

After train-car crash death

Bocks seek \$250,000 in Circuit Court damage suit

A civil suit that promises to be a lengthy one, began Tuesday in the late morning in the court of Circuit Judge James P. Churchill and revolves around the 1967 accidental death of Ethel Minnie Bock of Cass City, in a collision with a Grand Trunk Western railroad train. Mrs. Bock was killed as she headed west on highway M-81 Oct. 6, 1967,

at 6:30 p. m. She was struck by the southbound train at the highway crossing in west Cass City. Her husband and administrator of the estate, Eugene Bock, is bringing the suit against Grand Trunk railroad for \$250,000.

The information charges the Grand Trunk railroad with operating the train in a negli-

gent manner and cites excessive speed, not enough warning and a deficient set of signals as causing factors in the accident. The attorneys, both from out of Tuscola county, and Judge Churchill, indicated that the trial would take the rest of the week at least.

Testimony Tuesday in the plaintiff's case saw the details of the accident itself under review. The case is being tried before a jury of seven persons, two women and five men. Criminal cases still require a jury of twelve persons but civil matters may be tried with a six-man jury.

The seventh member of the jury sits in, in case of illness and six, selected by lot, actually deliberate the case if it goes that far.

be set for trial and bonds continued.

Hurley Israel, 30, of Deford, was arraigned on a charge of breaking and entering an unoccupied dwelling on the Phillips Road Sept. 19. Israel entered a plea of guilty and will be sentenced Feb. 16 following a pre-sentence investigation.

Boost bond for Kingston murder suspect

Tuscola County District Judge Richard Kern boosted the bond of Samuel Villarreal of Kingston to \$30,000, an increase of \$20,000 over the original \$10,000 bond that Judge Kern had set.

Villarreal has been charged with murder in the shooting death of his common law wife, Tillie Villarreal, 57. The court is still awaiting the appearance of a qualified interpreter for the arraignment and preliminary hearing, if necessary, on the 59-year-old Spanish speaking farmer.

OTHER CASES

Thirteen criminal matters came before Circuit Judge Norman A. Baguley Monday afternoon with a few of them affecting persons in this area.

Gary Michael Partaka, 20, and Gerald Joseph Bezenek, 21, of the Gageton area, stood mute on their arraignment on charges of unlawfully driving away an automobile. Innocent pleas were entered in their behalf and the case will

Liquor referendum to test "dry" Cass City

A petition has been filed with the Cass City village clerk asking for a referendum in the March 8 election to decide whether or not liquor by the glass should be allowed within the village limits.

The petition was circulated by Jay Lee Smith, a new partner in Jack's Bar on Main Street.

Presently the bar has a license to sell beer and wine. If the electors approve the sale of liquor by the glass it is likely that both bars that sell beer and wine now will sell liquor.

The election will not affect Elkland township.

The sponsors of the petition have been busy rounding up village residents they believe may be potentially in favor of liquor by the glass and escorting them to the clerk's office to register.

It is likely that they will need all the votes they are able to muster. For Cass City and Elkland township are traditionally dry.

In every election concerning the sale of alcohol Elkland township has led the county in support of the "drys".

In 1968, for instance, when the question of Sunday sale of liquor was a referendum issue

63 per cent of Elkland township voters (801 of 1262) were against the sale. At the same time the issue was narrowly defeated county-wide as only 53 per cent of the voters were against the liberalized regulations.

It is likely that Smith and others who are asking for legalized liquor are counting on the changing complexion of the community and the influx of residents who are accustomed to buying liquor.

Whether or not this will be enough to overcome the traditional pluralities enjoyed by the anti-drinking forces will be decided by the voters this spring.

No tax reduction seen

Village to end year with hefty surplus

When final figures are tabulated the village of Cass City will have a surplus of between \$24,000 and \$30,000.

The surplus does not include funds earmarked for future construction projects and carried over year-to-year until the project is launched.

President Lambert Althaver told members of the village council last Tuesday that the surplus was the result of two factors.

The first is that due to the death of Village Engineer William Schmitt not all of the projected street work was com-

pleted. Work on Garfield Street has been delayed.

The second is that village tax revenues are up about \$12,000 over amounts anticipated. Total revenues from all sources climbed from \$283,000 to \$295,000. Local tax funds jumped about \$3,000 more than

anticipated, to about \$100,000.

Despite the surplus, Althaver says that he does not see any decrease in village taxes. He points to the inflationary trend today and says that this together with a possible addition of a man to the village crew could eat away the extra funds.

About the only item requiring more than routine discussion was the charge that will be assessed for running sewer and water to the apartment complex under construction by Don Smith.

Although the land in question is in the original plat of the village, there is no service running to the area now.

Providing sewer and water is expected to be expensive... the council was speaking in terms of several thousand dollars Tuesday.

What portion of the cost will be paid by the developer and what cost paid by the village is still undetermined. The present village regulations do not spell out a procedure for providing service for a building not in a new subdivision, and not presently served by sewer or water mains.

A committee to meet with the school on the matter of public safety for students and the plowing of walks has yet to act.

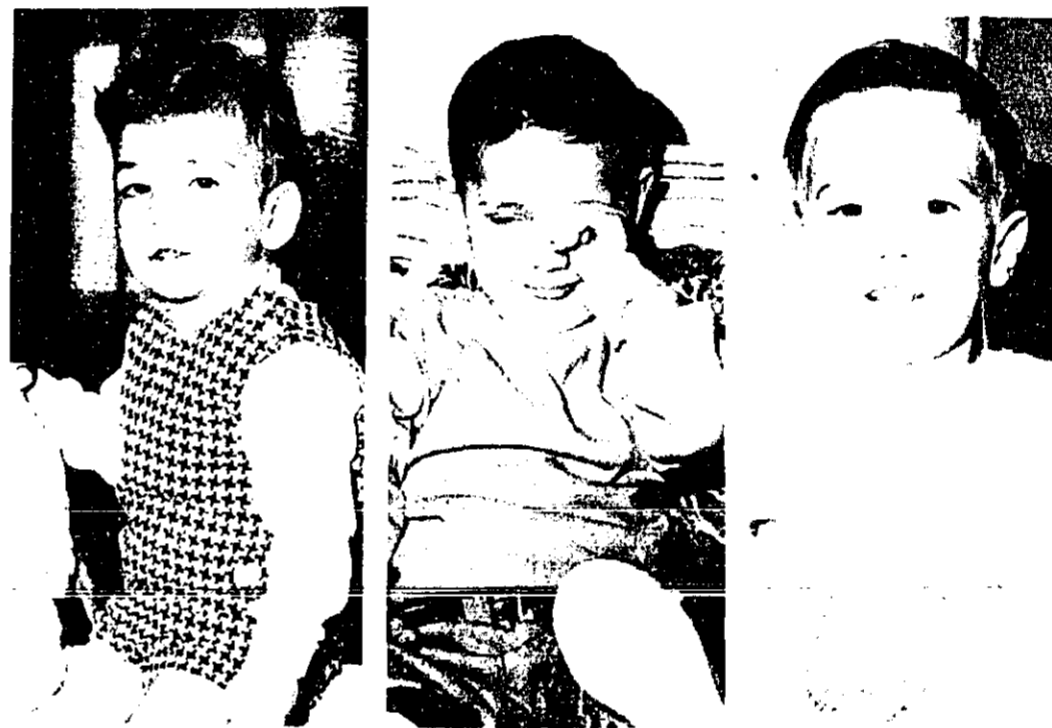
While the council has gone on record as opposing plowing of walks they have agreed to marking of streets and other less expensive aids to safety.

Setting up a safety committee was one of the first items on the safety agenda when it was first discussed a month ago.

President Althaver passed out final copies of the proposed up-dated zoning ordinance for the village and announced that a final review before presenting the ordinance to the voters for adoption will be held Jan. 21.



KELLY LYNN BARRIOS, the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Barrios of Silverwood, arrived at Hills and Dales Hospital at 8:52 p. m. Jan. 2 and was the first baby of the new year. Waiting for her are a host of prizes from 12 Cass City merchants. Kelly is the first child in the Barrios family.



WHAT A DIFFERENCE a year or so can make. Three of the previous winners of the Chronicle baby derby welcome the newest arrival. From left: Jeffery Lynn Reed (1970), son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reed Jr.; Keith Albert Czekai (1968), son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Czekai, and Ronald James Guinther (1966), son of Mr. and Mrs. James Guinther.

FROM THE Editor's Corner



Our elder daughter was sitting home last summer with nothing much to do when she decided what the Halre family needed was a dog.

So she got us one... "free". An all-American dog (very mixed ancestry) from a family which was either going to give him away or get rid of him.

As a very young pup it appeared to be the dumbest dog that ever lived and now that it is grown, it has exceeded its early promise.

It is absolutely, unequivocally the world's leading canine retard.

At times he acts just like a cat. He's got three or four cat whiskers sticking out like an antenna from the side of his jaw and he is apt as not to arch his back and stretch just like any cat does every day.

When he arrived home my daughter named him "Snogie" possibly because he likes nothing better than to snuggle up to the drapes at our house.

When just a pup, our dog showed signs of things to come as he chewed a panel off the

drapes and substituted two pairs of shoes for dog bones.

When it came to housebreaking, Snogie fought the whole family to a draw. I was getting up about every hour on the hour nights and the dog had the entire family trained before he realized that it was possible to ask to go outside.

Now that he knows he has developed another little endearing trick. He asks to go outside about every 20 minutes or so and you have no way of knowing whether this is the "real" thing.

About three times in four after he is let out he perches on the back steps in front of the glass windows and does nothing at all for 10 minutes and then asks to come back in.

At times Snogie is so dumb that you can't help but grin and enjoy it.

One is when he happens to find his way from our house on Seeger to the Chronicle office. He announces his arrival by a series of peep-like jumps about half way up the large picture windows at the Chronicle. For him this was a major achievement and he's proud of it.

The trouble is getting him home again. Once here it's impossible to get him away. And those tales about dogs traveling 25 miles or so to return home just don't apply to our dog.

He has yet to find his way back. What happens is that when it gets to be about 9 p. m. or so someone drives down to the office and finds the dog.

Now discard any picture you may have of a delighted dog grateful for rescue.

Oh, he wants to come home alright, but he has never learned, despite the many times we have done it, that you have come to take him home.

And for some obscure reason, he hates cars, so the only solution is to pick him up and boldly carry him.

Every time he is let out at our house he immediately looks around, discovers where he is, and in a frenzy of delight starts chasing his tail.

It's always a gamble when you call our Snogie whether he will come running or stop

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WAITING TO celebrate her 90th birthday Jan. 17 is Mrs. Christina Williamson of rural Gageton.

Living is easy for 90-year-old Mrs. Christina Williamson of Gageton

The house sits nestled back among the trees, perhaps 150 feet from the road, showing the character that comes with age while grudgingly bowing to the assault of time.

In a way it's a house that goes with its owner... Mrs. Christina Williamson of Gageton, who has lived on the family farm southwest of Gageton for 69 years.

Mrs. Williamson will celebrate her 90th birthday Jan. 17 and the years are stamped but lightly on her face.

She can recall vividly when she and her husband renovated and added to the house in 1911. They took over the homestead 40 acres, first settled by his grandparents who came to Michigan with an ox team and covered wagon, in 1901.

The farm today isn't much like it used to be. When her husband was alive and the eight kids were growing up the farm

boasted an orchard of peaches, plums, apple and cherry trees and a full garden from which enough was canned to last over the winter.

That's all gone today, Mrs. Williamson sighs, and the 120-acre farm is share cropped. Just think, she says, we bought one neighboring 40 for \$1,400.

Today, the taxes are \$500 yearly. I just don't see how a man with a family can get by. Prices are so high.

When Mrs. Williamson was young, farming was a family proposition. She still chuckles when she recalls the time she was able to drive the team of colts that was giving her husband all kinds of trouble.

Maybe it was the farm work that caused a touch of arthritis for Mrs. Williamson back when she was a youngster of 65 or so. It used to really trouble me, she said, "but today I don't hardly feel it at all."

The only trouble I have today is seeing and getting out of breath. Her trouble with breathing isn't anything serious, she feels; after all it stems from a heart ailment and has been with her for 20 years and she still gets along.

But her eyesight is a problem. She no longer can watch TV, she confides, and I had to stop taking the Chronicle when the print got too small.

But other than this she manages nicely, living alone and caring for herself.

A friendly neighbor does the shopping for \$5 a week and the housework and cooking she handles herself. Don't look under the sofa, she said with a sly grin, because about a dozen years ago I quit moving the furniture around to dust.

Still, the home is in apple pie order and looks ready now for the birthday celebration Sunday, Jan. 17.

Planning for the event are her five living children: Mrs. Elmer Neeb of Midland, Mrs. Elnie Bennett of Pontiac, Mrs. Phyllis McGee of Garden Grove, Calif., Lester of Rudyard and Merlyn of Deford.

Also expected to attend are many of her 16 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

And it should be an especially happy time for Mrs. Williamson who said many times while talking about the affair that it was wonderful because all of her children were so good to her.

You know, she said, it's worry that shortens your life. With my kids, I have nothing to worry about, I can take each day as it comes.

It is evident that for her, anyway, it has been the formula for a long and happy life.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

BIRTHS:

Dec. 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dubs of Pigeon, a girl; Dec. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blank of Snoyer, a boy; Dec. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peasley of Cass City, a boy; Dec. 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kaczor of Caro, a boy; Dec. 31 to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Voss of Cass City, a girl; Dec. 31 to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Volz of Owendale, a girl; Jan. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. David Barrios of Silverwood, a girl; Jan. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kilmowski of Sebewang, a girl.

Mrs. David Albrecht and Jo-ame Hicks of Kingston; Robert Behn and Santo Martinez of Pigeon; Tammy Balzer, Mrs. Clayton Heckroth, Mrs. Ella Petiprin, Mrs. Katherine Becker, Duane Hartman of Unionville; Penny TerBush of Caro; Mrs. Alton Putman of Elkton.

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

Horace Bulen, Mrs. Frank Danielowicz, Thomas Kelly of Cass City; Floyd Zapfe of Owendale; Mrs. Norman Parkin of Vassar.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, JAN. 4, WERE:

Mrs. Elsie Anthes, Mrs. Mabel Stine, Andrew Yanosko, Michelle Mark, Louis Pierce, Mrs. Ella Cumper, Connie Tebedo, Mrs. Paul Skinner, Grant Ball of Cass City; Melissa Winter, Roland Kohl of Sebewang; Theron Moore of Midland; Earl Laurence of Pontiac; Donna Gremel of Millington; Mrs. Willis Farnum, Fernley McNamara of Owendale; Patrick Byarski of Detroit; Claude King, Arthur Freeman, Regino Lopez, Mrs. Gary May of Gagetown;

PATIENTS DISCHARGED DURING THE WEEK ENDING JAN. 3 WERE:

Mrs. Peasley and baby, Bonnie McDonald, Gregory Hutchinson, Mrs. Esther Payne, Mrs. Voss and baby, Mrs. Esther Willy, David Whittaker, Bruce Ricker, Mrs. John Krug of Cass City; Beverly Brandt, Joan Hardin, Hiram Keyser, Mrs. Lucy Franzel, Clark Jackson, Mrs. Laura Robinson of Uby; Nicholia Hulzar, Marshall Dopeski, Mrs. Christopher Hulzar of Gagetown; Mrs. Ormond McCoon of Brighton; Mrs. David Aumann of Bay City; Brenda Sue Wikson of Albion; Kimberly Reidel, Patrick Brenner, Mrs. John Zuzga, David Dembowski, James Spriggs, Mrs. Richard Weisenbach of Sebewang; Roger Sarver of Argyle; Thomas Peruski of Bad Axe; Frank Burghy of Bay Port; Ora Keltner, Danny Miller, Mrs. Kaczor and baby of Caro; Bernard Spencer and Wayne Boyl of Kingston; Mrs. Ernest Heck of Elkton; Adam and Betty Bouchard of Fairgrove; Mrs. Amelia Seibel, Mrs. John Schulz and baby boy of Unionville; Mrs. Ida Ashcroft, Ray Frederick and Laura Periso of Deford; Mrs. Dubs and baby of Pigeon; Mrs. Blank and baby of Snoyer; Mrs. Herbert Gullett of Gagetown died Dec. 29; George Ondrajka of Gagetown died Jan. 1; Mrs. Violet Kiteley of Deford died Jan. 2.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little Phone 872-3698

Mr. and Mrs. William Ehrlich (Carol Ann Seelye) of Gagetown, announce the birth of an eight-pound, 13-ounce son, William John II Dec. 31 in Huron Memorial hospital at Bad Axe. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earney Seelye of Cass City and C. J. Ehrlich of Ann Arbor.

