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# Gazebo vandals attempt arson

The gazebo at the south end of the walking trail in Cass City has been a favorite target of vandals since it was constructed, but no one has tried to burn down the struc-

Cass City police say a person or persons may have tried to do just that recently. An officer on routine patrol Sunday morning discovered evidence of attempted arson at the gazebo, according to reports, which state someone apparently lit fireworks at 3 different locations, leaving char patterns and burn marks on the wood.

Police are continuing their investigation.



SOME 3,200 people visited the Octagon Barn Saturday, and few seemed to enjoy themselves as much as 3-year-old Loren Stein of Unionville (above), who enjoyed the best seat in the house while his grandfather, Loren Stein, Pigeon, branded wood shingles nearby. (related photos, page 4)

# **Affirmative**

## Talented Cass City debaters eye banner year

Cass City High School debaters enjoyed a record season last year, winning more competitions and bringing home more trophies than any of their predecessors.

That was just the beginning, according to third year debate Coach Chad Daniels, who isn't one to mince words when it comes to his teams.

"We should have the top teams in all divisions in our league," Daniels commented Monday, 2 days after 3 of his least experienced debaters broke into the semifinals of Lansing and finished fourth among 22 teams.

"I think we have the best shot ever of winning that (novice) state champion-

In fact, Daniels is confident this year's debaters will have no problem topping the number of trophies - 58 - - won by last year's teams in the novice, junior varsity and

varsity divisions.

"The problem isn't going to be earning them (trophies), it's finding a place for them in the school," he joked.

Daniels has reason to be confident; aside from new talent, the coach has 3 experienced debaters back on varsity this year in seniors Rose Hoelzle and Becky Oesch and junior Kristy Ryan.

The trio played a major role in the local debate program's successes in 1997-98. The year's highlights in-

cluded a narrow loss to defending champion Grosse Pointe University of Liggett in the finals of the Michigan Class C Varsity Debate Tournament (the best finish ever for a Cass City varsity team). The Red Hawk novice team, meanwhile, continued to dominate Class B and C schools and finished fifth among Class A schools in the state novice tournament.

The varsity debaters were

ranked No. 1 in the pre-season to win it all in Class C this year. However, the team will probably be competing in Class B, where the Red Hawks have been unofficially ranked third, behind Birmingham Brother Rice and Detroit Country Day, in

pre-season forecasts. As for Cass City's novice prospects, Daniels says he's excited after watching his newest debaters, twins Anand and Manisha Raythatha and Shaun Engler.

"They turned a lot of heads this weekend." Daniels said of the sophomore trio, who moved up to junior varsity to compete in the tournament — their first — held at East Lansing High School.

Daniels' goal in taking the debaters to Lansing was to help them gain experience.

"On the other hand, I know these 3 are immensely hard workers," he said, adding he wasn't completely surprised at how well his rookies performed under pressure.

Daniels explained that the trio sought him out and expressed an interest in debate and learning the basics: researching evidence, argumentation, adapting in rounds to various judges, speaking elements, etc.

"I told them I'd come in (to school over the summer) if they'd come in," he recalled. Manisha, Anand and Shaun started meeting with Daniels 3 to 4 times a week starting in July. Later in the month, they attended a 2-week debate camp in East Lansing.

If they continue to show that kind of dedication, the coach said. "I wouldn't be surprised to see them bumping up to varsity."

For now, the rookies along with a pair of varsity "swing" teams are gearing up to compete in another 2 day tournament this week at Holland High School.

Although the debate season has barely gotten underway, Daniels' charges have already won 3 awards — one for the junior varsity semifinal finish over the weekend, a quarterfinal trophy won by Hoelzle and Manisha Raythatha at debate camp, and another won by Hoelzle, also at camp, for her fifth place finish overall as an in-

dividual speaker. Daniels said this year's goal is 100 trophies.

Asked if he really thinks his team can do it, he paused briefly. "Yea," he replied. "We only have 97 more to Octagon Barn celebration

# Best ever 'family day' draws 3,200, nets \$11,000

Members of the Friends of the Octagon Barn looked a bit weary as the third annual Fall Family Day unfolded under cloudy skies Saturday

By the end of the day, they were all smiles.

All of the hours put into planning and organizing the fall celebration, held at the historic Octagon Barn near Gagetown, proved more than worthwhile, according to committee members.

"It was very rewarding," commented event Chairman Bob Hirn, who noted planning for Fall Family Day begins in December.

'There's a lot of work. When you start talking about man hours, there's just a lot of man hours that go into it. But it's well worth it when you're done."

"It was the best, most successful event we've had thus far," said Friends of the Octagon Barn President Rose Putnam.

"By noon you could hardly get around; it was packed right up," she added, referring to the attendance, which is estimated at 3,200 people, twice the number attending

The event, boosted by souvenir sales and a new, \$1.50 gate donation, generated an estimated \$11,000.

Area residents continue to show their support for the committee's efforts to repair and preserve the barn and farmhouse by participating in the fall celebration. But the event also continues to draw people from all over the

"There were a lot of new people coming to the barn," Putnam said. "We had a lot of people from the Detroit

Hirn said the event's success is also attributable to volunteers, sponsors and exhibitors who travel to Gagetown for the fall celebration.

"We had a lot of people who volunteered to help us," he added. "We had a nucleus of about 8 or 10 people who have helped us in various ways.

"I would say there were over 80 exhibitors this year," Hirn continued, adding the displays included 29 antique tractors and a host of antique gas engines, an antique water pump, water ram, balers, a fodder chopper, huskershredder, corn grinder, saw mill, shingle mill, buzz mill and a forge.

The day-long event also featured plowing displays as well as farm animals, which have proven to be one of the most popular attractions, according to Putnam. Visitors also enjoyed old-fashioned taste treats, from hog kettle popcorn and apple cider to homemade baked goods.

To-date, the Friends of the Octagon Barn have invested some \$32,000 in repairs and restoration projects involving the barn and farmhouse built for James and Cora Purdy on Ritchie Road. But there's still more to do.

"We've got a ways to go, but it's moving along," Hirn said. "Every year a little bit more gets done."

Major projects completed so far include roof repairs to the barn. Future improvements will include new windows, replacement of some siding and painting.

work on the farmhouse and, towards that end, are considering organizing a new program in which people can contribute financially by "adopting" a room in the

Hirn said credit for some of the improvements goes to folks who call committee members each year with offers to donate materials. For example, Keith Little Farms donated some ash lumber that was used to refurbish

stalls in the barn.

# Pesky head lice cases no worse than last year

It's not unusual to hear few cases this year. I'm just more about head lice once a new school year begins, and this year is not different.

It's a predictable cycle; kids contract lice over the sumthe problem to the classroom. And, despite efforts in invariably end up with the pesky little bugs, and their eggs, called nits, in their

Which translates into a free trip home in Tuscola County, where all schools have requiring children to be nit free before returning to

School Nurse Geri Tonti says she's watched the problein grow during her 15 years in the Cass City School District.

"We've tried everything we can think of here at the school to prevent it," she said, adding students have individual lockers and are reminded not to share combs and other personal items. The school also has films that educate students and parents on the subject of lice.

Ten, 15 years ago, the school would go weeks without a case of head lice, she recalled. Today, she said, "a typical year is one or 2 cases a week.

"We're having our usual

about done checking Campbell (Elementary School) and I've only had a handful of cases."

Likewise, Tuscola County mer, then unknowingly bring Health Department officials say they are not seeing an unusually high number of school to catch lice problems lice cases. The numbers before they spread, other kids typically jump a little as classes resume in August and September, but "it's no different this year that I can see," said Bernadette Herreshoff, health department program coordinator.

Tonti is quick to point out adopted a "no nit" policy, there is no epidemic, but she's concerned with what she describes as treatments that appear to be becoming less and less effective.

"Head lice are becoming resistant to the shampoos, she said.

Lice are tiny bugs that weave into hair, attaching to the scalp and sucking blood from their human host. Each female louse is capable of laying dozens of eggs which remain attached to individual

The pests, which roam freely from victim to victim, take on the color of hair. making them even more difficult to spot.

Tonti noted over-thecounter head lice shampoos contain a form of insecticide,

and she cautions parents to

follow directions closely and use them with care.

Even after treating a child, the problem isn' solved because the shampoos do not kill all of the eggs.

The bottom line is parents must methodically examine the hair, literally, with a fine tooth comb and remove every egg by hand. Tonti said. "It just takes some elbow grease; you have to pick them out of there. If there is one egg, it will hatch."

Herreshoft said failure to remove all eggs and follow treatment directions to the letter can result in reinfestation, as can failing to check everyone in the fam ily for lice.

"It's very difficult to get rid of lice," she said. "They can survive because they lay so many eggs.

It's important to look for the source of lice, which calls for some detective work.

Lice can't live more than 48 hours without blood, but health officials : ecommend that items such as stuffed toys be placed in a bag and kept there for 2 weeks. Vacuum rugs and upholstery and immediately dispose of the vacuum bag. Bedding

should be washed and a thor-

ough house cleaning is rec-

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ommended.

#### uniform contribution The Owen-Gage Board of junior/senior high school."

O-G board tables

Education tabled a request to help fund new band uniforms during a rescheduled monthly meeting last Wednesday. The suggestion was made

by board member Randy Howard, who asked if the athletic and band programs currently pay for themselves. School Supt. Manuel Thies replied the district subsidizes both programs. There are many more students involved in athletics than band, he pointed out, so the amount of general fund monties spent on sports is greater, about \$8.000 to \$9.000 a year.

The cost of new band uniforms is estimated at \$6,250. Howard asked if the board would consider making a financial contribution. He also suggested that the district investigate the possibility of setting up a savings account for future uniform purchases, rather than wait until the old uniforms need to be replaced.

Thies asked the board to table action on the request until he can be more certain of what the district will receive in operating revenue this year.

"This year, as everything stands, we will receive no new money from Lansing, Thies said, noting the district could receive less revenue because the district is shy 3 students compared to last year's student count at the

Thies said it is possible the state Legislature could act and give schools an increase in per-pupil funding, but he isn't counting on it. "I want to see what we're going to have in the coffers at the end of the year. It is possible (the Legislature) could act and give us an increase in our per-student income."

In other business during the brief session, the board:

\*Announced the district's 1997-98 annual P.A. 25 report will be presented during the next regular meeting, scheduled for Monday, Oct. 12, starting at 7 p.m. in the Owendale High School cafeteria. The report, mandated by the state, outlines school district staffing levels, programs and activities during the previous school year.

\*Approved a motion to forgive a 1993-94 junior/senior high school lunch program debt totalling \$7,432. The action is part of the district's on-going effort to erase past debt and create a self-sustaining hot lunch program.

\*Approved the hiring of Amy Maurer to fill in for third grade teacher Kay Nguyen for the first marking period and perhaps longer.

\*Approved an extension of the "schools of choice" deadline to Sept. 18, and parent notification to Sept. 22, to

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# **Mardell Ware writes:**

ing store. She hired my

# Cass City provides so well for children

To the Editor:

September is a beautiful month when children return to school after the summer vacation, but there is something gone that will not be seen again only in our memories, the old school.

Many area residents can recall days in the now razed middle school building. Fewer remember when the building was state-of-theart for the high school also. Mardell Ware was a member of the first class to spend a year in the building and the second to graduate from it.

We moved it from our letters to the editor department to the front page because we believe it has something for all our readers, regardless of where they went to school. See if you agree.

