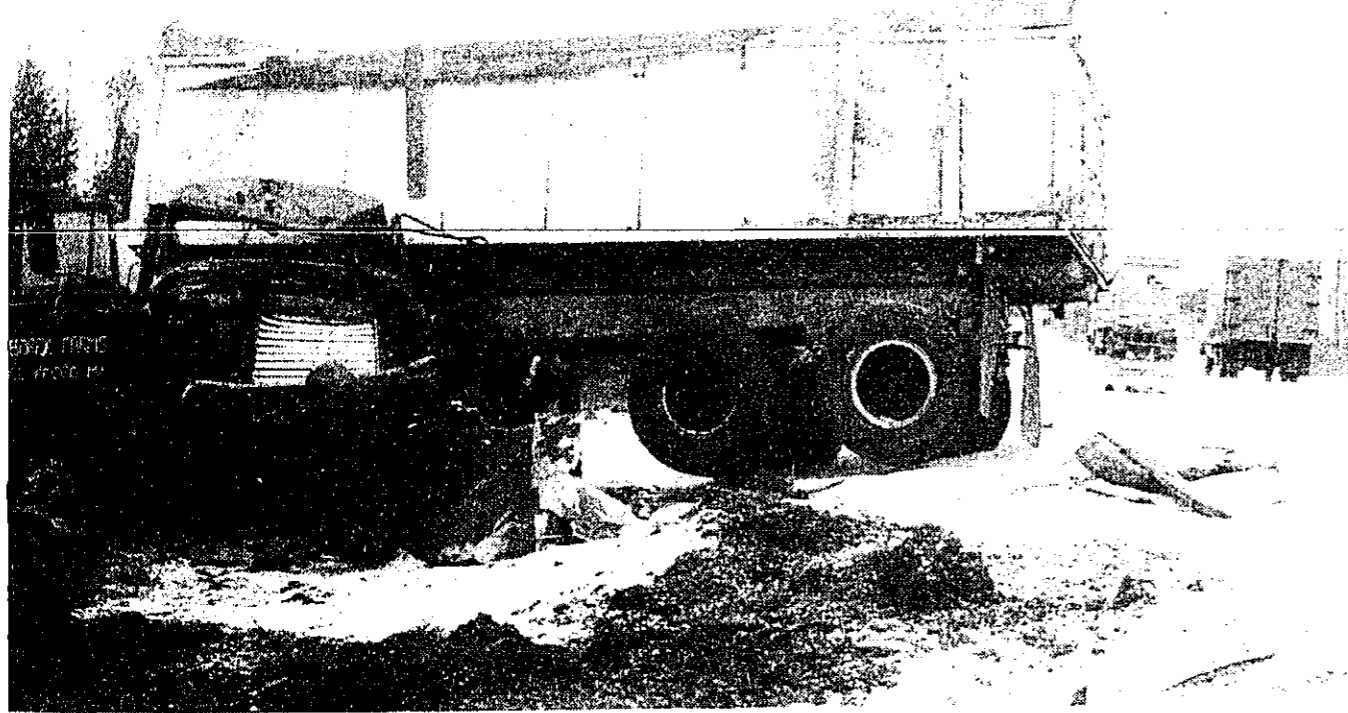


Owen-Gage faces payless paydays



TRUCK ROLLOVER -- The truck driven by John Borek Jr. spilled most of its approximately 45,000-pound load of dry beans on M-46 after rolling over Tuesday afternoon. The other vehicle involved slid to a halt about 150 feet to the east.

Owendale-Gagetown teachers and other employees face payless paydays before the month is over. The only possible salvation before property tax revenues start coming in in December or January is now up to the state legislature and Gov. Milliken. In addition to that development, the Owen-Gage School Board Monday night set millage rates that go on December tax bills and approved a 1977-78 budget. The grim news concerning the budget situation was delivered by Supt. Ronald G. Erickson, who reported the state Municipal Finance Commission has rejected the board's request to borrow \$150,000 in anticipation of property tax revenue. The reason is that a school district can only borrow up to half the amount it received in property tax revenue the previous year. For Owen-Gage, that would be about \$250,000 they could borrow, except they already borrowed about that much (\$245,000) in June. The treasurer's report showed the district with \$33,117 in its bank account, enough only, Erickson said, to cover the payroll for this Friday. If some delinquent taxes are received, the district may be able to make the Oct. 28 payroll.

The superintendent wasn't optimistic about that prospect or the possibility of it being able to borrow \$51,000 in anticipation of state aid. That leaves what he called "our last gasp," a bill introduced by State Rep. Quincy Hoffman, R-Applegate. If approved by the legislature and signed by the governor, the bill will allow Owen-Gage to borrow enough to get by until property tax revenues start coming in. Hoffman called from Lansing during the meeting, Board President Ronald Good reported. "He feels quite confident the way he talks." The state representative hopes to have the bill on the governor's desk for his signature in a month. Owen-Gage teachers met after school Tuesday to discuss the situation. Owen-Gage Education Association President Manuel P. Thies said Wednesday morning most of the questions concerned continuation of health insurance if teachers aren't being paid. Insurance premiums are paid through the end of October. As the answers weren't immediately available, he explained, another meeting will probably be held next week once the answers are known. The issue of withholding services until teachers are paid wasn't discussed. "The idea is to wait and see, at least for

another week," Thies said. "Everything is up in the air." In another development, teachers are voting today on whether to be represented by the Tri-County Bargaining Association in contract negotiations with the school board, the board earlier this month having agreed to holding of the election. The teachers are presently working without a contract, pending settlement of the bargaining issue so that contract negotiations can begin. As for other school employees, Erickson said, so far "no one has indicated they wouldn't keep working."

higher equalized valuation. The decision will mean \$36,361 for the debt-ridden district. The added taxes, in Grant, Sebawaing, and Brookfield townships, will be assessed on December tax bills.

BUDGET

The board approved a 1977-78 budget listing total general fund revenues of \$757,091 and expenditures of \$669,339, for a balance of \$87,752. The balance will be used to pay off the existing deficit, however, which will leave the district -- if all goes as projected in the budget -- with a year-end balance of zero. The new budget compares to the figures in the recently completed audit for 1976-77. Please turn to page 5.

Caro driver dies in 2-car head-on M-24 crash Sunday

Tuscola county recorded its seventh traffic fatality of the year late Sunday night when Dale R. Middaugh, 27, was killed in an accident on M-24. Sheriff's deputies reported Middaugh was southbound, about four miles south of Caro, when his car crossed the centerline onto the northbound shoulder of the road. His car then came back into the northbound lane, where it collided head-on with the northbound auto of Jannette L. Zawila, 42, of 5696 S. Phillips Road, Clifford. A witness reported she slowed and moved to the centerline to try to avoid the collision but was unable to do

so. She was taken to Caro Community Hospital where she was treated for a reported broken foot and facial injuries. Middaugh lived at 2066 Woodside Drive, Caro. The accident occurred at 11:35 p.m. An autopsy was performed on his body but results weren't immediately available. His car then came back into the northbound lane, where it collided head-on with the northbound auto of Jannette L. Zawila, 42, of 5696 S. Phillips Road, Clifford. A witness reported she slowed and moved to the centerline to try to avoid the collision but was unable to do

highway. According to State Police Trooper William MacNicol, Borek was westbound on M-46, one mile west of M-24, when an eastbound auto-type pickup truck crossed the centerline and struck the left side wheels of his semi-trailer. The semi rolled over once and came to rest on its wheels on the south side of the road, just west of Wireline Road. The pickup, driven by Dennis Polk, 30, of Elkton, spun, narrowly missing a state police car driven by Lt. Noel Rowe, commander of the Sandusky post, which was immediately behind the Borek semi. The pickup came to a halt on the north side of M-24, about 150 feet east of the semi-truck. Polk told Trooper MacNicol that spray from another vehicle obscured the vision through his windshield and he then drifted across the centerline. It was raining at the time of the accident, about 1:40 p.m. He was ticketed on a charge of driving left of center. Polk was taken to Caro Community Hospital with a broken leg and other injuries, then transferred to Hills and Dales General Hospital. He was treated there and then released. Borek was treated at the Caro hospital for a reported bump on the head. Tuesday night he went to a Kingston High School girls' basketball game. His son, Jim, told the Chronicle his father was not wearing a seat belt, but held on tight to the steering wheel when the truck rolled over. Borek, driving his own truck, was hauling the load of beans to Saginaw for Kingston Farm Service. His son said the trailer was holding from somewhere between 21 and 24 tons of beans. If 22 1/2 tons, at \$15 per 100 pounds, the load -- which was insured -- was worth \$6,750. A road commission grader was called in to clear the beans from the road.

dent on Mayville Road, west of Kingston Road. Caro state police said she was eastbound and pulled her semi-truck tractor onto the right shoulder to avoid some chukholes in the road. The front end of the truck veered due to the soft shoulder and the vehicle went into the ditch, rolling over onto its side. Three persons received possible injuries in a three-car accident Saturday morning on Main Street, just west of Weaver Street. Seeking his own treatment was Glen E. Darr, 62, of 6253 Bay City-Forestville Road. Two passengers in his car complained of possible injuries. Cass City Police Chief Gene Wilson reported all three cars were westbound. The car driven by Mary E. Smithers, 34, of 4326 Woodland Street, stopped to turn left into a private drive. The rear-most vehicle, driven by Wendall, was westbound. Please turn to page 5.

Cultural Center cost split okayed

The Elkland Township Board Monday night agreed to continue to split expenses 50-50 with the village of Cass City for maintenance of the Cultural Center. Village Supt. Lou LaPonsie appeared at the meeting to explain that the village council Sept. 27 rejected the decision of township electors at the annual meeting last spring that the building should be given to the village. That meant continuation of the present arrangement of dividing all expenses equally. The township board, according to Clerk Carolyn Ware, took no formal action but agreed the present financial arrangement will be continued. The board received two rezoning requests, with both requests being to rezone property on Cass City Road from its present residential-agricultural status to commercial. Jim McDonald wants two acres rezoned about 1 1/2 miles east of Cass City, for possible uses including a nursery or machinery storage. Al LaPeer wants property rezoned about 1 1/4 miles east of Cass City so that he can

operate an auto body repair shop out of his garage. The board will consult with the zoning board before acting on the two requests at its November meeting. The board approved the facilities plan for the proposed Gagetown sewage treatment system. If it is built, it may serve two township families who border the village. Farmland and Open Space Preservation Act agreements were given the board's okay for two parcels in the township owned by Richard T. Donahue. The board approved turning over of the sexton's financial records to Ted Morgan, who is serving as trainee until April, 1978. He will then become sexton for the township cemetery, taking over from Chuck Bigelow, who is retiring. Payment of \$10,880 to Pat LaFave was approved for work done on Richie Road. The board also approved bills totaling \$1,920 for demolition in the township cemetery of the Deming vault and reburial of bodies in it. The board was previously reimbursed for the expense by the Deming family.

Wendall found with stolen truck. Frank Wendall, charged with the theft of a pickup truck July 15 from Mary Voelker of Owendale, is scheduled to be returned to Huron county shortly from Oregon. The truck was stolen 16 days after Mrs. Voelker's husband, Kenneth, was killed in an auto accident in Ohio while on his way home from a dairy show in Columbus. Wendall was a hired hand on the Voelker farm on Canboro Road. Wendall, 27, and the truck were found by police in Roseburg, Oregon, Oct. 4. Wendall waived extradition back to Michigan. Chief Deputy Roger Ewald left Wednesday morning for Oregon to bring him back. He was named in a complaint signed by Mrs. Voelker following the theft. A warrant subsequently issued by the Huron county prosecutor's office charged him with unlawfully driving away a motor vehicle. Roberta I. Pringle, 25, of 7438 Deckerville Road, Deford, sought her own treatment Monday after an acci-

dent on Mayville Road, west of Kingston Road. Caro state police said she was eastbound and pulled her semi-truck tractor onto the right shoulder to avoid some chukholes in the road. The front end of the truck veered due to the soft shoulder and the vehicle went into the ditch, rolling over onto its side. Three persons received possible injuries in a three-car accident Saturday morning on Main Street, just west of Weaver Street. Seeking his own treatment was Glen E. Darr, 62, of 6253 Bay City-Forestville Road. Two passengers in his car complained of possible injuries. Cass City Police Chief Gene Wilson reported all three cars were westbound. The car driven by Mary E. Smithers, 34, of 4326 Woodland Street, stopped to turn left into a private drive. The rear-most vehicle, driven by Wendall, was westbound. Please turn to page 5.

Air old problems at board meeting

A packed house in the board room at Cass City High School listened to a routine agenda Monday in the regular meeting of the school board. Many of the spectators were teachers attending the regular meeting to be present for a closed session where four teacher grievances were aired. In the regular session most of the interest centered around items that have been before the board for several months. Possibly the most controversial is the school needs survey. The study was authorized to determine if added personnel is necessary and what areas are most critical. Board members Dr. Ed Scollon and Mrs. David Burnette would like to see this expanded into a curriculum study but at the present time there are no plans to expand it that far. What is aimed for now is to present to the voters next summer possible areas of expansion and the cost in extra mills for the expansion.

revealed that Cass City would probably be by far the best paid in the area under the new guidelines. Because hours at the game would be reduced, the flat rate was considered excessive and Stickle will work over the scale again for presentation at the next meeting. There wasn't that much trouble with other school help. Pay for students working in the cafeteria will increase 25 cents for one hour and 55 cents for 1 2/3-hour shifts. Student custodial helpers were jumped 15 cents an hour. OTHER BUSINESS A suggested addition to the

school policy was submitted by Mrs. Burnette. It was referred to committee for study including Scollon and President Geraldine Priesskorn. The board will consider a formula for money raising projects in school by non-school organizations such as local civic clubs. The question is whether the administration should permit it. Two bids for four used school buses were received. The high bidder was Arnold Weaver of Holland for \$2,425 for the lot. The 35-plus acres of school land not being used will be advertised for rental for three years with the option of removing any portion that may be needed by the district.

Traffic on M-53 was blocked for awhile Tuesday afternoon after three cattle escaped from a trailer in which they were being transported. The cattle escaped about 1 1/2 miles north of M-81. Traffic was blocked, according to Cass City Police Chief Gene Wilson, because those involved in rounding up the animals blocked the Cass River North Branch bridge with a trailer so that the animals couldn't escape to the north. The chief, apparently the only officer available in the area, was dispatched at 12:45 p.m. He said traffic was blocked for about a mile in each direction. He had to drive on the shoulder of the road to get to the scene. Those involved in rounding up the cattle were departing as he arrived, he said, so he was not able to get specific information as to what happened. He said it appeared they caught only one of the animals, which was put back in the trailer. The other two escaped into a corn field. There were two cattle trailers at the scene, according to the chief, who helped traffic get underway after he arrived. State police from the Caro post were later dispatched, but arrived after traffic had cleared.

Rain drowning bean crop

With the rain seemingly never ending, county Extension Director Bill Bortel predicted Tuesday that 25 per cent of Tuscola county's bean acreage will never get harvested. He said about 50-55 per cent of the crop has been harvested so far which means 20-25 per cent will still be harvested. The quality of beans harvested early was generally good, he said, but as the

season has progressed, quality worsened. Bortel was planning to complete a more definitive survey of the county bean crop later this week. The Michigan Crop Reporting Service (MCRS) as of Oct. 3 reported that only 20 per cent of the state's bean crop had been harvested, as opposed to 86 per cent a year earlier and an average in past years of 70 per cent. Bortel said the county corn

crop still looks good. Sugar beets also look good, although excess moisture has reduced sugar content. The extension director expressed fear, however, that with harvesting delayed and temperatures getting colder, harvesting could be hampered, especially if the ground freezes. Wheat planting appears to be an almost total wipeout. Bortel guessed that only about five per cent of the

intended acreage has been planted so far. If the rain doesn't stop so that fields can dry out, he doubted much more than that will be planted. After next week, he said, it will be too late to plant. The Oct. 3 MCRS report said about 25 per cent of the winter wheat crop had been planted in the state, versus 48 per cent a year earlier and a normal 57 per cent as of that date.

FIREWORKS FIZZLE

An accident to Gordon Roy at the high school which caused the student to be hospitalized was expected to be a touchy issue on the agenda. Mrs. Roy was expected to be at the meeting to talk about her son's accident. However, she was hospitalized and unable to attend. Principal Russell Richards told of the school's actions when the boy fell and hit his head in a gym accident. They included calling the parent, having the boy lie still and then sit down before he was taken to the nurse's station to lie down. An outline of procedures used in accidents followed. One suggestion was first aid training for teachers. Settling the wages for employees at athletic contests is proving to be almost like negotiations with teachers. It started a month ago when a raise was requested. Athletic Director Robert Stickle took a survey of Thumb schools and then presented a flat rate schedule for consideration. After investigation, it was



HOMECOMING CANDIDATES -- Candidates for homecoming queen at Cass City High School are, front row, from left, Melissa Smith, Rita Rabideau, and Wendy Ware. In the rear, from left, are class representatives Teresa Hewitt, 10th grade; Lisa Comment, 9th, and Lynn Hartwick, 11th. The new queen will receive her crown at Friday night's game against Lakers.