Harry Wentworth of Dallas, Texas, who visited relatives in this locality over the holidays, and Sgt. David Hennessey, home on furlough from Fort Ord, Calif., were present at the annual holiday get-together at the William Patch home Dec. 27. Also present, besides the family, were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Biddle, Rick Parrott, Mary Powell and Linda Periso. Thirty-one persons were present.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sting and children, Mike, Michelle and Darlene, of Columbus, Ind., spent New Year's and the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James MacTavish and Mr. and Mrs. Ottomar Sting of Owendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baudoin and son Brian of Fraser were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nemeth and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crigger of Clifford. Keith Baudoin is currently attending a seven-week course in Washington, D. C., in connection with the treasury department.

Mr. and Mrs. Earney Seelye had as guests from Dec. 28-28, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bunker of Port Huron, uncle and aunt of Mrs. Seelye. Other guests Sunday, Dec. 27, were Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Woodward of Uby and Mr. and Mrs. William Ehrlich of Gagetown.

Mrs. Irma Anker, S/Sgt. Howard Anker and Donald Anker were Christmas Day guests at the Norris Anker home at Lake Orion.

Rev. and Mrs. George Harmon and Edith Slack spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch.

Mrs. C. U. Haire returned to Cass City Dec. 30. Her grandson, Charles Rollman, drove from Green Bay, Wisc., and he and his fiancée spent till Saturday with her. They all were New Year's Day guests at the John Haire home.

Guests of Charles Nemeth Sr. for New Year's were Alec Nemeth and friend of Romulus, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nemeth Jr. of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Nemeth and family of Kingston and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nemeth and son of Cass City.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Don Anker and family left Saturday to return to Fort Sill, Okla., after spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Anker.

Miss Pat Rohn and S/Sgt. Howard Anker were guests at the home of Mrs. Irma Anker Sunday, Dec. 27. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Anker and family were also present for the day.

Mrs. Myrtle Hennessey is visiting Mrs. Kenneth Gulick and family over the holidays, expecting to return home this week.

Karen and Randy Perry had as overnight guests New Year's Eve, Julie Helwig and Mark Guinther.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Gray returned Saturday from a two weeks' vacation in Florida. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Goodall of Frostproof for Christmas and also visited relatives and friends at Punta Gorda and Bradenton.

Mrs. Herman Stine was admitted to Hills and Dales General Hospital Saturday and is a medical patient there.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Irma Anker New Year's Day for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Norris Anker, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anker, Sandra and Jeffrey, S/Sgt. Howard Anker, Miss Pat Rohn, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuck and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thayer, Linda and Dawn, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Anker, Rodney and Dawn, Lt. Col. Don and Bobbi Anker and Norma were callers in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Yax were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Patch.

Pat Martin is a patient at Mercy Monroe Hospital, Monroe, Mich., after suffering a heart attack Saturday. He is expected to be hospitalized for at least three weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Sipes and the Pillion Ladies Quartette were guests at the Schember home following the New Year's Eve concert.

The regular monthly meeting of the Rawson Memorial Library board was held at the library Dec. 30. Mrs. Robert Keating, long-time member of the board who has been serving as board president, resigned effective Jan. 1. Vice-president Mrs. Charles Tuckey will head the board until the annual election of board officers in March.

Miss Pat Rohn spent Monday, Jan. 4, at the Irma Anker home. S/Sgt. Howard Anker leaves Thursday to return to Wichita, Kansas, after spending a 20-day leave at the Irma Anker home.

Installation of officers for 1971 at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church was held Sunday, Jan. 3, during worship services.

A baby boy, named Christopher David, was born Dec. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. David H. Ashmore of Saginaw. Mr. and Mrs. David C. Ashmore of Cass City are grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ott, Sheila and Lonnie, Miss Trinka Cross of Lansing, Miss Marlene Culp of Constantine and Frank Kirby of Owosso were overnight and New Year's Day guests at the Schember home.

The Cass City Band Booster will hold a meeting Monday, Jan. 11, 8:00 p. m., at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Earney Seelye had as Christmas Day guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Ehrlich, Louis Weiler and Dick Ehrlich, all of Gagetown.

Mrs. Robert Keating has resigned as trustee for the Rawson Memorial Library. She served as president of the board when the present facility was planned and built.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David C. Ashmore were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ashmore and daughter of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Eron Ducalson and sons of Washington, brother of Mrs. David C. Ashmore, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hartsell and daughter of Caro, and Miss Clare Bauer of Cass City.

Sunday dinner guests at the Schember home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schember Jr. and family of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Schember and family of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Damm left Dec. 27 to spend the rest of the winter in Florida.

Worship services Sunday mornings are changed to 10 a. m. at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, instead of 9:30. Pastor James Van Dellen is filling a vacancy at Linkville for the next few months.

Guests at the home of Irma Anker Dec. 20 for a pre-Christmas dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Norris Anker, Sue, Bonnie and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuck and family, Gerry Brown, Hazel, Roger and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Anker and family and S/Sgt. Howard Anker.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stratton of Carson City, Mr. and Mrs. Meredith MacAlpine of Rochester and Mrs. George Darling of Allenton were Christmas guests of Mrs. Margaret MacAlpine and Mack MacAlpine. They visited their brother, Delbert MacAlpine of Owendale, who recently returned from the hospital, in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley and family greeted some 160 guests Sunday, Dec. 27, when the Beardsleys' 50th wedding anniversary was celebrated with open house at the Sutton Methodist church. Relatives and friends came from Detroit, Flint, Oxford, Lake Orion, LaPeer, Almont, North Branch, Coleman, Alpena, Marlette, Unionville, Gagetown, Caro and Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nicholas and baby were New Year's supper guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Stine, and family.

Miss Fannie Khader returned to Cass City after visiting her parents at St. Croix, Virgin Islands, for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Karen Flouitt of Detroit was a New Year's and weekend guest in the Don Lorentzen home.

The Elmwood Missionary Circle will meet Friday, Jan. 8, at the home of Mrs. Ivan Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schwadener left Tuesday to spend some time at their winter home at Mt. Dora, Fla.

Miss Margaret Jean MacRae returned Sunday to Oakland University after spending the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. K. I. MacRae.

Kenneth Eisinger, who attended Ferris State College at Big Rapids, has enrolled at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Withey of Grand Blanc, Mr. and Mrs. James Greenich of Livonia and Mrs. Donald Withey of Vassar called on Mrs. Ethel Spitzer Saturday.

Cameron Connell and family of Caro, Wallace Zinnecker of Carsonville, John Zinnecker, Mrs. Minta Connell and son Max and Raymond Wallace went to Pontiac Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Charles Neafie, the former Effie Wallace. Interment was in White Chapel cemetery at Troy. Mrs. Neafie was a sister of Mrs. Connell and an aunt of the others who attended.

Philip Reagh of Bay City, recently inducted into the army and stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky., spent the holidays with his wife Penny and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reagh, in Bay City. The Reaghs are former Cass City residents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Drayton Plains brought her mother, Mrs. Herman Stine, home Friday. Mrs. Stine had spent three weeks at Wayne, Brighton and Drayton Plains.

Thom Bardwell is enrolled at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo.

Engagement Told



Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ball of Cass City announce the engagement of their daughter Diane to James R. Kern of Bay City, son of Mrs. Molly Kern and the late Russell Kern. Mr. Kern is employed at Bay City Chevrolet and Diane is employed at Hills and Dales Hospital. No date has been set for the wedding.

ENGAGED



LaWanda JEAN CURRY

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Curry Sr. of Kingston announce the engagement of their daughter, LaWanda Jean, to Ron Adamczyk, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Adamczyk Sr. of Kingston. Miss Curry will be a 1971 graduate of Kingston High School. He is presently employed at Active Homes in Marquette. A summer wedding is being planned.

Wells-Buhs vows spoken in Lansing

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Wells are making their home at 6519 Main, Cass City, since their marriage Dec. 26 in the Lansing Mt. Hope United Methodist church. The afternoon ceremony was followed by a reception at three o'clock in the church.

The bride is the former Leslie Ann Buhs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buhs of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wells of Cass City are the parents of the groom.

Attending the wedding in Lansing were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells of Mayville and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wells.

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Greg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchinson, underwent a tonsillectomy Dec. 30 in Hills and Dales General Hospital. New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bigelow. Echo chapter OES will meet Wednesday evening, Jan. 13, at 8 p. m. in the Masonic temple. Theodore Furness heads the men's refreshment committee and will be assisted by Leo Tracy, Keith McConkey, George Jetta, Charles Holm and Basil Wotton. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig attended a family dinner on New Year's Day at the Alva McNeil home near Caro. The Cass City Pre-School Nursery will meet Monday, Jan. 11, at the home of Mrs. Richard Wallace at 8:00 p. m. A representative of the Mid-Michigan Council of Co-operative Nurseries will be the guest speaker. All area mothers of pre-school children are urged to attend. Sunday guests at the Lyle Zapfe home were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Zapfe and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and infant son, who was born Dec. 14. Born Dec. 29 in Hills and Dales General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peasley of Cass City, an eight-pound son, Matthew Charles. Guests New Year's Day of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zapfe were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zapfe and family of Cllo, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Zapfe and two children of Davisburg, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holm and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Root and children. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Craig and daughter Barbara left from Tri-City airport Sunday and flew to Athens, Ga., to be guests of Mrs. Craig's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mulligan, until Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Hood near Sebewang Sunday evening.

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"If It Fitz. . ."

I'll flip you for it

BY JIM FITZGERALD



It is a crying shame that the Great Coin Flip show never got on the tube. It could have revolutionized the TV industry. Heck, it could have changed the world.

Football fans will remember the terrible suspense of Dec. 20, if Detroit, New York and Dallas all won their games that day, Detroit and Dallas would tie for the 4th spot in the championship play-offs. League officials ruled the tie must be broken by a flip of the coin.

There simply wasn't room to squeeze a tie-breaking game on the tube, unless it was substituted for Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve. Some officials wanted to bump the Mass but wiser heads prevailed. "It would make Notre Dame mad," an official said, "and they might start paying their players more to stay in school than we pay them to turn professional. Our recruiting costs are too high now."

Another official came up with the answer. "There's 5 minutes late this Sunday afternoon when there's no football on TV. It comes right after that game where the winning TD is scored by a quarterback wearing shaving cream and just before the 194th rerun of the 1967 Packer-Oriole game," he said. "5 minutes is just time enough to flip a coin to decide who wins, Detroit or Dallas."

Zounds, what an idea! George Halas, league president, was lined up to flip the coin. An ingenious point system was devised to determine whether the Lions or Cowboys would make the call while the coin tumbled in the air. A sponsor was signed and the TV time was announced. It was estimated that 16 trillion people would catch the Coin Flip program, including 5 billion via satellite.

But then the lousy Los Angeles Rams beat New York and no coin flip was necessary. One of the world's most wondrous stages had been built but there was no one to tap dance on it. But think what might have been. . . . The great minds of TV would have toggled as 16 trillion people held their breath over a flipping half-dollar. "Manny, we gotta get us a coin flip show," TV executives would quickly say to each other. "How about Doris Day playing 2 out of 3 with My 3 Sons?"

Soon the tube would be clinking in prime time. At first, only the most simple ties would be settled by a flip. Howard Hughes, man or myth? Kent State, murder or maneuvers?

Audience participation would be encouraged. Domestic arguments would be flipped away while trillions watched. Heads they go to her mother's for Christmas, tails they go bowling. Ann Landers would forsake the drudgery of column-writing. She could make more money hosting "Let's Make a Flip, the TV Program With a Heart, a Head and a Tail."

But the TV audience would not accept this Pabulum for long. They would demand higher and higher stakes. If football games and household quarrels and political stalemates can be settled by flipping a quarter, why not. . . .

That's right, folks. Smuckers Jam presents the Paris Peace Talk Flip. Heads, all the U. S. troops come home for good, right now. Tails, they come home anyway but their places will be taken by all congressmen, diplomats, bureaucrats and other politicians who have never been shot at. These new troops will be led into battle by General Nixon and Corporal Agnew.

Onward and Upward and no 2 out of 3.

Name officers at Lutheran meet

Mrs. Elmer Hoffman of Cass City was named president of the Ladies Aid of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church at its January meeting Monday evening, Jan. 4, at the church. She replaces Mrs. Fred Iseler in the post.

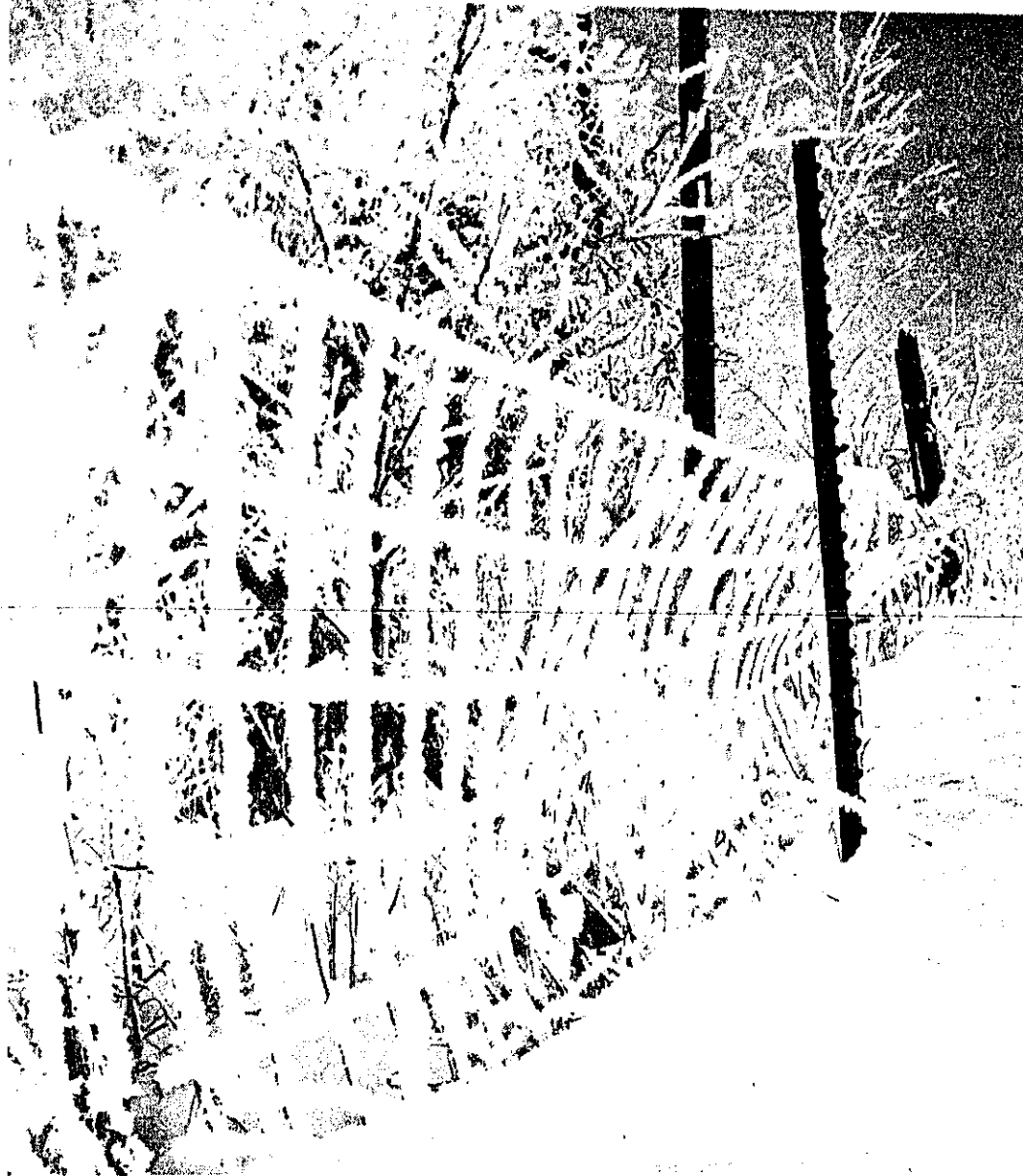
Other officers elected were: vice-president, Mrs. Vernon Schulz of Bad Axe; secretary, Mrs. Elmer Voss of Deford, and treasurer, Mrs. Gerald Bock, Cass City.

