



FIRE DESTROYED A motor home parked on Crestwood Circle in the Northwood Estates subdivision last Wednesday. The owner of the vehicle, Joe McCluskey, Cass City, told Elkland Township fire fighters he heard the engine backfire just prior to the blaze. Value of the motor home was estimated at \$4,000.

\$97,000 for projects

Village plans '94 road work

Cass City's 1994 street improvement program is off and running following action at Monday night's monthly Village Council meeting.

Following a brief public hearing, the council for-

mally established a special assessment district for curb and gutter construction on Hospital Drive, from Dale Street to Tendercare; Dale Street, from Hill Street to Hospital Drive; and Pine Street, from Brooker Street

to the west end.

The Hospital Drive and Dale Street projects are estimated at \$76,000, and the Pine Street work is estimated at \$21,000.

The combined cost figures include about \$24,000 in

curb and gutter assessments.

The council approved plans and specifications for the work, and awarded contracts to the low bidders for asphalt paving and curb and gutter.

Tanton Construction, Bad Axe, submitted the low bid for curb and gutter at \$27,410.60, and P.T.I. Construction Co. was the low bidder for asphalt at \$19,986.30.

According to Village Manager Lou S. LaPonsie, both quotes came in lower than those received last year. The asphalt bid translates into \$20.85 per ton, compared to \$21.50 in 1993, and the curb and gutter bid is \$7.10 per foot, compared to \$7.17 last year.

Property owners are assessed the cost for curb and gutter plus 10 percent (71 cents per foot) for engineering.

IN OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, the council approved a list of committee and board members for 1994.

Changes noted include the appointment of Trustee Catherine Kropewnicki as chairperson of the council's Budget and Finance Committee. Trustee Mike Weaver, who previously was chairman, will continue to serve on the committee.

In addition, Geraldine Prieskorn's 6-year term on the Economic Development Corporation Board was renewed, as were the 3-year terms of Planning Commission members Kelly Smith and Roger Little, and Zoning Board of Appeals member Bob Stickle.

Jim Bolton was re-appointed to the Downtown Development Authority Board for a 4-year term, and Linda Gaymer was appointed to replace Jean Comment on the board.

Also Monday, the council:

• Briefly discussed plans by the Cass City Gavel Club to place pay telephones and pop machines in the park.

The plan calls for installation of one of each near the football field, Lions Pavilion and basketball courts. The club has agreed to pay installation and operating

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School to add 3 teachers to staff

Three additional teachers will be added at Cass City Schools next fall if current plans are followed, Supt. Ken Micklash informed the Cass City School Board at its regular meeting Monday at the high school.

Two will be added to the Middle School and will complete the reorganization that started several years ago. The need for an additional math and English teacher was known when the new teaching method was adopted, Micklash said, but there was not enough money in the budget for the teachers.

Because there will be an increase of about 50 students in the high school next fall a new combination math and science teacher will be added. Next year the high school enrollment will increase enough to probably place Cass City in Class B in the Michigan High School Athletic ratings.

A special program for students who need special help or are at risk of becoming drop outs will be developed with Federal funding. Micklash said that the "at risk" money will be a minimum of \$100,000 and could be as much as \$200,000.

Another Federal project, the remedial reading program, will be expanded because of the increase in the number of pupils that are

eligible for help. This program paid for the additional room at Campbell Elementary that is now under construction. There will be enough money left over now to hire a second teacher. One teacher will now handle kindergarten through third grade and another grades 4-5-6.

BREAKFAST PROGRAM

As a result of the passage of Proposition A this spring, Cass City, and all other schools in the state, will be required to offer a breakfast program starting next fall.

Micklash said that he doesn't see the requirement

as a major problem and area schools that already have a breakfast program say that it runs smoothly. A continental-type breakfast will be offered.

EXPENDITURES

The board accepted the low bid of the Ace Alarm Company for the addition of a fire alarm at Campbell School. Included for a total of \$3,782.65 will be the replacement of the 20-year-old wiring that was used in the present system in the building.

The Cass City Band will be all decked out in new sweaters with Cass City Band written on them. The

total cost of the sweaters is \$1,380 and the board agreed to pay \$690 of the cost and the Band Boosters will pay the balance. The sweaters will be purchased from Kritzmans' Inc. in Cass City, the low bidder.

Band Director Mindy Nash reviewed the band program for the board and her projection for 1994-5 shows that in the sixth grade, middle school and high school there will be 138 pupils participating. The fifth grade band enrollment has not yet been determined. This year there are 113 pupils in the top 3 bands and 40 in the fifth grade band.

OTHER BUSINESS

Two student council officers, Sonya Horne president, and Michelle Peruski, vice-president, presented cups to members of the school board for their help in running the school. The cups were to be presented during school board recognition month in January but were delayed.

A request for a new 60-inch cut lawn mower was

tabled and a committee appointed to investigate. What the board wishes to determine is whether it would be to the district's advantage to contract the lawn care work to a private contractor rather than to the school district. Please turn to back page.

Voters nix new school, 682-563

Hopes for a new middle school building were dashed by voters in the Cass City School district when they voted against a \$7.95 million bond issue Monday. The vote was 682 no and 563 yes with 3 spoiled ballots. The 1,248 votes cast is less than a third of the number of eligible voters.

Where the district goes from here, Supt. Ken Micklash said, will be an item for the board to discuss at its May meeting.

What's sure, he added, is that a revision in the stairwells and other changes will have to be made at the present Middle School to meet the requirements for fire safety as outlined by the fire marshal.

DNR expands turkey hunt permits; good season seen

Spring turkey hunting prospects remain good in the Thumb, Department of Natural Resources officials say.

The first of 3 annual spring hunts began Monday and will continue through May 1, followed by hunts May 2-11 and May 12-29. The bag limit is one bearded turkey.

Over the past 3 years, turkey numbers in the Thumb have neither increased nor decreased significantly, according to Bud Jarvis, a wildlife biologist at the DNR's Cass City Field Office.

"We had a pretty good nesting season (last year), although I'm not real sure we have any more turkeys," Jarvis said. He indicated any increase in turkey numbers over the past year probably would have been offset by a poor nesting season in 1992 due to a cold, wet summer.

Despite that setback, the DNR expanded hunting opportunities in the Thumb last year, nearly doubling the area open to hunters.

Area T, previously bordered by M-53, M-46, M-81 and M-24, was expanded to include land south to Marlette Road and west to M-15. In addition, land south and east of Bad Axe in Huron County was opened to turkey hunting.

This year, Jarvis said, "We've opened a little more area just to the east of Cass City and the northwestern part of Sanilac County. It's called Area T-A."

The expanded Area T-A totals some 300 to 400 square miles and is bordered by M-53 to the west, Ruth Road to the east, Deckerville Road to the south and Rapson Road to the north.

Last spring, hunters harvested 75 birds in Area T and about 50 birds in Area T-A.

"I would suspect (hunters) will take 70 to 80 birds" out of Area T this year, Jarvis said, adding the harvest in Area T-A should total another 50 to 60 turkeys.

Jarvis said the number of permits issued this spring in

Area T is the same as last year at 575. The number issued in Area T-A was increased by 25 percent to 270 permits.

All of the permits have been taken. Jarvis didn't have an estimate on the

number of area hunters who applied, but said the spring turkey hunts are continuing to grow in popularity.

"I don't see the applications, but the interest has been growing steadily upward," he added.



MIKE OTULAKOWSKI, Cass City (right), bagged a big tom Monday at about 3 p.m., opening day of the first of 3 spring turkey hunts. He was hunting southeast of Cass City with partner Ed Kotula of Madison Heights when he called in the nearly 20-pound bird, which had a beard measuring 10 1/4 inches.

3-vehicle accident

Caro teen dies in crash

A 3-vehicle accident Friday afternoon in Caro claimed the life of one Caro teen and left another seriously injured.

Christopher Reed, 16, of Caro, died as a result of injuries he suffered in the crash.

Details regarding the circumstances of the accident were not being released Monday afternoon.

The collision occurred at about 3:30 p.m. at the intersection of State and Washington streets, according to

a spokeswoman at the Caro Police Department, who stated Reed, a Caro High School junior and the son of Tuscola County Prosecutor James R. Reed, was a passenger in a vehicle driven by Nathaniel Miller, 17, also of Caro.

The spokeswoman identified the drivers of the other vehicles as James Rannigan, 32, of Akron, and Joseph Kelly, 52, of Caro.

Miller and Reed, along with another passenger in Miller's vehicle, Teresa Frakes, 17, of Caro, were

transported by Caro EMS personnel to Caro Community Hospital.

Miller was treated and released, and Reed and Frakes were transferred to St. Mary's Medical Center, Saginaw, where Reed died later. Frakes was listed in serious condition Tuesday morning, a hospital spokeswoman said.

Caro police were assisted at the scene by the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department.

The accident remains under investigation.



TESTING THE waters — Cass City High School juniors (left to right) Tim Warneck, Brian Hicks and John Rea were among several students taking part in the School River Monitoring Program Thursday. Above, the trio tests a Cass River water sample for nitrates. (Story, other picture page 5.)



Mrs. Paul Drake

Denise Van Erp, Paul Drake, wed March 19

Denise Marie Van Erp and Paul H. Drake, both of Novi, were united in marriage March 19.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Van Erp of Bad Axe, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Drake of Vero Beach, Fla.

The bride wore a brocade suit designed by Achariya Walters with subtle influences of the 1940s.

Matron of honor was Linda Irwin of Kansas City, friend of the bride.

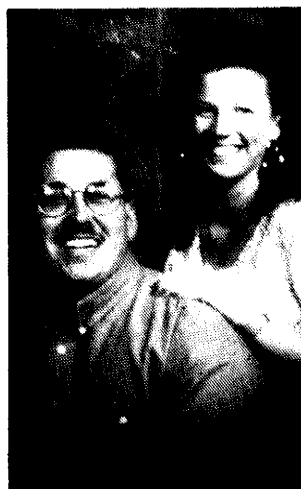
Best man was Kevin Drake of Fremont, brother of the groom.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the Franklin Inn, Bad Axe.