My son, Jim, brought me a brick from the old middle school and as I accepted it I thought of the school where I graduated 70 years

rant that year and the men who worked on the school roomed and boarded there. It was not like the Holiday The year the school was Inn but hearty meals were being built in 1926, Helen served 3 times a day and I Schwaderer had a boarding house where Ryland and Guc later had a plumb-

mother to run the restau-The class of 1928 had 28 members and when we started our senior year we entered a beautiful new building. The class of 1927

but we were privileged to helped serve them. Helen have a year in it. Schwaderer was a school teacher and taught in a

This summer, Charles McKenzie, who lives in

nearby town.

Kalamazoo, stopped in for a visit. It's always interesting to recall school days. He was in athletics and recalled having a gym and we talked about the had their graduation there stage where we had the Senior Play, "The Patsy." It was different than it used to be when operettas and plays were held in the Old Opera House.

Ten years ago we had a class reunion at Charmont and 30 attended. There were 16 class members, 4 teachers, and 10 guests. It was a time of recalling school days and we had a wonderful time.

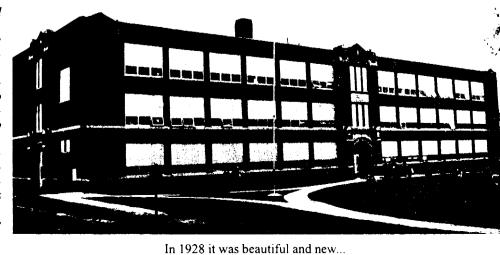
Since that time I have kept in touch with those who live in other areas. At this time there are only 6 members living and as far as I know one teacher, Lois Rainey Folkert, who came here from Missouri to teach music.

Our class molto was: Work, Wait, and Win. Our diplomas were signed by School Board members. H.F. Lenzner and Elizabeth E. Pinney, and also by our Superintendent H.W. Holmes and Principal Harry Duke.

I am the only one of the class of 1928 living in Cass City. As I think of the old building torn down and a new middle school built I am reminded of the words of Solomon in Ecclesiastes 3:3, "a time to tear down and a time to bui'd".

Cass City provides so well for the children of our town. Leo and I are happy that our 5 children and 14 of our grandchildren graduated from C.C.H.S. and at this time we have great-grandchildren in all 3 schools.

Mardell Ware



This 'n' that

Meg's Peg

by Melva E. Guinther

Beanie Babies appear harm-

less, but can turn normally

mature, serene adults into

"These Beanie Babies make

people do strange things",

said the daughter of an an-

tique store owner in

An article in the Dayton

Daily News told about a

woman who broke into the

antique store and stole all the

Beanie bears as well as the

store's new shipment of

The woman was appre-

Collectors have been

known to engage in fist fights

while waiting in line, and to

stalk UPS trucks when they

The antique store owner

..people need to calm

wisely suggested that

down, sit back and relax.

They are only little bags

filled with beans, for

When we were kids, we

loved to play hide-and-seek

Now it seems farmers are

In the Dayton, Ohio, area at

least 2 corn field mazes are

open for the public to get lost

One is a 12-acre maze with

3 miles of paths through 8-

foot corn stalks, but dead

ends could cause a person to

walk up to 9 miles to get out.

The farmer is charging \$5 a

head to get lost in the maze.

Talk about innovative farm-

heaven's sake."

in the corn field.

cashing in on the idea.

make a Beanie delivery.

hended and is suspected of 2

other Beanie break-ins.

something else.

Centerville, Ohio.

Beanies.

## Senior citizen movies scheduled at library

Cass City Rawson Memorial Library Senior Citizen movies will be shown Friday, Sept. 18, at 1:30 p.m. Showing will be:

In Love With Paris: View the panorama from the Eiffel Tower and the Arc de Triomphe, Stroll down the Champs-Elysees to the Place de la Concorde. Cruise the River Seine and admire the majestic cathedral of Notre Dame. View the priceless treasures in the Louvre, Pompidou Center and the Jeu de Paume. Tour the military museum with its weapons and Napoleonic artifacts. Visit Montmarte and the Place de Terte and the beautiful gardens and palace of the Versailles. Savor the splendid French cuisine at the Tour d'Argent, Maxim's and Fauchon. (50 minutes)

Venice: Few cities in the world are as magical and majestic as Venice. The basilica of San Marco, the Doge's Place and the Campanile are the city's most celebrated, beautiful and impressive landmarks. But it's the simple gondola, floating quietly on ancient canals, that best captures the spirit of Venice — testimony to man's ingenuity and to a vanishing way of life. Get to know the people, the history and the architecture as you experience the pulse and excitement that only truly great cities possess. (30 minutes).

Refreshments will be served. This older adult program is offered free of

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#### Cass City Social Item

The Elmwood Quilting Circle sponsored a raffle for a quilt recently. The drawing was held Sept. 9 and the winner was Sharon Erla of Cass

#### 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.

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Monday - Oven fried chicken, roasted potatoes, lima beans, French bread, pineapple tidbits.

Tuesday - Roast beef w/ gravy, mashed potatoes, Harvard beets, tomato wedges, variety bread, apple

Friday - Beef stew w/carrots, potatoes and onions. stewed tomatoes, biscuit, ba-

# ent perspective, doesn't it?

Opal Schneeberger, a well-

informed reader, came to the

rescue by answering the nag-

ging question regarding who

Briefly, in a book by

Nikolai Gogol, Taras Bulba

was a Cossack who fought to

defend the Ukraine from

raids by the Tatars and Poles.

A TV listing for "The Wiz-

ard of Oz" in a newspaper in

8:00 p.m. Channel 4 — Movie "The Wizard Of Oz"

- Ray Bolger, Judy Garland,

(1939). "Transported to a

surreal landscape, a young

girl kills the first woman she

meets, then teams up with 3

complete strangers to kill

Sort of gives you a differ-

Marin County (Kansas):

or what Taras Bulba is.

Ladies, are you feeling depressed? Go sniff a man!

Studies have shown that women exposed to androstadienone, a substance produced when a man's body breaks down testosterone, were in a better mood than those not exposed, in similar circumstances.

In the tests, the substance, or a placebo, was placed on the women's upper lip. The ladies that sniffed the real thing reportedly felt much better while filling out questionnaires than those who didn't.

Those cute little stuffed

#### Parrott earns degree at Kettering

Richard J. Parrott, son of Richard and Deborah Parrott of Cass City, recently earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in mechanical engineering at Kettering University (formerly GMI Engineering and Management Institute).

A 1993 graduate of Cass City High School, he is employed as a manufacturing engineer at Lear-Donnelly Overhead Systems, LLC, Marlette.

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#### Dagmar Brown completes 39th bridge walk

Dagmar Brown of Cass City completed trek number 39 across the Mackinac Bridge Labor Day in 61 minutes. Governor and Mrs. John Engler and 3 daughters (the triplets), and his Lansing entourage led the walk. The crowd was estimated at 70,000 people. It was a beautiful and very warm Labor Day; however there was a light rain shortly after 8 in the morning. The rain was fairly hard all the way to Gaylord then sunny skies.

Brown resides on a farm west of Cass City with her many animals. She gets plenty of exercise. Walking is a vital part of her daily rou-

# Story hour set at library

Preschool story hour is set for Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 at 1:30 p.m. at Rawson Memorial Library for children age 3, 4 and 5, but not yet in kindergarten. There is no charge for this program, but children must pre-register. Registration begins Sept. 21 and the deadline for registration is Sept. 28.

The children will listen to stories and make a simple craft each week during the 35-45 minute sessions. Special Halloween activities are planned for Oct. 29. Story hour is a good opportunity for children to improve listening skills and to learn to work with each other.



If no candidate for vice president has a majority of Electoral College votes, the Senate chooses from the top two, with the senators voting as individuals.



Theodore and Gracia Hergenreder Sept. 27, 1938

## for preschoolers Hergenreders to celebrate 60th wedding anniversary

The children of Theodore and Gracia Frances (Van Sickle) Hergenreder announce their parents' 60th wedding anniversary Sept. 27, 1998. Mr. and Mrs. Hergenreder have been residents of the Kingston area all

of their married lives. To help them celebrate this

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#### Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

The Chronicle received an added, unexpected bonus when it purchased one of the pigs sold in the 4-H Livestock Sale held at the Tuscola County Fair.

The pig was owned by Amy Venema of Cass City and she popped into the office last week with a couple of dozen of the finest homemade chocolate chip cookies imaginable. We resisted the temptation to sneak them home and made them available to the Chronicle staff.

Need I add that they were gone before we closed shop for the day? (Confession: I ate 3.)

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This has got to be a winner in the non-prize contest to uncover older copies of the Chronicle hanging around the house. Brought in by Alexia Cook were 10 copies carefully saved from various years.

The oldest was dated July 31, 1908, the 15th issue of the year in the third year of the Chronicle's existence. Incidentally, the Chronicle was formed when it was con-

solidated with the Cass City Enterprise, which was established in 1881.

The Chronicle was dedicated to service way back then. An item on the front page: Pair of trousers, blue serge, were placed in the wrong buggy by mistake at Cass City Thursday. Finder will please return to Ruhl, the tailor."

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Was it real or just a prank? Before the Agnes Kitchen auction Saturday that featured antique Harley Davidson motorcycles and parts, Oesentoski Auctioneer, Caro office, received a caller who identified himself as a representative of Jay Leno, CBS nighttime host, who was interested in attending the

No one knows if a representative actually attended. What's sure, the Harley was not sold to Leno, it went to a member of the family.

#### The Weather

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# Turner first woman to earn tech program degree

Shannon Rae Turner of she was flown to Lafayette. to receive a degree from Michigan Technological University's Chemical Engineering Technology program at ceremonies May 30.

As a student in the program,

Cass City is the first woman Ind., where she observed and participated in Eli Lilly's Pharmaceutical Lab. She has been offered and accepted a position at Midland based Dow Chemical Corporation. While attending Michigan

Tech, Turner became a mem-

Cass City firemen remained

at the scene for about 90 min-

utes. They were assisted by

the DNR and the Elmwood-

Gagetown Fire Department.

fighters were called to Hills

and Dales General Hospital

to investigate smoke in the

boiler room. The alarm came

in at about 9:45 p.m. Sept. 9.

An employee reported see-

ing smoke, however, an in-

vestigation revealed no fire,

Pawloski said.

Earlier in the week, fire

# No damage in hay field blaze

Fire scorched a 5-acre hay Pawloski said. field about 3 miles southwest of Cass City Thursday.

Elkland Township fire fighters were called to the scene, a field at the corner of Dodge and Akron roads, at about 3 p.m.

The field is owned by Robert Speirs, 4930 E. Akron Rd., according to Fire Chief Ron Pawloski, who reported a neighbor was burning some trash and the blaze "got away from him.'

There were no injuries and property damage,

## **Fairgrove** boy, 10, dies in accident

A Fairgrove boy died after being hit by a car Thursday in Fairgrove Township.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies identified the victim as Joshua J. Forman, 10.

According to reports, a vehicle driven by Angela S. Miller, 16, Fairgrove, was southbound on Main Street south of Shreeves Road at about 2:55 p.m. when the boy stepped into the path of the vehicle.

That casino is a far cry from some of the other Indian outlets that are sprinkled throughout northern Michi-

That million bucks won by Moore reflects what the Mt. Pleasant operation has become. It won't take long for the casino to get its dollars back as gamblers line up to

Maybe entice a few high rollers to distribute their bucks in the various games available.

If you are a crap shooter with limited funds you are willing to earmark for gambling, Mt. Pleasant won't rank high on your priority list.

Now with these stakes, a couple of hundred dollars might last as little as 10 minutes even if you stick to the minimum bets. That's risking serious money for the common guy out for a little rec-

reation. A month or so ago I stopped at the casino at St. Ignace which has offered craps longer than the Soaring Eagle Casino, where smalltimers like me can enjoy the game with minimum bets of

Of course, I'll never win a million dollars playing the slots, but then it's almost sure, neither will you, regardless of how often you feed the mechanical monster.

