

## Deford poverty office unvisited in 7 weeks

By RICHARD HAINES

A war-on-poverty office has brought a mixed reaction but no results in the minuscule village of Deford.

Using the vacant Novesta Township Hall, Tom Jones, family counselor and U of M grad, is utilizing the efforts of Cass City volunteer Mrs. Darold Terbush in opening a part-time office.

Jones is a grad of Cass City High School.

Mrs. Terbush has kept the office open seven weeks between the Thursday morning hours of 9 and 11. The office is, Jones said, part of the "out-reach effort," to allow low-income families "to meet us on their own grounds."

But so far, not too many families have visited the office. As a matter-of-fact, none have. "I hope some week somebody will be in," Mrs. Terbush said. "Publicity is needed, said Jones.

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he scoffs at the idea of fighting poverty. "They should have to work just like the rest of us," he said.

Jones counters that rural poverty is spread out, "that's why a lot of people don't recognize rural poverty," he said, "and it's passed on from generation to generation."

Rev. Blankenburg, a new minister to the area since last June, is more sympathetic. He feels it "could really be something beneficial." "There are several families in the area being neglected," he said, "and it's good to know someone cares about them."

Jones says the poverty agency, with its home office in Caro, intends to utilize community resources such as employment opportunities for low income families. The job is to match the two, he said.

"Task Force Representatives" do this work, he said, but there is only one in the county. We need 3 or 4 more.

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## Presbyterians urge defeat of parochialism

The session of the First Presbyterian Church of Cass City has passed a resolution opposing parochialism, it was announced this week in the church's bulletin.

The session urged church members to contact State Senator Alvin DeGrow and State Rep. Roy Spencer expressing the opposition.

At the same time, the session voted to urge more help for public schools even though it means an increase in state taxes.

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## Mike at home: talks and walks

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10-year-old Michael Corl's left leg wiggles a little when he stands on his new crutches. But no less than two months ago, doctors said little Michael was in a tenacious fight for his life, never mind the possibility of losing his left leg.

A happy moment about two weeks ago was when Mike returned home to his family, sisters, Sandy, 9; Glenda, 12; Sue, 13, and Charlene, 19, and their grandmother, Stella Babina.

Mike, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Corl of Deford, was hit by a vehicle when driving a snowmobile onto a road Jan. 4. He suffered a skull fracture, a compound fracture of the lower left leg, a cracked pelvis, and a developed malfunction of the muscle of his right eye.

He was listed at Saginaw's St. Mary's as in very critical condition for a period of 19 days while in an intensive care unit.

Near Mid-May he will have a metal plate encased in the right front side of his skull.

A large skin graft has been removed from his left hip to help assure the healing of his upper ankle where a compound fracture threatened his left leg.

Mike uses the word "smash" to describe the tragic accident and follows it with low tones about not wanting to snowmobile again.

With virtually total loss of memory, Mike's recovery has been miraculous and his big gentle brown eyes somehow signify he's going to make it.

It was about two weeks after the accident that the 10 year old fourth grader mumbled his first word. The word was "no." To Mr. and Mrs. Corl, though, the word was a beautiful, "yes".

His left hip "scratches" and his left ankle "stings", but he remembers . . . he talks. . . he walks. . . and he has hopes of going back to school this fall, "though I might miss a grade."

But to his family, Michael Corl has made the grade.



POVERTY WORKER Tom Jones reviews Deford needs in the Novesta Township Hall with volunteer worker Mrs. Darold Terbush.

## County girds for simulated CD alert

Three Cass City people are to play major roles in a "war play" sponsored by the U. S. Office of Civil Defense through Michigan Technological University at Houghton.

John Porterfield, Carl Palmateer, and Nelson "Moose" Willy will be taking part in a civil defense simulation (practice) on April 19.

The exercise will help plan for the use of available resources in Tuscola county in the event of nuclear fallout, or natural disaster including tornadoes, fires, floods, or any disturbance which paralyzes the community.

The moment the crisis strikes, local authorities are to be prepared to mobilize instantly all police, fire, and emergency operations to meet any need.

Tuscola is one of two counties

spearheading the simulation in the state. Montcalm county is presently in training for their simulation project.

The exercise, said C. Frank Kroswek, Tuscola County Defense Director, will draw many people from the community to either observe or participate in the simulation.

Already, Mr. and Mrs. John Porterfield have shown films and demonstrations in the basement floor of the Hills and Dales Hospital with 25 attending a March 24 session. Facilities there would represent Cass City's civil defense control center in the event of a disaster.

Palmateer and Willy have also attended briefings in Caro on the nature and purpose of the simulation.

Carl Palmateer has been appointed by the chairman of the board of supervisors to act as

Police Simulator. He will attend a five hour training session April 10 in the civil defense center in the basement of the jail, where present civil defense offices are located.

During the simulation exercise, Palmateer will be in charge of all police personnel in the county including all village and municipal officers, State police, officers of the Sheriff's Department and others totaling from 30 to 40 people.

Though not all of those 30 to 40 will be actually participating, the simulation will be actively involving (through communications if nothing else), most of the officials.

Nelson "Moose" Willy, Cass City's civil engineer, will be in charge of the county's total fire fighting resources.

Neither Palmateer nor Willy know exactly yet what problems

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the simulation exercise will place upon them, except they won't be easy. All personnel attend intense training sessions.

The basement of Hills and Dales will be a simulation shelter and local families are expected to participate in the 24 hour stay-over.

Once in the simulated shelter, they will not be allowed to leave. They will be on shelter diets and "in touch" with the outside world through a central control center for purposes of procuring area doctors, emergency personnel, and of knowing environmental conditions. "Reontgen" (fallout) readings are taken often and tabulated.

Porterfield said in the event

## Council hassels over '69 street work program

Blacktopping of Oak Street from Main north and of a block each of Seed and Woodland will cost the village an estimated \$11,600 and has received the unqualified approval of the Cass City Village Council.

But that is the only definite agreement reached concerning

1969 street construction at the regular meeting of the council Tuesday night at the Municipal Building.

Street funds are divided between "major" and "local" streets for the purpose of applying State-received tax monies for the work.

The village has some \$10,000 available for major streets. The plan now is to stockpile dollars through 1970 and then start work on East Church. This year a small amount will be spent on drainage for East Church.

For local streets, some \$19,050 is available. After the North Oak street project is completed \$8,300 will be left.

And it is here there is disagreement over priorities.

Petitions have been received on West from Pine to Garfield; on Leach from the south alley to Garfield, and on Houghton from Seeger to West streets.

To drain and curb and gutter all of these streets will cost an estimated \$40,000.

Trustees William Seiby and Edward Golding Jr. would like to see Oak street south of Main to Garfield completed.

It is probable that this program would receive top priority if the majority of the property owners on the street indicate that they would authorize the improvement.

It might anyway, under a plan that disregards the wishes of the owners concerned and charges the improvements under a district plan.

But the council is reluctant to take this action when petitions are on file from owners who indicate they want the improvement and are willing to pay for it.

Another petition will be circulated to owners on Oak in attempt to get a majority to okay the curb and gutter.

Trustee Rawson frowns on committing funds for several years without some provision for the extension of Ale street through the Donahue subdivision to provide another access road to the new high school. The school has a right of way option to build a road if it desires.

Besides roads, the majority of the remainder of the meeting was used to air complaints by residents.

Harold and Tom Craig appeared to protest the refusal of a building permit for a new building in southwest Cass City and were partially successful.

B. A. Calka represented the planning commission and said that the planners felt that the line should be held and the

residential zoning in the area followed.

The Craigs presented petitions signed by all but two of the area property owners okaying the new building. Trustees indicated that they would probably view the application with favor if all of the property owners signed. It will mean rezoning the area. The new building would replace a current structure, beyond repair.

Mrs. Evelyn MacRae appeared to protest the condition of the Scout rooms used by the Girl Scouts. She said that they were always filthy.

The council agreed and will attempt to have the cleaning completed on a regular schedule and keep a close check on the groups using the rooms.

FROM THE Editor's Corner

In the Thumb of Michigan, and especially in Cass City, talking about liquor is more certain to bring a reaction than a column about the Negro, crime in the streets, heavy taxes or the high cost of living.

I am the black sheep in a family that boasts a long line of teetotalers. Morally, I don't believe that moderate drinking is any worse than moderate eating. And if you're about to tell me that drinking leads to alcoholics, I'll agree.

But eating leads to food aholics (my hang-up) and think a minute . . . how many persons do you know who are overweight, although under a strict physician's diet to lose weight or risk serious illness?

I can hear critics saying now that two wrongs don't make a right. . . and I agree. But that doesn't make it possible to pass a law that will stop people from eating or from drinking.

Prohibition proved this and it is being proven again and again and again every day of the year right here in Cass City and the Thumb.

You can't buy liquor by the glass in Cass City, but Cass City drinks plenty of liquor by the glass.

They do it in the cities, in their homes, in Gageton, in Uby and since a referendum this spring they now do it in Caro and Unionville.

And it's inevitable that the same freedom will come to Cass City within a very few years.

Traditionally, the village is the driest in the county. Every Sunday closing vote, every liquor referendum vote finds Cass City leading the no vote by a healthy margin.

But each vote finds the wets sneaking closer, and as the town grows, the gap will continue to close and a referendum will finally fell this bastion of the dries.

And when it does someone will receive a subsidy of \$25,000 or so. For he will be handed what will amount to an exclusive liquor franchise at very little cost. . . a franchise that can be sold and has a very real cash value.

When liquor by the glass comes to Cass City the most unfair part of it all will be the person with the connection who will reap the harvest.

But when the vote goes against the dries they won't really have lost any ground.

When there is a liquor by the glass store on the corner in Cass City, it will be used by essentially the same people that are drinking now.

You could have a string of bars stretching without break between here and Saginaw and the non-drinkers in my family will still be non-drinkers.

And I won't drink any more (or any less) with a bar in Cass City than I do now that they are in Gageton.

And you won't either.

## Home owners to pay most of 7.3 tax boost

Taxes in Cass City this year will jump an average of 7.3 per cent because of the sharply increased valuations in the village.

Village assessor Mac O'Dell reported that total local tax revenues to the village will soar to a record \$95,500, up some \$6,500 over the preceding year.

Total valuation jumped to \$7,339,000 from \$6,795,000.

Most of the increase will be borne by homeowners in the village as it was residential property that received the sharpest boost.

The mill-rate remains at 13, the same as it has been for many years.

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## Village in furor after Uby officer fires at youth's car

The quiet village of Uby was the scene of a dramatic episode Saturday night, March 22, when Elliott's deputy sheriff Robert Elliott allegedly fired at a speeding carload of four local youths who, he alleges, "risked his life," constituting a felony and justifying the gunfire.

A bullet crease is evidenced on the trunk of the car of Loyal Bismack, a Delta College student whose parents reside in Uby.

Bismack's family intends to take Elliott, a bachelor, to court. They are leading an Uby movement to have the village council remove Elliott from his duties as village constable.

The meeting is slated Thursday night and a heated meeting is expected by local residents.

The Huron County prosecutor will be defending Elliott. Bismack has hired the services of Bad Axe attorney Harold I. "Colonel" Pawlowski.

Bismack said his tires

"squeaked a bit" when he rounded a corner at 19th and Main in downtown Uby and Elliott at the opposite of the corner, gave chase to Bismack and his three passengers, Allen Maurer, Greg McCarty, and Tom Osentoski.

In pursuit while still in village limits, Elliott is alleged to have shot the trunk of the Bismack auto. Bismack said Elliott has been known in the past to "take pot shots at kids."

He added that if the shot had been three inches higher, it would have "killed one of us."

Elliott said he was traveling 70 MPH in a 25 MPH speed zone when pursuing the Bismack auto still in village limits.

Bismack said, "that man's crazy, we're going to have him put away."

After the shot, Bismack said he halted his auto and Elliott thereby walked up to the side of his auto where he "began beating on the window and we were scared."

Elliott claimed he had his hand on the handle of the Bismack auto and was dragged a ways on his feet before his hand came loose.

Bismack claims street witnesses including Dave Abraham and Lynda Leppke.

In a high speed chase 1 mile east and two south of Uby, Bismack's car stalled from water in the distributor and according to both sources, both cars were badly splashed with water and mud from the pursuit.

Bismack said Elliott asked them to get out of the car at gun point. Bismack said their inquiry about the gunshot brought only a smirk from Elliott's face.

