# 25 years of progress seen positive by Cass Cityans

What is progress? If you measure it by the responses to an informal Chronicle survey, progress is many different things. It's more iobs, better school buildings, improved streets, a hospital and much, much more.

Basically, it adds up to a higher standard of living, including the problems that go with it.

According to the survey, those interviewed see most of Cass City's progress as being positive. William Profit, 6679 Houghton St., former county register of deeds and now retired, sees industrial growth, improved medical facilities and an expanding educational system as hall-

marks of progress. He gives part of the credit to what he views as progressive leadership on the part of village council.

'We've had councils that have tried to keep the village on the upswing," Profit said. changes have come in Cass

have good men in there who've helped things improve.

He sees the advent of manufacturing in Cass City as a significant part of the village's growth and looks at the future with confidence.

He said he hopes construction can begin as soon as possible on a new swimming pool. This, he believes, would continue the tradition of providing recreation for children and adults as well.

"Seems as though the town's done everything it could in the past for the kids,' he said. "I really don't know where you'd go to beat it (Cass City)." Mrs. Donald Lorentzen of

6306 Pine St. sees the factories and the work they've provided as the most significant change in Cass City in the past 25 years.

"Actually, the biggest

"We've been fortunate to City in the last 15 years," Mrs. Lorentzen said. "When the factories came to town. they brought more work with them and provided jobs for women.'

She says in spite of its growth, Cass Cityans are still as friendly as they were a quarter-century ago. "It's still as good a place to live as it ever was," she says. "I'm sure about that."

The Lorentzens have lived in Cass City the past 38 years. Commenting on the growth of industry in the village, Dr. Harry Crandell, Cass City veterinarian, said the growth didn't come too fast.

"The growth has been slow," he said, "and that's a good, healthy condition. It gave the town's facilities a chance to grow with it. You take areas where industry has come in too fast and these places haven't been able to handle the change." Crandell also sees the di-

versity of Cass City's economy as an added benefit, which makes it possible to ride out economically tough times with greater ease. "Another good thing was

second largest industry in the

state. I think it would be a

growth brought to the village that industry grew just fast as a definite asset. enough to provide jobs as "You need to have young farming went to more mechpeople to keep a town alive anization," he said. "The and going and we have them added manufacturing helped here," she said. "I think the offset the reduced number of factories have helped bring farm jobs.' that about,

Crandell sees the last 25 She said the village's future years of growth as generally was not too bright until for the good. He added that he Walbro arrived on the scene. would like to see more Since then, she said, great long-range planning for the strides have been made. future and more promotion of Mrs. Hartwick, who has

the area's tourist potential. lived in the village 33 years, "There's a lot of history thinks the hospital and the connected with this town that recent addition of new doctors ought to be researched and to the Cass City medical preserved," Crandell, a lifecommunity have been especlong resident, said. "You ially important. could tie this in with the tourist trade, which is the

"TREMENDOUS PROGRESS"

Mrs. Arlan Hartwick of 6675

Seed St. agrees that industry.

was the turning point in the

growth of Cass City and sees

the young people industrial

Cass City has made "tremendous progress" in not

only the past 25 years but throughout its history, according to Meredith Auten, chairman of the board of Cass City State Bank, Auten, a lifelong resident and longtime businessman on the Cass City scene, says the biggest changes in the past 25 years have been Walbro and Gen-

eral Cable Corp.
"The hospital and nursing home have been extremely valuable, too," he added.
"There's a great pride among the citizens of the town to keep things fixed up and looking good. This curb and hall, new hig gutter on Main Street for been good." instance\_helped\_beautify\_the\_

town a great deal." Auten said progress in Cass City goes back much farther than 25 years.

"In my day, we had a corduroy road that led out of town," he said. "There was no paving until 1926. We've made great strides here."

Hills and Dales General Hospital and Cass City's first municipal swimming pool, says closing that pool was unfortunate but said that should be remedied in the foreseeable future.

He ticked off other indicators of progress.

"We have a very good village council," he said. "Excellent. We have a good planning system. We have zoning, which is an extremely good thing. We've had growth of subdivisions, a new fire hall, new high school. It's all

- Auten sald he doesn't see crime as a major problem in Cass City. Mrs. Helen Avery of 4279 S.

Seeger St., however, disagrees.

The size of police force the village has to maintain sort of bothers me," Mrs. Avery, a 25-year resident of Cass Čity, Auten, who was a driving says. "But I suppose it's a

force behind construction of reflection of what's happening in the larger cities. Of course part of the higher crime rate comes from the judges who aren't strict

enough in enforcing the law." She agrees that industry has made a significant contribution to Cass City and added that the growth it brought hasn't made it any less friendly a town.

'Cass City can be proud of its churches," Mrs. Avery said. "They're all well-kept and really add something to the community.

She says other than higher crime rates and the fact that more persons are more careless with litter today, Cass City is still a good place to

"I do want to see a pool back again someday," she said. "It was a wonderful addition to the community when we had it and I hope we can have another one soon.

CASS CITY

CHRONICLE CASS CITY, MICHIGAN-THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975

Twenty Cents

SECTION I

## **Ubly** youth dies in mishap

VOLUME 69, NUMBER 4

A nine-year-old Ubly youth died Sunday at Harbor Beach Community Hospital following surgery for injuries suffered in a home accident Saturday.

Jeffrey T. Herp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald F. Herp of Bingham township, was struck accidentally in the abdomen by the handle of a power troweler that went out of control while a basement floor was being poured. The mishap took place near Big Rapids Saturday evening where the family was visiting friends and helping with home construction.

The youth was treated at a hospital in Reed City and later transferred to Harbor

Beach by ambulance. The youth was born Aug. 31, 1965, in Cass City, and was a Axe Intermediate School. His father is an instructor at Ubly High School and formerly a football coach at the school.

He is survived by his parents; two sisters, Amy and Betsy, both of Ubly; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Herp of Burnips, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. John Nugent of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dergis of Saginaw: great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stirrett and Mrs. Ida Nugent, all of Bad Axe, and Mrs.

Mary Smith of Grand Rapids. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday from the United Presbyterian church in Bad Axe, with Rev. Donald Remillard, pastor, and Rev. John Nipper, former pastor of the Ubly Presbyterian Presbyterian

church, officiating. Burial was in Valley cemetery, Ubly. Zinger Funeral Home, Ubly, was in charge of arrangements.



IT'S ON TO California for Mrs. James Van Dellen, wife of Good Shepherd Lutheran church's pastor. Thanks to contributions of about \$350 in cash from parishioners, Mrs. Van Dellen will be able to travel with her husband to the synodical convention of the Lutheran church, Missouri Synod, when it meets this July in Anaheim, Calif. Here, congregation president Nelson Willy presents a purse filled with the green stuff to Mrs. Van Dellen, as her husband looks on. The gift was a complete surprise.

## Graduation plans for area schools told

Plans were announced this week for baccalaureate and commencement exercises at area high schools. Here is a rundown of activities:

Graduation week activities begin Sunday, June 8, with Baccalaureate services be-

ginning at 3:00 p.m., at Cass City High School gym. Rev. Dale Sherry of Deford Community church will give the main address to graduates.

Other speakers will include Rev. Harold Prong, pastor of Novesta Church of Christ; Rev. Eldred Kelley of Salem United Methodist church and James Van Dellen, pastor of Good Shepherd Lutheran

The choir and band will also perform. Guidance Counselor Curtis Cleland will present honors and awards.

The following morning, the annual swing-out begins at 8:45 a.m. on its usual route. beginning at the Intermediate School parking lot and heading down Seeger Street to Church, then west on Church to West Street, where the parade turns south to Main.

Marchers will then head east on Main to Oak Street and walk back to the Intermediate school.

The week of excitement will be capped with graduation exercises, scheduled for Tuesday, June 10, beginning at 8:00 p.m. at the high school. Valedictorian Marie Hobart and Salutatorian Carol Little will each address the gathering. A musical selection will be presented by the high school band.

OWEN-GAGE Baccalaureate services for the 49 members of the 1975

Concluded on page 14.

# No surprises in Owen-Gage property transfer turndown

There were no real surprises Wednesday night, May 14, as a combined Huron-Tuscola Intermediate Board of Education turned down a request by 36 property owners to transfer their land from the Owen-Gage School district to the Cass City district.

The 6-4 vote set the stage for an appeal by the property owners to the Michigan State Board of Education. That appeal must be filed within 10 days of the hearing date, according to state law.

A crowd of around 80 persons, most of whom were either petitioners or their supporters, looked on as the board turned down the request for transfer.

Some observers felt the request stood a chance, in the wake of a successful transfer, of some \$1.3 million in property from Owen-Gage to the Laker School district the week before.

Ben Hobart, Gagetown, spokesman for the group, put his plea to the board with that successful transfer in mind.

"Events of the last week have indicated what is before us tonight," Hobart said. "It is your duty to see that the children in this district and their parents get the best possible advantage in the field of education.'

Speaking in support of the transfer, former Owen-Gage board member Kenneth Voelker, Owendale, said the transfer wouldn't really set the district in a financial hole. He claimed the valuation lost in this and the earlier transfer would be made up in valuation increases on the remain-

ing portion of the district. Speaking in support of the school district, Supt. Glenn Sanford said both administration and school board have

been working to solve the district's problems, including a building proposal which he said voters would decide upon later this year at the ballot

He said the loss of children and tax base in the latest transfer request "seriously erodes the possibility of (the district) doing so (meeting those needs).

Cass City Supt. Donald Crouse, who attended the meeting, was asked by the joint board if Cass City could absorb the additional 25 or so students which would become students if the transfer was approved. Crouse said it could, adding that the school is already getting the majority of students from that

portion of Owen-Gage. Total students affected such a transfer would be around 70, school officials

said. Since the vote was conducted by secret ballot, it was impossible to determine which Intermediate board members voted for the transfer and which voted against. Sources close to the transfer issue, however, indicated the negative notes probably came from the five Huron county members and one Tuscola member.

These same sources earlier believed all five Tuscola members would vote in favor of the transfer.

Indications were that the group definitely will file an appeal to the state board of education. It is doubtful that the state board could rule on the transfer before the end of this year, school officials

THURSDAY'S MEETING Board members decided to ask for only one additional mill, instead of the two-mill increase Sanford said might be needed at the previous Monday meeting.

The board agreed to go with the one mill, which under present financing formulas, would provide around \$620,-000, Sanford said. Last year, the district operated on a \$617,000 budget.

While the operating margin won't be great, the superintendent said, the board felt the district could get by on one mill additional revenue.

Voters will decide renewing the present 8.25 mills, along with adding the one extra

Sanford emphasized that the size of the 1975-76 school budget depends on state aid and negotiations, much of which won't be known until at least August.

Sanford said a public meeting will be held sometime the week of June 2, to discuss the millage question and to introduce board candidates. He indicated the meeting will probably be held in Gage-

The board decided to hold its next regular meeting Tuesday, June 10, due to the annual election the previous

## Memorial Day schedule set

Plans for the annual Memorial Day festivities in Cass City were announced this week by Gary Jones, chairman of this year's event.

The parade will begin promptly at 10 a.m., Monday. Persons participating in the parade are asked to gather in the parking lot behind Western Auto at 9:30 a.m.

The parade will take its usual course along Main Street, ending at Elkland cemetery.

Scheduled to participate in this year's parade are the American Legion, Legion Auxiliary, Cass City High School Band, Girl Scouts, Brownies, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts, the Little League,

local 4-H Horse Clubs and the

Elkland Township Fire Department.

"We're trying to make this year's parade bigger than in years past," Jones said, "So we're inviting anyone who'd like to participate in the parade to meet in the parking lot at 9:30 a.m. so that we can get them organized and give them a place in the line.

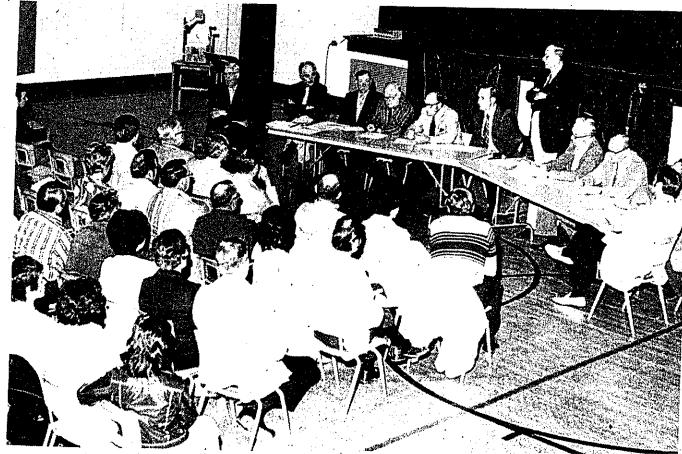
Jack Esau will be master of ceremonies at cemetery serv-

Rev. Eldred Kelley, pastor of Salem United Methodist church, will be the main speaker at cemetery ceremonies, sponsored by the

Soft drinks at the cemetery will also be provided by Elkland township, Jones said



SIGNING A "Bill of Rights for Foster Children" at the Tuscola County Courthouse in Caro Tuesday are Opal Hunter (left), county juvenile officer, and Onalee Detwiler, director of the Department of Social Services. The event was held in conjunction with National Action for Foster Children Week designed to promote greater awareness of the needs of foster children.



A COMBINED Tuscola-Huron Intermediate Board of Education met Wednesday night, May 14, and turned down a large property transfer from the Owen-Gage district to the Cass City School district.

Our largest edition including 72 pages of progress

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nicol

of Marlette were Sunday

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max

Agar. They had dinner at

Sebewaing and took part of

Mrs. Irma Hicks had as

Sunday dinner guests, Mrs.

Douglas Harvey and daugh-

ter, Jeanne of Sterling

Heights, and Mr. and Mrs.

Ronald Geiger and son, Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Whit-

taker and daughters of De-

ford have moved into the

Atkerson house on West Main

Mrs. Lucile Miller of

Zephyrhills, Fla., arrived

Monday to spend the summer

with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hart-

wick, Jeff and Angie of Caro

spent Friday night and Satur-

day at the Clayton Hartwick

Susan Damm spent the

week end with her grandpar-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn

McClorey, while Mr. and Mrs.

Dale Damm were in Detroit.

Deborah Jean Kettlewell,

19-year-old daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Cecil Kettlewell of

Riverside, Calif., was killed

in an auto accident May 12 in

New Mexico, Funeral serv-

ices were held May 16 in

Riverside. Mrs. Cecil Kettle-

well is a sister of Gerald

Kerbyson of Cass City. Mr.

and Mrs. Kerbyson were in

California from May 14 - 18 to

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lorent-

zen attended an open house

Sunday afternoon at Union-

ville for Mrs. Otto Dehemel.

celebrating her 85th birthday.

Mrs. John Guinther was a

guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs.

Hazen Guinther and daugh-

ter, Susann, for a belated

Mother's Day dinner. Archie

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCal-

lum and daughter, Miss Jan-

ice McCallum of Lansing,

were week-end guests of Miss

**ENGAGED** 

Catherine McGillvray.

McPhail was also a guest.

attend the funeral.

St. in Cass City.

and other relatives.

the lake shore drive.

## Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker were in Lansing Friday to attend a reunion of the MSU class of 1925, of which Mrs. Baker was a member. The Alumni Association entertained at a luncheon at

Mrs. Bertha West had as dinner guests Sunday evening, Mrs. EvaBelle Welke of North Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Erb of Bad Axe, Mrs. -Esther-McGullough-and-Mrs.-Gertrude Falkenhagen.

noon and the evening was

devoted to dinner and a social

Miss Mary Beth Esau began eight weeks of classes Monday with the Thumb District Health Dept. at Caro. The course is affiliated with CMU of Mt. Pleasant.

#### 150 fete Roots at open house

More than 150 relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Root attended an "open house" for them Sunday afternoon at the Fraser Presbyterian church, Guests from a distance included Mrs. Lois Nelson from California, Rev. and Mrs. Ali B. Jarman of Lapeer and others from St. Clair Shores, Rochester, Oxford, Bay City, Warren, Ferndale, Grand Blanc, Lapeer and the Thumb area.

The anniversary cake was cut by Mrs. Lyle Truemner, punch served by Colleen and Janelle Truemner and coffee by Mrs. Henry McLellan. Many gifts including money

and a money tree were presented to Mr. and Mrs.

Above Ground Swimming Pools and accessories Leisure Living Divided Highway M-15 Closed Sun. & Mon. Bay City

**Tom Proctor** 

pharmacist

your

Gross receipts from the sale of 1000 Poppies by the American Legion Auxiliary Thursday totaled \$378.98. Top salesman was Mrs. Lillian Kendall, who collected \$85.10. Charles McConnell collected \$80.68, and in third place was Mrs. Eva Bair with \$62.85. Other workers were Mrs. Dorus Klinkman, Mrs. Cass Bartnik, Mrs. Garrison Stine, Mrs. Elmer Francis and Mrs. Alvin Guild,

Mrs. Lillie Lamphere, who resides at Provincial House, was honored at a birthday lawn party Sunday, May 18. Mrs. Lamphere was 88. Thirty-five guests were present. Her daughter, Mrs. Vivian Mosher, was hostess. Guests attended from Madison Heights, Saginaw, Midland, Kawkawlin, the Detroit area, Fenwick, Caro and Cass

#### Hills and Dales General Hospital

PATIENTS LISTED MON-DAY, MAY 19, WERE:

Mrs. Cletus Morell, Michael Mellendorf, Glen Atfield, Mrs. Leveret Barnes, Mrs. Daniel Hennessey, Peggy Mc-Connell and Mrs. Joseph Windy of Cass City;

Katherine Graham, Mrs. Lavina Matthews and Erin Satchell of Caro;

James Simmons, Mrs. Hattie Kritzman, and Neil Mac-Niven of Snover; Mrs. Michael Monaco of

Jeddo: Mrs. Charles Boyle and Mrs. Lucile Hickey of Akron; Trina Christner of Elkton: Alfred Garner of Vassar; Mrs. Lewis Grifka of Ubly; Mrs. Eugene Hergenreder,

John Kapala of Deford: James Kroetsch of Argyle; Mrs. Ida Nixon and John Patnaude of Gagetown: Mrs. Theodore Vahovick of

Fred Neal, Arthur Smith and

Mrs. Arvin Wingert of Kings-

Decker; Harold VanDorn of Unionville.

**At Your Service** 

872-2075

Guardians of your Health

OLD WOOD DRUG

A new kind of

marketing, accounting, plant pathology, etc.

businessman

We deal with a new kind of farmer. He's changed because farming has

changed. He's better prepared to accept the challenge of farming. In many

cases he has a technical degree in agronomy, farm machinery, agricultural

has made a commitment to fill that need. He's active in his community,

He understands the role farming plays in the future of our country and

CASS CITY

Members of the local Business and Professional Women's Club who attended the 57th annual convention of the Michigan Federation held over the week end at Traverse City were Mrs. Martha Putnam, Mrs. Clara Gaffney, Miss Helen Gettel, Mrs. Helen Bartle and Mrs. Irene Principal Schwaderer. speaker for the convention was Rep. Martha Griffiths of Detroit. In election of state officers for the coming year,

lanti was named president. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley had as guests from Saturday until Monday, cousins Ormie Fishback, Miss Marie Fishback and Mrs. Fern Fishback of Woodstock,

Ms. Joyce Mallory of Ypsi-

Mrs. John Guinther was among those who attended "open house" Sunday afternoon in the Dick Guinther home for their daughter, Jane Ann Smith, in honor of her confirmation at the Lutheran church Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilson of Flushing, their daughter and their son, were callers Tuesday, May 13, at the home of Mrs. John Guinther when they came because of the illness of Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs, Lovina Vader.

#### **ENGAGED**



VALERIE JOAN BEST

Deford announce the engagement of their daughter, Valerie Joan Best, to Matthew Joseph Wasserman Jr., son of Mrs. Josephine Wasserman and the late Matthew J. Wasserman Sr. of Cass City. Miss Best is the daughter of the late Donald E. Best Sr.

The bride-elect is a senior at Cass City High School and the prospective groom is a 1971 graduate of Cass City High School.

A fall wedding is being

a new kind of grower!

Wickes

Agriculture

We deal with

concerned about his government. He's a new

the lowest food costs as a percent of income

of any nation in the world. That's food for

thought and that's farming.

kind of businessman. Because of him we enjoy

#### Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Laws of



MICHAEL KING AND ELEANORE POWELL

Mrs. Evelyn Pratt of Clifford announces the engagement of her daughter, Eleanore, to Michael King, son of Mr. and Mrs. William King of Deford. She is the daughter of the late Archie Powell. Miss Powell is a 1974

graduate of Imlay City and he is a 1971 graduate of Kings-A July 26 wedding is

planned.

If you're doing nothing at all decay has already set in.

Forthuns, in Ann Arbor for Stephanie Mae, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Hunt left

Tuesday to visit their daugh-

ter and family, the Gerald

Mrs. Reva Little

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Guinther

and family had as a guest

from Friday until Monday,

Mrs. Guinther's mother, Mrs.

The Memorial service at

the Novesta Church of Christ

will be held Monday, May 26.

at 2:00 p.m. A luncheon will

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Walt-

er and family had as guests

from Thursday until Monday,

Mrs.\_Walter's\_parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph Odoran of

Parma, Ohio. They came to

attend the confirmation of

Steven Walter Sunday, Other

tion, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knight

and daughter Laura of Ster-

ling Heights stayed at the

Ephraim Knight home during

Mrs. Howard Loomis ac-

companied Mr. and Mrs.

Hubert Root of Caro Sunday

afternoon to attend the open

house for the Clayton Roots.

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Murray

and daughters, Kathy and

Marilyn of Williamston spent

the week end with Mrs.

Howard Loomis and Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Kelley

Ike Tedford, who lives in

Florida most of the year, and

two of his daughters from

Pontiac visited Mr. and Mrs.

Callers Sunday morning at

the Garrison Stine home were

Roger Nicholas and daugh-

ters, Tina and Tammy of

Kawkawlin, and George Rol-

**WSC** meets

with Mrs.

Zinnecker

Fifteen women attended the

May 13 meeting of the Wo-

men's Study Club held at the

home of Mrs. John Zinnecker.

a report of the state conven-

Mrs. Donna Wernette gave

For the program, Arthur

Holmberg showed slides tak-

en in Sweden and other

Scandinavian countries on a

The last meeting of the

season will be a 12:30 lunch-

eon at the Colony House June

10. The reception committee

members are in charge of

Joseph Edward Mark,23,

Bradenton, Fla., and Eliza-

beth Ann Hillaker, 21, Cass

Dennis John Wilson, 26,

Eugene Herbert Donovan,

Justin Paul Kollmeyer, 25,

Las Vegas, Nev., and Elaine

Carl Frank Miller, 24, Fair-

grove, and Kresti Lynn Kalk-

Bruno Eli Mooney, 19,

Fostoria, and Dorothy Rene

Ruben Martinez, 25, Vas-

sar, and Shirley Ann Windom,

Richard Oliver Smith II, 23,

Sandusky, and Carolyn Ann

Stanley Roy Brendel, 21,

Dean Lovell Coleman, 20,

Vernon David Ricker Jr.,

51. Cass City, and Alice Lucile LeValley, 43, Cass City.

Patrick Norman Sleight, 26,

Caro, and Darlene Theresa

Akron, and Debra Ann

Mayville, and Judy Ann Mc-

Beach, 23, Mayville.

Donald, 24, Mayville.

Schultz, 19, Akron.

Greer, 27, Millington.

RYAN'S

Formal Wear Rental

Men's Wear and

Phone 872-3431

**FORMAL WEAR** 

Hadden, 17, Otter Lake.

Vernette Hinz, 21, Reese.

45, Caro, and Antonina Stew-

Caro, and Sandra Lee Lint-

ner, 18, Millington.

art, 35, Capac.

man, 22, Holland.

18, Flint.

visit there.

arrangements.

City.

Max Agar, Monday.

and daughters of LeRoy spent

the week end at the Warren

Mrs. Paul Murray.

Kelley home.

Carl Smith.

their absence.

Norma Hull of Grayling.

Phone 872-3698

Stanley Szarapski, was christened Saturday evening, May 17, at St. Pancratius church. Fr. Emmétt Marceau officiated. Sponsors are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Szarapski. The baby wore her maternal great-grandmother's christening gown, belonging to Mrs. Frank Mazure of Harbor

Dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Szarapski were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mazure and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wolschleger, Cheryl and Brian all of Harbor Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Szarapski and boys, Mrs. Kazmier Szarapski and Susan Damm of Cass City. The occasion was in honor of the christening of Stephanie Mae Szarapski.

Mrs. Mary Berry is a patient at Caro Community Hospital, where she was hospitalized Sunday.

Surgery for Lawrence Buehrly in Bay City General Hospital was postponed and scheduled for Tuesday, May 20. Mrs. Buehrly was an overnight guest last week of her niece, Miss Frances Cook in Bay City, when Mr. Buehrly was admitted.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Prong were in Detroit May 13, where she attended in the Detroit Masonic temple, a luncheon for 64 women, wives of 33rd degree Masons of the Detroit

Mrs. Sidney Wall of Plymouth was an overnight guest at the Paul Craig home Saturday night when she came to visit her father Saturday and Sunday at the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility near Caro.

Ten women, including three visitors, attended the monthly meeting of the Elmwood Missionary Circle May 14, at the home of Mrs. William Anker. The next meeting will be June 11 at the home of Mrs. Ivan Tracy.

The Golden Rule Class of Salem UM church meets Thursday evening, May 22, at six-thirty p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos.

Mr. and Mrs. David Binder and three children of Portage spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lois Binder, and attended the wedding anniversary celebration Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Clayton

Attending the Saginaw Bay Church of Christ motherdaughter banquet May 13 at Saginaw were Mrs. Ralph Zinnecker, Mrs. Donald Englehart and daughter, Mrs. Clayton Root, Mrs. Albert Englehart, Mrs. Douglas Englehart and Mrs. Lois Binder. Mrs. Binder was guest speaker for the program which followed the

Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Bigelow of Ashley arrived Thursday and were overnight guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald De-Long, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Karpovich of Caro, attended the tulip festival in Holland from Friday until Sunday.

## Rutkowski-Depcinski rites held

St. John's Catholic church in Ubly was the setting for the Saturday wedding of Karen Marie Depcinski and Randolf Rutkowski, Rev. Fr. Timothy Pawlak performed double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski of rural Cass City. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rutkowski of rural Ubly.

The bride wore a floorlength gown of acetate and nylon lace over satin, featuring wide cuffed bishop sleeves and stand-up collar and Empire waistline. The matching headpiece with waistline veiledged with matching lace completed the ensemble. She carried a colonial

bouquet of white, pink, blue,

#### Sunday guests at the Walter home were Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Services held Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hutchinson and children. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Otulakowski and children, May 13 for Mrs. Lillian Otulakowski and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig Mary Hall spent the week end at Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Knight and Mr. and Mrs. Funeral services were held Leonard Thompson left Tuesday, May 13, for Mrs. Thursday for Hamilton, Ont., Mary Hall, 81, of Cass City, who died Sunday, May 11, and attended the International Square Dance convenfollowing a long illness.

She was born May 1, 1894, in Steubenville, Ohio, daughter of the late Frank and Mary Ann McDonnough.

She married Minor Hall, March 21, 1917, in Detroit. Following their marriage, they made their home in Détroit, coming to Cass City in 1973 from Livonia. Mrs. Hall is survived by her

husband; three sons, Frederick of Plymouth, Melvin of Southfield and Cecil of Lakeland, Mich.; nine grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren. One son, Russell, and one brother preceded her in death.

Rev. Eldred Kelley, pastor of Salem United Methodist church, officiated at funeral services, conducted at Little's Funeral Home. Interment was in Elkland

purple and yellow carnations

and baby's breath. Maid of honor was Elaine Depcinski, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Anita Depcinski, sister of the bride: Karen Rutkowski and Arlene Rutkowski, sisters of the groom. All carried carnations in varying colors. All wore matching headpieces with

shoulder-length veils. Best man was Dennis Rutkowski, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Ken Rutkowski, cousin of the groom, Ervin Depcinski, brother of the bride, and Albert Depcinski, brother of the bride. -Ushers-were-Tom-O'Henley, brother-in-law of the bride, and Bob Rutkowski, cousin of the groom.

The bride's mother wore a long blue polyester gown with a corsage of white roses. The bridegroom's mother

wore a long pink gown of polyester with a corsage of white roses. A reception for 140 families

was held following the ceremony at the Ubly Fox Hunter's Club. The bride is a 1974 graduate

of Ubly High School, She is employed as a secretary at the Huron County Abstract Company in Bad Axe. The bridegroom is a 1973

graduate of Ubly High School, and is presently employed at Gettel Equipment in Bad Axe Following a honeymoon trip through northern Michigan and Canada, the couple will reside near Bad Axe.

> CASS CITY CHRONICLE PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY AT CASS CITY, MICHIGAN 6552 Main Street

John Haire, publisher, National Advertising Representative, Michigan Weekly Newspapers, Inc., 257 Michigan Avenue, East Lansing, Michigan Second Class postage paid at Cass

City, Michigan 48726. Subscription Price: To post offices in Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Countles, \$6.00 a year or 2 years for \$10.50 3 years for \$15.00, \$3.50 for six months and 3 months for \$2.25. In other parts of the United States, \$7.00 a year or 2 years for \$13.00 6 months \$4.00 and 3 months for \$2.50

50 cents extra charged for part year order. Payable in advance, For information regarding newspaper advertising and commercial and job

## PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY

DR. W. S. SELBY **Optometrist** 

Hours 8-5:00 except Thursday Evenings by appointment 4624 Hill St Across from Hills and Dales

Hospital Phone 872-3404

ALLEN WITHERSPOON New England Life NEL Growth Fund **NEL Equity Fund** 

Value Line Fund-Keystone Funds Phone 872-2321 4615 Oak St., Ca YONGKYUN KIM, M.D.

Obstetrician+Gynecologist Laparascopic sterilizations 4672 Hill St., Cass City Office hours 9-5, except Wednesday, Sat. 9-12. Tuesdays 1-5 at 861 Gilford Rd.,

Office 872-2960, Residence

Marriage Licenses 872-3172. Caro office 673-4160. DO YOU HAVE A

DRINKING PROBLEM? ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS | Chest Diseases — Heart & AL-ANON Every Friday evening, 8:00 p.m. Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Cass City.

DR. J.H. GEISSINGER CHIROPRACTOR

MON., TUES., THURS., FRI. 9-12 a.m. and 2-6 p.m. SAT. 9-12 a.m.

21 N. Almer, Caro MJ

Across from IGA store Phone......Caro 673-4464

JAMES BALLARD, M.D. Office at 4530 Weaver St. Hours: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00

2:00 p.m. to 4:30 Daily except Thursday after-

DR. EDWARD SCOLLON VETERINARIAN

Call For Appointment For Small Animals 872-2935

4849 N. Seeger St., Cass City Harry Crandell, Jr.

D.V.M. Office 4438 South Seeger St. Phone 872-2255

Dr. E. Paul Lockwood Chiropractic Physician

Office Hours: Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. 9-12 a.m. and 1:30-5:00 p.m. Saturday 9-12 a.m.

Evenings-Tues, 7-9 p.m. Closed All Day Thursday PH. 872-2765 Cass City For Appointment

Harold T. Donahue, M.D. Physician & Surgeon

CLINIC 4674 Hill St., Cass City

Office 872-2323 - Res. 872-2311

HARRIS-HAMPSHIRE Insurance Agency

Complete Insurance Services 6815 E. Cass City Rd. Cass City, Michigan

Phone 872-2688

J. Y. LEE, M.D., Internal Medicine & Lungs 4672 Hill Street Cass City

OFFICE HOURS 9 till 5 except Wednesday and Saturday 9 till 12 Phone: 872-4500

K.I. MacRAE, D.O.

Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon

Corner Church and Oak Sts. Office 872-2880 - Res. 872-3365

MAC'S COUNTRY

BEAUTY & BOUTIQUE 5 miles east of M-53 on Argyle Rd. Open every day, except Monday.

Call for evening appointments, Ubly 658-5109, Operators: Barb MacAlpine and Vera Ferguson.

EFREN M. DIZON, M.D. PERLA A. ESPINO, M.D. Diplomates of the American

Board of Pediatrics Practice limited to Infants and Children) at 4672 Hill St. Cass City, Mich. 48726 (Across from Hills & Dales

Phone 517-872-4384

Hospital)

cleaners charge up to a hundred dollars for. We'll supply you with all the quality cleaning products you will need. We'll help with easy operating instructions. CLEANS CARPETS CLEANER... KEEPS THEM CLEANER LONGER \$1200 a day Reserve RINSE N VAC for the day you want to get your carpets really clean

## STEAM CLEAN your own carpets (At do-it-yourself prices) RENT OUR RINSE N VAC-the new compact carpet cleaning machine that lifts dirt, grime and residues out of carpets . . . and does the job professional Rent for only

# Where everything you buy is quaranteed



#### Rabbit tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can

get to help)

Time out for this commercial. I can't let this progress edition slip by without mentioning that in this single edition there are over 100 local pictures. That's more than we published in a year in 1951, my first here. Color, of course, was unheard of and the quality wasn't all that great. We had fewer but poorer pictures 24 years ago.

Now back to the business at hand.

++++++++

This is Michigan Week, Remember when the mayor's exchange was a big deal in Cass City and Gagetown. Both towns went all out to play the gracious hosts to visiting dignitaries.

Well, the exchange day was Monday and it created as much stir as a snowflake in a mid-winter blizzard.

I was reminded of this in Bad Axe Monday when I ate at a restaurant there and a mayor's exchange party was going full I saw the party just as I was about to think that Michigan

Week had run its course, Was it Watergate that made me ask myself at Bad Axe who was paying?

The name is withheld to protect the guilty. But one well known Owendale resident attending the Owen-Gage School Board meeting a couple of weeks ago was disgusted, really disgusted.

I am tempted to run for a position on that board myself, he announced in no uncertain terms.

And if elected I would promise to vote against E-V-E-R-Y-T-H-I-N-G. Everything? Yeah, I'd even vote against adjournment, he said. And he wasn't laughing when he said it.

+++++++++

This is the week to protect my sources. Another reader called to say that she was up tight about the flag flying in Cass

Not up tight enough to use her name. . . . but she still feels that the way Cass City flies only one or two flags is a disgrace. Better none than one or two, she feels. Our concerned patriot feels that a push for flag flying should

be started. Fleeting though: Maybe some businesses are hampered like the Chronicle. We purchased a new flag when Zonta made a community-wide push. The only trouble is that it doesn't fit the hole in the sidewalk and leans over like a tired old tree in the midst of a wind storm.

We tell you all of this so that you know that someone is watching. Someone really cares. And that's not all bad

+++++++++

Smokers in Michigan are puffing more than ever, according to statistics released by the Michigan Department of the Treasury. In fiscal 1974, total cigarette tax revenue hit \$136.7 million, up 3.4 per cent over the previous year. Michigan's current cigarette tax is 11 cents a pack.

And that should give each of you smokers emphysema of the pocketbook if nothing else.

+++++++++

Because the Chronicle will be closed Monday early copy is needed to meet regular news and ad deadlines. Your usual good cooperation will be appreciated.

#### **BOAT OWNERS**

New Lower Rate On Cruisers And Outboards.







Harris Hampshire Insurance Agency



NEW OFFICERS were chosen Thursday as the 52nd annual meeting of the Tuscola County Federation of Women's Clubs met at Trinity United Methodist church. New officers are (from the left) Mrs. Walter Parrott, Kingston, president; Mrs. Fred Rickwalt, Caro, second vice-president; Mrs. Howard Jaynes, Vassar, past president; Mrs. Chris Loveland, Millington. treasurer, and Mrs. Richard Ziehm, Gagetown, secretary. Not present was Mrs. Wanetta Uhl, first vice-president.

## 52nd Women's Club meet held Thursday

The 52nd annual meeting of Chapter, OES. the Tuscola County Federation of Women's Clubs was the afternoon invocation, folheld Thursday at Trinity United Methodist church.

Registration and a coffee hour preceded the meeting. Organ and piano music at the beginning of the morning and afternoon sessions was provided by Donald Greenleaf. A fine arts display was also featured, with winners re-Naida Doerr, Karen Wallace and Doris Rawson,

Rev. Melvin R. Vender gave the invocation and Brownie Troop 764 presented the flag and led the Pledge of Allegiance, Village President Lambert Althaver welcomed the group.

In the roll call of clubs, each club president gave a threeyear's work.

Mrs. John Berent, state junior director, reported on the state convention, Girlstown and various phases of club work.

Mrs. Edward Baker gave the noontime grace at the luncheon served by Echo

#### Report tarp stolen

James Tuckey of 5699 Elmwood Rd., reported the theft of a 12 by 16-foot tarp that had been used to cover fertilizer on his farm sometime last

Police said the tarp was nearly new. They have no suspects and placed no value on the stolen tarp.

NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION!

In Country View Subdivision

Mrs. John Zinnecker gave

lowed by a report from Ronald Laeder, speech therapist. Speech therapy is the county project for the group. Last summer, four children were sent to therapy classes at Central Michigan University. Cost is \$600 per child.

Mrs. Rosean Stryker from ceiving ribbons. Judges were Delta College, whose topic was interior decoration.

In a business session, the county by-laws were revised.

Afternoon speaker was

The next county convention invitation was given by Mrs. Ervin Walrod from Gage-

New officers for 1975 are Mrs. Walter Parrott, Kingston, president; Mrs. Wanetta Uhl, first vice-president; Mrs. Fred Rickwalt, Caro, second vice-president; Mrs. Chris Loveland, Millington, treasurer, and Mrs. Richard Ziehm, Gagetown, secretary.

A total of 68 persons attended the business sessions, with 75 attending the luncheon,

FROM THE

Editor's Corner



It's 100 to one that I'm out of step again.

Out of step with popular opinion. I always seem to be asking myself these questions place me with the that unpopular minority.

Take the recent escapade with Cambodia. The one where we went charging in with the Marines to save the crew of that ship seized by the Red rebels.

I keep asking myself, what were we doing there anyway? Certainly it's fine that we saved these men from imprisonment; they were doing what they were told.

But what if the tables were turned and it was a Red naval vessel lingering near our shores. What would we do? I ask myself about the 15 or

FINANCING

**AVAILABLE** 

so Marines killed in the rescue. Where's the glory in that?

Probably I'm just naturally perverse and retain this deep skepticism about it all because I just don't understand big government. I admit it. Golly, how I admit it.

We keep messing around in Southeast Asia while we make a mess of things at home.

Here at home we have an unceasing clamor for more government assistance. There's talk that the unemployed should be hired by the government and not at substance levels either. But at regular industrial level pay.

Certainly unemployment is a grim specter that we should tackle head on. But, again, I ask myself, where is the money coming from? .

Despite all the rhetoric prosperity has to relate to productivity. We keep going around looking for the magic answer, the magic program that will cure our financial ills when really we know there aren't any.

It's easy to put another 100,000 or so on the government's payroll and sit back and feel that our job is done. It's easy to feel that we showed them when we forced little Cambodia to back down.

It's easy to say cut expenses by cutting off the payment to all those freeloading welfare people.

It's harder to face up to what happened in Vietnam. It's harder to insist on a sound fiscal policy as the only real way out of the recession. It's harder to acknowledge

that it's not "them" on welfare that's doing it to us, but we ourselves who refuse to produce in the way Americans once did to make this country great.

I keep asking myself, isn't it time that we did? But as I said at the start, it's 100 to one that I'm out of



A guy named John Biggert

## "If It Fitz...

#### Is there a gun in the house?

BY JIM FITZGERALD

in Tennessee is selling signs that say "There are NO GUNS in This House." The words run rampant on a field

of bullseye. The signs cost \$6.30 for 1,000, postage paid. The advertising advises: "Put this sign on your front door if you feel there is no need for firearms. You realize, of course, that this would be an open invitation, informingdegenerates bent on rioting. plundering, robbery, murder or rape that you and your family are defenseless . . . . "

I'm no dummy, I know Biggert is being sarcastic. How many people do you know with 1,000 front doors? But Biggert did give me an idea . . .

For a long time I had been sick of the neighborhood plunderer coming to our door, asking if we had anything we wanted plundered. He was showing up at least once a week and this was without the enticement of a NO GUNS sign on the door. But what if I posted a sign saying: "There are LOTS OF GUNS in This House?'

Brilliant. The sign went up the next day, in red Crayola, the words running rampant on the field of cannons

The next day the woman next door came knocking. She wanted to borrow a cup of guns.

I asked her why and she said her husband was a degenerate who never stood up straight because he was bent on rioting and socking her in the chops. She wanted a gun to defend herself.

I asked her how she ever came to marry such a nut. She said the bum came courting in answer to the sign on her door. Her sign said: "There are NO GUNS in This

She said she bought 1,000 of the signs 2 years ago from John Biggert in Tennessee for \$6.30. I asked her what she did with the other 999 signs and she said she had distributed them to all her single girlfriends. Within a year they were all married to degenerates who couldn't stand up straight because they were bent on wife beating.

"Do you think your husband married you simply because he knew you didn't have a gun?" I asked.

"Yes," she said. "At first I thought it was the way my hair bounces when I run up hills. But now I know he simply wanted a punching bag that couldn't punch back. I should never have put up that sign. I should have become suspicious when he made me swear in the wedding vows that I would never join the National Rifle Associ-

At this point I had to confess couldn't loan her a gun because I really don't own any. My LOTS OF GUNS sign was a lie, posted only for the neighborhood plunderer, and I was sorry she had been misled.

She was disappointed to tears. In an effort to comfort her, I pointed out she would probably be better off without a gun in the house. I quoted the statistics that prove most gun murders are family affairs, committed in anger between friends and relatives. The big danger is not the stranger at the door, it's the guy in your bed.

home, your husband might shoot you instead of just sock you in the chops," I told her. "Not if I shoot him first," she said.

"If there were a gun in your Onward and Upward.

#### Brazilian twine -9,000 or 10,000 ft. guaranteed 27.80 per bale Baler Twine - 9,000 ft. guaranteed ...... 28.80 per bale 6-26-26 Bulk Delivered 157.50 per ton 16-16-16 Bulk Delivered 164.00 per ton 6-24-24 with 2 per cent Manganese Bulk Delivery ...... 164.50 per ton

#### Prices quoted are on truck load lots, add \$7.50 per ton for bags. Other analysis are available also.

Attrex Atrazine 80WP	2.74 per il	b.
marzone Atrazine sowP	2 60 ner 11	h.
Attrex 4L Liquid Atrazine	14 25 non a	al
Banvel D	32 50 ner o	101
Bladex	2 25 505 15	, u.
Crop On Concentrate	. 4 85 ner g	رر ما
Eptam	15 40 555 7	
Formula 40 (Five Gallon Cans)	9.60 ner g	al al
Lasso	14 75 200 -	-1
MCP Amine (Five Gallon Cans)	14 25 par gr	al .
ryramin w,	7.90 ner 1b	14. 1
Sutan 6.7E - New Instead of GE,		•
use 3½ pints per acre		
instead of 4 pints	13.95 ner ga	al
TCA	6 75 non de	. 3
Trenan (r ive Gallon Cans)	07 AA BAB da	. 1
Alsike Clover	20 00 555 60	. 11
Drome Grass	. 35 00 per 50	lh.
Cermied froquois Alfalfa		
(for three cuttings)	. 97.00 ner 60	ll-
Leruned Saranac Analia	_	
(for three cuttings)	97.00 per 60	Jh
Certified Vernal Alfalfa		
(for long rotations)	. 70.00 ner 60	lh
vernal Alfalfa (for long rotations)	67.00 per 60	lh:
Cody Alfalfa (blowdown -		
short rotations)	. 49.00 per 60	lb.
Canadian Mammoth Clover	32.00 per 60	lh
Michigan Mammoth Clover		
(99.82 per cent pure)	. 43.00 per 60	lb
Michigan Medium Red Clover	50.00 per 60	lb:
80 per cent Mammoth Clover	-	
20 per cent Sweet Clover	. 27.00 per 60	lbs
Saranac Alfalfa (for three		
cuttings)	. 80.00 per 60	lbs
Yellow Blossom Sweet Clover	. 18.00 per 60	lhe
Orchard Grass	30 00 per 50 1	lhe
Michigan Timothy Seed	. 22.50 per 50 }	lbs
Agate Alfalfa - Break through		
in Alfalfa for wet ground	107.50 per 50 l	lbs
We will mix and innoculate seed purchased	l from us free.	·
We have a complete line of Deiro. It and I Deiro		

We have a complete line of Dairy, Hog, and Beef Feeds, 44 per cent Soybean Meal, Salt, Molasses, Minerals, and Animal Health Products.

Cement and Mortar available; also a special Milk Replacer for \$23.80 per 100 pounds.

We are accepting orders for Barb Wire NOW:

121/2 gauge 4 point FOR: \$3.00 down per roll with order at \$26.85 per 80 rod roll. 151/2 gauge 4 point FOR: \$3.00 down per roll with order at \$20.85

We will negotiate on any large orders as we deal in volume sales and low profit margins.

GIVE US A CALL TODAY AT 517-428-4677

#### EVENINGS: 517-864-3547 MICHIGAN **SEEDS & SUPPLIES**

OPEN 8:00-5:00 MON. THRU FRI. 4990 HURON CITY ROAD PORT HOPE, MI. 48468 81/2 MILES EAST OF M-53 ON KINDE ROAD BETWEEN KINDE AND PORT HOPE IN THE THUMB OF MICHIGAN

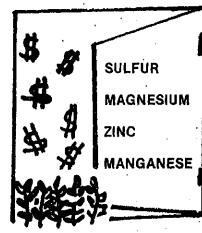
> Prices Quoted Here Are Subject to Change Without Notice and Subject to Ability to Supply

## KLEIN'S SUPER AND SUPER Q

per 80 rod roll.

The fertilizers that have been field proven for over 10 years to be the best value you can buy!

Super and Super Q fertilizers contain up to 4 extra key elements that can help you unlock the door to higher profits on each field you plant this spring.