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mately involved.

It should never have been a focal point of a partisan party investigation. In hindsight



Ernest A. Teichman, Jr. 6240 W. Main Cass City, Mich. Phone 872-3388



# ber of the Alpha Sigma Tau

She is a 1995 graduate of Cass City High School. Turner is the daughter of Ronald and Karen Turner of

sorority.

Cass City and the granddaughter of George and Phyllis King, John and Barbara Koepf, all of Cass City, Eugene and Marion Comment of Gagetown, and the late Garfield Turner.



**Shannon Rae Turner** 

allegations about his private

life, which is of legitimate

concern only to the family

and not to his work as presi-

He didn't and now perhaps

he should throw in the towel.

Not because of what he al-

legedly did in his private life,

but because this continuing

controversy has put govern-

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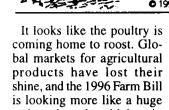
Did you catch the story about Joe Moore, Forester bar owner, who won \$1 million in the slots at the Soaring Eagle Casino in Mt. Pleasant?

become another big winner.

We visited the crap tables at Soaring Eagle once. There were 3 or 4 tables operating. The cheapest was one with a \$10 minimum bet limit and the rest were with \$15 mini-

It's been my belief from the first that the private life of the president should be a concern of the president and his family and anyone else outside the family that is inti-





every pot it was supposed to

represent. Touted as the Freedom to Farm Act, the 1996 bill gave farmers more leeway for planting decisions but removed many of the price supports and safety nets put in place during the past 50 years. Farmers and economists are now thinking, "Freedom to farm may be fine, but farming for free is not what anybody had in mind.'

A news release from the National Farmer's Union says prices for many farm commodities have declined significantly since the Farm Bill was passed in 1996. As of June of this year, wheat was down 40 percent from 1996 levels, and corn was down 28 percent. Livestock prices are said to be "at or below break-even prices."

Some folks predicted this, and quite a few others claim they could have forecast it if anyone had asked. I'm in one of those 2 groups.

Now we have economists coming out of the woodwork with suggestions for solving the farm problem. Where were these guys back in '96, when the farm bill was being debated?

A number of economists argued against particular provisions of Freedom to Farm, but others were simply "off fishing." I know they were. I could see them from my

Economists are like weather forecasters and newspaper columnists. They/we can predict almost anything - - soon after it hap-

And how about the farmers? They can't escape all of the

Many farmers argued against abandoning market stabilizers, but others said, "Hey, we can feed the world." Just turn us loose." Now we

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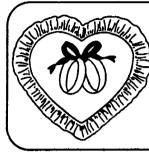
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doesn't do it that way. We have to recognize, farmers were suffering from a multitude of programs and 50 years of government reguturkey than the chicken in lation when the last farm bill was written. Sometimes the fire looks better than the fry-

ing pan. The whole thing reminds me of the day my son decided to join the Army. Russ was about to graduate from high school and had talked with an Army recruiter once or twice during the spring. His mother and I supported the idea. The Army offers valuable training and benefits for young people, while giving them a few years to adjust to adulthood and the outside world

Still, joining the armed services is an important decision, not one to rush into. So I said to Russ, "You'll have to make your own decision. but you might want to talk to the Navy and the Air Force recruiters before you rush into anything."

My 18-year-old son said, "I've already made up my mind. I'm going to join the Army. I'm tired of people telling me what to do.'



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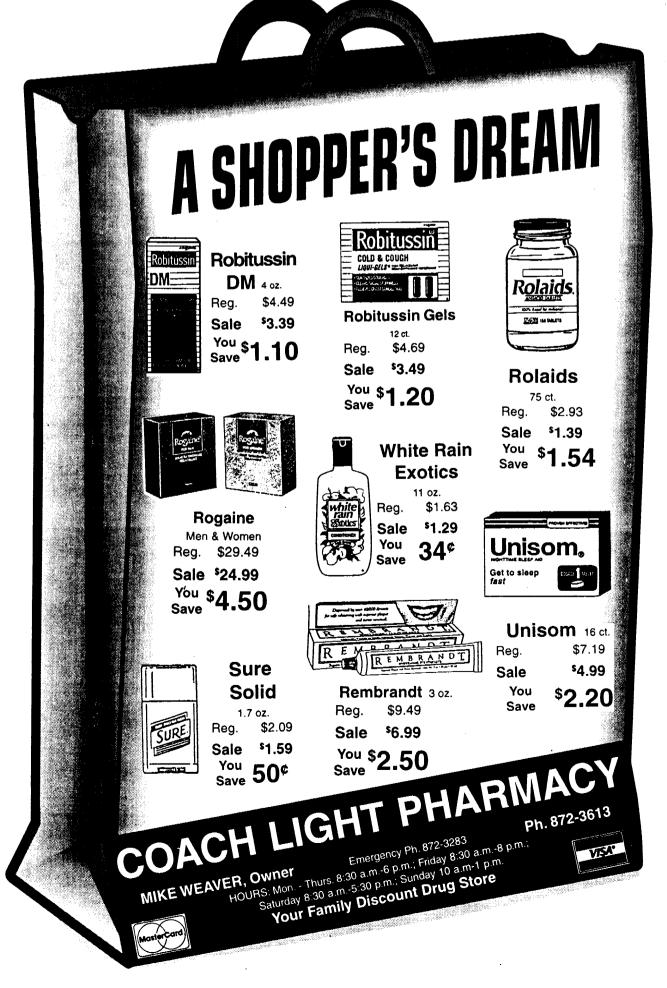
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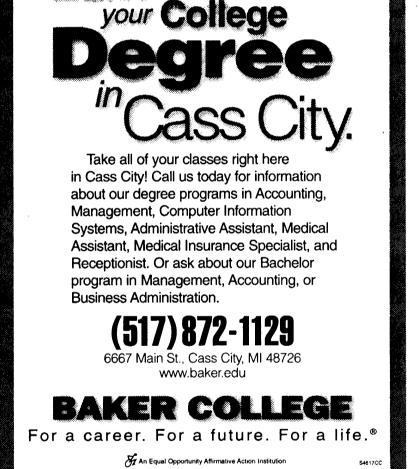
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	<b>English</b>	<u>Math</u>	Reading	<u>Science</u>	<b>Composite</b>
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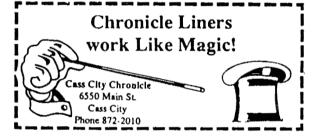
Charles Volz, LUTCF, FIC, Cass City, has been appointed agency specialist/ computers for the Anthony Golden Agency of Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL), Frankenmuth.

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LOREN STEIN OF Pigeon stokes up a fire in front the Octagon Barn as he prepares to brand some wood shingles with the barn name and logo Saturday. The exhibit was one of dozens set up during the third annual Fall Family Day.





STEP BACK IN TIME — Saturday's Fall Family Day celebration offered oldfashioned fun of all kinds. Above, Deb Krug, Deford, spins wool in the James and Cora Purdy farmhouse, while Christina Washburn, Caro, demonstrates weaving and Ethel Wildner and Marian Strieter, both of Unionville, perform selections on hammer dulcimers.

#### Genealogy society to meet Sept. 22

The Cass River Genealogy Society will have the first meeting of 1998/99 at 7 p.m. Sept. 22 at the James E. Wickson Memorial Library. Franklin Frankenmuth.

This month's guest speakers will be Ann and Conrad Burton of Decatur. They will present a program on the Quaker method of keeping family records, what they found in researching Meetings in Michigan and how to find records of Michigan.

Again this year the group will be offering help to anyone interested in finding their family history. There will also be a computer available for use in research.

Interesting programs will be presented in the coming months to help in the pursuit of ancestors. The public is invited to attend. For more information, call 652-8323.



THE WEATHER prevented plowing demonstrations at last year's Fall Family Day celebration, but the event went on as planned this year, thanks to some help from the Elmwood-Gagetown Fire Department, which brought in 18,000 gallons of water to soften the dry field.

# Bay Shore Camp 19th Annual AUCTION 9<sup>am</sup>, Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> **AUCTION HIGHLIGHTS BAKE SHOP OPENS** 8:30<sup>AM</sup> PIE CONTEST JUDGING 11:30<sup>AM</sup> QUILTS & SOFTGOODS 1:00™ **FURNITURE** 2:30™ STARCRAFT ISLANDER CABIN CRUISER, MOTOR AND TRAILER

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## Holbrook **Area News**

Mrs. Thelma Jackson Phone 658-2347



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Winkel and Mrs. Ken Booms of Harbor Beach were Wednesday afternoon guests of Thelma Jackson.

Rita and Ray Depcinski attended the Ruth St. Peter and Paul Church ham and chicken dinner Sunday.

Allen Farrelly spent Saturday and Tuesday with Julie Koroleski and daughters in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr. and A.J. were Sunday guests of Shirley Knapp at Walled Lake.

Melanie Goodell and Amy of Lincolnshire, Ill., Matt and Roxann Particka of Tipton, Michelle and Greg Reid, Ted Particka and Kim Welloby of Madison Heights spent the weekend with Charlotte and Melvin Particka and they all attended the Grifka reunion at Cook Pond at Harbor Beach Sunday.

Ron Wolschlager, Doris Western, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel and Allen Farrelly had breakfast at McDonald's in Bad Axe Saturday morn-

Sharon Sturgil of Bad Axe was a Wednesday forenoon guest of Mrs. Curtis Cleland. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Konkel and Marney were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Terry in Elkton.

#### **EXTENDED HOMEMAKERS**

Eleven members of the Greenleaf Extended Homemakers and one guest met at the home of Lyle and Jean Clarke for a cookout and outdoor potluck luncheon.

An organizational meeting was held and plans were made for the coming year. Mrs. Curtis Cleland will be hostess at the next meeting Oct. 8 at the Crossroads restaurant on M-53.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Moore and family of Snover, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Taylor and Brian, Kim Gibbard, Theresa Gibbard and Becky Laming were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard in honor of Evans Gibbard's birthday.

Mrs. Earl Schenk attended a wienie roast and potluck dinner Monday at the Assembly of God Fellowship on M-53.

Mary Zinger and son, Tom Zinger, of Thousand Oaks, Calif., were Wednesday guests of Jim A. and Kay Sweeney

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton were among a group who enjoyed a hay ride with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kellar.

Thirteen members of the Traveling Breakfast Club met at the Peppermill in Bad Axe Thursday morning.

Thanks for calling 872-2010 with feature story ideas

They will meet at the Peppermill again next week. Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marchand and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marchand and family of

here. Jerry Decker visited Jack Pelton Wednesday.

Jason and Sharon McRae of Grand Rapids, Greg and Susan Krozek, Ryan and Samantha of Bad Axe, Charlie Depcinski, Nicole and Shawn and Rita and Ray Depcinski were Sunday evening guests of Bob and Carol Osentoski in Bad Axe. Mr. and Mrs. Don Hendrick were Monday forenoon guests of Thelma Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel and Allen Farrelly went to the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Ubly to pay respects to Eleanor Hay.

Mrs. Ken Osentoski was a Monday evening guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mrs. Martin Sweeney was a Wednesday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cieslinski.

Melvin and Charlotte Particka attended the wedding of Sandy McDonald and Vinge Hangish at St. Mel's Church in Dearborn. A reception followed at Burtons in Dearborn.

