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APRIL FOOLS — Mother Nature had the first laugh Thursday, April 1, with a storm that left a thick coat of ice on tree limbs and everything else. The ice and snow closed a number of Thumb schools and cut power in some areas. Detroit Edison officials said 200 Gagetown area customers were without power from before midnight to 3 a.m. and again from 6 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Wants more information

Indianfields Twp. snags airport renovation plan

Plans to improve the Caro Municipal Airport hit a snag last week when officials in Indianfields Township — home of the airport — voted against joining a proposed county-wide airport authority.

But members of the committee spearheading the authority plan say they'll regroup and try again to convince the township to participate.

"We're kind of back to square one," commented a disappointed Margie White, one of the committee members, following last week's Indianfields Township Board meeting.

The authority already has financial backing from officials in Caro, Cass City and Kingston, and in Almer and Elkland townships, but the proposal can't become reality without Indianfields Township, White explained. "The unit of government that the airport physically resides in has to vote to be part of the authority."

Officials at the Indianfields Township office referred all calls to Township Supervisor Chris Taylor, who could not be reached for comment.

However, Tuscola County Economic Development Corp. Executive Director James McLoskey, who attended last week's meeting, said township officials expressed concern over what improvements the authority is planning over the next few years and what each project would cost.

"We were able to give them some of the ballpark numbers for some of the projects, but not the specific (cost) for each and every project," he said.

McLoskey said the committee's focus has been on forming the authority with the idea that specific, long-range projects would be addressed as funding becomes available.

"We have a general idea of what projects need to be done," he added, "but we're only going to spend, as I see it, what we have."

Under the proposal, the authority would be established with the combined financial support of several

local governmental units in the county. The authority would take over ownership of the airport from the village of Caro, which currently spends about \$25,000 a year to maintain and operate the facility.

Once formed, the authority would be eligible to apply for state and grant funding that would pay for 95 percent of improvements to the airport.

Projects discussed so far have included better runway lighting, improvements to an existing 3,800-foot asphalt runway, maintenance of hangars and the airport

office building, updated weather station equipment and construction of taxiways.

The committee has indicated a combined \$30,000 will be needed the first year from participating municipalities to get the airport authority off the ground.

White guessed all but \$8,000 or \$9,000 of that goal has been pledged to-date. "But, again, it's a moot point unless we can get Indianfields Township to jump in on this."

McLoskey said he believes last week's decision was based on the information

presented. It's hoped, he added, that taking more specific estimates back to the board will result in a change of heart.

That could happen as early as Monday night, the date of the board's next regularly scheduled meeting.

Authority committee member and Caro Village Manager Don Dugger indicated he's confident township officials will reconsider once their questions have been answered.

"I don't call (last week's action) devastating or anything like that," he said. "I'm still optimistic."

Currently, Cass City Schools are guaranteed \$3,316 per pupil under the state aid formula, but that figure doesn't include categorical.

Walker said investigators have cracked break-ins involving at least 7 residences, including 3 in Cass City and 2 in Gagetown. It's believed several other incidents reported northwest of Cass City may also be connected, he added.

Det. Sgt. Allan Ogg of the Michigan State Police, Caro post, said David H. Moore, 27, of Cass City, was arrested last week in connection with the March 19 break-in of the Rutkoski residence, 3120 Phillips Rd., Cass City.

Moore was arraigned in Tuscola County District Court on one count of breaking and entering an occupied dwelling. His bond was set at \$50,000 and a preliminary examination was scheduled for 9 a.m. Thursday.

Moore is suspected in several other break-ins, according to Ogg, who said warrants are also being sought for additional suspects believed to be responsible for other breaking and entering incidents.

Investigators declined to comment on specific cases pending issuance of those warrants, but Ogg said the incidents have all occurred

since the first of the year and involved the theft of household items, some safes and other property from residences.

The stolen goods have not been recovered yet, although 2 stolen vehicles have, including one taken in Huron County that was recently recovered in Cass City, Walker said.

The recent breakthrough follows a 6-week investigation by the state police, Tuscola and Huron County sheriff's departments and Cass City police.

Ogg said solving the break-ins was primarily the result of investigators comparing notes as well as a combination of circumstances that pointed to specific suspects.

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MAINTAINS QUALITY

"The property tax plan gives residents the rate reduction they were requesting while still maintaining

area school officials are giving a "thumbs up," at least tentatively, to a plan that would significantly cut property taxes, cap assessments and revamp school funding in Michigan.

Both the State House of Representatives and Senate have endorsed the measure, which proposes a 2-cent sales tax hike to pay for the cuts.

Voters will have the final say on the proposal in a special election June 2.

The plan, which would amend the Michigan Constitution, would:

- Raise the state sales tax from 4 to 6 cents and dedicate the additional 2 cents to the state school aid fund. State lottery net proceeds also would be dedicated to the school aid fund.

- Limit property tax assessment increases to 5 percent or the rate of inflation, whichever is less. That translates into an increase of no more than 3 percent on assessments this year, compared to an average 11 percent.

The legislation would also extend by one year the time period between assessment increases and payment of property taxes on the new assessment rate.

- Reduce school operating millage to 18 mills beginning this year and allow districts to levy up to 9 additional mills with voter approval. The current statewide average is about 34 mills.

- Improve equity among the state's schools with a guaranteed minimum \$4,800 in per-pupil spending in every K-12 school district.

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plan is approved, the local school millage would be slashed by 12.9 mills. "It would be pretty significant in terms of property tax savings... in relation to a 2-cent sales tax increase."

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Micklash said the district also receives various categorical funds such as \$135,000 for transportation and \$125,000 for low income. In addition, the state reimburses the school about \$300,000 for employee Social Security benefits.

The guarantee of \$4,800 per student would be phased in gradually under the proposal. "They say they would give us 10 percent per year until we reach the minimum level," Micklash explained. "So, it's not like we would see a jump of \$1,500 per student in one year."

Despite a lack of specific figures, Micklash commented he believes the plan would benefit Cass City Schools and district residents.

"It's certainly something, I think, that warrants a very serious look," he said. "Our system, as I see it, isn't working tied to property taxes. If this doesn't fly, we're going to be forced in the next 2 years to do something to help poorer districts."

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St. Pancratius Women's Council airs meeting

St. Pancratius Women's Council met recently at the parish center. The meeting was opened with prayer.

The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved, and reports

were given on the parish council meeting, East Region meeting and the mother and daughter banquet.

East Region will meet in Uby in April, or first part of May. Dates are not available at this time. The group discussed a trip to the Birmingham Theater, April 25. The play is "Oklahoma" and dinner will follow.

A retreat of one day will be held at Queen of Angels Retreat House for anyone who wishes to participate. Flowers for church, Easter and Confirmation were discussed.

A video was shown on the Chamber of Commerce's Citizen of the Year.

Coffee and cake were served and the meeting was adjourned with prayer.

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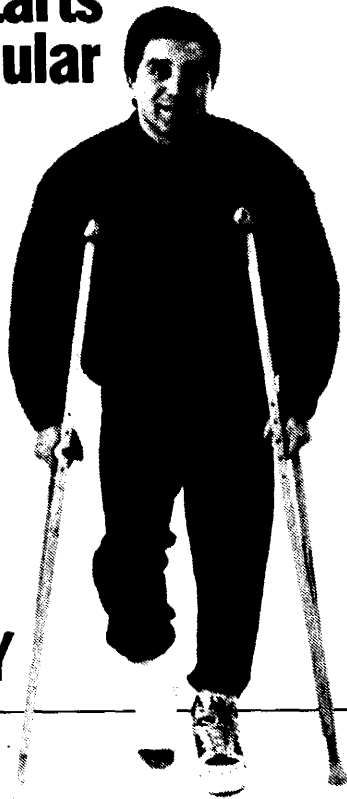
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Cass City Personal Items

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashmore of Tawas visited Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer Sunday afternoon. Patti Timmons and Brent Fritz spent Monday with the LaPeers, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Friday supper guests.

Kenneth James Micklash was one of a total of 1,023 students at the University of Michigan College of Engineering named to the dean's list for the fall 1992 term. To qualify, a student must maintain a 3.5 or better grade-point average (out of a possible 4.0) for the term.

Holy week services announced

Holy Week services have been set at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. A congregational potluck dinner at 6:30 followed by a communion service at 7:30 is slated for Maundy Thursday. Good Friday services are at 1:30.

The early worship service on Easter is at 7 a.m. followed by an Easter breakfast prepared and served by the junior and senior youth.

The late worship service is at 9:30 a.m. with Sunday School and Bible class at 10:45.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, APRIL 5, WERE:

Bernice Muntz, Donald Richards, Hazel Seeley, Frank Spencer, Cass City; Michael Skiles, Deford; Ryan Schaaf, Sebawaing; Flossie Farrelly, Uby.

Jan Erla of Cass City was one of 12 Oakland University School of Business Administration students initiated into the OU chapter of Beta Alpha Psi March 26. Beta Alpha Psi, a national honorary fraternity for accounting majors, recognizes students who have demonstrated superior academic achievement. In addition, requirements for initiation include attendance at professional meetings, participation in the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program, on-campus tutoring, and several community involvement activities.

