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CHRONICLE - WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1998



TROOPERS AND emergency crews work to remove a Redford Township woman from her car following a crash Saturday morning at M-53 and Bay City-Forestville Road. Troopers lauded the efforts of a pair of area women who stopped at the scene to help out.

### Polega, Powell lauded

### Women aid in crash

Harold and Joyce Polega have seen their share of accidents at M-53 and Bay City-Forestville Road since they moved near the corner more than 25 years ago.

Having operated a produce stand at the same location for about as many years, they've also offered help to dozens of lost motorists who stop to ask for directions.

So it didn't surprise them when Redford Township resident Joyce Compton and her 3 children stopped by Saturday morning to ask what road she should take to find Gagetown. But moments later. Harold Polega heard the crash of metal, and he knew there had been another bad accident.

Joyce said her husband immediately called for help and woke her up. She didn't hesitate, leaving to see if she could lend a hand. "I have grandchildren and children. I know how scary it can be for them," she commented Monday.

Polega wasn't alone. Deford area resident Rhonda Powell, a former neighbor of the Polegas, was on her way to work in Bad Axe when she also stopped to help.

Michigan State Police troopers lauded both women for their assistance at the scene of the 2-vehicle traffic accident that sent Compton and one of her children to the

Troopers from the Sandusky post said Polega and Powell helped out with 3 young children who had been passengers in the Compton vehicle.

hospital.

"The 2 citizens remained with the children and even went with them to the hospital in Cass City — taking several hours out of their day to help the kids," said Trooper Kathy Nunn.

"The citizens had also helped initially by taking care of the kids while emergency personnel freed the kids' mother from her car, where she was trapped inside."

The accident was reported at 7:40 a.m. According to reports, a

westbound car driven by Joyce M. Compton, 36, of Redford Township, failed to come to a complete stop at the intersection and struck a northbound vehicle towing a trailer and a 24-foot boat. The other driver was identi-

fied as Paul R. Yurgen, 50, of Shelby Township.

The impact caused Yurgen's vehicle to separate from the trailer and boat, which came to rest in a cornfield on the west side of M-53.

Investigators confirmed that just prior to the accident, Compton had stopped at Polega's Produce, 6480 Bay

City-Forestville Road to ask for directions. As she approached the intersection, reports state, she was looking at a map.

Compton and one of her passengers, Lewis M. Partaka, 11, Redford Township, were transported to Hills and Dales General Hos-

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### July is dry

### Capricious rains skip from farm to farm

The weather this summer has been ideal if you hate to mow grass.

Lawns throughout the area have turned into a sea of brown, lifeless vegetation due to a lack of significant rainfall. The picture is worse for farmers whose crops are showing signs of stress.

Still, things could be a lot worse, judging by weather statistics compiled at the Cass City Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The 10-year average rainfall for the combined months of May, June and July in Cass City is 9.2 inches, about an inch more than has fallen this year during the 3-month pe-

Rainfall amounts recorded at the wastewater treatment plant totaled 2.78 inches in May, 2.18 inches in June and 3.22 inches in July.

Last year's summer rainfall total for May, June and July was nearly identical to this year — about 8.2 inches. But the total has varied a great deal over the past 10 years, with as little as 5.43 inches of rain recorded for the 3 months in 1995, and as much as 15.58 inches in 1996.

Temperatures, meanwhile. have been warm — average highs in May, June and July were 91, 94 and 93 degrees, respectively — but nothing

### Crop prices big worry for area farmers. Story on page 8

out of the ordinary compared to recent years.

While it has been dry, Cass City has been far more fortunate than other areas of the lower central portion of Michigan, according to Jeff Andresen, an MSU Extension agricultural meteorolo-

"We have some spots in the state that are 7 inches below normal (in precipitation) since April 1," he said, noting the average rainfall for April through July is about 11 inches. July tends to be one of the

wettest months of year, but some areas received less than an inch during the month. "I would (say) fairly signifi-

cant drought conditions have developed as a result,' Andresen added. "There are some parts of the state that have serious problems. It's not a rosy picture.

The problem is more acute in central and western Michigan, and northern Michigan typically is harder hit than the south, Andresen said. But even in the Thumb, he noted, areas only a few miles apart have received vastly different amounts of rainfall.

A natural result of the lack of rain is little or no subsoil moisture, and without some timely rains over the next few weeks, Andresen said, crop yields will suffer.

Ironically, Michigan's neighboring states - Indi-Please turn to back page.

### **Nothing missing**

### Police investigate Kritzman's break-in

Cass City police are continuing their investigation into the burglary of a local business, where a suspect(s) gained access by using a file to cut a hole in the wall of the store.

The burglary at Kritzman's

Inc. Clothing, 6447 Main St., was reported last Wednesday morning.

Store Manager Judy Britt told police she arrived at the business, unlocked the doors and noticed no signs of forced entry. However, she discovered that the combination dial from the store's safe had been removed and was lying on the floor of the of-

Britt stated she had locked the doors after closing the store at 5:30 p.m. the day

During their investigation, officers determined that the suspect(s) had entered a stairwell in the store by breaking through a 14-inch by 14-hole on the east wall. Once inside. the suspect(s) forced opened a door that had been nailed shut, then used a file to make a hole through a layer of plywood and dry wall to enter

Officers, who found a metal file with a wooden handle and a 12-inch metal rod at the suspicion of domestic vioscene, also discovered that a

locked, second-floor door had been forced open.

Reports noted the suspect(s) did not gain entry to the safe, nor was any property reported missing. In other police reports, a

Sanilac County truck driver reported damage to his rig over the weekend.

Eugene M. Tank, Sandusky, 1997 International semi-tractor trailer in a lot at the corner of Garfield Avenue and Vulcan Street Saturday. When he returned early Monday morning, he discovered a passenger side window had been broken and a cordless radio remote control

was missing. Reports state the remote is valued at \$50. Damage to the truck was estimated at \$350 to \$400.

Village police also reported making an arrest following a domestic dispute between a husband and wife Saturday afternoon. Reports state Derek R. Goniwicha, 28, Cass City, was arrested on

### Wrong driver?

### assar woman sues sheriff

A Vassar woman recently filed suit in Tuscola County Circuit Court in an effort to re-open the investigation surrounding the death of her son, who was killed in an auto accident more than 6 years ago.

The suit was filed by Avona Hudie, Vassar, against the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department and Sheriff Tom

The suit notes that Hudie's son, Gregory L. Hudie, 30, was the victim in a May 16, 1992, roll-over car accident

on Phillips Road near dent and identification of the Denhoff Road in Koylton Township.

According to court records, the news media identified Hudie as the driver of the vehicle involved, but the sheriff's department accident report determined that a passenger in the vehicle, Steven Radick, was the driver, not Hudie. The report also concluded there was only one vehicle involved.

The suit states there has investigation" into the accidriver, and that investigation revealed Hudie was, in fact, the driver of the vehicle, and there was at least one other vehicle involved in the acci-

In her suit, Mrs. Hudie states she wrote a letter to the sheriff March 5, 1998, asking that he reopen the investigation due to "newly discovered evidence" in the case.

Four days later, the suit states, Kern allegedly sent been considerable "private Hudie a letter stating he would make "no comment

about anything due to the fact that you are suing one of the witnesses involved in the accident that caused your son's

The suit is seeking a court order requiring the sheriff's department to reinvestigate the 1992 crash.

Kern said Monday that he was unaware that Mrs. Hudie had filed a lawsuit against his department. The sheriff indicated he will comment on the case after reviewing the court documents.

### In New Zealand

### Peters studies Reading Recovery



MARILYN PETERS (above right) stands with the founder of Reading Recovery, Marie Clay. Reading Recovery was adopted in New Zealand in the early 80s and in the Thumb during the 1994-95 school year.

By Leah Nixon **Staff Writer** 

Marilyn Peters returned from "down under" July 25 with expanded ideas for the Thumb area's Reading Recovery program.

Peters, who is Tuscola County's Intermediate School District general education manager, said she attended a conference geared toward the program in Australia.

This was the second of Reading Recovery conferences which are held every 3 years in different locations. The next conference will be held in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

The conference lasted one week, and then a group of 32 people from Michigan, Tennessee and Texas spent one week in New Zealand with a teacher and his or her family, she said.

Reading Recovery, which was developed by educator and researcher Marie Clay in the 70s and adopted in the 80s by New Zealand, was brought to the Thumb during the 1994-95 school year.

"The whole purpose of attending the conference was to see what New Zealand does in their schools that makes their reading and writing world renowned," Peters explained. "It was a firsthand account."

There is a consulting group of 3 New Zealand teachers who visited the Thumb last spring and who are scheduled to return in September.

As site coordinator for the Thumb area's Reading Recovery program, Peters continued, "It was the nature of the opportunity to go to a New Zealand school. We usually don't go this far. It's the first international conference I've attended."

A reading teacher for 22 vears before her most recent 10 years at the ISD, Peters added, "I wish I had the training before, but we did the best we knew how.

#### READING FOR FIRST GRADERS

Reading Recovery, which is an early intervention program for first graders, catches young readers who fall behind their peers up to par at the first grade level.

Students were a "Chapter One" before the Reading Recovery program, she explained. "Chapter or Title One" is a program for at risk students that has existed since 1962. It was designed to help students with difficulty in reading and math. "Reading Recovery is designed mostly for early read-

ers," Peters continued. "The program is expensive but keeps children from becoming a Chapter One." According to Peters, all funding of the program is

provided by the schools who participate in the program. Currently, there are teachers trained in the program in all Tuscola County schools, North Huron, Harbor Beach, Ubly, Deckerville and North Branch.

'This year we'll pick up Marlette and Brown City, she added.

