

# Red tape stalls sewage treatment plant

Planning for Cass City's proposed wastewater treatment plant has ground to a halt — again.

A combination of state and federal bureaucratic delays was blamed by Jim Hubbel, engineer from Hubbel, Roth and Clark, who outlined the situation for village council members during Tuesday night's regular session at the Municipal Building.

Hubbel said the only hope of getting the project under way this year lies with Congress which could pass legislation extending treatment plant funding into the next fiscal year.

Unless that happens, Michigan and several other states will lose Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) funds designated to construct plants such as Cass City's.

The latest roadblock came last week when Hubbel learned an EPA document omitting the need for an environmental impact study for Cass City's project had been sidetracked for a month.

Without the document, the village cannot apply for its Step II planning grant from EPA, totaling about \$150,000. Hubbel said it will take at least three weeks before the document arrives at his office.

At the same time, state authorities are demanding final Step II plans be submitted to the Department of Natural Resources by Aug. 1

for approval. DNR reportedly needs 60 days to rule, which puts Cass City beyond the Sept. 30 deadline to claim its Step III grant monies amounting to well over \$2 million.

Hubbel placed much of the blame for delays on the state, specifically the DNR which he claimed wasted time approving earlier applications and plans.

He said time lost in the flap with Wesley's Quaker Maid over participation in the project and the EPA snafu didn't help matters.

"As it stands now, we won't get the plant funded under fiscal 1976 funds," Hubbel said. "There is a possibility that before Sept. 30, an extension amendment can be passed by Congress but it's not likely."

He said Michigan will lose about \$300 million in EPA funding. The money will be distributed to other states which have managed to keep up with federal timetables.

Village President Lambert Althaver said the foul-up wasn't Cass City's fault.

"We've done all that was asked of us," Althaver said. "We simply got the short end of the stick."

The village is also working against a deadline placed on the current plan. The latest approved discharge permit stipulates the village must be working on plans for a new plant within three years.

Still, the permit cannot be taken away unless funding for a replacement is available, Hubbel told council.

With the plant in jeopardy again, trustees are taking a second look at sewer system expansion it approved earlier this year which would include property outside the village limits south of Cass City.

Originally, the expansion was approved because it was thought it would help speed the project ahead. Cost of construction was pegged at about \$9,000, of which Cass City would pay 20 per cent.

But with no plant in the immediate future, council isn't ready to extend sewer service outside the village limits.

Hubbel said he plans to meet this week with state authorities to discuss the next move. The plant could be funded with monies voted in the next fiscal year, he said, but it's unknown if funding will be sufficient, Hubbel said.

#### WESLEY'S REQUEST

Before Hubbel revealed his bad news Gerald Stilson, manager of Wesley's Quaker Maid plant in Cass City, requested his company's sewer charges for the new system be based solely on flow from the milk plant and not on water used.

Stilson claimed a large share of water used for

cooling at the plant is recycled and not put into the system. He said measuring effluent from the milk plant would be a fairer way to base billings.

He also pushed for a change in water rates, claiming high-volume users should get a larger break on the price per gallon.

Presently, all water over 200,000 gallons is charged at the same per-gallon rate. Stilson said breakdowns should go as high as a million gallons. He said the present structure was unfair because Wesley's is the highest volume water user in the village. Stilson claimed the water use figures helped inflate Wesley's sewer bill.

Trustee Dr. D.E. Rawson said Wesley's is paying for about half of what it costs the village to process its wastes and that it uses one-fifth of the present plant's capacity.

Stilson disputed the figures, claiming only nine per cent use.

"You've never actually looked into what we use," Stilson said. He offered to buy a flow meter to back up his claim.

The scenario ended with a heated exchange between Stilson and Trustee Gary Jones over water rates. Stilson called a hypothetical suggestion by Jones that rates could be set up on a gallon-by-gallon basis "stupid".

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## Development corporation gets \$45,000 FHA grant

The Cass City Development Corporation got welcome news Tuesday night as the Farmers Home Administration (FHA) announced it has approved a \$45,000 grant for development of industrial park property in the southwest corner of town.

Paul S. Miller, Community Programs Loan Specialist with FHA, told village trustees it approved the request, submitted by council for the Development Corporation earlier this year.

The funds will be used to bring water and sewer lines into land located behind Walbro and General Cable property south of Garfield Street.

Corporation members earlier told council it could not interest potential businesses in locating on the site until water and sewer hook-ups were available.

With utilities on the property, corporation members are hopeful to get at least one company on a lot sometime soon. Once funds from the sale of lots starts rolling in, the corporation hopes to develop more lots and roads which could bring more plants to the site.

Council agreed to accept the grant and set up a special account at Pinney State Bank for the money until it is spent.

Village President Lambert

Althaver stressed no local tax money is involved. The development corporation will have to come up with funds when the grant runs out, he said.

Construction on water and sewer lines will begin after contract is awarded. Under FHA rules, the work must be let through competitive bidding.

#### CURB AND GUTTER

Council awarded Lasky Construction Co. of Bad Axe the contract to construct 3,831 feet of curb and gutter on Cass City Streets this summer at a cost of \$4.03 per lineal foot.

Construction is slated to begin June 15 and be completed by Sept. 15.

Bids ranged from Lasky's low bid to a high of \$4.95 per foot.

After the four bids were opened, Roy Tuckey of Tuckey Block Co., Cass City, questioned council about a discrepancy in the contract.

Tuckey claimed it contained three different specifications for concrete. He said it could mean as much as \$3 per yard difference in bid prices.

Tuckey urged council to clarify what it wants in future bid lettings.

J.D. Tuckey, who said he attended the meeting as an interested taxpayer, ques-

tioned village Supt. Lou LaPonsie about testing the concrete being used to make sure it met bid specifications.

"I say let's get what we're paying for," Tuckey said. "How do you know what you're getting if you don't test?"

LaPonsie said the village lacked the testing equipment needed. Tuckey said in most cases, cement companies will provide tests free of charge. It was pointed out, however, that the village's bid provided municipal payment for any testing.

#### TREASURER RESIGNS

Celia House, Cass City treasurer since 1964, submitted her letter of resignation effective immediately. Clerk Lynda McIntosh was appointed to fill her unexpired term which runs through March, 1978.

Mrs. House, who also served as clerk for most of her 13 years in village government, gave no reason for her resignation in a letter read to trustees by Althaver.

#### OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, council learned its insurance carrier, Farm Bureau Insurance, is cancelling workmen's compensation and auto liability coverage for the village effective July 1.

The cancellation comes in the second year of a three-year agreement between the village and Farm Bureau. The insurance company says it is getting out of these two insurance areas.

Althaver said the village will try to make Farm Bureau honor its agreement and if not, the insurance should be

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## It's official - 2,436 in Cass City

It's official. There are 2,436 residents in Cass City. Those are the figures following a special village census conducted early this year.

The results show a 23 per cent increase over 1970 census figures and will mean a larger piece of the state and federal revenue sharing pie.

Cass City had been receiving state shared revenue payments based on an estimated population of around 2,200, while federal officials were using the 1970 figure of 1,974.

The new census will be used in figuring 1978 shared revenues for the village, President Lambert Althaver said.



FLAG-RAISING ceremonies were held Monday morning by Cass City Lions Club members honoring the late Harry Little, a charter member of the club. Club members erected a 35-foot flagpole and a garden area in honor of the late businessman and civic leader near the Helen Stevens Pool in the village park. Cost of the project was set at \$1,500. A plaque and lights which will allow the flag to be flown 24 hours a day are yet to be installed. Shown at the ceremony are (from the left) Bob Wischmeyer, Ron Keegan, club secretary; Tom Herron, who with Ken Martin chaired the project; Ed LaBelle, club president; Roger Little and Peter Rienstra.

## Will add 1,500 square feet

## Library construction project set to begin

Construction was slated to begin this week on a 1,500 square-foot addition to Rawson Memorial Library in Cass City.

The addition, estimated to cost \$29,000, will include one large room plus storage and lavatory. E.B. Schwaderer of Cass City will supervise the construction.

The library has outgrown its existing building, according to Mrs. Evelyn MacRae, president of the library board.

"Since we opened in 1970, our circulation has nearly doubled," Mrs. MacRae said. "We also need the room for storage and work area."

According to figures supplied by librarian Barbara Hutchinson, the library currently houses 12,000 volumes. Circulation in the past 12 months hit an all-time high of 43,127.

When the library opened, there were 6,500 volumes with an annual circulation of 21,114.

Mrs. MacRae said additional space is needed to house audio-visual materials and an expanding historical collection.

Another reason for building now is money. "We thought we should build while our money was worth something," she said. "If we waited, we might not be able to build what we want."

Mrs. MacRae said the addition will be built with private contributions from the estates of the late Mrs. George Murray and Dorus Benkelman.

Whether or not the addition can be constructed for \$29,000 remains to be seen, she said. If the cost is greater, the board may have to dip into its operating funds, she said.

She added Schwaderer is donating his time to the project. He also designed and supervised construction of the original building eight years ago.

When completed, the addition will be used for an extra study area, including listening stations for audio equipment as well as story hours and small meetings.

It will include a large storage area for magazines and equipment and will free the present magazine room for a work area for processing

materials, Mrs. Hutchinson said.

"With the new addition we hope to be able to offer programs for adults and to expand our services to children," Mrs. Hutchinson said. "We have had as high as 75 for a story hour. The average is about 40. We do not advertise it as much as we would like because at present we don't have space to handle even 40 comfortably."

The addition will wipe out parking on the west side of the library, forcing patrons to park either along the street or in the village-owned lot to the west.

Pine Street, which runs in front of the building, is also scheduled to be rebuilt this year with curb and gutter. Whether or not the present asphalt strip used by library patrons can be salvaged is unknown, Mrs. MacRae said.

The addition will match the present brick front structure but will not have as many windows because of Michigan's new energy code. It will not contain ceiling windows as does the existing building. Plans call for construction to be completed by autumn.

## Owen-Gage loses state aid

Owen-Gage School Board members were scheduled to meet in a special session Wednesday night to discuss the latest financial blow dealt the district by state officials.

School authorities learned Thursday the district's categorical state aid payments would be withheld because of its deficit.

In a seven-page letter signed by Robert Hornberger, director of Department Services for the Department of Education, school officials were told the final payment for the 1976-77 year will be withheld, along with all future aid.

The district's final payment was slated to be \$6,944. If an agreement cannot be worked out to restore the payments for next year, the district could stand to lose \$40,000.

Such payments are allocated for specific purposes such as driver's education or bus transportation of students.

Hornberger summed up the department's position in the letter to the district by saying "It is regretted deeply that the Department of Education has no choice but to comply with provisions of Section 102 of the State Aid Act."

Owen-Gage Supt. Ronald Erickson charged the action is another attempt by State authorities to shut his district down. He claimed there are 39 districts in the state running deficits and still receiving state aid.

He specifically named Laker, Harbor Beach, Port Austin, Akron-Fairgrove, Reese and USA as districts receiving state aid payments despite writing budgets with red ink.

"We'll go after it (the payments) next year," Erickson told the Chronicle. "If we don't get it, then we'll be forced to review our position. I don't intend to lose it."

Erickson said as soon as the school's audit is complete and

the next budget comes in, it will show Owen-Gage is in the black.

The school had a deficit of \$24,000 last year. Normally, a district is given a two-year period to erase a deficit before aid payments are withheld.

Robert Nelson, supervisor of the accounting program for the State Department of Education, admitted there are other Michigan school districts receiving state aid despite deficits, but claimed these districts had submitted a balanced budget and a plan to put itself in the black.

Nelson says Owen-Gage has failed to submit a satisfactory plan to wipe out its deficit. He said the department believes it is "questionable" Owen-Gage could achieve a balanced budget.

Nelson also said State Equalized Valuation figures submitted by Erickson cannot be verified.

He said the cut-off in state aid payments is not a forfeiture. The funds will be held until a plan is approved and will be paid in a lump sum to the district, he said.

Nelson denied the state is attempting to close Owen-Gage.

"We are not dealing with him (Erickson) any differently than we deal with anyone else in the same position," he said. "The action was taken by the financial secretary of the Department of Education because of the position he's (Erickson) in."

Nelson said the department has taken the same action against other school districts recently, the latest in February when payments were withheld to an unidentified district for 1½ months.

Nelson said the action was taken on orders of Hornberger following meetings with district officials and a review of information submitted by Erickson.

Hornberger was unavailable for comment Tuesday, despite repeated efforts by the Chronicle to contact him.

Wednesday's special meeting was slated to begin at 8:00 p.m. at Gagetown.



CLASS OF 1993?—Heather Wright, 2, tries on a graduation cap for size at last week's ceremonies held at Cass City High School. Shown helping his daughter model the piece of headgear is her father, Steve Wright.

# Cass City Area Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little  
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Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mellendorf

An open house honoring Mr. and Mrs. Wayne H. Mellendorf on their 25th wedding anniversary was held Sunday, May 29, at their home near Cass City. Many friends and relatives attended.

The open house was given by their children, Jeff of Caro and Scott of Cass City. The anniversary cake was made by Mrs. Mellendorf's sister, Mrs. Marie Brown.

Wayne Mellendorf and Helen Churchill were married May 31, 1952, at Elkton.

## Marriage Licenses

Roger Allen Talaski, 23, of Ubyly and Tamara Kay Hamilton, 18, of Unionville.

Timothy Allen Klinessmith, 18, of Mayville and Susan Marie Giddings, 18, of Mayville.

Agapito Solis, 23, of Mt. Morris and Cruz Arebalo, 21, of Caro.

Higher civilization is the kind nobody can understand.

Michael and Diane Lowe, members of this year's graduating class, were honored at an open house Sunday afternoon at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Doerr had as guests from Saturday until Monday, her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wright of Whitmore Lake. Joining them Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thorp and family and Mrs. Lela Wright of rural Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Profit spent the week end and holiday at their cottage at Port Austin. With them were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell and daughters of Royal Oak.

Mrs. Gene Sicker of Grandville spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Agar.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zapfe and family of Clio were Saturday visitors at the Lyle Zapfe home. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holm joined them for supper.

The last meeting of the Woman's Study Club will be a one o'clock luncheon at the Charmont, Tuesday, June 14. Every woman who at any time belonged to the organization is invited to attend. Those planning to attend should call Mrs. Ernest Croft by June 10, so that reservations may be made.

Mrs. James McMahon and Mrs. Lena Schwegler had as visitors at their home Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker of Imlay City.

Mrs. Francis Fritz returned home Friday from a 2½ week visit with relatives in Milwaukee, Wis., and Chicago, Ill. In Milwaukee, she visited her mother, Mrs. Rose Brosseau, 101, who is in a nursing home there and visited her sister, Mrs. Carrie Griswold. Also there at that time was Mrs. Fritz' brother, Jack Brosseau of Palm Springs, Calif. In Chicago, Mrs. Fritz visited her brothers, Jim and Bob Brosseau.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stine and grandson Marc Stine and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Clarke were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Carmack Smith home. Willard Dodson was a Sunday evening caller and Monday callers were Mr. and Mrs. John Webb.

Mrs. Martha Clement from the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McComb of Detroit were Sunday overnight guests at the Fay McComb home and were Monday visitors at the home of Mrs. Glenn McClorey.

Miss Lillian Dunlap of Caro and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Keith Murphy home.

Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi had as dinner guests Memorial Day, her sister, Mrs. Eldon Hall of Jackson, Mrs. Hall's grandson, Brian Hill of Flushing and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kolb and daughter Katherine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Perry in Clio Thursday and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cross in Davison.

Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ketchum were his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cooper of Wheeler, Memorial Day dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Harrison of Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Agar and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dale of Marlette, Mrs. Diane Bell and son Billy of Oak Ridge, Tenn., visited Mrs. Lena Schwegler and Mrs. James McMahon, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Bell and son were also visitors at the Arthur Battel home.

Mrs. Lyle Wheeler and daughter, Penny of Fenton visited Mrs. Wheeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carmack Smith, Thursday. Mrs. Garrison Stine was also a caller.

Rev. and Mrs. Wilbur Silvernall of Rives Jct. spent Sunday afternoon and until Monday with his mother, Mrs. Ray Silvernall.

Nineteen class members and two visitors were present Friday evening when the Golden Rule Class of Salem UM church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harris. Among those present were the George Dillmans of Forrester who returned to their home recently from Florida. Mrs. Laurence Bartle presided over the business meeting and Mrs. Maurice Joos led the devotions. For entertainment Earl Harris showed pictures. The June meeting will be with the Dillmans at Forrester.

Relatives and friends attended open house Sunday afternoon at the Harold Little home honoring Kurt Little, a member of this year's graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Reid and son Ryan of Marquette spent the week end and holiday at the Donald Reid and Lee Hartel homes.

Anne Marie Lorentzen of Saginaw spent Thursday and until Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lorentzen when she came to attend the funeral of her uncle, Joseph Tesho. Other visitors Friday at the Lorentzen home when they came to attend the funeral were Mrs. Ernest Lorentzen and Betty Jean Lorentzen of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hodges of Caro.

Mrs. Arthur Little spent from Friday until Sunday in Birmingham with Mr. and Mrs. Grant M. Little and son Arthur.

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Echo Chapter OES will meet Wednesday evening, June 8. Past worthy matrons and patrons will be honored. A proficiency test will be given. Mrs. William J. Profit heads the refreshment committee for the evening.

The 1977 May family reunion will be held June 11 at the Caro Fairgrounds with a potluck dinner at noon.

Mrs. Thomas Little and Jeri Warju left from Tri-City Airport Monday to spend two weeks at Denver, Colo. Sherri Little, who has been undergoing rehabilitation in Denver, will return to her home with them May 10.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hartel (Lola Little) surprised their parents Saturday when the children and a few other relatives gathered for a cook-out meal and to celebrate the Hartels' silver wedding anniversary which comes in June. Their children are Mrs. Roger Reid (Sharon) of Marquette, Scott Hartel of Cass City and Sandra, Jeffrey, Elizabeth and Bradley at home. They have one grandchild, Ryan Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norlock were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ketchum.

## Fete Profit on 80th birthday

A surprise 80th birthday party was held Sunday, May 22, for Clair Profit at the Mizpah Missionary Church Hall. A light lunch was served to over 100 friends and neighbors who attended the party, hosted by sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Profit and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Profit.



Clair Profit

He is a lifelong resident of the Cass City area and lives on the farm where he was born northeast of Cass City. He received many cards and gifts.

## Slate open house for Profits

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Profit of Cass City will be honored with an open house, given by their daughters and their families in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary, at the Fraser Presbyterian church, four miles east of Cass City, five miles north on M-53, June 5, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Glenn Profit and Ella Helwig were married June 1, 1927, with John Profit and Mrs. Arena LaVigne as their attendants. They were married in the Ubyly Manse at 12 o'clock noon by Rev. H.P. Cornell.

The couple have three daughters, Mrs. Joe (Bernice) Armstead of Holly, Mrs. Roger (Almeda or Chris) Forster of Cass City and Mrs. James (Donna Mae) Sturm of Bad Axe; eleven grandchildren and one great grandchild. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Roberts and son Kevin and Darren Reed of Center Line, en route home from Caseville, were callers Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig, Mrs. Lucile Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig were guests from Saturday until Monday of Miss Josephine VanGuilder at Big White Fish Lake near Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander, Mrs. Normaleen McIntosh and Mrs. Theda Seeger attended the annual Scottish Festival in Alma, Saturday.

Miss Barbara Buckley of Lapeer spent Sunday with Mrs. Edith Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Art Fisher and family were Saturday supper guests in the John Shagena home. The fifth birthday of Mary Shagena and the 11th birthday of Aaron Fisher were celebrated. Other members of the Fisher families joined them in the evening for ice cream and birthday cake.

Mrs. Elizabeth Medcalf, 98, of Caro, aunt of Mrs. Helen Little, died May 29 at the County Medical Care Facility. Funeral services were held Wednesday in Caro and burial was in Ellington cemetery. She was the widow of Abe Medcalf. They operated the store at Ellington for many years. Besides her husband, two daughters, Lucille Turner and Wilma Rondo Tesho, also preceded her in death.

Some 150 relatives and friends attended an open house Sunday at the Kenneth Nye home honoring Dennis Nye and his graduation from high school. Here for a week to attend commencement activities were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nye of Lee's Summit, Mo. Also guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Nye and daughter of Manassas, Va.

Mrs. Edward Profit accompanied relatives from Pigeon to St. Clair Friday to attend the funeral of her uncle, Joseph Ducharme, 60.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirton of Flint were visitors Thursday at the home of Mrs. Ben Kirton.

Lester Hendrick of Eaton Rapids came Thursday and spent until Wednesday of this week with his uncle, Theo Hendrick.

Mrs. Edward Profit and children Billy and Connie visited Mrs. Profit's grandmother, Mrs. Agnes Ignash at Kinde Sunday and later joined relatives at the Leslie Profit cottage near Port Austin.

Miss Lessel Crawford of Pontiac spent the week end and holiday with her sister, Mrs. Glenn McClorey.

Isaac Tedford of St. Petersburg, Fla., was an overnight guest Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Max Agar. Mrs. Agar's sister, Mrs. Josephine Rondo of St. Petersburg, has been spending a few days in the Agar home.

Christopher McConnell was the guest Wednesday, May 25, of his cousin, Gary Blue at Millington when he attended the last day of nursery school with Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barnhart of Crescent Lake, Pontiac, visited relatives in Cass City, Saturday.

Plans for the annual Vacation Bible School has been announced by the Novesta Church of Christ. The dates are June 13-17, daily from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The theme of this year's school is "Lord Jesus, Teach Me." Children from age two to 13 are invited to attend. The week will be devoted to music, crafts, recreation and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin and Mrs. Ella Cumper spent Thursday at Coleman with Mrs. Hannah Pierson.

Mrs. Ella Cumper spent Tuesday, May 24, with relatives in Port Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Malette of Sault Ste. Marie, Mi., announce the birth of a son, Matthew Troy, born May 17 at Sault Ste. Marie, Canada. He weighed eight pounds and 11 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. J. William Parrott are the grandparents. Mrs. Malette is the former Becky Parrott.

Mrs. Roy Miller of Pinconning spent from Sunday until Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. John Haire, and family. Miss Madeline Miller of Saginaw brought her mother to Cass City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy, daughter Beth Tracy and son Duane O'Dell had as dinner guests Monday, Lester Hendrick of Eaton Rapids, Theo Hendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas O'Dell and Miss Kathy Luana.

Mrs. Adrian Hutchinson, Timothy Tuckey, Mrs. Ernest Schwaderer, Winifred Murphy, Matthew Heronemus, Russell Christian, Mrs. Arthur Eskilsen, Mrs. Muriel Swales, Paul Murray and Mrs. Elizabeth Knowlton of Cass City.

Mrs. Milton Hoppe of Caro; Walter Kelley, Mrs. Daniel Gomyory, Franklin Randall, Genevieve Faszca and Mrs. Barbara Gage of Deford; Alex Yens of Kingston; Shawn Shaw, Lloyd Swinehart, Juan Lopez and Frank Gludovatz of Unionville; Mrs. Jerome Rocheleau and Mrs. Raphael Arnold of Gagetown; Theophilus Kulish and Mrs. John Gallagher of Ubyly; Mrs. Stanley Morell of East Tawas; Mrs. Robert Cozad of Allen Park.

The June meeting of Good Shepherd Lutheran Ladies Aid is Monday, June 6, at 8 p.m. Mrs. Gerald Gunther, Mrs. James Gunther and Mrs. Hazen Gunther are hostesses.

## Hills and Dales General Hospital

**BIRTHS:**  
May 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mellendorf of Cass City, a boy, Paul Robert.  
May 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pauly of Pigeon, a boy, Matthew Ryan.  
May 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fackler of Decker, a boy, Barry Raymond.  
May 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mitchell of Sebewaug, a boy, Paul Lewis.  
May 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pohl of Kingston, a boy, Bryon Lee.

## PATIENTS LISTED TUESDAY, MAY 31, WERE:

Mrs. Adrian Hutchinson, Timothy Tuckey, Mrs. Ernest Schwaderer, Winifred Murphy, Matthew Heronemus, Russell Christian, Mrs. Arthur Eskilsen, Mrs. Muriel Swales, Paul Murray and Mrs. Elizabeth Knowlton of Cass City.  
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## Notice of the Annual Meeting of the Hills and Dales General Hospital

**Non-Profit Corporation**  
The annual meeting of the membership of the Corporation will be at the Hills and Dales General Hospital meeting room on Tuesday, June 14, 1977, 8:00 o'clock p.m.

For the purpose of the election of three (3) members to the Board of Trustees and a review of past business and that business for the ensuing year.

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He is a lifelong resident of the Cass City area and lives on the farm where he was born northeast of Cass City. He received many cards and gifts.

**Slate open house for Profits**

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Profit of Cass City will be honored with an open house, given by their daughters and their families in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary, at the Fraser Presbyterian church, four miles east of Cass City, five miles north on M-53, June 5, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Glenn Profit and Ella Helwig were married June 1, 1927, with John Profit and Mrs. Arena LaVigne as their attendants. They were married in the Ubyly Manse at 12 o'clock noon by Rev. H.P. Cornell.

The couple have three daughters, Mrs. Joe (Bernice) Armstead of Holly, Mrs. Roger (Almeda or Chris) Forster of Cass City and Mrs. James (Donna Mae) Sturm of Bad Axe; eleven grandchildren and one great grandchild. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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The annual meeting of the membership of the Corporation will be at the Hills and Dales General Hospital meeting room on Tuesday, June 14, 1977, 8:00 o'clock p.m.

For the purpose of the election of three (3) members to the Board of Trustees and a review of past business and that business for the ensuing year.



## "If It Fitz..." We should honor service

By Jim Fitzgerald

Every Memorial Day I decide I should shed the clown's suit and write some deathless prose about this national holiday which is fast becoming a farce.

Youngsters today seldom learn the real reason Cousin Jack parades in his National Guard uniform. And too many grownups have forgotten that this is a day for the dead, not for living it up.

Someone should remind all you picnic-bound hedonists to stop off at the cemetery with some flowers. Someone should shake you up good with the type of "lest we forget..." speech that the politicians used to thunder from the park pavilions on Memorial Day long past.

Someone should kick you good for having the guts to snicker at the few veterans who will squeeze into old uniforms and participate in skimpy parades that the kids will watch if there's nothing good on TV.

Someone should sear your sophisticated hide for thinking it is corny to be proud of having served, drafted or not. Someone should spit in your eye when you make wise-cracks about grown men playing soldier.

Someone should tell you to not be ashamed of the tear that dampens your eye when,

for a split second, you remember a 19-year-old friend who never became 20 because he got the top of his head shot off in a rice paddy.

Someone should squelch you flat when you parrot the fashionable philosophy which says only jerks wave flags and the Bomb will kill us all so what the hell, let's forget this patriotic nonsense and have another drink.

Someone should do all these things. But not me. I can't be that phony. The truth is that I need a shaking up along with the rest of you. I'm one of the wise guys who sneers when I might better bow my head.

Last year I sneered my way into an awful hassle with the American Legion. I was angry because Jimmy Carter was booted at the national Legion convention when he said Vietnam draft resisters should be pardoned. I suggested this will be a better world when there are no more legionnaires to meet every Wednesday night to reminisce about the horrors of World War II, and to pass resolutions condemning young men who refuse to fight in World War III.

On this Memorial Day I do not retract that anti-war sneer. In fact, I'll extend it. This will be a better world when Memorial Day has to be permanently canceled be-

cause no one can remember what war was. All Legion posts and VFW halls could be converted into launching pads for suburban commuters.

I reserve the right to be hopelessly idealistic. A man shouldn't be shot for dreaming the impossible dream, just so long as he returns to the real world often enough to pay his Master Charge bill. But in the meantime...

It should be noted that it is possible to be anti-Pentagon without sneering at Kate Smith. It is possible to wave your flag without sticking it into some Russian's eye. It is possible to enjoy a beer at the Legion without advocating the bombing of Cambodia.

There are a lot of us reluctant patriots who should come out of the closet. We know this country is worth bragging about and worth fighting for. But we only admit it in whispers on dark corners. We don't want anyone to think we are some kind of a nut.

The trouble is that the fanatics have given patriotism a bad name. They are too suspicious. Every time a bush moves they see a communist spy. They would love their country to death, much as a rabid mother might strangle her baby with hugs. Everyone who doesn't agree with them must be a card-carrying subversive.

The majority of us don't want to be identified with these crackpots. But we don't want to fight them too hard, either. Someone might tattoo a hammer and sickle on our foreheads, and we'll have to lunch alone at the country club.

So we store our flag in a dark drawer and wiggle our eyebrows cynically when the Boy Scouts march by.

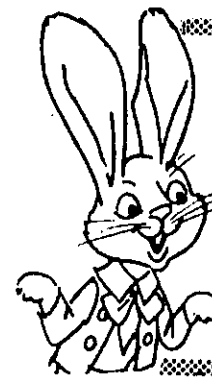
There's a middle ground, of course, but too many of us fear to tread it. Even on Memorial Day. We're afraid a display of honest emotion will earn us a Birch-type label at worst, or a cornball tag at best.

So we give the back of our hand to ideals that better men thought were worth their lives.

I wish you a thoughtful Memorial Day.



AREA BUSINESS and Professional Women attended the installation of new officers held May 18 in Caro. Shown are (seated, from the left) Mable Wright, first vice-president; Clara Gaffney, president, and Helen Gettel, second vice-president. Standing are Florence Daddazio, state president of the Michigan Federation of BPW; Normalene McIntosh, recording secretary; Helen Bartle, corresponding secretary, and Donna Holm, treasurer.



## Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Friday, June 3, a sports award banquet will be held. Dished out will be trophies for outstanding boy and girl athletes. The event is just before final exams and comes over a week after seniors graduated. It's bound to lessen the impact of what should be the highlight of the school's sport year. The dilemma of course is that spring sports aren't through until school is out. Perhaps it would still be better if the event were held at least a couple of weeks before all attention (rightfully) is focused on the graduation swirl.

If you clipped the summer recreation schedule published last week mark these two changes, say village officials. Family passes are \$35, not \$40, and the group pool rate up to 50 (not 5) persons is \$25.

On my desk for a couple months has been a note saying that M.B. Auten and James Bauer had been approved by the Cass City Rotary Club to be honored as "Rotary Fellows", a program where donations are made in their name to the Rotary Foundation.

I didn't tell you because it was going to be a surprise to the two men. It was, when formally announced a couple of weeks ago. I missed that special meeting and also the announcement of the awards.

The awards were made because of the long service to Rotary by Auten and Bauer.

I missed the annual Memorial Day parade this year. Out of town goofing off. That's rare in the news business. Ordinarily meeting the deadlines keeps you glued to the desk for at least part of the day.

The reason I could go, of course, is that Jim Ketchum was here taking care of things and production problems have eased through the addition of new equipment.

Hanging around on May 30 isn't so bad. Not like July 4 when you could fire a cannon down the main stem without hurting a single solitary soul.

