



CONFLICTS between school buses, passenger cars and youngsters going to school -- either walking or getting out of cars -- would be lessened if the proposed road is built from the intermediate-elementary school complex to the high school. The buses here are on Rose Street.

Summer vacation may be early for Owen-Gage

The Owendale-Gagetown school district may have to lose its doors early due to lack of funds.

The district was hoping to obtain the tax monies from the Gagosin parcel at a Circuit Court hearing Monday, which would have been enough to finish the school year.

The hearing was rescheduled for May 22, although there is a good chance the matter can be settled out of court before then, which could get the district off the hook.

Owen-Gage's other hope is that it will get the \$150,000 loan from the state that the legislature authorized last November, receipt of which is hung up on a technicality.

The district ran out of money once before during the present school year, for about three months prior to the receipt of property taxes in January. The district's employees continued working and have since been repaid their back wages plus interest.

As mentioned at last Thursday's school board meeting, Owen-Gage has enough funds for one more day, which is Friday. Its payroll runs about \$50,000 a month, plus other expenses about \$12,000.

The hearing scheduled Monday was in the suit filed by Owen-Gage against the Cass City School District seeking return of \$66,142 the

latter district should have received in 1977 taxes from the Gagosin parcel. An attorney general's opinion says the money for that year only should have gone to Owen-Gage, as the transfer of the parcel to Cass City hadn't yet taken effect.

The amount in question is actually a little under \$59,000, mainly because of unpaid taxes.

Instead of the scheduled hearing Monday, most of what happened took place behind closed doors as attorneys for the two sides negotiated. Local attorney Clinton House represented Cass City; James C. Rabaut, associate of Owen-Gage's regular attorney, James F. Schouman of Dearborn, represented that district.

The attorneys negotiated mainly without the presence of the two superintendents and in the afternoon, met along with Circuit Judge Martin E. Clements.

House told the Chronicle the main thing that was agreed to was that Owen-Gage will add Elmwood Township as a third party in the suit.

House said once the proper legal mechanism is worked out, the money will be returned to Owen-Gage.

Owen-Gage Supt. Ronald Erickson, who talked with Rabaut after the attorneys met with Clements, expressed some bitterness at what he felt were continued

stalling tactics by the Cass City District before returning the loan.

Rabaut told the Chronicle Tuesday that Cass City, as expressed in the sessions Monday, feels the only proper means to return the money to Owen-Gage is to give it back to Elmwood township. The township, which collected the money, can then give it to Owen-Gage.

In order to do that, the township has to be added to the suit as a defendant, so that it has assurances -- like the Cass City district -- that it is acting in a legal manner, that is, with the approval of the court.

Rabaut said it was agreed Monday that if Elmwood can be added as a defendant and the three parties can then work out the details for an out-of-court settlement, they can go before Judge Clements for his approval prior to May 22.

A hearing on that day will only be required if an agreement cannot be reached.

Rabaut also said that the present suit will only take care of the money presently possessed by the Cass City district. Adding Elmwood township as a defendant still won't settle the question of how his client will get the approximately \$10,000 never levied by the township which is the difference between the 20.5 mill levy of Cass City

and the 23.5 mills levied by Owen-Gage.

As for the \$150,000 loan, Robert Nelson, supervisor of accounting programs for the State Department of Education told the Chronicle that Owen-Gage has yet to comply with the mandates of the legislation mandating the loan.

Owen-Gage was so advised in a letter mailed April 18 from Robert Hornberger, director of education department services, Nelson said. Basically, what Owen-Gage has to do, he explained, is to certify that it has incurred a deficit and that it will be unable to meet its obligation if it does not receive the loan. Those two things haven't been done in the two resolutions the Owen-Gage board approved formally requesting the loan.

The board should consult with staff members of the Municipal Finance Commission to make sure its resolution is in compliance with the act, he said.

Once the proper resolution is received, Nelson continued, the education department can recommend to the state treasury department that the loan be made. He guessed it will then take 7-10 days before Owen-Gage gets the loan.

The district will then have three years to repay it at 6 percent interest.

Village to pay

Council on cost split for school road

By a 4-2 vote Tuesday night, the Cass City Village Council approved entering into an agreement with the Cass City School Board to pay half the cost of building a new road from Rose to Seeger Street.

The school board must still approve paying its share for the project, but is expected to do so.

Voting for the cost sharing were Dorothy Stahlbaum, Dr. D.E. Rawson, Elwyn Helwig and James Ware. Voting "no" were Richard Hampshire and Nat Tuttle. The first year of the project will consist of removing the present dirt in the road path, putting in culverts and dumping in the fill removed from other street building projects and is expected to cost about \$7,000.

The council's vote came after a public hearing which ended with a secret straw vote by those attending, with 14-8 in favor of the village paying half the cost.

Although no one speaking at the hearing opposed building the road, there were numerous questions raised and some objections to the village paying half the cost. Estimated total cost is

\$36,000, including the \$7,000 this year. Ware cautioned the cost could be more as it isn't known how much it will cost to remove the remains of a concrete barn floor in the path of the east-west portion of the road leading to Seeger Street.

On the other hand, village workmen may be able to do part or all of the road building, which will cut the cost. The road will be completed next year in time for the 1979-80 school year.

Former Councilman Gary Jones was one of those who questioned whether the road should be private for use by school buses only. As a public road for use by all vehicles, he said, "I sort of see this road moving the problem from location A (Seeger Street) to location B."

The major explanation for the cost sharing was financial. As a public road, it will be eligible for the equivalent of about \$700 per mile in state Motor Vehicle Highway Funds; if classified later as a major street, \$3,500 per mile.

In addition to the cost of construction, which is why building of the road is being spread over two years, it

was also explained that the maintenance cost will be too much for the district to bear alone.

Marianne Walpole objected to what she called double taxation, that she will have to pay for the road as a village resident and pay again as a resident of the school district.

School Supt. Donald Crouse explained that argument can work both ways. "Any time you talk about taxes, you go talk to farmers", he commented. "I'm sure they feel they're paying the lion's share for schools". Concern was expressed by some that there are no plans for a sidewalk along the new road, which could create the dangerous situation of children walking in the road to the high school.

Under present council policy, village president Lambert Althaver explained, the adjoining property owner, that is, the school, will have to pay the future cost of a sidewalk.

The road will be constructed on what is now school property, but to be a public road, the school will have to turn over 66-foot right-of-way to the village, which will be responsible for all future maintenance.

Hampshire, before voting "no", suggested it was inconsistent that the village requires developers to pay 100 percent of the cost for roads in subdivision but was willing to pay half the cost for a road between the schools.

The hearing lasted about one hour.

OTHER ROADS

The council approved advertising for bids to be opened at the May 30 meeting for construction of curb and gutter on Church Street between Weaver and Nestles and Nestles from Church to Main. Nestles by the Big D Restaurant will be widened to 40 feet.

Existing pavement will be removed and village crews will grade and gravel the two streets. They will be repaved this fall when one contractor does all the paving in the village.

Pending approval of the village attorney, the council accepted the offer of the Cass City State Bank that the latter will pay for paving of the alley behind its new building, between West and Downing Streets. The village, which normally pays such costs, will reimburse the bank in 1979 out of that year's street funds. Cost is not to exceed \$3,000.

OTHER BUSINESS

At the request of the Cass City Development Corp., the 35 acres it owns off Doerr

Road was designated as an Industrial Development District. Under state law, the designation will make it easier for industry locating there to obtain property tax breaks.

At the request of the library board, the appropriation for Rawson Memorial Library was increased for 1978 from \$3,000 to \$4,500.

Elkland township electors approved the same increase at the annual meeting earlier this month. Novesta, Elmwood, Greenleaf, and Evergreen townships have increased their appropriations to the library from 25 cents per township resident to 35 cents.

The petition of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchinson to annex their property at Seventh and Leach Streets to the village was accepted. They requested the annexation so that their newly purchased home can be connected to the village sanitary sewer. The annexation must still be approved by the county Board of Commissioners.

It was announced that the Walbro Charitable Trust has donated \$1,000 for use in the village park.

Rusty water coming out of some taps, village Superintendent Lou LaPonsie explained, may be due to frost coming out of the ground, causing pipes to vibrate, shaking loose rust.

Wednesday and Thursday, May 3-4, will be the annual clean-up days with free pickup of discarded left by the curb or alley.

Love's barrier a door

Love has no bounds--other than perhaps a door.

A Cass City teenager reported to village police April 19 that another boy came to his door and asked him to step outside to talk about a girl he had been dating.

The youth refused, then locked the door when the other youth tried to come in, whereupon the outsider got mad and hit the door with his fist. The force broke the outer panel of the hollow-core door, which was valued somewhere between \$40 and \$75.

The owner of the home declined to press charges against the door-breaker.

Voters approve millage for vocational center

Voters Tuesday approved a 1.75 mill levy for construction and operation of a vocational-technical center to serve county high school students.

The vote in favor of the millage levy was 3,061-2,087. Totals are unofficial pending certification by the board of canvassers.

The second ballot proposal question, to allow the Tuscola Intermediate School District to borrow \$895,000 to pay part of the construction cost, was approved 3,029-2,727. The borrowed money will be repaid out of the 1.75 mills. Both proposals needed to pass for the center to be built.

Cass City was one of five local school districts within the intermediate school district where the proposal was defeated. The vote here on the millage was 370 in favor

to 415 opposed. On the second question, 369 voted yes and 419 voted no.

The millage was approved in the Caro, Kingston, Millington and Vassar School Districts. Property owners in all local school districts will have to pay the millage even if it wasn't approved there. The millage will first appear on tax bills this December.

Slightly under 17 percent of the intermediate district's approximately 34,000 registered voters went to the polls Tuesday.

The vote in the local school districts for the millage was as follows, with yes votes given first:

Akron-Fairgrove, 211-295; Caro, 743-457; Cass City, 370-415; Kingston, 212-155; Mayville, 252-253; Millington, 425-212; Reese, 127-216; Unionville-Sebewaing, 316-457; and Vassar, 405-227.

The vote in favor of borrowing, which was the second ballot proposal, was slightly less in all districts than the vote in favor of the millage.

Ridenour junior citizen

Althaver citizen of year

Lambert Althaver and Ross Ridenour were named citizen of the year and junior citizen of the year, respectively, Saturday night at the annual banquet of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce.

The banquet at the Colony use attracted 156 persons. Althaver, Cass City village president since 1965, was presented with an engraved plaque by last year's citizen of the year, Helen Baker.

Althaver was born in St. Louis, Mo., in 1931. He graduated in 1952 from Principia College in Elsah, Ill., and two years in the Army, then went to work for newly established Wal-Corp. in 1954.

Althaver is community involvement began with membership in the Gavel Club in 1958-61, he was president of Omro Products, a subsidiary in Omro.

He served as Omro vice president for two years. He returned to Cass City as assistant to the president of Walbro. He now is president of the firm and its

international family of companies.

He served for two years as a village trustee before becoming village president in 1965.

Althaver has been a member of the Tuscola County Planning Commission for 10 years and served as president of this area for the Michigan Municipal League in 1976.

He has taken an active interest in the Cass City schools and athletics, hospital fund drive, Boy Scouts, including service as district chairman, and Cass City Arts Council, serving as secretary for two years. A Rotarian, he served as president and is presently sergeant-at-arms.

A member of the Christian Science Church in Caro, he has served as board president, treasurer, secretary, usher, and presently is building committee chairman.

Althaver is presently chairman of the board of the Michigan Artrain, the traveling art museum. Present Saturday night was John Hohmann, Artrain executive director, who presented the

citizen of the year with a letter of congratulations from Helen Milliken. The wife of the governor is one of the founders of the Artrain and is honorary chairman of its board.

Althaver and his wife, Holly, have two children, son Brian, who is a senior at Michigan State University, and Lauren, who attends Principia College, which her father attended. She presently is in France taking part in an overseas study program. His mother, Mrs. E.W. Althaver of St. Louis, Mo., was present to see her son receive the award.

JUNIOR CITIZEN

The junior citizen of the year, Ross Ridenour, was presented with his engraved plaque by chamber Vice President Phil Keating.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ridenour is a senior at Cass City High School.

At the May 25 graduation,

SPRING RUMMAGE SALE Saturday, April 29, at Presbyterian church basement, starts 9 a.m. 5-4-13-3

he will be one of three class valedictorians, all graduating with perfect 4.0 grade point averages. He is a member of the National Honor Society.

In addition to his scholastic achievements, Ridenour, 17, has won letters in football, basketball, and baseball, and last fall was co-captain of the football team.

Outside of school, he has been active in the youth group at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and worked in the little league program.

This fall he will be attending the University of Michigan, where he will major in pre-dentistry.

VILLAGE REPORT

Receipt of the citizen of the year award was Althaver's second appearance at the podium for the evening. Earlier, he gave a state of the village address.

"I think we stand on the threshold of spectacular growth", he said. The village budget of \$627,000, he explained, is 10 times what it was when he first became village president.



CITIZEN OF THE YEAR -- Helen Baker, the 1977 citizen of the year, presented the 1978 award to Cass City Village President Lambert Althaver. At left is John Hohmann, executive director of the Michigan Artrain, who presented Althaver with a letter of congratulations from Helen Milliken, wife of the governor.

John Kapala dies Friday in hospital

John F. Kapala of Deford died suddenly Friday, April 21, at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

He was born Aug. 18, 1897, in Metz, Mich., the son of Michael and Frances Kapala.

Kapala married Anna B. Glac, Nov. 27, 1921, in Metz, where they made their home for two years following their marriage, coming to Kingston Township in 1938 from Detroit. Mrs. Kapala died March 13, 1954.

He was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church of Wilmot.

Kapala is survived by two sons, Anthony Kapala of Oak Park and Norbert Kapala of Lapeer; two daughters, Mrs. Edward (Virginia) Billicki of Deford and Mrs. Alden (Joann) Asher of Cass City; two sisters, Mrs. Rose Sniegelski of Alpena and Mrs. Lawrence Rusher of Lancaster, New York; 18 grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren. Three brothers preceded him in death.

A rosary was recited Sunday evening from Little's Funeral Home, Cass City.

Funeral mass was conducted Monday morning from St. Michael's Catholic Church of Wilmot, with Father William O'Shea officiating.

Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Wilmot.

Andrew Auten USN came Sunday to spend ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Auten. He is being transferred from Norfolk, Va., to a ship at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Alex Schmidt-Fellner returned home to Riverside, Conn., April 19. She had been here because of the illness of her father, M.B. Auten.

ENGAGED



Christine Van Vliet

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Van Vliet of Decker announce the engagement of their daughter, Christine Beth, to Dennis Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Little of Kelly Rd., Cass City.

An August wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harris, who had spent the winter at Tarpon Springs, Fla., arrived home Monday. En route home they visited his brother, Roy Harris, in Coldwater.

Airman Lori Hampshire of Norton AFB, Calif., is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hampshire and Mark. During the day she is in Saginaw recruiting.