Crop production costs are at record high levels — and it is essential that you achieve top yield and top quality on each acre you plant.

KLEIN'S SUPER AND SUPER Q

can help you do just that



HERRON BUILDERS, INC.

See Herron Builders for details about this home or let us

build to your specifications

PHONE 872-221/7

1246 XIOLO

B & D R O O M

CASS CITY

GENERAL REVENUE SHAMING PLANNED USE REPORT General Revenue Sharing provides federal funds directly to local and state governments. This report of your government's plan is published to encourage citizen participation in determining your powerament's decision on how the money will be spent. Note: Any complaints of GREENLEAF TOWNSHIP PLANNED EXPENDITURES (A) CATEGORIES 1 PUBLIC SAFETY

FOR THE SIXTH ENTITLEMENT PERIOD. JULY 1, 1975 THROUGH JUNE 30. 1976, PLANS TO SPEND THESE FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSES SHOWN ✓ ACCOUNT NO. 23 3 076 013 GREENLEAF TOWNSHIP 2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TOWNSHIP TREASURER 'SANILAC COUNTY CASS CITY MICH 48726 6 RECREATION 6 LIBRARIES 7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR Matiliakingkelithabdalitaadhallatillati 8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION 9 MULTIPURPOSE A GENERAL GOVT. 10 EDUCATION 11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT 12 HOUSING & COM-MUNITY DEVELOPM 3 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT \$3,697

Advertise It In The Chronicle.

#### Echo Chapter

#### meets May 14

Echo Chapter OES held its regular monthly meeting May 14 with 15 officers answering roll call. There were 20 members on the sidelines with four officers from Thumb area chapters attend-

The group voted to make a donation to the cancer fund.

A committee was chosen to select a senior from the Cass City area to receive a \$125 scholarship given by the

Refreshments following the meeting were served by Peg Neitzel, Donna Eisinger, Marian Fuester, Alexia Cook, Lois Binder and Pat Hunter.

5 BIG SALE DAYS.

Reg. 59¢, 8-oz.

Reg. 49¢, 8-oz.

Sour Cream -

Reg., 49¢ 16-oz.

Half & Half---

NO LIMIT ON PRODUCTS

LONDON'S

**DAIRY** 

**PRODUCTS** 

Chip Dip 39¢

Pure Orange Juice

## **Down Memory Lane**

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

There was little accomplished in the second round of negotiations between the Cass City chapter of the MEA and the Cass City school district Wednesday, May 13, as both sides steadfastly reiterated previously adopted positions. James Kot, Cass City Schools instrumental music instructor, was one of the featured performers at a jazz concert at Flint's Whiting Auditorium Monday.

Miss Marilee Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner of Decker and

Miss Lynn Haire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Haire of Cass City, were among 45 Michigan State University students tapped into Tower Guard, one of MSU's distinguished women's honoraries.

Congressman Jim Harvey formally announced his intention to seek re-election to Congress from Michigan's Eighth Congressional Dis-

Cass City clinched at least a share of the Thumb B Conference baseball crown Monday night with a 2-0 victory over

TEN YEARS AGO

A lengthy career in business in Cass City ended this week when Dave Matthews of Decker announced that he was closing M&M Plumbing and Heating Co., on Main

It costs Kingston township \$100 for a call by the Kingston Fire Department into the township and officials say

that they will no longer pay it. In a wind-blown alfalfa field dotted with the yellow of clustered dandelions, a shovel bit into the earth Sunday and members of the Cass City United Missionary church were off on the physical portion of the building of a

new church. The Unionville Board of Education has approved Monday, June 28, as the date for a special election for the consolidation of the Unionville and Owen-Gage school dis-

Don DeLong, 38, is challenging two incumbent members for a seat on the Cass City School Board in the regular election slated June

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Auten Motor Sales of Cass City became one of the growing number of Ford dealers in the U.S. to be named a Four-Letter dealership when the company was awarded a plaque Wednes-

The honors for individual butter fat production records under the DHIA of Tuscola county for the month of April go to two registered Holstein cows owned by Dr. H.T. Donahue of Cass City

Pursuant to the resolution of the Village Council dated April 29, 1975, notice is hereby given that a petition from the Village Council for the enlargement of the Village of Cass City village limits will be presented to the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners at their regular meeting on Tuesday, June 10, 1975, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. at the Commissioners Room of the Tuscola County Building Caro, Michigan. Any persons interested in said petition, or who wish to object thereto, may appear before the Board of Commissioners at that time. The description of the property proposed to be annexed to the Village

Commencing at the Center of Section 33, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, Elkland Township, Tuscola County, Michigan; thence S 88°18' E along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 33, 883.10 feet; thence S 02°13' W, 315.0 feet to the point of beginning of this description; thence S 88°18' E and parallel to the East and West 1/4 line of sald Section 33, 400.0 feet to the Westerly right of way line of the Grand Trunk Railroad Co., thence S 02°13' W along the Westerly right of way line of said Rallroad, 400.0 feet; thence N 88°18' W, 400.0 feet, thence N 02°13' E, 400.0 feet to the point of

Beginning at the center of Section 33, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, Eikland Township, Tuscola County, Michigan; thence S 88°18' E along the East and West ¼ line of said Section 33, 467.0 feet; thence S 02°11' W and parallel to the North and South ¼ line of said Section 33, 200.0 feet; thence N 88\*18' W, 467.0 feet; thence N 02°11' E along the North and South ¼ line of said Section 33, 200.0 feet to the point of beginning, being in and a part of the Northwest quarter (NW14) of the Southeast quarter (SE14), Section 33, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, and

containing 2.14 acres of land. Northwest quarter (NW1/4) of the Southeast quarter (SE14) of Section 33, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, excepting therefrom commencing at the center of said Section 33, thence S 88°18' E along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 33, 887.10 feet; S 88°18' E and parallel to the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 33, 396.0 feet to the Westerly right of way line of the Grand Trunk Railroad Co., thence N 02°13' E along the Westerly right of way line of said Railroad 315.0 feet; thence N 88°18' W, 396.0 feet along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section to the point of beginning. Also excepting, Commencing at the Center of said Section 33, Thence S 88\*18' E along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 33, 883.10 feet; thence S 02°13' W, 315.0 feet to the point of beginning of this description; thence \$ 88°18' E and parallel to the East and West ¼ line of sald Section 33, 400.00 feet to the Westerly right of way of the Grand Trunk Railroad Co., thence S 02°13' W along the Westerly right of way line of said Railroad 400.0 feet; thence N 88°18'W, 400.0 feet, thence N 02°13' E,

Dated: May 14, 1975.

400.0 feet to the point of beginning, Elkland Township, Tuscola County,

### **Mother-Daughter** banquet held

A large group of friends and

relatives of Mr. and Mrs.

John A. Sandham called at

their home Sunday afternoon

to extend felicitations on the

occasion of their 40th wedding

Twenty years after their

graduation, the Cass City

High School Class of 1930

greeted each other at a

reunion held Saturday eve-

ning at the Evangelical

Harold Little and Keith

Little, both of Cass City, have

each entered two litters of

purebred Duroc pigs in the

National Duroc litter contest.

AGO

WPA funding for construction

of an athletic field at the

Gravel Company has in-

stalled a concrete brick ma-

chine the past week and have

started manufacturing brick

Two contracts for the con-

struction of a total of 9.046

miles of concrete pavement

on M-53, when completed this

summer, will finish an all-

paved highway from Port

Austin to Detroit, a distance

Club has decided to play in

school with Mr. and Mrs.

Samuel Helwig, Mr. and Mrs.

William McKenzie and Mr.

and Mrs. Philip McComb as

SOLID GROUND

A man loaded with facts has

no reason to raise his voice

—he just reinforces his argu-

hosts and hostesses.

County Baseball League.

The Cass City Baseball

village park.

with it.

of 125 miles.

Cass City received \$9,521 in

The Cass City Sand and

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS

United Brethren church.

anniversary.

"Women Are the Spice of Life" was the theme Friday night at the annual Mother-Daughter banquet held at St. Peter Lutheran church. Columbia Corners, Ninety women attended.

The event began with a swiss steak dinner served by the men of the church. Mrs John Schulz served as mistress of ceremonies.

Piano selections were featured by Kay Ewald, Toria Sattelberg, Laurie Prime and Tammy Parsell. Two dance routines were performed by Cindy Gangler and a humor-ous skit by Mrs. James Sattelberg.

Poems were read by Chris Gangler and Mrs. John Gangler and the program closed with a mother's prayer by Mrs. Elmer Prime.

Plant centerpieces were presented as prizes for the oldest combined age of mother and daughter. Other prizes were given for the youngest daughter, most jewelry under 12 years of age, oldest car, birthday today, most children, traveling the farthest and spice in a purse.

### TSCD to fete Jacot

the newly formed Tuscola June 16 Forty were present Friday evening when the Cass City The Tuscola Soil Conserva-Grange met in the Bird

> retirement party for Cyril M Jacot of the Soil Conservation Service, June 16. It will be a dinner party at

the Indianfields Golf and County Club in Caro.

tion District is planning a

Persons planning to attend should contact Mary Lou Earl at the Tuscola Soil Conservation District, 852 S. Hooper St. in Caro by June 6, for additional information and to make reservations.

AGENT'S CORNER

#### Here's easy split pea soup

Aliene Mills - Extension Agent

"Food supplies-especially beef, potato, split peas and beans - are larger than a year ago, with prediction of a record-breaking harvest ahead", is a statement that I read in several resources in recent days. I suggest the following dry split pea soup recipe:

SPLIT PEA SOUP

2 cups dry split peas 2 qts. water 1 ham hock

1/2 cup finely chopped celery ½ cup finely chopped carrots 1 tsp. finely chopped onion

Place split peas and water in a large kettle. Boil for 2 minutes, turn off heat and cover. Let stand for 1 hour. Add the other ingredients. Boil gently for about 1 hour or until consistency is what you want. Remove ham hock. If you wish, press peas through a coarse sieve to get puree. Chop meat from bone and return to soup. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Add water if needed. Yield 8 servings.





COMPLETE WITH THIS AD Plus 50c Handling Charge

A Regular \$ 20.00

ONE 8x 10 NATURAL LIVING COLOR PORTRAIT Minors must be accompanied by a parent. Only one advertised offer per subject and one per family every three months. Groups

PRESENT THIS AD TO OUR PHOTOGRAPHER

#### **SATURDAY, MAY 24**

Hours: 10-4 p.m.

#### **CULTURAL CENTER** Cass City, Michigan

Bring Grandparents in for a Free 8x10 Color Portrait of Then.

THURS., FRI., SAT., SUN., MON.

CHEF-BOY-AR-DEE
Spaghetti & Meatballs & Beef 40- 95 c REG. Ravioli oz. 95 c \$1.23

DEL MONTE CATSUP

JETS 12-oz. **Puffed Marshmallows** 

EGGS BY

Medium Grade



16-oz. btls. REG. \$2.15

SUPER SALE SPECIAL FRITO-LAYS

**POTATO** 

10-oz.

REG. 86¢ 1/2 gal.

VALUABLE COUPON = **DOUBLE HOLDEN RED STAMPS** 

WITH ALL PURCHASES On Friday & Saturday, With Coupon

THE WAY YOU LIKE THEM

Quality

KOEGEL'S REG. \$1.12 lb.

RING BOLOGNA... 1b. 9 KOEGEL'S REG. \$4.75 Box.

5-lb. BOX SKINLESS HOTDOGS \$3.95

FRESH PRODUCE

LETTUCE

BANANAS 10 lbs. Mich. **POTATOES** 

10 lbs.

California Valencia

**VALUABLE COUPON** 

BRING COUPON TO OUR STORE **FREE 100** 

HOLDEN RED STAMPS With each \$10 or more purchase at M & R GROCERY

MFG. BY PARROTT'S VANILLA 1/2 Gal.

Size

ALL YOUR GARDENING NEEDS **NOW AVAILABLE** 

PEPSI

CANS REG. \$2.00

Aunt Jane's 10 oz. jars Hamburger Relish MIX or MATCH Hot Dog Relish

BUNS Reg. 49¢

SOUTH SEEGER CASS CITY

Schafer's King Size Soft-n-Good BREAD

1 1/4 lb.

SCHAFER'S Reg. \$1.35 BIG C **BREAD** 

BIG C Hot Dog or Hamburger

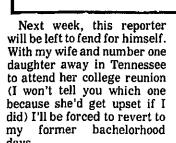
Mand R GROCERY

**Sweet Relish** 

REG. 45¢ ea.

#### KETCHUM'S KNAPSACK Here's why l got married

By Jim Ketchum



I remember with just a touch of heartburn my first few days of living, cooking and attempting to keep house as a solo act. I came from a household where my mother's kitchen was her territory and no one else entered except by engraved invitation.

As I grew up, anytime I happened to wander into that kitchen in search of something to eat, my mother would dash to my side, order me to sit down and then prepare whatever it was I was after.

I never saw the inside of the oven until I was 17 and never quite mastered how to turn on the burners. You needed a pilot's license and a degree in civil engineering to operate her stove anyhow, with the only exception being Mother. Somehow, she knew how to run that contraption.

Anyhow, this went on for years until one day I decided to strike out on my own. The first thing I discovered was that houses, especially kitchens, don't come equipped with

Too quickly I learned what the high cost of food was all about. Working at a part-time job in those days, I managed to squander most of my meager paycheck on three bags of provisions that really didn't begin to fill up the empty spaces in the cupboards.

Then the (stomach) acid tests began. I knew I liked deep fried fish so I decided why not give it a try? After all, what could go wrong? The little beauties were

frozen solid and I discovered you had to let them thaw before you could fix them. That took three days.

When they were finally ready, I poured a generous helping of oil into a cast-iron frying pan and got it hot.



... one of the reasons we're in business . . . with life insurance that helps your family when you die, you and your family in financial emergencies or you when you retire. Check the facts with Charlie Foster or . . .



Alan R. Klco Phone 872-3860

Office: Across from Library, 1 block south of light, 4439 Seeger St.

FARM BUREAU INSURANCE **GROUP**<sub>TM</sub>

Form Burkau Mutubl - Form Bureau Life ly Service Insurance - Community Service Acce

Since it didn't bubble, I kept applying more heat until I figured it was ready.

Then, in went the first filet, followed by a hiss and sizzle I've since heard as I've watched houses and barns burn to the ground. Turning down the heat, I recovered and managed to get a few of the little wonders done to a pretty good golden brown, if I do say so myself. At least they weren't raw.

Except each piece got progressively darker than the last one. But that didn't bother me. I remember sitting, thinking how easy this cooking stuff was when I suddenly couldn't see my plate anymore. The smoke was too thick.

Fighting my way to the stove, I found a potholder and pulled the blazing skillet out the back door and onto the lawn. As the smoke continued to rise, three Indians on horseback came by, saying they'd seen my smoke signals and wondered what time the attack on the State Capitol was going to start. My smoke stained face

must have resembled war paint, along with the cuts on my arm from trying to get the door open without turning the

"There's been a change in plans," I wheezed. "We're attacking Arthur Treacher's Fish and Chips stand."

This is why I got married. Hurry home, wife. I'm

Genevieve Angela Crawley

of Cass City in Indianfields

township was ticketed for

speeding 65 mph in a 55 mph

zone. She paid fines and costs

Arnold R. Moore of Kings-

ton in Wells township was

ticketed for speeding 65 mph

in a 55 mph zone. He paid

City in Elmwood township

was ticketed for failing to

report a property damage accident. He paid fines and

Joseph Randall Lockhart of Kingston in Kingston was

ticketed for driving while his

license was expired. He paid fines and costs of \$6.

Daniel Lee Cooper of Cass City in Cass City was ticketed

for having no operator's

license on his person. He paid

Decker in Reese was ticketed

for passing on the right side.

He paid fines and costs of \$25.

in Cass City was ticketed for

having no operator's license

in her possession. She paid

fines and costs of \$6.
Rinerd Knoblet of Cass City

in Cass City was ticketed for

speeding 35 mph in a 25 mph

zone. He paid fines and costs

Diane Cunningham of Caro in Cass City was ticketed for

failing to yield the right of

way. She paid fines and costs

Kenneth Joseph Miller of Cass City in Cass City was

ticketed for speeding 40 mph in a 25 mph zone. He paid

Franklin Blake Holcomb of

Deford in Cass City was ticketed for unnecessary noise (mufflers). He paid

Louise Helen Torres of Cass

City in Cass City was ticketed

for failing to change the

fines and costs of \$30.

fines and costs of \$15.

Karen Fischer of Cass City

Patrick James Haves of

fines and costs of \$6.

Neal James Compo of Cass

fines and costs of \$20.

costs of \$50.



ZONTA REPRESENTATIVE Marie Roch (left) presents a \$100 check for Rawson Memorial Library Friday. Accepting the check is Esther McCullough, president of the library board.

## Power line starts grass fire Monday

A grass fire, started by a the power line, setting off the fallen high-power line, scorched several hundred feet along the east side of Grassmere Road just south of the Huron-Tuscola county line

around 11:30 a.m. Monday. Elkland Township Fire Chief Jim Jezewski said the fire started when County Road Commission crews cutting brush along the roadside felled a tree that tore down

address on her driver's li-

Russell Delbert Healey of

Cass City in Cass City was

ticketed for speeding 47 mph

in a 35 mph zone. He paid

Dennis Kessler of Cass City

in Cass City was ticketed for

driving with an open alcoholic

beverage container in his car.

Arraign 4 in

**Circuit Court** 

He paid a \$15 fine and \$20

uley Monday in Tuscola County Circuit Court.

, James Fogle, 17, Vassar,

was arraigned on charges of

breaking and entering and

larceny in a building. He

stood mute and a plea of

behalf. Pre-trial examination

was set for June 16, and bond

Fogle is accused of stealing

Juniata township April 8. Larry Shirl Putnam, 18,

Mayville, was arraigned on charges of breaking and

of \$500 was continued.

fines and costs of \$30.

**NEWS FROM** 

**District Court** 

costs of \$6

costs.

blaze. No one was injured. Detroit

Edison crews arrived at the scene around noon to repair the line. No dollar loss was available. Elkland township firemen

assisted Caro firemen in extinguishing a blaze that did an estimated \$5,000 damage to a mobile home owned by Charles Smith early Monday morning. Jezewski said a water wagon was sent to the scene around 4:30 a.m.

The fire originated in the kitchen. Cause was not determined and neither Smith nor Dan Rivet, who was living with him, were injured.

BARN FIRES

A Thursday fire leveled a cense. She paid fines and barn on the Floyd Fritz farm, located on Gagetown Road, about two-and-a-half miles southeast of Owendale.

According to Robert Kolander of the Owendale Fire Department, the blaze started in the upper portion of the barn and was burning out of control by the time firemen arrived.

Kolander said faulty elec-

trical wiring is suspected as the cause. Loss was set at \$20,000.

He said Fritz's children were able to help their father save about 25 head of cattle from the structure. Some milking equipment was reported lost in the blaze.

A second fire destroyed a barn and damaged a home when flames broke out at a vacant home on Trumble Road, about a mile north of Gagetown, Wednesday, May

The property is owned by Edward Gawrelak.

Arson is suspected in the blaze which reportedly began in the barn and spread to the

No damage estimate was available. Owendale firemen responded to the alarm at

## Carolyn Smith named top

secretary

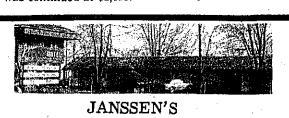
Carolyn Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith of 3388 E. Cass City Road, has been named "Secretary of the Year" by members of the Vocational Office Block at Cass City High School.



**CAROLYN SMITH** 

Miss Smith, a senior, is a co-op secretary for Bill Wallace of Armca.

She was chosen for exemplifying qualities of leadership, personality, knowledge on the job, neatness of work and self, skills developed for the job, tactfulness with other workers, efficiency on the job and accuracy of work.



#### M-81 MOTEL

1 mile west of Cass City

• MODERATE RATES **◆ CLEAN COMFORTABLE ROOMS** 

**Your Hosts** Gene & Veda Otulakowski

PHONE 517-872-3345

Anerican Greetings GREAT GRAD GIFTS THEY ALL COST LESS AT WOOD'S NEWEST JEWELRY FASHION GREAT GIFTS \$1.00 to \$25.00 14 CARAT EARRINGS FOR EAR PIERCING DONE FREE MEN'S JEWELRY (1) LOCKETS AND MUCH MORE LARGEST SELECTION IN THUMB TIMEX WATCHES SEVERAL NEW DISPLAYS INCLUDING QUARTZ CRYSTAL Reduced from

**ELECTRICS** 

Men's-Women's

**ELECTRIC** 

Discount

Priced

BANKAMERICARD

\$80.00

RAZORS (

HAIR **STYLERS** and **DRYERS** ALL MODELS

IN STOCK

#### 8-TRACK TAPE and LP RECORDS

NEW STOCK ARRIVING EACH WEEK

Specials and Discount Prices now at Wood's

**CAMERA GIFTS KEEPON GIVING** SEE THE LATEST



**POLAROIDS** 

**CAMERAS** PRICED RIGHT

MAKE OLD WOOD YOUR ONE STOP SHOPPING CENTER FOR GIFTS AND FOR YOU

Guardians of your health Cass City "On the Corner"

HEATING & COOLING

**KELLY & SONS** 

Residential and Mobile Home Heating & Cooling

Compare our free estimates on new heating systems

24 hour EMERGENCY service

**Guild plans** 

St. Michael

events

meeting May 14.

Plans were made for a graduation breakfast for the seniors of the parish June 1; a bake sale in June at the 'Kingston school; a Father and Son breakfast June 22 and

a Queensway style show in Elections were held May 4. Marlene Powell was elected vice-president, replacing Mary Ann Megge, and Vir-ginia Bilicki, corresponding secretary, replacing Nursie

The quilt is finished and the Guild is selling tickets. It is a Double Wedding pattern and Mrs. Peter Tupion and her group did much of the work. After the meeting, pie and coffee were served by Catherine Somerville, Rose Ann Wolfrum and Nursie Kloc.

Four persons were ar- entering and larceny in a raigned in five separate cases building. He stood mute and a before Judge Norman Bagplea of innocent was entered in his behalf. Pre-trial examination was set for June 16, and bond was reduced to \$500.

He is accused of stealing a revolver from an Indianfields township home Feb. 21. Putnam was also arraigned

on charges of uttering and publishing (writing a bad innocent was entered in his check). He stood mute and a plea of innocent was entered in his behalf. Pre-trial exama stereo from a residence in ination was set for June 16, and bond was reduced to \$500. Herbert M. Kraft, 72, no

'address given, was arraigned on a charge of indecent liberties. He stood mute and a plea of innocent was entered in his behalf. Pre-trial examination was set for June 16, and bond was continued 'at

Larry Fischer, no age or address given, was arraigned on charges of breaking and entering. He stood mute and a plea of innocent was entered in his behalf.

Fischer was remanded to the Forensic Center in Jackson where he will be examined before standing trial. St. Michael's Ladies Guild Pre-trial examination was of Wilmot held its monthly continued without date and bond was continued at \$2,000.



# Picnic Packin' Values! CASS CITY IGA FOODLINER

**OPEN Thursday & Friday till 9:00** 

DAILY till 6:00

PRICES GOOD NOW thru SAT., MAY 24, 1975

BEER & WINE TO TAKE OUT

NOTE: Not responsible for errors made in Printing. QUANTITY RIGHTS RESERVED



IGA HOT DOG or HAMBURGER BUNS

8-ct. Pkgs.

TABLERITE

FOR YOUR

**EATING**:

PLEASURE!

FAME FAME

5-lb. Can

WATER ADDED IN PROCESSING

FAME **SKINLESS** WEINERS

1-lb. Pkg.

IGA-TableRite **COUNTRY STYLE** 

SPARE RIBS

Hygrade 'Great for Grilling'

**BALL PARK** FRANKS (

1-lb. Pkg.

IGA ECONOMY...

**BONELESS BEEF** 

**CHUCK ROAST** 

Fresh 'Frozen' **TURBOT** 

FILLETS '

Oven Fresh SANDWICH BREAD 11/2-lb. Loaf 4.9° Castle PUMPERNICKLE BREAD 1-16. Louf 4.9

NABISCO RITZ CRACKERS Pkg. 65¢

DON'T DELAY... 1 WEEK BEFORE **BLAST-OFF!** 



YOU CAN EARN ... 1000 BONUS VOTES!

Tamous for Duality

FAME 9-INCH PAPER PLATES

100ct.

FAME •White •Assorted

JUMBO **TOWELS** 

**CAKE MIXES** •LEMON •WHITE •YELLOW •SPICE

> •DEVIL'S FOOD •DARK CHOCOLATE 19-oz.

Box

REMEMBERS

YOU WITH

GRADUATION

NEEDS!

ORDER NOW!

FAME POP 9 Flavors -or-SHASTA DET 6 Flavors

net 12-oz. Cans

CHICKEN OF THE SEA CHUNK LIGHT TUNA

net 6½-oz.Can 🌶

Van Camp's PORK & **BEANS** 31-oz. Can

DEL MONTE **TOMATO JUICE** 

46-oz. Can

net 11-oz. CAN MENTHOL or REGULAR **FAME SHAVE CREAM** 

1 PKG. OVEN FRESH **NUTTY DONUTS or STICKS** 18-INCH ROLL

REYNOLD'S HEAVY DUTY FOIL

ANDY CAPP • FRENCH FRIES •CHEDDAR FRIES •PIZZA POPPERS •Grape •Punch •Cherry •Lemonade

23-oz. CAN FUNNY FACE net 6-oz. PKG.

PASS AROUND CRACKER JACK LIME, ORANGE or RAINBOW

1/2-Gal. Ctn. BORDEN SHERBET American, Pimento, Swiss or Old English

BONUS VOTES 8-oz. Pkg. Kraft Deluxe Cheese Slices Each GERANIUM PLANT

BONUS VOTES SALAMI & BOLOGNA BALL PARK TWIN PAC

For All Your Needs this Summer!

BONUS

100



24 Size Stalk.

VINE RIPE **TOMATOES** 

LONG GREEN ... CRISP

**CUCUMBERS** FOR HOLIDAY SALADS!

MR. IGA'S GARDEN CENTER with a Wide Variety of Selected **Bedding Plants for Your Garden** 

Vegetable Marigolds Pansies •Petunias Tomatoes

Peppers

·Shrubs ·Shade Trees Dwarf Fruit Trees



GOGD

GOIN'

CLASS OF

1975

BANQUET 'FROZEN' CHICKEN

2-lb. Pkg.

McDonald's 'TWIN' POP STIX

FAME 'Frozen' LEMONADE

**ASSORTED FLAVORS** 

net 12-oz. CANS FAME 'Frozen'

SLICED **STRAWBERRIES** 

> net 10-oz. PKGS.



FAME 'CREAMY' COTTAGE **CHEESE** 

Large or Small Curd 1-lb. Ctn.

JNR GRADE 'A' **MEDIUM** 

**EGGS** DEAN'S

CHIP DIP net •French Onion •Garlic 8-oz. Bacon Horseradish

KRAFT 'MIDGET' LONGHORN CHEESE 1-lb. Pkg.

Michigan Brand Bulk Salads For Your

Order Now from Mr. IGA

PARTIES OF PICNIC OUTINGS.

**SECRET** REGULAR net 13-oz. Can SAVE 20c 40c OFF Label ANTI- PERSPIRANT net 14-oz. Can SAVE 30c 40¢ OFF Label **POLAROID 108** 

> Color Film SAVE \$1.00 EACH

IGA FOODLINER

TOOTHPASTE net 6.4 oz Limit One Coupon per Family Coupon Expires May 24, 1975

GA FOODLINER OPEN PIT •Reg. •Onion WITH COUPON

BAR-B-CUE OPEN PIL SAUCE 18-02, Bil. Limit One Coupon per Family Coupon Expires May 24, 1975 With this Coupon & \$7.00 Purchas

IGA FOODLINER

COFFEE SO69 •Reg. •Drip 3-lb. Can Limit One Coupen per Family Coupen Expires May 24, 1975 With this Coupen & \$7.00 Purchas

SAVE

YOU

YOU

YOU

SAVE

#### Your neighbor says

## Memorial Day is special

Once again Memorial Day is nearly here. Officially, celebrated Monday, May 26, the day is set aside to honor America's war dead. For Mrs. Clark Boylan,

Memorial Day carries a special meaning.

"I was born during the First World War and lived through the Second World War, Korea and Vietnam," she says. "I think it's important to take time to remember those men and that we set aside a day for it.

"But don't take that as a sign that I supported every one of those conflicts," she

She says Memorial Day for her and her husband generally involves taking in the annual parade in Cass City, followed by a day of relaxation, including a cookout if the weather is agreeable.

Mrs. Boylan was born in Detroit. She and her husband, vice-president in charge of sales at Walbro Corp., have lived in Cass City the last 15

They have three children and eight grandchildren.



#### Hills and Dales Hospital to sponsor prenatal classes

Hills and Dales General anatomy-fetal growth and Hospital will sponsor a series development; body changes of eight prenatal classes for in the expectant mother; expectant mothers, beginning Tuesday, June 3, at 7:00 p.m., at the hospital.

Classes will be held every other Tuesday. Any woman who is six months pregnant or less is encouraged to attend. Topics to be discussed include male and female

WED - TUES. MAY 21-27 ONE WEEK



nutrition and hygiene; breathing and relaxation in preparation for childbearing; labor and delivery; tour of the maternity department; care of newborn and mother, and family planning and contra-

Any woman planning to attend these classes is urged to bring her husband, relative or friend who can give her support and encouragement at home and during her labor.

Classes will be presented with lectures, demonstrations, informal discussion and a variety of visual aides. Class instructor will be Mrs. Jean VanBuren, R.N. A fee of \$10.00 will cover cost of materials for the eight

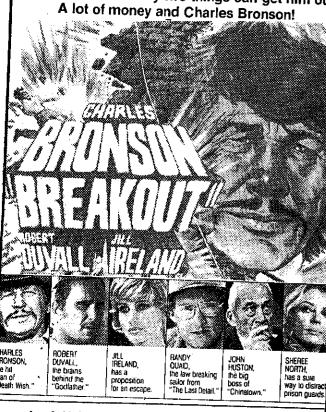
To pre-register or for more information, call Mrs. Janet Sticken, R.N., between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

#### CARO DRIVE-IN Phone: 673-2722

This Program showing for One Full Week! Thumb Premiere!

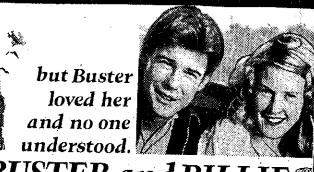
Wednesday thru Tuesday May 21-27 Our DeLuxe Holiday Program.....2 Wonderful Hits!

Sentenced to 28 years in prison for a crime he never committed. Only two things can get him out-



And this Outstanding Co-Feature!

"Has the same kind of power as 'Walking Tall." -Paul D. Zimmerman, Nowsweek



BUSTER and BILLIE® COLUMBIA PICTURES A DIVISION OF COLUMBIA PICTURES INDUSTRIES INC.

SORRY...No 2 for 1 Monday Guest Night this week.

## Holbrook Area News

The Euchre Club will meet Saturday evening, May 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff

WEDDING RECEPTION

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol attended the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. John Nicol at Pigeon VFW Hall Saturday evening. Miss Gail Sebald of Essexville and John Nicol, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Nicol, were married at St. Pancratius Catholic church in Cass City Saturday.

#### FARM BUREAU

The Young Ideas Farm Bureau group met Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas. The discussion was led by Vern Krug. After the meeting, cards were played. High prizes were won by Mrs. Vern Krug and Clarence Heleski. Low prizes were won by Mrs. Stanley Heleski and Ray Depcinski.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heleski.

The hostess served a lunch. +++++

Mrs. Glen Shagena attended a party Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Roger Champagne in Ubly.

Mrs. Henry Sofka visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk Saturday afternoon.

Ruth Hewitt and Becky Robinson attended the Junior-Senior Banquet at Ubly High School Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Kippen of Port Huron were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright,

Mrs. Dave Sweeney visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer Thursday evening.

Mrs. W.J. Campbell and Billy and Bud Spencer of Owosso were Mother's Day dinner guests of Sara Campbell and Clayton and Harry

### Tuscola gets snowmobile safety refund

Tuscola county will receive \$564,84 as reimbursement for its snowmobile safety program from the Department of Natural Resources, according to Howard A. Tanner,

DNR director. The refund equals threefourths of the authorized expenditure on the program, and covers' calendar year

STRAND - CARO

Why wait months to see the Best Picture of the Year?

Now Showing...thru Thursday, May 29th Admission for this attraction-adults\$2.00 Sunday: Doors open @ 3:00 Feature will start at 3:50 and 8:00 only!! ALL Other Times: Once each Night @8:00 sharp



#### **BEST PICTURE**

**Best Director** - Francis Ford Coppola Best Screenplay Adapted From Another Medium incis Ford Coppela and Mario Puzo

**Best Supporting Actor** —Robert DeNiro



Mrs. Don Jackson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family. Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer visited Mrs. Jerry Decker Fri-

day morning. Mrs. Jack Glaza of Ubly and Mrs. Henry Sofka visited Lucas Priemer at Helena.

Mrs. Hubert Hundersmarck was a Sunday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk. Curt Puszykowski of Saginaw is spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and

Katha Cleland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleland and family in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell, Jim and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Becky, Shirley Ross, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Ruth attended the band concert at Ubly High School Thursday evening.

Mrs. Kenneth Campbell of St. Helen was a Monday guest of Sara Campbell and Clayton and Harry Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. and family of Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and Debbie were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson. Mrs. David Hacker, Denise

and Chris were Wednesday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk. Jeannie Purdy of Port Huron spent the week end

with Mr. and Mrs. Burton

Berridge and sons. Mr. and Mrs. George Daggett of Port Huron and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland spent the week end at Mikado.

Mrs. Dan Guigar Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and Kathy and Curt Puszykowski were Sunday dinner guests of ,Mr. and Mrs. Joe Guigar at Caseville in honor of Debbie and Bobbie Guigar's first

Holy Communion. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wright of Mt. Morris, Mrs. Myrtle McColl, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jaus of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nicol were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena and Murill Shagena were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shag-

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Puszykowski of Bay City were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family.

Mrs. Manly Fay Sr. was a Sunday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord La-

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge attended a confirmation dinner for Kim Berridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge Jr. and family at Washington Sun-

REMEMBER: Monday is 2 for 1 night at this Theatre. 2 Adults for the price



**Best Art Direction-Set Decoration Best Original Dramatic Score** 



Mr. and Mrs. Duane Nicol of Webberville were Saturday. guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland

Nicol. Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Holm of Cass City were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Dorothy Dove and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Wirgau of Hawks spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski and family and Saturday attended the wedding of Karen Depeinski and Randy\_Rutkowski,---

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Becky, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey and Kevin were among a group who attended the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rutkowski at Ubly Fox Hunters' Hall in Ubly Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski attended the confirmation of Randy Black at St. Joseph Catholic church Monday evening where Allen was a sponsor for Randy.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland, Mrs. Jim Doerr, Wendy and Amy and Beth Cleland attended the RLDS church Mother-Daughter banquet at the Shabbona RLDS church Friday eve-

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson and family of Cass City were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Becky. Karen Bensinger was a

Friday overnight guest of Ruth Hewitt, Mrs. Dave Sweeney visited

Mrs. Hazel Henderson Mon-

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morell, Kennie Bukowski, Charlene Morell and Mike Dreger and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manly

Charlie Brown received word of the birth of a greatgrandson, Brandon Dale Ricketts, April 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ricketts of Lapeer. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hubell of Flint.

Mrs. Clayton Karr and daughters, Mrs. August Lindquest, Kelly and Tracy, Mrs. Jim Hewitt, Ruth and Lori and Shirley Ross attended the Mother-Daughter banquet Monday evening at the Free Methodist church in Bad Axe. Marilyn Taylor of Caro was the guest speaker.

Dale Cleland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Chippi of Cass City were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Murill Shag-

ena and Mary were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin John-

NOTICE

Pursuant to the resolution of the Village Council dated April 29, 1975, notice is hereby given that a petition from the Village Council for the enlargement of the Village of Cass City village limits will be presented to the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners at their regular meeting on Tuesday, June 10, 1975, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. at the Commissioners Room of the Tuscola County Building in Caro, Michigan. Any persons interested in said petition, or who wish to object thereto, may appear before the Board of Commissioners at that time. The description of the property proposed to be annexed to the Village is as follows:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 28, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, Elkland Township, Tuscola County, Michigan, thence S 0°25'10" East along the East line of said Section 28, 1,417.56 feet to the point of beginning; thence N 89\*53\*06" West 222.75 feet; thence N 0\*25\*10" West 115.50 feet; thence N 89°53'06" West 77.20 feet; thence S 0°25'10" East 27.5 feet; thence N 89°47'2" West 1,015.5 feet; thence S 0°25'10" East 1,129.3 feel; thence S 89°53'06" East 1,117,45 feet; thence N 0°25'10" West 626.0 feet, thence S 89°53'06" East 198.0 feel; thence N 0°25'10" West 413.50 feet to the point of beginning. Being part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 28. Town 14 North, Range 11 East and containing 30.83 acres of land.

A piece of land commencing at the southeast corner of the Northeast quarter (NE1/4) of Section 38, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, Elkland Town-Tuscola County, Michigan. running thence West 260.0 feet to the point of beginning, thence North 165 feet, thence West 1,060 feet, thence South 165 feet, thence East 1,060 feet to the point of beginning. Being part of the Northeast quarter, Section 28, Town 14 North, Range 11 East and containing 4,00 acres of land.

Dated: May 14, 1975. Karen Osentoski

Phone OL 8-3092 son of Bad Axe and Mr. and

Mrs. David Hacker and fam-Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart of Vassar were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge and sons.

Mrs. Earl Schenk were Fri-

day evening guests of Mr. and

Beth Ann Cleland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family. Steve Scott of Memphis was a Saturday guest of Mr. and

Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family. Mr. and Mrs. Don Tracy and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Sara Campbell and Clayton and Harry Edwards were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stahl and family at Caseville in honor of Michele Stahl's 8th birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold La-

peer spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hardy at their cottage at Hardwood Mr. and Mrs. Ed Glaza of

Ubly and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka spent Sunday at Hill-

Mrs. Vader,

85, dies

#### Thursday

Mrs. Lovina Vader, 85, a lifelong resident of the Cass City area, died Thursday at Provincial House following a long illness.

She was born Feb. 13, 1890, in Akron township, daughter of the late Israel and Lydia Wideman Dettweiler.

She married Forrest Vader, Sept. 8, 1909, in Elmwood lownship. He died Jan. 17, Mrs. Vader was one of the

original and a lifelong member of the Colwood United Brethren In Christ Church. She is survived by one son, Elden of Grand Rapids; one daughter, Mrs. Phillip (Lucille) Olsowy of Cass City; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Lloyd Wilson of

Flushing. Two sisters and one

brother

preceded her death. Funeral services were held Monday at Colwood United Brethren in Christ Church, with Rev. Paul Lehner, of the Harrison United Brethren In Christ Church, and Rev. Roger Burke, pastor of the Colwood church, officiating. Burial was in Caro ceme-

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk were evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mrs. Thelma Jackson

Charlie Brown returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hubell at Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marchand and Joe at Drayton Plains.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mrs. Frank Laming Thursday. Mrs. Laming came home Wednesday after spending a week in Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City,

Mrs. Tom-Collins and family of Allegan spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Murill Shag-

ena and Mary were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena and Sherry at Unionville. Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family were Sunday

afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morell, Mrs. Don Tracy and Mike Morningstar were Monday lunch guests of Mrs. Gaylord

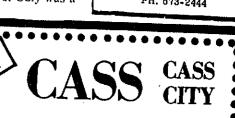
Floyd Zulauf of Ubly was a

Tuesday evening guest and Jack Ross of Ubly was a Wednesday evening guest of

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Speer and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Marchand of Drayton Plains spent the week end with

Charlie Brown. Theresa and Elizabeth Cotter of Romeo were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Berridge and Amie.





FRIDAY thru THURSDAY

MAY 23-24-25-26-27-28-29 Fri-Sat-Sun 7:30 & 9:30 Week Nites 8:00 ONLY Exclusive Thumb Area Showing! Mel Brook's Funniest Hit!



COMING FRIDAY, MAY 30th

"The Towering Inferno"

for gas economy . . . low purchase

FOR A LIMITED TIME ONLY.

price . . . and the highest resale value

Better talk to your Dodge Dealer now,

'cause rebates on Darts won't go on

forever. He'll show you how to make

your tax rebates go a long way. And

how to get \$200 back from Chrysler

retail customers only, at participating

Corporation. There's a limit of one

So if anybody says you can't get

\$200 cash back on a new car...

tell 'em to go to Dodge.

cash rebate offer to a customer ...

If anybody says you can't get \$200 cash back on a new car... TELL'EM TO GO TO DODGE!

in its class.

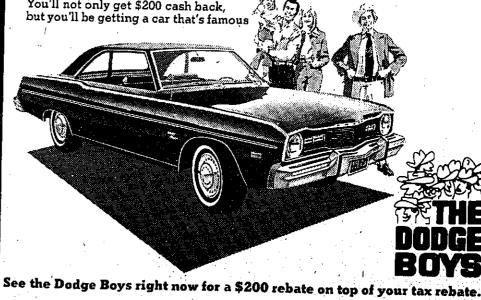
Dodge Dealers!

FROM CHRYSLER CORPORATION. Who says the rebates are over?

Right now, you can get \$200 back on a '75 Dodge Dart when you buy or lease from inventory, \$200 mailed direct from Chrysler Corporation ... after you've made your best deal. NOW'S THE BEST TIME TO

BUY A DART. What a time to get a rebate on a Dart. Millions of tax rebate checks. of up to \$200, are already on their way from Washington. You don't have to wait to put your tax rebate down on a Dart. Right now, you can get cash

back from Dodge. DART MEANS VALUE. You'll not only get \$200 cash back,



Dodge &

RABIDEAU MOTORS, 6513 Main St., Cass City

#### LAST BEN\*FRANKLIN 3 DAYS! **ENDS HURRY FOR SAVINGS** SATURDAY



Stay-fresh aluminum pan with snap-on styrene cover that locks for easy carrying, storing, 13-1/8x 91/2 x2-7/8-in.

bossed placemats in solid colors and pretOVENMITT & Special price

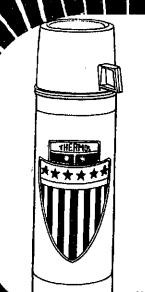
Quilted cotton print covers. 7x7-in. pot holder and 10½-in. mitt.





Good only at BEN FRANKLIN VALUABLE COUPON 11-02. NOXZEMA SHAVE CREAM

LIMIT 2 With Coupon MEDICATED SHAVE CONCEN CONCENTRATED \$1.29 each without coupe



Homecrest

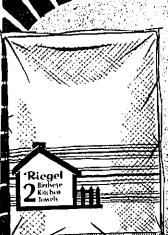
HOUSE PAINT

1-Qt. Vacuum BOTTLE

Strong steel case with the famous Thermos® insulation for keeping drinks hot or cold. Only

Homecrest®

HOUSE



OLORFU

SPRAY

ENAMEL

fast dry

Birdseve DISH

Pretty and practical flat woven dish towels. 20x30-in. size.

Kolorful

·To do the job quick

ree paint comes in 🚜

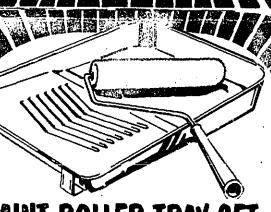
rainbow colors. Big

123/4-oz/size.

Saving price

Large 52x84-in. size

with barbeque prints on checks pattern. Vinyl...wipes clean with a damp cloth.



PAINT ROLLER TRAY SET

Big 9-in. pile fabric roller does the job quickly. Tray has metal ladder clips for



Court

Imported from England, Court brand yellow balls ... wool and nylon covered.

Homecrest®

Fine quality exterior paint covers wood.

brick, concrete, almost any surface with

no special primer. Dries in an hour, easy

clean up with soap and water. Gallon size



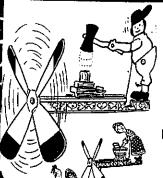
PAINT

Covers almost anything, plaster, brick, wallpaper, primed metal, painted surfaces. Dries in one hour. Soap and water clean up.



and 2-in. brushes. Plastic handles. Our low price





Choose from 3 weathvane styles, all high impact styrene. Lumberjack, Washer Woman or Rooster. Each has 1314-in.

SEE SECTION III, PAGE 4

SPECIAL SECTION FOR DETAILS



Big 14-in. square end size to get the job done quickly. Rugged palmyra bristles.

Court

10x13-3/4-ln.

Serve-a-snack trays are durable plastic for long use. Sections for food, cup and relishes.

Solid state makes for excellent sound. Complete with earphones, 9-volt battery, carrying strap.



SILVER ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL OFFER



PLANTS ALL AT BEN FRANKLIN LOW PRICES

**\*FRANK** 



STRAW TOTES

Cass City

Where everything you buy is guaranteed



GENERAL REVENUE SHARING PLANNED USE REPORT General Revenue Sharing provides federal funds directly to local and state governments. This report of your government's plan is published to encourage citizen participation in determining your government's decision on how the money will be spent. Note: Any complaints of

	LANNED EXPENDIT	., D.C. 20226.	OF ELKLAND TOWNSHIP
	7	IC) OPERATING /	ANTICIPATING A GENERAL REVENUE \$13,718
(A) CATEGORIES	(B) CAPITAL	MAINTENANCE	FOR THE SIXTH ENTITLEMENT PERIOD, JULY 1, 1975 THROUGH JUNE 30.
1 PUBLIC SAFETY	s	s	1976, PLANS TO SPEND THESE FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSES SHOWN.  ACCOUNT NO. 29 3 079 007
2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	s	s	ELKLAND TOWNSHIP 169
PUBLIC	\$ 0,210.	\$	THP SUPERVISOR TUSCOLA COUNTY
4 HEALTH	\$2,200.	\$	CASS CITY MICH 48726
RECREATION	\$	\$	
LIBRARIES	\$ 1, 11	s	]
SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	s	s	Mark Collins of Miller Collins Name (1871)
FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT	\$		(D) Submit proposals for funding consideration by C35:
EDUCATION	s		to Zivin Korn. A copy of this report, and supporting documents are open for public scrutny.
SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	s		a MOST Manyited Jeine, 1 11. Hotel
HOUSING & COM- MUNITY DEVELOPMENT	s		(E) ASSURANCES (Refer to instruction E) I essure the Secretary of the Treasury that the non-discrimination and other statutory requirements, listed in Part E of
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	s		the instructions accompanying this report will be complied with by this recipient government with respect to the entitlement funds reported hereon
OTHER (Specify)	s		V Edwar S. Karr
TOTALS	\$3,000°	5	Elwin S. Form, Compressor To The Press Prot

Advertise it in the Chronicle.

