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OSCAR BROOKS stands among a few of the some 2,000 trees at his Schwegler Road nursery. After 40 years in the landscaping business, Brooks says he is ready to sell out and slow down.

## Brooks eyes retirement after 40 years in business

Take a stroll through Cass City and chances are good you'll see some of Oscar Brooks' handiwork.

From the trees lining Main Street to the dozens of homes he's dressed up with greenery and decorative stone, to the majestic maples lining Maple Street, Brooks has completed hundreds of landscaping projects over the past 40 years.

It's been more than a career for the 65-year-old Cass City man, whose success has enabled him to support a family and help send 4 of his 5 children to college.

It's been a labor of love. And although Brooks hasn't

lost his enthusiasm for the work, the years and health problems, including diabetes, have taken a toll, prompting him to consider selling the business.

"I'm seriously thinking about it. I'll be 66 in November (and) I'm just getting too old to keep up with it," he remarked last week as he looked over his 6-acre nursery on Schwegler Road.

Four of the 6 acres are planted in bushes, shrubs and some 45 varieties of trees, including maple, oak, crab apple, ash, plum, cedar, birch, weeping mulberry, sunburst locust, pine and blue spruce.

Brooks started out with only a few trees. Today, his stock numbers better than 2,000 trees.

"It was just a farm field. I bought it from Mrs. Peters from around the corner," Brooks said of the nursery when he started it in 1950. "I've probably put 30 tons of stone around the building here, and probably another 200 yards of fill to level things up."

### YEARS EARLIER

But his start in the business began years earlier. "I helped put trees out ever since I was 16," he said.

Brooks remembers planting the maples along Maple Street with his father. At the time, the young trees' trunks were just an inch-and-a-half thick, he said.

Brooks spent 20 years working as a carpenter for the union out of Saginaw. Among the projects he had a hand in were the construction of Cass City High School and Hills and Dales General Hospital.

When business slowed, he decided to make landscaping a full-time job.

"When I first started, I did carpentry during the day and Please turn to page 5.

## College courses offered

# Cass City Schools end year with slight surplus

The audit report for the 1993-94 school year was presented to the Cass City School Board at its regular meeting Monday night. It showed that the school operated in the black and added \$20,630 to its fund balance, which now totals \$791,887.

Total revenues were up 11 percent, from \$6,174,296 to \$6,824,211. Expenditures also increased about 11 percent, from \$6,114,180 to \$6,803,581. Salaries and benefits consumed 82.4 percent of total expenditures from the general fund. Cass City now has no debt. For further information refer to charts on page 14.

The audit report was one of a series of items that occupied the board in a lengthy session. Counsellor Jerry Cleland reported on the on-site dual enrollment program now offered at the school. It will enable students to earn 3 college credits from Saginaw Valley State University by completing a "World Civilization" (history) course. It will be taught by a professor from SVSU. Cleland explained that the course will enable students who have extra time on their hands to earn credit with a class within the regular school day.

For senior students there is financial help from the state. Others must pay the full fee, which is \$303.30 per credit, plus a \$20 test fee. That's the same price that students pay on campus, Cleland said.

There are 14 students enrolled in the course. Long range, the aim is to provide enough courses that students can complete a year of college while attending high school. Cass City is one of the very few schools in the state with this type program.

### MANAGEMENT PLAN

If construction of a new middle school building is authorized, the construction management team of R. C. Hendrick & Sons of Saginaw will replace a general contractor. The firm will charge slightly less than 3 percent of the building costs.

The firm is representing the school rather than trying to figure what is best for companies it subcontracts to, Supt. Ken Micklash said. It is cheaper than the percentage general contractors usually charge and allows the school more say in who will be hired. It should give local contractors a better opportunity to secure some of the work, Micklash feels. If the bond issue fails, there will be no charge from the management firm.

In another issue concerning the construction of a new school, Robert and Sandy Popovich, persistent school critics, asked questions about the school. Sandy Popovich said that there has been misinformation about the availability of a ladder that would reach the windows on the third floor of the building. She said that Milt Connolly, Elkland Township Fire Chief, told her there was a ladder that reached the windows.

She also said that if lack of a fire wall in the present school was a hazard, it should be constructed at once for a cost of some \$30,000.

Robert asked if the board was in full accord for building a new building and was informed that the board voted unanimously to try again for the building.

### TABLED

Three changes in policy

were tabled for further study. Appointed to a committee to study two issues were Joan Helwig, Randy Severance and President Jim Turner. The issues were to outline public participation at board meetings. After looking at the proposal, the board decided more work will be needed.

Also to be studied will be a policy on the sale of items by students and others on school

property.

By-laws for the new Thumb C League were presented and will probably be passed after minor corrections are made by Athletic Director Don Schelke. One of the important provisions is that no team can be ejected from the new league without a three-fourths vote of the schools.

A proposal to establish a new athletic council separate Please turn to back page.

### For cable service

## Council acts to cut costs

Cass City officials will act later this month on a proposed settlement with C-TEC Cable Co. that would lower village residents' rates for basic cable service by 30 cents a month.

The village council met in special session Thursday to approve a resolution asking the Federal Communication Commission to review the proposed rates.

The council also scheduled a public hearing to consider and act on the settlement, negotiated between the cable company and a Grand Rapids law firm representing some 40 Michigan communities, including Cass City, which joined efforts last year to regulate cable rates.

The public hearing will be held at 7 p.m., Sept. 26, at the village municipal building.

Under the proposed settlement, subscribers would see a reduction in rates of 30 cents per month effective Sept. 1, and they would receive a one-time refund of

\$3.60 in overcharges from September 1993 through August 1994.

In addition, rates would be frozen until April 1, 1995 (an approximate 80-cent increase scheduled for Oct. 1 will be postponed until April 1995.)

Through August 1997, increases in C-TEC's regulated rates and Premium Customer Choice channels will be limited to inflation plus any FCC-authorized cost pass-throughs.

Cable customers currently pay a monthly fee of \$21.95 for basic service and a second tier of channels that include CNN, ESPN, Nickelodeon and the Family Channel. If the settlement is approved, that rate will be reduced to \$21.65.

"If we did nothing, didn't regulate, those rates would go up 80 cents a month in October to \$22.75," village President L.E. Althaver commented, referring to the council's efforts to regulate rates.

## O-G board acts to curb student use of drugs

Owen-Gage School officials hope an ounce of prevention will be well worth a pound of cure when it comes to keeping students away from drugs and alcohol.

The Board of Education Monday adopted a new policy prohibiting junior/senior high students from bringing into the school open containers of beverages such as pop and juice, or glasses from home.

The action was the result of what school Supt. Manuel Thies described as a couple of isolated incidents in which students are believed to have placed alcohol in a screw-top type beverage container and brought it to school.

No student has been caught in the act, according to Thies, who explained the incidents were discovered by staff members after the fact.

The policy was recommended by high school Principal Joanne Hopper. She noted other school districts have similar policies in place.

Thies also voiced his support, saying school officials must take action to prevent isolated incidents from becoming widespread. "Call it what you want, a sign of the times or whatever," he added. "We have to be cautious. It's sad that we have to do

this, but if we're going to have a safe environment, these are some of the things we have to have."

One parent in the audience suggested the new policy won't be a cure-all.

Thies agreed. "It's impossible to shut all the avenues down," he acknowledged. "(But) we are going to try and shut down the more obvious ones."

### CONCERNS

Another parent asked how the new rule would affect her child, who brings bottled water along with lunch to school for dietary reasons.

Thies said individual exceptions will be made as needed. School officials acknowledged their actions won't be popular, but insisted a policy emphasizing prevention is better than one focusing on reaction.

In a related matter, Hopper outlined upcoming drug awareness programs being planned for students and their parents.

The first is a drug awareness assembly tentatively set for Oct. 12. Students will hear from Huron County Sheriff Mike Gage and county Prosecutor Leslie Hagen, see displays related to drugs, and watch a demonstration in-

volving a specially trained drug-sniffing dog.

Drug and weapons displays, and a law enforcement representative are expected to be on hand during parent/teacher conferences in November. The goal, Hopper said, is to help familiarize parents with the kinds of drugs and weapons being confiscated from students in the county.

### PERSONNEL

Turning to personnel matters, the board approved 3 new staff hirings.

Janet Somsel was hired to teach junior/senior high science; Kay Swiastyn was hired as the new Chapter I aide, and Kevin Maher, a former school superintendent and principal, now retired, was hired to provide counseling for both schools on a day-to-day basis.

Maher will fill the position until a permanent counselor can be found, according to Thies, who announced counselor and teacher Ron D'Aoust has submitted his resignation.

The board also approved the recommendations of Sharon Krzyzaniak as National Honor Society advisor. Thies and Hopper as senior Please turn to back page.

## 48 years of family service

# Littles selling funeral home

Roger Little, owner of Little's Funeral Home in Cass City, this week announced the sale of his business to Debra and Jim Kranz of Kingston, effective Saturday, Oct. 1.

When the new owners take over, it will mark the end of one of Cass City's longtime businesses under the same family ownership.

The Littles' involvement in the funeral home dates back to March, 1946, when the late Harry Little purchased the business from Hugh Monroe.

Roger Little worked in the funeral home for awhile before leaving to work in the metro area. He rejoined his father in 1969.

Upon the death of his father in 1974, he took over management and ownership. During his ownership, the funeral home building has been remodeled several times and today is roughly twice the size it was when his father bought it. Little also purchased the Hunter Funeral Home in Gageton.

Little and his wife, Beverly, will be enjoying a much needed vacation. Present plans call for the pair to move

to the St. Louis, Mo., area, where many of the family relatives are located. The Littles own a cottage on

Saginaw Bay near Caseville and present plans call for them to spend summers there.

Debra and Jim Kranz own the Kranz Funeral Home in Kingston and plan to operate both facilities.



LITTLE'S FUNERAL Home owners Roger and Bev Little are retiring after serving the Cass City area for many years. Taking over the business is Debra Kranz, owner and operator of the Kranz Funeral Home in Kingston.

## Cass City Area Social and Personal Items

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



Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Bulgrien  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bulgrien

### Bulgriens celebrate golden anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bulgrien, 470 Bulgrien Rd., Snover, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Aug. 13 with their family. Roy and his wife, formerly Inis Heronemus, were married Sept. 23, 1944 in Snover in a double wedding with Raymond Bulgrien and Iris Heronemus. Inis and Iris are twins, and Roy and Raymond are first cousins. Roy continues to farm the family farm, living in the same house where he lived growing up. Inis is retired from McKenzie Memorial Hospital in Sandusky and enjoys quilting, gardening and playing the organ and piano.

They are the parents of Janet Smith and husband Russell of Decker, Gary and wife Kayleen of Snover, and

Garth and wife Kathy of Ephrata, Penn. They have 9 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Raymond retired from Snover Stamping after working there for 26 years. He also cared for the Moore Township Cemetery lawn for several years. Iris retired from the Sanilac County Medical Care Facility. They reside at 716 Bulgrien Rd., Snover.

They have 4 sons and daughters-in-law, Glenn and Sharon of Deckerville; Ralph and Linda of Snover; Rick and Debbie of Snover, and Rex and Beth of Sandusky. They also have 14 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Both couples are members of the Heritage United Methodist Church in Snover.

Roger and Janet Leach and Ken and Marsha Grady, all of Cass City, attended the baptism of their grandson, Brenden Thomas Leach, in Kalamazoo, Aug. 14. Brenden was baptized at St. Monica Catholic Church by Fr. Green. Parents are Tom and Melissa Leach. Godparents are Tim and Cathy Gardner, all of Kalamazoo. Guests attending were Paul and Emily Gardner, Dan and Kaitlyn Harrison and Tracy Somers, all of Kalamazoo.

Craig and Deb (McIntosh) Abell announce the birth of a daughter, Shelby Nicole, Sept. 2. She weighed 9 pounds, 11 ounces and measured 21 1/4 inches long. Shelby was welcomed home by brother Zachary. Grandparents are Buck and Sue Abell of Lowell, Ind., and Bob and Shirley McIntosh of Cass City. Great-grandparents are Jerry and Normaleen Root of Cass City.

John Zawilinski Jr. and friend, Angie Switzer, and her sons, Lyle and Lance, Joann Smithson and John and Marge Zawilinski were guests of Linda, Justin and Brent Salas at their new home Sunday afternoon. The Salases were hosts for a cookout.

Attending a birthday party for Ethan and Randy Damm at the Damm home Sunday evening were Dale and Mary Damm, Marion McCloy, Evelyn Warmbier, Bill Warmbier and son CJ, Laurie Warmbier and Bill Wright.

The Monday Night Euchre Club will meet Sept. 19 at 7 p.m. at St. Pancratius Parish Center.

### Hills and Dales General Hospital

Patients listed Monday, Sept. 12 were:

Sasha Soldan, James Smithson, Helen Murry, Cass City;  
Lee Grifka, Irene Bader, Snover;  
Nicholas Anthony, Ubyly.

### Dagmar Brown makes annual bridge walk

Dagmar Brown of Cass City completed her annual trek across the Mackinac Bridge Labor Day in 61 minutes. The crowd was estimated at 90,000 people. This being election year, there were many politicians present including Governor Engler and Spencer Abraham. Brown shook hands with Gov. Engler and walked a short distance with him and his entourage. Brown is a retired Licensed Practical Nurse, also a retired Chief Dental Technician from the U.S. Naval Reserve. She is now employed at the Hardees Restaurant in Cass City.

### Marriage licenses

Scott Lavern Fader and Michelle Lee Vernier, both of Caro.

Theodore William Thayer II, Cass City, and Jill Susanne Bartley, Deckerville.

Danion Gary-Lawrence Brow and Laura Lee Oliver, both of Vassar.

Dominick Salvatore Licavoli and Diana Lee Kukulski, both of Vassar.

Eugene Brendan MacGuire, Fairgrove, and Pamela Sue Gerhardt, Oxford.

John Allen Popour and Janie Marie Syms, both of Caro.

Dennis Gerald Ziemba, Decker, and Kathryn Ann Marshall, Cass City.

Rolland Lynn Fall Jr. and Sherrie Lynne Henry, both of Millington.

David Alan Duke and Tamera Rae Trimble, both of Unionville.

Brent William DeFrain and Amy Jo Houghtaling, both of Reese.

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by Melva E. Guinther

Did you see the article in one of the dailies about the brothers, age 80 and 73, who used lawn mowers for transportation?

Neither man can see well enough to get a driver's license for a car, according to the article, but they don't want to have to depend on someone else to drive.

The 73-year-old, who lives in Iowa, had driven his 1966 John Deere mower 240 miles over a 6-week period to visit his brother in Wisconsin, who had suffered a stroke.

It's an amazing, amusing story at first glance. But when you stop to think about it, it's really sad.

