

Filion gets year in jail, probation

Melissa Filion, the third of the so-called "school bangers" convicted for their roles in a series of burglaries in the town of Humboldt in 1997, was ordered to serve 4 years probation and one year in jail last week in Huron County Circuit Court.

The sentencing of Filion, 21, a Bad Axe resident, follows a failed attempt to take her case to the Michigan Court of Appeals after entering a conditional no contest plea earlier this year to a charge of conducting a criminal enterprise. She was subsequently ordered to serve 18 months to 20 years in prison, however, under the conditions of her plea, Huron County Circuit Judge M. Richard Knoblock and the county prosecutor's office agreed to put the sentence on hold during the appeal process.

Filion had hoped to argue that the statute covering the offense of conducting a criminal enterprise did not apply to her involvement in the burglaries. She maintains she only assisted her co-defendants after the crimes occurred, however, prosecutors say her actions — helping the other defendants sort and divide up stolen cash after each break-in — ensured that the crimes would continue, thus making her a key player in the criminal enterprise.

But the appeals court refused to hear Filion's appeal, sending her back to Huron County Circuit Court last week.

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AM I DONE YET? - Derek Blake, 10, son of Tom and Theresa Blake of Sandusky, proved neatness doesn't count when it comes to winning a pie eating contest. The messy competition was among several activities enjoyed by all ages during Snover Days 1999, held Friday and Saturday. (See related photos, page 5)

Demolition derby returns

Rodeo highlights 118th fair

Professional rodeo action will again highlight a full week of family fun during the Tuscola County Fair, which will get underway Sunday at the fairgrounds in Caro.

As always, the fair, celebrating its 118th year, promises something for everyone, from 4-H livestock shows and pickup and tractor pulls to carnival rides and plenty of music and tasty treats.

The price of a ticket remains the same this year at \$7 per person, which covers admission, parking, grandstand events and rides. Children under the age of one year get in free, and no admission will be charged on opening Sunday.

This is the fifth year that the International Professional Rodeo Association will be featured at the fair. The action is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. Friday, July 23, and Saturday, July 24.

Also returning this year is daily harness racing, starting at 1 p.m. Monday through Thursday, with Friday scheduled as a rain date.

Free entertainment will be offered throughout the week, featuring the Comedy Safari Show in the tent in front of the merchant's building.

The fair kicks off Sunday with a 4-H dog show at 10 a.m. The 4-H parade is slated to begin at 6:15 p.m. (starting at the sugar beet plant through the fairgrounds to the grandstand), followed by the annual 4-H talent show and crowning of the 4-H king and queen at 6:30 p.m.

A full evening of gospel music will get underway at 7:30 p.m. Featured will be the Praise Quartet, Two for One, and Family Traditions. Monday's activities include

4-H horse and rabbit shows, both at 9 a.m. Also on tap are performances by country and western singer Mandy Lynn with her band, Britt Small, starting at 8 p.m.

Tuesday is "Kids Day" and all children ages 14 years and under will receive a \$1 discount until 4 p.m. Four-H swine, goat, horse and poultry shows are all slated to get underway at 9 a.m., followed by a 4-H and open dairy show at 10 a.m., and a 4-H and open sheep show at 5 p.m. Also on tap is the ever-popular demolition derby, which will start at 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday's activities start out with open horse and goat shows, and a 4-H and open beef show, all slated to begin at 9 a.m. The small livestock sweepstakes will get underway at the rabbit judging tent at 6 p.m., and the 4-H large livestock sweepstakes will follow at 7 p.m. Fans of pickup and tractor pulls will want to be on hand at 7:30 p.m., when that competition will offer drivers the chance to battle for bragging rights.

Senior citizens will get an admission price break Thursday, "Senior Citizen's Day", which features free admission until 6 p.m.

The day will feature the annual 4-H and FFA small animal sale at 9:30 a.m., with the 4-H and FFA livestock sale scheduled to start at 1 p.m. (buyers check-in begins at noon). Rounding out the day will be pony pull competition at 6 p.m.

Friday will kick off with a 4-H and FFA large livestock judging contest at 9 a.m. Pedal pull competition is slated to start at 4 p.m., followed by the first night of

rodeo action at 7 p.m.

"The first 2 years we only had (the rodeo) one night. Since then, we've gone to 2 nights and it has filled the stand both nights every year," Fair President Junior Vandemark said of the popular attraction.

Saturday's slate of activities

includes a light horse pull at 10 a.m. and heavy horse pulling at 1:30 p.m. Rodeo action continues Saturday at 7 p.m.

The fair concludes Sunday with motorcycle time trials at 11 a.m., with the races scheduled to get underway at 1 p.m.

MEAP scoring snafu delays local results

By Jolene Schultz
Staff Writer

Incorrect scores on many state-assessment exams have some Cass City School officials questioning the validity of all test results.

According to Joan Helwig, guidance counselor and Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) test coordinator for Cass City Middle School, the incorrect scores on the MEAP tests are a result of scoring mistakes by the National Computer Systems (NCS) in Iowa. NCS is under a 3-year contract with the State of Michigan to score MEAP tests.

According to Helwig, the Statewide MEAP score mess-up of NCS is big, and may even end up costing NCS a couple million dollars to fix. And, it has caused Cass City Schools a number of headaches.

ceive incorrect results as far as fifth-grade science scores. He said that NCS spent 3 weeks correcting the error

But incorrect fifth-grade science scores weren't the only problem Cass City Schools faced. Many fifth

score, showed other mistakes in the scoring of the tests as well.

Helwig noted that the eighth grade writing test results were lumped under the wrong teacher code. The teacher's code that should have been listed on the results couldn't be found.

"It's just a mess," Helwig said. "It's a real mess. But, I was a little more at ease when I read that other schools had small problems with score mix-ups. We weren't the only one."

As soon as Helwig noticed the problems with the scoring, she faxed a letter outlining

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and the correct results were sent to schools approximately 2 weeks ago.

"The numbers on the Internet are now official," he said.

However, Helwig said she is still waiting for Cass City School results.

and eighth grade science student names, which Helwig said could number as many as 60, were placed under the wrong grade and the wrong teacher on the summary sheets. The summary sheets, which list items such as student's name, grade and

For Cass City Schools

Board okays web guidelines

By Jolene Schultz
Staff Writer

The Cass City Board of Education approved a resolution for a list of guidelines detailing permission to publish on the Cass City Public Schools' web page, at Monday night's monthly meeting.

Documents such as stories, poems, graphics, science projects and group photographs, among others, can be published on the district's web site (www.casscity.k12.mi.us), which provides information to the world about school curriculum, instruction, school-authorized activities and other general information relating to Cass City Schools.

The guidelines, outlined by Amy Schuette, technology support specialist, called for published documents to exclude a child's phone number, street address or box number, names of other family members, or other personally identifiable information. They may include first name and grade level.

It was outlined that photos will identify students by

grade level only and that all work will appear with a copyright notice. Web page documents may not include any information that indicates the physical location of a student at any given time, other than attendance at a particular school or partici-

pation in activities.

The resolution passed only after a lengthy discussion in which certain aspects of the guidelines were questioned. Addressed were concerns of what would occur if group

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Zimmerman gets 30-50 year term

A Gagetown man was sentenced Friday in Tuscola County Circuit Court to 30 to 50 years in prison for his role in a break-in of a Gagetown business last December.

Allen N. Zimmerman Jr., 35, received concurrent prison terms of 30 to 50 years for safe breaking and breaking and entering a building with intent to commit larceny, and 10 to 15 years, also concurrent, for larceny in a building. The charges stem from a burglary Dec. 4 at the Gagetown Inn, 4773 State St.

A jury found Zimmerman guilty on the charges after a 3-day trial last month.

His co-defendant, James E. Smith, recently entered a plea of guilty to one count of breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny, a felony punishable by up to 10 years in prison.

Under a plea agreement, charges of safe breaking, larceny in a building and conspiracy will be dismissed, and Smith will be ordered to make full restitution.

He faces sentencing Aug. 27 at 8:30 a.m.

No Phoo-lin

Wood hoping for another great year at the fair

By Jolene Schultz
Staff Writer

Katie Wood wasn't afraid of Phoo's wet nose when she gave him a quick kiss.

Phoo seemed more interested in crunching on leaves from a nearby bush. He thought no one was looking, but he was wrong.

Everyone is looking at Phoo.

In less than a week, Phoo will be Katie's star at the 118th annual Tuscola County Fair in Caro, July 18-25. Phoo, born March 8, 1999, is a dairy feeder and Katie, 12, is his owner.

"It takes a lot of dedication and hard work to raise him," Katie said. She must feed him twice a day, bring him up to 7 small buckets of water a day, take him for walks and train him. Katie is also raising 3 other animals for the fair, including a steer for next year.

"The kind is the meanest of bulls, so I have to start it out a month after birth," she said, referring to next year's star.

This isn't Katie's first fair experience. This C & K

Livestock 4-H Club member has participated in the fair for the past 3 years. During the 1998 Tuscola County Fair, Katie received 3 trophies, awarded to her for reserve grand champion over all feeder, grand champion homegrown feeder, and first place dairy feeder calf. The feeder, weighing in at 450 pounds, sold to Ruggles' Farms at \$1.25 per pound.

Katie, daughter of Jane and Keith Wood, is very confident in Phoo. She's been walking him since he was 2 weeks old and continues to train him with a show stick. He seems comfortable beside Katie and doesn't mind being led by a halter.

He almost seems like a pet. But he's not.

"It's a business," Jane Wood said. "If you get into it, you have to learn to let go of the animals."

Katie kissed Phoo's nose. She knows. She's done it many times before.

"We go to the buyers," Katie explained, "and ask

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PHOO will be Katie Wood's star this year at the Tuscola County Fair. Born March 8, 1999, this dairy feeder is sure to catch the eyes of many.

Cox marks birthday

Clarence Cox, of Deford, celebrated his 90th birthday at the Capri restaurant June 27 in Caro. Relatives from Lapeer, Clarkston, Carsonville, Waterford, Caro, Deford, Imlay City, Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Burlington, Ontario, were there to help celebrate the surprise party.

Cox was born in Urbana Ill., June 25, 1909. He served with the Navy in the Pacific during WWII. He enjoys gardening, visiting friends and relatives, church activities, and being around horses. He

resides in Deford with his wife Phyllis.



Clarence Cox

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Lost in translation

by Melva E. Guinther

Sometimes in attempting to capture a foreign market, a company will unwittingly make a slight faux pas in creating its ads. We can't vouch for their accuracy, but here are a few examples that were sent our way:

*Coors' slogan, "Turn it loose", translated into Spanish became "Suffer from diarrhea."

*Clairol introduced the "Mist Stick" curling iron to Germany, only to find out that "mist" is slang for manure.

*When Gerber began selling baby food in Africa, they used the same packaging as in the U.S., with the beautiful Caucasian baby on the label. Later they discovered that in Africa, companies routinely put pictures on the label of what's inside, since most of the people can't read.

*A Miami T-shirt maker printed shirts for the Spanish market related to the pope's visit. Unfortunately instead of "I saw el papa" (the pope), the shirts read "I saw the potato (la papa)."

*Pepsi's "Come alive with the Pepsi generation" became "Pepsi brings your ancestors back from the grave" in Chinese.

*When Parker Pen marketed a ball-point pen in Mexico, its ads were supposed to read "It won't leak in your pocket and embarrass you." Instead, the ad came out "It won't leak in your pocket and make you pregnant."

*Frank Perdue's chicken slogan, "It takes a strong man to make a tender chicken", was translated into Spanish as "It takes an aroused man to make a chicken affectionate."

*Coca-Cola's name in China was first read as "Ke-kou-ke-la", meaning "bite the wax tadpole" or "female horse stuffed with wax", depending on the dialect. It's said that Coke then researched 40,000 characters to find a phonetic equivalent, "ko-kou-ko-le", translated "happiness in the mouth."

Some of us like to be given complete, specific directions for how to do something or how to use a new product. Assume we're complete idiots and instruct us accordingly.

Having said that, I suppose we really shouldn't be critical when a company prints seemingly mindless, unnecessary instructions on its products.

From several sources, we've collected the following instructions that "actually were found on consumer goods."

> On a Sears hair dryer: Do not use while sleeping.

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Childbirth classes scheduled

Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, will be offering a 6-week series of childbirth classes. The classes will be held Thursdays from 7 to 9 p.m. beginning July 22. These classes are for any expectant mother who is due before October 1999 and wants to learn more about nutrition, exercise, the labor process, relaxation techniques, pain management and more.

The class is taught by Deborah Oglenski, R.N. There is a charge for the class.

For more information or to register call Huron Memorial Hospital Community Relations Department at (517) 269-9521.

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 - Swiss steak, dilled potatoes, buttered corn, Italian bread, blueberry cheesecake.

Wednesday - Lemon herb chicken, parsley potatoes, peas & carrots, variety bread, carrot cake.

Friday - Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, French bread, fresh melon.

Join "Jungle Journey"

All children are invited to join the "Jungle Journey" during Vacation Bible School at Good Shepherd Lutheran church, July 19-23, 9-11:45 a.m. The Jungle Journey program uses a South American theme and 5 Amazon creatures as object lessons. Quackers, the wacky parrot

puppet from last year's VBS, will be back to entertain and teach the children. In the Bible stories students will learn how God kept all His promises in Jesus.

