

# Treatment plant controversy solved?

Cass City's wastewater treatment plant controversy apparently has been solved. Village Supt. Lou LaPonsie said Tuesday he expects to receive a letter of intent from Wesley's Quaker Maid Inc., officials, pledging the firm will go along with federal Environmental Protection Agency rules governing the proposed plant.

The letter would insure the current schedule which would call for construction yet this year. It would also mean upwards of \$2.8 million in federal grant money to finance 80 per cent of the project. The plant was threatened when Wesley officials initially said they would not sign a letter of intent. They feared

the letter would commit the company to remain in operation over 30 years while at the same time paying an industrial user charge of \$10,000 a year. LaPonsie said village authorities and EPA officials explained Wesley's would pay only for treating the effluent it contributed to the system. LaPonsie said the \$10,000 per

year figure was based on effluent figures taken last year. Since that time, Wesley's manager Gerald Stilson said plant flow has been cut drastically. The village superintendent said Wesley's still has the freedom to leave whenever it wishes. He said if flow and the

amount of solid waste is reduced, user charges will be cut accordingly. Meanwhile, LaPonsie said the EPA has agreed to go ahead with Step II of the treatment plant project which involves final design. Step III involves actual construction. Approval of the village's Step II grant request is

expected by the end of the month, LaPonsie said, with or without the letter of intent. The controversy began last month when Wesley's indicated they were reluctant to sign the required letter of intent. Such letters are needed by firms classified as industrial users by the EPA. Cass City officials reported-

ly did not learn Wesley's fell into that category until March. Since the last council meeting in April, both sides have worked behind the scenes to work out an agreement and keep the \$3.5 million project on schedule. Stilson declined comment on Tuesday's report.

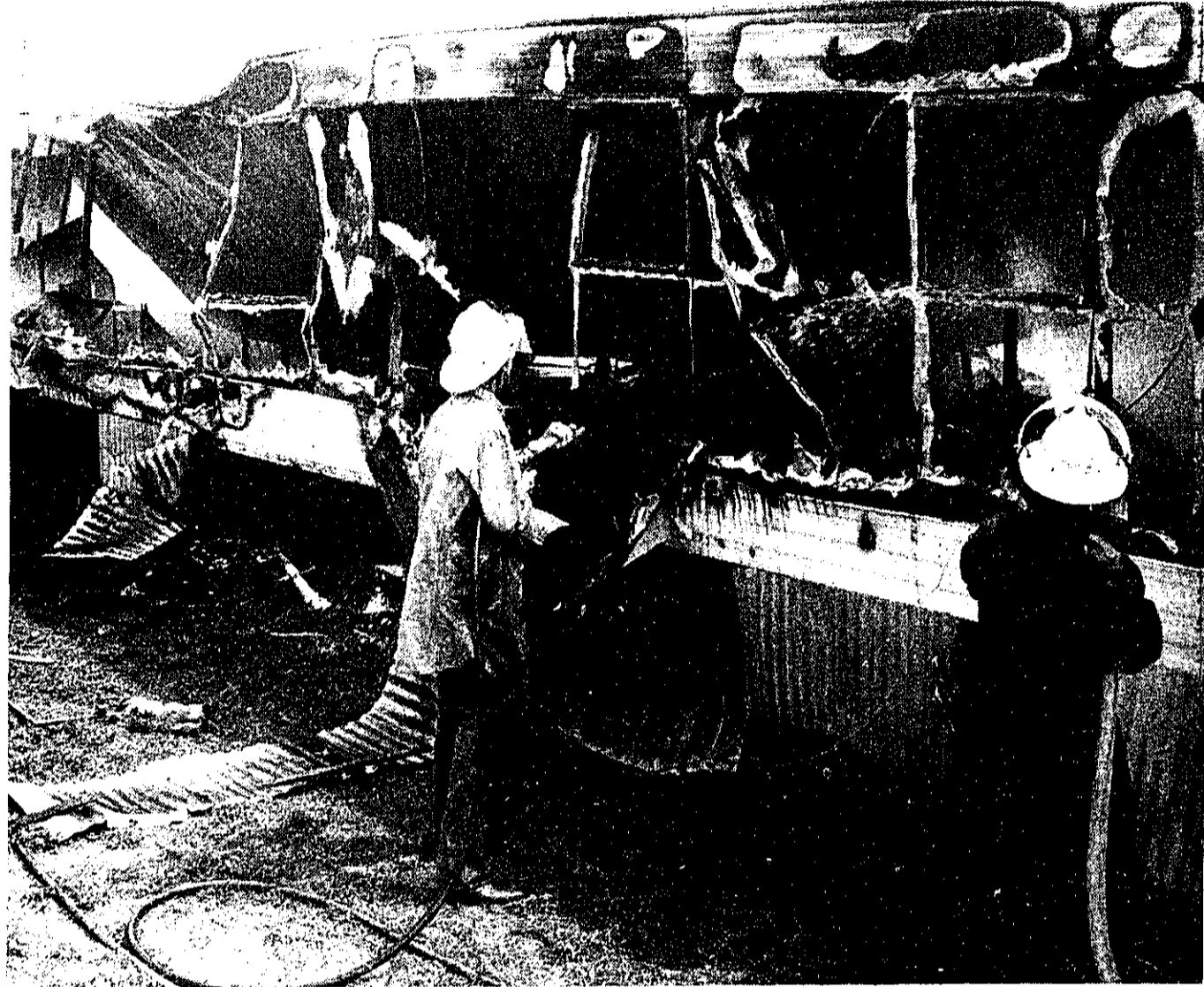
## CASS CITY CHRONICLE

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**FIREMEN FROM** Gagetown and Elkland township battled a fire that destroyed a mobile home owned by Larry Levine and located on Williamson Road, three and a half miles northeast of Gagetown in Huron county, Tuesday morning. Damage was estimated at \$10,000. No one was injured.



**A SPECTACULAR** grass fire destroyed 300 pine trees on land owned by John Karpovich and located near the intersection of Severance and Dodge Roads in Novesta township. Children playing with matches was listed as the cause. (Neitzel Photo).

## Fire destroys mobile home near Gagetown

A fire of undetermined origin destroyed a mobile home owned by Larry Levine and located on Williamson Road, three and a half miles northeast of Gagetown in Huron county, Tuesday morning. Gagetown Fire Chief Chuck Wright said the blaze broke out around 10:30 a.m. He said the home was engulfed in flames when firemen arrived at the scene.

Wright said an unidentified man, an invalid, was reportedly asleep inside the home when the fire started. He was carried to safety, Wright said.

Elkland township firemen were called to assist around 11:00 a.m. Wright said loss on the structure and contents was set at between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

The fire is still under investigation, although Wright said faulty electrical wiring is suspected.

An estimated 300 pine tree seedlings were destroyed by a grass fire apparently started by children playing with matches Wednesday, May 11, at the intersection of Dodge and Severance Roads in Novesta township.

Elkland Township Fire Chief Jim Jezewski said the blaze started near the residence of Raymond Vandebosche of 2321 Dodge Rd., after children had been playing with matches in a nearby field.

Winds carried the flames into a neighboring 15-acre stand of pine seedlings owned by John Karpovich of 3450 W. Caro Rd., Caro. A total of 20 acres was burned over,

Jezewski said. Department of Natural Resources firefighting equipment was also called to the scene as firemen spent nearly three hours extinguishing the blaze which was reported at 2:24 p.m. DNR officials also investigated the fire.

### MOBILE HOME

About \$1,000 damage was done late Saturday afternoon when a fire broke out under a mobile home owned by Kenneth Graichen on Cemetery Road, eight and a half miles south of Cass City.

The blaze reportedly started from a short in wiring leading to an air conditioner. Jezewski said framing under the home was damaged by the blaze, reported at 5:18 p.m. Firemen remained at the

scene for about an hour. No one was injured.

### OTHER FIRES

A grass fire burned over six acres late Sunday afternoon on Cedar Run Road, 7½ miles southwest of Cass City, on property owned by Ted Czaplak of Caro.

Witnesses told fire officials an unidentified car was seen in the area about 20 minutes before the blaze started. It's believed something may have been thrown from the vehicle, setting the fire.

Firemen battled the fire about an hour. A lawn mower owned by Ed Golding Jr. of 6316 Church St. was damaged early Friday evening when sparks from the engine ignited the fuel supply. Loss was estimated at \$20. Firemen were called to the scene at 6:05 p.m.

## Arraign in county man's death

A Bay City man was charged with first degree murder Tuesday in the death of a former Tuscola county man whose body was found stuffed in the trunk of a car near Unionville Saturday. A warrant charging Timothy Shawn Slane, 19, Royal Oak, was authorized Tuesday afternoon by Bay County Prosecutor Eugene Penzien. It charges Slane killed Brian Gerald Jackson on or about Jan. 3, at Jackson's apartment at 1006 N. Madison in Bay City.

According to a news release issued by the prosecutor's office Tuesday, Slane allegedly strangled the victim and then transported his body to

the trunk of a junk 1963 Cadillac which was later recovered along Jones Road in Bay county.

The body was discovered Saturday as the car sat parked at the home of Jackson's mother, Mrs. Vida Ewald of 2392 W. Dickerson Rd., Unionville.

According to Tuscola County Sheriff's Detective Ronald Phillips, whose department also participated in the investigation, the body was found after family members had the junk automobile towed to the Ewald residence May 6.

Phillips said Jackson's brother, Raymond, became suspicious when he noticed an odor coming from the vehicle. He opened the trunk and

found the body, wrapped in a plastic bag and bed clothing.

An autopsy conducted Monday revealed Jackson, who stood only 43 inches tall, died of strangulation. The victim had also been struck with a blunt instrument, according to Penzien's statement.

Authorities were unable to fix an exact time of death due to the deteriorated condition of the body. Phillips said it's believed Jackson was killed early in the year. Family members reportedly had not heard from him since around Christmas.

Slane was apprehended at 9:30 p.m. Monday at the home of his sister in Royal Oak by

Bay County Sheriff's detectives and members of the Oak Park Police department.

Another vehicle belonging to Jackson was also recovered at that time.

Slane stood mute at his arraignment before Bay County District Court Judge Arthur E. Higgs. He was remanded to the Bay County Jail without bond.

Preliminary examination was set for May 25 at 10:00 a.m.

Authorities declined to speculate on the motives for the slaying. The pair had reportedly shared a room at one time in Bay City.

Jackson's body was discovered at about 3:35 p.m. Saturday.

### Situation called 'serious'

## Drought puts crimp in county farm picture

Unless Tuscola county gets at least a half-inch of rain soon, the current "downright serious" crop situation could become critical, according to County Extension Director Bill Bortel.

Bortel said Monday county farmland is from two to three inches short of its normal amount of rainfall and unless the skies open soon, dollar losses could start mounting.

"It's hard to put any dollar figures on it," he said. "I'd say the situation is downright serious but not critical yet. A timely inch or so of rain could make the difference."

According to Bortel, corn is about the only crop still being planted and 85 per cent of this year's crop is in the ground waiting for some moisture.

"The crops we're most worried about are sugar beets and corn," he said. "If the rain doesn't come soon, we'll be in serious trouble on the beets. And we're still hoping we can get some of this corn germinated and out of the ground."

Bortel said if small grain crops haven't come up by now, chances are they won't.

He agreed this is one of the driest springs on record. Generally farmers are complaining about too much moisture this time of year instead of drought reminiscent of mid-July.

Dry conditions have brought an upsurge in questions about irrigation, Bortel said.

"Farmers want to know the feasibility and the cost," he said. "They're concerned about how much they should invest and if it's a wise move."

Bortel said many places in the county, including the northwest townships, can't produce good water because it's too salty. Ditches can't be used because they're dry, too. In other areas, especially along the Cass River, irrigation could be used easier but often there aren't large enough tracts of land to make it feasible.

There isn't a pat answer to irrigation, he said. "You might install it this year and not need it for the next three. It's like buying a boat and having it sit in your backyard. On the other hand, if we don't get any water, nothing is any good anyway." He says it's too soon to start

replanting. He's advising farmers to play the percentages and leave the crops in the ground.

About the only crop faring well is alfalfa. It's nothing great but still is respectable, given the lack of moisture.

Tuscola county isn't alone.

The entire state, with the exception of the southern tier of counties, is suffering under abnormally dry conditions.

With the early drought, there's a renewed interest among some farmers in rainmaking. Bortel says it's not all hokum.

"Rainmaking can do some good if you've got rain clouds to begin with," he says. "They can also monitor the clouds in such a way as to keep the hail out of the area. But if you haven't got any rain clouds, they can't do much."

## The rain stays mainly away from Cass City

It's been a dry year in Cass City so far, judging by rainfall records kept by Nelson Willy at the wastewater treatment plant.

Records for April show 2.2 inches of rainfall, compared with 2.81 for April, 1976.

May has been even worse. For the first 16 days, just .11 inches of rain have fallen on

Cass City—barely enough to lay the dust. Last May, 3.22 inches of rainfall were recorded.

Willy says so far this year, each month's rainfall has dropped from one to three inches below what it was in 1976.

"Actually, the dry weather

has helped us," he said. "Our flow is down because there hasn't been any infiltration."

Infiltration refers to ground water seeping into the sanitary sewer system through cracks in the lines.

Willy says Cass River levels have held around normal despite the dry weather.

## Graduation swirl begins for high school seniors

Area high schools were putting on the finishing touches this week for baccalaureate and commencement exercises scheduled to get under way at most schools this coming Sunday.

Here is a rundown of activities:

### CASS CITY

Baccalaureate services for 159 Cass City High School graduates will be conducted Sunday, May 22, at 2:00 p.m. at the high school gymnasium.

The Senior High Band, under the direction of George Bushong, will lead the processional, followed by the invocation by Rev. Harold Prong of the Novesta Church of Christ. The band and senior high choir will present several musical selections, followed

by the prayer for the graduates by Rev. Fr. Joseph Morales of St. Pancratius Catholic church.

The address will be given by Rev. Harry Capps, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Cass City.

Rev. Prong will deliver the benediction.

Graduation exercises will be held Thursday, May 26, at 8:00 p.m. at the high school. Student speakers and musical selections by the senior high band will highlight the ceremonies.

The band will present "Michel Legrand in Concert", arranged by Polster, featuring the selections "Windmills of Your Mind", "Sweet Gingerbread Man" and "What Are You Doing the Rest of Your Life".

Student speakers this year are Cathy Hobart and Brian Reynolds.

Curtis Cleland Jr. and Wayne Dillon, high school guidance counselors, will present honors and awards to outstanding students of the class of 1977.

Supt. Donald G. Crouse will present diplomas. Rev. James Van Dellen of Good Shepherd Lutheran church will deliver the invocation and benediction.

The traditional "Swing Out" will be held Wednesday, May 25, beginning at 8:45 a.m. and follow its usual route through the main business district of Cass City.

The route will begin at the Intermediate School parking lot and head south on Seeger to Church Street. The parade then heads for West Street where marchers will turn south and then turn east on Main Street.

The parade will turn again. Please turn to page 5.

### Women's clubs meet

The 54th annual Tuscola County Federation of Women's Clubs met Thursday, May 12, at the Kingston United Methodist church. Mrs. Walter Parrott of Kingston, county president, presided.

Speakers included the State Federation President, Mrs.

Wayne Finkbeiner, who spoke on "Programming". Mrs. John Uphregrave, the East Central district president, spoke on new legislation of interest to the organization. Mrs. Connie McIntyre of Port Huron, consumer consultant for Detroit Edison, discussed "Conservation of Energy". The county project is speech therapy and Ron Laeder emphasized achievements of the year.

The Kingston Community School choir sang several numbers.

The women of the Kingston UM church served a banquet at six o'clock. The next annual meeting of the county Federation will be held at Millington.

Local women who attended the meeting at Kingston were Mrs. Donald Wernette, Mrs. Leona Stevens, Mrs. Harold Perry, Mrs. Edward Baker, Mrs. Archie McLachlan and Mrs. Esther McCullough.

Nobody needs a vacation so badly as those who just had one.

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## Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little  
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Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lindsay (Naomi Gibson) of Birchwood Hts., Fountain Gardens, formerly of Cass City, celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary, Sunday, May 15, when they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Whitaker in St. Johns. The Whitakers were also celebrating an April wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay have two daughters, Mrs. Allen Merchant of Cass City and Mrs. Wayne Conaway of Glendale, Ariz., and one son, Paul Lindsay of Moon Valley, Phoenix, Ariz.

Some 20 friends of Miss Beth Sunderland attended a miscellaneous bridal shower for her Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Philip Gray. Co-hostess was Mrs. James D. Tuckey.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Hood at Wehl Saturday evening.

Keith McConkey spent last week in Holland, Mich., with his son Fred and family and attended the tulip festival.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Vader of Ontario, California, Monday visited his sister, Mrs. Milton Hoffman, who has been ill for the last three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Guinther entertained relatives at dinner Sunday following services at Good Shepherd Lutheran church when their daughter, Kim Smith, was a member of the confirmation class. Guests included Jack Smith, serving in the Army and stationed in Kentucky, who had been home on a seven day leave. Mrs. Dick Guinther's mother, Mrs. Norma Hull, Mrs. Guinther's aunt from Grayling and Mrs. John Guinther. In the afternoon, Mrs. Dick Guinther, her mother and aunt and Mrs. John Guinther took Jack Smith to Tri-City Airport and he returned to camp.

### ENGAGED



CATHY SKAGGS

Mr. and Mrs. James Skaggs of Deford announce the engagement of their daughter, Cathy to Don R. Erla, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Erla of Cass City. An October 8 wedding is planned.

United Methodist women from Cass City who attended a membership workshop in the Marlette UM church Monday, sponsored by the Detroit conference, were Mrs. Byron Hatch, Mrs. Robert Keating, Mrs. Tom Proctor and Mrs. F.D. Profit, from Trinity church, and Mrs. Esther McCullough, Mrs. Walter Jezewski, Mrs. Maurice Joos and Mrs. David Loomis from Salem church.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Stine and sons Scott and Randy spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stine at Rockford.

Mrs. Carmack Smith went to her home Saturday from Hills and Dales General Hospital where she had been a patient for 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Guinther and family visited the Roger Guinthers in Caro, Sunday.

Thumb Affiliate No. 25 met Monday, May 9, at Helen's Beauty Shop in Cass City. Guest artist was Judy Arion, a technician for Revlon products of Plymouth. She demonstrated permanents and color products.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly had as dinner guests Sunday, her sisters, Mrs. Isla Cook and Mrs. Mary Rich.

David O'Dell of Bannister, who spent the week end here, was a caller Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh and the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Finkbeiner.

The junior choir and several adults of Good Shepherd Lutheran church met at Cass City recreational park Monday for a picnic and games to end the junior choir year.

### Community theatre planned

A summer community theatre is being planned in the Owendale-Gagetown area.

A classic melodrama, with acting parts for many actors of all ages, possibly with music and dance, is being selected. Rehearsal schedules and performance dates will be flexible.

Anyone in the Owendale-Gagetown area age seventh grade through adult, interested in summer community theatre, and interested in working as an actor or on the stage crew, should contact Shelly Rocheleau at 678-4228. When enough interest and support is shown, audition dates will be announced.

### Ehrlich rites held Saturday

Mrs. Eva Ehrlich, 91, Owendale, died Wednesday, May 11, at her home on Canboro Road.

She was born April 27, 1886, in Russia, daughter of the late Jacob and Annie Wypert Erdman. She married Chris J. Ehrlich in March, 1906, in Russia. The couple came to the United States in 1907, settling in Owendale in 1911. He died Jan. 3, 1943.

Mrs. Ehrlich was a member of the Linkville Lutheran church for 40 years.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. William (Mollie) McGregory of Detroit; three sons, August of Owendale, Peter of Ypsilanti and Christian (Jake) of Ann Arbor; one sister, Mrs. Annie Sibel of Chicago; 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. One son, Henry, two brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

The funeral was held Saturday at Little's Funeral Home with Rev. Terry Klaus of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Linkville, officiating. Burial was in St. Paul's Lutheran cemetery, Linkville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner had as guests from Friday evening until Sunday, Bill Finkbeiner and sons, Matthew and Bill, Marcia Finkel and daughter Heather of Hartland. Mrs. Donnell Holland and son Michael of Sebawaing joined them for dinner Saturday evening.

Douglas O'Dell and family of Bannister spent the week end with his grandfather, Theo Hendrick, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy, Beth Tracy and Duane O'Dell had Mr. Hendrick and his guests for a cook-out meal. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr., Larry Finkbeiner and daughters, Alice and Kathy, and a friend, Sandra Blomberg of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Secord of Keego Harbor and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Perry were Sunday guests of Mrs. Floyd Ottaway.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus Sr., Mrs. Dorothy McCormick and son of Flint were Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martus and family in Flushing.

Mrs. Gerald Whittaker, Mrs. Charles Wright, Mrs. George Jetta and Mrs. Alex Greenleaf were in Bay City Friday evening to attend the 100th anniversary celebration of the institution of Sharon Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

A party honoring Mae White and Isla Mae Cook was held Saturday evening, May 7, for Mother's Day in Bay City. Guests included Frances Cook of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and Lisa and Mary Belle Rich of Tucson, Ariz. Following dinner, the group went to Miss Cook's apartment for cake and ice cream. The honored guests were presented Mother's Day gifts and each wore a corsage. On Mother's Day, at Isla Mae Cook's home in Cass City, the group were dinner guests. Afternoon visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly and Mr. and Mrs. Bob White and daughter Amy Jo.