It signifies the very real and poignant problem of older people forced to give up their independence and rely upon others.

For people who have prided themselves on being independent, it can seem a fate worse than death.

Hopefully some of the new efforts aimed at caring for senior citizens will come up with answers to the dilemmas created by longer lifespans.

It's bad now and it's only going to get worse between now and Christmas.

Our mailbox was crammed with 7 catalogs one day last week.

The items offered ranged from an enamel chili pepper pin to Armapalins (They support your arms while reading.), to a "toadally charming razor" in the shape of a leopard frog. Seems to me you'd want to be fully awake before grabbing a frog to shave with in the morning.

There was even a catalog of catalogs, just in case one had somehow missed us.

I know we should probably sign a form at the post office to stop delivery of junk mail, and perhaps prevent a hernia for the mail carrier, but I enjoy some of the catalogs, if only for browsing for ideas.

There must be dozens of new catalog companies starting up every day, because every week we get some we've never heard of. Sometimes the prices look attractive, but the shipping charges generally offset any bargains.

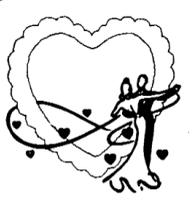
Positive news, indicating that people aren't all bad, is often relegated to an inside page while man's inhumanity and greed and the tragic consequences get front page coverage in most publications.

One "good news" report date-lined Rockingham, Vermont, told of a gas station attendant who quit his job mid-shift and left a self-serve pump turned on.

Motorists continued to drive up and fill their tanks, and when they found the station deserted and locked, they shoved their money under the door.

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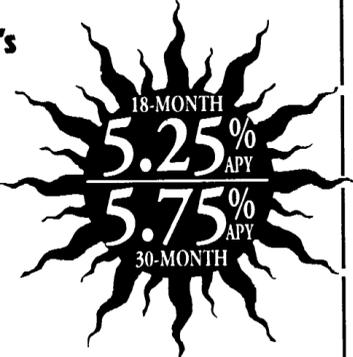
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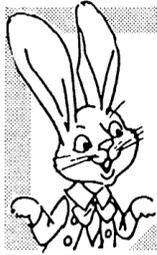
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### Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

How things change. In pre-historic times I attended Pinconning High School. Attending the Cass City football game at Pinconning brought back memories. It was my first look at the facilities. The building that I attended has been long gone to make way for a motel.

The school fight song must have joined the building in the discard. Part of the lyrics read: We are from Pinney High and have the rep, of being jolly, GAY and full of pep.

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Roger Little said this week while discussing the sale of his business that it was the third oldest in town run by the same family. He listed which families were running businesses when his dad became owner of Little's Funeral Home. He trails Fort's Store and Sommers' Bakery. The Prieskorn family has been in business in Cass City longer, but not as a Ben Franklin Store.

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Dick Hendrick isn't old enough to compete for the longest time in business, but he is a veteran and one of the few owners of small town theaters to continually upgrade facilities. He's doing it again at the Cass, which will soon be the only theater in the Thumb to offer "surround stereo."

At a cost of \$6,000, speakers will be installed on each side as well as behind the screen.

The new equipment is due to be installed early next month.

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Business is good at the upscale restaurants in Port Austin. Last Saturday afternoon reservations at "The Farm" and "Garfield Inn" for 10 between 6 and 8 p.m. were refused because of space availability.

We were successful at "The Bank" and when we arrived the place was jammed and we waited about a half hour before they could squeeze us in.

The occasion? Clarke Haire's 35th birthday.



**CASS CITY POSTAL Employee Allen Witherspoon is congratulated by district committee co-chairmen Wesley Williams and Karl Spreitzer (holding award). Witherspoon was recognized for his years of service while serving on the steering committee for the quality of work life/employee involvement process in the district. Also pictured is Cass City Postmaster Gary Drabek (far right).**

## Honor Al Witherspoon

Allen A. Witherspoon, a rural mail carrier for the United States Postal Service in Cass City, was awarded a Certificate of Appreciation at a ceremony held at the Cass City Post Office Sept. 9.

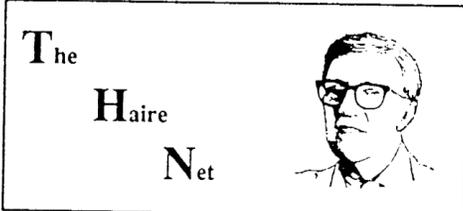
The award was signed by Paul Vogel, district manager/customer service for the Greater Michigan District. The award was presented to Witherspoon for his years of dedicated service to the people and employees of the district while he served on

the District Joint Steering Committee for the quality of work life/employee involvement process.

Witherspoon has been a champion for the QWL/EI process since its inception in the postal service in the early

1980s. He has also served several terms as president of the Michigan Rural Letter Carriers Association.

Presenting the award were district joint steering committee co-chairs, Wesley Williams and Karl J. Spreitzer.



The Haire Net

## Village seeks gift information

Cass City officials are seeking the help of area residents in putting together a more complete record of donations made to improve the village's recreational facilities.

In 1976, the village council established a policy calling for the names of individuals who make donations up to \$1,000 to be recorded in a book at the village offices. For donations of more than \$1,000, the donor's name is recorded and a plaque is placed at the facility where the money is used.

The problem, village officials say, is there are no records of individual donations prior to 1977. Officials ask that anyone who contributed to the parks prior to 1977 contact the village and provide information regarding their gift. Likewise, anyone who has information regarding donations made by others is encouraged to stop by the municipal building or call 872-2911.

Individual donations made to the village's recreation facilities since 1977 total some \$180,000. Add to that the pool and track renovation, and the figure balloons into an estimated \$750,000.

We are all justifiably proud of the Cass City Recreational Park. Most of us feel it is second to none in the Thumb.

Nearly everyone who has been around for awhile feels that they have been a part of its growth, working on the various service club projects or helping with various fundraising events.

Now the Lions Club has proposed a project that dwarfs anything previously contemplated. A \$2 million, 30,080-square foot recreation building with an 85x200-square-foot ice rink.

It's too big a project for Cass City by itself. Here's why. To run the park today the village has budgeted \$137,650. The village sent tax notices to 1,256 residents this year. That's an average of \$109.59 for each taxpayer to run the park today and it's almost certain that the costs will continue to edge up in the future.

Supporters feel that there can be rink charges and other fees to defray the cost of operating the facility. History doesn't make a good case for this type financing.

The baseball-softball diamonds, the pool and the park all run at a deficit. To be practical, a project of this size needs more base support than merely the village. The tax base should be expanded to include those that it serves, Elmwood, Elkland, Novesta, Greenleaf, Evergreen townships and perhaps part of others adjacent to them.

The stickler is how do you get these townships to tax themselves? They are used to paying very little now for use of the park facilities. If there is a wide area support that translates into dollars, great.

There's a need for the facility. Outdoor rinks have never been very successful in Cass City.

Various strategies have been tried over the years. One year fire personnel from the Elkland Township Fire Department tried to solve the problem using a great deal of volunteer effort and some cash. The plan was to cover the rink with plastic before flooding it.

In previous years the rink was flooded and with the first warming temperature the water just drained away.

The plastic helped a little, but the plastic soon cracked and much shell ice developed. If memory serves, the village became so discouraged with the ice rink problems that one year there was no rink at all.

It would be a feather in the cap of the Lions Club and other supporters if they could devise and sell a plan to underwrite the operating costs.

If by some miracle the facility became self sufficient, the organizers could take a much deserved bow as foresighted leaders adding to the enjoyment of living in the area, but I don't see it happening.

## "If It Fitz...."

### Testing Detroit bus driver's intelligence

By Jim Fitzgerald



According to my favorite newspaper, Mayor Dennis Archer "said he will don a white jumpsuit after Labor Day and start boarding buses unannounced to test for cleanliness, courteousness and timeliness."

Unannounced? I assume that means Archer wants to fool the driver into treating him like an ordinary passenger. So there will be no mayoral aide at the bus stop, with a megaphone, announcing that the mayor of Detroit is about to come aboard so everyone should stand at attention, even if they have a seat.

Apparently the only purpose of the white jumpsuit is to see if it gets dirty when Archer sits down. Unless Archer suspects drivers might treat a passenger discourteously simply because he is dressed like a garbage collector.

Certainly, from 18 years experience using Detroit public transportation, I can guarantee that the bus will be late no matter what the people waiting for it are wearing. Rather than for jumping, I recommend clothes for lying down and sleeping.

But the mayor apparently knows all that bad stuff, because he said, "My office is getting far too many calls to complain about poor bus service." So there should be no question that his white jumpsuit is aimed solely at detecting dusty buses and has nothing to do with testing a driver's courtesy or timeliness.

However, I wonder if the clever mayor isn't actually testing drivers' intelligence.

#### FARFETCHED SCENARIO?

The other day, on the front page, there was a huge picture of Archer playing golf with President Bill Clinton. Archer was wearing a purple, red and green jogging suit. I

guess he jogs after his ball, otherwise he'd wear the white jumpsuit and ride a garbage cart.

Archer gets that type of photo publicity almost every day, and there's no denying he's one of the city's most recognizable citizens. Also, there's no denying he told the world he'd board buses wearing a white jumpsuit.

So would anyone believe this? There's this bus driver, Al, approaching a stop where stands this black man with a stubble beard, wearing a white jumpsuit and carrying a briefcase. And Al says to himself, hey, I didn't hear any announcement over a loud speaker system, but I'd know that was the mayor even if he was wearing his jogging suit.

So naturally, Al doesn't stop, even though his bus is half empty. Or he stops, brags that he's only 2 hours late, refuses to give the mayor change for \$2, and jams on the brakes before Archer sits down, causing him to sprawl on the floor.

Archer thinks he's being treated like an average passenger, so he fires Al because any city employee who doesn't recognize the mayor when he collects the mayor's fare is too stupid to work for the city, at least in a nonelective position.

To prevent boredom while riding city buses, Archer might keep an eye out for interesting urban scenes such as the one that bemused me at 11:30 a.m. on Aug. 20 while breakfasting at the Big Boy on East Jefferson near Belle Isle.

In front of the restaurant, in the curb lane where parking is forbidden, there was parked a City of Detroit flatbed truck, number 919200. It blocked traffic for at least 15 minutes while the driver was inside waiting for a takeout order. A few steps away, there was a parking lot with enough empty space for five trucks that size.

Incidentally, the illegally parked truck made it difficult, maybe even dangerous, for a bus to pull over to the nearby bus shelter.

Although two squad cars cruised by, the city truck wasn't ticketed.

A few weeks earlier, just across the street during the Grand Prix, over 100 vehicles not driven by city employees were ticketed and towed for illegal parking, costing their owners \$100 each.

It's enough to make an ordinary, ticket-paying illegal parker reach for his throw-up pot, to avoid soiling his white hopskipsuit.

## The Weather

	High	Low	Precip.
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Wednesday	75	52	.03"
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Monday	84	64	0

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## Village of Gagetown

TOTAL COLIFORM BACTERIA DETECTED IN WATER SUPPLY

Recent analyses of water samples taken from the Village of Gagetown water system indicated possible bacteriological contamination.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) sets drinking water standards and has determined that the presence of total coliforms is a possible health concern. Total coliforms are common in the environment and are generally not harmful themselves. The presence of these bacteria in drinking water, however, generally is a result of a problem with water treatment or the pipes which distribute the water, and indicates that the water may be contaminated with organisms that can cause disease. Disease symptoms may include diarrhea, cramps, nausea, and possibly jaundice, and any associated headaches and fatigue. These symptoms, however, are not just associated with disease-causing organisms in drinking water, but also may be caused by a number of factors other than your drinking water. EPA has set an enforceable drinking water standard for total coliforms to reduce the risk of these adverse health effects. Under this standard, no more than 5.0 percent of the samples collected during a month can contain these bacteria, except that systems collecting fewer than 40 samples/month that have one total coliform-positive sample per month are not violating the standard. Drinking water which meets this standard is usually not associated with a health risk from disease-causing bacteria and should be considered safe.

Samples collected since precautionary measures were put into place, indicate the absence of coliform bacteria. No additional precautionary measures are advised at this time for consumption of water.

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## TUESDAY MORNING LADIES' LEAGUE

Sept. 6  
R.A.N.S. 7  
Charmont 6  
Pin Heads 2  
Alley Hoppers 1

High Series: D. Grifka 479.  
High Game: J. Jamison 180.  
High Team Series & Game: R.A.N.S. 1733 & 608.

## MERCHANTS LEAGUE

Sept. 7, 1994  
Milletics Surveying 4  
Warju Flooring 4  
Brentwood 3  
Pro Temp 3  
Summers 3  
Soundz by Greg 2  
Charmont 2  
Charmont Motel 1  
Kingston 1  
Cole Carbide 1  
New England Life 0  
Homesteaders 0

Men's High Series & Games: M. Lutz 766 (268-258-240), J. Milletics 756 (289-241-226), R. Mater 698 (262-233), C. Anthes 686 (249-236), W. Smith 669 (255-226), K. Beachy 667 (235-217-215), G. Robinson 665 (265-226), L. Tomaszewski 658 (247-221), T. Schnell 635 (278), S. Hammett 628 (224-212), T. Comment 617 (228), R. Lewis 614 (228-215), T. Yost 612 (217-212), K. Pobanz 600, R. Hull 592 (214), D. Orton 588, C. Comment 586 (224), E. Schulz 586, M. Zawilinski 581 (229), D. King 568 (218), J. Storm 566, D. Volz 564 (226), J. Langenburg 559 (226), J.

Howard 557 (214), P. Robinson 557, B. Anthes 556, M. Jackson 550 (216), G. Goodwine 224, G. Riccardi 219.

## MERCHANETTE LEAGUE

Sept. 8, 1994  
Rolling Hills 3  
Form You 3  
Caro Chiropractic 3  
Nel's Kitchen 3  
Clean Up Crew 2  
Cass City Sports 2  
Hills & Dales 1  
Crowley Chiropractic 1  
Allen Home Care 1  
Cass Tavern 1

High Team Actual Series: Caro Chiropractic 1896.  
High Team Actual Game: Clean Up Crew 676.  
500 Series: L. Erla 558, C. Davidson 521, J. Lapp 505.  
200 Games: L. Erla 245.

## THURSDAY NITE TRIO

Sept. 8  
General Cable 7  
Mycogen Plant Sciences 7  
Northon Construction 6  
Martin Electric 5  
IGA 4  
Pioneer Seeds 4  
Nelesco 4  
Hyatt Farms 1  
Marlette Oil & Gas 1  
Babich Beef 1

High Team Series & Game: General Cable 1686 & 636.  
575 Series: G. Smith 662, D. O'Dell 651, D. Beecher 617, D. Dickinson 576.  
210 Games: G. Smith 221-221-220, D. O'Dell 244-210, D. Beecher 211, R. Root 223, E. Champagne 227.

## THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE

Sept. 8  
E's & V's 7  
HI Roth 5  
Dee's MP Rockets 4  
Sal's Country Clipper 3  
Aides 3  
Dairy Barn 2

High Series: M. Gettel 545.  
High Game: T. Skripy 211, M. Gettel 202.  
High Team Series & Game: HI Roth 1785 & 631.

## FRIDAY NIGHT ECUMENICAL CHURCH LEAGUE

Sept. 10  
Neighborhood Gang 4  
Pintippers 3  
Woodsplitters 3  
Out of Control 3  
All in the Family 2 1/2  
The Antiques 2 1/2  
The Last Resorts 1 1/2  
Alley Cats 1 1/2  
The Stouts 1  
The Little Kids 1  
Team to be Named 1  
Ladies Four 0

200 Games: D. Dickinson 214-223-231, B. Inbody 204, R. Speirs 203.  
500 Series: D. Miller 564, B. Inbody 517, R. Speirs 506.  
600 Series: D. Dickinson 668.

## MIXED DOUBLES

Sept. 9  
Double Trouble 14  
Kingston Mini Mart 10  
Old Folks 7  
Town & Country 5  
Wilbee Folks 4  
The Family 2

Men's High Series: J. Navarro 583, M. London 563, L. Gyomory 547, J. Navarro 543.  
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## Open house slated at Salem Church

The Salem United Methodist Church in Cass City is having an open house Sunday, Sept. 18, for 4 featured special people of the church: Esther McCullough, Herbert Bartle, Luke Tuckey and Muriel Addison, who will all be celebrating their 90th birthday around this time. You are welcome to attend this celebration tea from 2-5 in the fellowship room at Salem U.M. Church. No gifts please.

## Students from Owen-Gage

Representatives from the Owen-Gage student body appeared on the Jerry Lewis MDA Labor Day Weekend Telethon Monday, Sept. 5, at the Fashion Square Mall location.

Students and their advisor, Joanne Hopper, traveled to Saginaw to present MDA representatives with a \$1,081 check representing monies raised in the Shamrocks for Muscular Dystrophy drive conducted by the Student Council in the spring.

"We are proud of our student body and the concern they have demonstrated for others," states Hopper. "One of our goals is to encourage students to become responsible citizens who are able to make valuable contributions to their community and to their world. Owen-Gage students are demonstrating that they are already involved with helping others."

# Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

### 5 YEARS AGO

It is illegal for a person to burn down old buildings and the DNR is ready to crack down on offenders.

Tuscola County Bean Queen Tricia Houthoofd of Unionville helped serve up free bean soup Friday during Cass City's annual Friendship Festival, and hand churned butter was again made possible thanks to the efforts of Lorn Hillaker and Duane Chippie.

The family of Mrs. Marion Guinther Whitefoot will honor her 90th birthday with an open house Sunday at Provincial House, where she is a resident.

Sanilac Steel Inc. workers last week constructed the frame that will support the new Jordan College building.

Champions of the season-ending Cass City Golf League tournament and regular season champions were crowned Sunday at Scenic Country Club, Pigeon. Winning the best ball, handicap tournament, was the team of Jason McCallum and Tom Wallace with a score of 83.5. Just .2 of a stroke back was the team of Paul Chappel and Kim Gaspie.

The Cass City Red Hawks won their first game of the season when they defeated the Marlette Red Raiders 33-13.

### 10 YEARS AGO

At a Novesta Township board meeting Monday night township residents went before the board to protest the

traffic and dust problems caused by the asphalt plants on Warner Road.

About 20 sign carrying teachers, parents and elementary students greeted the Owen-Gage School Board Monday night as they arrived for an 8:00 p.m. meeting. The teachers have been without a contract since July 1, 1983.

Cass City residents who have noticed area trees showing various degrees of stress can be assured that nothing drastic is going to happen to them, according to Dave Dunn of Cass City, who works for the agriculture department and has a degree in forestry.

Kar Mikels Dairy Cone in Cass City is under the new ownership of Dick and Jan Hunt.

The Elkland Township Fire Department was called to the A.J. McCarty farm on Ubyly Road, Ubyly, Saturday about 5 p.m. to assist the Ubyly Fire Department in putting out a barn fire. The loss is estimated at \$60,000.

### 25 YEARS AGO

The Rev. Peter Pijnappels has been transferred to St. Agnes Parish in Freeland after serving 2 years as pastor of St. Pancratius Church in Cass City.

Lightning struck the roof of the farm home of Clem Kappen on Little Rd., 7 miles southwest of Cass City Saturday. The Elkland Township Fire Department was able to save the remainder of the building. Members of the Cass City

Trinity United Methodist Church will celebrate the church's 100 years in Cass City Sunday.

L. James Bishop, director of the physical plant at Albion College, has been named college business manager. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bishop of Cass City.

The Lynn G. Albee family of Cass City traveled to Wapakoneta, Ohio, over the weekend to visit Mrs. Albee's parents and to join the many thousands of spectators at the parade for Neil Armstrong, the first man on the moon. Celebrities included Bob Hope, master of ceremonies, Ed McMahon of The Tonight Show, comedienne Phyllis Diller, and Dr. Sabin, inventor of the polio vaccine, all former Ohioans.

Mrs. Frank (Jennie) Hutchinson, 80, can be seen many times hitting a few golf balls about in the early morning at Rolling Hills Golf Course. Her interest in golf started when her only son, Grant, opened the golf course in Cass City.

### 35 YEARS AGO

The Rev. I.J. Mikulski has been transferred from St. Pancratius Church in Cass City, where he has been the pastor since June 12, 1956, the Diocese of Saginaw announced recently. He will be installed at the Sacred Heart Church in Caro Sept. 30. Taking his place will be the Rev. Guido Gori.

The Grand Champion Oxford ewe in 4-H was shown by Linda Severance at the State Fair last week.

Enrollment at Cass City Schools was slightly increased this year, Supt. Willis Campbell reported Tuesday. There were 1,204 pupils in school when the count was taken as compared to 1,141 at the time the census was taken last year.

Property on Seeger Street has been bought and the building fund for the new St. Pancratius Catholic Church started. Also, the former Krug residence has been purchased for a permanent rectory and 2 office additions added.

A memorial service for Mrs. John Bohnsack and Dougald A. Krug was held at the Sept. 9 meeting of Echo chapter OES by Mrs. Keith McConkey, chaplain, assisted by Mrs. Arlington Hoffman as soloist.

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# Snover area girl shows top steer at state fair

Stephanie Moore couldn't have come up with a better name for her steer, "Ee-Chee."

The name means "number one" in Japanese, and the steer recently proved to be as good as its name, winning grand champion honors at the Michigan State Fair, held Aug. 27-Sept. 4.

On sale day, Sept. 1, 9-year-old Stephanie sold her 1,185-pound steer to Meijer for \$5 a pound.

A fourth grade student at Maple Valley Elementary School, Sandusky, Stephanie

is the daughter of Bob and Colleen Moore, Snover, and the granddaughter of Dale and Audrey Leslie of Decker and Dale and Pat Moore of Snover.

The state fair honors were the highlight of a year that included the reserve grand champion award and a \$500 cash prize at the Jackpot Steer Show in Sandusky April 23. Stephanie's efforts continued to pay off throughout the summer as her steer received first-place honors in its class at steer shows held in Ionia, St. Johns and Mason.



STEPHANIE MOORE, 9, of Snover (far right) recently won grand champion steer honors at the Michigan State Fair. Pictured with her are judge Dr. David Nicols of Kansas State University, and Julie Stork of Clare, who assisted Stephanie.

## Your neighbor says

### No fall vacations, trips planned

For many, fall is one of the favorite times of the year for vacations, highlighted by color tours in beautiful Michigan.

Nancy Wright of Cass City says that is not the case with her and her family. We don't take trips in the fall or vacations away from home for any extended periods at any time, she explained.

One reason, for sure, is that with 5 children to raise, there wasn't time or money for vacations.

Most of our leisure time, she added, was involved with our children. Baseball was big for 2 of our sons and a daughter and we attended most of their games at Cass City High School.

Wright has lived most of her life in Cass City and, like her children, was a student at Cass City High School.

Now her children have left home and with more time on her hands, Nancy does housecleaning work on a part-time basis.

Husband, Dalbert Wright, is employed at Berne Enterprises in Pigeon.



### 40 years in landscaping Brooks eyes retirement

Continued from page one.

then landscaped 'till dark at night," he recalled. "I more or less learned as I went along."

What he's learned over the past 4 decades would probably fill a book.

He's quick to explain the importance of knowing what trees and shrubs are best suited to the Thumb climate, and how close to a home and how deep to plant each variety. Watering, soil types and drainage are also key, he points out.

As he walks in between rows of trees at this nursery, Brooks names each variety with ease just by glancing at the leaf design.

Despite the healthy appearance of his stock, he noted harsh cold last winter cost him 200 trees. And he annually sustains an average of \$200 to \$300 in damage by wildlife, including deer, rabbits and mice.

Still, the effort is worth it and losses typically aren't overwhelming.

The effort required to maintain healthy trees and shrubs, as well as to keep up with the various landscaping projects, on the other hand, can be taxing.

"I'm busy as soon as the frost comes out of the ground until it freezes," Brooks said. "As soon as the frost goes out, well, you can figure the telephone is going to start ringing."

#### FULL-TIME JOB

"It's a full-time job. If you're able to do it, there's work for you to do. I quite often put in 14 to 15 hours a day out here," he said. Brooks, who hires part-time

help in the summer, grinned and added, "Some days you can put in 2 days' work in one day."

Brooks estimated he's landscaped more than 500 homes over the years, with the jobs ranging from putting in a few trees to a complete job starting with fill and ending with decorative shrubs and cut stone. "I've probably done 200 houses in Cass City alone," he said, adding his work has also taken him to Bay City, Saginaw, Caro, Marlette, Bad Axe, Crosswell and Lexington.

And although the projects have varied, each one has come with the same promise: If a tree or shrub dies, Brooks promises to replace it without charge, provided the loss isn't due to neglect or vandalism.

"That's the way I've always done business," he said. "I think that's the way to go."

Brooks explained trees and shrubs are an investment, and young people especially need some assurance that a landscaper is going to stand behind his work.

"It's pretty easy to put \$2,000 or \$3,000 of landscaping into a home. I remember when you could get a good tree for \$25," he said, noting a tree with a 2- to 2 1/2-inch trunk costs \$80 today. Likewise, Brooks used to pay \$2 to \$3 each for shrubs. "Anymore, that same plant will cost you \$25 to \$30."

After retiring, Brooks indicated he'll keep busy with various projects. A Korean War veteran, he's also an active member and past post commander of the VFW Post 3644, Cass City, and his wife, Patricia, is secretary-treasurer of the post's ladies

auxiliary.

Looking back, Brooks said landscaping has been a great career. "I've always enjoyed working on my own. If I wanted to take a day off, I could, but it's a real demanding job so you can't take many days off," he added, chuckling. "I'll miss it because that's my life's business. But there's a time when you have to call it quits."

"I'll still monkey around with it (in retirement), but I am definitely going to slow down."

#### Cub Scout sign-up scheduled

The annual Cub Scout sign-up night will be held Thursday starting at 7 p.m. in the Cass City Middle School cafeteria.

Boys in grades one through 5 will be signed up for Cub Scouts and Webelos Scouts.

Additional information is available by contacting Ken Spencer at 872-4290 or Deb Ross at 872-2318.

#### Sr. Citizens' Menu

Senior citizens are asked to make reservations on the day of the meal between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. by calling Berenice Sowden, 872-2397.

**Monday** - Veal Parmesan, Italian Blend, Glazed Carrots, Italian Bread, Custard.

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**Friday** - Beef Tips/Noodles, Lima Beans, Tossed Salad, Rolls, Cantaloupe.

# Millage

## 2nd road request set in Novesta Twp.

Novesta Township officials will present a reduced special road millage request to residents in the Nov. 8 general election.

The township board last week approved a motion to ask voters to approve 2 mills for 4 years.

The millage would generate an estimated \$32,000 a year and would be earmarked for

new road construction only. For the owner of a \$50,000 home, approval of the measure would mean an additional \$50 in taxes a year.

Township voters rejected a request of 2.5 mills for 5 years for road improvements in the Aug. 2 primary election. The measure was defeated 124-63.

The motion to go back to voters was passed on a vote of 3-1, with Clerk Kathy Newell casting the lone "no" vote. Newell said she felt it would be best not to spend another \$418 for ballots in a second election when voters have already rejected a similar request for road funding by a 2-to-1 margin.

In other business during the Sept. 6 rescheduled meeting, the board learned the township could be eligible for \$3,647 in disaster aid stemming from summer flooding.

Roads affected included McArthur, north of Severance; Lamton, north of Crawford; Shabbona, west of McArthur and west of Phillips; Phillips, north of Shabbona, and Kelly, at the corner of Crawford Road.

Township Supervisor Maynard Stine was authorized to handle paperwork related to applying for the aid, which would reimburse the township for repairs already completed by the county road commission.

Also last week, the board voted to send the supervisor and clerk to a Michigan Township Association district meeting scheduled for Sept. 28 at the Colony House near Cass City. Cost of attendance is \$45 per person.

## Plea no contest to videotaping charges

A Port Austin man charged with video taping individuals using the bathroom in his home entered pleas of no contest last week in Huron County Circuit Court.

Gary G. Newman, 47, pleaded no contest to 5 counts of eavesdropping by installing a video recording device.

A sixth count will be dismissed at Newman's Oct. 11 sentencing, according to Huron County Prosecutor Leslie Hagen, who said each count is a felony with a maximum penalty of 2 years and/or a \$2,000 fine.

The charges originated from events that occurred in 1989.

Hagen said the investigation started last March after the Huron County Sheriff's Department received a complaint regarding weapons, and that Newman was video taping individuals using his bathroom without their knowledge or permission.

The video taping, of friends of the suspect as well as customers of his antique shop, is believed to have occurred for at least the past 10 years. Newman was arrested May

3 following execution of state and federal search warrants at his Port Austin residence and business. At that time, officers seized about 30 video tapes, video taping equipment and players, child pornography magazines, 8 hand guns and numerous shotguns.

In addition, 2 fully automatic weapons — an M-16 and an AK-47 — were seized as a result of the federal search warrant. Possession of these weapons is a federal crime punishable by up to 10 years in prison.

Prosecution of these offenses will be handled through the federal court system, Hagen said. After speaking with a representative of the U.S. Attorney's office, she announced Newman will be indicted on the charges.