Louis Franks and son John arrived home from Florida Saturday night after a 3-week trip. It took nearly a week to get home because of the snow storm. They drove 3 1/2 days and were still in Florida. They had to stop 3 times in Kentucky and 5 times in Tennessee. While in Florida they visited Louis Franks' brother, Joe, in Clearwater. John went to the races in Gainesville and Louis, John and Joe went to several Tiger ball games. John and Louis visited Homestead and the Everglades. On the way home they visited Pete and Joann Franks in Lake Orion.



by Melva E. Guinther

Never mind that it's snowing like crazy as I write this on Friday. Never mind that I had to go to the store for more bird seed and peanuts for the squirrels when we thought we wouldn't need any more, or that a quarter inch sheet of ice had to be chipped off the car windows.

Never mind that the bare sidewalks we walked on a couple of days ago for the first time since last fall are once again covered with snow and ice.

I know it's spring! I've seen the signs! The robins and that flock of geese heading north couldn't be wrong, could they?

Check out the first crocus, which I eagerly picked and stuck in a little bottle. It's fading fast, but it's proof that they are out there under the snow. And I really did see tulips pushing determinedly through the soggy ground the other day.

We grilled hamburgers. We washed windows. Kids were outdoors playing ball and jumping rope, and mothers were in the park with small children.

If that's not proof enough that it's spring, there are the Cadbury Egg commercials and the auction ads. (I'd include spring catalogs, but we've been getting them since before Christmas.)

Ah yes. It's spring, and I'm sure Mother Nature will recognize it any day now.

Being left-handed is no longer considered a hazard to your health.

A study has shown that southpaws are at no more risk of dying young than their right-handed counterparts, according to an article in one of the dailies. It had once been suspected that they were.

The 6-year study was conducted for other reasons, but included the "handedness" information.

Our daughter is left-handed, and it never occurred to us to consider it unusual or undesirable. I remember buying her left-handed scissors for high school home ec class, but I don't think she ever encountered any major obstacles on her way to success.

I was amazed when a lesson in a Sunday School manual a while back suggested that being left-handed was tantamount to being handicapped.

If anything, it seems to me that a left-handed person would be more clever and ambidextrous than most because so many things in the world are geared toward right-handed people.

Direct Funeral Services is sandwiched between a wig salon and a used camera shop in Alameda, Calif., where mortician Al Carpenter offers bargain price funerals.

The storefront funeral parlor also features a build-your-own casket business, where a person "modestly experienced" with tools can make a casket for himself or a loved one for about \$70.

You might say that's taking the do-it-yourself idea to a new level — 6 feet deep.

Craig Bellew guest speaker at auxiliary

The Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary held its monthly meeting March 21 at the Charmont. Craig Bellew, registered pharmacist, from the Hills and Dales pharmacy, was the guest speaker with a presentation on National Poison Control Week and prescription drugs.

The annual Auxiliary Honors Luncheon is set to take place Wednesday, April 21. All hospital auxiliaries are invited.

The auxiliary will hold a Tag Day May 13. Auxiliaries are asked to sign at the honors luncheon April 21 to participate.

Georgine Jensen, Auxiliary president, attended the "Day at the Capital" in Lansing March 10 for a presentation on health care reform. Hospitals from all over the state were represented.

The ECD meeting will take place May 19 in Owosso. Auxiliaries are urged to attend.

The next auxiliary meeting will be May 24. There will be no April meeting due to the honors luncheon.

Marriage licenses

Chris Paul Gardy, Millington, and Kelly Jean Partin, Clio.

Robert Lee Fader and Betty Jo Crittenden, both of Caro.

David Grant Baker, Boone, Iowa, and Betty Joan Kuhne, Unionville.

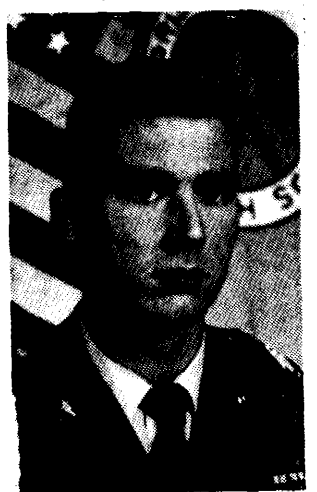
Gregory John Stanislawski and Jo Ann Law, both of Caro.

Jason Schwartz enlists in U.S. Army Reserve

Jason Schwartz of Huntsville, Ala., formerly of Cass City, has enlisted in the U.S. Army Reserve on the delayed entry program. He leaves for basic training June 2 at Fort Leonardwood, Mo. After basic, he will complete his senior year at Grissom High School, where he is a member of the JROTC program. Then he will go on to Advanced Individual Training at Fort Benning, Ga. He is now assigned to Company B-324th Signal Battalion - Redstone Arsenal, Ala.

Schwartz is the son of Peggy Schwartz of Huntsville, Ala., and grand-

son of Margie Schwartz of Cass City.



Jason Schwartz

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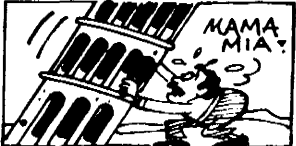
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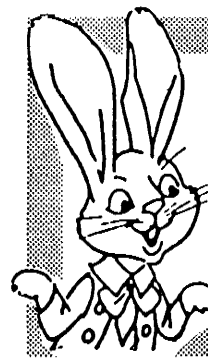
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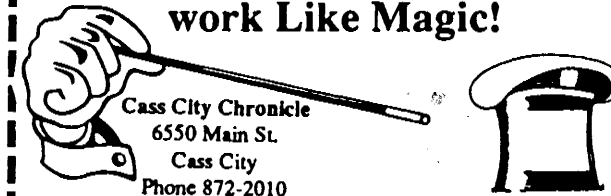
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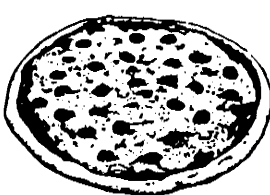
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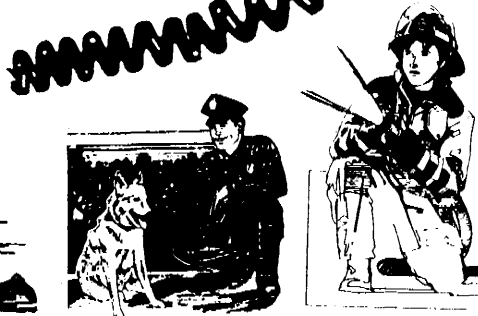
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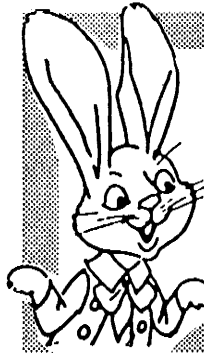
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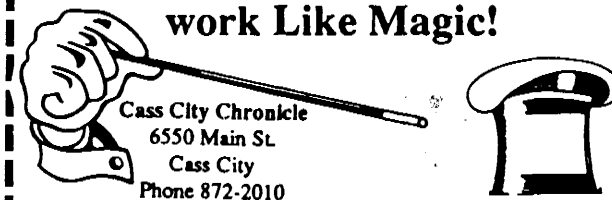
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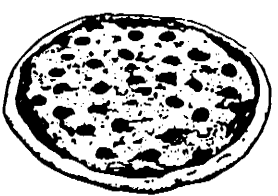
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5 YEARS AGO

Vandals smashed glass at 2 downtown Cass City businesses early Sunday morning. A large plate glass window at the Quaker Maid Dairy store was broken by a large rock. Also smashed was a glass display case at the Cass Theater.

Owen-Gage High School officials have announced that Jill Janke will serve as valedictorian in commencement exercises slated for May 26. Salutatorian honors go to Susan Salcido.

Hagerman Baptist Church, Waterloo, Iowa, was the site of the ordination service of former area resident R. Mark Shaw March 27. Shaw, a 1979 Cass City High School graduate, is the son of Richard and Shirley Shaw of Cass City.

Carolyn and Christine Tuckey flew to Punta Gorda, Fla., to drive their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tuckey, home. They returned to Cass City March

27.

Elizabeth Dickinson of Cass City, and Paula Burdon of Gagetown will receive bachelor's degrees from Alma College at commencement exercises April 16.

10 YEARS AGO

Dr. Thomas Schwaderer, MD, will speak at the Cass City Chamber of Commerce annual banquet Saturday. Schwaderer is a 1952 graduate of Cass City High School. He is on the staff of Butterworth Hospital in Grand Rapids.

The \$225 million in state budget cuts announced last week by Gov. James Blanchard will be felt in various ways in the upper Thumb. School districts, Hills and Dales Hospital, the state police post in Caro and the Department of Mental Health will all be affected.

Tuscola County Probate Judge W. Wallace Kent Jr.

was the speaker at the AAUW meeting held in the high school library. Refreshments were served by hostesses Linda Gray and Barb Kosal.

The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation will sponsor a "Cyclin" for CF" bike-a-thon Sunday, April 24, according to event chairman Louise Buehrly.

25 YEARS AGO

Saturday, Elkland Township firemen were called to battle 5 different grass fires due to excessively dry spring weather.