Relatives of Mrs. Al McKay (Juanita Barnes Glasspool) were notified Friday of the sudden death of Mr. McKay, 74, at the home of his son in Lexington, Ky. They were en route home to Pontiac from Florida where they had spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martus Sr., who had spent the winter at Ruskin, Fla., arrived home Thursday evening. En route home they visited Mr. and Mrs. William Martus Jr. and family in Richmond, Ind.

Joe Frederick, who had spent the winter in Florida, returned home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardisley were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simon at Kingston.

Duane O'Dell has returned to his home following surgery April 18 in Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray O'Dell and two of their children, Linda and Teddy, of Milan spent from Saturday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, APRIL 24, WERE:

Meredith Auten, Mrs. Genevieve Erla, Mrs. Anna Halley, Bruce Lowe, Paul Murray, Mrs. Vera Bouck and Richard Emmons of Cass City;

Elmo Baur, Mrs. Zoe Lang and David Sbresny of Sebawaing;

Sophie Ewald, Mrs. Winifred Holsworth, Nathan Blatt and Jeremy Romain of Caro;

Donna J. Hawley of Akron;

Geoffrey Prich, Ben Sattelberg of Unionville;

Mrs. Muriel Soule of Ubyl; Michael Woudstra of Marlette;

Mrs. Harriet Bruce of Bay Port;

Mrs. Dorothy Phillips and Mrs. Helene King of Deford; James Karg of Pigeon.

Mrs. Harold Perry and Mrs. Donald Reid attended the Presbyterian meeting Monday at the First Presbyterian church in Saginaw. More than 400 registered.

Attending the funeral Tuesday at Pontiac for Al McKay were Mrs. Hazel Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Barnes Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Craig and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig and Mr. and Mrs. Al Trof. Besides his wife Juanita, he leaves a son, a daughter and two stepdaughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fuester and Mrs. Pearl Hartwick arrived home Saturday after spending the winter months at Bradenton, Fla.

Eight members and one guest attended the April 19 meeting of the Art Club. Following dinner at Veronica's the group went to the home of Mrs. Hazel Seeley for the business meeting and Canasta. The May meeting will be with Mrs. Pearl Hartwick.

Forty members who are retirees of Trinity United Methodist church were entertained at a noon luncheon Monday, April 24. Table favors were a miniature arrangement of yellow and white mums. A hymn fest was led by Emcee Tom Proctor with Mrs. Pam Ross, piano accompanist. Don Richards, of the Regional Education Media Center, gave a slide presentation on the history of the Thumb.

Jack Hool of Windsor and five friends were in Cass City over the week end for a bowling tournament and were overnight guests of Mrs. Ina Hool and of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas O'Dell announce the birth April 18, in Caro hospital, of a nine-pound four-ounce daughter, Erin Kristine. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murphy and Mrs. Ivan Tracy. Great-grandparents are Theo Hendrick, Mrs. Mary Kritzman and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murphy. Mrs. O'Dell and baby returned to their home here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walters of Bay City are the parents of a seven-pound, 12-ounce baby boy, Nathan James, born April 22 at Saginaw General Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Zimba of Deford and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Walters of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hool and family of Windsor, Ont., are expected Friday to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hunt and other relatives here.

The meeting slated in Salem UM church, sponsored by the United Methodist women of the church to have been held Saturday, April 29, has been cancelled.

Jane Perry, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Perry of Radford, Va., and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry, is in a Chicago hospital for major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner were guests Saturday and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. James Sowden at Clarkston.

Mrs. John Perry was in the hospital in Ann Arbor from Tuesday until Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Root were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McKee and family at Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zapfe were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Peasley and callers in the afternoon at the Ray Peasley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Aleksink and Anna Yorko had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch Saturday, honoring Mrs. Yorko on her 83rd birthday.

Mrs. Scott Parker (Sue Hennessey) left from Metropolitan Airport Wednesday to join her husband, who is stationed in Fishback, Germany. She expects to be there for at least a year. Her parents received a telephone call early Friday that she arrived.

Mrs. Doris Hunter spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Gladys Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Orris Reid of Detroit are spending a few days with Mabel Brian.

D. Leslie graduates from EMU



Diane J. Leslie graduated Sunday from Eastern Michigan University.

She received her bachelor of science degree in home economics education with a history minor. She graduated cum laude, and was a member of the honorary association Phi Kappa Phi.

Diane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie of Decker, and a 1974 graduate from Cass City High School. She is now seeking employment in the Flint area.

Marriage Licenses

Stephen F. Roggentine, 25, Millington, and Debra K. Forsyth, 20, Millington. Lynn A. Hecht, 22, Vassar, and Luann M. Rodammer, 20, Frankenmuth. Mathew A. Fish, 21, Akron, and Julie M. Shannon, 19, Fairgrove. Lyle C. Hall, 46, Fairgrove, and Carolyn M. Harrison, 34, Reese. John A. Folsom, 18, Caro, and Denise C. Klein, 17, Caro.

Mrs. Reva Little
Phone 872-3698

Cass City Social and Personal Items

Agent gets distinguished honor award

April 18, Keith Baudoin, a senior special agent with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, received the DEA administrator's award for distinguished service; an awards ceremony held in the Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

The award was given to Baudoin's successful investigation and prosecution of various organized crime figures in Michigan and Florida. The award was presented by U.S. Attorney General Griffin Bell and DEA Administrator Peter Benninger.

Baudoin's wife, the former Tacsonia Crigger of Clifton, also attended the ceremony.

Baudoin's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nemeth of Cass City. He is the grandson of John Rothfuss, president of Provincial House in Cass City.

Four honored at retirement



RETIREES — Honored Saturday night after retiring from General Cable Corp. were, from left, Beatrice Miljure, Fred Stroschein, and Marjorie Repshinska. Each holds a clock given to them by the union local. The fourth retiree, Richard Lapeer, was unable to be present.

The third annual retirement party from General Cable Corp. was held Saturday at Wildwood Farms with 74 persons attending.

Those retiring this year were Beatrice Miljure, Cass City, Fred Stroschein, Bad Axe, Marjorie Repshinska, Cass City, and Richard Lapeer, Cass City.

Grace Nemeth, president of Local 6222 United Steel Workers of America, presented each retiree with a clock with their name and retirement date engraved on the back as a gift of the Local.

A guest at the affair was Mrs. Marie Roch, who with her husband George, came to Cass City to set up operations here and were the first supervisors at the Cass City plant.

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"If It Fitz..." Psyche of a non-runner

By Jim Fitzgerald

The cocktail party conversation concerned feeling good about your body, being happy with your psyche and wearing the right sneakers. "Did you ever want to run the Boston Marathon?" a man asked. My answer was spontaneous.

"I've never wanted to run," I said. This was very unchic of me. The man gave me a pitying look and didn't talk to me again. Instead, he talked to a tiny woman who said she had run 12 miles that morning and the pain had been divine.

It used to be that when a guy ran, it meant he was late for a date, or someone big was chasing him, or he was too skinny to make the football team so he went out for track. No more.

Today, the streets and sidewalks are full of running people who are in no hurry. They dress up in silly sweatsuits and striped shoes and run around blocks. They never get anywhere. When they finish running, they are back where they started, sometimes throwing up.

This is ridiculous. The only time I run is to catch a bus. Every morning when I come out of my apartment building, I can see the bus coming. To get to the bus stop on time, I must run about 200 yards in 30 seconds. Sometimes I don't. When I don't, I walk to work, sometimes throwing up.

It's a game I'd rather not play, but at there is a useful purpose to my running. I'm trying to get to work on time. What useful purpose is there in running around and around the same block?

I asked a runner this question on a recent morning when I arrived at the bus stop too late. I was standing there, throwing up, when this round little guy went running by. He runs by almost every morning. Usually I just look at him and think that he'd make better time rolling. But on this particular morning I got a brilliant idea.

I asked Tubby to stop and talk to me for a minute. I said I had a proposition for him. He said he couldn't stop running without betraying his psyche, but he did agree to jog in place for a while. That's when I asked him what good it did the world for him to run nowhere every morning.

Tubby said he was trying to lose weight. This is dumb, of course. People don't get fat from not running. They get fat from eating too much. Running to lose fat makes as much sense as eating cream puffs to catch a bus. Think about it.

But I didn't tell this irrefutable logic to Tubby. Instead, I eased him into my brilliant idea. I asked him if he'd like to run to lose weight and at the same time

help his fellow man. He said yes. He probably thought I was an eccentric philanthropist who got his kicks from standing at bus stops, throwing up, and offering to pay \$100 to the Salvation Army for every mile run by passing strangers in silly sweatsuits.

But this was a different type of charity. I explained to Tubby that I had to run to catch a bus every morning but I didn't want to lose weight. So why didn't he meet me at my door every morning and run catch my bus for me? He could hold the bus until I arrived by jogging in front of it. He would be losing weight while helping his fellow man - me - to walk sensibly.

Tubby refused. He said I should do my own running because running is good for more than losing weight. He said all doctors agree that running improves health. The more you run, the better you feel when you quit, he said.

I told Tubby I knew what he meant. I had a similar experience once when I spent several hours pounding my nose with my fist. I felt a lot better when I quit.

And besides, I told him, all doctors own stock in the companies that make those silly sweatsuits and striped shoes. This has to be true because doctors own stock in everything.

But Tubby wouldn't give up. He said if I wouldn't run to get thin, or to get healthy, I should run to get high. He explained that when a runner "breaks the wall" he experiences a soaring elation and life becomes incredibly beautiful. The wall is broken when the runner runs so far he wants to die to escape the pain, and then he runs six more miles. I told Tubby that if running through walls ever takes the place of bourbon, there will no longer be any reason for me to catch a bus.

Today's citizens are folks who have been hit hard by everything except falling prices.

Extension granted for farm sign-up

Farmers have been granted an extension until May 15 to sign up for the 1978 wheat and feed grain set-aside program. The original deadline had been May 1.

Many farmers have apparently been reluctant to enroll up to now, but on Monday, all three Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices in the Thumb reported they were very busy.

At the Caro office, county ASCS Executive Director Virgil Bouck said they were so busy they hadn't had time to count how many farmers had signed up.

In Huron county, Executive Director Doris Western said about 600 had signed up so far, out of 3,000 farmers who are eligible.

Lorraine Hyde reported that in Sanilac county, 423 out of 3,923 eligible farmers had signed up.

Mrs. Western said one reason for the slow sign up until now was that farmers were waiting for the latest details of the program to be released. Additional benefits in the program weren't announced by the U.S. Department of Agriculture until March 29.

She also said apparently some farmers don't want to enroll because they feel they would be better off financially to plant 100 percent of their acreage instead of setting aside 10 or 20 percent under the government program.

"If uncertain, they still should sign up," Mrs. Western said, as the program carries no penalties for farmers who enroll then later decide not to participate.

Farmers who don't sign up aren't eligible for loans, deficiency payments, or disaster payments. Farmers who sign up and then plant 100 percent of their acreage and are then hit by some type of disaster could disk under enough of their crop to come into compliance before applying for a disaster payment.

One of the changes an-

nounced March 29 was that producers of corn, barley, or grain sorghum in 1977 can now qualify for a diversion payment in 1978.

The other program change regarded wheat and hay. The 1978 feed grain program initially required a farmer to set aside acreage equal to 10 percent of the acreage of feed grains intended for harvest this year.

No payments were authorized for this acreage. Producers were guaranteed price support loans, deficiency payments, and disaster payments.

Now producers have the option to voluntarily divert for payment additional acreage. This acreage will be equal to another 10 percent of the intended 1978 acreage, making a combined set-aside of 20 percent of 1978 plantings.

The payment rate is 20 cents a bushel for corn and 12 cents a bushel for barley and grain sorghum. These rates will be applied to farm established yields times the acres for harvest. One-half

of the payment may be requested when an application is signed.

A condition for the diversion payment is that the 1978 acreage for harvest shall not exceed the 1977 planted acreage. Also, the total acreage of NCA crops plus the acreage set aside cannot exceed the farm's normal crop acreage.

In the other program change, producers may receive payments for wheat planted for harvest as grain which they elect to graze or cut immature for green chop, hay, or silage.

The payment will be based on the higher of the 1978 wheat deficiency rate or 50 cents times a farm's established yield times the acres for payment. The acres for payment are limited to the larger of 50 acres or 40 percent of the total acreage of wheat and feed grains intended for harvest in 1978, but not to exceed the acreage of wheat on the farm.

One-half of the payment may be requested when the application is signed.



Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

The Chronicle celebrates its birthday this week. Number 72. Actually we go farther back than that. The Chronicle is a consolidation with the Cass City Enterprise which preceded it.

Only in a column of trivia like this could an item like this make it.

Was there a lumber yard on Main Street in the days gone by? The boys at Croft-Clara Lumber say that someone brought a picture of the "Cass City Lumber Co." into the store. No one remembered. Do you?

A prophet without honor in his own house department: The elder daughter, Lynn, called to say that the new title wasn't all that great. In fact it isn't great at all, she says. What it was, really, was a hair-brained (Haire-brained?) idea

Only in a friendly small town department: The Chronicle's typesetter par excellence, Mary Damm, was on a rare sick leave this week. Two former employees laid aside personal plans to help out when called. Jackie Davis and Arlene Szarapski were the ones who filled the void.

They've tried a succession of imports to manage Sherwood (Forest) On the Hill in recent years.

This year it's a home grown product, Jim Rayl. Jim made spending money at the golf course when a youngster while going to school and starring in sports at Owen-Gage.

He's got two things going for him in his new job. He's popular with the people and he's not afraid to work.

Sentence 2 in vehicle thefts

Two area men were sentenced last Friday in Huron County Circuit Court for unlawfully driving away a motor vehicle without intent to steal. Each had pleaded guilty to the charge Feb. 10.

Circuit Judge Allen E. Keyes placed Frank A. Wendall, 27, of Owendale, on three years' probation. He was ordered to pay \$400 in fines and costs and to make restitution of \$823.

Wendall was charged in connection with the July 15 theft of a pickup truck belonging to Mary Voelker of Canboro Road, Owendale. He and the truck were discovered Oct. 4 in Roseburg, Ore. He subsequent-

ly waived extradition back to Michigan.

Wendall was employed at the farm of Mrs. Voelker and her late husband, Kenneth, when the truck was taken.

Ronald A. Clyne, 18, of 261 Kingston Road, Deford, was sentenced to one year in the Huron county jail. He was credited with 80 days served.

Clyne pleaded guilty in connection with taking of a used car Feb. 1 from a Bad Axe dealership for a test drive and then failing to return it.

He was arrested later that day in Caro by a Tuscola county sheriff's deputy.

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The Haire Net

Just when it appeared to be a bed of roses along came Mike Walterscheidt to ruin it all. Mike who? Mike Walterscheidt, extension forester from Michigan State University.

Walterscheidt says that the chances are great that the trees gracing Main Street will not live more than a dozen years.

Let me point out right here that if the trees make it for a dozen or so years it's because the job was done right.

According to the experts, the trees should be planted in a minimum hole of three by three feet.

A quick measurement revealed that's about the size of the holes dug on the main stem.

The sidewalk trees are Paul's Scarlet Hawthorne. That's not one of the trees named as best by Walterscheidt, but it is of the right type with small leaves and upright.

