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Council aborts tax levy increase

by **Clarke Haire**
Publisher

Despite being loaded with plenty of ammo, the Cass City Village Council couldn't pull the trigger supporting a hike to the village's millage rates for 2011 during Monday's regular monthly meeting.

Instead, in a unanimous roll call vote, council members adopted the village's 2011 millage rate, establishing the total tax level at 18.137 mills, remaining unchanged over the last 5 years. It will cost the owner of

a home located in the village, with a market value of \$100,000, about \$725 annually.

Village Manager Peter Cristiano says the village of Cass City can expect a loss of \$133,405 in tax revenues compared to last year. Contributing to the loss is \$7,354,717 less in taxable value, and a decrease of \$7,134,148 in real property values. In addition, personal property values are expected to fall about 11 percent in 2011.

To help offset the budgeting Please turn to page 6.

Funding cuts, barn bids dominate meet

by **Tom Montgomery**
Editor

Recent word out of Lansing offered area school officials a little good news in the form of a proposed budget agreement in which planned per-pupil funding cuts in the coming year will be reduced.

But don't expect to see too many school administrators dancing in the streets.

Count Cass City School Supt. Jeff Hartel among those who appreciate the news, but say they are still facing some difficult decisions regarding budget cuts in order to balance budgets in 2011-12.

Gov. Rick Snyder initially proposed

a budget that would have cost schools \$300 per student plus the equivalent of another \$170 per student in retirement costs for a total of \$470 per pupil. In Cass City, the cuts would have added up to roughly \$866,000 based on a K-12 enrollment of 1,113 students.

Local school officials last month agreed to begin looking into spending reductions totaling about \$670,800, or an amount equal to about 75 percent of that red ink while also taking into account less revenue due to the anticipated loss of another 50 students next year.

The plan was to spend more than \$220,000 in fund balance dollars to Please turn to page 6.

O-G interviewing 3

by **Sherri Keaton**
Staff Writer

The Owen-Gage Board of Education decided unanimously to narrow the 5 part-time superintendent finalists to 3 during a special meeting Thursday.

The finalists are Jim Wencel, a retired Bad Axe Public Schools superintendent; David Watson, a superintendent at Howe Military School in Howe, Ind.; and Loren Vannest, a superintendent/principal at Harbor Springs.

The trio will meet with board members tonight (Wednesday) from 5 to 7 p.m. for interviews. The regular school board meeting will follow at 7 p.m. There may be an additional meeting held Thursday at 5 p.m. for anyone unable to make the first ses-

sion.

During Thursday's meeting, before selecting the 3 finalists, each board member discussed all of the candidates, reading references and referrals about them. The board also Please turn to page 8.

"Click It Or Ticket" campaign underway

An increased traffic enforcement campaign is underway in Tuscola County in an effort to encourage motorists to buckle up or pay up.

Tuscola County Sheriff Lee Teschendorf said his office is continuing its spring tradition of seat belt enforcement by taking part in the statewide "Click It Or Ticket" program, which began Monday and will continue through Sunday, June 5.

"Traffic fatalities have risen this year, while seat belt use has dropped slightly," said Tuscola County Sheriff's Department Lt. James Giroux, project director for the Office of Highway Safety Planning's Safe Communities Grant.

"Additional patrols for this effort will be paid for with federal traffic safety funds," Giroux said. "Tuscola County was awarded funding based on recent traffic crash statistics. By continuing to step up seat belt enforcement, we are reminding motorists the easiest way to Please turn to page 8.

Memorial Day services on tap

by **Sherri Keaton**
Staff Writer

Being in the Navy for 25 years isn't the only reason why Mark Zmierski still gets stirred up when he talks about the importance of Memorial Day.

"Memorial Day memorializes (the soldiers) and we don't want to forget. It's our responsibility," Zmierski said. Monday, May 30, marks this year's annual Memorial Day services in Elkland, Grant and Novesta townships.

Zmierski, the emcee of the Cass City service, said the events will begin Wednesday May 25, at 9 a.m. Small American flags will be placed on the veterans' graves at the Elkland Township Cemetery.

The Grant Township Cemetery Memorial Day Service will be held Sunday, May 29, beginning at 2 p.m. at the cemetery.

Brenda Kretzschmer, who is helping to organize the Grant Township event, said usually about 150 or 200 people show up. "But there is always room for more," she said.

Large flags will be placed at Elkland Township Cemetery Sunday at 6 p.m., weather permitting. Otherwise, if the weather

does not cooperate, flags will be placed at the cemetery Monday at 6:30 a.m.

"Freedom flags stand for freedom," Zmierski said. "We live in the world's greatest country, all the wars were in service to our country."

The parade will begin at 10 a.m. behind the Cass City Municipal Building at the Veterans Memorial, Zmierski said. Participants will line up for the 25-minute walk to Elkland Township Cemetery.

Upon completion of the parade, the Elkland Township Cemetery Memorial Day Service will begin.

The Novesta Township Memorial Day Service will begin at 1 p.m. on Monday. Jack Esau, 93,

Cass City, was the previous emcee of the Elkland Township service for 47 years.

A World War II veteran, Esau has countless stories about the war and the earlier observances of Memorial Day.

"If I got started with old stories I couldn't stop," Esau said with a chuckle.

"When I was younger in the '30s, Please turn to page 6.



LARRY ROBINSON sets up hurdles Friday for a middle school track meet. Robinson, a member of the Cass City Gavel Club, said the event hosts athletes from 8 middle schools. He has been a member of the Gavel Club for more than 20 years.

NEW DOC ON THE BLOCK

Ubly grad Kyle Walsh earns his medical degree

by **Sherri Keaton**
Staff Writer

During the course of his career, Kyle Walsh M.D., doesn't want to be remembered as the young doctor who won the highest awards in his field.

Or as being the lead author of a scientific journal at just 24 years old. Or even be known as the type of doctor who prefers treating people in a remote third-world country during his free time.

Walsh, an Ubly resident, wants to be remembered, simply, as a doctor who treated his patients with respect. "In medicine, I'd hopefully want my patients to see me as somebody who was able to connect with them and actually listen and help them to feel more comfortable," Walsh, 26, said.

As a graduate from Ubly Community High School, Walsh was the co-valedictorian in 2003. Afterwards he attended Michigan State University, where he spent 8 years.

Walsh, who is at the beginning of his medical career, graduated from MSU's College of Human Medicine with a Doctor of Medicine Degree May 14. He previously graduated from MSU with a Bachelor of Science Degree in May 2007.

Walsh has been accepted at the University of Cincinnati program starting in June, where he will complete his residency in emergency medicine over the next 4 years.

Walsh grew up in the Ubly area, living on a family farm with roots dating back 140 years. He said experiencing the small-town life was a good thing. "I formed a lot of great relationships with many of my teachers and coaches," added Walsh, who keeps in touch with a lot of them today.

From Walsh's perspective, there are unique educational opportunities available in smaller communities versus a larger suburban or metropolitan school.

"I am very happy to have grown up and gone to school in the Thumb," he said. "Schools in this area, like Ubly, have a strong sense of commu-

nity, dedicated teachers and coaches who are actually invested members of those communities."

Walsh said some of the character-building opportunities he was given in Ubly allowed him to be selected for the University of Cincinnati program. Last year, Walsh's interviewers wanted to know about his character to try to determine if he was someone they would actually want to hire or even work with for the next 3 to 4 years.

"These characteristics—personable, dependable, well rounded—I think growing up in a rural area can help one to develop," he said. In Oct. 2010, Walsh was recognized and selected for membership in the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society; the only national honor medical society in the world. The criteria for selection includes performance in medical school courses, leadership and research activities, volunteerism and performance on the standardized examinations of the National Board of Medical Examiners and the United States Medical Licensing Examinations.

"I was excited," Walsh said of his membership. "It was nice to feel the work I (had) done and the leadership positions I held had come together."

During Walsh's 3-month break after Please turn to page 8.



KYLE WALSH stands with his parents, Marilyn and Roderick, on the day of his graduation at Michigan State University. Walsh received his M.D. Degree and will be a resident physician in the Department of Emergency Medicine at the University of Cincinnati in late June.



Passing thoughts

Meg's Peg
by
Melva E. Guinther

An excerpt from the book "Exile" by Richard North Patterson struck home when I read it recently. Two would-be terrorists who had survived poverty, witnessed all sorts of atrocities, and the rigors of refugee camps were gazing at a 2-story American shopping center a quarter mile long.

One of them "tried to grasp the vast entitlement of people for whom such opulence was second nature."

His companion remarked, "Americans are so smug and pompous and stupid. They have no purpose, no soul, no values except to consume and pay someone to keep them amused. To them, the world is a video game. That's why we'll win."

That's a sobering indictment, and I'm afraid it's all too true.

On a lighter note, working with toddlers at church is always fun, sometimes challenging.

On Mother's Day, discussing being thankful for our moms and all they do for us, they gave the expected answers: she cleans the house, cooks meals, takes care of us when we're sick. Then a 3-year-old capped all the sentimentality with "Yeah, when you puke, she brings you a bucket!"

And here are a few really awful puns and jokes I came across recently:

At a nudist colony for communists, two old men are sitting on the front porch. One turns to the other and asks, "Have you read Marx?"

The other guy replies, "Yes, but I think it's from these wicker chairs."

A chess convention was held in San Francisco and several chess enthusiasts were standing around the lobby of a hotel discussing their recent victories. After about an hour, the hotel manager came out and asked them to disperse.

"Why?" they wanted to know.

"Because I can't stand chess nuts boasting in an open foyer."

Ghandi reportedly walked barefoot everywhere and the soles of his feet became thick and hard. Being a spiritual person, he ate very little and fasted often, which made him thin and frail. Because of his diet, it is said that his breath was pretty bad. Thus he became known as a super callused, fragile mystic plagued with halitosis.

A guy walked into a diner and asked for a bowl of chili. The waitress told him that the man next to him got the last bowl.

He looked over, saw that the bowl was still full and said, "If you're not going to eat that chili, do you mind if I take it?"

The other guy said, "No, help yourself."

About halfway through the bowl the man's fork hit something, a dead mouse, and he vomited the chili back into the bowl.

The other guy said, "That's about how far I got too."

As the secretary was leaving her office, she saw the CEO standing by the shredder with a piece of paper.

He asked if she could make the machine work and told her this was a very important document.

She turned the machine on, inserted the paper and pressed the start button. As the paper disappeared into the shredder, the boss said, "Great! I just need one copy!"

Volz recognized by peers at April sales conference

Charles Volz, Caro, a financial consultant with Thrivent Financial for Lutherans, has qualified for Sierra level for 2010 sales and service. Seven hundred of Thrivent Financial's approximately 2,400 financial representatives qualified for this honor.

Volz is with Thrivent Financial's Great Lakes Regional Financial Office, serving Lutherans and their

family members in Caro and surrounding communities. He provides financial guidance and solutions to help clients achieve their financial goals.

Volz was recognized by his peers from across the country at Thrivent Financial's sales conference in April. He has been with Thrivent Financial for 19 years and has been recognized for his performance 14 times.

HDC still offering Seniorcize classes through June 27 in Caro

The Human Development Commission (HDC) will continue to offer Seniorcize classes through Monday, June 27, at the HDC Dining Center on Green Street in Caro.

Experts say that, although a cure for Alzheimer's Disease is not available yet, recent studies have shown that individuals with mild memory loss can help maintain their cognitive

abilities by participating in exercise, socialization and healthy relationships. One study suggested that laughter is good for the brain, too.

Seniorcize is a seated exercise program led locally by Jeanne Putman on Mondays at 10:30 a.m. Putman has developed a program that focuses on the mind/body connection, stretching and relaxation. The class is geared specifically towards seniors who are caring for a loved one

with memory loss and/or dementia, they along with their loved one are encouraged to attend. Individuals with a diagnosis of Parkinson's Disease, and their caregivers, may also benefit from the exercise group.

Participants are invited to stay after the classes and enjoy lunch provided by the HDC staff.

More information is available by calling Eileen at the HDC Dining Center at (989) 672-1732.

Westerby graduates from SVSU



Alyssa Westerby

Alyssa L. Westerby recently graduated magna cum laude (with high honors) from Saginaw Valley State University. She majored in social work and minored in gerontology.

A 2007 Cass City High School graduate, Westerby is the daughter of Carolyn Westerby of Cass City.

Engaged



Brett Giles and Donna Bushong

Mr. and Mrs. George Bushong announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna L. Bushong of Cass City, to Brett A. Giles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Giles of Brighton.

Donna is a 2010 graduate of Grand Valley State University with a degree in general business and is currently working at Grand Rapids Popcorn Company.

Brett is a student at Davenport University and works in IT at PESG. A September 2011 wedding is currently being planned in Frankenmuth.

Knight earns music degree

A Cass City resident recently earned her degree at Alma College and was one of 300 students who participated in the college's 2011 commencement ceremony.

Lysa Knight earned a Bachelor of Music Degree in music education. A 2007 graduate of Cass City High School, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Knight of Cass City.



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Greeting card shower

Marie Wheeler of Ubly, formerly of Snover, MI, celebrates her 90th birthday on May 27, 2011.

She currently resides at Meadow Lanes Assisted Living in Bad Axe, MI. She is a member of St. Ignatius Catholic Church, Frieburg. She has 4 children, Marilyn (Francis) Kanaby of Ubly, MI, Carl D. Wheeler of Newport, NC, Vern D. Wheeler, deceased and Ronald Wheeler, deceased. She has 13 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild.

To honor her at her birthday and let her know she is loved, we're having a greeting card shower. Please send birthday cards to: Marie Wheeler, 150 Meadow Lane, Apt. 11, Bad Axe, MI 48413.



Marie Wheeler

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In Our OPINION...

Clarke Haire
Publisher

Tom Montgomery
Editor

To the graduates: show your thanks

*Time can be a merciless thief.
Just ask any parent of a high school senior after watching their son or daughter walk out the door for their last day of school in the Cass City School District last week.
Chances are good that many parents who had the opportunity to do just that didn't see a handsome young man or beautiful teenage daughter get into their car or catch the bus on that final day; they probably saw a bright-eyed tot, excited for school, backpack in tow, ready to tackle another day of reading, writing, arithmetic and, of course, recess.
Then reality sets in, and those same parents realize their "tot" is now an adult, no doubt ready to tackle the world.
Where do the years go?
Our graduates probably have spent more time wishing time would go by a bit faster in their hurry to grow up and enjoy their independence.
But before they walk up to the podium to accept their diplomas in Cass City Friday night, we'd like to offer a few words of advice:*

Dear members of the Cass City High School Class of 2011,

*You did it! Congratulations!
Enjoy your accomplishment and celebrate, but don't forget about the folks that helped get you to this point in your life.
Whether your future plans include a college education, service in the military or a job, keep in mind that you've been well prepared for the years ahead, thanks to a very dedicated staff of teachers and administrators, and a board of education that has looked out for you every step of the way.
They all deserve your thanks, because their efforts have helped to make it possible for you to reach for your goals.
You also live in a community rich in friends and neighbors, not to mention all of the local merchants who, despite some really difficult financial times, have dug deep into their pockets time after time for fundraisers and advertising to lend you a hand or recognize your accomplishments over the past 4 years.
Take the time to say thank-you to them, too.
Most importantly, your parents and other family members have been there for you, through thick and thin, encouraging you, loving you, and disciplining you when you needed a little dose of reality now and then.
Think about it — how many games, plays, assemblies and field trips have your parents attended over the years? How many times have they sacrificed so you wouldn't have to? How many times have they lost sleep because they were worried about your well-being?
And while it goes without saying, they will continue to be there, supporting you as you move on to the next step in your lives.
They deserve a HUGE thank-you, not to mention a hug or 2.
This may not be part of the formal graduation program Friday night, but we'd like to encourage each and every graduate to show their appreciation to all of the people who have played a role in getting them where they are today.
It's the right thing to do.*



Slices of Life

by Jill Pertler

I'm all right, how about you?