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

Mrs. Cliff Goodfellow of Onaway, Reva Silver and Mrs. Gerald Wills were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh and Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hinds in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Maurer of Ruth were Tuesday lunch guests of Clara Bond in Cass City and afternoon guests of Thelma Jack-

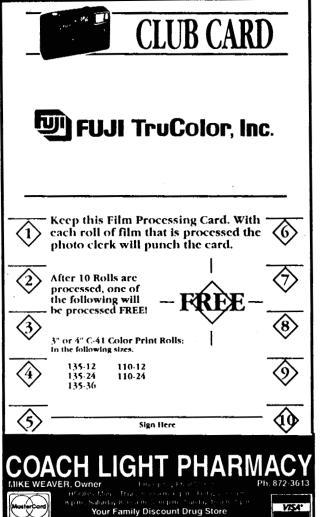
Jason and Sharon McRae of Grand Rapids spent Sunday and Monday with Ray and Rita Depcinski.

Sheryl Allen, Auggie Renn, Doris Western, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel and Allen Farrelly met at McDonald's in Bad Axe for breakfast Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr. and A.J., Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming spent from Saturday till Monday with Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cleland and family at Walled Lake. Vera Sosnowski and Louise Webber were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mrs. Martin Sweeney.

Sarah and Jeff Doerr and Savanna and Mrs. Curtis Cleland attended a barbecue at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr, Labor Day.

Cliff Goodfellow of Onaway spent a couple days with Mrs. Gerald Wills. Mrs. Goodfellow, who had spent a week with Mrs. Wills, returned home Thursday. Reva Silver was a Saturday supper





# Owen-Gage cagers lose pair of

# North Central Thumb League tilts

The third game in a row with North Central Thumb D powerhouses was scheduled for Tuesday night when the Owen-Gage Bulldogs were to travel to Peck to meet the potent Pirates.

The schedule makers definitely-didn't favor the Bulldogs, still smarting from losses to Kingston and North Huron before the meeting with Peck. The load lightens a little next Tuesday when the team plays at Caseville.

The tough week started last Tuesday when North Huron came to town and overpowered the Bulldogs, 62-24.

The issue was pretty well determined in the first half as

Warriors jumped off to a 14-4 lead in the first quarter as O-G was only able to notch a basket by Erin Salcido and

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a pair of free throws by first period. The Cardinals Danielle Fritz.

In the second period the Bulldog offense revived a little behind 6 points by Salcido, but the balanced North Huron scoring pushed the visitors in front, 33-14. at the half. From then on it was merely a matter of finding out what the final margin of victory would be.

Salcido, with 12 points, led the Bulldogs and O'Bee led North Huron with 21.

#### KINGSTON GAME

It was out of the frying pan into the fire Thursday when potent Kingston visited and used an aggressive defense to walk off with a 46-27 deci-

The teams battled on comparatively even terms in the

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scored 10 points on balanced scoring but the Bulldogs were able to score just 3 hoops, 2 by Danielle Fritz.

The visitors continued to add to the 4-point first period margin throughout the game. At the intermission the lead

KINGSTON - Jobson 1-0 (5-6) 7; B. King 3-0 (0-0) 6; Kaniszewski 3-0 (1-2) 7; Davis 1-0 (0-2) 2; Hunter 0-2 (0-2) 6; Lisa King 1-0 (0-0) 2; J. King 1-0 (0-0) 2; Laura King 4-0 (4-9) 12; Montei 1-0 (0-0) 2.

OWEN-GAGE - M. Ziehm 1-0 (0-1) 2; A. Ziehm 0-1 (0-0) 3; Fritz 4-0 (0-6) 8; Vargo 2-0 (1-3) 5; Salcido 1-0 (2-6) 5; Lemanski 2-0 (0-2) 4. **TOTALS** - 10-1 (4-18) 27.

TOTALS - 15-2 (10-22) 46.

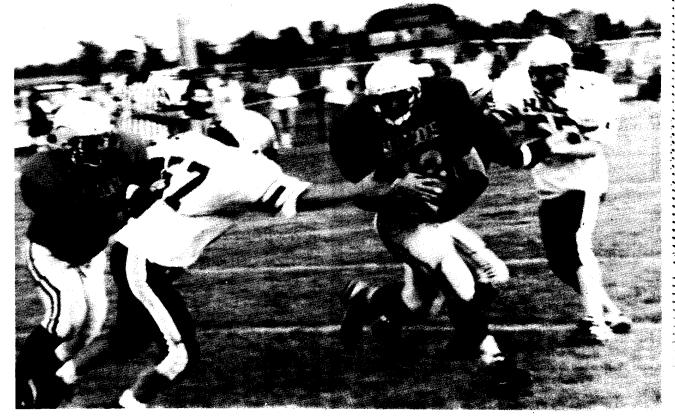
was 10 points (20-10) and going into the last quarter the Cardinals were comfortably in front, 35-20.

The scoring for both teams was well divided. Laura King scored 12 to lead Kingstor and Fritz led O-G with 8.

#### NORTH HURON

Schwedler 1-0 (1-2) 3; Souva 3-0 (2-7) 8; O'Bee 8-1 (2-2 21; Mazure 1-0 (0-0) 2 Brown 4-0 (3-4) 11; Yargai 1-1 (0-0) 5; Gray 2-0 (0-0 4; Tait 1-0 (0-0) 2; Lorgel 1 0 (0-2) 2; Schramski 1-0 (1 1) 3; Mausolf 0-0 (1-1) 1. TOTALS - 23-2 (10-19) 62

OWEN-GAGE - Ziehm 0-1 (0-2) 3; Fritz 0-0 (2-2) 2; Vargo 2-0 (0-2) 4; Salcido 5-0 (2-4) 12; Lemanski 0-0 (1-4) 1; Radabaugh 1-0 (0-0) 2. TOTALS - 8-1 (5-14) 24.



OWEN-GAGE'S Joel Bolzman slips past the outreached arms of Hale's Ryan Stone Friday during the Bulldogs' 35-34 double-overtime win. Bolzman rushed for 215 yards and scored 5 touchdowns.

# Bolzman leads Bulldogs to first gridiron win Friday

spoken in Owendale and Gagetown homes this weekend following the team's win

(Bolzman) never forget,' says Candela of Bolzman's antics, adding, "It was a great game, the best I've ever been

Bolzman, 6'1" and 200 lbs., rushed for 215 yards on 30 hauled in 3 Bulldog passes which netted another 98 yards of offense. He capped his night off by scoring all 5

happy. They just blocked, and blocked, and blocked,"

on 6 carries.

Owen-Gage opened the scoring on a 46 yard pass play from Derek Howard to Bolzman. Mellendorf's kick for point after spotted the hosts to a 7

 advantage. It didn't last long.

On the ensuing kickoff, Josh Johnson raced up the Bulldog sideline for 96 yards and pay dirt. Shortly after, Hale would strike again in the maiden quarter. Brian Barkholz gave the visitors a 12-7 edge on a 42-yard scoring sprint.

Owen-Gage regained the lead in the next frame on a Bolzman 54-yard scamper. Mellendorf's PAT kick gave the hosts a 14-12 lead.

It didn't last long.

Jason Banny, who led Hale with 99 yards on 24 carries, capitalized on a Bulldog fumble with only 45 ticks remaining till the half. Banny followed his 19-yard touchdown run with the points after, giving the visitors a 20-14 margin at the break.

As in the first half, Howard and Bolzman teamed up again to open the scoring in the final half. This time the pair covered 45 yards during a 3rd quarter strike that knotted the contest at 20. That score proved to be the final during regulation time.

In the first overtime, Owen-Gage would strike first on: Bolzman's 2nd rushing touchdown that covered 3 yards. Candela then used a little trickery - a fake field ; goal try - to add the 2-point conversion.

It didn't last long.

Hale's Barkholz needed just one play and when Banny busted loose up the middle for the points after, the game; was headed towards its 2nd; overtime period.

Bolzman recorded his 5th and final touchdown on the hosts' 3rd play from 7 yards out. Candela elected to have Mellendorf kick for the point after and the Bulldogs were. clinging to a 35-27 lead. It lasted.

After Banny closed the gap. to 35-34 on another burst through the middle, Owen-Gage stuffed Banny's try forpoint after and the Bulldogs. had their first win of the sea-

"Derek Howard and Nick" Warack stuffed Banny when! he tried to get outside," said: a delighted Candela.

"The kids just never gave, up," said Candela. "We now." need to get focused for this week game. We'll take them-(games) one at a time."

The Bulldogs (1-1) will open their North Central Thumb League schedule Frizday when Carsonville-Port Sanilac (0-1) travels to Owendale.

Besides kicking the game winner, Meltendorf led the Bulldog defense with 12 stops. Bolzman and Warack split 16 tackles, while Howard and Nathan Dale each were credited with 7 tackles.

Hale's defense was led by Tom Beeba's 11 stops

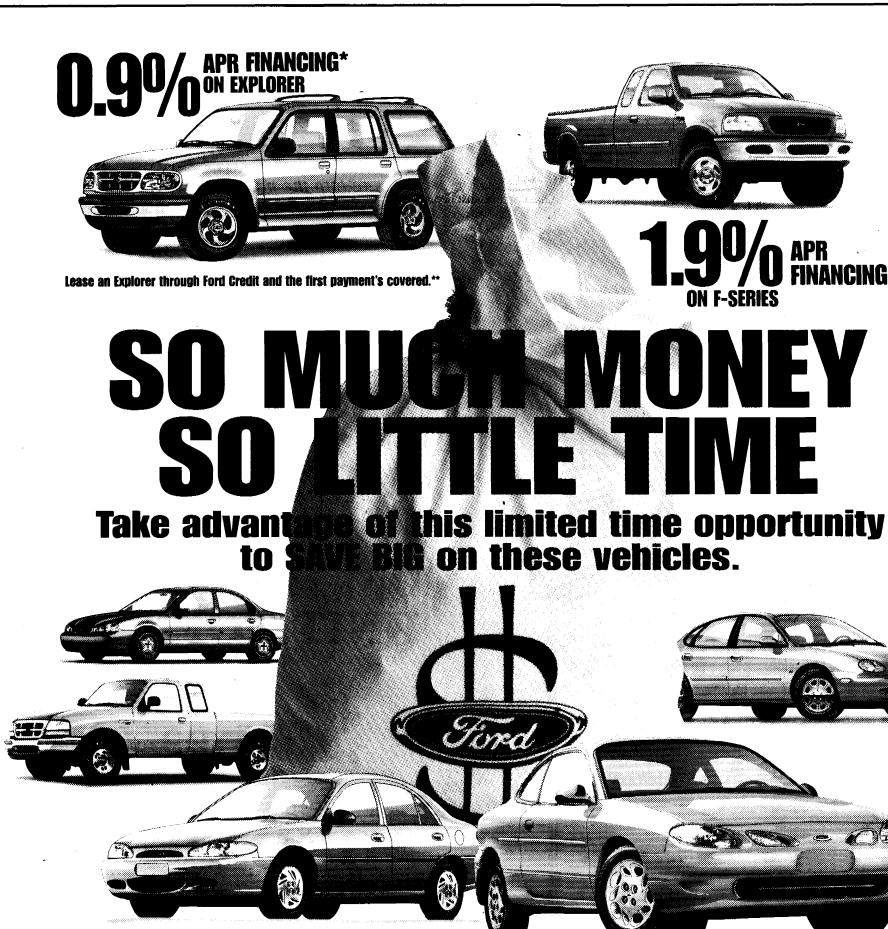
#### Joel Bolzman. Those were overtime victory with the carries to lead the winners. "I can't say enough about 2 of the most common words The senior running back also the offensive line. I was very Eagles. "That was a night that he'll

over visiting Hale.

Coach Joe Candela's Bulldogs recorded their first win of the season Friday, 35-34, during a thrilling doubleinvolved with."

