

No crop disaster seen for dry, dry Tuscola county

Despite one of the driest summers in recent memory, Tuscola county will probably escape an outright crop disaster this year.

That's the opinion of County Extension Director Bill Bortel. With only seven-tenths of an inch rainfall during the entire month of August, the county bean crop is definitely hurting, he said.

Yet corn and sugar beets still have a chance to produce

"fair" crops—if enough rain can fall in time.

Bortel agrees it's too late for rain to help the county's dry bean crop. With between 25 and 30 per cent of the harvest in, yields have been ranging from as low as two to as many as 30 bushels per acre.

"We'll know more in the next two weeks," Bortel said Tuesday, "but right now we're looking at one of the shortest crops in a long

while."

He said beans planted early are yielding better than those planted later. Beans, as well as corn and sugar beets planted on light ground, are suffering.

Still, the outlook is not as bad as it could be, he said. "If you compare our situation with the Dakotas and Minnesota or Wisconsin where the wheat was heading out at six inches above the ground, then I don't think you

can say we've suffered a disaster," he said.

"There are some farmers in the county who have suffered a disaster this year and those are the ones we want to help as much as we can."

A decision to apply for disaster crop relief would have to be made by the County Board of Commissioners, he said.

The crop year started out two to three weeks early with one of the warmest Aprils on

record, followed by a cold, wet May in which farmers lost most of the time they gained the previous month.

Since the beginning of August, less than one inch of rain has fallen and weather forecasts this week held out little hope for showers before Friday.

Bortel said more farmers have been asking about irrigating crops next year. He said irrigation generally works better on corn and

sugar beets than it does on beans.

"Corn and beets can take extra water, but if you put down an inch of water on beans and then along comes a shower that dumps another inch or so the beans won't take it," he says.

"It's hard to advise a farmer whether or not to irrigate. If it stays dry like this over the next 10 years, then it would pay to irrigate.

But during a wet year, your equipment would just sit."

Bortel said it would take an additional 30 bushels of corn over normal yields to pay for irrigation equipment.

Bob Wischmeyer of Wickes Agriculture Elevator said Tuesday bean yields in the Cass City area have been running from 20 to 25 bushels per acre.

Wischmeyer said the major problem with this year's crop has been lack of moisture.

"The moisture content has been running about 14 per cent," he said. "We usually dry beans at around 18 per cent. The farmers have had an awful time thrashing them and we've had an awful time handling them because they're cracking."

Wischmeyer said about 20-25 per cent of the local bean harvest has been completed. Tuesday morning's price was \$18 per hundredweight.

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CASS CITY'S school crossing guard program got underway Tuesday as students trekked their way back to classes. The program is sponsored jointly by the school district and village government. Shown escorting a group of students across Main Street is guard Yvonne Burleson.

State school aid revision would cancel heavy tuition costs

Parents of Owen-Gage students attending school at Cass City and surrounding districts breathed a heavy sigh of relief this week at the prospect of being spared heavy tuition costs this year.

State officials informally agreed last week to suspend for at least a year the start of a controversial section of the new state school aid bill which would have led to tuition payments of over \$800 each for Owen-Gage students attending Cass City Schools.

Both legislators and school lobbyists have admitted they missed the significance of the bill's tuition clause as it worked its way through committee earlier this year.

Owen-Gage Supt. Ronald Erickson, who had earlier gone on record opposing any change in the bill, said his district could survive without the admitted windfall.

"We weren't even anticipating anything like section III until a couple of months ago," Erickson said.

The change, agreed to in a conference of the "quadrant" leadership of both House and Senate, the chairman and vice-chairman of the House appropriations committee, Gov. William Milliken and State School Supt. Dr. John Porter, still must face approval in both houses before becoming law.

State Sen. Alvin J. DeGrow (R-Pigeon) said last week action on the revision could be completed by the "fourth-Friday" count date since the leadership of both parties backs the change.

Students enrolled by the fourth Friday of the school year count toward figuring state aid payments.

The change caught members of the State Department of Education's bureaucracy off guard last week. Officials declined comment on the revision until they had had time to study it.

Section III of the bill would have allocated per-pupil state aid for a youngster only to his

home district, even if he were attending classes in a neighboring district on a tuition basis.

If the bill had been left in its original form, Owen-Gage

students attending Cass City Schools would have been counted in Owen-Gage enrollment totals and the district would have received state aid on those pupils.



ENJOYING SATURDAY'S Gagetown bicentennial parade dressed in traditional 1776 bonnets and dresses are Jennifer Wood, 11 (left) and her sister Amy, 10. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood of Gagetown.

County mobile crime unit back on financial track

Tuscola county's request for funding a mobile crime investigation unit got rolling again this week after it was learned funding for the project is available through the East Central Michigan Planning and Development Region.

The project had been stalled for nearly a year due to a lack of funds. Money materialized when Midland County Commissioners turned down a \$5,000 local match needed to secure a one-year \$104,455 grant for a youth development program.

According to Robert W. Thorne, ECMPDR Law Enforcement Director, official notice of the withdrawal came last week. Upon receipt of the letter, Thorne said he immediately reactivated a \$55,532 Tuscola County Sheriff's Department grant proposal for a two-man technical investigation unit.

According to the grant proposal, the highly specialized unit would be available to all

law enforcement agencies in Tuscola county and would specialize in gathering evidence in such crimes as arson, breaking and entering, armed robbery, homicide, bank robbery, larceny and other crimes.

The grant application further stated that the job of the evidence technicians, fully trained and equipped under the grant, would include the taking of foot castings, tire prints, lifting and reading finger prints, sketching crime scenes, making composite suspect drawings and photographing major crime scenes.

Tuscola County Sheriff Hugh Marr said Tuesday the original application required some updating since it had been filed before increases in wages and fringe benefits paid other deputies.

Marr said the final grant proposal deleted one car, a radio and a walkie-talkie. He said a four-man committee, composed of representatives

from the State Police, local police, the sheriff's department and the county Board of Commissioners, would oversee the project.

It's expected the mobile crime unit should be on county roads by the end of the year. Marr said the county would purchase a stripped-down van and would outfit it locally.

In addition, salaries for the two investigators will be paid out of the grant. This means Marr will be allowed to seek two more deputies to replace the men lost to the unit.

The Sheriff said he plans to make a request to that effect at the next commission meeting scheduled Sept. 14. Little resistance is expected.

Assuming the grant is approved, the van could start rolling within five to six weeks, Marr said.

He said the Tuscola unit will differ from those in operation in Lapeer and Saginaw counties. Those units

Suffers heart attack

Armbruster stricken Monday

State Rep. Loren S. Armbruster (R-Caro) was reported in "satisfactory" condition Tuesday at Caro Community Hospital after suffering an apparent heart attack shortly after noon Monday.

Armbruster, 58, suffered the attack as he walked in the annual Bean Festival parade at Fairgrove.

Authorities said he collapsed at the completion of the parade. He reportedly received cardiac massage twice as he was rushed to the hospital by Collon's Ambulance of Caro.

He was admitted to the hospital's emergency room at 12:30 p.m. in a semi-conscious state, one source said. As soon as his condition stabilized, he was moved to the cardiac care unit.

Armbruster was reported "alert" Tuesday afternoon, sitting up in bed.

The two-term legislator has a history of heart trouble dating to 1969 when he suffered an attack. He had fully recovered from the earlier illness.

A hospital source said Armbruster's ailment was diagnosed as a cardiac infarction. This means the heart is unable to pump enough blood

to meet the body's requirements.

It was unknown Tuesday how long Armbruster would remain hospitalized. He is currently seeking his third term as a State Representative.



Loren S. Armbruster
ative from Michigan's 84th legislative district.
He was first elected in 1972. He served for 22 years as executive vice-president for growers of Farmers and Manufacturers Beet Sugar Assn.

Firemen, all-stars set to shine for charity

Besides fighting fires, Elkland township firemen also do a pretty good job at raising money for worthy community causes.

The past two years, firemen sponsored a country-western music show that netted funds for Saginaw General Hospital's Burn Unit and for Hills and Dales General Hospital's burn program.

This year, softball is the game and the TV Five all-stars are the opponents as the department seeks to raise money once again.

Cass City car recovered in Detroit

The stripped auto owned by Dale Larry Vollmar of 442 Cedar Run Rd., Cass City, and stolen last Friday has been recovered by Detroit Police.

The car was stolen from in front of 6446 Pine St., Cass City, Friday night, according to Cass City Police. The keys had reportedly been left in it.

Detroit authorities discovered the car Sunday, stripped of tires, wheels, battery, radio and speakers, in a deserted alley in the Motor City.

No arrests have been made in connection with the theft.

Two warrants are being sought in connection with

The game, set next Sunday at 1:30 p.m. at Cass City Recreation Park, was the idea of firemen Cliff Kibbey and Dick Root. Normally the all-stars are booked ahead at least a year, Kibbey says, but through some fancy talking by the department, they agreed to Sunday's contest.

Kibbey and Root came up with the idea last June after it was decided to try a different fund-raising approach.

"We probably could have come out all right with another country-western music show," Root says. "But we thought we'd like to try something new."

Root says this is only the third appearance in the Thumb by the all-stars softball team since they've been organized. They've previously appeared at Caseville and Harbor Beach.

While there's been no goal set, Root says the all-stars generally draw between \$1,200 and \$1,500, depending on the day and the size of the crowd.

Weather won't be a problem, Root says. "We'll play rain or shine."

Neither will fighting a fire. If the whistle goes off, the territory will be protected, Fire Chief Jim Jezewski says. Since the entire department will be at the park, most will be closer to the hall than they would be at home.

A portable police radio will be at the park to keep smoke-eaters in direct contact with the central dispatching station in Caro.

Where funds raised by the game will go hasn't been decided yet, Root says. It will definitely go for a community

project, he said.

One project close to Root's heart is the burn program at Hills and Dales General Hospital. The program stresses teaching emergency medical personnel the basics in early burn treatment and how to stabilize a badly-burned patient before he's transferred to the Saginaw burn unit.

Other projects being considered include the Explorer Post, the pool and funding for Little League softball.

Department members are expected to make a decision on what to do with the money prior to Sunday's contest.

SKYDIVER

One of the special highlights for Sunday's event will be a skydiver landing on second base.

Root says the attraction is a crowd-pleaser, simply because he actually hits the mark. "If our maps are right, he claims he can hit it," Root says.

The special highlight has helped draw large crowds where the 12-player team has appeared throughout eastern Michigan. Local firemen hope they can do the same in Cass City.

"Whatever happens depends on the size of the crowd," Root says. "We need the community's support to make it a success."

Tickets are \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students.

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ELKLAND TOWNSHIP'S firemen prepare themselves for Sunday's contest against the TV all-stars at the village park. Funds raised will go to a community project as yet undetermined. Shown are (kneeling from the left) Don Root, Roger Bergman and Jim Jezewski. Standing are Ron Pawlowski, Paul Harmer, Cliff Kibbey and Dick Root.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

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Mr. and Mrs. Dennis M. Powell

Karen Elisabeth Hahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Hahn, and Dennis Michael Powell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Powell, both of Cass City, were married Aug. 14 at 4 o'clock at St. Pancratius Catholic church, Cass City. A double ring nuptial mass was performed by Fr. Joseph Morales. Organist was Paul Kerbyson. Soloist was Tom Fulcher, cousin of the groom, who sang "The Wedding Song" and "For Baby" by John Denver. The bride was escorted to the altar by her parents. She wore a gown of white Quiana, attached chapel length train and long fitted sleeves. The high neckline, bodice and sleeves were accented with embroidered chantilly lace beaded at the neckline and cuffs with tiny pearls. To complete the ensemble the bride wore a fingertip mantilla edged in chantilly lace and the bonnet was adorned with lace and seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of lilies. Maid of honor was Brenda Hahn, sister of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Karen Hilaaker of Cass City, Kathy Auvil of Snover and Joan Umpfenbach of Canada, friends of the bride. All wore mint green Quiana gowns with matching pastel stripe jackets. Flower girl was Traci Baranek, niece of the bride, who wore a pastel-stripe gown. She carried a basket of baby's breath, mums and organdy roses. Colonial bouquets of mums, baby's breath and organdy roses were carried by the girls. Altar arrangements of gladioli and baby's breath were made by the bride's mother as well as table decorations for the reception.

Best man was Allan Powell, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Ray Smutek, Marty LaValley and Ray Hendrick. Randy Izydorek, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer. Roy Powell, brother of the groom, was usher as was Jerry Baranek, brother-in-law of the bride. All wore mint green tuxedos as did the two fathers.

The bride's mother wore a mint green polyester knit floor length gown with flowing cape of sheer polyester.

The groom's mother wore a peach hand-painted screen print floor-length gown. Pink rosebuds and peach carnation corsages were worn. A reception for 500 guests was held at Colony House, Cass City, following the ceremony.

A two-week honeymoon was spent in California. The couple will reside near Cass City where the groom farms. The bride is employed at Blount Agriculture, Gagetown.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Sunday School resumes its fall session Sunday, Sept. 12, beginning at 10:45 a.m., with classes for pre-schoolers through adults.

Labor Day week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ketchum and Kathryn were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cooper of Wheeler. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wischmeyer, Mrs. Dennis Hunter and Mrs. Beulah France of Kingston.

The Cass River WCTU will meet Wednesday, Sept. 15, at 2 p.m. with Mrs. William Kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant M. Little of Birmingham visited his mother, Mrs. Arthur Little, Aug. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Greenleaf had with them for Labor Day, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burns of Port Austin.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, Sept. 13, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Albert Keller Jr. in Caro.

Mrs. Lucile Miller was a luncheon guest Friday of Mrs. Ethel Moore in Caro.

The Progressive Class of Salem UM church will meet Thursday evening, Sept. 9, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Auten.

A kick-off meeting for the youth of the Novesta Church of Christ for the start of the fall season will be held Sunday, Sept. 12, starting at 6 p.m. at the church. The youth will present a program for the Sunday evening worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kirn and daughters Melinda and Kathy went Friday to Sebring, Ohio, where they visited his aunts, Mrs. Ella McKee and Miss Lydia Weising. En route home Sunday, they visited his mother, Mrs. Esther Kirn in Chelsea.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Prong and Gaylene returned home Monday evening from an eight-day stay in Wauseon, Ohio, with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Prong and sons, and Rev. Prong's father, Gay Prong. During that time, Roger Prong underwent surgery.

The Church of Christ Eastern Michigan Christian Men's Fellowship meeting will be held Monday evening, Sept. 13, in the Deerfield Church of Christ starting at 7:30 p.m. Jim Greenwood, president of the Great Lakes Bible College, will be the speaker. This is a family night service for all to attend.

There will be a prayer breakfast Saturday at 7:30 a.m. in the activity center at the Novesta Church of Christ. All interested women are invited to attend.

Edward Mark spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Leeson at Wild Fowl Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marus Sr. were at Indian River from Friday until Monday and were at Mackinaw City for the annual Labor Day bridge walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley had as a guest from Tuesday until Saturday, a cousin of Mr. Beardsley, Mrs. Ethel Harmon of St. Cloud, Fla.



Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker

An open house marking the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker of Cass City was given by their children Sunday, Aug. 22, at their home.

Edward Baker and Miss Helen White were married Aug. 19, 1926, in Grand Ledge. He is an electrician and is a former Elkland Township Fire Chief and a former member of the Gavel Club.

Mrs. Baker is a member of the Zonta and Women's Study Clubs, AAUW and the Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary.