### **ONE-ON-ONE**

Reading Recovery allows students who are the poorest

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### New books at the library

Among the new books available at Rawson Memorial Library are:

Quite a Year for Plums by Bailey White: In this book the reader is introduced to the peculiar but lovable people who live in a small town in Georgia. Meet Roger, the peanut pathologist and unlikely love object of half the town women. Then there is Roger's ex-mother-in-law, Louise, who works with a typographer to try to attract outer-space aliens by using specific combinations of letters and numbers. And finally there is Della, who likes to paint birds. She captivates Roger with the sensible but enigmatic note she leaves on things she throws away in the dumpster. For example, "This fan works, but it makes a clicking sound and will not oscil-

Acorna's Quest by Anne McCaffrey and Margaret Ball: Acorna, the unicorn girl, is found as an infant drifting in an escape pod by 3 asteroid prospectors and is raised by them and protected from those who want to cut off the horn on her forehead and make her "normal." Acorna grows up to be a beautiful young lady who has miraculous abilities, including the ability to heal sickness. She has troubling dreams of a beautiful world and yearns to know who she really is and where she came from. She sets off on a quest to find her own kind but she has to face many dangers to accomplish her

American Dreams by John Jakes: In this epic novel of the Crown family of Chicago, Jakes tells the story of 26-yearold Fritzi Crown, who wants to pursue a career on the stage. But she must defy her wealthy father and the social convention of the times to achieve her goal. She experiences both good and bad times in her climb to the top of the show business ladder and finds success and romance both on screen and off. Then from her younger brother, Carl, and her cousin, Paul. Fritzi receives news of a growing danger, a great conflict that could turn the American dream into a tragic illu-



SALLY DOERR-STEELE has been the owner of the studio for 14 years. She has been instructing dance for 21 years. She recently returned from dance training in L.A. Sally teaches tap, jazz and lyrical. She loves working with children and adults and believes in positive dance training and

exposing her dance students to many styles of dance. Sally

brings in professional choreographers from L.A. and New York to hold workshops in Cass City. This spring, she will

be hosting Keith Clifton from L.A. The studio will also be participating in conventions and competitions throughout

the year. The studio is proud to see their students excel as

they have auditioned and won scholarships to the Joffrey

Midwest Workshops, the National Ballet School of Canada,

American Heritage Dance conventions, Urban Jamm, West

Coast Dance Explosion, Blue Lake Fine Arts Academy,

Interlochen Fine Arts Academy, L.A. Danceforce, Dance

International U.S.A., Tremaine Dance Center, the Edge Per-

orming Arts Center, Alma College Dance Institute, Eastern Michigan University for theatre and dance. Students have toured and studied in Australia, Europe, and California.

There is an annual Recital and Christmas Show, along with

festival and parade appearances from the Sally Doerr Dance

Froupe and her Dance Company. Sally and her staff are

looking forward to an exciting, progressive and inspiring

WENDY LYNNE MILLER instructs and choreographs

acrobatic/tumbling. She has studied under and taught for

many gymnasiums around Michigan including the C.M.U. gymnastic coaches. Wendy is also the owner of Dynamic

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June 4th and 5th

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CONGRATULATIONS TO DANCE STUDENTS - Nicole Doerr

who will be on scholarship at the Edge Performing Arts Center,

Kyle Vandemark who will also be training at the Edge Perform-

ing Arts Center. Both Kyle and Nicole will also be training at

Clifton Dance Project this summer in L.A. Joyy Haddix, Holli

Cooper and Misty Waun will be touring and training in Australia

with Dance International U.S.A., Melies Kish will be training in

Santa Monica, Nicole Booms will be attending Alma College

Dance Institute, and Rebecca Stumpo will be attending Michi-

gan Summer Institute at Eastern Michigan University for musi-

cal theatre and dance.

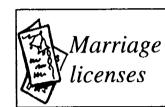
dance season!

### Cass City Social Items

Lynette LaPeer and her sister of Alpena brought Michelle Charlene and Stephen LaPeer of Houghton to visit their great-grandmother, Charlotte LaPeer, Sunday. They spent Monday with Mrs. LaPeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McIntire of Marlette were Saturday evening guests of Mrs. Charlotte LaPeer.

Justin Miller of Byron recently spent a week at this year's Summer Youth Programs held at Michigan Tech University, joining students from across America for the second week of the program. Over 4 weeks, more than 1000 junior high and high school students explore engineering, science and math, computers, art and outdoor activities. Miller studied electrical engineering. A junior at Cass City High School, he is the son of Leah Hoxie of Ubly and Jack Miller of Byron.



Joseph Lee Luana, Deford, and Rebecca Ann Perkins,

Rosendo Vasquez and Natalie Marie Moreno, both

of Caro. George Alan Mansfield and Mary Ann Retherford, both of Millington.

### 60 attend

### Brown reunion

The 23rd annual Brown reunion was held July 26 at the Cass City Park. Sixty were in attendance.

Families came from local towns, plus Southfield, Waterford, Fenton and Tuc-

Erin Beller, Nicole Doerr, Sally Doerr-Steele,

Wendy Lynne Miller and Keith Fehlinger

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Dance Studio in North Branch. Wendy has a background in jazz, tap and lyrical and has studied with many professionals. If you like to cartwheel, flip, and some result around, this is the class for you! Wendy will be able to excel your abilities and advance your training.

KEITH FEHLINGER is an accomplished ballroom instructor and dancer, including Latin styles of dance. Keith travels to New York and Philadelphia several times a year to stay current on techniques and steps. Keith has performed at televised exhibitions in New York and is currently an instructor for Capacid Cruise Line where he has traveled to Europe and South America. Keith recently returned from San Francisco where he was an Instructor for a charty ball for juvenile diabetes. It was a Titanic theme where he also danced with actress.

Michelle Pfeiffer. Group or private lessons are available in waltz, fox trot, peabody, rhumba, mambo, cha-cha, samba, merengue, bolero, tango, swing and hustle. You'll learn poise, confidence and so much more! Keith will be running 4-6 week courses in the fall and throughout

ERIN LEE BELLER is an accomplished choreographer and instructor in ballet, lyrical, jazz, tap, modern, creative movement and acrobatics for

convention. Erin also teaches and offers master classes and workshops with the Joan Malone Dance Center in Saginaw. Erin has recently returned

from extensive dance training in New York this summer. While she was there she was featured in a commercial for Chase Manhattan Bank Corp.

NICOLE RAE DOERR is a rising star. She loves to perform. Nicole has had intensive training with the Joffrey Ballet. She has won many

regional and national competitions and was recently named "MISS DANCE" in a regional competition in East Lansing. She has wonnumerous scholarships, 3 scholarships have been to performing arts schools in L.A., where she has just returned from training. She has also

oured, performed and studied dance in Australia. Nicole is trained in ballet, lyrical, tap, jazz and gymnastics. This is her 2nd year teaching

Sally Doerr Dance Studio

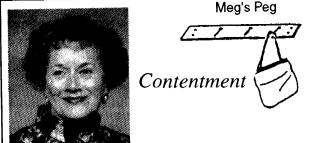
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at the studio. She still continues training with many professionals from around the U.S. Nicole's performances are breathtaking

Erin is an elegant and captivating performer. Her lyrical performances are packed with emotion and unmatched style and grace

over 12 years. She has performed for several dance companies in Michigan and currently travels the U.S. with the American Heritage Dance

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Did you see the article in USA Weekend Magazine entitled "Who is Happiest?" It gave the results of a "scienthe journey. tific poll" taken by the pub-

The survey showed that health and religious faith are the most important factors in personal happiness.

The poll also indicated that, in general, the happiest people are married, over 55, college graduates, and earn over \$50,000 a year.

Part-time workers and retirees appear to be happier than full-time workers, and people who live with others are happier than those who live alone.

When asked to pick who's happiest, Bill Gates, Chelsea Clinton, Oprah Winfrey, the Pope, or themselves, half of those polled chose them-

What is it that determines how happy we are?

Mastering that most desirable but rarest of all human commodities, contentment, has to be a major factor. It takes a lot to ruffle a person who is truly content with who, what and where he is in life.

In spite of the survey results, it's doubtful that many of us can say with the Apostle Paul, "I have learned in whatever state I am, to be con-

There are no doubt a number of factors contributing to a lack of contentment.

One thing that keeps us dissatisfied is what one writer referred to as "afluenza." The need or desire to get more and more things can certainly keep a person from enjoying what he has now.

Many of us imagine that we're supposed to have a certain status that we never quite attain. Unfortunately, constantly looking forward to how things will be when you "arrive", will cause you to miss a lot of enjoyment along

by Melva E. Guinther

As Thomas La Mance said, "Life is what happens while you're making other plans." Some people lack contentment because of their perfectionistic standards.

They're in a constant state of turmoil because they live in an imperfect world surrounded by imperfect people, including themselves. Their job, their family and their surroundings never quite measure up to expectations.

If the perfectionist can't succeed in lowering his sights a bit, he'll forever be discontent.

Of course, there's a fine line between contentment and lack of ambition. We wouldn't have the comfortable life that we enjoy today if everyone had been content with things as they were.

Frankly, I'm very grateful that somebody was sufficiently discontent with beating clothes on a rock and a scrub board to come up with automatic washers and dry-

But there has to be a happy medium that enables us to strive for improvement, but not at the price of satisfaction with life today.

Someone has said, "The good life starts only when you stop wanting a better

And therein may lie the secret of happiness.

### Engaged



#### Thomas Michael Halasz & Charity Lee Hull

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hull of Decker announce the engagement of their daughter, Charity Lee, to Thomas Michael Halasz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Halasz of Gagetown.

The couple are planning an Aug. 15 wedding.

### 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.

AUG. 10-11-14

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## Cass City class of '53 holds reunion

class of 1953 held their 45th year reunion Saturday night at Rolling Hills Golf Course. About 70 attended, including a memorial brick to be 37 classmates.

Former teachers and their spouses present were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. Don Borg, Mrs. Katie Jackson, Art Paddy and Mr. and Mrs. Irv Claseman.

Bob Fritz of Belrose, NSW, Australia, Mason Cook of Willits, Calif., Clinton and Joyce Esckilsen of Nekoma, North Dakota, and Herb and Marion Head of Zephyrhills, Fla., traveled the farthest to attend.

The committee in charge of arrangements included Stan Guinther, Jane Hool, Tim Burdon, Don Tuckey, Jim Munro, Margie Finkbeiner and Mary Ellen Wilson.

The committee distributed postcards featuring a picture of the former middle school, from which the class graduated. They also provided bricks from the school for each class member and teacher. "Brick" candle holders centered the tables. A card was signed for Margie Finkbeiner, who re-

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The Cass City High School cently suffered a broken arm and hip in a fall and was un-

able to attend. The class voted to purchase placed in the downtown park.

The group agreed to have a 2-day reunion for their 50th anniversary, possibly over homecoming weekend, with the same committee in charge.



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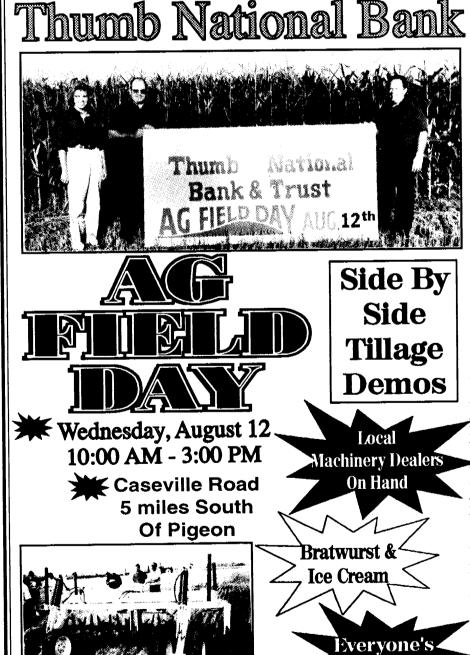


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### **Rabbit Tracks**

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

Phyllis Ridge brought in a ringer in last week's Wednesday night duplicate bridge game in Cass City.

With her help the team won second place honors. The player is her mother, Mable Kroufe, who was visiting at the Ridge

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She is 90 years young.