Cass City Area Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little
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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roemer

LutAnn Hendershot of Gagetown and Kenneth Wayne Roemer of Sebawaing exchanged wedding vows Sept. 24 at St. John's Lutheran church, Kilmanagh.

The Rev. Wayne Wentzels performed the five o'clock ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merton J. Hendershot of Gagetown and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Roemer of Sebawaing.

The church altar was decorated with fireside baskets arranged with fall shades of dried flowers and leaves accented with honey gold ribbon.

The bride chose a gown of polyester organza styled with an Empire waistline and bodice featuring Chantilly lace. The A-line skirt was trimmed in Chantilly lace and the bishop sleeves were also Chantilly lace. The chapel-length train, trimmed with Chantilly lace, was secured to a Camelot headpiece. She carried long stemmed white roses with fern and a mist of baby's breath secured with white satin ribbon.

Cory LaFave of Gagetown was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Jen Dafoe of Bay

City, Shelly Billy of Owendale, Mary Jo Hendershot of Gagetown, the bride's sister, and Patty Roemer of Sebawaing, sister of the groom.

They wore floor-length gowns of forest green polyester featuring V-neckline with matching green lace insets and sashes which crisscrossed in front, tying in back. They wore soft clusters of baby's breath in their hair. The bridal attendants carried small fireside baskets arranged with dried flowers in fall shades of gold, plum and persimmon mixed with fall leaves and baby's breath accented with honey gold ribbon.

Flower girl was Cristy Lynn Hendershot of Gagetown, sister of the bride. She carried a miniature basket identical to the bridesmaids'.

John Roemer of Gagetown was best man for his brother. Groomsmen were William Roemer of Sebawaing, brother of the groom, Kim Hedley of Gagetown, Wayne Albrecht of Owendale and James Hendershot of Gagetown, the bride's brother.

Brad Goslin of Gagetown and Greg Lenda of Owendale were ushers.

Miss Debbie Walter was guest of honor at a bridal shower Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Dale Buehrly. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Eldred Kelley, Mrs. Ron Geiger and Mrs. Gerald Auten.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Hughes of Otisville are the parents of a boy, Jeremy James, born Oct. 10. Grandparents are Mrs. James Olsick and Mrs. Reatha Hughes.

Women from Salem UM church who attended the Port Huron District United Methodist women's meeting at Sandusky Thursday evening were Mrs. Eldred Kelley, Mrs. Esther McCullough, Mrs. Walter Jezewski and Mrs. Maurice Joos. Installation of district officers was held.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus Sr. accompanied the Robert Martuses of Flushing to Battle Creek Oct. 2 due to the death of Wayne Zielke. They attended the funeral Wednesday. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Mark.

The teen department of the Baptist church will have a fifth quarter party after the homecoming game Friday night. It will feature the film, "Stranger in My Forest," and refreshments will be served in the church fellowship hall. All teenagers are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Buehrly, Larry and Christine were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly.

Mrs. Charles Holm was admitted to Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Root visited Olin Thompson at Port Austin Sunday afternoon.

Twenty-three attended the first session of Sparks (formerly Mini-Wana) Wednesday evening in the Baptist church fellowship hall.

The Church of Christ Thumb area youth rally will be held at the Novesta Church of Christ Oct. 15. A hayride and program are planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur went Thursday to Flint. Friday, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Fred Thompson, they left for Pennsylvania to attend the wedding in Wellsboro of Miss Phyllis Ewald of Cass City and Thomas Montgomery. The McArthurs returned home Tuesday.

The annual banquet for Church of Christ men will be held Oct. 14 at the Great Lakes Bible college in Lansing.

Members of Echo Chapter OES who are attending OES Grand Chapter sessions in Grand Rapids this week are Mrs. Ruth Ann Whitaker, Grand Marshall; worthy matron, Mrs. Mabel Wright, who is a page for the sessions, Mrs. Betty Greenleaf, Mrs. Theda Seeger and Mrs. Shirley Karr.

Monica and Karen Schuchmann of Sterling Heights visited Susan Damm Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

The Hobby Club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Earl Harris.

Mrs. Ron Brookens of Midland spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. James McMahon.

Harry Wentworth returned to Cass City Friday after a three-week tour of London, England, and Scotland. Miss Lucille Wentworth of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Biddle and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wentworth joined him for supper Saturday evening at the William Patch home. He showed pictures of his trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Merchant and Kristy had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Geister spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch.

The birthdays of Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Gibson were celebrated at a surprise dinner at the Sveden House in Saginaw Sunday, Oct. 2. Immediately following, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lindsay of Saginaw served cake and punch at Fontaine Gardens Community House, where they presently reside. Rev. and Mrs. Gibson were presented with gifts from their family. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powell and daughters, Robin, Cindy and Beth, Mary Cease, Harm Nichols and son Doug, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Nichols and children, Deanna and Andy, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ouvry and daughters, Shelly and Missey, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Nichols and daughter Eve, Mr. Gibson was 82 and Mrs. Gibson, 84.

Thirty-one attended the dinner served Oct. 5 in Salem UM church at the monthly meeting of the Dorcas group of United Methodist women. Esther McCullough opened the business meeting with a poem. The meeting closed with the benediction by Elsie Anthes.

Members of Gifford Chapter OES of Gagetown attending the Grand Chapter sessions in Grand Rapids this week are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mellendorf and Miss Fronda Mellendorf and Mrs. Glenda Wilson.

Relatives helped Paul Craig celebrate his birthday over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Craig had as dinner guests Saturday evening, Carlton Craig of Highland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig, Mrs. Lucile Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Craig and Barbara. Sunday afternoon, 24 relatives from Caro, Unionville, Colwood and Cass City came for cake and ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo O'Dell and son Teddy of Milan came Saturday evening and were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey had three dinner guests Sunday, members of the Highland Gospel Aires of Cadillac, who were in Cass City for services in the Missionary church.

Mrs. Henry Cooklin took her grandmother, Mrs. Howard Loomis, and Mrs. Helen Smith of Saginaw to Lake Leelanau Monday where they are spending the week. Mrs. Cooklin is spending the week with her sister, Miss Becky Loomis, at Suttons Bay. Mrs. Cooklin will then join her husband in East Lansing where he is enrolled in MSU.

Andrew Kozen left Tuesday, Oct. 4, to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Mary Lovas, at Manning, Alberta, Canada. Mrs. Lovas, 74, died Oct. 3. Mr. Kozen returned home Saturday.

The Progressive class of Salem UM church will meet Thursday evening, Oct. 13, at the Ronald Geiger home. A "treasure hunt" is planned for the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker and Walter Putnam were in Caro Thursday to attend a reunion of cousins of the Churchill family, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry (Bessie Putnam). Relatives came from Lansing, Grayling, Akron, Caro and Cass City.

United Methodist men will meet Monday evening, Oct. 17, at Lakeport. Guest speaker will be Lloyd Livingston, chaplain of the Detroit Lions.

The Cass River chapter of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet Saturday at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Edith Toner on Sherman Street in Cass City.

Mrs. Minnie Forbes of Manclona spent more than a week visiting at the George Cook and the John Cook homes. The Cooks are Mrs. Forbes' brothers.



Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cummings

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cummings of Gagetown are planning an open house to honor their parents on their 25th wedding anniversary, Oct. 23 from 2-5 p.m. at their home on MacAlpine Road.

The couple have four children, Mrs. Randy (Jean) Diebel of Tacoma, Wash., Wayne of Marlette, and Connie and Kathy at home. Harold and Doris (Sparling) were married in the

First Baptist church of Bad Axe Oct. 4, 1952 by Rev. Walter Sponsel.

Their attendants were Donald Cummings, Gagetown; Mrs. Roy Beachy, Elkton; Winton Ellis, Lupton; Mrs. Frank Rifenburg, Bad Axe; Jack Milligan, Decker; Mrs. Douglas VanAllen, Cass City; Howard Hill Jr., Cass City, and Jack VanAllen, Lapeer. Mrs. Roy Pierce of Decker was flower girl and Robert Sparling of St. Louis was ring bearer.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

HEAD START

Education helps, but no amount of learning takes the place of natural ability.

Born Oct. 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dudge of Decker, a girl, Amanda Mae.

PATIENTS LISTED OCT. 10 WERE:

Charles McConnell, Timothy Vatter, Fritz Neitzel and Mrs. Alton Mark of Cass City; Guadalupe Quiroga Jr. and James Werstine of Caseville; Mrs. Elizabeth Kelley of Bad Axe; Mrs. Herbert Yax, Louis Babich, Bernard Furness, Mrs. Arthur Hartwick and Mrs. Glen Warner of Deford; Alfred Emmons, Mrs. Roger Allen, Adam Deering of Gagetown; Larry Vandemark, Mrs. Raymond Sharp of Unionville; Mark Walters of Bay Port; Mrs. Thomas Burk of Owendale; Frederick Avery and Mrs. Lorena Kuehn of Sebawaing; Mrs. Jeanette Lester of Kingston; James Hodges of Akron.



Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Law

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Law of Caro, formerly of Cass City, will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary Sunday, Oct. 16, at an open house from two until six o'clock. The open house is hosted by their children at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dillon, 3442 E. Cass City Road, Cass City.

Marriage Licenses

- Don R. Eria, 20, Cass City and Catherine L. Skaggs, 21, Deford.
- Thomas W. Bock, 20, Cass City and Shari L. Auvi, 16, Snover.
- Mark J. Hornbeck, 23, Caro and Lori A. Gottschalk, 21, Royal Oak.
- Robert D. Spencer, 20, Caro and Robin L. Mihacsi, 16, Caro.
- Gerald A. Clawson, 29, Armada and Patricia J. DePott, 33, Fairgrove.
- John E. Welch, 19, Vassar and April A. Mason, 18, Vassar.
- Paul I. Phillips, 19, Vassar and Linda A. Salisbury, 20, Vassar.
- Larry B. Scott, 25, Fairgrove and Jane E. Cottrell, 21, Caro.
- Randy L. Vandemark, 20, Caro and Paula S. Laethem, 19, Fairgrove.
- Ralph A. Fisher, 24, Caro and Cathy A. Frick, 21, Caro.

Donations sought by hospital

Letters have been sent out to persons who contributed to the Hills and Dales General Hospital building fund last year asking them for another donation.

Solicitors will be calling on those persons who received the letters. The solicitations do not apply to persons or organizations who made a five-year pledge.

"This is not simply another charity drive," hospital board President James F. Bauer said in the letter. "It is a firm commitment to provide our families with modern facilities and equipment to treat them when the need presents itself."

The hospital is presently waiting for final approval for the project from the Michigan Department of Public Health before authorizing the architect to advertise for construction bids.

Approval is expected this month and the aim is to have construction underway by the end of the year.

Total project cost is estimated at \$746,000, for construction of an emergency and outpatient services building and some renovations inside the present structure.

Of that amount, \$500,000 is coming from the building fund drive, the rest from hospital earnings and a bank loan.

Church homecoming on Sunday

The Holbrook Baptist church will hold its 18th anniversary homecoming Sunday, Oct. 16.

A musical quartet, "Crusaders - Singing For Jesus" from the Lansing area will start the program at 5 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Muston are members of the quartet. Mrs. Muston, formerly Phyllis Gelatt, is a graduate of Cass City High School.

Following the program, refreshments and fellowship are scheduled. There will be no 7:30 p.m. service this Sunday.

The public is invited. The pastor is Rev. David H. Williams. The church is located one mile south of Bay City-Forestville Road on Germania Road in Sanilac county.

SEASON APPROACHES

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

TUESDAY, NOV. 1, 1977
7:30 p.m.
At
NOVESTA TOWNSHIP HALL

A public meeting will be held for the purpose of petitioning to rezone property in Section 25 of Novesta Township a portion of the frontage on Crawford Road in the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 to be changed from residential agricultural to residential business. This parcel of land consisting of about 4 acres is owned by William Knowlton of 1676 Crawford Road. He intends to erect a building of 5,000 sq. ft. for auctioning of new and used furniture. A tentative text of any map or zoning ordinance may be viewed at the home of Jean Clarke or Henry Rock on weekdays between the hours of 9 and 5.

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"If It Fitz..." Keeping up with the Fishers

By Jim Fitzgerald

Barring an unexpected dash for daylight by her fiancé, my daughter Ferd will get married in a few months. So you'll understand why I quivered when my wife said: "It says here in the newspaper that Mary Fisher was married amid a sea of orchids. Hundreds of white spicy orchids were flown in from Singapore just for her wedding."

"If we have an outdoor wedding in our backyard, Ferd could be married amid a sea of dandelions," I said. "To assure a bumper crop, I could have some fertilizer flown in from Gwin's Hardware."

"Twenty-five ficus trees were moved into the country club clubhouse for the ceremony," Pat read from the newspaper. "Two trees, each 25 feet tall, formed the canopy under which the couple exchanged vows."

"That's a little ostentatious," I said. "What about all the starving children in India?"

"I think a piece of wedding cake was sent to everyone who lives in India," Pat said. "You must remember that Mary Fisher is the daughter of Max Fisher who is one of the richest men in the world," I said. "He made his money in oil and real estate, and his hobby is financing Republican candidates. I really don't mind him spending so much on his kid's wedding. I figure every nickel he spends on a ficus tree is a nickel he can't spend on the political comeback of Gerald Ford."

"Mr. and Mrs. Ford were at the wedding," Pat said. "It says here that Mary stopped on her way back down the aisle and kissed them both. And Mary told a reporter that the Fords turned down a lot of other invitations so they could be at her wedding."

"Mary Fisher worked for Gerald Ford when he was president," I explained. "She was his advance woman. When Ford traveled about the world on important diplomatic missions, Mary went ahead of him and warned the galleries to watch out for his slice. She probably got the job through a classified ad."

"Imagine the prestige of the bride pausing in the aisle to kiss an ex-president of the United States," Pat said wistfully.

"Ferd could stop and kiss Howard Bon Vivant. Howard used to be president of Lapeer Rotary," I said. "He'll turn down other invitations to be at Ferd's wedding if he hears we're having an open bar."

Pat kept reading the wedding story: "At the reception, 1,000 white lace napkins were tucked in gold rings to which single long-stemmed white roses had been tied."

"We could tie one of the dandelions to a box of Bounty napkins," I said.

"Did you know that Gary Cooper's daughter was at the Fisher wedding?" Pat asked. "Yep," I said.

As you can tell from our conversation, unless you are stupid, my wife wants Ferd to have a high-class wedding. The only problem is I can't afford it. But I think I have a solution.

"We should throw a wedding and reception that will pay for itself, at least in part," I said, "and I know how we can do it. I got this great idea from the smart businessmen who want to bring casino gambling to downtown Detroit."

"I don't even want to hear about it," Pat said.

"These guys want a high-class operation that will appeal to tourists. The casinos will be in only the best hotels, and on week ends, people will

have to wear formal attire to get inside to gamble," I said. "What if the tourists don't have formal clothes with them? Not many men travel with tuxedos."

"That's the beautiful gimmick," I explained. "The casino operators will rent tuxedos at the door. We could do the same thing at Ferd's wedding reception. We wouldn't say on the invitations that the party is strictly formal. Once all those bluejeaned guys see through the door that there's an open bar, they'll do anything to get inside, even rent a tux."

"I knew I didn't want to hear about this," Pat said.

"We could sell the rental concession to Powell's Menswear for a cut of the action," I said. "The money we'd make would buy a lot of ficus trees, not to mention kegs of beer."

Pat gave my idea thoughtful consideration and finally decided: "You are not one bit funny."

That must be why I'm not laughing. If Ferd's fiancé ever does dash for daylight, the speck he sees ahead of him, disappearing into the light at the end of the tunnel, may be the father of the bride, running from ficus trees.

Onward and upward.



OWEN-GAGE QUEEN -- Deb Lenda, the 1977 Owendale-Gagetown homecoming queen, received her crown and flowers from football team co-captains Tim Lorencz (left) and Roger Ziehm. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lenda of Owendale.

William Heck burned in fire

An elderly Owendale man was treated and released from Schurer Hospital in Pigeon Oct. 4 for first and second degree burns to his right leg suffered when a fire broke out in his trailer home.

Owendale Fire Chief Jerry Stirett, apparently started when Heck threw a lit match into a tin can being used as a wastepaper basket.

Paper in the can started burning and the fire spread to the arm chair in which Heck was sitting.

The chair and a sofa were damaged, plus the trailer sustained some interior damage, Stirett said.

Heck's daughter, Mrs. Ronald Wissner, who lives in a home close-by, discovered the fire. She and some other family members rescued Heck and pulled the chair and sofa from the trailer.

Using a garden hose, they had the fire extinguished by the time firemen arrived. The Owendale firemen were called about 2:50 p.m.

Bulletin

Kasimier Szarapski, 82, died Tuesday at Provincial House. Funeral services will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at St. Pancratius church.

Injured was William Heck, 87, whose 8-by-20 foot trailer home is located on Kilmanagh Road, about three miles northeast of Owendale. The fire, according to

SELF-DISCIPLINE

Keep your guard up—temptation plants evil thoughts—and conscience plows them under.

Deb Lenda Owen-Gage queen

Deb Lenda was crowned Owendale-Gagetown homecoming queen Friday night during halftime ceremonies of the game against North Huron.

She took over the crown from the 1976 queen, Mary Jo Hendershot, who was present for the ceremonies.

