

Voters reject .6 mill Intermediate school levy

Tuscola Intermediate School District voters turned down an additional .6 mill levy to build a new school for handicapped children by 39 votes in Tuesday balloting. Unofficial results showed the issue failed by an 812 to 773 margin. The issue carried five school districts—Akron-Fairgrove, Mayville, Millington, Reese and Vassar.

It lost in four districts—Cass City, Caro, Kingstons and Unionville-Sebewaing.

In Cass City, voters rejected the additional levy by a 125-63 margin. In Kingstons, voters said no by only three votes—65-62, while USA voters turned down the question 127-97.

Caro's results were seen as the surprise by Intermediate officials. Voters soundly defeated the measure 211 to 135.

The measure carried Akron-Fairgrove by a 78-45 margin, carried Mayville

70-55, won in Millington 114-77, carried Reese 79-35 and won in Vassar by a 75-73 margin.

Intermediate Supt. William Scott was philosophical about the outcome.

"With the vote being as close as it was—only 39 votes—I'd rather it was defeated," Scott said. "If it had been passed by 39 votes, you'd have had a large majority who hadn't favored it paying

taxes to support it. The people have spoken and I guess we'll have to abide by it."

While acknowledging he was disappointed at the outcome, Scott said he could understand why it failed.

"People are simply fed up with taxes and millages," Scott said. "And you'll always have that group of citizens who will vote against anything anyway. In general, to me this says the voters aren't interested in constructing a

new school for the county's handicapped children."

He said the results in Cass City were not surprising. Much opposition to the levy came from the district, mostly to the open-ended provision of the question.

Had it passed, the 6 mill levy would remain in effect until voters rescinded it.

Scott said, however, he did not see this issue as the major factor leading to its defeat

countywide.

"I just think people are fed up with paying new taxes," he said.

Scott indicated no immediate plans to revive the issue and said the Intermediate board may begin looking toward constructing a vocational education center.

"There's a desperate need in the county for such a center," Scott said. "Personally, I think that this is really

where the interest lies."

Asked if he felt such a center would find voter approval, Scott said its chances would be as good as the 6 mill levy's chances were, if not better.

He said a larger vote Tuesday probably wouldn't have made that much difference. The percentages for and against would have remained relatively the same, he said.

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A 17-YEAR-OLD rural Cass City youth, Phillip Kuck, escaped serious injury Friday morning when the car he was driving went out of control and flipped on the Dodge Road bridge five miles southwest of Cass City. The crash did structural damage to the bridge, forcing the County Road Commission to close the span for repairs. Here, Deputy Robert Kinney investigates the accident.

Council girds for DNR landfill license fight

Cass City Village Council dug in for another fight with the Department of Natural Resources over continued operation of the landfill during its regularly scheduled meeting Tuesday night at the Municipal Building.

Trustees learned that state officials are holding up approval of a one-year extension of Cass City's license to operate the landfill, even though village officials claim they have gone by the book in seeking the renewal.

Ed Kimbrue, an official with the Thumb District Health Department, is scheduled to inspect the site next Tuesday before sending the license renewal application on to Lansing.

This news provoked a blast at the DNR by several councilmen. Trustee William Bliss said he sees the lack of action as an attempt to hassle the village.

"They (DNR) know what we have here," Bliss said. "Why is there such a hassle every year to renew the license?"

Village President Lambert

Althaver said he views the hold-up as part of alleged pressure by the DNR on Tuscola county to move toward a one-site centrally-located landfill that would serve the entire county.

"In effect, what they (DNR) are saying is that what was good enough last year doesn't meet specs this year," Althaver said.

The renewal delay brought back bitter memories of a 1973 confrontation council members and township officials had with the DNR over continued use of the landfill.

Eventually, a one-year renewal was approved in 1974. This is scheduled to expire Monday.

While technically the village could be operating an unlicensed landfill after Monday, chances are good no punitive action will be taken. With an application being processed, it's unlikely the landfill will be closed down by the DNR.

"We've complied with everything they've asked us to do," Village Supt. Lou LaPonsie said. "In fact, when we applied for renewal in June, they told us we were a little early."

Althaver was confident that an approval would eventually come.

"They pretty much have to give us a license to operate for another year," he said. "Even if the county started on a central landfill site tomorrow, it wouldn't be ready to use for at least a year."

County commissioners are still looking for a possible county landfill site, but to date have made no decisions.

a pool construction permit are expected to be signed and sent to authorities in Lansing soon, LaPonsie said.

OUTLOT REFUSAL

Council refused to accept two outlots in the Country View Subdivision on Cass City's east side. The outlots are 66-foot wide lots which could eventually become streets if development expands to the east or south.

Council turned down the lots, which still remain on the tax bill of developer Thomas Herron, for two reasons.

One, the lots are not developed with curb, gutter and pavement. Council refused to accept them until they are.

Second, both lots are being used to some extent by adjoining property owners as driveways. One of the lots is reportedly half-paved with a driveway.

By law, the outlots are necessary to provide exit and entrance from the subdivision when further development takes place.

Council voted not to take the lots "until they are improved to proper engineering design standards".

Presumably Herron would have to bear this expense.

approved a routine motion to extend the final tax collection date until Sept. 30.

Council formally approved annexing two large parcels of property at the north and southwestern portions of the village totaling nearly 70 acres.

It also approved the final plat of the Hillcrest Subdivision, located north of Virginia Street.

No word has been received from the state on Cass City's application for a Step I grant for Wastewater Treatment Plant expansion. LaPonsie said field data is complete for the proposed project.

Crash closes Dodge Road bridge

The Dodge Road bridge spanning the Cass River will remain closed until late this week for repairs, the result of damage caused by a single-car accident last Friday morning.

Tuscola County Road Commission officials closed the span following the accident. Road Commission Engineer Robert Wellington said Tuesday the bridge should be reopened late this week with reduced loading.

The new maximum load for the bridge will be two tons, Wellington said, a drop from five tons.

Wellington indicated a new Dodge Road bridge will be programmed for the future, but it's impossible to say when construction could begin. He said a new bridge is at least a year away.

Wellington said a new span would probably cost in the neighborhood of \$300,000, based on current costs. When a new bridge is built, the township would contribute 25 per cent of the cost up to a maximum of \$2,000, with the balance of the cost borne by county and federal funding.

Emergency repairs were being made to the old span early this week.

The accident did structural damage to the northwest corner of the bridge where a main load-carrying beam was nearly severed.



A TAYLOR man died in the shattered interior of this car when it slammed into a bridge abutment on Owendale Road just north of the Tuscola county line Saturday night. John William Werstine, 35, was pronounced dead on arrival at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Grinding crash kills Taylor man

A grinding single-car crash on Owendale Road just north of the Tuscola county line snuffed out the life of a Taylor man shortly before 9:30 Saturday night.

Bad Axe State Police identified the victim as John William Werstine, 35.

Police said Werstine was headed north on Owendale Road at a high rate of speed when he lost control of the car, crossed the center line and ran off the road on the west side.

Officers said the vehicle travelled 47 feet along the shoulder of the road before it struck a bridge abutment.

Werstine was pronounced dead on arrival at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Witnesses at the scene said wreckage was strewn over 40 feet of roadway at the accident scene. The force of the impact ripped the floor, frame and engine from the car.

Werstine's legs were reportedly severed on impact.

The death marks Huron county's 10th traffic fatality

of 1975. Werstine was alone in the car at the time of the crash.

ROLLOVER

A Cass City man escaped serious injury early Friday morning when the car he was driving went out of control and flipped on the bridge carrying Dodge Road over the Cass River in Novesta township.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies identified the driver as Phillip Alan Kuck, 17, of Cedar Run Rd., Cass City.

Officers said Kuck was headed south on Dodge Road when he lost control of the car and struck the bridge on the west side and rolled over.

Kuck was treated for cuts and bruises at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

The accident took place at 8:05 a.m. Kuck was alone in the vehicle at the time of the accident. No ticket was issued.

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POOL UPDATE

Bids for pool construction, excluding a bath house, are scheduled to be advertised this week and will be opened Sept. 18, it was learned.

Pool plans will be here next week, with bath house plans following in a couple of weeks, LaPonsie said.

He told council soil borings at the pool site were made Monday and will be forwarded to the architects.

Last month council voted to ask for bids on the pool itself and build the bath house separately, utilizing a construction superintendent and labor local to do the work.

The same system was used to build the facilities building in the park last year.

Applications to the state for

OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, council sidestepped the touchy issue of opening Seed and Huron Streets onto Ale until at least next year.

Althaver said no action will be taken to open the streets until a 1975 street program is approved.

"I question whether or not the dollars will be available to do much with improving Ale next year anyway," he said.

He said before Ale is finished north of Church, council may have to consider a larger storm sewer to handle water runoff from the area.

Council also learned that a proposed expansion of the Campbell Elementary playground will include a holding pond for water runoff. This should help eliminate the problem of dirt being washed from the higher ground near the park to the lower ground to the south, LaPonsie said.

Village treasurer Celia House reported tax collections through Monday totaled \$149,843.20, or 94 per cent of outstanding taxes. Council

Michigan's Thumb new home for four Vietnamese refugees

By Jim Ketchum

Tan Tran, Dong Tran, Tam Thanh Nguyen and Cu Nguyen. They don't sound like the typical names you'd expect to find in a Lutheran congregation with a strong German background in Michigan's Thumb.

Yet they're the newest part of the family of St. Peter Lutheran church of Columbia Corners, 14 miles west of Cass City.

The four men are Vietnamese refugees and have been sponsored by the 128-member congregation. They fled South Vietnam April 29, shortly before the Viet Cong

took control and spent two months on Guam and another two months at Ft. Chaffee, Ark., before arriving in Michigan last Friday.

In spite of the damp weather that greeted them when they arrived, the welcome was warm and genuine from congregation members Sunday when they were greeted at a potluck dinner.

Behind their easy smiles and willingness to become a part of the American dream, lies a rough, sad life. Tan, 24, the only one of the four who speaks English, is a veteran of the fallen South Vietnamese Army. Tam, 17, is also a veteran, as is Cu, 28, who

spent eight years in the Army and Dong, who at age 27, put in 14 years in the Army of the Republic of Vietnam (ARVN).

What made their escape even more heartbreaking was that Dong left a wife and four children behind. Cu is the father of two children.

The four are reluctant to talk much about the war or the families, including parents, who are still in Vietnam. The language barrier and the pain of the recent past makes them much more willing to talk about the future.

The four met as friends in Vietnam and in the refugee camps. Tan is from Pleiku,

while Tam is from Saigon and Dong and Cu are from Nha Trang.

With no families, they grew close to one another and asked, if possible, to be sponsored as a group.

When the St. Peter congregation expressed a willingness to help out in the refugee situation, placement personnel leaped at the chance to place the four.

At first, the St. Peter Church Council wasn't sure it could handle the task and thought perhaps it could help another congregation. But, according to Pastor Gary Groth, the problem and the need just wouldn't go away.

Members met about three weeks ago to decide whether or not the tiny country congregation could meet the challenge of sponsoring four adult refugees. An expensive remodeling project, including new carpeting and pews, had already been voted by the congregation before the refugee placement request came.

The decision was made to go ahead, however. Congregation President Larry Prime of French Road, Unionville, and his wife supplied a house, formerly owned by Mrs. Prime's mother, for the men. Women of the church or

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FOUR VIETNAMESE refugees being sponsored by St. Peter Lutheran church, Columbia Corners, are welcomed to the church Sunday. Shown from the left are Cu Nguyen, Tam Thanh Nguyen, Dong Tran, and Pastor Gary R. Groth. The four arrived Friday to begin new lives in the United States.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

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THURSDAY'S RAIN brought welcomed relief to dry weather that experts say will cut into this year's area crop production. A total of 1.92 inches of rain fell Thursday and Friday in Cass City.

Mrs. Eva Watson and son Bill had with them for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Narin and daughter Kathy of Sterling Heights, Mr. and Mrs. George Sangster and children of Decker, Mrs. George Lynch and Annermarie and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watson and children.

Mrs. Irma Hicks had as visitors Thursday, Aug. 21, Mrs. Douglas Harvey and daughter Jeanne of Sterling Heights and Mrs. Martin Hyzer and two children of Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Geiger and family returned home Saturday evening from a week's vacation in which they visited Mackinac Island, toured the upper peninsula and en route home visited the John Bifoss family at Harbor Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Geiger and family and Mrs. Irma Hicks attended services Sunday at the Hayes UM church near Pigeon. The christening of Daniel Robert Hyzer, grandson of the Geigers and great-grandson of Mrs. Hicks, took place.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig, Mrs. Lucile Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig vacationed last week at Abbott Lake near Kalkaska. They were joined Thursday by Miss Christine Craig of Grant.

The Eastern Michigan Christian Men's Fellowship will meet Monday evening, Sept. 8, at seven-thirty p.m., at the Novesta Church of Christ. Guest speaker will be Dr. James Green, the new president of Great Lakes Bible College.

Pastor and Mrs. Harold Prong had with them from Wednesday until Sunday, their grandsons, Clint and Nathan Prong of Wauseon, Ohio. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Prong, who had been attending a conference in Detroit, came Saturday and all returned to Wauseon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Root and their son Roger were in Detroit Thursday. En route there, they were luncheon guests at the George McKee home at Lapeer and on their way home called on Mrs. Malcolm Cole in Warren.