One of the most challenging aspects of living with teenagers is confronting their vast and superior knowledge. Every parent who's been there understands a teen's life experiences have brought them to the point of knowing almost everything - or maybe there's no almost about it.

I'm okay with my kids thinking they are right - as long as they keep their opinions to themselves. When they share their ideas and try to exert them on others (most specifically me), there's where the dilemma comes in. My teens believe they are right. That's their right. Unfortunately their "right" is often in direct opposition to my own (wise and learned) point of view. I also believe I am right, and we all are aware two rights do not make a left. (It takes three rights to do that; go ahead try this little experiment yourself.)

Which is exactly what my household experienced the other night when my husband and son ganged up on me - three rights. This was a rare occurrence, because usually my husband is as learned and wise as any old owl. On this occasion, however, he didn't give a hoot about the logic of my reasonable opinion.

I should have known better than to engage them in discourse on the rights and wrongs of any given topic. I avoid doing so with the men in my family. They are competitive and hate losing. To compound matters, my

Letters to the Editor

You can fool some folks all of the time

Some may consider it very un-Christian of me, but I find it extremely amusing how liberals get so upset when the table seems to be turning on them.

When liberal churches of any persuasion preach their liberal propaganda or back a liberal political candidate; not a peep. But if a Christian church even allows a meeting of people who liberals deem to be conservative, referred to and apparently defined as "the radical right," the liberals just can't wait to turn them in "for their own good."

It almost seems as if someone is judging the morality of a so-called "small percentage" of people, but in reality that small percentage of people may very well represent the values of a large

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We will all be judged some day

What is in a name? Hmmm - oh, I know - absolutely nothing.

It is what's inside that person - not their name. It's their personality, humbleness and kindness. It's their laughter, smile, tears and their fears. It's their heartaches and their courage. Oh yeah, and it's their blood, which is red, just like mine and yours. That's right, they bleed red just like all of us.

So to all of you's who think that you are so much better than the rest of us remember - you cry, laugh, hurt and also have fears. And yes, you also bleed red.

So the next time you want to say something negative about somebody because of their last name, remember, that could be you or someone you love.

Bullying isn't only in

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Wake up, America. Time to be honest

Wake up, America. I've listened long enough to Congress from both parties and from presidencies that insist Social Security is an entitlement and has to be cut to make ends meet. They are telling us that they are paying out more than they are taking in for it.

I submit to you that if they had not used it for purposes other than it was originally intended, there would be money enough to pay back those who paid in.

However, it seems that in our history Congress and the president "helped themselves" to those funds and have replaced most of them with IOUs (article I read said \$2.5 trillion) that they couldn't possibly pay back.

So, whenever they need a quick fix, Social Security becomes just that. "Let's

cut Social Security benefits, let's cut Medicare benefits."

Forgot the fact that American seniors have paid their fair share, and forget about the fact that whenever cuts need to be made, the seniors are the first group targeted. If you don't believe that, you better read the new healthcare bill. It will make you afraid to turn 60.

Time for government to get honest, get smaller and cut pork (including their exorbitant salaries, and leave our golden years alone). It all gives new meaning to "fixed" income. It should now be called declining income.

This also goes for our Michigan government, which now wants more money by way of taxing our pensions.

Ellen Moeny
Vassar

son is left-handed. Never argue with a lefty about being right.

So the three of us stood at a standstill. They were right and I was right. We probably should have done the three rights thing, made a turn in the opposite direction and left the situation alone. Maybe went for ice cream and called it a day.

It's hard to leave things alone, though, when you think you are right. Am I right?

I forget what we were squabbling about, but their claim of correctness was okay with me. "Let them be right" is one of my lesser-publicized mottos. My impediment came when they attempted to find fault with my own rightness. They accused me of thinking I am always right. Like there's something wrong with that.

Of course I always think I'm right. It would be illogical, unintelligent and inappropriate not to. I haven't met anyone who sets out to find an opinion they believe to be wrong. What would it say about my sense of self-respect and self-esteem if I didn't think enough of myself to choose to believe I was right?

We all think we are right. It's the nature of things.


My husband and son furrowed their brows at my admission. Was it an admission or declaration? I could almost see their brains churning. Because they weren't sure, they couldn't be certain whether they were winning the argument.

If there's anything more important than being right, it's winning an argument. Or maybe not. What did I have to gain by pursuing this one any further? My guys weren't on the threshold of giving up, and I had stuff to do - like pet the cat and watch the weather channel.

I ended my filibuster by offering one last tidbit of logical information regarding the importance of semantics: Believing you are right and being right are two different things. I always believe I am right. But I never know for sure. I could be wrong. We all could be.

Their jaws dropped at my disclosure. I grabbed the cat and the remote, and left it at that.

Jill Pertler, award-winning syndicated columnist and author of "The Do-It-Yourselfer's Guide to Self-Syndication," is collecting fans on Facebook on her Slices of Life page. Email her at pertmn@qwest.net; or visit her website at <http://marketing-by-design.home.mchsi.com/>.



Rabbit Tracks

by Clarke Haire

(And anyone else he can
get to help)

It was a busy end of the week for members of the Cass City Gavel Club. On Friday, the civic-minded folks hosted their annual Gavel Club Relays in the recreational park. The junior high track meet, which attracted 8 schools and used a Jack-and-Jill format, was topped by Freeland.

On Saturday, club members headed to Rolling Hills Golf Course for their yearly 18-hole fundraiser, captured by the team of Dave Salcido, Mark Irrer, Jason Rae and Dave Hutchinson. The foursome used a scramble format to shoot 61.

The Gateway Sportsmen's Club in Unionville invites local sportsmen to attend their 4th annual Friends of NRA banquet on Thursday, May 26. Dinner tickets are \$30 per person.

Friends of NRA is an exciting grassroots fund-raising program that fosters community involvement, raises money and gives 100% of the net proceeds to qualified local, state and national programs.

Details are available on the Gateway Club's website at www.gatewaysportsmensclub.org. Tickets can be purchased by calling Al Herman at (989) 686-3013.

Humm. Regular gas in Caseville on Sunday afternoon was \$3.77 per gallon. On Monday morning in Cass City regular gas was \$3.99 per gallon.

If you have been waiting to get rid of those old tires hanging around the homestead, mark Saturday, June 11, on the calendar; that's when Tuscola County residents (proof of residency may be required) can dispose of up to 7 tires regardless of size at the Cass City Municipal Building parking lot from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

However, organizers say a semi-trailer will be used for collection. When it is filled, the collection stops.

Please remember the Chronicle office will be closed Monday in observance of Memorial Day. Deadlines will remain unchanged, but newsstands and subscriber copies will be delivered a day later than usual.

Have a safe and happy holiday.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

Wednesday, May 25

Spoonfuls of Plenty FREE Community Meal, 4-6 p.m., LeeRoy Clark Building, 435 Green St., Caro. Open to anyone wanting a hot, home-style meal.

Ravenous Readers Book Club, noon, Rawson Memorial District Library.

Thursday, May 26

AA meeting, 7-8 p.m., Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Cass City. For more information, call (989) 553-5932.

TEA Party meeting, 6:30 p.m., Evangelical Free Church, Cass City. Speaker will be Jim McLoskey. For more information, call (989) 872-2657.

Cass City PTO meeting / ice cream social, 7 p.m., gazebo in the park.

Senior Lunch, noon, Shabbona United Methodist Church.

Friday, May 27

Al-Anon meeting for family and friends of alcoholics, 7 p.m., United Methodist Church, Elkton. For more information, call (989) 872-4042.

Sunday, May 29

Gagetown AA meeting, 8-9 p.m., Gagetown fire hall. For more information, call (989) 325-2592.

Monday, May 30

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

AA meeting, 7-8 p.m., Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Cass City. For more information, call (989) 553-5932.

Rawson Memorial District Library will be closed in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

Tuesday, May 31

Al-Anon meeting, 7 p.m., St. Francis Parrish, Pigeon.

Sanilac Co. Sheriff: scammers have come up with a new one

Scam artists continue to come up with new ways to bilk people out of their money.

"It seems scammers have come up with a new one," Sanilac County Sheriff Garry Biniecki said. "Individuals who have filed for bankruptcy have been receiving threatening phone calls from a person identifying himself as a Daniel Scott, who claims he works for an attorney named Barry Cooper out of Peterson Law Firm in California.

"The scammer threatens that they owe \$500 on a previous cash advance loan and will be arrested if

not paid by a set date," Biniecki explained. "They will take less on a credit card account or check. This is obviously a scam. The phone number given is (530) 452-6712 — out of Alpine Meadows, Calif. The fax number is (206) 337-3220 — out of Seattle, Wash."

Sheriff's office detectives, following up on a complaint, called the number and talked with a person who identified himself as a Daniel Scott. He has a foreign accent and sounds like he is in a large room with other scam solicitors, according to the sheriff. "In researching the phone numbers, detectives came up

with multiple hits for a scam.

"The debt doesn't have to be real," Biniecki noted. "It seems the pressure and threats of going to jail or affecting credit seems to scare some people into paying. We are not sure yet if the fact filing for bankruptcy played a part, or if forms that they (would-be victims) would have filled out got into a mass mail listing that the scammers are using."

Anyone who receives a call described in this story is encouraged to contact the Sanilac County Sheriff's Department Detective Division at (810) 648-8360.

To Hills and Dales Gen. Hospital

CVS awards diabetes funding

CVS Caremark Corporation recently awarded a \$1,500 grant to Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City to support diabetes education for patients in need.

The donation was part of the CVS Caremark Community Grants commitment to non-profit organizations throughout the country.

"The diabetes education program at Hills and Dales General Hospital assists patients who have diabetes to gain the knowledge and skills they need to manage their disease every day. The grant will be used to establish a scholarship fund to assist individuals who lack insurance coverage for diabetes education," said Kathy Dropeski, R.N., program coordinator for the program.

"We're pleased that this grant will enable us to help more people to

manage their diabetes effectively," Dropeski added.

"CVS Caremark Community Grants are an effective way for us to contribute to the success of communities where we do business," said Jennifer Veilleux, director of CVS Caremark Corporation. "We are proud to support the work that Hills and Dales General Hospital does in the community."

Hills and Dales was selected to receive a grant through the CVS Caremark Community Grants 2010 grant application process. Grants were awarded to organizations that share a common interest with CVS Caremark in supporting programs for the uninsured, which help to make health services affordable and easy to access. The goal of the program is to provide relief for individ-

uals who lack medical insurance to get the proper medical attention they need.

"Through this grant, we are assuring that more uninsured individuals in Cass City receive needed care, that the care received is of high quality, and that the uninsured are served by medical providers and professionals who are dedicated to improving their lives and the lives of others," said Dennis Palmer, senior vice president, West Division, CVS/Pharmacy.

The diabetes education program at Hills and Dales has been recognized by the American Diabetes Association and the Michigan Department of Community Health.

More information about the program is available by calling (989) 912-6365.

Circuit court news

Several charged with felonies

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

- Wendy T. Webb, 39, Vassar, was sentenced to 180 days in the county jail, with work release, for her pleas of no contest to fleeing a police officer, operating a motor vehicle with a high blood alcohol content (BAC), possession of an open intoxicant in a motor vehicle and failure to report a traffic accident Dec. 25 in Vassar.

She was also ordered to pay court costs and fines totaling \$2,251 plus restitution of \$120.

- Steven E. Brink, 36, Fairgrove, was sentenced to 90 days in jail

(deferred) for his pleas of no contest to attempted assault with intent to do great bodily harm, and domestic violence Jan. 16 in Fairgrove.

He was ordered to pay \$1,731 in costs and fines.

- Barry L. Kivel, 31, Caseville, pleaded guilty to fleeing and eluding a police officer Jan. 19 in Elmwood/Hampton townships. He was also convicted of being an habitual offender (2 prior felony convictions).

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered in the case and bond was continued at \$5,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

- Christopher A. Shaft, 23, Caro, pleaded no contest to unlawfully driving away an automobile Feb. 1 in Caro. He was also convicted of being an habitual offender (one prior felony conviction).

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$5,000. Sentencing is to be set.

- Ricky J. Copes, 43, Vassar, was sentenced to 330 days in jail, with work release, for his pleas of guilty to operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, third offense, Feb. 4 in Indianfields

Township and Feb. 22 in Juniata Township.

He was also placed on 60 months probation and ordered to complete 360 hours of community service and pay costs and fines totaling \$3,296 plus restitution of \$320.

- Edward M. Palmer, 33, Caro, pleaded guilty to possession of marijuana May 14, 2010, in Caro.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

- Lawrence D. Wheaton II, 33, Lapeer, was sentenced to 365 days in jail and 24 months probation for his plea of guilty to unlawfully driving away an automobile Aug. 16, 2009, in Watertown Township. He was also convicted of being an habitual offender (2 prior felony convictions).

In addition to jail time, he was ordered to pay costs and fines totaling \$1,518.

- Joshua D. Hinkle, 28, Caro, pleaded no contest to assault with a dangerous weapon and domestic violence Dec. 15 in Cass City.

A pre-sentence investigation was ordered and bond was continued at \$5,000. Sentencing is to be scheduled.

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Reporter's notebook

A class reunion? I'm going to pass

by Tom Montgomery
Editor

I received another invitation to attend a high school class reunion, but once again I'm going to pass.

Don't get me wrong; I had a wonderful experience at East Kentwood High School, a large Class A district on the west side of the state. I loved being a part of what is today one of the state's premier (and one of the largest) high school marching bands.

However, I could count the number of classmates I knew well on one hand. I was a (proud) band geek and member of the school newspaper, but many of my friends were underclassmen.

It's no wonder.

I felt like a pretty small fish in an enormous pond right up to the time I graduated in 1980. Just a few years ago, East Kentwood High School boasted one of the largest enrollments in Michigan at nearly 4,000 kids — that's just the high school. And the Falcon Marching Band? Well, not too many years ago the school fielded 250 kids. Seriously.