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NOTICE

Beginning Saturday, April 5, we will load stone Monday thru Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Wallace Stone Plant, Bay Port. 3/27/3



CIVIL DEFENSE official John Porterfield gives technical advice to Hills and Dales employees on the simulation exercise which was held last Friday. In the first row, left to right, are Gerald Kerbyson, Mrs. Gerald Kerbyson, Mrs. Preston Karr and Mrs. Clark Seeley; in the second row, Clyde Lasee, Mrs. Leo Tracy and Mrs. Lewis Surine; in the third row, Mrs. Ralph Fuester and Mrs. Clyde Lasee.

# Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little

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Eighty-five guests attended a reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson at the Cass City Gun Club Thursday, March 27. Buffet dinner was served. Out-of-town guests came from Utica, Imlay City, Capac, Detroit, Uby, Caro, Bay City, Elkton, Deford and Avoca. The Wilsons left Saturday for their home in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. O'Dell spent last week end in Grand Rapids with Mr. and Mrs. David H. Johns. Sunday they attended church with the Johns at the Berkley Hills Wesleyan Church. Monday the Rev. and Mrs. Joel W. Hurley and three children came to stay overnight, returning to their home at Albion Tuesday.

The Cass City Baptist and Vassar Baptist churches will participate in a cooperative Good Friday service to be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Caro Baptist church.

Henry Wilson flew to Norfolk, Va., Wednesday, March 19, to be best man at the wedding of his brother, John. He returned home Sunday, March 23.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gruber and Barb were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Graves of Saginaw and Wilson Garud, an international exchange student of Bombay, India. Mr. Garud is a recent graduate of Michigan State University.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hunt, who had spent the winter at Cape Coral, Fla., will arrive here this week.

Echo chapter OES will meet Wednesday evening, April 9, at 8 p.m. Mrs. Kenneth Elstinger heads the refreshment committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Stanley Morell, Mrs. Don Koepgen, Mrs. Leo Tracy, Mrs. Grant Hutchinson and Mrs. Harold Guinther.

Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Kirn spent the week end in Flint and Sunday accompanied their daughter, Miss Marjorie Kirn of Flint, to Cleveland where they are guests this week of Mrs. Kirn's sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig of Caro were Sunday dinner guests in the Harold Craig home when the birthday of Tom Craig was celebrated.

Mrs. Charles Holm and Mrs. Theodore Furness, representing Echo chapter OES, were in Vassar March 25 where they participated as guest officers in Vassar's "Friends' Night".

Miss Isabelle Hollenbeck, who had spent two and a half months with Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey, returned to Brown City Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Fritz returned home Sunday evening from Cape Coral, Fla. Mrs. Fritz had spent three weeks there and Dr. Fritz had been there for 10 days. En route home they spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fritz and daughter at Troy.

Born March 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Barth (Virginia Perry) of New London, Conn., their second child, a son, David Wayne. He joins a sister Lisa at home. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry left Friday to spend two weeks with their daughter and family in New London.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McComb and granddaughter Laura of Detroit were Sunday dinner guests in the Fay McComb home. They also visited Mrs. Mabel McComb and at the Glenn McCloye home.

Miss Karen Holm is among the students from CMU at Mt. Pleasant who came Friday for a 10-day Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holm. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zapfe were also Sunday dinner guests in the Holm home.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson were Mary Wilson of San Francisco, who arrived March 25, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Norfolk, Va., who came March 24, and St-1 and Mrs. Jim Wilson and children, Colleen and Danny, who arrived March 23 to spend a week with relatives in Cass City and Uby.

Mrs. Charles W. Rollman and daughter, Mrs. Dick Zepnick, and her daughter Tamii, all of Green Bay, Wis., are visiting Mrs. C. U. Haire and Mrs. Sadie Rollison this week. Mrs. David St. John and daughter Susan of Solon, Ohio, came Tuesday night and spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Haire, and sister, Mrs. Rollman.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Zapfe of Owendale were Saturday afternoon callers at the Lyle Zapfe home.

In honor of Sandra Guinther's eighth birthday, the Stan Guinther and the Ferris Wares had dinner Sunday in Bay City, visited the Arthur Winteckes at Sand Pointe and returned to the Guinther home for cake and ice cream.

Raleigh Au Buchon was honored at a birthday dinner at his home Monday. Eleven persons attended. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Collins of Avoca, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kilgore of Yale and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Benedict of East Tawas.

The April 7 meeting of the Cass City United Methodist WSCS will feature a book review by Mrs. George Murray and the Easter story by Mrs. Jack Kilbourn. Group III will be hostesses. Mrs. Maynard McConkey and Mrs. Grant Hutchinson are chairmen.

Louis Nemeth and family were Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Rothfuss of Bay Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nemeth and son and Charles Nemeth Sr. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gazdag of Delray and Alec Nemeth of Romulus.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wolschleger of Minden City were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mazure, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Wolschleger and family, all of Harbor Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Szarapski. The occasion was in honor of Robert Wolschleger's birthday.

St. Pancratius Women's Council will meet Monday evening, April 7, at 8 p.m. Officers will be elected and all members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell, who had spent the winter at Vero Beach, Fla., arrived home March 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Gorton of Grand Rapids spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Malvina Howarth, and brought their mother, Mrs. Charles Gilbert, back to the Howarth home. She had been in Grand Rapids since early December.

Steven Jones of Lansing is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell.

Mrs. Charles Gilbert was welcomed into the membership of Salem United Methodist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Goff of Pontiac were Sunday afternoon callers at the Theo Hendrick home.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Klinkman were at Bad Axe Sunday afternoon to attend a celebration of the 85th birthday of Mrs. Annie Haley, aunt of Mrs. Klinkman.

Miss Lori Wuertel of Roscommon was a week-end guest of David Schember. Other visitors at the Schember home over the week end were Alex Lindsay of Decker and Jerry Knobel of Fort Wayne, Ind. David Schember, who has been home on an extended furlough after completing a tour of duty in Viet Nam, is to go this week to Fort Sill, Okla., where he will be stationed.

Ladies interested in attending the show, "You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown," at the Fisher Theatre in Detroit are asked to contact Mrs. Tom Herron. A group plans to go to the theatre via chartered bus Wednesday, April 30.

A big increase in Girl Scout cookie sales for this year is reported with 3816 boxes sold, 1,000 more boxes than last year. Participating were four Junior Girl Scout troops, two from Cass City, one from Deford and one from Gagetown. Cookies will be delivered in the near future.

The Elmwood Missionary Circle will meet Thursday, April 10, with Mrs. William Anker.

Mr. and Mrs. David Loomis and sons and Mrs. Howard Loomis were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. David Loomis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Partio, near Akron.

Mrs. Irvin Kritzman of Kaw-kawlin and five of her children spent the week end with relatives here. They and Mr. and Mrs. David Loomis and sons were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Howard Loomis.

Mary Ellen Peterson was among those confirmed Sunday in the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd. In honor of the occasion Mrs. John Peterson entertained relatives at a dinner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dillon and children of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spencer of Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Hutchinson and children, Mrs. Myrtle Deneen and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Deneen.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Loomis and family had Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Heisen and son of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Don DeLong were called to Fort Knox, Ky., Sunday by the illness of their son Duane, who is stationed there.

Miss Mary Doerr of Lansing spent Friday night and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Doerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Tuckey and family.

Mrs. Fanny Hutchinson and Mrs. Fred Hildebrand of Troy, the former Beulah Bentley, left March 10 for Florida and toured the state. In Bradenton they visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Falkenhagen, also Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wag and Mr. and Mrs. John West. They returned home Saturday, Mar. 29. Mr. and Mrs. Hildebrand also spent Monday with Mrs. Hutchinson.

Miss Mary Hanby entertained eight "Lightning Dodgers," a division of Jet Cadets, at a party at her home Saturday. The group won a contest in competition with three other divisions. The Jet Cadets, grades 1-6, meet Wednesday evenings at 7:30 in the Baptist church annex. Miss Hanby is in charge and is assisted by Miss Kaye Spencer.

The Evergreen WCTU met with Mrs. William Kitchin Mar. 27 and 11 ladies attended. President Mrs. Beatrice Saldon presided and Mrs. Harriet Rayl led prayer. Mrs. Edith Toner was in charge of the program. Lunch was served by the hostesses. The next meeting will be an all-day meeting April 17 at the home of Mrs. Ruth Schember.

Mrs. William Simmons spent a few days in Saginaw with her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Jones (Delores Simmons) and attended the installation of officers of Makere Temple #99 Daughters of the Nile. Delores was installed as Princess Tirzah for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Arthur Tracy, the former Doris Livingston, is spending this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Hetty Livingston. A family reunion was held at the Dale Reed home near Vassar Sunday, Mar. 30, which was also attended by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Habicht of Milan. Mrs. Habicht and Mrs. Tracy are sisters.



JOSEPH D. ROCHELEAU received the Army Commendation Medal from Col. Robert E. Holland at Fort Meade, Md.

## Rocheleau given military award

E5 Joseph D. Rocheleau of Gagetown has been awarded the Army Commendation Medal for exceptionally meritorious service in the Vietnam war. The medal was awarded for his action in the conflict from Sept. 1966 through May 1968. The citation said that "His commendable performance was in keeping with the finest traditions of the military service and reflects distinct credit upon himself and the United States Army." Rocheleau entered active service with the army at Detroit Mar. 15, 1965. He arrived in Vietnam in Sept. 1966. He served 20 months in the war theatre except for a furlough home and rest and recuperation leaves at various Far East posts. Since June 1968 he served at Fort Meade, Md. He was discharged Mar. 14.

## Robert Rabideau dies in hospital

Robert F. Rabideau, 46, life-long Gagetown area resident, died Wednesday, March 26, at the Veterans Hospital, Saginaw. Funeral services were held Saturday morning in St. Agatha Church, Gagetown, with burial in the church cemetery. Born March 6, 1923, in Tuscola county, he was the son of Mrs. Josephine Rabideau of Unionville and the late Henry Rabideau. He married Betty Remilong July 25, 1949, at Sebawaing. He was a World War II veteran.

Surviving besides his widow and mother, are: two sons, Richard of Caro and Ronald, at home; two daughters, Mary and Sharon, at home, and one grandson. Others are: three sisters, Sr. Joan Frances of Flint, Mrs. Edward Fontain of Wayne and Mrs. Anthony Mendicino of San Antonio, Texas, and one brother, Thomas of Unionville.

## Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses granted or applied for during the week at the Tuscola County courthouse include:  
Donald Eugene Hoover, Jr., 19, of Tuscola and Carmen Helene Park, 19, of Vassar.  
Roger Allen Ruppel, 22, of Akron, and Nancy Lee Finn, 18, of Fairgrove.  
Dean Jesse McCrumb, 18, of Vassar and Judy Ann Esckelson, 17, of Vassar.  
William John Kuehnemund, 70, of Munger and Dorothy Mae Schultz, 57, of Tuscola.  
Paul Richard Hack, 31, of Caro, and Nancy Lorraine Marlow, 21, of Caro.  
James Ernest Binder, 19, of Caro and Carole Lynn Griffin, 21, of Mayville.  
John Francis Martin, 23, of Millington and Colette Jean Clark, 17, of Millington.

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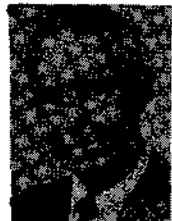


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By H. M. Buleen

Here's a little sports quiz for you . . . Everybody has heard of heavyweights, light-heavyweights, welterweights, middleweights and lightweight in boxing, but it's surprising how few fans can tell you the exact weight limits for each of these divisions. . . Can you? . . . A heavyweight is anyone over 175 pounds . . . Light-heavyweights are from 161 to 175 pounds. . . Middleweights from 148 to 160 pounds. . . Welterweights, 136 to 147 pounds. . . And lightweights from 127 to 135 pounds.

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How great a golfer was Bobby Jones? . . . Here's one statistic you might be interested in . . . In the years from 1923 until he retired in 1930, Jones played in 21 major tournaments, such as the U. S. Open, British Open, U. S. Amateur and British Amateur -- and in those 21 tournaments, Bobby finished 1st or 2nd in all but four! . . . No other golfer in history has ever come close to that percentage of success . . . And in the last 9 U. S. Opens he entered, from 1922 through 1930, he finished 1st or 2nd in 8 of them!

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Here's quite a baseball oddity. . . The 1968 Oakland Athletics LED the American League in team batting -- yet, they wound up in 6th place in the final standings of the league! . . . It proves that having the best hitting team in a league doesn't guarantee winning a lot of games.

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BIRTHS:

March 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Papp of Decker, a girl, Lori Ann;  
March 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Brad Chippi of Royal Oak, a boy.