Newman remains free after posting 10 percent of a \$2,000 bond. Conditions of the bond include that he have no direct or indirect contact with the victims, and that he not possess any weapons, cameras or recording devices.

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**Cros.-Lex. wins**

# Cass City 4th in league

Although Chad Tate shared medalist honors with Joe Clarkson and Matt Partaka of Cros-Lex, each with 39, Cass City finished fourth in the Thumb C National Division first league meet held Friday.

The meet was won by Cros-Lex with 171 and 6 points. Cass City's score was 181 and 3 points. Other schools' totals were: Bad Axe, second, 177 and 5 points; Lakers, third, 179 and 4 points;

Bay City All Saints, fifth, 183 and 2 points, and Marlette, sixth, 200 and one point. Besides Tate, other Cass City scores were: Sam Hobbs, 44; Chad Zawilinski, 46; Shawn Henn, 52; Shawn Zawilinski, 55, and Ryan Bennett, 53.

**DUAL MEET**

Cros-Lex also won a dual meet with Cass City last Wednesday 186 to 194, earn-

ing the Pioneers 4 points, Cass City no points.

Joe Clarkson of Cros-Lex edged Tate, 41 to 42, for medalist honors. Other scores were: Sam Hobbs, CC, 49; Matt Partaka, CL, 47; Andy Green, CC, 53; Jeff McCulley, CL, 52; Ben Hobbs, CC, 55; Chris Young, CL, 54; Chad Zawilinski, CC and Mark Smith, CL, both 50; Jeremy Russell, CC, 54, and Scott Young, CL, 48.

# Tate shoots 33

A regal showing from Cass City freshman Chad Tate wasn't enough to carry the Red Hawk golf team past visiting Bad Axe Monday at Rolling Hills Golf Course.

Coach Jeff Hartel's linksters were bested by the Hatchets 167-177 in stroke play and downed 25-14 in medal play.

Tate's 9 hole score of 33 is only 2 strokes shy of the course record posted in 1976 by Jeff Priesskorn and matched in 1987 by Dave Lovejoy.

Tate opened his round with 5 pars. Then birdied 2 of the next 3 holes before lipping his birdie putt of the final hole, the course's #1 rated

handicapped hole. "We have 2 or 3 players scoring all the time," lamented Hartel after the match. "We need to have our 4th and 5th players step up a little."

Following Tate for Cass City in the Thumb C National League contest were Ryan Bennett (47), Chad



**Shawn Zawilinski**

Zawilinski (48), Sam Hobbs (49), Shawn Henn (52) and Shawn Zawilinski (54).

The Hatchets were led by James McQueen's round of 40. Next for the winners were Brian Natzel (43), Nathan Bailey (44), Scott MacGregor (46), Todd Walker (47).

**O-G - KINGSTON**

**OWEN-GAGE** - Tonya Smith 5-1 (0-2) 13; Jennifer Niester 0-0 (1-2) 1; Melody Abfalter 6-0 (1-2) 13; Susie Roemer 2-0 (3-6) 7; Angie Wildman 3-0 (4-7) 10; Kate Powers 4-0 (1-7) 9. **TOTALS** - 20-1 (10-26) 63.

**KINGSTON** - Danille Gorlis 4-0 (1-2) 9; Devin Kelley 1-0 (0-0) 2; Rebecca Kostanko 5-0 (2-2) 12; Megan Roland 3-0 (0-0) 6; Karri Stark 0-0 (1-2) 1; Stacey Jones 2-1 (0-0) 7; Meredith Roland 3-0 (2-5) 8. **TOTALS** - 18-1 (6-11) 45.



**FLIGHT CHAMPIONS** of the Rolling Hills Golf Course Monday night league for 1994 are: (from left) Gene Kloc, Doug O'Dell, Jerry Toner, Mike Becking and Bert Althaver.



**WINNERS OF THE Cass City Golf League's annual open** are Doug O'Dell and Ken Zdrojewski.

# O-G tops Kingston

The Owen-Gage Bulldogs opened their North Central Thumb League schedule Thursday with a convincing road win at Kingston, 53-45.

The win was gratifying for Coach Dean Roller as his young Bulldogs (3-1) proved that they could triumph on the road in their first opportunity of the season. Owen-Gage has now won 3 straight.

Coach Roller's cagers will return home this week to entertain North Huron (Tuesday) and North Branch Wesleyan (Thursday).

Against the Cardinals, a solid performance by freshman Tonya Smith kept the visitors close throughout the initial half.

"We had too many turnovers in the first half," stated Roller, adding, "We missed several easy shots."

Smith helped spot the 'Dogs to a quick 11-8 edge with 3 hoops from the field in the early going.

Kingston's Rebecca Kostanko and Smith traded baskets in the 2nd stanza where the hosts regained the lead just before the half at 22-19.

Owen-Gage took the final shot of the half as Smith nailed a shot from behind the 3-point arc to give the Bulldogs a 23-22 lead at the buzzer that they would never relinquish.

The 'Dogs put the game away in the 3rd period when they went on a 16-7 run to start the half.

Melody Abfalter scored 8 of her game high 13 tallies during the spurt.

If the Bulldogs hope to make a legitimate run at the NCTL title they will have to improve from the charity stripe. Owen-Gage shot just 38% from the line (10-26) on the night.

Besides Abfalter, Owen-Gage got 13 markers from Smith and 10 from senior team leader Angie Wildman.

Kingston's Kostanko finished with a dozen and was the only other player in double digits. Danille Corlis added 9 for the losers.

**AU GRES**

Earlier in the week on Tuesday, Owen-Gage whipped visiting AuGres in a non-league tilt, 56-40.

"We played with a lot more intensity. We took the ball to the hoop real well," said Roller after the win.

Angie Wildman led all scorers with 23 points that included 17 after the intermission.

The Bulldogs built on a 11-9 first quarter margin behind the outside shooting of Tonya Smith, who led the hosts to a 27-15 lead at the break with 10 first half points. Smith finished with a career high 19 tallies.

Wildman shouldered most of the Bulldogs' offense in the final half, pouring in 7 third quarter points and add-

**Tough Kingston next**

# Bulldogs bow to North Huron

It's out of the frying pan and into the fire for Coach Arnie Besonen's Owen-Gage grid team.

After suffering a 36-0 defeat Friday in their home debut against North Huron, the Bulldogs (1-1) will travel to face Kingston, the North Central Thumb League favorite, in this Friday's tilt.

Mark Bambach scored on a 45-yard pass interception, a 28-yard punt return and a 3-yard dive through the middle to lead North Huron to its first win of the season.

"Interceptions kill us. All 3 led to scores," said Besonen Monday morning.

Steve Souva was the benefactor of the 2nd Bulldog

miscue. Souva broke loose around the left end and scampered 8 yards to cap a 4-play drive that covered just 28 yards. Souva's run for points after, his 2nd of the evening, spotted the visitors to a 16-0 margin.

Bambach, who led all rushers with 86 yards, extended the Warriors' lead to 22-0 by

the intermission when he closed out the initial half's scoring with a 3 yard plunge.

North Huron quickly removed all doubt from the game's outcome shortly after the break.

The Warriors took the opening kickoff and swiftly marched down inside the Bulldog 10 yard line, where they enjoyed a first and goal.

The Bulldog defense, however, led by Wade Tetil, who was credited with 21 tackles, snuffed the visitors' potent offense on 3 straight running plays. North Huron went to the air on 4th and 2, but failed and gave up the ball or downs.

Four plays later, Bambach hauled in a Bulldog punt and sprinted 28 yards untouched for his 3rd touchdown of the night.

Randy Souva accounted for the visitors' final score on a 15 yard run with just over one minute remaining on the scoreboard.

What little offense the Bulldogs displayed was provided by Tetil, who gained 83 yards on 14 carries.

Defensively, Junior Austin Brinkman turned in a fine outing, recording a dozen tackles to go along with one interception. Classmate Mark Damm had 10 stops while Phil Fahrner collected 8 tackles, including one sack.

O-G NH	
First downs	8 10
Rushing attempts	24 40
Rushing yards	118 215
Passes complete	5 2
Passes attempted	12 9
Passing yards	37 16
Total yards	155 231
Passes inter. by	0 3
Fumbles lost	0 0
Penalties/yds.	8/105 4/30



**CLOSING IN ON** Warrior running back Reid Richardson is Bulldog senior Bryan Baker. North Huron spoiled Owen-Gage's home opener with a 36-0 win. Richardson rushed for 64 yards in 10 attempts.

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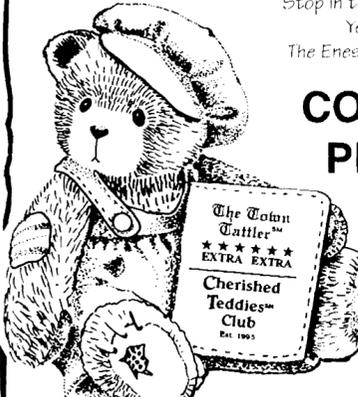
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**Bad Axe is next**

# Hawks roll by Pinconning

Fresh from a non-league win over Pinconning in which the team exhibited its best ground attack in recent years to rack up a 28-8 decision on the road, the Cass City Red Hawks appear ready for the arrival of the Bad Axe Hatchets in the first game in the new National Division of the Thumb C Conference.

Cass City scored the first 3 touchdowns of the game and held the Spartans to one touchdown, thanks to a fortunate fumble when Pinconning had the ball inside the one yard line.

There was nothing fluky about the first Cass City score. The Hawks took the opening kickoff and marched all the way on the ground with help from a 15-yard penalty. Jason Morgan slammed over from inside the one-yard line. Chad Diegel passed to Kevin Storm for the extra points.

The second Hawk touchdown was set up by the defense when Tim Warneck intercepted a Pinney pass and returned it 42 yards to the Spartan 23. From there Cass City, aided by an 11-yard jaunt by Jason Morgan, moved to a first on the four. On the third play, Quarterback Chad Diegel took the ball over with 2:26 left in the quarter.

	CC	P
First downs	13	10
Rushing attempts	48	33
Rushing yards	223	176
Passes complete	5	1
Passing yards	35	3
Fumbles lost	0	1
Penalties	5	8
Penalties, yds.	40	80

Pinconning showed some offensive power in the next series starting after taking the kickoff to the 48. With Brad Webster picking up most of the yardage running around Cass City's ends, Pinney moved to the Cass City one-yard line and then fumbled

into the end zone and Cass City recovered to take the ball on the 20.

From there Cass City staged a sustained drive to score. In the drive Warneck dashed for 18 yards, a pass, Diegel to Kevin Storm, picked up 15 with the help of a face mask penalty. With a first on the 5 Warneck gained 4 yards and Morgan bulled over for the marker.

The Spartans got on the scoreboard in the closing minutes of the second quarter, moving steadily down the field to score. Webster

picked up the touchdown from 2 yards out. A pass was good for the extra points.

What could have been the longest run of the night was nullified by a penalty. Morgan took the ball 80 yards only to have the play called back by a holding penalty.

Cass City ended the scoring for the day with a touchdown at the 8:17 mark in the fourth quarter. Key to the successful drive was a 10-yard run by Morgan on third and 10 to keep the drive alive.

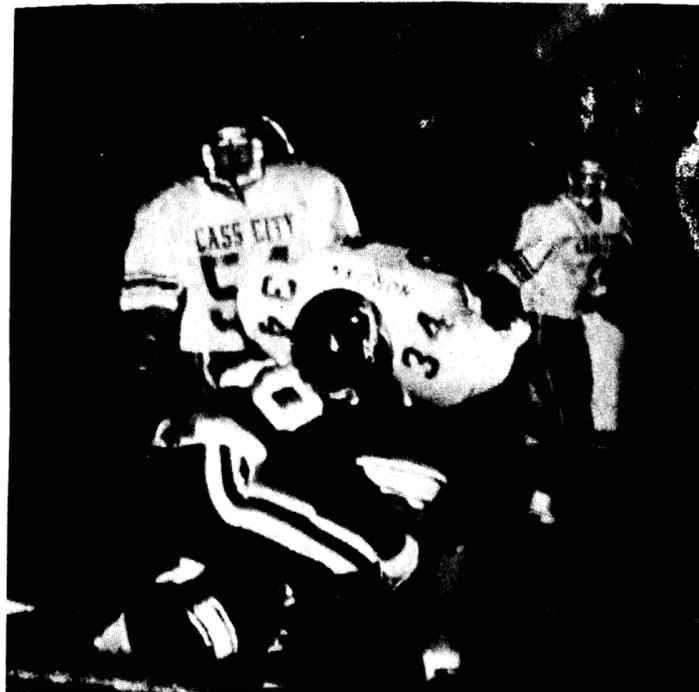
After moving to the 4, a holding penalty moved the ball back to the 17. Cass City

took the ball to the 9-yard line from where Diegel found Cory Ulfig for the touchdown. Warneck went through the center of the line for the extra points.

Morgan led all Hawk backs with 107 yards in 21 attempts for a 5.1 average. Warneck averaged 6.7 yards while gaining 67 yards. Webster gained 138 yards for Pinney.

On defense, Morgan and Romstad led the way with 8 tackles each, 3 unassisted.

Coach Don Markel credited the offensive line's excellent blocking for the success of the team's running game.



**JASON MORGAN** scores one of his 2 touchdowns on this play. For the night the senior team captain had 107 yards and shared top honors for tackles made as the Hawks rolled past Pinconning.

## 3 games this week

# Hawks chalk up 2 wins

The Cass City Red Hawks, fresh from a pair of wins last week, will be wading through the busiest week of the year with 3 games, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Two of the games are non-conference tilts. The Hawks were to meet Deckerville Tuesday and Brown City Thursday before returning home for a Saturday battle with Lakers in the team's

second National Division Thumb C game.

The Hawks won their first league game Saturday, topping the Bad Axe Hatchets in a close game, 35-29.

In a nip and tuck first half featuring balanced scoring by both teams, the score was close at the intermission, 17-15.

It looked for awhile as if the Hawks were in command of the game when a combination of tight Hawk defense and cold Hatchet shooting enabled Cass City to jump to a 25-17 lead going into the final period.

With 6 minutes left in the game, Cass City was in front by 10 points when Bad Axe found the range. With 2:23 left on the clock, the Hatchets had wiped out the lead and went in front by a basket.

Cass City answered the challenge as Jill Wright hit a charity toss and Peyton Daniel followed with a baseline jumper and a free throw.

With 1:10 left, Cass City was in front by a basket and when Lisa Burns and Amy Schelke followed with baskets, the Hawks were home free.

Coach Marty Daniel said that the defense is improving weekly, but the offense is inconsistent.

We need to move the ball more effectively to create

better shot opportunities, Daniel feels.

Peyten Daniel played strong at both ends of the court, the coach said, and the win was a good team effort.