And talk about facilities! East Kentwood is the only high school on the west side of the state to own its own indoor ice arena on campus (even back in my day, ice hockey was a junior varsity and varsity sport). And then there's the football stadium, complete with artificial turf, that seats 7,500. Did I mention the competitive and community swimming pools that are home to the school's swimming, diving and water polo (yes, I said water polo) teams, or the 1,600-seat fine arts

auditorium?

However, for all of the advantages offered at larger schools, I can't help but envy the kids who graduate each year from Cass City High School.

Certainly their educations haven't suffered, in spite of monstrous funding cuts courtesy of our lawmakers and governors over the past several years. Just take a look at Cass City's standardized test scores if you doubt it. And how many of our students have excelled in a variety of disciplines, proving that they can compete with the most talented of their peers across the state and beyond?

Students in our small community also have a variety of opportunities to participate in athletics and other activities here. It's not the same story at mega-high schools, where students face stiff competition if they plan to vie for a spot on the varsity football team or state champion debate squad.

In the end, my envy of kids here stems from the fact that, after living in this community for nearly 25 years, I've gotten to know dozens of past graduates who have maintained friendships with members of their class years after donning caps and gowns. Everybody knows everybody.

Makes me wonder what it would have been like to attend a smaller high school.

Sure, I wouldn't have had the chance to march with 150 other kids, with thousands of folks watching in the stands on Friday nights.

But I would think twice these days before tossing an invitation to my class reunion into the trash can.

Down Memory Lane

by Tina Pallas



5 YEARS AGO

Rebecca Putnam, Jarod Stoutenburg, Derrick Mallory and Klyn Puterbaugh received the Cory Merz Endowment Fund, as well as plaques and T-shirts of where they plan to attend college. Cory Merz's Parents, Lisa and David Merz, awarded 4 scholarships this year because this was Merz's graduating class.

Chris Zawilinski picked a good time to figure out his high jumping technique. The Cass City sophomore put together his best 2 efforts of the season last week, one earning a Greater Thumb West title (6'3") and the other as Division 3 regional crown (6'1"). Zawilinski will join Scott Meeker and Dennis Bowen as the Red Hawks' only state qualifiers following Saturday's Division 3 regional action in Bad Axe. Zawilinski topped the high jump field with a season-best leap of 6'3", closing in on the school record of 6'4 1/4" held by Don Englehart.

Linda Gray retires at the end of this year from Campbell Elementary School (35 years of teaching). She is looking forward to spending more time with her family, especially her grandchildren.

10 YEARS AGO

Dan Erla's hobby provides him with exercise, some excitement and plenty of satisfaction. But it also opens him up to some very public criticism. In fact, there have been times when he and his partners found themselves making a hasty retreat to avoid a confrontation with overzealous parents. Erla is a sports official. It's a job that has taken the Cass City man to basketball, baseball and football games at schools throughout the Thumb for years. Erla is among dozens of officials who were honored for their service during the Michigan High School Athletic Association's (MHSAA) 22nd annual Officials' Awards and Alumni Banquet, held May 12 in Lansing. Officials presented him with a gold plated whistle encased in a pyramid-shaped award during the ceremony. Erla, who was among a select group of officials honored for 40 years or more of service, got his start in officiating in 1958.

Four young people were received into communicant membership at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church by rite of confirmation Sunday, May 20. They are Ashley Barrigar, Stacy McCallum, Andrew Schinnerer and Jason Weippert. High School graduates Katie Hacker, William Gage Jr., Joxy Hess and Ludwig Schulz and college graduates Rachel Hoard, Jacob Lounsbury, Stacey Lounsbury and Joshua Lounsbury were also honored.

25 YEARS AGO

A nearly dangerous bout with dry weather this spring put area farmers on the edge of their seats. Over a week of non-stop rain kept them there. In 3 weeks (from April 23 to May 14) the area saw a mere .28 inches of rain, according to records at the Waste Water Treatment plant in Cass City. The dry weather coincided with springtime planting. Last week, the rain came. "A week ago at this time we were begging for water and would have been happy to receive 1 to 2 inches. The area has received anywhere from 1 to 5 inches." Said Tuscola County Cooperative Services Director Bill Bortel. Last week the Waste Water Treatment plant recorded 2.02 inches after 7 straight days of rain.

Nelson "Moose" Willy received a plaque from the Cass City village council in appreciation of his 32 years of faithful and dedicated service to the village at the regular meeting of the Cass City Village Council Tuesday evening. Willy officially retired May 22 from the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The Ferris State College Chapter of the Future Secretaries Association recently elected new officers for 1986-87. Installed during the 12th annual Awards Presentation of FSC's office administration department were Lori Thompson of Big Rapids, recording secretary; Dana Zdrojewski of Cass City, vice-president; Kim Fidler of Gratiot, treasurer; Kate Worm of Manistee, corresponding secretary, and Tracy Green of Cass City, president.

50 YEARS AGO

Paul Holmberg more than lived up to the expectations of Cass City track fans at the state meet held Saturday in Ann Arbor as he saved his best efforts for the big event. Holmberg smashed the record in the 440-yard dash where he raced over the distance in :48.8, shattering the old record of :50.6 set in 1955 by Lawrence Masteller of Adrian. Besides his record breaking stint in the 440, Holmberg placed sixth in the broad jump and ran on the 880-yard relay squad, which finished fourth. The nine points earned by the squad earned Cass City a sixth place finish. There were 126 schools competing.

As a trout fisherman we can't help but be a little green-eyed over the success enjoyed by Grant (Whitey) Strickland while trout fishing this week. He came home the early part of the week from his job in the north with a 17 1/2-inch Brown trout caught in Klacking Creek. The very next day he came back with two more caught in the Au Sable with flies. One was about 18 inches and the

other was about 21 inches. All of these fish are larger than many avid trout fisherman, including this editor, have ever caught in Michigan. (From the Editor's Corner)

100 YEARS AGO

One of the biggest rain storms in years held sway Saturday evening. Late in the afternoon the rain began falling and it fast developed into a furious downpour that was almost a cloudburst. It continued until nearly midnight. Lighting flashes were frequent and three building were struck in Cass City. The opera house cupola was slightly damaged, the flag pole on the "Candy Kitchen" building was splintered and thrown to the sidewalk, and a chimney was demolished on Chas. Robinson's residence. None of the buildings were touched by fire.

For some time, the council has been considering the installation of day service for electric lighting and power purposes, the changing of the street lighting system, and the repairing of the power house of the building of a new one on a site next to the railroad track. The latter project, as the matter is viewed at the present time, has been abandoned, and it is thought that the council will order the power house repaired and enlarged so as to provide room for the extra machinery needed when day service is commenced. At the council meeting Monday evening, the trustees voted to levy a tax of 15 mills this year. This will provide funds for the general expense of the village, and from the conversation of the trustees, they anticipate it will also care for enlarging the power house and provide a part of the equipment for day service. The remainder of the funds needed for this change in this system can be raised next year. At least, that was the plan outlined Monday evening. The change in the street lighting system may not be attempted for some time if the other plans are followed.

Ask your neighbor

Spring weather could be better

Cathy Drake is not normally an optimist. But when it comes to Michigan's ever-changing spring season, she has high hopes for next year.

"I have a feeling next year's (weather) is going to be better," said the Caro resident of 23 years. Drake said so far this season has been horrible weather. "It is supposed to be spring. It could be warmer and it is supposed to be warmer. It is too cold," she added.

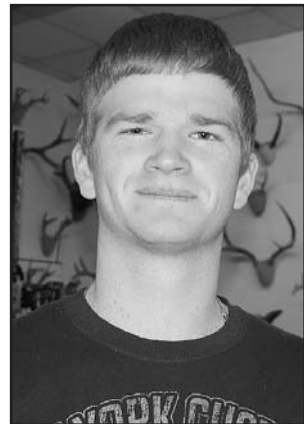
Drake feels the weather is not normal, but she guesses it is a pattern. Yet, if Drake had a choice, she would make the temperatures a little warmer. "I don't like it hot, but it would be nice to have it be at least like spring, (where) you (can) go out without a coat this time of year," she said. If it was nicer, Drake said she would be working in the yard, golfing and walking more. "It is no fun when you have to wear a coat."

Jonathan White, employee at Cass City Hardware, has been a Michigander for as long as he can remember. And the weather? That is just something that comes with the territory. "It's been cold, but what do you expect? It's Michigan," White asked casually. "I am used to it."

Born just an hour north of Detroit in Armada, White said if possible, he would change the weather to about 70 degrees. "I like it around 70. I like being outside riding dirt bikes, 4 wheeling and exercising," he said. If White could tell Michigan's weather anything, he would say, "warm up and stop raining."



Cathy Drake



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Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

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Cass City Church of Christ

6743 E. Main St., Cass City, MI 48726

Contacts 872-2367 or 872-3136

Worship Service Sunday 11:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

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Sunday 10:00 a.m. & Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

Cass City Church of the Nazarene

6538 Third St., Cass City, MI 48726

872-2604 or (989) 912-2077

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Wed. Prayer & Bible Study -

& Children's Activities 6:00 p.m.

Pastor: Jerry Harrington

Associate Pastor: Judy A. Eskilsen

Cass City Missionary Church

4449 Koeppgen Rd., Cass City, MI 48726

989-872-2729

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 10:50 a.m.

Sunday Evening Service & Youth Group 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday Family Night 6:30 p.m.

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872-3422

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(Summer 9:30 a.m.)

Sunday School - Sept.-May 9:30 a.m.

Community Dinner - Monthly (2nd Wed. at noon)

Pastor: Rev. Jackie Roe

Evangelical Free Church of Cass City

6430 Chestnut Blvd., Cass City, MI 48726

872-5060

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship 11:00 a.m.

Midweek Bible Studies

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Sunday Morning Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening Service 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday-

Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

AWANA Clubs 6:45 p.m. During School Year

Thursday Teen Club 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Pastor: David G. Hill

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First Presbyterian Church

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State & National Historical Registry

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872-5400

Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

Pastor: Dave Blackburn

Fraser Presbyterian Church

3006 Huron Line Rd., Cass City, MI 48726

872-5400

Sunday School - Sept.-May 10:30 a.m.

Worship Service 9:30 a.m.

Pastor: Dave Blackburn

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

6820 E. Main St., Cass City, MI 48726

872-2770

Worship Service 9:30 a.m.

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Memorial Day services on tap around the area

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it was just a few boys and a few dogs and that was about it," Esau said of earlier Memorial Day celebrations.

"It wasn't a great deal of attention put on Memorial Day."

Esau added that the upcoming Memorial Day is a new chance to celebrate and honor the past and the

present.

"There's only a few of us left and we've heard each others' stories and lies for so long, it's nothing new," he said.

Funding cuts, barn bids dominate school meet

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balance the 2011-12 budget, with hopes of ending the fiscal year with a fund balance of \$923,883.

Even with the latest revenue estimates out of Lansing, "We're still looking at cuts of \$644,000," Hartel told the Cass City Board of Education during a regular monthly meeting Monday night. He noted school officials would implement \$483,000 in cuts should the board of education stick with its plan to implement cuts equal to 75 percent of the total, with the rest coming from the fund balance.

Hartel last month offered the school board a host of possibilities in terms of reducing spending, and the district's finance committee is expected to further consider those options in the near future along with finalizing a proposed 2011-12 spending plan, which must be in place by the end of June under state law.

Snyder announced Thursday that he

and legislative leaders had reached an agreement on spending targets that revised numbers for cuts in the areas of K-12 education, revenue sharing for cities and counties, and state employee concessions.

Highlights of the agreement include:

*An extra \$310 million in funding for K-12 schools. Of that total, \$150 million will be distributed on a per-pupil basis to districts that meet specified financial "best practice" measures as defined in the K-12 appropriations bill; and one-time funding of \$160 million to help defray local school district costs related to the Michigan Public School Employees Retirement System.

Hartel pointed out that there's no guarantee Cass City Schools would qualify for the "best practice" measures, and there are no guarantees regarding when the state would actually give schools that money.

*Providing \$30 million in additional money for local units of government, half of which goes to cities, villages and townships as part of the Economic Vitality Incentive grants, and the other half going for county revenue sharing.

Snyder said the budget will eliminate Michigan's \$1.5 billion deficit.

He also pointed out that last week's agreement paves the way for the earliest completion date of the state budget in years. In fact, the governor has asked lawmakers to finalize the spending plan by the end of this month.

BARN BIDS

During a special meeting held just prior to Monday's regular session, the board reviewed bids for construction of a barn for the Cass City High School Agriscience Program. The barn will measure 40 feet by 64 feet by 14 feet.

The board awarded the following contracts: plumbing — Marshall Pools & Excavating Inc., Genesee (\$1,790); electrical — Elite Electric, Ubly (\$2,684.25); site preparation and parking lot expansion — Shagene Excavating, Cass City (\$2,800); well drilling — Kitchen & Stumpf Well Drilling, Mayville (\$14 per foot plus \$2,320); construction and concrete — Q-Ball Construction, Cass City (\$11,820).

All of the companies selected submitted the low bids, according to Cass City High School Principal Chad Daniels, who told the board that all of the money needed for the project has been raised. "We're just a shade under \$70,000 donated for the barn," he said, noting the latest

pledge (\$5,000) came from the Pinney Foundation. School officials kicked in the first \$10,000.

Daniels said the money pledged has covered even unexpected expenses such as \$9,000 to extend electrical service to the barn. School officials have also learned they must tap into the village sewer system.

Daniels said village officials have been great to work with on the project, which will serve dozens of students. Only a year old, the agriscience program has attracted the interest of 150 kids next year.

IN OTHER BUSINESS

In other business Monday, the board:

*Heard from Cass City Education Association President Mary Keroson who urged the school board, on behalf of the local teachers union, to end its relationship with D.M. Burr Inc., Flint, the contractor that handles the district's custodial services. Keroson described the company's work as very unsatisfactory.

School officials hired D.M. Burr when it privatized the district's custodial services.

As part of the budget cutting proposals recently outlined by Hartel, school officials were considering extending the company's contract in exchange for a savings of \$5,000. However, Hartel said the district is no longer considering that option. D.M. Burr currently has one year left in its current contract with the Cass City Public Schools.

*Approved a resolution confirming that the Cass City Public Schools will remain a "School of Choice" district for the 2011-12 school year. The district will accept students from neighboring schools in grades K-10. Class sizes will remain within contractual limits.

*Approved a proposed policy change that extends the disciplinary point system policy used at the high school to include the eighth grade.

*Approved an annual resolution supporting the Tuscola Intermediate School District's general education budget.

*Accepted the resignations, "with regret", of long-time school bus driver Carol Long, and middle school para-professional Linda Duquesnay, who has been with the district for nearly 20 years.

*Recognized senior Dallas Woodward, one of this year's valedictorians, for the publishing of his novel, "Many are the Blind".

*Approved an annual resolution continuing membership in the Michigan High School Athletic Association.