The couple has three children, James Baker of Cass City, Robert Baker of Bay City and Mrs. Wayne (Mary Ellen) Wilson of Auburn. They also have five grandchildren.

The couple were also honored with a dinner at the Elk's Club in Bay City, Friday, Aug. 20.

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Mrs. Howard Loomis is in Millersburg, Ind., with her daughter and family, the Irvin Kritzmans.

Miss Sally Loomis, a freshman at Ferris State College in Big Rapids, starts there Thursday.

Mrs. Ben Kirton spent the week end and holiday with her brother, John Handley at Forester.

Mrs. James McIntosh and Mrs. Theda Seeger spent the week end at Tawas with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smiley of Pontiac, who were vacationing there.

The 84th birthday of Theo Hendrick was celebrated at his home Friday evening by relatives with ice cream and cake. Present were his guest, Lester Hendrick of Eaton Rapids, Mrs. Arvil Shields of Marlette, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy and Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Jr. entertained relatives Saturday evening at a going-away party for their daughter Marlene who has entered the Baptist Mid-Western College at Pontiac as a freshman.

Larry Carver of Greenville, S.C., plane pilot for Dr. Bob Jones, was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Troup, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig, Mrs. Lucile Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig were Labor Day guests of the Tom Craigs for a cook-out.

Attending the funeral Tuesday in Caro for Carl Putnam, 67, were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker. The deceased was a brother of Walter Putnam and a cousin of Mrs. Zinnecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bird and daughter Jennifer of Alma visited Mr. and Mrs. William Profit Saturday afternoon and Mr. Bird's mother, Mrs. Ethel Bird.

Delbert Englehart was discharged Aug. 17 after serving an enlistment in the Marine Corps. He and his wife Donna arrived home after his discharge from Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson, Dan, Becky and Wendy of Birmingham were Sunday overnight and Labor Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Profit.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Englehart were in Detroit Saturday to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Hill.

Mrs. Theron Eskilsen returned Tuesday to her nursing studies at Delta College.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kelley had with them for the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Kelley and daughters Monica and Julie of LeRoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Stuba and Shelley of Detroit spent Saturday with Mrs. Stuba's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Doerr. Mrs. Norman Fisher of Royal Oak accompanied them to Cass City and is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Doerr, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Doerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Egerer (Karen Eskilsen) of Saginaw visited her brother, Steve Eskilsen at Kankakee, Ill., over the week end, where Steve is attending Olivet College.

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Several Tuscola County 4-H members participated in the 1976 Michigan 4-H Horse Show, held Aug. 24 on the Michigan State University Campus. This event involved nearly 500 Michigan 4-H'ers competing in 165 classes using nine show rings. Local winners included Sarah Tait of Caro, a Gold, Bronze, and Honor Group winner; Al Kuenzli of Cass City, a Silver winner; Cheryl Ford of Fairgrove, Honor Group winner; and Heather Vyse of Vassar, Honor Group winner.

The United Methodist Women of Salem church will meet Monday evening, Sept. 13, at the home of Mrs. Walter Jezewski. The program will be the first of a three part series on prayer to be presented by Mrs. Charles Tuckey, Mrs. Dave Loomis and Mrs. Eldred Kelley. Mrs. Charles Wright and Mrs. Richard Gaffney are the refreshment committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Foren, Donald and Belinda of Royal Oak came Sunday and spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Alice McAleer.

Mrs. James Althoff of Northbrook, Ill., came Aug. 29 to visit her mother, Mrs. Ernest Croft. Mr. Althoff joined them Thursday. Friday was spent with Mr. and Mrs. James Gross at Oak Beach. Mr. and Mrs. Althoff returned home Sunday.

Kraag Liberman of Charlevoix was a guest several days of last week of Miss Barbara Auten in the Charles Auten home. Sunday Mr. Liberman left to resume college studies in Detroit. Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Auten took Barbara to Alma to resume her college studies there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson and three children, Wendy, Becky and Danny, of Birmingham, were Sunday dinner guests with Robert Watson and Bill Watson at the Eva Watson home. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. George Sangster and four children, Kim, Georgie, Robbie and Becky, of Decker. They and the Charles Watson family and Bill Watson were supper guests of Mrs. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Teichman and family spent the holiday week end in Lewiston. Accompanying them were Mary and Betty Teichman of Troy and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Horle of Lake City, Fla.

Douglas VanAllen and sons, Jeffrey and Michael, were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Elsie Thompson and Georgia.

Bill Finkbeiner and sons and Marsha Finkle and daughter Heather of Pontiac spent Sunday and Labor Day with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner. Sunday evening was spent with Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Holland and sons at Sebewaing and Monday they attended the Schweitzer family reunion held at Bay Shore park, Sebewaing.

Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi had as Labor Day visitors, Mrs. Eldon Hall of Jackson and her daughter, Mrs. Glynn Hill, Brian and Jennifer of Wyoming.

Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gabert at Elkton, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Copeland, Mrs. Esther McCullough and Mrs. Bertha West, along with relatives from Sebewaing, were Labor Day guests at a cook-out at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Guwca near Unionville.

Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi spent from Monday until Friday last week with her family in the Detroit area. Kenneth Wilhelmi, who had spent three weeks here with his grandmother, returned to his home in Westland.

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Michael Holland of Sebewaing spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner, and their guest, Heather Finkle of Pontiac. His brother Douglas joined them for Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Lyle Biddle returned home Saturday from Saginaw General Hospital where she had knee surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. William Patch had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Biddle Monday.

Mrs. Anna Yorke is spending a few weeks with friends near Imlay City.

Mr. and Mrs. William Patch visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Root Sunday afternoon. They also called at the Dan Aleksink home where they picked up Anna Yorke who was visiting them.

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Mrs. Stan Guinther and Gull Lake Bible and Missionary Conference, near Battle Creek. Ron and Diane Susek and Merrill Dunlop were featured speaker and musicians. Stan Guinther and Mark attended part of the conference sessions.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stephenson, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley, left by plane from Tri-City Airport Aug. 31 to visit their son, Capt. Michael Stephenson and his family, at Plattsburg, N.Y., Air Force base before returning to their home in California.

Miss Rose Cook of Lansing returned home Monday after a two weeks' vacation. The first week was spent in northern Michigan and last week was spent here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Cook.

The Elmwood Missionary Circle will meet Wednesday, Sept. 15, at the home of Mrs. Lyle Zapfe.



Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kilbourn

Deford Community church was the setting for the 7 o'clock wedding of Cheryl Dorland and Jim Kilbourn Saturday, Aug. 7. Rev. John Wood, with Rev. Dale Sherry assisting, officiated in the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dorland of Decker and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kilbourn of Deford. Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a floor length gown of Quiana knit with long fitted sleeves and attached Chapel length train. The high neckline, bodice and sleeves were accented with embroidered Chantilly lace, beaded at the neckline and cuffs with tiny pearls. Her headpiece was a Camelot style cap trimmed with white Venise lace and attached to a two tier, waist length English illusion veil. She carried a bouquet of red carnations, stephanotis and ivy.

Kathy Luana of Deford, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. She wore a floor length gown of blazer red knit, which featured lace insets down the sleeves. A white picture hat trimmed with black velvet ribbon completed her ensemble. She carried a bouquet of white and pink carnations and ivy. Bridesmaids were Debra and Barbara Dorland of Decker, sisters of the bride; Pam Rudich of Caro, sister of

the groom, and Christi Bruns of Rogers City, friend of the couple. They wore ensembles and carried bouquets identical to the matron of honor.

Bernie Babich of Deford served as best man. Groomsmen were Lee Kilbourn and Jim Daley of Deford, Greg Reynold of Martinsville, Va., and Bob Rudich of Caro. Junior attendants were David Dorland and Ronnie Kilbourn, brothers of the couple. Ushers were Tom Dorland of Decker and Ken Kilbourn of Deford.

Music was provided by organist Charlene Sherry and soloists Sue Opal and Dale Sherry. Vocal selections included "The Wedding Song" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride's mother wore a floor length mint green gown accented with a jacket of striped mint and white. She wore a corsage of white gladioli and red sweetheart roses.

The groom's mother wore a floor length gown of red and white knit. Her gown was accented with a jacket of the identical fabric trimmed with white floral lace. She wore a corsage of white gladioli and red sweetheart roses.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the Kingston High School for approximately 350 guests. After a brief honeymoon in northern Michigan the couple will reside in Deford.

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4-H'ers win in state competition

Several Tuscola County 4-H members participated in the 1976 Michigan 4-H Horse Show, held Aug. 24 on the Michigan State University Campus. This event involved nearly 500 Michigan 4-H'ers competing in 165 classes using nine show rings. Local winners included Sarah Tait of Caro, a Gold, Bronze, and Honor Group winner; Al Kuenzli of Cass City, a Silver winner; Cheryl Ford of Fairgrove, Honor Group winner; and Heather Vyse of Vassar, Honor Group winner.

ATTENTION
Ellington Township

A public hearing will be held on a proposed 50% increase in valuations for the 1977 tax year.

September 14, 1976
8:00 P.M.
ELLINGTON TWP. HALL



Rabbit tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Coach Fred Hurlburt who left here two years ago for Middleville has moved again. He's back in Florida at Naples. That's the report from the Ken Esingers who live in the Sunshine state.

In case you've forgotten Hurlburt was the basketball coach when Cass City won its first regional crown in 30 years.

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Jan Grenholm, one of the most popular Rotary Exchange students at Cass City, wrote Tom Proctor, one of his host families. Jan says things are going okay and that he will take a job teaching physical education while he goes to school.

The savvy Swede says it will pay \$6.00 per hour. That's good. What's bad are the prices. The native compact, the Volvo, costs about \$8,000.

Jan also says that he definitely plans to make it back to the States which is good news to his host of friends here.

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Looking for a civic project at the park? How about a new tennis court? Village President Lambert Althaver says that a lighted court, with fencing will cost about \$4,500.

Looking for a bargain? Buy two courts. That way you save about \$500 because you don't need one fence down the middle of the two courts. This column is full of money saving tips.

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Our local firemen are determined to look respectable when they play softball Sunday at 1:30. They meet the TV-5 all-stars then.

The firemen have been working out and playing practice games for several weeks to prepare for the big event.

Regardless of the score, the firemen have to win. They get all the proceeds from the game.

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Not much trivia to wing your way.

I've been waiting for a week like this to issue this reminder. Since school started this week I'll use the space to remind the powers that be in the athletic department that now is the time to devise a different format for the annual athletic awards night.

The lengthy boring program of the past just has to go. If for no other reason than last year perhaps a third of the athletes themselves didn't bother to attend.

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Dick Szarapski of Cass City is still the best fisherman I know. And the most persistent. He skunked me plenty of times when we went stream fishing for trout together in years gone by.

Now Dick has switched to lake fishing for trout with predictable results. He gets more than anybody. (See picture this issue.)

Dick says that earth is made of two-thirds water and one-third land and so the Almighty must have meant for man to fish two-thirds of the time.

Dick may not reach this goal, but he tries. He tries. He tries.



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quinn

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quinn of Gageton will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday, Sept. 12, at the St. Felix Church Hall from 2:00-5:00 p.m., one mile south and one mile west of Pinnebog, at an open house hosted by their children.

Neighbors and friends are invited to attend. The couple request no gifts.

Thomas Quinn and Prudence Mousseau were married in St. Francis Borgia Catholic church, Pigeon, Sept. 11, 1916.

They have three sons, Lester of Marlette, Francis of Kinde and Thomas (Mike) Quinn of Mesa, Ariz., and two daughters, Mrs. Elwood (Avalon) Creguer of Uby and Mrs. Bob (Catherine) Davidson of Gageton. They also have 31 grandchildren and 51 great-grandchildren.

The Quinns are retired farmers.

Begins in October

Swine flu program set for Tuscola county

President Ford recently signed a bill clearing the way for a mass immunization campaign against swine flu, and the Swine Flu Program is now getting into full swing in Tuscola and Lapeer counties, according to Bruce B. Bragg, Health Officer of the Thumb District Health Department. "We plan to conduct the program in Tuscola and Lapeer county in a manner which is very similar to most of the other counties in the state," Bragg said.

The first phase which will provide flu vaccine for the "high risk population", should begin in late October. "High risk" persons include senior citizens, those individuals who have chronic lung diseases, such as asthma, emphysema, chronic bronchitis, or tuberculosis, anyone with heart disease, chronic kidney disease, or anyone with diabetes or other chronic metabolic disorders. The second phase will deal strictly with the "healthy

population". Some people shouldn't be vaccinated because they could get an allergic reaction to the flu shots. Because the virus used in making the vaccine is grown in eggs, people who are highly allergic to eggs should not take it. At the present time vaccine recommendations cover people ages 18 and above. A decision as to whether or not to vaccinate persons ages 17 and lower will be made later in the summer. A single dose of either bivalent or monovalent vaccine generally results in antibody responses against swine influenza in most of vaccinees.

Side effects including one- to two days low grade fever, mild aches, pains or tiredness should occur in less than two- to three per cent of persons 18 years of age or older and usually occur six- to 12 hours after vaccination. Influenza vaccine has only rarely if ever been associated with severe adverse reactions or permanent disability.

Since the vaccine is made using a killed virus, there is virtually no chance one can get the flu from the vaccine. "At this point we cannot advise people as to specific clinic sites, dates or times for the administration of the vaccine," Bragg said. "But I would advise people to keep watching the local newspapers for updated information. Also people might begin checking with their physicians as to the advisability of their receiving the vaccine, especially if they are allergic to eggs."

For more information call the Thumb District Health Department at (517) 673-4178, or stop in at 2266 W. Caro Road, Caro.



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Schuette

The Good Shepherd Lutheran church in Cass City was the scene of the wedding of Kenneth Richard Schuette and Lori Lynn Stahlbaum. The Rev. James Van Dellen united them in marriage at 4:00 p.m. Aug. 21.

Deloris Sherrard, a friend of the bride, was soloist at the ceremony. The altar was decorated with colonial bouquets of daisies and mums.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Stahlbaum of Cass City. Richard Schuette of Texas and Mary Schuette of Unionville are the groom's parents.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a Victorian style dress of accordion pleated candlelight chiffon. The yoke bodice of the dress and wide band cuffs of the sleeves were lace with pearl clusters. Her dress and wide brimmed chignon hat were accented with apricot chiffon sashes. She carried a bouquet of gardenias and stephanotis.

Dawn Stahlbaum was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Melody Bacon of Cass City, Mrs. Greg Lobdell of Vassar, friends of the bride, Mrs. Rand Katzinger of Unionville and Paula Schuette of Unionville, sisters of the groom.

They wore gowns of apricot double knit. The spaghetti strap dresses were covered with a short full jacket with candlelight lace yokes in front and back. The long sleeves ended in self fabric ruffles at the wrists. Their candlelight colored picture hats were accented with apricot ribbon streamers. The girls each carried long stemmed apricot roses with baby's breath.

Darcee Dearing, Cass City, and Darin Schuette, Elkton, were flower girl and ring bearer. Miss Dearing's dress was apricot doubleknit with self fabric ruffles around the neck and puff sleeves. She carried a brown wicker basket filled with apricot daisies and baby's breath. A circle of daisies and baby's breath was worn in her hair.

Serving as best man was Ken Hall of Deford. Groomsman were Lee Kilbourn of Deford, Mike Karr, Cass City, friends of the groom, Gary Schuette of Cass City, the groom's brother, and Randy Katzinger of Unionville, brother-in-law of the groom.

Ushers were Don Schuette of Elkton, uncle of the groom, and Mark Stahlbaum, Cass City, the bride's brother.