It would really help, I kept thinking while picking up trash on M-81 in Cass City Rotary's 2-mile stretch of highway which it cleans, if the bottle return law were expanded to include cigarette packages.

The packages were by far the leading cause of road side litter. It's likely that a 10 cents per package fee would help but not cure the problem. Found in the collected trash were several 10-cent return bottles.

Believe me, big brother has his eyes on you. Received in the mail a large postcard touting trout fishing in New Zealand. It's not too hard to understand how my name got on the list since I am a member of Trout Unlimited and have purchased trout equipment in the past.

How did that company know that one of the things I would like to do is go to New Zealand river fishing?

Perhaps it was coincidence that the advertising message was tailor made for me.

It's a little scary if somewhere there's a file on me that shows such small details as my fishing preferences.

#### The Weather High Low Precip. Tuesday 88 59 0 Thursday ...... 80 ...... 53 ...... 0

Saturday ...... 84 ..... 50 ...... 0

Sunday ...... 87 ...... 59 ...... 0

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#### In district court

### Man faces 31 counts of criminal sexual conduct

A Mayville man suspected of sexually assaulting 5 teens over a period of about 4 years has been formally arraigned in Tuscola County District Court on a host of charges.

Dennis C. Tiffin, 19, Mayville, faces 31 counts of third degree criminal sexual conduct allegedly involving victims at least 13 years of age but under 16 years between 1994 and May 1998 in the Fremont Township and Mayville areas.

Tiffin was also charged with 5 counts of sodomy, delivery of marijuana to a minor, selling/furnishing alcohol to a minor, falsely reporting a misdemeanor, and making an obscene phone call.

The criminal sexual conduct and sodomy charges each carry maximum 15year prison terms, however, the prosecutors office is seeking to have Tiffin classified as a sexually delinquent person, subjecting him to a penalty of up to life in prison if convicted.

Bond was set at \$50,000 for the defendant, who faces a

### Reading program near end

The closing activity for Rawson Memorial Library's Summer Reading Program, "Reading is Dino-mite" is slated for noon, Tuesday, Aug. 11, at the Lions Pavilion at Cass City Recreational Park. Hot dogs, chips and orange drink will be served to the children. Old-fashioned picnic games and races for various age groups are planned for after lunch.

Those completing the reading program requirements will receive a certificate, a McDonald's gift certificate and an extra surprise. Reading logs should be turned in at the library by Friday, Aug. 7. in order to be eligible to receive a certificate.



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- Do I host for the whole year? No, each family will host for approximately 3 months, with the second family beginning January 1999.
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preliminary examination on intent to deliver marijuana the charges Aug. 14 at 9 a.m. In other recent district court proceedings:

•Guadalupe E. Ramirez, 19, Akron, was charged with unlawfully driving away an automobile, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor (second offense), fourth degree fleeing a police officer, resisting and obstructing a police officer, receiving and concealing stolen property valued at less than \$100, and operating a motor vehicle without a license July 26 in Caro.

Bond was set at \$10,000 for the defendant. His preliminary exam was slated for Aug. 21 at 9 a.m.

•Jayson T. Rayl, 17, Cass City, was arraigned on a charge of possession with

July 20 in Wells Township.

Bond was set at \$2,000 and a preliminary exam was scheduled for Aug. 14 at 9

•Kenneth E. Williams, 25, Flint, was charged with possession with intent to deliver marijuana July 27 in Caro.

Bond was set at \$5,000 and a preliminary exam was scheduled for Friday at 9

•Mary A. Brown, 57, Caro, was arraigned on 8 counts of embezzling more than \$100 while serving as an employee or agent for Liebler Construction Co. Inc., Caro, between August 1997 and March 1998.

Her bond was set at \$1,000 and a preliminary exam was



WHEN IT came time to replace their coffee maker, officials at Tendercare, Cass City, thought of the local VFW post. Above, Tendercare Administrator Diane Ewald presents the used appliance to Jim Ceranski, VFW member in charge of hall rentals.

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After an exhaustive survey with World War II vets, this writer and Bob Stickle of Cass City, I'm ready to present the lowdown on this year's star movie, "Saving Private Ryan.'

The movie, in case you have been comatose for the last couple of weeks or vacationing on the moon, is a story about the Omaha Beach

It has been given a rating as a best picture by every reviewer that I have read, seen or heard. Absolutely outstanding.

Normally all I need to know about a movie to be placed on my must see list is that it was produced by Steven Spielberg or starred Tom Hanks. Both together on the same flick gives it a 12 rating on the 1-10 scale in my book.

Both Spielberg and Hanks have been touring the country telling everyone that the movie is not for everyone and children under the age of 15 should not see it.

It depicts the war in all of its chaotic and bloody bru-

Neither Stickle nor I plan to see it. As reported here previously. Bob is a veteran of the Normandy invasion. I can't recall how I learned this, since he never volunteers information about it.

Certainly he has a much more valid reason for avoiding the movie than L

My 34 months in service during WW-2 was all stateside and included 30 months at Perrin Field, Sherman, Texas, and the worst that I had to handle was the 100degree temperature that is a given in a north Texas summer. It was, of course, the days before air conditioning and in service a fan was something that you saw when you visited town on

leave.

But I digress. It's "Ryan" that is the subject here. I go to movies to be entertained. To forget the trials of the day or week. To leave feeling good for the movie experi-

That's why the hero-type war movies such as those played by John Wayne never have been something that I wanted to see. And these were "hero" movies, far from

My actual association with the war as depicted in "Ryan" is probably not much greater than that of my kids, to which WW-2 is something to be studied in the history books.

What separates us is that WW-2 touched every adult at the time in one way or another. While I wasn't in any of the invasions, there were twin brothers in my high school graduation class, 2 of my closest friends, who were.

One died in the Normandy invasion and the other died about 2 years following the war from injuries suffered in combat.

I just don't want to go to "Ryan" and come out of the movie feeling sad and dejected thinking about the twins and what might have



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### The back forty

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by Roger Pond

I take it back. I take it all back. My long-standing belief that young women are not learning to cook has been seriously challenged.

A recent trip to our family reunion confirmed that many young women are excellent cooks. A few are so good that one youngster placed his mother's pie on the table with the comment, "This is my mother's famous apple pie."

He was accused of lobbying for an increase in his allowance, but I tried his mother's pie, and he was right. It deserves to be famous.

There were more than 80 people at our reunion and nobody went home hungry. I had a little trouble identifying everyone, but we're pretty sure they were all part of the family.

Reunions are a great time for reminiscing and telling old stories. My family is full of stories. Some of them might be true for all I know.

Cousin Dean repeated a particularly funny tale from his childhood, and someone asked, "Is that a true story?" "Well, it was when I started

out." Dean said. Our reunion has grown so large someone suggested we issue name tags next year so everyone can be identified more easily. That sounded like a great idea to everyone except me. I enjoy the suspense of trying to figure out who all of these people might

The name tag concept was quickly expanded with the idea that tags could be colorcoded so everyone could tell which branch of the family each person belonged to. This led to additional comments that are best described as the "Pond treatment."

The name tag proposal was stretched, twisted, and exaggerated to ridiculous proportions. Someone commented we should put a number on each tag to indicate how many reunions that person has attended. I recommended a black mark for any person

who arrived late. Several people at my table suggested we give gold stars to those who brought the most food or the best dish. I wanted a silver star for anyone who brought deviled

My brother-in-law offered that name tags were too small for all of the information we wanted to put on them. He

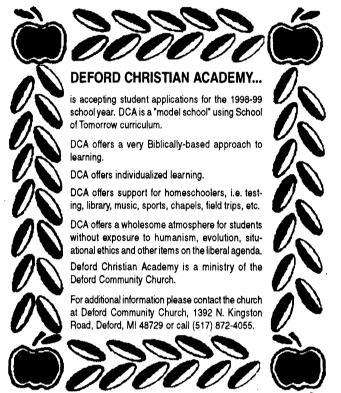
suggested each person be given a roll of toilet paper containing the required data.

The toilet paper could be hung on a person's belt or waist band for easy access. "Then, folks could take the paper home with them so it wouldn't be wasted like name tags would," he said.

After all of the laughing and joking subsided, I wondered if anyone had a serious suggestion for what started out as a good idea. I should have known better.

If anyone says something serious at our reunion, we throw them out.



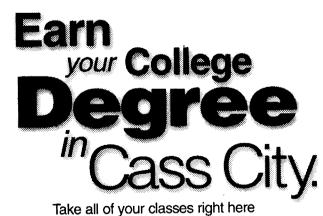




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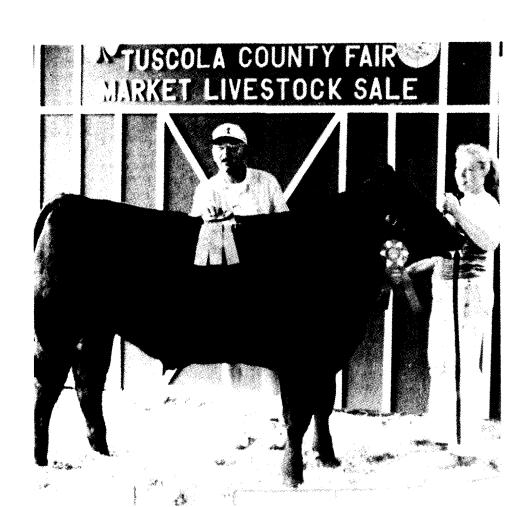


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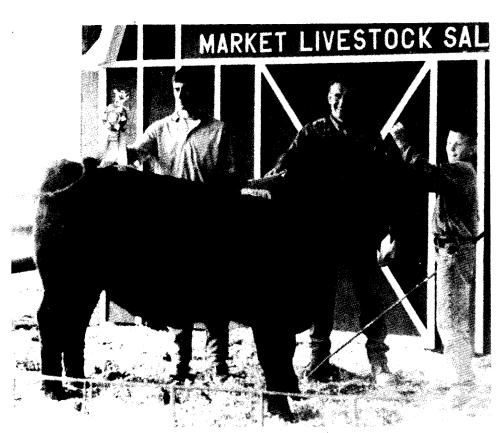
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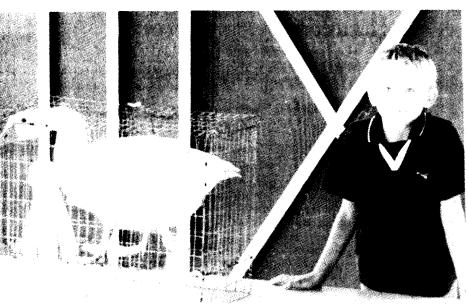
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PETE MARTIN of Cass City is sitting at his work table on a Monday morning where he produces crafts. Martin makes bird houses, bird, deer and squirrel feeders, tulips and decorative dogs and babies for people's yards.



MARTIN HAS his creations on display in his garage. The bird houses he has on display cost \$15.