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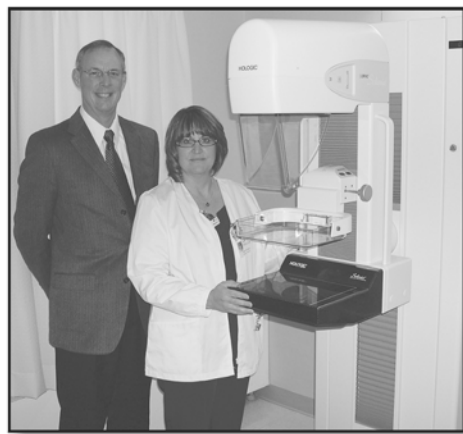
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Council approves tax levy at 18.137 mills

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shortfalls in the current spending plan, officials entered Monday's gathering seeking an increase of .04 mills to support state mandated engineering costs to conduct annual testing of the village landfill site. The miniscule increase (.08 to .12 mills) would have generated \$2,000 in revenues for that purpose and cost the average homeowner about an extra \$1.60 yearly.

"During the past 2 months, as management tracked the anticipated tax revenue losses, a common opinion surfaced again and again not to raise the tax rate," said Cristiano, noting the village will try to save cash by seeking new engineering contracts, as opposed to increasing the tax levy.

Before setting the current year's tax rates, the council approved the 2010 audit presented by Angela Burnette, Yeo & Yeo, CPA. She said the village's financial statements received an "unqualified opinion," the highest level of insurance that acceptable accounting practices are followed and "no material weaknesses" were found in the village's internal controls.

The audit revealed reductions in the General Fund (\$4,264), Major Street Fund (\$84,801) and Local Street Fund (\$38,162), while Nonmajor Funds increased \$69,474 for the year ending Dec. 31, 2010.

PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE

In matters pertinent to the village's sewer fund, committee spokesperson Jenny Zawilinski's requests for a control panel upgrade to the lift station on Sherman Street and for the purchase of a laboratory sampler for the Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) were quickly approved.

Rick Mohr, WWTP superintendent,

recommended both improvements noting funds are available in the 2011 budget for the purchases, which include \$5,263 for a Magnova transducer probe system from Lotus Electric, Waterford, and a refrigerated dipper sampler from Peterson and Matz, Farmington Hills, in the amount of \$5,862.

In reports to village officials, Mohr explained the village has 2 lift stations that assist in moving sanitary sewage to the Wastewater Treatment Plant. One lift station, located in Northwood Estates, was modified in 2009 and brought up-to-date by installing a new control panel to operate the pumps.

In his memo to village president Peter Cristiano, Mohr wrote: The new system uses a transducer probe system rather than floats to control the system. The system works very well and has allowed us to bring the lift station on line with the SCADA system.

The Sherman Street lift was not included at that time due to budgetary restraints. The Sherman Street lift does not have the current technology nor is it SCADA compatible. However, Mohr says after the work is completed by Lotus Electric the Sherman Street lift will be up-to-date and in several months added to the SCADA system.

Turning to the sampler purchase from Peterson & Matz, Mohr wrote in another memo to Cristiano: The Wastewater Treatment Plant has 4 samplers that provide samples for the laboratory. Over the past number of years, the samples have progressively been giving us more and more problems.

Three of the samplers have been replaced in the last 5 years. At this time, the 4th sampler needs replacing, Mohr wrote in a request, which the council approved following a brief discussion.

You can fool some folks all of the time

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percentage of the population in this country. Actually, it's 58 percent according to the most recent unbiased polls.

Conservatives seeming elitist and exclusive? This has to be a joke, right? If you want to see elitist and exclusive, just take a look at the liberals in politics from the top on down. It has been my observation throughout the decades that those who are politically informed know conservatives (constitutionists) consistently fight for "all races, religions and classes" but when any such legislation gets passed the liberals are always thumping their chests taking credit for it.

One such example is the Civil Rights Act, introduced by President Eisenhower and defeated by then Senator Lyndon Johnson. The Democrats couldn't stand the thought of Republicans taking credit for any civil rights legislation so they sabotaged it eventually allowing Johnson and the Democrats to take the credit for passing it. The Democrats are notorious for sabotaging legislation when Republicans are in power, which is seldom, even resorting to sabotaging the economy in an attempt to make a Republican president look bad. How moderately Christian of them.

For the past 5 or 6 decades liberals have had a virtual monopoly on all aspects of media including print and television as well as the movie industry. Until recently, the only national source of conservative news or opinion has been talk radio, National Review and The Wall Street Journal. Now that Fox News has broken that monopoly, it has become evident that the silent majority, the so-called radical right, is voting with their remote controls and letting their presence be known via the Tea Party movement.

The liberals get so upset with the fact that Fox News and Rush Limbaugh are number one in the ratings that some have suggested passing legislation (The Fairness Doctrine?) forcing networks to provide competing programs that can't support themselves on their own merit, and even going so far as taking Fox News and Rush off the air.

I believe if someone took the time to check the facts, they might discover that many large corporations, banks and Wall Street firms spend more money backing Democrats than Republicans. The liberals thrive on playing the "race card", class warfare and generally misrepresenting the truth with lies by omission or just outright lies. They use class warfare paying lip service to their largest donors to please their gullible public supporters while making deals with those donors behind closed doors.

It has been shown that more than 90 percent of union donations go to

Democrat candidates via union bosses. I have a hard time believing that more than 90 percent of all union members vote for Democrats, so one might conclude that many union members are being forced to donate to political candidates whom they do not support.

Does anyone believe that bullying a citizen to pay into a protection racket in order to get a job to "assure a living wage" is moderately Christian? Does any Christian believe that those citizens do not have a right to work for a living wage unless they pay union dues?

Curiously, it has been reported that the "environmentally friendly" teachers union protest that took place in Wisconsin's capital cost the state \$7,500,000 for repairs and clean-up. The EPA would've been proud.

Curious also is that after the Tea Party rally at the Washington Monument involving in excess of 500,000 people, there wasn't a speck of paper or trash to be found after the fact.

Conversely, after the anti-Tea Party rally at the same location consisting of 50 to 100,000 people, involving numerous unions, the Socialist Workers Party, the Communist Workers Party, hundreds of other groups, all of them liberal, including (this is the best one) the environmentalists, the place looked like a garbage dump when they left. Signs, bottles, cans and trash strewn all over the ground and even some graffiti. What a bunch of hypocrites. The EPA would've been proud just like in Wisconsin.

To say that, at most liberal rallies, profanities, obscenities and hate speech are not uncommon would be a gross understatement. I would hope that someone is able to open their eyes for a change, get the facts and most of all, get a grip on reality. But, as ol' Abe Lincoln once said, in part..."You can fool some of the people all of the time."

Bob Papovich
Snover

We will all be judged some day

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schools with our children. It is also in the so-called grown-up world. Grown-ups are just as hurtful as children can be and in some cases even worse.

Just remember, we all have feelings and life is way too short to be judging people. We must remember, we will all be judged in the end.

Jeanne Murawski
New Haven

Ubly announces honor roll

Officials at Ubly High School announce the third marking period honor roll.

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Teryan Block, Sydney Bonnema*, Tyler Brandel*, Lindsey Briolat, Austin Burton, Kandace Crickon*, Tyler Cross, Heather Gentner, Ashley Glaza*, Marissa Hagen, Brent Heleski, Jensen Hund*, Chelsey Klawon, Janelle Leppek*, Joshua Leppek, Clayton Messing, Samantha Mitchell, Trenton Morell*, Kady Osentoski, Leah Osentoski, Sarah Peters, Danielle Pionk*, Brayden Rich, Brittany Sadro, Shawn Schmidt, Shelby Schumacher*, Kassidy Swanson, Hannah Sweeney, Marshal Weltin and Kari White.

GRADE 10

Faithe Baslock, Austin Bischer, Kurt Booms, Alyssa Briolat*, Lindsay Dickert, Tyler Dropiewski, Jacob Fulton, Jamie Grifka, Skye Grifka, Tyler Grifka*, Maria Guza, Jamie Keller, Henry Kenga, Zachary Kranz*, Ashley Kubacki, Hailey Kubacki, Brandon Leppek, Matthew Leppek, Catharine Loss, Tiffany Maurer, Tabitha McCarty, Gabriel Messing, Rakel Osentoski*, Jessica Peplinski, Kristi Pollum, Nattamom

Ponsaena, Jeremy Porzondek, Zachary Priemer, Austin Rothe*, Becky Rutkowski, Jason Rutkowski*, Sahobiddin Sadriddini*, Allison Sadro*, Ashley Samuelson, Camilla Sanchez, Richelle Schmidt*, Carsten Seemann*, Elizabeth Shaw, Nycole Shepherd, Morgan Smalley, Rachel Sorenson*, Justin Stepka*, Chandra Susalla, Brandon Sweeney, Nicholas Sweeney, Katelyn Taylor, Alyssa Tyrrell, Vanessa Ulfig, Jennifer Van Dyke, Joseph Varosi, Jacob Walker, Jonathan Watchowski, Marie Wolverton* and Wei Jun Xu.

GRADE 11

Kelsey Block, Jennifer Booms, Nicole Booms, Brandi Burton, Bret Cleary, Ashley Deachin, Bart Dekker, Susanne Dekker, Austin Drake, Brittany Forman, Stephanie Geiger, Ian Grifka, Mitchell Guza*, Connie Heleski*, Mikyla Hogston, Austin Keller, Joshua Kubacki, Nicole Kubacki*, Marshall Leipprandt*, Briana Lemke, Leandra Leppek, Darcy Lipskey, Jason Messing*, Sherie Messing, Kayla Morell, Raquel O'Connor, Kyle Peplinski, Michael Pichla, Taylor Pionk, Laken Rich, Nathaniel Schumacher, James Shaw, Jennifer Susalla, Brooke Vogel, Melissa Vogel, Bryan White*, Joshua White and Laura Wrubel.

GRADE 12

Cory Booms, Evan Booms, Timothy Bosely*, Katelyn Briolat*, Brandon Creguer, John Creguer, Caleb Fisher, Scott Gentner, Brandon Glaza*, Cassandra Glaza, Jessica Gracey*, Alicia Heilig, Brandon Heritier*, Brittany Jewett, Alexandria Kranz*, Andrea Kumaus, Jasmine Loss*, Lucas Loss, Jose Mendez, Leonard Nowicki III, Lauren Peplinski*, Dakota Porzondek, Emily Sawdon, Nathan Sorenson, Arielle Walsh and Laura Warner*.

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IWANKOVITSCH presents a check for \$900 to Eddie Crosby, representing Tuscola County Special Olympics. Iwankovitsch also presented checks to the Sacred Heart SPRED program (\$200), Highland Pines School (\$100) and the Owen-Gage Public Schools (\$100).

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A Special Meeting of the Cass City Village Council has been scheduled at The Cass City Municipal Building, 6506 Main Street, Cass City, Michigan,

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Sanilac sheriff, staff honor top officers of '10

Sanilac County Sheriff Garry Biniecki and his department recently honored their own during an annual awards ceremony recognizing officers for their outstanding performance, courage and acts "above and beyond the call of duty" over the past year.

"The presentation included 2 life-saving awards, 24 meritorious service awards and 36 honorable mention awards," Biniecki said. "(Sanilac County) Drug Task Force Director Bill Gray also made 2 award presentations to Sgt. Steve McKenney and Sgt. Darrin Siemen for their dedicated service at the drug task force plain clothes investigative unit prior to being promoted to uniform sergeants."

The award committee also selected one recipient from each division to receive "Deputy of the Year" awards. "The 2010 'Dispatcher of the Year' was awarded to Dispatcher Amy Mousseau, the 2010 'Corrections Deputy of the Year' was awarded to

Deputy Bill Smith, and the 2010 'Uniform Services Deputy of the Year' was awarded to Deputy Jim Sanchez," Biniecki said.

The ceremony culminated with the sheriff's presentation of the 2010 "Sheriff's Distinguished Deputy of the Year Award" to Lt. Nicholas Romzek "for his outstanding leadership and teamwork in leading the corrections division in being a regional example and for a banner fiscal year," Biniecki said, noting special guests in attendance on hand to honor the award recipients included Sanilac County Board of Commissioners Chairman Jim Bowerman, Commissioner Gary Russell and County Administrator John Males.

"I want my deputies to hear from me and our staff — thank-you for a job well done," Biniecki said. "It is important to honor their dedication and to show appreciation for the difference they make in the lives of our citizens."

Ubly grad new doctor

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graduation, he spent 3 weeks this past April at a Catholic medical clinic in El Salvador. His tall frame, complemented by dark brown hair, green eyes and pale skin, stood out from the shorter, chocolate skinned El Salvadorians who he helped treat. "I was a lot more noticed than I would be in another place," he acknowledged. "I was definitely the minority by far."

His experience in El Salvador helped him see healthcare in another setting.

"(By) seeing how people live in a country that is less developed than ours, I kind of get an idea of how someone trained in the United States can have an impact in other areas of the world, too."

Yet, even with his personal and professional advancements, Walsh and his family still smile when they remember his teenage years of buying medical books, eagerly reading them under his family's big maple tree in front of their house, with a tall swing, dark leaves and roots that go just as deep as his passion for medicine.

"I always thought (the books) were interesting topics and, as time went on, I also realized I enjoy working with patients and people and their families in the medical setting," he said. "Since I was 13 or 14 I just always wanted to be a physician."

Walsh said it's difficult to pinpoint exactly why he wanted to be a doctor, but he was always interested in science and the medical field.

Walsh's mother Marilyn, a math teacher for more than 30 years, said she and her husband, Roderick, a farmer, are very proud of their son and his steadfast determination to become a doctor.

"Kyle is a very hard worker. He has worked a very long time for this and it's nice to see him advancing in a career he always wanted," Marilyn said. "I don't know if there was ever anything else he said he wanted to be."

Walsh's parents' love and encouragement never wavered, even when a dead, dissected pig was involved.

"I had a friend who was a biology teacher at school and she lent him

books and she had a left over fetal pig he dissected," Marilyn said. "I made him do it in the workshop outside because it smelled like formaldehyde."

From his childhood into adulthood, he had and still does have mentors that gave him not only pigs, but also direction along the way.

Karlene Torres, director of Clinical Student Programs at MSU, started working with Walsh at the end of his second year in school. Torres said during the time Walsh was a clinical student, one could always count on him if they needed something. "Kyle is one of those students that you would like to clone if it were possible," Torres said.

"He is intelligent, compassionate, down-to-earth, good sense of humor, outstanding clinical skills; someone you would choose to be your doctor."

There was a time during Walsh's pre-clinical years when he didn't always know what type of doctor he wanted to be. "It was a really hard decision for me at first just trying to weigh all the pros and cons of the different specialties and to choose," he said. "It was a pretty confusing time."

These days, Walsh looks back and says he is happy with the field he chose in emergency medicine. He also plans to complete additional sub-specialty training as a neurointensivist, a specialist in the intensive care unit.