Mrs. Alvin Avery was re-elected Christian Growth Chairman and Mrs. James Vandellen will be cradle-rol chairwoman, replacing Mrs. G. Romig.

Mrs. Iseler displayed an array of Christmas, made by another church group, as a possible project for Cass City members for next Christmas.

In the December meet of the group, Mrs. Avery conducted a candlelight ceremony, entitled Peace on Earth, for the LWML program. Mrs. Frank Butler and Mrs. Clarence Miller assisted. Mrs. James Skaggs of Deford became a member and the group's annual Christmas party was held at the church fellowship hall Dec. 18 when 30 attended.

Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Hazen Guinther were cohostesses Monday evening.



NATURE PAINTED the Thumb last week when frost covered the landscape. This scene was captured just south of Cass City.

Uncle Tim From Tyre Says:

Dear Mister Editor:

After giving the local, state, national and world situations the quick once over at the country store Saturday night, the fellers was general agreed they must be better ways to start a year off. A resolution was passed unanimously offering early retirement for that baby that ails takes the place of that old headed feller at the end of the year in the newspaper cartoons.

They ain't no way, allowed Bug Hookum, that the little feller can make it thru 1971 without some relief. They is too much for one year to handle in 12 months, was Bug's words. Ed Doolittle was of a mind that the problems of 1971 begin with the job of sorting out the problems, and he said he would start with Vice President Agnew.

Ed, that cares Abe Lincoln's picture in the back of his watch, is as close to a 100 proof Republican as you're liable to run across, Mister Editor, but he is

of a mind that President Nixon would do well to put a muzzle on Mr. Agnew.

For instant, went on Ed, he had saw by the papers where Agnew had let up some on newspapers and television, and was chiding in a recent speech for more unity in the Republican Party. After hearing Agnew for the past two year, allowed Ed, he is convinced that the place to start on this problem is to git Mr. Agnew off the roast beef and peas tour and put him in charge of somapun slient like polishing all the Senate cuspidors. For sure, said Ed, as long as he is allowed to run loose where he can git his picture took and his speeches reported, he is going to be fer unity wint wild onions is fer a milk cow.

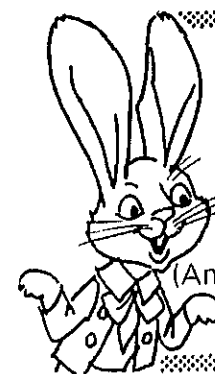
Clem Webster didn't set out to take Mr. Agnew's side, but he told Ed that the Vice President is jest part of the sorting out problem. What we really got to figger out if we expect to get that baby through the year is what is the Nixon Doc-

trine the papers keep talking about. Clem has took it fer granted that Mr. Agnew was speaking fer Mr. Nixon, and after seeing how Mr. Hicel got chopped down he don't have no doubt that the Vice President is follering orders.

They is more than Agnew facing this country in '71, broke in Zeke Grubb, and one project is to plan a celebration in case our boys even raid a prisoner camp in Vietnam and actual find prisoners there. After the President give out medals and told what a success this first raid was, Zeke said the Nixon Doctrine must be that nothing succeeds like failure. If we was to git some prisoners out this year, said Zeke, we had ought to do somapun that would put that greeting fer the fellers back from the moon in the shade.

Personal, Mister Editor, jest sorting out the problems recalls the time the waiter told me the water wasn't muddy, the glass was jest dirty.

Yours truly, Uncle Tim



Rabbit tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Eight high school student newspaper editors were on NBC-TV Monday night expressing views on topics of the day. All were impressive. To me a representative from California was particularly outstanding.

Everyone talks about white bigots and white racists, he said, while the truth is that minorities are also guilty. The Mexican-Americans, the Blacks, the Chinese, the Jews, the Poles and all other minority groups are guilty of the same offense. Tolerance is needed among all people, he said. The boy is Chinese.

And if you are asking what this has to do with Cass City and the Thumb, think about it for a minute.

Children can really tell it like it is. A succinct short story was written on a post card by 11-year-old Jack Guc, vacationing in Florida.

Telling our 11-year-old about his vacation he wrote: got an alligator on Friday. He died on Sunday. Your friend, Jack.

A dozen readers called attention to the story recently appearing in the Detroit News that reviewed the Jaeger car story and its connection with Cass City.

David Hample, who sold advertising in Cass City for the Shoppers Guide in Caro and now is in Sandusky with a shopper of his own, not only called our attention to it, but clipped it out and mailed it to the paper.

It's gratifying that all of you take this interest, but it's one story that we re-told before the Detroit daily did. The Chronicle ran the Jaeger story last summer.

Chit chat around the coffee table: Newell Harris claims that an athlete must be in better condition to play football than basketball. I disagree. Any comments?

The family stayed overnight at the St. Clair Inn during the holidays. While comfortable, the rooms are by no means luxurious. The hotel is located away from the traffic arteries that catch the tourist trade. It's not cheap.

Yet it manages to prosper in the face of stiff competition. The reason? Partially because of its reputation.

Equally important is its staff. Everyone connected with the facility is friendly and takes extra pains to make guests feel comfortable and at ease.

It's the type of service that's all too rare today and perhaps there is a lesson here for all of us whose jobs entail meeting the public.

Simcoxes mark 35th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Irley Simcox of Lamton Rd., Decker, observed their 35th wedding anniversary Saturday, Jan. 2.

Guests included their son and daughter-in-law, Kermit and Janie Simcox, and two children of East Detroit, their daughter and son-in-law, Carrie and David Mitchell, and two children of Roseville, their nephew, Kenneth and Jackie Simcox and two children of Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Herno and two children of East Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hayes of Lamton Rd.

A son Curtis, of Huntington Beach, Calif., was unable to

attend the celebration.

The Simcoxes moved to Decker a year ago from East Detroit. They are members of the Cass City Church of Christ.

The couple have seven grandchildren.

Marriage Licenses

Francis Duane Lintner, 41, of Cass City and Charlotte Eileen Filipp, 21, of Cass City. Larry Charles Freeland, 21, of Mayville and Joan Gayle Bass, 20, of Reese.

Rickey Lynn Fogel, 20, of Unionville and Patricia Ann Strieter, 18, of Unionville.

SPORTS FANS!

I BET YOU DIDN'T KNOW



By H. M. Bulen

One of the great oddities in sports is how many famous players never achieved major championships--for instance, Ty Cobb and Ted Williams, unbelievably, never played on a team that won the World Series. . . . Golfer Sam Snead never won the U. S. Open. . . . All-time great passer Y. A. Tittle never played on a team that won the pro football championship, and so it goes.

Here's an oddity about running back Steve Owens of the Detroit Lions. . . . When he was in college, Owens averaged, oddly enough, EXACTLY 4.3 yards per carry in EACH of the 3 different seasons he played at the University of Oklahoma!

Kansas City Chief's kicker, Jan Stenerud, who's become one of the top field goal kickers in pro football today, originally went to college at Montana State --not on a football scholarship--but on a ski scholarship!

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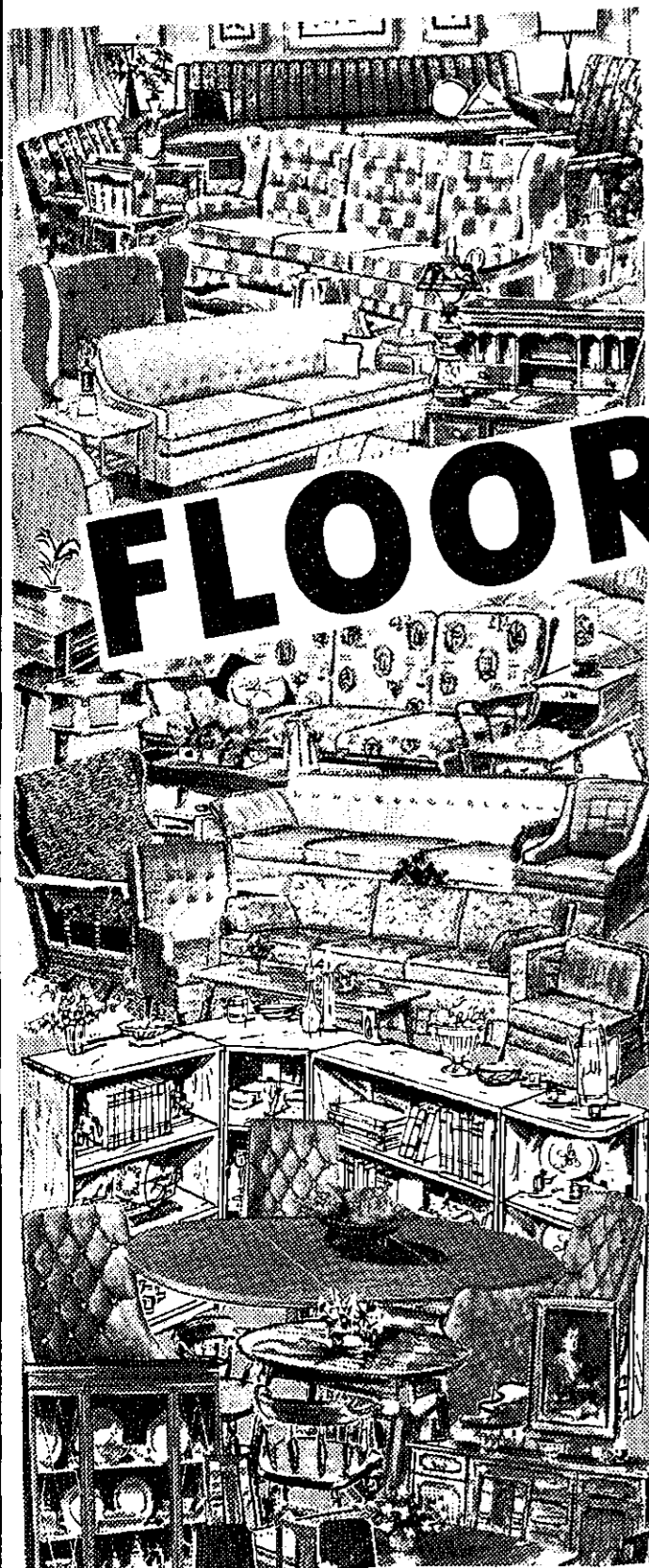
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ONE FOR THE ROAD

It's easier driving now

By Dan Marlowe

Reflections on a 2700 mile drive from California to Michigan while avoiding the snow belt:

I drove south from San Francisco and came across the southern tier of states until I reached Tennessee when I headed almost due north. Only on the final day of the trip did I encounter snow, a matter of some consequence to me since I hadn't taken snow tires to the west coast.

En route I stopped at Barstow, California; Phoenix, Arizona; Tucson, Arizona; El Paso, Texas; Big Spring, Texas; Dallas, Texas; Little Rock, Arkansas; Nashville, Tennessee; and Dayton, Ohio.

With the exception of the short hop from Phoenix to Tucson which is only about 100 miles, the balance of the stops averaged about 325 miles apart, which meant that I was on the road for only six or seven hours each day, depending upon the amount of freeway driving. I was able to work at the typewriter for four hours mornings in the motels before setting out on the highway yet still arrive at the next stop fairly early in the evening.

The trip was of special interest to me since I had made a similar driving tour over much of the same route 13 years ago. The improvement in highways and in overall driving conditions is spectacular. To cover the same number of miles per day now in contrast with 13 years ago, I estimate that the driver spends from an hour to two hours less per day behind the wheel.

I was in Tucson the night of the disastrous Pioneer Hotel fire in which 28 people lost their lives and a dozen others were hospitalized in critical condition. The Pioneer was one of Tucson's older hotels, with no sprinkling system and an unenclosed central stairwell which ran from the lobby to the top floor. This acted like a chimney in stoking the blaze. The fire started on the fourth floor, and the floors above were in much worse shape than the floors below. From the sixth to the eleventh floors was where the major loss of life occurred.

I seem to have an affinity for being in the same area as disastrous fires. I was in Boston in 1941 the night of the infamous Coconut Grove night club fire in which more than 500 people were burned to death. I recall standing in the street outside the smoldering ruins the next morning with canvas-wrapped bodies stacked in the gutter as far as one could see.

And I was in New Hampshire at the time of the terrible Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus tent fire. More than a hundred died in that fire with a great many more badly injured in the stampede to escape. An oddity--an incredible oddity, really--is that all these years afterward there was one little 6-7 year old girl victim of the holocaust who was never identified. How can a family lose a small child and never come forward to make the claim? Yet it happened. I recently had occasion to write the New Hampshire State Police in connection with something else, and I asked if the identification had ever been made. The answer came back "No", that the child had been buried and remains to this day as "Little Miss Unknown".

I've often thought that the circumstances (whatever they might be) which could lead to this bizarre situation would make a good book.

School Menu

JAN. 11-15

MONDAY

Macaroni & Cheese
Buttered Beans
Bread-Butter
Milk
Cookie

TUESDAY

Hot Dog & Bun
Potato Chips
Peach Slices
Milk
Cookie

WEDNESDAY

Spaghetti & Hamburg
Cabbage Salad
Bread-Butter
Milk
Cookie

THURSDAY

Mashed Potatoes
Beef in Gravy
Celery Sticks
Bread-Butter
Milk
Fruit Jell-o

FRIDAY

Fishwich
Buttered Corn
Potato Sticks
Milk
Cookie

Bread-butter and peanut butter daily.

CURRENT EVENT

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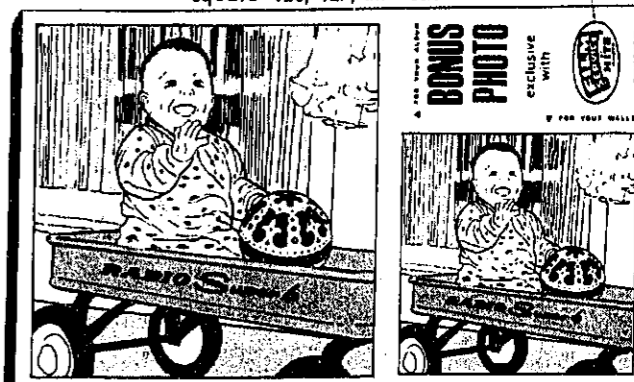
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Award medal to Sp-4 D. Stilson

Specialist Four Don D. Stilson, 21, recently received the Army Commendation Medal while serving with the 52nd Aviation Battalion in Vietnam.



SPEC. 4 DON D. STILSON

Spec. 4 Stilson earned the award for meritorious service as a radar operator in the battalion's 88th infantry detachment near Pleiku.

He entered the Army in August 1969, completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky., and was stationed at Fort Polk, La., before arriving overseas. He also has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge.

The Specialist's father, Donald J. Stilson, lives on Doerr Road, Cass City.

He is a 1968 graduate of Vastaburg, Mich., high school and also attended Cass City Schools.

Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson
Phone OL 8-3092

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Nicol went to Flint Sunday to see Mrs. Nicol's uncle, Will Dohson, who passed away Saturday at a Flint Hospital. Funeral services were Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Sweet and family of Yale and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Sweet and family at Dryden.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Dohson and family of Port Huron spent from Thursday till Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Nicol and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Chippi, Debby and Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming, Ronnie Deachin Jr. of Detroit spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart, Jean and Carey Deachin.

Ambrose Chnoski of Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Robinson and family of Inlay City, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bukowski of Lake Orion, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Morell and family of Kingsford, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bukowski and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deachin and family of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bukowski were late Christmas dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bukowski at Bay City.

The Euchre Club will meet Saturday evening, Jan. 9, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Buella at Carsonville.

Steve Sweeney and son George of Linwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney New Year's Day.

Pete Richardson was able to come home after spending 10 days in Saginaw General Hospital.

Davie Hundersmarck was a Thursday overnight guest of Randy Schenk.