PATIENTS LISTED MARCH 28 WERE:

Dennise Bossler, Mrs. Kermit Hartwick, Mrs. Frank White, Ronald Parrish, Mrs. Manley Asher, Kenneth Hlat, Mrs. Mina Ryan and Mrs. Harold Copeland of Cass City;  
Mrs. Delmar Gunden of Bay Port;  
Richard Curtis of Flint;  
Mrs. Walter Brenner, Nancy Armbruster, Lueta Brueggmann of Sebawaing;  
Stanley Mitchell and Amy Jo Moore of Sandusky;  
Alfred Garner of Vassar;  
Kelly Cramer, Kelli Kay Blehm, Ronald Blinder, Mrs. Karl Linzner, Mrs. Floyd Lewis of Unionville;  
Mrs. Chalmers Miller of Caseville;  
Mrs. Eimer Brahmaer of Ubyly;  
Loyel Curtis, Mrs. James Harris of Caro;  
Mrs. Fred Strauss, Allen Clark and George Ondrajko Sr. of Gagetown;  
Mrs. Lynn Smith of Mayville;  
Robert Leslie of Decker;  
Mrs. Grace Morley of Elkton.

PATIENTS LISTED LAST WEEK AND STILL IN THE HOSPITAL FRIDAY WERE:

Robert Clarke, Peggy Sue Asher, Flossie Crane, Virginia Gibas, Mrs. Helen Karr, Malcolm McLellan, Vincent Wald of Cass City;  
Martin Bejarano and Mrs. Mike Rusnak of Gagetown;  
Alex Grika, Mrs. Neil MacNiven, Harold Phelps, Leland Trainor and Mrs. Franklin Webb of Snover;  
Mrs. Ethel Hovey, Peter Boitos and Mrs. Effie Pomeroy of Unionville;  
Mrs. Bessie Sproule of Kingston;  
James Kloc of Deford;  
Mrs. Editha Randall of Caro;  
Leo Nixon of Akron;  
Mrs. Arthur LaFave and Bertha Nitz of Sebawaing.

PATIENTS DISCHARGED DURING THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 28 WERE:

Mrs. Thomas O'Connor, Mrs. Robert Westerby, Mrs. Ger-

trude Goertsen, Kimberly Smith, Diane Rabideau, Mrs. Lee Smith, William McQueen, Mrs. Adeline Tyo and William Robinson of Cass City;  
Mrs. Alvin Houghton, Wilbur Traver of Kingston;  
Joyce Kovach, David Haag, Mrs. Frank Lorentz and Mrs. Joseph Pluto of Sebawaing;  
William Penrod of Detroit;  
Mrs. Frank Southworth, Garry Fleenor, Dennis Bills, Jennifer Pringle, Mrs. Elwyn Neuville of Caro;  
Mrs. Arnold Corkins of Mt. Morris;  
Mrs. Gustof Stricker of Vassar;  
Angela Emming of Harbor Beach;  
David Reithel, Janice Singer, Mrs. George Torma and baby boy, Timothy Dembowski, Mrs. Edward Kata and James Ondrajka of Unionville;  
Peter Kritzman, Mrs. Papp and baby of Decker;  
Mrs. Bernard Furness of Deford;  
Leslie Kain, Albert Lopez, John Ledford and Andrew Olsoway of Gagetown;  
Kenneth Wrubel of Minden City;  
Mrs. Louis Dubey of Bay Port;  
Bonnie Smith of Bad Axe;  
Mrs. Ronald Diebel and Mrs. Anna Bouck of Elkton;  
Mrs. Gladys Freiburger of Snover.  
Steve Harbec of Cass City was transferred to Sandusky Nursing Care Facility.  
Mrs. Hazel Giroux of Cass City died March 26.

**Library board re-elects officers**

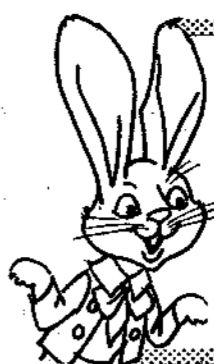
The monthly meeting of the Cass City and Elkland Township Public Library was held Tuesday forenoon at the library after a one-week postponement.  
Mrs. Robert Keating presided over the meeting. All officers of the board were re-elected for the coming year and include Mrs. Keating as president; Mrs. Charles Tuckey, vice-president, and Mrs. Esther McCullough, secretary-treasurer. The other board member is Mrs. K. I. MacRae.  
The board authorized the purchase of several new books, including a new atlas.  
Librarian Mrs. Arthur Little reported that circulation for the month of March was 1132 and that \$30.09 was collected in fines on overdue books.



ONE OF WINTER'S last flings occurred late last week when in nippy early morning, a rising sun hit this unusual ice formation on a tire of a Bauer Candy truck driven by James Mosher.

**Kingston union rift part of teacher power struggle**

A personal power struggle is the hotbed of a seething rift separating teachers at the Kingston Community School.  
"It's just politics," said Mrs. William Miller, a veteran teacher of long standing.  
About two weeks ago, a new group emerged independent of the MEA of which Mrs. Miller is president. Led by Mrs. Lawrence Opperman, the teachers then voted 17 to 14 in favor of giving the Kingston Teachers Club (KTC) legal right of control of negotiations with the Kingston School Board.  
The overthrow was the result of a long struggle for power between the two women. Last year, Mrs. Opperman narrowly missed overthrowing Mrs. Miller as president of the MEA.  
"Actually, it's kind of a mess here," said Mrs. Miller. Mrs. Miller said she expected the MEA group which includes 26 of the 33 Kingston teachers, to regain control of the negotiations.  
It will be three years, however, until another vote can be taken, said Mrs. Opperman.  
Asked if the teachers were dissatisfied with past negotiating achievements, "that's what the vote indicated, isn't it?" said Mrs. Opperman.  
Asked if negotiations are going well now, Mrs. Miller said, "that's the big question."



**Rabbit tracks**

BY JOHN HAIRE

(And anyone else he can get to help)

A Brazilian couldn't care less what the color of your skin is. That's because there are no blacks in Brazil. But shove a bunch of people together and they will find some way to discriminate against each other. In Brazil its social instead of racial.

Mauro Bastos, a Cass City exchange student, says that the poor don't mingle with the middle class and the rich won't socialize with the tradesman.

Bastos, who is probably upper middle class (his father is a doctor) says that the situation must be changed. Like the young across the globe these days he wants to change the status quo.

Bastos is one of three from South America. . . seems more concerned about the problem than the other two students in Cass City on the same program.

But that's not bad. One of three is a better average than you'll find in the United States. . . or in Cass City.

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Think now . . . who was the Senior Citizen of the Year 1968. . . or the year before that.

Stumped you, didn't? Be consoled. No one else can remember either. But the Cass City Rotary is buying a memory prod. The club is buying a plaque which will list each winner and the year of the triumph for a permanent record.

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Close your eyes and stand on the corner of Main and Seeger for a moment. Pretend you want to cross. It's frightening. Alger Freiburger does this several times every day with his seeing eye dog.

When drivers fail to observe the law, it's downright terrifying. Freiburger said that he has been narrowly missed several times in recent weeks.

In Cass City and other small towns traffic doesn't always wait for the pedestrian when making a right turn with the light.

The driver turns, the pedestrians wait . . . who wants to argue just because they are right? Only the blind because they have no other choice . . . They can't see you turning.

None of us wants to make it any tougher for the afflicted than it already is. It's probably a case of not putting ourselves in a blind man's shoes.

Think about it . . . especially the next time you start to tool around an intersection.  
Al Freiburger will appreciate it.

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If you're a pop music fan brace yourself for a glut of riotous entertainment.

The Thumb B Student Council is staging a battle of the bands for the benefit of the Teen Ranch at Marlette. The auditions will be April 12 at Cass City School. The sponsors are hoping for 20 to 25 combos.

April 26 the Lions will stage its annual Talent Show and the event is always spiced with the latest Motown sounds. Proceeds go for sight conservation.

Now if you are not a fan join me in downtown Wilnot and we'll salute the causes and damn the music together.

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**Cass City IGA to sponsor free trips**

Harry Lenda, owner of the Cass City IGA Foodliner, will send two local winners on an all-expense paid trip to Las Vegas in a Holiday Housewives '69 contest sponsored by the store.

The local winners will spend three nights at the Dunes Hotel with some 800 other winners. The contest is open to all wives 21 or older. It starts Monday and closes May 31. Lenda said that complete de-

tails about the free trip contest are available at the store.  
**Highway clean-up expensive in Thumb**

The Michigan State Highway Department spent \$6,054 for roadside clean-up during the 1967-68 fiscal year, it was disclosed this week.  
Clean-up in Sanilac county cost \$4,607 and in Huron county \$5,048.

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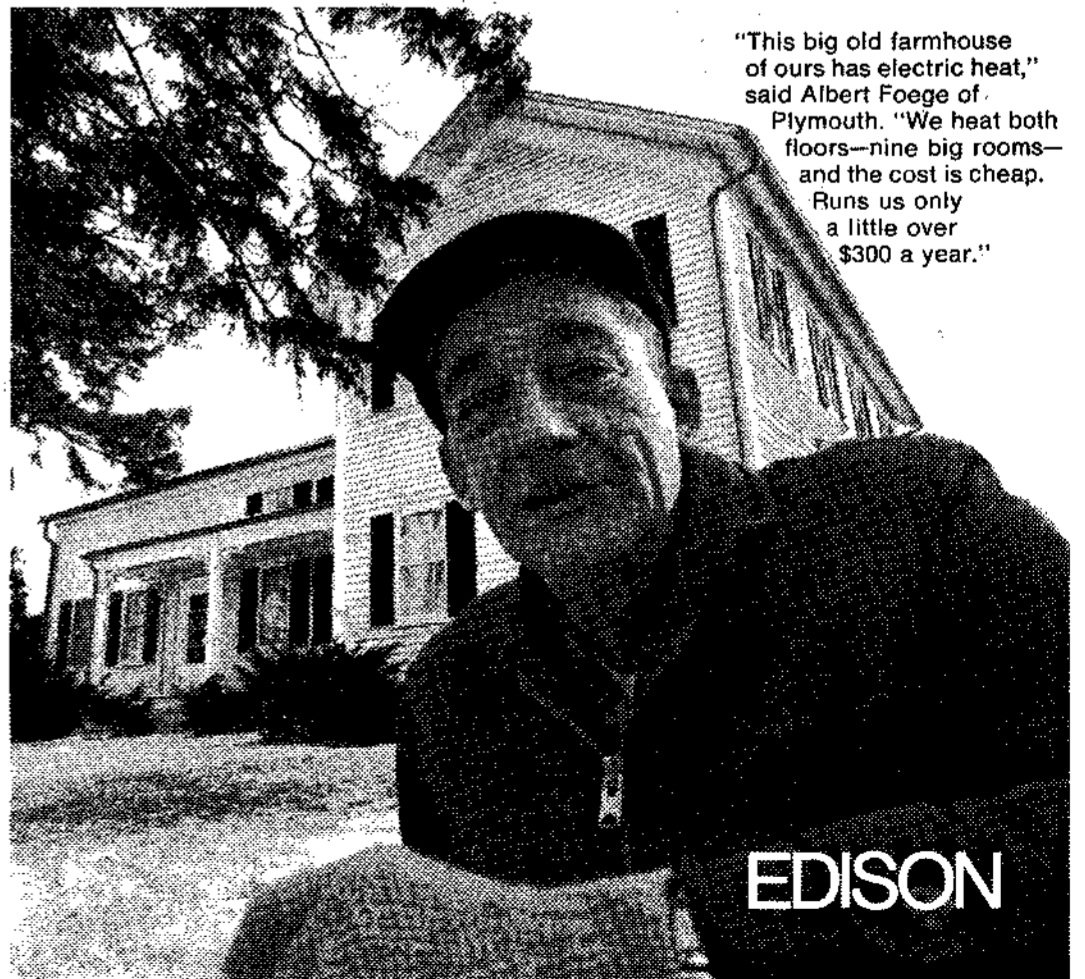
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### Poverty office

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but the budget won't allow for it.

Jones said clothing, heating, and health problems occur and some youth even have low blood counts.

His office defines low-income as anything below \$3,000 annual income and he said 19.9% of the county population qualifies.

Jones said Cass City was at an advantage because of its many light industries. His job title is "family counselor" and he has counseled about 10 Cass City families since his start with the agency about last June.

He said the agency "hasn't been concentrating on" Cass City. Asked if he anticipated an increase in the office's efforts in the future, he said, "Yes, I imagine so."

He said most of the office's efforts have been in the Vassar-Millington vicinity but only because they had received more referrals from the community than from other county areas.

This was why community support was necessary, he said, and he outlined his hopes for a "Citizen Corp" in the Deford area which would volunteer their services for the office's work requirements.

The official said what happened here-on-in was up to Deford.

### Banquet to fete athletes

The annual athletic banquet of Uby Community Schools sponsored by the Uby Community Club will be held Tuesday evening, April 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.

