

Gagetown petitioners move to end topless dancing

Not everybody in Gagetown is happy with topless dancing. The village council received petitions signed by 87 village residents protesting the dancing being staged regularly at Bennett's Bar and Hotel on State Street.

A group of citizens, including three pastors, presented the petitions to council at its regular meeting held Monday night. The petitioners asked

that council take action to either ban the entertainment or to bring the question to a public vote.

Rev. Paul Amstutz, pastor of Gagetown United Methodist church, told the Chronicle the petitions began circulating in Gagetown Tuesday, Jan. 27. He said 16 volunteers contacted most of the village residences since that time. Amstutz said the group also

circulated an information sheet in which they stated their case against the dancers. He said the information sheet stated that police patrols would have to be cut short to provide extra protection in the area of the bar, that high school students would have access to the bar, that the dancing would bring in undesirable persons and that voters had no opportunity to voice an opinion.

"We found we received a favorable response to our petition at most of the homes we visited," Amstutz said. "In some cases, we found persons against topless dancing but who said it would probably die out soon anyway and so did not sign."

Two other pastors, Rev. James Willett and Rev. Gary Bugaski of the Gagetown church of the Nazarene, also

attended the meeting. Bar owner Al Bennett also appeared at the meeting to air his side in the controversy. He was not available for comment.

Council had earlier given its approval to Bennett to stage "costumed dancing" at the bar.

This is the first time topless dancing has been staged in the Thumb. The dancers are

hired through a firm in Detroit. They have been performing regularly the past two weeks.

Council agreed to accept the petitions and to contact the village attorney to study the situation.

About 10 persons attended the meeting in opposition to the dancing.

In other business, council heard complaints from resi-

dents concerning snowmobiles. They claim the machines are becoming a nuisance. Council agreed to study the problem.

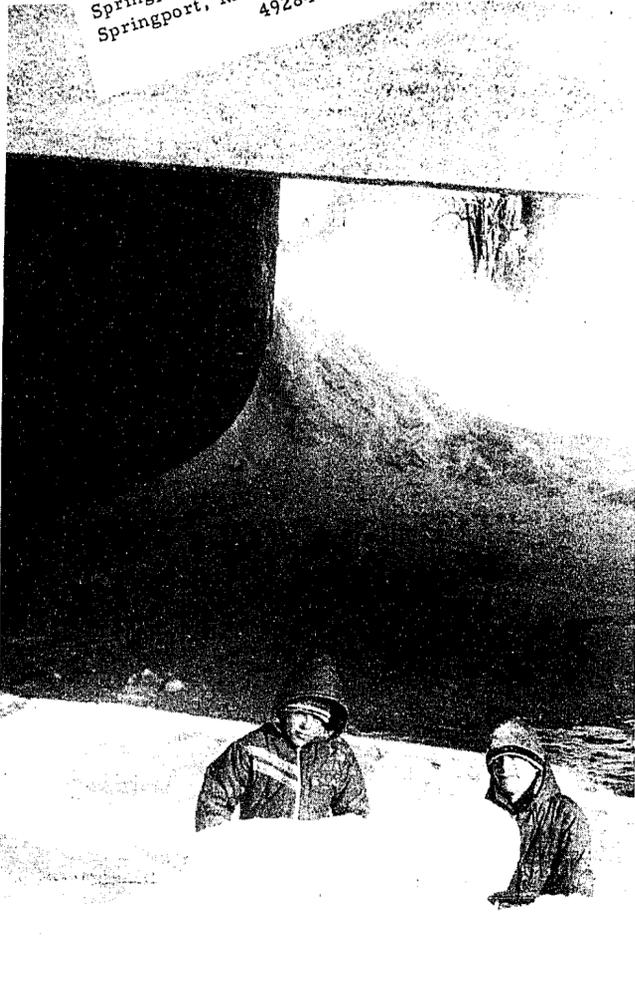
The recurring problem of dogs running loose in the village was also discussed. The village patrolman was instructed to contact the county dog warden who will be asked to help solve the problem.

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Police probe accidents

Two hospitalized as snow, wind snarl area traffic



TOO COLD for you? Not for Greg Thane, 12 (left) and his brother Darryl, 13. The pair spent Monday afternoon building a snow fort on a frozen stream five miles south of Cass City. Despite wind-chill factors that hovered well below zero, the brothers had a ball away from school. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thane of Cass City.

Judge slashes local lawsuit award

Federal District Judge James Harvey has slashed much of \$321,000 in damages awarded to a Cass City woman.

The damage claim had been awarded to Mrs. Barbara Collins of North Dodge Rd., after she successfully sued Retail Credit Co. She claimed the firm had issued a report which said her morals were bad and that she was a heavy drinker.

Harvey reduced the total damages to \$50,000.

Mrs. Collins won her original case last February. She received \$21,700 in actual damages and \$300,000 in punitive damages.

Harvey allowed the \$21,000 in actual damages to stand and awarded Mrs. Collins another \$21,000 in attorney's fees.

Attorney Forrest Walpole, who represented Mrs. Collins, said Harvey acted under an inherent right of remittitur, which allows him to review and reduce damages.

Walpole explained that Mrs. Collins chose to accept the reduced award "under protest". The possibility of an appeal still exists, he said.

The action came on a series of motions by Retail Credit for a mistrial. In a Jan. 12 hearing, Harvey denied all motions except for damages. Under Harvey's order, a new trial would be granted only if all damages over \$50,000 were remitted to Retail Credit.

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Walpole said the award was accepted under protest to preserve the right of an appeal.

"Basically, it's in the hands of Retail Credit now," Walpole told the Chronicle Monday. "Once the judgement is rendered, they have 30 days to appeal. If they appeal, then we could conceivably file a cross-appeal."

Walpole said Mrs. Collins could not appeal the reduction unless Retail Credit first appealed Judge Harvey's decision on their mistrial motions.

Further action would take place in the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals which sits in Cincinnati.

While the action is considered rare, Walpole said it happens frequently in cases where large awards are involved.

Unemployment seen 'holding'

The employment picture in Tuscola county is in a "holding pattern" according to an official of the Michigan Employment Security Commission, with little prospect of a marked upturn until spring.

The county finished 1975 with an unemployment rate of 14.5 per cent, according to John Hicks, MESC Labor Market Analyst. Translated,

"Judge Harvey took the action to review the award on his own motion," Walpole said. "I don't think that's wrong."

Walpole said Harvey was not asked specifically to rule on the dollar amount of the damages.

Mrs. Collins sued the firm in 1972, charging them with false, defamatory and injurious statements. One auto insurance firm reportedly refused to insure Mrs. Collins and she was forced to pay higher rates by another.

Attorneys for Retail Credit sought an appeal of the decision, charging a juror was biased because he had been investigated by the same firm as Mrs. Collins.

Walpole said Monday he does not know whether or not the firm plans to appeal the case further.

OTHER SUNDAY ACCIDENTS

Sunday's blizzard conditions contributed to several other traffic accidents in which drivers escaped serious injury. A car driven by James F. Bauer, 64, of 6321 Dale St., struck the rear of a car driven by Richard Paul Zurlu, 33, of Lapeer. Sheriff's deputies said blowing snow blocked visibility at the time of the accident.

Neither driver was injured and no ticket was issued. The accident took place at 1:00

A rural Cass City woman was reported in fair condition Tuesday at Hills and Dales General Hospital with injuries sustained in a two-car crash Saturday afternoon on Cemetery Road, two miles north of Cass City.

Beth Ann Shagene, 17, of 6760 N. Cemetery Rd., was injured when her southbound car crossed the centerline of the road and struck a northbound car driven by Pamela Kay Stickle, 17, of 4775 N. Seeger St., Cass City.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies who investigated said the road surface was covered with about three inches of snow at the time of the accident.

Miss Stickle was treated for cuts and bruises at Hills and Dales and released.

The accident took place at 4:00 p.m.

Blizzard conditions helped cause a rash of area traffic accidents Sunday, including two chain-reaction crashes on M-81, west of Cass City. The most serious sent a Cass City girl, Laura Louise Gutierrez, 15, to Caro Community Hospital with a sprained ankle and back and multiple abrasions.

According to Sheriff's officers, the accident took place on M-81, seven miles west of Cass City. They reported a car driven by Edward James Doerr, 17, of 6440 Huron St., was westbound and became stuck in heavy snow.

A second car driven by Carol Jean Mosher, 36, of 6669 Main St., Cass City, stopped to assist. A third westbound car driven by Clare Alan Behm, 31, of Pinconning, struck the rear of the Mosher vehicle sending it into the Doerr auto.

Ms. Gutierrez, a passenger in the Mosher vehicle, was taken to Caro Community Hospital for treatment. She was reported in good condition Tuesday.

Mrs. Mosher suffered minor bruises and abrasions as did Behm, his wife, Barbara, 33, and son Darrelle, 4.

Doerr was not injured. The accident took place at 1:23 p.m.

Just an hour earlier, a four-car chain-reaction crash was reported on M-81, two and a half miles west of Cass City.

Cass City Police who investigated said Robert Eldred Schell, 62, of Elmwood Rd., Cass City, had stopped his car in the center of the road to scrape ice from the windows.

Another westbound car driven by Nancy Ann Greenwood, 19, of 5800 River Rd., Cass City, could not see the stopped vehicle and struck it from the rear.

A third car driven by Richard Martin Bodets, 41, of Frankenmuth, then struck the Greenwood vehicle, with a fourth car, driven by Richard Lee Scott, 33, of Caro, striking the rear of the Bodets auto.

None of the drivers was injured. The accident took place at 12:30 p.m.

Two drivers escaped injury when their cars collided near the intersection of M-81 and Schwegler Road, Sunday afternoon.

Sheriff's deputies said an eastbound car driven by Thomas Wayne Stilson, 22, of Bay City-Forestville Rd., Cass City, attempted to pass another eastbound vehicle driven by Oran James Hughes, 52, of 6619 Houghton St., as Hughes was making a left turn.

They said blowing snow temporarily blocked Stilson's vision.

Stilson was cited for improper passing. The accident took place at 12:05 p.m.

Another Sunday accident saw cars driven by Gary Edward Carolan, 34, Lapeer, and Dennis Frederick Abbe, 30, Owendale, collide near the intersection of M-81 and Crane Roads.

Sheriff's deputies said both cars were eastbound when Carolan stopped because he was blinded by blowing snow. The Abbe car struck the Carolan vehicle from the rear.

Both drivers as well as a passenger in the Abbe vehicle, Tim Lenhard, 25, Owendale, escaped injury.

Abbe was cited for failure to yield in the assured clear distance ahead. The accident took place at 1:36 p.m.

TRUCK ACCIDENT

A Dearborn woman's car was damaged Saturday when four logs rolled loose from a passing truck on Kingston Road at Wilmot.

Sheriff's deputies said the car, owned by Charlotte E. Vaughn, was parked on the east side of the road when a truck driven by Ronald Lee Kappen, 25, of 3192 E. Cass City Rd., dropped four logs.

The logs reportedly rolled 90 feet before striking the parked car.

No one was injured and no ticket was issued. The accident took place at 10:30 a.m.

OTHER ACCIDENTS

No one was injured in a two-car crash that took place on Cemetery Road, three miles north of Cass City, Saturday afternoon. Sheriff's deputies reported a car driven by Janet Kay Albrecht, 16, of 7800 Sebawaing Rd., Owendale, was southbound when the driver lost control and slid on the icy road surface.