The bride is a manager with NBD and the groom is on the staff at General Mo-

tors. The couple reside in Novi.

Engaged

Kathryn Connolly
Timothy Carosella

John and Connie Connolly of Cass City and Ralph and Joyce Carosella of Kalamazoo announce the engagement of their children, Kathryn Connolly, and Timothy Carosella.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Cass City High School, and a 1992 graduate of Spring Arbor College with a BA in Business Administration. She is employed by IDS Financial Services (a division of American Express) in Battle Creek.

The prospective groom is a 1981 graduate of Schoolcraft High School and a 1986 graduate of Central Michigan University with a BA in Education. He is an Account Development Manager for Pepsi-Cola in Coldwater, Mich.

A June 4 wedding is planned in Marshall.

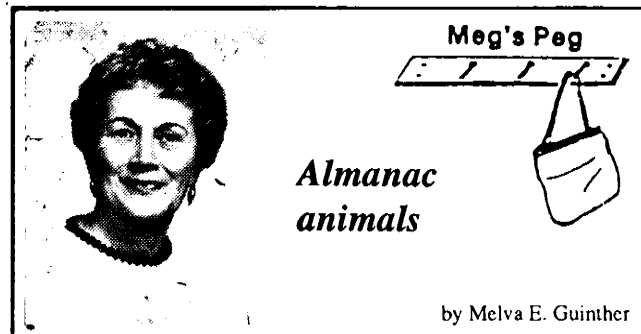
Tendercare to honor volunteers Thursday

Tendercare, Cass City, will honor its volunteers at a recognition banquet slated for Thursday at 5 p.m. at Tendercare.

The banquet is being held in conjunction with National Volunteer Week, April 25-May 2. This year's theme is "Volunteers — Our Greatest

Natural Resource."

Volunteer opportunities abound at the local nursing home. Area residents who have some time to spare and would like to help with a craft class, assist in shopping for residents, or visit residents are asked to call Mary Vatter at 872-2174.



by Melva E. Guinther

About the only time most of us use the almanac is when we're desperate for an answer we can't find anywhere else. And that's a shame, because the World Almanac and Book of Facts is chock-full of interesting, enlightening stuff.

Take animals, for example. Did you know that the cheetah can travel 70 miles per hour? The fastest human speed recorded is 27.89 mph, just slightly ahead of the elephant at 25 mph.

Other speedsters are the pronghorn antelope, 61 mph, and the wildebeest, lion and Thomson's gazelle, all at 50. A quarterhorse can do 47.5 mph, a Greyhound, 39.35, a domestic rabbit, 35; a cat, 30, and a squirrel, 12.

In a barnyard race, a pig can outrun a chicken, 11 mph to 9. A wild turkey can make tracks at 15.

Good news for arachnophobics: The fastest spider can go only 1.17 mph. Since humans can cover 27.89 miles in an hour (at least long enough to outrun a spider), you really have nothing to fear.

Snails really are slow.

Engaged

Marc Stine
Leslie Wawro

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wawro of Toledo, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter, Leslie of Haslett, to Marc Stine of Orion, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Stine of Saginaw.

The bride-elect and the prospective bridegroom are graduates of Michigan State University.

Stine is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Stine of Cass City.

An Oct. 1 wedding is planned.

Cass City Area Social and Personal items

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Ruth Timmons was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer Sunday, April 17, when a dinner in Debbie Timmons' honor was held. Her name was accidentally omitted.

Jill, Joe and Stephanie Leeson of Ferndale, Carol and Jack Connell of Frankenmuth and Helen Hulien of Caseville were Sunday dinner guests of Linda and Fred Leeson.

Marriage licenses

Robin Leon Kuberski and Evelyn Louisa Strickland, both of Millington.

Richard David Long and Desari Joan Kociba, both of Millington.

Matthew Simonian and Lori Diane Pingel, both of Kingston.

Robert Charles Aulbert and Lisa Marie Eberlein, both of Millington.

Debbie Timmons was a lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer Friday.

Jeremy Capps a junior in a law course at the University of Nebraska was one of 2,000 students to be recognized in the annual All-University Honors Convocation April 15. He received high honors. He is the son of Rita Lovejoy and the Rev. Harry Capps.

Unexpected guests invaded the home of newlyweds Karen and Clarke Haire Thursday to perform an old fashioned shivaree.

Among the visitors were: Guy Howard, Mike Karr, Jeff Hartel, Dave Bartnik, Jim and Susie Hillaker, Tim and Joyce Muz, Dan and Janelle Dickinson, Matt and Dawn Prieskorn.



Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Schneeberger

Jalaine Kunderinger, Stephen Schneeberger wed March 12

Jalaine Kunderinger of Sebewaing, and Stephen Schneeberger of Cass City, were united in marriage March 12 at St. John Lutheran Church, Kilmanagh. The Rev. Jeffrey B. Walsh officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

Organist was Faye Erer of Owendale, and soloist was Debra Kunderinger, sister-in-law of the bride, of Pigeon.

The bride is the daughter of Gerhard and Donelda Kunderinger of Sebewaing, and the groom is the son of Clarence (Bud) and Opal Schneeberger of Cass City.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a traditional gown of white satin with a fitted bodice adorned with a beaded organza lace applique and a large bow at the back of the waist, short puffed stovepipe sleeves, long skirt and cathedral train edged with scalloped organza lace. A beaded twist headband and pouf completed the bridal illusion fingertip veil. She carried a crescent shaped bouquet of white silk carnations and roses with a center full of star gazer lilies. It was accented with ribbons and pearls.

Matron of honor was Arlowene Dunn, of Bay Port, sister of the bride. Bridesmaid was Lisa Dunn, of Bay Port, godchild of the bride. Flower girl was Sarah

Dunn, Bay Port, niece of the bride.

The bridesmaids wore gowns of jade printed satin with fitted bodice accented with shirred pouf sleeves and bow at the hipline. The full skirt had a hi-low hemline. They carried crescent bouquets of mauve and white roses and white mini carnations with pearls and streamers.

Best man was Stephen Esckilsen, Bay City, friend of the groom. Groomsman was Travis Schneeberger, Cass City, brother of the groom. Ushers were Dallas Englehart, Deford, friend of the groom, and Travis Schneeberger.

A reception was held at the American Legion Hall, Sebewaing, for 165 guests, attending from Indiana, Pigeon, Bay Port, Essexville, Cass City, Deford, Sebewaing and Bay City. The couple is residing in Cass City.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, APRIL 25, WERE:

Paul Cook, Mitchell O'Dell, Cass City; Phyllis Bennick, Caro; Roy Karg, Owendale; Sylvester Osentoski, Uby; Dan Randall, Deford.



Walter and Loretta Turner

Turners celebrate 50th anniversary

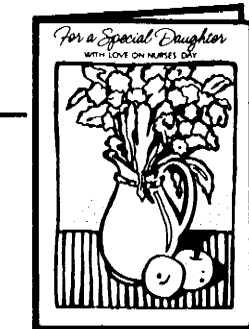
Walter and Loretta Turner of Caro, formerly of Cass City, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a family dinner at J.J. Jamokes.

The former Loretta King and Walter Turner were married April 8, 1944 in Ellington Township at the home of her parents.

Their children and their spouses are Carol and Dennis Long of Cass City; David Turner and Tom and Lori Turner, all of Mayville, and Deb and Gary Wright of Caro.

They also have 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Walter and Loretta were dairy farmers in the Cass City area for many years and both retired from the Caro Regional Center.



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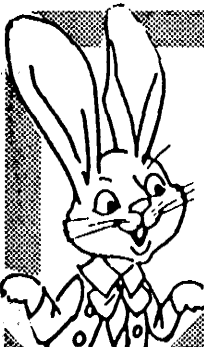
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Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

Over the top again. Cass City United Way kept its impressive record of meeting financial goals intact in 1993-4. President Dale McIntosh says the final tally was \$23,787.18, well over the goal of \$18,000.

Various local groups and agencies were allotted \$18,150 and \$3,000 was spent for Christmas baskets in December.

Continuing as Cass City United Way president is McIntosh. Other officers are John Maharg, vice-president; Dawn Prieskorn, treasurer, and Nina Davis, secretary.

You don't have to know anything at all about track to help us out, Larry Robinson, coach, said this week.

May 21, 18 schools will converge on Cass City for the regional track meet. It's an all-day meet and timers, pickers, exchange zone judges and gate workers are needed.

What's more the weather is bound to be a lot nicer than that experienced at the Gavel Relays.

Why not call the school now and climb aboard?

In case you haven't heard sometime between July 1 and Nov. 1 there will be a change in the way to dial long distance within the local area code. For instance instead of calling Caro by dialing 1-673-0000 it will be necessary to dial 1-517-673-0000.

For old-timers who can remember calling "central" and asking for "John Jones" house or when the Chronicle's phone number was 13, that's quite a change.

The good news is that for the ninth consecutive year, the number of motor thefts in Michigan has declined. Since 1984 it has declined 27 percent.

As compared to 1992, thefts fell from 24 to 17 in Huron County and from 51 to 47 in Tuscola County.

Now for the bad news. Theft skyrocketed from 31 in 1992 to 67 in 1993 in Sanilac County. That's an increase of 116 percent.

These are figures compiled by the insurance industry.

The Weather			
	High	Low	Precip.
Tuesday	64	28	0
Wednesday	58	28	0
Thursday	60	26	0
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SENATOR JOEL Gougeon was in Cass City Monday, meeting with constituents at the village municipal building, and then touring the Thumb Area Television project facilities at the Regional Educational Media Center #10. Gougeon is pictured above with REMC Director Robert Townsend (far right) and Jane Hittler, representing the Cass City Chamber of Commerce.

After 2-day trial

Moore found not guilty

A second trial on charges of breaking and entering and larceny in Gagetown resulted in a verdict of innocent for Caro resident David Moore, formerly of Cass City.

The 2-day trial ended last Wednesday. Jurors began deliberations at 11:40 a.m. and returned with the verdict at 2:50 p.m.

