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**DAY, JUNE 3, 1998** 

CHRONICLE



VIOLENT THUNDERSTORMS that roared through the Thumb early Sunday morning downed numerous power lines and trees, causing thousands of dollars in property damage. Among the casualties was this home at 6470 Houghton St., Cass City. (Related picture on back page)

Carter gets life

# Robert McPhail sentenced to 20 to 40 years in prison

of raping and murdering a child was sentenced to life in prison last week in Tuscola County Circuit

In a separate case, a Cass City man was ordered to serve a lengthy prison term for his role in a plot to rob and kill an elderly Novesta Township man early this

Aside from life in prison, Timothy D. Carter, 23, Mayville, was sentenced to 40 to 80 years in prison for first degree criminal sexual assault, and 10 to 15 years

for first degree child abuse. A jury deliberated for less than 20 minutes before convicting Carter on all 3 counts following a full week of testimony last month.

The charges stem from the death of 13-month-old Chevenne L. Irvine. Investigators said Carter raped and killed the child while baby sitting her in her Indianfields Township home Sept. 10. Carter claimed he was playing with the child her head, causing the fatal

In other sentencings, Robert D. McPhail Jr., 20, Cass City, was sentenced to 20 to 40 years in prison for his plea of guilty to conspiracy to commit armed robbery between Jan. 1 and Feb. 3 in Novesta Township.

Investigators said McPhail along with Richard L. Lesoski, 17, Cass City, and Dean Austin McBride, 15,

Cass City, conspired to rob an elderly Novesta Township resident. The trio also discussed possibly killing the victim.

All 3 defendants pleaded guilty to conspiracy to commit armed robbery.

Lesoski was sentenced to 60 months probation and one year in jail, and McBride was made a permanent ward of the state and placed in a juvenile detention facility until the age of

In other court proceedings

•Michael C. Plodzien, 45, Caro, pleaded guilty but mentally ill to third degree criminal sexual conduct

stemming from an incident involving a victim under the age of 13 years July 5, 6 or 7 in Denmark Township.

Bond in the case was continued at \$20,000 and a presentence investigation was ordered. Sentencing was scheduled for July 31 at 8:30

•Jeffrey J. Osborn, 26, Reese, was found innocent of a charge of third degree criminal sexual conduct. He had been charged in connection with an alleged incident involving someone at least 13 years of age but under 16 years between March and May 1997 in Reese.

A jury returned the innocent verdict on the second day of the trial, according to court records

### Clean-up continues

# Some area homes still without power Tuesday

Power was expected to be restored in the Thumb by sometime Tuesday following violent storms that raked mid-Michigan early Sunday, causing 3 deaths and thousands of dollars in property

The storm, packing winds of more than 85 miles per hour, roared into the Thumb during the early morning hours, downing countless trees and power lines, and damaging homes, barns and other structures.

Statewide, the storm was blamed for 3 deaths, including a 31-year-old Sterling Heights man who was camping at Port Crescent State Park near Port Austin when a tree crashed through the roof of his tent.

Property damage was reported throughout the Thumb, including Cass City, where fallen trees struck some vehicles and residences.

Tuscola County Emergency Management Coordinator Patrick H. Finn said he received scattered reports of property damage in the county. However, he had no dollar estimate, saying many people simply contact their insurance companies to process claims.

Finn noted the Tuscola Courthouse Annex in Caro was damaged when a tree fell through the roof.

Thousands lost power in the Thumb, prompting a host of school districts, including Rad Ave IISA Lakers and Marlette schools, to cancel classes Monday.

Also affected was the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department, which was still depending on auxiliary power Monday morning.

Detroit Edison officials reported a total of 217,000 customers affected by the storm in southeast Michigan. About 74,000 were still without electricity Monday morning, Lorie N. Kessler, Edison media representa-

Kessler said Oakland and Macomb counties, along with portions of the Thumb, were hardest hit.

In the Thumb, 9,000 customers were affected in Tuscola County, with 7,300 still without power Monday morning; 10,500 customers lost power in Huron County, and 8,700 were still without power Monday morning, and 7,300 customers were affected in Sanilac County, with 5,500 still without power Monday morning.

"We hope to have the vast majority of customers back on tonight (Monday), but we

will continue our restoration efforts into Tuesday,' Kessler said.

She noted Edison brought in 60 utility crews from Ohio, Illinois and Pennsylvania in an effort to restore power as quickly as possible.

Consumers Power officials, meanwhile, reported some 400,000 of their customers affected by the storm in the middle third of the Lower Peninsula. Locally, village crews and

Elkland Township fire fighters put in a full day Sunday and remained busy into Monday morning.

Fire Chief Ron Pawloski said he was first paged Sunday at 12:30 a.m. for a severe thunderstorm warning. then again at 3:30 a.m. for a tornado watch and at 6:30 a.m. for another severe thunderstorm warning. The fire department remained on duty until about 4 a.m. Monday, responding to at least 14

ing electric wires, he said. Cass City DPW Supt. Gary Barnes said crews would continue clean-up efforts Monday, but "it will probably take until Wednesday or Thursday, most of the week, to get things cleaned up."

incidents of downed and arc-

### School elections Monday

#### **Competition in Owen-Gage and Kingston**

be heading to the polls for annual school elections next

The elections will be held Monday, June 8. The polls will open at 7 a.m. and remain open until 8 p.m.

In the Cass City area, races are set for trustee seats in the Owen-Gage and Kingston School districts. There is no competition in the Cass City School District, where Board of Education President Randy Severance is seeking reelection unop-

posed. In the Owen-Gage School District, incumbent board President Paul Hunter and incumbent Trustee Jack Brinkman are seeking reelection to 4-year terms. Also vying for one of the 2 seats is challenger Randy

Howard. Also expiring is a 2-year term now held by Trustee Mary Ann Abbe. She is seeking reelection and faces a challenge from Jeff Faist. Abbe was appointed to the seat following the resigna-

Thumb area residents will tion of James Albrecht last

In the Kingston Community Schools, incumbents

Richard Zyrowski and Sherri Diegel along with challenger Lyle Curry filed nominating petitions to seek a pair of available 4-year

Schools, only the incumbents are seeking board seats. Board Secretary Kenneth Dekoski and Treasurer A. James Philp are both seeking reelection to 4-year

terms on the school board.

In the Ubly Community

### Fire destroys home

Fire destroyed a ranchstyle home and garage about tempted to extinguish the 6 miles southeast of Cass blaze with a fire extin-City late Friday afternoon.

fighters were called to the Bower added that Marker's residence, located on Deckerville Road about a half-mile west of Lamton Road, at 5:02 p.m.

The house was fully engulfed in flames when the department arrived, according to Fire Chief Tim Bower, who said the blaze was apparently started by a gas grill in the garage.

Bower said the homeowner, Bob Marker, suffered a minor burn to one

of his arms when he atguisher. He was treated at Lamotte Township fire the scene by fire fighters. wife and granddaughter escaped unharmed.

> The fire chief estimated the value of the house and garage at \$75,000 to \$80,000, not including contents.

Fire fighters, who remained at the scene for about 3 hours, were assisted by the Elkland Township Fire Department, which sent a pumper, tanker and manpower, and by the Moore Township Fire Department, which sent a tanker.

### \$1 million for area students

# Ethel Coller scholarships keep on helping

"If you have a college education, the good things in life will follow. -Ethel C. Coller.

Ethel Coller may not be a household name in the Thumb, but for a growing number of young people, the name stands for opportunity and generosity.

Doctors, teachers, nurses, ministers, CPAs, and dozens more have received a financial helping hand thanks to the educational scholarship foundation established nearly a decade ago by the Snover native, who died in Cass City in 1987.

In fact, an estimated 180 Sanilac and Tuscola County students pursuing higher education have benefitted

from Coller's legacy. Foundation Trustee Gerald Hicks, Coller's nephew, recently presented a scholarship check boosting the foundation's total distribu-

tions to-date to \$1 million. That check went to Joenie Remsing of Cass City, a recent graduate of Ferris State University who earned an associate's degree in the college's medical laboratory technology program.

Remsing, whose Coller Scholarship has been renewed during her college career, is now completing an internship at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

### PERFECT FIT

Remsing's name brings a quick smile to Hicks.

"She exactly fit the mold that Ethel Coller was looking for," he said, adding Remsing is a dedicated student who values education and truly appreciates the Coller Foundation scholarship. "She fits, and she's such a nice girl, too.'

Remsing is one of 60 students who received Coller Scholarships this year totaling some \$120,000.

Hicks noted the scholarships are awarded each spring and fall to students from Sanilac and Tuscola counties following a selection process. Interested students must fill out an application, available from high school counselors, and they must intend to use their scholarship to pursue higher education full-time, whether their goal is to attend college

or a trade school.

Applicants are selected based on their grade point average, character and need.

"We look at all 3 and put all 3 together, and we're getting just top-notch kids," Hicks said.

The scholarship awards total \$1,000 and they are renewable, provided the student maintains his or her eligibility. "It's a potential \$8,000 scholarship and it can go on to graduate school," he added

In keeping with Coller's wishes, the scholarship amounts were set with the idea of assisting promising young men and women. She didn't want to meet all of a student's education expenses, Hicks pointed out. "She thought the kid who had to dig, made a better

### DEVOTED

Coller, who devoted much of her 95 years to teaching, knew the meaning of work as well as hard times, having lived through the Great Depression.

She was born April 17, 1892, to William and Ada Coller on a Germania Road

farm near Snover. One of 14 children, she at-

tended Snover and Marlette schools. After graduating from Sanilac County Normal, she began teaching at Burnside School No. 3 in Lapeer County.

In 1916 she moved to California, where she was employed as a private tutor. She graduated from Munson School of Private Secretaries in San Francisco in 1921, then entered State Teachers College and graduated in

She was hired by San Franciso Schools that same year, retiring 31 years later in 1956. During that time, she completed her Master's Degree and all study credits for her Ph.D. at Leland Stanford University in Cali-

Coller, who spent the final years of her life in the Cass City area, never earned more than \$12,000 a year as a teacher. But upon her death at the age of 95, she left an estate worth nearly \$4.5 mil-

According to Hicks, Coller's fortune was the result of a keen sense for stock

Please turn to back page.



HICKS JOKINGLY called Joenie Remsing (left), Cass City, the "million dollar Coller girl" after presenting her with a scholarship check that boosted to \$1 million the total amount of money awarded by the Coller Foundation in educational scholarships over the past 9 years.

gonna be 16.

sound like a ceremony...you

But then you turn 30.

Ooohhh! What happened

there? Makes you sound

TURNED, we had to throw

him out. There's no fun

What's wrong? What

changed? You BECOME 21, you TURN 30, then

vou're PUSHING 40. "Stay

over there, it's all slipping

You BECOME 21, you

TURN 30, you're PUSH-

ING 40, you REACH

50...and your dreams are

Then you MAKE IT to 60. You didn't think you'd make

So you BECOME 21, you

BECOME 21! Yes!

like bad milk.

away....'

you HIT 70!

Wednesday.

and maybe a bad one.

Then a strange thing hap-

pens. If you make it over

100, you become a kid

again.
"I'm 100 1/2!!!"



SCHOLARSHIP winner Carrie McGee (second from right) is pictured above with (from left) William Conway, principal; Frank E. Kelley, executive vice-president of the MEEMIC Foundation, and Mary Lu Raymond, guidance counselor.

\$1,000 scholarship

### McGee receives award

The MEEMIC Foundation for the Future of Education recently announced that Carrie L. McGee, daughter of Patrick L. and Jeanine M. McGee, has been awarded a \$1,000 scholarship.

The Foundation recognizes top high school students in Michigan whose parents are in the field of education. Jeanine M. McGee is a teacher at Cass City Public Schools.

Carrie McGee was the captain of the synchronized swim team at Caro High School. She was a 4-year member of the varsity swim team and earned both an academic letter and an academic pin for her achievements.

She was also a volunteer for the Big Brother/Big Sister program, has participated in several leadership conferences and has earned a national science award.

McGee participated in Youth in Government for 3 years and was an MJP finalist. Her photographs have been published in MOSAIC magazine. She will attend the University of Michigan and pursue a degree in busi-

The MEEMIC Foundation for the Future of Education was founded in March of 1992 by the Michigan Educational Employees Mutual

Company Insurance (MEEMIC). The mission of the Foundation is to support Michigan's education community and their families in the furtherance of their edu-

McGee was one of 16 recipients in Michigan. There were nearly 900 applicants statewide this year.

### Watrousville Museum officially opens June 9

The Watrousville Museum will officially open June 9 with a potluck dinner and meeting of the Watrousville-Caro Historical Society at the Watrousville Methodist Church.

Residents are invited to bring a dish to pass and their own table service and enjoy a tribute to all veterans buried in the Juniata Township Cemetery, Watrousville.

camp and department organizer, and Gordon McAllister of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, will attend in military

The public is invited to at-Following the official

opening date the museum will be open to the public Thursdays from 1 to 4 p.m. through the month of Au-

# Meg's Peg Age by Melva E. Guinther

While getting acquainted with people from various parts of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan at a senior retreat last week, we met a very pleasant lady who graduated from Cass City High School in 1932. Her name is Viola Collins and she now lives in Kalamazoo. Her maiden name was

She graduated before I was born, and it's encouraging to note that she's still going strong.