Children honored for nine weeks of perfect attendance at the Trinity UM Church Vacation Bible School included Mark Albee, Julie Czekai, Tommy Czekai, Connie Profit, Billy Profit, Mike Jones, Paul Childs, Brian Rutkowski, Matt Jones, Scott Albee, Mark Rutkowski, Randy Teichman, Kim Wagg, Brian Czekai, Ronnie Czekai, Robbie Albee, Michelle Jones, Terry Czekai, Tom Rutkowski and Jeff Childs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly and son Don attended the four o'clock wedding in the Westminister Presbyterian church near Bay City Saturday of Tom Striffler of Caro and Miss Carol Jean Paul.

Eric Esau of Amherst, Mass., left Tuesday to return there. He had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Esau and his sisters, since Aug. 17.

Miss Mary Beth Esau returned to CMU at Mt. Pleasant to begin her senior year Monday. Also there is Edward Keating, starting his freshman year.

Mrs. John Luana (Jane Speirs) was honored at a baby shower Sunday afternoon. Around 25 guests attended. The shower was given by Mrs. Ron Speirs at the home of Mrs. Stan Guinther.

Mrs. Howard Loomis was an overnight guest Sunday night at the Don DeLong home. The family was celebrating Mrs. DeLong's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Loomis and family had as dinner guests Sunday, Ben Hobart and family of Gageton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ware and children of Clarks Summit, Pa., spent the week end here and will move in the near future to Clarkston. He will be attending the Baptist Bible College in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Loomis and children spent from Friday until Saturday at Sleeper State Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murphy and sons Scott and Patrick spent Thursday and Friday at Millersburg, Ind., guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kritzman and family.

Edward Mark went Monday to Grosse Pointe Woods to spend two weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Wurt-smith.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus Sr. spent from Monday until Saturday of last week in the upper peninsula.

Hills and Dales General Hospital BIRTHS:

Aug. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Horne of Cass City, a girl, Candice Sue.
Aug. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hall of Gageton, a girl.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, AUG. 25, WERE:

Dina Miller, Mrs. Ivan Tracy, Keith Russell, Mrs. Kazmeir Szarapski, Irvin Martin, Edgar Cummins, Tina Pallas of Cass City;
Mrs. Wendell Harmon of Decker;
Russell Smith of Bad Axe;
Mrs. Theodore Osborn of Akron;
Mrs. William Nelson of Sandusky;
Charles Nemeth of Deford;
Edgar Ross of Marlette;
Mrs. Ethel Oeschger of Caseville;
Mrs. Thomas Gibbard of Ubyly;
Daniel Partlo and Mrs. Elmer Hallitt of Elkton;
Mrs. Frank Gludovatz, Mrs. Raymond Sharp, Joel Bolzman and Mrs. Harold Scharf of Unionville;
Mrs. Clara Pobanz and Walter Brenner of Sebawaing;
Mrs. Donald Munk of Kingston;
Mrs. Lavina Matthews of Caro;
Mrs. Hattie Kritzman of Snover.

Twelve women attended the Elmwood Missionary Circle meeting held Aug. 20 at the home of Mrs. Richard Eria. Members previously voted a contribution to the Norris Walters Fund. The September meeting of the group will be at the Wald home.

Clara and Alma Vogel and Mrs. Annie Haggitt of Caro and Mrs. Ida Gordon were dinner guests of the R.B. Spencers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Biddle spent Wednesday and Thursday in Rochester with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmateer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Matthews of Waterford were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hartwick had as week-end guests, her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ball Jr. of Alpena, who came to attend the reunion of his graduating class of 1945, which was held at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur spent from Aug. 12 to Aug. 15 with Mrs. Howard Law at Sand Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hartwick and granddaughter Robin Hartwick of Vassar, returned home Aug. 20 from a five-day trip to the upper peninsula and to Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur had as callers Wednesday, Aug. 20, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miller and children of Royal Oak, his mother, Mrs. Mae Miller, whose home is in Colorado and Mrs. Miller's daughter, Sister Diane, who lives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zapfe spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Peasley near Deford. Harry Wilcox and niece of Mantion were Sunday guests at the Peasley home.

Andrew Auten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Auten, who had enlisted in the US Navy, left from Flint Monday for Great Lakes, Ill.

Greg, Brian and Kenny Wilhelm returned to their home in Westland Sunday with their father, Ernest Wilhelm after spending a week with their grandmother, Mrs. Lilah Wilhelm.

A program Sunday evening at the Novesta Church of Christ climaxed a week of Vacation Bible School attended by 83 pupils and 25 workers. Some 50 persons had perfect attendance for the week. The director was Pastor Harold Prong, assisted by Mrs. Prong. Of special interest at the program was the crafts display. Rev. and Mrs. Howard Woodard were in charge of crafts.

Attending the golden wedding anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Crocker in Saginaw Saturday evening were Mrs. Laura Lenzer of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dean of Caro and from Cass City, Mrs. Katie Mudge and her nephew, Larry Hollis and his son Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly and son Don, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Damm, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ball and son Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jezewski, Mrs. Fred Jaus and Miss Minnie Jaus. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Churchill of Deford and Mrs. Avon Boag, Mr. and Mrs. Crocker are former residents here. The reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the First Church of the Nazarene from 7-9 p.m.

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Mrs. Clark Helwig, Mrs. Fred Janks and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury attended in Bay City Saturday afternoon, the wedding of Miss Phyllis Joiner and Rene Vallette. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Joiner of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Iseler and daughters and Bradley Creason returned home Monday from a camping vacation at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nicholas and daughters of Kaw-kawlin were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Nicholas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Stine and sons. The family celebrated Mrs. Nicholas' birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard King of Troy were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Morrison. Other Saturday callers were Miss Paula McGrath of Troy and Pat Putnam of Caro.

Mrs. Lenora Teller spent from Thursday until Sunday at Caro with the Ernest Tellers. Friday, they were joined by Isaac C. Teller and daughter Sonya of Cass City and the family celebrated the fifth birthday of Sabrina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Teller.

Theo Hendrick had as Sunday overnight guests, Lester Hendrick of Eaton Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hendrick and family of Lansing, who had come to attend the annual Hendrick reunion.

Miss Karen O'Dell began her second year at CMU at Mt. Pleasant Monday. Also there is Miss Chris Ridenour, a freshman.

Miss DeeEllen Albee of Warren spent the week end at her home here. She resumes her duties as kindergarten teacher next week in Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McVety attended the McVety reunion Sunday afternoon at Flynn Park, Brown City. About 65 attended.

Monday noon luncheon guests at the Frank McVety home included Mrs. Margaret McAlpine, Mrs. Edith Ward and Miss Mary Hanby.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bump of Central Lake were supper guests at the Frank McVety home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Vader of Ontario, Calif., visited his sister, Mrs. Milton Hoffman, on her birthday, Tuesday, Aug. 26.

Mrs. Milton Hoffman, Dr. and Mrs. B.K. Pearce and son Marc of Coldwater and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Miller of Detroit attended the wedding of Gail Bethany Hoffman and Lee Robert Gengler in St. Mary's Catholic church in Bay City, Aug. 21, at an 8:30 p.m. ceremony. Mrs. Pearce visited her mother until Monday.

The Frances Bell Watson Past Matrons Club of Gifford Chapter OES will meet Tuesday, Sept. 2, at the home of Mrs. Grace Clara with Miss Bernice Clara as co-hostess for a seven o'clock potluck supper.

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Roland Irrer, 60, dies Friday

Funeral services were held Tuesday for Roland J. Irrer, 60, Detroit, formerly of Sebawaing, who died Friday in Alpena General Hospital after a long illness. He was born Jan. 8, 1915, in Sebawaing township, Huron county. He and Luella Bolzman were married Sept. 6, 1941, in

Shabbona UM sets revival services

The Shabbona United Methodist church will hold a week of revival services Sept. 7-14, featuring Dr. Harry Denman. Time for the daily services is set for 8:00 p.m. Dr. Denman has served as an evangelist most of his life and is a former General Secretary of Evangelism for the Methodist church, South.

Slate fete for Kilbourns Aug. 31

An open house will be given by the children of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kilbourn of Deford in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday, Aug. 31, at the Deford Community church, from 2-5 p.m. The couple were married Aug. 12, 1950. Friends and neighbors are invited to attend. The couple requests no gifts.

50 attend Russell reunion

Some 50 members of the late George and Nellie Russell family gathered at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Russell of Koepfgen Rd., Cass City, Sunday, Aug. 17.

A potluck dinner was served at noon, with swimming, visiting and ice cream in the afternoon. Mrs. Erma Spavan, Marlette, was elected president and Mrs. Florence Carpenter, Cass City, secretary-treasurer, to plan the reunion to be held in Marlette, Aug. 15, 1976, with the Spaven family hosting the group.

Those attending were from Bay City, Mio, Fenton, Clio, Almont, Marlette, Decker, Caro and Cass City.

Marriage Licenses

Daniel Anthony Cavagan, 24, of Vassar and Delia Jean Dale, 22, of Millington.
Stephen John Andersen, 22, of Moody Air Force Base, Ga., and Mary Ann Hayes, 21, of Vassar.
Greg Allan Stricker, 19, of Saginaw and Deborah Lynne Morgan, 20, of Vassar.
Charles Francis Witkovsky, 25, of Caro and Patricia Ann Findlay, 20, of Caro.
Clark Esler Middleton, 57, of Caro and Doris Aline Young, 55, of Burton, Mich.
William Howard Kelley, 22, of Caro and Joyce Ann Kridler, 21, of Caro.
Craig Randall Sorenson, 20, of Cass City and Carolyn Louise Smith, 18, of Cass City.
Victor Emanuel Blonde, 53, of Imlay City and June Marie Ruth, 42, of Caro.
Martin Paul Osentoski, 21, of Cass City and Lola Marie Merchant, 17, of Cass City.
Frederick Joseph Biery, 24, of Vassar and Dianne Rosetta Alward, 24, of Gladwin.
Thomas Donald Kowitz, 21, of Millington and Susanna May Capitan, 19, of Vassar.

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Rabbit tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Roger Marshall says that he is planning a trip to the east and Niagara Falls this fall and that's all the excuse I needed to give him the lowdown on what to do. (A cynic would say I just wanted to tell him, and you, about my trip).

Regular readers of this trivia know that eating (and dieting) are of top importance here.

First the trip's bad news: I gained four pounds. Now the good news. New England has just scads of beautiful ice cream parlors ready and waiting. New England and Quebec feature blueberries, blueberries, blueberries. Every restaurant visited had blueberry muffins, blueberry pie and blueberry pancakes as standard fare.

In upper New York the peach season and the grape season are in full swing. We bought green grapes, but not the kind you buy in this area. They are like the blue grapes grown locally, only much sweeter.

Curious John asked how they were harvested and was told that the grapes for the winery were harvested by machine and the ones sold in the myriad fruit stands plucked by hand.

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Canadians drive faster than their state-side cousins. It's bad enough when a huge truck comes roaring past when you are doing 60 miles per hour...it's downright ludicrous when a VW comes shaking past at 80 miles per or better.

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One other trip note and then I'm through. Plan not to stay at Niagara Falls if you can help it. We hustled in about 6 p.m. Saturday and stayed about three miles from the falls and paid \$50 for a room with two double beds and a cot. (We checked a couple of others and they cost more).

The glut of people at the falls took much of the fun out of our visit there.

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Mrs. Bruce Gee brought an article from a 1916 Chronicle telling of "A Backward Wedding" by Henry Dodge. After reading the story, I can't tell for sure if a wedding ever took place or "Elmwood Corners" was used as the setting for a tall tale.

Anyway, it's an unusual story written with a unique style. The Chronicle often gets samples of old papers from area residents and they always are read and appreciated. Sometimes the speculation they invoke is more fun than the story itself. For instance, who is Henry Dodge? And was there ever a "Basswood Tavern" six miles southwest of Cass City? If you know, tell me, and I'll tell everybody.

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It must be sponsored by the government. Who else would pay the staggering cost of a couple of bicentennial books that were presented to the Chronicle this week.

The books list major bicentennial events slated in 1975-76 for each and every State in the United States.

One book has thin paper and yet measures a full one inch thick. The other is a supplement.

I don't know what it cost to print, but I'd bet a cookie that it's more than anyone reading will be making over the next five years.

We have the books at the office in case you need celebration information or are just plain curious.

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BELIEVE IT or not--That's just one tomato plant that's been lovingly nurtured by Mrs. James MacTavish of 4810 N. Seeger St. She and her husband planted the single cherry tomato plant in the spring. The six-and-a-half-foot plant is loaded with small, luscious tomatoes.

They aren't sure just what they did to achieve these results.

County union protests timeclock

Tuscola county courthouse employees, upset over the proposed installation of time clocks, have filed a formal grievance with the Board of Commissioners, demanding that the issue be negotiated.

The action came by members of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees representing courthouse employees. According to local President Leonard Lane, members are "irritated" over the idea of punching in and out each day.

The union contends, the move by the county board is an act of retribution more than anything else.

"It looks like they're trying to get even," Lane commented. "Since our people aren't getting top wages in the first place and since we've gotten along without time clocks for all these years, why do we need them now?"

The board contends the clocks won't be used to calculate weekly salaries, but will be used to keep track of regular time and overtime worked. When commissioners okayed the plan, they indicated the clocks would be used strictly as record-keeping devices.

Lane said actually the clocks could work to the board's disadvantage.

"Some employees have indicated to me that they've been putting in extra time without being paid for it," Lane said. "I can't say it's a fact, but it's what I've been told."