Activities will include Bible stories, singing, crafts, a discovery center, and snacks. A picnic is slated for Friday with hot dogs, chips and

drinks. The mission offering for the week will be used to help purchase a 4-wheel drive vehicle to be used in the mission field.

A special program is set for 7 p.m., Sunday, July 18, to kick-off the week. Children and their parents are invited to attend and begin the Jungle Journey together.



David John Killinger and Lori Jo Woodruff, both of Caro.

Bruce Kingsley Pierce and Tricia Lee Malmberg, both of Vassar.

Mark William Rockwell and Tara Lynn McKellar, both of Cass City.

Robert Arnold Walker, North Branch, and Shirley Lee Kish, Caro.

Justin Mark Perry and Lisa Ann Kime, both of Vassar.

Scott Alan Gould, Caro, and Setal Dinesh Shah, Farmington Hills.

Dustin Michael Glenn and Jessica Jean Colman, both of Millington.

Brendan James Rylance and Cynthia Ann Todd, both of Millington.

Donald Alan Hubbard and Andrea Lynn Walker, both of Millington.

Jamie Allen Belka and Dawn April Anker, both of Cass City.

Mark Lawrence Fielder and Stephanie Marie Dasho, both of Caro.

Matthew Steven Moshier, Marlette, and Kathy Jo Kay Bilicki, Caro.

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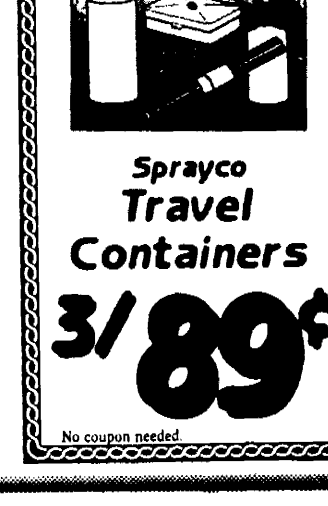
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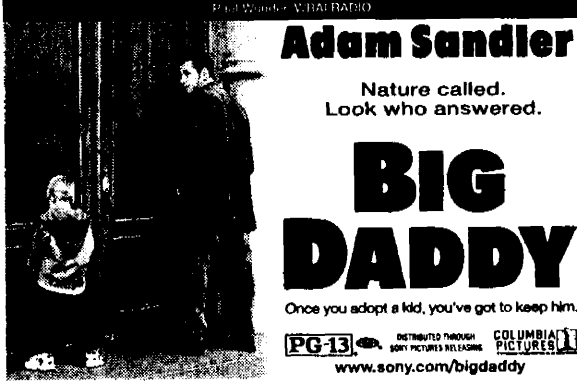
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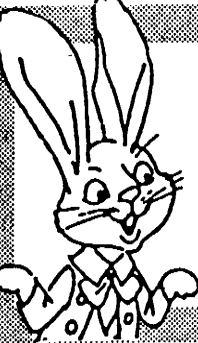
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Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help.)

If corned beef hash is good, it can be very good. If it's bad, here is nothing worse. The best that I've tasted is served at Ippins Restaurant in Boyne City. It's called the Red Skillet. The potatoes and the corned beef are never greasy and the mix of these ingredients, just right. On top of the hash is a layer of melted cheese, topped by 2 eggs. Served piping hot in the skillet, it's a taste delight. The portions are generous. A full order is \$4.95. It's available in half orders, which is sufficient for all but those with a very hearty appetite.

Finally, something useful on the Internet. After a successful salmon-fishing trip last fall went without any photo documentation, a group of Cass City anglers were pleasantly surprised when they surfed to the home page of Ippins Silver Charter, whose services were contracted for an afternoon on Lake Huron out of Harbor Beach. Pictured throughout the web site is Paint Store owner Steve Wright holding proof positive and a nice catch. Judge for yourself at www.michartermboats.com/flippinsilver/.

Jeff Prieskorn, a standout golfer for Cass City High School during the late 1970s, took time out from his visit home Thursday to school a group of locals at Verona Hills Golf Course. Prieskorn, who is working on developing a course in Texas, explained after completing his round that the Bermuda grass reens in his home state are much slower than the greens in Michigan, due in part to a wider blade. Prieskorn also taught our group something out on the course, scoring an impressive 18-hole score of 72.

Deford driver hurt in crash

A Deford motorist suffered minor injuries in a 2-vehicle accident Thursday in Cass City. Cass City police reported

Karin L. Autry, 23, Reese, was driving southbound on Brooker Street at about 10:18 p.m. when she failed to yield at the Main Street intersection and struck an eastbound vehicle driven by Jamie L. Bulla, 18, Deford. The impact caused the Bulla vehicle to hit the south Main Street curb and roll over onto its top.

Bulla, who was wearing a seat belt, sought her own treatment, according to reports. Autry was also wearing a seat belt. Police cited her for failure to yield.



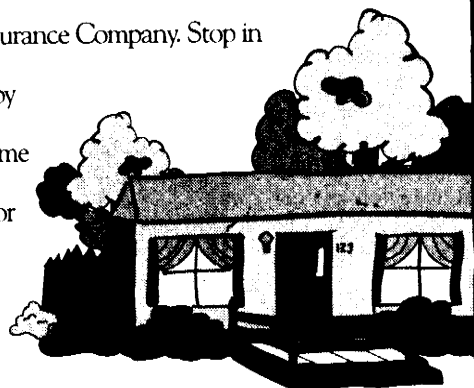
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Accident claims Caro teen

An accidental shooting claimed the life of a Caro teen last week. Troopers from the Michigan State Police post in Caro identified the victim as Justin Edwin McCool, 19. The accident occurred last

Wednesday at about 8 p.m. inside the victim's parents' home on Boy Scout Road in Indianfields Township, according to reports. Troopers said McCool was showing 2 other people a pair of shotguns he had retrieved from

his parents' room, and while working the action of one of the firearms accidentally shot himself. The victim sustained massive injuries and was pronounced dead at the scene, troopers said.

In Thumb counties

Grants target enforcement

State Rep. Mike Green and Sen. Joel Gougeon recently announced 1999 Byrne Memorial formula grant awards

for Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola counties. Thumb area communities will receive more than \$150,000 to help combat drugs and increase law enforcement.

"These funds will help crack down on violent drug offenders," said Green, R-Mayville. "Increased cooperation among the Thumb area law enforcement agencies will cut crime and make our neighborhoods safer."

The grants are sponsored by the Michigan Department of Community Health. Highlights include:


\$86,427 for multi-jurisdictional task forces. The task force targets drug trafficking,

gang activities and violent criminals in Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola counties.

\$65,100 for the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department to upgrade its computer databases. The improvements allow road patrols, central dispatch and the jail to go online and share critical information with other law enforcement groups.

"It is absolutely essential that our criminal justice agencies have modern equipment," said Gougeon, R-Bay City. "This grant keeps the Tuscola Sheriff's Department updated and improves the safety and security of all Thumb area residents."

The Haire Net



A couple of items in the passing parade that sparked questions. Decisions reached that challenge fairness or personal responsibility.

The first involved Terry Nichols, now serving a life sentence after conviction for participating in the Oklahoma bombing. He is back in court alleging that the government withheld 43,000 FBI documents that could have helped his case. The prosecutors countered by saying that 1,200 pertinent FBI files were turned over to the defense and those that were withheld would not have altered the decision.

The prosecutor says that there is no legal or factual basis for turning the documents over to Nichols' lawyers.

If that is true, the question that looms instantly for me is if that is so, why not turn them over? If there is sensitive material involved certainly, I'd think that the decision to withhold it should have been decided before the original trial by an impartial judge, not by the prosecutor who has an obvious bias.

The second was the decision reached by a jury in Florida finding the tobacco industry guilty of producing a product that causes diseases in the heart, lungs and throat. They also had to decide whether cigarettes were addictive and whether the tobacco industry had concealed the health risk involved in smoking cigarettes.

Certainly the health risk has been established. Certainly, the industry had to be goaded into releasing information on the dangers of smoking. Most folks would agree with that. That smoking is addictive goes without saying.

But somewhere in this decision about accountability, personal responsibility should be a factor. No one made them smoke and for over 3 decades the dangers associated with smoking has been well known. An expose in the Readers Digest in

1963 was the impetus for me to kick the habit.

It's sad that despite the constant barrage about the dangers in smoking, surveys show that smoking among young persons is increasing.

As the years roll by and the smokers pay the price for their nicotine habit, should the industry be liable for more billions of dollars?

That doesn't really make sense, but then neither does the subsidizing of tobacco growers at taxpayer expense.

Like most things in life, we pay the price for our actions, good or bad.



The back forty

by Roger Pond

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Here we go again. I'll never understand why all these folks are running for President.

Orin Hatch, John Kasich, Lamar Alexander; give me a break. Those guys have about as much chance as Pat Paulsen. (Is he still running?)

People like Hatch, Kasich, and Alexander must know they don't have a chance. Why would they run?

I have some doubts about that Forbes guy, too; even though his flat tax proposal has a lot of appeal around the country. Past experience tells me people in Forbes bracket will do fine with any tax system, but the rest of us will likely take a bath.

I remember a speech one congressman gave to a group of farmers several years ago. This congressman favored a flat tax.

"Just figure out how much you made, perhaps with a few simple deductions, write it all down on a postcard and at the end of the day send it in," he said.

The farmers were thinking, "We've got expenses that would choke a congressman, and this guy says, 'Perhaps with a few simple deductions.' Perhaps we should hold his head under water a few minutes to clear his mind."

The guy I most enjoy listening to is Pat Buchanan. I don't think he has a ghost of a chance, either, but he's fun to listen to.

I remember when Pat ran against Ross Perot and the other George Bush back in '92. That was a fun campaign.

Those were the days when presidential candidates had to prove how strong they were. Readers will remember Bush went jogging. Paul Psongas swam the length of a swimming pool, and Ross Perot said, "Sure I'll exercise with you fellas. Somebody saddle-up my horse."

Poor old Pat Buchanan got caught up in the whole thing

and agreed to run a mile or so for the television cameras. They showed him on the evening news, red in the face and wheezing like he just ran the Boston Marathon. I thought the poor guy was going to kill himself.

That was a lesson for politicians everywhere. Forget about the physical strength.

We don't expect to see Liddy Dole out there jogging up and down the street. She doesn't have the shoes for it.

Most of these candidates are headed for Iowa to campaign for the straw polls this summer. I hope somebody in Iowa can get some work out of them. (Maybe they can plow a few rounds with their mules like Al Gore used to do.)

I know these campaigns are part of the democratic process, but they're such a waste of time and money. Why can't we just appoint someone who missed the meeting, like the Grange used to do?

The Weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Tuesday	86	58	0
Wednesday	85	56	0
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Walbro Corp. purchase finalized by TI Group

Although most jobs within Walbro Corporation are secure after its buyout by TI Group Inc., there may be some rationalization of administrative positions, said TI Group spokesperson Larry Weis Tuesday.

However, he noted that the loss of administrative jobs will be insignificant.

"It's a merger that benefits in terms of jobs. It far outnumbers the losses," Weis said.

The final purchase announcement of Walbro Corporation by TI Group Inc. came July 8. TI Group, a global specialized engineering company, acquired Walbro for a total acquisition of \$570 million, of which \$388 million was assumed from Walbro's debt.

TI Group will combine its existing fuel businesses with Walbro to create a world leading position in the supply of complete automotive fuel storage and delivery systems, according to a June 17 TI Group press release.

TI Group is offering \$20 for each of the 8.7 million shares in issue.

Walbro will be brought together with Bundy Corporation, TI Group's world leader in fluid-carrying systems. Together, the new TI Automotive Systems group will have important positions in 3 key fluid handling markets for brake, fuel and powertrain systems.

"The beauty of the merger acquisition is that all things Bundy does fit with the things Walbro does," Weis said. "They will, as an organization, start to work very closely together."

"Both companies will be run as an umbrella management market," said Jim Katsoff, executive vice-president of TI Group Inc. "It's a unique market. No one else has that complete product line."

Although Weis said there will be some changes to Walbro as a result of the acquisition, the Walbro name will not change.

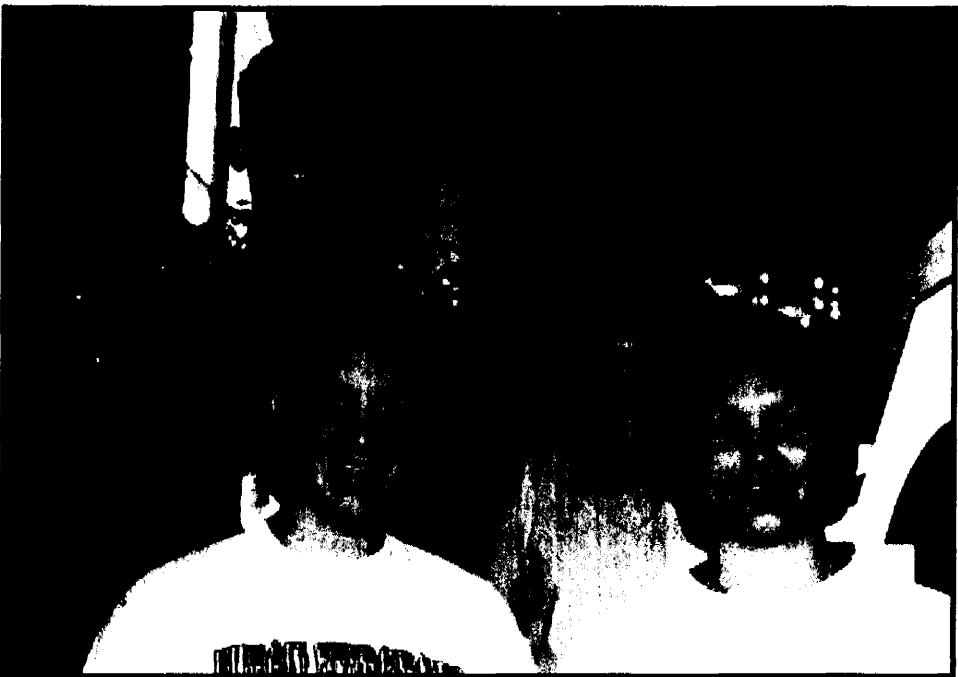
"It's a very strong brand name in the automobile industry," Weis explained. "It's an attraction to TI Group."