The suspicion is that our good forester would approve them if asked.

What makes survival difficult is the heat bouncing off nearby cement, making the trees lose more water through their leaves than they can readily replace.

Wait. Before you go dousing the trees with scads and scads of water, you should know that too much water is as bad as too little. Drainage is poor with compacted soil and water sur-

rounds roots, rotting them.

There are other problems with trees in busy traffic areas. Dogs, salt on streets, passing cars and snow removal are listed as causes for the rapid demise of street plantings.

After a poor start when we replanted virtually all the trees, they have survived well here.

It's sad to think that they may be already a third through their life span.

Everyone thinks that trees last a lifetime, don't they? If the experts are right and the trees only last a dozen years, what then? Is it worth it?

Right now the trees are barren and the debris collects in the plots under them. It's easy to say, "No, it isn't".

But when spring rolls around and the trees are in beautiful blossom and the plots are full of flowers, that's a different story.

Right then, whatever the cost, it's worth it.

So pay your money and take your choice. Even knowing that they would die in 12 years, I think the trees are worth the hassle.

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Atkin on Pacific ship

Navy Fireman Apprentice Scott L. Atkin, son of Joan J. Hendricks of Walnut Traller Court, Cass City, recently departed for an extended deployment in the Western Pacific.

He is assigned to the amphibious transport dock USS Ogden, homeported in

San Diego and operating as a unit of the U.S. Seventh Fleet.

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Shabbona Area News

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Buerkle Jr. of Snover were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg were Thursday evening callers of Bob Vatters and son Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rich of Deckerville spent Monday with her mother Mrs. Frank Pelton.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith had supper out Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Vatters and Mrs. Nelin Richardson were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Armstead.

4-H

Mrs. Russell Smith requests those who are enrolled in string art in Evergreen Guys and Gals 4-H Club, to contact her by May 1 to decide on a pattern and get a list of material needed.

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Mr. and Mrs. Merle Dorman and Mrs. Maude Houghton of Snover were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mrs. Adam Gerres and

Mrs. Jack Parry of Detroit were Friday dinner guests of their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kregar.

Mrs. Luella Smith was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Grace Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Franklin of Brown City were Saturday callers of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith.

Women's Department

The R.L.D.S. Women's Department met Thursday, April 20, for a noon luncheon with Mrs. Bill Dorman. There were 13 members and one visitor present.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Don Smith, leader. Worship was in charge of Mrs. Don Mackowiak and roll call was a plant exchange.

Plans were made for a youth dinner to be held Sunday, May 14, at 6:30 at the Annex. Plans were also made for a rummage sale in June at the Annex.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Nellie Gregg's at Snover.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Puterbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Ryer-

son Puterbaugh and Lana and Dalton Puterbaugh attended a graduation party in honor of Diane Leslie, who graduated from college.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Friday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Cleland of Uby.

Mrs. Frank Pelton was a Sunday afternoon caller of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and family of Wickware.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buerkle Jr. were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr.

Mrs. Gordon Ferguson, Mrs. Robert Wheeler and Mrs. Andy Hoagg attended a pink and blue shower Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jim Kritzman at Cass City. It was given in honor of Mrs. Rick Weatherhead.

Bunco

The Bunco Group held its last meeting until fall at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brown Saturday evening, April 22.

Mrs. Arlie Gray won high; Joe Riley and Robert Wheeler, both low, and Mrs. Alex Wheeler, traveling prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billot of Snover.

Harland Trisch and son, Richard Trisch, who was home on furlough from the army, visited Richard's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr. He is stationed in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pearl and daughter of Richmond were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Turner.

Neighborettes

The Neighborettes met Tuesday evening, April 11, at the home of Karen Osenoski. Articles on TV censorship were discussed.

Refreshments were served by the hostess. The May meeting will be held at the home of Sherry Burns.

Most whispered conversations are a lot more informational than they are inspirational.

Life's most difficult task is to follow the fellow who always gets ahead of his story.

Your Neighbor says

Taxes are too high

April 17 has come and gone, but Robert Clark wasn't one of those persons waiting until the last minute to file their federal and state income tax returns.

He filed his in early February and got his refunds back the same month.

That didn't make him any happier, however. "Taxes, cost of living, it's all out of proportion," he said.

Clark made out his own returns and didn't think they were very complicated. In addition to state and federal income taxes, he also thinks property taxes are too high. The tax bill was \$96 when he and his family moved into their home on Van Dyke Road, Decker, three years ago. This past December, the bill was almost \$300.

He feels the way to reduce taxes is to eliminate various government programs in order to cut government spending, ranging from not putting art works in front of government buildings to not

building a subway in Detroit. He also thought a welfare system could be reformed, that the number of government employees could be reduced and salaries of government workers should be held down.

Clark is a welder. Evans-Products in Gagetown. He and his wife Valeria, have five children all at home.



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Observe soil Stewardship Week

The United States' annual loss of five million acres of rural land to non-agricultural use is a special concern during this year's observance of Soil Stewardship Week, April 30 - May 7, according to John Findlay, chairman of the Tuscola Soil Conservation District.

This year's Soil Stewardship Week theme, "Compelling Ventures," also stresses the importance of controlling water pollution caused by run-off from unprotected farms, ranches, roadsides, and construction sites, he said.

Soil Stewardship Week is a nationwide observance which emphasizes man's responsibility to protect and conserve soil, water, and other natural resources. Traditionally, churches and local citizen's groups participate.

Nearly 3,000 conservation districts throughout the U.S. will focus their attention upon conserving and preserving America's best farmlands during this 24th annual observance.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture estimates that of the five million acres annually lost to agriculture, nearly one million acres are classed as "prime" land, the best and most productive land we have. "We are encouraging the preservation of these top-quality farmlands for farming rather than their use for housing developments, highways, shopping centers, and the like," Findlay said.

The Tuscola Soil Conservation District has dis-

tributed upon request to churches in the county, a 4,700 bulletin insert created especially for this year's observance.

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LINE-UP -- Someone missed out by not operating a parking concession at the Dale Iseler farm auction Friday, April 14. Pickup trucks and cars lined both sides of Schwegler Road as far as the eye could see.

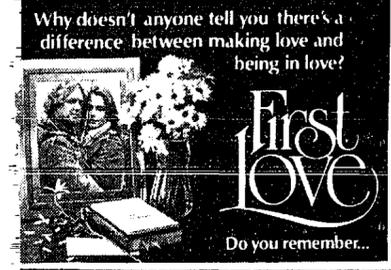
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Ok application for state job funds

How much is too much? The administrative board of the Thumb Area Consortium, which coordinates federal employment programs in the upper Thumb, decided last Thursday not to say, "No thanks." The issue was a new program, entirely funded by the state, called the Michigan Employment Program (MEP). One part of the program calls for spending \$3.5 million for job training and placement of 1,800 people.

After some debate, the board approved application for \$270,000 of the funds for a work experience or on-the-job training program.

If the grant is received, it will be used to pay wages and benefits for six months for persons starting work for a private employer. The employer must train the person and will be expected to provide permanent employment after the six months.

State guidelines say the program will be open to persons 16-24 from families with income no more than 125 percent of the poverty level -- for a family of four, that would mean no more than \$7,080.

Any private employer could take part in the program, including farmers. Consortium Executive Director Frank Lenard said the funds applied for are enough for 130 persons to take part, of which he expects 30 would drop out,

resulting in a total of 100 new jobs.

The consortium should know in early May whether it gets the funds.

Objection by the board members, and by Lenard, was that the state program duplicates the federally-funded Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA).

"I can't see why they (the state) got involved when the federal government is already involved", Lenard said.

Board member Joseph O'Connor, a Sanilac county commissioner, asked of the state legislature, in its approving the program, "Are they stupid?"

In particular, the section of MEP the consortium is applying for parallels the CETA Title I on-the-job training program, which the consortium administers. That pays employers up to 50 percent of the entry level range for new employees learning a skill, up to a maximum of one year.

Lenard said afterwards funds are available for the Title I program employers. Like the proposed MEP, all employers, such as factories, auto dealerships and farmers are eligible.

"There's going to be a point somewhere along the line when we will have to say, 'No thank you,'" said Calvin Reibling, Huron county commissioner.

Despite the comments of those against the state pro-

gram, the vote was unanimous to apply for the funds.

Frank Lenard announced that the consortium will probably receive \$480,000 for the Summer Program for Economically Disadvantaged Youth (SPEDY), instead of the \$450,000 announced previously.

The new amount will be enough to provide 450 summer jobs for 12 weeks at 35 hours per week.

The consortium board appropriated \$20,000 to the Human Development Commission in Caro to begin hiring staff to administer the program.

The board supported Lenard in his criticism of a different program, the federally-funded Youth Employment and Training Program, which the HDC is running.

In contrast to the goal of having 130 youngsters working in the program by March 30, only 16 were. As of the day before the meeting, April 19, the total had reached 52.

Approved was a goal of having 100 youth employed by April 30, 150 by May 31, and the maximum of 180 by June 30. If the goal isn't met, the consortium will explore contracting with other service agencies to run the program.

Aim of the program, known locally as the Career Employment Experience Program, is to provide on-the-job training for high school youth from low-income families.

The position of youth program administrator was approved, with annual salary of \$12,000, plus an added \$500 after the six-month probationary period.

The person hired won't actually receive that much, as the job is only scheduled to last till Sept. 30, when the youth program expires. Pay will come out of the funds for the three youth programs he or she will administer.

A total of \$136,800 in additional CETA Title VI funds have been received, enough for 30 additional positions, all of which have now been filled, Hool reported.

A total of 145 new Title VI positions were approved in Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac counties.

Included are a four-man renovation crew to put a new roof on the Evergreen township hall, four men to clear brush along roads in Greenleaf township, a park maintenance man in Gageton and three persons to work on property descriptions and a card system for Elkland township property tax assessments.

Each county will also get a four-member roving crew to do short-term odd jobs, such as washing windows and painting in various government buildings throughout each county.

Funds aren't available to fund all 145 positions, which will be filled as the money becomes available in the order that applications to create the various positions were received.

PEDALING AROUND

Olive drab memories

By Mike Eliasohn



It was 10 years ago this month that I went into the Army.

I suppose the best thing about my experience was that I came out of it in the same condition that I went in.

Not that I regret the time I spent in the service of Uncle Sam. I learned such good habits as brushing my teeth three times a day instead of the previous two, how to shave with a safety razor (I had been using an electric), and how to spit shine combat boots.

The worst thing about the Army was having to get up at 5 a.m. God did not intend for human beings to be up at that hour, I decided.

I couldn't conceive of a civilian job where anyone would have to get up at that hour, but a few years later, when I was working for the newspaper in Three Rivers and had to fill in on occasion, that's when I had to get up. The paper has an early deadline each day, 10:15 a.m., and the rest of the news staff had to be there by 7 a.m., which meant the editor had to come in at least an hour earlier.

I still think 5 a.m. is an ugly hour to get up. Probably, so do dairy farmers, but they can't tell their cows that.

Two things I learned early in my Army career is that they talk dirty and the size of the military establishment is immense.

It was when I was still at what was called the processing center at Fort Knox and none of us had received our uniforms yet that I learned the first lesson.

An old sergeant was giving the group I was with a talk on why we should sign up for an extra year and join the Airborne or Green Berets, if I recall.

He looked like an economics professor I had in college for a course in money and banking. I was very fond of the professor because he had given me an "A."

My illusions didn't last long. Of all the people I encountered in the Army, the sergeant definitely talked the dirtiest. I should point out that I'm not a pride and have on occasion used words stronger than "damn." By the sergeant's standards, however, my strong words were mild.

The second lesson, first learned at Fort Knox, is how big the military establishment is. Military posts such as that one are as big as a fair-sized city, and that's only the "settled" part. The grounds used for military maneuvers literally run for miles.

I was stationed for a time at Fort Carson, Colo. The area for maneuvers there runs to within the lights of Pueblo, which is about 30 miles south of the fort itself.

I made an interesting discovery about Colorado while I was there. Colorado consists of solid rock covered with about an inch of dust. I made that discovery the first time I tried to drive a tent stake into the ground.

I then learned it rains so seldom in Colorado, one doesn't need a tent. Despite the hard ground, Fort Carson wasn't a bad place to be. The food was the best I encountered in the Army and with Pike's Peak in the background, the view couldn't be beat.

The Army doesn't care for sentiment, of course, so shipped me to Vietnam. The Army spent money to train me to be an armored reconnaissance scout (they go around and hunt for the enemy) and a turret mechanic (they fix everything inside tank and artillery turrets), but in Vietnam, I was made a clerk.

I didn't complain. If given a choice between a gun, wrench or typewriter to fight a war with, I'll take the typewriter any time.

Single-family homes built by Deltona range in size and price from a one-bedroom, one-bath model, priced at \$19,900 to luxury waterfront homes costing over \$100,000.

Osentoski

sells property in Florida

David Osentoski, president of Osentoski Realty, today announced the formation of a new division to market single-family homes, condominium apartments and residential and commercial property in Florida.

The Florida division has been appointed the exclusive representative in the tri-city and "thumb" areas for The Deltona Corporation, a leading builder of major planned communities in Florida. Jim Briggs and Al Hockstra have been named sales managers for the Florida Division, located at 528 N. State Street in Caro.

"We have embarked on this new venture because of the demand for Florida property in this area," said Osentoski. He attributed the interest of local residents in Florida to the state's warmer climate and lower costs of living, particularly taxes and housing costs. "The severity of the last two winters has contributed to the current building boom in Florida," he explained. Overall, he noted, Deltona's total shelter sales in 1977 were approximately \$41 million, a 45% increase over 1976's level. Osentoski also pointed out that Florida is gaining about 10,000 new residents each month.

Osentoski, a native of Cass City, founded his firm in 1972 and now has five area offices. Other divisions of the firm include general real estate and auctioneering departments.

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Evergreen 4-H Gals win honors

Evergreen 4-H Gals participated Saturday in the Deckerville Spring Achievement. Receiving awards in crocheting were: Lori Papp, Sharon Papp, Karen Woodward, Tanya Darr, Terri Darr, Michele Mika, Deanna Nichols, Becky Severance, Julie Smith, Kelly Wallace, Teri Woodward, Renee

Ziembra, Chris Ziembra, Karen Wallace and Janice Wentworth. Knitting awards were presented to: Deanna Caister, Tanya Darr, Terri Darr, Kim King and Paula Rockwell. Sewing awards went to: Alice Izydorek, Sharon Papp, Susie Smith, Deanna Caister,

Kim King, Kelly Meredith, Michele Mika, Deanna Nichols, Paula Rockwell, Becky Severance, Julie Smith, Kelly Wallace, Kim Sangster, Chris Ziembra, Terry Agar, Hope Leslie, Karen Wallace and Janice Wentworth. Janice Wentworth was the recipient of the Citizens Federal award in crocheting.

Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

Four Cass City High Schoolers and Instructor Susie Slavin will be leaving Cass City this summer for a seven-week tour of Spain. They are Lynn Rayl, Lois Fields, Cathy Skaggs and Brian Althaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hartwick will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary. They were married April 26, 1933, and have two sons.

