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School axes 6 more jobs to boost balance

by Tom Montgomery **Editor**

Cass City School officials have spent considerable time discussing and implementing painful cuts in staffing and programs over the past year to offset a mountain of red ink. The board of education returned to that topic again Monday night, anmouncing a fourth round of cuts targeting more staff positions in an effort to bulk up a precarious fund balance expected to total less than 2 per-'cent of the district's \$12 million bud-

The board, meeting in regular session in front of a packed crowd of some 170 people in the high school cafeteria, unanimously voted in favor of its budget and finance committee's recommendation to eliminate a social worker position at the end of this month, and 5 teaching jobs at the semester break.

The teaching jobs are: a middle school special education instructor, 2 middle school teaching positions,

Area residents have the opportunity

to send a special "thank-you" to ser-

vicemen and women defending their

In honor of the upcoming Veteran's

Day observance, and to jump start

the holiday season, veterans organi-

zations and post offices in the com-

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ing a "Mailing of Care Packages for

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tary special education teacher.

The cuts add up to just over \$210,000, with a net savings of more than \$153,800 after unemployment costs, according to school Supt. Ron Wilson, who said the fund balance will now total about \$340,000, or about 3 percent of the district's budget.

School board members identified the 3 percent figure as a minimum acceptable fund balance in conjunction with their annual goals discussion last month. Experts say a healthy fund balance should equal at least 10 percent of a district's budget.

Before making the announcement, school officials described for the audience the factors that have led to the need for additional cost reduc-

But many of those offering public comment urged the board to recon-

Cass City Education Association President Jon Zdrojewski said the board and union have worked well together during recent tough finanan elementary teacher, and an elementary teacher teacher.

Needed items include snack foods,

gum, Ramen noodles, candy, Kool

Aid, bottled juice, shampoo and con-

ditioner, bars of soap, cards, socks,

paper and pens, envelopes, sun

screen, combs, hair brushes, Kleenex,

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officials don't feel their concerns have been taken into account in this latest round of cuts. The union doesn't support any more layoffs that would affect students, and these cuts will, Zdrojewski said.

Several parents also spoke. Some asked if additional programs might be eliminated, while others asked if the board had looked at alternatives to reducing teaching staff positions.

Resident Joe VanAuken asked if the board had seriously considered a "pay-to-play" policy for athletics, or asking parents to pay for student transportation.

Board President Michelle Biddinger indicated the board has considered several alternatives.

"It's all a balancing act," she said, adding school officials have to weigh possible cuts against the potential loss of students whose families may decide to send their children to another district.

Trustee finance committee member Theresa Rabideau agreed, saying the committee didn't take the proposed cuts lightly and focused on reductions that would have the least impact on students. "I understand that (parents' concerns). We're simply down to no good solutions, Rabideau added.

Ruth Fluegge asked the staff members in the audience if they would be

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Happy Halloween!

JAYCI MEYERS, 5, of Edmore, dressed as Dorothy from the Wizard of Oz, decorates a mini-pumpkin during a Halloween party hosted by Tendercare, Cass City, Saturday night. She is the granddaughter of Tendercare Bookkeeper Sally Daws. At left, Tendercare activities assistant Bonnie Marker directs traffic during the event.

Newspapers, cemetery records on-line

Society set to unveil years of work

by Tom Montgomery Editor

The Cass City Historical and Genealogical Society has literally put years of hard work into its Elkland Township Cemetery and Cass City newspaper projects, and making a wealth of information about both available on-line to the public.

Now, they are ready to showcase both programs and teach area residents how to use them.

Officials at Rawson Memorial Library in Cass City will host an open house Saturday, Nov. 4, from 10 a.m. to noon to showcase both websites, which can be accessed on the library's website - www.rawson.lib.mi.us.

"The historical society will be providing cider and donuts, and members of the genealogical society will be providing hands-on computer help," said library Director Kate VanAuken.

The newspaper project took a full 5 years to complete, preserving issues of the Cass City Chronicle and Cass City Enterprise dating back to the early 1880s. The effort involved filming, digitizing and indexing the newspapers to make the information contained in 120 years of local history easily accessible, both on CD and, now, on the Internet.

Former Rawson Memorial Library Director Barb Hutchinson and Cass City Historical and Genealogical Society member Katie Jackson spearheaded the project, which cost some \$52,000.

"And even that came in under what we anticipated," said Hutchinson, who noted initial cost estimates came in at about \$80.000. The Pinney Foundation provided the bulk of funding with a \$37,000 grant.

"Physically, it (project) was a lot of work because you had to take all the leather bound books out" of the Chronicle building, noted historical and genealogical society member Carol Connell.

"We really appreciate that John (long-time Chronicle owner/publisher John Haire) let us do this," added Hutchinson, who did much of the research into finding a company that could handle the project. In the end, she worked with 3 different firms to finally get the work completed.

"It's an amazing feat," commented

Once accessed on the library's website, the newspapers can be searched by keyword, issue and year. The program also includes a "tips" page to assist those who access the site.

Hutchinson noted the program is

How to access the Cass City newspapers database:

1. Go to www.rawson.lib.mi.us. 2. Click on the blue "Cass City Newspaper." button.

3. Three choices appear on the screen: "Tips Page", "Keyword Search" and "Browse Manually by Issue". For best results, read the "Tips" section before beginning.

4. For a general search, select "Keyword Search". Enter the word or name in the search box. A list of documents appear. Click on the desired document.

5. Use the back button to move between issues.

6. Once in the issue, right click and select "Search". Enter your term or name and it will be highlighted in the issue.

7. If the approximate date is known, select the "Browse Manually by Issue" button.

8. The dates of all issues will be listed. In some cases a year of issues may be divided into more that one

9. Click on the desired year, then click "Issues". Use the back button to move between issues.

best used with broadband Internet service due to the size of the files. And, she pointed out, the keyword search tool is not perfect.

"When you do a keyword search, it's character recognition, (so) just because it (individual search) doesn't come up on keyword doesn't mean it isn't there," Hutchinson said.

"This doesn't have all the bells and whistles that some programs do, but we also don't have all the on-going costs," added Hutchinson, who said the tab to add additional years of the Chronicle will total about \$500 annually. "This is not 100 percent, but it's certainly a much better tool than we've had before.

CEMETERY DATABASE

Thanks to the historical and genealogical society, genealogy buffs also have a much better tool than they've ever had to search for information on graves at Elkland Township Cem-

The new cemetery database system allows anyone to quickly and easily find a wealth of information, including names, dates of birth and death, maiden names, spouse names, the funeral home, and the owner of each cemetery lot.

Visitors to the site will also find information on the specific section, lot and plot for someone, then match that information to a numbered map which is now also available on the

The cemetery records are the result of nearly a decade of work put in by volunteers with the historical society who painstakingly compiled the information by going through records in the basement of the library and by literally walking the cemetery grounds to locate each grave.

How to access the cemetery records database:

1. Go to www.rawson.lib.mi.us 2. Click on the blue button "Elkland Township Cemetery

Records' 3. Enter your search name

4. Check off any field you'd like to be displayed within the "List Field" box and click "update" if you have checked any boxes. 5. Scroll down to the person you are searching for and click on their

name. 6. The information will be displayed and you may print this information as well.

Please note that you can do an "Advanced Search", see the entire 'Master List", and view the map of the cemetery by clicking in the "Navigation Area" on the Home Page.

Remember--

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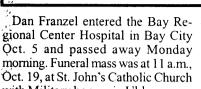
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with Military honors in Ubly. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Filar of Washington, Mich., Joyce Pechette of California, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Maurer of Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson, and Mrs. Ray Depcinski visited Veronica Dolinski and Thelma Jackson this week.

Mrs. Art Morell passed away at

Courtney Manor in Bad Axe Mon-

Otis Robinson, a former resident of this vicinity, passed away Monday at Peoria, Ill.

Thirteen members of The Traveling Breakfast Club met at the Coffee Cup Plus Thursday morning. They will meet at the Peppermill next week.

Mrs. Ronnie Gracey, Mrs. Janis Peyerk, Mrs. Harold Ballagh, and Mrs. Gerald Wills visited Thelma Jackson last week.

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Sarah and Andrew Green

Rummel, Green exchange vows

Sarah Kathleen Rummel and Andrew Zachary Green were married Saturday, July 22, 2006 at 5:30 p.m. in an outdoor ceremony at Woodfield Country Club, Grand Blanc.

The bride is the daughter of Mark and Sally Rummel of Fenton, formerly of Pigeon. The groom is the son of Dr. Robert and Marilyn Green of Cass City.

The matron of honor was Airi Rummel, sister-in-law of the bride. The bridesmaids were Katie Nydham and Kristin Courville, friends of the bride; Courtnay Green, sister of the groom; and Kelsey Travis, cousin of

The best man was Ryan Brinkman, friend of the groom. The groomsmen were Josh Brinkman, Matthew Mever and D.J. Malone, friends of the groom; and Andrew Rummel, brother

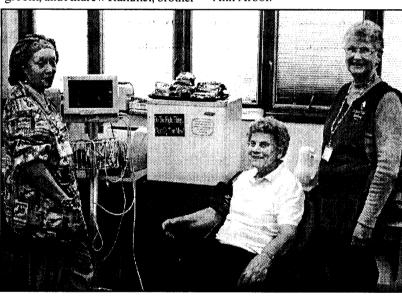
Hostesses were Dana Albrecht and Kristine Gettel, friends of the bride.

Officiating the ceremony was the Rev. Randall P. Schultz, pastor of Our Savior Lutheran Church, Flint. Providing wedding music was the Great Lakes Chamber Players String Duo. A reception immediately followed at Woodfield Country Club for 200

Andrew is currently completing his final year at the University of Michigan School of Dentistry. He will join his father's dental practice in May 2007 in Cass City.

Sarah is a 2003 graduate of Oakland University and will complete her studies in the Mott Community College Dental Hygiene Program in May

The couple is currently residing in Ann Arbor.



THE ANNUAL HILLS and Dales General Hospital Health Fair drew a nice crowd Thursday. Above (from left), Kristin Frank, R.N., administers a blood pressure

> hospital auxiliáry member Mary Ann Hirn looks on.

check on Jessie Goodall as

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Meg's Peg Kids make you smile by Melva E. Guinther

I dearly love little kids. It's my privilege to play with the one-year-olds while their mothers are at MOPS (Mothers Of Pre-Schoolers) meetings twice a month.

It's also true that I'm somewhat relieved when their moms collect them after a couple hours. The Lord wisely decided when we'd have the stamina to deal with small children on a fulltime basis and when we'd be better at grand-parenting - part time.

People get annoyed when kids misbehave in public, especially when the parents seem oblivious. But sometimes, when I see impatient mothers shopping with small children in a crowded store, I try to put myself in the kids' place.

They're down there below the level of most of the counters, can't see much of what occupies Mom's attention. In fact, what they see mostly is knees, ankles and the bottom of lots of garments. No wonder they get

On a Focus on the Family broadcast, Dr. James Dobson related a believable account of one little kid who was in the checkout line with his dad. The very large woman in front of them was wearing a construction worker's hat. (Now put yourself in the boy's place.)

The huge woman's phone began to ring, and the child cried, "Look out, Dad, she's backing ap!"

Another story I heard recently was about a woman who was giving birth during a citywide blackout. There was but one EMT on hand to help with the delivery, along with the woman's 3-year-old daughter.

He had no choice but to ask the little girl to hold the flashlight for him.

When the newborn finally emerged, the EMT smacked the baby's bottom to start him breathing - and bawling. The little girl had dutifully held the flashlight silently throughout the whole procedure.

When the attendant asked her what she thought about it, she indignantly replied, "He shouldn't have crawled in there in the first place. Smack him

Some slightly older youngsters, 5th and 6th graders, came up with these interesting answers on tests:

*Vacuums are nothings. We only mention them to let them know we know they are there.

*The cause of perfume disappearing is evaporation. Evaporation gets blamed for a fot of things people forget to put the top on.

*Momentum is something you give a person when they go away. *One of the main causes of dust is

janitors. *When planets run around and

around in circles, we say they are orbiting. When people do it, we say they are crazy.

*Genetics explains why you look like your father, and if you don't, why you should.

*The word "trousers" is an uncommon noun because it is singular at the top and plural at the bottom.

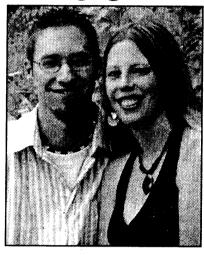
*Water vapor gets together in a cloud. When it is big enough to be called a drop, it does.

*For asphyxiation, apply artificial respiration until the patient is dead.

*To keep milk from turning sour, keep it in the cow.

How can you not love kids?

Engaged



Jessica Moore and Chad Thorley

Brian and Julie Moore of Snover along with Mark and Nancy Thorley of Snover announce the engagement of their children, Jessica Alice and Chad Anthony.