Bill Kritzman and Mrs. Geraldine Prieskorn will tell you that new golf (woods) clubs can drive you out of your mind. Pun intended.

## Battle grass fires

Gagetown firemen battled two grass fires this week, neither serious.

About one acre owned by Steve Cameron, Gagetown, was burned Monday afternoon at the intersection of Hoppe and McGregor Roads, six and a half miles southwest of Gagetown. Fire Chief Chuck Wright said cause of the blaze is unknown. Firemen remained at the scene about half an hour.

The department fought a second blaze shortly after noon Tuesday when a fire at the village dump spread into nearby brush. Equipment from the Elkland Township Fire Department and a Department of Natural Resources plow assisted. Firemen fought the stubborn blaze about two hours, Wright said.

## Council tables meter request

Cass City Village Council tabled a request to install 20 more parking meters at the east end of Main Street during its session Tuesday night at the Municipal Building.

Trustee James Ware reported several businessmen

requested meters be installed on Main Street between Maple and Sherman Streets.

Ware said they are unhappy because they feel penalized having meters in front of their stores while no meters exist in front of the Quaker Maid

Dairy Store, Beagio's Pizza and Thumb Parts and Machine Co.

Ware said the cost of installing 20 meters in the block would total \$2,360. Ten meters would be set on each side of the street.

Village President Lambert Althaver said he didn't see a need for meters in the block since parking turnover is already high and there is no off-street parking close by.

Ware urged council to defer action on the request until a new business locates in the currently-empty Bulen building when another traffic and parking study can be made.

## Appoint Lynch to Walbro post

Ferris Ware, manufacturing manager, carburetor division, Walbro Corporation, announced that Victor J. Lynch, formerly with National Lock Fasteners Division, Rockford, Illinois, has joined the company as superintendent of its Caro plant (float type carburetors).

David McNaughton, his predecessor, is now production control supervisor of Walbro's diaphragm carburetor plant in Cass City. He is also in charge of customer contact and scheduling for the plant.

Ware also said that Al Avery is the new inspection supervisor in Walbro's Caro plant, after having served over ten years in inspection operations in the Company's Cass City plant. His replacement is Mike Murphy who has been in the inspection department of that plant since March.

### IMAGINATION

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

## FROM THE Editor's Corner



In case you happen to be the type that likes to bet a bob or two on a sure thing this is for you.

Whenever an issue comes up that pits the quality of life against the arsenal of big business put your money where the dollars are.

That way you are almost a sure winner.

Okay, so you don't want to take my word for it. Let the facts do the talking. Friday's edition of a metro daily is a case in point.

Read about the Reserve Mining Co. that has been fighting (and winning) a pollution battle for 10 years. All that this Duluth company has been doing is pouring in 67 tons of tailings into Lake Superior daily.

Now the courts have allowed them 32 1/2 more months to build a new plant going to stop it... but with no significant penalties if they do not.

Never mind that researchers say that the asbestos in the tailings poured into the lake is finding its way into the population and causing liver cancer. Not everyone gets it you know.

Read about the relaxed emission standards for autos. Saves gas and conserves energy. It also pollutes the air, makes cars easier to sell and generates profits for the industry.

Read about Michigan Chemical Co. that has been tapped on the wrist with a \$20,000 fine for killing virtually all the fish in the Pine River... despite strident objections of the Department

of Natural Resources and conservationists everywhere.

That one edition of Friday's paper might just give an unbiased observer a clue on the way the wind blows. As I said if you can find a starry-eyed sucker who believes that the big buck will lose to the big concept of a better country for all, mortgage the farm to make a bet.

A note of caution. Never bet on issues where the ordinary Joe, you and I, have a chance to really make our wishes known. Big bucks could take a shellacking then.

It isn't often that the powers slip up and let an issue drift down to us. But they did on the bottle issue.

Remember that one? Despite an advertising campaign that was out of this world showing us how much more the banning of disposables would cost we didn't buy it.

We were tired of picking up bottles and cans. Tired of the pollution.

I don't know how many persons believed at the time that it would cost more for returnables. Undoubtedly a good many of the decisive majority voting to ban the non-returnables did, but they were willing to pay more for the common good.

I'd lay a bob or two that if all these crucial environmental issues were laid before the people the same way it wouldn't take more than a dozen years to get action from polluters like Reserve Mining Co.

After all, no one really likes cancer of the liver.

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**Tell Delta honor students**

Four area residents were among 581 Delta College students named to the Dean's List for the winter, 1977, semester.

Named were Diana L. Bryant, 6392 Houghton St., and Cathleen Kerbyson, 4716 N. Seeger St., Cass City; Gregg Muck, 3912 S. English Rd., Kingston, and Mary Ann Somerville, 2080 Lamton Rd., Decker.

To qualify, a student must carry a full load of at least 12 academic credit hours and earn a grade point average of 3.5 or better for the semester.

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**Shabbona Area News**

Marie Meredith  
Phone 672-9489

Mrs. Ralph Smith returned home Thursday after being a patient in Marlette Hospital. Miss Hope Leslie returned home Sunday after being a patient in both Hills and Dales Hospital, Cass City, and the Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, for two weeks.

**EXTENSION**

The Shabbona Extension Group met Monday evening, May 23, at the Shabbona United Methodist church lower auditorium. Hostesses were Mrs. Clark Auslander and Mrs. Fred Emigh, assisted by Mrs. Bruce Kritzman and Mrs. Dan Masten.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. William Jones. The pledge to the flag was repeated in unison followed by the Women's Creed. A moment of silent prayer was held for those sick in the community. Secretary and treasurer's reports were given by Mrs. Jim McIntosh.

Crafts and hobbies were on display. Lunch was served by the hostesses. The group will meet Sept. 26, with Mrs. Gordon Ferguson.

**4-H**

The Evergreen 4-H String Art group will meet June 8 at 1:30 p.m. with Mrs. Russell Smith. Other meetings of the String Art group will be June 22 and June 29.

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Rev. Jacob Bawa was a guest minister at the Mizpah Missionary church. A potluck dinner was served at noon at the Fellowship Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie entertained at an open house Sunday in honor of their daughter, Roberta, who graduated from Cass City High School. Neighbors, friends and relatives attended.

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Miss Grace Wheeler and her sisters were co-hostesses at a bridal shower in honor of Mary Wheeler, Sunday, May 29.

**HILLTOPPERS**

The Hilltoppers of the RLDS church will meet Friday evening at 6:30 p.m. for supper with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

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Sunday, the Auslander family gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Auslander and Dale for a picnic dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Butts, Reed City; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Butts and family, Dewitt; Mrs. Zella Hem, Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osonoske, Flushing; Mr. and Mrs. James Malenick and family, Clio; Mr. and Mrs. Thede Bright and family, Swartz Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Art Ichue, Mrs. Tom Koziol and daughter, Mrs. June Phillips, Beth, Craig and friend, all of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Severance and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander. Those who remained to spend the holiday with relatives were Mr. and Mrs. William Butts, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ichue, Mrs. Tom Koziol and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thede Bright and family, and Mrs. June Phillips and Beth.

**METHODIST WOMEN**

The Shabbona United Methodist Women will hold a dinner Wednesday evening, June 8. This will take the place of the regular meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dorman were Tuesday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg were Wednesday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Domke and sons of South Lyon were Saturday guests of

**Miss Kloc dies May 28**

Funeral Mass was conducted Tuesday for Miss Mary Kloc, 59, Caro, who died Saturday, May 28, at Hills and Dales General Hospital after a long illness.

She was born April 15, 1918, in Chicago, Ill., daughter of the late Stanley and Anna Pociask Kloc. She came to Deford as a child with her parents.

Survivors include one brother, John of Deford, and two sisters, Mrs. Erssel Emmons of Caro and Miss Jennie Kloc of Deford. Two sisters and one brother preceded her in death.

A prayer service was held Monday evening at Little's Funeral Home in Cass City.

Rev. Fr. Joseph Morales officiated at the funeral held at St. Michael's Catholic church of Wilmot.

Burial was in St. Michael's cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Friday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McIntosh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Auslander, Mrs. Jim McIntosh and Mrs. Don Seegar attended the Scottish Highland Games at Alma Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Magel and daughters of Sawyer Air Force Base were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap-Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Magel and family and Mrs. Dunlap were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

**SCHOOL REUNION**

The Evergreen School Reunion will be held Saturday, June 4, at the Evergreen School. The school will be open from 11 a.m. till 4 p.m. Dinner will be served at noon. All former pupils of Evergreen township and teachers are invited.

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By Jim Ketchum



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There's a mail-order company now selling a device that gives anybody with minimal coordination and about \$4 the ability to serve square hard-boiled eggs.

Simply push the egg through this technological wonder and there it is—a square egg. Reportedly, these

gadgets are selling faster than corkscrews at a whisky distillers' convention.

The mind swims at the thought of America becoming inundated under mountains of square eggs. Imagine not being able to order potato salad or deviled eggs without having a square egg staring back at you.

What's equally flabbergasting is the amount of research it took to produce the first square egg in the first place. Picture scientists, engineers and food technologists who spent years perfecting it. Undoubtedly, it probably started one morning several years ago when one of these mad scientists had his morning three-minute wonder roll off his plate and onto the floor.

"What this world needs is an egg that stays put," he no doubt exclaimed to his curlebedecked frau.

He probably headed for the nearest hen house to begin experiments. Starting with psychology, he attempted to make the chickens think square.

After a dozen hens committed suicide, our hero then headed for his lab, eggs in hand, to continue his work. The first thing he discovered is that you can't produce raw square eggs.

Besides, they run all over the floor and are hard to scrape up.

From there, the scientist called in consultants who pooled their knowledge of physics, the theory of relativity and how long to cook a three-minute egg.

Several years later, they developed the hard-boiled square egg. Next came packagers and the Madison Avenue crowd. Once promoted, there was no stopping this wonder of the modern world. The same scientists are reportedly working on producing a square chicken.

Now all we need is more square people to eat square eggs produced from square chickens. There must be a message in all this somewhere.

Maybe it has something to do with Americans themselves. After 200 years of what we thought was invincibility, we've realized there are some things we can't do.

Maybe poverty, war and the common cold will always be with us. Maybe there's nothing we can do about it.

But we can still produce square eggs if we want. We're probably the only nation that has or wants them.

Only in America.

### SOUR GRAPES

The people who are unwilling to sweat for their own success are always ready to criticize those who have earned it.

Unless a liability insurance carrier can be found by mid-June, over 300 special Title VI CETA public works projects slated for the Thumb may be cancelled.

According to Thumb area Consortium Director Frank Lenard, lack of liability insurance is standing in the way of 431 public works projects in Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac counties.

Without insurance, most of the 390 workers expected to be hired will have no jobs, Lenard said.

The Consortium learned last week it will receive an initial funding grant of \$973,722, with as much as another \$2 million expected over the next fiscal year.

The special Title VI allocation will be funneled through the Tri-County Public Service Agency, a non-profit corporation set up by the Consortium. The agency will handle hiring workers and lining up projects.

So far, Lenard said, the corporation has obtained Worker Compensation insurance for \$75,000. But no carrier wants the liability risk.

He said the corporation is working through an insurance agent in Uby who deals with

the Market Finders organization. Since there is no assigned risk pool for liability coverage, finding a carrier is critical.

"If we don't find insurance, it would go away with three-quarters of our projects," Lenard said. "We'd have to go back to the local units and have them take on the liability responsibility. And they don't want it."

According to A.H. MacEachin, Uby insurance agent attempting to locate a carrier for the Consortium, 13

of the largest insurance firms in the United States have turned down requests for coverage.

MacEachin said he has several "feelers" out to other companies, but no commitments. He said one reason for the problem is rates.

"The liability insurance picture has been a disaster the past few years," he said. "Insurance companies have lost a great deal of money simply because rates have not kept pace with lawsuits." Another problem involves

the CETA workers themselves. "These are hard core people," MacEachin said.

"That is an added risk." He also blames Congress for passing public works legislation without providing for liability insurance coverage. Such laws should demand certain insurance companies cover this type of business, MacEachin said.

MacEachin said he is confident a carrier will be found somewhere who will take on the Consortium's business. "I won't say I'm positive, but I

feel confident we'll work something out," he said.

MacEachin said it's possible the program could be delayed by as much as a month before a policy can be written.

He declined to speculate on how much the insurance would cost, other than to say it would be expensive.

"But when you're in a position like this, you're concerned about a premium but you're as concerned about finding the insurance," he said.

## Appeals court to rule on Owen-Gage transfers

The long-awaited decision on a \$1.6 million property transfer case involving the Owen-Gage and Cass City School districts is expected June 24, informed sources said this week.

The land in question was originally transferred to Cass City from Owen-Gage in May, 1976. But the transfer was stalled after Ingham County Circuit Court Judge James T. Kallman ruled the transfer

constituted more than 10 per cent of the Owen-Gage district.

Under state law, no more than 10 per cent of a district can be transferred without a vote of district electors.

Landowners in the transfer area took their case to the Michigan Court of Appeals following Kallman's ruling in July. The decision will come nearly a year after the original suit was filed.

Both dissidents and Owen-Gage officials see the ruling as critical. If the transfer is approved, sources close to the case say it could open the door for at least two more transfer cases which were stalled by Kallman's ruling and possibly more.

If the dissidents lose, Owen-Gage officials see it as virtually assuring the district's survival.

Observers also believe the

losing side will probably appeal the decision to the Michigan Supreme Court.

Dissidents are anxious for an early decision for two reasons. Since \$1.675 million in bonds designed to build a new high school in Owendale have not yet been sold, they believe if they are transferred out before the sale, they will not be liable for debt retirement millage resulting from the sale.

They're also anxious for a ruling in light of Section 111 of the State Education Act which, as it stands, will prohibit tuition students from attending school outside their home district if they have not done so the past two years.

Those who may pay tuition under provisions of the act face the possibility of sharply higher education costs for their children.