Four-year-old Bradley Hartel is recovering from critical injuries received Saturday when he was kicked in the back by a horse.

Funeral services were held Monday for the 7 members of the Leo Parker family of rural Owendale who were killed in a tragic automobile accident Friday night.

Village President Lambert Althaver attended the annual Elkland Township meeting Saturday at the Cultural Center and asked about a new building for the Elkland Township Fire Department. Supervisor Ed Golding said that the board had no plans at the moment for a building.

Tom Fulcher, Cass City High School junior, took first place in the area contest, Sound of Youth USA program. Competing in Flint Saturday, he was judged the best in the male vocalist class. Fulcher sang "Green Grass of Home," and accompanied himself on the guitar.

35 YEARS AGO

Many village stores have announced this week that they will be open Friday nights instead of the traditional Saturday nights for the convenience of customers.

Dr. Paul Lockwood, chiropractic physician, will open an office in Cass City Monday, it was announced this week.

The Thumb B Conference sixth annual all-sports banquet was held March 27 in Sandusky. Cass City received trophies for winning the championship in football and basketball. Tom Hultien accepted the football trophy and Jim Johnson, the basketball award.

Carla Calka celebrated her 7th birthday Friday afternoon with a party at her home.

Shirley Jean Vargo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vargo of Cass City, and Sandra Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Fischer of Gagetown, received nursing caps at ceremonies held Sunday in St. Mary's Cathedral in Saginaw.

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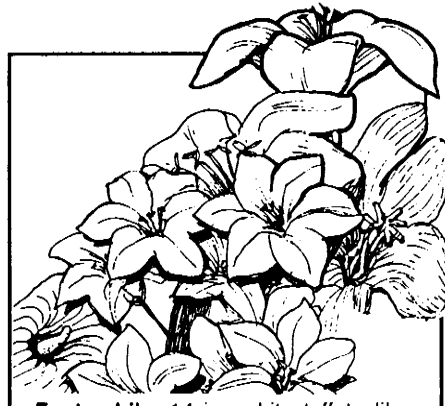
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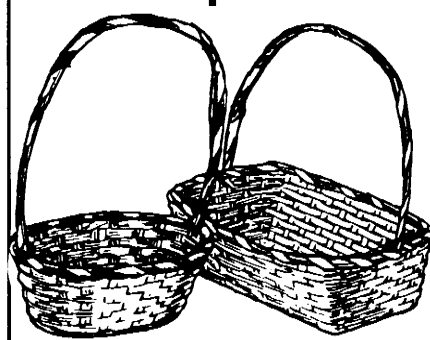


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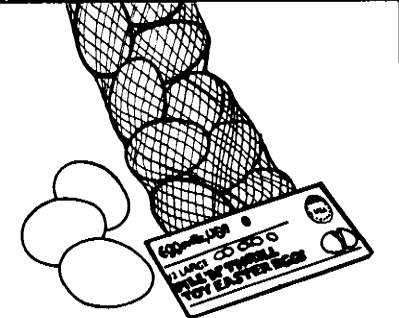
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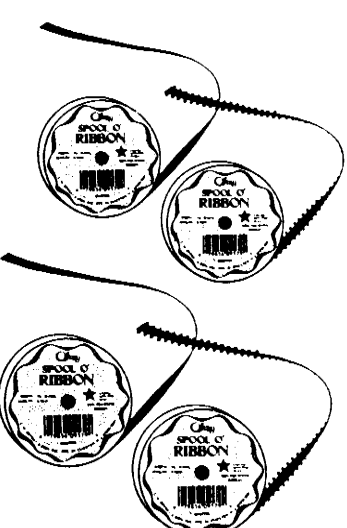
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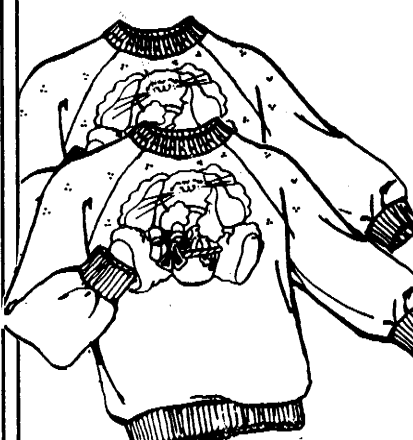


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In circuit court**2 enter pleas, 8 sentenced**

Two people entered pleas and 8 others were sentenced Friday in Tuscola County Circuit Court.

•William J. Wilcox Jr., 49, Westland, was re-sentenced to 2 to 10 years in prison for intent to pass a false title to a motor vehicle, and 8 to 20 years on an habitual offender charge. He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

A jury found Wilcox guilty on the first charge Jan. 8, 1990, according to court records, which state the offense occurred in Elkland Township in July 1988.

•Chad J. Lyttaker, 21, was re-sentenced to 10 to 15 years for a jury verdict of guilty to voluntary manslaughter. He received an additional 2 years for pos-

session of a firearm in the commission of a felony.

Lyttaker was convicted in connection with the shooting death of another Caroten, Randall C. Fielder Jr., in Fielder's Car home in November 1989.

A Lapeer County jury found Lyttaker guilty of the charges May 4, 1990.

An appeal that followed was recently denied by the Michigan Court of Appeals, but re-sentencing on the manslaughter charge was ordered due to a discrepancy in the sentencing guidelines. Lyttaker was originally sentenced to 7 to 15 years.

•Lagusta C. Bables, 45, was sentenced to 2 to 5 years in prison for her plea of guilty to attempted delivery of cocaine Dec. 2 in Vassar.

•Gordon Wright Jr., 21, Kingston, entered a plea of innocent during his arraignment on a charge of probation violation.

A pre-trial hearing is to be scheduled in the case.

Wright, who was sentenced to 36 months probation in November 1990 after pleading no contest to conspiracy to commit arson of personal property over \$50, allegedly failed to report to his probation agent after June 4, 1992, and left the state without the court's consent, court records state.

•Jason M. Kwiatkowski, 18, Saint Charles, pleaded guilty to attempted breaking and entering an unoccupied dwelling with intent to commit larceny.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$5,000. Sentencing is to be set.

Court records state Kwiatkowski allegedly broke into the Kingswood Inn, 3535 Phillips Rd., Kingston, June 18.

•Donald G. Lambert, 24, Caro, was sentenced to 180 days in jail and ordered to pay restitution of \$158 for his plea of guilty to unlawfully driving away an automobile Sept. 6 in Indianapolis Township.

He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

•Chad T. Culbert, 17, Caro, was ordered to serve 2 years probation and 60 days in jail for his pleas of no contest to 2 counts of attempted unlawfully driving away an automobile.

Culbert was also ordered to pay court costs and fines totalling \$700, restitution of \$442.12 and a \$30 victim crime fee plus attorneys fees. He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

Culbert was charged with taking pickup trucks Feb. 5 in Wells Township and Feb. 6 in Fairgrove Township, according to court records.

•Jerry Franz, 31, Vassar, was sentenced to 180 days in jail for his plea of guilty to fourth degree criminal sexual conduct involving force or coercion Dec. 16 in Juniata Township.

Franz was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

•Susan M. Sharp, 39, Vassar, was sentenced to 2 years probation and ordered to pay costs and fines of \$500 plus a \$30 victim crime fee for her plea of guilty to possession of marijuana Oct. 8 in Vassar.

•LeRoy E. Sharp Jr., 37, Vassar, was sentenced to 4 years probation and 90 days in jail, with worksite privileges, for his plea of guilty to attempted possession of marijuana Oct. 8 in Vassar.

Sharp, who was remanded to the custody of the sheriff, was also ordered to complete 100 hours of community service.



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MEMBERS OF EXPLORER Scouts Post 2594 recently built bridges under the guidance of Matt Werner, senior project engineer at Walbro Corp., Cass City. The structures, made of toothpicks, Popsicle sticks, cardboard, glue and other materials, were judged on design, strength and cost. Above, Scouts (left to right) Dion Dronsella, 15, Mark Pisarek, 14, and Rick Merchant, 15, all of Gagetown, tested their bridge Thursday at Walbro.



A FEW MINUTES and several pounds of rock salt later, the scouts' bridge, attached to a weight-filled bucket, collapsed, but not before withstanding 53.75 pounds.

Set Holy Week services

Community Holy Week services have been planned at various churches in Ubly. Thursday, April 8, at 7:00 p.m. is the Maundy Thursday service, conducted this year at Ubly United Methodist Church, Main St. at Pike.

Friday, April 9, at 1:00 p.m. is the Good Friday service, this year held at Ubly First Presbyterian Church, Main St. at Pike.

Sunday, April 11, at 7:00 a.m., Easter sunrise service will be held at Fraser Presbyterian Church, located on M-53, at Huron Line Road. The Fraser Youth Group will participate with both song and dramatic readings and following the service, breakfast will be served. Regular Sunday morning worship at all 3 churches will continue at the usual times.

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**Superintendents back state tax proposal**

Continued from page one.

quality education for our young people," he said. "The plan offers real relief. For example, the Owendale-Gagetown Area Schools in Huron County received one of the largest property tax cuts in the state with this proposal."

