



BURNING CRASH - The car of Gail Lynn Stilson (at right) came to a halt nestled against the garage door and car of Bruce King after hitting the gas and electric meters where the lines entered the house, which started the house burning. (Another photo, page 14.)

Fire tough to extinguish

House burns after car severs gas, electric lines

A freak auto accident Monday night resulted in a fire that caused major damage to a Cass City home. The home, owned by Bruce King, was valued at \$32,000, but as of Tuesday, the insurance adjuster hadn't determined whether the two-story structure could be considered a complete loss. Value of the contents lost in the blaze wasn't immediately determined. The house is at the southwest corner of Church and Downing Streets. According to Cass City police, the fire began a few minutes after 11 p.m. when Gail Lynn Stilson, 27, of 4508 Hill Street, Apt. 3, west-bound on Church, lost control as she was attempting a left turn onto Downing.

The car jumped the curb, hit the electric and gas lines on the side of the house, then continued on until it hit a car parked in the driveway. The auto came to a halt against the garage door and the King auto. The broken gas and electric lines immediately started a fire. King told the Chronicle while he watched firemen attempt to save his house, that his wife, Cathy, and son Brian, 3, were upstairs asleep when the accident occurred. He was in the living room watching television. He looked out the window when he heard the crash, saw the fire and the driver running away, and yelled upstairs to his wife to get their son and get out. He ran to the garage to get the dog. All got out safely. Ms. Stilson turned herself

in to police less than an hour later. She was ticketed on a charge of violation of the basic speed law. An additional charge may be brought against her, according to Police Chief Gene Wilson, after he consults with the county prosecutor. **THE FIRE SPREAD** very rapidly up through the lath and plaster into the attic and proved very difficult to extinguish. The last fire truck didn't clear the scene until about 2:30 a.m. Tuesday. The fire was burning in the attic between the sidewalks, according to Elkhart Township Assistant Fire Chief Jerome Root Jr., which made it very hard to put out. Firemen were hampered by heavy smoke, partially a result of extensive insulation in the attic.

The Cass City Area Ambulance Service ambulance and attendants were at the scene and administered oxygen to some firemen. Firemen used eight back pack air tanks, which is a lot for a fire, according to Root. **TO KEEP THE FIRE** from spreading, fog was sprayed inside the attic, which creates steam. Heavy winds at the time didn't make much of a difference, the assistant chief said, because the fire was contained within the attic. Had it broken through the roof, winds fanning the flames would have meant much more damage. Direct fire damage was contained mainly to the attic, Root said, but there was major smoke and water damage elsewhere in the house.

After the fire started, the ruptured gas line didn't cause much of a problem. A high pressure hose was trained on it until a man from the gas company arrived about 2 a.m. to install a new shutoff valve. As of Tuesday, the King family was temporarily staying with Mrs. King's parents, the Frank Spenglers on Cemetery Road, until they could find a place to rent. No decision had been made yet on whether the house will be rebuilt. The family had received lots of offers of assistance, he said. The burned out home was insured, which is understandable: King is a Farm Bureau Insurance agent. The home was insured with his company.

Novesta indisposed to village landfill within its boundaries

The Novesta Township Board doesn't like the sanitary landfill within its boundaries. Four members of the board appeared before the Cass City Village Council Monday night to express their feelings about the village-owned landfill, which is located in the township. "We felt we would like to express our sentiments," township Supervisor Bill O'Dell told council members, "and we are pretty much opposed to it, to it being carried on." Clerk Nurse Kloc stated two objections, rats and the possibility of a certain individual hauling trash in from townships who aren't paying Cass City for the privilege of dumping trash there. O'Dell added two more: It's costing his township too much money for the right to use the landfill and its effect on surrounding development. Village President Lambert Althaver, responded that it was the first time the council had heard about rats there. Councilman D.E. Rawson added that the village had just paid a bill to a pest

control company that sprays the landfill on a regular basis "so if they're not doing the job, we need to get on them." As for the possibility of unauthorized trash being deposited there, Althaver said the village would investigate. The person named works for a regular trash hauler. Novesta, along with Elkhart, Elkhart and Elkhart townships, pays Cass City \$3.75 per township resident per year for the right of its citizens (or whoever picks up their trash) to use the landfill. For Novesta, that totals \$4,455 annually. That amount is likely to go up as the village faces an estimated \$15,000 bill to sink monitoring wells and have a hydrogeological survey done at the site in compliance with new state law. Because of that cost and other new regulations, Althaver commented, "We have to make a decision whether to stay in the landfill business." The cost to the townships, he claimed, is only to help Cass City recover its costs, not make a profit. O'Dell countered that the township had surveyed some

private waste hauling firms and some other townships and concluded, "We can get this service for about half of what it costs us now." It was in response to a question from Councilman Nat Tuttle that the supervisor admitted the landfill didn't become a matter of great concern until work on a subdivision began directly north of the landfill, on the south side of the Cass River. "It's not a desirable place for a landfill. It's been all built up," he said at one point in the discussion, adding later that from the standpoint of the future, "We just don't want it there." Township Trustee Arleen Retherford then admitted, "I don't think there are any dumps in Michigan where people want them there." The last word in behalf of the village, figuratively speaking, came from the village president, that asking Cass City to close its landfill and move it elsewhere "is more than we can respond to at this time." O'Dell told the Chronicle after the discussion with the council that contracting with a private trash hauler was only one of Novesta's options, that "we haven't dis-

played all our cards up our sleeve yet." **BUDGET** The council got its first look at the proposed 1980 budget, which projects general fund revenue at \$496,900 (including carryover from this year of \$58,900), compared to \$438,000 for this year. General fund expenditures are projected at \$496,900. The present tax levy of 13 mills will remain (not including the special debt levy for the wastewater treatment plant project). The largest revenue source is from the millage, which will bring in a projected \$228,000, up \$20,000 from 1979. For planning purposes, employee wages and fringe benefits combined are increased 10 percent. Water and sewage treatment fees are increased 10 percent. The council hasn't made a decision yet on either increase. Among proposed general fund expenditures are seal-coating of streets in the park, \$14,300; addition of a fifth full-time policeman,

and purchase of a police car and pickup truck, both replacements. To be paid from street funds is proposed paving of Downing and Brooker Street between Main and Church, Houghton between West and Brooker, the alleys south and north of Main Street between Maple and Oak and the village's share (\$74,000 including special assessments) for the primarily state-funded rebuilding of Doerr Road from Main to Garfield and Garfield from Doerr to the railroad tracks. Presuming past practice is followed, the council will make changes, hold a public hearing and finally approve the budget in February. **SEWAGE PLANT** The council approved acceptance of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency grant of \$4.54 million, which is a 75 percent share of the allowable cost for the treatment plant improvement and expansion project. The village was notified Nov. 12 that it had

Music festival total success

The first annual Village Bach Festival was an artistic success, say, both its promoters and the musicians who took part.

Youth dies in hunting accident

A 17-year-old Caro youth died Saturday after being accidentally shot while hunting in Novesta township. Killed was Steven L. Keezer, 17, of Wells Road. It is doubtful any legal action will be brought against the 14-year-old boy responsible, who is also from Caro. "At this point, it looks like the action of the younger man was accidental in nature," Tuscola County Prosecutor Artis Noel said Tuesday. He had yet to review some of the remaining evidence before making that decision official. According to the sheriff's department, Keezer was hunting with four other boys in the vicinity of Crawford and Severance Roads when the mishap occurred about 1:30 p.m. The youth responsible told officers the safety of his 12-gauge double barrel shotgun was off and when he turned around, he apparently pulled the trigger accidentally. A slug apparently ricocheted off the ground and struck the victim to the right of his mouth. Keezer was taken to Hills and Dales General Hospital and then transferred to St. Luke's Hospital in Saginaw, where he died. Cass City Police Chief Gene Wilson assisted in the investigation. Keezer attended 10th grade at Caro High School and was born April 15, 1962. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Keezer; one brother, Charles Keezer, Caro; two sisters, Shirley Miners and Mrs. Delbert (Diana) Woodruff, both of Caro; one stepbrother, Nolan Nash, Caro, and his grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Hicks, Hale, and several cousins. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at Collon Funeral Home, Caro, Rev. Robert Ponder of the Caro Church of Christ officiating. Burial was in Caro cemetery.

The festival also appears to have done well enough financially that chances are good there will be a second annual event next year. (See sidebar story.) "I think it went very well," was co-chairman Holly Althaver's assessment. "The guests (musicians) were delighted with the community. They were so pleased to be here. It was a pleasant experience for everyone." The festival was "beyond my expectations," according to Don Th. Jaeger, the music director and conductor. "I think everyone (musicians) was very excited and stimulated by it musically and personally." How did the general public feel? The other co-chairman, Rev. Harry Capps, said a number of persons had told him prior to the event that they considered Bach dull and didn't care for that kind of music. But after they heard the music, they were "exuberant" and wanted to be on the mailing list to order tickets for next year's festival, if there is one. As for his own First Presbyterian church members who, in a sense, had to play host for the festival, he felt most felt a "deep sense of pride the church could provide the building and space for this concert." Some of the musicians participated in the Sunday morning service at the church. **THE BUILDING PROVIDED** a very appropriate setting for the musical event. "Both acoustically and esthetically, it's a nice place to play," said violinist Norman Paul of Madison, Wis., a member of the festival orchestra and Sunday afternoon concert soloist. Harpsichordist Doris Ornstein, who brought her piano-size instrument from Cleveland stuffed in the back of her station wagon, echoed his comments. "The community has been so gracious," she commented after her Friday night performance, "you don't feel like you're just coming to play a concert." She also had high praise for conductor Jaeger, who had the responsibility of rounding up the musicians who performed. Most of them had performed with him elsewhere and because of him, a "family feeling" developed among the musicians.

Without him, she added, many of the musicians would not have been willing to give up their Thanksgiving vacations to come to Cass City. There were 27 musicians who played in the festival, plus three vocal soloists and the 28 members (plus conductor) of the Ann Arbor Cantata Singers, plus one lecturer. **THE QUALITY OF THE** musicianship drew high praise, both from the musicians themselves and from others. "The musicians in this are so incredible," commented organist Tom Brown after his solo performance Friday evening. "I can't wait to play with them tomorrow." The New York City resident, who drew a hearty ovation from the audience after his performance, also had praise for the more than 100-year-old Henry Erban built tracker organ. "It's a wonderful organ," he commented. Please turn to page 6.

Cass City says good-bye to under \$1 gasoline

By Mike Eliason

It was an end of an era of sorts. No more gasoline for under \$1 a gallon. For motorists who buy their gasoline in Cass City, who use unleaded, the fuel went over the \$1 a gallon mark a couple of months ago. But for those who use regular in their cars, there were three local stations where the price clung to just under that - 99.9 cents - for more than two months. That came to an end Tuesday or Wednesday, depending on the station, when the price went up to about \$1.02 a gallon. Probably the only surprise was that it took so long to go over the dollar mark. After all, earlier this year, the price of gasoline was going up almost weekly. (The price of regular in Cass City at the start of this year was about 70 cents a gallon.) Based on conversations with local service station dealers, it appears price increases might become a weekly occurrence again, at least for a while. Last week, after the \$1

per gallon mark was broken, they were saying there would be another increase this week. One dealer even predicts \$1.15-1.20 gasoline by Jan. 1. **WHAT DETERMINES** when the price of gasoline goes up? Obviously, it's the big oil companies who make the basic decision which affects the price that goes on the pump. What affects that decision is too complicated to go into in this article, but it involves the price charged by the exporting oil nations, government regulation, etc. When the price set by the oil companies eventually gets to the local dealers, that doesn't mean an automatic price increase, the station owners say. They also stress that they aren't charging the maximum amount the U.S. government allows, which would give them a profit of 15 cents per gallon. Their margin runs from about 5-11 cents per pump. Competition helps keep the price below what it could be, according to the dealers. That is only part of the

reason why it took about two months before the price of regular topped the \$1 mark. L & S Standard owner Floyd Luetke said from the time his self-service regular hit 99.9 cents in August, he absorbed 4 cents in increases from Aracoo before he raised the price on Tuesday of last week to \$1.02. Frank Spencer, owner of Frank's Service Station, said he absorbed 7 cents in increases. Cass City Oil and Gas owner Duane Chippi, who leases Village Service Center to Bob Bader, gets his gasoline from more than one source but thought there was an average of about 5 cents in increases before the station raised its price. The price would have gone up sooner, Luetke said, only he didn't have the proper signs to go on his self-service regular pumps explaining the total price registered is for half-gallons. He also needed the proper numbers to go on his street sign. Although there are still some examples around, dealers are prohibited from displaying the price for a

half-gallon on their street sign. There is, however, no regulation requiring dealers to post a price sign visible from the street. Spencer and Chippi had similar tales about price sign problems. An extension was nailed on to the big sign in front of Village Service Center in order to accommodate a fourth digit. As of last week, after the increase, Spencer didn't have a price posted because his sign wasn't big enough. **WHY DOES THE PRICE** at the three stations go up within a day of each other? Luetke said he might discuss with other dealers when he runs into them at coffee what increases they have had from distributors, but that's as far as it goes. They don't discuss when they are going to raise their prices, which might be illegal. They do, however, keep an eye on what each is charging. It's that and coincidence, they claim. Spencer said he raised his



UP IT GOES - Changing the price for regular gas at a Cass City station last week from the previous 99.9 cents a gallon was Mike Neiman.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little
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Brenda and Tim Brinkman

Brenda Herron became the bride of Tim Brinkman, Nov. 17 at a 2 p.m. ceremony at St. Agatha's Catholic church, Gagetown. Father Joseph Morales officiated at the nuptial mass.

The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Herron and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brinkman, both of Cass City.

The bride wore a formal gown fashioned of crystal organza in an A-line silhouette, detailed with shimmering sequins and lace. The bodice featured a sculptured Queen Anne neckline and sheer fitted sleeves. The skirt, falling to a triple ruffle hemline and flowing into a 12-foot length Castilian train adorned with jeweled lace.

English heathcote illusion applied with lace in a full Castilian length flowed from beneath a lace edged fingertip length veil, secured by a pearl accented cap of matching lace.

The bride carried a cascade arrangement of silk tuberoses.

Maid of honor was the bride's sister, Barbara Herron. She was attired in a long halter style gown of burgundy wine Lustreglio knit styled with a fitted empire bodice and sunburst pleated skirt, and featuring a matching sheer handkerchief capelet edged in satin.

The maid of honor carried a cascade bouquet of silk mauve shaded clematis.

Bridesmaids were Dawn Herron, sister of the bride, and Kris Ridenour, Dawn McCarty and Cindy Wood, friends of the bride.

The bridesmaids' gowns and bouquets were styled identically to the maid of honor's.

Best man was Terry Brinkman, brother of the groom.

Groomsmen were Tom Brinkman, brother of the groom, and Bruce Brown, Mike Wood, and Tom Markers, friends of the groom.

Ushers were Jim Hrabec, Mike Putman and Mike Karr, friends of the groom.

Soloist Joan O'Dell sang "The Wedding Song," "The Lord's Prayer," and "Ave Maria." She was accompanied by organist Paul Kerbyson. Responses for the mass were sung by friends of the bride's parents.

The bride's mother chose a floor length accordion pleated gown and jacket in majata and wore a silk corsage of gardenias and roses.

The groom's mother chose a floor length gown in emerald green and wore a silk corsage of gardenias and roses.

A reception was held at Colony House with about 600 guests in attendance.

Following a honeymoon in northern Michigan, the couple will reside in San Antonio, Texas, where the groom is employed by Southwest Research Institute as a nuclear power inspector.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Barnes returned home Sunday from a ten-day trip to Florida with their daughter and family, the Michael Piersons of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Turnbull and family spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Hilda Parkin at Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Root had as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. George McKee and family and Sally Roach of Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Miller of Caro were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Vollmar and sons, Dale and Randy, had as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jim LaPratt and children of Unionville, Gary Vollmar and the Misses Bonnie Walrod and Barbara Dorland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pratt and family had as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lonsberry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bright and two children of Lapeer, Miss Barbara Pratt of Millington, Dennis Hendrick of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodard and Mrs. Thelma Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. David Carlson of New Richmond, Wis., were to have arrived Wednesday to spend until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury and the John Lounsbury of Mineral, Calif., who are spending two weeks with his parents.

Mrs. Elaine Martin of Sebewaing and son, Mark Martin of Lansing, were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mrs. Elsie Thompson and Georgia Thompson.

Greg Hampshire of Ann Arbor spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hampshire.

Mrs. Martha Clement from the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility, Caro, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur had a Thanksgiving dinner Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hartwick and family entertained for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr., Jennifer Irer of Owendale, Miss Stella Jackson and Mrs. Thelma Bogart of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. John Shagena and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McArthur and sons, Douglas and David, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. S. McArthur's sister, Mrs. Fred Thompson in Flint.

Mrs. Alfred Goodall had as Thanksgiving Day guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Goodall and children of Sanford, Grant Goodall of Port Huron and Linda Pyorala and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ware joined the Ferris Ware family for dinner Thanksgiving Day. Sunday the Leo Wares had a Thanksgiving dinner at the James Ware home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Buehrly and family had as Thanksgiving guests, Mrs. Elsie Anthes, Edward Buehrly, Francis Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehrly, Don and Esther Buehrly.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury had as guests Saturday evening, their son and his wife, the John Lounsbury of Mineral, Calif., John Sting and daughter Jennifer of Terre Haute, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strecker of Saginaw, Mrs. Jessie Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchinson and son Rodney, Miss Carole Tuckey, Mr. and Mrs. Esat Yazir, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wiles and son Hazen.

Graydon Agar and son Donnie of Tampa, Fla., spent from Wednesday until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Agar. Other family members who came for Thanksgiving and to celebrate the Agars' 54th wedding anniversary, which was Nov. 17, were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jennex and daughters, Abbie and Elizabeth, and Jamie Jennex, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jennex, who attends college, all from Huron, S. Dakota; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Summerville of St. Anne, Ill., Pastor and Mrs. Clifford Owens, Philip, Priscilla and Patty of Comstock Park; Pastor and Mrs. Allen Jennex of Rives Junction and daughter Carol of Grand Rapids; Pastor and Mrs. Gene Sicker of Grandville and their family, Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt and son Nicholas of Grand Rapids, Mark Sicker of Belding and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coddling and children, Carlene and Caleb of Morley.

Miss Katie Crane was a Thanksgiving guest of Miss Laura Maier.

Mrs. Theda Seeger spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sweet at Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wright and Maxine Beam of Riverside, Iowa, spent from Wednesday until Sunday with Roger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright. Other guests during their stay were Robert Wright and daughter Holly of Ortonville and Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Wright of Bay City. Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright and their Iowa guests visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wright II at Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Auten had with them for the holiday, John Starman of White Pigeon, Miss Barbara Starman of Akron, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mulligan and daughters of Arlington Hts., Ill. Joining them for dinner Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Craig and Barbara.

Mrs. A.N. Bigelow, who was with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Frye in Nashville, Tenn., for a short stay accompanied them when they returned to their home in Marathon, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Bartle had as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Schwaderer, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lalko, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tuckey and children and Herbert Bartle.

Gloria Groth was guest of honor at a baby shower Sunday, Nov. 18, given by Gail Stilson and Diane Cook.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Peter Rienstra home were Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rienstra of Caro, Dwight, Dwayne and Dawn Rienstra, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rienstra and sons, Dennis, Reuben and Samuel, of Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Radzwion and family of North Branch, and Richard Campbell from Kentucky.

Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rienstra were Mr. and Mrs. John Koenig of Detroit. Mrs. Koenig is a niece of Mr. Rienstra.

Pastor and Mrs. Vern Lockard, Carol, David and Sandy went Wednesday to Brownstown, Ill., to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lockard. They returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cook spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Rose, at Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Helwig entertained for Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Parrish, Michelle and Richard, Mrs. John Little and granddaughter Donna, Mr. and Mrs. David Ware, Mike and Lisa and Richard Patera, Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Little, Gail and Jeffery and Carol Little, home from Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. David Speirs and Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Parrish, Kim and Kevin, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Swallow and Jodi, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McIntosh, Shannon and Bryce were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murphy, Scott and Patrick and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Murphy, Paul and David were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas O'Dell.