Mrs. Charles Ballard of Beulah visited at the Chronicle Monday morning. She was en route home after spending a few days with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ballard is the former Donna Hilding-er.

Baptized Sunday at Good Shepherd Lutheran church was Edward Allen Hoppe, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Hoppe. Sponsor was Ronald Rockwell of Snover.

### Fete couple on anniversary

A surprise 35th wedding anniversary party was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Zdrojewski of Palms, given by the couple's children, Ken and Michelle Zdrojewski of Cass City, Roger and Doreen Zdrojewski of Minden City, where the party was held, and Philip Zdrojewski of Palms. The couple were married May 13, 1942, in Bad Axe. Relatives came from Bad Axe, Ruth, Palms, Minden City and Port Huron. The couple have four children and eight grandchildren.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Damm, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jezewski and Mrs. Grant Ball visited Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dean and Mrs. Dean's father, Fred Joos in Caro Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Maurice Willits of Rochester visited Mr. and Mrs. William Profit Saturday and also called at the Edward Profit and Leslie Profit homes.

Mr. and Mrs. David Little had as week-end guests, Lori Gates, Carol Dickinson and Mitzi VanHorn of Vestaburg. Other Sunday dinner guests were six members of the "Inner Peace" singing group from Great Lakes Bible College in Lansing who participated in worship services Sunday at the Novesta Church of Christ.

The Harmony Farm Bureau group met Tuesday evening of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barrigar.

Mrs. Noreen Partridge was a Monday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Profit and children. The family was celebrating Mrs. Profit's birthday, which is this week.

Shawn and Shannon Campbell of Royal Oak spent part of Saturday at the Ed Profit home with Connie and Billy Profit.

Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi went Sunday to Livonia to spend most of this week with her daughter and family, the Ed Hunts.

The afternoon Circle of Presbyterian women met Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. C.M. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Warner had supper with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hicks of Greenbush spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch.

Wilfred Wentworth of Detroit and his father-in-law, Mr. Hazzard de Lapeer, had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Aleksink and Mrs. Anna-Yorko visited friends in Marlette, Sunday.

Mrs. Leslie Merchant and Kristy and Mrs. George Arnot spent Friday night and Saturday at the William Patch home in Harrison and attended the mother and daughter tea at the Baptist church Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Erla returned home from a vacation and business trip to San Antonio and Corpus Christi, Texas. While there, they visited relatives and toured meat plants.

### Marriage Licenses

Duane Allan Laking, 24, of Reese and Diane Elizabeth Butler, 19, of Bay City.

Alfred James Cunningham, 24, of Vassar and Victoria Lynn Reed, 20, of Vassar.

Alan Benjamin Peters, 23, of Uby and Patricia Lynn Holcomb, 22, of Deford.

William Joseph Law, 22, of Caro and Cheryl Lynn Raymond, 23, of Deford.

Ronald Seay Gerst, 25, of Edmond, Okla., and Judy Ann Venema, 22, of Deford.

Jeff J. Plikkie, 19, of Caro and Gina Lee Beyette, 17, of Caro.

### Hills and Dales General Hospital BIRTHS:

May 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gohsman of Cass City, a boy, Corey Scott.  
May 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Abfalter of Gagetown, twin girls.

### PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, MAY 16, WERE:

Mrs. Harold Little, Mrs. Elizabeth Knowlton, William Ashmore, J.C. Hutchinson, Joseph Kappen, Richard Lapeer, Mrs. Lori Randall, Glenn Tuggle and Wallace Wiles of Cass City;

Walter Kelley, Richard Nicol, Genevieve Faszca and Mrs. Jeffrey Seltz of Deford; Mrs. Gerald Wilson, Frank Gludovatz, Mrs. Walter Hartner, Mrs. Joseph Groleau and Carl Rockstroh of Unionville; Sarah Ann Davidson, Mrs. LeRoy Evans and Kristopher Repshinska of Gagetown; Allan Jones of Mt. Clemens;

Mrs. Charles Hodder of Sebawaing; Raymond Caverly of Kingston; Mrs. Robert Jarvis of Pigeon; Theophilus Kulish of Uby; Santos Martinez of Owendale; Mrs. Opal Putman of Mayville.

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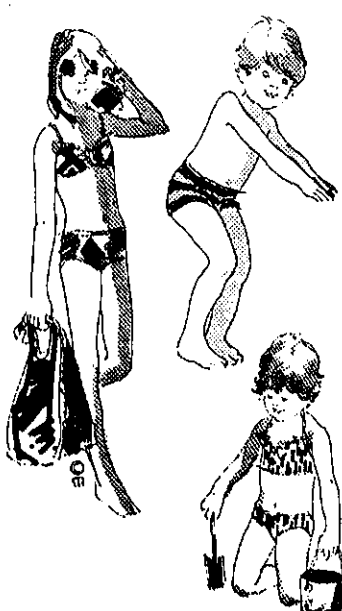
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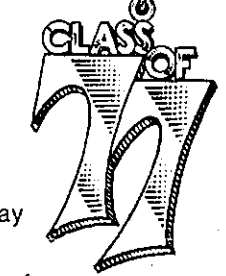


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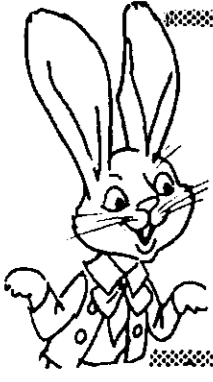
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# Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Nothing's new department. Ms. Joan Merchant has a clipping from a paper that shows a cup of coffee sprouting wings and headed up, up, up.

That could have been in today's edition. It wasn't. The date was missing but I can give you a clue. Ham was advertised in that edition for 49 cents a pound and that had to be a long time ago.

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I knew better when I listed Lambert Althaver as executive vice-president at Walbro. He's the president now, of course, and chief operating officer. Althaver didn't complain but others in the know pointed out the error.

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Any week now there will be an announcement of a four-store addition to the Cass City business community if plans virtually completed are finalized.

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Last week I spent a day and a half trout fishing. One of two things is different now. Either there are fewer trout or I don't fish as hard as I once did. Guess which?

Really, it's a combination of both. Regardless, the days were beautiful and Alden Asher and I both had a relaxing wonderful time.

Bonus department: my wife absolutely refuses to fry the fish I catch anyway.

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Mrs. Bruce Kritzman called to say, "Amen" to the column calling for us to forget Nixon's TV show and get on with the business at hand.

Evidently she wasn't alone. TV ratings were down, down, down for the second show in the series.

That's progress. Speaking of shows, I can happily report that I didn't watch a second of Muhammad Ali's Monday night televised "fight".

That's progress.

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A visitor at the office was Ms. Donna Ballard, who was Donna Hildinger most of the years she worked at the Chronicle before moving to Beulah.

In those years it was common to work until 10 or 11 p.m. every Tuesday night and when things went haywire all-night sessions were needed, too.

Now it's a rare week when the demands of the job keep us overtime.

That's really progress.

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How important are facilities in producing winning athletic teams? You'll get a variety of answers to that one. But in the Thumb anyway the facts seem to indicate that the best facilities have little correlation with the best teams.

The best in track in the Thumb in class B is Frankenmuth and the best in the Thumb and often in the State in Class C is USA.

The tracks of both are zilch compared to all others in the league.

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You can always get a reaction from students if you remark how good the food is in the cafeteria on those special occasions where adults are participants.

One of these is the annual banquet staged by the students in the co-op program. The food is always topnotch.

When I point that out to the students the answer is always a great big snort and a reply that indicates "you should have been here yesterday".

The banquet has been held several years now and each year Director Wayne Dillon's talks get better and he's more at ease doing it. His after dinner remarks are also shorter and more succinct.

That's progress.

## Singles set dance

A dance will be held May 21 at the First United Methodist church house in Bad Axe from 8:30 p.m. until 12:30 a.m., sponsored by the Tip of The Thumb Singles Club.

All single, widowed and divorced persons 25 years and older are invited to come and dance to the music of Randy Rukowski and the Polish Pioneers.

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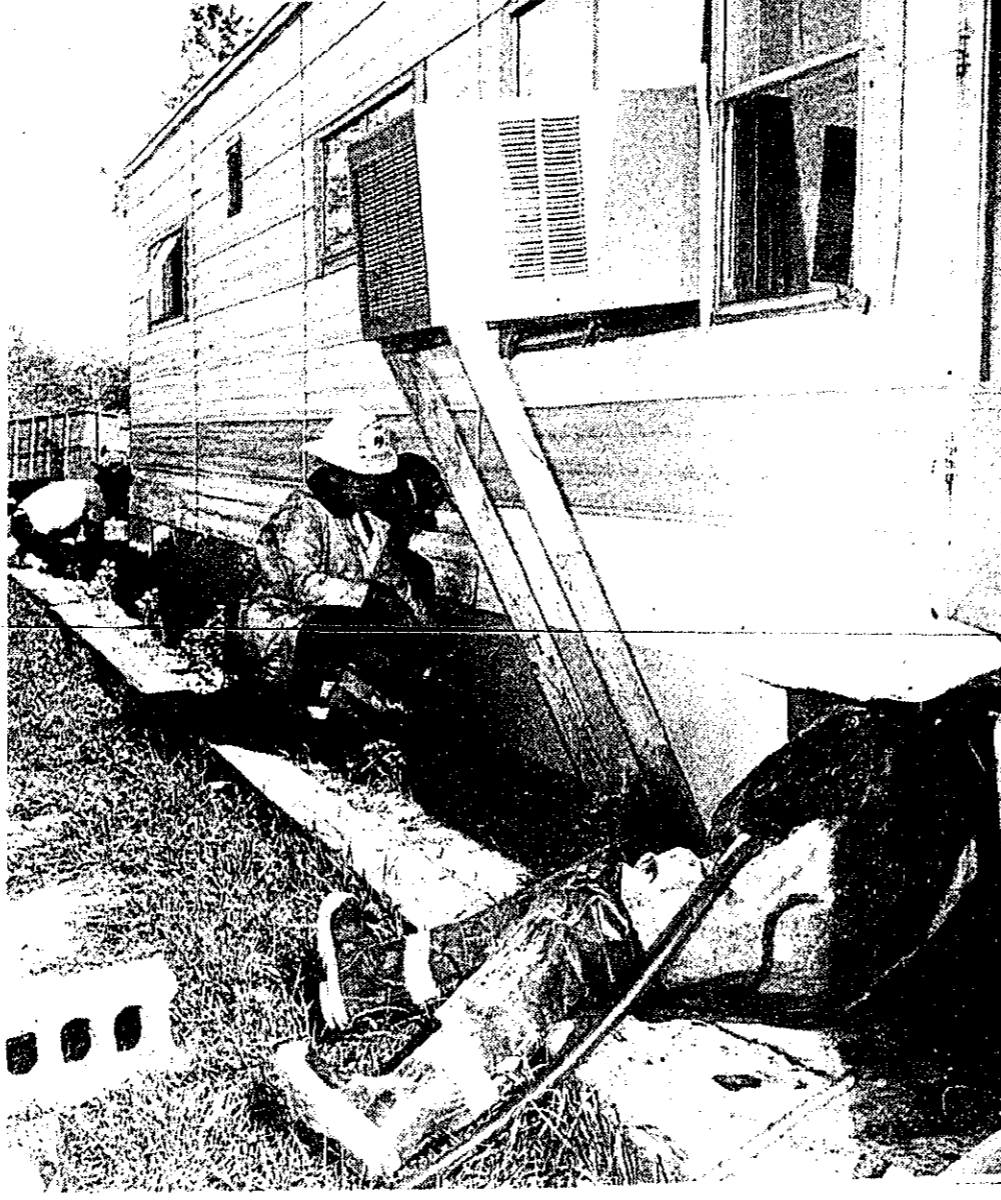
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**ELKLAND TOWNSHIP firemen work to snuff out a stubborn blaze which broke out beneath a mobile home owned by Kenneth Graichen and located on Cemetery Road, eight miles south of Cass City. Damage was estimated at \$1,000.**

## Chamber hashes folder; committees named

The Cass City Chamber of Commerce discussed the possibility of publishing a brochure promoting the village during the first meeting of its new year held Wednesday night, May 11, at the home of President Dick Albee.

Board members favor a small brochure which can be easily updated as opposed to publishing a more expensive booklet similar to one printed in 1970.

A committee composed of Phil Keating, Dorothy Stahlbaum and Robert Stickle will oversee the brochure's production.

Albee also appointed four other committees. They include new business develop-

ment, with Gary Christner, Paul Chappel and Gloria Ovary as members; beautification, Ken Martin and Keith Pobanz; correspondence, Jim Ketchum, and the Spring Community Banquet, Dorothy Stahlbaum and Phil Keating.

Albee said one of the Chamber's top priorities in the coming year is business development in the village. He urged close cooperation with the Cass City Industrial Development Corporation in helping to attract new business to Cass City.

Members agreed to finish the tree-planting project this spring. About a dozen more trees will be ordered and planted in the near future.

In other business, it was announced that the Chamber came within \$100 of breaking even on the Spring Community Banquet held last month. It was one of the best showings the banquet has made in recent years.

Total receipts were \$1,536 while expenses were reported as \$1,634.46.

Board members declined to purchase flags for the annual village Memorial Day parade, citing a tight budget and the fact that the parade is not a Chamber function.

The group agreed to meet regularly the fourth Monday of each month. Meetings are slated to be held at the offices of Gary Christner unless otherwise announced.

## Phone service cut

Cass City and much of the Thumb suffered a partial interruption of long-distance telephone service Thursday morning when excavators accidentally cut a major toll cable west of Bay City.

General Telephone Co. spokesman Bob Stevens said only about five of 40 toll call

circuits were operable after the accident, which took place around 9:30 a.m. Repair crews had all circuits back in operation by 3:00 p.m.

Stevens said Elkton was the only exchange in the Thumb to be totally without long distance phone service during the period.

## FROM THE Editor's Corner



Cass City is not alone when it measures the cost of culture with the benefits that it generates.

Detroit is trying to cope, too. Naturally, on a grand scale as befitting a big city with big problems.

Cass City is measuring the worth of the Cultural Center. Detroit is trying to decide what old buildings are worth saving, if any.

Bringing Detroit's problem into focus is the scheduled demolition of two historic buildings, Harper Hospital and Crowley's downtown. History buffs are moaning the loss of the quaint dormer windows at Harper and the smooth sandstone walls of Crowley's.

They are asking the Detroit City Council for \$6,000 to research buildings threatened with demolition to see what can be saved.

It's essentially the same problem that Cass City has with its Cultural Center. Cost vs. benefit.

Given the myriad problems that face Detroit, it's hard to see where the city can rationally use many dollars for keeping old buildings intact.

That's not to say that it won't happen. In Detroit anything is possible.

I'd say that preserving old buildings is easier to justify than spending the millions that is proposed for another sports edifice on the riverfront.

Doesn't that boggle the mind? It's almost insane. To spend that kind of money

when it's ten to one right now that Cobo arena will be begging for tenants in less than three years. If you believe what you read, Cobo's major tenant, the Piston basketball team, is moving out.

What it boils down to is a decision. Is preserving of an era worth the dollars it takes or can they be better spent on curing the ills of the city?

What makes the decision difficult is that in comparison with the need, the amount here is miniscule. It would disappear like a leaf caught in a whirlpool. Sucked in and gone forever without leaving a trace showing where it went.

Even so the thought persists that it's the obligation of Detroit city fathers to act for the majority. For most, I suspect, an old building is an old building and not a matter for great concern.

Certainly not as important as jobs, better housing, crime and education. If they listen to these voices the money for restoration of buildings will be shut off before it gets started.

Detroit hasn't got a simple, inexpensive way of finding what the majority wants like Cass City has. If there's doubt about our Cultural Center an advisory vote would settle it once and for all.

No one can question the action of our village fathers if they act in accordance with the wishes of the majority. It's simple for them to learn what it is.



## "If It Fitz..." Golf could be beautiful

By Jim Fitzgerald

A few years ago, a surgeon suggested there should be no pitchers in boys' baseball because it is bad for the kids' arms. He said a machine should be used to hurl the ball toward the batter.

I go along with that, happily. I hope the idea will catch on and possibly spread to golf.

Dr. Joseph Godfrey is the surgeon who wanted to bench young pitchers. At the time he was chief of orthopedic surgery at Buffalo Children's Hospital.

"No kid of mine would ever pitch little league baseball," he said. "The possibilities of sustaining permanent elbow restrictions of motion may definitely stem from throwing overhead at an early age."

I got to thinking about Dr. Godfrey while playing golf the other day.

My partner and I were riding in an electric cart, of course. I haven't carried a bag around 18 holes since the invention of the wheel. I hired a caddy only once. I didn't mind the little kid snickering at my stance, but it was too much when he began hollering across fairways to his buddies to "C'mere, ya gotta see this!"

Admittedly, my stance is more superstitious than scientific. It is my theory that I must aim the ball directly toward the nearest body of water, wherever that water might be. This way, because of my slice, I never have to worry about hitting the ball into the water. It makes sense to me, and I don't want to argue about it with some snotty little caddy.

Anyway, this was a beautiful day, the day I decided golf could use a Dr. Godfrey. The sun was warm but there was a sweet breeze. The grass was lush. It would take a poet, not a scribbler, to describe the lovely view down the fairways, over the ponds and traps, to the greens.

Thermos which dispensed cool refreshment at the bend of an elbow which, fortunately, wasn't bugged up 40 years ago pitching baseballs.

"You know, I could really get to like golf," I told my partner as we drove along, sipping, "if I could just hire some husky kid to hit the ball for me."

That wouldn't be possible, of course. You start bringing

kids along, the first thing you know they'd want to ride the cart and share the sosh. A guy could get arrested for contributing to delinquency and I already gave at home.

But why couldn't a medical man with Dr. Godfrey's credentials look into golf? It would be better if he were a psychiatrist. There is no denying that golf drives people nuts, especially overweight, middle-aged businessmen and politicians.

Certainly the sanity of this nation's merchants and leaders is as important as the elbow of some little leaguer. How much commerce has been stalled because a duffer has become so deranged he still believes that, after 30 years of banana balls, he can cure his slice if he just plays enough?

Remember when Spiro Agnew was a breath away from David Frost? Spiro was a celebrity chaser and he was continually playing in golf tournaments with Arnold Palmer. Agnew's game was so lousy that he should have been teeing up at 4 a.m. on drizzly mornings while the rest of the world was safe in bed. But he insisted upon hitting the ball while thousands of star-struck fans surrounded the fairways and looked over his shoulder.

In a Bob Hope tourney, Agnew's first drive went sideways and hit a woman on the arm. Spiro gallantly kissed her on her sore spot. Hind-sight is wishing he had her in the hind end.

Incredibly, Agnew kept swinging. His next effort hit a

spectator standing behind him. The bleeding man was carried to the first aid tent. Agnew pleaded nolo contendere and went on to the next hole.

Obviously, Agnew had been out in the sun too long, playing golf. The game drove him bonkers. It happens to hundreds of hackers every year, ruining friendships and tumbling empires.

This would be a more sane and stable world if a Dr. Godfrey would proclaim something like this: "No stockbroker of mine would ever swing at a golf ball. The possibilities of sustaining permanent mental restrictions of thought may definitely stem from taking a nine on a par three."

The solution is automation. I envision a cannon-like contraction mounted on the front of the golf cart. It would shoot the balls directly where aimed, and suck them back when necessary.

There would be no reason to get out of the cart except to get more ice.

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### 17 teens visit Sarnia

Seventeen juniors and seniors and their guests went to Sarnia Saturday night following the junior-senior banquet. The trip was under the auspices of the Baptist teen department. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rayl and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ewald were chaperones.

The group stayed in a motel Saturday night in Sarnia, where they bowled, swam and had a pizza party and devotions. Sunday morning they attended services at First Baptist church, Corunna, Canada. After dinner, they took the shore line drive home.

## Shabbona Area News

Marie Meredith  
Phone 672-9489



Rev. and Mrs. Harold Smith went Tuesday to Mio and were staying at the Ralph Smith cottage while holding meetings there. They were joined for the week end by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. Thelma Ward and daughter Carolina and Jim Clark of Flint were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil VanNorman. Mrs.

Ward remained for a few days' visit.

Miss Jeanie Kreger of Grand Rapids spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger and family. Miss Bummy Hill was a Friday evening caller of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg. Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Thursday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sawdon and family. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg visited Charlie Hoagg Tuesday.

Eldon Phetteplace was a Saturday caller of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger. Mrs. Ralph Smith attended a mother and daughter banquet Thursday evening with Mrs. Vern Geister at the Mariette Baptist church.

#### YOUTH BANQUET

Sunday evening, May 15, the RLDS Women's Department entertained the youth at a chicken banquet.

Miss Debbie Smith was toastmistress. Special guests were Elder and Mrs. Dean Smith, youth leader, and Elder and Mrs. Wilbur Dorman. He is the pastor.