State Rep. Dick Allen (R-Caro) said Michigan education and business would have a stronger position in the economy under the proposal.

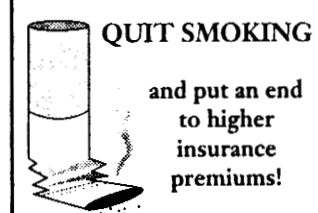
"This plan reduces Michigan's dependence on property taxes at the state and local level and improves the state's ranking in comparison with national averages for sales and property taxes," he added.

Allen acknowledged the proposal isn't perfect. "It is, however, a turning point for Michigan. It provides new direction in 2 areas that have needed solutions for nearly 2 decades."

"I am sure voters will recognize this as an honest effort to develop meaningful reform in the areas of property tax and school financing," he said.

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Cass City track teams set to compete



THE CASS CITY High School track squad: Back row: Aron Romstad, Mike Bolton, Nick Bliss, Jake Lounsbury, Garret O'Berski, Mark LeValley, Dan Sherman, Jeremy Kreuger. Second row: Jason Daniel, Steve Irvine, Jim Matthews, Brent Morley, John Rea, Tim Warneck, Ben Hobbs, Ryan King, John Phillips. Third row: Domonick Vargo, Jeff Mathewson, Don Golden, Chris Chappel, Noel Hornbacher, Tyson Bitzer, Joe Luana, Marc Wallace. Back row: Barry Hornbacher, Steve Muska, Aaron Hewitt, Rick Parrott, Brandon Toner, Scott Wren, Mike Sherman, Ron Hudson. Missing are Robert Warford and Brian Hicks.



THERE ARE ONLY 18 girls out for Cass City High School track and the lack of players poses a problem. From left, back row: Tina Pallas, Brenda Meredith, Rachel Sugden, Jennifer Romstad, Jeanie Clor, Jennifer Knowlton, Barb Kelley. Second row: Coach Larry Robinson, Heather Henn, Melissa Veldman, Mandy Nizzola, Amy Burns, Kim Lesoski. First row: Jenny Rick, Becky Smith, Amanda Kietlyka, Shivaugn Rayl, LeAnn Foster, Andrea Cooper. Missing is Jodi LaRoche.

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Red Hawk girls face rebuilding year this season

It promises to be a rebuilding year for the Cass City Red Hawk girls' track squad as coach Larry Robinson starts his 6th year at the helm.

The problems are myriad. First there are the numbers. Just 18 girls are trying out for the team. There is just one junior on the squad and 7 seniors, one of which has no previous experience.

After that there are 5 sophomores, 3 of which earned letters, and 6 freshmen.

Anchoring the squad will be Jennifer Romstad, team captain, seeking her fourth letter. In the middle distances Mandy Nizzola and Melissa Veldman are experienced.

There is talent in the field events, but the Hawks will be hard-pressed to replace Essi Reponen, exchange student, who set the school record in the shot put, discus and high jump. Jodi LaRoche in the long jump and Barb Kelley in the shot and discus should win points. Jennifer Knowlton has won 2 letters and will compete in the discus.

Robinson said that he likes the attitude of this year's team. Among the freshmen he feels that Andrea Cooper, LeAnn Foster and Shivaugn Rayl will help the team immediately.

Because of the limited number of players, Robinson sees trouble in trying to cover all events. He predicts that Bad Axe and Lakers will fight it out for the Blue Bay League title, followed by Marlette and Cass City.

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	20	USA	4:30
	24	Gavel Club Relays	Home 9:30
	27	Bad Axe	There 4:30
	29	Vassar	There 4:00
May	4	Marlette	Home 4:30
	7	Reese Invitational	4:00
	11	Lakers	Home 4:30
	15	Hatchet Invitational	9:30
	18	Blue Bay League meet	Home 4:30
	22	Regionals Breckenridge	9:30
	25	Huron Meet of Champs Bad Axe	5:00
	26	Tuscola Co. Champs Mayville	4:00
	28	Bay City Times meet	TBA
June	1	Caro Meet of Champs	TBA
	5	State Meet at Byron Center, Grand Rapids	

Boys' squad is young, but size not a problem

The Cass City Red Hawks will have the numbers in boys' track this spring, but may have trouble finding the quality performers that are needed to bring home a Blue Bay Conference title.

Coach Don Markel greeted 37 candidates as he started his fourth year at the helm. He feels that filling all the events will help in dual meets and looks for great improvement as the season unfolds.

It remains to be seen if that improvement comes soon enough to better last year's 1-2 league and 3-6 overall record.

The losses by graduation have been minimal. Gone are Jeremy Bogart, shot put, Ron Miller middle distance point winner, and Jeff Schember, distance runner and discus.

Markel says that the team should be relatively strong in the 1,600 and 3,200 meters and sprints. The hurdles promise to be a problem unless a couple of performers who have shown improvement surprise before the season ends.

There are several lettermen back. Jeff Mathewson will perform in the pole vault and hurdles. Rick Parrott and Scott Wren should win points in the shot put and discus.

Anchoring the sprints will be Brandon Toner, Mike Sherman and Aaron Hewitt. Toner will be counted on in the long jump as well. Domonick Vargo will compete in the long jump 400-meter and the sprints.

Barry and Noel Hornbacher will win points in the 1,600 and 3,200 meters.

This year's team will be young. There are just 5 seniors on the squad. After that the 3 remaining classes are well represented. There are 13 juniors, 7 sophomores and 13 freshmen on the squad.

Markel predicts that Bad Axe will be the team to beat followed by Cass City, Marlette and Lakers.

Thieves take bus battery

Cass City police are investigating the theft of a battery from a Cass City School bus last week.

Charles Creason reported the theft took place sometime last Wednesday night. The bus was parked in the lot behind Cass City High School, 4868 N. Seeger St.

Also last week, Perry Ford, owner of the Permar General Store, 6476 Main St., Cass City, reported damage to the south outside wall of the business.

The wall appears to have been hit by a vehicle, according to reports, which state a pair of door frames also were damaged. The incident is believed to have occurred sometime between March 28 and April 3.

Steer show set April 10

Entries are now available from major contributors for the Second Annual Thumb Jackpot Steer Show to be held April 10 at 1 p.m. at the Eastern Michigan Fairgrounds in Imlay City.

Entries close April 3. Late entries (at a higher fee) will be accepted through weigh-in April 10. Questions can be directed to Doug and Vicki Meiburg at (313) 688-2222.

Tom Younts of Markerville, Ind., will be judging this year's show. All steers will be judged as prospects for county fairs later this summer.

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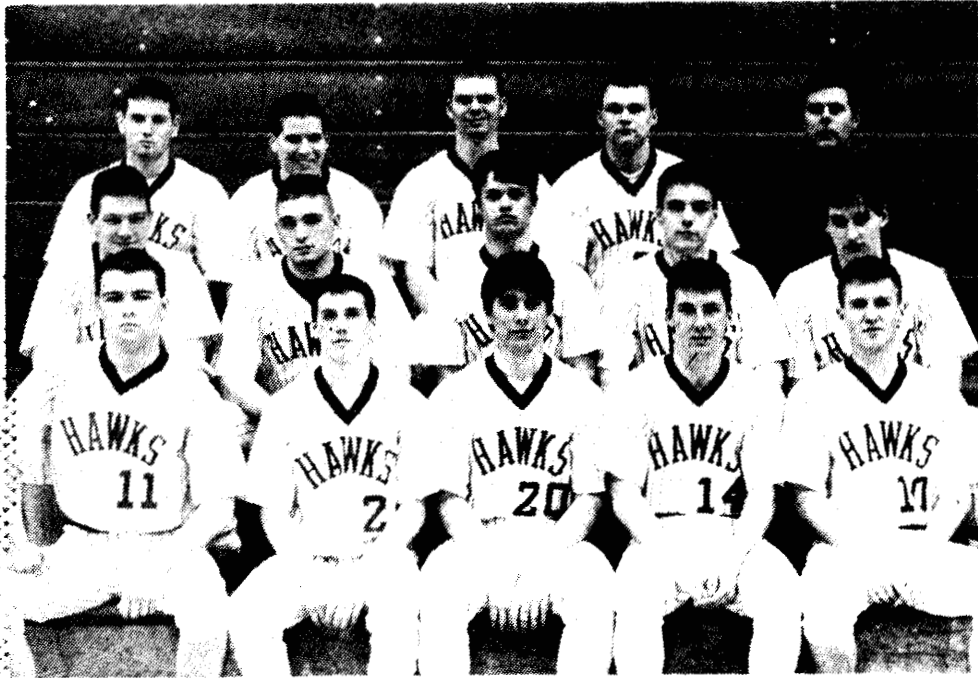
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THE CASS CITY High School varsity baseball squad - Front row, from left: Jim Hempton, Kris Repshinska, Richard Kubacki, Alan Prosowski, Ben Schott. Second row: Paul Ulfig, Greg LeValley, Matt Anthony, Danny Muska, Bill Graham. Back row: John Phillips, Mark Kubacki, Tavis Osentoski, Jason Morgan, Coach Doug Hall.

