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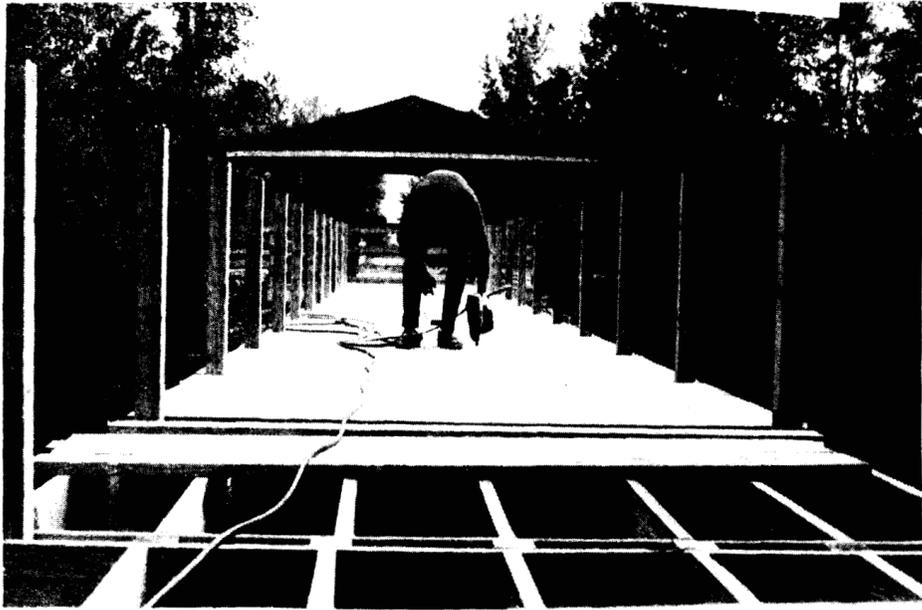
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WORK ON THE CASS City walking trail extension is nearing completion. The \$33,375 project was recently awarded to Simpson Excavating of Cass City and Tim's Carpentry of Sterling Heights.

Nathan Weippert, 14

Police rule Cass City youth's death accidental

The weekend death of a Cass City teen whose body was found in the bathtub at his home has been ruled accidental.

The victim has been identified as Nathan Karl Weippert, 14, 6678 Elizabeth St., Cass City.

The boy was discovered Monday afternoon by his mother, Nancy Weippert, a Cass City High School teacher.

Nathan, a ninth grader, was pronounced dead at 5:30 p.m., according to investigators, who said the cause of death was asphyxiation. No other details were released.

Nathan was born March 10, 1980, in Bad Axe, the son of Nancy (Avil) Weippert and Karl Weippert.

A freshman at Cass City High School, he was on the school golf team. He was a member of the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Cass City, where he was active in the Junior Youth Group. Nathan was also a patrol leader, Troop 194, Boy Scouts of America, and he enjoyed coin collecting, swimming and bowling.

He is survived by his mother, Nancy Weippert of Cass City; father, Karl Weippert and wife Joyce of

Deford; one brother, Jeremy, at home; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Weippert Sr. of Cass City, and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 1 p.m. at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, with the Rev. Allen Fruendt, pastor, officiating.

Interment will be in Elkland Township Cemetery. Visitation begins today (Wednesday) after 7 p.m. at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily.

Memorials may be made to Boy Scouts of America.



Nathan Weippert

Small time horse trainer aiming for big time results

by Marjory Raymer
Staff Writer

Dreams, a successful business and life are being bred just south of Cass City by capitalizing on a stock farm owner's passion for horses.

Ed Fleming has been competing with billionaire harness racing enthusiasts for more than a decade — and conquering his dreams. He has had 145 registered racers, adding about 10-15 to the list every year. Others might register 80-100 every year. But those numbers don't matter. Instead, look at his trotters' records.

Fleming has worked with hall of fame drivers and many others that rank among the best in the nation. One of his breed, Tap Dancer, was honored as the Michigan Trotter of the Year. This season, Day Time Torch broke the state record for the fastest trot during county fair competition, with 1:59.2. And, his trotters have won prizes

exceeding \$2.5 million. That's why Fleming is expanding his horizons.

The state of Michigan's Breeders Award gives Fleming 10 percent of the purse if one of the horses he bred takes the grand prize in a race, but trainers get the big money.

Fleming hopes Eileen's Revenge and Bag Lady Torch prove to be as dominant on the track as their sisters, brothers and cousins. With the help of neighbor and friend, Jim Mester, the 2 yearlings are his first experiment with training on the farm.

The horses haven't been completely broken yet. But through the next 10 months, the 2 men plan to have their fillies better than the best. Now, however, the horses are getting accustomed to the harness and working through their first miles on the track.

Fleming Stock Farm hosts a half-mile, dirt track on its 85 acres. A professional raised track would cost \$2,000.

Many other new costs also accompany the new endeavor — extra grains, more barn room, different equipment and a track. Everything is being taken one step at a time though, said Fleming, who is a self-described optimistic dreamer. "What we have," he said, "we'll make do with. I feel fortunate to be able to make a living at it."

Fleming always loved animals and believed that veterinarian school lay in his future when at Royal Oak high school. In 1969, 3 years after his high school graduation, he found himself cleaning the stalls for 27 horses. He was hooked.

He moved on to caretaker, and has continued expanding into nearly every angle of raising horses. After he purchased his super bull stallion, Blowtorch, he entered a whole new arena. "Basically, I was blessed by God to be able to get a horse like Blowtorch."

With the powerful genes, some might believe the

horses to be a guaranteed winner if exercised properly. Fleming, however, stresses the overall well being of a horse.

He treats the animals with respect and love, allowing them to enjoy the outdoors and relate freely with the other family members. "We're looking after their psychological welfare."

Horses know if they have been treated well and cared for properly, he said, and they will perform accordingly. So, Fleming Stock Farm attends to every aspect of the horses' happiness.

"We've got the real possibility to kick some butt here."

Eventually Fleming hopes to expand into the national and international scene. "There over in France, they think they raise the best totters in the world. Well, I'd like to show them that there are some men over here on Crawford Road that just might be better."



ED FLEMING drives Eileen's Revenge around his homemade half-mile track. The yearling hopefully will prove to be the stock farm's next great filly, making Fleming's new venture in training a success.

Jordan College survives, classes start Sept. 12

A year-long fight with the U.S. Department of Education over finances has left Jordan College down, but not out.

Financial restructuring has forced the private, non-profit school to close 2 of its campuses, but officials recently announced they will open for classes this fall at 4 other locations, including the Thumb Area Campus in Cass City, beginning Sept. 12.

The announcement came after education department officials approved a procedure for expedited payments of federal student financial aid for eligible Jordan students, enabling the college to remain open.

"Obviously, we are overjoyed that Jordan College can continue its mission this fall," college President Lexie Coxon commented. "We have a very big challenge now in very rapidly gearing up for the fall semester that's just around the corner with still very limited resources. But for our employees, who have sacrificed so much because they believe in this college, it's a labor of love."

"We have some major challenges as far as dealing with our past, the obligation we have incurred," Coxon said, "(but) we have a balanced budget and we can go forward with adequate cash-flow. The present looks very good."

Coxon confirmed Jordan's campuses in Benton Harbor and Newaygo County have been closed permanently.

In addition, the Jordan Energy Institute will be moved from Comstock Park to the school's headquarters in Cedar Springs this fall, with plans to eventually locate it in Detroit.

Coxon predicted enrollment this fall will total about 1,500 students, a decrease from a year ago.

Coxon had no specific figure, but said there's no question enrollments will be down. She noted officials earlier this summer urged students to transfer to other schools in light of the uncertainty surrounding Jordan's financial status.

THUMB CAMPUS

Several Thumb Area Campus students did just that, but nearly all of them have come back, according to Dean Jerry White.

White said the local campus will offer a reduced schedule of 24 classes when the new semester begins Monday. "We normally run around 55 classes," he added.

Likewise, there will be fewer students and instructors.

"I'm hopeful that we'll have between 75 and 100 students," said White, who noted the figure represents about half of a typical fall

enrollment.

As for the teaching staff, there will be no full-time instructors at the local campus. Previously, 4 full-time faculty members were employed, but White said it's likely there will be only one

full-time instructor and maybe a pair of half-time teachers in the future, as well as a number of instructors who teach on an adjunct basis.

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MARIE STANCZAK of Marlette (right), completes registration for fall classes at Jordan College with assistance from Colleen Forman, the local campus' financial aid director. Stanczak, who is employed full-time at Marlette Community Hospital, is working towards an associate's degree in accounting.

Crash victim William Sherman, 73, succumbs

An Ugly man died Sept. 4 at St. Mary's Medical Center in Saginaw, 9 days after he was involved in a 2-vehicle accident about 8 miles east of Cass City Aug. 26.

The man was identified as William H. Sherman, 73, who was injured in the accident, although it's unclear whether his death was a direct result of those injuries.

The crash occurred at 3:42 p.m. at the corner of East Cass City Road and Germania Road.

Michigan State Police troopers from the Sandusky post reported Charles Peters, 86, Decker, was westbound and turned left into the path of an eastbound car driven by Beverly Uzarski, 51, of Warren.

Peters, Uzarski and 2 passengers in Uzarski's vehicle, Sherman and his wife, Anna,

were transported to Halls and Dales General Hospital for treatment. A hospital spokeswoman said Uzarski and William Sherman were transferred to Huron Memorial Hospital. No other information was available.

Mrs. Sherman was the only occupant not wearing a seat belt, according to reports.

Troopers were assisted at the scene by the Elkland Township Fire Department.

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Friday crash claims Lorraine Peltier

A weekend traffic accident claimed the life of a Kingston area woman.

Lorraine I. Peltier, 6636 Rossman Rd., died early Friday night after losing control of her vehicle on southbound Cemetery Road, a quarter mile north of M-46.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies reported Peltier's

vehicle left the roadway and slid sideways on its side, slamming roof-first into a tree. The vehicle then struck several other trees.

The victim was wearing a seat belt at the time of the 6:55 p.m. crash, according to deputies, who were assisted by the Kingston Fire Department and Marlette Ambulance Service.