According to Weis, the changes that will be made will be insignificant.

"In terms of impact, it's not significant," he explained. "You see evolutionary changes happen with any company."

Weis continued, "It's opening up a whole exciting new opportunity and changes made will be positive. The combo is truly tremendous."

The combined revenues for this new group in 1998 would have been \$2 billion. Shares of Walbro stock will no longer trade on NASDAQ.



Benjamin Gaeth of Unionville (back row, left), Alison Mohr of Mayville, Kristin Young of Fairgrove (front row, left) and Sarah Rodriguez of Caro represented Tuscola County at the annual Michigan Farm Bureau Young People's Citizenship Seminar, held June 21-25 at Alma College. Tuscola County Farm Bureau awarded scholarships to each of the youth to attend the event, which encourages participation in the political process.

At O-G schools

MEAP results are in

By Jolene Schultz
Staff Writer

Owendale-Gagetown School children made significant gains in fifth and eighth grade science, and seventh grade math and reading, showed moderate improvement in fourth grade math, and continued to struggle in fifth and eighth grade writing, according to recently released Michigan Education Assessment Program (MEAP) test results.

According to Rhonda Powers, curriculum coordinator of Owendale-Gagetown area schools, proficient scores include those which rank in the proficient and novice score bracket. Powers said students scoring in the not yet novice bracket are not considered proficient.

The biggest gains came in fifth-grade science, where students were 95.6 percent proficient, compared to the 1998 proficiency score of only 16 percent. The 79.6-

point jump, according to Powers, is because of staff awareness, changes in teaching methods and curriculum alignment.

"Part of it is the changes in the way the teachers present material," Powers said. "You also have to look at the fact that the numbers go up and down rapidly, possibly because a couple students one year aren't doing well."

Powers said there is an average of 25 students per class, and with such small numbers, a few students can make or break the scores.

The second biggest jump in scores came in seventh-grade math, followed by eighth-grade science and seventh-grade reading.

Seventh-grade math scores rose as much as they possibly could. Now at 100 percent proficiency, the scores jumped by 68 points from the low 1998 score of 32 percent. Eighth-grade science scores rose from 20 percent in 1998 to 85.7 percent. Seventh-grade reading scores also increased, jumping 40.9 points from last year to 88.9 percent. Fourth-grade math scores made a moderate gain, jumping 21 points from the year before to a percentage of 94.1.

Fourth-grade reading is now at 88.3 percent, increasing by 19.2 points from the previous year.

The smallest gains came in writing, where both fifth and

eighth graders are still struggling to keep up with state scores.

Fifth-grade writing jumped only 4.9 points from last year, and sits at 60.9 percent. Eighth-graders did even worse. Currently at only 57.1 percent proficiency, even after picking up 2.9 points from last year, they are still below the state average by 6.4 points.

All other scores surpass the state average by 3 or more points.

"We're going to look at what we can do," Powers said. "We offered a workshop for the staff last year. It gave the staff ideas on teaching writing."

Powers added, "We're going to toss around a few ideas and look at the MEAP scores and the new direction to go, as well as what changes need to be made to make students most successful."

According to Powers, the MEAP scores for the Owendale-Gagetown area schools have increased steadily over the past 4 years.

"The administration is real pleased with the results," she said. Powers added, "The State puts a lot of emphasis on it, but our students are more than MEAP scores."

According to Powers, the social studies section of the MEAP test is new this year and scores have not yet been released. She is expecting them sometime in August or September.

Trio charged in damage at plant

A trio of area residents charged in connection with a damage spree at the Cass City Wastewater Treatment plant have pleaded innocent in Tuscola County Circuit Court.

Raymond M. Matson, 19, Cass City, Patrick J. Payne, 22, Deford, and Kenneth R. Dubay Jr., 22, Cass City, were all arraigned last week on charges of malicious destruction of a building totaling more than \$1,000 but less than \$20,000; malicious destruction of personal property totaling more than \$1,000 but less than \$20,000; and unlawful use of a motor vehicle.

The charges stem from vandalism at the village wastewater treatment plant March 9. Cass City police say the suspects are believed responsible for some \$10,000 in damage, including destruction of a 1989 village-owned pickup truck.

Pre-trial hearings will be scheduled for each of the defendants. Bond was continued at \$5,000 for Matson, \$3,000 for Payne and \$10,000 for Dubay.

Matson and Dubay also pleaded innocent last week to charges stemming from a break-in at Agri-Sales Inc., 4073 Cemetery Rd., Cass City, April 16.

Both men face charges of breaking and entering a building with intent to commit larceny, larceny in a building and malicious destruction of property valued at less than \$200.

Pre-trial hearings are to be scheduled. Bond was continued at \$5,000 for Matson and \$10,000 for Dubay.

In other circuit court proceedings:

•Marco W. Logan, 17, Mt. Pleasant, pleaded innocent to charges of kidnapping, conspiracy to commit kidnap-

ping, escape from a juvenile facility, conspiracy to escape and car jacking May 30 in Koylton Township.

The charges stem from an incident in which Logan an another suspect allegedly kidnapped a Teen Ranc employee, then took the victim and his vehicle to Mt. Pleasant, where the victim was released unharmed.

A pre-trial hearing is to be scheduled for Logan, who was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department. Bond in the case was continued at \$100,000.

•George R. Vsetula, 2, Fostoria, pleaded innocent to charges of first degree criminal sexual conduct, first degree home invasion, assault bodily harm less than murder and second degree criminal sexual conduct May 1 in Watertown Township.

A pre-trial hearing was ordered scheduled and bond was continued at \$50,000. Vsetula was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department.

•Michael D. Dost Jr., 19, Mayville, pleaded no contest to third degree criminal sexual conduct and attempted second degree criminal sexual conduct May 1 in Dayton Township.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and Dost was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

•James T. Proulx, 32, Swartz Creek, was sentenced to 5 years probation for his plea of guilty to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, April 3 in Arbel Township.

He was also ordered to pay \$1,300 in court costs and fines plus a \$150 forensic fee.

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In other business, school Supt. Manuel Thies briefly updated the board on plans to spend \$450,000 approved by voters last month for purchase and installation of a new gym floor in the junior-senior high schools and a host of technology upgrades in both the junior-senior and elementary buildings.

Thies recommended, and the board approved, the hiring of Wakely Associates, Mt. Pleasant, to oversee construction of the new gym floor, including making sure corrective measures are taken to eliminate moisture problems that led to damage of the existing floor. Cost of the contract with the architect/engineering firm is \$11,600.

The work is expected to begin in May or June 2000.

Also Monday, the board briefly discussed plans to build a 24-foot by 28-foot storage building on the west side of Gagetown Elementary School.

TDM Construction, Cass City, was awarded the contract, according to Thies, who noted TDM was the low bidder at \$8,200. Two other bids were received, including a high bid of \$13,460.

The board also approved Athletic Director Joe Candela's recommendations to hire Al Dadacki, Cass City, as the district's new junior varsity basketball coach, and Rick Salcido, Cass City, as the new golf coach.



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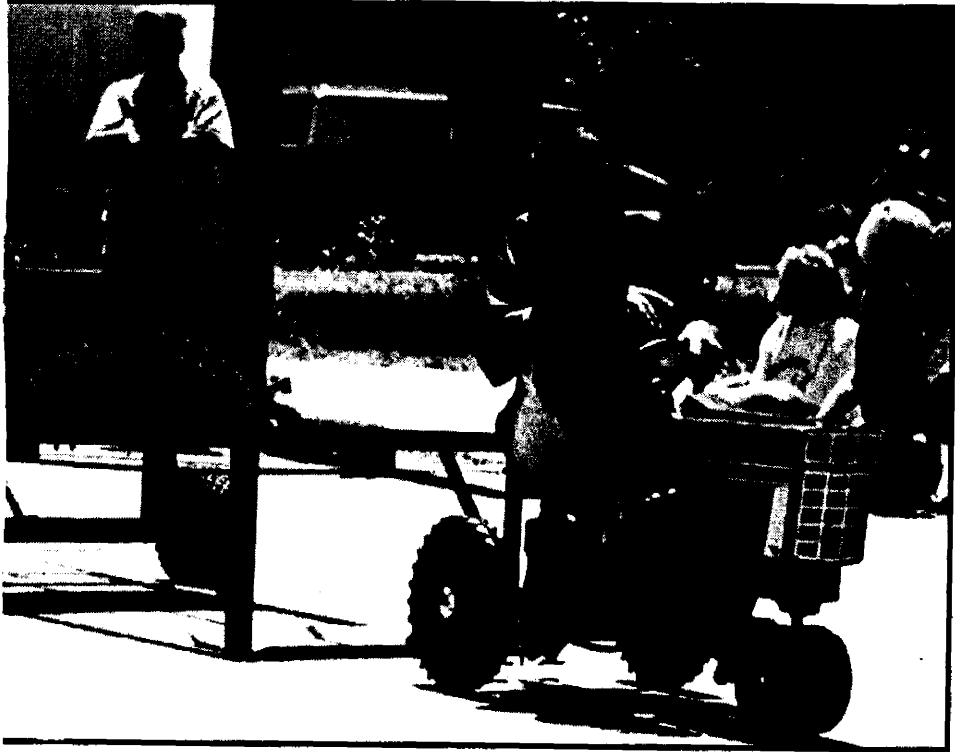
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SNOVER DAYS 1999 offered a little something for everyone: (above, clockwise) Zachary Russell, 9, powers his way to a run of 15 feet and the victory in his age group; 2-year-old Michael Collier of Cadillac takes his time in the pie-eating contest with a little prompting from his aunt, Ashley Perdue, 12, of Snover, and Ross Ford of Cass City gives it all in a "pound the Pontiac" event that offered participants 5 whacks for a buck.

Senior citizen movies set for Friday

Rawson Memorial Library senior citizen movies will be shown Friday, July 16, at 1:30 p.m. They are: Everest: Relive a breathtaking journey to the top of the world with Everest, the spectacular giant-screen motion picture for IMAX theaters! Filmed during the infamous 1996 storm that claimed 8 lives, Everest documents the filmmakers' harrowing rescue efforts to help surviving members of the ill-fated group. Saginaw Valley Riverlands: This film tells the story of the history and development of the Saginaw River and its tributaries. (28 minutes)

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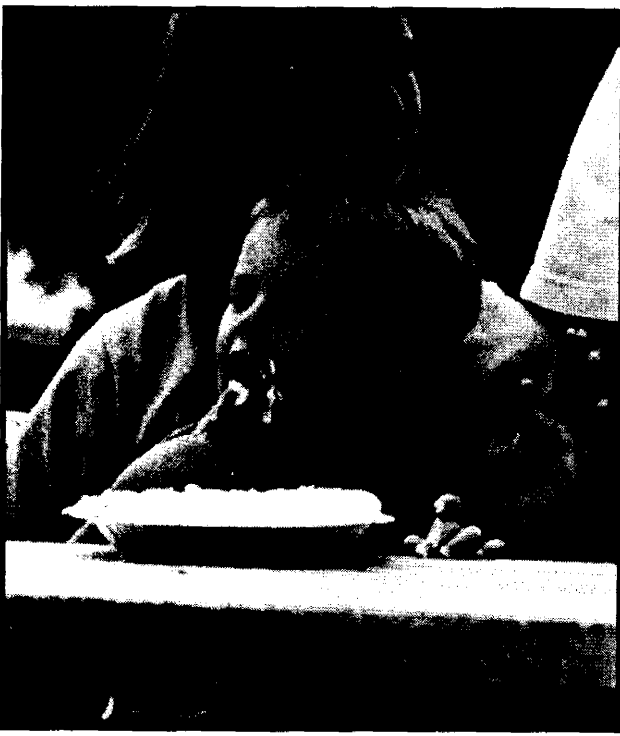
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SVSU honors Anthony

An Ubyly area resident was recently named a Roberts Fellow along with 14 other Saginaw Valley State University students.

Katie Anthony, a 1997 Cass City High School graduate, is a junior at SVSU, where she is majoring in elementary education with minors in English and natural science.

The first group of Roberts Fellows will travel to Asia during spring 2000, following completion of a program of study that will include monthly meetings with other fellows and various political, business and civic leaders throughout the region. The fellowships fund the 12 academic credits, course mate-



Katie Anthony

rials and expenses associated with the international experience.