The banquet is open to the public and tickets may be purchased for \$3.00 apiece from Lambert Jaroch, E. Alfred Lowell, Duncan McIntyre and Mark Tenbusch.

The program will include the presentation of the most valuable player award and most improved player award in football and basketball. Other awards will be presented by coaches, Gerald Herp and Richard Holdship. Cheerleading awards will be given by Mrs. Connie MacAlpine.

The guest speaker for the occasion will be Morley Fraser, football coach, baseball coach, and associate professor of physical education at Albion College. The title of Mr. Fraser's talk will be "The End of the First Quarter".

In charge of banquet arrangements are Fred Maurer, Fred Ruthko and Mark Tenbusch.

## 30 spend day in practice CD drill at hospital

Thirty persons from Cass City, including 10 children, participated in a 24-hour civil defense shelter exercise at Hills and Dales Hospital last Friday.

At 5 p.m. the hospital's PA system sounded, "... Alert, alert, this is the office of civil defense. All personnel are to take immediate preparations for a nuclear attack."

At that moment, 30 men, women, and children rushed to the Hills and Dales basement shelter in what was one of the most unusual experiences of their lives.

Moments later, the PA system confirmed that Lansing, Detroit, and Saginaw had been devastated with nuclear weapons. In minutes, wind velocities were carrying dangerous radioactive dust particles over the Thumb area, particles swept upward in a giant mushroom from the ground blast.

The president announces the nation is under attack.

Mrs. Phyllis Wenk, shelter manager, announces through a bullhorn that all civil defense supervisors are to begin their tasks in calming both children and parents. Communications are established with the "outside" with 2-way radios, intercoms are set up inside and a bulletin board posts announcements.

Within 15 minutes, meters are registering radiation in the area. 20 roentgens, 50 roentgens, 250 roentgens, 550 roentgens. A person now stepping outside would become nauseated, his hair might fall out, he would die within minutes.

The radiation destroys white blood cells, greatly increasing susceptibility to disease.

Thus began a simulated shelter exercise. "It's real," say the participants. Mrs. Lucille Wotton, administrative assistant to Mrs. Wenk, makes sure shelter supervisors are present and have the required equipment needed to carry out

their job. Shelter deputy is Mary Kerbyson. Communications are manned by Robert McTaggart and Leo Tracy.

Deputy of technical services is Gerald Kerbyson who oversees communications, radiation measurements and tabulation, maintenance, and fire and safety.

Radiation is measured by Orland Kaufman and William Terbusch. It is a strenuous and exacting job. Hourly tabulations have to be registered with each individual after each meter reading.

Six dry biscuits and a half a glass of water constitute dinner. The biscuits, baked in 1962 and stored since that time at Hills and Dales, taste like a crisp graham cracker, some of them burnt at the edge. Isabelle Seeley and Marletta Whittaker are in charge of food and water.

Some of the children don't eat. They don't like the biscuits. Harried mothers try to console their children.

But the mothers are given a great assist by Mrs. Leo Tracy, recreation leader and "one of the gang," to the kids. She leads them in playing games, gives them horsyback rides. She's an all around good entertainer.

Mrs. Ruby Lasee, in charge of sleeping arrangements, has had her job made more difficult by the heat and over-supply of carbon dioxide. A ventilation problem occurs. Mrs. Wenk and other supervisors said this develops as the main problem during the simulation exercise. Smoking is curtailed.

In the morning nearly everybody has headaches.

Next a child becomes ill. Medical supervisor Ralph Fuester calls for help through the use of the communications apparatus. A doctor is called from shelter number 300.

When he arrives Orland Kaufman de-radiates the MD and the child is treated. A careful measurement of the exposure the MD receives is tabulated.

Supervisors remind all participants that a person does not become contaminated himself - only his clothes, and skin surface can accumulate the dangerous dusty particles that emit radiation. The ground becomes covered, and window corners and door panels become sited with the dangerous material.

Lavatory facilities were set up from special kits supplied by the U. S. Office of Civil Defense. The facilities, however, are across the hall and radiation exposure increases as the participants cross the hall into the lavatory room.

All participants crossing the hall have their exposure to the radiation measured and tabulated on a sheet kept in the participant's possession. Esther Euehrly is in charge of sanitation services. Basil Wotton is in charge of maintenance.

Richard Szarapski is in charge of fire and safety.

Elaine Fuester is deputy for special services including religion, recreation, training.

Grace is said before every meal and since the 24-hour simulation was constructed so as to represent two weeks, church services were held twice.

At one such center, related John Porterfield in an earlier training session, the religion supervisor made up sheets saying, "all you can do is pray." Porterfield said the supervisor was quickly corrected, saying training is the key to protection.

The religion supervisor at the Hills and Dales shelter is Clyde Lasee. Betty Surine and Lewis Surine are in charge of training in the shelter during the simulation.

### Uncle Tim From Tyre Says:

Dear Mister Editor:

I'm not shore a "think break" is a good idee. I saw by the papers where a sycologist in England said it would do a feller good to stop and jest think a few minutes ever day. Mister Editor, I tried it the other night and it wasn't no time til I quit thinking and started worrying.

Folks is saying newspapers don't print enuff good news, that all we ever read about is the bad things everwhere in the world. I recollect you said onct that papers like news out of the ordinary, like when man bites dog. It's getting to the place any good news is out of the ordinary, so I figger the papers is printing all they can git.

When I started thinking, I thought where this butcher had reported to police he had wrapped his \$50 ring up in a order of steak. I figger with the price of meat, the customer that got the ring jest about broke even. You don't hear a feller say any more he's as sound as a dollar. That used to mean you was in the pink of health but if you're no sounder than a dollar today

you're half dead. Like I said, Mister Editor, when I got to thinking things got to looking worse and worse.

Fer instant, I saw another study of conditions in colleges has showed that parents are happy their younguns in college still drink whisky as their favorite recreation. It ain't so much the parents is happy about their drinking licker as it is they're glad they ain't taking drugs. That ever student ain't on drugs is about the closest you can come to good news from the colleges these days.

It used to be people in this country was like the flea that thought the dog he was on was the best dog in the world, but them protesters is changing that kind of patriotism. They live off the dog, while they holler that the field mice in the hay and the termites in the barn timbers has got a better deal.

This country is gitting so turned around Zeke Grubb's preacher said he is thinking about rating all his sermons X, fer mature audiences only, to git folks back in the pews. On top of everthing, the price of haircuts is going up agin. The less hair a feller has got the more it cost him to git a trim. It looks like that's the way the country is going, you git less and less and pay more and more.

Well, Mister Editor, I reckon by this time you've decided they ain't no April Fool like a old April Fool. I'll jest tell you the only thing I got out of my "think break" was that I give my teeth a good picking while I was worrying. I think tooth picks ought to be passed out at ever "think break." That way, folks can think they are gitting somepun fer their effort.

Yours truly,  
Uncle Tim

### Does Insurance Cost Too Much?

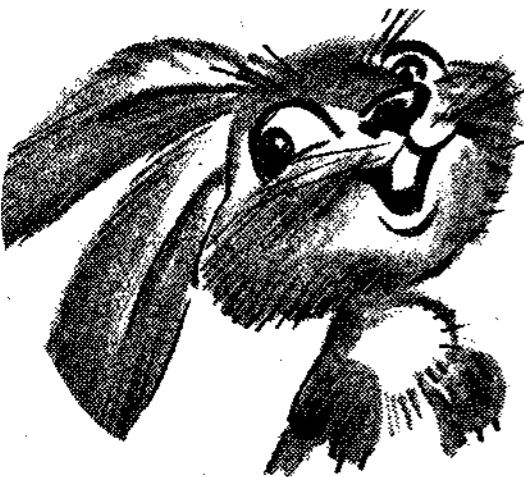
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## 4 lettermen to lead Hawks in Thumb B track

Robert Watson's Cass City High School track team is looking for another upset season. Last year the Hawk track team was chalked off by most observers as an also-ran and then surprised the experts by placing second in the Thumb B Conference and winning many of the other meets during the year.

If Cass City repeats with upset victories this year, it will be with just four lettermen and a host of promising non-letter winners.

Before the track year started last spring, Coach Watson could count 10 lettermen, but none were big point winners.

This year the squad is thinner in experienced, proven material. Backbone of the squad is expected to be Jim Selby and Tom

Guinther, co-captains. Selby was the Conference champion in the two-mile as a junior, but will probably shift to the mile for the good of the team, Watson said. If he runs the mile the Hawks can also count on him for a leg of the mile relay.

Guinther was runner up in the high hurdles last year and is working hard to be ready for the top spot in the event this spring.

Mic Miracle and Scott Guernsey are varsity letter winners back to help the squad. But missing will be several boys who helped pile up the points in 1968. Don Hostetler, Larry Hartwick and Dennis Stine have been lost via graduation. Gary Vollmar is not out for track this season.

Watson is looking for a strong effort from several boys who have not earned letters. Seniors Terry Brinkman and Mark Strace have shown marked improvement. Junior Bruce McLeish has looked stronger as the pre-season practice progresses.

Several underclassmen promise to help the Hawks this year and in the future. Watson said that Sophomores Mike Sherman and Harv Fredericks and Freshmen Craig Guernsey, Jim Wentworth, Louie Salas, Rog Smith and Ken Barker have looked good in opening workouts.

The Hawks are scheduled to open the season with a meet against Marlette Wednesday, April 9, 4 p.m. at Cass City.

The schedule:  
Saturday, April 12, 12:00 North Branch.  
Wednesday, April 16, 4:00 at Cass City, Bad Axe, Frankenth.  
Saturday, April 19, at Sandusky 1:00 Senior and Junior High.  
Wednesday, April 23, 4:00 at Cass City, Lakers and Marlette.  
Saturday, April 26, Gavel Club at Cass City.\*  
Wednesday, April 30, 4:00 at Cass City, Caro and Sandusky.  
Friday, May 2, Chip Relays at Mt. Pleasant.\*  
Wednesday, May 7, 4:00 at Vassar, Cass City, and Sandusky.  
Saturday, May 10, Oscoda.\*  
Wednesday, May 14, 4:00 at Caro, Cass City and Frankenth.  
Saturday, May 17, Regionals-Cass City.\*  
Wednesday, May 21, Conference at Caro.\*  
Monday, May 26, Tri-league at Caro.  
Wednesday, May 28, 1:00 Underclassmen meet and Junior High at Cass City.

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## "If It Fitz..."

### Watch out for that awful word

BY JIM FITZGERALD



This is fair warning to look up the kids and to be careful where you look. In the last paragraph of this column I think I will print the most notorious 4-letter word.

I mean that dirty word which was coyly described in a Detroit court last week as "the vile term for sexual intercourse."

My mother just exclaimed "HE WOULDN'T DARE" — and then quickly peeked at the last paragraph to make sure. She ignored my warning and got what she deserved. Don't you make the same mistake. If such words offend you, you shouldn't be forced to read them. They shouldn't sneak up on you in your family newspaper. You might well expect to read them in 9 out of 10 books sold in your family drugstore. But not in a column written by that sweet editor who hardly ever says even damn or hell.

But what about the kids? you ask. That's what everyone asks. "I don't care for myself," says Rep. Bigmouth, who wants you to understand he's really one of the boys, "but we can't have our youngsters reading this filth."

Which strikes me strangely. I swore I do more as a teenager than I do now. When I was 18, during World War II, if a guy didn't use that intercourse term 15 times in one sentence, he was probably studying for the ministry. It is really a remarkable word. It can be a noun, adjective, verb, adverb, preposition or pronoun. Leave it alone, or add an ed or an ing or even an ly or ee. It is an all-purpose word and I don't think we could have won the war without it.

Things can't be much different today. It is the youngsters who are printing the 4-letter words which are making their parents nervous for fear the youngsters will read them. Try that on for sense.

When some campus rebel uses 4-letter words in a speech,

### Coming Auctions

Saturday, April 5 — Harland Lounsbury will sell dairy cattle and farm machinery at the farm located two miles west of Cass City on M-81.

Saturday, April 5 — William Schave will sell farm machinery and household goods at the place located 12 miles east, one mile north and a half mile east of the Kinde school on Moeller Road.

Monday, April 7 — Don Roller will hold a farm machinery sale at the premises two miles south and one-half mile west of Unionville on Hoppe Rd.

Saturday, April 12 — Ernest Partaka will sell cattle and sheep and machinery at the place located six miles south, one mile west and one mile south of Cass City.

Saturday, April 19 — Alex Stroneski will sell farm machinery and household goods at the farm, two and a half miles east of Port Austin on U.S. 25.

Wednesday, April 23 — Lavern Englehard will sell 65 head of registered and grade Holstein cattle and farm machinery at the premises two miles west and one and one-half south of Unionville on Clark Rd.