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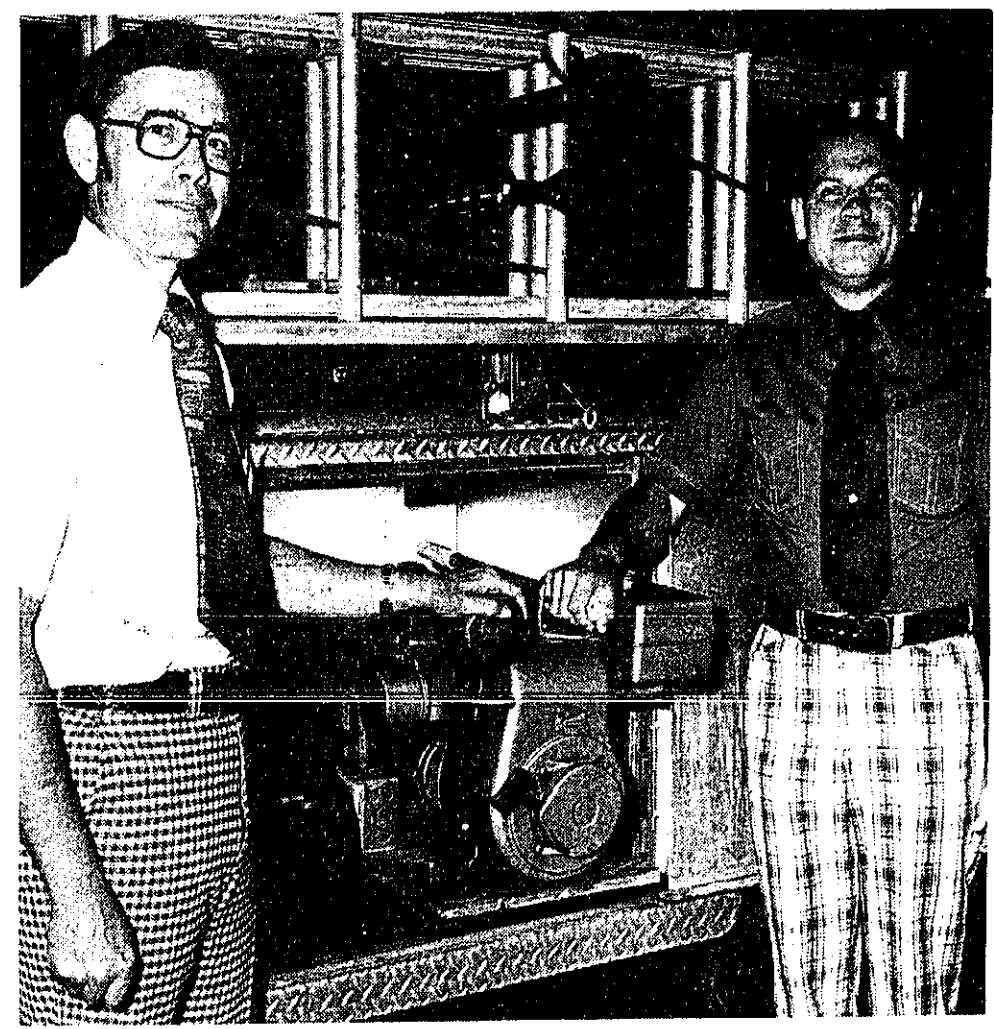
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THE ELKLAND TOWNSHIP Fire Department recently took delivery on a 2,000-watt portable generator donated by Walbro Corp. Shown looking over the generator are Ferris Ware (left), Walbro manufacturing manager, and Jim Jezewski, fire chief. The unit can provide electrical power virtually anywhere and is operated by a gasoline engine. Cost of the unit is \$500, Jezewski said.

### FHA grant okayed

Continued from page one

put out for bids as a package. Council received annexation petitions from builder Thomas Herron and Lynn Albee covering 40 acres on the Hoffman farm at the north village limits.

The petition comes on the heels of an agreement last week to extend water and sewer lines into the area and temporary use of gravel streets in exchange for annexation.

Council accepted a bid of \$450 from Dan Erla for a 1974 Plymouth police car and a \$250 bid from Richard Erla for a 1966 model dump truck. Trustees were notified that Phil and Bernice Retherford,

owners of Fort's Store, have requested a liquor license transfer to their son, Ralph Retherford.

Council has virtually no voice in the transfer, Althaver said. The procedure is routine, he said.

Action on transferring ownership of the Cultural Center from Elkland township to the village was delayed another month, pending a fire marshal's inspection of the structure.

Elkland electors voted to turn the aging building over to the village earlier this year.

Hot light brings firemen

A burned out fluorescent light fixture in a showcase did about \$25 damage at Deford Elementary School Thursday.

Elkland Township Fire Chief Jim Jezewski said the fixture overheated, filling an adjacent corridor with smoke.

Jezewski noted students were evacuated from the building in 37 seconds. Firemen were called to the scene at 11:30 a.m.

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# NOTICE OF ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF  
OWENDALE-GAGETOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT  
HURON AND TUSCOLA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an election will be held in Owendale-Gagetown Area School District, Huron and Tuscola Counties, Michigan, on Monday, the 13th day of June, 1977, from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 8:00 p.m., EDST, to vote upon the following propositions:

(1) "Shall the limitation on the total amount of general ad valorem taxes which may be imposed each year for all purposes upon real and tangible personal property in Owendale-Gagetown Area School District, Huron and Tuscola Counties, Michigan, be increased as provided in Section 6 of Article IX of the Constitution of Michigan for a period of two (2) years, from 1977 to 1978, both inclusive, by 6 1/4 mills (\$6.25 per \$1,000) of the State Equalized Valuation for operating purposes?"

(2) SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

Four Year Terms, Expiring June 30, 1981  
(vote for two only)

James Belk

Dalton Coe

Leona LaFave

Joseph Warack

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the voting place for said election will be as follows:

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that there will be allowed to vote upon said propositions all registered persons having the qualifications of electors in said school district.

The following statements have been received from the County Treasurers as to previously voted increases in the total tax rate limitation affecting taxable property in the school district, to-wit:

STATEMENT OF TREASURER

AS REQUIRED BY ACT 293 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1947  
OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

I, Treasurer of Tuscola County, Michigan, state that I have searched the records of my office and after inquiry find that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax rate limitation established by Section 6, Article IX of the Constitution of Michigan, as amended, in any local units affecting the taxable property in the Owendale-Gagetown Area School District and the years such voted increases are effective to be as follows:

Local Unit	Years Effective	
Tuscola County	6/10 Mill for Special Education	Indefinite
Tuscola County	1 Mill for Bridges	1976 - 1980 Inclusive
Elmwood Township	None of Record	
Elkland Township	None of Record	
Columbia Township	None of Record	
School District	1 1/2 Mills	1976 - 1977
School District	6 1/2 Mills	1976 - 1977
Bond Issue		

Dated: April 28, 1977

Elgene Keller

Treasurer, Tuscola County, Michigan

STATEMENT OF TREASURER

AS REQUIRED BY ACT 293 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1947  
OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

I, Treasurer of Huron County, Michigan, state that I have searched the records of my office and after inquiry find that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax rate limitation established by Section 6, Article IX of the Constitution of Michigan, as amended, in any local units affecting the taxable property in the Owendale-Gagetown Area School District and the years such voted increases are effective to be as follows:

Local Unit	Years Effective	
By Huron County	None	
By Sebawaing Township	.25 Mill	Unlimited
	1.00 Mill	Unlimited
	.40 Mill	1977 - 1978 Inc.
By Brookfield Township	3.00 Mill	1977 - 1982 Inc.
	.25 Mill	1977 - 1980 Inc.
By Grant Township	3.00 Mill	1977
By Huron Intermediate School	1.00 Mill	Unlimited
By Owendale-Gagetown School Dist.	6.50 Mill	1977
	1.50 Mill	1977

Dated: April 27, 1977

Arnold Schweitzer

Treasurer, Huron County Michigan

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education of said school district.

RONALD A. REINHARDT  
Secretary, Board of Education

Dated: May 27, 1977

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## Michigan Mirror

### Milliken moves to consolidate state's current energy programs

Gov. William Milliken wants the legislature to create a new state Department of Energy that would bring all current energy programs under one umbrella.

Milliken's proposal came a day after state energy director Michael Dively announced his resignation and questioned the commitment of Milliken and the legislature to solving Michigan's energy problems.

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Now, the state's energy policy is set by a variety of agencies in various departments, including the state Public Service Commission that regulates utilities and sets their rates and the Department of Natural Resources that keeps an eye on gas and oil wells.

Most legislative leaders agree with Milliken that all the pieces must be brought together, but they're not sure a new department is needed.

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Besides, the state by law is only allowed 20 departments and 19 already exist. Some lawmakers wonder if the last department should be sacrificed in an attempt to solve an energy crisis which some don't believe exists.

#### NUCLEAR DUMPING PLANS HIT

Whether or not anyone will listen, Gov. Milliken has told the federal government to look someplace else for a spot to dump nuclear wastes.

The governor said in a letter to federal officials that the state would suffer economically if radioactive wastes were dumped here. The U.S. Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) is eyeing salt deposits in Alpena, Presque Isle and Montmorency counties as possible burial sites.

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But what effect Milliken's letter will have is as unclear as the effect his so-called "veto" of Project Seafarer had. In both cases, Milliken was assured of the last word on whether the projects were located in Michigan.

Yet the Navy continued with plans for Seafarer, a massive underground grid to communicate with submarines, even after Milliken said he objected.

ERDA has said it would decline on nuclear dump sites soon.

#### LAETRIE LEGALIZATION SOUGHT

It's only apricot and peach pits and bitter almonds, but

### Freiburger graduates with honors

Kurt James Freiburger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Freiburger of Cass City, graduated with "high distinction" honors from Ferris State College, Saturday, May 21, at Big Rapids.



Kurt James Freiburger

He is a 1973 graduate of Cass City High School and graduated with a B.S. degree in business administration with minors in management and real estate.

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Now, as the controversy over the drug's powers rages across the country, a bill has been introduced in Michigan to legalize it as a prescription drug. Legislatures in Alaska, Florida and Indiana already have approved the drug which most medical organizations and the Food and Drug Administration say is ineffective in treating cancer.

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Sponsor of the Michigan bill is state Sen. Jack Welborn, R-Kalamazoo. He says it should be available to people who want to use it and can afford it.

The FDA and cancer organ-

### Cramer appointed

Charles Cramer, Caro, has been named temporary branch manager in the Caro Job Service office of the Michigan Employment Security Commission (MESC), according to S. Martin Taylor, MESC director.

The appointment was approved by the MESC Commission at its May 19 meeting.

The Caro office, located at 105 Park Drive, provides occupational testing and job placement as well as unemployment insurance benefits for the eligible unemployed.

Cramer, an MESC employee since 1970, started as an interviewer at MESC's Caro office. He became an employment service executive in 1974. He has developed several Manpower Development and Training Act institutional programs in the Thumb area and has had success in promoting MESC's Job Service.

At Caro, Cramer replaces Michael Boelman, who is on a temporary assignment with the U.S. Department of Labor in Chicago.

The MESC is the state's largest public employment agency with over 180 locations throughout Michigan.

izations, however, say victims might turn to the drug instead of seeking what they call better and more effective treatment.

#### BILINGUAL LIST SOUGHT

A 1974 state law required many Michigan school districts to provide bilingual education for students not fluent in English.

But in September, 1975, no districts offered such a program.

Now, Gov. William Milliken is asking the state Depart-

ment c education for a list of the districts still in violation of the law, and department officials say that could be dozens.

This year, 57 of the state's 530 districts have bilingual programs of some sort. But another 217 districts report high populations of Spanish, Indian or Asian students. Those districts, claim, however, that not enough have trouble with English to warrant bilingual programs.

State officials say they plan to check those claims, however.

### April DHIA report

	No. of Cows	Per cent Cow days In Milk	Test	Lbs. Milk	Daily B'Fat
1. Hampshire Farms	73	96	3.89	53.8	2.10
2. Victor III	29	93	3.72	51.8	1.93
3. Lloyd Walz	48	98	3.53	51.8	1.83
4. Clare L. Smith	65	92	4.35	41.4	1.80
5. Sergent Brothers	53	87	3.81	46.5	1.77
6. George McMullen	46	91	3.87	43.8	1.70
7. Blaylock & Rupprecht	35	94	3.30	49.3	1.63
8. Loomis Brothers	60	93	3.78	43.2	1.63
9. Leon Keinath	94	87	3.90	40.8	1.60
10. Ronald Opperman	119	86	3.74	42.1	1.58

#### DHIA ROLLING HERD AVERAGES (Above 500 lbs. B.F.)

1. Clare L. Smith	63	89	3.98	17573	699
2. Victor III	34	90	3.86	17818	687
3. Keinath Brothers	89	90	4.01	16915	678
4. Lloyd Walz	44	91	3.64	18286	666
5. Scheifer Farms	60	88	3.71	17685	656
6. Ronald Opperman	114	88	3.96	16379	648
7. Sergent Brothers	60	89	4.03	16091	648
8. Hampshire Farms	72	88	4.16	15530	645
9. Loomis Brothers	64	91	4.08	15574	635
10. Leon Keinath	94	88	4.26	14643	623
11. George McMullen	44	88	3.99	15581	622
12. Blaylock & Rupprecht	37	87	3.72	16312	607
13. Shirley Doerr	67	90	3.65	15400	582
14. Martin Damm	45	83	3.65	15311	558
15. Grover & Jack Laurie	102	90	3.90	14187	553
16. Graham Brothers	129	87	4.02	13269	533
17. Donald DeLong	158	87	3.58	14839	532

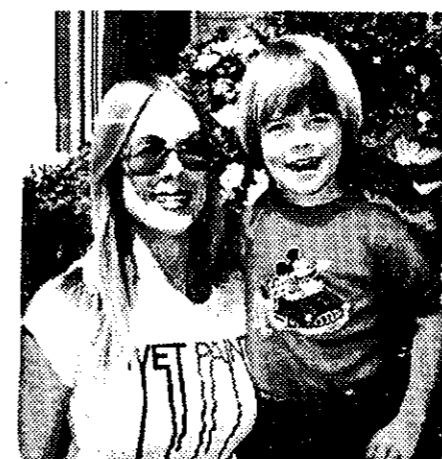
#### TOP 10 OWNER-SAMPLER HERDS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

1. Donald Curry	49	96	4.16	48.5	2.02
2. Henry Gruber	33	100	4.09	41.4	1.70
3. Richard Wiecek	65	97	3.27	51.6	1.69
4. Satchell Farms	219	88	3.43	45.0	1.55
5. Douglas Link	13	92	3.52	43.7	1.54
6. E. & K. Reinert	77	84	3.62	41.6	1.51
7. Ronald Elenbaum	51	73	3.92	38.5	1.51
8. Frank Shaver	88	88	3.67	35.0	1.28
9. Arnold Middleton	31	90	3.80	32.8	1.25
10. Harland Lounsbury	55	95	3.56	34.6	1.24

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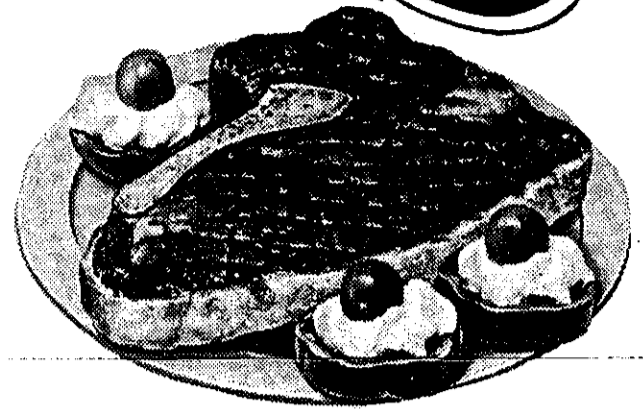
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# ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS TUSCOLA, HURON AND SANILAC COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 13, 1977

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 13, 1977, in the High School Building, in the Village of Cass City, Michigan.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1981.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

- Ellen T. Burnette
- Albert W. Curtis
- Thomas E. Herron
- Dean Hoag

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the Annual School Election:

**I. MILLAGE PROPOSITION FOR BUILDING TAX**

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1.25 mills (\$1.25 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1977, for the purpose of levying a building tax to be used for the construction of an addition to Campbell Elementary School?

**II. PROPOSITION TO LEVY BUILDING TAX**

Shall Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, levy 1.25 mills (\$1.25 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1977, for the construction of an addition to the Campbell Elementary School?