Jessica is a 2003 graduate of Sandusky High School and is currently attending Saginaw Valley State University where she will graduate in December 2007 with a Bachelor of Arts degree, majoring in elementary education with minors in early childhood, math and science.

Chad is a 2004 graduate of Sandusky High School and is currently attending Delta College where he will graduate in May 2007 with an Associate's Degree in automotive service technology.

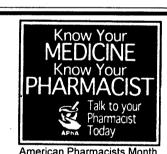
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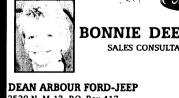


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Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Bob Gengler is in the midst of creating a Detroit Tiger display for the Cass City Historical Society.

Any paraphernalia connected with the team or historical highlights will be appreciated. Mementos of the days when the team played in the same park (with updates) before it entered Comerica Park. That includes Navin Field, Briggs Stadium and Tiger Stadium.

If you can help, call Gengler (872-4530) or Historical Society honcho Katie Jackson (872-3109).

I discovered that the talk of the ingrained support of Tiger baseball in Detroit and Michigan is not just media lip service. It probably is as strong now as it was in 1935 when a group of us from Pinconning (including a 13-year-old kid, me) stood in line all night to get tickets in the bleachers.

The fellow I talked to at Sunday's game said that he stood in line Saturday and bought a standing room only ticket, entering about 2.5 hours before game time. To hold the seat in the front row, he said, you need never leave it before the game starts because possession is more than 9 tenths of the law. You leave, you lose. After the game starts your spot is secure, he said, while you use the facilities or grab a cup of hot chocolate for \$5.50.

One more item concerning the Tigers. Our seats were in the top deck, section 40, row 11 and they provided an excellent view of the field. Besides all the winter underwear, winter coats and hats needed in 35-degree weather, you should also bring one more item for protection-ear plugs.

It sounded like the loudspeakers originated right behind us and they were loud, loud, loud.

Annual report from Shabbona Methodist Church. The apple pie sale this year was in the neighborhood of 2,200. The price was up to \$8 each and the net proceeds to the church remained about the same as the previous year.



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Cass City Chronicle Oct. 25, 2006 5-Day Local Forecast In-Depth Local Forecast. **Upcoming Moon Phases** Wednesday Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a high temperature of 46°, humidity of 81% Partly Cloudy 各海海岛的 and an overnight low of 34°. The record high Full High: 46 Low: 34 First Last New temperature for today is 79° set in 1963. The 11/5 11/12 10/29 11/20 Thursday record low is 23° set in 1982. Thursday, skies **Sunrise/Sunset Times** Scat'd Rain will remain partly cloudy with a 50% chance of rain, high temperature of 48°, humidity of Sunrise today7:59 a.m. High: 48 Low: 38 87% and an overnight low of 38° Sunset tonight Friday Mostly Cloudy Last Week's Local Almanac High: 42 Low: 35 **Day** High Low Normals Precip 58/40 0.00'Saturday Monday 27 Normal precipitation0.53" Tuesday 55 48 57/39 0.00" Departure from normal -0.53" Mostly Cloudy Wednesday 61 50 57/39 0.00" High: 39 Low: 32 Thursday 39 57/39 0.00" Average normal temperature47.6° Sunday 36 56/38 0.00" Departure from normal-2.0° Saturday 36 56/38 0.00" Mostly Cloudy Data as reported from Bad Axe, Michigan 48 35 55/38 Sunday High: 41 Low: 35 © 2006 Accessweather.com, Inc

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Elkland revenue going up following hearing

Elkland Township officials recently approved a modest tax revenue increase following a Truth in Taxation Hearing.

A Truth in Taxation Hearing is required by the Headlee Amendment, which limits to the rate of inflation the annual increase in property tax revenue that schools, townships and governments receive.

Doug Powers, who serves as township assessor, explained that the increase in revenue is not the result of an increase in the township tax rate compared to a year ago. Rather, the board's action will enable the township to collect an additional .0443 mills, bringing the tax levy up to 1.6468 mills - the same rate as last year.

The increase adds up to about 2.76 percent, according to Powers, who estimated the township will receive additional revenue totaling, perhaps, \$3,000

In other business during the regular monthly meeting, the board:

*Learned the Tuscola County Road Commission will be placing double stop signs for east/west traffic on Milligan Road at Dodge Road because the intersection qualified for the High Risk Rural Road Program

added to replace the funds lost when

extra property taxes for operations

It was great for Cass City that re-

ceived so much more money that the

school used the surplus to make re-

pairs to buildings and grounds. Be-

fore the financial bonanza under the

restraints to spending that the vot-

ers insisted upon, Čass City was

among the top 5 schools in the state

with the lowest cost per pupil for edu-

started to unfold, thinking that when

the money came from the state inevi-

tably schools would increasingly be

controlled not by local taxpayers, but

It surely was a stress-free ride for a

decade. Contracts with the Tri-

County Bargaining Association rep-

resenting Cass City teachers were

signed with raises that prevailed in

the Thumb. The union representa-

tives and the school board representatives weren't forced to stay in Caro

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after being reviewed by staff from the Michigan Department of Transportation and the county road commission.

*Adopted a resolution opposing the proposed K-16 spending mandate to be decided by voters in the upcoming general election.

The proposal would increase current funding by some \$565 million and require the state to provide annual funding increases equal to the rate of inflation for public schools, intermediate school districts, community colleges and higher education. Township officials fear the proposal, if approved, would cut funding for critical local government services or raise taxes on individuals and job provid-

*Approved a motion to allow the use of fieldstones as markers at Elkland Township Cemetery with prior individual board approval. Size restrictions will be in place.

*Approved the following election inspectors for the Tuesday, Nov. 7, general election: Precinct One - Doris Jones (chairperson), Pat Wells, Naomi Barnes, Christine Mathie and Connie McNaughton; Precinct 2 - Margie Morley (chairperson), Marge Feebish, Sandy Nizzola, Celia House and Tiffany Spencer.

The Haire Net

School "bandage" didn't stop bleeding



When the principal method of raising money for the operation of schools and colleges in Michigan changed, it was hailed as a panacea for hard-pressed taxpayers - a bandage that would stop the bleeding. A 2-cent increase in the sales tax was

guiding hand of the Michigan Education Association an attempt is underway to do so.

Proposal 5 would amend the constitution to make mandatory an increase of \$565 million and then guarantee increases based on the rate of infla-

returning, even though under the

tion regardless of the economy.

There's no doubt that schools are suffering financially and are desperately looking for more money, but amending the constitution is not the way to do it.

Why not make it possible for school districts to go to their taxpayers and raise money for operation?

If past performance is an indicator, that way of raising money is difficult, but not impossible, and reverts some of the control of the school's finances back to the people immediately affected.

Persons who care about their school and how the money is spent.

The back forty by Roger Pond by Roger Pond

I guess I'll never understand credit card companies. How can they continue issuing credit and encouraging folks to buy things they can't afford, without running into serious collection problems?

Yesterday I had two credit card offers over the phone and one in the mail — and that was a slow day. In recent weeks I've been offered gold, platinum, silver-plated, cadmium-coated and lead-alloy cards with affiliation to everybody under the sun.

Most of them want to lower my interest rate — even though I don't pay any interest. They seem to forget: If we pay our bills on time, we don't have any interest.

I give them all the same answer, "We've got plenty of cards. Clank!"
It's easy to see why card companies want to extend credit to people like me. We're valued customers, members of a select group, persons of impeccable taste. (Besides that we're alive and breathing.)

I'm not sure when the concept of living within one's means became outmoded, but I think television advertising has something to do with it. I get a kick out of those commercials that suggest, "You need to buy this — not because you need it, not because you can afford it: You need to buy this because you deserve it."

Maybe I have a low opinion of myself, but I don't think I've ever bought anything because I deserve it.

Last weekend I watched a commercial for a company that offers money to folks who didn't pay it back last

time. This commercial features former football player who has so much money I can't understand why he does these things.

he does these things.

The football player comes on the screen and asks folks with credit problems to call this company and find out how to buy things they can't atford. He suggests a new car is something they might need, but can't pay for.

"Just call us and find out how you can buy the car you need and deserve," he says.

I was reminded of a story my brother told me a few years ago. My brother Kenny was sitting in the coffee shop chatting with an old-timer who lives nearby — when a younger man stopped by their table.

The young man told them about his job and his boss and quite a few things that weren't going well at work!

"First they changed my hours, then I got a new boss, and now I've go more responsibility, but I don't ge paid any more than I did before," he said.

The young fellow described changes in the benefits package his company was offering the newer employees and all of the problems he was having with that. This man gave everyone within hearing the distinct impression he wasn't getting what deserved.

When the young fellow walked away, the old-timer turned to my brother and said, "You know, I think I've spent most of my life trying to avoid getting what I deserve."



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Red Hawk Talk

by Kyle Swanson

A photo ID, a birth certificate, and a permission slip and we're off! Last week on Tuesday, students from the Cass City High School had the opportunity to take a trip to Stratford, Canada, to see the play "Oliver!" Approximately 90 students and chaperones took advantage of the opportunity and had a great time.

Not surprisingly though, is that it took a lot of work to plan the trip. Thanks to the dedication of high school teacher Jane Reif, the trip comes together every year. Planning actually begins the year before, as students begin to register and Mrs. Reif reserves the tickets and the motor coaches. But, when all the backstage work was done, it was time for the show!

Students started boarding the busses at about 8:20 a.m. and the busses took off at 8:40 a.m. Tuesday morning. On the way over, the busses were filled with students listening to music, watching DVDs or just talking to each other. On my bus, some students even took to playing the game "Catchphrase" to pass the time. All in all, it only took about 4 hours to get from Cass City to Stratford, including the time it took to cross the

When the busses pulled into Stratford, students were eager to get off the busses and begin to explore the town. The busses got to Stratford about an hour before the show began and so students were allowed to go explore the local shops. A lot of the people I talked to went to one of the local chocolate shops or ice cream parlors, but others decided to just walk down by the river or visit the theatre gift shop.

However, the most popular destination in Stratford, beside the theatre, is by far the local toy store. Each year several students venture across town to the store and explore all of the new toys. And to make the journey more fun, visitors to the shop

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But during the time before the show, I took a couple of minutes to talk to some of the chaperones on the trip. One of the chaperones, Betsy Dillon, told me, "I am really enjoying this trip because it will be the last school field trip that I will be able to take with my daughter." I would like to personally thank all of the chaperones for giving up their time to help out on the

Finally, it was time for the show! Everyone got their tickets and headed into the theatre. I know that I really enjoyed the play, but I wanted to see what everyone else thought. Cass City student Derek Suro told me, "The play was excellent, it makes me really want to see another play, like 'The Phantom of the Opera'." And once I talked with a few other students, it was clear that everyone enjoyed the

When the play was over, everyone boarded the busses again and headed back for Cass City. Terra Czekai commented, "The ride there (to Stratford) seemed a lot shorter than the ride back." But not to fear, because the bus returned to the high school at 9:30 p.m. Tuesday night and students headed home to get a little rest after a

Although students always seem to have a good time, the weather usually doesn't fully cooperate. Cass City High School Senior Allie Hillaker told me, "Even though it was cold and rainy, I still had a lot of fun on the trip." And all of the people that I talked to seemed to agree that the unpleasant weather or long bus ride didn't outweigh the fun they had.

To all of those who didn't get to go this year, I would encourage you to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity next year.

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Several appear on felony charges

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

•Christopher M. Popp, 34, Caro, pleaded guilty to assaulting a police officer Sept. 5 in Caro, and to being an habitual offender (3 or more prior felony convictions)

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered, bond was continued at \$4,000 the defendant was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department. Sentencing is to be sched-

•George B. White, 66, Millington, pleaded no contest to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, May 27 in Denmark Township.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at

\$1,000. Sentencing is to be set. •James D. Hill, 26, Caro, pleaded guilty to third degree child abuse and

domestic violence Aug. 15 in Caro. A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$2,000. Sentencing is to be sched-

•Jeremy A. Langenburg, 31, Vassar, was sentenced to 18 months to 7 1/2 years in prison for his pleas of guilty to 3 counts of possession of a firearm by a felon, and possession of marijuana Feb. 13 in Tuscola Town-

He was also ordered to pay court costs and fines totaling \$345.

•Russell A. Rondo, 24, Caro, was sentenced to 120 days in the county jail and 24 months probation for his pleas of no contest to assaulting a police officer and domestic violence Aug. 13 in Caro.

He was also ordered to pay costs and fines totaling \$1,920.