Mrs. Dorman presented gifts to graduates Sally Smith, Wendy Doerr, Diane Loeding, Mary Belle Fleming, Mark Smith and Ray Buerkle. Special music was provided by Tom Fulcher of Cass City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wiswell.

### 200 attend banquet

The mother-daughter banquet held May 10 at the Baptist church was attended by around 200. Dinner was served by men of the church. Sharon Evans gave the invocation.

The theme, "Pattern for Living", was followed in the decorations, programs and by the speaker, Mrs. L.D. Grant of Caro.

Pat Wells acted as mistress of ceremonies and Lynn Sherman led group singing. Jane Hutchinson gave the toast to mothers and Barb Hutchinson, the toast to daughters. Several girls presented an acrostic spelling "Mother." Prizes were awarded by Rona Hillaker to: the girl under six with the widest smile, Melinda Papp; the girl between 6-12 with the longest hair, Joy LaPonsie; the mother under 35 who had made, most recently, the dress she was wearing, Ruth Shaw; the mother from 35-60 with the most buttons on her dress, Mary Jane Warner, and the one over 60 who had the largest number of daughters and granddaughters present, Edna Warner.

Shirley Shaw, president of the missionary society, recognized the committee members who had assisted with the banquet. Vocal trios were presented by Julie Helwig, Sharon Wells and Terry Hoag and Mrs. Shaw, Helen Rayl and Melva Guinther. They were accompanied by Wendy Ware and Sharon Evans. Karen Streeter gave the benediction.

### McCool to graduate May 30

Dick McCool, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.J. McCool of Kingston, will graduate May 30, with a degree in theology from Olivet Nazarene College, Bourbonnais, Ill.

He plans to spend the summer at his home before entering Nazarene Theological Seminary in Kansas City, Mo.

A quadriplegic, McCool plans to become a hospital chaplain. He was paralyzed at the age of 17 when he dove into shallow water and broke his neck.

He entered Olivet in 1972.

#### METHODIST WOMEN

The United Methodist Women met Wednesday evening, May 11, at the church lower auditorium with Mrs. Clark Auslander and Mrs. Fred Emigh as co-hostesses.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Robert Bader, chairman, with worship by Mrs. Mary Vatter. There were 18 members present. The lesson was presented by Mrs. Dick Wallace on "What is it Like to Die?"

The next meeting will be June 8 with a dinner out.

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#### CANCER DRIVE

Mrs. Don Smith, chairman of the cancer drive for Evergreen township, reports \$339.90 collected. Workers were Mrs. Dale Wehner, Mrs. Luella Smith, Mrs. Leslie Severance, Mrs. Arthur Severance, Mrs. John Agar and Mrs. Virgil Faust.

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Hope Leslie had surgery Sunday at Hills and Dales Hospital, Cass City.

Mrs. Alex Wheeler, Emma Wheeler, Grace Wheeler, Mrs. Clarence Bullock and Mrs. Duncan McLean attended a surprise shower at Cash Sunday for Mary

### Kloc completes course

Navy Seaman Edward J. Kloc, son of Mrs. Bernice Kloc of 6191 Shabbona Road, Deford, has completed the Navy's Basic Electricity-Electronics Course.

Four weeks of study at Great Lakes, Ill., included review of basic mathematics, fundamental electrical formulas plus the principles of alternating and direct current circuits. Students also received instruction on basic circuit testing methods, including the use of multi-meters and audio signal generators.

He joined the Navy in October, 1976.

Worry is like running from something that isn't after you.

Wheeler. It was held in her own home. The Cash neighbors were the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McIntosh and family.

#### PIONEER

The Pioneer group will meet Thursday, May 26, at the RLDS church annex for a pancake and sausage dinner at 12:30 p.m.

#### EXTENSION

The Shabbona Extension will meet Monday evening, May 23, at the Shabbona United Methodist church for a hobby night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phetteplace and daughter were Friday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger and family.

Gerald Forrest Johnston of Kingston in Kingston township was ticketed for speeding 65 mph in an allowed 55 mph zone. He paid fine and costs of \$20.

Edward Periso of Kingston in Kingston township was ticketed for excessive speed, 77 mph in a 55 mph zone. He paid fine and costs of \$50.

Eric Warren Santhony of Saginaw in the village of Cass City was ticketed for speeding 35 mph in a 25 mph zone. He paid fine and costs of \$20.

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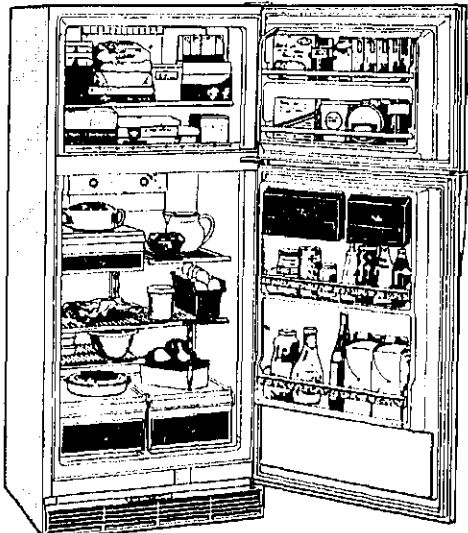


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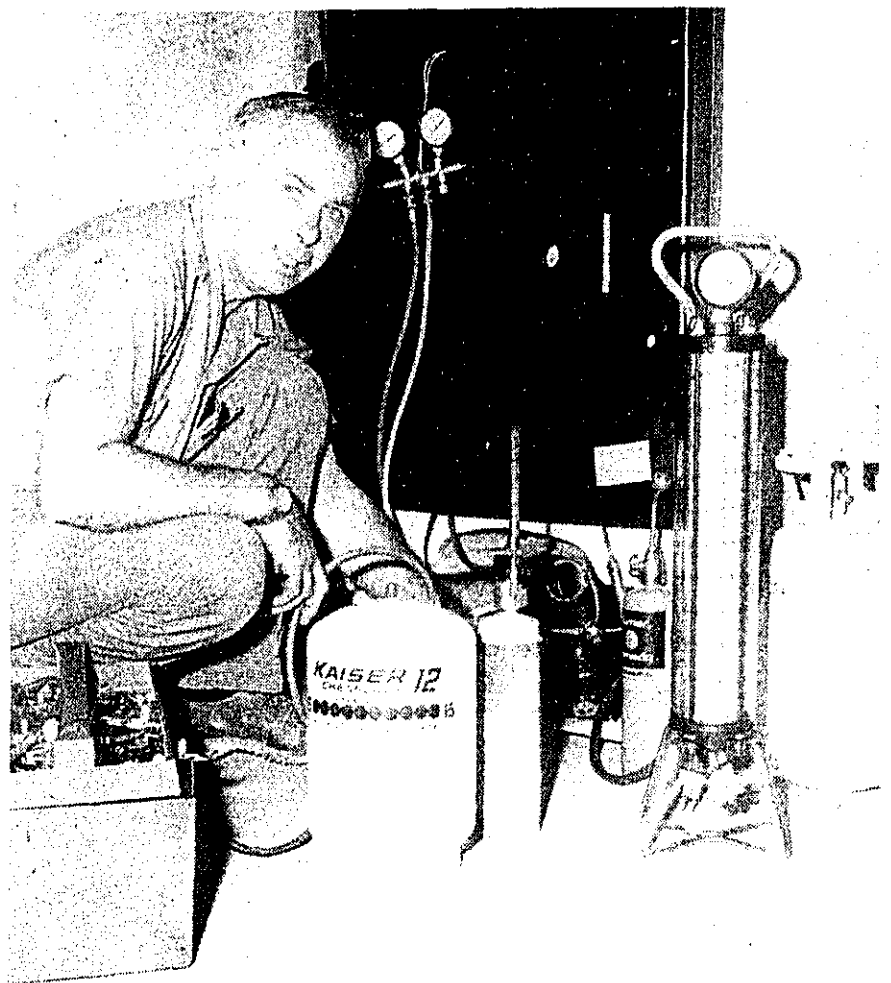
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# Police probe series of area larcenies

Cass City Police spent much of the past week investigating a series of larceny reports, the most serious involving the theft of a \$300 transit level.

The instrument, owned by builder Tom Herron, was stolen from a van sometime last week. Police have no suspects.

Larry Buehrly of Greenland Rd., Cass City, reported the theft of a cultivator taken from a tractor owned by his father. The tractor was parked near the Cass City High School farm shop and was discovered missing Thursday.

Buehrly told police he had brought it to the school for repairs as part of class work. Value of the implement was set at \$150.

Three more reports of stolen citizens' band radio antennas were investigated by Cass City Police during the past

week. Steven Reed of 6256 River Rd. told officers a CB antenna was taken from his car Sunday as it sat parked in the Charmont Lanes parking lot.

Keith Pobanz of 6787 Houghton St. also reported the theft of a CB antenna from his auto Thursday. The theft took place while the car was parked in front of his house, Pobanz told officers.

A third antenna theft was reported by Jeanne Parker of Cass City Road. The theft took place in the Cass City High School parking lot.

Tuscola County Sheriff's officers investigated a report of stray bullets being fired in the vicinity of Elizabeth and Maple Streets Saturday.

Danny Gee of 6603 Elizabeth told officers a stray bullet narrowly missed his son. Officers later questioned four juveniles who said they had a .22 caliber rifle but

denied firing any shots near homes.

Leslie Scott Tuckey of Elmwood Rd., Cass City, told Caro State Police someone threw a water balloon with a rock inside at his car windshield Sunday as he drove toward Caro on M-81.

Tuckey told officers the missile struck the windshield, breaking it. The incident took place just northeast of the Caro village limits. No suspects were apprehended.

### ARRESTS

Cass City Police arrested two brothers on charges of being drunk and disorderly following a reported fight at the Colonial Inn early Saturday morning.

Arrested were James Joseph Meredith, Utica, and his brother, Roger Dean Meredith of Detroit.

The pair were apprehended following an altercation in which several persons were involved.

# Graduation swirl gets under way

Continued from page one

### KINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL

Baccalaureate and commencement exercises at Kingston High School will be combined this year and held Sunday, May 29, at 2:00 p.m. at the high school gym.

The 55 members of the class of 1977 decided to combine both ceremonies for the sake of convenience.

The program will begin with the processional by the high school band under the direction of Wayne Smith. The band will perform several musical selections including music from the play "Fiddler on the Roof".

Rev. Joel Hurley of the Kingston United Methodist church will deliver the sermon.

Valedictorian Sheryl Wenzlaff and salutatorian Mark Miller will be the student speakers. Presentation of the

Class of 1977 will be made by Clifton Taylor, class sponsor. Principal Lee C. Robinson will present scholarships.

Supt. Robert Cameron will present the class to school board president Louis Wenzlaff Jr., who will hand out diplomas.

The class appreciation address will be given by Elizabeth Patterson, class president.

Invocation will be by Rev. Lowell Davis, with Rev. Carl Silvernail delivering the benediction.

### OWEN-GAGE

Baccalaureate services for the 36 graduating seniors from Owen-Gage High School will be held Sunday, May 22, in the Owendale gym at 8:00 p.m. Rev. Herbert Ryan of Sebawaing will be the main speaker.

Commencement exercises will be held Thursday, May 26, at 8:00 p.m. on the front lawn of the Owendale High

School, weather permitting.

B. William Todd of the University of Michigan will be the guest speaker. His theme will be "It's Time to Start Unpacking".

Diplomas will be presented by a member of the board of education.

Kaye Brinkman is class valedictorian and Elaine Andrakowicz is salutatorian. Class officers are president, Deanne Rapson; vice-president, Frances Koss; secretary, Rhonda Radabaugh, and treasurer, Brian Gaeth.

### UBLY

Baccalaureate services were held Sunday evening for 106 Ubyly High School graduates at the high school gym.

Commencement exercises will be held Friday evening, May 20, at 8 p.m. at the high school gym. Valedictorian Mary K. Clor and salutatorian Timothy Cook will speak.

Details were published in last week's Chronicle.

### KETCHUM'S KNAPSACK

## Patterson is wrong

By Jim Ketchum



L. Brooks Patterson, crusading Oakland county prosecutor, says parole is a dirty word. He is in favor of locking up convicted felons for a prescribed minimum sentence or until their fingers rot off, whichever comes first.

Patterson launched a statewide petition drive to reform the Michigan parole system. He would require the serving of at least minimum sentence before felons become eligible for parole.

He maintains the Legislature's refusal to deal with similar legislation sparked his drive.

Patterson wants to fill the jails with felons and is willing to spend lots of taxpayer money building new prisons.

"(The chairman of the House Judiciary Committee) asked, among other things, 'Are we prepared to pay the price of at least \$195 million to

build a prison to house convicted felons of violent crimes?'" a Patterson press release said last week.

"Let me respond in the words of the mother of an 11-year-old girl raped and murdered by a parolee in Oakland county: I would gladly pay \$195 million to have the opportunity just one more time to tuck my little girl in bed."

It makes nice copy but what it carries in emotion it lacks in realism.

The undeniable fact is that you can't lock up every convicted felon for long terms because there isn't room. Jackson Prison authorities recently contacted Tuscola County Sheriff Hugh Marr regarding boarding prison trustees at the jail in Caro.

It's also a fact that if you want to house felons for a minimum sentence, you'd better have a place to put them besides county jails and old warehouses.

More prisons are fine, but Patterson bristles when it's suggested one of those prisons be built in Oakland county. That's out of the question, L. Brooks says.

Try and find any county ready and willing to accept a maximum security prison built within its boundaries. I don't hear a chorus from Tuscola, Huron or Sanilac county demanding it.

"Such an obvious move by the Legislature is no more than a blatant act to intimidate not only the public in Oakland county but citizens across the state from getting involved in a tough law enforcement program," Patterson says.

He says Oakland county is being punished for seeking stronger sentences. Still he pushes for longer prison terms without saying just how and where all this will take place.

But it puts on a good show and gives Patterson the press he needs when he decides to run for higher state office.

Simply locking up felons for longer terms won't do a lot to make the streets much safer. It just gives the prisoner a little longer to work up more hatred for society and to strengthen his determination to "get back" at the people who put him there.

I'm convinced the answer still lies with cracking the criminal psyche—to understand it and counter it before someone is raped or murdered. Admittedly it's a lot tougher than just building more prisons. But as a society, we owe it to ourselves at least to try.

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## Girl Scout camp slated

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Camp will open each day with a flag ceremony at 9 a.m. and close at 3 p.m. Brownies, juniors and cadettes will pitch tents and kitchen flies, plan and cook their own meals over an open fire, and participate in such activities as songfests, nature studies, hiking, wading, handicraft and games.

One overnight is planned for juniors and cadettes. The staff will be volunteer mothers, leaders and assistants, and an attending nurse for first aid. Scouts of mothers who volunteer will not have to pay the camp fee. Each town will car pool the campers each day.

An outdoor training session for leaders, assistants and mothers will be held at Camp Riverdale Wednesday, May 25, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Staff is still needed. Anyone interested in helping, even for one day, as a leader, assistant or helper with handicrafts, is asked to call the director, Shelly "Sunni" Rocheleau at 678-4228 or Mrs. Veneta Kling at 678-4352, Owendale.

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## Lutherans confirm 15

Fifteen adults and young people were received into membership at Good Shepherd Lutheran church Sunday morning by the rite of confirmation.

The adults were James Guinther, Ronald Rockwell, Mrs. Mary Tate, Mrs. Cynthia Klaus and Mrs. Nora Frederick.

Others were Steven Bock, Robert Leslie, Timothy Sonntag, Sherry Dohn, Joan Hahn, Terry Kuck, Brian Bills, Kimberly Smith, Julie Groth and Robert Zimmer.

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# Gagetown Area News

Mrs. Harold Koch  
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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Manley McMillen, a son, Jeffrey Manley, seven pounds, fifteen ounces, Saturday, May 14, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Mrs. McMillen is the former Joyce Thane of Cass City. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard McMillen of Gagetown and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thane of Cass City.

Daniel and Holly Weber of Frankenmuth were overnight guests of Raymond and Janet Koch Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch and Janet attended the funeral of Ernest Koch at Sebewaing, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherhead, Sue and Ann of Flint honored Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead Sunday by taking them out to dinner on their 49th wedding anniversary.

Ken, Marian and Lisa Weatherhead of Elkton called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elger Gengous visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taschner Sunday evening.

St. Agatha's Woman's Society held a coffee hour following Mass Sunday morning honoring the 18 students who received their first holy communion.

Miss Julie Hrycko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hrycko, received her first holy communion at St. Agatha's Catholic church Sunday morning. The Hryckos held a small family gathering at their home in honor of the occasion.

Mrs. Hedwig Polley has been a patient at Saginaw General Hospital since Friday.

Piano solos were given by Susan and Diane Russell and Lonnie Wilson. Dana Laurie played a piano solo and Millie and Glenda Wilson played a duet on the piano.

The program on hobbies and crafts was led by Betty Laurie. She introduced each guest who discussed and displayed their particular hobby.

Table decorations depicted various hobbies. The group sang "Faith of Our Mothers". Special gifts were presented by Mrs. Joan Koch. The group then sang M-O-T-H-E-R.

The closing was "God Bless America" in unison, accompanied by a piano duet with Glenda and Millie Wilson.

The benediction was given by Mrs. Janet Muntz.

## Computer course slated

A computer-assisted financial planning course will be offered for the first time during College Week on the Michigan State University campus, June 20-23. The program is designed for young families, and enrollment is limited to the first 20 applicants.

The class will focus on complete money management for an entire year and the plan would include options for unexpected or unplanned events.

Instructors Irene Hath-

away, Specialist in Family Management at MSU, and Aliene Mills, Thumb Extension Home Economist, will present information on adequate insurance programs for young families. The discussion will include the types of insurance needed to raise a family in the event of the death of a wage-earner.

Prior to the first meeting on campus, participants will fill out an accurate net-worth cash flow statement which will be fed into a computer terminal. At the first class session, participants will be able to begin their financial planning by using their personalized computer print-out.

College Week is sponsored by the Family Living Education Program of Michigan State University's Cooperative Extension Service. Registration must be made by June 1. For further information about additional classes and activities contact the Tuscola, Sanilac or Huron county Cooperative Extension Service office.

## Historical society to meet

An organizational and planning meeting for the Cass City Historical Society will be held Monday evening, May 23, at 7:30 p.m. at the high school, chairman Jack Esau announced this week.

Plans for a summer show and membership drive will be discussed. The public is invited to attend.

Persistence accomplishes one of two things—it makes a man either a success or a bore.

## Sheryl Guc graduates with honors

Sheryl Guc, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Guc of Cass City, graduated magna cum laude with an associate degree in science-nursing at St. Clair County Community College, Port Huron, May 6.



SHERYL GUC

She is a 1975 graduate of Cass City High School and will work at Bay Medical Center in Bay City.

### MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Gagetown United Methodist church held its annual mother-daughter banquet Friday evening, May 6, at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement.

Table grace was given by Mrs. Ethel Litchfield. The men and boys of the congregation served the meal to the approximately 60 ladies in attendance.

Mrs. Ruth Hendershot welcomed the group and also was toastmistress for the evening.

Mrs. Betty Laurie gave the toast to daughters and her daughter, Dana, responded

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Michigan Water Resources Commission  
Box 30028  
Lansing, Michigan 48909  
517/373-3088

Date: May 13, 1977  
Permit Number: MI0022594

NOTICE: The Village of Cass City presently has a valid National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (Public Law 92-500) Permit, issued June 28, 1974, to discharge treated municipal wastewater from its facility located at Section 4, T13N, R11E. The Village of Cass City discharges its effluent to the Cass River.

Said NPDES permit expires on June 30, 1977 at midnight.

The permittee has requested for issuance of the NPDES permit, Federal Law, 92-500 and State Law, Act 245, Public Act of 1929, as amended require that all publicly owned treatment facilities provide treatment commensurate with secondary treatment and capable of complying with the State's Water Quality Standards by July 1, 1977.

It has been determined that the Applicant will not comply with this mandated requirement. The applicant has applied for a Federal Construction Grant, or is in a Plan of Study area of another grant applicant. Grants may be available for the construction of the necessary facilities, and the applicant has pursued the funding of this project with a good faith effort.

It is hereby notified that on the basis of preliminary staff review and application of applicable standards and regulations the Michigan Water Resources Commission proposes to reissue the NPDES permit for the discharge subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions.

It is further notified that the Michigan Department of Natural Resources intends to initiate formal enforcement proceedings against the Applicant for its failure to comply with the July 1, 1977 date. The Department of Natural Resources will suspend these enforcement proceedings if the Applicant agrees, stipulates and consents to the entry of a Final Order of Determination which orders, directs, and requires the Applicant to adhere to and comply with all conditions of the new NPDES permit. Said Final Order of Determination further orders the Applicant to build the necessary treatment facilities and attain and maintain the operational level of these facilities to the extent necessary to meet the final effluent limitations specified in the new NPDES permit in accordance with the shortest feasible construction schedule predicated on the Federal Construction Grant Program.

It is further notified that the completion of the necessary facilities will be after July 1, 1977.