The case, which stemmed from the break-in of a home at 6708 Lincoln St. and the larceny of shotguns and a VCR Jan. 23, 1993, was originally tried last September. However, the 3-day trial ended with the jury's announcement that it couldn't reach a verdict.

Moore, 28, was charged in connection with several break-ins the Cass City and Gagetown areas in early 1993.

He has been found innocent on all counts with the exception of 2 charges in one remaining case that is scheduled to go to trial this summer. Moore also faced one count of breaking and entering in Huron County, but the charge was dismissed Jan. 19 due to insufficient evidence.

His next court appearance in Tuscola County is set for Aug. 28, when he is scheduled to go on trial on charges

Robertson, Dillon grads

Scott Dillon of Cass City and Jason Robertson, now of East Tawas and formerly of Cass City, are among 200 graduates of Alma College who were eligible to participate in commencement ceremony Saturday at Cappaert Gymnasium.

Dillon has earned a bachelor of science degree in physics and Robertson a bachelor of science degree in biology.

Both students are graduates of Cass City High School.

of breaking and entering a house at 4897 Northwood Circle, Cass City, and steal-

ing money, guns, a VCR, television and camera, Jan. 12, 1993.

The Haire Net



If you are a senior citizen you can remember when teachers were among the lowest paid in any community. A time when teachers prided themselves as professionals that had no use for unions and refused to call their professional organization a union when it first organized as a bargaining unit.

When teachers occupied a special niche in community esteem and their private lives were expected to be stainless and placed under a microscope.

There was a crying need for a union, much as there was for the United Auto Workers when it ascended into power.

But the pendulum has swung full circle and the recent Republican-lead curbs to the power of the Michigan Education Association are the result of what the general public sees as excesses that the MEA has negotiated in the system.

In Michigan, salaries are among the highest in the nation and contracts still are negotiated at increases higher than the rate of inflation.

Equally damaging in the system is the inability to cull inefficient and downright incompetent teachers from the list. It costs upwards of \$100,000 and several years to fire a teacher under tenure.

The new law puts teeth into the law that prohibits teachers' strikes with fines of \$250 a day per teacher

"If It Fitz...."

How's that for equal justice?

By Jim Fitzgerald



Forty-nine-year-old Joseph Manenti recently pleaded guilty to transporting 12 kilograms of cocaine and was sentenced to 2 1/2 years in prison. Manenti was a Royal Oak police officer when he committed the crime.

Gary Fannon was 18 when, more than 6 years ago, he was sentenced to life in prison with no chance of parole for delivering less than one kilogram of cocaine. And Fannon didn't actually deliver the dope. He backed out of the proposed transaction and was in another state when the deal went down.

How's that for equal justice? Do you have to be a cop to get away with murder?

It is interesting to note that Manenti was a cop in Oakland County, where Richard Thompson is prosecutor. Thompson is the tough-on-crime publicity hound who's always eager to appear on TV to defend the incredibly unjust only-in-Michigan "650-Lifer Law" that requires judges to give prison-until-death terms to anyone convicted of having more than 650 grams (about 1.4 pounds) of cocaine or heroin.

Last year Thompson said it was fine for murderers to serve less time than Fannon because "I view these people as worse than first-degree murderers. A murderer kills only one person. These people destroy generations."

Sure. An undercover cop says he wants to buy some cocaine and waves \$32,000 cash in teenager Fannon's face. Fannon says OK, but later gets scared and runs away. He doesn't deliver one speck of dope.

That's how Gary Fannon destroyed generations? How stupidly unfair can one prosecutor get?

According to police, then-policeman Joseph Manenti

was working for a large drug ring that distributed hundreds of pounds of the stuff in the Detroit area. Hundreds of pounds. And Manenti was locked up for 2 1/2 years.

Fannon was barely involved in a 727-gram cocaine sale, and he's locked up until he dies.

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The difference is Manenti was sentenced in a federal court. The judge couldn't give him more than 5 years. Fannon was sentenced in a Michigan court. The judge couldn't give him less than forever.

Certainly there are drug dealers who deserve life without parole. Manenti might be one of them. Fannon certainly isn't. Who can reasonably argue otherwise?

On a TV show in 1992, Prosecutor Thompson cited "common sense" as proof that first offenders like Fannon really aren't; it's just the first time they've been caught. As I asked at the time, how's that for watertight, objection-resistant legalizing?

Last year, Westland resident Linda Fannon, Gary's never-give-up mother, tried to take advantage of Gov. Engler's "open door" policy that allows ordinary citizens to speak with him for a few minutes. Surely such a compassionate, intelligent man would recognize that Gary had been punished more than enough — 6 1/2 years in a cell — and should be pardoned. But Engler's door wasn't open to Linda Fannon. His office suggested she try the parole board.

"I did that months ago," she recently told me. "I gave all the information required to obtain the papers needed for pardoning Gary — it has

to be left on a recording machine — and I still haven't heard one word from the parole board. Perhaps the governor has another suggestion?"

It appears Gary Fannon's best hope for justice — however agonizingly slow — is proposed legislation, state Senate Bill 910, that would allow parole for first offenders convicted under the 650-lifer law. It's before the Senate Judiciary Committee, headed by Jenison Republican William Van Regenmorter, Michigan State Senate, Room 405, Lansing, MI 48913. Phone 1-517-373-6920 anytime.

You might want to tell the senator how you feel about Fannon's sentence.

Free Gary Fannon.

Pre-Mother's Day social set

A pre-Mother's Day Social will be held May 1, at 6:30 p.m., at the Evangelical Free Church of Cass City.

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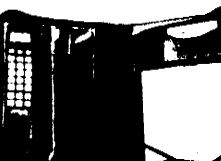


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Kilbourns 30
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High Team Game: Jacques Seed 662.

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July 8, 9, 10 Chuck Erla Tournament
July 15, 16, 17 Men's Fastpitch
July 22, 23, 24 Men's Slopitch
Aug. 5, 6, 7 Co-ed tournament
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CLEAN UP CREW. Cass City eighth graders Andy Green (far left), Tim Fritz and Chris Smith were among the Middle School 8th graders who helped commemorate Earth Day, Friday, by collecting 2 pickups full of trash from the village.

Calendar of Events

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

Thursday, April 28

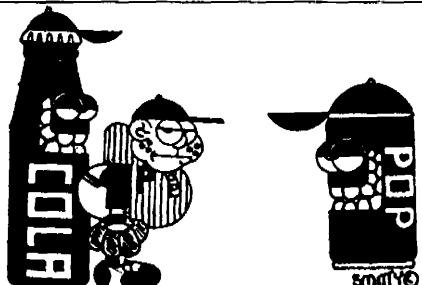
Preschool Story Time, Rawson Memorial Library, 10:00 a.m.
Flood Drive, Veteran's Building, Sandusky, Mich., 1 - 6:45 p.m.

Monday, May 2

Novesta Township Board, 7:30 p.m.
Lake Huron Chorus of Sweet Adelines invites women interested in singing in a growing and locally known group, to come and sing every Monday in May, except May 9, 7 - 9:30 p.m., at the Huron Medical Care Facility in Bad Axe. For further information call 517-872-2002.

Wednesday, May 4

Duplicate Bridge, 7 p.m. at Charmont. Everyone welcome. Last week's winners, Jackie Freiburger and Phyllis Ridge.



CASS CITY ROTARY RETURNABLE BOTTLES AND CANS DRIVE

**Saturday, May 14
9 a.m.**

Cass City Little Leaguers will be coming to your home to ask you to donate your returnable bottles and cans. All proceeds will go toward new dugouts in the park.

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To help, or if you won't be home, please put your bottles and cans out in your orange recycling bin by 9 a.m. on Saturday, May 14.

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Bank income up 45% in 1st quarter

Mutual Savings Bank reported a 45 percent net income increase for the first quarter ended March 31, of \$3.132 million, or \$0.71 per share, compared to \$2.157 million, or \$0.71 per share posted last year. Earnings per share reflect 47 percent more shares outstanding, the result of the November, 1993 rights offering.

The year-earlier quarter results include the positive cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle, equal to \$836,400 or \$0.27 per share. The 1994 quarter was the first full period reflecting the elimination of interest rate swaps and deferred hedge losses.

King to speak at service

The congregation of the Cass City - Missionary Church invites the community to its 11 a.m. service Sunday.

The church will host guest speaker Mardi King, who recently returned from India, where she worked for a few weeks with Kingdom Building Ministries. King, along with other volunteers, worked with children and visited a leper colony.

King will share her experiences with a slide presentation Sunday.



Mardi King

Testing

Area students helping to monitor water quality

Area high school students are doing their part to help the Saginaw Bay Watershed Council keep tabs on the quality of water in the Cass River.

Students in the Cass City and Kingston school districts were out Thursday taking water samples in conjunction with the School River Monitoring Project.

The local schools are among more than 40 participating within the Saginaw Bay Watershed, making it the largest, watershed-based school monitoring program in the country.

About 55 junior and seniors in Nancy Weippert's Biology II classes toured the Cass City Wastewater Treatment Plant, then took samples at the river.

Weippert, who successfully wrote a grant that provided testing kits and other materials, explained the Cass City students were testing the water for temperature, nitrates, phosphates, pH, biological oxygen demand, total solids, turbidity (clarity of the water) and fecal coliform.

A few miles away, Kingston teacher Mary Ann Safranek's Environmental Studies Class was busy conducting the same tests at the Evergreen Township Park.

Earlier in the day, the students took samples at a roadside park along M-46, and at Chippewa Landing in Caro.

Special service set

A special worship service is slated for 3 p.m. Sunday at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Cass City, to celebrate the retirement of the mortgage on the education wing. Rev. James VanDellen of Lake Orion, former pastor of the church, will be the guest preacher. The junior and senior choirs will also participate.

Refreshments will be served following the service.

The first location is near state land and is relatively undisturbed, Safranek said, adding the Caro site was chosen because of its proximity to industry. "We chose this site (Evergreen Township) because of the agricultural influence."

Aside from chemical tests, the students collected macro invertebrates, such as Caddis Fly larvae, which are another indicator of water quality.