Two Cass City Junior High School boys found a male fetus floating in a jar filled with alcohol in the Cass River near the Cemetery Road Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Gross celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary with an open house. The couple have three daughters and were married Feb. 26, 1938.

TEN YEARS AGO

Eldon Stilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stilson, Cass City, has been awarded the God and Country Scout Award that he earned at the Methodist Church.

The executive committee for the proposed Community

College has received \$500 donation from Walbro Corporation for the use in promotional activities.

Each year a Cass City senior is presented the Ferguson award for band achievement. Selected this year was Ken Hiatt. The plaque was presented by Band Director William Ferguson at the annual spring concert.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Superintendent Willis Campbell announced that the teachers' contracts for the 1953-54 school year are nearly all signed.

Cass City High School's Red Hawks racked up their second straight diamond victory when they defeated Unionville 9-2 at the Unionville ball park.

Sixteen students were selected for the Cass City High School Honor Society from among the largest and one of the strongest classes ever to graduate from the village. They are: Jane Hunt, Hazel Hartwick, Tim Burdon, Faith Parrott, Marilyn Rocheleau, Eunice Smith, Colleen Ryan, Marjorie Hol-

comb, Janice James, Bill Martus, Beatrice Leslie, Bob Fox, Bob Kitchen, Joan Green, Arleon Kelly and Joan Holmberg.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Pfc. Albert J. Bernethy, a nephew of Mrs. A. B. Champion of Cass City, has sent a tattered, blood-stained, captured Japanese flag which is on display at Mac & Scotty's Drug Store.

Reports released by Clarence Bougher of Caro show that bond sales in Tuscola County have reached \$880,470, which is \$160,470 over the quota of \$720,000 assigned to the county.

The members of Cass City High School junior class are spending all their free time preparing the decorations and other details for their annual banquet and dance in honor of the seniors.

Hairdresser

group meets

The Thumb Affiliate No. 25 of the Michigan Hairdressers' Association had a recent spring meeting.

Guest artist was Mary Ann Wilson of the Michigan hair fashion committee of education.

Next month's meeting is election of officers for 1978-79. Linda Reed will be the next guest artist.

All licensed cosmetologists are welcome to join. Contact Helen's Beauty Shop, Cass City.



AROUND THE FARM
Compaction problems
By Don Kebler

I keep telling myself that winter is going to have to quit sometime soon. Naturally it will, and with a later season than last year, when it does warm up, look out.

The reason I say look out is because in the seasonal rush to finally get going, a lot of acres are going to be excessively compacted. On our heavier clay, clay loams and silt loam soils, even two days' delay in plowing, fitting, herbicide incorporation and planting can decide the fate of the crop in any particular field.

One of the best ways I know to determine a potential soil compact problem is by sampling several core samples using the feel test. Wherever the soil in a core sample has a cold gummy or mud-ball effect, this is about the depth that soil will have the top of its compacted layer.

If the whole length of the core sample breaks or crumbles easily, far less compaction will occur, everything else being equal. Another test is that if you have to scrape or pound-off the soil dug out with a spade or shovel, it's too wet at the depth where this wet sticky soil is from the top of the ground.

In general, the word, more so this year, is till your soil gently and the least number of times possible.

Springtime also sees the transplanting of trees and shrubs. If you plan to set out fruit trees remember that some varieties of apple, cherries, peaches and pears require a pollinator variety different than the variety you want. Before purchasing the fruit trees, check to see if it needs a pollinator other than another tree of the same species.

Are you finding your vegetable and flower seedlings you are starting in the house for later transplanting to be long and spindly? If so, this is a sign that they are not getting sufficient light each day. Remember that during the late spring and summer we have 14 to 16 hours of daily sunshine. Right now we have between 10 and 11 hours. A month ago it was less than now. If you have a fluorescent light, place your seedlings beneath its light long enough to give them the supple-

HEALTH TIPS

Treatment can help some asthma cases

By Frank Chappell,

Asthma is a chronic illness in which the victim has difficulty in breathing. It is not contagious and, fortunately, most attacks of asthma are relatively mild. If neglected, it increases in severity, and endangers health as time goes on.

The American Medical Association points out that most asthma attacks are triggered by an allergen. It could be almost anything - foods, furs, feathers, pollens - that starts the flare-up. Sometimes a bacterial infection of the throat, nose or sinuses can touch off an asthma attack. Nervous tension sometimes is a factor.

In a severe attack, the victim appears to be suffocating. He becomes pale and turns bluish, perspires heavily. He is using all of his strength just to breathe. Fortunately, these attacks can be relieved by medical treatment.

Finding the allergen is the first step in dealing with chronic asthma. Occasionally, it is obvious, but most often a series of tests are required.

If the allergen is something you can avoid, such as a dog or a cat, your problem can be solved with relative simplicity. If it should be pollen in the air or dust particles, the case is more difficult. But it still can be kept under control, with proper medical direction.

Occasionally, an asthma patient will be helped by a change of climate, but doctors advise that you proceed with caution in making a cross-country move. You may develop a new allergy

Fisharama scheduled

The Huron County Tour and Resort Association is conducting its first annual Fisharama May 3-7 at Port Austin Harbor.

The fishing contest will include prizes for the large perch and trout or salmon. A 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize will be given for each category, with a \$100 prize for the trout or salmon category. Entry fees will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for seniors and children under twelve.

To climax the Fisharama a street dance will be held Friday and Saturday, May 5-6, from 8-10 p.m. It is of charge at the harbor turnaround.



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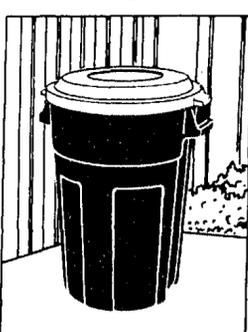
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and a very shy smile. He likes all sports, and would be happy with any type of man.

Big Brothers-Big Sisters in Tuscola county is located at 230 N. State Street in Caro, telephone 673-6996; in Huron county at 122 N. Hanselman Street, Bad Axe, telephone 269-7264, and in Sanilac county at 26 Lexington Street, P.O. Box 1, Sandusky, telephone 648-4433.

FB groups meet jointly

A joint meeting of the Up and Atom Farm Bureau and the Country Bumpkins, a young farmers' Farm Bureau group, was held April 17 at the Farm Bureau Building in Caro. Hosts for the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster.

Following the cooperative meal, Miss Jane Nelson, a foreign exchange student from Rhodesia, showed slides and spoke on Rhodesia. She is currently living in the Tom Proctor home.

Following Miss Nelson's talk, the groups met separately for business meetings. Fred Janks led the discussion for the Up and Atom group on Farm Safety.

The meeting was attended by 22 Farm Bureau members and their guests.

Criminal complaints total 498

The Tuscola County Sheriff's Department received 498 criminal complaints in March.

Of those, 205 regarded traffic matters; larcenies, 55; vandalism, 50; burglaries, 29; disorderly conduct, 27; suspicious vehicles, 27; and domestic problems, 25.

The department made a total of 40 arrests, of which 18 were for traffic violations and 11 for obstruction of justice.

Of 126 traffic tickets issued, 39 were for speeding, 17 for operators' license violations, 14 for stop sign violations and 13 for improper parking.

The county jail received 104 inmates during the month, of which nine were females, and released 109.

Patrol units traveled 30,050 miles and consumed 2,779.8 gallons of gasoline, for an average of 10.81 miles per gallon.

Cass City police made four arrests in March, all for traffic-related offenses.

State police at the Caro post made 14 arrests, of which six were for traffic violations and two for larcenies.

The number of complaints and accidents respectively in area townships during the month were: Columbia, 13 and 1; Elkland, 41 and 7; Ellington, 5 and 0; Elmwood, 10 and 3; Kingston, 11 and 1; and Novesta, 7 and 1.

Gagetown Area News

Mrs. Harold Koch

Phone 665-2536

Democrats plan county rally dance

Tuscola County Democrats are inviting the general public to attend the annual Democratic Spring Rally Dance Saturday, May 6.

Sponsored by the Democratic County Committee, the event is being held at the Dom Polski Hall on M-24, two miles south of Caro. It will run from 7 p.m. - 1 a.m.

Food and refreshments are included in the donation price.

U.S. Rep. Bob Traxler, D-Bay City, is expected to be there to greet people and answer questions, along with Democratic candidates for state, county and township offices.

Dance music will be provided by the Carl Strand orchestra.

Chairman of the dance is Margaret Wentz, county commissioner from Fostoria.

Illinois. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jewel of Detroit.

Mrs. Nelson Koch and Mrs. Meta Koch attended the funeral of their uncle, Tony Schroede, at Saginaw Thursday.

The May meeting of the Gagetown Study Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Ziehm Monday, May 1, at 8:00 p.m.

Mrs. William C. Hunter spent from Wednesday until Monday at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson, in Royal Oak.

Frank Weatherhead and Olin Zeller visited Alex Brown in Kinde last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hunter were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hunter at Pinconning.

Dan Weber of Frankenthum was a Saturday overnight guest of the Harold Kochs.

Anita Loomis, Elaine Hendrick and Sue, Barbara Weatherhead and Mrs. Gladys Weatherhead attended a pink and blue shower for Lynette Weatherhead at the home of Mrs. Jim Kritzman, near Cass City, Sunday.

MMFN Fred Ondrajko is stationed aboard the USS Bowen in Charleston, South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loomis and Kay and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooklin attended a wedding in Indiana Saturday.

Group forming for county gifted students

The educational needs of gifted and talented students in the Tuscola county area are being considered by a county-wide group of parents and school administrators.

This group of interested parents and others meet monthly at the Tuscola Intermediate School District office on Cleaver Road, Caro.

The group is considering the establishment of a county-wide organization, part of the Michigan Association for Academically Talented (MAAT) plus working toward summer, week-end or after-school programming for gifted and talented students.

Interested parents, school personnel and others are invited to contact the Jim Davlantes at the intermediate district office, 673-2144, or Mrs. Connie Kochenderfer in Millington at 795-2693 for more information about the group and its next meeting.

Coming Auction:

Friday, April 28 - August Metzger will sell farm machinery at the place located two miles west and one and half miles south of Elkton on S. Maxwell Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, April 29 - Kenneth Gilbert will sell farm machinery and other personal property at the place located three and a half miles north and 3/4 of a mile east of Bad Axe on Rapson Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, May 6 - Gar Deering will sell farm machinery at the place located four miles east, two miles north and a quarter of a mile west of Cass City on Seeg Rd. Ira, Martin and David Osentoski, auctioneers.

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LOVE, LAUGHTER AND TEARS; MY HOLLYWOOD STORY, by Adela Rogers St. John (non-fiction). A veteran Hollywood reporter describes the people and events of the motion picture world when it was at its peak during the 1920s and 1930s.

TRAVELING WITH CHILDREN IN THE USA, by Leila Hadley (non-fiction). Locates and describes sites, attractions, activities, and other vacation possibilities in all the states, with suggestions for outings and emphasizing no-cost and low-cost relaxation and fun.

McCann announces candidacy

Tuscola County Director of Veterans Affairs James T. McCann has announced that he will be a candidate for representative of Michigan's 84th District. McCann, a Democrat, was a candidate for that seat in the 1976 general election. The seat is currently held by Republican Loren Armbruster of Caro.

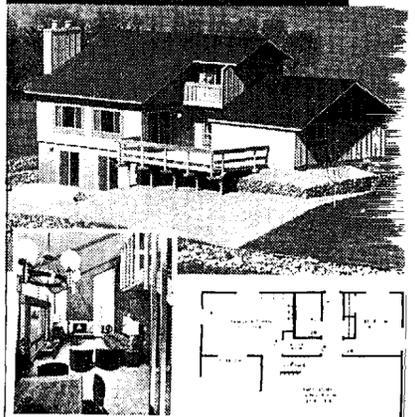


James McCann

The Akron resident is married and has four children. He has an associate in arts and bachelors degrees from Columbia College and a masters degree in education and community leadership from Central Michigan University. McCann retired from the U.S. Army June 1, 1974, after more than 20 years service.

He is a member of the planning council of the Thumb Area Manpower Consortium of Tuscola, Sanilac and Huron Counties; Disabled American Veterans, chapter 50; Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7486; Michigan Association of County Veteran Counselors; the Michigan Democratic Agriculture Committee, and authorized agent for the Michigan Veterans Trust Fund for Tuscola county.

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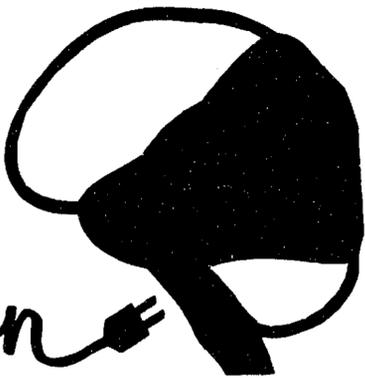
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40 attend OES meet

Forty attended the April 18 meeting of Gifford chapter OES at Gagetown. Guests from Ubyly attended and Doris and Nathan Ganell, worthy matron and worthy patron, and eight other Ubyly officers exemplified the desires of the Order with Gifford chapter officers substituting where needed.

The charter was draped by Marie Brown Woldt, 84, life member of Gifford chapter.

The district vesper service was announced for May 7 at Bad Axe at 4 p.m. At the close of the meeting, refreshments of biscuits and maple syrup were served by the April birthday committee.

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A complimentary lunch will be served. The tour will end by 3:30.

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No-fault discussed by AARP

The regular monthly meeting of the American Association of Retired Persons was held at the Lutheran Fellowship Hall, Thursday, April 13, with 52 members and guests present.

No-fault insurance was the program topic, presented by Edward Doerr of Michigan Mutual Insurance.

Volunteer nurses Joan Ware and Lucile Stine gave blood pressure checks. This program is given free every second month in this area, and is sponsored by the Thumb Area Commission on Aging, with Grant Kelly in charge.

Mildred Herr, Marie Roch, Frankie Anker and Margaret Beckett are in charge of arrangements for the May 11 meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cameron had dinner Sunday at the Black Forest restaurant in Frankenmuth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wale-senko and Mrs. Spears of Roseville were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Louis Naples.

The Holbrook Helpers 4-H crocheting and knitting group met Wednesday, Thursday and Friday after school at the home of Mrs. Jim Doerr.

Mrs. Martha Hammerle of Parisville, Mr. and Mrs. Al Hammerle, Dawn, Penny and Dean, Cass Ertman, Darla Osentoski, Dale and Rodney Talaski, Danny Lindquest and Bryce Champagne were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peter of Mt. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Bob LePla of Yale, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Peter and Mrs. Bernard and daughter of Coleman, Melvin Peter and Mrs. George Jackson attended the funeral of Mrs. Hattie Graham at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bad Axe Wednesday.

Mrs. August Lindquest and Tracy were Thursday guests of Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Mason Berridge and Amie of Romeo were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Michalski and family.

Christian Mothers

The Christian Mothers of St. Columbkille Catholic Church of Sheridan met at St. Andrew's hall Tuesday evening.