A bonus at the retreat for us "youngsters" just reaching retirement age, in addition to the spiritual uplift, relaxation, great food and a lot of fun, was seeing folks considerably older still enjoying life to the fullest.

How far over the hill you are may depend a lot upon your attitude.

Speaking of aging, this apt description of the process came from the Just For Laughs Internet web page:

Do you realize that the only time in our lives that we like to get old is when we're

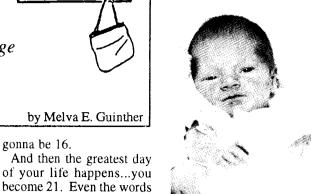
If you're less than 10 years old, you're so excited about aging that you think in frac-"How old are you?" "I'm

4 1/2." You're never 36 1/2...you're 4 1/2 going on That's the key. You get into

your teens, now they can't hold you back. You jump to the next number. "How old are you?" "I'm

You could be 12, but you're

It's a girl!



Jim and Kristina Russell announce the birth of their daughter, Lauran Christina, born April 8.

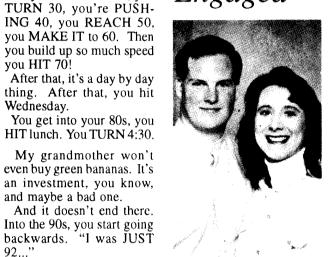
Lauran Christina Russell

Maternal grandparents are John and Louise Wright. Paternal grandparents are Jim and Sandra Russell.

Paternal great-grandparents are Ralph and Mary Russell and Lewis and Mary Laws.

Lauran joins her big sister Andrea in their Cass City

### Engaged



Melissa Martinez and Craig Miller

Richard and Vickie Martinez of Bay City announce the engagement of their daughter, Melissa, to Craig Miller, son of Garry and Kathy Miller of Wyoming, Ml.

Melissa is the granddaughter of Glen and Millie Miracle and Ken and Laura McRae of Cass City.

The couple will be wed June 6, 1998.

### Cass City Social Item

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Kareem Khoury, son of Kareem and Tahani Khoury of Cass City, was inducted into the national freshman honor society, Phi Eta Sigma, for his outstanding academic work during his freshman year at Kettering University (formerly known as GMI Engineering & Management Institute.)

#### Sr. Citizens' Menu

Senior Citizens are asked to make reservations before 9:00 a.m., on the day of the meal, by calling Clara Gaffney, 872-2875.

#### JUNE 8-9-12

Monday - Lemon herb chicken, parsley potatoes, creamed peas, variety bread. carrot cake.

Tuesday - Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, coleslaw, French bread, fresh melon.

Friday - Hot turkey, au gratin potatoes, carrot & raisin salad, variety bread, cottage pudding.

Joel Shagena

### Shagena receives diploma

Joel Shagena, 22, son of John and Jeanne Shagena of Cass City, was awarded his Bachelor of Arts degree from Saginaw Valley State University in ceremonies held May 9. The 1993 graduate of Cass

City High School was an art

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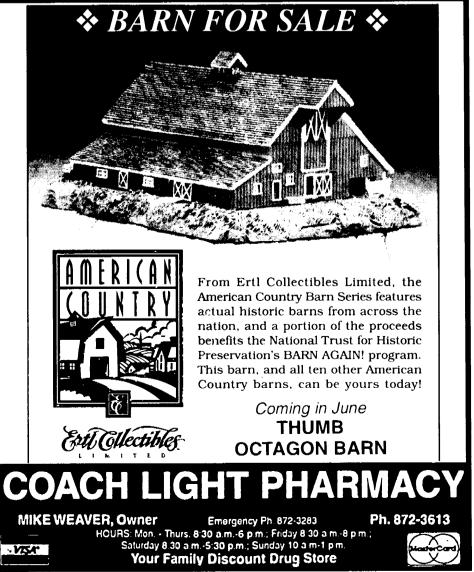
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### WCTU members meet, plan to assist campers The monthly meeting of Union voted to give \$10 to

the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held May 26 at the Detroit Edison

Welcome Here", followed by prayer. The pledges to all tlags, American, Christian and Temperance, were recited and reports and announcements were given.

Mrs. Joyce Cameron, home protection director, conducted the white ribbon recruit ceremony for Emily Sue Tuckey and Collin John Tuckey, children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tuckey.

After refreshments, Mrs. Cameron gave devotions.

The Youth Temperance Council will be selling dish cloths to earn money for youth camp July 20 to 24 at Brown City. Cass River

Some people in ancient times thought that stars were tiny lights on the inner side of a great hollow each youth wishing to attend

Any youth interested in attending camp should contact The meeting was opened Ruth Dorman, 872-4075. with the song, "There's a Their motto is "A good time

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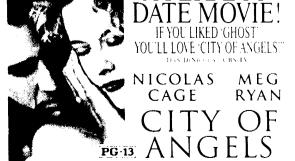


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### **Rabbit Tracks**

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

For a couple of years now, on the back burner was a visit to the Big Buck Brewery & Steakhouse in Gaylord. Friday of the Memorial Day holiday it was convenient to visit. So I did.

It's a massive barn-like place and the odor of beer permeates the building. I arrived at about 5 p.m. and the place was jumping. The kitchen is separated only by a waisthigh counter and I watched 6 chefs filling the orders.

Mine was a mixed grill (bite-sized portions of chicken, shrimp and steak). It included a generous salad and bread. Also ordered, a small draft beer (\$2.83). Total cost, without tip, \$22.03. The service was good.

All-in-all it was satisfactory. Give it a 6 on the 1-10 rat-

At a recent area used tires collection campaign, Sharon Mika, recycling coordinator, reports that 2 truckloads of tires were collected and 1,350 were ground up for use as landfill cover in Saginaw.

A new use for used tires is to burn them in cement plants. Holnan Inc. of Dundee Township will burn up to 4 million tires. The rubber tires burn cleaner than coal and the plant will substitute up to 18 percent of the present fuel mixture with tires for a 50 percent reduction in sulfur dioxide emissions.

The company shouldn't run out of fuel in the near future. Michigan generates about 9 million tires a year and stockpiles of used tires are loaded.

#### \*\*\*\*\*

Traffic fatalities in Michigan declined from 1,505 in 1996 to 1,446 in 1997.

Percentage-wise, few counties did as well as Tuscola, which had 21 traffic fatalities in 1996 and 6 in 1997. The 21 deaths were an abnormally high number for the county.

In Huron County there were 7 deaths recorded each year and in Sanilac County deaths declined from 15 in 1996 to

### Chappel to study at Interlochen

Amanda Chappel, 17, of Cass City, will attend Interlochen Arts Camp, this country's premier fine arts

Chappel, the daughter of Dr. Paul and Suzanne Chappel, will study visual arts at the camp. This will be her first time as a camper at Interlochen.



Amanda Chappel

Established in 1928, Interlochen Arts Camp is the nation's oldest and most successful summer arts program. It offers intensive training in dance, theatre arts, music, creative writing and visual art. The campers, ages 8 to 18, attend the programs for 8 weeks. The camp attracts its 2,000 students from all 50 states and 29 other countries.

Throughout the course of the summer, over 500 events are presented at the camp by students, faculty, staff and guest artists such as comedian Bill Cosby, world-renowned violinist Itzhak Perlman, Ohio Ballet, Chicago and cellist Yo-Yo Ma.

For the second time. Interlochen Arts Camp has been named one of the top 25 camps in the nation. The announcement was made by Family Life magazine in their March 1998 edition, and Interlochen was the only arts camp to be honored.

The weather									
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### Cass City Public Schools **PROGRESS IN EDUCATION**

from the desk of Ken Micklash, Superintendent

Show Kids You Care

In a couple of more days, school will be out for summer break. School personnel, parents and community members can all reflect upon the many positive experiences that our children participated in throughout the year. It has been a positive and productive year. But, our work with children is never done. At last week's Board of Education meeting one of our guidance counselors and social workers presented a brochure to the Board which listed 150 ways to show kids you care. As we move into summer I want to share with you several of these, sometimes overlooked, but common sense ideas.

Smile a lot. Remember their birthdays. Play with them. Hide surprises for them to find. Be honest. Play outside together. Read aloud together. Laugh at their jokes. Love them, no matter what.

Look in their eyes when you talk to them. Listen to them. Stay with them when they're afraid.

Tell them their feelings are OK. Hug them.

Surprise them. Be nice. Answer their questions.

Have a safe and happy summer. See you in late summer for the beginning of a new

Questions can be sent to me at 4868 N. Seeger St., Cass City, MI 48726. Thank you,



AIRBRUSHING by area artists is among the activities planned during the fifth annual Evergreen Park Benefit organized by the American Bikers Aiming Towards Education (ABATE). This year's event is scheduled for June 5-7.

### Annual fund raiser

### **ABATE** plans park bash

The American Bikers Aiming Towards Education (ABATE) will be hosting its fifth annual Evergreen Park Benefit June 5-7.

The event was initially organized as a fund raiser to keep the Sanilac County recreation area open. To-date, the event has generated \$9,600 in park funding, some of which has been used to improve the facility.

Evergreen Park is located on M-53 between M-81 and M-46, and is a rustic campground bordered by the Cass

The upcoming benefit will kick-off Friday, June 5, at 6 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by the "Garage Boys" band.

Saturday's event will include a bike show, followed by bike games and then a women's fashion show. The evening's entertainment will be provided by the area band, "Method X." SalGaul Productions are handling all sound system equipment.

Available at the park throughout the weekend will be a food wagon, ice, pop and rustic camping, a tattoo booth, airbrushing, motorcycle parts and ABATE products.

Admission is a \$10 donation per person at the gate. The public is welcome, but visitors must be over 21 years of age. Pets and fireworks will not be allowed. and no alcohol will be provided.

ABATE is a non-profit organization that promotes motorcycle safety and education, and works closely with legislators on motorcycle issues.

For more information, contact Butch Brown, ABATE

### O-G meet place, time changed

The next monthly meeting of the Owen-Gage Board of Education will be held Monday starting at 7:30 p.m. in the Gagetown Elementary School cafeteria.



Region 7 coordinator, at Swalwell, Region 7 secre-

(517) 673-4743, or Sharon tary, at 872-8087.



It won't happen for myriad

present day club members

Dealing with population

control inevitably bumps up

against individual moral val-

Everybody can endorse

helping kids, but Rotary's

polio program, unfortu-

nately, puts a bandage

around the affliction but

does little to heal the patient.

have left the scene.

Rotary has collected milcountries. lions of dollars from its members world-wide to reasons. The greatest is that it's a gigantic problem and combat polio in less develmeasurable results would be oped countries. The Cass impossible until long after City club dug deep to do its share.

The campaign has been an outstanding success, and when the results are posted showing the kids that were subject to the ravages of the disease before the medical crews moved in and how it was eradicated, everyone connected with the campaign is justly proud.

Who wouldn't be happy when the lives of kids anywhere are made better with

A polio eradication project is one that every member can latch on to and the results are immediate.

Rotary or any other international service club would have an impossible task ahead if it adopted a plan to foster birth control to curb earth's expanding popula-

Yet the same kids that we are saving from polio are starving, not because there is not enough food but because it never reaches many underdeveloped countries. If the folks who study these

things are right, you ain't seen nothin' yet. Last year the global population increased by 225,000 people

In 2025 the prediction is that population will increase from today's 5.8 billion to about 8 billion.

That increase comes despite the fact that 2 of 5 deaths world-wide will be among persons 50 or younger. Among these 20 million deaths, half will be children under the age of 5. It is estimated that at least 2 million could be prevented through vaccines.

Who knows how many of these under age 5 deaths included tots that the Rotary polio eradication plan included? Or the quality of life of those that escaped polio but not the fruits of over population in the area where they live.

Long term, the most humanitarian project would be to use Rotary's considerable financial and membership clout to tackle population control in underdeveloped



Like a good neighbor State Farm is there.

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# The back forty

by Roger Pond

This must be a good year out a bird bath and you'd be for birds. All kinds of birds: hummingbirds, bluebirds, little, brown birds and big birds with green beaks and funny heads.

You can see I'm quite an expert on birds. Through years of practice I have learned to identify nearly any bird that shows up.

My wife will see a bird in the yard and say, "Oh, come look! What kind of bird is

I glance out the window, and tell her, "That's a whiffle bird. You can hear its wings when it flies. They go 'whiffle, whiffle, whiffle'."

I'm sure Connie finds my ornithological knowledge intimidating, but she still asks once in awhile. This year is different, though. We have so many birds, even I can't identify them all.

I think it's because of the bluebird houses we've placed around the premises. Nearly all the houses are inhabited by wrens, but we call them bluebird houses just the same.

The only quarters Not occupied are the Amish bird house Connie bought several years ago. "Why won't the bluebirds use my Amish bird house," she asks.

"Because there aren't any Amish birds in this part of the country," I tell her.
"They've all become Mennonites.'

The real reason nobody uses the little Amish house is that it hangs from its top and swings in the wind. Any bird living there would be sick in a matter of hours, like a little cuckoo that sticks his head out and throws-up in the yard.

Whoever makes bird houses that hang from their tops should be required to clean them once a day. A bird can't live in a place like

We have other bird attractors besides houses, things like hummingbird feeders and bird baths. We lived here for 20 years with-

surprised how dirty those little creatures were becoming. It took months to teach

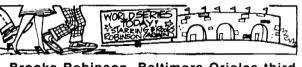
some of them to use the bath. My favorite attractor is the hummingbird feeder. I enjoy watching those little birds buzzing around, so full of energy.