Lane said employees view the issue of time clocks as a negotiable item that should be subject to collective bargaining. Since use of a time clock would be a condition of employment, Lane said, the contract specifies that such conditions are negotiable.

He said the whole issue may eventually go to the National Labor Relations Board before it's settled.

"We look on the use of time

clocks as more of an irritant than anything else," Lane said. "It looks as though the board is showing us just how rough they can make it for us."

He indicated the proposed action isn't considered a breach of contract yet, but added that the union has gone through official channels with the protest.

"If they could talk reasonably about things, there wouldn't have had to be a union in the first place," Lane said. "Personally, I'm in this job because I want to do what's right for both sides."

Lane said in addition to the time clock issue, some classifications of employees have been incorrect. It's possible the flap over time clocks could open the classification hassle as well.

"For now, we'll just have to wait and see what happens," Lane said. "The ball is now in their (commissioners) court."

County Commissioner Maynard McConkey, chairman of the Personnel Committee, said in his view, the union is getting ahead of itself.

"How can you grieve something you don't have?" McConkey asked rhetorically.

He said the committee plans to confer with labor advisor Charles Minner before making a move.

McConkey said he sees the grievance in part as a test of the new contract. "It's normal to test things in the first year of an agreement," he said. "It's just that it gets things off to a bad start."

McConkey said he believes the board, as employer, still has some rights, among them the right to install time clocks. He said the discussion regarding a protest "isn't timely" because no action has yet been taken to install the devices.

He added he does not see the argument as serious and remained hopeful it could be resolved.

Delay sentence for pot plea

Under a relatively new ruling by Tuscola County District Court Judge Richard Kern, a Gagetown man's sentence for unlawful use of marijuana was delayed for one year.

Clinton R.J. Smith entered a guilty plea to the charge. He was assessed an "oversight fee" of \$75.

Under the new ruling, sentence was delayed for one year. If no violations are recorded during that time, the offense could eventually be wiped from the defend-

ant's record. The new system has been in effect about three weeks, court officials said. Smith is one of the first sentenced under the ruling.

In other District Court action, Ann Marie Wilson, Cass City, was found guilty of larceny under \$100. Her sentence was suspended.

Glen MacCallum, Cass City, paid fines and costs totaling \$50 when he appeared before Judge Kern Monday.



"If It Fitz . . ." The gays need Mrs. Ford

BY JIM FITZGERALD

Betty Ford has used the First Lady's clout to make the world softer for unmarried girls who need abortions.

She was also kind to us ogles when she said she didn't mind that the President enjoys looking at pretty girls. And the marijuana pushers were delighted when Mrs. Ford admitted she would have smoked a little dope if she'd had a connection when she was her daughter's age.

While the clergy are still reeling, I suggest Mrs. Ford embrace another worthy cause. She should say something nice about homosexuals.

I do not make this suggestion because I am gay. I make it out of concern for the Secret Service men who guard the President. They could do a better job if the world did not discriminate against men who prefer men.

What with all the publicity given Mrs. Ford's TV True Confessions, you might have missed an important social item coming out of Vail, Colorado. While vacationing there, the Fords unexpectedly went to a nightclub to dance to the music of the Inkspots.

This presented an unusual problem for the Secret Service. When the president went on the dance floor, his guards naturally had to follow him. But they couldn't just stand there and hum. They had to get in step with the Boss; shuffle when he shuffled and dip when he dipped.

They had to provide a moving screen between the First Couple and the other dancers. They had to be on a constant alert for dancers who folded their arms across their chests and kicked out from a squatting position while "You Always Hurt the One You Love" was being played.

It was an assignment call-

ing for instant choreography. According to news reports, the Secret Service men quickly began to 2-step "with hastily sought-out-partners."

This means some women were commandeered to serve as innocent camouflage while the Secret Service men danced their duty. The dangers in such a procedure are painfully apparent. What if a chosen woman didn't want to dance with a stranger whose gun rubbed against her breast? What if her date was a jealous Democrat who didn't like to sit alone while his girl proved her patriotism?

There was the potential for any number of tragic hassles which might have left the Fords in a dip from which there was no surfacing.

Obviously, the nation would have been much safer if the Secret Service men had danced with each other. And it is just as obvious why they did not. People would have stared and tittered. The Secret Service would have received a black eye worse than if it had been caught sleeping with the CIA.

"Whadda we got, a bunch of queers guarding our President?"

If the Fords are to continue dancing, and the President is to be adequately guarded, Mrs. Ford's duty is clear. She should go on TV and tell Morley Safer she wouldn't be surprised if her 2 sons formed a dance team and won first

prize at the Starlight Ballroom.

She should also caution the appropriate brass to always assign an even number of men to guard the President. No man joined the Secret Service to become a wallflower.

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FROM THE Editor's Corner



Just a minute while I adjust my glasses and I'll get on with this.

Like the diver poised on the edge of the cliff I'm about ready to take the jump, but I'm afraid.

What I'd like to jump into are contact lenses. You see, like I've told you before, my head is l-o-n-g and b-i-g and glasses don't really fit. Not ever.

Especially the kind with the heavy frames that I wear at this particular moment.

Whoops! There they go again. Every time I give them that little push onto the bridge of my nose I think about contacts. Every time I bend the hooks that wrap over the ear and keep the glasses from becoming total disasters I think of contacts.

About a dozen times this spring and summer I've been ready to dive right in and order a pair. But just before I leap I back away and decide to give the regular frames another chance.

Another chance to fall down my nose when I'm in the middle of my golf backswing. Another chance to bug me as I sit at my desk trying to concentrate.

Why hesitate, I keep asking myself when you may solve your problem and lower your blood pressure all for \$200 or \$300.

The new soft lenses are said to be easy on the eyes.

The trouble is that I wear bifocals. I've heard rumors that with the soft lenses you can wear contacts even with bifocals.

That may be so, but I've never been able to find anyone who does.

But I can point to scads and scads of men and women who have worn them... sometimes for years... and then have gone back to the standard frames.

But, then, it's also probably 100 per cent sure that they don't have the same problem that I do.

How many persons do you know that wear a size eight hat?

You can see my dilemma, can't you? Damned if I do and damned if I don't.

I suppose I'll glide along like this cussin' and fussin' until finally one day I'll do something.

Throw caution to the winds and be the first person I know with contact bifocals. Even if I only wear them for a day or so. If I do and you remain a reader of this column of nonsense you'll be the first to know.



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Wheeler completes course

Marine Sergeant Carl D. Wheeler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wheeler of Wheeler Road, Snover, has completed the Marine Corps Institute Correspondence Course "Math for Marines" while serving at the Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N.C.

Gagetown Area News

Mrs. Harold Koch
665-2536



AROUND THE FARM
Wheat varieties for 1976
By William Bortel

LADIES GOLF LEAGUE

The Ladies Wednesday Golf League held their annual tournament and fun day Aug. 20, at Sherwood Forest Country Club.

League awards were given for the first place team to Lori Seurynek and Barb Burdon, Gagetown. Second place went to Mary LaPeer and Doris Fritz, Cass City, and third place was won by Mary Ryan and Harriett Richards, Cass City.

The most improved league team award was given to Ruth England, Gagetown, and Doris Dressler, Sebawaing. Foursome team prizes were won by everyone and luncheon was served after a

morning of golf. The tournament winners were: Mary LaPeer, Cass City, championship flight; JoAnn Schafer, Sebawaing, first flight; Toby Weaver, Cass City, second flight; with Dee Comment, Gagetown, the third flight winner.

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NORTH ELMWOOD FARM BUREAU

The North Elmwood Farm Bureau met Monday, Aug. 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laurie. The discussion topic was "Urban vs. Rural Life". There will be no meeting in September. The October meeting will be at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Goslin.

OWEN-GAGE SENIOR CITIZENS

Aug. 12, a group of 19 Owen-Gage Senior Citizens motored to Five Channel Dam for a cruise on the AuSable River Queen. Some of the group also visited the Indian Museum south of Tawas City on US 23.

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Heidi Weber of Frankenthum spent the week end with her cousin and family, Janet Koch of Gagetown. Sandy, Ron and Larry Ziehm enjoyed a swimming

party at the Del Kurtzen home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mabel Ondrajka visited her new granddaughter Christa Sue Ondrajka at Lapeer Hospital, Sunday afternoon. Christa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ondrajka Jr. of Marlette and was born Aug. 24.

SR. CITIZEN OF OWEN-GAGE

The Owen-Gage Senior Citizens met Aug. 21 for a potluck dinner and a business meeting conducted by Mrs. Pete Severen. Twenty-nine members attended and the club now has 60 members. The meeting was adjourned, followed by card playing. Next meeting will be a business and recreation meeting Sept. 4, at 1:00 p.m. in Owendale.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Rabideau and family of Pontiac spent the past week at their farm on Hurds Corner Rd.

DELAYED NEWS

Thursday afternoon, Aug. 14, several members of St. Peter's LWLM helped one of its members, Mrs. Hedwig Polley of rural Gagetown, celebrate her 85th birthday with a brief visit. Refreshments were served.

ST. AGATHA'S WOMAN'S SOCIETY

St. Agatha's Woman's Society held their monthly meeting at the church fellowship hall Thursday evening, Aug. 14. Mrs. Aliene Mills of the Cooperative Extension Service presented a program on diets, which was followed by a brief business meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe has as week-end guests, their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Kehoe, Brian and Nicole of North Olmstead, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Goshman of Grand Ledge. The Kehoes and Goshmans attended the 1965 Owen-Gage High School class reunion Saturday evening.

Mrs. Norma Rabideau of Gagetown, Chris Craig, Karen Martin, Sharon Deering and Elaine Stoutenburg of Cass City accompanied the Tiger and Lions Girls' Softball League to Higgins Lake for a few days of camping last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch, Ray and Janet returned Monday evening from a four-day week end at Victor, Iowa. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weber, Holly, Heidi and Jim of Frankenthum and Mrs. Nora Meyer of Birch Run. While in Iowa, they attended the wedding of their niece, Miss Sheryl Wenzel and Patrick Dermody Saturday, Aug. 16, at St. Joseph Catholic church at Parnell, Iowa. The reception was held at the Amana Clubhouse at Amana, Iowa. Sunday morning, they all attended church at St. John's Lutheran church at Victor, Iowa.

Michigan wheat growers should plant next year's crop later than normal. Delayed planting may decrease foliar disease problems while increasing protection against the Hessian fly in fall and lower spindle streak mosaic and root rots in spring.

Tuscola's Hessian fly-free date is Sept. 15. Hessian fly larvae suck plant juices and cause infested plants to lodge. The new optimum planting date is about seven to 10 days after the fly-free date.

Soft wheat varieties available to Michigan growers this fall are Tecumseh, Ionia, Genesee, Yorkstar, Arthur and Abe.

TECUMSEH

This is the newest white wheat variety released by MSU and is now available for the first time. It is the first high-yielding, soft, white wheat variety adapted to Michigan conditions which associates short plant height (about 36 inches) and high test weight. Tecumseh is resistant to Hessian fly races "A" and "C", powdery mildew and leaf rust. It is the most winter-hardy of all soft wheat varieties available to Michigan growers. The chaff is white and Tecumseh wheat is the most sprout resistant of all white wheats.

IONIA

Developed and released by Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station in 1968, Ionia is a soft, white winter wheat which is a composite of four sister lines. It stands about 42 inches, is resistant to leaf rust and shows moderate resistance to mildew. It outyields Genesee by four per cent and has the same high quality as Genesee.

GENESEE

This has been a standard soft wheat variety in Michigan for many years and has maintained an excellent yield and quality record. Genesee is about 43 inches tall, has a strong, white stem with an awnless spike and brown chaff. It is midseason in maturity and is susceptible to all known Hessian fly races.

YORKSTAR

Developed at Cornell University and released in 1968, Yorkstar is 38 to 39 inches tall and is more lodging-resistant than Genesee. The midlong heads with red-brown chaff are typically awned and have a distinct nodding aspect at maturity. Kernels are soft white and midlong. It does not have high, plant height uniformity, kernel color or chaff that characterizes other white wheat varieties.

Although Yorkstar is susceptible to Hessian fly, mildew and leaf rust, it has achieved an excellent yield record in Michigan. In several MSU tests, it outyields Genesee by 4.6 per cent, was 5 inches shorter and about two pounds lighter in test weight.

However, flour yield has been as high or higher than the better test weight varieties.

ARTHUR

A soft, red wheat released in 1968, Arthur is especially adapted to southern Michigan, particularly the bottom two tiers of counties. It is beardless, has white chaff and is similar in maturity to the older variety Monon. It is about 35 inches tall, resistant to leaf and stem rust and "A" race of Hessian fly, which is prevalent in Michigan.

Arthur also offers some resistance to loose smut and powdery mildew. It has an outstanding yield performance. Milling quality tests have shown that Arthur is a high-quality, soft, red wheat.

ABE

This is a new soft, red wheat variety released from Purdue University. It is about the same straw height as Arthur with better lodging resistance and slightly better yields. It has good resistance to leaf rust, powdery mildew and Hessian fly races "A" and "C". It is a protected variety and is eligible for sale by variety name only as a class of certified seed.

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George M. Bledsoe Jr., principal of Kingston High School, is the author of an article published in the September 'Bulletin' of the National Association of Secondary School Principals. The article is titled "Self-Actualization: The Purpose of Education." The Bulletin, a monthly journal, publishes articles on topics of current interest to professional educators, including administrators, college professors, and teachers. Articles are selected on the basis of their timeliness, their appeal to a national readership, and their readability.