The new officers are president, Mrs. Stanley Heleski; co-president, Mrs. Marvin

and Brian of Decker were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bradford and family of Bay City were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Bea and family.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family, Eugene Cleland and Jerry Cleland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland for cake and ice cream for Mrs. Jim Doerr's birthday.

Mrs. Martin Sweeney spent a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Tom Collins and family at Allegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester returned home after spending the winter in Bradenton, Fla.

Mrs. Nicol and Mrs. Elaine Wright of Flint visited Sara Campbell at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer in Bad Axe Saturday. Other visitors throughout the week were Harry Edwards, Clayton Campbell, Mrs. John Dubey, Mrs. Ray Grigg, Mrs. Lorne Bowron, Mrs. Paul Streussnig, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Swackhamer and Jason.

Glen Shagena visited Leslie Hewitt Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krug visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Regional Rural Letter Carriers' meeting and dinner at Wildwood Farms Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wills moved in to their new home on South Street in Bad Axe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simons of Cass City were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mike Schenk was a Friday evening guest of Randy Gilbert in Frankenmuth.

Mrs. Elaine Wright and Mrs. Nicol of Flint and Ira Robinson had dinner Saturday at Lordels.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Van Erp and family of Henrietta, New York, and Mrs. Dave Sweeney visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Maurer and Mr. and Mrs. Greg Gordon and Brandy Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker were Friday guests of Mrs. Loren Becker at Belmont.

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

Carol Ross of McPherson, Kansas, flew home Monday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ross and daughter at Harrietta.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman and Mrs. Frank Pelton of Shabbona were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer. Mrs. Jack Tyrrell was a Saturday guest of Mrs. Keith McTaggart.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Van Erp and family left Saturday after spending a week visiting relatives in Detroit, Grand Ledge, Cass City, Ubyly and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Van Erp and Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peter of Mt. Morris were Wednesday lunch guests of Mrs. George Jackson.

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

Mrs. Tom O'Henley and sons were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krug spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dombrowski at Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Michalski and family were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy.

Mrs. Jerry Heilig and son were Thursday evening guests of Mrs. Dave Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert De Dyne and family at St. Johns and Monday attended a Moorman feed all-state meeting and dinner at Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk and son. Mrs. Mike Schenk and Michael Earl came home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart attended a retirement dinner at Wildwood Farms Saturday evening for Marjorie Repshinska, Beatrice Miljure, Fred Stroschein and Richard Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nadiger of Pontiac spent the weekend with Mrs. Emma Decker in Cass City.

Mrs. Delbert Gracey visited Mrs. Gaylor' Lapeer Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elvin of Bad Axe visited Mrs. Dave Sweeney Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verle Becker of Bay Port, Harold Becker, Scott and Jeffrey of Atlanta, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Leutiman of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Don Buchanan of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker and family of Cass City and Leslie Hewitt were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk and Michael and Sunday evening guests of Beatrice Hundersmarck.

Melvin Peter, Danny and Jan were Saturday forenoon guests of Mrs. George Jackson.

Brenda Grifka, Mrs. Simpson and Mary were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge and Ron were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Profit in Cass City.

Mrs. David Hacker and Mrs. Earl Schenk attended a baby shower for Mrs. Doug Bennett at the home of Mrs. Bill Fahs at Sandusky Friday evening. Games were played and prizes given.

Mrs. Dorothy Marr won the door prize and a lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart spent several days at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Deachin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deachin and family at Lake Orion.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer and Mrs. Manly Fay were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker when they met at Veronica's Restaurant for dinner in honor of the Lapeers' 40th wedding anniversary.

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The Department of Natural Resources reminds campers that campsites can be reserved at Michigan's state parks this summer by sending in a reservation application. Many campers have found the reservation program helpful, especially for camping during busy holiday periods.

Reservation applications are available at any state park and at most DNR field offices. Campers can also request an application by writing to the Parks Division, Department of Natural Resources, Box 30028, Lansing 48909.

Reservations can be made for camping anytime from May 1 through Sept. 30. Fifty per cent of state park campsites will be available for reservations with the remainder available on a first come, first serve basis.

Applications must be received by the park at least 15 days before you plan to arrive. All camping reservations are for a minimum of four and a maximum of 15 nights.

A check for the reservation fee, which is \$3, and for the total camping fee, \$5 per night at most parks, must accompany the application. Reserved sites will be assigned by the park officer.

If you must cancel your reservation, 24 hours notice is required for a refund. The \$3 reservation fee is not refundable.

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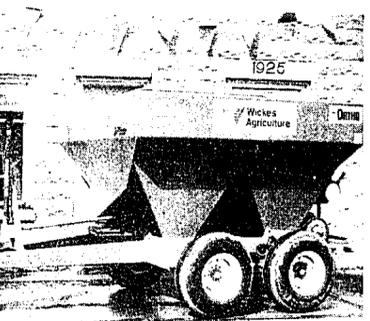
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JUNIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR Ross Ridenour (right) accepted the plaque bestowing the honor from Phil Keating, vice-president of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce.

Honor pair at annual chamber fete

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brochure, which was seen for the first time by those at the banquet.

Albee advocated that the chamber this year should work more with existing businesses and industry, with less emphasis placed on recruiting new business and industry.

He also urged the members present to recruit new chamber members, pointing out that "very, very few" new businesses have joined the organization.

Albee, Ken Martin, and Keith Pobanz are stepping down from the chamber board after having served three years. New board members are Tom Proctor, Dan Erla, and Dick Hunt. A new president will be selected at the May meeting. The invocation Saturday

night was given by Rev. Harry Capps. Past citizens of the year are:

- Willis Campbell.....1963
- Herb Ludlow.....1964
- M.B. Auten.....1965
- Lucile Bauer.....1966
- E.B. Schwaderer.....1967
- Dr. H.T. Donahue.....1968
- Jim Bauer.....1969
- Audley Rawson.....1970
- Curt Hunt.....1971
- W.E. Walpole.....1972
- H.M. Bulen.....1973
- Harry Little.....1974
- Cliff Croft.....1975
- Evelyn MacRae.....1976
- Helen Baker.....1977

Junior citizens of the year have been:

- Betty Kennedy.....1965
- Robert Rabideau.....1966
- Tim Knight.....1967
- Joan Maleck.....1968
- Lynn Haire.....1969
- Sally Geiger.....1970
- Cindy Strickland and Anne Bulen.....1971
- Ron Crandell.....1972
- Kim Glaspie.....1973
- Melody Bacon.....1974
- Marie Hobart.....1975
- Ann Hobart and Sue Pobanz.....1976
- Cathy Hobart.....1977



ART SHOW — Not all of the "displays" were hanging on walls at the art show Friday through Sunday at Kingston High School, sponsored by the art club. Kingston sophomore Laura Cherniawski painted this scene on plaster during the show.

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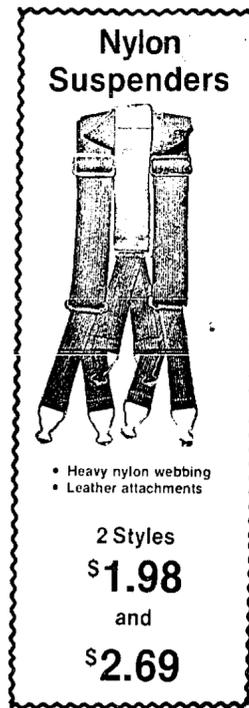
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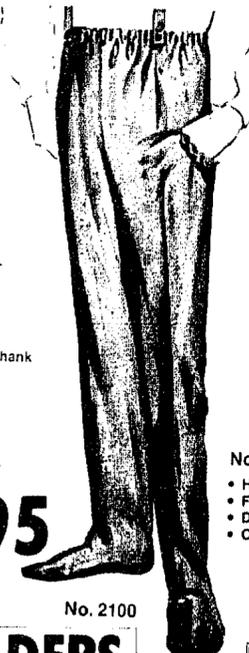
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White brick poses problem

The Owendale-Gagetown school board members didn't turn red last Thursday but they were upset over possibly having to pay \$6,400 extra for white fluted concrete block for the high school addition.

The fault, the project manager of Construction Coordinators Inc., Harvey Lubeski, told the board, lies with the architect, Wigen-Tincknell & Associates.

The board has already awarded a bid for the masonry, to Jones and Simpson Inc. of Flint, for \$212,100.

The problem, Lubeski explained, is that the bid specifications said the color for the fluted concrete block was to be specified later by the architect. The block will go on the addition between the red brick lower facing and the eaves.

Fluted block, he said, is the same price for any color, except white, and the architect knew that white was needed to match the trim on the present high school building. Jones and Simpson, which was the low bidder, submitted its bid on the basis of the price for the standard block, because none of the bidders knew white would be required.

"Every time we come here, it's \$6,000 here, \$4,000 there," board member Jack Brinkman complained. "Before you know it, it's going to be \$150,000 (extra) instead of \$6,000."

Lubeski said, without disagreement from the board, that Jones and Simpson would be told to proceed under the disputed work clause, with the question of who pays the \$6,400 extra subject to negotiation.

The firm was to start the masonry work this week, according to the project superintendent. The basic underground electrical work is in and installation of underground plumbing was to start Friday. Removal of the portion of the gym where the new kitchen will go has begun and the old boiler and electrical room will be removed this week.

Most of the special meeting was devoted to a discussion of the suit against the

Cass City School District to recover the Goslin parcel taxes. The board gave its official go-ahead to the suit, including the \$25,000 being sought in damages against Cass City School Supt. Donald Crouse.

Supt. Ronald Erickson reported that although the arbitrator ruled against the district in a grievance filed by teacher Eloise Kuntz, she had also filed an appeal to the State Tenure Commission. The commission has ordered her appeal dismissed, notification of which was received April 19. The ruling of the arbitrator takes precedent in that Mrs. Kuntz will be paid the sick pay she claimed she was owed plus have a reprimand removed from her file.

The board voted to send a letter to the St. Agatha's Catholic Church parish council asking that Owen-Gage be given the first option to purchase St. Agatha's School if the council decides to sell it.

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MERCHANETTE LEAGUE April 20, 1978

Bliss Milk Hauling 23
Walbro 22
Kritzmans' 22
Herron Builders 22
Tuckey Block 18
Cass City Boron 18
Albee Hardware 18
Cole Carbide 16
Anrod Screen Cylinder 16
Wilson Insurance 14
The Wearhouse 14
Gambles 13

High Team Series:
Kritzmans' 2392, Walbro 2326, Bliss 2315, Cole 2289, C.C. Boron 2140, Herron's 2124, Wilson 2092, Gambles 2085, Albee's 2078, Tuckey's 2068, Anrod 2035, Wearhouse 2022.

High Team Games:
Kritzmans' 937-760, Walbro 843-805, Cole 823-759-707, Bliss 805-780-730, Gambles 800, Wilson's 756, C.C. Boron 728-715, Herron's 722-714, Anrod 721, Albee's 720-712, Wearhouse 702.

High Individual Series: N. Wallace 557, B. Schott 542, K. Tuckey 538, M. Rabideau 537, J. LaRoche 533, J. Shope 526, P. Johnson 523, J. Morell 493, H. Sontag 492, M. Zdrojewski 488, D. Golding 484, Pat McIntosh 474, S. Doerr 473, B. Deering 470, M. Guild 463, Phyllis McIntosh 459, T. Weaver 459, B. Irler 453, P. Little 453, D. Wischmeyer 452.

165, J. Smithson 165, S. Doerr 164-159-150, P. Little 162, N. Bauer 157, E. Reagh 157-154, M. Kasdorf 155, M. Walpole 152, M. Damm 151-150.

SUNDAY NITE MIXED April 23, 1978

Oddballs 18
Tumblers 18
Mix-Ups 16
Late Comers 15
Sandbaggers 13
King Pins 12
Generation Gap 11
Outcasts 9

Men's High Series: D. Sowden 473, R. Deering 512, T. Furness 503, D. Randall 489, C. Hewlett 437, C. Palmateer 435.

Men's High Games: L. Tracy 159, D. Sowden 193, R. Horne 156, C. Palmateer 166-160, R. Deering 164-189-159, T. Furness 188-172, J. Kosal 169, D. Randall 180-153-156.

Ladies' High Series: J. Deering 529, C. Furness 433, D. Tracy 435.

Ladies' High Games: D. Tracy 152-164, C. Furness 150-157, J. Deering 165-190-174.

Splits Converted: L. Tracy 5-7, L. Hewlett 5-7-9, T. Furness 3-10, V. Kosal 3-10 (2).

CHARMONT LADIES April 18, 1978

Ber Wa Ga Na 31
Brinkman Bins 29
Veronica's 29
Johnson Plumberettes 24
Cablettes 24
Gagetown Oil & Gas 23
Erla's 22
Woods Research 21
Live Wires 20
Farm Bureau 20
Big D 16
IGA Foodliner 5

Team High Game: Gagetown Oil & Gas 852

Team High Series: Johnson Plumberettes 2281.

High Series: R. Speirs 511, J. Ardler 510, S. Scott 484, M.

Smithers 484, J. Steadman 455, C. Mellendorf 488, P. McIntosh 455, S. Reynolds 461, B. Abke 468, R. Rinker 493, B. Irler 463, N. Davis 477, R. Batts 497, M. Spencer 453, M. Guild 480, P. Rayl 476, J. Koch 484, M. Tate 456.

High Games: P. Rayl 224, C. Mellendorf 211, J. Ardler 200, R. Speirs 200, J. Winchester 159, P. Koch 157, J. Koch 185, M. Tate 170, R. Batts 198, A. Turner 167, M. Spencer 162, P. Brinkman 160, M. Guild 168, B. Rinker 188, D. Jones 158, P. Johnson 156, J. Steadman 159, H. Peters 182, P. McIntosh 176, J. Woods 157, S. Reynolds 176, L. Holcomb 171, B. Abke 165, S. Doerr 162, M. Schember 156, Caroline Rutkoski 150, C. Wallace 155, A. Turner 161, H. Cooper 150, S. Scott 182, M. Smithers 169, E. Romain 169.

Pat Rayl rolled 100 pins over her average with a 224 game.

SUNDAY NIGHT JUNIOR April 16, 1978

Bros. 16
Doobies 14
Hawks 13
Reefer Rollers 12
Ten Pins 5
Sweathogs 0

High Team Series: Doobies 1308, Bros. 1143, Hawks 1107.

High Team Games: Doobies 459-457, Bros. 412.

High Individual Series: T. Hill 501, C. Kelley 471, J. Martin 453, D. Posluszny 435, M. Lefler 409, D. Dickinson 402.

High Individual Games: T. Hill 179-169-153, D. Posluszny 202, C. Kelley 190, J. Martin 156.

Splits Converted: J. Martin 5-10, 3-10, T. Hill 8-5, 10, 5-10, C. Kelley 5-10, M. Lefler 3-10, T. Lefler 5-6, M. Deering 2-7, D. Posluszny 3-5-10.

SUNDAY NIGHT JUNIOR April 23, 1978

Bros. 19
Doobies 15
Reefer Rollers 15
Hawks 14
Ten Pins 8
Sweathogs 1

High Team Series: Bros. 1186, Reefer Rollers 1153, Doobies 1144, Ten Pins 1105.