"With this (specialty) it is the best of both worlds," he said. "I am excited about the possibility of doing a fellowship, but I also am excited about my residency." Even though during the course of Walsh's academic career he won top honors and was recognized for his skills, he said that is pointless if the patients don't come first.

"One of the things we talk about in medical school is that your patients don't know what scores you got on a test," Walsh said. "They don't know how you did in classes they don't know anything other than the way you treat them at that moment."

But at the same time you have to know the information so it ties together, Walsh added, smiling. "I hope they would see me as someone who can do both of those things."

O-G interviewing 3

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ranked the 5 candidates on a numeric scale, choosing the top 3 who received the highest scores.

"I think they are the 3 strongest candidates," trustee Dan Warack said.

Board members divided up a set of 10 questions, one to each board member, to ask the finalists this

week. The questions the board members will ask roughly include: Describe how you would work with principals in a school the size of Owendale-Gagetown Elementary School, how will communication between the superintendent and the community be and also a question on school finance. The board will also ask the candidates to talk about their experience in negotiating contracts.



SANILAC COUNTY Undersheriff Brad Roff (far left) and Sheriff Garry Biniecki (far right) stand with this year's Sanilac County Sheriff's Department's "Distinguished Deputy of the Year Award" winner, Lt. Nicholas Romzek.

"Click It Or Ticket"

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protect themselves in a crash is by buckling up."

Drivers traveling through Caro on Monday saw a "Seat Belt Enforcement Zone" sign, alerting them to the campaign, while motorists in the Unionville area will notice the same warning Friday.

"Seat Belt Zone Enforcement is an effort that uses portable signs warning motorists well in advance that they are entering an area where officers will focus on seat belt enforcement," Giroux explained. "There will be zero tolerance to anyone found not in compliance with Michigan's passenger restraint laws."

According to Teschendorf, during 2010 more than half of the people who died in traffic crashes in Michigan were not wearing seat belts. He pointed out that all drivers and front seat passengers, as well as passengers ages 15 and younger in any position in a vehicle, are required to buckle up.

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More information about the Safe Communities Grant, child passenger safety and traffic safety issues is available by contacting Giroux at (989) 673-8161 (ext. 2227).

Senate will host service

The Michigan Senate will hold its 17th annual Memorial Day Service in the Senate chamber Thursday, May 26, announced state Sen. Mike Green.

"Memorial Day brings us all together to honor and remember those brave men and women of our armed services who gave the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom and way of life," said Green, R-Mayville. "As soldiers, sailors, Marines and airmen continue to stand in harm's way for our sake, I am especially honored to be a part of the Senate's service. I encourage local veterans to join us as we remember Michigan's fallen heroes."

Local veterans interested in attending the May 26 ceremony, scheduled for 10 a.m., should RSVP to Sen. John Pappageorge, who is coordinating the event, by calling his office toll free at 1-877-SEN-13TH. Veterans who plan on attending should check in at Pappageorge's office, located in room S-2 on the first floor of the Capitol.

Green also invited district veterans for a reception in his Lansing office from noon to 1 p.m. Veterans may confirm their attendance at the reception by calling Green's office toll free at 1-866-305-2131.

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Lady Hawks advance
5 to state final meet

Frankenmuth captured a pair of regional crowns Saturday in Vassar, easily claiming the Division 3 track and field boys' championship with 184 points and the girls' title with 142.

The women's results had Reese (87) as the runner-up in the team standings, followed by Bad Axe (77), Cass City (61) and Flint Powers (56) to round out the top 5 schools.

Cass City Coach Amy Cuthrell was delighted with her team's effort at the state qualifying meet, which sends the top 2 qualifiers in each event to the state finals slated for June 4 near Grand Rapids.

"The ladies will be sending 5 athletes to the state meet," said Cuthrell.

Meeting the individual standards to advance on to the state level from Cass City were Logan Rowell, Ashtyn Janiske-Weiler, Ashley Potts, Jessa Prieskorn and, of course, Alyssa Bennett who continues to amaze her veteran mentor.

Freshman Bennett established a pair of new meet records in her first regional appearance, taking the 1,600 meter run in 5:27.93 and the 3,200 meter run in 12:03.47. Bennett also ran the final leg on the Cass City 3,200 meter relay team, which placed second, advancing to the state finals with a time of 10:20.87.

"Alyssa had an incredible day. We could speak endless on this young lady and what she has proven in her first season of high school track. I

have had her now for almost a year and have yet to find her limits," said Cuthrell.

In addition to running a leg on the Cass City 4X800 meter relay team, Weiler qualified for a second event at the next level with her second place effort in the 100 meter hurdles (17.41) over the weekend.

"Ashtyn is a freshman that surprised many with her strong performance in the hurdles. My concern was that it was her first look at a meet that ran pre-lims. It is a lot of racing to get to those finals and she, along with her teammate Megan Schoel, found the finals in the 100-hurdles," said Cuthrell.

Rowell, the only Cass City state qualifier not on the 3,200 meter relay team, advanced in the high jump.

"Logan jumped her way to a second appearance at Comstock Park. She now knows what it will take and will need to find the time to practice in the next 2 weeks. She is very talented in so many of the field events, but the high jump is her love," said Cuthrell.

In the men's field, following champion Frankenmuth in the team standing were Millington (91), Marlette (73), Reese (50.5) and host Vassar (43.5).

Cass City, which placed 12th in the team standings with 10 points, was led by Adrian Hartsell with 7th place efforts in the 800 meter and 400 meter runs.



CASS CITY shot putter Morgan Potter and hurdler Megan Schoel compete at the Division 3 track and field regional held in Vassar.

Reed: The lack of consistency this late in the year is disturbing from a veteran team

Will the real Cass City soccer team please stand.

"This past week, once again, represented both ends of the spectrum," said Coach Chuck Reed. "We played very good against the Lakers and extremely bad against Montrose. The lack of consistency this late in the year is disturbing from a veteran team. Individual performance has been good in certain cases, but overall team play has been lacking."

Red Hawk keeper Becca Leslie had 17 saves for the game while getting help from Tessa Kus who had 4 goal line stops, but a misplayed ball late in the second half resulted in the Laker goal that decided the game.

The Red Hawks had 9 shots for the game with Amanda Clifton hitting the crossbar late with the potential tying goal. Caitlin Reed had 4 chances, while Clifton and Kaitlyn Messing had 2 each. The Red Hawks played extremely well, but a single miscue cost them the game, a repeat of the outcome of the first game.

The Bad Axe game was a step back as the hosts played poorly, but managed to stay close until late in the contest. The Red Hawk goal was recorded by Clifton off a corner kick from Reed.

On Thursday, the Red Hawks went south to play a strong Montrose team

and played their poorest game in several years, according to Reed, giving up 3 goals in the first 10 minutes and playing on their heels for the rest of the game.

The Red Hawk offense generated only 2 shots for the game with the best chance coming from Reed on a direct kick just outside the box. However, the Montrose keeper made a leaping save to stop the shot. Defensively, the Red Hawks made 31 saves, but overall, the visitors were never in the game.

"Brooke Hartwick and Erin Moore moved back to defense and played solid soccer while Alex Pena got time at forward and midfield and did well. Meri Dzielinski finished the game in net, but did not record a save, while also not giving up a goal," said Reed.

Hatchet girls and Patriot boys capture GTW crowns

Although Cass City's Alyssa Bennett enjoyed a banner day at the Greater Thumb West Invitational track meet, held last Tuesday in front of a small crowd in the recreational park, it was the Bad Axe Lady Hatchets edging Reese for team honors.

The Hatchets posted 151 points, followed by the Rockets with 142, Cass City, 92, Vassar, 63, Unionville-Sebewaing, 55, Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port, 18, and Bay City All Saints, 0.

Bennett made her first GTW invite a memorable one, leaving little doubt she is among the best Thumb lady distance runners. The freshman standout captured 3 individual events and anchored the Red Hawks' winning 3,200 meter relay team.

There was little doubt Bennett would prevail in the long distance venues at the GTW outing and she did, topping the 3,200 meter run in 12:02.65 and 1,600 meter run in 5:37.21. Bennett also was the first to cross the finish line in the 800 meter run, considered her weakest event, with a winning time of 2:29.22.

Coach Amy Cuthrell explained first team all conference honors were awarded to the day's winners, while second team all conference honors were bestowed upon the runner-up finishers and third place finishers earned GTW all conference honorable mention recognition.

"Alyssa Bennett received first team all conference in all 4 of the events she ran," said Cuthrell, adding Ashley Potts, Ashtyn Janiske-Weiler, and Jessa Prieskorn also earned first team all conference in the 3200 meter relay.

Cass City's Haley Wynn and Logan Rowell each earned second team all conference honors, while Weiler and Ashley Potts finished with honorable mention accolades.

Wynn's second place finish came in the 400 meter dash (1:03.86) and Rowell's in the high jump (5' 0").

Weiler, third in the 100 meter hurdles (17:66), and Potts, third in the 3,200 meter run (13:11.75), received honorable mention all-conference praises.

In the boys' field, USA ended on top of the team standings with 162 points. Following the Patriots were Reese, 155.5, Vassar, 104, Bad Axe, 44, Cass City, 32.5, EPBP, 22, and Bay City All Saints, 0.

Adrian Hartsell posted Cass City's best individual finish and received honorable mention all-conference status in the long jump with a leap of 18' 02.75".

"Adrian has progressed the entire year. I have had him try many events and with just a few weeks to go, we think we have found what fits. He does not fear hard work and is a hidden athlete inside our school walls," said Cuthrell.

Away from the field events, the Red Hawk 800-meter relay team consisting of Alex Williams, Garrett Ferguson, Terrance Bennett, and Braeden Perzanowski turned in a

second team all conference performance with a time of 1:41.23.

"We came away with some honors at the league meet and I'm really proud of them all. We train for these final weeks of track and I'm excited to see how it all plays out in the end," Cuthrell said.



RED HAWKS Braeden Perzanowski, front, and Alex Williams helped Cass City register the hosts' best finish at the GTW league meet. It came in the 800 meter relay.



CASS CITY'S Ashley Potts cruises along during the 3,200 meter run at the GTW invite. She earned third place with a time of 13:11.75. Potts also ran a leg on the Red Hawks' winning 3,200 meter relay team.

The Red Hawks opened last week with a hard fought 1-0 loss Monday to host Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port, followed by a 3-1 defeat on Wednesday to guest Bad Axe.

The Laker game was a continuation of the game played earlier at Cass City, with both teams playing strong defense, keeping scoring chances to a minimum.

Lakers roll to Greater Thumb West golf title

As expected, Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port kept its Greater Thumb West golf mark unblemished Thursday, capturing the final conference jamboree en route to league honors.

The Lakers posted a winning team tally of 163, at Scenic Golf and County Club, to win the GTW's 6th jamboree in convincing fashion. Bad Axe scored 171, Cass City 172, Vassar 201, USA 205, and Bay City All Saints 206 to complete the standings on the day.

Locally, Cass City was led by Brandon Green with a score of 40, while Michael Mulligan carded a 42 and Alex Varney and Drew King each added 45s.

Bad Axe's Cam Streussnig and Stephan Caspers shared medalist honors with scores of 38.

"I was very impressed to have 6 of my golfers finish with all-conference honors after the close of the regular season," said Coach Jon Zdrojewski.

"I did not expect such honors in what I viewed as a rebuilding year

with only 1 returner in Alex Varney.

"We finished third in the league this year, but had many golfers that scored well throughout the year to receive the honors. This has greatly encouraged me for the future of golf at Cass City High School. Lakers will be very tough again next year, but I think that Cass City will be very competitive with 4 of the all-conference honorees returning.

"Michael Mulligan is a freshman with a very promising career in Cass City Golf. Sophomore Brandon Green will be a force to be reckoned with in the coming 2 years and juniors Drew King and Tyler Samons will continue to be a strong asset to the team next year," he said.

The final team rankings had the Lakers on top with 36 points, followed by Bad Axe (28), Cass City (22), Vassar (19), USA (11), and Bay City All Saints(8).

Baseball Roundup

Home runs help lift Cass City over Mayville in non-conference tilts

Cass City's never say die attitude paid dividends Thursday in a pair of non-conference decisions against host Mayville.

The results were decisions of 6-3 and 8-5 over the Wildcats. With the victories, Coach Nathan Haag's Red Hawks improve to 19-11 on the campaign.

In game one, the guests tallied 5 runs in the second inning highlighted by Cody Orban's 3-run blast.

The Wildcats actually struck first in the contest, but wouldn't score again until 2 runs crossed the plate in their final at-bats.

Cass City's Nick Kappen collected the win on the rubber. He went the distance and allowed 2 earned runs. Kappen scattered 6 hits, fanned 9 and issued 3 free passes.

Kappen helped his own cause at the plate with a solo home run and 2 runs scored, while Orban was 2-for-4 with 4 RBIs. Kyle Hanby chipped in a double and Rob VanAuken singled for Cass City.

In game 2, Cass City broke open a tight 2-1 contest with another 5-run outburst, this time coming in the bottom of the 5th frame.

"The big difference in both games was our ability to score runs with 2

outs. We scored 11 of our 14 runs with 2 outs," said Haag.

Ethan Nicol collected the win on the hill for Cass City, working 6 innings and yielding 3 hits. He struck out 6 and walked 6. Nicol, like Kappen, helped his own effort with a home run.

Adding to the Cass City hit parade were Orban with a 2-4 showing, including a double, Moran Erla 2-3, including a triple, a double from Hanby and singles from Jordan Hendrian and Derek Mozden.

Cass City will travel to Brown City on Thursday.

ALL-GTW Golf Teams		
First Team		
PLAYER		PTS.
Cam Streussnig, Bad Axe		47
Tyler Matteson, EPBP		40
Brandon Dean, Bad Axe		39.5
Jordan Bonke, EPBP		33.5
Drew Lawrence, EPBP		32.5
Adam Hazard, EPBP		26.5
Second Team		
Bryan Beachy, EPBP		20.5
Wade Foltz, EPBP		18.5
Alex Varney, Cass City		17
Stephan Caspers, Bad Axe		9.5
Brandon Green, Cass City		9.5
Drew King, Cass City		7.5
Honorable Mention		
Michael Mulligan, Cass City		6.5
Jimmy Jasman, BCAS		4
Chase Langenburg, Vassar		3.5
Jeff Bliss, Cass City		3.5
Tyler Samons, Cass City		3
Austin Baker, Vassar		3
Austin Coners, Vassar		2
Jacob Kennedy, Bad Axe		1.5
Dominic James, USA		1
Jake McIntyre, Vassar		.5



CASS CITY middle school students recently finished first in a U12-13 volleyball tournament held at Midland Community Center. The champion Lady Red Hawks are: (back, l-r) Assistant Coach Jordyn Rasmussen, Macy Dickinson, Taylor Rasmussen, Mandy Czekai, Maegan LeValley, Coach Carly Howard (middle row) Kelly DeLong, Carley Stone, Lauren Potter, Marie Weilbach, (front row) Cacealya Horne, Tara Nicholas.