76 attend Kloc-Smentek reunion

The annual Kloc-Smentek reunion was held at the home of Stan and Nurse Kloc July 30, with 76 people attending. Walter Smentek, 83, was the oldest present and Michell Robert Kloc, 8 months, was the youngest. Members attended from Detroit, Waterford, Grosse Ile, Romeo, Ann Arbor, Mt. Pleasant, Lansing, Caro,

Cass City, Kingston, Deford, Bad Axe, Freeland, St. Clair Shores, Oxford, Decker, Saginaw, Franklin, Portage, Vassar, Howell, Sandusky, Vermont, Virginia, New York and Illinois.

A morning golf outing was held at Rolling Hills Golf Course, Cass City. A potluck lunch was served and the group spent time visiting and playing games.

Officers for 1995 are: chairman, Stanley Michael Kloc; co-chairman, Richard Kloc; secretary-treasurer, George Kloc, and games coordinators, Evelyn Prekop and Bea Wolak. The 1995 reunion will be at the home of Ron and Caroline Rutkoski July 29.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

PATIENTS LISTED TUESDAY, SEPT. 6, WERE:

Eleanor Keller, Cass City; Elbert Daley, Caro; Margaret Generous, Gagetown.

Cass City Area Social and Personal Items

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Erika Karavas recently celebrated her 8th birthday while visiting her grandparents, John and Wanda Karavas, in Dearborn. Erika and her sister, Brittany, were treated to a pony ride for the occasion and visited with their cousins Aubrey, Adam and Addison Karavas, and many girlfriends.

Mrs. Ella Cumper, Don and Isabelle Wittenburg and Bumford Boyde of Warren, Ohio, were dinner guests of Mrs. Ruth Dorman Sunday, Aug. 28.

Mark Irer of Owendale has enrolled and been accepted at ITT Technical Institute in Troy. A 2-year program in electronics engineering technology will prepare Mark for an entry level position in the electronics field.

Dr. Ken and Michelle (Jones) Tiseo of Caro are the parents of a daughter, Katie Elizabeth, born Friday, Sept. 2. She weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces. Grandparents are Bill and Beverly Tiseo of Mecosta and Gary and Doris Jones of Cass City.

Linda, Andrew and Adrianna Devine and Matt Rodriquez of Kalamazoo spent the weekend with Louis and Lila Arroya.

Two Boy Scouts from Deford troop 593 have successfully completed requirements for the Indian Lore merit badge. Denny Gibson and Travis Eyer started requirements while at Camp Rotary. They then completed the tasks by attending an Indian Pow-wow in Berne, Ind., Aug. 25-26. While there, Denny and Travis observed Indian crafts, ate Indian food and participated in the dancing. They also toured different lodges and listened to myths from the story-teller.

Little things affect little minds.

—Benjamin Disraeli

Marriage licenses

Burton Eugene Fields, Caro, and Michelle Marie Connolly, Cass City.

Kevin Edward Nupton, Northville, and Amy Fay Skidmore, Caro.

Bernard J. Delisle Jr. and Machell Leigh Mihacsi, both of Kingston.

Michael Edward Mutton, Caro, and Kellie Jo Brechtelsbauer, Reese.

Daren Scott Leix, Fostoria, and Beth Anne Simerson, Reese.

Ted Marvin Jewell and Sarah Leigh Miller, both of Vassar.

Kenneth Carl LaBeau Jr., Washington, Mich., and Charlene Lee Mellendorf, Cass City.

Randall Scott Valentine and Angela Joyce Berry, both of Mayville.

Jack Paul Ayotte and Christine Marie Heider, both of Millington.

Michael Todd Yatevich and April Lynn Tebelo, both of Vassar.

Dean Allen Avery, Reese, and Teresa Ann Mathewson, Deford.



The cat's meow

Meg's Peg

by Melva E. Guinther

There's a small kitten in Dayton, Ohio, who has no idea how lucky she is to be there.

While they were visiting here early in July, our daughter and son-in-law, Sandy, the tender-hearted, and Andy, the tolerant, went for a bike ride.

In the vicinity of the grain elevator, they encountered a very small, bedraggled, half-starved kitten that had apparently been orphaned or abandoned. Its loud cry was disproportionate to the size of the animal.

Fortunately for the cat, if there's an animal in distress anywhere within a 10-mile radius, Sandy will find it.

What do you suppose the odds are that one of the few people in the country who would care that much, and who lives in Dayton, would be bike riding in Cass City just when that kitten needed help most desperately?

Of course Sandy stopped, cleaned the filthy little creature up and sent Andy for milk.

She didn't bring it home right away, but she worried about it until she finally dragged Andy back hours later and found the kitten where they'd left it, still meowing like crazy.

She eventually took the charmed animal back to Dayton, where she had a veterinarian check it over, nursed it to health and paid all its bills until she could find it a permanent home.

Sandy and Andy already share their home with 2 large indoor cats, Sam and L.S., and have been foster parents to various others while find-

ing them homes. With typical feline arrogance, Sam and L.S. of course know who the truly privileged ones are in this relationship. But they are unique characters even in the world of catdom.

One evening Sandy and Andy returned home from work and discovered 2 starlings had apparently come down through the fireplace chimney and were making themselves at home in different areas of the house.

Now those birds must have created a bit of a fuss upon finding themselves walled in, and evidence indicated that they had made attempts at escape through the window, which wasn't open. But L.S. and Sam's attitude seemed to be, "What birds? We didn't see any birds." There were no feathers scattered about and no signs of the typical bird/cat confrontation. You just have to wonder what went on, because the cats aren't talking.

Sandy's cats have just about everything a cat could ask for.

They don't, however, have the \$11,000 Kitty Condo designed by Washington architect Steven Steinheimer. It's described as a tower made of glass and wood on 4 levels with a tree running through the middle.

Steinheimer also offers less expensive kitty houses, such as the 4-level Manhattan Kitty Penthouse with room for 4 cats for a modest \$4,250, or the Pantheron with columned porticos and carpeting for a mere \$4,500.

It might be nice to have that kind of money to spend on your cats, but I suspect those pampered pets still wind up snoozing in their human's favorite chair more often than not.

Engaged



Rita Volz John Papp

Wesley and Shirley Volz of Unionville announce the engagement of their daughter, Rita Ann, to John Paul Papp Jr., son of John and Maryann Papp of Caro.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Delta College and currently employed at Accurate Carbide Tool Co. The prospective groom is currently attending Delta College and employed at Walbro Automotive Corp.

A Sept. 23, 1995, wedding is planned.

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Cindy Peyerck receives Paul Cole scholarship

Cindy Peyerck of Cass City, a nuclear medicine technology major at Ferris State University, recently received a Paul Cole Scholarship from the Society of Nuclear Medicine Education and Research Foundation.

Peyerck will apply the \$1,000 award to her education as nuclear medicine technologist. The national scholarships were established as a memorial to Cole,

a certified nuclear medicine technologist, who died in 1988 while president of the Society of Nuclear Medicine's Technologist Section.

Peyerck was recognized for her academic achievement in the Ferris program, according to FSU's William Barnes, assistant professor of nuclear medicine technology in the College of Allied Health Sciences.

36th annual Ewald reunion held in Caro

The 36th annual Ewald reunion was held Aug. 21 at the Caro Fairgrounds. Lawrence Ewald hosted approximately 50 relatives who attended. Millie and Jim Nestell were honored for traveling the farthest, from Au Gres, and also for their upcoming 50th anniversary.

Youngest guest present was Michael Ewald, son of Brian and Terry Ewald. Elfrieda Guinther had the most grandchildren present.

The afternoon was spent visiting and playing games. Next year's reunion will be Aug. 20 at the Caro Fairgrounds.

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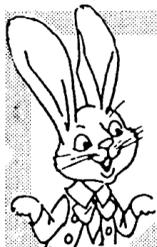
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Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

Livonia public school teachers are on strike. The staff there is one of the best-paid in the state. No, they are not seeking more money, but would be willing to extend the present contract, one teacher told me.

The board is objecting to that. One stickler in the negotiations is the removal of class size limitations of 35 students, which was in the previous contract.

There's little doubt that the new school financing arrangement doesn't favor districts like Livonia as it does lower operating cost districts like Cass City.

Not everyone headed for the lakes and the north woods over the last summer holiday. A good many of them visited the Sanilac Petroglyphs Park at Holbrook.

Sunday afternoon there was a steady stream of visitors to hear a pair of college students explain the history and the significance of the carvings.

Remember how the Jodi Schember led Cass City basketball team won many games with 3-point shooting? So far the 3-pointer in Cass City games has been but a distant memory.

None has been made by either team in the opening 2 games.

Rapanos to address retirees

The Tuscola County Chapter of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel will hear Judith Rapanos, chairman of the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs, speak Wednesday, Sept. 21, at noon at the Brentwood in Caro.

Rapanos lives in Midland and is employed as an associate with the Rapanos Investment Group. She has a long history of involvement with various art groups since 1975, when she served on the board of directors of the American Symphony Orchestra League.

She is currently active in republican party activities

and is co-chair in Midland County of the Engler for Governor committee.



Judith Rapanos

For third quarter

Walbro declares dividend

The Board of Directors of Walbro Corporation has declared a third quarter dividend of 10 cents per share, payable Oct. 31, to stockholders of record Sept. 30. The dividend will be paid on approximately 8,565,000 shares outstanding.

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June 30, 1994	.10	8,563,576
March 31, 1994	.10	8,560,947
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Sept. 30, 1993	.10	8,539,264
June 30, 1993	.10	8,513,177
March 31, 1993	.10	8,435,100

Grant to benefit seniors

The Thumb Area Geriatric Clinic has received a grant from the Area Agency on Aging to provide expanded services for the seniors in Sanilac and Huron counties.

These services are provided at McKenzie Memorial Hospital, Sandusky, and Harbor Beach Community Hospital, Harbor Beach.

The clinic provides a thorough physical examination, including emotional, mental, nutritional, financial, and social concerns of the patient and families. This is a team approach with a physician, registered nurse, social worker and dietitian who are specially trained in the diseases and needs of the elderly. The examination and evaluation are available at no cost to the patient.

All seniors 60 and over are eligible for this service and appointments may be made through McKenzie Memorial Hospital (810) 648-3770, Ext. 239, or Harbor Beach Community Hospital (517) 479-3201.

Arlene Day retires from Navy

Navy Lt. Cmdr. Arlene B. Day, daughter of Agnes Zmich of Ubly, recently retired from active duty after 20 years of service.

Day most recently served at Fleet Anti-Submarine Warfare Training Center, Pacific, San Diego.

The 1966 graduate of Ubly High School joined the Navy in April 1970. Day is a 1970 graduate of Michigan State University, East Lansing, with a Bachelor of Science degree.