The new homecoming queen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lenda of Owendale.

Members of her court were Marie Gremel, Terry Shanks, and Dawn Erickson.

Class representatives in the homecoming court were Lorella Hahn and Kris Erickson, freshmen; Paula Good and Peggy Repshinska, sophomores, and Linette Hahn and Lori Gaeth, juniors.

In the float judging, the seniors had the top float, followed by the freshman float, second; juniors, third, and sophomores, fourth.

Millage rejected

Voters in Sanilac county Monday rejected a special education millage request by a vote of 705-1,864.

The totals were unofficial, with some minor changes expected in the official tally by

the board of canvassers. If the measure had been approved, it would have increased the millage for the Sanilac County Intermediate School District special education program from the present .9 mill to 1.8 mills.

FROM THE Editor's Corner



It's likely that the nation's unions have enough clout to get laws passed in congress that will enable them to unionize plants in the south's "Sun Belt" more easily.

And since it is always popular with the home folk to pass increased minimum wage laws it's likely that minimums will go up 50 percent or so in the next two or three years.

That's like frosting on a cake. It looks good but if the cake is rancid it does no real good.

Regardless of what the wages are they mean nothing unless you are working.

Most folks have heard about Zenith's and the steel industry's loss of jobs. But it doesn't really mean all that much.

But right here in the Thumb we find Walbro expanding in Mexico. That doesn't mean of course, that we have lost any jobs in Cass City. In fact, Walbro's employment here is better than ever. But it certainly indicates that perhaps other jobs that might come from expansion here are lost to the Thumb and to the country.

Lost because management of any viable plant must stay competitive to remain in business.

There's another side of the coin. It recalls when the late Walter Reuther and a management man were involved in a discussion.

The question then was automation. Management was pointing out a new machine that did the work of scores of men. Look, Walter, he chortled, this machine doesn't get sick, need vacations, coffee breaks, or raises. It does it all.

Yeah, said Reuther, in his now classic reply, and it doesn't buy any cars either.

The first answer that pops forth is tariff. The trouble with this is that it's a game that everyone can play. Caution is the watchword here.

Certainly it should be used on products dumped here at a lower cost than sold in the native land. That's really unfair competition.

Sadly, lower wages is only part of the problem that has seen manufacturers move all over the globe.

Many of the products produced right here in the United States are well designed, well engineered and then put together by I don't give a damn workers.

Some products appear almost intentionally sabotaged.

We need help from the government and we need to help ourselves.

Certainly all of us want a bite of the good life. To get it we have to do our share in helping to bake the cake.

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Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Alan Lowe and Ron Spaulding had a busy week end if they followed plans laid out early Friday evening.

The pair planned to attend the Vassar-Cass City football game and then take off for Seney in the Upper Peninsula.

The schedule called for them to be hunting for geese by daybreak.

Then hunt again Sunday and return home that night.

I told the young men that I could remember when I was crazy like that, too.

Can you?

Okay all you Tiger fans. Want the inside dope on next year? Listen to Betty Dewey. She and Eva Bair were in Pigeon to have their picture taken with Mark "Bird" Fidyrych and Dave Rozema.

She's got the picture and also reports that both men said that their ailing pitching arms are good now.

Nice clean-cut kids. Mrs. Dewey says with conviction.

What really makes it rare is that she is only a substitute bowler.

Tuesday afternoon Norma Wallace posted the all-time high series for women with a 601 three-game series at Charmont Lanes. The set included a game of 244, high game of the year, and games of 167 and 190.

This information was passed to the Chronicle by Ms. Geraldine Prieskorn and Ms. Elaine Proctor.

The ladies said that Norma's husband, Dick, has the high series for men.

Just think what Norma might bowl if she practiced as much as Dick does.

This is National Newspaper Week. Which calls attention to the importance of communication and the role newspapers play in preserving individual liberties.

One of the finer ways to observe this event is a plan adopted by Jim Fitzgerald when he was editor at Lapeer.

It's national newspaper week, he'd intone, take an editor (or publisher) to lunch.

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CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
GENERAL FUND

FINANCIAL REPORT - ACCRUAL BASIS

	JUNE 30,	
	1977	1976
ASSETS:		
Cash	\$ 19,184	\$110,256
Investments	227,670	193,156
Receivables - taxes	40,817	44,699
Due from Hot Lunch Fund	342	5,000
Due from Title I Fund	1,006	1,778
Receivables - other	20,300	21,226
Inventory (at cost)	29,839	35,244
Prepaid expenses	13,617	18,265
TOTAL ASSETS	\$352,775	\$429,624
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable	\$ 93,800	\$ 62,905
Salaries payable	6,919	7,656
Contracts payable	2,100	5,063
Accrued withholding payable	3,009	47,098
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$105,828	\$122,722
FUND BALANCE:		
Balance July 1	\$306,902	\$315,343
Excess of expenditures over revenue	59,955	3,102
Adjust prior years receivables	0	(5,339)
Balance, June 30	\$246,947	\$306,902
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$352,775	\$429,624

CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

	JUNE 30, 1976	
REVENUE:		
Local	\$ 855,573	
State	1,139,365	
TOTAL REVENUE	\$1,994,938	
EXPENDITURES:		
Instruction	\$1,232,587	
Administration	66,805	
Health service	5,781	
Transportation services	213,404	
Operation of plant	186,637	
Maintenance of plant	77,710	
Fixed charges	122,000	
Capital outlay	80,731	
Student services	12,385	
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$1,998,040	
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE	\$ 3,102	

	JUNE 30, 1977	
REVENUE:		
Local	\$ 901,757	
State	1,213,737	
Other transactions	5,063	
TOTAL REVENUE AND OTHER TRANSACTIONS	\$2,120,557	
EXPENDITURES:		
Instruction	\$1,086,083	
Instruction - employee benefits	103,664	
Support services:		
Pupil	42,683	
Instructional staff	41,657	
General Administration	68,010	
School Administration	132,981	
Business	508,472	
Support services - employee benefits	43,979	
Capital outlay	103,771	
Outgoing transfers	49,212	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND OUTGOING TRANSFERS	\$2,180,512	
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES AND OUTGOING TRANSFERS OVER REVENUE AND OTHER TRANSACTIONS	\$ 59,955	

CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
DEBT RETIREMENT FUNDS

BALANCE SHEET

	JUNE 30,	
	1977	1976
ASSETS:		
Cash	\$ 31,238	\$ 46,215
Taxes receivable	1,838	1,830
	<u>\$ 33,076</u>	<u>\$ 48,045</u>
FUND BALANCE:		
Balance, July 1	\$ 48,045	\$ 56,802
Less: Excess of expenditures over revenue	14,969	8,757
Balance, June 30	\$ 33,076	\$ 48,045

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
DEBT RETIREMENT FUNDS

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,	
	1977	1976
REVENUE:		
Interest	\$ 573	\$ 1,085
Property taxes	34,157	37,206
State Aid	51,772	56,921
	<u>\$ 86,502</u>	<u>\$ 95,212</u>
EXPENDITURES:		
Bond principal	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000
Interest expense	51,283	53,783
Paying agent fees	186	186
Adjust delinquent taxes	2	0
	<u>\$101,471</u>	<u>\$103,969</u>
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE	\$ 14,969	\$ 8,757

CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
HOT LUNCH FUND
BALANCE SHEET

	JUNE 30,	
	1977	1976
ASSETS:		
Cash	\$ 22,490	\$ 18,397
Accounts receivable	9,515	9,239
Inventory	3,890	3,298
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 35,895	\$ 30,934
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable	\$ 1	\$ 119
Due to General Fund	342	5,000
	<u>\$ 343</u>	<u>\$ 5,119</u>
FUND BALANCE:		
Balance, July 1	\$ 25,815	\$ 14,319
Excess of revenue over expenditures	9,737	9,581
Collection of prior year state subsidy	0	1,915
Balance, June 30	\$ 35,552	\$ 25,815
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$ 35,895	\$ 30,934

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,	
	1977	1976
REVENUE:		
Local	\$ 70,417	\$ 65,684
State	67,407	54,961
	<u>\$137,824</u>	<u>\$120,645</u>
EXPENDITURES - OPERATING EXPENSES	128,087	111,064
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES	\$ 9,737	\$ 9,581

CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BUILDING AND SITE FUND
FINANCIAL REPORT - ACCRUAL BASIS
BALANCE SHEET

	JUNE 30,	
	1977	1976
ASSETS:		
Cash in bank	\$ 55,559	\$ 52,606
FUND BALANCE:		
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 52,606	\$ 50,275
Excess of revenue over expenditures	2,953	2,331
Balance, end of year	\$ 55,559	\$ 52,606

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,	
	1977	1976
REVENUE:		
Interest earned	\$ 2,953	\$ 2,331
EXPENDITURES	0	0
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES	\$ 2,953	\$ 2,331

SUPERINTENDENT'S STATEMENT

The 1976-77 audit shows a decrease in the General Fund balance of about \$60,000 due to the replacement of the lights at the football field. However, the cash balance remains large enough so the school should be able to operate during the 1977-78 school year with only short term borrowing for operation.

The debt retirement accounts have sufficient balances and all bonds and interest have been paid on schedule.

If anyone has questions regarding the audit or operation of the school, please do not hesitate to contact the Superintendent's office.

School Information

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78 (est.)
Number of Buildings	5	5	5
Number of Classrooms	88	88	88
Value of Equipment	\$ 526,436	\$ 544,861	\$ 562,686
Value of Buildings	3,964,276	4,103,025	4,241,774
Resident Pupils	2,076	2,036	2,056
Non-Resident Pupils	92	129	79
Teachers Salary			
Schedule - Min.	8,650	8,900	To Be Negotiated
Max.	14,595	15,340	To Be Negotiated
Total Teachers Salaries	1,005,320	1,062,262	To Be Negotiated
Number of Full Time Teachers	88	89	91
Ratio of Pupils to Certificated Employees	24.6 to 1	24.3 to 1	23.5 to 1

Conference Oct. 19

As many as 150 women are expected in Cass City Wednesday, Oct. 19, for the annual fall conference of the East Central District of the Michigan Association of Hospital Auxiliaries.

Hosted by the Hills and Dales General Hospital Auxiliary, the conference will be held at the First Presbyterian church.

This will be the first time the local auxiliary has hosted the conference since October, 1963.

Chairman of the day will be Mrs. Frederick Auten, the local auxiliary president.

The conference will start at 9:15 with registration and a coffee hour.

The major feature of the morning session will be a panel discussion on "Membership, Problems and Potential."

Following the luncheon, Hills and Dales Administrator Ken E. Jensen will address the group.

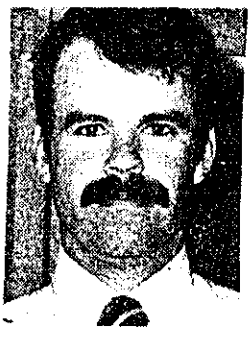
Adjournment is scheduled for 2:15 p.m.

A total of 27 hospital auxiliaries belong to the east central district.

PEDALING AROUND

Farm Expo comments

By Mike Eliasohn



Even to a non-farmer like me, the Farm Expo was quite something.

The amount of work involved in terms of organization, planning and doing the actual field work was obvious. Those involved are certainly to be congratulated. And after putting on two such shows, I don't blame them for feeling it's time for farmers in another county to take on the responsibility of putting on the next exhibition.

Michigan Farmer magazine was promoting a petition drive, seeking support for continuation of expo. The aim is to get the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service to take over sponsorship of the event.

If the extension service chooses to assume sponsorship, there's still the problem of finding a site. If the show is moved from year to year, it means having to find a farmer willing to host the show each year plus lots of volunteers willing to help.

Michigan Farmer Editor Dick Lehner in the magazine's Sept. 17 expo issue suggests another alternative, that of finding a permanent site. One possibility is the MSU crop lands at East Lansing.

Although one idea of such a show is to allow farmers to see equipment being used that they are interested in buying, I suspect a lot of them were "just looking."

It's no different at a car show. A lot of people will get behind the wheel of a Cadillac but know they will never be able to afford anything other than a Chevrolet -- and probably a used one at that.

For instance, a lot of people were looking at the huge eight-wheel Steiger tractor on display, (including me). But at \$107,000 each, I doubt if there were many, if any, buyers. The thing was so big, it probably takes an acre to turn around in.

And I talked to a farmer from Allegan, who was taking photos of the sugar beet harvesting. He wasn't interested in buying a harvester in fact, that was the first time he had ever seen sugar beets being harvested. He said he had visited other farm shows and kept a scrapbook of the photos he took.

I did talk to a farmer from Dorr (near Grand Rapids) who was there to look at a combine he was interested in buying.

In contrast to the doom and gloom from the National Farmers Organization speaker I had heard the previous Saturday, the farmer from Dorr was talking about all the advantages he and his fellow tillers of the soil have. Like being able to deduct as a business expense a trip into town for a keg of nails -- and as long as one is in town, who's to say the farmer or his wife can't stop at the supermarket for some groceries.

And if more farmers like him had sold their corn on a future contract for \$2.60 a bushel, they wouldn't be complaining about prices today. (His comment, not mine.)

The farmer, I might add, was vice-president of a construction company and started farming as a hobby before going into it full-time.

Among people I ran into whom I knew was a distant relative (my mother's brother's wife's sister's son, to be exact).

Let me explain the significance of that. I come from a long line of non-farmers. On both my mother's and father's side of the family, one would probably have to go back to Europe and a couple of hundred years to find someone who grew anything other than a few tomatoes in their back yard.

That was, until this relative came along. Not only did he start in farming from scratch, Michigan Farmer wrote a big article about him a couple of years ago in an issue it devoted to young farmers.

Shortly after that, he got out of farming. He's still in it in a way. He works for the commodity department of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Penner & Smith.

He's probably going about farming the right way. He plans to make his money in the commodity business, then some day go back to farming as a hobby. That's easier, I'm sure, than having to farm for a living.

Three cars collide Saturday in village

Continued from page one

en by Gerald J. Messing, 23, of Minden City, ran into the rear of the Darr vehicle, which was forced into the rear of the Smithers' auto, according to Wilson.

Messing said he thought the Smithers and Darr vehicles collided before he hit the rear of the latter vehicle.

Sandra Kay Osentoski, 29, of 2060 Woodside Dr., Caro, sought her own treatment Friday morning after an accident on Elizabeth Street, near Maple Street.

Cass City police said she was eastbound and was struck by a car backing out of a driveway. Driver of the other vehicle was Connie E. Bradley, 33, of 4207 Sherman Street.

Two drivers backed into each other Friday afternoon on Woodland Street. Village police said Gerald W. Bennett, 32, of 4416 Woodland, was backing out of a driveway and backed into a car driven by Randy M. Peters, 23, of Allegan, who was backing in a northbound direction on the street.

Two cars collided Wednesday, Oct. 5, on Main Street. Village police said Harriet A. Rayl, 73, of 1817 Kingston Road, Deford, was westbound in the left lane and turned into the path of Jeanne I. Anderson, 18, of Rt. 1 Ritter Road, who was westbound in the right lane.

Village police reported Sunday that Sherwood A. Robinson, 21, of 1418 S. Seeger Street, was eastbound in Walnut Trailer Park. When he pulled into a parking place, his rear bumper hit the right rear corner of a parked car, which was parked facing the opposite direction.

Owner of the parked car was Norman A. Bright, of Lot 3 in the park, 4118 S. Seeger Street.

Gerald A. Benson, 33, of 1619 Main Street, Snover, was ticketed by sheriff's deputies early Saturday on charges of failure to stop in an assured clear distance ahead and transporting open intoxicants in a motor vehicle.

Officers said Irene M. Bierlein, 50, of Vassar, was eastbound on M-46 in Denmark township and was attempting to turn right into a driveway when her car was struck in the rear by the Benson auto.

Alex J. Kovach of 4765 S. Brown Street, Owendale, was cited by sheriff's deputies Friday morning on a charge of failure to stop in an assured clear distance ahead.

Officers reported Earl McKee, 82, of 6576 Third Street, Gagetown, westbound on State Street in Gagetown, was stopped at the blinker light when his car was struck in the rear by the Kovach auto.

Robert E. Smithers, 36, of Bad Axe, told deputies early Sunday that he swerved to miss an animal while eastbound on M-25 Bay City-Forestville Road, east of Green Road.

His vehicle went off the road into a ditch, struck a tree, then turned over onto its right side.

Kenneth J. McClorey of Rt. 1 Daus Road, according to sheriff's deputies, was westbound on Milligan Road, east of Cemetery Road, Wednesday night, Oct. 5, when his car struck a deer.

Another car-deer accident,

reported by Caro state police, occurred Tuesday night, Oct. 4. James T. Gilmore, 27, of 3469 River Street, Kingston, was given a permit to keep the deer. His car struck the animal while eastbound on M-46, east of English Road.

Daniel Sattelberg, 7, of W. Darbee Road, Caro, who was struck by a car Oct. 4 was reported in serious condition Wednesday morning in St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw, but no longer in intensive care.



WATERMELON WHOPPER -- Irene Franks has planted watermelon before, but not until this year did she plant any of the late season variety. The result, picked last Thursday, was this 31-pounder. She and her husband, Louis, live north of Cass City on Cemetery Road.

The weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Wednesday	60	28	0
Thursday	61	26	.04
Friday	60	26	0
Saturday	63	42	.27
Sunday	54	32	.82
Monday	64	44	0
Tuesday	50	38	.02

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Board oks budget

Continued from page one showing general fund revenue of \$638,769 and expenditures of \$694,269. There was also a deficit in 1975-76.

ey who has represented some dissidents in legal actions against the school board.

As of Monday, the old Owendale High School was still standing. Erickson said when demolition starts is up to the contracting firm, but that it only had about 20 days remaining on its contract to complete demolition.

The board approved a new student handbook, detailing rules and regulations for students. It will be updated annually.

Student of the month was Brian A. Prich.

OTHER BUSINESS

It was revealed that the district paid H. Dale Cubitt \$21 to not referee the Sept. 23 football game at Owendale, to which he had been assigned, "to avoid embarrassment." Another referee was hired to take his place. Cubitt is a Bad Axe attorney.

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Diabetes meeting set

The Tuscola unit of the American Diabetes Association (ADA) will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, Oct. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the basement of the Vassar City Hall on E. Huron Street.

Barbara Lofquist, registered dietician from the state ADA office, will speak on "tips on setting up a diabetic smorgasbord."

The Want Ads are newsy, too.

Shirley Ross was a Sunday guest of Edith Jackson. Susan Sofka of Swartz Creek spent the week end

with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka and Steven.

Mrs. George Barber and Lloyd of Royal Oak and Mrs. O'Bert Regal and family of Plymouth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard. Other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Laming, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard and family and Evans Gibbard and sons Dan and Tom.

Mrs. Clayton Wheeler of Sandusky was a Friday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mrs. Paul Murray was a Thursday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

Mrs. Allen Depcinski was a Wednesday guest of Mrs. Curtis Schneidenbach at Minden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Michalski and family of Deford, Eleanor McNally of Ubyly, and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Michalski.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Monday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Spencer in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Spencer Sunday.

Mrs. Kirk Powers, Pam and Kent of Highland spent a few days at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. William Rees at Filion, Mrs. Frank Yietter and Frances Yietter at Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland, Mrs. Jim Doerr, and Mrs. Burton Berridge were volunteer workers Thursday at the extension booth at the Farm Expo where they analyzed "your food dollars" through a computer linked with Michigan State University. Mrs. Doerr passed out samples of new kinds of cheeses to get opinions on the cheeses.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Puszykowski of Bay City were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family.

Mrs. Manly Fay Sr. spent from Thursday till Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer. Lynwood Lapeer was a Friday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker were Thursday evening guests of Mrs. Emma Decker. Bob Cleland Jr. of Pontiac and Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Matthews Jr. and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Deachin and family of Lake Orion were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Laming, a seven-pound, 13-ounce daughter, Jennifer Lynn, Tuesday, Oct. 4, at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe. Mrs. Laming and Jennifer came home Saturday.

Julianne Kuntz of Ubyly was a Friday overnight and Saturday guest of Lori Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge were Friday guests of Sid Werner at Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples and Gene Vincent went to the Ford Funeral Home in Center Line Tuesday to pay their respects to Mr. Naples' uncle, Carmen Joseph.

Jim Hoxie of Decatur was a Tuesday evening guest of Jamie Doerr.

Steve Dybilas of Port Huron spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer visited Fritz Neitzel at Hills and Dales Hospital Sunday forenoon.

Mrs. Bob Damm of Pigeon and Mrs. Charles Bond were dinner guests of Mrs. Emma Decker.

Bob Cleland Jr. of Pontiac spent from Friday evening till Sunday evening with Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol. Dave Matthews was a Saturday overnight guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wienard and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart attended the senior citizens ball at Colony House Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Herman of Montrose were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland and Mrs. Jim Doerr were Monday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Leslie Hewitt and Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker spent four days at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Becker and family at Atlanta and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell at St. Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr were among a group of the young adults from the Shabona RLDS church who met at the church annex for a Chinese supper Sunday evening.

Jerry Peter of Clarkston spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and family and was a Sunday afternoon guest of Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campion and family of Walled Lake spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman of Cass City were Tuesday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Howey were Monday afternoon guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol.

Mrs. Cliff Robinson visited Mrs. Dave Sweeney at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McIntyre and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Symon of Port Huron were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Morrison.

Mrs. Dave Sweeney who has spent two weeks in Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe was transferred to Saginaw Monday in care of Dr.

Farley.

Mrs. Harold Richards and Mrs. Tor Neilson of Harbor Beach and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Monday lunch guests of Mrs. Jim Doerr.

Ron Berridge attended the wedding of Sheri Auil and Tom Bock at Trinity Methodist church in Cass City at 7 p.m. Saturday. A reception followed at Dom Polski hall at Caro.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland was a Thursday evening guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peter of Mt. Morris were Monday dinner guests of Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie and family of Decatur spent last week at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bacon of Fenton were Tuesday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Vargo of Norway in the Upper Peninsula were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Becky and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy.

Bill Voss of Pigeon was a Monday forenoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Steven Knowles of Union Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ross of Harrietta, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family. Other Friday evening guests were Shirley Ross and Sheila Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleland and daughters of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Sunday supper guests in honor of Eugene and Jerry Clelands' birthdays.

Amie Berridge of Romeo spent from Friday through Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. and family of Oxford were Saturday guests of Mrs. George Jackson.

Mrs. Steve Timmons, Debbie and Patti, Mrs. Manly Fay Sr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer were Thursday lunch guests of Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Brian Hoxie of Decatur was a Tuesday evening guest of Dale, Katha and Becky Cleland in honor of Brian's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were supper guests of Mrs. Emma Decker. Other evening guests were Gladys Bliss and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Glaza were Wednesday evening guests and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weinard were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart.

Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and Rita were Thursday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Pekruli in Mount Pleasant and spent Friday morning at Michigan State University at East Lansing and Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tyrrell and family at Morrice.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Babbs and Monica of Pontiac spent the week end with Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

The annual raffle and benefit was held at St. Andrew's hall at Sheridan Sunday evening. Cookies, coffee and punch were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George King and Jim were Wednesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples.

Crystal Kubiak of Cass City spent from Saturday till Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Vern Shagena of St. Clair Shores and Ken Falkner of Deckerville were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney attended the Essenmacher-Sweeney wedding at Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic church at noon Saturday. A dinner and reception followed at the Ruth Knights of Columbus Hall.

Others attending the reception were Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sweeney, David Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Michalski spent a couple days at their cabin at St. Helen.

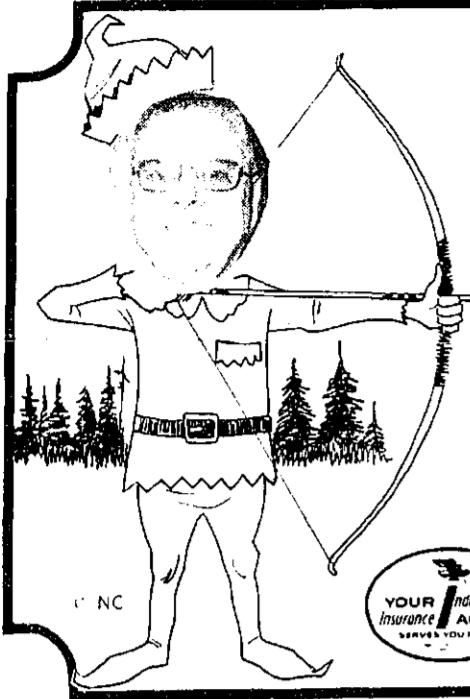
Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Howey were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howey at Saginaw.

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

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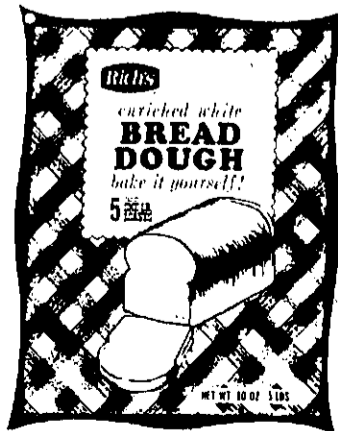
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Cass City Bowling Leagues

HOLY ROLLERS Oct. 9, 1977	
Pin Tippers	12
King Pins	9
Hardley Ables	8½
Bar-Flies	8
Gutter Aces	7½
Diamond A's	6
Alley Cats	5
Wood Choppers	4
Kardees Kutters	4
Irish Rovers	3
Rolling Pins	3
Auctioneers	2
Team High Series: Pin Tippers 1940, Gutter Aces 1892, King Pins 1856.	
Men's High Series: G. Lapp 621, T. Grassmann 570, B. Force 542.	
Women's High Series: J. Lapp 526, J. LaRoche 489, E. Force 489.	
Team High Games: Bar-	

Kingston Krome	10
Kingston State Bank	10
Cass City Crop Service	9
Thunder Road Speedway	9
Colwood No. 1	8
Cole Carbide	7
Rogers Hay	6
Ami's Texaco	6
Fagan's Carpet Clean.	6
Blount Agri.	3½

High Game: B. Patterson 198.	
High Series: B. Patterson 513.	
High Team Series: Kingston Krome 2634.	
High Game: Colwood No. 1 928.	

CHARMONT LADIES
Oct. 1, 1977

Johnson Plumberettes	20
Woods Research	14
Brinkman Bins	13
Cabelettes	12
Veronica's	12
Live Wires	12
Ber-Wa-Ga-Na	11
IGA	7
Gagetown Oil & Gas	6
Farm Bureau	5
Erla's	4
Big D	4

High Team Series: Johnson Plumberettes 2219.

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Check the color of your water before placing your clothing into it.

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VILLAGE OF CASS CITY

School Menu

OCT. 17-21	
MONDAY	
Barbecue on Bun	
Chips	
Buttered Beans	
White Milk	
Cookie	
TUESDAY	
Escalloped Potatoes & Ham	
Bread-butter	
Carrot & Celery Sticks	
Apple Sauce	
White Milk	
Cookie	
WEDNESDAY	
Hot Dog & Bun	
Chips	
Buttered Peas	
White Milk	
Cake	
THURSDAY	
Vegetable Beef Stew	
Bread-butter	
Salad	
White Milk	
Pudding	
FRIDAY	
Hamburger & Bun	
Cheese Slices	
Buttered Corn	
Chips	
White Milk	
Cookie	

Men's High Series: A. Zimmerman 487, J. Parker 488, P. Nielsen 483.

Men's High Games: J. Parker 196, A. Zimmerman 186, J. Dasho 184.

Women's High Series: M. Clara 453, D. Zimmerman 450, G. Fruchey 433.

Women's High Games: M. Clara 172, G. Fruchey 172, D. Zimmerman 166.

Team High Series: The Disciples 1766, Fearless Four 1729, Ten Pins 1722.

Team High Games: The Disciples 652, Go Getters 612, Fearless Four 596.

Splits Converted: S. McCloy 6-7, M. Particka 5-10, D. Vandemark 2-8-7.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "A"

WIDL Radio	14
Harris-Hampshire Ins.	10
Hall's Trim Shop	10
Spring Crest Drap. Clean.	9
J&C Total	9
New Greenleaf Garage	8
Hillaker's Auct. Serv.	8
Croft-Clara Lumber	7
Bartnik's Sales & Parts	7
Ouvry's Chevy-Olds	6
Sommers' Bakery	6
Pabst	2

Men's High Game: R. Geiger 225.

High Series: J. McIntosh 601.

High Team Series: Harris-Hampshire 2783.

High Team Game: New Greenleaf 969.

500 Series: L. Tomaszewski 514, B. Biebel 549, B. Wildman 522, N. Biebel 506, S. Osenotski 523, B. Warrack 500, K. Gremel 543, M. Wasserman 589, J. McIntosh 601, B. Smith 588, N. Willy 556, B. Bartle 526, J. Hacker 502, E. Helwig 537, M. Zawilinski 520, D. Wallace 537, L. Hartel 514, R. Alexander 513, M. Helwig 518, E. Stoutenburg 548, D. Miller 534, R. Geiger 575.

200 Games: B. Wildman 204, S. Osenotski 220, M. Wasserman 212, J. McIntosh 216-204, B. Smith 203-215, J. Merchant 200, R. Geiger 225.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "B"

Colwood No. 2	11
Farm Bureau	10½

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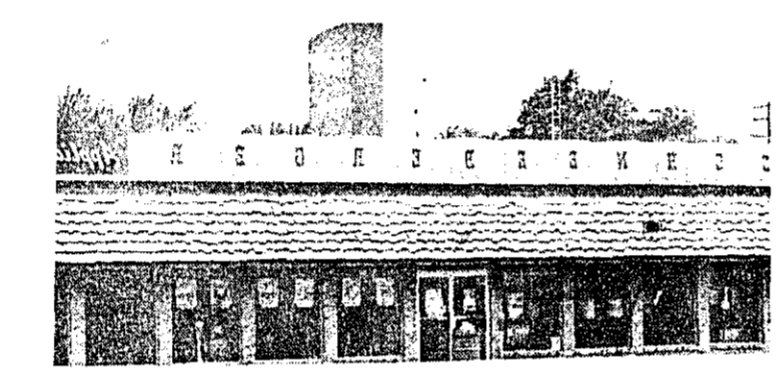
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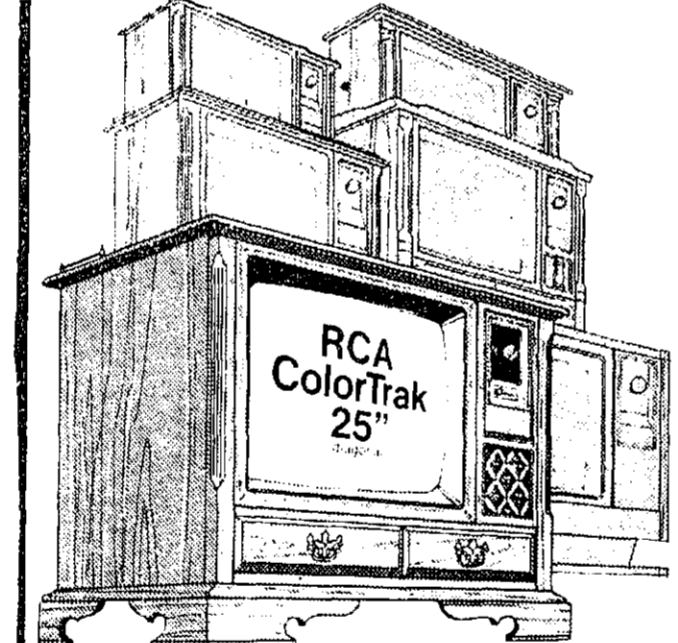
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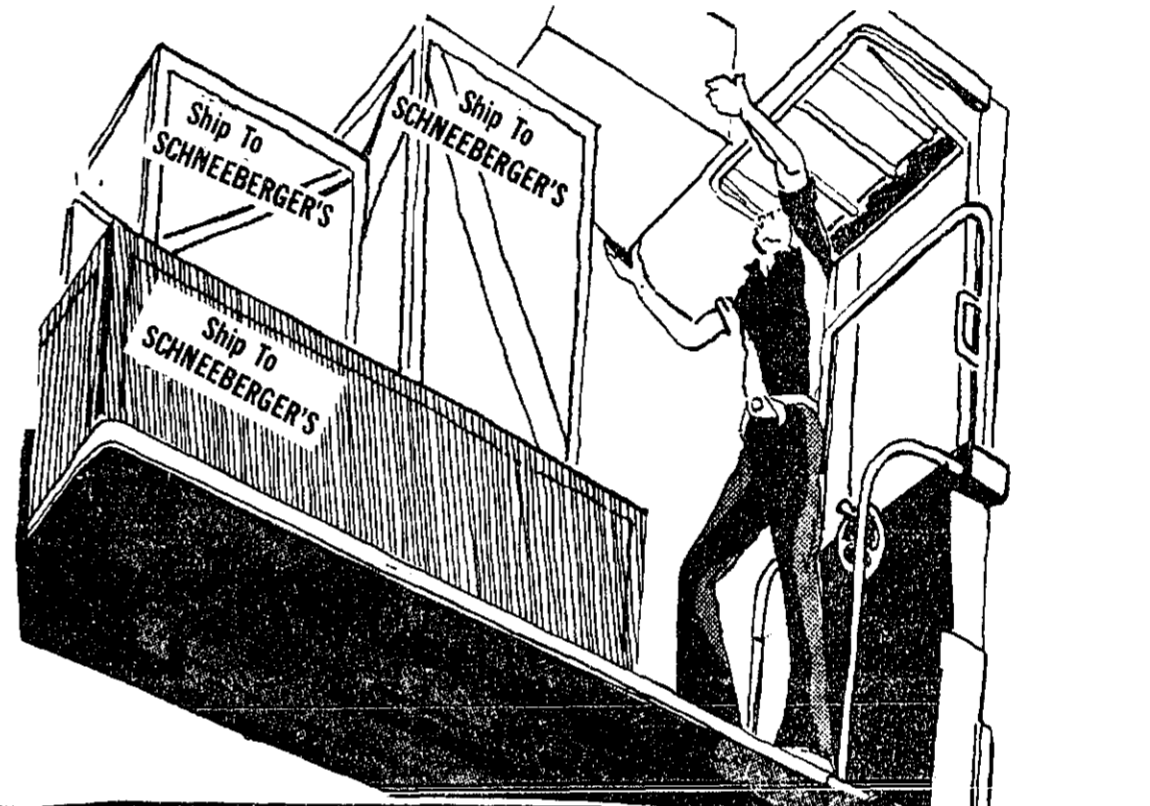