Safranek's students will repeat the tests in the fall. The project is funded by Saginaw Valley State University, which provided equipment, and a \$600-\$700 grant from the DNR.

This is the second year of testing for both area schools.

"It's really a good experience," Safranek commented. "The kids are able to see the data and collection techniques are important because they're going to be used by an agency — the DNR."

Students usually do a report for a teacher and a grade," she added. "This they know is important because the materials are going to be used."

Weippert agreed. "This is hands-on and that's what a lot of students think science is, and it is," she said. "They (wastewater treatment plant operators) do the same tests we do, so the students see that it's relative."

"They've enjoyed, I think, preparing for it, and I think they're looking forward to putting it all together now," Weippert added.

Students returned to the classroom Friday to examine the water samples collected, and to continue testing. Next will be compilation of the results, which will be submitted along with others to the watershed council.

Participants will later discuss their efforts at River Congress '94. The event, which brings together students and teachers involved in the School River Monitoring Project, will be held May 13 at Delta College.



KINGSTON HIGH School seniors (left to right) Melanie Kramer, Aaron Tait and Ed Walkiewicz collect macro invertebrates from the Cass River at Evergreen Township Park Thursday. The students belong to an environmental studies class taking part in the School River Monitoring Program.

Ott Chemical board chairman

Alan W. Ott, until now president, chief executive officer and treasurer of Chemical Financial Corporation, has been named to the additional post of chairman of the board of the Midland-based bank holding company. Ott replaces Gilbert A. Currie as chairman. Currie who has been chairman since 1986, was not a candidate for reelection to the board of directors at the company's annual meeting in accordance with the corporation's mandatory directors' retirement policy.

At the same time, Lori A. Gwizdzala, senior vice president and chief financial officer of the company, was

named treasurer replacing Mr. Ott in this position.

Ott has been president, chief executive officer and treasurer of the company since it was organized in

1973. Gwizdzala, a certified public accountant, joined the company as controller in 1985. She was named chief financial officer in 1987 and promoted to senior vice president in 1991.

Judge Kern to speak at historical society meet

The Watrousville Caro area Historical Society will meet Tuesday, May 10, at the Caro Municipal Building, 317 S. State St., Caro, at 7:30 p.m.

Featured speaker for the evening will be Retired Judge Richard Kern. An ac-

count of legal progress in the county of Tuscola will be the main topic.

Refreshments will be served following the program.

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At Mayville

Caro, Vassar relay winners

Two Tuscola County teams from the Tri-Valley East Conference dominated the annual Wildcat Relays Saturday at Mayville. Caro won the 11-team girls' competition with 70 points and Vassar took the 12-team boys' competition with 69 points.

Cass City boys finished sixth with 24 points. Others in order of finish and points earned were: Mayville, 67; North Branch, 55; Caro, 53; Yale, 33; Marlette, 21; Bad Axe, 20; Brown City, 17; Cros-Lex, 8; Bentley, 4; Millington, one.

Three new meet records were set. Vassar in the shot put, 134 feet, 11 3/4 inches. Mayville in the shuttle hurdle, 1:07.18. Caro in the distance medley, 11:20.21.

In the girls' competition Cass City finished 8th with 26 points. Other teams finished in the following order: Yale, 50; Mayville, 49; Bad Axe, 48; Brown City and Vassar (tie) 40; Millington, 32; North Branch, 8; Marlette, 7; Cros-Lex, 2.

Four new meet records were set. Brown City in the high jump, 14-feet, 6 inches. Yale in the 4x1600, 23:57.9, and in the distance medley, 13:57.5. Caro in the Wildcat relay, 2:49.9.

USA tops Cass City, Deckerville

Unionville-Sebewaing won both the boys' and girls' competition in a triangular meet with Cass City and Deckerville.

The Patriots took the boys' meet with 89 points. Cass City was second with 73 points and Deckerville scored 19 points.

The girls' competition saw USA with 80 points, Cass City with 70 and Deckerville with 11.

Cass City boys were led by Mike Sherman who took the 100, 200 and 400 meter dashes and ran a leg on the winning 800 relay team.

Mandy Nizzola was a double winner for Cass City in the 300-meter hurdles and the 100-meter high hurdles. She also ran a leg in the winning 1600-meter relay.

Shot - Doud, USA, 29'10 1/2".

Discus - Doud, USA, 87'1".

Long Jump - Cooper, CC, 14'7 1/2".

High Jump - Davila, USA, 4'8".

3200 Relay - USA, 12:19.83.

100 High Hurdles - Nizzola, CC, 18.30.

100 Dash - Weber, USA, 14.51.

800 Relay - USA, 2:03.27.

1600 Run - Achenbach USA, 5:47.36.

400 Relay - CC, Rayl, Schelke, Daniel, Cooper, 56.11.

400 Dash - Rayl, CC, 1:15.44.

300 Hurdles - Nizzola, CC, 53.78.

800 Run - Achenbach, USA, 2:41.4.

200 Dash - Veldman, CC, 31.06.

3200 Run - Burns, CC, 14:21.00.

1600 Relay - CC, Cooper, Nizzola, Woodruff, Rayl, 4:43.70.

Shot - Ertman, USA, 44'8 1/2".

Discus - Franzel, D, 126'.

Long Jump - Scharich, USA, 18'4".

High Jump - Mitchel, USA, 6'0".

Pole Vault - Hornbacher, USA, 9'6".

3200 Relay - USA, 9:29.55.

120 High Hurdles - Luana, CC, 17.09.

100 Dash - M. Sherman, CC, 12.08.

800 Relay - CC, Hewitt, D. Sherman, M. Sherman, Romstad, 1:39.06.

1600 Run - Alderson, USA, 5:08.75.

400 Relay - CC, Hewitt, D. Sherman, Romstad, Warnerck, 48.74.

400 Dash - M. Sherman, CC, 54.88.

300 Hurdles - Eremia, USA, 45.24.

800 Run - Karls, USA, 2:20.43.

200 Dash - M. Sherman, CC, 23.96.

3200 Run - Alderson, USA, 11:03.88.

1600 Relay - USA, 3:55.89.

Wildcat relays

Cass City girls

2nd place - Sprint Medley
Andrea Cooper
Mandy Nizzola
Peyton Daniel
Kathy Woodruff

4th place - Wildcat Relay
Mandy Nizzola
Amy Schelke
Melissa Veldman
Andrea Cooper

2nd place - Field Event Running Relay
Peyton Daniel
Amy Schelke
Melissa Veldman
Kathy Woodruff

5th Place - Shuttle Hurdle
Becky Laming
Peyton Daniel
Heather Hulburt
Laura Moore

Cass City boys

2nd place - Shot Put Relay
Jason Morgan
John Reb
Mark LeValley

6th place - Discus Relay
Jason Morgan
Marc Wallace
Tim Warnerck

6th place - Long Jump Relay
Dan Sherman
Aron Romsted
Nick Bliss

5th place - 4x300 Relay
Aaron Hewitt
Dan Sherman
Aron Romstad
Mike Sherman

4th place - Sprint Medley Relay
Aron Romstad
Aaron Hewitt
Dan Sherman
Mike Sherman

2nd place - Running Field Event Relay
Jason Morgan
Aron Romstad
Tim Warnerck
Mike Sherman

Village police investigate vandalism, larceny reports

Cass City police investigated several complaints of vandalism and larceny over the past week.

Cory Hill, 4131 Krapf Rd., Cass City, told police someone stole his bicycle Friday. Hill stated he parked the orange mountain bike at the middle school at 8:30 a.m. and discovered it missing after school.

Justin Caraballo, 4510 Leach St., Cass City, reported the rear tire on his dirt bike was cut Thursday.

Also, Sally Finkbeiner, 4137 Maple St., Cass City, reported her bicycle stolen last Wednesday. She stated the bike, described as a 20-inch model with black tires and chrome handlebars with purple hand-grips, was parked at Parkway, 6703 Main St., when it was taken sometime between 6:45 and 7:40 p.m.

In other reports, Sharon Coston, 6851 Herron Dr., Cass City, reported someone used a magic marker to write on the driver side door of her vehicle. The car, parked in a lot at 6240 Hill St., was damaged between noon and 7 p.m. April 19.

Marc P. Wallace, 4637 Schweigler Rd., Cass City, filed a vandalism complaint stating someone scratched the roof and hood of his vehicle April 15, 16 or 17. The vehicle was parked in a village lot at the corner of Main and Seeger streets, reports state.

Heriem rites held April 20

Several persons from the Owendale area attended the funeral last Wednesday of brother-in-law and uncle, Cordie Heriem of Pontiac, at the Simpson Modetz Funeral Home in Waterford. He was the husband of Vera McCallum Heriem. Attending were Mrs. Helen MacCallum, Mr. and Mrs. Olson McCallum, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gaeth, and Paul MacCallum, Mrs. Barbara McCallum and daughter, all of Owendale, and Larry McCallum of Port Austin.

Burial was in Crescent Hills Cemetery, Waterford, with the Rev. James Allen, of Aldersgate United Methodist Church of Pontiac, officiating.

Martin honored for safe driving

Raymond Martin, a tractor-trailer driver for United Parcel Service, was recently recognized by the company for completing 30 years of driving without an accident.

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Team loses 3 of 4

Control problems plague Bulldogs in opening games

The Owen-Gage softball team is off to a wild start.

At least as far as the Bulldog pitching staff is concerned.

Coach Dean Roller's squad displayed little control on the rubber last week while opening their 1994 campaign with 3 losses in 4 tries.

After dropping both ends of their season opening twin bill against visiting North Branch Wesleyan, the 'Dogs managed a split at Caseville Thursday in the initial North Central Thumb League tilt for both schools.

In 4 contests the Bulldog hurlers have walked a grand total of 69 opponents.

"I knew our pitching staff was suspect, it will get better as the season goes on," says Roller.