The Roberts Fellowship provides a select group of undergraduates — who have demonstrated both scholarship and leadership potential — with an international travel opportunity. The 14 candidates will be supported through a yearlong program of both academic course work and extracurricular activities designed to develop their potential as future political, economic and civic leaders.

Anthony, daughter of Kim and Barb Anthony, is a member of the honors program at SVSU, where she works at the Math and Science Center.



Your neighbor says

Exercising a real necessity

Fitness is an important part of everyone's life. Jerry Ferris, retired from Cole Carbide Inc., is the first to agree. He enjoys exercising, but for him it's also a necessity.

"I have no choice," he said. Ferris has been exercising for 11 years now because of doctor's orders. When he was working, he kept injuring his back. He also has a heart dysfunction. "There's no danger of a heart attack," he noted, "but I'd get really tired."

Ferris began working out at Walbro's fitness center. He said he was able to because his wife, Pat Ferris, is an employee. However, when spouses were no longer allowed to have use of the facility, Ferris transferred to Michigan Athletic Rehabilitation Center (MARC) in Cass City. He's been there ever since.

"I ride the aerodynamics, work out on the treadmill and different weight machines," he said. He does this 3 days a week, for about one hour each session. His trainer is Barb Henderson.

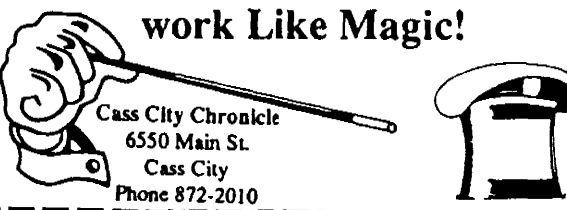
"This fitness program helps," he said. "The Lord gave me the strength to do it."

Ferris believes that fitness is important to everyone. In his spare time, Ferris, who has 3 children, enjoys camping, especially at Port Austin in the Thumb. He camps with his wife and his family.

Ferris also enjoys part-time preaching.



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Thursday, July 15

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Village Wide Garage Sale
6:00 p.m. till ? - Kiddies games in the park
6:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Old Time Fiddlers Jamboree
6:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Ice Cream Social - Pavilion - with Hot Dogs and Soda Pop
7:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Cruise Nite

Friday, July 16

7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Village Wide Garage Sale
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. - 50-50 Raffle
5:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. - Food trailer open
4:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. - Beer tent open (must be 21 to enter)
To be announced - Jail & Bail
5:00 - 6:45 p.m. - Tractor pull weigh in
7:00 p.m. - ? - Tractor pull
7:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. - Cover charge Beer tent
8:00 p.m. - ? - Black Jack tent open
9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. - DJ under the tent
11:00 p.m. - Announce winners for 50-50 raffle
Anyone over the age of 21 having paid attendance at the tractor pull competition enters the beer tent free of charge (no cover charge)

Saturday, July 17

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Village Wide Garage Sale
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. - 50-50 Raffle
12:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. - Food trailer open
11:00 a.m. - Kiddies parade line-up at TVO Hall
11:15 - 11:30 a.m. - Judging and parade
12:15 - 1:00 p.m. Pedal pull weigh in
1:00 p.m. - Kiddies tractor pull competition
1:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. - Beer tent open (must be 21 to enter)
3:00 p.m. - Bike drawing under the pavilion
5:00 - 6:45 p.m. - Tractor/truck pull weigh in
7:00 p.m. - ? - Tractor/truck pull
7:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. - Cover charge Beer tent
8:00 p.m. - ? - Black Jack tent open
9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. - DJ under the tent
To be announced - Jail & Bail
11:00 p.m. - Announce winners for 50-50 raffle

Sunday, July 18

Attend the church service of your choice
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Pancake Breakfast at the TVO Hall
8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Art/Antique Exhibit at the TVO Hall
(Sponsored by the Ubyly Historical Society)
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. - 50-50 Raffle
12:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. - Food trailer open
10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. - Parade line-up and judging at the school parking lot
12:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. - Beer tent open (must be 21 to enter)
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1:30 p.m. - Ox Roast (Sponsored by the VFW)
2:00 p.m. - ? - Black Jack tent open
4:00 - 10:00 p.m. - DJ under the tent
7:00 p.m. - ? - Let's Make A Deal
11:00 p.m. - Announce winners for 50-50 raffle
12:00 a.m. - Final goodbye and lights out
For Parade information please call Jeff Mausolf @ (517) 658-8655

Calendar of Events

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

Wednesday, July 14

Duplicate Bridge, 7:00 p.m. at Charmont. Everyone welcome.

Thursday, July 15

Drop-in story hour for children age 4 and up 1:30 p.m., Rawson Memorial Library.

Tuscola County Senior Health Fair, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Caro High School.

Walbro Retirees Potluck, 5:30 p.m. at Cass City Municipal Park pavilion. Bring dish to pass.

Tuscola County Republican party meeting, 7 p.m., Brentwood Restaurant in Caro. This meeting will focus on membership, community involvement and recognizing positive leadership of local elected officials. All interested and potential Republicans are welcome to attend. Please call (517) 823-7808 with questions.

Friday, July 16

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

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

Saturday, July 17

21st Annual Bluewater Thumb YFC Benefit Auction, Pigeon Recreation Park. Bake sale starts at 8:30 a.m. with the auction beginning at 9:00 a.m. rain or shine. For more information or to donate an item call 1-888-BL-THUMB. All proceeds benefit the ongoing Youth Ministries in Huron, Tuscola and Sanilac counties.

Sanilac County Historical Museum is hosting scrimshaw artist, Kyle Duncan, July 17 & 18. Scrimshaw is a rarely-seen art once practiced almost exclusively by sailors, which involves carving into a solid material such as bone or ivory and then highlighting the indented area with ink. Mr. Duncan will demonstrate and exhibit his work from noon to 4 p.m. both days. Regular museum tour fee is \$5 for adults. If you'd only like to view the scrimshaw exhibit, the special admission is \$3. The museum is located on M-25, south end of Port Sanilac.

Monday, July 19

Children's Movie "Swan Princess", 1:30 p.m., Rawson Memorial Library.

Tuesday, July 20

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

AYSO Board meeting, 8 p.m., Walbro.

Wednesday, July 21

Sanilac County Democratic Party meeting, 7 p.m., Liberty Lanes, Sandusky. Guest speaker Ray Denison will speak on the current status of social security. The public is welcome.

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Youth soccer camp coming to Cass City Aug. 9-13

A soccer camp for children and teens will soon be available in Cass City.

The Major League Soccer Camp sponsored by American Youth Soccer Organization (AYSO), Major League Soccer (MLS) and Cass City will take place August 9-13 in the Cass City Village Park.

Children ages 4 1/2-18 are encouraged to register for the Major League Soccer Camp.

"If children have played the game, like the game and want to continue the game, this is the camp to attend," said Matt Tunstall, camp organizer and assistant regional commissioner of the Cass City region.

Tunstall said experience is not required. Beginners between the ages of 4 1/2-18 are welcome.

"In most soccer camps," Tunstall said, "everyone is thrown together and they try to teach them everything."

But Major League Soccer Camps, held in many U.S. cities throughout the summer, have 6 separate age groups.

"This focuses on each age group," Tunstall said. "The 4-6 year olds will learn how to kick the ball in the right direction. The 9-10 age group will learn passing basics. The high school group will learn the philosophies of soccer, including offensive and defensive philosophy."

Tunstall added, "Imagine trying to teach a 4 year old the basics of soccer. It wouldn't work."

And at this camp, children have the potential to learn about more than just soccer. They will learn about other cultures as well.

The greater percentage of the soccer instructors, Tunstall said, are from overseas, with the majority being from Europe.

The instructors hold either the European Football Association's A or B license, its U.S. equivalent or the Major League Soccer Coach (MLSC) certification award. They have also been edu-

cated to work specifically with youth players and have received basic first aid training.

"They're top of the line in soccer instruction," Tunstall said. "It's international interaction. They can teach about their culture and learn about ours."

While in Cass City, the coaches will be hosted by area families.

Tunstall added that for every 10 children attending camp, there will be one instructor.

With soccer becoming a school sport this fall at Cass City High School, the camp couldn't have come at a better time.

"It'll start getting kids on track with the children from other communities who have

had the sport in high schools for a longer amount of time," Tunstall said.

Cass City area children currently play soccer through the AYSO of Cass City, which has been in the area for 1 1/2 years.

"Last year, a Major League Soccer Camp was held in Caro and a handful of Cass City children went," Tunstall noted. "Those handful that went to the Caro camp were a step above the others when they returned."

Students from around the area are welcome to attend the Cass City Major League Soccer Camp.

"We even have someone coming from Mount Pleasant," Tunstall said. "Whoever wants to participate can come."

There are currently 30-40 children who will be attending, Tunstall said, but he is hoping for more. There is no limit to the number of children who can register. The registration deadline is July 26.

The camp will run from 5:30-7:00 p.m. for children ages 4 1/2-6 years old and the registration fee is \$45. For children ages 7-18, camp hours are 5:30-8:30 p.m. and the cost of registration is \$80.

Parents are welcome to assist in camp activities or to stay as spectators.

If a child is excited to attend camp but parents experience problems or difficulties with the child attending, Tunstall asks that he be contacted. He noted that if they leave a message, he will return the call.

For more information, contact Tunstall at (517) 872-1281.

Copeland, Thane promoted at bank

Two personnel promotions at Chemical Bank Thumb Area were recently announced by the Board of Directors and its president and CEO, Douglas H. Herringshaw.

Beverly J. Copeland was recently promoted to Assistant Cashier. She joined State Savings Bank of Caro in the fall of 1981 as a teller at State Saving's Auto Bank. In 1988 Copeland became manager of that drive-thru facility. State Savings and Chemical Bank merged in 1996 and Copeland became manager of Chemical's West Branch in 1997. She has had banking classes and has attended several seminars.

Janet D. Thane was promoted to Assistant Vice President and Human Resource officer. She started working at State Savings Bank of Caro in 1979 in the bookkeeping department. She was promoted to Personnel Officer at the merger of State Savings and Chemical

Bank in 1996. Thane attended Olivet Nazarene University, Kankakee, Ill., and has taken several Institute of Banking Classes at Delta and accounting and business management classes at Detroit College of Business.

Volunteers set to clean up roadways

With Michigan in the throes of another record road construction and tourism season, thousands of Adopt-A-Highway (AAH) volunteers will pitch in to help beautify state roadways during the second of 3 litter pickups planned for July 17-25.

Most of the 3,000 groups are expected to participate during the 9-day period. This is the tenth year for the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) program, which so far has involved 400,000 volunteers and netted more than a million bags of unsightly trash. "Not since the returnable bottle laws of the late 70s and 80s, has an anti-litter effort had such a profound effect on beautifying Michigan," said State Transportation Director James DeSana.

MDOT has seen a steady drop in the number of bags reported in recent years. Collections were down to 90,000 bags in 1998 compared to an all-time high of 170,000 in 1992.

DeSana urges motorists to be extra cautious as they approach any of the estimated 20,000 orange-vested volunteers working along 6,700 miles of "adopted" state routes.

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Obituaries

Archie Ertman

Archie Lucas Ertman, 80, of Austin Township, died Tuesday evening, July 6, 1999, at his residence, after a short illness.

He was born Oct. 17, 1918, in Parisville, son of Joseph and Josephine (Gliniecki) Ertman. He married Arinda M. Shagena Oct. 10, 1940, at St. Ignatius Catholic Church in Freiburg. She preceded him in death Dec. 1, 1981.

He was a graduate of the country school. He farmed with his family and was a veteran of the U.S. Army serving in Austria.

He worked for Uby Music Company as a truck driver and maintenance man on vending machines, retiring in 1980.

He was a member of the Zurek-Graham V.F.W. Post #6965 of Uby.

He is survived by one daughter, Lois Tezak and her husband Anthony of Bad Axe; 6 grandsons; 11 great-grandchildren; 3 sisters, Irene O'Parka and her husband Aloise of Tyre, Eleanor Wasielewski of Tyre, Florence Bismack of Minden City; 3 foster sons, Steven McHugh of Bad Axe, Robert Ertman of Bad Axe and Robert Flomerfelt of Bad Axe, and "Special Friend", Sophie Swartz of Uby.

He was preceded in death by 6 brothers, Clemens, Isadore, Walter, John, Ervin "Chick", and Sylvester "Bob" Ertman, and one sister, Bertha Ertman.

Mass of Resurrection was held Friday at St. Ignatius Catholic Church in Freiburg. The Rev. William Gruden officiated.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

Arrangements were made by Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home, Uby.

John (Jack) Howell

John Allison Howell, 76, died July 7, 1999, in Sebring, Fla., after a lengthy illness.

He was born July 11, 1922, in Gagetown to Grant and Jessie (Allison) Howell. His parents preceded him in death as did one brother, Grant William (Billy), and one sister, Gertrude Margaret (Peggy) Storton.

He served in the Army Air Force during WWII and when he returned home, worked in the water well drilling business with his father. He was later employed by the Michigan Department of Mental Health at the Oakdale Regional Center, from which he retired in 1984, and shortly thereafter moved to Florida.