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### Veteran craftsman Pete Martin still going strong

**Staff Writer** 

Area resident Pete Martin keeps himself busy with his hobby of crafting bird houses, bird, deer and squirrel feeders, tulips and decorative dogs and babies for people to put in their yard.

Martin, who lives on Rescue Road north of Cass City, has been making his creations for about 5 months now. "I used to make tables and swings, all big stuff. But, I can't handle that now, so I do little stuff."

Martin began making his crafts because he felt the need to become involved with something after losing his leg nearly one year ago. "I had to get into something."

He knows a lot of townspeople, he said, after living in Cass City all of his life and Martin sells his crafts from his home and garage sales.

"I got rid of 7 (bird houses) last week and next week I'm going to Bay City and Bad

Martin does not go to craft shows because he finds it difficult to get around with his Amigo personal transportation unit. However, he is in the process of making a sign to put in his yard letting people know what he is sell-

by child development ex-

perts on what to expect as

your toddler changes. Each

newsletter will arrive in a

timely manner according to the age of your child. Know-

ing what to expect at a cer-

tain age helps the parent give

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the proper guidance.

He may go to craft shows in the future if he has an easy year round and said it only way to get his Amigo in and out of his truck. "People tell me I should, but I hate to have anybody load and unload my stuff."

Feeders, bird houses and tool boxes sell for \$15 and dogs and babies sell for \$8. "I use 2 by 4s to make stuff because it is a lot thicker and

a lot better." The crafts are mostly pine, Martin explained, saying on the feeders and bird houses the small roofs are all wood shingles. "I have no help, I do it all myself.

"I'll do it until I die I guess," he added. "I'll continue doing it (making crafts) for a

Martin makes his crafts takes about a couple of hours

to make a craft. "I have all kinds of tulips," he noted, adding he has a lot of other crafts, too, includ-

ing chairs.

None of Martin's friends make crafts, but that does not stop him from spending a good portion of time working on his crafts. "I'm out here (in his garage) all day. I spend a lot of time doing this. I enjoy the work I have here.'

He even includes a pole for the feeders and bird houses if people want them. "I put that stuff on a pole if people



### Newsletter offers advice on toddlers

Having a toddler is a wonderful time for parents but it truly is a test of a parent's flexibility, patience, and sense of humor.

Toddlers grow fast and learn fast so each day is different. Every parent can use support during this time, says Barbara Neuman, Extension Home Economist for Huron County MSU Extension.

Michigan State University Extension has a newsletter available that provides practical advice on the parenting of toddlers. It helps parents support their children as they learn new skills - - not by pushing, criticizing or comparing their children with others, but by teaching, helping and celebrating their successes. As a parent, you are key in the child's developing a good self image, and this newsletter gives tips on appropriate guidance during years 2 and 3.

This newsletter is free to parents in Huron County. To receive yours, call MSU Extension - Huron County at 517-269-9949. You will receive 12 newsletters written

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### **Looking forward** to school year

Many parents may hear the words, "I wish summer would last longer", from the mouths of their children, and that rings true for 2 Cass City girls.

Brittney Ponder and Sherry Putman, daughters of Tom and Louise Ponder, said they both have enjoyed their summer and wish school started later.

Outside of school, Ponder noted, "We've made a lot of friends through camp and going camp-

The 2 girls added they have spent their summer going camping with their family and attending camp, and they plan to spend the last days of summer camping in Bay City for the first time and

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visiting Michigan Adventure in Muskegon. "We usually go camping up north in Oscoda," Ponder

Both girls attended Michigan Christian Youth Camp, Ponder for the fifth time and Putman for the second. Not only did the girls meet new friends over the summer,

but they may even find new friends at school because both 14-year-olds will be entering high school for the first time. They are entering ninth grade and the girls said they are not nervous, but it will be different because they will have a new principal and stricter rules.

Putman added she will also be participating in cheerleading and cross country.



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### Letters to the editor

Don't let it become law

### Legal suicide not the answer

Some people think, "I may want the option of physicianassisted suicide because if I were suffering I may not be able to take it.." This is always a great fear - the unknown. How bad will the pain get? Will it be too much for me to bear? ... But pain can be controlled.

My father died in March of this year from a debilitating cancer of the pancreas.

A few days before his natural death, he gave us a wonderful gift. He gathered us all together and shared his love and faith, giving each of us his parting words of fatherly advice. He talked openly to his adult children of the beauty of life and his acceptance of death. He then asked us to say something. And gathered together we shared our memories and experiences of Dad and of each other. We now have this as a wonderful memory of our father. Had he chosen to end his life due to his fear of pain or of being a burden, we would have missed our father

Arguments for physicianassisted suicide include a compassionate end of pain and suffering, "death with dignity", not burdening others... phrases chosen to play

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We can look to the Netherlands where acceptance of euthanasia began in the early 1970's. According to Advocates for Better Care, over half of the documented cases there have been carried out without the patient's consent. It is no longer just terminal patients who are being euthanized. It has changed from a right to choose, to a duty imposed on all who are no longer considered pro-

Please give this issue serious thought. I know if you do, you will agree with me that we can not allow this to become law. I encourage you to obtain more information on this issue by contacting your local Hospice agency, Right to Life of Michigan, or your local church. If you would like further information on this issue, write me at P.O. Box 95, Owosso, MI 48867.

Monica Ingram, SFO Durand, MI

### Community support key to Festival

Dear Tom and Staff,

It has been just a month since Cass City's 20th Annual Fourth of July Festival. Based on feedback, our village again had a celebration that was both fun and successful!

Events like this don't just happen. It takes the participation, support and cooperation of so many organizations and individuals right here to present a festival of wholesomeness and quality. Both traits we like to enjoy by living in Cass City. The

only the workers but to the thousands of people who came to help us celebrate! What about next year? Our

committee is grateful to not

immediate goal is to recruit some new persons to share ideas and time. Anyone is eligible to be a part of the festival committee. We appeal to not only your readers but to everyone in the community. Don't hesitate to call. We need you and want you. 872-3147 or -3548.

Gratefully,

The '98 Festival Committee

### Arraign 7 in circuit court

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

•Reginald L. Broadworth, 25. Caro, was sentenced to 3 years probation and 180 days in the county jail, with work release, for his plea of guilty to fourth degree criminal sexual conduct involving a victim at least 13 years of age but under 16 years Jan. 16 in Dayton Township.

Broadworth was also ordered to pay \$1,000 in court costs and fines plus \$516 in attorneys fees, \$540 in oversight fees and a \$60 victim crime fee.

•Luther G. Dinsmoore, 18, Akron, was sentenced to 24 months probation and 60 days in jail, with work release, for his plea of no contest to attempted second degree home invasion Sept. 24 in Akron Township.

He was ordered to complete his high school education and pay \$400 in costs and fines plus \$769.03 in attorneys fees, \$240 in oversight fees and a \$60 victim crime fee.

•Rex C. Sparks, 17, Marlette, was sentenced to 2 years probation and 180 days in jail for his plea of guilty to unlawful use of a motor vehicle Feb. 7 in Caro.

He was ordered to complete his high school education and pay \$400 in costs and fines, \$500 in attorneys fees, \$240 in oversight fees, \$1,500 in restitution and a \$60 victim crime fee.

David S. Bradley, 17, Caro, was sentenced to 10 to 15 years in prison for his plea of guilty to third degree criminal sexual conduct involving a victim under the age of 13 years Jan. 4 in Caro.

•William Burnham, 23, Caro, was sentenced to 16 months to 24 months in prison for his plea of no contest to probation violation.

•Robert J. Weller, 30, Vassar, was sentenced to 5 years probation and 365 days in jail, with work release, for his plea of guilty to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, April 9 in Vassar Township.

Weller, whose license was revoked, was ordered to pav \$700 in costs and fines plus \$1,080 in oversight fees, \$235 in restitution and a \$60 victim crime fee.

•Ozie Swinton, 40, Vassar, was sentenced to one year in jail, with worksite privileges. for his plea of guilty to probation violation — failure to report to his supervising probation agent.

Swinton was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department. His probation was revoked and his bond was ordered forfeited.

### **Down Memory Lane**

From the files of the Chronicle

#### **5 YEARS AGO**

A 1985 Monte Carlo belonging to Charles Smith of Montrose was stolen early Sunday morning. It had been parked on Oak Street near Main Street at about 2 a.m. When Smith returned at 5:40 the car was missing. A deputy later found the vehicle, which apparently had been spun around in gravel and then rammed up against a bike rack in a grassy area just south of the village pool. Both the car and the rack sustained substantial damage.

It has been announced that an \$85,000 grant has been earmarked for a master plan study of the Caro airport.

Paula Byron, who spent a year in Australia as a Rotary exchange student, found the Australian high school, Shalom Catholic College, quite different than Cass City High. She went to school year around with long holiday breaks periodically. Her school was more like college because the whole atmosphere was much more relaxed than it is here.

Jeff Hartel will replace veteran mentor Dave Hoard as head coach of the golf team this year.

The Cass City Rotary Club recently donated \$1,050 to the high school basketball program with money raised from the 3-3 Fire in the Sky basketball tournament.

#### 10 YEARS AGO

The DNR has backed off the proposed Cass River fish kill as residents protested. The Cass City State Bank board of directors has named

C. James Bess president and chief executive officer. Prior to coming to Cass City, Bess was president and CEO of American Bank and Trust Company, Lexington, Ky.

The second annual Fun Day sponsored by the Cass City Chamber of Commerce has been scheduled Wednesday. Aug. 10, at Rolling Hills Golf Course.

Around 125 persons, including dates and spouses. attended the 1978 class of Cass City High School reunion Saturday night at Sherwood on the Hill in Gagetown. Gary Warju was recognized for creating the program emblem; Susie (Asher) Hillaker was credited with the latest newborn; Tim Tuckey, who traveled

from Boston, where he is preparing to take his bar examinations, was honored for the most years in school, and Ann Lindfors traveled the greatest distance. She resides in her native land of Sweden.

A true fish story. After catching a tagged fish recently, Rick Tuckey measured the fish and mailed the tag to the conservation department. He received a card back from the DNR stating that the fish when released was about 2 inches longer than it was when caught.

#### 25 YEARS AGO

A fire Thursday night destroyed an old 2-story home belonging to contractor James Gray located at the corner of Pine and West Streets. The cause has not been determined.

Steve Bergman, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bergman of Cass City, was listed in poor condition Tuesday at Hills and Dales Hospital, after being struck by a car when he turned his bike into the path of the vehicle.

The Cass City Village Council voted to approve the purchase and erection of traffic signals at 3 intersections within the village. The signals, to be installed at the intersections of Rose and Seeger, Main and Seeger and Ale and Main, will cost approximately \$2,500.

Cara Prieskorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Prieskorn of Cass City, returned last week from a year of study in Rhodesia on the African continent as a Rotary exchange student.

Two small tractors stolen Thursday from Rabideau Motors, Inc., were recovered Saturday in a field in Lapeer County.