Some folks say we shouldn't feed hummingbirds because it makes them dependent on a single food source and less able to take care of themselves. There's I've seen some of them so

loaded up with sugar water they could barely find their way home.

I've also read that hummingbird feeders can develop a fungus in the sugar water. If feeders aren't kept clean this fungus can be transferred to the hummingbird's tongue with disastrous results.

Readers will likely agree that a hummingbird doesn't amount to much without his tongue. There isn't much to him in the first place, and he probably some truth in that. surely can't afford any



**Brooks Robinson, Baltimore Orioles third** baseman, played in four World Series.





# Trail's Edge offers kids special camping experience

**Staff Writer** 

Ventilator-dependent children enjoy summer camp experiences through attending a week long camp called Trail's Edge.

Located at Camp Fowler in Mayville, Trail's Edge is held each year during the first week of June.

"There are only 3 camps for kids on ventilators in the U.S.," said Sally Peters, a Cass City High School graduate, Mott Hospital rehab trauma nurse and camp volunteer. "It is hard at regular camps because special medical needs children cannot be provided for."

Camp Fowler was made for children with special medical needs 41 years ago in

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Dryden by Jack Fowler, a special education teacher, and has been in Mayville for the past 21 years.

There are paved trails and no stairs or steps so children can go into every room and building. "These are kids who are like Christopher Reeves is now," explained

"Fowler created the camp because kids had nowhere to go," she added. "It also gives parents a break because caring for these children is a round the clock job. Parents usually have to stay up all night with kids."

"We (camp volunteers) don't get very much sleep," Peters added, saying, "Who wants to sleep during the day when all the activities are going on?

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Activities for the 25 or so kids who attend camp each year include boating, fishing, horseback riding, remote control toy boats in the lake, skits and swimming.

"Kids also play earthball where they hit a big ball with their electric wheelchairs," Peters said. "It's like soc-

Activities also include arts and crafts, a campfire with S'mores, petting zoo and a visit from the sheriff. "We want to provide kids with a week of fun.'

"This is their camp," she added. "There are a lot of the same activities you would see at a regular camp just adapted for wheel-

"There are also not many wheelchair accessible boats," Peters said. "We have a pontoon which kids can go straight from the dock to the boat.'

Camp is made possible for the kids ranging in ages from 4 to 20 by about 100 to 120 volunteers each summer. "There are 3 volunteers for each camper," Peters said.

Each camper has a partner who is with them during the day, she explained, and kids also need people to stay up at night and run the ventilators and any medical care

Volunteers are nurses, therapists, social workers, pathologists, specialists and



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physicians taking over camp positions such as partners, cabin leaders and nurses and activity staff.

"We also have cooking staff," Peters added. "When you're asking people to give up a week of their life you had better feed them well."

Untrained individuals who are interested in helping at Trail's Edge can go through a spring training and then have the opportunity to visit with a camper at their home. said Peters.

"The person gets to know the kid and talk to the parents." There is also a training the Saturday before the

"There will always be somebody around because each camper has to be with 2 people (volunteers) at a time," she said.

At the same time, Peters added, after campers graduate from high school they can be peer counselors. There is a male and female peer counselor at each camp.

Volunteer work and donations are what make Trail's Edge possible. There is no cost to the campers or their

families, explained Peters.

'We depend on donations." Through various donations from small organizations and people who hear about the camp, campers' supplies can be taken care of. "If somebody had to pay for the camp," Peters said, "no one could afford to go because it would cost at least a

couple of thousand dollars." Starting this Sunday campers will enjoy the ninth year of Trail's Edge. A volunteer at the camp for eight years, Peters said the campers are from Michigan because most travel by campers is done by car because wheelchairs do not fit on planes.

"The kids hear about the camp from U of M clinics, she added.

As well as youth camps, Peters said, group homes, retreats, churches and learning and recreational services also use Camp Fowler.

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SALLY PETERS and camper Anthony Burton take time to cool off in the hot summer weather by taking an afternoon swim at Trail's Edge Camp, which is held at Camp Fowler in Mayville.

### At Deford Academy

### Wice, Cybulski top grads

Deford Christian Academy has announced its top students of the Class of 1998.



Angela Wice

Angela Wice is valedictorian with a grade point average of 3.81. The daughter of Dave and Kathy Wice of Deford, she has been active in her school and church (Deford Community) as well as being an outstanding athlete in basketball and volley-

Wice plans to attend Spring Arbor College in Spring Arbor, where she intends to study pre-law.

Salutatorian for the Class

of 1998 is Carrie Cybulski. While being active in her church (Colwood United Brethren) and school, she has achieved a grade point

average of 3.48. She is the daughter of Ron and Bonnie Cybulski of Caro. An outstanding basketball

and volleyball athlete, Cybulski is undecided as to what she will study at Huntington College in Huntington, Ind. Deford Christian

Academy's graduation will be held June 5 at 7 p.m. at the Deford Community



U.S. Congressman Jim Barcia (D. Bay City) recently announced that Tuscola County will receive a \$112,500 grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

The grant will fund the Coleman Drain Project, located in Juniata Township, to lessen the effects of future flooding and to increase protection from losses of Tuscola County residents. Total project cost is \$150,000

The Michigan Department of State Police Emergency Management Division will administer the project.

"This area of Tuscola County often experiences flood damage as a result of drainage overflow," Barcia said. "This grant will specifically address this problem by removing sediments that block the drain's flow. remove trees and brush and reestablish the flowline. The end result for residents will be less personal, agricultural and property damage, not to mention a greater peace of mind every time it rains."

"This project is in keeping with FEMA's national initiative, PROJECT IMPACT. which challenges the country to undertake actions that protect families, businesses and communities by reducing the effects of natural disasters." James Lee Witt, FEMA's director, said. "We believe mitigation is a longterm local issue best addressed by a local partnership that involves government, business and private citizens.

This project will protect over 1,320 acres of farmland, and bring residential and wooded areas to the 10year flood design.



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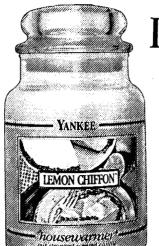
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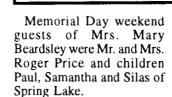
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# Holbrook Area News

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Tuesday, LeRoy Cole of Waterford visited his sister-Mrs. Mary in-law, Beardsley.

#### **FARM BUREAU**

The Young Ideas Farm Bureau group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney Thursday evening. After the meeting, cards were played and high prizes were won by Mrs. Jim B. Sweeney and Clarence

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Heleski. Low prizes were won by Mrs. Clarence Heleski and Jim B. Sweeney. The next meeting will be

held at the home of Rita and Ray Depcinski in June.

#### \*\*\*\*\*

Carol, Charles and Christopher Corbishley of Bad Axe spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt. Another supper guest was Bill Bredow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland spent from Thursday till Tuesday with Captain and Mrs. Dale Cleland and daughters at West Point,

Mark Farrelly and Allen Farrelly were golfing at Northwood Golf Course in Cass City Sunday evening.

Cheryl Allen and Allen Farrelly were Tuesday guests of Bobbi Allen.

Sally and Pat Bell of Carp Lake spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney.

Joe and Betty Myers of Gladwin were Sunday lunch guests of Ray and Rita Depcinski.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr. and son, Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming spent Sunday and Monday with Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford and Monday visCleland and family at Walled Lake and watched the Memorial Day parade.

Adam and Andrea Hill of Ruth were Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike

Joe Campbell of Shelby Township was a Saturday forenoon guest of Allen Farrelly.

Peter Clauson of California spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Larry Silver of Brighton spent Sunday and Monday with Reva Silver. Mrs. Gerald Wills was a Monday dinner guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Salowitz and Kelly of Mount Clemens and Allen Farrelly were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Farrelly and family.

Thelma Jackson was a Monday dinner guest of Florence Watson.

Darlene Terrassi, Julie and Melissa, Dave Ritter and son, Carol Osantowski, Kristin Matthew and Bradley, Rita and Ray Depcinski were Monday dinner guests of Charles and Therese Depcinski and family in honor of Shawn Depcinski's 11th birthday.

Mrs. Martin Sweeney, Clara Bond and Thelma Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Durham Friday afternoon.

Allen Farrelly visited Julie Koroleski in Bad Axe Friday afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel Monday after-

Mrs. Evans Gibbard visited

ited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edith Rye, Alvina Wilson and Stella Leszczynski in Cass City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight were Monday evening guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Jim Hewitt. Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright

Monday evening. Gary Wills of Port Austin

was a Tuesday evening guest of Mrs. Gerald Wills. Mr. and Mrs. Gary

Andersen of Brighton and Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker were Saturday supper and Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Joe and Betty Myers of Gladwin and Rita and Ray Depcinski were Sunday supper guests of Bob and Carol Osantowski and family at Bad Axe.

Bob Cleland and Jan McCune of Waterford were Friday overight and Saturday guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mrs. Martin Sweeney attended the funeral of Stanley Fisher at St. John's Catholic Church in Ubly at 10 o'clock Thursday. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Allen Farrelly was a Saturday afternoon and supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Allen Sr. Father Cruodin of Argyle

visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton Saturday. Jim Doerr visited Mr. and

Mrs. Jim Hewitt Friday fore-

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marchand of Drayton Plains spent the weekend at their home here.

### Wallace, King, Glaza on dean's list at EMU

sity officials recently com- Emily J. King of Kingston, mended 3,679 undergraduate students, including 3 from the Cass City area, for being named to the winter semester dean's list.

Eastern Michigan Univer- P. Wallace of Cass City,

and Todd M. Glaza of Ubly. Students named to the dean's list have maintained a grade point average of at least 3.5 while carrying a The area students are Marc minimum of 10 credit hours.

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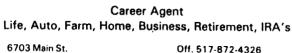
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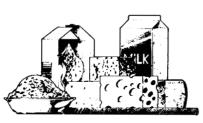
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### Grant . received to help children

Public agencies and community members are working together in Tuscola County to create solutions to help families that are in need.

Wraparound (WA) is an example of this. It is a service funded by Strong Families/Safe Children in conjunction with a grant from the state of Michigan.

WA works with a family's strengths to meet their specific needs. The goal of WA is to prevent out-of-home placements, while assuring the safety net and the wellbeing of the children involved. Families are eligible when they have high-needs children who may be at risk of removal from their homes.

Often, families have been involved with many agencies and their needs have gone unmet. The issues that Wraparound families are typically facing include abuse, neglect, mental health, physiological impairment, behavioral concerns, and legal involvement.

It is important to note that, many times, the parents who are raising the child did not inflict the abuse, but are dealing with the aftermath of abuse or neglect suffered at the hands of past caretakers.

Referrals to the Wraparound Coordinator on behalf of families may come from numerous sources, including schools, county agencies, community members, and families themselves. All referrals are presented to the Community Team (CT), which consists of 2 community members and 12 agency representa-

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CASS CITY HIGH School biology teacher Nancy Weippert has played host to plenty of geese over the years at her Cass City home, but never this many. Weippert counted more than 50 Canadian geese in this gaggle, which stopped for a rest and a bite to eat Thursday afternoon.

**CONGRESSMAN JIM BARCIA looks at** 

more than 30,000 petitions that have been

received in support of the Social Security

Trust Fund. Barcia has pledged his support

to the Social Security Preservation Act, which

would stop the current practice of using

money in the Trust Fund to hide the real size

of the federal deficit. Barcia believes this

money should only be used for Social Secu-

Referrals which are not accepted are either returned to the referral worker for further interventions or placed in "Pre-Wrap", where the coordinator ensures that services are provided to the family without the longterm commitment required by Wraparound. If the referral is accepted, the WA process begins as soon as pos-

The first few meetings with the family are spent discovering family strengths, learning what worked and what did not previously, and assembling the Child and Family Team (CFT). The CFT is chosen by the family, and includes a few people they trust and feel comfortable with. Typical members include extended family members, neighbors, school personnel, counselors, and agency staff.

### Campaign finançe information on Internet

Secretary of State Candice S. Miller announced that anyone interested in knowing who is attempting to influence Michigan's electoral process through campaign contributions now has easy access to that information on the Internet.

The Secretary of State is posting campaign finance statements for all candidates, political, independent, political party and ballot proposal committees on its Internet site www.sos.state.mi.us/cfr/

cfonl.html "The Internet has revolutionized the way people access information," Miller said. "We are using the Internet to revolutionize Michigan's Campaign Finance Act by making the disclosure of campaign finance information readily acces-

sible. "The Campaign Finance Act is, essentially, a disclosure law that gives the public access to information about who is contributing money to campaigns and who is trying to influence the electoral process," Miller added. "However, disclosure is only effective when people have easy access to information. By making campaign finance records available on the Internet, we are giving people access to those records from any personal computer with Internet ac-

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#### sion" and Coach Larry Robinson said that as a team and as individuals, the athletes lived up to the theme. It was a cooperative effort, Robinson said. We thank all the athletes, parents and others who officiated at our home meets for making it a successful year. We were a fairly young team, Robinson continued, and with a fine group of ath-

Many earn honors

The theme for the Cass

this year was "catch the vi-

letes from the 8th grade, we

could be even more success-

some very big shoes to fill.