Patricia Toner and daughter Kathleen, home for the holiday week end from CMU, Mt. Pleasant, had Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Toner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murphy.

Dean Stine and friend from Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nicholas and family of Kawkawlin and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Marker of Bay City were among those from a distance who came to attend the Ivan Stine-Roxanne Keller wedding Saturday at Argyle. Also attending the wedding and weekend guests in the Garrison Stine home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Petzold and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagon and daughters, Donald Petzold and his mother, Kathryn Petzold, of Livonia and Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Petzold of Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Esther Kirm of Chelsea and Miss Marjorie Kirm of Flint were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kirm and family from Thursday until Saturday. Other Thanksgiving Day guests in the Kirm home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seely and son of Uby, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Erlich and son of Gagetown, Mr. and Mrs. Earney Seely, Mrs. Hazel Seely and the Misses Sherry and Janis Seely.

Irene Stafford of Leesburg, Fla., left Sunday to return home after spending the holiday and week end with her sister, Mrs. Edward Greenleaf.

Mrs. Arthur Little spent from Wednesday until Saturday at Birmingham with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Little and their son Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Talski entertained relatives and friends from Saginaw, Sebewaing, Davison, Argyle, Uby, Caro and Cass City Nov. 15 when they celebrated the first birthday of their daughter, Stephanie Beth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haire and children and Miss Deellen Albee of Warren had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Albee. Miss Albee stayed to spend the week end in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Englehart had as week-end guests, her mother, Mrs. Ada Blair of Alton, Ill., and her brother, James Blair, his wife and daughter from Oklahoma City, Okla. Other Thanksgiving Day guests were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Englehart. The James Blairs returned home Friday and Mrs. Ada Blair left Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Joos and children had with them for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Hanes of Snover, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jezewski, Richie Joos, Mrs. James Jezewski and son Jason.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nemeth returned home over the week end after spending last week and Thanksgiving in Tucson, Ariz., with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Baudoin and family. The Baudoins moved there in June. They visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Brewton in Taylor, before leaving Metro Airport for Tucson.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kritzman, Matthew and Gretchen of Millersburg, Ind., were Saturday overnight guests of his mother, Mrs. Bruce Kritzman.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Hollopeter of Butler, Ind., came Monday and spent until Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch.

Thanksgiving guests at the Stan Guinther home were Mr. and Mrs. Vern McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck McConnell and children, Mrs. Peggy McConnell and Chris of Berkley and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blue and family of Millington. Sandy Guinther was home from Michigan State University for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Helwig were honored at a surprise party Friday night in observance of their 25th wedding anniversary. After being driven through town in the rumble seat of a model A the Helwigs were taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Britton, where about 30 friends and the Helwigs' children helped them celebrate.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy McConnell and daughters, Kelli, Stacy and Erin, of Mt. Clemens were guests Saturday of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern McConnell. They also called on other relatives in Cass City.

Mrs. Emma Kettlewell spent from Nov. 20 in Lansing with her daughter and family, the Dale Bocks, and returned home Monday.

Mrs. Bernice Sweet of Applegate and her daughter, Mrs. Judith Redner, and son Kevin of Carsonville and Mrs. Lilah Wilhelm were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Alice Neitz of Harrison. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl McConnell of Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Tracy near Vassar.

Mrs. Don Whittenburg and her father, Theo Hendrick, spent Thanksgiving with Rev. and Mrs. Arthur O'Dell at Sturgis. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. David O'Dell of Elsie and Mr. and Mrs. Lester O'Dell and family of Ashley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy spent from Nov. 16-19 at Willis with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bolz and daughter. Other guests Nov. 18 were the Theo O'Dells of Milan, the Ray O'Dells of Carleton and the Clifford Crabtree family from Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Peasley of Deford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zappe, Saturday evening. Friday evening the Ray Peasley family had a co-operative Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zappe.

Mrs. Donna Holm had as Thanksgiving dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Root and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zappe and Mrs. Thelma Graham.

Mrs. Ronald Geiger will go Thursday to Lansing to spend the day with her daughter, Mrs. John Spencer, who is celebrating a birthday.

Arlington Hoffman and son Kell spent from Thursday evening until Sunday evening at T Lake.

The Bruno Zawilinski family were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller on Robinson Rd. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Krolkowski and children of Almont, Peter Zawilinski from Essexville, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Keyser and children, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Zawilinski and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Zawilinski.

Mrs. Ernest Croft was a Thanksgiving guest of Miss Ruth Bechler at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bechler near Elkton. In the afternoon they called on Mr. and Mrs. Bud McCormick at Caseville.

Wendy Ware, who attends Spring Arbor College, and Cindy Ware, who attends MSU at East Lansing, spent the holiday week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Ware. Sally and Laurie Ware, who attend Spring Arbor College, were home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Englehart went to Port Huron Friday where they visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Denby and family and Mrs. Englehart's father, Maynard DeLong. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Ronald Geiger was a dinner guest of her daughter, Mrs. Martin Hyzer, and children Nov. 16 at Caseville while Mr. Geiger and Mr. Hyzer were deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Jr. had as Sunday dinner guests, to celebrate the birthday of George Fisher III, Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. and Jerry Langmaid. Other members of the Fisher families joined them in the afternoon for cake and ice cream.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashmore were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Eron Ducalon and sons and friend Sherry Zadorski of Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ashmore and daughters of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. James Mayer and family of Snover, Henry Ashmore and son of Carsonville, and Rev. and Mrs. David Ashmore and family of West Branch.

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Mary and Ottomar Sting

Mr. and Mrs. Ottomar Sting of 4161 S. Maxwell Road, Gagetown, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Friday at a family dinner in Frankenmuth attended by 17 persons.

Mr. and Mrs. Sting are members of the Owendale United Methodist church.

THINGS WE PRINT

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He and Mary Taylor were married Nov. 22, 1929, in the Evangelical church parsonage in Owendale. Mrs. Sting is a native of the Owendale area; her husband was born in Sebewaing township near Bach.

They have lived at the same farm home since they were married.

The Stings have four children, Arlene (Mrs. Alton) Smiley of Marlette; James Sting, Columbus, Ind.; Marjorie (Mrs. Richard) Allen of Tipton, and John Sting, Terre Haute, Ind., all married, who have four, three, two and one children respectively.

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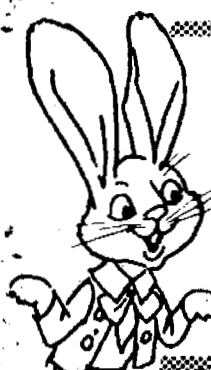
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Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Fred Jaus went fishing twice last week. He went with his daughter Mrs. Laura Lenzner of Bad Axe. Were the fish biting? Well, the first time out he failed to catch a perch for every year he has lived. The next time was better, he caught two more than his age.

The kicker here is that when Jaus is catching his age the fishing is better than good. Jaus celebrated his 98th year Nov. 3.

Judging by actions and appearance when he stopped to renew the paper, Jaus is a lead pipe cinch to hit the 100 mark.

Athletic Director Roland Pakonen said that the annual fall awards night at Cass City High School has been scheduled Monday at 7:30 p.m.

That's the program where each year everyone wonders how it could be handled better but no one comes up with anything. Pakonen says he feels a little better about it now because Caro High School this year adopted the same system of honoring its athletes.

While passing on these nuggets he slyly got in a plug for the school's season tickets. They cost \$15 for adults and \$10 for students and get you into all the winter sports (except tournaments).

Nothing that has been done in Cass City since we were Christmas Town has generated as much favorable publicity for the community as the Bach Festival.

Topped by a big story in Tuesday's Free Press the event received attention in most of the area media.

Could this be a better, easier to achieve vehicle for community promotion than the rebirth of Christmas Town?

Turning the Bach Festival into a festival week for the arts could grow into something special, something unique if we could turn the trick.

Here's to you Ken Windjack. Ken who? Ken is a roommate of Jeff Prieskorn at James Madison University in Virginia.

He's one of a group that grab the Chronicle when it's delivered to Jeff and look it over... possibly as a camp object.

Anyway if Windjack takes that time to look what else can we do but publish his name?

After all this is a column of trivia and you can't get any more trivial than this.



Florence and Howard Louks

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Louks of Ubyly, will be honored at a 50th wedding anniversary open house given by their children from 2-5 p.m. Sunday in the Masonic Hall, Ubyly.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend. There will be no invitations sent and the couple requests no gifts.

Louks and the former Florence Frantz were married in December, 1929.

They have two sons, Donald, of Port Huron and Robert of Canton, and two daughters, Mrs. William (Mary Lou) Murdock, Ubyly, and Mrs. Leo (Linda) Hart, Canton; 13 grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Louks is a retiree of Nestles Milk Co. and Mrs. Louks is a retired school teacher.

They have lived in Ubyly all their lives.

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PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, NOV. 26, WERE:

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Gordon Hiltz of Mayville; Lewis Grifka of Ubyly; Mrs. Thomas Burk of Owendale;

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Ronald L. Arnott, 25, Clio, and Linda L. Koch, 28, Clio. Charles E. Rosenbaum, 22, Richmond, Ind., and Ronda K. O'Hearn, 22, Caro.

Daniel K. Shaw, 22, Snover, and Cindy Lou Little, 19, Cass City.

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George A. Smith Jr., 23, Faribault, Minn., and Melanie A. Schwab, 20, Cass City.

Allyn K. Hartwick, 24, Cass City, and Karen S. DeBlois, 19, Cass City.

Kenneth E. Pickett, 41, Battle Ground, Ind., and Onida K. Koch, 31, Millington.

James D. Bass, 34, Reese, and Ann Marie Ayres, 26, Reese.

Dennis G. Rosencrans, 29, Vassar, and Karen F. King, 21, Reese.

ENGAGED



Shari Jean Van Allen

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Van Allen of Cass City announce the engagement of their daughter, Shari Jean, to Robert Scott O'Dell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Dell of Cass City.

Wedding plans are indefinite.

The Haire Net



It's probable that you missed the Bach Festival held in Cass City Friday, Saturday and Sunday. It's too bad if you did.

The Festival is the first for the Thumb and there never has been an assemblage of talent here like the one that performed at the Presbyterian church.

It was Culture with a capital C. But it was over my head.

When it comes to music, my lack of talent is only exceeded by my lack of knowledge. I couldn't carry a tune in a bucket.

But even as rank a musical nincompoop as I could appreciate the ability of the performers.

And enjoy it. But not as much as I might have if I could have understood what it was all about. I suppose since it was Bach it had to be German but it lost a lot for me and several others of the musically uneducated I talked with.

The sponsors did their best. There was an English translation of the German but I found it disconcerting to try and listen to the performers and try to figure out what they were singing about at the same time.

The fault here surely rests with me. I've listened to philharmonic orchestras on public TV and have never been able to sustain interest.

That's not true with the Boston Pops Orchestra when it was directed by Arthur Feidler. I tuned that in regularly.

The Bach Festival was



Kathleen and Robert Adams Jr.

Kathleen K. McArthur and Robert D. Adams Jr. were married Oct. 27 at the First Baptist church, Cass City.

Pastor Timothy Teall performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McArthur, 6733 E. Main Street. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams Sr., 4546 Oak Street.

The bride wore a white satin gown with a lace trimmed front inset, stand-up lace trimmed collar, with full sheer Victorian sleeves gathered at long sheer cuffs, surrounded with satin ribbon. There was a fitted lace-covered bodice with full A-line skirt, chapel train with hemline ruffle and a fingertip veil with lace-covered Juliet cap. The gown was designed and made by the bride.

The bride carried a bouquet of white daisies and peach-tinted carnations with preserved brown fern.

Maid of honor was Karen Perry and bridesmaid, Teri Richards, both of Cass City.

They made their own peach-colored floor-length dresses with blouson bodice, long raglan sleeves, and a collar ruffle accent with matching peach trim.

The maid of honor and bridesmaid carried lighted Jack Horner candlesticks surrounded with white daisies and peach-tinted carnations.

The flower girl, Jennifer

Nye, wore a floor-length peach colored dress with white dotted full skirt with hemline ruffle, wide satin ribbon tie belt and lace-covered collar ruffle. Her dress was made by the bride.

The flower girl carried a basket of daisies. She and the bridesmaids wore peach-tinted carnation combs in their hair.

Best man was Scott Hendrick of Elkton and groomsmen was Brian Hutchinson of Cass City. Ushers were Doug McArthur and Almon Adams. Ringbearer was David McArthur.

Stan and Melva Guinther sang "There is Love (The Wedding Song)" and "Each for the Other." Pianist was Don Greenleaf.

In charge of the guest book was Lisa Matt.

About 175 persons attended the reception, held in the church hall.

The groom is an assistant sausage maker at Erla's Food Center. The bride is a secretary at Bauer Candy Co.

Following a short honeymoon trip to northern Michigan, the newlyweds are living at 6772 E. Main Street, Cass City.

ENGAGED



Rondle Amstutz
Brenda Hicks

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hicks of Cass City announce the engagement of their daughter, Brenda Jean, to Rondle Keith Amstutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Amstutz of Berne, Ind.

Brenda is a 1979 graduate of Cass City High School and Ron is a 1978 graduate of South Adams High School. They are both attending Bethel College, Mishawaka, Ind., majoring in business management.

The couple is planning a June wedding.



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"If It Fitz..."

Fake film footage

By Jim Fitzgerald

Forty years later, I finally realized I'd been cheated out of the truth.

We were watching a documentary called "Portrait of a Newsreel Cameraman" on public TV. An old-time cameraman named Myron Gittinger was showing film footage he'd sold to several newsreel companies during a free-lance career that stretched from 1928 to 1949.

Gittinger specialized in human interest stories. He was good at finding ordinary people who could do extraordinary things. For example, he filmed an old woman who looked like the grandmother of the entire Midwest. She was a sharpshooter. With a black hood over her head, she could put a pistol bullet through a bull's-eye 1,000 yards away.

Gittinger also found a little girl who, using a revolver bigger than her head, could shoot the air out of tiny balloons held by friends who didn't seem to care that she impolitely turned her back to them and used a mirror to sight her target.

When I was a boy, I saw hundreds of amazing newsreel stories like that. In fact, I'll swear I can remember seeing the old woman in the black hood and marveling at her incredible skill. That's what I told my wife, just before she laughed at something Myron Gittinger said while his 1939 film was rolling on 1979 TV.

Gittinger said it was a fake. He hadn't found that old woman while scouring the country in search of ordinary people doing extraordinary things. She was his aunt. The little girl was his cousin. Neither one of them knew anything about shooting guns.

The targets were hit by a genuine sharpshooter, firing a high-powered rifle from off camera. A chemical trick caused wisps of smoke to emit from the guns held by the old woman and the little girl. In dark theaters all over the country, innocent dummies like me never knew the difference.

Apparently there was nothing unusual about Gittinger's fraud. The idea was to produce newsreel film

that would interest audiences. When necessary, fiction was mixed freely with facts. The result wasn't too much different from the Shirley Temple movies that the newsreels preceded.

Included in the Gittinger films unearthed for TV were several scenes of the industrial strikes that were common in the 1930s. He caught dramatic footage of violent battles between strikers and management mercenaries. Forty years later, he admitted he had convinced the participants to take the fighting to spice up his movie and improve the chances of its being shown.

And I always thought the first media event was staged for Walter Cronkite and the 7 o'clock news.

By coincidence, the same night TV showed Myron Gittinger's old movies, it also offered a documentary on the Dionne quintuplets who were born in 1934. TV used old Pathe newsreels to tell much of the quint's story. Pathe beat the competition by purchasing exclusive newsreel rights to the "inside" life of the five unfortunate little girls. Dozens of companies bought pieces of the quintuplets, which is what caused all the trouble.

But there was no mention of this trouble in the newsreels. The quint were portrayed as completely happy children, though they'd been taken away from their parents and forced to live in a zoo where people paid to look at them.

It was during the Depression, and theater customers were depressed enough. They wanted happy news about the cute quint. They didn't want to be told that their freakshow environment might ultimately shorten the quint's lives (which it did). The newsreels gave the viewers what they wanted, and what they would pay tickets to see. There is more than one way to fake the news. Myron Gittinger couldn't have done it any better with a black hood.

Today, as an adult, I expect some sham in filmed news, and I know how to use a grain of salt. But it was dismaying to be told, twice on the same night, that I was duped when I was an innocent little boy, eager to believe that a tiny girl could look in a mirror and shoot balloons.

Speaking of little boys being duped, you might wonder how old-time newsreel cameramen earn a living today. They shoot those TV commercials that show mechanical toys working perfectly on Christmas morning.

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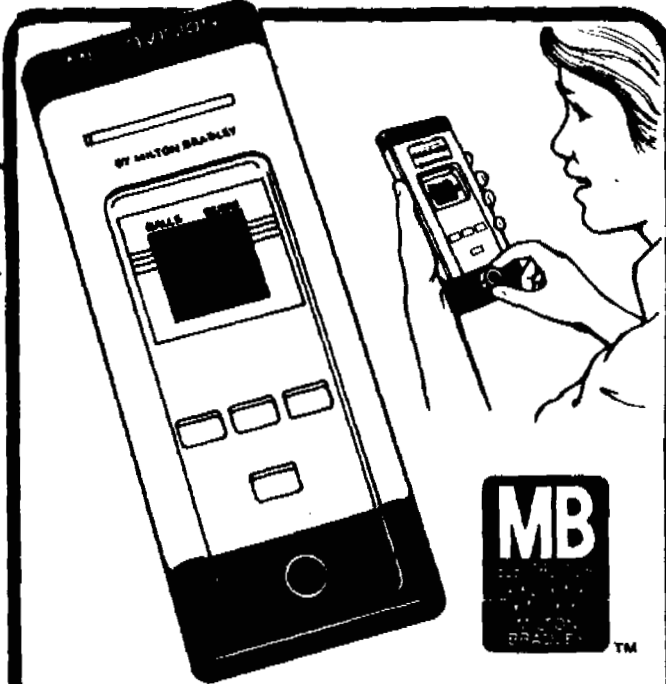


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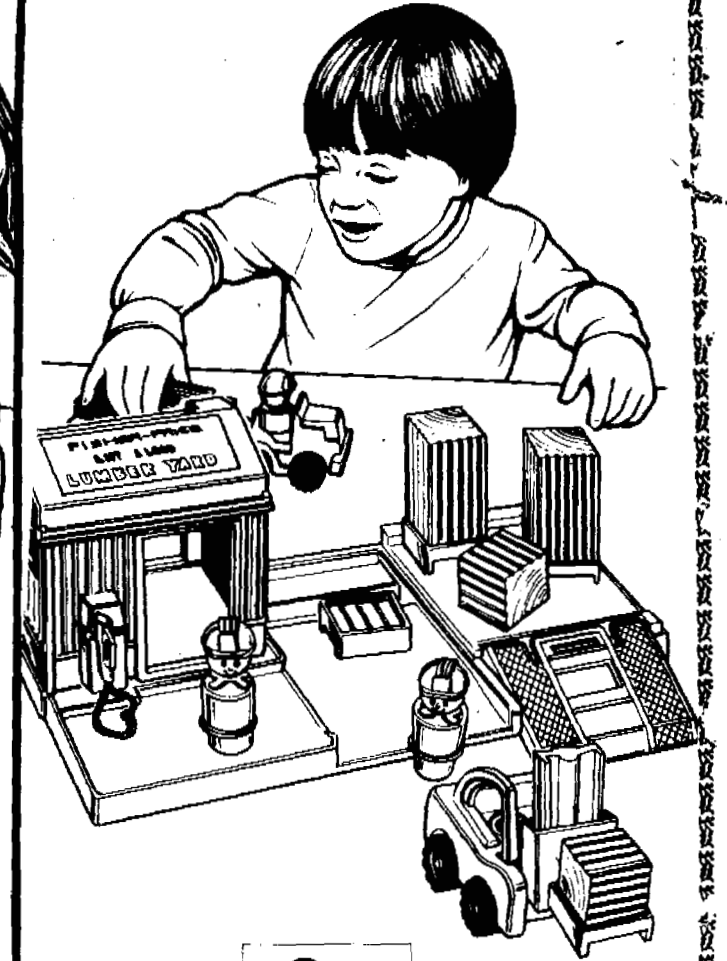