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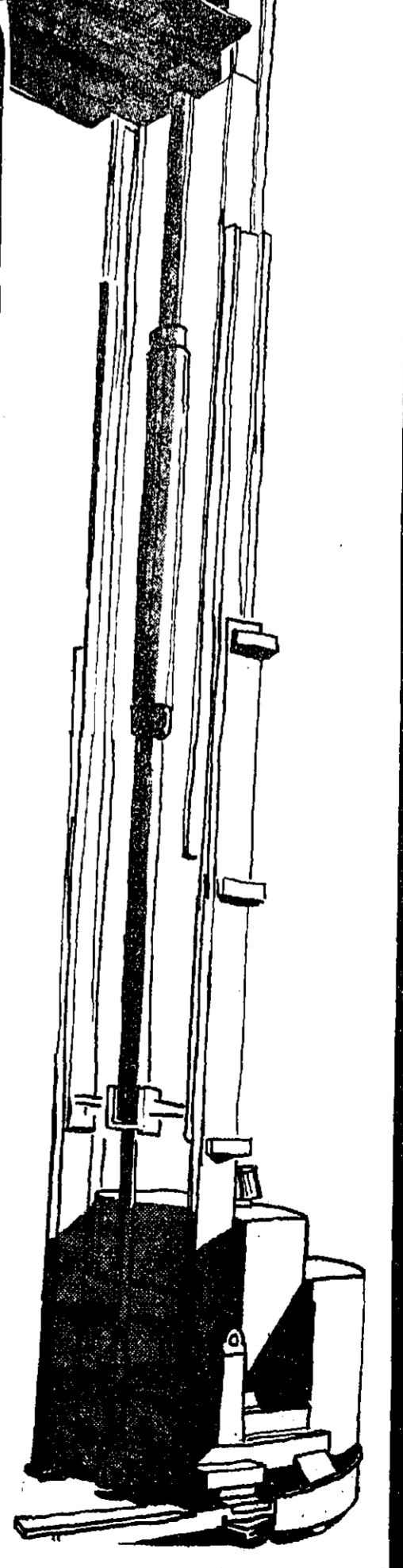
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NEWS FROM
District Court

Richard D. Smith, Caro, speeding, 70 in a 55 mph zone, in Kingston township, paid \$30 in fines and costs.
Charles G. Crittenden, Caro, illegible operator's license, in Kingston township, paid \$25 in fine and costs.
Edward D. Adams, 4491 N. Van Dyke Road, Cass City, driving while license expired, in Cass City, paid \$15 in fine and costs.
George W. Willett, Saginaw, speeding, 65 in 55 mph zone, in Elkland township,

paid \$20 in fines and costs.
Ricky G. Reinelt, Harrison Road, Kingston, speeding, 65 in 55 mph zone, in Wells township, paid \$20 in fine and costs.
Mary I. Smith, 6236 Cedar Dr., Cass City, improper right turn, in Cass City, paid \$15 in fines and costs.
Janice M. Wentworth, Decker, failed to yield at signed intersection, in Novesta township, paid \$25 in fines and costs.
Paul W. Schulze, Brown City, no registration plate - expired, in Kingston township, paid \$15 in fines and costs.

Harley L. Morell, 5721 Rossman Rd., Kingston, speeding, 65 in 55 mph zone, in Almer township, paid \$20 in fines and costs.
Mary Jane Horn, Pigeon, speeding, 52 in a 35 mph zone, in Cass City, paid \$20 in fines and costs.
Glen H. Smith, Phillips Rd., Kingston, speeding, 75 in 55 mph zone, in Kingston township, paid \$50 in fines and costs.

Nursing students to graduate

Several area residents will be among the 27 students graduating Oct. 20 from the one-year practical nursing program at the Bad Axe Center of St. Clair Community College. It will be the sixth class to graduate from the center.

Cass City graduates will be Mrs. Cynthia Bader, Diane Gingrich, Susann Guinther, Mrs. Cheryl Janssen, Carole Tuckey, and Betty Vargo.

Others from the area are Francis Nolan and Delores Peters, both of Decker; Denise Rowinski, Deford; Mrs. Diane Emmons, Gagetown; LoAnn Dadacki, Kingston; Cynthia Lorenz, Owendale, and Maria Dickinson and Debby Morden of Snover.

The commencement exercises will be in the intermediate school gymnasium, 404 N. Cemetery Road, Bad Axe, starting at 7:30 p.m.

After the students graduate, they are then eligible to take the practical nursing licensure examination.

Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

The 1972 Cass City Homecoming Queen will be chosen from one of the three senior girls elected. They are: Karen Hillaker, Patti Rabideau, and LaDonna Brown. The underclassmen chosen are: Shelia Guc, junior; Cindy Guernsey, sophomore; and Sandy Eisinger, freshman.

Donald Crouse told members of the school board, that perhaps the Cass City High School can offer a basic first year of college. He reported that students could complete initial year requirements for about \$450 in tuition and related costs for a year.

Kathy LaFave of Owendale was named Homecoming Queen of Owen-Gage High School when Owen-Gage played Carsonville and won a resounding victory of 22-0.

Eleven girls of Girl Scout Troop 170 and Mrs. Joe Schmidt, leader, rode bikes from Cass City to the Walter Goodall farm on Reed Road, where they enjoyed looking at his deer.
Six boys from Cass City were winners in the Punt-Pass-and-Kick competition held in Cass City. They are: Bob Pena, Dean Alexander, Tony Doerr, Randy Stone, Paul Brown and Tim Fahrner.

TEN YEARS AGO

Five area students were among 140 freshmen to enroll at Bethel College in Indiana. They are: Kaye D'Arcy, Marlette; Ruth Ann Johnson, Jim Tuckey, Cheryl Whittaker and Diane Whittaker, all of Cass City.

Sonar Technician Seaman Apprentice Stephen D. Moyer, USN, Kingston, returned to Newport, R.I., aboard the destroyer USS Massey after a

four-month tour of duty in the Mediterranean.

Mrs. William Miller (Arlene O'Dell), graduate of the Bay City Nursing School, will leave to join her husband, who is stationed at the Naval Hospital at Keflavik, Iceland, as a surgical technician. She expects to return in two months to write her State Board exam.

Anne Lorentzen of Cass City visited the 21st International Festival as part of a 21-day tour of Europe early in September. She visited Balmaha, a lakeside village on Loch Lomond, the most famous of Scotland's hills and lochs... just 40 miles from Edinburgh.

Farmers are reminded to be careful during the corn silage and corn grain harvesting time. In the past, farm hazards at this time have been numerous.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Three boys from the Cass City Chapter of FFA will leave early in the morning for Kansas City, where they will attend the annual national convention of the FFA. The three boys are: Dean Krizman, Carter Schad and Mason Cook.

Superintendent Willis Campbell of the Cass City

M. Caister dies Sept. 26

Myrtle May Caister of 504 Caro Senior Commons, Caro, died Sept. 26 at Hills and Dales General Hospital.
She was born Dec. 31, 1910, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alfey Therrin.
She is survived by her husband, Wilford Caister; sons Harvey Seifferlein and Ernest Seifferlein, both of Sandusky; Ronald Seifferlein of Kentucky; daughters Mrs. Edward (Eileen) Babcock and Mrs. Kenneth (Lois) Springborn, both of Sandusky; two stepsons, three stepdaughters; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren; her brother Chester Therrin of Goodells, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Sept. 29 at the Countryside Free Methodist church near Sandusky, the Rev. Red N. Singer, officiating. Burial followed in Greenwood cemetery, Sandusky.
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Improvement funds available for woodlands

Some privately-owned woodlands in Michigan are in need of improvement measures, according to Vernon L. Kretschmer, chairman of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

There are about 18.9 million acres of commercial forest land in the State, according to the U.S. Forest Survey, of which more than 10 million acres are on farms and other private ownership.

Federal cost-share assistance is available for forestry practices through the Forestry Incentives Program. This program is available to landowners having 500 or fewer acres of timber. The objectives of FIP are to increase the potential for future timber production. Included are practices for tree planting and timberstand improvement measures.

The FIP is administered by county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices.

About 2.5 million acres of privately-owned forest land in Michigan need stand establishment and reinforcement, and 4.5 million acres need timberstand improvement. Kretschmer said.

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Beaches host OES group

Eleven past worthy matrons of Gifford Chapter OES and seven husbands attended the Oct. 4 meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Beach. The meeting started with a ham potluck dinner.

Members signed a get-well card to send to Irma Chisholm.

Euchre was played. Linda Ashmore and Edmund Good won top prizes. Consolation prizes went to Cecil Loomis and Edward Mellendorf and the door prize to Grace Clara. Mrs. Linda Ashmore and Miss Fronda Mellendorf will host the next meeting, to be held Nov. 1 at the Mellendorf home.

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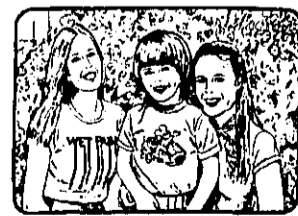
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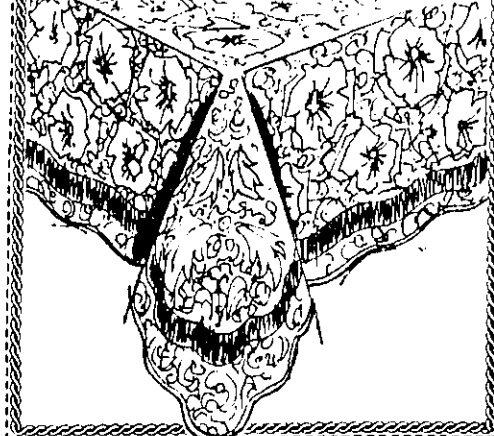
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Gagetown Area News

Mrs. Harold Koch
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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch, Ray and Janet attended the wedding of her sister Anita Sheppard of Birch Run and Robert Bukley of Reese, at St. Lorenzo Lutheran church in Frankenmuth, Saturday afternoon. The reception followed in the bride's home.

Mrs. Elaine Hendrick and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead called on friends in Bay City Wednesday afternoon.

Bill and Barb Weatherhead of Flint called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead

Sunday afternoon. A number of Senior Citizens of Owendale and Gagetown attended the first annual Senior Citizen's Ball at Colony House in Cass City Friday evening. Over 1,000 persons attended.

Mrs. Mabel Ondrajka attended a pancake breakfast Sunday morning at Gagetown School sponsored by the youth of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Harry Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Elger Generous and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll

took a color tour to northern Michigan Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Olhoff of Merrill, Wis., were dinner guests of the Harold Kochs Friday.

OWEN-GAGE SENIOR CITIZENS

The Owen-Gage Senior Citizens met Thursday, Oct. 6, for their regular meeting at 1:00 p.m. at the Owendale Center. Wilfred Coulston spoke on

"Adult Social Services of Huron County." Leslie Munro presided over a brief meeting and led the group with the pledge to our flag.

Mr. Munro read a letter from Ron Cassidy telling of the Huron County Commission on Aging meeting to be held Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 1:15 p.m. in Bad Axe.

The nominating committee was selected and they are Ada Salgat, Martha Durham and Mabel Ondrajka.

The Owen-Gage High School band played several selections.

Door prizes went to John Kellogg and Lenore Schantz. The next meeting will be potluck dinner at 12:00 noon Thursday, Oct. 20.

GAGETOWN STUDY CLUB

The Gagetown Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Inez Beach Monday, Oct. 3, with 15 members present. Mrs. Millie Wilson was a guest.

The club received special recognition on their 50th year as a member of the Federation.

Program topic was "African Culture", presented by Ross Beach, who is home on leave as a TEAM member from his mission work with Evangelical Alliance Mission from his station in Chad, Africa. TEAM headquarters are in Wheaton, Ill., and is an interdenominational mission outreach.

Next meeting will be Nov. 1 at the home of Mrs. Jackie Goodell and the program will be on health.

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St. Peter's Lutheran church of Bach celebrated the installation of their new pastor, Rev. John Risky, formerly of Hale and Glennie Sunday afternoon at 5 p.m.

The installation service was followed by a potluck banquet in the church parlors where Rev. and Mrs. Risky and family were introduced and presented with a grocery shower.



IT'S TIME FOR another Oldsmobile for Mr. and Mrs. Simon G. Pollum of Wilmet. When the couple drove out the door of Ouvry Chevrolet-Olds last week it marked the 21st time that they have purchased new Oldsmobiles. The couple started buying Olds in Hamtramck and when they moved here continued to buy them. Nothing but Oldsmobiles for us, said Pollum, as he traded in his 1977 after driving it 9,000 miles. The Pollums accept the keys from Sales Manager Ken Copeland as Aime Ouvry, owner, watches.

Psychiatric Board of Commissioners

exam set for suspect

Donald S. Dinsmore, charged with two counts of murder in the shooting deaths of his former in-laws, will be sent to the Center for Forensic Psychiatry at Ypsilanti State Hospital for a forensic examination.

District Judge Richard F. Kern granted the motion Friday of Dinsmore's attorney, C. Michael Gorte of Bay City, for the psychiatric examination. Prosecutor Patrick Joslyn did not contest the motion.

Purpose of the examination, according to the prosecutor, is to determine if Dinsmore is competent to stand trial and whether he can be found criminally capable for his actions.

Dinsmore, 41, is charged in connection with the shotgun slayings of Henry N. Beamish, 64, and his wife, Marie, in their Waterman Road home near Vassar Sept. 23. Their bodies were found the next day by a neighbor.

Dinsmore was arrested the day after that at his sister's home on M-25. An employee of a Bay City lumber company, he lived on W. Cass City Road near Akron.

Dinsmore and the Beamishes' daughter were married in 1967. She was granted a divorce from him in July and now lives in Florida with their two children.

However, he was contesting the divorce. A motion to have the divorce set aside was scheduled Sept. 19 but then postponed because Mrs. Dinsmore wasn't notified.

Dinsmore is confined to the county jail, pending a vacancy at the Forensic Center so he can be taken there for the psychiatric examination. The preliminary examination, originally scheduled Friday before Judge Kern, was continued until after the examination results are received.

Mull request for \$460,000

Tuscola county soil map

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners has been asked to finance a complete soil mapping of the county.

Over a six-year period, total cost to the county will be about \$200,000, with the U.S. Soil Conservation Service paying an additional \$260,000. Two soil scientists will have to be hired to do the soil mapping.

The board Tuesday received a report on the proposal but took no action, according to board Chairman Maynard McConkey of Cass City.

McConkey said soils in the county were mapped in 1926. Michigan State University four years ago updated the report in terms of nomenclature of soil types, some of which has been changed since 1926.

The mapping then was apparently based on one soil sample taken per section. If done again, one sample will be taken every 10 acres, thus making a more usable survey.

The board scheduled a special meeting Tuesday, Oct. 18, for review of the proposed 1978 county budget, prepared by its budget committee. The meeting will start at 10 a.m. and probably end by noon, McConkey said.

Tuesday, Oct. 25, at 2 p.m. will be the public hearing on the budget, after which the board will probably approve it.

The board met with District Judge Richard F. Kern, Probate Judge W. Wallace Kent Jr., and Arthur Chettel, state regional court administrator, to discuss the proposed additional circuit judge for Tuscola and Lapeer counties.

Commissioners have endorsed the proposal. They were told the only way they can be sure of getting a judge

who lives in Tuscola county, which they want, will be to make Tuscola into a separate judicial circuit. The two present circuit judges both live in Lapeer county.

The commissioners were advised to make their wants known to the state legislature. Judge Kern reported that the new citizen probation program will start as soon as possible.

The board recently approved hiring of three matron-dispatchers for the sheriff's department, feeling that as dispatchers, they could free more deputies to go on road patrol.

Tuesday, they met with Undersheriff Bruce Tait and two other representatives of the department. Commissioners were advised and their personnel committee has recommended that more time would be freed for deputies to go on road patrol if they hired matron-clerks instead.

Officers could then dictate their reports to the clerks, instead of having to spend additional time themselves typing up the reports.

No action was taken concerning the matter. Whoever is hired, be they matron-dispatchers or matron-clerks, will be paid with federal Comprehensive Employment and Training Act funds.

At 1:30 p.m., the board met on the courthouse lawn for the dedication of an ornamental cherry tree, paid for by courthouse employees, in memory of Arthur Willits, county treasurer from 1939-76, who died Sept. 20. The tree can be seen from the treasurer's office window.

Willits' widow, son, and daughter-in-law were present for the planting ceremony.

The present treasurer, Eugene Keller, met with the board in the afternoon. After

discussing the issue, the board authorized advertising for bids for bonds for township treasurers.

The practice, at least for the last several years, was to award the bond business to the same firm.

The board designated Oct. 22 as Big Brother-Big Sister Day in the county, in honor of the fund-raising walk-a-thons being held in Cass City, Caro, and Vassar that day to raise money for the organization.

Payment of \$600 in annual dues for county membership in the East Michigan Tourist Association was approved.