The car struck a parked vehicle owned by Brian Lee Kelley, 19, of 6655 Third St., Cass City.

Police said Ms. Albrecht was attempting to slow down due to oncoming traffic.

No ticket was issued. The accident took place at 2:40 p.m.

In another Saturday acci-

dent, a truck driven by Joseph John Duhaine, 28, Caro, slid out of control and rolled on its side on Dodge Road, two miles south of Gagetown.

Caro State Police said Duhaine lost control of the truck after he struck a snow drift.

He was cited for having no registration. The accident took place at 4:00 p.m.

Natalie Rabideau, 4793 N. Seeger St., escaped injury Sunday when she was involved in a three-car accident

eight miles southeast of Marquette on U.S. 41.

Miss Rabideau was reportedly blinded by blowing snow at the time of the crash. She and the other two drivers were uninjured.

The accident took place about 11:00 a.m.

Two drivers were uninjured Wednesday morning when their cars collided near the intersection of Main and Seeger Streets in Cass City.

Cass City Police said a westbound car driven by

Charles Francis Auvil, 35, Snover, was struck from behind by a car driven by Kenneth Xavier Wrubel, 37, Minden City.

Police said Auvil had slowed to allow a third vehicle to pull from a Main Street parking place and was struck by the Wrubel vehicle. Wrubel told police he could not stop in time due to slippery pavement.

No ticket was issued. The accident took place at 6:50 a.m.



BETH ANN SHAGENE, 17, Cass City, was reported in fair condition Tuesday after her car collided head-on with a car driven by Pamela Kay Stickle, 17, Cass City, Saturday afternoon on Cemetery Road north of Cass City.

Testimony ends as Nard defense rests

The defense rested its case Tuesday in the trial of 18-year-old Kenneth Nard of Flint, charged with the murders of two Lapeer county youths last May 9.

Defense attorney Richard Banas presented a one-day defense in the five-week long

trial. Final arguments were scheduled to begin Wednesday morning before the case went to the jury.

Nard is charged in the slayings of Mark Mellendorf and Scott Hardy, near Tody Lake.

The prosecution ended its case Friday after presenting a purported video tape confession by Nard, made shortly after he was taken into custody.

As he began his defense of Nard, Banas requested that first degree murder charges be dropped against his client, claiming that premeditation had not been established. Presiding Judge Norman Baguley refused the motion.

Banas then summoned two expert witnesses including a doctor who attempted to show that a type of sweater allegedly used in the hanging of one of the youths could not have caused death.

The trial has lasted longer than any in Tuscola county in recent memory. It was moved from Lapeer to Caro late last year after Judge Baguley

determined an unbiased jury probably could not be seated in Lapeer.

Nard has appeared generally impassive throughout the trial as prosecutor Edward Meth hammered at evidence he claims proves Nard's guilt.

Tuesday's sudden conclusion of testimony surprised some court watchers who believed the trial might continue until the end of the week.

Croft gets post

Clifford Croft, Cass City, was elected president of the Michigan Retail Lumber Dealers Association at its 87th annual convention held in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Over 2,000 lumber dealers and exhibitors attended the convention held at the Civic Center.

Firemen sizzle over false alarm

There was no fire, but Elkland township firefighters are still sizzling.

Firemen were called out in below zero weather Sunday night on a false alarm. An unidentified caller said the Ronald Geiger home at 6645 Garfield St. was on fire.

Geiger told firemen he was only burning out his chimney. The caller apparently saw sparks and thought the house

was burning, Fire Chief Jim Jezewski said.

Jezewski said from now on, anyone reporting a fire must give their name or the trucks won't roll.

"We have no idea who called," he said. "As it stands, we can't bill the run to anyone."

The department charges \$150 an hour for each fire run. Firemen responded to the false alarm at 7:50 p.m.

Marriage Licenses

Joseph Eugene Viney, 33, of Cass City and Janice Marie Hurd, 22, of Cass City.
Lehn Leo King, 20, of Kingston and Marlene P. D'Arcy, 20, of Kingston.
Jeffrey Kent Eastham, 20, of Vassar and Michele Starr Bedell, 18, of Saginaw.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kolb and his mother, Mrs. Lilah Wilhelm, went to Detroit Jan. 17. Mr. Kolb bowled Jan. 18 in Detroit. Mrs. Wilhelm stayed and spent until Jan. 26 with her children in Detroit, Plymouth and Livonia. Jon Wilhelm brought his mother back to Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Whittenburg of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy had supper Friday evening with Theo Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ketchum and Kathryn attended the Michigan Press Association annual convention in East Lansing, Friday and Saturday. While there, they stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McGroarty of East Lansing.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Doerr and son Tony were week-end guests at the Clifford Wright home at Whitmore Lake to attend the silver wedding anniversary party Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holcomb of Ypsilanti. Thirty-eight relatives and friends surprised the Holcombs. Richard Holcomb and Miss Pauline Wright were married in Cass City, Feb. 3, 1951. They have four children, Rick, Lori, Mike and Steve, all of Ypsilanti. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thorp and family and Mrs. Lela Wright of rural Caro.

Mrs. Wilbur Morrison received word Friday of the death of an uncle, Neil Miller, 86, World War I veteran, of Aitkin, Minn. He died in the VA Hospital in Minneapolis, Minn. Funeral services were held Monday.

Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner returned home Monday from Huron Memorial Hospital where she was a surgery patient to have a pin removed from her hip. Her son, Bill Finkbeiner of Pontiac, and sons, Mike and Billy, visited her Sunday.

**Viney-Hurd
vows spoken
Jan. 30**

Married Jan. 30 in Caro were Miss Janice Hurd and Joseph Viney, both of Cass City. Attending the couple in the doubling ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. John Crandell.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hurd and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Patricia Viney of Cass City.

Relatives and friends attended a reception for them Saturday evening at 4956 Little Rd., where they are making their home.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, Feb. 9, at 8 p.m. at the Cultural Center. Hostesses for the meeting are Mrs. Rosella Cherry and Mrs. Elgene Keller.

The meeting of United Methodist Women of Trinity UM church which was to have been held Feb. 2, was postponed because of bad weather. The meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 9, at the church, starting with a noon luncheon. This is the call to prayer and self-denial meeting.

Echo Chapter OES will meet at the Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, Feb. 11. The meeting will start with a potluck supper at six o'clock. Those attending are asked to bring their own table service and a dish to pass. Rolls and coffee will be provided. A committee of men headed by Ed Golding Sr. will be in charge of arrangements for the meal. Assisting will be Keith McConkey, Harold McGrath, Willard Dobbs, Fritz Neitzel, Leo Tracy and George Jetta. At seven o'clock following the meal, there will be pictures shown of the International Temple in Washington, D.C., to be followed by the opening of Chapter and the regular business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shaw, Mark, David and Kevin were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Guinther, Sandy and Mark, Sunday, in honor of the birthday of Mark Shaw and Stan Guinther. Mrs. Lucille Ostrander was an afternoon visitor.

A Truth For Youth rally is scheduled Saturday night at Calvary Baptist church, Midland. Buses will leave the local Baptist church at 5:15. Evangelist Paul Dixon is the scheduled speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Little and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Woodard of Kalkaska and Mrs. Leath Carr of Muir, sister of Howard and Bob Woodard, left this week on a two-week trip to Florida. The Bob Woodards will stay in the Tampa area for the rest of the winter.

Mrs. Carmon Wanner arrived Sunday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Wanner before returning to Florida. Her son and family, the Victor Wanners of Saginaw, brought her to Cass City. Other guests Sunday afternoon at the Tuckey home were cousins of Mrs. Tuckey, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnston of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Johnston and Harry Johnston of Pontiac.

Dr. B. K. Pearce of Coldwater is president of the Michigan Veterinary Association. He has been on the board of directors of the association for 14 years and has served the last five years in the office chairs. He took over the presidency Jan. 1. Dr. Pearce will continue to maintain his practice in Coldwater along with his new duties. There are 975 members in the state, which is divided into 17 districts. Dr. Pearce is active in many organizations, Michigan Veterinary Medical Association, Southwestern Michigan Veterinary Association, Coldwater Rotary Club, Branch County Shrine, 32nd Degree Mason, Moslem Shrine, Chamber of Commerce and the Coldwater Elks. He is a 1940 graduate of Michigan State University. Mrs. Pearce is the former Lorraine Hoffman of Cass City.

The Women's Missionary meeting of the Baptist church, which was to have been held Monday evening, was postponed for one week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown arrived home Friday evening from Florida. Mrs. Brown flew down to spend a month there. Mr. Brown drove down and was there for two weeks. They were at Marco Island with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Eisinger, and eight-month-old daughter, Estee. While in Florida they also saw Mrs. Brown's father, Bert Hendrick.

**Bicentennial
committee
to form**

A meeting of persons interested in setting up a Cass City bicentennial committee is scheduled Monday, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the high school speech room.

A committee is expected to be formed and plans for bicentennial observances will be discussed.

Mrs. Lambert Althaver is scheduled to chair the meeting.

Mrs. Reva Little
Phone 872-3698

Hills and Dales

General Hospital

BIRTHS:

Jan. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers of Pigeon, a boy, Brian Leroy.
Jan. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Peruski of Cass City, a girl, Michelle Lynn.
Jan. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Clare Roller of Deford, a girl, Dawn Raquel.
Jan. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kranz of Bad Axe, a girl.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, FEB. 2, WERE:

Mrs. Richard Church, Phebe Klinkman, Mary Manning and Jennifer Mester of Cass City;
Loren Rich of Sandusky;
Mrs. Charles Pistro Sr. of Gagetown;
Mrs. Cecil Clinesmith of Silverwood;
Jeffery Hutchinson and Herbert Reich of Unionville;
Sp. 4 Charles Reynolds Jr. of Ft. Hood, Texas;
Michael Zyrowski of Kingston;
James Clinesmith and Mrs. Merle Cox of Vassar;
William Fibranz of Pigeon;
Sam Sangster of Decker;
Mrs. Ronald Webb of Caro;
Bun Collins of Deford.

Harold Craig and Tom Craig flew out of Tri-City Monday to spend a week in Biloxi, Miss., golfing.

Gifford Chapter OES of Gagetown will meet one week early this month. The regular monthly meeting will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 10, to give members an opportunity to attend a meeting in Caro, Feb. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. George McKee and children of Lapeer and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Root and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Root. Because of impassable roads, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nemeth of Deford were unable to attend. The gathering was to celebrate the birthdays of Mr. Nemeth and Mrs. McKee.

Kenneth Eisinger of Marco Island, Fla., formerly of Cass City, recently received an award from the Jay-Cees of Naples, Fla., when he was named the outstanding farmer of the year. He grows tomatoes.

**Hampshire
named to
honors list**

The Novesta Church of Christ announces a workers' conference to be held Sunday, Feb. 8, at 2 p.m. at the church. This will involve Sunday school teachers and other officers. Special emphasis will be on the Vacation Bible School. Women of the church are reminded of the prayer breakfast to be held Saturday, Feb. 14, at 7:30 a.m. in the educational unit.

The Book Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Esther McCullough. The book for discussion was "The Money-changers", by Arthur Hailey.

The meeting of United Methodist Women scheduled Monday evening at Salem UM church was rescheduled Monday evening, Feb. 16.

Clarence Richter of Kingston visited Mr. and Mrs. William Patch, Saturday.