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Excitement of Port Huron-Chicago yacht race draws Dr. James Ballard

Given a choice between swinging a golf club and sailing, Dr. James Ballard, Cass City, will take sailing. Anytime.

So it was no surprise this year when Ballard entered the annual Port Huron to Mackinac yacht race in his 41-foot "Naiad", based at the Saginaw Yacht Club. It was the sixth time he'd entered the racing classic that drew over 300 boats.

What made this year different, however, was a little extension of the trip. This time, racers had the option of going all the way to Chicago. And, if you love sailing as much as Ballard loves it,

there's no choice but to take the challenge.

"It's a once-in-a-lifetime thing," he said, perusing a collection of newspaper clippings that described the race.

He explained the Chicago Yacht Club celebrated its centennial this year and invited racers in the Port Huron to Mackinac event to keep on coming to Chicago.

"I got involved when I received the invitation from the Chicago Yacht Club to make the trip," he explained. "I also had two of my crewmembers who had already arranged their vacations to coincide with it, so there wasn't really much

choice. Besides, I figured it's a once-in-a-lifetime thing and I couldn't turn it down."

In the end, Ballard's boat finished seventh out of 27 boats in his class for the Port Huron to Mackinac leg that made the entire trip.

That's not bad in anybody's book, considering the numbers and varieties of boats and the years of experience participants in the race have accumulated.

Ballard says he's a late-comer to sailing, having been actively involved for only the past 17 years.

SECOND RACE FOR NAIAD

This was the second time Ballard had raced Naiad in the Port Huron to Mackinac race. Last year was the shakedown cruise and it whetted his appetite to try

again.

"The reason I bought this particular boat was so that I could have a combination racing-pleasure craft," he said. "Most of the boats in the race were strictly racing craft. I guess you might say I wanted to combine the best of both."

The name Naiad comes from the mythological Greek nymph—that-gave-life-to-the-water.

Ballard agreed that she lived up to her name well during the journey from Port Huron that took just over 46 hours to complete. The race got under way Saturday, July 19, at 12:45 p.m. The Naiad reached Mackinac Island at 11 a.m. the following Monday.

ON TO CHICAGO

From there it was on to Chicago and what proved to be the most harrowing part of

the journey.

The first problem they faced was a thick fog as they rounded what's known as the Cove Island Buoy.

"The first group of 40 boats going to Chicago got to Cove Island in a dense fog," Ballard recalled. "There was supposed to be a Coast Guard boat stationed there to help them around, but it had been called away on some sort of rescue mission."

"Well, by the time the Coast Guard boat got into position, about 40 of the boats had already passed the point, radioing in to say they'd rounded Cove Island Buoy by navigation. But some of them couldn't find it in the fog, so they just radioed in and went on."

Ballard said he and his crew found the buoy and rounded it according to the rules. Protests are pending on the first 40, and if they're

accepted for disqualification, Ballard's final standing in the race could rise.

The Lake Michigan portion of the trip was a study in contrasts. First, it was a dead calm.

"I think it's more work to try sailing in a dead calm than it is to sail with a stiff breeze," Ballard said. "With light winds, you're trimming your sails continuously, trying to pick up any breeze you can. In a good wind, you can set your sails and relax a little."

From calm, the Naiad found itself in the midst of one of the worst squalls Ballard said he'd ever seen.

The Naiad chose to hug the Wisconsin side of the lake and that's where the squall struck, Ballard said at one point, his instruments clocked winds as high as 70 miles an hour.

"Usually, those types of squalls only last maybe five or 10 minutes," he said. "This one lasted a good half hour. It's at moments like that you wonder what the devil you're doing out there."

Ballard and his crew of 10, including two daughters and their husbands, arrived in Chicago at 4 p.m., Thursday, July 24.

WHY SAILING?

Why does Ballard love to sail, especially sail large boats like the Naiad?

"Why do people like to play golf?" Ballard asked. "It's sport. Competition. You certainly get a lot more exercise than by playing golf. And you get to use a little mathematics, a little meteorology and most of your skills. You have to know what you're doing."

He said jokingly that there's another reason.

"You have to be a little crazy when you get your first boat," he said, smiling. "Then you get a little crazier and you get a bigger boat. Then you get a littler crazier yet and you get another bigger boat. Finally you go completely insane and get a 41-footer."

Ballard sails at every opportunity. Last year, he regularly sailed every Tuesday after work.

What about next year's Port Huron to Mackinac race.

"I haven't committed myself to it yet," he said with a grin. "But I am getting some pressure."

Don't be surprised to see him waiting for the starter's gun come next July.

Durazsdi

named to

Cable post

Francis J. Darazsdi has been named plant controller at General Cable Corporation in Cass City. In his new position, he reports to Allen Nelson, operations controller of Communications Products.

Darazsdi joined General Cable in 1969 as financial analyst at its New York facilities. He has been with the Apparatus Operation for the last four years as controller for the combined operation at Westminster, Colo., and most recently as plant manager of the assembly plant in San Carlos, Calif.

Darazsdi earned a bachelor's degree from Moravian College in Bethlehem, Pa.

Miss Mahaffy

shows top

Market Steer

Debbie Mahaffy of Lucky Stars Club of Snover is the proud owner of the Grand Champion Market Steer at the 1975 Sanilac county 4-H Fair. Receiving Grand Champion honors for the top market hog was Cindy Mahaffy of Lucky Stars 4-H Club of Snover. Grand Champion Market Lamb went to Charlene Rich of Custer Climbers 4-H Club of Sandusky.

Reserve Champion honors for the market steer went to Doug Schroeder of Lakeside 4-H Club of Deckerville. The reserve champion hog went to Dawn Adam of Lucky Stars 4-H Club of Snover and honors for reserve champion lamb went to Tim Severance of Evergreen Guys & Gals 4-H Club of Decker.



DR. JAMES BALLARD and a photo of his racing boat Naiad that carried him through this year's special Port Huron to Chicago yacht race. Ballard finished seventh out of 27 boats in the Port Huron to Mackinac leg of the journey and 30th out of 330 boats that went the entire distance.

Police probe series of area thefts

A black-and-white television set valued at over \$70 and two metal cabinets were reported stolen from a home owned by Lloyd Norman Damm and located at 5512 Jacob Rd., Gageton, Monday.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies who investigated said the thieves entered the house through a garage door and pried a lock to an inside door.

Once inside, they took the television set, a medicine chest and a metal cabinet.

No suspects have been apprehended. The theft was discovered by Damm's wife Monday morning.

A snowmobile owned by a Deford man and valued at \$600 was reported stolen from a home construction site on Larbee Road in Juniata township Saturday.

Caro State Police said the machine belonged to Timothy Tracy of 6048 DeLong Rd.,

Deford, and was being stored at a home he is constructing. Tracy told police he last saw the machine Aug. 19.

Police have no suspects. Helen Peters of 4325 Woodland St., Cass City, reported the theft of \$80 from her purse, which was taken around 2:30 p.m. Sunday while she was playing a carnival-type game at the St. Mary's Festival, Kinde.

Mrs. Peters told Huron County Sheriff's deputies she found her purse discarded under a picnic table about 30 feet away from where the theft occurred, but the money was gone.

Police have no suspects. Myrna Groce, of 6745 Hurley Rd., Cass City, reported her house was broken into sometime Saturday night.

Sheriff's deputies said entry was gained by pushing in a rear door and forcing a lock on an inside door. Nothing was reported stol-

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KETCHUM'S KNAPSACK
The David and Dickie Show
 By Jim Ketchum

David Frost must be one of those typical Englishmen of the Neville Chamberlain mold who trusts people to be nice just because they say they will.

Chamberlain took Hitler at his word and ended up selling Czechoslovakia down the drain.

Frost has taken former President Richard Nixon at his word and for \$600,000, will get to interview the Exile of San Clemente as he "tells all" with "no holds barred."

Frost as an Englishman has not had to live under and experience the likes of Nixon. He believes that a smile, a handshake and a quick V-for-victory means that the former president will not try to stonewall it, plead the Fifth Amendment or even try to pin it all on John Mitchell and Martha.

Last week, Frost announced he had signed Nixon for more than 20 taping sessions which will be distilled into four 90-minute specials to be aired after the 1976 Presidential election.

"I have no reason to believe that the ex-President will be less than candid," Frost

replied, folding his umbrella and waving a document in the air to prove that he had achieved peace in our time.

Frost must realize he's treading risky ground. Nixon is used to filibustering and has the debater's classical ability to turn the monologue away from a touchy subject into one more favorable.

In Frost's first meeting with Nixon, according to Newsweek, the ex-President spent five-and-a-half hours reliving his foreign policy triumphs.

Last week, in testimony released by the Justice Department, Nixon denied doing anything wrong and even wanted to know what Water-gate was.

And this is the man who's going to tell all for 600 grand? There's as much chance of that happening as having Howard Hughes and Clifford Irving showing up together for interviews on the "Today Show" at the hands of Barbara Walters, TV's bar-rauda lady.

Frost's credentials to pull off the interview have also been questioned. Most of his interviews have involved entertainment personalities where the queries haven't gotten much beyond whether or not they like peanut butter or what they feed their pet sharks.

Now he plans to take on the slipperiest politician of this century in a no-holds-barred interview that is supposed to drag out all the skeletons ensconced in all the closets a'long the way.

Actually, it would help if Frost invited Alger Hiss to assist with the interview. Hiss, who has just been reinstated to the Massachusetts bar, probably has a lot of questions he'd like to ask his former accuser.

You'll recall it was Nixon who was instrumental in sending Hiss to prison on trumped up spying and perjury charges.

Then Frost could invite John Mitchell, Walter Hickey, John Dean and Alexander Butterfield as other guest interviewees, just to toss in a question or two that David might forget.

For the last show, he could bring on Martha Mitchell. She could turn the exercise into a rout, not to mention blowing out the circuits on all the microphones and permanently damaging Nixon's ability to hear.

Frost, I suppose though, is taking all this in stride. Besides, if the Nixon interviews bomb, he could probably still find a starlet somewhere to comment on what she feeds her pet shark.

Probably old copies of Nixon's transcripts.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney. Other afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Doug McIntosh and Karlene of Detroit. Bob Berridge is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peters at Romeo. Kelly Lindquist was a Thursday overnight guest of Lori Hewitt. Mr. and Mrs. Art Schuster and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker of Arcade, N.Y., Harry Edwards and Sara Campbell were Saturday evening guests of Mrs. Alex Stirrett in Bad Axe. Rita Tyrrell returned to Mt. Pleasant Sunday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis

Cleland. Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Armstead of Berkley were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murill Shagena and Mary. Carol Peter came home Sunday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Stanbaugh at Ashtabula, Ohio. Mrs. Leslie Townsend of Tucson, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and Debbie near Owendale. Don Herrington of Bad Axe, Dick Lapka of Kinde and Jack Ross of Ubyly visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson visited Elmer Fuester at Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City Wednesday evening and later visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fuester. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin

Schmidt, Dan and Denise of Bad Axe were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena. Shirley and Carol Ross and Ruth Hewitt were among a group of 13 young people from the Free Methodist church in Bad Axe who went camping at Mackinaw for the week end and spent Saturday on Mackinac Island. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wills and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson attended a housewarming open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLaughlin Saturday evening. Mike Kubaeki, Dean Sweeney and Jim Tyrrell were Tuesday overnight guests of Lawrence Tyrrell at Morrice and Wednesday and Thursday attended orientation at Michigan State University at East Lansing.

Luann Galloway of Cass City was a Wednesday afternoon guest of Wendy Doerr. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright. Mrs. Herbert Hichens and Mrs. Lynn Spencer visited Mrs. Albert Ainsworth at Carsonville Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and Debbie and Mrs. Manly Fay Sr. were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer in honor of Lynwood Lapeer's birthday. Mrs. Bruno Zawalski, Mrs. Milton Gelatt of Cass City and Mrs. Cliff Jackson visited Mrs. Tom Gibbard at Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight of Bad Axe were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family. Mr. and Mrs. Don Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Buchanan of Caro were Saturday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker. Mrs. Joe McVeigh and sons, Jim and John of Madison, Wisc., were Tuesday overnight and Wednesday guests of Sara Campbell and Clayton and Harry Edwards. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Streussnig and Jody, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Swackhamer and son and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer and family in Bad Axe. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Forbes of Bad Axe were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland. Marsha Peter of Port Huron spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Wednesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Johnson in Bad Axe. Bob Cleland of Pontiac and Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Matthews Jr. and family in honor of Mrs. Dave Matthews' birthday. Mrs. Martin Decker of Detroit was a Wednesday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hunt and daughters were Wednesday morning guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena. Mr. and Mrs. Jim B. Sweeney were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family.

were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin McGee in Bad Axe. Mike and Sherry Artman of Port Huron were Sunday guests of Rita and Jim Tyrrell. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morell were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleland and family in Bad Axe. Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk attended the wedding of Miss Vicky Fahs and Dave Bennet of Sandusky at Hope Lutheran church Saturday. A reception followed at the Sandusky VFW Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Collins and Sarah Collins of Marlette were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nader of Pontiac spent a couple days with Mrs. Emma Decker. Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Painter and family of Bad Axe were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer attended the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Osentoski at St. Joseph's Hall at Argyle Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Holmes family reunion at Squire's Park at Dryden Sunday. A potluck dinner was served at noon. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski attended the funeral of Leo Bischer at Sacred Heart Catholic church at Bad Axe, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Milo Herman of Montrose were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson. Mrs. Keith Brown and daughters and Mrs. Jim Doerr and daughters spent Tuesday in Bay City. Bill Cleland and Mark Lenz of Pontiac spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Alex Cleland. Randy Gilbert and a friend of Frankenmuth were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Representatives of several area motorcycle clubs are uptight with the Department of Natural Resources this week after representatives of the department in Tuscola county banned them from state owned land. Spokesmen said that they will appeal to State Senator Gordon Rockwell for help.