**CASS CITY** - Kelli VanVliet 2-0 (0-3) 4; Jamie Caister 1-0 (0-0) 2; Lisa Burns 6-0 (0-0) 12; Jill Wright 4-0 (1-2) 9; Amy Schelke 1-0 (1-2) 3; Peyton Daniel 2-0 (1-1) 5. **TOTALS** - 16-0 (3-8) 35.

**BAD AXE** - Davis 2-0 (2-3) 6; Kalis 0-0 (1-2) 1; H. Walsh 4-0 (0-0) 8; F. Walsh 5-0 (4-4) 14. **TOTALS** - 11-0 (7-9) 29.

### USA GAME

The Hawks bounced back from the only loss of the season last Tuesday with a 42-39 decision over USA on the Patriots' home floor.

The Hawks were led by the team's 2 guards, hold-over starters from last year, Daniel and Kelli VanVliet, and Burns, who received valuable playing time with last year's championship squad.

For the first time this year, the Hawks connected from the perimeter as the guards each connected from 3-point range.

Cass City led all the way and used a big first half cushion to hold off a USA rally in the last period.

Burns carried the team in the first period with 3 baskets for 6 of her 12 points as the

team led 13-5 at the end of the first 8 minutes. VanVliet, who led Hawk scorers with 13 points, collected 8 of them in the second quarter and Cass City was in front 27-18 at the intermission.

The Patriots narrowed the gap to 6 points in the third period and chopped a little off the lead in the last period, but Cass City held on for the win helped by excellent free throw shooting as Schelke and VanVliet combined to convert 4 of 5 from the line.

The Patriots were led by Leah Collon with 15 points.

**CASS CITY** - VanVliet 2-1 (6-8) 13; Caister 1-0 (0-0) 2; Wright 1-0 (0-0) 2; Burns 6-0 (0-1) 12; Schelke 1-0 (2-2) 4; Chappel 1-0 (0-0) 2; Daniel 1-1 (0-0) 5; Britt 1-0 (0-0) 2. **TOTALS** - 14-2 (8-12) 42.

**USA** - L. Collon 4-2 (1) 15; J. Collon 2-1 (0) 7; Gremel 3-0 (0) 6; Keyser 1-0 (0) 2; Spannagel 0-0 (1) 1; Mitchell 2-0 (0) 4; Davila 2-0 (0) 4. **TOTALS** - 14-3 (2) 39.

## STANDINGS

### BASKETBALL

**THUMB C NATIONAL**

School	W	L	W	L
Cass City	1	0	3	1
EPBP	1	0	2	2
Marlette	1	0	1	2
Bad Axe	0	1	1	2
BCAS	0	1	1	3
Cros-Lex	0	1	0	3

**THUMB C AMERICAN**

School	W	L	W	L
Sandusky	1	0	4	0
Ubyly	1	0	2	1
Reese	1	0	2	1
H. Beach	0	0	3	0
D'ville	0	1	2	1
Mayville	0	1	2	2
USA	0	1	0	3

**NORTH CENTRAL 'D'**

School	W	L	W	L
Port Hope	1	0	3	0
O-Gage	1	0	3	1
Peck	1	0	2	1
CPS	1	0	2	2
N. Huron	0	1	3	2
Kingston	0	1	1	2
A-F	0	1	1	3
Caseville	0	1	0	3

### FOOTBALL

**THUMB C NATIONAL**

School	W	L	W	L
BCAS	1	0	2	0
Cros-Lex	1	0	2	0
Cass City	0	0	1	1
Bad Axe	0	0	0	2
EPBP	0	1	1	1
Marlette	0	1	0	2

**THUMB C AMERICAN**

School	W	L	W	L
D'ville	1	0	2	0
H. Beach	1	0	2	0
Reese	1	0	2	0
USA	0	0	1	1
Ubyly	0	1	1	1
Mayville	0	1	0	2
Sandusky	0	1	0	2

**NORTH CENTRAL 'D'**

School	W	L	W	L
N. Huron	1	0	1	1
Kingston	0	0	2	0
CPS	0	0	1	1
Peck	0	0	0	2
O-Gage	0	1	1	1

**FRIDAY**  
 USA 26, Bad Axe 7  
 Cros-Lex 13, EPBP 6  
 CC 28, Pinconning 8  
 BCAS 30, Marlette 20  
 D'ville 57, Mayville 12  
 H. Beach 16, Sandusky 14  
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 CPS 18, H. Redeemer 12  
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## Letters to the editor

### Judge: public the loser in county board's 'no-win' game of chicken

Dear Editor:

Enclosed I am sending you copies of letters that I have just sent to the Tuscola County Probate and Juvenile Court employees, to local agencies, and to the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners. I believe that the letters are self-explanatory. I have not, however, made a decision whether or not to sue the Board to insure court financing.

If I were to file suit, it would be at great expense to the county taxpayer, and it seems ridiculous for the Board to create a situation which would be so costly. Since

similar suits are already pending in Ingham and in Saginaw counties, it seems like the responsible thing for the Board to do would be to await the outcome of those lawsuits instead of running up unnecessary legal expenses. I cannot imagine how the Commissioners in this fall's election campaigns could justify such expensive stubbornness to the voters.

I am also troubled by the terrible effect the action of the Board of Commissioners is having on employee morale. All of the staff are understandably worried about whether they will still have a job or a paycheck and they

are distracted from their jobs. We have a fine group of employees, and it is unforgivable for the Board of Commissioners to use them in a "no-win" game of chicken with the State Legislature. The ultimate act of foolishness on the part of the Board is that, of necessity, the only solution to the dispute is legislative action, and the legislature will not even reconvene for regular business until after the November elections.

I hope that the voters and the taxpayers of Tuscola County will all call their Commissioners promptly and persuade them to take a

"wait and see" attitude, instead of creating an expensive crisis in which they, the public, will be the big losers.

Sincerely,

W. Wallace Kent Jr.  
Judge of Probate

Kent's letter to Commissioners:

I appreciate the way you have kept me advised of your actions in advance so that I am not surprised by any news accounts. I am extending you the same courtesy by sending you copies of letters which I am mailing forthwith.

In the event that you deem it necessary to cease court funding, I will have no choice but to lay off the employees and close the Court until you can settle your differences with the Legislature. In the meanwhile, since Bob Popielarz and I are state-funded by pass-through monies, I assume you will acknowledge your responsibility to keep paying us so that we can answer the phones and suggest alternatives available to citizens who look to us for Court services. Since Linda Strasz is funded by a grant program, it is also appropriate that she be continued since to cease paying her might jeopardize the grant not only for the time contemplated by you for cessation of funding but also for future uses.

Very truly,

W. Wallace Kent Jr.  
Judge of Probate

### School proposal

## Kids, your vote, count

Dear Editor,

This letter is in response to the new School Bond Proposal defeat. I must confess I'm one of the guilty ones who didn't vote. I was too busy, whatever the excuse, I assumed it would pass with or without my vote. I now know what a mistake that was. The defeat was a wake-

up call, each vote counts.

Since the defeat of the millage election, I've become actively involved with the "Cass City Citizens for Education" committee. Once I learned of the potential fire hazards, the lack of space, the inaccessibility for handicapped, and outdated facilities and equipment in the

middle school, I was compelled to act.

Fortunately, we will be given the opportunity to vote once again on the bond proposal on Feb. 18, 1995. I'm sure I'm not the only one who neglected to exercise my right to vote.

For the record, if you registered to vote with your driver's license, you are eligible to vote for all federal, state and local elections. If you have moved into a different township since registering you need to re-register with your township clerk. If you are not registered at all, you can register with the township clerk to vote on all 3 levels. If you have not voted in the last 5 years on any local, state or federal election, you may need to check with the township clerk 45 days prior to the vote to make sure you are still registered.

Considering the poor voter turn out in the last millage election, it is important for us all to realize how crucial each individual vote is. For those of us who failed to vote this last time... Don't make the same mistake twice. Vote Feb. 18, 1995 and do what's right for Cass City and its children.

Cass City's kids count and so does your vote.

Denise Hallwood,  
Cass City Citizens  
for Education

### "Blowtorch" story in need of corrections

Dear Editor,

Having just read the story on "Blowtorch" and myself, I am wondering if the real article is in some parallel universe. Maybe I am a tough interview but I must correct some mis-understandings and mis-quotations.

"Blowtorch" is sired by "Super Bowl," not a super bull. "Tap Dancer" is sired by another son of Super Bowl - Jurgy Hanover - not Blowtorch.

I indicated that the cost of

an all-weather elevated training track would cost \$20,000, not \$2,000.

Ninety-six percent of the people working to make harness racing a positive productive entity are honest and hard-working. In that universe where your article appeared, casino gambling was voted down and negative publicity about horse racing is not allowed without a positive balancing viewpoint, referring to the trend in big city papers that report only negative articles on racing issues.

Although I don't mind being referred to as a "small-time horse trainer," I was the only one-stallion stock farm to be voted "A Major Michigan Breeding Facility" by the Standard-Breed Breeders Association.

Ed Fleming  
Cass City

### Hornbachers awarded scholarships

Noel and Barry Hornbacher, sons of Gary and Joyce Hornbacher, have been awarded scholarships from Eastern Michigan University.

Noel received a Recognition of Excellence scholarship and Barry, a Regents Scholarship. Both are 1994 graduates of Cass City High School.

Both students received grants after competing in the college's presidential scholarship competition.

Noel plans to major in accounting and Barry, in business.



Noel Hornbacher



Barry Hornbacher

### For communication system

## Second funding request nixed

Hopes that a second funding request for new emergency communications equipment would be placed before voters this year were dashed at a recent meeting of Tuscola County commissioners.

The Tuscola County Central Dispatch Administrative Policy Board had proposed placing a request of one mill for 3 years on the November ballot. However, District 7 Commissioner William Worth's motion to do just that died from a lack of support.

The rejection means the county's law enforcement agencies, fire departments and ambulance crews will have to make do with the current 20-plus-year-old system until the next scheduled election in 1996.

Another request could be presented to voters in a special election before then, but that would cost an estimated \$10,000.

Voters in August rejected a pair of funding proposals for new emergency equipment and construction of a dispatch center. The proposals — one mill for 3 years and a 16-percent phone surcharge

increase — would have generated a combined \$4.4 million over 3 years.

The defeat sent administrative policy board members back to the drawing board, and they came up with the reduced request of one mill for 3 years.

The latest proposal eliminated purchase of mobile data terminals and construction of dispatch center.

The millage would have generated an estimated \$2.25 million over the 3-year period, with the money earmarked for the purchase of a "basic" communication system, including new walkie-talkies, mobile radios and pagers. The funding also would have replaced an annual \$51,300 state police grant lost this year.

County Clerk Margie White

said discussion on placing the latest funding question before voters focused on several concerns. They included possibly linking up with a new state system in the future, and whether more effort should be put into educating the public on the need for new emergency communication equipment before placing another request on the ballot.

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# Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson  
Phone 658-2347

## Teleconference on domestic and family violence slated

The general public is being invited to attend a national Satellite Teleconference on domestic and family violence and Family Preservation Services Wednesday, Sept. 28, from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. at the Regional Educational Media Center, 4415 Seeger St., in Cass City. There is no charge for the event, which originates at Eastern Kentucky University and features a slate of presenters who are experts in the field of spouse/partner/child abuse. Workers in family preservation, child protection, domestic violence and other related social services are especially urged to attend. The teleconference is being jointly sponsored locally by the Thumb Area Assault Crisis Center, Wolverine Human Services-Families First, Tuscola County Department of Social Services, and the Child Abuse and Neglect Council. Those interested in attending should call now for reservations as seating is limited. Contact the Thumb Area Assault Crisis Center at 1-800-292-3666.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Andersen Jr., Jake and Sidney of Westland were Sunday dinner and afternoon guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

August Lindquist was a Wednesday guest and Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mrs. Martin Sweney was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Powell.

Gordon Wheeler and friend Kim of Lake Orion were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Larry Silver of Bay City and Lindsay Silver of Vernon were Saturday supper guests of Reva Silver and her guests, Mr. and Mrs. David Danby.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleland of Bad Axe were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Chinoski at Parisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Karg in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Peter VanToll and Mrs. John Walker Sr. were Wednesday afternoon guests of Edanna Sweney.

Melvin and Charlotte Particka took Michelle Particka and friend, Greg Reed, to Charming in Cass City for dinner Saturday evening in honor of Michelle Particka's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Powers at their summer home at Port Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Orben Wilkins of Pontiac, Pat Bell of Mackinaw City and Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweney were Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. Martin Sweney.

Mr. and Mrs. George Farrelly of Armada and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly spent Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osentoski, where they helped Mrs. Osentoski celebrate her birthday.

Sue Dinkel and Elsie Englehart of Sebawaing and Mabel Marker of Unionville were Sunday guests of Edanna Sweney and attended the Mama Ruth's chicken and ham dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Glaza and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza spent the weekend at the Glaza cottage at Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Lenar and family of Caseville, Mr.

and Mrs. Frank Terry, Lois Cardenas and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel and Marney met at the China King in Bad Axe Sunday for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sawdon, where they helped Harold Sawdon celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frantz of Uby were Monday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka.

Weekend guests of Melvin and Charlotte Particka were Michelle and Ted Particka of Madison Heights, Greg Reed of Dearborn, Vince Hangach and friend Sandy McDonald of Dearborn Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Schultz and daughters and Jaimie Karg of Westland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt. Karen Karg of Bad Axe was a Saturday afternoon guest.

Mrs. Martin Sweney was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester.

Allen Farrelly went to the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Uby to pay respects to William Sherman Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Danby of Tucson, Ariz., left Monday after spending a few days with Reva Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills returned home Wednesday evening from a 2-week trip to Las Vegas, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wills. While there they went to Lake Mead at Mt. Charleston Mountain, St. Charles and saw the Wayne Newton show, Boyce Impersonator and Nashville USA and the Sassy Sally shows.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Terry were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel, Marney and Lois Cardenas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marchand of Waterford and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marchand and family spent the Labor Day weekend at their home here.

Mrs. Earl Schenk received word of the birth of a 7-pound great-grandson, Matthew Dillon Harris, Aug. 15 in Detroit, born to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Harris of Wayne. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Andersen Sr. of Livonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Powers of Highland, Pam Powers of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Corbishley, Charles

and Christopher of Bad Axe were Monday cookout guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cieslinski, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka and Mrs. Martin Sweney attended the Breakfast Club at Northwood Shores Thursday morning.

Barbara Salowitz was a

Wednesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hind were Friday evening guests of Reva Silver.

### EXTENSION MEETING

Several members of the Greenleaf Extension group met at Northwood Shores for lunch before going to the

Cass City Church of Christ to work on a quilt made by the Greenleaf Extension group.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Betty Bonner the second Thursday in October.