#### 35 YEARS AGO

Cass City lost one of its native sons this week when Andrew N. Bigelow succumbed to a lingering illness at Hills and Dales General Hospital Sunday. This summer he was forced to sell his hardware business that had been a business landmark in Cass City since 1888.

Gordon Bigham, 16, is still in critical condition at Hubbard Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe following an automobile accident that occurred Sunday. Listed in serious condition is Clarence

Decker, 18, of Cass City, who was a passenger in the car.

The Village of Cass City has purchased some 5 acres of land within the village limits from Mrs. Frank Morris. The village paid \$5,000 for the land, which was purchased as a site for the new water tower

to be erected. After 3 months without a regular pastor, the First Presbyterian Church of Cass City will again be served by a fulltime minister. Sunday the July at the Maynard congregation approved the McConkey home.

appointment of Dr. Marion Stewart Hostetler, 51, now pastor of the Kinde and Chandler churches in Huron County.

Tineke van Eerde of Holland, this year's foreign exchange student, will spend from August to December at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Profit. She will live with the Gilbert Albees from December to April and spend from April to the middle of

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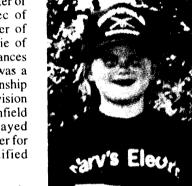
SUPER SPRINT driver Tim Deming prepares to demonstrate the power and speed of his 02 car during a media day event Thursday at the Silver Bullet Speedway near Owendale.

### Hrabecs on championship teams

Daniel Hrabec, son of Jim and Diane Hrabec of Davison, grandson of Jack and Frances Hrabec of Cass City and Dale and Audrey Leslie of Decker, was a memper of the championship Little League team of Richfield Township. Dan was starting pitcher and shortstop for the AGA Gas Little League baseball team.



Allison Hrabec, daughter of Jim and Diane Hrabec of Davison, granddaughter of Dale and Audrey Leslie of Decker and Jack and Frances Hrabec of Cass City, was a member of the championship team in the modified division of Little League of Richfield Township. Allison played first base or was a catcher for Marv's Electric Modified Little League team.



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### Sebewaing Lions Super Race Day to feature Super Sprint auto racing

Auto Value Super Sprint Series auto racing is coming to the Thumb.

The powerful machines will present a special program of auto racing at the Sebewaing Lions Super Race Day, slated for Aug. 15 at the Silver Bullet Speedway just east of

Super Sprints will being their time trials at 6 p.m. and will begin racing at 7 p.m.

Time trials are a lap around the quarter-mile oval track at the best speed and time each driver can attain. This will determine placement in the events that make up the racing show, including 8-lap qualifying heats and the

The powerful thunder of main race featuring 20 of the top sprint cars.

Sprint cars are specially built autos with as high as a 750-horsepower engine and a weight of about 1,500 pounds. Most drivers custom build their own cars from the frame right up to the finished product. A distinctive wing on the top of the car is engineered to help keep the car on the track.

Aside from the wing, Super Sprint cars have several special features, according to Tim Deming, a seasoned Super Sprint driver from Bay Port. For example, he said, one of the rear tires is 18 inches wide and the other is 14 inches, which helps the driver negotiate corners.

The cars have 2 sets of brakes, but they must be pushed to get them started, Deming said, adding Super Sprint cars have no starter, battery, transmission or clutch.

Deming, who can cover the Owendale track in 13 seconds, said speeds typically reach close to 100 miles per

Deming and the other Auto Value Super Sprint drivers slated to participate in the Sebewaing Lions Super Race Day travel a circuit covering an area from Michigan's Houghton Lake to the upper regions of Indiana and Ohio.

Deming and his wife, Dorothy, who own T&D Metal Works in Bay Port, are on the road every weekend from early May to late September traveling the circuit.

"Auto racing is the fastest growing spectator sport around today," Deming said, "and one of the most exciting and powerful sports."

Deming began his career at Thunder Road race track, east of Cass City, as a driver of the modified class of autos, and worked his way up to the Auto Value Super Sprints.

"The Lions Super Race Day should be one of the largest events held in Huron County," he said. "I am proud to be part of this racing event. I am looking for- Mik ward to joining my friends Crai and competitors that night."

The week before the upcoming races, 2 lucky people Bill who hold advance tickets Dor will be chosen to join Jaso Deming's pit crew. They will be able to help work on his 02 Super Sprint car, meet Nev other drivers, look over the Dal other cars up close, and view Mik the races from pit row.

Also on the slate of racing Dav for the Lions Super Race Day street sportsman's, limited late model, figure 8, and a special celebrity challenge.

There will be giveaways all day long, with a top prize of a special edition go cart. Food tents and a beer tent will also be on the grounds that day.

Advance tickets can be purchased at Luke's Market. Gettel Auto Mall, Peking City, Ray's Citgo & Nascar and Independent Bank, all of Sebewaing; at T&D Metal Works or the Deming trailer at race tracks; at Auto Value Discount Auto Parts in Essexville, or from any Sebewaing Lions Club mem-

### Miller panel member

Christine R. Miller, a nurse midwife at Valley OB-GYN Clinic, was a panel member at the June 25 conference of the Untied States Agency for International Development (USAID) in Washington,

She has extensive international health experience in Haiti and Uganda. Her topic Dave Hutchison in D.C. was on training of birth attendants in Haiti. Christine is employed at the Clate Sawdon Valley OB-GYN Clinic of-

fice in Caro.

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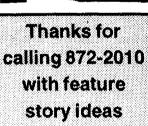
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### Yields could suffer

### Farmers need rain soon

### By Leah Nixon Staff Writer

Rain is on the minds of many area farmers whose crops look good now, but without more rainfall could suffer substantial decreases in crop yields.

"They're doing well for the amount of rain they've had, but it's generally dry and if we don't get rain fairly soon, it will have an impact on yields," said Tuscola County Extension Agricultural Agent Harold Rouget.

'So much depends on rain

from now on.' Angela Eichorn, an Extension agricultural agent in Huron County, agreed. "Precipitation has been spotty and some areas are experiencing droughty conditions. It doesn't look that bad, though."

The yield from the second cutting of alfalfa was lower than anticipated, but the yields from the next cut should be good, Eichorn said. Farmers are averaging about 50 to 80 bushels per acre with a good test weight.

Sugar beets look good, along with the corn crop, which is 3 to 4 weeks ahead of schedule, with 90 to 95 percent of it tasseled out, according to Eichorn.

When the tassel emerges from the plant it means pollination is going to occur, she explained. The silks on the corn are pollinated and kernels are developed in the ear.

"We've been really lucky," Eichorn said, noting yields will be average or maybe slightly above average compared to what she described as great yields in Saginaw County due to higher rainfall amounts there.

Sanilac County Extension Director Martin Nagelkirk concurred with his colleagues, saying, "We'll see what the next couple of weeks bring. We're sitting good, but we need rain shortly."

Nagelkirk pointed out, farmers have also been hit with 1997. Milk prices for July poor prices. Growers are receiving 10 to 30 percent less than anticipated for goods produced.

"The bottom line is that doesn't bode well when farmers are not awarded for the commodity produced.

"It's a day to day thing, though," Nagelkirk pointed out. "Commodity prices can rebound, but there has been

commodity prices."

According to figures compiled by the Federal/State Michigan Agriculture Statistics Service, prices received by Michigan farmers for the full month of June and midmonth prices as of July 15 were up and down.

Corn prices were down by 9 cents to \$2.05 a bushel from June and down by 58 cents a bushel from a year ago. Soybean prices, meanwhile, were up by 22 cents to \$6.15 a bushel from June but were down \$1.20 from July 1997. Dry beans were the same as June at \$19 per hundredweight (cwt.) and up by \$1.70 from July 1997, and wheat prices were down by 10 cents to \$2.50 a bushel Aside from the weather, from June and down by 70 cents a bushel from July were down 30 cents from last month at \$13.50 cwt.

On a positive note, despite moisture stressed crops and poor wheat commodity prices, disease and pests are less than what farmers generally see, he said. "There are nice stands and good growth and health."

Eichorn agreed, saying, "As long as growers scout and keep on top of pests, they're not a problem.

The lack of rain has also made incidences of fungus less likely, she continued. "Fungus requires rain."

At the same time, Eichorn suggested that it would be a good idea to drill in alfalfa seeding in wheat stubble fields by Aug. 10 in order to avoid problems such as smaller stalks, weedy stands and winter damage. "It would be excellent for weed control benefits," she said.

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### Quilt display slated

More than 20 quilts made by Florence Karr Tuttle will be on display at Rawson Memorial Library from Aug. 10-15 during regular library hours. Among the quilts to be exhibited is a queen size Dresden Plate quilt which Florence is donating to the Friends of the Library to be sold to benefit the library. Tickets may be purchased at the library for a drawing to determine the winner of this quilt.

This exhibit is being held and the quilt donated in memory of Ruth Grassman Houghton and her father, Preston Karr.



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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Jonathan M. BURTON and Tonya M. BURTON, his wife (Original Mortgagors) to Citizens Commercial and Savings Bank, Mortgagee, dated December 20, 1993, and recorded on January 4, 1994, in Liber 652, on Page 344, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the COASTAL BANC, ssb, as assignee by an assignment dated August 17, 1995 which was recorded on September 26 1995, in Liber 679, on Page 678, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Forty-Six Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-One And 95/100 dollars (\$46,651.95), including interest at 7.75%

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 premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village t Caro. Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on September 11,

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

Commencing 395 East of the Southwest corner of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 22, T10N, R7E, thence East 130 feet: Thence North 325 feet Thence West 130 feet: Thence South 325 feet to the place of beginning

month(s) from the date of such sale, unless 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: July 29, 1998

COASTAL BANC, 88b

FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL Trott & Trott, PC Attorneys for COASTAL BANC, 88b. 30150 Telegraph

Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025 File # 98077003

7-29-5

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been

by merger to Great Lakes National Bank f/k/a Great Lakes Bancorp, Mortgagee, dated April 1, 1993 and recorded on April 7. 1993 in Liber 639, on Page 036, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date bereof the sum of Fifty-Five Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Six And 46/100 dollars (\$55,356.46), including interest at 7.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said

by Ralph VETTRAINO and Lisa L

VETTRAINO, husband and wife (Origi-

nal Mortgagors) to GREAT LAKES NA-

TIONAL BANK MICHIGAN successor

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 en trance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on August 28, 1998. Said premises are situated in TOWN-SHIP of VASSAR, Tuscola County Michigan, and are described as:

Part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 32, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, described as beginning on the North line of Section 32, at a point West, 1670.00 Feet from the Northeast corner of Section 32, thence South 00 degrees 14 minutes 40 seconds East, 1337.67 Feet; thence North 89 degrees 10 minutes 40 seconds West, 378,35 Feet to the East line of New York Central Railroad; thence North 20 degrees 57 minutes 22 seconds West, 998.26 Feet along said line; thence East 401.33 Feet; thence North 00 degrees 14 min 40 sec West, 400.00 Feet; thence East 330.00 Feet to

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

Dated: July 15, 1998

the point of beginning.