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Thumb West first team 100

and 200-meter sprints and

·Caro meet of champs sec-

ond places in the 300-meter

hurdles and 200 meter

sprint.
•Ran a leg on the 800-meter school record-setting

·Class (senior) record in

•Second in state meet in

Also graduating is Andrea

Rea. She won the shot put

at the Caro meet of champs,

finished 10th in the state and

set a Cass City class record

in the event with a 36 feet,

6-inch toss. She earned all-

conference honorable men-

the 100 meter (11 seconds).

300-meter hurdles.

300-meter hurdles.

•All conference Greater

Look at his achievements:

ful next year.

These athletes will have Mills, 1,600-meter. Others to place were Craig Emmert, third, high jump; Adam Dorland, fourth, pole vault; Jason Wright, Craig Emmert, Chad Lenhard and Heath Zawilinski, third,

In the state meet, in addition to Brinkman, Emmert was seventh, high jump, and Dorland, eighth, pole vault.

Cooper, 400-meter, 20th; Fluegge, long jump, 21st;

tion in the shot put. There are plenty of key

performers returning. All conference honors were earned by Holli Cooper, 400 meters; Jamie Fluegge (freshman), long jump, and honorable mention, 200 meters.

At Caro Meet of Champs other medalists were: Cooper, second in 800-meter and fifth in 400 meter. Other fifth places finishes were recorded by 3 Hawks, Niah



track expectations

Hawks live up to

ANDREA REA senior leader

1,600-meter relay.

#### STATE MEET

Other Hawk participants who were not medal winners were: Rea, shot put, 10th; Hosner, discus, 20th; 800meter relay team of Brinkman, James Taylor, Lenhard and Zawilinski, 11th, and 1,600-meter relay team of Zawilinski, Emmert, Wright and Brinkman, 18th.

#### RECORDS SET

Four new school records were set. The 800-meter relay squad of Brinkman, Taylor, Lenhard and Zawilinski with a time of 1:33.35; Dorland's leap of 13-feet, 3 inches in the pole vault, and Fluegge's marks of 12.67 in the 100-meter and 26.48 in the 200-meter.

New class records were set, Hosner, discus; Fluegge, 100 in addition to those set by and 200-meter; Lindsey Brinkman and Rea, by



RYAN BRINKMAN second in state

sophomore Dorland, pole vault (13.3); freshman Fluegge, 100-meter (12.67) and 200 meter (26.48); freshman Cooper, 800-meter (2:28.2); freshman Emmert. high jump (6-4), and freshman Kyle O'Dell, 110-meter hurdles (17.98) and 300meter hurdles (45.94).

At the state meet the Cass City boys scored 10 1/2 points for 25th place among 56 teams. The girls failed to



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Wins in pre-district

# Baseball team bows to hot-hitting Patriots

The Cass City Red Hawks' season came to an end Saturday when the Hawks bowed to the USA Patriots, 13-1, in the opening district tourney game at Laker High. The game was called after 6 innings. The Hawks had

competition by winning a pre-district game at Laker

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qualified for the district hits and faced just 20 batters in the 6-inning game.

> base was all the offense necessary for him to chalk up the win. Matt Irrer singled to drive in a run and Nathan Haag's single was the only other Cass City hit.

#### PRE-DISTRICT

The Cass City Red Hawks qualified for district baseball 11-8 victory over the Lakday, May 26.

Cass City had a banner day at the plate, hammering out 16 hits to make it easy for Tim Micklash to pick up the win in relief. He replaced starter Nathon Klein in the

The Hawks soared out to a an early 6-2 lead in the first

Although the Hawks out hit the Lakers 16-7, the Lakers countered with the long ball as Voss and Tomas both

Cass City staged its winning rally in the sixth, scoring 3 runs on consecutive base hits by Dan Cuddie, Craig Swiderski, Matt Irrer and Nathan Fritz.

The Hawks added 2 insurance runs in the last inning, but they weren't needed as the Lakers bowed out with-

out getting another hit.

Koel's home run with 2 on

play at Laker High with an ers in pre-district play Tues-

inning only to have the Lakers rally to tie the score with 4 runs in the second and take the lead, 8-6, with a pair of tallies in the fifth.

slammed home runs.

There were a host of Hawks with multiple hits in the game, led by Aaron Barrigar with 4, including a pair of doubles. Hawks with 3 hits were Cuddie,

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### Defeat Lakers in pre-district

# Hawk girls bow to potent Patriots

were eliminated in the opening district tournament game Saturday by the USA Patriots, who used the shutout pitching of Jamie Stahl to register a 9-0 win.

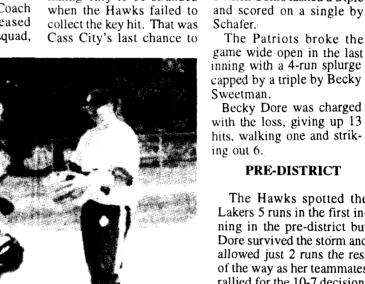
USA then went on to defeat Bad Axe in the title game, 11-2. The Hawks qualified for

the districts by defeating Laker High, 10-7, in the pre-

While the Patriots dominated the Hawks behind Stahl's 3-hit pitching, Coach Dave Hoard was pleased with the play of his squad, which finished 12-19. In a score as the Hawks went regular season game Stahl pitched a no-hitter and struck out 16.

The Hawk strikeout total was reduced to 8 Saturday and the Hawks threatened to score in 2 of the first 3 innings.

Kara Mellendorf hit a line drive double to left field with one out in the second only to die on third, and Melissa Heinlein and Katie Hacker singled in the third inning only to be stranded when the Hawks failed to



BECKY DORE, at right, who pitched a creditable game, talks over strategy with

catcher Cara Graichen.

# Fine Vassar firm for EPA violations

A Tuscola County recycling firm must pay more than \$14,000 in fines and Quality investigation that revealed violations of Michigan's hazardous waste

Michigan Recycling Inc., 551 Birch Rd., Vassar, was ordered by Tuscola County District Court to reimburse the DEQ's investigative costs of \$13,441.50 and pay a total of \$900 in fines.

Company president Gary Pickerell of Lapeer pleaded guilty to 3 counts of violating the Natural Resources and Environmental protection Act. The violations

\* Failure to maintain records regarding the quantities of hazardous waste generated.

\* Failure to properly label and contain hazardous waste.

\* Failure to ensure that hazardous waste accumulation is conducted so that it does not escape.

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Michigan's resources and residents cannot be comprocosts following a Depart- mised," said DEQ Director ment of Environmental Russell Harding. "Owners and operators of Michigan Recycling must understand their environmental responsibilities. Thanks to the commitment of our DEQ staff and Tuscola County authorities, violations at this site will be addressed."

> Michigan Recycling Inc. is an auto and metal salvage yard. It purchases scrap metal and smelts automatic transmissions on site.

Samples taken of material left over from the smelting process showed regulated amounts of lead, making it hazardous waste. The waste material had been used as fill or piled with other scrap through much of the salvage yard rather than landfilled or recycled.

The environmental impact has not been fully assessed, An undetermined amount of automotive oils and fluids has been released to the

ground, and the hazardous "The protection of nature of the smelter waste has not been completely es-The case was launched by

DEQ's Criminal Investigations Section following site inspections conducted by the department's Waste Management Division.

WEDNESDAY

2-MAN GOLF

EARLY DIVISION

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Bliss/Baker

Kritzman/J. Burns

Stickle/Iwankovitsch

Zdrojewski/Wiseman

Maharg/Pasieczny

Williamson/Rieman

Burns/Hutchinson

Strickland/Schelke

W. Dillon/Retherford

J. Hillaker/S. Murphy

Hartel/Comment

Wright/Prieskorn

LeValley/Morgan

Schneeberger/Kelley

M. Murphy/K. Martin

K. Smith/Biddinger

C. Hillaker/deBeaubien 30

TUESDAY MORNING

LADIES GOLF

May 26, 1998

1st Flight - 18 Holes

2nd Flight - 18 Holes

3rd Flight - 9 Holes

27.5

24.0

22.5

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16.5

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Doerr/Haire

Jones/Marshall

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Fran Bellew

Toby Weaver

Nelle Maharg

Kally Maharg

Ardis Haist

Joan Montgomery

Bunny O'Berski

Millie Nadison

Bonnie Miller

Lil Jaroch

Dee Pickett

Marie Scott

Barb Wilson

Linda Helwig

Candy Holdship

Eleanora Rees

Arlene Regentin

Blanche Rumptz

Mary Lou Maurer

Joann Martin

Peg Veldman

Jane Hool

Becking/K. Bliss

LATE DIVISION

Miller/Greenlee

Wallace/Apley

Herron/Tuckey

Smith/Regnerus

Hool/Toner

down in order the rest of the

It was a tight, well-played

game for 6 innings when

USA led 4-0 at the end of 6

innings. The winners scored

a pair in the first on 3 hits, 2

of them seeing-eye ground

balls through the infield. The

Patriots also scored a run on

one hit, a single in the third,

with the run scoring on a sto-

len base, passed ball and a

ground out. USA made it 4-

0 when Cohrs lashed a triple

The Patriots broke the

game wide open in the last

capped by a triple by Becky

Becky Dore was charged

PRE-DISTRICT

The Hawks spotted the

Lakers 5 runs in the first in-

ning in the pre-district but Dore survived the storm and

allowed just 2 runs the rest

of the way as her teammates

rallied for the 10-7 decision.

Collison was charged with

Cass City scored a run in

each of the first 2 innings

and went ahead for the first

time with 5 runs in the third.

A pair of runs in the fifth and

another in the seventh iced

Heinlein and Janis Mastie,

with 2 hits each, led the Cass

with the loss, giving up 13

ing out 6.

the loss.

the victory.

### Chip Shots

Marian Harm

45

42

38 36

34 31

27

20

20

40

33

Betty Zulauf Pearl Parsell Noreen Krug Evelyn Coaster Vera Ferguson Virginia Ruthko

### Baseball standings

CASS CITY MINOR LEAGUE **STANDINGS** May 30

General Cable Giants 4-0 Martin Elec. Tigers Thomas Dentistry Yankees Erla's Cubs Mr. Chips Orioles Huron Business Prod. Dodgers

> CASS CITY LITTLE LEAGUE **STANDINGS** May 30

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# Youngsters enjoy round barn tour



UBLY STUDENTS enjoyed an afternoon at the Octagon Barn Friday along with other area elementary students. Children received a tour of the house and barn, getting the opportunity to pet the animals.



BOB HIRN helps students saw and use a boring machine to make holes in a log outside the Octagon Barn.



Fri. 8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

### New books at the library

Private Justice by Anne McCaffrey: Fear has come to Newpointe, La. First one, then another of the town's firemen's wives has been murdered and a third has barely escaped with her life. A serial killer is stalking this small community and Mark Branning's wife may be next. Mark wants to save Allie, but keeping her alive won't be easy especially since their own marriage is dying. Unless they solve their marriage problems and return to God, someone else may end their problems permanently and soon.

N is for Noose by Sue Grafton: When detective Tom Newquist dies his widow didn't doubt the coroner's report of a heart attack, but she couldn't help wondering what had been bothering her husband during the last 6 weeks of his life. Selma Newquist needed to find a way to deal with losing her husband and she knew she had to find out what had been haunting him. Kinsey Milhone sets out to help Selma solve the mystery and becomes the target of a killer.

The Target by Catherine Coulter: To escape some unwanted media attention Ramsey Hunt retreats to an isolated cabin high in the Rocky Mountains. He finds a little girl in the woods who is mute and she cannot help him when strangers come to kill him. Her mother, Molly Santera, finds the 2 of them and before she can thank him for saving her little girl the strangers come after all 3 of them. They flee to the sanctuary of the Chicago compound of crime boss Mason Lord who is Molly's father. But even there they are not safe. With the help of the FBI they begin to unravel the clues and discover the real target of their pursuers.



PRESENTING A CHECK for \$500 in behalf of the Knights of Columbus is Daryl Iwankovitsch. It is the 14th straight year that the organization has given a donation. It would be great if the money were used for a digital camera, he said, but the school can use it as it wants. Accepting the check in behalf of the school is Beverley Auten, treasurer.

# \$430,000 available in grants

The Michigan Jobs Commission is making scholarship funds available for students enrolled in selected associate degree or certificate programs through the Governor's Career Scholar-

ship Grants Program.

It is anticipated that

in scholarships to students residing in Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac or Tuscola counties.

The scholarships will support students who are enrolled in coursework leading to high-wage, high-skill,

\$430,000 will be available high-demand occupations. A maximum amount of onehalf the cost of training (tuition costs and other education-related costs borne by the student) up to a maximum of \$2,000 per student can be rewarded for an individual scholarship.

6505 Church St., Cass City.

Vandals cut and put burn

holes in the canvas some-

time May 24. No damage

Cathy Czekai, 6350 Main

St., reported Thursday that

someone damaged the mir-

rors, rear taillight and left

front turn signal on her ve-

the alley behind her resi-

dence. No damage estimate

was available.

estimate was available.

Applications will be accepted on a first-come/firstserve basis until the scholarship program is filled, or until Aug. 1

Scholarships are contingent upon acceptance and enrollment at the designated college or technical center.