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Elgene Keller, Treasurer of Tuscola County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of May 2, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Tuscola County:	1 Mill for Bridges 1976-1980 Inclusive 6/10 Mill for Special Education Indefinite
By Ellington Township:	None of Record
By Elmwood Township:	None of Record
By Novesta Township:	None of Record
By Kingston Township:	None of Record
By Wells Township:	None of Record
By Elkland Township:	None of Record
By Almer Township:	None of Record
By Columbia Township:	None of Record
By the School District:	7.5 mills, 1977 and 1978 3.5 mills, 1977, 1978 and 1979

Elgene Keller  
Treasurer, Tuscola County, Michigan

I, Arnold Schweitzer, Treasurer of Huron County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of May 2, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Huron County:	NONE
By Grant Township:	3 Mills 1977
By Sheridan Township:	NONE
By the School District:	7.5 mills, 1977 and 1978 3.5 mills, 1977, 1978 and 1979
By Huron Intermediate	1 Mill Unlimited

Arnold Schweitzer  
Treasurer, Huron County, Michigan

I, Kenneth Rhead, Treasurer of Sanilac County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of May 2, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Sanilac County:	NONE
By Evergreen Township:	NONE
By Greenleaf Township:	2.0 Mills 1978 Inc. 1.0 Mill (Fire)
By Lamotte Township:	2.0 Mills 1977 Inc.
By the School District:	7.5 mills, 1977 and 1978 3.5 mills, 1977, 1978 and 1979
By Sanilac County Intermediate School District:	.25 Mill Op. .90 Mill Spec. Ed. 2.00 Mills Vo-Ed.

Kenneth Rhead  
Treasurer, Sanilac County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

Lynn Albee  
Secretary, Board of Education

## Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson  
Phone 658-2347

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer attended graduation open house for Scott Hendrick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hendrick in Cass City, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Bouck at Elkton.

Ira Robinson was a Wednesday supper guest of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Sheila Dalton and Shirley Ross were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Muril Shagena and Mary.

Bea Hundersmarck, Stella Whillhan, Mrs. Gary Andersen and Mrs. Earl Schenk attended services at Grant cemetery Sunday.

Mrs. Lyle Clarke and Mrs. Rose Worstell of Cass City were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter were Thursday morning guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson.

Mrs. Burton Berridge spent from Wednesday through Friday with her father, Sid Werner at Royal Oak. He and Mrs. Berridge were Thursday lunch guests of Mrs. Alice Fox at Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curtis and family of Unionville were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Adelbert Stanbaugh of Zephyrhills, Fla., and Clayton Campbell were Tuesday supper guests of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Karen Bensinger visited Ruth Hewitt Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolosenko and Mrs. Spears of Roseville were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter of Taylor were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Don Ainsworth of Van Wert, Ohio, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. and family of Oxford spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson. Other Saturday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family.

Mrs. George Barber Sr., Lloyd and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. George Barber Jr. and family of Royal Oak spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard. They attended a graduation party for Carl Gibbard Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard, at the Uby TVO Hall Sunday.

Randy Lapeer was a Monday lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wietek and son Tony of Detroit were Friday and Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Tuesday visitors at the Bob Yax home at Almont.

Mrs. Olin Bouck visited Mrs. Dale Heckroth and daughter Shana Ruth of Unionville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt and son at Deckerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman of Shabbona were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and Becky attended a party at the home of Mrs. Joe O'Connor near Minden, Monday evening.

Paul Sweeney of Saginaw spent the week end with Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended graduation open house for Ann Ballagh at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barber Sr., Lloyd and Sue of Royal Oak spent Friday at the Tom Gibbard home. Mrs. Barber and family remained here through Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tracy were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Harry Edwards and Sara Campbell were Saturday morning guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer and family in honor of Mrs. Swackhamer's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bybee of Lapeer and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Friday afternoon guests of Mrs. Emma Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Becker and family of Marlette and

Leslie Hewitt spent the week end at Canada Creek Ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Kippen of North Street and Maud Wilson of Sparlingville were Friday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morell and son spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stoner at Cedar Springs.

Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and Jim visited Mrs. Homer Vetti and Mrs. Nelson Cooper at Montrose, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Berridge of Romeo spent the week end at Houghton and Monday called on Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge where their daughter, Amie, had stayed.

Mrs. Ray Michalski and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy spent the week end at the Michalski cabin at St. Helen.

Mrs. Steve Timmons and daughters of Owendale, Daryl Lapeer of Millington, Tenn., Mrs. Delos Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Haag, of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Daryl Lapeer left Saturday for Milton, Fla., where he is stationed with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Thursday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Beyers at Pigeon. Mary Czewski of Uby was a Thursday overnight guest of Lori Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester visited Mrs. Emma Decker. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Anderson and family of Brighton and Stella Whillhan of Bad Axe spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy. Bea Hundersmarck was a Sunday supper guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Herman at Montrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hosner and Cindy and Ricky and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family. Linda Hagle of Verona was an afternoon guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney and family of East Lansing spent the week end at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Florian Rakowski and family at Bad Axe and Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Tracy.

Daryl Lapeer of Millington, Tenn., spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and daughters.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Michigan Water Resources Commission  
Box 30028  
Lansing, Michigan 48909  
517/373-3086

Date: May 27, 1977  
Permit Number:  
MI 0028711

NOTICE: The Village of Gageton presently has a valid National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (Public Law 92-500) Permit, issued November 22, 1974, to discharge raw and partially treated wastewater from its facility located at Section 1, 12 T14N, 310E. The Village of Gageton discharges its effluent to the Sheboygan Drain.

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

The permittee has reapplied for re-issuance of the NPDES permit. Federal Law, 92-500 and State Law, Act 245, Public Act of 1972, 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 as 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 re-issue 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 re-issue, 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:

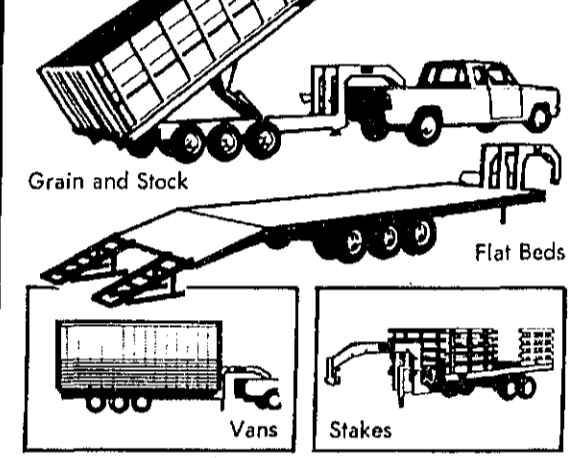
Permit and Enforcement Coordinator  
Water Quality Division  
Dept. of Natural Resources  
Box 30028  
Lansing, Michigan 48909

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 offices, 9th 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 thru 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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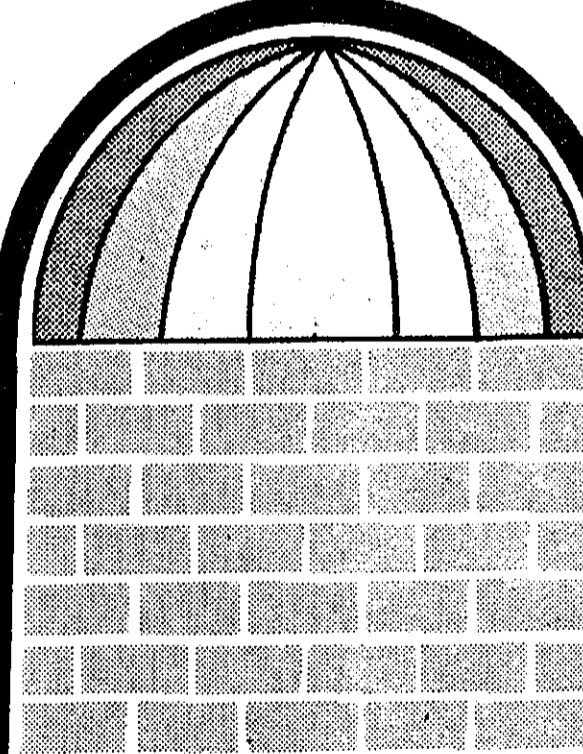
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# Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson  
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Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bouck of Caseville were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck.

Cindy Kulish of Detroit was a Saturday guest of Ruth Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Meyers of Imlay City were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk at Ubyly.

Mrs. Murill Shagena of Cass City visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena Thursday.

Mrs. Hiram Keyser was a Monday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mrs. Tom O'Bea and family spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Buynak at Bloomfield Hills for a birthday dinner for Mrs. Margaret Boyner of Cleveland.

### GRADUATION PARTY

Around 125 attended a graduation party for Carl Gibbard Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard, at the TVO Hall in Ubyly Sunday. Guests attended from Detroit, Royal

Oak, Plymouth, Port Austin, Caseville, Bay City, Decker, Bad Axe, Ubyly and Cass City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer attended a graduation open house for Wendy Doerr at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer attended a graduation open house for Rebecca Goodall Monday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard

Campbell and three children of Bad Axe and Lori Eddy and a friend from Columbus, Ohio, were Saturday afternoon guests of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Jeremy and Prudence Loeffler of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker visited Mrs. Emma Decker.

Steven Knowles of Ferndale spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt, Ruth and Lori. Shirley Ross was a Saturday evening guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Andersen and family of Brighton,

Stella Whillhan of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy enjoyed a picnic supper Saturday at Port Crescent.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bush and family of North Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bukowski, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hansen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dreger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family, Dennis Morell and Sue Miller were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Forman and family in honor of Sharon Forman's confirmation.

Bob Berridge of Lima, Ohio, and Amie Berridge of Romeo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

Mrs. Jim Dyet of Pontiac and Mrs. Frank Pelton of Shabbona were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck spent Sunday and Monday

with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bouck and children at Hartland. They celebrated Ernest's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bouck were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis in Bad Axe.

## Compo reports to Savannah

Navy Machinist's Mate Fireman Apprentice Neal J. Compo, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Compo of 3540 E. Cass City Road, Cass City, Mich., has reported for duty aboard the replenishment oiler USS Savannah, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

A graduate of Cass City High School, he joined the Navy in September, 1976.

## Cable promotes Darazsdi

Frank J. Darazsdi has been named regional communications manager for General Cable Corporation. In his new position, he will be responsible for the sale of communications products in Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky and the far western sector of Ohio.

Darazsdi joined General Cable in 1969 as a financial analyst, later serving as a plant controller and plant manager at company facilities in California and Michigan.

Darazsdi is a graduate of Moravian College in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. He also attended Northwestern Community College in Powell, Wyo.

Darazsdi and his wife, who are currently residents of Cass City, will be relocating to the Indianapolis, Ind., area.

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## Tesho rites held Friday

Joseph Tesho, 78, Cass City, died Tuesday, May 24 at his home. He had been in ill health several years.

He was born in Hungary, Dec. 19, 1898, son of the late Thomas and Anna Laffalie Tesho. He came to this country as a young man from Manitoba.

He married Miss Marie Lorentzen in December, 1922, in Cass City, where they made their home following their marriage. She died March 4, 1954.

He married Mrs. Wilma Metcalf Rondp Sept. 1, 1956. She died Feb. 5, 1974.

He was a member of the Sutton-Sunshine United Methodist church of Caro. He was employed for many years by C.R. Hunt Construction Co. of Cass City.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Albert (Laura) Anthes of Cass City and Mrs. Linus (Connie) Champagne of Deford; two sons, Robert of Frederic and Gary of Bad Axe; one brother, Steven of Kingston; eight grandchildren and three

great-grandchildren. Two stepbrothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

The funeral was held Friday at Little's Funeral Home.

Rev. Peyton E. Loy, pastor of the Sutton-Sunshine United Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Elkland cemetery.

## Provincial posts loss

Provincial House, Inc., announced last week total expenses continued to exceed revenues in the third quarter ended March 31, leading to a loss of \$100,577, or 11 cents per share. In the third quarter a year ago, the diversified health care company had nominal net income of \$3,072. Total revenues for the period rose to \$5,960,479 from \$5,140,642.

For the nine month period, Provincial House reported a loss of \$198,925 or 21 cents per share on revenues of \$17,203,596 versus net income of \$119,407 or 13 cents per share on revenues of \$14,986,314 for the same period last year.

Patrick J. Callihan, the company's president, said, "Two major factors contributing to our loss were (1) Michigan's Single Business Tax which is not related to income earned and which amounted to \$68,500 in this quarter alone, and (2) continual rising operating costs without corresponding increases from the State of Michigan for Medicaid patients. The Single Business Tax for the year to date is \$161,700, accounting for almost all of the \$198,925 loss. We also experienced the highest utility costs in the history of our operations.

"The situation cannot continue. The economic life of the health care industry is at stake. Virtually all of our 14 centers are now at capacity, and we should be generating income and capital funds to increase our capacity for service, rather than operating on a less than marginal basis."

## Teen Ranch gets gift

A \$25,000 Kresge Foundation Grant was received by the Teen Ranch board chairman, Joe Koch, early in May.

In his expression for the Teen Ranch board, staff, and boys, Koch said, "We are most grateful to the officers of the Kresge Foundation for the deep interest in caring for young men needing assistance in their early teen years."

The Kresge Foundation general offices are located in Troy, Mich.

The major grant emphasis of the foundation includes funds primarily for building, construction projects, major capital equipment, grants to institutions involved in higher and graduate education, youth care and care for the aged, conservation, health and welfare projects.

Teen Ranch will open its seventh home at the end of the school semester early in June, housing an additional ten boys. Sixty currently reside at the ranch.

Teen Ranch is a state-licensed child caring facility serving boys between the ages of 12 and 16 located four miles south of Kingston.

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## Cancer Society meets

The board of the Tuscola County Unit American Cancer Society met at the Don Kochalka home in Vassar Monday evening, May 23, for their regular meeting. Mrs. Ione Perry presided at the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Gail Gengler. Mrs. Kochalka gave the treasurer's report. Bev McIntyre reported on films being shown in several schools and also on the "conquest for cancer" Prayer which were handed out in area churches.

Mrs. Joe Young and Iva Profit are on the nominating committee for election of officers which will be held in the June meeting.

In the treasurer's report, it was stated that to date, \$1,636 has been received from the

licensed beverage owners in the county. Not all receipts are in yet. \$11,039 has been received from the door to door crusade and businesses to date and over \$9,000 has been received in memorials. Special events brought in nearly \$5,000.

According to Mrs. Robert Cassidy, crusade chairman, the goal can be reached without too much trouble.

Anyone who was missed may mail their contribution to Mrs. Kochalka at 6205 S. State Rd., Vassar, Mich. 48768 (County ACS.)

Mrs. Cassidy is urging all crusade chairmen to attend the June 13 meeting at the Denmark township hall on M-15 in Richville. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. She hopes to meet the goal by that time.

## Your Neighbor says

# I'd favor 4-day week

The United Auto Workers sparked renewed interest in a four-day work week at their recent national convention. Labor leaders contend a four-day week will increase employment and create incentive.

J.E. Smith of Cass City agrees.

"I kind of like the idea behind it," Smith says. "I can see where it would put more people to work by four 10-hour days."

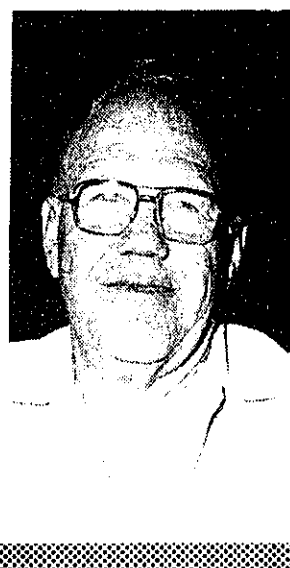
Smith, a retired postal worker, said occasionally his schedule provided him with three days in a row away from the job and that he enjoyed it.

He said with a four-day week, overtime could be eliminated as well as providing a greater incentive for employees to show up for the job.

"The way it is now, someone can take off a Monday and still come out just as far

ahead financially by working overtime," he says. "With four 10-hour days and no overtime, you'd have more incentive to come to work."

Smith has lived in Cass City since 1975. He and his wife have one son.



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# Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

### FIVE YEARS AGO

The construction of a skilled nursing home by Provincial House, Inc., has been delayed for an indefinite period as the Cass City Village Council failed to discuss specific sites for the proposed facility Tuesday night at its regular meeting.