Fred Strauss of Gagetown was a Sunday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson and daughter.

Mrs. Jack Tyrrell was a Tuesday forenoon visitor at the Cliff Robinson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker, Mrs. Charles Bond and Susie and Mrs. Emma Decker of Cass City were late New Year's dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson. Mrs. Dave Sweeney was an afternoon guest.

Audrey Ross returned to Big Rapids Monday after spending three weeks' Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross.

Beth Ann Doerr attended a pajama party at the home of Sandy Guinther in Cass City.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and a Sat-

urday lunch guest of Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nicol of Wayne were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe VanErp and family.

Becky Robinson spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson and Laura at Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Britt and two grandsons of Pontiac spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and sons.

Josie Wasiarski of Uby was a Friday overnight guest of Reta Tyrrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe VanErp, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sweeney and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas went to the Bavarian Inn in Frankenmuth Wednesday for a chicken dinner.

Glen Shagena entered Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rooms and family of Helena were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland took Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt to the Steak House for dinner Saturday in observance of the wedding anniversaries of Mr. and Mrs. Doerr and Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walsh and family Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Bert Regal and family of Plymouth spent from Thursday through Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Jerry King and Kimmy and Frank Pelton were Saturday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Alex Cleland.

John Hewitt of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Becker and family of Clawson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker and family of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker attended a wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Rex Scheutte at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Werner Scheutte at Utica, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart, Jean and Carey Deachin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Guarnierie and family of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hey and family of Bad Axe, SP4 and Mrs. Cliff Glaza and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey and family were late Christmas dinner guests Sunday, Dec. 27, of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Whitkowski and family in Saginaw.

Glen Shagena visited Leslie

Hewitt Tuesday evening.

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

SP4 and Mrs. Cliff Glaza and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey were New Year's night guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza near Uby.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hendrick and family in Cass City.

Mrs. Lynn Spencer spent Monday and Thursday with Mrs. Albert Ainsworth at Carsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gremel and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gremel and family of Flint were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson and Mary Edith.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol were New Year's Day afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Partio and daughter at Caro.

Jean and Carey Deachin spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Detroit at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Deachin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deachin and family.

Ed Jackson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Silver of Saginaw, Grant McKee and Reva Silver were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Willis, Gary and Tom.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland and sons of Pontiac spent the week end with Mrs. Alex Cleland and Will Nicol. Other Saturday evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Matthews and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wallace.

Scott Nicol returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol Sunday after spending two weeks with his mother in Tucson, Arizona.

Mrs. Mike Puszykowski, Mrs. Mike Burnor and sons, Tom and Jim, Mrs. Ester Walters and Terri, Mrs. Ray Dardas, Mrs. Frank Cieslinski and Mrs. Harriett Burnor, all of Bay City, were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family.

Karen Bensingler was a Sunday overnight guest of Becky Robinson.

Wayne Champagne was a Saturday overnight and Sunday guest of Jim Tyrrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Booms and family of Harbor Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garety and family of Saginaw, Sister Elaine Garety of Detroit, Patricia Garety of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Caroline Garety in Cass City.

Sally Romzek of Parisville, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Heleski and sons of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hacker and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk, Mike and Randy were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and family.

Clayton Campbell spent from Thursday through Sunday with Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards. Other Saturday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griggs of Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena and Murill Shagena attended the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. Louis Anglebrandt, at the Karrar-Simpson Funeral Home at 1:30 p. m. Thursday at Port Huron. Later they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Miller at Crosswell.

Leo Perrott and Bob Spencer of Alma spent Dec. 29 and 30 with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer where they celebrated Bob Spencer's birthday.

Mrs. Dave Sweeney visited Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Willis Friday evening.

The Happy Dozen euchre club met New Year's Eve at the home of Reva Silver. High prizes were won by Mrs. Bryce Hagen and Howard Willis. The next party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh in three weeks. A potluck lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Sally Romzek of Parisville and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Britt were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pelton of Shabbona were New Year's Eve guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross received word of the death of Charlie Miller of Detroit Sunday. Funeral services were to be held Tuesday evening in Detroit and funeral services at Erskine church Wednesday. Burial will be in Erskine cemetery at Grant. Mrs. Miller is the former Violet Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Willis and family were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family were New Year's night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Becker and family of Clawson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker and family of Cass City and Leslie Hewitt were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker Dec. 26.

Mrs. John C. Zauner and son Mike of Mountain View, California arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton Nov. 29. Dr. John C. Zauner arrived Dec. 12 and spent till Dec. 26 with Mr. and Mrs. John J. Zauner in Port Huron and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton.

Timmy Hodges of Saginaw spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and sons while Mrs. Ron Hodges and Mrs. Hubert Hundersmarck stayed with Hubert Hundersmarck at Ford Hospital in Detroit where he underwent surgery Wednesday. Mr. Hundersmarck is in intensive care.

Billy Campbell of Owosso, Harry Edwards and Sara Campbell were Wednesday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhauer and family in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schave at Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kritzman of Marlette were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick.

Mrs. Allen Depcinski and Linda visited Mrs. Dave Sweeney Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stephenson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas were New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolslager.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Fulcher, Mr. and Mrs. Don Tracy and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anthony and family went on a snowmobile safari New Year's Day and later were brunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anthony and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walters of Detroit were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell took Mr. and Mrs. Dana Robes of Marlette, who had just recently come to Marlette from Quincy, Illinois, out to dinner in Marlette New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gardner of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland went tobogganing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Bert Regal and family of Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curtis and sons of Deford, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard and family of Shabbona, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Starr and family of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard and family were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Judy Tyrrell attended a pajama party at the home of Rox Ann Anthony Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shubel and Dorothy and Mr. and Mrs. Don Shubel, Linda, Terry and Ellen of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Ed Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown of Cass City were Sunday supper guests and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Monday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt of Detroit were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight, John and Eddie of Bad Axe were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Dr. and Mrs. John C. Zauner and Mike of Mountain View, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. William Goroleski of Detroit spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pelton.

Gene Edwards of Bad Axe spent three days with Mike Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena and Sherry at Unionville.

Ricky, Dawn and Norene Hendrick spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. George King and Jim were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hunt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson and Mary Edith spent Sunday with Rose Strauss.

The Huron-Tuscola Co. Holiness Association will meet at the Missionary Church, on Koepfen Rd., in Cass City Thursday, Jan. 14.

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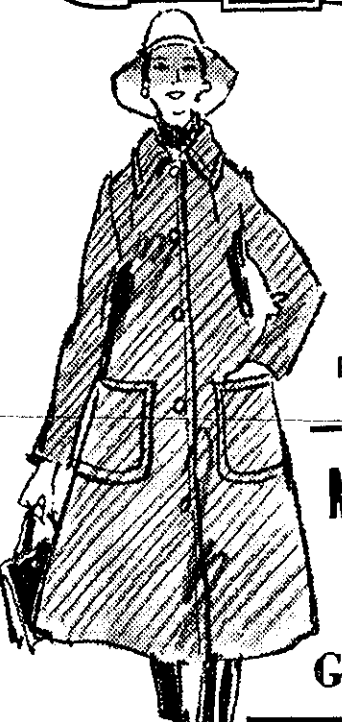
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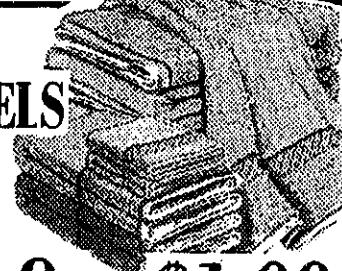
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BETTER HEALTH

Why some men are impotent

BY DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ



Most men tend to lose interest in sex as they grow older, and as a result, the graph of frequency of intercourse is a straight line slanting downward with advancing years. According to Dr. Alfred Kinsey, by the age of 60 most married men are having intercourse about once a month. Some men are so young for their years that they will want it more often than this. Much depends, also, on the amount of work a man is doing and the amount of fatigue he suffers. On a vacation he is likely to be much more active sexually. If the wife also is overworking and tired, sickly or sexually indifferent, or if she has entered the menopause or has had a hysterectomy and either she or the husband have mental reservations about having sex without the possibility of pregnancy, or if the wife is unloving or threatening a separation, the man's desire and interest in having sex may fade almost to the vanishing point.

Some few men lose sexual interest by the time they are 40, and if then the wife does not care much, they quit. Many women patients have told me that their husbands never did care much for intercourse; he never seemed to enjoy it much. Perhaps he never enjoyed anything in life very much, or intercourse may have left him very tired or nervous. I suspect that a man who in early life has little sexual interest will be more likely to quit when he is 40 than will the man who originally had much interest and desire. With but little sexual drive, a man will not keep going so long. In the cases of other men, much may depend on the affection and the sexual desire of the wife. If she shows him that she enjoys intercourse, he will oblige her occasionally, but if she hates or fears intercourse, or if early she gets fat and loses her attractiveness, he will quit. Perhaps with a younger or more loving partner the man would desire intercourse more often and would be much more potent.

Some men quit sexual intercourse early in life because

they are frail, or intercourse makes them jittery and tense and sleepless, or they are somewhat homosexual, or their health was injured by gonorrhea, syphilis, alcoholism, or dissipation, or they are definitely depressed, or they can feel little love for the spouse or for anyone, for that matter. If the wife has died or has left the man and he has to get along with strange women for whom he has no love, he is still more likely to become rather impotent or to give up his sexual life. He may also have to cope with occasional fears of venereal infection, discovery, or blackmail, or he may have religious scruples and feelings of sinfulness over what he is doing.

The more sensitive and refined the man, the more easily he can become impotent as the result of annoyance, disgust or fear, or a feeling that his partner is not as responsive or affectionate as she might be. Even very potent and promiscuous men will sometimes suddenly find themselves impotent for some reason. To illustrate, one of my patients, an army officer, told me of how he had returned from a tour of duty, and after looking eagerly for his wife at the railroad station and not finding her there, he became disappointed and upset. He got to wondering if she really loved him. By the time he got home, he thought that he had forgiven her and was delighted to see her, but that night he found himself impotent. Evidently the lingering resentment got in the way of his ability to perform sexually. A loving, understanding woman can help a man greatly at a time like this by not deriding him or taking his impotence too seriously. If she is kind, she can help him get over his temporary impotence.

Another patient of mine, a religiously inclined man, was highly potent with a beautiful second wife until one night he failed completely and failed again on subsequent attempts. After much questioning, I got from him the story that he had been thinking how his first wife had died in childbirth and

had left him desolate. He had blamed himself for her death. The thought then struck him that if he impregnated his new wife, he might "kill her also with his lust". It was then necessary for me to talk kindly with him and help him to see that he was not responsible for his first wife's death.

Another cause of a man's lessening interest in sex can be years of alcoholism. Alcohol commonly stirs up a man's sexual desires and takes away his inhibitions, but unfortunately for him, it often diminishes his potency.

Many an impotent man has asked me for some drug to help him, or shots of male hormone, but in my experience, about the only type of person who is helped by male hormone is the sexually undeveloped man who is boyish in appearance, has never shaved, and has testicles that are the size of lima beans. He needs the hormone, hence it may make a marked change in him. But with a normal appearing man, the trouble is almost always in the brain and not in the testes, and I can help him only by sitting down and talking with him until I find out what is troubling him mentally. Often I may be able to talk him out of it. Sometimes I have to talk with the wife. She might have avoided all the trouble if, when the man first became impotent, she had been patient, sympathetic, and encouraging, instead of disappointed and sarcastic, or upset.

Dr. Alvarez has compiled some helpful information about the sexual difficulties of men in his booklet, "Psycho-Sexual Troubles of Men," which you may want to have. For your copy, send 25 cents and a stamped, self-addressed envelope along with your request for the booklet to Dr. Walter C. Alvarez, Dept. CCC, Box 957, Des Moines, Iowa 50304.

It takes big money today just to keep up with the times.

Farm group elects officers for '71

Election of directors, naming of officers and an open barn tour highlighted the 1970 Tuscola County Holstein Association annual meeting held last Tuesday. The directors elected to the board are as follows: Marvin Rupprecht of Vassar - 2 years; Clare Carpenter of Cass City - 2 years; Ron Opperman of Vassar - 3 years; Don Loomis of Cass City - 3 years, and Dick Carpenter of Cass City - 3 years. These five directors will form the new board along with the present directors. Lloyd Walz of Vassar and Jack Laurie of Cass City.

Ron Opperman was officially elected president; Dick Carpenter, vice-president, and Clare Carpenter as the secretary-treasurer.

The open barn tour was conducted on the Ronald Hampshire farm north of Kingston. Over forty-five members and guests in attendance observed a good producing herd and had an opportunity to visit with Ron and his family. Bill Bortel, County Extension Director, led a discussion on calf housing and facilities. Howard Hansen, Holstein fieldman, followed with a discussion on classification.

Hold rites

Monday for

G. Ondrajka

George Ondrajka, 83, of Gageton died Jan. 1 in Hills and Dales General Hospital following a six-day illness.

Mr. Ondrajka was born in Czechoslovakia Dec. 16, 1887. He married Anna Zwirk in Detroit Aug. 17, 1907. She was also a native of Czechoslovakia. The couple moved to the rural Gageton area after their marriage where they farmed. Mrs. Ondrajka succumbed July 24, 1949.

Survivors are: two sons, John and George, both of Gageton, 14 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. A daughter Mary died in 1961.

Funeral services were held Monday, Jan. 4, at the Dinkel Funeral Home, Sebawaing. The Rev. F. J. Sattelmier of Bach officiated and burial was in St. John's cemetery, Sebawaing.

Deford Area News

Mrs. Frank Little

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poehel of Herman, Mo., came Thursday for the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Allen. The Poehels fly their own plane and land at the Caro Airport. Mr. and Mrs. Allen and their guests attended the Sacred Music Concert at the Cass City High School New Year's Eve, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Ennis and children of Birch Run New Year's Day.

New Year's Eve party guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly were Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Kritzman of Shabbona, Mr. and Mrs. John Connolly, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kellitz and Mrs. Della Pfaff, all of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pelton, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas VanAllen, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Churchill and Guy Whittaker.

Ronald Ferguson and daughter Carolyn of Freeland visited his aunt, Mrs. Lillie Bruce, last Tuesday afternoon. Wednesday Mrs. Bruce visited her brother, Jack Ferguson of Lapeer, at the Marlette General Hospital, where he is a surgical patient, and Thursday Mrs. Bruce was a guest of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ferguson of Lapeer, where other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Carrothers of St. Clair Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Taylor of Cass City were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Babich and children. Sunday evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor and Beth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Strickler of Peck spent last Tuesday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hartwick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Englehart and children spent the week end with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Denby and son of Marysville, and with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Englehart and family of Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Englehart and sons spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Englehart and family of Warren. The Lawrence Englehart's son, Larry, recently received his discharge from the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dean and family of Vassar were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Lyle Roach. Mr. and Mrs. Max Steele and son of Mayville were Sunday dinner and afternoon guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Parrish and children.

Mrs. Edward Lebioda, Beth Ann and Johnny visited her mother, Mrs. Florence Brown of North Branch, Sunday. Mrs. Brown, Miss Jean Brown, Mrs. Jim Knapp and son accompanied Mrs. Lebioda and children to Davison where they were dinner guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dailey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hartwick and family were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Walker and family of Sandusky. The Walker family and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Thon of Peck were Sunday dinner guests of the Hartwick family.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer King of Unionville were Monday evening visitors at the Norman Hoppe home. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoppe of Mt. Morris were Wednesday afternoon callers and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hoppe and two children of Clawson were Wednesday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hoppe.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Kelley and Ricky of Union Lake spent Monday overnight and Tuesday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Little. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Russell of Caro were Wednesday evening visitors at the Little home.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Field and Jill entertained at dinner New Year's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Linel Rayl and family of Unionville, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kramer and children of Essexville, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Field and children of Freeland and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mozden and Laura of Lapeer.