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HEALTHY HARVEST. Twenty-nine-year-old farmer Terry Muntz proudly holds a 1/2 pound, 15" diameter, radish reaped from his Cass City farm last week.



The Haire Net

I've been hooked on Red Lion hot dogs in Bay City for more than 50 years. Nowhere have I found them as good and that includes the celebrated hot dogs that periodically are praised in the Detroit papers.

They are always ordered with everything. At the Red Lion that means onions, pickles, mustard and the restaurant's unique chili sauce.

When the restaurant was owned by the Carris family, it was standard operating procedure to order its Mexican chili, too.

That changed when the new owners substituted the traditional chili to the more standard tomato-based chili that most restaurants serve.

In years past the Red Lion was a place where you could get quick service, starting with the time that the same hot dog I paid \$1.70 for last week cost 5 cents.

There have been changes over the years. In pre-historic times customers were served on a counter facing the west wall. Then it changed so that the counter faced the east wall and windows were carved into the west wall.

The next transformation was turning the counter service into a cafeteria. During all those years the customers knew that they would find quick, no frills service.

And since the Red Lion started in business, 3 other

restaurants (and maybe more) in the same block on Center Street, west of Washington, have disappeared.

Although Bay City has maintained one of the better downtown districts, there's no doubt that the community is feeling the pressure from the malls that surround the community.

Perhaps that is why the Red Lion is changing and the metamorphosis is greater than changing the seating arrangement or going to cafeteria style.

The lack of the casual evening shopper customer may be one reason why the new owners have removed the booths and placed in beautiful new tables complete with cloth tablecloths with a hostess to seat you after 6 p.m..

You can still get the traditional hot dog and the traditional service until 6 p.m. There are also hot dogs to take out at any time, but the new motif doesn't lend itself to dropping in for a dog and glass of milk.

It will be great if the new style proves successful, although it does seem that cones and linen are not overly compatible.

I would hate to see the Red Lion disappear the way that Stevens, the ice cream parlor, did on Third Street, the one that served those gigantic, thick chocolate malted milks for 15 cents in the depression era.

"If It Fitz...."

911 outrage

By Jim Fitzgerald



After civil rights icon Rosa Parks was assaulted and robbed and 911 was called, it took Detroit Police 36 minutes to reach her home.

That's slow, but I can give you slower. I can give you a doubleheader 911 outrage that's hard to believe.

Around 9 p.m. Aug. 26, Georgette Holst looked out the window of her northwest Detroit home and saw that 3 young men had broken into her neighbor's home and were carrying out stolen goods and putting them in a van and car parked at the curb.

Holst told me she immediately phoned 911. For the next 30 minutes, she watched the burglars calmly pile various electronic equipment and other items into their vehicles. She phoned 911 two more times and also twice called the 8th (Northwest) Police Precinct, only 4 blocks from her Ulster Street address.

During each call, Holst said, she made it clear that the burglars were still at the scene. But they'd finally left by the time police arrived, 90 minutes after the first call.

According to Holst, when she complained, an officer from the 8th Precinct insisted he reached the scene only four minutes after being dispatched via 911.

Holst described the situation as "completely appalling."

Fortunately, no one was home at the time of the burglary, so there could be no assault, as in the Rosa Parks case. When the owner, Pat Kellstrom, returned to find her home "completely ransacked," and began dealing with the cops, she wondered if anyone was at home at the 8th Precinct.

The crime didn't bother her "as much as the police reaction," said Kellstrom, who claimed she was confronted with a "don't care" attitude when she went to the 8th Precinct.

She called it "very frustrating" to realize an officer, after being notified of a burglary in progress, could probably have walked from the precinct to her home before the thieves left.

REPEAT PERFORMANCE

And things got even more frustrating. Wednesday evening, a thirtysomething man came to the Kellstrom home and offered to sell information about the burglary to Erik Kellstrom, Pat's brother. The man was told to come back Thursday at 7 p.m. Pat Kellstrom reported the incident to Investigator Judy Bavol at the 8th Precinct and asked that an officer be at her home when the man returned.

"Investigator Bavol said that was impossible, and I should call 911 when the man got here," Kellstrom said. "I was terrified. He could be one of the burglars." The man arrived on time and Kellstrom immediately phoned 911 and described the situation. She was told a squad car would be dispatched if possible. It never arrived.

The mysterious man stayed about 20 minutes. He gave the Kellstroms the alleged address of the burglars, even though they refused to pay him the \$25 he requested. Pat Kellstrom said they were armed with pepper gas, and

a neighbor snuck a snapshot of the visitor. If the investigation continues, they will probably have to do it.

OFFICIAL RESPONSE

At the 8th Precinct, I was told that all squad cars must be dispatched through 911 and it doesn't do any good to phone the nearest precinct. Investigator Bavol said I should take my questions to the department's public information office. I received the same suggestion from the 911 dispatch office.

This brilliant procedure guaranteed I'd be talking to an officer who knew exactly nothing about the case instead of talking to the personnel who knew all about it.

A public information sergeant said he'd look into the 911 response in the Kellstrom case and get back to me.

Speaking generally, the sergeant also said squad cars are dispatched on a priority basis, and a life-in-danger call takes precedence over property crime, such as home break-ins.

I imagine that's the same specific answer I'll eventually get. There are just too darn many lives in danger in Detroit. But wasn't there at least a potential danger to Pat Kellstrom's life?

Rosa Parks' life was certainly in danger. Maybe that's why her 911 response took only 36 minutes, instead of 90. Or forever.

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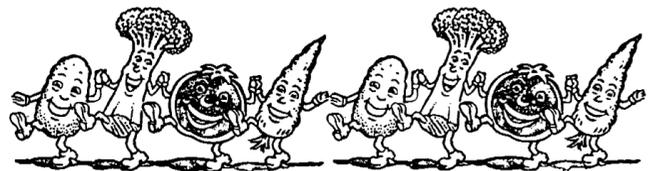
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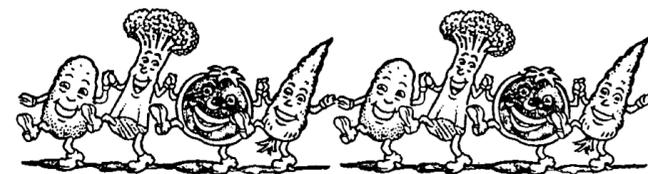
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Annual McLarty reunion held in Canada Aug. 28

Richard McLarty, Yale, acted as president at the annual McLarty reunion held Sunday, Aug. 28, at Canatara Park, Point Edward, Ontario, Canada.

Ariz., who died Dec. 4, 1993. Dale Ostrander, Mt. Morris, acted as auctioneer for a white elephant sale.

Special guests attended from London, Doncaster, Midland, Sarnia and Waterloo, Ontario.

Among the 47 attending, the oldest guest was Clarence Rossman, 88, Owosso, and the youngest was Nicole Marie, 4, daughter of Larry and Mary Ostrander, Mt. Morris. Traveling the greatest distance was John D. McLarty of Santa Rosa, Calif. A moment of silence was observed in remembrance of John E. McLarty, Kingman,

Officers for 1995 are: president, Evelyn McLarty, Dryden; vice-president, William A. McLarty, Doncaster, Ontario; game committee, Arlene and Jessica Furden, Mt. Morris, and secretary, Deloris Willerton, Midland.

The next reunion will be held Aug. 27, 1995, at the same park.



Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson
Phone 658-2347

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Cleland, Michael, Erin and Sarah were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer spent Friday in Detroit and visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williamson at Sterling Heights.

Manly Fay of Chelsea and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fay of Pontiac spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord LaPeer. They all visited Mrs. Helen Greenleaf and Donald

Greenleaf. Mrs. Greenleaf taught the Fays at the Heron School in the 1930s.

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

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

Mrs. Alex Cleland spent Wednesday and Thursday with Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Briolat, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Krug and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Sunday cookout dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawle in Warren.

Gordon Wheeler and friend Kim of Lake Orion spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

August Lindquest was a Tuesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Edanna Sweeney was a Tuesday evening guest of Ruth Silver.

RETIREMENT PARTY

A potluck dinner and barbecue were held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Walker Sr. in honor of his retirement after 31 years at Detroit Edison.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kleinfelt of China Township, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kleinfelt and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Kleinfelt and 4 children of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. David Dickens and 2 children of Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marks and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stinko of Milan, Danny and Joan Marks and son of Ann Arbor, Danny LeGuere of Mt. Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pierce and son of Wyandotte, Howard Hallock of Owendale, Jeff Hallock, Janice and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Boland, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kosinski and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker Jr. and 2 sons, Wilbert Wolschlager and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wolschlager and family of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McLaughlin of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. John Cieslinski.

Denise Dombrowski of

Chester, N.Y., is spending a week with her mother-in-law, Betty Dombrowski.

Mrs. Franklin Sweeney of Lansing was a Sunday guest of Ruth Rakowski in Bad Axe and Edanna Sweeney and David.

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

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

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Corbishley, Charles and Christopher were Saturday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McQueen of Roscommon, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Garety, Edanna Sweeney and David attended the Mike Maurers' golden wedding Mass at St. John's Catholic Church in Ubyly and the dinner and party that followed at the Ubyly Fox Hunters Hall in Ubyly Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tyrrell and Cody, Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney, Mrs. Martin Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski, Edanna Sweeney and David, were among a group who attended the wedding of Brenda Tyrrell and Michael Weisenberger at St. John's Catholic Church Saturday. A reception followed at Colony House.

Thirteen members of the Breakfast Club met at Northwood Shores for breakfast Thursday morning. The next meeting will be at the Scenic Golf Course at Pigeon next Thursday.

Forty-two members of the Evergreen 4-H Club and the Holbrook Helpers 4-H Club and their leaders spent Thursday at Blue Water Sun Park at Sarnia.

Ruth Pierce of Royal Oak

and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kinney and Lafe of Detroit took Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bouck and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson to Franklin Inn in Bad Axe for brunch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Glaza and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Glaza.

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer of Ubyly celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at the 4 p.m. Mass at St. John's Catholic Church in Ubyly. Fr. John Mullet officiated.

Mike Maurer and Lila Walker were married Aug. 30, 1944, at St. Columbkille Church in Sheridan. Attendees were Blanche and Jack Krug, Bad Axe, Norine Williamson, Sterling Heights, and Frank Bukowski (deceased), Ubyly.

A dinner followed at the Ubyly Fox Hunters Club for their children, grandchildren, family and friends.