**Meals on
Wheels needs
drivers**

Meals on Wheels has the money—now it needs drivers. That's the word from Paul Protzman of the Human Development Commission. Protzman said this week more volunteer drivers are needed in the Cass City area to help distribute the meals. Meals are provided for persons who are unable to prepare their own food. Persons interested in volunteering should call Sandi Bergman at 872-2256.

UNIQUE
An efficiency expert walks in his sleep so he can get his rest and exercise at the same time.

**NOTICE OF
PRIMARY ELECTION**

VILLAGE OF GAGETOWN
County of Tuscola, Michigan

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF
THE VILLAGE OF GAGETOWN:

Take Notice That The
PRIMARY ELECTION

will be held in the village of Gagetown,
County of Tuscola, Michigan, on

MONDAY, FEB. 16, 1976

between the hours of 7:00 o'clock a.m.
and 8:00 o'clock p.m.

Madeline Sontag
Village Clerk

**NOTICE
OF
LAST DAY TO
REGISTER
FOR
GAGETOWN
VILLAGE ELECTION
IS
MONDAY, FEB. 9, 1976
ELECTION TO BE HELD
MONDAY, MAR. 8, 1976**

Registrations will be accepted at the
VILLAGE HALL, GAGETOWN

Madeline Sontag
VILLAGE CLERK

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
TUSCOLA COUNTY INTERMEDIATE
SCHOOL DISTRICT -- STATE OF MICHIGAN**

TO: Qualified Electors
Cass City Public Schools, School District

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to Sections 308B and 316 of the School Code of 1955, as amended, the Board of Education of the Tuscola County Intermediate School District has directed that a special election shall be held in the Cass City Public School District and in all of the constituent school districts of said Intermediate School District and that, pursuant thereto, the Board of Education of the Cass City Public School District has called a special election to be held in said School District on Tuesday, February 10, 1976.

Polls of election will open on Tuesday, February 10, 1976, at 7:00 o'clock a.m. and will remain open continuously until 8:00 o'clock p.m. on said date at the following voting places within the Cass City Public School District: Cass City High School, 4868 North Seeger Street, Cass City, Michigan 48726.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that at said election the following proposal will be submitted to a vote of the school electors:

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT HANDICAPPED CHILDREN MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall the 1 mill limitation on the annual property tax heretofore approved by the school electors of the Tuscola County Intermediate School District, State of Michigan, for the education of handicapped children, be increased by 6/10ths of 1 mill?

YES NO

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, at said special school district election, all persons voting must be qualified school electors of their respective school district and duly registered.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of the above named school district.

Lynn Albee, Secretary

DATED: JANUARY 19, 1976

The Cass City Public Schools School District

ENGAGED



MAXINE SOSNOSKI

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sosnoski of Kinde announce the engagement of their daughter, Maxine, to John Fox, son of Mrs. Catherine Fox and the late Milton Fox of Snover.

Miss Sosnoski is a 1974 graduate of North Huron High School. Mr. Fox is a Cass City High School graduate and is presently self-employed.

An April wedding is planned.

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CASS CITY
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MONDAY, FEB. 9, 1976
ELECTION TO BE HELD
MONDAY, MAR. 8, 1976
AT
MUNICIPAL BUILDING
CASS CITY**

Office will be open to 8 p.m. on Final Day for Registration.

Karen Osentoski Deputy Village Clerk

Sweetheart BALL

VALENTINE'S DAY

SATURDAY FEB. 14
7 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

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- Sandusky - Quaker Maid Dairy Store
- Caro - Hedley Equipment
- Gagetown - Bill's Foodland
- Sandusky - Kritzman's
- Colony House

or any Cass City Lions Club member



"If It Fitz . . ." Bible can prove anything

BY JIM FITZGERALD

Jesus Christ! That's how I began a column a few weeks ago. It was a gimmick to catch the attention of the many Christians who ordinarily wouldn't read this nonsense unless they were in a strange town, wearing a plain brown wrapper. My intention was to mildly rebuke those Christians who can't see over their Bibles and who would slam heaven's gates on everyone who has not seen the light of the Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting. I had been turned off by a mid-western city which ran a Hindu sect out of town

simply because it wasn't Christian. This didn't sound like Jesus Christ to me. I expected some adverse response to that column, but this is ridiculous. I am up to my fanny in Bible quotations and religious pamphlets. I have been accused of being everything from a Jew to a Jehovah's Witness to a Communist spy. And I have been told I am so dumb I "do not know Catholics and Protestants are not Christians." Huh? The letter-writers who amaze me are those who can go on for 12 pages, single-

spaced, and not write one sentence that makes sense. They are quoting the Bible. I can tell because every few paragraphs they switch to capital letters and write something like: HEBREWS 9:39, Verse 25. Very impressive. I studied the Bible for 2 semesters at Mich. State University. This was a literature course, not Religion, which is probably where I went wrong. Also, it was an easy course — there were 3 football players in it. So I certainly don't claim to be a Bible scholar. Let's just say I read the book, many years ago, and enjoyed it. It was a hell of a lot better than the movie.

But the Bible didn't change my life. It didn't save me. And it didn't make me think any more highly of such living legends as Oral Roberts (he was preaching on the Mike Douglas TV show the other day and I thought he was reading my mail). I think a man who has never read the Bible, or never been inside a church, can be "saved," whatever that might mean to him or to you. And I think some of the great Bible-thumping church-goers can be "lost," and good riddance to bad rubbish, as the neighborhood kids used to chant.

The important criteria is how a man lives his life and how he treats EVERYONE he bumps into on his way to church — or on his way to the bowling alley. It's just the old-fashioned Golden Rule. If a man lives by it and also goes to church, he's got all bets covered and I'm all for him. Some of the nicest people I know go to church and then come home and tell me what I missed. God bless them.

But to each his own. The good man who doesn't go for organized religion, who shrugs off the Bible, is still a good man. Yes, even if he's an atheist. And if he's broad-minded enough not to bug the Bible fans, they should return the courtesy.

Most people who sent me bushels of quotes from the Bible usually added: "You probably won't read this." Right. I've already read it all and it's no use.

Skillful people can use Bible quotes to prove most anything, and they've done it to me many times. Usually they "prove" it's sinful for whites to mix with blacks, or to dance, or to see a movie, or enjoy sex. And so on.

My answer is always the same. If the Bible really says such dumb things, the Bible is wrong. No big deal. A lot of books are wrong. The Bible is printed in ink, not carved in a cloud.

Organized religion, going by the book, can accomplish marvelous things. It can also help put Lebanon and Ireland on the 6 o'clock news, soaked in blood.

Jesus Christ!



NOT JUST ANOTHER WINTER SCENE - these trees leading to the home of Mrs. Neil Marshall of rural Gagetown have a special significance. They were planted by family members 100 years ago as part of a centennial observance. Now, after 100 years, a few have died and the scarred stumps are interspersed among the stately trees.

Two accidents in two days - enough is enough

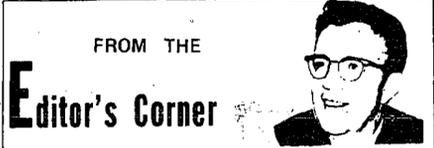
Last week just wasn't Dana Lee Truemmer's week. Truemmer, 19, of 7791 E. Bay City-Forestville Rd., was involved in two separate traffic accidents. The first accident took place Saturday morning when Truemmer's parked car was

struck by a car driven by Henry Homer Sherman, 46, of 3988 Lamton Rd., Deford. Cass City Police said Sherman was eastbound and struck Truemmer's car on Main Street just east of Doerr Rd. Sherman was not injured but was ticketed for a viola-

tion of his license restriction, failure to stop at the scene of the accident and was also charged with being drunk and disorderly.

The accident took place at 11:25 a.m. But Truemmer's troubles weren't over. Sunday morning, a car he was driving struck the rear of a car driven by James Albert Livingston, 35, of Clarkston on M-25 at Ringle Road.

Caro State Police said blowing snow contributed to the accident. Both drivers escaped injury. The accident took place at 11:30 a.m.



FROM THE Editor's Corner

You've never asked, but I'm going to tell you anyway. Here are the answers to the questions that have been swirling around town as seen from this corner of the Main stem.

QUESTION - What's the latest about the topless dancing in Gagetown?

ANSWER - Well, for one thing business is booming, I understand. One of the days when the girls were a go-going the crowd was so large potential customers were being turned away at the door.

Biggest threat to the operation is the protest by citizens. Ten persons who attended Gagetown's Monday council

meeting presented petitions protesting the dancing. If the bar gets by this hurdle it looks like smooth sailing.

My guess is that it'll last longer than a couple of months . . . and if it does you'll find others opening in the Thumb.

QUESTION - Well, the topless business appears to be good . . . how about business in general.

ANSWER - That's good, too, although they aren't turning any customers away at the door. Right here in Cass City you can look for two new businesses yet this spring and two almost-certain projects may start very soon. The almost-certain businesses just have to represent investment in the quarter to half million dollar range.

QUESTION - The vote for \$6 of a mill for the Tuscola Intermediate district for special education is coming up again Tuesday. Any new thoughts about it?

ANSWER - Nothing really new. When this issue was placed before you the last time I conceded the need. I still do.

Maybe because the vote was close the Intermediate School Board submitted the same proposition again. If it passes, the board's action will be vindicated.

If not, perhaps the board can then take a second look at the proposition and ask for a specific number of years to pay for building a new building for the handicapped instead of a levy with no end.

It's one man's opinion that this would pass. It's certain that it would receive the endorsement from this corner and I suspect from the Cass City School Board as well. And that's something that the present proposal does not have.

QUESTION - What about the snow plowing in Tuscola county?

ANSWER - Don't ask me. Like you I know that Huron county roads are better maintained than those in Tuscola county. It's not hard to discover when you traveled north on Cemetery Road where snow had reduced passageway to one lane in spots and cross the county line and find the road clear and the snow pushed back on the shoulders.

One thing . . . they are treating everyone the same . . . nobody's roads are getting quick plowing.



Rabbit tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Randy Howard, administrator at Hills and Dales General Hospital, is bemoaning the lack of community interest in the facility. He outlines the problems of government red tape, limits on charges and a 44 per cent occupancy rate that if not improved could send the hospital into the red in 1976.

Without more community interest, he says, many facilities in small communities in the Thumb will be closing their doors in the next three years.

No, it's not money he wants. He suggests a more active interest in the Hospital Auxiliary and in the business of the hospital as two ways the community can come to grips with the problems.

We need young persons on the board of trustees, he claims, and more persons aware of what's going on.

The hospital records and the hospital are open for inspection at any time, Howard explained.

This is ancient history now but way back last fall remember when the sports world in the nation was agog with Hudson's 72-game football win streak?

That didn't do much for me, but just this week I read something that did. It was the Hudson coach, Tom Saylor, talking at a clinic about the game with Ishpeming that broke the streak. After the loss the kids did NOT throw helmets down, did NOT blame the officials, did NOT blame the coaches, did NOT blame the parents or the girlfriends. They merely stood in the middle of the field and shook hands.

Cass City and the Thumb B could well take note of CLASS like that.

You know that school has been snowed out too long. In the last week I've had three teachers tell me that they were ready, even anxious, to get back to school.

I won't even mention the parents most of whom were ready, ready, ready after the first day at home with the kids.

The fickle finger of fate. I didn't have my new car two weeks before someone backed into the trunk leaving a dishpan sized dent and no other visible traces of "who done it".

Everyone I talked with was quick to offer his suggestions about me and my car.