Kenneth Martin, 38, a native of Cass City, has returned to the community to open an electrical business on Hurds Corner Road, west of Cass City.

Cass City is in the midst of updating its master plan and zoning ordinance under the direction of Vilcoan-Leman & Associates, Inc., community planning consultants.

Steven R. Auvil, Michigan State University graduate student from Snover, has been awarded an honorable mention in a problem contest sponsored by the American Institute of Chemical Engineers. For his achievement, he will be presented a certificate at the institute's annual meeting in Chicago Nov. 30.

Cass City MEA and school administration representatives returned to the bargaining table Wednesday with little progress reported in talks aimed at a new teacher contract.

TEN YEARS AGO

Cass City's newest plant, Cole Carbide Industries, has started limited production in Cass City. Scott Kelley, manager, announced this week.

John Bifoss, 38, is an amiable, soft spoken, friendly young man who has moved to Cass City from western Michigan. He is also Cass City's new football coach.

An estimated \$1,300 in hand tools and power tools were stolen from Shaw Implement Co., four miles east of Cass City, early Sunday morning.

Tuscola county fire losses for July totaled \$23,700, county firemen learned Thursday night at the monthly meeting of the Tuscola County Fire Association at Vassar.



NEWS FROM
District Court

David Lee Martin of Cass City in the village of Cass City was ticketed for speeding 37 mph in a posted 25 mph zone. He paid fine and costs of \$30. Charles Russell Nicol of Deford in Kingston township was ticketed for excessive speed, 74 mph in a 55 mph zone (radar). He paid fine and costs of \$30. John Douglas Alexander of Owendale in the village of Cass City was ticketed for speeding 43 mph in a 25 mph zone (radar). He paid fine and costs of \$30. Barbara Charlene Czewski of Ubyly in the village of Gageton was ticketed for speeding 44 mph in a 30 mph zone (radar). She paid fine and costs of \$30. Virginia Lynn Gutierrez of Cass City in the village of Cass City was ticketed for speeding 45 mph in a 35 mph zone. She paid fine and costs of \$20.

The county courthouse will be closed a half-day Thursday so county officials and employees may attend the county fair.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Rejuvenation of three building fronts along Main Street is under way this week with face-lifting operations at Townsend's five and ten cent store, Mac and Scotty's Drug Store and the post office.

Charles McCaslin has sold his barber shop building and equipment to Leonard Damm and the business has been leased to William Johnston, who has been employed by McCaslin for the past two years.

The largest number of turkeys ever raised on the Fred Iseler and Louis Bartz turkey farm in Elkland township east of Cass City, is fattening up for Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner tables. This year, 8,000 turkeys have taken over the farm, 1,000 more than last year.

Contracts for the new grade school building were let at a special meeting of the school board Wednesday, according to Supt. Willis Campbell.

William Parrott, Cass City dairy man, has built a 38-foot cabin cruiser in a farm shed at his residence.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Emory Lounsbury and Sons, Elkland township farmers, are well pleased with their oat and barley harvests.

McLarty

reunion held

Sunday

Approximately 70 gathered Sunday at Canatara Park, Point Edward, Canada, for the annual McLarty reunion.

Coming the greatest distance was Mrs. Mabel Graham of Sarasota, Fla., and taking honors for the youngest was Robert Samuel Barr, four-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barr of Yale. Also honored were a newly married couple, Raymond and Barbara LeBlanc of Canada.

Officers for next year are president, Ray Maedel, Livonia; treasurer and games, John Campbell Jr., Ross-ville, Ontario, and Carl Wassman, Owosso, and secretary, Deloris Willerton, Midland.

Oats from 24 1/2 acres yielded 2,106 bushels, an average of 87 bushels an acre. Barley from 20 acres netted 50 bushels to the acre.

Mack Little, Cass City, well known breeder of purebred Polled Shorthorns, is planning to show several head of his cattle at next week's Michigan State Fair in Detroit.

The two major political parties in Tuscola county will have 71 candidates in the upcoming primary race. Cass City Boy Scouts defeated Troup 7 of the Bay City Scouts in a swimming meet at the municipal pool Tuesday evening by a score of 25-14. Public schools in Cass City will open Sept. 4, with 23 teachers on hand.

Set Sanilac

tuberculin

tests

A special tuberculin testing clinic will be held at the Sanilac County Health Department office in Sandusky Tuesday, Sept. 2, from 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. This is planned for school teachers, bus drivers and other school personnel who wish the health department to give the test. The tests will be given at the Health Department office at 115 N. Elk St., Sandusky.



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BAPTISM

Amie Berridge, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Berridge was baptized at Trinity United Methodist church in Cass City at the 10 o'clock services Sunday. Attending the dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Berridge were maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cotter of Romeo, and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Widener, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Don Streiver, all of Romeo, Debbie DeVillbiss of Big Rapids and Bob, Sid, Phil and Ron Berridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McIntyre of Port Huron were Tuesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolschlagler and family.

Phil Berridge of Big Rapids is spending three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stirrett of Bad Axe were Sunday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson. They were Saturday evening guests of Mrs. Minnie Williams in Elkton and also visited Allen Stirrett at Scheurer Hospital in Pigeon. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena of Unionville were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murill Shagena and Mary.

FARM BUREAU

The Shabbona Farm Bureau group met Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer. Arley Gray led the discussion on Farm Bureau Policy. The next meeting will be Sept. 11 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright. A potluck lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland

AARP meets for picnic

A discussion dealing with services available to senior citizens and nutrition programs was presented during the monthly meeting of Cass City AARP held Thursday, Aug. 14, at the village park. Margaret Verbrugge, of the Thumb Area Commission on Aging, gave the presentation to the 45 members who attended the picnic. Hostesses for the meeting were Gladys Fort, Lena Patch, Helen Little and Clara Eberts.

The Sept. 11 meeting will be held at the township hall with a program prepared by Thelma Pratt. Hostesses will be Corinne Creguer, Etta McLellan, Myrtle Murphy and Marie Roch.

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The Cass City Public Schools will open Tuesday, September 2, 1975, with a full day session. All students will report to their respective buildings. Class lists of students at Campbell and Intermediate will be posted Thursday, August 28, at 3:00 p.m. All sixth, seventh, and eighth grade students from Deford and the seventh and eighth grade students from Evergreen will be attending school in Cass City.

Mr. Richards, Mr. Stickle, Mrs. Freiburger, Mr. Lovejoy, and Mrs. Smith will be available in their offices the week of August 25 to register new students. Considerable waiting time may be saved if appointments to register the students are made.

KINDERGARTEN

During the first week of school students attending kindergarten at Campbell Elementary will attend only two days. The afternoon kindergarten will be held Tuesday and Thursday and the morning kindergarten will meet Wednesday and Friday. Children attending kindergarten at Deford and Evergreen will have school Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings the first week. Kindergarten parents will be notified by letter when to come for parent conferences. At that time they may pay the milk and cookie charge of \$6.00 per semester.

Parents should bring the child's birth certificate, health record, and enrollment sheet if they have not already been presented.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Classes will begin Tuesday, September 2, at 8:25 a.m. and be dismissed at 3:15 p.m. Students will be permitted to enter the buildings at 8:15 a.m.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

All Intermediate students should report by 8:25 a.m. to their assigned rooms. Room assignments will be posted at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 28. School will dismiss at 3:15 p.m. Students will be permitted to enter the building at 8:15 a.m.

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

All students in grades nine through twelve will report to the high school gymnasium for a general session meeting at 8:35 a.m. on September 2.

BUS SCHEDULE

Buses will be traveling the same routes as last year the first few days of school. Adjustments to balance the bus loads and to provide for the pick up of new students will be made as soon as possible.

CAFETERIA

Elementary and high school cafeterias will open on Tuesday, September 2. Elementary prices are 50 cents for single meals. Weekly lunch tickets are available on Mondays for students at a cost of \$2.50. Intermediate and High School prices are 55 cents for single meals. Adult lunches can be purchased at a cost of 70 cents.

Milk is available for all students who carry their own lunch at a cost of 5 cents a carton.

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ELEMENTARY - CAMPBELL

Bauer, Kathleen Second Grade
Black, Peggy Special Education
Bruner, Bonnie First Grade
Derfny, Linda Third Grade
Eria, Marlene Kindergarten
Fulcher, Brenda Second Grade
Gray, Linda Fourth Grade
Hutchinson, Nancy Fourth Grade
Kirn, Betty First Grade
Lovejoy, Frances Kindergarten
Ouimette, Mary First Grade
Pakonen, Polly First Grade
Quick, Dorothea Third Grade
Retherford, Leola Fourth Grade
Smith, Sue Second Grade
Stickle, Barbara Fourth Grade
Sunderland, Beth Third Grade
Tuckey, Shirley Third Grade
Walker, Nancy Second Grade

ELEMENTARY - DEFORD

Ackerman, Emma Fourth Grade
Butcher, Martha Kindergarten
Crawford, Virginia Second Grade
Lovejoy, David Fifth Grade
Tait, Rosemary Third Grade
Warner, Harriet First Grade

ELEMENTARY - EVERGREEN

Grant, Gail Fifth and Sixth Grade
Hicks, Sudie Fourth and Fifth Grade
King, Mary First Grade
Olinyk, Suzanne Third & Fourth Grade
Smith, Ruth Kindergarten
Stauffer, Rosalie Second and Third Grade

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Beardslee, Pamela Science
Binder, Lois Special Education
Binder, Marion Fifth Grade
Brown, Margaret Sixth Grade
Galloway, Rosemary Fifth Grade
Gibbs, Denise English, Math, and Art
Goodall, Sally Fifth Grade
Jardine, Dean Mathematics
LaBean, Cheryl English, Speech, and Drama
LaBerge, Christine Social Studies
MacTavish, James Sixth Grade
Maharg, Kally Physical Education and Social Studies
Mastie, James Science
Mastie, Marilyn Sixth Grade
McCrea, Kay Home Economics & English
Murphy, Betty Sixth Grade
Roth, Richard Industrial Arts & Social Studies
Schelke, Donald Physical Education & Social Studies
Siders, Karen Sixth Grade
Sutton, Brian English & Music
Tibbits, Geraldine Fifth Grade
Williams, Diana Mathematics & Spanish
Wilmore, Eric Physical Education & Typing

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Alicki, Margaret Foreign Language & English
Biefer, Russell Social Studies
Bradley, Elizabeth English
Bredinger, Brenda Civics
Carroll, Richard Commerce
Clarke, Lyle Vocational Agriculture
Derfny, Dan Industrial Education
Finkbeiner, Jan Special Education
Gengler, Leo English, Journalism, & Publications
Herman, William Social Studies
Hoard, David Industrial Education
Jackson, Kathleen Home Economics
Logan, Robert Social Studies
McArthur, Connie Physical Education
McIntosh, Dale Social Studies
Nurnberger, Ronald Physical Education
Pakonen, Roland Mathematics
Perz, Gwendolyn Mathematics
Psujek, Christine English
Sperry, Sandra Science & Foreign Language
Wallace, Karen Art
Weippert, Nancy Biology
Wichar, Nancy English
Woody, Thomas Commerce
Zawilinski, Jacque Librarian
To be announced Chemistry & Physics

MULTI-BUILDING PERSONNEL

Bauer, Nannette Remedial Reading
Bushong, George Instrumental Music
Donner, Jeanne Elementary Physical Education
Kuntz, Dorland Vocal Music
Muszynski, Trudy Art
Peters, Marilyn Title I Remedial Reading
Quick, Grace Librarian

IMMUNIZATIONS

Act 22, Public Acts 1970 requires all children enrolling in Michigan Schools for the first time to present a statement from the physician or health department indicating that the entering school child has been adequately immunized against diphtheria, tetanus (lockjaw), pertussis (whooping cough), hard measles, rubella (three day measles), and poliomyelitis; has been tuberculin tested; and has had a vision screening test. The parent or guardian who, because of religious or other convictions, does not want his child protected from these diseases must submit a signed statement to that effect.

As part of our school admission procedure for your child, we must enforce the law stated above. We must have the health record or a similar statement in order to admit your child officially to school.

If you have any questions about this, please consult your local school, your doctor, or the Thumb District Health Department.

WHAT CASS CITY SCHOOLS OFFER

For 1975-1976 you will find the following program of studies available to students in the Cass City Elementary and Secondary Schools.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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|------------------------|-----|
| 1. Reading | K-4 |
| 2. Penmanship | K-4 |
| 3. Modern Math | K-4 |
| 4. Science | K-4 |
| 5. English | K-4 |
| 6. Social Science | K-4 |
| 7. Art | K-4 |
| 8. Music | K-4 |
| 9. Health | K-4 |
| 10. Physical Education | K-4 |

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Grades five and six include: Reading, Spelling, Modern Math, Science, Language Arts, Social Studies, Geography, Health, Art, Physical Education, Vocal Music, and Band.

Basic classes in grade seven include: English, Modern Math, Life Science, and Social Studies. Exploratory classes offered are: Physical Education and Health, Music, Communication Skills, Home Economics, Industrial Arts, Spanish, Art, and Band.