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The Breakfast Club met at

Sherwood on the Hill in Gagetown Thursday forenoon. The next meeting will be at the Peppermill in Bad Axe next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Anthes were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka.

Irene Shagena was a Wednesday guest of Mary Beardsley.



# FOOTBALL - BASKETBALL SCHEDULES

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14	(Homecoming) Marlette
21	(Parents' Night) Bay City All Saints
28	Harbor Beach

Tues., Aug. 30	Cass City 46, Reese 27
Thurs., Sept. 1	Cass City 36, Harbor Beach 50
Tues. Sept. 6	Cass City 42, U.S.A. 39
Sat., Sept. 10	Cass City 35, Bad Axe 29
Tues., Sept. 13	Deckerville
Thurs., Sept. 15	Brown City
Sat., Sept. 17	Lakers
Thurs., Sept. 22	Cros-Lex
Sat., Sept. 24	Sandusky
Tues., Sept. 27	Memphis
Sat., Oct. 1	Marlette
Sat., Oct. 8	All Saints

Tues., Oct. 11	U.S.A.
Sat., Oct. 15	Bad Axe
Tues., Oct. 18	Uby
Sat., Oct. 22	Lakers
Tues., Oct. 25	Mayville
Sat., Oct. 29	Cros-Lex
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# 6 plead, 7 sentenced last week

Six people entered pleas and 7 others were sentenced last week in Tuscola County Circuit Court.

•John P. Husarick, 17, Millington, pleaded guilty to probation violation — violating rules of the Tuscola County Jail Worksite program by walking away from a job site and failing to return.

He was sentenced to continued probation and ordered to serve 60 days in the county jail.

•John T. Wolfenbarger, 22, Detroit, entered a plea of guilty to escape from the Camp Tuscola Correctional Facility, Caro, June 25, 1993, and having one prior felony conviction.

The defendant was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department. A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$100,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

•Robert L. Shovan, 26,

Clinton Township, pleaded guilty to resisting and obstructing a police officer and operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, second offense, June 20 in Mayville.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$10,000. Sentencing is to be set.

•James A. Douglas, 37, Vassar, was sentenced to one year probation and 45 days in the county jail for his plea of guilty to probation violation.

Douglas was convicted May 5 of false pretenses and driving while his license was suspended or revoked, according to court records, which state he was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department.

•Richard A. Ridley, 30, entered a plea of guilty to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, and driving while his license was sus-

pending Aug. 16, 1992, in Arbela Township.

Bond was continued at \$1,100 and a pre-sentence investigation was ordered. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

•Judith R. Patterson, 35, Caro, was sentenced to 3 years probation and 120 days in the county jail (deferred to the end of probation) for a plea of guilty to perjury before the Multi-County Citizens Grand Jury Oct. 12, 1993.

She was also ordered to complete 90 hours of community service work and pay \$400 in court costs and fines, a \$360 oversight fee and \$30 victim crime fee.

•Brian L. Yoe, 17, Mayville, was sentenced for his pleas of guilty to unlawfully driving away an automobile June 22 in Caro, and fleeing and eluding a police officer and attempted resisting and obstructing a police officer June 22 in

Indianfields and Vassar townships.

Yoe, who was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department, was placed on 3 years probation and received a pair of consecutive 180-day jail terms (90 days suspended), with work release. He was also ordered to pay costs and fines totalling \$600 plus attorneys fees, a \$720 oversight fee and \$30 victim crime fee.

•John Fierros, 39, Caro, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of delivery of marijuana in Tuscola County during the summer of 1993.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$2,000. Sentencing is to be set.

•Max L. Raney Jr., 41, Vassar, was sentenced to 6 months in jail for his plea of guilty to attempted delivery/manufacture of marijuana and attempted carrying a concealed weapon May 2, 1993, in Vassar Township.

•Paul Cunningham, 24, Millington, was sentenced for a plea of guilty to probation violation — failure to report to his supervising agent on or after March 16, 1994.

Cunningham was ordered to serve 120 days in jail, and his probation was extended by one year.

•Debra M. Huyghe, 24, Vassar, was sentenced to 2 years probation and 60 days in jail (deferred to the end of probation) for a plea of guilty to conspiracy to commit uttering and publishing.

She was also ordered to complete 100 hours of community service work and pay costs and fines totalling \$400, a \$240 oversight fee and a \$30 victim crime fee. Restitution is to be determined.

Court records state the March 24 offense involved a \$70.89 check drawn on Second National Bank of Saginaw.

•Sonya L. Teller-Hodder, 21, Cass City, was sentenced to 3 years probation and 6 months in jail for her plea of guilty to larceny in a building.

She was also ordered to complete 100 hours of community service work and pay \$400 in costs and fines, a \$360 oversight fee and a \$30 victim crime fee. Restitution is to be determined.

The charge was the result of a Multi-County Citizens Grand Jury investigation, according to court records, which state the Feb. 24 offense involved the theft of cash, lottery tickets and food stamps in Caro.

•Kimcurtis C. Garza, 19, Caro, entered a plea of guilty to attempted forgery of registration plates Aug. 8 in Caro.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$2,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

**3 recently charged in district court**

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

•Richard C. Fields, 33, Cass City, faces charges of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, and violation of license restrictions Sept. 6 in Novesta Township. Bond was set at \$2,000 and a preliminary examination was scheduled for 9 a.m. Friday.

•Richard J. Julien, 25, Caro, was arraigned on a charge of escape from the Camp Tuscola Correctional Facility, Caro, Sept. 8. Bond was set at \$100,000. A preliminary exam is to be held Friday morning.

•David Garces, 26, (no known address), faces 3 counts of conspiracy to deliver marijuana last March-April in Tuscola County. Court records indicate the charges are the result of a Multi-County Citizens Grand Jury investigation.

Bond was set at \$100,000 and a preliminary exam was scheduled for Friday morning.

# Obituaries

## Almira Almas

Almira Alwilda Almas, 88, of Silverwood died Tuesday, Sept. 6, at Marlette Extended Care Facility.

She was born July 7, 1906 in Clifford, the daughter of Linwood and Eva (Burton) Williams.

She married Grant G. Almas Sept. 9, 1925 in Clifford. The couple was married 68 years. Mr. Almas died July 2, 1994.

Mrs. Almas was a life long area resident and homemaker. She was a 1925 graduate of Clifford High School and was a member of the Clifford United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a son, Bud and his wife Mary Lee of Silverwood, a daughter, Onalee Scott and her husband Delbert of Lakeland, Fla., a brother, Donus Williams and his wife Martha of Marlette; 10 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday, Sept. 9, at the Marsh Funeral Chapel in Marlette, with the Rev. Roger Gedcke officiating.

Interment was in West Burlington Cemetery in Silverwood.

Memorials may be given to the Marlette Hospice and the Clifford United Methodist Church.

## Paul Becker

Paul Becker, 75, West Branch, formerly of Cass City, died Wednesday, Sept. 7, at Bortz Health Care in West Branch.

He was born Dec. 22, 1918 in North Java, N.Y.

He is survived by two children, Mrs. Gary (Paulette) Kivel of Lupton and Paul Becker Jr. of Deford; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Frank (Joann) Baranic of Apache Junction, Ariz.; 12 grandchildren, and 20 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in

death by his wife, Dorothy Becker in October 1974.

Graveside services were held Sept. 9 at Elkland Cemetery, Cass City.

Arrangements were made by Steuermol/McLaren Funeral Home, West Branch. Memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Research or St. Pancratius Church in Cass City.

## Christian Lelito

Christian Lelito, 77, of Deford, died Sunday, Sept. 4, at Aleda Lutz VA Medical Center, Saginaw.

He was born May 15, 1917, in Iron River, the son of Peter and Mary (Jerczak) Lelito.

He married Miss Ollie King, and later married Miss Alice Olson July 18, 1964, in Rochester, Mich., coming

to Deford in October of 1978.

Lelito was a member of the American Legion of Clawson. He served with the U.S. Army during WW II in Italy and Europe.

He is survived by his wife, Alice; 2 daughters, Christina Lelito of Cass City and Sandra Lelito of Deford; 2 sons, Gerald of Pontiac and Juan of Troy; 2 granddaughters; 5 brothers, John of El Cajon, Calif., Peter of Tomah, Wis., Stanley of Rapid City, Carl of Shelby and Henry of Hanson, Mass., and 2 sisters, Mrs. Robert (Wanda) Niederhofer of Sterling Heights and Mrs. Arthur (Mary) Gregg of Berkeley. Two brothers, Florek and Michael, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at Little's Fu-

neral Home, Cass City, with Father Paul Bala, pastor of St. Pancratius Catholic Church of Cass City, officiating.

Interment with military honors was in Novesta Township Cemetery, Cass City.

## BULLETIN

Carolyn Martin, Cass City, died suddenly Tuesday morning at Hills and Dales General Hospital. Arrangements through Collon Funeral Home, Caro, were incomplete at press time.

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**Police probing hold-up**

Police are continuing their investigation into the armed robbery of a Caro area store Thursday morning.

Tuscola County Sheriff's Department investigators said 2 men entered the Caro Food Store, 2504 W. Sanilac Rd., at about 8:30 a.m.

One of the suspects produced a handgun and ordered an employee to open the cash register and safe, according to reports, which state the second suspect removed an estimated \$8,600 from the register and safe, then took the employee to the rear of the store and told him to stay there.

The suspects then fled the scene in an unknown vehicle. The first suspect is de-

scribed as a white male in his mid-30s, heavy set with dark medium length hair and a short beard. He was wearing a blue short sleeve shirt and blue jeans. The second

man was described as a white male in his mid-20s, about 6 feet tall with dark medium length hair. He was last seen wearing a white shirt and blue jeans.

**Green still the winner**

The numbers changed but the results remained the same following last week's recount in the race for the Republican nomination for the 84th District state representative seat.

The recount was requested by candidate Julia Heilig, 50, of Ubly, who lost her bid for the nomination to Mike Green, 45, of Mayville, by

98 votes in the Aug. 2 primary election.

Green received a total of 4,421 votes to Heilig's 4,323 votes. Fellow Republican Ginny McLaren of Millington garnered 798 votes.

Last week's recount confirmed Green as the winner, by a margin of 99 votes. He received an extra vote in Huron County and 8 more votes in Tuscola County, while Heilig picked up an additional 6 votes in Huron County and 2 votes in Tuscola County. McLaren received an additional 2 votes in Tuscola County, but lost a vote in Huron County.

Two years earlier, Heilig lost a close battle for the same seat to veteran state legislator Dick Allen of Caro. Heilig also requested a recount in that election.

Green and Democrat Russell Davis, 44, of Vassar, will battle for the 84th District seat in the Nov. 8 general election.



**MEMBERS OF THE Cass City High School Class of 1934 gathered Friday for their 60-year reunion. Classmates who attended are (front row, left to right) Irma Plumb, Rosella (Tyo) Cherry, Arleon Retherford, Ruth (Schenck) Esau, Maxine (Horner) Graham, Helen Bartle, Irene (Hendrick) Tracy, (back row, left) Arwilla (Wilson) Emmons, Lloyd Severance, Gordon Stirton, Don Reid, Edward Hillaker, Francis Vatter, Grant Brown, Keith Karr, Gene (VanWinkle) Palmer and Margaret (McQueen) Brown.**

**Class of '34 holds reunion**

School days of an era long gone by was the topic of conversation Friday afternoon as members of the Cass City High School Class of 1934 gathered in the meeting room at the Northwood Shores Restaurant in Cass City.

Nearly 30 people, including 17 class members, met to renew old friendships, recall warm memories and listen to letters written by classmates unable to attend.

The 60-year reunion marked the 20th gathering for the class, which originally numbered 59 students. The classmates held their first reunion in 1954 and continued meeting every 5 years after that.

Those traveling the farthest to attend Friday were Gordon Stirton of Canada, and Irma Plumb of Palmetto, Fla.

**Leith sentenced to life in prison**

Former Cass City teacher Stephen Leith was sentenced to life in prison without parole last week for the Dec. 16 slaying of Chelsea School Supt. Joe Piasecki.

Washtenaw County Circuit Court Judge Donald Shelton also sentenced Leith to 2- to 10-year prison terms for wounding 2 other school officials, and ordered psychiatric treatment for the defendant.

Prior to sentencing last Wednesday, Leith, 40, apolo-

gized for the slaying, but insisted he couldn't help himself, according to published reports.

A jury found the former Cass City School teacher guilty of first degree murder in the shooting death of Piasecki, 47, following a 2-week trial.

He was also convicted on 2 counts of assault with intent to murder high school principal Ron Mead, 44, and Phillip Jones, 44, a teachers' union representative, and 3

counts of possession of a firearm in the commission of a felony.

Investigators said Leith shot the 3 men with a 9-mm semi-automatic pistol after storming out of a meeting reportedly held to discuss a student's allegations that Leith was harassing her. After the shooting, Leith was found correcting papers in a nearby science lab.

During the trial, defense attorney Joseph Simon sought a verdict of not guilty by rea-

son of insanity. He portrayed Leith as a mentally ill man who suffered from deep depression and was made uncontrollably angry and violent by the prescription anti-depressant drug Prozac.

Leith, who holds a master's degree from Michigan State University, began teaching in the Chelsea School District after leaving Cass City Schools, where he taught chemistry, physics and advanced math from 1976 to 1979.

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Yvonne Burselson read a special poem and Deloris Fleming read "The Morning Prayer." Lillian Hanby told of her trip to California. After lunch bingo was played. Prizes for the winners went to Elsie Blades, Kay Periso and Vivian Mosher.

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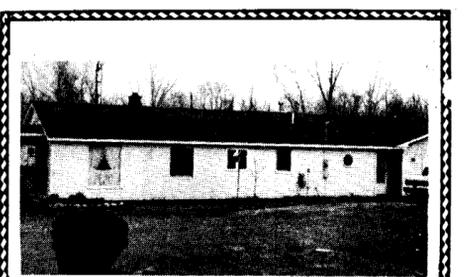
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**THE FAMILY OF Betty Ann** Murphy would like to express our thanks and gratitude to those who provided support, prayers, food, memorials, flowers, plants and cards during this difficult time. A special thank-you to Rev. Rick for a beautiful service, to the UMW for a delicious meal, to Echo Chapter for the memorial service, to Roger and Bev Little, and to all the friends and relatives for "being there." Your kindness will not be forgotten. 13-9-14-1

**THE FAMILY OF Elizabeth** Dillon wishes to thank the medical staff, friends, family and all of those who assisted us during this difficult time. 13-9-14-1

## Work Wanted

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## Owen-Gage board okays beverage container policy

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class advisors, Somsel as junior class advisor, and Doug Powers as the girls' junior varsity basketball coach.