Their children include Lana Gordon of Ubyly, Elaine Lansing of Denver, Colo., Joanie (deceased) and Lois Hill of Ruth. They have 5 grandchildren, Brandy, Courtney and Erin Gordon, and Adam and Andrea Hill.

Around 200 guests attended from Colorado, Fort Wayne, Ind., Sterling Heights, Detroit, Mt. Clemens, Roscommon, Shelby Township, Clinton Township, Harbor Beach, Ruth, Mason, Bad Axe, Cass City and the Ubyly area.

Darlene Terrassi and Lorraine Peters were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr.

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

Elaine Lansing of Tucson, Ariz., left Sunday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer. She attended Mr. and Mrs. Maurer's 50th wedding anniversary celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Taylor and Brian, Kim Gibbard, Tom Talaski, Mrs. Greg Moore and family and Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard spent the weekend camping at Port Austin, where they celebrated Evans Gibbard's birthday Saturday night with cake and ice cream.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland attended the Friends of the Library meeting at the Cass City library Thursday forenoon.

Betty Dombrowski spent the month of August in California, where she visited her daughter, Dorothy Brown, and husband William in Fremont, and grandsons, Joe Brown and wife and family in Merced and Bill Brown Jr. and wife and family in Pleasanton. She also visited

her granddaughter, Debbie Wald, and husband Randal and family in Union City.

Larry Silver of Bay City was a Sunday supper guest of Reva Silver.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Waterford and Mrs. Alex Cleland were Thursday guests of Blanche Clutz and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cleland and family at Walled Lake.

Gordon Farrelly was a Sunday forenoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farrelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bredow.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard attended the John Deere picnic at the Glen Maust home in Pigeon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka were Tuesday forenoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Anthes.

Mrs. Martin Sweeney entertained at 2 tables of 500 a her home Thursday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Tony Cielinski and Mrs. Henry Sofka. A dessert lunch was served.

Art Morell visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland Sunday evening.

Notice of Public Hearing on Increasing Property Taxes

The Township Board of the Township of Evergreen will hold a public hearing on a proposed increase of .0267 mills in the operating tax millage rate to be levied in 1994.

The hearing will be held on Thursday, Sept. 8, 1994 at 7:30 p.m. at Evergreen Township Hall.

The date and location of the meeting to take action on the proposed additional millage will be announced at this public meeting.

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 3% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing. If the proposed additional millage rate is not approved the operating revenue will increase by 1.9% over the preceding year's operating revenue.

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Acting Beth Wood's goal Area teen eyes Broadway



RISING STAR — Beth Wood, a Cass City High School sophomore, scans a Florida newspaper story featuring her and other students who recently participated in a 2-week workshop at the Burt Reynolds Institute for Theatre Training.

From her rural home near Shabbona, Broadway probably seems a million miles away to Beth Wood.

But that isn't stopping the aspiring young actress from hoping that with a lot of work and sacrifice, and a little luck, she might just make it there someday.

"It's a long shot, but it's something to hope for," the Cass City High School sophomore recently commented after returning home from a 2-week workshop at the Burt Reynolds Institute for Theatre Training in Jupiter, Fla.

"I have a very, very, very big interest in acting, theatre, film, anything," said Wood, the daughter of A.C. Wood.

That interest was sparked by her involvement in a

school production last year. So when she learned about the Burt Reynolds Institute workshop while visiting Florida, she didn't waste time sending in an application.

The institute is staffed by Burt Reynolds Institute alumni who pass on their knowledge of acting to young people ages 12 to 18 during summer workshops. Aside from teaching, staff members make up the cast of a production company that performs regularly at the institute.

Wood paid a little over \$300 to attend a 2-week session. She expected to find herself sitting in a classroom, but it didn't turn out that way.

"Everything was hands-on,

everything," she explained, adding her first class focused on auditioning and the second class, on performance fundamentals and advanced work in acting on stage. "We learned monologues and we did scenes from certain plays, like I did one scene from 'Bus Stop.'"

Students also received passes to attend the institute cast's production of "The All Night Strut."

On the final day, the students put what they learned to a test in front of family members and friends.

"It was a very good experience. I can't wait to get myself down there next summer for a full 6 weeks," Wood said.

"I learned a lot. I used to

be really, really shy and afraid to do things," she added, noting she "learned to not be afraid of what people think — to just do what you want. If I want this, I'm going to go after it and just do it."

Wood plans to return to Florida during the winter months in hopes of auditioning for 3 upcoming movies.

"Just to audition would be a really good experience," she pointed out, "and maybe, if I'm really lucky, I might get a part."

Although the area teen has tentatively set her sights on acting, she also realizes the odds are against making it big. So she also has a back-

up plan that includes a college education and, perhaps, a career in nursing.

Still, she is determined to give acting her best shot. She vows to get a lot more training, learn everything she can about her craft and, in the process, enjoy herself, even if she doesn't go beyond a high school auditorium stage.

"It's going to take a long time and it's going to take a lot of hard work. I know that."

The 15-year-old grinned and added, "I'm not saying I'm going to make it and I'm not saying I'm not going to make it. I'm just going to do it because it's fun."

Develop new bean varieties

Genetic improvements in the past 5 years have spurred the development of 8 new varieties representing 6 dry bean classes at Michigan State University.

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The varieties, and some of their characteristics, are:

-- Sierra is an upright growing pinto resistant to all races of rust in Michigan, has good tolerance to white mold and shows resistance to Fusarium. It is susceptible to bean common mosaic virus. It matures in about 99 days. In 8 years of field trials, it averaged 27 hundredweight (cwt.) per acre. Sierra certified seed has been on the market since 1991.

-- Blackhawk, also available since 1991, is a black bean with upright growth averaging 22 inches. It is resistant to bean common mosaic virus, rust and anthracnose and tolerant of white mold. Its average yield in 11 seasons of field trials was 24 wt. per acre.

-- Alpine is the first great northern for Michigan. In tests for 5 seasons in 29 locations, it averaged 25 cwt. per acre. It matures in about

93 days. Alpine is an erect type II plant with a short vine. It is resistant to rust but is susceptible to anthracnose and bean common mosaic and has little tolerance to white mold. It has been on the market since 1993.

-- Aztec, available for the first time this spring, is an erect, type II indeterminate pinto that in 5 seasons of testing in 38 locations averaged 25 cwt. per acre. It matures in 90 days. It is tolerant to the alpha race of anthracnose but is susceptible to Michigan rust races and bean common mosaic virus.

-- Chinook, a light red kidney, averaged 24 cwt. in 4 years of field trials in 45 locations. The upright plants reach about 20 inches. Chinook has good resistance to lodging and matures in about 94 to 98 days. It is resistant to bean common mosaic virus, immune to rust, resistant to anthracnose and moderately tolerant of halo blight but is susceptible to angular leaf spot. Certified seed will be available in 1995.

-- Raven, a black bean that averaged 23 cwt. per acre over the past 4 growing seasons, will be available for the 1995 planting season. Maturing in about 92 days, the plant has upright growth and excellent lodging resistance. Raven has good resistance to bean common mosaic virus.

black root, alpha anthracnose and Michigan rust races. It is susceptible to white mold and common blight.

-- Huron is an upright navy bean that will be available for the 1995 planting season. In seasons of field trials in 34 locations, the variety averaged 25 cwt. per acre. Maturing in about 92 days, it is resistant to Michigan rust races, anthracnose and bean common mosaic virus. It is tolerant to white mold but is susceptible to common blight.

-- Isles is a dark red kidney bean that will be available as certified seed in 1995. The variety was named in memory of Rick Isles, farm manager of the Michigan Foundation Seed Association, who perished in a private plane crash. In 7 seasons of field trials, Isles averaged 22 cwt. per acre. Maturing in about 96 days, it is resistant to bean common mosaic, anthracnose and Michigan rust races and tolerant of halo blight and common blight. A bush-type plant growing to about 18 inches, it is noted for its canning characteristics and uniform maturity.

Details on each of these varieties are available through MSU Extension - Huron County, 104 County Building, Bad Axe, or from the MSU Bulletin Office, 10B Agriculture Hall, MSU, East Lansing, MI 48824-1039.



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O-G girls split tourney games in season opener

The Owen-Gage girls' cage team swung into action last week, hosting the Caseville tournament where they split games with Carsonville-Port Sanilac and Caseville.

For Coach Dean Roller, now in his 9th year, the tournament results were slightly disappointing.

"I thought we could win (the tournament) since it was in our gym. But it's very earlier in the season," commented Roller.

In their season opener last Monday against C-PS, the Bulldogs surrendered a 7 point 4th quarter lead and succumbed to the Tigers, 40-37.

"We shot very poorly. Only 20% from the floor. Our free throw shooting (13-36) was especially bad."

With his entire starting 5 returning, Roller hopes for a big improvement over last year's record of 6-15.

Angie Wildman, who netted 8 points in Monday's tilt, scored 5 of the Bulldogs' 7 first quarter points. The 2nd team NCTL selection last year, Wildman led the Bulldogs in scoring with a 14.3 average. The senior guard will play a significant role if the Bulldogs hope to contend with league favorites Peck and North Huron.

Another returning starter, senior Melody Abfalter, led the Bulldogs with 14 tallies in the opener. Abfalter is a strong defensive player who should improve upon her 7.9 average from last season.

A pair of sophomores, Kate Powers and Susie Roemer, are capable of averaging in double figures for the Bulldogs. Power, at 5' 10", is the 'Dogs' tallest player and best rebounder. She hauled in over 10 rebounds per game in the 1993-94 campaign.

Roemer had 13 tallies in the Bulldogs' 56-33 victory over Caseville last Wednesday.

Roemer averaged 6.5 points per game last season and is capable of netting 20 on any given night.

Another returnee is Jennifer Winchester. Called to the varsity late last season, Winchester is a solid rebounder.

Roller has called on the service of freshman Tonya Smith to beef up his offense. Smith has long range ability showcased by a fine 4th quarter against Caseville, where she posted 3 field goals. Smith is lightning quick and should see plenty of playing time as she and the season mature.

Senior Jennifer Niester, 5' 8" forward, is another sound defensive player. She'll need to improve on her offensive skills if O-G hopes to make a title run.

OWEN-GAGE - Tonya Smith 4-0 (1-2) 9; Melody Abfalter 4-0 (0-0) 8; Susie Roemer 6-0 (1-3) 13; Angie Wildman 4-0 (6-11) 14; Kate Powers 5-0 (1-1) 11; Jennifer Winchester 0-0 (1-2) 1. **TOTALS** - 23-0 (10-19) 56.

