Possibility of employee walkout at hospital looms larger

The possibility of an employee walkout at Hills and Dales General Hospital began to loom larger this week as negotiations toward a new contract between local 2642 of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees and the hospital board bogged down.

Union officials released a statement Monday charging little or no cooperation from the hospital board and accusing the board of deliberately refusing to hire anyone to replace employees who quit.

Local President Joanna Miklovich said Tuesday that, while no strike vote has been taken by the rank and file, a state mediator is scheduled to arrive in Cass City Thursday in an attempt to work out a settlement.

The basic bone of contention surrounds a proposal to settle without retroactive pay. The board has originally offered a settlement which requested a six-month moratorium on pay increases with no provision for raises retroactive to March 31, when the old contract expired.

Presently, the union is continuing to work on a one-month extension of the old contract. One union official said it is unlikely another extension would be approved by the membership.

The rank and file rejected the non-retroactive pay proposal unanimously.

At this point, no new negotiating sessions are planned before Thursday.

Ms. Miklovich said Tuesday the board has asked the union to take a 10-15 cents-per-hour cut in wages. This has also been rejected, she said.

Union officials have not made a specific wage demand to the board, but generally say they want parity with other area hospitals. They contend present pay standards at Hills and Dales run about 15 cents per hour under other hospitals.

The union contends their present membership of 64 at the hospital is down by nearly a dozen persons from a year ago. According to the union statement, the administration has refused to hire any new personnel to replace those who quit.

They say in many instances, registered nurses and licensed practical nurses are hired instead. They do not belong to the union.

The last negotiating session was held Friday with no progress reported. Under established procedure, a 30-day notice would be required before a strike could begin.

"It takes two sides to negotiate and we the people of Local 2642 are ready, but the administration (board) at the hospital has refused," the statement said in part.

"We do not want to strike. We have asked for mediation to be brought in and the governors panel if necessary," the statement continued. "We feel we can resolve our problems before a strike occurs and we definitely want to do this, but in order to do this, we have to start negotiating a new contract."

The union also charged morale at the hospital is low, and said it should not be held responsible for any financial problems at the facility.

One union spokesman who declined to be identified said in all likelihood, most functions of the hospital would probably come to a halt if a strike were called.

Union members work primarily in housekeeping, dietary and office areas.

This is the second contract negotiated with the board. The first was inked last year and expired March 31.

BOARD POSITION

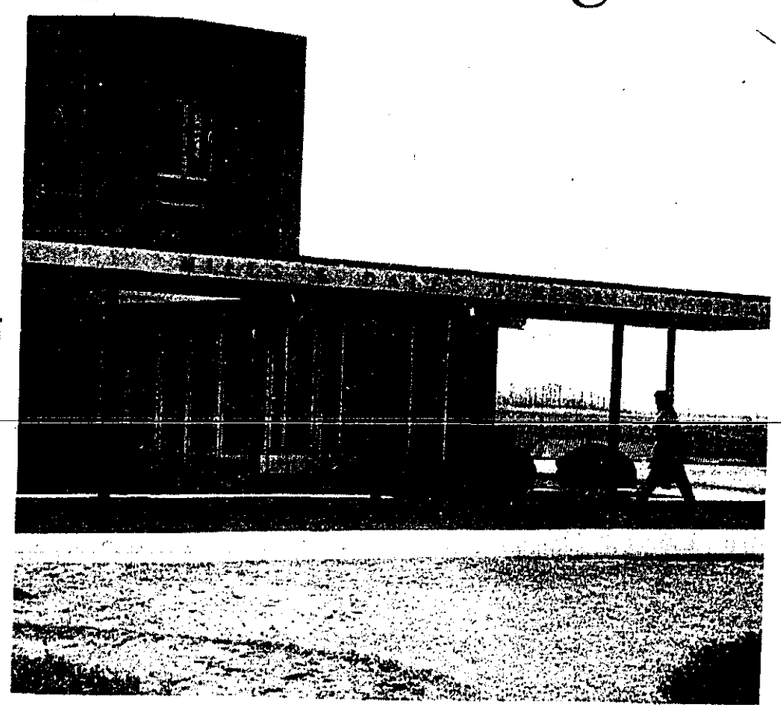
Board President Clinton Hou said Tuesday the prima . concern of the board presently is to get the hospital back on an even keel by implementing changes in the facility's operation.

"Some drastic things have to be done to get things going again and we feel that this (no retroactive pay) is the least harsh," House said.

"It's silly to delude oneself that just because it's contract time, we must automatically increase wages," House said. "This is a difficult time and I believe the matter should be resolved through negotiations. I don't think the Cass City Chronicle is the place to conduct those negotiations."

He said to simply put aside an amount of money for six months and then give it out in increased wages cannot realistically help solve the hospital's financial squeeze.

He added that getting more doctors into the area to use the facility is a prime concern, one which can help the financial situation at the hospital.



PICKETERS COULD REPLACE visitors at the front entrance of Hills and Dales General Hospital if present negotiations fail to produce a contract settlement between the hospital board and AFSCME Local 2642.

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THE AXE IS passed to a new generation as Jim Gross (left) accompanied by Mrs. Gross, formally turns the operation of Gross Meat Market over to Hans Schuchmann, formerly of Detroit. Looking on are Mrs. Schuchmann and daughters Karen (left) and Monica.

Detroit man new owner

Jim Gross relinquishes reins at meat market after 32 years

By Jim Ketchum

When you decide to sell a business you've invested 32 years of your life building in a small town, chances are you would like to sell it to someone who could carry on in your tradition.

Jim Gross of Gross Meat Market is sure he's found the man. Gross, who has been at least a part owner of the homey market on Main Street since 1941, has sold the business to Hans Schuchmann, who has been in the meat business since he began as an apprentice in his native Germany at the age of 15.

Schuchmann comes to Cass City from Detroit, where he operated a successful meat business for six and one-half years. After spending 18 years in the Detroit area, Schuchmann decided it was time for a change, and happened to hear that Gross market was for sale.

"When we saw the town, we knew this was for us," Schuchmann, who does not look his 38 years, said Monday as he delved full-swing into the business.

"We like the country very much," he explained, speaking of his wife, Helga, and two daughters, Karen and Monica. "We looked around the town here and really liked what we saw. Besides, this is a better place to raise kids and send them to school than the city."

Schuchmann began his training as an apprentice in Frankfurt.

"It's the only thing I know," he said. "It's what I love to do."

In his years in the business, he has learned nearly every cut of meat that exists and manufactured his own lunch meats in Detroit, along with numerous other cuts and types.

He plans to expand that aspect of his new business in Cass City, once he becomes established.

His store in Detroit was about as large as Gross Meat Market, but both he and Gross agree, the type of clientele is different. In the city, most of the trade was volume.

In Cass City, the major concern is building a steady clientele and getting to know customers. Schuchmann's friendly smile and warm greeting to customers should make this part of the job a cinch.

Schuchmann said he heard that Gross Meat Market was for sale through a friend, came to see it and liked what he saw. He said he plans to keep things pretty much as they have been at the store.

While it was not an easy decision to pull up stakes and move from a large metropolitan area to a rural community, Schuchmann says it was the thing to do and credits Cass City itself for selling them on the idea of moving.

"If it wasn't for the fact that this is such a pretty town, I don't know if we would have made the move," he said.

For his part, Gross formally ends a business he has operated in Cass City situated in the Thumb of Michigan which he loves.

Gross had graduated from the University of Toledo in accounting in 1933, a rough year to begin a career at the depths of the Great Depression. After turning down an accounting job, Gross went to work for Swift & Co. as a salesman for $15 per week.

That was a low wage even for a college graduate in those days, Gross said, but he was lucky to have that.

Around this time, a series of strikes swept Toledo in which the National Guard was called out and several persons lost their lives. Eventually, the violence spread to the meat business, hitting primarily at truckers and sausage makers.

As a salesman, Gross said he and the rest of the sales staff had to roam the streets of Toledo collecting accounts. Gangs would frequently follow, slashing tires.

At one point, Gross remembered, deliveries had to be hidden from strikers. Even a load of paint for the processing plant had to be disguised.

About this time, Gross moved out of town and was given a company car for his sales work and was assigned to the Saginaw area.

"It actually worked out perfectly," Gross said. "A few years before, a group of us took a trip to Harbor Beach and drove around the Thumb. I said back then that this would be the place I'd eventually like to be located. Well, when I found out the entire Thumb was my territory, I was happy as could be."

As time passed, Gross decided to settle in his territory, choosing Cass City. By 1941, he turned in his salesman's briefcase and bought into the meat market on Main Street. He and Fred Maier jointly operated the establishment until Maier's retirement after 51 years in the business.

In his years in the business, Gross has added and expanded. He constructed an addition to the rear of the structure, modernized freezing capacities, added electric cutting tools and added a grocery line.

In his 32 years of business in Cass City, Gross said he never has regretted the move.

"I fell in love with this country the first time I saw it," he said. "I always said this was where I wanted to end up and it all worked out just perfectly." He married the former Kate Wallace, sealing his ties to the area.

Ill health in recent months has forced the energetic Gross to slow down a little.

"I've only got one pace and that's fast," Gross said.

As far as retirement plans are concerned, Gross said he likes to fish and will probably catch up a little on his favorite pastime. He owns a cottage in Huron county and, presumably, this will take a little more of his time as well.

"I think every leaf in Huron county landed in that yard," he laughed.

Retirement will also mean more time to spend with his family which includes three daughters and six grandchildren, "five girls and a boy", Gross stated proudly.

While Gross may officially be retired, chances are he'll be seen popping in and out of the store.

"I'll really miss seeing the people each day coming in here," he reflected.

Meanwhile, it's a sure bet that Hans Schuchmann will be doing his best to maintain the successful Gross Meat Market that has served Cass Cityans for over a generation.

Only 7 voters present

Elkland votes pay raises for three board members

Saturday was the day for annual township meetings throughout the county. Budgets were approved and issues of importance discussed in each. Here is a rundown of activities:

ELKLAND TOWNSHIP

With only seven township electors present, Supervisor Edwin Karr was voted a 17 per cent pay increase, along with nine per cent pay boosts for Clerk Ferris Ware and Treasurer Arthur Randall.

On the motion of County Commissioner Maynard McConkey, electors approved a yearly salary of $4,500 for Karr and $3,000 salaries for Ware and Randall. Karr's salary represents a $651 pay boost, while Randall and Ware will each receive $251 more.

Electors approved a proposed general fund budget calling for revenues and expenditures of $86,363.93. This compares with 1973-74 revenues of $66,960.99 and expenditures of $72,096.37.

Karr explained a primary reason for last year's imbalance stems from a $21,000 loan from the general fund to the special fire hall fund. He estimated this year the special one-mill tax levy for the hall will carry the hall and no designation from the general fund will be necessary.

Federal revenue sharing for the township is estimated at $13,000, up slightly from last year, while income from state sales, income and intangible taxes should total $24,500, up over $3,000.

State equalized valuation on the township is $17,689,850 for 1974, compared with $15,043,800 for 1973. This should bring in $29,188.25 in property taxes, against $24,822.27 last year.

In the special fire fund, total revenue and expenditures were placed at $14,485 in the new budget, up nearly $2,000 from last year. A large area of revenue increase will be in fire run and stand-by charges. These are estimated at $7,000 and $7,485, respectively, each up over $2,000.

Firemen's pay was increased to $4,400 from $3,946.72.

A sinking fund of $4,000 for new firefighting equipment will also be established. Karr said this should help alleviate last-minute panic when a fire truck must be replaced. Estimated life of such a piece of equipment is 15 years and current replacement prices range around $45,000.

On roads, some $37,000 is planned to be spent on construction and maintenance, financed from a special one-mill levy and the general fund. Plans call for $19,000 to be spent hard-surfacing Dodge Road in cooperation with Elmwood township, while $18,728 will be earmarked for maintenance.

Discussion was also held regarding possible renewal of the one-mill road levy when it expires in two years. Some electors felt Elkland township had not derived much benefit from the tax, saying most of it had been spent in other poorer townships.

Former County Commissioner Ed Golding Sr. said a tour of the county's bridges showed the poorest townships had the worst bridges and said generally the spending had been justified.

John Zinnecker asked the township board what had been done to repair a mausoleum in Elkland cemetery which he felt was ready to collapse.

Treasurer Randall replied that an inspection of the structure by the board showed it to be sound, while it did show need for new plaster outside.

He said attempts will be made to get in touch with the owners with regard to repairing the structure.

EVERGREEN TOWNSHIP

Evergreen township voters also approved salary increases for township officials. Supervisor's salary was increased from $1,000 to $2,000, while treasurer and clerk were raised from $700 to $1,000.

Voters also voted to donate $200 to the Rawson Memorial Library and $200 to the Cass City Recreational Park.

Voters will decide in the August primary whether or not to continue the 3.0 mill assessment for road improvement two more years.

Township electors also turned down a contract from the Sanilac County Road Commission for brining gravel roads in front of homes this summer, at a cost of $1,350 to the township.

This would have been paid either through taxes or by individual home owners.

Anyone interested in brine applications can contact Supervisor Lawrence Hyatt.

The township junk ordinance was discussed and it was agreed that the board enforce the ordinance.

The major concern in the ordinance is old cars. One unlicensed car is permissible.

Some 25 persons attended the meeting.

ELMWOOD TOWNSHIP

Just eight persons attended the Elmwood township meeting where a proposed budget of $26,050 was approved.

A proposal to raise a half-mill for roadwork will be placed on the ballot.

Federal revenue sharing will total $7,600, all of which will be placed into road maintenance.

While salaries of most township officers remained the same, trustees' pay was raised from $10 to $15 per meeting.

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP

While no formal budget was established, Novesta township voted to contribute $200 to the Cass City Municipal Park and $252 to Rawson Memorial Library.

Clerk Henry Rock said no new road construction will be undertaken this year. Graveling of roads will be the main concern, he said, adding that no exact amount has been determined for this purpose.

The township will continue to meet the second Saturday in the odd months--January, March, May, etc.

Twelve persons attended the meeting.

GRANT TOWNSHIP

Grant township voted to continue a special 1.3 mill assessment for general purposes and approved placing a 1-mill special assessment for roads on the August primary ballot.

The township also approved the spraying of brush along roadsides. While no cost figures are yet available, according to Supervisor Mrs.

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FIRE OF undetermined origin leveled the Sheridan Township Hall four miles west of Ubly early Sunday morning. The fire was reportedly out of control by the time a passerby spotted the flames. Ubly fire chief Elmer Brahmer said that no alarm for firefighters was sounded in Ubly because the building was beyond saving when it was discovered.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little
Phone 872-3698

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shagena

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shagena of Ubly marked their 40th wedding anniversary March 17.

Mr. Shagena and the former Irene Jackson were married in Argyle.

The couple make their home in rural Ubly.

No formal celebration was held due to illness.

Marriage Licenses

James Arthur Priestley, 19, of Akron and Jacqulyn Kay Wright, 17, of Caro.

Thomas O'Neal Collins, 38, of Cass City and Diane Colleen Hawley, 22, of Cass City.

George Leslie Schlicht, 18, of Akron and Susan Marie Heckman, 17, of Akron.

Frank William Brigham, 18, of Filion and Cindy Lou Spencer, 17, of Deford.

Gary Lynn Curtis, 24, of Vassar and Margaret Joyce Piazza, 21, of Vassar.

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Over 50 sign for walk-a-thon

Over 50 teenagers are already signed up and knocking on doors to walk in the Teen Ranch walk-a-thon Saturday, April 20. Teen Ranch is a group care program designed to meet the needs of boys 12-16 who are in a group living setting.

Teens throughout the Thumb Area are raising sponsors at $1.00 per mile for the 20 mile walk.

The event starts at Cass City High School at 9:00 a.m., completing the walk at the ranch four miles south of Kingston in the late afternoon. Everyone walking must be sponsored.

A complete list of vocational tools and recreational equipment being secured through this walk is available at the Teen Ranch office at 3041 Main St., Marlette. Phone: 1-517-635-7511.

Ken Nienhuis is walk coordinator.

WEDDING RECEPTIONS
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Mr. and Mrs. Don Lorentzen returned home Tuesday, March 26, from St. Charles, Ill., where they had spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Lorentzen and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Buehrly and children had as Saturday evening dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Auten and four daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fleenor. The birthdays of Mr. Auten and Mr. Fleenor were celebrated.

About 15 youth from Trinity and Salem UM churches went to Deford Community church Sunday evening to see the film, "Thief in the Night". They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Walter and Donald Buehrly Both senior and junior-hi youth groups will meet Sunday evening, April 7, at 6:30 p.m. in Trinity church.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, April 8, at 8 p.m. in the Cultural Center. Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi, Mrs. Vern McConnell and Miss Peggy McConnell.

The Elmwood Missionary Circle meets Thursday, April 4, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Beardsley. They will go to Gagetown for dinner and return to Mrs. Beardsley's in the afternoon for quilting.

Echo chapter OES will meet Wednesday evening, April 10, at 8 p.m. Mrs. Patricia Toner heads the refreshment committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Keith Murphy, Mrs. Harold Murphy, Mrs. George Jetta and Mrs. Grant Strickland.

Visitors Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Anker were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anker of Saginaw. Don Anker of Bay City was a Saturday caller.

Jennifer Sting of Lapeer spent several days last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury.

Mrs. Helen Ashmore and son Ted of Gagetown were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozan visited her mother, Mrs. Helen Ashmore, at Gagetown Saturday. Other visitors there were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Commett and family of Brown City.

Miss Janet Perry of Grand Rapids was an overnight guest Thursday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry. Miss Perry left Monday to spend until Thursday at Nashville, Tenn., where she is attending the National Hospital Association.

Miss Rose Cook of Lansing spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. William Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. had as dinner guests Wednesday, March 27, Rev. Arnold Olsen, formerly of Cass City and now of Lakeland, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Fay McComb. Mr. Olsen is vice-president of Spurgeon Bible College in Lakeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pratt and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Myron Johnson at Lapeer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown and Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. were at Frankenmuth Thursday evening to attend a dinner meeting of Frutchey Bean Co.

Mrs. Leo Ware and Mrs. Thelma Pratt went to Lapeer Saturday evening. They showed their Holy Land pictures to an adult class in the Lapeer Church of Christ.

The Misses Cindy McClorey and Jeanie McCreedy returned home March 18 from a four-day trip to New London, Conn., to visit Cindy's brother, Larry McClorey.

Mrs. Wilbur Morrison returned to her home Saturday from Hills and Dales Hospital where she had been a patient several weeks.

Kim and Georgie Sangster spent Friday night with Mrs. Eva Watson.

There will be no regular AWANA Club or JOY Club meetings April 10, due to Easter vacation. The clubs will resume meeting April 17 as usual.

The Junior Department of First Baptist Sunday School will have an "After-sparkle" at the Bill Ewald home following the Sunday evening church service. Transportation home will be provided by teachers.

Mrs. J. Rands heads crusade

The 1974 Crusade kick-off meeting for the cancer society, Michigan Division, was held Saturday at the Civic Center in Saginaw. The meeting began in the morning with registration and a coffee hour and was concluded at 3 p.m.

Bob Carson, National Crusade chairman, was the speaker. Eight student nurses from Ingham, Kent and Saginaw competed for a $400.00 scholarship. The winner was from Ingham county.

The slogan for this year is "We want to wipe out cancer in your lifetime". The drive for funds will be made during the month of April with a house to house solicitation. Mrs. John Rands is the local area chairman.