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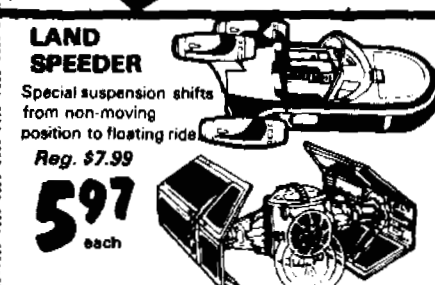
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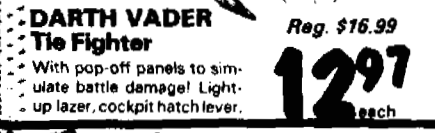


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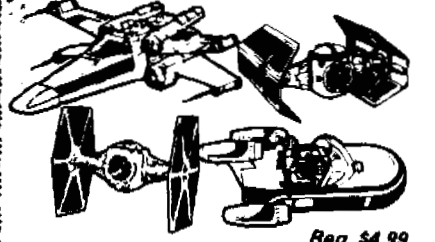


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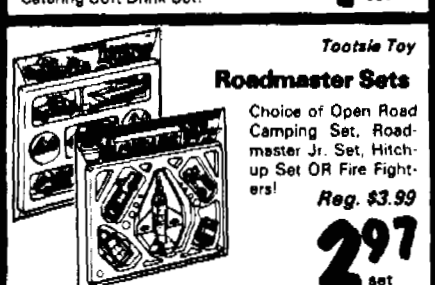


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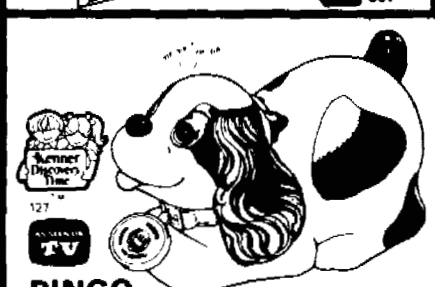
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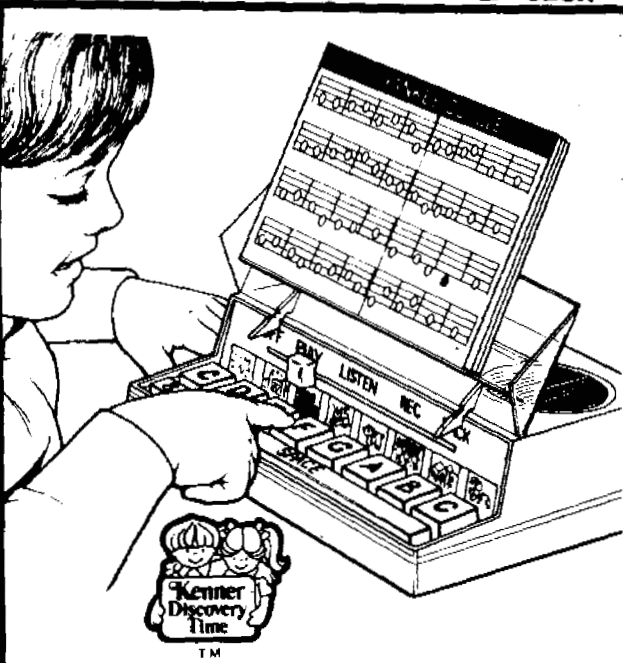
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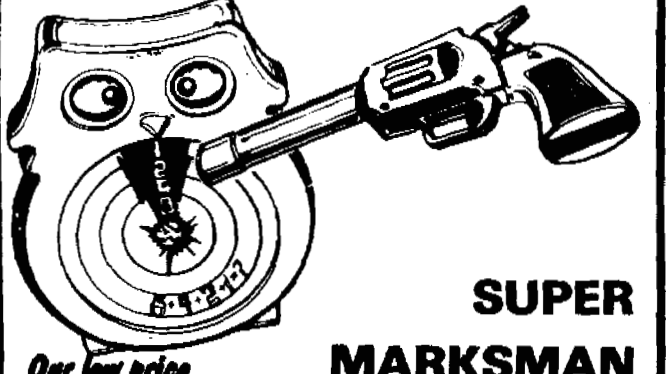


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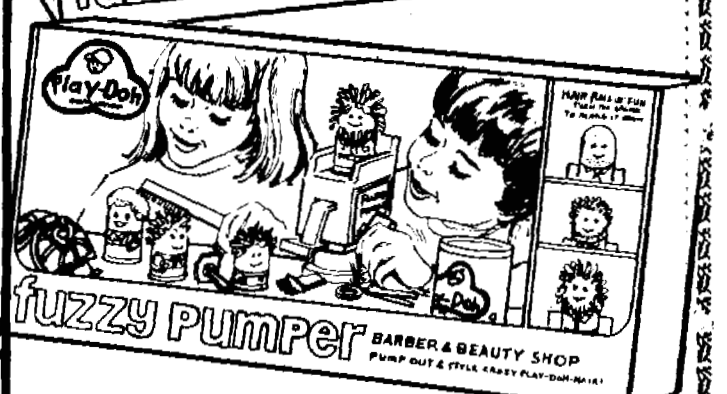


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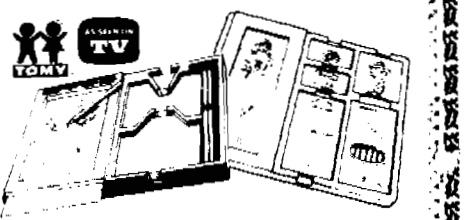


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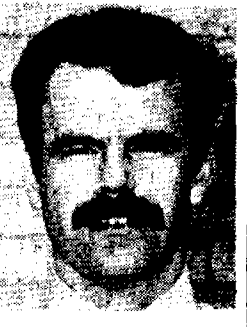
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PEDALING AROUND

Bring Bach back

By Mike Ellasohn



I am, for lack of a better term, a musical slob.

I usually listen to WJR, a Detroit middle-of-the-road radio station, and if I'm going to or from Lansing and there is a sporting event being broadcast, I listen to a country music station.

I also like folk music (remember that fad?) and some occasional rock-and-roll.

I am not apologizing for my musical tastes. I merely mention them to point out that I am not a musical "high brow."

But for those of you who stayed away from the Village Bach Festival because it was "high brow," too bad. You missed a worthwhile experience.

Due to family obligations, I had to be in Lansing Saturday and Sunday, so only saw the Friday night program plus bits and pieces from some rehearsals for the other concerts.

To be honest, the Friday night program didn't do that much for me. My non-musical ears tell me that it was excellently done, but solo performances on the harpsichord and organ just didn't thrill me.

But from what I heard at the rehearsals... Maybe I was guilty of listening to the equivalent of "Highlights from Classical Music," or whatever the name of that phonograph album was that

used to be shilled on TV, but what I heard during the rehearsals was -- forgive me -- thrilling.

The violins, the cellos (or cello), the harpsichord, the trumpets, the drums, the singer.

Blend them all together and the fact that it was being done live -- wow.

Granted the singer was singing in German, but I don't listen to the words of most songs I hear on the radio, so the language really doesn't matter.

Part of it was, as I indicated, that it was being done live. Even on an ultra-expensive stereo set, it wouldn't have been the same. Sort of like if "Charlie's Angels" was a radio program.

I am writing this before I get the "official" wrapup of the festival, which you will find elsewhere in this paper. But I hope that the event was financially successful enough that there can be a repeat next year.

Then I can see what I missed and those of you who didn't go because it was too "high brow" can also go.

VOTE NO

Anytime a public official becomes convinced he is a big gun, it's time for him to be fired.



THE START OF a traditional Thanksgiving dinner is being prepared by the second grade students of Mrs. Kathy Iseler at Willis Campbell Elementary School. In addition to the pie, homemade butter and cornbread were to have been served last Wednesday. From the left are: Danny Anderson, Christine Rutkoski, Garrett Gordon, Teddy Thayer, Jessica Stafford, Lynn Spencer, Tommy McNeil, Donny Osentoski and Amie Grassmann.

Waltos found guilty in \$2,000 fraud case

A Circuit court jury last Wednesday found Victoria Waltos, 35, of 6065 Lanway Road, Kingston, guilty of obtaining money by false pretenses over \$100.

The verdict came at the end of a two-day trial. Judge Norman A. Baguley continued bond until sentencing Jan. 14.

Mrs. Waltos was found guilty of having received \$2,000 from the Mayville State Bank Oct. 6, 1978, by claiming that her husband had lost a money order for that amount while fishing.

Friday before Circuit Judge Patrick R. Joslyn: John A. Male, 65, of 5683 Bond Road, Wilmot, was sentenced to one year in the county jail for felonious assault. He was credited with 32 days already served.

Male pleaded no contest to the charge Sept. 28 admitting that he had fired at a car passing by his home from about 100 yards away with a .22 rifle. The incident occurred May 18.

Richard L. Woodruff, 21, of Brown City, was placed on two years' probation for attempted larceny in a building. He was also sentenced to serve 90 days in the county jail at the end of his probation, fined \$200, assessed \$200 court costs and ordered to pay \$61 restitution.

Woodruff pleaded guilty Oct. 12 to the charge, in connection with a Sept. 4 break-in of the Wickes Agriculture silo office in Cass City, in which some tools were taken.

Douglas G. Mitchell, 18, of Flint, stood mute to a charge of assault with intent to commit robbery. A plea of innocent was entered and hearing of pretrial motions scheduled Dec. 14, to be followed by the pretrial hearing. Bond was continued.

He is charged with attempting to rob Clyde Shingler Oct. 9 near Millington while armed with a knife.

James G. Pratt, 21, of 2360 Swaffer Road, Millington, stood mute to a charge of assaulting a police officer. A plea of innocent was entered and hearing of pretrial motions scheduled Dec. 14, to be followed by the pretrial

hearing. Bond was continued.

He is charged with attempting to run over Deputy Arthur Adam with a farm tractor Oct. 13 in Watertown township.

In cases heard Nov. 19 before Judge Martin E. Clements:

Jerry L. Franz, 18, of 3854 Hanes Road, Vassar, pleaded innocent to two charges of breaking and

entering an occupied dwelling.

His plea was accepted and pretrial hearing scheduled Dec. 3. Bond was continued.

Franz is charged with breaking into a house at 3822 Hanes Road July 27 and a house at 3805 Hanes Road Sept. 26.

Bryan D. Whittaker, 19, of 4875 Sheridan Road, Vassar, was sentenced to 135 days in the county jail, with credit

given for seven days served, for violation of probation.

His probation was revoked. He pleaded guilty Nov. 5 to having violated probation by failing to report to his probation officer three times in August and not seeking and maintaining steady employment.

He was placed on 24 months' probation in June, 1978, for attempted receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100.

Kingston man hurt when hit by car

A Kingston man was treated and released from Marlette Community Hospital last Thursday after he was momentarily pinned between a moving car and a parked car.

Injured was William L. Gottler, 25, of 3673 Ross Street.

Sheriff's deputies said Gottler was guiding a car being backed up by James A. Gottler, 23, of the same address.

Gottler stepped behind the moving car and was pinched between it and the parked car behind it.

The mishap occurred at 1 a.m. off Ross Street in Kingston, south of State Street.

David Doerr of 2646 Cemetery Road, Cass City, reported to sheriff's deputies that while his car was parked off the west side of Crawford Road, an unknown vehicle struck it and continued on its way.

The incident occurred at 10:30 a.m. Nov. 21, south of Severance Road.

Kenneth L. Distelrath, 18, of 3458 Linden Street, Kingston, was ticketed by Caro state police on a charge of violation of the basic speed law after an accident at 1:30 a.m. Saturday.

He told troopers he fell asleep at the wheel. The car, eastbound on M-46, east of English Road, veered off the north side of the road and struck a mailbox.

At 9:35 a.m. that day, according to Cass City police, Calvin Samons, 16, of 5690 Van Dyke Road, westbound on Main Street at Weaver, was starting to turn left into a driveway and collided with an eastbound car.

Driver of the other car, which had just pulled away from a parking spot, was Richard W. Dicks, 51, of Deckerville Road.

At 11:15 a.m. Monday, according to Cass City police, Terri Sue Groombridge, 29, of 4380 Ale Street, was backing from a driveway on Seeger Street, north of Hillcrest, and backed into a village-owned street sweeper, which had just made a U-turn to head south.

Driver of the sweeper was Russell Bradley Jr., 34, of 4207 S. Sherman Street.

CAR-DEER

Two Ugly men were treated and released from Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, after their car went off the road Saturday while trying to avoid a deer.

Wilmot street to remain open

The Tuscola County Road Commission decided at a hearing in Wilmot last Wednesday to leave Montague Street in that community as is, rather than close a portion of it as requested by the Kingston Township Board.

Requested was that the street be closed between Howard Avenue and the east-west alley 112 feet to the south.

According to Road Commission Clerk Jim Miklovic, about 25 persons were at the

hearing, most of whom wanted the alley left as-is. Accordingly, the three road commissioners voted to deny the request of the township board to close it.

The originator of the request, Charlie's Market owner Charles Weitschat, according to Miklovic, after initially speaking in support of the closing, later said he didn't realize the extent of the opposition and informally withdrew his request that it be closed.

The weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Wednesday.....	54	40	0
Thursday.....	56	44	.78
Friday.....	56	30	.75
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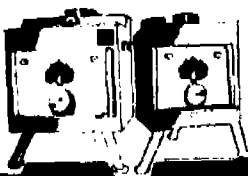
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Bach Festival artistic success

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mented. "I love playing it very much. This city is very lucky to have it."

"They played very exceedingly well," said Mrs. Althaver. "They brought their best."

THE SUCCESS OF THE first festival leads to the question of whether there will be a second one, which is a decision that hasn't been made yet.

Most of the signs indicate there will be.

Jaeger, just prior to heading home to Midland Sunday evening, said the "general spirit" of the musicians was that they would like to return.

"I'd love to do it again," said Mrs. Althaver.

"The important thing of this is the traditional element, commented Rev. Capps. "I would be disappointed if it didn't continue."

IF THERE IS A SECOND year, there likely will be

some changes.

The two co-chairmen foresee the possibility of the festival starting Saturday with a concert in the afternoon and one in the evening, with a final concert Sunday.

The Saturday afternoon

event would enable persons traveling a distance to see the concert and return home the same day. Such an arrangement would also give them the option of seeing two concerts and returning home Sunday.

The first festival attracted concertgoers from as far away as Toledo, Ohio, the Detroit area and Lansing.

A concert for children is another possibility for next year.

If there is a concert festival next year, Mrs. Althaver

feels that additional persons will have to help.

The only reimbursement paid to the musicians was for their expenses and both Mrs. Althaver and Rev. Capps feel they will have to receive some pay next year in addition to that.

Although the musician who came here were very pleased with the outcome, they did have one complaint, though a good natured one.

"They fed us too well," said conductor Jaeger. "Everyone has to go on a diet."

Bach Festival ends in black

Although the bills aren't all in, the first annual Village Bach Festival will finish in the black, festival committee Treasurer Bill Lovejoy said Tuesday.

Total budget for the event was about \$10,000.

Attendance at Friday night's concert was 164. There were 220 there Saturday evening. The Sunday afternoon program drew about 275, which was considered a full house, although a few more persons could have been squeezed in.

In addition to revenue from ticket sales, including the more costly patron tickets, the Michigan Council for the Arts awarded a grant of

\$3,600, and Walbro Corp. gave a donation, the amount of which Lovejoy didn't wish to disclose. (Some employees also did work for the festival on company time.)

Part of the arts council grant paid the fee for Ellen McIntosh White, the artist-in-residence in the Cass City schools the week before the festival.

In addition to the three concerts, the lecture prior to Friday night's concert, by Dr. Rosella Duerksen, drew about 100 persons. Her Saturday afternoon lecture, followed by showing of a film by Doris Ornstein about the harpsichord, drew about 40 persons.

Village council takes sewage plant grant

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been awarded the grant.

Village Superintendent Lou LaPonsie said the hope is that construction bids can be opened in March or April. Bids must apparently then be awarded within 120 days.

Gas price goes up in Cass City

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price Tuesday of last week and didn't notice that Luetke had raised his until noon that day. The price at Village Service Center went up Wednesday.

Chippi, who owns or supplies at least 10 stations as far away as Bay City, said he and his employees continually survey other stations' prices.

Locally, he and Bader keep a check, with the ultimate decision on raising the price up to the latter as lessee.

Gasoline prices in Caro have usually been 1 or 2 cents lower per gallon than those in Cass City. According to Chippi, the reason is the stations there are distributor-owned and operated, which eliminates one level of required profit. All Cass City stations are dealer-owned or operated.

In addition, there are more stations in Caro, which makes the price situation more competitive.

None of the Cass City dealers are expecting any gasoline shortages in the foreseeable future, though at least one dealer expects supplies to be tight. What the price will be is a question mark.

"I wouldn't want to predict," said Chippi. "That would be anybody's guess."

Clare's Sunoco owner Clare Mellendorf also declined to make a prediction. Motorists will need the fuel, he commented, so will pay whatever price stations must charge.

Spencer feels the shutoff of oil from Iran will give the oil companies an excuse to jack up prices sharply. "I look for \$1.15-1.20 by the first of the year."

Luetke doesn't think gasoline will get that costly by

Cars collide minus their drivers

A two-car collision occurred in Cass City Saturday.

What was so unusual about that?

Both cars were unoccupied.

Village police reported that the car of Simon Schwartz of 8770 Tyre Road, Ubly, had been parked in front of the Eria's Food Center and the driver had gone in shopping.

The car then rolled backward down the incline, crossed Church Street, and struck the parked car of Russell Bader of 6989 Elmwood Road.

The incident occurred at 5:30 p.m.

THE FINE ART

The millennium will have arrived when nations learn to love each other as much as their ambassadors say they do.



HARPSICHORDIST -- Performing on her own harpsichord at the Village Bach Festival was Doris Ornstein, an instructor at the Cleveland Institute of Music, who gave a solo performance Friday evening.



PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT -- The performances of the Bach festival musicians was even more outstanding considering that they didn't rehearse together until they got to Cass City. This was the scene during a Friday afternoon session. Conductor Don Jaeger (with baton) is at left.

ORGANIST TOM BROWN has high praise for the 113-year-old tracker organ at the First Presbyterian church. Brown is organist at the Church of St. John the Evangelist in New York City.

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Michigan Mirror

JOLT back in penal system despite protests

By Warren M. Hoyt
Mich. Press Association

The State Corrections Commission has reinstated a controversial JOLT (Juvenile Offenders Learn) program for at least six more months.

The program, introducing juvenile offenders to the state penal system, is deemed to "shock" youngsters into the reality of real prison life so that they would not want to end up there.

The commission had suspended the program earlier this year and was urged to totally scrap it by Department of Corrections officials, who said their study indicated the program did not serve as an effective deterrent.

Prison inmates and members of the House Corrections Committee, however, implored the commission to restore the program with some modifications.

The commission, in restarting the program, ordered the department to use outside researchers to make the evaluation after an additional six months.

The project will be suspended during the evaluation period.

The JOLT program will include adjudicated teens from the four original participating counties of Wayne, Jackson, Washtenaw and Oakland.

The commission said each county may participate only when it can assure follow-up services will be provided.

Individual county programs will begin when that county is ready to proceed.

Inmates who run the program at the Southern Michigan Prison at Jackson told a House committee that their aim was to deter crime by impressing upon the juveniles that prison is not where they want to spend any of their life.