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FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: (248) 642-4202 Trott & Trott, P.C Attorneys for GREAT LAKES NA-TIONAL BANK MICHIGAN, 30150 Telegraph Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF TUSCOLA

File # 98076537

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

FILE NO. 98-29050-IE

Estate of June J. Luettke, deceased

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Your interest in the estate may be barred

or affected by the following: The decedent, whose last known address was 6204 N. Cemetery Road, Cass City, Michigan 48726, died May 3, 1998. An

instrument dated August 10, 1973 has been admitted as the will of the deceased.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the indeendent personal representative. Dennis Luettke - c/o Clinton C. House, designated resident agent, 475 N. State St., Caro, Michigan 48723, or to both the independent personal representative and the Tuscola County Probate Court, Caro, Michigan 48723, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

Clinton C. House (P15158) Caro, Michigan 48723 (517) 673-2181

Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C. is a debt collector and we are attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made by ROBERT G. SCHIPINSKI AND BARBARA E. SCHIPINSKI HUSBAND & WIFE to AAA MORT-GAGE & FINANCIAL CORPORA-TION, A MICHIGAN CORPORATION Mortgagee, dated October 14, 1996, and recorded on January 8, 1997, in Liber 703, on page 924, TUSCOLA County mortgagee to THE CIT GROUP, by assignment dated December 13, 1996, and recorded on July 30, 1997, in Liber 716, on page 1052, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred seventeen thousand four hundred fifty nine and 74/ 100 Dollars (\$117,459.74), including in

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and approved, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged pre mises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the Front entrance of the Court house in the Village of Caro, Tuscola, MI at 11:00 A.M. on September 18, 1998. SHIP OF DAYTON, TUSCOLA County. Michigan and are described as

terest at 15.600% per annum

THE SOUTH 400 FEET OF THE WEST 544 FEET OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST **QUARTER OF SECTION 20, TOWN 11** NORTH, RANGE 10 EAST

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600 3241(a) in which case the redemption period shall be 90 days

DATED: August 5, 1998

THE CIT GROUP Assignee of Mortgagee

ATTORNEY FOR: Assignee of Mort

Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C. 401 South Old Woodward Avenue

Birmingham. MI 48009-6616

### Calendar of Events

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

### Wednesday, August 5

Duplicate Bridge, 7 p.m. at Charmont. Everyone welcome. Last week's winners: John Haire and Bill Dupuis.

Thursday, August 6 Story hour for children age 4 and up 1:30 p.m. at Rawson

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

### Friday, August 7

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

### Saturday, August 8

Old Settlers' Reunion, Deford United Methodist Church.

### Sunday, August 9

Chicken BBQ, St. Columbkille Church, serving from noon to 5 p.m. Take-outs available.

### Monday, August 10

Quilt Exhibit Aug. 10-15 at Rawson Memorial Library. Owen-Gage School Board meeting, 7:00 p.m.

### Tuesday, August 11

Rotary, 12 noon, Charmont. DDA 7 p.m. EDC 8:15 p.m.

Picnic at Cass City Park, 12 noon for those enrolled in the Summer Reading Program at Rawson Memorial Li-

The Tuscola County Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Family Support/Education Group meeting, 1:30 p.m. at the Adult Day Services building, 435 Green St., Caro. For additional information, please call (517) 672-2273. Thumb Octagon Barn meeting, 7 p.m., fire hall in

Oilseed co-op

### members conduct annual meeting

The 185 members of the the legal firm of Doherty, Thumb Oilseed Producers' Cooperative held their first annual meeting last Wednesday at the Ubly Heights Country Club in Ubly.

Thumb Oilseed Producers' Cooperative (TOPC) has membership from 10 Thumb and Saginaw Valley area

The members were treated to a variety of soybean based foods upon arrival. Bob Pelton, Global Village, arranged for the TOPC members to sample a variety of foods made from soybean isolates. Global Village is based in Montreal, Canada, and is developing programs to feed hungry children around the world with soy-

based foods. Elections were held for the first permanent board of directors and districts were formed. The elected representatives of the Southeast District are John Knoerr, Sandusky, and Rob

Gerstenberger, Sandusky. From the North District, Scott Krohn, Elkton, and Ron McCrea of Bad Axe were elected. Representing the Southwest District will be Don Schluckebier, Bridgeport, and Scott Bernia, Akron. Vern Reinbold of Caro was elected as the at-large

representative. At the board of directors' meeting the following day, Knoerr was elected president, Reinbold was elected vice-president and Krohn. secretary-treasurer. Jim LeCureaux was also elected to the board as a non-voting member.

The guest speaker at the annual meeting was Allen Gerber, executive director of the Minnesota Association of Cooperatives. Gerber announced that Minnesota farmers have invested over \$2 billion in value-added cooperatives in recent years. He pointed out a number of reasons including the decline in exports that originate on the farm, less government price support, need for vertical and horizontal integration, global markets, depletion of capital reserves and the increased risk in production.

In reviewing the TOPC's literature, Gerber commented that the TOPC was organized the "right" way and the group was headed in the right direction. He also proceeded to point out some precautionary issues. Farmers need to get involved in the processing end because being the least cost producer and handling volume is not enough any-

Gerber was sponsored by

Rumble and Butler, St. Paul,

LeCureux, Extension agricultural agent and project coordinator, presented an update on a number of details of the TOPC project. Negotiations are underway on a number of aspects from building to marketing products. Discussions are being held with interested parties and within the next 2 months, markets and other opportunities will be established.

LeCureux also noted the need to extend a thank-you for support to the Michigan Department of Agriculture, Michigan Farm Bureau, the Tri-County Farm Bureau boards and staff, Michigan Soybean Promotion Board, Thumb Electric Cooperative, Huron County Economic Development Corporation and others that helped move

this project along. A question and answer session followed with several questions addressed by the board. Over 200 people attended this first meeting and it was noted that a monthly newsletter will be developed to keep the membership appraised of the project's progress.

### Novesta VBS set to begin

The Novesta Church of Christ will host its annual Vacation Bible School beginning Monday, Aug. 10. VBS will run Monday through Friday from 9:00 to 11:30

The theme this year is 'VeggieTown Values", featuring Bob the Tomato and Larry the Cucumber from the popular children's animated series, "Veggie Tales."

All children ages 2 through 6th grade are invited to attend. Those in the 1st through 6th grade are also included in the Christian Learning Center, where each young person chooses from one of 3 elective activities to go along with the VBS program.

Registration forms are available at the church, located at 2896 Cemetery Road, 3 1/2 miles south of the light in Cass City.

For more information, contact the youth minister, Jim Chamberlin at 872-3658 or 872-1195.

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#### Household Sales

plication.

GARAGE SALE - starting Thursday, Aug. 6, from noon till 6 p.m. Friday 9 a.m. till 5 p.m. at 4930 Deckerville Rd., Cass City. Super single water bed and much, much 14-8-5-1 more.

BARN SALE - metal beds, dresser, lamps, church pew, bird cages, vintage clothes, chairs, oak library table, dishes. Wednesday 3-6 p.m., Thursday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. 5283 Schwegler Rd. 14-8-5-1

MOVING IN SALE - Thursday-Saturday, Aug. 6-8, 9-5:00, 4677 Huron St., Cass City. Lots of miscellaneous, infant boys', little girls', boys and size 6 girls. Cow collectibles, etc. 14-8-5-1

GARAGE SALE - Thursday-Saturday. Koepfgen., 8:30-?. Toys, clothes - all ages, something for everyone. 14-8-5-1n

GARAGE SALE - Cass City/ Elkton area. 7 miles north, 1 mile west of Cass City on McAlpine Rd. Thursday 6 p.m.-9 p.m., Friday 7 a.m.-8 p.m., Saturday 7 a.m.-4 p.m. Infant clothing, 2 china cabinets, car seats, log splitter.

GARAGE SALE - 12 families, 9 a.m. Lots of clothing, many sizes, new Avon at reduced prices, motor oil for cars, knickknacks and lots more. Parrish, 4381 Brooker 14-8-5-1

SALE - Colonial couch, lazy boy chair, office chair, bedding, little boy's and men's clothing, glassware, pottery and more. Thursday and Friday, 8:30-5. Tuckey, 4533 Downing St. 14-8-5-1

AUG. 6-7-8. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday and Friday. Saturday 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Some household items, kid's bunk bed, double bed, dresser, lots of clothes, boat, lots more. 6669 Huron, Cass City.

4 FAMILY GARAGE sale -Aug. 6 at 4890 Schwegler Rd., 9-5. No early sales. Maternity clothes, lots of baby clothes, like new fall and winter clothing, infant through all ages, toys, house-14-8-5-1 hold items, etc.

GARAGE SALE - 9:30 till 6, 6th and 7th. Baby clothes, size 16 to X-large women's. Corner of Third and Brooker.

MOVING SALE - corner of

Houghton and Sherman, Sat-

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### School adjusting bus routes

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from the prior school year

changes will not be honored.

need to call Cindy Pollum, transportation secretary, at 517-658-8070 (ext. 324). A permanent weekly schedule of day care arrangements will be honored. Day to day

#### **Automotive**

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1981 CHEVY pickup, \$500. RUNS, 517-872-5385.

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#### General Merchandise

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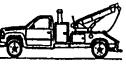
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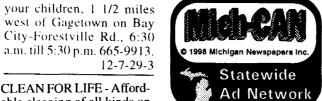
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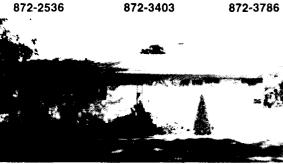
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#### **Thomas Crickon**

Thomas A. Crickon, 63, of Cass City, died Tuesday, July 28, 1998, in Aleda E. Lutz Veterans Administration Hospital, Saginaw.

He was born Oct. 21, 1934, in Detroit to Albert and Bessie (Sichinger) Crickon. He married Barbara Kasten Sept. 9, 1963, in Detroit.

Crickon served in the United States Marine Corps for 22 years, retiring in 1977. He served in Vietnam in 1965, and was a lifetime member of the VFW and DAV.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara; son, Jim (Debbie) Crickon of Saginaw; daughter, Debra (Gary) Periso of Deford; son, Gary (Gina) Crickon of Dahlgren, Va., and 5 grandsons.

Memorial services were

held Friday at Kranz Funeral

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1918, in Saginaw, the daughter of George and Emma (Wendland) Harbron. She married Charles

Mundy April 15, 1934. He preceded her in death Nov. 24, 1989.

She was employed with the Bad Axe Public Schools, and the Harbor House in Port Austin. She was a member of the Faith Gospel Tabernacle Church, Bad Axe.

Surviving are a daughter, Beatrice Jurgess of Port Austin; 3 sons, Kenneth Mundy and his wife Betty of Douglasville, Ga., Richard Mundy and his wife Anita of Kalamazoo, and David Mundy and his wife Linda of Homosassa, Fla.; 18 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren; one sister, Clara Davis of Phoenix, Ariz.; 2 special friends, Ervin Moskwa of Hernando, Fla., and Dorothy LaFave of Bad Axe, and several nieces and nephews.