He married Agnes Mare Osborn in January 1947. They had 4 children, Penelope McCoon of Newberry, Catherine (Rich) Ahrens of Newberry, John (Anna) Howell of Caseville and Robin (Dave) Mitchell of Newberry; 11 grandchildren; one great-grandson; 3 sisters, Mona Emerson of Livonia, Judy Bryden of Arlington, Va., and Dorcus (Jan) Sweeney of Vacaville, Calif., and 2 brothers, Robert of Niceville, Fla., and Douglas (Jim) of Cass City.

He married Gloria Lubahn Dec. 4, 1987. She survives him and lives in Sebring, Fla. He is also survived by 3 stepchildren, Sally Blondin of Sebring, Fla., Dan Lubahn of Pennsylvania and Tim

Lubahn of Tampa, Fla.

He requested cremation with his ashes being laid to rest in the Upper Peninsula.

Those who wish may contribute to the American Cancer Society in his memory or to the Tahquamenon Education Foundation, 700 Newberry Ave., Newberry, Mich. 49868

Irene Loomis

Irene J. Loomis, 84, of Mio, died Thursday, July 8, 1999, in West Branch Regional Medical Center.

She was born Jan. 25, 1915, in Uby, to George and Nellie (Phelp) Russell. She married Maurice Loomis July 17, 1935, in Cass City. He died Oct. 31, 1973.

Loomis moved to McKinley in 1949 from Bay City. She was a member of the Otis W. Henry VFW Post #4126 Auxiliary and had been active in the Oscoda County Chapter of the American Cancer Society and the blood drives in Oscoda County.

Surviving are 3 children, Edward L. (Marsha) Loomis of Clio, Dr. Philip A. Loomis of Reading, Pa., and Maureen (Leslie) Haggadone of Alger; 10 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; 3 great-great-grandchildren, and 2 sisters, Florence Carpenter of Caro and Erma Spaven of Almont. She was preceded in death by her parents, 3 sisters and 2 brothers.

Funeral services were held Monday at Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Duane Miller of Caro United Methodist Church officiating.

Interment was in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

Kally Maharg

Kally Ann Maharg, 49, of Cass City, died Sunday, July 11, 1999, in her home after a long illness.

She was born March 6, 1950, in Cass City to Violas and Elva (Seurynck) Pine. She married John H. Maharg Aug. 4, 1973, in Cass City.

She was a Cass City school teacher for 26 years, teaching history and physical education. A proponent of girls athletics in Cass City, she was instrumental in starting the Title IX program in 1973, and also in starting Girls' Little League.

Surviving are her husband, John; 2 children, Lindsay A. Maharg and Christopher J. Maharg; her mother, Elva (Gordon) Cox of Cass City; 2 sisters, Bonnie Meyer of Bloomfield Hills and Jan Wall of Boston, Mass.; a brother, Michael (Tori) Pine of Unionville; mother-in-law, Nelle Maharg of Cass City; brothers and sisters-in-law, Larry (Karen) Maharg of Appleton, Wis., James (Sharon) Maharg of New York, N.Y., and Jeffrey Maharg of Haslett; 6 nieces, and 2 nephews. She was preceded in death by her father, Violas Pine, a brother-in-law, L. William Meyer, and her mother- and father-in-law, Maxine Maharg and Kenneth Maharg.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, July 15, at St. Pancratius Catholic Church, Cass City, with the Rev. Paul Bala officiating.

Interment will be in Elkland Township Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Cass City Middle School (Scholarship for the 8th grade Washington, D.C., trip) or Bay Shore Camp.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

Phase 2 of Cable purchase complete

BICCGeneral recently announced it has completed the second phase of its acquisition of BICC plc's worldwide energy cable and cable systems businesses, which included ownership interests in businesses in Fiji, the Iberian Peninsula, Mozambique, Angola, Indonesia, Malaysia and Singapore.

The company expects to complete the third and final

phase of the acquisition, which includes the remaining BICC Cables joint venture businesses in Germany and the Middle East, by year-end.

BICCGeneral also announced the purchase of SpecTran Corporation's joint venture interest in General Photonics, a manufacturer of optical fiber cables that was formed by General Cable

Corporation and SpecTran in 1996.

The General Photonics optical fiber cables business, now wholly owned by BICCGeneral, will be combined with the optical fiber cables business that BICCGeneral recently acquired from BICC plc. Taken together, BICCGeneral will be among the North American leaders in fiber optic cabling for local area data networks and specialty defense communications applications.

The General Cable brand name will be adopted for the former General Photonics product line.

"I continue to be very pleased with the pace and progress of the integration of this global cable acquisition," said Stephen Rabinowitz, chairman and chief executive officer of BICCGeneral.

"Our initial integration efforts focused on the consolidation and elimination of the duplicate and redundant headquarters operations in North America, and purchasing synergies available to the combined company. In both areas we have made strong progress, and have already achieved annualized savings on the order of \$18 million.

"We have also identified and are already successfully pursuing enhanced sales opportunities, especially in our North American business. Our most recent efforts, taken in parallel with work on the second phase of the acquisition, have uncovered additional synergies, savings and growth opportunities in our operations outside North America, including a significant reduction in the general and administrative headcount in Europe.

"We have begun our worldwide strategic planning process with a conference that drew over 200 business leaders together from around the world, and identified yet more potential synergies and savings in information sys-

tems, sourcing, logistics and manufacturing. In the aggregate, those opportunities and savings will provide us with a solid platform for growth and profitability."

As a result of the significant change in the scope and scale

of the company's operations, and consistent with the change in the company name from General Cable to BICCGeneral, BICCGeneral has also changed its New York Stock Exchange symbol from "GCN" to "BGC"

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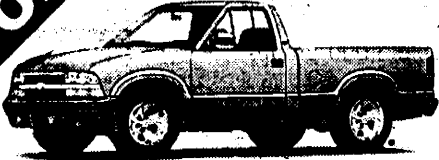


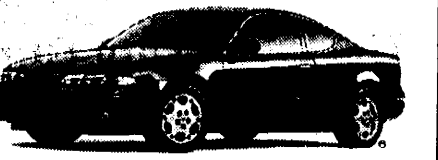








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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Julia A. McBride, a single woman, and Jeffrey C. Warren, a single man, Mortgages, to Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 20, 1998, and recorded on August 7, 1998, in Liber 747, Page 237, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which said mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date hereof, the sum of xty-Seven Thousand Seventy-Three \$55/100 (\$67,073.55) Dollars, including interest at 11.08% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance of the courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, on Friday, Aug. 6, 1999, at 10:00 a.m. Said premises are situated in the Township of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as follows:

Lot 3/4 of Lots 9 and 10, Block 2 Ebenezer Morse's Addition to the Village of Vassar, (Now City), County of Tuscola, Michigan, according to the Plat recorded in Liber 1 of Deeds, Page 359, Tuscola County Records.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 3, 1999

Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation, Mortgagee

Keith A. Sotiroff, Esq.
JTROFF & ABRAMCZYK, P.C.
4400 Telegraph Road, Ste. 444
Bingham Farms, MI 48025-4541
(481) 642-6000

6-16-5

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Bill C. Baird, an unmarried man, (original mortgagors) to ContiMortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated September 12, 1997, and recorded on September 26, 1997 in Liber 720, on Page 1289, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of TWENTY EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY SEVEN AND 45/100 dollars (\$28,277.45), including interest at 5.00% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on August 6, 1999.

Said premises are situated in VILLAGE OF FAIRGROVE, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 11, Block 3, First Assessor's Plat of the Village of Fairgrove, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, in Page 72, Tuscola County Records.

The redemption period shall be 1 month(s) from the date of such sale, unless an affidavit of occupancy or intent to occupy is recorded in accordance with 948CL 600.3241(d) and given to the mortgagee, in which case the redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 23, 1999

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Roland J. David, Jr. & Tina A. David, Husband and Wife, to Amerifirst Financial Corporation, mortgagee, dated June 13, 1989 and recorded June 14, 1989 in Liber 596, Page 524, Tuscola County Records said mortgage is now held by Fleet Mortgage Corporation by assignment dated June 13, 1989 and recorded on June 17, 1989 in Liber 594, On Page 439, Tuscola County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Twenty-Six Thousand Seventy-Seven and 31/100 Dollars (\$26,077.31) including interest at the rate of 11% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on August 20, 1999.

The premises are located in the City of Vassar, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 7, Block 1 of Meritt's Addition to the City of Vassar, according to the plat recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 21, now being Page 22A.

Dated: July 1, 1999

ORLAND ASSOCIATES PC
Attorney for Fleet Mortgage Corporation, As Assignee
3001 West Big Beaver
Suite 600
Troy, MI 48064
(248) 643-4464

File No. 191.0084

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by GARY BECKER and CHRISTINE BECKER, HIS WIFE to GEHRKE MORTGAGE CORPORATION, A MICHIGAN CORPORATION Mortgagee, dated September 2, 1997, and recorded on September 2, 1997, in Liber 719, on page 091, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said mortgagee to STANDARD FEDERAL BANK, a Michigan Corporation by an assignment dated September 2, 1997, and recorded on September 2, 1997, in Liber 719, on page 099, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of seventy-one thousand fifty-four and 96/100 Dollars (\$71,054.96), including interest at 8.500% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and approved, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola, MI, at 11:00 a.m. on August 20, 1999.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF WELLS, TUSCOLA County, Michigan and are described as:

Commencing at the East quarter corner of Section 2, Town 12 North, Range 10 East, Wells Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, thence South 0 degrees 17 minutes West 440.20 feet along the East line of said Section 2 to the Point of Beginning; running thence South 0 degrees 17 minutes West 220.0 feet along the East line of said Section 2; thence South 89 degrees 57 minutes 31 seconds West 668.14 feet; thence North 0 degrees 10 minutes 31 seconds East 220.0 feet; thence North 89 degrees 57 minutes 31 seconds East 668.55 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the Southeast quarter of Section 2, Town 12 North, Range 10 East, Wells Township, Tuscola County, Michigan. Subject to the Right of Way for Froede Road over the Eastern side thereof.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241(a) in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

DATED: July 14, 1999

STANDARD FEDERAL BANK
Assignee of Mortgagee

Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.
401 South Old Woodward Avenue
Suite 300
Birmingham, MI 48009-6616

7-14-4

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Frank Edward Adams and Glenda Fay Adams, His Wife, to First Finance, mortgagee, dated April 24, 1996 and recorded May 1, 1996 in Liber 689, Page 899, Tuscola County Records. Said mortgage is now held by Norwest Bank, Minnesota, N.A., as Trustee by assignment dated May 1, 1996 and recorded on June 15, 1998 in Liber 742, Page 458, Tuscola County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Thirty-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-Five and 97/100 Dollars (\$38,635.97) including interest at the rate of 11.625% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on August 13, 1999.

The premises are located in the Township of Gilford, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing 10 rods 7 1/2 feet North of the Southwest corner of Section 26, Town 13 North, Range 7 East, thence East 150 feet; thence North 49 feet; thence West 150 feet; thence South 49 feet to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale.

Dated: July 7, 1999

ORLAND ASSOCIATES PC
Attorney for Norwest Bank Minnesota, N.A., as Trustee.
As Assignee
3001 West Big Beaver
Suite 600
Troy, MI 48064
(248) 643-4464

File No. 189.0417

7-7-5

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Art Mullin and Margaret Mullin, Husband and Wife, to Mortgage America (IMC), Inc., mortgagee, dated February 28, 1998 and recorded March 26, 1998 in Liber 733, Page 494-503, Tuscola County Records said mortgage is now held by IMC Mortgage Company by assignment dated May 3, 1999 and recorded on June 3, 1999 in Liber 773, Page 367, Tuscola County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Twelve Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-One and 26/100 Dollars (\$12,621.26) including interest at the rate of 13.5% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on August 20, 1999.

The premises are located in the Township of Vassar, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

COMMENCING AT A POINT 455 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 20 OF VASSAR TOWNSHIP, TUSCOLA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THENCE WEST 500 FEET, THENCE NORTH 455 FEET, THENCE WEST 820 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO THE EAST 1/8 LINE, THENCE SOUTH 801 FEET, MORE OR LESS, THENCE EAST 270 FEET, THENCE NORTH 313 FEET, THENCE EAST 1050 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO EAST SECTION LINE, SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTION OF RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS, COMMENCING AT A POINT 455 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4, THENCE SOUTH 33 FEET, WEST 1320 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO EAST 1/8 LINE, NORTH 33 FEET, EAST 1320 FEET TO EAST SECTION LINE, MORE OR LESS.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale.

Dated: July 7, 1999

ORLAND ASSOCIATES PC
Attorney for IMC Mortgage Company, As Assignee
3001 West Big Beaver
Suite 600
Troy, MI 48084
(248) 643-4464

File No. 192.0019

7-7-5

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Mark S. WILCOX a single man (original mortgagors) to Republic Bancorp Mortgage, Inc., Mortgagee, dated July 28, 1995, and recorded on July 31, 1995 in Liber 676, on Page 1167, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Countrywide Home Loans, Inc. f/k/a Countrywide Funding Corporation, Assignee by an assignment dated August 23, 1995, which was recorded on January 25, 1996, in Liber 685, on Page 221, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of NINETY-NINE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED SIXTY-NINE AND 12/100 dollars (\$99,869.12), including interest at 8.250% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on August 13, 1999.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF INDIANFIELD, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

PARCEL C:
Part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 15, Town 12 North, Range 9 East, described as: beginning at a point which is South 89 degrees 33' 18" West 466.97 feet along the North line of said Section 15 and South 00 degrees 11' 24" East 862.50 feet and South 64 degrees 54' 00" West 275.50 feet from the North 1/4 corner of said Section 15; thence continuing South 64 degrees 54' 00" West 270.00 feet; thence North 25 degrees 06' 00" West 216.86 feet; thence North 64 degrees 54' 00" East 346.63 feet; thence South 05 degrees 38' 15" East 230.00 feet to the point of beginning.