Bulldog touchdowns. Despite Bolzman's best career showing, the Bulldog victory was a team effort.

said Candela. In addition to Bolzman, the winners had Ray Salcido with 27 yards on 8 totes, and Nathan Kain with 22 yards



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CASS CITY'S Adam Dorland (32) brings down Laker runner Chancey Wolfe (20) as Aaron Barriger (2) arrives to lend a hand Friday night. Unfortunately, the Red Hawks couldn't keep the Laker offense out of the end zone.

#### **Fabulous** Four's **Fearless** Clarke Tom Doug John **Forecast** Montgomery Haire Hyatt Haire September 18 Akron-Fairgrove at Peck Peck Cass City Cass City Cass City Cass City at Bad Axe Cass City BCAS at Lakers Lakers Lakers Lakers Lakers Owen-Gage Owen-Gage Owen-Gage Owen-Gage C-PS at Owen-Gage Cros-Lex at Harbor Beach Harbor Beach Harbor Beach Harbor Beach Cros-Lex Deckerville at Brown City Brown City Deckerville Deckerville Deckerville Kingston North Huron at Kingston Kingston Kingston Kingston Ubly Ubly Ubly Ubly Marlette at Ubly Mayville at USA USA USA USA

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# Quick start fades for Hawks Friday against visiting Lakers

For a little over a quarter Friday Cass City fans had visions of the first victory in 18 years over the Lakers as the Hawks dominated the action and the scoring over the perennial visiting football powerhouse.

But it was not to be, as an early 2-touchdown, 12-point lead faded to a 15-12 deficit by end of the half and the Lakers prevailed, 22-12.

Unlike some of the games in the long loss string when the Lakers' superior talent was clearly evident, this was a game when there was no decided edge in personnel for either team. Coach Tom Oesch said that his charges have not yet learned how to

While the Hawks are now winless in 2 games, the squad will rank as heavy favorites at Bad Axe this Friday in the second Thumb C West league game of the year.

The Hawks came out and surprised everyone at the game when they took the ball on their first series of downs and moved it down field with a strong running game instead of passes, which were expected to be a primary weapon for the team.

The Hawks picked up 6 first downs in a row, keyed by 2 key runs by Heath Zawilinski on the quarterback option. The first gained a first down on the Laker 33 on fourth and four and the second on a 22-yard gallop to the Laker 11. Zawilinski got the marker on a dive from the one-yard line.

That touchdown came at the 4:51 mark in the period and less than 2 minutes later Cass City scored again.

It came when Dan Cuddie intercepted a Jake Heck pass and ran it back to the oneyard line, from where Nick King ran it over. The important extra points try was missed again.

Early in the second quarter a series of plays turned the game around and enabled the Lakers to salvage the win.

The first came when Cuddie stripped the ball from a Laker back and headed down field for an apparent touchdown. But play was stopped because of what the officials termed was an errant whistle that was heard, but where it came from never detected.

After a discussion, it was decided to give the ball to Cass City on the Laker 40. A very disastrous for Cass City clipping call stopped the drive after Cass City had moved for an apparent first down on the Laker 30.

The Hawks' defense rose to the occasion and it was 4 and out for the Lakers, who were forced to punt. The ball was fumbled and the Lakers recovered on the Cass City 21.

scored in 5 plays, the touchdown scored on an 8-yard pass in the left flat from Jake Heck to Chancey Wolfe. The kick was good.

Just over a minute later the Lakers went in front for good. A Zawilinski pass was intercepted and the Lakers had a first on the Hawk 25. Helped by a pass interference penalty that gave the visitors a first on the 11, the Lakers scored again through the air on a pass to Brian Elbing. The extra points were scored on a run from the one after a Hawk penalty.

Cass City never threatened to score after that, although the team played hard the rest of the game, stopping the Lakers twice on downs from inside of their own 5-vard

One reason for the Hawk noted by Coach Oesch.

From there the Lakers scoring draught was that the Hawks played deep in their own territory throughout the last 2 periods.

Late in the fourth quarter the Lakers pushed over another touchdown to eliminate any chance Cas's City had for a last minute winning touchdown. That marker was scored by Josh King from the one-yard line. The Lakers continued their excellent extra-point production when Adam Meyersieck kicked his second extra point kick of the

#### **TOP PERFORMERS**

Several Hawks turned in top performances in the loss. Cuddie's interception and Dave Sutter's 41 yards in pass receptions, together with Nick King's 52 yards in 11 attempts and Bill Goodall's 11 tackles were

# Showdown for Hawk golfers set Wednesday with Bay City

The Cass City golf team continued their march towards another Greater Thumb Conference golf title last week with wins over Ubly and Lakers.

If Coach Paul Chappel's linksters are to repeat as conference champions, however, more consistency is needed by tonight (Wednesday), according to Chappel. That's when league leading Bay City All Saints invade Rolling Hills Golf Course for a crucial meeting with the Red Hawks.

"We'need more consistency from our 1-4 players," says Chappel. "They all have the potential to shoot in the mid to high 70's or low 80's."

Some of the Hawks' consistency woes surfaced Friday during a 19-team tourney at Brown City.

Top honors of the day were earned by Ubly, who posted a winning team total of 332. Finishing runner-up was Cros-Lex with 336, followed by Cass City at 337.

Brown City's Garret Bisset earned medalist honors at his home course with an impressive 18-hole mark of 73. Marlette, who finished 4th with 338 team points, had Don Robbins with 78 for runner-up medalist honors.

Cass City was paced by freshman Nick Chappel at Brown City with a solid 79. The Hawks' other scores on the day belong to Dave best career showing on the (87) and Ryan Downing

In conference play Wednesday, Cass City traveled to Scenic Country Club and easily defeated host Lakers,

Dave Hobbs turned in his

Hobbs (80), Brent Goslin Pigeon track with a medalist round of 35. The Hawks also had sophomore Goslin with a sub 40 round at 38. Joining the pair in the 30's was teammate Ryan Downing

Rounding out the team ef-

"We need to win (Wednesday) if we want a chance to take the title. Going into the match we're one point back of All Saints"

**Coach Paul Chappel** 

fort at Scenic were Chappel, Bellew and Matt Ender with scores of 41, 51, and 49, respectively.

Part of Cass City's disappointment with their showing at the Brown City tourney lay in the fact that on Monday they defeated the Bearcats 164-173 at Rolling Hills Golf Course.

Despite cold and windy conditions, Hobbs and Ubly's Chad O'Berski fired low rounds of 40 to lead their schools.

Bellew and Chappel both finished at 41 for the winners. Downing recorded 43, and Goslin, 46, for the Hawks.

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# Hawk runners earn medals at meets

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Hard work has paid off for and juniors and seniors chalseveral of rookie Coach Sandi Smith's Red Hawk cross country runners.

During the team's most reshowings, sent invitationals at Bad Axe and Unionville-Sebewaing, selected Hawk runners earned

medals for their efforts. In Saturday's invitational at Sebewaing's Bay Shore Camp, runners competed by grades among the 7 schools entered in Cass City's division. Freshmen and sophomores made up one category,

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lenged each other in another. Among the guys, in the freshman and sophomore class, 3 Hawks took home

medals. Leading the way was the Hawks' best runner, Craig Emmert. Emmert ran away with top honors with a time

of 16:53. Brad Ypma, who finished in 5th place with a time of 18:12, and at 18:42, good for 9th place, was Kris Patera.

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Also receiving medals were

Earlier in the week, the

Hawks traveled to compete with 12 schools at the Hatchet Invitational.

Two Hawk runners earned medals on the day. Competing with 81 runners, Emmert finished 5th with a time of 18:03. Patera placed 24th with a time of 19:43.

Among 77 girl runners at Bad Axe, Cass City's Rebecca Kruse and Melanie Nizzola recorded times of 26:10 and 30:43, respectively.



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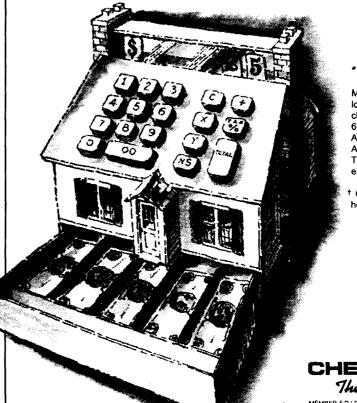
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# Read Meg's Peg

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# Cass City's cage team fell from the unbeaten ranks Thursday when visiting Unionville-Sebewaing handed Coach Jim Mastie's squad a 47-43 Greater Thumb Conference loss.

The final score wasn't indicative of the whitewashing provided by the Patriots (2-3) and junior point guard Jamie Stahl.

The Hawks (3-1) will need a better effort to return to the win column this week in games with Marlette and Reese. Thursday's contest with the Rockets will be the Hawks' first conference road test.

Entering the 2nd stanza tied at 9, the Patriots' Stahl helped the visitors to a 32-20 edge by the intermission with 18 of her game high 29 tallies. The hot handed Stahl, a transfer student from Caro, tossed in 3 treys in the maiden half and added 7 hoops from deep in the perimeter.

When the Hawks needed to make a run at the visitors, Cass City could do no better than to trade baskets for most of the 3rd period.

Patriot Shannon Schafer

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picked up the scoring burden as Cass City's defense clamped down on Stahl. Schafer scored all 8 of her points in the period after the

**Patriots hand Cass** 

City 47-43 defeat

break without the aid of the foul line.

Red Hawk guard Nicole Zawilinski helped to offset Schafer's production in the final half's early stages for the hosts. Zawilinski sliced the Patriot advantage to 40-31 in the period on the team's only basket from behind the 3-point arc. Zawilinski also added a pair of charity tosses and passed for 2 assists in the period.

However, the Patriots maintained their double digit lead when Stahl hit another trey as the horn sounded ending the period.

In the game's final 8 minutes Stahl nearly went from hero to goat. The Patriots could have put the game away easily except for poor foul shooting by the winners, who converted just 2-11 attempts down the wire that included 6 misses from Stahl.

Cass City was led by Shelly Ulfig's 19 points, while Kara Mellendorf added 14 tallies. The Hawk twin towers, however, connected on just 12 of 33 tries from the field.

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BCAS 64, Mayville 46
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Brown City 60, Yale 46
Peck 63, Caseville 32
USA 47, Cass City 43

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# \$25,534 in library pledges still outstanding

Two years after the beginning of excavation for the new Rawson Memorial Library addition and renovation, the project is close to being totally paid for.

Most pledges were for 3 years, and the end of 1998 will mark the due date for most outstanding pledges. According to librarian Barbara Hutchinson, of the 358 individual donations and pledges that were made, 30 pledges totaling \$25,534 remain outstanding.

Serious planning for the \$650,000 renovation and addition began in the summer of 1995, and a \$250,000 grant from the Pinney Foundation kicked off the fund raising. Some of the benefits of the project were a larger meeting room and adequate restrooms, increased space for library materials and computers, and arrangement of shelving and furnishings to conform to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The fund raising committee is hopeful that loans can be paid off by the end of the year. To be tax deductible for 1998, contributions must be received by Dec. 31. Contributions to the library can be taken as a credit on Michigan income taxes, as well as deductions on federal taxes.

#### **UBLY GAME**

Tuesday the Hawks traveled to Ubly and recorded their easiest win of the season, 59-36, in non-conference action. The Hawks jumped out in front 15-2 and never looked

Ulfig paced the guests with 20 markers on a 7-17 shooting performance from the field. She also hauled in a team best 12 rebounds.

Leading 26-14, the Hawks put the contest away with a 20-11 run to open the final

Mellendorf and Andrea Walsh split 16 markers for Cass City, while teammates Brooke Ouvry and Tara McNeil each added 7.