Applications, course listings and names of participating colleges and technical centers are available at all area high schools, Huron Arca Technical Center, Lapeer Vo-Tech Center, Sanilac Career Center, Tuscola Technology Center,

Great Lakes College, Mott Community College, Detroit College of Business, St. Clair County Community College, Delta College, Baker College Flint/Cass City, Baker College Port Huron, and Thumb Area-Michigan Works Service Centers located in Bad Axe, Lapeer, Sandusky, Caro and Marlette.

Information can also be obtained by calling (517) 635-3561 or by writing to the Thumb Area-Michigan Works Agency, 3270 Wilson Street, Marlette, MI 48453.

### Investigate damage, theft

as a 26-inch, 21-speed

model, blue in color, is val-

Judith Wing, 6900 Seeger

Rd., reported the theft of a

hub cap from her 1994

Buick automobile while the

vehicle was parked in the

Cass City High School park-

Phillip Workman reported

damage to the canvas and

entryway carpeting at the

First Presbyterian Church,

ued at \$100.

ing lot May 22.

Cass City police recently investigated 4 incidents of theft and vandalism.

According to reports, Joseph Ruffing, 6372 Fourth St., Cass City, reported someone stole a bicycle from his residence sometime May 25. The bike, described

### Wills to mark 80th birthday

Aleta "Lete" Wills of Bad Axe will celebrate her 80th birthday with an open house at the First Presbyterian Church of Bad Axe from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday, June



Aleta Wills

The former Aleta Gilbert was born June 13, 1918, in Lincoln Township, Huron County, and has resided in Huron County her entire life. She married Elgin Wills in 1936. He died in 1981.

Her children and spouses are Helen and Ray Waggoner of Vassar and JoAnn Vincent of Port Austin. She also has 6 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchil-

Wills retired from the Reimann-Snyder Co. and winters in Port Richey, Fla.

### Top mulch

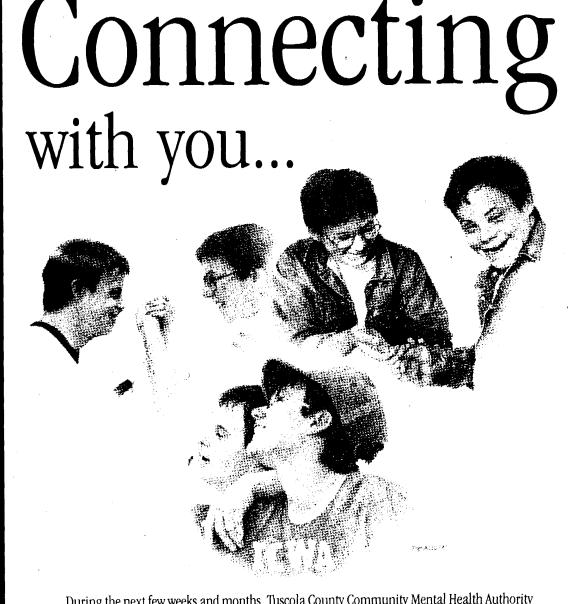
Which mulch is best for your landscaping project? In most cases, it depends what you want for color, texture and price. Each mulch requires different management, too. Your best bet apply what you like then manage it appropriately. The recommended depth for most mulches is 2 to 3 inches. Put your mulch down after the soil has dried and warmed sufficiently to avoid root and plant decay.

### Harrison faces charge

An Auburn Hills man was recently charged with a felony in Tuscola County District Court. hicle, which was parked in

Phillip J. Harrison, 35, was arraigned on a charge of malicious destruction of personal property valued at more than \$100 March 29 in Almer Township.

Bond in the case was set at \$5,000, and a preliminary examination was slated for June 16 at 10 a.m.



During the next few weeks and months, Tuscola County Community Mental Health Authority will be reaching out to you and all the citizens of Tuscola County through a Public Information campaign in your local newspaper and on your local radio station. At the instruction of our Board of Directors, we will be telling you about our Programs and Services, the Consumers who benefit from them, and the staff who deliver them. We hope you will find this information interesting and useful, and we invite you to contact us if you have questions about anything we do here. We appreciate your continuing support.

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### Council proceedings

The regular meeting of the Cass City Village Council was held May 18, 1998, at 7:00 p.m. All Trustees were present.

Minutes of the regular April meeting were approved as presented. April Financial Statement

was reviewed. Citizens made the follow-

ing comments: Rob Hartwick - Fee changes for the use of the Park and Arts and Crafts, why this year and why so much? Commended the council on their dedication and inquired on future maintenance for the tennis and basketball courts being there are no fees for their use.

Dave Knight - Consider allowing a card for village taxpayers for reduced rates. Request to rescind the fees. What were the improvements to the arts and crafts program patterned after? Also the expense of the new downtown, village clock and

new municipal building. Karen Spencer - How would transportation be arranged for special field trips? Does not feel that the increased rates will support the pool or arts and crafts.

Cris Grover - Moved here mainly for the park and recreation facilities and agreed that \$25.00 per season at arts and crafts was reasonable, possibly such an ambitious program is not necessary. Felt that card I.D. for Village residents would not be difficult to police.

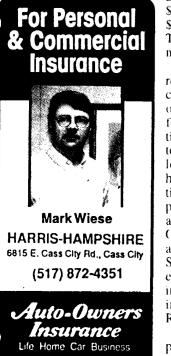
Denise Hallwood and Rita Lovejoy - Public must be made aware that assistance will be given to any family that cannot afford to use the recreation facilities.

Susan Dyer - The removal of diving boards be replaced with something for next year, lockers in bad shape and needed security of passes. Ventilation of poolbuilding is very poor and would the arts and crafts program need day care license.

Rose Martin - Agrees that the Park and Recreation programs are probably the best in the area and to maintain these the citizens must become involved in raising revenues to support them.

Matt Prieskorn, Jane Downing and President Althaver gave the following responses:

Revenues must be generated for our parks and recreation program to be able to maintain them at the present level without raising village taxes. Fees for the use of the



The No Problem People

are not charged because there is no daily preparation for personnel needed for the use of these facilities. Identification for village residowntown park and village clock are supported by the Downtown Development fund and contributions. The essary due to the condition of the old municipal building and lack of storage space. Assistance for children that cannot afford the fees will be advertised and be kept completely confidential. Contributions will be sought for support of the parks recreation from surrounding townships and local clubs and individuals. The Parks and Recreation Plan was last updated and hearings were held and very little response was received from the public. The council would gratefully accept any input from the public. The parks committee is very willing to meet with resi-

Motion by Trustee Karr, Supported by Trustee McIntosh to adopt the Revised Fee Schedule effective May 18, 1998. MOTION CAR-RIED 7 yeas 0 nays

future support of the pro-

Budget and finance Committee reported on the finances of the village. Motion by Trustee Haley, supported by Trustee McIntosh that the bills due through May 30, 1998 be approved for payment as reviewed by the budget and finance committee. MOTION CAR-RIED 7 yeas 0 nays

An Investment Policy was reviewed. Discussion was held. It was the consensus of the council to have Village Manager, Jane A. Downing, Clerk/Treasurer, Joyce A. LaRoche, and the Budget and Finance Committee formulate a simplified policy June meeting.

TION CARRIED 7 yeas 0

Public Works Committee reported that 6 bids were received for the replacement of one rooftop, gas fired. forced air heating/air conditioning unit at the Wastewater Treatment Plant with the low bid of \$12,890.00 and a high bid of \$26,700.00, Motion by Trustee Karr, Supported by Truste₹ Haley to award the bid to Superior One of Cass City in the amount of \$12,940.00. Ken Schott requested that the expertise for installation be investigated before awarding the bid. MOTION CAR-RIED 7 yeas 0 nays

ported that 2 bids were received for the 1998 Sidewalk Program. Motion by Trustee Karr, supported by

for adoption at the regular Motion by Trustee Kropewnicki, supported by Trustee Prieskorn to levy 12.5 mills for General Operating, 3.5 mills for Streets and 2.5 mills for Debt Retirement as voted by the people, on the 1998 Taxable SEV of \$38.288.238 Real and \$10,389,992 Personal and to charge 1% adminis-

tration fee, and to levy half of the millage on the tax roll for Industrial Development Exemptions SEV of \$1,000,000 Real and \$857,600 Personal. MO-

The committee also re-

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basketball and tennis courts Trustee Weaver to award the bid to Romain and Son Construction of Caro. MOTION

DENIED 1 yea 6 nays Motion by Trustee Prieskorn, Supported by dents would be very difficult Trustee Kropewnicki, to and costly to police. The award the bid to Czewski Equipment of Ubly. MO-TION CARRIED 6 yeas 1

Parks and Promotion Communicipal building was nec- mittee reported that the pool is scheduled to open May 30,

Public Safety and Personnel Committee presented a revised 403(b) Prototype Agreement with Chemical Bank and Trust addressing Articles 3(b), 4(a), 4(b) and 4(c). Motion by Trustee Weaver, supported by Trustee Kropewnicki to authorize Village Manager Jane A. Downing, to sign the revised 403(b) Prototype adopted in 1995. Public Agreement. MOTION CARRIED 7 yeas 0 nays

> The Joint Meeting of the DDA and the EDC agenda was reviewed.

Rules Committee no re-

Motion by Trustee dents to formulate a plan for Prieskorn, supported by Trustee Weaver to adopt a resolution certifying approval of project area designation, establishing project

(Hills and Dales General Hospital Project) and appointing Joan Helwig, business representative, and Ruth Whittaker, resident, as additional Directors of the Board of the Cass City EDC. ROLL CALL Prieskorn-yea, Kropewnicki-yea, McIntosh-yea, Weaver-yea, Haley-yea, Karr-yea,

Althaver-yea. MOTION

district area boundaries

CARRIED 7 yeas 0 nays Motion by Trustee Karr, supported by Trustee Haley to establish a public hearing on June 15, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. to consider approval of a project plan and the issuance of the bonds proposed therein as submitted to the Village Council of the Village of Cass City by the Economic Development Corporation of the Village of Cass

VOTE: ROLL CALL Weaver-yea, Haley-yea, Prieskorn-yea, Kropewnicki-yea, McIntosh-yea, Althaver-yea. MOTION CARRIED 7 yeas

City for the Hills and Dales

General Hospital Project.

The Village of Cass City Industrial Park Statement of

Policy was reviewed and referred back to the Cass City Economic Development Corporation for completion. The Manager's report was

Motion by Trustee Karr, Supported by Trustee Haley that the meeting be adjourned. MOTION CAR-RIED 7 yeas 0 nays

Meeting adjourned at 9:25

Joyce A. LaRoche Village Clerk

reviewed.

### TAWC contest winners to be named June 9

The Thumb Area Writer's Club (TAWC) will announce the winners of their winter contest at their regular meeting Tuesday, June 9. All winners have been notified and are expected to be present to receive their awards.

TAWC meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in room 259 at the Sandusky High School, 191 Pine Tree Lane, Sandusky.

### **Bay Shore schedules Fun Days**

A traditional all-you-can overnight at no charge. eat country breakfast will highlight an entire day of fun, fellowship and games at Bay Shore Camp's Family Fun Days, set to run from Friday evening, June 5, through Saturday evening,

June 6. The public is invited. Friday's schedule begins with a 7 p.m. softball tournament round, followed by a campfire and sing-a-long session. Those with RVs may use the campground'

The country breakfast begins at 7:30 a.m. Saturday, and continues through the

noon hour. Cost is \$5 for adults, \$2 for kids 5-12 years, and children 4 years old and younger eat free. Families with 5 or more persons will pay no more than \$15 total. All proceeds will be used for further development of Bay Shore

Camp facilities. Team registration for a 3-

on-3 co-ed basketball tournament for youngsters 7-14 begins at 8:30 a.m. Volleyball teams may also register at 8:30 a.m. for a co-ed beach sand volleyball tournament. A \$10/team tee is required for each tourna-