Friday afternoon callers at the Everett Field home, to see Mrs. Dennis Bradley and Doug of San Diego, Calif., were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Field and family of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Field and family of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Walker of Sandusky, Mrs. Joe Schmidt and Karen of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Field and Harold Field. Mrs. Bradley, niece of the Fields, and her family spent the holidays with relatives in Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Field and family of Holland spent the New Year week end from Thursday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hudson and son of Cass City visited his aunt, Mrs. Anna Koepf, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Koepf, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Koepf, Linda and Betsy and Henry Lebioda were New Year's afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Les Brown of Vassar. Mrs. Dave Force and Joan of Silverwood, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Koepf and Linda were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Anna Koepf.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sieradzki and family were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sieradzki of Mt. Clemens.

David and Doug Bradley of San Diego, Calif., were Monday overnight guests at the Everett Field home. Mrs. Joe Schmidt of Cass City, Mrs. Everett Field and Jill had lunch Tuesday with Mrs. Dennis Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Bradley of Caro.

Mrs. Harold Field and Carolyn visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Woodward of Fenton last Tuesday and enjoyed horseback riding and tobogganing. Carolyn was a Sunday afternoon guest of Janice Wentworth of Decker.

Kathy Field accompanied Louis Pierce of Cass City to Saginaw Saturday morning when they took Louie Pierce Jr. there en route to Fort Knox, Ky., after a 17-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kappen were among the New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kappen of the Cass City area.

Sunday afternoon and lunch guests at the home of Mrs. Mildred Kappen were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kraft and six children of St. Clair Shores, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Laran and son of New Baltimore, George Haskian and daughter Cindy of Mt. Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith and family of Cass City and Wade Kappen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Kosto and children of Idaho Falls, Idaho, were Tuesday evening guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Gyomory and Brian. The Gyomory family spent the week end at her parents' cottage at Sand Lake.

New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Field and family were Russell Peck and Norman Peck and three children of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Field and family of Holland, Louie Pierce Jr. of Fort Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Field and Mr. and Mrs. David Moody and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Holcomb, Patty and Frank were New Year's Day dinner and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bun Collins.

Pam Kilbourn accompanied a group of young people from Campus Life on a trip to Washington, D. C., Sunday, Dec. 27, and returned home Thursday.

Job's Daughters installation held

Installation of officers of Job's Daughters, Cass City Bethel 77, was held in the Ubyl Masonic Temple, Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 8 p. m.

Installing officer was Cheryl Curry, junior past honored queen, assisted by Mrs. Carol Tracy Furness, past honored queen and matron of Echo Chapter 337 of Cass City, as installing guide. Installing marshal was Fronda Mellendorf, past honored queen; installing chaplain, Teresa Tracy, past honored queen; recorder, Mrs. Dorothy Tracy, guardian-treasurer; flag bearer, Theodore Furness, master of Tyler Lodge 317 F and AM; organist, Mrs. Betty Kent; soloist, Mary Buchanan, matron of Ubyl Miriam chapter, and benediction and dedication, Rev. Maynard Kent.

Introductions were given to past honored queens of Cass City Bethel; senior princess and honored queen elect and representation to state of Iowa, Pat Mills, Marlette Bethel; honored queen elect from Sandusky Bethel; Lauri Stratton, Cass City Bethel, representative to the state of Florida; guardian and associate guardian of Cass City Bethel, Mrs. Claire Leitch and James Alexander; past guardian and past associate guardians, Lucille Wotton, who is also Grand Councilor; Basil Wotton, member of Board of General Purposes, Grand Lodge of Michigan; Edward Mellendorf and Edgar Cummins; secretary Mrs. Louise Mills of Marlette; and Audrey Cummins, paraphernalia, Cass City Bethel.

Theodore Furness and Douglas Leitch, masters of Tyler 317 and Ubyl Lodges, respectively, were introduced. High Priest of Royal Arch Robert Kerr and members of Bad Axe Commandry Templers, # 52, escorted the honored queen to the East through an arch of steel after her installation.

Mrs. Florence Schrader, president of Tri-county OES Club and matron of Kedron Chapter, and Mrs. Betty Surine of Caro also were recognized. The Girls were escorted into the Bethel room by their fathers or Master Masons and formed a double masonic emblem on the floor.

Those elected to serve the Bethel for the coming term were: honored queen, Shelly Leitch, Ubyl; Kimberly Curry, senior princess, Caro; Teresa Tracy, junior princess, Cass City; senior custodian, Cheryl O'Harris, and junior custodian, Mary Beth Stilson, Cass City; recorder, Roblyn Puester, Caro; chaplain, Cheryl Curry, past honored queen, Caro.

Guide is Sandra Hawley, Cass City; marshal, Jane Alexander, Millington; messengers, Cheryl Lyons, Deanna Seddon, Marie Seddon and Karen Cameron, Kingston, and Fronda Mellendorf, past honored queen, Owendale; inner guard, Brenda Roblin, Caro.

Luncheon was served following the benediction and dedication by Rev. M. Kent by the members of the Bethel assisted by Ubyl-Miriam Chapter and parents.

The first meeting of the new term will be held in Cass City Masonic Temple Thursday, Jan. 7, at 7 p. m.

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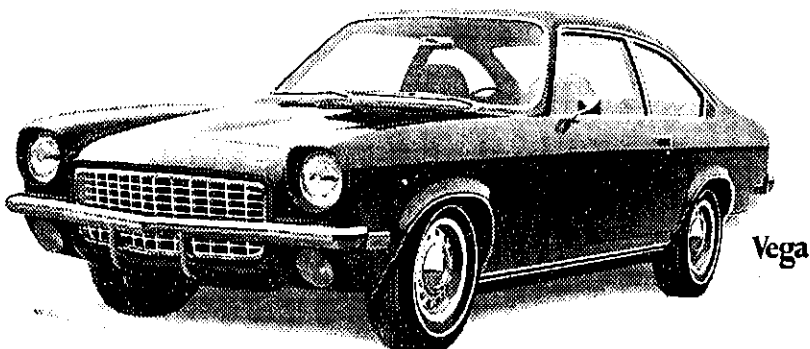
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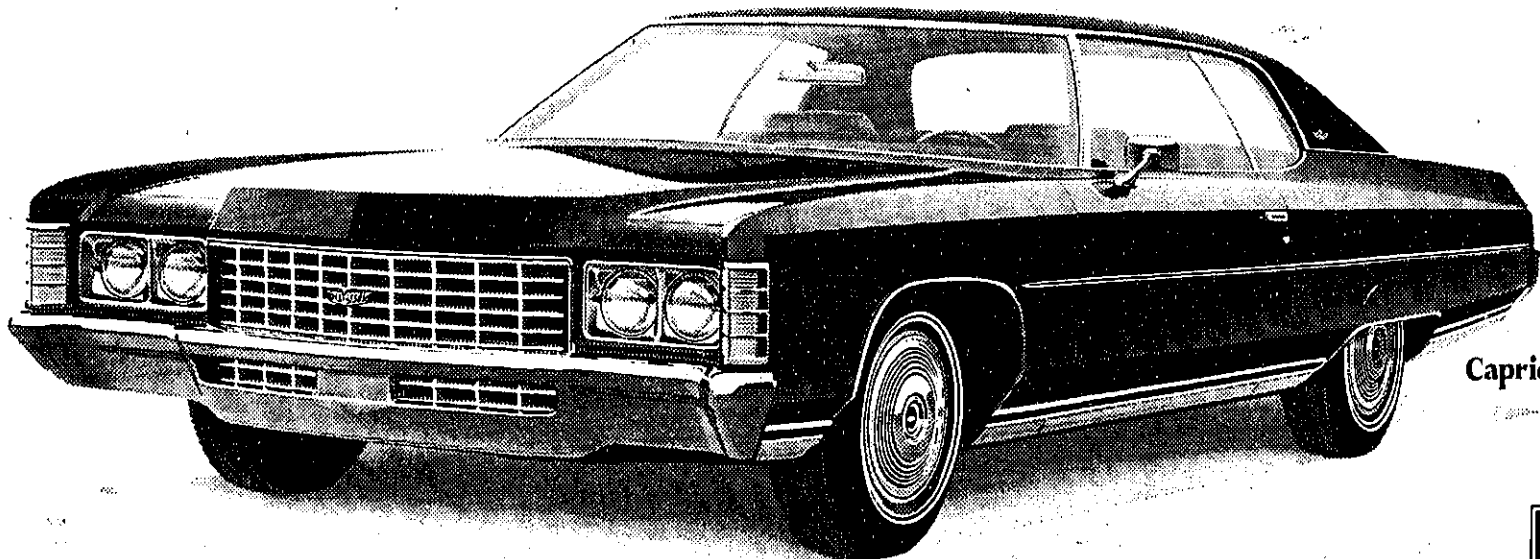


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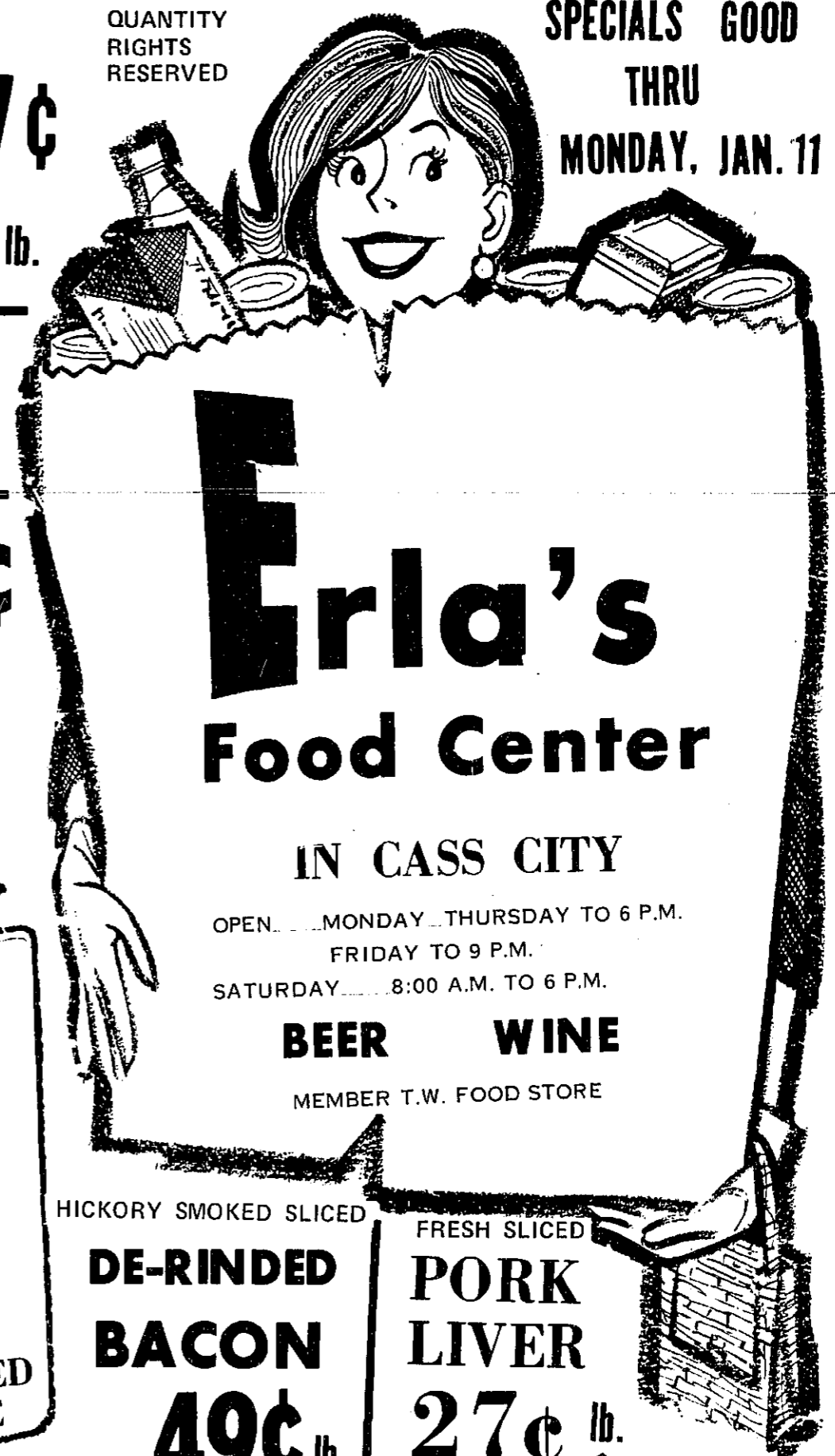
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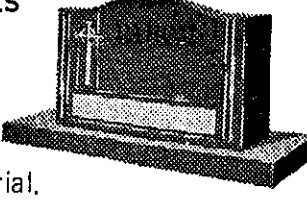
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High Team Series: Sinclair 2211, General Cable 2145, Pat's Beauty Salon 2134.
 High Team Games: General Cable 812, Sinclair 784, Cass City Aviation 748.

High Individual Series: Davis 509, Zawilinski 489, LaPeer 486, Selby 480, Sealey 479, Guild 476, Root 474, LaRoche 466, Brinkman 463, Crow 452.
 High Individual Games: Davis 222-150, Root 188, Zawilinski 184-154-151, Harmer 177, Selby 176-155, Crow 175, Guild 175-167, Steadman 174-171, Grady 173, LaPeer 171-158-157, Sealey 170-169, Brinkman 158-157, Hurley, Schwartz 156, Batts, Wischmeyer (sub) 155, Jones, LaBelle 151, Carmer 150, Mounts 169-167, LaRoche 166-154, Johnson 164.
 Splits Converted: Brinkman, Davis 3-10, Bryant 3-7, Grady 2-7-5, Guild 3-10, 3-6-10-8, Hurley 5-7, LaBelle 6-10-7, LaRoche 5-8-10, Wichert 5-10, Witherspoon 3-9-10.

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE
 Dec. 21, 1970

Sommer's Bakery 19
 Miracle-Kilbourn 17
 L & S Sport Center 15
 Walbro Corp. 14
 Evans Products 14
 Konrad's Bakery 12
 Bartnik Sales & Serv. 11
 Cass City Lanes 10

500 Series: J. Little 599, E. Lebloda 569, D. Allen 561, R. Susalla 557, B. Thompson 530, L. Summers 529, R. Schweikart 528, F. Schott 519, Larry Hartwick 516, J. Juhasz 515, T. Sutter 513, G. Gallaway 511, Lee Hartwick 501.
 200 Games: J. Little 275, Ed. Lebloda 212-205, G. Gallaway 209, Larry Hartwick 204, Lee Hartwick 202, L. Summers 202, D. Allen 201, R. Susalla 200.

SUNDAY MIXED
 Dec. 27, 1970

Pin Tipppers	22
Yellow Jackets	19
4 Tops	17
Mod Squad	16
Dead Beats	16
Alley Cats	15
Avengers	15
Ball Bearings	8

High Team Series: 4 Tops 1929, Pin Tipppers 1850, Mod Squad 1825.
 High Team Games: 4 Tops 670, Mod Squad 654, Yellow Jackets 650.
 Men's High Series: G. Lapp 560, J. Jenkins 513, B. Race 484.
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 Women's High Series: N. Wright 507, J. Lapp 468, O. Crawford 427.
 Women's High Games: N. Wright 191, J. Lapp 175, O. Crawford 165, G. Furness 165.
 Splits Converted: 3-10 C. Furness, F. Schwartz, N. Wright, B. Race, 4-5 E. Lefler, 2-10 I. Schwartz, 4-9 B. Race, 2-7 R. Wright, 4-5-7 T. Frederick.

MERCHANTS "A" LEAGUE
 Dec. 30, 1970

Croft-Clara Lumber	4
General Telephone	4
J. P. Burroughs	2
Evans Products	2
Bigelow Hardware	0
New England Life	0

500 Series: M. Helwig 599, D. Romain 576, J. Gallagher 540, B. Musall 536, G. Dillman 532, B. Thompson 532, D. Wallace 525, H. Dickinson 523, F. Knoblet 511, L. Taylor 508, P. O'Harris 506, J. Root 506, D. Vatter 505, C. House 504, B. Ridenour 504, D. Cummings 501.
 200 Games: M. Helwig 223, D. Romain 211, H. Dickinson 209, J. Gallagher 208, D. Wallace 200.