I won't tell you what they told me except to say, like Rodney Dangerfield, I just don't get no respect.

Supt. Donald Crouse is on vacation this week. If the long range weather forecast is correct it just might be that the week he missed there wasn't any school anyway.

Crouse constantly checks the weather to see if school should be cancelled. He has a well earned reputation for running school whenever there's the slightest possibility of doing so.

Accordingly, a neighbor told me, Sunday night he went out to check the roads . . . and didn't take long to decide to cancel school for Monday.

He became stuck in his driveway.

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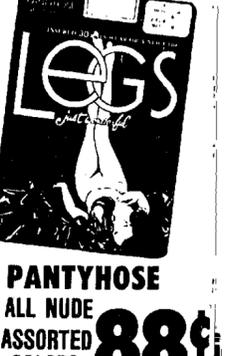
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KETCHUM'S KNAPSACK

A war to end wars

By Jim Ketchum



I had a nightmare the other night. I dreamed my grandson got drafted and had to fight in Upper Slobovia. Surely you've heard of Upper Slobovia. It's just above Lower Slobovia.

My grandson was drafted to fight in a war against communist-backed elements that threatened to force their brand of tyranny on that besieged land. The fact that my grandson had never heard of Upper Slobovia had nothing to do with it.

The Upper Slobovia war was nothing new. After all there had been Korea, Vietnam, Angola and God knows how many other senseless carnages in my lifetime. Why not take a shot at the Upper Slobovians?

The communists felt it was

the right time to start trouble in Upper Slobovia. After all, with a reactionary government in Lower Slobovia, why not start a war of national liberation?

Well, they didn't really start it. They were supplying advisors and material to the Movement of Popular Slob (MOPS). They were fighting the pro-western United Slob Alliance (USA).

Our secretary of state, grandson of Henry Kissinger, told us our assistance was vital. "We have to help dem," he said, "after all, they've got the same initials we've got."

This, plus the fact that our national security depended on a pro-western Slob government, forced us into the thick of things.

By that time, the lessons of Vietnam had been forgotten. In fact the administration forgot them even before the dust settled on the last helicopter pad in Saigon taking out the last American. We have short memories that way.

Anyhow, following another debacle in Angola, the pentagon decided what this country needed was a military adventure. They carved Richard Nixon's immortal words into stone: "What, this country needs is a war to bring it together."

So Upper Slobovia became the target. Thanks to Russian aid given to one side, we took the other side under our wing. Ideology really had very little to do with it.

As my nightmare droned on, protests against the Upper Slobovian war grew louder on the home front. The ancient custom of draft-card burning was revived. These kids were smarter. They didn't burn their credit cards.

The Upper Slobovian war went on in spite of the protest. It went on until there weren't any more of those ungrateful Upper Slobovians left to kill.

Seeking to widen the war, the Pentagon had two choices. Either go after the Russians directly or start a fracas with Lower Slobovia. Since detente prevented us from dropping anything more deadly than airplane sewage on Russia, we chose Lower Slobovians.

What we didn't remember was that we'd given Lower Slobovia the bomb a few years before.

My nightmare ended before the inevitable. By the way, what's new in Angola? I wonder if they ever heard of Upper Slobovia?

Set story hours at library

A children's story hour will be held each day school is cancelled due to snow at Rawson Memorial Library, librarian Mrs. Barbara Hutchinson announced this week.

The story hours will begin at 2:00 p.m.

Enthusiasm and application are the driving forces behind every successful individual.



GOING OVER fact sheets for the upcoming Tuscola Intermediate District millage vote are (from the left), Mrs. Ellen Toner, Mrs. Joyce Lane and Mrs. Gene Otulakowski. The three are campaigning for passage of the .6 mills.

Local group pushes for .6 mill approval

Tuscola Intermediate School District voters will get a second chance to decide the fate of a .6 mill levy for operations in a special election set next Tuesday, Feb. 10. The identical issue lost by 39 votes last August.

The tax, which would raise an estimated \$190,000 during its first year, would fund construction of a building to replace the present Darbee School and would provide special education rooms in the nine school districts in the county.

The proposal lost in several school districts last August, including Cass City. Supporters of the levy claim the Cass City Board of Education's failure to adopt a resolution endorsing the election at that time contributed to its defeat.

Interest in the election is high among parents of children enrolled in special education courses. One mother, Mrs. Ellen Toner of 4117 Doerr Rd., is actively campaigning for approval of the millage.

Mrs. Toner serves as the Cass City Board's liaison with the Intermediate District's special education committee.

"I personally believe there was a lot of misinformation surrounding the vote last August," Mrs. Toner says. "One of the reasons I'm involved in this is because I've been there. I know what special education is."

Mrs. Toner is the mother of a 14-year-old son classed as being autistic. He has been enrolled in the county's special education program and is presently a student in a room for emotionally impaired youngsters at Akron-Fairgrove.

"At one point, we were told to simply have him put away--that there was no help for him," she said. "We couldn't accept that. We felt there had to be help for him."

The struggle to find help wasn't always easy, she said. It took years of work and searching before state man-

datory special education became a reality.

Enrolling in special education has made the difference, Mrs. Toner maintains. "I want to help other people avoid the problems we went through."

Mrs. Toner has served as the Cass City board's representative for about a year and a half. She has spoken to at least one civic group in an attempt to drum up support for next week's vote.

CHARTER MILLAGE

One factor that led to the proposal's defeat last time was the fact that it is a charter millage. Once approved, it can be repealed only by another vote of the people.

Intermediate Supt. William Scott said the district chose the charter millage route because both construction and operation can be funded by it. A bond issue would restrict spending to construction only.

Mrs. Toner says this objection is really not the issue and that providing good special education is. "On \$15,000 state equalized valuation, it would increase the tax bill by \$9.00 a year," she maintains. "We waste more than that in a week."

School officials say that over a five year period, a total of eight additional special education classrooms would be constructed in local school districts.

Presently the district levies one mill for special education, Scott says. Most Intermediate districts levy an average of two mills, so 1.6 isn't that far out of line, he says.

By law, all Intermediate districts must provide special education for physically and

mentally handicapped students. The present Darbee School is rented by the district and has three classrooms, one of which is up a flight of stairs and can't be used by physically handicapped students.

The basement serves as a fourth classroom and four more portable classrooms are also in use at the site. About 100 students are presently enrolled at Darbee.

School district officials say that 2,274 students in the county receive some type of special education service.

Mrs. Toner believes much opposition to the levy comes from persons who don't understand what special education is. "Once you've seen what goes on and how these students are helped, you appreciate it a little more."

She plans to continue her campaign for passage through election day. She believes the proposal stands a better chance of approval now than it did last August.

Both Mrs. Toner and Scott say the issue was misrepresented to an extent by county newspapers. Scott maintains confusion arose between the Darbee program and the state-funded special education program run at the Caro Regional Center.

He emphasized no local monies would be diverted for the CRC program.

Mrs. Toner sees the vote as a chance to help special education reach more children.

"We have an obligation to provide an education for these kids," she says. "We can't ignore or shun them."

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**AAUW meets
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Members of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) met Tuesday evening, Jan. 27, at the home of Mary Brown. The program included a presentation by Dee Stamats of Help Line. Also the book group gave a review of "Some Are Born Great", by Adela Rogers St. John. Esther McCullough and Helen Baker were named co-chairpersons of AAUW's bicentennial committee. Co-hostess for the meeting was Mary Albee.

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Van Dale	7
Nemeth	5
Root Ins.	5
Smith Bld.	2
Woods Hay	1 1/2

High Team Series: Smith 1591, Nemeth 1476.

High Team Games: Smith 543-532, Nemeth 520.
High Individual Series: D. Allen 541, Dale Smith 536, L. Smith 528, C.R. Smith 527, J. Smith 512, D. Doerr 502.
High Individual Games: C.R. Smith 222, L. Smith 203-181, Dale Smith 198-188, G. Deering 196, O. Pierce 190, J. Smith 191-183, G. Gwisdalla 184-178, D. Allen 183-179-179, D. Doerr 182, G. Mathewson 181.

Asher 511, J. Wolak 500.
High Men's Games: Jim Brown 210, C. Mellendorf 197, N. Benitez 181.
High Women's Series: C. Davidson 524, M. Schwartz 509, V. Wolak 465, G. Zawilinski 445, V. Bilicki 445, J. Asher 436, P. Schwartz 421, Judy Brown 402, R. Mellendorf 400.

High Women's Games: C. Davidson 202-183, V. Bilicki 175, M. Schwartz 172-170-167, G. Zawilinski 170, P. Schwartz 169, V. Wolak 166-155, Judy Brown 161, J. Asher 156, R. Mellendorf 150.

**KINGS & QUEENS
Jan. 27, 1976**

M-D's	15 1/2
Brand X	14
Egg Heads	13
Full Moons	11
Rebels	10
Ma's Gang	8 1/2
Lucky Strikes	7
Greenhorns	1

High Team Series: M-D's 1944, Brand X 1882, Ma's Gang 1872, Egg Heads 1824.
High Team Games: M-D's 685-638-621, Brand X 669-655, Ma's Gang 656-638, Egg Heads 625-609, Rebels 602.
High Men's Series: C. Mellendorf 539, Jim Brown 512, A.

**LADIES CITY LEAGUE
Jan. 27, 1976**

WKYO	14
Sandy's Beauties	13
Gambles	12 1/2
Cablettes	7
Deering Packing	6
Woods Research	5
Copeland & Gornowicz	3 1/2
Johnson's Plumberettes	3

High Team Series: WKYO

2202, Sandy's Beauties 2199, Woods Research 2164.
High Team Games: WKYO 790, Sandy's Beauties 743, Woods Research, Deering Packing 741.

High Individual Series: C. Furness 504, R. Batts 500, J. Deering 500, S. Cummins 497, P. Johnson 470, M. LaPeer 467, N. Maharg 466, J. Lapp 453, J. O'Dell 450.

High Individual Games: C. Furness 190-161, S. Mounts 193, J. Deering 187-159-154, P. Johnson 187-166, R. Batts 186-161-153, N. Maharg 182-165, S. Cummins 178-169-150, I. Schwartz 171, B. Massingale 171, J. Lapp 169, J. O'Dell 168, J. LaRoche 168, G. Root 167-156, M. LaPeer 166-162, H. Peters 162, M. Guild 161-160, L. Selby 159, Pat McIntosh (sub) 158, P. Brinkman 157-152, C. Mellendorf 155, R. Speirs 154, S. Stoll 151.

Splits Converted: C. Davidson 5-10, 4-5-7, I. Schwartz 5-6-10, S. Cummins 5-7, 3-10, P. Johnson 2-5-7, 5-10, L. Bryant 3-6-10-7, 4-5-7, J. Ardler 5-7, K. Root (sub) 3-6-10-7, J. Lapp 4-5-7, J. LaRoche, S. Stoll 3-10, R. Batts 3-6-10-4-7, J. O'Dell 5-8-10.