Persons attending the meeting in Saginaw, besides Mrs. Rands, were Mrs. Esther McCullough, Mrs Harold Perry, Mrs. F.D. Profit, Mrs. Arlington Hoffman and Mr. and Mrs. Don Lorentzen.

NEWS FROM
District Court

Eugene Walter Kloc of Cass City in Elkland township was ticketed for speeding 65 mph in an allowed 55 mile zone. He paid fine and costs of $20.

Jack Duane Brinkman of Cass City in the village of Reese was ticketed for speeding 50 mph in an allowed 35 mile zone. He paid fine and costs of $30.

Joel Allen Montei of Deford in the village of Kingston was ticketed for speeding 65 mph in an allowed 55 mile zone (former 65 limit). He paid fine and costs of $20.

Harry Thomas Crandell of Cass City in Wells township was ticketed for exceeding state wide speed, 65 in a 55 (formerly 65 mile zone). He paid fine and costs of $20.

In his self-appraised worth a man's figures don't lie, but his estimates are misleading.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morell have purchased a new three-bedroom home at East Tawas. Mr. Morell is now at Tawas during the week and will assume his duties as manager of Fuelgas there April 25. Mrs. Morell, who had been employed at Hills and Dales Hospital for 8½ years, concluded her employment there March 22. Mrs. Morell will be employed in the Fuelgas office at Tawas City.

Larry Wood of Akron, Ohio, whose work has been at Decatur, Ill., for several weeks, flew into Tri-City airport Friday evening and spent until Monday morning with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Ira L. Wood. Miss Joyce Wood of Harbor Beach also spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Beaudoin and children of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nemeth.

Mrs. Minnie Forbes and a friend from Mancelona were overnight guests March 26 of her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. William Cook. They also visited her brother, John Cook, while here.

Mark McClorey of Norfolk, Va., spent from March 22-24 with his brother, Larry McClorey, at New London, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Dennis at Caro. Other supper guests there were Mr. and Mrs. James Neal and daughter Jeanie of Bay City.

Jim Fritz returned March 26 to East Lansing, where he is a student at MSU, after spending a week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E.C. Fritz.

The Woman's Study Club will meet Tuesday, April 9, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Frederick Pinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hunt and children moved recently to their new home on Koepfgen Rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jezewski were surprised in their home Thursday when eight guests came to celebrate their 34th wedding anniversary. Hosts for the gathering were Mr. and Mrs. James Jezewski and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos. Other guests were Rev. and Mrs. Ira L. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Helwig.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig attended a family dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva McNeil near Caro. The birthday of Mrs. Craig was celebrated.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sangster and children, Kim, George and Robbie, of Decker were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Buehrly and family.

A group of 22 friends gathered at the Dale Buehrly home Saturday evening and from there went to charivari Mr. and Mrs. George Sangster and also Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fleenor.

Callers Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kozan were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Briggs of Clifford, Mrs. Helen Ashmore and son Ted of Gagetown.

Miss Charleyne Almas, whose marriage to Alfred Wallace will take place May 11, was guest of honor Saturday afternoon at a miscellaneous bridal shower. Thirty-five attended with guests from Detroit, Pontiac, Mt. Pleasant, Caro, Unionville and Cass City. The shower was held at the Alton O'Connor home with his daughter, Mrs. Sharon Asher, of Pontiac as hostess. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Sharon Francis and the Misses Vickie Marker of Unionville, Bonnie and Teresa Almas of Cass City.

Mrs. Ivan Tracy and her father, Theo Hendrick, went to Saranac Wednesday, March 27, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elida Brown. She was a cousin of the late Mrs. Effie Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ketchum attended a box social Sunday at St. Peter Lutheran Church. A total of $168.25 was raised for the Caro Area School for the Handicapped (CASH).

Fourteen attended a Baptist Philathea class party Friday night at the Bill Ewald home. Rev. Arnold Olsen, vice-president of Spurgeon Bible College, Lakeland, Fla., was a guest.

The Cass City AWANA Club will participate in the Eastern Michigan Olympic semi-finals at Grand Blanc High School Saturday, April 6, beginning at 1:30 p.m. Team members will leave Cass City at 10:30 a.m. from First Baptist church.

Miss AnnaRae Sattelberg of Unionville, bride-elect of Terry McNeil of Colwood, was guest of honor Saturday at a bridal luncheon and shower at the home of Mrs. Paul Craig. Co-hostesses were Mrs. John Homakie of Caro and her daughter, Mrs. Frank Storm Jr. Twenty-five attended with guests coming from Detroit, Marlette, Sterling Hts., Flint, Big Rapids, Frankenmuth, Unionville, Caro and Cass City.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

BIRTHS:

March 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dinsmore of Mayville, a boy, Joshua Douglas.

March 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Dalbert Wright of Ubly, a boy, Stacy James.

March 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Littleton of Caro, a girl, Lisa Marie.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, APRIL 1, WERE:

Louis Pankowski, Lyle Anker, Robert Kappen, Brian Haag, Jennifer Groombridge, J.D. Gibbard, Edward Greenleaf, Dennis Hunter, Mrs. Leo Mary Kirkpatrick, Philip McComb, Stanley Muntz, Floyd Reid, Mrs. Ronald Peters, Mrs. Richard Spencer, Mrs. Leona Stevens, Dean Tuckey, Mrs. Basil Wotton, Mrs. Leveret Barnes and Theresa Windy of Cass City;

Aurey Frederick, Mrs. Emma Blasius of Caro;

Bonnie Brooks of Peck;

John Bard of Kinde;

Mrs. Henry Beach of Caseville;

Mrs. Jessie Watson of Croswell;

Jodi Wright and Mrs. Geraldine Gracey of Ubly;

Frederick Swartz of Harbor Beach;

Mrs. Lawrence Strace of Decker;

Robert Hickie, Newell Hubbard of Deford;

Connie Hahn, Mrs. Robert Riskey, Mrs. Arthur Best, Mrs. Annie Donohue, Gary Hahn of Sebewaing;

Mrs. Richard Grifka, Mrs. Gladys Freiburger of Snover;

Donald Strieter, Mrs. Leslie Hutchinson, Mrs. Minnie Ortner of Unionville;

Mrs. Elizabeth Davis of Fairgrove;

Simon Hahn, Trasi Mallory of Kingston;

William Slaughter Sr. of Gagetown;

Julius Wilding Jr. of Akron.

The AARP meeting scheduled for April 11 has been postponed to April 18.

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Tell high school honor roll

The Cass City High School honor roll for the fourth marking period was announced last week. A + indicates an all-A record.

NINTH

Laura Bauer, Tommy Brinkman, Dale Dudde, Beth Erla, Shelley Gallagher, Luann Gallaway, +Patricia Goslin, Lori Hampshire, Scott Hendrick, Cathy Hobart, Teresa Hofstedt, Brian Hutchinson, Melanie Kelley, Christine, Krueger, Nora Langmaid, Brenda Lapeer, Lee-Ann Lapeer, Roberta Leslie, Brenda Little, Kurt Little, Diane Lowe, Noreen MacCallum, Kathleen McArthur, Phillip Martin, Ronald O'Dell, Karen Perry, Lena Rabideau, Richard Selby, Laura Smith, Kathleen Toner, +Ann Whittaker, Lisa Zimba.

TENTH

Kathy Clarke, +Alan Crouse, Laurie Decker, Sandy Eisinger, Lucy Hartsell, +Ann Hobart, Joy Holik, Kyle Hopper, Rodney Hutchinson, Michele Konwalski, Karen Krug, +Grace LaPonsie, +Colleen Leslie, Kathy Luana, Glen MacCallum, Jeffrey Maharg, Tim Muz, Terry Nanney, Delores Peters, Jane Peterson, Christina Pierce, Suzanne Pobanz, Blaise Posluszny, +Jane Rabideau, Nat Rabideau, Madelene Sabo, Steve Schneeberger, +Beth Shagene, Ron Sieradzki, Maxine Smith, MaryAnn Somerville, Dawn Stahlbaum, Christine Strace, Lori Tuckey, Rick Tuckey, Vicki VanDiver, Deborah Walter.

ELEVENTH

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"If It Fitz . . ."

Golfing with DiMaggio

BY JIM FITZGERALD

Cast your bread upon the waters and it may come back spread with caviar. That's how I got this sunburned nose.....

Many years ago I removed a thorn from the paw of a high school freshman. "Go forth and write me some school sports news," I told him, and he did. Thus was Chuck Werle lanched on a career of journalism that took him from the Lapeer County weekly to the Milwaukee Journal.

And today he has realized the dream of every newspaper reporter. He is out of the newspaper business and is a public relations executive in Miami, Florida. He has a home with a pool and his name is engraved on hundreds of memo pads.

"C'mon down," he phoned the other week. "You can play in our Tony Lema Memorial celebrity-pro golf tournament on Marco Island. Enjoy a week of great fun and marvelous weather. You and your wife can stay in the most luxurious hotel you've ever seen. There'll be a big dinner-dance with Harry James playing."

Which sounded pretty good. And then he added the magic words: "Be our guest." My wife and I were on the next plane south, already telling strangers about the virtues of Deltona Corp, owner of Marco Island and Werle's employer.

We had to switch planes at the Miami airport and that's when I first began to fear my visit would make Chuck wish he'd taken his thorn to Blue Cross. We missed our flight to Marco Island. There was another flight a half hour later and we missed that one, too. The reason was a breakdown in the airport's electronic communication system. The Marco Airlines clerk was paging me loudly throughout the airport but I couldn't hear him. There was a busted loudspeaker in the bar into which my wife had dragged me.

Chuck had asked Bill Gentry, head of Marco Island public relations, to meet our plane. Fortunately, Bill used to work for the old Detroit Times so he naturally has a keen understanding of the pitfalls through which an intrepid newsman must often splash while pursuing an assignment. "Don't worry," he phoned Chuck in Miami. "He's a newspaperman and it's a freeload. He'll be there by cocktail hour." I was.

The next day, bright and early at 3 p.m., I went out to practice for the big golf tourney which was just 48 hours away. My first drive was so powerful it went over a fence surrounding a power plant. The gate was locked. My 2nd drive petered off into a lake where 2 haughty ducks didn't even flinch.

I switched to a pitch and putt course to practice the finer points of my game (and to protect my dwindling supply of golf balls). I blasted out of one sandtrap and into another - the Gulf of Mexico beach. While I was battling my way back on the course, chipping over sunbathers, 18 golfers played through. My wife fell down laughing when she noticed one of the athletes leaving me behind was an old man on crutches. "Yes, but he has his nurse caddying for him," I explained.

My dismay became complete when I learned people would be paying $7 a head to watch the tournament. And I would be playing with such touring professionals as Jerry Heard, George Archer and Bobby Nichols. And such celebrities as Joe DiMaggio, Joe Garagiola, Garo Yepremian and Don Shula. And each player would be introduced on the first tee, over a microphone, while hundreds watched. And I would have to get up at 6 a.m. the morning after Harry James....

I did the only honorable thing. I inserted a thorn in my paw and limped to Werle. "Get me out of this tournament," I said, "and I promise to tell the world to get marooned on Marco Island, the finest sun-fun community on earth."

He did and I am: Go to Marco. But if you play golf, be careful you're not trampled by that old man on crutches.

SPRING SPRANG on Cass City Tuesday and these three youngsters took full advantage of the balmy weather. Shown from the left are Karla Wischmeyer, 9, Tom Wallace, 6, and Bob Erla, 11.

Owendale youth found safe after all-night search

A 10-year-old boy from Owendale was none the worse for wear after spending Wednesday night, March 27, huddled in a wet sleeping bag behind the Trash and Treasures Antique Shop at the intersection of Elkton and Sebewaing Roads.

Harold Donald "Skippy" Harris was found by a passing motorist after leaving the home of his uncle following a family disagreement Wednesday night. Huron County Sheriff's deputies, along with State Police from the Bad Axe post had organized a search party and worked through the night attempting to locate him.

The youngster told searchers he was headed on foot to Bad Axe, where his father, Harold Harris, lives and works.

The boy left the home of his uncle, William Harris, in Owendale around 9:00 p.m. Wednesday following a scolding the man had given his nephew concerning his school work. Officers said the boy told them he climbed out a bedroom window and headed, on foot, east along Sebewaing Road.

He got as far as the antique shop where he spent the night in the sleeping bag he took with him when he left. He was wearing only a sweater, trousers and street shoes at the time.

Deputies were called into the case at 1:00 a.m., after a search by family members failed to locate the boy. By 4:00 a.m., Owendale firemen, state police and a tracking dog from Bay City were on the scene, along with family members.

Around 8:00 a.m., a passing motorist spotted the youth standing in front of the antique shop. The driver, Roger Keillor of Bad Axe, had heard a radio news broadcast giving a description of the boy and stopped to get a closer look.

After determining the identity of the boy, Keillor told him to get in the car and drove east on Sebewaing Road where he had earlier seen searchers. There he was reunited with his father.

Officers said the boy's clothing was soaked from snow in which he had placed the sleeping bag. A subsequent examination showed no ill effects due to exposure.

The youth stays with his aunt and uncle in Owendale, where he attends school.

FROM THE Editor's Corner

Tuesday was Academy Award night. As I write this no one knows who the winners are.

For a change a show that I liked has been nominated. "Sting" is up for a host of awards.

Chances are it won't win. Shows I like seldom are award winners.

"The Godfather" and Marlon Brando last year were exceptions.

The reason that flicks that I enjoy almost never make the charmed circle is that my tastes are strictly plebeian. About as common as hot dogs and root beer or picnic dinners in the park.

I never did go for the shows that turn the critics on. "Lawrence of Arabia" was a big award winner and I couldn't make myself stay through the entire performance. "Tom Jones", that English history flick, was another.

Bread and butter shows for me are the John Wayne epics. . . .when he plays the part of John Wayne, no matter what he's called in the movie itself.

Come to think of it. . .a perfect example of a show gone wrong for me was Wayne in "True Grit". The critics say he got fancy in this one and it was really a satire on the Western show.

Well. . . .I didn't dig "True Grit" at all and naturally it was more highly praised than most of the countless westerns Wayne had delivered before.

I guess what I'm saying is deliver me from shows with a message. It conjures a famous line by Jo Don Looney, former Detroit Lions halfback, when the coach asked him to take a play into the game.

Coach, said Looney, if you want to send a message call Western Union.

Shows with a message and shows with the big build up rank about the same with me. All of the flicks starring Richard Burton and Elizabeth Taylor come immediately to mind.

None of them was worth the time it took to see them for me. At least I don't think they were. After the first couple, I stopped seeing this celebrated couple.

I've got a sneaking suspicion that the publicity mills are grinding away to sell another turkey. This one is "The Great Gatsby".

I've got no reason for thinking this. . . .just that the advance segments that have been on TV didn't turn me on at all.

Still, I'll probably be counted among the throngs that are sure to fight their way into the nation's theaters to see "Gatsby".

Why? Well for one thing David Merrick is the producer and his shows are usually among the best.

More important is that Robert Redford is one of the stars.

His four-star performances in "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid" and in "Sting" make it mandatory to see if it's Redford or the script that made the shows great.

Or whether (perish the thought, girls) it was co-star Paul Newman who was responsible for the previous box office hits.

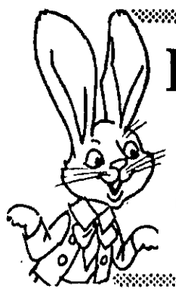
Slate open house for Turners Sunday

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Turner of Caro, formerly of Cass City, will hold an open house for their parents Sunday, April 7, at 2:00 p.m., in observance of their 30th wedding anniversary.

The open house will be held at the home of David Turner on Chambers Road. All neighbors and friends are invited to attend. They ask no gifts be given.

WHERE IT HURTS

Today's inflation has a way of dealing a stunning blow to people—it hits them right in the cash register.



Rabbit tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Varsity basketball players headed for spring sports may find the conditioning grind a little rougher this year. That's because the team's success on the court was followed by free meals on the banquet circuit.

In rapid succession the players gorged at Walli's Supper Club, Beagio's Pizza and the White Creek Club.

The players were the guests of the parents at Walli's and of the owners at Beagio's. At White Creek, Lorn Hillaker was the sponsor and the cook.

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Lee Hartel was talking when he should have been listening. Hartel is on the shady side of his 30's and he up and vowed the other day that he could ride a bike to the Air Base in Oscoda within 24 hours if the price were right.

Before you could say 10-speed, 10 guys had anteed five bucks each and the $50 buys the contest.

Look for it sometime in May. We'll keep you posted. (How could he back out now?)

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Over the years Cass City's Little League program has been outstandingly successful due in part to great adult participation.

But this could be coming to an end. Last week the organizational meeting was held and adults from just three teams showed up.

League officials are hoping it's a temporary lapse. To find out they have carded another meeting, Tuesday, April 9, at 7 p.m. at Walbro Corporation.

They urge all interested adults to attend to get the program moving again in 1974.

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Most utilities, including Detroit Edison, are in the midst of a public relations campaign explaining the need for rate increases.

Percy Nugent, Edison's public relations man in the area, was doing his bit for the company at Cass City Rotary Tuesday.

He told what the company is doing and the reason higher rates are on the way.

An interesting statistic: by 1982, says Percy, a third of the electric power generated will come from atomic power.

Karen Moylan joins Foster Parent Plan

Ms. Karen A. Moylan of Cass City has joined Foster Parents Plan. She "adopted" six-year-old Reinelie Cortes of Tumaco, Colombia.

Ms. Moylan's monthly contribution provides material and financial aid for the youngster and his family.

Sixteen dollars a month provides the family with a monthly cash grant, distribution of goods such as vitamins, blankets, towels and soap and for medical and dental care.

Ms. Moylan corresponds monthly with her foster child.

Church of God honors pastor

The Rev. A.F. Whittaker, pastor of the Church of God, will be honored by his congregation Sunday, April 7, which has been designated Pastor Recognition Day.

The Sunday morning service will feature special speakers and the Sunday School will present the pastor with an award at the conclusion of the 10:00 a.m. Sunday School hour.

The ladies auxiliary of the Church of God will honor Mr. Whittaker with a banquet following the service.

Friends of Pastor Whittaker are invited to attend the observance.

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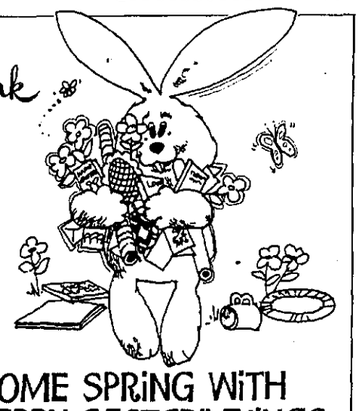
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My brush with death

By Jim Ketchum

I nearly died the other morning. My wife almost collected my life insurance and had her debts paid without cost. It came at the culmination of a particularly taxing week and nearly broke my spirit then and there.

It all began quite innocently when the alarm went off, rousing me from dreams of swaying palm trees in the land where it never snows and where the coldest thing is the ice in your lemonade.

Faced with the reality of another bleak Michigan day where we have 11 months of winter and one month of tough sledding, I wearily dragged myself from under my energy-consuming electric blanket to begin another day of jousting with the world.

My blood began flowing at its normal starting time, during my shave. I use an electric razor because it lessens the chance of slashing my jugular vein and also provides stimulation to unclog the cholesterol and start the red corpuscles chasing after the white ones.

Anyhow, with this, getting dressed and a half-hour of an all-too-cheerful J.P. McCarthy under my belt, I emerged for breakfast. My normal helping of bran flakes, toast, and orange juice which washes down my vitamin-C tablets were there, waiting for me as usual. Or so I thought.