Saturday, April 26 — Felix Prill will sell farm machinery and household goods at the place located three miles north and two and a half miles east of the Kinde school on Walker Road.

Saturday, May 3 — Frank Minnick will sell farm equipment at the premises located first place east of the Kinde High School.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION GENERAL

State of Michigan, Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.  
Estate of Ethyl L. O'Connor a/k/a Ethel L. O'Connor, deceased.

File No. 20534  
It is ordered that on June 5, 1969, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Village of Caro, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Sworn claims must be filed with the Court and a copy served on Judith Ann Esckilsen, executrix, of Cass City, Michigan prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
Dated: March 19, 1969.  
C. Bates Wills, Judge of Probate.  
A true copy.  
Beatrice P. Berry, Register of Probate. 3/27/69

the college newspaper might report exactly what he said, instead of s--- or SOB or some other dainty substitute. The young editor might claim he refuses to be a silly hypocrite. He is telling it like it is, man. But the adults know the editor is just a dirty kid and probably a Communist, too.

Of course, there are also some dirty adults. Take Mrs. Nancy Timbrook who teaches school in a Detroit suburb. A hippie group visited her school and distributed pamphlets containing that awful word. Mrs. Timbrook, a literature major, thought it would be worthwhile for her teenage students to study why that particular word causes such a stir. And she printed it on the blackboard, all 4 letters, just like I might print it in the last paragraph, for goodness sake.

Well, shame on Mrs. Timbrook, said Police Lt. William Sloan who brought criminal charges against her — on behalf of his teenage daughters, of course. A judge found Mrs. Timbrook guilty of violating a city ordinance. He was not influenced by the fact that Mrs. Timbrook is a mother and wears her skirt below her knees. It

didn't cut any ice that her college professor called her a brilliant student who, with 8 children at home, had graduated with honors. She admitted writing the dirty word and that was that. As I write this, Mrs. Timbrook is awaiting sentence which would be as much as 90 days in jail.

So watch it. Don't use that "vile term" in public, even if you are a teacher teaching why it is vile. Use a substitute, maybe &\$\$%.

There are other vile words, of course, which we use commonly without blinking. Such words as kill, war and hate. So far, no one has created polite substitutes for these words. I guess they haven't made everyone angry enough yet. Maybe someday.

Which brings us to this last paragraph. If you are offended by 4-letter words, why are you reading this? If you are a teenager, you may be reading to see if I am hip enough to spell it like you know it is. And if you simply enjoy reading, vulgar words, tough luck, you've been had. I chickened out. I think I made the point without throwing my mother into cardiac arrest.

But Onward and Upward.

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# Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

### FIVE YEARS AGO

Cass City firemen, at the suggestion of the Tuscola County Conservation Department, are warning residents that persons burning brush are required to have burning permits.

Kent and Philip Sorensen, 17-year-old twin sons of Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Sorensen of Elkton, escaped with minor injuries, when Kent lost control of their car and it slammed into a tree on North Cemetery Road, three miles north of Cass City.

Mrs. James Bauer, Cass City civic leader, has been invited to show 16 of her paintings at the Bay City Player's production of "Write Me A Murderer," Sally Profit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Profit, who had been working in Chicago is now employed at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw.

Frank Salgat, son of Lawrence Salgat of Gageton, has accepted a position as IBM and computer operator at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

Sue Greenleaf won top honors in the 12-year-old and older division of a bonnet contest sponsored by Wood Rexall Drugs.

### TEN YEARS AGO

Elaine E. Lounsbury, Keith O'Dell, Alice Des Jardins and Sharon Seeger, students from Cass City, were among 516 pupils at Central Michigan College to earn an average of B or better in the first semester.

Alden Asher, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presented gavels to the following 10 past presidents: Fred Auten, 1954; B. A. Calka, 1958; Herbert Ludlow, 1952; Keith McConkey, 1956; Bernard Ross, 1957; Warren Wood, 1950; James Bauer, 1951; Bernard Freilburger, 1953; Bill Jolly, 1955, and Dr. D. E. Rawson, 1949.

George McIntyre, 63, a prominent business and farm leader in Michigan, died at Saginaw General Hospital.

The ultimate in automation in egg production is now in full swing on the George Fisher farm, northeast of Cass City, where 5,000 chickens are expected to produce enough premium quality eggs to net their owner some \$6,750 a year, yet require only four and a half hours of work daily.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

In competition with delegates from several other schools, Geraldine Orlovski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Orlovski of Cass City, won the grand prize of \$5.00 offered by the Gageton Community Club at their second spelling contest held at Gageton High School gymnasium.

Fire, which is believed to have been caused by an overheated chimney, destroyed the Howard Asher garage at Caro, with a loss estimated at \$10,000.

Mrs. John Field and sons, Everett and Eldon, attended the commencement exercises held at the auditorium of Flint General Motors School of Technology where Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Field, was one of the 105 graduates.

Pfc. Bernard Lapak, who was wounded in combat and is recovering in a hospital in Italy, received a Purple Heart which he sent home to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lapak.

Francis Fritz left his position in the local post office after serving as postal clerk for 10 years. Mr. Fritz expects to be inducted into the Army soon.

### THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Doerr celebrated their forty-eight years of marriage with a family dinner at their home on West Main street.

Mrs. John Mark returned home from the Caro Community Hospital where she had been a patient for nine days.

Bill Ruhl, who is attending college at Mt. Pleasant, spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. N. Karr of Kingston.

Helen High, who teaches in Pontiac, is enjoying a week's vacation with her mother, Mrs. John High of Gageton.

The Cass City Chronicle printed a Chronicle - Extra, celebrating Tri-County Farmers' Day at Cass City.

Mrs. Catherine Walters, 88, suffered a broken left wrist in a fall at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Wilson of Ellington.

# Shabbona News

Lena Patch

Phone 872-4008

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Benedict of East Tawas spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patch.

Family fellowship at the RLDS Church was Sunday evening, beginning with a pot-luck dinner at 7:15. An Easter program was presented under the direction of Lillian Dunlap. About 40 attended.

Week-end guests at the Emerson Kennedy home were Ken Kennedy of Detroit and Miss Mickey Swan of Dowling and Bonnie Kennedy of Saginaw.

Russell Peck of Flint visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Field and family Friday and Saturday. There will be a Good Friday service at the RLDS Church starting at 7:30 p.m.

Benny and Susan Hennessey of Cass City and Janice Wentworth visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Patch, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Kritzman and Mrs. Elsie Roback spent Sunday evening at the home of James Morell of Argyle.

Rev. Ron McDonald of Muskegon was missionary speaker at the Novesta Baptist Church Sunday through Wednesday and showed slides on the Holy Land that he and his wife visited. Their plans are to leave as soon as their support is in as missionaries to Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kritzman and sons were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman.

The monthly family night of the Novesta Baptist Church was held in the church basement Friday, Mar. 28, with a pot-

luck supper at 6:30 after which Jack Manning, pastor of the Mayville Baptist Church, gave the message on love. About 60 were present.

Mrs. Irvin Kritzman of Kaw-kawlin and Mrs. Don DeLong and Connie of Cass City visited Saturday at the Bruce Kritzman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Woodward and children spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Heronemus.

Visitors at the Emerson Kennedy home Sunday, in honor of Lu Ann Kennedy's confirmation at Good Shepherd Lutheran church, were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Curtiss and family of Bloomfield Hills, Mrs. William Fritz and grandson Danny of Sebawaing, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wahl and Sandra of Ann Arbor, Ted Gracey and Mrs. Anna Campbell of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Dummeldinger and Miss Kathy Strayer of Munger, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burk, Alvin and Dianne, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Auslander and Dale and John Krug.

Sunday dinner guests at the William Patch home were Ron McDonald of Muskegon, Pastor and Mrs. George Harmon and Susan Hennessey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Kritzman spent Monday and Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tyes of Bellevue, Mich.

The Shabbona Farm Bureau will meet April 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Gray at 8:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Jr. and family of Utica and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunlap Sr. were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare McQueen and son were Sunday dinner guests at the Clark Dunlap home in Minden City.

Pastor and Mrs. George Harmon and the Junior Varsity and Varsity quiz teams of the Novesta Baptist Church attended the Michigan quiz invitational at Spring Arbor College Saturday, March 29.

The Shabbona Methodist church will have a sunrise service at 7 a.m., followed by a breakfast at 8 a.m. Sunday, Apr. 6.

Kenneth Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hayes, arrived home Sunday after serving in Viet Nam.

## Agent's Corner

By Mrs. Ann Ross  
Extension Agent

Look to dried fruits if you're looking for new and different ways of boosting iron in your daily diet.

Among dried fruits, three figs, six dates, two peach halves, six apricot halves, five to six prunes and one-fourth cup raisins contain as much iron as one egg or two slices of bread. The cost? Less than the price of a bottle of soda pop, a candy bar, or a small bag of potato chips.

Homemakers have become concerned about the amount of iron they get in their diets due to recent increases in the minimum daily requirements set by the Food and Nutrition Board of the National Research Council. Although women are most affected by this increase, mothers will want to know that teenage boys, 12-18, need just as much iron as their mothers and sisters.

However, if you're buying dried fruits for their iron content alone, apples and pears rate far below the other dried varieties.

Raisins have always been a good buy nutritionally, but this year prunes can also be added to the "good buy" list. And when you consider you're only paying for the fruit -- not water -- all dried fruits become good buys.

Dried fruits are convenience foods, too. They are lightweight, pack well for lunches and trips and can be eaten right from the box. No refrigeration is necessary, but to maintain best quality, store in a cool, dry place. However, try refrigerating cooked, dried fruits several hours before serving. They'll be plumper and more flavorful.

For best cooking results, follow the package directions. Pre-soaking before cooking is no longer necessary. If sweetening is desired, add it at the end of the cooking cycle. Adding sugar at the beginning makes fruits less tender and less able to absorb moisture.

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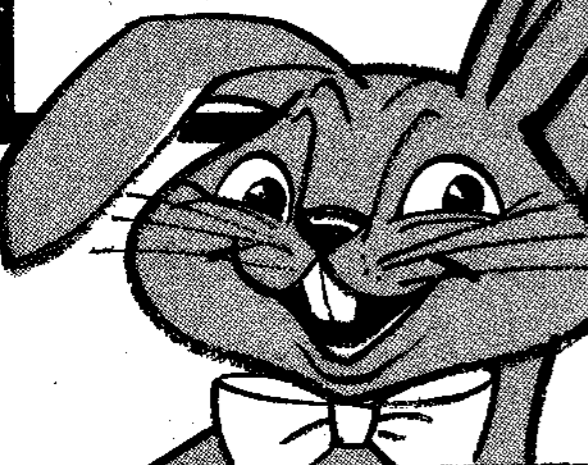
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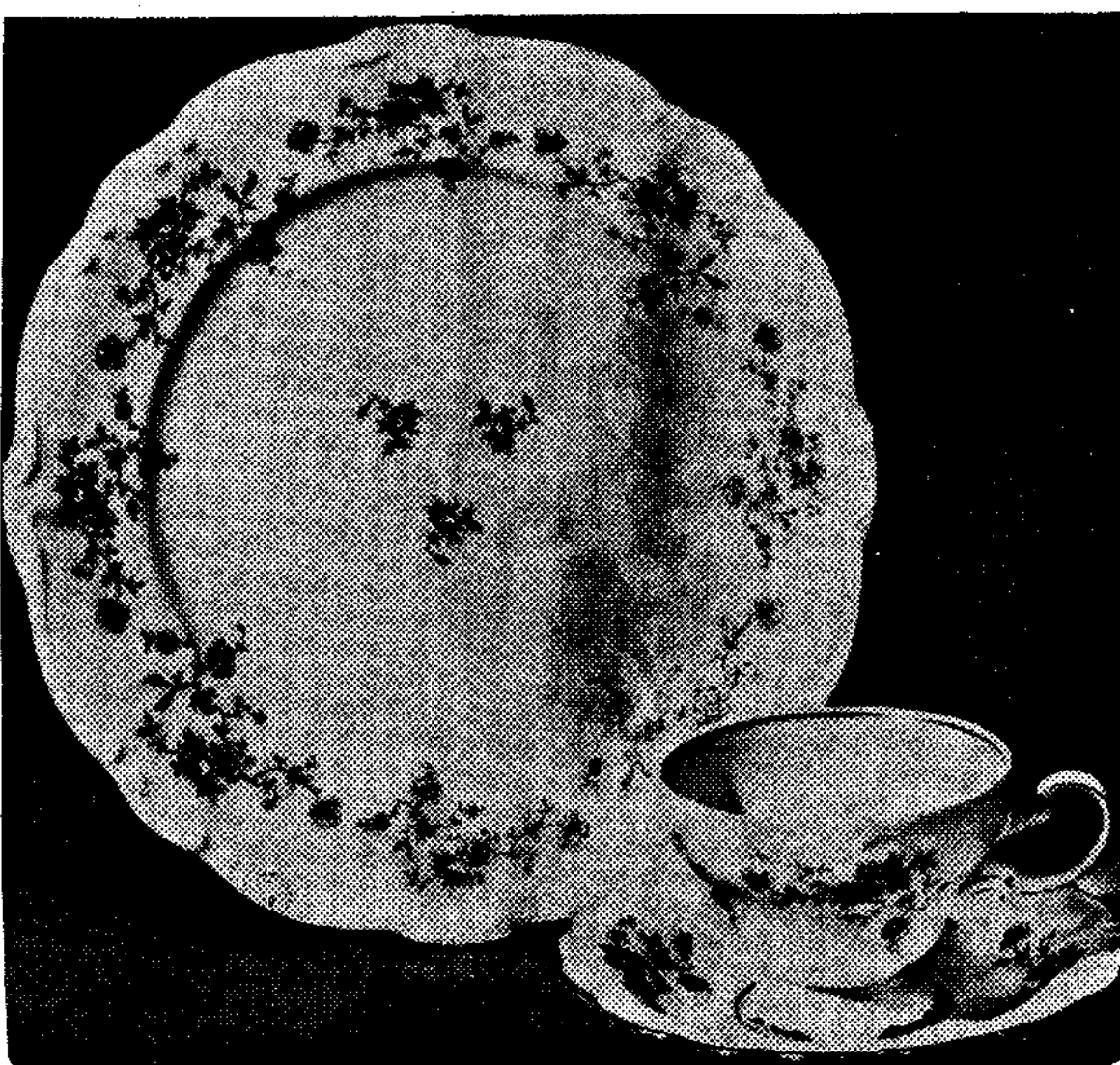
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Funeral services for Mrs. Hazel Giroux, 65, lifelong Cass City area resident, were held Saturday, March 29, in Little's Funeral Home. Mrs. Giroux died Wednesday, March 26, at Hills and Dales Hospital following a short illness. She was born in Tuscola county October 28, 1903, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Chapel. She married Leon Giroux in Detroit in July of 1939.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ann Zepplin and Mrs. Keith (Doris) Klinkman, both of Cass City; one sister, Mrs. Earl Moon of Cass City; four grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