•Robert L. Stanley, 21, Fostoria, stood mute to charges of assault with a dangerous weapon and aggravated assault July 15 in Watertown Town-

A pre-trial hearing was ordered

A Sanilac County man was seriously

injured when the 4-wheel all-terrain

vehicle he was riding collided with a

Sanilac County Sheriff's deputies

reported that Herbert R. Rich, 28, of

Snover, was driving his 4-wheeler westbound on Richmondville Road

just east of North Ruth Road when

he struck a deer and was thrown from

deer Thursday night.

Sanilac man injured

scheduled in the case and bond was continued at \$10,000.

•Christopher A. Englert, 29, Caro, was sentenced to 12 months probation and 90 days in jail (45 days deferred), with work release, for his pleas of no contest to 2 counts of assaulting a police officer and assault or assault and battery July 26 in Caro. He was also ordered to pay \$720 in costs and fines.

•Samantha J. Barrett, 26, Unionville, was sentenced to 12 months probation and 90 days in jail (45 days deferred) for her plea of no contest to false report of a felony (second degree home invasion or larceny in a building) Feb. 10 in Columbia Township, and to assaulting a police officer March 16 in Columbia Township.

She was also ordered to pay costs totaling \$530 plus restitution of

•Jim Davis, 43, Silverwood, pleaded guilty to fleeing a police officer, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, and assaulting a police officer April 19 in Fremont Township, and to being an habitual offender (one prior felony conviction).

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$10,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

•James F. White Jr., 45, Vassar, was sentenced to 11 to 33 years in prison for his jury trial convictions on charges of stalking a minor and aggravated stalking in June-July 2005 in Vassar, and to being an habitual offender (3 prior felony convictions). He was also ordered to pay fines

and costs totaling \$180. •Thomas J. Essian Jr., 37, Millington, pleaded no contest to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor and guilty to assaulting a police officer Aug. 28 in Millington Township.

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

Deputies said Rich was treated at the scene by Sanilac EMS personnel

and later flown to St. Mary's Medical

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•Glynn P. Wilson, 23, Millington, stood mute to charges of assaulting a police officer and being a disorderly person - drunk Sept. 9 in Millington, and to being an habitual offender (one prior felony conviction).

A pre-trial hearing was ordered scheduled, bond was continued at \$10,000 and the defendant was remanded to the custody of the sheriff's department.

•Samantha M. Bellman, 20, Vassar, was sentenced to 180 days in jail and 60 months probation for her plea of guilty to second degree criminal sexual conduct involving personal injury to the victim last April in

She was also ordered to pay \$3,620 in costs and fines.

•Michael F. Taylor, 23, Silverwood, was sentenced to 175 days in jail and 24 months probation for his plea of no contest to attempted larceny in a

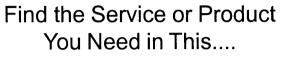
building Jan. 24, 2005, in Caro. He was also ordered to pay fines and costs totaling \$1,620.

•Sally L. Pelton, 55, Bay City, received a one-year delayed sentence for her plea of no contest to 3 counts of receiving and concealing a stolen firearm in July 2003 in Akron.

She was ordered to pay \$940 in costs

•Todd L. Partlo, 28, Caro, stood mute to charges of identity theft, 12 counts of retaining/stealing a financial transaction device without permission of the device holder, delivery/manufacture of a narcotic/cocaine (less than 50 grams and maintaining a drug house between December 2005 and August 2006 in Caro.

A pre-trial hearing was ordered scheduled and bond was continued at \$8,000.



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Cass City Rotary program

"Having a great time," says German exchange student

Karen Aldrup, 17, the sparkling blond from Germany, is in the first days of her year-long stay in Cass City and found things just about as she expected. She is another in a long list of students that took advantage of Cass City Rotary's participation in

the program that hosts a foreign student while a student from the community visits another country for a



coming week. I played in the Powderpuff Game, she laughed. At home, she said that she isn't into sports, but has a horse that she cares for and rides frequently. Today Aldrup stays at the home of Daniel and Sharon Delamarter with her "sister" Danielle Delamarter. After Christmas she moves to the home of Debra and James Kranz and then concludes her stay at the home of Mary Cunningham. (The Rotary program always seeks to have students

eryone has been so friendly, she adds,

and goes out of their way to make me

welcome. It's great! One facet of her

days in school that brought a wide

smile was spirit week during home-

a lifetime in the area. After all, she

At school, Aldrup takes courses that should be useful to further her ambition to become a doctor and then return to the United States.

stay at 3 different homes to provide

different glimpses of home life.)

I'm having a great time, Aldrup said frequently during the interview, but as prepared as she was to live in the United States, there was one surprise she unexpectedly endured. Snow in October? Unbelievable!

Recycle hours set to change

Officials at the Tuscola County Recycling Center in Caro recently announced a change in business

Beginning Jan. 1, the hours will be 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the third Saturday of each month. The recycling center is located at

1123 Mertz Rd. More information is available by calling (989) 672-1673. bу e-mail recycle@tuscolacounty.org.

Down Memory Lane

By Harmony Doerr



5YEARSAGO

Judy Doerr of Ubly was honored as this year's Friend of 4-H during the annual Sanilac County 4-H Leaders Banquet, held Oct. 13 at the MSU Extensions Office in Sandusky. She was presented the award by Aletha Mahaffy, 4-H program assistant.

Brothers Dirk and Dennis Delong returned home with a pair of bears from a late September hunting trip to Michigan's upper peninsula. Dennis' trophy tips the scales at 396 pounds, while Dirk's bear weighed 455 pounds.

Dairy herds in Michigan produced 458 million pounds of milk during September, up .7 percent from a year ago, according to the Federal/State Michigan Agricultural Statistics Service. The daily rate per cow was 50.7 pounds, up .2 pounds from 2000. The dairy herd was estimated at 301,000 head for September, up 1,000 head from a year earlier.

10 YEARS AGO

Even Wayne Dillon, counselor at Cass City High School, or Bob Stickle, retired middle school principal, who have been connected with the school for eons and eons, weren't around when Art Paddy coached his championship teams at the school in the late 1940s and early 1950s. The dwindling few who remember Paddy were able to keep in touch through the numerous articles run about him in the metro press. Another appeared in the Oct. 17 Detroit News. Paddy, 79, coaches at Ortonville Brandon, a class BB school, and his team last week was 6-0. He runs the same Wing-T offense he used in Cass City in 1946. (From Rabbit Tracks)

Cass City High School's Chad Tate just missed becoming the Class C individual state golf champion Saturday when a double bogey on the par 5 17th hole at Emerald at Maple Creek, St. Johns, enabled Jeff Irish of Lansing Catholic Central to take the title by a stroke, 145-146. Tate hit his second shot on the hole to the left and his chip went over the green. On in 4 strokes, he 3-putted for a 7. Prior to the final match, Tate led Irish by a stroke. He parred 12 straight holes before taking a 20-minute break. When he returned he went bogey, par, double bogey and par on the last 4

Patrick "Pat" Tuckey was declared the winner of the 1996 1-26 Soaring Championships held in Ionia June 26-July 3. His victory was over former 2time winners, Bob Gravance of Palmdale, Calif., and Ron Schwartz of Blattstown, N.J., who placed second and third respectively. A 1977 graduate of Frankenmuth, he is currently living in Dallas, Texas, where he is a pilot for American Eagle Commercial Airlines. Tuckey was among 25 pi-

lots from throughout the country who took part in the competition, in which pilots are required to fly a specific glider (Schweizer Model 1-26) over specified courses ranging from 60 to 130 miles in length.

25 YEARS AGO

With money vanishing from the coffers of the Michigan Department of Transportation, every time I go by the Zilwaukee bridge, I can't help but wonder how many roads could be repaired with the money wasted. The entire project wouldn't have been necessary if it was done right when Interstate-75 was built. The cost was to be \$76.8 million for the new replacement bridge. Already \$1.5 million more has been paid to re-enforce pilings because of faulty soil boring data. Now the State and the construction company are squabbling over another \$5 million in added costs. Yes, it is fun-to watch the mammoth bridge under construction if you forget who is paying the bill. (From Rabbit Tracks)

Use the warmth of the sun to heat your home by opening your curtains during the day. Draw them at night to keep the cold out.

Cass City edged to a 3-0 Thumb B Association victory last Friday at Sandusky, despite the use of a pair of new faces in the Red Hawk backfield. The win will probably enable the Hawks to finish behind Caro and the Lakers in the league race this season. The faces were new in the backfield, but certainly not new to Hawk fans. They were Dave Osentoski and Jim Adkins, mainstays of the team in the line all season.

35 YEARS AGO

Dr. W. A. De Young, pathologist at Hills and Dales Hospital, says that there is a new test out that can determine if patients are susceptible to hardening of the arteries. He sug-

gests that in the future it could be standard practice for youngsters in their early teens to take the test. That way potential victims could be discovered and placed on a diet to stem the disease before it advances so far that it is irreversible. A test like this may have been able to help patients such as Chuck Hughes, the Detroit Lions end who was stricken by the disease, Dr. DeYoung explained, while adding that arteriosclerosis in the young is a comparatively common disease. (From Rabbit Tracks)

Cass City chalked up its third victory in a row, 38-0, Thursday night as the Junior Varsity whipped the Marlette JV. Ed Stoutenburg ran 20 yards on a sweep for the first score and Dave Erla added the 2-point conversion. Mike Frederick, Cass City quarterback, threw 3 touchdown passes. A toss to Dan Mellendorf covered 35 yards and Kevin Coryell was on the receiving end of 10 and five yard pay-off heaves.

Computer Help Labs available

Thumb Area Michigan Works! officials are committed to helping everyone improve their computer literacy. Mary Pichla, Thumb Area Michigan Works! director, recently announced that beginning this week, a special "designed by you" (DBY) Computer Help Lab will be open one afternoon each week at various locations in the

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Bulldogs end year with loss to Evart

The football season didn't end the way the players or Owen-Gage fans wanted, as the team was overpowered Friday by visiting Evart, 63-6.

The Bulldogs' total offensive surge came in the first quarter when Josh McLaren bounced over from a yard out. A pass for the extra points failed.

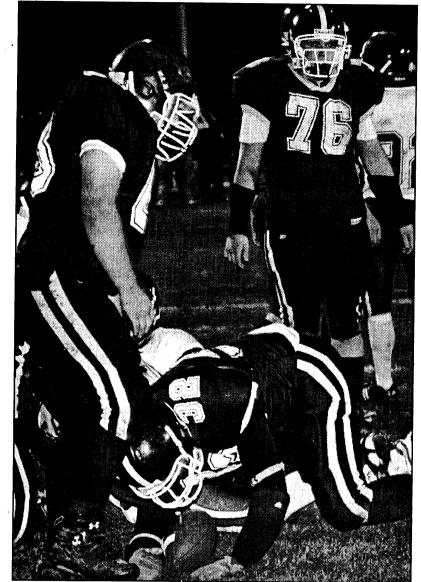
Owen-Gage could do little on the ground against Evart. The team was held to a total of 74 yards rushing, had 3 passes intercepted and lost the ball twice on fumbles.

The majority of the yards gained were through the air. Grant Champagne completed 9 of 22 passes for 162 yards. One of his favorite targets was Cody Quinn who used his 6'-6" height to advantage, hauling in 4 passes for 69 yards.

It was the last game for 6 seniors on the team that helped Owen-Gage end the season with a respectable 3-4 in North Central Thumb North and 4-5

Besides Champagne and Quinn, Josh McLaren, a two-way stalwart and co-captain will graduate.

Andy Dronsella was one of Champagne's favorite receivers and a strong defensive player. Aaron Gaeth played 3 years on the varsity at defensive back and fullback. Also gone will be Josh Howard, who produced on both the offense and defense for the Bulldogs.



CASS CITY junior varsity running back Blake Messing scores during Thursday's season finale against visiting Freeland. Despite suffering a heartfelt 28-26 defeat, Cass City recorded an impressive 8-1 record on the year.

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Cass City survives scare against hosts Freeland in regular season grid finale

Cass City ended its regular season Friday with a 59-26 non-conference victory over host Freeland, securing a Division 5 playoff spot in the process. The win improves Cass City to 6-3 on the year. They will now meet undefeated Lake Fenton this Friday in district action.

If the Hawks hope to advance into the district finals for a 3rd straight year, they will need to play focused for 48 minutes, something they didn't do against the 1-7 Falcons.

Micah Randall put Cass City on the scoreboard first when he scored the first of his 2 opening half touchdowns from one yard out with 6:18 left in the initial quarter. Derek Ricker accounted for the 2-point conversion, which proved to be the difference in the frame that ended 8-6.

Randall, who rushed for 89 yards on 10 totes, eclipsing the 1,000 yard mark on the season, helped to extended the visitors' margin to 16-6 when he found pay dirt from 6 yards out to

open the scoring in the period before the break.

However, the Falcons answered that score with an 85-yard kickoff return to claw to within 16-14.