Chemical net declines

Gilbert A. Currie, chairman of Chemical Financial Corporation, announced net operating income of \$4,054,000 for the first quarter of 1994, a decrease of 5.5 percent from first quarter 1993 operating earnings of \$4,292,000. Total net income in the first quarter of 1993 was \$6,292,000, which included a nonrecurring net gain of \$2 million for the adoption of financial accounting standards statements. First quarter 1994 operating earnings per share were \$0.66, a 5.7 percent decrease from operating earnings per share of \$0.70 in the first quarter of 1993. Total earnings per share in the first quarter of 1993, including the \$2 million non-recurring net gain, were \$1.02 per share.

The hosts were led at the plate by Melissa Leach and Karla Pittenger.

In the night cap, Owen-Gage scored 7 times in the first then added 6 more runs in the 2nd frame, but couldn't hold on as Caseville scored 6 times in a big 4th inning to snatch the comeback win, 23-16.

Cieslinski picked up the win for the hosts allowing 12 hits and striking out 7. She helped her own cause at the plate with a triple and 2 singles.

Owen-Gage who issued 23

free passes and used 4 pitchers, got a home run by Wildman in vain. Powers, who suffered the loss, pounded a double in 2 official at bats. The talented freshman collected 7 hits in 8 at bats in her first NCTL twin bill.

NBW GAME

Visiting North Branch Wesleyan spoiled the Bulldogs home opener last Tuesday sweeping a twin bill by the scores of 11-2 and 20-14.

Kate Powers got little support in the first game and suffered the loss. She allowed just 7 hits, but walked 16.

Beth Case picked up the decision for the visitors. She whiffed 5 and held the hosts scoreless over the final 6 frames.

The Bulldogs led after one inning 2-1 as Adkins singled home Wildman who tripled to bring home Melody Abfalter for the Bulldogs lone 2 runs.

Wesleyan grabbed the lead for good in the 2nd frame as 4 walks led to all 4 of the visitor's runs in the inning.

Wildman and Susie Roemer were the only Bulldogs to collect more than one hit. Wildman added a double in her last at bat, while Roemer slapped out 2 singles.

In the 2nd game, Owen-Gage pounded out 8 runs in the 4th frame, thanks in part to a Wildman grand slam, to take a 10-5 advantage.

The lead was short lived, however, as Wesleyan tallied 9 runs in their next at bats aided by 8 free passes.

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Hawks win 3 of 4; wide open Blue Bay race seen

It's early in the season but the early results indicate that the race for the Blue Bay League softball title is wide open. With the exception of Bad Axe, which has played 6 games and is 3-3, the other 3 teams in the conference have played just 2 games and already there is not an undefeated team.

Cass City opened conference competition Monday, April 18, at Bad Axe and split with the Hatchets, losing a well played game in the opener, 3-2, before crushing Bad Axe in the nightcap, 13-2.

Darcie Monroe and the Hatchets' Peruski hooked up in a pitching duel in the opener. Each allowed 6 hits and walked 3.

The game was scoreless until the sixth when Cass City scored twice on singles by Monroe, Jodi LaRoche and Stacey Klinkman. Bad Axe got those runs back in their half of the inning with a pair of hits and an error.

The Hatchets pushed the winning run across in the seventh on a walk and a pair of base hits.

The Hatchets sent

Peruski to the mound in the second game but she was obviously tired and the Hawks pounded her hard in the third when they scored 7 times to put the game away. In the inning the Hawks pounded out 6 singles and a triple by Marlene Shimer. Klinkman's single drove in 2 runs.

Cass City scored 4 more in the fifth, but that was merely icing on the cake as the game was long since decided.

Lisa Burns went the distance for Cass City allowing 3 hits, 4 walks while striking out 7. The Hatchets scored twice in the fourth inning, their only offensive outburst in the game.

Peruski who was so effective in the first game lasted just 3 innings in the second and was hammered for 10 hits and 8 runs. Schornack pitched the final 2 innings and allowed 5 runs on 4 hits and 6 walks.

As of Monday morning the league standings were: Bad Axe, 3-3; Cass City, 1-1; Lakers and Marlette, each with one win and one loss.

VASSAR GAMES

Cass City scored a pair of lopsided victories over the Vassar Vulcans in non-league action Wednesday.

The Hawks won the opener behind the no-hit hurling of Monroe, 13-0, in the game called by the mercy rule after 4 1/2 innings.

Monroe struck out 5 and walked 3 in her pitching gem. Walker took the loss.

The game was over for all practical purposes in the first inning when 12 Hawks went to bat and 8 runs were scored. Among the key hits were a triple by Burns that drove in 3 runs and a 2-RBI single by Kristy Messing.

The nightcap was another lopsided affair. The Hawks scored in every inning to rack up a 21-5 decision.

Burns pitched the win, mercied after 5 innings. She allowed 7 hits and walked 3. Bad Axe started with Walker, who took the loss. She was followed by Martin, Aldrich and Piazza.

In all this quartet allowed 9 hits, 18 walks and was

charged with 16 wild pitches.

Monroe with 3 hits in 4 tries and LaRoche with 3 hits, including a home run, in 4 trips to the plate led the onslaught.

Cass City's overall record is now 6 wins and 2 defeats.

Plan exhibit

The Rawson Memorial Library is planning another exhibit of paintings by local artists during Michigan Week, May 9-14. This is the fifth year that the library has sponsored this special event. The display will be set up in the library's meeting room.

The public is invited to meet the artists at a reception to be held at the library Wednesday evening, May 11, from 7-9 p.m.

In the past, over 30 area artists have taken part in this event. If anyone is still interested in displaying their work, there is still time to enter. Some mediums displayed in the past include oil, pastels, watercolor, and pen and ink.



RED HAWK SHORTSTOP Marlene Shimer (pictured) and the Cass City infield helped Darcie Monroe record her first no hitter of the season, Wednesday, against Vassar.

Four defeats dim Hawks' chances for baseball title

It was a week that the supporters of the Cass City Red Hawks would like to forget. The Hawks lost 4 of 5 baseball games played.

It all started Monday, April 18, when the Hawks travelled to Bad Axe for a doubleheader with the Hatchets and were soundly defeated in both games.

In the opener, Bad Axe combed Jason Morgan for 10 runs on 7 hits in 2 innings and Paul Ulfig for 2 runs and 2 hits in 2 innings for a 12-2 decision. The game was called by the mercy rule after 4 1/2 innings.

The only bright spot for Cass City was Jim Hempton's hitting as he collected the only 2 hits of the game off the slants of Brian

Curtis.

It was more of the same in the nightcap as the Hatchets breezed to an 8-3 decision. Johnson and Blackstock shared the mound duties for the Hatchets and they allowed just 4 hits, 2 by Ulfig who also drove in a run.

Mark Kubacki went the route for the Hawks, allowing 9 hits, walking 3 and striking out 4. Curtis and Ventline each collected 2 hits for the winners.

The only win of the week was registered in a make-up game at Laker High. The Hawks won the Blue Bay League game, 9-6, behind Ulfig who got the win going 5 innings and Morgan who pitched the last inning.

To register the only victory of the week, the Hawks were forced to come from behind in the last inning. Trailing 5-4, the Hawks pushed 5 runs across in their final at bat. Morgan had a big day at the plate. He collected 3 hits in 4 tries and knocked in 4 runs.

The second game was called because of the cold, windy weather. It was the second time that the teams were unable to finish scheduled games.

Vassar countered that rally with 5 runs in the fourth to ice the game.

The nightcap was a near repeat of the opening game. Vassar put across a 4-run rally in the first inning on the way to registering an 8-3 decision.

Hempton started and took the loss. He allowed just 3 hits but walked 9. Kubacki pitched the final inning and allowed a run and a hit.

Ulfig collected 2 of the Hawks' 4 hits, both singles. Cass City's season's record is now 4-5 and 1-2 in league competition.

the Hawks with comparative ease Wednesday.

In the opener the visitors settled the issue early with a 6-run rally in the first inning off starter Kevin Storm. Storm went 4 innings. Anthony Graichen, 1 1/3 innings, and Steve Muska, 2/3 inning, mopped up.

Vassar got 4 hits, 2 walks and Cass City committed one error in the big first inning rally.

The Hawks made a brief rally in the second to close the gap to 3 runs with a 3-run rally paced by RBI singles by Storm and Muska.



RED HAWK KEVIN Storm can't elude the tag of Vassar's 3rd baseman during the 2nd inning of Wednesday's home twin bill. Storm collected a single in his only official at bat in the opener, won by the Vulcans 13-5.

Kingston round-up set May 10

Kingston's kindergarten round-up has been scheduled May 10 at 7 p.m., at the elementary gym, school authorities announced this week.

It is not necessary for children to attend the meeting, but the child's birth certificate and health immunization record should be brought.

Other dates to be remembered are May 16 and May 24.

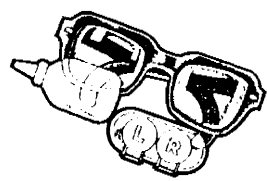
Hearing, vision and speech screening will be offered May 16 by appointment. The Tuscola County Health Department will have an immunization clinic on that date. Both are at the elementary school.

Immunizations will be given only by appointment through the Tuscola County Health Department. Call 673-8114 before May 1 for appointment.

Kindergarten orientation will be from 9 to 11 a.m. May 24. Students will visit the school, be offered a snack and ride the school

VASSAR GAMES

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Bulldogs split with Caseville

The Bulldog baseball team opened their North Central Thumb League campaign at Caseville Thursday where they split with the host Eagles.

First year coach Arnie Besonen's squad won the opener in a slugfest 21-20. In the night cap, the Bulldog bats went silent as Caseville's Nick Bednerek tossed a 2-hitter to register a 6-4 win in a game called after 5 1/2 innings due to darkness.

Owen-Gage (1-2) will host Carsonville-Port Sanilac Monday.

In the opener by the bay, the visitors scored twice in the 6th inning to break a 20-20 deadlock.

Mike Tkacz bested Ryan Lackie for the decision. Tkacz pitched just 1 2/3 innings allowing 8 hits and striking out 2. He issued 3 free passes.