CASEVILLE - Amy Stahl 1-0 (0-0) 2; Amie Cieslinski 1-0 (1-4) 3; Misty McCrimman 3-0 (0-1) 6; Karla Pittenger 5-0 (2-6) 12; Melissa Leach 2-2 (0-0) 10. **TOTALS** - 12-2 (3-14) 33.

OWEN-GAGE - Jennifer Niester 1-0 (0-1) 2; Melody Abfalter 6-0 (2-6) 14; Susie Roemer 0-0 (2-13) 2; Angie Wildman 1-0 (6-10) 8; Kate Powers 4-0 (3-4) 11. **TOTALS** - 12-0 (13-36) 37.

CPS - Carrie Smith 3-0 (1-3) 7; Jamie Bartley 6-0 (3-7) 15; Jackie Ostrowski 1-0 (2-4) 4; Kathryn Schommer 2-0 (0-0) 4; Erin Cayce 4-0 (0-0) 8; Steph Bachus 1-0 (0-0) 2. **TOTALS** - 17-0 (6-16) 40.



THE OWEN-GAGE BULLDOGS return from last year's 6-15 cage record with their entire starting unit. They are: (from left) Brooke Kovach, Tonya Smith, Melody Abfalter, Angie Wildman, Kate Powers, Jennifer Winchester, Stacy Rievert, Jennifer Niester, Susie Roemer, Coach Dean Roller.



CHAMPIONS OF the Rolling Hills Golf Course Ladies League are: (from the left) Marie Harm - flight #4, Mary Lou Maurer - flight #3, Linda Helwig - flight #2, Lil Jaroch - flight #1. Toby Weaver earned the league's MIP distinction.



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Bulldog defense shines Besonen:13-0 win 'wasn't pretty'

"It wasn't pretty, but it ended up in the right column."

That's how veteran mentor Arnie Besonen summed up his Owen-Gage Bulldogs' gridiron win Friday over Arenac Eastern.

In a typical season opening tilt, the Bulldog offense sputtered for 3 quarters before registering a pair of 4th period scores that resulted in a 13-0 victory.

If the 'Dogs hope to be successful this week when they entertain North Huron in the North Central Thumb League opener for both schools, they will need more than a strong defensive showing, which Besonen credited for Friday's triumph.

"Our defense came up with 2 great efforts after Arenac threatened. We'll have some surprises for North Huron," said Besonen following the win.

North Huron, one of the NCTL favorites, is coming off a 28-0 thrashing by Uby. Owen-Gage, who passed just 9 times against the Eagles, will most likely go more to the air against the Warriors as they boast one of the league's best linebackers in Paul Weber, who should control the combat between the hash marks.

Owen-Gage's first score Friday was the result of one of only 3 Bulldog comple-

tions on the evening. A 12 yard strike from Ryan Radabaugh to Mark Damm capped a 7 play, 38 yard drive with 8 minutes remaining on the clock.

The Bulldogs' final score was set up by cornerback Rob Coryell's interception that spotted the ball on the Eagles' 22 yard line. Four plays later Wade Tetil scampered 13 yards for the marker. John Richmond's kick for the point after gave the visitors a 13-0 margin with 2:15 remaining in the contest.

The game's best scoring opportunity in the initial half belonged to the Eagles. A short opening kickoff spotted the Bulldogs optimum field position just short of the midfield line. However, the Eagle defense, combined with a couple of Bulldog penalties, saw the visitors' offense retreating and forced to punt.

The hosts took the ball over and promptly marched down within the 15 yard line where the Bulldog defense stiffened and proved worthy of the test that halted the hosts' inaugural possession.

The Bulldog defense controlled the line of scrimmage the remainder of the night. Tetil led an array of defensive players with 13 tackles and one fumble recovery. Following Tetil was

cornerback Bryan Baker, who was credited with 8 stops. Also helping the Bulldog cause was the defensive line play of noseguard Bill Schlak and end Mark Damm, who each recorded 7 tackles. Two of Damm's tackles resulted in negative yardage.

Coryell had a banner defensive game. Besides his key interception, he collected one fumble and one sack to go along with his 7 stops.

The Eagles mounted one final drive in the game's closing moments, driving inside the Bulldogs' 10 yard line. Owen-Gage preserved its shutout when a Brad Cook hit caused a fumble recovered by Joe Tkacz in the end zone. Owen-Gage was able to run out the clock for the win.

Offensively, Tetil was the Bulldog workhorse, carrying the ball 20 times for 118 yards. Tkacz recorded 55 yards on just 8 attempts.

	O-G	A
First downs	13	16
Rushing attempts	35	45
Rushing yards	171	181
Passes complete	3	9
Passes attempted	9	9
Passing yards	34	17
Total yards	211	149
Intercepted by	1	1
Fumbles lost	0	2
Penalties/yds	10/80	8/80



THE YANKEES finished on top of the Cass City Little League standings with an 8-2 record. They are (front, from left): Jason Berger, Brad Stine, Andy Dale, Josh Klein, Dean McBride. Back row: Matt Klein, David Sutter, Mike Mathew, Craig Emmert, Josh Sherman, Greg Walter, Coach Marvin Klein.

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Aug. 29-Sept. 1	Caseville Inv.	Home	6:00
Sept. 6	AuGres	Home	6:00
8	Kingston	Away	6:00
13	North Huron	Home	6:00
15	North Branch Wesleyan	Home	6:00
20	Akron-Fairgrove	Away	6:00
22	Caseville	Away	6:00
27	Carsonville-Port Sanilac	Home	6:00
Oct. 4	Peck	Away	6:00
6	Port Hope	Away	6:00
11	North Branch Wesleyan	Away	5:30
13	Kingston	Home	6:00
18	North Huron	Away	6:00
20	Akron-Fairgrove	Home	6:00
25	Caseville	Home	6:00
Nov. 1	Carsonville-Port Sanilac	Away	6:00
3	Peck	Home	6:00
8	Port Hope	Home	6:00
10	AuGres	Away	6:30
14-18	Districts	TBA	

Vehicle damaged

Cass City police are investigating a damaged vehicle complaint filed last week by village resident Donald C. Horne.

Horne stated someone damaged his father, Alfred's, car, smashing the windshield, caving in the hood and breaking the front left light Aug. 29.

Police have a pair of suspects in the incident.

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Hahn, Sweeney speed by Cass City in opener, Pinney is next

If nothing else, the Cass City Red Hawk football team should be ready for league competition after this Friday's game at Pinconning. The Spartans and the Caro Tigers are both class B teams with fine squads.

It was history repeating itself for Cass City last week when Caro defeated the Hawks 14-6. Last season the Tigers topped Cass City with 3 long runs of 32, 40 and 68 yards. Last Friday runs of 74 yards and 35 yards enabled Caro to post a 14-6 victory.

The Hawks were unable to match the speed of Mike Hahn and sophomore Matt Sweeney last Friday. This week they will have to contain Brad Webster, a 200-pound Pinney tailback with

	CC	C
First downs	10 11	
Rushing attempts	40 43	
Rushing yds.	144 289	
Passes complete	4 4	
Passes attempted	7 8	
Passes, yds.	16 42	
Fumbles	2 2	
Penalties	3 13	
Yards lost	18 120	

the speed to run the ends. He gained over 1,000 yards last year and was impressive in an opening game loss to Essexville Garber.

Sweeney broke open a tight game in the second quarter when he broke through the line and went untouched to the goal line. He was a step ahead of the Hawk secondary and outran the defense

for the score.

The extra point try was finally missed after 2 successful attempts to run for 2 points were negated when 6 players were on the line for each snap.

The Hawks gave their fans something to cheer about in the first half. The defense sparkled to hold Caro in check in the first quarter. A drive started on the Hawk 29-yard line. The Tigers moved steadily down the field for a first down on the 5. That was as far as they were to get. Two plays lost 5 yards. A pass fell incomplete and an attempted field goal resulted in a bad pass from center and the Hawks took over on the 29.

Cass City's best drive in the first half came in the last moments of the first quarter and early in the second. The drive started on the Hawk 46. A pass gained 5 yards and a penalty moved the ball to the Tiger 34.

Jason Morgan ran twice for 5 and 4 yards and Tim Warneck picked up 8 for first down on the Tiger 18. But the drive stalled as 3 plays lost 16 yards and the Hawks were forced to punt.

In the first half Caro picked up lots of yardage between the 20-yard lines, but was unable to put points on the board with a sustained drive.

Despite the visitors' domination, Cass City was very much in the game until the

end of the third quarter. With just 42 seconds left in the period, Hahn broke through for a touchdown that proved decisive. Bob Pistro ran for the extra points.

Cass City got on the scoreboard with 5:26 left in the game when Morgan slammed over from 3 yards out. The extra points try failed.

Morgan led the ball carriers with 74 yards in 14 attempts for a 5.29 average. Warneck gained 61 yards in 12 tries.

Morgan and Warneck led the defense. Morgan had 14 tackles, 3 unassisted, and Warneck, 13, 4 unassisted. Corey Ulfig played well in his first varsity experience with 9 tackles.



COREY ULFIG MADE the stop on Robert Pistro on this play, one of 3 unassisted tackles he made against the Tigers.

Hawks split pair, prep for league hoop opener at Bad Axe

The Cass City Red Hawks will play the first regularly scheduled Saturday afternoon basketball game in history this week when the team travels to Bad Axe. The game

will also kick off conference competition in the new National Division of the Thumb C.

Cass City prepped for the conference game with contests against teams in the American Division of the league, topping Reese, 46-27, before bowing to Harbor Beach at home, 50-36. The team was to have played at USA Tuesday.

A quirk in the schedule puts the Hawks on the road for 5 of the first 6 games.

The Hawks opened the season at Reese and were in control all the way.

Led by veterans Kelli VanVliet and Peyton Daniel, the Hawks jumped off to a 13-8 first period lead as Lisa Burns netted 5 points.

Cass City removed much doubt about the outcome of the game in the second quarter, scoring 17 points on balanced scoring while Reese netted only 2 field goals in the period.

The Rockets bounded back

a little in the third quarter to close the gap to 36-24, before the Hawk defense asserted itself and held Reese to just 3 points in the final 8 minutes.

Daniel and VanVliet led the Hawks with 10 points each and Burns added 9. Coach Marty Daniel singled out Daniel, VanVliet and Jamie Caister for strong defensive efforts.