The proposed determination to reissue the NPDES Permit is tentative. Persons wishing to comment upon, or object to, the proposed permit and Final Order are invited to submit the same in writing to:

Permit and Enforcement Coordinator  
Water Quality Division  
Dept. of Natural Resources  
Box 30028  
Lansing, Michigan 48909

The name of the permittee and permit number should appear next to the above address on the envelope and the first page of any submitted comments. All comments received within thirty (30) days of the date of issuance of this public notice will be considered in the formulation of the final determination. If no written objections are received and the permittee formally consents to the entry of the Order, the Michigan Water Resources Commission will issue its final determination no later than sixty (60) days following the date of this notice.

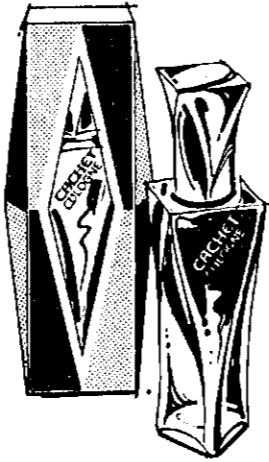
The application, proposed permit and proposed Final Order, and other information, are on file and may be inspected at the Water Quality Division Office, 8th Floor, Stevens T. Mason Building, Lansing, Michigan, and at the District Office located at State Secondary Gov't Complex, Dimondale, at any time between 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Copies of the Public Notice and corresponding Fact Sheet summarizing application information, proposed Final Order and proposed permit conditions are available at no charge. Copies of all other information are available at a cost of \$20 per page.

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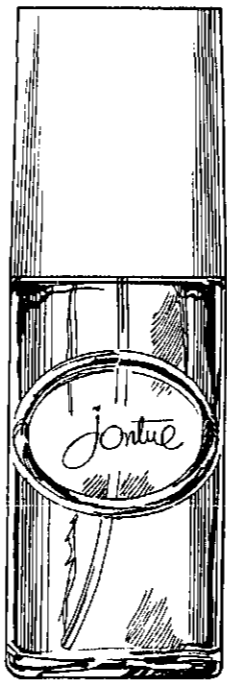


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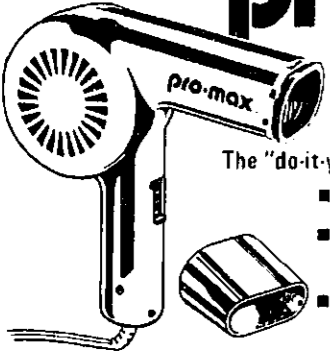
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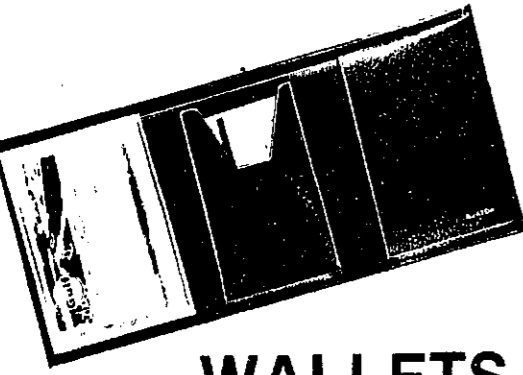
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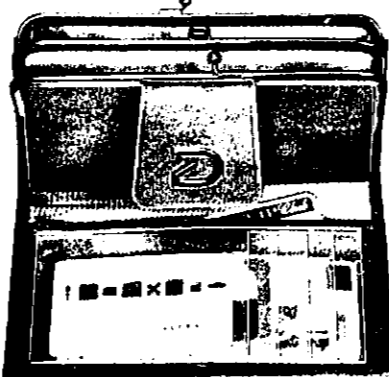
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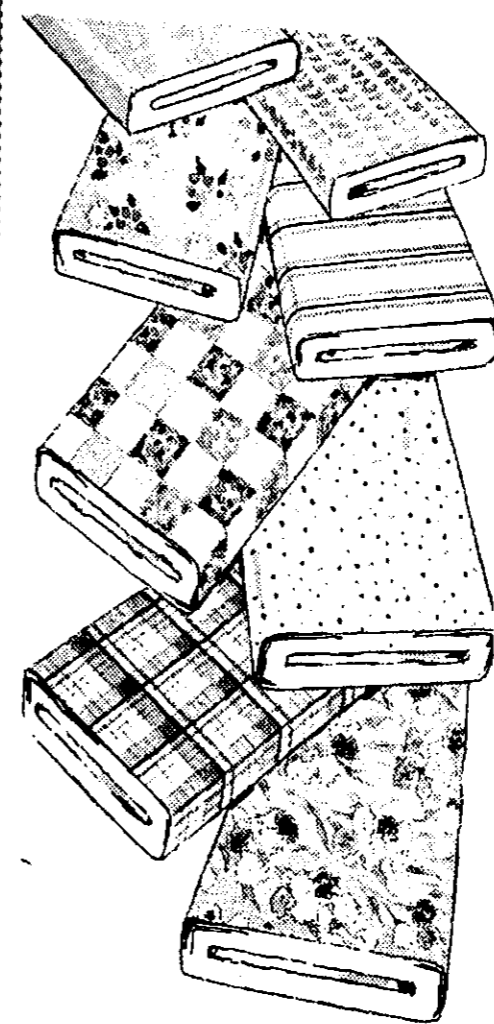
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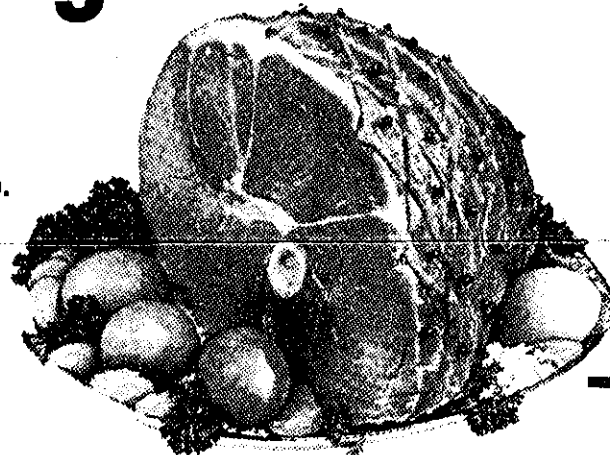
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Downing says the best system is rationing.

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Downing, a native of Gageton, works for the U.S. Postal Service. He and his wife have three children.



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# Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson  
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Sheila Dalton and Shirley Ross were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt, Ruth and Lori in honor of Lori Hewitt's birthday.

Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David attended the wedding of Lana Maurer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer of Ubyly and Greg Gordon of Port Austin at St. John's Catholic church in Ubyly Saturday. A reception followed at Ubyly Fox Hunter's Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wallace, Mrs. Frank Pelton, Mrs. Alex Cleland, and Mrs. Curtis Cleland left Lapeer to attend the Tulip Festival at Holland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson and family of Cass City were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Becky and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk in Ubyly.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester. Other afternoon guests were Jim Clark, Mrs. Bill Ward and Caroline of Flint.

Ruth Hewitt and Karen Bensingler spent the week end with Rosalie LaBuhn at Lake Superior State College at Sault Ste. Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sawicki of Detroit spent from Thursday through Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples. John Naples of East Detroit, who had spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples, returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Sawicki.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Matthews Jr. and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. George King and Jim.

Sid Werner of Royal Oak, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart of Vassar were Tuesday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

### FARM BUREAU MEETS

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brown, Mrs. Charles Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Shabbona Farm Bureau meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright, Lynn Spencer led the discussion on co-ops.

The next meeting will be

## Johnson funeral rites held

Mrs. Margaret M. Johnson, 69, Elmhurst, Ill., a former Cass City resident, died Friday, May 13, at Hills and Dales General Hospital following a long illness.

She was born Jan. 4, 1908, in Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., daughter of the late John and Ellen Quinlan Kelly.

She graduated from Central Michigan University in 1930 and taught in the Escanaba and Powers-Spalding schools. She married Carl Johnson, Dec. 1, 1934, in Escanaba, and moved to the Chicago area in 1936, where she lived until her death.

She was a member of the Elmhurst Immaculate Conception Catholic church and was also a member of the Central Michigan University Alumnae Association.

She is survived by her husband; one son Robert of Elmhurst, Ill.; one brother, John Kelly of Cass City; three sisters, Miss Helen Kelly and Mrs. Mary Asher, both of Cass City, and Mrs. Katherine Miller of Saginaw, and a number of nieces and nephews. Five brothers preceded her in death.

A prayer service was held Sunday evening at Little's Funeral Home.

Funeral Mass was said Monday at St. Pancratius Catholic church with Rev. Fr. Joseph Morales officiating. Burial was in Elkland cemetery.

held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh in June. A potluck lunch was served.

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Mrs. Allen Depcinski, Anita and Elaine attended the FHA banquet at Ubyly High School Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson attended a graduation open house for Kathy Hewitt Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Amor Hewitt.

Kathy Dybilas, Brenda Tyrrell and Lori Hewitt played with the Ubyly Band at the Banderama at Caro High School Saturday evening.

Helen Collins of Rochester spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Connie and Annette Robinson of Cass City spent the week end at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Becky and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy.

Glen Shagena visited Leslie Hewitt Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and daughters were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer in honor of Mrs. Timmons' birthday.

### EUCHE CLUB

Four tables of cards were played when the Euchre Club met Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Buella. High prizes were won by Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer and Cliff Jackson. Low prizes were won by Mrs. Jerry Decker and Elmer Fuester.

The next party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester in June. A potluck lunch was served.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Barber, Sue and Lloyd of Royal Oak spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard. Other Sunday dinner guests were Mrs. Dennis McWilliams of Royal Oak, Mildred Gibbard of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curtis and family of Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker were Thursday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Brenda Becker of Marlette was a Saturday afternoon guest of Lori Hewitt.

Louis Naples entered Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Wednesday evening and was able to come home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gracey spent a week at Hartland where they attended an Air-stream mobile home rally.

Mrs. Dale Bader and Anthony were Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol.

Jerry Peter of Clarkston and Melvin Peter were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson.

Stella Whilliam of Bad Axe was a Friday overnight and Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Sid Werner of Royal Oak spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart at Vassar. Mr. Werner, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge went to Frankenmuth Wednesday for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart attended the wedding of Kathy Diehl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tschirhart, at Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic church at Harbor Beach. A reception followed at Colony House.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and Brenda, Mrs. Joe Dybilas and Kathy, Karen Bensingler, Ruth and Lori Hewitt attended the Ubyly, Minden, Parisville and Ruth Elementary and Junior High School band concert at Ubyly High School Wednesday evening in which Brenda Tyrrell, Lori Hewitt and Kathy Dybilas participated.

Mrs. Dave Sweeney and Mrs. Dale Hind were business callers in Mt. Pleasant, Tuesday.

Annie Pelton of Cass City spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol.

Jerry Peter of Clarkston was a Tuesday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter.

### EXTENSION MEETING

The Greenleaf Extension group met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Burton Berridge. Lloyd Severance spoke on the duties of a county commissioner at the last meeting of the year. A dessert lunch was served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena of Unionville were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey and family.

Mrs. Charles Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Friday supper guests of Mrs. Emma Decker in Cass City.

Mrs. Dennis McWilliams of Royal Oak was a Saturday overnight guest of Mildred Gibbard, in Bad Axe.

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

Mrs. Ed VanderVennet of Canton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples.

Loretta Smalley, Linda Rudy, Mrs. Dave Michalski, Mrs. Ray Michalski and Mrs. Kevin Robinson were among a group who went to the tulip festival in Holland Saturday from the Hammil Manufacturing plant in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr., Brent, Lavena and LeAnna of Oxford were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson. Other

afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family.

The Shabbona RLDS church honored their graduates at a banquet at the church annex Sunday evening. Entertainment was provided by Tom Fulcher, singer and musician from Cass City. The graduates received gifts.

Dave Hundersmarck was a Saturday evening guest of

## 45 attend May 9 banquet

Around 45 persons attended the Mother-Daughter banquet held Monday night, May 9, by the Lions Auxiliary. Chairmen were Beryl Bliss and Marilyn Schriener.

A carnation for each mother was presented by her daughter, along with a diploma for mothers in "The Art of Being a Mother".

In the business meeting, it was voted to set money aside in a scholarship fund in memory of the late Don Doerr and Harry Little.

It was reported that the recent bake sale netted the club \$70.45.

The charter was presented to the club as the Lioness International in place of Lions Auxiliary.

The slate of officers for 1977-78 was presented. They are president, Marilyn Schriener; vice-president, Marion Umphenbach; secretary, Linda Herron; treasurer, Mary Lou Erla, and tail twister, Mary Damm. Officers will be installed in June.

Randy Schenk. Phil Berridge of Richmond spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and Bill attended the Presbyterian church family afternoon at the Fraser church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Monday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart and Mrs. Frank Glaza in Ubyly.



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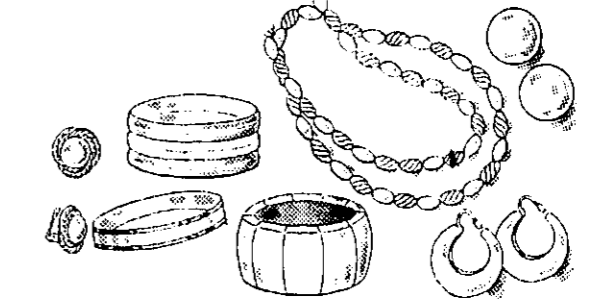
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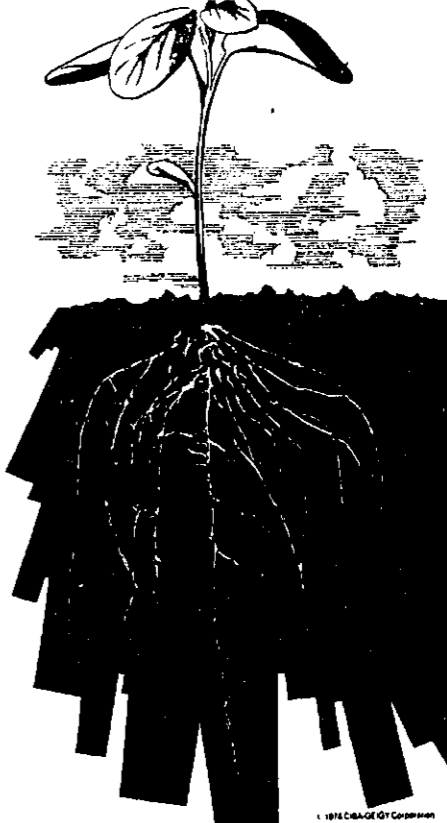
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## 7 named to SVSC Dean's List

Seven area persons were among 469 students honored for scholastic excellence during the winter semester of 1977 by being named to the Saginaw Valley State College's Dean's List.

They include Theo Cleland, Robert Hennessey and Bruce Vickers of Cass City, Joanne Rinke of Gagetown, Robert Ciure of Kingston, Rochelle Billy of Owendale and Elaine Jones of Snover.

To qualify, students must earn a 3.0 or higher grade point average with a full-time enrollment.

### ENCOURAGEMENT

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## Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

### FIVE YEARS AGO

Elkland township echoed the Tuscola county and state presidential primary election results Tuesday by giving the most votes for any single Democratic candidate to George Wallace, governor of Alabama.

Voters in Evergreen township provided the township with extra funds for roads in close balloting Tuesday as a special tax of three mills for two years passed by a narrow 103-96 margin.

Four candidates will seek the two open school board positions in the regular school election June 12. Incumbents are Gerald Hicks and Arthur

Severance. Challengers are Lee Hartel and Bob Hirn.

Donald Graf, District No. 1 commissioner, is expected to resign from the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners Tuesday to begin work in the Equalization Department as assistant to director Mac O'Dell.

The Paul Smarks trophy awarded to the outstanding senior athlete-sportsman at Cass City High School, was presented last Wednesday night to Tim Knoblet by Principal Russell Richards.

### TEN YEARS AGO

A new diaphragm-type small engine carburetor developed by Walbro Corp. of Cass City is Tuscola county's product of the year, awards chairman Dick Erla announced this week.

Frank Weatherhead was honored for his services in supervising the school annual at the junior-senior banquet held Saturday night at Cass City High School.

Plans for Mayor's Exchange Day, a facet of Michigan Week, have been completed. Coming to Cass City will be Mayor James Robert Robertson and his wife, Gladwin. Visiting Gladwin will be Village President Lambert Althaver and his wife.

Jim Walters was awarded the Paul Smarks trophy at ceremonies held Tuesday

## 33 attend Echo meeting

Thirty-three attended the May 11 meeting of Echo Chapter OES when 14 officers answered roll call.

Invitations were read to the June 4 installation of officers of Job's Daughters, to be held in Caro, and to a potluck dinner June 21 with Sebe-waig Chapter.

Mrs. Leo Tracy reported that refreshments were served May 11 to 22 including the Brownies and leaders of the troop sponsored by Echo Chapter.

Worthy matron Mrs. Mable Wright announced past matrons and past patrons will be honored at the June 8 meeting.

A silver collection for ESTARL was taken when refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. ESTARL is the Grand Chapter project whereby financial help is given to ministerial students and others who will serve in church related work.

Theories are educated hunches with common-sense attachments.

night at Cass City High School.

The Cass City mile relay team of Karl Weippert, Dave Asher, Gary Vollmar and Phil Nicols set a new school record in the event at the Oscoda Invitational track meet Saturday. The new record is 3:39.2, Coach Bob Stickle reported.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Champions were crowned recently in both the Merchant and City Bowling Leagues. Brinker's Lumberjacks took the Merchants' League prize. Members of the team are Cliff Croft, Dick Holcomb, Rich Musall, Peter Rienstra, Lloyd Bryant and Harry Bohnsack. Winning the City League crown were M.B. Auten, Alfred Murray, Frank Reid, A.J. Murray and Basil Big-ham.

Eighteen members and Rep. Allison Green of Kingston, as guest, were present Monday evening when the Elkland Farm Bureau met with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Eastman last week.

Behind the one-hit pitching of Gerald Whittaker, Cass City edged Caro in an Upper Thumb Conference game Thursday, May 8, 4-1.

Supt. Blake A. Gillies, 68, former Cass City, entered his final year as pilot of the Detroit House of Corrections this month.

Champions of the Cass City Women's Bowling Leagues were also crowned this week. Members of the Rabideau Motors team who won the Merchante League trophy are Betty Meier, Dorothy Vargo, Betty Dewey, Kay Corkins and Mary Rabideau. Winners of the City League Championship were Leola Hutchinson, Alice McComb, Jackie Freiberger, Gladys Albee and Betty Dewey.

### THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Cass City Evangelicals were pleased to have Rev. Stanley P. Kirm returned as minister at the church here by the annual conference held in Pontiac last week. Mr. Kirm came here from Owendale to fill the pastorate vacancy caused by the death of Rev. R.N. Holsapple Oct. 31, 1940.

Two salvage campaigns, one for the collection of rubber and one for the collection of scrap iron, are being started in Cass City.

Rev. Frank B. Smith, pastor of the Baptist church, will serve as chairman of the annual Memorial Day program which will be presented here Saturday, May 30, at Elkland cemetery.

Air wardens who gathered at the school building here for instruction Tuesday evening were greatly interested in a demonstration of extinguishing incendiary bombs.

## McCaughna rites held Thursday

Funeral services were held Thursday for Mrs. Maggie McCaughna, 88, a former Novesta township resident who died Saturday, May 7, at the Foley Nursing Home in Foley, Ala.

She was born June 27, 1888, in Smiths Creek, daughter of the late James and Phoebe Howard.

She married Harry McCaughna in the early 1900's in Novesta township. The couple operated a general store at Novesta Corners for several years. He died in November, 1918.

She later moved to Pontiac and Lake Orion. Eight years ago, she settled in Foley, Ala. Survivors include one son, J.D. McCaughna of Foley, Ala.; two grandsons, Harry McCaughna of Marion, Mich., and Rev. Jay McCaughna of Frankfort; three great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild and a number of nieces and nephews. One great-grandson, two sisters and four brothers preceded her in death.

A graveside memorial service was held at Novesta cemetery with Rev. Jay McCaughna of the Herring Lake Baptist church of Frankfort, officiating.

Arrangements were made by Little's Funeral Home.



## AROUND THE FARM Spray tent caterpillar

By Don Kebler

Those white webbed nests seen all over the county are the nests of the Eastern Tent Caterpillar.

This insect is really abundant this year and can be found on wild cherry, domestic and wild apple, plum, peach, oak, willow and poplar trees.

The caterpillar began hatching from the eggs at least three weeks ago. When not feeding they return to the web. Malathion or Sevin insecticides are recommended to control them in the nest and on the foliage. Spray when temperatures are above 60 degrees for best chemical effect. Be sure to penetrate the nests with the chemical applied. Malathion can cause damage to some ornamental flowering apple trees, so read the label.

On the subject of tree insects, no reports or visual inspection so far has indicated the presence of those spruce bud worms we have had in large numbers in 1975 and '76. But they may be like the bad penny and return in '77, so inspect your new spruce buds now and periodically for the next three weeks. When you see them, the insecticide Malathion will control them easily. Too much Malathion can burn the tender growing buds. Don't mistake bud worm damage to freeze damage. Recent freezing temperatures left early growing buds dead and dried up. Bud worms destroy only the bud area where they have fed in a straight line path.