Hall confident as baseball season opens

Coach Doug Hall says he's looking forward to the coming Cass City High School baseball season and thinks it will be a lot of fun. Perhaps more fun than last year when Cass City failed to do as well as many felt it would. The Hawks were 11-8 in the Blue Bay Conference and 14-12 overall. In addition, they were eliminated in the pre-district by Sandusky. From that team 6 seniors departed, leaving some big holes to fill. Troy Benitez, pitcher and infielder, leads the list. Also gone from the

infield are Bart Hall, Mark Irrer and Reuben Rienstra. Outfielders that graduated include Kent Winter and Brad Gray. While the losses are substantial, there is a cadre of top players and some promising newcomers on the squad. Bill Graham was an all-league performer playing in the infield and pitching. If he has control, he could be the answer for Cass City this spring. Winning honorable mention was Greg LeValley. He pitched and played the infield. Hall feels that he is well

fortified behind the plate with the return of Rich Kubacki, and that Dan Muska will drive in plenty of runs. Ben Schott and Al Prosowski can be counted on to help. All are seniors. What may well determine how the team fares this year will be the play of the juniors and a pair of talented sophomores. Patrolling the outfield will be Tavis Osentoski, John Phillips, Kris Repshinska and Matt Anthony. Paul Ulfig is an infield candidate and also will be working out on the mound, as will Phillips.

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Wide open race, says coach

Hawks set to defend softball title

Cass City High School's softball team has compiled the best record of any Hawk athletic team in recent seasons and for this season to measure up to those in the recent past, the girls will need an all-out effort. Coach Dave Hoard's charges are the defending Blue Bay League champs with a 6-0 record and a 21-8 record overall. Add to that a pre-district victory and a district final appearance and it's easy to see that the girls have their work cut out. The good news is that there are some potent hitters and players returning. The bad news is that there were significant losses due to graduation. They start with all-conference player Jodi Hillaker. Add Kerri Santos, who was a

vacuum sweeper in the infield and a good sticker. Melanie Churchill provided punch at the plate as did Stephanie Leiterman. Despite the losses, the Hawks figure to be a team to be reckoned with. There are 3 seniors on the squad who figure to play key roles. Jennifer Fruendt was the leading pitcher for the defending league champs. She can be counted on to get the ball over the plate. If Heather Kelly can solve her control problems, she could be an overpowering hurler. Jodi LaRoche has seen duty on the mound and is an outstanding catcher who can slug the ball. Jenny Storm is one of the top hitters. Pitching and hitting will be strong areas for the team, Hoard feels. Last year the

team average hovered around 300 and 3 of the 5 top hitters in the batting order are back getting ready for

the season. We have a strong group of players from the junior varsity to help out, says the

coach. Hoard feels that the league will be balanced, with no outstanding favorite.



THE DEFENDING BLUE BAY softball champs are ready to challenge for the season. Front row, from left: Stephanie Phetteplace, Darcie Monroe, Becky Britt, Sarah Wright. Second row: Raquel Oliveira, Jennifer Fruendt, Jenny Storm, Heidi Cook, Heather Kelly. Back row: Coach Dave Hoard, Denelle Delong, Kristy Messing, Stacey Klinkman, Karla Zinnecker. Missing is Jodi LaRoche.

O-G track fights people problem

What Owen-Gage track teams need most are more candidates, as both the boys' and girls' teams are short of players to compete in the various events, Coach Arnie Besonen said this week.

There are just 13 boys and 8 girls on the 2 squads. Compounding the problem, Besonen said grimly, 4 boys are ineligible because of scholastics under the strict Owen-Gage eligibility rules. Add to that a performer who was a consistent point producer in the discus and the shot put who won't

be piling up any points this year. Bryan Metzger can't compete because there is no cage that the state has mandated as necessary to compete in these events. The tight financial situation has forced the board to refuse to buy or build one. There are a few bright spots for Bulldog fans. The 400 and 800-yard sprint relay events are 2 of them. Shane Martindale, Curtis Garza, Joe Garza will anchor the teams. A sophomore, Shane Kady, is looking good in the hurdle events. The Bulldogs' best

chances for points in girls' competition are also in the sprint relays. Running these events will be Michelle Tkacz, Angie Wildman, Becky Torres and Lori Ondrajka. We should pick up points in the long jump, Besonen believes. As usual, the favorite in the North Central Thumb League is Akron-Fairgrove, which has a long history of track excellence. You can't count out C-PS, Besonen says, because they have excellent numbers with 51 players out for the boys' and girls' team.

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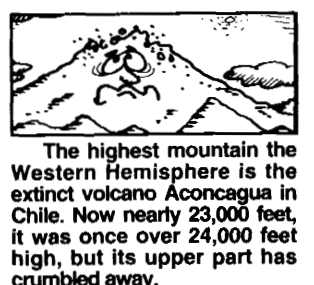
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CASS CITY SOFTBALL/BASEBALL SCHEDULE			
April 5	Caro	There	4:00
6	Yale	There	4:00
7	Bad Axe (BB only)	Home	4:00
20	Akron-Fairgrove	Home	4:00
21	Bad Axe (SB only)	Home	4:00
22	Harbor Beach	There	4:00
26	Sandusky	Home	4:00
27	Kingston	Home	4:00
29	Lakers	There	4:30
May 1	County Tour. (VBB only)	Millington	TBA
3	Ubyl	Home	4:30
6	Reese	Home	4:30
8	County Tour. (VBB only)	Millington	TBA
10	Mayville	There	4:30
13	Marlette	Home	4:30
17	USA	There	4:30
20	Deckerville	Home	4:30
22	Lakers BBC/VS only	There	TBA
24	Bad Axe (non-league)	There	4:30
25	Memphis	Home	4:00
27	Harbor Beach (V. only)	There	4:30

Senior golf league

Area seniors are invited to join a senior golf league set to get underway April 16 at Sherwood on the Hill in Gagetown. "If you don't play golf, now is the time to start," remarked organizer Charles Alley of Deford. "(It's) good exercise. We will teach you all that we know, which isn't much, but you will have fun," he joked.

Anyone interested in joining can contact Alley at 872-3971 for more information.



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CHRONIC FATIGUE SYNDROME

Is chronic fatigue syndrome just a new name for the same old fatigue, or is it a real disease? While medicine is having difficulty agreeing on a name or the cause, most doctors agree that there is such an illness. The majority of persons with the illness are women--usually hard-working, successful, middle-class women in their 20's or 30's. Chronic fatigue syndrome is remarkable in that it often comes on over a matter of days following a minor infection or illness. To diagnose the illness, a doctor must document certain symptoms. The main criteria is the new onset of a persistent or relapsing fatigue which is severe enough to reduce a person's activity to less than half of her normal activity. This fatigue must also be present for at least six months. A person must also have many other symptoms. These include a low grade fever, sore throat without "spots" on the tonsils, swollen tender lymph glands, generalized muscle weakness, aching joints without redness or swelling and neurological symptoms such as irritability, confusion or depression. Another common problem is a sleep disturbance. Inadequate amounts of the deeper stages of sleep will make the symptoms feel worse. Certain medicines such as antidepressants can help the sleep disturbance. Other causes of fatigue, such as cancers, infections, diabetes, and many other illnesses must be excluded by lab tests and a complete exam.

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OWEN-GAGE GIRLS' track team for 1993: Front row, from left: Bozena Pakula, Michelle Tkacz, Angie Wildman, Becky Torres. Back row: Coach Arnie Besonen, Jenny Niester, Melody Abfalter. Missing is Lori Ondrajka.



THE OWEN-GAGE boys' track team. Front row from left: Jason Karr, Shane Martindale, Curtis Garza, Coach Arnie Besonen. Middle row: Rick Merchant, Dan Forro, Shane Kady, Joe Tkacz. Back row: Bryan Baker. Missing are: Adam Metzger, Joe Garza and Nathan Forro.

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Cass City Bowling Leagues

JORDAN COLLEGE March 22, 1993

Ollie Mundy 4
Rita Williams 3 1/2
Robert Johnston 3
Dan Beckett 2
Kurt Streeter 2
Bye 1
Susan Polega 1/2
Sue Marks 0

Men's High Series: R. Johnston 458.
Men's High Game: D. Beckett 173.

High Women's Series: R. Williams 329.
Women's High Game: R. Williams 137.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS March 22, 1993

Gagetown Inn 36
Phil's Clippers 31
Spaulding Builders 30
Cole Carbide 27
Charmont Motel 27
Cass City Sports 24
C.R. Hunt 22
Miller Eggs 20
Erla's Inc. 14
Charmont 14

High Series & Games: G. Robinson 692 (237-235-220), Doug O'Dell 609 (230), E. Schultz 607 (225), S. Hammett 599 (223), S. Grifka 587 (211), T. Furness 586 (214), M. Lutz 584, T. Comment 583 (213), K. Pobanz 580, R. Kerkou 586 (210), P. McIntosh 578 (225), M. Weltin 578 (222), C. Bellew 225, R. Rabideau 235, S. Miller 217, P. Martin 212, B. Koch 211, D. Adams 210.