The corrections commission noted in the revived program, no juvenile can be verbally intimidated or abused and that parents or legal guardians must accompany the juveniles through the entire process, including a discussion session.

Juveniles will have to be at least 15 years old to participate.

VOLUNTARY QUILTS

One sore point between majority Democrats and minority Republicans which has held up unemployment compensation reform has been persons receiving benefits if they voluntarily quit the job.

For the first time, the issue has gotten some majority support with the introduction of legislation in the Senate.

Saying they hope it will spur resolution of the entire voluntary quits issue, Senators Kerry Kammer (D-Pontiac) and Doug Ross (D-Oak Park) proposed that small businesses be relieved of the cost of insurance for unemployment benefits for

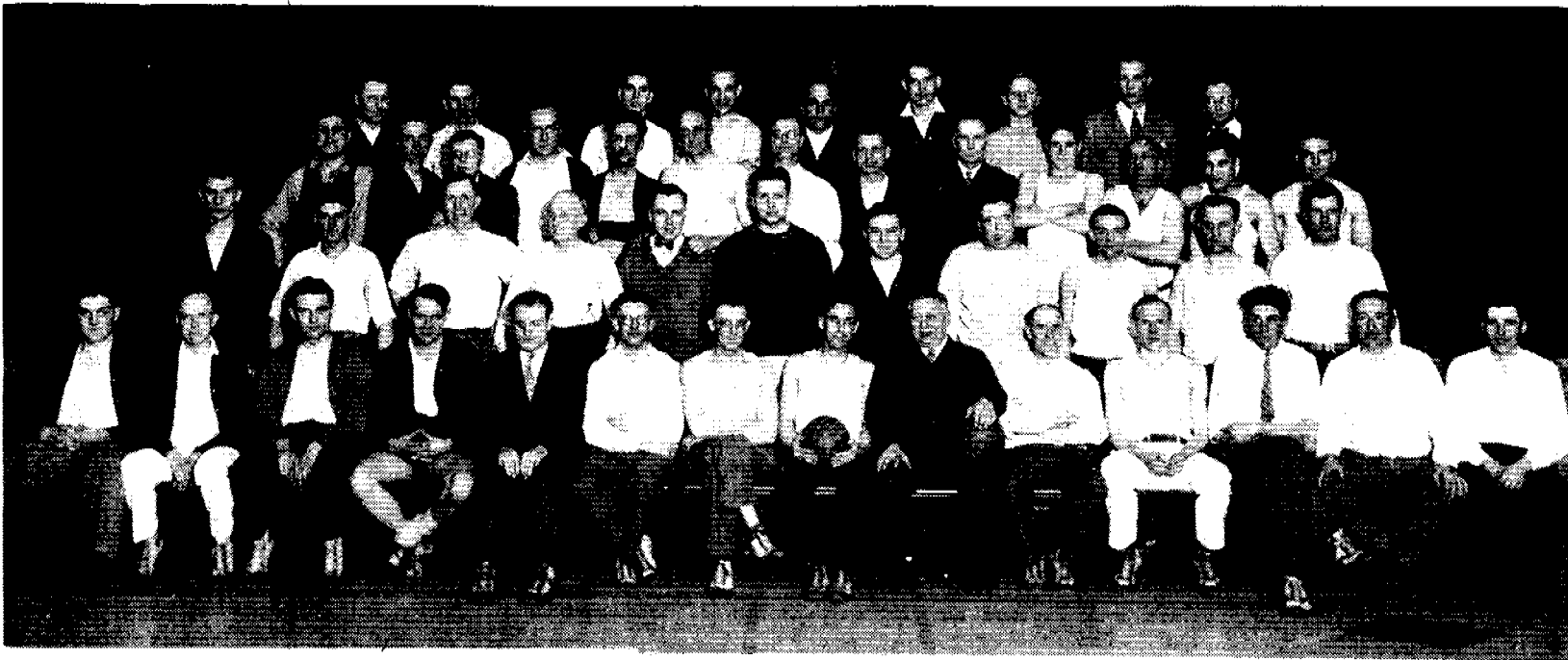
workers who leave voluntarily.

The proposal would relieve small businesses (those with no more than 150 employees) of about \$10 million in unemployment insurance costs per year, with the cost being shifted to larger employers.

Ross said such a shift would give big business an incentive to deal with the whole question of voluntary quits.

He said the long term intent of the legislation is to eliminate entirely the category of voluntary quits from the unemployment benefit system.

The Michigan Employment Security Commission estimates 1978 costs to businesses for voluntary quits was \$14 million, covering some 148,538 workers.



VOLLEYBALL WAS the most popular indoor sport for Cass City men from 1929-32, with 16 six-man teams competing during that period. This photo of participants isn't dated, but was taken during those years. Front row, from left, Watson Spaven, Walt Mann, Andy Bigelow, Don Gage, Morley Smith, Fowler Hutchinson, Guy Wrench, Harley Holms, Ab Higgins, Frank Reid, Meredith Auten, Luke Tuckey, George McIntyre, Howard Stratton. Second row: James Lewis, John Tuckey, Chick Schwaderer, Robert McNamee, Sheldon Peterson, Ed Klingner, Frank Haven, Raymond McCullough, Bob McConkey, Art Atwell (owner of the photo), J.C. Hutchinson. Third row: Milo Ragen, Audley Kinnaird, Lester Bailey, Ernest Croft, Bud Burt, Cecil Brown, John May, Dorus Benkelman, N. McCullough, Vic Barnes, Charley Day, Joe Diaz, Grant Patterson. Back row: Harold Dickinson, Harold Jackson, Stanley McArthur, Ivan Niergarth, Frank Cranick, John West, Raymond Wood, Fred Pinney, Earl Douglas. A man can be seen peeking from between the curtains in center of photo.

Prosecutor says Owen-Gage tax not according to law

Despite a warning from the prosecutor, the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners Tuesday approved the county's 1979 property tax apportionment report.

The opinion of Prosecutor Artis Noel concerned the way the millage levy in the Owendale-Gagetown School District was computed, minus a rollback as required by the Headlee amendment, which, he said, was not in accordance with the law.

Commissioners accepted the figures from Owen-Gage, board chairman Paul Nagy explained later, because of the need to get the roll approved so that tax bills could be sent out.

The roll should have been approved in early October and tax bills should be mailed Dec. 1. The reason for the delay was due to the issue involving Owen-Gage and because of it, according to county Equalization Director Donald Graf, it will be 2-3 weeks before tax bills are mailed in 10 or 11 townships.

Basically, the board accepted a compromise, according to Nagy. In line with recent court rulings, it said that the Goslin parcel taxes belong to the Cass City School District, but accepted Owen-Gage Supt. Ronald Erickson's millage figures, which were computed without the rollback.

Erickson's contention was that without Goslin, the district's valuation is low enough that the rollback provision isn't applicable, plus the district's total operational levy is two mills less than what it was a year ago. He also mentioned the Goslin issue is still in the courts because of appeals by Owen-Gage.

(The Headlee amendment says that a governmental unit's property tax revenue cannot rise faster than the rate of inflation. If it would because of increases in property tax assessments, the millage must be rolled back to compensate.)

The prosecutor's interpretation differs from Erickson's in that Noel says the

rollback must be applied to the millage Owen-Gage had in effect prior to Dec. 31, 1978, which was 17.25 mills. It does not apply to the 4.25-mill levy approved by voters last June, two less than the amount that expired.

According to Nagy, the board's vote to accept the Erickson's version will cost Owen-Gage taxpayers \$32,000 in additional taxes.

Any taxpayer in the district will be able to sue the district for its improper certification of the taxes and can probably also sue the county board.

The State Tax Commission or Tax Tribunal conceivably could also intervene, he said.

Before voting, the board checked with the Huron County Board of Commissioners, which earlier in the day had approved its apportionment report and accepted Owen-Gage's figures without any rollback.

The Tuscola county board's vote in favor of the report, with the Owen-Gage figure as is, was 3-2, with Nagy abstaining because he would have voted "no," he explained later.

Those in favor were Ken Kennedy, Margaret Wenta and Bob Russell; opposed, Donna Rayl and Ben Collon. Commissioner Royce Russell of Elmwood township was absent as he is recovering

from surgery performed on his foot, injured in a farm accident a few months ago.

The state equalized valuation of the Goslin property is \$4.25 million. The valuation of the Owen-Gage district (Tuscola and Huron counties), not including Goslin, is \$34.248 million.

Earlier in the day, the board approved annexation of 48 acres from Elkland township to Cass City. No objections were made.

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Telling stories around the fire

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can you do for the winter doldrums?

Take a tip from the past. Spend an evening telling stories with your whole family around the fireplace. Those dancing flames and deep shadows provide a natural setting to let your fancy soar.

If you've never thought of yourself as Mother Goose or the Brothers Grimm, don't worry.

To find out what stories really appeal to children, go back to your parents' home, crawl around in the attic, open up a few old boxes and rediscover the books you liked when you were young.

Ask your parents, "What story did I want you to tell me again... and again... and again?" They're sure to remember that one!

Don't forget that grandparents are a valuable storytelling resource in their own right. Children love to hear true stories set back in the "old days" about people they know right now—especially about people like Mommy and Daddy.

Children are fascinated, too, by stories about themselves when they were "little." How did they act when they were babies? Where did they go and what did they see? Your child will love playing the starring role in his own personal show.

Check your local library. Most libraries also have a "story hour" once a week, so if you want some tips on how to tell that book story, stick around. But don't be bound by the written word. Feel free to adapt. Part of the fun of story telling is adjusting the tale to fit your very own family.

Don't make story telling a one-way street. Encourage your children to tell stories of their own. Ask them to tell you the plot of their favorite TV program or movie. Let everyone in the family share something that happened to him or her during the day.

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USA edges Hawks in tournament tune-up

Sometimes the ball bounces in and sometimes it bounces out. For the Cass City Red Hawks the ball bounced out last Wednesday at Sebewaing when the Hawks lost to USA, 57-55.

Hawks fans are hoping that the ball bounces the other way tonight (Thursday) when they meet the winner of the Bad Axe-Lakers game at Laker High.

If the girls do win the odds are that they will meet USA in the finals for the district C toga and what a game that promises to be.

On the basis of the two previous meetings between

the schools the game is dead even. The Hawks topped USA and lost to them Wednesday. It was the only game USA lost this season.

Coach Lloyd Schinnerer was philosophical about the loss. We won a game at Vassar when the ball bounced in instead of out and it was one of the keys to our conference championship, he said.

In a game between two dead even teams little things often make the difference. At USA the Hawks lost Padgett Randall for almost all of the third quarter because of fouls and the All-

Conference forward tallied only 11 points in the game, much below her season's average.

Some of the slack was taken up by Libby Hartel who has been playing the best ball of her career in recent games. She scored 14 points. Nancy Tonti, back at full strength after missing several games, scored 13.

USA had some firepower of its own. Senior Sue Englehardt scored 13 and a couple of sophomores, Jan Tietz and Kim Adam, netted 12. With two sophomores and a

freshman on the varsity, USA promises to be strong in the years ahead.

The host team jumped off to an early lead and was ahead 19-13 at the end of the first quarter. The second stanza was all Cass City. With its best offensive show of the night coupled with its best defense Cass City made up the deficit and hammered out a 30-25 halftime lead.

The Patriots got that back in the third period with a 20-14 advantage and a slim one-point lead in the game.

After that it was anybody's game. At the buzzer Randall tossed up one of her patented soft jumpers from 15 feet. The ball hit the rim

and bounced out and that was the game.

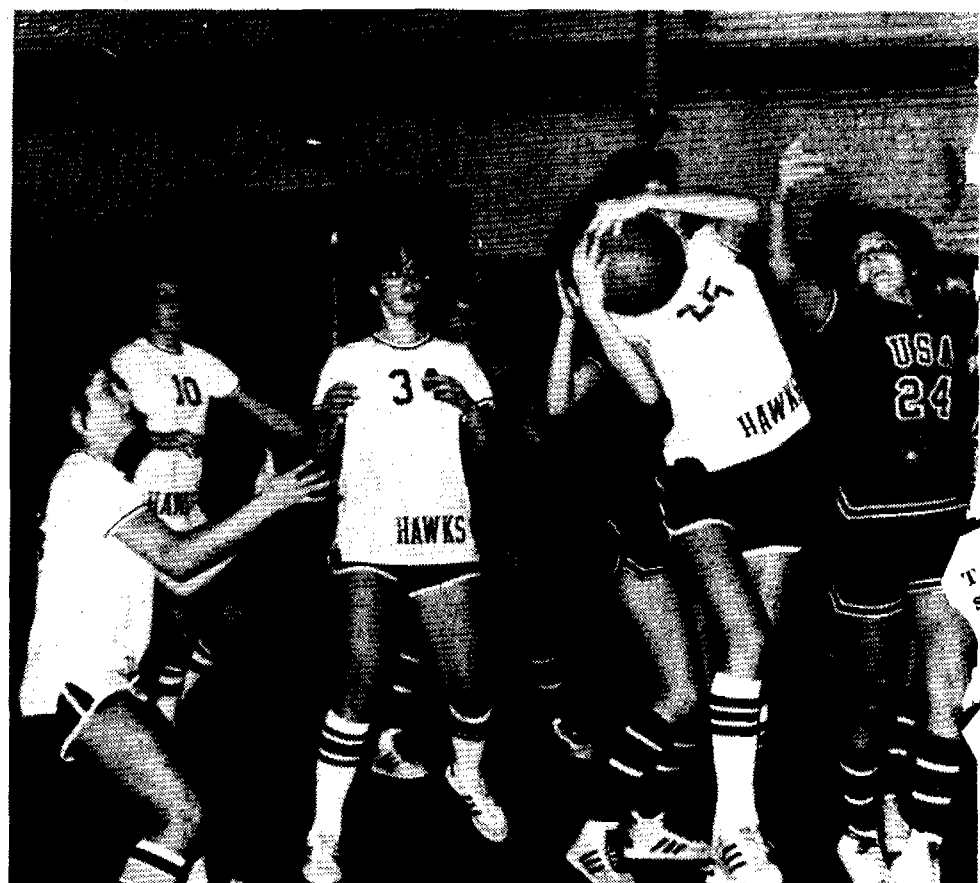
Cass City hit 21 of 52 from the floor for 40 percent and 13 of 24 from the free throw line for 54 percent. USA was 7 of 15 from the line and whipped in 25 field goals.

POINT OF VIEW

A mother-in-law is easy to put up with — unless she decides to move in and put up with you.

UP TO YOU

Not enough time is a poor excuse; you have all the time going, and nobody has more.



ONE OF THE reasons for the Hawks' success this season has been the rebounding of Vickie Pobanz, who snared this one against USA. The Patriots edged the Hawks in the tourney tune-up, 59-57, last Wednesday. (Photo by Clarke Haire)

Coach sees wide open battle for Thumb B wrestling crown

Coach Russ Biefer is making no predictions about where his wrestlers will

finish the 1979-80 season, but he figures that the Cass City Red Hawks should have a

chance to win it all. That's because the coach sees a wide open race in the Thumb

B Conference with no outstanding favorites. The squad has weaknesses

and suffers from the loss of fine group of seniors by Mike Truener, who qualified for the State last year. Also gone are Paul Guernsey and Todd Alexander who won valuable points for Cass City.

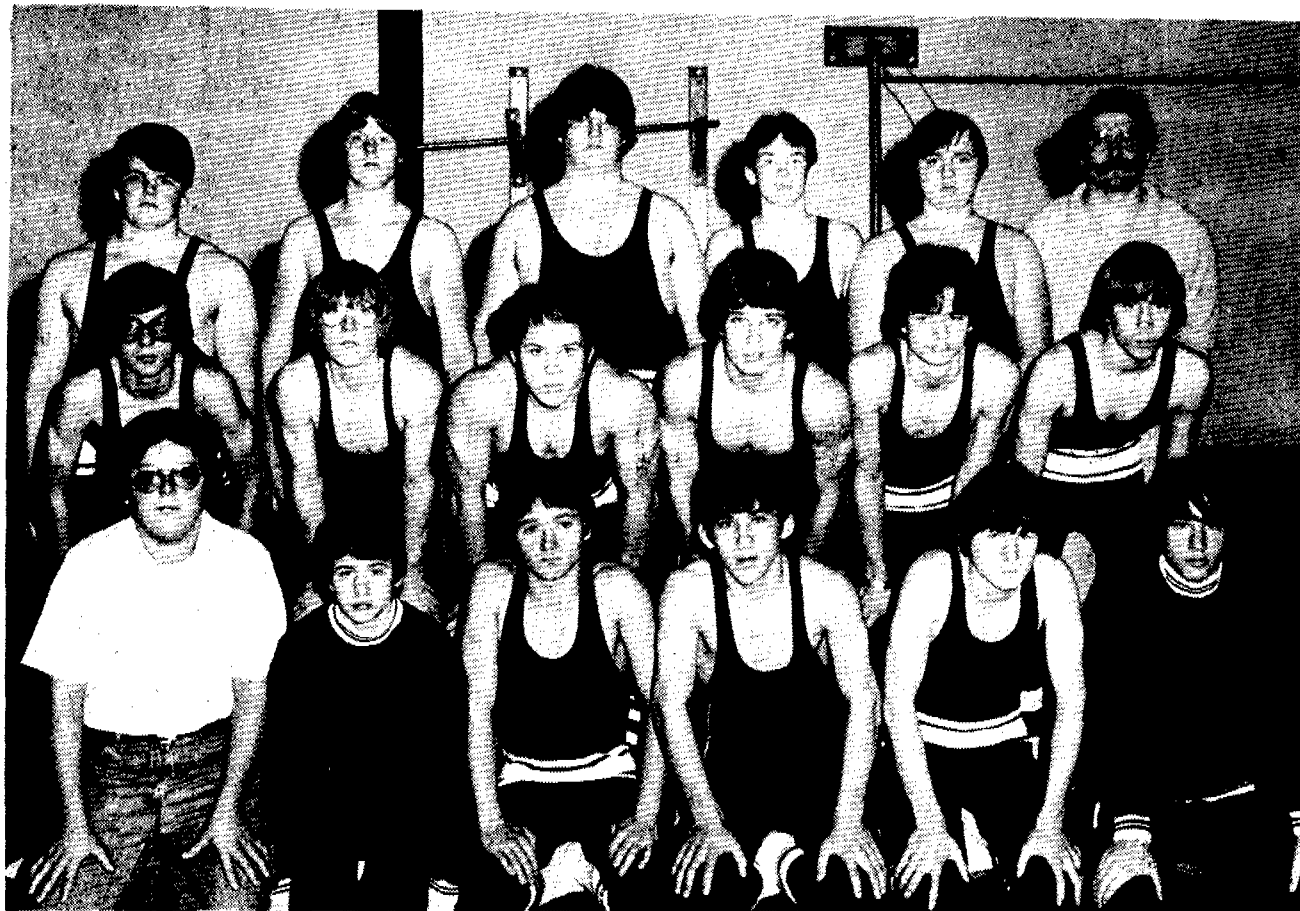
Biefer sees the Hawks as strong in the heavier weights, 145 pounds and above. Start with Guy Nanne, heavyweight who was a consistent winner last season. Paul Harmer and Bob Warju were second in the league and figure heavily in Biefer's plans. Also showing much improvement and sure to add points to the Hawks' total are Jim Nicol and Jim Jensen.

To be serious contenders, Biefer says some of the younger wrestlers in the lighter weights will have to come through.