Woodsman

Custom colors

slightly more

Hides like PAINT! Protects like

STAIN! Forest-fresh colors for

smooth or rough-cut siding,

wood shingles, shakes, etc.

WOODSMAN wakes up weary wood with colors that

stay fresh. Fights fading, blistering and peeling years

longer than oil stain. Goes on latex-easy, High hiding.

Produces a velvety-flat finish over wood siding, shingles,

shakes, fences, plywood; even paneling. Dries fast. Soapy

water cleanup. Choose from 21 rustic colors including

NATION-WIDE SALE

BETTER HEALTH

#### Dizzy spells causes and remedies

BY DR. WILLIAM J. WELCH

There are few more frightening experiences than suddenly to lose your balance, to find the walls spinning around you and the floor coming up to bash you in the face. If at the same time you are overwhelmed by a wave of nausea, you would have to be

suade yourself that something terrible is not going on. Fortunately, what is happening is rarely the catastrophe it seems to be. More than 85 per cent of such spells take their

NEW!

GAL.

NON-DRIP

SAT-N-HUE

CHOOSE FROM 48

**DECORATOR COLORS** 

SAT-N-HUE makes painting a

"snap". Thick, creamy rich formula

spreads on smoothly. Dries fast without lap marks. No dripping, No

messy thinner, High hiding.

AS ADVERTISED IN

"HOUSE & GARDEN"

MAGAZINE

See Our 1975 House & Garden Colors.

Scrubbable.

Custom colors

slightly more

Washes like ENAMEL!

E-Z KARE is perfect for walls, ceilings and

woodwork in every room. It's smooth,

enamel-hard finish resists stains, soiling,

fingermarks. Even scrubbing and scouring

won't harm its velvet finish. Easy to apply.

Dries fast, Soapy water cleanup. Brite pure

white. Hundreds of custom colors available.

origin in a transient disorder of the balancing apparatus in the inner ear. Only about 15 per cent of such episodes are due to some trouble in the brain or the nerves that run from the ears to the brain. Such attacks are not --

properly speaking -- "dizzy" a chronic optimist to perspells or attacks of light-headedness. They are true "vertigo," which means that there is a loss of an accurate perception of one's orientation in space, very much like the sensation that children produce when they turn rap-

MAY 21st TO 31st

FLAT ENAMEL

Won't "shine-up" when washed!

SAT-N-HUE

FLAT INTERIOR LATER

idly in a tight circle and then stop abruptly in a joyful delirium of staggering and

Deep in the middle ear are situated the so-called semicircular canals, also called labyrinths, which, like a series of self-adjusting carpenter's lovels, connect with the nervous system and synchronize with the eyes to make possible man's miraculous capacity to stay upright, to balance himself and even to perform such complex prodigies of controlled mobility as walking a tight-

Trouble in the inner ear,

It is sometimes due to side effect of certain antibi-

Anemia, in which there is a vertigo.

come on with sudden motion device of avoiding sudden changes in the position of the

kind I have described and simple dizzy spells usually are transient and easily managed, they should be carefully evaluated by your doctor. who often will seek help from an ear specialist to rule out the occasional serious cause

Save on Your Auto

Call for a quote 872-3615

Doerr Ins.

6440 Huron - Cass City

#### Gage town

Mrs. Harold Koch

665-2536

GIRL SCOUTS

The Junior Girl Scout troop 711, under the leadership of Mrs. Randy Rayl and Sandra Ziehm, finished the year's activities with a hike to the Dick Ziehm farm Wednesday, May 14. After the hike, the girls cooked their meal on an

All Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and Girl Scouts in the Owendale-Gagetown area are -urged to participate in the Grant Cemetery Memorial Day service Sunday afternoon, May 25, beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch were in Frankenmuth Tuesday evening to pay their respects to the family of Mrs. Anna Keinath at the Zurker Funeral Home.

Helen and Edward Kuechenmeister of Mount Clemens

#### Mrs. Root to head CF drive in Gagetown

Mrs. Phillis Root of Gagetown has been named local chairman of the 1975 Breath of Life Campaign to fight children's lung diseases. She will lead local volunteers in raising funds to support the research and care for children suffering from Cystic Fibrosis, severe asthma, bronchitis and other lungdamaging diseases.

The campaign is sponsored by the Greater Michigan Chapter of the National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foun-

called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch Saturday afternoon. The Owen-Gage Jr. and Sr. Prom was held Saturday

evening with the banquet at the Gagetown gym and the dance following at the Owendale gym.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sbresney Jr. and family attended the confirmation of Cindy Elston at Immanuel Lutheran church Sunday morning and later they were dinner and supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elston of Sebewaing.

#### School Menu

MAY 27 - 30

TUESDAY

Hot Dog & Bun Potato Chips Fruit White Milk Cherry Cake

WEDNESDAY

Spaghetti & Meat Cheese Slices Bread-butter Peach Slices White Milk Cookie

THURSDAY

Chicken in Gravy Mashed Potatoes **Buttered Beans** Bread-butter White Milk Banana

FRIDAY

Barbecue on Bun Potato Chips Buttered Corn White Milk Cookie

Menu subject to change.

#### Top April DHIA herds told

	No. of Cows	% Cow Days in mill		Lbs, Milk	Daily B'Fat
1. Ronald Hampshire	44	98	4,24	45,0	1.91
2. Clare L. Smith	67	99	4.34	43.6	1,90
3. Blaylock & Ruppr	echt 36	86	3.83	48.5	1.86
4. Sergent Brothers	43	91	4.05	45.3	1.84
5. Loomis Brothers	67	94	4.36	41.4	1.81
6. Henry Hohman	29	97	3,95	45.4	1.79
7. Ronald Opperman	102	84	4.19	42.3	1.77
8. Arnold Schiefer	48	85	3,91	44.6	1.75
9. Lloyd Walz	40	95	3.90	44.2	1.73
0. Leon Keinath	78	85	4.25	37.4	1.59
DHIA ROLLING HER	D AVER	AGES (	Above	500 Lbs	B.F.)

			•		•	-,
1.	Lloyd Walz	44	91	3,84	16765	643
2,	Clare L. Smith	60	88	4.09	15443	632
3.	Blaylock & Rupprecht	38	88	3,73	16054	594
4.	Keinath Brothers.	70	90	3,56	16581	590
5.	Leon Keinath	79	87	4.00	14733	589
6.	Sergent Brothers	42	88	3.79	15526	588
7.	Ronald Opperman	98	88	3.81	15256	581
8.	Arnold Schiefer	49	86	3,80	14958	569
9.	Loomis Brothers	66	87	3.90	14359	560
10.	Ronald Hampshire	47	91	3.90	14307	558
11.	Henry Hohman	31	88	3.66	14923	546
12,	Donald Doerr	68	93	3,68	14596	537
13,	George McMullen	46	83	3,89	13712	534
14.	Walter Jackson	29	92	4.64	11382	528



We Accept All PRE-PAID PRESCRIPTION PLANS BANKAMERICARD (FREE PARKING IN.THE REAR)

**COACH LIGHT PHARMACY** 

Emergency Ph., 872-3283.

Pf. 872 3613

rope or dancing a ballet.

We take our capacity to move freely and safely in space so much for granted that we tend to forget how truly mysterious and complex an endeavor it is to stepsecurely and to stand stead-

with loss of balance, overwhelming nausea and sometimes partial deafness or roaring in the ear, can be caused by a multitude of disorders, but more often than not, it can be relieved by clearing up an infection in the upper respiratory tract, or removing a plug of wax from the canal leading to the ear

motion sickness or abrupt changes in the atmospheric pressure. It may come on as a result of too much alcohol, the otics, or sedatives.

low blood count due to lack of hemoglobin, the essential oxygen-carrying ingredient in the red blood cells, can sometimes cause a feeling of faintness, but rarely true

Blood pressure which drops abruptly in the upright position can also cause a feeling of faintness.

A common complaint of those who experience true vertigo is that an attack may of the head to one side or up or down. Often, they learn to prevent attacks by the simple

There are helpful remedies for warding off and clearing up vertigo and nausea. Dramamine, the well known seasickness pill, or its cousin, bonine, often taken together with nicotinic acid, can make life bearable through an acute attack caused by a disordered labyrinth.

Even though vertigo of the of such attacks.

Do you have an ulcer? Send for the most informative booklet, "Living With a Peptic Ulcer." Mail 25 cents and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to Dr. William J. Welch, Box 4994, Dept. CCC Des Moines, Iowa 50306.

DECORATING BOOKLET <u>Insurance</u>

**{10% 20% 30%** 

With a Michigan Mutual Auto-Gard Policy.

Also, cut those big premium payments down to size with our 10 pay plan.

Agency

OUR VERY FINEST LATEXHOUSE PAINT 128 St. OZ. (1 Gallon) Exterior

RESISTS WEATHER, SMOG,

INTERIOR

An excellent value! One coat

covers most surfaces. Fully

washable. White & Colors.

**Custom colors** 

**BLISTERING & STAINS!** 

SOLID COLDA

LATEX STAIN

white. Stop in and see them now.

ACRYLIC LATEX

HOUSE PAINT

Custom colors

slightly more

water cleanup. For wood, stucco, concrete, etc.



Factory-To-You Savings On Our Finest Quality Tru-Test Paints!

LATEX FLAT ENAMEL

Looks like FLAT!

SOLID COLOR E-Z KARE

Choose From 24 "JAMESTOWN COLORS" and White



TRU TES

PLAT WALL FINISH

CHARGE

CARD

Unique oil-emulsion formula gives tough, weather resistant protection of an oil paint . . . yet, it's as easy to use as latex! Spreads on with a "buttery" slip that makes house painting easy. Dries bug-free in minutes. High hiding. Goes on even over damp surfaces. Soapy



SEMI-GLOSS 799 GAL. For walls and trim. Scrubbable. White and 48









For all surfaces. Resists fumes, blistering. Water cleanup. White & 4 colors.

WE OWN 2 TRU-TEST PAINT FACTORIES TO GIVE YOU BETTER QUALITY PAINTS AT LOWEST PRICES!

ALBEE HARDWARE

decorator colors.

Cass City

BANKAMERICARD

CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY, MONDAY MAY 26th

# FOOD SPECIALS GOOD THRU: SAT. MAY 24, 1975 (QUANTITY RIGHTS RESERVED)

ERLA'S HICKORY SMOKED (WHOLE OR SHANK HALF)

FRESH BULK

Pork Sausage

WHOLE or RIB HALF (Sliced Free)

**Pork Loins** 

ERLA'S HICKORY SMOKED

59¢.

ERLA'S HOMEMADE SLICED

**COOKED SALAM DUTCH LOAF** PEPPER LOAF

**PRODUCE** 

U.S. No. 1 POTATOES -- 20# bag 99¢

Size 24 Calif. LETTUCE..3/1 00 or 39¢ each

New CABBAGE ----

U.S. No. 1 BANANAS U.S. No. 1 Delicious APPLES-4 lb. bag 79¢

Cello RADISHES



FROZEN

BOX

MR. G. FROZEN

2 LB.

FRENCH **FRIES** 

2 lb. pkg.

Food Center

IN CASS CITY

MONDAY THURSDAY TO 6 P.M

TISSUE 4 roll pkg. 4

SOUP.

Joy Family Size 48 oz. btl. special label LIQUID DISH SOAP

Coronet PAPER NAPKINS 100 ct. pkg. 39 C PAPER PLATES 100 ct. pkg.

Diamond Heavy Duty

HOMEMADE Smoked Polish

Great for the Grill.

TENDER SEASONED BEEF

MINUTE STEAKS

Great for the Grill

LEAN GROUND

**HAMBURGER** 

BOLOGNA (Chunks)

15小公子

THAWA!IAN Red or Orange 46 oz. can 33 oz. can





OTATO

12 OZ. CANS

Fresh Pan Ready

**WHOLE** 

**CUT-UP** 

raft Midget Ib. S119

UDGESICLES 12 ct. pkg.

**Bakery Items** 

Hamburg or Hot Dog Buns 8 pkg. 3/\$100 Oven Fresh

Apple Raisin Coffee Cake 14 oz. 59¢

Pumpernickel Bread 1 lb. loaf 49¢

Sesame Egg Bread... 1 lb. loaf 49¢

Nabisco

Kraft Jet Puffed

MARSHMALLOWS 10 oz. pkg.

Newport Cut GREEN BEANS 1b. cans 5 KETCHUP 14 oz. btl.

RELISHES asst'd 12 oz. jar 29¢

BARBECUE SAUCE 26 oz. btl. 79¢ 10 lb. bag

RETURN

MADE RITE Reg. or Ripple (Reg. 89¢)

Wright resigns

Charles Wright, Gagetown

fire chief, announced his

resignation from the depart-

ment Monday, May 12.

Wright said he was resigning

He is presently recuperat-

ing at home. He said he was

under doctor's orders to

temporarily give up his duties

because of health reasons.

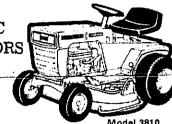
as fire chief

## ONLY TWO **WEEKS LEFT**

TO CASH IN ON

## YARD-MAN'S MAY SALE PRICES

8-HP ELECTRIC START TRACTORS WITH 36-INCH MOWER



Without Trade-In Expires 5-31-75

S SPORT

Cass City

Phone 872-4070

Police investigated several area property-damage accidents in the past week, with one sending a Bay City man to Caro Community Hospital with injuries sustained in a

one-car crash early Monday David Russell Montney, 29, was injured when the car he

**Memorial Day** 

services set at

**Grant Cemetery** 

Memorial Day services at Grant cemetery, Owendale, will be held Sunday, May 25, at 2:00 p.m.

A program is being planned and the public is invited, according to Marguerite Summers, Gagetown, secretary of the Grant Memorial Association.

was driving westbound on Bay City-Forestville Road abut six miles west of Gagetown went out of control, hit a culvert and rolled over.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies who investigated reported Montney was alone when the mishap took place at 3:00 a.m.

Early Friday morning, a car driven by Michael Samuel O'Connor, 20, of Clifford, went out of control and ran into a ditch on Deckerville Road about six miles west of Deford.

Sheriff's deputies said O'Connor apparently fell asleep at the wheel, awoke and attempted to regain control of the car, smashing into a mailbox and landing in He sought his own medical

treatment. The accident took place at 3:15 a.m. Three persons escaped serious injury early Saturday evening when a car and a motorcycle collided at the

intersection of Bay City-

Forestville and McGregory

Roads in Elmwood township. Sheriff's deputies identified the cyclist as Michael Rhea Haught, 18, of Kincheloe Air Force Base. He was not injured.

Probe rash of property-damage mishaps

Driver of the car, Louis Justin Langenburg, 45, of Koepfgen Road, Cass City, told Sheriff's deputies he saw Haught headed north at the intersection, stop and then attempt to turn west. Langenburg headed east, attempted to stop but collided with the

Haught was cited for having no motorcycle endorsement on his driver's license. The mishap took place at 7:00

Friday, a pickup driven by John Laszlo, 41, of 7170 Deckerville Rd., Deford, went out of control and skidded into roadside brush on Englehart Road south of Gilford Road. According to Caro State

Police, Laszlo was headed north when he lost control on the gravel roadway and skidded 50 feet before coming to a stop.

treatment. The accident took place at 8:00 p.m.

Also Friday, a car driven by David A. Hutchins, 37, of Marlette, collided with a parked vehicle owned by Glen. Van Wagoner of Kingston on White Creek Road north of Brief Road in Koylton town-

Caro State Police said Hutchins was headed north when he approached heavy smoke from burning brush along the roadside. He told officers he could not see the parked car ahead prior to the

Van Wagoner was ticketed for improper parking. The mishap took place at 6:30

A 10-year-old Gagetown boy was shaken up Thursday when the car in which he was a passenger collided with another auto on South Elkton Road, four miles south of

Mark Furness, who was slightly injured in the mishap, was riding in a car driven by

He sought his own medical Allen D. Reese, 16, also of Gagetown, when the Reese auto and another car driven by William R. Krohn, 51, of Elkton collided.

Huron County Sheriff's deputies said Krohn was headed north while Reese was headed south and in the process of making a left turn into a driveway when the accident took place.

Krohn and Reese were not injured. The Furness youth was not hospitalized.

Two drivers were unhurt when their cars collided Monday evening at the intersection of Main and Woodland

Cass City Police identified the drivers as Alan Thomas Powell, 19, of Hartsell Road, Cass City, and Willis Robert Brown, 61, of 6667 Houghton

Police said the Brown vehicle was struck in the side by the Powell auto as Brown was turning left onto Woodland

Powell was cited for failure to yield the right of way. The accident took place at 9:45

#### 11 confirmed Sunday at **Good Shepherd**

Eleven young persons were confirmed Sunday during services held at Good Shepherd Lutheran church by

Rev. James Van Dellen. Those confirmed included Jane Smith, Roger Powell, Richard Powell, Robin Buschlen, Meta Schulz, Dave Heins, James Compo, Linda Umpfenbach, Karie Witherspoon, Hope Leslie and Larry

Merton Hendershot has been appointed to take over G. Schneider

as fire chief.

dies May 13

George H. Schneider, 70, Cass City, died suddenly at his home on Houghton Street Tuesday, May 13.

He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 18, 1904, son of the late George and Mary Loth Schneider.

He married Bertha Vance in December, 1931. She died in 1964. He married Elizabeth Maslonka, May 9, 1968, in Detroit. They moved to Cass City in 1972, from Oxford.

He is survived by his widow; one stepson, Jerald Maslonka of St. Clair Shores, three stepdaughters, Mrs. Phillip (Elizabeth) Berezik of Detroit, Mrs. Michael (Patricia) Yandura of Sterling Heights and Mrs. Martin (Marilyn) Ramboff of Taylor; 12 stepgrandchildren, and one brother, Frank of

One daughter, one son and two sisters preceded him in death.

A Rosary was recited Thursday evening from Little's Funeral Home.

Funeral mass was conducted Friday from St. Pancratius Catholic church with Rev. Fr. Emmett Marceau officiating.

Interment was in Novesta cemetery.

#### REGULAR VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the. Cass City Village Council was held on April 29, 1975, at the Municipal Building. All Trustees were present except Trustees Bliss and Jones.

Five bids were opened on the 1975 curb and gutter project which includes Ale, Sherman and Weaver Streets from Main to Church; Hough-Woodland to Elclare and Elclare Street from Pine to Third. After discussion was held a motion was made by Trustee Ware and supported by Trustee Rawson that the bid from Andrew Barnes, Jr. Construction, Cass City, of \$4.10 per foot for 6,121 lineal feet be accepted. Motion

carried. The minutes of the regular March meeting were read

and approved. A motion was made by Trustee Ware and supported by Trustee Tuttle that the Chamber of Commerce be given permission to provide 27 baskets containing artificial flowers to be erected and removed annually by the Cass City Department of Public Works. The above motion

was amended by a motion by Trustee Rawson and supported by Trustee Ware to include a renewal of permission in two years. Amendment carried. Motion carried. A motion was made by

Trustee Rawson and supported by Trustee Ware that the following resolution requesting the County Board of Commissioners to approve annexation of the described properties be adopted. Roll call vote Yeas - 4, Nays - 0.

The financial report for

March 31, 1975 was reviewed A motion was made by Trustee Hampshire and supported by Trustee Tuttle that the Parks and Recreation Committee be authorized to purchase approximately \$6,500.00 of park equipment

all within budget guidelines. Motion carried. A motion was made by Trustee Hampshire and supported by Trustee Rawson that the purchase of a new pickup truck for the price of \$3,901.18 from Auten Motors be authorized. Motion car-

Certificates from an AWWA Applied Mathematics course awarded to Lou LaPonsie, Village Superintendent and Nelson Willy, Wastewater Treatment Plant Supervisor for successfully completing

the course were noted. An award from AWWA commending the Water Department for 6 years of no lost time accidents was also

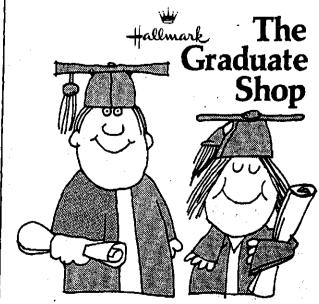
It was decided that the 1957 John Deere tractor would be put up for bids to be received May 27, 1975.

A motion was made by Trustee Rawson and supported by Trustee Tuttle that the bills as examined be approved for payment. Motion carried.

Trustee Jones and Bliss were appointed to work with the township on the Memorial Day festivities.

There being no further business a motion was made by Trustee Hampshire and supported by Trustee Tuttle that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried. Karen Osentoski

Deputy Village Clerk



Make our Graduate Shop your shopping headquarters for the graduates you know. We feature fine wood writing instruments by Hallmark, inspirational Hallmark books, Keepsake and Photo Albums, and stationery appropriate for any graduate. Add a Hallmark card to make the "Congratulations!" complete.

STEP RIGHT UP AND SAVE! SAVE! SAVE

**BLACK AND WHITE** MINUM SHUTTERS

REG. \$13.50 BLACK

REG. \$11.55 BLACK

REG. \$11.20 WHITE **CO**52

14 X 51½ SALE DJ

CLOSE-OUT

 $1/8 \times 4 \times 8$ 

OWEN-CORNING FIBERGLASS

BATH TUB

INCLUDES 5-FOOT TUB WITH FIBERGLASS BACK AND END

PANELS

**HURRY SALE ENDS** 

MAY 31, 1975

Golden Bouquet

TILE

**BOARD** 

14 X 55½

Sheet

**ፓ በ** ያን

REG. \$11.95 WHITE

REG. \$10.70 WHITE

**JOHNSON** 

INTERIOR

WHITE

**THRIFT** 

PAINT

LATEX

REG. \$5.99

KINKEAD

FOLDING

TUB

AND

SHOWER

ENCLOSURE

**40**95

\$69,95

GAL.

**BLACK** 

WROUGHT **IRON** 

PORCH RAILING

**OUR REGULAR PRICE** 

FIESTA ROYALE

PICNIC TABLE FRAMESI

1/4 x 40" x 30"

PLATE MIRROR

\$26.95

CROFT-CLARA LUMBER, INC.

Cass City

Phone 872-2141

RANKAMERICARO

:ASS CITY, MICHIGAN JOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by ie undersigned that on May 3, 1975, at 10:00 a.m. at lare's Sunoco Service, 6569 Iain Street, Cass City, Michan, public sale of the llowing described goods will e held, for cash, at auction: 1971 Chevrolet, Two Door, erial Number 166471169865. Inspection thereof may be nade at Clare's Sunoco Serve, 6569 Main St., Cass City, uchigan, Tuscola County, e place of storage. The ank reserves the right to

Dated: May 14, 1974.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BAD AXE

By: Don R. English

RENT A

nosicarpet cleaner

The Want Ads Are Newsy Too!

**KEEPS** 

**CARPETS** 

**BEAUTIFULLY** 

CLÉAN

FOR HER

LEATHER GOODS:

FRENCH PURSES

JEWELRY COLLECTION

COLOGNES

PERFUMES

POWDERS

BUXTON

BILLFOLDS

KEY CASES

TIMEX WATCHES

KODAK CAMERAS

POLAROID CAMERAS

Give a Lasting Gift

The Most Treasured of All.

GIVE THE HALLMARK GIFT BOOKS

#### Housekeepers meet at hospital

The regular monthly meeting of the Central Michigan Chapter of Executive Housekeepers met Thursday at Hills and Dales General Hospital, under the auspices of Reva Silver, executive housekeeper of the hospital. D. Herdon of Lansing

discussed the occupational safety and health act (OSHA).

-Twenty-four-hospitals-andmedical care facilities were represented at the meeting. A dinner preceded the meeting, served by the Hills and Dales dietary department.

The next meeting will be held at the Shiawassee Medical Care Facility in Corunna.

host..

the

TV APPLIANCES FURNITURE

chneebergers

beautiful

dry clean

your carpets.

beautifully!

way to

Mrs. William Snell lost her foss and grandson of Gladwin home to fire Wednesday

PIONEER GROUP

evening, May 14.

The Pioneer group will meet Thursday, May 22, at the Decker Masonic Hall for a 12:30 cooperative dinner.

FARM BUREAU

-The-Laing-Farm-Bureauwill meet Tuesday evening, May 27, with Mr. and Mrs. Nelin Richardson, A cooperative lunch will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister and family of Marlette. The birthday of Diane Geister was celebrated.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Phillips and children were Wednesday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Springstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sear-

## Confirm seven at Salem **UM Church**

Confirmation and acceptance into church membership in Salem UM church for a class of seven youths highlighted the morning worship service in Salem church Sunday.

The rites climaxed 19 weeks of classes taught by the pastor, Rev. Eldred Kelley. Special awards went to three of the class; to Laurie Hartsell for maintaining the highest average, to Susan Hendrick for writing the best final examination, and to Larry Buehrly as the best all-around student. Other members of the class were Christopher Langmaid, Mike Truemner, Earney Stoutenburg and Steven Walter Certificates prepared by Mrs. Jack Esau were presented by Mrs. Charles Tuckey.

A reception for the seven students in the church dining room followed the worship service. Refreshments, including a cake made by Mrs. Gary Wichert, were served by the Golden Rule Class of the were dinner guests Wednesday of Mrs. Eva Ashcroft.

Shabbona Area News

CHAPMAN REUNION

The Chapman family reunion was held Saturday, May 17, at the Mizpah Fellowship Hall. A cooperative dinner was served at noon with 35 in attendance. Others came for the afternoon of

Guests from a distance were: Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Riefel and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riefel, all from Indiana. The Arthur Riefel family will be leaving for Africa in June.

Officers for next year are Ernest Hyatt, president; Alvin McKee, vice-president and Mrs. Marion Head, secretary and treasurer.

r++++

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family spent Sunday visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Czapla and family of Plymouth.

The RLDS church held a Mother and Daughter banquet Friday evening. The swiss steak dinner was served by the men. A movie on America's heritage was

++++++

Mrs. George Krause returned home Wednesday morning after being a patient in Hills and Dales General Hospital, Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kitchin of Wayne were Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. Eva

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler and daughters, Mary and Emma, Grace Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wheeler of Sandusky, Mrs. Nellie Vrooman of Caro and Mrs. Helen Bullock of Mayville attended the open house for their nephew and cousin, Nick Kyser at Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon. He received his law degree in morning commencement exercises. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. DeWayne Kyser of Shepherd. Mrs. Kyser is the former Mable Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kyser will move to Denver, Colo., where he will

begin his law practice. Bill Wood, Hazel DeCuy pere and Myrtle Parrott visited Edith Parrott at Car-

sonville Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh and family entertained Saturday evening at a

**FOR** 

HIM

TIMEX WATCHES

DOPP KITS

BUXTON LEATHER

JEWELRY CASES

GOODS:

BILLFOLDS

SMOKING ACCESSORIES

SCHICK HOT LATHER

POLAROID CAMERAS

ELECTRIC SHAVERS

KODAK CAMERAS

MACHINE

pre-pay prescription plans. BANKAMERICARD

(free parking in the rear) welcome here

chicken barbecue. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hyatt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cherniawski. Yvonne Beutler and Howard Musky of Grand Blanc. The occasion was in honor of

Sunday afternoon caller of Mrs. Eva Ashcroft. Mrs. Ivan Springstead and Phillip-of-Novi-were-Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl

Yvonne Beutler's birthday.

Mrs. Louis Behr was a

Springstead. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith attended the Gideon banquet Monday evening at Sandusky Miss Joan Johnston and brother Brian of St. Clair Shores and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson and family of Rose-

#### Melvin Phillips rites held

Funeral services were conducted Thursday from the Collon Funeral Home in Caro for Melvin Phillips, 73, Deford, who died Monday, May 12, at Caro Community Hos-

Thursday

pital. He was born Dec. 8, 1901, in Novesta township. He married Ellen Ashcroft April 18, 1929, in Argyle.

A lifelong resident of Tuscola county, he was a retired foreman for the Grand Trunk Railroad.

He is survived by his widow; two daughters, Mrs. Hallie (Belva) Holmes of Caro and Mrs. Lawrence (Darlene) Martin of Deford; two sons, Raymond of Caro and Ronald of Deford; 13 grandchildren and one greatgrandchild. Two brothers and one sister preceded him in

Rev. Eldred Kelley, pastor of Salem United Methodist church, Cass City, officiated at funeral services. Interment was in Novesta cemetery.

Maharg earns

#### degree from

#### Aquinas

James Maharg, son of Kenneth Maharg of rural Cass City, graduated Saturday from Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, with a bachelor of fine arts degree. He received the highest honor of Aquinas by being listed on the Dean's List with a 3.80 grade point average.

As a graduation requirement, he presented a one-man art show at the college Sunday, April 20.

He exhibited over 35 recent works in the one-man show. These included pottery, wire sculpture, paintings and prints. Maharg had complete responsibility for the arrangement and hanging of these works.

Over 250 guests attended the opening of the show from Royal Oak, Detroit, Troy, St. Clair Shores, Sterling Heights, Lansing, Owosso, Ann Arbor, Gagetown, Cass City and from the Grand Rapids area.

A reception followed the

ville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hoag at Novi. Sunday, they attended the installation of officers at the Veteran of Foreign Wars

Marie Meredith

Phone 672-9489

Northville Post. Merle Hoag was installed as commander. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Groombridge returned to

their-home-in-Flint-Tuesday.-Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dorman in Saginaw.

#### UM WOMEN

The United Methodist Women of Shabbona met Wednesday evening, May 14, with Mrs. Milford Robinson. Mrs. Robert Burns, vice-

president called the meeting to order. Mrs. Arlie Gray had charge of the devotions. The 63rd Chapter of Psalms was read in unison.

Roll call was answered by 16 members to a scripture verse with "mother" in it. The secretary's report was given by Mrs. Jerry King. Treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Mary Vatter. Mrs. Burns gave a report on the June 11 meeting which will be held at the lower auditorium. The lesson was given by Mrs. Robert Bader.

#### 200 attend

#### banquet at

#### Baptist church

The fellowship hall of First Baptist church was decorated in a garden motif for the mother-daughter banquet Tuesday evening, May 13. Around 200 ladies and girls attended. Mrs. Bill Ewald and daughter Lori served punch in a garden setting preceding the banquet, which was served by men of the church.

Mrs. Rosella Kretzschmer, president of the Baptist Women's Missionary group, gave the invocation. Mrs. Judy Wilde of Marine City was speaker at the program following the banquet, in the church auditorium.

Toastmistress was Mrs. Clyde Wells. Musical numbers were presented by primary and junior girls, teenage girls and a ladies trio, Mrs. Dick Shaw, Mrs. Don Kowbel and Mrs. Stan Guinther, All were accompanied by Mrs. Stanley Mc-Arthur, Mrs. Shaw also led

group singing.
Karen Perry gave the toast to mothers and Mrs. Jim Perry responded with a toast to daughters. Mrs. Guinther presented awards to the following: mother with the most great-grandchildren, Mrs. Harriet Rayl; mother with the most store coupons in her purse, Mrs. Floyd Wiles; teenager with the most buttons on her apparel, Lisa Brown, and youngest daughter with the most missing

teeth, Sharon Papp.
Mrs. Vera Bearss gave the

benediction. Committees for the banquet included: menu, Mrs. Les Hartwick, Mrs. Ella Cumper and Mrs. Bearss; program, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Shaw, and decorations, Mrs. Harold Rayl, Mrs. Fay McComb, Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Ewald. Mrs. McArthur and Mrs. Myrtle McColl distributed

"Step-Ahead"

Plan for

Early

Retirement



tickets for the event.

Kathryn M. Turner, F.I.C. 3189 N. Decker Road Decker, Michigan

Many widows will collect Social Security at age 60. Fully insured workers (and wives) can draw benefits at 62. Prepare for early retirement with our Life Paid-Up at 60 plan, a "Step-Ahead" by the Life Insurance specialists. Phone for details.



#### **GROSS MEAT MARKET**

HANS SCHUCHMANN - Owner

STORE WILL BE OPEN THURSDAY AFTERNOONS

HOLIDAY, 🔭

SPECIALS

Good Thru Tues., May 27

Minimum Maritan Marita **COOK OUT** TIME AGAIN!

COUNTRY STYLE

FARMER PEET'S

HICKORY



FOR YOUR GRILL Hans

Homemade

**KNACKWURST** 



**OUR OWN HOMEMADE** 

**GERMAN POTATO SALAD** 

LONDON'S PURE

**JUICE** 

ORANGE 1/2-GAL. 5 QC

#### REMEMBER

HANS MAKES A COMPLETE SELECTION OF

**HOME MADE** SAUSAGES

COME IN AND SAMPLE THEM

FREE

WE HAVE OUR YEARLY SUPPLY OF

**PURE MAPLE SYRUP** 

GROSS MEAT MARKET

FREE PARKING IN REAR OF STORE.

USE OUR SIDE ENTRANCE.

COACH LIGHT PHARMA MIKE WEAVER, Owner Ph. 872-3613 Emergency Ph. 872-3283

We accept all

### Commencement swirl begins for seniors

#### CASS CITY GUN CLUB 4 south, 1 east, 1/4 north of Cass City

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST **EVERY SUNDAY**

At 7:30 a.m.

#### **HUNTERS' SAFETY COURSE** SATURDAY, MAY 31

Sign-up time at 8 a.m. Classes start promptly at 9. \$5.00 charge includes lunch,

this case, you are bound to get soaking wet!

it. YOU do, too. And where? In church, of course!

Copyright 1975 Keister Advertising Service, Inc., Strasburg, Virginia

Message Sponsored by

These Progressive Firms

FIRST AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

Machine Shop Service

Paint

Phone 872-2178

Open 10 till 10 - 7 days a week

**QUAKER MAID DAIRY** 

Groceries — Ice Cream

Take Outs - Party Supplies Phone 872-9196

**VERONICA'S RESTAURANT** 

Phone 872-2550

"Good Home Cooked Food"

KLEIN FERTILIZERS, INC.

INTERSTATE SCRAP INC.

Wanted cars, Farm Machinery, Radiators

10,000 Batteries -1.25 each

**WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE** 

STORE

6467 Main St.

KRITZMAN'S CLOTHING

**GAMBLE STORE** 

Phone 872-2120

Cass City

Cass City, Mich.

Cass City, Mich.

Cass City, Mich.

Cass City, Mich.

Phone 872-4337

Phone 872-2040

Phone 872-3470

Phone 872-3515

25:6-8 3:14-17 19:7-10 8:14-17

A good umbrella keeps you dry-unless the wind starts blowing. In

There is really no such thing as total protection; neither in an umbrella

nor in living through just one day. There are all sorts of windstorms.

and they sweep into our lives and upset the best made plans. When this

happens there is no such thing as finding an umbrella under which to

Since life is so complicated, each of us has to learn to face it in his

own way. Those with a strong and unshakable faith are the lucky ones.

They have gained a sense of proportion and basic values through their

church. And they didn't just "get" faith! They had to start looking for

PROTECTION

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

22 + 3022

John Revelation Romans Acts Joel Genesis

OTHER APPLIANCES

Junction M-81 & M-53

Phone 872-2141

Cass City, Mich.

Phone 872-3122

Phone 872-3675

Cass City

872-2750

M-81 & M-53

2:1-4 2:28-29 11:5-9

Phone 872-2161

Cass City, Mich.

Phone 872-3850

Cass City, Mich.

Cass City, Mich.

Phone 872-2105

872-3830

Phone 872-3541

**FUELGAS CO. OF CASS CITY** 

BULK-PROPANE SYSTEMS-FURNACES

-RANGES- WATER SOFTENERS &

CROFT-CLARA LUMBER, INC.

Andersen Windows

VILLAGE SERVICE CENTER

TIRES-BATTERIES-V-BELTS-TUNE-

UPS-MUFFLERS-BRAKE SERVICE

MAC & LEO SERVICE

TOTAL PRODUCTS

CASS CITY FLORAL

FLOWERS & GIFT\$

**MUTUAL SAVINGS & LOAN** 

Your Investments Are Our Mutual Concern

Open Saturday morning

**OUVRY CHEVROLET-OLDS, INC.** 

Cass City, Michigan

(Our aim is to please)

**BARTNIK SALES & SERVICE** 

Mobil Service

Used car & tractor parts

**IGA FOODLINER** 

TABLERITE MEATS

6121 Cass City Road, Cass City Phone 872-2645

#### Continued from page one

Owen-Gage High School senior class will be held Sunday, May 25, at 8 p.m., at the Owendale gym.

Rev. Henry Brinker of St. John's Lutheran church in Kilmanah will be the guest speaker.

State Sen. Alvin J. DeGrow (R-Pigeon) will deliver the commencement address Thursday, May 29, when exercises will be held out of doors, weather permitting, in Owendale. Exercises begin at 8:00-p,m, —---

#### KINGSTON

Baccalaureate services for Kingston High School's 49

graduating seniors was held Sunday at .8:00 p.m., at the high school gym. Rev. G.V. Skinner was the main speak-

Services were held early due to the Memorial Day week end which would have interfered with the ceremony, school officials said.

Graduation exercises will be held Sunday, June 1, at the high school. Dr. Robert Mills, administrator with the Department of Education at Central Michigan University, will deliver the commencement address, His topic-will be "The Three R's--Reflect, React and Recycle".

The junior high band will perform at the ceremony.

#### UBLY

Baccalaureate services for the 113 graduates of Ubly Community High School will be conducted at 8:00 p.m. Sunday, May 25, in the Ubly High School Gymnasium.

Representatives of the class of 1976 will lead the class of 1975 in the Processional "Pomp and Circumstance", which will be played by Miss Ruth Hewitt. Rev. Maynard Q. Kent,

pastor of the First Methodist church in Ubly, will deliver the invocation and benedic-

Rev. Robert R. Von Oeyen, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Ubly, will deliver the sermon.

The high school choir, under the direction of Richard Kain, will sing two spiritual selections.

Sunday morning, May 25, the graduating seniors will attend Mass in a body at 8:00 a.m. in St. John Catholic church in Ubly. Following the Mass the seniors, administrators and class sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott, have been invited to be guests of the Confraternity of Christian Mothers of Ubly at a breakfast served in the Ubly School Cafetorium, The seniors will also attend 10:00 a.m. services in the Ubly

First Presbyterian church. Commencement exercises will be held Friday evening, May 30, at 8:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Commencement will begin with the Processional "Pomp and Circumstance" played by Miss Ruth Hewitt with members of the class of 1976 acting

Rev. Fr. Timothy J. Pawlak, Acting Pastor of St. John Catholic church in Ubly, will give the invocation and benediction.

The Ubly High School Senior band, under the direction of Kenneth Sweeney, will play two selections and will feature seniors Timothy Mc-Carty and James Tyrrell.

The valedictory speech will be given by David Rudy, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rudy of Ubly. The salutatory

#### SPECIAL VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING

A special meeting of the Village Council was held on May 5, 1975, 12:00 p.m., at Dr. D.E. Rawson's office. All Trustees were present except Trustee Bliss.

A motion was made by Trustee Tuttle and supported by Trustee Hampshire that Ordinance No. 87 AN ORDI-NANCE TO PROVIDE FOR SOIL EROSION AND SEDI-MENTATION CONTROL ON PUBLIC AND PRIVATE LAND USES WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF CASS CITY: TO MAKE THE VILLAGE OF CASS CITY THE LOCAL ENFORCING AGENCY IN IMPLEMENTING THE SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMEN-TATION CONTROL ACT 347 OF P.A., 1972, WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF CASS CITY: TO ADOPT SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL STANDARDS: TO PROVIDE THE PERMITS AND FEES AND PROVIDE FOR PENALTIES IN VIO-LATION THEREOF be adopted. Roll call vote: Yeas -

5. Nays - 0. The Council was represented at a meeting held at the hospital concerning Federal grant money for equipment by Trustee Hampshire. Because the hospital is not a governmental agency, they requested that the Village as a governmental agency handle any monies from the grant. A motion was made by Trustee Ware and supported by Trustee Jones that the request be granted and that President Althaver and Lou LaPonsie be given authorization to sign a letter written to Thomas Reel, Highway Safety Planning, stating that Lou LaPonsie was appointed project director. Motion car-

There being no further business a motion was made to adjourn. Motion carried.

L.E. Althaver Village President speech will be delivered by Miss Kathleen Holdwick. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holdwick of Ruth.

Miss Janice Sageman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sageman of Ubly, the senior class president, will give appreciation awards.

Hilary Cook, director of guidance, will present scholarship awards. Fred Ruthko. high school principal, will award the salutatory and valedictory trophies.

#### Coming Auction

Saturday, May 24 - Sylvester Osantoski will sell household items and personal property at the place located four miles east, four miles south and three quarters of a mile west of Cass City on Severance Rd. Harold Copeland, auctioneer.

#### M. Crutchfield

#### graduates

Mrs. Margie Clarke Crutchfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Clarke of Cass City. was one of 375 students to receive degrees at Harding College, Searcy, Ark., in graduation ceremonies held Sunday, May 11.



MARGIE CRUTCHFIELD

Mrs. Crutchfield graduated with a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education, graduating magna cum laude.

She is a 1970 graduate of Cass City High School, and plans to seek a teaching position in Searcy. Her husband is also a student at Harding College.

#### Legion

#### Auxiliary to

Legion members and all

veterans who will participate

in the Memorial Day parade

are asked to meet at the

will participate in the pro-

gram are chaplain, Mrs.

Marion McClorey and Mrs.

Lilah Wilhelmi, who will lay

the Memorial wreath.

St. Michael's

event hosts 115

The annual Mother and

Daughter breakfast of St.

Michael's church in Wilmot

was held May 11 in the

rectory basement before the

11:30 a.m. Mass with about

115 mothers and daughters

Ann Lalko. Dawn Champagne

presented the toast to the

mothers and the toast to.

daughters was given by Nurs-

were presented to each of the

following: oldest mother

present, Tillie Kloc, who also

received the mother-of-the-

vear award: mother with the

youngest daughter present.

Karen Haven; mother with

the oldest daughter present,

Mary Kopko, and to the

mother who came the longest

distance, Connie Engle,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Chairman and co-chairman

Harry Kozlowski.

breakfast.

Kozlowski.

crysanthemums

ie Kloc.

Potted

Toastmistress was Jane

Auxiliary members who

Legion Hall at 9:30 a.m.

#### meet Monday FOR SALE - 1971 Vega -

American Legion Auxiliary Rd. Phone 635-2186. members are asked to meet Monday, May 26, at 9:30 a.m., east of Kritzman's store, by parade participation chairman Mrs. Marge Schwartz. 648-9146. Tri-county post American

phone 872-2406.

WANTED TO BUY antiques. old furniture and miscellaneous items. Don Childs,

\$20.00, best offer. Walnut Trailer

4-4-tf

Boron.

AUCTIONEERING - Farm and phone 872-2592. 5-18-tf

GLASS LINED water heaters, gas. 30 gal. size, \$94.95.

FOR SALE - new fan, Klen Air 20 inch 3-speed, \$14.00.

LET US solve your decorating

WEDDING INVITATIONS and announcements. A complete line of printing, raised printing or engraving. Dozens to choose from. Chiss City

## USE CHRONICLE WANT

GAS BAR-B-QUE Grills - REDUCE EXCESS fluids with New with wheels, tank regulator and hose, \$214.50. Fuelgas Co., Cass City. Phone 872-2161. 5-1-tf

WANTED - barn to tear down. George Vance, phone 872-

#### Notice

We will be paying \$13.00 per cwt, for number 1 grade pickles this year. For more information contact

BLOCH & GUGGENHEIMER \_DIVISION\_

#### Bad Axe, Phone 269-8191 Kilbourn Service

Station Phone 872-3323, Deford 5-15-4

FIVE-Year-Old sorrel mare; 5-year-old appaloosa mare; 2 donkeys: 4-year-old mule: one-year-old mule: wood wheel wagon, Leonard Gilbert, 3 north, 3 east, 1/4 north of Bad Axe. Phone 269-8803.

FOR SALE - 1972 350 cc Yamaha road bike. Can see at 2770 E. Caro Rd. Caro, Mich.

WANTED TO BUY - English saddle and bridle. Phone 872-3405.

> We have lime available at all times.

Klein's Fertilizers

Phone 872-2120

PORCH SALE - Macrame hangers with potted plants. Also a few single potted plants, Friday - 2 to 5 p.m. and Saturday, 9 till 5 p.m. Vera Bearss, 4546 Downing St. Phone 872-2258.

FOR SALE - 8x10 storage shed wood construction, \$100, Also, '68 Ford 289 automatic, \$125. Phone 872-5-8-3

FOR SALE - 1965 Chevrolet Impala four-door hardtop. Good mechanically. Phone 872-4135.

WANTED - Housework or house cleaning. Phone 872-3629, Mrs. R.O. Avery.

GAME PARTY - Every Sunday night, at St. Pancratius hall, Cass City, 8:00 p.m.

SPRAYING FOR weeds and bugs, Contact Jerry Romig, phone 872-3856.