High Series & Game: Phil's Clippers 2980 & 1080.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES' LEAGUE March 23, 1993

Stille's 38
Charmont 33
Sutter's Bakery 28
Alley Hoppers 23
Country Gals 22

High Series: N. Rabideau 508.
High Game: N. Rabideau 183.
High Team Series: Sutter's Bakery 1713.
High Team Game: Stille's 632.

THURSDAY NITE TRIO March 25, 1993

Nelesco 18
Pioneer Seeds 17
Martin Electric 17
Cass City IGA 16
Kilbourn Tech 15
Bushwackers 12
Northon Construction 12
Jacques Seeds 11
Kilbourn Service 10

Deford Country Groc. Gilligan's

High Series & Games: Duane O'Dell 706 (262-233-211), B. Biebel 621 (270), R. Root 630 (232-202), R. Kerkou 689 (237-257), B. Babich 218, E. Schmaltz 622 (218-227), G. Robinson 615 (249), S. Miller 235, D. Doerr 605 (219), K. Martin 663 (246-252), K. Kilbourn 229.
High Series & Game: Jacques Seeds 1972 & 692.

SUNDAY NIGHTERS March 28, 1993

Try Hards 20
Sugar Makers 15
High Rollers 14 1/2
D & S 12
Schott's Accounting 12
Misfits 12
Sweet Guys 11
Town & Country 10
The L.T.'s 8
Alley Cats 7 1/2

Men's High Series: E. Hutchinson 589.
Men's High Games: E. Hutchinson 230, L. McCreedy 210.
Women's High Series: D. Dunham 524.
Women's High Game: D. Hayes 204.
High Team Series: Sugar Makers 1989.
High Team Game: High Rollers 703.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS March 29

Gagetown Inn 41
Spaulding Builders 37
Phil's Clippers 33
Charmont Motel 32
Cole Carbide 30
Cass City Sports 28
C.R. Hunt 24
Miller Eggs 20
Erla's Inc. 19
Charmont 16

High Series & Games: M. Lutz 766 (275-255-236), J. Krol 665 (244-231), T. Comment 659 (267), Doug O'Dell 645 (214-210-221), G. Robinson 634 (226-213), P. McIntosh 633 (245-215), K. Pobanz 613 (237), P. Harmer 610 (211-214), S. Hammett 597 (217), L. Tracy 596 (245), C. Bellew 593, B. Albrecht 581 (234), F. Kapral 581, J. Smithson 578 (223), R. Kerkau 576 (213), C. Zimmerman 221, D. Dickinson 213, J. Hool 212, S. Grifka 211.
High Team Series & Game: Phil's Clippers 2969 (1025).

TUESDAY NITE LADIES March 30

Smart Graphics 27
Live Wires 26
Wild John's 21
Cass City Tire 20 1/2
Cable-cites 19
Pizza Villa 19
Board's 18
Deford Country Grocery 18
Thumb National 17

Charmont Elmwood What Knots

High Series: D. Mathewson 501; J. Springstead 503; K. Guinther 504; P. Corcoran 522; B. Kilbourn 494; P. Zinnecker 468.
High Games: D. Terrasi 185; K. Guinther 179; D. Mathewson 205; M. Hacker 179; B. Kilbourn 173; P. Zinnecker 174; M. Grifka 175; J. Springstead 175; P. Corcoran 175-180.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES' LEAGUE March 30

Stille's 40
Charmont 34
Sutter's Bakery 31
Country Gals 26
Alley Hoppers 25

High Series and Game: C. Howard 497 (189).
High Team Series & Game: Stille's 1765 & 612.

MERCHANTS' "B" March 31

Gilligan's 19
Charmont Motel 14
Charmont 14
Board Chrysler 13
Micro EDM 11
Hyatt, Inc. 11
Mac Tools 4

High Series & Games: R. Rabideau 694 (240-235-219), R. Patera 616 (245-214), M. Lutz 573 (210), S. Hammett 570 (223), D. Hyatt 570 (244), M. Weltin 566 (221), R. Kerkau 565 (212), T. Comment 555, B. Fischer 550.

THURSDAY NITE TRIO April 1

Nelesco 21
Pioneer Seeds 21
Cass City IGA 19
Kilbourn Tech 19
Martin Electric 18
Northon Const. 14
Jacques Seeds 13
Deford Country Groc. 13
Bushwackers 12
Kilbourn Service 11
Gilligan's 6

High Series & Games: Doug O'Dell 699 (255-245), R. Rabideau 231, G. Robinson 622 (215-216), E. Schmaltz 608 (218), R. Patera 220, K. Kilbourn 601 (214-216), D. Doerr 665 (256-230), K. Martin 606 (218).

High Team Series: Nelesco 1887.
High Team Game: Kilbourn Tech. 788.

MERCHANTS' "A" March 31

Mathewson 28
Brentwood 27
Warju Flooring 26
Charmont 23
Kingston State Bank 22
Kritzman's 19
Charmont Motel 18
New England Life 15
Summers 14
Gilligan's 11

Milleuc's Surveying

High Series & Games: J. Storm 699 (248-227-224), D. Orton 669 (231-224-214), L. Tomaszewski 632 (247), M. Lutz 626 (225), K. Koch 623 (229-210), J. Smithson 622 (237), R. Kerkau 609 (229), W. Smith 617 (212), D. Volz 604 (238), P. Brown 599 (210), B. Anthes 594, M. Bauerschmidt 593, J. Howard 593 (257), C. Altizer 572 (224), K. Beachy 572, M. Grifka 572, L. Spiekermann 570, S. Hammett 568 (216), S. Murphy 568 (210), G. Ricciardi 550 (214).

High Team Series: Charmont 2975.
High Team Series: Mathewson 1038.

MERCHANTS' LEAGUE April 1

Caro Chiropractic 35
Cass City Sports 27
Allen Home Care 26 1/2
Cass Tavern 25

Buds & Blossoms 24
Miller's Chicks 23
Kingston State Bank 23
Hills & Dales 22
Clean Up Crew 21 1/2
Crowley Chiropractic 21
Herron Builders 20 1/2
Nel's Kitchen 19 1/2

High Actual Team Series & Game: Allen Home Care 2434 & 841.
500 Series: S. DeLong 557, P. Corcoran 552, Sylvia Miller 549, J. Lapp 545, T. Mihaci 531, Pat McIntosh 523, S. Hutchinson 504, D. Wischmeyer 504.
200 Games: P. Corcoran 226, S. Hutchinson 209, T. Mihaci 205, S. DeLong 202, D. Hallwood 201, J. Lapp 201-200.

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE April 2

AIDES 34 1/2
#006 32 1/2
Kingston Mini Mart 30
Sal's Country Clipper 29
Hi Roth 24
Dee's MP Rockets 18

High Series & Game: D. Mathewson 499 (180).
High Team Series & Game: Sal's Country Clipper 1724 & 592.

FRIDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES April 2

Helter Skelter 72
Rhonda's Gen. Store 56
Cass City Oil & Gas 52
Town & Country 47
The Family 44
Old Folks 43
The Kids 38
Hysterical Amnesia 12

Men's High Series: J. Navarro 675, R. Hull 590, B. Fields 569, L. Tracy 564.

Men's High Games: J. Navarro 248, R. Hull 212, L. Tracy 222.

Women's High Series: B. Watson 525.

Women's High Game: B. Watson 197.

High Team Series: Helter Skelter 2078.

High Team Game: Cass City Oil & Gas 729.

975 attend 56th annual T.E.C. meet

Allan Shaw, president of the board of directors, opened the 56th Annual Meeting of T.E.C. (Thumb Electric Cooperative) members held Friday, March 26, at the Colony House. An estimated 975 people attended the meeting, which was highlighted by the election of 3 directors, and the retirement of \$80,000 in Patronage Capital. Relected to 3 year terms were Ronald Hoffman, Huron County; Allan Shaw, Sanilac County, and Martin Damm, Tuscola County.

In action taken after the annual meeting, the board of directors reelected Allan Shaw, president; Martin Damm, vice-president; Louis Wenzlaff, secretary, and Michael Lasceski, treasurer.

Shaw introduced the members of the current board of directors including Walter Cook, Ronald Hoffman, and Michael Lasceski, Huron County; Kim Nunn and Leonard Briolat, Sanilac

County, and Martin Damm, Karl DeSimpelare, and Louis Wenzlaff, Tuscola County. Also introduced were Cooperative Attorney James Woodworth and General Manager Michael Krause.

Sr. Citizens' Menu

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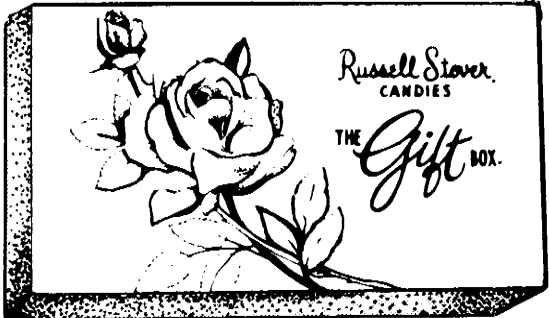
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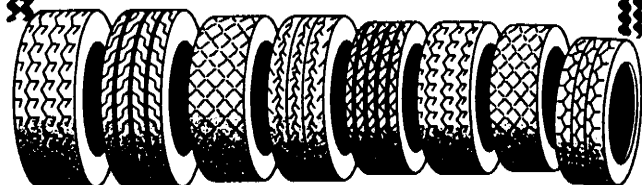
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Phone 658-2347

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson were among a group of 31 who went on a 5-day Hardy Farm Sprayer trip to Denmark, Paris and Copenhagen where they toured factories and farms and went sightseeing. The flew out of Metro Airport in Detroit.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming Wednesday forenoon.

