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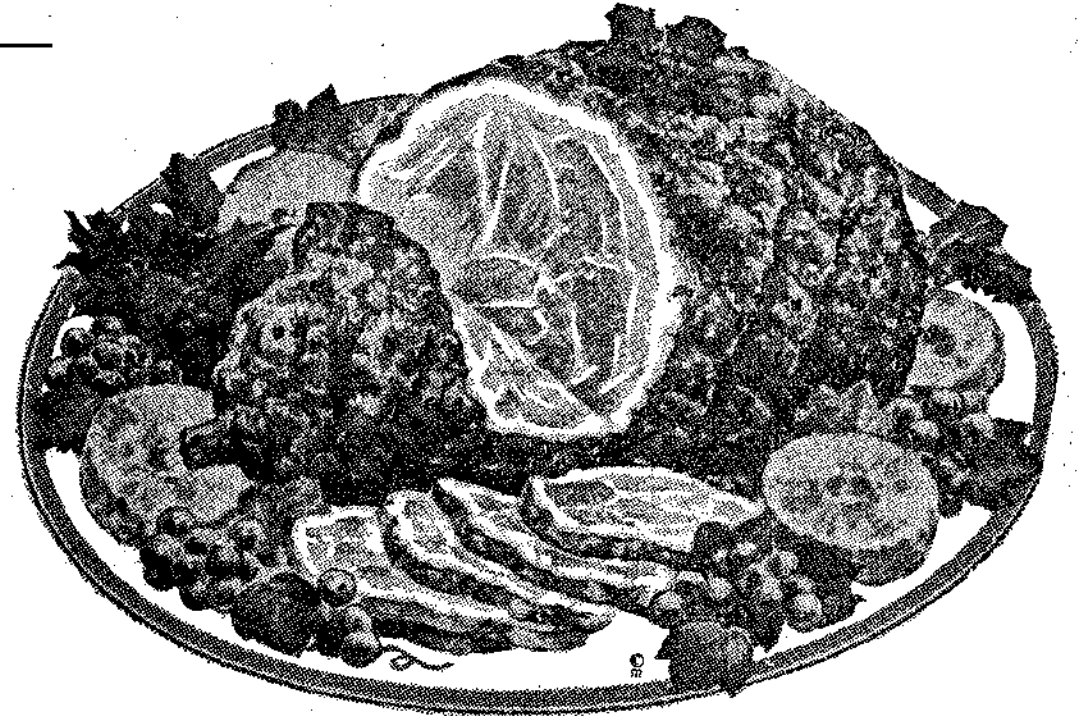
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Gagetown News

Gagetown Farm Bureau—
Twelve members of the Gagetown Farm Bureau met Tuesday evening, Dec. 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Scarynek for their annual Christmas party with exchange of gifts.

The topic for discussion was "The Majority Rule Can Detail the Freedom Train" and was led by Milton Hofmeister.

A cooperative lunch was served. The January meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hofmeister.

Harlan Hobart attended the National Milk Producers Federation convention held at Miami Beach, Fla., in the Americana Hotel. The convention was held from Saturday, Dec. 7, until Friday, Dec. 13. Mrs. Hobart spent two days in East Lansing during the week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Bogart.

Vincent Weiler and Vincent Jr. of Saginaw were visitors of relatives in this vicinity Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson are entertaining in their home during the holiday vacation, a foreign student from Saudi Arabia attending Michigan State University, Abdul Rohman Seed Hamidi, 20. He is studying English at the college for two years and will then go back to Arabia.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carolan and Mr. and Mrs. Ray LaPave were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Carolan in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Anthes Jr. and family will leave Saturday for Tampa, Fla., for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Anthes Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Rice Jr. and Cheryl will leave by plane Friday, Dec. 20, for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Freeman. They will then go to Arlington, Va., where they will visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton. They expect to be gone two weeks.

North Elmwood FB Meets—
Mr. and Mrs. David Loomis entertained 22 members of the North Elmwood Farm Bureau Monday evening, Dec. 9. All members were present at this Christmas party with exchange of gifts. The topic under discussion was "The Majority Rule Can Detail the Freedom Train," led by Don Loomis.

Richard Zichm opened the meeting and Jack Laurie, delegate for the annual Farm Bureau convention in East Lansing Nov. 11-13, gave a report on the meetings. Euchre was played and prizes were awarded to the high and low score holders.

The cooperative lunch was served by Mrs. David Loomis, Mrs. Don Loomis and Mrs. Jack Laurie.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Loomis.

Mrs. Frank Agar and Mrs. Harold Clague of Ann Arbor were week-end guests of Mrs. Clague's mother, Mrs. Mose Karr.

Richard Chepko and mother, Mrs. Charles Chepko, spent Thursday with Mrs. Lawrence Salgat. Mr. Salgat is still a patient in Caro Community Hospital.

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SANTA CLAUS does out another sucker to a pretty miss after hearing what she'd like for Christmas. The scene took place recently during Santa's first hours at his

Bruce Mellendorf Home from Africa

Alie Bruce D. Mellendorf, from Morocco, Africa, arrived at his Owendale home Dec. 6 to spend a 30-day furlough. He will report to Bunker Hill Air Force Base in Indiana. Paddle your own canoe—that way there's no one to rock the boat.

new house located between Leeson's and Cantile Furniture. St. Nick reported that his new house would be quite "Santa-factory" for handling orders from the village's small fry. (Chronicle photo.)