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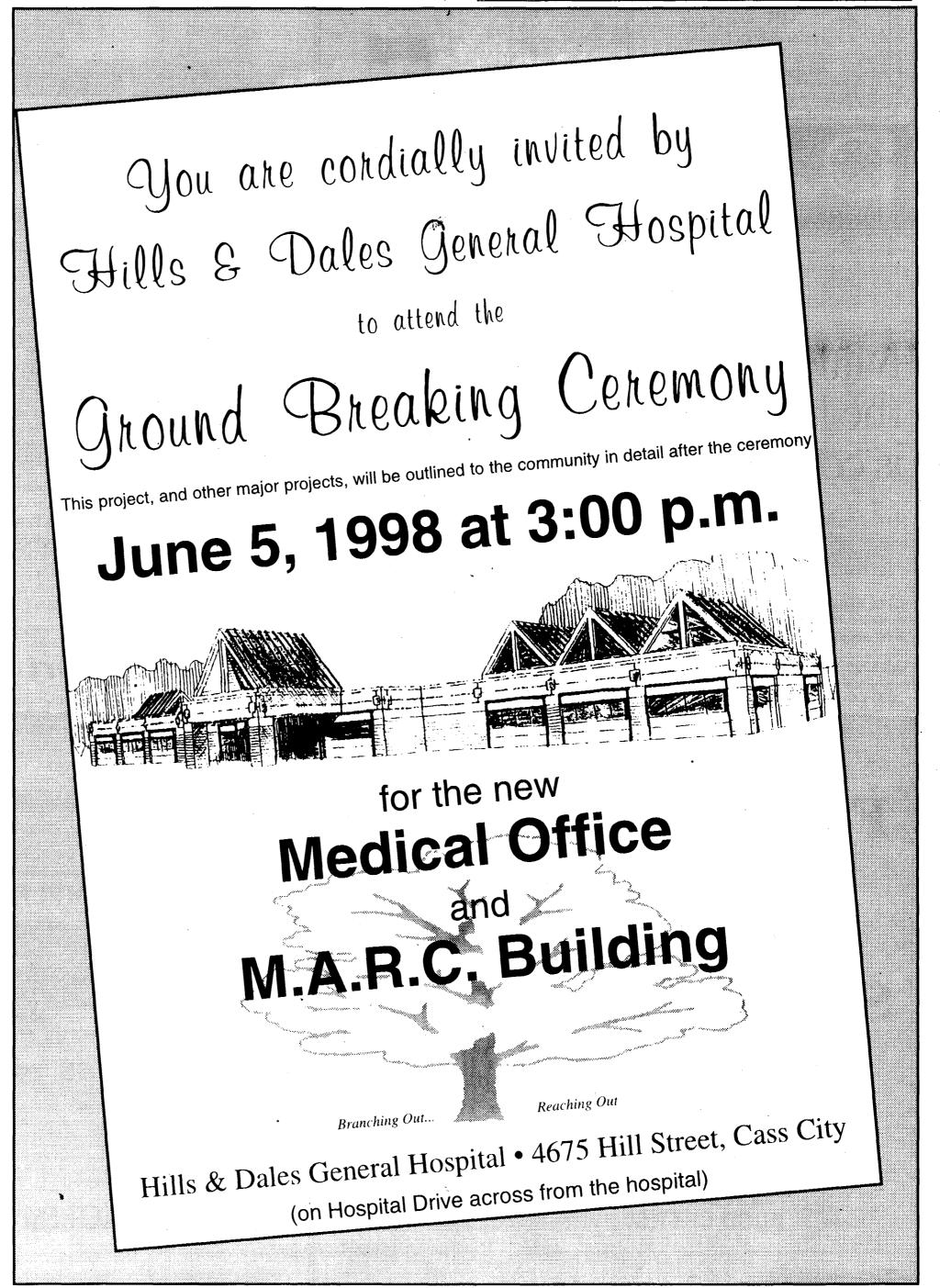
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At Cass City Middle School

# Kids to benefit from new counseling program

By Leah Nixon Staff Writer

A new guidance counseling program is going to be implemented next school year at Cass City Middle

Joan Helwig, middle school guidance counselor, explained the program tailored to serve students will be tied into the curriculum in conjunction with the school's interdisciplinary learning concept. "We will implement it instead of dropping it in on the kids,' she said.

Programs covering 3 content areas - knowledge of yourself and others, career planning and exploration, and educational and career

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technical development are going to fit in with what students are discussing in their classes, she added.

"They will reinforce each other," Helwig explained. "Students might talk about personal responsibility, decision making, study skills or friendship.

"We will focus on one or 2 so we do a good job," she included. "This will teach kids lifetime coping skills they need."

Students will work with problem solving, peer mediation and dealing with conflict, she said, adding kids don't have a good handle on these things.

The programs will last

about 30 minutes, 2 times a education.' Coupon (
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> Revised into a new 1997-Cass City Board of Educa-

"At this time, we wanted to inform the school board of our plans to implement the program into the middle school in stages," Helwig said. "I just recently got the new edition of the program and some people may not

"We want to share what the program is about and educate parents and staff," she added. "It is now a process of getting parents and staff

There is still a lot to do, Helwig included. "We're looking at 3 years to imple-

Three years is a good time span to look back at what the program has done and make changes, she explained. "We will be at a point where we are comfortable. It is not going to happen overnight.'

"I am 100 percent in favor of the new program," she

No concerns were expressed by parents after they were surveyed about the changes and new ideas, Lohela said. "Parents have been very positive. We are just at the beginning of the program and we will educate

week for 4 to 6 weeks.

Currently, Helwig said the old counseling program, called Student Services, could be described as "trouble shooting."

"Dealing with kids on an as-needed basis, we work with kids as problems arise. It is not a comprehensive program.'

At the same time, the program also provides for other needs of kids, including clean clothing and shoes. "The whole philosophy behind a program is to service the student.

"The new program was not just something I made up," Helwig said, adding, "We following the counselor's guide approved by the state department of

Michigan's Comprehensive Guidance Counseling Program, adopted by the Michigan School Counselors Association, combines years of meetings and research into a model for all counselors in the state, not just middle school.

98 edition, the program was recently presented to the

know about it.

on board.'

ment the program.'

A comprehensive program has been a goal for the middle school, said Jeanne Lohela, Cass City Middle School principal. "It is a goal we set in the school improvement plan.

added. "This program will be excellent.

the parents as we go along.' ç<del>★</del>★<del>☆</del>★☆<del>☆★</del>☆★☆★☆★☆★☆★☆★☆★☆★☆

# Academic All-Conference st Division

MEMBERS OF THE Greater Thumb academic all-conference teams are feted at a luncheon and receive a medal and certificate. Selection is based on grade-point average and ACT/SAT formula. First team, West Division, left to right, first row: Sarah Morel, Reese; Debbie Hakes, Reese; Mike Sella, Reese; Becky Cohrs, USA; Cheryl Booms, Bad Axe. Second row: Kristen Knecht, Bad Axe; Abby Sommers, Bad Axe; Jon Weber, Reese; Ryan Hutchinson, Cass City; Kate Damm, Lakers.



SECOND TEAM, left to right, first row: Adam Cieszlak, Bay City All Saints; Susan Biskup, Bay City All Saints; Liz Bierlein, Reese; Leah Shagene, Cass City; Heather Orr, Lakers. Second row: Ken Maschke, Bad Axe; Nathan Kapa, Mayville; Josh Brinkman, Cass City; Joel Maust, Lakers; Nathan Forster, Lakers.



HONORABLE MENTION TEAM, left to right, first row: Beth Foldie, Bay City All Saints; Erin Morrill, Bay City All Saints; Nicole Patterson, Mayville; Kathy Elwood, Mayville; Pamela Lutz, USA. Second row, Erik Green, Bay City All Saints; Tony Hoffman, Mayville; Rusty Bloomer, USA; Joel Salsburey, Lakers; Melissa Demaertelure, USA; Audrey Kelly, USA. Third row: Zac Eskau, Bad Axe; Steven Turner, Mayville; Lori Brown, Cass City; Tammy Acker, Cass City.

### In Tuscola County

### Families focus of effort

munity members are working together in Tuscola County to expand, improve, and help fund human service programs for children and families in the community.

The Human Services Coordinating Council (HSCC) is an example of this. The council sponsors a work group called the Strong Families/Safe Children Community Planning Team (CPT). Both groups consist of community members and agency staff members.

Tuscola County's HSCC began meeting in 1994, and has been involved in many projects, including transportation services and Wraparound.

The Community Planning Team (CPT) began in 1996 when federal funds became available to create Strong Families/Safe Children. Its goals include reducing outof-home placements, increasing adoptions, increasing immunization rates, and Community Planning Team increasing support to families who are raising children of their relatives

When the HSCC became involved in this new initiative, a community plan was written and approved, which included the idea of the Community Planning Team. The CPT is responsible for making recommendations to the HSCC about the use of Strong Families/Safe Children funds, and how to best coordinate the programs and services.

Tuscola County's CPT has 2 community representatives and 15 agency representatives. They have been involved with many projects since April of 1996, including Wraparound, the Adoption Mentor, Immunizations. Kinship Care, Parenting

Education and Child Care. Governor Engler has announced that funding for Strong Families/Safe Children has been renewed for Fiscal Years 1999-2001. Its

members want the community to know more about what the CPT is working on and whom to contact if they want to get involved.

For more information about becoming a member of the community planning team or details about Strong Families/Safe Children projects, please contact Lisa K. Jolly at (517) 673-6191.

### Letter to the editor

### Saddened by fee hikes at park

I was saddened and very disappointed to read about the huge increases in pool fees and the summer programs offered at the park.

I grew up in Cass City and most of my family still lives there. My nieces and nephews benefit from these summer programs and the use of the Cass City pool. I have maintained a subscription to the Cass City Chronicle because it is important to me to keep up with what is going on in my home town. As you know, Cass City is

not a big metropolis. Cass City is a small village. Cass City is a very rural community. There are not many high paying executive positions available to many citizens of this fine village. Many people work hard for minimum wage or not much more and it is impossible for them to pay these high fees. These rate hikes are ridiculous and many children are going to miss out on their only source of recreation for the summer.

There are so many unpleasant things that children can get involved in when they are not provided with something to do with their idle time. Three months is a long time to have nothing to do. Our children need these programs! Without programs like these to keep our children busy with good clean fun, they may get involved in things such as drugs, drinking, smoking and breaking the law. These are not easy times for our children to grow up in and we all need to work harder to

help our children grow up headed on the right path.

Why not organize some fund raisers if additional money is needed to keep the fees down? I am sure that there are a lot of parents and children who would be happy to help with this if it will save their summer programs and make the pool fees affordable. I say that the entire community should get

Remember, it really does take a village to raise a child...Cass City is that vil-

Sincerely,

Jennifer Harmer Bruyneel Houston, Texas

#### Letters to the Editor The Chronicle welcomes

letters to the editor.

Letters must include the writer's name, address and telephone number. The latter is in case it is necessary to call for verification, but won't be used

Names will be withheld from publication upon || request, for an adequate

in the newspaper.

The Chronicle reserves the right to edit letters for length and clarity.

We will not publish thank you letters of a specific nature, for instance, from a club thanking merchants who donated prizes for a raffle.

### Your neighbor says

# It's all politics

Bill Clinton and his personal life have been the hot topic of conversation among many Americans.

"In my personal opinion, it's all politics," said J.E. Smith, Cass City resident. "I think the Republican party is trying to gain points.

"I think the media is blowing the whole situation out of proportion," he added.

In addition, Smith said he does not see how the media can continue to cover Clinton's personal life once he is out of the presidency.

"If things go the way they are now," he explained, "coverage of Clinton's personal life will die out of the me-

"With the economy the way it is, if a person has

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a fat wallet they don't complain."

The women who have accused Clinton are just looking for money and publicity, according to Smith. "I don't think they will bother him once he is out of office."

If Clinton continues to do what he is doing now, Smith said, he will leave office with a fairly good political record. "Most people accept the fact that he is doing a good job. Prosperity is up." Accusations are not affecting Clinton and his ability to do his job, according to Smith.

As for Mrs. Clinton, Smith said, "She should just keep her mouth shut." She should not comment about the accusations and so-called "affairs" her husband had.

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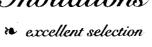


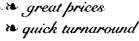
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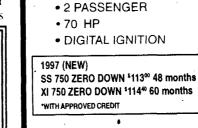








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### **Down Memory Lane**

From the files of the Chronicle

#### 5 YEARS AGO

Hills and Dales General Hospital, Cass City, received a pair of awards for top cost savings in 1992 at the 2nd Annual Michigan Region Hospital Shared Services/ Amerinet Seminar, held May 20 in Traverse City. The awards were the Diamond Award for "Hospital of the Year," and a Silver Award for "Pharmacy of the Year." Representatives of the hospital were Shirley Buschlen, purchasing agent; Craig Bellew, registered pharmacist, and Juliet Patterson, dietary supervi-

Airman Nathan S. Bryant has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. He is the son of Mike L. and Janet E. Bryant of Cass City, and a 1992 graduate of Cass City High School.

Debra Lee McClorey and Donna Lee Finkbeiner, mother and daughter, are among 18 people who have earned their high school diplomas this year through the Cass City Adult Education program.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur will celebrate 66 years of marriage Friday, June 4.

Heath W. Fick, 26, and Richard J. Boyne, 27, both of Marlette, were killed instantly when the all-terrain vehicle they were riding collided head-on with a pickup truck early Monday morning in Koylton Township.

#### 10 YEARS AGO

Because of the recent string of scorching 90-degree days, Matt Jones, director of the Cass City Village Pool, reports many residents have taken advantage of the pool, which recorded near capacity crowds (225 persons) Saturday and Sunday, and a capacity crowd Monday.

Sherri Horner of Cass City will leave Monday for several weeks of training in preparation for a 2-year duty as a Peace Corps volunteer in the Central African Republic. The 1984 Cass City High School graduate is the daughter of Louis and Janice Horner of Cass City.

One hundred classmates are expected to attend the funeral Friday of Jon Clink, 17, of Caro, who was killed Sunday after he was hit by a vehicle at the intersection of Murray and Tin Bill Roads in Wells Township. He was a junior at Kingston High

Seventeen people graduated from the Adult Education program Tuesday, May 24. The 10th annual adult student graduating class brings the total of program graduates to 180.

Three Gagetown siblings recently received degrees from Ferris State College. Joe, Tina and Marsha Lopez. children of Julia Lopez of Gagetown, graduated Satur-

Funeral services for Tuscola County Register of Deeds Ann L. Sattelberg, who died Thursday after suffering an aneurysm May 23, were held Monday in Caro. Sattelberg, 49, suffered from the aneurysm Monday afternoon while leaving the courthouse.