Have you noticed the needle burn on white pine this year caused during March? This is caused by the right combination of dry hard winds and the trees' inability to take up adequate water.

Let's say a few words about a frequently asked question - "How does one control those little black bugs found in raspberry fruit?" These are vinegar or strawberry sap beetles. They live on spoiling fruit, and even on corn kernels in the soft milk stage.

There is no chemical recommendation to control this beetle that is safe to spray on the fruit before the fruit can be eaten.

## Slate square dance

The Rocking Eight Square Dance Club will hold the last dance of the season Saturday, May 21, at 8 p.m. at the Sacred Heart Parish Center in Caro.

Chuck Warner will be the caller to a "Saturday Sundae Night." Ice cream and toppings will be provided.

Summer dances will start Wednesday, June 1, at the Caro Fairgrounds. All square dancers are welcome.

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<b>WEDNESDAY</b>
Hot Dog & Bun Chips Fruit Cup White Milk Cookie
<b>THURSDAY</b>
Chicken in Gravy Mashed Potatoes Bread-Butter Peach Slices Cranberry Sauce Cookie
<b>FRIDAY</b>
Barbecue on Bun Chips Buttered Corn White Milk Coconut Bar

Menu subject to change.

## Fun Night held May 9

Tuscola county 4-H clubs held their annual 4-H Share-The-Fun night Monday, May 9, at the Vassar High School. There were 17 acts in all, from comedy skits to dramatic vocals.

The top five acts included Jenee Wagner, vocal; Kathy and Chris Karpovich, dance; Ted Schunn, Lisa Wells, Bob Schluckbier, Ann Safford, Darlene Schunn, Janet Safford, Beth Schluckbier, Lynda Wells, Christine Wujcikowski, Scott Wells, Ann Law, Peter Miller, Joseph Law and Mary Miller, Group Act; Michael Karpovich, Reading, and Velvet Barry, Dramatic Vocal. Alternates chosen were Henee Wagner, vocal and guitar and Carla Wagner, Lisa Karpovich, Darlene Piske, Carleen Wagner and Charlotte Cunningham, song and dance.

This year's event also included an exhibition of oil paintings and pencil drawings. The top five winners were Lisa Barry, Jenee Wagner, Leann Hahn, Velvet Barry and Scott Finch.

The Vassar Community 4-H club and North Vassar 4-H club sponsored this year's program.

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# Krug stalks wily morel mushroom

They aren't much to look at, especially after they've dried a couple of days. They're a fungus—a parasite.

Yet thousands of otherwise normal persons drop what they're doing each spring and head for the woods in search of the illusive morel mushroom. Northern Michigan communities cash in annually on tourists armed with baskets and bags, seeking morels.

But veteran mushroom picker John Krug says you really don't have to drive 200 miles searching for morels. They can be as close as your back yard.

"Nearly every woods has them somewhere," Krug says. "You can find them around here as easily as you can anywhere."

Krug does have one advan-

tage. There's a spot in the back yard of the Schwegler Road home he and his wife occupy where it's not hard to pick two dozen morels. It's under a fruit tree, which is a typically good place to look.

"In the woods, the area around a dead elm will generally produce good mushrooms," Krug says. "Someplace where it's damp and where you've got lots of shade is good too."

He says the morel takes its color from the type of soil it's in. The sandier the soil, the lighter the mushroom. They need lots of moisture since a mushroom is about 50 per cent water, he says.

There's no set formula regarding when, where or how to look for the delicacies. Anywhere from mid-April through early June is generally considered morel season, Krug says, but the secret is in knowing the area.

"You'll have spots in a woods that'll bear at different times of the season," he says. "Generally three or four

miles east of town will bear at a different time than west of town. It's hard to explain."

### TYPES

Something else hard to explain is how to distinguish between poisonous and non-poisonous mushrooms. It helps to do a little studying before you grab a sack and head for the woods, Krug says.

"Basically, the difference is in the structure and color," he says. "If it hasn't got a pinkish tint to it underneath, I wouldn't touch it."

He says puff balls can be eaten in their early stages before they get large. If the outside skin is moist and firm, chances are good you can eat it without getting sick.

But Krug says it's best to arm yourself with some knowledge before starting out. Do some studying and understand what you're after, he says.

In Krug's case, he rarely eats much of what he picks—

his system won't tolerate them.

"I can only eat just a very few each year," he says.

"Then why pick them?" "Oh, I guess I just enjoy it," he says, smiling. "It's quite a challenge to pick them. Sort of like fishing and talking about the one that got away."

He likes what few he does

consume split, rolled in flour and fried in butter similar to fish.

"But they're real rich," he says. "It's awful easy to overeat them."

The largest percentage of the morels Krug picks are dried for two or three days and then stored away. They keep indefinitely and return

to their normal consistency after soaking in water for just a few minutes.

He says he learned the technique many years ago from a man from east Europe.

"I remember once when I was a mail carrier I brought him a package sent from Russia," he recalls. "He asked me if I wanted to see

what was inside and told me to come on in."

"He opened the box and inside was a hat and some homemade chocolate candy, all packed in dried mushrooms."

You can pick mushrooms almost any time of the day, Krug says, but he prefers early morning just after the

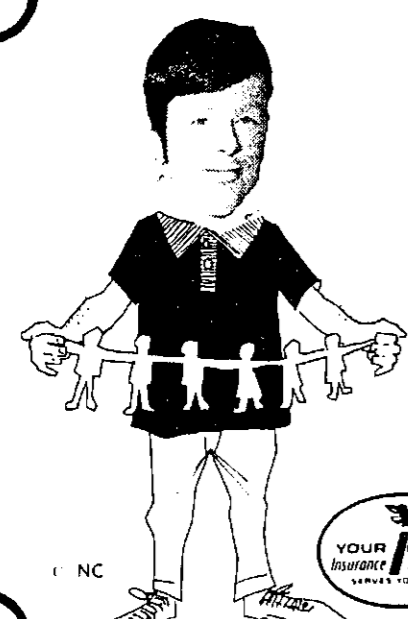
sun is up and when the dew is still on. He says they catch the sun and show up better.

Krug does most of his mushroom picking in Michigan, but has traveled into Ohio in search of morels. Yet some of the best have come from his back yard.

"It's all in knowing where to look," he says.



VETERAN MUSHROOM hunter John Krug displays a string of dried morels he recently picked near his home on Schwegler Road. Krug has been stalking the illusive morel for over 50 years and says hunting them is half the fun.



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Parents with last names starting with A-L should bring their child to the school in the morning for enrollment and vision and hearing screening. Parents with names starting with M-Z should come in the afternoon from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.

In accordance to the state law, children should be immunized or protected against the following diseases to enter school for the first time: measles, rubella, polio, diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (whooping cough). Parents should bring their child's immunization record and birth certificate. Elementary Principal William Britt will be in charge. For more information, call 665-9921.

## TSCD marks soil week

Soil Stewardship Week, a nationwide observance which emphasizes man's responsibility to protect and conserve soil, water, and other natural resources, is May 15-22 this year, Don Loomis, Chairman of the Tuscola Soil Conservation District, announced.

"This year's theme, 'When We Care' will help each to examine his own motives and actions in the conservation of God's manifold gifts," Loomis said.

"We hope," Loomis said, "that during Soil Stewardship Week, millions of Americans will pause for a moment to consider their responsibilities for the protection and proper care of the Lord's earth."

The district provided 22 local churches with a reference booklet and bulletin inserts designed for this year's observance. The material was prepared by the Soil Stewardship Advisory Committee of the National Association of Conservation Districts. The advisory committee is composed of churchmen of various faiths.

This is the 23rd consecutive year that the National Association of Conservation Districts, along with almost 3,000 local districts throughout the nation, has sponsored Soil Stewardship Week. The custom of setting aside special "rogation days" for this purpose began more than 1,500 years ago in France, when French peasants prayed for help after crop failures had brought widespread hunger.

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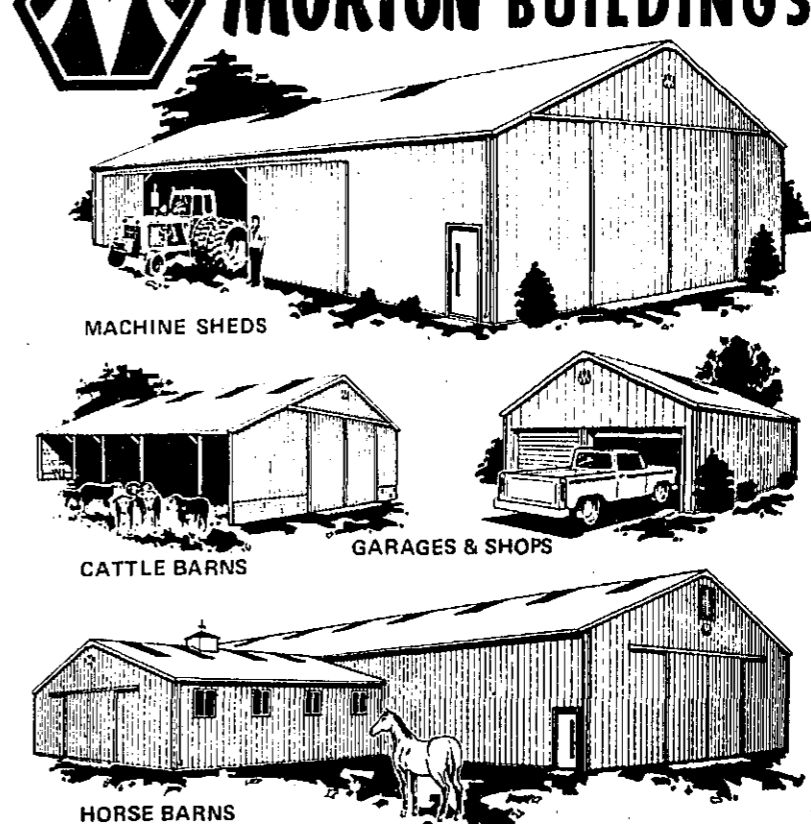
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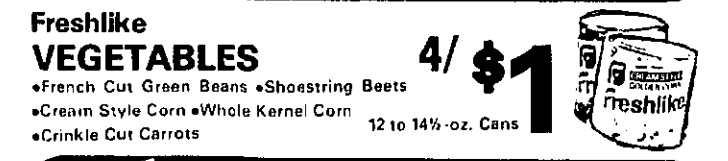
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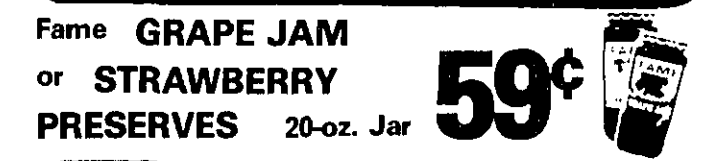


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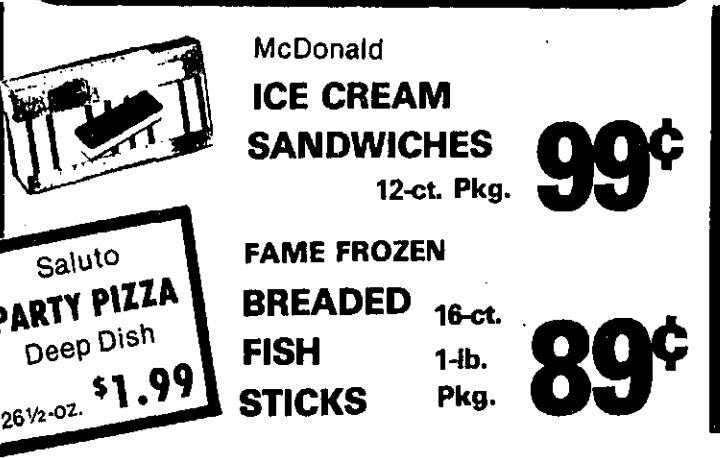
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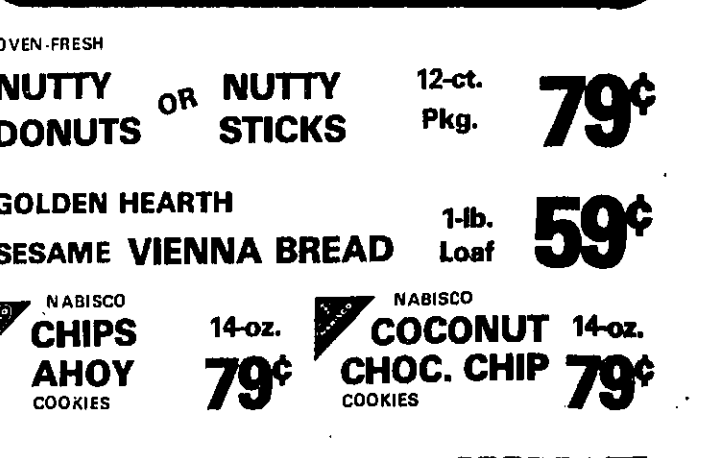


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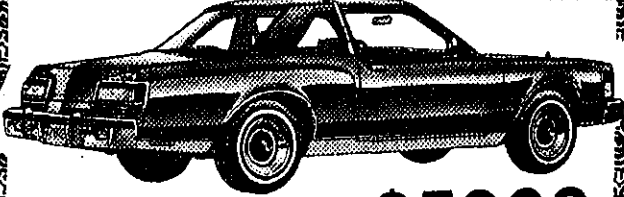
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# Complaints rise, Sheriff reports

The Tuscola County Sheriff's department recorded 146 more complaint reports from throughout the county in April than in March, according to Sheriff Hugh Marr's monthly report to the Board of Commissioners.

A total of 894 complaints were logged, with the most, 138, coming from Vassar township. Elkland township recorded 49, a drop of 10 from March. Officers investigated 66 larceny reports, 29 burglaries, 26 assaults and 48 domestic complaints during April,

the report said.

A total of 219 traffic complaints were investigated, along with 11 auto thefts.

A total of 644 criminal calls were received, along with 173 emergency calls. Sixty-four traffic accidents were investigated by deputies.

The driver's license bureau issued 107 original licenses and 587 renewals. It administered 596 operator's tests and 99 chauffeur's exams. The bureau also issued 55 voter registrations.

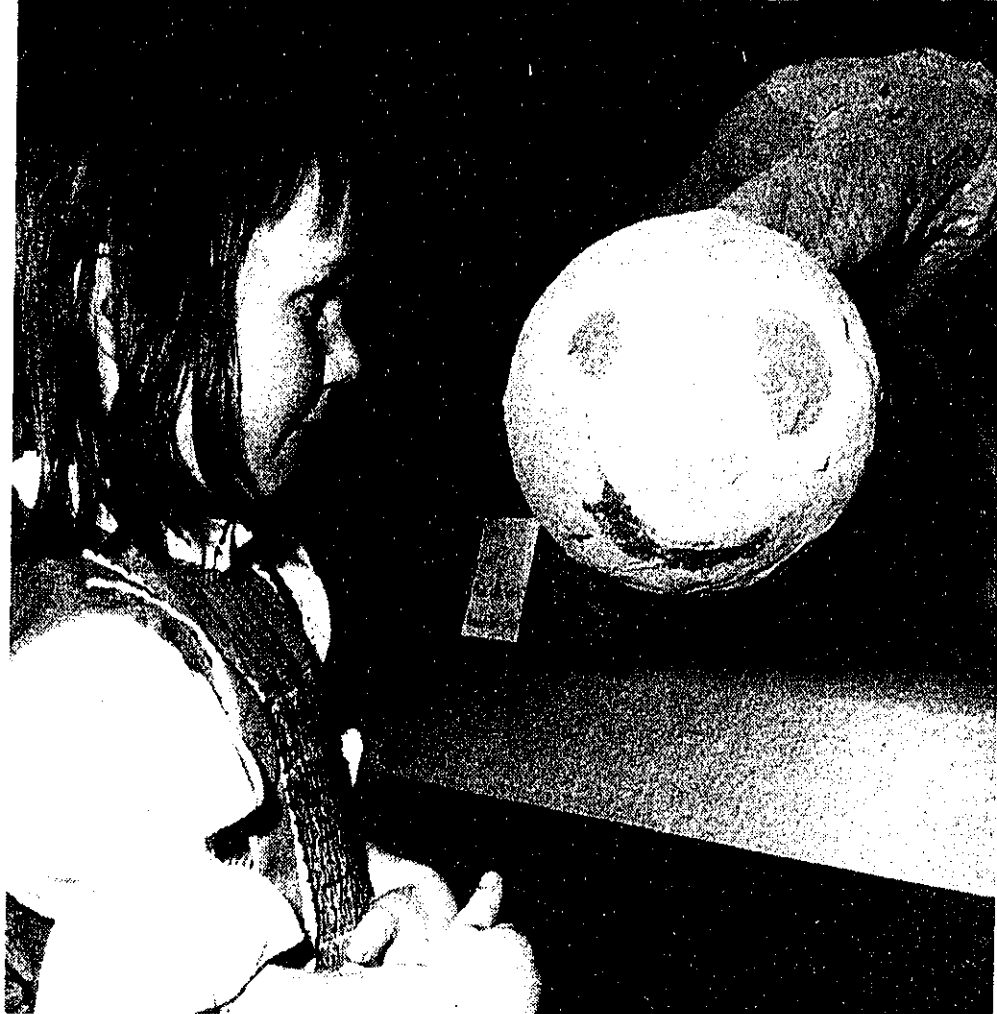
In traffic enforcement, a total of 58 speeding tickets

were issued by deputies during April. Six persons were ticketed for careless driving and three were cited for driving under the influence of liquor. A total of 158 appearance and traffic violations were issued for the month.

Patrol units travelled 31,495 miles during the month and consumed 3,065 gallons of gasoline.

The jail received 107 inmates for the month and released 97.

Three mortgage foreclosure sales were held at the front entrance of the courthouse during the month.



**DAWN MARIE MacALPINE, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacAlpine Sr., can't quite figure out what this strange creature is. Actually it was one of many projects on display at an elementary arts show held Tuesday night at Campbell Elementary School. Students from Campbell, Evergreen and Deford schools participated.**



**THESE CASS CITY AARP members were honored for their service to the club and the community during the past year at ceremonies Thursday. Shown seated are Noreen Partridge (left) and Hazel Whitfield. Standing are Thelma Pratt, Clara Eberts and Mildred Herr.**

## AARP honors 5 members

Five members were awarded certificates of merit for services to the elderly when Cass City AARP met Thursday at Good Shepherd Lutheran church. Fifty-three members and guests attended.

Those presented with certificates included Clara Eberts, Mildred Herr, Noreen Partridge, Thelma Pratt and Hazel Whitfield.

A board of directors meeting will be held Thursday, June 2, at the home of club president Charles Simon.

It was announced an officers workshop will be held at Walli's supper club in Flint May 19 from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

A blood pressure check will be offered at the June 9 meeting scheduled at the church at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Leta Gelatt, Beulah Zapfe, Mary Kirton and Clara Eberts will be in charge of the program.

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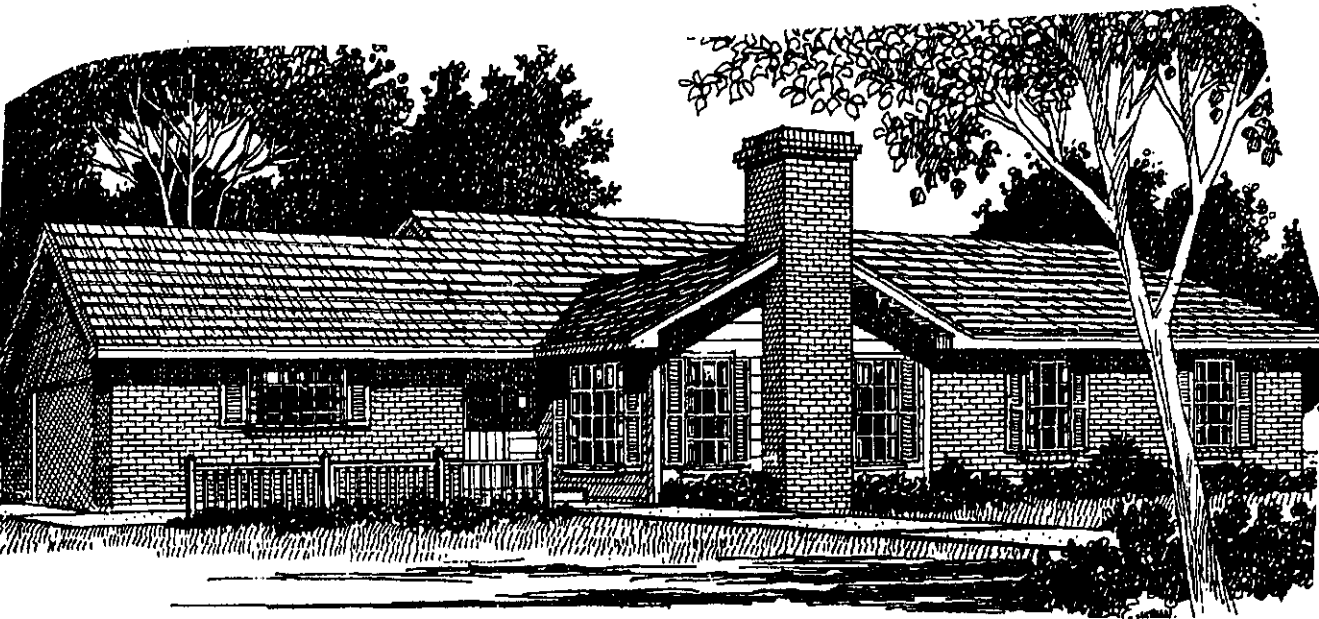
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## Walbro hires Habdas

According to Howard A. Bacon, vice-president-Manufacturing, Walbro Corporation, Thomas Habdas has been recently added to the staff of the company's automotive products division as a project engineer.