### PRESCHOOL

Also Monday, the board adopted a resolution stating the district will again house the preschool program, which will continue to operate as it has the past 2 years.

Thies noted the resolution will enable the program to receive some \$15,000 in state funding for eligible 4-year-olds in the coming school year.

Preschool director Diane Warack will share her title and duties with Bev Wise, who will serve as the program teacher this year and take over as director next year. Warack was recently hired as the school's new Title I reading teacher.

### IN OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, the board:  
 • Adopted a standard policy dealing with search and seizure.

The policy states school officials have the right and duty to search a student or a locker if they have probable cause to believe that drugs, dangerous weapons, illegal or prohibited matter, or stolen goods are likely to be found on the person or in the locker.

Up until now, Hopper explained, Owen-Gage, unlike a number of area schools, has had no formal policy.

• Rescinded a policy charging a \$1,300 tuition fee to students who live in other districts but attend Owen-Gage Schools. The new charge will be \$1.

Thies explained tuition students' home districts must consent to those students attending Owen-Gage, and that consent will allow Owen-Gage to collect state foundation grant monies for those students.

• Noted Oct. 3 is the deadline for newly-enrolled students to meet state immunization guidelines. Admission will be denied students who fail to meet the deadline.

• Heard the annual education report required under Public Act 25.

The report, covering school activities, on-going improvement efforts and accomplishments, was presented by Thies, Hopper and elementary Principal William Britt.

• Met in executive session to discuss teacher contract negotiations.

• Approved the recommendation of Michelle Pisarek as "student of the month" for September.

• Recognized junior/senior high teachers Kim Fish, Sharon Krzyzaniak and Donna Robinson, and elementary teachers Kay Nguyen, Sandra Parks and Rhonda Powers for summer work ranging from training and work on curriculum to organizing a summer band program.

• Recognized students Jenny Niester and Jennifer Jaworski, who attended a Herf Jones yearbook workshop. Niester won 2 awards: first place in action photo and third place in overall photo arrangement.

• Congratulated Owen-Gage graduate Tanya Muntz, who was recently crowned Michigan Bean Queen.

## Calendar of Events

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

### Tuesday, September 13

AAUW meeting at Rawson Memorial Library, 6:30 p.m.

### Friday, September 16

Senior citizen movies at Rawson Memorial Library, 1:30 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon, Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 8 p.m.

### Monday, September 19

Cass City Area Historical Society meeting at Rawson Memorial Library, 7:00 p.m.

Cass City Citizens for Education school bond proposal meeting at Cass City Middle School, 7:30 p.m.

### Tuesday, September 20

Thumb Area Parkinson Support Group meeting at Hills & Dales Hospital, 1:00 p.m.

### Wednesday, September 21

Duplicate Bridge, 7 p.m. at Charmont. Everyone welcome. Last week's winners, Jim Herndon, Don Warner and Ken and Carolyn Martin.

## Bay Shore auction set

Great family fun and entertainment will be "off and running" at Bay Shore Camp of Sebewaing when the auctioneer's gavel slams down at 10 a.m., Saturday marking the beginning of the camp's 15th annual benefit auction.

The camp is located at 450 N. Miller Street, Sebewaing.

Proceeds from the all-day event will benefit camp development. Past auctions have financed major improvements and several much-needed facility changes on the 84-year-old campground that serves children, youth and families.

Camp Director Lew Tibbits expects this milestone in the auction's history to draw the biggest crowd ever seen for this event.

Highlighting the sale are

several handmade queen-size quilts, solid oak furniture from L.J. Gasco of Pigeon, antiques and collectibles of every sort, dishes, used furniture and household goods and much more. For more information or a sale bill listing a partial inventory, call the camp office at (517) 883-2501.

## Students set goals at retreat

For the first time ever, student council members at Owen-Gage Jr./Sr. High School began the school year with a summer goal setting retreat. Fourteen students and their advisor, Joanne Hopper, met at the Port Crescent State Park for picnicking and planning.

Student Council President, Michelle Pisarek, organized the event.

Students established several goals for the year, including the desire to begin a pep club (watch for them at upcoming games). After the idea sharing session, the group rented canoes at Tip-A-Thumb Canoe Rental and paddled down the Pinnebog to the lake.

## School ends year with surplus

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from the high school council was presented. It probably will be approved at the next meeting.

### AT RISK PROGRAM

The school will receive an additional \$65,000 to aid students at risk of failing in school. After the students are identified, 3 areas of help will be considered.

A tutorial program on Saturday mornings and before and after regular school

## CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

	06-30-90	06-30-91	06-30-92	06-30-93	06-30-94
<b>REVENUES</b>					
Local	\$3,180,366	\$3,306,552	\$3,577,641	\$3,611,799	\$3,872,564
State	2,087,432	2,199,166	2,284,531	2,355,152	2,674,879
Federal	112,724	148,402	151,623	166,223	245,271
Other	31,375	77,645	46,732	41,122	31,497
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>5,411,897</b>	<b>5,731,767</b>	<b>6,040,527</b>	<b>6,174,296</b>	<b>6,824,211</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
Instruction	3,075,193	3,419,198	3,690,471	3,936,509	4,459,902
Supporting Services	1,667,038	1,921,818	2,011,222	1,927,062	2,083,348
Community Services	127,407	167,415	159,767	154,486	172,915
Capital Outlay	75,235				
Other	136,919	133,031	109,906	96,123	87,416
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>5,081,792</b>	<b>5,641,462</b>	<b>5,971,366</b>	<b>6,114,180</b>	<b>6,803,581</b>
<b>EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES</b>					
	<b>330,105</b>	<b>90,305</b>	<b>69,161</b>	<b>60,116</b>	<b>20,630</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>					
	<b>\$822,280</b>	<b>\$859,212</b>	<b>\$1,070,437</b>	<b>\$1,155,556</b>	<b>\$1,291,542</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>					
	<b>270,605</b>	<b>217,232</b>	<b>359,296</b>	<b>384,299</b>	<b>499,555</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE</b>					
	<b>\$551,675</b>	<b>\$641,980</b>	<b>\$711,141</b>	<b>\$771,257</b>	<b>\$791,987</b>

hours is considered for middle and high school students.

Work with the families of these students by social workers is suggested and a reading enhancement program for early elementary students is considered very helpful.

### OTHER BUSINESS

• Delegates were elected to attend the Michigan Association of School Boards convention to be held for 2 nights and 3 days, Nov.3-5,

at Grand Traverse Resort near Traverse City. Named were Marilyn Peters and Beverley Auten, with Jim Turner as alternate. Other board members may attend.

• School groups were given permission to attend the Pumpkin Festival on a Sunday in October.

• The annual parent-teacher conferences will be held Thursday evening and Friday morning, Oct. 3-4. There will be no school on Friday. The Thursday evening sessions were designed to make it easier for working parents to attend.

## Investigate larceny from auto

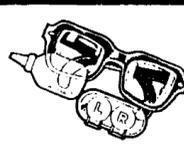
Cass City police recently investigated a complaint involving larceny from a motor vehicle.

Tony Butler, Cass City, reported a CD player and a case containing 14 or 15 CDs missing Sunday from his car, which was parked in a lot near his residence at 4572 Hill St.

There were no signs of forced entry to the vehicle, according to reports, which state the CD player is valued at \$99, and the case and CDs, which belong to Steven M. Smith, are valued at a total of \$225.

## Services set Friday

Funeral services for Basil Colton of Tucson, Ariz., will be held Friday at 1 p.m. at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City. Complete obituary will be published next week.



### EYE CARE & EYEWEAR FOR EVERYONE

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## RED HAWK Student of the Week

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



Trudi Malthouse

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

The Cass City Red Hawk Student of the Week is Trudi Malthouse, daughter of Ronnie and Geoff Malthouse. Trudi, a senior, is a foreign exchange student from Australia and her host parents are Dave and Betty Smith. She enjoys school and learning about American life. She also likes public speaking and is looking forward to being in a debate in Lansing soon.

## BOARD



**DOWNTOWN CASS CITY**  
 Local Number (517) 872-2184

## Insect control without chemicals

Scientists have developed a synthetic chemical that mimics the hormone used by insect pests to produce eggs. If the hormone is ingested at

the wrong time, the egg production is blocked. The discovery opens the way to control harmful insects without using harsh chemicals.

## HOME WITH PINK EYE

Every parent dreads having his child come home from school with pink eye, but it is fairly common. Pink eye is a contagious disease and it spreads easily through schools and similar places where the children are in close contact. It is the most common eye problem among children.

With pink eye, or conjunctivitis, the white part of the eye becomes red and matted from an infection. This can be caused by infections such as bacteria or viruses, and also by non-infectious causes such as allergies or irritation from smoke or dust.

Doctors can not always tell from an exam which of these is the cause, but when there is a chance of a bacterial infection it is usually treated with antibiotic eye drops. The pink eye generally improves nicely in 2 to 3 days. A culture is occasionally taken, especially if the pink eye does not improve.

The matter from bacterial infections is rather thick and sticky, and in the morning the eyes are usually stuck shut. The child has to pry them open or use warm compresses to help loosen the debris.

Viruses cause a discharge that is usually watery and thin. The eye doesn't feel glued shut. Allergies fall in-between causing more redness and discharge than viruses and less matter than bacteria.

A child with pink eye should stay home from school until it is cured. He should also use separate towels at home and the whole family should wash hands frequently--hand to hand contact is the most common method of spreading the infection.

It is a relatively minor infection and will not affect the vision, but it should be treated as soon as it is discovered.

This is one of a series of articles brought to you in the interest of better health by



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## AUCTION

Osentoski Realty having sold our home, we will sell at public auction at the place located 6 1/2 miles south of Cass City on S. Cemetery Road, or 1 mile east, 1/2 south of Deford to 495 S. Cemetery Road, the following personal property on:

**Sunday, Sept. 18, 1994  
 Commencing at 12:00 noon**

- Lunch wagon on the grounds
- Easy glider - Belt massager
- Whirlpool automatic washer
- Lawn glider - Large table
- Kitchen table w/4 chairs
- Sliding door - Steel doors
- Magic Chef electric dryer
- Sleeping bag - Screen doors
- Kitchen cabinets
- Quantity of large double pane windows
- 2 gold pocket watches
- Quantity of large window screens
- Gold wristwatch
- Lumber - Antique corner shelves
- Toshiba 13 inch color TV w/remote
- Electric smoker - Grill
- G.E. microwave - Gold couch
- Little red wagon - 2 sinks
- Assorted wooden tables
- Large picnic table - Step ladder
- 2 glass top tables - old
- Cooler - Stainless steel sink
- Glass top coffee table
- Light fixtures - Tires - 2 wheel trailer
- Curio cabinet - Glass hutch
- Wheelbarrow - Flower stands - Organizer
- Rocker recliner - Corner stand
- Garden tools - Water tank - 2 wheel cart
- Step end table - Couch
- New garden planter - 1/2 H.P. air compressor
- Assorted lamps - Footstool
- Work bench - quantity of hand tools
- Mahogany 3 piece bedroom set w/large mirror
- Chicken feeders - Fanning mill - Awning
- White 3 piece bedroom set
- Push lawn mower
- 2 chests of drawers
- New inflatable boat
- Full size bed - Single bed
- 8 H.P. motor for parts
- Chest of drawers - old
- 16 ft. steel gates - Loading ramps
- Kenmore air conditioner
- Quantity of used steel roofing
- Night stand - New set of knives
- John Deere 826 snow blower, 8 H.P. with chains
- Hide-a-bed - Electric fans
- Other items too numerous to mention
- Record player - New toaster oven
- Vacuum cleaner - Stereo
- 1973 Ford Thunderbird car, loaded, leather interior, 460 V-8 engine, 107,000 actual miles.
- Stereo speakers - Computer & screens
- Typewriter - Corner cabinets
- Antique desk - Bar - Christmas tree
- Antique leather & oak chair
- Canning jars - Pots, pans, dishes
- Stand - Shelving
- Row exerciser - Exercise bike

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# SELF SERVE Lumber

# SAVINGS!

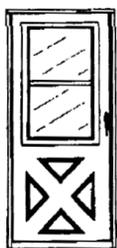
# Great Savings for YOU!



Sale Starts 9-12-94  
Sale Ends 9-24-94

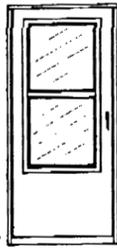
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Select from over 400 chainwide.  
Colors: White or Brown



Sizes: 32" or 36"  
Self Storing **\$79.95**  
Full View **\$69.95**  
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Every store has a nice selection.  
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## Chamberlain Villa

32" x 80" Storm Door  
Reversible Brown

Why Pay \$199.00?

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**\$49.99**

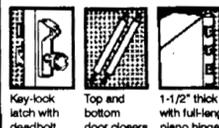


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36" x 80" Brown  
Left or Right Hand

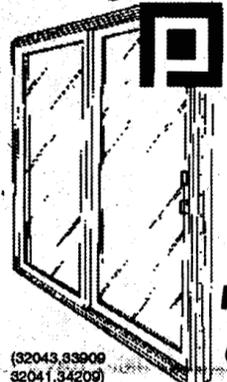
**\$99.95**

Why Pay \$187.99?

**SUPER SALE**

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## Vinyl Patio Doors



### PHILIPS PRODUCTS

- White
- One inch (1") Insulated glass
- Complete with Aluminum Sliding Screen

Why Pay \$369.00?

**Our Price \$329.00**

(32043, 33909, 32041, 34209)

Your Choice: 5'0" x 6'8" or 6'0" x 6'8"

**SALE \$299.00**

## LARGE SHIPMENT!

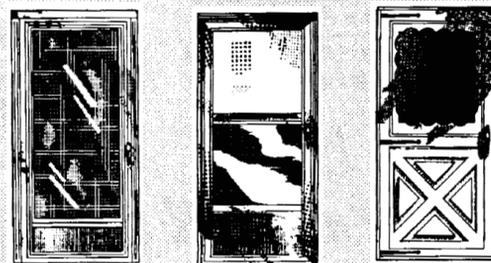
### 6-PANEL INTERIOR 1-3/8 PAINT GRADE PINE DOORS



Size	Why Pay?	Our Price
16x80 (34887)	\$83.00	<b>\$35.95</b>
24x80 (34807)	\$118.00	<b>\$45.95</b>
28x80 (34792)	\$126.00	<b>\$48.95</b>
30x80 (34793)	\$128.00	<b>\$49.95</b>
32x80 (34794)	\$134.00	<b>\$51.95</b>
36x80 (34795)	\$146.00	<b>\$55.95</b>

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## ALUMINUM STORM DOORS



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Colors: White, Brown and Mill Finish

Sizes: 30", 32" or 36"

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Model	Why Pay?	SALE PRICE
T10-1143 (28090)	\$27.95	<b>\$9.95</b>
Standard Heating & Cooling		
T40-1143 (28187)	\$26.95	<b>\$12.95</b>
Manual Heating & Cooling		
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Heat/Cool Electric Thermostat		

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### Center Bead Plank Paneling (19802)

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**Our Price... \$6.39**

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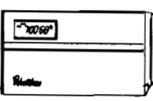
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Light Brown

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• 40-44 gal.  
• Brown  
• 100 Count

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with Additional Purchase of \$25 or More

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Regular Super Market Price \$9.95

Limit One per Customer - Expires 9-24-94

## Gutter & Downspout

### ALUMAX

• White • Aluminum • Baked enamel finish

5" K type gutter  
10' section (01886) **\$3.99**

2"x 3" White Downspout  
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- Class A Shingles
- 320# per Sq.