KOMMENTS BY KRAFT

After A Paragraph He Becomes Mr. Hyde

By Dave Kraft



I received a letter the other day from Frederick J. MacKay (that sounds quite lyrical doesn't it?) Fred's stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va., with a helicopter unit.

He ended his letter: "Don't take it too bad, Dave, we are all subject to make mistakes once in a while. I know that this isn't your first one and I doubt if it will be your last one either."

Now Fred . . . after all is said and done and giving due consideration to all things that should be considered . . . that's no way to end a letter.

You sound like my wife or my long silent critic J. J. H. from Gagetown. Fred started out nicely with a few choice remarks about the humorous value of my column, but he only follows this line of comment for one paragraph and then he puts on his Mr. Hyde outfit.

"What my primary reason for writing to you is your word usage in this week's column (December 5). Toward the end of the column you use the word "bandoliers" in relation to the matador. If

you would consult a dictionary you would find that your interpretation of this word is badly misused."

He continues with a quote from the American College Dictionary, page 96, which does nothing more than prove my usage of the word was incorrect, which is pretty sneaky.

The "bandolier" is a broad belt worn over the shoulder by soldiers and has a number of small loops or pockets, each containing a cartridge or cartridges. It is also a band or sash and like that.

My only defense is that it's been such a long time since I fought (that's fought and not threw) my last bull that I've forgotten the correct term.

It just so happens that we have a copy of Webster's New International Dictionary, which is probably bigger than your American College Dictionary. At the top of page 218 is the word I intended . . . "banderilla."

The "banderilla" is a barbed dart carrying a banderole (banner) which the banderillero thrusts into the neck or shoulder of a bull in a bullfight.

Echo OES Chapter To Host County OES

About 35 attended the December meeting of Echo chapter OES Wednesday evening, Dec. 11. During the business meeting, with Mrs. Gerald Stilson presiding, announcement was made of the Tuscola County OES club meeting to be held Jan. 4 in Caro. Echo chapter will be host to the club in March.

The charter was draped in memory of two deceased members, Frank Merchant and Mrs. Jessie West. Tribute was paid to the late president Kennedy.

Tables in the dining room were decorated in keeping with Christmas and Star point tables were decorated by the worthy matron. At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Harold Guinther read the Christmas story from St. Luke and "Silent Night" was sung.

Mrs. Kenneth Eisinger and her committee served refreshments in the dining room.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
Determination of Heirs
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

In the Matter of the Estate of Eugene B. Strickland, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on November 22, 1963.

Present: Honorable Timothy C. Quinn, acting, Judge of Probate.
Notice is hereby given, That the petition of Margaret Strickland of Palmyra, Alabama, praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized, will be heard at the Probate Court on January 9th, 1964, at ten a.m.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered certified or ordinary mail (with proof of mailing), or by personal service at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing. Timothy C. Quinn, Acting Judge of Probate.
A true copy
Tudy M. Baker, Deputy Register of Probate.

12-5-3

Donahue's Holstein Tops DHIA Tests

H. T. Donahue of Cass City is the owner of a registered Holstein cow which produced 132 pounds butterfat and 2280 pounds milk, topping the list of 124 cows in the 70-pound-cow class for the month of November, according to Alfred Ballweg, county extension director.

In second place is a registered Holstein cow, also owned by Dr. Donahue, which produced 127 pounds butterfat during the month. In third place is a registered Holstein cow owned by Ronald Opperman of Vassar with a production of 120 pounds butterfat and in fourth place is a registered Ayrshire cow, Katie, owned by Alvin Frahm of Frankemuth which produced 119 pounds butterfat.

Other dairymen having cows which produced 102 pounds butterfat or over during the month of November are: Dolan Sweeney, Uby; Clayton Rohlf and Sons, Fairgrove; Carl Dauer, Reese; Clinton K. Blackmore, Vassar; Edward Krohn, Cass City; Leonard Thompson, Cass City.

The registered Holstein herd owned by Dolan Sweeney of Uby was high herd with an average production of 57 1/2 pounds butterfat. Standing in second place was the registered Brown Swiss herd of Lawrence Bublitz of Fairgrove with 49 pounds butterfat. In third place stands the grade Holstein herd of Harland Lounsbury of Cass City with 48 pounds butterfat and in fourth place, the grade Guernsey herd of William Parrott of Cass City with 46 pounds butterfat.

Other herds which had an average production of 40 pounds butterfat or more are: Dan Lukasavitz, Cass City; Clinton K. Blackmore, Vassar; Ronald Opperman, Vassar; Ronald Hampshire, Deford; Mrs. Joyce Burdon, Gagetown; Leonard Titus, Mayville; Clarence Merchant, Cass City; John Graham and Sons, Caro; Werner List, Vassar, and Walter and Lyle Jackson, Caro.

In the 305-day records class a registered Holstein cow, Lady, owned by Lloyd Walz of Vassar, took first place honors with the production of 841 pounds butterfat. In second place was a grade Holstein cow, Dolly, owned by Dan Lukasavitz, Cass City, with a production of 682 pounds fat. In third place was a grade Holstein cow, No. 82, owned by Ronald Opperman of Vassar with 677 pounds fat and in fourth place, a grade Holstein cow, No. 91, owned by Mrs. Joyce Burdon of Gagetown with 648 pounds fat.