Basic classes in grade eight include: English, Modern Math, Physical Science, and U. S. History. Exploratory classes offered are: Physical Education and Health, Sewing, Typing, Industrial Arts, Spanish, Drama, and Band.

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

1. Art - Introduction to art methods and materials, fiber design, ceramics, painting, sculpture, and graphic arts.
2. Business - Typing, record keeping, shorthand, bookkeeping, business training, and model office.
3. English - English 9, English 10, Practical English, Composition, Modern Short Story, Modern Dramatic Literature, Poetry, Creative Writing, English Literature, Children's Literature, World Mythology, Modern Novels, American Literature, Publications, Journalism, Speech, and Drama.
4. Foreign Language - German, French, and Spanish.
5. Home Economics - A four year program is available.
6. Music - A four year program in instrumental and vocal music is available.
7. Mathematics - General Math, Algebra I and II, Plain Geometry, Trigonometry, Analytic Geometry, and Refresher Math.
8. Physical Education - Three year program is available for boys and girls.
9. Science - Earth Science, Ecology, Biology I, Biology II, Physical Science, Chemistry, and Physics.
10. Social Studies - Civics, Geography, World History, Psychology, Sociology, Economics, United States History, American Government, Adult and the Law, Current Affairs, and Michigan History.
11. Agriculture - A four year program in vocational agriculture is available.
12. Industrial Education - Introduction to use of basic tools, lathe, welding, wood, plastics, etc. Also, basic drafting, architectural drawing, and machine drawing.
13. Extra-Curricular Activities include interscholastic athletics for boys and girls: Debate, Forensics, and Dramatics is available in addition to various clubs.
14. Excellent library facilities are available.

GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING

The school guidance program is designed to assist students who have personal and social concerns, and to help students design academic programs to meet their individual needs and abilities. College admission and financial aid assistance is provided for students interested in continuing their schooling after graduation. One of the programs designed to benefit both the student and the community is the co-operative education program. Under this program, some students are placed in on-the-job work situations for part of each school day. Students and parents who desire information concerning guidance programs are invited to contact Mr. Cleland or Mr. Dillon at the high school or Mrs. Vickers at the Intermediate School.

EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSING

Special announcements concerning school closing will be made through the following public service facilities:

- Radio WKYO ---- Caro
- Radio WLEW ---- Bad Axe
- Radio WMIC ---- Sandusky

Announcements will be made as soon as a decision is reached.

FREE STUDENT LUNCH POLICY

The Cass City Board of Education has adopted the following family size and income criteria for determining eligibility for children unable to pay the full price of meals and milk served under the National School Lunch, Special Milk Program, and U. S. D. A. Donated Foods Program.

Total Family Size	Yearly Income Scale for Free Lunches	Total Family Size	Yearly Income Scale for Free Lunches
1		7	\$ 8,950
2	\$ 3,230	8	9,790
3	4,240	9	10,550
4	5,250	10	11,310
5	6,260	11	12,060
6	7,190	12	12,810
	8,110		

Each Additional Family Member: \$750.

Children from families whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free meals and milk. In addition, families not meeting these criteria but with other unusual expenses due to unusually high medical expenses, shelter costs in excess of 30 per cent of income, special education expenses due to mental or physical condition of a child, and disaster or casualty losses may apply.

Application forms are being sent to all homes with a letter to parents. Additional copies are available at the principal's office in each school. The information provided on the application is confidential and will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility. Applications may be submitted at any time during the year.

In certain cases, foster children are also eligible for these benefits. If a family has foster children living with them and wishes to apply for such meals and milk for them, it should contact the school.

In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, or national origin.

Under the provisions of the policy the school principals will review applications and determine eligibility. If a parent is dissatisfied with the ruling of the official, he may make a request either orally or in writing to Donald Crouse, Superintendent of the Cass City Public Schools, for a hearing to appeal the decision.

CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

New Teacher Orientation	August 27
All Teacher Orientation	August 28
First Day of School for Students	September 2
Teacher Conference Day	November 14
(No School)	
Thanksgiving Vacation	November 27 thru
(No School)	November 30
Christmas Vacation	December 20 thru
(No School)	January 4
Easter Vacation	April 15 thru
(No School)	April 19
Memorial Day	May 31
(No School)	
Last Day of School for Students	June 3
Teacher Record Day	
(Report Cards in p.m.)	June 4

Cathy Smith: auto racing is in her blood

By Jim Ketchum

What's a nice, five-foot two-inch, 110-pound girl doing driving a race car on week ends? Winning races, thank you. So far, she's got a trophy and a \$50 check to prove it.

Not bad for a little over a month behind the wheel. At least that's the way Mrs. Cathy Smith of 5074 Schwegler Rd., Cass City, looks at it. The petite, 27-year-old hairdresser who's lived in Cass City most of her life sees it as a sport not unlike golf or softball.

"It's lots of fun," Mrs. Smith said this day as she relaxed in an overstuffed chair—in-her-paneled-living room, savoring a soft summer breeze.

"I've always wanted to drive cars," she explained. "I've gone to the races with my husband (Larry) for several years and watched him work on cars and I've always wanted to drive."

Finally, her wish came true this summer. And in one of the first three drag races she ever drove, she won the Powderpuff contest at Tri-City Raceway Aug. 9. Along with it came a trophy and a \$50 check.

"It was beautiful," she said smiling.

Mrs. Smith drove the 1968 Camaro with a stock 396 cubic inch engine that's been there since it was new. With only 50,000 miles, the car has had lots of tender, loving care from her husband.

"For a long time, it was our

only car, so we weren't anxious to race it all that much," she said. "But now we have another car, so we race this one more."

Mrs. Smith said her husband is extremely fussy about the car. The finish glistens like new and the engine and interior are factory clean.

Mrs. Smith's big chance came this year. After lots of talk about someday racing herself, "someday" finally arrived. It was at the Uby racetrack.

"I'd always said I'd really wanted to try driving myself," she said, "and I finally got my chance."

She admitted being nervous the first time out. "My legs shook so I could hardly get out of the car when I finished," she laughed.

But that one race began building the confidence she needed. After that, each heat became just a little easier.

Her trophy-winning performance came in four runs against 16 cars. It's called bracket racing and you run not only against an opponent but against the clock. The hitch is that you cannot exceed a maximum speed. If you do, you're eliminated.

Starting with 16 cars, the total is halved after each heat until it's down to head-to-head competition.

"I couldn't believe it when it came down to the last two and I was one of the drivers," she said.

It was even more of a thrill at the end of the quarter mile when she'd won.

DIFFERENCES IN DRIVING

Besides the obvious, there are a lot of differences between driving a car in stock competition and normal street driving. Mrs. Smith said some of the more marked differences involve knowing what your machine is doing every second.

"You've got to watch your tachometer to know when to make your shifts and you've got to watch the lights so you know exactly when to come out of the starting gate," she said.

She said the most important goal to achieve is consistency. "Even if you don't win, if you make the car run the best it can, it's an achievement," she explained. "It's as important as winning."

Her husband spends long hours tuning the car in order to make it do exactly what it should. He carries a large inventory of spare parts to cover most contingencies.

"But if it just isn't right, he won't race it," she said. "We won't go out there with something clobbered together. If it isn't right, we'll wait a week before we race it."

GETS IN YOUR BLOOD

Racing gets into your blood, Mrs. Smith agrees. She said she'd spend every available minute at the track if she could, just to study other drivers and their cars.

"We always went to the races a lot and my husband

drove," she said. "I just sort of hung around and picked up what was going on."

She says racing doesn't make her any less feminine, although she admits once she's with other drivers she's considered "one of the boys".

Does she ever think about what could happen to her in

an accident during a race?

"Oh, yes, I've thought about it a little," she said. "But I don't dwell on it."

She says it's most important to know what the car's doing every minute. If you do, there's a better chance you won't have an accident.

One thing racing does for

her, she said, is that it rids her of tensions.

"You can go out there and get rid of all your aggressions and feel like a new person," she says. "You feel really good after you've run a good race. It takes as much work as it does to hit a golf ball or go bowling."

So far, she said her best time for the quarter-mile drag strip has been 13.58 seconds at 100 mph. That's moving.

Mrs. Smith says racing is a family sport, not confined just to herself or her husband. Her seven-year-old daughter, Michelle, has already been bitten by the racing bug and loves to watch her parents compete.

"I remember once at Uby when Larry won a race, they gave him a jacket instead of a trophy," Mrs. Smith said. "Michelle was disappointed because he'd gotten the jacket, so this time, when I won, her dad said I'd finally won the family a trophy. She was really pleased."

She said it wouldn't surprise her if one day her daughter follows in her footsteps.

Her family, friends and co-workers at Hillside Beauty Shop have all given her encouragement and support. She's been a beauty operator the last eight years.

She said that her husband has been her greatest coach and support. "He never gets mad at me if I make a mistake," she said. "That means a lot."

How does she sum up her

race driving career? Simple.

"I'd much rather drive than ride," she says.

Chances are good she'll be driving for a long time to come.



MRS. CATHY SMITH poses proudly with the stock car she races and the trophy it won for her in powderpuff competition at Saginaw earlier this month. Mrs. Smith loves cars and is fast becoming a racing aficionado.

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Gas, oil companies vie for Grant twp. lease rights

Michigan Consolidated Gas Company paid over five times more for oil and gas rights on 80 acres in Grant township than the firm and its competitors did on all other lands up for lease in several Cass City-area townships during bidding conducted by the Department of Natural Resources last week.

Michigan Consolidated paid \$510 for the development lease rights in Grant township, while it paid only \$1 per acre for 280 of a possible 359 acres in Elkland township and acreage in neighboring townships.

Officials at the DNR said the interest in Grant township was probably the greatest shown in the entire offering of Thumb properties.

Other leases included 4,464 acres taken by Basin Oil Co., of Metamora, in Ellington township at a dollar per acre, 458 acres in Kingston township by Basin, and 392 acres in Novesta township by Basin.

No bids were let on 160 acres in Elmwood township. In Sanilac county, 1,011 acres were leased to Michigan Consolidated in Greenleaf township at a dollar per acre, while no bids

were made for land in Argyle, Evergreen and Austin townships.

No bids were taken on 68 acres in Brookfield township, Huron county.

According to the DNR, each lease runs for 10 years and as long thereafter as oil and/or gas are produced in paying quantities.

For development leases, first year charges are 50 cents per acre. In the second through fifth years, if no wells

are completed, the charge is \$1 per acre and following completion of the first well, 50 cents an acre.

In the sixth and subsequent years, if no producing well was completed, the charge is \$1 per acre. If a producing well was completed, the charge is 50 cents an acre.

All non development leases are 50 cents per acre for the life of the lease.

A development lease allows the company to drill directly

on the leased property. Non-development leases exclude direct drilling.

Each producing oil well cancels the rental on 80 acres of leased premises. Each producing gas well cancels the rental on all lands within the gas producing unit to a maximum of 160 acres.

Royalty to the state is 1/8. Officials said the sales were better than expected in the Thumb, with most of the action concentrated in the Cass City area.

Bids taken on two area drain projects

Bids on two drains in Kingston township were let last week by the Tuscola County Drain Commissioner's office in Caro.

Low bid of \$6,933.55 for cleanup of the Clark Drain covering 1.22 miles in sections 16 and 17 of Kingston township was accepted from James Corron of Pigeon. Bids ranged as high as

\$12,679. The pipe bid went to Beach Manufacturing of Charlotte with a low bid of \$1,465. Bids ranged as high as \$1,760.

Taxes for the project will be spread over one year. Cleanup work on the Snover and Branch drains in sections 8,9,10,15 and 16 of Kingston township was awarded to Pat LaFave of

Caro, with a low bid of \$9,216. Bids ranged as high as \$14,058.

Beach Manufacturing of Charlotte was awarded the pipe bid at \$3,450.40. Bids ranged as high as \$3,876.

Taxes will be spread over two years for this section of the drain. Total balance of cost on the project is \$6,200.

The day of review for these projects is Thursday, officials said. The review will be conducted from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at the Drain Commissioner's office, located in the basement of the courthouse in Caro.

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Travel boom should continue into Labor Day

The boom in state travel that is pushing Michigan tourism to its greatest year ever should continue over the Labor Day week end, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

"Tourism in the state this holiday should be up five to 10 per cent over the 1974 Labor

Day week end, which would make it the third straight record holiday this year," said Auto Club Touring Manager Joseph Ratke.

"Data compiled by Auto Club's Holiday News Service and the Michigan Travel Commission showed this year's Memorial Day and Fourth of July week ends both were records for those holidays," Ratke said.

"Memorial Day tourism exceeded the 1974 holiday by 10 per cent," Ratke said, "and there was a five per cent increase for the July 4th holiday."

"People have decided that recreation and leisure time

are as important to their well-being as any food or vitamins they can take and that is why they are continuing to travel despite the economic climate," the Auto Club official said.

More tourists have visited the State Capitol this year than ever before: Mackinac Bridge crossings are at an all-time high, and resort areas such as Holland, Mackinac Island and Traverse City report increased business over last year—some by as much as 20 per cent.

"The state's tourist industry—the second largest industry in Michigan—is booming this year," Ratke said, "and business is up 12 to 20 per cent over last year when the nation was still reeling from the shock of the gasoline shortage scare."

Apparently still anxious about the energy crisis, Michigan motorists traveled four per cent fewer miles over the 1974 Labor Day week end than they did in the same 78-hour holiday period of 1973.

This year, however, Ratke is predicting Michigan motorists will cover 643 million miles over Labor Day week end—an increase of 2.5 per cent over last year.