Becky Dore played one of her better floor games for the Hawks, collecting 6 assists and 5 steals while guiding the Hawk offense.

CC - USA

CASS CITY - Gaszczynski 1-0 (0-0) 2; McNeil 0-0 (1-2) 1; Ouvry 1-0 (0-0) 2; Zawilinski 0-1 (2-2) 5; Ulfig 6-0 (7-14) 19; Mellendorf 6-0 (2-2) 14.

TOTALS - 14-1 ( 12-20) 43.

USA - Ewald 0-1 (0-0) 3; Stahl 7-4 (3-10) 29; Eisengruber 1-0 (0-0) 2; Vanbevern 0-0 (1-2) 1; Geiger 1-0 (0-0) 2; Sigmund 0-0 (2-2) 2; Schafer 4-0 (0-2)

TOTALS - 13-5 (6-14) 47.

CC - UBLY

CASS CITY - Dore 0-1 (1-2) 4; McNeil 2-1 (0-0) 7; Walsh 2-0 (4-4) 8; Glaspie 0-0 (2-2) 2; Ouvry 3-0 (1-2) 7; Zawilinski 1-0 (1-2) 3; Ulfig 7-0 (6-10) 20; Mellendorf 3-0 (2-4) 8.

TOTALS - 18-2 (17-26) 59.

UBLY - Smalley 0-0 (1-2) 1; Walsh 1-0 (0-0) 2; Bensinger 2-1 (0-0) 7; Weltin 0-1 (2-4) 5; J. Puvalowski 1-0 (0-0) 2; Shields 0-0 (1-2) 1; Bischer 1-0 (2-2) 4; T. Puvalowski 2-0 (0-2) 4; Peters 1-1 (5-7) 10. TOTALS - 8-3 (11-19) 36.



DRAWING A crowd of USA defenders Thursday night is Red Hawk center Kara Mellendorf. Mellendorf tallied 14 points during Cass City's 47-43 Greater Thumb Conference loss.





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# **Legal Notices**

MORTGAGE SALE

Notice is hereby given that Default has ecurred in Mortgages given by Richard 1. Powell and Sharon K. Powell, husband and wife, to the United States of America. acting through the Farmers Home Administration. United States Department of

1) Mortgage dated and recorded on January 27, 1993, in Liber 636 on pages 847 to 850 of the Tuscola County

1) Mortgage dated and recorded on April 26, 1978, in Liber 486 on pages 36 to 39 of the Tuscola County Records together with Extension Agreement dated and recorded on January 27, 1993, in Liber 636 in pages 851 and 852 of the Tuscola ounty Records:

3) Mortgage dated and recorded on October 18, 1982, in Liber 528 on pages 75 to 78 of the Tuscola County Records to gether with an Extension Agreement duted and recorded on January 27, 1993, in Liber 636 on pages 853 and 854 of the Juscola County Records;

4) Mortgage dated September 3, 1985, and recorded on September 5, 1985, in Liber 553 on pages 198 to 201 of the Tuscola County Records together with an Extension Agreement dated and recorded in January 27, 1993, in Liber 636 on ages 855 and 856 of the Tuscola County Records; and

5) Mortgage dated September 27, 1985, and recorded on October 7, 1985, in Liber 554 on pages 207 to 210 of the Tuscola County Records together with Extension Agreement dated and recorded on January 27, 1993, in Liber 636 on pages 857 and 858 of the Tuscola County Records;

6) Mortgage dated and recorded on Linuary 27, 1993, in Liber 636 on pages 843 to 846 of the Tuscola County Records.

40 proceedings have been instituted to recover any part of the debt which is now One Hundred Eighty Five Thousand Three Hundred Ninety One and 66/100 \$185,391.66) Dollars

The Mortgages will be foreclosed by selling the property described below at a public auction to the highest bidder. The sale will be held September 25, 1998, at 10:00 a.m., local time, at the front entrance of the Court House in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan which is located at 440 N. State Street, Caro, Michigan, which is the location of he Tuscola County Circuit Court. The property will be sold to pay the amount then due on the Mortgage, including in-terest at the rate of 7.75% per year, legal ists, attorney fees and any taxes of insurance which may be paid by the morteagee before the sale

The property to be sold is located in the Kingston Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, and is more specifically des tibed in the Mortgages as

Parcel 1: Commencing in the Southwest corner of the East 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Sec ion 2, Township 12 North, Range 11 Last, thence North 297 feet, thence East 165 feet, thence south 297 feet, thence West 165 feet to point of beginning.

Parcel 2: The East 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 11, Township 12 North, Range 11 East

Parcel 3: The West 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4; Northwest 1/4 of Southeast 1/4; East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of Southwest 1/4 Section 11, Township 12 North, Range 11 East, except commencing at the North west comer of the West 1/2 of Northeast 1/4 of said Section 11, thence East 1287 teet; thence South 438 1/4 feet; thence West 1287 feet; thence North 438 1/4 feet

he property will be sold subject to prio liens and interests, unpaid and/or delinquent real property taxes, easements and ights of ways of record.

The redemption period will expire one (1) year from the date of the sale. For more information about the property you may contact the Farm Loan Manager listed below

Robert Catherwood SDA - Farm Service Agency 1075 Cleaver Road Caro, MI 48723 (517) 673-8173

Dated: August 19, 1998

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made in the conditions of a Mortgage made by Robert Bank and Licia Bank husband and wife, Mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Corporation of America, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated December 30, 1997, and recorded January 13, 1998, in Liber 728, Pages 75-81, of Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due as of the date of this notice, the sum of Forty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Seven and 74/100 Dollars (\$47,927,74), including interest at

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public auction to the highest bidder, on October 9. 1998, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front entrance of the Court House in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan.

Said premises are situated in the Town ship of Tuscola, Tuscola County, Michi-

Lot 32, of Haines Subdivision, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats Pages 15 and 16, Tuscola

Commonly known as: 4829 Cottrell Rd. Vassar, MI 48768, Tax Item: 019-012-300

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of the sale, unless the premises are determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241(a), in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: July 21, 1998

Morgage Corporation of America, Mort-

Allen J. Dyer P54857 Attorney for Mortgagee P.O. Box 24021 Detroit, MI 48224 (313) 886-5555

Post: 4829 Cottrell Rd

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Wayne OEDER N/K/A Wayne ADER, unmarried (Original Mortgagors) to Option One Mortgage Corporation, A California Corporation, Mortgagee, dated April 28, 1997, and recorded on May 7, 1997, in Liber 710, on Page 258, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the THE BANK OF NEW YORK, as Trustee of AMRESCO Residential Securities Corporation Mortgage Loan Trust 1997-3 under pooling and servicing agreement dated as of September 1, 1997, as assignee by an assignment dated June 22, 1998 which was recorded on July 21. 1998, in Liber 745, on Page 465, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Seven Thousand Five Hundred Sixty And 46/100 dollars (\$97,560.46), including interest at

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on October 2, 1998 Said premises are situated in TOWN SHIP of DENMARK, Tuscola County. Michigan, and are described as:

Part of the Northwest quarter of Section 16. Town 12 North. Range 7 East, Denmark Township, Tuscola County, Michigan. Described as beginning at a point on the West line of said Section 16, which is South 00 degrees 35 minutes 00 seconds East, 208,00 feet from the Northwest corner of said Section 16, thence, continu ing along said West line, South 00 degrees 35 minutes 00 seconds East, 130.00 feet; thence parallel to the North line of said Section 16, North 89 degrees 22 minutes 12 seconds East, 283.00 feet; thence, North 00 degrees 35 minutes 00 seconds West, 130.00 feet; thence, South 89 degrees 22 minutes 12 seconds West, 283.00 feet to the West line of said Section 16 and point of beginning. Subject to the Right of Way for Quanicassee Road over the Westerly side thereof.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale, unwith 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale

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Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

And no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by the mortgage or any part thereof. NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the

power of sale contained in the mortgage ind pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, October 21, 1998, at ten o clock (10:00) in the forenoon, local time, the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Tuscola County Courthouse in Caro, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for Tuscola County is held), of the premises described in the mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, on the mortgage, with interest thereon at the rate of nine percent (9%) per year, and all legal costs, charges and xpenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned. necessary to protect its interest in the premises. The premises are located in Koylton Township, Tuscola County, Michigan and are doubled as follows

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Parcel No. 79-016-027-000-0400-00 Address: 6692 Lanway Road, Kingston Michigan

The redemption period shall be one (1) year from the date of such sale, in accordance with MCL 600,3240(12), unless the property is deemed abandoned pursuant to MCL 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days, as provided in MCL 600.3240(9) Dated: September 10, 1998

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**Tuscola County Explorer Post** in competition

Washington, D.C., was the site for this year's competition involving Explorer Posts from all over the United States, and Tuscola County Explorer Post #2560 was among those fortunate enough to travel and compete in this competition.

The team consisted of 4 explorers, with 2 Tuscola County Sheriff deputies acting as advisors. The team traveled to the University of Maryland, located just outside of Washington, D.C., where the competitions were

The explorers competed in several events paralleling the duties that police officers perform throughout their ca-

Among these events were emergency first aid C.P.R. and community policing. All of the explorers received high marks for their performance in these events. One particular instructor commented on how impressed he was that 3 out of 4 explorers actually knew how to perform emergency first aid and C.P.R. He said that most explorer posts don't even know C.P.R. and that they normally have to teach it to them.

Another event the explorers competed in was a semiautomatic pellet pistol competition in which none of the explorers had ever received any training. After a brief seminar on safety and proper shooting of the pistols, explorer Steve Hiiter scored second place after competing against more than 30 other explorers.

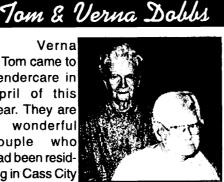
All of the explorers, as well as the advisors, had opportunities to attend seminars on various topics, including self-defense tactics, domestic terrorism, gangs and many more. A career fair was also held throughout the entire week with representatives from many local and out-of-state police departments, the F.B.I., the Customs Service and many other

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After the competitions ended Friday the team traveled into Washington, D.C., where a tour of the White House had been arranged by Dennis Fent, father of explorer Kevin Fent. Many other sights were also visited, including the Lincoln Memorial and the Smithsonian Aeronautical Space Mu-

To raise funds for these competitions and other trips, the explorers assist many organizations with events that they are holding. In return these organizations donate money to the explorer post. The explorer post also received many donations from local businesses and organizations to fund this trip to

ing the explorers should contact Deputy James Hook at Department. The Explorer Post will be seeking new members in November of information will be sent to you regarding when the explorers will be accepting new members.

The Tuscola County Explorer Post #2560 is currently chartered through the Tuscola County Sheriff Department and is under the direct supervision of Sheriff Tom Kern. This program would not exist without support from Sheriff Kern, his staff, and the enthusiasm of each explorer.

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Real Estate



REPRESENTING Tuscola County Explorer Post #2564 at a recent explorer post competition in Washington, D.C., were (back row, left to right) Kevin Fent, Deputy Jennifer Erla, Deputy James Hook, Steve Hiter, (front row, left) Kevin Heinlein and Christy Gray.

#### Farm Bureau addresses issues

reau members took action on several issues important to Tuscola County Sept. 4 at their annual meeting. The meeting was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Caro.

More than 105 members attended and approved local policy regarding township zoning ordinances, railway safety, agriscience and natural resource education and

They also approved policy on state and national issues, including policy on the state bottle return, purchase of

Tuscola County Farm Bu- development rights, TB in Young Farmer Achievement the Michigan deer herd, state drain code, Coggins Test, animal cruelty, agricultural support and agricultural imports. These state and national policy recommendations will be forwarded to the Michigan Farm Bureau Policy Development Com-

> At the annual meeting, Don Keinath was presented with a Distinguished Service to Agriculture award for his lifetime commitment to agriculture.