Still not fully cognizant of the world around me, I ritualistically devoured the meal, with my pretty wife sitting across from me, smiling as I remembered it now, somewhat sinisterly.

Saving the orange juice until last, I proceeded to pick up the glass and take a healthy slug. That's when disaster struck.

Never have I tasted anything more vile or bitter in my life.

Coming up coughing and spitting, I asked what had happened.Why had she put drain cleaner in my orange juice?

"Oh, silly," she rejoindered. "That's just a little grapefruit juice."

Grapefruit juice? No way could that have been grapefruit juice. It had to be industrial strength Drano at the very least. Why had she done this thing to me that was now eating holes through my tongue?

"I ran out of orange juice before the glass was full, so I filled it with grapefruit juice," she dutifully explained. "I thought you'd like it."

Still coughing and spitting, she got the idea that I didn't.

Her voice took on a somewhat sharper tone after I accused her, without saying it, of trying to do me in. I'd have said more but I knew I'd reached the limit.

You can tell that with wives. There's something in the atmosphere that says, one more step, buster, and you'll regret it the rest of your miserable life.

So I resumed clearing myself of the drain cleaner and patching up my tongue. In the meantime, she had apparently taken pity on me and made a new batch of untainted orange juice. She did get a little upset, though, when I chemically analyzed the vapor from this before drinking it.

"Just a little hint I picked up in Chemistry class, dear," I explained. She didn't seem impressed.

My tongue is pretty well healed now and the taste sensation is slowly starting to return. In another week or two I might even be up to trying a bowl of chili again, provided that it isn't made with the sawdust burger that we have to eat in place of meat.

But not right away. Sometimes I wake up with nightmares, dreaming I'm drowning in a vat of grapefruit juice or drain cleaner.

My wife just lies there and says nothing.

Problems of troubled employee studied

The problems of the troubled employee came under scrutiny recently at a series of workshops sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service and attended by a number of Thumb area employers.

The briefings provided an opportunity for employers to become familiar with various services available in dealing with the troubled employee.

According to Lynn R. Harvey, Extension Manpower Agent for the Thumb area, employers are beginning to take a second look at dealing with problem and troubled employees. The challenge has become to identify the problems of alcoholism, drug abuse and personal problems early enough to help the employee and keep him on the job.

Firing problem employees is not the only solution because firms have an investment in each employee. Turnover, for example, will cost the employer an average of four to six weeks of a man's pay, so it may be more costly to fire the problem employee than to help him overcome his problem.

According to Harvey, problem employees in comparison to average employees miss at least twice as much work time, have a higher rate of job changes, a higher rate of job accidents, are involved in substantially more grievances and disciplinary actions, and receive at least twice the amount in sickness and accident benefits as other employees.

The employer is caught in the middle between turnover costs and in-plant costs involving problem employees.

Harvey said about one out of every nine or 10 employees in Thumb industry could be classified as a troubled employee and in the vast majority of these cases, alcoholism is the major problem.

He said placing a dollar figure on what troubled employees cost Thumb industry is impossible without an audit, but the cost is considerable.

A total of 49 employers from the three-county area attended the briefings which were aimed at a select group of employers. Invitations were sent to approximately 20 firms in each of the three counties.

Thus far, feedback from employers seems positive, Harvey said.

"At first, they seem to shy away," Harvey said. "They'll say we don't have any drunks working for us because we fired them all. Then as we explain what we're trying to do, they start to open up."

He said about 10 firms are presently working with the extension service in the area of troubled employees and act as a core group to which others may be added in the future.

One of the most important areas in working with the troubled employee problem is at the foreman level, Harvey said. This is probably the weakest link in the chain of identifying and helping a problem employee.

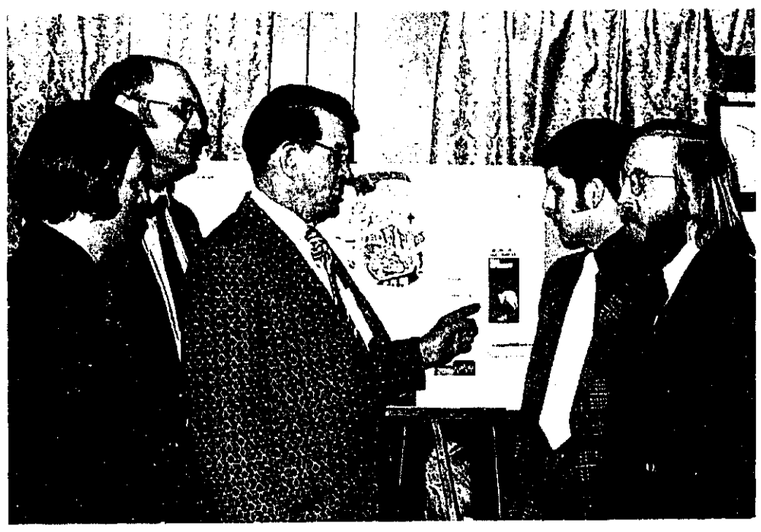
He said a development program designed to train foremen to recognize problems before they become serious is under way by the extension service.

"When we work with each industry, we want to design a program of dealing with the troubled employee specifically to the firm involved," Harvey said. "We incorporate management and unions into it and seek their understanding in such areas as work relief so that an employee can get time off to see a doctor, for instance."

Harvey added that a major breakthrough has finally come with the acceptance of alcoholism as a disease. A bill recently passed in the Michigan Legislature provides that alcoholism treatment can be covered by insurance.

Harvey said services are available in each county to assist employers in dealing with problem employees. They are the Thumb Catholic Family Service in Bad Axe, alcoholism programs related to the public health departments in Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola counties and the Community Mental Health Services in each of the three counties.

Employers desiring further assistance for their firm or agency should contact the Alcoholism Information Center in Caro at 673-7330 or the Community Mental Health Services at 673-6191



CONDUCTING A RECENT series of troubled employee briefings in the county are (from the left) Dennis Johnson, director of mental health services for Tuscola county, "Spike" Johnson, alcoholism program coordinator for the county, Earl Day, alcoholism counselor, Lynn R. Harvey, Sanilac county manpower agent,and Jim Leishman, counselor of Thumb Catholic Family Services, Bad Axe.

Report series of minor accidents

Several area traffic accidents were reported to police and sheriff's deputies last week, none serious.

Two minor mishaps were reported Wednesday. At 1:35 p.m., cars driven by John Arthur McKenzie, 67, of Weidman, Mich., and Barbara Marie Wood, 41, of 3675 E. Caro Rd. collided near the intersection of Main and Downing Streets.

Cass City Police said the Wood vehicle had stopped to let a funeral procession leave Little's Funeral Home when the McKenzie auto pulled out of a parking stall headed east, striking the left front fender of the Wood auto.

No ticket was issued and neither driver was injured.

At 3:00 p.m., cars driven by James A. Winslow,34, of Grand Blanc and Viola Delma Murchinson, 69, of 4924 State St., Gagetown, collided on Bay City-Forestville Road at Vassar Road.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies said Winslow was westbound on Bay City-Forestville Road when the Murchinson vehicle pulled in front of him. He told deputies he slowed down and blew his horn, but could not avoid the accident.

Ms. Murchinson told deputies she was waiting for a truck to pass and did not see the Winslow auto. Neither driver was seriously injured. No ticket was issued.

Two area accidents were reported Thursday. At 7:00 a.m., a car driven by Joanne Burda, 22, of Rossman Road, Caro, struck and killed a deer as she drove north on Cemetery Road, about a quarter-mile south of Severance Road.

Sheriff's deputies said the deer ran from the west side of the road into the side of the car. Ms. Burda was not injured.

At 8:30 p.m., a car driven by Norbert Lawrence Kapala, 41, of Mushroom Road, Deford, struck and killed a deer as he traveled west on Mushroom Road a quarter-mile west of Englehart Road.

State Police from the Caro post who investigated said Kapala swerved to avoid hitting the animal, but was unsuccessful.

The driver was not injured.

Sunday, a car driven by Gregory Allan Hanselman, 21, of 153 Second St., Caro, collided with a school bus parked on Bruce Street near Elk Street in Deford.

Sheriff's deputies reported that the driver of the bus, Edna Mitchell of Cumber Road, Ubly, had parked the bus on the north side of Bruce Street and had turned on the emergency flashers.

Hanselman told deputies he fell asleep at the wheel and struck the rear of the bus at about 15 miles per hour. No skid marks were found at the scene .

No ticket was issued and Hanselman was not seriously injured. The mishap took place at 5:45 p.m.

Letter to Editor

Drain problems spelled out

Cass City Chronicle
Cass City, Michigan 48726

Attn: Editor

When one submits to a telephone interview, one must trust that the reporting will be accurate and complete enough so as not to distort the facts. I tried to be precise and in fact, read to you from the "notice of letting" on the Utter Drain, Fairgrove Township.

Let's go over it again. I told you:

1. That Mr. Easlick's operator did a beautiful job on the digging of the ditch itself.

2. That the Notice of Letting reads: "all brush, trees or debris is to be kept separate from the dirt. . ." All of the parties involved understood and agreed at the Letting that the brush and dirt were to be kept separate. I did not tell you the contractor was to dispose of the brush, that it was to be burned at the time of the clean-out.

3. That Mr. Lounsbury admitted to me that he had made an error when he drew up Mr. Easlick's contract.

4. That this separation of brush and dirt was done until the operator reached exactly our property line. That we went immediately to Mr. Lounsbury and informed him of the situation and he promised to contact Mr. Easlick which he claims he did and Mr. Easlick was to so inform his operator.

And to clear up another point, we did not go "directly" to the County Board of Commissioners with our complaint. After three months of going repeatedly to Mr. Lounsbury, we went to our attorney and then, went to the County Board of Commissioners merely as a courtesy to inform them of the pending action, rather than for them to learn of it from the newspaper.

And when a man sits in his office and says to you "I just don't care anymore, I just can't handle it (the Drain Commissioners job) I just can't manage. . ." and then refuses the suggestion that he resign, then we, the tax payers, should continue to pay this man $24,000 over the next two years?? We think not!

Very truly yours,
Leo and Peggy Marker

Township meetings

Continued from page one

Helen Ellicott, it is presumed that a private firm will be hired to do the spraying.

Electors also approved switching to the card system for tax assessments.

Twenty-two persons attended the meeting.

GREENLEAF TOWNSHIP

Greenleaf township voters approved raising wages $300 for township board members. Supervisor's salary was set at $1,300, treasurer at $1,000 and clerk at $900. Trustees' salaries were also raised from $12 to $20 per meeting.

The hourly wage for persons employed by the township went from $2.00 to $3.00 per hour.

Voters approved rebuilding one mile of Leslie Road between Cass City Road and Cumber Road.

The township also donated $100 to the Cass City recreation program and $100 to Rawson Memorial Library.

Seventeen persons attended the meeting.

THE LIGHT TOUCH

By Richard Jones

Secretary on phone: "He's out to lunch, but he won't be gone long -- nobody took him."

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Jogging ten miles a day gives you something to think about -- like who to make your beneficiary.

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Tact means looking around to be sure no one is related to the person about whom you're going to gossip.

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Spring: the time of year when farmers and golfers start their plowing.

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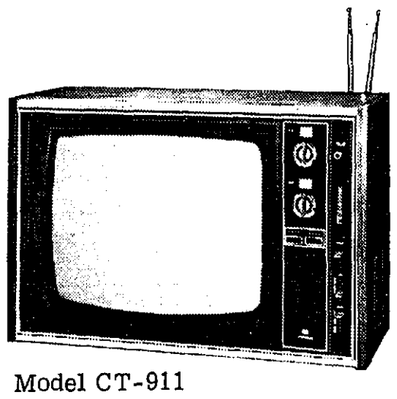

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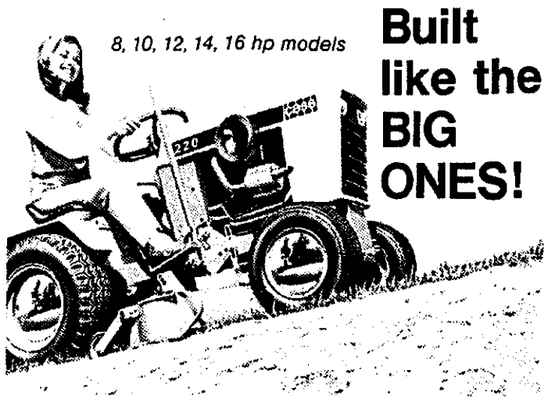

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Sandy's "Beauties"	25
Woods Research Co.	19
Deering Packing	18
General Cable	15½

High Team Series: Johnson Plumberettes 2122, General Cable 2118, Deering Packing 2096.

High Team Games: Sandy's "Beauties" 765, Johnson Plumberettes 744, General Cable 727.

High Individual Series: M. LaPeer 526, L. Selby 478, B. Schott 467, M. Guild 457, B. Hurley 453, G. Root 452.

High Individual Games: M. LaPeer 223-155, C. Furness 176, L. Selby 172-160, G. Root 169-163, M. Spencer 165, J. Deering 162, A. McComb 162-150, P. Johnson 161, B. Schott 161-159, J. Ardler 160, S. Cummins 157-154, M. Guild 156-154, L. Yost 156, R. Batts 155, R. Speirs 155, K. Woods 155, B. Hurley 154-153, C. Mellendorf 151.

Splits Converted: S. Cummins 7-8, J. Deering 4-5-7, M. Guild 3-10, M. LaPeer 5-7, A. McComb 5-10, E. Reagh 4-5-7, G. Root 3-10.

KINGS & QUEENS
March 26, 1974

D-T's	13
Doerr's Bunch	11
Schwartz Clan	10
Brewers	8
Loser's Inc.	8
VIP's	6
Hobedo's	5
Good Guys	3

High Team Series: D-T's 1874, Doerr's Bunch 1822, Schwartz Clan 1776.

High Team Games: Doerr's Bunch 647-617, D-T's 629-627-618, Schwartz Clan 611, VIP's 606.

High Men's Series: D. Doerr 539, B. Thompson 516, B. Davidson 489, D. Kruse 474.

High Men's Games: D. Kruse 212, D. Doerr 187-181, B. Thompson 181, G. Frederick 181.

High Women's Series: C. Davidson 541, L. Teller 445, M. Schwartz 444, P. Schwartz 411.

High Women's Games: C. Davidson 186-179-176, M. Schwartz 165-150, L. Teller 161, P. Schwartz 153, C. Ruso 152.

Splits Converted: 5-6-10 L. Teller, 3-10 C. Davidson, L. Teller.

CITY LEAGUE
March 25, 1974

Miracle Groc. - Dan's Sunoco	9
Bartnik Sales & Service	9
New Greenleaf Garage	8
Sommers Bakery	8
Cass City Lanes	5
Ouvry Chev-Olds	4
Evans Products	3
L&S Sport Center	2

High Series: C. Kolb 594, D. Allen 572, R. Schweikart 559, F. Knoblet 542, J. Guinther 508, C. Vandiver 506, D. Ouvry 502, G. Thompson 501.

200 Games: C. Kolb 223-200, R. Schweikart 210, D. Allen 209, F. Knoblet 202, K. Miracle 202.

MERCHANETTE LEAGUE
March 28, 1974

Walbro	13½
Kritzmans	12
Richard's TV	12
Albee Hardware	11½
Cass City Lanes	10
Herron Builders	10
Cole Carbide	8
Clare's Sunoco	3

High Team Series: Kritzmans 2130, Walbro 2086, Cole Carbide 2010.

High Team Games: Walbro 732-714, Kritzmans 718-716, Cole Carbide 704.

High Individual Series: M. Guild 529, M. Zdrojewski 470, J. Morell (sub) 469, I. Schweikart 469, N. Wallace 469, D. Taylor 450.

High Individual Games: M. Guild 194-171-164, N. Wallace 192, M. Zdrojewski 177-150, I. Schweikart 175, G. Kelley 174, C. Krueger 171, J. Morell (sub) 164-157, B. Deering 163, B. Schott 161, D. Taylor 161-152, P. Johnson 159, Pat McIntosh 156-150, A. Lawton 156, J. Freiburger 153, N. Bauer 151, N. Helwig 150.

Splits Converted: N. Bauer 2-7, 3-10, 5-6, 5-6-10, K. Carr 3-10, B. Englehart 5-7, N. Helwig 4-9, G. Kelley 4-5, P. Little 3-10, C. Rutkoski 4-5, B. Schott 3-10, 6-7, D. Wischmeyer 2-10.

MERCHANTS "A" LEAGUE
March 27, 1974

J.P. Burroughs	16
Kritzmans	16
Croft-Clara Lumber	15
New England Life	14
Fuelgas	14
Erla Food Center	10½
Bigelow Nuts & Bolts	6
Village Service Center	4½

500 Series: E. Schulz 594, F. Schott 558, M. Helwig 555, A. Ouvry 554, J. Gallagher 553, D. Erla 548, E. Helwig 546, B. Copeland 539, P. Robinson 536, L. Summers 532, B. Kritzman 529, K. Pobanz 528, D. Allen 526, C. Muntz 518, B. Thompson 518, D. Vatter 516, C. Guinther 512, D. Iseler 512, G. Lapp 509, Dick Root 507.

200 Games: G. Lapp 212, E. Schulz 212-201, F. Schott 211, C. Vandiver 211, B. Copeland 205, J. Gallagher 205, D. Erla 200.

MERCHANTS "B" LEAGUE
March 27, 1974

Schneeberger TV	17
Tuckey Block	15
Wesley Quaker Maid	13
Clare's Sunoco Service	13
Croft-Clara Lumber	13
Veronica's Restaurant	10
Winter's Truck Sales	9
Rabideau Motor Sales	6

500 Series: F. Knoblet 573, C. Mellendorf 561, N. Gremel 541, R. Wagg 536, D. Curtis 513, P. Rienstra 508.

High Games: C. Mellendorf 223, N. Gremel 206, S. Curtis 202, F. Knoblet 200-194, J. Curtis 193, J. Kilbourn 193, D. Curtis 191, F. Schott 191.

SUNDAY NIGHT JUNIORS

Scrubs	18
Hopefuls	17
Turkeys	16
Thunder Balls	11½
Luckless Trio	11
Pin Eaters	9½
Rookies	8
Rednecks	5

High Team Series: Turkeys 1196, Thunder Balls 1165.

High Team Games: Thunder Balls 418-400, Turkeys 413.

High Individual Series: E. Schwartz 461, B. Vatter 440, M. Frederick 439, J. Zawilinski 414, S. Reed 403.

High Individual Games: J. Zawilinski 182, B. Vatter 176, E. Schwartz 172-152, M. Frederick 165, R. Rabideau 155.

Splits Converted: G. Decker 3-10, J. Doerr 5-10, R. Lautner 5-6-10, R. Rabideau 2-7, M. Frederick 2-10, 4-9, L. Papp 3-5-7.

SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED
March 31, 1974

Mix Up's	16
Gutter Dusters	15½
Big J's	15
Yellowjackets	14
Channelmasters	10½
D.J.'s	10
Dead Beats	10
Pintippers	5

High Women's Games: D. Jenkins 173-170, O. Crawford 159, B. Lefler 159, N. Anderson 159.

High Women's Series: J. Deering 455, D. Jenkins 453, N. Anderson 445.

High Men's Games: A.D. Frederick 209, J. Jenkins 191, J. Lefler 191, G. Wright 191.