Other dairymen having cows which produced 577 pounds fat or over in this class are: Ronald Hampshire, Deford; Don Koepfgen, Cass City; John Graham and Sons, Caro; Clarence Merchant, Cass City; Dolan Sweeney, Uby; Charles Crittenden, Kingston, and Gerald Miller, Unionville.

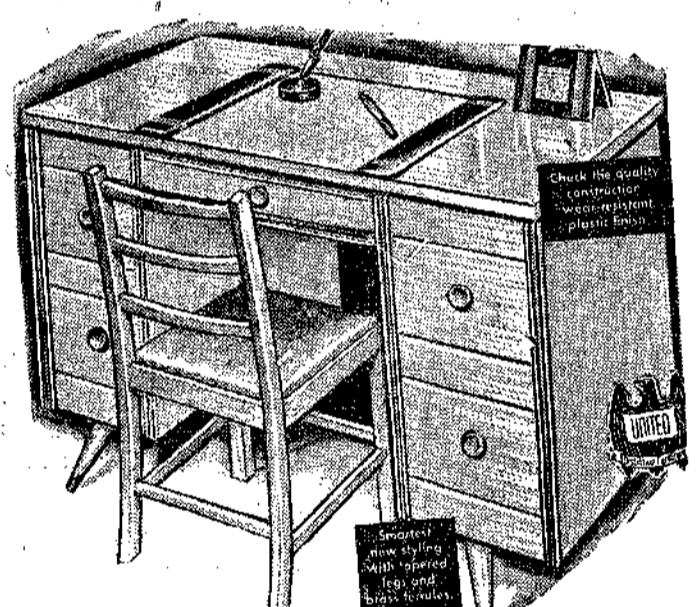
DIPLOMATIC

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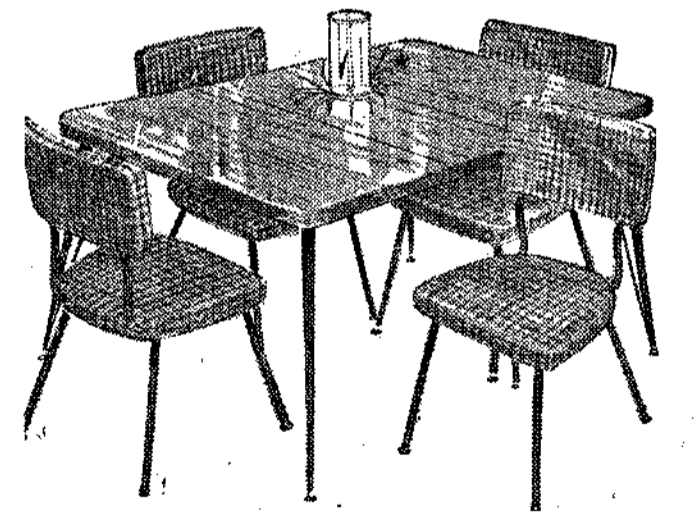
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Uncle Tim From Tyre Sez:

Dear Mister Editor:

I see by the papers where some feller from the Institute of Science is predicting this country was arriving at the "Computer Age." He allows as how in another 10 years just about everything will be handled by them think-machines.

He was claiming the day might come when a jury could feed the evidence into one end of a think-machine and the proper verdict would come out the other.

That will be the day, Mister Editor, when Judges will either have to temper justice with a heap of mercy or we'll run plum out of jail space.

The older I get the more I believe about half the problems in life requires common sense to solve. And them science fellers won't never come no closer to putting common sense in a think-machine than they'll come to creating a tree in my barnyard.

I recollect onct when I was a boy my Pa was explaining com-

mon sense. He told the story about the farmer that died and left 17 mules to his 3 sons. One half went to the oldest son, a third to the second son and a ninth to the youngest. The feller settling the estate borrowed another mule from a neighbor and made it 18 mules. Then he give 9 to the oldest boy, 6 to the next and 2 to the youngest. This come to 17 mules and he returned the one he borrowed. My Pa allowed as how that was common sense versus book sense. I wonder how a think-machine would've handled that one.

Then they was this item from some feller in the Department of Commerce saying installment buying was the "life-flood of our national economy." He claimed millions of dollars worth of goods is sold ever day that folks don't need and wouldn't buy if we didn't have the installment plan. I will have to go along with him on that one. Just the other week I saw this piece in the papers where a feller in Hamilton, Canada, was doing a rushing business selling horses for \$4 down and \$4 a week. He said a heap of his customers didn't need no horse but they was buying on account of the terms was right.

But the biggest shocker of the week come from that English feller visiting the United Nations. He allowed as how the United States ought to ask more from Europe. I would have to vote fer that policy 100 per cent. It might not do any good to ask but it shore wouldn't do no harm to try. We couldn't git no less from them. And in this connection, I see in the papers where grocery stores in London was bragging that they was now selling "Biscuits made in Britain." I'm glad to know where some of our dough has been going over there. Since it's got to go, I'd just as soon see 'em use it fer biscuits as fer building ships to trade with the Chinese Reds.

Yours truly,
Uncle Tim

words means and I shore couldn't spell 'em without copying 'em letter fer letter.

- (1) \$13,000 to examine the Social Structure of Madagascar.
- (2) \$17,000 to revise the Classification of Earthworms.
- (3) \$29,000 to study the Mammal Fauna of the Chercher Highlands of Ethiopia.
- (4) \$11,000 to study the Abenaki Dialects.
- (5) \$50,000 to study the Correlates of Persuasibility.
- (6) \$2,100 to study the Behavior Patterns of the Barren-ground Caribou.
- (7) \$16,000 to study the Social Behavior Among Termites.
- (8) \$17,500 to study the Modification of Alcohol Preference of Rats.
- (9) \$7,000 to make a Psycholinguistic Analysis of Consonant Clusters.
- (10) \$65,000 to study the Behavior and Ecology of the Wandering Albatross.
- (11) \$1 million to continue the Study of the Affectual Relationship between a Monkey and his mother.