The bride's mother, escorted down the aisle by her two sons, Jeffery and Todd, wore a single apricot gardenia on her gown of apricot

flowered voile. The groom's mother wore a blue gown with an orchid corsage.

Cathy Kerbyson, Cass City, friend of the bride, was in charge of the guest book and Cindy Doerr, Cass City, friend of the bride, cut the wedding cake. The wedding cake, made by Mrs. Allan Hartwick of Deford, was topped with a fresh flower arrangement of apricot daisies and baby's breath, encircled at the base with a ring of baby's breath.

Mrs. Arnold Erla provided the garden flowers that decorated the tables at the dinner and reception which was held at Colony House in Cass City.

The couple spent their honeymoon in northern Michigan and are residing on a farm near Unionville. He is employed with Dick Donahue and she is employed at the Clothes Closet.

Dale Evans

scheduled at

Teen Ranch

Popular entertainer Dale Evans will be the special guest speaker at the annual Teen Ranch Open House scheduled Saturday, Sept. 25, located at the Kingston Road Campus, four miles south of Kingston.

The three-hour program begins at 1:00 p.m., followed by a tour of the houses, buildings and grounds.

A TV and recording personality, Dale Evans and her husband, Roy Rogers, have raised a family of nine children.

Teen Ranch is a licensed child care facility providing a home and family base for troubled boys.



FROM THE Editor's Corner

When authorities in Florida announced the other day that half of the high school athletes in the nation had smoked pot, the reaction was predictable. And sad. The "solutions" poured in.

School authorities talk about making athletes sign "contracts" saying they wouldn't do it.

One coach says he isn't going to make any laws when there are already laws written by society. Our only rule is that the boys can't miss practice, he says.

Another writes a message for his players to endorse saying that they will not smoke, drink or take illegal drugs and if they do they are banned forever from playing for his team.

I repeat. That's sad. What the first guy is saying is if you are rough, tough and good enough and care enough to come to practice that's all that matters.

What the second guy is saying is that athletes are a special breed. Can do no wrong. If they turn out to have feet of clay they aren't really worthwhile anyway. No monkeying with a guy that could cause problems. No second chance.

If there is any real value to interscholastic athletics these answers to the problem fall short of the mark. Far short.

Call it character building for want of something better.

That's the only real value to the students participating. In smaller communities such as those in the Thumb the school team has a rallying point. Especially a winning team.

That helps the community but doesn't affect the athlete.

But if the athlete wants to play bad enough to get better grades, cut out the carousing and accept the discipline inherent in organized sports, then it's doing him or her some good. Without this the program isn't worth the cost.

All this may appear to be an argument for no second chance, but it isn't. It's a common occurrence to see a player who wasn't much for cooperation or for discipline suddenly change as a junior or senior and become a team leader. A gung-ho guy setting an example for the rest of the players.

He's suddenly realized that what's happening here is fast coming to an end and maybe he'd better make the most of it while he can.

So what if two-thirds of the problem kids never make it? Become worse and drop out anyway? If just one of them uses his athletic career as an ego booster that carries him forward to better things after graduation, we're all getting something for our educational dollar.

We shouldn't kick them out because they failed their first test.



"If It Fitz . . ."

Snuffing out crime

BY JIM FITZGERALD

I wasn't arrested but I was present, sharing the guilt, when the State of Michigan snuffed out a nefarious gambling operation last Thursday.

After 25 years in the newspaper business, that's the first time I've used the word "nefarious." Somehow it seems just right for this occasion. Webster says "nefarious" means "extremely wicked."

Certainly this particular crime was a wicked challenge to the peace of the state. And some extremely adept police work was required to uncover the gambling game and bring the miscreants to justice.

Michigan taxpayers should be proud of Eugene Hoppenworth and Leroy Vander Esch. They are state liquor inspectors and they are not afraid to do their job, no matter what the danger.

In this case, they faced the grave danger always present when state employees are forced to work many miles from their Lansing headquarters. If they should run out of stupid pills, a fresh supply is not readily available.

Eugene and Leroy were making a routine call at the Lapeer Country Club. Somehow they discovered the club was having a raffle. Perhaps they got a clue from the large sign behind the bar which said "Raffle Tickets \$1".

Club members, all crooks, were trying to raise some money to buy some badly needed furniture.

With so many people wearing golf shoes, it is dangerous sitting on the floor. Have you ever tried to blow a clefted nose?

When 200 tickets were sold, \$100 went into the furniture fund, and \$100 went to some lucky member whose name was drawn out of a box. And so on, every 200 tickets.

The winners' names were posted on the bulletin board to make it easy for their friends to embarrass them into donating their winnings to the furniture fund.

The liquor inspectors said the raffle was against the law. They confiscated the raffle sign and \$35 currently in the furniture fund.

Eugene and Leroy also confiscated the list of winners, perhaps so Internal Revenue can make sure a tax is paid on the illegal winnings. Bureaucrats stick together, the same as birds of a feather and thieves.

I do not pretend to know what the State of Michigan will do with the club's \$35. Perhaps buy state lottery tickets. It's really not important.

The important thing is that the nefarious furniture raffle has been stopped before it got out of hand. Left unchecked, country club members might have bought so much furniture it would have overflowed onto the freeway, thus creating a traffic hazard for motorists on their way to the Detroit Race Course to bet on the horses.

Incidentally, it really isn't fair that two obscure liquor inspectors should be the main recipients of all this sterling sarcasm. They are only following orders, albeit with courage and determination beyond the ordinary call of hypocrisy.

The largest share of glory should go to the State of Michigan and to the high-up officials who make such splendid hypocrisy possible.

But Michigan residents should be careful where they brag. They do not have an exclusive franchise on institutional hypocrisy. Other states have also shown magnificent ability to face north while running south.

For instance, in New York's historic Yankee Stadium a few years ago, I saw three marvelous signs that really said it all. I almost cried for the sheer joy of it.

The first sign extolled the

Stevens named

at Gen-Tel

Robert Stevens of Owosso has been named Customer Service Manager for General Telephone Company at Imlay City, according to Bob Kowalski, Division Manager for the company.

As Customer Service Manager, Stevens will represent the Division Manager in public affairs and other community contact activities. His responsibilities will include the exchange communities of Caseville, Cass City, Clifford, Deckerville, Elkton, Harbor Beach, Imlay City, Kingston, Minden City, and North Branch.

virtues of OTB — Off Track Betting. In New York, you don't have to go to the racetrack or patronize the corner bookie to get a bet down. You can risk your dollars at Grand Central Station, or dozens of other public places.

The second sign urged everyone to buy a ticket on the New York State Lottery. Just as in Michigan, the tickets are sold at every cigar counter and in every church vestibule.

The third sign said: "No Gambling Allowed." I haven't been so delighted

since I saw a "No Eating" sign in a restaurant. But back to Michigan...

What will happen if my country club is found guilty in the case of the nefarious furniture raffle? I don't know. But I have a suggestion for a penalty to match the crime. The club's liquor license could be suspended for 60 days, next January and February.

When Eugene and Leroy come checking in their mulluks, they will discover the club closes every winter anyway because it's too cold to sit on the floor.

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FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

Local businessmen appear to be pleased over President Nixon's wage and price freeze, not only to increase sales, but also as much needed control to curb rising costs.

In the absence of a total child safety program, sixth graders will again patrol the busy intersections this year to help younger children cross the busy streets.

The Elkland Township Board rejected bids for the proposed township fire hall in a special meeting Friday, Sept. 3, at the Cultural Center.

New officers for the Gavel Club for the 1971-72 year are Vic Guernsey, president; Ed Doerr, vice-president; Paul Clabusch, treasurer, and Bill Wallace, secretary.

Dagmar Brown of Cass City completed her 11th annual trek across the Mackinac Bridge Labor Day in 61 minutes and 16 seconds.

TEN YEARS AGO

In a special unannounced session Wednesday morning following the regular monthly meeting Tuesday, Aug. 30, the Cass City Village Council raised the salary of Village Supt. William Schram \$20 weekly.

A youth center can and does fill a void in Cass City, said the Rev. Richard Eyer this week, after the Teen Scene ended its three-month trial period in Cass City at the end of August.

Another village landmark was erased this week when

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OWEN-GAGE SENIOR CITIZENS

The Owen-Gage Senior Citizens met Sept. 2. The 1:00 p.m. meeting was called to order by Leslie Munroe in the absence of President Carl Errer.

Thirty members answered roll call.

Mrs. Millie Wilson gave a prayer. The pledge to the flag was said in unison. Secretary and treasurer's reports were given and approved.

Plans for a special dinner for members only Nov. 10 were discussed. The senior citizen picnic dinner at Bad Axe Park Sept. 9 was discussed. Those wishing transportation should be at the Owendale village hall at 11:00 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ashmore of Gagetown are new members.

Blood pressure will be taken at the Sept. 16 meeting. This is open to all senior citizens. Following the meeting, bingo was played.

The next meeting will be Sept. 16, with a potluck dinner at noon.

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Janet Koch attended a birthday party for Dana Hoese of Bach, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weber, Holly, Heidi and Jim of Frankenmuth spent Sunday with the Harold Kochs.

The Gagetown Woman's Study Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Vera Hoadley Monday, Sept. 13, to start their new year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Weatherhead of Elkton called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zellar of Caro called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead Thursday afternoon.

Labor Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Generous at Caro were Mrs. Thressa Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Elger Generous of Gagetown and Jack Generous of Caro.

Deford Craft Club to meet

The Deford Craft Club will meet Sept. 13, at 8:00 p.m. at the Deford Town Hall. Project for the evening is completing the bicentennial quilt.

Members are urged to bring red, white or blue yarn, scissors and needles. Also any new projects they would like to share with the club.

Hostesses for the evening are Gladys Hicks and Sally Wood.

the tower on top of the Kritzman's store building was hauled down after it was struck by lightning.

One of the real veterans of the Cass City High School staff will not be present to greet students during the first semester this year. Mrs. Helen Stevens, R.N., the school nurse, has taken a leave of absence for the first semester and will be replaced by Mrs. Nell Koepfgen.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

It was speed against power Tuesday night for the Cass City Softball League post season playoff championship and speed proved to be the most potent weapon in the chips down battle that Baldy's won 8-5 over Deford. School opened Tuesday for the biggest majority of an estimated 972 students, who are enrolled for courses in Cass City this year.

School Menu

SEPT. 13-17

MONDAY

Barbecue on Bun
Potato Chips
Fruit Cup
White Milk
Cookie

TUESDAY

Chili - Crackers
Celery Sticks
Bread-Butter
White Milk
Apple Sauce

WEDNESDAY

Fishwich
Potato Chips
Cabbage Slaw
White Milk
Cookie

THURSDAY

Mashed Potatoes
Chicken in Gravy
Bread-Butter
Peach Slices
Cranberry sauce
White Milk
Donut

FRIDAY

Hot Dog & Bun
Potato Chips
Buttered Corn
White Milk
Cookie

Menu is subject to change.

Grant M. Little left Monday to take over his duties as instructor in speech and dramatics in the Lapeer Schools. He accepted this position in July.

J.W. Little, Royal Oak, an uncle of Harry Little, Cass City, had his first novel, "When East Was West," published recently.

Mrs. Sam Blades returned as teacher when the Stone School in Greenleaf township reopened Tuesday.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Frutchey Bean Co. is erecting a warehouse 40 by 24-feet in size, between their office building and their cloverseed warehouse. The new building will be used for general storage, principally to house beans and cloverseed.

Cass City Rotarians evidenced considerable interest in the hard surfacing of the county road from Colwood Road east to the end of the pavement five miles west of Cass City, and the establishment of a livestock sales market here during their meeting Tuesday. President Ernest Schwaderer appointed two committees. A.T. Barnes, E.B. Schwaderer and Frederick Pinney were named to interview and interest the county road commission in road improvement and M.B. Aulen, Audley Rawson and Dr. H.T. Donahue were appointed to further the livestock market project.

Plans are being discussed for a new Nazarene church edifice in Cass City.

Miss Margaret Jane Murray and Mr. Frederick Neitzel were married at noon, Sept. 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Purdy of Gagetown.

W. J. McDonald

dies in Owosso

Wellington James McDonald, 93, Cass City, died Sunday, Sept. 5, at Memorial Hospital in Owosso after a long illness.

He was born June 11, 1883, in Grant township, Huron county, son of the late Duncan and Margaret Young McDonald.

He married Miss Byrde Green in June, 1908, in Harrisville. Following their marriage, they made their home in Mikado, Mich., later moving to Detroit. She died in July, 1948.

He married Mrs. Euphemia (Fame) Hunter, Aug. 22, 1949, in Midland, coming to Cass City in 1962 from Detroit.

He was a member for over 50 years of the Jefferson Avenue United Methodist church of Detroit, and served as assistant choir director and as treasurer. He was also a past member of the Masons.

Survivors include his widow; one son, Bruce of Owosso; one daughter, Mrs. Kenneth (Margaret) Snyder of Gig Harbor, Wash.; one stepson, Caswell M. Hunter of Phoenix, Ariz.; one brother, Millington L. McDonald of Owendale; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Two sons, one brother and one sister preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Tuesday from Little's Funeral Home with Rev. Harry Capps, pastor of First Presbyterian church of Cass City, officiating.

Burial was in Elkland cemetery.

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KETCHUM'S KNAPSACK

Tenting on the old campground

By Jim Ketchum



The next time somebody suggests I go camping, I'm going to grab a hammer and drive a tent stake through their heart.

All the romance goes out of tenting on the old campground when the temperature drops 30 or 40 degrees and a wind only slightly less than Hurricane Agnes takes a swipe at you.

It all started when my sister-in-law and her husband left this country for India as missionaries. On the way, they dropped off their tent. Enjoy it for the next three years, they said, chuckling as they pulled out of the driveway.

bedroom ceiling blue and put white stars in it, but she turned me down. Silly, we have to get back to nature, she said. We proceeded to get back to nature by loading half of everything we own in the back end of our station wagon.

Back to nature. It reminded me of the last sporting goods store I saw. And all this was just for one lousy night.

The fun really began when the wind came up off Lake Huron. Four thermometers were shattered in our campground when the bottoms fell out as the temperature dropped.

The uniforms may look a little different and the names may have changed. But Girl Scouting is still the same and just as popular as ever, according to local leaders.

With 110 girls already in scouting and more expected to join in the next few months, one of the biggest problems is finding adults willing to donate time to the girls.

Individual and provides experiences the girl often couldn't have in her own home. Mrs. Lois Sugden, another troop leader, has been in scouting as an adult the past two years. She said a lack of leaders brought her into scouting.

Numerous other persons contribute time each week toward helping in various Scout projects from camping and field trips to community projects such as raking leaves, picking up trash or visiting shut-ins at Provincial House.

Mrs. Iseler has come up through the ranks. A former Girl Scout herself, she got involved about a year ago when her daughter joined.

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Mrs. Manly Fay, Randy Lapeer and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and family. Mrs. Martin Sweeney came home Saturday after spending five days in Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City.

Bob Berridge of Bloomfield Hills attended the wedding of Ed Sistrer of Richmond and Maria Rickenbach at Fair Haven in Richmond, Saturday. A reception followed at Ulica VFW Hall.

Sherrice and Shelly Lapeer and Mrs. Manly Fay were Tuesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mrs. Henry Jackson and

Edith and Rose Strauss spent Saturday in Caro.

Leslie Hewitt and Glen Shagena attended a turkey shoot at Harbor Beach Gun Club Sunday where Glen Shagena got a turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kociel of Detroit were Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harbec. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Saturday afternoon visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Saturday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick.