CASS CITY - Kelli VanVliet 3-0 (4-6) 10; Andrea Cooper 1-0 (0-0) 2; Jaime Caister 2-0 (0-0) 4; Lisa Burns 4-0 (1-3) 9; Jill Wright 0-0 (3-4) 3; Ashlie Chappel 2-0 (2-2) 6; Peyton Daniel 5-0 (0-0) 10; Cori Britt 1-0 (0-0) 2. **TOTALS** - 18-0 (10-15) 46.

REESE - L. Anklam 2-0 (1-2) 5; M. Frost 1-0 (0-2) 2; S. Manley 4-0 (2-4) 10; L. Trombley 1-0 (0-0) 2; K. Krenz 2-0 (0-0) 4; S. Osantowski 1-0 (0-0) 2; K. Amend 1-0 (0-0) 2. **TOTALS** - 12-0 (3-10) 27.

HARBOR BEACH

The bad news in the Thumb C Conference is that Harbor Beach plays 3 sophomores on the varsity, 2 of whom played significant roles in the Pirates' win over Cass City last Thursday. The good news is that they are in the American Division of the Thumb C and games will not count in the league race.

The visiting Beachers jumped off to a lead in the first 4 minutes of the first quarter and led all the way. It was one of the sophomores, Leah Booms, who led the early charge with 3 quick baskets in the first quarter. At the 4:09 mark in the period Harbor Beach was ahead, 10-2.

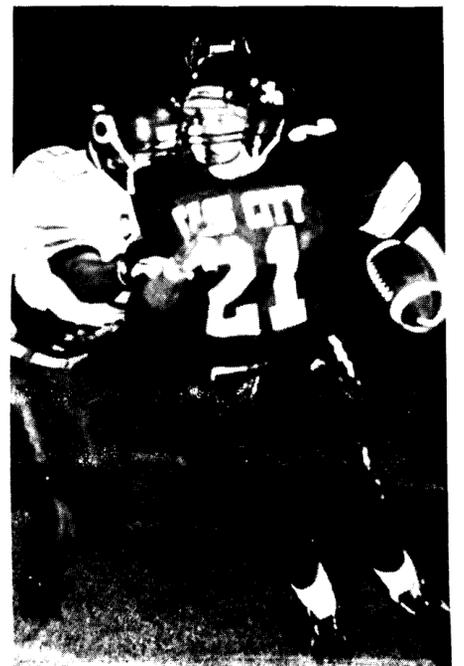
The Hawks couldn't find the hoop in the first quarter and were held to a pair of buckets by VanVliet and Jill Wright. Cass City made a mini run

at the Pirates early in the second period led by Burns, but that drive faded as Melissa Wolschlegar, another sophomore, scored a basket, was fouled and made the charity toss.

Trailing 24-16 at the intermission, Cass City outscored the Beachers in the third period and moved to within 6 points in the last period. But that was as close as the team could get and Jodi Brown, Booms and Wolschlegar took over to salt away the win.

Booms, with 16 points, and Brown, with 13, led the winners. Cass City was paced by Burns, 12 points, and VanVliet, 10 points.

Daniel said that the Pirates' speed, quickness and balanced scoring was too much for his team to overcome.



TIM WARNECK PICKED up a short gain before being stopped by Caro's Ryan Baranski.

CASS CITY - Kelli VanVliet 3-0 (4-7) 10; Lisa Burns 3-0 (6-9) 12; Jill Wright 2-0 (0-3) 4; Ashlie Chappel 1-0 (0-0) 2; Peyton Daniel 2-0 (4-6) 8. **TOTALS** - 11 (14-28) 36.

HARBOR BEACH - Stephanie Shedd 1-0 (0-0) 2; Pam Roggenbuck 1-0 (0-0) 2; Melissa Wolschlegar 3-0 (3-3) 9; Leah Booms 7-0 (2-3) 16; Paula Ginther 1-0 (0-0) 2; Jodi Brown 6-0 (1-1) 13; Jennifer Kramer 1-0 (0-0) 2; Stacey Suida 2-0 (0-0) 4. **TOTALS** - 22-0 (6-7) 50.

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Mayville vs. Deckerville	Deckerville	Deckerville	Deckerville	Deckerville
Ubyly vs. Reese	Reese	Reese	Reese	Reese
Harbor Beach vs. Sand.	Harbor Beach	Harbor Beach	Harbor Beach	Sandusky
N. Huron vs. O-G	North Huron	North Huron	North Huron	North Huron
Hillman vs. Kingston	Kingston	Kingston	Kingston	Kingston
Last week	7-3	8-2	6-4	7-3
Accuracy percentage	70%	80%	60%	70%



LISA BURNS CONVERTED this free throw. Overall the Hawks' shooting from the charity stripe could be improved. For the first 2 games the Cass City average is just 50 percent.

Hawk golfers top O-G

The Cass City Red Hawks were tuned up for the National Division Thumb C Conference competition by sweeping a match with Owen-Gage Monday, Aug. 29, at Rolling Hills Golf Course. The Hawks play at Cros-Lex Wednesday and the league match will be on the same course Friday.

The Hawks took the medal play division, 177-191, division match play competition, 25 to 17.

Freshman Chad Tate was medalist with a 38. In the medal competition the top 4 scorers among 6 players are counted. Other Cass City scores were: Sam Hobbs, 49; Andy Green, 43; Chad Zawilinski, 47; Mike Peruski, 54; Jeremy Russell, 54.

For Owen-Gage the results were: Jason Anthes, 45; Mark Pisarek, 49; Wade Tetil, 45; John Richmond, 52; Eric Dietzel, 53.

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Several appear in circuit court

The following people appeared last week in Tuscola County Circuit Court on criminal charges:

•Edmond J. Robar, 18, Saginaw, pleaded guilty to attempted breaking and entering a motor vehicle. The offense took place Dec. 9, 1993, in Reese, according to court records.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$3,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

•Jennifer J. Gotwalt, 21, Caro, was found guilty of malicious destruction of property over \$100 following a one-day jury trial. She was accused of damaging a 1988 Ford Escort April 1, 1993, in Juniata Township.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$4,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

uled.
•Tony S. Bossert, 20, Cass City, was re-sentenced to a minimum 30 months incarceration for breaking and entering a house at 3060 E. Deckerville Rd., Cass City, Sept. 8, 1992, and 24 months for receiving and concealing stolen property (2 motorcycles) July 27-31, 1992, in Ellington Township.

Bossert successfully appealed his March 26, 1993, sentences of concurrent prison terms of 5 to 10 years.

•David P. Reeves, 26, Caro, entered a plea of guilty during his arraignment on a charge of third degree criminal sexual conduct stemming from a July 29 incident in Caro involving a victim under the age of 13 years.

A pre-sentence investigation and HIV testing were ordered by the court, which remanded Reeves to the cus-

tody of the sheriff's department. Bond was continued at \$20,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

•Alan J. Dandron, 38, Gageton, stood mute to charges of assault with intent to do bodily harm less than murder July 11 in Columbia Township, and being an habitual offender, third offense.

A pre-trial hearing is to be scheduled. Bond was continued at \$15,000 and Dandron was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department.

•Bert L. McQueen, 28, Caro, stood mute to a charge of first degree criminal sexual conduct stemming from an alleged incident in June 1989 in Wells Township involving a victim under the age of 13 years.

A pre-trial hearing is to be scheduled. Bond was continued at \$5,000.

•Lloyd E. Newcomb, 53, Millington, stood mute to a charge of conspiracy to possess with intent to deliver marijuana in Tuscola County. The charge is the result of a Multi-County Citizens Grand Jury investigation.

A pre-trial hearing is to be scheduled. Bond was continued at \$4,000.

•Dawn L. Morrison, 24, Bay City, pleaded innocent to probation violation — association with an individual in violation of probation.

A pre-trial hearing is to be scheduled. Bond was continued at \$5,000.

•Sean M. Hadaway, 22, Fairgrove, pleaded guilty to being an accessory after the fact of a felony. The offense took place Feb. 10 in Fairgrove Township, according to court records, which state he assisted an individual wanted for larceny over \$100.

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

•Brandon S. Ezell, 22, Vassar, was sentenced for pleas of guilty to fleeing and eluding a police officer and attempted felonious assault June 17 in Fremont Township.

He was sentenced to 24 months probation and 180 days in the county jail (60 days deferred to the end of probation), with work release, and ordered to pay a

\$720 oversight fee and \$40 victim crime fee. Restitution is to be determined. Court costs and fines were waived.

•James S. Terbush Jr., 27, Cass City, was sentenced to 2 years probation and 6 months in jail, with work release, for a plea of guilty to delivery of marijuana Jan. 26, 1993, in Cass City.

He was also ordered to pay court costs and fines totalling \$1,000, restitution of \$1,000, a \$720 oversight fee plus attorney fees.

•John P. Husarick, 17, Millington, stood mute during his arraignment on a charge of probation violation — violation of the Tuscola County Jail Worksite program by walking away from a job site and failing to return.

Husarick was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department. A pre-trial hearing is to be scheduled in the case. Bond was continued.

•David M. Langley, 22, Caro, was sentenced to 2 years probation and 180 days in jail (90 days deferred), with work site privileges, for his plea of guilty to delivery of marijuana during the summer of 1991 in Tuscola County.

Langley, who was indicted on the charge by the Multi-County Citizens Grand Jury, was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department.

He was ordered to pay costs and fines totalling \$400, a \$720 oversight fee and \$30 victim crime fee. Restitution is to be determined.

•Richard I. Bureson, 43, Cass City, entered a plea of guilty to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, and driving while his license was suspended, second offense, July 29 in Cass City.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$300. Sentencing is to be set.

Red Cross strike over

Members of the Office and Professional Employees International Union (OPEIU) and management of the American Red Cross, Wolverine Blood Region, tentatively settled their labor dispute last Wednesday in what was called a "fair and reasonable" agreement.

Forty-eight employees, including nurses, donor technicians and mobile unit assistants, returned to their jobs Friday.

"Volunteers and staff assisted in meeting the blood needs of the region's hospitals throughout the 3-week strike period," said Fred Wilson, acting principal officer for the Wolverine Region.

"By rescheduling some blood drives we were able to get through a very difficult situation. Our volunteer coordinators and donors have been very patient and understanding. The task now is to get everyone back to work.

Abbie Ackerman

Mrs. Abbie Louise Ackerman, 84, of Rose City, formerly Gageton, died Sunday, Sept. 4, at Bortz Health Care Center in Rose City after a lengthy illness.