Bill Sweeney came home Monday after spending the winter in Ingles, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Glaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Davis and girls of Romeo were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney had dinner at Fritz's at Richville in honor of Mrs. Sweeney's birthday.

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

Laurie, Amy and Amanda Hacker of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. David Hacker were Wednesday forenoon guests of Mr. Earl Schenk.

Kathryn Tyrrell was a Monday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tyrrell and Cody.

Bill Cleland of Walled Lake was a Tuesday overnight guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming and were all evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Osen-toski.

Ava Hind of Bad Axe, Mrs. Martin Sweeney and Reva Silver were Wednesday dinner guests of Edanna Sweeney where they were quilting a quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena visited Ceil Johnson at A.D.A. Villa Nursing Home at Unionville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Glaza, Matthew, Timmy and Nathan of Crystal Lake, Ill., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Glaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Tuesday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Dr. and Mrs. Tom Collins of Allegan were Friday overnight and Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney and had dinner at Al's Restaurant in Harbor Beach in honor of Mrs. Sweeney's birthday.

Mrs. Earl Schenk spent Friday with Mrs. Jack Ross. Brenda Tyrrell was a Monday overnight guest of Kathryn Tyrrell.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming came home Thursday, March 25, after spending 4 days with Bob

Cleland Sr. at Waterford. While there, Bob Cleland Sr., Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cleland and Mary Ellen at Clawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Glaza, Matthew, Timmy and Nathan of Crystal Lake, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Glaza were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Tuesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bredow for Bill's birthday.

Mrs. Ralph Hoxie, Beth, Ryan and Rob visited Sue Boulee at Lapeer Friday evening.

Tom Talaski of Bad Axe and Kathryn Tyrrell were Wednesday evening guests of Dr. and Mrs. Gary Collings at Deckerville.

Mrs. Bill Sturgil of North Carolina was a Saturday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena visited Franklin Schmitt at Huron Memorial Hospital and Catherine Schmitt and Pearl Shaw at 4 Seasons Health Center in Bad Axe Friday.

Mrs. Allen Farrelly entered Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt attended the Youth For Christ banquet at Colony House Monday evening.

Moore attends "Capitol Experience"

Amy Moore, Tuscola County 4-H'er, spent 3 1/2 days in Lansing, March 21-24, learning how Michigan lawmakers address critical issues facing Michigan communities.

Amy was among the 123 teens and adult volunteers who met with state legislators, lobbyists and representatives of community and state agencies to review and discuss how government deals with 9 key social issues chosen by participants.

Criminal sentencing, domestic violence and family farm issues were identified as the top 3 of the 9 issues of most concern to the youths attending Capitol Experience.

Capitol Experience, a 4-H program in citizenship and leadership, is held annually to provide Michigan teens opportunities to learn how state and local governments interact to address key social issues.

Legal notice

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by LARRY B. PAYNE AND LANETTE G. PAYNE, HIS WIFE to D & N SAVINGS BANK, FSB, now known as D & N Bank Mortgage, dated July 8, 1988, and recorded on July 25, 1988, in Liber 583, on page 1480, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the rate hereof the sum of forty six thousand five hundred ninety seven and 32/100 Dollars (\$46,597.32), including interest at 11.50% 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 a.m. on May 14, 1993.

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

Commencing at the Northwest Corner of Section 33, Town 11 North, Range 7 East, Thence S90°00'00"E, on the North Line of said Section 33, 165.00 Feet, thence S01°27'00"E, and parallel to the West Line of said Line, 290.00 Feet, thence N90°00'00"W, parallel to said North Line, 165.00 Feet to West Line of Section 33, Thence N01°27'01"W, on said West Line, 290.00 feet to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.324(6) in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

DATED: March 31, 1993

D & N Bank Mortgage

ATTORNEY FOR: Mortgagee

Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.
401 South Woodward Avenue
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5-3-31-5

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BIRCH RUN - 10055 Rathbun-Way. Ranch on 8.2 acres, full finished basement with rec room, bedroom and den, bonus room over garage, air, covered front and back deck, additional detached garage. \$78,000. Call Sylvia Becker 781-0182 or 790-2100. Cold Well Banker, Cesarz and Koenig, Realtors. 3-3-24-4

For Rent

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Notices

NURSE AIDE CLASSES to begin in April 1993. If interested please apply in person at Tendercare, 4782 Hospital Drive, Cass City. (517) 872-2174 or (517) 872-3678 TDD. 5-4-7-2

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Notices

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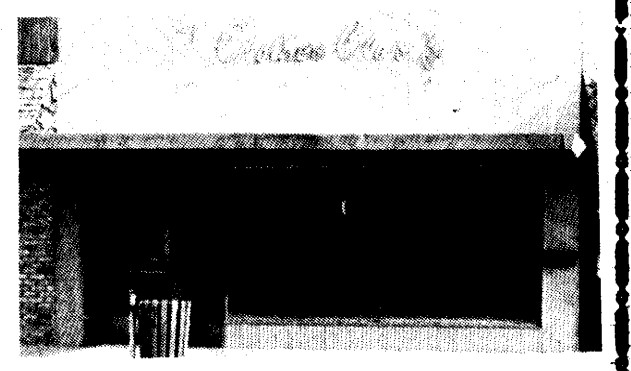
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Memorial
MOTHER, it's been a year. We miss you. 15-4-7-1

IN MEMORY of our mother, Peggy Marie Regnerus, April 12, 1992. In tears we saw you sinking, we watched you fade away. Our hearts were sadly broken, you fought so hard to stay. But when we saw you sleeping, so peaceful, free from pain, we couldn't wish you back, to suffer that again. Our hearts still ache with sadness, secret tears still flow. What it's meant to lose you, no one will ever know. When we are sad and lonely, and everything goes wrong, we seem to hear you whisper, cheer up and carry on. Everytime we look at your picture, you seem to smile and say, Don't cry, I'm happy in heaven till we meet again someday. Love, your children. 15-4-7-1

IN MEMORY of John Kieltka, who passed away April 5, 1992. God looked around his garden, and found an empty place. He then looked down upon the earth and saw your tired face. He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest. God's garden must be beautiful. He always takes the best. He knew that you were suffering; He knew you were in pain. He knew that you would never get well on earth again. He saw the road was getting rough, and the hills were hard to climb. So he closed your weary eyelids, and whispered "Peace be Thine." It broke our hearts to lose you, but you didn't go alone; for part of us went with you the day God called you home. Sadly missed by children, grandchildren and special friends, Buster, Dee and Mama. 15-4-7-1

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Card of Thanks

WE WOULD LIKE to thank all the people who were so kind to Sheldon and his family during his illness and death. Thanks to hospice, the St. Pancratius ladies who served the dinner and all who sent cards, visited and were so good to us. Lorraine Martin and family. 13-4-7-1

WE, THE FAMILY of Burton J. Dennison wish to thank family and friends for their support, prayers, floral arrangements and memorial cards. Also the Rev. Charles Vrmilyea and the VFW Post #1859. Evelyn Dennison and family. 13-4-7-1

I WISH TO thank Dr. Jeung, the doctors and nurses at Hills and Dales Hospital, all my family and friends for their care and concern for me while I was sick. I appreciate everyone. Norma Speirs. 13-4-7-1

MARK AND BRENDA Stover - Thank you for caring for my house while in Florida, and bringing me meals when sick. Grandma Dorman. 13-4-7-1

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FIRST, SECOND, third and fourth graders representing Cass City Schools at the Thumb Area Young Authors Conference Saturday in Caro were (front row, left to right) Jeff McMahan, Amy Howard, Dara Iwankovitch, Scott Sheppard, Kerry Shagene, Julie Roche, (back row, left) Megan Powell, Holli Cooper, Josh Dillon, Ross Sherman and Heather Waltz. Missing is Alissa Pasant.

District court

6 facing felony charges

The following people were recently arraigned on felony charges in Tuscola County District Court:

•Allen R. Miller, 17, Decker, and Karin L. Autry, 17, Cass City, were each arraigned on one count of unlawfully driving away an automobile.

Bond was set at \$10,000 for Miller and \$2,000 for Autry. Both face preliminary examinations Thursday at 9 a.m.

The teens are charged with taking an auto belonging to Richard Wallace March 27 in Cass City.

•Robert H. Bailey, 36, Kingston, faces a charge of second degree criminal sexual conduct involving a youth between the ages of 13 and 16 years in Koylton Township in February.

Bond was set at \$5,000 in the case. A preliminary exam will be held Thursday morning.

•Ryan L. Kramer, 17, Kingston, and Adam A. Megge, 18, Deford, were

each arraigned on charges of breaking and entering an occupied dwelling with intent to commit larceny and larceny in a building.