Before joining Walbro, Habdas was a certification engineer in the Emission Laboratory, Ford Motor Company's Engineering and Research Center, Dearborn. Previous to that, he was a Technical Advisor-Mechanical Engineer with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Mobile Source Air Pollution Control, Ann Arbor.

Habdas graduated from Western Michigan University in 1970 with a B.S. degree in automotive engineering technology.

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# Funds drying up for local 'Meals on Wheels' effort

By Jim Ketchum

Around 11:30 each weekday morning, a car pulls up to the service entrance of Hills and Dales General Hospital.

The driver goes inside and returns with two styrofoam picnic baskets, each containing four meals cooked in the hospital kitchen.

The food isn't destined for patients. It's headed for eight shut-ins in Cass City who can't prepare a full meal for themselves.

Thanks to the program, known as "Meals on Wheels", the recipients are assured of at least one balanced meal that day.

But the program, funded with a state grant through the Human Development Commission, could be in serious trouble if more money isn't found soon, according to Mrs. Sandy Bergman, local coordinator.

Since Meals on Wheels began a little over two years ago, federal and state funding has kept the program on the road. But time is running out and if \$4,000 isn't found before July 1, the meals will have to stop.

"The current state grant which we have been using to fund the program is due to run out June 30, and at this point there's nothing on the horizon to replace it," according to Karen Kopka, program coordinator for the Human Development Commission which has operated Meals on Wheels since it began in 1975.

The program began as an experiment with a \$10,000 pilot grant from the federal Office of Economic Opportunity. When that money ran out, HDC won approval of a one-time state grant which runs out at the end of June.

At this point, Ms. Kopka isn't optimistic about further funding. When Meals on Wheels was threatened with extinction two years ago, she said HDC pushed for support from Cass City business and service clubs. She said the reaction was disappointing.

"We found we had little local support," she said. "We tried soliciting everyone including service clubs and received about \$500 which would run us about a month and a half."

Most of the program's funds go to pay the hospital for the food. Volunteers deliver the meals to a total of 16 persons. Eight receive meals Monday, Wednesday and Friday and another eight receive meals each Tuesday and Thursday.

According to Mrs. Bergman, each meal costs \$2.15. A few persons pay for their own meals. Others cannot afford the cost.

Currently, there are six full-time volunteers who deliver meals, including Carol Furness, Ruth Ann Wickert, Marge Langmaid, Ron Keegan, Rose Worstell and Blake

Sackett. Another five substitute drivers include Fritz and Peg Neitzel, Iva Profit, Pauline Brown and Mrs. Bergman.

The deliveries take about an hour and are concentrated within Cass City.

"The meals are important," Mrs. Bergman says, "but just having someone come by to talk with is a big part of it too. They enjoy it if you stop to talk but they realize you have to keep going because the food is getting cold."

Each meal is served on throw-away plates and cups, so there are no dishes for the recipient to wash.

Persons served range in age from 65-85, Mrs. Bergman says. Because the meals are delivered in person, it gives the volunteer a chance to see if there's anything else needed.

"If they find the person needs medical attention or other kind of help, they contact me and I call Human Development in Caro so they can get the help they need," she says.

Of the 16 persons on the meal list, 11 need special diets due to diabetes or other medical problems.

That's another reason HDC officials want to keep Meals on Wheels going instead of resorting to a central feeding location. According to Ms. Kopka, some home meal deliveries can be made with central feeding, but not for anyone on a special diet.

WKYO sets changes

WKYO radio station in Caro has received permission from the Federal Communications Commission to operate at night as well as during the daylight hours.

President Robert Benkelman said that the increased power required will come from three new radio towers on Wireline Road, west of M-24.

Benkelman said that plans now call for WKYO-FM to begin broadcasting in stereo at a date to be announced. A request has been made to change the call letters for the FM broadcast to WIDL.

Church holds breakfast

St. Michael's Ladies Guild of Wilmot held their annual mother-daughter breakfast, Sunday, May 8, before the 11:30 a.m. Mass.

The men of the parish, with Henry Wolak in charge, prepared and served the breakfast to 120 mothers and daughters.

Toastmistress Dee Diver introduced Liz Wenta, who toasted the mothers and Virginia Bilicki, who toasted the daughters.

Gifts were presented by Dawn Champagne to the oldest grandmother, Mrs. Tillie Kloc; youngest mother, Mrs. Sherrie Clink; youngest daughter, six-week-old daughter of Mrs. Terry Kostanko, and mother with birthday closest to May 8, Marguerite Krywko and Nursie Kloc.

This year Mrs. Vickie Wolak was named "Mother of the Year."

WHY IT WORKS

Mrs. Bergman, who's been heading up the Cass City

WHAT IT DOES

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**MEALS ON WHEELS** volunteers Rose Worstell, Sandy Bergman and Carol Furness go over scheduling for deliveries of meals to 16 persons in Cass City who can't prepare a balanced meal for themselves. Together with other volunteers, they deliver the meals prepared at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

## Three stand mute at Circuit Court arraignments

Two men stood mute in connection with the theft of a back hoe during their arraignments Monday in Tuscola County Circuit Court before presiding Judge Norman Baguley.

Gerald Babcock, 47, Clio, and William A. McCorkle, 53, Clio, were charged with receiving and concealing stolen property. The back hoe was

allegedly taken from the AIS Construction Equipment Co. last December.

Both had innocent pleas entered in their behalf and pre-trial examination was set for June 13. Bond was set at \$2,000 each.

In other court action Monday, Harry Leslie Dykes, 49, Caro, stood mute during his arraignment on a fraud

charge. An innocent plea was entered and pre-trial examination was set for June 13. A \$1,000 personal recognizance bond was continued.

Dykes was charged with attempting to pass a check without sufficient funds last December.

Bruce Monger, 23, Caro, was ordered to pay fines and costs totaling \$400 after entering a guilty plea to concealing stolen property. He was also placed on three years' probation and was ordered to serve three months in the Tuscola County Jail, with credit for three days served.

Sentence for Mary Margaret Auvil, 34, Snover, was delayed for one year. Mrs. Auvil entered a guilty plea to attempted larceny.

She was charged with attempting to take two boxes of crayons from the Ben Franklin Store in Cass City last December.

Trusty leaves jail

Lee Michael Eremia, 19, Muskegon, a trusty at the Tuscola County Jail, escaped the facility Monday night when he allegedly walked out a back door.

According to Lt. Paul Megge, Eremia made his escape in jail clothing. He was described as five-foot, nine-inches tall, weight 175 pounds with brown hair and eyes and a moustache.

Authorities believe Eremia is headed for the Muskegon area. Police in the western Michigan city are assisting in the investigation, Megge said.

Eremia was serving time following his arrest on a probation violation. He was originally jailed on a breaking and entering charge. He was serving a six month jail sentence and was due to be released July 11.

## Fuel tax revenues climb

State fuel tax revenues are still climbing, increasing by 5.8 per cent in the first quarter of 1977 over the same period of 1976, the State Highway Commission reported last week.

The increase was reflected in local village and county receipts, which also rose for the period.

Cass City received \$14,008

in first quarter tax distribution from the commission, a \$72 increase over the same period in 1976. Gageton received \$4,924, a \$470 increase over the first quarter of 1976 and Kingston received \$3,432, a jump of \$230 over the same period a year ago.

Owendale's share of the distribution was \$3,540, a \$192 increase, and Uby received \$6,006, a jump of \$331 over last year.

Tuscola county's road commission received \$618,279 as its first quarter share of tax revenues, \$42,947 more than its share for the first quarter of 1976.

Sanilac county's share was \$574,726, a \$29,808 increase over the same three months in 1976.

Huron county received \$534,290, an increase of \$26,436 over the same period a year ago.

All the tax revenues go into the State Motor Vehicle Highway Fund. Proceeds are being distributed to the state, counties and municipalities after deductions of \$17,117,843 in grants and collection costs, including \$3.5 million to the Mackinac Bridge Authority, \$1,176,820 to the State Waterways Fund and \$5,170,072 to the General Transportation Fund for public transportation programs.

## Store owner fined

Frank Kulling, owner of Deford Country Store, was ordered to pay a \$35 fine and \$65 in costs after being found guilty of selling meat which exceeded the legal standards for moisture.

Kulling was sentenced by Tuscola County District Court Judge Richard Kern this week. Further sentence was deferred one year.

Kulling was charged with selling pork sausage which contained 12.1 per cent moisture. The legal standard is zero per cent.

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## General Merchandise

FOR SALE - Ornamental windmills and two 5x6 foot plastic patio shades. Phone 872-3506. 6353 Garfield, Cass City. 2-5-19-1

FOR SALE - 360 Yamaha DT, 1973 model, \$350. Phone 872-4275. 2-5-19-3

BLACK DIRT, sand, gravel and fill dirt for sale. Phone 872-3497. Call before 10:00 or evenings. 2-4-21-1f

FISHERMEN Come in and check our complete supply of rods, reels and lures for perch, bass and steelhead. 2-4-21-1f

Albee True Value Hardware Cass City 2-4-7-1f

CRESTLINER 16 ft. aluminum Sport Runabout, 40 hp, Evinrude Lark full electric motor, combination boat-utility trailer, fully equipped, extra nice condition, \$1,250 or best offer. Phone 1-674-2311, Unionville. 2-5-19-1

VIVA GAS Grills, with wheels, from \$119.95. Fuelgas Co. of Cass City, corner M-53 & M-81. Phone 872-2161. 2-4-14-1f

FOR SALE - 9 ft. Driftwood pickup camper, sleeps 5, with sink, stove, icebox and heater. \$700. Phone 872-3423. 2-5-19-3

FOR SALE - portable upright dishwasher, color - gold. Holds 45-piece place setting. Used very little - like new. Call 872-2889. 2-5-12-3

BEEHIVES \$25.00, with bees \$50.00. Standard 10 frame hive. Frames assembled, crimpwire foundation wax, reversible T&G bottom board. Precision made cut lock corners. Jansen Farm Bee & Honey Co., 21905 Garrison, Dearborn, Mi. 48124. Call Bill Jansen 313-561-3647. Overnight delivery on orders of twenty or more in the Thumb area of Michigan. 2-5-12-1f

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NOW AVAILABLE - Liquid protein as recommended in last chance diet. It works - Coach Light Pharmacy, phone 872-3613. 5-5-19-4

BIG GARAGE SALE - Antiques, furniture, collectibles, glassware, clothing, lots of unusual items. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 9 to 5. 2 1/2 miles south of Cass City. Phone 872-4591. 5-5-19-1

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GAME PARTY - Every Sunday night at St. Pancratius hall, Cass City, 7:30 p.m. 5-2-20-1f

GARAGE SALE - May 20-21. Baby things, plants, clothes, lamps, dishes, saddle bags, ceramics, records and knickknacks. 6251 Severance Rd., 1/2 mile east of M-53. 5-5-19-1

LOST - Hungarian Puli, answers to name of Midnight, black and gray. Good with kids. Broke chain. Please call 872-4481. Reward. 5-5-12-3

YARD SALE - May 19-20, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Clock radio, girls' clothes, some boys' clothes, hand hair dryer, ladies' electric razor and miscellaneous items. Lot 12, Cedar Dr., Huntsville Trailer Park. 5-5-19-1

RUMMAGE SALE - Now through May 28, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Infant to adult clothing, baby beds, 2 highchairs, etc. Dishes, gas stove, fuel oil stove, 1 complete single bed, lamps, pole lamps, and many other miscellaneous. 1 1/2 miles north, 1/2 east of Kingston. Phone 683-2190. 5-5-19-1

WANTED - 3 bedroom home to rent in Cass City area. Reference available. Phone Pigeon 453-2833. 5-5-19-3

GARAGE SALE - Starting Wednesday, May 4, till June 1. Moving out of state. Must sell everything. Amor Hewitt, 7251 E. Bay City-Forestville Rd. 5-5-5-3

Notice We are now contracting for this year's pickle crop. For more information contact Bloch & Guggenheimer Division Bad Axe, Phone 269-8191 or Kilbourn Service Station Phone 872-3323, Deford 5-5-12-4

WANTED - barn beams - slab lumber - power and hand tools. All donations tax deductible. Caro Area Services For the Handicapped. Phone 517-673-7721. 5-3-10-1f

ANTIQUE BARN and yard sale - lots of oak, wicker and pine furniture, desk, tables, commodes, marble top furniture, sets of chairs, dishes - all kinds, small primitives and collectibles. If you have antiques to sell, bring them over and sell outdoors Friday and join the fun. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. 5 miles west of Cass City on M-81 and 1/4 south on Green Rd. 5-5-19-1

Now Is The Time Order your grave marker or family monument. Check our service for helpfulness and economy. Little's Monument Co. 6358 W. Main St., Cass City Phone 872-2195 5-4-21-1f

RETIREE WOMEN are wonderful Avon representatives. Your retirement can be the beginning of a new career... selling quality Avon products near your home. A great way to keep busy. Have extra money to spend. Choose your own hours. Please call me: 872-2525 or write Virginia Seroka, 2841 N. Van Dyke, Decker, Mi. 48426. 5-5-19-1

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YARD SALE - 4224 Maple St. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. 5-5-19-1

WANTED - Apartment furnished or unfurnished, except refrigerator and stove, for male Cass senior, from Aug. 15, 1977, through May of 1978. Honor roll student, excellent references, non-smoker. Call collect 313-363-4741 or write to Box No. 1, Care of Chronicle. 5-5-19-3

Control hunger and lose weight with New Shape Diet Plan and Hydrex Water Pills. Bad Axe. Phone 269-8161 8-11-25-1f

Coach Light Pharmacy Cass City 5-5-5-3

JUST \$8.50 for a permanent wave, complete with haircut, shampoo and set? Yes! Call 872-2414 for appointment. 5-3-24-1f

OPEN AIR FLEA MARKET EVERY SUNDAY 9 miles north of Cass City light Spaces for rent For information call 872-3154 after 6 p.m. 5-5-19-4

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## Services

DOES YOUR PIANO need tuning? Call Duane Johnston, 409 Cleveland St., Bad Axe, 269-7364. Thirteen years' experience on all makes of pianos, registered craftsman member of the Piano Technician's Guild. 8-7-30-1f

NORM COATES TV service, 6750 Elmwood Rd., Cass City. Phone 872-3139. If no answer, call 872-3435. 8-10-16-1f

CUSTOM BUTCHERING Meat cut, wrapped and frozen Gainor's Meat Packing Bad Axe. Phone 269-8161 8-11-25-1f

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FOR SALE by owner - spacious 2 bedroom home, located on paved road, between Sebewaing and Owendale. Partly carpeted. Large walk-in closets, new well, new windows complete with storms and screens, new roof plus 1-car garage. All on 1/2 acre. For appointment call 883-3868. 3-5-5-3

## Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE by owner - 5-month-old home in Cass City new subdivision. 2600 sq. ft. of carpeted living space, except kitchen. 4 large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, living room, dining room. Large kitchen with dinette area and counter bar. Transferred out-state. Buy now to save real estate costs. Call 872-4651. 3-5-5-3

## Real Estate For Sale

**REAL ESTATE**  
Just listed: Nice lot located on Main Street. 148 1/2' deep x 66' wide. Ideal for that new home.

Approximately 58 acres, Evergreen township, small barn, other buildings. Four bedroom brick house, 2 up, 2 down, full bath, nice retirement home.

Do It Yourself Special: 2 bedroom home in the country needs completing, well insulated first floor, new wiring, barn with a cement floor, will furnish survey. Low down payment, \$12,000 with terms or \$10,500 cash.

Ideal building spot near Cass City; blacktop location, about 200' road frontage and approximately 500 feet deep.

1973 Champion mobile home, 2 bedrooms, new water pump, just over one acre of land, M-53 location.

**Edward J. Hahn, Broker**  
6240 West Main Street, Cass City  
Phone 872-2155 days, or 872-3519 evenings 3-5-19-1



## OWN A PIECE OF THE BLOCK

The best piece of the block. This beautiful home has more extras than we can list. Ideally located on a quiet street in new subdivision, with 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths and den. Has sunken family and living room with fireplace in each. A step saving kitchen with built-ins and loads of cabinets which all blend with the American heritage style and decor. Call us for a showing.

## HELP ME

My owner is moving out of town and I'll be a lonely 4 bedroom home on a beautifully landscaped lot in a new subdivision. I have 2 1/2 baths, one in master bedroom, large family room with fireplace, full basement and 2 car attached garage. I'm choking up... so call my broker and come see me.

## THE HONEYMOON WAS GREAT BUT

Now you need a place to live... rent is high, so why not buy? Need something not too big but room to grow? We've got it! This neatly decorated fully carpeted 3 bedroom full basement home has new roof, some new wiring, new hot water heater, oil heat and on a paved street. Can be purchased on a money saving land contract.

## MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS

For a change, instead of working for someone else. Ideal for a housewife looking for additional income, or retirees along with Social Security. Call today for this small restaurant in a prosperous town. Can be purchased with all equipment or building only.

## BAUER REAL ESTATE

Cass City  
Phone 872-2909  
Evenings 872-3318 3-5-19-1

## Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE - by owner. 10 acres with 4 bedroom furnished house. Newly remodeled, insulated and carpeted. Located on Ritter Rd. 1 1/4 miles off M-53 - \$17,500. Phone 658-8130. 3-5-5-3

## For Sale

8 to 44 acres, wooded land, frontage, will perk, with or without trailer house setup. Terms. 11 miles to Bad Axe or 8 miles to Cass City.

10 acres - \$7,000. \$500 down - \$60 per month.

20 acres with well, \$12,000. \$1,000 down - \$90 per month.

8 acres, \$5,750. \$500 down \$50 per month.

44 acres with house trailer. \$28,000. \$3,000 down - \$190 per month.

26 acres with house trailer. \$18,000. \$2,000 down - \$125 per month.

Call 872-3337 Evenings 3-5-12-1f

HOUSE FOR SALE - 4 bedroom, large living room with fireplace, dining room, remodeled kitchen, den, fenced backyard. Many extras. Phone 872-3860. 3-5-19-3

CASS CITY: In village, 2 bedroom home, large living room and utility room. Nice location with lots of shade trees and shrubs. \$16,000.00 terms.

CASS CITY: Elmwood township, situated on 1 acre, this single story country home has lots of extras. Spacious 24'x32' attached garage, paneled and heated, screened-in patio porch. Barn with cement floor.

CASS CITY AREA: 20 acres, partially wooded, live stream, excellent deer hunting, recreational area. Asking \$10,000.00. Liberal terms.

SANILAC COUNTY: 37 1/2 acres, 2 bedroom mobile home, new machine shed, well and septic tank, lots of evergreens, pond sites, blacktop road. \$32,500.00 with liberal terms.

KINGSTON: Commercial building, equipped as beauty shop. Could be used for other purposes. \$9,900.00 terms.

In Cass City Phone 872-3735 After 3:00 p.m. and evenings.

**Bob Hutchinson**  
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Marlette, Michigan  
517-635-7423

FHA and VA financing available. 3-5-19-1

HOUSE FOR SALE - Three bedroom ranch, with garage in Cass City. Carpeting throughout. Fully decorated. Landscaped. Finished family room that must be seen. Call 872-2515 after 4 p.m. for appointment. 3-5-5-3

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PASTURE FOR 40 head of cattle. Victor Hyatt, 3 west of Argyle and 1/2 south. Phone 313-672-9853. 4-5-5-3

FARM LAND for rent - 80 acres. Phone 665-2283. 4-5-12-3

FOR RENT - upstairs apartment. Phone 872-3352. 4-5-12-3

FOR RENT - apartment type living for girls, 1 block south of light. New washer and dryer. Furnished. Rent includes all utilities. Phone 872-3570. 4-4-14-1f

## Wanted to Buy

WANT TO BUY - 2 acres in Cass City area. Call 872-4481 after 6 p.m. 6-5-12-3

WANT TO BUY - meals by month in your home. Phone 872-2416. Call between 6:00-7:00. 6-5-12-3

WANTED TO BUY - lot in Cass City or Cass City area to build on. Phone Pigeon 453-2833. 6-5-12-3

## To Give Away

FREE - House near Gagetown to be torn down or moved. Inquire Tom Herron, phone 872-2217. 7-5-19-1

## Farm Equipment

FOR SALE - 3-bottom, 14 inch trailer type Oliver plow. Use with hydraulics. Also two 13-38 used tractor tires. Call 665-2555. 9-5-5-3

FOR SALE - H International tractor, has starter, lights, new paint, good rubber and runs good, \$800.00. Also John Deere R manure spreader - wheel driven, approximately 130 to 140 bushel size. \$350.00. very good condition. 2 section John Deere 8 ft. harrow, \$85.00. 2 section 10 foot spike tooth harrow, \$75.00. Single disc, 7 ft. \$35.00. Location: Just off of M-53, first place east of the Crossroads Restaurant on Bay City-Forestville Road or call 872-3348. 9-5-19-3

FOR SALE - Case 600 combine, 10' header, very good condition, bean attachments. Call 872-3505 or 673-2906 after 6 p.m. 9-5-12-3

## Livestock

FOR SALE - Baby giant-sized rabbits. All colors. \$1.25 each. Phone 665-9974. 10-5-19-3

## Help Wanted

### Maintenance Man

Applicant must have completed an approved apprentice program, or have a journeyman card, or have a minimum of 6 years' experience in the trade. Foundry background desirable, but not necessary.