Cass City's Kyle Sieradzki, who

gained 117 yards on 15 carries, ended the initial half scoring with 2:01 remaining on the clock when he crossed the goal line on a one-yard dive. Sieradzki also added the 2-point conversion run and at the intermission Cass City was in front, 24-14. The Hawk's cushion couldn't have been much larger at the halfway point, but fumbles killed several scoring opportunities for the visitors in the early

Freeland, hoping to revenge last year's double overtime loss to the Hawks, opened the final half with back-to-back scores and with 3:40 remaining in the stanza, the Hawks trailed for the first time, 26-24.

But senior Brad Hartel regained the

on the ensuing kickoff when he raced 80 yards to give Cass City a lead it wouldn't relinquish.

Hartel's score seemed to ignite the visitors. Cass City controlled the final 12 minutes, where they put 4 unanswered markers on the board.

Sieradzki broke loose from 46 yards out to open the touchdown parade down the stretch. He then found the end zone on a 3-yard run with 8:43 remaining on the clock where Cass City led, 48-24.

Cass City would add 2 more scores in the period. Tommy Parrish scored from 9 yards out at the 4 minute mark and Ricker ended the scoring on the night with a 56-yard gallop with 1:19 remaining.

Ricker finished the night as the Hawks' leading rusher, gaining 146 yards on 13 carries. Hartel completed 3 of 6 passes for 28 yards. Dereck Halasz was credited with 2 receptions.

Undefeated Lake Fenton, Hawks to square off Friday

Coach Scott Cuthrell's Cass City Red Hawks will make their third appearance in the state gridiron playoffs with a trip to Lake Fenton. The Hawks' Division 5 district match up with the Genesee Area Conference

Blue Devils is slated for a 7 p.m. kickoff Friday. The hosts recorded their first perfect season since 1968, shutting out 5 opponents on the way. The Blue Devils defeated six Class B schools and three Class C teams in 2006. Five of those schools finished the year with winning records, although 3 teams complied marks of 5-4.

"There're a good team," Cuthrell said. "You don't go 9-0 for nothing." Cuthrell, who watched game films Monday of Lake Fenton, added, "their offense is built around a talented fullback.'

Cass City (6-3 overall, 3-3 Greater Thumb West) has added 9 players from the Hawks' junior varsity squad onto its playoff roster.

The Blue Devils' 9 wins have come against Wyoming Kellogg Ville (30-6), Montrose (14-0), Clawson (36-0), Otisville Lakeville Memorial (37-0), Goodrich (25-0), Durand (26-6), Mt. Morris (32-12), Leslie (42-22) and Imlay City (38-0). Also competing for the Region 4 District 1 crown are Tri-Valley foes Millington (6-3) and Birch Run (8-1).

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FOOTBALL STANDINGS

GREATER THUMB WEST

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Reese	6	$\overline{0}$	8	ī
USA	5	1	5	4
BCAS	4	2	7	2
Cass City	3	3	6	-3
Lakers	2	4	2	7
Bad Axe	1 -	5	1	8
Saginaw BV	0	6	0	9

GREATER THUMB EAST

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Deckerville	6	$\overline{0}$	-8	ī
Harbor Beach	5	1	8	Í
Ubly	4	2	7	2
Marlette	3	3	3	6
Sandusky	2	4	4	5
Mayville	1	5	3	6
Brown City	0	6	0	9
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NCTLNORTH

<u>Team</u>	W	L.	W	L
Kingston	6	1	-8	$\overline{1}$
North Huron	6	1	7	2
Memphis	6	1	6	3
Peck	4	3	6	3
Owen-Gage	3	4	4	5
CPS	2	5	3	5
Dryden	1	6	. 2	.7
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Schneeberger's ATHLETES of the WEEK



Joe Homrocky



Andrew Martin



tions in recent Red Hawk victories.



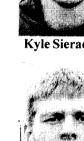
Brad Severance

Several Cass City students are recognized as Schneeberger's Athletes of the Week for their contribu-

On the gridiron field, the entire offensive unit - Hartel,

Randall, Ricker, Sieradzki, Halasz, Homrocky, Martin, Severance, Stec, Suro and Walsh - are honored for their

comeback win Friday against Freeland. The Hawks' 59-26 victory included 35 unanswered points in the final





Preston Stec



On the hardwood court, Meeker paced the Hawks to a 47-25 win Tuesday over visiting John Glenn. Meeker was the only Hawk to reach double figures as she netted 10 points to compliment 4 rebounds.



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6-4



Hyatt 75-22 (77%)



REPEAT CHAMPS!

THE GREATER Thumb West cross county champion Red Hawks are, from left, Logan Kausch, Tyler Burke, Adam Wentworth, Jeremy Farr, Kyle Reif, Lukas Varney and Cameron Lautner.

Hawk cagers earn easy wins over John Glenn and Bad Axe

Cass City rolled to a pair of easy the 2 victories, as the determining victories last week, defeating Bangor John Glenn Tuesday, 47-25, and Bad Axe, 43-28, Thursday.

Coach Lloyd Schinnerer's charges can't take much time thinking about

part of the season's schedule is on

The next 4 games, starting with a clash slated Tuesday at the Lakers, will decide the team's race for the



RED HAWK Courtney Rabideau beats Bad Axe's Ashley Craig for an easy basket in Thursday's Greater Thumb West action. Rabideau scored 11 points in Cass City's 43-28 victory.



MONSTER BUCK. Cass City resident Dave Doerr arrowed this trophy 10-point buck while hunting behind his home in Tuscola County. The brute field dressed at 180 pounds and had an inside spread of 16".

GTW crown. Cass City won't be able to lose any of the 4 games to have a crack at the crown and will also need a little help from other teams in the league. Presently, Elkton Pigeon Bay

Port has a 2-game bulge on the field. The Hawks faced the Lakers Tuesday and will play USA Thursday. Both games will be on the road. The Hawks then return home for an Oct. 31 game with Reese and a November 2 encounter with All Saints. The Laker game is a must win for the Hawks. A second loss to the Lakers would eliminate any chance for Cass City to make a title run.

The Hatchets got off to a quick start in the first quarter, paced by Chelsea Grifka who hit a pair of treys to counter Cass City's balanced attack. At the end of the period the score was tied at 10-all.

After that, Cass City took control and the Hatchets were charged with numerous turnovers and shot poorly. At the intermission Cass City was in front, 25-15.

Bad Axe's offensive woes continued in the third quarter and with 2:34 left in the period the Hawk lead had stretched to 20 points and from there the teams played on even terms.

It was another good team effort, said coach Schinnerer, and the Hawk bench contributed to the win. Sarah Howard came off the bench and was the leading rebounder with 7 boards.

Emily Schinnerer was the scoring leader with 15 and Courtney Rabideau was also in double figures with 11. Amanda Langenburg was the assist leader with 4 and Allie Richards and Courtney Rabideau each posted 5 steals.

JOHN GLENN

Cass City charged to an 11-2 lead in the first quarter and was never seriously threatened by John Glenn. Coach Schinnerer said it was a fine team effort. Most of the baskets were a result of nice assists (passes) from a teammate.

Leading at the half, 18-10, Cass City removed all doubt about the outcome with a 16-point third quarter, while the visitors were held to 4 hoops and a pair of free throws.

Nine Hawks shared in the scoring, led by Sara Meeker with 10 points. Howard came off the bench again to pace the rebounders with 5 boards and also collected 7 points.

BADAXE - Rachelle Dubey 1-0 (2-3) 4; Breault 1-0 (0-1) 2; Kaitlyn Dubey 1-0(1-5)3; Grifka 1-3(0-0)11; Craig 2-0 (0-0) 4; Lesceski 1-0 (2-2) 4. TOTALS - 7-3 (5-11) 28.

CASS CITY - Courtney Rabideau 5-0 (1-2) 11; Ashleigh Rabideau 2-0 (0-0) 4; Meeker 2-0 (0-0) 4; Dooley 2-0 (2-3) 6; Howard 1-0 (1-2) 3; Schinnerer 6-0 (3-4) 15.

TOTALS - 18-0 (7-11) 43. Junior varsity: Cass City 31, Bad Axe

JOHN GLENN - Hurley 0-0 (0-1) 0; Lanczak 1-0 (1-3) 3; Reinhardt 1-0 (0-0) 2; Bluhm 0-1 (5-5) 8; Frank 2-0 (0-2) 4; Krager 0-0 (2-2) 2; Vittiton 2-0 (2-4)

TOTALS - 6-1 (10-17) 25.

CASS CITY - Richards 1-0 (0-0) 2; Courtney Rabideau 1-0 (4-4) 6; Carly Rabideau 0-0 (2-4) 2; Ashleigh Rabideau 0-1 (1-2) 4; Meeker 3-0 (4-4) 10; Dooley 2-0 (1-2) 5; Howard 3-0 (1-4) 7; Langenburg 0-0 (0-2) 0; Schinnerer 3-0 (2-4) 8; VanVliet 1-0 (1-3)3.

ΓOTALS - 14-1 (16-29) 47. Junior varsity: Cass City 53, John Glenn 21.

Hawk runners enter regional action as Greater Thumb West champions

Cass City will enter Saturday's Divi- 4th and 5th fastest times among the Hawks' best time at 23:27, good for the Greater Thumb West cross county champions as the Red Hawks successfully defended its league title last Tuesday in Brown City.

Red Hawks Lukas Varney and Cameron Lautner finished in the top 2 spots individually to pace the winners. The final team standings and their point totals were: Cass City 25, Reese 51, Bad Axe 67, USA 86 and Lakers 123.

Varney earned medallist honors on the day with a time of 18:31, while Lautner finished as the runner up with a time of 18:59.

The Red Hawk pair received plenty of help as teammates Tyler Burke and Kyle Reif posted times of 19:12 and 19:25, respectively, finishing with the

sion 3 Regional action in Bad Axe as GTW runners. Adam Wentworth completed the Hawk scoring on the day with a time of 20:19, 13th best at the meet.

> Varney, Lautner, Burke and Reif all earned GTW first team all conference honors for their efforts, while Wentworth's time placed him on the GTW all conference second team.

GIRLS' FIELD

USA ran away with the girls' competition, securing the GTW title with 24 points. Cass City placed second with 44 points, while Bad Axe finished third with 55. No other GTW schools fielded enough runners to qualify in the team standings.

Brittnay Loomis recorded the Red

4th place individually, while Jennic Richards placed 7th with a time of 24:10. Both Hawks were rewarded with first team GTW all conference accolades for their efforts.

Cass City also placed 3 girls on the GTW all conference second team, as... Leah Whittaker placed 9th (24:17) Ashleigh Rabideau 11th (25:05) and a

Lindsay Bliss 14th (25:31). USA's Sara Turschak was the girls and medallist with a time of 21:36.

At Saturday's regional, the boys to race is slated for an 11:45 start with the girls' start to follow at 1:15 p.m."

"We have a tough regional," coach Amy Cuthrell said. "There are 3 state..." ranked teams in Freeland, Swan Vall ley and Cass City.'

Cardinals down hosts O-G

Owen-Gage finished its regular season home schedule Thursday on a sour note, as rival Kingston posted a 65-37 North Central Thumb League

crossover victory in Owendale. The Cardinals took an 18-12 advantage into the second period where they outscored their hosts, 22-10. Then leading 40-22, the Cardinals removed any comeback hopes by the Bulldogs with a 17-10 spurt after the

Cardinal point guard Leigha Wilmot burned the nets for a season-high 29 points to lead the winners. Wilmot nailed' 5 shots from beyond the 3point arc in the initial half where she recorded 22 tallies.

Owen-Gage also received a solid effort from its point guard position as April Nowaczyk canned 11 points in the opening half en route to a teamhigh 17 markers.

Also recording double digits on the night was Cardinal Allyson Crousore and Bulldog Becky Schmidt. Each player contributed 11 points.

CASEVILLE

After being held to just 14 points one week earlier against Port Hope, the Bulldogs exploded for a seasonhigh 73 points in Tuesday's victory over visiting Caseville.

period, but outscored the Eagles 38-10 over the middle frames to emerge with the lopsided 73-33 decision. Nowaczyk, Schmidt and Amanda

Faist handle the scoring duties for

the Bulldogs on the night, combining for 66 points. Nowaczyk paced the Bulldogs in the first half where she hit 3 treys to help build a 34-16 edge for the hosts.

After the break Schmidt chipped in 14 points, while Faist added 11. Faist

finished the night with 19 points. Schmidt earned game scoring honors with 25 points, while Bethany Grates scored a team-high 16 points

Owen-Gage travels to face Carsonville-Port Sanilac on Thurs-

for Caseville.

OWEN-GAGE - Faist 9-0 (1-2) 19; Schmidt 12-0 (1-4) 25; Nowaczyk 5-3 (3-4) 22; Errer 1-0 (1-2) 3; Kovach 1-0 (2-6) 4; Collon 0-0 (0-1) 0. TOTALS - 28-3 (8-19) 73.