All this, the piece stated, was just fer 1964, and they was dozens of items in the official list that was as bad or worse than the ones named by Congressman Smith.

It looks to me like, Mister Editor, we got a heap of folks in the Congress that is more worried about termites, rats, earthworms and monkeys than they was about the taxpayers.

I'm gitting a letter off to my Congressman today requesting he add one more item to the list. I'd like to git \$25,000 put in there someplace fer a Study on the Relationship Between Research and the Pocketbook.

And, in case the voters wasn't looking, Congressman Gross of Iowa, that was fighting agin that \$1.2 million extra appropriation fer junkets and things, got beat. They added \$600 a year to ever Congressman's "stationary allowance," making it \$2,400 a year, and adjourned fer the day to have cocktails.

Yours truly,
Uncle Tim

Michigan Mirror

Greatest Mayors' Exchange Scheduled for This Spring

By Elmer E. White
Michigan Press Association

Mayor's List Gross

Barring a major change, one day in the 1964 Michigan Week observance will be the biggest ever.

During the 11-year history of the event, each general chairman has attempted to improve on the activities of the previous year.

There were 492 communities represented in the annual drawing for the 1964 Mayor Exchange of Michigan Week. During the 1963 event there were slightly over 400 local chief executives taking part.

There is always some attrition between the drawing and the event but the number participating in 1964 is likely to set a new record.

Warnings are not limited to children, however. Ice fishermen or persons who decide to "short-cut" by driving their cars across frozen lakes should be very familiar with the depth of the water and the thickness of the ice.

Ice is frequently "worn" thin by underwater currents or breakthroughs may occur from surface pressure cracks, Childs notes.

Winter Hazard

Danger: Thin Ice. This is a warning which soon will be on many of Michigan's lakes, streams and ponds, but there will be no more places where there will be no sign.

The warning should be firmly implanted in the minds of all, and particularly children who are usually more venturesome when winter spreads white across the land.

At least one dozen persons drowned last year when they fell through ice in Michigan, state police reports show. The previous year winter water accidents claimed 13 lives.

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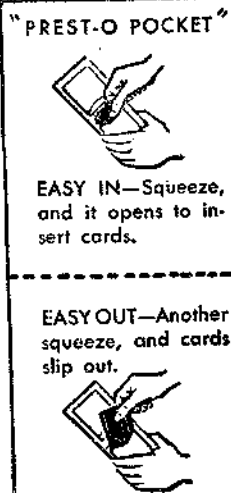
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Dear Mister Editor:

Money matters is going mighty bad along the Potomac these days. First off, I see by the papers where the taxpayers didn't have no luck in gitting that \$14 billion item fer research cut down in the Congress. The piece I was reading claimed \$2 billion of it was pure hogwash and was money thrown down the drain.

Fer instant, Congressman Allen Smith of California listed 11 items that was took official from the records as an example of how they was wasting tax money in this research program. I copied these items down, Mister Editor, so's I could post 'em at the country store Saturday night. I'm going to give you the items here just like Congressman Smith took it down from the records. I don't know what half of the

DEFORD

Mr. and Mrs. David Mathews held a pre-Christmas dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Kenneth, home from Norfolk Naval Base, Norfolk, Va., on a six-day furlough. Kenneth left Tuesday to return to his base. Also present Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Avery and daughter of Mt. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Churchill celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary Sunday at a dinner in Midland at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Churchill. Also present were Chuck and Dale Churchill and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Leach, Vassar.

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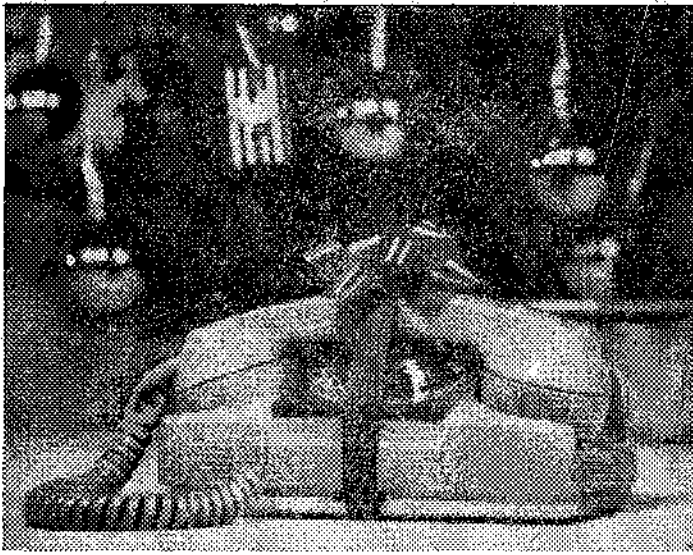
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Bowling News

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Gambles 41
Cass City Oil and Gas 36
Auten Motors 33 1/2
Kritzmans Clothing 28
London Dairy 26 1/2
Croft-Clara Lbr. 25
Cass City Concrete 18
Walbro 16
High team series: Gambles 2814, Cass City Oil and Gas 2062.