Travel throughout Michigan is on the increase this year, Ratke said. Auto Club's member requests for travel routings in the Lower Peninsula are up 44.6 per cent for the first seven months of 1975 as compared to last year. Upper Peninsula travel routings increased 11.5 per cent during this period.

"In some areas," Ratke said, "business over the Memorial Day and July 4th holidays was so good, resort operators tried to keep track of how many people they turned away to more accurately gauge the increase in travel."

To avoid disappointment, travelers to popular Michigan resort centers are advised to make their Labor Day week end hotel and motel reservations now.

State parks are expected to get heavy use but most of the

private campgrounds in Michigan should be able to accommodate holiday week end campers in the general area of their intended destinations.

Auto Club expects peak traffic periods to be between 7 and 10 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 29, when the bulk of motorists head out for their holiday, and between 2 and 10 p.m., Monday, Sept. 1, during the rush for home.

All construction work on state roads and bridges will be halted from 3 p.m. Friday until Tuesday morning but some traffic slowdowns could develop around construction sites.

Motorists may encounter problems near the four 1-75 freeway overpass construction sites between Bay City and Bridgeport, where three lanes narrow to two, and on 1-75 over the Rouge River

Bridge in Wayne county, where southbound traffic is diverted to two of four northbound lanes.

Ratke urged that motorists exercise extreme caution during the Labor Day holiday which runs from 6 p.m. Friday, Aug. 29, to midnight Monday, Sept. 1. Last Labor Day week end, 25 persons were killed on state roads, compared to 28 the year before.

To help motorists have a safer holiday, Auto Club's "Bring 'em Back Alive!" Holiday News Service will be operating from 3 to 11 p.m. Friday and from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday through Monday.

Travelers can keep posted on traffic and tourism issued by a staff of 25 Auto Club

employees to more than 170 radio stations, plus TV stations and newspapers.

Kingston board okays teacher pact

The Kingston Board of Education voted to accept a contract negotiated with teachers represented by the Kingston Education Association during its regularly scheduled meeting Monday night.

Teachers had ratified the pact earlier.

Under terms of the contract, starting teachers with a bachelor's degree will earn \$8,800 per year, while maximum salary was set at \$13,550.

Starting teachers holding master's degrees will earn \$9,200, with top salary set at \$13,950.

The contract runs through August, 1976.

In other business, the board hired Doug Bell to replace Dan Skatzka as head football coach for this year.

The board also hired five new teachers. They include Ruth Rottier, home ec.; Gary Hilbert, English and math; Susan Janeski, special education; Helen Crane, math and phys. ed.; and Cliff Taylor, English and drama.

The board also voted to accept a policy statement regarding the free and reduced prices for lunch and milk.

Mike Wood opens heating business

A new businessman has entered the Cass City community. He is Mike Wood, 21, who last week announced the opening of Mike's Heating.

The youthful Wood is not a stranger to many as he is a native of Cass City.

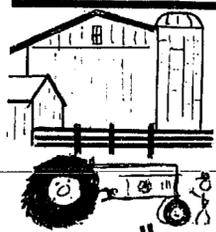
Wood says that he hopes to gain a share of the local heating business by offering 24-hour service and guaranteed work.

I am pleased with the acceptance I've received in the first week here, Wood added.

Missionaries to speak at Deford church

Rev. and Mrs. Lester Hamilton, missionaries to India, will speak at the Deford United Methodist church, Wednesday through Sunday, Sept. 3-7. The evening services will begin at 7:30 p.m. The worship hour Sunday will be at 9:30 a.m. There will also be a Sunday evening service at 7:30 p.m.

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Mass draft registration set for 1976

Confusion still exists on the requirement of draft registration.

There will be a mass registration to be announced by a nationwide campaign early in 1976. All males, born in the year 1957 and prior years, who have not previously registered will be required to register at that time, authorities said.

The annual registration will replace the procedure of the continuous registration that was in effect until April 1, 1975.

Vassar man freed Thursday

A Vassar man was freed Thursday during the second day of his jury trial on a larceny charge in Tuscola County Circuit Court.

Robert Searles, 25, was judged innocent following the presentation of the prosecution's case before Judge Martin Clements.

Clements granted a defense motion to order a directed verdict of innocent on grounds that the prosecution failed to present substantial evidence of guilt.

Searles had been accused of the larceny of a stereo from the residence of Arlene Swinton of Vassar Aug. 23, 1974.

Owen-Gage talks continue

Talks are continuing between Owen-Gage teachers and administration in efforts to update portions of a three-year contract scheduled to expire in 1976.

Officials said wages, salaries and certain fringe benefits which may come under new state higher education laws are being negotiated.

They indicated a news blackout on the talks would be in effect until a settlement is reached.

Commissioners hear CETA funding report

In a lackluster session Tuesday in Caro, the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners reviewed grants under Titles II and VI of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act and learned that there isn't enough money left over to hire additional personnel.

Robert Wellington of the County Road Commission which administers county CETA grants, told the board that 57 out of 65 slots have been filled under Title II and that 120 out of a projected 132 jobs have been filled under Title VI.

He said that of a total Title II allocation of \$625,734, the sum of \$41,472.26 has been spent through Aug. 14.

He said that \$335,511.02 out of a total \$1,370,850 allocation under Title VI has been spent through Aug. 14.

Overall, Wellington told the board, only \$3,924 remains of the total 1975-76 Title II grant, while just \$2,824 remains in Title VI yet to be allocated.

Title II programs involve on-the-job training, while Title VI funding goes for public service employment.

Cass City's share of Title VI funding totals \$50,664, Wellington said. Kingston Schools are scheduled to receive \$26,612, while the village of Kingston will receive \$12,243.

Owen-Gage schools has been allocated \$9,882.

The biggest chunk of the Title VI pie in Tuscola county goes to the Road Commission, which is scheduled to receive \$193,634 for 21 jobs. The Department of Social Services runs second with \$109,138 for 21 jobs.

Under Title II, again the County Road Commission gets the largest slice with \$386,077 for 34 jobs. The closest competitor for funds is the Thumb district Health

Department with 6 CETA employees and \$43,020 in Title II funding.

OTHER BUSINESS

The board approved tentative plans to construct two toilet facilities at Vanderbilt Park near Quanicassac at an approximate cost of \$1,200. Bids on the project will be opened at the Sept. 9 meeting.

The new facilities include a 12 by 15-foot area and will be designed as holding tank toilets which must be pumped out periodically.

The buildings will be constructed of cement block.

Personnel Committee Chairman Maynard McConkey officially notified the board that a grievance has been filed by courthouse employees over the installation of a time clock in the building.

Searles had been accused of the larceny of a stereo from the residence of Arlene Swinton of Vassar Aug. 23, 1974.

OK salmon fishing for Cass River

Salmon fishermen won't have to drive to Michigan's northland to catch their favorite sport fish this year, thanks to liberalized salmon fishing area designations approved recently by the Natural Resources Commission.

The NRC has designated the Cass River from the Caro Dam to its mouth as one of 15 Michigan streams that may be fished for salmon this fall.

The season on the Cass will run from Sept. 1 to Dec. 31.

A meeting is scheduled between board and union representatives later this week in an attempt to resolve the grievance.

Issue warrant against Cass Cityan

A felony warrant has been issued for a Cass City man charging him with larceny of a tool box and tools from a garage July 31.

Robert Viney, 25, was charged in connection with the theft from a garage belonging to Robert Hennessey of 5647 Cemetery Rd.

Police Chief Gene Wilson said Wednesday morning Viney was still at large.

Job crunch real, experts say

How bad is the job situation for recent college graduates? A peek at a recent bulletin from the University of Michigan suggests it's really awful.

The U-M Placement outlook reports that "doctoral degree holders who are willing to go where there are prospects are expected to find jobs."

The kicker is that those degree holders possibly will NOT find work in the field of their choice, according to the Outlook.

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A monthly service of Wickes Agriculture. Save this column as a reminder of agricultural meetings, events, fairs, special extension courses and new product seminars.

- Aug. 22-Sept. 1 Michigan State Fair
- Aug. 25-Sept. 1 Eastern Michigan Fair, Imlay City
- Sept. 3-4 Soybean and Navy Bean Field Days, Gratiot County
- Sept. 6 Ram Day, 10 a.m., MSU
- Sept. 6 Michigan State 4-H Livestock Judging, MSU
- Sept. 6-13 Saginaw Fair
- Sept. 11 4-H Council - 8:00 p.m. - Civil Defense Center - Caro, Mich.
- Sept. 22 Parenting Skills; The Family - Discussion of the family unit and how a child sees himself within it - 7:00-9:00 p.m. - Vassar High School - Vassar, Mich.
- Sept. 29 Parenting Skills; Values & Communication - Understanding personal and family priorities and effective ways of listening to and really hearing children - 7:00-9:00 p.m. - Vassar High School - Vassar, Mich.
- Sept. 30 Life Planning & Goal Setting - 1st in series of three - United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall - Millington, Mich. 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon; Wilber Memorial 4-H Building - Fairgrounds - Caro, Mich. - 1:00-4:00 p.m. - Learn to improve skills in goal setting and understanding personal values.
- Sept. 30 Village council meeting - 7 p.m. - Municipal Building

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Police probe Huron fatality, other accidents

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KINGSTON MAN INJURED

A 58-year-old Kingston man suffered minor injuries Thursday when the pickup truck he was driving went out of control and overturned in a ditch three-and-a-half miles south of Elkton on Elkton Road.

Bad Axe State Police identified the driver as Leonard D. Randall of Frode Road. They said Randall was southbound on Elkton Road at between 45 and 50 mph when he hit a slippery spot on the rain-slicked highway, spun out of control on the east side of the road and rolled over in a ditch.

Randall sought his own medical treatment. The accident took place at 10:40 a.m. An Ubyly youth and a Madison Heights man were injured, neither seriously, when their two autos collided on M-53 at Popple Road late Saturday afternoon.

Bad Axe State Police said a car driven by Harold Kucharczyk, 46, of Ubyly, was headed south on M-53 and in the process of making a left turn

onto Popple Road when it was struck on the right front side by a car driven by Francis T. Schier, 42, Madison Heights. Schier told troopers he did not see Kucharczyk signal a turn.

He and Kucharczyk's son, Gerald, 15, were treated for minor injuries at Huron Memorial Hospital. The elder Kucharczyk was not injured. The accident took place at 4:55 p.m.

OTHER ACCIDENTS

Several other property damage accidents were reported in the past week.

A 27-year-old rural Deford woman sought medical treatment after the car she was driving collided with a pickup truck on Shabbona Road a half-mile east of Dodge Road, Friday afternoon.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies said Darlene Ann Daniels of 5244 Shabbona Rd., was eastbound when she saw a pickup driven by Everett Elley, 78, of 5295 Shabbona Rd., Deford, back out of a driveway into the path of her car.

She told officers she at-

tempted to stop but could not avoid a collision. Elley told officers he did not see the approaching Daniels vehicle when he backed from the driveway. He was not injured.

The accident took place at 1:40 p.m. A motorcycle driven by Denny Gibson, 31, of 6384 DeLong Rd., Deford, went out of control and flipped at the intersection of Severance and Englehart Roads Sunday evening.

Sheriff's deputies reported that Gibson's cycle apparently hit a rut in the road, causing the accident.

Gibson was not injured seriously. The mishap took place at 7:15 p.m.

A trailer being towed by a car driven by Douglas Arno Hassler, 17, Sandusky, broke loose and flipped on M-46 two miles east of Kingston Sunday afternoon.

Caro State Police said Hassler was eastbound on M-46 when the hitch came loose, sending the trailer and three motorcycles loaded on it into a ditch.

No one was injured. A routine check of the trailer's license plates showed they belonged to a friend of Hassler's and were not issued for the trailer.

Hassler was ticketed for improper license plates. The accident took place at 12:05 p.m.

Coming Auctions

Saturday, Aug. 30 - Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schott will sell farm machinery and some household goods at the place located two miles north of the Kinde School and two-and-a-quarter miles east on Schott Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, Sept. 6 - Mr. and Mrs. F.K. Starr will hold a household and real estate auction at 6397 Houghton St., Cass City, Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Saturday, Sept. 13 - Levi Helwig will sell farm machinery and household goods at the place located five miles north and two miles east of Cass City on Huron Line Rd. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Saturday, Sept. 13 - Mid-Michigan Equipment, 6533 Cass City Rd., four miles east of Cass City. Farm machinery and construction equipment. Jackson Auction Co., auctioneers.

Saturday, Sept. 20 - Mrs. Tony Pawloski will sell farm machinery, milking equipment and personal property at the place located two miles east, two miles south and a half of a mile east of Ubyly on East Huron Line Rd. Hillaker Auction Service, auctioneer.

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Real Estate Cass City - Newly decorated older home, excellent condition, ideal neighborhood - close to schools. Two bedrooms, living room, dining room, large kitchen, \$16,900. Immediate possession!!!!

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REAL ESTATE Price reduced on this very nice 3 bedroom home in the country with 3 acres of land, garage on house also additional garage or work shop. Bring your deposit along.

Four two-acre parcels of land located on Severance Road cash or terms.

80 acres in the Ubyly area with Cass River through corner of property.

60 acres with Cass River bordering it located near Ellington.