TEN YEAR CLASS REUNION

The Ubyly High School class of 1966 held their 10 year class

reunion Saturday, Aug. 28, at Wildwood Farms. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tittling of Mt. Clemens spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rumpitz and Saturday attended her class reunion.

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Steve Scott and Ruth Hewitt of Spring Arbor spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hosner and Cindy of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchinson and family of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland, Lynn Spencer and son Bill were Sunday cookout

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mrs. Don Tracy was a Wednesday brunch guest of Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Berridge and Amie spent Labor Day week end at Houghton Lake.

Alex Ross of Bad Axe was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and family were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and family.

Mrs. Mark Bush and family of North Branch and Mrs. Mike Dreger and family were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family.

Shirley Ross and Sheila Dalton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family. Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight of Bad Axe were evening guests.

Jason and Melissa Jackson were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tracy were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol were Tuesday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Bob Berridge of Bloomfield Hills, Phil Berridge of Port Huron, Ron Berridge of Big Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge and Sid were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry VerEllen at Romeo and attended the peach festival and parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker

were Wednesday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Zuluaf of Ubyly were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy. Mrs. Zuluaf and Mrs. Schenk also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Henley and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kulish and Bradley of Frankentmuth and Mr. and Mrs. John Mergyl of Sterling Heights spent Labor Day week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rumpitz.

Mrs. Jim Doerr was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Holm of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and daughters were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

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

Mrs. Steve Hosner of Lansing was a Saturday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Ira Robinson and Sara Campbell and Clayton went to the Rosello Funeral Home at Flushing to pay their respects to their aunt, Laura Lewis.

Becky Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rumpitz were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Minnie Williams of Elkton was a Tuesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morell and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Painter of Bad Axe were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer, Mrs. Arnold Lapeer, Mrs. Frank Laming and Mrs. Jerry Decker were among a group who attended a bridal shower for Judy Tracy at the home of Mrs. Carl Kellar Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gardner of Elkton were Saturday evening guests at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Swackhamer and son and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Streussnig and family of Bad Axe were Sunday supper guests of Sara and Clayton Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Mrs. Charles Bond was a Monday dinner guest and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mrs. Jim Lowe, who was a patient in Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City, went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Brown Friday where she will spend some time.

Amy Doerr accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Curtis Cleland, to Port Huron Thursday and were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian

Kippen. While in Port Huron, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kippen, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kippen. They also visited Maud Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cleland at Sparlingville. Friday afternoon, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Lawler and Mary Lou Mead at Lexington and Jennie Duckert at Apple-gate.

Randy Lapeer and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Tuesday lunch guests of Mrs. Manly Fay.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Benke and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yax of Almont were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Deneen were Sunday afternoon guests of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Mike Schenk was a Friday evening guest and Mrs. Beatrice Hundersmarck was a Sunday afternoon and evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Lynn Peterson of Dearborn was a Wednesday visitor at the Olin Bouck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Peterson at Lakeside.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis of Bad Axe.

Your neighbor says

Debate worth debatable

Three debates tentatively have been scheduled between President Ford and Democratic presidential candidate Jimmy Carter, beginning later this month. Billed as a chance for the voters to hear the contenders speak out on the issues, the debates are seen as something less by Ms. Carolyn Bencotter of Cass City.

"I think the debates are a waste of time and money," Ms. Bencotter says. "I think everyone pretty well knows already who they plan to vote for."

Ms. Bencotter says after hearing both political conventions and after listening to the opening volleys in the campaign, most voters have a pretty good idea of where the candidates stand.

She says she plans to tune in for at least part of the debates.

"I plan to listen and consider what they have to say," she says. Ms. Bencotter sees the debates as benefiting the

party out of the White House--the Democrats--more than the Republicans, just as it did in 1960.

Ms. Bencotter was born in Pennsylvania and has lived in Michigan the past eight years. She came to Cass City four years ago. She is employed at the Regional Educational Media Center in Cass City.



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AROUND THE FARM Ag Expo set Oct. 5-6

By William Bortel

The largest show of its kind ever in Michigan - The Michigan Corn-Sugar Beet Expo - is expected to draw some 10,000 people to the Richard Donahue farm, seven and one-half miles northeast of Caro, Oct. 5 and 6.

Farmers and agribusiness men alike are expected to come from throughout the Midwest and Canada to see the latest in farm machinery, equipment, chemicals, seed and supplies.

Michigan is one of a very few states which has never held a large machinery show of this nature in the midwest. Since farmers and agribusiness people in Michigan deserve an opportunity to see a large show in their own backyard, the Expo will be held.

The Expo will run from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, and those attending should plan to spend at least a half day in order to take in all that will be going on on the 280 acre Expo grounds.

A 40 acre parcel of land has been reserved for the exhibit area. There will be over 115 exhibitors which will be filling this area. The larger machinery companies will be displaying their wares on forty foot by forty foot square lots. Company displays with smaller exhibits will be showing their wares in three commercial tents.

Displays will include four-wheel drive tractors, harvesters, tillage equipment, corn dryers, aerial spraying apparatus, chemicals, seed, tilling and corn and sugar beet related agriculture companies.

To the north of the exhibit area, 40 acres have been set aside for parking, and east of the exhibit area will be 40 acres of corn plots. Thirty-five varieties of corn will be shown in the plots, herbicides will be demonstrated, and special crop trials will include a 200 bushel corn challenge plot, aerial applications, zinc acetate yield enhancer and

Mac Schell dies Sept. 1 in Caro

Funeral services for Malcolm (Mac) Schell, 66, Caro, were held Saturday, Sept. 4, at the Colton Funeral Home in Caro.

Mr. Schell died Wednesday, Sept. 1, at Caro Community Hospital following a long illness.

He was born Oct. 14, 1909, in Detroit, and moved to Caro four years ago from Bermuda. He was a retired bookbinder and also a U.S. Army retiree. He was a member of Graphic Arts Local No. 20.

He married Thelma Riach, Nov. 11, 1939, in Detroit.

In addition to his widow, other survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Frances Waltz of Detroit and Mrs. Ed (Ruth) Steiner of Lake Charles, La.; two brothers, Robert and Donovan Schell, both of Cass City, and several nieces and nephews.

Rev. Alex Holmes officiated at the funeral, with burial in Ellington cemetery.

John Y. Brown families meet

Around 80 relatives attended the annual John Y. Brown reunion Sunday afternoon, Sept. 5. It was held at the Gerard Marchand farm, formerly the John Y. Brown homestead. Potluck dinner was held at 1 p.m. and ice cream was served in the afternoon.

New officers elected were Robert McPhail, president, Gerald Guinther, vice-president, and Linda McPhail, secretary-treasurer.

Tentative plans are for the reunion to be held the first Sunday in September, 1977, at the same location.

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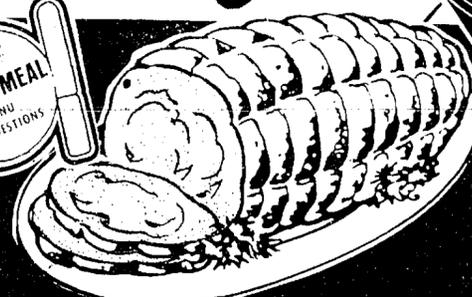


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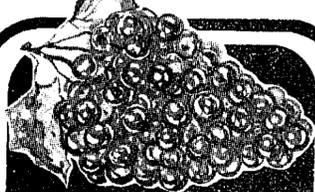
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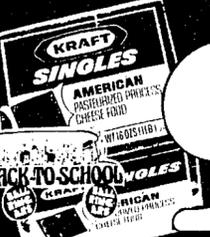
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Elementary Education 532: "Reading in the Content Areas" is being offered for three semester hours credit. Registration is Monday, Sept. 13, at 5 p.m. at the Cass City High School, Room 201.

The course emphasizes the teaching of reading skills in content areas focusing on the middle and upper grades.

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BY DR. WILLIAM J. WELCH



(Substituting for the vacationing Dr. Welch this month is Dr. Walter C. Alvarez, former nationally syndicated columnist and Emeritus Consultant of Medicine, Mayo Clinic. These selections are taken from "Dr. Walter C. Alvarez on Health and Life," published by Major Books.)

For years I have wondered at the fact that although I can almost always recognize alcoholism in a man, I have often been fooled by a woman.

The statistics show that in hospitals where alcoholics are treated there tend to be three males for every one female, although some experts feel such statistics do not tell the whole story about women alcoholics.

One expert, sociologist Earl Rubinton, thinks that almost 70 per cent of the estimated 900,000 women alcoholics in the United States are not detected; other studies suggest that as many as nine out of ten are undetected.

Judy Fraser, writing in the journal "Addictions" (published by the Addiction Research Foundation of Ontario, in Toronto, Canada), wonders whether part of the problem of finding women alcoholics is that they often do their drinking alone at home, perhaps out of boredom, loneliness and frustration.

Their families may also protect them. In most of the cases I have seen, the husband who brought his wife to me for help did not tell me what he knew — that she was an alcoholic.

She also believes that even though drunken women are frowned upon, policemen are less likely to arrest a woman for drunkenness. If a woman is arrested, the judge is likely to dismiss her without any

punishment, which is correct, because alcoholism is a disease and not a crime.

Fraser said "Studies have shown convincingly that the woman who drinks is more highly criticized than any drinking man... Regardless of her social or economic status, the woman alcoholic faces greater castigation from a less tolerant society."

"Indeed, even the lady drunk from the most refined, well-inclined family in town still rates a shade below the regular male habitue of Skid Row on the scale of social acceptability," Fraser added.

These attitudes, and the tendency of many people to "look the other way" when a woman drinks excessively, have resulted in the lack of treatment facilities where women alcoholics can be helped. Many clinics have limited or no facilities for women. This is unfortunate, because alcoholism in a wife can be as rough on a family as it is in a husband.

Alcoholics Anonymous, a group dedicated to helping alcoholics, is a successful organization because the person who knows most about alcoholism is the person who has himself recovered from alcoholism.

The family of an alcoholic can find help at Al-Anon, an organization made up of the families of alcoholics. Here they can find ways to face the many problems that come to them because of an alcoholic in the family.

Women who are in particular danger of alcoholism are unattached, middle-aged, working women who live alone. Statistics show alcoholism is increasing among this group. I have seen alcoholism in the wives of able physicians.

Sometimes a woman will begin depending on alcohol during a period of stress, such as a breakup of a marriage. The average age of women admitted to a hospital for the first time because of alcoholism is forty, but the records show that such women have been abusing alcohol since they were between 28 and 33 years of age.

Researchers have found an especially high rate of alcoholism in the immediate families of women alcoholics. At least one-third have alcoholic fathers or brothers. This is what I have discovered in my practice.

For the booklet, "Psoriasis," send 25 cents and a long stamped, self-addressed envelope to Dr. William J. Welch, Box 4994, Dept. CCC, Des Moines, Iowa 50306.

AGENT'S CORNER

Plan thumb tour Sept. 29

Aliene Mills - Extension Agent

A "Thumb Community Tour" is planned Wednesday, Sept. 29.

The program will begin at 9:15 a.m. at the Fish Point State Game Area headquarters located on Ringle Road north of M-25. Stops will include a lecture tour of the Fish Point State Game Area, lunch at the Log Cabin in Sebawaing, tour of the Luckhard Museum and Indian Museum in Sebawaing and the Round Barn owned by Mr. and Mrs. Zsigmond Egey-Samu near Gageton.

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The regular immunization clinics of the Sanilac County Health Department will be held in the health department office at 115 N. Elk St., Sandusky Sept. 16 and Sept. 22.

The hours for both days are 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-4:00 p.m.

If possible, parents whose last name begins with A-M should attend on the first day, and parents whose last name begins with N-Z should attend on the second day.

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Children three months of age and over are invited to attend.

A parent or guardian must accompany the child. Parents are urged to bring a record of previous immunization.

Shabbona News

Marie Meredith

Phone 672-9489

Mrs. Bruce Kritzman spent Tuesday and Wednesday in northern Michigan with her daughter, Mrs. Keith Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Taylor were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mrs. George Krause was a Thursday caller of Mrs. Stanley Hood of Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler took Jerry back to Ann Arbor Monday. He received a new cast on his leg and now is able to attend school.

Mrs. Bruce Kritzman was a Friday afternoon caller of Marie Meredith.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sprague and daughters of Bay Port were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Burnison and sons of Saginaw

were Tuesday evening callers of Mrs. Ben Burnison. They brought ice cream and cake to celebrate Chuck's birthday. Their son Thomas has been visiting here from Florida.

The RLDS church will have a luncheon and bake sale. Those in charge are Mrs. Robert Sawdon, Mrs. Bruce Kritzman, Mrs. Hazen Kritzman and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Andy Hoagg was transferred from Hills and Dales General Hospital Tuesday to Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.



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General Telephone Company will be completing a \$14,700 construction project in the Cass City exchange this year, according to C.R. Kowalski, Northeastern Division Manager for the company.

The project consists of placing 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 rain, wind, and lightning, in addition to restoring the natural beauty of the environment.

7,816 in

Tuscola get

social security

Social security benefits were being paid to 7,816 residents of Tuscola county at a rate of \$1,403,944 a month at the start of 1976, according to William T. Clynes, social security manager in Saginaw.

Monthly social security benefits are payable to workers and their dependents when the worker retires, becomes severely disabled, or dies. 3,691 retired workers and 578 disabled workers received monthly social security benefits at the beginning of 1976. In addition, 983 wives or husbands of the worker, 1,418 children and 1,146 widows, widowers or parents received monthly social security benefits.

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Swirl of activities keeps Cass City Missionary's Rev. Taylor busy

When Rev. Robert E. Taylor took over the reins at Cass City Missionary church in mid-July, it didn't take long for the 43-year-old pastor to get into the swing of things.

In the past six weeks, he's had to coordinate a tenth anniversary celebration for the church, attend an International Youth Conference at Ball State University in Muncie, Ind., and prepare for a missionary conference at the end of this month.

"I haven't had much time to even go through the paperwork or get to know many names," Rev. Taylor said, leaning back in his chair and looking over the nearby farm-land through his office window.

"The problem is you have to remember everybody's name but they only have to remember one."

Rev. Taylor's largest task is helping put together the tenth anniversary, set for next Sunday, Sept. 12. "When I got here, I found out I was chairman of the committee and I knew nothing about it," he said.

It didn't take long to get his bearings, he said, thanks to willing workers who could get things done. The celebration begins at 10:00 a.m. with a coffee and fellowship period in the church basement, followed by a 90-minute worship service. Guest speakers will include Rev. Fred Johnson from Leavenworth, Wash., who was the pastor at the time the church was built, and Rev.

John E. Tuckey, former Michigan District Superintendent.

Following a noon potluck meal, an afternoon service is scheduled for 2:30 p.m., with Dr. Kenneth Geiger, president of the Missionary church, Ft. Wayne, Ind., as the speaker. Special music will be provided by the Country Aires musical group from Roseburg.

A third service, set for 7:00 p.m., features Rev. Joe Jones, Michigan District Superintendent of Flint, as the speaker with more special music scheduled.

This is Rev. Taylor's third church in 16 years as a minister. He pastored six years in Culbertson, Neb., and 10 years at the Midland Missionary church, Midland. He describes himself as a conservative.

"By conservative, I mean I'm a Bible-reading, Bible-believing, Bible-living Christian," he says. "I believe God's word is true and that it's my responsibility to be obedient to it and to preach it to others."

He says he has two goals for his church at the outset.

"First of all I want to shut the back door," he says. "I don't want people coming into the church and then letting it slide. I want to encourage people to become regular attenders."