**MERCHANTS "A" LEAGUE
Jan. 28, 1976**

Erla's Food Center	31
Miracle-Allen	30
Croft-Clara Lumber	25
Fuelgas	21
New England Life	18
J.P. Burroughs	16
Cass City Oil & Gas	14
Kritzman's	13

**MERCHANTS "B" LEAGUE
Jan. 28, 1976**

Winter's Truck Sales	32
Village Service Center	27
Deford Roofing	24
Clare's Sunoco Service	22
Croft-Clara Lumber	19
Walbro	16
Rabideau Motor Sales	14
Schneberger TV	14

High Team Series: C.C. Lanes

2279, Albee's 2157, Walbro 2133, Kritzman's 2015.
High Team Games: Walbro 785, C.C. Lanes 769-764-746, Albee's 743-711-703, Cole Carbine 730, Kritzman's 706.
High Individual Series: N. Wallace 518, P. Allen 513, I. Schweikart 508, G. Kelley 482, P. Little 470, J. Morell 469.

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New titles added at library

New novels received recently at Rawson Memorial Library are "The Assassins" by Joyce Carol Oates, "New Girl in Town" by Faith Baldwin, "The Will of Magda Townsend" by Margaret

Banning and "The House on the Left Bank" by Velda Johnston.
New non-fiction includes "The Russians" by Hendrick Smith, "The New Yorker Album of Drawings, 1925-1975", "Back Roads and Wild Roses" by Leona Ames Hill, and "The Greatest: My Own Story" by Muhammad Ali.

**Reschedule
'New Freedom'
concert**

The scheduled performance by the musical group "New Freedom", was postponed Sunday due to weather conditions. The concert has been rescheduled for Sunday, Feb. 8, at 3:00 p.m. at Salem United Methodist church. A free will offering will be taken at the scheduled hour-long concert.

Other new titles are "Living With Your Colitis and Hemorrhoids and Related Disorders", "Small Gas Engines: How to Repair and Maintain Them", "Preparation for Childbirth; a Lamaze Guide", and "Marriage and the Memo Method".

Three new craft books for young people are "Patchwork", "Decoupage Crafts" and "How to Make Something Out of Practically Nothing". There are a number of new books for young people including several new "Alfred Hitchcock and the Three Investigators" books.

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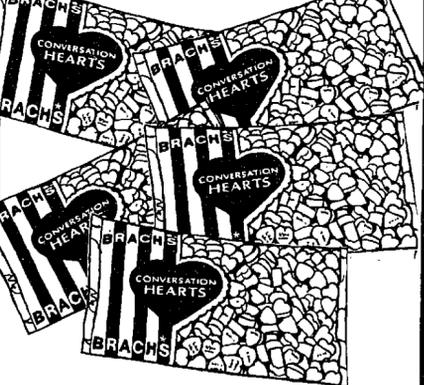
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Dog project helps youth
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Stec completes Wittenberg course

Michael Stec of 4183 Maple, Cass City, inspection foreman, Walbro Corporation, completed the Unit II course Friday, Jan. 23, in Wittenberg University's Management Development Program.
The courses concentrate in four areas-behavioral studies and motivation, communications and leadership, management functions and methods, and economics and personnel relations.

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The project consists of placing approximately 15 miles of aerial and buried cable to provide necessary facilities for future customers as well as meet the growing demands for private line service in the Cass City exchange.

Buried cable is being used when possible because it is less susceptible to damage by natural elements such as rain, wind and lightning, in addition to restoring the natural beauty of the environment.

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Shabbona Area News

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EXTENSION
The Shabbona Extension Group met Monday evening, Jan. 26, with Mrs. Jim McIntosh.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. William Jones, president. The Women's Creed was repeated in unison, followed by a moment of silent prayer. Roll call was answered by 11 members. A short business meeting was conducted, including a report by Mrs. Arlie Gray on the last council meeting. She announced the yeast bread baking will be March 16, at 7:30 p.m. Women's rights pertaining to law will be discussed Feb. 11. Plans were made to have a rubbermaid party at the April meeting.

Mrs. Lois Pringle and Mrs. Alvin Meredith were guests. Mrs. Pringle showed a film on breast cancer and spoke in regard to the work of the cancer society in Sanilac County.

The Feb. 23 meeting will be with Mrs. Lloyd Bader. Lesson will be "Estate Planning", by Mrs. Jones. A lunch was served by the hostess.

METHODIST WOMEN
The United Methodist Women of Shabbona met Feb. 11 with Mrs. Robert Bader. The lesson will be given by Mrs. Arlie Gray.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT
The RLDS Women's Department of Shabbona met Thursday, Jan. 29, for a noon luncheon. After lunch, Mrs. Don Smith, women's leader, called the meeting to order.

A short installation of officers was held with Mrs. Don Smith in charge. The scripture reading was given by Mrs. George Krause, with prayers by Mrs. Maude Holcomb and Mrs. Dean Smith. The lesson was cancelled due to the weather condition. A short business meeting was held. The committee in charge of the bake sales was announced.

The Feb. 19 meeting will be held with Mrs. Robert Sawdon and Mrs. Jim Doerr as co-hostesses. The theme "The Gift of God - a Covenant". Roll call: Tell about a blessing in disguise.

Barbara and Sue Ann Regnerus of Mt. Clemens are staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Springstead, and are attending school in Cass City.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith attended the Milk Producers' dinner in Marlette, Saturday.

Deford Craft Club to meet
The Deford Craft Club will meet Monday, Feb. 9, at 8:00 p.m. at the Deford Town Hall. Members are asked to bring straight pins, scissors, and scraps of material. Projects for the evening are curtain rings, pictures and satin roses.

Hostesses for the evening are Mrs. Ralph Zinnecker and Mrs. James Merchant.

Election of officers was held at the January meeting. New officers are Charlene Krueger, president; Violet Patera, vice-president; Sally Wood, secretary; Judy Gyomory, treasurer, and sunshine girl, Marie Doyen.

church held their family night
Saturday evening. They held a sleigh ride, drawn by a team of horses owned by Robert Burns.

Following a dinner, games and group singing were held.

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Ivan Springstead of Novi spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Springstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wehner and sons were Friday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dorman of Caro were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Brian Lashbrook of Sandusky came Friday to spend a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Don Krause.

Mrs. Carl Gibbard of Cumber was a Wednesday lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

Milton Phillips of St. Clair Shores spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Earl Springstead.

4-H

The Evergreen Guys and Gals 4-H Club will have a box social Feb. 9 at the Evergreen School.

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The Hilltoppers will meet Friday evening, Feb. 6, at the home of Marie Meredith for a 7 o'clock supper. Lillian Dunlap is in charge of devotions and Mrs. Curtis Cleland is in charge of recreation.

Feury to train in Colorado
Airman Richard Feury, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Feury of 2224 Pierce, Uby, has been selected for technical training in the U.S. Air Force supply field at Lowry AFB, Colo.

FAMILY NIGHT
The Shabbona Methodist

Your neighbor says

Americans are many things

The bicentennial year gives us a chance to reflect on who we are and what we as a nation seek from life. What is an American?

William Ouimette of 6552 Main St., Cass City, sees Americans as many different things.

"We're a mixture of all nations," he says. "We really aren't one thing that you can put your finger on. For instance, my great-great grandfather came from France and married an English girl. It's really hard to define."

Ouimette sees basic traits in Americans, however.

"I think Americans like to work," he says. "They love their country and they like to feel they're being treated fair and not getting the short end of the stick."

Ouimette believes that so far, the bicentennial celebration has been too commercialized.

"Instead of thinking about buying Spirit of '76 cars or things that are red, white and blue, I think we should take time to reflect a little bit more on what our forefathers did for us," he says. "Because they went through a lot tougher times than we have."

Ouimette has lived in Cass City the past year. He is a student at Central Michigan University. His wife is a teacher at Campbell Elementary School in Cass City.



State seeks farm market update
The Michigan Department of Agriculture is updating its listing of pick-your-own farms and farm markets for 1976 publication.

Growers who wish to be listed are asked to send information by Feb. 10, to the Information Division, Michigan Department of Agriculture, Lewis Cass Building, Lansing 48913.

Information should include: name of farm or market, name of farm owner, mailing address, directions to farm or market, products available, dates open, whether operation is pick-your-own or farm market, telephone number.

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DAV sets Feb. 11 meeting
The Disabled American Veterans and Auxiliary, Chapter No. 50, will hold a regular meeting in the basement of the jail in Caro, Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 8 p.m. All disabled American Veterans and wives are invited.

This is the only chapter in Tuscola county. A luncheon will be served after the meeting.

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The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., where he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

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Set open reading meet Feb. 10

Title I Parent Advisory Council and the elementary teachers of Cass City Schools will hold an open meeting for all interested persons on reading in the elementary grades Tuesday, Feb. 10, at 7:15 p.m. at Campbell Elementary gym.

The basic reading program, Title I Support Program, and the testing program will be discussed.

Refreshments will be served.

One of the ways to achieve success is to remember not to believe everything you hear.

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Table production a labor of love for McFarlands

Take a few slabs of stone, some liquid resin and a couple days' work and what have you got? If you're Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McFarland of rural Cass City, you've got a multi-colored original design coffee table.

The McFarlands are recent converts to the art of rock-hounding. They combined their new hobby with skill and patience to produce a kaleidoscope of free-form design and color in each table.

So far, the couple have produced a half-dozen tables,

each one unique in color and design. If you ask them, they'll tell you there really isn't that much trouble making a table.

"Nothing's really a chore about it," Mrs. McFarland said as she ran her fingertips across the top of their latest table. "It's really a lot of fun. If there is anything that's hard, it's cutting the stones."

Each table contains from 25-30 different types of stone of varying shapes and sizes. Each slab is cut 3/16ths of an inch thick and placed in an

oval pattern. "Sometimes I'll arrange a pattern and then when my husband gets home from work, he'll re-arrange it once or twice until it's just right," Mrs. McFarland said. "There's so much you can do with each design that it's hard sometimes to make up your mind."

Once a design is set, her husband mixes up a batch of resin and begins pouring the table top. The table's form is taped to a piece of 1/4-inch plate glass.

McFarland then makes the first "pour". It takes about 12 hours for the material to harden, he said.

Then comes the arrangement of stones, followed by two more layers of resin. Just before the final pour, McFarland installs a 3/4-inch piece of plywood to which the table's legs will later be attached.

Once the final pour is made, table legs are added and the job is complete. The couple can make one table over a 48-hour period.

McFarland agrees cutting the stones is the hardest part. If cut properly, the slabs do not need further polishing. "The resin brings out the

colors in the stones," he says. It takes about two gallons of resin for each table. He purchases the material in Detroit at a cost of about \$8.00 per gallon.

The technique isn't that hard to master, he says. It just takes a little time and practice. And even if you fail, you learn something you can apply to the next one, he says.

A finished table sells for about \$125, McFarland says. That may sound expensive, but when you consider the time invested, it really isn't that much.

"It takes at least 20 minutes to cut each stone slab," he says. When you add up the 25-30 samples in each table, it

all adds up. "We don't expect to make a lot of money on these tables," he says. "We'd like to get into it so we could have some kind of a retirement income. We'll probably take these particular tables with us when we go to Arizona in a few weeks. We plan to either sell or trade them."

The couple also plans to do a little "rock-hounding" on their trip.

They became rock enthusiasts a little over a year ago while on vacation. Since that time, McFarland has purchased a saw, grinders, buffers and polishers and set up shop on a sunporch just off their Rescue Road home.

He's also purchased the stock of a friend who owned a rock shop in Bay City.

The couple recently joined the Cass River Gem and Mineral Society in Caro. They also began operating a small rock shop on another enclosed porch of their home late last year.

They both agree that when the rock bug bites, it's for keeps.

"We enjoy the accomplishment of doing different things with the rocks," Mrs. McFarland said. "We're anxious to see the results we get."