MERCHANTS "B" LEAGUE
 Dec. 30, 1970

Hills & Dales Hospital	3
Pabst	3
Croft-Clara Lumber	3
Janssen's M-81 Motel	2 1/2
IGA Foodtown	1 1/2
Schneeberger TV	1
Fuelgas	1
Fire Department	1

500 Series: B. Silvernail 571, L. Tracy 554, C. Gunther 536, R. Wagg 534, N. Willy 534, C. Muntz 523, C. Ryland 523, G. Christner 518, G. Deering 512, F. Martin 501, E. Helwig 500.
 200 Games: B. Silvernail 234, N. Willy 213, L. Tracy 212, J. Hoffman 201, R. Wagg 200.

SUNDAY NIGHT JUNIOR
 Jan. 3, 1971

Born Losers	4
The Brewers	4
The Souz	4
The Unknowns	0
Alley Cats	0
Lucky Strikes	0

High Team Series: Born Losers 1408, The Brewers 1331, The Unknowns 1168, The Souz 1108.
 High Team Games: Born Losers 484-489-456, The Brewers 479-454-398, The Unknowns 428-403.
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 High Individual Games: S. Selby 174-169-164, R. Schweikart 172-164, J. Schwartz 172-161, M. Frederick 167.
 Splits Converted: B. Sutter 4-5, S. Selby 5-6, J. Hacker 3-10.

Plan corn drying tour in Gratiot county

On the farm drying of corn in Tuscola county has prompted questions and many of the farmers would like to look at established drying units on the farm. A tour has been arranged for this purpose to visit four drying units in Gratiot county.

The tour sponsored by the Tuscola County Extension Office will start at the Arnold and Mike Zwerck corn drying unit at 9:00 a. m. Wednesday, Jan. 13. The Zwerck farm is located four miles east of Richville on M-46.

The tour will move by cars on to Gratiot county. Drying units on the tour will be continuous flow, bin and batch. One of the units dried beans this past year and this will give you an opportunity to visit with these operators.

Farmers wishing to look at corn drying units are welcomed on the tour. The tour will be back to Zwerck's by 3:30 p. m.

To climax "Corn Drying", an afternoon has been scheduled following the tour to visit with Robert Maddex, agricultural engineer at Michigan State University.

The half day is scheduled for Friday, Jan. 15, at 1:30 p. m. Everyone is invited to hear answers to your questions on corn drying which will be held at the Standard Oil Farm Service building in Caro, states Bill Bortel, County Extension Director.

NEWS FROM District Court

Ronald James Barrons of Kingston in the City of Caro was ticketed for failure to maintain equipment in proper condition. He paid fine and costs of \$15.

Patricia Ann Simpson of Kingston in Indianfield township was ticketed for speeding 65 mph in an allowed 55 mile zone. She paid fine and costs of \$20.

Larry James Kidney of Cass City in the village of Cass City was ticketed by Police Chief Gene Wilson for disobeying a traffic signal (stop light). He paid fine and costs of \$25.

Furran Nathan Smith of Kingston in the village of Kingston was ticketed for defective brakes. He paid fine and costs of \$15.

Frank James Schwartz of Gagatown in the village of Cass City was ticketed for speeding 35 mph in an allowed 25 mile zone. (Radar). He paid fine and costs of \$20.

Ervin Dane Schram of Cass City was charged on a conservation offense in district court of attempting to take waterfowl after the established closed shooting hour. He paid fine and costs of \$23.

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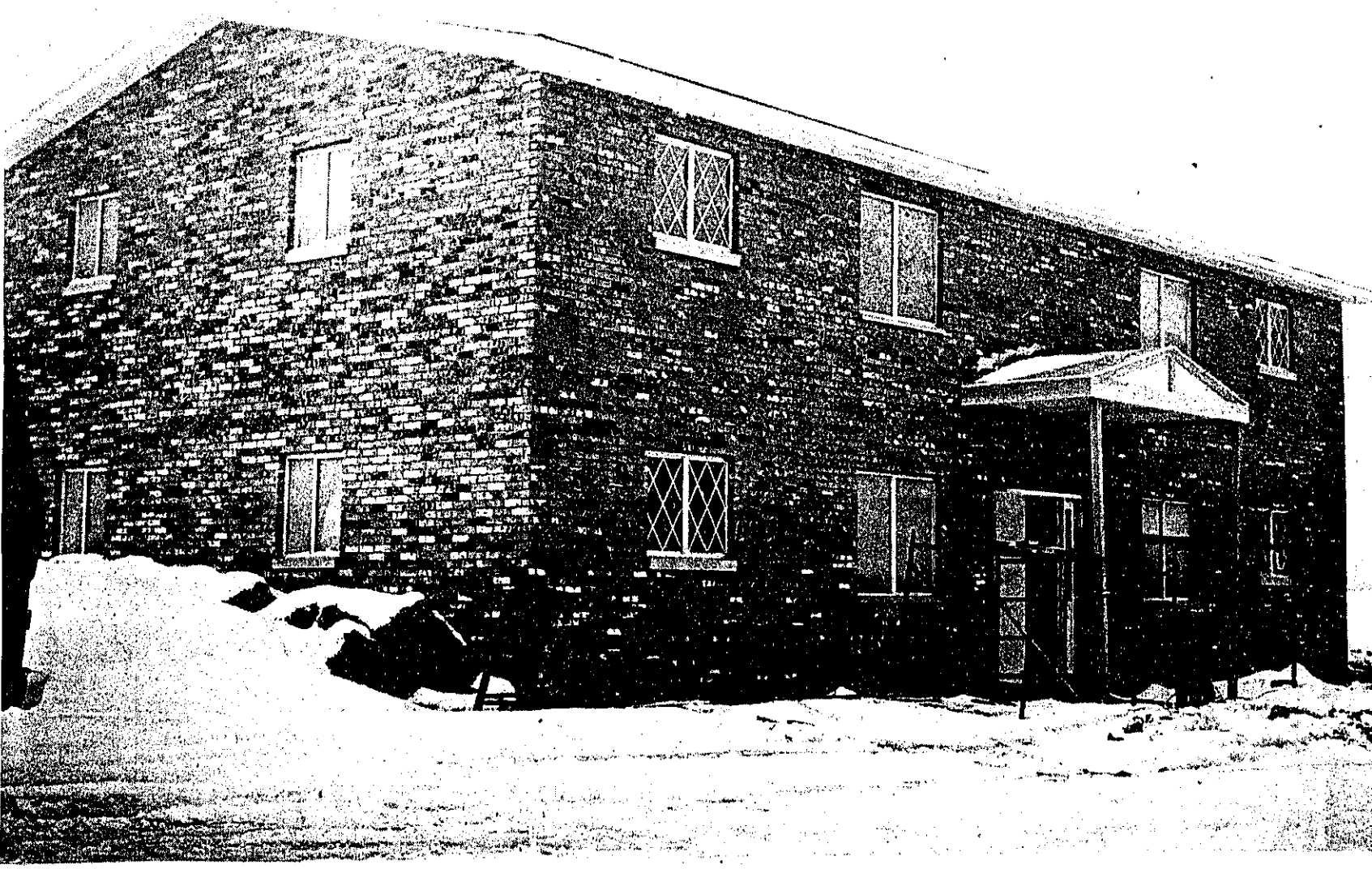
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ORDER OF PUB.

State of Michigan, Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.
 File #21176.
 Estate of Alfred Karr, Deceased.
 It is Ordered that on March 11, 1971, at 10 a. m., in the Probate Courtroom Caro, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims, and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Willard Thane of the Village of Deford prior to said hearing.
 Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.
 Dated: December 30, 1970.
 C. Bates Willis, Judge of Probate.
 A true copy.
 Beatrice P. Berry, Register of Probate. 1-7-3

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hurd accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Roedel, Shelly and Kelly of Pigeon to Alma Sunday, where they visited Stephen Hurd, who lives at the Masonic Home there.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kady at Hills and Dales Hospital Saturday, Dec. 19 an eight-pound baby girl. They named her Diane. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Poyok of Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Kady.

Mrs. Gertrude Schwaderer had dinner guests last Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall and grandson of Imlay City, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ritter, Mr. and Mrs. William Ritter and Richard McDonald's two sons, all of the Cass City area. Mrs. Schwaderer spent New Year's with Mrs. Harriet McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Jim McDonald of Cass City.

Mrs. C. P. Hunter and Mrs. Bert Wood arrived home Sunday after spending two weeks in Toledo with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Delos Wood.

Sr. Mary Louise of Adrian, who spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Werdeeman, returned to Adrian Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Wald had a telephone call from their son, S/Sgt. and Mrs. John M. Wald, who are living at a base near London, England.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellis, Michael and Andrew left early Saturday morning for their home in Minneapolis, Minn., after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hobart, and other relatives.

Mrs. Philip Boot and family of Arcadia and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ackerman and family of Flint had their Christmas dinner Saturday, Dec. 26, at the home of Mrs. Archie Ackerman and Junior with an exchange of gifts. In the afternoon they called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jewell in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Laurie left Thursday for a two weeks' trip west, going as far as Phoenix, Ariz. They will return by way of Florida where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Laurie had as Christmas dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wissner and Brian and Mrs. Tom Martin of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Laurie, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Laurie and Jane and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laurie, Douglas, Dana and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peterson of Kilde, Mrs. Hazel Melick and Mrs. Veda Montgomery, both of Bad Axe, were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Laurie.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burdon spent New Year's in Midland with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Burdon.

Lt. Wm. Tate receives degree

Navy Lieutenant William A. Tate, husband of the former Miss Judith A. Howell of Cass City, was among 270 officers graduating Dec. 18 from the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, Calif.

He received the Electrical Engineer's and Master's degree in Electrical Engineering.

The fully accredited Postgraduate School confers bachelor's, master's, engineer's and doctor's degrees in a variety of scientific, management and engineering fields. It is the one Naval institution of its kind in the world.

Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

Police are still searching for a trio of men who exchanged shots with Cass City Patrolman Robert Pawlowski when he attempted to pull their car over for a traffic violation.

Mrs. Fern Maier of Cass City received one of the most unusual presents given in Cass City at Christmas when her nephew, T/Sgt. John Cooley presented her with a petrified mastodon molar which is at least 15,000 years old.

The Cass City Village Council has voted to re-submit the recently defeated bond issue for a new fire hall-library building to the voters in the March election.

Eighty-three deer were reported killed in the county in 1965 in non-hunting incidents, according to Jim Gilhard, Tuscola county conservation officer.

Ronald James Gunther, son of Pvt. and Mrs. James Gunther of Cass City, started off the new year by winning a host of prizes as the first baby born in Cass City in 1966.

An organizational meeting of the Cass City chapter of the Christian Rural Hospitality Council will be held at Saint Pancratius Church Hall.

TEN YEARS AGO

The first election since Elkland township switched from the caucus to the primary system of election will see a full slate of candidates for offices on the Republican ticket and an abbreviated Democratic slate.

Classes started for 470 students in the new Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port District million-dollar high school, located on M-142, between Elkton and Pigeon.

The State Bar Examiners of California announced that Robert E. Fritz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Fritz of Cass City has passed the September 1960 bar examination and will be certified before the Supreme Court of California Jan. 18.

Jerry M. Shea will be transferred to the library position at the Cass City High School where he replaces Frank Walsh who resigned to accept a new position at Delta College.

David J. Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker of Cass City, was the first baby of the new year to be born in Cass City.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

At a meeting of representatives from community organizations held at the Presbyterian church Rev. M. R. Vender was elected to serve as general chairman and will also have charge of the publicity for the clothing collection here.

Charles Lehner of Unionville is the new owner of the Modern Housekeeping Shop here which he purchased from Frank Jaster.

Mrs. Caroline Lewis has tendered her resignation as postmaster at Deford and retired from the postal service after 25 years of service.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pohlod of Kingston are the parents of the first new baby to arrive in Cass City after the New Year.

Pfc. Frank McComb has returned to Cass City, having been honorably discharged from the Army Dec. 21, at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

Philatheas hold progressive dinner

Over 20 members of the Philatheas class of the Baptist church participated in a progressive dinner and New Year's Eve party Thursday.

Appetizers were served at the Stan Gunther home and the main course was served at the home of Pastor and Mrs. Lloyd Streeter. Mrs. Jim Perry, Mrs. Harold Rayl and Mrs. Elwyn Helwig were in charge of arrangements.

The group attended the singing crusade at the high school before going to the Clyde Wells home for dessert. A business meeting was held and officers elected. Harold Rayl was named president; Gary Mellendorf, vice-president; Mrs. Rayl, secretary-treasurer; and Elwyn Helwig, chorister. Devotions were presented by Pastor Streeter.

A snow party is scheduled for January.

Mrs. H. Guillet dies at hospital

Funeral services for Mrs. Herbert Guillet, 58, were held Saturday, Jan. 2, in St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Bach.

Mrs. Guillet died Tuesday, Dec. 29, in Hills and Dales General Hospital after a long illness.

She was born in Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 12, 1912, and moved to the Gagetown area when 11 years old.

The former Elsie Mihalic, she married Mr. Guillet in Sebewing July 11, 1931. She had been a Caro State Hospital employee.

Besides her husband, surviving are: two sons, Robert of Petaluma, Calif., and Gilbert of Akron; one daughter, Mrs. Ronald (Janice) King of Plymouth, and nine grandchildren.

Other survivors are: four brothers, John Mihalic of Detroit, George Mihalic of Pontiac, Joseph Mihalic of Rochester and Frank Mihalic of Bridgeport, and one sister, Mrs. George (May) Lambert of Bridgeport.

Burial was in Grant cemetery, Owendale.

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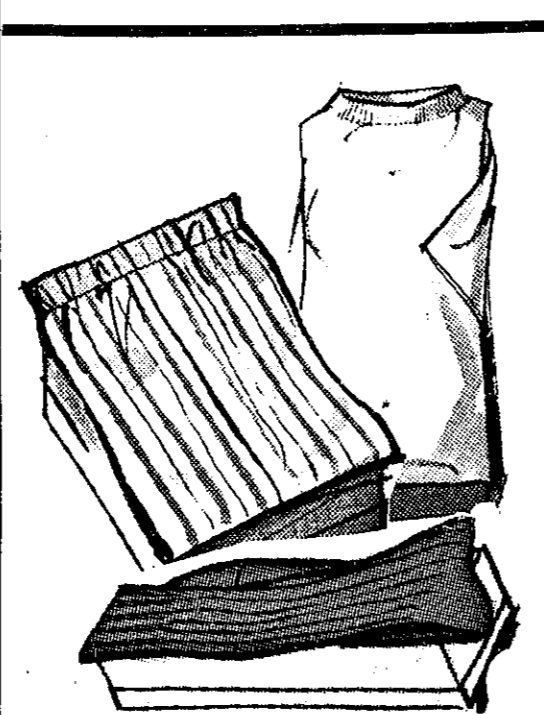
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AROUND THE FARM

An average year for county farmers

By William Bortel



Tuscola farmers look to 1971 with much uncertainty and yet very optimistic. The farmers are still wondering what to expect from the weatherman during the coming year.

The 1970 agriculture year is history and many farmers are glad to see it go. The entire year presented problems from excessive floods in early summer to wet harvest days this past fall.

However, 1970 was excellent for sugar beet tonnage and bushels of shelled corn. The wheat, oats and barley yields were average and the hay produced excellent tonnage. But, the wet year hampered harvesting of the hay in good condition and put many long hard hours in harvesting of the corn and sugar beets. There is still consider-

able acreage of corn in the fields which will probably never be harvested until spring.

The dry beans presented the most problems. The farmers that relied heavily on beans suffered greatly in 1970 with small yields which just barely covered expenses. But the farmers with corn, beans, and sugar beets in their rotation averaged it out and said it was just another average year.

The dairyman continued with good prices but the many long hours still see dairymen leaving the farm. Cattle feeders, swine producers and poultrymen all agree that 1970 prices can be improved upon. They each had an about face from the 1969 prices.

In general, Tuscola farmers had an average year, but farmers cannot survive with only an average year as expenses continue to go up. This year also took an added expense in machinery repair as the farmers mudded out the beets and corn.

So, the farmers look to 1971 hoping that the weatherman will cooperate. There is very little fall plowing done and the wet harvest left the fields in compacted conditions. This will take its toll on the 1971 crops if we don't get a deep freeze.


But, the farmer is optimistic and you will see him busy making plans for the new year. Here is wishing a very prosperous New Year to the farmers in 1971.