Hatchback, \$600.00; 1971 Duster, 4-speed shift, \$700. Howard Hicks, Mushroom

B&M Whitewashing - Barns and disinfecting. Phone 313-

FOR SALE - Walking tractor, \$75.00, 26-inch girl's bike 1969 Mustang -\$600.00, 1971 Kalaska motorcycle 175 cc \$200,00 or

Park, 4118 S. Seeger, Lot 25, Cass City. FOR SALE - '69 Road Runner convertible, 383 4-speed, positive traction. 69,000 actual miles, \$595. Cass City

general. Harold Copeland,

Also sale on 40 and 50 gal. sizes at Fuelgas of Cass City, Phone 872-2161.

Phone 872-2377.

problems. We have a complete selection of beautifulcarpeting, inlaid, paint, wall covering, and drapery rods in our Decorating Center. Friendly and prompt service. Albee True Value Hardware.

TO GIVE AWAY - littertrained house cat and Hollywood bed, springs for twin size bed. Call 872-3895 after 5:30 p.m.

Chronicle, Cass City.

Fluidex, \$1.89 - Lose weight with Dex-a-Diet capsules, \$1.98, Old Wood Drug.

FOR SALE - 1966 BSA 650. Phone 872-3727.

Custom Butchering

Meat cut, wrapped and frozen

Gainor's Meat Packing

Bad Axe. Phone 269-8161

1 mile north, 1 mile west of Bad Axe.

AUCTIONS - Starting every Saturday afternoon, May 31, at 1:00. 9 miles north of Cass City. Consignments welcome. Information - call 375-4144 or 872-3154 after 6:00. George Janssen, auctioneer,

TREE REMOVAL - Septic systems - back hoe work fill dirt, Phone 872-3294.

#### Real Estate

60 acres in Ellington township next to Cass River.

80 acres northeast of Cass City, north branch of Cass River crosses property.

> Edward J. Hahn Broker 6240 W. Main St.

BULK PROPANE systems for grain driers or home heat-

Cass City

Phone 872-2155

ing. Fuelgas Company of Cass City. FOR SALE - Case 444 garden tractor, like new, with mower, snowblade, tilt trailer

and chains, \$1,600. Gary

Deering, phone 872-3055

after 6 p.m. 5-22-3 COLONY HOUSE is now taking bookings for weddings, banquets, special parties. Call 872-3103. 3-6-tf

FOR SALE - kitchen table with drop-leaf, 29x47" full size, yellow Formica top with chrome legs and 2 chairs. Katherine Crane, phone 872-

3597 after 6.

THURSDAY is fish night at the Cass City Hotel & Restaurant. Cod and chips and

slaw - only \$1.49. 2-20-tf IS YOUR water rusty or hard? Bring in a sample for free analysis at the Fuelgas Co.,

FOR SALE - 1971 Dodge, fair condition, \$450. Phone 872-4514.

Cass City.

WILL DO mowing and raking of lawns. Phone 872-4502 before 5:00 p.m.

#### Moto-Ski and Viking Snowmobiles

TRIUMPH NORTON PENTON MOTO GUZZI HUSQVARNA HUSQVARNA

Chain Saws Thumb Cycle Sales 6509 Main Phone 872-3750

FOR RENT - Electric adding machine by day or week. Or rent a new Smith-Corona portable typewriter. Also new and used typewriters for sale, all makes. Leave your typewriters and other office equipment at our store for repair. McConkey Jewelry and Gift Shop. 10-G-tf

FOR SALE - 1974 Honda MT 250 Elsinore, street legal, 400 miles, \$650.00. Call 872-2761.

Goodyear Tractor Tires | M-and-W-DUALS

All Types

O'Brien's Tire Shop

620 E. Huron Ave. Bad Axe, Michigan Phone 517-269-8471

HELP WANTED - Votes for Randy Patera in IGA contest.

DOES YOUR PIANO need tuning? Call Duane Johnston, 409 Cleveland St., Bad Axe, 269-7364. Thirteen years' experience on all makes of [ pianos, registered craftsman member of the Piano Technician's Guild. 7-30-tf |---

#### REAL ESTATE

4170 Sherman St., Cass City. Charming two bedroom house, compact kitchen, living room, full bath, utility room. Gas heat. Nice landscaped yard, large fenced in garden spot. Garage. WIDOW, can no longer handle. PRICED TO SELL. If you are interested in a nice retirement spot, contact Zemke Real Estate.

Cass City School District. Over 6 acres of land with plenty of road frontage. Quiet, peaceful location. Partially remodeled two story 4 bedroom house. Compact kitchen, dining room, spacious living room, I full bath, extra bath but not completed, all materials are boxed, Small barn with water, chicken coop, many other outbuildings. Beautiful landscaped yard. Some furniture included, chickens, tractor and other farm equipment, beef feeders and many other items. Owner purchased small home. This is strictly a nice piece of real estate and is priced to sell at \$32,500,00

Woelfle farm house and 1 3/4 acres of land located 4 1/2 miles south of Cass City. Large 2 1/2 story 4 bedroom house, all with hardwood floors, plenty of closet space. Full bath upstairs. Spacious kitchen with many built-in cupboards, large dining room, spacious living room, nice den that could be converted to bedroom. Basement with oil fired hot water furnace. Breezeway with 1 car garage attached. With some work, this home could be made intoa showplace. \$25,000.00 full price.

Deford: Ideal for retirement, Single story two bedroom house, nice compact kitchen, stool and shower, spacious paneled living room with carpeting. Garage and small barn. Comes with over 2 acres of good garden loam. Nice location. Vacant, \$14,900 with good terms.

20 acres of vacant land located 2 south and 1/2 west of-Cass City, 660 feet frontage on blacktop. Ideal for man-made lake. This acreage has some woods, some cleared land. This is an excellent investment. Mobile Homes O.K. Owner has reduced price to \$8,900,00 with \$1,000.00 down and will finance balance at 8 per cent interest,

60 Acres located within 1/8 mile of Cass City Village limits. Same owner for over 40 years, Located south of Elkland township cemetery. County road to property. Detroit Edison\_ and well on acreage. This property is a sleeper and in the near future will be worth considerable more money. Full price ONLY \$16,000 with good terms and owner financed.

SAND POINT: Caseville area. Open house Saturday, May 24, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., 8072 Crescent Beach Road 130 Feet Beach Frontage with new Steel Sea wall installed at a cost of \$6,000.00. Large living room with cut stone fireplace and formal dining room, beautiful kitchen with snack bar, 2 large bedrooms plus den, full tiled bath. Lower level with large bedroom, full bath, 15x45 Family room with fireplace and entrance to Beach area, Forced air furnace with G.E. central air conditioning, water softener 2 car garage and many other appointments. Price reduces to \$98,500.00 with \$28,500.00 down. This fine home is approximately 13 years old and is one of the finer homes of-

Kingston township - 10 acres of Wooded acreage with 33(feet road frontage, Surveyed, zoned but mobiles O.K. Price reduced to \$6,500.00 with \$1,000 down, owner financed

Cass City School District: 10 acres with 330 feet roat frontage on good gravel road. Some woods on rear of prop erty, nice cleared building spot, lots of good clearedgarden land. Novesta township location southwest of Case City. This acreage is priced to sell at \$7,000.00 witi-\$1,500.00 down and owner financed. Must be seen to be appreciated.

Have a Nice week end.

Cass City 872-2776

WM. H. ZEMKE REAL ESTATE Established 1918

Deford 872-296

#### of the event were Vida Champagne and Maxine The men prepared the

## TURN DISCARDS INTO CASH - USE PROFITABLE, LOW COST CHRONICLE LINERS

your decorating dollars when

you select carpeting, inlaid,

paint, wall covering and

drapery rods from our fine,

complete decorating center.

Friendly and prompt service.

Albee True Value Hardware.

1973 350 KAWASAKI with ex-

tras. First \$500,00 takes it.

Reason for selling - need a

Dairymen and

Builders

Use Sanitile High Gloss for

interior coloring and water-

proofing of new concrete

walls, such as hospitals,

schools, dairy and commer-

cial buildings. Choose your

color and stop worrying about

the peeling and mold which

comes from ordinary concrete

O'Dell Steel Bldgs.

Cass City 872-2349, 8-29-tf

ONE BOAR - service age

and 15 feeder pigs, weigh

40-60 lbs, each, Call 665-

Cass City. Phone 872-2161,

MARTIN ELECTRIC

Residential and Commercial

Wiring

State Licensed

Free Estimates

PHONE 872-4114

4180 Hurds Corner Road

RUMMAGE SALE - clothing,

2 piece sectional, chair,

clothesline post, miscellan-

eous. Huntsville Trailer

Park, Lot 35. May 22 -24

CASS CITY Hotel & Restau-

rant featuring smorgasbord

on Friday and Sunday. All

you can eat for \$3.75.

from 9 till 7.

10-1-tf

5-22-1

corner M-53 and M-81.

nings.

car. Phone 872-3458.

Transit (nonbusiness) rate: 20 words or less, \$1.00 each insertion; additional words 4 cents each. Three weeks for the price of two - cash rate. Save money by enclosing cash with mail orders. Rates for display want adon application.

GAME PARTY - Every Sunday night, at St. Pancratius hall, Cass City, 8:00 p.m.

PICNIC TABLES - made by order only. For prices and details call 872-2481 after 6 p.m.

Custom-Slaughtering - curing smoking and processing.

Beef - Pork - Veal - Lamb

For Sale - Beef and Pork, whole or half. Wrapped in the new clear shrink film. Erla's Packing Co.

> Cass City, Mich. Dick Erla Phone 872-2191 11-2-tf

EGGS - large, 55¢ - medium, 50¢ dozen, 4 south and 1 1/2 west of Cass City. Ron Pa-

APARTMENT range Magic Chef - new with automatic matchless oven. \$149.00. Fuelgas Co., Cass City, corner M-81 & M-53, phone 872-2161. 3-20-tf

WILL MOW lawns. Call after 1:00 p.m. 872-3250. 5-8-3

FOR EXPERT paint and varnish removal of furniture and expert repair and finish, call 269-8473. 5-15-3

> Rent Rinse N-Vac Carpet steam Cleaner

Rental by day or hour avail-

Albee True Value Hardware

Cass City 3-20-tf

FOR SALE - 2 ton air conditioning unit, 220 volt. Phone

TRI-COUNTY Dead Stock Removal. 517-375-4088.

Chuck Gage Welding Shop

Specializing in stainless steel, blacksmithing, fabricating and radiator repair,

Also portable welding.

7062 E. Deckerville Rd. Deford, Mi. Phone 872-2552

PIG ROAST and chicken -Saturday, May 24, at Colony House. Tickets still available, Starting at 6 p.m. \$6.50

 old pocket WANTED watches, rings, chàins. Call 872-2635 after 5 p.m.

> We still have a good supply of Alfalfa seed and seed corn.

Klein's Fertilizers Phone 872-2120

FOR SALE - 350 4 cylinder Honda motorcycle, 1 year Call for an appointment right NOW!!! old. Phone 872-3512, 5-22-1

FOR SALE - 1970 12x50 mobile home with 12x20 utility room. Both in excellent condition. Call Ubly 658-5701.

5-8-3 FURNISHED apartment for rent. Ideal for one person. 4431 S. Seeger St., Shirley

Strickland, WANTED - live inhousekeeper. 3 1/4 miles west of Argyle. Call Ira Carruthers,

872-2408.

Roto Tillers

3 hp \$189.95 5 hp \$239,95

Albee True Value Hardware

> Cass City 5-15-tf

FOR SALE - H McCormick tractor with 2 row cultivator, and bean puller. 2 miles west of Bach and 1/2 mile south. Phone 883-3587, 5-8-3 WHIRLPOOL side - by - side refrigerator, sharp condition, harvest gold. Must sell. Call 872-4002.

20 ACRES FOR SALE - 80 rods long by 40 rods wide, blacktop frontage, 2 1/2 miles south of Cass City. Call 872-2781.

FOR RENT - small 2 room apartment. Also rooms to rent. Women and girls only. 4391 S. Seeger, phone 872-

Full line\_of\_

Doughboy swimming pools and swimming pool chemicals

> Albee True Value Hardware

> > Cass City 5-15-tf

30 FLAVORS Moore's ice cream. Grim's Drive-In, corner M-81 and M-53, Cass 5-8-4

GARDEN PLOWING, Phone 4-24-6 872-2606.

WANTED - Sharp used cars and trucks, see Lee Armbruster Sales in Unionville for top dollar,

Interested In A

Future? Read On! The Na-Churs Plant Food Company, a pioneer in the liquid fertilizer business, is now announcing, after many years of research, its debut into the Na-Churs Liquid Feed Supplement market. We offer a full line for every need. Our Feeds Division is in need of men looking for above aver-

need is part or full time salesmen. Apply at once to: FEEDS DIVISION NA-CHURS PLANT FOOD COMPANY Box 500 Marion, Ohio 43302

age earnings and a future with

5-15-2 LAWN MOWING - Your mower or mine. Mark Guinther, 872-

THING GOES!!!!

in country, cement pad, large lot. 2 1/2 miles from Cass City. Call 673-2679 after 5. 5-22-1

Gagetown Women's Study Club annual Rummage Sale

June 16 - 28

Bring items June

14, (from 10-5)

to Mosack\_Building\_in-Gage-

5-22-1

town.

ELMER H. FRANCIS, licensed builder. New homes or remodeling. Roofing, siding, barns, pole buildings. Phone 872-2921,

FOR SALE - Black dirt and gravel. Arlan Brown, phone 658-4132.

GROSS

MEAT MARKET FOR PERSONAL SERVICE

And the Best in Meats

Our Own Make of Fine Sausages and Smoked Meats

Freezer Meats Always

Available

9-23-tf FOR RENT - house, in Cass City, in exchange for caretaking duties. Retired couple preferred. Call Caro 673-

Elkland - Novesta

Community Chest

a growing organization. Our Those solicitors who have not turned in envelopes please do so as soon as possible to either Cass City State Bank or Toby Weaver, 6277 Virginia Dr.

> SEPTIC TANK CLEANING call Dale Rabideau, Cass City 872-3581 or 872-3000. 3-24-tf

ALL EQUIPMENT INCLUDED!!!

5 ACRES: BETWEEN Cass City & Caro - Mobile home fully

furnished; small barn with concrete floor; new 88' deep

well with own water system; comes with John Deere tractor

on rubber; 2 bottom plow; discs; cultipacker; cultivator;

wagon; 5 acres mostly clear - some woods; choice garden

soil - corn is in - large garden mostly seeded to vegetables;

raspberries, strawberries - all this for \$15,500,00 EVERY-

SMALL RESTAURANT ---- ALWAYS BUSY!!!!

Everything goes - building - choice location; fully equipped

120' LAKEFRONT HOME!!!

WEST BRANCH!!! Hardwood Lake - 120' LAKE Frontage

Year Around Executive Home; 2 years old - Panaramic

View of Lake - 3 bedrooms with wall to wall carpeting;

lots of storage and closet space; 13x48' RECREATION

ROOM with FIREPLACE; bar; 18x24' garage attached to

IN AKRON, MICHIGAN

BEAUTIFUL HOME: Six room home with many exceptional

features; Birch kitchen cabinets; built-ins; dining room with

built-in china cabinet; 12x21' living room with plastered

walls; beamed ceiling; 24x28' FAMILY ROOM with FIRE-

PLACE; air conditioner remains; extra large lo. 90x150'

DO YOU OWN A PLANE??? COUNTRY LIVING!!! A beautiful

2400 square feet hexagon shaped home with many features;

Copper Hooded FIREPLACE; situated on 26 acres of rolling

land between Cass City and Caro ---- PRIVATE "parklike"

grounds - 2200 feet RUNWAY for your PLANE; hangar;

horse shelter and storage; plus 50x75' American Building

with 6" reinforced concrete floor; 42' electric door; 2 1/2

years old; suitable for light manufacturing; etc. Taxes only

\$587.98 in 1974; Ready for the executive who wants PRIVACY

RETIREES OR NEWLYWEDS!!!! 1/2 ACRE on black-top

road - comes with small home attached to 12x60' mobile

home to make 3 bedrooms; large living room; 1 1/2 BATH-

ROOMS; plus lots of closets and storage room; garage -

very neat in and out - Widow offers at \$13,000.00. HURRY!!!

ATTRACTIVE SETTING: 2.7 ACRES - Ranch type home 3

years old with 3 bedrooms; lots of closet and storage space:

new 28x26' garage; horse barn; plus another 14x20' garage

IN CASS CITY: Stately double brick 9 room home with 5

bedrooms; aluminum storms and screens; nestled high and

dry among many trees; circular drive; garage; or if desired,

could easily be converted into INCOME PROPERTY. Priced

3-3/4 ACRES: M-81 highway - BASEMENT HOME with 5

rooms; natural gas in; 221' deep well with own water system;

PLUS 26x45' block building suitable for antique shop, body

bumping, used furniture sales, etc. --- All this for \$16.000.

SPECIAL!!! 4 ACRES - 24x60' modular home with full

basement; 2 bathrooms; 2 years old - wall to wall carpeting

- price reduced from \$28,500. to \$22,500.00 for immediate

10x55' mobile home - very neat in and out - all furnished

plus --- Offered to you for \$125,000.00 terms.

- nicely landscaped - \$37,500.00 terms.

---- offered to you for \$3500.00.

at \$46,500.

and stocked - \$13,500,00. Owner retiring!!!!

home; many other features!!!! Asking \$55,000.

- offered to you at \$28,250.00.

your high quality Jacques seed corn now! All 93% or better germination. Roger Root, 872-3718 or 872-3009. 5-1-5

STANLEY Hostess Party at Mrs. May Cunningham's residence, 6444 West 7th St., June 6 at 7 o'clock, All who like Stanley parties, please come, bring a friend and get acquainted. Will serve coffee and refreshments.

AUCTIONEERING - See Lorn "Slim" Hillaker, Top-dollaryour property. Phone 872-3019 Cass City, 10 3-tf

The Kingston Cheerleaders are sponsoring a Carnival

> Kingston High School May 31, 1975

Refreshments, games, prizes All ages welcome. Games for all ages, Prices for games: 15¢ - 25¢.

1 p.m.-8 p.m.

FOR SALE - oak buffet, Jacobean style; carved doors, drawer, and molding. Best offer takes, Call Caro 673-

FOR "a job well done feeling" clean carpets with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Ben Franklin Store, Cass

6-11-tf

FOR SALE - used electric stove, \$20. Phone 872-2644.

> Memorial Day Specials

Ladies knit shorts Ladies & Children's summer shoes, . .25% off Ladies spring

City.

Tube sox for Stripe tops. . . . . 2 for \$1.50 Federated Store

For fast, guaranteed work VAL VANCE - custom cabinets, tops, carpentry. Cass City. Phone 872-3716.

FOR SALE BY B.A. CALKA REAL ESTATE RETIREMENT OR NEWLY WEDS!!!! 1/2 ACRE on blacktop road between Caro and Cass City; small home with 1 bedroom, living room; bathroom connected to 12x60' Castle Mobile home making 3 bedrooms and 1 1/2 bathrooms; garage; choice garden spot - widow offers for \$13,000.00.

> over \$275,000.00 - 60x80' building with good lease and reasonable - comes with equipment and guaranteed inventory of \$10,000.00 included for \$69,500.00 terms. IDEAL FAMILY BUSINESS.

WANT A BUSINESS?????? We have a GOOD ONE --- Grossing

COLLISION SHOP: Building is 30x90' reasonable rent comes completely equipped; including inventory --- \$35,000.00 or will trade for WHAT HAVE YOU?

RANCH TYPE HOME - 3 years old in Immaculate Condition - 3 bedrooms with lots of closet and storage room; wall to wall carpeting: lot 84x170' - nicely landscaped: sodded draperies, curtains; TV antenna and rotor and disposal remain with home; vacant - IMMEDIATE POSSESSION ---- Quiet residential area - \$30,500,00 terms.

DO YOU WANT A JOB????? We have a good little business in Cass City - well established - always busy - one man operation - \$29,500.00 only \$5,000 down. PLEASE Call office for particulars.

RANCH TYPE HOME 2 1/2 years old - aluminum siding and brick front; wall to wall carpeting; laundry room off kitchen; garage attached to home; \$25,500.00 terms.

2 ACRES: REMODELED 9 room home with 6 bedrooms; all new forced hot air furnace; 18x24' family size kitchen; full basement; wall to wall carpeting; 2 bathrooms; Oak and Pine trees in front of home; other buildings - new 3 car garage; all this for \$37,500.00.

6 ACRES: Close into CASS CITY: RANCH TYPE HOME with 3 bedrooms; lots of closets and storage room; knotty pine kitchen; laundry room off kitchen; wall to wall carpeting; 2 bathrooms; breezeway attached to new 3 car garage; very scenic overlooking CASS RIVER - many other features - priced to sell at \$31,500.00. Call today for an appoint-

120 ACRES: only 4 1/2 miles from Cass City - mostly wooded - secluded - if you want peace and contentment - and good hunting - look no further!!!! \$30,000, \$5,000.

66 ACRES - close into Cass City - TILED - buildings -\$60,000,00 terms.

BUSINESS BUILDING - formerly hardware - comes with all remaining stock; all equipment; living quarters; choice location; \$22,000.00 terms.

GAGETOWN: JUST LISTED!!!! 3 1/2 year old Ranch Type home with 3 bedrooms; lots of storage and closet space; full basement; natural gas heating system; Aluminum siding on home; wall to wall carpeting - aluminum storms and screens; owner moving closer to employment; overlooking Country Club and Village of Gagetown --- \$26,500.00 terms.

10 ACRES on blacktop road - RANCH TYPE 24x51' modular home with 2 BATHROOMS; 3 bedrooms; wall to wall carpeting: 200' deep well with own water system; 60x160' POND - 12' deep - about 5 acres wooded - owners leaving STATE --- All yours for \$29,500.00 terms.

WE HAVE MANY BUYERS WAITING!!! For THESE and OTHER listings please call: B. A. CALKA, Realtor Cass City, Michigan 48726 Telephone: Area Code 517-872-3355 or call:

Fred E. McEachern William C. Hunter Associate 872-3355 Cass City

665-2261 Gagetown

Merrill L. Harvitt 872-4254 Cass City Shirley A. Kappen.

872-3420 Cass City Serving this community for over 22 years in Real Estate.

5-22-1

WATER SOFTENER Salt -80 pound bag, \$3.45, cash and carry. Fuelgas Co., Cass City, phone 872-2161.

FOR SALE - 1973 340FA and 1973 Silver Bullet 294 Ski Doos, Best offer, Call 683-2123.

DEERING PACKING

Fresh counter meats Open 7 days - weekdays

Sundays 1-5 p.m. Halves and quarters for sale. We wrap and freeze.

till 5. Open Friday till 9,

For trucking, phone 761-5 miles south and 2 1/2 west of Kingston on E. Mayville

FOR SALE - John Deere sprayer, John Deere 2-14 bottom plow and bean puller, Surge motor, pump and milker. Call 872-2777, 5-15-3

9902 days, 665-2245 eve-WANTED - 1950 Buick - running or for parts or any other make of '50's or older. SIEGLER GAS Furnaces - mo-Ray Picklo, Elkton, Mi. bile home and residential --Phone 375-4240 after 5. from \$239,95, at Fuelgas Co.,

> FURNISHED apartments for rent - one - all utilities paid: two small apartments - ideal for single girl. See Bud Schneeberger, Main St., Cass City. Call for appointment.

FOR RENT - apartment type living for girls, 1 block south of light. New washer and dryer, Furnished, Rent includes all utilities. Phone 872-3570. 12-12-tf

Vacancy

Room for one

Female Patient

in lovely country home. Clean conditions and good

Phone 517-658-5103

USED GAS RANGE - 30-inch, avocado, Magic Chef, \$39.95. Fueigas Co., Cass City, M-53 and M-81. Phone 872-2161. 5-15-tf

'69 CHEVROLET 1/2 ton pickup, 6 cylinder, stick, low miles, good condition, \$850 cash: 5102 Schweigler Rd., 1 mile east, 1 1/4 north of Cass City. 5-15**-2** 

FOR SALE - Homelite chain saws; Johnson outboard motors, boats and accessories. Boyd Shaver's Garage, Caro. across from Caro Drive-In. Phone OSborn 3-3039.

For Rent Hillside North Apartments

One and two bedroom units. Kitchen appliances, carpets, drapes, laundry, and

storage. Phone 673-6708. Smith Builders

SHINGLING, Spray Painting white-washing. For shingling phone 517-761-7088. Ray Briggs, Clifford, Mi., phone 517-761-7282. 5-15-8

APARTMENT For Rent - one bedroom, furnished, Above Light Pharmacy, phone 872-3613. 5-22-2

MAGIC CHEF gas NEW ranges, 30-inch size. Any color. Special \$199.95. Fuelgas Co., Cass City, phone 872-2161. Corner M-81 and M-53. 5-15-tf

EAT, DRINK, ice cream. Grim's Drive-In, corner M-81 and M-53, Cass City. 5-8-4

HELP WANTED - Part time sales position available. Enjoyable atmosphere, Mature woman preferred. Respond Box P, Care of Chronicle, 5-22-2

Re-Roof Awnings Re-Side Insulate Aluminum Windows and Doors Call or Write Bill Sprague, owner

of Elkton Roofing and Siding

NOTICE

Company Elkton 375-4215 Bad Axe CO 9-7469 Bad Axe CO 9-7158 Terms to 5 years 3-17-tf

FOR SALE - 2 riding horses; 14-ft. aluminum boat, motor and trailer. Best offer. Phone 872-2371.

ATTENTION - anyone interested in a country music vacation in Nashville June 26 through 29, leave name, address and phone number at Box A, Cass City Chronicle. You will be notified, 5-22-2

BAND B Refrigeration - Repair all makes of washers, driers, refrigerators, freezers and ranges, Call Caro 673-6125.

FOR SALE - Two 15-inch

chrome reverse wheels plus

set of baby moons for 15-

inch wheels. Brand new. \$35 for all, 872-3932, 5-22-1 USED ELECTRIC range - 30inch, white, GE, \$39,95.

Fuelgas Co., Cass City, phone 872-2161. 5-15-tf SIAMESE KITTENS - Choco-

Phone 872-3663. 5 - 22 - 1CUSTOM BUTCHERING -Monday and by 10 a.m. Tuesday. By appointment only, Cutting and wrapping for deep freeze, 1 1 2 miles south.

Carl Reed, Cass City, Phone

10-27-tf

late Point, 2 males, wormed

and litter trained, \$25 each,

Full line of fencing and

poultry netting

at Albee True Value Hardware

Cass City

TUESDAY is chicken night at the Cass City Hotel & Restaurant, 3 piece chicken dinner for only \$1.39.

WANTED TO BUY - Parcel of land, within 5 miles of Cass City, Suitable site for basement home. Write box O, care of Cass City Chronicle, Cass City.

BLACK DIRT - Don Shagene. Call 872-3648.

AUCTIONEER EXPERIENCED Complete Auctioneering Service Handled Anywhere.

My Experience Is Your Assurance IRA AND DAVID OSENTOSKI

We make All Arrangements

Cass City 872-2352 collect '74 BLACK Dodge van, V8 automatic. Power steering, foam insulation, rear seat, mag wheels, trailer hitch.

PHONE:

FAGAN'S THUMB Carpet Cleaning - Dry foam or steam. Also upholstery and wall cleaning. Free Estimates, Clifford 761-7503,

Call 683-2123.

RABBITS, all sizes and colors. Phone 872-4157.

For Rent Lawn Roller - \$2,00 day, Give your lawn a head start. by renting our Power Rake.

Rental fee \$3.00 per hour. Use our Scotts Spreader at no charge when you purchase Scott products. Albee True Value

Hardware Cass City 3-27-tf RETURN Lawn spreaders to Klein Fertilizers, Cass City.

BLACK DIRT and gravel for sale, Phone 872-3497. 4-24-tf

FOR SALE - Small two horse trailer, \$250.00. Phone 872-3250.

ian with year-old colt. Call 872-3667 5-15-tf

BICYCLES

AMF & BROWNING over 20 models to choose from Men's 26" 10 speed \$86.50 plus set up charge Albee True Value

> Hardware Cass City 3-20-tf

FOR SALE - 15 ft, wood boat, 25 hp. Electric start and trailer. Phone 872-2405.

WANTED - Retired or semiretired individual for 3rd shift managerial duties in Cass City, 5 nights weekly, Law enforcement or military experience helpful but not necessary. Send resume and salary requirements to Cass City Chronicle, Box

PAPER NAPKINS imprinted with names and dates for weddings, receptions, showers, anniversaries and other occasions. The Cass City Chronicle. 1-12-tf

Saturday, May 24, at Colony House, Tickets still available. Starting at 6 p.m. \$6.50 person,

mobile home 10 x 50, Good condition. Wayne Whittaker, phone 872-3091. Make offer.

WOULD like to thank all my friends and neighbors for their wonderful help while my husband was in the hospital. God bless everyone. Mrs. Catherine Palmer.

WE THANK all who helped to make our 35th anniversary open house such a success. To those who called at the church: for all the cards, gifts and other kindnesses: especially our family and others who worked so hard to make it so very nice. Also thank you to Iva for the beautiful anniversary cake, Clayton and Luella Root. 5-22-1

I WOULD like to thank all my friends, neighbors and relatives who called and sent greeting cards while I was in Hills and Dales Hospital. Thanks to Dr. Lee, all the nurses on their staff, also Rev. Melvin Vender for his visits and prayers and Shabbona United Methodist women. Everything was appreciated, God bless each and every one of you, Mr. John

WORDS ARE inadequate to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends and neighbors who sent cards, flowers, money and food during the loss of our dear husband, father and grandfather. A special thank you to Drs. Nigg and Miles and the staff of Caro Community Hospital and to Ben and Marilyn Collon; also to Rev. Eldred Kelley for his comforting words. The family of Melvin Phillips.

5-22-1 ily.

Near Caro: move right in - 4 bedroom ranch - kitchen, stove stays - dining area - living room - carpeting throughout - bath - attached 2 car garage - aluminum storms and screens - lot 156' x 162' - very nicely landscaped.

Ideal week-end retreat: 4 bedroom older home (brick) 2 1/2 acres - home has some remodeling - completed recently - garage - several buildings. B-CY-406

New business in Caro - good potential: Due to illness owner has to sell - His & Her Clothes Closet. M1-C-270.

also restaurant, basement has health center, lots of extras. CONTACTO J. McLeod Realty

PHONE: 1-517-673-6106 Day or Night

Robert Becker - 872-4002, G. Albert Goodall - 872-2580, Raymond and Glenda Nelson - 872-4516, Gene Stoll - 872-

Links Trans day - 2 th and with the

PIG ROAST and chicken -

FOR SALE - 1963 Rambrandt

Palmer.

WE WISH to express our thanks and appreciation to Dr. Theron Donahue, the Hills and Dales Hospital staff, relatives and friends for the love and kindness to our loved one during her illness and in our bereavement. A special thanks for the visits, gifts, and flowers from the Walbro Corporation and employees. We sincerely thank Rev. Jerry Cramer for his many visits prayers, and words of comfort, Mr. Edward Mahaffey, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Orcutt and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Gierman and fam-

REAL ESTATE

Hotel 43 rooms: bar with beer, wine and liquor license,

630 N. State Street Caro, Mi. 48723

M. Dale Brown - 872-3158, Maynard McConkey - 872-2537. 5-8-3 3923. 5-1-4

## Hitters fail—Hawks lose close ones

Coach Ron Nurnberger's Cass City Red Hawks diamond nine is out of the running for any honors in the Thumb B Conference this

year with a 2-8 record. However, the team is better than its record with seven one-run defeats in its eight

It's a matter of inexperience with 10 juniors and four seniors\_playing...Of\_the\_four\_ seniors only two have had any previous varsity experience. They are Jerry Toner and Dáve Romig.

Toner is playing like a four-year letterman should. He's batting .458 in 12 games, tops for the team and with his experience can play anyA sore arm has kept him

from the mound where he was a mainstay for three years. A couple of new men have helped plug some of the holes left by graduation. One is Ed Lowe who missed the early season games but came back to lead the team with a .444 average in nine tries. He's playing a Mickey Stanley type\_center\_field,\_too.---

Another is Ken Lowe in his first year out for baseball. He's been an anchor at shortstop and is cuffing the apple at .315.

The remainder of the batting averages give mute testimony of another of the ills of the team. There just

## Top performers at regionals

Cass City qualified its 880 and mile relay teams and three individuals to the State Finals following regional competition at Marlette Sat-

The Hawks 880-relay team took the school's only first with a 1:35.87 clocking. Also qualified was the mile relay team. Cass City finished third with 21½ points.

Individuals going on to the State will be Blaise Posluszny in the 100; Skip Speirs in the 880 and Brent Dickson in the mile. All finished third in the Regional.

There were several outstanding individual performances at the meet. In Class C both were by member of the champion Unionville-Sebewaing team.

In the high jump, Fred

Diehl skied to 6 feet 51/2 inches to win. In the pole vault Randy Balzer went 13 feet 7 inches. The mark was a personal high for Diehl, a sophomore, but Balzer has been better in previous

meets. In Class D, Dwight Jones smoked through the 100 in :9.75 to win first for Grosse Pointe University Liggett.

USA made a shambles of the team competition more than doubling the total of second place Vassar, 881/2 points to 41.

Other teams finished in the following order: Harbor Beach, 17; Reese, 13; Almont, 91/2; Sandusky, 8; Mayville, 7; Capac, 7; Lakers, 6; Brown City, 6; Bad Axe, 51/2; Akron-Fairgrove, 5; Marlette, 3; Deckerville, 1; Bendell, 1.

hasn't been any hitting. Ed Stoutenburg is clipping along at a not-so-bad .269, and Wayne Brooks has managed a .222, but none of the rest of the club is hitting .200 or more.

A pleasant surprise on the mound has been Mike Gruber. Gruber is just 1-1 but has shown steady improvement during the year.

Ken Lowe can take the mound.\_He\_lacks\_polish-butcan throw hard. When he's out of the infield it leaves a gap hard to fill. As a team the Hawks are

batting .189, hardly enough to throw any scares into opposing pitchers. Following a double header that was played Tuesday,

Cass City has three games left to play in the league. The race has settled down to a three-team affair among leading Vassar with an 8-2 mark and Sandusky and Frankenmuth with 7-3 rec-

Cass City took Franken-muth out of the top spot last Eagles in the opening game of a double header.

## Helwig gets

ace at

#### **Rolling Hills**

Cass City golfer Maynard Helwig scored a hole-in-one on the fifth hole at Rolling Hills Golf Course Saturday, May 10.

Helwig made his ace on the par three, 102-yard hole with a wedge. Witnesses to the hole-in-one were Dave Lovejoy, Dale McIntosh and Elwyn Helwig.



LOCATION: 4 east, 4 south, 3/4 west of Cass City, or 15 north, 3/4 west of Marlette, on Severance Rd.

# SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1975

1 o'clock

**Household Items:** Maple dining room set Complete bedroom set Maple wood Hi Fi Mahogany desk and chair Royal typewriter, portable Remington adding machine 3 hanging lamps Drum table 2 odd chairs Large bench Cedar chest 16 qt. pressure cooker Canning kettles Sunbeam mixer Assorted dishes, pots and pans Canning jars

Shed Auction: TD9 dozer with angling blade Low boy

Davenport and 2 chairs

Other miscellaneous items

Ford Major, with Sherman loader and back hoe, with two buckets 20", 12" Ford tractor 8N, like new rub-

ber, with Waggoner loader Pulley for Ford tractor, and power take-off extension Grader blade, 3 point hitch 2 Wheel trailer

2 Ton Chevrolet truck with grain box, in good condition, 10,000 mileage Concrete mixer Home built air compressor

Sears 2 hp Acro-Arm saw with cabinet Bonanza 7 hp 32" electric start

grass mower Sears 3½ hp rotary spader 3000 watt generator, like new 1½ ton chain fall

Heavy large steel bench Electric arc welder 200 amp Acetylene cutting and brazing torch tank and cart

2 vises 50 gal. of hydraulic oil 303 40 gal. 10w30

540 gal. gas tank and stand

Set of 16 ft. extension ladders. wood 2 wheels and snow tires L 78-15

700 new brick (rainbow color) Pipe and angle iron

2 storage cabinets 1 steel shelving

550 - 2x4x8 No. 2 18 - 2x6x16

14 sheets of building celotex Some 1x8x8 walnut rough cut Used 1/2" 4x8 plywood 4 sheets Numerous quantity of other lumber

2 - 5 ft. ladders

1½ hp motor  $2 - \frac{1}{4}$  hp motors

2 sets of steel scaffolding Drill press with 1/2" electric drill

Many more items too numerous to mention

## SYLVESTER OSANTOSKI, Owner

CLERK: Pinney State Bank

Auctioneer: Harold Copeland

# Relay teams smash school marks

Cass City broke three school records in the three relay events in the Thumb B League meet held last Wednesday in Caro but failed to win any of the events.
Although Cass City failed to

win a first in the meet, the over-all team depth enabled the club to finish third in the meet and in the league. The Hawks took 5412 points. As expected the battle for

the league crown was a two-school affair between Frankenmuth and Vassar, Frankenmuth won with 119 points-while-Vassar netted

Other teams in order of finish were: Sandusky, 32; Bad Axe, 31; Caro, 3012; Lakers, 2012, and Marlette,

Pacing Cass City was Blaise Posluszny who was second in the 220, fifth in the 100 and was a member of the mile relay team. Ed Stouten-burg was a member of two of the relay teams and finished third in the low hurdles. Dallas Engelhart was second in the 440 and ran legs for two of the relay teams. The complete results:

HIGH JUMP: 1. Joe Miles-C, week when they defeated the 2. Welch-F, 3. Rayl-M, 4. Swinton-V, 5. Wissner-L, 6. (tie) Mullin-C and C. Haire-CC. H-

POLE VAULT: 1. Mills-V, 2. Thompson-C, 3. Swinton-V, 4. Currington-V, 5. Ballard-CC. H-LONG JUMP: 1. Bill Wright-

6. Mills-V. D-19-1112. SHOT PUT: 1. Jeff Reinbold-F 2. J. Brown-L, 3. Slavin-BA, 4. Fraham-F, 5. Putnam-C, 6. Morin-L. D-51-2.

880-YARD RELAY: 1. Frank-enmuth, 2. Vassar, 3. Cass City, 4. Bad Axe, 5. Sandusky, 6. Caro. T-1:33.2.

880-YARD RUN: 1. Holmes-F, 2. Duclos-F, 3. Henderson-S, 4. Speirs-CC, 5. Smith-V, 6. Kraft-

HIGH HURDLES: 1. Don Gohs-V, 2. Miles-C, 3. Dender-F, 4. Allardyce-F, 5. Niergarth-F, 6. Swinton-V. T-14.95. MILE RUN: 1. Fall-V, 2. Neitengauber-F, 3. Dickson-CC,

4. Grady-S, 5. Titus-M, 6. Palmer-V. T-4:35.2.
100-YARD DASH: 1. Baronowski-F, 2. Wright-V, 3. Frank-F, 4. Smith-BA, 5. Posluszny-CC, 6. McInnes-M. T-10.1

440-YARD DASH: 1. Holmes-F 2. Engelhart-CC, 3. Smith-C, 4. Currington-V, 5. Smith-V, 6. Wade-V. T-52.7.

Wade-V. T-52.7.
LOW HURDLES: 1. Gohs-V. 2.
Allardyce-F, 3. Stoutenburg-CC,
4. Leibler-S, 5. McGinnis-M, 6.
Bender-F. T-20.4.
TWO-MILE RUN: 1. Dan
Brunet-L, 2. Hoerll-M, 3.
Romain-C, 4. Werner-F, 5.

Burke-M, 6. Rhodes-C. T-10:31. 220-YARD DASH: 1. Baronowski-F, 2. Posluszny-CC, 3. Frank-F, 4. Lee-V, 5. Wright-V 6. Smith-L. T-22.0.

MILE RELAY: 1. Frankenmuth, 2. Cass City, 3. Vassar, 4. Sandusky, 5. Bad Axe, 6. Marlette. T-3:32.3.

440-YARD RELAY: 1. Bad Axe, 2. Sandusky and Cass City, 4. Vassar, 5. Lakers, 6. Franken-

### V, 2. Stenglien-F, 3. Parlberg-F, 4. Vassar, 5. I 4. Gerstenberger-S, 5. Newton-V, muth. T-46.2. Girls qualify 4 for State

Cass City High School will send four members of its Girl's Track team to the state meet in Kalamazoo May 31 following action in the Class C and D regional meet held Friday at Cass City.

In the meet, Lisa Zimba took the 440 with a time of 1:04.6, good for a spot in the state meet. The mile relay team including Ms. Zimba, Kim Witherspoon, Sylvia Leppek and Vicki Lapp, placed second with a time of 4:35.9, just a tenth of a second behind winning Sandusky, good for another notch in the state finals.

Commenting on the placings, coach Pam Beardslee said having four girls at the state meet after only two years of competition is a tribute to the work the girls have put in this season.

"They've all done real well," Ms. Beardslee said. "Lisa Zimba has consistently cut down on her time in the 440, cutting a second off each time she ran it.'

She said freshman Vicki Lapp and Junior Sylvia Leppek are just now hitting their strides. Ms. Leppek joined the team late and was only able to put in a week's practice prior to the season's start, while other team members had three weeks' practice.

"Vicki Lapp was out twoand-a-half weeks with eight stitches in her knee, so she's. just nicely hitting her stride, Ms. Beardslee said.

Kim Witherspoon placed third in the 880 at Friday's regionals, as well as competing on the mile relay team. "It's a very young team," Ms. Beardslee said. "We're hoping for a good showing at the state and I think we can do

This year, the team won a quadrangle meet from Akron-Fairgrove, Marlette and Lakers, tied Reese in a triangular meet which Unionville-Sebewaing won and lost to Vassar. Saginaw Douglas MacArthur and Caro prior to the regional meet Friday. In the regionals, Sandusky

and Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart ran off with team honors in Class C and D respectively. Sandusky scored 32½ points

to nip second-place Alcona in Class C, while Sacred Heart took Beal City 63-34. Other point totals in Class C

were Vassar, 27; USA; 22; Harbor Beach, 18; Akron-Fairgrove, 17; Cass City, 13; Brown City and Lakers with 12 each; Mayville, 11; Deckerville, 6; Reese, 4; Ubly 11/2; Bad Axe and Standish-Sterling with 1 each.

In Class D, Fulton-Middleton was third with 271/2, followed by Arenac Eastern, 24; Michigan Lutheran Seminary, 16; Hale, 15; Genesee, 131/2; Owen-Gage, 7; Au Gres, 4; Dryden, 3; and Kingston, 1.

## Girls win 2 in softball

Cass City High School's Girl's Softball team picked up two more wins in competition this past week, demolishing Mayville 21-11 Thursday and coming from behind to defeat Caro Tuesday 7-6.

The Mayville game was won on walks, according to Coach Kally Maharg. Mayville pitchers gave up 13 walks, while the Hawks issued only one free pass. The game ended after five innings, due to the 10-run rule. Tuesday's contest was

much closer, with the Hawks coming from behind with three runs in the seventh inning for the victory. Elaine Stoutenburg collected three hits to spark the victory.

The Hawks take on Akron-Fairgrove Friday and meet Goodrich in pre-district play Saturday at 2:00 p.m. at

Both contests were nonleague. The Hawks' record now stands at 5-1 for the



CASS CITY MERCHANT softball team begins action Thursday. The squad, from left, front row: Don Galbraith, Louis Salas, Eugene Salas, Al Romig, Jack Hillaker, John Smentek. Back row: Jerry Toner, Mike Murphy, Scott Hartel, Don Ouvry,



THE OLD CASS CITY School record in the mile relay was 3:34.6. The new mark set in the conference meet is 3:33.9. The record setters are: Skip Speirs, Russ Schweikart, Brent Dickson and Dallas Englehart.



THE OLD CASS CITY School record in the 880 relay was 1:34.0. The new record set in the conference meet is 1:33.9. The record setters are: Brent Dickson, Dallas Englehart, Ed Stoutenburg and Blaise Posluszny.



THE OLD CASS CITY School record in the 440 relay was :46.8. The new mark is :46.5 set in the conference meet. The record setters are: Jeff Kawecki, Jan Grenholm, Ed Stoutenburg, Mike

## Softball action starts

Wednesday July 2

Wednesday July 9

Monday -

Thursday

Cass City will field a team in the Thumb Travelling League fast pitch softball league but local fans won't be able to see them play at home.

That's because the softball diamond at Cass City Recreational Park is no longer adequate because of the fence that cuts off the outfield. The team plays at Reese, Bay City, Sebewaing, Pigeon,-

The club will sport new uniforms purchased with funds from merchants and from a raffle. The schedule:

Thursday	May 22	7:20	Akron	At Reese
Tuesday	May 27	8:45	Bay City	at Bay City
Thursday	May 29	8:45 1	Reese	at Reese
Monday	June 2	8:45	Pigeon	at Sebewain
Wednesday	June 4	7:20	Sebewaing	at Pigeon
Thursday	June 5	7:20	Frankenmuth	at Unionville
Wednesday	June 11	8:45		at Pigeon
Thursday	June 12	8:45	Unionville	at Unionvill
Tuesday 1	June 17	7:20	Unionville	at Akron
Thursday	June 19	7:20	Frankenmuth	at Unionvill
Tuesday	June 24	7:20	Bay City	at Akron
Tuesday	July 1	7:20		at Akron

8:45

8:45

7:20

Pigeon

Sebewaing

at Pigeon

at Pigeon

at Unionvil

at Sebewain

Ron Ouvry, Ken Lowe, Craig Helwig. Missing is Henry Cooklin. 

# Walbro visitors will see 5 plants in operation at open house Friday

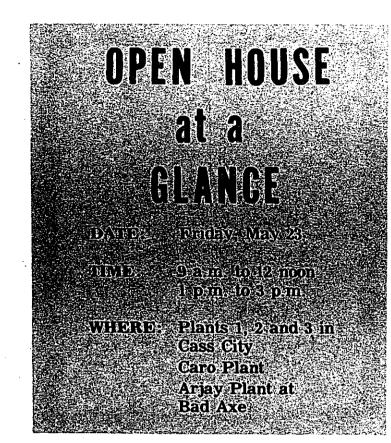
Vice-President Victor Guernsey has announced that plans are complete for the open house scheduled to be held at five of the company's six plants Friday,

President W. E. Walpole and the rest of the management said that the plants would be operating during the open house so that visitors can see the various factories in operation.