They've also rigged up a display in their living room of fluorescent rocks—stones that glow in the dark. Under either long or short wave light, the stones radiate a myriad of colors, each one unique.

While they love all facets of rock collecting, they particularly enjoy making coffee tables. And as long as the supply of resin and rocks holds out, chances are good the McFarlands will continue turning out works of art.



BEFORE YOU can build a table, you need rock slabs. Melvin McFarland displays three samples which are destined to become parts of another table.



THE MELVIN MCFARLANDS pose with three of the patterned coffee tables they have created. Each table takes a minimum of two days to complete excluding the time it takes to cut each stone slab. Between 25 and 30 different types of rock are featured in each table top.



MAKING TABLES with rocks is fun, Mrs. Dorothy McFarland says. She proudly displays one of her creations.

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Break-in suspect calls police

Sandusky State Police got a bonus last week when they arrested a Vassar man who reportedly turned himself in after allegedly breaking and entering a service station in Argyle early Wednesday morning, Jan. 28.

Troopers said Casper George Doerr summoned troopers to the service station after allegedly breaking a window pane in the front door and entering the building. Police claim they found several items in Doerr's possession that came from inside the building.

The service station is owned by Eugene Krume-naker of Argyle. Police said late last week they did not know why the suspect called them.

Doerr was arraigned Thursday in Sanilac County District Court before Judge Eugene Deegan and demanded a preliminary exami-

nation set for Feb. 9. He was remanded to the county jail in lieu of \$2,500 bond.

THEFT

Five gallons of gasoline were reported stolen from two tractors owned by Walter Karjewski of Warren and located six miles northwest of Kingston, last week.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies said a barn in which the tractors were housed was entered when thieves broke off a padlock on a set of double doors.

Assorted hand tools were also reported missing. Police have no suspects.

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The CHRIST'S AMBASSADORS quartet from Cass City, and the ENVOYS from Charlotte, North Carolina, will present a concert of gospel and sacred songs at the Colwood United Brethren Church on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 7:30 p.m.

The personnel for the ENVOYS were carefully selected to create the unique blend, close harmony and exciting arrangements for which they are so well known. Phil Felton comes from Wisconsin, Mike Reath, Steve Bowden and Val Cripps from Michigan, and Les Green from New York.

The ENVOYS travel nearly 100,000 miles a year presenting concerts throughout the United States and Canada. They appear in high schools, colleges, churches, fairs, and have shared the concert stage with such groups as Andrae Crouch and the Disciples, the Couriers, and many others.

The ENVOYS are presently involved in a daily TV program which is seen across America and in Canada.

The public is invited to this special time of music and inspiration. (ADV.)

Crouse awarded EMU scholarship

A Cass City High School senior has been awarded the President's Scholarship for 1976 at Eastern Michigan University.

Alan Crouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Crouse of 6778 Houghton, was one of 50 recipients selected from among

200 active candidates for this year's scholarships.

Crouse is a member of the Marching and Symphonic Bands and ranks fourth in a class of 162.

The President's Scholarship, which began in the summer of 1967, awards scholarships to incoming freshmen who have distinguished themselves by their outstanding achievement in high school. The program is designed to recognize top students regardless of need.

Candidates for the scholarships must have a minimum 3.50 grade point average and submit standardized test scores, a recommendation form completed by the high school guidance director or scholarship coordinator and a letter of recommendation from a classroom teacher or the school principal.

Recipients were selected Jan. 23 by a committee representing the four colleges and four administrative divisions of the University.



Irene Marie Updegraff of Gagetown in Almer township was ticketed for improper passing. She paid fine and costs of \$20.

Lawrence Alvin Finkbeiner of Cass City in Ellington township was ticketed for excessive violation of basic speed (too fast). He paid fine and costs of \$20.

Cynthia Sue Langmaid of Cass City in the village of Cass City was ticketed for failure to yield right of way at signed intersection. She paid fine and costs of \$25.

Timothy John Tracy of Cass City in Juniata township was ticketed for excessive speed, 65 mph in a 55 mph zone. He paid fine and costs of \$40.

BETTER HEALTH

The pitiful pacifier

BY DR. WILLIAM J. WELCH



It is not clear just when it happened, but the fact is that the jaunty image of flaunting a cigarette no longer seems jaunty, but rather more nearly what it is: furtive indulgence in self-calming, the need for which is, for the most part, unacknowledged by the avid puffer.

Certainly from my earliest memories, smoking cigarettes was envisioned as a many transaction. Its virtues were first made apparent in the trenches of World War I, when it was jubilantly chanted that the single requirement for the smile of the trouble-packed kit bag was a lucifer to light your tag.

I remember other vignettes

from my youth. One was a particularly jaunty friend of my two-packs-a-day father, who, incidentally, went to his grave at 80, cancer free, coronary arteries intact and hardly troubled at all by his explosive morning hack.

His friend's name was Jack Owen. Jack sported a permanent tan, a trim, military moustache and in the summer months was partial to white buck shoes, wing-tipped in mahogany brown.

He cut a particularly elaborate smoking posture as he lit up by striking a brightly blue-tipped kitchen match, cutting a black swathe across the top of the solid box that encased his cork-tipped Melachrinos. The cigarettes were cork-tipped simply as a matter of style, not filter-tipped in any desperate attempt to winnow out poisons or purify the smoke.

The generally sophisticated swagger of smoking cigarettes, before it was exposed as a disease-breeding scourge of the heart and lungs, was an

integral part of the mystique of Hollywood, chiefly confined to indicating the unflappable nonchalance and poise under stress of the male stars.

Only the most sinister of the lady stars were linked with smoking, however. Invariably, the vignette included, in addition to an appropriately plunging neckline, a cigarette holder as long as a carpenter's rule, preferably jet black and studded with rhinestones.

In spite of the growing recognition that a cigarette is hardly more than a pitiful pacifier, the insistent sucking and puffing of some of the traditionally romantic, albeit latterly thick-jowled, television crooners persists along with similar misleading histrionics in the public press.

Especially conspicuous are the imperiously puffing wranglers who ride the idyllic ranch lands of the Rocky Mountain foothills (only cynics refer to their terrain as Tombstone Country). Equally attention getting are the fiercely moustached young men who lazily tread water in mountainside swimming holes to demonstrate how cool the smoke of the cigarette clamped in their grinning jaws is.

But this effort attempts to sustain the carefree and vaguely swinging atmosphere around what is in fact destined to become at the most, invalidism and death, and at the least, a chronic cough. It sounds an increasingly hollow note as the reformers (is there anyone more pious than an ex-smoker who has kicked the habit?) accelerate their campaign to put smokers on notice.

Though they themselves may enjoy risking their lives and breath, lots of people in their immediate vicinity mind very much if they smoke. Restaurants, supermarkets, elevators, public meeting places, private offices, taxicabs, airplanes and many private living rooms are becoming off-limits to smokers.

Enthusiasts see the ash tray going the way of the old-fashioned spittoon, the abolition of which is attributed to the successful discouragement of the once-ubiquitous American habit of spitting in public places.

Anti-spitting-in-public laws took their impetus and justification in the fear of contagion, especially of tuberculosis. But before we get on to anti-smoking-in-public laws as an environmental necessity, it would be well to remember that we perpetrated a disaster when we tried to legislate against drinking alcohol.

It is also a fact that the popularity of cigarette addiction in this country continues to increase, no matter how much the public health enthusiasts warn, the ecologists complain and the outraged reformers threaten.

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For the booklet, "Heart Trouble," address a long envelope to yourself, put 13 cents postage on it and enclose it with 25 cents in an envelope addressed to Dr. William J. Welch, Box 4994, Dep. CCC, Des Moines, Iowa 50306.

AARP to meet Feb. 12

Cass City AARP will meet at the Elkland Township Fire Hall Thursday, Feb. 12, for a 12:30 p.m. dinner meeting. Election of officers for 1976-77 will be held.

Ms. Carolyn Benscoter will be guest speaker. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley, Helen Little and Christina Tyler are in charge of the program.

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Salowitz completes training

Airman Paul A. Salowitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Salowitz of Rt. 2, Uby, has graduated at Chanute AFB, Ill., from the U. S. Air Force aircraft mechanic course conducted by the Air Training Command.

The airman, who learned to maintain and service multi-engine jet aircraft, is being assigned to Wurtsmith AFB, Oscoda, for duty with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

Airman Salowitz is a 1975 graduate of Uby High School.

School Menu

FEB. 9-13

MONDAY

Spaghetti & Meat
Cheese Slices
Bread-butter
Buttered Peas
White Milk
Cookie

TUESDAY

Hot Dog & Bun
Potato Chips
Buttered Corn
White Milk
Fruit Bar

WEDNESDAY

Turkey Sandwich
Vegetable Soup
Crackers
White Milk
Fruit

THURSDAY

Beef Ravioli
Bread-butter
Buttered Beans
White Milk
Pudding

FRIDAY

Barbecue on Bun
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White Milk
Fruit
Cookie

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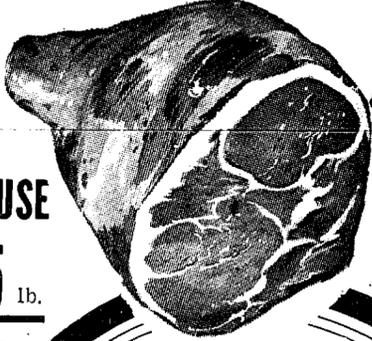
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Kingston okays variance

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Have faith in yourself-- it will give you faith in others.

Chronicle
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Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

A total budget that will reach over \$300,000 is in store for residents of the village of Cass City as the cost of running the community continues to leap upward.

An all-time record vote may be recorded March 8 in the village of Cass City when voters will decide whether or not Cass City bars will be allowed to serve liquor by the glass.

Trustees of Rawson Memorial Library have asked Cass City Village Council to consider helping the facility financially this year.

This week marks the first anniversary of Mrs. Elsie M. Hicks as Tuscola County Clerk and the affairs of the office are going along now as they did when she took over quietly and smoothly.

The Elkland Township Fire Department held its annual election of officers Thursday, Jan. 28. Re-elected were Fire Chief Jerome Root Jr. and Assistant Fire Chief Dick Root. Others elected were Ed Bergman, first captain; Jim Jezewski, second captain; Dave McNaughton, secretary; and Dean Tomer, treasurer.

TEN YEARS AGO

Cass City and Bad Axe State Police continue to check out leads but as of Tuesday had been unable to come up with the identity of thieves who broke into Erla's Food Center and Meat Packing Company early Saturday morning and made off with almost \$500 in cash.

Village officials have their fingers crossed while they wait to see if the odor caused by a gasoline leak has been checked.

The village of Gageton is having trouble finding someone to fill the posts of clerk and treasurer now filled by Mrs. Dorothy Beachy. The village is also without a candidate for assessor. Other offices are unopposed. Elery Sontag is a candidate for village president and trustees seeking re-election are Don Swartz, Victor Rocheleau and Clarence David.

James Gross is celebrating 25 years as part or sole owner of Gross and Maier Meat Market this week.

Bids for a widening project on M-16 in Kingston will be taken in April, the Department of State Highways reports.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Robert Hunter was named civil defense director of Cass City by Village President Clifford Croft at the regular meeting of village council Tuesday evening.

After serving as bulk station agent for the Standard Oil Co. at Snover for more than a quarter century, Orval F. Leach retired with annuity Jan. 31.