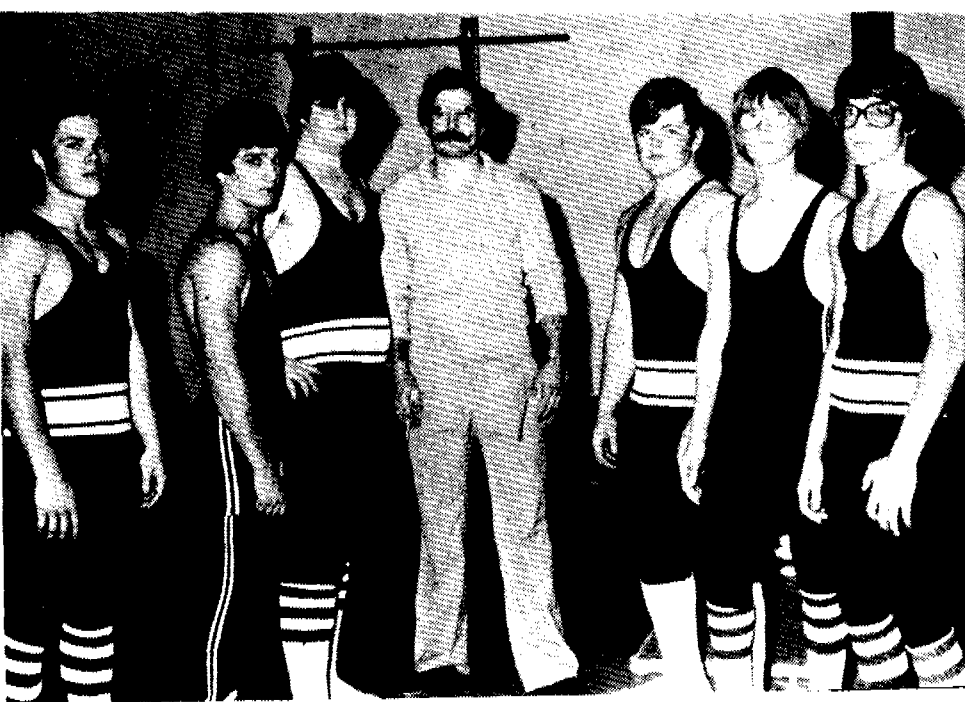
If they do, Cass City could be fighting for title all year. Right now Marlette and Sandusky loom as the favorites. Marlette lost heavily by graduation but the Red Raiders have a winning tradition in wrestling.

UP TO THE MARK

The fellow who takes the bull by the horns will someday have the world by the tail.



THE RED HAWK WRESTLERS - Front row, from left: Mark Dolecki, Dave Allen, Blake Fisher, Dave Keyser, Jeff Papp and Kevin Frank. Second row: Dave Purvis, Mike O'Dell, Dave Palazzola, Bob Sawdon, Phil Harmer, Paul Brown. Back row: Coach Russ Biefer, Jack Putnam, Dan LaPonsie, Guy Nanne, Shawn Papp and Jim Jensen.



COACH RUSS BIEFER, center, talks things over with his veteran letter winners. From left: Bob Sawdon, Dave Palazzola, Guy Nanne, Jim Jensen, Phil Harmer and Paul Brown.

Randall repeats on all-star team

Padgett Randall was a repeat selection of the Thumb B All-Conference basketball team selected at a meeting of coaches held in Caro.

The junior sharpshooting forward was the only Cass City girl to make the first two teams. Two Hawks were named to the honorable mention list, Libby Hartel and Vickie Pobanz.

For leading his team to the conference title Lloyd Schinnerer was named coach of the year.

Only one school, Caro, had two players on the first five. The complete teams:

FIRST TEAM

Padgett Randall - Cass

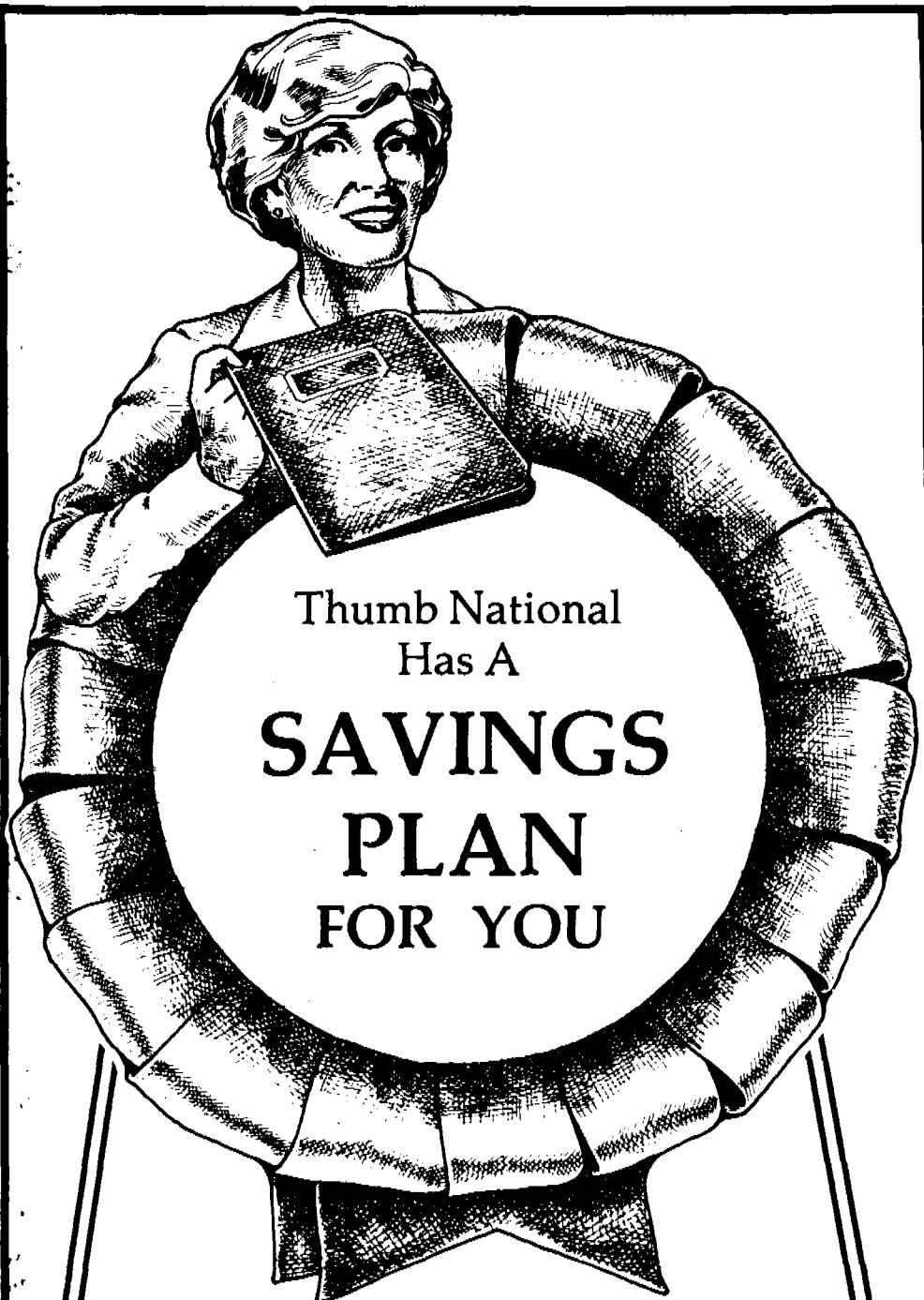
City.
Brenda Smith - Caro.
Sue Polewach - Sandusky.
Kim Marston - North Branch.
Lynette Coon - Caro.

SECOND TEAM

Lori MacAlpine - Bad Axe.
Mindy Cubbit - Bad Axe.
Bobbi Fackler - Vassar.
Terrie Lumm - Marlette.
Gail Fritz - Lakers.

HONORABLE MENTION

Sue Rodammer, Linda Masker, Vassar; Ann G. Fredine, Sandusky; Carol Strich, North Branch; Debbie Lumm, Marlette; Vickie Pobanz, Libby Hartel, Cass City; Sandy Havens, Bad Axe.



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Defending champs are loaded

Cass City heavy favorites in Thumb B

A veteran Cass City Red Hawk basketball team reigns as heavy favorite to successfully defend its Thumb B Conference basketball crown this season. And why not? The Hawks have five blue chippers back from last season, boys who started all or many of the games last season. In addition there are five other lettermen ready, willing and able.

With all this talent it might seem sure that players to see most of the action in the coming season are pretty well established.

But that just doesn't happen to be the case. Challenging these boys for starting

positions and playing time are several players up from the junior varsity.

It may well be that Coach Ron Nurnberger's biggest problem will be sorting out all the talent and welding it into the most effective team.

A hint of the Hawk power this year was visible in the summer schedule as Cass City played in recreation tournaments all over the State and did not lose a game.

Nurnberger's other big problem at the moment is injuries to three key players. Suffering from a kidney ailment is Tim Fahrner. He started scrimmaging for the first time last week. He'll be ready for the opener Dec. 7 but he lags in conditioning because of the injury.

Cass City's inside threat, Ken Martin, is hobbled with a knee injury. He'll be playing in the opener but Nurnberger doesn't expect him to be 100 percent until after Christmas.

Not counted on at all until after the holidays is Todd Comment. He's suffering from an ankle injury. Comment is regarded as the best shooter on the team. He's a junior.

The word is that Cass City has a strong bench. The Hawks' depth will be tested by the injuries.

Cass City can turn to Steve Richards, last year's top rebounder, and Rusty Hoag, 6-1 and quick. In addition Randy Ferris is an experienced guard with a good shooting eye. Rob Clarke

came off the bench to provide strong rebounding and he's ready to show his jumping ability again this season. Trent Guinther is a senior who saw limited action last season but improved steadily.

Out with an injury last season but back again now is Tim Johnson. He's a senior and his strength is defense and ball handling.

Showing well in pre-season practices has been Craig Tonti. He's a tough shooter and a good ball handler. The junior guard has had a basketball in his hand every day since summer practice and it shows.

On most teams another junior, Tim Sontag, would be starting. He played on the JV most of last season although he was called up to the varsity for a few games when injuries decimated the varsity. The Hawks won't be

Coach Ron Nurnberger this week reminded parents and fans that the first annual Maroon and White Night will be held Friday starting at 7 p.m.

It will feature intra-squad contests and introduction of players. Admission is \$1.00 for adults, 50 cents for students.

hurting when he replaces a starter.

Several other juniors will be gaining valuable experience ready to fill in if the veterans falter while getting ready for next season.

They include Phil Zawilinski, Brad Hartel, Brian deBeaubien and Tom Loomis.

While Nurnberger has experience at every position the Hawks did lose their two starting guards.

Clare Trischler, a three-year veteran, who was the balance wheel on last year's young team, and Tim Severance, a ball handler, have graduated.

They'll be missed but if the talent on hand progresses the way Hawk fans hope the void should be more than amply filled when the season opens.

Library wants its books back

Rawson Memorial Library will be closed Dec. 11-13 (Tuesday through Thursday) so that the staff can inventory the books.

To encourage the return of overdue books and the payment of fines due on books that were returned, the first 10 days of December are being declared "half price days." All fines may be paid for half during that time.

GOOD SHAPE

Enough money is spent on the road to ruin to keep it in absolutely tip-top condition.



THIS IS THE TEAM that is a heavy favorite to successfully defend its Thumb B Conference basketball crown this season. From left, front row: Tim Johnson, Randy Ferris, Brad Hartel, Phil Zawilinski, Todd Comment.

Second row: Steve Richards, Trent Guinther, Craig Tonti, Tom Loomis, Tim Sontag and Brian deBeaubien. Last row: Coach Ron Nurnberger, Rusty Hoag, Ken Martin, Rob Clarke and Tim Fahrner.

Lose loop title to Peck

O-G rallies to win opening game in district

Owen-Gage came from behind Monday night to defeat Akron-Fairgrove, 39-34, to advance to the second round of the district girls' basketball tournament it is hosting.

That will be at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, when the Bulldogs face North Huron. At 7 that evening, Port Hope plays Caseville.

The two winners that evening will face each other at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Owendale gym for the district trophy and a chance in the regionals.

The Vikings led at half-time Monday, 20-15, but could only manage four points in the third quarter as the host team pumped in 12 to go ahead to stay.

Becky Howard dropped in 19 points for the Bulldogs to outpace Viking hotshot Brenda Cramer, who scored 16 and pulled down 14 rebounds.

Howard snared 13 caroms off the boards. Julie Andrakowicz grabbed 11.

PECK GAME

Cold shooting the first three quarters and too many fouls Tuesday night, Nov. 20, killed Owen-Gage's chances for a third straight North Central D League title as they lost to new champs, Peck, 38-37.

The Pirates got 28 chances at the charity line and converted on 12 of them.

In contrast, the winners gave the Bulldogs only 14 shots at the foul line, where they connected on seven of them.

Owen-Gage didn't get its act together as it could only collect 12 points in the first half (to 16 for Peck) and nine more in the third period.

The Pirates double teamed the Bulldog's usual high scorer, Becky Howard,

who didn't even get into double figures and fouled out before the game was over.

Terri Sontag also fouled out and Carol Goslin and Tammy Kain had to be careful after they accumulated four fouls each.

Goslin was the only Bulldog in double figures with 15. Julie Andrakowicz again dominated the boards for the team as she snared 24 rebounds.

High scorer for Peck was Clarie Foley with 13 points.

The Pirate junior varsity finished an undefeated season with a 30-24 win.

Score by quarters:

Peck	12	4	10	12	38
O-G	5	7	9	16	37

NORTH CENTRAL D LEAGUE Girls' Basketball (final standings)

	League		Other		All	
	W	L	W	L	W	L
Peck	13	1	16	4	29	5
Owen-Gage	12	2	17	2	29	4
Caseville	10	4	12	6	22	10
N. Huron	8	6	9	7	17	13
Akron-Fair.	5	9	8	9	13	18
Carson.-PS.	4	10	6	13	10	23
Port Hope	4	10	5	13	9	23
Kingston	0	14	0	16	0	20

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MUTUAL SAVINGS

Buck Luck



Stan Szarapski of Kelley Road, Cass City, shot a six-point buck opening day, Nov. 15, in Menominee county in the Upper Peninsula. He was hunting with his brother-in-law, Dr. Joseph Wolschlegel of Big Rapids, who shot a 4-point that day.

Glen King of M-46, Caro, bagged a 6-point buck Nov. 15, east of Cass City.

Ron Turner of Severance Road, Cass City, shot a pointer Friday, Nov. 16,

east of Cass City, his first ever buck.

Don King of Severance Road also shot his first buck, a 9-pointer, while hunting Nov. 19, east of Cass City.

Don Smith, 15, of 6645 M Street, Cass City, shot a spikehorn buck weighing 140 pounds while hunting Nov. 16 near Glennie in Alcona county. He also shot a spikehorn last year in the same area. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith.

Harold Crawford of Shabbona Road, Deford, shot a spikehorn buck opening day, Nov. 15, at Kenton in the western Upper Peninsula. He has been hunting in that area 35 years.

His son, Kenneth Crawford of Millersburg, shot a 5-point buck there Nov. 18.

Crawford's son-in-law, James Mead of Vassar, bagged an 8-point, 190-pound buck at Kenton Nov. 21.

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SHORT HORNED -- The antlers of this 1½-year-old buck were only 6-8 inches tall but still added up to 13 points. Examining them is Charles Thick of Gilford Road, Cass City. The deer was shot Nov. 18 on state land in Ellington township by his son, Clarence Thick of Birch Run, who had to return home to work prior to taking of the photo.

Commission on aging tells of year's work in Thumb

According to Ronald Cassie, executive director of the Thumb Area Senior Commission on Aging (TACA), the agency in the fiscal year which ended Sept. 30, continued to provide various services for the elderly of Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola counties.

The six major services provided were information-referral, outreach-ombudsman, transportation, socialization, newsletter and the senior citizens' meal program.

Sixty-eight percent of the monies used to provide these services came from the federal government, through the Older Americans Act and other federal programs, with 9 percent from the boards of commissioners in Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola counties, 14 percent in donations for services from senior citizens, and 9 percent from state government.

Through information-referral, senior citizens can get help and information regarding a variety of con-

cerns. Last year TACA received 5,947 calls and walk-ins. It helped people find answers to questions concerning Social Security, transportation needs, health problems, financial concerns, etc. Cost of the service averaged \$2.98 a call. Averaged into this cost, and all the following services, are equipment, rent, utilities and salaries of TACA employees.

The major concern of outreach, according to Cassie, is to find the Senior Citizen who really needs help and then to assist that individual obtain those services they might need. Last year outreach workers made 3,099 home visits. An outreach visit costs an average of \$11.21 a call.

The Commission on Aging provided 3,172 trips to the doctor, food shopping, drug-store for prescription drugs, and other appointments last year. The average trip was 30 miles long and cost \$4.65. There were 96,524 miles logged, mostly by volunteer

drivers.

Last year, 117,700 issues of the Thumb Area Senior News were printed by the commission. The monthly newspaper, covering items of interest and concern to Senior Citizens, was printed at a cost of 17 cents per issue. Currently 18,000 senior citizens receive the Thumb Area Senior News.

THE LARGEST PROGRAM is the senior citizens meal program. TACA operates 13 meal sites in the three counties and last year served 92,839 meals.

In Tuscola, there is a double home delivered meal program operating out of a 10-mile radius from Caro, Mayville and Vassar. All the other sites have a single home delivered meal operating in a two-mile radius from each of the following sites on the days they are open: Fairgrove, Kingston, Caseville, Port Austin, Bad Axe, Harbor Beach, Port Sanilac, Deckerville, Sandusky and Crosswell.

Social and recreational activities such as arts, crafts, cards, and bingo were offered in drop-in centers located in Millington and Marlette. These activities were enjoyed by 4,850 people during the year at an average cost of \$1.60 per person.

The second annual Senior Citizens Ball was also held last year. Over 1,000 senior citizens took part in the event.

Blood pressure testing is done at 20 sites throughout the three counties. Testing is done by nurses who volunteer their services. Last year, 7,475 blood pressure checks were provided.

The senior citizen discount and identification card program enabled senior citizens to receive discounts given by roughly 300 area merchants. Identification cards enabling senior citizens to get these discounts are available at sites throughout the three counties. Over 6,000 persons currently have the cards.

THE HANDYMAN SERVICE offered such services as lawn cutting, window washing, changing storms and screens, repairing steps, wrapping pipes for winter, and other small household

repairs. This pilot program which operates in the spring, summer and fall is limited to Sanilac county.

The 164 active volunteers play a large role in providing services. Without their help, services such as transportation, blood pressure testing, and the ID-discou card program would be very limited, Cassie said. There was \$20,288.27 worth of volunteer help given last year at the measured rate of \$ per hour for nurses and \$3.48 per hour for drivers and ID-discou card workers.

The Commission on Aging employs 15 full-time employees and 39 part-time employees.

For more information on its services, call: Tuscola county: (517) 673-4175, Huron county (517) 269-6302, and Sanilac county (313) 648-4647, or the administrative office in Cass City at 872-4361.

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Rural workshop planned

The Office of Rural Life of the Catholic Diocese of Saginaw is sponsoring a Catholic Rural Life Workshop Saturday, Dec. 8, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Sacred Heart Parish Center in Bad Axe.

The basic questions to be discussed will be, "Are rural life issues those of charity or justice?" and "Do and can Christian service commissions effectively address them?"

Included will be movies, discussions and displays.

In addition to Catholic religious leaders, also invited are members of parish Christian service commissions and "concerned rural people."

For registration information, call the diocese Office

of Rural Life at 790-1990 in Saginaw.

Letters to the editor

Says thanks for Bach Festival

Dear Editor:

I want to take this time as

one who attended to thank everyone that was involved with the first annual Bach Festival.

Don Th. Jaeger, the conductor for a fantastic job. The festival orchestra for showing us that the Bee Gees aren't all that's great. The Ann Arbor Cantata Singers with Bradley Bloom conductor. You sounded super.

The festival committee for the hours of hard work. The art exhibit was excellent.

Thank you contributors both business and personal. Holly and Harry, my hat is off to you!! You deserve a standing ovation.

Karen Fischer
Cass City

Girls say coverage inadequate

Dear Editor,

Thanks for the great support you showed throughout the season for Varsity Girls' Basketball. Especially our last league game in which we were the first Girls' Basketball team from CCHS to win league champions.