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She was preceded in death by one son, Charles Mundy, and one daughter, Beverly Mundy; one grandson; 2 brothers, George and Bob Harbron, and one sister, Bertha Harbron.

Funeral services were conducted Friday from the MacAlpine Funeral Home, Bad Axe. The Rev. Michael Beeler, pastor of the Faith Gospel Tabernacle Church officiated.

Burial followed at Marquardt Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be offered to Faith Gospel Tabernacle Church, Huron Memorial Hospital, Friends for Hospice, or to the Donor's Choice.

#### Aura Teague

Aura M. Teague, 94, of Cass City, died Tuesday, July 28, 1998, in Hills and Dales General Hospital, Cass City, after a short illness.

She was born July 4, 1904, in Elkland Township to Benjamin and Ida (Shagena) Herr. She married John Stockwell in 1924. She later married James Teague Sept. 30, 1939, in Napoleon, Ohio. He died Oct. 14, 1974.

She is survived by her children, Elmer (Till) Stockwell of Bradenton, Fla., Patricia (Bruce) Sherman of Cass City, and Ronald Teague of Birch Run; 12 grandchildren; 42 great-grandchildren; 19 great-great-grandchildren; sister, Virginia Trettevich of Olympic, Wash., and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by 2 infant sons, Elmo and Benjamin; 3 grandchildren; brothers, Thurston, Joe and Norman, and sisters, Lena Farrell and Lona Abbott.

Funeral services were held Friday in Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Gary Butterfield of Lamotte Missionary Church officiating

Interment was in Elkland Township Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or Cass City AA Chapter.

### J.F. "Jerry" Tumblin

Jerry Tumblin, 67, of ingston, died Wednesday. July 29, 1998, in McKenzie Hospital, Sandusky, after a long illness.

He was born Feb. 5, 1931, in Sparta, Tenn., to John W. and Fannie (Cox) Tumblin. He married Byronetta C. "Bobbie" Coy Dec. 31, 1966, in Pontiac.

He was a United States Army veteran.

He is survived by his wife, Bobbie; children, Roger (Luanne) Tumblin of St. Clair Shores, Richard Greer of Ionia, Diane (Tom) Bilicki of Caro, Betsy (Margaret Elizabeth) Bennett of Maryland, Wes (Debbie) Tumblin of West Branch, Jay (Kim) Tumblin of Fort Meyers, Fla., Tim (Karen) Tumblin of Bay City, Nick (Julie) Tumblin of North Branch; 20 grandchildren; sister, Bessie of Tennessee, and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his par-

Funeral services were held Saturday in Kranz Funeral Home, Kingston, with President (Pastor) William Kaiser of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Caro, officiating.

Military services were directed by Kingston VFW Post #5317.

Interment was in Kingston Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to the Family Discretionary Fund

### Robert Wright

Robert Wright, 83, of Cass City, died Thursday, July 30, 1998, in St. Mary's Medical Center, Saginaw.

He was born July 21, 1915, in Greenville, Tenn., to Thomas and Nellie (Moore) Roberts. He was adopted by the Wright family in 1922. He married Sadie Bowman March 31, 1934, in Jackson County, Tenn. She died April

21, 1972. Wright served in the U.S. Navy during World War II as a Security Patrol Guard at Great Lakes Naval Station. He owned and operated a

bakery in Tennessee until 1950. He moved to Warren where he was employed by Eagle Baking (later known as Elias Brothers Bakery) in Detroit. He retired in 1969. He was a member of Cass

City Church of Christ. He is survived by his children, Glynn (Ruth) Wright of Warren, Roberta (Dick) Turner, Al (Ann) Wright, Ottis (Carol) Wright, Steve (Sandy) Wright, all of Cass City; 15 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren, and a sister, Mary Cupp of Knoxville, Tenn.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with Lyle Clarke of Cass City Church of Christ officiating.

Interment was in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Memorials may be made to the Cass City Church of Christ or the American Cancer Society.

#### **Gordon Young**

Gordon Lloyd Young, 77, of Caro, died Saturday, Aug. 1, 1998, at St. Mary's Medical Center, Saginaw, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Born Aug. 6, 1920, in Chandler Township, he was the son of Arthur and Minnie (Bell) Young. He married Daphne Stout Sept. 2, 1939, in Elkton.

He farmed for many years. He and his wife were members of the Mayville Senior Citizens.

Surviving are his wife, Daphne; 3 children, Richard "Dick" (Mary) Young of Orion, Donna (James) Teets of Imlay City and Judy (Jerry) McBride of Oxford; 7 grandchildren; 7 greatgrandchildren; 3 brothers, Clayton (Helen) Young of Elkton, George (Rhea) Young of Bad Axe and John (Pat) Young of Harbor Beach; a sister, Audrey (Robert) McBride of Mt. Morris, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Betty Young

Lebenski. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Kranz Funeral Home, Kingston, with the Rev. Margaret Passenger of Kingston United Methodist

Church officiating Interment was in East Dayton Cemetery, Caro.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimers Association in honor of Daphne Young, whom he cared for many

### 68 attend family reunion

The annual Lounsbury-Dean family reunion was held Sunday, July 26, at the Cass City Village Park. Approximately 68 family members attended. Loren Brinkman offered the blessing prior to the potluck meal. Traveling the farthest to at-

tend were Mike and Marian Quinn from Mesa, Ariz. Also from out of state was Camilla Partlo from Cleveland, Ohio. Of the Lounsbury descen-

dants present, Jessie Goodall was the oldest and her greatgrandson, 8-week-old Jacob Allen Cole, son of Lee and William Cole, was the youngest. Another infant was 5-month-old Emily, daughter of Sam and Tonia Barriger.

present, Murwin "Dutch" Ainsworth was the oldest and "Spike" Pomeroy was the youngest. Eighteen-monthold Anthony Quinn made a seventh generation appearance for the annual event (Townsend and Mary Dean Lounsbury; daughter Clarabell Woolman; daughter Winifred Strong; daughter Marian Quinn; son Tom

### Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson Phone 658-2347

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were among those who attended a birthday party Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Horton for David Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel, Doris Western, Ray English and Allen Farrelly had dinner at Franklin Inn in Bad Axe Wednesday in honor of Dan Franzel's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter of Taylor visited Thelma Jackson Monday.

Allen Farrelly spent Friday forenoon with his daughter, Julie Koroleski, and girls in Bad Axe.

Gary Wills of Port Austin was a Monday evening guest of Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Joe Marchand of Waterford left Wednesday after spending a week at their home here.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Waterford, Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming were Wednesday guests of Gladys Moore at Leonard. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walsh and Mrs. Evans Gibbard attended a wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Doug Ziegelman at

the Gazebo in Warren. Mrs. Stanley Glaza, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cieslinski and Mrs. Martin Sweeney spent the weekend at Lewiston.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Waterford, Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton.

Nancy Carpenter, Dean Jr., Michael, Jessica and Timothy of Newport, Tenn., left Monday after spending a month with Donald and Carol Carpenter and Rita and Ray Depcinski.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel, Doris Western, Ray English and Allen Farrelly met at McDonald's in Bad Axe for breakfast Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt

were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bredow at Caseville.

Mrs. Gerald Wills and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Monday evening guests of Thelma Jackson.

Bob Cleland was a Wednesday overnight guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming, Mrs. Ken Osentoski was a Thursday afternoon

Allen Farrelly was a Saturday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bezemek in Ubly.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard attended a wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Curtis at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curtis Saturday evening.

Beatrice Hundersmarck of Bad Axe was a Thursday forenoon guest of Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mrs. Ken Osentoski was a Sunday afternoon guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol

Laming. Allen Farrelly was a Wednesday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Farrelly and family.

Florence Watson was a Wednesday supper guest of Thelma Jackson.

Carol Corbishley and Charles of Bad Axe were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt. Reva Silver was a Wednes-

day supper and evening guest

of Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Mary Lou Harris of Auburn Hills was a Wednesday lunch guest of Betty and Bryce Hagen and an overnight guest of Donelda and Ben Meske at Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hurford

of Florida and Thelma Jack-

son were Tuesday dinner guests of Clara Bond in Cass City. Mrs. Curtis Cleland was a

Friday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Don

McKnight were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goretski of St. Clair Shores and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton had dinner Sunday at Ubly Heights Country Club, where they celebrated Jack Pelton's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cieslinski, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sweeney, Janice, Roger, Paul and a friend, Thelma Jackson and Bill McRae were Sunday guests of Mrs. Martin Sweeney for a barbecue and picnic dinner. They celebrated all the July

birthdays. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cleland and family of Walled Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ostentoski spent a week at Caribou Lake.

Auggie Renn and Allen Farrelly were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Dan Franzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh were Friday evening guests of Mrs. Gerald Wills. Seventeen members of the Traveling Breakfast Club had breakfast at Franklin Inn in Bad Axe Thursday morning. They will meet at the Peppermill in Bad Axe next

week. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker spent Thursday forenoon with Thelma Jackson.

Ted Particka and Kim Willoughby of Clinton Township were Saturday din ner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Particka.

Bobbi and Cheryl Allen and Allen Farrelly had dinner at the China King in Bad Axe Tuesday.

Mrs. David Hacker spent Friday with Mrs. Earl Schenk.



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Bill Denbrock - Big Band Concert

Sweet Adeline's - Village Park

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Fireworks - County Park Beach

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- Downtown 3 pm - Legion Dr.

Of the Dean descendants Quinn, son Darby Quinn, son

Anthony). A moment of silent prayer was held in memory of family members who had died during the year: Myrtle Helwig, Linda Ussery, Audrey Barriger, and Leslie Lounsbury.

The same officers were reelected: Tom Lounsbury, Murwin president: Ainsworth, vice-president, and Carol Lounsbury Strecker, secretary-treasurer.

Aug. 7 thru Aug. 16, 1998 FRIDAY, AUG 14

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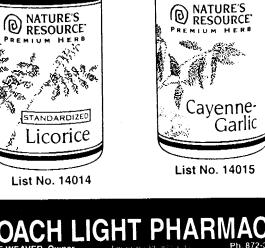


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### Crown Nancy Puvalowski, 18, bean queen at Huron County Fair

Nancy Puvalowski, 18, daughter of Ray and Joyce Puvalowski of Ruth, was crowned the 1998 Huron County Bean Queen at the Huron Community Fair Monday.

Puvalowski was sponsored by Gettel & Company-John Deere. She plans to attend Oakland University, majoring in elementary education.

During the year Puvalowski will represent Huron County Bean Growers at various events in Huron County and around the state.