**Pfc. Larry Guilds in Vietnam duty**

Army Private First Class Larry E. Guilds, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin B. Guilds of 6430 Third St., Cass City, was assigned Feb. 19 to the 14th Artillery near Pleiku, Vietnam, as a mechanic. Guilds and Chaplain Cliff Owens have met and visited together in Vietnam several times. Owens' wife, the former Ruth Ann Agar, and family live in Cass City.



Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Leyva

Paul E. Leyva of Gageton and Beverly A. Maxwell of Pigeon were married Saturday, March 15, at St. John Lutheran church in Pigeon. Rev. Phillip Press officiated at the seven o'clock ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Maxwell of Pigeon and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leyva Sr. of Gageton.

The bride, wearing an A-line dress and carrying red roses on a white Bible, was escorted to the altar by her father.

Matron of honor was Judy Leyva of Vassar, sister-in-law of the groom, and bridesmaid was Barbara Burzyck of Elkton.

They wore gowns of identical A-line style in varying shades of blue. Their bouquets were white and blue carnations. Best man was the groom's brother, Joseph Leyva Jr. of Vassar. Richard Maxwell of Pigeon, brother of the bride, was groomsmen. Ushers were Dale Menzel of Mayville, cousin of the bride, and Claude Leyva

**Prejudice topic for discussion at extension meeting**

What are the prejudices around us? Do you yourself have prejudices? If so, what are they and where and how did you acquire them?

These and other questions about prejudice will be topics for discussion in a lesson scheduled by the Cooperative Extension Service Family Living program.

The lessons will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 8, in the Farm Bureau Building, Sandusky; Wednesday, April 9, in the Civil Defense Center, Caro; Thursday, April 10, in the County Building (third floor), Bad Axe.

Mrs. Gail Imig, Michigan State University graduate student, has developed the plan for these meetings. She will be assisted by Margaret Jacobson, Family Life specialist, and Extension Home Economist Margaret Ann Ross.

The meetings are held as an educational opportunity for all interested persons. There is no charge. Those attending may bring a sack lunch, if desired.

**One For The Road**  
**Plastic church**  
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By Dan Marlowe

I receive a steady stream of newspaper clippings in the mail from friends who know I'm always on the lookout for column-fodder. They clip bizarre and exotic items from the papers they read in the hope that I can use them in some manner. Quite often it turns out to be true. Occasionally two clippings will come in close together from

widely separated sources that seem to blend so well that a crosspollination of the expressed ideas seems almost natural. This happened recently when I received a clipping from Florida commenting on a school for circus clowns in Sarasota, and another clipping from the west coast relating the success of an "air cathedral", an inflatable plastic church.

**BETROTHED**



CHARLENE ANN MacRAE

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin W. MacRae of Bay City-Forestville Rd., Cass City, announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlene Ann, to Mr. John F. Nipper, pastor of the Uby and Fraser Presbyterian churches.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Cass City High School and the Saginaw General Hospital School of Nursing and is presently employed at Hubbard Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Abraham Lincoln High School of San Diego, Calif., and the California State Polytechnic College of San Luis Obispo, and the San Francisco Theological Seminary of San Anselmo. He holds a B.S. in Aeronautical Engineering and a Bachelor of Divinity degree.

A May 10 wedding is being planned.

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VIVIAN E. ENGLEHART

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Englehart of Deford announce the engagement of their daughter, Vivian Eileen, to Lee Bracey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bracey of Big Rapids.

Miss Englehart will graduate from Cass City High School in June and plans to attend Great Lakes Bible College at Lansing this fall. She is employed with McCormick Real Estate.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Big Rapids. He is a sophomore at Great Lakes and is employed with Meljer Thrifty Acres in Lansing.

August 9 has been set for the wedding.

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION GENERAL**

State of Michigan, Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

File No. 20550  
Estate of Rudolph A. Patera, deceased.

It is ordered that on June 12, 1969, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Village of Caro, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Rosemary Patera, administratrix of Cass City, Michigan prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: March 27, 1969.  
Neil R. MacCallum, acting Judge of Probate.  
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Beatrice P. Berry, Register of Probate.

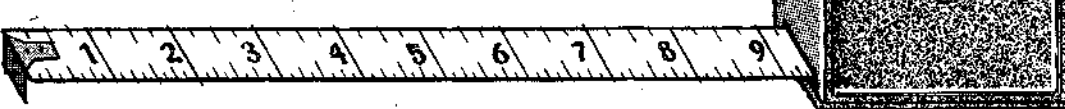
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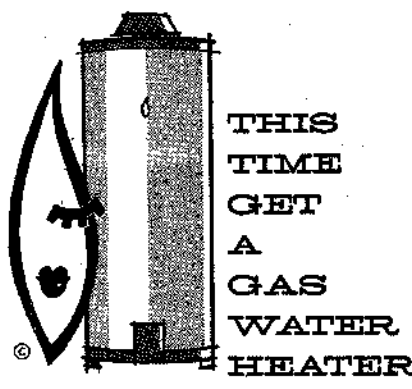
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Mrs. John Henry Wilson

Miss Ann Marie Tremper, daughter of Lewis Joseph Tremper and the late Agnes Tremper, and John Henry Wilson, of Mr. and Mrs. Harland P. Wilson of Cass City, were married March 22 in St. Vincent De Paul Church, Newport News, Va. Father James M. Noto officiated at the Nuptial Mass.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a Stella Fowler original princess line gown of pure silk with sabrina neckline and trimmed with hand-clipped chantilly lace encrusted with seed pearls and

ending in a full-length chapel train of lace. Her veil of French illusion fell from a pillbox of lace and seed pearls. She carried a lace covered white prayer book with white roses and staphanotis.

Miss Lillian Rowe was maid of honor. Her gown was gold chiffon and clustered jakarta with back panel and bow. Her headpiece was a circlet veil over a gold bow. Bridesmaids were Miss Mary Catherine Tremper, sister of the bride, Miss Adonica Morrissey and Karen Lee. They wore moss green and lime chiffon gowns with back panels and bows. They wore matching circlet veils. The attendants carried single long stem yellow roses.

Henry Parker Wilson was best man for his brother. Groomsman were Michael and Christopher Tremper, brothers of the bride, and Ted Dugan of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Curtis M. Bartholomew was mistress of ceremonies at a reception held in the Knights of Columbus Hall of Newport News, Va.

For traveling the bride wore a navy blue knit dress with matching accessories.

After a wedding trip to Michigan, they will make their home in Newport News, Va.

**Hugh Brenneman**  
**No magic way to lose weight**

Food fads and food misinformation affect our health, our weight and our pocket books. There is much misinformation today regarding diets.

In comparison to other sciences nutrition is young. Research in this field is taking place very rapidly. Most of us over 30 years of age did not hear about nutrition when we were in school unless we chose it as our field of study. Faddists are capitalizing on today's lack of nutritional knowledge. They are selling products and giving much misleading information to the public, thereby lining their own pocketbooks.

Throughout history magical properties and health giving qualities have been attributed to food and handed down from one generation to the other. Some of the beliefs of earlier days are respected today because they were based on truth even though these were not proven scientifically until many years later. For instance, fruits and vegetables were considered healthful foods, lemons, limes and potatoes prevented scurvy and many herbs used as remedies in the past are still employed in the science of medicine today.

One of the fads that may affect our health is this idea of substituting a candy coated pill and a cup of black coffee for a good breakfast. Breakfast means just what it says, to break fast. While we have been sleeping our bodies continue to use up energy. Most of our work will be done between breakfast and the noon meal. A good breakfast gives us a feeling of well being. Some people who are trying to lose weight feel that skipping breakfast is a good way to do it. Actually, this is a very poor way because it may increase appetite for the next meal or an in-between meal snack so that before the day is over they end up eating more food.

There is also the belief that only young children need milk. Both children and adults need milk, a quart per day is recommended for children and a pint for adults. The child needs more than the adult because of growth but an adult continues to need milk to maintain normal mechanical functions of the body. Milk is one of our most available and economical foods.

Perhaps there are more miracle diets relative to overweight than to any other condition. We hear of the grapefruit-egg diet, the banana diet, the high protein diet and the elimination diet. What good does it do to lose a pound a day on one of these wonder diets if at the end of a short time you return to your previous pattern of eating? Who could stay on one of those fad diets indefinitely? They become monotonous. Even more important, many are inadequate for nutritive requirements. Also, individuals on the wonder diets become so irritable that they are urged by their family to give it up.

Let's face it there is no easy way to reduce and no safe way is easy. Food supplies calories, calories supply muscular energy to keep us alive and active. When we eat more calories than our body uses the excess calories turn to fat. In some of these "wonder diets," the idea is developed that meat can be used freely in the reduction diet, with no fear of adding calories. This is not true, meat is an excellent food, a good source of protein yet it does provide calories and on a reduction diet it supplies about 1/3 of the total calories.

There is no single food that is the answer to losing weight. If you need to watch your weight the problem is not just one of losing weight but continuing to keep the pounds off. Therefore weight control becomes a way of life and means a permanent change in the pattern of eating.

In addition to the wonder diets are the no diet wonder drugs for reducing. Much of the advertising of these drugs is through the mail. At least one Congressional committee and three Federal agencies have given special emphasis to this

**JOY Club rally slated Thursday**

A JOY Club rally for all four clubs in Cass City is scheduled at 3:35 p.m. Thursday, April 3, at the Baptist church.

Rev. and Mrs. Jim Evans, who are to leave this month for their second term as missionaries to Peru, will be in charge.

The rally will feature singing, scene-o-felt stories and Bible and chorus drills.

All area children in grades 1-6 are welcome, whether or not they regularly attend a JOY club, according to Miss Mary Hanby, director.

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- John Deere 8 foot field cultivator
- International 5 foot mower
- Montgomery Ward wagon with 100 bushel steel box, on good rubber
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- 580 gallon gas tank
- About 2000 feet of mixed lumber
- Quantity of hand tools
- Delaval Electric cream separator
- Oliver 13 hole grain drill
- International 2-16 in. bottom plow
- International 2-14 in. bottom plow with Plow Chief bottom
- Oliver 3-14 in. bottom plow
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**Letter to Editor**

Editor  
Cass City Chronicle

We would like to congratulate the band director of the Cass City Schools, Mr. William Ferguson, for the beautiful concert performed by the 6th, 7th, 8th grade and senior bands Sunday afternoon at the school gymnasium.