Jerry Little 576, Don Cummings 568, Nelson Willy 566, Jack Gallagher (sub) 559, Don Erla 544, Curt Hunt 541, George Dillman 538, Carl Kolb 534, Jerry Stroupe 525, Bruce Thompson 512, Don Vatter 509, Bill Kritzman 505, Pat Rabideau 504.
200 Games: Maynard Helwig 229-215-208, Don Doerr 228-212, Jim Smithson 222-216, Don Cummings 222, Nelson Willy 214, Jerry Little 212, Curt Hunt 211, Jack Gallagher (sub) 207-200, Bob Musall 201.

Kings & Queens Team Standings Dec. 10
Witherspoon-Bridges 15
Taylor-Merchant 14
Freiburger-Kerbyson 13
Stroupe-Kehoe 13
Ferguson-Asher 11
Bridges-E. Doerr 11
Althaver-Auten 10
D. Doerr-Kritzman 9
Team high series: E. Doerr-Bridges 2060, Asher-Ferguson 2087, Kerbyson-Freiburger 1904.
Women high game: M. Bridges 191, J. Asher 187, C. Mellendorf (sub) 184.

Needles-Kettles 4-H Club Slates January Meetings
The Needles and Kettles 4-H Club met Friday, Dec. 13, at the home of Mary Beth Esau for their regular December meeting. All members were present.
Mrs. Henry Blasie presented a lesson on cake decorating. Following refreshments, served by Mrs. John Esau, assisted by Mrs. Alfred Goodall and Mrs. Donald Koepfgen, the girls had a "grab bag."

Jack and Jill Dec. 13
PL's 20
Mellwigs 17
The Jets 17
Hackers 17
Crackerjacks 12
Pintippers 11 1/2
Manhattans 9
Rosedots 8 1/2
C. Mellendorf 612.
500 Games: J. Stroupe 594, B. Bridges 527, M. Bridges 522, D. Cummings 518, J. Little 506, V. Galloway 506.

Alfred Rocheleau Dies in Georgia
Alfred Rocheleau, 67, former resident of Gageton, died Friday at Douglasville, Ga., where he was visiting relatives.
Born Aug. 7, 1896, in Gageton, he spent his boyhood in Gageton and had lived since in Pontiac.
His first wife, Lola, whom he married in 1916 in Detroit, died in 1957. He remarried in 1960.

City League
Helwigs 8
Pinggetters 6
Clare and Andys 5
Evans 5
Custom Blenders 4
Erlas 4
Alley Masters 3 1/2
Manthers 3
McLachlans 3
Keglers 3
Bulens 2 1/2
Frutchey Bean 1
600 Series: N. Willy 583, B. Bridges 574, D. Cummings 552, M. Helwig 545, C. Kolb 543, C. Guinther 533, N. Mellendorf 530, A. D. Frederick 527, H. Schwaderer 522, G. Dillman 512, L. Taylor 511, H. Bartle 508.

Shabbona
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Merchant Bowling League Standings of Dec. 11
Team A-League Pts.
Evans Products 38 1/2
Drewrys 37
Croft-Clara 37
Hartwicks 33
Bigelow Hardware 29 1/2
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Times for two coming meetings were announced. Friday, Jan. 10, the next regular meeting will be held at the home of Paula Karr at 7:30 p. m. The next cooking meeting will be at Susan Tuckey's home on Monday, Jan. 20, at 7:00 p. m. for fifth and sixth grade girls.

Alfred Rocheleau Dies in Georgia

Alfred Rocheleau, 67, former resident of Gageton, died Friday at Douglasville, Ga., where he was visiting relatives.
Born Aug. 7, 1896, in Gageton, he spent his boyhood in Gageton and had lived since in Pontiac.
His first wife, Lola, whom he married in 1916 in Detroit, died in 1957. He remarried in 1960.
Surviving are his widow, Lucy; four daughters, Mrs. Harvey Carr, Mrs. William Bright and Mrs. Donald Wood, all of Pontiac, and Mrs. Leland DeLong of Clare; five sons, Leroy of Union Lake, Victor of Gageton, Richard and Gerald, both of Pontiac, and Edward of Lake Orion; 31 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; three brothers, Jerome, Frank and Dennis, all of Gageton, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry LaFave of Gageton and Mrs. Carl Sieland of Mio.
Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Hunter Funeral Home, Gageton. Burial was in St. Agatha cemetery.

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Trip Stated By Extension Service

The Cass City Home Economics Extension Club met Monday, Dec. 16, at the Crossroads Restaurant with 26 members present.
A thank you note was read from Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Avery for the thoughtfulness shown them during Mrs. Avery's recent illness.
A trip to Washington, D. C., by bus is being sponsored by the Extension Service April 13-20. Non-members are invited to go. Reservations are to be made by Jan. 15.
Mrs. Ralph Gauer read the Christmas story from Matthew. Each member brought a Christmas idea and an exchange of gifts was held.
The next meeting will be at Mrs. Gauer's for Jessert Jan. 13 at 7:00 p.m.

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Down Memory Lane FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

Five Years Ago
Santa Claus will not overlook Cass City in his flying trips to Thumb villages this year. He is scheduled to make his annual trip to Cass City Tuesday night, Dec. 23.

An estimated 125 relatives, friends and neighbors feted Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simmons Sunday on their 25th wedding anniversary.

The Cass City Village Council Tuesday night appointed C. J. Striffler to fill the unexpired term of the late Harold Jackson as village assessor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol were honored on their 40th wedding anniversary Sunday when some 100 persons attended an open house at their home.