TOGETHER WITH AND INCLUDING "EASEMENT A" DESCRIBED AS:
Part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 15, Town 12 North, Range 9 East, Indianfield Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, described as beginning at a point which is South 89 degrees 33' 18" West 466.97 feet along the North line of said Section 15 and South 00 degrees 11' 24" East 20.00 feet and South 89 degrees 33' 18" West 62.18 feet from the North 1/4 corner of said Section 15; thence South 27 degrees 27' 55" West 448.26 feet; thence South 05 degrees 38' 15" East 572.26 feet; thence along a curve to the left having a radius of 534.37 feet, a central angle of 19 degrees 27' 45" and a long chord bearing and distance of South 15 degrees 22' 08" East 180.65 feet; thence South 25 degrees 06' 00" East 179.78 feet; thence along a curve to the right having a radius of 320.95 feet, a central angle of 24 degrees 54' 36" and a long chord bearing and distance of South 12 degrees 38' 42" West 109.97 feet; thence North 25 degrees 06' 00" West 179.78 feet; thence along a curve to the right having a radius of 600.37 feet, a central angle of 19 degrees 27' 45" and a long chord bearing and distance of North 15 degrees 22' 08" West 202.95 feet; thence North 05 degrees 38' 15" West 491.10 feet; thence South 54 degrees 49' 16" West 798.46 feet; thence North 80.75 feet; thence North 54 degrees 49' 16" East 759.71 feet; thence North 27 degrees 27' 55" East 480.10 feet; thence North 89 degrees 33' 18" East 74.68 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated: June 30, 1999

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6-30-4

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

MORTGAGE SALE-Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Christopher E. Davies a single man (original mortgagors) to Homestead USA, Inc. a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated October 28, 1998, and recorded on November 17, 1998 in Liber 755, on Page 1377, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, Assignee by an assignment dated June 28, 1999, which was recorded on July 2, 1999, in Liber 775, on Page 918, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of FIFTY-NINE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETY-FOUR AND 99/100 dollars (\$59,494.99), including interest at 7.500% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on August 27, 1999.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF ARBELA, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

The East 100 feet of the West 340 feet of the South 1/2 of the East 4/5 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 29, Township 10 North, Range 7 East, except the North 100 feet thereof.

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

Dated: July 14, 1999

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7-14-5

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MORTGAGE SALE-Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Russell D. Hill and Marian L. Hill, husband and wife (original mortgagors), to Commonpoint Mortgage, Mortgagee, dated April 30, 1998, and recorded on May 12, 1998 in Liber 739, on Page 31-37, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the ContiMortgage Corporation, Assignee by an assignment dated May 11, 1998, which was recorded on February 24, 1999, in Liber 764, on Page 512-513, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY-TWO THOUSAND FIFTY-ONE AND 77/100 dollars (\$72,051.77), including interest at 12.990% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on August 20, 1999.

Said premises are situated in CITY OF VASSAR, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 2, Block 28 of the Plat of the Village of Vassar (now City), according to the Plat recorded in Liber 1 of Deeds, page 143 and Liber 2 of Deeds, Page 93 of Tuscola County Records.

The redemption period shall be 1 month(s) from the date of such sale, unless an affidavit of occupancy or intent to occupy is recorded in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241(d) and given to the mortgagee, in which case the redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale.

Dated: July 7, 1999

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7-7-5

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by John E. Conrad, and Candace J. Conrad, husband and wife (original mortgagors) to Standard Federal Bank, Mortgagee, dated June 3, 1998, and recorded on June 18, 1998 in Liber 742, on Page 930, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ONE HUNDRED FOURTEEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-ONE AND 43/100 dollars (\$14,231.43), including interest at 6.250% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on August 13, 1999.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF VASSAR, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing 40 rods North of the Southeast corner of Section 8, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, running thence West 90 rods, thence North 40 rods thence East 90 rods, thence south to the point of beginning, except commencing 40 rods North of Southeast corner of section 8, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, thence West 348.00 feet, thence South 250.00 feet to point of beginning, and also except commencing 910.00 feet North of Southeast corner of Section 8, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, thence West 256.00 feet, thence South 170.00 feet to point of beginning.

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

Dated: June 30, 1999

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6-30-5

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Shawn D. Chapel, A Single Man, to Rock Financial Corporation, mortgagee, dated August 28, 1998 and recorded September 30, 1998 in Liber 751, Page 723-729, Tuscola County Records. Said mortgage is now held by Associates Home Equity Services, Inc. f/k/a Ford Consumer Finance Company, Inc. by assignment dated February 28, 1999 and recorded on March 22, 1999 in Liber 766, Page 963, Tuscola County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Forty-Eight Thousand Two Hundred Four and 25/100 Dollars (\$48,204.25) including interest at the rate of 11.5% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on August 6, 1999.

The premises are located in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

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The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale.

Dated: June 23, 1999

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1995 Chevrolet Lumina, 4 dr. Sedan	\$5,995	\$135 per mo.
1994 Pontiac Sunbird LE	\$6,455	\$171 per mo.
1992 Dodge Caravan SE	\$7,295	\$

Down Memory Lane

From the files of the Chronicle

5 YEARS AGO

Three weeks of almost daily rainfall has caused millions of dollars in crop damages in the area.

Police investigated a complaint involving a pair of male subjects who reportedly left the Pizza Villa Restaurant without paying their \$17.70 food tab. The incident took place July 5.

Pamela Nieboer recently graduated cum laude from Kent State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in computer science. She is a 1989 graduate of Cass City High School.

Thumb National Bank's June celebration of dairy month was held when 3 professionals sampled 23 entries, which had to be made with at least one dairy product. Mary Shantz received the first place \$25 prize for her strawberry cream jelly

roll, a \$20 second place was awarded to Don and June Thomas for herb cheese, and the \$15 third prize went to Barb Adams for her potato soup.

New BPW officers for 1994-95 are: president, Nina Davis; 2nd vice-president, Leota Anthes; 1st vice-president, Sherry Lee Seeley; secretary, Bev Perry, and treasurer, Shirley Haag.

10 YEARS AGO

Micro EDM Inc. recently joined the industrial community in Cass City. Previously based in Hamburg (about 12 miles north of Ann Arbor), Micro EDM has been in business for 2 years, according to company president, Bob Bredemeyer. The firm specializes in production electrical discharge machining — the use of electricity to make precision cuts in metal.

Holsteins valued at \$6,900 were reported stolen from a field in Grant Township. Huron County sheriff's deputies report that 23 of Robert Bieri's Holsteins were taken between June 15 and July 8.

Former Cass City resident Alvin Burk returned to his hometown in style on the Fourth, arriving on Main Street by parachuting from a plane at 10:30 a.m. to kick off the village's annual parade.

A memorial has been presented to the school by the parents of Darin Monroe, who died in a tragic automobile accident. The parents have asked that the money be used to help purchase new basketball scoreboards in the high school gym. Supt. Ken Micklash said there is enough money in the fund now to pay about half the cost, some \$5,000 to \$6,000.

The Elkland Township Board Monday approved purchase of several trees. Township Clerk Norma Wallace has reported that at least 20 blue spruce trees will be purchased and planted this fall at the township cemetery. Estimated cost of the trees is \$38 each.

middle-aged customers. Hoarding has been part of the cause for the penny shortage, treasury officials indicate.

Roger Parrish, who is home for the summer from Florida and the Caribbean, has accepted an invitation to entertain at the piano nightly except Sundays at "Holly's Landing" in Saginaw.

William F. Bock, 77, of Pigeon, sustained multiple injuries in a tractor accident Friday afternoon on Daus Road, a quarter mile east of Schwegler Road. He was working in a field with a tractor-drawn disc when the machine slid into a ditch. Bock fell from the machine and the disc ran over him before the tractor stalled. He was found by Dennis Stine of Standish, who was driving by, and was taken to Hills and Dales Hospital.

Clarke Haire and Jeff Hartel are attending basketball camp at Northern Michigan University at Marquette this week.

35 YEARS AGO

Tuscola County supervisors are cracking down on the destruction of rural street signs and the removal or moving of signs and lights warning of barricades on roads under construction. They authorized a reward of \$100 for the apprehension and conviction of anyone destroying the signs or lights on Tuscola County barricades.

Dick Hendrick announced this week that he will redecorate and remodel the Cass Theatre. Renovation will include work on the front of the building by Champion Outdoor Advertising and painting and cleaning of the interior.

Cass City and Deford school district voters will take the next steps following approval of Deford's annexation to the Cass City system Monday night by Cass City Board of Education members at their regular meeting.

The third annual Gagetown Firemen's Field Day will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 23, 24, 25. Dancing, dunkings, concessions, rides, games, a giant parade and fireworks will be offered. Little League games will be played Thursday afternoon.

At IGA - Fresh watermelons, 69 cents each; ground beef, 49 cents lb.; sirloin steak, 85 cents lb.; chunk tuna, 4 cans \$1.00.

25 YEARS AGO

Ron Nurnberger has been hired as Cass City High School's new basketball coach. He will replace the departed Fred Hurlburt.

Area businesses are reporting runs on pennies. Mary Rabideau of the Ben Franklin Store said a heavy demand for pennies developed 4 or 5 weeks ago, mostly from young and

Church to host singer

Pam Volz, a contemporary Christian singer, will present a concert at Novesta Church of Christ, 2896 N. Cemetery Road, Sunday, July 18, at 7 p.m.

Volz has sung throughout the Midwest and has made several recordings. The public is invited. A nursery will be available. For more information call the church at 872-3658.

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AMONG THOSE attending the recent rededication of the Lapeer drinking fountain were (from left) Bette McVety, WCTU district president; Marie Kiehl, district public relations director; Nancy Thornton, WCTU state president; Rep. Mike Green, and Lapeer Mayor Al Gelhausen.

WCTU dedicates fountain

Members of the 8th District Women's Christian Temperance Union (WCTU) recently rededicated the Lapeer drinking fountain. The structure was built in 1906 by the WCTU.

The 8th District is comprised of Genesee, Huron, Lapeer, Saginaw, Sanilac and Tuscola counties.

Among those attending the ceremony were several from the Cass City area, including Ruth Dorman. State Rep. Mike Green presented representatives of WCTU's 8 District with a proclamation of service signed by Gov. John Engler and other state officials.

Homecoming!

Ubly ready to welcome all to annual festival

You don't have to live in Ubly to join in the village's annual summer festival.

In fact, residents of the Thumb community will welcome hundreds of area residents to their 1999 Homecoming celebration, which is scheduled for Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Young and old alike will find plenty to do, from kids' games to tractor pulls to the annual grand parade.

"We draw people from all over," Homecoming Chairman Marshal Osentoski said

of the festival.

"It's kind of like an unofficial family gathering of sorts," he added. "If you attended school anywhere in Huron County, you're pretty apt to see someone you went to school with."

Even if you don't have ties to the area, he said, you're welcome. "Everybody's a friend here."

The celebration kicks off at 9 a.m. Thursday with a village-wide garage sale, which will continue through Saturday. Other continuing activities

include 50-50 raffles. A food trailer and beer tent will be open Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Thursday's activities include a host of kiddie games - 3-legged race, sack race, coin dig, baby crawl and water balloon toss — in the park starting at 6 p.m. Rubber duck and boat races get underway at 6:35 p.m., followed by seed spitting and penny pitching contests and a hockey competition, all at 7:35 p.m.

An Old Time Fiddler's Jam bore is scheduled for 6 to 9 p.m., as is an ice cream social with hot dogs and sodas. Another popular event is a cruise night, is slated for 7 to 9 p.m.

Friday's schedule of events includes a "jail and bail" (time to be announced), and the traditional and popular tractor pull event starting at 7 p.m. (weigh-in will be held from 5 to 6:45 p.m.). A black jack tent will open at 8 p.m., and music provided by a D.J. under the tent will get underway at 9 p.m.

The annual kiddie's parade is scheduled for Saturday, with line-up at the TVO hall at 11 a.m. and judging from 11:15 to 11:30 a.m. A pedal pull will follow at 12:15 p.m. and a kiddie tractor pull competition is slated for 1 p.m. Weigh-in for the tractor/truck pull competition will begin at 5 p.m., with competition scheduled to start at 7 p.m.

Sunday will kick off with a pancake breakfast and art/antique exhibit sponsored by the Ubly Historical Society, both at the TVO hall beginning at 8 a.m. The grand parade will get underway at 12:30 p.m., with line-up and judging slated to begin at 10 a.m. A blue grass band will perform following the parade. Also scheduled are a chicken barbecue sponsored by the Ubly Athletic Boosters and FFA, and an ox roast, both at 1:30 p.m.