The bands were very orderly and each played very well and we think Mr. Ferguson deserves a word of praise. We are very proud of our Cass City Bands.

Thank you,  
Band parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schell

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**ORDER OF PUBLICATION GENERAL**

State of Michigan, Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

Estate of Anson H. Henderson, deceased.

File No. 20559

It is ordered that on June 3, 1969, at 9:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Village of Caro, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. And legal heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Frederick H. Pinney, executor, 4646 Kennebec Road, Cass City, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: March 24, 1969.

C. Bates Wills, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
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FOUR PAGES



FIRST PLACE in the Junior Division was copped by Kathy Clarke.



FIRST PLACE in the senior division was won by Greg Hampshire.



JUNIOR DIVISION winners at the fair, from left, are: Kathy Clarke, Joy Holik, Nancy Koepfgen and Robert Vatter.



DISPLAYING THE projects that placed in the first or second division at the Industrial Education Fair are: Mark Posluszny, Gary Bader, Ron Hendrick, Jim Kilbourn, Patti Holcomb and Ron Seeley. Missing is Jeanne Alexander.



## School scribbles

BY L-BJ



SENIOR DIVISION winners at the fair, from left to right are: Greg Hampshire, Melody Bacon, Linda Koepfgen and Sharon Clarke.

### Cass City Intermediate

Mrs. Grenevitich's 5th grade class has made salt and flour maps of sections of North America and painted them. The maps are to be on display on achievement day.

The class is also having a 100-word spelling test covering all words fifth graders should know. So far only Leah Creason, Michele Konwalski, Pam Stickle and Brian Thompson have gotten A's!

Friday night the second annual Cass City Intermediate School science night was held. In charge of the program was Mr. James MacTavish, intermediate science teacher.

All students in grades five through eight were given the opportunity to participate in the event. All entries were categorized into one of two groups -- either the Junior Division (fifth and sixth grades) or the Senior Division (seventh and eighth grades).

The projects were judged Friday afternoon by all the Intermediate School's teaching staff. The basis for judging was creative ability, scientific thought, and student presentation.

Awards were presented on the stage of the Intermediate School at 8:00 p.m. Friday. Junior Division winners were:

- 1st -- Kathy Clarke
- 2nd -- Joy Holik
- 3rd -- Nancy Koepfgen
- 4th -- Robert Vatter

Honorable mention went to Jim Root, Diane Gould, Pam Gallagher, Carol Little, John Ballard, Russ Schwelkart, Dan Whittaker, Paul Voss, Brian Prizzle, Cheryl O'Harris, Carolyn Smith, Jeff Fox, Mari Elliott, Cathy Deering, Janice Steinhelb, Becky Peters, John Emmons, Billy Willis, Jill Field,

and Valene Mills. Senior Division winners were:

- 1st -- Greg Hampshire
- 2nd -- Melody Bacon
- 3rd -- Linda Koepfgen
- 4th -- Sharon Clarke

Honorable mention went to Kim Glaspie, Kathy Johnston, Jay Tuckey, Charles Petteplace, Kim Hutchinson, Julie Elliott, Al Hartwick, Mike Stine, Becky Holik, Dave Reed, Katherine Klac, Roger Horak, Greg Mark, Kay Kendall, Karen Martin, Bonnie Holik, Sharon Deering, Sharon Cox, Paul Sefton, Paul Spencer, Fae Hampshire, Dale Doyen, and Deura Gould.

First place winners were awarded a gold pin; second, a silver pin; third and fourth, bronze pins, and honorable mentions received blue ribbons. All participants received a yellow ribbon.

The projects were open to the public until 9:00 p.m.

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Last Friday and Saturday the Regional Michigan Industrial Education Fair was held at Saginaw Arthur Hill High School.

Cass City, along with 100 other area schools, was eligible to enter the competition, and the Intermediate School entered 41 projects. Of the 41 entered, seventeen received awards in 35 divisions.

The first and second place winners are now eligible to enter the state competition in Muskegon on April 17, 18 and 19.

First place winners were: Gary Bader, Mark Posluszny and Jim Kilbourn. Those receiving seconds were: Jeanne Alexander, Ron Seeley, Patti Holcomb and Ron Hendricks. Thirds went to Lori Bergman, John Hacker, Ed Carter, Scott Gunther and Mike Klinkman. Honorable mentions included: Mike Klinkman, Diane Lockwood, Roy Sefton, Lori Kilbourn and Jerry Hunt.

Cass City's Industrial Education projects will be on display Thursday, April 10, in the Industrial Education room during the Intermediate School's open house.

Saturday the Junior High Solo and Ensemble Festival was held in Caro. Receiving division I ratings were: Jeanne Alexander, Cheryl Kozan, Barb Auten, Kurt Freiburger, Al Pierce, Kim Glaspie, David Field, Delores Sherrard, Charles Tuckey and Paul Bifoss. Those who received II's were: Tim Stickle, Sue Kullinski, Mary Eshelman, Paul Bifoss, Fae Hampshire, Robin Lapp and Chris Murphy. Al Pierce and Jeff Proffitt received a III.

### C. C. H. S.

Last Monday morning Senator Alvin DeGrow of the 28th district addressed the senior class. Mr. DeGrow told the class how bills become law and how Michigan's state government is organized.

Tuesday a student council meeting was held. The talent show scheduled for March 28th was rescheduled for April 10th. It was decided that the student body is to judge during the daytime program to select the three top acts which will represent Cass City in the Thumb B talent show on April 19, and

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a board of three teachers and four students is to select the acts which will be participating in the evening show, which is open to the public. (The three top acts chosen to take part in the Thumb B talent show will automatically be included in the evening show.)

The board consists of Mrs. James Wynes, Mrs. Thomas Jackson, Mr. Thomas Woody, Mr. Robert Watson, the vice-president and secretary of the high school's student council, Phil Keating and Marilee Turner, and the president of the Intermediate School's student council, Kim Glaspie.

Tuesday afternoon the Northwood Choir, under the direction of Dr. Theodore Gosburgh and accompanied by Mrs. Madeline Woshburn, presented a concert at C.C.H.S.

One of the choir's seventeen members, Barry Matsubara, who is from Japan, sang a number of solos in Japanese. The student body enjoyed his singing and Barry obliged his audience by singing an encore.

Thursday afternoon another assembly was held in which Mrs. Ann Moreton gave an excellent presentation of spiders. Mrs. Moreton has been studying spiders for four years and is nationally known for her excellent close up photography of the arachnids.

Mrs. Moreton has traveled over 90,000 miles in the fifty states and her work has been published in many magazines. Although "spiders" aren't what you would call a favorite topic of many, the student body liked her presentation.

Friday morning a representative of the FBI, Mr. Roger Barnard, spoke with interested students about clerical jobs with the organization.

### CLUB NEWS

The Future Homemakers of America had a meeting after school Wednesday. Yvonne Erla and Diane Rabideau were chosen to attend the F.H.A. State convention at Western Michigan University, April 23 through 24.

The Future Medics had a meeting after school Wednesday. The club is making hygiene kits and children's kits to send to Viet Nam. Anyone interested in helping with this project should contact President Jean Butler by April 9.

The Spanish Club made approximately \$18.00 on their bake sale last Saturday.

### TID BITS

The senior band, along with the sixth, seventh, and eighth grade bands, presented a concert at C.C.H.S. Sunday, March 30.

According to Director William Ferguson, there was an excellent turn-out and \$91.14 was contributed in a free-will offering.



INTENT ON her work is Mrs. Ann Moreton who presented a special assembly about spiders at the school. Watching are Robert Hirn, left, and Arthur Holmberg.



KEN EISINGER

At the concert Ken Eisinger was awarded the Harold Ferguson Memorial Award, the highest band award which is given annually to a worthy senior. Ken was elected for the award by a vote of the band members.

The Junior Prom committee met Tuesday to select a new theme for the coming event since their other theme was

found to be inappropriate. The new theme is "Gardian di Amore."

City's Senior band and offered comments.

Fatal traffic accidents are no respecters of purse or persons.

The Want Ads are newsy too.



WINNERS OF A TOP division one rating in the Junior High Band Festival were these students: Bottom row, left to right, Dave Field, Kim Glaspie, Al Pierce.

Middle row: Delores Sherrard, Barbie Auten, Cheryl Kozan.

Top row: Kurt Freiburger, Paul Bifoss, Charles Tuckey. Jeanne Alexander was missing when this picture was taken.

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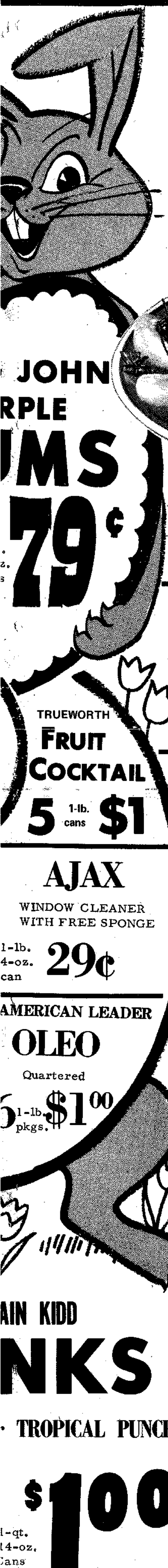
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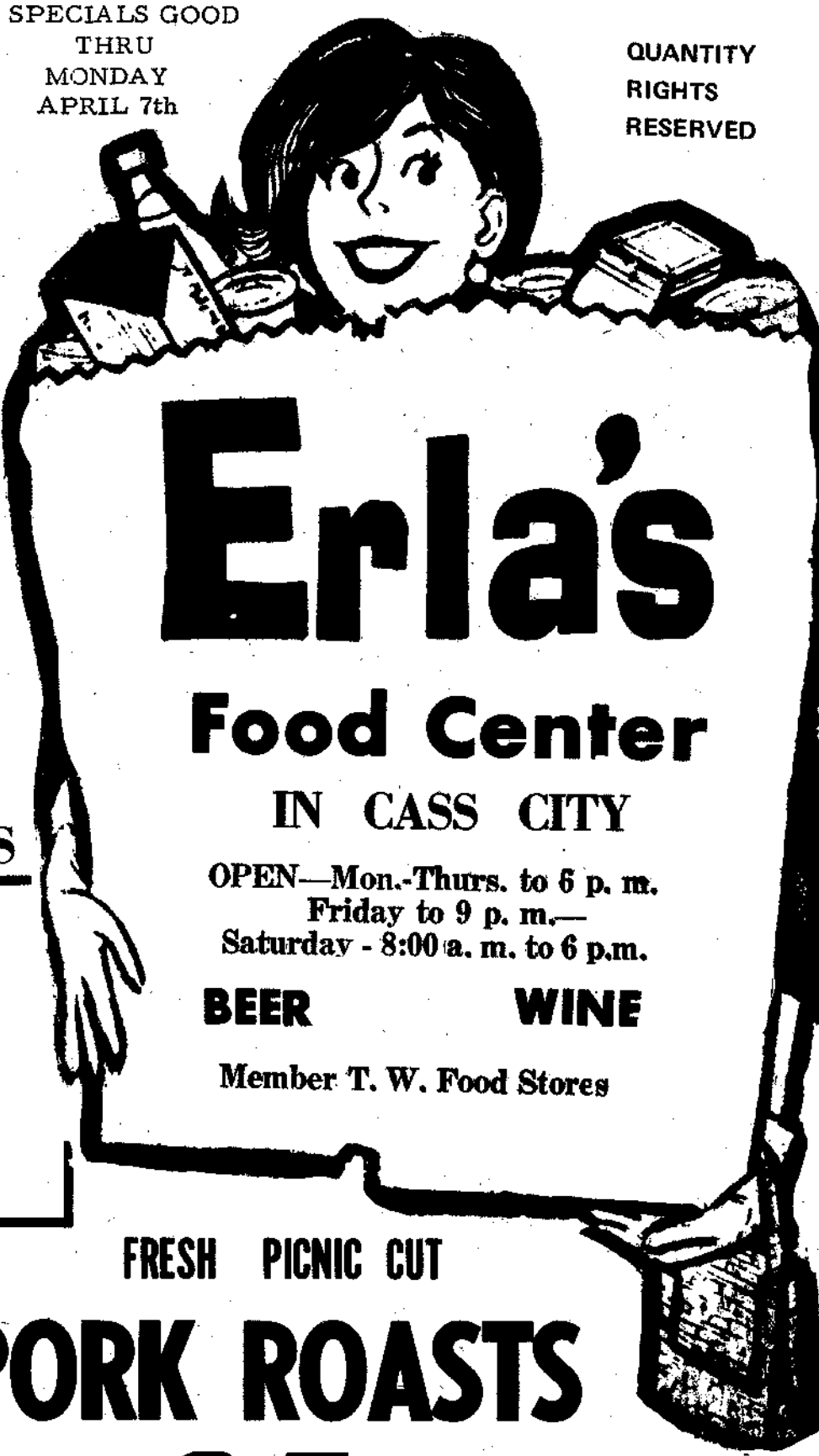
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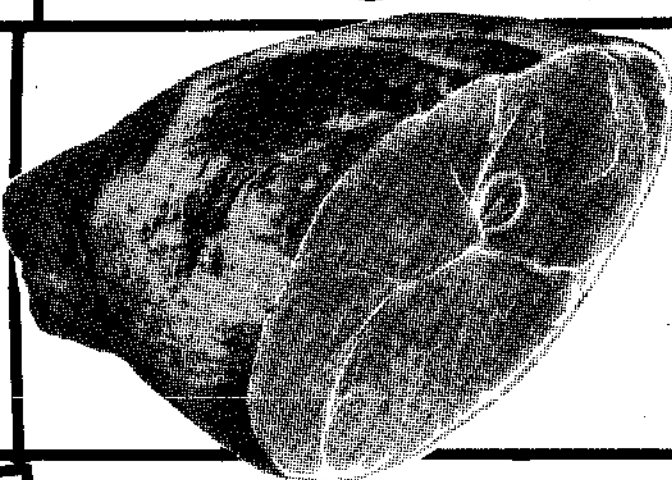