Coming Auctions

Saturday, Oct. 15 - Yvonne Murphy Schultz will sell personal property of the late Winnifred Murphy at the residence at 4741 N. Seeger St., Cass City. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Sunday, Oct. 16 - Bernard and Sue Shagena will hold a household auction at the place four miles east, four miles north, four miles east and 3/4 of a mile south of Cass City on Germania Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, Oct. 22 - Charles and Bertha McLean will sell household goods at 2111 Union St., Uby. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Sunday, Oct. 23 - Alger and Carole Osentoski will hold a sale of antique household goods at the place four miles east, three miles north and a half of a mile west on Ritter Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

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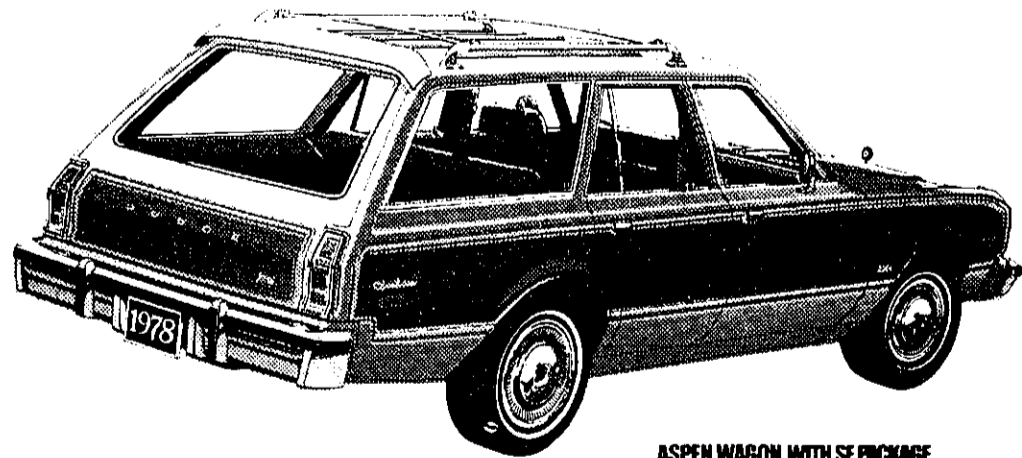
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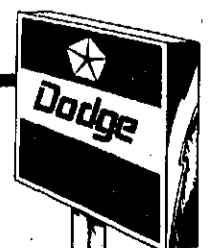
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posed raising or eliminating the retirement age of 65. People working longer would mean less money being drawn out of the Social Security fund.



Gordon Okerstrom feels that whatever decision is reached by the President and Congress regarding Social Security taxes is okay with him.

"I believe our government is in capable hands," he said. "Who is to say anyone else could do a better job."

"We should abide by the decisions of the people set over us."

As for the possibility of the Social Security tax being raised, he commented, "I know people are tired of being taxed, but I feel that's the privilege of living in a free country."

Extension group meets

The Cass City Extension Group met last Thursday evening at the home of Leila Battel, 6045 E. Cass City Road.

Miss Battel gave the lesson of "Violence on television." The program for the year was planned and refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be at 7 p.m., Nov. 3, in the home of Irvy Simcox on Lamton Road.

Dairy class for women scheduled

The Huron and Sanilac county Cooperative Extension Service offices and the Michigan DHIA, Inc. are sponsoring a dairy management school for farm women Nov. 9 at the new Uby Heights Country Club at Uby.

Theme of the one-day school is "Improving Farm Income By Improving Herd Management."

Instruction will be offered in organizing farm resources, what needs to be known about dairy cows and a close look at the various Dairy Herd Improvement Association management programs.

One of the speakers will be Dr. Clinton Meadows, dairy department, Michigan State University, who will discuss "Management Factors Affecting Production In Increasing Your Returns."

The conference will run from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. It is for "women only" from Huron and Sanilac counties and attendance will be limited to 50 persons.

Contact the Huron County Extension Office, (517) 269-9949, 104 County Building, Bad Axe 48413 for further details before Nov. 4.

Wheelathon rescheduled

Postponed from the previous two Saturdays because of rain, the Deford Community church wheelathon conducted by church youth will start at 10 a.m. in the church parking lot - weather permitting, Saturday.

Proceeds from the 24-hour event will be used to aid Missionary church programs in Africa.

The Deford church's missionary convention will be conducted Friday through Sunday.

Looking for a soft job is just another way of wasting time.

HEALTH TIPS Poor health can cause poor grades

By Frank Chappell, American Medical Association

Is your child having trouble keeping up his or her grades in school?

The American Medical Association points out that there may be a physical reason for the poor record.

Does the child squint, strain, rub his eyes or complain that he hurt, water or itch? Does he hold his book very close to his face when he reads? Has it been some time since his last eye examination? He may have defective vision. He may not be able to read the teacher's notes on the blackboard.

Does he often ask you to repeat a question or statement? Does he sometimes miss, or seem to miss, a point made in a movie or on television by the spoken word? Does he turn his head to one side as he listens? He may have defective hearing. It might be as simple

as impacted wax in the ears, which can be removed by your physician in a simple office procedure.

Of course, the inattentive child may have no hearing problem at all. Children know we will repeat the question or instruction, thus encouraging a habit of not listening.

Has he had an infection, disease or accident whose effects may be lingering on? Is there a possibility that poor nutrition may be holding him back? He may be eating considerable quantities of food and still be undernourished, if he eats improperly, or if his tastes in food are too limited.

If your child isn't performing properly in his school work, ask yourself whether it is time for an examination to determine whether his problems are caused by a physical problem that might be corrected.

Local ladies participate in retreat

Nine ladies from the Cass City Baptist church attended the 10th annual ladies' retreat of the Eastern Michigan Regular Baptist churches Oct. 7-8. It was held at the Ramada Inn in Southfield, with a total attendance of 130.

Mrs. Ruth Troit of Clarks Summit, PA, was the featured speaker. Theme for the week end was "God's Power in Earthen Vessels." Workshops included choir, arts and crafts and Christian living. Special music and object lessons were presented in addition to the banquet and program Friday evening.

Mrs. Jim Perry of Cass City retired after four years as treasurer of the group. Mrs. Dick Shaw has been named second vice-president.

Those attending from Cass City were: Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Tim Teall, Mrs. Harold Rayl, Mrs. William Kretzschmer, Mrs. Stan Guinther, Mrs. Duane Warner, Mrs. Clyde Wells and Mrs. Elwyn Helwig.

OES chapter elects officers

Thirty-five attended the Oct. 5 meeting of Echo Chapter OES when 17 officers answered roll call.

During the business meeting, an invitation was read to attend Elkton chapter OES installation of officers Oct. 22. Demits were granted to two members.

Election of officers for the coming year was held. Elected were worthy matron, Lena Teller; worthy patron, Edward Golding Sr.; associate matron, Mrs. Virginia Hartwick, and associate patron, Herman Umpfenbach. Others are secretary, Ruth Ann Whittaker; treasurer, Thelma Graham; conductress, Shirley Karr, and associate conductress, Marian Umpfenbach.

These officers and appointive officers will be installed in an open installation, Saturday evening, Oct. 15.

Regular Meeting of Village Council

The regular meeting of the Cass City Village Council was held September 27, 1977 at 7:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building. All Trustees were present.

The minutes of the regular August meeting and the special meeting of September 13, 1977 were read and approved. The financial report for August was reviewed.

The Proposed budget adjustments for 1977 were reviewed.

Discussion was held on the Cultural Center transfer. Reviewed was a report from the Superintendent of the revenues and expenditures. A motion was made by Trustee Tuttle and supported by Trustee Ware that the Village of Cass City accept title to the Elkland Township Cultural Center and take full responsibility for the operation. Motion defeated, 2 yeas, 4 nays. After discussion it was decided to investigate the legal agreement between the Elkland Township and the Village of Cass City and to take action on it at a later date.

It was reported that the advertising for bids on the E.D.A. Street Project is in the Michigan Contractor and Builder, Michigan Roads and Construction, and the Cass City Chronicle.

The Treasurer's report was reviewed. Ninety-six per cent of the taxes have been received. A motion was made by Trustee Ware and supported by Trustee Hampshire to extend the collection date to October 12, 1977. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Trustee Rawson and supported by Trustee Bliss to approve replacement of 300 feet of 15" storm sewer on the corner of Pine and Houghton at once. Motion carried 6 yeas, 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Rawson and supported by Trustee Tuttle to authorize the Superintendent to place order for material for repairing valve and water softeners not to exceed \$25,000.00. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Trustee Bliss and supported by Trustee Rawson that the bills as examined be approved for payment. Motion carried 6 yeas, 0 nays.

There being no further business a motion was made by Trustee Jones and supported by Trustee Bliss that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

Lynda McIntosh Village Clerk

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION of The Cass City State Bank

of Cass City, Tuscola, Michigan 48726 at the close of business September 30, 1977

Table with columns: ASSETS, Dollar Amounts in Thousands, Mil, Thou. Rows include Cash and due from banks, U.S. Treasury securities, Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations, etc.

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A. R. Randall, Vice President of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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of Cass City, Michigan at the close of business September 30, 1977

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William S. Ruhl, Vice President of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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The Want Ads Are Newsy Too!

Egg throwers splatter cars

Two cars in Cass City had paint damage late Sunday or early Monday by someone throwing eggs.

The first to report damage was Elwyn Helwig of 6765 Pine Street, who said his car was parked in front of 6632 M Street from 8:30-10:05 p.m. Sunday night.

He later reported to police

**LETTER
TO
EDITOR**

Neighbor plagued on Halloween

To the Editor:

I haven't lived in Cass City long but Halloween is coming again, soon.

Last year they were at the door before 6 and some at 10 at night.

I have lived in a lot of places and it always has been one hour from 6 to 7. Or, if they wanted, 6 till 7:30, but kids in the street that long?

Candy isn't cheap. I have all the kids in our neighborhood, but they come in cars 10 to 12 in a car. It was terrible from everywhere.

6 to 7 gives you time to dress and go to your party and one hour or 1½ is enough for little ones.

Signed:

What your neighbor thinks.

Editor's note: Halloween trick-or-treat hours in Cass City last year as set by the village council were from 6-9 p.m. Hours this year will be set by the council at its Oct. 25 meeting.

that eggs were thrown on his car while parked at the M Street address, damaging the paint in four spots.

Thomas E. Marker of Unionville reported to police at 2:35 a.m. Monday that damage was done to the finish while his car was parked in front of Auten Motor Sales on Main Street. Damage was reported to the left rear quarter of the car, the left door, and the hood.

Earlier, village police received a report from another motorist of someone throwing eggs.

Almost \$2,000 in merchandise was stolen from a Shay Lake home last week.

Acton C. Anderson of 73 Helen Dr., Silverwood, told sheriff's deputies Saturday afternoon that he returned home after being in Detroit for two days to find his house had been entered.

Missing were a color television set, \$500; stereo set, \$400; Polaroid camera, \$82; two rifles, total of \$140; shotgun, \$265; 35mm camera, \$192; two watches, total of \$154; a three-quarter inch electric drill, \$114, and \$60-70 in cash.

Raymond J. Clements of McHenry, Ill., told deputies a walkie talkie radio valued at \$126 was stolen from his radio company display booth during Michigan Farm Expo in Columbia township.

Clements told deputies Wednesday, Oct. 5, that there were several youths standing in front of his booth. When he turned to talk to someone, the radio was taken.

Don Inglehart of Warren told sheriff's deputies Oct. 5 that someone broke into his house trailer on Shabbona Road, Deford.

Taken were a black and white television, radio, toaster, electric heater, lamp, hand tools, electric blanket, plates, mugs, and coffee pot, electric clock, silverware, paint brushes, a roll of tape, two large rugs, and three stack tables. Total value of the missing items was about \$210.

Aim for \$18,000 in fund walk

Tuscola County Big Brothers-Big Sisters is aiming to raise \$18,000 from pledges at its walk-a-thons Saturday, Oct. 22, in Cass City, Caro, and Vassar.

The amount to be raised is more than half of the total BB-BS budget. The annual budget totals about \$35,000, with the rest coming from federal funds.

The three walk-a-thons will start at 10 a.m., with the local one beginning at the Cass City Recreational Park. Registration will start at 9 a.m.

Walkers will walk a designated 10 mile course and receive pledges for each mile walked. They will collect the pledges later.

Each person who starts with more than \$25 in pledges will receive a BB-BS T-shirt.

Pledge sheets to sign up sponsors are available from various businesses and at schools.

Everyone under age 18 must have their parents' signatures in order to participate. Walkers under age 12 will be assigned to a supervised group, with the groups being formed at the starting line.

In addition to walkers, volunteers are needed to serve as supervisors on the walk and to man the start and finish points.

Persons wanting to volunteer or wanting more information can call Cass City chairman Alan Klcio at 872-3860 or the BB-BS office in Caro at 673-6996.

PAY-OFF

Those who are enthusiastic about the success of others are usually successful themselves.

Handy hints for fire prevention

A pan of cooking grease left unattended on a stove. Fire loss an estimated \$13,000.

Faulty wiring in a home. Estimated loss \$50,000.

A short or overloaded wiring. Loss estimated at \$20,000.

A faulty gas water heater. Fire loss estimated at \$5,000.

A homeowner thawing frozen water pipes sets basement wall on fire. Loss about \$500.

All were fires in the Cass City area within the past year.

Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 9-15, is set aside as a time to remind people that simple precautions can prevent some fires from starting.

Some suggested fire prevention measures from Elkland Township Fire Chief Jim Jezewski are as follows:

1) Check wiring. Make sure circuits and electrical outlets are not overloaded.

2) Replace extension cords and cords for appliances, lamps, etc., if they are frayed or worn. Don't run extension cords under carpets, as friction from people walking on the carpet can wear out the cords.

3) Make sure furnaces are in proper working order. Have them checked by a furnace repairman if necessary.

4) Thanks to the energy crisis, many concerned homeowners are installing wood burning stoves or heaters to supplement their furnaces. Follow installation instructions carefully. Keep them the proper distance from walls.

Walls close (but not too close) to the stove should be lined with brick or asbestos. The stove should sit on a brick platform or box of crushed stone.

5) Another energy saver is insulation. Some cellulose insulation, made from newspaper and improperly fireproofed, has caught fire when installed in ceilings too close

to light fixtures and other sources of heat.

6) Don't let rags, trash, and other debris pile up in the house, especially close to furnaces and water heaters. Don't store flammable liquids indoors.

7) Don't leave food cooking on a stove burner unattended. Remember to turn burners and ovens off when done.

8) Be careful when smoking. When emptying ashtrays into wastepaper baskets,

make sure no ashes are still burning.

9) Use a proper container when burning trash outdoors. The containers should have a lid.

10) At Christmas time, keep trees watered so they don't dry out. Don't put candles on or near the tree.

11) Buy a fire extinguisher. It won't keep a fire from happening but it may keep a small fire from becoming a big one.

What to do if fire breaks out

What should people do if a fire breaks out in their home?

The most obvious is call the fire department. The number should be permanently posted by the telephone.

In addition, there are several measures people should do or not do if fire breaks out, according to the Michigan

Association of Insurance Companies:

1) Avoid smoke asphyxiation by crawling or crouching below the smoke.

2) Check all doors before you open them. If it is hot, don't open it. Intense heat or poisonous fumes could kill you instantly.

3) In a frying pan fire, smother the flames with the lid or baking soda. Don't use water or flour, which may cause the fire to explode.

4) Never try to put out an electrical fire with water.

5) If your clothes catch fire, don't run for help. Drop to the ground and roll around or wrap yourself in a blanket or rug to smother the flames.

6) Make sure everyone else in the building is aware that there is a fire. Scream, holler, bang on walls, etc.

7) Never re-enter a burning building.

8) Don't jump from a window unless absolutely necessary. Help is usually on the way.

9) Don't panic, remain calm. Go to the pre-arranged meeting place outside and wait. That way you can tell the firemen if anybody is still trapped inside.

Committee nominations needed

Farmers are being asked to nominate candidates of their choice to be on the ASC community committee ballot, according to Vernon L. Kretzschmer, chairman of the Michigan Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

The ASC community committee election will be conducted from Nov. 25 to Dec. 5 by mail ballot.

ASC committees are responsible for managing government farm programs on the local level.

All farmers have the opportunity to nominate persons they feel would best serve the farm community. Farmers will soon receive petition forms by mail and may begin submitting them to their county ASCS office.

In order to be valid, petitions must be limited to one nominee each, must include written certification that the nominee is willing to serve if elected, must be signed by at least three eligible farm voters in the ASC community, and must be received in the county ASCS office no later than Oct. 31.

A farmer may circulate or sign nominating petitions for as many candidates as he chooses. Anyone wishing to nominate a farmer for the ASC committee election may contact their local county ASCS office for full details, including eligibility requirements for officeholders.

"Farmers should petition for and elect those individuals they feel would do a good job as ASC committee members," Kretzschmer said. "The election of concerned farmers to positions on ASC committees is necessary for good administration of farm programs."