At the plate the winners were led by Eric Dietzel and Jason Anthes who had 7 hits between them. Dietzel tripled in the Bulldog 2nd at bats and that accounted for 2 of the visitor's 7 tallies in the frame.

The winners got 4 hits each from Lackie and Tyler Williams.

In game 2, Bednerek held Owen-Gage to 2 doubles and fanned 8 to pick up the win.

Jason Anthes was the victim of little support and suffered the loss for the 'Dogs. Anthes struck out 10 and walked 3. He allowed only 3 safeties.

Gypsy moths

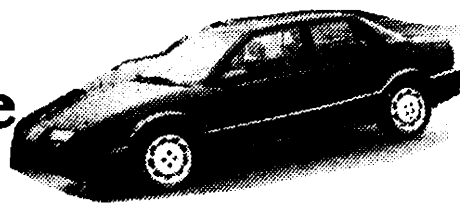
Gypsy moth eggs will usually start hatching in May, so now is the time to scout landscape trees for those egg masses and to get rid of them before they hatch. The eggs are too tough to simply crush. Scrape them into a coffee can filled with soapy water or bury them at least 6 inches deep.

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6 sentenced, one pleads last week

Six people were sentenced and another entered a plea last week in Tuscola County Circuit Court.

•Thomas L. Fuller, 31, Vassar, was sentenced to one to 3 years plus 30 days in prison for his pleas of guilty to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor and resisting and obstructing a police officer May 3 in Vassar, and having one prior felony conviction.

He was also ordered to pay \$1,000 in court costs and fines, and a \$30 victim crime fee.

In addition, Fuller was sentenced to 2 years and 8 months to 4 years incarceration for a plea of guilty to probation violation — failure to report to his probation agent after Oct. 1.

•Cherie A. Searles, 38, Fairgrove, was sentenced to 2 to 15 years in prison for her plea of guilty to second degree criminal sexual con-

Driver hurt in accident

A 2-vehicle accident Friday in Cass City resulted in minor injuries to one of the drivers.

Cass City police reported Ruth Ann Marshall, 46, 5201 Hadley Rd., was eastbound on Main Street near Weaver Street at about 1:14 p.m. when she stopped and was struck from behind by another eastbound vehicle, driven by Robert L. Packard, 35, 6318 River Rd., Cass City.

Marshall sought her own treatment for minor injuries, according to reports, which state both drivers were wearing seat belts.

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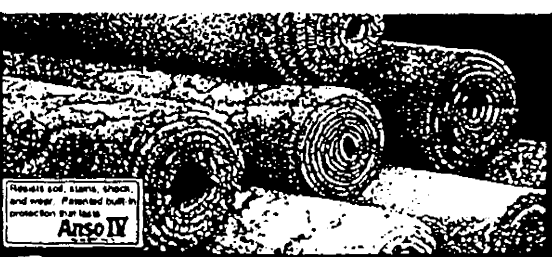
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Obituaries

Shirley Lynch

Mrs. Shirley Lynch, 54, a lifelong resident of the Cass City area, died Sunday, April 24, at Hills and Dales General Hospital, after a lengthy illness.

She was born Dec. 6, 1939, in Greenleaf Township, Sanilac County, the daughter of Vern and Eva (Huffman) Watson.

Miss Watson married George E. Lynch Nov. 2, 1968, in Cass City, where they made their home.

Mrs. Lynch is survived by her husband George; one daughter, Miss Ann Marie Lynch, at home; one son, Matthew, also at home; 3 brothers, William Watson, Robert Watson and wife Glenda, all of Cass City, and Charles Watson and wife Carol of Birmingham; 2 sisters, Mrs. Nancy Naren and husband Norbert of Sterling Heights and Mrs. Charlotte Sangster of Decker. Her parents and one sister, Ruby, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were scheduled for Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Pastor J.T. Mabe of the Mizpah Missionary Church, officiating.

Interment will be in Elklund Cemetery, Cass City.

Ira Osentoski

Mr. Ira Osentoski, 69, of Cass City, died Tuesday,

April 19, at St. John's Hospital, Harper Woods, after a lengthy illness.

He was born April 30, 1924, in Austin Township, Sanilac County, the son of Edward and Theresa (Palach) Osentoski, moving to a farm in Evergreen Township when he was a small boy.

Mr. Osentoski, a retiree from Pontiac Motors, was also a well-known auctioneer in the Thumb area, starting Osentoski Auctioneering in 1952. He was also a member of St. Pancratius Catholic Church of Cass City.

He is survived by his wife, Marie; 3 sons, David and wife Barbara of Caro, Martin and wife Lola and Kenneth, all of Cass City; 8 grandchildren; one brother, Alger (Pat) of Roseville; 3 half brothers, Sylvester of Cass City, Alfred of Alpena and Stanley of Warren, and one half sister, Mrs. Albert (Blanch) Peruski of Detroit. One sister, Bernice, and one half sister, Leona, preceded him in death.

A prayer service was held Thursday evening at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City.

Funeral services were conducted Friday at St. Pancratius Catholic Church with Father Paul Bala, pastor, officiating.

Interment was in St. John's Cemetery, Ubyly. Memorials may be given to the St. Pancratius Church Organ Fund.

Your neighbor says

Presidency gets a B-plus grade

High honors will be bestowed on Richard M. Nixon in final rites this week as former United States presidents and other officials attend his funeral.

Today's question for neighbor Robert Stickle, Cass City, was how he felt the Nixon presidency would be rated in the years ahead.

He'll probably receive a B or B-plus, Stickle believes, with the strong point being his foreign policy achievements.

That's not my rating, he added. Personally I feel his integrity was a little shaky and the office of president should be above that.

Stickle is a retired Cass City Middle School principal (1989) and his wife, Barbara, retired in 1992 as a Cass City School teacher.

The Stickle's have 3 children, Diane, in Cass City; Pam, in Kalamazoo, and Tim, in Tucson, Arizona, where he will work while earning his doctorate at the University of Arizona.



Decreasing Asthma Triggers

Asthma is still a serious disease. The number of deaths is increasing in spite of better medicines. In fact, the trust in these effective medicines may be the cause of delays in seeking treatment of some severe attacks.

But preventing attacks is as important as treating them, and often easier. A person can frequently control some of the triggers which cause asthma.

Animals are a controllable source of asthma attacks. Cats are the traditional cause, with "cat asthma" being well-known. If a person is allergic to cats, keeping one in the house can be very troublesome. Other animals which can cause problems are horses, dogs, and birds. Feather pillows should be avoided.

The more serious problems occur with dust and molds. These are constantly present, although the quantity may vary. Starting the furnace will stir up dust and molds that have accumulated during the summer. Dust and molds can be limited by keeping the house cooler and dryer during the summer months.

Pollens can be limited by using air conditioners and spending less time outdoors, especially on windy and high pollen count days.

Chemical irritants can usually be avoided. These include cigarette smoke, industrial chemicals, and even foods.

Infections can also trigger asthma attacks. While infections can not always be avoided, some can be prevented by avoiding unnecessary exposure to viruses, and getting a pneumonia vaccine and yearly flu shots.

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2 area high school students among art winners

U.S. Congressman James A. Barcia (D-Bay City) recently announced 26 winners, including 2 area teens, in the 13th annual Congressional Arts Competition.

The competition, featuring original artwork submitted by high school students in each congressional district nationwide, was judged by

Saginaw Valley State University art, drawing and graphics faculty members.

Six grand prize winners and 20 prize winners were chosen from among several hundred entries.

Among the 20 prize winners were Cass City High School student Nyika Hiraishi, whose art teacher

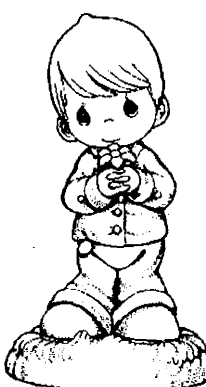
is Karen Wallace, and Angela Sims of Kingston High School. Her art instructor is Marilyn Biefer.

The artwork of first-place winner Jon R. Gajewski of A.I.S. Western High School, Bay City, will be displayed in the U.S. Capitol this summer.

The artwork of the second

through fifth place winners — Holly Dyjak of Western High School, Bay City; Matt Schommer of C-PS High School; Brian Beachy of Laker High School; Andy Gebhard of Heritage High School, Saginaw; and Jason Gibbs of Bay City Central High School — will be displayed in Barcia's offices.

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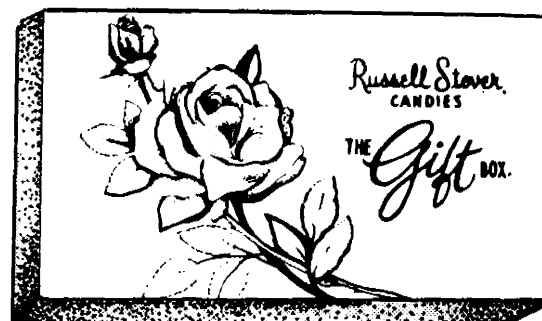
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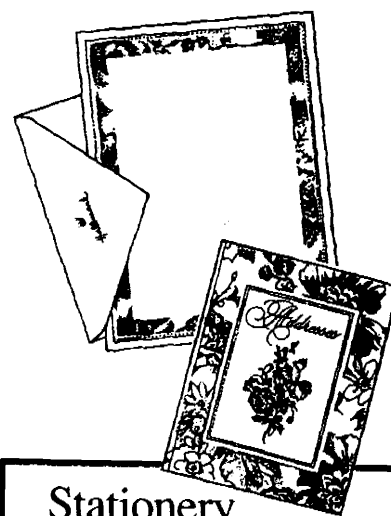
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5 YEARS AGO

Gas prices have jumped 20 to 22 cents per gallon over the past 30 days, which is affecting motorists, farmers and businessmen.

A large barn and utility shed were destroyed by fire Thursday at the Randy Rabideau residence about 5 1/2 miles east of Cass City. The Cass City science team took first place at the academic games held Saturday at Saginaw Valley State University. Members of the team are Janet Koch, Janet Kubacki, Mike Bills, Adam Wright, Bart Hall, Steve Bills and Chris Fruendt. Mrs. Nancy Weippert is the instructor.