There will be a change in representation on the county level following the general election in November. Edward Golding Sr., incumbent commissioner, has decided not to seek re-election from district two which includes Ellington, Elkland, Novesta and Elmwood townships. Already filing for the post is Maynard McConkey of rural Cass City.

Hot sunny weather and clear skies greeted the annual Memorial Day parade marchers and spectators Monday when a traditional program was presented in the village.

Cass City High School came to the end of the baseball trail Saturday morning in a district tournament game at Marysville, 5-3.

### TEN YEARS AGO

Good Shepherd Lutheran church will hold a ground breaking ceremony at 10:30 a.m. Sunday at the site of their proposed new \$125,000 church building on Main Street, at the east village limits.

Two veteran teachers in the Cass City system were honored on the eve of their retirement at a banquet held in Frankenmuth Wednesday evening, May 24. They are Frank Weatherhead and Mrs. Marie Murray.

A successful poppy sale is reported by Mrs. Philip McComb, treasurer of the American Legion Auxiliary. Gross receipts from the sale of 1,800 poppies amounted to \$411.71. Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Peck of Cass City left Friday for Seattle on the first leg of their journey to Japan where they will serve as Baptist missionaries.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Trustee Curtis Hunt reported to the council that plans were well under way for the erection of a parking lot for village shoppers in the area back of the Federated and Fort's Grocery Stores in Cass City.

Seventy-five seniors of Cass City High School will leave Monday on a four-day trip to New York City.

An ambitious road campaign was submitted to the council by Arlan Hartwick, who heads the committee this year. It calls for resurfacing portions of eight streets in the village and the repair of others damaged during the winter.

Orion Cardew was named president of the Teachers' Club at a meeting held in Cass City recently when the officers were named for 1952-53.

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The swimming pool is set for use, Bud Burt, village engineer, reported, with the exception of painting.

### THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Eighty more men were scheduled to leave during June for the Army from Tuscola county.

Cameron M. Wallace, cashier of the Cass City State Bank, was elected president of the Tuscola County Bankers' Federation at a meeting of that society at the Hotel Montague in Caro May 29.

In a salvage for victory campaign conducted at the Cass City Schools in recent weeks, pupils gathered 10,457 pounds of rubber.

A directory and year book of Tuscola county, compiled by Clerk George F. Childs, has been printed by the Chronicle and copies of the

same may be secured by application to Mr. Child's office.

"Hitler, Beast of Berlin", was playing at the Cass Theatre.

### School Menu

JUNE 6-7

MONDAY

Chili-Crackers  
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Cheese Cubes  
Apple Sauce  
White Milk

TUESDAY

Hamburger & Bun  
Buttered Corn  
Chips  
White Milk  
Fruit Cup

Menu subject to change.



News From  
**District Court**

Dwain Anthony Sutter of Cass City in Juniata township was ticketed for speeding 67 mph in an allowed 55 mph. He paid fine and costs of \$30.

Ronald John Curtis Jr. of Deford in the village of Kingston was ticketed for speeding regarding a stop sign. He paid fine and costs of \$25.

Harvey Junior Ostrander of Cass City in Ellington township was ticketed for speeding 80 mph in a 55 mph zone. He paid fine and costs of \$50.

Larry Dale Stevens of Cass City in the village of Cass City was ticketed for exceeding posted speed limit, 35 mph in a 25 mph zone. He paid fine and costs of \$20.

Joseph Harry Wenta of Deford in the village of Kingston was ticketed for careless driving. He paid fine and costs of \$55.

### PROVES HIS POINT

A man loaded with facts has no reason to raise his voice—he just reinforces his arguments.

## Thumb singles meet

The officers of the Tip of the Thumb Singles Club met at the home of the president, Leonard Goretzki, Port Austin, May 24 at 8:00 p.m. for their monthly business meeting.

The dance June 4 at 8:30 p.m. is guest night. All married couples are invited to come and enjoy themselves with their single friends. Johnny Prill and the Pace-makers will provide the music. The Raymond Messing band will provide the music for the dance June 18. The dances are held at the First United Methodist Church House in Bad Axe.

A picnic will be held at the Red church in Port Hope for members and their children at home. The Tip of the Thumb Singles Club will provide the meat and beverage. Members and guests are asked to bring a dish to pass. Reservations for the picnic can be made by contacting

Eleanor Schultz, Harbor Beach.

The next meeting will be at the home of Leona Sengstock, Harbor Beach, June 22 at 8:00 p.m.

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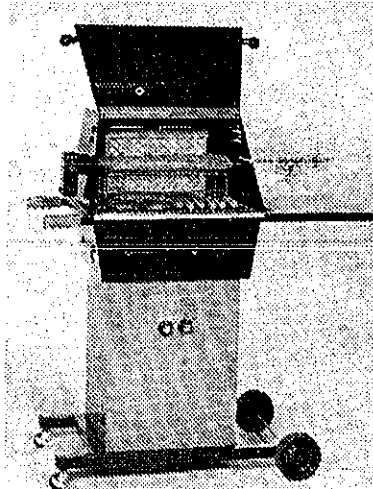
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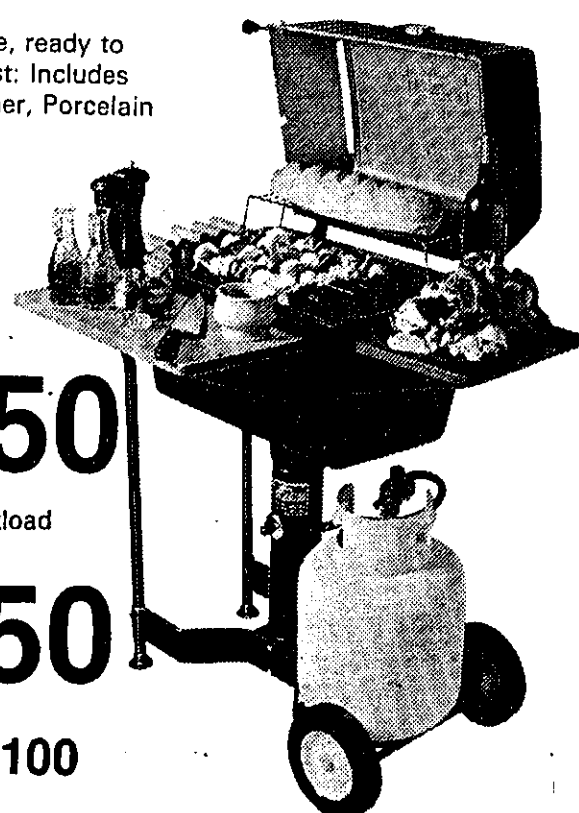
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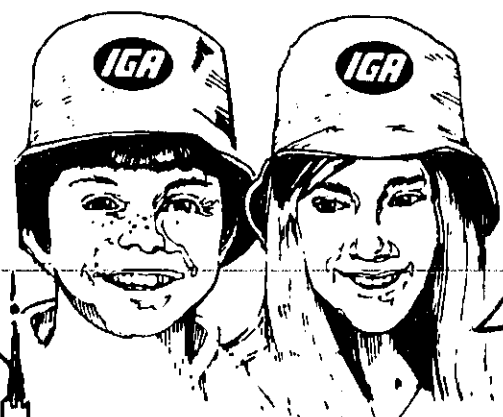
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# Pioneer's letter recalls Cass City a century ago

A few scattered business places, some houses and a huge stump left over from the virgin forest was about all there was to the young village of Cass City a century ago.

At least that's how Walter Gamble, a former resident, remembered it in a letter written to M.B. Auten, Cass City State Bank Board Chairman, 25 years ago.

Gamble's family had been among a group of early settlers who pushed their way into the Thumb from the west during the mid-1800's.

The letter paints a vivid picture of the small village literally carved out of the woods by hand. It begins at the west edge of town.

"Driving in from Caro, after crossing the 'Creek Bridge' west of the present railway (but not dreamed of in 1877), we came to the weathered house where Charley Hill lived on the north side of the road." Gamble's nar-

rative begins. "A few rods nearer town was Jess Fox's mill and house."

"A few homes were scattered about but not a dozen all told until one arrived at the present site of the town hall. The Hitchcock store and home were east of the stores that Mr. Hitchcock afterward built next to the town hall."

Gamble described these as the "suburbs". "Entering 'the city' as it was called (and may still be) by the country people as far away as Cumber or Greenleaf and farther, the business places were few: Beyond J.L. Hitchcock, a full block away was the 'Tennant and Polly' building. The name was in large letters just below the cornice on the south side of the building.

"C.W. McPhail occupied the lower floor with a general store. The second floor was occupied by two families--the

Spillers and the Gambles. Robert Teunant also had a room and in his room to the wonderment of most of the population, Robert had a fine library."

"Across Seeger Street where the Cass City Bank was later built by McPhail was a vacant lot, as vacant as most of the lots on the block, but in the center of which lot was a huge pine stump, perhaps remaining because of the great difficulty in removing it."

"That vacancy continued down the block excepting a residence on the east end of the block. Then across the street eastward was vacant

land to a frame building used by undertaker Lou Dewitt, with coffins to be seen through the glass of a front door always closed and locked."

"We boys didn't tamper much with that building; we rather walked around it." Gamble said beyond the undertaker's was a planing mill and a flour mill. A couple of houses beyond the mills and there the town ended.

There was a wagon and blacksmith shop across the street and one of the early landmark businesses--Oscar Lenzner's cabinet shop. "A whole chapter would be

necessary to tell of the notable Lenzner family. Oscar must have been from Vienna as he tried to educate our citizens as to the correct pronunciation of the name of that city and would loudly proclaim that W-A-N-E (with the V mixed up with the W) was the real name of Vienna."

"Farther east a few rods were two forest trees that had been left untouched when the woods was cleared. They stood at the edge of Main Street nearly in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Hall. He was our first liveryman."

"Next to Lew Hall's came a

street and then on the first corner of that 'center of town block' stood John Bader's blacksmith shop. On the side street near that shop stood an ox rack which had seen use in shoeing oxen."

"The oxen were scarce and the rack little used." Another vacant block followed up to John C. Laing's store and residence, Gamble said, and beyond that, Seeger Street had just one business, a drug store along with the office of Dr. Deming.

There was also a saloon, owned by a man named Aldrich.

"He had as a bar tender

Jimmy Kelly, a boy of about 15 years who was a bolter in a checkered shirt, helping to build the P.O.&N railway. He afterward went to school at Cass City and was encouraged by William F. Benkelman, principal of that school.

"Jimmy became a teacher in Detroit's Central High School and died only a few years ago--a wonderful example of what can happen in the U.S.A. when a young bartender comes in contact with a teacher who understands and will work hard to 'rescue the perishing'."

A shoe repair shop completed the entire business directory of the village a hundred years ago.

"I haven't said anything about the business places on North Seeger Street because there were none. One square fronted store building had been built sometime before but had proved unprofitable and was converted into a residence. North of that the Presbyterian church was

built later and across the street from the church was the one-room school house where William F. Benkelman taught and proved a blessing to the community and to other boys than Jimmy Kelly."

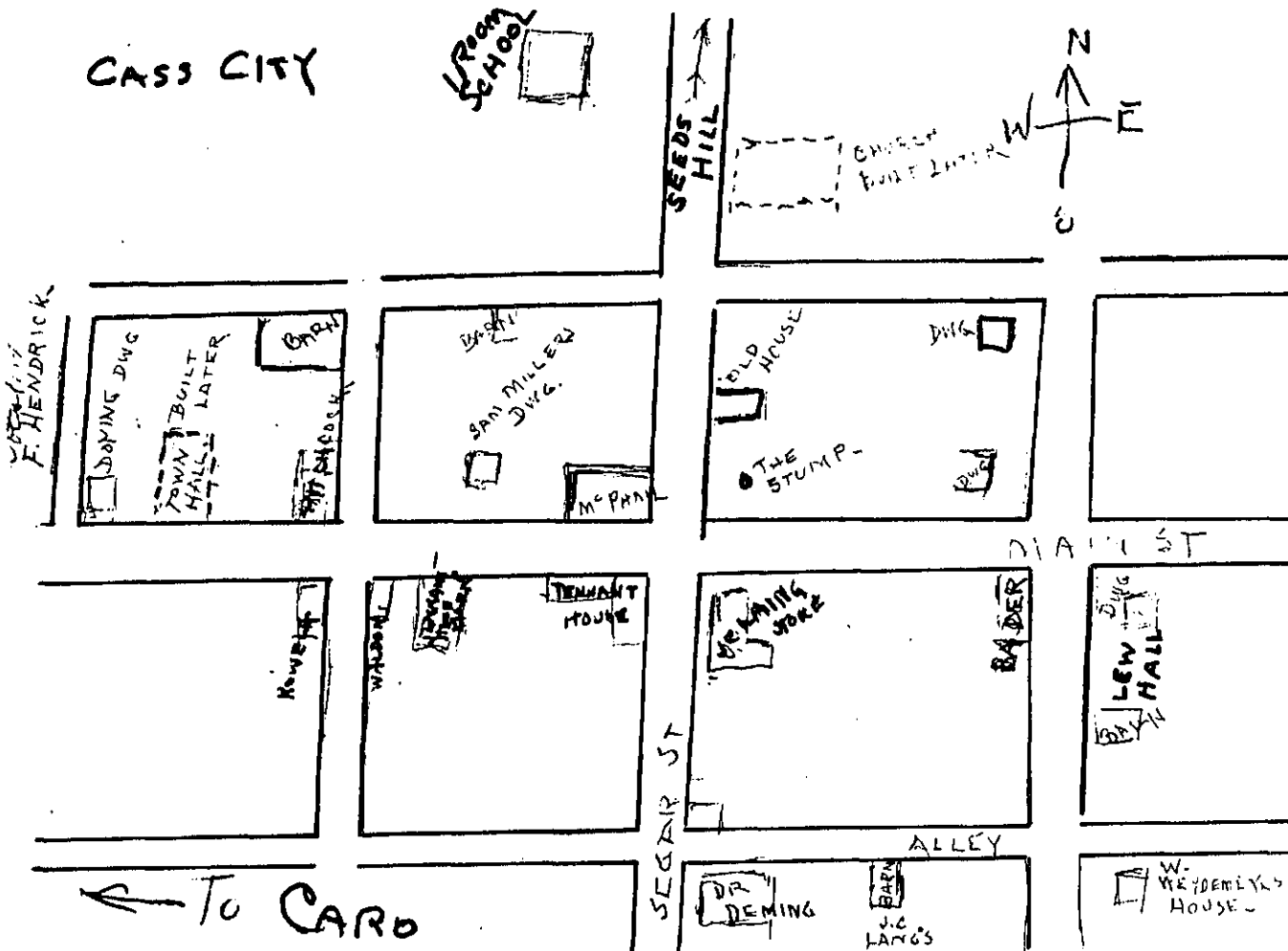
In his letter, Gamble also described part of the Great Fire of 1881 which nearly destroyed the town.

"Sept. 5 of that year (1881) the whole moveable part of Cass City moved up on a newly-plowed field on the east side of the road running up Seed's hill."

"Furniture, bedding, etc. in separate piles on that hill with women and children wiping smoke (from) inflamed eyes."

Gamble went on to teach at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. He wrote down his memories of Cass City after Auten telephoned asking for the information.

The letter is a part of Auten's large personal collection of early Cass City memorabilia.



THIS MAP shows Cass City as it looked 100 years ago.