High Men's Series: A.D. Frederick 520, G. Lapp 514, J. Jenkins 500, A. Zimmerman 500.

High Team Game: D.J.'s 680.

High Team Series: D.J.'s 1905.

Splits Converted: D. Curtis 5-6, A.D. Frederick 3-10, A. Zimmerman 3-10, 3-10, G. Lapp 2-7, T. Furness 3-10, S. Curtis 3-10.

MONDAY NIGHT TRIO
April 1, 1974

Newcomers	9
Ten Pins	8
Dreamers	8
Blank Electronic	6
Warren Electric	6
Gadabouts	6
Reefers	4
Bar Hoppers	3

High Team Series: Blank Electric 1261, Newcomers 1117.

High Team Games: Blank Electronics 452-423, Reefers 414.

High Individual Series: A. Barren 509, C. Teets 464.

High Individual Games: A. Barren 177-182-150, C. Teets 130, B. Lefler 160.

Splits Converted: B. Lefler 2-7

THURSDAY NIGHT TRIO

Francis Builders	16
Draves Dist.	15½
Smith	12
Van Dale	12
Nemeth	8½
Carpenter	7
Essenmacher	5
Cottick	4

High Team Series: Van Dale 1548, Francis Builders 1511.

High Team Games: Draves Dist. 556, Francis Builders 552.

High Individual Series: P. Davis 555, D. Doerr 547, G. Wickert 527, B. Andrus 516, Dale Smith 507, T. Furness 506.

High Individual Games: P. Davis 204-184, D. Doerr 201-189, B. Andrus 199, G. Wickert 198-192, A. McLachlan 189, G. Mathewson 187, Dale Smith 181, T. Furness 180, T. Yost 180, B. Carpenter 177.

Services held for William McCallum Sr.

William M. McCallum Sr., 72, Owendale, died Thursday in the Huron Medical Care Facility, Bad Axe.

He was born June 27, 1901 in Owendale.

He married Wilda M. Cathcart in September of 1931.

Mr. McCallum was a member of the Owendale United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his widow, Wilda; one son, William Jr. of Owendale; two daughters, Mrs. William (Lois) Moncier and Mrs. Henry (Marilyn) Walling, both of Pontiac; two brothers, Howard of Pontiac and Arnold of Owendale; two sisters, Mrs. Charles (Anna) Ross of Owendale and Mrs. Cordie (Vera) Hereim of Pontiac; seven grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Sunday at the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon, with Rev. Paul L. Amstutz, pastor of the Owendale United Methodist Church, officiating.

Interment was in Grant cemetery.

Foster parents to meet April 16 in Sandusky

An organizational meeting of foster parents in Sanilac county is scheduled for April 16. Beginning at 7:30 p.m., the session will be held in the conference room of the Department of Social Services offices at 61 W. Sanilac St., Sandusky.

The film, "A Way Out" will be shown and foster parents who have been active in forming the Michigan Foster Parents Association will be present to share their experiences.

This meeting is for the purpose of organizing local foster parents into an association which will have goals similar to the state association's which was formed two years ago.

All Sanilac county foster parents are urged to attend whether licensed through the Department of Social Services, Probate Court, or private agencies.

Anyone interested in becoming a foster parent is also welcome to attend.

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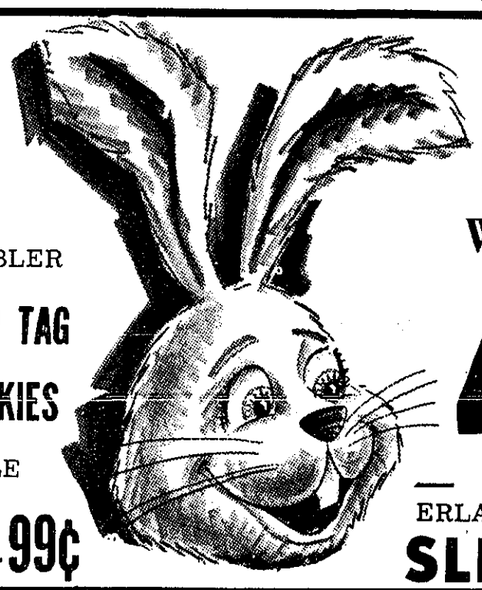

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Joan E. Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Russell, Unionville, was named to the Dean's List at Michigan State University winter term.

Ms. Russell is a junior and is a 1972 graduate of Cass City High School.

To make the Dean's List, a student must take at least 12 credit hours and attain a grade point average of 3.5 or better.

Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson
Phone OL 8-3092

HANDICAPPED SHOW

Approximately 75 handicapped persons attended the entertainment sponsored by the Blustering Blues 4-H Club Wednesday, March 27, at the Ubly school.

Pamela Bucholz and two friends from Pigeon, Jerry Bowron, Rhonda Davis and the Twirling Hatchets of Bad Axe, Terry Wills and Jo Ann Beaver helped provide the entertainment.

Blustering Blues 4-H members who helped with the evening's fun were Theresa Czewski, Rosalie LaBuhn, Becky Robinson, Karen Bensinger, Connie Hartel, Peg Schembers and Beth Hartel.

Parents who helped were Mrs. Cliff Robinson, Mrs. Howard Wills, Mrs. Don Hartel and Mrs. Kevin Robinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell, Clara and Alma Vogel, Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Spencer, Mrs. Ida Gordon, Mrs. Emma Decker, Mrs. Charles Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson attended the funeral of Mrs. James Walker Tuesday at St. Columbkille Catholic church at Sheridan. Others came from Peck, Sandusky, Caro, Lapeer, Saginaw, Cass City, Bay City, Ubly, Bad Axe, Royal Oak, Elkton and Argyle. The Christian Mothers of St. Columbkille served a dinner for relatives and friends after the services

4-H CLINIC

Eight Pigeon River Riders 4-H members and two leaders Mrs. Dick Strieter and Mrs. Don Young, and 11 Broken Arrow 4-H members and Leader Toni Case and a few parents attended a showmanship clinic given by Becky Robinson at her home Saturday. Several brought ponies and horses so there were enough for each one to take part.

Poor showing techniques were shown by Becky Robinson with members trying to spot them.

Proper mounting and dismounting were also covered. Each member got a chance to try it.

The Broken Arrow Club has an exciting summer planned with a canoe trip and a roller skating party, night trail ride and a horse show which will be Aug. 24 in Bad Axe. A judge has been hired for the show and trophies and ribbons chosen.

All Huron county horse owners can look forward to an active summer as there are four open shows planned, besides the fair. 4-H clubs are sponsoring all the shows.

Hot dogs were served for lunch.

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Mrs. John Glaza, Mrs. Stan Glaza, Mrs. Ed Glaza, Mrs. Clarence Michalski and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart attended a bridal shower and dinner at Pulaski Hall in Bay City Wednesday evening for Miss Ellen Cieslinski. Miss Cieslinski will become the bride of Ed Glaza, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Glaza, of Bay City, April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas, Paul and Kathy were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolschlager and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stirrett of Bad Axe were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Ron Berridge spent the week end with David Ellis at Romeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Keenoy of Lansing were Monday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell.

Mrs. Jim Doerr was a Monday lunch guest of Maude Holcomb at Snover and an afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Doerr at Argyle.

Jim Hewitt and Ruth spent Thursday evening at the Civic Center in Saginaw where they heard the Bill Gaither singing group.

Doug Labeski spent the week end with Randy Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey and Mrs. Glen Shagena visited Jerry Decker at Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas, Paul and Kathy were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Sieradzki and family at Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Friday evening guests of Mrs. Emma Decker in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed VanderBennett, Rick and Liz of Plymouth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr were Friday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dolecki.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sloan at Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer and family were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mrs. Dave Sweeney called on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krug, Mrs. Tony Cieslinski and Mrs. Gerald Wills Friday.

Ralph Hoxie and Nancy, Diann and Jimmy of Decatur were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

Mrs. Joe Dybilas, Mrs. Don Tracy, Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson, Arnold Lapeer, Allen Depcinski attended the REA meeting at Ubly High School Thursday. Mrs. Joe Dybilas won a clock in a drawing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Andersen and family and Penny Rose of Brighton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy. Robin Beelan and Mike Schenk of Ubly were Saturday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman of Cass City were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morell and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Siemen at Harbor Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family.

Hugh Stirton of Kerwood, Ontario, spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Rita Tyrrell of Mt. Pleasant spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family.

Mrs. Joe Doerr of Argyle was a Wednesday lunch guest of Mrs. Jim Doerr.

Mrs. Joe Byhee and daughter Donna of Lapeer, Mrs. Jim Orchard of Sandusky, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Kasprus of Peck visited Mrs. Leveret Barnes, Ed Greenleaf and Jerry Decker at Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City Tuesday afternoon, after attending the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. James Walker, at St. Columbkille Catholic church.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and family were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena and Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelin Richardson.

Mrs. Lee Hendrick came home Thursday after spending some time at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw.

Mrs. Verna Lapeer and daughter Mary Ann of Deckerville were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and Debbie of Owendale and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer spent the week end at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Byram of Royal Oak and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leitch and Richard of Madison Heights.

The Holbrook Helpers 4-H sewing group met Saturday at the Fraser Presbyterian church for their final meeting. Achievement day is Saturday, April 6, in the daytime, and in the evening at Marlette High School.

Jack Ross of Ubly visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk Monday.

Howard Muntz, Howard Hill, Leveret Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson and Mrs. Emma Decker visited Jerry Decker at Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City Friday.

Shirley Ross spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family. Carol Ross of Caro was a week-end guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol spent Saturday in Owosso and visited Mr. and Mrs. Duane Nicol at Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolosenko of Roseville spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples.

Mrs. Mike Stine and daughter were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer and family were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rees of Filion spent Thursday evening at the Jim Hewitt home.

Mrs. Kenneth Campbell of St. Helen spent from Monday till Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker and also visited Sara Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer.

The Happy Hookers Yarn Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jim Doerr. The group will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Laming for their final meeting. A dessert lunch was served.

Mrs. Dune McIntyre of Ubly was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Kemp of Croswell were Thursday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson after attending the REA meeting at Ubly High School.

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

The Sheridan township hall, the former Appin School, burned to the ground Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Whitney at Lapeer.

Mrs. Steve Timmons and Debbie spent Thursday with Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tracy were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Shrine Club dinner at Elkton Dairy Bar Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nicol were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Krug were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David in honor of Mrs. Krug's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Osentoski of Ubly were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the 4-H food leadership meeting at Wilbur Memorial Building at Caro Thursday.

Rick Ferino of Midland and Debbie Chippi of Cass City and Mrs. Roy Shaw of Snover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming.

The 500 club met Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Ann Ternes. High prizes were won by Hilda Wills and Martin Sweeney. Low prizes were won by Mrs. Nick Heleski and Jake Osentoski. The hostess served a lunch.

St. Pancratius women meet Monday

The St. Pancratius Women's Council met Monday, April 1, and a mother-daughter brunch is planned for April 28.

Election of new officers was held. President is Sally Wood; vice-president, Celia House; secretary, Barbara Malone, and treasurer, Joann Izydorek. The installation banquet is scheduled May 6.

Refreshments were served.

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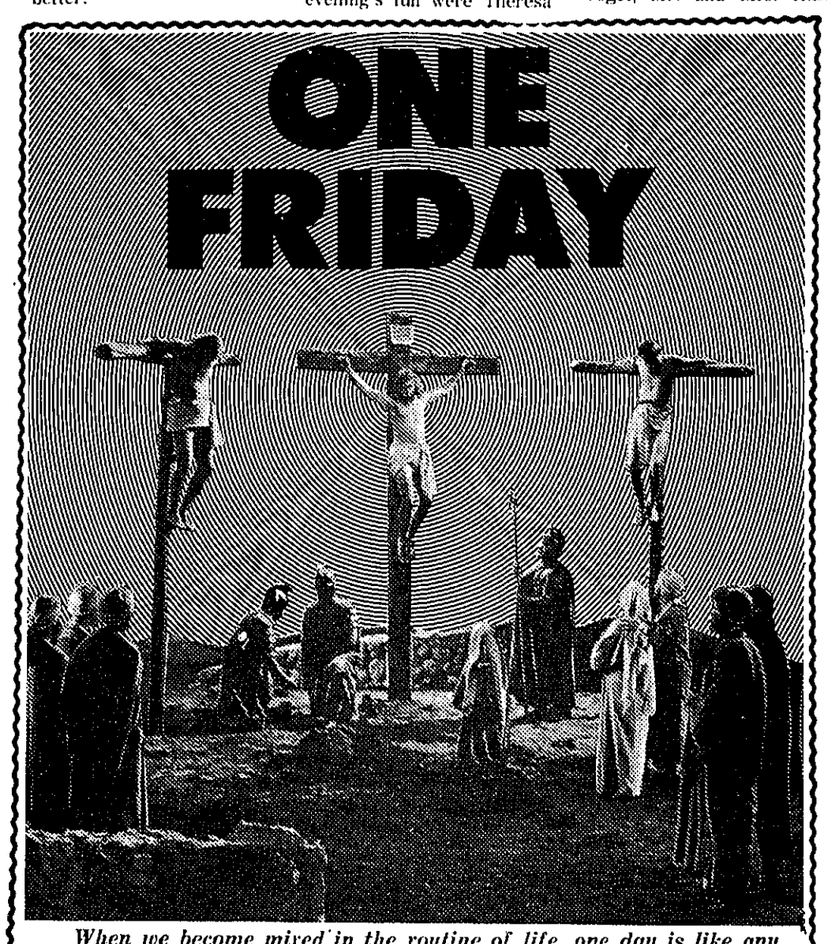

When we become mired in the routine of life, one day is like any other. This was just another working-day for most of the people in Jerusalem.

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Business as usual in Jerusalem. Unless we understand the whole significance of what is happening we pay little attention . . .

Do you understand what happened that Friday? Do you realize WHO hung on that central Cross? Do you know WHY He died? And FOR WHOM?

There is nothing more necessary in our lives than the deep, personal knowledge of what happened that Friday . . . and the Sunday following. Come to Church!

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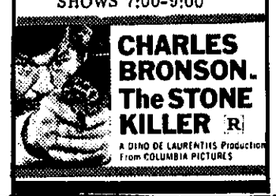
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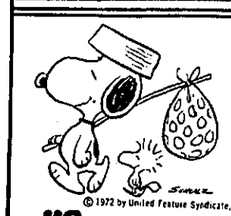
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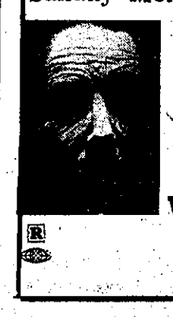
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Ann Ross - Extension Agent

This late winter, homemakers have contacted the Cooperative Extension Service to get the pressure gauge checked. The Cooperative Extension Service does not offer this service. We recommend that the client return their pressure gauge to the manufacturer for testing or replacement.

This does not involve returning the entire cover, this means only returning the pressure gauge. If you have a problem locating the address for your pressure canner and it is a major manufacturer, contact the Extension Office to get the address.

When canning all common vegetables except tomatoes, use a pressure canner! To process these low-acid foods safely in a reasonable length of time takes a temperature higher than that of boiling water. The reason is, organisms that cause food spoilage are always present in the air, water and soil. Enzymes that may cause undesirable changes in flavor, color, and texture are present in raw vegetables.

Now is the time to buy a pressure canner or check the safety of the present pressure canner. For safe operation of your canner, clean petcock and safety valve openings by drawing a string or narrow strip of cloth through. To check the accuracy of a pressure gauge, look at the pointer. If the pointer is loose and moves back and forth when the cover is tipped, it should be replaced. If the pointer falls away from the stop pin two or more pounds, or if it does not return within one pound of the stop pin, it should be replaced.

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Traxler sets Cass City appearances

Democratic congressional candidate J. Robert Traxler has scheduled three Cass City campaign appearances Friday.

Beginning at 6:30 a.m.-7:30 a.m., Traxler will meet workers at the Garfield Street entrance to the General Cable parking lot. Following a coffee hour in Unionville from 8:00-9:00 a.m., Traxler will meet voters on the streets of Cass City from 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

The candidate will appear at another coffee hour from 10:30-11:30 a.m. at the Steelworker's Local 6222 Union Hall at 6240 Main St.

In the afternoon, Traxler will make campaign stops in Caro and Vassar.

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There's some truth in every lie--if nothing more than the truth that it is a lie.

BETTER HEALTH

Raising children takes work

BY DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ and DR. WILLIAM J. WELCH

Recently a Harvard University group, directed by behavioral psychologist Burton L. White, Ph.D., made a study of how to raise children, and the results were reported in the journal "Today's Health," published by the American Medical Association.

The writers say that when the child wants the mother's attention, she should respond promptly and favorably as often as possible, and should make some effort to understand what the child is trying to do.She must not give in to unreasonable requests -- but should set limits for him.

As the investigators point out, there are some mothers who succeed better than others at raising happy, healthy children. For example, if two mothers are compared, it is possible to see that there are certain ways to behave with a child that will be better than others.

One mother has a well-stocked nursery with educational toys, a clean and orderly home, and an eight-month old boy in a playpen, with the television set turned on nearby. The mother, a college graduate, takes half an hour each day to teach the child the alphabet, numbers, and objects.

Another mother, Jennifer, is a high school graduate, with a home and three children to take care of; she is busy all day, and her little boy is allowed to go freely around the house, following his mother while she works. She occasionally stops and pays attention to the child; she doesn't mind the interruptions and she enjoys him.

According to the findings of the Harvard study, Jennifer's child is more likely to develop later into a competent, happy adult. The researchers are trying to find out how mothers can be the best "primary caretakers" possible, since she is the "primary learning source" for a child.

Dr. White says that during the child's early development, which he believes is critical, the mother "usually is the single most important environmental factor influencing (the child's) developing competence. The child isn't only dependent on her for love and protection, but is completely fascinated by what she says and does -- at least at first. She is responsible for the image that the child establishes of himself and how he will relate with others."

Jennifer's method of allowing her child the freedom of being curious and adventurous in his home, and of asking his mother for help in solving problems can be helpful to the child in his growing and learning processes. It is much better than keeping the child penned up in a playpen.

In the "Guidelines for Successful Child Rearing" that the Harvard Study Group has drawn up as a result of their nine years of study, they say the mother should be enthusiastic and encouraging with the child whenever possible, and should talk to him frequently; she should use words that he can understand and she should keep adding new words.

If the child shows the mother a ball, she can say, "Throw the ball." The child does not need to be able to use words to understand them, and Dr. White says that by the age of three, the child should have acquired the ability to understand most of the language he will use in ordinary conversation throughout his life.

The sensible mother will remove from the child's reach valuable objects he can harm or which can harm him, and leave instead suitable playthings and objects which are unbreakable and cannot hurt him.

There are also some things to be avoided. Don't cage the child or confine him for any long period. Especially during his second year of life, don't let the child concentrate too much energy and attention on mother. Don't ignore your child's attention-getting devices to the point where he has to throw a tantrum in order to gain your interest.

Don't worry that your baby won't love you if you say "no" sometimes. Don't try to win all the arguments with the child. Don't try to prevent him from cluttering the house.

I often say to mothers who, in my office, try to keep a child from being curious about things and wanting to investigate them, "Just be grateful that he is interested in things around him. That is a sign of intelligence and curiosity."

Don't be overprotective, and don't overpower him. Let him do what he wants to do, as long as it is safe.

Finally, don't spoil your child -- he might think that the whole world is for him.