Donald Bates, chairman of the Tuscola County Chapter American Red Cross, announces the appointment of Mrs. Alice Schrader as volunteer services chairman for the county.

The annual meeting of the Cass City Council of Churches was held Monday evening at the EUB church. Officers chosen were president, Rev. S.R. Wurtz; vice-president, Mrs. Ivan Maclae; secretary, Harold Outley, and treasurer, Howard Wooley.

Grant Hutchinson and Leslie Aluntz at ended Farmers' Week in Lansing Tuesday.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

A total of 770 draft age men in Tuscola county have been classified for military service. The total number of registrants in the county has reached 4,169 men.

Cass City received \$5,265 in state aid for school districts in the most recent distribution of such funds.

Cass City's basketball team eked out a 27-26 win over Caro in a league contest here Friday night. It was Caro's first league loss this year.

Mrs. Walter Schell was hostess Friday when a group institute of the Woman's

SCD holds annual meeting

An appearance by Detroit Tiger pitcher Vern Riffe highlighted the 32nd annual meeting of the Tuscola Soil Conservation District held at the Caro High School Cafeteria Wednesday night, Jan. 28.

Ronald Hampshire and Sons of Deford were presented with the 1975 Outstanding Cooperator of the Year Award by Bruce Ruggles.

Ruggles also presented trophies in land judging. Reese FFA received first place honors, with Caro FFA second and Millington FFA third. Individual high scoring honors in land judging went to Terry Keimath of Millington, Leon Keimath and Charles Wells were re-elected for three-year terms on the board of directors.

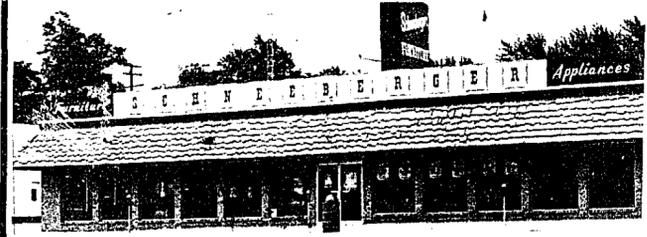
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The Bethel College Concert Choir is currently traveling in four states during their annual ten-day tour. They will be singing in schools, churches and colleges.

Miss Delores Sherrard, daughter of Mrs. Evelyn Sherrard, 4557 Seeger St., Cass City, plays the trumpet in the brass choir, Carillon, which is traveling with the choir to accompany them in several selections. Miss Sherrard is a sophomore mathematics major at Bethel.

Set women's program Feb. 18

Since the birth of America, laws have been passed that affect women. What are the laws, how do they affect women and what are your responsibilities?

The answers to these questions will be discussed at a luncheon and program, "Women and the Law," Wednesday, Feb. 18, at Big John's in Caro. The luncheon will begin at 12:30 p. m. and will include salads, self-prepared submarine sandwich, rolls, choice of beverage and tax for \$2.25.

Aliene Mills, Extension Home Economist, will present the program.

Reservations are requested by February 13. The Cooperative Extension Office hours are Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:00-5:00 p. m. and the telephone number is 517-673-3161. All interested persons are encouraged to participate in this activity.

Democrats to meet

Eighth District Democrats will hold an affirmative action meeting on delegate re-election Wednesday, Feb. 18, in Lapeer.

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Name area youths to state 4-H TEAM program

John McQuarrie, Marlette, and John Agar of Decker were recently named as participants in Michigan's 4-H TEAM Teen Enrichment and Maturity program. Designed to create social awareness opportunities as well as personal development experiences, the TEAM program includes a series of involvement activities across the state. The first of these activities, held in Jackson, Jan. 16-18, featured visits to public housing programs; emergency

dispatch center, and Southern Michigan prison. The group also attended the 4-H Mall Show and the Stoneville theatre production. Future activities will include a look at local and state government in the Kalamazoo area and a visit to the Clare-Gladwin Day Care Center for the handicapped. A special program activity will be participation in 4-H Exploration Days and Salute '76, the Michigan 4-H tribute to the bicentennial. The TEAM program will

also serve as a vehicle for selection of participants for the Danforth Leadership Camp program, Michigan State Council National 4-H Conference, and other various state activities. McQuarrie is a member of the Flynn Hustlers 4-H Club of Marlette and is also active in the Sanilac County 4-H Teen Club. Agar is the administrative leader of the Evergreen Guys and Gals 4-H Club, a woodworking leader and sponsor of the Sanilac County 4-H Teen Club.



AREA STATE 4-H TEAM participants are (from the left), John Agar, Sanilac county; Derrick Levelston, Saginaw county; Eileen Green, Tuscola county, and John McQuarrie, Sanilac county (standing).

Cass Cityan enters plea in Circuit Court Monday

An 18-year-old Cass City man pleaded guilty to a larceny charge Monday when he appeared in Tuscola County Circuit Court before presiding Judge Norman Baguley. David Charles Wolfrum will be sentenced March 1. His bond was reduced to \$1,000. Wolfrum was charged in connection with a larceny of tools from a garage owned by Robert Vargo of rural Cass City last Dec. 18. Three other arraignments were also heard Monday. John Albert Spohn, 17, Mt. Morris, was arraigned on a charge of unlawfully driving away an auto of another. He stood mute and a plea of innocent was entered in his behalf.

Michael Donald Grimshaw, 17, Caro, was sentenced on a larceny in a building charge to two years' probation, plus fines and costs totaling \$400, payable at a rate of \$25 per month. In addition, he was sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail. Two men were sentenced in connection with a larceny charge in Reese last Oct. 19. Nelson Henry Gerhauser, 17, Reese, and Donald Ray Bliss, 17, Fairgrove, were each sentenced to two years' probation, and fines and costs totaling \$300 each. Each was ordered to pay restitution of \$50.25. Gerhauser was also sentenced to serve 60 days in the Tuscola County Jail beginning in June.

Craig Chambers, 17, Caro, was sentenced for a plea of guilty to larceny in a building to two years' probation and fines and costs totaling \$300, payable at a rate of \$25 per month. He was also sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail with credit for 12 days already served. Chambers was arrested in Indianfields township last Nov. 15. George Rivar, Mayville, was sentenced for a probation violation to serve 180 days in jail with credit for 23 days already served.

Rails will operate

Michigan will be able to continue all rail services if the state transportation department develops an adequate plan under a compromise railroad bill passed by the House, U.S. Rep. Bob Traxler, D-8th Dist., said last week. Traxler made the statement after the House voted 353 to 62 to approve the Rail Revitalization Act. The bill now goes to the Senate and will then be sent to President Ford, who is expected to sign it. "This bill is good news for Michigan's rural areas because it means that the 60 miles of Penn Central track in the Thumb which had been proposed for abandonment can continue to operate," Traxler said. Traxler, who sponsored an amendment to provide Michigan with its "fair share" of funds, said the bill should provide enough subsidy funds to allow all rural rail lines in the state to operate for up to five years and three months. The bill was originally passed by the House and

Senate in December, but was rewritten when President Ford threatened to veto it. Under the compromise, the subsidy period has been lengthened by three months and the total funds have been slightly reduced. "Despite the slight reduction," Traxler said, "it appears there should be enough money available to keep Michigan's rural rail lines operating for the full five year, three month period. Keeping our rail lines operating is important because it means that farmers, small businessmen and industries will continue to have the freight service they need to stay in business and to grow." Under the bill, Michigan will be eligible to receive \$17.1 million a year in each of the first two years. In the third through fifth years, the state must compete for its share of the \$360 million allocated for the entire program across the nation. But Traxler said he believes Michigan will receive enough to keep its rural lines operating, provided the state prepares an adequate plan for the lines.

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Unemployment seen in 'holding' pattern

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through seasonal employment. Industries in the county continued to hold work forces at constant levels.

"People who have jobs and have seniority are simply holding on to what they have," he said.

Hicks said little movement is expected in the employ-

ment picture before spring. He also does not see a repeat of 1975's disastrous first quarter that saw unemployment hit 20 per cent in February.

He said large-scale layoffs in Bay City-Saginaw plants, primarily in the auto industry, were largely responsible for last year's flood of unemployed workers seeking benefits.

"We don't see that happening again this year," he said. "Most of those plants have indicated they intend to keep working the employees they have through spring."

Hicks said commuters—many who live in Tuscola county—were especially hard hit by last year's layoffs.

He said the picture for commuting employees didn't brighten substantially until September, when the unemployment rate dropped to 13.5 per cent.

"This is a two-way street, though," he said. "In addition to a large number of call-backs, you also had a large number of kids who withdrew from the labor market and went back to school."

For the first three months of 1975, unemployment levels in Tuscola county fluctuated between a low of 16.8 per cent in January to 20.2 per cent in February. The March level was 19.3 per cent.

HARD-CORE UNEMPLOYMENT?

Hicks said the end of the line is in sight for many persons who lost their jobs a year ago and who have exhausted state and federal unemployment benefits.

In addition, workers entering the labor market without skilled training in the past

year have found the going equally rough. Hicks said while the problem is serious, these persons could not accurately be called hard-core unemployed.

"Generally, the definition of hard-core unemployed applies to persons who can't find jobs even in the best of times," Hicks said. "At 12 to 14 per cent unemployment,

the economy simply can't absorb these persons into the labor force."

Persons who have been out of work over a year and who are exhausting their unemployment benefits can look forward to either accepting welfare or attempting to re-train themselves.

Hicks said the Thumb Area Manpower Consortium has

helped "within its limited financial resources" to make a small dent in the tri-county unemployment picture.

He said the Consortium has provided a valuable service to the persons it directly serves, but that it can't be expected to eliminate the problem alone.

The Consortium, headquartered in Cass City, is the chief area administrator of

Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) funds. In the past year, it has contracted with MESCC, the Human Development Commission and private employers to establish work and training programs.

The basic problem, Hicks said, is that the economy is still soft. "Things are improving, but they're a long way from the good old days," he said. "I'd say we're half-way back from where we started."

Hicks said he is "cautiously optimistic" that the trend will be toward continued improvement in area unemployment rates but that it will take a long time.

"It took us two years to get into this situation," he said. "It's going to take at least that long to get out of it."

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Tuscola benefit costs rise 113 per cent

The cost of unemployment benefits in Tuscola county jumped by a whopping 113 per cent last year, according to figures supplied by the Michigan Employment Security Commission.

County unemployed received \$11,602,917 in benefits last year, compared with \$5,432,861 paid in 1974.

County MESC office director Michael Boelman said the figures reflect the fact that an ailing economy, particularly in the auto industry, made its effects felt in the county.

"As a result, our county manufacturers who supply parts to the auto industry felt the crunch, too," Boelman said.

He said some jobs are coming in to the Caro office but most are not paying more than minimum wage. And at \$2.30 an hour, most can make more on unemployment.

"Look at the mathematics of it," he said. "If you're a family of four and you make \$136 a week on unemployment, are you going to go to work for 40 hours a week for \$120?"

"Would you let your family suffer or would you draw unemployment?"

Boelman agreed that in cases such as this, the minimum wage deters an unemployed person from going to work.

"If it were up to me, I'd suggest that there be some changes in the welfare laws," he said. "I'd particularly look into ADC. Why, for instance,

"IF YOU'RE a family of four and make \$136 a week on unemployment, are you going to go to work for 40 hours a week for \$120? Would you let your family suffer or would you draw unemployment?"

can an ADC mother work full time and still continue to get part of her ADC benefits? A woman can get the benefits but a man can't."