Families of workers are especially urged to attend, authorities said, and workers will be allowed time off to show them through the plant where they

It's likely that many of the visitors will be surprised at the varied products produced at the plant.

At plant number one, at 6242 Garfield, the original, later expanded company building, where carburetors are built will be in production. Adjacent to this building is the carburetor engineering plant which is also open for viewing.



Carburetors are also manufactured in the recently added Caro plant at 630 Columbia Street, a modern spacious building.

At plant number 2 in Cass City at 6172 Main Street, several brands and models of electric fuel pumps are manufactured. The plant will be in full

The pumps and carburetors are old line products of Walbro. At plant three in Cass City at 6120 Church Street, visitors will have the opportunity to see Walbro engine heaters and Walbro vibration analyzers manufactured.

Finally, visitors can visit Arjay Manufacturing at 414 E. Soper Road, Bad Axe, where many different types of plastic items are manufactured by injection molding.

Guided tours of the plant will be held from 9 a.m. until noon and from 1 p.m.

# M&R GROCERY

SOUTH SEEGER

**VILLAGE LIMITS** 



EFFICIENT SERVICE GROWING

WITH THE COMMUNITY.

OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.

#### PLANT ARRANGEMENTS



#### **GARDENING NEEDS:**

Garden Seeds - Onion Sets -Seed Potatoes - Plants [flowers and vegetables] - Peat Fertilizers - Hot Caps etc. By the Plant or Flat

#### **STORE HOURS:**

OPEN MONDAY thru SATURDAY 8 a.m. - 9 p.m. SUNDAY 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

to WALBRO on your 25th Anniversary

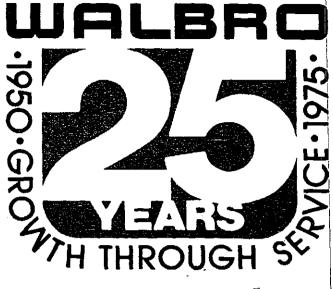
## CASS CITY CHRONICLE

SUPPLEMENT SECTION I

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN-THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975



W.E. WALPOLE





LAMBERT ALTHAVER

#### **Editorial**

## Nice guys don't always finish last

While beds of a finite of the first terms.

The following editorial was written 11 years ago when Walbro celebrated its 10th year in Cass City. After re-reading it closely I found no reason to change

it. The facts are as true today as they were when first written.

There are many features of the Walbro Corporation-Cass City story. Most of them are well known to persons interested in the community.

Certainly most of the facts that have been publicized make interesting reading and are important. How the coming of Anrod and Walbro to the Cass City community sparked a turn in the village's image to industry; the planning of the Industrial Development Committee; the cooperation and investment by citizens of the community .... all were unusual at the time and all were held up to other communities as an example of excellent community-industrial relations. Any businessman can tell you what the coming of industry has done to make the cash registers ring. The employment offered by local industry has been a boon to many area families and has boosted the wage standard of all workers in the area, wherever they may

be employed.

Important as these advances are they do not reveal the one facet that has made the company so important and such an integral part of Cass City.

The facet is the guiding principle of the company, as expressed by its president in various stockholders reports:

"Walbro aims to Serve, and by serving well expects to prosper. Walbro is striving to provide the type of activity that will bless all ... the customer, our employees, the communities in which we operate and our stockholders. If we do this well, I am sure a share of it will accrue to Walbro Corporation."

It is this spirit that has moved Walbro to establish a scholarship, donate generously to hospitals, insist that 🤝 top personnel actively support the community and to "lend a hand" whenever and wherever it has been possible for them to do so.

Under this philosophy the company and the community have jointly prospered. Nice guys don't always finish last.

## Cass City Lanes: busy Love of motorcycles steers and up-to-date

A popular gathering spot for some of the top amateur area bowlers is Cass City Lanes, located at 4533 Weaver St., and owned by Raymond Schweikart.

Schweikart and his wife have owned and operated the lanes the past 11 years, purchasing the business from Bill Bridges. The building was constructed shortly after World War II by Norm Huff and Vern

Schweikart, a native of Detroit, came to Cass City from Harsen's Island with the idea of taking a stab at the management of a bowling alley. The move paid off and today, Cass City Lanes is one of the busiest

Since Schweikart took over the business, he's done major refurbishing including a new roof, new heating system and new seats, along with updating the AMF. automatic pinspotters, originally installed 18 years ago.

Cass City Lanes features eight professionally-conditioned alleys along with every accessory needed to help improve any bowler's game. An assortment of bags, shoes, and wrist straps, along with refreshments, makes bowling at Cass City Lanes a pleasure. There's also a pool table to occupy your

time if you'd rather try your hand at something a little less strenuous than bowling. Cass City Lanes also features lockers for regular bowlers who don't want the inconvenience of transporting ball, bag and shoes each time.

Ten different leagues bowl five nights a week during the season. Even with this heavy demand, there's still time for plenty of open bowling Fridays, Saturdays and Sunday afternoons.

Bowling has grown in popularity over the years in Cass City according to the Schweikarts. That's because it's a sport

you can follow all through life, he said. "Take football or baseball," he said. "those are sports you can play only a small part of your life. Bowling is something you can do right into your 70's."



**BOWLING IS Carol Ware** 

# Gnagey into business here

sales and service in motorcycles, then the place to check out is Cass City Cycle Sales, located at 6268 Main St.

Owner Roger Gnagey is no stranger to motorcycles. Since 1966, Gnagey has lived motorcycles and has become an expert in what makes cycles run and sell.

Gnagey, a native of the Sebewaing area. began fooling around with his older brother's machine before graduation from high school. In 1969, he went to work for Bad Axe Cycle Sales and, while there, he also repaired cycles at Elkton Suzuki.

The following year, he joined Cass City Cycle Sales, then owned by Stuart Atwell and in 1971, purchased the business, which had been operating since 1965. Since the purchase, Gnagey has added expanded the service department.

"We look at service as the most important part of our business,"Gnagey says. "Our slogan is 'Service is our Salesman', and that says it all."

"People seem to want combination road and trail bikes," Gnagey says.

In addition to cycle sales, Gnagey offers a complete line of Yamaha snowmobiles and accessories including helmets, suits, jackets, gloves, tools parts and, 'most importantly, service.

The service department is headed by mechanic Paul Swartzendruber, who has been trained both by Gnagey and by factory representatives of Yamaha. Swartzendruber has worked at Cass City Cycle Sales since 1973.

## Roy Davis: laundromat owner likes business, people here

Nine years ago, Roy Davis, successful operator of a laundromat in Bad Axe, committed himself to Cass City's business community when he opened the Wash King Laundromat and Car Wash at the corner of Main and West Streets.

Today, he says it was one of the best moves he ever made.

"I've found the Cass City business people just wonderful," Davis said.

Davis has operated a laundry in Bad Axe since 1946, and came to Cass City because of its location and its potential for growth. He took over the former IGA store location which was ideally suited for both ends of the business

He converted the front end into the

warehouse into the first automated car wash in the Thumb area north of Flint.

Both ventures proved highly successful, drawing customers from Gagetown and Deford, as well as rural areas around Cass City. That's part of Davis' secret for success-a large area from which to draw.

The Wash King Laundry continues to experience steady growth, Davis says.

"It's a good laundry town."

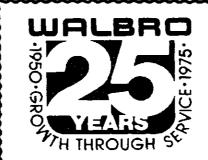
He prefers to use high-pressure jet spray in the car wash rather than brushes. Water is much easier on auto finishes than brushes. Combined with detergent, the system assures a clean, sparkling car in

#### COLE CARBIDE IS PLEASED

TO HAVE BEEN ABLE TO HELP

## CASS CITY GROW

SINCE COMING TO CASS CITY IN 1964



BEST WISHES TO WALBRO **ON ITS** 

25th ANNIVERSARY OPEN HOUSE

# COLE CARBIDE INDUSTRIES, INC.

6880 E. CASS CITY RD.

PHONE 872-3500



# AS ONE NEIGHBOR

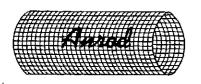


TO ANOTHER NEIGHBOR



WE KNOW WHAT 25 YEARS OF PROGRESS MEANS

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES IN YOUR NEXT 25 YEARS in CASS CITY



ANROD SCREEN CYLINDER COMPANY

6160 GARFIELD ST. CASS CITY, MICHIGAN 48726 PHONE (517) 872-2101

كالعائلان

# **BEST WISHES**

WALBRO

On Its Silver Anniversary

We were pleased to have been one of the company's suppliers during much of the first 25 years and look forward to a continuing fine relationship in the years ahead.

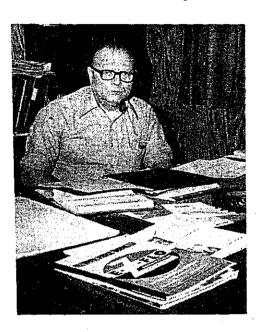
BARGER PACKAGING CORPORATION

1511 West Lusher Avenue Elkhart Indiana, 46514 Ph. (219) 523-4520

## Klein's committed to Thumb area

After a one-year trial period in 1966 in the building now housing United Parcel Service and Walbro Corporation, Klein's Fertilizer made a major committment to the Cass City and Thumb area.

In 1967 the company erected its present headquarters at 4155 Vulcan. Heading the Cass City branch of the company then and now is Les Profit, of Cass City.



LES PROFIT, manager of Klein Fertilizers in Cass City.

The Cass City plant is one of four operated by Klein's. Others are located in Fowlerville, Perrinton and Marne.

When first opened Klein's handled only fertilizer. About five years ago the corporation branched out and added seeds and feeds to its service to farmers. Last November they added another item to the product line when liquid feed supplement

Klein's services farmers in Sanilac, Huron and Tuscola counties.

To handle the volume, Profit explained. there are three trucks in service. We need the units because we have valued accounts who live many miles away. Rather than spend a half day picking up what they need

In addition to the trucks the company has 10 spreaders available for rent. In addition. Klein's offers a custom spreading and spraying service.

Profit is happy because of the easing of the supply situation that last spring made shambles of the fertilizer business.

He says that the one major hurdle facing farm supply business now is the price the farmers receive for products.

With costs continuing to spiral, he said. there is no way the farmer can make out without a raise in farm prices.

Klein's today hires six persons.

# Promotion from within always company policy at Walbro

In its 25-year history Walbro Corporation has offered local people jobs first and stressed promotion from within whenever

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

That's why you'll find many employees in supervisory positions that are natives of the area. They joined the company when it was young and growing and grew along

Probably the top example is James Ware who started in the accounting department, took night courses while working and today is vice-president, finance, and corporate treasurer.

But his story is by no means unique. At every level of management there are local people who advanced through the company ranks.

It's not surprising, either, that a good many of the employees have worked at Walbro for many years, some starting work careers there and others transferring to Walbro from other companies for better job opportunities or because of Thumb area ties. Working for Walbro keeps them close to home.

That's why 31 of the employees have been with the company 20 years or longer. Thirty have 15 years or more service, 13 have 10 years seniority and 65 have been working five years or longer.

A random sampling of some of the supervisors and office workers tells why local people have found Walbro good to

Helen Rayl is a company veteran of 15 years. She came to the company with a wide background in business and quickly

became one of those indispensable persons that the public rarely sees but that the



HELEN RAYL

For Mrs. Rayl the boss is the top man himself, President W. E. Walpole. She became his personal secretary after a short stint working in the sales depart-

Before coming to Walbro she worked in offices in Detroit and Marlette.

DICK WALLACE

Although Dick Wallace didn't join Walbro until 1958 he helped the company briefly even before it was fully established

That was during the time when machinery was moved into the original plant uilding. The crew was having trouble lifting the machine into the building and Wallace was doing summer work for the village on a tractor

He was called over and with the village

equipment gave the workers a helping The next summer he picked off a summer job with the company and worked in vacation time off from Alma College until he graduated. He went from school to service for two years and upon his discharge accepted a post in the accounting department. Today he is the company controller.

#### ANOTHER ROUTE

Two other persons who have always lived in the area took a different route to the responsible posts they now hold.

They both rose to important office posts after starting working on the line in

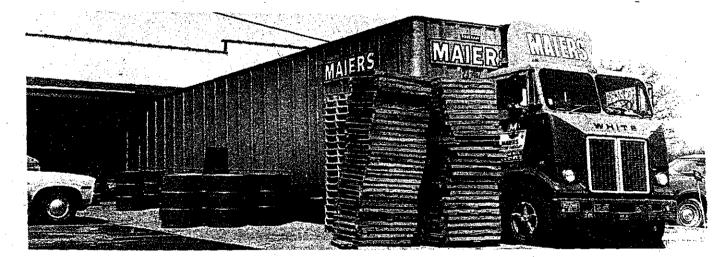
When Bill Ewald took a job in the plant on the second shift in February of 1958 he had no inkling that someday he would become the purchasing agent for a company doing a multi-million dollar business. But that's what happened.

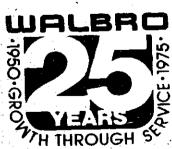
He spent five months on that shift before he was shifted to production control and then into the purchasing department.

He's been the boss buyer now for 12 years. Everything was on paper then, he recalled, reams and reams of it. It got to be a mess, he said. That's all changed now of course. The records are on the computer. Despite the helping hand of sophisticated equipment the job has

Continued on page 5

# Serving Walbro For 25 Years





Congratulations on your Silver Anniversary





## CONGRATULATIONS

ON YOUR

SILVER ANNIVERSARY

We've enjoyed our long association during the first 25 years and look forward to maintaining it in the years ahead.

Gaskets For Walbro Products Come From Wolverine

WOLVERINE

FAB. & MFG. CO. DIV. EAGLE-PICHER IND. INC.

2638 Princéss St.

Inkster, MI



# WALBRO'S 25 YEARS

A MILESTONE IN YOUR PROGRESS
AND SERVICE TO COMMUNITIES
IN THE THUMB.



As Long-Time Suppliers Of
O-Rings & Gaskets We Are
Pleased To Have Played A
Role In Your Growth And
Look Forward To Many More
Years Of Growing With Walbro.





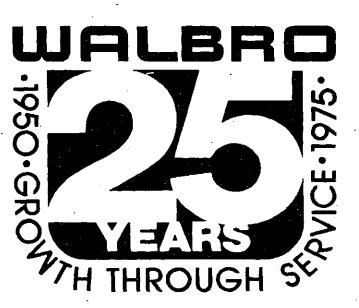
23230 INDUSTRIAL PARK DR. Farmington Hills, Mich. 48024 (313) 478-2400

\_\_\_\_\_

3635 MARINE RD. Toledo, Ohio 43609 (419) 385-9081 IT HAS BEEN

# A PRIVILEGE

TO WORK WITH WALBRO
EVERY YEAR SINCE IT BEGAN
IN THE CASS CITY COMMUNITY



BEST WISHES . . .

LINCOLN DIE CASTING, INC.

15085 EAST ELEVEN MILE

ROSEVILLE, MI

# Herron Builders: good people key to growth

In 10 short years Herron Builders, Inc. has become Cass City's largest builder and real estate developer

I've been lucky to hire real good people and that's been one of the keys to my growth, says Herron. The other is being located in a good growing community.

Over the years, Herron Builders has added just about all the equipment needed for building including such items as automatic hammers, a loader and other

Backing his faith in the area, Herron developed Country View Haven, a subdivision with 20 lots at the southeast edge

Today all but three of the lots have been sold, the Country View Haven boasts some of the community's finer homes.

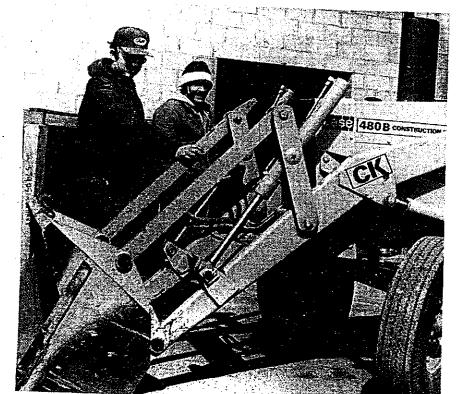
Already thinking of the future Herron has purchased 50 acres in the northwestern section and annexed the parts of it outside the village into the village.

Ten acres of the plot will be available for nomes as a subdivision this fall, according to present plans.

Herron Builders has frequently been the contractors for major business buildings and remodeling and enlarging of existing buildings, but his business is not restricted

to larger jobs.

We built the business by satisfying the customer, large and small, says Herron. We'll always be available for whatever the customer requires...from a complete turn-key job from our own plans to merely adding an unfinished room to an existing building where the owner can complete the



TOM HERRON on the job in Cass City. Herron Builders has all types of equipment for construction, but the owner credits his workers for much of the concern's rapid success.

## 2 businesses flourish in same building

A highly successful Cass City business became two businesses six years ago and both continue to grow today. The two are Cass City Oil and Gas Co., managed by Duane Chippi, and Village Service Center, managed by Bob Bader.

The business began 45 years ago at the corner of Main and West Streets in a building since moved away and replaced by the present structure. As the business grew over the years, the service station and the fuel delivery business began to exert their own identities and in 1969, the two became separate entities

Bader worked at the station during the years it was managed by Cliff Ferguson and worked his way into eventually purchasing the business, along with the late Floyd Kennedy.

A native of Evergreen township, Bader worked at other jobs in the Thumb area until he eventually came to the station. The opportunity of ownership came and he, along with Kennedy, took it.

Today, Bader is sole owner, employing four full-time and two part-time persons. Chippi came to work at the station in 1961 and when the business split, took over the fuel delivery end which retained the original name Cass City Oil and Gas.

Chippi employs three drivers and has four trucks, including a large semi. Cass City Oil and Gas specializes in fuel oil and tractor gasoline deliveries throughout the Cass City area, and continues this long tradition of service.

Both Cass City Oil and Gas and Village Service Center offer Pro products. Village Service Center also provides a large supply of parts and accessories to keep cars running at top efficiency

A wide selection of tires and batteries is

Both businesses are committed to the continued growth of Cass City.

# Routes vary to important jobs



BILL EWALD

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

grown. Today Ewald works with an assistant, George Mika, and a secretary. Another person who went from the manufacturing plant to the office is Ms. Phyllis King. Ms. King spent nine years on the line before moving into service work at

the plant where she worked three years. After 12 years she became a secretary to Harold Isard in personnel. She moved up another notch when she was moved to the Caro plant to become personnel adminiPHYLLIS KING

Earlier this year she came back to the main plant where she works now as the company's technical publications super-

One of the first to join Walbro was Lee Hartel. Together with Dale Brown, another veteran still working at the company, Hartel went to work for the company in 1954 when it was committed to moving here but was still operating in

# BEST WISHES

ON WALBRO'S



25th

Anniversary

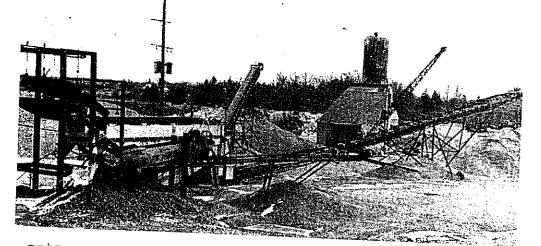
We are pleased to be among the suppliers who serviced the company for most of the first 25 years with screw machine parts.

## DEXTER AUTOMATIC PRODUCTS

DEXTER, MI

# TUCKEY BLOCK

## READY - MIX CONCRETE



We Are Proud To Have Grown With Cass City And The Community



OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO WALBRO ON 25 YEARS OF SERVICE

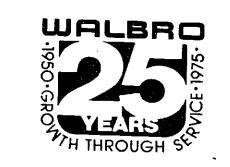
TUCKEY BLOCK CO.

CASS CITY

Locations in

CARO

GROWING WITH THE THUMB IN CASS CITY, **SINCE 1948** 



THE CART CAPACE

OUR CONGRATULATIONS

> AND BEST WISHES TO WALBRO

BAUER CANDY CO.

4260 DOERR RD.

CASS CITY

PHONE 872-2144

The Wickes Agriculture Elevator in Cass City has gone under various names in its long and illustrious history on the local

It began in 1884 with the A.G. Berney elevator, followed by Miller Brothers four

175,000 bushels, which was completed in time for the fall harvest in 1964. According to present manager Bob Wischmeyer, plans are on the drawing board for two more towers, scheduled for construction later this year. The additional towers will double the elevator's storage

Agriculture.

capacity, Wischmeyer says. Presently, the facility is equipped with two large grain cleaners in connection with two 10-bushel automatic scales. At the top of the structure is a 15-bushel automatic scale to weigh grain as it is loaded into box cars.

Today, it is known simply as Wickes

Growing with the surrounding farming region, the company purchased its property at Main Street in 1960 from the Farm

Produce Company. In December, 1963,

ground was broken for a \$200,000 concrete

Terminal elevator with a capacity of

The plant is capable of loading a 129,000 pound capacity car in 45 minutes.

Wischmeyer, who has been manager of the Cass City facility since 1969, is no stranger to elevator management. Born in Breckenridge, he worked at the local elevator before joining Wickes.

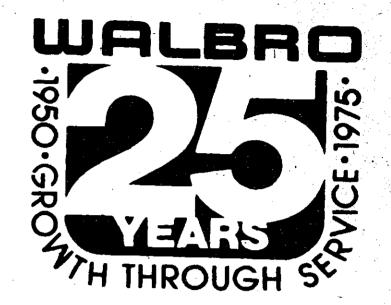
Beside offering customers a complete line of fertilizer, seeds, feeds, chemical pesticides and herbicides, Wickes also offers feed grinding and storage. This year, the facility added a Western

Union teletype to help give area farmers up to the minute price and supply quotations. "We offer a wide choice to the farmer on

how to market his crops," Wischmeyer Liquid nitrogen and coal are also

included in Wickes' delivery service. The firm presently employs eight

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**



Serving Walbro and the

Thumb----

## TREND VENDORS, INC.

4545 Ale

Phone 872-2260

## Wickes: a wide choice for farmers

years later. Eventually, both were purchased by Amuel Frutchey, who operated



WISCHMEYER. manager of Wickes Agriculture elevator (formerly Michigan Bean Co.) in Cass City.

them successfully for many years. In 1930, the company merged with the Michigan Bean Co. Both were dissolved in 1933 and reincorporated as the Frutchey

Bean Company.

It operated as such until 1968, when a new Michigan Bean Company, a division of the Wickes Corporation, purchased the

# BEST WISHES WALBRO

That Our Pleased **Association With Walbro Continues And** Trust That We Will Continue To Furnish A Beneficial Service To You For An Even More Successful 25 Years Ahead.

A FRIEND AND SUPPLIER

We Are

Pleased To

Have Been

**Suppliers** 

Of Walbro

Through

Most Of

The First

25 Years.

CONTINUED

GROWTH

THROUGH

**SERVICE** 

IN THE

**YEARS** 

AHEAD.

hayes-albion non-ferrous products group

**PARAMOUNT** 

DIE CASTING DIVISION

Red Arrow Highway Stevensville, Michigan LITEMETAL

**DICAST DIVISION** 

1927 Wildwood Avenue Jackson, Michigan

# PROGRESS

HELPING CASS CITY GROW AND GROWING WITH CASS CITY

HERRON BUILDERS

CREATORS OF

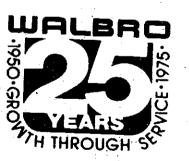
BEAUTIFUL RESTRICTED

# COUNTRY VIEW HAVEN



Country View Haven, the subdivision with underground utility service, curb and gutter, paved streets, choice of lot sizes, ideal location, village water and sewer.

HERRON BUILDERS HAS A HOME UNDER CONSTRUCTION OR CAN BUILD TO YOUR SPECIFICATIONS.



OUR SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS TO WALBRO ON ITS 25th BIRTHDAY OPEN HOUSE

HERRON BUILDERS, INC.

Phone 872-2217

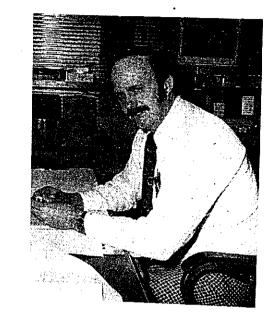
Cass City

### Many employees of early years still active

# Experience pays off for Walbro

Fenton. He is one of a few to have worked in three different cities.

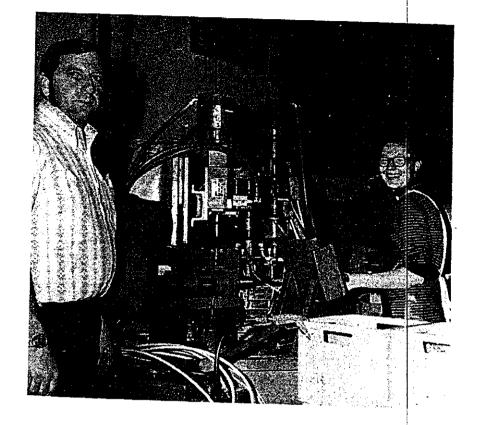
At one time Walbro operated a plant at Omro, Wisconsin, and Hartel worked in a supervisory position at that plant.



LEE HARTEL

When it closed he returned to Cass City and now is the assistant to the chief

Another old timer is Willie Neiman



WILLIE NEIMAN has the experience and the know-how to pinch-hit where needed in any of Walbro's plants. Right now he is at plant three in Cass City. He chats here with Sally Young.

Neiman knows what it's all about. He started as a stock handler and in rapid succession worked as a truck driver,

maintenance man and set-up man. Right now you'll find him in the company's plant number 3 in the former Nestles' building. But he's liable to pop up in any of the plants.

His varied experience makes it possib for him to move in during vacation periods and take over for other foremen on vacation. And he does. I work in all the local plants and in Caro, says Neiman

Another person you may find in almost any section of the main carburetor plant is Al Avery. He's an inspector and his job Continued on page 9

#### The News

Without

Fear or Favor

CASS CITY CHRONICLE



# WE SALUTE WALBRO

FOR ITS 25 YEARS OF GROWTH IN THE INDUSTRIES AND THE COMMUNITIES WHICH IT SERVES

> WE ARE HAPPY TO HAVE BEEN SELECTED TO DESIGN AND FURNISH THEIR SHIPPING CARTON NEEDS THROUGH THE YEARS.

OLINKRAFT, INC.

ESSEXVILLE & OWOSSO, MICHIGAN

## Harris-Hampshire: service still key after half century

Serving the insurance needs of Cass City area residents has been the job of the Harris-Hampshire Agency the past 51 years and service continues to be the hallmark of this established firm, according to partners Newell Harris and Richard

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

The agency was founded in 1924 by Earl Harris, Newell's father, who lived near Shabbona. He specialized in coverage for farmers, protecting them against losses from fire, a portion of the business still important to the agency today.

In 1943, the elder Harris decided to move to Cass City and brought everything with him-including his house.

Harris continued to operate the agency from the home he still occupies on Main Street until 1967, when new quarters were constructed near the east village limits. The elder Harris retired that same year.

In the meantime, Dick Hampshire, a native of Kingston, joined the business in 1953. Newell Harris joined the firm in 1963. Today, the idea of service pioneered by

Earl Harris continues at the Harris-Hampshire Agency. The firm represents seven insurance companies including Aetna Life and Casualty, Auto Owners, CNA, Financial Indemnity Co., Michigan

Mutual Auto Insurance Co., Pioneer State Mutual Insurance Co., and Reserve Insurance Co. "The business is changing every day," Hampshire adds. "With new developments

such as no-fault auto insurance, we have to work to stay on top of the changes." In spite of new innovations, both still agree that service is the key to a successful insurance business

"People don't just expect service,"

Other areas of growth in the insurance business have taken place in pensions. The Harris-Hampshire Agency can provide a complete range of both business and personal pension plans to help you plan



Newell Harris (seated) and Richard Hampshire

Even with all these changes, both agree the farm operators in the Cass City area still provide a major portion of their business-a sector they plan to keep on serving as they have for over half a

#### Since 1882 Cass City State Bank has helped area grow

Mention banking in Cass City and one name immediately comes to mind-the Cass City State Bank. The bank has occupied its spot at the corner of Main and Seeger since its founding in 1882.

Cass City's oldest bank, the institution was originally headed up by C.W. McPhail. In 1894, the bank was purchased by I.B. Auten and continued until 1913. when Meredith B. Auten began his long and illustrious career with the institution.

Under M.B. Auten's guidance, Cass City State Bank became a leader in the community, providing needed capital for growth of new business and expansion of existing businesses. Auten put his name and reputation behind such projects as Hills and Dales General Hospital and the Hills and Dales Medical Center, helping to spur their successful completions. In 1949, his son, Frederick B. Auten. joined the bank, and continued his father's reputation for close involvement in community affairs that aided in further growth.

Though small physically, Cass City State Bank assets in 1974 totaled \$8,800,000, and carried over \$2 million each in loans and real estate mortgages. Savings deposits totaled over \$5.6 million with total deposits topping \$7.7 million.

Cass City State Bank has weathered rough economic times, including the Great Depression of the 1930's. Today, it continues to maintain confidence in the economic health of Cass City and the Thumb and plans to keep helping the area

### No Regrets, says Ken Martin after 5 years in Cass City

Martin Electric is in its fifth year in Cass City and owner Ken Martin has never regretted his decision to leave a well paying job at Saginaw Steering Gear to

Martin Electric at 4180 Hurds Corner Road is a family business. Ken handles the work with the help of Robert Kingslard and his wife handles the bookkeeping and office work.

When he opened his business here Martin was actually returning home. A native of the area he started in the electrical business working here as an

After four years in the Navy where he worked as an electrician he joined the

He worked for 11 years at Steering Gear and was a foreman when he left. Martin Electric does all types of

electrical work with about half of the business coming from general contractors and the remainder from individuals.

The concern handles industrial, commercial and home wiring. Despite the current building slump

across the nation, Martin said that business has been good and he has been

While Martin is comparatively young he is a veteran in his business. The 42-year-old is now in his 24th year as an

## Helping merchants solve problems aids growth

In 1972, the company moved

into its new 14,000 square-foot

Garfield Street. Presently,

"Customers appreciate the

their stock under control."

Personalized service for ployees, he built the business customers and a group of until it outgrew its location as knowledgeable sales person- the 1970's dawned. nel has made Bauer Candy Company one of the most successful wholesale distrib- building on Doerr Road at utors in the state.

While the name may say the firm employs 14 workers candy, Bauer Candy Com- including four salesmen who pany wholesales any and make personal contacts with every kind of product its every customer. customers might need, ranging from paper products and personal touch." Bauer comtobacco products to school mented. "They also appresupplies, drug supplies, ap- ciate having a knowledgeable pliances and entertainment salesman who can help keep

Company President James Bauer's 45-year background in wholesale operations makes him an expert on how to meet customer needs. The firm handles between 650 and 700 accounts in Huron, Tuscola. Sanilac and part of St. Clair counties. Each account gets personalized attention.

"We attempt to provide our customers with a knowledgeable salesman who can help keep his stock under control, Bauer explained. "The average merchant can't keep up with all the latest trends--he hasn't got the time or the

experience in other areas." business in Cass City in March, 1948, buying out H.

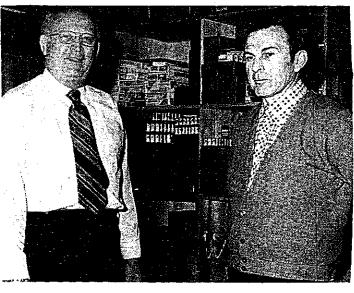
background. 'We shoot for turnover in his stock and attempt to provide what's moving, based on Bauer started his wholesale

the beginning that he wanted

"I've only had two jobs in with Valley Sweets of Saginaw and this one. It's all I know how to do and it's been good to me.'

He believes the business has been built on personal contacts with customers and will continue to be in the future.

story is 'what's



BAUER CANDY CO. owner Jim Bauer (left) and manager Tom Jackson



# CONGRATULATIONS

**GROWTH AND SERVICE DURING THE FIRST 25 YEARS** 

WE SALUTE WALBRO AND ARE PLEASED THAT OUR SERVICE AND QUALITY HAS ENABLED US TO MAINTAIN PLEASANT BUSINESS RELATIONS THROUGH THE YEARS:

# REEVES BROTHERS, INC.

Rutherfordton, North Carolina

Kauffman Co., on Main Street. With only three em-

PAGE EIGHT

We are indeed happy to extend Our Congratulations and Very Best Wishes

#### WALBRO CORPORATION

on this proud occasion

#### ITS 25TH ANNIVERSARY

For Walter E. Walpole, the members of his family, and his business associates, who came with their (then young) company to Cass City in the early 1950's, and supplied the inspiration and guidance to bring it to this important milestone, the pride of accomplishment can be theirs in full measure; and

To the hundreds of residents of the Cass City area, and many from further distances, whose loyalty and diligence as employees helped bring about the fulfillment of company plans, all can enjoy the satisfaction of a job well done.

Why does it bring happiness to us on this occasion?

Because we have also been a part of the Cass City community for many years, and are vitally and sincerely interested in all that may or does improve this area.

The Creator has given this particular part of Michigan an abundance of natural resources. As a homesite we believe it has more advantages than most other sections of our nation. We want to build wisely on the base which has been given to us by former generations. Working together as a community, further improvement is our obligation to generations yet to come. We invite all who read this to make this your personal goal too.

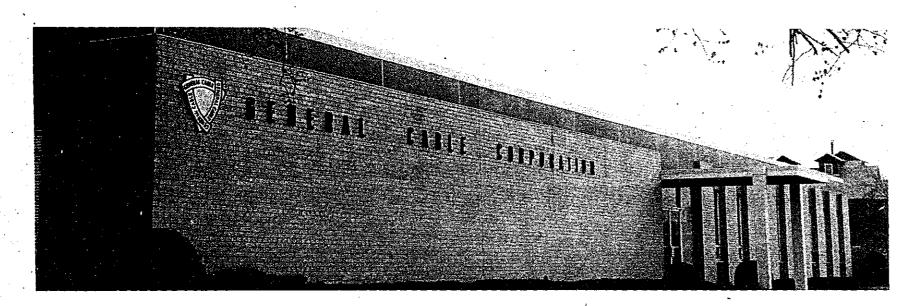
The Pinney State Bank

#### GENERAL CABLE CORPORATION

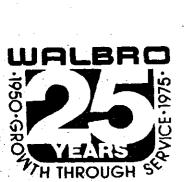
# CASS CITY'S LARGEST EMPLOYER

IS PLEASED WITH ITS ROLE ASSISTING

## COMMUNITY GROWTH



**GROWING WITH THE COMMUNITY FOR 15 YEARS** 



**OUR CONGRATULATIONS** WALBRO CORPORATION ON 25 YEARS



GENERAL CABLE CORP.

**CASS CITY** 

ARIBELL LER BALL K-THULLIA

PHONE 872-2111

#### Ralph Chapman comes with Autopulse

## Good men a bonus with acquisitions

Avery has been in a supervisory position as an inspector for two years. He joined Cass City area he operated an auto parts

Although he isn't one of the original persons hired by Walbro, Ralph Chapman,

has been at his job longer than anyone. That's because he came to Walbro when the company purchased Autopulse in 1957. He had worked for the former owners of When he first came to Cass City he worked



YOU MIGHT FIND Al Avery anywhere around the Walbro plant. As a foreman he's required at many locations. He was caught here with Michele Houthoofd and Jeanette Sprunger.



THE EMPLOYEE on the job the longest in Walbro is Ralph Chapman. He's Autopulse plant superintendent. Chapman is watching Mrs. Bessie Muntz who knows her way around the company. Mrs. Muntz has badge number one...as the first woman hired.

## IT'S CLARE'S SUNOCO **FOR**

MOTOR TUNE-UPS-SHOCKS-MUFFLER SERVICE



GET OUR SPRING TIRE - DEAL!

**CONGRATULATIONS** 

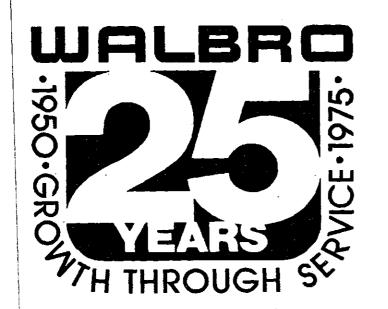
TO WALBRO ON

ITS 25th BIRTHDAY!

CLARE'S SUNOCO SERVICE

6597 Main

Phone 872-2470



WE ARE PLEASED TO
HAVE BEEN ASSOCIATED
WITH WALBRO THROUGH
ALL ITS YEARS IN CASS CITY

CONGRATULATIONS
AND BEST WISHES

# AUTOMATIC SPECIALTY COMPANY

P.O. BOX 645

**GRAYLING, MI** 



WALBRO HAS ALWAYS BEEN
NUMBER ONE IN COMMUNITY
SPIRIT AND PROGRESS

We are pleased to be numbered among the first to be associated with the company. It is a pleasure to extend our best wishes after 25 years.

STAFFORD & JACKSON, INC.

9155 PERRY ROAD ATLAS, MI

## Expanding L&S uses service to keep company growing

model of car and truck.

They even offer Western Union telegram

and mailgram service, to get your message

L&S Standard Service is open Monday

through Saturday from 7:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.,

sent faster and with greater impact.

the sports center since 1970.

Ten years ago, Floyd (Shorty) Luettke and Louis Salas, were two mechanics with a dream-operating their own service station. Both were mechanics at Rabideau Motors and when the opportunity came, they took

Today, they are the co-operators of L&S Standard and L&S Sports Center at the corner of Main and Oak Streets.

The pair took over the Standard Service Station, succeeding Millard Ball, and continued to build a large clientel over the

Five years ago, after initial successes selling Arctic Cat snowmobiles, the pair expanded their business to include the L&S Sports Center, next door to the service

Today, in addition to selling the popular Arctic Cat snowmobile, the sports center also sells a complete line of lawn and garden products, along with parts and service.

"The station just wasn't large enough to handle the machines and service cars as well," Luettke explained. "When this building became available, we took it."

Along with expansion of the business, the service station has undergone extensive remodeling, including a new brick front built in 1974.

Luettke was born in Bay Port and has lived in the Cass City area since 1940. His partner, Louis Salas, was born in Mexico and first came to Michigan in 1938,

The two have operated the service station since 1965. "We don't operate a gas station," Luettke

settling in the Cass City area in 1946.

said, "we operate a service station." Dependable service has become a tradition at the station, which carries a large inventory of tires, batteries, parts and accessories for nearly every make and

#### Friendly people at Karen's Beauty Salon

A cheerful smile and pleasant atmosphere await customers of Karen's Beauty Salon, located at 6350 Garfield St., in Cass City. The shop, formerly known as Marge's Beauty Salon, has operated the past 12 years and was purchased by Mrs. Karen Fischer in August, 1974.

Mrs. Fischer, a Cass City native, worked in the shop from its beginning and purchased it from Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson. She had managed the shop a short time prior to buying it, which she admits came almost on the spur of the

"I'd been here 12 years," she said, "and by then I'd pretty well learned what it took to operate it. So when the offer came, I took it almost without a second thought.'

Since purchasing the shop, Mrs. Fischer has begun a remodeling and redecorating plan that includes a new, lowered ceiling that adds warmth and a cosy atmosphere to the spacious working area. More redecorating plans are still on the drawing

'A business is something you have to build," she says. "You work at it to make a name for it and to keep that reputation in tact. You don't just start a business and expect customers to come."

At Karen's Beauty Salon, more than just the proper hair style are considered. Complete make-up consultations are also offered and include eyes, skin and nails for a complete beauty analysis and treatment.

Her location, near Walbro and General Cable plants, is an advantage, Mrs. Fischer believes.

"More women work today than ever before," she says. "And our shop offers a large, comfortable atmosphere for those working women."

Karen's Beauty Salon, completely air conditioned, is located at the corner of Garfield and Vulcan Streets, and is ready

It's been nearly 27 years since Bartnik's Service Station began providing Cass City area customers with Mobil petroleum products, a wide assortment of new and used parts and 24-hour emergency wrecker service.

The business began when Stanley Bartnik and his youngest son, Hank, took over the service station, located at the intersection of M-53 and M-81 in Greenleaf township.

Two years later, Hank's brother, Cas, returned from the service and joined the family business.

The family came from Detroit originally, but Hank and Cas were raised in the Cass City area, arriving in 1932. Their father both farmed and worked in a factory prior to buying the station.

"We were doing this type of repair work even when we were still on the farm," Cas Bartnik recalled. "So it was not something completely new to us."

Today, Bartnik's Service Station provides 24-hour emergency wrecker service and has been an AAA approved wrecker the past 20 years. In those years, they've been at the scene of around 1,000 auto accidents in Huron, Tuscola and Sanilac counties.

Bartnik brothers begin

tilt roll-back device to transport immoveable cars or trucks involved in accidents.

In their salvage business, the brothers provide parts for cars, trucks and farm imple-

Given the choice, both agree they'd just as soon stay know most everybody around here," Hank Bartnik says. "It's a friendly area and we

28th year at service station

Their wrecker features the latest equipment that can often mean the difference between life and death to an accident victim. They also rely on two-way radio equipment to aid in speedy location

The vehicle also features a

Bartnik's Service Station carries one of the largest collection of new and used auto parts in the three-county area, in addition to Mobil gasolines, motor oils and lubrication.

Bartnik's also handle light automotive repair.

BARTNIK BROTHERS Cas (left) and Hank, offer 24-Hour emergency wrecker service in addition to a wide selection of used parts at Bartnik Service Station on M-53

## Mary Withey turns hobby into career

Mary Withey of Mary's Beauty Salon, located at 3795 Cemetery Rd., was always interested in hair styling, even before she decided to make it a career.

"I always fussed with hair," she recalled. "I used to work with my friends when I was in high school and help them style their hair."

After graduation, Mrs. Withey, a native of Gagetown, worked a year and then went to school to learn more about it. She attended Saginaw Beauty College and Virginia Farrell for advanced training.

Following her marriage to Francis Withey, the couple came back to Cass City, where Mrs. Withey worked in a downtown salon before going into business for herself

"I preferred having my shop attached to the house because it cost less than it would to rent a shop in town," she said. "It's really a lot more convenient.

Mrs. Withey has 14 years' experience and she says in that time, hair styles have become more carefree, more natural and easier to handle

"Women today aren't conforming to the dictates of stylists," she commented. "The majority of women are wearing exactly what they want, style or no."

At Mary's Beauty Salon, she and her assistant, Barb Geister, offer any number of hair styles, cuts or waves, along with frosting and coloring.

The cozy shop features six dryers and two shampoo stations. The warm, friendly atmosphere helps customers relax and feel right at home.

Mrs. Withey's philosophy is tied directly to pleasing the customer and maintaining a reputation for reliability and the best in hair styles for any woman.

## 25 YEARS AGO - - -

WE WERE HAPPY TO BE ABLE TO SALUTE WALBRO AND ITS ROLE IN THE CASS CITY COMMUNITY.

CO-OWNERS OF L & S Standard Service and L & S

Sports Center, Floyd "Shorty" Luettke and Louis Salas.

The pair have operated the service station since 1965 and

## NOW WE EXTEND AGAIN CONGRATULATIONS



#### ON YOUR 25th ANNIVERSARY

We are pleased to have been Walbro's source for metal stampings and carburetor floats since its earliest years in Cass City.



## SHERIDAN MANUFACTURING CO.

DIVISION OF SHELLER-GLOBE CORPORATION

447 EAST WALNUT STREET WAUSEON, OHIO

## FOR 60 YEARS



We've been pleasing area folks with good deals on Ford cars.

We would like to please you, too.

## AUTEN MOTORS - CASS CITY

• BEST WISHES WALBRO ON YOUR 25th BIRTHDAY •

## Tuckey Block marks 30 years of area service

Tuckey Block Co. of Cass City marks 30 years of serving Cass City-Caro area customers this year, and is committed to the future growth of the region.

According to Roy Tuckey, co-owner, the firm sees its future tied directly to the future of the village. And, in the more stabilized economy of the Thumb, he sees the future as good.

The firm was founded in 1945 by Luke Tuckey at its present site with only one truck. Tuckey's land sits on one of the richest high-quality gravel deposits anywhere, prompting him to go into the

The senior Tuckey operated the business successfully for 20 years, selling his interest in 1965 to his three sons, Roy, J.D.,

Meanwhile, the company expanded, purchasing the former Forbes Transit Co. in Caro in 1966. Today, Tuckey Block Co., operates a Redi-Mix business from its

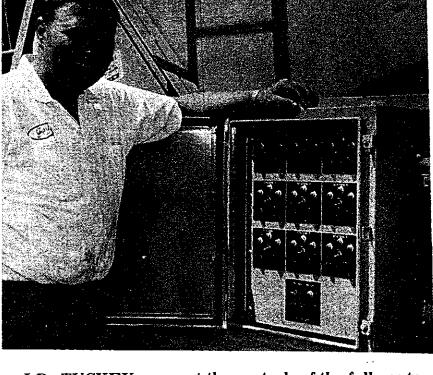
In 30 years, the company has grown to a fleet of 12 trucks and 15 employees.

The heart of the business, Roy Tuckey said, is a huge, fully automated dehydrator that produces sand, crushed stone and whatever else potential customers might want in the way of gravel-based materials.

Once set, the giant conveyor system automatically produces the finished product at the touch of a button. The present equipment was installed in 1970, increasing the company's capacity and annual amount of material moved. Last year, Tuckey said, the firm sold

30,000 yards of sand. He said total material handled today is 30 times greater than it was in 1945. Right now, he said, the business is

growing at a rapid rate. "We're tied in



J.D. TUCKEY poses at the controls of the fully-automated equipment that keeps Tuckey Block a leader in sand and gravel production in the Cass City area.

Cass City and with farming as well," he explained. "We're vitally interested in their success, because if they succeed, we

Tuckey emphasized the fact that his business has also been tied to the progress

of Walbro Corp. "They've provided us with a lot of business over the years and we're grateful for that," he said.