CPS - Arntz 1-1 (0-0) 5; Forman 1-0 (0-0) 2; Quinn 0-1 (0-0) 3; Lapka 1-0 (0-0) 2; Kretzschmer 1-0 (0-0) 2; Grates 5-0 (6-7) 16; Fortsch 0-1 (0-0) 3. TOTALS - 9-3 (6-7) 33.

OWEN-GAGE - Faist 1-0 (2-6) 4; Schmidt 5-0 (1-2) 11; Nowaczyk 7-0 (3-5) 17; Errer 1-0 (0-2) 2; Kovach 1-0 (1-3)3.TOTALS - 15-0 (7-18) 37.

Owen-Gage led only 14-11 after one KINGSTON - Troop 0-0 (2-2) 2; Wilmot 1-6 (9-11) 29; Vroman 2-0 (1-(0-0) 6; Walkiewicz 1-0 (0-0) 2; Phillips 1-0 (1-2) 3; Crousore 5-0 (1-3) 11. TOTALS - 16-6 (15-23) 65.

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Medalist: M. Swanson 37.

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Sept. 29	BCAS 26, Cass City 22	
Oct. 6	Buena Vista 6, Cass City 61	
Oct. 13	Lakers 6, Cass City 52	
Oct. 20	Freeland 26, Cass City 59	
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Aug. 24	Sandusky 18, Cass City 40	
Aug. 30	Marlette 20, Cass City 45	
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Sept. 14	USA 0, Cass City 48	
Sept. 21	Reese 13, Cass City 37	
Sept. 28	BCAS 12, Cass City 42	
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Sept. 21	Frankenmuth Invite	4:30 p.m.	Α
Sept. 23	Delta College Invite	10:00 a.m.	Α
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Sept. 30	Harbor Beach	9:00 a.m.	Α
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BORN TO BE WILD Committee members (from left) Butch Brown and Paul Picklo, and Donna Schuette, general manager of Thumb Cellular, present a \$1,000 check to Nathan Haag, representing the Cass City Parks and Recreation Department.

Letters to the Editor

Time to stop believing lies

Letter to my friend John,

I found it astounding that you were "astounded" by the article in the Sunday Free Press endorsing Dick DeVos for governor. As a matter of fact, considering her misleading campaign ads and her remarkable ability to twist the truth, surpassed in this generation only by the Clintons and perhaps Ted Kennedy and Al Gore "An Inconvenient Truth (?)," I find it hard to imagine that anyone with a thinking mind would endorse the current governor. Granholm claims that she, as governor, has passed "no new general taxes," which is true to some extent. The "extent" that she fails to mention is that she has tried to pass many new general taxes, which the Michigan Legislature, hell-bent on re-election, realized that they had to vote against if they wanted to keep their sitions of authority. The fact is, she has increased many taxes, considerably. The question is: do we want a successful businessman to run our state or do we want another career politician whose obvious agenda is the expansion of government powers at our expense?

You know John, if the people are told a lie long enough and often enough, eventually that lie will be accepted as the truth. "The separation of church and state" clause, which doesn't exist in our Constitution, is one such lie. I've written about the facts concerning this lie before but apparently the truth has eluded you. It seems as if liberal judges and politicians endorse the original intent of the Framers of our Constitution when original intent, in their mind, benefits their agenda, whatever their agenda may be. When original intent doesn't fit their agenda, they just lie to us about the original intent concerning that particular part of our Constitution. To add insult to injury, they expect us to believe their lies. Unfortunately, some

In reality, religion, particularly Christianity, played a major role in the wording of our Constitution. The first amendment simply states that "Congress shall pass no law respecting an establishment of religion nor prohibiting the free exercise thereof..." As a

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matter of fact, the same person responsible for the wording of the first amendment was also one of those responsible for endorsing The Northwest Ordinance, 1787. Article 3 of the NW Ordinance states that "Religion, morality and knowledge, being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind - schools and the means of education shall forever be encouraged." Does that sound like the Framers "intended" on keeping religion out of our government

We have a choice. We can believe the lies told to us for decades, or we

own conclusions from the facts. Anyone who is literate can read and interpret the Constitution. It doesn't take a rocket scientist or a law degree as those in government with an agenda would mislead us to believe. If any judge, attorney, politician or student of the Constitution can disprove any of this, I'm all ears. Legal precedents being the problem rather than the solution are not a valid ar-

Paul Lopez for nauling the chairs and

setting up and tearing down the tents

along with Bob Chisholm, Bob Guza, Pablo Lopez Sr., Brian Heiter, Arlene

You made the day a truly special and

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Many made the day special

I appreciate all who attended or par- Leitermann for all the clean-up help, ucipated in the dedication ceremony of the Gagetown Veterans Memorial Post Office: veterans who attended, colorguards from Cass City VFW, Caro VFW, American Legion, and Kingston AM Vets.

Pablo Lopez Sr. for initiating the renaming and for being guest speaker. Other guest speakers: Congressman Dale Kildee, Sen. James Barcia, Congressman Tom Meyer, Congressman John Espinoza, Jerome Marks - special assistant to Gov. Granholm, Connie Feuerstein of Sen. Stabenow's office, Dusty Houser of Sen. Levin's office, Charles Wright -Gagetown Village President, Linda Woods - postal operations manager, Robert Hart - USPS Greater Michigan district manager, USPS Consumer Affairs Manager Sabrina Todd and other postmasters who attended.

Nancy Volante for offering Sherwood on the Hill for the luncheon along with her staff and the food she provided. Gagetown ladies along with St. Agatha Church, Nazarene Church and United Methodist Church for all the food donated. Gagetown Village Council for donating food trays and Gagetown DPW for the help. Lilly's Flowers of Unionville for donating my lovely corsage and flow-

ers for the tables. The Owendale-Gagetown band. Joseph Merchant for singing "Where Do We Find Such Men" accompanied by Robert Douglas and Clyde Leitermann. Peggy Hoppe, postmaster of Owendale, for handling the guest book (if you missed signing it please stop in the post office and do so). Trace Lopez for doing the computer printout of the deceased area veterans, Jane Stapleton and Clyde

Letters to the Editor The Chronicle welcomes letters

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

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

The Chronicle reserves the right to edit letters for length and clar-

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

Fall fest benefits parks in the Thumb

Each year for the past 6 years during the third weekend of September, Elkton has played host to the annual Born To Be Wild (BTBW) weekend. Again in 2006, the event was a huge

One of the objectives of the event is to make a major contribution to a local charity.

The BTBW Committee has established an impressive history of helping local community groups and charities, and this year is no excep-

"Ever since this event has been in Elkton, we have been committed to make a donation to a local charity,' said Donna Schuette, president of the BTBW Committee and member of the Elkton Chamber of Commerce, "This year's contribution from the BTBW event is being donated to the Parks and Recreation Associations in Bad Axe, Sandusky and Cass City. Each town's Parks and Recreation departments will receive \$1,000.

"There are many young children who would like to participate in the parks and recreation summer programs, but do not have the money to do so," said Paul Picklo, member of the BTBW Committee and general manager of Thumb Cellular, "We intend for these donations to allow these children to participate in future programs.'

The BTBW Committee looks at organizations each year that work with the less fortunate, and it was decided that this group was deserving of the money. "We will be looking at other charities in the area for next year's donation," said Butch Brown, BTBW committee member and president of ABATE Region 7.

The Elkton Chamber of Commerce, ABATE Region 7 and Thumb Cellular are the major sponsors of the BTBW event.

The major source of funds for the event come from selling tickets for a chance to win a new Harley Davidson motorcycle given away each year. This year's winner was Mike Bowen of Flushing. Mike Gast of Elkton won the \$200 second place prize, and Lesa Gusa of Filion won the third place prize of \$100.

Calendar of Events

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

Wednesday, October 25

Owen-Gage School Board meeting, 7 p.m.

Thursday, October 26

Toddler Story Time, 10 a.m., Rawson Memorial Library. Please call to register, 872-2856.

AAUW Halloween Carnival, 5-7 p.m., Cass City Middle School. Seniors' Lunch, noon, Shabbona United Methodist Church.

Friday, October 27

Christ-centered 12-step recovery: pain management, addictions, divorce, "Celebrate Recovery," 7-9 p.m. New Creations Church, 114 N. Almer St., Caro (across from Caro Post Office). For more information, call (989) 673-3274 or visit www.colwood.org.

Saturday, October 28

Young Adult (YA) Book Club meeting, 11 a.m., Rawson Memorial Library.

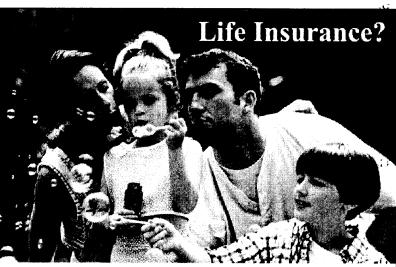
Monday, October 30

Alcoholics Anonymous, "Monday at a Time," 8 p.m., Parkside Cafe, 2031 Main St., Ubly. For additional information, call Angela R. at (989) 658-2319.

Cass City Village Council meeting, 7 p.m., municipal building.

Tuesday, October 31

Traveling Place for Peace, 10-2 p.m., Cass City United Methodist Church. For additional information, call (989) 325-0024.



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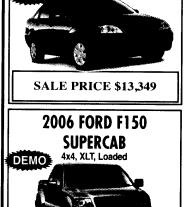
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Said premises are situated in Village of Fairgrove, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

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Said premises are situated in Township of Elmwood, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

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Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice the provided in the statute in such case made and provided, notice the provided in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on November 9, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Vassar, a Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

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Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statue in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be fore-closed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, front entrance of the Courthouse Building in the Village of Caro, Michigan, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM o'clock, on November 16, 2006.

Said premises are situated in VILLAGE of FOSTORIA, Tuscola County, Michigan and described as:

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Dated: October 13, 2006

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Lucas S. McKenzie, a single man, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated September 27, 2004 and recorded on October 19, 2004 in Liber 1012 on Page 1111, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Bank of New York as Trustee for the Certificateholders of CWABS 2004-09 as assignee by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Five Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Seven and 38/100 Dollars (\$75,547.38), including interest at 9.875% 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 at 10:00 AM, on November 30, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Vassar, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at the North Section Line of Section 35, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, 260 feet East of the Northwest Corner of said Section 35, thence East on said Section 348, 48 feet; thence South 250 feet; thence West 348,48 feet parallel to said Section line; thence North 250 feet to the place of beginning subject to right of way of Brown Road, said being a part of the North Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 35, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, Vassar Township, Tuscola County, Michigan.

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Dated: October 25, 2006

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Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on November 30, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Village of Reese, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing 20 rods South and 4 rods West of the Northeast corner stake of the West 1/2 of the Northwest fractional 1/4 of Section 18, Town 12 North, Range 7 East; thence south 10 rods; thence West 4 rods; thence North 10 rods; thence East 4 rods to place of beginning, EXCEPT the West 15.4 feet thereof. ALSO commencing 22 rods South of the Northeast corner of the West 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of section 18, Town 12 North, Range 7 East; thence West 4 rods; thence South 8 rods; thence East 4 rods; thence North 8 rods to place of beginning, EXCEPT the East 44.6 feet thereof.

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

Dated: October 25, 2006

File #111392F01

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC H (248) 593-1300 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Tanunie L. Anderson, a single woman, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 2, 2006 and recorded on May 16, 2006 in Liber 1081 on Page 846 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Six Thousand Eighteen and 48/100 Dollars (\$96,018.48), including interest at 8.75% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on November 30, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Wisner, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing 33 feet North of the East 1/4 corner; thence West 172.7 feet; thence North 176 feet; thence East 172.7 feet; thence South 176 feet to the point of beginning, being Section 29, Town 14 North, Range 7, Fast

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

Dated: October 25, 2006

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC X (248) 593-1302 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822 File #111878F01

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Dennis L. Kammerer and Sandra M. Kammerer, husband and wife, to Key Bank USA, N.A., Mortgagee, dated September 10, 2004 and recorded October 12, 2004 in Liber 1011, Page 1468, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty Thousand Two Hundred Ten and 81/100 Dollars (\$30,210.81), including interest at 7.99% 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 of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 30, 2006.

Said premises are located in the Township of Indianfields, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are

Commencing at the Northwest corner of the Northeast one quarter of the Northeast one quarter of Section 33, Town 12 North, Range 9 East; thence East 200 feet along Bliss Road; thence South 400 feet; thence West 200 feet; thence North 400 feet to the point of beginning.