Court records state the pair are accused of breaking into a house at 6910 E. Sanilac Rd., Kingston, and stealing cash and checks Dec. 20.

Bond for each defendant was set at \$10,000 and preliminary exams were slated for Thursday morning.

•Jacob Bedell, 17, Cass City, faces one count of third degree criminal sexual conduct involving a victim between the ages of 13 and 15 years in December 1992 in Caro.

Bond was set at \$2,000 and a preliminary exam was scheduled for Thursday morning.

•Aldowayne G. Atwell, 38, Fairgrove, was charged with writing a no account check. Court records state the alleged offense took place Oct. 3 in Caro and involved a \$126.60 check made payable to Car Quest.

Atwell's bond was set at

\$2,000. A preliminary exam will be held Thursday morning.

Top Cass City students

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bugle corps this summer and then will attend the college of literature, science and the arts at the University of Michigan in the fall.

Gnagey is the daughter of Roger and Pam Gnagey, 6271 Shabbona Rd., Deford.

She is a member of the National Honor Society and the foreign language club, and has participated in track and cross country. She has also been a member of the ski club.

Gnagey, who is active with the Lutheran Church youth group, plans to attend college this fall, possibly the University of Michigan, where her course of study is undecided.

Mearns is the daughter of Richard and Joyce Mearns, 6532 Third St., Cass City.

She has been active in the National Honor Society and both the French and Spanish clubs. She was a member of the social studies academic team as a sophomore and the English team as a senior.

Mearns has worked with the yearbook publications for 2 years and served as a teacher's assistant. She has been president of her church youth group and worked for Toys for Tots.

Her future plans include attending Michigan State University in the fall.

This year's salutatorian, Roxanne Rutkoski, is the daughter of Larry and Ann Rutkoski, 3120 Phillips Rd., Cass City.

Rutkoski has been an active member of the National

Honor Society, debate, to-

rensics, theater and the all-

school plays. She has partici-

parted in cheerleading, softball,

track and the pep band, and has also been a

member of the academic games team. She has also

been involved in Project F.E.T.C.H. and face painting at the Campbell Elementary School Carnival.

She plans to attend Michigan State University in the

Lyman Briggs School and major in some field of science.

Other students who have a

grade point average of 3.50

and above are:

Melissa Micklash, daughter of Kenneth and Theresa

Micklash.

Rachel Sugden, daughter of Richard and Joyce

Sugden.

Tracey Burns, daughter of Jack and Sherry Burns.

Benjamin Schott, son of Kenneth and Shari Schott.

Andrea Wallace, daughter of Richard and Judith Wal-

lace.

Lyle Severance, son of Leslie and Kay Severance.

Julia Milligan, daughter of Julianna Marshall.

Robert Roach, son of Theron and Luana Roach.

Tara Wentworth, daughter of Roderick and Susan

Wentworth.

William Graham, son of Joe and Kaye Graham.

Heidi Hall, daughter of Richard and Marjorie Hall.

Nicola Kuperus, daughter of Peter and Lillian Ku-

perus.

Heather Kelly, daughter of Thomas and Dale Kelly.

Jennifer Storm, daughter of Frank and Karen Storm.

Mark Hawley, son of Frank and Sandra Hawley.

William Johnson, son of Robert and Beverly

Johnson.

Walbro Corporation

1993 earnings less than projected, says chairman

Walbro Corporation has announced that negotiations to acquire FitzSimons Manufacturing Company of Detroit, a subsidiary of Copper and Brass Sales Inc., have been terminated.

In announcing the termination of negotiations, L.E. Althaver, chairman, president and chief executive officer, Walbro Corporation, stated, "Unfortunately, the parties involved were unable to resolve key issues which made the transaction less favorable than originally anticipated by both Walbro and Copper and Brass Sales Inc."

Althaver also discussed the outlook for Walbro Corporation in 1993. Following several years of dramatic increases in sales and earnings, Althaver characterized the outlook for 1993 for Walbro as "a period of modest growth in sales."

"Earnings, while below earlier expectations for 1993, will still be substantially above 1992 levels," according to the Walbro chief executive.

Walbro stock, which hovered around \$36 per share, dropped to around \$28 a share after the announcement.

"Sales of automotive fuel system products in the U.S., while up compared with a year ago, are down somewhat from planned levels," Althaver said. "Also, previously negotiated contracts calling for automatic price reductions have resulted in lower margins for automotive products produced in the U.S."

Althaver noted that additional expenses related to the consolidation of fuel rail facilities, the establishment of an all-new manufacturing facility for plastic fuel tanks in Indiana, and the forma-

tion of a new joint venture in Brazil have also affected the bottom line.

"Further, the continued recession in Europe has caused vehicle sales there to drop far more than anticipated. As a result, sales of automotive products by Marwal Systems, our European joint venture, are lower than expected," Althaver said. "Marwal's manufacturing operations in France have also been adversely affected by exchange rates in Europe," he added.

Althaver noted that there was extremely strong worldwide demand for Walbro's lines of small engine fuel system products. "However, exceptionally high order levels have resulted in increased costs due to excessive overtime, express shipping and other expenses required to meet customer schedules," he said.

"So, while sales of small engine products are running at very high levels, profit margins on small engine products are lower than anticipated," Althaver explained. "Management is working with customers to level schedules and adjust inventories to prevent problems in the future."

"In the longer term, Walbro Corporation will continue to be characterized by growth," Althaver said. "Walbro has a strong future as supplier of tank storage and delivery systems to the auto industry, in a 'tier one' role that will provide greater value per vehicle."

"Profits will improve as we work to control costs in the U.S. and overseas, and we expect to do so effectively," Althaver said. "We continue to aggressively review our cost structure as part of a program to enhance our long-term profitability and competitiveness."

"This program will include a further streamlining of operations, but will also reflect an increased emphasis on resource allocation to provide the technology required to develop individual products and subsystems to satisfy the needs of our customers in the automotive and small engine industries," Althaver concluded.

Calendar of Events

Deadline for submitting items for listing in the calendar is the Friday noon before publication.

Saturday, April 10

Y.M.C.A. Thumb Dance Club, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m., Sandusky Maple Valley School. All bring fingerfood.

Sunday, April 11

Easter Cantata, Deford Community Church, 10:00 a.m.

Monday, April 12

Owen-Gage Board of Education, 7:30 p.m., Gagetown Elementary.

Elkland Township annual meeting, 8:00 p.m. (following the regular meeting), Township Fire Hall.

Post 3644 V.F.W. monthly meeting, 7:30 p.m. Election of officers, Poppy Day sales and Memorial Day plans are on the agenda.

Wednesday, April 14

Duplicate Bridge, 7 p.m. at Charmont. Everyone welcome. Last week's winners were Phyllis Ridge and Jean McCluskey.

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Your neighbor says

Uncertain about tax

Evelyn Ziehm of Gagetown is still open-minded about the proposed increase in the state sales tax from 4 to 6 percent. It's still too new, she confided Friday, for me to have a hard and fast decision about it.

One thing, she sighed, we know it will be painful at first but I suppose we'll get used to it like we did all the rest.

It's a problem (tax situation) that needs solving, but this may not be the answer. I feel that local control of our schools is important and that this probably will diminish that control.

Before I make up my mind completely, I feel that I will need to study the measure in depth before the election, she added.

Ziehm and her husband, Richard, have 4 children, 2 of whom attended Cass City High School and 2 who attended Owen-Gage High School.

A son, Ron, has traveled extensively abroad and wrote several articles for the Chronicle. A daughter now lives with her husband in Australia.



The Want Ads Are Newsy Too!

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Student of the Week

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



AYA IKEDA

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

The student of the week is foreign exchange student, Aya Ikeda, daughter of Masami and Kazuko Ikeda of Japan. Her host parents are James and Sandra Bolton. Her favorite subjects back home were Economics, Japanese Classics and Philosophy, Tea Ceremony, Japanese Calligraphy. She has always had an interest in the foreign exchange program and wanted to learn about American culture, customs and history.



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The Village of Cass City will receive sealed bids until 11:00 a.m., April 14, 1993, at the Village Office, 6737 Church Street, Cass City, Michigan 48726, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

The project consists of placing bituminous pavement in Pine Street, between Oak Street and Woodland Street, and contains approximately 634 tons of bituminous pavement in place.

Plans and Specifications will be available March 29, 1993 at the Office of the Village of Cass City, 6737 Church Street, Cass City, Michigan 48726 and the offices of Hubbel, Roth & Clark, Inc., 555 Hulet Drive, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48303. A non-refundable charge of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) in the form of a check made payable to Hubbel, Roth & Clark, Inc. will be required on the project plans and specifications.

A certified or cashier's check or bid bond payable to the Village of Cass City, Tuscola County, Michigan, in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bids, shall be submitted with each bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish satisfactory Performance, Labor and Material, and Maintenance and Guarantee Bonds.

The Village reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities in bidding. No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receiving bids for at least forty-five (45) days.

No Proposal will be received unless made on blanks furnished and delivered to the Village Clerk on or before 11:00 a.m., Local Time, April 14, 1993.

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