Randy and Sandy Kelley of Cass City were the winners of a 26" color TV during Coach Light Pharmacy's grand remodeling celebration.

With the help of a recently expanded rehabilitation program at Provincial House, some patients have progressed enough to go back to their homes.

10 YEARS AGO

Cass City High School's only first place finish at the St. Louis Relays was recorded by long jumpers Lori Calka and Jamie LaRoche.

Juanita Bradley, 17, has received a trophy for the play she wrote, "Greater Love Hath No Man," judged a winner in statewide talent competition conducted by the Church of God. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bradley of Cass City.

Tuesday's Cass City Village Council meeting was the first for trustee Joanne Hopper, Village President Ray Armstead Jr. and trustee Larry Davis.

Evergreen Guys and Gals members who will compete in the east central regional style show are Kim King, Kelly Wallace, Kris King, all of Cass City, and Julie Smith, Snover.

Fire Saturday afternoon burned about 5 acres of pine trees and 20 acres of grassland south of Elmwood Road, about 1 1/4 miles east of Cemetery Road.

25 YEARS AGO

Cass City High School has signed a new head football coach for the 1969 grid season. He is Thomas W. Spencer, 31, who comes from Inland Lakes Schools at Indian River.

Two young men, Elder Brian Nichols and Elder Dick Olickan, have become village residents and are

hoping to start a "branch" of the Mormon Church.

David Asher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Asher, Cass City, left Saturday with the 32-voice Olivet College Choral Ensemble on its annual spring eastern tour.

Army Staff Sgt. David W. McNaughton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn McNaughton of Saginaw, former Cass City residents, has received the Bronze Star Medal at Camp Eagle, Vietnam.

Cass City voters turned out in record numbers Tuesday to emphatically turn down by nearly a 2-1 margin the district's request for 4 additional mills for operating the school next year.

35 YEARS AGO

The Civil Defense emergency hospital unit to be located in Cass City for use in civil defense emergencies will have an approximate value of \$23,000, officials of the office of Civil and Defense Mobilization announced this week.

David Ackerman, Cass City High School senior, has been awarded a scholarship in Industrial Arts for study at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ackerman.

B.A. Calka announced this week that he has severed relations with United Farm Agency and is now operating his own real estate business at his office on Main Street.

The Rev. R.J. Striffler of New Baltimore, a former resident of the Cass City area and a graduate of Cass City High School in 1916, has been named pastor of the First Congregational Church in Bay City.

Cass City Girl Scouts sold 8,640 boxes of cookies in their annual sale held recently. Mrs. Arthur Kelley, local Girl Scout chairman, reports the top sellers were Sue Greenleaf, 96 boxes, and Linda Taylor, 88 boxes.

Owen-Gage sr. citizens air meeting

The Owen-Gage Senior Citizens met for their spring dinner at St. Peter's Lutheran Hall at Bach Thursday, April 21, at noon. There were 37 members present and 2 guests, Rev. and Mrs. Nathan Bickle. Rev. Bickle read a 17th century Prayer for Senior Citizens and said grace before the meal.

President Orville Mallory presided at the short meeting. Rev. Bickle led the group in reciting the Lord's Prayer and President Mallory led the group in reciting the pledge to the flag.

Mary Blondell was welcomed back after a long absence.

The committee for May will be Bob and Florence Schell and Homer and Beulah Kretzschmer.

Door prizes were won by Orville Mallory and Irma Ouvry.

After the meeting was adjourned euche was played. The winners were: high for men, Phil Guza; low, Jack Doerr. High for women, Stella Erer and Beulah Kretzschmer; low, Mary Wald. The owl prize was won by Homer Kretzschmer.

New members are welcome.

Nevel to present concert

Julie Nevel of Enola, Penn., will present an evening of contemporary Christian music at the Novesta Church of Christ, 2896 N. Cemetery Rd., Sunday at 7 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly were among a group who attended the Country Western Dance at Colony House Sunday.

Reva Silver was a Wednesday supper and evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Jim Jackson of Marlette spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Morell and family at Minden City. Dennis Morell and Jim Jackson were Saturday guests of Don Jackson and Jason and A.J. Batie.

Mrs. David Hacker was a Thursday guest of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Phyllis Pelton of Shabbona was a Monday afternoon guest and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Osentoski were Monday evening guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Depcinski and Mrs. Allen Depcinski attended the funeral of a cousin, Linda White, at the Ramsey Funeral Home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka visited Susan Sofka at Davison.

Mrs. Ray Michalski, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Chris were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Leppek at Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bartle and Tom were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

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

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

Mrs. Hiram Keyser was a Wednesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mrs. John O'Henley was a Monday guest of Edanna Sweeney.

Leota McLean of Pontiac, Mary Lou Harris of Auburn Hills and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meske of Port Hope were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka were Wednesday forenoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza.

Recent guests of Mrs. Fritz Van Erp were Mr. and Mrs. John Boogard of Osakis, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Broilart.

Reva Silver and Edanna Sweeney attended the funeral of Francis Walker at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Uby Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Keyser and Mandy of Troy were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Keyser.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey of Brown City were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka and Mrs. Martin Sweeney attended the Breakfast Club at Marie's Back Door restaurant in Bad Axe Thursday morning.

Don McLean and a friend from Pontiac were Monday forenoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka returned home Sunday after spending the winter at Arcadia, Fla. Guests through the winter in Florida were Susan Sofka of Davison, Janie Main and John of Highland, Jennifer Felmlee and friends Sharon and Jennifer who attend Michigan Tech College at Houghton, Patricia Everman, Karen Everman and daughter Mikala of Missouri, Kevin Sweeney of Novi and Mrs. Martin Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly spent Friday and Tuesday in Ann Arbor.

Virginia Greenlee of Argyle was a Sunday afternoon guest of Reva Silver.

Arlene and Pam Champagne and Mrs. Earl Schenk went to the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Uby Sunday evening to pay respects to Francis Walker.

A.J. Batie and Don Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr.

and Mrs. Dennis Morell at Minden City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr visited Fred and Amy Haas at Toledo, Ohio, over the weekend.

Mrs. Larry Glaza visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kosinski and son Jimmy and Harold Hallock of Bad Axe, Don Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Pearce and family of Wyandotte, Ernie Owensby of Mt. Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. David Dickens and family of Warren, Kim and John Boldan, Jeff and Janice Hallock and family were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Walker Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Danny LeGuire were evening guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Sofka and Kristin were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka.

Dorothy Harris of Bad Axe and Joe Konkel were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel, Marney and Lois.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rumpitz visited Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus Myzk at Four Seasons Health Care Center at Bad Axe Tuesday.

Doug Morell and George Jackson were Wednesday evening guests of Don Jackson and A.J. Batie.

Eugene Otulakowski was a Saturday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard.

Sam Conkey of Atlanta, Ga., was a Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt came home Wednesday evening from Groton, year.

Conn., after spending 10 days with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Schultz, Shanon and Sabrina.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spiers and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marchand of Drayton Plains spent a few days at the Marchand home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka were among a group of the Traveling Breakfast Club who had breakfast at Pat's restaurant in Uby Wednesday morning.

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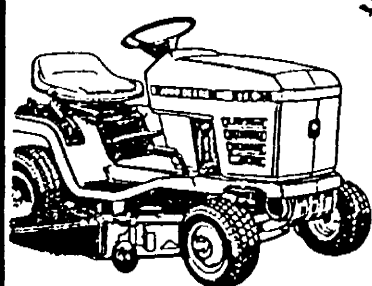
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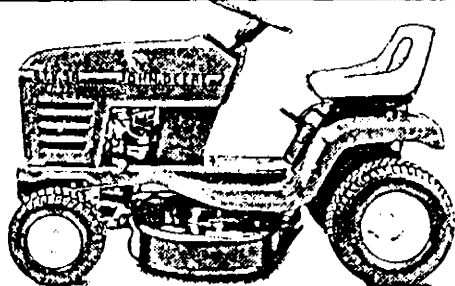
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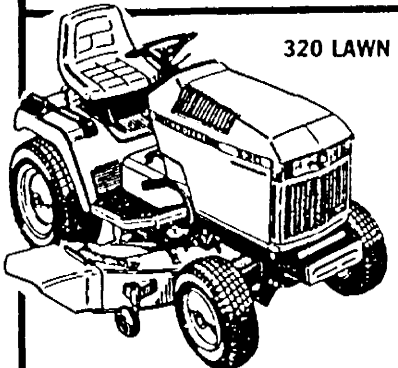
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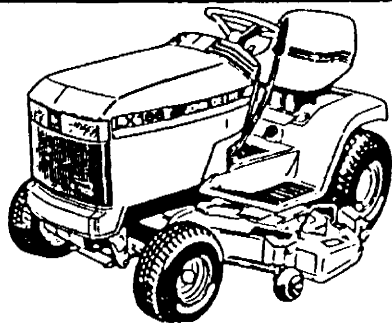
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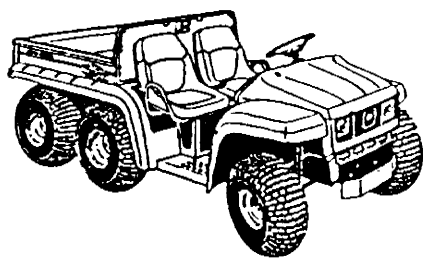
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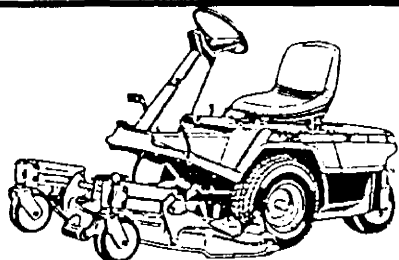
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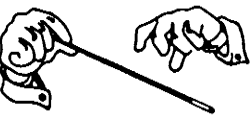
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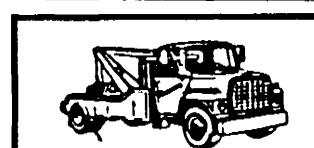
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School to add teachers

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than have the school staff do it.

