served with the U.S. Army during WW II, in China, India and Burma.

Dominguez is survived by his wife, Elaine; one stepson, Scott High of Saginaw; one daughter, Crystal Dom-

Roy Sickler

Roy Thomas Sickler, 79,

Howard Kadwell

Howard Kadwell, 74, of Zephyrhills, Fla., formerly Cass City, died Sunday, June 21, at his residence.

He was born Nov. 24, 1917, in Chase, Mich., the son of August and Edna (James) Kadwell.

He married Eva Brooks Feb. 26, 1939, in Angola, Ind. They lived in Cass City. She died Jan. 23, 1969. Kadwell later married the former Mary Dehenes, who lives in Zephyrhills.

Kadwell, who moved to Florida in 1981, was retired from G.M. Truck and Coach. He had been a member of UAW Local #594, Pontiac, Mich., and had served with the U.S. Army during World War II.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; 2 sons, Bob Kadwell and Kenneth Kadwell, both of Reed City; one daughter, Mrs. Bernard (Janice) Ward of Hersey; several grandchildren; one brother, Lawrence Kadwell of Evart, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Elmira Fletcher and Mrs. Vivian Dawson, both of Farwell.

A graveside service will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at Novesta Cemetery, Cass City, with the Rev. David Smith, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Cass City, officiating.

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

Neola Webb

Neola Webb, 79, of Cass City, died Wednesday, June 17, at her residence, after an illness of several months.

She was born March 19, 1913, in Yale, the daughter of James H. and Jennie (Hallead) Mathews.

Miss Mathews was united in marriage to John Leslie Webb May 26, 1937, in Yale, coming to the Cass City area in 1948. Mr. Webb died Nov. 9, 1987.

She was a member of the Cass City Church of Christ and had been a volunteer at Tenderecare, Cass City.

Mrs. Webb is survived by one son, Leslie Webb and his wife, Viola, of Covington; 3 grandchildren, Charles Webb and Janet Webb, both of L'Anse, and Mrs. Rebecca Martin of Moberly, Mo.; one great-grandson, Joseph Martin; one brother, Howard Webb of Royal Oak and 2 nieces, Mrs. Patrick (Linda) Rouan of Beverly Hills and Ms. Janice Mathews of Royal Oak.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at Little's Funeral Home, Cass city, with Mr. Lyle Clark of the Cass City Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery, Yale.

Memorials may be given to the Cass City Church of Christ.

Roy Sickler

Roy Thomas Sickler, 79,

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by JOHN CHARLES LEWIS and DEBRA D. LEWIS, his wife to Liberty Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgage, dated May 6, 1983 and recorded on May 9, 1983, in Liber 532, on page 017, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and assigned by meane assignment to Sunbelt National Mortgage Corporation, an Illinois Corporation by an assignment dated December 27, 1990, and recorded on April 10, 1991, in Liber 611, on page 450, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of FORTY FIVE THOUSAND FIFTY THREE DOLLARS AND 33 CENTS (\$45,053.33), including interest at 12.000% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 11:00 a.m. o'clock, on July 24, 1992.

Said premises are situated in Township of Watertown, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Parcel B-1: Part of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 4, Town 10 North, Range 9 East, described as beginning at a point on the West line of said Section 4, which is South 659.77 feet from the West 1/4 corner of said section; thence continuing along said West line, South 334.15 feet; thence parallel with the South East and West 1/8 line of said Section 4, North 89 degrees 39 minutes 55 seconds East 264.00 feet; thence parallel with the West line of said section, South 165.00 feet; thence North 89 degrees 39 minutes 55 seconds East 1055.49 feet to the West North and South 1/8 line of said section; thence along said 1/8 line, North 00 degrees 04 minutes 10 seconds East 497.09 feet; thence parallel with the East and West 1/4 line of said section, South 89 degrees 45 minutes 19 seconds West 1320.08 feet to the West line of said section and the point of beginning. Subject to the use of the Westerly 33.00 feet thereof as North Lake Road, being in Watertown Township, Tuscola County, Michigan.