"I also want to make contact with every home in the area to find out if they are attending church and to invite them if they aren't. I don't

believe in trying to take people out of one church and putting them in another."

A former coach in the Illinois school system, Rev. Taylor sees the job of a minister getting tougher. With more going on, it's tougher to draw people into

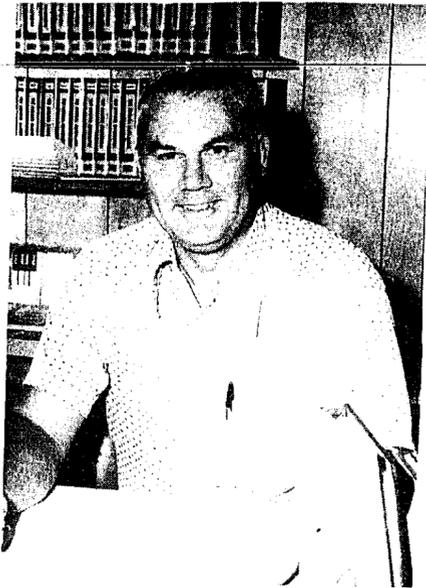
church, especially when week-end recreation beckons.

Rev. Taylor and his wife, Elaine, are both graduates of Ft. Wayne Bible College of Ft. Wayne, Ind.

He is on the Christian Education Board for the district and is a director of Camp

Lakeview near Goodrich. The couple has two daughters living at home, one

daughter who is married and a son who is a junior at Bethel College, Mishawaka, Ind.



REV. ROBERT TAYLOR, new pastor at Cass City Missionary church.

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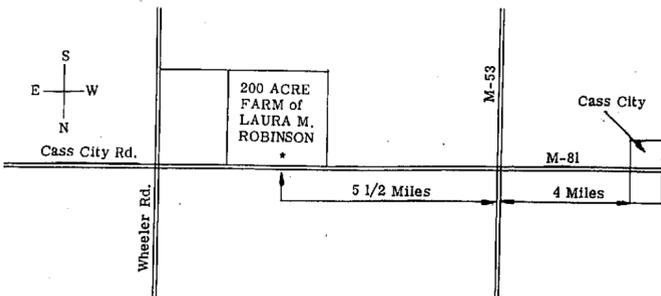
Curved glass china cabinet, oak dressers, 2 oak sideboards, several small oak tables, 2 brass beds, 3 commodes, square oak table with 5 leaves, Captains chair, several rocking chairs, child's rocker, set of 5 chairs, several oak chairs, leather-covered rocker, small round table, camel back trunk, milk safe, wood cupboard, blanket box, large tin box, Mantel clock, cedarized closet with glass doors, 2 drop leaf tables, 2 sewing machines, wood kegs, crock churn, glass churn, high chair, large assortment of picture frames, mirrors, feather tick, sod iron, iron bed, copper boiler, crocks, kerosine lamps, sausage grinder, cast iron pot, blankets, kraut cutter, Carnival bowl, Carnival tumblers, cups and saucers, pressed glass cookie jar, Depression glass, pressed glass dishes, pitcher, others.

Household & Miscellaneous

Davenport and chair, New Home portable sewing machine, oil space heater, Hoover canister sweeper, set of stainless knives and forks, 2 radios, tea pots, tin ware, dishes, pots and pans, several baskets, bedding, mixer, toaster axes, shovels, rakes, many others.

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Set bond for Mrs. Schlicht in Circuit Court

Bond was set at \$10,000 for Susan Marie Schlicht, 19, Fairgrove, charged with homicide in the death of her 16-month-old son last January, during Tuscola County Circuit Court motion day held Tuesday in Caro.

Mrs. Schlicht is charged in connection with a mobile home fire that took the life of the boy. She still faces arraignment in the case.

In other court action before Judge Norman Baguley, Mark Edward Rulason, 20, Mayville, was arraigned on a charge of larceny in a building. He stood mute and an innocent plea was entered in his behalf.

Pre-trial examination was set for Oct. 4, and bond was continued at \$1,000 personal recognizance.

Rulason is charged with the larceny of cigarettes from Zorn's Market in Mayville. He was arrested June 21.

Randy Webster, 22, Vassar, will be sentenced Sept. 20 after pleading guilty Tuesday to a probation violation charge.

Webster's bond was cancelled and he was remanded to the Tuscola County Jail.

In pre-trial examinations held Tuesday, a two-day trial was scheduled for Walter Putman, 44, Vassar, charged with assault. He was arrested July 2, in Vassar.

Bond for Dennis Michael Lamlin, 19, Caro, was reduced to \$10,000 from \$25,000 and a four-day jury trial was ordered. Lamlin is charged in connection with the armed robbery of a Kingston party store in May.

Michael James Lindner, 18, Vassar, will face a two-day jury trial on charges of receiving and concealing stolen property. He was arrested Feb. 18.



REMEMBER THOSE tall tomato plants grown by Lyle Biddle of Cass City? Well, the crop is just as large. Biddle is shown with a two-pound tomato recently harvested. There are more where this one came from, he says.

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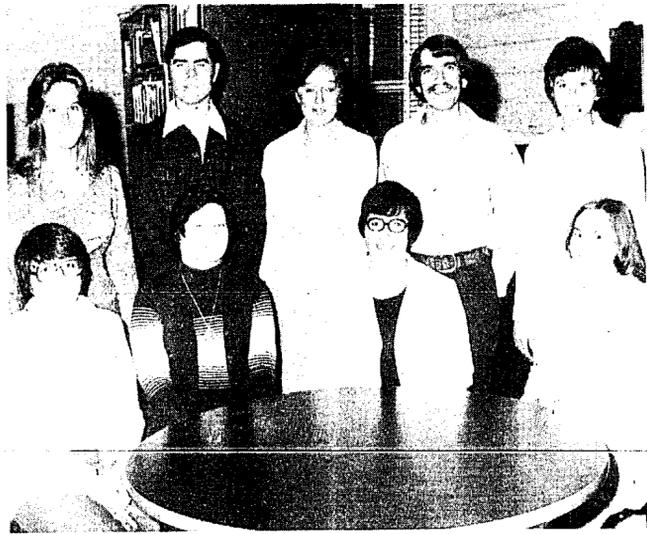
To them "noble" meant more than hereditary rank. Noble also meant "an exalted moral character, admirable in conception, stately"—all qualities epitomizing the democratic experiment called the United States.

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ONE OF THE smallest contingents of new teachers at Cass City Public Schools headed for the classrooms this week as school opened Tuesday. Shown are (from the left, seated) Linda Baer, Evergreen; Karen Hurt, Evergreen; Donna Hurley, intermediate remedial reading, and Anne Jacobs, Campbell. Standing are Michelle Anscorb, intermediate; Doug Hall, Evergreen; Theresa Broski, elementary special education; Stephen Leith, high school chemistry and physics, and Mary Ann Burnison, Evergreen.

Police probe auto theft

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separate bad check offenses at the Cass City Hotel and Old Wood Drug. Police Chief Gene Wilson said one of the suspects may be turned over to county authorities who are probing other bad check reports.

The incidents took place last week.

Police also reported an unidentified woman attempted to pass a forged prescription for 90 morphine tablets at Old Wood Drug last Friday.

Wilson said the prescription was returned to the suspect, making it impossible to prosecute.

Carl Palmateer, Cass City, reported a 10-speed bicycle was stolen from his home on West Main Street Saturday.

The bicycle, valued at \$160, had not been recovered early this week. Police have no suspects.

Ira E. Kincaid, of Phillips Road, Kingston, reported the

theft of a .22 caliber automatic rifle and a guitar from his home Sunday.

Caro State Police said the culprits entered the house through a bathroom window.

The stolen property was valued collectively at \$100. Police have no suspects.

Mobile crime unit back on track

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are tied directly to the Sheriff's office for use exclusively by those departments.

In Tuscola county, any local police department, as well as the Michigan State Police post in Caro will be able to use the unit.

Once the unit is in operation, it is expected the unit will cost over \$33,000 annually to operate, according to figures in the original grant proposal.

The continued rise in the county's crime rate is one of the reasons cited for having the unit, which could be used to investigate and preserve evidence at the scene.



THESE FOUR Cass City students helped collect \$60 during the nationwide Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy telethon Monday. The money will be counted toward the nearly \$22 million in cash and pledges collected across the country. Shown are (from the left) Dawn, Juanita, Brad and Gary Bradley, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bradley of 4207 Sherman St.

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Coho salmon beckon anglers

The more than two million coho and chinook salmon now schooling off 34 Michigan rivers and lakes are ample evidence of the amazing success of Michigan's 10-year-old salmon planting program, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

"When the first of 850,000 young coho salmon were planted in Lake Michigan in 1966, no one even dreamed of the crowds of fishermen and tourists they'd attract," stated Joseph Ratke, Auto Club touring manager.

This year, an army of anglers approaching a half-million from across the continent will take home about 1.2 million of the silvery coho and chinook, which soon will start spawning runs into rivers and lakes listed on Auto Club's 1976 salmon guide. Peak runs should occur from mid-September to mid-October.

Coho up to 25 pounds and chinook averaging 30 pounds will appear at five more sites than last year. Three streams along Lake Huron, plus one in Lake Michigan, will receive their first runs of mature coho or chinook. The first run of spawning chinook also is expected in the Detroit River near Belle Isle, Auto Club stated.

The most improved fishing, however, is expected along Lake Huron's shoreline, where 50 per cent more salmon than last year — mostly chinook—are waiting for anglers.

The biggest increase of mature fish is expected on the Au Sable River near Oscoda, where returns from more than 400,000 chinook planted in 1973 and 150,000 coho salmon planted in 1975 already are schooling for runs to Foote Dam.

This year, anglers fishing the half-mile stretch from the dam to Rea Road from Sept. 1 to Oct. 31 also are permitted to keep foul-hooked Pacific salmon under the state Department of Natural Resources rules.

Anglers are restricted to use of unweighted double or treble hooks no more than three-eighths inch from point to shank or single hooks no more than one-half inch from point to shank. Legalized snagging also is permitted in 11 other rivers and lakes, all indicated on Auto Club's map. For dates and sections the rules apply on each stream, contact any DNR office.

An Alaskan strain coho will appear for the first time at two Thumb-area streams, off Diamond Creek at Port Hope and Elk Creek at Sanilac State Park in Sanilac county.

A first-time run of chinook is expected in Nagle Creek at Hoelt State Park north of Rogers City and a moderate coho run will develop in Tawas Bay as well. Other good runs are expected at

Harrisville and Au Gres.

The recent landing of chinook approaching 40 pounds off Harrisville and Oscoda is good reason to feel that state record salmon now may be in Lake Huron.

"The state coho record has stood at 30 pounds, eight ounces since 1971 and is ripe for breaking," said Ratke. "The record 44-pound, two-ounce chinook caught last year in the St. Joseph River could fall just as easily."

Best bets for fall Lake Michigan coho anglers should be on Platte Bay above Frankfort, off Manistee near the Manistee River, Portage Lake north of Manistee and the Big Sable River near Ludington. Chinook fishermen should try Lake Michigan off the Big Manistee, plus the Grand, Muskegon, St. Joseph and Big Sable Rivers.

"Fishing on the Big Sable in Ludington State Park is by permit only from Sept. 15 to Oct. 31. Daily drawings will pick 375 anglers to fish the half-mile of river from the mouth to Hamlin Lake Dam in three-hour shifts," Ratke said.

Other Lake Michigan waters expecting good chinook runs are Brewery Creek in Grand Traverse Bay's West Arm, Bear River area between Petoskey and Charlevoix, off Thompson Creek near Manistique and the Upper Peninsula's Big Cedar River near Menominee.

Lake Superior's best chinook catches should come off the Falls River at Baraga and the Dead River at Marquette. For coho, try the Black and Presque Isle Rivers north of Ironwood and the Dead River at Marquette.

Salmon anglers wishing to charter a boat can write for a free copy of the Michigan Charter Boat Directory from the Michigan Travel Commission, Lansing, Michigan 48913.

Official Proceedings Of The
TUSCOLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
AUGUST 10, 1976

Meeting of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners was called to order by the Chairman, Charles F. Woodcock.
Roll Call: All members present.
Discussion was had on the Thumb Intelligence Contract.

76-M-157
Alton Reavey, Chairman of the Planning Commission, appeared before the Board and discussion was had on the O. E. D. P. Committee.
Motion by Dehmel, supported by Nagy, the proposed list of committee members be accepted. Motion carried.

76-M-157A
Motion by McConkey, supported by Wenta, that the name of Robert Wellington be presented to act on the Regional Transportation Advisory Board. Motion carried.

76-R-15
Motion by Dehmel, supported by Nagy, the following Resolution be adopted and Commissioner Kennedy be instructed to present it at the State Convention. Motion carried.
Whereas, County Road Commissioners throughout the State of Michigan are suffering from the inflationary spiral; coupled with a decline in revenues commensurate with the decline in gasoline purchases; and
Whereas, Motor Vehicle Highway Funds (State Highway Department Share) have been diverted to the Mass Transit interests in the amount of \$43,000,000.00 for fiscal years 1976 and 1977 in the forms of loans with no visible evidence that repayment can be accomplished; and
Whereas, the State of Michigan enjoys a disproportionate share of the Motor Vehicle Highway Funds inasmuch as they receive 44.5% of money with only 8% of the mileage (9,322 miles) compared with 35.7% to the 83 County Road Commissions responsible for 75.9% of the mileage (88,048 miles); and
Whereas, we are in sympathy with the needs of the major cities in the Mass Transit area, we are also cognizant of the fact that the cities' survival is even more dependent on the production and delivery of agricultural products of this State's agricultural industry; and
Whereas, the neglect of local roads due to the negligence and almost total lack of funding from the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund which is supported by the purchase of motor fuel and license fees by all operators of automobiles and trucks who demand the use of local roads; and
Whereas, the present condition of the local road system is causing restrictions and deterioration of equipment to the extent that it works a considerable hardship on the very people who provide the funds to the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund and adds to the cost of agricultural products at the expense of the purchasers, including those in major cities; and
Whereas, the necessitated load reductions because of inadequate bridges and other local road conditions have an adverse effect on the attempts at fuel conservation; and
Whereas, the diversion of Motor Vehicle Highway Funds to other State agencies, for administration and collection has been increasing at an alarming rate via the budget process with the approval of the State legislature and these State agencies are exempt from the limitation placed upon County Road Commissions by a declining fund;
Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the counties' share of the Motor Vehicle Highway Funds be increased from 35.7% to 40% with the increase to be allocated to the Local Road System; and
Be It Further Resolved, that the fuel tax structure be revised from a gallonage basis to a percentage of the wholesale value and the weight tax license fee be revised to a flat rate plus a value added formulae.
Be It Further Resolved, that we seek concurrence of the resolution from the Bay County Road Commission, the Blue Water and Vacationland Councils of the County Road Association of Michigan, Bay County Township Officers Association and the Michigan Townships Association; and
Be It Further Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be presented to the Michigan Association of Counties Resolution Committee for submission to the Michigan Association of Counties Convention to be held at Mackinaw Island on August 12, 13, and 14, 1976.
Resolution declared adopted.
Yeas: Reavey, Eno, Laurie.
Nays: None.
Don Peterhans, Director of the Medical Care Facility, appeared before the board and discussion was had on financial problems at the Facility.
76-M-158
Frank Lenard, Manpower Director, appeared before the board with a Title II P.S.E. Plan for 1977.
Motion by Kennedy, supported by Wenta, the amended plan be accepted. Motion carried.
Recess for lunch.
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76-M-159
Motion by Wenta, supported by McConkey, the Title II report be received and placed on file. Motion carried.