She was born Feb. 18, 1910, in Vassar, the daughter of Arthur and Mary (PeCure) Whidden.

Miss Whidden married Archie Ackerman Oct. 18, 1926, in Gageton, where they made their home. He died June 5, 1963. Mrs. Ackerman moved to Flint in 1976 and to Rose City in 1987.

She had been a member of the Gageton Church of the Nazarene for over 50 years.

Surviving are one son, Frederick A. Ackerman of Beaverton; 2 daughters, Mrs. Lila Boots of Arcadia and Mrs. Robert (Christina) Jewell of Gageton; 16 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; one great-great-granddaughter; 4 sisters, Mrs. Leonore Shantz and Mrs. Martha Emmons, both of Gageton, Mrs. Lillian Henderson of West Branch and Mrs. Hazel Nitz of Sebawaing. Two sons, Edward and Archie Jr., and one brother, John, preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 11 a.m. at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Jerry Wallace, pastor of the Colling Church of the Nazarene, officiating.

Interment will be in Elmwood Cemetery, Gageton.

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.

Obituaries

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; 4 brothers, John of El Cajon, Calif., Peter of Tomah, Wis., Stanley of Rapid City and Carl of Shelby, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Robert (Wanda) Niederhofer of Sterling Heights and Mrs. Arthur (Mary) Gregg of Berkley. Two brothers, Floren and Michael, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were scheduled Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Father Paul Bala, pastor of St. Pancratius Catholic Church of Cass City, officiating.

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

William Lowe

William D. Lowe, 73, of Bay City died Sunday, Sept. 4, at Bay Medical Center following a brief illness.

He was born Feb. 3, 1920, in Montmorency County, and has resided in the Bay City area since 1947.

A retired auditor for the State of Michigan, he formerly worked for Gulf Oil Company and served with the U.S. Army Headquarters Battery, First F.A. Battalion, 6th Division, during WW II.

He is survived by his wife, the former Donna T. Turner, whom he married June 14, 1952, in Cass City; one son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Greg W. and Lauree Lowe of Alma; one grandson; 2 sisters, Arbutus Schofield and Doris Lowe, both of Grayling; one brother, Richard Lowe of Dimondale; a sister-in-law, Chloe Lowe of Grayling, and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

A memorial service will take place Saturday, Sept. 10, at 1:00 p.m. at the Gephart Funeral Home, Inc., Bay City. At his request, the remains will be donated to anatomy.

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Janet Sherman

Mrs. Janet Sherman, 80, of Cass City, died Sunday, Sept. 4, at Saginaw General Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born April 17, 1914, in Verona Township, Huron County, daughter of Syrian and Agnes (Moriarty) Gainer.

She married Neil Sherman Aug. 27, 1937, in Ohio. They made their home in Cass City and Pt. Charlotte, Fla. He died Aug. 30, 1986.

An antique dealer, Mrs. Sherman also owned and operated Sherman's Restaurant in Cass City before retiring in 1973.

Surviving are a son, James Sherman and wife Erika of Cass City; 4 grandchildren; a brother, Gene Gainer of Bad Axe, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Iver (Ellen) Thorsen of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Ralph (Agnes) Eichorst of Clarkston. Two sisters, Ruby and Mary, and one brother, Sam, died previously.

Funeral services were scheduled Wednesday at 1 p.m. at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Rev. Clifford Jordan, pastor of the Cass City Missionary Church, officiating.

Burial was to be in Elkland Cemetery, Cass City.

Grace Smith

Mrs. Grace Smith, 78, of Deford died Tuesday, Aug. 30, at her residence, after an illness of several weeks.

She was born Oct. 10, 1915, in Walled Lake, the daughter of Charles and Grace (Cole) Smith.

She married Wesley Weller Sept. 17, 1932, in Marlette. He preceded her in death. She later married Lloyd Hickie.

Mrs. Smith made her home in the Kingstons area all of her life.

She is survived by 3 sons, Harvey Weller and wife Wanda of Caro, Harry Weller of Deford and Henry Weller and wife Beverly of Dallas, Ore.; a foster son, Herb Yax of Deford; 12 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; 3 brothers, Dean Smith of Texas, Henry Smith of Marlette and Ralph Smith of Brown City, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Elsie Lindow of Detroit and Mrs. Doris Hinkle of New Hampshire. One daughter, 3 brothers, Doc, Chuck and John, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held Friday at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Roger Mosey, pastor of the Ellington Church of the Nazarene, officiating.

Interment was in Novesta Cemetery, Novesta Township.

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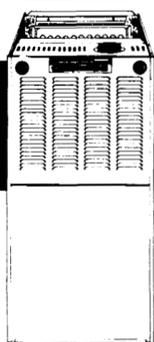
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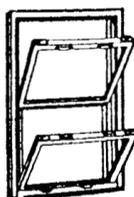
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Investigation nets marijuana, guns, cash in Decker

Sanilac County Drug Task Force Supervisor Sgt. Garry Biniacki announced Friday the completion of an investigation into a marijuana sales and growing operation in the Sandusky and Lamotte Township areas.

The execution of a search warrant Thursday at 9:25 p.m. in the 1000 block of North Van Dyke Road, Decker, resulted in the seizure of a quantity of marijuana being processed for resale, several firearms and over \$200 in cash along with manufacturing equipment.

Warrants are being sought

charging a 25-year-old Decker man with possession with intent to deliver marijuana, manufacturing marijuana and possession of a firearm in the commission of a felony.

The Sanilac County Drug Task Force was assisted by the Sandusky Police Department and the Sanilac County Sheriff's Department K-9 Unit (narcotic dog "Dandy").

Persons with information on drug activity in Sanilac County are asked to contact the task force anonymously and toll free at 1-800-544-DRUG.



CASS CITY High school students (far left) Beth Wood, Natalie Ramsey and Trudi Malthouse, accompanied by their teacher, Jane Reif (seated, center) will join 265 other Michigan students in Lansing Sept. 15-17 for Student Congress. Missing is student Heather Henn.

'94 Student Congress Cass City teens to join 'Congress'

For 3 days next week, 4 Cass City High School students will enter the world of politics, but not as observers.

They may legislate solutions related to immigration, or find themselves pushing for specific bills as lobbyists, or report on the proceedings as members of the press.

Heather Henn, Trudi Malthouse, Natalie Ramsey and Beth Wood will join more than 250 other students from across Michigan for the 1994 Student Congress, scheduled for Sept. 15, 16 and 17 at the state Capitol Building in Lansing.

The 3-day experience puts students in a realistic legislative setting in which they use the actual Michigan House and Senate chambers and committee rooms, working as senators, representatives, lobbyists and members of the press.

"There is nothing quite like it," commented teacher Jane Reif, who added students will duplicate the exact numbers in the Michigan Legislature.

"They will start out in small committees modeled after the real committees," she explained. "They'll formulate policy on immigration, they

will write their own bills and then meet in the senate and house buildings."

The young legislators will try to convince their peers to support various pieces of legislation, as will the lobbyists, while reporters conduct interviews and write stories.

"They really learn how our legislature works because you've got 120 students trying to conduct business, and they do a remarkable job," Reif commented.

Very few bills are passed, according to the Cass City teacher, who said legislation not accompanied by a logical, professional presentation is rejected. And students aren't shy about utilizing tactics such as the filibuster. "In many ways, it's just like the political maneuvering that takes place in real life."

Reif said the local students, all members of her Performance English class, qualified for Student Congress by receiving superior ratings at the Regional Discussion Festival held last spring at Saginaw Nouvel Catholic Central High School.

During the event, students

discuss problems related to the next Student Congress topic, in this case immigration, then work on possible solutions and defend those solutions.

Aside from the 4 Cass City students already mentioned, 4 others — Whitney Osenoski, Matt Klinkman, Charity Gasczynski and Danette Ziehm — also qualified for Student Congress, but won't be attending due to scheduling conflicts.

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Your neighbor says

Christmas still favorite holiday

Sydney and Joan Meek, Cass City, were to have spent the Labor Day weekend holiday with their daughter who, in turn, visits the couple for the Thanksgiving Day holiday.

It would seem that one of these would rank at the top when rating a "favorite holiday." Not so. The couple's favorite is Christmas.

Perhaps one reason is that the couple immigrated from England in 1949. "We didn't have these days off there, they explained, no July 4, Decoration Day, Labor Day or Thanksgiving, they said.

There was an observance of Armistice Day, Nov. 11, but it wasn't a day off, they added.

When Sydney arrived in Detroit, he quickly was employed as a joiner (carpentry work). They came to this country in part because her mother was born in the United States and moved to Belgium.

Because she was an American citizen, they escaped Belgium to England when the Germans overran the country, by appealing to the American consulate.

The Meeks have 2 daughters, 3 granddaughters and a grandson.

They moved to Cass City in October of 1991 and live in one of the Northwood Estates condos.



EXERCISE - INDUCED ASTHMA

As the weather becomes cooler, many athletes will have a greater chance of developing exercise-induced asthma. This is a form of asthma that is brought on by exercise. It is caused mainly by the drying of the secretions in the airways which then causes more irritation and spasm in the lungs of asthmatics. Another factor is that the air is cooler which appears to directly exacerbate asthma.

This form of asthma is not as obvious as people may think. Often an athlete thinks that everyone gets as winded as he does, or that it is normal to have coughing and chest-tightness during and after exercise. The symptoms may be quite vague—such as fatigue or a stomach ache—especially in children. Exercise-induced asthma may present as a decrease in an athlete's performance.

Exercise-induced asthma is diagnosed by lung function tests which show a decrease in air flow after exercise. Fortunately, treatment is very effective. For most people, all that is needed is an oral inhaler, such as albuterol, taken 5 minutes before exercise. If a couple puffs is not fully effective, it may be necessary to add a second drug such as cromolyn or theophylline.

If you think you become more short of breath than you should with exertion, you should see your doctor for an exam and lung function testing.

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Court upholds Joslyn

The Michigan Court of Appeals has issued an opinion in the case of the people of the State of Michigan vs. Chad Jeremy Lyttaker. Lyttaker was convicted of voluntary manslaughter and possession of a firearm during the commission of a felony. Originally, the defendant was sentenced to consecutive prison terms of 7 to 15 years for the manslaughter conviction and 2 years for the felony firearm conviction. The defendant appealed his conviction which was upheld, but the case was remanded for resentencing.