Tuckey Block provides all types of sand, gravel and redi-mix cement for every

#### **Quaker Maid pours** \$200,000 into area

Wesley's Quaker Maid plant in Cass City, located at the corner of Main and Maple streets, plays a significant role in the economy of the area.

Currently the plant pours some \$200,000 a month into the community with a payroll of 10 persons and the purchase of 100,000 gallons of milk daily.

The plant was erected here in June 1946 and the first milk was received Jan. 1. 1947. When the first milk arrived, Gerald Stilson was on hand to process it.

Today he is the plant manager and the company is producing essentially the same products now as it did when it

The principal product is condensed milk used for ice cream mix. The 100,000 gallons of milk is condensed to about 33,000 gallons and taken by semi-truck to Detroit daily.

The company is now owned by Borman's, Foods, Inc., and the plant is the last market in the area for farmers with milk in cans. Wesley's handles both bulk and canned milk with about half the volume coming from cans.

To get the milk to plant, 15 trucks and drivers are employed.

When the plant opened, store cheese and butter was produced. However, in recent years cheese and butter are no longer

Butter was produced here a couple of years ago but was discontinued when the demand for condensed milk became great.

Over the years a continuing process of modernization has been conducted, Stilson said, that keeps the plant competitive.

He expects the modernization trend to

# SERVICE KEEPS US GROWING

• 14 Salesmen to serve you and 2 offices.

• 22 Years in Cass City

• More Listings - Buyers come in and find just the property you are looking for

• We have Buyers waiting for Homes -Businesses - Farms - Resorts

• Financing Available.

WE ARE

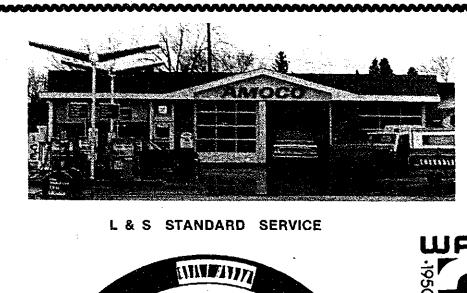
NUMBER ONE!

BECAUSE WE ARRANGE SALES THAT PLEASE **BOTH BUYER AND SELLER** 

B. A. CALKA, REALTOR

**B.A. CALKA REAL ESTATE** 

Phone 872-3355









SPORTS CENTER AND STANDARD SERVICE

Tall the first transfer to

Phone 872-4070

# PROCRESS

# IS WHAT ARE ALL ABOUT

WORKING WITH INDUSTRY---WORKING **COMMUNITY---**MEDICAL WORKING WITH BUSINESS---THAT'S THE YOUR **CHAMBER** ROLE OF. COMMERCE.

DOING WHATEVER IS NECESSARY TO MAKE OUR COMMUNITY A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE - A MORE PROFITABLE PLACE TO WORK.



## CONGRATULATIONS WALBRO ...

WE WERE PLEASED THAT THE CHAMBER PLAYED A PART IN THE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS THAT BROUGHT WALBRO TO CASS CITY.

**HELPING CASS CITY GROW - -**

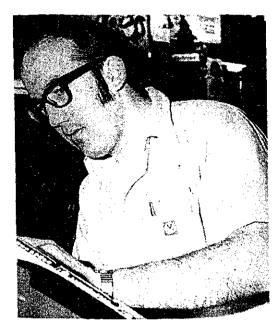
CASS CITY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

## Thumb Parts boasts wide stock of auto parts

Whatever you need to fix that car and keep it purring like a kitten is available at Thumb Parts and Machine Co., located at

Having a wide stock covering nearly every car and truck on the road has been the goal of manager Richard Britt since he

began work at the store over a year ago.
"When a man wants a part, he wants it right now, not next week or next month," Britt said. "We've always been trying to keep as large a stock as we could to meet



#### RICHARD BRITT, manager at Thumb Parts

Britt is no stranger to auto parts or machine work. He worked for Pontiac Motors, Saginaw Steering Gear and Evans Products of Gagetown prior to taking over management of Thumb Parts and Machine Co.

A native of the Cass City area, Britt believes parts availability and price are both important.

"A customer today is much more price conscious today than ever before," Britt said. "He's going to compare and buy where he can get the best deal."

At Thumb Parts and Machine Co., customers can rely not only on Britt's own experience, but on the resources of a company with 11 stores throughout the

state--City Auto Parts of Bay City, which owns the Cass City outlet.

"If I run onto a problem I can't answer immediately, I can get on the phone and 6647 Main St., Cass City. usually can have the answer in no time at

all," Britt said. City Auto Parts has outlets in Bay City, Sebewaing, Unionville, St. Louis and Coleman, in addition to its Cass City store.

At Thumb Parts and Machine Co., customers can choose from AC or Champion spark plugs, DuPont paints, Pennzoil, Valvoline, and AP exhaust

In addition, Thumb Parts and Machine also turns brake drums and grinds valves. The store is open 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 8:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m. Saturday.

Cass City has come a long way since Elijah H. Pinney opened his bank back in November of 1886. And today, just as then,

the Pinney State Bank is helping to play a major role in continuing village growth

and prosperity. The bank was originally known as the Exchange Bank of E.H. Pinney. Pinney had been a real estate broker a few years

after his arrival from Pennsylvania and came to believe in the future of the village. His first bank building faced Seeger Street, just around the corner from its

present location. (That building eventually became the Chronicle's first home). In 1903, his son, Edward, entered the business and shortly became a full

> the death of Elijah H. Pinney in 1918, and of Edward in 1919. In 1921, the bank was incorporated under

its present name with Mrs. Elizabeth E.

Though times have changed, old-fash-

ioned service and quality products are still in style at Bigelow Hardware. Vyse

handles the hardware needs of each

customer personally, insuring satisfac-

From raising tomato plants to choosing

the proper wood stain for that special refinishing project, chances are Bigelow

Hardware can help make that project a

# available floorspace by 1971. partner. As such, it continued until after

Pinney State Bank: a major

roll in area development

FREDERICK H. PINNEY

Five years later, the third generation of the Pinney family, Frederick H. Pinney, entered the business and became presi-

dent in 1931, a position he holds today.

In the years following World War II, the

bank expanded to meet the growing needs

of the village. In 1949, extensive remodel-

ing inside and out was completed and in

1964, expansion began that quadrupled

Pinney State Bank has helped many businesses in their infant years in Cass City and plans to continue in the years

"The future of rural Michigan is a bright future," Pinney says. "Things will be moving in this direction and we will feel more and more the touch of the urban population. As I see it, our growth is

## Personal service always a trademark of Bigelow's

A landmark business that has grown through the years is Bigelow's Hardware at the corner of Main and Oak Streets in

The store was opened in 1888, built by Howe Bigelow, the original owner. The present building was constructed in 1900. While it was being built, the original building was dragged into the center of Oak Street where business was transacted until the new brick store was completed.

The business continued in the Bigelow family until May of 1963, when Lloyd Vyse purchased it. Vyse, a native of Cass City, has worked at the store the past 27 years.

Vyse went to work at the store shortly after graduating from high school. He made major renovations in the interior of the store after purchasing the building, including a lowered ceiling, paneling and modern lighting.

Bigelow's Hardware is the oldest store of its kind in Cass City. It features a wide variety of true "hard" ware from nuts and bolts to electrical supplies, garden seeds and tools. It's one of the last area hardware stores that features large

"We carry more general hardware than

## Ryland & Guc: variety of services keep them growing

A business that literally outgrew its original location in Cass City is Ryland and Guc Plumbing and Heating, located at 6475

Bob Ryland and John Guc began their own business in a two-and-a-half car garage in 1953 after several years' experience working for other contractors. Once in business, work grew to a point where their original quarters couldn't handle it.

Then, in 1958, the former Boag and Churchill plumbing shop on Main Street went up for sale and the pair grabbed at the chance to expand. The move gave the business an opportunity to diversify until today the pair handle all types of plumbing, heating, air-conditioning, sheet metal and boiler work.

Both are licensed master plumbers and licensed boiler installers.

Another large part of the business, according to Ryland, is pump work on farms, which must depend on a steady, reliable water supply.

Ryland and Guc, who have also installed a large number of oil furnaces in the Cass City area in their years in business.

"You have to have a versatility to stay in this kind of service business in a community like Cass City," Ryland says. "With only a few men, you have to know a lot about several different kinds of work. There really isn't a lot of room for too much specialization

Ryland and Guc Plumbing and Heating has grown with the construction of new homes in Cass City, as well as replacement units, Ryland says.

Ryland estimates service work alone has jumped from 60-70 per cent in the last 20 vears.

In addition to furnaces, pumps and a complete line of parts, Ryland and Guc also carry a complete line of plastic pipe and fittings.

Besides Bob Ryland and John Guc, shop duties are handled by long-time employee Tom Dewey.



# M & M BLOCK CO.

• Concrete & Way Lite Blocks

• Fireplace Brick

• Complete Line of Building and Masonry Accessories

Best

Wishes

to

**WALBRO** 

M & M BLOCK CO.

872-2878

Your Foundation

Should Be Firm!

#### **Eicher's Cleaners: serving** Cass City since 1944

Since it opened for business in Cass City in 1944, Eicher's Cleaners has outgrown two locations and is now in its third. The store originally opened in the building now housing the Clothes Closet, moved west to a location west of Seeger Street and two years ago, moved again to its present location at 6471 Main St.

The firm has been in operation since 1939, according to owner Eleanora Eicher, when it opened for business in Pigeon. Today, the cleaning plant in Pigeon handles work from the Cass City store, as well as from a new store opened recently in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Eicher said she has always attempted to employ local persons in the Cass City store and has supported civic

projects in Cass City.
"I'm an interested citizen of Cass City

even though my residence is in Pigeon,"

she says.

Eicher's Cleaners is a member of both the National and Michigan Institute of Dry Cleaners, which helps keep member stores up to date on the latest changes in materials and how to handle them.

Eicher's Cleaners serves not only the immediate Cass City area, but also draws customers from as far away as Snover and Decker. Many are Walbro employees, and Mrs. Eicher says she's grateful for the business she's received during her years in Cass City.

The store employs four persons; Mary Kirton, Danny Nicholas, Suzanne Lowe and Clara Bond.

Eicher's Cleaners specializes in all kinds of dry cleaning, cold storage, alterations

### Hahn Real Estate offers personal service to clients

Edward Hahn and his wife, Elsie, handle Hahn Real Estate by themselves to give expert personalized service to their

That's been our motto since we started, says Hahn, as he discusses his 10 years in the real estate business in Cass City.

Hahn started his own business after working for nine years as a salesman in

To prepare for the opening of his own office he purchased the building on West Main street that he owns now and that

houses several other clients. His business opened in late 1966 and the first sale was handled by Hahn Jan. 11, was born in Deckerville and in 1943 came to Cass City after purchasing a farm west

He joined the Cass City business community in 1956 when he purchased land south of Cass City and started raising Christmas trees.

It's a business that he still has and he uses portions of his building on Main to retail the trees every Christmas.

Working in the land is relaxation for the genial Cass City broker. He returns to the land west of town to plant and harvest whenever time permits.

When I'm out there it's a time of relaxation and a respite from my busy work schedule in the office, he says.

# KEEPING PACE WITH PROGRESS



The Old . . .

WALBRO



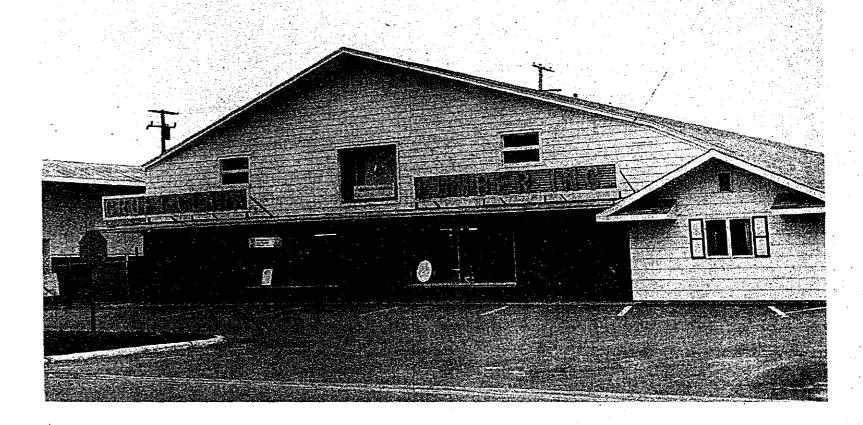
. . . The New

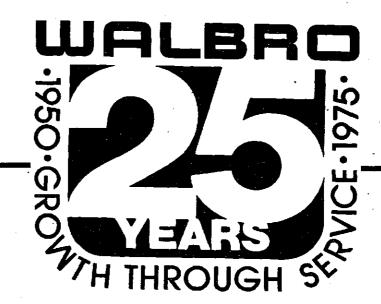
Congratulations Walbro on your 25th Birthday

"GUARDIANS OF YOUR HEALTH"

PHONE 872-2075 "ON THE CORNER"

CASS CITY





We Salute you, Walbro, for 25 years and, more importantly, for the many contributions to the growth and progress of our community

Congratulations to all the Walbro Folks from all of us at - -

CROFT-CLARA LUMBER, INC.

Cass City

Phone 872-2141

## Friendly service key to Mac & Leo growth

A tradition of supplying petroleum products to Cass City area residents entered its 31st year this year at Mac and Leo Service, 6314 Main St. Leo Ware and Stanley Mc-Arthur purchased the busi-



been handling accounts at Mac and Leo Service for over

ness in 1944 from Frank Burgess, owner of Burgess Gas and Oil. According to Mrs. Ware, who has served as bookkeeper for the firm the last three decades, the business got off to a less than promising start.

"We were only in business a month when we had an accident with the delivery truck," she recalled. "At the time we didn't have enough money to get the truck repaired right away, so we put a tank on a trailer and hauled the trailer with a car

to deliver heating oil.' Things have come a long way since then, however. From around 50 customers 30 ears ago, Mac and Leo Service now boast around 800 customers, many on farms in Sanilac, Huron and Tuscola In 1950, bulk tanks were constructed south of Cass City on Cemetery Road to help meet rising fuel needs. Today, the business boasts a 78,000 gallon storage

With three trucks delivering heating oil, diesel fuel and gasoline for farm use, Ware, his son, Dave and Keith Lowe are kept busy.

This year also marks the retirement of Jim MacTavish after some 25 years with the business. MacTavish has regularly serviced furnaces in the Cass City area the last

"Our business here is kind of like the old stores. I think people enjoy a little friendship when they come in."

## Dependability keeps Anrod growing for 25 years

"Our creed has always been dependability. That's what it was in the beginning and that's the way we intend to continue."

That's how Rodney Krueger, president of Anrod Screen Cylinder Co., summed up the firm's first 25 years. It's our best advertising, he

"We have established a reputation for delivering on schedule and we find most of our customers stick with us," Krueger said.

Anrod Screen Cylinder Co., was founded Feb. 10, 1950, by Krueger's father in the family's garage in Croswell. The entire family worked on that first order and, according to Krueger, that was just the

The next order, from the Marvel-Schebler Co., forced the elder Krueger to move into a larger building. Business continued to improve until 1954, when the company moved into a location on Main

The move to Cass City was almost predestined, Krueger recalled. He said his father had talked with Cliff Croft, George Clara and Dr. James Ballard about the move, but hesitated.

"We decided to take a fishing trip into Canada to think it over," said Krueger. "Well, we got to the area, hired a canoe and a guide and

products for automotive, farm, and recreation indus-

Since the firm is not tied directly to one industry, it can weather economic troubles, Krueger said.

One of its newest products is a fine screen used for dental braces.

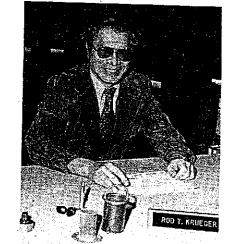
The firm employs six sales representatives throughout the United States and presently has 300 active accounts. Krueger said Anrod's volume increases by at least five to 10 per cent each year with the addition of about 20 new accounts per year.

The firm normally employs 35 workers and produces basically the same types of products it always has, many for some of the very first customers.

"We're continually working to change production methods to reduce cost and improve quality," Krueger said. "We're presently working with a new plastic line molding for our filters."

Krueger said in 1974, the firm produced 22 million units, one of the best years in

Thanks to computerization, used in scheduling plant production, inventory control and accounting, the plant saves time and money. It also allows orders to be filled promptly and to maintain delivery schedules.

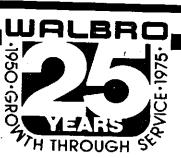


RODNEY KRUEGER

paddled for an hour or two until we reached the fishing site and who should we run into but George Clara and Dr. Ballard. That decided the question. It was almost as though we were being told the move would work.'

The move did. In 1960, the firm moved to its present 15,000 square-foot location on Garfield Street at Doerr Road, which has been enlarged twice in the last 15

Anrod Screen Cylinder Co., produces a wide variety of quality filters and strainers for domestic and international industry. The firm is broadly based, and provides



## CONGRATULATIONS ...

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS AT WALBRO FOR

25 YEARS OF PROGRESS

**VILLAGE** SERVICE CENTER

PHONE 872-3850

CASS CITY OIL & GAS

6415 MAIN

PHONE 872-2005



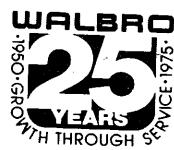
## THE CASS CITY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION IS HERE TO HELP!

1. We help with choice building acreage-Immediately available.

2. In many cases we have helped with financing.

3. We help by locating buildings to fit your needs ... or assist in erection of building if needed.





The Cass City Industrial Development Corporation was pleased to furnish and finance the original land and building for Walbro Corporation.

PARTNERS IN PROGRESS FOR INDUSTRY AND FOR CASS CITY... INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CASS CITY

For Information Phone 872-2141

# 25 years and millions and millions of carburetors ago

# Walbro began

1950: Incorporated on November 6, 1950, Walbro began with an idea. An idea in the mind of Walter E. Walpole, then secretary-treasurer of a carburetor manufacturer in Flint.

The idea (the first expression of Walbro's commitment to service philosophy) was to design a carburetor specifically for the small engine industry: an industry which, at that time, had no carburetor manufacturer devoted 100 per cent to meeting its highly specialized designing and servicing needs.

1951: The company began operations in Fenton, Michigan, in a quonset building once used as an airplane hangar.

It took time and money, of course, to design and engineer a new small engine carburetor from scratch. So Walbro's Fenton plant did custom machining to finance research and development work on its new float-feed carburetor.

1952 • A year went by. Two years went by. One new carburetor after another was developed. But Walbro just couldn't find a small engine manufacturer who would take a chance on its new carburetor designs. And then. . .

#### First Customer: Clinton Engine

1953 • Late that year, Walbro got an order for 50 carburetor samples from Clinton Engine (its first customer and still a valued one). Only a sample order, mind you.

1954 • But, in time, that sample order resulted in a sizeable contract. And in early '54, Walbro reached a production level of 500 units a day...only to find that its quonset building was too small and not properly suited to precision production.

#### **Cass City To The Rescue**

With relocation in mind, Walter E. Walpole, President of the young company, talked to a number of Michigan communities that were actively interested in industrial development. Ultimately, the President of the newly-formed Cass City Industrial Development Corporation got in touch with Mr. Walpole.

In due course, the Cass City Industrial Development group offered (1) to build and lease Walbro a 6,600 sq. ft. building and five acres of land at a nominal rental; and (2) to get a number of local citizens to invest \$25,000 in Walbro common stock to give the company additional working capital for a strong, fast start-up.

Mr. Walpole accepted this generous offer. Walbro was, therefore, moved to

Cass City, in September, 1954. By year's end, the company had 70 employees; was producing at the rate of 1500 carburetors a day. Carburetor sales for the September through December period totalled approximately \$150,000.

#### Second Major Customer: Lauson Engine

1955 • Walbro added its second major carburetor customer; Lauson Engine which, within three months, was acquired by Tecumseh Products, Tecumseh, Michigan. The company now had over 100 employees with the ability to manufacture carburetors at the rate of 3500 a day.

1956 • 190 employees. Carburetor production capability was at the rate of 10,000 units a day. Walbro was growing. Growing fast.

#### First Step Towards Diversification

1957 • Today, Walbro is one of the world's foremost producers of electric fuel pumps for the automotive replacement and original equipment markets. It laid the foundation for its present leadership position by purchasing Autopulse Corporation, Ludington, Michigan, in late '57.

The Autopulse Electric Fuel Pump, developed in 1925, is the oldest fuel pump of its type. And with the engineering improvements Walbro has made on it, Autopulse and its "twin", Dupree Electric Fuel Pump, are now two of the company's most dependable high-growth, high-volume products.

1958 • The Electric Autopulse Division was moved to a new facility in Cass City.

#### **Goes Into Plastics**

1961 • With the two-fold idea of getting (1) a strong foothold in plastics, a dynamic growth industry, and (2) making carburetor bodies out of plastics, Walbro acquired Arjay Manufacturing Company, Vassar, Michigan, in '61

At that time, plastics technology was not equal to the task. Instead, Arjay developed into a highly dependable producer of injection molded plastic parts for the automotive and appliance industries with sales increasing steadily from year to year.

In the face of this consistent sales growth, Walbro bought a much larger, modern facility for Arjay in Bad Axe, Michigan, in 1973. It also bought a number of new injection molding presses and

other equipment for the plant in order to expand Arjay's service and production capabilities and further increase its growth potential.

Interestingly enough, plastics technology has now advanced to the point where Walbro is again considering the possible use of injection molded carburetor bodies on a volume basis.

#### Moves Into Diaphragm Carburetor Field

1965 • Until then, Walbro had been producing float-feed carburetors for lawn mower, garden tractor, industrial, and outboard engines.

In '65, after purchasing the assets of Brown Carburetor Company, Walbro moved firmly into the diaphragm carburetor market. This type of carburetor is used in engines of chain saws, snowmobiles, brush cutters, ATV's (all terrain vehicles), and other applications.

#### First Chain Saw Customers: Homelite and McCulloch

1966-1971: In 1966, Homelite, a Textron Division, — one of the world's major producers of chain saws — became Walbro's first diaphragm carburetor customer.

McCulloch, another chain saw giant, was not far behind.

And then one leading chain saw manufacturer after another became customers as Walbro achieved world-recognition for its innovative designing, manufacturing, marketing—and for the quality and speed of its service capabilities.

Today, the company is producing over 1,000,000 chain saw carburetors a year. It is one of the fastest-growing manufacturers in the world in this product field.

#### Leader in Snowmobile Carburetor Production, Too

In the early '70's, Walbro was as successful with snowmobile manufacturers as with chain saw producers. Its research and development group had the advanced carburetion technology to help the snowmobile industry solve many highly technical problems.

This great acceleration in carburetor sales called for expanded plant facilities. In this period, Walbro enlarged its main plant; acquired an additional plant in Cass City. It also re-invested profits in new equipment for carburetor research, manufacturing, and quality control procedures.

#### A Year of Dynamic Expansion Here and Overseas

1972: 1-Walbro purchased the assets of Conelec, Inc., Elmira, New York, added the Conelec Electronic Fuel Pump to its fuel pump line, and moved the operation to Cass City.

2-Walbro purchased the assets of Eden Industries, Minneapolis, Minnesota. These included a catalytic (cordless) engine heater and an electronic diagnostic testing instrument (Vibration Analyzer), for cars and trucks. Both have growth potential, and both are now being produced in Cass City.

3-The company bought a 42,000 sq. ft. plant in Caro, modernized it, and moved all float-feed type carburetor manufacturing operations from Cass City.

4-As committed to growth through service in the international market as it is in domestic markets, Walbro opened a new sales and service center in Hamburg, West Germany. Through an affiliate, Germa Armaturen, it also began to produce Walbro Chain Saw Carburetors in Europe.

5-In mid-'72, Walbro established its first overseas subsidiary: Keihin-Walbro Corporation, Kawasaki City, Japan. This subsidiary is a joint venture with Keihin Seiki Manufacturing Co., Ltd., a leading producer of carburetors for motorcycles and automobiles.

6-On September 14, 1972, Walbro Corporation went public. Today, it has more than 1300 stockholders spread across the nation.

#### New Subsidiary in Europe

1973 • With European carburetor sales steadily increasing, Walbro organized a second new subsidiary (wholly owned), Walbro GmbH, Hamburg, West Germany. At the same time, the company expanded its Hamburg sales and service center, increased staff,

and stepped up the range of Walbro GmbH service capabilities.

In Japan, Keihin-Walbro Corporation built a new, well-equipped plant in Kakuda City, Miyagi Prefecture, 200 miles north of Tokyo. One of its first major customers was Echo Chain Saw Division, Kioritz Corp.

On the home front, Walbro activated a new division: the Automotive Products Division.

In recent years, company sales of automotive products have grown rapidly. With Autopulse, Dupree, and Conelec Electric Fuel Pumps, Walbro now has what is, unquestionably, the broadest and most complete line of electric fuel pumps in this country. Further, Walbro began to market its 1972-acquired engine heater and Vibration Analyzer-both of which are expected to add to the company's future growth in sales and earnings.

Moreover, in 1973, the Carburetor Division developed a new and a unique float-type carburetor for snowmobile engines...designed to help the industry meet new regulations on intake and exhaust silencing, pollution, safety, and more efficient engine performance.

#### Sales Up From \$150,000 in 1954 To Over \$15,000,000 in 1974

1974 • In its first year in Cass City (1954), Walbro carburetor sales totalled \$150,000.

In 1974, the company's total sales—carburetors, automotive products, injection molded plastic parts—advanced to over \$15,000,000. Up 16 per cent from 1973...which was up 23 per cent from 1972...which was up 39 per cent from 1971... which was up 38 per cent from 1970...and so on back over the years.

In its first year in Cass City, Walbro had 70 employees. Today, it has more than 500.

#### Acquires Auburn Diecast Corp.

1975 • In its most recent growth and expansion move, Walbro acquired Auburn Diecast Corporation, Auburn, Michigan, on January 6, 1975. A

wholly owned subsidiary of Walbro, Auburn Diecast manufactures aluminum and magnesium die castings for the chain saw, sporting goods, automotive industries, etc. The acquisition broadens the scope of Walbro service capabilities to manufacturers of chain saws and other small engine equipment as well as expanding its service to other industries. It should increase company sales substantially in '75 and the years ahead.

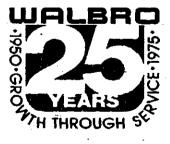
## Growth Through Service ... Teamwork ... Community Cooperation

As Mr. Walpole says, "The 25 year history of Walbro is a history of growth not only in U.S. and North American markets, but also in world markets... Europe and Asia particularly.

"It is a history of growth through service.

"Growth through teamwork: the loyal teamwork of a great many men and women who have worked hard and long and who often, especially in our earlier years, sacrificed much to make Walbro what it is today.

"Growth through cooperation: the whole-hearted cooperation of the company's friends and neighbors in Cass City, Caro, Bad Axe, the Thumb area, and Auburn, Michigan; of its employees, stockholders, customers and suppliers."





#### **WALBRO CORPORATION**

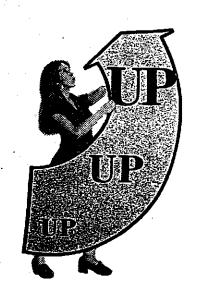
Cass City...Caro...Bad Axe...Auburn, Michigan

Walbro GmbH, West Germany Keihin-Walbro Corp., Japan

# WE GO VEADS VOI

KEEPING UP WITH THE NEEDS OF GROWING CASS CITY KEEPS US THAT WAY!

## **WANT PROOF?**



CIRCULATION - UP 197

In A 3-Month Period Ending March 31, Despite An Unavoidable Increase In Subscription Costs.

ADVERTISING - UP

Any Way You Measure It. More Dollars Spent, More Inches Used For The 10th Consecutive Year.

COMMERCIAL PRINTING - UP

Up Because We Have The Equipment And The People To Do The Job.

THE JOB: Create a sales message. Print it on 2 sides on enamel paper, 23" x 29", in 4 colors and fold to 23/4" x 71/2" for mailing.

NO PROBLEM FOR THE CHRONICLE'S COMMERCIAL PRINTING DEPARTMENT

We do it at attractive rates. We do it right here in Cass City on our own equipment. No other printers in Saginaw, Bay City or the Upper Thumb have the equipment or the know-how to do the job. We're proud of our work and our customers must like it too. More of them keep coming every day.

PHONE 872-2010

# CASS CITY CHRONICLE



CONGRATULATIONS WALBRO ON YOUR 25th BIRTHDAY AND OPEN HOUSE

# CASS CITY CHRONICLE

SUPPLEMENT SECTION II

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN-THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975



#### Croft-Clara Lumber grows to meet building needs

Fifteen years ago Croft-Clara was born, rising from the ashes of Brinker Lumber Co. which served the community prior to

And nearly every year since it started under the direction of Clifford Croft, the company has grown to serve the needs of the growing Thumb area.

Croft-Clara started with an office and one building at its site just west of the village limits in Cass City and has continuously added to or remodeled the

### Beagio's adds new front, product line after one year

Sandusky stores.

says Mrs. Herron.

special sauce.

Beagio's Pizza House in Cass City started just one year ago and already Mrs. Janice Herron has added a new front and expanded the product line.

We like Cass City, says Mrs. Herron a veteran in the pizza business in Sandusky and Marlette. We turned down an offer to sell our business recently, she confided,



Managing Beagio's are Venetta Montei and Wendy Moore.

There have been four additions to the original structure used to warehouse lumber. There has been an addition to the office that resulted in more office and sales space for the increasing store traffic.

Last year a major improvement was the blacktopping of the customer parking

And the work continues. Right now an addition to the north of the present sales office is contemplated so that more sales display space can be utilized for the

The recent addition to the products is the

Flavor-Krisp chicken available in a

snak-pack, or 10, 18, or 22-piece assort-

ments. We use fresh, not frozen, chicken,

Chicken is an addition to the line but the

basic product is still pizzas. The reason

that the pizzas have proved so popular

here, Mrs. Herron believes, is that

Beagio's makes its own dough and its own

Cheese is purchased in ton lots and the

store then grands it as needed to fit the

Much of the meat and the produce is

Beagio's hires 8 persons. Besides pizza

Beagio's urges advance orders for

pizzas and much of its business is

carry-out to local residents for snacks or

and chicken the store features pizzabur-

home grown whenever possible and gives

added flavor to the many varieties offered

store's exact requirements.

gers and hamburgers.

three buying groups that give it the advantage of group purchasing.

Croft-Clara is a member of the Michigan Retail Lumbermen's Association and Croft is the organization's current presi-

The company ranks as one of the top retail employers in Cass City with 15 persons on the payroll.

The company offers a complete range of

lumber and building supplies including self-assembly, ready-cut homes and ma-terials for pole buildings. We don't erect

them, says Croft, but we do work with local

builders and arrange for work to be completed by them if the customer wants

To sell right the company works hard to buy right. Croft-Clara is a member of

Among them are three who have a total of 68 years in the business. They are: Orville Mallory, 28 years; Elwyn Helwig, 22 years; and Bill Repshinska, 18 years.



CLIFF CROFT

#### Bad back starts Rolling Hills

Because Mrs. Grant Hutchinson had a bad back several years ago Cass City Rolling Hills was born.

Well, perhaps not just because of the ailment, but certainly Mrs. Hutchinson's health was one of the major reasons that the Hutchinsons built the golf course at the north village limits.

Other reasons, says Grant, were the lowfarm produce prices in the late 60's and requests from area residents for a course at Cass City. It's a source of satisfaction to the

Hutchinsons that many folks tell them that without the course here they would never have become golfers.

The 2,944-yard course was opened in the fall of 1968 and Grant Hutchinson did most of the construction himself. It was truly a family project-Mrs. Hutchinson picked

Building the course was not without its

pitfalls. One of the hardest was building the greens. Just when it was needed most for the water pumps, electricity was not available because of a Detroit Edison strike and made it doubly hard to get the greens in good shape.

Since it was built, work has continued on the course including the planting of trees and four years ago the installation of

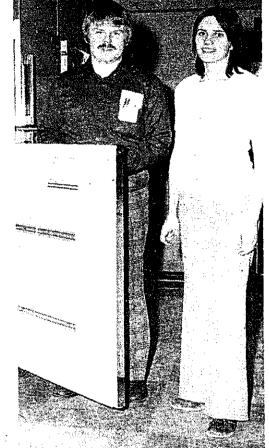
a fairway watering system. What started as a family affair is still a family affair. Grant's dad, Frank, now 84, runs the mower on the fairway and his wife runs the restaurant-clubhouse.

It's open 16 hours a day seven days a week in season. Before we built this course the idea

was that it would make it easy for me to follow doctor's orders and play, Mrs. Hutchinson explained

You know, she concluded, now that we have it I'm too busy to play at all.

### Thumb Appliance continues under owner Roland Bedell



MR. AND MRS. ROLAND BEDELL

A long tradition of quality products and service continues at Thumb Appliance Center under new owner Roland Bedell of Akron. Bedell recently completed purchasing the store from Sam Anderson of Caro, who bought the store in 1973 from the old Thumb Appliance Center, Inc.

The store's beginnings go back to 1918, and through the years, Thumb Appliance has been a pioneer in area appliance sales. They brought Cass City the first dual temperature refrigerator, the first oil space heater, the first car radio, the first television picture in this area, the first color television in the area, the first automatic washer; and the list goes on

Major brands to be offered include Maytag washers and dryers, Kitchen Aid dishwashers, the complete Hotpoint line, Gibson refrigerators and freezers, Hoover major appliances, Motorola quazar TV, and Hitachi stereo, along with a complete list of parts and service.

The new owner plans to remodel and upgrade the store's interior. Bedell also plans a heavy emphasis on service which ne maintains is the most important part of any business.

Bedell is no stranger to the store. He worked there for Anderson the last two years, commuting from his native Akron. 'Selling intrigues me," Bedell says. "That's why I decided to buy the store. Also, Cass City has a great potential and is one of the fastest growing communities in the Thumb.

Thumb Appliance Center employs three

full-time and two part-time workers. Bedell's wife, Janet, is a teacher in the Cass City School District.

#### Service is our store's policy-Schneeberger Furniture

Clarence "Bud" Schneeberger, our policy of servicing what we sell will continue. That goes for everything we sell. We have people to handle carpets, appliances, furniture and television.

It's not surprising that the Schneebergers would be such sticklers for after sale service. It's what we built our business with, they say simply.

It's a success story that few can equal. It started in 1961 when Clarence Schneeberger started a TV repair shop in back of a fruit market run by brother, Russ.

There was exactly 135 square feet of floor space then. But from that simple beginning the size of the store, the amount of merchandise carried and the service crew to back it up steadily skyrocketed.

It was less than two years later that Russ closed the fruit market for good and the space was used for sales. Later that same year a small addition was added to the building. The 1320 square foot building was enlarged to 2,880 square feet in 1963 when the second addition was finished on the building that is on the corner of Maple

A giant step forward came in 1967 when the company purchased a garage building on East Main. They occupied the front half of the spacious new quarters until 1969 when the entire 11,088 feet building was

Later that same year an upstairs was built. Two years later the now familiar colonial type front was completed.

Still cramped for space as stocks on hand grew and grew, the two partners purchased a warehouse fronting on an alley just off Main Street and started its policy of warehouse discount selling. The warehouse added another 5,615 feet to the

company's available space.

The most recent addition came in 1973 when a second warehouse with 600 square feet was added.

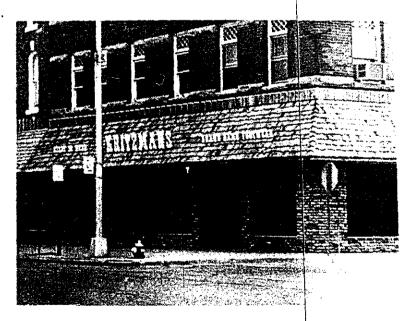
The Schneebergers say that having space to carry a complete stock is important but equally important are the

people who work there. The company hires 13 and among them are persons factory trained in the repair of television, appliances and furniture.



Clarence "Bud" and Russ Schneeberger

# KEEPING PACE WITH CASS CITY



GROWING - With Service

Shoppers know they will be treated with friendly courteous service at Kritzmans'. We take that extra step to please and Thumb shoppers know it.

GROWING — With Quality

Kritzmans' customers keep coming back because they have confidence in the quality. They know Kritzmans' stands behind what it sells.

GROWING — With Budget Prices

With a New York Buying Office, Kritzmans' buys RIGHT and sells RIGHT. Low prices for top quality is a tradition that built the business. Its a policy that will never change.

CONGRATULATIONS TO WALBRO ON ITS 25th BIRTHDAY

KRITZMANS', INC.

CASS CITY

**SANDUSKY** 

BAD AXE

# CHILDREN'S OF THE THUMB

#### NAME BRANDS :

- POLLY FLINDERS
- MANY OTHERS

LASTING QUALITY AT BUDGET PRICES

**NOW FEATURING - SPECIAL GROUP** 

Young Miss Looks

For The 7-14 Girl

25% OFF



#### THE PIED PIPER

**Erla Shopping Center** 

6261 Church **Cass City** 

CONGRATULATIONS WALBRO ON YOUR 25th

CLOCK SALE



ALL CLOCKS IN THE STORE!



We Feature

**Every Type** 

Weather

Instrument

Grandfather Clocks Westminster Chimes

Cuckoo Clocks From Germany's Black Forest

Pendulum Wall Clocks Schoolhouse Clocks

Kitchen and Decorative Clocks of all Kinds

Clocks with Wall Sconces

Bulova Accutron Clocks

Many, Many Others

Congratulations Walbro on Your 25th Birthday

# TO YEARS

YES, 75 YEARS - - - That's How
Long Your Wickes Elevator Has
Been Serving Cass City Area Farmers.

We're Proud That We Were Able To Keep Our Facilities Modern And Efficient And Warrant Your Continued Patronage.

We're ready to serve.

Come in and tell us what you need.



■ We deal with a new kind of grower! ■

and the contract of the contra

6267 Vulcan

872-2171

# IGA FOODLINER

GROWING WITH CASS CITY



# YOUR LOCALLY OWNED IGA SUPER MARKET

WE HAVE EXPANDED THROUGH THE
CONTINUOUS GOOD WILL AND PATRONAGE OF AREA FOLKS.
WE WILL STRIVE TO MERIT YOUR SUPPORT
DURING THE YEARS AHEAD.

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO WALBRO



# IGA FOODLINER

6121 E. CASS CITY RD.

PHONE 872-2645

#### Weaver sees future bright in Cass City, Thumb

When Mike Weaver purchased the former Mac & Scotty Drug Store in Cass City he did so because he felt that Cass City had a bright future, one that a young businessman could build for the future in.

Since that day, March 1, 1968, nothing has happened to change his mind. He has backed his confidence in the

community and his business with a steady stream of expansions in both building and

It didn't take Weaver long to start improving. In the summer of 1968 he added new fixtures to the store.



#### MIKE WEAVER

The first major expansion came the next year. In February of 1969 he expanded into the former post office building and added a new store front that gave him over double the amount of floor space, from 1,400 square feet to 3,000 square feet.

Now nearing completion is another addition that will give the store an additional 1,800 square feet and a total of 4.800 square feet.

More important than the extra space, Weaver feels, is the staff that works at the store. We've expanded from three to eight persons, he says, and as far as I'm The era of the craftsman lives on at

Wright's Shoe Repair shop on Main Street in Cass City. Owners Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wright operate one of the few remaining shoe repair shops in the Thumb area, and people anywhere. business has continued to grow since they What the expanded store has enabled us began in July of 1964. to do, he continued is expand our lines. We Their first location was in the Hahn

building. Wright had purchased the similar gift items that we never could offer business from the late Floyd Ottaway, who before, he explained. operated it in another location. Four years We also have a greatly expanded Halllater, the Wrights moved their shoe repair mark card section and decorator candle business into the former Franks Music Store building, where they've continued to While working hard to grow in business,

operate ever since Weaver has also worked hard for the In the beginning, they acquired equipvillage. He is a member of the Cass City ment from purchasing stock of three other Development Corp. board of directors, repair shops that had discontinued busipresident-elect of Rotary and an active Their present location doubled member of the Cass City Chamber of available floor space and made it possible

A growing clientele at Wright's

and sprays that keep shoes lasting longer. Wright is no stranger to work. He holds down a full-time job at General Cable Corporation as well as operating his own business. Yet those long hours have paid off, and have helped build a large, growing

> According to Mrs. Wright, the store draws customers from throughout the entire Thumb and even as far away as Detroit's northern suburbs.

to handle a large line of quality, durable

shoes, repairs and findings, such as polish

"It's been a good experience for us," she says. "There's been a lot of work to it, but we've enjoyed it."

Wright's Shoe Store can repair nearly every kind of shoe, from restitching seams to resoling. They also handle work and casual shoes to fit nearly every foot.

#### Area's potential brought Cole Carbide in 1964

A company that expanded to Cass City because it saw potential for growth is Cole Carbide, located three and one-half miles east of Cass City on M-81.

have toys, games, stuffed animals and

The company was founded in 1936 by Oran Cole, in Warren, specializing in carbide cutting tools used in the automotive and aircraft industries. Demand for Cole's tools grew over the years, and in 1964, the company opened a branch plant in a building at the corner of Main and Sherman Streets.

According to Scott Kelley, plant manager, demand soon outstripped the small plant's capacity, and in 1970, the firm moved into a new 8,500 square-foot building east of Cass City.

Starting with just a handful of employees, today Cole Carbide employs 18 persons and, Kelley said, plans call for more hirings in the future. 



SCOTT KELLEY

Why the move to Cass City? "The company was moving north," Kelley said, "and we needed a town centrally located in the Thumb that had a railroad and good connecting highways. Cass City was it." He said the potential for employees was also a determining factor in the move to Cass City.

The emphasis at Cole Carbide is not on production but on craftsmanship, Kelley said. Employees work in a large, well-lighted, clean area that helps promote the idea of care and craftsmanship in each

Cole Carbide provides cutting tools for all major auto producers and aircraft manufacturers in the United States. Kelley is a 12-year veteran of Cole Carbide. He and his wife reside in Cass

81 Years of friendly, personalized service.

There's no magic secret to progress -- Just a

lot of faith and hard work.

## Congratulations



- ISAAC B. AUTEN bought the bank in 1894
- MEREDITH B. AUTEN started work in the bank in 1913
- FREDERICK B. AUTEN started work in the bank in 1949

The Cass City State Bank

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

# HELPING CASS CITY GROW ---

- LOANS TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS AND TO RESIDENTS FOR HOMES, HOME IMPROVEMENTS.
- TOP INTEREST FOR AREA DEPOSITORS.



with Mutual Savings High Interest Certificates





4 year Certificate Compounded Quarterly yields 7.71% per year <sup>3</sup>5.000 minimum

Now is the best time ever to switch your your money into savings certificates at Mutual Savings. Why? Because interest rates on insured-safe certificates have been

raised to a new ali-time high. There are four certificates to choose from. One-year certificates pay 61/2% yearly interest compounded quarterly on a \$1,000 minimum balance, for an annual yield of 6.66%. You can earn 6%% annual interest on a 21/2-year,

\$1,000 certificate that's compounded

quarterly, for a 6.92% annual yield. Would you like to put your money away a little longer and earn a lot more? Our 4-year, \$1,000 certificate pays 71/4%, compounded quarterly to yield 7.45% per year. For the top interest which savings associations are allowed to pay, invest in a 4-year, \$5,000 certificate. With quarterly compounding, the 71/2% annual interest yeilds 7.71% yearly.

Mutual wants to help you attain your savings goals. And now we have new ways to make your tomorrows happen.

CHOOSE YOUR **SAVINGS** PLAN



Yields 7.45% Per Year

\$1,000 Minimum

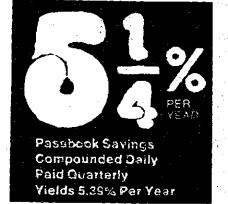


Compounded Quarterly

Yields 6.92% Far Year

\$1,000 Minimum

1-Year Certificate Compounded Quarterly Yields 6.66% Per Year \$1,000 Minimum



Our Congratulations to Walbro

#### MUTUAL SAVINGS

6459 Main St.

Cass City, Mich.

Phone 872-2105

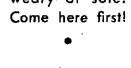
9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. MON,-THURS.

9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. FRI. - 9:00 A.M. - NOON SAT.

# WRIGHT'S 6414 MAIN Shoe Repair Qua

save time...save money **REPAIRS MADE RIGHT** 

> Don't get down at the heel or weary of sole!



Call Us,

...for Prompt Repairs

WE ALSO SELL NEW SHOES AND WORK BOOTS COME IN...

#### WRIGHT'S SHOE REPAIR

6414 Main . . . . Phone 872-2595

**CONGRATULATIONS...WALBRO** 

### Service keys growth for

doubling available space in-

handle most common auto-

They also handle brakes.

exhaust system repairs, tires,

One of the keys to success

has been consistently good

service and quality products.

Over the years, Mellendorf

motive repair jobs.

batteries and welding.

Clare's Sunoco, says owner Clare's Sunoco, located at 6597 Main St., provides a

quality line of products and service to keep your car on

sole proprietor since 1965 and worked nearly six years at the station prior to that, over two years as a partner. He purchased the business from Howard "Baldy" Ellis.

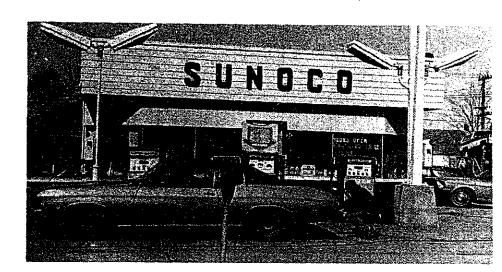
Mellendorf was born near Elkton and grew up mid-way dale, graduating from Owendale High School. Following a

vice, Mellendorf came to Cass friendly service that has built City to work at the station. a strong, loyal clientele. In 1967, the station was

Mellendorf says in his years completely rebuilt, nearly of servicing cars and trucks, he's noticed oil changes and chassis lubrications aren't requested as much, partly ries a wide assortment of because newer cars require parts for most cars and can less time on the service rack.