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On Tuesday, Dec. 22, 19 relatives of Ernest Parrott attended a Christmas party at the Ferguson Nursing Home, Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Domke of Lansing returned home Saturday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith since Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Behr and family of Saginaw and Mrs. Howard Hill and family were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hirsch and of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Deford of Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. William Arnold and girls of Grand Blanc and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hyatt were belated Christmas dinner guests Sunday, Jan. 3, of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marshall and Mrs. Roy Ashcroft were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Marshall.

Shirley Fleming had her tonsils removed Tuesday, Dec. 29, at the McKenzie Memorial Hospital, Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell and family of Kalamazoo and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and family were Sunday, Dec. 27, dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goldworthy of Lansing spent from Sunday till Monday, Dec. 27-28, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hirsch. Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg came to spend the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Hirsch and to visit their cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldworthy are moving to Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Eckel and girls of Flint spent the New Year's week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap. On New Year's Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Eckel and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family and enjoyed an oyster supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Trepkowski and sons of Uby, Mrs. Duncan McLean of Argyle, Miss Grace Wheeler and Clayton Wheeler were New Year's dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Smith and family were Monday, Dec. 28, supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Milligan and girls of Hemans were New Year's afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and family. They enjoyed homemade ice cream.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 29, Mrs. Don Smith and girls visited Mrs. Owan Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pearl and family of Richmond and Mrs. Robert Bullock and sons

of Lansing spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner and Marilee.

Mr. and Mrs. John Agar were hosts at bunco Saturday night at the Evergreen Community Hall. High was won by J. D. Masten and low by Grant Brown. Door prize went to Mrs. Fred Emigh. Hosts for the Jan. 16 bunco party are Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kerbyson of Flint spent from Wednesday till New Year's Day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman. They brought Mrs. James Groombridge home after spending Christmas in Flint.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family were Saturday night callers of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawdon and family of Deford.

Saturday, Jan. 9, the RLDS Women Department will have a bake sale and luncheon at the annex. The ladies will also work on carpet rags.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and girls.

The WSCS of the United Methodist Church will meet Wednesday, Jan. 13, at 8 p. m. with Mrs. Ron Smith. The lesson will be by Mrs. Leslie Seaverance.

(News from last week)

Word was received Tuesday, Dec. 22, by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hirsch of the death of Joe Crownfoot. He attended the Sand Fly School. The funeral was Thursday at the Hubbard Funeral Home, Mt. Clemens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman, Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr., all of Shabbona, Miss Lillian Dunlap of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murphy and family of Cass City and William Evo Sr. of Madison Heights enjoyed a pre-Christmas dinner Saturday at the RLDS Annex before Miss Dunlap left Sunday for California to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ron Warren.

The Bunco Group met Saturday evening, Dec. 19, with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler as hosts. John Agar won high, Robert Wheeler, low, and Mrs. Andy Hoagg, door prize. The next meeting will be Jan. 2.

Ernest Anderson of the Sanilac County Medical Center was a Sunday, Dec. 20, dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Smith and Joan of Reading spent from Wednesday till Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and other relatives here.

The Little League of the RLDS Church held their Christmas party Monday evening, Dec. 21, with Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith. There were 17 members present. The evening was spent in playing games, with a gift exchange. A cooperative lunch was served.

The Zioneer League of the RLDS Church held their Christmas party Monday evening, Dec. 21, with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dorman. Seven members were present. The evening was spent playing games and a gift exchange was held. A cooperative lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hyatt and family were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Campbell and family of Gifford. Sunday, Dec. 20, pre-Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and family were: Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith and family.

Miss Jeanne Kreger of Mt. Pleasant is spending the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Domke of Lansing and Rev. and Mrs. Harold Smith and Joan of Reading, were Christmas Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister and family of Marlette.

Mrs. Edward Smith of Sand-

usky, Perry Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Loeding and family were Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Luella Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hirsch, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Seaverance of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Donaghy of Sandusky were Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Owen Smith.

Mrs. Ann Powell and sons of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. John Hill and family, Clark Meredith of Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klee Jr. and girls of Minden City, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Meredith and family and Marie Meredith were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Meredith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold J. Kreuger of Saginaw, Miss Jeanne Kreger of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elsholz and Scotty of Sandusky and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hagen were Christmas Eve dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kreuger remained over Christmas with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hoag and sons of Ypsilanti and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hoag and family of Cass City enjoyed a belated Christmas dinner Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoag.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Behr and family and Mrs. Dale Leslie and family were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Milligan and girls of Hemans. They were joined in the afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace and family of Hemlock.

Harvey Fleming was a Christmas Day guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dorman and family of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawdon and family of Deford, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dorman and family of Hemans, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman enjoyed their Christmas dinner at the RLDS Church annex. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McIntosh and family in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Domke of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Marshall of Deford and Miss Judy Marshall of Cass City were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry (Lucille Burns) were Wednesday callers of Mrs. Ernest Parrott.

Mrs. James Groombridge went home Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kerbyson of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Czapl and family of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Don Eckel and girls of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Trisch and family of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr. were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown of Clarkston, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kies and family of Montrose, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Glasco and family of Almont and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pine were Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Ernest Parrott. Mr. and Mrs. Brown remained for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Marshall and Judy and Mrs. Roy Ashcroft were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marshall and Jimmie.

Misses Robble and Hope Leslie went home with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mitchell and sons to Flat Rock Saturday to spend a week. Kevin Mitchell remained at the Leslie home for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Domke of Lansing, Rev. and Mrs. Harold Smith and Joan of Reading, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister and family of Marlette, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Smith and family were Christmas evening guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Ralph Smith.

Miss Cella Eckel of Flint spent over Friday night visiting Miss Sally Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman enjoyed an oyster dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dorman and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fudtz of Goodrich were Saturday guests of Mrs. Ernest Parrott. Miss Daphne Eckel of Flint spent over Saturday night visiting Sally Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Marshall and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marshall and Jimmie of Deford, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Marshall and family, Junior Neft of Westland, Mr. and Mrs. David Marshall and Christine were belated Christmas guests of Mrs. Roy Ashcroft Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pearl and family of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullock and sons of Lansing, Miss Marilee Turner of East Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Turner and girls were belated Christmas Day guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and girls were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Kyser of Shepherd were Christmas dinner guests of Miss Grace Wheeler and Clayton Wheeler. They were all Christmas evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Krause and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodward and boys were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Krause.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler and family were Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Duncan McLean of Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Loeding and family attended a belated Christmas dinner Saturday at his father's Leonard Loeding at Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Eckel and girls of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr. were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith.

Miss June Puterbaugh is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh, from Big Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sprague and family of Bay Port, Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacNiven and Dalton Puterbaugh were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh and family.

Miss Marilee Turner of East Lansing is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner.

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Jim Fritz returning to Paraguay to finish job

Because he feels that another year is vital for the program he has started in Paraguay as a Peace Corps volunteer, Jim Fritz will return Saturday to this South American country for his third year of volunteer duty.

By the end of another year, Fritz believes, the Paraguayan president that he is training in environmental sanitation will be ready to take over his responsibilities.

He is technically ready now, Fritz told the Cass City Rotary Club Tuesday noon, but he still has to learn how to take charge and direct the people.

The area where Fritz has served is primitive. The average annual income is \$17 per year and the citizens are 90 per cent illiterate.

One of the primary concerns is elementary sanitation. The country is disease ridden because of an internal parasite that enters the body through the feet of the people, Fritz said.

It is prevalent because toilets are merely holes in the ground and the parasite is nurtured around the soft earth where they are located.

To combat this condition, Fritz supervised the building

of concrete floors for the toilets so the parasite could not escape from the earth.

One of the Cass City volunteer's proudest achievements is the completion of a school building. He said that the labor was furnished locally and the money came from a school partnership program where school children here raise money as a project to help the uneducated all over the world.

Fritz said that in his experience the two programs in the United States doing the most to aid the underprivileged are the school partnership and the UNICEF fund raising projects.

The most pressing of the many problems in Paraguay, Fritz says, is the need for water. There is plenty of water available but a deep well is needed to mine it.

We are on the verge of getting the necessary money to start this project, Fritz explained, and if all promises are kept we may start digging the well this year.

Fritz said that the two years he has served has been personally rewarding to him.

While his ability to speak Spanish fluently and his record in the Peace Corps could open many doors for him, it is likely that he will enter elementary education when he resumes his career in the United States.

There is a need in this field, he believes, and it's another job that will offer him a good deal of personal satisfaction.

Officials seek clues in area break-ins

Two break-ins in Cass City are still under investigation by the Cass City Police Department.

Chief Gene Wilson said this week that Lomar, Inc. was broken into and power tools were taken.

Last week vandals broke into Bassett Manufacturing Co. and stole an estimated \$20 in change, Wilson reported.

Bad Axe State Police are investigating the theft of the battery, air cleaner, and spare tire from the car of Pablo Lopez, 4796 Center Street in Gageton. Lopez told the State Police this week that he had parked his car on the shoulder of the road on M-25 near Bayport the morning of Dec. 26 when it broke down. The vehicle, apparently, was broken into at that time.

EDITOR'S CORNER

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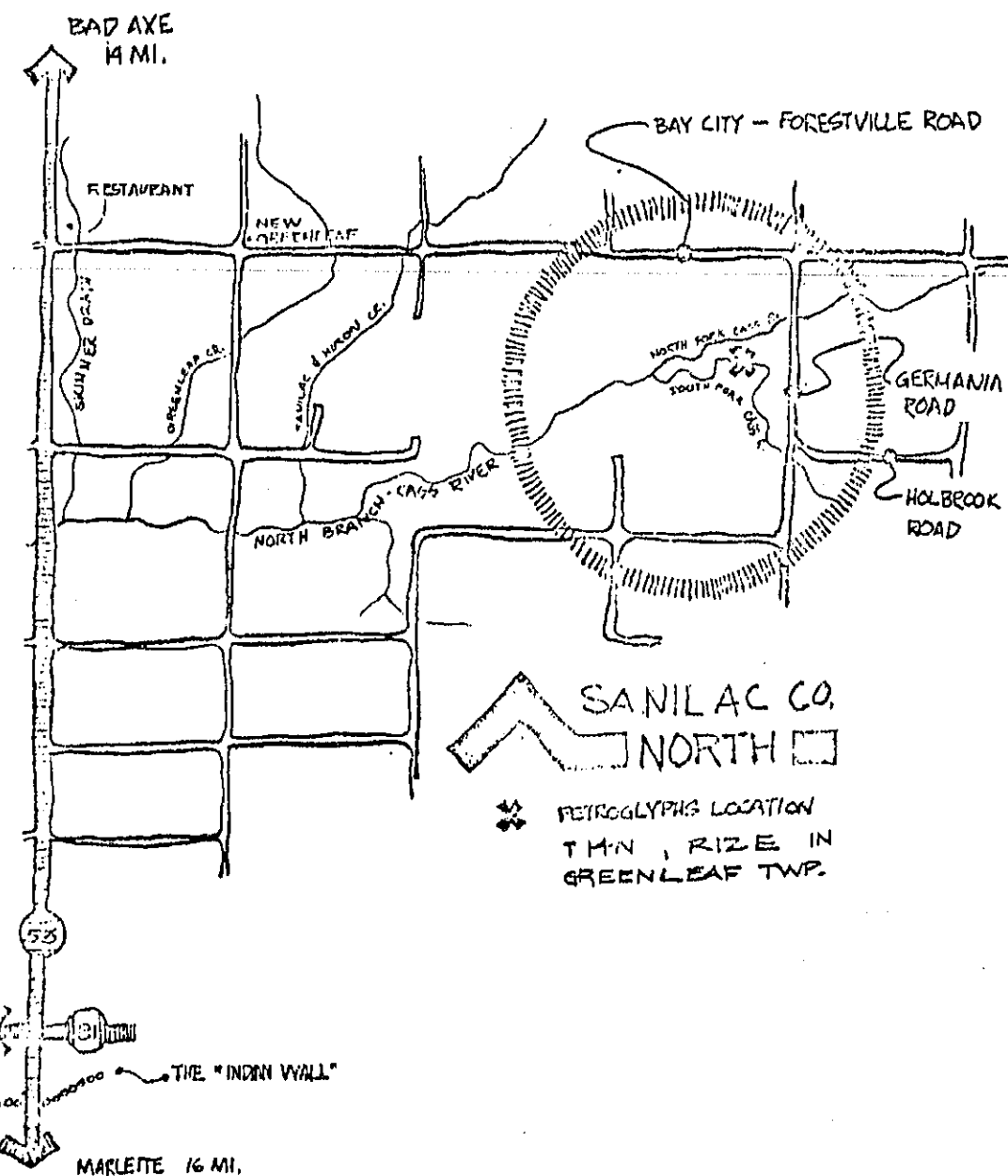
just short of where you are and gambol playfully just out of reach in a game he devised all by himself called, catch me if you can.

It's almost as if he knows he's got it made at the Hades' And he's right, of course. He's a member of the family for all the dumb reasons that people like dumb dogs.

The only thing is... he's still growing a little. It would be just like him to become so monstrous that it would take two of us to load him in the car and bring him home.

The sad part is that we'd do it, too.

Seek DNR approval for park at Indian carving site



Representatives of the Department of Natural Resources will conduct a meeting Thursday night in Sandusky to determine if funds should be earmarked for the development of a 200 to 300-acre site at New Greenleaf that includes the Sanilac county petroglyphs, ancient Indian stone carvings.

Attending will be Rep. Quincy Hoffman and Sen. Alvin DeGrow and members of the Michigan Archaeological Society.

The meeting is open to interested area residents. Sen. DeGrow said that an attempt will be made to determine if there is an interest in turning the area into a day park.

The Archaeological Society reports that the park is necessary to protect the deteriorating petroglyphs. The society already owns land in the area and wants to combine it with a parcel of land held by the DNR.

The petroglyphs are located along the south fork of the north branch of the Cass River, approximately 10 miles north-east of Cass City.

The 80 acres owned by the Society includes a quarter-mile frontage along Germania Road and includes a portion of the northfork of the Cass River.

The Sanilac petroglyphs are the only Michigan petroglyph site in Michigan and invaluable in the study of early Indian cultures, Society spokesmen feel.

The meeting starts at 8 p.m. at the Sanilac county court house.

If the Society's plan were adopted the area would include roads, parking and service areas and an interpretive-orientation center, picnic area, interpretive play area and exercise area.

Included would be nature trails, interpretive trails, wildlife conservation and nature areas and an outdoor class room.

An historic development zone would include a petroglyph and interpretive shelter, Indian village reconstruction site and interpretive trails.

The land in question now owned by the DNR is part of the State game area.

Services Wednesday for Mrs. V. Kiteley

Funeral services for Mrs. Violet Kiteley, 76, of Deford were scheduled Wednesday, Jan. 6, at the Harmon Funeral Home, Kingston.

A lifelong area resident, Mrs. Kiteley died Saturday, Jan. 2, in Hills and Dales General Hospital.

She was born Jan. 13, 1894, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Tallman.

She married Harvey H. Kiteley in Caro Sept. 26, 1911. Besides her husband, survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Irene Berlin of Mayville and Mrs. Marie Campbell of Deford, three grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

The Rev. Carl Koerner was to have officiated at the services with burial in Kingston cemetery.

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One hurt in first accident in 1971

The first accident of 1971 happened at 20 minutes after midnight New Year's Day when Ronald Lee Roberts, 20, of Houghton Street, Cass City, smashed into a utility pole on Orr Road about three miles east of Caro, Roberts, according to sheriff's reports, was heading south not far from Deckerville Road, when he hit a slippery spot, went off the east side of the road, and rolled against the pole.

While Roberts was unhurt his passenger, Bernard William Viney, 25, of Owendale was

taken to Caro Community Hospital with head injuries.

Miss Josie M. Aguilera, 19, of Gageton and Miss Juanita Aguilera, 20, of Sebawing were treated at Hills and Dales General Hospital last week for injuries suffered in a mishap on Liken Road, a mile south of Sebawing.

The elder sister, the driver of the car, was treated for a fractured arm and the other girl suffered cuts and bruises.

The accident occurred when Miss Aguilera lost control on icy pavement and skidded into a ditch.