Fringe benefits include pension, vacation, insurance, cost of living and paid holidays.

An equal opportunity employer.

**Eaton Corporation**  
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11-5-5-3

## Help Wanted

GIRL WANTED to clerk auction - Saturday, May 21. Phone (313) 672-9492. 11-5-12-2

### Electrician

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Friday, May 20

for the following positions: one field superintendent - \$10,000 per year, one secretary at \$6,012 per year.

Interviews will be held in The Tri-county Public Service Agency office in the Tuscola County Courthouse annex, Caro, between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.

All applicants must be registered with and have a referral card from the Michigan Employment Security office in Caro.

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Donna Rayl, corporate president, and Leonard H. Hool, program administrator 11-5-19-1

### REGISTERED NURSES

Tell us the hours and number of days you wish to work. Homemakers Upjohn continues to expand. Join our growing force of health and home care employees. We have openings for work on a part time, temporary basis in Cass City. Enjoy the following benefits: Malpractice insurance, bonding, FICA, and an employer interested in your well being as a health team member. Call collect Saginaw office of Homemakers Upjohn, Home Health subsidiary of the Upjohn Co. for information or an interview appointment 799-9460. 11-5-19-1

## Work Wanted

WILL DO babysitting in my home. Have references. Live in town. Call 872-3918. 12-5-12-3

## Card of Thanks

THANKS FOR prayers, food, flowers, cards and visits and everyone for their help while I was in the hospital. Bertha Shagena. 13-5-19-1

THANKS, DAN, for the special dinner last Tuesday at Wildwood - things will be different without you. Barb, Sue and Warden. 13-5-19-1

IN LOVING memory of Elizabeth Springstead who passed away May 24, 1976. Always in our hearts and thoughts and sadly missed by her friends and family. 13-5-19-1

THE FAMILY OF Dirk H. Venema would like to thank everyone who showed their love, sympathy and deeds in all they did to make the loss more bearable. We praise the Lord for friends, neighbors and relatives, and for His grace which He gives for each day. 13-5-19-1

### Stuart and Joan Merchant

wish to thank all their patrons for making their 10th anniversary weekend a success. Anna Neal won the \$15.00 sheet cake and Serene Cody won the \$15.00 dining certificate.

Stuart marked the anniversary with a first - the first air delivery of Irish Bread; 30 loaves went to Deckerville on Friday afternoon. 13-5-19-1

THE FAMILY of Charles Thompson wishes to express deep appreciation to Dr. Donahue, Dr. Estabodi and Dr. Jeung, the nurses and nurses aides at Hills and Dales Hospital for the wonderful care given him. We wish to express our thanks to Rev. Robert Taylor, Rev. Charles Thompson and Little's Funeral Home for their comforting help and to neighbors and friends for memorials, flowers, money, food. Your kindnesses will always be remembered. God bless you all. 13-5-19-1

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The Full Service Real Estate Company  
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630 N. State St.  
Caro, Mich.  
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### LIVE STREAM TOO!!!!

40 ACRES: Home built in 1956 with hardwood floors in living room and hallway; OIL FURNACE; BRICK FIREPLACE with heater; large family size kitchen with many kitchen cabinets; basement; among hundreds of pine trees, etc. Excellent hunting deer, pheasants, rabbits, etc. - fishing. All this for \$37,500.00 terms. Widow moving into apartment.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION!!!! NEW SUBDIVISION!!!!

NEW SUBDIVISION: BRICK & ALUMINUM SIDING: approximately 1500 square feet of living space; plus full basement; kitchen cabinets alone cost over \$1500.00; plus BRICK FIREPLACE with heater cost over \$2,000.00 - all large rooms; Andersen Windows - 22x24" garage; 1 1/2 BATHROOMS; oil fired heating system; many other built-ins - priced to sell RIGHT NOW FOR \$49,500.00 terms available. Immediate Possession.

BRICK HOME: 3 bedrooms; dining room; basement; natural gas heating system; new roof; newly painted - garage --- Possession any time; \$17,500.00 - sellers will hold land contract with responsible family.

BUILDING SITES: 5 ACRE PARCEL to center of Cass River --- high and dry; 1 mile south and 1 1/2 miles west of Cass City.

80 ACRES: Large modern 4 bedroom home with 3 year old furnace; wall to wall carpeting; formal dining room; basement; 2 glass enclosed porches; large barn; tool shed, hog house, creek thru property - 50 acres tillable - IMMEDIATE POSSESSION - \$55,000. Terms.

### READY TO BUILD - EXCELLENT LOCATION!!!!

BUILDING SITE: Close to Cass City - 1 1/4 Acres - clean - \$4,000.00. Terms available to responsible party. Immediate Possession.

8 ACRES: \$16,500.00 --- Frame home 1 1/2 story with 3 bedrooms; oil furnace; basement; new wiring; drilled well with own water system; All this for \$16,500 terms.

### SIX ACRES - HORSE STABLE!!!!

NEAR AKRON: BRICK - 2 story home with 4 bedrooms; 2 bathrooms; FIREPLACE; natural gas heating system; nicely landscaped; 3 car garage with workshop; and STABLE for horses - lots of Alfalfa - 6 ACRES OF LAND - 660' road frontage --- Offered to you for \$65,000.00 terms.

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### Hawks top favored Millington

# Cass City runner-up in county baseball tourney

Cass City's baseball team surprised most of its followers by winning runner-up honors in the annual Tuscola County Baseball Tournament held at Millington. The Hawks won the second-place trophy by walking past Akron-Fairgrove Saturday, May 7, and then upsetting heavily favored Millington last Saturday afternoon, 13-5. The Hawks lost in the finals to USA, 10-3. Millington had sent top rated Caro to the sidelines in the opening game and everyone figured that Cass City would be next. However, the Hawks had little trouble solving the slants of Boyd Levitt as they racked him and his successor for 11 hits. The game was actually decided in the fourth inning

when the Hawks scored three times on a walk, error and two hits. The rally pushed Cass City in front, 7-4. Both teams scored twice in the first inning. The Hawks scored twice on three hits and a walk. Millington countered with a single by Scott Warmbier and a home run by Erick Webber. Cass City went in front to stay with two runs on an error and hit by Randy Rabideau and a two-run single by Tony Doerr. Leading stickers for Cass City were Doerr with two hits in four tries and Jeff Hartel with two for two including a triple. Rick Richards was the winning pitcher for the Hawks. He got stronger as the game went on. He was nicked for

two hits in each of the first two innings and then allowed just one hit in the final five. The tables were turned in the championship game. The Hawks could do little against the potent Patriots. Mike Eisengruber held the Hawks to just five hits and was backed by an excellent team that played flawlessly behind him. Playing in twilight that made the ball hard to see even though the lights were on, Eisengruber held the Hawks to six hits and struck out 13. Before the lights took effect he accounted for 10 of the first 12 outs via strikeouts. Meanwhile USA kept picking away at Hawk starter and loser Mike Richards. They scored once in the second without benefit of a hit. A

walk, hit batsman and a wild pitch netted the marker. In the fourth, another run scored on two hits and another wild pitch. The winners connected for two runs on one hit in the fifth and in the sixth turned the game into a run-away with six runs on four hits, a walk and an error. Hartel relieved Richards and finished out the game. Doerr was the only Hawk with two hits as he nicked Eisengruber for a double and a single on hard hit balls. Line scores: M 211 0100 5-5-3 CC 220 3024 13-14-0 USA 010 1260 10-9-0 CC 010 0011 3-6-4

the going rough in Thumb B Conference Competition. The Hawks dropped both ends of a double header to the Hatchets 3-1 and 7-0, Tuesday. The Hatchets used superior pitching and near flawless defense to chalk up the two wins. Taking the losses were Rick Richards and Mike Richards. Both hurlers went the distance.

## Girls top Caro, Bad Axe

# Meet of Champions set

## Experts look for records to fall

A sky-diver, 30 homecoming queens, 60 cheerleaders, two bands and more than 400 of the finest high school track performers from 29 Thumb high schools will be on hand for the 5th Annual Thumb Track and Field Meet of Champions at Caro on Tuesday, May 31. Plans are rapidly being completed for this year's edition of what the Detroit Free Press has called Michigan's "most prestigious high school track meet" and which annually draws more than 4,000 track fans to Caro's Stamats Field. For the first time this year, girls' events will be included in the meet program. The Thumb's top girl track stars will join the boys in a total of 30 field and running events. All field events will get underway at 4 p.m. and all running events will begin immediately after the colorful opening ceremonies, which this year will begin an hour earlier at 7 p.m. The Marlette High School Band will join Caro High School bandsmen for a Pre-Meet Concert at 6:30 p.m. and will participate in the pageantry of the Meet, which includes Olympic-style awards ceremonies from the three-tiered awards podium following each pair of events.

The meet will be formally opened at 7 p.m. with the Parade of Champions. More than 400 athletes, in the colorful track uniforms of their schools, will be a part of this parade. Also part of the opening ceremonies will be the 29 high school homecoming queens of the Thumb's high schools. The queens will assist in presenting the more than 400 certificates and the 144 gold, silver and bronze medals to the winning athletes. Nearly 60 cheerleaders from 29 schools will present the colors of their school in the Procession of Colors. Each school's colorful banner will be placed on display across the Meet of Champions Field.

A special feature of the opening ceremonies will be the awarding of the third annual Thumb Sports Leader Award, given to an adult who has made special contributions to high school athletics in the Thumb during his career. Being honored this year is Edward Schell, long-time teacher, coach and school administrator at Millington High School. Schell will be awarded a large plaque and will serve as the Honorary Meet Director. He will light the newly-enlarged Meet Flame which formally opens the Meet and during the Closing Ceremonies will present the Athlete Of The Meet plaques to the top boy and girl performer as selected by

track coaches attending the Meet. All fans attending the Meet will receive a colorful 64-page program which includes a complete listing of all track Champions and their qualifying times, complete program, staff, historical and meet information. The program also includes pictures of all the queens and other interesting reading matter. For the first time this year, gold, silver and bronze medals especially designed for the Meet of Champions will be awarded. Medals carry the meet emblem as well as the colors of all Thumb high schools. They will be presented on red, white and blue neck ribbons to the top three winners of each event.

Cass City took 10 of 14 events Wednesday, May 11, as the Hawks took an 86-49 girls' track win from Bad Axe on the Hatchets' home turf. The Hawks finished 1-2-3 in the 440 dash, the high jump and the 110 hurdles. The 880 relay team of Theresa Hewitt, Wendy Ware, Judy Sieradzki and Lisa Zimba captured the event with a time of 1:56.6. The winners: Two mile run - Sally Ware, CC, 13:53.7. 880 Relay - CC, 1:56.6. 880 Run - Kim Witherspoon, CC, 2:32.4. 100 yd. dash - Sieradzki, CC, 12.4. 110 hurdles - D. Rabideau, CC, 16.9. 440 dash - Zimba, CC, 66.5. Mile - McAlpine, BA, 5:51. 440 relay - BA, 55.7. 220 dash - Wendy Ware, CC, 29.5. Mile relay - CC, 4:34.2. High jump - Witherspoon, CC, 4'4". Long jump - Haldane, BA, 14'11". Discus - Haldane, BA, 91'3/4". Shot put - Butler, CC, 32'7/4".

# Still unbeaten

## Unstoppable Hawk girls bearing down to keep record unblemished

The seemingly unstoppable Cass City Red Hawks steam-rolled their way to another pair of wins Tuesday downing Bad Axe 17-2 and 25-7 in a home double header. The first game saw ace hurler Mary Fleming toss a three-hitter, holding the Hatchets scoreless until the fifth inning when they scored their only two runs of the contest. She struck out six and walked two. Meanwhile, the Hawks pushed across five runs in the opening inning, two more in the second and six in the third. Leading Cass City hitters were Liz Vargo and Cheri Martin who each rapped out two singles and a double, Nancy Tonti with three singles and Elaine Stoutenburg with a single and a double. Judy Badgely took the loss

for the Hatchets, walking two and giving up 18 hits. In the second game, the Hawks opened can after can of instant runs, culminating in the fourth inning when 12 Cass City batters scored. In all, the Hawks pounded out 23 hits in posting the 25-7 win. Elaine Stoutenburg, who relieved starter Brenda Goslin, took the win. She walked two and gave up seven hits. Cindy Otto took the loss for the Hatchets as she walked seven and gave up all 23 Hawk hits. Paula Butler and Julie Richards each powered home runs, while Mary Fleming rapped out five hits and Liz Vargo contributed a single, double and triple. Sarah Willes and Elaine Stoutenburg added three Hawk hits. The Hawks boosted their

league record to 12-0 and 16-0 overall, good for first place in the league. Following a scrimmage with Owen-Gage Friday, the Hawks play Frankenmuth in the last home game next Tuesday before travelling to Millington for a game Wednesday. The scoring:

(Game 1) CC 17-18-3; BA 2-3-3  
CC 5 2 6 4 X  
BA 0 0 0 0 2

(Game 2) CC 25-23-3; BA 7-9-2  
CC 4 6 3 12 X  
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# Cass City splits pair of dual track meets

Cass City won its second straight dual meet last Wednesday with a convincing 95 1/6 to 62 5/6 win over host Bad Axe.

The only double winner was Chuck Middaugh who took the high and low hurdles. A bright spot for Hawk fans is that all of the top point producers will be back next season. Most are juniors although Mark Guinther, who is turning in very creditable times in the mile, and Steve Richards, a good 2-miler, are freshmen. Cass City took the three top spots in both the pole vault and the mile run to help pile up the victory total.

The results: Discus - Hollis, CC, 119'2"; Michalski, CC; Bard, BA; Aumen, BA. Long jump - Sawielski, BA, 19'8 1/2"; Dorland, CC; Ballard, CC; Castle, BA. Shot put - Battel, CC, 46'7"; Michalski, CC; Troyer, BA; Howard, BA. 2 Mile run - Richards, CC, 10:36; Warju, CC; Delpiere, BA; Mitchell, CC. 330 Low hurdles - Middaugh, CC, 42.0; Bard, BA; Moore, BA; Ballard, CC; Mike Richards, CC; Newman, BA, tied. 880 relay - Howard, Kinney, Sawielski, Wakefield, BA, 1:36.5. 880 run - Schultz, BA, 2:08.9; Smith, BA; Kuenzli, CC; Fortson, CC. 100 dash - Sawielski, BA, 10.4; Lowe, CC; Bean, CC; Morrish, CC. 120 high hurdles - Middaugh, CC, 16.4; Mike Richards, CC; Bard, BA; Bob Warju, CC. 440 dash - Wakefield, BA, 53.4; Schultz, BA; Hoag, CC; Kuenzli, CC. 1 mile run - Guinther, CC, 4:48.5; Steve Richards, CC; Gary Warju, CC; Delpiere, BA. 440 relay - Ney, Howard, Kinney, Sawielski, BA; Lowe, Morrish, Dorland, Bean, CC, tie, 46.7. 220 dash - Michalski, CC, 24.5; Dorland, CC; Howard, BA; Kinney, BA. 1 mile relay - BA, 3:40.9.

High jump - Haire, CC, 5'10"; Smith, BA; Hollis, CC; Groth, CC. Pole vault - Ballard, CC, 12'; Haire, CC; Trischler, CC; Morrell, BA.

### FRANKENMUTH MEET

Frankenmuth showed why they will be heavily favored to walk off with the Thumb B conference championship again this spring as the Eagle thinclads clawed the Red Hawks Monday, 109-49. Cass City was able to garner firsts in just four events. Clarke Haire won the high jump, Steve Ballard took the pole vault, Rick Hollis captured the discus and Mark Guinther won the mile.

The results: Discus - Hollis, CC, 128'2"; Voska, F; Michalski, CC; Battel, CC. Long jump - Matt Barrett, F, 19'2 1/2"; Webb, F; Mark Barrett, F; Ballard, CC. High jump - Haire, CC, 6'; Frank, F; Schmidt, F; Hollis, CC. Pole vault - Ballard, CC, 12'; Haire, CC; Pringle, F; Voska, F. 2 mile - Jensen, F, 10:36.4; Richards, CC; Werner, F; Gary Warju, CC. Low hurdles - vonBehren, F, 42.8; Webb, F; Reif, F; Regner, Munger, F. 880 yd. relay - Frankenmuth, 1:37.5. 880 yd. - Walz, F, 2:12.4; Kuenzli, CC; Wilson, F; Fortson, CC. 100 yd. - Frank, F, 10.5; Pavlicek, F; Bean, CC; Lowe, CC. High hurdles - vonBehren, F, 16.6; Reif, F; Mike Richards, CC; Raub, F. 440 yd. - Walz, F, 54.2; Metzger, F; vonDenBorge, CC; Hoag, CC. 1 mile - Guinther, CC, 4:57.6; Kaine, F; Werner, F; Smith, CC. 440 yd. relay - Frankenmuth, 46.6; vonBehren, Pavlicek, Frank, Barrett. 220 yd. - Frank, F, 24.9; Barrett, F, Dorland, CC; Michalski, CC. Mile relay - Frankenmuth, 3:53.

### CARO MEET

Despite four wins by Caro's Nancy Stein, the Hawks came away with a 91-54 girls' track win in a home meet Monday, May 9.

Miss Stein took the 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, the discus and shot put events, providing about the only competition Caro could muster for the day.

The Hawks took nine of the 14 events, including a sweep of the mile run by Robbie Leslie, Kari Witherspoon, Laurie Ware and Sally Ware.

The winners: Two mile run - S. Ware, CC, 13:56.1. 880 relay - CC, 1:59. 880 run - Kim Witherspoon, CC, 2:38.8. 100 yd. dash - Stein, C, 12.5. 110 hurdles - D. Rabideau, CC, 16.7. 440 dash - Zimba, CC, 1:08.28. Mile run - Leslie, CC, 6:12.61. 440 relay - CC, 57.4. 220 dash - Stein, C, 29.7. Mile relay - CC, 4:36.9. High jump - Dunn, C, 4'6". Long jump - Lapp, CC, 14'11". Discus - Stein, C, 90'9/2". Shot put - Stein, C, 29'3/4".