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

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: October 25, 2006

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Dana Hultz and Rodney Hultz, husband and wife, all as tenants in common, original mortgagors, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated July 15, 2005 and recorded on July 28, 2005 in Liber 1047 on Page 1055 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-One Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-Seven and 91/100 Dollars (\$131,677.91), including interest at 6.78% 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 en-

trance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on November 9, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Millington, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 7, Iva's Acres, Township of Millington, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Liber 3, Page 37, Tuscola County Records.

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

Dated: October 11, 2006

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Robert V. Simpson a married man, and Lori A. Simpson, his wife, original mortgagors, to CTX Mortgage Company, LLC, Mortgagee, dated December 22, 2005 and recorded on December 29, 2005 in Liber 1066 on Page 1140 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. as assignee by an assignment, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Three Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-Two and 31/100 Dollars (\$103,742.31), including interest at 6.875% 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 at 10:00 AM, on November 9, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Village of Cass City, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 7, Block 4, Jesse Foxes Addition to the Village of Cass City, According to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 15 of Plats, Page 277, Tuscola County Records

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

Dated: October 11, 2006

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the

conditions of a mortgage made by Brandy J. Childs, a single woman, and Allen S. Popp, a single man, to

Chase Home Finance, LLC, successor by merger to Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, a New Jersey Corporation, Mortgagee, dated March 3, 2003 and recorded March 4, 2003 in Liber 918, Page 800, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Three and 44/100 Dollars (\$72,993.44), including interest at 6.25% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage

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 of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 26, 2006.

Said premises are located in the Township of Indianfields, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Parcel 3- part of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 2, Town 12 North, Range 9 East, Indianfields Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, described as commencing at the East one-quarter corner of said Section 2; thence South 00 degrees 03 minutes 05 seconds West 325.50 feet; thence North 79 degrees 40 minutes 04 seconds West 190.99 feet to the point of beginning; thence South 00 degrees 03 minutes 05 seconds West 297.02 feet; thence South 23 degrees 01 seconds 55 minutes West 75.38 feet to the centerline of East Dayton Road; thence along said centerline of East Dayton Road North 65 degrees 45 minutes 00 seconds West 179.64 feet; thence North 20 degrees 07 seconds 43 minutes East 327.34 feet: thence South 79 degrees 40 minutes 04 East 82.23 feet to the point of beginning.

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

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: September 27, 2006

Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 (248) 457-1000 File No. 310.1012

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Robert J. Plouffe and Sandra Plouffe, a/k/a Sandra J. Plouffe, as husband and wife, original mortgagors, to MOFC, Inc., a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated November 10, 1998 and recorded on November 12, 1998 in Liber 755 on Page 1062 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and assigned by mesne assignments to LaSalle Bank National Association, formerly known

as LaSalle National Bank, in its capacity as indenture trustee under that certain Sale and Servicing Agreement dated November 1, 1998 among AFC Trust Series 1998-4, as Issuer, Superior Bank FSB, as Seller and Servicer, and LaSalle Bank National Association, as Indenture Trustee, AFC Mortgage Loan Asset Backed Notes, Series 1998-4, and any amendments thereto as assignee by an assignment, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-Eight Thousand Two Hundred Fifty-Nine and 22/100 Dollars (568,259.22), including interest at 11.45% 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 at 10:00 AM, on November 9, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Kingston, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Parcel 1: Commencing 1219.56 feet North of the Southwest corner of Section 32, Town 12 North, Range 11 East; thence North 100 feet; thence East 435.6 feet; thence South 100 feet; thence West 435.6 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel 2: Commencing 1219.56 feet North of the Southwest corner of Section 32, Town 12 North, Range 11 East, thence South 100 feet; thence East 435.6 feet; thence North 100 feet; thence West 435.6 feet to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the

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

Dated: October 11, 2006

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC H (248) 593-1300
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30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200
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File #038470F04

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Tracy Geiger, a/k/ a Tracy P. Geiger, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated December 11, 2002 and recorded December 19, 2002 in Liber 907, Page 1450, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by CitiMortgage, Inc., successor by reason of merger with CitiFinancial Mortgage Company Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Three Thousand One Hundred One and 98/100 Dollars (\$73,101.98), including interest at 12.75% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public 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 OCTOBER 26, 2006.

Said premises are located in the Township of Akron, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lots 1 and 2, Block 5, Sunset Bay Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 43B.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the

date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in

accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case

the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your dam-

ages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid

amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: September 27, 2006

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Steven R. Ellis, a married man, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated June 24, 2005 and recorded on July 1, 2005 in Liber 1044 on Page 226 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty-Five and 39/100 Dollars (\$90,755.39), including interest at

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on November 2, 2006.

6.125% per annum.

Said premises are situated in Township of Ellington, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Part of the North 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 33, Town 13 North, Range 10 East described as: beginning at a point on the West line of Section 33, which is South 266.00 feet from the West 1/4 corner of said Section 33; thence continuing along said West line, South 391.26 feet to the Southwest corner of said North 1/2 of the North 1/2 of said Southwest 1/4; thence along the South line of said North 1/2 of the North 1/2 of said Southwest 1/4. Easterly 800 feet; thence parallel to the West line of said Section 33, North 391 feet more of less to a point 266.00 feet Southerly of the East-West 1/4 line of Section 33; thence parallel to said East-West 1/4 line, North 89 degrees 31 minutes 05 seconds West, 800.00 feet to the West line of Sec-

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale.

Dated: October 4, 2006

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC X (248) 593-1302
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File #108664F01

tion 33 and the Point of Beginning.

PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Michael D. Phipps, a single man, to Michigan Fidelity Acceptance Cor-

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TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Michael D. Phipps, a single man, to Michigan Fidelity Acceptance Corporation, d/b/a Franklin Mortgage Funding, Mortgagee, dated September 26, 2003 and recorded October 9, 2003 in Liber 958, Page 1165, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. by assignment There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Seventeen and 47/100 Dollars (\$78,517.47), including interest at 12.34% 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 of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 2, 2006.

Said premises are located in the Township of Almer, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 25. Town 13 North, Range 9 East; thence West along the one-eighth line 200 feet; thence South 100 feet; thence East 200 feet; thence North along Section line to the place of beginning.

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

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mort-

gagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your dam-

ages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

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Dated: October 4, 2006

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the

conditions of a certain mortgage made by James J. McLaughlin and Tina McLaughlin, Husband and wife to Argent Mortgage Company, LLC, Mortgagee, dated March 21, 2005 and recorded April 15, 2005 in Liber 1034, Page 1384, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was subsequently assigned to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Trustee Pooling and Servicing Agreement Dated as of May 1, 2005 Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates Series 2005-WHQ3, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Six Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Two Dollars and Ninety-Three Cents (\$76,382.93), including interest 7.85% per annum.

and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be fore-closed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, front entrance of the Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI at 10:00AM on Thursday, November 2, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 6, Block 4 of the Plat of William E. Sherman's Addition to the Village of Caro, according to the plat recorded in Liber 11 of Deeds, Page 491 of Tuscola County Records, except a piece of land off the Southeast side thereof, 78 feet wide Northwest and Southeast, Tuscola County Records. Commonly known as 118 East Washington Street, Caro MI 48723.

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

Dated: SEPTEMBER 27, 2006

Assignee of Mortgagee

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Trustee Pooling and Servicing Agreement Dated as of May 1, 2005 Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates Series 2005-WHQ3

Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 06-56069

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Paul G. Schmotzer and Anne M. Schmotzer, husband and wife, original mortgagors, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 25, 2004 and recorded on October 27, 2004 in Liber 1014 on Page 652, and assigned by said Mortgagee to U.S. Bank National Association, Trustee as assignee by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Eleven Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-Nine and 93/100 Dollars (\$111,329.93), including

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 at 10:00 AM, on November 2, 2006. Said premises are situated in Township of Novesta, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

A piece of land commencing at a point 2 rods East of the Northwest corner of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 5, Town 13 North, Range 11 East; running thence East 160 yards; thence South 200 yards; thence West 160 yards; thence

North 200 yards to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the

date of such sale.

Dated: October 4, 2006

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Legal Notices

PETER M. SCHNEIDERMAN & ASSOCIATES. P.C., IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT, ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT (248) 539-7400 IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by SUSAN A. PRICE, A SINGLE WOMAN, to GMAC Mortgage Corporation of PA, n/k/a GMAC Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 17, 1996, and recorded on January 24, 1996, in Liber 685, on Page 114, and modified on October 31, 1996 recorded November 14, 1996, in Liber 701, on Page 155 and further modified in modification agreement on November 27, 1996, recorded February 3, 1997 in Liber 704, Page 1394, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Eight Thousand Three Hundred Four Dollars and Forty-Eight Cents (\$78,304.48), including interest at 8.875% per annum

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statue 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, front entrance of the Courthouse Building in the Village of Caro, Michigan, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM o'clock, on November 2, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of MILLINGTON, Tuscola County, Michigan and de-

PART OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SEC-TION 18, TOWN 10 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST, MILLINGTON TOWNSHIP, TUSCOLA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, DESCRIBED AS BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE EAST SECTION LINE THAT IS NORTH 1760 FEET FROM THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 18; THENCE CON-TINUING NORTH 200 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 32 MINUTES 30 SECONDS WEST 300 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 200 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 32 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST 300 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

TAX ID NO. 017-018-000-2850-00

The redemption period shall be 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

Dated: September 28, 2006

GMAC Mortgage Corporation of PA, n/k/a GMAC Mortgage Corporation Mortgagee/Assignee

Peter M. Schneiderman & Associates, P.C. 23100 Providence Drive, Suite 450 Southfield, MI 48075

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by PAMELA REIF, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated April 25, 2006 and recorded on May 5, 2006, in Liber 1080, on Page 674, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Fifty-One Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Eleven Cents (\$51,382.11), includ ing interest at 7.000% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statue 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, front entrance of the Courthouse Building in the Village of Caro, Michigan, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM o'clock, on November 16, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of DEN-MARK, Tuscola County, Michigan and described

COMMENCING 418 FEET NORTH OF THE WEST 1/4 CORNER OF SECTION 24, TOWN 12 NORTH, RANGE 7 EAST, TOWNSHIP OF DENMARK TUSCOLA COUNTY MICHIGAN: THENCE FAST 247.5 FEET; THENCE NORTH 352 FEET; THENCE WEST 247.5 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 352 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

TAX ID NO. 006-024-000-0625-00

The redemption period shall be 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

Dated: October 13, 2006

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns Mortgagee/Assignee

Peter M. Schneiderman & Associates, P.C. 23100 Providence Drive, Suite 450 Southfield, MI 48075

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Hobart Helton and Connie Helton, original mortgagors, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 25, 2004 and recorded on December 3, 2004 in Liber 1019 on Page 927 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company as Trustee under the pooling and Servicing Agreement Series 2004-C as assignee by an assignment, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Fifty-One Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Eight and 99/ 100 Dollars (\$151,488.99), including interest at

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on November 2, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Kingston, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at a point that is 448 feet West of the Southeast corner of the West 1/2 of the southwest 1/ 4 of Section 2, Town 12 North, Range 11 East; thence North 281 feet; thence West 183 feet; thence South 281 feet; thence East 183 feet to point of beginning and being more particularly described in exhibit A attached and made a part hereof. The Westerly Half of a parcel of land commencing at a point 265 feet West

of the Southeast Corner Stake of the West 1/2 of the outhwest 1/4 of Section 2, Town 12 North, Range 11 East, and the Point of Beginning of this description; running thence North 281 feet; thence West 366 feet; thence South 281 feet; thence East 366 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated: October 4, 2006

File #097769F02

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC F (248) 593-1313 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200

Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822

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AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, WE ARE ATTEMPT-ING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFOR-MATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NOTIFY (248) 362-6100 IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Corey Gagnon, a married man, by Melissa Gagnon, his Power of Attorney in Fact, and Melissa L. Gagnon, his wife, of Tuscola County, Michigan, Mortgagor to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. dated the 28th day of February, A.D. 2005 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, on the 3rd day of March, A.D. 2005, in Liber 1029 of Tuscola Records, on page 528, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal of \$51,078.16 (Fifty One thousand, Seventy Eight dollars and Sixteen cents), plus accrued interest at 6.50% (six point five zero) per-

And no suit proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on, the 2nd day of November, A.D., 2006, at 10:00 o'clock said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front entrance of the Courthouse in Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, of the premises described

Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Akron, in the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan and described as follows to wit:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of Section 23, Township 15 North, Range 8 East; thence North 00 degrees 30 minutes West 407.83 feet along the East line of Section 23 to the point of beginning; running thence North 00 degrees 30 minutes West 335.50 feet along the East line of Section 23 to the apparent centerline of Old Sand Beach and Bay City State Road; thence South 37 degrees 16 minutes 10 seconds West 424.43 feet along said centerline; thence North 89 degrees 30 minutes East 259 96 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the Southeast quarter of Section 23, Town 15 North, Range 8 East. Commonly known as: 7570 Forest

Tax ID: 79-001-123-000-1200-00

The redemption period shall be six 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

Dated: October 4, 2006

WELTMAN, WEINBERG & REIS CO., L.P.A. By: Michael I. Rich, (P-41938) Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A. 2155 Butterfield Drive, Suite 200-S Troy, Michigan 48084 WWR#05540032

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William Earl, a single man, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated April 15, 2004 and recorded on April 27, 2004 in Liber 989 on Page 1251 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Four Thousand Two Hundred Forty and 26/ 100 Dollars (\$74,240.26), including interest at

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on November 2, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Village of Millington. Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 18, of the Plat of Formento Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Liber 1, Page 105, Tuscola County Records.