AT IT AGAIN. Local fisherman Matt Lynch caught this 25” Redhorse Sucker in the Cass River early last week using a night crawler.

Schneeberger's

ATHLETES of the WEEK

This week's Schneeberger's Athletes of the Week award winners are the Cass City 3,200 meter relay team. They are Ashley Potts, Alyssa Bennett, Jessa Prieskorn and Ashtyn Janiske-Weiler.

The Lady Red Hawks claimed all conference honors by winning the Greater Thumb West league meet on Tuesday with a time of 10:26.39 and then turning in a time of 10:20.87 Saturday to finish as the runner-up at the division 3 regional in Vassar.

"The 4x800 meter relay paved its way to the state finals. This team of ladies has found success all season long. It was a tough race for me to watch as it would have broken my heart not to see them advance. Our time is still improving and with 2 weeks to train I hope to watch it continue to fall," said Coach Amy Cuthrell.

Ashtyn Janiske-Weiler

Jessica Prieskorn

Alyssa Bennett

Ashley Potts

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Biefer/Hoard	40
D. Jones/Peters	40
Davis/Tate	39
Wallace/Warner	38
Alexander/Spencer	37
Burns/Caister	34
Jones/Marshall	34
Iwankovitsch/Stickle	32
Hobbs/Meck	32
Mastie/Robinson	31
Hendrick/Veggian	28
Craig/Knight	28
Henn/Herron	25
Berwick/Greenlee	25
Dillon/Irrer	24

Individual medallist:

Warner

Team medallists:

Davis/Tate 91, Biefer/Hoard 91,

Warner/Wallace 91

Division 2 - Late

Dadacki/Otremba	46
Langenburg/Brad & Joe	45
Green/Zdrojewski	44
Ulfig/Corey & Paul	42
Biddinger/Smith	42
deBeaubien/Lowe	39
Osentoski/D. Wallace	38
Bitzer/Curtis	37
Wallace/ Brent & Scott	35
Bliss/Krol	33
Hillaker/Murphy	31
Hartel/Brown	30
Lowman/Roemer	30
Prieskorn/Repshinska	29
Sattelberg/Weaver	28
LeValley/Morgan	25
Spencer/Sommerville	25
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Doerr/Haire	21
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Obituaries

Linton Cooper

Linton Fred Cooper, 86, of Cass City died following a short illness Tuesday, May 17, 2011 in Covenant Health Care System, Cooper Campus, Saginaw.

He was born Aug. 6, 1924 in Kingston, the son of Fred and Nellie (Peter) Cooper.

He married Mary Ann Fortune Aug. 9, 1962 in his mother's home in Kingston.

Linton lived on the farm as a child. It was there his love for horses began. Linton was driving horses before he started school. His grandpa owned the lumberyard in Kingston, which had started as a sawmill in 1903. Grandpa built the house they lived in and most of the houses on that block. He was baptized in and was a member of Kingston United Methodist Church. He served with the U.S. Navy from 1944 until 1946 during World War II. Before entering the service, Linton worked as a substitute letter carrier with the U.S. Postal Service covering his dad's route. After his time in the military he worked as a rural letter carrier in the Kingston area. For the last 13 months of his career he worked in Saginaw sorting mail. He retired from the post office after over 37 years. Linton was a charter member and life member of Kingston VFW Post #5317. He was an active member of Caro Moose Lodge #1049 for

over 30 years. Linton loved to bowl. He was a member of bowling leagues in Marlette, Mayville, Frankenmuth and Lapeer for over 50 years. He was secretary of the Frankenmuth Bowling Association for over 10 years. He participated in the Men's ABC International Bowling Tournament for 30 years and was presented his 30-year plaque for doing so. Linton enjoyed deer hunting with his uncles for over 30 years. In the last several years, he enjoyed playing Euchre at the Lodge and Bunko at Gilligan's. Linton loved sports. He was a particularly devoted Tiger baseball fan. Linton and Mary Ann enjoyed camping, spending 6 months of the year at their nephew's campground in Everett.

Linton is survived by his wife, Mary Ann; a brother: Max (Mary Ann) Cooper of Cass City; sisters: Shirley Wolfe of Cass City and Janet Lottridge of Saginaw; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Funeral services were held Friday, May 20, at Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with Pastor Robert Easlick officiating.

Interment was in the Kingston Cemetery, Kingston.

Memorials may be made to Mooseheart Children's Home or Kingston United Methodist Church.

Military honors were under the direction of Kingston VFW Post #5317.

Family and friends may share memories, prayers and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

Kenneth Dubay, Sr.

Kenneth Robert Dubay, Sr., 58, of Cass City, died unexpectedly Friday, May 20, 2011 in Hills and Dales General Hospital, Cass City.

He was born Nov. 28, 1952 in Mt. Clemens, the son of Thomas William and Eleanor Louise (Ehrke) Dubay.

He married Diana Mary Rick Sept. 1, 1973 in Mt. Clemens.

Ken worked for Daimler Chrysler at the Sterling Stamping plant from 1972 until his retirement Feb. 29, 2008. He was a member of UAW Local #1264. Ken enjoyed playing bingo, visiting casinos, doing yard work, working in his garden and feeding and watching the birds. He also loved watching Tiger baseball and Red Wing hockey. Ken's greatest love was babysitting his grandsons. He loved making things outside with them and playing games with them.

Ken is survived by his wife, Diana; children: Tina (Jim) Finkbeiner of Cass City, Kenneth Dubay, Jr. of Cass City, Christopher Dubay of Cass City, and Kelly (Paul Ahejew) Dubay of Bridgeport; grandsons: Christopher, Jr. and Jacob; brothers:

Thomas "Butch" (Irene) Dubay, and Frederick (Eddie) Dubay; sisters: Mary Dubay, Barbara (Jim) Jorgensen, and Linda (Ed) Aderman; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Joy Koss; and his parents.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., Thursday, May 26, at Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with Sr. Maria Dina Puddu MC of St. Pancratius Catholic Church officiating.

Interment will be in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Memorials may be made to Family Discretionary Fund.

Family and friends may share memories, prayers and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

Dorothy Tomczak

Dorothy J. Tomczak, 92, of Cass City, died Thursday, May 19, 2011 in Henry Ford Hospital, Bloomfield



Hills. She was born Sept. 18, 1918 in Detroit, the daughter of Anthony and

Lottie (Lendzion) Kubicki.

She married John J. Tomczak May 6, 1950 in St. Bartholomew's Church in Detroit. He died June 18, 1996.

Dorothy worked for Michigan Bell Telephone Company for 5 years, Travelers Insurance for 15 years and retired from Allstate Insurance in 1978 after 21 years. During World War II, she was a USO volunteer in Detroit. She was a member of Women's City Club in Detroit. Dorothy was a member of St. Pancratius Catholic Church. She was a past president of St. Pancratius Catholic Church Women's Council. She was a member of Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary and Hospital Volunteer Service. Dorothy was a volunteer in "Picture Lady Program" at Cass City Schools, a volunteer for American Cancer Society and a volunteer for Michigan Artrain. She enjoyed sewing, tennis, ice skating, swimming, bowling and gardening.

Dorothy is survived by her brother, Harry (Dorothy) Kubicki of Sterling Heights; nephews: Gary (Kathy) Kubicki, Gregory Kubicki, and Walter Frankowski; nieces: Christine Dudzinski, and Karen Faulkner; great nieces and nephews including: Carrie (David) Meengs, Kory Kubicki, and Cortney Kubicki; a great, great nephew; and many friends.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 23, at St. Pancratius Catholic Church, Cass City, with the Rev. Paul Bala and Sr. Maria Dina Puddu MC officiating.

Interment was in the Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Memorials may be made to Capuchin Soup Kitchen of Detroit.

Family and friends may share memories, prayers and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Danny L. Steinmann and Mishelle J. Steinmann, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated June 16, 2006 and recorded July 14, 2006 in Liber 1088, Page 193, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by US Bank National Association, as Trustee for the Structured Asset Investment Loan Trust, 2006-BNC3 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Three Thousand Twelve and 44/100 Dollars (\$103,012.44) 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 of the Tuscola Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, MI at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 23, 2011.

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

Lot 11, Foster Dam Subdivision, Wells Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, Page 32, Tuscola County Records.

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Dated: May 25, 2011

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NOTICE OF MODIFICATION OPPORTUNITY

Borrower(s): Billy Vaughn and Peggy Vaughn
Property Address: 10347 South Bray Road, Clio, MI 48420

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You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority's website at <http://www.michigan.gov/mshda> or by calling 1-800-A-SHELTER, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, year-round.

If a meeting is requested with the designee shown above, foreclosure proceedings will NOT be commenced until 90 days after the date the notice mailed to you on 05/20/2011. If an agreement is reached to modify your mortgage loan the mortgage will NOT be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement.

You have the right to contact an attorney. The website for the Michigan State Bar Lawyer Referral Service is <http://www.michbar.org/programs/lawyer-referral.cfm> and the toll free number is 800-968-0738.

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Dated: May 25, 2011

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Adam P. Downen and Michelle M. Downen also has/have the right to contact the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") at its website www.michigan.gov/mshda or by calling MSHDA at (866) 946-7432 (Tel).

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If Designated Agent and Borrower(s) agree to modify the mortgage, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if the Borrower(s) abide by the terms of the modified mortgage.

Borrower(s) have the right to contact an attorney or the State Bar of Michigan Lawyer Referral Service at (800) 968-0738 (Tel).

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Eric M. Johnson and Tiffany Johnson, a/k/a Tiffani K. Johnson, husband and wife, original mortgagors, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated November 2, 2007 and recorded on November 30, 2007 in Liber 1136 on Page 302, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Chase Home Finance LLC as assignee as documented 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-Eight Thousand Eight Hundred One and 73/100 Dollars (\$78,801.73), including interest at 6.75% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 16, 2011.

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

Lot 10, Block 1, Plat of the Village of Richville, commencing on the Northwest corner of the said Lot 10; thence running East 9 rods, 1 foot; thence in a Southwesterly direction 4 rods; thence West 8 rods, 11 feet; thence North 4 rods to the place of beginning, Township of Denmark, Tuscola County, Michigan, according to the Plat recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 53, now being 54A.

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Dated: May 18, 2011

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

The South 1/2 of the following description; commencing at the Northwest corner of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4; thence East 660 feet, thence South 330 feet, thence West 660 feet, thence North 330 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of Section 10, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, Tuscola County.

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.

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Dated: May 18, 2011

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File No. 682.0461

5-18-4

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Christopher E. Glenn, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated November 18, 2005 and recorded December 14, 2005 in Liber 1064, Page 630, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by GMAC Mortgage, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-One Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Four and 84/100 Dollars (\$91,584.84) including interest at 6.5% 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 Tuscola Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, MI at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 16, 2011.

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

A parcel of land in the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 27 Town 11 North Range 8 East described as follows beginning at the West Quarter corner of said Section 27 thence North 00 degrees 09 minutes 26 seconds West 233.00 feet along the West Section Line thence South 89 degrees 56 minutes West East 183.00 feet parallel with the East-West Quarter Line thence South 00 degrees 09 minutes 26 seconds East 233.00 feet parallel with the West Section Line to the East-West Quarter Line

thence North 89 degrees 56 minutes 13 seconds West 183.00 feet along the East-West Quarter Line to the 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 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.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 18, 2011

Orlans Associates, P.C.
Attorneys for Servicer
P.O. Box 5041
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File No. 280.7959

5-18-4

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Tracy Harrison and Joe Harrison, wife and husband, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated October 31, 2006 and recorded November 9, 2006 in Liber 1101, Page 1249, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas as Trustee by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Three and 62/100 Dollars (\$323,483.62) 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 of the Tuscola Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, MI at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 16, 2011.

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

Lots 16, 17 and 18, Osborne Subdivision, being a part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 1, Town 10 North, Range 8 East, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Liber 1, Page 83, now Liber 1, Page 33-B, Tuscola County Records.
Tax Parcel Number Part of 79-017-001-451-1600-00, 017-001-451-1600-01 (2007 Parcel number)

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.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 18, 2011

Orlans Associates, P.C.
Attorneys for Servicer
P.O. Box 5041
Troy, MI 48007-5041
File No. 618.4561

5-18-4

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Tammy Ewing, a single woman, and Alfred Kennard, a married man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated January 8, 2003 and recorded January 13, 2003 in Liber 910, Page 1324, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Chase Home Finance LLC successor by merger with Chase Manhattan Mortgage Company its successors and or assigns by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-One Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Five and 14/100 Dollars (\$81,455.14) including interest at 4.5% 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 Tuscola Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, MI at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 16, 2011.

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

Part of the Lots 6 and 7, Block 22 of the Plat of the Village (now City) of Vassar, described as follows: Commencing at the Easterly line of Goodrich Street and Southwesterly line of East Huron Avenue, thence South 03 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds West 333.95 feet along Goodrich to point of beginning; thence South 83 degrees 23 minutes East 24.53 feet; thence South 85 degrees 41 minutes 59 seconds East 141.52 feet to the East line of Lot 6; thence South 03 degrees 50 minutes 27 seconds West 64.31 feet along the East line to point 5.30 feet Northerly of the South line of Lot 7; thence North 84 degrees 09 minutes 47 seconds West 5.30 feet Northerly to the South line of Lot 7; thence North 84 degrees 09 minutes 47 seconds West 166.07 feet to the West line of said Lot; thence North 04 degrees 47 minutes 30 seconds East 60.84 feet to point of beginning, being all in Block 22. City of Vassar, Tuscola County, State of Michigan, Town 11 North, Range 8 East.

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.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 18, 2011

Orlans Associates, P.C.
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File No. 310.1097

5-18-4

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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 F. Lamson and Wyoma F. Lamson, husband and wife, original mortgagors, to Bank One, N.A., Mortgagee, dated November 21, 2002 and recorded on December 30, 2002 in Liber 909 on Page 29, and modified by Affidavit or Order recorded on August 11, 2005 in Liber 1049 on Page 752, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Four Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Five and 06/100 Dollars (\$134,345.06), including interest at 6.25% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 16, 2011.

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

Parcel A: A parcel of land in the Northwest 1/4 of Section 31, Town 10 North, Range 7 East, described as: Beginning at a point on the North line of Section 31 which in West, 326.15 feet from the North 1/4 corner of said Section 31; thence South 430.00 feet; thence West 200.00 feet; thence North 430.00 feet to the North line of Section 31; thence East 200.0 feet 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.

Dated: May 18, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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File #370009F01

5-18-4

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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 Holly L. Terry, a single woman, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated June 6, 2008 and recorded on June 11, 2008 in Liber 1151 on Page 1117, and assigned by said Mortgagee to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Fifty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-Four and 57/100 Dollars (\$52,744.57), including interest at 6.5% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 16, 2011.