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Services held for Mrs. Ernst

Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Marie Ernst, 35, of Detroit, widow of Carl Ernst, were held Monday at 10 a.m. in Little's Funeral Home. Rev. Leo Gengler officiated and burial was in Elkland cemetery.

Mrs. Ernst died in a Detroit hospital. She was born in Pontiac March 23, 1939.

Surviving are a two-year-old daughter, Katherine; one brother, Donald Jackson of Cass City, and three sisters, Mrs. Ernest Spencer of Caro, Mrs. Raymond Fisher of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Georgianna Shirley in California.

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Submit bids no later than 4:00 p.m. April 30, 1974, to the Village Clerk, Municipal Building, 6737 Church Street, Cass City, Michigan. Bids will be opened at 7:00 p.m., April 30, 1974 at the Municipal Building.

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Bazaar set by Pre-School Nursery

Cass City Pre-School Nursery will sponsor its second annual bazaar Saturday, April 6, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., at the Presbyterian Church, on North Seeger Street.

Luncheon chairmen, Mrs. Robert Walpole and Mrs. Dale Iseler, announced that Sloppy Joes, beverages, and home-made pies would be served at the bazaar.

Two prizes will be raffled off during the luncheon: a hand sized electronic calculator and a 16x20 natural color portrait. Tickets may be purchased by contacting Mrs. Wayne Dillon, raffle chairman.

The general chairman, Mrs. Aime Ouvry, announced that hand crafts and sewing items will be for sale as well as home baked goods.

The following chairmen have been working on the bazaar: Mrs. Harold Izard, sewing; Mrs. Stan Szarapski, baked goods; Mrs. Robert Bliss crafts; Mrs. Richard Hunt, set-up; and Mrs. James Groombridge, clean-up.

CHRONICLE WANT ADS

THEY DO THE TRICK — QUICK

Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

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

Taxes in Cass City this year will jump an average of 7.3 per cent because of the sharply increased valuations in the village, according to Village assessor Mac O'Dell.

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

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

TEN YEARS AGO

The most ambitious street and water improvement program in the history of the village resulted in a lengthy session for trustees Tuesday night in their regular monthly meeting at the Municipal Building.

Over 100 Cass City parents and persons interested in school problems were whisked through elementary reading processess Tuesday night at a School-Community Association meeting in the Campbell Elementary School cafeteria.

There will be changes in the summer recreation program this year. New personnel will be running the playground and pool and the Little League program will be greatly expanded. Village trustees approved the program at their meeting Tuesday night.

Michigan Gov. George Romney is slated to be the featured speaker at a testimonial dinner honoring Rep. Allison Green, Kingston, Wednesday, April 29, in the Cass City High School auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

Out of office, but apparently not out of the running, ousted Probate Judge Henderson Graham declared his candidacy for re-election Monday by filing his incumbent petition with County Clerk Archie Hicks.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Cass City is to act as host school to the District Forensic Contest, according to Otto Ross, this year's chairman of the event.

Edward Corpron, retired hardware merchant of Cass City, was very seriously injured here at 7:45 p.m. Saturday when he was struck by a car.

Four District Spring Achievement Days will be held in Tuscola County during the week of April 11, when the 874 girls and boys in the county enrolled in winter projects will exhibit their work, according to Byron Carpenter, County 4-H Club leader.

Michigan voters will have their choice of candidates for state offices on four political party tickets at the spring election next Monday.

The Michigan Association of the Future Farmers of America held their 21st annual state convention last week in East Lansing. Don Karr of Cass City attended.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Michigan Republicans won another smashing victory Monday when they gained every state office at the April election.

The village sewage system for Cass City is nearing completion and this summer will see the work finished, it is anticipated. Superintendent C.U. Brown predicted the project could be completed by June 15 with the present work force.

Three new faces appeared on the Tuscola County Board of Supervisors when they met in their April session. Henry Davis of Kingston township, L.C. Draper from Millington township and Willis Jamieson of Watertown township all took their seats for the first time.

The second annual Tuscola County Band Festival will be held in the school auditorium in Cass City Friday, April 14, when four high school bands from Vassar, Caro, Mayville and Cass City will participate.

Piano students receive Division II ratings

Three Cass City piano students received Division II ratings at the State Band Festival held Saturday, March 23, at Southwestern High School in Flint.

Sally Loomis, Cheryl O'Harris and Vicki and Becky German all received the rating following awards of Division I at the district festival held earlier in the month.

In their competition, Vicki and Becky German performed a duet, while Ms. Loomis and Ms. O'Harris each performed their proficiency tests in solo competition.

CASS CITY GUN CLUB
4 south, 1 east, 1/4 north of Cass City
RED BIRD AND TURKEY SHOOT
STARTING AT NOON
SUNDAY, APRIL 7
Starting May 1, summer trap league. Anyone interested, Contact James Champion, 872-2815 or Robert MacKay, 872-3478.

AROUND THE FARM

Wheat forecast good

By Don Kebler

I think we can all agree that as a whole this year's growing wheat looks the best it has for many years.

Prior to this, we had several years when our county's wheat crops really were poor in comparison. In fact, many were beginning to doubt that our existing varieties were still genetically the same as when first grown in the county.

New varieties were tried by both Michigan State University researchers and by the wheat growers themselves while others showed interest in growing spring wheat.

Even though our wheat is looking exceedingly good, Michigan State University wheat breeders will be establishing a wheat variety plot in the Thumb. This plot will be located in Tuscola county this spring and 18 varieties of red spring wheat will be grown for comparison studies.

Beside this wheat research program, our wheat producers will have seed available for at least two new white winter wheat varieties adapted to this area within the next one or two years.

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It appears that considerable amount of interest will be shown for the Home Garden and Lawn Seminars coming in early April. This Thursday, April 4, the public Home Garden Seminar will be held at the Caro High School Multipurpose Room. Beginning and expert vegetable gardeners will find helpful information presented by Michigan State University Horticulture specialist, Robert Harner. This evening program is from 7:30 to 9:30. April 11, the rescheduled Lawn Seminar will be held at the Cass City High School from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Lawn enthusiasts wanting attractive lawns will be attending this county wide seminar.

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If one can be absolutely sure of what they read and hear over the radio, some predictors now say that chemical fertilizer production this spring will be greater than originally believed. However, a transportation and local supply problem could exist. Regardless of this new prediction, I still want to emphasize more-than-ever the necessity of having an up-to-date soil test. If some of the forecasters are correct, the profit margin spread we saw in 1973 may well be non-existent in 1974. If this be so, the farmer will need to spread his cost dollars as thin as possible and still receive his greatest returns.

Wise fertilizer use, based on an accurate and recent soil test is just one way to stretch that cost dollar. But its a good way, and a place to try! After all, good crop production hinges on many factors with one real important one being a balanced soil fertility level.

Col. Bruner wins second freedom award

Colonel Olive Bruner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Roch of Cass City, has won her second Freedoms Foundation Award.

Col. Bruner, stationed at March Air Force Base in Riverside, Calif., is Director of Nursing Services at the base hospital. She won her award for a composition dealing with her "very strong feelings about the greatness of America.

Col. Olive Bruner

"The particular theme this year, Human Goals: Values For Living, captured my imagination," she said.

Col. Bruner has written other articles including two manuals for the Air Force. She won her first Freedoms Foundation Award in 1967 and received a medal for her composition.

She is a graduate of New York University and Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C.

She also belongs to the Council of Nursing Service Falicitators of the American Nursing Association and the Nursing Advisory Committee for Riverside City College.

Anna Wenta, 88, dies in Detroit

Mrs. Anna Wenta, 88, of Deford, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Peter Paseshnik, in Detroit, Saturday, March 30, following a long illness.

Mrs. Wenta was born in Austria, May 12, 1885, daughter of the late Joseph and Mary Szelag.

She married Harry Wenta in Detroit, June 24, 1907, where they made their home following their marriage. In 1914, they moved to this area and made their home near Kingston.

Mr. Wenta died Aug. 9, 1951.

She was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church of Wilmot and a member of the Polish-American Club of Caro.

She is survived by four sons, Joseph of Deford, Michael of Dearborn Heights, John of Fostoria and Stanley of Fenton; five daughters, Mrs. John (Mary) Rabias of Orchard Lake, Mrs. Peter (Julia) Paseshnik, Mrs. Larry (Millie) Moorland and Mrs. Bruno (Alice) Cordero, all of Detroit, and Mrs. Morton (Irene) Algase of Las Vegas, Nev.; one brother, in Poland; 22 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Rosary and prayer services were held Tuesday night at Little's Funeral Home. Funeral services were conducted from St. Michael's Catholic Church in Wilmot Wednesday, with Rev. Fr. Richard A. Kubiak officiating.

Interment was in St. Michael's cemetery, Wilmot.

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AAUW sets art night Thursday

Cass City's AAUW chapter will sponsor an informal meeting Thursday night at 8:00 p.m. in the drama room of the high school to discuss forming a community arts council.

A film, "Art Is. . ." will also be shown. Speakers will discuss organizing of such a council. The public is invited to attend.

FARM AUCTION

Due to the death of my husband I will sell at public auction at the place located 4 miles north, 1 mile east, ½ mile north of Ruth on Eppenbrock Road, or 4 miles west of Harbor Beach on M142 to Eppenbrock Road then 3¼ miles south, the following personal property on:

Sat., April 6

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Holstein cow, 5 years old, open
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John Deere side rake
Wagon w/flat truck and grain box
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100 bushel steel box
New Idea 7 foot PTO mower
3 bottom trailer plow
2-2 bottom trailer plow
John Deere field cultivator
8 foot double disk
John Deere 12 foot harrows
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V ditcher Weeder
Co-op 9 foot cultipacker
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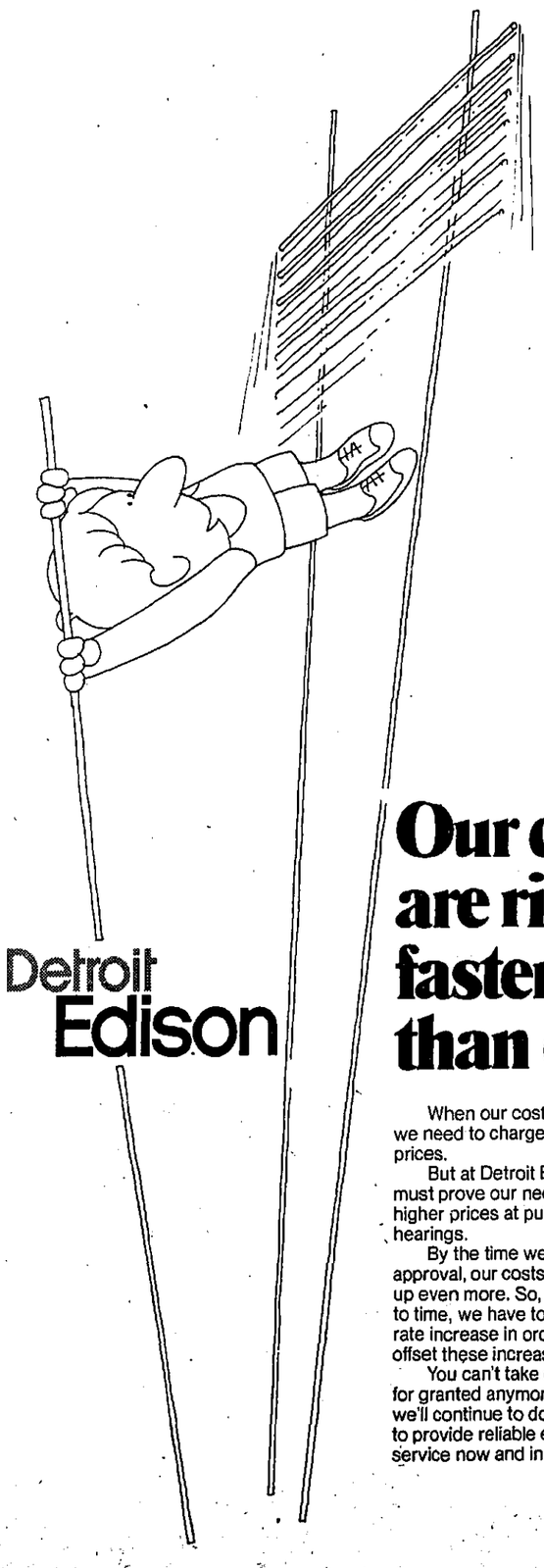

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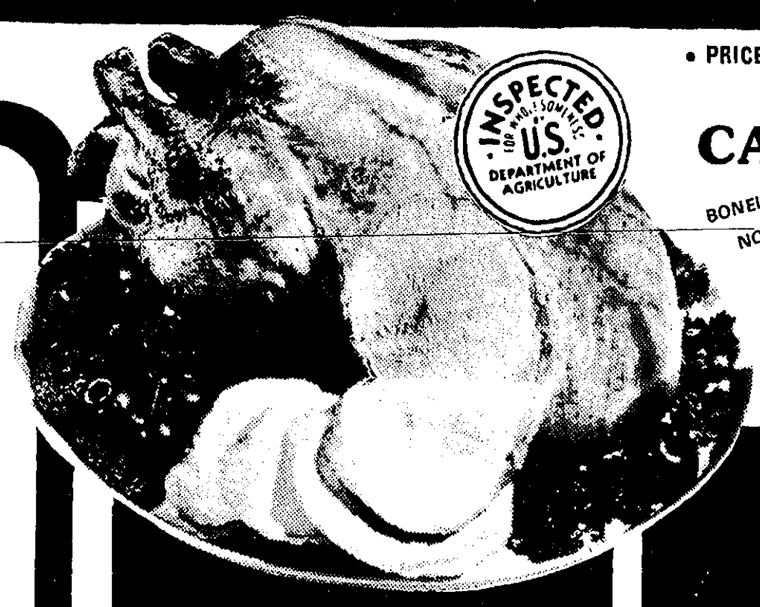

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FAME • Med•Wide•Ex. Wide **Noodles** net. 12-oz. Pkg. **39¢**

EASY OFF **Window Cleaner** 18¾-oz. Btl. **59¢**

SUNSHINE **Sugar Wafers** net. 13-oz. Pkg. **66¢**

FAME **Sauerkraut** 27-oz. Can **36¢**

ROMAN **Fabric Softener** 1-Gal. Jug **59¢**

FAME Pcs. & Stems **Mushrooms** net. 4-oz. Can **33¢**

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BRACH **Jelly Bird Eggs** 16-oz. Bag **39¢**

HUNGRY JACK **Instant Potatoes** 2-lb. Box **$1.19**

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Official Proceedings Of The
TUSCOLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MARCH 12, 1974

Meeting of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners was called to order by the Chairman, Shuford Kirk.

Roll Call: All members present except Ducker.

Minutes of February 26, 1974 were approved.

Chairman Kirk read a letter from the Human Development Commission with a request for $16,000.00. The letter was referred to the Finance Committee for further study.

Commissioner Kennedy, Chairman of the Claims and Accounts Committee, presented the following report:

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS	CLAIMED	ALLOWED
Tuscola County, Advertiser, Comm. Books and Minutes	194.15	194.15
Vassar Pioneer Times, Comm. Books and Minutes	1,148.41	1,148.41
Thumb District Health Dept., Rental for Office Space	400.00	400.00
Kenneth L. Kennedy, Per Diem and Mileage	46.08	46.08
Charles F. Woodcock, Per Diem and Mileage	63.50	63.50
Shuford Kirk, Per Diem and Mileage	200.80	200.80
Floyd Ducker, Per Diem and Mileage	243.65	243.65
Richard Dehmel, Per Diem and Mileage	191.91	191.91
J. Benson Colton, Per Diem and Mileage	91.55	91.55
Maynard McConkey, Per Diem and Mileage	180.35	180.35
	2,760.40	2760.40
CIRCUIT COURT		
General Reporting Service, Court Stenographer	75.00	75.00
IBM, Battery	4.00	4.00
W. Wallace Kent Jr, Court Appointed Attorney	150.00	150.00
Forrest T. Walpole, Court Appointed Attorney	150.00	150.00
Clint C. House, Court Appointed Attorney	250.00	250.00
People-vs-Bernard Stratton Witness Fees and Mileage	45.60	45.60
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage for Juror Mailing	15.00	15.00
	689.60	689.60
FRIEND OF THE COURT		
Tuscola County Advertiser, Envelopes	28.50	28.50
Fitzgerald's, Rubber Bands	.90	.90
Geraldine Wilson, Mileage Expenses	37.50	37.50
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	28.00	28.00
Burroughs Corp., Support Ledgers	199.74	199.74
	294.64	294.64
DISTRICT COURT		
R. G. Rosa Co., Supplies	150.00	150.00
Doubleday Bros & Co, Printing and Binding	251.32	251.32
Xerox, Machine Rental	40.00	40.00
Huston & Jacobs, Att'ys, Services Rendered	248.50	248.50
Clara Peterhans, Transcripts	180.15	180.15
Clara F. Peterhans, Travel Expenses	93.14	93.14
W. W. Hunter, Bailiff	72.50	72.50
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	101.74	101.74
Gary Crews, Court Appointed Attorney	40.00	40.00
W. Wallace Kent Jr, Court Appointed Attorney	40.00	40.00
W. Wallace Kent Jr, Court Appointed Attorney	75.00	75.00
Clinton C. House, Court Appointed Attorney	75.00	75.00
Clinton C. House, Court Appointed Attorney	75.00	75.00
Henry Greenwood, Court Appointed Attorney	190.00	190.00
Charles Minner, Management Consultant	450.00	450.00
	2,082.35	2,082.35
MAGISTRATE		
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	40.00	40.00
Thumb Office Supply, Office Supplies	3.29	3.29
R.G. Rosa Co., Office Supplies	58.00	58.00
	101.29	101.29
JURY COMMISSION		
Max E. Lawrence, Per Diem	15.00	15.00
Elmer R. Haines, Per Diem and Mileage	20.10	20.10
Harriet Downing, Per Diem and Mileage	33.40	33.40
	68.50	68.50
PROBATE COURT		
George D. Lutz, Holding Court	38.10	38.10
Typewriter Exchange, Office Supplies	16.88	16.88
Luke Quinn, Holding Court	42.45	42.45
Doubleday Bros and Co, Court Calendar	287.35	287.35
State Savings Bank, Box Rental	4.00	4.00
George Benko, Holding Court	38.10	38.10
Neil R. MacCallum, Holding Court	38.10	38.10
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	40.00	40.00
	504.98	504.98
PROBATE COURT—JUVENILE		
Leonard A. Lane, Travel Expense for Feb.	157.66	156.66
Virginia P. Kirk, Travel Expense for Feb.	77.80	77.80
Thumb Office Supply, Supplies	13.90	13.90
IBM, Typewriter	567.00	567.00
	816.36	816.36
ADULT PROBATION		
Typewriter Exchange, Office Supplies	2.49	2.49
IBM, Office Supplies	55.35	55.35
	57.84	57.84
DISTRICT COURT PROBATION DEPT.		
Roland E. Price, Mileage	3.85	3.85
Shoppers Guide, Supplies	18.40	18.40
	22.25	22.25
COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE		
William L. Bortel, Mileage and Expense	33.20	33.20
Don R. Kebler, Mileage and Expense	124.05	124.05
Aliene Mills, Mileage and Expense	39.10	39.10
Bernard R. Jardot, Mileage and Expense	5.85	5.85
James O. Olson, Mileage and Expense	86.68	86.68
Michigan Twp. Assocn, Zoning Supplement	2.50	2.50
Pitney Bowes, Service on Folding Machine	18.00	18.00
Wilson Studio, Film and Flash Bulbs	13.37	13.37
Typewriter Exchange, Cassette Tapes	4.38	4.38
Fitzgerald's, Typewriter Ribbons, etc.	5.89	5.89
Thumb Office Supply, Supplies	2.88	2.88
	335.90	335.90
COUNTY CLERK		
Tuscola County Advertiser, Envelopes and Notary Cards	340.55	340.55
Thumb Office Supply, Office Supplies	8.24	8.24
Fitzgerald's, Office Supplies	.79	.79
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	40.00	40.00
Burroughs Corp, Roll Paper for Computer	102.60	102.60
Doubleday Bros & Co, Office Equipment (Filing Cabinets)	1,052.25	1,052.25
Double Bros & Co, Printing Checks	715.98	715.98
Xerox, Machine Rental	394.81	394.81
	2,655.22	2,655.22
COURTHOUSE AND GROUNDS		
Rochester Germicide Co, Janitorial Supplies	288.75	288.75
Reid Paper Co, Janitorial Supplies	187.25	187.25
Rushlo's Wrecking Co, Equipment Maintenance	18.62	18.62
Caro Floor Covering, Building Maintenance	30.40	30.40
Elmer G. Arnold Sales, Janitorial Supplies	11.40	11.40
Hanson Hardware, Janitorial Supplies	28.18	28.18
Caro Hardware, Equipment Maintenance	8.42	8.42
Burroughs Corp, Equipment Maintenance	150.00	150.00
	723.02	723.02
DRAIN COMMISSIONER		
Leslie E. Lounsbury, Mileage & Convention Expenses	197.48	197.48
J. Edward Goodchild, Mileage	35.85	35.85
Rowe Engineering, Supplies	3.38	3.38
Leslie E. Lounsbury, Maps	20.25	20.25
Leslie E. Lounsbury, Postage	20.48	20.48
	277.44	277.44
ELECTIONS		
Esther McCullough, Per Diem and Mileage	24.80	24.80
Vernita Schobert, Per Diem and Mileage	24.80	24.80
Milford Culbert, Per Diem and Mileage	22.10	22.10
Elsie Hicks, Per Diem	20.00	20.00
Herman Hadaway, Per Diem and Mileage	47.20	47.20
Milton A. Baur, Per Diem and Mileage	49.00	49.00
Tuscola County Advertiser Printing Primary Ballots	663.75	663.75
	851.65	851.65
EQUALIZATION DEPARTMENT		
Tuscola County Advertiser, Printing and Binding	191.37	191.37
Thumb Office Supplies, Office Supplies	26.10	26.10
John Turner, Postmaster, Stamps	40.00	40.00
Mac O'Dell, Travel Expenses	40.80	40.80
Donald O. Graf, Travel Expenses	7.35	7.35
	305.62	305.62
PLAT BOARD		
Arthur M. Willits, Per Diem	15.00	15.00
Elsie Hicks, Per Diem	15.00	15.00
John Marshall, Per Diem	15.00	15.00
	45.00	45.00
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY		
Clara F. Peterhans, Transcripts	23.25	23.25
Printing Service Inc, Forms	160.00	160.00
Thumb Office Supply, Office Supplies	33.62	33.62
Henry Greenwood, Services as Special PA	100.00	100.00
	316.87	316.87
REGISTER OF DEEDS		
Thumb Office Supply, Supplies	15.69	15.69
Doubleday Bros & Co, Printing Cards	72.95	72.95
John Marshall, Stamps and Office Supplies	51.73	51.73
	140.37	140.37
COUNTY TREASURER		
Thumb Office Supply, Office Supplies	11.99	11.99
Tuscola County Advertiser, Printing of Forms	34.00	34.00
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	50.00	50.00
Tuscola County Treasurer, United Parcel Postage	2.85	2.85
Arthur M. Willits, Travel Expenses	12.45	12.45
Elgene Keller, Travel Expenses	29.40	29.40
	140.69	140.69
DOG WARDEN		
Melvin Williamson, Extra Help	17.50	17.50
Hodgins Kennel, Animal Disposal	125.00	125.00
Sherwin-Williams, Vehicle Repair & Maintenance	2.98	2.98
DEL Chemical Corp, Janitorial Supplies	54.43	54.43
Thumb Motor Shop, Equipment Repairs & Maintenance	3.00	3.00
Burton-Moore Ford, Vehicle Repair & Maintenance	75.00	75.00
Shoppers Guide, Advertising	13.95	13.95
Hanson Hardware, Janitorial Supplies	18.95	18.95
Caro Building Center, Building Repairs & Maintenance	16.46	16.46
	327.27	327.27
CIVIL DEFENSE		
Mrs Dorothy Mantey, Instructional Nurse	15.00	15.00
Motorola Inc., Radio Maintenance	1.50	1.50
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	4.00	4.00
Charles F. Kroswek, February Mileage	73.89	73.89
	94.39	94.39
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY CLAIMS		
James Fader, Heifer and Milk Claim	350.00	350.00
Milton Hofmeister, Trustee Fee	5.00	5.00
Melvin Moody, Hog Claim	172.00	100.00
Leon Keinath, Trustee Fee	5.20	5.20
	532.20	460.20
AMBULANCE		
Colton Funeral Home, 2 Ambulance Calls	20.00	20.00
	20.00	20.00
SHERIFF DEPARTMENT		
Earl Mattlin Jr, Extra Help	10.10	10.10
Caro Community Hospital, Health Services	40.35	40.35
Stanley Emery, Health Services	57.50	57.50
Nigg and Miles, M.D., Health Services	39.00	39.00
Doubleday Bros & Co., Printing and Binding	121.11	121.11
Cass City Chronicle, Printing and Binding	89.54	89.54
Tuscola County Advertiser, Printing and Office Supplies	61.15	61.15
Tuscola County Sheriff Dept., Postage, Travel & Other Supplies	15.51	15.51
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	20.00	20.00
Mich. Sheriff's Assoc, Memberships & Subscriptions	65.00	65.00
Xerox, Machine Rental	84.57	84.57
Rushlo's Wrecking Co, Equipment & Maintenance Repairs	4.60	4.60
Anderson AV Ser. Co., Equipment & Maintenance Repairs	61.85	61.85
Bill Montague, Vehicle Repairs & Maintenance	7.50	7.50
Square Deal Auto Parts, Vehicle Repairs & Maintenance	152.17	152.17
Hanson Hardware, Vehicle Repair & Maintenance	2.78	2.78
Wilsie-Simpson, Vehicle Repair & Maintenance	21.51	21.52
Bell-Greig Motors Inc, Vehicle Repairs & Maintenance	1.60	1.60
Easthams Cleaners & Dyers, Laundry and Dry Cleaning	191.90	191.90
Thumb Laundry, Laundry	119.65	119.65
Fitzgerald's, Office Supplies	54.49	54.49
Dick Allen, Photo Supplies	7.50	7.50
Wilson Studio, Photo Supplies	38.06	38.06
Carl Palmer Drugs, Medical Supplies	8.50	8.50
Hooper Drug Store, Medical Supplies	80.78	80.78
Caro Pharmacy Inc, Medical Supplies	3.98	3.98
I.G.A., Janitorial Supplies and Food	78.98	78.98
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., Janitorial Supplies	11.15	11.15
Bauer Candy Co, Janitorial Supplies	3.95	3.95
John A. Sexton & Co, Food	93.70	93.70
Norman McQueen, Food	42.50	42.50
Ernest Ihrke, Food	67.46	67.46
J. L. Kauffman, Food	86.67	86.67
Trudeau's Bakery, Food	73.10	73.10
The Kroger Co., Food	218.65	218.65
Caro Auto Parts, Vehicle Operating Supplies	64.58	64.58
Goodyear Farm Tire Center, Vehicle Operating Supplies	468.08	468.08
CBS Specialties, Other Supplies	120.00	120.00
Dyers, Other Supplies	2.50	2.50
Robert A. Granstra, Uniforms and Accessories	301.68	301.68
Tus. Co. Road Commission, Gas, Oil, Etc.	8.52	8.52
Neeb Corporation, Gas, Oil, etc	1,746.29	1,746.29
Amoco Oil Co, Gas, Oil, etc	7.36	7.36
Vandemark's Standard Serv., Special Project Costs	35.00	35.00
Osgerby Agency, Bond	8.00	8.00
	4,798.88	4,798.88
DRIVERS LICENSE BUREAU		
Fitzgerald's, Office Supplies	1.34	1.34
	1.34	1.34
SNOWMOBILE DIVISION		
Tus. Co. Sheriff Dept., Equipment Rental	125.00	125.00
	125.00	125.00
MARINE SAFETY		
Howard Covert, Extra Help	34.34	34.34
Katie Drager, Boat Storage Rental	20.00	20.00
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	20.00	20.00
	74.34	74.34
MEDICAL EXAMINER		
H. P. Schwartz, D.O., 1 Medical Exam Call	40.00	40.00
Caro Medical Clinic, 2 Medical Exam Calls	80.00	80.00
John H. Siegner, D.O., 1 Medical Exam Call	40.00	40.00
H. L. Nigg, M.D., 4 Medical Exam Calls	160.00	160.00
E. J. Miles, M.D., 2 Medical Exam Calls	80.00	80.00
Caro Community Hospital, Emergency Room (3)	36.00	36.00
Colton Funeral Home, Ambulance Removal	78.00	78.00
H. Theron Donahue, 1 Medical Exam Call	20.00	20.00
	534.00	534.00
VETERANS BURIAL		
Donna Donovan, Burial of Wm. J. Donovan	300.00	300.00
	300.00	300.00
VETERANS COUNSELOR		
John Turner, Postmaster, Postage	31.00	31.00
Thumb Office Supply, Off. Supplies & Typewriter Repair	173.70	173.70
Xerox, Machine Rental	98.95	98.95
Lilia C. DeBoer, Travel Expenses	65.20	65.20
	368.55	368.55
INSURANCE AND BONDS		
Michigan Mutual Liability, Workmens Comp	443.00	443.00
	443.00	443.00
TUSCOLA COUNTY LIBRARY BOARD		
Irl L. Baguley, Mileage Expenses	9.00	9.00
	9.00	9.00
TOTAL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1974	20,817.96	20,745.96
REVENUE SHARING—REGISTER OF DEEDS		
Madison Reproduction Co, Microfilm rolls	360.00	360.00
Itek Business Products, Office Supplies	114.75	114.75
	474.75	474.75

Motion by Woodcock, supported by Dehmel, the report be accepted and orders drawn for the various amounts. Motion carried.

Commissioner Dehmel presented the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, U.S. Secretary of Transportation, Claude E. Brinegar has proposed a plan to reorganize the nation's railroads which includes abandonment of certain vital railroad lines in Eastern Michigan involving St. Clair, Sanilac, Huron, Tuscola, and Lapeer Counties; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Tuscola County has determined that service by the various railroads is essential to the businesses and communities that these lines connect with; and

WHEREAS, curtailment of railroad service by these lines would endanger Tuscola County of railroad transportation; and

FURTHER, there is no indication of any alternative means of large volume transportation systems that would replace our rail systems;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners do now plead for the continuance and improvement of existing rail service and urge the citizens of Tuscola County to work through their elected representatives toward this end. Also, that copies of this Resolution be sent to U.S. Secretary of Transportation, Claude Brinegar, Senators Griffin and Hart, Representative of the 8th Congressional District, Senator Alvin DeGrow, Representative Loren Armbruster, 7th District Association of Counties, Michigan Association of Counties and Board of commissioners of St. Clair, Huron, Lapeer and Sanilac Counties.

Moved by Dehmel, supported by McConkey the Resolution be adopted. Carried.

Recess for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION—MARCH 12, 1974

All members present except Ducker.

Motion by Kennedy, supported by Colton, the bill to Tuscola County Advertiser in the amount of $630.00 for Resources Directories be paid. Vote: 4 no, 2 yes. Motion denied.

Motion by Kennedy, supported by Colton, the bill to Huron County for our share of legal fees for the waste water treatment system proposed by the Corp of Engineers in the amount of $221.85 be paid. Motion carried.

Commissioner Colton presented the names of Peggy Nietzel and Douglas Cramer in nomination for the Health Delivery Board. Motion by Commissioner Kennedy, supported by Dehmel, the nominations be closed and a unanimous ballot be cast for Peggy Nietzel and Douglas Cramer. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Colton, supported by Dehmel, Dennis Johnson, Treva Kirk, Art Haley and Arnold Kraumnauer be appointed to the East Central Michigan Comprehensive Health Planning Council Task Force of Mental Health Committee. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Colton, supported by McConkey, Bruce Bragg, Ann Larner be appointed to the Task Force of Health Facilities Committee on the East Central Michigan Comprehensive Health Planning Council. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Colton, supported by Woodcock, Leona Hofmeister and Dorothy Mantey be appointed to the Task Force of Physical Health Committee of the East Central Michigan Comprehensive Health Planning Council. Motion carried.

Commissioner McConkey presented a request from Circuit Judge Norman Baguely for a sound system for the Circuit Court Room.

Motion by Commissioner Woodcock, supported by Kennedy, the request be referred to the Courthouse and Grounds Committee for further study and recommendation. Motion carried.

Chairman Kirk appointed Commissioner Woodcock and Commissioner McConkey to act on the Man Power Commission.

Minutes were read and approved.

Motion by Commissioner Woodcock, supported by Commissioner Dehmel we adjourn to March 20, 1974 at 9:30 a.m. Motion carried.

Elsie Hicks, Clerk **Shuford Kirk, Chairman**

MARCH 20, 1974

Meeting of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners was called to order by the Chairman Shuford Kirk.

Roll Call: All members present except Commissioners Colton and Ducker.

Discussion was held on Revenue Sharing.

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 a.m. to attend the funeral of Wayne Prillaman, Supervisor of Indianfields Township.

Meeting reconvened at 11:30 a.m.

Motion by Kennedy, supported by Dehmel, the bill to Burton Moore Ford Inc. for the cars for the Sheriff Department be paid. Motion carried.

Recess for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION—MARCH 20, 1974

Meeting with Representatives of U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, School Officials, Township Officers, Consumers Power regarding the proposed atomic energy plant at Quanicassee.

Discussion was continued on Revenue Sharing.

Commissioner Kennedy presented the following Resolution and moved for its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Thumb District Health Department is presently administering a highly successful and urgently needed alcoholism program for Tuscola County and;

WHEREAS, this program has the unanimous support of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners and;

WHEREAS, the office of Substance Abuse Services has seen fit to fund this public service program in the past;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners go on record as fully supporting the Thumb District Health Department's request for funding under the provisions of a proposed grant for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1974.

Supported by Woodcock. Motion carried.

Minutes were read and approved.

Motion by Woodcock, supported by McConkey, we adjourn to March 26, 1974 at 9:30 a.m. Motion carried.

Elsie Hicks, Clerk **Shuford Kirk, Chairman**

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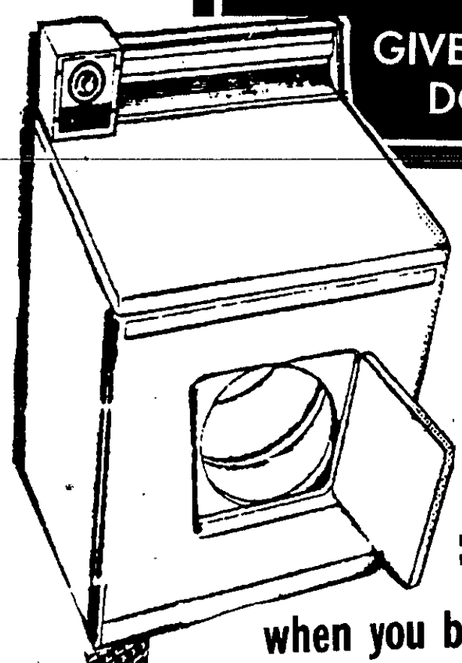

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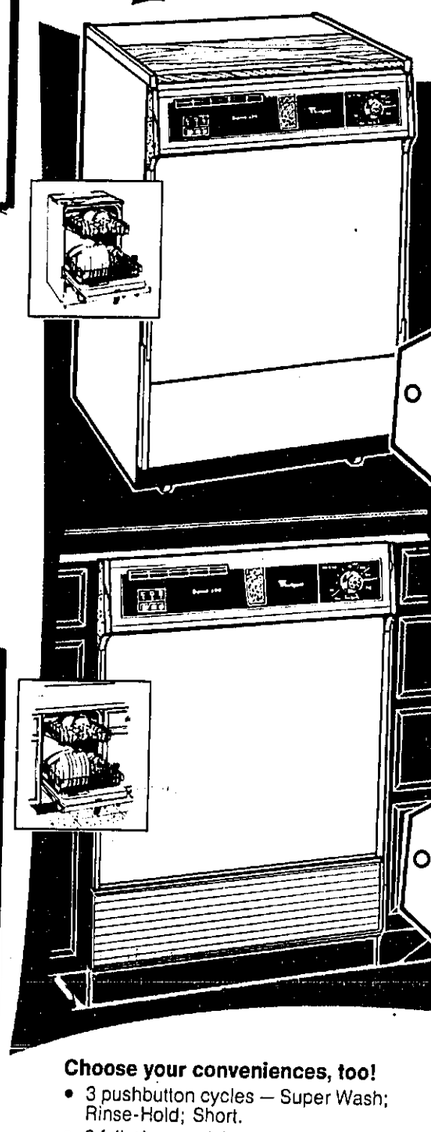

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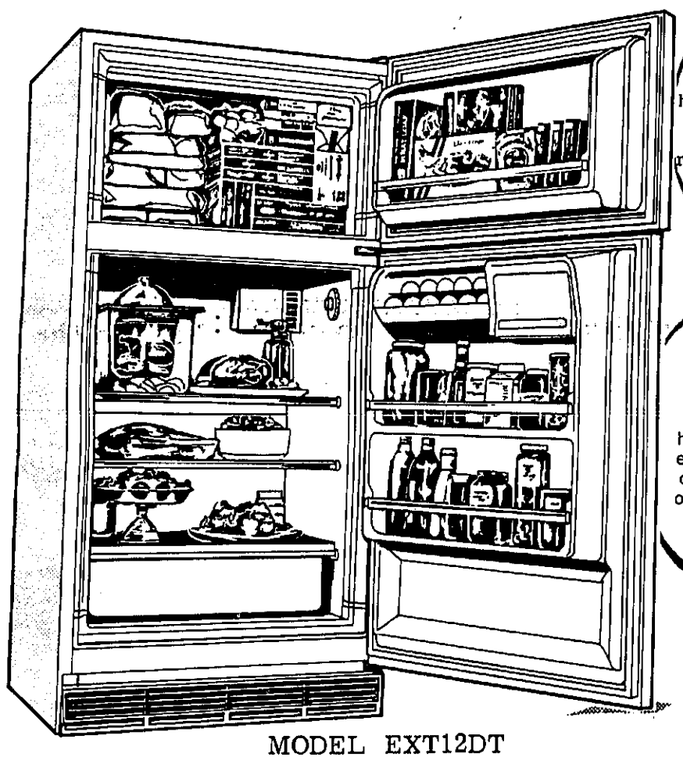