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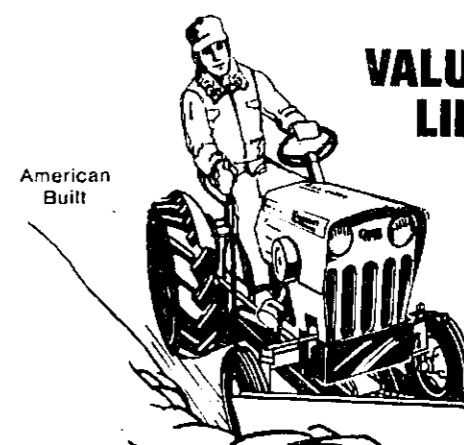
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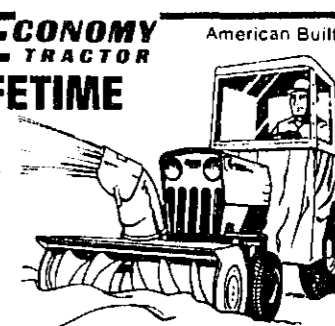


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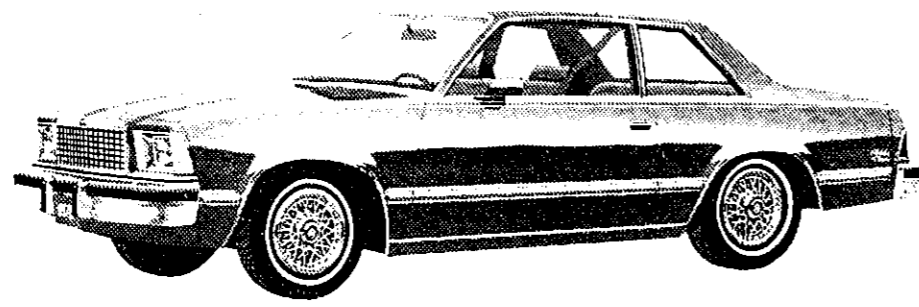
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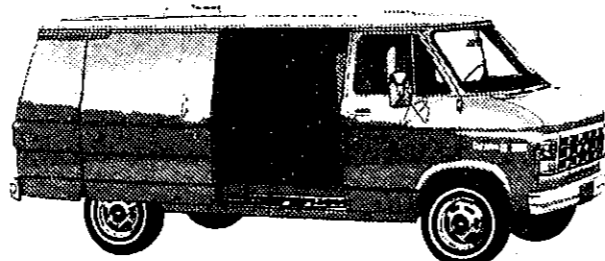
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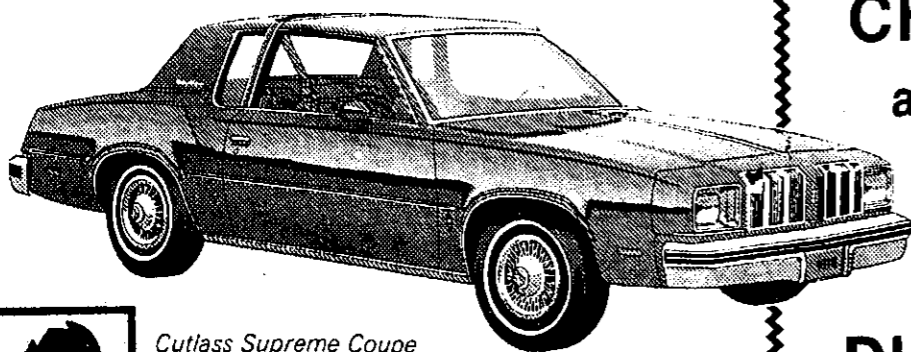


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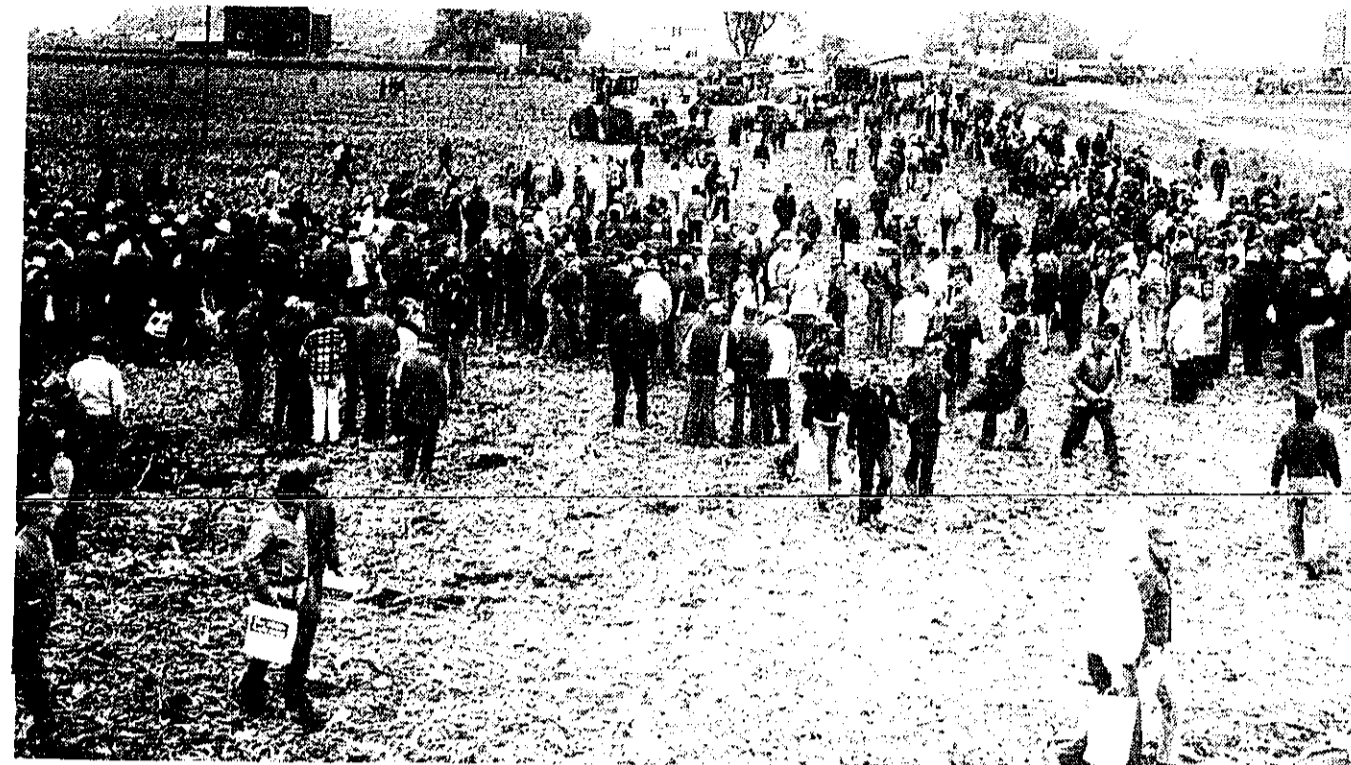
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35,000 crowd in for Expo '77 farm show



It was quite a shindig over at the John Homakie farm last week. County Extension Director Bill Bortel was predicting 30,000 for the event. The final count, based on 2.4 people per car and 40 per bus, was 35,000. That included people who showed up Tuesday, not knowing the two-day event had been postponed a day to give fields an additional day to dry out. Other than some corn harvesting where fields were too wet, all other field demonstrations went off as scheduled. Bean harvesting was only done Thursday, to give those fields an extra day to dry. The event drew visitors and more than 200 exhibitors from several states. Coming the farthest was a buyer from Japan interested in purchasing equipment to export to his country. He also visited farm shows in Ohio and Iowa.



COUNT 'EM -- By the time it was over, Expo drew an estimated 35,000 people. The crowd seen here was watching the plowing and corn harvesting demonstrations.

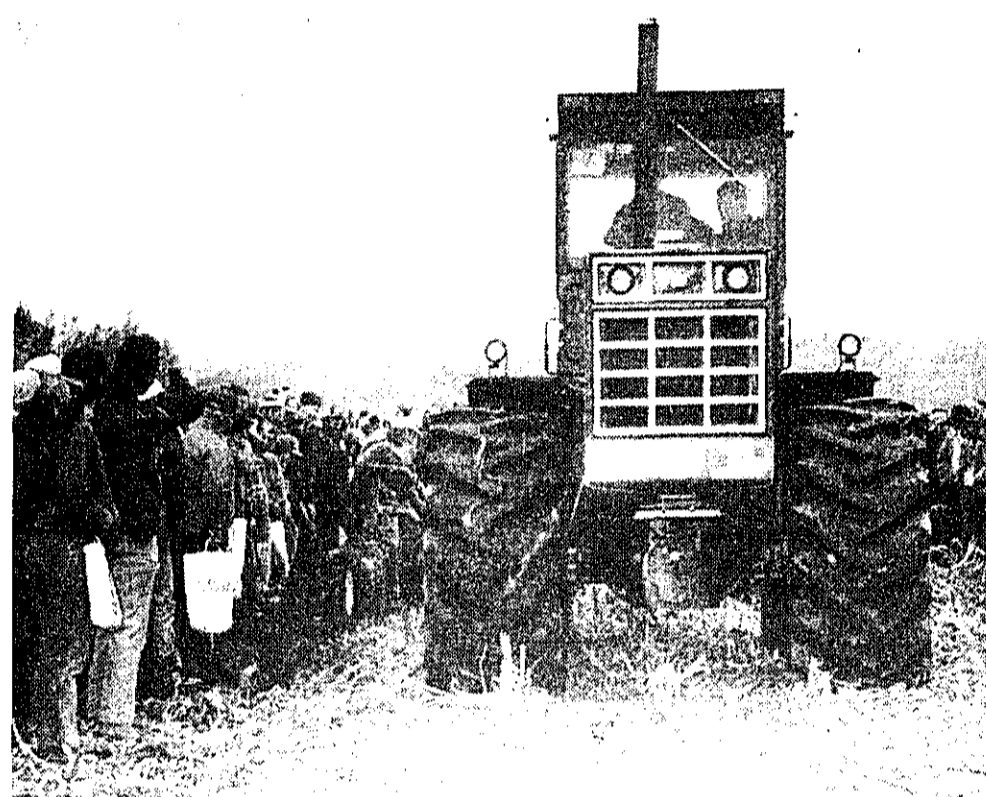
JUST LOOKING -- When a tractor costs \$107,000, most persons could only do what this person did -- look. This mammoth 4-wheel drive machine had a 450 horsepower engine and eight wheels.

Technical unit

Okay \$40,000 grant for sheriff

A \$40,000, second year grant for the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department technical investigation unit has been recommended for funding. The recommendation to the Michigan Office of Criminal Justice Programs came Oct. 4 from the East Central Michigan Planning and Development Region's Law Enforcement executive committee. Questions raised earlier by the committee concerning the first-year use of the funds for the two-man investigative unit had raised fears funding to continue the program would not be approved. The approval recommendation last week came after two errors in the second year grant application were uncovered as to how funds from the unit's first year grant had been spent. The first error involved the number of hours spent by the unit's investigators on crime scene investigations. Questions from executive committee members uncovered the fact that the majority of hours reported in the second year grant application as follow-up investigation should have been reported as crime scene investigation. According to ECPMDR Law Enforcement Director Robert W. Thorne, the error in the report led executive committee members to question whether first-year grant funds had been used to fund two additional investigators almost exclusively for the Sheriff's Department, rather than a technical investigation

unit for Tuscola county as stipulated in the first-year grant contract. The second error involved the number of hours the two investigators worked as members of the unit. With the correction of the two errors in the second-year grant application, Thorne said the report then showed that the unit and its investigators spent the majority of their time doing crime scene investigations in full accordance with all the stipulations of the unit's first year grant. Second year grant funding for the unit is expected Jan. 1. According to the grant application, the project provides two fully equipped and trained crime scene investigators to aid all police agencies in Tuscola county, in order to upgrade their investigative capability. The objective is to provide trained evidence technicians in the county, free police patrols from crime scene investigations and thus make patrol units more effective, and to increase arrest rates by five per cent in crimes serviced by the unit. In its first six months of operation, the second-year grant application states, the unit has processed evidence in homicide, rape, robbery, arson, burglary, larceny, stolen auto, drug violations, and personal injury accident cases.



Spectator Sport?

The plowing demonstrations drew the most interest at Expo. Plowing through the sea of spectators, as well as through the soil, had to be a new experience for the tractor drivers.

Weather delays beet harvest

Sugar beet harvesting is finally underway, having been delayed both directly and indirectly because of wet weather. The direct result of the delay has been wet fields; the indirect reason because of farmers trying to get their beans harvested first. "They're not coming in as fast as we would like," Michigan Sugar Co. agronomist Phil B. Brimhall said Monday. Because of the slow start,

the firm's Sebewaing plant still wasn't open as of Monday. Brimhall expected it to be open by mid-week. The Caro plant opened Friday. Also in operation were the Michigan Sugar plants in Crosswell and Carrollton. Harvesting usually starts about Oct. 1. The agronomist was hopeful -- barring further rain -- that harvesting will soon be on a more normal schedule. With good weather, most of the beets could be harvested

in about two weeks, he said. As of Monday, the firm was taking in all the beets it could get. Once harvesting is in full operation, the mills will have to schedule when farmers can bring in their beets until the weather gets colder so that the crop can be stockpiled at the factory. The rain has had an additional negative effect, in that it has reduced the sugar content of the beets. Should the weather dry out, Brimhall was confident the

sugar content will increase, but still not up to last year's level, when it was dry during harvest season. Per acre yields are up over last year, Brimhall said, so overall sugar production should be about the same. The lower sugar content means that more beets will have to be processed to get the same amount of sugar. The Caro plant has contracted for 13,614 acres of sugar beets this year; the Sebewaing plant, 16,521 acres.

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Mrs. Don Smith and children Julie and Donnie were Thursday evening callers of Mrs. Ray Burkle Jr.

Misty Pallas of Cass City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Putterbaugh and Lana.

Mrs. Marie Snell and Mr. and Mrs. William Moore were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Hazel Chambers of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loxen from Manistee spent Monday and Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Baptist teens elect officers

Around 40 teenagers participated in a hay ride and party Saturday night originating at the Baptist church and culminating with refreshments and devotions in the barn at the Dick Shaw farm. Pastor Tim Teall gave the devotional talk.

Preceding the hay ride, the Baptist youth group elected new officers for the year. Jane Hutchinson is president; Cindy Ware, vice-president, and Dan LaPonsie, secretary-treasurer. The officers will be assisted in planning youth activities by a representative from each of the teen Sunday School classes. The representatives are Mark Shaw, Denise Zmierski, Dave Shaw, Alesia Hoag and Dawn Hartwick.

Sally Ware was named pianist for the teen department. Ushers are Blake Fisher and Dave Shaw. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rayl are youth sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Putterbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Chermiawski and Andy, and Misty Pallas of Cass City were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sprague and Kellie, also Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and Rebecca of Bay Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie took Mr. and Mrs. William Hacker to the Metro Airport where they left to spend the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hill Sunday. Dinner was served at the Wildwood Farms Restaurant. Cake and ice cream were served later at the Hill home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh won the trip to Niagara Falls at the Senior Citizens' meeting Friday evening at Colony House.

Clark Auslander and Clair Auslander spent Thursday and Friday at Shiwana and Goshen, Ind., where they attended a horse sale, and other places of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns attended the same meeting.

Mrs. Don Smith was a Friday afternoon caller of Mrs. Bruce Kritzman.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner were: Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Miller and son Ryan of Washington State, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bullock and sons Robbie and Jeff of Indiana. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pearl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sullivan and Sean, all of Richmond, Mrs. Helen Bullock of Mayville and Mrs. Elsie Cousin of Marlette.

Miss Jeanne Kreger of Grand Rapids spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and daughter Robbie and Jim Molnar attended the Cathy Skaggs and Don Erla wedding at the Cass City Catholic church Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Putterbaugh spent the week end in Lansing as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Greenman and family. They attended the football game Saturday.

Mrs. Howard Hill and Mrs. Andy Hoagg spent Monday in Saginaw.

Mrs. Chuck Darr was a Thursday morning caller of Mrs. Don Smith.

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

Mrs. Nelin Richardson and Miss Marie Meredith were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown. Mrs. Richardson also called on Mrs. Emma Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Caister of Marlette were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Smith and family were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr. were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hamilton of West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and family attended the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCreedy at Argyle Catholic Hall, Saturday evening.

Donnie Smith spent over Saturday night as guest of Brent and Brad Wehner.

Miss Sheryl Turner of Detroit spent Monday visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner.

Mrs. Emma Kreger of Snover was a Saturday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kreger and family.

PIONEER GROUP

The Pioneer Group will meet Thursday, Oct. 27, at the Shabbona RLDS church annex. Cooperative dinner at noon. Pictures will be shown by Mrs. Donna Hodge of their recent trip to Scotland.

Evergreen Guys and Gals 4-H Club will hold their monthly meeting Oct. 17 at 7:30 at the Evergreen school. Fall sign up will be held.

There will be a birthday open house for Mrs. Eva Ashcroft, from 2 till 5, Oct. 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Marshall.

Proctor wins

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Tom Proctor of Old Wood Drug in Cass City has won \$500 in the Burroughs Wellcome Pharmacy Education Program.

The drawing took place during the National Association of Retail Druggists convention in Washington, D.C., Oct. 2-6.

The award money will be presented to Ferris State College in Proctor's name to establish a revolving loan fund for deserving pharmacy students.