## Arrest Cass Cityan in Intermediate break-in

## WLEW to expand FM station

Construction for expanded FM facilities at radio station WLEW in Bad Axe is underway and will cost an estimated \$45,000. The construction will give the station 3,000 watts in horizontal and vertical patterns for stereo music. Included will be new transmission equipment and an addition of 50 feet to one tower. Operation is expected around June 15 after testing and FCC approval.

A 20-year-old Cass City man was arrested late Monday night, charged with breaking and entering at the Intermediate School.

Cass City Police obtained a warrant charging Scott Ackerman of 6367 Church St., with breaking and entering the building.

He was arrested after Cass City Patrolman Phil Klaus discovered a side door at the building open while on routine patrol shortly before 11:00 p.m. Klaus discovered the door lock screws had been removed around the latch part of the lock.

Klaus allegedly discovered the suspect while patrolling the school hallways. Police charged Ackerman removed a can of anti-perspirant from a locker on the second floor.

Ackerman was placed on \$500 personal recognizance bond after appearing before Magistrate Joan Maki. He is scheduled to appear for arraignment Monday, June 6, before Tuscola County District Court Judge Richard Kern.

Area police agencies reported only scattered complaints during the long Memorial Day week end.

A stereo AM-FM radio and speaker valued at \$150 were reported stolen from an auto parked on the Auten Motor Sales lot Thursday.

Police Chief Gene Wilson said the radio was valued at \$150. No suspects have been arrested.

Three youths, including a 12-year-old and two 11-year-olds, were apprehended

Thursday after they allegedly skipped school and shoplifted a quantity of candy from Old Wood Drug in Cass City.

According to the Cass City Police report, the youths were discovered by Intermediate School Principal Robert Stickle in a parking lot north of Main Street after they failed to report for classes.

## Albees attend convention

Representatives of Albee True Value Hardware Store at Cass City recently attended the 59th Semi-Annual National True Value Hardware Red Carpet Market and Convention held at Cotter & Company headquarters in Chicago. Attending the three-day event were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Albee and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Albee.

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# Camp Riverdale beckons Thumb area Girl Scouts

By Jim Ketchum

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oak leaves, gently lighting a bubbling clear stream where minnows dart between rocks and frogs spend time stalking an occasional fly or mosquito.

Along the riverbank... a cabin with a hand-hewn stone fireplace and a wall made of shells embedded in cement nestles among a cluster of towering pines.

Sound like a chunk of paradise somewhere in the wilds of Michigan's upper peninsula?

Actually it's the scene at Camp Riverdale, a girl scout camp located along the Pigeon River three and a half miles northeast of Owendale in Huron county.

The camp is owned and operated by the Mitten Bay Girl Scout Council which purchased the 12-acre site in 1973 and serves as the annual summer camp for upwards of 100 scouts for a week each summer.

But the peaceful campground doesn't stand idle the rest of the year, according to Mrs. Veneta Kling, Owendale, who until this year served as day camp coordinator for the scouts.

"The girls use the camp winter and summer for troop camping," Mrs. Kling explained. "They love it here.

It's so pretty and quiet."

This year, Mrs. Kling has turned her duties over to her granddaughter, "Sunni" Rocheleau, 21, of Owendale. Miss Rocheleau has been a scout since she was 12 and Mrs. Kling says she'll have no trouble handling the job.

Camp Riverdale really comes to life around mid-July when day camp opens for a

week-long run, Mrs. Kling says.

"The girls put up their tents, go on hikes, cook over an open fire and just have a good time," she says. "They spend one over-night at the camp. We have cadets, juniors, and fly-up brownies."

Mrs. Kling said the camp is used by girl scouts in the

13-county Mitten Bay region. The closest comparable camps are near Caro and Mt. Pleasant, she said.

"We were very lucky to get this place," Mrs. Kling recalled. "It had been used as a Latter Day Saints camp for several years before and we bought it in 1973."

### LEARNING EXPERIENCE

During the week-long day camp there's more going on than just pitching tents and playing games. Scouts learn something about nature.

"We've got nearly every kind of tree that grows in this part of the state back here," Mrs. Kling says. "We go on nature hikes and try to teach the girls the names of the plants and animals we find."

"Every time one of the girls catches a moth or a miller or a frog or a snake, they always bring it to show me what they've found. I love snakes anyway and I get a big kick out of what they find as they do."

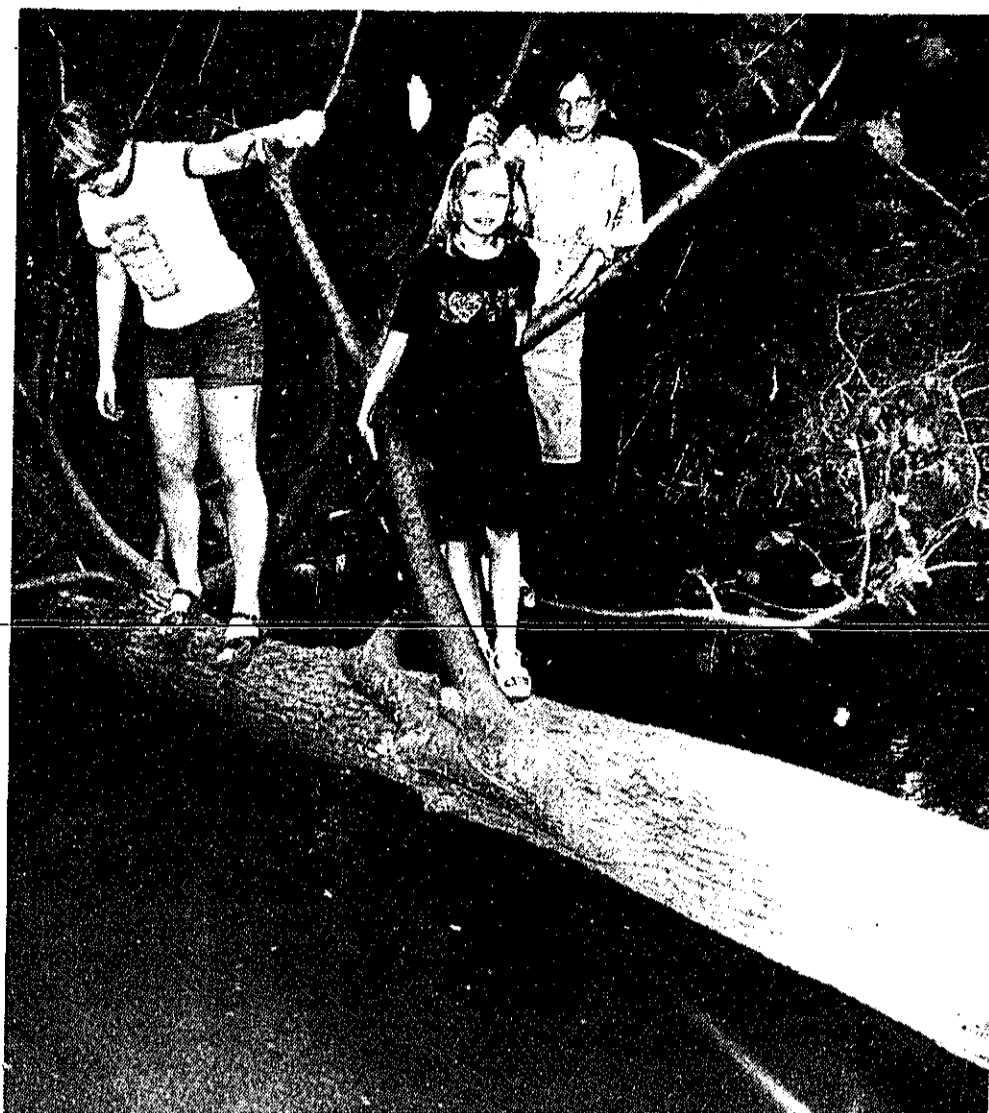
During the week, the scouts put on an exhibit of what they've collected. Each is identified and displayed in the main cabin.

"This is a wonderful opportunity for these girls to grow," Mrs. Kling says. "It's a great place for the girls to learn to live with one another."

The camp gets a lot more use than just one week in July. Scout troops can be found at Camp Riverdale nearly every week end winter and summer.

Girls from Huron and Tuscola counties attend the camp. The week of day camp costs \$10 for scouts and \$12 for non-scouts.

One camper, Cathy Rocheleau, summed it up why she enjoys Camp Riverdale. "It's pretty and it's peaceful," she said.



WALKING ACROSS a fallen tree straddling the Pigeon River at Camp Riverdale are Cathy Rushlo, Jenny and Barb Hellebuyck. The camp, secluded in a wooded area northeast of Owendale, provides a place for Girl Scouts in Huron and Tuscola counties to gather each year.



MRS. VENETA KLING, a veteran camp director, looks over a wall inside the cabin imbedded with shells found nearby. The Mitten Bay Girl Scout Council has owned and operated the camp the past four years.

## Pair seriously injured in Kingston crash

Tuscola county escaped without a traffic fatality over the long Memorial Day week end, but two persons were seriously injured in a two-car

head-on crash on M-46, a mile and a half east of Kingston, Saturday afternoon.

Caro State Police identified the pair as Kenneth George Moran, 22, Taylor, driver, and Patricia Lynn Shock, 16, Lexington. Both were taken to Marlette Community Hospital with multiple internal injuries.

Officers said Tuesday Moran had been transferred to Providence Hospital in Southfield.

Police said the Moran vehicle was westbound when it apparently travelled left of center and collided with an eastbound auto driven by James Mericka, 63, Port Austin. He and two passengers suffered minor injuries.

Officers said Ms. Shock did not know how the accident took place because she was looking at a road map when the crash took place at 2:50 p.m.

No tickets had been issued at press time.

A six-year-old girl was treated at Hills and Dales General Hospital Thursday after the car in which she was riding struck a parked vehicle in Cass City.

Police said Connie Profit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Profit of Cass City, was seated in the vehicle parked in the driveway of her grandfather, William J. Profit of 6679 Houghton St.

According to the accident report, the child shifted gears and the car struck another parked auto in front. The accident took place at 6:35 p.m.

Three property-damage accidents were reported. Carl A. Palmateer Jr., 17, of 6457 Houghton St., escaped injury when his car struck another vehicle in the rear on M-81 near Caro, Monday.

Tuscola County Sheriff's officers said Palmateer was northeast bound when his car struck a vehicle driven by Roger Kenneth SaintLouis, 34, of 2527 Elmwood Rd., Caro.

Officers said SaintLouis was attempting to make a turn when the accident took place at 9:45 p.m.

Palmateer was cited for failure to stop in the assured clear distance ahead. Marlen Roy Tait, 20, of

Bevens Rd., Kingston, escaped injury Friday when the car he was driving ran out of control and struck a tree on Walk Road, a mile and a half southwest of Caro.

Sheriff's deputies said Tait was northbound when he lost control of his auto, left the roadway on the east side and struck a tree and buried telephone cable marker before coming to rest.

Tait was cited for violating the basic speed law. The accident took place at 11:40 p.m.

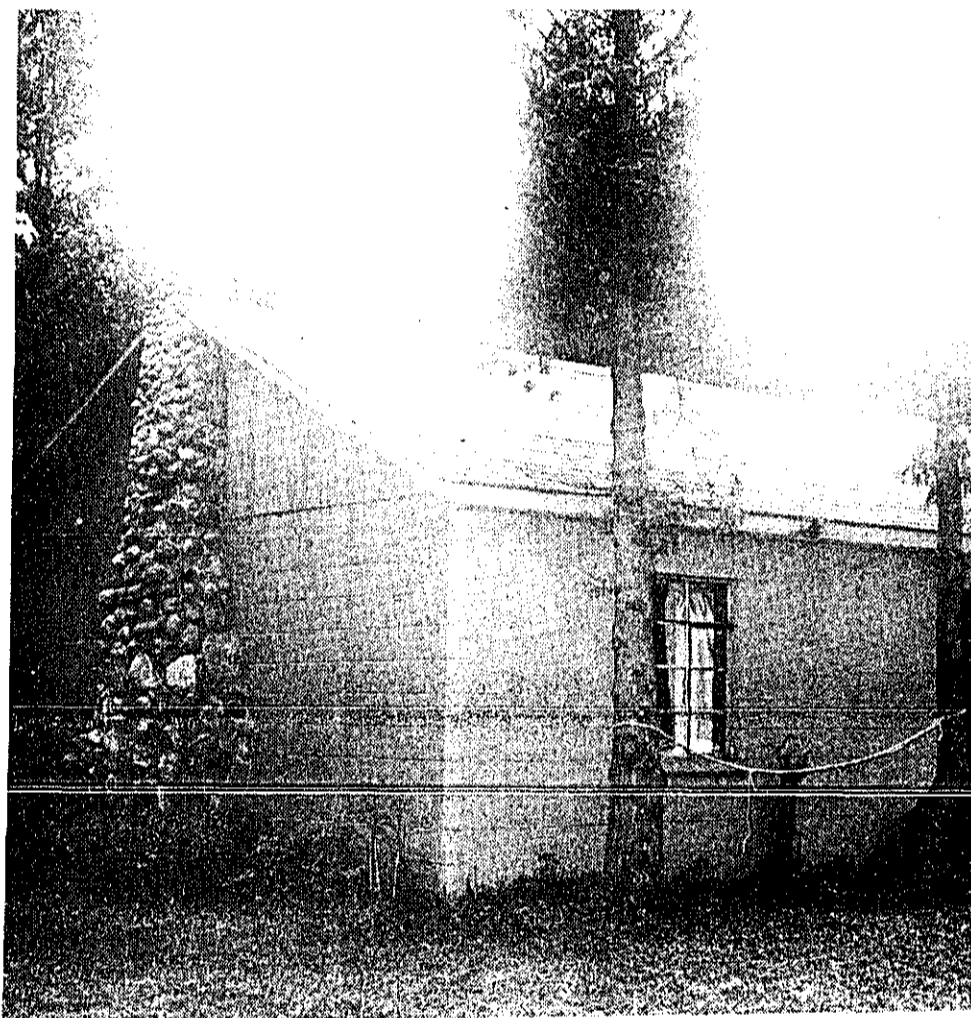
Steven Allan Magiera, 24, Caro, escaped injury Friday when the car he was driving struck and killed a deer on M-81, five miles west of Cass City.

Magiera told Caro State Police he was northeast bound when two deer ran from the south side of the highway into the path of his car.

The accident took place at 10:15 p.m.



SHOWN AT a recent Boy Scout Camporee at Rose City is a group of Cass City Scouts. From the left are Robert Healy, Fred Francis, John Healy, Jim Baker, scoutmaster; Brian Hunter and Bill Healy. Not shown are Tom Rutkowski and Jimmy Baker.



SUNLIGHT FILTERS around the cabin used at Camp Riverdale near Owendale, gathering point for Girl Scouts in Huron and Tuscola counties. The camp is used year-round and provides Scouts a place to learn about nature and living together.

## Cass City Boy Scouts in area 'Camporee'

Six Boy Scouts and two leaders from Cass City Rotary Club Troop 594 attended a "Show and Do Camporee" held at the Paul Bunyan Scout Reservation, Rose City, May 20-22.

Scouts attending were Jimmy Baker, Fred Francis, John and Robert Healy, Brian Hunter and Tom Rutkowski. Leaders included Scoutmaster Jim Baker and Bill Healy, assistant.

Over 1,400 Scouts and lead-

ers attended the camp. During the week end, the Scouts and leaders practiced leadership and skills in several

areas including cooking, pioneering, and safe swimming.

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# Hinton rites held Tuesday

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday for Mrs. William Hinton (Gertrude) Hinton, 83, Gageton, who died Friday, May 27, at her home following a brief illness.

She was born Oct. 6, 1893, in Elmwood township. She married William Hinton in October, 1910. He preceded her in death, June 21, 1956.