The redemption period shall be 12 month(s) from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 10, 1992

Trott and Trott
Attorneys for Assignee of the Mortgage
31000 Telegraph Road, Suite 170
Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025
File #92051285

Sunbelt National Mortgage Corporation,
Assignee of Mortgage
5-6-10-4

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by BILLY L. VAUGHN AND PEGGY L. VAUGHN, HUSBAND AND WIFE to FIRST CENTRAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION, A MICHIGAN CORPORATION Mortgage, dated January 29, 1990, and recorded on February 6, 1990, in Liber 599, on page 1296, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said mortgagee to FLEET MORTGAGE CORP., A RHODE ISLAND CORPORATION by an assignment dated January 29, 1990, and recorded on March 23, 1990, in Liber 600, on page 1425, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty nine thousand two hundred sixty eight and 10/100 Dollars (\$59,268.10), including interest at 10.000% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and approved, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola, MI, at 11:00 AM on July 31, 1992.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF ARBELA, TUSCOLA County, Michigan and are described as:

THE NORTH 198.00 FEET OF THE SOUTH 396.00 FEET OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 33, TOWN 10 NORTH, RANGE 7 EAST

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241(a) in which case the redemption period shall be 90 days from the date of such sale.

DATED: June 24, 1992

ATTORNEY FOR: Assignee of Mortgage

Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.
401 South Woodward Avenue
Suite 300
Birmingham, MI 48009-6616

FLEET MORTGAGE CORP.
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5-6-24-5

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Gypsy moth informational meet set in Caro July 1

A public information meeting on dealing with the gypsy moth will be held July 1 at the Cooperative Extension Office in Caro beginning at 4:30 p.m.

The discussion will include topics of concern to homeowners who are infested with the gypsy moth caterpillar, including chemical and mechanical controls available to the homeowner, information on the Tuscola County Aerial Suppression Program, and what to expect seasonally and in future years from the gypsy moth.

The caterpillars are nearing the peak of the most destructive stage in their yearly life cycle. Some will stop eating and begin to change into the inactive pupa stage within the next couple of weeks. The pupas will remain in a cocoon for about 10 days before emerging as moths. The moths will

lay eggs in late July and August which will overwinter and hatch next May.

The best time to chemically reduce the population of the gypsy moth is when the caterpillar is about a half inch long (mid to late May) with a bacterial insecticide called *Bacillus thuringiensis* (Bt). There are other hard chemicals available for control up to an inch long but they also affect insects that naturally attack the gypsy moth.

Any money spent on chemical controls on caterpillars greater than an inch long would be better saved for treatment next spring, according to Joyce Muz, coordinator of the county's gypsy moth suppression program.

"Many homeowners are noticing the caterpillars in their trees for the first time," she said. "While the num-

bers of gypsy moth remain reasonably low, water, fertilizer and prune your trees. Healthy trees are less stressed from the damage that caterpillars cause."

"Plant a variety of trees in your yard. Gypsy moths usually avoid ash, dogwood, locust, tulip tree, walnut and sycamore. Encourage birds, beetles, spiders and small mammals such as mice, chipmunks, and squirrels that will eat the gypsy moth. Remove discarded items, brush and stumps where female moths could lay eggs and caterpillars could hide. Be cautious of firewood that might be brought in from infested woods and contain gypsy moth eggs."

More information about the gypsy moth is available by contacting Muz at 673-5999 (ext. 228) or by visiting the Cooperative Extension Office in Caro.

Thieves loot Kingswood Inn

Thieves broke into a Kingston area inn last week and stole some \$1,500 worth of booze and other property.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies are investigating the break-in, which occurred sometime between 2:30 and 8 a.m. Thursday at the Kingswood Inn, 3535 Phillips Rd., Kingston.

The theft was discovered by the owner, Amerigo Ruggero, who told deputies he discovered a south side door battered and pried.

Reports also state telephone lines were cut.