> Greg Daily, Mayville, was named the Tuscola County

award winner for his outstanding achievement in the business of farming and leadership in the agricultural community.

John Somerville, Unionville, was named the **Tuscola County Outstanding** Young Ag Leader for his outstanding leadership skills in the agricultural community.

Local farmers were reelected to the board of directors, including Richard Starkey and Lee Butts, Fairgrove; David Little, Cass City, and Matt Sergent,

Household

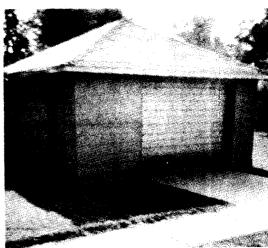
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Hoover vac - Kenmore vac Fans 2 card tables Small baby crib Phonograph records Yamaha electronic keyboard Christmas decorations

Many others

#### **ANTIQUES &** COLLECTIBLES Mahogany Duncan Phyfe

style drop leaf table w/ 6 chairs nice Mahogany buffet - nice 3 pc. Bedroom outfit w/double bed, chest of drawers. dresser w/ round mirror - nice Blonde bedroom outfit w/ double bed, chest of drawers, dresser & mirror,

bench Wooden high chair Small maple table Birds eye maple rocker Small wooden sewing box Camel back trunk Blanket chest Primitive cupboard Curved glass, oak china cabinet - very nice Minnesota A portable sewing machine

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Collection of marbles -

several large glass

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# **Down Memory Lane**

From the files of the Chronicle

#### **5 YEARS AGO**

Owen-Gage Schools teacher Joanne Hopper was formally hired as high school principal Monday night. Hopper, the first woman ever to be named to the post in the district, replaces veteran O-G teacher Manuel Thies, who in August was named superintendent after serving 2 years as high school princi-

Gary L. Vollmar has been named president and chief operating officer of Walbro Corporation.

Deb Otulakowski shot an elk cow north of the Pigeon Forest area near Wolverine Saturday at 6:30 p.m. after 4 days of intensive hunting. Her coveted license period expired at 7 p.m. that day.

Rudell Ratz, of E. Cass City Rd., has been collecting dolls for 25 years. Lorn and Clark Hillaker will auction off 150 to 200 of them at an auction sale Sept. 18. It is only a portion of a collection totalling an estimated 2,000 dolls.

Dagmar Brown of Cass City completed her 34th annual trek across the Mackinac Bridge in 61 minutes Labor Day.

#### 10 YEARS AGO

After more than 65 years, Charlie's Market in Wilmot is closed. Owners for the past 16 years, Charlie and Kathleen Weitschats, closed the doors Labor Day. It was the town's only grocery

A ground breaking ceremony for the planned Hardee's Restaurant in Cass City will be held Thursday at the construction site, located at the northeast corner of Main and Nestle Streets.

World War I vet and Cass City resident Vern McConnell recently received a certificate of appreciation from the government of

Fred Millis has built a 24foot totem pole at his rural Cass City home. He spent about 18 months "whittling" the maple with a chain saw. Former and current congregation members and pastors of the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will gather Sunday to celebrate the church's 40th anniversary. The Rev. James Van Dellen, who served Good Shepherd from 1970 to 1980, will be the guest speaker.

#### 25 YEARS AGO

Glenn Wixom, 76, of Cass City, put an ad in the Chronicle June 28: Would like to hear from an elderly lady who is a born-again Christian who desires marriage. He received 6 replies. After meeting with Mary Ehrenbach, 61, his search was over. They were married Saturday at St. Pancratius Catholic Church.

Tuscola County's traffic death rate rose to 20 early Friday morning when a car driven by Charles Gage, 30, St. Helen, went out of con-

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trol, crashed into a tree and burst into flames. Gage was a former resident of Cass City.

> Two members of the Cass City High School's championship baseball team have received scholarships to Oakland University in Rochester. Kip Hopper, catcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theron Hopper of Deford, and Gene Salas, shortstop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Salas of Cass City, will room together at Oakland in addition to play-

ing ball for the university. General Telephone Company has announced that the final stages of its rural upgrading program is now under way in the Kingston exchange, which includes reduction of rural lines to no more than 4 parties per line. Charles Tuckey, 17, of Cass City, escaped injury Saturday afternoon when he was forced to make an emergency landing in a stubble field after the engine on his Piper Cub airplane quit 3 miles south of Port Austin.

#### 35 YEARS AGO

The Harvey Lindermans have been plagued by fires. Friday, the family suffered the third major fire in recent years when fire damaged the roof and the walls of their home. Previous fires suffered by the Lindermans were even more disastrous. Some 3 years ago a barn was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. A little later a house the Lindermans owned about a half mile up the road was destroyed by fire.

Norman Robbins, formerly of Mesa, Ariz., has joined Wrayburn Krohn as a State Farm Mutual Insurance agent in Cass City. They are opening an office on Main Street between Oak and Seeger Streets.

Through the urging of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce, a new ladies' clothing store will open in the building formerly housing Patterson Meat Market on Main Street. The Jack Huliens will return to the village business scene. Many residents will remember the store they ran here for many years before selling out. Today they have other stores in Pigeon and Marlette.

At Erla Food Center - Budget Busters - Pig feet or tails, back fat, pork kidneys - 10 pounds for \$1. Hickory smoked bacon - 5 pounds for

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> **BASKETBALL SCOREBOARD** (Home games in bold)

Caro-Frosh Brown City	Oct 7	Harbor Beach	
Lakers	15	Ubly	8
Bad Axe	22	USÁ	10
USA	27	Marlette	
Reese	29	Reese	
BCAS		Deckerville	
Mayville	5 <b>.</b>	BCAS	
Caro JÝ/Var	10	Sandusky	29
Lakers	12	Mayville	Oct 1
		Vala	

**FOOTBALL Cass City at Bad Axe** Friday, Sept. 18



FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD (Home games in bold type)

		All games at 7:30 p.m.
Sept	.4	Caro
•	11	Lakers
		Bad Axe
	25	Reese
Oct.	2	USA
	9	Byron
		Mayville
	23	BCAS
		Marlette

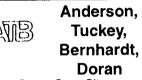
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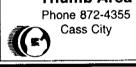
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## Calendar of Events

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

#### Wednesday, September 16

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

#### Friday, September 18

Senior Citizen Movies, 1:30 p.m., Rawson Memorial Li-

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

#### Saturday, September 19

The Human Development Commission (HDC) will be hosting its annual raffle at the Caro Knights of Columbus Hall. Grand prize for the raffle is a \$15,000 savings bond. Tickets are \$100 per couple and include dinner. For more information please contact HDC at (517) 673-4121.

#### Monday, September 21

All Well Spouses are invited to a support group meeting, 1 p.m., McKenzie Memorial Hospital, Sandusky. For further information call (810) 648-3770, ext. 181. Euchre Club, VFW Hall, 7 p.m.

Euchre Club, Northwood, 7 p.m. Lions Club, 7 p.m., Charmont.

#### Tuesday, September 22

Rotary Club, noon, Charmont.

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# **Bay Shore auction slated**

With the camping season nearly completed, officials at Shore Camp, Sebewaing, are once again gearing up for the 19th Annual Benefit Auction, scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. Satur-

19-year tradition

The auction will proceed rain or shine - in the camp Youth Center. The public is

The all-day event will mark the 19th consecutive year the Bay Shore Women's Auxiliary has sponsored this fundraiser. Following each auction, proceeds are used to purchase needed equipment and materials for the next camping season. Those items include bunk beds, mattresses, grounds keeping and construction materials, office machinery and computer systems, kitchen equipment, appliances, etc.

Last year's benefit auction brought the Auxiliary over \$30,000 for their annual shopping trip. This year, the ladies are hoping to clear at least \$33,000.

Doors will open at 8 a.m. for early bidders who want to inspect merchandise. At 8:30 a.m., the Bake Shop opens with a large variety of homebaked breads, rolls, pies, cookies and cakes.

Dale Wertz and his Great Lakes Auction crew go to work at 9 a.m., bringing out this year's inventory of goods, services and certificates. Bidders will find bargains in the areas of new, used and antique furniture, handmade quilts and comforters, crocheted doilies, wood crafts, appliances, sporting goods, lawn and garden tools and collectibles.

Outstanding auction items for this year include a 22-ft Starcraft Islander with 150 hp Mercury outboard motor and trailer, an L.J. Gascho 5-

Depression

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piece solid oak bedroom suite, a porcelain doll collection (Many from the Ashton-Drake Galleries), a 1987 Renault Alliance, 3 antique oak church pews, homemade quilts and comforters, a hand-crocheted 70-inch round tablecloth, a crocheted christening gown with matching bonnet and booties, hand-quilted wall hangings, Snapper Snow Thrower, used furniture, used appliances, new sporting goods, Precious Moments nativity, antique

and many more items. Lunch concessions will be available all day. Hair styling and face painting services will be offered on a free will donation basis. Children may use the playground nearest the Youth Center, and large clean restrooms are located within the building. All

dishes, lead crystal dishes,

facilities are ground-floor and handicapped accessible. If weather permits, the Bay Shore Barrels of Fun Train will circulate through the grounds, taking young children on a kiddie-size train

Bay Shore Camp is a nonprofit Christian camping ministry serving children, youth and families of the Thumb area and greater Michigan. The 40-acre campground is located at 450 North Miller Street, Sebewaing. Interested bidders should take M-25 to Sebewaing turning west (left) on Pine Street at Michigan Sugar Company. Continue westward one-half mile to meet North Miller Street and the camp entrance.

For more information and/ or an auction sale bill listing partial inventory, call the camp office at (517) 883-

# Circuit court proceedings

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

•Nicholas R. Johnson, 18, Saginaw, and Justin D. Weigandt, 17, Saginaw, pleaded guilty to breaking and entering a motor vehicle with intent to steal property valued at more than \$5 June 5 in Gilford Township.

Bond was continued at \$5,000 for each defendant and pre-sentence investigations were ordered. Sentencing for both teens is scheduled for Oct. 30.

 Troy R. Inches, 18, Tuscola, pleaded guilty to probation violation. He was remanded to the

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•Scott A. Heckroth, 30, Sebewaing, pleaded guilty to attempted uttering and publishing June 8 in Akron Township involving a \$120 check drawn on Community Bank, and to possession of cocaine (less than 25 grams) Aug. 18 in Wisner Township.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and the defendant was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department with work release. Sentencing is to be sched-

#### Piaskowski participates in exercise

Raymond D. Piaskowski, son of Mary E. Piaskowski, Cass City, recently participated in a multinational exercise while on a 6-month deployment to the Mediterranean Sea and Arabian Gulf aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Cape St. George.

Piaskowski participated in Sharem 125, a 7-day exercise held in the central Mediterranean Sea.

Piaskowski, a 1979 graduate of Cass City High School, joined the Navy in August

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# Letter to the editor

No decision on contract

# District should have pride in drivers, custodians, cooks

Dear Editor,

Thank you for printing my last letter in regards to the union contract rejection with Cass City Public Schools. Community support in regards to the letter has been tremendous. Other bus drivers have come to me with thoughts and ideas that they would like the public aware

Since the last letter, 2 weeks ago, there has been no decision as to what we will do. The choices are: to re-negotiate, to bring in a mediator or to take another vote.

It is easy for those who do not have to be in the negotiations to say we would like negotiations to start again. Negotiations are time consuming, pain taking tasks that our stewards go through for the union members. Many efforts are put in, on their own time, to prove points in arguments in order to get what their members have requested. This is a job that nobody wants, however, someone has to do it. Our union stewards are NOT compensated for their time in negotiating and should receive more appreciation, thanks stewards.