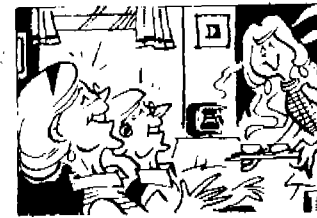
But what can we say we're only the Cass City Girls' Basketball team!

Signed: The Girls' Basketball team

Tammy Rabideau, Sharon Wells, Shelley LaPeer, Kelly Seurnyck, Connie Clark, Brenda Izydorek, Padgett Randall, Tena LaRoche, Leslie Messer, Shelly Rabideau, Beth Sieradzki.

Issue ticket to driver in mishap

One of the most coveted Christmas gifts for a Swedish girl is to be chosen Lucia. The Feast of St. Lucia on December 13 ushers in the Swedish Christmas season. The girl in



The lucky Swedish girl who's chosen St. Lucia by her family earns the right to prepare and serve their breakfast.

each family (usually the prettiest) who is chosen Lucia rises early to prepare hot coffee and cakes. She serves them to her family, which has been awakened by their fragrance.

Ronald A. Lemanski, 31, of 4990 S. Phillips Road, Kingston, was southbound on Phillips, south of Denhoff Road, according to deputies, when he lost control on the bumpy gravel surface. His vehicle went off the west side of the road into a fence and then hit a tree.

Lemanski was ticketed on a charge of failure to report a property damage accident, it having been reported Nov. 19. It took place the day before at 11:30 p.m.

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Mrs. Gerry Carolan spent Thanksgiving with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Carolan of Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loomis entertained for Thanksgiving, Becky Loomis of Suttons Bay, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooklin of Ohio, Kent Fishel of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weather-

head of Gagetown.

Mrs. Mabel Ondrajka was a Thanksgiving Day guest of her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Koch of Elsie. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Koch, Todd and Dorothy of Unionville, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Self of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. John Ondrajka Jr. and family of Marlette and Patti, Freddy and Lori Ondrajka of Gagetown.

Patti, Freddy and Lori Ondrajka were overnight guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Ondrajka, Wednesday and Thursday last week.

Mrs. Nora Meyer of Birch Run, Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Wenzel and Denise of Victor, Iowa, and Carl Weber of Frankenmuth were overnight guests of the Harold Kochs Tuesday and Wednesday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Comment entertained for Thanksgiving and the week end, their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Arvooy, Jeff and Tim.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehoe were Thanksgiving Day guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Birch of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Franz Meyerhoff of Houghton Lake were week-end guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Messer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch and family had Thanksgiving Day dinner with the Carl Weber family of Frankenmuth and were overnight guests of her mother, Mrs. Nora Meyer of Birch Run.

Dan Weber of Frankenmuth spent the week end with the Harold Kochs.

FARM BUREAU

The North Elmwood Farm Bureau Group held their annual Christmas party at Sherwood on the Hill Country Club, Gagetown, Saturday, Nov. 24, with 14 members present.

The next meeting will be

Dec. 17, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laurie.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll and daughter Lee Ann entertained Thanksgiving Day, 20 relatives and friends from Lansing, Midland, Sebawaing, Cass City and Gagetown.

DELAYED NEWS

Mrs. Raymond Rabideau and Mrs. Gerry Carolan

J. Errer student of the month

Owen-Gage student of the month for October is Jennifer Errer. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Errer of Owendale.

Jennifer is a senior and is currently tied for third among her class with a grade point average of 3.837. During her high school years, she has been active in many activities, including yearbook staff and editor, track, forensics, junior and senior plays and the all-school play.

She has been a member of the senior high concert and marching band, and presently is a member of the flag corps. Last year, Jennifer also belonged to the Tri-County Honors Band.

For the past three years, Jennifer has been a member of the National Honor Society and is currently treasurer. This past summer she was chosen to attend the Farm Bureau Youth Citizenship Seminar in Albion.

Requirements for student of the month are personal achievement, use of talents, commitment to jobs volunteered or elected to do, scholastic ability, and personality.

attended the wake for Ludwig LaPratt at Huston Funeral Home in Caro Sunday afternoon.

Tony Waterworth of Detroit was a week-end guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Gerry Carolan.

Sunday supper guests of the Harold Kochs were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weber, Dan, Jim and Holly of Frankenmuth, Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Wenzel and Denise of Victor, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Koch, Jim and Karen of Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elger Generous visited Mrs. Leslie Kain Sunday afternoon, who recently returned home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elger Generous attended the wake of Ludwig LaPratt at Caro Sunday.

Denise Wenzel of Victor, Iowa, stayed overnight with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch Sunday and Monday of last week.

Salem MWS officers installed

Mrs. Stanley Kirn installed officers, during the worship service Sunday in Salem U.M. church, who will serve the United Methodist Women's Society during the coming year.

Heading the group again as president is Mrs. S. Kirn. Mrs. James Jezewski is vice-president, Mrs. Ronald Geiger, secretary, and Mrs. Maurice Joos, treasurer. Heads of various functioning committees for the year are Mrs. Roy Powell, Mrs. Philip Gray, Mrs. Richard Gaffney, Mrs. Robert Tuckey, Mrs. Charles Tuckey, Mrs. Dale Buehly and Mrs. Walter Jezewski.

The next monthly meeting of the group will be Dec. 10, a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Charles Tuckey.

Mary Kay Burrows

Owen-Gage good citizen

Mary Kay Burrows, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Burrows, of Gagetown, has been selected as the Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen of the year at Owendale-Gagetown High School.

Mary Kay is captain of the cheerleading squad and was the homecoming queen for 1979. She was selected last year to attend Girls State to represent the school.

An honor student and National Honor Society member, Mary Kay is also active in basketball, volleyball, softball and track.

Future plans include college, probably at Central Michigan University, where she hopes to major in Physical Therapy.

The senior will be entered in the state Good Citizen competition in January.



Mary Kay Burrows

School Menu

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Buttered Corn
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THURSDAY

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in the county at Christmas time.

Last year over 92 families were helped by donations made directly to the Department and by church groups, organizations, businesses and individuals.

Donations may be brought to the social services office on M-81, west of Caro, or telephone 673-4144 for further information.

Sanilac gets special food

The Sanilac County Health Department has received a WIC program grant from the Michigan Department of Public Health.

WIC is a special supplemental food program for women, infants and children.

To be eligible, a person must be a Sanilac county resident, meet low income guidelines, be determined to be at nutritional risk and fit into one of the following categories: A pregnant or lactating woman, an infant up to one year of age, a child up to five years of age.

Shirley Booth has been named coordinator of the program and can be reached at 61 W. Sanilac Road, Sandusky, telephone (313) 648-4680.

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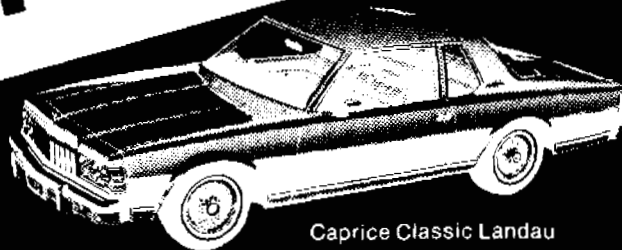
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Santa letters

EDITOR'S NOTE: Youngsters can send their letters to Santa Claus, care of the Chronicle at P.O. Box 115, Cass City 48726.

We will publish photographs, which must be wall-size, preferably in black and white, though not required, as some color photographs do not reproduce well.

Parents, please make sure your youngsters have signed their first and last name and also give the address.

play office like my mommy. Also, I would like the baby that grows big and small.

Please remember all my friends. I will leave you some hot chocolate so you can warm up.

Thanks Santa
I love you,

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Dear Santa Claus,
Please send me these toys. Pepsi truck, Barbie Doll, ABC sports truck, electronic football, Jaws game, Alien target game, Ridge Riders Jeep CJ-7, and Renegade motorcycle.

Darren Wallace, age 4
Cass City

Dear Santa Claus,
I am now 5 years old. I am now in school and I try real hard to be good.



Please bring me some new clothes for school and the 'Lil Boss' office toy so I can

Immunization clinics set

The Sanilac County Health Department will be conducting its monthly immunization clinics Dec. 12 and 27 at its office at 115 N. Elk Street, Sandusky.

Hours both days will be 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-4 p.m.

Protection against measles, rubella, mumps, whooping cough, diphtheria, tetanus and polio, plus tuberculosis tests, will be offered.

Children three months of age and over can attend. A parent or guardian must accompany their child. Parents are urged to bring a record of previous immunizations.

After an absence of six years, Mary Hanby has returned to the First Baptist church, Cass City.

Members of the church approved her appointment as a church worker Nov. 18. She began her duties Monday.

She will be working with children and women's ministries, with emphasis on visitation, education and outreach, according to Pastor Timothy W. Teall.

Included will be counseling and working with women's Bible study and church youth groups.

Miss Hanby previously performed some of those

Community booster

Three offices

Lawrence agency growing concern

Editor's note: this is one of a series sponsored by the Cass City Chamber of Commerce about community boosters who are members of the organization.

Although Lawrence Insurance Agency started in 1955 in Caro it has been a part of the Cass City business community only since January, 1978.

The firm is run by John Lawrence, son of the founder from his main office in Caro. Besides Cass City there is a branch in Vassar.

The Cass City branch is under the direction of Bob Schott and Bob Ashmun, starting on West Main and moving to its present location at the corner of Main and Seeger the same year.

Schott graduated from Vassar High School but has been a member of the Cass City community for many years. He is a member of Cass City Rotary and the Loyal Order of Moose.

Ashmun is a graduate of Caro High School and joined the agency in March, 1978. He serves on the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and is secretary of the Kiwanis Club of Caseville.

Lawrence is president of the Caro Chamber of Commerce and a member of Caro Rotary, Caro Masonic Lodge and the Caro Community Hospital planning board.

The agency now services 5,000 customers, up from 800 in 1974, according to firm members.



Bob Schott John Lawrence Bob Ashmun

Mary Hanby joins local church staff

functions for the church from 1967-73, but also did secretarial work for the church.

Since her departure, she

said, because of lack of a full-time person, there has been some slippage in participation in some youth programs so she is planning to reverse that.

For the past six years, she was a counselor working with adult women at Shepherd's Home, a Baptist home for the mentally retarded in Union Grove, Wis. The home houses 135 residents.

Miss Hanby is the daughter of Ralph and Lillian Hanby of Lakeside Drive, Cass City. Her mother has been custodian at the church for a number of years.

Rev. Teall announced that as of the first of the year, George Fisher Sr. will be the new head of the maintenance and custodial department at the church.

Rona Hillaker remains as church secretary, which brings the total number of paid staff to five.

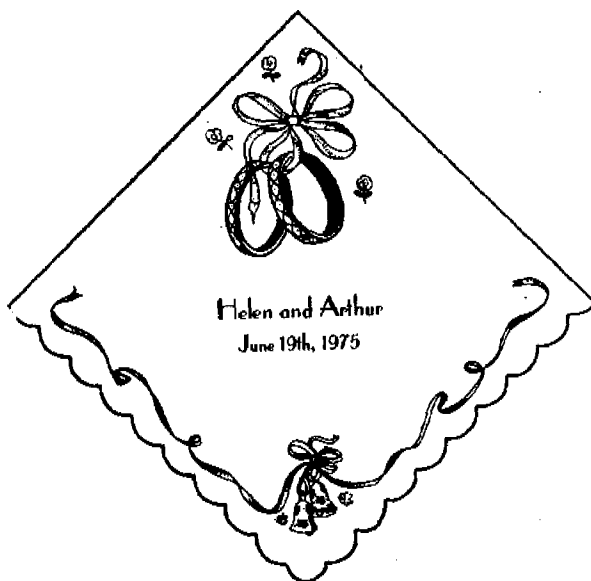


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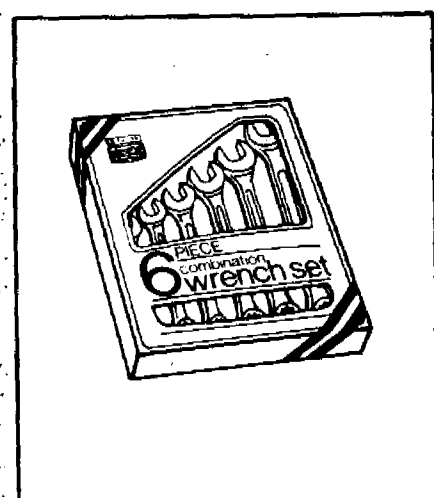
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WILL DO baby sitting in my home near Deford. Call 872-2504. 12-11-29-3

Card of Thanks

A BIG "thank you" to all the wonderful people who made our 50th anniversary a day to remember. The beautiful cards, flowers and gifts were totally unexpected, due to the behind-the-scenes efforts of our neighbors, the Sheldons, who managed to keep things secret right up to the day. Our wish for all of you is, that when your 50th year of marriage rolls around, your anniversary will be as happy as ours has been. Mary and Ottomae Sting. 13-11-29-1

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Cass City police investigate variety of thefts, break-ins

Two thefts were reported to Cass City police last week. Monday, Cynthia Rutkowski of 4415 S. Seeger Street told officers that two envelopes containing a total of \$198 in cash were stolen from a dresser drawer in her bedroom some time since Saturday, Nov. 17.

Don Erla of 4705 Seeger Street told officers Tuesday that a 39-piece socket wrench set and 20 8-track tapes were stolen from his van Nov. 14 while it was parked at the Charmont. Total loss was put at \$229. Sylvester Abraham of 6729 Garfield Street told police

Tuesday of last week that a person had pounded and kicked his door in an effort to get in his house, which resulted in damage estimated at \$75. Officer Phil Klaus, while on patrol early Monday discovered that a 6-inch hole had been put in a door

window at Cass City High School. The damage was done with a rock, with the loss estimated at \$25. Brian Lee Simpson of 3414 River Street, Kingston, reported to Kingston police officer Thomas Kolb Nov. 21 that an FM stereo unit had been stolen from his car Nov. 18 or 19. It was valued at \$40.

Rosemary Patera of 3137 Cemetery Road, Cass City, told sheriff's deputies Nov. 21 that the door window and

screen to her garage had been broken in an apparent attempt to gain entry. Loss was put at \$10, plus possibly a six-pack of beer was taken.

Harold Hunt of 6259 DeLong Road, Deford, reported to Caro state police Sunday morning that he returned home after three days away to find one of his cows limping, the cause being a bullet wound in the front lower chest area. The animal was shot while in the pasture.

Church ladies complete course

Ten members of the Altar Society at St. Michael's Catholic church, Wilmet, were the first graduates of the home nursing course offered by the Tuscola County Chapter, American Red Cross.

Receiving their certificates of completion at a ceremony Nov. 14 at Caro Community Hospital were Maxine Koslowski, Eleanor Szostak, Leona Trzemzalski, Lea Wolak, Rita Murphy, and Linda Zyrowski, all Kingston; Marguerite Kryko, Nora Clor and Chris Zyrowski, all Caro, and Florence Rosinski, Deford.

The graduates were presented with their certificates by county Red Cross Chairman Mary Alice Osgerby and Red Cross Field Director Betty Kokla.

Instructor for the six-week, two-hour per session course, held Wednesday nights at the church, was Evelyn Sparling, RN, of Caro, chairman of the chapter's home nursing program. The final class session was Oct. 31.

Aim of the course, according to Mrs. Osgerby, is to teach skills to persons who have to care for a patient in

their home who is chronically ill or has recently been released from the hospital.

More persons are being released from hospitals earlier than they once might have been in order to cut down on medical costs, she said, thus are still in need of special care when they get home.

Subjects taught in the course included changing of sheets while the patient is still in bed, giving baths and medicine, taking temperatures, and home substitutes for certain medical supplies.

According to one of the participants, Mrs. Koslowski, not everyone from St. Michael's who took the class was in immediate need of what was taught, but, "It's better to be prepared than wait till something happens."

The Red Cross chapter offers the course free to all county residents, the only charge being for purchase of the course textbook. It can be taught anywhere in the county, the only requirement being a minimum of 10 students.

Persons interested can call Mrs. Osgerby at 673-2923 in Caro.



STUBBORN FIRE - Firemen had to poke holes through the siding, as is being done here, to be able to spray water in to the burning attic of the Bruce King home at Church and Downing Streets.



HO, HO, HO - A very whiskery Santa Claus arrived Cass City Friday afternoon to take up quarters until Christmas at the corner of Main and Seeger.

Michigan Mirror

State solons seek oil severance tax increase

By Warren M. Hoyt
Mich. Press Association

Following the report of record profits by the oil companies, the Michigan House of Representatives has voted to increase the oil and gas severance tax from a straight 2 percent of market value to 6 percent on oil and 4 percent on gas.

If approved by the Senate and signed into law by the governor, it will be the first time in 50 years the tax has been increased.

As amended by the House, the money raised by the tax hike will be designated for the home heating assistance program. Should it be in effect by Dec. 1, it would raise the \$34 million estimated necessary to pay for the program this winter.

However, that appears unlikely because only seven session days have been scheduled for the remainder of the month.

If the bill goes into effect in January, it would raise about \$30.5 million. The increase would raise about \$3.5 million each month that could be used for the program that already has been approved.

The bill originally proposed an increase to the severance tax to 10 percent. The House Taxation Committee recommended 6 percent on both oil and gas.

Governor William G. Milliken originally took no position on the tax increase but later said he would support increases to 5 percent on oil and 4 percent on gas as a source for the home heating program costs.

There has been no indication from the governor's office as to whether he would veto the higher rate or not.

compact to study the feasibility of a high-speed rail network.

Under the plan, states would pool resources to study the need for, the usefulness of and the cost of constructing such a railroad connecting major cities in the network.

Supporters of the high speed network say the system could outpace Amtrak, promote energy conservation and be profitable.

Michigan will join with Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Illinois, West Virginia and Kentucky in studying the feasibility of creating such a system.

A high-speed system could be comparable to systems in

countries like Japan, where electric "bullet-trains" have been in operation since the 1960s.

Supporters envision that the system could run at speeds of up to 125 miles per hour, connecting major cities.

Should the interstate compact decide to build the system, Michigan would probably contribute toward the cost.

At present, no major state expenditures are required or committed.

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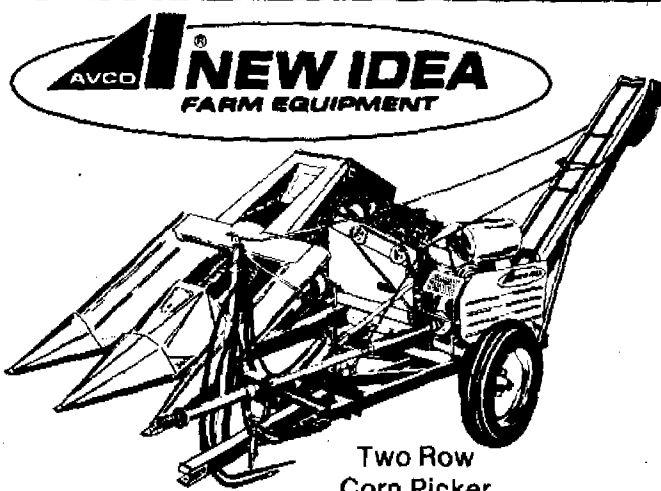
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Cass City Chronicle

Little bit of everything

Ubly's artistic duo: Painting a passion for the Mesicos

There was the evening in 1970 when Lila Mesico started attending the oil painting class in Bad Axe. Husband John did the driving, but once in the class, he had no intention of

doing anything except observing. "The instructor said, 'As long as you're here, you might as well do something,' and that started me," he explained.

Since then, John and Lila have been Ubly's artistic twosome, with their painting, pottery and other art works.

The two did start doing leathercraft in 1959 and have been teaching it to 4-H'ers since, but for Mesico, that was all.

Mrs. Mesico also started doing ceramics about that time and later took up china painting.

It was her husband who suggested she take the painting class in 1970 as he thought it would help her with her china painting.