High Team Games: Doobies 434, Reefer Rollers 412, Bros. 406, Ten Pins 402.

High Individual Series: D. Posluszny 435, C. Kelley 416, M. Miracle 414.

High Individual Games: M. Miracle 169, D. Posluszny 168, D. Dickinson 161, C. Kelley 154.

Splits Converted: M. Deering 5-6, F. Francis 4-5-7.

TUSCOLA GET TO GETHERS "A" April 17, 1978

Hall's Trim Shop 32
Bartnik's Sales & Parts 27
Ouvry Chevy-Olds 26
Spring Crest Draperies 23
New Greenleaf Garage 22
Hillaker's Auct. Serv. 21
Sommers' Bakery 17
WIDL Radio 17
Harris-Hampshire Ins. 15
Croft-Clara Lumber 15
J&C Service 9

High Game: R. Ouvry 234.

High Series: E. Schulz 589.

High Team Series: Ouvry's 2743.

High Team Game: Ouvry's 948.

500 Series: E. Schulz 589, B. Bader 506, L. Summers 567, E. Helwig 507, M. Helwig 542, K. Gremel 518, B. Warrack 522, M. Zawilinski 570, R. Ouvry 553, C. Kolb 529, R. Hampshire 509, B. Bartle 532, B. Kingsland 523, M. Wasserman 525, D. Englehart 506, J. McIntosh 540, B. Smith 525, D. Shannon 506, L. Tomaszewski 522.

200 Games: E. Schulz 210-200, L. Summers 205, M. Helwig 200, B. Warrack 203, M. Zawilinski 204, R. Ouvry 234, C. Kolb 201, B. Kingsland 218, D. Englehart 208.

TUSCOLA GET TO GETHERS "B" April 17, 1978

Cole Carbide 31
Fagan's No. 2 28
Cass City Crop Service 28
Kingston State Bank 23 1/2
Thunder Road Speed. 23
Colwood No. 1 22
Kingston Krome 19
Blount Agri. 19
Rogers Hay 16
Ami's Texaco 11
Colwood No. 2 10 1/2
Farm Bureau 8

High Game: B. Chard 210

High Series: R. Jenkins 567.

High Team Series: Cole Carbide 2832.

High Team Game: Kingston Krome 977.

500 Series: B. Skinner 520, B. Patterson 548, N. Benitez 507, S. Orban 513, M. Lefler 522, B. Davidson 523, M. Mellendorf 501, T. Comment 528, R. Jenkins 567, B. Chard 518, J. Zawilinski 536.

200 Games: B. Skinner 209, M. Mellendorf 201, B. Chard 210.

GUYS & GALS April 18, 1978 End of Second Half

D&D Construction 45
Lucky Strikes 40
Muldoos 40
Udder Guys 36
Century 21 35
Brand X 30
Kingston CB'ers 30
Full Moons 29
Kens and Kerbs 29
T-B's 23 1/2
Pin Rollers 23 1/2
Kingston Klowns 23

High Team Series: Muldoos 1837, Lucky Strikes 1822, Brand X 1820.

High Team Games: Century 21 655, Brand X 653, Lucky Strikes 643, Kingston CB'ers 641.

High Men's Series: N. Benitez 546, R. Bouck 531, P. Leiterman 481.

High Men's Games: N. Benitez 248, R. Colling 195, R. Bouck 182.

High Women's Series: L. Leiterman 461, V. Bilicki 456, P. Ulfig 454, V. Bouck 441, J. McCarty 441, V. Bouck 428, P. LaPeer 428, M. Leiterman 411, M. Schwartz 408, L. Colling 406.

High Women's Games: V. Wolak 172-164, J. McCarty 168, L. Leiterman 164, P. Ulfig 161, V. Bouck 161, V. Bilicki 160-158, P. LaPeer 159, L. Colling 154, J. Turner 153.

Splits Converted: 3-10 V. Bilicki, J. Turner, M. Schwartz, B. Inbody, P. Leiterman, Joyce Turner, 6-7-10 N. Benitez, 2-7 P. LaPeer, 2-5-7 L. Colling, 5-7-9 Bert Fischer, D. Hutchinson, 5-7 K. Distelrath, 4-5-7 M. Leiterman.

KINGS & QUEENS April 20, 1978

Nic-Cums 18 1/2
M-D's 18
Rebels 16
Bar Gals 14 1/2
Pro Bowlers 13
Gutter Dusters 11
Forty Niners 11
Pin Busters 10

High Team Series: Nic-Cums 1959, Forty Niners 1868, M-D's 1861, Pin Busters 1849.

High Team Games: Nic-

Cums 690-648-621, Forty Niners 676-633, M-D's 667, Pin Busters 638-622.

High Men's Series: J. Schwartz 536, V. Galloway 522, S. Mellendorf 521, R. Nicholas 506, C. Mellendorf 506, J. Brown 503.

High Men's Games: J. Ouvry 212, J. Schwartz 194-23 184, V. Galloway 187, R. Nicholas 180.

High Women's Series: S. Cummins 581, C. Davidson 484, I. Schweikart 457, P. Schwartz 450, J. Schwartz 427, S. Nicholas 416, M. Schwartz 406.

High Women's Games: S. Cummins 210-202-169, I. Schweikart 178, J. Schwartz 177, C. Davidson 176-165, P. Schwartz 163-157, S. Nicholas 150.

Splits Converted: 3-10 R. Mellendorf, C. Davidson, R. Nicholas, John Schwartz, M. Schwartz, P. Schwartz; 2-7 Joyce Schwartz, W. Czekal; 5-6 Joyce Schwartz (2).

TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES April 18, 1978

Out of Towners 45 1/2
Team No. 5 36
The Carber-Raiders 36
Sunshine 35 1/2
The Bankettes 33 1/2
Decker Devils 32
Day-Dreamers 31
Charlie's Angels 31
Lucky Stripes 28
Bowling Bags 27
Wonder Women 24 1/2
Chappel's Men's Shop 24
High Game: D. Taylor 191.

High Series: B. Langenburg 472.

High Team Game: Out of Towners 802.

High Team Series: Out of Towners 2337.

Splits Converted: D. Wernette 4-5-7, Y. Burleson 9-10, D. LeValley 5-7, F. Schnepf 2-7.

MERCHANTS "A" LEAGUE April 19, 1978

Final Standings - Round #3

Cass City Oil & Gas 30
Fuelgas 28 1/2
Erla's Food Center 27
Blount Agriculture 26
Kritzmans' 25 1/2
Croft-Clara Lumber 23
Charmont 21 1/2
Kingston State Bank 19 1/2
Ouvry Chevy-Olds 19
Charlie's Market 17
Warren Electric 15
New England Life 12

600 Series: J. Storm 612.

500 Series: F. Knoblet 596, J. Little 592, R. Osentoski 583, A. Witherspoon 581, D. Vatter 579, E. Helwig 573, F. Schott 573, M. Zawilinski 560, P. Rienstra 554, D. Root 554, E. Schulz 553, J. Steadman 550, J. Fox 550, L. Summers 543, J. Smithson 536, B. Copeland 529, A. McLachlan 529, C. Kolb 528, G. Lapp 527, B. Selby 516, H. Wolak 515, J. Root 508, J. Gallagher 506, N. Willy 506, C. Muntz 505, T. Struckmeyer 505, P. Robinson 504, C. Vandiver 501.

200 Games: F. Knoblet 236, J. Storm 234, A. Witherspoon 217-201, L. Summers 213, F. Schott 211, R. Osentoski 210-206, B. Copeland 209, E. Helwig 207-202, P. Rienstra 206, D. Vatter 205-204, D. Root 204, J. Fox 203, J. Smithson 203, A. McLachlan 201, H. Wolak 200.

Winner of Round No. 1: Blount Agriculture.

Winner of Round No. 2: Kingston State Bank.

Team High Series For Year: Charmont 2921.

Individual High Series For Year: Nelson Willy 654.

Team High Game For Year: Cass City Oil & Gas 1083.

Individual High Game For Year: Nelson Willy 258.

Individual High Average: George Lapp 181.

MERCHANTS "B" LEAGUE April 19, 1978

Final Standings - Round #3

Rabideau Motor Sales 35
Colony House 31
Charmont 27
Gagetown Oil & Gas 27
Croft-Clara Lumber 26 1/2
Tuckey Concrete 21
Walbro 20
Clare's Sunoco Service 20
Herron Builders 17
Village Service Center 14
Copeland Builders 13 1/2
American Bankers Life 12

600 Series: E. Haag 644

500 Series: D. Miller 594, P. Nielsen 551, D. Englehart 550, G. Deering 547, D. Auslander 545, M. Sontag 533, R. Tuckey 525, B. Anthes 520, F. Schott 516, J. Guinther 515, R. Hillaker 515, D. Koch 513, B. Kozan 509, R. Koch 508, B. Bartle 505, B. Klankman 503.

2-0 Games: E. Haag 240-204-200, D. Miller 226-218, D. Auslander 214, M. Sontag 210, D. Koch 208, B. Zeidler 205, B. Anthes 204, P. Nielsen 203, G. Deering 200, D. Englehart 200, B. Klankman 200.

Winner of Round No. 1: Tuckey Concrete.

Winner of Round No. 2: Colony House.

Team High Series For Year: Colony House 2895.

Individual High Series For Year: Roy Tuckey 642.

Team High Game For Year: Colony House 1047.

Individual High Game For Year: Bruce Silvernail 247.

Individual High Average: Frank Schott 173.

THURSDAY NITE TRIO April 20, 1978

Draves 22 1/2
Blatz 20 1/2
Caro Sand & Gravel 20
Wildwood 19
Van Dale 19
Root 19
Big John's OOPS 16
Nemeth 13
Hillside 13
B.I. Wilson 11
Smith 9

High Team Series: Nemeth & Wildwood 1789.

High Team Games: Nemeth 643, Wildwood 639, Root 633, Caro Sand & Gravel 630, Hillside 624, OOPS 629, Big John's 613-602, Draves 605.

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE April 20, 1978

Crestwood Lounge 40 1/2
Gutter Dusters 32 1/2
Colonial Inn 31
Pin Passers 28
Friendly Rivals 27 1/2
Pin Pickers 27
Hot Shots 20 1/2
F Troop 17

High Game: N. Anderson 184.

High Series: N. Anderson 529.

High Team Game: Friendly Rivals 608.

High Team Series: Crestwood Lounge 1703.

500 Series: N. Anderson 529, B. Laming 527.

Splits Converted: D. LeVally 4-5 and 5-6, V. Kilbourn 3-10, A. Kritzman 5-7, M. Horne 3-10, B. Ender 2-7.

Turkeys: H. Peters, V. Shemko, M. Billow.

CITY LEAGUE April 24, 1978

Cass City Cycle Sales 23
Evans Products 18 1/2
Woods Hay & Straw 18
Mac & Leo Service 16 1/2
Cass City Lanes 13 1/2
Whittaker's Saw Mill 13 1/2
Dale's Eave Troughing 13
Klein's Fertilizer 12
High Team Series: Dale's Eave Troughing 2432, Whittaker's Saw Mill 2401.

High Individual Series: Randy Horne 531, V. Galloway 518, J. Schwartz 505.

High Individual Games: R. Schweikart 204, O. Pierce 194-180, R. Horne 193, T. Furness 189, J. Schwartz 185-181, L. Taylor 179, D. Houghton 175, T. Peruski 175, L. Whittaker 175, V. Galloway 175.

SUNDAY NITERS April 23, 1978

Pressure Kochers 24
Gutter Dusters 20
Outlaws 20
Four La La's 18
Blacksmiths 17
Wild Bunch 16
Cass City Rollers 15
Colwood Bar 15
Bombers 14
Alley Cats 12
Blount Agriculture 12
Matt Drainage 10

High Men's Series Ron Marchlewicz 582.

High Men's Game: Francis Goslin 214.

High Women's Series: Geri Corcoran 517.

High Women's Game: Phyllis Koch 221.

High Team Series: Gutter Dusters 1907.

High Team Game: Pressure Kochers 698.

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SERVICE DIRECTORY



TREE PLANTING -- Members of Den No. 2 of Kingston Cub Scouts Pack 3554 planted two trees and picked up trash in Kingston Memorial Park Saturday, which was National Scout Environment Day. From left are Jeff Barden, Jeff Reinelt, Jim Gibson, and Ron Clement. Also taking part were Joel Stutz, Daryl Cummings, and Mark Reehl, plus den mothers Jan Barden and Rose Reinelt.

Okay appeal hearing of Judge Kern's decision

Circuit Judge Martin E. Clements on Monday granted the motion of Prosecutor Patrick Joslyn for an appeal of a decision by District Judge Richard F. Kern.

Clements granted the prosecutor's motion for leave (permission) to appeal the finding of Kern at a Jan. 19 preliminary examination that there was insufficient evidence to bind two defendants over to Circuit Court for trial. An appeal of the district judge's finding will now be heard in Circuit Court.

The case involved Michael Grimshaw and Edith Woodruff, both of Blackmore

Road, Mayville, both charged with breaking and entering an unoccupied dwelling in connection with a Jan. 18 break-in of a cottage at the Caro Regional Center.

Also before Judge Clements Monday:

Charges of attempted delivery of LSD against Robert Okony of W. Saginaw Road, Mayville, and Kerry Pendland of 147 Swaffer Road, Mayville, were dismissed.

Each pleaded guilty to the charge March 28, 1977. They were subsequently placed on one year probation under Section 47 of the Michigan Controlled Substance Act. Each complied with the

provisions of their probation, which under Section 47 meant the charges could be dismissed at the end of the probation period.

Kaylen D. Scorum, 35, of 3458 Mill Street, Vassar, stood mute to a charge of driving under the influence of liquor (3rd offense).

Bond was continued with a pretrial hearing scheduled June 5. Scorum was arrested on the charge March 13 in Denmark Township.

Bryan D. Whittaker, 17, of 3292 Sheridan Road, Vassar, pleaded guilty to attempted receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100.

His plea was accepted and bond was continued until sentencing June 5.

The charge was in connection with the theft of a snowmobile from Allen Rupert of Vassar Township on Feb. 10.

Samuel E. Trisch, 31, no available information, pleaded innocent to supplemental information. A pretrial hearing was scheduled May 22.

The supplemental information motion was filed after Trisch was found guilty April 12 by a Circuit Court jury of fraud, which was his fourth felony conviction.

He is presently being held in the county jail without bond awaiting sentencing May 22 for the fraud conviction. Conviction on supplemental information—that he is a habitual offender—would mean that Trisch could be sentenced for up to life in prison.

On April 19 before Judge Clements, a jury found Harold R. Delong, 40, of 115 W. Bevens Road, Caro, innocent of breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny.

DeLong had been charged with a June 14, 1977, break-in

Fiddlers' jamboree Saturday

Michigan Fiddlers are descending on Port Hope Saturday, April 29, for a fiddlers' jamboree and square dance at the Port Hope "Old Red Church".

Festivities will start at 1 p.m., with a fiddler's jamboree, with each fiddler taking a turn at the microphone.