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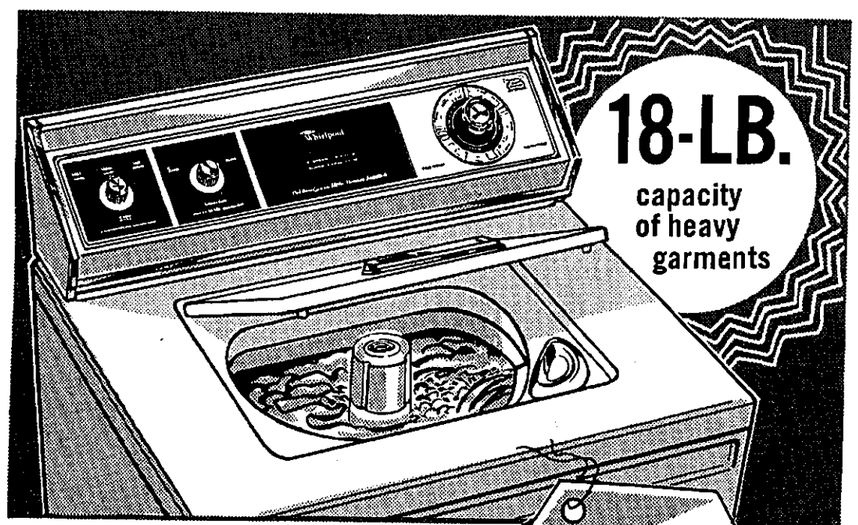

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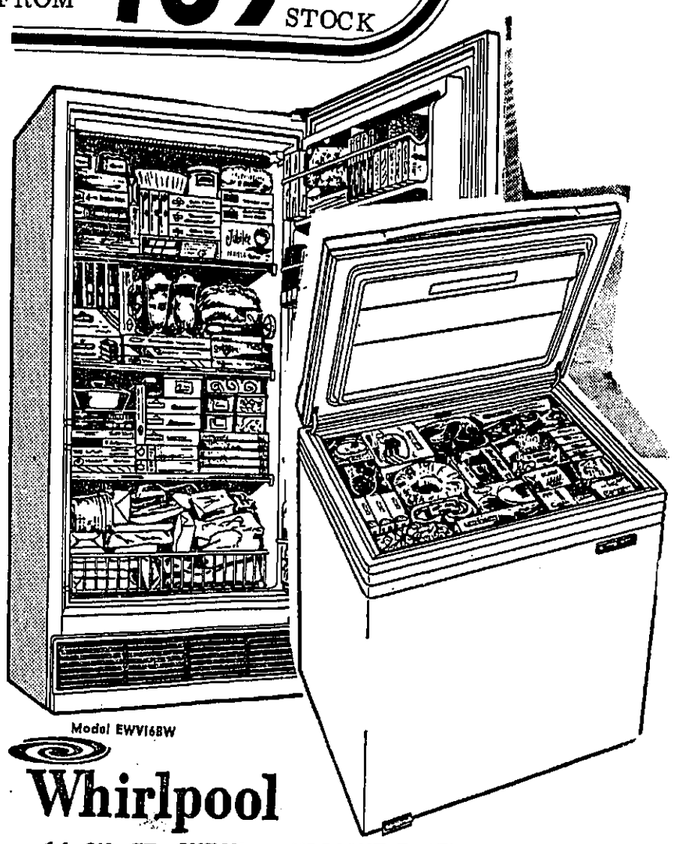

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Echo Chapter initiates three

Forty attended a special meeting of Echo chapter OES March 27. Initiation of three new members was the order of business.

Sharing the worthy matron's lectures in the East was Mrs. Vera Hoadley. Other substitute officers included Mrs. Esther Guinther, Mrs. Dorothy Tracy and Gilbert Albee.

Guests were present from chapters in Allen Park, Kingston and Gagetown.

Dessert refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by Mr. and Mrs. Keith McConkey. Table decorations were with an Easter theme.

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EXTENSION

The Shabbona Extension Group met Monday evening, March 25, at the home of Mrs. Paul Murray with 12 members present and two guests, Greg Hampshire and his mother, Mrs. Richard Hampshire, of Cass City.

Greg was an exchange student in Brazil last year. He resided in five different homes there. He displayed many articles that he brought from Brazil.

Mrs. Laurence Hyatt, chairman, brought the meeting to order by the group repeating the creed in unison, followed by a moment of silent prayer. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read.

The next meeting will be April 22 at the Shabbona Community Hall with Marie Meredith and Mrs. Dan Masten, co-hostesses. This will be hobby night. Each member is requested to bring antiques or something handmade or special gifts for display.

The hostess served a lunch and was assisted by her husband.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler and son Jerry spent Wednesday overnight, March 20, with his sister and husband, Dr. and Mrs. DeWayne Kyser of Shepherd.

FARM BUREAU

The Laing Farm Bureau met Tuesday noon, March 26, with Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hyatt for a cooperative dinner.

After dinner, the meeting was called to order by Alex Wheeler, president. The secretary's report was read. Mrs. Grace Peterson gave the package report. The discussion on Community Groups was led by Grace Wheeler.

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Mrs. Maude Holcomb and Marie Meredith were Wednesday supper guests of Mrs. Howard Gregg at Snover.

The Bunco Group will meet Saturday evening, April 6, at the Community Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler are hosts.

PIONEERS

The Pioneer Group met Thursday, March 28, at the Decker Masonic Hall for a pancake and sausage breakfast.

They played games and the 26 present enjoyed coffee and dessert before departing for home.

The men will be in charge of the April 25 meeting.

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Paul Wheeler left Wednesday on a Dairy Club trip with Michigan State University at East Lansing. They will go to Ohio, Virginia, Maryland and Penn State. He will arrive in East Lansing Sunday.

The United Methodist Women will meet Wednesday evening, April 10, with Mrs. Norman Heronemus. Mrs. Ralph Smith will present the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and girls were Saturday morning visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

CELEBRATE 25th

The 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh was celebrated Sunday, March 31, with open house at their home, hosted by their children, Mrs. Alex (June) Cherniawski, Larry and Lana Puterbaugh.

About 155 friends and relatives attended from Grand Blanc, Ann Arbor, Lapeer, Mt. Clemens, Utica, Black River, Bay Port, Deford, Cass City, Snover, Decker, Ubly, Deckerville, Argyle, Sandusky and Gagetown.

Missionary at Methodist meet

Mrs. Alan Seaman, a United Methodist missionary to West Pakistan, now on furlough, was guest speaker at a meeting of United Methodist women in Salem UM church Monday evening.

Sixty women attended from Trinity and Salem churches and also from Gagetown, Elmer, Bad Axe, Shabbona and Owendale churches.

Mrs. Charles Tuckey was chairman of a committee who served dessert at 7:30 in the church social rooms before assembling in the auditorium to hear Mrs. Seaman.

The speaker and her husband went to Pakistan in 1963, Mrs. Seaman as a nurse and her husband as an agriculturist. Since 1972, they have concentrated on village work in the area of the Raiwind Christian Institute.

Services held for Mrs. Auslander

Funeral services were conducted Friday at Little's Funeral Home for Mrs. Sabanaiah Auslander, 91, who died in Detroit Tuesday, March 26, following a short illness.

Mrs. Auslander was born in Petrolia, Ontario, April 25, 1882, daughter of the late Archie and Mary Clark Hyatt. She came to this area when she was eight years old.

She married Paul Auslander, Sept. 25, 1906, in Shabbona, in Evergreen township, where they made their home following their marriage.

Mr. Auslander died April 16, 1945.

Mrs. Auslander was a member of the Shabbona United Methodist Church.

She is survived by two sons, Clark of Lakeland, Fla., and Clair of Decker; six daughters, Mrs. William (Iris) Butts of Reed City, Mrs. Andrew (Zelda) Hem of Flint, Mrs. Arthur (Mable) Itchue of Detroit and Mrs. Jean Cohen of Flint; one sister, Mrs. Verna MacMillan of Saginaw; four brothers, Nelson Hyatt of Davison, Victor Hyatt of Snover, and Walter and Clarence Hyatt, both of Flint; 15 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

One son, one brother and four sisters preceded her in death.

Rev. Wayne Rhodes, pastor of Shabbona United Methodist Church, officiated at funeral services.

Interment was in Evergreen cemetery

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Beckett says new Tiger Manager Ralph Houk will give the club a lift and will probably institute the changes in the team necessary to win a pennant.

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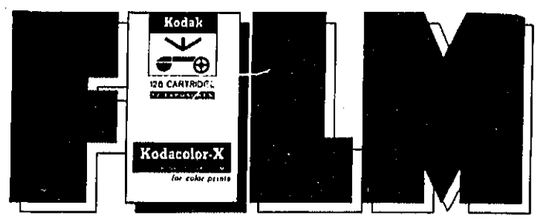

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Solons ponder next move on substance abuse region

Machinery to set in motion a program which could eventually see Cass City as a focal point in the continuing war on alcoholism and substance abuse was discussed at a meeting of Thumb county commissioners at Wildwood Farms Thursday.

Commissioners from Huron, Tuscola, Sanilac, Lapeer and Bay counties, along with health and substance abuse officials, met to define alternatives for naming a coordinating agency to administer programs and obtain state funds under the 1972 State Substance Control Act.

This was the second in a series of meetings which will eventually recommend to the various boards of commissioners what action to take.

Under the law, each county must designate a coordinating agency in order to obtain funding for alcoholism and substance abuse programs from the state. The law also allows for rural counties to band together and name one agency to cover an entire region.

By going together, these five counties could save considerable administrative costs. By going it alone, Tuscola, for example, would have to spend a minimum of $25,000 just to fund a coordinating agency, according to Spike Johnson, director of the Tuscola County Alcoholism Information Agency.

Under a four or five-county region, presumably the state would take over total administrative funding for such an agency.

Commissioners were also interested in what kinds of actual services would develop through such a coordinating agency that would help the hard-core alcoholic and drug user in the Thumb.

If Bay county, which operates an outpatient clinic for substance abuse problems, were a part of the region, satellite clinics could conceivably be established in the Thumb. Cass City seems to be a prime geographic area for such a clinic, according to Johnson.

Its central location in the three-county area, along with existing medical facilities which could be expanded, place it as a leading candidate for such a center, once a definite multi-county region is established and an agency designated to coordinate substance abuse programs.

Bad Axe was also mentioned as another location for a satellite clinic.

Even without Bay county's participation, possibilities remain favorable for a detoxification center of some sort in Cass City.

The problem of alcoholism is not new to the Thumb. In Tuscola county alone, over 3,000 persons are estimated to be suffering from alcoholism. The increasing problem of drug abuse has added impetus to set up some kind of region under the state act.

As a combine, counties would still retain autonomy in the program and would have to approve programs through representatives in the coordinating agency.

Basically, five agencies surfaced as possible coordinators that meet requirements of the law--the Thumb District Health Department, the Bay County Health Department, the 14-county Human Development Commission, a special board made up of representatives named by county commissioners or commissioners themselves acting as a separate agency.

The group plans to take these options back to their county commissions for discussion and or approval. Plans call for a decision to be finalized by May, it is hoped.

Some commissioners at the meeting voiced concern about Thumb counties joining Bay county in such a regional program, fearing rural interests might be sacrificed. Huron County Commissioner Edmund Good Sr. asked whether the Thumb region and Bay county had that much in common.

Rex Gibson of the Bay County Health Department replied that basically, Bay is a rural county that has one large city of 50,000. He said he sees no conflict of interests, should the five counties combine to designate such an agency.

Tuscola county is a key to the entire regionalization concept. Under the law, a region can only be established among contiguous counties. Should Tuscola not go along with the rest, the program, essentially, would be dead.

Among the Tuscola representatives at the meeting, most came away with uncertainty. Commissioner Kenneth Kennedy said a coordinating agency composed of commission members or their representatives would not work because of the complexities involved in setting up staffs, hiring bookkeepers and establishing a financial base.

Other commissioners favored shutting Bay county out of the region or going with Huron, Tuscola and Sanilac as a region.

Commissioner Maynard McConkey said after the meeting he favored a four-county region, excluding Bay. He said the problems of the Thumb are basically different from those of Bay City, which he added, would use as much of available services alone as would the entire Thumb.

He said he would like to see Lapeer county involved in a region, citing the success of the Thumb District Health Department, composed of Tuscola and Lapeer counties.

"The weakness of the present setup as I see it is that we don't have enough background or guidance from the state on setting up a coordinating agency," McConkey said. "And, let's face it. As long as the state has the money, they're going to call the shots."

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Farm outlook good despite shortages

Tuscola county farmers can look forward to a good agricultural year, provided the fertilizer shortage is not too severe and the month of May brings good weather.

That's the opinion of Tuscola County Extension Director William Bortel who said farmers can look forward to another profitable year, barring anything unforeseen in the market.

Bortel said between 75,000 and 80,000 additional acres of farmland in the county are expected to be placed into production if enough fertilizer can be had. He said this, coupled with favorable weather next month, can make 1974 another banner year agriculturally.

"We estimate that we should see a 10-12 per cent increase in bean acreage," Bortel estimated, "and if fertilizer is available, it could be as high as 20 per cent."

The rise in bean production is tied closely to fertilizer availability, Bortel commented. Should an extremely tight situation develop, he said, farmers in Tuscola county will tend to plant less corn and more beans, since the latter crop takes less fertilizer per acre than corn.

Another crop which shows a sign of decreased production in the county is sugar beets. On a statewide basis, estimates call for a drop of five per cent in beet production compared with 1973.

Bortel commented that many farmers feel they can make more money in cash crops other than beets, given the market as a whole. Another factor involved could also be the uncertainty of the market next fall from a fuel standpoint.

Last autumn, many beet farmers feared a lack of fuel might make it impossible to take their crop, one of the richest in recent years, to market.

Bortel commented that a larger area of concern is fertilizer, adding that for the most part, farmers are able to purchase all the fuel they need.

"The shortage of fertilizer is the real problem and transportation is the real crux of the situation," he said. "Presently, there are no guarantees at all regarding availability of fertilizer. Orders have been placed, but the lack of transportation is making the whole situation questionable."

PRICES

Bortel said he sees prices leveling off somewhat in 1974, following wild upward swings last year. He added, however, that weather conditions worldwide could change this picture completely.

With no surpluses to carry over to this year, Bortel said, prices could take off again, especially if fertilizer is not available and crops simply aren't grown.

Adding to the problem, he said, is the depressed beef market which is selling some three to four dollars per hundredweight lower today than a year ago.

In general, however, prices look favorable for the farmer.

"Last year was the first time that agriculture in general had a profitable year," Bortel said. "And whenever agriculture has a good year, business in general in a county such as Tuscola has a good year.

"You can figure that the agriculture dollar moves seven times before it goes into the bank. When farmers have a good year, they buy. Look at the farm machinery situation or even baler twine. Most of this year's supplies have already been bought."

Bortel said the buying public does not understand the basic situation involved in agricultural prices and so complains that the farmer is getting rich.

"The farmer is at the mercy of the market," he said. "For years and years, he has had to settle for whatever he could get. Now prices have climbed to a point where farmers can show a profit and can expand."

He said the farmer of today is showing a new militancy he did not show 15 or 20 years ago, due to the specialization of today's agriculture. Years ago, a farmer could lose heavily in one area in hopes of making it up somewhere else.

"Today, that isn't possible," he explained. "A beef cattle farmer either has a whole barnful of beef or he doesn't have any. When this happens, he has to get a fair price or he will simply close the doors and feed them out.

On the average, he said, food has cost less each year until last year when it took its first large jump. He added that if the increase had been spread over a long period of time, chances are it would not have been noticed.

"Because it was a one-shot deal, you had women picketing food stores and protests against buying meat," he said. "Added to that, you had government controls in the beef industry which ended up doing just the opposite of what they were designed to do. The price of beef to the farmer dropped while it remained high in the stores."

He said it generally takes about six months for price reductions to be seen in retail outlets, while it takes about two weeks for price increases to the farmer to be passed onto the customer.

In the worldwide market, Bortel sees a good year ahead, citing that European nations and Japan now have more disposable income than ever before and want to buy more and better food.

"In this instance, agriculture provides this country with the only product that will help the balance of trade situation," he said. "Other nations want the food we grow and are willing to pay for it. They can provide watches and cameras and electronic equipment for a low price because labor is cheap.

"But we still provide the food they want in a nation where only five per cent of the population is engaged in farming."

Set horse judging contest Saturday

Tuscola County 4-H clubs will be represented at the State 4-H Horse Judging contest by the following members: Penny Anderson, Vicky Barton, Kathy Brissette and Debby Brissette of Mayville; Mark Neiman, Al Kuenzli, Ron Kuenzli and Dave Whittaker of Cass City, and Rick Ford of Caro. The coach is Waldo Garner of Vassar.

The contest will be held at the Michigan State University Livestock Pavilion starting at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, April 6. This contest can be seen by the general public.

Presbyterian women meet Monday

The April meeting of the United Presbyterian Womens Association met for a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. Monday, with circle three in charge of the program.

Ruth Whittaker, president, opened with a reading "God Put a Rainbow in the Sky". She reported on the Lenten Day service held at Fraser church which several women attended.

Cara Prieskorn presented a program on her year in Rhodesia.

It was announced that the spring Presbyterial will be held in Flint April 24. A rummage sale is planned by the association April 27.

The May meeting of the association will be highlighted by the mother-daughter dessert.

Some 20 members attended the meeting.

State of Michigan. In the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola.

Clara A. Kile, Plaintiff.
-vs- James R. Kile, defendant.

Michael D. Dennis, Attorney for Plaintiff.

None - Attorney for Defendant.

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ORDER TO ANSWER

At a Session of said Court, held in the Courthouse in the City of Caro, in said County, on the eighth day of March, 1974.

Present: Norman A. Baguley.

On the 28th day of January, 1974, an action was filed by Clara A. Kile, plaintiff, against James R. Kile, defendant, in this Court for a Judgment of Divorce.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the defendant, James R. Kile, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the eighth day of June, 1974. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this court.

S/ Norman A. Baguley.

Michael D. Dennis, Attorney for Plaintiff, Business Address: 239 E. Huron Avenue, Bad Axe, Michigan 48413.

3/28/4

Arraign Akron man on negligent homicide

A 74-year-old Akron man was arraigned in Tuscola County Circuit Court Monday and charged with negligent homicide in connection with a Dec. 29 accident in Wisner township.

Andres Luna stood mute and a plea of innocent was entered in his behalf. Pretrial examination in the case will be held in six weeks.

Luna is charged with failing to stop at the intersection of Elmwood and Bradleyville Roads and striking a car, killing Anna Magiera.

Bond in the case has been set at $1,000. The case will be heard before presiding Judge James P. Churchill.

Beverly Jean Cribley, Caro, was arraigned on charges of writing three bad checks totaling $40. She stood mute and a plea of innocent was entered in her behalf. Pretrial examination was set for April 29 and bond of $1,000 was continued in the case.

Ms. Cribley is charged with writing the checks between Jan. 8 and Jan. 15.

Lionel Daley, Mayville entered a plea of guilty to driving with a suspended license Nov. 10, in Fremont township.

Also taken under advisement by the court was a motion to dismiss an earlier count of driving while under the influence of liquor on the same date.

No date for sentencing was set, pending a decision on the dismissal motion.

Lloyd J. Blonde, 17, Mayville, was sentenced to one to two years in Jackson Prison following a conviction for joy riding. He will enter prison with the stipulation that he receive special training.

Blonde was found guilty of taking an auto in Caro Feb. 2.

David Groneman, 19, a member of the U.S. Navy, was sentenced to 60 days in the Tuscola County Jail after being convicted of joy riding. He will receive credit for 36 days already served and is to be released to naval authorities who are scheduled to return him to the service.

The incident took place in Fremont township Feb. 25.

John Fierros, 19, Akron, will be sentenced June 10, after pleading guilty to possession of marijuana. The incident took place in Akron.