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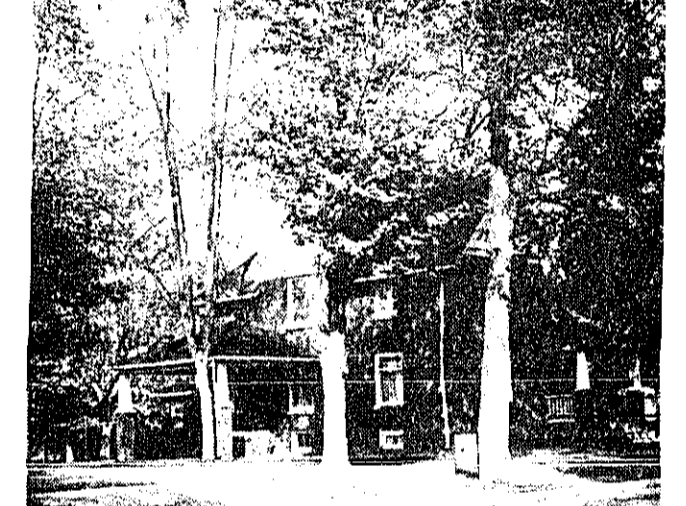
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Vassar's extra points nip Cass City

Lakers: acid test of Hawks' title chances

The Cass City Red Hawks dropped into a tie for the lead in the hot Thumb B Conference race as an aroused Vassar Vulcan squad used an overpowering defense to win, 14-12.

The victory dropped the Hawks into a three-way tie with Vassar and the Lakers for the lead.

At least one of the three will drop out of contention this Friday. That's because Cass City entertains the Lakers here for the Home-coming game.

The game promises to be a toss-up with the Lakers holding a slight edge on the basis of games played.

The visitors will be coming off a big win over Frankenthum last Friday.

Coach Roland Pakonen's problem is to find better blocking in the offensive line.

A blitzing Vulcan defense in the last half held the Hawks without a first down as the Vulcans came from behind to win.

In the first half Cass City was dominant. The option worked with perfection as Clarke Haire teamed with Jeff Hartel for big yardage in two sustained drives.

Haire scored the first touchdown on a two-yard dive to cap a 45-yard drive.



CASS CITY CAME close to scoring on this play. Steve Ballard (11) is brought down after a 12-yard gain and was stopped just when it appeared that he might bust through with a long touchdown play against Vassar Friday.

The statistics:

	CC	V
1st downs	9	11
Rushes-yds	37-70	51-209
Pass Att-Comp-Int	14-5-0	8-2-0
Pass. yds.	50	12
Total yds.	120	221
Penalties	4-30	4-35

THUMB B CONFERENCE

League Overall	W	L	T
Cass City	3	1	4
Laker High	3	1	4
Vassar	3	1	4
Bad Axe	2	2	3
Sandusky	2	2	2
Frankenthum	1	3	1
Caro	1	3	1
Marlette	1	3	1

Friday's games - Vassar at Frankenthum; Laker High at Cass City; Sandusky at Caro; Bad Axe at Marlette.

Harriers split 2 matches

The Cass City Cross Country team split two matches last week to bring its record to three wins and seven losses.

Monday, league leading Marlette swamped the Hawks, 15-50, taking the first seven places. Scott Fisher, who placed eighth, was the best runner for the Hawks.

The Hawks bounced back from the loss to post the best times of the year to edge Vassar, 27-30.

Steve Richards and Fisher finished one, two in the event with times of 17:40 and 17:59. Also scoring for Cass City were: Chuck Clark, 19:11; Bob Clark, 19:13; John Tuckey, 19:17.

Richards and Fisher were named runners of the week for their 1-2 finish against Vassar.

Money may not bring happiness, but it allows one to look for it in many more places.

Novesta Township LEGAL NOTICE

The following are corrections of errors in the Novesta Township Zoning Ordinance.

In Section 3 under definitions the following corrections were made:

BUILDING, ACCESSORY:

Is a subordinate building, the use of which is clearly incidental to that of the main building or to the use of the land. Accessory Buildings exceeding 60 sq. ft. need zoning permits.

KENNEL, COMMERCIAL:

Any lot or premises on which more than 3 adult dogs or cats are either permanently or temporarily boarded.

LOT, AREA:

The total horizontal area included within lot lines. Where the front lot line is the center line of a street or lies in part or in whole in the street area, the lot area shall not include that part which is in the right of way.

SECTION FOUR ZONING DISTRICTS AND MAP DISTRICTS:

For the purpose of this ordinance the Township of Novesta is hereby divided into the following districts:

- RA Residential Agriculture
- RB Residential Business
- LI Light Industry

Article 4-2-6 Side Yards

No dwelling hereafter erected on any premises shall be located less than 10 feet from the side lot line of the premises upon which it is erected.

Article 5-2 Principle Uses Permitted

	O-G	10	16	14	16	56
P11	7	7	7	19	40	
O-G	12	4	13	14	43	
HB	8	6	14	6	34	

u. Residence

Article 7-4 LOCATION ACCESSORY BUILDINGS:

Location of buildings other than dwellings in relation to dwellings. No accessory building shall hereafter be erected less than 15 feet from any dwelling located on abutting property.

Article 7-9 TRAILER PARKS AND COURTS:

Trailer Parks and Courts are allowed in residential and agricultural districts only, and shall be allowed only when the following conditions are met:

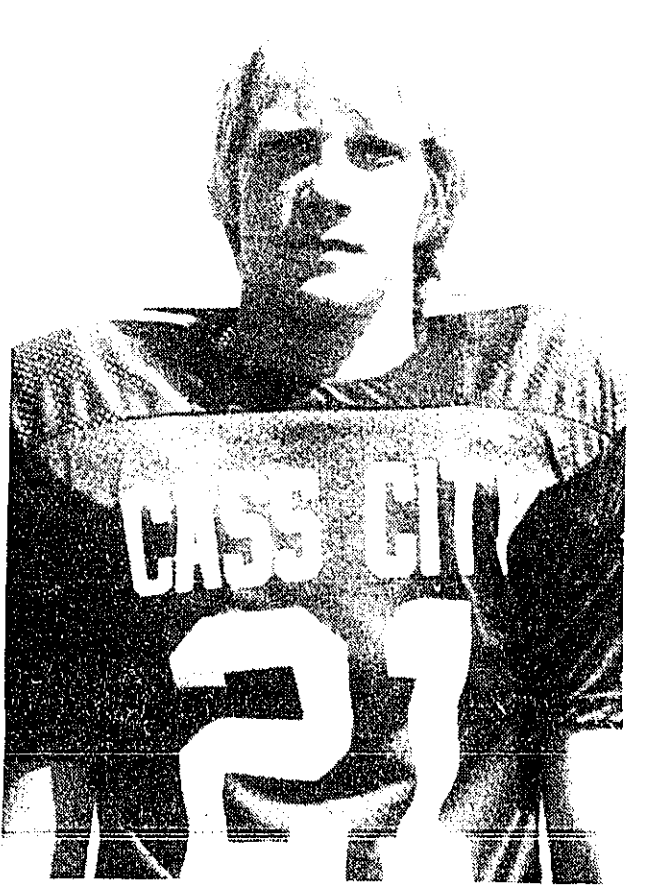
- Trailer coach sites shall be provided with a concrete apron of not less than 13 feet wide by 51 feet long and 4 inches in depth and 1 foot larger than the overall dimensions of the respective trailer.

MAP OF NOVESTA:

Areas previously listed as Res. Comm. shall now be known as LIGHT INDUSTRY.

MAP OF DEFORD:

Areas listed as Res. Comm. shall now be known as Residential Business. The area between the railroad and Railroad Street shall be designated LIGHT INDUSTRY.



Clarke Haire - Red Hawk Of The Week

Coach Roland Pakonen named Clarke Haire Red Hawk of Week for his efforts against Vassar.

Haire rushed for 99 yards against the Vulcans and scored both of Cass City's touchdowns.

On defense he was credited with several key tackles among his five solo tackles and his eight assists.

Golfers whip Garber

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again. That may not be Tim Severance's motto but it did prove out for him as he won a spot on Cass City High School's golf team for the first time last week.

Not only did he play, he was second only to medalist Mike Richards as the Hawks topped Essexville Garber, 222-226. Severance shot a 42.

Other scorers were: Richards, 40; Jim Molnar, 43; Tim Johnson, 47; Scott Krueger, 50.

Garber's scores: Mike Jaeger, 42; John Wackerle, 40; Rick Fuenzke, 47; Tim Cummings, 48; Bill Mrozinski, 49.

In a 12-team match at Marlette Oct. 1, Cass City finished ninth from among 12 teams. Vassar won with a score of 157. Leading the way for Vassar were Jim Carlisle, 36; Jim Gohsman, 37; Terry Franko, 39.

Cass City's scores were: Richards, 41; Johnson, 44; Krueger, 45; Trent Guinther, 50.

Hawk girls back on track; win 2 games

Cass City's girls got back on the winning track with a pair of victories during the week.

Coach Lloyd Schinnerer's charges posted wins at Vassar, 66-22, last Wednesday and over Lakers Monday at Cass City, 50-41.

The Junior Varsity followed suit with 52-20 and 53-33 decisions.

It wasn't much of a contest at Vassar as Cass City jumped out to an early lead over the outclassed Vulcans and added to it throughout the game.

At the end of the first eight minutes the margin was 14-6. At the intermission the Hawks were in front, 34-14. The margin was 51-16 at the three-quarter mark and Schinnerer had a chance to get everybody into the game.

Only two players failed to score. Brenda Goslin led with 14. Kim Witherspoon netted nine and Nancy Tonti, 8.

Although the Hawks led all the way against the Lakers the game wasn't decided until the final minutes of the last quarter.

The Hawks were ahead 26-17 at halftime but the Lakers rallied to move within two points, 35-33, at the end of three periods.

Kim Witherspoon ripped the nets for 21 points to show the way. Brenda Goslin had 9 and Linda Sieradzki, 8.

In the JV game a freshman was outstanding. Padgett Randall netted 23 points in Cass City's 53-33 decision.



BRENDA GOSLIN snapped up this rebound Monday against the Lakers. Obscured by the ball is the Laker's Gail Fritz.

Unbeaten cagers add to string

The Owendale-Gagetown girls' basketball team stayed undefeated last week with victories over Port Hope and Harbor Beach, the latter game being a non-league contest.

As of last week, the gal Bulldogs were sitting on top of the North Central D League, tied with North Huron at 5-0.

The showdown game between the two teams will come Oct. 18 at Kinde.

Owen-Gage was the host team Tuesday night, defeating Port Hope 56-40.

Top scorers for coach Judy Campbell's charges were Mary Lenhard with 14, followed by Dawn Erickson with 10.

Top scorer for Port Hope was Paula Eilber with 10.

Owen-Gage led in the rebounding department with 55 to 19 for Port Hope. Top rebounders for the home squad were Laurie Andrackowicz with 22, followed by Deb Lenda with 12.

The Owen-Gage reserve squad won its game 26-19.

The Bulldogs went to Harbor Beach Thursday night for the non-league affair and came home the winners by a 43-34 score.

Top scorer for Owen-Gage was Mary Lenhard with 15 points. Next was Laurie Andrackowicz with 12. She was the top rebounder with 13.

The Bulldogs had 27 rebounds in the game to 21 for Harbor Beach.

Top scorer for Harbor Beach was Cindy Mausols with 10.

The Owen-Gage junior varsity also won, 31-25.

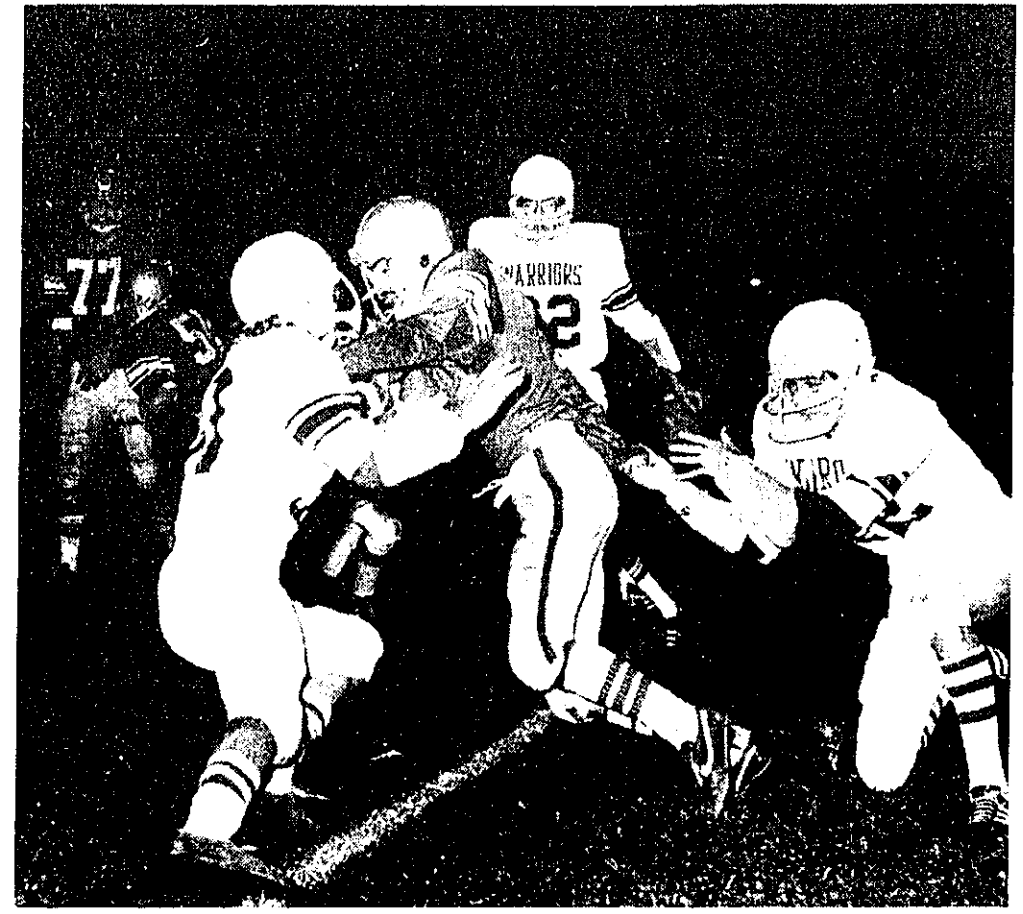
Bulldogs keep rolling in quest for 2nd straight league crown

Owen-Gage coach Arnie Besonen's main task this week has been to keep his players' attention focused on Friday night's contest at Kingston.

That might not be easy, according to the coach, because, "Everyone is talking about the big game next week, but we've got to prepare for Kingston this week.

That's our big game right now."

The "big game next week" is Oct. 21 when the Bulldogs play host to Akron-Fairgrove in a contest that will probably decide the North Central D League Championship.



END OF THE ROAD -- North Huron players Spencer Howie and Frank Gorkowski brought Owen-Gage quarterback Roger Ziehm to a halt on this second quarter play. A penalty call sent the Bulldogs back but on the next play, Owen-Gage scored, making the score 13-0.

The Bulldogs had an easy time of it at the homecoming game Friday night with a 35-0 win over North Huron.

The score would have been even higher except that three Bulldog touchdowns were called back because of penalties. The team was penalized 12 times in the game for a total of 120 yards.

First quarter scoring consisted of Roger Ziehm on a nine-yard run, followed by Tom Howard kicking the extra point.

In the second quarter, Brad Erickson scored on a six-yard run, followed by another successful Howard kick.

Then Ziehm connected on a 27-yard pass to Dick Glidden. Howard again made the conversion, to make the half-time score 21-0.

It was Ziehm to Glidden again in the third quarter, this time on a 23-yarder. Howard kicked the PAT.

Final scoring came in the fourth quarter, on a one yard run by Howard, who also kicked the extra point.

All-conference back Erickson was the top ground gainer for the Bulldogs, gaining 112 yards on 21 carries. Next were Howard, 77 yards in 18 carries, and Ziehm, 76 yards in 10 carries. Total rushing was 293 yards on 57 carries.

Kindle rushed for 25 yards on 12 carries. Mark Binder had seven carries for 22 yards

and Joe Knoblock had three for three yards. (Two carries resulted in zero yards gained.)

In the passing department, Ziehm had seven completions out of 11 attempts for 164 yards gained.

North Huron had 14 completions out of 26 attempts and five interceptions, for a total of 110 yards gained.

Owen-Gage made 11 first downs in the game; North Huron, 6.

The visiting squad was penalized five times for a total of 50 yards.

Tops defensively for Owen-Gage were Mark McDonald with 11 tackles, followed by Ziehm with eight.

Al Kreh was tops for the Warriors, with 11 tackles, followed by Dennis Kennedy and Joe Knoblock with nine each.

Score by quarters:

O-G	7	14	7	7	35
NH	0	0	0	0	0

NORTH THUMB D LEAGUE

League Overall	W	L	T
Owen-Gage	4	0	1
Akron-Fairgrove	4	0	1
Caseville	2	2	2
Kind-N. Huron	2	2	2
Kingston	2	2	2
Carsonville	1	3	1
Port Austin	1	3	1
Peck	0	4	0

Friday's games - Carsonville at Kinde North Huron; Peck at Akron-Fairgrove; Owen-Gage at Kingston.

Saturday game - Caseville at Port Austin.

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