Square dancing will follow the jamboree, from 6 p.m. - midnight.

"We don't charge admission," noted Jane Allison secretary of the Michigan Fiddlers' Association, because we want everyone to have the chance to participate in traditional entertainment.

"Our mailing list is almost 700 musicians," she added, "and the cost for the mailing is defrayed through donations received from the audience at the dances."

Everyone who plays a non-electrified musical instrument is invited to bring it along and join in the jam sessions that continue throughout the afternoon and into the evening.

The Port Hope Retirees are co-sponsoring the event.

Sunday fire damages truck

Under-the-hood damage was extensive Sunday afternoon when a Bliss Milk-hauling tanker caught fire.

Bill Bliss Sr. had just pulled into the Don Kruse farm on Schwegler Road about 1:30 to pick up a load of milk when smoke started coming from under the hood.

Elkland township firemen were called to extinguish the fire. Damage was confined to the engine compartment, plus a cracked windshield and some minor damage in the dash area.

Bliss had no idea what started the fire. The engine had just been overhauled, he said.

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Elkland township firemen late Monday afternoon extinguished a grass fire that burned about one acre.

The fire was on a farm rented out by David Little on Phillips Road south of Kelly Road.

Fire Chief Jack Hartwick said someone was burning trash and the flames spread to the field.

A wet mop yielded by a Huron County sheriff's deputy was used to extinguish a small fire in the back of Ed's Bar in Owendale about 12:35 p.m. Saturday.

Deputy William Sharp was in the community building when someone came in and told him about the fire. He grabbed a mop and extinguished the burning wood and paper. Cause was not immediately determined.

Armbruster seeking reelection

State Representative Loren Armbruster, R-Caro, has announced that he will be a candidate for reelection to the Michigan House of Representatives from the 84th District.

Armbruster, 60, who last August underwent open heart surgery, said he feels good. "I have been back on the job since last October. I feel as good as I did 15 years ago."

Armbruster is vice-chairman of the House Drainage Committee and is a member of the committees on conservation, environment and recreation, liquor control, social services and youth, and roads and bridges.

He is a graduate of Sebewaing High School and Michigan State University. Prior to his election to the House in 1972, he served 22 years as executive vice-president of the Beet Sugar Association of Michigan. He was also a high school vocational-agricultural instructor and a county agricultural extension director.

Armbruster served as a commissioned officer in the U.S. Army Air Force during World War II and the Korean conflict. He has been active in the county and state Republican party, 4-H and the Boy Scouts. He is a member of the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Caro. He is married to the former Edna Golden. They have two sons and a daughter.

The 84th district consists of all of Tuscola county and parts of Genesee and Saginaw counties.

Special meeting of Village Council

A special meeting of the Cass City Village Council was held April 18, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. at the Municipal building. All Trustees were present.

After discussion on the fencing of the two new softball diamonds a motion was made by Trustee Rawson and supported by Trustee Ware that the proposal as submitted for permanent fence in new park 250 feet deep plus back stop extension at the cost of \$6,182.00 be ordered immediately and that the softball diamond west of the track to put in good playing condition. Motion carried 6 yeas 0 nays.

A motion was made by Trustee Tuttle and supported by Trustee Helwig to authorize purchase of a 14 h.p. Power King riding mower from Leonard Damm and son, Cass City at the cost of \$2900.00. Motion carried 6 yeas 0 nays.

After discussion of construction of a road from Rose Street to Seeger a motion was made by Trustee Helwig and supported by Trustee Stahlbaum to hold a public hearing on the question on April 25, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. at the Elkland Township Fire Hall. Motion carried 6 yeas 0 nays.

Trustee Helwig and Trustee Stahlbaum were appointed to work with the township on the Memorial Day festivities.

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

Local woman wins \$5,000 in lottery

Beverly Rockefeller of Cass City is the winner of \$5,000 in the Michigan lottery "Tic-Tac-Dough" instant game.



Beverly Rockefeller

She bought her winning lottery card April 20 at Erla's Food Center.

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Although there is still a ways to go, progress towards a settlement in the year-long school-teacher negotiations was evident in a Friday session that lasted until midnight.

Many of the non-economic issues have been ironed out and Tri-County Bargaining Association (TBA) reps are presently studying a Cass City School proposal in anticipation of the next meeting this Friday.

Details of the requests of the TBA and of the school offer can be seen in the accompanying chart.

It's likely that there is room for bargaining in both positions.

Some of the more sticky issues still to be resolved include whether any type of Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) will be included in the final package; the five-hour in-class teaching day and binding arbitration.

There are others, including sick leave, lay-off and recall and personal business days, which are still in dispute but probably will be easier to solve.

If it appears that there has really been very little accomplished, looks are

Al Luce, school negotiator, said that if COLA had to be included, a one-year contract should be signed.

"Since the year is about over, we know what that cost will be," he said.

It's doubtful that either the school or the union wants anything less than a three-year pact if terms can be worked out. (Later the school submitted a three-year proposal to the teachers.)

Teacher representative Leo Gengler said that lengthy negotiations are bad for school teacher morale. It's at a low ebb here now, he claims.

The TBA is asking for full binding arbitration. The

school is offering to submit to advisory arbitration in 1978-79 and binding arbitration in 1979-80 with one important exception.

Teacher evaluation and dismissal is to remain an administration function and is not subject to grievance. For practical purposes that means the first two years of a teacher's career, after which tenure is usually granted or the teacher dismissed.

Cass City teachers now have classes about 5½ hours daily. They propose a five-hour class day, a schedule that now prevails in some of the neighboring schools, according to TBA reps.

The picture in a capsule

The teacher-school negotiation picture at a glance. Readers are cautioned that these are proposals submitted by both parties knowing that they will be subjected to hard bargaining. Salaries presented are minimum and maximum for teachers with BA and MA degrees. The maximum figure is paid after a teacher has been in the system for 11 years.

SALARIES 1976-77	1977-78 AREA AVERAGE
BA - \$8,000 to \$14,240	This is the average of the salary schedules of area schools that have settled 1977-78 contracts. They do not include fringe benefits. The schools are: Akron-Fairgrove, Ubyly, Sandusky, Marlette, Lakers, Bad Axe and Caro.
MA - 9,400 to 15,340	BA - \$9,470 to \$14,951
Plus 5 per cent retirement paid by school as required by law.	MA - 9,978 to 15,886

TEACHERS PROPOSALS	
BA - \$9,959 to \$15,934*	MA - \$10,518 to \$17,165*
*This figure is based on an estimated cost of living allowance and 5 per cent salary increase. Figures could vary slightly depending on the COLA allowance. Important fringes: full payment of hospitalization with addition of long term disability insurance. Full payment of a dental program. Payment for schedule "B" (extracurricular duties such as coaching, band director, class advisor, etc.) would vary from 1 per cent to 12 per cent of the BA salary schedule with increase payment for experience up to five years.	

SCHOOL OFFER	
1977-78-BA degrees \$9,450 to \$15,000; MA-\$9,950 to \$16,250	
1978-79 - BA degree \$10,000 to \$16,000; MA - \$10,500 to \$17,258	
1979-80 - BA degree \$10,600 to \$16,950; MA - \$11,200 to \$18,250	
Important fringes: Increase hospitalization to \$100 a month Sept. 1, 1978. Pay \$5,000 per year towards cost of dental care. Increase schedule B 6 per cent. Salaries now range from \$1,120 for highest paid varsity coaches to \$60 for handling National Honor Society.	

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Thieves foiled in Mayville bank break-in

A car stolen from a Cass City man in Caro Friday was found in damaged condition Sunday afternoon.

Debra Killinger and Tracy Cain of Caro contacted Caro state police after finding the car off the south end of Keilitz Road, south of Shabbona Road. Owner of the 1972 Dodge was Robert J. Fry of Rt. 3, Cass City.

Troopers found the windshield and driver's side and rear windows were smashed using the car's bumper jack. The left side of the car was smashed in behind the door, apparently from the car hitting a tree.

The car was towed to Caro, where village police there are continuing the investigation.

Sheriff's detectives and the Federal Bureau of Investigation Monday morning were investigating a break-in during the weekend at the Fostoria branch of the Mayville State Bank.

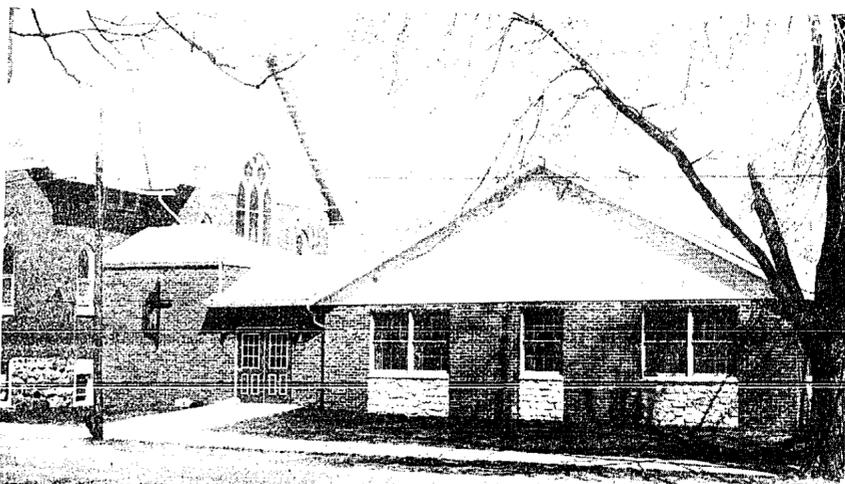
An unsuccessful attempt had been made to break open the vault.

Caro state police are investigating an estimated \$300 in damages done to six Unionville-Sebewaing Area Schools buses during the weekend. The buses, parked by the high school in Unionville, were last checked at 9 a.m. Saturday. The damage was discovered Monday morning.

Contents of each bus' fire extinguisher were sprayed around the insides and parts of the seats were removed.

Other damage, not done in all buses, included pulling off radio knobs, kicking in a windshield washer container, bent turn signal, broken speedometer glass, scattering of logbook papers, theft of three first aid kits and in one bus, theft of fuses and fuse container.

stolen during the past few months. Most recently taken was a chain saw valued at \$300, taken the previous night. Other items stolen have been an electric circular saw, \$40; battery, \$30; canvas tarp, \$52; and a four-foot stepladder, \$5.



FRIENDSHIP HALL -- A consecration service for the Friendship Hall (to the right) at the Kingston United Methodist Church will be performed this Sunday at 3 p.m. The original church building is 75 years old.

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A 20-year-old Caro youth was still in the Tuscola County Jail Tuesday afternoon, charged with unlawful use of a credit card.

The charge is in connection with his using a credit card belonging to Allen Stebbins of Caro to buy \$1 worth of gas from the L & S Standard Station in Cass City on April 12.

Charged is Scott Wright of 1561 Mertz Road. He was arraigned April 19 before District Judge Richard F. Kern, who set bond at \$2,000, which as of Tuesday afternoon had not been posted. A pre-preliminary examination was scheduled May 1 and preliminary examination May 12.

Similar charges by Saginaw Township Police are pending against Wright, who is accused of making purchases with stolen credit cards at Fashion Square Mall.

Wright was arrested by Caro police April 19 on the warrant from Cass City police.

A wallet containing nine credit cards and \$2 in cash was stolen from Mrs. Allen Stebbins April 10 or 11 when she was a patient at Caro Community Hospital. Wright was a patient there at that same time.

Marie Vanderpool of 3976 Shaw Road, Kingston, reported to sheriff's deputies April 17 that several items had been

A consecration service for the Friendship Hall at the Kingston United Methodist Church will be conducted this Sunday, starting at 3 p.m.

The 173 members of the church have been using the hall since October, 1976, and paid off the last of the debt this past December.

Guest preacher at the consecration will be Dr. Royal J. Synwolt, assistant to the bishop of the Detroit conference of the United Methodist Church. Also participating will be Rev. Robert E. Horton, the district superintendent.

The church pastor, Rev. Joel Hurley, said the debt wasn't originally scheduled to be paid off till Easter so the consecration service was scheduled for this time. The debt was paid off earlier, but by then it wasn't possible to reschedule the service due to the schedules of the two guest speakers.

Construction of the addition to the 75-year-old church began in September, 1975. Church members donated much labor and materials to the effort, which kept the actual cost to \$66,790. The new building is valued at \$110,000.

The Friendship Hall houses a new entranceway into the old church, office for the pastor, restrooms, a large kitchen and a large room for gatherings. Portable partitions are used in the large room to convert it into classrooms for Sunday School.

Solons back 4 county circuit court districts

Four Thumb counties will each have their own circuit judges if their state legislators can persuade their fellow legislators to go along.

The boards of commissioners in two of the counties approve the action, the other two are opposed.

Sen. Alvin DeGrow and Representatives Loren Armbruster and Quincy Hoffman all support the counties involved within their districts each having their own judge or judges.

THE PROPOSAL

The issue goes back to last fall when the state Supreme Court and state court administrator's office recommended to the legislature that a third circuit judge be added to the 40th Judicial Circuit, Tuscola and Lapeer counties, and a second judge be added to the 24th circuit, Huron and Sanilac counties.

The two new judgeships are part of a legislative package to add 29 district, circuit and probate judges in the state. A joint House-Senate committee held a hearing in Lansing April 14 on the bill, which is now in the Senate Judiciary Committee.

The bill as presently written adds a judge to the 40th and 24th circuits, but county commissioners in Tuscola and Huron counties don't want that. Instead, they want each district split so that their respective counties can have their own judge.

For the 40th, that would mean Lapeer county would

keep the two judges that presently serve the two counties, Norman A. Baguley and Martin E. Clements, and a new judge would be elected in Tuscola.

The 24th would be split into two districts. Presumably, Judge Allen E. Keyes, who lives in Marlette, would serve Sanilac county while a new judge would be elected in Huron.

Tuscola commissioners want a judge for this county for several reasons, all stemming from the fact that the two present judges both live in Lapeer county. They fear that without splitting the district, because of the larger number of voters in Lapeer county, the third judge would also be elected from there.

Having a home judge in Tuscola would mean that deputies, when they need to have legal papers signed in off-hours, would no longer have to travel to Lapeer county to get them signed.

Having a lone judge here would also eliminate the possible need to build a second circuit courtroom in Caro, in case two of the three judges in the two-county circuit held sessions here at the same time.

The Tuscola County Bar Association -- the county's lawyers -- is backing the commissioners.

However, the Lapeer county Board of Commissioners is opposed to splitting the circuit. They are supported by the Judges Clements and Baguley.

Clements recently told the Lapeer board that the workload in Tuscola would be too

great with only one judge. Last year, 934 cases were started in Lapeer county (where there would be two judges if the circuit were split) to 635 in Tuscola (where there would be one judge).

He also pointed out that when a lone judge is ill or on vacation, the court system shuts down.

Despite the opposition of the Huron County Bar Association, that county's commissioners on April 11 reaffirmed their earlier stance in favor of making Huron county into a separate judicial district.