Since then, they have been taking painting classes wherever they could find them in the upper Thumb, as far away as Frankenmuth, and improving their skill.

Until this fall, when they started an evening class in water colors at Caro schools, they had always worked in oils.

THE MESICOS HAVE had offers for some of their paintings and Mesico has had requests to do portraits, but so far the couple has turned all such requests down.

The only persons they have given paintings to have been members of their family.

The Mesicos, who have been married 41 years, have four children and 10 grandchildren. A son lives in Manistee. Their other children are in Florida, Minnesota and Montana.

The paintings that haven't been given away and aren't hanging on their walls are stored vertically on a shelf in the basement of their Pike Street home — a home which John Mesico built about 25 years ago with help from his family.

He jokes that if they get too many more paintings, he and his wife will have to sell some just to get some room.

Mesico likes to do portraits; his wife prefers landscapes, although each does a little bit of everything.

They also engage in other art forms, such as modeling their own figures for ceramics. Mrs. Mesico still paints china. They make most of their own frames for their paintings.

MESICO HASN'T ATTEMPTED yet one art form that would seem a natural for him — metal sculpture.

He has been owner of Ubly Welding and Machine Shop for 33 years and other than assistance from his wife and grandchildren when they visit in summer, he does all the work himself.

His specialty is repairing and rebuilding bean harvester knives, and farmers have come from as far away as Lake Odessa, between Lansing and Grand Rapids, to have him do the work.

During the peak of bean harvesting season, he can be at work from 5 in the morning until 10 at night.

At age 63, he would like to retire, but as he is obviously the only person in a very large area who does such work, "I can't walk out on it."

As for why he has never picked up a welding torch and made a metal sculpture, he explained, that when he's in the shop, he always has work to do.

The Mesicos usually paint two nights a week in their basement studio. (John sometimes paints an additional night) and attend a class a third night.

He describes his hobby as very relaxing. Whereas Lila might retire at 11 or 12, he often keeps painting into the early morning hours. "Even some days when I've had a very hard day at the shop," he said, "I can start oil painting and I can paint 'till 2 or 3 in the morning... and I'll be just as rested as if I

Levin aide to be in Cass City

Ida Delgado, from U.S. Senator Carl Levin's Saginaw office will be in Cass City Thursday, Dec. 6, from 3:40 p.m. in the Elkland township fire hall on Church Street.

From 1:20 p.m., she will be in the commissioners' room of the courthouse in Caro.

Citizens are invited to stop by to make their views known or if they have a problem involving an agency of the federal government. Mrs. Delgado will forward the information she receives to Levin's Washington office.



LILA MESICO and her favorite painting, which loses much in black and white.



SELF-PORTRAIT of John Mesico, held by John Mesico. He is the owner-operator of Ubly Welding and Machine Shop.



NOT JUST PAINTERS -- The Mesicos engage in other art forms in addition to painting and these are some of their other creations.



PAINTING DUO -- John and Lila Mesico in their basement studio. The couple has been married 41 years and live at 4370 Pike Street, Ubly.

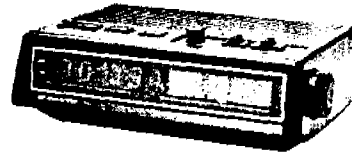
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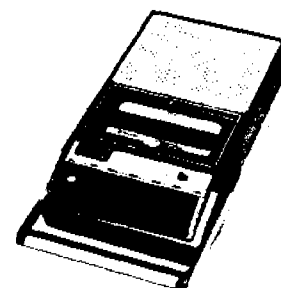
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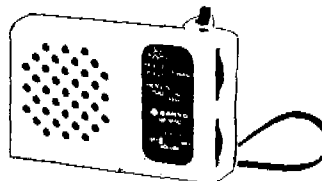


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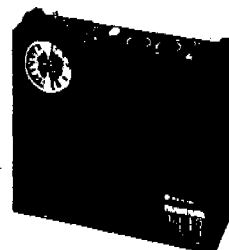
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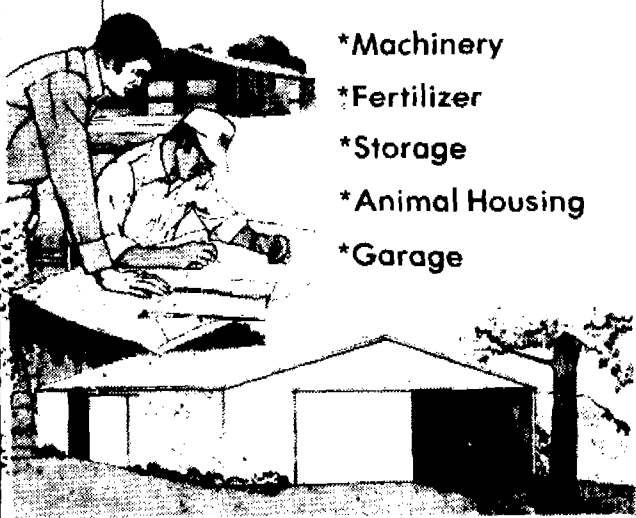
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Men's High Series: J. Fox 566.
Ladies' High Series: J. Lapp 486.
Men's High Game: J. Fox 229.
Ladies' High Game: G. Root 180.
High Team Series: D J's 1916.
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SUNDAY NO ROLLERS "B" Nov. 18, 1979

Kin Folk 17
Timberwolves 16
Turkey Trots 14
Lovers 13
King Pins 13
Niteowls 12
Bad News Bowlers 12
Avengers II 11
4 "I"s 10
Mountain Gang 10
Hits & Mrs. 10
Gutter Kings 9

Men's High Series: L. Summers 546.
Ladies' High Series: M.

Walpole 460.
Men's High Game: L. Summers 202.
Ladies' High Game: M. Walpole 194.
High Team Series: Niteowls 1895.
High Team Game: Niteowls 674.

SUNDAY NITERS Nov. 25, 1979

Ber-Wa-Ga-Na Camp 18
Gutter Dusters 15 1/2
Pressure Kochers 15
The Outlaws 14
New Four 13
Ground Pounders 12
Blount Agriculture 12
Alley Cats 11
Wild Bunch 10
Fearsome Foursome 9 1/2
PAG 8
Callowood Bar 6

Men's High Series: H. Edwards 574.
Ladies' High Series: B. LaFave 467.
Men's High Game: H. Edwards 212.
Ladies' High Game: B. LaFave 173.
High Team Series: Pressure Kochers 1769.
High Team Game: Pressure Kochers 642.
200 Games: H. Edwards, 205-212.

FRIDAY NITE CARCASS UNION Nov. 23, 1979

Rescue Squad 38
Fishbowlers 33
Old Folks 29
Gutter Dusters 28
Ballbusters 27
Cannonballs 24 1/2
Krauts 23
Fruit of the Loom 22 1/2
Turkeys 18
Slow Rollers 17
Crowbars 12
Lucky's Kountry Korner 12

Men's High Series: N. Willy 551.
Ladies' High Series: S. Cummins 556.
Men's High Game: N. Willy 242.
Ladies' High Game: S. Cummins 194.
High Team Series: Rescue Squad 1849.
High Team Game: Rescue Squad 649.
Ladies' 160 & Over: S. Cummins 194-191-171, M. Summers 165, G. Scott 173.

Funeral held Saturday for Mabel Hiser

Mrs. Mabel Hiser, 80, of Caro, died Wednesday, Nov. 21, at her residence. She was born Nov. 24, 1898, in Cass City, the daughter of Townsend and Mary Lounsbury.

She lived most of her life in Tuscola county, was a member of the Sutton-Sunshine United Methodist church, and was a retired member of the church's Women's Society.

She was married March 27, 1917 in Cass City to Calvin Hiser, who preceded her in death Oct. 18, 1972.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Fred (Nina) Janks, Caro, Mrs. Lewis (Beatrice) King, Kingston, and Mrs. Archie (Geraldine) Ferguson, Sterling Heights; three sons, L.Z. Hiser, Mio, Adrian Hiser, Essexville, and Carl Hiser, Caro; 33 grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. One daughter and one son preceded her in death, Shirley Hiser in 1928 and Cliff Hiser in 1976. Two brothers and three sisters also preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held Saturday at the Sutton-Sunshine church, Rev. Wayne Thomas officiating. Burial was in the Ellington cemetery. Funeral arrangements were made by Collon Funeral Home, Caro.

FRIDAY NIGHT DOUBLES Nov. 23, 1979

Gutter Dusters 31 1/2
Wild Turkeys 26 1/2
Strikers 26
3 B's & C 26
Golden Nuggets 26
Funny Four 24
Caro Comics 23
Holloway Fire 22 1/2
Sawdusters 22 1/2
Heard's Tears 20
Alley Bombers 20
P.M.s 20

Men's High Series: B. Skinner 619.
Ladies' High Series: J. Pierce 492.
Men's High Game: B. Skinner 220.
Ladies' High Game: D. Fobear 213.
High Team Series: Holloway Fire 1944.
High Team Game: Holloway Fire 727.

200 Games: B. Skinner 209-220, S. Fobear 211, D. Fobear 213, B. Bartle 212, B. Andrus 207.
Men's 550 or Better: B. Skinner 619, S. Fobear 558.

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Charmont 7
Sommer's Bakery 5
Maurer Const. 5
Ouvry Chevy-Olds 5
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Harris-Hampshire Ins. 5
Cole Carbide 2
Fire House No. 1 2
Hall's Trim Shop 2
Hillaker's Auct. Serv. 2
Walbro Far East 2
Sugar Town Market 0

High Series: N. Willy 595.
High Game: L. Tomaszewski 235.
High Team Series: Charmont 2724.
High Team Game: Maurer 937.

210 Games: L. Tomaszewski 235, B. Wildman 231, R. Kozan 213, M. Patricia 219, B. Albrecht 229.
550 Series: L. Tomaszewski 577, B. Wildman 563, D. Allen 572, R. Kozan 581, B. Bartle 553, A. Ouvry 550, M. Patricia 558, B. Albrecht 583, C. Comment 553, N. Willy 595.

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Larry's Car Wash 2
Bliss Milk Haulers 2
Farmers & Merchants 0
Bank 0
Kilbourn Tech. Sup. 0
Thumb Leasing 0
Nancy's Rest. 0

High Series: S. Fobear 600.
High Game: S. Fobear 226.
High Team Series: Millers 2413.
High Team Game: Dale's Eaves 832.
210 Games: B. Fischer 216, S. Fobear 226.
550 Series: S. Fobear 600, J. Salcido 568, T. Yost 554.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES Nov. 20, 1979

Cass City Rollers 4
Bowling Grannies 4
The Four of Us 3
The Hair Benders 3
Lucky Losers 3
Go-for Mores 2
The Ups & Downs 2
Our Team 1
Cass City-Anns 1
Don's Auction Gallery 1
Caro Honda Sales 0
Lucky's Kountry Korner 0

High Series: C. Krueger 502.
High Game: R. Mellen-dorf 222.
High Team Series: The Four of Us 1717.
High Team Game: Cass City Rollers 619.

MERCHANTS' "A" LEAGUE Nov. 21, 1979

Charlie's Market 3
Warren Electric 3
Kingston State Bank 3
Fuelgas 3
Erla's Food Center 3
Ouvry Chevy-Olds 2
New England Life 2

Cass City Oil & Gas 1
Kritzman's 1
Charmont 1
Blount Agriculture 1
Croft-Clara Lumber 1

550 Series: B. Copeland 589, L. Tomaszewski 575, J. Storm 568, G. Whittaker 564, C. Guinther 561, H. Wolak 553, B. Bartle 551, J. Fox 551, C. Vandiver 551.
210 Games: L. Tomaszewski 235, J. Lefler 232, C. Vandiver 227, C. Guinther 223, W. Teets 219, B. Copeland 213, G. Whittaker 212, G. Lapp 210.
Thanksgiving Turkey Winners: G. Thompson, L. Tomaszewski, W. Teets, A. Ruggles, J. Fox, G. Whittaker.

MERCHANTS' "B" LEAGUE Nov. 21, 1979

Rabideau Motors 4
Colony House 4
Gagetown Oil & Gas 4
Charmont 3
Bauer Candy Co. 3
Tuckey Concrete 3
Clare's Sunoco Service 1
Shag's Angels 1
Herron Builders 1
General Cable 0
Spencer's Masonry 0
Copeland Builders 0

550 Series: T. Peruski 569, B. Dunn 567, D. Koch 563, J. Guinther 560, G. Diebel 559, G. Deering 551.

210 Games: B. Dunn 232, G. Diebel 211, J. Smithson 210.
Thanksgiving Turkey Winners: T. Peruski, P. Rabideau, D. Koch, L. Trueman, B. Dunn, L. Rutkowski.

CHARMONT LADIES Nov. 20, 1979

Brinkman Bins 7
Erla's 6
Gagetown Oil & Gas 5
Johnson Six 5
Live Wires 5
Fort's 5
Veronica's 3
Cablettes 3
Cass City Sports 2
IGA Foodliner 2
Central Builders 2
Woods Hay & Straw 1

Team High Series: Brinkman Bins 2220.
Team High Game: Fort's 773.
High Series: E. Romain 613, N. Davis 518, M. Guild 504.
High Games: E. Romain 229-202, M. Schember 198.
M. Guild rolled triple 1 scores of 168.

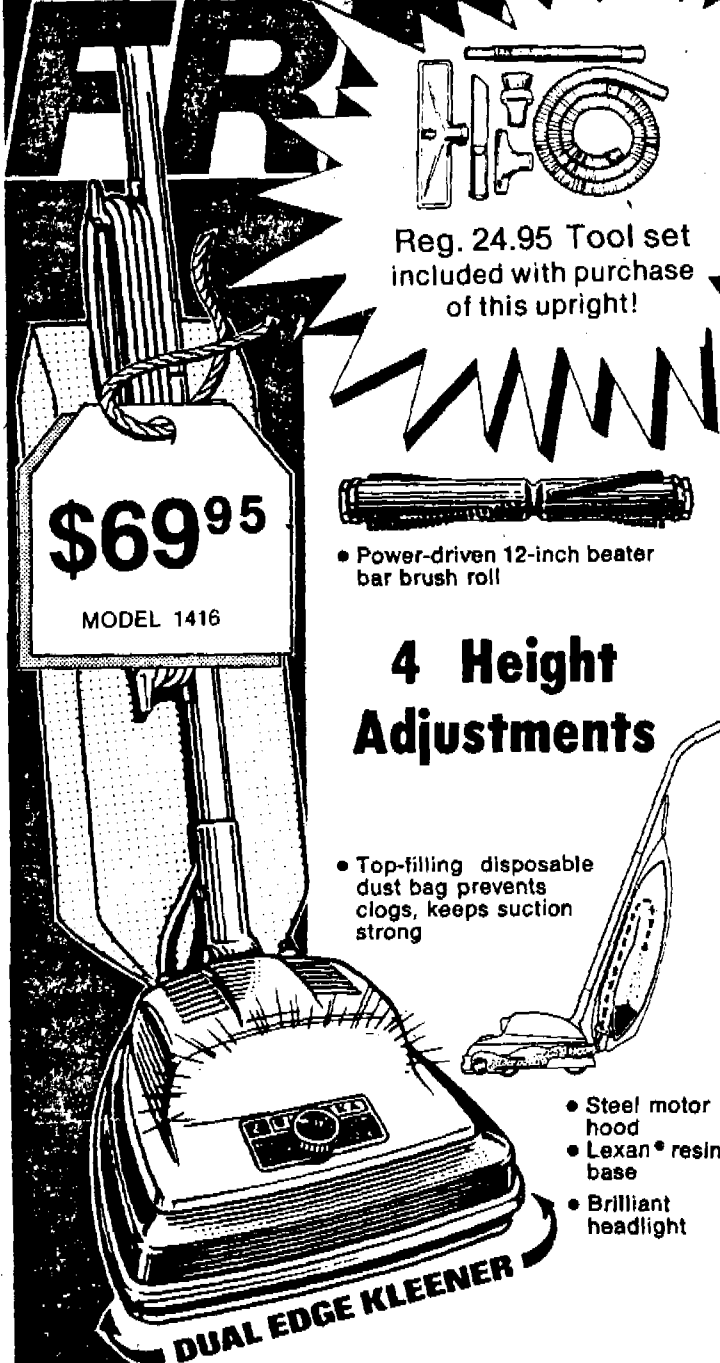
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Harry Edwards and Sara Campbell were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swackhamer in Bad Axe.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Carey Deachin and sons left Saturday, after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart and other relatives, for their home in Tampa, Fla.

Dr. and Mrs. Tom Collins and family of Allegan, Kevin Sweeney of Novi and Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sweeney and family were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hurford, Scott and Debbie of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Clara Bond at the home of Mrs. Emma Decker in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Strieter of Pigeon, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wills, Lena Capeling of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Thorpe of Cass City, Fred Hagen and sons of Uby, Hui, Mei Hwang of Taiwan and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff and family. Other evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hoffman.

Carrie Gracey of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mrs. Delpha Duvall and Janet at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the family afternoon at the Fraser Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon where the Covenant Players drama group performed.

Mrs. Alex Cleland was a Sunday overnight and Monday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cleland in Pontiac.

Harry Edwards and Sara Campbell spent Wednesday in Vassar.

Sheree Lapeer of Alma and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Peter of Clarkston, Mrs. Ray Peter, Ellen, Marcia, Jane and a friend from Port Huron, Murneta Stanbaugh of Bad Axe and Mrs. George Jackson were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ross and daughter Leslie of Harrietta, Mich., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori and Shirley Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor, Tom O'Connor and Dana, Terry and Marge O'Connor were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Connor at Minden.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Everman and Karen of Forestell, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. David Main of Clinton township, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Felmlee, Jennifer and Jill of Bay City, Susan Sofka of Davison and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka had dinner Sunday in Frankenmuth.

The Sanilac-Tuscola Rural Letter Carriers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer Tuesday evening for a dinner meeting. The next meeting will be the Christmas party Dec. 4 at the home of Mrs. Nellie Cooper at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer attended the wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stine at St. Joseph's hall in Argyle Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dreger and family of Utica, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bukowski of Uby, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Morell and son and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family.

Judy Tyrrell of East Lansing spent from Wednesday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Bee and family were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rayner at Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Shagena and Mary Stickle of Cass City were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Miss Caroline Garety of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Booms and family at Harbor Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kulish and family of Flushing spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rumpitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vandervennett, Liz and Sue Kollar of Canton were Thanksgiving Day and Friday dinner guests of Mrs. Louis Naples.

Gary Wills of Bad Axe and Reva Silver were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills and Tom.

Debbie Hurford of Cass City was a Wednesday and Thursday overnight guest of Clara Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sweeney and daughter of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney and family of East Lansing spent the week end with David and Mrs. Dave Sweeney where they were Thanksgiving guests.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hazard and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk and son were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family attended the Highland Dance Competition at Alma Saturday. Katha Cleland won a first in the Fling dance and a first in Sword dance. Later they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCartney at Alma.

Mrs. Bob Damm, Teri, Tammy and Christy of Pigeon and Mrs. Lynn Hurford, Scott and Debbie of Cass City were Friday dinner guests of Clara Bond.

Dr. and Mrs. Tom Collins and family of Allegan spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney and Saturday evening attended Mrs. Collins' 15-year Uby class reunion at Uby Heights Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Buynak of Clarkston were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Bee and family.

Ronnie Deachin of Lake Orion spent four days with Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Marty Felmlee, Jennifer and Jill of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. David Main of Clinton township, Mr. and Mrs. Don Everman and Karen of Forestell, Mo., and Susan Sofka of Davison spent from Wednesday till Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka. Other Thanksgiving Day dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Steven Sofka of Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland of Pontiac spent from Wednesday till Sunday with Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming. Other Thanksgiving Day dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Matthews Jr. and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kitchen of Cass City were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Kippen of North Street were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Margaret Argyle of Clarkston was a Thanksgiving Day dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Plotter.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Herman of Montrose were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt were Wednesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Knowles at Union Lake.