76-M-160
Frank Kroswek, Civil Defense Director, appeared before the board with a proposed annex nuclear alarm plan.
Motion by Wenta, supported by Nagy, the program be accepted and the Chairman be authorized to sign. Motion carried.

76-M-161
Hugh Marr, Sheriff, appeared before the board with a report on the Sheriff sale of 1976.
Motion by Collon, supported by Wenta, the report be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

76-M-162
Motion by Dehmel, supported by Nagy, the Sheriff be authorized to have the Corrections Dept. make a survey on smoke detection equipment.

76-M-163
Motion by Nagy, supported by Collon, the matter of the Janitor in the Sheriff Dept. be referred to the Personnel Committee for further study and recommendation. Motion carried.
Sally Atchinson, Executive Director of the Human Development Commission, appeared before the board and discussion was had on a proposed change in the four county coordinating area.
Commissioner Kennedy, Chairman of the Claims and Accounts Committee, presented the following report:

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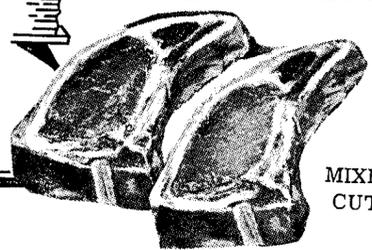
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Auxiliary sets style show

Some of the latest in fashions will be presented by Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary during a style show scheduled Wednesday, Sept. 22, at 7:30 p.m. at Colony House.

Six Thumb area merchants will contribute a host of styles ranging from children's through adult for both men and women.

The event, designed as a fund-raising project by the auxiliary, is coupled with the organization's annual membership drive.

According to Mrs. Donna Wischmeyer, co-chairman of the event, there is no set goal or designation for any money raised. Funds will eventually find their way into hospital coffers for whatever the needs are, she said.

Each merchant will be responsible for supplying models for the show. Some auxiliary members have volunteered to participate as models, Mrs. Wischmeyer said.

In addition to the show, door prizes will be given and

refreshments will be served. Tickets may be purchased from any auxiliary member. Ticket committee members include Doris Fritz, Betty Greenleaf and Florence Karr.

File \$10,000

suit in

1973 accident

A county man is suing two other persons in connection with injuries he suffered in a traffic accident nearly three years ago on M-46 in the western part of Tuscola county.

Harold McAlpine is seeking damages in excess of \$10,000 from Harry J. Hecht, Walter Hutfilz and Walter Hutfilz Trucking Co., in connection with the accident.

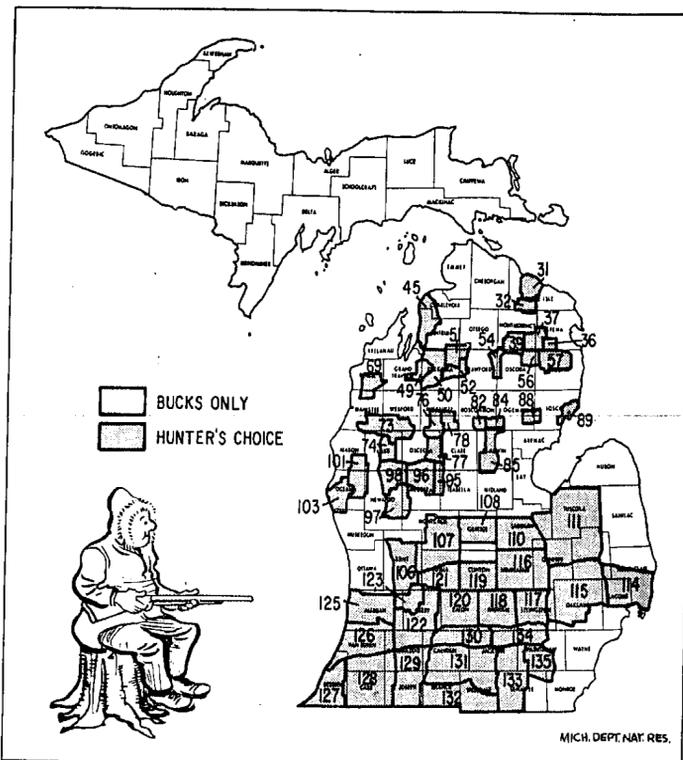
McAlpine claims he suffered injuries in the three-vehicle crash. According to the suit, Hecht and the Hutfilz truck driven by Casper Market Jr., collided, sending Hecht's vehicle across the road and striking the car in which McAlpine was a passenger.

Driver of the McAlpine vehicle was listed as Patrick Hayes of Deckerville.



LOOKING OVER some of the fashions to be displayed at the Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary Style Show set Sept. 22 are co-chairman Donna Wischmeyer and daughter Karla.

Deer Hunting Format for 1976



Michigan firearm deer hunters should find the 1976 season prospects as good or better than last year's when a record number of bucks--96,890--and 10,800 antlerless deer were harvested. Field reports by Department of Natural Resources wildlife biologists indicate the current herd size is equal to the 1975 estimate at this time. Unless a sportsman receives a Hunter's Choice permit, he may shoot only a buck during the November 15-30 firearm season. Those with Hunter's Choice permits may hunt any deer in designated areas (between November 15-21 in the southern Lower Peninsula; November 15-30 in the northern Lower Peninsula). Only bucks may be taken in the Upper Peninsula. Application deadline for permits is October 1, with forms available from license dealers statewide. The DNR plans to issue about 110,000 permits. Archery deer hunting runs October 1-November 14 and December 1-31; the season for muzzleloaders runs December 3-12.

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Safran sees Circuit Court salaries as central issue

John Safran's bid for a seat as a judge in the Lapeer-Tuscola 40th judicial district is based almost solely on one issue-money.

Safran says the present salary of \$31,500 is enough.

He also says he plans to fight requests for an increase he says are coming in October.

Safran, 68, announced his candidacy for the seat currently held by Judge Martin E. Clements earlier this year after the Tuscola county Board of Commissioners turned down a request by Judge Norman Baguley for a raise.

The base salary of a Circuit Judge is set at \$26,500 by the Michigan legislature. County boards within the circuit may supplement that figure if they choose.

Safran is adamant--no raises.

"The demand of a judge whose salary is \$31,500 for a \$10,000 increase when the majority of the people of Lapeer and Tuscola counties are struggling to keep body

and soul together is foolhardy indeed," Safran says. "The voters are crying for dedicated public officials rather than those seeking material advancement. The present judge has shown a total disregard for the needs of the people. Thus, I have felt it necessary to offer myself as a candidate."

Safran, a Clifford-area resident, has been a lawyer since graduating from the Detroit College of Law in 1931.

He has been a minister since 1945 and served during 1946-47 as pastor of Trinity United Methodist Church in Cass City. Other pastorates have included Marysville, Onaway, Manistique and Detroit, where he served as an associate pastor at Central Methodist Church.

Safran says he's talked with 4,600 persons in the two counties since May 1 and "99 per cent have said they think the judges are being paid



John Safran enough." He says he can impart a "judicial temperament" to the bench through his dual role as a lawyer and minister.

"I feel I have the ability to understand people and to listen to them," he says. Safran sees the increasing crime rate as the greatest threat faced by society--greater than unemployment and inflation.

He refused to discuss specific directions he would take as a judge during a campaign swing through Cass City last week, but did say he believes in stiff prison sentences.

"Overall, I think the sentences aren't long enough," he said. "And the majority of people I've talked with believe the same thing. They don't feel safe."

Safran said he believes certain persons should be kept "in prison until they become rehabilitated."

Safran and his wife are the parents of four children. Their youngest daughter, Janette, was born in Cass City. They have 10 grandchildren.

Metric system finds way into Michigan schools

Acres: the amount of land a person could plow in a day with a yoke of oxen.

Mile: the distance covered by 1,000 double steps of a soldier on the march.

Foot: the length of someone's foot (a good-sized someone).

Learning to use measurements based on those criteria is "hopelessly outdated when people are walking on the moon," says Dr. John Porter, state superintendent of public instruction.

So, this fall, metric education becomes a standard part of math and science studies in Michigan schools.

All math and science textbooks must contain the metric system as the dominant form of measurement, says a decree from the state Board of Education.

The metric system, organized according to multiples of 10, is based on the meter (slightly more than a yard), the liter (slightly more than a quart) and the gram (1,000 equal about 2.2 pounds).

To help students understand the system, the state's education forces will provide "metric trunks"--footlockers packed with metric education material such as measuring cups and rulers--to the 22 regional educational media centers. Those centers will

make the material available to local school districts.

Further evidence of education's interest in metrics is found on a "filler" news release from the Department. It includes this point: "During an average year, Michigan school buses travel approximately 95 million miles (153 megameters)--further than the distance from the Earth to the Sun . . ."

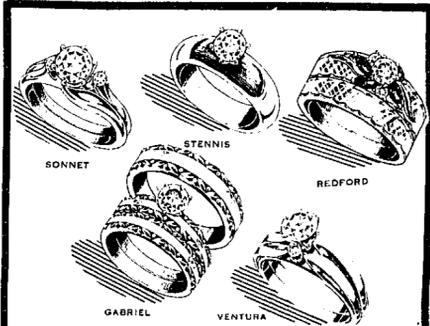
At this time, the United States is the only industrialized nation in the world, and one of only a handful of the 150-plus nations on earth, that have not converted to the metric system, Porter says.

But there are moves afoot to change that.

Many manufacturing companies are switching to metrics when they develop new products, says Malcolm E. O'Hagan, president of the American National Metric Council, a group dedicated to helping in an orderly change to the system.

In addition, Congress has passed and President Ford signed a measure creating a U.S. Metric Board to work on conversion problems.

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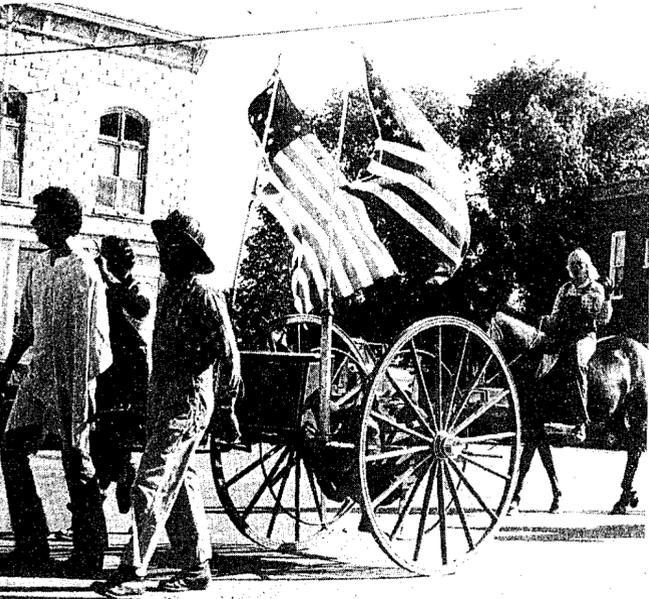
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BRENDA SHERMAN, Cass City, escaped serious injury early Saturday morning when she lost control of her car and landed in a ditch along Deckerville Road, seven miles southeast of Cass City.



GAGETOWN SHOWED its colors Saturday during its Bicentennial parade. The day included a picnic at the village park, a fire department waterball fight and games for the youngsters.

Injuries minor in area Labor Day accidents

Tuscola county's long Labor Day week end saw a rash of traffic accidents on area roads but none resulting in serious injuries to either drivers or passengers.

Paul N. Riccardi, 32, of Seeger Rd., Cass City, sought his own treatment for injuries he suffered when his motorcycle was struck by a pickup truck on M-53 at Seeger Road, Sunday morning.

Bad Axe State Police said Riccardi had signaled for a left turn onto Seeger Rd. but turned right instead. He told officers he swerved when he saw the pickup, driven by George Eidenberger, 40, Grand Rapids, bearing down on him in his rear view mirror.

Both vehicles were headed south. The accident took place at 12:20 a.m.

Penny Lynn McLean, 29, Ubyly, suffered cuts and bruises when the car in which she was riding collided with another auto at the Verona and Sectionline Road intersection, two and a half miles north of Verona, Sunday.

Bad Axe State Police said Ms. McLean was a passenger in a car driven by Esther I. McLean, 59, Ubyly. Two other passengers, Wallace J. McLean, 59, Ubyly, and Joric McLean, 5, also of Ubyly, escaped injury.

Police said the McLean auto was slowing to make a right turn and was struck in the rear by a car driven by Pearl J. Booher, 56, Hazel Park.

Ms. Booher said she didn't notice the McLean vehicle had begun slowing down. She was uninjured.

The accident took place at 12:30 p.m.

Details were unavailable Wednesday morning on a single-car accident Saturday morning in which the driver, tentatively identified as Brenda Sherman, Cass City, escaped injury. The accident took place on Deckerville Road between Englehart and Crawford Road.

The car reportedly ran off the road and landed in a ditch. The driver was uninjured.

The Tuscola County Sheriff's Department investigated.

Three persons were shaken up Friday morning in a two-car accident at the intersection of Kingston and Bevens Road, three miles north of Kingston.

Sheriff's deputies reported a car driven by Duane Geister, 75, of Van Dyke Rd., Decker, was westbound on Bevens Road and apparently drove into the path of a northbound auto driven by Trudy Susan Roley, 25, of 3563 Leslie Rd., Decker.

Deputies said the Roley vehicle left 50-foot skid marks prior to the collision.

Geister and his wife, Edna, 68, were treated at Marlette Community Hospital as was Ms. Roley. Geister was cited for failure to yield the right of way.

The accident took place at 10:55 a.m.

Gary Harold DuRussell, 27, of 6508 Deckerville Rd., Deford, was uninjured when his car ran out of control and landed in a field along M-24, a mile north of Mayville, Saturday.

DuRussell told Sheriff's officers he apparently fell asleep at the wheel. The accident took place at 5:00

a.m. A potentially serious accident resulted in only minor scrapes for two drivers at the busy M-24-M-46 intersection, six miles south of Caro, Monday.

Sheriff's deputies reported a northbound car driven by Gary Wayne Barber, 20, Caro, pulled into the path of an oncoming car driven by Ford Fraser Stewart, 66, of 3530 Ross St., Kingston.

Barber was cited for failure to yield the right of way. The accident took place at 12:30 p.m.

Cynthia Sue Langmaid, 19, of 4594 Oak St., Cass City, was uninjured when her car struck a deer on Kingston Road, a mile and a half south of Deford, Sunday.

Ms. Langmaid was headed north when the deer ran into the path of her vehicle from the east side of the road.

The accident took place at 3:30 a.m.

In a similar accident Monday, James Harold Kilbourn, 21, of Deford and his passenger, Cheryl Kilbourn, 25, were unhurt when their car struck a deer on Deckerville Road, a half mile east of

Deford. Kilbourn was headed east when the animal ran from the north side of the road. The accident took place at 7:25 p.m.

Coming Auctions

Saturday, Sept. 11 - An auction of personal property and real estate, owned by Laura M. Robinson, will be held at the place located nine and a half miles east of Cass City on E. Cass City Rd. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Saturday, Sept. 18 - Dean Lowe will sell personal property including household items, tools and equipment at the place located two and a half miles east of Cass City, corner of M-81 and Krapf Rd. Harold Copeland, auctioneer.



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Posted house still for sale

A partially-completed house located just outside Cass City's south village limit remained posted for no occupancy this week as owners of the structure continued efforts to sell it.