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

Dated: October 4, 2006

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC R (248) 593-1305 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822 File #108385F01

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Brenda L. Wightman, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated February 17, 2005 and recorded February 25, 2005 in Liber 1028, Page 935, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Three Thousand Two Hundred Fifty-Four and 58/100 Dollars (\$93,254.58), including interest at 6.62% per an-

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 of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 2, 2006.

Said premises are located in the Township of Indianfields, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are

Part of the Southeast quarter of Section 2, Township 12 North, Range 9 East described as beginning at a point of the centerline of East Dayton Road, which is South 00 degrees 03 minutes 05 seconds West, 755.51 feet along the East line of Section 2 and North 65 degrees 45 minutes 00 seconds West, 150.00 feet along said centerline from the East quarter corner of said Section; thence continuing along said centerline, North 65 degrees 45 minutes 00 seconds West 202.00 feet; thence parallel with said East line of Section 2, South 00 degrees 03 minutes 05 seconds West, 334.72 feet; thence North 83 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 153.75 feet; thence North 7 degrees 47 minutes 15 seconds and East, 235.19 feet to said centerline of East Dayton Road and the place of beginning. Excepting therefrom the West 1.37 feet of the above described parcel (being 1.5 feet along East Dayton Road.)

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

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: October 4, 2006

Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 (248) 457-1000 File No. 207.5598

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Donald A. Dawson, a married man, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated April 8, 2003, and recorded on April 11, 2003 in Liber 925 on Page 796 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Seven Thousand Two Hundred Nineteen and 75/100 Dollars (\$127,219.75), including interest at 7% 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 at 10:00 AM, on November 2, 2006

Said premises are situated in Township of Indianfields, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Part of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 2, Town 12 North, Range 9 East, described as beginning at a point of the South line of said Section 2, which is North 89 Degrees 31 Minutes 40 Seconds West, 435.00 Feet from the South Quarter corner of said Section 2; thence continuing along said South line, North 89 Degrees 31 Minutes 40 Seconds West 200 Feet; thence parallel to the West, North and South one eighth line of said Section 2, North 00 Degrees 18 Minutes 09 Seconds East 200 feet; thence South 89 Degrees 31 Minutes 40 Seconds East, 205.48 feet; thence South 01 Degrees 52 Minutes 20 Seconds West 200.06 Feet to the South line of said Section 2 and point of beginning. Tuscola County Records

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

Dated: October 4, 2006

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC X (248) 593-1302 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822 File #027547F03

PETER M. SCHNEIDERMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.C., IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT, ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT (248) 539-7400 IF YOU ARE IN AC-TIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by JOANN L. HELMBOLD, A SINGLE WOMAN, to GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION OF PANKA GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Mortgagee, dated October 28, 1992 and recorded on October 28, 1992, in Liber 632, on Page 1228, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Five Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Dollars and Forty-Five Cents (\$5,990.45), including interest at 6.375% per an-

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statue 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, front entrance of the Courthouse Building in the Village of Caro, Michigan, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM o'clock, on November 9, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of ARBELA, Tuscola County, Michigan and described as:

THE EAST 192.5 FEET OF THE NORTH 254.25 FEET OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTH-EAST 1 / 4 OF SECTION 8, TOWN 10 NORTH, RANGE 7 EAST.

TAX ID NO. 79-003-008-100-0100

The redemption period shall be 12 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

Dated: October 6, 2006

GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION OF PANKA GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION

Peter M. Schneiderman & Associates PC 23100 Providence Drive, Suite 450 Southfield, MI 48075

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Kenneth Alan Hoig and Faye E. Hoig, his wife, original mortgagors, to Gehrke Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated June 13, 1997 and recorded on June 13, 1997 in Liber 712 on Page 1477, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Standard Federal Bank as assignee by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Four Thousand Eighty-One and 65/100 Dollars (\$74,081.65), including interest at 8.5% per

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 at 10:00 AM, on November 2, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Arbela. Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 28, Town 10 North, Range 7 East, beginning at a point on the South line of said Section which is North 89 degrees 48 minutes 03 seconds West 1342 24 feet from the South 1/4 corner; thence continuing along said South line North 89 degrees 48 minutes 03 seconds West, 200 feet; thence North 00 degrees 09 minutes 58 seconds East, parallel with the West, North and South 1/8 line, 217.80 feet; thence South 89 degrees 48 minutes 03 seconds East, parallel with said South line of Section, 200 feet to the West, North and South 1/8 line; thence along said 1/8 line, South 00 degrees 09 minutes 58 seconds West, 217.80 feet to the point of beginning. Except, an undivided 1/2 interest in and to all oil, gas and minerals as set forth in mineral deed to Alas S. Gray recorded in Liber 258 of Deeds, Page 187 and any subsequent instruments

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

Dated: October 4, 2006

File #108314F01

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC C (248) 593-1301 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Lisa N. Bishop, a single woman, and Barry A. Sargent, a single man, original mortgagors, to Panc One Financial Services Inc., Mortgagee, dated January 29, 1999 and recorded on March 11, 1999 in Liber 765 on Page 994, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Wells Fargo Bank Minnesota, National Association, f/k/a Norwest Bank Minnesota, National Association, as Trustee as assignee by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Five Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Four and 79/100 Dollars (\$105,274.79), including interest at 12.42% 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 at 10:00 AM, on November 9, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Township of Indianfields, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Part of the Northeast quarter of Section 20, Town 12 North, Range 9 East, described as: Beginning at a point on the centerline of Wells Road, which North 00 degrees 48 minutes 20 seconds East 2008.66 feet along the North-South quarter line of Section 20 and South 80 degrees 52 minutes 00 seconds East 461.52 feet along the centerline of Wells Road and South 70 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds East 825.48 feet along said centerline of Wells Road from the center of said Section 20; thence continuing along said centerline South 70 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds East 295.50 feet; thence South 00 degrees 59 minutes 45 seconds West 528.00 feet; thence North 70 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds West 130.50 feet; thence North 00 degrees 59 minutes 45 seconds East 264.00 feet; thence North 70 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds West 165.00 feet; thence North 00 degrees 59 minutes 45 seconds East 264.00 feet to the centerline of Wells Road and the point of beginning. Subject to the Right of Way for Wells Road over the Northerly side thereof, Tuscola County Records.

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

Dated: October 11, 2006

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC C (248) 593-1301 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822 File #092903F02

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Joseph Burton a single man, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 14, 2005 and recorded on November 2, 2005 in Liber 1060 on Page 4 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. as assignee by an assignment, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-One Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-Two and 47/100

Dollars (\$71,892.47), including interest at 7.75%

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 at 10:00 AM, on November 30, 2006.

Said premises are situated in Village of Reese, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing 20 rods South and 4 rods West of the Northeast corner stake of the West 1/2 of the Northwest fractional 1/4 of Section 18, Town 12 North Range 7 East; thence South 10 rods; thence West 4 rods; thence North 10 rods; thence East 4 rods to place of beginning, EXCEPT the West 15.4 feet thereof.

Also commencing 22 rods South of the Northeast corner of the West 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 18, Town 12 North. Range 7 East; thence West 4 rods; thence South 8 rods; thence East 4 rods; thence North 8 rods to place of beginning, EXCEPT the East 44.6 feet thereof.

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

Dated: October 25, 2006

File #111876F01

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: FC D (248) 593-1309 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 200

Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Wayne Nelson and Stephanie Nelson, his wife to H&R Block Mortgage Corporation Mortgagee, dated July 24, 2003 and recorded December 4, 2003 in Liber 967, Page 501, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned through mesne assignments to LaSalle Bank National Association, as Trustee for Structured Asset Securities Corporation Structured Asset Investment Loan Trust Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2003-BC11, by assignment dated November 23, 2004 and recorded December 13, 2004 in Liber 1020, Page 0996, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Six Thousand Ninety-Eight Dollars and Thirty-Nine Cents (\$106.098.39), including interest 7.75% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, front entrance of the Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI at 10:00AM on Thursday, November 30,

Said premises are situated in City of Millington Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Southwest one-quarter of Northwest one-quarter of Section 15, Town 10 North, Range 9 East; thence East 300 feet; thence South 350 feet; thence West 300 feet; thence North 350 feet to the point of beginning. Commonly known as 8139 Center Road, Millington MI 48746.

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

Dated: OCTOBER 18, 2006

LaSalle Bank National Association, as Trustee for Structured Asset Securities Corporation Structured Asset Investment Loan Trust Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2003-BC11, Assignee of Mortgagee

Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 06-57269

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Valerie Morris, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated February 20, 2006 and recorded February 27, 2006 in Liber 1072, Page 1084, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Six Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-Two and 72/100 Dollars (\$146,672.72), including interest at 6.875% per

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 of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 16, 2006.

Said premises are located in the Township of Watertown, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are de-

Part of the North half of the Northeast fractional quarter of Section 31, Town 10 North, Range 9 East, described as commencing at the Northeast corner of said Section; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East 728.40 feet along the East Section line to the point of beginning; thence continuing South 00 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East 596.40 feet along said East Section line; thence South 89 degrees 24 minutes 31 seconds West 365.24 feet along the South line of the North half of the North east fractional quarter; thence North 00 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds West 596.25 feet; thence North 89 degrees 23 minutes 08 seconds East 365.24 feet to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: October 18, 2006

Orlans Associates, P.C Attorneys for Servicer PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 (248) 457-1000 File No. 285.0250

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Valorie J. Barrett, and Derrick M. Barret Sr., wife and husband, to Morelgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mbrto gagee, dated October 15, 2004 and recorded October 29, 2004 in Liber 1015, Page 3, Tuscola Colliny Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. As Trustee by assigns ment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Three Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-One and 85/100 Dollars (\$93,941.85), including interest at 7.34% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage

and the statute in such case made and provided not

tice 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 County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 30, 2006.

Said premises are located in the Township of Watertown, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Part Section 23, Watertown Township, Tuseola County, Michigan, Town 10 North Range 9 East commencing at a point that is South 665.62 feet from the Northeast corner of said Section: thence Selection 410.38 feet: thence West 435 feet: thence North 410.38 feet; thence East 435 feet to Point of Begin-

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which ease the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgage can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: October 25, 2006

Date:

Orlans Associates, P.C. 805 Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 3317 (248) 457-1000 unii? File No. 207.3894 10-25-5

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by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your

damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return

of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Trisha R Nickerson and Michael E. Nickerson, husband and wife, original mortgagors, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 18, 2005 and recorded on December 1, 2005 in Liber 1062 on Page 1311 in Tuscola Coullty Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Four Thousand Two Hundred Fourteen and 24/100 Dollars (\$94,214.24), including interest at 7% 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 at 10:00 AM, on November 16, 2006.

Said premises are situated in City of Vassar, Tuscolla County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lots 11 and 12, Block 24, the plat of the City of Vassar, according to the plat thereof recorded in Tiber 1 of deeds, Page 143 and Liber 2 of deeds page 93 of Tuscola County Records.

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

Dated: October 18, 2006

File #110896F01

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by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest, MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Brian L. Soule, a single man, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 7, 2005 and recorded on October 12, 2005 in Liber 1057 on Page 902 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Deutsche Bank National Trus Company as assignee by an assignment, on Which

Ninety-Five and 47/100 Dollars (\$52,795.47); in cluding interest at 6.89% 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 foreelosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some bait of them, at public venue, at the Front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola Courty at 10:00 AM, on November 16, 2006.

mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof

the sum of Fifty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred

Said premises are situated in Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of the Shirtheast quarter of the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 4, Town 12 North, Range 9 East, Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan; thence West 200 feet; thence South 76 feet; thence East 200 feet; thence North 76 feet to the place of beginning.