July 18-25

Sanilac 4-H Fair on tap

From 4-H youth projects to monster trucks, the Sanilac County 4-H Fair offers something for the whole family.

This year's fair is scheduled for Sunday, July 18, through Sunday, July 25.

There will be plenty to do throughout the week, with community tent activities and a show entitled "Boards, Blades and Bikes" scheduled daily.

Opening events planned for Sunday include an auction in the community tent at 2 p.m. The annual presentation of the 4-H king, queen and court will start at 6:45 p.m., as will the announcement of this year's Sanilac County Bean Queen. A gospel sing at 7 p.m. is slated to round out the first day's activities. There will be free grand-

stand admission during the week with the exception of Monday, when a \$9 admission fee will be charged for an evening show featuring opening act Steel Canyon, followed by country and western singer Jeff Carson.

Tuesday marks the first day for carnival rides, starting at 1 p.m. The day's activities will include a talent contest and Sanilac County Home-maker presentation at 4:30 p.m. in the community tent, followed by the Flying Star Rodeo at 7:30 p.m.

The rodeo action will continue Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., while monster truck action will highlight Thursday's events, also at 7:30 p.m.

The annual 4-H and FFA livestock sales will kick off Friday's activities at noon. In the evening, a tractor and pickup pull competition is slated to get underway at 6:30 p.m.

An open class horse show will kick off Saturday's activities, starting at 9 a.m. in the horse arena, followed by an ATV and lawn mower pull — stock ATVs, ultra-light tractors and garden tractors — at 10 a.m. A pedal tractor pull will get underway at 2 p.m., and the excitement of

demolition derby will start at 7 p.m.

The week-long fair will conclude Sunday, July 25. An SYO motorcycle show scheduled to begin at 3 p.m. will highlight the day's events.

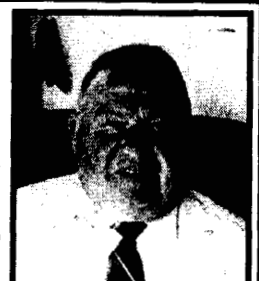
Gate admission to this year's fair is \$8 per person 2 years and older. The charge covers parking, grandstand admission and all carnival rides. Senior citizens will get in for \$5 Monday through Thursday before 4 p.m. Admission will be charged starting at 8 a.m. Tuesday through Sunday. Tickets for the Monday night grandstand show will go on sale at 1 p.m. Monday at the front gate.

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Bob Cleland Sr. of Waterford, Bill Cleland of Walled Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr. and family and Mrs. Alex Cleland attended the funeral of Blanche Clutz at Lynch and Son Funeral Home at Walled Lake Tuesday. Mrs. Clutz had lived in Walled Lake over 40 years and was very active in civic affairs. She is survived by a daughter, Shirley Knapp; grandsons, Bill Cleland of Walled Lake and Bob Cleland Jr. of Ubly; great-grandchildren, Alex and Heather Cleland of Walled Lake, A.J. and Andrew Cleland of Ubly, and many friends.

Mrs. Earl Schenk was a Tuesday forenoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ross in Ubly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson and Thelma Jackson were Tuesday forenoon guests of Mrs. Bob Damm in Pigeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr, Jeff Doerr, Sarah and Savanna and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Sunday guests of Wendy Rickett, Cory and Caitlyn for birthday cake and ice cream in honor of Wendy Rickett's birthday.

Marie Black of Sandusky and Allen and Alice Depcinski attended the funeral of Elwood Lemanski at the Guardian Angel Catholic Church at Clawson Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Jr. and family spent Saturday and Sunday with Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford.

Allen Farrelly came home June 26 from a 16-day trip to Decatur, Ala., where he visited his sister, and to Fayetteville, Ark., where he visited Lee and Frank Kulish.

Bryce and Betty Hagen and their families watched the fireworks at Port Austin Sunday evening and all went to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moorman's cottage at Port Austin.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming spent from Saturday till Wednesday with Bob Cleland Sr. at Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson and Thelma Jackson were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Charles Bond in Cass City.

Dean and Nancy Carpenter, Dean Jr., Michael, Jessica and Timothy of New Port News, Va., spent Sunday overnight with Ray and Rita Depcinski.

Larry Silver of Utica and Reva Silver were Monday

breakfast guests of Mrs. Gerald Wills.

The Greenleaf Extended Homemakers will meet at the Schneeberger cottage at the lake July 29 for a potluck lunch.

Phil and Cheryl Sweeney of Brown City and Jim and Kay Sweeney went to the Karrer-Simpson Funeral Home in Port Huron to pay respects to Angus McIntyre, Wednesday evening.

Ray and Rita Depcinski, Allen and Alice Depcinski attended the funeral of their aunt, Ernestine Hessling, at St. Anthony's Catholic Church at Helena Monday.

Jessie Canham and Susan Wilson of Niagara Falls, N.Y., are spending a few days with Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel, Doris Western, Jim Foster, Ed Schembers and Allen Farrelly met at McDonald's Wednesday morning for breakfast in Bad Axe.

Ten members of the Traveling Breakfast Club met at Franklin Plaza for breakfast Thursday morning. They will meet at McDonald's Family and Food Deli next week.

Bob Cleland Sr. of Waterford and Mrs. Ken Osentoski were Wednesday guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Andersen of Livonia and Mrs. Earl Schenk spent a few days at Higgins Lake.

Jim McIntyre of Florida and Bob and Clare McIntyre of Ubly visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson and Thelma Jackson Saturday.

Ray and Rita Depcinski and Charles and Theresa Depcinski and family had supper at the Pasta House in Kinde and later went to the Ray Depcinski's for cake for Charles Depcinski's birthday, Monday evening.

Larry Silver of Utica spent the 4th of July weekend with Reva Silver.

Dean and Nancy Carpenter, Dean Jr., Michael, Jessica and Timothy of New Port News, Va., spent from Saturday till Monday with Ray and Rita Depcinski and Sunday went to Port Austin to watch the parade and later went to the lake at Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rumpitz were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson and Thelma Jackson.

Harold Franzel of Texas, Ron Wolschlag, Doris Western, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel and Allen Farrelly went to the Grindstone Sportsman Club hall at Port Hope for supper Saturday.

Mark Farrelly and 3 sons and Allen Farrelly spent Monday and Tuesday with Julie Koroleski and daughters in Bad Axe.

Beatrice Sternberg, Doris Western, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel, Hazel Mattice, Jim Foster, Steve Peruski and Allen Farrelly met at McDonald's Wednesday morning for breakfast.

Allen and Alice Depcinski spent Saturday and Sunday

in Park Hill, Canada, where they attended the 150th anniversary of St. Columbkille Catholic Church and Scottish reunion.

Mrs. Melvin Particka was a Wednesday afternoon guest of Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marchand of Waterford spent the 4th of July weekend at their home here.

Allen Farrelly spent Thursday forenoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Franzel.

Jim and Virginia Sweeney, Mrs. John O'Henley, Thelma Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson visited Mrs. Martin Sweeney last week.

Allen Farrelly visited Mr. and Mrs. George Farrelly at

Armada.

Bryce and Betty Hagen and their families attended the Port Hope 4th of July festivities and later enjoyed a potluck dinner with Ben and Donelda Meske.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Price of Monmouth, Ill., and Sun City, Ariz., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck Wednesday to Saturday. They toured Christmas town in Frankenmuth Thursday and had dinner at Zehnders. Friday, they had dinner at Ubly Heights.

Ernest Bouck and Bev spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck, having breakfast brunch at Ubly Heights.

Police investigate larcenies

Cass City police received a pair of larceny complaints over the weekend.

According to reports, Sherry L. Peters told officers that someone took her son's bike from the front yard of her West Street residence sometime between 1 and 5 p.m. Sunday.

The property was described as a bright yellow BMX-style stunt bike valued at \$400.

Also Sunday, Karen L. Peters, Cass City, reported a checkbook that contained her driver's license and credit cards was stolen from her pickup truck while the vehicle was parked behind Gilligan's bar, in South Alley near Leach Street.



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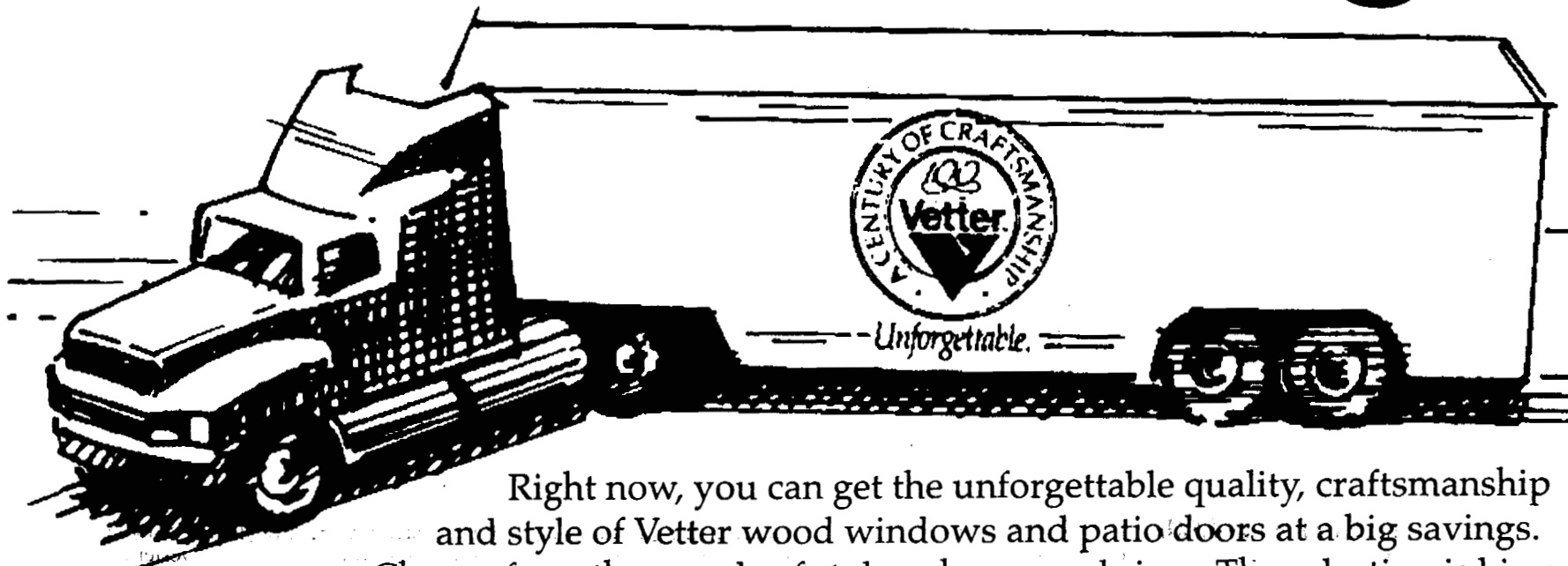
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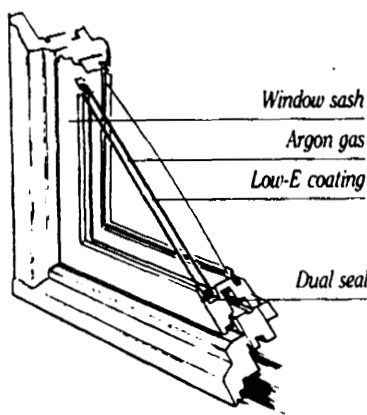


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Gilford resident charged

A Gilford resident was recently arraigned in Tuscola County District Court on a charge of domestic violence stemming from a July 2 incident in Gilford Township.

Bond for the defendant, Theresa M. Duval, 29, was set at \$1,000. A preliminary examination is to be scheduled in the case.



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Filion

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week.
Last week's sentencing marks the conclusion of a case involving dozens of break-ins in 11 counties, including Tuscola, Huron and Manistee.

Filion's co-defendants, Donald J. Kowalski, 22, Bad Axe, and John V. Champagne, 25, Kinde, both pleaded guilty to charges of conducting a criminal enterprise and have been sentenced to lengthy prison terms. They, along with Filion, were also ordered to pay combined restitution totaling \$31,923.54.

Investigators say the 2 men were responsible for 50 break-ins between Sept. 29 and Dec. 20, 1997, and that Filion assisted them in 22 of the burglaries.

Most of the crimes — 19 — took place in Tuscola County, where the men targeted the Deford, Gagetown and Kingston elementary schools and the Gagetown Cooperative Elevator.

The crime spree, involving schools, businesses and other facilities in 11 different counties, resulted in an estimated \$119,000 in property damage and the theft of a combined \$67,000 in checks and cash.

More than 30 law enforcement agencies participated in the year-long investigation that led to the trio's arrest.

Looking back, Huron County Prosecutor Mark Gaertner said he's satisfied with the conclusion of the case.

"The ring leader of this, Donald Kowalski, got 20 to 40 years, John Champagne — the guy that cooperated (with police) got 5 to 20 years, and Melissa Filion, the least culpable of the 3, got one year in jail," he said. "The sentences that were handed out were appropriate, so justice was served."

As for the minimum 18-month jail term initially handed down to Filion, Gaertner indicated he had no problem with the revised sentence of one year she received last week.

"We thought, there is no sense fighting for 6 more months of jail time, and calling in 50 witnesses. That's not fair to the taxpayers," he said.