A request by Donna Keys of Decker to have her child start kindergarten in Deckerville rather than Cass City was approved. Keys works in Deckerville and her baby sitter lives close to that community.

The summer projects for the school were outlined by Micklash. They are outlined in the chart accompanying this story.

Village road work

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expenses.

The council noted appreciation for the effort, and indicated formal action will be taken pending further discussion on specific locations of the machines.

•Learned Eldon Stoutenburg is retiring, effective April 29, after 34 1/2 years of employment with the village.

•Noted an application for grant funds to purchase property to expand the village park was accepted for consideration by the DNR.

The application was submitted with the understanding that the village would accept the grant only if it required a match of no more than 25 percent of the fair market value of the land, and only after a final review of what is determined to be the fair market price.

•Rescheduled its next regular meeting from May 30 (Memorial Day) to May 31 at 7 p.m. at the village municipal building.

•Re-elected Kropewnicki as chairperson of the annual Memorial Day Parade. The vote was 5-1, with Kropewnicki casting the lone "no" vote.

•Learned the annual D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) graduation will be held May 12 at 1 p.m. in the Cass City Middle School gym. In all, 135 sixth graders are scheduled to graduate from the program, which is taught by Cass City Police Officer Craig Haynes.

•Acknowledged the accomplishments of wastewater treatment plant operators Ken Schott and Phil Klaus. Schott recently completed a PFS Window Works Class, and Klaus completed an Activated Sludge Process Control Course.

O-G 'student of month'

Michael Merchant, 6915 Huron Line Road, Gagetown, the son of Vicki and Grant Merchant, has been selected as the student of the month for April at Owen-Gage High School.

A senior, he has been active in football, basketball and baseball for the Bulldogs.

He was also a homecoming king candidate and is a member of 4-H.

He plans to attend Saginaw Valley State University, but is undecided about his major field of study.

Summer Projects

Cass City Schools

Items with question marks indicate projects that are needed, but are unlikely to be completed this summer.

Building	Project	Projected Cost
Campbell	-Ceilings in cafeteria, ten classrooms and North and West hallways	\$?????
	-Sidewalk at S.E. entrance to playground	\$?????
	-Screens on windows	\$5,600.00
	-Fire alarm	\$3,800.00
	-Repair noisy ventilator motors	In Oper. & Maint. Budget
	-60 desks (1st grade)	\$3,480.00
	-30 chairs (4th grade)	\$1,031.00
	-8 tables for Kindergarten	\$ 506.00
	-Painting and general maintenance	In Oper. & Maint. Budget
Deford	-Shades on classroom windows	\$ 50.00 per window
	-Screens on windows	\$ 900.00
	-Painting and general maintenance	In Oper. & Maint. Budget
	Hall floor	?????
Middle School	-30 desks (6th grade)	\$2,190.00
	-30 chairs (6th grade)	\$1,031.00
	-Enclose 3rd floor stairway opening	In Oper. & Maint. Budget
	-General Maintenance	In Oper. & Maint. Budget
High School	-Shades on classroom windows where needed	\$ 50.00 per window
	-Handicap bleacher area in gym	\$?????
	-30 combination desks	\$2,062.00
Grounds	-Water fountain at stadium	In Oper. & Maint. Budget
	-Catch basin on south side of bus garage	In Oper. & Maint. Budget
	-Improve grade at H.S. service drive entering Seeger St.	\$6,000.00
	-Asphalt H.S. parking lot	\$?????

At Kingston High School

Sims and Kramer top Class of 1994

Kingston High School recently released its list of honor graduates from the class of 1994.

Valedictorian is Angela Kaye Sims, daughter of Robert and Kaye Sims.



Angela Kaye Sims

During her 4 years, Sims compiled a 3.9777 grade point average. An active student, she is a member of the National Honor Society, yearbook staff, Drama Club and the Math and English Academic teams. She has received the D.A.R. Good Citizen Award, been recognized as one of the top 18 art students in the state and received numerous other art and yearbook awards.

Sims plans to attend Bethel College, Mishawaka, Ind., to study either medicine or linguistics for missionary work.

Melanie Kramer, daughter of Douglas and Paula Kramer, is class salutatorian with a 3.951 grade point average.

She is a National Merit Commendation scholar, and has been class treasurer, a member of the National Honor Society and the year-

book staff.

She was also a member of the basketball team, earning many honors, including Most Valuable Player 2 years, and First Team NCTL basketball.



Melanie Kramer

She will attend Case Western Reserve University to study biomedical engineering.

Additional honor graduates include:

Deborah Ann Zyrowski, daughter of Richard and Christine Zyrowski. She has been active in National Honor Society, Ski Club and

HDC campaign is successful

Thanks to the efforts of dedicated volunteers throughout the Thumb area, many less fortunate local citizens will enjoy warmer homes next winter.

Their good fortune is the result of the 1994 Walk-for-Warmth campaign, a voluntary fund-raising effort spearheaded by the Human Development Commission (HDC) in Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola counties.

This year's event has raised \$9,898.94 to date, with a few pledges still to be received. These funds remain in the counties where they were generated, providing direct heating assistance to those who are unable to properly heat their homes.

Project organizers lauded all those who helped with the fund-raising effort: "pledge-generators", the media, HDC staff and families, commercial sponsors, and all those who donated money to the cause.

Special mention was made of a Caro pastor who collected pledges of over \$1,200, NBD Sandusky's 12 participants, a 76-year-old Bad Axe woman who collected over \$600 in pledges outside area stores, and the Lakeville Honor Society, which collected pledges and participated in the walk.

Persons who would like more information about Walk-for-Warmth, or any other program operated by or through HDC, may call 1-800-843-6394 for more information (673-4121 in Caro).

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Math Academic Team, and is a member of the basketball and softball teams. She will study electrical engineering at Saginaw Valley State University.

Kevin Zurro, son of Geraldine Zurro and the late Louis Zurro, is a member of the National Honor Society, Ski Club, Science Academic Team and the football team. He will attend Michigan State University in the fall.

Tanya Harman, daughter of Loy and Debra Smith, has been active in cheerleading and on the yearbook staff. Next year she will study advertising and design at Baker College.

Tracy Wilcox, daughter of Dale and Linda Wilcox, has been a member of the basketball, volleyball and track teams, ski club and the History Academic Team. She plans to study pre-medicine.

Aaron Tait, son of Kathy Stewart and Eugene Tait, has been a member of the football team winning First Team All State honors, and a member of the National Honor Society. He will attend Michigan State University in the fall.

Ed Walkiewicz, the son of Ed and Barb Walkiewicz, has been on the football and basketball teams, and Ski Club. He plans to study wildlife biology at Michigan State University.

Marsha Wright, daughter of Wayne and Jeanette Wright, is a member of the National Honor Society, participated in basketball and softball, and was 3 times chosen for the Tri-County Honor Band and the University of Michigan Honor Band. She will attend Delta College to study Radiology.

Sara James, daughter of Dennis and Sue James, has been a member of the band, volleyball teams and yearbook staff. She plans to attend Western Michigan University to prepare for a career in the medical field.

Chris Glaza, son of Kenneth and Sandra Glaza, has been active on the Tuscola Area Skill Center Student forum. He will attend Delta College to study the auto service field.

Daniel Browning, son of Jeanne and Edwin Browning, will enter the work force in the capacity of helping people.

\$68,700 recycling grant approved for county

The DNR has approved a \$68,700 grant for a proposed recycling project that would expand the current level of recycling services in Tuscola County.

The project is among 20 that have been recommended for funding under the state's Solid Waste Alternatives Program (SWAP), funded by the Protecting Michigan's Future Bond.

The list of recommended projects will now be submitted to the Legislature for fund appropriation approval. Grant awards are expected to be made sometime after October 1994.

The grant for Tuscola County requires a local match of \$22,900 for a total project cost of \$91,600.

The local match will be shared by the county and village of Caro, according to Tuscola County Recycling Coordinator Sharon Mika, who said a majority of the grant funding will be used to build a small materials recovery facility and related equipment needed to establish 9 drop-off sites throughout the county.

"It will greatly improve what's being done now," Mika commented.

Several communities — Caro, Reese, Vassar and Mayville included — have drop-off centers for materials to be recycled. These programs have been successful, she explained, however, there is no one central location. "It's kind of a hodge-podge of drop-offs right now. It's not consistent."

Under the county project, a 50-foot by 60-foot material recovery center will be constructed at a central location, and collection trailers will be purchased and placed at various sites throughout the county.

The specific locations of those sites have not been determined yet, Mika said.

Aside from those materials already being collected in the county, she noted, plans call for the new material recovery center to accept corrugated cardboard and office paper.

Mika had no estimate on the annual operational costs of the program, which will include paying someone to oversee the operation.

It's hoped the cost will be offset through the sale of recyclable materials, she said, adding the county recycling effort will continue to utilize the inmate worksite program.

Tuscola County's grant is among 19 that will go to public and private sector applicants for solid waste alternatives projects in 6 categories ranging from rural recycling programs to a regional yard waste composting project.

Funding was also recommended for a state solid waste project in which the DNR will arrange for an outside study to evaluate the impact of SWAP in meeting the state's solid waste management goals, and develop recommendations for future efforts to facilitate waste reduction, recycling and other

resource recovery options.

The SWAP represents a major effort toward implementing the state's Solid Waste Policy, with a total of

\$150 million in bond dollars available.

The projects recommended in 1994-95 represent the seventh round of funding. To-

date, more than \$101 million in bond dollars have been appropriated for 291 projects since the program began in 1989.



THANK YOU. THE Cass City Masonic Lodge donated \$100 to the Cass City Little League program last week. Receiving the check from Tom Wallace (left), Worshipful Master, Tyler #317, is league president Bob DeLong.

Project scrapped

Maybe it's just as well that Michigan did not land the Superconducting Supercollider a few years ago. Congress scrapped funding for the project 5 months ago, leaving the Energy Department with a partially completed, 5-mile-long tunnel in Texas. A Colorado company wants to purchase the tunnel to use for growing mushrooms.

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