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

Lot 4, Block 5, Assessor's Plat of the Village of Akron.

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: May 18, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
FC S (248) 593-1304
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31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
File #363879F01

5-18-4

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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 Jason Couterch, a single person, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registrations Systems, Inc., as nominee for Bank One, NA, its successors and assigns., Mortgagee, dated July 16, 2003 and recorded on July 31, 2003 in Liber 946 on Page 923, and assigned by said Mortgagee to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association as assignee as documented 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 Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty-Three and 61/100 Dollars (\$109,833.61), including interest at 3% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 23, 2011.

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

Part of the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 23 in Town 11 North, Range 9 East, Fremont Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, described as: Beginning distant East 660 feet along the South line of said Section 23 from the South corner thereof, thence from said place of beginning, West 660 feet continuing along said South section line; thence North 660 feet along the West line of said section; thence 660 feet East, thence 660 feet South to the place 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 of such sale.

Dated: May 25, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
FC S (248) 593-1304
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Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
File #366107F01

5-25-4

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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 Amie Grassmann, a single woman, original mortgagor, to Bank of America, N.A., Mortgagee, dated November 2, 2005 and recorded on November 17, 2005 in Liber 1061 on Page 1303 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Nine Thousand Twenty-Six and 90/100 Dollars (\$99,026.90), including interest at 5.875% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 23, 2011.

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

Lots 1 and 11, Ashbreeck Subdivision, as Per Plat thereof Recorded in liber 2 of Plats, Page 8 and 9, 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: May 25, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
FC X (248) 593-1302
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Attorneys for Servicer
31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
File #370230F01

5-25-4

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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 Sabrina Stohlman and Charles Stohlman, Wife and Husband, original mortgagors, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated November 28, 2000 and recorded on December 11, 2000 in Liber 817 on Page 109, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Chase Home Finance LLC as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Fifty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Forty and 16/100 Dollars (\$58,940.16), including interest at 7.125% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 23, 2011.

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

Part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 24, Town 10 North, Range 7 East, described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of said Section 24, thence along the West line of said Section 24, South 00 degrees 16 minutes 08 seconds East, 200.00 feet to the point of beginning; thence East, 217.80 feet; thence South 00 degrees 16 minutes 08 seconds East, 200.00 feet; thence West 217.80 feet to said West line of Section 24; thence along said West line of Section 24, North 00 degrees 16 minutes 08 seconds West, 200.00 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: May 25, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys for Servicer
31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
File #364117F03

5-25-4

Notice of Borrower's Rights Under Michigan Foreclosure Statute Default has occurred in the conditions of a mortgage ("Mortgage") made by Kori M. Spencer, a single woman, ("Borrower"), against the property located at 1033 North Collings Road, Caro, Michigan 48723, given to United States of America, acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Housing Service, having its principal offices at 4300 Goodfellow Blvd., Building 105, FC-215, St. Louis, MO 63120, ("Bank").

Notice is hereby given that Borrower has the right to request a meeting on or before June 13, 2011 with Bank's designated agent to attempt to work out a loan modification to avoid foreclosure. The name and phone number of Bank's designated agent is Elaine Weathersby, USDA Rural Development, 4300 Goodfellow Blvd., Building 105, FC-215, St. Louis, MO 63120, (800) 349-5097, Ext: 4500.

Borrower may also contact a housing counselor who may accompany Borrower to any meeting with Bank's designated agent. A list of housing counselors approved by the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) can be found at http://www.mshda.info/counseling_search/ or by calling (517) 373-8370.

If Borrower requests a meeting, foreclosure proceedings will not begin until 90 days after June 13, 2011. If Borrower and Bank reach an agreement to modify the loan and Borrower abides by the terms of the

agreement, the Mortgage will not be foreclosed.

Borrower has the right to contact an attorney. The telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Lawyer Referral Service is (800) 968-0738. The telephone number of the Eastern Michigan Legal Services is (810) 987-4822.

McCurdy, Wotila & Porteous, P.C. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained by this firm will be used for that purpose.

Drafted by: McCurdy, Wotila & Porteous, Professional Corporation
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By: David L. Porteous
4393 - 220th Avenue
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Reed City, MI 49677
231.832.3231

5-25-1

IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN BANKRUPTCY OR HAVE RECEIVED A DISCHARGE IN BANKRUPTCY AS TO THIS OBLIGATION, THIS COMMUNICATION IS INTENDED FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT IN VIOLATION OF THE AUTOMATIC STAY OR THE DISCHARGE INJUNCTION. IN SUCH CASE, PLEASE DISREGARD ANY PART OF THIS COMMUNICATION, WHICH IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE FOREGOING

OTHERWISE, FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES US TO ADVISE YOU THAT COMMUNICATION FROM OUR OFFICE COULD BE INTERPRETED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND THAT ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE NOW ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY OR HAVE BEEN IN THE PRIOR NINE MONTHS, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AS YOU MAYBE ENTITLED TO THE BENEFITS OF THE SERVICE-MEMBERS' CIVIL RELIEF ACT.

THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE YOUR HOME

To: Peggy Ione Green and Kevin Martin Green, 6084 Barnes Road, Millington, MI 48746
County: Tuscola

State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orlans Associates, P.C Loss Mitigation Department, P.O. Box 5041, Troy, MI 48007-5041, (248) 502-1331.

You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") website or by calling MSHDA. The website address and telephone number of MSHDA is: (www.mshda.info/counseling_search/), telephone (517) 373-8370, TTY# 1-800-382-4568.

If you request a meeting with the servicer's designate within 14 days after the Notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the Notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's Designate reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement.

You have the right to contact an attorney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is 1-800-968-0738.

Dated: May 25, 2011

Orlans Associates P.C
Attorneys for Servicer
P.O. Box 5041
Troy, MI 48007-5041
File Number: 618.6095

5-25-1

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Legal Notices

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by Robert T. Ashmun and Krista L. Ashmun, husband and wife, of 120 E. Front Street, Traverse City, MI 49684, as Mortgagors, to Northstar Bank, f/k/a Community Bank, a Michigan Banking Corporation, whose principal office is in Bad Axe, Michigan, as Mortgagee, dated January 17, 2005 and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, on January 19, 2005 in Liber 1024, pages 655, et.seq. on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of One Hundred Sixty Two Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Two and 26/100 (\$162,762.26) Dollars and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative;

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the main entrance of the Tuscola County Building in the City of Caro, and County of Tuscola, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for said County, on Thursday, May 26, 2011 at 10:00 o'clock a.m., local time, in the forenoon of said day, and the premises will be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage, together with interest, legal costs, attorney's fees and any taxes and insurance that said Mortgagee does pay on or prior to the date of said sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit:

VILLAGE OF CARO, TUSCOLA COUNTY, MICHIGAN:

LOT 1 OF DAWSON SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED IN LIBER 1 OF PLATS, PAGE 38B, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 830 W. GILFORD ROAD, CARO, MI 48723.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the period of redemption shall be one (6) months from the date of sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240.

Dated: April 25, 2011

NORTHSTAR BANK
Mortgagee

RICHARD L. TROWHILL
Attorney at Law
175 Thompson Rd.
Bad Axe, MI 48413
(989) 269-6272

4-27-5

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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 Gregory A. Bailey, a married man, original mortgagor, to Metro Finance, Mortgagee, dated August 24, 2004 and recorded on September 10, 2004 in Liber 1007 on Page 1189, and assigned by mesne assignments to Midfirst Bank as assignee as documented 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 Four Thousand Thirty-Five and 95/100 Dollars (\$104,035.95), including interest at 7.25% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 2, 2011.

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

Commencing at a point 315.48 feet North of the Northwest corner of Lot 8 of Block No. 3, of the plat of the Village of Millington, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Liber 1, Page 42 A, Tuscola County Records, thence East 8 rods, thence North 4 rods, thence West 8 rods, thence South 4 rods to the place of beginning. Part of NE 1/4 of Sec 9, Town 10N, Range 8E.

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: May 4, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
File #234276F02

5-4-4

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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 Curtis E. Landrith and Kim E. Landrith, husband and wife, original mortgagors, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, as purchaser of the loans and other assets of Washington Mutual Bank, formerly known as Washington Mutual Bank, FA (the "Savings Bank") from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, acting as receiver for the Savings Bank and pursuant to its authority under the Federal Deposit Insurance Act, 12 U.S.C. § 1821(d) via affidavit, Mortgagee, dated October 18, 2000, and recorded on October 25, 2000 in Liber 814 on Page 243, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Fourteen Thousand Nine Hundred Ten and 51/100 Dollars (\$114,910.51), including interest at 3.175% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 2, 2011.

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

Part of Section 26, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, described as follows: Beginning at a point which is South 00 degrees 30 minutes 35 seconds East, 1116.8 feet from the Northwest corner of said Section 26; thence South 00 degrees 30 minutes 35 seconds East, 200 feet; thence North 89 degrees 11 minutes 03 seconds East, 250 feet; thence North 00 degrees 30 minutes 35 seconds West, 200 feet; thence South 89 degrees 11 minutes 03 seconds West, 250 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: May 4, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
FC J (248) 593-1311
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys for Servicer
31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
File #037650F02

5-4-4

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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 Raushi, an unmarried man, original mortgagor, to Independent Mortgage Co. Central MI, Mortgagee, dated May 10, 2007, and recorded on May 16, 2007 in Liber 1119 on Page 953, and assigned by mesne assignments to BAC Home Loans Servicing, L.P. as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Tuscola county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-One Thousand Six Hundred Eight and 69/100 Dollars (\$81,608.69), including interest at 6.75% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 2, 2011.

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

Beginning at a point 622.4 feet North and 150 feet North and 60 degrees East of the Southwest corner of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 13, Town 14 North, Range 7 East; Wisner Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, thence North 60 degrees East 100 feet; thence South 264 feet; South 60 degrees West 100 feet; North 264.00 feet to place of beginning. Being in the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section 13

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: May 4, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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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 Mary Franzel, a single woman, original mortgagor, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Mortgagee, dated February 26, 2003 and recorded on March 11, 2003 in Liber 920 on Page 51, and assigned by said Mortgage to Flagstar Bank, FSB as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty Thousand Seven Hundred Thirteen and 91/100 Dollars (\$80,713.91), including interest at 6.125% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 9, 2011.

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

Lot 8 of the Plat of Blackmore and Tubbs' Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Liber 2, Page 7, 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: May 11, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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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 Gary L. Nichols

and Mary E. Reynolds Nichols, a/k/a Mary E. Nichols, husband and wife, original mortgagors, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, Mortgagee, dated March 26, 2007 and recorded on April 20, 2007 in Liber 1117 on Page 221, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-Six Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-Six and 56/100 Dollars (\$236,576.56), including interest at 6.375% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 9, 2011.

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

Commencing at the East 1/4 corner of Section 6, Town 11 North, Range 10 East, Dayton Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, thence South 87 degrees 55 minutes 42 seconds West, 1318.50 feet along the East-West 1/4 line; thence South 1 degree 10 minutes 18 seconds East, 1114.0 feet to the point of beginning; running thence South 1 degree 10 minutes 18 seconds East, 200.0 feet; thence North 87 degrees 44 minutes 24 seconds East, 206.99 feet; thence North 24 degrees 14 minutes 12 seconds East, 195.57 feet along the West shore of Harmon Lake; thence North 87 degrees 20 minutes 58 seconds West, 291.52 feet to the point of beginning. Being part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 6, Town 11 North, Range 10 East.

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: May 11, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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File #346799F01

5-11-4

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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 Lucas J. Turner, a married man, joined by his spouse, Brooke A. Turner, original mortgagors, to Watson Group Financial Corporation, Mortgagee, dated February 6, 2008 and recorded on March 13, 2008 in Liber 1143 on Page 950, and assigned by mesne assignments to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Five Thousand Ninety-One and 48/100 Dollars (\$95,091.48), including interest at 6.125% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 9, 2011.

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

Lot 16 of Evergreen Acres, according to the Plat recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 23.

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: May 11, 2011

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
File #356912F01

5-11-4

AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NOTIFY US AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Sandra Watts, a married woman, and Carl Watts, her husband, Mortgagors, to Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., Mortgagee, dated the 12th day of February, 2003 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for The County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, on the 20th day of February, 2003 in Liber 916 of Tuscola County Records, Page 723, said Mortgage having been re-recorded 6/18/2010 in Liber 1200 on Page 521, said Mortgage having been assigned to BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixty Thousand Seven Hundred Twelve & 66/100 (\$60,712.66), and no suit or proceeding 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 statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of June, 2011 at 10 o'clock am Local Time, 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, MI (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at 5.625% per annum and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land, including any and all structures, and homes, manufactured or otherwise, located thereon, situated in the Township of Fremont, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit:

Part of the Northeast quarter of Section 16, Town 11 north, Range 9 East, described as commencing at the North quarter corner of said Section 16, thence along the North line of said Section 16, North 89 degrees 36 minutes 50 seconds East 165.03 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing along said North line of Section 16, North 89 degrees 36 minutes 50

seconds East 150.00 feet; thence South 00 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds West 600 feet; thence South 89 degrees 36 minutes 50 seconds West 150 feet; thence North 00 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds East 600 feet to the point of beginning.

During the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during 30 days immediately following the sale.

Dated: 5/11/2011

BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP Mortgagee

FABRIZIO & BROOK, P.C.
Attorney for BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
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BOA FNMA Watts

5-11-4

SCHNEIDERMAN & SHERMAN, 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 JAMES D. SKINNER and DONNA M. SKINNER, HUSBAND AND WIFE, to 3RD FINANCIAL SERVICE CORPORATION, Mortgagee, dated May 14, 2003 and recorded on August 25, 2003, in Liber 950, on Page 774, and assigned by said mortgagee to US Bank, N.A., as assigned, Tuscola County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Eighty Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Dollars and Forty-Five Cents (\$180,220.45), including interest at 5.875% 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, front entrance of the Courthouse Building in the City of Caro, Michigan, Tuscola County at 10:00 AM o'clock, on June 9, 2011.

Said premises are located in Tuscola County, Michigan and are described as:

A PART OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 10 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST, DESCRIBED AS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 10 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST, THENCE SOUTH 84 DEGREES 35 MINUTES 31 SECONDS EAST 1034.23 FEET ALONG THE SOUTH SECTION LINE TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTH 2 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 47 SECONDS EAST 628.70 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 84 DEGREES 34 MINUTES 12 SECONDS EAST, 330 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 2 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 47 SECONDS WEST, 628.57 FEET ALONG THE WEST 1/8 LINE; THENCE NORTH 84 DEGREES 35 MINUTES 31 SECONDS WEST, 330 FEET ALONG THE SOUTH SECTION LINE TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

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 of such sale.