Judge Joslyn resented Lyttaker to a prison term of 10 to 15 years for the manslaughter conviction. Joslyn stated on the record the reason for the increased sentence: "And your record while in prison is dismal. I mean it seems to me that if given an opportunity to show improvement, if you really were going to mature and change your behavior, that you would certainly be doing that from the time the case was pending in the Court of Appeals prior to resentencing here. It shows just the opposite... And I'm firmly convinced that you're just as dangerous as you were back at the time that you intentionally killed another individual."

Lyttaker again appealed his sentence to the Court of Appeals. The Court of Appeals upheld Judge Joslyn and stated: "...the trial court properly considered defendant's post-conviction behavior while incarcerated and...the 3-year increase in the sentence bears a reasonable relationship to the new information..."

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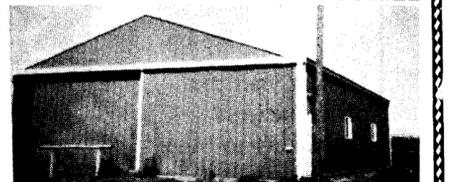
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THE FAMILY OF Lynsey Shaw would like to thank all our friends, family and neighbors for their support, flowers, food, cards, and prayers during this difficult time. We would like to send a special thank you to Caren and Gary Gerstenberger, who did so many things we were unable to do. To Steve and Sheryl Shaw for being there to support and comfort us through such a difficult time. To Rev. Fred Becknell for traveling so far and his continued support. To Rita Loeding for coming from Florida to be with us. To everyone who helped with our special Brandi and to the Decker Eastern Star, who provided the lunch. Thank you. Dan and Cindy Shaw, Crystal and Brandi. 13-9-7-1

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Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

5 YEARS AGO

The grand prize winner in Old Wood Drug's month-long contest was Tammie Guigar, who won a 25" color TV.

Walbro Corporation will sponsor an exploring program for high school boys and girls from age 15 who are interested in engineering.

A "Friendship Festival" is scheduled this week from Wednesday through Saturday. It includes a town-wide sale and entertainment for all Friday from 5 to 7 p.m., which is free bean soup day.

Sampson & Delilah employees raised \$522 to help battle Muscular Dystrophy. The group, who spent Monday washing cars and providing haircuts, are Kim Wald, Beth Severance, Becky Jones, Bonnie Gaszczyński, Bob Cleland and Lauretta Cleland.

The Cass City Red Hawks defeated Mayville Friday night, 39-6. Greg Graham and Tim Englehart scored 2 touchdowns each.

10 YEARS AGO

Cass City Jaycees and Jayettes want no part of a mixed male and female club despite the recent court ruling saying that an all male club is illegal.

"To burn or not to burn?" That is the question that the Chronicle posed to a strictly unscientific sampling of Cass City residents this week. It's almost sure that a burning ban will delight about half of the town and dismay the other 50 percent.

Three new teachers for the Cass City School District are Barbara Tuckey, Daryl Iwankovitch and Julie Richards.

Dagmar Brown made her 25th walk across the Mackinac Bridge Labor Day in 61 minutes.

Janice Spita, Cass City, won first place honors at the Michigan State Fair for creating a grapevine wreath.

Rosemary Fritz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fritz,

was treated at Cass City Hospital for cuts on both arms, sustained when her arms went through a glass door while playing.

25 YEARS AGO

Almost 90 years of hopes and planning will be culminated in Friday's dedication of the new Masonic Temple, reports Mason Marshall Ed Goding.

Spearheaded by Vic Guernsey, a group of parents and interested Cass City residents launched a drive this week to raise \$9,000 to restore a full sports program and related activities to the curriculum at Cass City Schools.

A prolonged dry spell has cut bean and corn crop yields.

New electronic and hydraulic equipment has been installed at Tuckey Block Co. in Cass City. Roy, Bill, Bob and J.D. Tuckey are partners in the company which their father, Luke Tuckey, now retired, started 30 years ago.

Earl Harris, Cliff Croft, Luke Tuckey, W.E. Walpole and Leonard Damm left Tuesday on a week's Canadian fishing trip.

35 YEARS AGO

David Gray, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Gray of Decker, died Friday, Sept. 4, after his motorcycle ran into the side of a car at the blind intersection at Hoadley and Argyle Roads.

A local teacher, Frank W. Walsh, has been named a winner in Life magazine's national letter essay contest. He was awarded third prize in the competition.

Teen-age dances are scheduled again at Cass City High School, according to Police Chief Bill Wood, who ramrods the Cass City Youth Activities organization.

Isaac Carlton Teller, son of Mrs. Lenora Teller, Cass City, will be discharged from the Air Force Sept. 13. He has been in the service for 4 years and was last stationed at Laughlin Air Force Base in Texas.



CASS CITY AREA students joined others across the state in participating in a new school breakfast program Tuesday morning. Above, Andrea Shagena explains the selection to a group of hungry youngsters.



ZACHARY MYERS, 7, and his brother, Samuel, 5, were among about 30 Campbell Elementary students who enjoyed the school's first breakfast offerings Tuesday morning.

Charge Decker in crash that killed Lynn Dodges

A Cass City area man has been charged in connection with a traffic crash that claimed the life of a Caro motorist earlier this year.

Michael D. Decker, 34, Cass City, is charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor — causing death.

According to Tuscola County Sheriff's Department reports, Decker was the driver of a pickup truck that collided with a car Jan. 4 in Ellington Township.

The victim, Lynn E. Dodges, 50, was driving west on M-81, a half-mile north of Dutcher Road, when he swerved to miss a head-on crash with Decker's eastbound vehicle, which had crossed the road center line. Both vehicles left the roadway and collided.

In other recent district court arraignments:

•Alberto Martinez, 50, Schewaga, faces charges of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, and driving while his license was suspended, second offense, and possession of an open

intoxicant in a motor vehicle Aug. 21 in Columbia Township.

A preliminary examination was scheduled for 9 a.m. Friday and bond in the case was set at \$200.

•Gregory P. Cloutier, 38, Silverwood, was arraigned on a charge of third degree criminal sexual conduct (use of force or coercion) stemming from an alleged Aug. 28 incident in Dayton Township.

Bond was set at \$3,000. A preliminary exam is to be held Friday morning.

•Jack W. Gamet, 41, Reese, is charged with resisting and obstructing a police officer, domestic violence-aggravated, and 2 counts of assault Sept. 3 in Reese.

A preliminary exam was

scheduled for Friday morning. Bond was set at \$2,500.

•Richard V. Burnside Jr., 53, Unionville, faces charges of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, second offense, and resisting and obstructing a police officer Aug. 31 in Wisner Township.

Bond was set at \$4,000. A preliminary exam is to be held Friday morning.

•William A. Brown, 58, Cass City, is charged with possession of a firearm while ineligible to possession a firearm (due to a prior felony conviction) and failure to present a firearm for a safety inspection Aug. 31 in Elkland Township.

Bond was set at \$15,000. A preliminary exam was slated for Friday morning.

Jordan College survives

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DIFFICULTIES

Jordan College's difficulties began with a finding by the education department last year that it did not satisfy "financial responsibility" regulations because of a \$3.2 million deficit in its fund balance.

That deficit was eliminated in June through the forgiveness of \$1.65 million in debt owed by the college and a major gift of property.

A subsequent federal program review found errors in the college's administration of federal student aid programs. Under an arrangement with the federal government, Jordan will begin a schedule of repayments of liability while it goes through the normal appeals process to determine the final, total amount the college must repay.

"I'm hopeful that Jordan College, which fills a unique place in Michigan's education system, will now be assured some continuity," said U.S. Senator Carl Levin, whose efforts are credited with helping to keep the school's doors open.

Another key player, Edward

Blews, president of the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Michigan, was involved in the discussion and procedures to address the college's federal financial aid problem.

"We believe in Jordan College and its vital mission, as an independent college serving a large number of disadvantaged students," Blews said.

Looking back, White recalled a feeling of powerlessness locally as Jordan officials struggled to meet education department demands.

"It's been very, very stressful. Too stressful. So many people have been requested to do things they shouldn't have had to do," he said, referring to faculty members who received only one paycheck over the summer, and other staff members who haven't been paid since April.

The eleventh-hour nature of the announcement that classes will resume has caused some problems, but White indicated the outlook is worth it.

"I think the long-term prognosis of the school is very good."

Crash victim William Sherman, 73, succumbs

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OBITUARY

Sherman was born Nov. 19, 1920, in Cass City, the son of Merrit and Matilda (Steinhaus) Sherman.

He married Anna Hunt Oct. 18, 1941, in Sandusky.

Sherman was a graduate of a country school in Tuscola County. He worked at Budd Wheel Manufacturing Company in Detroit for 35 years before retiring June 1, 1976. He lived in Detroit until

1976, when he moved to Austin Township.

He is survived by his wife, Anna Marie Sherman of Ubyly; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Beverly) Uzarski of Warren; 3 granddaughters; one brother, Bruce Sherman and his wife, Patricia, of Cass City, and one sister, Mrs. Merrill (Sarah) Kitchen of Cass City.

Sherman was preceded in death by 3 brothers, 3 sisters, 2 half brothers and 2 half sisters.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Ubyly, with the Rev. Robert Srock, pastor of the Ubyly United Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Friends may call at the funeral home today (Wednesday) from noon to 9:30 p.m. and Thursday from 8:30 a.m. until the service at 10 a.m.

RED HAWK

Student of the Week

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Javier Lopez

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

The Cass City Red Hawk Student of the Week is Javier Lopez, son of Jose Lopez and Ana Lorenzo. His host parents are Marvin and Barb Irrer. Javier is a 12th grade exchange student from Spain. He enjoys physics, calculus and origami. Javier says everything is new and people seem really friendly in America.

Calendar of Events

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

Friday, September 9

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

Saturday, September 10

Sandusky Thumb Dancers free dance at Sandusky Maple Valley School, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.

Monday, September 12

Cass City School Board meeting at the high school, 7:30 p.m.

Owen-Gage School Board meeting at Gagetown Elementary, 7:30 p.m.

Elkland Township Board meeting, 7 p.m.

Cass City School Band Boosters meeting at the middle school, 7 p.m.

Regular meeting of the VFW Post 3644 at the post hall, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, September 13

PTA meeting at Cass City High School, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 14

Duplicate Bridge, 7 p.m. at Charmont. Everyone welcome. Last week's winners, Lyle and Marilyn DeRousse and Bill and Alice Lovejoy.

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