#### 25 YEARS AGO

A voter survey questionnaire is currently being circulated by the Cass City Parks and Recreation Committee of the Village Council in an effort to determine voter sentiment concerning the construction of an indoor swimming pool at the high school as a year-round facil-

A Michigan State Police post for Tuscola County became a step nearer to reality when an amendment to the

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all of our employees and the members of our management teams. Last week our

Caro restaurant had equipment that was struck by lightning and we were forced

to close temporarily. Sunday, with the storms, our Cass City restaurant was

closed for a short period of time. The power outages created an unexpected,

but welcomed customer flow at both restaurants. Without hesitation, many of

our off-duty employees and managers came in and stayed late to assist. Of

course we were busier than normal and all but a few customers understood that

we were working as fast and diligently as possible. We appreciated the kind

words of encouragement and the patience displayed today and throughout the

Beanie craze. For those who left not satisfied, we apologize and will keep

working on continued improvements in all of our restaurants. Our employees

are truly number one in our eyes. Many could have used the power outage as an

excuse to not be at work. Some could have even said they were sick. They

didn't, they came in to service you, the best they could. Hats off to our employces of Caro and Cass City. Bless our customers who exhibited patience and left our employees feeling good about themselves. We know our employees appre-

ciated it too. Next time when you get good service, a friendly smile or great

food, let our employees know. They would love the feedback. They will be

thrilled that you noticed and even more thrilled that you took time to tell them.

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budget bill introduced by Rep. Loren Armbruster, Republican, was adopted.

Mrs. Florence Karr of Cass City has been awarded an associate degree in hospital administration from Northwood Institute in Mid-

Becky Parrott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Parrott, Cass City, was chosen queen of ROTC for 1973 during ceremonies held at the annual ROTC Military Ball May 12 at Lake Superior State College, Sault Ste. Marie. Her escort, Cadet Major Tom Kolb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kolb of Cass City, was selected as outstanding senior cadet of the

Jerry Toner pitched a perfect game for Cass City High School Saturday and was named to the district Class B-C all-star team as a sophomore. The team rolled past Ubly, 6-0, with Toner's perfect pitching.

#### 35 YEARS AGO

Bigelow Hardware, one of Cass City's pioneer businesses, changed hands this week as Andrew Bigelow sold the business and building to Lloyd Vyse of Cass City.

Cass City retained its traditional free swimming periods at the pool but upped fees for the pay swim periods to combat rising costs. Rates for swimming in the pay periods have gone from 10 to 20 cents for children. Cost for adults is 25 cents. The schedule calls for free swimming from 2 to 4 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays will be reserved for children 13 and over and will be free from 2

Superintendent Willis Campbell was honored for the second time this year Tuesday when the Cass City Elementary School was named after him. Presenting the certificate was School Board President Jack Esau. Several months ago Campbell was named Cass City's Citizen of the Year. He is beginning his final year at Cass City. He will retire June 30, 1964, after 42 years of service at the

The new pastor at the Salem EUB Church, the Rev. R.E. Betts, 38, gave his first sermon at his new church Sunday. Rev. Betts and his wife have 3 children, Bob, 13, Bettse, 10, and Mark, 3.

The first Thumb Annual Crow Shoot sponsored by the Tuscola County Conservation Club is set for Saturday. Hunters must turn their birds in by 4:00 the day of the hunt at the Caro Gun Club to be eligible for judg-

#### **Cass City Honor Roll** The 5th marking period for Meeker, Justin Miller, Englehart, Julie Erla, Jennifer Eyer, Jonathan Fobear, Lindsey Mills, Kim Morrish, the Cass City High School Maria Garety, Cara Graichen, Andy Green, Scott has been announced.

SPENDING THE majority of his life as a horse farmer, it was

only fitting that Cass City resident Leonard Copeland, 86,

All A's - Kaylee Bell, Holli Cooper, Andy Dale, Randy Diebel, Josh Dillon, Amy DuQuesnay, Craig Emmert, Jaime Fluegge, Katie Hacker, Anthony Ingrao, Laura O'Dell, Emily Rayl, Anand Raythatha, Manisha Raythatha, Josh Sherman,

9TH GRADE

day by a horse drawn wagon.

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### **10TH GRADE**

don Wills.

All A's - Emily Bennett, Nicole Doerr, Melissa Homakie, Jalal Khoury, Otulakowski, Stephanie Pierce, Kristy Ryan, David Sutter.

B or Better - Justin Caraballo, Jason Damm, Adam Dorland, Amber Dunn, Sally Finkbeiner, Lindsey Gaszczynski, Corey Gilliam, Matt Gilliam, Andrea Gohsman, Kristie Haag, Jesse Hillaker, Christina Kababik, Shawn Klinkman, David Kolb, Paul Langmaid, Phil Mathewson,

Melissa Myers, Brooke Ouvry, Jenny Parsell, Matt Perry, Kurt Puterbaugh, Sonya Regnerus, Brad Roche, Megan Romstad, Mike Stine, Tracy Talaski, Aaron Volz, Rachel Warden, Katie Wood, Tara Wright, Ben Zimba.

Haag, Andrew Hartwick,

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#### 11TH GRADE

All A's - Aaron Bell, Amanda Board, Jim Dale, Ryan Downing, Dave Hobbs, Rose Hoelzle, Danielle Laming, Steve McIntosh, Becky Oesch, Adam Stoeckle, Marissa Sweeney, Shelly Ulfig, Amy Nicolette Venema, Zawilinski.

B or Better - Melissa Albrecht, Aaron Barrigar, Mandy Chappel, Harry Deck, Rebecca Dore, Sheri Foster, Luke Frederick, Lance Gohsman, Nathan Haag, Brandon Hartel, Arlene Hoppe, Jeremy Kilbourn, Nicholas King, Laura Kundinger, Amanda LaPeer, Nicole Matheny, McNeil, Kara Mellendorf, Amanda Morrish, Joel Nicol, Susan O'Hara, Matt Ross, Brad Russell, Carrie Wentworth,

### 12TH GRADE

Eric Zawilinski.

All A's - Tammy Acker, Joshua Brinkman, Lori Brown, Christina Doerr, Shannon Haley, Cyrus Healy, Melissa Heinlein, Shelly Hendrick, Kristy Hicks, Rachel Hoard, Emily Hopper, Ryan Hutchinson, Janis Mastie, Leah Shagene, Heather Woidan.

B or Better - Jessica Apel-Mifsud, Becky Bennett, Ryan Bennett, Colleen Cartwright, Sarah Dore, Ryan McIntosh, Jessica Benjamin Ducoeur, Jamie

### Kellom earns Master of Science Degree

Ellen Palmer Kellom received a Master of Science in Transfusion Medicine degree May 17 from Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis.

Kellom entered the program upon successful completion of Specialist in Blood Bank Technology training and passing a national certification exam in August 1996. She is employed as a training and development specialist at The Blood Center of Southeastern Wisconsin.

Kellom is a 1982 graduate of Cass City High School and a 1986 graduate of Ferris State University. She, along with her daughters. Molly and Kira, and husband Ben, reside in southeastern Wisconsin. .



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

### Wednesday, June 3

Duplicate Bridge, 7 p.m. at Charmont. Everyone wel-

Eastern Star special initiation, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple

#### Thursday, June 4

Friends of the Library meeting, 9:30 a.m., Rawson Memorial Library.

Registration for Summer Reading Program begins at Rawson Memorial Library.

Evergreen Township Special Board meeting, 7:30 p.m., township hall, to discuss what to do with present hall. HDC Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) Distribution, Bad Axe Fairgrounds (use Soper Road), 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.

HDC Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) Distribution, Fairgrounds in Sandusky, 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.

### should have been carried through town after his funeral Thurs- Friday, June 5

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

HDC Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) Distribution, HDC Warehouse on Butler Street in Caro, 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.

### Monday, June 8

Owen-Gage School Board meeting, 7:30 p.m. Cass City Band Boosters, 7 p.m., high school band room. Elkland Township Board meeting, 7 p.m.

### Tuesday, June 9

Children's Movie entitled "Pete's Dragon," 1:30 p.m., Rawson Memorial Library.

Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary and the Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Blood Drive at Hills and Dales General Hospital. Call 872-2121 for more informa-

Everyone is invited to Bible Talks at Novesta Township

Hall in Deford June 9, 16, 23 & 30, 7:30 p.m. Thumb Octagon Barn meeting, 7 p.m., fire hall,

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### **Branch** office to close

The Michigan Department of State has announced that the Caro Secretary of State branch office, 130 Millwood, is tentatively scheduled to be closed Wednesday, June 17, 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. The branch office will open at 3 p.m. and remain open until 7 p.m. that

The branch office will be closed for staff training on the new digital equipment that is being installed for the new Michigan driver li-

The first full day when customers will be issued the new Michigan driver license at the Caro branch office is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, June 18. Customers who need to

transact business with the Secretary of State's office Wednesday morning are encouraged to visit the branch offices in Vassar, 117 S. Main, or Marlette, Unit #112, 3279 Wilson.

Each of these offices will open at 11 a.m. Wednesday. June 17.

The Secretary of State's office regrets any inconvenience that will result from this scheduling change but looks forward to offering customers the new Michigan driver license.

#### Gagetown United Methodist Church, and had been retired

Delores Ann Bencheck, 61, of Gagetown, died Friday, May 22, 1998, at her resi-

**Delores Bencheck** 

She was born in Cass City April 14, 1937, the daughter of Clifton and Lily Mae (Nicholas) Rockefeller, Jan.

**HDC** set

### to celebrate **June 6-13**

The Human Development Commission (HDC) and its housing department will be celebrating National Homeownership Week, June 6 through June 13.

During the week, HDC's housing department will focus on the importance of homeownership to individuals and communities, and promote the success of rural homeownership.

HDC's housing department works closely with U.S.D.A.'s Rural Development an Independent Bank East Michigan to help lowincome and first time homebuyers secure conventional financing to fund the purchase of safe and affordable housing. HDC's housing staff may also provide individuals homeownership counseling on issues such as planning, budgets, mortgages, and property maintenance.

The MSHDA Single-Family Purchase Program has allowed HDC to purchase homes in the Caro and Sandusky areas. Through this program houses are renovated and made available at affordable prices to low-income and first time homebuyers.

Currently, HDC's Housing Department is in the process of selling one house in Caro. The department will have 3 additional homes available for purchase in Caro, and one in Sandusky, within the next few weeks. The Housing Department of HDC is also working with Rural Development in selling a home near Pigeon.

For additional information, please contact HDC's Housing Department locally at (517) 673-4121, or toll free at 1-800-843-6394.

#### 6, 1957, she married Steve Bencheck in Owendale.

**Obituaries** 

Saginaw.

McNaughton.

Daniel and Ethel (Bond)

She married Lorn E. McIn-

tosh April 27, 1940, in

Decker. He died Jan. 14,

She attended Shabbona

United Methodist Church

and was a member of the

She is survived by her chil-

dren, Floyd (Linda) McIn-

tosh of Cass City, Carl

(Shirley) McIntosh of

Williamston, Judy (Bill)

Britt of Cass City, Clarence

(Karen) McIntosh of

Davisburg, and Betty (Kirk)

Bensinger of Ubly; 13

grandchildren; 15 great-

grandchildren; sisters, Irene

Bader of Snover and Marga-

ret Burns of Cass City; a

brother, Elwyn (Mary)

McNaughton of Cass City,

and many nieces and neph-

She was preceded in death

by a sister, Hazel

Funeral services were held

United Methodist Church,

with the Rev. Jean

Interment was in Elkland

Memorials may be made to

the Shabbona United Meth-

Arrangements were made

by Little & Kranz Funeral

Elmer Rutkowski

Elmer Frank Rutkowski,

66, of Ubly, died Monday, May 25, 1998, at the

Marlette Hospital after a

He was born Aug. 22,

1931, in Ubly, son of Albert

and Mary (Wrubel)

Rutkowski. He married Bar-

bara Kanaby Oct. 3, 1953,

at St. Pancratius Catholic

He was a graduate of the

country school. He worked

on a Peppermint farm. He

also worked at Dodge Main

in Hamtramck and Active

Industries. He did bump and

painting for Bukoski Deal-

ers of Ubly. He owned and

operated Elmer's Bump

Shop since 1974. He was a

former parishioner of St.

John's of Ubly and has been

a parishioner of St. Ignatius

Catholic Church of Freiburg

since 1974. He was a former

member of the Ubly Fire

Department. He was an

original member of the Ubly

Fox Hunters Club and a

former member of the St.

Mary's Holy Name Society.

Barbara, of Ubly; 2 daugh-

ters, Karen Courter and her

husband, Michael, of

Groombridge and her hus-

hand, James, of Cass City;

3 sons, Randolph "Randy"

Rutkowski and his wife.

Karen, of Ubly, Dennis

Rutkowski of Ubly and

Kelly Rutkowski of Cass

City; 7 grandchildren; 3

brothers, Joseph and his

wife, Maxine, Edward, and

Clarence and his wife,

Christine, all of Ubly; 3 sis-

ters, Reta Pollum and her

husband, Herman, of Ubly,

Marcy Guigar of Royal Oak

and Leona Zinger and her

He was preceded in death

Mass of Christian burial

was held Friday at St.

Ignatius Catholic Church of

Freiburg. The Rev. William

Burial was in the church

Gruden, pastor, officiated.

Kurt,

husband,

Essexville.

by one grandson.

Snover, ad

Arlene

He is survived by his wife,

Church in Cass City.