US Bank, N.A.
Mortgagee/Assignee

Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C.
23938 Research Drive, Suite 300
Farmington Hills, MI 48335

5-11-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN
54TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

TUSCOLA COUNTY COURTHOUSE
440 N. STATE STREET
CARO, MI 48723
(989) 673-3330

ORDER REGARDING ALTERNATE SERVICE

CASE NO. 11-26513-CH

CHASE HOME FINANCE, LLC
Plaintiff

Trott & Trott, P.C.
Christopher S. Astfalk (P53129)
31440 Northwestern Hwy., Ste. 200
Farmington Hills, MI 48334

vs.

ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS, OWNERS, HEIRS, DEVISEES, OR ASSIGNEES OR UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OR OWNERS TO THE MOBILE HOME LOCATED AT 10005 MILLIMAN RD., MILLINGTON, MI 48746 Defendant

THE COURT FINDS:
Service of process upon the defendant, Any and All Unknown Claimants at 10005 Milliman Rd., Millington, MI 48746, cannot reasonably be made as provided in and service of process may be made in a manner that is reasonably calculated to give the defendant actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard.

IT IS ORDERED:
Service of the summons and complaint and a copy of this order shall be made by the following methods:
* First-class mail, and Certified mail to 10005 Milliman Rd., Millington, MI 48746
* Tacking or firmly affixing to the door at 10005 Milliman Rd., Millington, MI 48746
* Publication for 3 weeks in the Cass City Chronicle

For each method used, proof of service must be filed promptly with the court.

S/PATRICK R. JOSLYN
Judge

5-11-3

June 16, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. Local Time, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public venue to the highest bidder at the front entrance of the Courthouse, 440 N. State Street, Caro, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County, of the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage as aforesaid with interest thereon and all legal costs, charges and expenses including the attorney fee provided by law and any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes, assessments and insurance premiums on said premises, which said premises are situated in the Township of Dayton, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as follows:

Land in the Township of Dayton, Tuscola County, Michigan, described as follows:

A parcel of land being part of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 1, Town 11 North, Range 10 East, described as: Beginning at a point which is South 01 degrees 30 minutes 11 seconds East along the East line of said Northeast 1/4 606.55 feet from the Northeast corner of said Section 1; thence continuing South 01 degrees 30 minutes 11 seconds East along said East line 201.54 feet; thence South 89 degrees 04 minutes 37 seconds West parallel with the South line of said Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4, 384.02 feet; thence North 01 degrees 55 minutes, 51 seconds West, perpendicular to the North line of said Northeast 1/4, 198.15 feet; thence North 88 degrees 34 minutes 16 seconds East 385.49 feet to the point of beginning.

Tax ID# 79-005-001-000-0100-03

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

Dated at Caro, Michigan, this 18th day of May, 2011.

Touma, Watson, Whaling,
Coury & Castello, P.C.
Attorneys for Tri County Bank
By: Douglas S. Touma
316 McMorran Boulevard
Port Huron, MI 48060

5-18-5

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William P. Even and Rose M. Even, husband and wife, original mortgagors, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, NA, Mortgagee, dated November 25, 2005 and recorded on December 20, 2005 in Liber 1065 on Page 639 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 Seventy-Three and 21/100 Dollars (\$127,073.21), including interest at 7.2% 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 place of holding the circuit court within Tuscola County, at 10:00 AM, on June 16, 2011.

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

Commencing 708.72 feet West and 206.0 feet South of the Northeast corner of the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 36, Town 11 North, Range 10 East, thence South 208.72 feet; thence East 345.50 feet; thence North 209.72 feet; thence West 345.50 feet to point of beginning. Also including a 66 foot wide easement for ingress and egress described as: Commencing at the North quarter corner of Section 36 Town 11 North, Range 10 East, Dayton Township Tuscola county Michigan, thence South 90 degrees 00 minutes West 298.51 feet along the North line of Section 36 to the point of beginning; thence running South 00 degrees 10 minutes 38 seconds West 2646.24 feet to the East-West quarter line of Section 36; thence South 00 degrees 12 minutes 16 seconds West 400.

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MOVING ESTATE & Garage Sale - Thursday, May 26, Friday, May 27, Saturday, May 28, 9-4 p.m. 6457 Church St. 14-5-18-2

GARAGE SALE - Thursday & Friday, 9-5 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. (1/2 off). Dirt bike, 3-wheel adult bike, plus size clothes, cat tower, CDs, books, decorative cupboard, kids' clothes & etc. Corner of Houghton & Woodland. 14-5-25-1

LARGE SHED SALE - Household items, antique toys, games, children's books & furniture, advertising memorabilia, linens, knickknacks, country store items, Christmas decorations & more. Friday, May 27, 9-5 p.m.; Saturday, May 28, 9-2 p.m. Corner of M-53 & Downington Rd. (entrance east on Downington). 14-5-25-1

4-FAMILY GARAGE SALE - May 25-30, 8-6 p.m. From Cass City: 6 miles west (M-81/Cass City Rd. to Hurds Corner Rd.), 2 miles north, 1 west on Hoppe/Jacob Rd. Chainsaw, housewares (kettles, dishes, etc.), vacuum cleaner, some antiques, variety of other stuff, baby walker, stroller/car seat combination, baby bathtub, play gym, lots of baby clothes boys' infant to 5T, lots of baby clothes girls' infant to 18 months, assortment of clothes (summer and winter), men's ladies', misses', juniors', girls' and boys'. Lots of brand names. 14-5-25-1

GARAGE SALE - 3575 S. Elkton Rd., Owendale (corner of Elkton & Sebewaung roads, 6 miles south of Elkton or 9 miles north of Cass City). Barn is full of everything BUT NO clothes. Friday, May 27, 8 a.m.; Saturday, May 28, 8 a.m. (Saturday is half price day!) Look on Craig's List for pictures. 14-5-25-1

LIVING ESTATE SALE - 5172 Port Austin Rd., Caseville. May 27 & 28, 8-5 p.m. Tools, guns, sporting items, furniture, riding mower, new Andersen patio door, fishing items, household items, clothes, collectibles, electric fender violin, 44 cello, guitar. Plus too many items to list! 14-5-25-1

NEW OWNER Garage Sale - Thursday, Friday, Saturday, May 27, 28, 29, 9 to 5 p.m. 4243 Seeger St. 14-5-25-1

Household Sales

SALE-BOOTH 15 - Caro Antique Mall, 196 N. State ST. (downtown Caro). Waterford crystal, pottery, jewelry, plus more. Sale going on now. Open 11 a.m.-6 p.m., Monday-Saturday. Come See! 14-5-18-2

GARAGE SALE - May 26-28, 8-6 p.m. Boys', girls' and adult clothes, household items, pictures, floral arrangements, bike, lawn furniture, etc. 4172 Seeger St., Cass City. 14-5-25-1

GARAGE SALE - Thursday & Friday, 10-4 p.m.; Saturday, 10-3 p.m. 4080 Nicholas Dr. Brand new women's clothes, household items and more. 14-5-25-1

GARAGE SALE - May 27 & 28. Large assortment of items, including baby & boys' clothes up to 2T. Also beauty salon equipment and Amigo with lift. 4 miles east and 1 3/4 miles south of Cass City on M-53. 14-5-25-1

GARAGE SALE - Hoyt compound bow, arrows & case, 15 hp Evenrude, 7 1/2 hp Mercury, pickup cover (short box), miscellaneous. 4300 Woodland, Cass City. Thursday & Friday, 9-5 p.m. 14-5-25-1

GARAGE SALE - May 26 & 27, 9-5 p.m. 6201 Dale St., Cass City (across from hospital). Motorcycle, guns, golf clubs, tackle, camera, baby clothes, adult clothes, car seat, vacuums, Q bed frame and more. 14-5-25-1

Real Estate For Rent

NICE 1-BEDROOM apartment - Includes appliances & all utilities except electric. \$350/month. Call daily 989-872-8825 or evenings 989-872-8300. Apply at Kelly & Co. Realty in Cass City. 4-4-20-tf

NICE COUNTRY home - 2-3 bedroom, appliances, new carpet & paint. Paved road between Caro & Cass City. No pets, no smoking. \$450/month. Call daily, 989-872-8825 or 989-737-3517. Or stop at Kelly & Co. for info. 4-5-4-tf

FOR RENT - Cass City Mini Storage. Call 872-3917. 4-12-10-tf

VFW HALL weddings, parties, funeral dinners, etc. Call 989-872-4933. 4-8-11-tf

HILLSIDE NORTH Apartments - 1-bedroom, near hospital & grocery store. Water & garbage included. Rent: \$350/month plus security deposit. Call 872-4654, after 6 p.m. 4-4-20-tf

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FOR RENT - K of C Hall, 6106 Beechwood Drive. Parties, dinners, meetings. Call Daryl Iwankovitch, 872-4667. 4-1-2-tf

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Notice

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NOTICE

to the families of the Veterans of Novesta Township Cemetery

25-30 flag holders have recently been stolen from area veterans' memorials. We have been able to turn this in to the insurance company and expect to have new flag markers in the near future.

Novesta Township Cemetery 5-5-25-1

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Card of Thanks

OUR FAMILY WOULD LIKE to thank everyone for all the support and expressions of sympathy extended to us during Paul's fight with cancer and the final celebration of his life. A special thank you to Father Paul Bala and Sister Dorothy Ann for the wonderful funeral mass and prayer vigil, Connie Iwankovitsch and Nancy Bussure for the beautiful music, Veterans of VFW Post, Cass City, Army Honor Guard for the moving military service, Gagetown Funeral Chapel and the St. Agatha Women's Society for the great meal. We also wish to thank everyone at Allway Stop Store in Gagetown for organizing the benefit in honor of Paul, to Doug Kalis for cooking, all the volunteers, and all the donations for the benefit. It was very heartwarming for our family to see everyone there. We will always remember everyone's thoughtfulness. The family of Paul Leyva. 13-5-25-1

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Linda M. Devine, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated March 26, 2003 and recorded April 2, 2003 in Liber 923, Page 822, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Federal National Mortgage Association by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Seven Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Three and 67/100 Dollars (\$127,173.67) including interest at 8.875% 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 of the Tuscola Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, MI at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 23, 2011.

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

Section 1, Town 13 North Range 10 East, Commencing at a point 848.36 feet South of Northwest corner of Section; thence South 571.99 feet, thence East 654.12 feet, thence North 573.70 feet, thence West 654.12 feet to place of beginning. 8.62 acres.

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 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.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 25, 2011

Orlans Associates, P.C.
Attorneys for Servicer
P.O. Box 5041
Troy, MI 48007-5041
File No. 650.1658

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Andrea Smith and Ryan Smith, wife and husband, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated April 28, 2006 and recorded May 15, 2006 in Liber 1081, Page 610, Tuscola County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Federal National Mortgage Association by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Eleven and 29/100 Dollars (\$77,311.29) including interest at 7.125% per annum.

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

of the Tuscola Circuit Courthouse in the Village of Caro, MI at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 23, 2011.

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

Township of Vassar, County of Tuscola
Parcel A: That part of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 33, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, beginning 1087.60 feet South of the West 1/4 corner of said Section; thence South 125.00 feet, thence East 250.00 feet, thence North 125.00 feet, thence West 250.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel B: The North 1/2 of a parcel of land described as beginning 1337.60 feet South and 250.00 feet East of the West 1/4 corner of said Section 33, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, thence East 250.00 feet, thence North 250.00 feet, thence West 250.00 feet, thence South 250.00 feet to point of beginning, being part of the Northwest 1/4 of Southwest 1/4 of Section 33, Township 11 North, Range 8 East.

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.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 25, 2011

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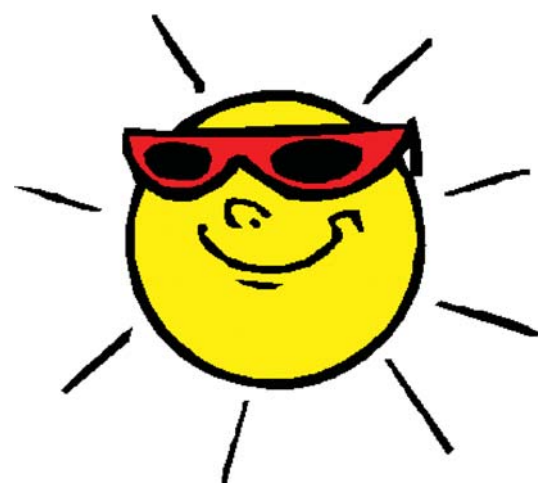
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OPEN SWIM SCHEDULE



Regular Hours will start

Monday, June 6, 2011

Monday-Friday 12:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.*

Saturday 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Sunday 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Swimming Fees

\$3 per day per person

\$10 per family (4 or more)

Season Pass Fees

\$60/single person

\$100/2-person

\$10/each additional person

*There will be NO Open Swim from 5 to 7 p.m., Monday-Friday, from June 20 - July 29, due to night swimming lessons. Open Swim will resume from 7 to 9 p.m. during those dates.

Season passes can be purchased at the Municipal Offices Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

MUSIC IN ROTARY PARK

June 10, 6:30-8:30 p.m., TNT with Rich Lasceski

June 17, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Shannon Allen

June 17, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Cabin Fever

June 24, 6:30-8:30 p.m., The Tom & Jerry Show

July 1, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Oliver and the Attack of the Lovely

July 1, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Ryan Grimshaw

July 8, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Muzyka

July 15, 6:30-8:30 p.m., The Fulchers

July 22, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Keith Davison

July 29, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Finnigan

August 12, 6:30-7:30 p.m., The Tom & Jerry Show

August 12, 7:30-8:30 p.m., His Strength with Shannon Allen

August 19 6:30-7:30 p.m., Southbound

August 19, 7:30-8:30 p.m., The Muck Savages

Music in Rotary Park - 2011 is sponsored by Baker College, Cass City Parks & Recreation, Cass City Rotary Club, and Thumb National Bank & Trust Co.



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Inquire about lifeguarding classes at the village office.



2011 SWIMMING LESSONS

SESSION 1 - June 6-June 17 - Registration Deadline: May 27

SESSION 2 - June 20-July 30 - Registration Deadline: June 10

SESSION 3 - July 5-July 15 - Registration Deadline: June 24

SESSION 4 - July 18-July 29 - Registration Deadline: July 8

SESSION 5 - August 1-August 12 - Registration Deadline: July 22

SESSION STARTING TIMES - Morning

Levels 1 & 2 - 10:00, 10:30, 11:00 & 11:30 a.m.

Levels 3, 4, 5, 6, Pre-Lifeguard & Pre-Competition - 10:00 & 11:00 a.m. (45-minute lessons)

SESSION STARTING TIMES - Evening (Sessions 2, 3, & 4 ONLY)

Parent and Child Aquatics - 5:00 & 5:30 p.m. (Mon. & Wed. evenings)

Levels 1 & 2 - 5:00, 5:30, 6:00 & 6:30 p.m.

Levels 3, 4, 5, 6, Pre-Lifeguard & Pre-Competition - 5:00 & 6:00 p.m. (45-minute lessons)

COSTS: \$35 per lesson for village resident, \$40 per lesson for non-village resident.



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