One attorney called the county board's action, "an act of provincialism," and two others pointed out the added cost involved. Especially during the first year or so, the newly elected judge will be faced with cases that he was involved with when he was a practicing attorney. When that happens, he will have to disqualify himself and the county will have to pay the salary and expenses for a visiting judge -- in addition to the salary supplement for the regular judge. (Judge Keyes presently receives \$14,000 from the two counties in addition to the \$29,100 he receives annually from the state).

The Sanilac County Board of Commissioners originally went along with the Huron county board in splitting the two counties into separate circuits.

However, after being advised of the disadvantages of such a set-up by the Sanilac County Bar Association, the

board on March 22 voted to reverse its earlier stand -- thus putting itself in opposition to the Huron county board.

LEGISLATORS

Sen. DeGrow, R-Pigeon, who represents Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac counties, plus part of Lapeer and St. Clair, favors splitting both the 40th and 24th districts.

He told the Chronicle Sunday that should the bill come from the Senate Judiciary Committee as presently written, that is, adding the judges but keeping the circuits intact, he will introduce amendments to divide the districts. "I think it would be better with a judge in each county," he said.

The senator said he hadn't been notified by the Lapeer county board that it opposes such a move and he hasn't heard from the Sanilac county board since it originally supported separate judges for Sanilac and Huron counties.

Once a bill clears the Senate, it will go to the House of Representatives, where the two area legislators involved support splitting the judicial circuits.

Neither was aware yet of DeGrow's intentions.

Rep. Armbruster, R-Caro, whose district includes all of Tuscola county but none of Lapeer, said he intends to introduce an amendment so Tuscola will have its own judge in accordance with the wishes of the Tuscola county board.

He said that in the 1976-77 fiscal year, 36-39 percent of the cases heard in circuit court were in Tuscola county (the rest in Lapeer county), so didn't feel a single judge here would be overburdened in comparison to the two judges sharing the load of Lapeer county.

Rep. Quincy Hoffman, R-Applegate, represents both Sanilac and Huron counties (plus parts of two others).

An early backer of making Huron county into a separate judicial circuit, he said he intends to introduce an amendment to do that when the judicial bill comes to the house.

He hedged a bit, however. Sanilac county has a heavier case load than does Huron, the representative said, and he will ultimately be guided on the question by the advice of the present judge (Keyes). As of now, he intends to introduce the amendment.

The intention of Armbruster and Hoffman to introduce amendments to split the two Thumb circuit court districts will be unnecessary if DeGrow is successful in having the same amendments approved in the Senate, before the bill goes to the House.

Both the Senate and House will be under pressure to hurriedly approve the judicial bill.

If new judges are to be elected this November, the filing date for attorneys wishing to seek the position is June 6.

Associate Court Administrator John Mayer said the legislation could include a provision extending the filing deadline; if that is necessary. Another alternative, according to Armbruster, would be to schedule a special election.

The only perfect partner is the man who trumps opportunity.



FIRST DIVISION -- Winning first division blue ribbons at the junior high solo and ensemble district festival April 15 at North Branch from Cass City Intermediate School were, front row, from left, Chris Blades, Paul Brown, Jackie Yost and Leigh Wilson. Middle row, Bob Kerbyson, Dorn Beddow, Ray Garety and Dale Cleland. Back row, Rob Hartwick, Linda Arroyo and Kay Loomis.

Grill taken from new pick-up

Ronald Ouvry of Ouvry Chevrolet-Olds reported to Cass City police Friday morning that the grill and right side headlight and parking light assemblies were stolen during the night off a 1978 Chevrolet pickup. The truck had been parked in the new car lot.

The stolen items, which fit Chevy pickups from 1973-78, were valued at \$85. Lloyd Bryant, owner of the Gambia Store on Main Street, told Cass City police Friday that a wheelbarrow on display outside the store during the day was stolen. It was valued at \$59.



SECOND-THIRD DIVISION -- Winning second or third division ribbons at the district festival were, front row, from left, Crystal Gallaway, Karen Nurnberger and Theresa LaRoche, all 2nds. Middle row, LeAnne Potrykus, 2nd, and Kathy Pringle and Sally Severance, both 3rds. Back row, Lori Sawdon, 2nd, and Tammy Roach, 3rd.

Local youth unhurt when car rolls over

An 18-year-old Cass City youth escaped injury Saturday when his car rolled over.

Sheriff's deputies reported that Ricky R. McComb, 18, of 4669 Green Road, Cass City, was headed northeast on M-81 at 3:30 a.m. near Seeley Road when his car went off the east edge of the road.

He overcorrected, the car crossed the road, struck the edge of a driveway going into a field, and rolled over onto its top.

At 8:55 p.m. Saturday, deputies said, Jose R. Gover, 38, of Deckerville, was westbound on Deckerville Road, east of Phillips Road, when his car struck a deer.

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Holbrook Helpers win awards

Twenty-one members of the Holbrook Helpers 4-H Knitting, Crocheting, and Sewing groups exhibited their work at the Sanilac County 4-H Achievement Day at Deckerville Saturday. Of the 21, 13 received 26 awards.

Amy Doerr was a co-winner who received the Citizens Federal Award in senior division knitting.

Knitting construction award winners were Amy Doerr, Melanie and Michelle Particka, and Beverly Kanaby.

Knitting Modeling Award winners were Amy Doerr, Beverly Kanaby, Michelle Particka, and Darlene Simpson.

Crocheting Construction Award winners were Amy Doerr, Melanie Particka, Beverly Kanaby, and Lisa Goronowicz.

Crocheting Modeling Award went to Lisa Goronowicz.

Sewing construction awards were won by Beverly Kanaby, Michelle Particka, Dale Cleland, Lori Hewitt, Brenda Grika, DeAngela Garety, Beth Ann Cleland, and Lisa Goronowicz.

Sewing modeling awards were won by Lori Brown, Beverly Kanaby, Michelle Particka, Jean Sage, and Lisa Goronowicz.

Mrs. Hiram Keyser, Mrs. Gene Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland, Mrs. Ralph Hoxie, Mrs. Melvin Particka, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer, Jim Hewitt, Mrs. Harold Goronowicz, Mrs. Keith Brown, Mrs. Curtis Cleland, Mrs. Francis Kanaby, Mrs. Vern Wheeler, Mrs. Jim Doerr, Mrs. Raymond Garety, and Mrs. Eugene Simpson attended the evening style show.

Porcelain show set in Caro

The Wixson Club of Caro will hold an "Art - Spice of Life" exhibit in the Caro High School cafeteria on Hooper Street, Saturday, May 6, from 1-8 p.m. and Sunday, May 7, from 1-6 p.m.

They will present Gladys Galloway, her students and members of the Galloway Porcelain Art Guild in a display of porcelain painting and many other interesting art works. Admission is free.

Mrs. Galloway is nationally and internationally known for her beautiful art pieces and teaching ability. She is now a candidate for president of the International Porcelain Art Teachers organization.

The theme "Art - Spice of Life" will be carried out by many complete table settings of fine hand painted china complimented by fresh flowers, silver, crystal, and beautiful table covers. There will also be displays of water colors, oils, stained glass, photography, pysanky (Ukrainian egg decorating), and collectible antiques.

A silver tea will be served continually during the exhibit, with proceeds to go to the Wixson Club's various community projects.

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Hawks in chase for loop title

The Cass City Red Hawks lost their first game of the year in the Thumb B Conference baseball race Tuesday afternoon when they split a double-header with the Marlette Raiders.

The Hawks won the opener behind the superb pitching of Jeff Hartel, 3-0, and lost a heartbreaker in the nightcap, 3-2.

Cass City's record in the Thumb B is 4-1 and places the squad very much in the title race.

Against non-conference foes it's a different story. Cass City is 0-3 in that competition. The third straight loss was registered to Uby last Friday in a game marred by extreme cold weather.

Well into its schedule, Cass City has yet to play a game in "good" baseball weather.

In its first loss, Cass City went behind 1-0 in the first inning and tied it again in the second.

In the third, Marlette scored to go ahead by a run only to see the Hawks rally to tie it again in the fourth. In the sixth, tied 2-2, Cass City placed men on second and third with one out. A ground out to first and a good catch of a hard hit ball deep to the outfield by Clare Trischler stalled the rally.

The Raiders then combined an error with two hits to score the decisive run with two out to end Cass City's win streak.



EXCLUSIVE CLUB—Scott Hartel, left, and Clarke Haire are charter members of the 1000-point club at Cass City High School. Haire scored 1156 to break Hartel's previous record of 1011.

Owen-Gage 2nd in Caro meet

Both the Owen-Gage boys' and girls' track squads finished second in a triangular meet April 18 at Caro.

In the boys' meet, Caro won with 109 points, followed by Owen-Gage, 53, and Port Austin, 5.

The Caro girls won with 96½ points to 26½ for Owen-Gage and 22 for Port Austin. Placings of Owen-Gage girls were:

High jump -- Wissner, 4th, 4', 4".

Two mile run -- Rapson, 3rd, 15:55.

880 yard relay -- O-G, 1st, 2:04.1.

100 yard dash -- Skidmore, 4th, 14.02.

110-yard low hurdles -- Burrows, 1st, 18.92; Erickson, 4th, 20.3.

440-yard dash -- Good, 3rd, 1:13.7.

Long jump -- Andrakowicz, 1st, 14', 2½"; Errer, 4th, 13', 3".

Mile relay -- O-G, 2nd, 4:57.1.

Placings of Owen-Gage boys were:

300-yard low hurdles -- Parker, 2nd, 43.9.

Discus -- Klemkowsky, 2nd, 105', 4".

Long jump -- Hallock, 1st, 20', 3"; Bruno, 2nd, 18', 8".

880 yard relay -- Ziehm, Erickson, Hallock, Dick Glidden, 1st, 1:39.

Pole vault -- Ziehm, 2nd, 10', 6".

880-yard run -- Laurie, 4th, 2:20.4.

Shot put -- McDonald, 2nd, 39', 8".

100-yard dash -- Bruno, 3rd, 11.2; Hallock, 4th, 11.39.

120-yard high hurdles -- Parker, 1st, 16.22.

440-yard run -- Erickson, 2nd, 56.3.

High jump -- Parker, 2nd, 5' 10".

440-yard relay -- Jay Glidden, Parker, Bruno, Langlois, 2nd, 48.3.

220-yard dash -- Bruno, 1st, 24.71.

One-mile relay -- Ziehm, Dick Glidden, Erickson, Hallock, 1st, 3:48.75.

Bulldogs bow to Vikings

Akron-Fairgrove swept both the boys' and girls' portions of a meet Friday at Owendale.

The Vikings won the boys' meet over Owen-Gage, 98-58, and the girls' meet, 113-38.

BOYS

Placings for Owen-Gage were:

Shot put: (4) M. McDonald.

Discus: (2) P. Klemkowsky.

High jump: (1) B. Parker, 6-13; (4) (tie) D. Glidden and J. Hendershot.

Pole vault: (1) R. Ziehm, 11-0.

Long jump: (1) J. Hallock, 19-1.

880-yard relay: (1) Owen-Gage 1:39.3 (Ziehm, D. Glidden, Erickson, Hallock).

880-yard run: (3) D. Laurie.

300-low hurdles: (3) B. Parker, (4) J. Glidden.

100-yard dash: (2) J. Hallock, (4) S. Bruno.

440-yard dash: (1) B. Erickson 55.6.

High hurdles: (1) B. Parker, 16.5; (3) K. Caroline.

220-yard dash: (3) S. Bruno.

440-yard relay: (1) Owen-Gage, 48.25 (J. Glidden, Bruno, Parker, Langlois).

Mile relay: (1) Owen-Gage, 3:46.5 (Ziehm, D. Glidden, Erickson, Hallock).

GIRLS

Discus: (4) P. Good.

Shot put: (4) P. Good.

High jump: (1) L. Andrakowicz, 4-8; (2) T. Wissner.

Long jump: (1) L. Andrakowicz, 13-11½; (2) J. Errer, (3) J. Andrakowicz.

440-yard dash: (2) M. Good.

Two-mile run: (4) J. Rapson.

880-yard relay: (2) Owen-Gage.

110-low hurdles: (1) M. Burrows 18-0; (3) D. Erickson, (4) B. Haley.

Mile run: (4) J. Rapson.

440-yard relay: (2) Owen-Gage.

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O-G girls power to 3 softball victories

The "mercy rule" wasn't much consolation to the Port Hope softball team Thursday, April 20, as it lost to Owen-Gage, 25-1.

Under the rule, games stop after five innings if one team is ahead by 10 or more runs.

Dawn Erickson went the distance for the Bulldogs.

Four of her teammates had at least two hits. Becky Howard went two for three, a triple and home run, Laurie Andrakowicz, two for two, a double and a single, Barb Wright, three for four, a double and two singles, and Mary Good, two singles out of three times at bat.

The Bulldogs had 13 hits.

In contrast, the Bluestars had only one hit. Losing pitcher for the team was Nancy Weiss, who pitched 2½ innings. Paula Eilber went the rest of the distance.

The game at Port Hope was the first league contest of the season for Owen-Gage. The team's next game is this Thursday at Gagetown against Carsonville-Port Sanilac, starting at 4 p.m.

CARO GAME

The Owen-Gage girls' softball team started its season April 17 with a 15-7 win in a non-conference game at Caro.

Dawn Erickson, who went the distance, was the winning pitcher and also contributed to the win with four singles. Becky Howard had two singles and a triple.

Losing Tiger pitcher was Lynette Coon, who went the distance. Jane Dost had three singles for Caro.

Bulldogs post 2 wins in loop opener

The Owen-Gage baseball team began its North Central D League schedule last Thursday by winning both ends of a double-header at Port Hope.

Score in the first game, called after five innings because of the "mercy rule", was 13-0. The Bulldogs won the second game, 6-3.

Roger Ziehm was the winning pitcher in the first game, going three innings with four strikeouts and no walks. Pete Klemkowsky finished, with three strikeouts and one walk.

Owen-Gage had 10 hits and one error. Ziehm had three hits; Mark McDonald, two, plus four runs batted in, and Tim Lorenz had two hits.

The Bluestars had three hits and two errors. Matt Emerick pitched all five

innings to become the losing pitcher. He was his team's leading hitter with two hits.

Klemkowsky went the distance in the second game, becoming the winning pitcher. The game was called after five innings due to darkness.

The 6-4 sophomore had r strikeouts and issued the walks.

The Bulldogs managed their six runs on only two hits, a double by McDonald and a single by Lorenz.

Six errors by the Bluestars contributed to their loss. The team had five hits. Emerick had two of them.

On the mound for Port Hope for all five innings was Mark Fastenau, the losing pitcher.

The Bulldogs entertained Carsonville-Port Sanilac his Thursday at Owendale, starting at 4 p.m.



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GIRLS were honored for achievements. From left, back row: Paula Butler, most valuable, basketball; Pat Otulakowski and Cindy Ware, most improved, basketball. Front row: Sally Ware, most improved, volleyball; Vicky Lapp, most valuable, volleyball; Coleen Trischler, most valuable, gymnastics; Julie Helwig, most improved, gymnastics.

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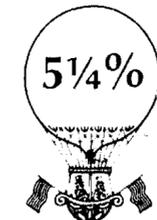


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