John Koepf was one of 112 delegates from Michigan to earn a trip to the National Farm Bureau Convention held in Boston for his work in the annual membership drive.

Mrs. Joseph Crawford was elected president of the Frances Belle Watson Past Matrons' Club of Gifford Chapter OES, Gagetown, at a recent meeting. Also elected were Mrs. Robert Chisholm, vice-president, and Mrs. Fred Withey, secretary-treasurer.

Kell Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Hoffman, who underwent surgery on his eye in Saginaw General Hospital, is convalescing at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Ryan and family of Pontiac were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ryan. The visitors attended the pagant Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Auten received a telephone call last week from their son, Lester Jr., serving with the Army in Germany.

Roger Guinther, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guinther of Cass City, recently was promoted to corporal with the 7th Army's 97th Signal Battalion at Boeblingen, Germany.

E. B. Schwaderer announced this week that he has resigned from the Tuscola County Draft Board after serving for 11 years.

Mrs. James Milligan was one of 100 persons from among 350,000 entries across the nation who were among the winners of a complete new kitchen in a contest sponsored locally by Cass City Oil and Gas Co.

Carlton O'Dell, who showed the grand champion steer at the Detroit Junior Livestock Show 20 years ago as a member of the Cass City Livestock Club, has not lost his interest in the project. This year O'Dell, who operates a cafe in Lapeer, purchased a 4-H steer from a Lapeer boy to boost the program in the Lapeer area.

Pfc. Harry P. McDonald, whose wife Barbara lives on Route 1, Kingston, recently spent a seven-day rest and recuperation furlough in Kokura, Japan.

Twenty-five Years Ago
Officers of Tyler Lodge, No. 317, F & AM of Cass City are: Joseph E. Crawford, Worshipful master; Leonard Urquhart, senior warden; Fred McEachern, junior warden; D. W. Benkelman, treasurer, and Alex Henry, secretary.

Seniors on the Cass City High School honor roll are: Beatrice Ballagh, Marjorie Croft, Doris Hartwick, Marjorie Milligan, Russell Striffler, Donald Allured, Charlotte Auten, Gatha Mercer, Margaret Slimko, Glenna Asher, Shirley Beardsley, Karl Heidemman, Clara Severance, Isabel Bradshaw, Gladys Chapman, Gladys Davenport, Bruce MacRae, Mary Lou McCoy, Henry Powell, Dwight Turner, Stuart Atwell, Helen Kastruba and Vernette Seekings.

Young and old of the Cass City community will feel particularly grateful to Village President and Mrs. Eugene B. Schwaderer for their contribution to the happiness of the boys and girls this winter in the preparation of a portion of the school playground for an ice skating rink.

Jimmie Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wallace, entertained

16 of his little friends Tuesday afternoon in celebration of his eighth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lorentzen and daughter Anne Marie were entertained at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arling Wheeler of Peck.

A fire alarm called the fire laddies to the home of W.L. Mann Monday forenoon. Chemicals made short work of subduing a fire on the roof of the residence which was ignited by a spark from the chimney.

Thirty-five Years Ago
The following officers were elected by members of Venus Rebekah Lodge Friday: Mrs. John A. Cole, noble grand; Katherine Crane, vice grand; Mrs. C. W. Heller, recording secretary; Mrs. George W. West, financial treasurer; Mrs. B. F. Benkelman Sr., treasurer, and Mrs. Della Lauderbach, organist.

Members of Tyler Lodge F&AM elected the following officers Friday evening: Wesley Webber, worshipful master; Dorus W. Benkelman, senior warden; Frederick Pimney, junior warden; Ernest Croft, treasurer; John W. West, secretary; B. F. Benkelman Jr., senior deacon; Frank Cranic, junior deacon; Mason Wilson and Clarence Burt, stewards, and T. H. Wallace, Tyler.

William Farver, who established the Independent Coal Co. here about two years ago, has sold the business to Roy Taylor, who will conduct the coal yard in connection with the Elkland Roller Mills, of which he is the owner.

Under a picture: Here they are—a handsome group of stalwart, invincible volleyball players—winners of the series of games recently completed at Cass City: Joe Diaz, C. M. "Buzz" Wallace, Erwin Zemke, Glenn Weicht, James Lewis (captain) and Virgil Logan. Mr. Klinger, also a member of the winning team, was out of town when Photographer Maier "shot" the group.

A savans of \$500,000 through the use of maul by Michigan farmers in 1928 is the estimate made by the agricultural engineering department of Michigan State College.

Mrs. A. Waters and daughter, Miss Leila, of Saskatchewan, and Miss Edna Brown of Detroit are expected to spend the holidays with their mother and brother Mrs. Selina Brown and Cecil Brown.

Services Held for Mrs. McTavish, 78

Services were held Saturday at Little's Funeral Home for Mrs. Frances McTavish, 78, following her death Tuesday, Dec. 10, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Kelly, Kingston.

Born in Turin, Mich., May 17, 1886, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Oswald.

She married John McTavish Aug. 24, 1904, in Turin where they made their home following their marriage. In 1905 they moved to Evergreen township, later moving to Lamotte township where she lived until her death.

The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1954. Mr. McTavish died March 22, 1959.