## PREMIUM HINGED GUTTER GUARD

6" x 36" Pieces **\$1.39** each (16763)

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### ALUMINUM ROOF COATING

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EXTRA!  
GREAT SAVINGS!!!

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by **Kitchen Works**  
White with Oak Fronts

## Single Door Wall Cabinet

12 x 30	\$12.95
15 x 30	\$18.95
18 x 30	\$24.95

## 1 Door, 1 Drawer Base Cabinet

12 x 35	\$18.95
15 x 35	\$24.95
18 x 35	\$30.95

## Double Door Wall Cabinet

24 x 30	\$40.95
30 x 30	\$45.95
36 x 30	\$51.95

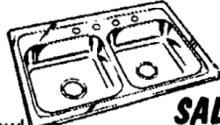
## 2 Door, 2 Drawer Base Cabinet

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# Gallery Terraced Ceiling Spot Light

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(34806)

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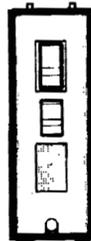
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50 gal. (34578)	\$149.95	\$129.95
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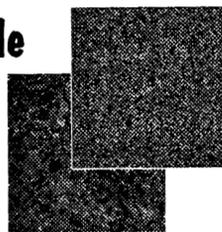
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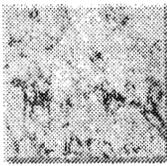
**99¢**

# SPECIAL PURCHASE

12"x 12" Armstone Polished Marble Tile

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Stop in & See for Yourself the Beauty of these Tiles!!!

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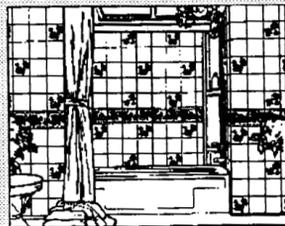
**OVERSTOCK SALE!!!**

**\$5<sup>99</sup>**

Plain White (29768)

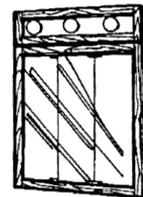
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CHECK OUT OUR EVERYDAY LOW PRICES ON BATHROOM PANELING!!!



# Tri-View Oak Medicine Cabinets

• Solid Oak Frame  
• Adjustable Oak Shelving



MC325G 25"x 30" (34069)

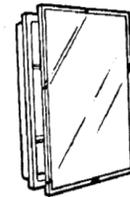
Why Pay \$89.95? **SALE \$59<sup>95</sup>**

MC331G 31"x 30" (34070)

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\* Light Strip Sold Separately \*

# Mirrored Medicine Cabinets by Jenson



#824-24 16 x 26

• Recessed Mount  
• Reversible

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Faucet Sold Separately (Not Exactly as Shown)

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19"x 17" with Top

**\$27<sup>99</sup>** (28048)

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19"x 17"	\$19.95	(10593)
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\* Tops Sold Separately \*



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• Many Shades to Choose From



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25 Disposable Gloves  
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**SALE \$5.95** 1 Quart

Several Shades to Choose From



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### 3 Piece Paint Brush Set

Why Pay \$2.49?  
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### 15# ROOFING FELT Super Sale

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### BIG Savings on Other Minwax Products! Hurry in to Self Serve Lumber and SAVE!!!

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IDEAL FOR REMOTE BATHROOMS (28570) **\$99.95**

U.S. Water Heater Company



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Paintable and cleans up with water. Tools easily. Odorless. 100% silicone rubber for a permanent flexible seal with excellent adhesion to most construction materials. Resists expansion/contraction movements and severe weather. Maintains a weatherproof/waterproof seal. Won't crack, crumble or dry out. Lifetime durability. 10.3 FL.OZ.

Why Pay \$5.25?  
**OUR PRICE \$1.95** GREY (26344)



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Your Choice of 4 Colors **\$9.99**



### Liquid Waterproofing PHENOSEAL

For Masonry, Concrete, Wood & More!

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Latex Ceiling White (18274)	<b>\$4.49</b> per gal.	<b>\$8.99</b>
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PC. Latex House White (15977)	<b>\$5.25</b> per gal.	<b>\$10.49</b>
PC. Semi-Gloss White (15497)	<b>\$6.25</b> per gal.	<b>\$12.49</b>
Basement Waterproof (16451)	<b>\$6.25</b> per gal.	<b>\$12.49</b>



### Spread Exterior Latex House Paint

100% Acrylic Latex Flat Paint

Why Pay \$17.98?  
**ONLY \$4.99** per gallon

(33628) Navajo White



### Kiln Dried Shelf & Trim Boards

	6'	8'	10'	12'	14'	16'
1 x 4	1.25	1.65	2.05	2.45	2.85	3.25
1 x 6	1.85	2.45	3.05	3.65	4.25	4.85
1 x 8	2.75	3.65	4.55	5.45	6.35	7.25
1 x 10	3.65	4.85	6.05	7.25	8.45	9.65
1 x 12	5.29	7.05	8.85	10.59	12.35	14.09

### 4' x 8' PANELING SPECIAL!

Georgia-Pacific

Autumn Oak **\$2.99** (19260)

5/32" Woodgrained Mende Seconds

CHECK OUT OUR LARGE SELECTION OF WOODGRAIN PANELS AT EVERYDAY LOW PRICES!!!

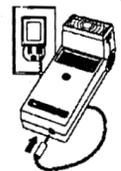


### Multi-Purpose Light

#48910

- Sensor-Lite Night Light
- Emergency Light
- All Purpose Rechargeable Light

Why Pay \$9.95? **SALE \$3.95** (31007)

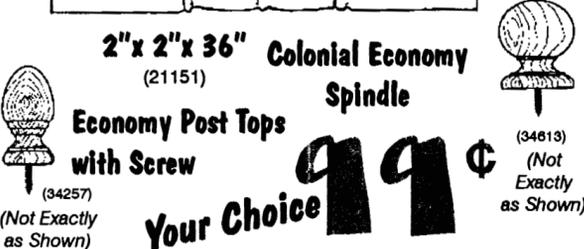


### SAVE ON DECK ACCESSORIES

2" x 2" x 36" Colonial Economy Spindle (21151)

Economy Post Tops with Screw (34257) **99¢** (Not Exactly as Shown)

Your Choice (34613) (Not Exactly as Shown)

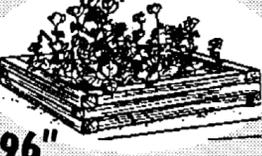


### PRESSURE TREATED Landscape Timbers

**SALE \$2.39** (32729)

3" x 4" x 96"

Great for borders, edging and general landscaping.



### SPREAD SECURITY LIGHT WHEREVER YOU NEED IT!

New 15-Foot Angled Security Light Pole (01761)

Special Price **\$21.95**

- Installs anywhere on your property
- Complete Installation and wiring instructions.



### Sale on Deck Products!

- Deck & Wood Cleaner (34000) **\$3.99** per gallon
- Deck & Wood Stripper (34001) **\$5.99** per gallon
- Deck & Wood Clear Sealer (34002) **\$5.99** per gallon
- 5-Way Protectant Deck & Wood Sealer (34003) **\$9.99** per gallon



### WHEELBARROWS

4 Cubic Ft. (32444) **\$15.95** WOW!!!

5 Cubic Ft. (32445) **\$24.95**

6 Cubic Ft. (32446) **\$29.95**



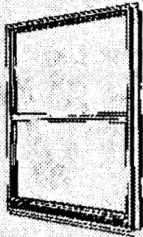
### HAND TOOLS LARGE SELECTION! HUGE SAVINGS!!!

EVERYDAY LOW DISCOUNTED PRICES!

Sample Item: 5 pc. Wrench Set (3170) Why Pay \$10.99? **OUR PRICE \$3.99**



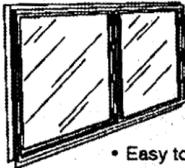
## Vinyl Single Hung Windows



20" x 30"	(21310)	\$49.95
24" x 36"	(21311)	\$66.09
32" x 52"	(21312)	\$92.55
32" x 60"	(21313)	\$101.35
36" x 36"	(21314)	\$79.35
36" x 52"	(21315)	\$96.95
36" x 60"	(21316)	\$105.75

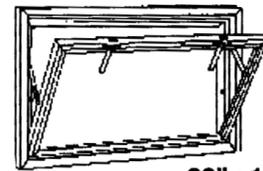
• Insulated Glass • Nailing Fin with Pre-Punched Holes • Easy to Remove Screen  
• Available in White • For New or Replacement Construction

## Vinyl Slider Windows



30" x 20"	(34515)	\$76.49
30" x 30"	(34516)	\$90.65
40" x 30"	(34517)	\$105.69

• Easy to Remove Screen • Available in White • Insulated Glass • For New or Replacement Construction



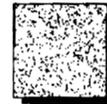
## Vinyl Basement Windows

32" x 15"	(21317)	\$49.95
32" x 19"	(34514)	\$56.95

• Available in White

## Armstrong

### Ceiling Tile Special Buy-Out!



12" x 12" Tile  
Prices Starting at  
**29¢ to 49¢**



2' x 4' Panel  
Prices Starting at  
**\$1.99 to \$2.99**

Nice Selection at Each Store,  
While They Last!

## 52" Ceiling Fan

- Five Blade
- Reversible Motor
- 3 Speed



Your Choice:  
White or Polished Brass (Not Exactly as Shown)

**\$29.95** (34752, 34753)

- Easy to Install
- Great for Staining

24" x 80"	(02764)	\$32.89
28" x 80"	(02765)	\$35.95
30" x 80"	(02766)	\$36.95
32" x 80"	(02767)	\$37.95
36" x 80"	(02768)	\$39.95



24" x 80"	(02758)	\$29.89
30" x 80"	(02757)	\$31.99
32" x 80"	(02758)	\$34.95
36" x 80"	(02759)	\$34.95

- Ready to Paint or Stain
- Hardware Included

24" x 80"	(02760)	\$22.95
30" x 80"	(02761)	\$24.95
32" x 80"	(02762)	\$26.95
36" x 80"	(02763)	\$26.95

## Aluminum Storm Windows



32" x 39"	\$14.95
24" x 39"	\$19.95
32" x 55"	
28" x 39"	
36" x 39"	
28" x 47"	
36" x 47"	
28" x 55"	
36" x 55"	

DO YOU NEED SPECIAL SIZES? WE CAN  
ORDER THEM FOR YOU AT SENSIBLE PRICES.

**3-PANEL, 1-3/8" PINE BIFOLD DOOR SETS**  
STICLY #1 GRADE, AT LESS THAN LOWEST WHOLESALE PRICES!!!

GNF-108	Why Pay?	Our Price
24x80 (10454)	\$73.80	\$49.25
30x80 (10455)	\$73.80	\$49.25
32x80 (10456)	\$73.80	\$49.25
36x80 (10457)	\$95.74	\$63.85



## Aluminum Patio Doors

- Your Choice: 5', 6' & 8'
- Your Choice: White or Bronze
- Insulated glass.
- Less screen door.

Why Pay \$349.00

or Higher?

**\$149.00**

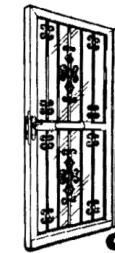
**the Forever Guard**

the Forever Guard

32" Emco  
Forever Guard  
Storm Door

White or Brown  
(33641, 34288)

Why Pay \$399.00?  
your choice

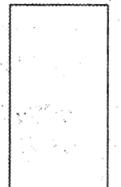


36" Emco  
Forever Guard  
Storm Door

Brown  
(33640)

**\$169.00**

## Low Everyday Prices on... Steel Pre-Hung Entrance Doors



Fleck  
30" 32" or 36"  
\$79.95



6-Panel  
32" or 36"  
\$89.95



9-Lite  
32" or 36"  
\$129.95

Less Brick Mould

Energy Efficient & Weather Tight

## LARGE SHIPMENT!!!

Name Brand Bi-fold & Bi-pass  
Mirror Closet Doors



30" or 36" Polished Edge Bifold

Why Pay \$109.00? **SALE \$59.00** (32437, 32438)

60" Bevelled Glass Bypass

Why Pay \$129.00? **WOW \$59.00** (32439)

Other Sizes & Styles at Low Everyday Prices.

## SPECIAL PURCHASE!

Lever Locksets



WH1488-3 Passage (32535)  
Why Pay \$16.99?

**SALE \$7.99**

WH1444-3 Privacy (32536)  
Why Pay \$19.50?

**SALE \$9.99**

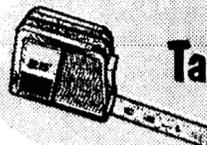
WH1446-3 Entry (32537)

Why Pay \$23.95?

**SALE \$10.95**

1" x 25' KR TOOLS

Tape Measure



Your Choice:  
Orange or Green

**\$3.97** (34851, 34852)

## DRIVEWAY SEALERS

Black Top DRIVEWAY SEALER (16104) 250-05

**\$4.97** 5 gal.

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**\$7.99** 5 gal.

Pro-Q Latex EASY MIX SEALER/FILLER (16108) 270-05

**\$9.99** 5 gal.

Ultra Seal Rubberized DRIVEWAY SEALER WITH SATIN FINISH (27140) 282-05

**\$12.99** 5 gal.



## NEW! Just Received!!!

Latex Satin Floor Enamel Medium Grey  
2 Gallon Pail  
Why Pay \$12.95?  
Our Price **\$6.95** 2 gal. pail  
\* Purchase 5 or more 2 Gallon Pails at Only \$5.95 per Pail. (35003)

## DRIVEWAY COATER BRUSHES

12" (492) \$3.29

18" (493) \$3.99

with Handle



**KV Variations Bookcase**  
...handsome, easy wall storage for home or office!



Supports up to 250 lbs\*  
\* When Properly Installed, See Instructions on Carton.  
• Easy to install, simple tools  
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• Lift-up door keeps neat look

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