Paul Lefler, Tuscola County Building Code administrator, told the Chronicle Tuesday the owner, Miles Homes of Minneapolis, Minn., is attempting to sell the property through a Flint real estate firm.

Lefler said while the property can be sold, the house still can't be lived in until major renovations are completed. He said the house will be posted with larger "no occupancy" signs later this week.

"We want anyone thinking of buying this house to be aware of the situation," Lefler said.

He said renovating the structure is possible but would probably be expensive. He said, for instance, that the entire house would probably have to be jacked up and a new basement constructed.

The present basement was built without mortar between the cement blocks, he said. Lefler said his department may insist on detailed engineering on any renovations before the no occupancy order is removed.

The five-bedroom house is located along West Street south of Seventh.

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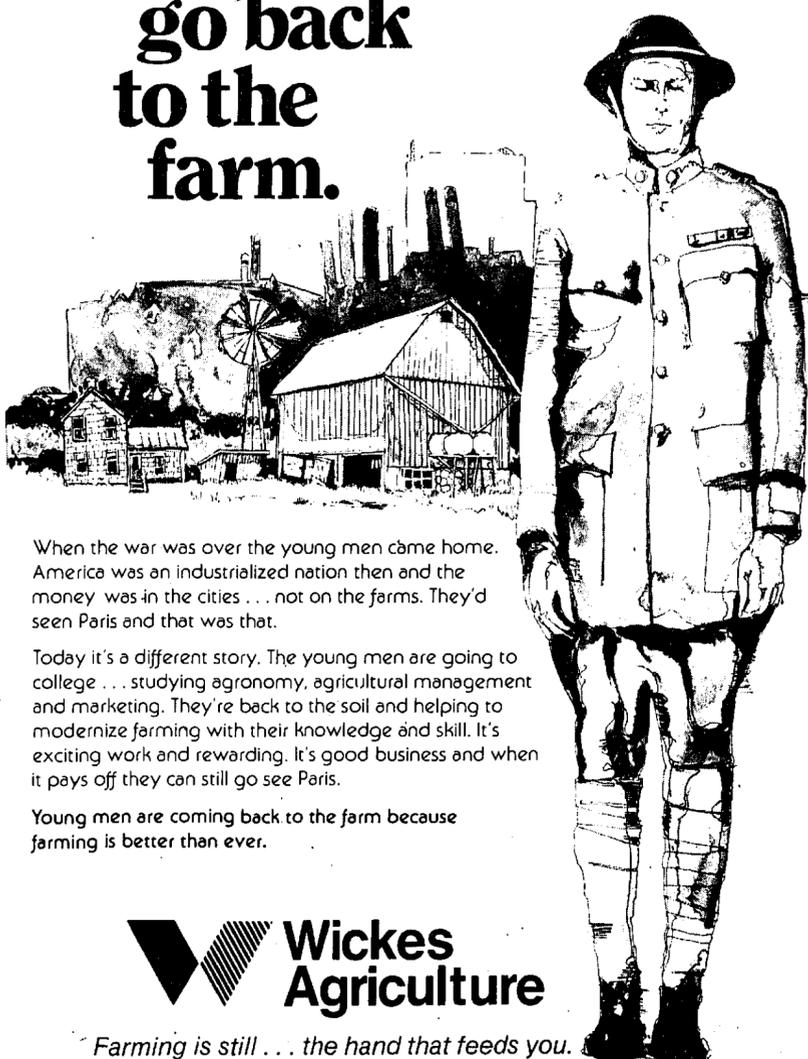
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Mrs. Leona Eckel and girls of Flint spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mitchell and family of Carleton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phelps and Mrs. Maude Holcomb

were Monday evening callers of Mrs. George Krause.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Sunday evening callers of Mrs. Maude Hough-ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heck of Sebawaing and daughter, Mrs. Leona Saueter, were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT

The RLDS Women's Department will meet Sept. 16, with Mrs. Floyd McIntosh instead of Mrs. Voyle Dorman. Worship will be by Mrs. Curtis Cleland. Roll call will be to bring a poem or tell something you like about autumn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith took Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister to dinner Saturday evening. The occasion was in honor of the Geisters' wedding anniversary. They returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Franklin for ice cream and cake. Other guests were waiting to help celebrate their anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clark of Wyoming, Ont., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander.

Brian Czaplak and Tim Greenleaf of Plymouth spent the holiday week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family. Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Smith entertained at a hay ride, followed by a cookout. Guests at the cookout were Mrs. Leona Eckel and girls of Flint, Mr.

and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr., Ray Burleson, and Ray Buerkle.

Mrs. Maude Holcomb and Marie Meredith were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sullivan and Sean of Richmond were Sunday guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Monday evening supper guests of Mrs. Gilbert Groombridge and sister, Mrs. Helen Flynn, at the Groombridge summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hoag of Northville spent the week end with Mrs. Andy Hoagg. They visited Andy Hoagg in Huron Memorial Hospital.

Miss Sally Krause of Lansing spent the week end visiting her mother, Mrs. Don Krause.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister and Diane were in Grand Rapids Monday. They attended an open house for Diane at her college.

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still a winner

Still a real winner, Michigan's lottery.

Slate officials declare our own "chance-of-a-lifetime" contest tops in the country for 1975-76. Michigan's lottery set an all-time sales record, taking in \$225.7 million—\$90 million more than the previous 12-month record.

Of that total, nearly \$107 million went into the state's general fund. The remainder went for prize money and operating costs.

That means millions and millions traded 50 cents or more for the long-shot chance of winning up to \$1 million.

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What happens to those who hit it big?

Some are targets of down-and-outers who want a hand-out. Others are asked for loans or have trouble warding off salesmen who figure they should invest in whatever. And a few even have had their homes burgled after winning big prize money.

But Dave Hanson, chief of public relations for Michigan's lottery bureau, says he's heard of no "really bad experiences, either here or in other states."

One major deterrent, he notes, is the fact that the big winners—those who come up with the \$1 million tickets—don't get their winnings all at once. Instead, the prize is doled out in annual chunks of \$50,000 for 20 years.

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Lottery bureau officials figure about a million people regularly play the game, buying their tickets at any one of the nearly 8,000 sale agencies across the state.

Michigan folks aren't the only ones who try for Michigan's big prize money either. Top ticket seller for 1975-76 was the Stateline Supermar-

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FOR SALE - 1970 Maverick new exhaust system and paint job. Also Mobil gas station and equipment with tools and stock. Inquire at 665-9902 or 665-2245. 1-8-19-4

FOR SALE - 1971 Chevy Impala. Can be seen 8 miles east, 1 mile south and 1 2 east of Cass City. 1-9-2-3

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1st and 3rd Saturday nights 7:00 p.m.

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FOR SALE - 1973 Vega Hatchback, mag wheels, 30,000 miles, excellent condition. \$1,500.00 or best offer. Call 872-2030. 1-9-9-3

General Merchandise

FOR SALE - Corn crib - 6'x22'. Also ducks and African geese. 3333 N. Cemetery, 2 1 2 miles south on west side. 2-9-9-3

FOR SALE - 1969 Ski Doo - brand new track and bogie wheels. 3 sets of axles, wheels and tires. Call 872-3104. 2-8-26-3

FOR SALE - 1974 Travel trailer, 18-ft. Excellent condition. Call evenings 872-3839. 2-9-9-3

GAS GRILLS - portable. Includes wheels, \$119.95. Fuelgas Co., Inc., Corner M-81 & M-53, Cass City. Phone 872-2161. 4-1-11

General Merchandise

COLEMAN FURNACES - 140,000 BTU and 160,000 BTU. Special \$249.95. Take your pick. Fuelgas Co., Cass City. Phone 872-2161. 2-6-10-11

FOR SALE - Honey rocks: # 1 potatoes - 50 lbs. for \$3.25, # 2's \$2.00, 5c lbs: sweet corn - 50¢ dozen; yellow summer squash - Spanish sweet onions - 50 lbs. for \$6.00; tomatoes sold by quart baskets only - we also have cherry tomatoes. Location: Intersection of M-53 and Bay City-Forestville Rd., just east of Crossroads Restaurant on Bay City-Forestville Road. Or call 872-3348. 2-8-26-3

FOR SALE - Tomatoes, by the bushel or any amount. Also melons. Call Gagetown 665-2410. 2-9-9-3

NEW MAGIC CHEF gas ranges, 30-inch size. Any color. Special \$199.95. Fuelgas Co., Cass City, phone 872-2161. Corner M-81 and M-53. 5-15-11

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Real Estate For Sale

Real Estate

40 acre hobby farm with approximately 35 tillable acres - 7 bedroom remodeled home - 2 nice pole buildings plus large barn and other buildings.

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7 acres in exciting area to build that dream home - about 6 miles out.

2 1/2 acre building spot - wooded in back - 5 miles out.

78 acres for investment - about half wooded - farm the rest.

30 acres with 3 bedroom home with oodles of fruit trees and berries. Priced under 30 thousand.

40 acre hobby farm - fireplace - 1 1/2 baths - full basement and other nice extras in all brick home with barn and new 2 car garage. Will welcome an offer on this one.

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Handyman Special - partially remodeled home with new fireplace and new full basement on approximately 4 wooded acres.

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General Merchandise

FOR SALE - Homelite chain saws; Johnson outboard motors, boats and accessories. Boyd Shaver's Garage, Caro. Across from Caro Drive-In. Phone OSborn 3-3039. 1-23-11

FOR SALE - one CB radio mobile unit with antenna, P A system and co-ax. Call 872-3543. 2-8-26-3

YARD SALE - Saturday, 8:00 till 6:00. Living room, dining room and bedroom furniture, in good condition. Also, other items including stereo and TV. 6796 Main St., Cass City. 2-9-9-1

BULK PROPANE systems for grain driers or home heating. Fuelgas Company of Cass City. 11-14-11

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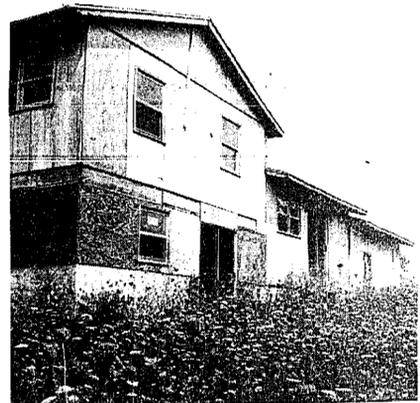
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Cass City 2-9-9-11

Real Estate For Sale

HOME FOR SALE



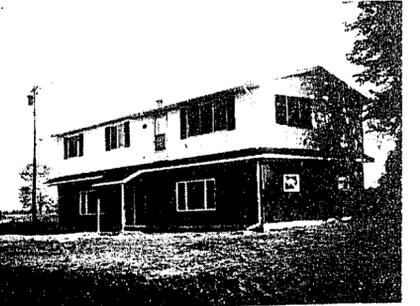
Earl Starr, of Labian Real Estate, will be in town from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 11 and 12.

Will take any reasonable offer on the above pictured home. This home is located at 4125 West St. in Cass City. Directions: Main St. to Elizabeth St., Elizabeth to West St. Follow the signs.

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CLIP AND MAIL TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith took Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister to dinner Saturday evening. The occasion was in honor of the Geisters' wedding anniversary. They returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Franklin for ice cream and cake. Other guests were waiting to help celebrate their anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clark of Wyoming, Ont., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander.

Brian Czaplak and Tim Greenleaf of Plymouth spent the holiday week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family. Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Smith entertained at a hay ride, followed by a cookout. Guests at the cookout were Mrs. Leona Eckel and girls of Flint, Mr.

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SUNDAY.....Mixed Doubles... 6 p.m. Call 872-4509

SUNDAY.....Junior League... 8 p.m.

INDIVIDUAL APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED

CALL 872-2844 OR 872-3117

ket in Niles, just a few miles from the Michigan border. That agent, according to the lottery bureau, sells "lots of tickets to those from out-of-state."

The average lottery ticket agent sold \$500 worth of tickets each week for the 1975-76 year.

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Hunters Abound

Ecology, yes. Hunting, no. Seems like the two thoughts would go together. But they don't when you're counting Michigan deer hunters.

"It seems that many people generally agree that a spin-off of the recent ecology movement has been an increase in anti-hunting sentiment," says Lawrence A. Tyel, head of the Department of Natural Resources office of surveys and statistics.

"But to date I cannot detect a tailing off in the participating in hunting."

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Take deer hunting as the example. The 1970 Michigan census was up 12.2 per cent from 1960. But in 1970 there were 40.5 per cent more deer hunters than 10 years earlier.

Tyel reports also that the state's estimated one million hunters have expanded their ranks by nearly 10.3 per cent since 1970--and the population rose only 4.5 per cent during that same period.

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Four Per Person

Are you a typical bookworm?

The State Library reports that the average Michigan resident borrowed four library books last year.

And the average library user was under 50, married, a high school graduate and has a white collar job.

One more tidbit of book-ish knowledge: The Michigan State Library was an independent agency from 1828 until 1965, when it became a division of the Department of Education.

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Atlas Coming

Want to know which Michigan counties have the most wineries? Or how fall colors progress northward from the Ohio border? Or how long it takes--going 55 mph--to reach Marquette from Lansing?

Check the upcoming state atlas, being put together by Michigan State University's department of geography.

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Abandoned Michigan lumber towns, current art and music centers, sites of sculptures across the state, all are included in this "Atlas of Michigan," to be available for about \$25 in a year.

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Real Estate For Sale

FARM LAND - 40 acres, Section 5, Argyle township, 65 acres, Section 4, Argyle township. Leonard J. Paterson, Adm., Sandusky, (313) 648-2414. 3-9-9-2

FOR SALE by owner - 3 bedroom ranch style home in nice subdivision, blacktop street, curb and gutter, carpeted throughout, paneled rec room in basement with fireplace, 2 car garage, large patio. Shown by appointment. Phone 872-3366. 3-8-26-3

HOUSE FOR SALE - 3 bedroom located at 4297 Ale St. Call Shirley Geiger, 872-2821 or 872-3817. 3-8-5-6

Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE - 40 acres, corner of Chapin and Cemetery Rd. Phone 872-2362. Frank Nemeth. 3-8-26-3

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Notices

WANTED - old pocket watches, rings, chains. Call 872-2635 after 5 p.m. 2-20-1f

Regular Elkland township meeting for Sept. 13 will be changed to Sept. 16. 7:30 p.m. at Fire Hall. 5-9-9-1

GRAPEFRUIT PILL with Diadex plus more convenient than grapefruits - Fat satisfying meals and lose weight. Old Wood Drug. 5-9-9-2

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WANTED - Land to rent for 1977 crop season in the Gage-town area. Call 665-2536, ask for Ray. 5-9-2-2n

LOST - 12-week-old cockapoo. Lost in Cass City Sunday. White with black ears and eyes. Answers to Susie. Reward. Phone 872-3934 after 4:00 p.m. 5-8-26-3

GAME PARTY - Every Sunday night, at St. Pancratius hall, Cass City, 7:30 p.m. 2-20-1f

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Now Organizing
Would you like to be part of a Great "Fall Color Tour", tour the Great Smoky Mountain National Park, tour Gatlinburg, Tennessee? Tour Berea, Kentucky - Home of Church Hill Weavers - The Appalachian Museum?
For complete details on the tour Oct. 7 thru 10, please contact, Parrott's Tours, P.O. Box 267, Deckerville, Mich. 48427. Phone 313-376-9245. 5-9-9-2

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CASE 310 diesel dozer
CASE 600 gas tractor
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Services

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

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APPLICATIONS FOR the position of patrolman are being received at the Cass City Municipal Building by the village superintendent. Certification preferred. Applications should be sent to Village Superintendent, Village of Cass City, 6737 Church St., Cass City, Mich. 48726. 11-9-9-2

ONE PHYSICAL Therapist needed to work on a contractual basis in the home health program of Tuscola county. Must be licensed in Michigan. Apply to Thumb District Health Department. Address: 2266 West Caro Road, Caro, Michigan. Phone: 517 673-4178. Deadline for applications - September 30, 1976. An Equal Opportunity Employer. 11-9-9-1

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Card of Thanks
The family of Fred Strassburg wish to express our thanks for the tender and loving care while our father was hospitalized in Hills and Dales General Hospital. Also Dr. Jeung and Dr. Lee.
We wish to compliment the Cass City florists on the beautiful arrangements for the funeral. 13-9-9-1

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Big Buy - budget price: 5 bedroom 2 story, in excellent location - includes country kitchen, formal dining, natural fireplace - carpeting and draperies - also central vacuum and dishwasher. 76207-TO

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Real Estate For Rent

FOR RENT - mobile home, 10x50. One child. No pets. Must have References. Inquire at Dillon's General Store, Colwood. Phone 673-3278. 4-9-2-3

FOR RENT - one bedroom house in Cass City. Call 872-3902. 4-9-9-1

FOR RENT - 1 bedroom upstairs apartment, attractive. Heat furnished. Private entrance. Call 872-3613. 4-9-9-1

FOR RENT - unfurnished upstairs apartment. Ideal for couple. Private entrance. \$100 month - plus utilities. Heat furnished. Call 872-2010. 4-9-2-1n

Notices

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80 ACRES: Close in to Cass City - Large 2 story Vinyl Sided home with 4 bedrooms; 3 year old oil furnace; Birch kitchen cabinets; wall to wall carpeting; 36x56' barn; tool shed; poultry house; year around stream thru property - \$55,000.00 terms. WILL SELL WITH ALL FARM EQUIPMENT and 24 head of Herefords for \$75,000.00 cash.