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ELDERLY WOMAN needs ma- ture woman to care for her in her Sandusky home. Wages, board and room. Driving preferred. Answer Box A, Cass City, Mich. Care of Chronicle. 8-21-3

BOYS' CLOTHING - pants, shirts, jackets, mostly sizes 10-12 slim; also narrow width boys' shoes, 3-4 1/2. All priced low. Mrs. Stan Gunther, 872-3284. 8-28-1n

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GLASS LINED water heaters, gas: 30-gal. size, \$99.95; 40-gal. \$109.95; 50-gal. \$139.95. Fuelgas Co., Cass City, phone 872-2161. 6-5-1f

FOR RENT - In nice condition: two-bedroom trailer home. All carpeted. Gas heat. In Ubyly. Adults. Phone 658-8130. 8-28-3

FOR SALE - by owner, 3 bedroom home, full basement, 2 car garage, breeze-way, nearly 2 acres. Located at 1627 E. Caro Rd. Shown by appointment only. Phone 673-2484. 8-14-3

GARAGE SALE - men's and ladies' clothes and shoes. Also dishes, deep freeze exerciser and many household items. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 9 till 5:30 p.m. 4282 West St. Mary Ryan. 8-28-1

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FOR SALE - standing hay, approximately 40 acres. Mixed hay. 5 miles west of Cass City. Corner of Dale and Seeley Roads. Phone 313-688-2118. 8-28-3

YARD SALE - Clothing, adults and children's; few antiques; miscellaneous. 5 south and 3 east of Cass City. Starting Thursday. 8-28-1

FOUND - Tiger cat with white legs, bushy tail. Phone 872-3806. 8-28-1

FOR SALE - 1971 mobile home. Good condition. Take over payments. Phone 872-2827. 8-21-1

FOR SALE - fork lift. Phone 658-4191. 8-28-3

Subscription to THE CASS CITY CHRONICLE FOR A YEAR MAKES A PERFECT GIFT.

GIFT CARD SENT WITH EACH ORDER

Lambert E. Aihaver Village President Karen Osentoski Deputy Village Clerk I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Ordinance adopted by the Village Council for the Village of Cass City at its regular meeting held August 26, 1975.

Karen Osentoski Deputy Village Clerk

Section 2. This ordinance shall become effective twenty (20) days after its adoption.

Enacted by the Village Council of Cass City, Tuscola County, Michigan, this 25th day of August, 1975.

Section 1. Article III, Section 301 - Zoning Districts and Map (District Boundaries) - is hereby amended by adding the following:

301.2 The following described property in the Village of Cass City is hereby zoned RA - 1:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 28, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, Elkhart 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" East 1,015.5 feet; thence S 0°25'10" East 1,129.3 feet; thence S 89°53'06" East 1,117.45 feet; thence N 0°25'10" West 525.0 feet; thence S 89°53'06" East 138.0 feet; thence N 0°25'10" West 413.50 feet to the point of beginning. ALSO a piece of land commencing at the southeast corner of the Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 28, Town 14 North, Range 11 East, Elkhart Township, 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.

The zoning district map is amended by reference hereto.

Section 3. The following described property in the Village of Cass City is hereby zoned L - 2:

Northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) 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, 867.10 feet; thence S 02°13' W, 315 feet; thence S 88°18' E 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, Elkhart Township, Tuscola County, Michigan.

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Petitioners win annex vote

Supporters of a petition drive to set an election deciding whether or not to construct a proposed \$1.635 million annex to the Sanilac County Courthouse succeeded this week in putting the issue on the ballot.

A total of 4,062 signatures was filed with County Clerk Walter Behn prior to Monday's deadline, over twice the number needed to place the issue before voters.

Signatures from 1,900 registered county voters were needed to force a vote on the project.

A date for the election still must be set by the county Election's Commission, Behn said, although he's hoping to hold the election in November.

Exact wording of the question on the ballot also must be decided, Behn said. He indicated the question as presented on the petitions did not use the exact wording as a ballot question.

"We may have to go ahead and print the ballot question just as it appeared on the petitions," Behn said. "It's still unclear just how we'll handle it."

The petition drive began after the County Board of Commissioners approved the annex on a 5-3 vote. The approval gave the County Building Authority the green light to construct the annex with county bonds.

The outright approval by the commissioners, however, didn't set well with many county residents, and sparked

the petition drive. Commission Chairman Lloyd Severance, Decker, has been an ardent backer of the proposal, citing the need for additional space at the courthouse.

Supporters of the petition drive say they aren't necessarily against the proposal but just want to give voters a chance to decide the question.

Ubyly FFA cops ribbons at fair

Two Ubyly FFA members walked away with a wide assortment of ribbons at this year's Huron County Fair, held in Bad Axe last week.

Becky Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robinson, and Judy Tyrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Tyrell, both of rural Ubyly, won blue, red and white ribbons in several categories.

Miss Robinson took blue ribbons in horsemanship, western pleasure riding, bareback riding and photography. She also won blue ribbons for a ceramic dish, a baby book in crafts and a lightweight Charolais.

She received red ribbons in horse showmanship, and for a terrarium, as well as a third place in western riding and in halter grade mare in open class.

Miss Tyrell took blue ribbons in reupholstering in home design, for three stalks of corn, a sheaf of oats and a slice of alfalfa hay, a pen of hogs and a Charolais steer. She also took a blue ribbon with a poster depicting horses.

Miss Tyrell took a red ribbon in photography and wheat production and a white ribbon in canning. She took fifth place in hog showmanship.

Other Ubyly FFA ribbon winners included Albert and Elaine Depcinski, who each

Auction Sale

Located 2 miles north of the Kinde School, 2 1/4 miles east on Schott Road on:

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30

commencing at 1 p.m. sharp

- Allis Chalmers WD 45 tractor, wide front and manure loader
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- Oliver 60 baler
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- Case 16 hole grain drill
- Century sprayer
- Allis Chalmers 2-14" plow
- Wagons
- Cultivating tools
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- Many other good farm tools and miscellaneous items

- 1964 Ford tilt cab 2 ton truck
- 1948 International truck with hoist
- 1967 Falcon 6 cylinder car
- Avery 28 inch pickup beaver with motor
- Some household goods including kitchen table, 4 chairs.
- 2 antique wooden chairs
- Hand butter churn
- 3 piece antique bedroom set
- Kenmore washing machine
- Other items too numerous to mention

NOTE: This is only a partial list of the items to be auctioned off at this sale.

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FOR RENT - apartment type living for girls, 1 block south of light, new washer and dryer. Furnished. Rent includes all utilities. Phone 872-3570. 12-12-1

WE'VE GOT FREEZERS for sale. Large inventory in store right now. Thumb Appliance Inc., Cass City. Phone 872-3505. Two blocks west of light on Main Street. 8-28-1

TO GIVE AWAY - Puppies half beagle. Call 872-4119 or 872-3416. 8-28-1

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ATTENTION SENIORS - Senior pictures can now be taken at 15% discount by Lee Hartel at Cass City Studios, 6473 Main St. or phone 872-2285. 8-21-3

ELMER H. FRANCIS, licensed builder. New homes or remodeling. Roofing, siding, barns, pole buildings. Phone 872-2921. 11-7-1

FOR SALE - John Deere 45 combine, excellent condition, ready for beans; 2 row New Idea corn picker. Call 872-2254. 8-21-3

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RON'S REPAIRS - Appliance - refrigeration and electrical. Licensed electrician. Call after 4 p.m. 872-3839. 8-7-1

PORCH SALE - Some horse equipment. Chrome wheels and more. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. 6309 Church St. Konwalski 8-21-3

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. 10-6-1

TRI-COUNTY Dead Stock Removal. 517-375-4088. 8-1-1

WILL DO babysitting in my home. Joan Gulnther. Phone 872-4029. 8-21-3

COLONY HOUSE is now taking bookings for weddings, banquets, special parties. Call 872-3103. 3-6-1

For Sale
Very fine older home. Double brick construction. Four bedrooms, dining room with bay window, new kitchen, family room with fireplace. New carpeting, inlaid, and wallpaper-throughout. Main floor laundry and half bath. Many shade trees; beautiful landscaping. Two full lots. 4243 S. Seeger. Call owner for appointment at 872-2279. 8-14-1

FOR SALE - 1969 Ford Fairlane 500, 24,000 miles, excellent condition - Price \$1,100. Phone 872-3464. 8-21-3

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CASS CITY STUDIO features fast service for your film development. Complete Kodak film selection - 6473 Main St. 8-21-3

B AND B Refrigeration - Repair all makes of washers, driers, refrigerators, freezers and ranges. Call Caro 873-6125. 5-1-1

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Home with 3 bedrooms, new roof, all new interior, 3 acres of land, 3 miles from Cass City, \$19,500. with \$6500. down & \$115. month 8% interest.

McCormick Realty Inc.
Cass City, Mich. 48726
Phone 872-2715 8-21-3

HELP WANTED - man preferred between the age of 18-25, must have high school diploma, be willing to work and accept responsibility. Phone 872-3313. 8-21-2

FOR SALE - 29 acres on paved road almost all cleared, has a deep well. Will divide. Call Caro collect 873-6132, ask for Les, Lanphar's Inc. 8-21-2

WANTED TO BUY - junk cars and metal. Paying \$30.00 for complete cars delivered at the yard. For Sale, rebuilt starters and alternators. Chuck's Used Auto Parts, 5630 Van Dyke, 1 3/4 miles south of M-81-53 corner. Phone 872-4519. 8-21-6

Hunting Licenses

Guns and Ammunition

Gambles
Cass City 8-28-4

GAME PARTY - Every Sunday night, at St. Pancratius hall, Cass City, 8:00 p.m. 2-20-1

FOR SALE - 12 ft. Graham plow in excellent condition; also 600-gal. gas storage tank. Phone 872-2346. 8-14-3

SALE - Queen size mattresses, box springs. Starting at \$98 per set. All kinds nationally advertised. Hide-Away-Beds sale priced \$198 this week only! "Bargain Center". From Cass City, M-81 to Colwood Rd. then left down Tomlinson Rd. 1/2 mile. Open nights 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. Phone 873-2480 anytime. 8-28-1

CASSETTE TAPE player for car plus over 40 topcountry, western tapes like new. Matching pair G.E. automatic washer and dryer, works good. Heavy antique dresser with mirror. "Bargain Center". 2249 Tomlinson Rd. Open nights 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. All day Saturday. Phone 873-2480, anytime. 8-28-1

2ND FLOOR apartment, 3 rooms and bath, furnished and all utilities paid. Working girls only. Phone 873-4006. 5-29-1

Attention
Brides-to-be

Bridal Registry
available at
Albee True Value Hardware
Come in and register. 8-14-1

BOWLERS of last year's Sunday night Mixed League, if bowling this year, please call 872-2921. 8-28-1

FOR SALE - 20 acre horse farm; 3 bedroom home, newly remodeled; barn with eight stalls, 4 miles east, 3 miles south, 2 miles east on Pringle Rd. Milton Richard, 5558 Pringle Rd. 8-21-3

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I WILL DO babysitting in my home. Phone 872-4125. 8-21-3

WANTED - good standing alfalfa or clover hay, also good mixed hay. Phone 872-3296 Don Cook, 4905 Lamton Rd. 5-29-1

FOR SALE - 1973 Plymouth Duster. Six-cylinder, stick. Phone 872-2616. After 6 p.m., call 872-2650. 8-28-3

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40 ACRES near Colwood --- Home remodeled; aluminum siding; oil furnace 2 years old; new wiring; 4 bedrooms; dishwasher and disposal; new front and rear porches; land partly tilled; ditch cleaned 3 years ago; 20x24' garage built in 1974; tool shed; granary; 33 acres tillable; all this for \$45,000.00 terms.

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1 ACRE: MODULAR HOME only 3 years old - 100' river frontage - comes with aluminum siding; thermo-windows; 24x40' - 3 bedrooms with closets; laundry room off kitchen; wall to wall carpeting; 10x20' Patio; large garden spot with natural drain; very nice setting among trees and flowers; only 1 mile from Cass City ---- priced to sell at \$22,000.00.

5 APARTMENTS FOR RENT ---- some furnished - \$95.00 to \$135.00 per month.

MOTEL: 16 UNITS plus owner's living quarters; very good condition; choice location in THUMB OF MICHIGAN --- grossed over \$27,000.00 last year; extra large lot 297x300' room for expansion; OWNERS MOVING TO ARIZONA!!! Priced to sell immediately at \$110,000.00. Sellers will hold land contract.

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RIVER FRONTAGE --- 1/2 mile 100 ACRES: choice high and dry building sites - near Cass City ---- \$86,000.00 terms.

40 ACRES: 24 acres tillable; comes with 12x65' Marlette home plus 7x13' and 10x16' additions; 1250 gallon septic tank; 94' deep well with submersible pump; 24x44' barn and shop; 14x22' building insulated; \$34,000. terms.

120 ACRES: Recreational land - 4 1/2 miles from Cass City ---- lots of deer and rabbits; \$30,000. ---- down payment \$4,000.

40 ACRES near Colwood --- Home remodeled; aluminum siding; oil furnace 2 years old; new wiring; 4 bedrooms; dishwasher and disposal; new front and rear porches; land partly tilled; ditch cleaned 3 years ago; 20x24' garage built in 1974; tool shed; granary; 33 acres tillable; all this for \$45,000.00 terms.

20 ACRES: High building site; possible lake site ---- \$10,500.00 terms.

20 ACRES: 12x65' Liberty Home - 1972 - John Deere B tractor; International Combine; etc. small barn; brooder house; all this for \$26,500.00 terms.

5 APARTMENTS FOR RENT - some furnished - rent from \$95.00 to \$135.00 per month.

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