Also named as first runner-up was Angie Roestel, 18, of Pigeon, daughter of Don and Peggy Roestel. She was

sponsored by the Proud 19, of Bad Axe. The to be Farm Bureau daughter of Bob and Community Action Sue VanErp, she was Group. Second runner- sponsored by the Young up was Angie VanErp, Ideas Farm Bureau

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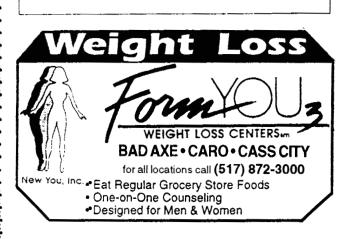
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### Rains skip from farm to farm

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ana, Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin — have received too much rainfall this summer. It doesn't appear as if area

residents are going to have any flood worries, at least not anytime soon.

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could also have an impact on the Midwest, according to

There is a probability Michigan will have a colder

and wetter winter this year, but there are no guarantees, he concluded. "Sometimes these weather patterns don't

### **New books** at the library

Closed Chambers by Edward Lazarus: (nonfiction) This book is a fascinating and troubling account of politics at the Supreme Court. Using his own experiences as a law clerk the author opens the court to inspection and takes a revealing look at secret routines. Many of the problems of the court are set out in detail and an institution that stands for wisdom is really a place for dissension and political maneuvering.

The Job by Douglas Kennedy: Ned Allen is a successful ad salesman for a computer magazine and his wife has an equally prestigious job. Everything is going wonderfully for them until Ned's company is sold and he is fired under circumstances that make it impossible for him to get another job in his field. When his wife accepts a job in Los Angeles Ned hits bottom. A friend bails him out and gets him a job with another company that deals in private equity funds, but the problems are just beginning and Ned's friend has other more sinister things in mind for him.

Genuine Lies by Nora Roberts: Beautiful movie star Eve Benedict has decided at the age of 50 to write her memoirs and has chosen Julia Summers as her biographer. Julia has a 10-year-old son to raise and can hardly refuse Eve's offer. Julie begins to wonder if writing this book is such a good idea when some frightening events happen. First she receives a series of menacing notes. Then her house is ransacked and her interview tapes rifled. There is a secret that someone is afraid will be revealed in the book and they will stop at nothing to prevent it from being published.

readers to work one-on-one with specially trained teachers, Peters explained. Children are released from the program once they are reading at the class average or

New Zealand schools emphasize both reading and writing, which American schools are now doing more with the advent of the MEAP writing test, but there are methods in New Zealand that will be incorporated, she added. "Reading and writing go hand-in-hand.

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"Reading Recovery is a wonderful program that gets good results one-on-one, but we need to get the information out to classroom teachers," she commented.

The guidelines of the program state there must be one teacher for every 2 first grade classrooms, Peters said. "It's necessary to have full implementation.

Peters is having a training class for classroom teachers this fall. "There are about 40 people signed up already. Last year a team from Cass City was trained."

The trained teachers return to their school and train other teachers, she explained.

### **Abstinence** partnership airs meet

The Huron County Abstinence Partnership met July

Discussions were held on the media campaign and suggestions for a new name for the partnership. Programs written into the action plan were Day Camp, Teen Theatre/Peer Education, Media, Parent presentations and Displays and After School

Letters of Support are needed for the abstinence grant which is being applied for, and are due by Aug. 7. Discussion was held on the After-The-Prom project, which will be held May 1, 1999, at Harbor Beach High

The next meeting is scheduled for Aug. 11 at the Huron Area Tech Center in Bad Axe from 4 to 5 p.m. Anyone interested in attending or obtaining information can call (810) 648-4098 (ext.

#### **TEACHER LEADER**

out the Thumb area. Caro contact year-round." teacher, Deonna Montei, spends one-half her day teaching in Caro and the other half serving as a teacher leader.

Montei holds training classes and then continues One teacher, who is the contact with trained teachers teacher leader, promotes in meetings 4 times a year, Reading Recovery through- Peters said. "It is continual

**Peters studies Reading Recovery** 

Montei attended the conference with Peters and 2 other Caro teachers, Sue Chambers and Barbara Holzworth.

ered for Peters by herself and her employer, she said, "The cost was split because part was work and part was plea-

The group spent 2 weeks touring while they waited for New Zealand students to return from their "winter holiday", she added, saying, "It is winter there right now."



THE 24-FOOT boat trailered by Paul Yurgen of Shelby Township ended up in a corn field following the Saturday morning crash.

### Local women aid in crash

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pital, Cass City, for treatment of injuries. Partaka was treated and released. Compton was admitted, however, hospital officials declined comment regarding her condition.

Two other passengers in the Compton vehicle, Tiffany J. Compton, 5, and Penny M. Partaka, 16, were not injured. Reports indicate all 4 occupants were wearing seat

Yurgen, who was also wearing a seat belt, was not ingers, Carl J. Mehrer, 42, Clinton Township, and James W. Luth, 45, Macomb.

Troopers cited Compton for failure to stop for a stop sign. Trooper Nunn was assisted at the scene by 2 troopers from the Bad Axe post, a deputy from the Sanilac County Sheriff's Depart-

ment, the Elkland Township Fire Department and Cass City MMR Ambulance per-

Polega noted a third woman

jured, nor were his passen- also helped at the scene. She didn't know the woman's name, but said she works as a newspaper carrier and resides in the Kingston area.

> Polega, who works at Regency Plastics in Ubly, said she and the other women simply tried to reassure the children.

"That can make all the difference in the world - especially if the children are injured -- that they stay calm," she added. "The oldest girl did a fantastic job with the younger ones."



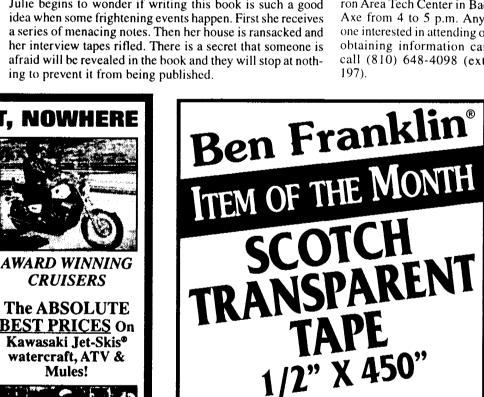
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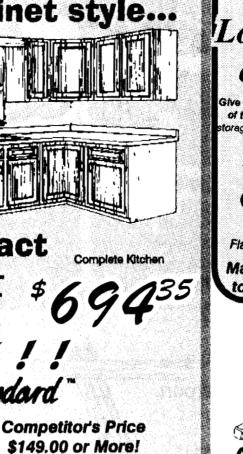
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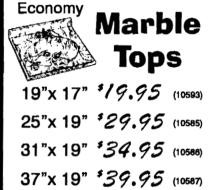


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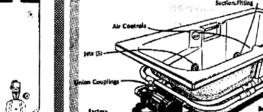
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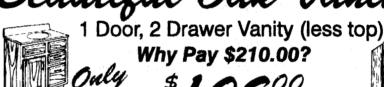
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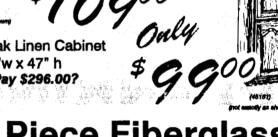
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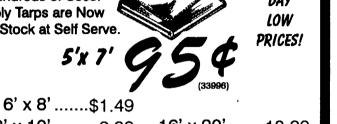
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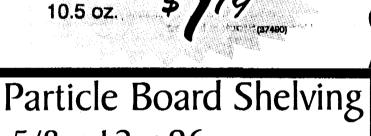


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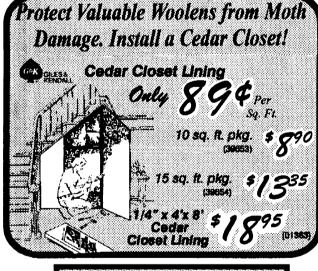
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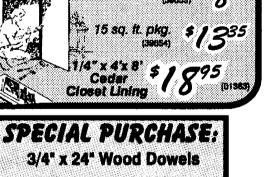


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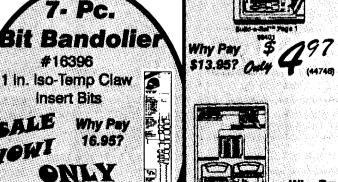


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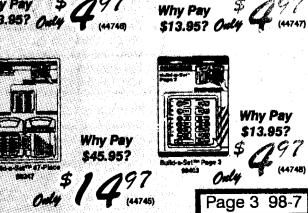
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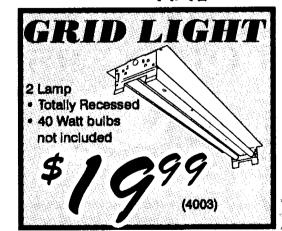
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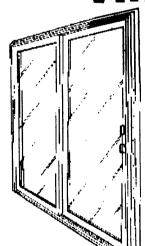
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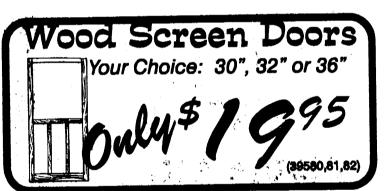
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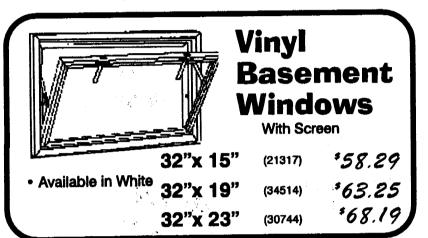




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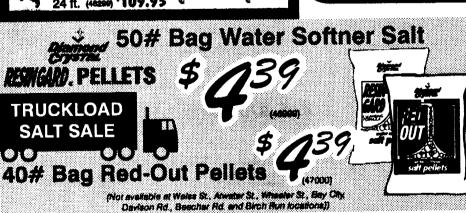




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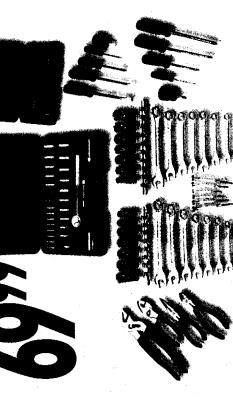
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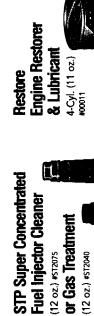


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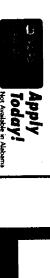
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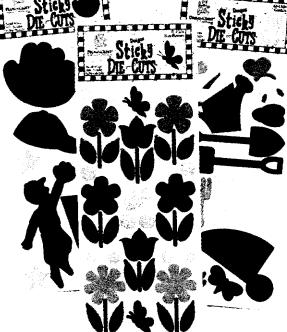








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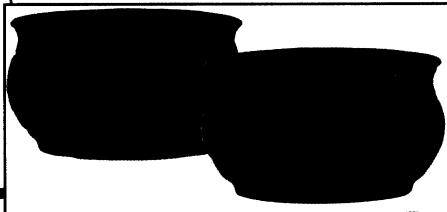


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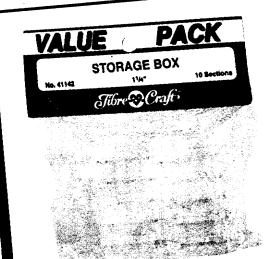
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