Surviving are: two daughters, Mrs. Kelly of Kingston and Mrs. F. A. (Cathryn) McClure of Cocoa, Fla.; two sons, James of Cass City and Ralph of Newark, Ohio; a brother, John Oswald of McAllen, Tex., and a sister, Mrs. E. O. Lane of Detroit. Seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren also survive.

The Rev. R. E. Betts officiated at the services and interment was in Elkland Cemetery.

Extension Holds Christmas Party

The Elmwood Extension Group held a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Dennis Rocheleau Tuesday, Dec. 10.

A short business meeting was held with roll call answered by each member giving a line of "The Night Before Christmas."

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Evans showed pictures of Panama, Italy and Greece. Gifts were exchanged and lunch was served by Mrs. Rocheleau with Alma Wald.

Nellie Laurie, Gladys Laurie and Donna LaFave assisting. Twelve members and families attended.

And then there's the absent-minded professor who went out with a co-ed and forgot himself.

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Mrs. Charles Tuckey
Cass City

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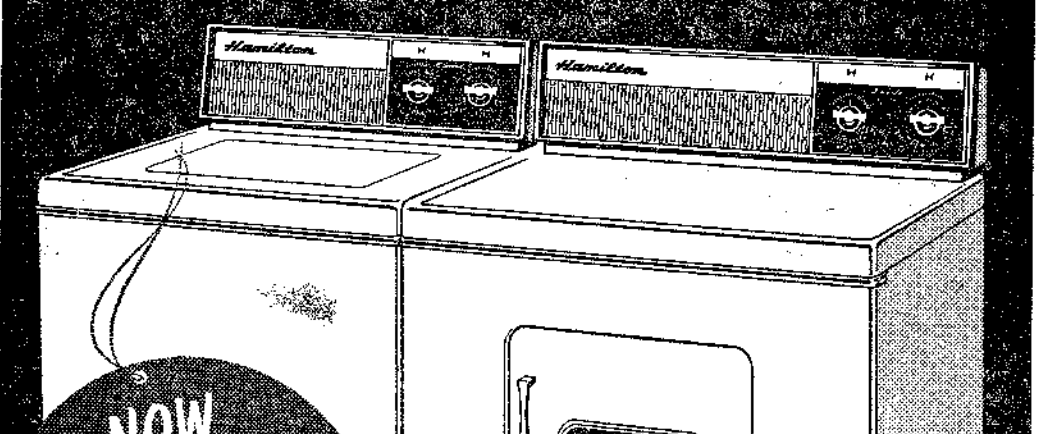
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Personal News from Greenleaf

Greenleaf Extension—Eighteen members and one guest were present when the Greenleaf Extension group met Dec. 12 at the home of Mrs. Henry McLellan.

Chairman Mrs. Lynn Spencer presided at a short business meeting. An auction was held in the recreation room, with Mrs.

Curtis Cleland and Mrs. James Anthony as auctioneers. Proceeds are to be used for club activities.

Mrs. McLellan served tea with cookies provided by the members.

Roger Root went to Detroit Monday, taking pigs to the Junior Livestock Show at the State Fairgrounds. He returned Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Root and Mark Battel attended the show Wednesday.

A number of ladies from the Greenleaf Extension Club attended the Christmas tea held in the Farm Bureau building at Sandusky Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucy Seeger had supper Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Don Seeger.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McLellan attended the banquet given for past matrons of the Eastern Stars, held at Uby Saturday evening.

Mrs. Robert Hoadley, Mrs. Anson Karr and Mrs. Doris Mudge visited Mrs. Hazel Watkins in Caro Saturday afternoon.

The Happy Dozen Card club met Saturday evening at Bryce Hagen's. High score for women

went to Mrs. Reva Silver. High for men went to Grant McKee, and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sweeney took both low scores.

Timmy Karr spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Dean Rabi-deau and Marshall Souden.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh and family had supper Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wills.

Sunday dinner guests at the Clayton Root home were Mr. and Mrs. Clare Root of Deford and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tropf of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sweeney called on Mrs. James Walker Saturday.

Mrs. Mabel Ballagh was a Sunday dinner guest of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh.

Pessimists are people who have chosen calamity as a vocation.

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Face life's problems honestly—learn what's wrong and what you can do to improve them.

PAST HISTORY
It won't always pay off, but studying the past is a good way to prepare for the future.

Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a tank and it is called Tiger Joe. I would like a fort and soldiers and horses. And I want a game called Magnatul. And I would like a baggage tractor.

Thank you Santa Claus for bringing all these toys.

Johnny Ballard

Dear Santa
I would like a Chatty baby boy, and some dishes and some new slippers. I have been a good girl.

I love you Santa
Debbie VanAllen

P. S. I'll leave you some milk and cookies.

Dear Santa
My name is Sharjean, I'm two years old. I would like a Tiny Chatty baby, table and chairs, and some new slippers. I'll be a real good girl Santa.

Love
Sharjean VanAllen

I am learning to hang up my clothes and dress myself and I help mommie with the dishes too.

I would like you to bring me a "Mickey Mouse phonograph and lots of records", a "Barbie" or a "Tammy" doll with lots of clothes for them, and "Gaylord" the pup. Thank you for the wonderful toys you brought me last year Santa.

Don't forget my sister Brenda, she would like nice sweaters and clothes and a diamond needle for her phonograph. Don't forget mommie and daddy and "Grandma Crandell" and Harry and Mrs. Little, and my good doctor Mac-Rae.

I will leave you a snack on the kitchen table, and a cup of sugar for your reindeer out on the porch. Thank you and Merry Christmas to you too Santa.