Over the years, many stewards have put in a great amount of time making phone calls to other school districts to request contracts and information to use in the bargaining process. This is to make a comparison between what Cass City employees receive in benefits and compensation compared to other school district employees in the Thumb. After all, when Mr. Micklash is given a bonus or stipend, news articles justify him receiving the money by comparing his salary to being one of the lowhave been shot down by administration and are not even looked at. However, a mediator would look at comparable districts wages and benefits in the means of solving the

conflict. In doing our own checking with other districts, we have found districts that pay their bus drivers to wash the buses in addition to their hourly or per run wage (Marlette). Some districts do not even require the drivers to wash the buses (Kingston). On the health insurance issue, Bad Axe district pays 75% of their bus drivers health insurance with an increase of 5% a year on a policy that runs approximately \$500.00 a month. A Bad Axe bus driver also told one of our drivers that those drivers who do not need the insurance are given a large dollar compensation. What a blessing for these drivers!

A job is a responsibility and for the most part we are paid a compensation for the

amount of responsibilities sionals do not have to clean that the job requires of us. Administration is paid a higher salary, in part for their educational degrees, but a major portion of their wages is related to the amount of responsibilities they must take care of in the positions that they hold. Take for instance a principal of a school, they are responsible for the running of the school. The disciplining of students and sometimes even staff. The safety of everyone in the

Has anyone ever given thought to the responsibility of a bus driver? They are driving a 13 ton, 35 foot long vehicle with up to 65 children that are not buckled in, their backs are turned, and they need to keep all of their attention on their driving. Let's not forget the weather factor of rain, fog, sleet, and/ or snow. Oh and we can't forget the irate drivers they have to watch for, who are late for work and can't stop for a child crossing the street.

building is their responsibil-

They are carrying THE most precious cargo in the world, your children, grandchildren, nieces, and/or nephews. The drivers had to study, train, and take a test to receive a CDL (Commercial Drivers) License. They have a skill that not just anyone off the street can do. They are holding one of the few jobs in the district where a mistake or an accident could cause serious injury, take a life or many lives.

A paraprofessional in the Cass City district makes \$9.66 an hour with much less responsibility, as they are one of 2 adults in a room with up to 30 children. Dear paraprofessionals, please don't think we are saying that you make est paid superintendents in too much for what you do, the county. Unfortunately, we have been there and done the stewards efforts to use that and you deserve every this tactic in negotiations penny, we are just trying to make a point. Bus drivers average ap-

proximately \$8.75 an hour during their runs. (\$8.96 if contract were to be ratified.) Extra trips are only paid at \$8.32 (\$8.54 again, if ratified). For a 2 run driver this adds up to a whopping \$175.00 a week with no benefits. Not many people can live on that amount of money and with the times needed as a bus driver it is hard to get a part-time job between runs. Bus drivers do not have any other help with supervision on the bus. While paraprofes-

up vomit in the classroom if a child gets ill, thanks to our custodians, bus drivers must take care of this job also. Why is it that when a bus driver tells someone "I drive a school bus", the reply is "They couldn't pay me enough to do that"?

This district has many drivers with 10 or more years of experience, some drivers with up to and over 30 years. Bus driving to them is not just a job, it is a career that they take pride in and are good at. Bus driving is not for everybody, it takes a very special person to be able to handle the bus and the children at the same time.

It is hard to imagine a person who has worked 15-30 years at the same job and is not being appreciated enough to receive paid health insurance or at least half of it paid. There is one driver that has driven for this district about 15 years, she may have to quit and find another job due to the fact she has no insurance and cannot afford \$440.00 a month to purchase the insurance. Good bus drivers are not that easy to come by. Just since last fall, there has been at least 4 drivers that were initially trained by our district who quit for another job. One of them left to a job that pays health insurance. (On this note, our district cooks only receive the same credit as bus drivers toward health insurance, but the custodians do receive fully paid health insurance benefits.)

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Sincerely,

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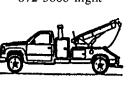
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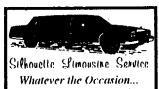
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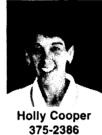




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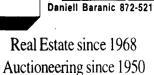


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# **Obituaries**

#### Martha Blehm

Martha Elinor Blehm, 68, of Gagetown, died Thursday, Sept. 10, 1998, at Tendercare Nursing Facility, Cass City. Born May 18, 1930, in Deford, she was the daughter of Eldon and Lillie (Ferguson) Bruce. She married Harold Blehm Jan. 19, 1974, in Cass City. She worked as a dietician in

Marlette Hospital for many years, and was a member of Novesta Church of Christ and the Cass City VFW Auxiliary Post #3644.

Surviving are her husband, Harold; 7 children, Philip (Marti) Goodall, Phyllis Goodall and Joanna (Roger) Barnes, all of Kalamazoo, Kathy (Dave) Suzor of

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Waterford, Robert (Julie) Goodall of Puerto Rico, Rebecca Jane (Jim) Provost of Alpena and Timothy (Jean) Goodall of Boston, Mass.; 18 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; 3 stepchildren, Carla Alexander of Sacramento, Calif., David (Deb) Blehm of Filion and Tim Blehm of Bad Axe; 6 stepgrandchildren; 5 stepgreat-grandchildren; 3 sisters, Betty (Jerry) Stilson of Cass City, Marybelle (Duane) Thompson of Marlette and Janet (Howard) Lynn of Walled Lake, and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a grandson, her parents and 2 stepsons.

VFW Auxiliary services were held Saturday evening.

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Funeral services were held Sunday at Novesta Church of Christ with Chuck Emmert, minister, and George Getchel of Columbiaville officiating. Interment was in Novesta Township Cemetery. Memorials may be made to

Novesta Church of Christ or Woodburn Christian Children's Home.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

#### Clarence Horak

Clarence Fred Horak, 81, died Aug. 5, 1998, after a long battle with Black Lung Disease

He was born in Armada and lived and worked most of his life on "his old farm" near Deford. He moved to Florida 18 years ago when he retired from Marlette Homes.

Horak was a WW II veteran and was a survivor of the USS Wasp, a carrier that was sunk during battle. He was a member of the Edward W. Penno VFW Post No. 4864 of Citrus Springs, Fla.

Horak was married to Anna Marie Horak for 26 years. She preceded him in death in 1971. He was also preceded in death by a son, Gary; a grandson, Anthony; a sister, Bernice; brother, Harvey; and brother, Gilbert.

In September of 1974. Clarence married Cathy Horak. They would have been married 24 years this month. She survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Dale (Gary) Kluzak; 2 sons, Roger (Kate) Horak, and Robert Horak; step-

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daughters, Linda (Don) Kryza, Sherry (Tom) Pratt, Mary Ann (Mike) Roberts, and Karen (Tom) Herr; stepsons, Roy (Sue) Hinkleman, Paul (Kay) Hinkleman, and Walter Hinkleman; 16 grandchildren and 5 great-grand-

A memorial, military service was held Sept. 12 at the Novesta Cemetery. Arrangements were made

children

by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

#### Charles Stover

Charles Fay Stover, 65, of Cass City, died Friday, Sept. 11, 1998, in Covenant Health Care System - Harrison St. (Saginaw General Hospital).

Born June 27, 1933, in Arcadia, he was the son of Ernest and Elizabeth (Goodell) Stover. He married Amy L. Churchill July 30, 1955, in Cass City.

Stover was a United States Army veteran who served in Germany. He worked for Pontiac Motors, Agrico and Evans Products.

Surviving are his wife, Amy; 4 children, LouAnn (Loren) Iseler of Peck, Deanne (Jim) Bruce of Deford, Chuck Stover of Deford and Mark (Brenda) Stover of Cass City; 8 grandchildren; 3 sisters, Bonnie (Billy) Ford of Lum, Dawn (Robin) Weimer of Fairhaven and Mary Joe (Rob) Shafor of Lake Orion; many nieces and nephews, and a special friend, Pastor David Edwards. He was preceded in death by a son, Dean Stover, and sisters, Ethel Ann

Lee and Gail Whitmore.

Funeral services were held Monday at Cass City Missionary Church with Pastor David Edwards officiating.

Interment was in Elkland Township Cemetery, with military rites under the direction of Cass City VFW Post #3644.

Memorials may be made to Regional Dialysis Services -Cass City Unit.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

## District court proceedings

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

•Cory M. Sockow, 20, Akron, was arraigned on a charge of third degree criminal sexual conduct alleged involving a victim at least 13 years of age but under 16 years July 5 in Akron Town-

Bond in the case was set at \$3,000 and a preliminary examination was scheduled for Oct. 2 at 9 a.m.

•Edward V. LaPine, 30, Flint, was charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, and driving with a suspended or revoked license Sept. 5 in Millington Township.

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

 Thomas J. Bronson, 18, Mayville, faces charges of possession of a dangerous weapon, driving with a suspended or revoked license, and possession/consumption of alcohol by a minor Aug. 28 in Indianfields Township. Bond was set at \$100 and a preliminary exam was scheduled for Oct. 2 at 9 a.m.

Rueben J. Ramirez, 20, Cass City, was charged with possession with intent to deliver marijuana and conspiracy to deliver/manufacture marijuana Aug. 12 in Cass City.

Bond was set at \$4,000 for the defendant, who faces a preliminary exam Friday at

#### **Pesky** head lice are back

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"We don't know what else to say but a lot of cleaning at home and parents checking their kids," Tonti said.

There is no shame in contracting lice, she concluded. 'Anybody can get them. The point is to get rid of them."

#### **Board** tables funding

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accommodate late arriving students.

\*Approved the nomination of Karen Kretzschmer as senior "student of the month" for September.

\*Congratulated focus "students of the month" at each grade level. The students, honored for best exemplifying this month's adult role focus of being "goal setters", are Eric Montreuil, Carin Seibel, Stephen Roemer, Kenneth Brown, Mindy Errer, Pedro Saenz, Katie Swiastyn, Laura Enderle, Bridget Stirrett, Dale Minkler, Melissa Ziehm, Kristen Mandich and Nicole

Using real-time distance learning equipment provided by Tech Corps of Michigan, Levin chatted with the students and gave them an opportunity to ask him questions. Using the same equipment, Levin spoke with local teachers and administrators at the schools about distance learning technologies and his efforts to improve technology training for teachers.

lighted the public/private collaborative effort underway to integrate technology into the nation's classrooms and enhance educational opportunity for children.

Tech Corps, which has been involved in this effort, is a non-profit organization which is dedicated to helping educators effectively use technology in their schools. Tech Corps recently expanded to Michigan and plans to have 9 Tech Corps sites in the state during the 1998-99 school year.

#### Students, Levin 'link up' room technology and high-Sen. Carl Levin, D-Mich., on the opposite side of the spoke with students in Cass state.

REMC 10 Director Tim von Hoff talks to Deckerville students prior to

last Wednesday's distance learning program demonstration at the REMC

building in Cass City. The Deckerville students, who are taking a calcu-

lus class broadcast via cyberspace from Godwin Heights High School,

spoke with Sen. Carl Levin, D-Mich, who linked up with the students

City and Wyoming, Mich., via cyberspace last Wednesday in a demonstration of a distance learning program in which students in one city participate in a class with students and a teacher hundreds of miles away. The 2 participating schools, Deckerville High School and Godwin Heights High

School, engage in a distance

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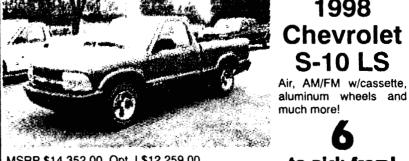


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