But people themselves stay pretty much the same,'

Mellendorf employs one full-time and two part-time employees, part of the reason Clare's Sunoco is a popular spot for motorists in the Cass



Clare's Sunoco, corner of Main and Maple.

#### WILDWOOD FARMS RESTAURANT & LOUNGE

We'll do the work, and serve you a home-style dinner you'll boast about ... and with our clean, pleasant surroundings, the whole family'll love it.

Children Under 12

1/2 Price

FRIDAY

SEAFOOD \$4 25 BUFFET

Let's

/SAT. DANCING By COUNTRY FOUR

WEEK DAYS

SALAD BAR INCLUDED WITH DINNER

> Tues. - Sat. 11 a.m. to 2 a.m.

Sunday 11 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

CLOSED MONDAYS

Private Room Available

**Call for Reservations** 

872-2720

SUNDAY

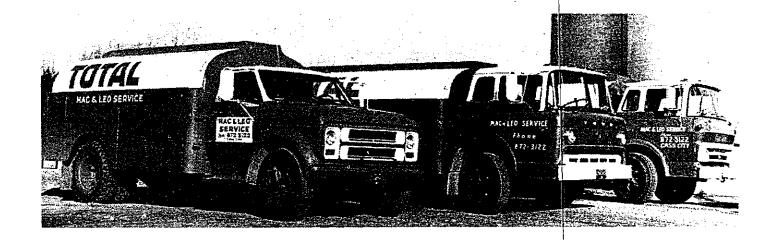
TOTAL - LEONARD

**SERVING** 

FARM & COMMUNITY

IN THE CASS CITY AREA

FOR 31 YEARS -



PROGRESSING WITH CASS CITY FOR THREE DECADES ---SERVICING HOMES, BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY WITH GAS AND FUEL OIL - COMPLETE LINE OF FARM PRODUCTS



OUR BEST WISHES

T0

WALBRO CORPORATION

Fish-Shrimp, Asst'd Seafood, Chicken,

CONGRATULATIONS

WALBRO

Eat, Drink and Be Merry... SATURDAY

Keep Your

Sunny

Side Up!



With Spring on the wing, you'll want your clothes to look great! We can do it . . . with expert cleaning and pressing methods! We can make alterations, too!

- Cleaning & Dyeing Service
  - Draperies A Specialty

EICHER'S CLEANERS & DYERS

6471 Main

CONGRATULATIONS WALBRO

## JNR becomes one of area's

One of the area's newest industries that continues to grow each year is Eggs by JNR, located on Mushroom Road, 10 miles south of Cass City. In the last six months, the plant has doubled in size, according to manager Alden Asher.

The plant went into operation in 1971 strictly as an egg-packing facility. Since that time, however, Eggs by JNR has become a processor as well as a producer

Backed by a flock of 30,000 chickens of its own, the plant handles eggs from 20 similar production houses. "We've probably got the finest set-up in

the entire state," Asher said. In all, Eggs by JNR relies on nearly a half-million birds to keep its egg needs supplied. Its 18 employees pack about 3,000 cases of eggs each week, running two production facility that practically snatches the egg from the hen the moment it's laid, eggs are sorted and boxed by machines that automatically separate eggs according to size.

Once boxed, the eggs are then stored in one of two giant cooling rooms where a constant temperature of 38 degrees is "It's impossible to get a stale egg from

this place," Asher said. The facility was built by Norbert Kapala. The name JNR comes from the initials of his four daughters, whose first names begin with J, his first name, plus that of his wife, Rita.

Coupled with know-how, the most modern egg production machinery helps make JNR a strong competitor in the wholesale and retail egg market.

#### Love of cycling leads Chuck Nemeth into bike business

Chuck Nemeth, owner of Thumb Cycle Sales, located at 6509 Main St., could have become a farmer or a butcher. In fact, he took a stab at both, but in the end, decided motorcycles were more to his liking.

Since opening his shop in 1969, Nemeth has added a total of five motorcycle lines including Penton, Husqvarna, Triumph, Norton and Moto Guzzi. Since sales of 10-12 units that first year, the business has grown to annual sales of 100 units or better.

Thumb Cycle Sales features a complete line of parts and accessories to keep these top brand-name bikes on the road and performing at peak efficiency Service is also a key factor at Thumb

Nemeth says cycling tastes have

Customers want bikes more for transportation than for sport now, and are interested in accessories such as saddle bags, mirrors and additional lights.

In the Thumb area, Thumb Cycle Sales is still the biggest competition bike store, Nemeth says. Last year, 25 riders representing the store won trophies in statewide competition. That says a lot for both product and service. Nemeth says.

Nemeth himself thought about farming then gravitated into butchering, where he worked three years. In the meantime, his love for cycling grew until he gave up the meat business and went to work for a cycle parts firm in Saginaw. It wasn't long before Nemeth had his own shop in the

#### Kritzmans' one of Upper Thumb's principal retailers

In 15 years Kritzmans', a family owned chain, has become one of the principal retailers in the three-county Upper Thumb area with stores in Cass City, Bad Axe and

Bill Kritzman, manager of the Cass City store, points to the buying power that the three stores generate and the New York buying office that the company uses as principal reasons that shoppers have turned to Kritzmans'.

The buying office keeps us on top of the fashion market and keeps us posted about the availability of goods in the market. Of course, working through these offices gives us a definite buying advantage over

dealing with salesmen as they visit the area, says Kritzman. Members of the chain visit New York five times a year to keep the merchandize

flowing to their three stores. When the Kritzmans entered the store business 15 years ago they were already experienced retailers. Head of the corporation is Marvin Kritzman who also runs the Sandusky store. His son, Lawayne, is

in charge of the Bad Axe store. To keep pace with the community and its growth Kritzman has added a 27x50-foot section to the rear of the store in 1965. Several times the store has been updated lighting system.

In the fall of 1973 the new modern front with Alpine motif seen in several local stores was completed.



**BILL KRITZMAN** 

Bill Kritzman has been an active civic leader since coming to the community. He is a Rotarian. He served on the Cass City Chamber of Commerce and is a member of the Cass City Development Corporation board. He is the current CCDC president

## complete accessory line

First Automotive carries

First Automotive, located at 6585 Main St., carries a complete line of automotive parts and accessories and has built a reputation for having what you need when you need it over more than 40 years.

Officially, First Automotive came to Cass City in 1974, taking over the former Cass City Auto Supply. The building was extensively remodeled over a year ago, including the construction of a 30 by 50-foot addition, lowered ceilings and expanded

Inside, customers find extensive displays of accessories at the front of the store including floor mats, touch-up paints and waxes designed to make any car look

Behind the counter, however, is really where the action is. Here, one of the largest stock of replacement parts in the Thumb is available for nearly every car

Manager Ron Wright is no stranger to the business. A native of the Caro area, Wright grew up involved with cars. He's raced extensively at both Thunderoad Raceway and the Owendale Speedway.

"I've had pretty fair success," Wright says, "I've won about as many races as I've lost."

Wright has raced the past 10 years. Wright says many of his customers come in Saturdays. Most of these are do-it-yourself mechanics who like to tinker

with the family car on week ends. "They bring in a fair amount of problems," Wright says, "but we manage to solve most of them.

First Automotive features Monroe shock absorbers, DuPont paints, Fram and Hastings filters and Walker mufflers and

Brake drums, including disc brakes, are also turned in the back shop.

In addition to its Cass City store, First Automotive operates outlets in Bay City, Caro, Frankenmuth, Midland, Mt. Pleasant, Reese, Saginaw, Ubly and Vassar. A new store recently opened in Sebewaing, bringing to 12 the number of First Automotive outlets.

First Automotive of Cass City is open 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 8:00 a.m. - noon Saturdays. In the summer, Saturday hours are extended to 4:30 p.m.

Wright is ably assisted at First Automotive by Doug Thane of Cass City.

#### Yen to own business helps establish M&M Block Company

major force that helped create M & M Block Co., 6141 Kelley Rd. Co-owners Bob MacKay and Rich Mallory, both lifelong area residents, bought the block plant and seven-acre site in 1969 from Tuckey Block

Since purchasing the business six years ago, orders have jumped at least 50 per cent, MacKay says.

The block-manufacturing plant supplies construction of both homes and businesses in Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac counties. Besides producing concrete blocks, the company also produces bricks, fire places and anything to do with masonry.

M & M Block has had a hand in the growth of Cass City as well as surrounding communities. One of its first major supply jobs was for the new Cole Carbide facility

east of Cass City. Another large order for material came from Draves Distributing of Bad Axe.

Still, the major emphasis is on residential construction. Despite the fact that the area building boom has softened in recent months, both remain confident that construction will pick up in the near future. Operations are still geared with future growth in mind.

Besides MacKay and Mallory, the firm employs two-full time and two part-time persons. They take advantage of the co-op student employment plan through Cass City High School which not only provides willing workers but also gives students an opportunity to learn on the job.

A willingness to participate in the program is testimony of their faith in the future of the area.

## ALBEE TRUEValue HARDWARESTORES

### PROGRESS WITH THE COMMUNITY FOR OVER 25 YEARS



The present staff at Albee True Value Hardware. From left: Lynn Albee, Dick Albee,

Dave Luana, Marilyn Alexander, Scott Hendrick, Gladys Albee and Gib Albee.

HOUSEWARE & GIFT DEPT.

**TOYS & BIKES** 

SPORTING GOODS DEPT.

LAWN & GARDEN DEPT.

HARDWARE DEPT.

PLUMBING SUPPLIES

INTERIOR & EXTERIOR PAINT

WALLPAPER

DRAPERY RODS

CARPET - INLAID

PLUS **MUCH MORE** 

**CONGRATULATIONS** 

WALBRO

### YAMAHA & CAN-AM

#### CASS CITY CYCLE SALES

FOR THE PERFORMANCE PERSON

CAN-AM **Excellent Handling** 

COME IN AND TAKE

YANAHA — The machine for every man's needs

"Someday You'll Own A Yamaha."

#### SERVICEIS OUR SALESMAN

**FACTORY TRAINED MECHANICS**  FINANCING AVAILABLE

"CONGRATULATIONS TO WALBRO"

ROGER GNAGEY - OWNER

PHONE 872-3720

Do Your Laundry

ers. Flat surfaces for folding ease.

Single and double load top name machines. Big, dependable dry-

While your Clothes Wash and Dry... Have your car washed too!!

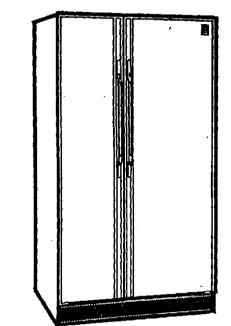
**WASH-KING LAUNDRY** Best of Luck WALBRO

and the first of t

## HOME OF THESE QUALITY APPLIANCES, TV'S AND STEREOS FOR THE THUMB AREA

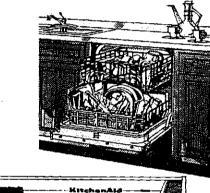
#### TAPPAN





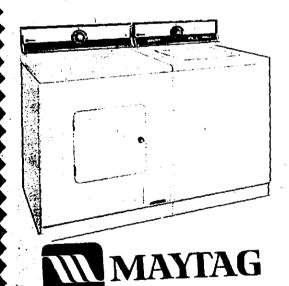


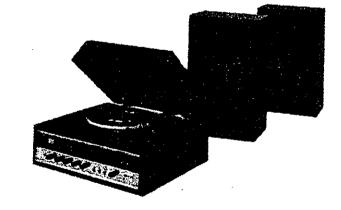
Hotpoint













Congratulations to Walbro

"WE SERVICE WHAT WE SELL"

FINANCING AVAILABLE - FREE DELIVERY AND FREE NORMAL INSTALLATION

## THUMB APPLIANCE INC.

6422 W. MAIN ST.

CASS CITY

## ERLA'S FOOD CENTER, INC. FROM THIS 1953 ERLA FOOD CENTER Congratulations. AND STILL GROWING ---• 35 EMPLOYEES • FAMILY OPERATED • WHOLESALE MEAT PRICES • SUPER SPECIALS on your 25th • EVERYDAY LOW BUDGET CUTTING PRICES Anniversary YOU MADE IT POSSIBLE! - THANKS FOR

MAKING ERLA'S YOUR SHOPPING HEADQUARTERS.

## General Cable makes commitment to Cass City

In 1960, General Cable Corporation made a major commitment to the future of Cass City when it agreed to locate one of its plants in the village. Through the efforts of the Cass City Development Corporation, the plant covering about 110,000 sq. ft., was constructed that same year.

Since then, the operation has expanded to over 130,000 sq. ft.

The Firm was organized in 1927, when 10 independent wire companies consolidated together, providing the nucleus of General Cable. Today this group of plants has expanded to form the largest and most broadly diversified wire and cable company in the United States.

pany in the United States.

The Cass City plant has five basic operations: wire drawing of copper and copper alloys for cable conductors; manufacture and extrusion of plastic compounds for insulating wire; cabling of insulated wires into telephone cables;

6575 E. Milligan Rd.

manufacture of retractile and line telephone cords, and connector cables for switchboards; and a finished stock warehousing for prompt servicing of customer's orders.

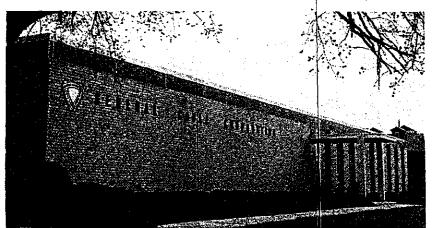
Major customers include: General Telephone and Electronics, Automatic Electric, ITT, Western Electric and several independent telephone systems.

General Cable Corporation is Cass City's largest employer, with 455 enrolled employees. It is estimated that 90 per cent of these employees live within 15 miles of the plant.

Domestically, General Cable is made up of 29 manufacturing facilities, 35 sales offices, and 12 distribution centers; with associated foreign companies in 10 count-

The Executive Offices of the Corporation are located in Greenwich, Connecticut.

Phone 872-3569



## Albee Hardware grows to serve Cass City community

Albee True Value Hardware has grown along with Cass City these past 25 years and continues to provide nearly everything for the home and yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Albee opened their store Oct. 1, 1949, purchasing the former Seeley Hardware which comprised about 2,000 square feet.

As Cass City grew, so did Albee True Value Hardware. In 1968, the store was expanded to include the full length of the original building, and in 1972, the store area doubled with expansion into the former Old Home Restaurant, commonly known as the Kerbyson building.

This latter expansion gave the store a total of 5,000 square feet.

None of that area is wasted. According to Lynn Albee, years of growth have also brought a greater diversity of merchandise, turning the hardware store into a home center. "We try to provide everything for the homeowner at a competitive price," Albee says.

Along with a complete line of hardware

items, a home decorating center, featuring carpets, wallpaper and a rainbow of paints, gives the do-it-yourselfer a wide choice when it comes to redecorating.

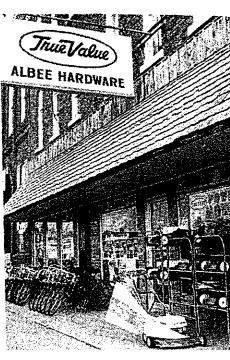
In the garden center, a wide variety of

lawn mowers, garden tools, seeds and fertilizers lets green thumbs do their thing.
Add to that a kitchen center, toys, bicycles and the service that goes with it,

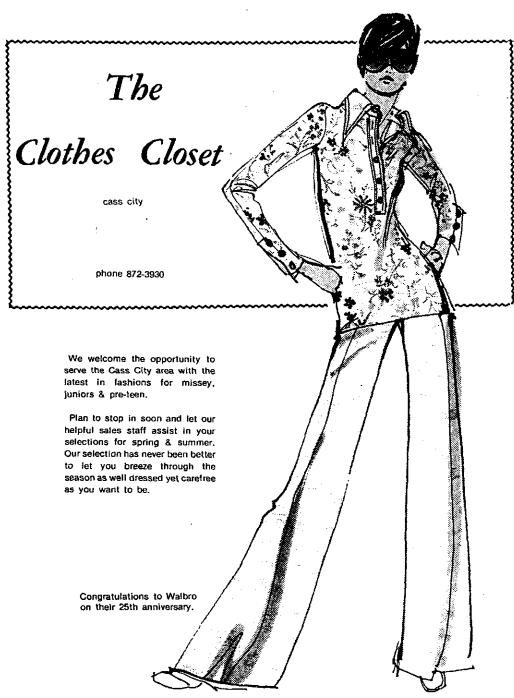
and you have a complete home center.

Albee says the number of items offered has quadrupled in the last 25 years. Also, customers are more price and value conscious. That's where the True Value affiliation comes in.

True Value is a buying group of over 4,000 independent businessmen that enables Albee Hardware to give greater values in merchandise, prices and service. The store employs seven persons.



Albee Hardware marked 25 years in business last fall.



Are You
Enjoying
the Great
Outdoors...

Play Your Next
9 Holes of Golf
at Rolling Hills Golf Course
• Lunch Room
• Rent A Cart

ROLLING HILLS GOLF COURSE

- CONGRATULATIONS WALBRO -

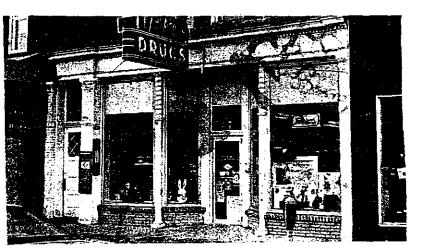
# 10 BIG REASONS

WHY COACH LIGHT IS BECOMING CASS
CITY'S FAVORITE PHARMACY

COACH LIGHT

COACH LIGHT IN 1968

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN



BIGGER, BETTER FACILITIES

AND OUR 9 EMPLOYEES-THE

FRIENDLIEST SALES-SERVICE STAFF IN TOWN



The staff at Coach Light Pharmacy ready to serve you are: (left to right), Royeen Heins, John Ballard, Jean Murphy, Barbara Merchant, Mike Weaver, and Carol McKee.

COACH LIGHT PHARMACY

MIKE WEAVER, Owner Ph. 872-3613 Emergency Ph. 872-3283 WATCH FOR THE

**COACH LIGHT IN 1974** 

**NEW BIGGER** 

COACH LIGHT OF 1975

NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION

II.

JIM SMITH

B.A. Calka, owner of Calka Real Estate in Cass City, might never have come to the village if he hadn't made a wrong turn back in 1946. Calka, fresh out of the Navy, wanted to start his own business, and heard about a store in Kingston that was

"I decided to come look it over, but somehow, I missed the turnoff and wound up here," Calka recalled. "When I got to town, I thought this didn't look like the town I wanted. There were no road signs identifying it. So I stopped at the hotel and found out I was in Cass City." In the course of the conversation, Calka

learned of a small restaurant that was for sale in the village. He also met several residents on the street who greeted him with a friendly smile and hello.

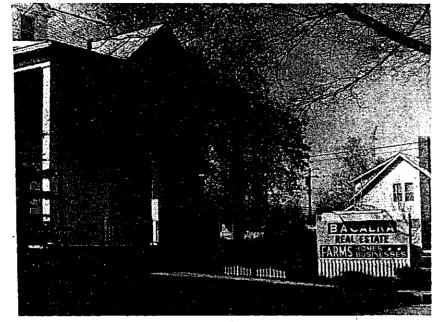
"I thought how friendly the place was and that sold me," Calka said.

From there, Calka's little restaurant grew, and eventually, he opened a real estate business in the same building, representing United Farm Agency. This

Four years later, the former Pere Marquette Railroad employee from Mt. Clemens who wanted to get away from the rat race, sold the shop and went solely into the real estate business, eventually becoming a licensed realtor.

In 1953, Calka became one of the original backers of a fledgling enterprise known as Walbro Corp. Calka says he knew in the beginning that the firm had the potential for greatness once it secured operating capital. But Calka admits he never dreamed it could become so vast an enterprise with offices in Germany and

"I never regretted my original invest-



B. A. CALKA REAL ESTATE OFFICE

ment in Walbro," Calka says. "They were a group of sharp young men with a good idea and I'm proud we could be a part of

Today, Calka Real Estate employs 14 salesmen throughout the Thumb and operates a branch office in Caro, managed by Donald T. Lanway.

Calka Real Estate sells properties thoughout the Thumb and in other parts of the state as well, including the Detroit area. Calka says property in the Cass City region still ranks high in popularity with

summer or week-end properties. Assisting Calka is sales manager Fred McEachern, who has worked with the firm the last five years.

many persons who continue to look for

In Port Austin, the firm is represented by Jim Tutwiler, whose wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Konrad Konwalski, reside in

Owning and operating Veronica's Restaurant came naturally for Veronica Gaszczynski. Prior to purchasing the restaurant four years ago, she worked for former owners Mr. and Mrs. Pat Martin, gaining much of the invaluable experience it takes to successfully operate as complicated a business as restaurant

Veronica is doing

by groups for special gatherings.

The room is the regular meeting place for the Lions Auxiliary, Business and Professional Women, the Gavel Club, along with serving other groups for special

When not reserved, the room adds seating capacity to the spacious front

Friday nights are a special treat at Veronica's Restaurant, when the salad bar is featured, offering a wide variety of salads and dressings to compliment the

restaurant than meets the eye, Mrs. Gaszczynski says. It takes long hours of work to supervise the proper preparation of good food.

Cass City for really supporting me," she said. "They've really come through for me here and I appreciate it very much."

Sundays. It employs nine persons.

After purchasing the restaurant, a large-scale remodeling program was completed that completely refurbished the special dining room which can be rented

fine food and courteous service. Even though experience helps, there's a lot more that goes into operating a

"I'm very grateful to all the people of

Veronica's Restaurant is open every day from 6:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and closed

#### **Clothes Closet fills need**

Since it opened for business in March. 1971, the Clothes Closet has grown from something of a hobby into a thriving, full-time business in the heart of the Cass

Owner Dorothy Stahlbaum recalled she started the store for two reasons.

"I felt there was a definite need for our type of store in town," she recalled. "It was also kind of a hobby with me. I'd always wanted to own a shop like this

The store began as exclusively a juniors shop, but rapidly expanded until today it features all sizes, for women, including pre-teen. The Clothes Closet is the only pre-teen shop this side of the Saginaw, Bay

corner of Main and Maple Streets moving to its present location in January, 1974, more than doubling its original size.

CASS CI 1 CONICLE—THURS

"We grew in areas I really didn't think we would," Mrs. Stahlbaum says. "We're offering more sizes in everything from casual to semi-formal wear.'

She said the name came from something she saw in a magazine. "We were looking for a unique sort of name--something that was different, when I spotted this."

At the Clothes Closet, we try to offer the latest in fashions at a competitive price, Mrs. Stahlbaum says. "We also provide the personal kind of service you don't get in a large mall store, for instance. I think

#### customers want personalized attention." The Clothes Closet has four part-time City area, Mrs. Stahlbaum says. The shop was originally located near the employees on its payroll Helen's Beauty Salon is 27

Making Cass City women more beautiful has been the job of Helen Agar, owner of Helen's Beauty Salon, located at 6469 Main

St., for over 25 years. Mrs. Agar began business in Cass City in 1948, moving to her present location six years later. Prior to going into business for herself, she worked under Eleanor Ging-

Mrs. Agar was born in Detroit and was raised on a farm near Cass City, as well as

"I guess I always wanted to be a beautician," she says. "After high school, I studied at the Capell Beauty College in Louisiana and attended courses in continuing education at Michigan State University, Ferris Institute and the Pivot Point International School in Chicago."

In 1967, she took the tour of championship designs in London and Paris. Styles have run full circle in the past 25

years," Mrs. Agar says. "It began with the heat permanents back to them. It's said every 10 years, a style will repeat and it's

In the past 25 years, she said, equipment has become smaller and easier to handle, with much of it made in Germany.

Another innovation has been wigs. "Wigs have really come into their own in the last 25 years," she explained. "Most women use them in the latter part of the week when their own set begins to come

Helen's Beauty Salon features a wide line of accessories to compliment the attractive hair styles produced by Mrs. Agar and her assistant, Leota Anthes, who has been with her since 1954.

A wide variety of eve cosmetics. including shadow, eyeliner, mascara and eve lashes are available, including new varieties that last up to six weeks before needing to be replaced.

Also available are lipsticks, rouge and an assortment of hair jewelry to compliment any hair style.

Demand for these types of products has soared in the past 25 years, Mrs. Agar



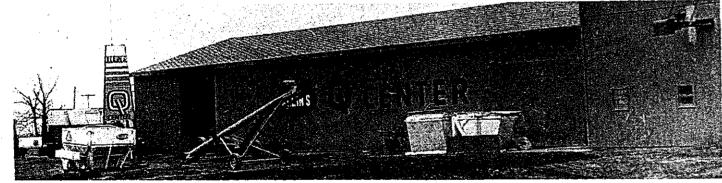
Our eggs are delivered fresh to your local grocery store. Daily our trucks from our Deford egg factory supply eggs to Cass City, Caro, Marlette, Deford, Wilmot and the surrounding

While shopping pick up a dozen or better...try our family pack — 3 dozen carton.

BEST WISHES **WALBRO** 

EGGS BY JNR **DEFORD** Phone 872-4041

### PROUD TO BE PART OF A PROGRESSING COMMUNITY



AREA SUPPLIERS FOR:

**FERTILIZERS** SUPER Q

FERMENTABLE FEEDS | LIQUID FEEDS | SEEDS & LIMES IM-PRUV-ALL

SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS TO

**WALBRO ON 25 YEARS** 

KLEIN FERTILIZERS, INC.

MOL-MIX

WALBRO

**PHONE 872-2120** 

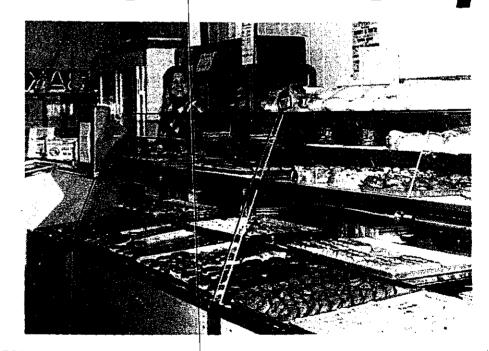
FOR YOUR ACCEPTANCE

of our

**BAKERY AND RESTAURANT** 

We are happy that you found the kind of baked goods and the home cooking you were looking for at Konrad's....the kind that enables us to list more and more Cass City area folks as regular customers.

- Artistically Decorated Cakes
- Let Us Special Order Bread And Rolls For Your Party.

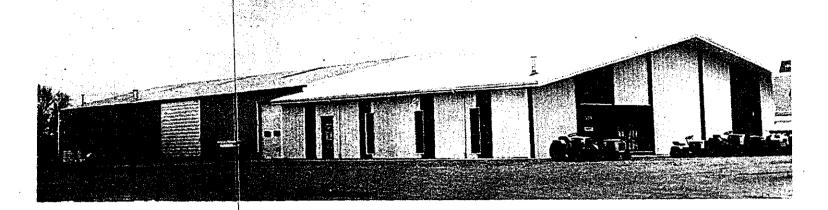


CONGRATULATIONS WALBRO ON YOUR 25th BIRTHDAY

TOM AND GINNY SUTTER

KONRAD'S BAKERY

## GROWTH THROUGH SERVICE SINCE 1946 RABIDEAU'S





RABIDEAU'S CHRYSLER CORP.

**CAR DIVISION** 

RABIDEAU'S FARM SERVICE DIVISION

BUY\_RENT-LEASE

Advanced Case hydraulics. **Unmatched for** speed, versatility,

CASE UTILITY speed, versatility, precision control. TRACTORS



DODGE

• DODGE TRUCKS

• PLYMOUTH

COME IN WE'RE **DEALING** 

(1) New 4-spool backhoe hydraulic valve controls an unusually wide range of hydraulic equipment applications, including Extendahoe and Hydra-Buide. Improves performance of all backhoe operations. Located in console for easier servicing.

(2) Twin boom cylinders increase craning ability, reduce lateral flexing

(3) Improved hydraulic regeneration. Exclusive Case backhoe feature ts the operator lower fast,-start dig instantly.

(4) New overload relief valve. Faster, more positive backhoe

(5) Cartridge-type secondary relief valves calibrate relief-pressure settings precisely. Quickreplacement type cartridges. Easyto-reach locations.

(6) New hydrautic oil filter location,

(7) Hydraulic hose protection. Hose from the hydraulic valve to the backhoe is located within the cast

swing tower, protected against external damage.

(8) Live swivels extend hydraulic hose life. Live swivels on boom cylinder hoses resist wear; hose life is lengthened as hose doesn't need

(9) Larger swing cylinder rods. Stronger, more durable.

(10) Swing cylinder protection. Now located above the lower main frame member for increased

(11) Improved hydraulic cylinder sealing capability. Case-quality. cylinders, manufactured to close tolerances, for long, trouble-free service.

(12) More power at the bucket teeth. New bucket linkage, and a longer bucket cylinder stroke amplify digging power.

(13) Boom lockout increases backhoe lift capacity when craning heavy loads.

(14) OHHP -- Optimum Hydraulic

Horsepower is totally balanced design. More engine power is converted into hydraulic horsepower

(15) High-capacity 26 gpm hydraulic operates rollback, lift, dump and float, pump steps up all loader and backhoe operation.

(16) Increased lift capacity, now 4.000 lbs., boosts payloads. cuts time.

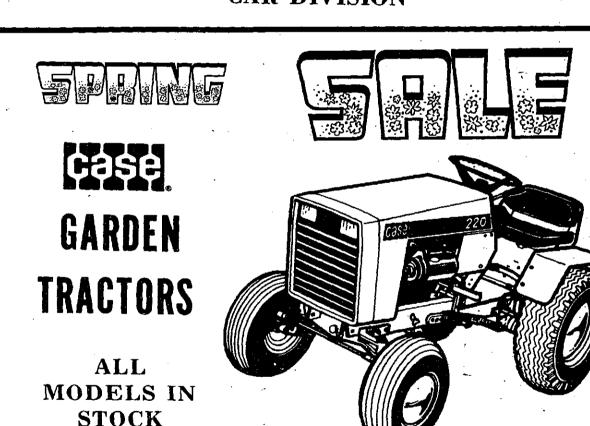
(17) Increased breakout capacity, now 6,200 lbs., breaks put full buckets faster, easier, and speeds loading.

(18) Exclusive Hydra-Leveling" design retains the load to full height

(19) Single-lever loader control simplifies operations, speeds cycling.

(20) Exclusive return-to-dig automates Case loader operations, returns bucket to digging position automatically after dumping.

(21) Bucket "float" position eases and speeds loading off the hard surface, and backfilling: Lift: arms follow ground contour.

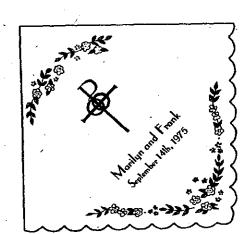


## FREE MOWER

With Every Tractor

**PLUS** Top Discounts and Trade-in Allowances

the state of the s



All the Napkins illustrated on this page are Available in the same Quality Napkin shown on Opposite Page.

Available in LUNCHEON Size and BEVERAGE Size Design, Names & Date are printed in Gold or Silver Ink and in Lettering as shown only.

When Ordering Please Specify No. of Napkin - Size - Names & Date for Imprint and Gold or Silver Printing

> PRICES NAPKINS \$3.50 per 100

The Cass City Chronicle

### Quality still comes first at expanded Sommers' Bakery

"A second generation of quality" is the motto of Sommers' Bakery, 6538 Main St. Co-Owners Stuart and Joan Merchant plan to con-tinue the tradition begun 38 years ago by her father, J.D. Sommers, when he bought the business which had already logged 27 years back in 1937.

Those were rough years, Mrs. Merchant recalled. She said her father had been a baker since the days of World War I and came to Cass City in the midst of the depression after losing his business in Cassopolis.

Sommers' Bakery has

grown into a thriving enterprise that serves over 100 customers per day and over 200 on week ends.

In order to keep pace with the times, Sommers' Bakery has expanded to provide customers with a coffee shop and has completely remodeled its storefront and customer

"It's a continuous struggle to keep going these days," Mrs. Merchant explained. "That's why we decided to expand.

In addition to serving retail customers, Sommers' Bakery also serves eight wholesale

customers throughout the Thumb with fresh baked goods each day. Special orders for schools are also handled quickly, thanks to a completely up-to-date kitchen featuring the latest in equip-

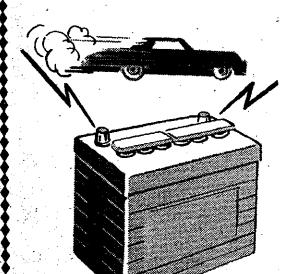
Customers still love Sommers' homemade bread. Merchant said about 500 loaves are baked fresh each

Even with expanded facilities and modern equipment, the Merchants still strive to keep that old-time family touch of quality-to everything



THE NEW EXPANDED Sommers' Bakery.

## COME NGET AT BARGAIN PRICES



## AUTO

### **ACCESSORIES**

- TOOLS
- BATTERIES • PLUGS
- POINTS
- MUFFLERS

• TAIL PIPES

Congratulations Walbro on your 25th Birthday

#### FIRST AUTOMOTIVE

Phone 872-2178

1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

## ONE STOP FOR ALL YOUR BLOOMIN' GARDEN NEEDS

**MEMORIAL DAY** 

#### **ARRANGEMENTS**

FLOWERS

والمناب والمرابين وعفوه المنابعة بمعاينية اليغر مين الزامة معاليته

- FERNS
- SPIKES
- PLANTS

THE PLANT OR FLAT

INCLUDING PLANTS, SEEDS, ETC.

Our

Congratulations

WALBRO

on your

25th BIRTHDAY

IT'S QUAKER MAID For:

•Groceries

• Cold Beer-Wine Take Out

Party Supplies

OPEN 10 to 10 7 DAYS A WEEK

#### **QUAKER MAID DAIRY STORE** 6614 Main

trigger to the term

## CASS CITY CHRONICLE

Statistics tell the tale - Cass

City is a growing community

Cass City's growth in the last 25 years has been a steady record of expansion. both economic as well as physical. More residents, more jobs, more demand for goods and services. In a nutshell, that tells much of what has gone on in this village in the last quarter century.

It's been said that a person returning to America who died 25 years ago wouldn't recognize the place. While that may not be entirely true in Cass City, certainly a lot has changed that would bewilder and amaze a resurrected former citizen.

A look at the progress Cass City has made in the last 25 years almost certainly must begin with statistics. In 1950, Cass City's municipal general fund budget stood at \$55,503.19. The largest single item was a \$10,000 storm sewer project. Street labor, supplies and improvements were tagged at \$8,000, with water works operation set at \$6,000. The police department's budget was set at \$4,500.

In 1975, general fund budget revenues and expenditures were tagged at \$253,000, with \$74,300, more than the total 1950 budget, going for police protection alone. It now costs five times more to run the wastewater treatment plant and water system than it did 25 years ago, with street improvements this year scheduled to cost more than the entire 1950 budget.

Cass City's State Equalized Valuation stands at \$12,245,050, nearly 10 times the 1950 total of \$1,293,835

By comparison, village population in

village's population stands at 2,265, nearly

According to the Michigan Statistical Abstract, total housing units in Cass City had grown from 588 in 1950 to 665 in 1970. Since that time, the Hillside Apartment Complex, comprising four buildings, has

of housing units has climbed to nearly 700.

The Cass City School District has grown along with the community in the past 25 years. In 1950, the district's State Equalized Valuation stood at \$2,429,100. Construction had just begun on what would become Campbell Elementary School, but would not be complete for another year.

A large number of elementary students rural schools through the eighth grade. In 1950, there were 10 such elementary schools in the system, enrolling 424 students. Records show 114 students enrolled at the junior high level with 344 in

1950 stood at 1,762 persons, many of whom still had some connection with agriculture. Today, according to a 1973 estimate, the

a 15 per cent increase.

increased by 18 the number of rental units

In the last five years, the actual number

were still being educated in one-room

#### An American worker's buying power

#### 50 years ago and today . . .

One way to measure change in American living standards over the years is to compare how long a typical factory employee would have to work at different times to buy various goods and services. Here are "worktimes" a half century ago and today, based on prices and after-tax earnings for each

To	Buy	Thi	s

#### A Worker Would Have to Put in-

50 Years Ago

411/4	weeks	2614	weeks
			weeks
			weeks
1_	week	1 1/4	days
138	hours	611/4	hours
1201/2	hours	54	hours
1011/2	hours	22	hours
591/2	hours	131/2	hours
271/2	hours	4 1/2	hours
81/2	hours	31/2	hours
71/2	hours	7	hours
8	hours	5_	hours
61/4	hours	3	hours
3	hours	. 21%	hours
49	minutes	19	ninutes
30	minutes	19	ninutes
48	minutes	20	ninutes
31	minutes	12	minutes
57	minutes	15	minutes
33	minutes	11	minutes
53	minutes	13	minutes
10	minutes	6	minutes
38	minutes	27	minutes
39	minutes	9	minutes
	31 6 1 138 120 ½ 101 ½ 59 ½ 27 ½ 8 ½ 7 ½ 8 6 ½ 3 49 30 48 31 57 33 53 10 38	6 weeks 1 week 138 hours 120½ hours 101½ hours 59½ hours 27½ hours 8½ hours 7½ hours 8 hours 6½ hours 3 hours 49 minutes 30 minutes 48 minutes 31 minutes 57 minutes 33 minutes 53 minutes 53 minutes 53 minutes 53 minutes	31 weeks 15 6 weeks 3 1 week 1½ 138 hours 61½ 120½ hours 54 101½ hours 22 59½ hours 13½ 27½ hours 4½ 8½ hours 7 8 hours 7 8 hours 5 6½ hours 3 3 hours 2½ 49 minutes 19 30 minutes 19 48 minutes 20 31 minutes 12 57 minutes 15 33 minutes 11 53 minutes 13 10 minutes 6 38 minutes 27

Basic date: U.S. Degra, of Labor and Health, Education and Walfare; various industry source

Today, the district is worth \$35,876,510. Three elementary schools, Campbell, Deford and Evergreen, enroll 1,143 students in grades K-6. A total of 359 students are enrolled in junior high and 650

at the high school. According to school officials, total

enrollment in 1974-75 stood at 2,152. Since 1950, all one-room schools in the system have been phased out. Deford and Evergreen elementary schools officially entered the system in 1964 and 1966 respectively.

#### TOWNSHIP GROWTH SKYROCKETS

Area townships have grown to meet the needs of an ever-increasing population. In Elkland township, State Equalized Valuation has jumped by a whopping 480 per cent since 1950, rising from \$3,412,760 to \$19,851,350.

Surrounding townships also show simi larly huge jumps in SEV as well. Elmwood township's value today stands at \$8,789,500, compared with \$1,399,400 25 years ago, a 700 per cent jump.
Ellington township SEV has risen from

\$761,980 in 1950 to \$4,928,200, a 547 per cent

Novesta township has grown to an SEV of \$5,726,600, from \$1,005,275 a quarter century ago, a 472 per cent increase. Kingston township's SEV has risen to

66,747,350, compared with \$1,101,240 in 1950, a 512 per cent jump. Sanilac county townships similarly have

figures of 1950. Greenleaf township's SEV has risen to \$4,049,595, compared with only \$632,550 in

skyrocketed in valuation, compared with

1950, a 541 per cent increase. Evergreen township's value has jumped to \$4,901,332 compared with \$630,300 a quarter century ago, or a 693 per cent

Lamotte township's SEV stands at

\$5,898,044, compared with \$841,500 in 1950, or a 600 per cent jump.

According to officials in Sanilac county,

SEV was based on 20 per cent of true cash value back in 1950, compared with 50 per cent today. Tuscola county officials are not certain what value was used to calculate

#### GROWTH-WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

While all these statistics tell a story, they tell only a part. What does it all really mean? In real terms, growth over the past 25 years has meant the construction of the 67-bed Hills and Dales General Hospital that is the envy of surrounding communi-

Growth means the construction of Provincial House, an extended care facility that serves the entire Thumb area. Growth means the construction of a new high school building in 1967, designed with the future in mind.

It means apartment buildings, new business structures, new homes and more. It means a new post office, township fire hall and an expanded village hall. It means more park and recreation facilities, rebuilding old streets, and annexation of property to the village itself.

But growth also means something else. It means more crime, a larger police force with a bigger budget. It means demands for more services that put a strain on existing water and sewer facilities that one day will need updating.

It puts demands on area recreational areas to provide places to let out energy. It

means higher taxes. In short, it means a mixture of both good and bad. One thing is certain. Growth will continue in all likelihood for years to come. Most of it will be for the good. With concerned citizens and responsive leadership, growth can be managed and be made to work for the benefit of all Cass Citvans.

### Chamber of Commerce marks 25th year

Along with Walbro, the Cass City Chamber of Commerce marks its 25th anniversary year with an eye to the future-the same eye that helped lead the decision-making process that brought Walbro Corp. to Cass City.

The Chamber was organized officially in May, 1949, under the guidance of Cliff Croft, Lloyd Bryant, J.V. Riley, Keith McConkey and Harry Crawford. Fritz Neitzel was elected first temporary chairman of the group, with Dr. Delbert Rawson chosen as the Chamber's first

J.V. Riley was chosen vice-president, Fritz Neitzel served as secretary and Frederick Pinney served as treasurer.

Both the Chamber and Cass City have come a long way since those days just after the Second World War, and it's fair to say the Chamber has played its part in that

The Chamber of Commerce was formed originally to help promote Cass City and to make it grow. It took the bull by the horns and appointed the committee that started the ball rolling towards Cass City's industrial development.

From this committee, the present development corporation evolved through which Anrod Screen Cylinder was eventually persuaded to locate here. From there, Walbro, General Cable and

the rest came-thanks to the persistant work of dedicated men and women who saw the future as depending on actions in Their efforts helped move Cass City

from solely an agriculture base to one

more diversified-one which can weather economic storms on either front without ruinous damage to both. Today, the Chamber continues to be involved in the growth and promotion of Cass City as a good place to live, work and

shop. It promotes annual sidewalk sales

that turn Cass City into a bazaar of values.

It yearly provides the colorful Christmas displays that decorate the main stem and at this writing is involved with hanging flower baskets that help spruce up the

But the Chamber is a lot more-it's a group of forward-looking businessmen whose main goal is helping improve everyone's business.

It's a group who rely on the old formula that's worked through the ages. It's the formula of working as a group. Or as one writer put it, "we all hang together or all hang separately".

#### THE CHRONICLE

For yourself or for a wanted gift Street ....... City ..... state ..... ( ) Enter a new subscription in my name ( ) Renew my subscription In 3-county area just \$6 per year. Elsewhere \$7. -----

Please enter the following gift subscriptions

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* City .....

State . . . . . . . . . . . zip . . . . . . . . . .

Gift Card to Read

PHONE 872-2010

........

## Hard work pays off in steady growth at Rabideau's

It started as strictly a family affair in 1945 when George Rabideau and two of his sons. Lee and Wayne, were awarded the DeSoto-Plymouth franchise in Cass City. From that day to the present the

company has shown steady growth and It was in 1946 that the garage building was erected with plenty of self-help of the

It was the time when it was possible to find the owners any place in the garage...washing cars, repairing cars,

It was a formula for success. The first of many additions to the products line came in 1949 when Case farm implements were

In 1957 Dodge trucks became a part of the business and in 1962 Chrysler was added. When Dodge cars were accepted in 1964, the company offered a complete line of Chrysler products.

Meanwhile, George Rabideau retired and the sons became full partners in the business...as they are today

A significant milestone in the company progress came in 1961 when New Holland was added to the farm business.

Expansion sent the owners looking for additional space. They found it west of the village first in the location now housing the IGA store and then across the street.

20 acres was purchased. The following

They rented the land until 1970 when the

year a building was erected for machinery repair. Sales were conducted from an old trailer house moved onto the implement

It worked for three years while plans were formulated and completed for the sales building that was finished late last

The modern repair shop and sales

building was needed as the business expanded and two more lines were added: Brush Hog and Kawanee.

Today there are 17 employees in the corporation and the growth has split the company into two divisions, the farm division under the direction of Wavne Rabideau and the car sales under the direction of Lee Rabideau.







WAYNE RABIDEAU

AT GROSS MARKET

Where You Find The GENUINE

HOMEMADE **GERMAN SAUSAGE** 

A REAL TASTE TREAT



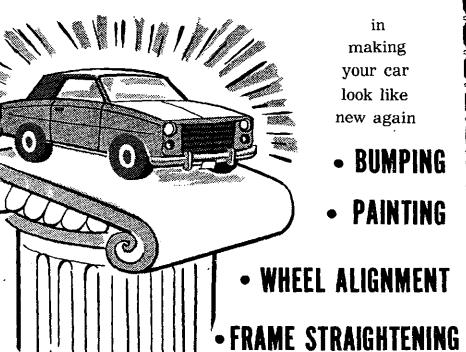
HANS SCHUCHMANN

More And More Cass City Folks Are Turning To Gross Market - - For Quality - - For Taste - - For Variety. Try Schuchmann's Meats And See Why!

Cass City

Use Our New Rear Entrance

### **SPECIALISTS**



Cheerful FREE **ESTIMATES**  **CONGRATULATIONS** TO THE **WALBRO TEAM** 

4068 Cemetery Rd. Cass City

Phone 872-4020

### Old Wood: health care

#### "on the corner" since 1902

Old Wood Drug, the store "on the corner" in Cass City, has become a landmark among area residents when health care needs arise. The spacious store, expanded to 4,500 square feet in 1973, offers customers a wide variety of products in an attractive setting.