Stolen were 26 cases of beer valued at a combined \$342, 40 to 50 bottles of assorted hard liquor valued at \$8 each, \$170 in rolled change, a color television valued at \$298 and an assortment of 45 baseball caps valued at \$2.50 each.

The business was the target of 2 break-ins a year ago, according to reports, which note those crimes were solved.

Kingston's top students named

The following students have been named to the second semester honor roll at Kingston High School:

7TH GRADE

David Albin, *Carrie Harp, Shannon Jacques, *Devin Kelly, Emily King, Stephanie King, Jessica Larsen, *Brandi Myers, Dan Rayl, Meredith Roland.

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10TH GRADE

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

11TH GRADE

Hope Armstrong, Sarah Gerhardt, James McLaughlin, Harold Murthum, Judy Rauch, Shannon Schell, Matt Zajac.

Top killer

Traffic crashes rank as the No. 1 killer of Americans ages 1-44. (National Safety Council, NSC)

Dick Root retiring

That's been the case in the Root household, according to Cass City native, who is looking forward to making up some lost time to his family, including wife Glenola.

He leaves the fire department with a lifetime of memories, and the knowledge that those years were spent helping out neighbors, friends and fellow residents. "I feel I have done the best possible job I could do," he said.

THE WORST

Fatal fires are the worst, and Root has been to more than a dozen of them. "It's just hell," he said. "That's all I can say about it."

But there are rewards, including a good feeling when a structure that means everything to its owner is saved. The bottom line, Root noted, is "You have helped someone who is in need of help."

Although there have been many changes since he joined the department, Root's appreciation for the volunteers who risk their lives and deal with the stress of the job hasn't changed.

"I have a lot of respect for a man who will devote his time to fire fighting," he commented. And, he pointed out, "Every volunteer fire fighter has to have a very good, understanding and considerate wife."

2 face charges

A preliminary exam was to have been held Friday. Bond in the case was set at \$2,000.

*Jeff Hall, 25, Millington, was arraigned on charges of possession of a loaded firearm and failure to present a pistol to police for a safety inspection.

The offense allegedly occurred May 4 in Arbel Township, according to court records, which state a preliminary exam was scheduled for Thursday at 9 a.m. Hall's bond was set at \$1,000.

WHEN TO CHECK ABNORMAL MENSTRUAL BLEEDING

Abnormal menstrual bleeding is common and inconvenient and occasionally can indicate something serious. It is difficult for a woman to decide when to see her doctor. First, and foremost, a woman must see her doctor any time she has bleeding after menopause. This is a warning sign for cancer of the lining of the uterus.

Normal menstruation can be quite variable, and irregular menses may be considered perfectly normal for many women. Breakthrough bleeding is also common when taking birth control pills.

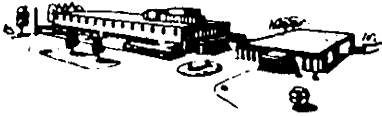
Some of the more significant causes of bleeding can relate to pregnancy. Then it can be a sign of a miscarriage or an ectopic pregnancy or even a molar pregnancy (an abnormal growth of cells).

After deliveries, menstrual bleeding is normally very irregular for weeks to months, but occasionally it is due to a retained placenta. An exam should be done after a couple weeks of irregular bleeding or sooner for heavy bleeding.

Abnormal bleeding can be caused by hormonal problems such as thyroid, parathyroid or adrenal gland diseases. Your doctor may need to evaluate for these illnesses if any other symptoms are present.

When a woman exercises excessively, and especially if her weight is low, it may cause irregular bleeding and even missed periods. This is associated with losing calcium from the bones, so evaluation by your doctor and treatment are important.

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O-G honor roll

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UP, UP AND AWAY went the balloons Wednesday afternoon as Char Krueger (RIGHT) releases them in the parking lot of Erla's Food Center and Packaging Inc. Krueger, store manager, said the balloon launch was part of Erla's 8th annual Roundup Sale. The balloons contained prize certificates for flowers, groceries and other items.