Sentencing was delayed until Fierros finishes high school.

The case of Charles R. Phillips, 35, Vassar, who is charged with assaulting a police officer and resisting arrest was continued until April 15, following the filing of a motion for a preliminary examination Monday.

The incident took place in Vassar township Jan. 31.

Erla receives Who's Who listing

Richard Erla of Cass City has been selected for listing in Who's Who in Michigan, it was announced this week by book authorities.

Erla, 49, was born in Detroit and is the son of Mrs. John Erla and the late Mr. Erla.

He has served on a host of civic organizations. He is a past president and member of the Cass City Rotary Club, Cass City Chamber of Commerce and Michigan Meat Association. He served as chairman of the Selective Service Board in Tuscola county.

In addition he served as chairman of Michigan Week, Tuscola county and as Michigan Week regional awards chairman. He has been chairman of the Tuscola County Democratic party.

RICHARD ERLA

He is a member of the Saint Pancratius Church and the Knights of Columbus.

Erla has been recognized for meritorious service to 4-H in Tuscola county and for outstanding leadership in his community. He holds an award for distinguished service to the State of Michigan.

Home gardens session set in Caro

The general public is welcome to attend a special session on Home Gardens to be held Thursday evening, April 4, at 7:30 p.m. in Caro McComb Elementary School's Multi-Purpose Room. It will be open for general questions and answers.

Dr. Robert C. Herner of Michigan State University will be the main speaker and he will be assisted by Don Kebler and Bernard Jardot of the Cooperative Extension office.

Two jobs mean extra work

When a husband and wife both work outside the home -- that means there's a third job to do. And that's "homework." Somehow laundering, cooking and cleaning still have to get done. And most importantly, there's the care of the children.

But there's usually no reason for only one person to wind up with all the homework. That would mean that this person would actually be holding down two jobs.

So to ease the burden of housework and children's needs -- decide just how big that third job has to be. Talk it out as a family to see how you can cut the time and energy involved. Maybe you can do without ironing the sheets -- if that's been your practice. Or maybe the 10-year old can read the bedtime stories to the six-year-old.

It's important to figure out cooperative efforts to actually cut the amount of work around the home. Cooking double amounts of stew will mean a second meal with a minimum of cooking time. Buying wash and wear clothing can save on the laundry. Removing boots or shoes by the door can save dirty foot paths through the house..

Once you've determined what really has to be done, then divide up the chores by the number of persons in your family. This includes everyone who benefits -- both children and adults. It's better to share the work load than to dump it all on one person. And a jointly-planned work schedule helps to get things done.

The essential ingredient in becoming a cooperating household is the love that holds it all together and doesn't neglect anyone of the busy family members.

U of M honors two area students

Two area students were among 5,000 University of Michigan students recognized at the University's 51st annual Honors Convocation Friday, March 29.

Michael Klinkman of 6316 Church St., Cass City and Deborah Kay Wissner of Rt. 1, Owendale, each received class honors. To receive class honors, a student must have an academic record equal to at least half A's and half B's for the past two years.

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GAGETOWN

Mrs. Elery Sontag

Phone 665-9956

Sister Patricia Marie of Adrian, spent Monday through Thursday of last week with her three sisters, Misses Mary and Nellie O'Rourke and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Comment. She also visited her brother, James O'Rourke.

James O'Rourke left Thursday to visit his son and wife, Captain and Mrs. Daniel O'Rourke in San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. C. P. Hunter is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hunter in Grosse Pointe Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Comment entertained guests at dinner Saturday evening. Guests included their son, John, of Bay City and Mrs. Comment's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Bliss of Cass City. The occasion honored Mrs. Comment's mother, Mrs. Pearl Bliss, who makes her home with the Comments.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Sontag and sons of Bach visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elery Sontag, Sunday. Morris left Monday on a business trip to New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeShano and daughter, Kathy of Prescott, spent a few days last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Munro.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Wald were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Merz and family of Saginaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wald and family of Gagetown.

Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Wald were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bartholomy of North Branch. The Bartholomys also visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe.

New trustees sworn in at Gagetown

Two new village trustees were sworn in during the regular meeting of Gagetown Village Council held Monday night. Dennis Koch and Richard Burdon took their oaths of office.

Committees were appointed by Village President Lawrence Cummings. They are:

Streets - Dennis Koch, chairman; Elery Sontag and Tom Reehl.

Public works - Leroy Stapleton, chairman; Richard Burdon and Fred Sullivan.

Water - Burdon chairman; Reehl and Sullivan.

Building - Stapleton chairman; Koch and Sullivan.

Health and Welfare - Reehl chairman; Sontag and Stapleton.

Parks and Recreation - Sontag chairman; Koch and Sullivan.

Council decided to install water meters in all residences presently without them. In addition, a $10 repair service charge was instituted and will be assessed those residents whose water meters freeze up.

Council also renewed its option on 13 acres of land at the site of the village sewage disposal lagoon.

Council passed a resolution to pay village bills as they occur to avoid penalty charges, which are an extra cost to taxpayers.

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Termed "Job Experience", the program for the 22 to 50 year old group, will place people in non-profit organizations, without cost to the employer, for varying lengths of time. Wages are paid by Operation Mainstream. The employer accepts the responsibility of training the Mainstream employee.

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For the 55-year-old and older group, employment is offered for supplementary income purposes, with scant hope of regular jobs. Applicants must meet certain requirements both as to capabilities of doing the job offered, and financial need for the income.

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I WISH TO thank Dr. Donahue and his staff of nurses and aides for the good care I received while in the hospital. Also Rev. Gelatt and Rev. Wilson for their visits and prayers. All those who visited me and sent cards and flowers. God bless you all. Grace Morrison. 4-4-1

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More Cass City grads choose careers over college

By Jim Ketchum

Graduating seniors from Cass City High School are apparently going to either two-year or four-year colleges in greater numbers than ever before. Yet the percentage of students from the graduating class who decide to enter the job market, go into the military or get married and raise a family is still better than half and increasing.

These are the conclusions drawn from studying statistics involving recent graduating classes from the high school, according to Curtis Cleland, guidance counselor.

"While more kids are looking toward continuing their education beyond high school, their percentage is dropping," Cleland said. "At one time a few years ago, we had something like 60 per cent of our graduating seniors go on to either a two-year or four-year college. Now that figure is somewhere in the neighborhood of 42 per cent."

Increasing class size helps explain why, in spite of larger numbers of students continuing their education, a smaller percentage of the total goes on.

In 1971, out of a total of 116 graduating seniors, 30 went on to four-year colleges, 28 enrolled in two-year schools and 58 went to work.

In 1972, out of 123 graduating seniors, 29 chose four-year colleges, 10 went to two-year colleges and 84 went to work.

Last year, of 147 graduates, 31 went to four-year colleges, 19 went to two-year colleges and 97 went to work.

Cleland said he expects these trends to continue this year. National trends indicate college diplomas no longer insure a good job at high pay as they once did.

Cleland said Michigan State University sent out word to all high school counselors to steer students away from conservation work. Last year, the State of Michigan had 38 openings in the field of conservation and 3,000 applicants.

Other occupations offer similarly stiff competition, he explained. The only two which do not are special education teachers and industrial arts instructors.

Employment is one reason for the growing popularity of two-year colleges, Cleland explained.

"Many students can go into areas such as drafting, mechanics, medical technology or the like after two years and make just as much as a college graduate can--sometimes more," Cleland said.

He said an advantage of the two-year program is its length of time, its relatively small expense and its emphasis on applied training. While these schools are in their heyday presently, Cleland said he sees a time in the future when a greater demand will once more be placed on a degree person.

"Part of this boom toward two-year programs involves a backlash from parents mostly against the four-year universities," Cleland said.

The trend in vocational training has also extended to high schools such as Cass City. A total of some 120 students out of nearly 600 enrolled are involved in some aspect of vocational training.

Cleland estimates that half of the seniors who will go on to college are participating in the program at some level. But the major thrust of the program is toward the student who plans to enter the job market immediately after graduation.

Cleland said the school is pleased with the success of the co-op program especially. Of 50 students involved in the program, 19 stayed on at their job permanently.

While largely a success, there have been occasional problems. One is in the area of attendance.

"We have to engender in these kids the idea that they have to be there on time," he said. "This is partly why we want to get the kids working while they're still in school so we can help get some of the problems ironed out before they get fired."

Cleland said he sees the role of the high school as a vocational education center growing presently, although he added that this probably will not be a permanent thing as the economy continues to change.

Just what do two "typical" students plan to do with their futures after graduating in June. We talked with Cindy Doerr and Carl Russell recently. Here are their thoughts:

CINDY DOERR

Cindy Doerr is a 17-year-old with an ambition--to be a doctor.

"I at least want to try for it," she explained enthusiastically. "It's something I've dreamed about all my life. And, even if I don't make it, I'll know that I've at least tried."

Cindy's motivation is not unlike many of her friends who plan to continue their education after graduation from Cass City High School. She wants a career and doesn't plan to let anything stand in her way.

Her sites are set on Michigan State University and its emerging medical school. She hopes that the facility will be complete by the time her undergraduate work is done so that she will be able to continue her studies at East Lansing.

"I've never really disliked school," she said as she sat in the guidance counselor's office. "I'll admit my first two years weren't so hot in high school--until I settled down and decided to get to work."

Presently, she carries a 3.147 grade point average and has carried close to a 3.5 during her junior and senior years. "I just goofed around in my freshman and sophomore years," she confessed.

Over the years, however, the goal of becoming a doctor has not diminished.

"I remember when I was little and I'd see a doctor on those soap operas, I'd think, gee, I'd like to do that," she recalled. "Everytime I went to the doctor's office, I'd look at all the instruments and equipment in the room. I was really fascinated with it. I don't know. It's just something I want to do very much."

After settling down in high school, Cindy began gearing herself for the eventual trek to MSU. She concentrated on math and science courses, constantly striving to do better. She recently received an A-minus in physics, a particularly difficult course.

Going to college has never really been a question for her, she said. Her drive to become a doctor included it as a requirement and the dream has never wavered.

"I've been at Michigan State visiting a number of times and I've been there in the summer," she said. "I really love it there. I think it's a warm friendly place and I'm anxious to go."

She had been accepted by MSU and Central Michigan University, but chose State primarily because of its developing medical school and also because of her past association with the school. Her father, Donald, graduated from the university before beginning his farming career, and he highly recommended the school.

She admitted it was a hard decision in deciding which school to attend. Many of her friends have enrolled in Central, but she said reports of excessive "partying", along with the lack of a medical school, helped sway her decision in favor of MSU.

"I like to have a good time," she said. "But I think there's a time for that and a time to study. Most of the people I know who are going to State are the kind who want to get some studying done and who carry pretty good grades. I'm afraid if I went to Central, I'd get in with the partying crowd and wouldn't get anything done."

What college to attend, however, does not matter as much as going. Cindy believes it is a waste not to continue.

"This idea of getting married at 18, raising six kids, having piles of dirty laundry and dishes just doesn't appeal to me," she explained. "I don't see how anyone can settle into that. But an awful lot of kids in this class will do it."

While not holding anything against Cass City or small-town life, she very much wants to leave for her continued education. She said she may return to a small town after getting her medical degree, perhaps to practice in the field of obstetrics and gynecology.

"No one can take away from you what you get at college," she said. "You learn a lot more than what they teach in a classroom. You get to meet so many different kinds of people that it helps you grow and you can understand other people better."

Presently, Cindy is getting somewhat of a head start on her career. She works from eight to 10 hours per week at Provincial House as a dietary aide. She has four brothers, not all of whom will go on to futher education, primarily because they don't want to.

What about paying for all the college?

"I haven't really thought about the money," she confessed. "I'm just interested in getting there. I'd like to be able to concentrate on studying and not worrying about whether or not I can stay in school next term."

She indicated, however, that her parents will have to foot much of the bill for awhile, at least. They make more money than most scholarships or higher education aid programs will allow.

Whatever happens, Cindy Doerr plans to be enrolled as a freshman at MSU next September.

"I can't think of anything I wanted that I couldn't get if I tried," she said.

Cindy Doerr is determined.

CARL RUSSELL

Working with his hands and literally building his future is the goal of Carl Russell, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Russell of rural Cass City.

Carl has no thoughts or illusions about college. It just isn't for him.

"My grades aren't really high enough for college," he said thoughtfully. "Besides, I'd rather be working. I'll get more experience that way."

The quiet-spoken senior definitely plans to begin a carpentry career just as soon as high school is done. He believes he can earn as much as someone who attended college for four years, "if you work hard enough."

Carl was raised on the family farm just west of Cass City and has tinkered with building things all his life. He has helped his father construct sheds around the farm and last year helped construct an addition on his sister's house trailer.

Carl is presently enrolled in a shared-time program in Mayville where he is learning and literally helping build a house. He enjoys the experience and wants to put it to use as soon as possible.

He didn't want to stay on the farm, preferring the hours, pay and relative security of carpentry. The area's present building boom is another reason for working in the Cass City vicinity, which he plans to do.

Carl thinks Cass City's vocational education program is good, but could stand improvement in the area of auto mechanics, for instance. He believes the school has given him the background and training he needs to tackle the world of work without further education.

Carl admitted that if he ever got sick of carpentry, he might have a little trouble changing to something else since much of his training lies in this area.

But he said he doesn't plan to get tired of it, at least right away.

Carl has four brothers and two sisters, none of whom have gone to college or presently plan to do so. He said he hasn't thought about trade school because he wants to go to work and earn some money. He said $100 per week to start would satisfy him.

With four years of shop and three years of vo-ag under his belt, Carl said he doesn't feel left out from the crowd. Most of his close friends plan to enter the work force also.

Carl, who carries a 2 average, is determined to become a wage-earner quickly and to improve with experience. Chances are, he will succeed.

CINDY DOERR (left) and Carl Russell discuss future plans with Cass City High School guidance counselor Curtis Cleland.

HOUSEHOLD
AUCTION

Having sold our home, we will sell the following items at public auction located north of the stop light in Cass City at 4741 North Seeger Street on

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

At 12:30 p.m.

Philco color console TV
Philco refrigerator with top freezer & ice maker
Electric Stove
Whirlpool automatic washer
Whirlpool dryer
2 Davenports
Day Bed-single
2 Ladder-back, Maple arm chairs
Upholstered chair
3 Painted end tables
Occasional tables
Maple desk
2 Pine desks
Upright piano
Maple bed complete with matching chest
Jenny Lind walnut double bed - complete
White double bed
White chest of drawers
Maple dinette set with table, 4 chairs, hutch
Youth chair
Poker table
Typewriter table
Bicycle exercisor - new
Electric beater with juicer and grinder
Sandwich grill & waffle iron
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Women's clothing-size 10
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Farm health standards told

Recently proposed occupational safety and health standards for agricultural workers by the Environmental Protection Agency call for two specific actions by agricultural employers: (a) the posting of warning signs in areas treated with pesticides, and (b) time limits on re-entry by workers into treated fields and the use of protective clothing by workers under certain circumstances.

The proposed new standards apply to all crops and all registered pesticides, which is a major change from last spring when "emergency standards" were first introduced by the government. Last year's "emergency standards" were primarily directed toward the fruit industry, but the new standards will cover all of agriculture, including livestock and dairy farming, vegetable growing, and general crop production. Farmers and others now have until April 12, to respond to the EPA with their comments prior to the proposed standards becoming final for the 1974 growing season.

According to Lynn R. Harvey, District Extension Manpower Agent, thirteen organophosphate pesticides are identified as potentially being particularly hazardous to farm workers, as follows: parathion, methyl parathion, Guthion, demeton (Systox), Azodrin, phosalone (Zolone), carbophenothion (Trithion), Meta-Systox R, EPN, Bidrin, Galecron Fundal, endrin and ethion (Nialate).

When any of these pesticides are used on any crop for which they are registered, there is a post-application time of 48 hours during which no one is allowed to enter the treated field unless he wears protective clothing. After the 48 hours have expired, workers may re-enter the treated field without protection as long as they will not contact the treated foliage for more than one-half hour per working day.

If contact will exceed one-half hour per day, then protective clothing must be worn until the harvest interval (waiting period) expires for the pesticide used on the crop in question. Where a field is treated with more than one of these 13 pesticides, entry shall be restricted until expiration of the longest of the applicable harvest intervals.

Harvey goes on to say that for all other registered pesticides, without exception, there is a 12 hour post-application time, during which anyone entering the treated field must wear protective clothing. After 12 hours, there are no specific clothing requirements.

Requirements for posting a warning to alert workers to a treated field are the same as they were under the original OSHA standards proposed last spring, except that they now apply to all pesticides used.

Any person may file written comments on the proposed standards on or before April 12. EPA intends to promulgate the standards in final form as soon thereafter as possible so that all proposed standards will be in effect for the 1974 growing season. Such comments should be submitted in duplicate to the EPA Hearing Clerk, Mrs. Betty J. Billings, 10th Floor, Waterside Mall - East Tower, 401 M St. SW, Washington, D.C. 20460.

Additional information about the specifics of the regulation can be secured from the Cooperative Extension Office.

Two Cass City gymnasts place in regionals

Two Cass City gymnasts placed 10th in the Michigan Association of Gymnastics Regional Meet held March 23 at Douglas MacArthur High School in Saginaw.

Kim Hartwick tied for 10th place on the uneven parallel bars and Patti Lautner took 10th place in floor exercises.

According to Coach Ms. Brenda Breidinger, the girls competed against gymnasts who had four years or more of experience.

Other Cass City gymnasts participating in the meet included Lauri Althaver, Cindy Guernsey and Sue Prieskorn who competed on the balance beam, Dawn Stahlbaum who entered both uneven bars and floor exercise and Laurie Decker in floor exercise.

HERCULEAN TASK

When somebody finally solves the high cost of living problem he can be called upon to solve the energy crisis.

Arrest Cass City man Monday

A rural Cass City man was arrested Monday and charged with driving while under the influence of liquor on M-24 near the M-46 intersection.

Gerald Rawson Spencer was arrested by Sheriff's Deputy Richard Hofmeister after Hofmeister reportedly observed him leave the roadway several times and drive across the centerline twice.

The deputy first noticed the Spencer vehicle when it did not dim its lights for several oncoming cars.

At the time of the arrest, Hofmeister reportedly observed open cans of beer in the car.

Spencer was arrested for DUIL, transporting an open container of an intoxicant in the car and a violation of a license restriction.

The incident occurred at 10:45 p.m.

BREAKING AND ENTERING

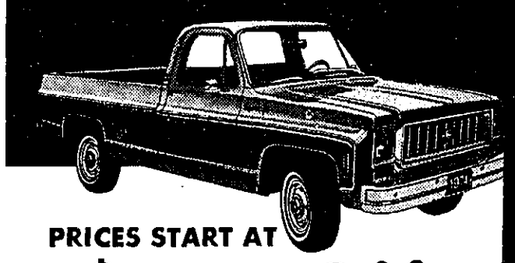
A Cass City juvenile was arrested Saturday night in connection with a breaking and entering at the M&M Block plant at 6141 Kelly Rd.

Sheriff's deputies who investigated said they received a report of a suspicious vehicle parked at the plant Saturday night near a company truck.

Closer investigation revealed evidence of gas siphoning. Deputies, assisted by Cass City Police, found a gallon can, pieces of hose, beer and 11 fingerprints which eventually led to the identity of the juvenile.

The youth reportedly admitted taking gasoline from the plant. The investigation continues.

CHEVY PICKUPS



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