Originally located on the north side of Main Street, A.W. Seed owned a drug store which was destined to serve Cass City continuously through the ownership of L.I. Wood, W.L. Wood and currently by Tom

In 1902, L.I. Wood purchased the store and operated it on the original site until 1917, when the new Sheridan Hotel was purchased and modern drug facilities were available "on the corner"

Remodelings in 1948, 1961 and 1963, expanded floor space to 1,400 square feet, jumping to 4,500 when Proctor purchased the old fire hall, removed it and expanded

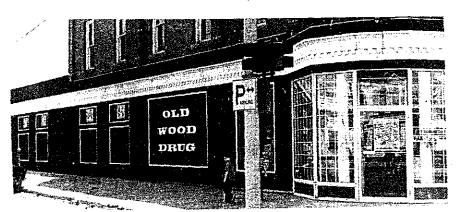
Proctor purchased the store in 1962 from registered pharmacist Warren Wood, who continues to work part-time filling prescriptions at the store today. Proctor, a native of Howell, Mich., had worked as a pharmacist in Midland five years when he began looking for a drug store to buy.

He decided on Cass City because of its potential for growth and the fact that he liked what he saw in the village. Today, Proctor, Wood and Jan Hartwick

continue the tradition of complete, accurate prescriptions. At Old Wood Drug, customers find a wide variety of items for personal health care, entertainment and

"It's our desire to provide the community with a service-oriented drug store with the personal touch," Proctor says. "The community has been good to us and we want to continue to meet its needs when it comes to health care

Old Wood Drug employs 11 persons.



OLD WOOD DRUG still on the corner.

#### Yen for plants flowers business for Kelleys

A feel for plants and the yen to try something new led Warren Kelley to purchase Cass City Floral 18 years ago. Today, the shop stands out as an example of what one man can do with an idea and

Kelley began his business Feb. 11, 1957, in a greenhouse near the present location of First Baptist Church. Success came quickly and in 1960, Kelley moved to his present location at the corner of Leach and Main Streets.

"I had farmed, but I really wanted to try something else," Kelley recalls.

"It's kind of strange how it all happened My wife had been into the flower shop and just offhandedly mentioned that it would be nice to own something like that. Well, before we knew what had happened, the owners told us it was for sale and we bought it."

Over the years, the business has grown to include more than just the sale of plants and flowers. A few years ago, Kelley added a line of gifts including wood products, milk glass, colored glass, and a

line of French cookware. Still, plants are

Kelley says tastes have changed over the years, particularly in arrangements. "Some of the old-fashioned bouquet flower arrangements are coming back in a big way while some of the more modern arrangements are not as popular," Kelley

Kelley said growing flowers at home has increased rapidly in popularity in recent years. Terrariums are also very popular. In addition to flowers, garden plants are

popular as ever, especially with vegetable gardeners trying to beat the rising cost of At Cass City Floral, gift wrapping is available to make that special present

even more meaningful. Cass City Floral is a member of Florist Transworld Delivery Service which can speed your order across the state or across

"I've enjoyed working with flowers," Kelley said. "It sort of brings you closer to

The only man who should not advertise is the man who has nothing to offer in way of commodity or service, and such a person is a dead one — whether

he knows it or not .

CONGRATULATIONS to

All Our Friends At

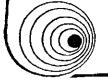


A FRIEND INDEED TO YOU WHO NEED

#### INSURANCE COVERAGE

- Michigan Mutual—Auto-**Gard Policy**
- Home Insurance

Use our buyer's choice payment plan — By Michigan Mutual — Spread your car and home insurance costs over 10 months. SEE ED.



872-3615

#### DOERR INSURANCE AGENCY

CONGRATULATIONS WALBRO - 25 Years of Service.

DISTINCTIVE HAIR STYLES **ALWAYS YOURS AT HILLSIDE**  Complete line of wigs and accessories Open 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tues.-Fri. Saturday 8 a.m. to noon. Glosed Mon. It's Spring! Celebrate... With a New You! We'll help you choose a style that's easy ... right for YOU! Call us for an appointment. DE BEAUTY SHOP Phone 872-2740 6263 Church

the first of the second of the The second second

Erlas: hard work booms family enterprise

#### Mutual Savings helps Cass Cityans earn top interest

City made a commitment to area depositors when it opened a branch office in Cass City. Opened to service area depositors who were driving to Bay City more efficiently, the move was an unqualified success

Today, the number of depositors at the Cass City branch has more than quadrupled in five years. That growth potential continues to keep customers investing and in turn, helping Cass City grow.

Mutual Savings was organized in 1887 in Bay City, and has grown to 18 offices throughout eastern and central Michigan. Cass City customers play as important a role as customers elsewhere in the corporation, for each is an individual shareholder with a stake in the growth of both the firm and the area in which they

Manager of the Cass City Branch is

In 1970, Mutual Savings and Loan of Bay Waunita Allen. She emphasized that at Mutual Savings, the continuing goal is to provide the highest rate on insured savings and offering a competitive interest rate on

> She added that there is money available for new homes or additions to old ones, as well as for businesses. As a progressive institution, Mutual Savings is interested in the continued growth of Cass City, she

All savings accounts are insured up to \$40,000 through the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation. Savings options range from 514 per cent on regular passbook savings to a giant 712 per cent on

Mrs. Allen and her staff, Patricia Wagner, Sharon Rockwell or Connie McNaughton, will be happy to supply details on each savings plan designed to put dollars to work in Cass City.



MUTUAL SAVINGS staff (from the left): Patricia Wagner, Sharon Rockwell, Connie McNaughton and Waunita Allen.

### Hard work makes IGA a popular place to shop

Providing shoppers with a wide selection of food and items for the home has made the Cass City IGA Foodliner a popular place for area resilents to shop.

The grand opening of the newly-enlarged store last July made the store a supermarket in the best sense of the word. Not only can customers choose from a wide variety of meats, produce and other grocery items; they can also choose clothing, cooking utensils and even automotive products.

Harry Lenda, owner, a native of the Sebewaing area, began his career in the retail grocery business in 1948 with A & P in Pigeon and acted as a relief manager. This gave him the opportunity to travel over much of the state and made the idea of owning his own store grow even stronger. In 1956, Lenda came to Cass

gan buying into the business. in 1968, he became sole Meanwhile, the business outgrew cramped quarters downtown. In 1962, the IGA Foodliner moved to its present location at the west village limits of Cass City.

City and two years later be-

total store area to 10,200 In spite of its size, custom-



MR. AND MRS. HARRY LENDA

ers at IGA find personal, small-store service in all departments. Wide aisles modern, soft lighting and colorful displays of items make shopping more plea-

Lenda said the store employs 20 workers. He said when the new addition was completed, he found it wasn't necessary to increase his staff. "It just took care of

He said in his more than 25 vears in the business, grocery retailing really hasn't chan-The latest addition brings ged too much. The major difference is that things are done on a much larger scale,

"Most of our ordering is done by telephone now instead of using a pencil,' Lenda said.

"We also try to integrate more and different items into our stocks now than we did years ago," he added.

Lenda and his wife, Mable, have worked these past 18 years to make their business a thriving, successful part of Cass City. They've done that, proving the old maxim that hard work and dedication can

The Lendas live near Owendale and have two children. Greg, 18 and Debby, 15, both students at Owen-Gage High Buying for the slaughterhouse and to supply the burgeoning wholesale business sent Dick Erla on a weekly round of area livestock markets as one of the principal

the brightest for Cass City.

Right after they started the Nestles plant closed and there wasn't a major To handle the ever increasing business the small van that was used to deliver wholesale meats in the area was increased The Erlas made a decision in the by eight trucks, including two giant semis pessimistic business climate that has keyed the company's growth over the years. They decided to expand. as Erla's meats were sold in nearby heavy population areas.

Ever since the three original partners started. Erla's has been a family affair. Five other family members joined the family business and are helping make it go In the order in which they started work

Since that time the company has made over the years, the family members are: giant strides. In 1957 the first of several Dan, Don, Chuck, Arnold and Clark. additions was made. It continued until 1969 Besides daring to take a chance, one when the final addition made the present other characteristic has been markedly evident in all members of the family. They super market several times bigger than worked hard and are working hard to

make the store a success. It appears that the formula is being continued. In recent years a shopping center has been formed at the store site and already management is hinting at further expansion immediately ahead.

ERLA'S A FAMILY operated store. From left: Chuck Erla, Dan Erla, Don Erla, Dick Erla, Mrs. John Erla, Clark Erla and Arnold Erla.

#### McConkey's still in time 7,500 watches later

When it comes to jewelry in Cass City, one name stands alone--McConkey Jewelry and Gift Shop. Keith and Mildred McConkey have operated the shop since it opened for business Oct. 21, 1946, in what was known as the Ella Vance Building near the intersection of Main and Oak

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

industry in Cass City.

the original market.

When Mr. and Mrs. John Erla and their

eldest son, Dick, took over the Cass Frozen

Food Locker July 4, 1953, things weren't

Just a year after coming to the

community, the company purchased land

and built a slaughterhouse to serve their

retail market and their growing wholesale

Meanwhile, the corporation took steps to

make its slaughterhouse modern and

up-to-date. New equipment was added and

the slaughter business was increased

at a time when many small slaughter-

houses were calling it quits.

As business grew, McConkey, who ran a chain grocery for A&P in Cass City starting in 1928, realized he would either

Committed to the future growth of the village, the McConkeys purchased their present location from Mrs. Alfred Knapp

"That was the best move I ever made," McConkey said. "I had totally outgrown the old store and this just fit the bill.

The McConkeys have run a "Mom and Pop" operation all these years, the congenial McConkey says. "I want to be sure she gets credit for all the hours she's

put in here, too," he said. He estimates he's repaired over 7,500 watches in his nearly 30 years in the business. McConkey is a certified horologist and also a certified Zenith hearing

Besides dealing in clocks and watches, McConkey's Jewelry and Gift Shop features a wide variety of gift items in silver, china and cut glass. Items from all over the world are displayed in the shop.

"We're also very proud of our line of Keepsake diamonds," McConkey added.

Over the years, McConkey has been active in numerous civic affairs in Cass City, and served twice as president of the Chamber of Commerce

While times have changed and more watches now need batteries replaced than mainsprings, the personal touch and striving for quality have remained the same at McConkey Jewelry and Gift Shop.

## BIGELOW

Hardware ... Up To Date Since '88

Springtime Values

Bulk Garden Seeds

• Garden Implements

THE

STORE THAT HAS EVERYTHING

HOUSEWARES AND HARDWARE SUPPLIES, WE REPLACE BROKEN STORM WINDOWS.

Good Luck WALBRO

**BIGELOW HARDWARE** 

Garden Supplies

6549 Main



Best Wishes to Walbro



FREE ESTIMATE

ASK FOR A

PLUMBING

AND HEATING

WORRIES?

SEE US\_THAT KIND OF

**BUSINESS...** 

PROBLEM IS OUR

TOP QUALITY — ALL WORK GUARANTEED

RYLAND & GUC

INC. — PLUMBERS

6475 Main

Phone 872-3553

WALBRO

Good Luck

5 SILVER

DOLLARS

**EVERY HOUR** 

**GIVEN AWAY** 

come celebrate our

25 YEARS in CASS CITY

NOTHING TO BUY - YOU COULD BE THE WINNER

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

May 23 and 24 — It's Our Way Of Saying Thanks To All Our Customers.

-PLUS -

1 SILVER DOLLAR WITH EVERY

\$10 OR MORE PURCHASE

#### Sound management key to success at M and R

Applying sound business management practices has been the key to success for Robert Pearce, owner of M & R Grocery at the south edge of Cass City on Seeger Street. Pearce purchased the store from former owner Thelma Pratt in November, 1973, after a career that had spanned 12

While Pearce had no experience in the grocery business itself, he did come



#### M & R GROCERY

well-equipged with a background in management and a mathematical mind. He worked for 12 years in the tool crib at Active Industries in Elkton, and through that experience, acquired the procedures related to supply and demand that would later serve him in the store.

He also worked as a magazine salesman to aid in raising funds for veterans who needed help. He also took a flyer as an insurance representative prior to pur-

chasing what was then known as Thelma's Grocery.

Pearce believes strongly that there is a need for small grocery stores and that they can be competitive. The personal touch that a small store carries provides its owner with a chance to oversee all aspects of the operation and remain competitive.

Since purchasing the store. Pearce has modernized the basement area for storage, but finds this isn't enough. An additional storage area including over 400 square feet of space is now on the drawing boards for later this year. An additional 32 lineal feet of shelf space is also being

In addition to a wide variety of groceries and fresh meats, M & R Grocery also features hot sandwiches and pizzas. But most importantly, it carries the stamp of personal attention that keeps customers coming back again and again.

M & R Grocery has one part-time and

#### Ouvry Chev.-Olds aims for customer satisfaction

Three things sold Aime Ouvry when he purchased the Chevrolet-Oldsmobile dealership from H.M. Bulen in 1972-the town, the school system and the dealership itself. The East Detroit native was in the market for a dealership and had looked over three other locations before deciding on Cass

"This was the best move I ever made," Ouvry says. "I should have done it 10 years

The business he purchased was started as solely a Chevrolet dealership in 1937 by H.M. Bulen, who added the Oldsmobile line shortly before World War II broke out.

Bulen, active in civic affairs for many years in Cass City, continued to operate the business until his retirement in August, 1972, the month Ouvry assumed control.

Ouvry had managed a dealership in Detroit for 17 years and wanted to get away from the city into a more relaxed

The Erlas have six children and all are

The Pied Piper is nearing its first

We're concerned with the future of Cass

City, say the Erlas . . . and we're

especially concerned with its future

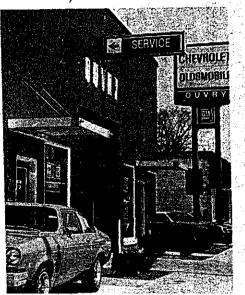
birthday. The store opened in July 1974.

atmosphere. I found it here in Cass City

Ouvry says. Today, Ouvry Chevrolet-Olds continues to strive for customer satisfaction, including service after the sale. "To me, service is the number one factor. We strive to

make the customer happy and I believe

our people sincerely try to do the job properly every time. I have complete faith



#### OUVRY CHEVROLET-OLDS

Ouvry employs 17 persons at the dealership that has built a repeat clientele over many years of operation.

"I'm very grateful to Mr. Bulen for selling me his business and glad to be in Cass City," Ouvry says. "I'm grateful also for the way people here have accepted

dinner or by the bucket

#### two full-time employees. Pied Piper: unique in Thumb Mary Lou Erla runs a unique store in Erla's Shopping Center in Cass City. Unique for the Thumb area, anyway. The store buys most of the stock when shows are held in Detroit. Customers come

children's clothing.

**VARIETY** 

PIZZA TOPPINGS

BACON

OLIVES

PEPPERONI

• GREEN PEPPER

to shop from all over the Upper Thumb. Her Pied Piper is the only outlet in the Managing the store is just one of the jobs Thumb that is devoted exclusively to for Mrs. Erla. She sandwiches it in with a

The store operates on the theory that there is a place for a specialized shop selling quality, name brands at reasonable

Mrs. Erla, who runs the store with assistance from her husband, Don, is putting to use things learned at school in a retailing merchandizing course and co-op

BEAGIO'S PIZZA HOUSE

full work load at home.

to perfection.

3. Onions - green peppers fresh from Farmer's Market

**CALL AHEAD 872-4440** 

TAKE-OUT OR SELF SERVICE

BEAGIO'S PIZZA HOUSE

#### HERE'S WHY **BEAGIO'S PIZZAS** ARE BETTER Flavor Krisp **CHICKEN** 1. We make our own

delicious dough daily. 2. We brew our sauce daily

WALBRO

Good Luck

The Ben Franklin staff will be handing out the free silver dollars Friday and Saturday. From left: Gloria Arroyo, Randy Damm, Cindy Kanaby, Mert Rabideau, Margaret Summers, Ann Neal, Donna Spencer.

> WHERE EVERYTHING YOU BUY IS GUARANTEED

BANKAMERICARD welcome here

Friday and Saturday only.

CASS CITY

HAMBURG

• HAM

ONION

ANCHOVIES

### SERVING THUMB AREA FARMERS FOR OVER 28 YEARS

We're proud to announce that Wesley's handles more milk from more farmers than

We want to handle your milk, too. Please call us for details.

### WESLEY'S QUAKER MAID, INC.

#### The second secon Hillside has experience with owner Sandy Scott

dressing, Sandy Scott, owner of Hillside Beauty Shop, has it. Mrs. Scott has been a beautician the past 12 years, beginning her career in Milwaukee, Wisc.

"I tried being an office worker and tried working in a restaurant, but I just didn't like it," Mrs. Scott recalls. "So I tried a beauty shop and found I liked it "

She received her training in Milwaukee, where she owned a shop three years. When she and her husband moved to York, Pa., she operated a beauty shop there two years before coming to Cass City five

On the local scene, she worked at Mary's Beauty Shop prior to opening Hillside Beauty Shop nearly three years ago. Today, she employs five beauty oper-

ators, including Kathy Root, Mary Schrader, Cathy Smith, Patty Martin and Shirley McIntosh. This compares with only two employees she had at the start.

At Hillside Beauty Shop, customers have a wide choice of styles, cuts, colorings, frostings and everything else to add a touch of elegance to any woman.

She says wigs have dropped off in popularity in recent years, partly because they create heat on warm days and also because women prefer the more natural look their own hair gives them.

She says frosting is still a popular innovation with many women at Hillside Beauty Shop.

The shop features 11 hair drying stations and four chairs for washes and sets.

## Smith succeeds in new

City, saw the handwriting on the wall about five years ago and decided his tool and die trade was on its way out. He's been employed in Detroit for 20 years as a shop superintendent and in 1970, decided it was time to get out.

At the same time, the bar became available and so he and his wife took the opportunity. Today, they're glad they did. They operate one of Cass City's most popular night spots.

The business has been in existence over 50 years. When Smith purchased the bar, he undertook a major renovation project that included rebuilding the rear portion of the building, rebuilding the bar itself, and installing new furnishings and a new

Smith's plans are still incomplete. He

open house, scheduled for August this year. Smith is looking for one of the biggest crowds ever at the shindig. It's his way of saying thanks to his customers and

refreshments in a relaxed friendly atmo-

### business at Jack's Bar Jay Smith, owner of Jack's Bar in Cass

says he wants to install a new floor and with it, bring dancing to the bar. He plans to cordon off an area at the front of the bar and feature dance music for those inclined to kick their shoes off and enjoy

#### "I've certainly appreciated all the business that's come our way since we came here five years ago," Smith said. An annual feature at Jack's Bar is the

Jack's Bar offers customers music and

## TWO GENERATIONS AND 51 YEARS—HARRIS-HAMPSHIRE

### SERVICE BUILT OUR BUSINESS



#### **BRING YOUR INSURANCE** PROBLEMS TO US

WE CAN HANDLE ALL YOUR INSURANCE NEEDS. SEE US WHEN YOU WANT . . .

- LIFE INSURANCE CASUALTY INSURANCE
- HOME OWNERS • FIRE INSURANCE

AND OUR NEW

● PENSION INSURANCE — Retirement Plan



Cass City, Michigan 48726





Walbro's 25 Years of Growth in the Area

CASS CITY, MICHIGA

#### CASS CITY CHRONICLE—THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975

#### PAGE FIVE

### Auten Motors marks 60th anniversary selling Fords

In 1915, Meredith Auten and G.A. Tindale went into the Automobile business in Cass City. Today, area residents are still buying Ford cars and trucks from Auten Motor Sales, backed by 60 years of traditionally good service.

In the beginning, the dealership was known as G.A. Tindale, with Auten as a partner. The business was taken over by Robert Keppen, who came to the dealership in 1938, and eventually became Auten Motor Sales in 1949 when Charles Auten took over management, buying out his

Another partner, Ronald Geiger, bought a share of the firm in 1974. Geiger had worked at the dealership since 1960. Experience is a way of life at Auten

Motor Sales. Six mechanics possess a total of 113 years experience on the job. Two long-time employees, Bill and Stella Martus, retired in early 1975 after a

combined total of 67 years at the The building has housed the dealership

since the beginning and has been doubled

in size over the years, as demand for parts and service grew. Geiger said the dealership has grown steadily with Ford, requiring a large inventory of parts and



CHUCK AUTEN

The diversity of car and truck lines produced by Ford has helped keep customers coming back over the years and helped keep sales dollars in Cass City. Auten Motor Sales employs nine persons.

experienced mechanics.



candy, cigarettes, pop, coffee, pastries, snacks and sandwiches. Olson is no stranger to the vending business. He worked 12 years for Industrial Mutual Co., as operations manager for food service and vending in plants.

One of Cass City's newer businesses with

an eye to the future is Trend Vendors,

owned and operated by Fritz K. Olson of

Olson purchased the former Cass City

Vending Co., in September, 1973, and

Olson eyes future

with Trend Vendors

"I was in charge of the revenue-producing end which gave me experience in the operation of a vending machine company," Olson said.

Olson said he chose Cass City because it looked to be the best area in which to

"I wanted my own operation," Olson said, "and I'm very happy to be here instead of a metropolitan area. There's more economic stability here."

He explained he chose the name Trend Vendors almost as an afterthought. "I originally wanted to have some sort of alliteration in the name, something like Trend-Vend," Olson recalled. "But I also wanted my name in it if I could, so we submitted the name Olson Vending Service. Later, he said, he found out that a

offers a full-line vending service including Wisconsin firm, licensed to do business in Michigan, carried the name Olson Vending "I was sitting in my attorney's office trying to come up with some sort of name because the deal was about to be closed.

when the name Trend Vendors came to mind. We sent it through and it cleared, Olson said. Trend Vendors services the Thumb area and has over 100 clients, up over 15 per cent from the original number back in

"We have definite plans to grow and we will put forth all the efforts needed to expand," Olson said. "We are selling a service-that's our only product. We have to make that service the best possible."

He said volume is the key to expansion, which must always remain the ultimate goal. Trend Vendors employs five persons

### Service is key in insurance, says Edward Doerr

For Edward Doerr, owner of Doerr Insurance Agency of 6440 Huron St., service is the key when it comes to selling insurance. Doerr, a native of Cass City, has spent 18 years building his agency and in that time has come to know how best to assess individual insurance needs.

Doerr graduated from Michigan State University in 1951 following a hitch in the army. After teaching in a high school at Lake Orion two years, he went to work for Equitable Life in Detroit. After eight years in the motor city, Doerr returned to Cass

City where he worked for the company another three years.

Today, Doerr is an independent insurance agent. Major companies he represents include Michigan Mutual Group, Hastings Mutual, Michigan Life and

"The insurance buyer has become more educated," Doerr says. "He's more aware of what his needs are and tends to like package insurance plans because they provide more protection for the dollar."

Doerr says customers are more conscious of insuring to full replacement value these days, in the wake of inflation and sky rocketing replacement costs. The biggest change in insurance cover-

ages in recent years has been no-fault auto insurance in Michigan, Doerr says. This has provided one of the greatest challenges to the salesman, since many persons do not understand what no-fault insurance is all about.

"We go through no-fault step-by-step with each customer," Doerr explained.

"We want him to understand exactly what he's buying."

For example, he says, motorcyclists can now take advantage of no-fault with an endorsement on their auto policy.

Doerr has long been active in community affairs. He is a member of the Gavel Club, the Masons, and a deacon at First Presbyterian Church. He is a former teacher at Cass City High School, and has coached several speech teams to state

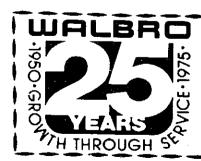
## BARTNIK'S --SERVING CASS CITY AREA FOLKS FOR 27 YEARS

• GAS AND OIL

• GENERAL REPAIR WORK

WE BUY SCRAP AT HIGHEST PRICES

• DAY AND NIGHT TOWING SERVICE

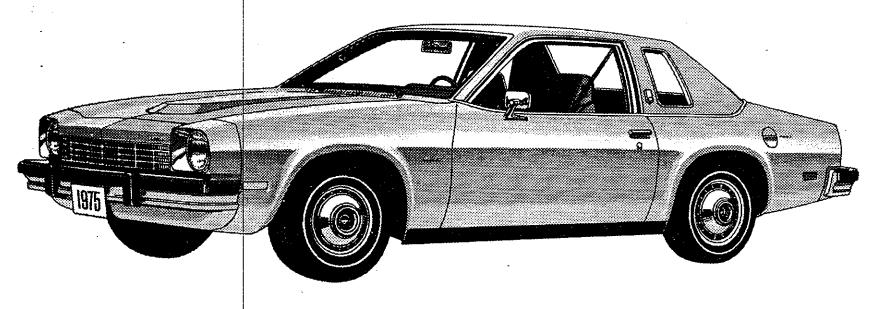


CONGRATULATIONS TO WALBRO ON ITS 25th BIRTHDAY

BARTNIK'S SERVICE

YOU'RE INVITED TO COME IN AND SEE THE

## NEW MONZA TOWNE COUPE



IT'S DRESSY. IT'S FUN TO DRIVE.

Come in - Register for

### DOOR PRIZES

No obligation, Nothing to buy!

#### ALL THESE FEATURES ARE STANDARD:

- Formal vinyl roof Large opera windows
- Classic-grid grille
   Deep front bucket seats
- Bucket-styled rear seats
   Choice of vinyl or cloth upholstery • Cut-pile carpeting • Map pockets in doors • 3-speed manual transmission
- 140-1 4-cylinder engine.



Come see how much fun it is to drive a new Monza at

OUVRY CHEV .- OLDS, INC.

Phone 872-2750 or 872-3830

OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO WALBRO ON 25 YEARS

#### CASS CITY CHRONICLE—THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975 Innovations keep Ben Franklin modern after 25 years

Ben Franklin in Cass City is 25 years old this year and the Gerald Prieskorns are planning several innovative events to commemorate their silver anniversary.

Innovations in merchandizing has marked the store's operation since it was started by the late Otto Prieskorn and is probably one of the major reasons that it has continued to thrive over the years.

Otto Prieskorn was one of the first in Cass City to see the advantages of affiliating with a chain buying outlet for better service . . . a trend that now appeareverywhere

When he died in 1958, Gerald Prieskorn continued the trend.

In 1962, he enlarged the store by adding to the back and in 1968 he purchased an adjacent store building and doubled the store's space to 3,000 square feet.

Ben Franklin was one of the first variety stores in the area to switch to self-service.

The switch was made to keep up with the latest trends in store operation. For the same reason, last year another remodeling was completed.

At that time new fixtures were added, the store's displays updated and an electronic ordering system installed.

While active in the business community, both of the Prieskorns have found time to take important roles in community affairs.

Prieskorn is a member and past president of both the Cass City Chamber of Commerce and the Cass City Rotary Club. In addition he has taken a major role in the activities of the retail division of the Chamber.

Mrs. Prieskorn is a member of the Cass City School Board, the Arts Council, the American Association of University Women and has been an active member of numerous committees devoted to community improvement.



Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Prieskorn

## CCDC continues community promotion

The Cass City Development Corporation has played a significant role in the development of industry for the Cass City community and also played an important part in promoting the general welfare of the village and area.

It's a job that is continuing right now. The organization is involved in the fight to preserve the railroad serving Cass City

It currently has 30 acres available for industrial expansion. A little less than half the land has been leveled and the board is

progressing with plans to develop the site. Pending now is the addition of sewer and water to the location.

One project, just completed, has been the erection of a building that houses the dental clinic of Dr. Paul Chappel.

The corporation was not only involved in securing the site and building in the medical complex near Hills and Dales Hospital but also in negotiations that resulted in Dr. Chappel's decision to come to this community

Probably the CCDC is best known for its

It was formed to take land owned by 10 area businessmen and build a building which was leased by Walbro in its young

Later some of the land was purchased by Anrod Screen Cylinder Co., the first of the "new" industrial concerns to move to the community.

Other land-was sold to General Cable to exhaust the 10-acre site.

Payments for building and land by industry has steadily increased the value of the stock. At the end of 1974 the book value was \$159.50. The stock is traded at about \$75 per share. Original investors paid \$50 per share. Although most stockholders purchased shares to help the village, the stock did pay

one dividend of 20 per cent. Today there are some 80 stockholders who have invested in Cass City's future. Two members of the current board were

on the original board of directors. They are Clifford Croft and Herbert Ludlow. Other members serving are: William Kritzman, president; Lynn Albee, vice-

president; Robert Keating, treasurer, and Mike Weaver, secretary. Come enjoy our pleasant, friendly atmosphere.



A SPECIALTY



DINE DUT AT VERONICA'S CLOSED SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS Let us treat you and your family Complete

Hours 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Dinners

Children's Dinner:

• SMORGASBORD EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT

• PRIVATE DINING ROOM FOR PARTIES

Congratulations Walbro On Your 25th Anniversary

## CASS CITY FLORAL



Come in and browse ... take your time and choose from our beautiful gift line ---

GLASSWARE

1 \_\_\_ 1

- KITCHENWARE
- FIGURINES
- CANDLES

WALL PLAQUES

• CENTERPIECES

ANY GIFT-GIVING OCCASION . .

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS -

CALL 872-3675

Best Wishes WALBRO



### Sutters work together in thriving business

In the breast of Tom Sutter beats the heart of a true artist. An artist of the bakery. If I could, says Tom, I'd like nothing better than to do only cake

decorating. It's my specialty.

He's quick to add that at Konrad's Bakery there is a full line of baked goods of all types.

Maybe Sutter likes decorating better than traditional baking because baking is old stuff to both him and his wife, Virginia. Sutter has been at it since he was 12 and has 30 years in the bakery business...he started after school.

His wife worked in a bakery before she was married...and that was 22 years ago. The Sutters put their experience to work

The couple ran a Detroit bakery for six years and a bakery-restaurant for six years at New Haven before coming to Cass

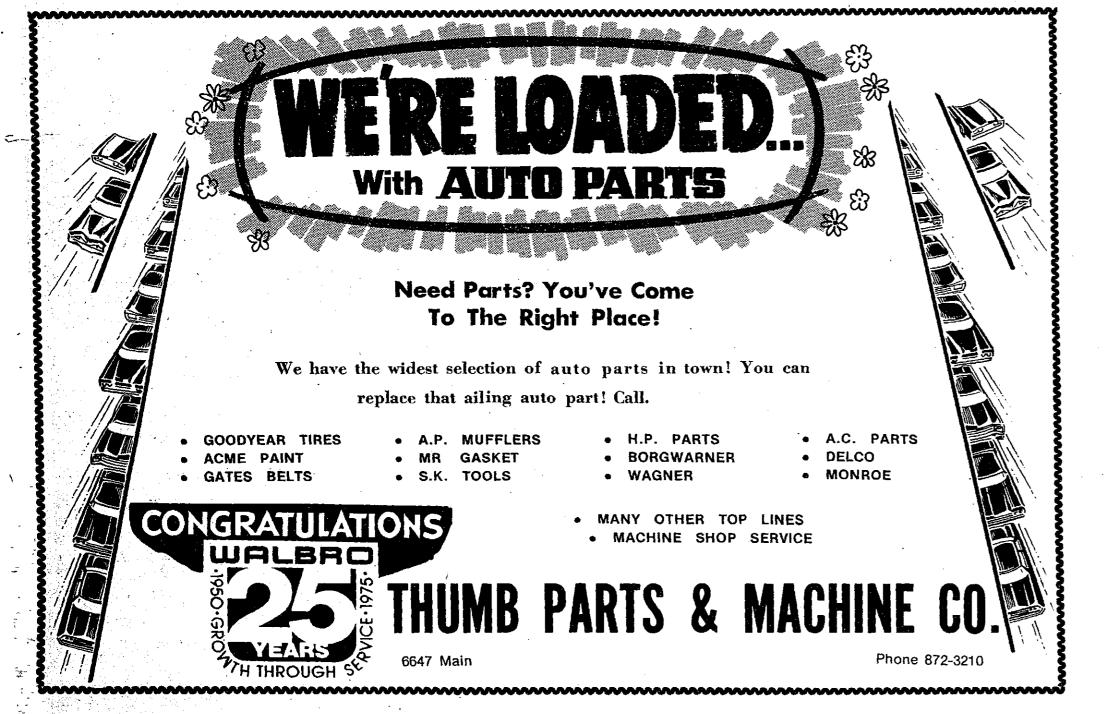
At Konrad's, Tom handles the bakery and his wife handles the restaurant and both are busy, busy. Most days the restaurant is packed for

the noon luncheon meal and the restaurant does a thriving business in the morning when the doors open at 6:30 a.m. The supper hour isn't stressed as the bakery closes daily at 5 p.m. to keep the

couple's hours within reason. The Sutters have plenty of incentive to work as they are the parents of six children. The eldest is 19 and in college and



MR. AND MRS. TOM SUTTER



#### **Quaker Maid** doubles business

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

In the two years since he and his wife purchased the Quaker Maid Party Store in Cass City, Chuck and Lynda Guinther have seen their business double. The husbandwife team bought the store in 1973 from Don Stilson and have worked to build the business into one of the most popular

Guinther, a 13-year employee at Anrod Screen Cylinder Co., decided to go into business for himself because he enjoyed meeting people and wanted a different

Since purchasing the Quaker Maid Party Store, they phased out a small restaurant section to make room for more groceries. They've also introduced hot sandwiches and pizzas, a favorite among their large student clientele.

"Buying this store was the best thing I ever did," Guinther said. "I really wasn't worried about making a go of it. The business has always been here. The main thing I did was make it into a party store."

In addition to selling beer and light

wines, Quaker Maid Party Store also carries a wide variety of groceries, meats. dairy products and other miscellaneous

The store also features a game room with billiards and pin ball machines.

During warmer months, the store sells a wide variety of garden plants and flowers. All this helps make the Quaker Maid Store one of Cass City's best stocked all-purpose

The Guinthers believe in the youth of Cass City and help them by providing part-time jobs through co-op at the high school. "It gives the kids a job and helps me out as well," Guinther said. "We find it works out real well."

Quaker Maid is open seven days a week, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

#### Schuchmann retains Gross' tradition

CASS CITY CHRONICLE-THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1975

Schuchmann, formerly of Detroit, purchased Gross Meat Market in Cass City. In that time, he's seen his business continue to grow as it did in past years under the ownership of Jim Gross, who retired after 32 years.

Gross purchased the market in partnership with Fred Maier in 1941. Maier retired from the business after 51 years, with Gross continuing until 1974.

Schuchmann bought the business after owning a meat market in Detroit for six and one-half years. His desire to relocate in a small town brought Schuchmann, born

It's been a little over a year since Hans in Germany, to Cass City where he I know," he says. "It's what I love to do." continues to provide top quality meats in the tradition of Gross and Maier.

Since taking over, Schuchmann has made improvements to the rear of the store, including the recent purchase of a 7 by 9-foot walk-in freezer to provide more

"The people in Cass City have really accepted us," Schuchmann said. "We've been very happy here."

Schuchmann began his career in the meat business as an apprentice in Frankfort, Germany and came to this market in the best sense of the word. country at the age of 15. "It's the only thing

Schuchmann is proud of his homemade recently introduced. Both have quickly become favorites with Cass Cityans.

In addition, Gross Meat Market offers top quality meats, fish and poultry.

The congenial Schuchmann strives continuously to make shopping a pleasure at Gross Meat Market where courtesy is more than just a phrase. He's carrying on the tradition of the home-town meat He employs five persons.





# SINCE 1936

# SOMMERS' HAS BEEN SERVING CASS CITY FOLKS



NOW SERVING
YOU FROM NEW
EXPANDED STORE
AT THE SAME
OLD LOCATION









Lucille Sommers

Stuart Merchant

Joan Merchant

Joe Merchant

## BAKING IS A FAMILY TRADITION AT SOMMERS' BAKERY



Congratulations to all the good folks at Walbro on their 25th anniversary

CASS CITY SOMMERS' BAKERY

HOME OF IRISH BREAD

## Taste for steak inspires Wildwood Farms restaurant

A taste for steak and a desire to provide the best in food led the late James Anthony and his wife, Joy, to build and operate Wildwood Farms restaurant on M-53, four miles east of Cass City

miles east of Cass City.

The restaurant opened March 4, 1972, on a 40-acre site that can accommodate future growth.

The project began on a small level, more on the style of a tea room. But as plans progressed, the restaurant grew into a 6,000 square-foot combination dining room and bar that has become one of the most popular spots in the entire Thumb.

Fine steaks and cuts of beef are a specialty at Wildwood Farms. According to Kim Anthony, whose mother, Joy, owns the restaurant, the family tastes for beef, combined with raising hereford cattle.

made beef the specialty.

The family chose the Greenleaf township site for the restaurant for a number of reasons. For one thing, it borders a major highway, M-53. For another, Greenleaf township has been home for over 14 years and the family decided to keep the business as close to home as possible.

The name Wildwood Farms was transferred from the registered family farm to the restaurant to maintain a unique identity and to fit with the steak and beef specialties.

Capacity of the restaurant totals 285, with seating for 60 in the bar, 100 in the dining room and 125 in the banquet hall downstairs. Wedding receptions, club functions and parties are all handled with ease at Wildwood Farms.

COME TO

KAREN'S

Creative

Latest FashionsSkilled Operators

### KAREN'S BEAUTY SALON

6350 Garfield Mon.-Wed.-Fri. Thurs. 9 to 9

872-3145 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sat. 8 to noon



Blunt cuts, finger sets, corn rows, layered looks...all the newest styles! For this Spring, shorter is better... and we know the greatest short cuts!

BEST WISHES to Our Friends at Walbro On 25 Years Of Progress

### OUR CONGRATULATIONS



WILDWOOD FARMS

Cass City Lanes - Growing with Cass City

WALBRO .920.GRO

To All Our Bowling Friends At Walbro. TO OUR LEAGUE

AND INDIVIDUAL

**CHAMPIONS FOR 1975** 

OUR

### THANKS

TO ALL THE TEAM SPONSORS WHO MAKE THE LEAGUES POSSIBLE.

### CASS CITY LANES

4533 Weaver

"The Schweikarts"

Phone 872-2844

### ELECTRICAL WORK MADEEASY | Expanded staff to provide



Call Us As Soon As You Need Us

Phone 872-4114

Our Expert Electricians will give you a quick estimate. . .and fast service.

Best Wishes ... WALBRO—

4180 Hurds Corner Rd.

-



WE ARE PLEASED TO BE A PART OF GROWING CASS CITY

### JACK'S BAR

CASS CITY

BestWishes To All Our Friends At Walbro

## better local health service

ASS ON Y, VILLE GAN

Public Health Nursing Staff structions in how to give of the Thumb District Health injections, how to apply sur-Department will mean in- gical dressings, how to bathe creased benefits for all residents of the county. Some of the services that the nurses prescribed by a doctor. The help provide include an Immunization Clinic, Family Planning Services. Hyperten- therapy and physical therapy sion Screening Clinics, Medicaid Screening Clinics, Expectant Parents Classes, and Communicable Disease Control. The nurses also spend a considerable amount of time providing service to the school system.

In addition, one of the most basic services provided by the nurses is the home health nursing program. This professional nursing care is available to all residents of Tuscola county and is designed primarily to serve patients who are confined to their home and are under the

care of a physician. The nurses can provide services such as dietary counseling or the demonstration of prescribed exercises. but possibly their most important function lies in patient and family education. They can instruct both the family and the patient to perform many basic nursing

Recent additions to the functions. This includes in- adjusted according to the ability of the family to pay. every family when one of its patients and how to carry out treatments and exercises as

members is ill or disabled. and may need the help of a public health nurse to pernurses will also assist famform personal care services. ilies in setting up speech Usually patients are referred by private physicians, hosp services which are also availpital personnel, or a social able to home health patients. worker. But a family mem-Under home health services ber, relative or friend may no one is denied care because also request Home Health they are unable to pay. Services. Medicare, Medicaid or pri-

For more detailed informavate health insurance comtion check with your family panies will make payment for physician or call the Thumb any patients who qualify for District Health Department the program. Fees can also be



### BEST WISHES

\*



25th ANNIVERSARY **OPEN HOUSE** 

#### **EVANS PRODUCTS COMPANY**

AUTOMOTIVE DIVISION

6581 Mill St.

Phone 665-9913

Gagetown

leave the cloistered ranks of the school building. There are a few, but not many. One of them is Jim Perry, owner of Superior Collision Service on Cemetery Road, 12 mile south of the village limits. Perry started bumping and painting cars in the barn at home and he's been at it

know what they want to do long before they

Young Jim Perry a veteran craftsman There are some high school boys who ever since. After graduation from Cass City High School in 1955 he went to work in local shops working for eight years to perfect his skills.

> Except for a year in a Flint factory that's all he ever did ... and he moonlighted as a bumper-painter while in Flint. In January 1970 he formed Superior and

it thrived from the first. Perry hires two

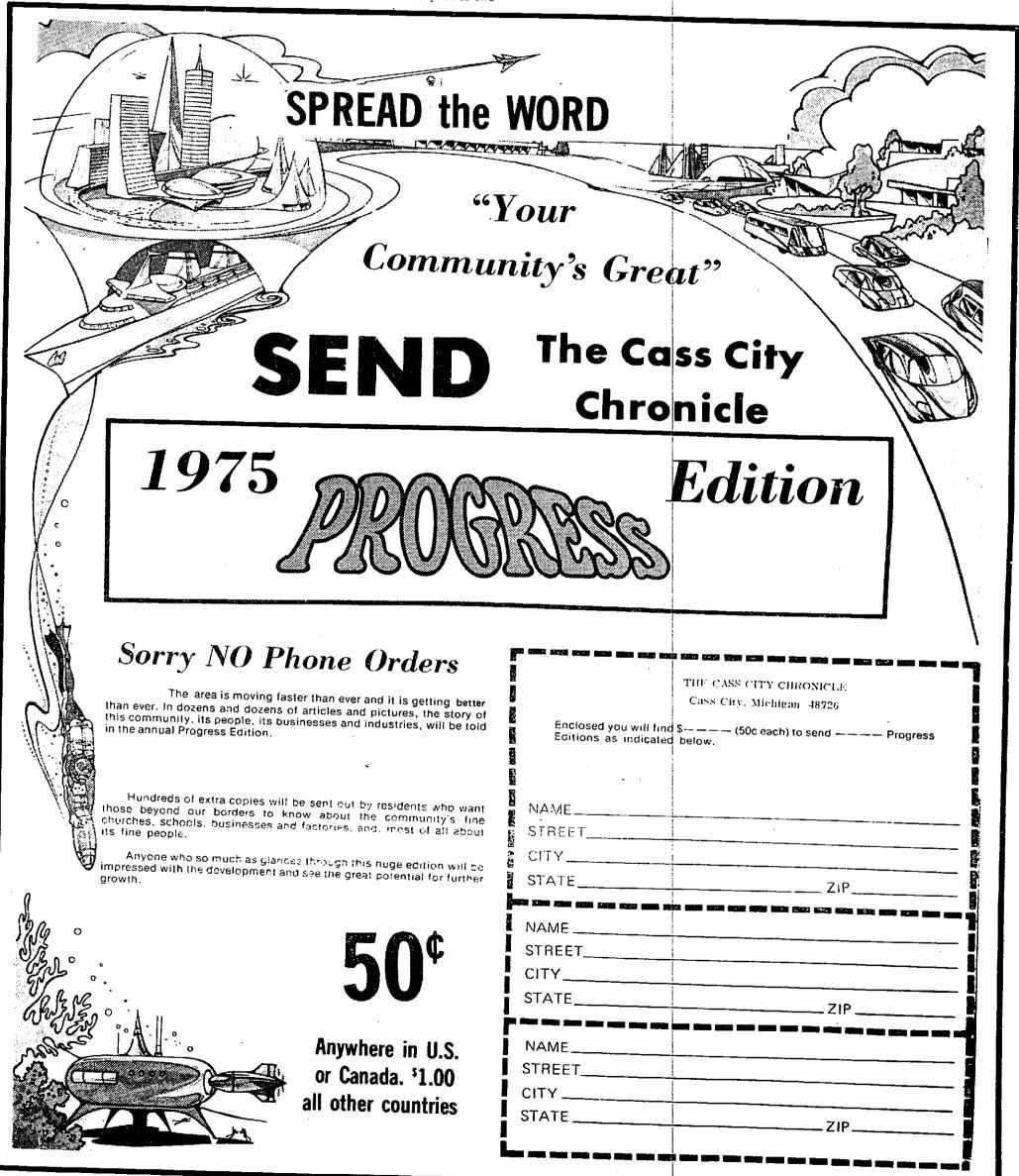
persons to help now and still calls on his wife and two children to work as needed. We're a family concern, he says with a

From the first, the business has grown because Perry insisted on the best possible work on any job.

Now Superior offers expert service in

frame straightening, bumping, painting, front wheel alignment and tire balancing. At Superior, Perry has installed a stock of windshields so that replacements can be handled with a minimum of delay.

We welcome all work, large or small, says Perry and are glad to estimate any



## THANK YOU

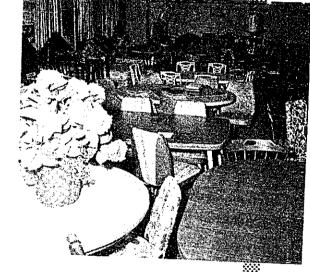
For making Schneeberger's the leading Furniture Store in the Thumb.

## WAREHOUSE SAVINGS



### MADE IT HAPPEN!

We keep the overhead down and pass the Savings on to you!



YOUR SUPPORT MADE US GROW. NOW - - - -

4 BUILDINGS And 20,000 sq. ft.

JAMMED WITH BRAND NAME FURNITURE, APPLIANCES AND TELEVISIONS AT LOWEST PRICES



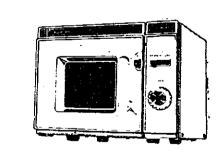
**CONGRATULATIONS** WALBRO

DELUXE MODELS INCLUDED! IMMEDIATE DELIVERY!



We Buy By The Carload THE WAREHOUSE WAY

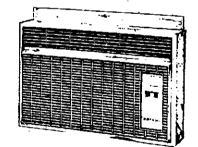




Model R5000

#### FAMOUS WHIRLPOOL AIR CONDITIONER

5,000 BTU



Installation is quick and easy tions are adjustable to fit your particular window width. Makes a secure, permanent weatherproof mounting.

**\$98** 

"WIDEST SELECTION IN THE THUMB"



WHIRLPOOL No-Frost side-by-side with adjustable shelves





EWD 19 P