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by Jennifer L. Lindow, a married woman,

and David Lindow, her husband, origi-

nal mortgagors, to First Franklin Finan-

cial Corp., subsidiary of National City

Bank of Indiana, Mortgagee, dated Feb-

ruary 12, 2004 and recorded on March

10, 2004 in Liber 983 on Page 1185 in

Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on

which mortgage there is claimed to be due

at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred

Eighty-Two Thousand Four Hundred

Seventeen and 04/100 Dollars

(\$182,417.04), including interest at

Under the power of sale contained in said

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entrance to the Courthouse in the Village

of Caro, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM, on

Said premises are situated in Township

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Part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 27,

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Township, Tuscola County, Michigan,

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along the North line of Section 27: thence

South 430.00 feet; thence North 88 De-

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430.00 feet along the West line of Sec-

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West 174.40 feet; thence South 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 734.00 feet to the place of beginning; EXCEPT-ING therefrom the following parcel towit: The Southerly 135.38 feet of a parcel of land described as: Commencing at a point in the center of State Road (M-81) 1112.90 feet Northeast of the intersection of said State Road and the South line of Section 34, Town 13 North, Range 9 East, thence Northeast along center of said Highway 87.20 feet; thence North 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds West 734.00 feet; thence South 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds West 174.40 feet; thence South 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 234.00 feet; thence North 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 87.20 feet; thence South 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 500.00 feet to the place

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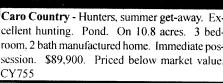
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School axes 6 more positions

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willing to sacrifice a portion of their pay to spare some teaching jobs. At least 2 suggested they would if the agreement "started at the top" with administrative pay reductions.

Zdrojewski said the current union contract could be reopened and negotiations would be possible to spare jobs, but he noted that would take

Several parents voiced their displeasure with the board's initial proposal to eliminate third grade teacher Lori Kemp's classroom based on 4 sections of third grade, each with about 21 students. "I'm very disappointed," commented parent Karen Haire, adding she sought Kemp out as a teacher, and she believes eliminating the classroom in the middle of

the school year should not be done. "At the age these kids are, maybe we need to rethink that," responded board member Randy Severance.

The board later agreed to target an elementary school teaching position, not necessarily a third grade posi-

BACKGROUND

Wilson said the district's financial woes are the result of several factors, including a revised 2005-06 budget that was off by a little more than \$600,000, or about 5 percent of the district's budget.

Wilson, who joined the district last spring after those budget numbers were recommended by then-Supt. Ken Micklash, said there were several unanticipated cost increases such as \$100,000 for fuel, electricity

Troops

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items and getting the word out, according to post spokesman Martin Twork.

"I think it's a great idea," Twork said of the care package effort, which includes a number of area businesses.

"Little Caesars in Cass City has taken an active role, and Baker College dove in, donating their rooms. and they have items they're donating over there," said Cass City Postmaster Bob Garske, who noted area postal service officials want to make sure the project is a complete suc-

"It is a combined effort," he added, "but our role is support to make sure the packages are addressed correctly, customs information is filled out properly, and that the packages are mailable.'

Garske said each package must be addressed to an individual. "It has to be specific - nothing can be addressed to 'servicemen'," he explained. And, he said, it's hoped that area residents will provide those names. "We have a list of thousands of servicemen, but we want to have the Thumb connection.'

"S.C. Johnson in Bay City donated 400 boxes, so we've got those, and I'm hoping to have some more boxes - priority boxes - just in case," Garske said. "I guess the goal is that we get a box for every (request).'

There was a great deal of confusion last year among those trying to mail packages to family members and friends serving in the military overseas, according to Garske. Hopefully, he said, this project will go a long way towards ensuring each package makes it to the intended destination.

"The postal service understands the importance of mail call to the troops and wants to make sure the troops receive the care packages safely, timely and in (their) entirety," he added. "It is also an educational opportunity for all those who would like to learn from the postal authorities how to ship care packages to our

So far, Garske said, it looks like the effort will be a great success.

"It's really coming together," he said. "With the community doing it, it's been wonderful."

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of former band director Doug Burtch now be a hike of just \$100. For Cass and subsequent hiring of a substitute for a year. The district also ended up with nearly 40 fewer students than anticipated.

School officials subsequently reduced spending by more than \$1.1 million, which included savings from the retirements of 8 teachers and elimination of a handful of other po-

Unfortunately, audit figures in July revealed the district was in a deficit spending position of some \$600,000. In a nutshell, Wilson explained, school officials spent \$1.3 million during the last school year and had only \$1.1 million in the bank.

Which led to a second round of cuts totaling more than \$203,000. Those affected included an industrial arts teacher who lost his job.

A third round of reductions took place last month when the board agreed to privatize the district's maintenance department, saving nearly

Wilson said the cuts made to-date were unavoidable, given increases in instructional costs (wages, retirement, health insurance, etc.), which are going up by some \$600,000 a year, while state aid is expected to increase by \$384,000 this year.

Gary Anderson of Anderson, Tuckey, Bernhardt & Doran Co., the district's auditing firm, confirmed the school's financial situation during his annual audit report Monday night. Cass City's general fund revenue in 2005-06 totaled about \$11.2 million, \$38,000 less than expected, while expenditures totaled nearly \$12.37 million, more than \$740,000 more than anticipated.

Anderson, who pointed out that several other districts are facing similar challenges, said the current financial outlook may worsen, he told the board, noting the latest word on the

and natural gas, and another \$100,000 state's promise to increase funding in expenses related to the suspension by \$210 per student this year may City Schools, that decrease would translate into \$140,000.

Another factor, Wilson said, is state officials' scrutiny of Cass City's financial situation over the past 2 years. and a requirement that school officials must now stay within one percent of their projected budget.

"We don't have the option of not ending this year in black," Wilson said. "It's (cuts) not something, I don't think, anybody is happy in doing, but we can't keep spending more than we're taking in. It doesn't work at home and it won't work here."

Biddinger agreed, saying the district can't have a repeat of last year, when the budget numbers were off by some \$50,000 a month. "If we are in the red again, then the state's going to come in and run the school.

CLOSED CAMPUS

In other business Monday, the board formally approved its annual goals. which were reviewed in detail last month. Board members also revisited concerns regarding a new closed campus policy in which only seniors not juniors and seniors — are allowed to leave the school during their lunch hours.

Board members said the primary concern involves a lack of adequate supervision, which has led some students to skip school and risk the penalty of one point for the violation.

Parents aren't even notified until a student earns 3 points, Severance said, adding a committee charged with discussing the matter has recommended an increase in the penalty to 2 points. The board approved the increase.

School officials said they are also hoping to encourage volunteers from the community to assist in supervi-

Obituaries

Curtis Harlan Dickinson

Curtis Harlan Dickinson, 77, of Cass City, died Tuesday, Oct. 17, 2006 at

home following a lengthy illness. He was born Oct. 10, 1929 in Cass City, the son of Harold and Mable

(Albrandt) Dickinson. He married Marjorie East July 7, 1957 in Richmond.

Dickinson was a 1949 graduate of Cass City High School. He served in the U.S. Army from 1951 to 1953. In 1955, Dickinson went to work for General Telephone Company as a cable splicer. He worked for GTE until his retirement in 1991. He was an active member of the Cass City United Methodist Church.

Dickinson is survived by his wife, Marjorie; children: Daniel (Janelle) Dickinson of Cass City, Elizabeth Dickinson of Holland, and Jane (Del) Kostanko of Woodland; 5 grandchildren; sisters: Gladys Anthes of Cass City, Dorothy Dickinson of Norway, and Judy Esckilsen of Cass City; and a brother, the Rev. Richard Turner of Saginaw.

He was preceded in death by twin infant brothers, Ronald and Donald Dickinson; and a sister, Marion Ozorowicz.

Funeral services were held Friday, Oct. 20, at the Cass City United Methodist Church, Cass City, with the Rev. Paul Donelson officiating.

Military honors were under the direction of the Cass City VFW Post #3644 and the U.S. Army.

Interment was in the Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Memorials may be made to Cass City United Methodist Church or Bay Shore Camp.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

Daniel Franzel

Daniel "Dan" A. Franzel, 92, of Ubly, died Monday, Oct. 16, 2006 at Bay

Regional Center in Bay City. He was born July 31, 1914 in Austin Township on his parents' farm, the son of the late George and Irene (McMillin) Franzel.

He married Mary Eileen Sommerville

April 2, 1948 in Bad Axe. Franzel was a graduate of a country school and Ubly High School. He was a member of the Ubly championship football team in 1931. Franzel attended Michigan State University (MSU). He farmed 3,000 acres. Franzel worked at Bud Wheel in Detroit. He sold eggs and did livestock trucking in Detroit as Franzel Farms Trucking. He was a fertilizer salesman for Agrico Fertilizer for 20 years and a dealer for Funks Seed Corn for 20 years. He was a member of the Michigan Milk Producers and sponsored livestock tours to Austria, Italy, France, the Netherlands, Germany, Switzerland, Hawaii, England and within the U.S. Franzel was a WWII veteran of the South Pacific Theatre and was hospitalized for 4 months from related injuries. He was a heavy

engineer training instructor at Fort Belvoir, Va., serving 4 1/2 years in the U.S. Army. Franzel was a former member of the Thumb Veterans Organization, a member of the Ubly Community Club, Bad Axe Lions Club for 25 years, a lifetime member of the Bad Axe Knights of Columbus Council #1546. He was a committee member for 10 years for the Farmers Home Administration, and a committeeman with the Huron County ASC Community for 10 years, as well as the committee's chairman for 25 years. He was a committeeman for the Michigan Association of Farmers Elected ASC and was chairman of the state for 15 years. He was on the Holstein-Freisian Committee of Registered Holsteins for 25 years. Franzel was a member of the Huron County Farm Bureau, the Michigan Livestock Association, and the Michigan Milk Producers. He belonged to the Michigan Cattleman's Association, the Big Brothers-Sisters Organization, and the Huron County Board of Directors for 6 years. He was chairman of the committee to organize the Huron Soil Conservation District and was on the board of directors for Bay Port State Bank from 1989-1992. He was a former parishioner of St. Ignatius Catholic Church in Freiburg and was a current parishioner of St. John Catholic Church in Ubly.

Franzel is survived by his wife, Mary; a son, Harold (Carrye) Franzel of San Antonio, Texas; 2 daughters: Mary Catherine (John) Nichol of Mt. Pleasant, and Sharon Franzel of Atlanta, Ga.; 4 grandsons; and a special friend, Doris Western of Bad Axe. He was preceded in death by 2 sisters: Josephine and infant Irene Franzel; and a brother, Harold Franzel.

Funeral mass was held Thursday, Oct. 19, at St. John Catholic Church, Ubly, with military honors. The Rev. Joseph Griffin, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the St. Ignatius Cem-

etery, Freiburg. Memorials may be made to the Family Discretionary Fund. Arrangements were made by Zinger-

Smigielski Funeral Home, Ubly.

Deanna Miller

Deanna June Miller, 63, of Caseville, died Saturday Oct. 21, 2006 at St. Mary Hospital in Saginaw after a brief battle with cancer.

Sanilac County, the daughter of the late Glenn and Mildred (Morrish) Darr. She married Lee Miller of Caseville in 1996 and then moved to Caseville. Miller grew up in Livonia then moved to Cass City after school. She

She was born Aug. 23, 1943 in

worked at Lyntex in Ubly for 22 years. Miller is survived by her husband, Lee; a son, Greg (Emily) Darr of Cass City; 3 grandchildren; and a brother, Chuck Darr of Saginaw.

She was preceded in death by 2 brothers: William and Jack Darr; and a sister, Joyce Darr.

A memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 25, at the Champagne Funeral Chapel of Caseville.

Service of Remembrance set Nov. 5

A Service of Remembrance will be held Sunday, Nov. 5, at 3 p.m. The annual service, sponsored by Kranz Funeral Homes of Cass City and Kingston, will be held at Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City.

"The Service of Remembrance is a time of remembering and celebration," explained Debra Kranz, owner of Kranz Funeral Homes. "Anyone who has had someone close to them die will appreciate this service. It is not a funeral but a time for us to come together as a community in remembering those we have loved."

The service consists of music and inspirational readings. There is also a time for family members to make a floral tribute. Family members are invited to bring a flower to place in tribute of their loved one.

The event is a non-denominational service. All clergy are invited to participate or just attend in support of their church members who have experienced the death of a family member or friend.

"Death is one thing that touches all of us," Kranz said. "It is one thing we all have in common. We need to encourage our families in their grief process, allow them to still grieve, to still remember, and show them we remember, too. The Service of Remembrance facilitates this.

While the service is sponsored by Kranz Funeral Homes, anyone is invited to attend.

The funeral home is located one-half mile east of the light in Cass City at 6850 Main St. Cookies, coffee and punch will be offered during a gathering time in the funeral home after the service.

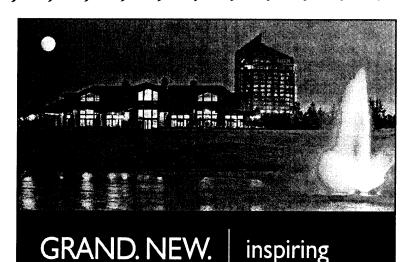
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