Besides, Gaertner pointed out, if Filion fails to follow the guidelines set forth in her probation, she will be brought back to court and face a sentence of up to 20 years in prison.



THE RECIPIENTS of this year's Cub Scout of the Year Awards are Gavin Mills (left), son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Mills, and Derrick Mallory (right), son of Mr. and Mrs. Brian Mallory.

Wood ready for fair

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them to come to the fair." It is a business. Once Katie receives the check for Phoo, over half of it will go towards repaying her father for the feed. She deposits the rest in savings.

Katie enjoys the fair because she meets so many people and she enjoys competing. But there's a lot of hard work that goes into fair preparation, besides general animal care.

Katie has club meetings where she assists in theme decorating a trashcan for the fair. The 4-H club will also make an educational display. Katie also decorates her designated stable at the fair, which will be judged.

She is also decorating a cake to be judged in the home economics division of crafts. Katie said her cake, which will be judged on appearance, will encompass a Barbie doll in the center of the cake, and the frosting on the cake will be its dress. The decorated cakes will receive an A, B or C rating.

"Last year, I did one of a football field," she said.

Katie also plans to create a collage.

"No cardboard or paper can be showing through," she said. "It has to represent one theme." Katie is not yet sure of her theme.

In the meantime, she must still care for her animals.

"You can't slack off," she said. Katie walks Phoo for 1/2 mile every day. She walks him in the evening so

the sun doesn't lighten Phoo's dark spots, which dot his white body.

"You have to make sure what's supposed to be white stays white and what's supposed to be black stays black," Jane said.

Between July 8-10, Jane and Keith cared for Katie's animals while she attended a 4-H camp in Caseville.

Katie still keeps in touch with some of her camp friends. She said many will be at the fair. While at camp, Katie said she goes to the beach, stays in cabins with bunk beds, enjoys arts and crafts and plays games.

"I like gold rush," she said. "We go and find colored rocks - green, red and blue. They're worth fake money and we can exchange the money for different things at camp, like face painting."

When Katie turns 15, she would like to become a camp counselor at the 4-H camp, as her older sister, Wendy Wood, 15, is now.

"Then I'll have even more fun," she said.

"She'll be in charge of about 9 younger children," Jane added.

As for now, Katie is looking forward to the Tuscola County Fair.

"I'm like meeting people, hanging out and having fun," she said.

In her spare time, Katie enjoys visiting friends, going to church and of course - participating in 4-H activities.

Scoring snafu delays results

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ing the problems to the MEAP office in Lansing. The fax date was June 11, and Helwig still hasn't heard back.

"They said they'd pass it on to NCS," Helwig said. "I think NCS has a lot to deal with right now."

Helwig added, "They said not to distribute the results to the students. They said to just sit on whatever we have until we get the new ones."

Helwig was even told to throw away the fifth grade science results. "It's just discouraging," she said. "The scores we have now are disappointing. But, I'm not taking it to heart because we don't know how accurate they are. Right now, I question the accuracy of all scores."

The resulting delay means wasted time for Cass City Schools - time that could be spent reviewing the analysis of the results and then setting up a curriculum for the following year. This enables

students to score higher on the following MEAP tests. For now, however, analysis of the results and curriculum change will have to wait.

"We're not looking at the tests yet because we may not have the right scores," Helwig said. "We'll start out the school year with whatever was planned and when we find out the scores are legitimately ours and legitimately accurate, there may be a realignment of when we're teaching something."

Students, as well, can only sit and wait for their results - results that are usually distributed at the beginning of summer vacation.

"Fifth and eighth-grade students won't get their scores until their first report card of next year's school year," Helwig said.

For now, Helwig said she is trying to be patient.

"But it's frustrating," she noted. "We got the results back and they're all messed up - and I mean, they are all messed up. It's not our fault, but we're trying to deal with

it the best we can." Helwig said she is planning

to contact the MEAP office in Lansing within the week

if results are not back by then.

Board okays web guidelines

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pictures were put on the web, but one individual in the photo wished to remain off the web. Also addressed was the concern of identifying individual art by artist's name.

"How is putting a person's picture on the web different from putting it in the hall or a newspaper?" asked George Bushong, CCHS computer instructor. "The basis of the web is information. Where's the information of that when you put projects up and only Johnny, his mom and his teacher know it's his."

Bushong continued, "I don't think we can really look at a policy that handcuffs us on putting information out there. What's scary about it is that it's new. If we were worried about new

things over 100 years ago, we'd still be cooking on wood stoves."

Schuetz said that she would never put a picture on the web of a child who doesn't want to be on the web.

Superintendent of Schools Ken Micklash suggested sending home permission slips that can be returned if parents do not want their children on the web. That way, he said, no one would have to worry about gathering up hundreds of permission slips from those who wanted to have a photograph of themselves on the web.

"We should look for something to happen tonight," Bushong suggested. "If we put it off, it won't go into effect until after school starts."

Also suggested by Schuetz is a list for each teacher,

naming the children who do not wish their photograph to be on the web page.

However, Secretary David Knight said he could see future problems with this.

"When parents go on the web and for the first time see their student on the web without permission, it'll be an administrative nightmare," he said. "I'm pretty sure it's going to happen. Inspection or review by different people is not 100 percent guaranteed. Some will go through."

"We are very selective on what we put in," Schuetz said.

The permission resolution was amended to state that if parents wish to withdraw permission at any time, or reinstate it, to contact the school office or principal.

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GARAGE SALE - Friday, 10 a.m.-7 p.m., Saturday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., July 16-17. Furniture, household items, lawn items, some clothing, a little bit of everything. 9 miles north of the stoplight in Cass City. 14-7-14-1

SALE - 3900 E. Cass City Rd., 5 1/4 west of Cass City, Thursday and Friday, July 15 and 16, 9:00-5:00, Saturday, July 17, 9 to noon. Multi-family - children's clothing, ladies' small thru plus, men's small thru 3X, sofa and loveseat, gas stove, table and chairs, pop-up camper w/ screen room, dishes, toys and lots of miscellaneous. Hartwick, Fischer and Crane. 14-7-14-1

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New on the Market - Set on 4 1/2 acres and paved road. This
home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large kitchen plus dining room,
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Move Right In - 2 story brick home, remodeled with fireplace,
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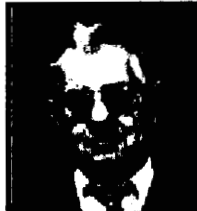
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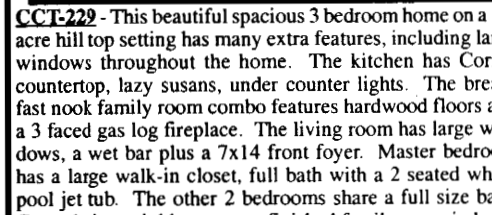
CCT-224 - 1 1/2 story home with oversized 2 car de-
tached garage. Large fenced yard. Deck off rear of home.
Located in nice neighborhood. Very nice home.



UB-057 - Large 4 bedroom country home with 1 1/2 baths, new
family room (14x38) and kitchen. Andersen windows, LP heat,
with a wood add on. Nice shape. 40 acres, 35 acres into hay,
has a barn and 32x56 pole barn.



CCT-222 - This beautiful spacious 3 bedroom home on a 1.5
acre hill top setting has many extra features, including large
windows throughout the home. The kitchen has Corian
countertop, lazy susans, under counter lights. The break-
fast nook family room combo features hardwood floors and
a 3 faced gas log fireplace. The living room has large win-
dows, a wet bar plus a 7x14 front foyer. Master bedroom
has a large walk-in closet, full bath with a 2 seated whirl-
pool jet tub. The other 2 bedrooms share a full size bath.
Central air, sprinkler system, finished family room in bas-
ement. Speaker system out to lovely brick patio. Beauti-
fully landscaped, double entrance to basement.

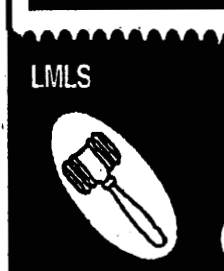


CCT-228 - This wonderfully unique 3 bedroom home fea-
tures a galley kitchen, track lighting, tiled bar area and wood
stove with stone in family room. Walk-out patio off master
bedroom, great view from back of home, adjoins 9 hole
golf course. Back yard has garden area and shed. 2 level
deck with landing. Nice neighborhood, walking trail
nearby.

CCT-230 - TOO NEW FOR PICTURE - Large 2
story home, 2 baths, corner lot.
CC-361 - 80 ACRES, 28 wooded, prime hunting.
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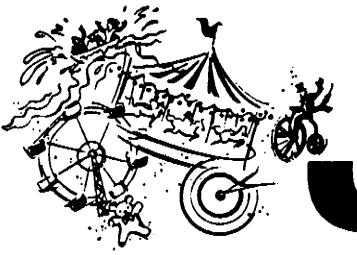


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No admission charge opening
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**BRING THE FAMILY AND
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Sunday, July 18, 7:30 p.m.
GOSPEL MUSIC
Featuring
Praise Quartet
Two for One
Family Traditions
MC - John Hayden
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Sponsored by:
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Wednesday, July 21st
**PICKUP and
TRACTOR
PULLS**
7:30 p.m.

Two Nights
RODEO
Friday, July 23rd
Saturday, July 24th
at 7:00 p.m.

Monday, July 19th
9 a.m. 4-H Horse Show
4-H Rabbit Show
8 p.m. Britt Small -
Mandy Lyn

Thursday, July 22nd
**SENIOR
CITIZEN DAY**
FREE Until 6:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m. Harness Racing

Tuesday, July 20th
KIDS' DAY
\$6.00
14 yrs. & under
Until 4:00 p.m.

Friday, July 23rd
**4-H & FFA
LARGE LIVESTOCK
JUDGING CONTEST**
9:00 a.m.
PEDAL PULL 4:00 p.m.

**MOTORCYCLE
RACING**
Sunday, July 25th
1:00 p.m.
Time Trials
11:00 a.m.

**THERE WILL BE LIMITED EXHIBITS
OPEN ON SUNDAY. PROGRAM MAY BE
ALTERED DUE TO WEATHER OR OTHER
UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES.
*THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS ON
TICKETS SOLD ***

SUNDAY, JULY 18, 1999

10:00 a.m. - 4-H Dog Show
6:15 p.m. - 4-H Parade starting at Sugar Beet plant through the
Fairgrounds to the grandstand
6:30 p.m. - 4-H Talent Show & Crowning of 4-H King & queen
7:30 p.m. - Gospel Hour - Family Traditions (John & Sandy
Grimshaw Family), Praise Quartet, Two for One, MC - John Hayden
(Family Life Radio)

MONDAY, JULY 19, 1999

9:00 a.m. - 4-H Horse Show
9:00 a.m. - 4-H Rabbit Show
1:00 p.m. - Harness Racing
8:00 p.m. - Britt Small - Mandy Lynn

TUESDAY, JULY 20, 1999

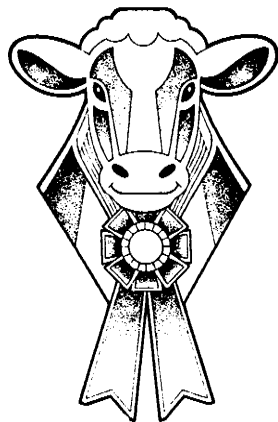
KIDS DAY - 14 yrs. and under \$1.00 discount until 4 p.m.

9:00 a.m. - 4-H swine show
9:00 a.m. - 4-H Goat show
9:00 a.m. - 4-H Horse show
9:00 a.m. - 4-H Poultry show
10:00 a.m. - 4-H & Open Dairy Show
1:00 p.m. - Harness Racing
5:00 p.m. - 4-H & Open Sheep Show
7:30 p.m. - Demolition Derby

WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, 1999

9:00 a.m. - Open Horse Show
9:00 a.m. - Open Goat Show
9:00 a.m. - 4-H & Open Beef Show
1:00 p.m. - Harness Racing
6:00 p.m. - Small Livestock Sweepstakes at Rabbit Judging Tent

Schedule of Events



*See you at
the Fair!*

7:00 p.m. - 4-H Large Livestock Sweepstakes at
livestock pavilion

7:30 p.m. - Pickup & tractor Pulls

THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1999

SENIOR CITIZENS FREE TILL 6:00 p.m.

9:30 a.m. - 4-H & FFA Small Animal Sale
1:00 p.m. - 4-H & FFA Livestock Sale (Buyers
Check-in, begins at noon)
1:00 p.m. - Harness racing

6:00 p.m. - Pony Pull

FRIDAY, JULY 23, 1999

9:00 a.m. - 4-H & FFA Large Livestock Judging
Contest

1:00 p.m. - RAIN DATE HARNESS RACES

4:00 p.m. - Pedal Pull

7:00 p.m. - I.P.R.A. Championship Rodeo

SATURDAY, JULY 24, 1999

10:00 a.m. - Light Horse Pull

1:30 p.m. - Heavy Horse Pulling

4:00-6:00 p.m. - 4-H Exhibits Checkout

7:00 p.m. - I.P.R.A. Championship Rodeo

SUNDAY, JULY 25, 1999

11:00 a.m. - Motorcycle time trials

1:00 p.m. - Motorcycle racing

*** FREE ENTERTAINMENT ***
Comedy Safari Show
Tent in front of Merchant's Building