Mrs. Hinton was a member of the Gageton United Methodist church and the Owendale Senior Citizens Club.

Surviving are one brother, Earl McKee of Gageton. One brother and one sister preceded her in death.

Rev. Carl Litchfield, pastor of the Gageton United Methodist church, officiated at the funeral.

Burial was in Grant township cemetery.

Dinkel Funeral Home of Sebawaing was in charge of arrangements.



## AROUND THE FARM Slate Farm Expo

By William Bortel

They'll come by the thousands to see machinery displays and demonstrations valued in the millions and to participate in scores of farm-oriented educational clinics.

It's the practical, literally down-to-earth Michigan Farm Expo '77, the biggest agricultural event of its type in Michigan, Oct. 4-5. The location will be north of Caro seven miles on the John Homakie farm.

We have nearly doubled the number of cropping demonstrations, machinery displays and the educational format of last year's event. Based on manufacturer's response, over 200 exhibitors are expected with 148 already under contract, and inquiries we've

already received from farmers, we are making preparation for 30,000 visitors during the two days.

Cropping demonstrations include cultural and harvest practices of corn, sugar beets and dry beans under a variety of fertilization and herbicide application rates.

There will be 48 corn varieties in show plots, a corn challenge yield under two tillage programs (which will hopefully produce 200 bushels per acre) and a variety of herbicide demonstrations.

Sugar beet demonstration plots will contain several herbicide treatments and results of a soil anti-crusting application.

Navy bean plots are to demonstrate effectiveness of all major herbicides, inoculation and non-inoculation under compacted and non-compacted soil conditions. Another plot will show the results of bean yield under mechanical damage conditions contrasted to beans without seed coat damage.

Forty acres have been set aside for equipment, seed, and chemical displays by major manufacturers throughout the U.S. MSU agricultural specialists will have about 15 educational clinics dealing with topics from using the computer for marketing to trimming energy requirements.

More than 200 acres of corn, dry beans, corn silage and sugar beets will be harvested for demonstration and the land plowed and tilled. Visitors will be able to see and assess the live action events and to see what types of equipment do the best job under actual field conditions.

The Expo is about as relevant to the individual's farm operation as an event of this type can be. From our conversations with equipment dealers and with producers attending the show, we know that a lot of management decisions for the coming year were made at the 1976 Expo. I can't think of a better place to obtain answers to questions regarding equipment size, cropping practices or management guidelines, because specialists in all these areas will be there.

The entire show is geared toward farming and farm life and the non-farmer is bound to be impressed. Not too many people realize that when they see a 4-wheel drive tractor pulling a 10-bottom plow, there is more money tied up there than in their homes.

I have never worked with a more progressive group of farmers than there are in this county. For the most part, they are always eager to try out the new ideas in agriculture. That in large measure is how last year's Expo got started—they wanted to gather together in one exposition all of the latest technology and equipment developments in agriculture.

### Coming Auctions

Saturday, June 4 - A household auction will be held at 441 Ale St., Cass City, to settle the estate of Mabel Stine. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Saturday, June 4 - Thomas Baranski will hold an auction sale of feeder cattle, farm machinery and antiques at the place located four and a half miles east of the light in Kinde on Kinde Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, June 18 - Mr. and Mrs. Walter Musial will sell herd of Holstein cows, milking equipment and farm machinery at the place located four miles south of Mayville to Millington Rd., two miles west and three-quarters of a mile south on Willis Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

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Submit detailed written resume to: Jackie Larson, Personnel Administrator; Tuscola County Board of Commissioners; 207 E. Grant Street, Caro, Michigan 48723 by June 10, 1977. 11-6-2-1

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PAINTING and wallpapering done during summer months. Free estimates. Roland Pakonen and Dave Lovejoy. Phone 872-4117 or 872-2515 after 5 p.m. 12-5-26-3

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## Livestock

FOR SALE - Rabbits, Chocolate Dutch and New Zealand Red. Phone 872-2795. 10-6-2-3

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ONE (1) sturdy Toggenburg



**WINNER AND RUNNER-UP** in the Rotary sponsored Euchre parties were Newell Harris, left, first, and Bill Kritzman with 313. Others finished in the following order: Phil Retherford, Aime Ouvry, Kevin Robinson, Hank Bartnik, Red Osentoski, Don Ouvry, Cliff Robinson, Jim Peyerck, Dennis Hagen, Dave Mann, Ron Ouvry, Dennis McIntire, Marvin Winter.

## AAUW in final meeting of year

Members of the Cass City Branch of the American Association of University Women held its final meeting of the year Monday, May 23, at the home of Linda Albee, vice-president in charge of programming.

Plans for a 'work and planting' session in the park were cancelled because of rain. This work will be done at a later date.

Geraldine Prieskorn and Margaret Alicki assisted Linda Albee in making the arrangements.

During the business meeting, several reports were given. Marie Miller reported on the successful RIF (Reading Is Fun) program the organization has supported for several years. This program has been expanded the past year because of a federal grant.

Alice Ketchum announced that the directory of local

services should be ready by fall.

Kathy Bauer, chairman of the local scholarship committee, informed the group that the first recipient of this annual award has been chosen. She is Pat Goslin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Goslin of Gagetown.

Plans for the annual used book sale were discussed. This sale will be held during the sidewalk sales, July 14, 15 and 16.

The incoming president, Dottie Scollon, was welcomed by the members and was presented the gavel by the retiring president, Lucy Auten. Other officers are vice-president, Linda Albee; secretary, Kathy Bauer, and treasurer, Ann Craig.

A program of slides and tapes of colonial Williamsburg was presented by Evelyn MacRae, who had recently visited there.

## At Meet of Champions Hawk thinclads set 2 school marks

A tie for a new meet record and two new school records were racked up Tuesday night by Cass City High School athletes in the Thumb Meet of Champions at Caro.

Both of the school records were held by the athletes who bettered their own marks.

Clarke Haire finished third on the basis of misses but still shares the meet's high jump record with three other athletes. The mark of 6 feet, 4 inches bettered Haire's previous school record by half an inch.

Tim Quinn of Caseville won the event, followed by Mike Snyder of Brown City. Ironically Dave Griesing of Millington will share the meet record but did not earn a medal for his efforts as he finished fourth.

Cass City's champion 880 runner, Kim Witherspoon,

saved her best effort of the year for the meet and won the event with her record time of 2:26.6. That erased her former mark of 2:27.9.



**KIM WITHERSPOON**  
New school record



**CLARKE HAIRE**  
New school record, ties for meet record

## Red Hawk girls come to end of softball trail

The Cass City Red Hawks came to the end of the girls' softball trail Friday when they lost their pre-district elimination game at Carrollton, 9-6.

A combination of Carrollton hitting and Hawk errors deprived Cass City of a chance to advance into district tournament play.

The Hawks led 5-3 at the end of four innings, but three runs in the fifth and sixth innings by Carrollton sent Cass City to the showers for keeps.

The Hawks generated a mild threat in the final frame when they loaded the bases with two outs, but Nancy Tonti struck out to end the threat, the game and the season.

In the same inning, pitcher Mary Fleming pitched a knee open sliding into second base and ended up with a trip to the hospital and 10 stitches.

In all, the Hawks made four errors which all but cancelled out a 10-hit attack.

Coach Kally Maharg said she expected her squad to make it past the Carrollton contest. She said the squad's losing three of its last four contests didn't help team morale either.

The Hawks also dropped a non-league game to Millington Wednesday, May 25, 14-4, thanks largely to 14 Cass City fielding errors. Millington pounded out 11 hits, tagging

Mary Fleming with the loss. Elaine Stoutenburg pitched 2/3 of an inning in relief.

Cass City jumped out to an early 2-1 lead but Millington came back with three runs in the third and fourth innings and seven in the fifth.

The squad finished with an overall 17-3 record.

The scoring:

Millington game: M 14-11-0; CC 4-6-14

CC	2	0	1	0	1
M	1	0	3	3	7

Carrollton game: C 9-11-2; CC 6-10-4

CC	1	0	3	1	0	0	1
C	2	0	1	0	3	3	X



**ARLEN HENDRICK, Peck, a former Cass City resident, and his wife, Beverly, took first place in mixed doubles competition at the recent Bay City Times tournament in Bay City. They received trophies and a check for \$2,000 after compiling a score of 1,084 with a 228 handicap, 60 pins ahead of their nearest competition.**

## Gagetown News

Mrs. Harold Koch Phone 665-2536

In spring, 1975, massive flooding ruined crops and forced hundreds of people from their homes.

That fall, more heavy rains drenched crops.

Early the following spring, ice storms darkened and chilled thousands of homes, downed trees and dampened spirits.

Altogether, since spring 1975, Michigan counties have suffered \$70.8 million in property damage from natural disasters. Various counties have been declared disaster areas a total of 66 times, the Michigan State Police say.

In the last two years, three major Presidential Disaster Declarations have been made in Michigan due to the flooding, rains and ice storms. In addition, blizzards and tornadoes left more damage.

No one is quite sure, however, which of Michigan's 83 counties escaped unharmed over the last two years. State Police spokesmen will only say that the southern half of Michigan's Lower Peninsula generally gets hit the worst by everything from rains to snows to tornadoes.



## Chip Shots

## Sport fete set for Friday

### LADIES GOLF

#### MATCHES OF MAY 24

##### FLIGHT 1

Toby Weaver	12
Harriet Richards	10
Mary Brack	10
Mary Ryan	9
Nan deBeaubien	9
Elaine Proctor	9
Nelle Maharg	9
Mary LaPeer	8
Betty Carmer	8
Esther Reagh	6
Mary Hutchinson	6
Kathy Tuckey	6
Nan Bauer	5
Geraldine Prieskorn	4

##### FLIGHT 2

Bev Hurley	12
Delores Tuckey	10
Linda Herron	10
Mary Rabideau	9
Jackie Heronemus	9
Sandy Scott	8
Dotty Scollon	8
Mary Lou Erla	8
Michelle Zdrojewski	6
Collie Krueger	6
Dolly Taylor	6
Jan Kritzman	5
Vera Ferguson	5
Gene Palmer	4

##### FLIGHT 3

Linda Marshall	12
Janet Christner	12
Susan Hutchinson	11
Clara Gaffney	10
Anne Henderson	9
Linda Bennett	9
Jean Bauer	8
Jeanne Comment	7
Enid Craig	6
Naomi Barnes	6
Sharon Groth	6
Barb Tuckey	5
Celia House	4
Shirley Buschlen	4

##### FLIGHT 4

Doris Jones	12
Carol Ware	11
Rufine Neilson	10
Pat McIntosh	10
Ruth Grassmann	10
Marge Tuttle	10
Rona Hillaker	9
Frances Kloc	9
Donna Wernette	8
Linda Helwig	8
Barb Irrer	4
Margo Isard	4
Marge Dickinson	3
Jo Ardler	2

##### FLIGHT 5

George Bushong	10
Louis Franks	10
Bob Tuckey	10
George Heins	9
Dave Hoard	9
Fritz Olson	9
Nat Tuttle	9
John Hacker	8
Roger Marshall	11
Anton Peters	11
Floyd Baird	10
Walker Matlack	9
Wayne Bauer	9
Phil Retherford	8
Gary Jones	8
Lyle Truemner	8

##### FLIGHT 6

Clint House	8
Dale McIntosh	8
Don Galbraith	7
Maynard Helwig	7
Mike Murphy	6
Dick Wallace	6
Bill Kritzman	5
Ken Eisinger	10
Jim Fox	9
Don Ouvry	9
Phil Robinson	9
Rod Wright	8
Russ Biefer	8
Don Crouse	6
Jamie Kelly	6
Jim Peyerck	6
Roy Tuckey	6
Bill Repshinska	6
Dick Wright	6
Dick deBeaubien	5
Dick Henderson	5
Clyde Wells	4

##### FLIGHT 7

Clark Erla	11
Alva Allen	10
Mike Brown	10
Russ Richards	10
Chuck Guinther	9
Scott Kelley	9
Eric Wilmore	9
Gary Christner	8
Don Erla	8
John Haire	8
Ron Ouvry	8
Dale Auslander	6
Jim Bauer	6
Dale Groth	6
Dick Hampshire	6
Roland Pakonen	2

##### FLIGHT 8

Bill Coston	12
Bob Stickle	10
Bruce Thompson	10
Bert Althaver	9
Ron Geiger	9
Gib Albee	8
Jim Burleson	8
Gary Diebel	8
Bill Ewald	8
Aime Ouvry	8
Herman Umpfenbach	8
Bob Walpole	8
Clark Boylan	6
Tom Proctor	6
Hugh Lautner	6
Earl Harris	4

##### THROUGH MAY 29, 1977

##### FLIGHT 1

Jim Johnson	11
Gene Kloc	11
Denny Learman	10
Dave Lovejoy	9
Carl Palmer	9
Jerry Toner	9
Newell Harris	8
Elwyn Helwig	8

## Schedule told

## Merchants host Port Huron nine

Local fans can get a look at the Cass City Merchants softball team Saturday night in an exhibition game against a Port Huron team.

Game time is 6 p.m. at Cass City Recreational Park. The Merchants have a fine team off to a fine start in the Thumb Travelling League.

The complete Cass City schedule for the remainder of the season:

Thursday, June 2, Akron, at Akron  
Tuesday, June 7, Reese, at Cass City  
Wednesday, June 8, Sebewaing, at Pigeon  
Tuesday, June 14, Mayville, at Cass City  
Wednesday, June 15, Vassar, at Mayville  
Wednesday, June 22, Pigeon, at Pigeon  
Thursday, June 23, Bay Port, at Bay Port  
Tuesday, June 28, Sebewaing, at Sebewaing  
Wednesday, June 29, Akron, at Frankenmuth  
Tuesday, July 5, Vassar, at Cass City  
Wednesday, July 6, Frankenmuth, at Frankenmuth  
Tuesday, July 12, Frankenmuth, at Reese  
Wednesday, July 13, Akron, at Frankenmuth  
Tuesday, July 19, Reese, at Cass City  
Wednesday, July 20, Pigeon, at Pigeon

The Spring Sports Awards Night will be held Friday, June 3, at 7:00 p.m. at the Cass City High School cafeteria.

The program will include awards for boys' and girls' track, baseball and softball. The outstanding male and female athletes will be honored.

The program is sponsored by the Cass City Athletic Department.

## Defeat ends

## dismal year

## for Hawks

A disappointing baseball season ended for Cass City Saturday when the Hawks were defeated by Sandusky in pre-district play at Cass City Recreational Park, 12-11.

The game was symbolic of the entire season. The Hawks lost a game that they could have won. Saturday Cass City jumped off to a 9-2 lead at the end of the first inning.

Sandusky charged back with five runs of their own in the top of the third and knocked starter Rick Richards out of the box.

Jeff Hartel came on in relief to put out the fire but the Redskins kept chipping away to win it all in the late innings on a combination of hits and errors.

It was another in a series of close losses for the Hawks. In a battle of the basement teams the Hawks lost a double-header to Frankenmuth in the final regular season games. The scores were 4-2 and 4-1. Because of a competing track meet the same evening Cass City played without several of its regulars.

### THUMB B LEAGUE Final standings

	W	L
Caro	11	2
Lakers	9	4
Bad Axe	9	5
Vassar	7	6
Marlette	7	7
Sandusky	6	8
Frankenmuth	3	10
Cass City	2	12

### Minor league

#### STANDINGS THROUGH SATURDAY, MAY 28, 1977

	Won	Loss
Giants	1	0
Pirates	1	0
Yankees	1	0
Cubs	0	1
Orioles	0	1
Tigers	0	1

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