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- No. 14 Holstein cow, 8 years old, due 9-3-69
- No. 33 Holstein cow, 7 years old, due 7-12-69
- No. 38 Holstein cow, 5 years old, due 6-26-69
- No. 8 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 8-18-69
- No. 20 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 5-20-69
- No. 1 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 10-19-69
- No. 37 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 8-8-69
- No. 6 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 11-20-69
- No. 34 Holstein cow, 5 years old, due 10-28-69
- No. 15 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 8-31-69
- No. 39 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 5-8-69
- No. 47 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 10-11-69
- No. 12 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 7-12-69
- No. 13 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 8-30-69
- No. 40 Holstein cow, 3 years old, due 11-17-69
- Holstein heifer, 2 years old, ready to freshen
- Holstein heifer, 2 years old, due in Oct.

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- Holstein heifer, 2 years old, due in Oct.
- Holstein bull, 1 1/2 years old, can be registered

### TRACTORS

- Case 831 Diesel tractor, 500 hours; heat houser for same
- Case 401 Diesel tractor; heat houser for same
- International 340 tractor with loader

### MACHINERY

- Case 4 bottom, 16 in. plows, semi-mount
- 2 Gehl Forage boxes on John Deere running gears
- New Holland flair chopper
- Case, 3 point hitch, 4 row cultivator
- Case 12 ft. harrows
- New Holland haybine
- Oliver transport disc harrow, 12 ft.
- Gehl chopper with corn and hay head
- Gehl blower, PTO
- John Deere Elevator, 44 ft. with drag
- John Deere packer harrow, 12 ft.
- New Idea corn picker
- New Holland PTO manure spreader
- Ford PTO manure spreader
- New Idea hay rake
- New Holland baler, model 68
- John Deere grain drill
- 6 inch grain auger on Carrier
- John Deere field cultivator
- Dunham cultipacker
- 3 wagons and racks
- Self-feeding wagon
- Oliver 2 14 in. bottom plow, 3 point hitch
- Ford sub-soiler, 3 point hitch
- International blade, fast hitch
- Sun Master rotary chopper, 3 point hitch
- Kilbros Gravity wagon, 8 ton running gear
- Century sprayer
- Roll-over scraper
- Case hammermill, Gehl knife grinder
- Stock trailer
- Fanning mill with electric motor
- 1 5 horse electric motor, Windrower, 7ft.
- Set of dual wheels, 13x38
- 2 drive belts
- 2 500 gal. gas tanks with stands
- Lincoln welder, 180 amp.
- Airco Acetylene torch set
- Jewelry wagon
- Sunbeam clippers, Sunbeam dehorners

### MILKING EQUIPMENT

- 300 gal. Zero bulk tank
- Surge pipe line milker with automatic washer and 6 unit pump
- Stainless wash vats
- 40 gal. hot water heater (Fast recovery)

- 1966 Honda Trail 90
- 15 ft. trailer house good shape

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### FIRING LINE

A lunch with  
**Harold Johnson**

By Richard Haines

Harold Johnson of Caro has served ten consecutive years on the Tuscola County Board of Supervisors this April. Johnson is a wiry, retired gravestone salesman and inscription writer who inherited the business from his father-in-law. When he retired recently, he was still using the same small building his father-in-law used that's been standing since 1912.

But the business grew slowly and solidly and when the total number of cemeteries served were counted, they numbered over 125.

I recently asked Harold if we could have dinner together. In his bullish Oldsmobile Toronado, he said, "Let's go to a nice, quiet place . . . where we can talk."

So, nestled in a quiet corner down at Norms, a nice place that's also quiet, I pressed Harold for the major changes that have taken place in the last decade.

He spoke softly and I had to lean over the table and concentrate to hear. It was like getting really inside information, that, if not serious, at least was important.

"The county's responsibilities have increased," he said. He added that Michigan income tax was designed to rejuvenate programs on the local level, "but at the same time they pushed a lot of new responsibilities on us."

Johnson said the Lansing boys don't always understand the problems of the county people. He said they don't always do very well in getting the programs "to suit, I mean fit," the counties, correcting himself with traditional Republican philosophy.

Johnson is cautious, but he's also colorful. In fact, cautious is one of his favorite words, and he uses it often in describ-

ing colleagues he highly approves. "The faster you go, the wider the circle," he said. As board chairman his wit and his laugh are his raft for gliding over the rough waves of meeting disagreements. Balding, with his remaining side patches of backswep hair, he sometimes comes off as the showman, and he milks a good joke to get every robust laugh he can.

Johnson said his board often disagrees, but "they've got excellent rapport up there."

"We respect each other's opinions," he said. When taking after a dissenter, Johnson butters up his board members before giving them a tender rap. "Your idea has good points, but . . . We understand your problem, but . . ."

There is little evidence of rivalry between board members when Johnson is chairing the meetings. Before an important decision he starts from the left, and down the line, calls each board member's first name for a final say.

It's the kind of justice that evolves from years of experience and Johnson is well versed in the art of fair decisions. His board appears to respect him for it, because morale appears always high.

But maybe because Johnson's morale is always high. It's the kind of security one gets from his expertise in what he's doing.

One might call him an eccentric for having that kind of security, and sometimes the office help does.

But Johnson has confidence and trust in his board and he enjoys what he's doing. "I'm not a millionaire," he said, "but you can't take it with you anyway." He added, "You get out of it what you put into it."

About 10 passersby went by our table during the noon lunch each of them dropping a friendly "hello" to Harold as they did so.

"I like young people," he said. He has three sons. An airman, a dentist, and an attorney.

And he's served Scouts in Caro for 25 years.

The board chairman's desk is always stacked with papers, the papers of one day's meeting.

If Harold Johnson's chairman it's because he puts a lot into it.

### GAGETOWN

Miss Rosalia Mail

Phone 665-2562

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hunter and Diane of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. P. Hunter, and the William C. Hunters. They had breakfast Sunday with the Werdemans and returned home in the afternoon.

Mrs. Aura Beaudon, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Langlois and, from Harbor Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Norman David and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carolan returned home from Florida Friday where they spent the last month.

Michael D. Rocheleau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rocheleau, began work at the Bay County Juvenile home, near Bay City. Mr. Rocheleau accepted the position of boys' supervisor. He has several years of experience with juvenile delinquents, working at training schools and centers at Whitmore Lake and Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Baker and two daughters, Belinda and Melony, spent Tuesday overnight with Joe Rocheleau and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rocheleau. Mr. Baker was released from Army service March 24. He had served with Joe Rocheleau at Fort Meade, Maryland. Mr. Baker and family were en route to their home in Sheridan, Wyoming, after visiting the Rocheleau family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rocheleau entertained Saturday, several guests at their home at a birthday party for her brother, Maurice Grew of Bay City. Among those present were Spic Grew and Mrs. Joseph Grew, their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Abbey, Kenney and Janice of Detroit were Saturday dinner guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Burrows.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hobart spent Sunday afternoon in Bay City with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Carolan.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Hurd and Yvette and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hurd went to Alma Sunday to visit Albert Hurd, who is in the Masonic home there.

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### Agent urges farmers to use certified seed

The temptation to "economize" at seed-buying time is always with us. But statistics show that farmers who spend a little extra now for certified seed actually reap greater profits at harvesting time than those who try to save money by buying second-class seed.

"The importance of good seed should be obvious," says Alfred Ballweg, Tuscola County extension director. "If a farmer has poor seed, his good soil, expensive fertilizer and conscientious management will only be wasted."

Although certified seed costs around two dollars more per acre than non-certified seed, it brings greater profits at harvest time through higher and purer yields, and disease resistance and freedom from weeds.

Ballweg repeats the constant advice of crop scientists and authorities of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association (MCIA) when he urges farmers to use only certified seed.

Larry Copeland, Michigan State University crop scientist, explains that certified seeds have a history of highly regulated control. When scientists develop a superior variety, the pure seeds are distributed to MCIA - approved growers for multiplying the original lot.

"Fields are inspected regularly and lots must pass laboratory analysis," says Copeland. "Only when requirements for purity of variety, good germination and freedom from weeds and diseases are met, are the seeds tagged to indicate certification."

Noncertified seeds do not have these high requirements of breeding and handling, he says, and so may be more readily affected by disease, weed contamination and other elements that make for lower crop quality.

According to Copeland, national soybean surveys comparing certified and non-certified seeds continually show three-to-five-bushel per acre increases in yield for the certified seeds. Even after subtracting the price for the seed, the certified fields brought \$6 to \$12 more per acre than the noncertified seed.

Too much self-appreciation has a tendency to depreciate.

Demand your rights, but don't overlook what's really right.

## FARM AUCTION

### Monday, April 7

AT 12:30 P.M.

At the farm located 2 miles South and 1/2 mile West of Unionville on Hoppe Road.

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|---|---|
| <b>COMBINE</b>  | John Deere AW 12 ft. transport disc   |
| 1962 John Deere 9568 combine with Innes Northwest Special bean pickup, power steering, serial number 96-11475. A-1 condition. | Speedy 3 row beet topper  |
| <b>TRUCK</b>  | Brillion 12 ft. cultipacker   |
| 1967 International 1600 truck with 16 ft. binder box, belt driven tandem, 18 ton hoist, 10,000 actual miles, like new.        | John Deere 2 section 9 ft. tine tooth harrow  |
| <b>TRACTORS</b>   | John Deere 4 row flexplanter, like new  |
| John Deere 4020 tractor, gas, power steering, dual hydraulic system, A-1  | John Deere 962 running gear with 10 ply rubber and McCurdy 180 bu. gravity box, with fertilizer hydro auger |
| John Deere 4010 tractor, diesel, dual hydro system, new rubber, power steering, A-1 condition                                 | Farmers Pride gravity box, 120 bu. with running gear  |
| Diver 66 row crop tractor with 4 row cultivator   | Coby tractor spreader   |
| <b>MACHINERY</b>  | John Deere 8 ft. double disc  |
| John Deere rear mount 4 row beet and bean cultivator, new   | Steel land leveler, 10 ft.  |
| John Deere, model F-145H, 5-16 plow, high clearance, new condition  | John Deere 12 ft. harrow  |
| Three 15.5 x 38 tractor tires and rims snap on  | Two S&H farm wagons with 14 & 16 ft. flat decks, new  |
| John Deere 12 ft. mounted harrow, all new teeth   | Case 32 ft. bale and grain elevator   |
| John Deere 223 beet harvester, with row finder, new condition   | John Deere 4 row bean puller, drive in quick tach   |
| John Deere 1 1/2 ft. field cultivator, 3 point hitch  | Innes 520 4-row windrower, new  |
| John Deere 20 hole grain drill, new condition   | John Deere 4 bar rake   |
|   | Grain auger, 5 in. with 3/4 HP motor  |
|   | Land roller   |
|   | Two Oliver weedeers   |
|   | Crop sprayer with barrel, pumps and hoses   |
|   | 500 gal. gas tank on stand  |
|   | 200 gal. gas tank with hand pump, new   |
|   | 150 gal. gas tank with stand  |
|   | 15 pickle boxes, 4 x 5 ft.  |
|   | 300 potato crates   |
|   | Small jewelry wagon   |

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