Rencontre officiating.

Township Cemetery.

Discretionary Fund.

Home, Cass City.

long illness.

Sunday at the Shabbona

Stoutenburg.

Shabbona U.M.W.

She was a member of the

from Owen-Gage School System, where she had been a cafeteria cook for many

Surviving along with Steve, her husband of 41 years, are a daughter, Cynthia (Thomas) Mellendorf, and 2 sons, Mark (Kelly Jo) Bencheck and Douglas Bencheck, all of Gagetown; 3 grandchildren, 2 brothers, John D. (Sharyn) Rockefeller and Gary (Mary Ellen) Rockefeller, both of Gagetown,

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 26, at Gagetown Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Alice Sheffield officiating.

Interment was in Elkland Cemetery.

The family has suggested memorials to Marlette Hospice, American Cancer Society, or Gagetown United Methodist Church.

### Steve Bencheck Jr.

Steve Bencheck Jr., 69, of Gagetown, died Monday, May 25, 1998, at Hills and Dales General Hospital, Cass City.

He was born Oct. 13, 1928, in Lapeer County, the son of Steve Sr. and Magdaline (Tulkovich) Bencheck. He married the former Delores Ann Rockefeller in Owendale Jan. 6, 1957. She preceded him in death May 22, 1998.

He worked as a job setter with Ford Motor Company, retiring in 1987. Benchecks were members of Gagetown United Methodist Church. Surviving are a daughter,

Cynthia (Thomas) Mellendorf; 2 sons, Mark (Kelly Jo) Bencheck and Douglas Bencheck, all of Gagetown; 3 grandchildren, and a sister. Mary Church. Funeral services were held Friday at the Gagetown Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Alice Sheffield officiating. Funeral services for his wife, Delores, were held Tuesday, May 26.

Burial for both was in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

### Belva McIntosh

Cass City, died suddenly

### Belva E. McIntosh, 82, of

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### cemetery.

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#### Rena Wood

Rena W. Lindfors Wood, 88, died May 27, 1998, at Bortz Health Care in West Branch.

Lindfors Wood had lived in West Branch since 1997, formerly of Cass City. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Curtis Lindfors and her second husband, Warren Wood, and a daughter-in-law, Katharine Lindfors. She was a member of the

City, and a past member of the First Congregational Church in Saginaw. She was active in scouting in the Saginaw area for many years, receiving the 25

Methodist Church in Cass

year pin. She is survived by a daughter, Billie (John) Artman of West Branch; a son, Karl (Donna Lee) Lindfors of Mt. Pleasant and a step-daughter, Mary Davidson of Grant; 5 grandchildren; 2 stepgrandsons, and several great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, June 3, at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Saginaw.

Those desiring may make Memorial Contributions to Hospice of Helping Hands odist Church or the Family of West Branch.

### **Tony Yost**

Tony O. Yost, 28, of Cass City, died Saturday, May 30,

Born July 3, 1969, in Cass City, he was the son of Anthony and Linda (Quinn) A 1992 graduate of Ferris

State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in environmental health, he worked for the Huron County Health Department as an environmental protection agent. He is survived by his par-

ents, Anthony and Linda Yost; a sister, Jacquelyn Kay grandmothers, Catherine Quinn and Jean Nuske, and special friend, Ruby Bryant. He was preceded in death by his grandfathers, Anthony Yost and Owen Quinn. Funeral services were held

Tuesday at Little and Kranz Funeral Home, with the Rev. Mark Todd of Cass City Living Word Worship Center officiating. Interment was in Novesta

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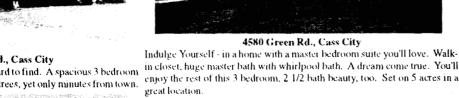
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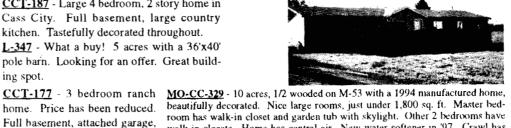
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### General Cable plant manager

# Zurbuch replaces Valdez

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Zurbuch replaces Jesus Valdez, who has served as plant manager for the past 10 years. Company officials did not say what led to the

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change in plant leadership. Zurbuch joined General Cable, headquartered in Highland Heights, Ky., in June 1995 as a process engineering manager at the company's Bonham, Texas, plant, which produces data communications and telecommunications cable.

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He most recently served as manufacturing engineering manager and was the project coordinator of a recentlycompleted major capacity expansion at the Bonham facility that increased output of its Plastic Insulated Cable (PIC) telecommunications cable by 48 percent.

(See story, page one)

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Zurbuch holds a chemical engineering degree from Purdue University and will complete his MBA degree at Indiana University in June. He and his family will relocate to the Cass City area this summer.

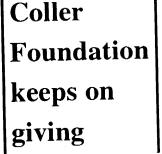
"Jeff has been instrumental in leading the Bonham, Texas, plant's cycle time management and process improvement efforts," said Larry Davis, vice-president, manufacturing-communications products. "His strong, demonstrated leadership skills will be valuable in our challenge to bring the Cass City facility to the technological forefront.'

General Cable's Cass City facility manufactures communications wire and cable products and employs 198 people.

### **Distinctly** German

American beer may soon have a distinctly German taste. The Agricultural Research Service has come out with a new hops variety called Santaim, which provides beer drinkers with the aroma and taste found previously only in hops from Germany's Tettnang region. The Tettnang hops can be grown in the United States, but its yield is much lower. The new hops yields twice as much as its predecessor and is the world's first naturally seedless hops.

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market investments, and an ultra frugal lifestyle.

"There was nobody more patriotic than she was, or more honest," Hicks said. "She never drew one cent of Social Security. She said, 'I didn't need it, so I never applied'.' Hicks recalled the idea for

an educational scholarship foundation was made to Coller by longtime family attorney Leonard Patterson of Sandusky. "She liked the idea," he

added. "He wrote the will and he and his son probated the estate."

#### \$3 MILLION

Included in the will was a \$3 million gift to the University of Michigan Medical Center in honor of Coller's cousin, Dr. Fred Coller, who served as head of surgery at the facility for some 30 years. A new surgical ward with 21 operating suites now bears his name.

As for the scholarships, the Coller Foundation was established with \$1.6 million. And, despite the loss of around \$300,000 when the stock market took a nose dive in 1987, the foundation has since grown to \$1.8 million, with \$1,013,000 distributed in scholarship awards over the past 9 years.

Hicks noted each scholarship check represents not only a helping hand, but a reminder of Ether Coller's strong faith in God.

He explained that when he and Patterson began going through Coller's private papers after her death, they found 3 separate hand-written copies of Coller's personal testimony. The confession of faith simply reads: "Romans 10:13 Jesus, I know I'm a sinner and I believe you died for my sins

my life and save me." Patterson suggested that the testimony be printed on every scholarship check. It took a little doing, but every check was imprinted with the message in Coller's handwriting, Hicks said.

and I want you to come into

He's quick to credit Patterson as the architect of the Coller Foundation, and for years of support. But he said scholarship recipients also owe a debt of gratitude to his mother, the late Gladys Hicks.

Gerald said he and his mother, and her brother, Donald Coller, all helped to care for Ethel during the last 8 years of her life. But it was Gladys who literally saved Ethel's life, making it possible for her to include the scholarship foundation in her will.

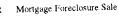
Gerald explained Ethel underwent routine cateract surgery, but there were problems with the care she received, resulting in an infection.

Ethel subsequently went into a coma. She laid there for 75 days and the doctor had given up all hope, he recalled. "Mother had her brought over here and laid her on the davenport."

For the next several weeks, Gladys nursed Ethel back to health. "Mother worked with her every day," Hicks said. "If it hadn't been for my mother, there wouldn't have been a will and there wouldn't be a scholarship

"To me she's the unsung hero of this whole thing.

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Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock A.M.. on Friday, July 3, 1998.

Said premises are situated in TOWN-SHIP of VASSAR, Tuscola County,

A parcel of land in the Northwest 1/4 of etion 17, T11N-R8E, Vassar Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, described as follows: To fix the point of beginning mence at the Northwest corner of Section 17; thence South 00 degrees 00' 00" West on the West line of said Section 1056.00 feet to the point of beginning of this description; thence North 89 degrees 58' 34" East parallel with the North line of said Section 665.94 feet to a point on the East line of the West 1/2 of the West 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of said Section thence South 00 degrees 03'57" East on said East line of the West 1/2 of the West 1/2 of the Northwest 1/2 142.00 feet; thence South 89 degrees 58' 34" West parallel with said North Section line, 666.10 feet to a point on said West Section line; thence North 00 degree 00' 00" East on said West Section line 142.00 feet to the

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale, un-less determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: May 20, 1998

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ATTORNEY LEONARD Patterson (left) looks over the Coller File in his Sandusky office as Gerald Hicks holds a picture of his late aunt, Ethel Coller, who established a foundation that has awarded more than \$1 million in scholarships to students in Sanilac and Tuscola counties.

### **Legal Notices**

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MORTGAGE SALE-Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Robert W. SCHULTZ and Helen C. SCHULTZ, husband and wife (Original Mortgagors) to STANDARD FED-ERAL BANK f/k/a Heritage Federal Savings Bank, Mortgagee, dated July 2, 1993 and recorded on July 6, 1993 in Liber 643, on Page 821. Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Forty-Three Thousand Seven Hundred Forty And 13/100 dollars (\$43,740.13), including interest at

7.125% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be toreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock A.M.. on June 19, 1998.

Said premises are situated in TOWN-SHIP of MILLINGTON, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

PARCEL 1 - Part of the Southwest 1/4 of

the Southeast 1/4 of Section 29, Town 10 North, Range 8 East, described as: Beginning at a point on the South line of Section 29 which is East along said South line, 493.40 feet from the South 1/4 corner of Section 29, thence continuing East along said South line, 200.0 feet; thence Non-26' 03"E. 1346.49 feet to the South 1/8 line as occupied of Section 29; thence N89°34'37"W along said South 1/8 line as occupied, 690.54 feet; to the North-South 1/4 line of said Section; thence S00°33'16"W along said North-South 1/ 4 line, 197,23 feet; thence East, parallel with the South line of Section 29, 520.97 feet; thence S00°26'03"W, 856.80 feet; thence West parallel with the South line of Section, 30.0 feet; thence 800°26'03"W, 300.0 feet to the point of

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

Dated: May 6, 1998

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#### LOCAL NOTICE ANNOUNCEMENT

On April 20, 1998, an Application was tendered for filing with the Federal Communications Commission by Plonta Broadcasting, Inc., for authority to construct and operate a new non-commercial educational FM station to serve the community of Gagetown, Michigan, on Channel 203A with a power of 6.0 kilowatts, from an antenna height 100 meters above average terrain.

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A copy of the application, amendments. and related materials are on file for pubhe inspection at

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MORTGAGE SALE-Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Glenn M. GIBBONS, a married man and Vivian A. GIBBONS, his wife (Original Mortgagors) to Mac-Clair Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated October 5, 1994 and recorded on October 7, 1994 in Liber 665, on Page 383, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the FLAGSTAR BANK, FSB (f/k/a First Security Savings Bank, FSB), as assignee by an assignment dated October 5, 1994 which was recorded on October 7, 1994, in Liber 665, on Page 389, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Fifty Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Four And 44/100 dollars (\$50,384.44), including interest at 9.75 per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged pre-mises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock A.M.,

Said premises are situated in TOWN-SHIP of KINGSTON, Tuscola County, lichigan, and are described as:

Parcel 1: The East 40 acres of the East 1/ 2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 19, Town 12 North, Range 11 East, except the East 323.0 feet and except the West 77.0 feet of East 400 feet of the North 240.0 feet of the East 40 acres of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 19, Town 12 North, Range 11 East, Township of Kingston, County of Tuscola.

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Dated: June 3, 1998

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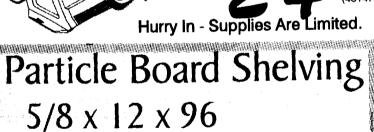






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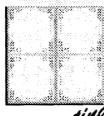






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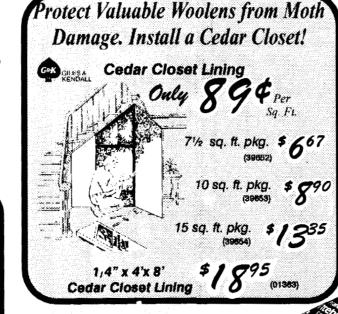
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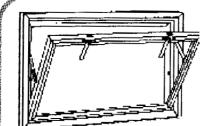
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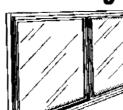
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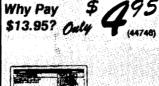
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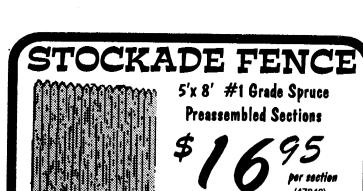
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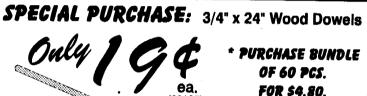
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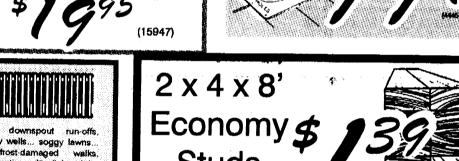
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