Boelman said that unemployed persons who can find jobs offering as much or more than what they're receiving in unemployment benefits are going back to work with no hesitation.

"People still want to work," he said. "But they aren't going to make their families suffer because of it."

Boelman said too often an employer will offer a job at minimum wage and expect much more in service than the wage is worth.

He said most jobs which are available are public service oriented, many of which are subsidized by CETA funds.

COST

Boelman reported that a total of \$827,161 was paid out in unemployment benefits from the Caro office in December. January's total was \$810,695.

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Michigan State Police recovered a stolen dump truck four miles east of Cass City last Friday believed connected with two persons involved in a shooting incident near Imlay City last week in

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Police from the Caro and Romeo posts refused to release details of their investigation. The truck was recovered near the intersection of M-53 and M-81.

Investigators believe the truck may be connected with an alleged conspiracy ring operating in the Detroit area.

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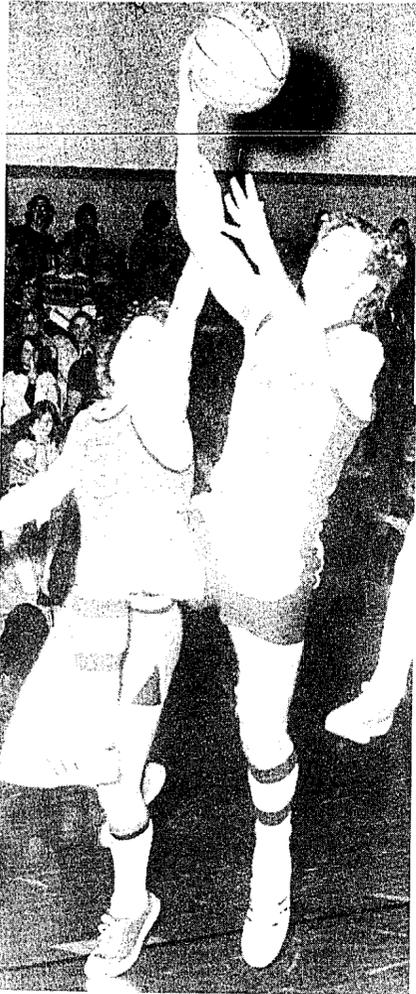
Ronald Posluszny dies Tuesday

Ronald Posluszny, 41, Deford, died suddenly at his home on Deckerville Road, Tuesday, Feb. 3.
He was born March 17, 1934, in Detroit, son of the late Walter and Jane Freich Posluszny.
He married Patricia Evans April 25, 1954, in Cass City, and resided on a farm near Deford where he lived until his death.

Indian Trails Riding Club to meet

Cass City loses heartbreaker to Bad Axe

Sandusky gives Hawks lesson in offense, defense Tuesday night



About the only good thing that Cass City fans could see about the performance of the school's basketball team Tuesday night is that the bus arrived on time.

Because after the opening whistle the Sandusky Redskins took control and soundly defeated the Hawks, 67-54, in a game that was every bit as one-sided as the final score indicated.

The Hawks were cold on offense and porous on defense. The Redskins consistently penetrated to the basket for close-in high percentage shots and more than held their own on the boards.

Max Martin was a demon on the boards for the winners and he had plenty of help from Jim Henderson and Jim Loding. Martin was credited with 23 rebounds.

Sandusky won the opening tip, scored and was never behind after that.

Moving through the Hawk defense with ease Sandusky chalked up 22 points to out-distance Cass City which netted 16.

The Hawks looked as if they might get back in the ball game in the second period. After fading to 10 points behind the club started to click a little and narrowed the gap to four points before fading to go behind, 36-30, at intermission.

Still the issue was not decided. But in the third quarter Sandusky continued to dominate and at the end of the third period was in front 48-38 and Cass City never seriously threatened after that.

Midway through the period both coaches were giving their benches a chance to gain experience and the issue was decided.

The Hawks hit 22 of 58 field goal attempts for 37 per cent. Sandusky hit 29 of 54 for 53 per cent. Battel picked off 13 rebounds, his best effort of the season. The Hawks missed the bench strength of Chuck Hendrick absent because of illness.

JV'S FALL AGAIN

The Junior Varsity played no better than the varsity and lost to the Sandusky's JV, 57-52. The little Hawks squandered a halftime lead to take the loss. Jesse Groth netted 17 in the losing cause.

Cass City	FG	FT	PTS
Haire	0	2-2	2
Romig	5	0-0	10
Tuckey	5	3-4	13
Battel	6	1-1	13
Lowe	5	2-6	12
Spaulding	0	0-2	0
Hartel	1	2-3	4
	22	10-18	54

Sandusky	FG	FT	PTS
Liebler	1	4-4	6
Gerstenberger	4	3-5	11
Martin	8	2-5	18
Loding	7	0-1	14
Henderson	2	0-0	4
Jenson	4	0-1	8
Kelly	0	0-2	0
Baerwolf	2	0-0	4
Pierce	1	0-0	2
	29	9-18	67

BAD AXE GAME

The third quarter letdown that has moved the Cass City Red Hawks from Thumb B Conference title contenders to also-rans was alive and well Friday as the Hawks lost their third game of the year after leaving the floor with a substantial lead at halftime.

This time the Hawks were victimized by the Bad Axe Hatchets, 68-66. The score was identical to the one in the previous week's loss to Marlette.

In fact, there were plenty of similarities. At the half against the Hatchets Cass City led by 11. At Marlette the margin was nine.

It's fairly apparent now that Cass City does not have the talent necessary to win when they let down even for a brief moment.

The Hawks weren't taking the Hatchets lightly as they came out strong in the opening quarter and exhibited some of their best basketball of the season.

Running the offense well, Cass City hit on all cylinders as Ken Lowe and Rick Tuckey racked up points inside, Dave Romig scored from the side and Clarke Haire converted drives and shots from 15 feet.

Bad Axe missed short shots in the period and when the first eight minutes were over, the Hawks were in front 24-13. Probably the turning point in the game came when Ken Lowe picked up his third foul early in the second period.

He sat on the bench about half of that quarter and was forced to play with caution in the fatal third period.

The Hatchets got a premier performance from Mike Weaver, one of the class players in the league, until he fouled out in the final quarter.

The Hatchets have their big three . . . Weaver, Steve Stewart and Kurt Belew . . . but it was unsung Pat Flannery that enabled the Hatchets to even the season's record against the Hawks. He pulled down key rebounds and scored nine points to help the big guns of the Hatchets.

In the final stretch when the Hawks were staging a rally and threatening to pull the game from the fire Flannery snapped off the defensive rebound that spelled the end for Cass City.

The Hawks trailed by four points with 48 seconds to go. They cut the margin to two points with about 20 seconds but when the tying basket failed to drop it was all over for Cass City. Bad Axe stayed on the heels of league-leading Frankenmuth with the victory.

While the Hawks shot well in the first quarter, for the night the team's field goal percentage was only an aver-

THUMB B CONFERENCE Feb. 4

	W	L
Bad Axe	7	3
Frankenmuth	6	3
Marlette	6	4
Sandusky	5	4
Vassar	5	4
Caro	4	5
Cass City	3	6
Lakers	1	8

age 39 per cent. Bad Axe hit for 44 per cent. The Hawks had a 60 to 58 per cent

advantage from the foul line. Haire led the scoring for Cass City with 19 points. Ken Lowe netted 16 and Rick Tuckey had 10. Weaver scored 24 and Kurt Belew netted 19. Also in double figures was Charlie Hebert with 10.

JV'S LOSE

The Hatchets turned the tables on the Hawk Junior

Varsity with a 67-64 decision. A last quarter rally by Cass City fell just short.

Cass City results: Haire, 7-5-19; Dave Romig, 3-0-6; Rick Tuckey, 3-4-10; Paul Battel, 2-0-4; Ken Lowe, 8-0-16; Chuck Hendrick, 3-1-7; Jeff Hartel, 2-0-4. Total, 28-10-66.

Bad Axe scoring: Steve Siewert, 2-2-6; Pat Flannery, 4-1-9; Mike Weaver, 9-6-24; Kurt Belew, 9-0-18; Charlie Hebert, 5-0-10; Tim Woodworth, 0-1-1. Totals, 29-10-68.

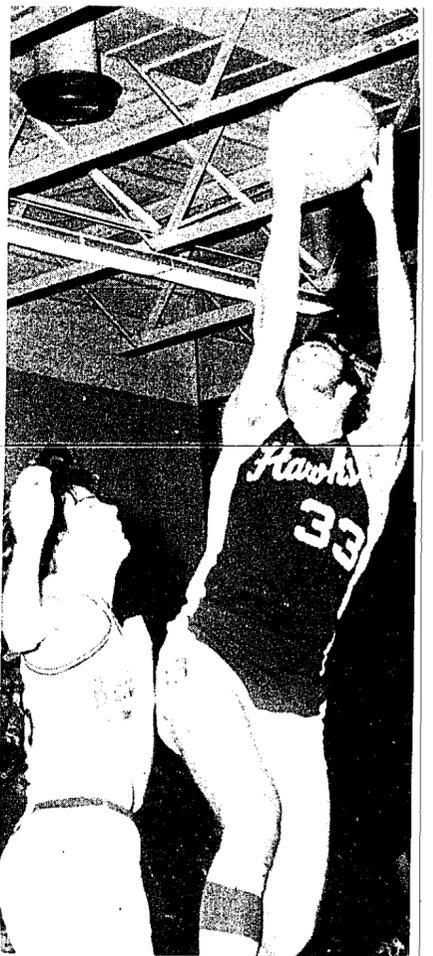
Alumni tilt nets Varsity Club \$160

The odd-year graduates defeated the even-year graduates of Cass City High School Saturday night in the annual alumni game, 95-65, but the real winner was the Varsity Club which netted \$160.

It was a typical alumni game with plenty of offense, practically no defense, and a good time had by all. Leading scorer for the winners was Dave Asher, 18 points, while Tony Davis riddled the odd-year graduate team's zone for

27 points. Members of the odd-year team playing were: Jim Walters, Bob Holcomb, Dale Auslander, Jerry Toner, Dave Asher, Phil Gray, Bob Tuckey, Paul Bliss, Al Romig, Rob Alexander, Ed Lowe and Ron Copeland.

Even-year participants were: Tony Davis, Marty Zawilinski, Craig Helwig, Mike Murphy, Fred Hebec, Scott Hartel and Jim Wentworth.



IT WASN'T one of Ken Lowe's best nights but he did sky high for rebounds and help with defense as the Hawks lost to Marlette Friday. Lowe still managed 16 points as the Hawks' premier player.

Phyllis King data coordinator

According to C. Clark Boylan, vice-president-Sales, Walbro Carburetor Division, Phyllis King is technical data coordinator for Walbro publications; cataloging, merchandising, instructive literature and their programming. She also offers information and customer service assistance through calls and letters.

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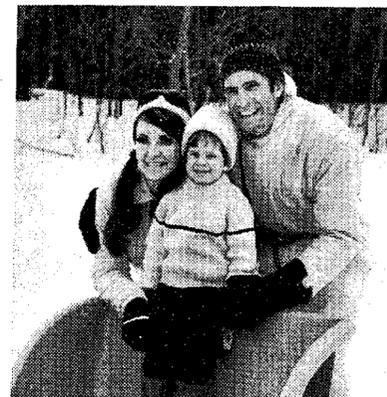
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