Your Michigan Guide to 93 Winter Campgrounds

Map of Michigan showing 93 winter campgrounds. Includes a legend for state parks, private parks, and campgrounds. A code reference table lists facilities like water, electricity, and toilets. The map is numbered 1-93 and includes a 'Bring 'em back ALIVE!' slogan.

Singing crusade draws 800

An estimated 800 persons attended the fifth annual New Year's Eve Singing Crusade sponsored by the Cass City Laymen's Club and held at Cass City High School.

Spokesmen for the club said that the event has grown in popularity since its inception and annually local residents who attended for the first time are pleased and surprised by the program offered in the village.

The sponsors also noted that the crusade has always attracted a large youth audience from a wide area of the thumb and that more and more families are participating in the event as their New Year's Eve

celebration. Fans of gospel music singing were entertained by the Calvarymen Quartet of Flint; the Silvertones of Pontiac, and the Ott Trio of Lansing. Also participating in the Crusade was a young ladies' ensemble

from Filion. The Crusade started at 8 p. m. and continued to 1 a. m. At the intermission refreshments were served.

There was no admission charge and expenses were paid by a free-will offering. Sponsors gave special thanks to members of the Laymen's Club who helped remove staging and replaced classroom chairs following the program.

A similar program to usher in 1972 is already planned.

M. Fournier dies at work

Maurice J. Fournier, 51, of Gageton succumbed Monday, Jan. 4, following a heart attack at work, the Petrolene Gas Service plant at Gageton, where he was manager for six years.

He operated a grocery store and also an appliance store in Gageton prior to his manager position.

Mr. Fournier was born in Elmwood township April 17, 1919, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Fournier.

Survivors are three sisters: Miss Alice Fournier, Miss Isabelle Fournier and Mrs. Leroy (Eleanore) Stapleton, all of Gageton, and one niece and a nephew.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 a. m. Thursday in St. Agatha Catholic Church, Gageton, and burial will be in the church cemetery. Hunter Funeral Home has charge of arrangements.

Commissioners to organize Tuesday, Jan. 12

Tuscola county commissioners will hold their first meeting of the new year, Tuesday, Jan. 12, and it will be an organizational meeting. The board will be electing a chairman and that chairman will be naming committees for the year before the day is out, in all probability, Harold Johnson of Caro was the first chairman of the commissioners, followed by the election of Shurford Kirk of Junata township upon Johnson's resignation after one year. The board was sworn into the new two-year term of office last week.

Slate services for Clark Jarvis

Funeral services will be held Thursday at Little's Funeral Home for Clark Jarvis, 78, who died Tuesday, Jan. 6, at the Seenic Convalescent Home, Pigeon, where he had been a patient five years.

Born in Grant Township Sept. 10, 1892, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jarvis.

He was a life member of Acme Lodge P & AM, Gageton. A sister, Mrs. Hazel Valance of Cass City, and two nieces survive.

The Rev. Elizabeth Isaacs, pastor of Trinity United Methodist Church, will officiate at the two o'clock services. Burial will be in Grant cemetery.

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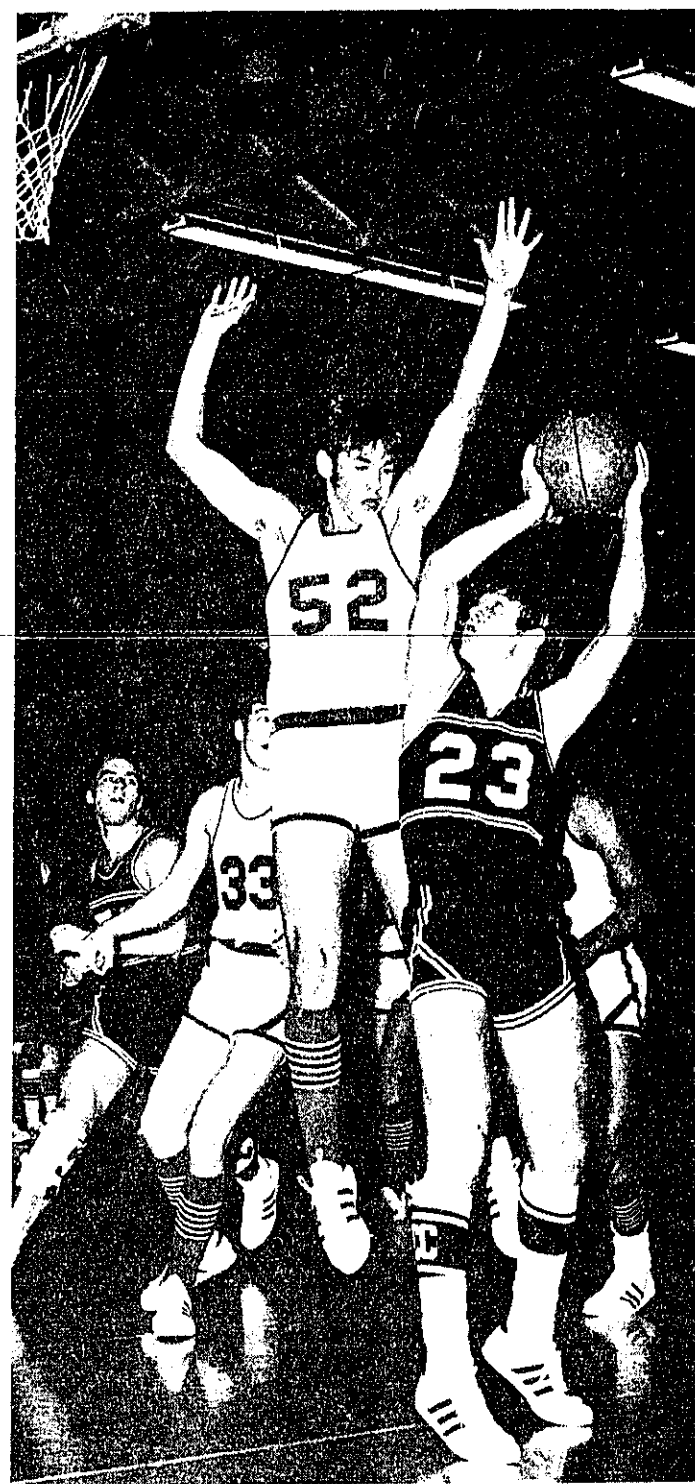
Red Hawks upset Sandusky with last half splurge, 71-60

In a mild upset Tuesday night, the Cass City Red Hawks staged a last half rally to whip the visiting Sandusky Redskins, 71-60, before a sparse midweek crowd at Cass City High School. The victory was the second in five starts in Thumb B Conference play for Cass City and brings the season's record

to 3-5. Coach Fred Hurlburt reached down to his Freshman squad over the holidays for Scott Hartel to replace the departed Greg Eshelman and he played most of the game Tuesday. He appeared to fit in well with the team and was able to pull down several key re-

bounds during the evening. For two quarters, the game was nip and tuck. Sandusky went into an early lead in the first quarter only to see the Hawks bounce back in the second period to move ahead by a single point, 35-34. In one of the best third quarters the team has played

this season, Cass City moved in front to stay. By early in the fourth period the game was decided and Hurlburt was able to clear his bench for the first time this season. Veteran Richard "Zike" Miller led the attack for Cass City with 24 points. Scott Guernsey followed with 17 and Rob Alexander pitched in 12.



SCOTT GUERNSEY has to work against taller men in nearly every game he plays. Here he fakes out Dave Duetsch of Sandusky. The Hawks won, 71-60.

JUNIOR VARSITY

The Cass City JV squad lost its second game in five Thumb B starts in a heartbreaker, 64-63.

The lead see-sawed back and forth in the final period. With 20 seconds to come Cass City was ahead by a point. Sandusky then went ahead with four seconds remaining and a Hawk desperation shot was wide of the mark and the Redskin JV's remained undefeated this season.

Friday Cass City will face another severe test when League Leading Lakers come to town. Tall and talented, only an upset loss to Sandusky mars their season's record.

Freshmen win

Cass City's Freshman defense looked sharp Monday when they gave up two points in the first period, and scored 26 against Sandusky. That margin set up an easy victory, 77 to 48. Mike Frederick turned in his finest performance of the year with 25 points.

In the B-game Gary Eisinger popped in a 6-foot jump-shot with 3 seconds remaining for the tie-breaking points to pull out a victory. Craig Helwig was high point man in that game with 8 points.

Michigan Mirror

Sales tax nets Michigan more than income tax

The state income tax receives the lion's share of attention in consideration of the state's tax structure over the past few years, but the sales tax remains Michigan's best revenue producer.

The 4 per cent charge on all retail sales in the state brought in \$738 million in fiscal 1970. In second place was the income tax, which produced \$607 million. This puts Michigan among the majority of states, 34 in all, which rely on sales tax to pull in more revenue than any other.

In 14 states the income tax is the best revenue producer. Two states, New Hampshire and Louisiana, don't receive the most revenue from either of the two taxes. In New Hampshire the motor fuels tax is number one, and in Louisiana a severance tax imposed on all oil and gas drilling is the best winner generator.

Though it ranks seventh in size among the states, Michigan

Name candidates for directors of soil district

The Right Reverend Monsignor Hugh M. Beahan, well-known TV and radio personality, will speak at the 27th annual meeting of the Tuscola Soil Conservation District Jan. 14. It will be a dinner meeting at 7 p. m. at the Sacred Heart Catholic School in Caro.

Monsignor Beahan originated Station WXTO-FM in Grand Rapids in 1962 and is a partner and general manager of the station. At the present time Monsignor Beahan has a weekly program, "The Holy Sacrifice of Mass" which is broadcast on three stations.

The directors will have a short business meeting and they will present awards to the winners of the Tuscola Soil Conservation District annual FFA land judging contest. An election will be held as the terms of Maynard McConkey and Bruce Ruggles are expiring. Candidates have been nominated. In the northeast area they are: Fred Janks, Don Koepfgen, Maynard McConkey and Frank Spencer. In the southeast area they are: Louis Babich, Charles Hoist Jr. and Bruce Ruggles. They will be elected for a three-year term.

was fifth in tax collections for fiscal 1970.

New York was the leader with \$6.1 billion in revenues, and California was second with \$5.5 billion. Illinois and Pennsylvania were the other two states ahead of Michigan, which pulled in \$2.3 billion altogether.

Eleven other states, including neighboring states Ohio, Indiana and Wisconsin, were over the \$1 billion mark.

Total state revenue collections for all 50 states was \$47.9 billion, a 14.9 per cent leap from the previous year. Michigan was one of only five states which kept the tax revenue increase below 5 per cent during the fiscal year. Illinois had the biggest increase, 48.8 per cent, as the result of its adoption of an income tax for the first time.

FEWER FOREST FIRES

Damp weather which prevailed over Michigan this fall had at least one beneficial effect in the fight to protect the environment: it cut down on forest fires.

As a result, according to the Department of Natural Resources, forest fire losses in the state dropped by 110 acres in 1970 to 6,433 acres. A total of 1,386 fires were reported.

Robert J. Comeau, chief of the Department's forest fire division, gives much of the credit for the low toll to "exceptionally wet weather" in the fall which held forest fire damage to only 35 acres from the first week of September through the end of December.

As is true in most years, this year's forest fires hit the state hardest during the spring, destroying nearly 5,100 acres by the first week in May, he said. From mid-April through early May, forest fire damage ran about 1,000 acres a week, with most of that toll triggered by careless spring debris burning.

At the end of the forest fire season, losses stood at 994 acres in the upper peninsula, as against 392 acres in 1969.

Losses in the northern lower peninsula totaled 2,951 acres in 756 fires last year compared to 1,491 acres in 450 fires one year earlier. Southern Michigan shows a marked improvement with 218 fires in 1970 compared to 321 fires in 1969.

Richard's TV tells winners

Richard Jones, owner of Richard's TV Sales and Service, this week announced the winners of a drawing held in connection with an anniversary sale held before Christmas. The first prize, an antenna, was won by Edith Toner of Cass City. Cheryl Dill, Cass City, won a Grecian table, the second prize, and Jerry Adams, Cass City, received a can opener, the third prize.

JV's third in Lakeville cage tourney

Cass City's Junior Varsity Red Hawks copped third place in the holiday tournament held at Lakeville. The Junior Hawks whipped Flint Hamady in the opening game by a score of 72-63. The Hawks' scoring and rebounding was well balanced again as it has been all season. Kip Hopper scored 15, while Drew Guernsey and Randy Wright added 12 each and Curt Strickland chipped in with 10.

In the second game against Saginaw Carrollton, the Hawks dropped their second game of the season 73-47. Carrollton's overall height advantage was too much for the smaller Red Hawks. Kip Hopper and Bob Ross led the scorers with 15 and 11 points respectively.

In the contest for third place, Cass City defeated Lakers by a score of 64-57. The Red Hawks trailed 48-43 going into the last period but outscored the Lakers 20-9 to gain the victory.

Again balance was the key to victory as Gene Salas tallied 16 points followed by Strickland with 14 and Drew Guernsey with 10.

The Junior Varsity season's record is 5-2 with a loss to Bad Axe as the only blemish on their conference record.

Harbor Beach cops Frosh tourney here

Tall and talented Harbor Beach walked off with the winners' trophy in a Freshman holiday tournament held at Cass City last week.

Cass City won the consolation trophy with two wins in three starts.

The Hawks had little trouble with Uby, 69-32, in the opener, but bowed to a tight Laker defense in the second game, 68-58. Jim Barabart scored 25 points to lead the Lakers to the victory.

Meanwhile, Harbor Beach wiped out Uby 73-45 in the first game to move into the finals and then used its height advantage to top the Lakers in the finals, 54-40.

After losing to the Lakers, the Hawks were thrown into the losers' bracket where they faced Uby Tuesday and won easily, 69-32. Dave Hillaker was high with 14 points.

The Hawks then faced Kinde-North Huron Wednesday night after the Kinde quintet had been soundly defeated by the Lakers the night before, 75-37.

The Hawks had little trouble with Kinde and won 61-32. Hillaker again was high point man with 14 points.

CHARACTER COUNTS

Fame is not measured by what a fellow gets out of it, but how he lives his life.

CASS CITY VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Cass City Village Council was held Dec. 29, 1970 at the Municipal Building. All Trustees were present.

The minutes of the regular November and two special December meetings were read and approved.

The Financial Report for the month of November was reviewed.

The Police Committee presented the Police Department's yearly statistical report for 1970. They also reported that a meeting was held to prepare a tentative budget for 1971.

A request was made to the Council from the Michigan Liquor Control Commission for Jay Lee Smith to be added as a partner of Jack's Bar. A motion was made by Trustee Ross and supported by Trustee Christner that the attached resolution be approved. Motion carried.

It was reported that the front-end loader will be delivered December 30.

It was also reported that Mr. James Blades has accepted the position of Village Superintendent. He will begin the new position February 1.

The Council was reminded that on Thursday, Jan. 21 they are to meet with the Planning Commission and a Villacelan-Leman representative for a final review of the revised zoning ordinance.

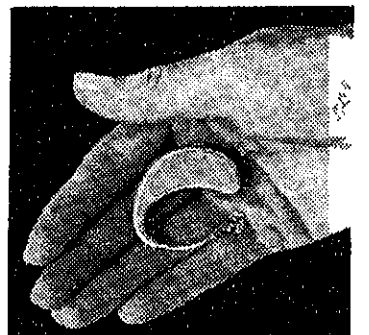
A letter from Mrs. Delbert Profit was read to the Council in which she asked that the ditch in front of her home be filled in by the Village. This problem will be referred to the appropriate committee next spring and at that time it will be reviewed.

Tap in fees for the Smith apartment complex were discussed by the Council. No decision was made as there is a question as to the location the tap in will be. This will be tabled until a report is given from Hubbell, Roth and Clark, Inc., Consulting Engineers, who are investigating this problem.

A motion was made by Trustee Rawson and supported by Trustee Christner that the bills as examined by the Finance Committee be approved for payment. Motion carried.

There being no further business a motion was made by Trustee Ross and supported by Trustee Holmberg that the meeting be adjourned.

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• Hebrews 11:3-6

Monday
• John 14:23-27

Tuesday
• Proverbs 3:19-34

Wednesday
• Proverbs 8:17-35

Thursday
• Galatians 6:1-10

Friday
• 1 John 1:1-3

Saturday
• 1 John 5:1-7

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