With Love, Your Little Friend,
Debbie Lisa Cook

P. S. Don't forget my little friends, "Susan Hennessey" and "Denny Nye."

fine. I would like a doll that laughs and cries.

Love
Vicki Franzel

Dear Santa,
My name is Allyn Hartwick. I am 8 and in the 2nd grade. Please I would like the 727 Jet Plane and some Army toys! And I want a bolt action. I have been a fairly good boy. Good-Bye.

Allyn Hartwick
Have a very nice Christmas.
From Allyn Hartwick

Dear Santa,
I would like a talking Beany doll. I help my daddy.

Love
Freddie John Linderman
P. S. I have cookies and milk waiting for you.

Dear Santa,
I would like a tractor and truck. I have been good.

Love Gene McKee
Decker, Mich.

Dear Santa,
I would like Tammy the Teen-age doll. My brother Kevin would like a big red tractor for Christmas.

Love
Christine Woodward
Dec. 12, 1963

Dear Santa Claus
My name is Jerry. I will be seven years old on Christmas Day.

I have been a good boy most of the time this year.

I burn the garbage and shoveled the walk off this morning before breakfast.

I want a race track with little cars and batteries.

I will leave you some hot chocolate and cookies.

I hope that there is snow for your sled on Christmas Eve.

Good-bye
Jerry Toner
4595 Oak St.
Cass City, Mich.
Dec. 12, 1963

Dear Santa Claus
My name is Kathleen. I am four years old. I would like some dishes and clothes for my Barby doll.

I will leave some cake and ice cream on the kitchen table.

Good-bye
Kathleen Toner
4595 Oak St.
Cass City, Mich.

Love
Sandra Guigar
Tyre, Michigan

Dear Santa,
How are you? I hope you are fine. I have been a nice girl. I get very good marks in school. I would like a Charming Chatty for Christmas. Brothers, Jeff, David would like Big Brusie and Battle Wagon. Sister, Laurie Lea would like Kissey doll.

Love
Robin Rhee Roberts
Dearborn, Mich.

Dear Santa,
I would like a farm set. I hope you are feeling all-right.

Love
Philip Copeland
Cass City, Mich.

Dear Santa,
How are you? I hope you are fine. I would like a Nancy the nurse doll. Steve would like a truck called big shot.

Love Susie Peters,
Argyle, Mich.

Dear Santa,
Mommy is writing for me. I will wait for you. I want some toys.

Stephen Osentoski



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Ken Osentoski

Dear Santa
I tried to be good. Please bring me something nice.

Did Comet really go down the drain?

Sharon Osentoski
Cass City, Mich.
Dec. 9, 1963

Dear Santa Claus,
This year I am 4 years old and I do try to be a good little girl. You remember me, Santa, "Debbie Lisa Cook"? I still live at the same house. I have been quite sick but sure trust and pray I will be well for Christmas.

Dear Santa Claus
My name is Luann Gay Callaway I live at 4244 Sherman St. in Cass City, Michigan. I would like a doll for Xmas that looks like this girl doll that talks and doll clothes, some P. J. new sled, building blocks some that hook together and a surprise decoration for table to make it pretty. I been a good girl.

Love
Luann
P. S. Come in the back door and presents under tree in living room.

Dear Santa
Are you all ready for Xmas Eve? I would like a choo choo train and a bow and arrow and a jungle hunt game.

Cathy would like a doll, a high chair and a new dress for her old doll.

Roland wants a hammer to protect himself against us.

Please bring pup a bone.

Merry Xmas Santa
Gary and Cathy Miller
Elkton, Mich. 48731

P. S. We will leave you a hamburger and milk. Cookies for the Deer.

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Tyre, Michigan

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Love Susie Peters,
Argyle, Mich.

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AUCTION SALE

The following personal property will be sold at auction on the premises located 2 1/2 miles north of Caro to 2391 Luder Road, on

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John Deere 16-in single plow
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Grain Elevator
Farm Wagon Grain Box
Farm Wagon
2 Brooder Coops
275 Cement Blocks
Field Tile
Quantity of Fence Posts
Several pieces of Farm Machinery for parts
Fuel Tank with hose and nozzle
Extension Ladder
Fuel Oil Tank for House
1956 Chevrolet 1 1/2 ton truck, 2-speed with cattle rack
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Davenport, brown
Quantity of pictures
Several floor and table lamps

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Oak chest of drawers
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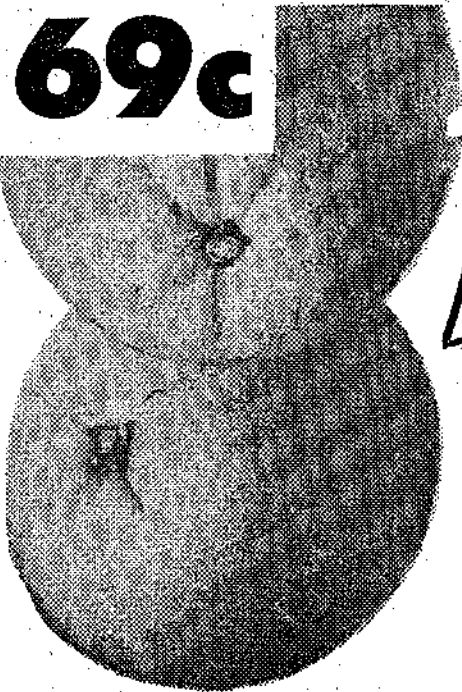
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