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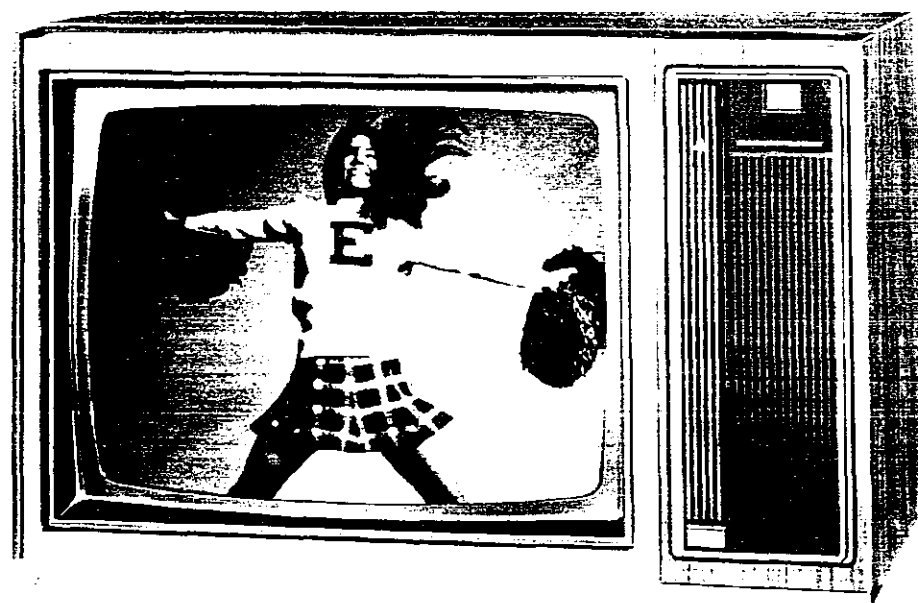
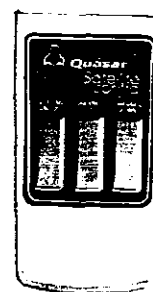
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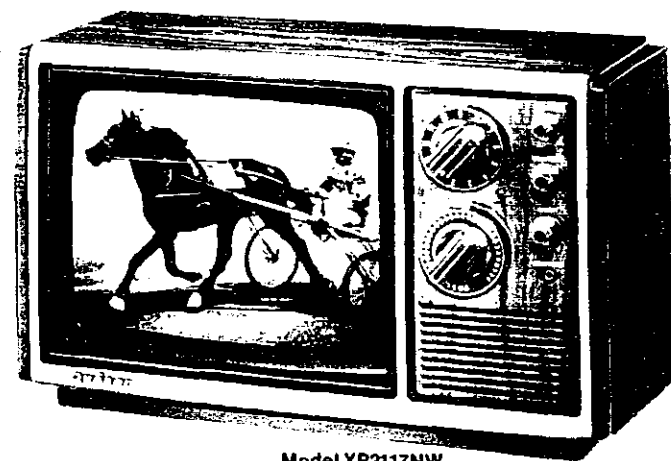
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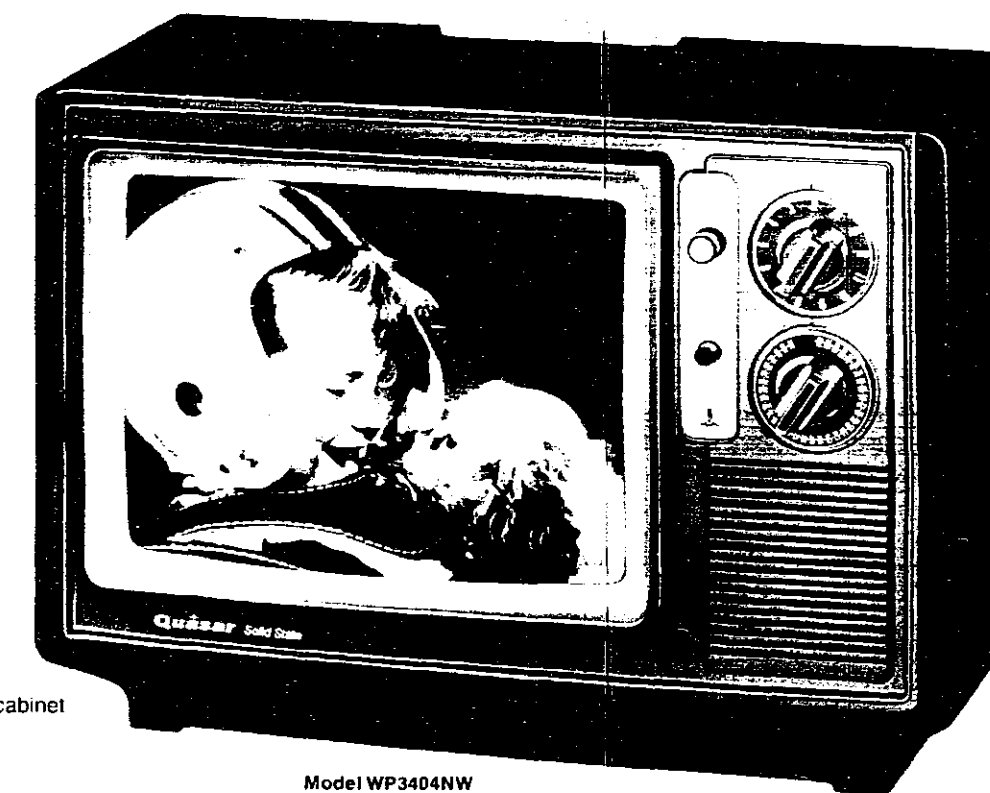
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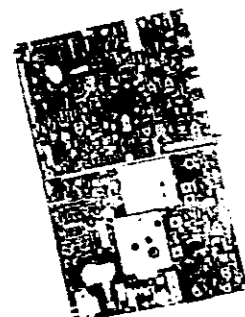
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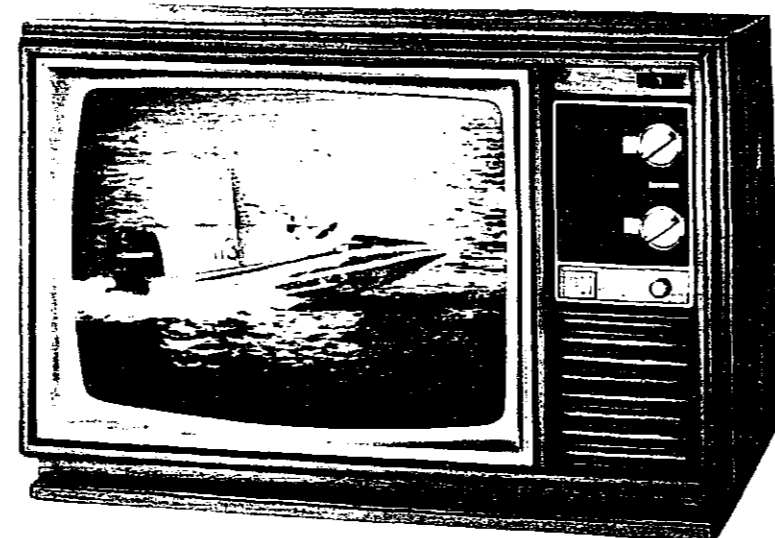


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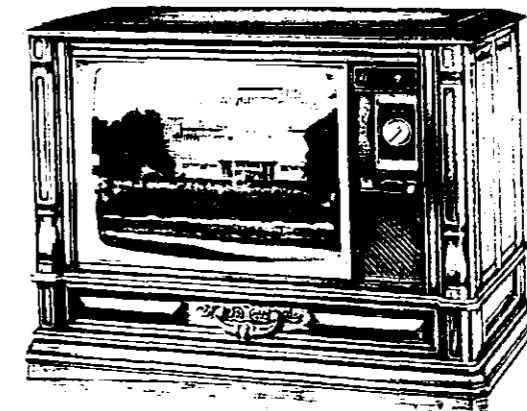
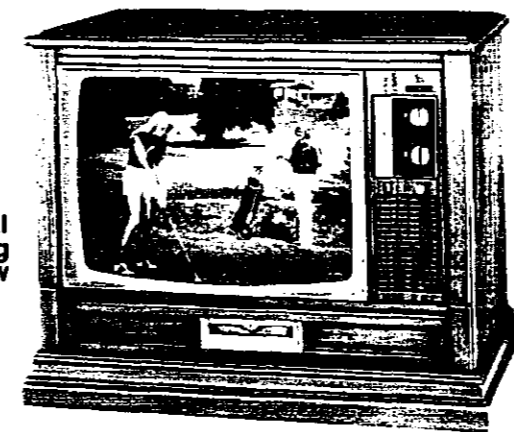
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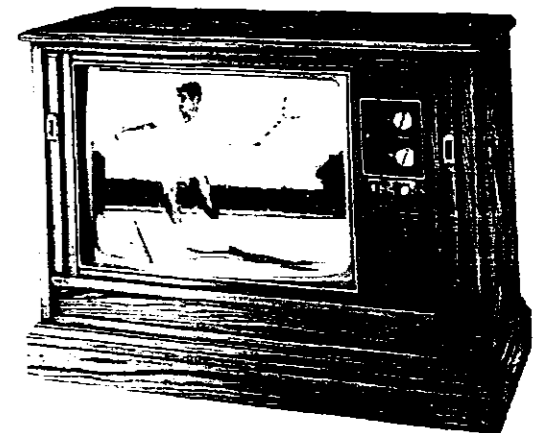


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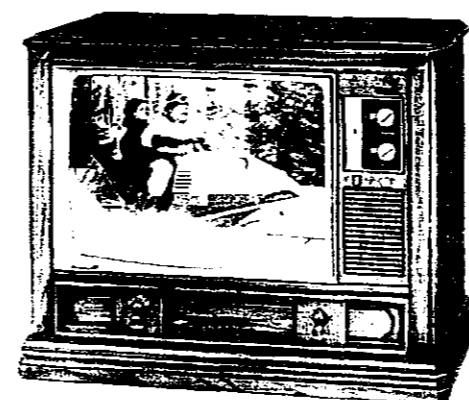
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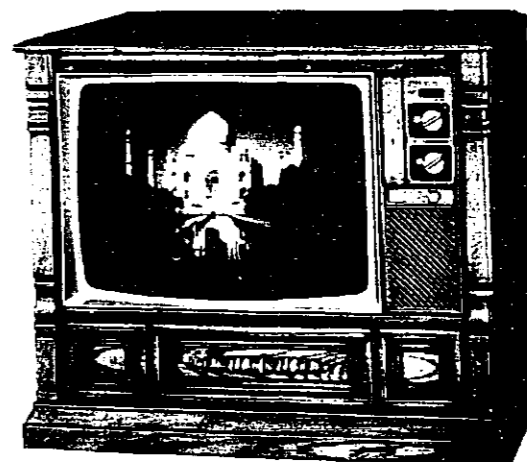
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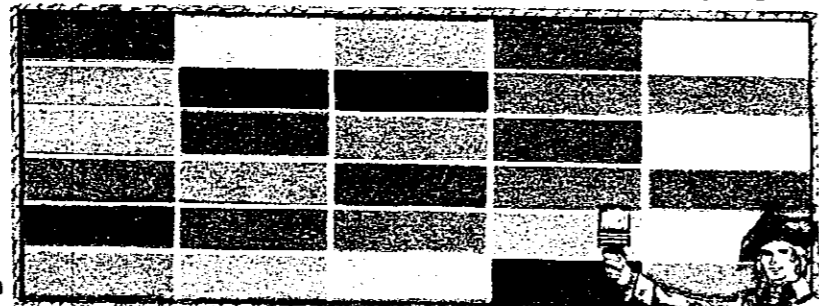
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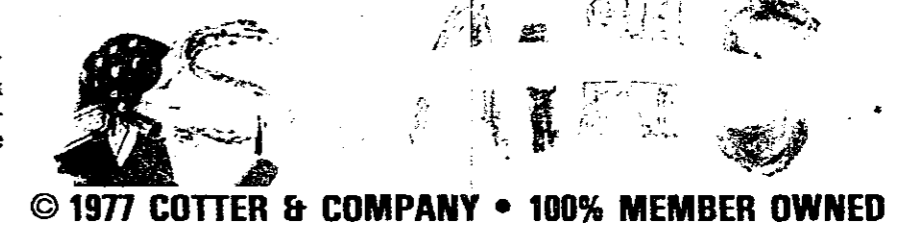
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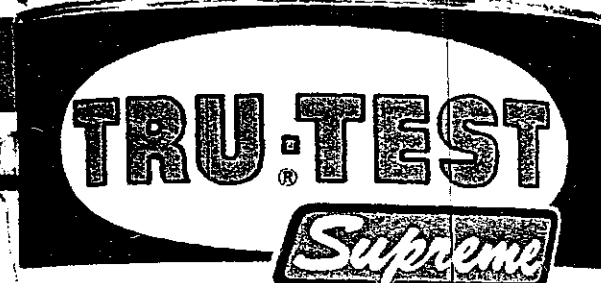
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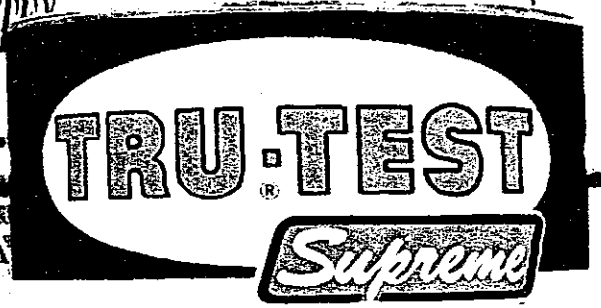
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We make our own high quality paints in 3 modern Tru-Test paint factories, so we save money on manufacturing and distribution costs...and pass those savings on to you, our valued customer. There is one invisible ingredient in each can of our paint—the integrity of the people who made it and sold it.



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POLYURETHANE VARNISH  
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Outlasts ordinary varnish! Hard, durable finish won't chip or crack; resists water. Choice of gloss, satin or dull finish. 02/012/039/055

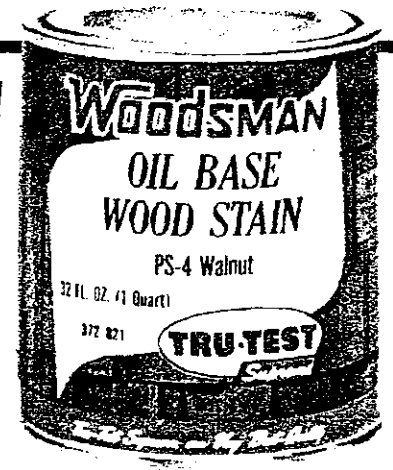


**TRU-TEST Supreme**  
SPRAY WOOD STAIN  
**1.39**  
16 oz.

And Sealer. Two-in-one stain and sealer for interior wood surfaces. Just spray it on—no need to wipe. Dries in just minutes. Eight wood finishes. 16 oz.

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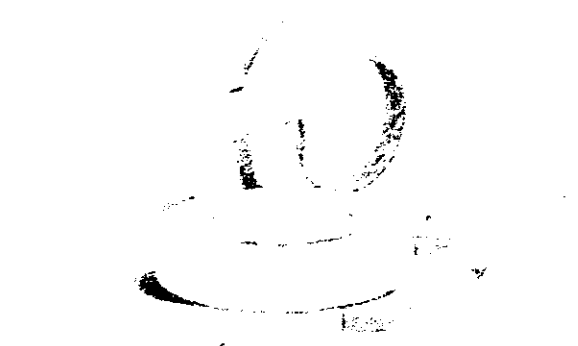
Brings the richness of color to wood without hiding the grain! Easy-to-use oil-base stain needs no wiping—produces uniform color. Ideal for unfinished furniture, paneling. 8 colors. 02/PS



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**Red Devil**  
Deluxe Trim Guard. Protects edging. 07/4049PR  
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**Tuck**  
60 YARD MASKING TAPE  
**33¢**  
Protects trim as you paint wall; protects wall as you paint trim! 60 yds. 07/C1220/2/3/4  
1/2" Wide...33¢ 1" Wide...79¢  
1 1/2" Wide...99¢ 2" Wide...1.66

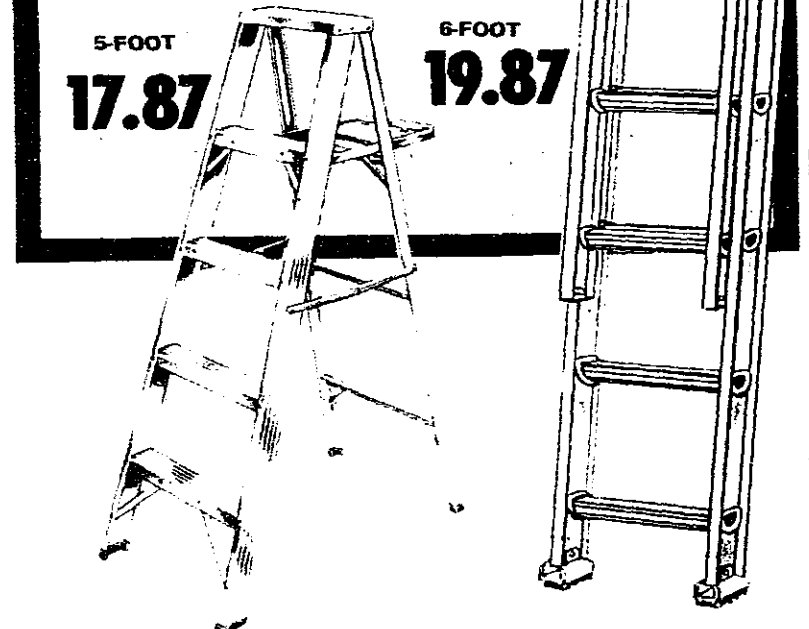
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**EXTENSION LADDERS**  
Werner ladders—designed like the ones used to scale Mount Everest. "1" beam design; 16" wide; spring loaded lock. Rope and center pulley on 20' and larger sizes. 07/D1116/20/4/8-2

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"Step up" to Werner ladders! Heat-treated aluminum alloy is 40% stronger than the usual aluminum or magnesium ladders. Safety-tread steps; knee-braced top and bottom steps. Pail shelf. 07/365/6

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(A) BRUSH CLEANER  
Restores dried and hardened brushes. Deep cleans freshly used ones. Pint...1.22 Quart...1.99 **1.22** PINT

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Works on any surface and any finish—removes paint and varnish easily. Pint...1.55 Quart...2.66 Gallon...7.99 **1.55** PINT

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9' X 12' PLASTIC DROP CLOTH  
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 Won't droop, sag or wilt! They outwear ordinary bristle brushes by three to one. For any surface.  
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 Restores original finish with out stripping. 06/0012/3  
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 For handrubbed look. Heat stain resistant. 1/2 Pt. 2.05  
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**2.33** Qt.  
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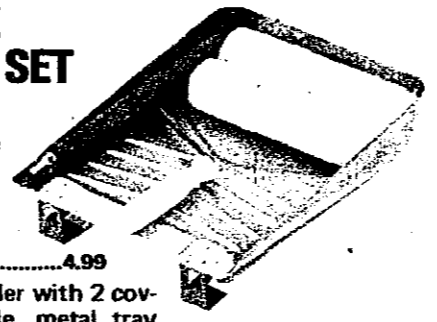


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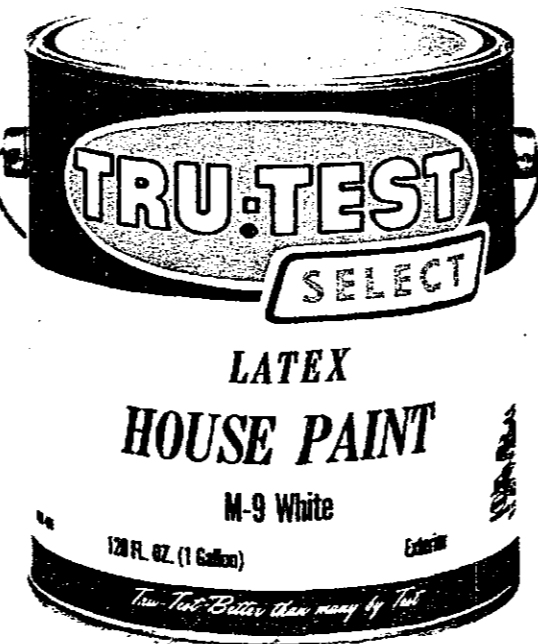
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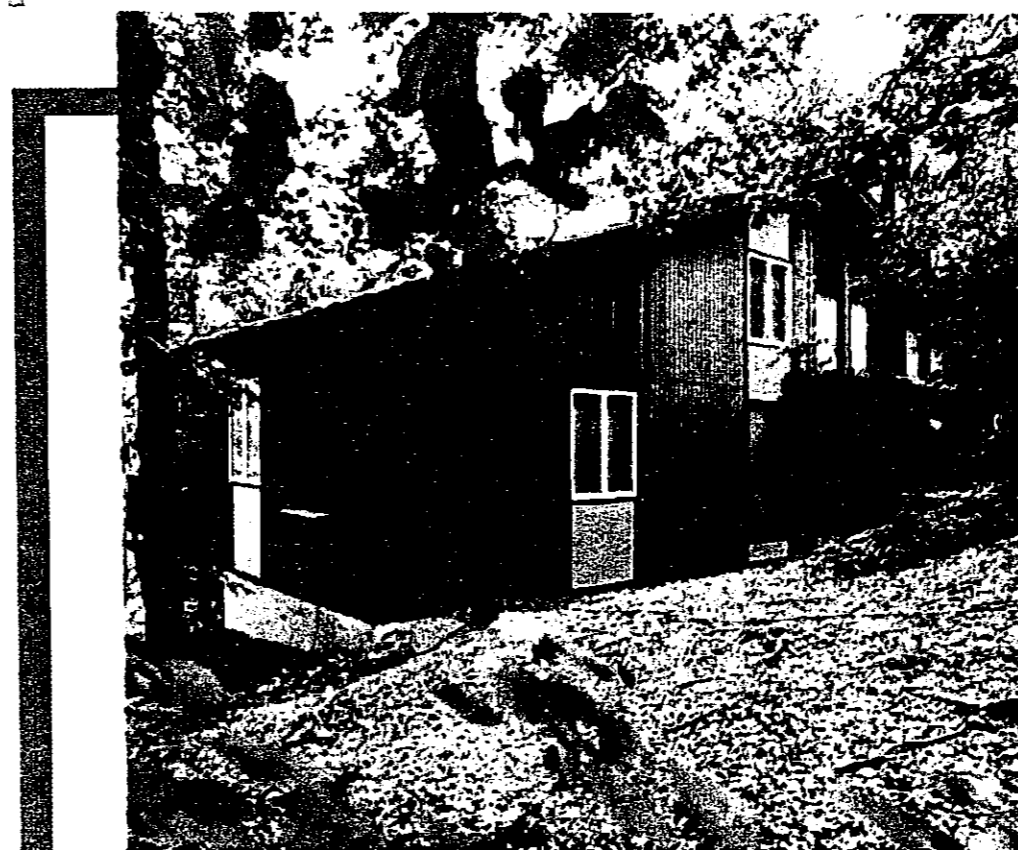
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