280 ACRES: with over 1 mile of Cass River frontage - ideal for Church Campgrounds; Camp Sites, Corporation Recreational use, 5 room home with 3 bedrooms - Centrally located in the Thumb Area of Michigan. \$500.00 per acre - Your inspection invited!!!!

CHOICE LOCATION!!!!
JUST LISTED!!! Eight room 2 story home with 4 bedrooms; wall to wall carpeting; 1 1/2 BATHROOMS; natural gas heating system; comes with draperies, curtains, Birch kitchen cabinets; aluminum siding; home is in very good condition; beautiful setting among large shade trees, flowers, etc. Offered to you for \$29,000. terms.

INCOME PROPERTY!!!!!!
IN CASS CITY: Two Family Home - 1st floor with 3 bedrooms; beautifully remodeled; wall to wall carpeting; UP-STAIRS apartment all modern; cobble stone porch - \$290.00 per month income --- Offered to you for \$21,500.00; Reduced from \$22,500.00 --- LIVE IN LOWER UNIT AND HAVE UPSTAIRS TENANT make your payments. YOUR INSPECTION INVITED!!!!

REMODELED!!!!
JUST LISTED!!! LARGE 2 story home with Vinyl Siding; 5 bedrooms; 1 den; 2 bathrooms; natural gas fired boiler with forced hot water heating system; new basement; aluminum storms and screens; comes with Gas range, refrigerator, automatic washer and dryer in copertone to match; two large maple shade trees on property --- out of state owners--- WANT IMMEDIATE SALE --- Asking \$26,000.00 terms.

ATTENTION RETIREES OR NEWLYWEDS!!!! NEAR SCHOOLS: 1 1/2 story home - natural gas furnace; electric water heater; 2 bedrooms; basement, 18x22' garage; a very good buy at \$15,000.00 - terms available. Immediate Possession.

SEVERAL 10 ACRE PARCELS - 1-5 Acre parcel - 1 - 1/4 Acre building site - close in to Cass City - MAKE YOUR SELECTION RIGHT NOW!!!!

BRICK HOME: Just outside village limits of Cass City --- 2 story home with 3 bedrooms; lots of cabinets in kitchen - some just 1 year old - dining room; home is insulated; carpeting; oil furnace; price reduced from \$18,500. to \$17,500.00 for immediate sale!!!! CALL FOR AN APPOINTMENT TODAY!!!!

JUST LISTED!!! RANCH TYPE home in excellent condition - part brick front and aluminum siding; 3 years old - natural gas heating system, gas hot water and gas cooking; wall to wall carpeting; full basement neatly decorated; 6" insulation in attic; sliding glass doors in kitchen; extra large lot 94x175' - spotless in and out --- all yours for \$37,500.00 - Shown by appointment!!!!

SCHOOLHOUSE --- REMODELED --- 1 ACRE --- black-top road - BRICK with 2 bedrooms; new Monier furnace; new water system; new electric water heater; new wiring; new aluminum storms and screens; well insulated; \$13,500.00 terms. Immediate Possession PLUS all furniture remains --- IDEAL FOR THE RETIREE!!!!

WILL TRADE!!
2 story Business building with living quarters - natural gas fired boiler 7 years old - 4 bedrooms; wall to wall carpeting; 2 bathrooms; basement; presently used as two family income property --- \$19,950.00 --- down payment \$3,000. balance like rent. WILL TRADE FOR WHAT HAVE YOU?????

SPECIAL!!!!
NEWLYWEDS, RETIREES, OR ADULT FOSTER CARE HOME!!!! 4 1/2 ACRES - very neat in and out - 7 room home with 4 bedrooms plus den; wall to wall carpeting; REMODELED; Lennox Oil Furnace; glass enclosed porch; wet-plastered; fire escape; dining room; modern kitchen; TV tower and antenna; refrigerator and range in Avocado only 2 years old remain with home; ROCK GARDEN filled with flowers; 2 car garage; plus 36x60' barn - BEAUTIFUL SETTING --- YOUR INSPECTION INVITED!!!! Widow offers for \$35,000.00 terms. Shown by appointment!!!!

40 ACRES - VACANT - Cass River thru property --- FLOWING WELL - WOODED - \$28,500.00. Ideal ownership for two families.

NORTH OF CASS CITY: 1 ACRE: RANCH TYPE HOME with 4 bedrooms; lots of closets & storage space; wall to wall carpeting; basement; garage attached; PLUS 24x40' metal building and 12x20' utility building - PRICED TO SELL at \$38,000. terms.

COST OVER \$10,000.00 NEW!!!!
TO SETTLE ESTATE!!! 1969 - 12x60' Park Estate with 7x28' expando - with awning 6x28' - PATIO - in very good condition - cost over \$10,000.00 new - plus 6x8' utility building - TV antenna and rotor; drapes and curtains; VACANT --- Immediate Possession - \$5,000.00. All set up in Mobile Home Court. TO SETTLE ESTATE!!!!

LAKE FRONT COTTAGE: Only 38 miles from Cass City --- FORESTER, MICHIGAN --- 7 rooms with 3 bedrooms; FAMILY ROOM with picture windows with beautiful view of Lake Huron --- aluminum siding; new roof; new water system; BOAT HOUSE; PATIO; new 1 1/2 car garage - in excellent condition in and out - new gas furnace, etc. OWNERS MOVING TO FLORIDA --- Offered to you for \$37,500.00.

2 1/2 ACRES close to Cass City: comes with 10x55' Mobile home FURNISHED all this for \$8500.00. HURRY!!! HURRY!!! Ideal for that second home.

70 ACRES: Close in to Cass City: BRICK HOME with 7 rooms; 4 bedrooms; REMODELED; lots of closet and storage space; wall to wall carpeting; basement; oil furnace; double insulation; many built-in aluminum storms and screens; ALL MODERN KITCHEN, WHITE CREEK TRAIL PROPERTY; NATURE TRAILS, etc. 36x70' barn and workshop; utility room --- Many other features --- YOUR INSPECTION INVITED!!!! \$55,000.00.

16 UNIT MOTEL --- Choice location - in very good condition - ENJOYING A GOOD BUSINESS --- living quarters; extra large lot for expansion; 30x24' --- SELLERS RETIRING TO ARIZONA --- \$10,000.00 --- sellers will hold land contract with responsible parties.

PAINT BRUSH SPECIAL!!!! One story country home with 2 bedrooms; large lot - 2 car garage - trees, etc. \$9,500.00 easy terms.

IN CASS CITY: 7 room home - needs decorating - \$16,000.00. terms.

SPECIAL!!!! In Cass City --- RANCH TYPE HOME - Ready to move into!!!! 3 bedrooms with large closets; large bathroom; wall to wall carpeting; laundry room off kitchen; natural gas heating system and gas hot water heater - garage attached; practically maintenance free!!!! IMMEDIATE POSSESSION --- Offered to you for \$30,000. terms.

WILL TRADE
IN CASS CITY: RANCH TYPE only 4 years old - wall to wall carpeting; 3 bedrooms with large closets; natural gas heating system; garage attached; landscaped; \$28,500.00 --- easy terms if you qualify. YOUR INSPECTION INVITED!!!!

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Fans are optimistic

Vet linemen, untried rookies key to Hawk grid year



THESE WERE THE boys at pre-school practice last Wednesday who will form the Cass City High School varsity. Others were expected to join this week. From left, front row: Wally Laming, Steve Ballard, Al Pratt, Mike Palmer, Mike Gilliam, Clarke Haire, John Doerr, Randy Rabideau. Second row: Mike Lowe, Tom Dorland, Ross Ridenour, Tony Doerr, Darrell Field, Robin Buschlen, Jeff Hartel, Gary Warju, Coach Dale McIntosh. Back row: Coach Roland Pakonen, Al Lowe, Rick Hollis, Ron O'Dell, Tom Brinkman, Dan Erla, Ron Kuenzli, Ron Spaulding, and Phil Hartsell.

There is optimism in the air among Cass City High School football fans as the 1976 grid squad prepares for the season's opener against Uby Friday, Sept. 17. It may well be optimism not warranted by the facts. After all Cass City's coming off a 2 win, 6 loss season and lost 19 players by graduation from that team. Hope always springs eternal in the fall and this year is no exception. Team boosters say that last year the team never did play to potential. What's more they point to some blue chippers from last year's freshman team as well as the boys up from a better than average Junior Varsity squad as reasons for their enthusiasm. Couple these players with a few of the holdovers in the line and you have the ingredients of a good team, they maintain. Coach Roland Pakonen isn't about ready to point to a starting team for this fall yet. A scrimmage Friday should help to separate the wheat from the chaff and give the coach a real line on the team's prospects. It's sure that Cass City will need some super performances from senior linemen returning if they are to be a factor in the Thumb B Conference race. Start with Dan Erla. He's starting his third year of varsity ball where he received Conference honors for his play. The team hurt last season when he was out with an injury. A couple of other senior linemen have the size to become outstanding players. Ron O'Dell is a two-year regular who may not yet have played to his full potential. If he does he could be a big plus for the team. Tom Brinkman, a letter winner in and out of the line for two years, should be ready to take full time responsibilities in his final year. Tom Dorland is a senior with a sure pair of hands at end and should be a tough linebacker on defense. One back is available with experience. He's Mike Lowe who is starting his third year. Lowe played well as a sophomore and slumped last season. He's determined to make this a banner year. That's it in the experience department. There appears to be talent among the underclassmen. Working out a quarterback are Steve Ballard and Jeff Hartel, juniors. Quickest player on the squad is junior Clarke Haire. He's playing at right half. At fullback is Tony Doerr, a husky player who likes the contact. Another member up from last year's undefeated freshman squad is Robin Buschlen. He weighs in at about 228 and is working out at halfback but could end up most anywhere that a good tough football player is needed. Another player with size is Rick Hollis who has the strength and agility to make it big for the squad. Coach Pakonen says that there is ability in the entire squad. One of the big problems in the early season will be evaluating the players. Pakonen would like to use a

defensive and offensive squad as much as possible. He'll need all the help he can get to replace the departed players. Start with Guy Howard and Ken Lowe. No one played more fiercely than Howard, a second team all-conference player. Lowe, an all-conference player was one of those blue chip athletes that come along every 10 years or so. Fans tend to forget the others that leave gaping holes to fill. Gone are Kirt Kendall, Tim Muz, Tom Smentek, Mike Gruber, Chuck Bliss, Bryan Warju, Wayne Brooks, Steve Schneeberger, Rod Hutchinson, Glenn MacCallum, Ivan Stine, Al Kuenzli, Ed Kloc, Greg Trishler, Bill Ouvry, Brent Dickson, Mike

THE COMPETITION

What about the competition? Start with the Caro Tigers. They were tough last year and have a veteran team back. Also in the title picture are the Lakers. They were improving rapidly last season and can fill in with players from a big tough conference championship Junior Varsity squad of 1975. Frankenmuth is always tough and will be challenging again this season.

After that it's anybody's guess. Marlette, the defending champs, were decimated by graduation. Bad Axe, Sandusky, Cass City and Vassar should fight it out.

Still, a football takes some funny bounces and there isn't a team in the league so powerful that they can be considered a sure fire bet to roll past all competition.

For Cass City the opening games could be crucial to the season. If the green team could get off to a flying start they could challenge for it all... just like Marlette did last year and Cass City did the year it swept undefeated to the Thumb B title.



READY TO MAKE a run for the Thumb B Conference golf title are these boys. From the left, front row: Jim Molnar, Jeff Prieskorn, Rod Wright. Second row: Coach Dave Lovejoy, Kurt Proctor, Tim Severance, Jesse Groth, Scott Krueger and Tim Johnson. Missing are Steve and Mike Richards.

Eye conference title

Vets man golf team

Cass City's golf team could be challenging for the Thumb B Conference title this season under new head coach Dave Lovejoy. With four lettermen back the team is well stocked with talent.

Working out are Kurt Proctor, Steve Richards, Tim Severance, Jesse Groth, Tim Johnson and Scott Krueger.

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BPW begins new year

Meetings of the local Business and Professional Women's Club were resumed Sept. 1 at Veronica's.

During the business meeting, members voted a \$200.00 contribution to the Helen Stevens Memorial Pool fund in memory of Miss Laura Bigelow and Mrs. Irma Hicks.

Mrs. Laura Bryant and Miss Carolyn Benscoter were appointed to get out the club's monthly bulletin. An invitation to meet jointly with the Caro club Feb. 16 has been accepted.

Mrs. Mardell Ware and Mrs. Thelma Pratt conducted a memorial service for Mrs. Irma Hicks.

Mrs. Donna Holm told of her trip made to Europe in August.

Mrs. Geraldine Fischer and Mrs. Thelma Pratt were named to select the "Woman of the Year" who will be honored at the October meeting.

HIGH COST

Men who lend their influence on any matter generally expect big interest on the loan.

INTRIGUE

Nations will be able to stack their arms only when diplomats quit stacking the deck.

YOUR PROBLEM

An education simply supplies the pattern—the rest of the work is up to the individual.



COACH ROLAND PAKONEN has only five lettermen back for the 1976 season. In the backfield is Mike Lowe. Linemen ready to go to work include Tom Brinkman, Tom Dorland, Dan Erla and Ron O'Dell.



FISHING'S GOOD in Saginaw Bay near Port Crescent. Dick Szarapski and his sons caught their limit of German Brown trout (5 each) in just 45 minutes. The trout were caught surf casting and weighed from 6 to 8 pounds each. The boys, Joe, Rick and Brent, together with dad, display their trophies.

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