Larry Robinson of Caro and Mrs. Cliff Robinson were Thursday afternoon guests of Charlotte Albrandt at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rayner of St. Louis, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rayner of Roseville were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Bee and family.

Mrs. Leona Gleason and granddaughter Heidi of Bad Axe were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

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Tony Wietek of Detroit spent from Friday till Monday with Mrs. Louis Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Laming and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Evans Gibbard and family were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Beatrice Hundersmarck and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook and family of Mt. Clemens and Frank Cook of Troy were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Cook were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cook and family at New Haven.

Jim and Keith Cook of Mt. Clemens are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Enos Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey were Thursday overnight and Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Johnson and family in Rochester.

Bill Spencer of Alma was a Wednesday overnight and Thursday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer. Other Thanksgiving Day dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie and sons.

Sheree Lapeer of Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Havey of Lake Orion, Mr. and Mrs.

Larry Schultz of Lapeer, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fay and Mark of Pontiac, Mrs. Manly Fay Sr., Ruth Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer and Shelly and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons, Debbie and Patti.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mrs. Kim Anthony and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bendall and daughter Charlene of Corunna were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ross and Leslie of Harrietta, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Knowles of Union Lake, Carol Ross and Sheila Dalton of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Powers and family at Highland.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson and family of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson and family of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griggs of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracey.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney and family of East Lansing were late Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Florian Rakowski and family Sunday.

Gary Andersen and son Gary Jr. of Brighton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy. Other Saturday guests were Mrs. Al Hammerle and Danielle of Bad Axe, Jack Ross of Uby,

Misty, Margeurite, Mark and Matt Woolner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney, Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell and Judy attended the wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Slayden at Colony House Friday evening. Linda Sweeney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sweeney of Elkton, was married at St. Columbkille Catholic church at 5 o'clock Friday.

Michelle Deachin of Lake Orion spent four days with Mr. and Mrs. Gil Maurer at Elkton. Sunday guests of the Maurers were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Deachin and Ronnie of Lake Orion and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Puszykowski of Bay City were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family. Other Thursday and Friday guests were Dr. and Mrs. Bob Puszykowski and family of Saginaw.

Fifteen family members were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Henley and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rutkowski were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk and son and Al Hammerle of Uby were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Wendy and Amy Doerr, who attend CMU, spent from Wednesday through Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma Decker in Cass City. Leslie Hewitt was a Thanksgiving Day dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker and family in Cass City.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Carey Deachin and sons, David and Ryan, of Tampa, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deachin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Deachin and family of Lake Orion and Mr. and Mrs. Gil Maurer of Elkton were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Reynold Tschirhart. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bukowski.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracey were Saturday dinner and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Michalski and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman at Shabbona.

Jenny and Cary Johnson spent from Friday till Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Johnson, Chris and Joey of Rochester were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gracey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Shrine Club dinner at Elkton Civic Center Saturday evening. It was a Christmas party. Gifts were exchanged.

Mrs. Ernest Hamilton of Royal Oak, Mrs. W.J. Campbell and sons, Billy and Pat, and a friend from Owosso, Mrs. Kenneth Campbell of St. Helen, Bob Swackhamer of Howell, Matt and Mike Swackhamer of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McVeigh of Racine, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Tim Bilitz of Burlington, Wis., Clayton Campbell, Mrs. Wilfred Willis, Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards attended the wedding of Christine Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Campbell, and Darwin Hesslink at the St. John's Evangelical church at Wayne. A dinner and reception followed at UAW Local 735 hall at Canton Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr were Friday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleland and family in Bad Axe.

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

Lori Hewitt was a Friday overnight guest of Melonie Fern at Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson Jr. of Detroit were Saturday guests of Ira Robinson and Lorene Bowron and Al LaVoy. The men went deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker of Mt. Pleasant were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Your Neighbor says Parents who teach should be qualified

Should parents be allowed to educate their own children?

"If they're qualified, it wouldn't be all bad," Jim Sherman responded. He suggested parents would probably have to take a state-administered test to determine if they are qualified.

The subject of home education has become an issue in Montcalm county in western Michigan, where a probate judge ordered Lloyd and Carol Hanson to put their four children in a state certified school or he would make them wards of the court.

Mrs. Hanson, with the help of another woman, had been educating four of her 10 children at home.

In response to the judge's action, she and her husband filed suit in U.S. District Court, charging the state's refusal to allow their children to be educated at home violates their constitutional rights.

Sherman doesn't feel that most parents would be qualified in terms of ability to teach their own children.

Even if they were, and chose to do so, there is the question of whether what they taught their children

was beneficial. He doesn't see how the state could check on that as it would be "an invasion of privacy."

As for education in general, "I think there is need to get back to basics in order to teach kids to go out in life and make a living."

Although he is not opposed to teaching sports, he added as an example, "They won't make a living from golf or archery."

Sherman and his wife Erika own Sherman's Restaurant east of Cass City and live at 6860 E. Cass City Road. They have three children, Katy, Ruby, and Howard, all in high school.



Joseph Baker dies Friday

Joseph Baker of Deford died Friday at his residence after a short illness.

He was born Oct. 18, 1913, in Wauwatosa, Wis., the son of Michael and Julie (King) Baker Sr. He came to Tuscola county as a young man from West Virginia.

He married Julia Pistro Oct. 21, 1950, in Gagetown. Mrs. Baker died June 12, 1973.

Baker is survived by one brother, Michael Baker of Mt. Morris; five sisters,

Mrs. Otis Otto and Mrs. Walter Stewart, both of Sandusky, Rose Baker of Fennelle and Mrs. Howard Luana and Mrs. George Nowokowski, both of Deford.

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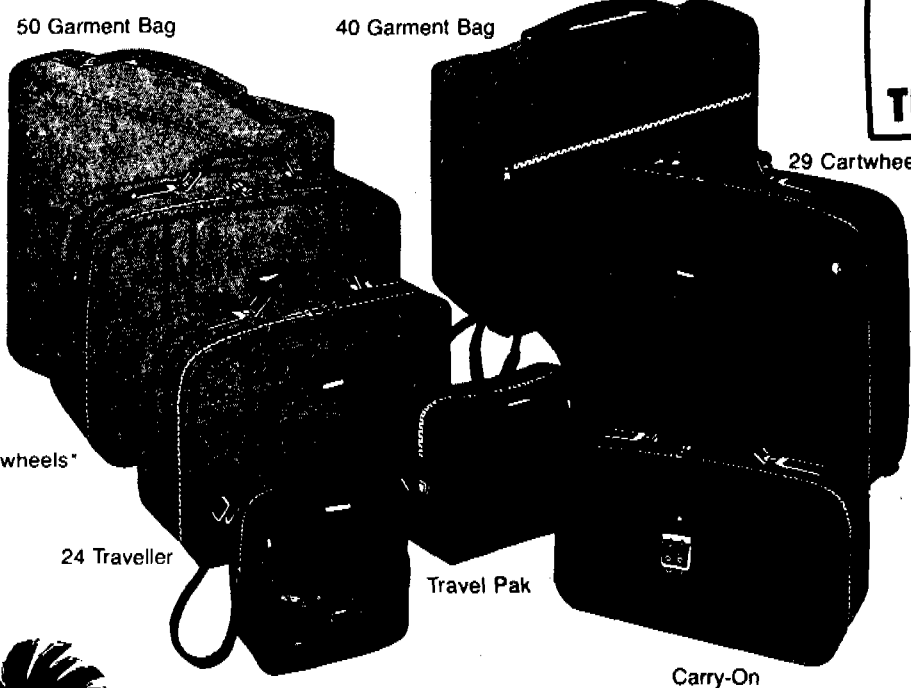
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THE SILVER COACH, by C.S. Adler (youth). Chris's light-hearted father walked out on his family, but Chris blames her nagging mother for the impending divorce. After spending a happy, reflective summer with her grandmother in Vermont, Chris begins to understand both of her parents better, and learns that love is deeper than breezy words and promises.

JUST ABOVE MY HEAD, by James Baldwin (fiction). A large-scale novel, spanning three decades of America's history from the Korean War to the present, telling of two extraordinary families in Harlem... their passions, joys, ambitions and sorrows. It is a record not only of a particular time and place but of human experience at its most profound. The love scenes are maudlin; the church concerts, singing and testifying are beautiful. Baldwin is at his earthy, lyrical best.

THE FOUR HUNDRED, by Stephen Sheppard (fiction). In the autumn of 1892, four men met by prearrangement in an elegant London restaurant. Their topic of conversation would have stunned their fellow diners: for they were about to set in motion one of the most audacious, indeed awesome, swindles in history. Their target: The Bank of England.

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Annual Sanilac dairy banquet set Dec. 8

Lee Murray, writer and voice of the American Dairy Association program carried on 25 Michigan radio stations, will be the featured speaker at the annual Sanilac county dairy banquet.

It will be Saturday, Dec. 8, starting at 7:30 p.m. at Peck High School.

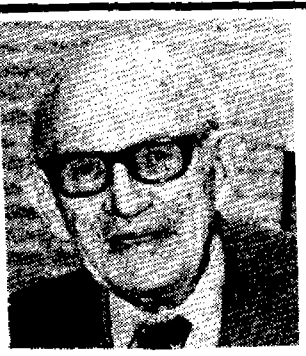
Ms. Murray grew up on a Dowagiac dairy farm, graduated from Vassar College in New York, was later a model and actress, became a television hostess and producer before going to work for the American Dairy Association.

She was named advertising Woman of the Year in 1970, primarily for her work on the radio program.

Also at the banquet, numerous awards will be given out, including some new ones, and several persons will receive special recognition.

Tickets are being sold at the county extension office in Sandusky or reservations can be made by calling there (313-648-2515), with the tickets to be picked up at the door.

Meredith Auten remembers



I landed in Bowdoin College in Brunswick, Maine, in September, 1908.

I was the smallest man at Bowdoin, but as fresh and cocky as they come.

A few days after arrival, I was standing in the entrance of North Winthrop Dormitory when I spied a bag of water descending on me. I ducked, hit the side of the dorm and broke off my front tooth, where I wore a peg for 40 years.

A couple nights after that, the sophs rounded up all the freshmen. They were banging their paddles on the bannister, making a tremendous noise.

I thought it best to get out and started down the fire escape, only to be met by a soph at the base and hurried back to my room. A fellow with a pass key opened the door and found me standing

with my key in my hand, trying to keep his key out.

The fellow went for other victims. I saw my chance and dove into the closet behind a trunk. I was safe for quite some time, then a soph appeared in the closet. I couldn't refrain from laughing and a howl went up, "Here's a freshman hiding behind a trunk." I was escorted down the stairs to a spot where many other freshmen were lined up.

With a cry, "Here's the freshman who hid behind the trunk," I was placed at the end of the line, where the paddles had easier access. I think every soph took a joyful swipe at my rear end. It was black and blue and sore.

We then were marched out into the woods. It was pitch dark. I never knew where we were escorted when, after a time, a fellow recognized as Skeet Merrill grabbed hold of me and shoved me into the woods with the admonition, "Beat it. Damn you."

I beat it, but it was nearly daybreak before I wended my way back to my downy bed.

A few nights after that was Proclamation Night, in which again a soph came and routed me out of bed. I was recognized as the fresh who hid behind the trunk. I was stripped and made to get up on the table, where I had to give a dissertation comparing an eastern girl to the western.

They thought my opinion biased in favor of the western girl, so slapped paste on me from head to foot, attached the proclamation around my body and put me back in bed to ruminate about the vagaries of going to college.

I assure you it was a job getting the paste off. The proclamation was a green square about 3-by-3, which proclaimed a freshman should walk only on the north side of the street, never be seen with a girl, wear a Happy Hooligan hat and address all upper classmen with, "Sir."

I think it was the next day we went to chapel. The freshmen came out last and tried to put the sophs off the steps. A regular fight ensued, in which the clothes were literally torn off the combatants.

As I recall it, the freshmen outnumbered the sophs about two to one and gained supremacy. We started 125 in the class, which was soon reduced to 72 by expulsions. Next week, Meredith joins a fraternity.

Funeral held for Vincent Weiler, 73

Vincent J. Weiler, 73, former Elmwood township resident, died unexpectedly Tuesday, Nov. 13, at his home near Tawas City.

He was born Aug. 19, 1906, in Elmwood township, the son of John and Mary Weiler.

He and Cathryn Hunter were married in June, 1938, and lived in Saginaw. She preceded him in death in October, 1964.

Weiler was a member of St. Mark Catholic church of AuGres and a fourth degree member of the Tawas Council, Knights of Columbus. He was retired from the Michigan Bean Shippers Association at Saginaw.

Surviving are one son, Vincent Jr. of Tawas City, one brother, Louis of Gagetown, one sister, Mrs. Neil Campbell of Elkton, two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Friday, Nov. 16, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic church at Tawas City. Interment was at the Oakland Mausoleum in Saginaw.

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Big Brothers-Big Sisters in Tuscola county is located at 129 E. Burnside Street, Caro, telephone 673-6996; in Sanilac county at 26 Lexington Street, P.O. Box 1, Sandusky, telephone 648-4433; in Huron county at 592 N. Port Crescent, Bad Axe, telephone 269-7264.

Snowmobile safety course set

The Gateway Sportsman's Club will sponsor a snowmobile safety class at its clubhouse 2½ miles west of Unionville.

Registration and classes will start Monday, Dec. 3, at 7 p.m. and will be held for three consecutive evenings - Dec. 3, 4, and 5.

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FIVE YEARS AGO

Elkland township residents living in the Cass City School District will be getting a small break when they pay their 1974 property taxes. This year they will pay at a rate of 30 mills per \$1000 assessed valuation, compared with 31.10 mills for 1973.

Carol Lynn Clarke, a 1971 graduate of Cass City High School, was one of 48 Harding College students inducted Nov. 13 into Alpha Chi, a national college honor scholarship society.

For Mr. and Mrs. Barton Hurford of Ubyly, their retirements from Ubyly Community Schools at the end of this year are tinged with mixed emotions. The couple who have worked for the school system a combined total of 60 years, plan to call it quits

Dec. 31. They will be feted at a retirement party in Harbor Beach, Thursday, Dec. 5.

The newest addition to the staff of Hills and Dales General Hospital is "arrythmia Resussi-Anne." She teaches the proper techniques for artificial respiration and how to recognize cardiac irregularity. "Resussi-Anne" came to the hospital earlier this year at a cost of \$1528, financed jointly by the Ralph Gauer Memorial Fund and the Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary.

TEN YEARS AGO

Cass City merchants are kicking off the Christmas season with their annual pre-Christmas sale Friday and Saturday under the auspices of the Retail Division of the Chamber of Commerce.

A new Utica elementary school has been named in honor of former area residents Clarence and Velma Walsh.

Elkland township residents will receive their 1969 tax bills in the mail early next month and township residents will be paying an average of eight percent more than they did in 1968.

Gov. William Milliken has declared Nov. 30 through

Dec. 6 as leader dog week in Michigan. The Cass City Lions Club does much to help the blind. The club donated \$300 to the Leader Dog School, \$50 to the Welcome Home for the Blind at Grand Rapids and \$250 to the eye bank at Ann Arbor.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Jack Clara was named to the official Thumb "B" League all star team Monday when league coaches met at Marlette to pick the mythical honor team. Clara was the only member of the Cass City squad to be honored on the first team.

Members of the Cass City Gavel Club saw pictures of Mexico at their regular meeting at Parrott's Dairy Bar, as program chairmen Herb Ludlow and Harold Ostley showed a colored film, "A Trip Through Old Mexico."

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Townsend Jr., of Lansing spent the week end at the Leslie Townsend Sr., home.

John A. Wurtz, hospital corpsman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Wurtz of Cass City, participated in the Atlantic Fleet war games of more than 200 ships, plus Marine ground and air units involving 50,000 Navy and 26,000 Marine Corps personnel.

Movement and sales of Christmas trees and evergreen boughs, estimated to be a \$5 million annual business in Michigan, will soon start, and the Michigan Department of Agriculture will establish road blocks on various highways in the state to assure that plant industry laws are complied with this year.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

A.D. Melzer, 14-year-old son of Mrs. Mary Melzer, shot a raccoon on their farm four miles east, two south and one east of Cass City, which weighed 25 pounds. The animal measured 41 inches from the tip of his nose to the end of his tail.

Penicillin is now to be made available to the civilian world on a restricted basis. Nineteen United States and two Canadian firms are turning out about 200 times as much penicillin monthly as was produced a year ago. The cost has been lowered by 85 percent.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bayley of the Ellington Grange installed officers to serve Cass City Grange for the coming year. Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. A. Battel were hosts and hostesses at the meeting held Friday evening in the Bird school house.

Brady takes infantry combat course

Marine Pvt. Scott A. Brady, son of Earl L. and Shirley Sockow of 3685 E. Caro Road, Cass City, has completed the infantry combat training course at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif.



Scott Brady

During the six-week course, he received classroom instruction and participated in field exercises involving infantry tactics, construction and camouflage of fighting positions, and use of mines, demolitions, and intra-company communications equipment. His specialized training centered on the duties of a rifleman, with emphasis on squad tactics and the techniques of fire of the squad's weapons.

He joined the Marine Corps in May.

HEALTH TIPS

Keeping your eyes in contact

Many people waste their money and risk harming their eyes because they don't know how to select contact lenses, says the president of the Michigan Optometric Association.

To help consumers avoid throwing money away on contacts they can't wear safely or comfortably, Dr. Owen R. Dueweke offers ten tips on obtaining contact lenses:

1) Keep your eyes' health uppermost in mind. Contacts are a custom-made health aid, not a cosmetic.

2) Seek a doctor of optometry who is a skilled contact lens prescriber. Contacts cannot be made directly from an eyeglass prescription.

3) Ask about fees in advance.

4) Find out what the fee includes. It should cover the first visit and examination, the prescription, the lenses, second office visit when you get your lenses, individualized instructions on the care and handling of your lenses and a specified number of follow-up office visits.

5) Ask in advance about the doctor of optometry's fee adjustment policy, in case you discontinue wearing the lenses for any reason.

6) Be wary of anyone who "pushes" contacts. Your optometrist should question you to be sure you have the motivation to adapt successfully to contact lenses.

7) Be prepared to answer questions about your health history and daily activities. This information is helpful in determining whether contacts are for you and what type lens is best.

8) Ask about both hard and soft contacts but follow your doctor of optometry's recommendation. Not everyone can wear both.

9) Don't hesitate to ask questions throughout the vision examination and at all office visits.

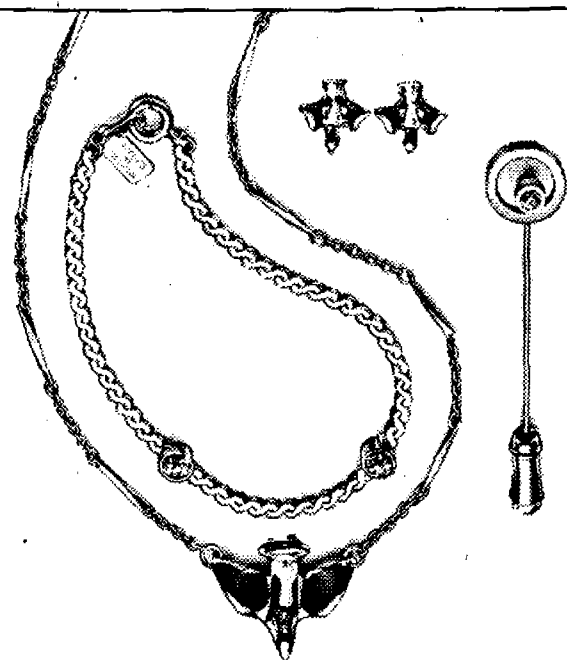
10) Follow your doctor of optometry's wearing, handling and care advice, and return for check-up examinations as recommended.

AARP dinner time changed

Members of the American Association of Retired Persons will be guests of the Cass City Rotary Club Thursday, Nov. 29, at Cass City High School. Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m., which is a change from the previously announced 6 p.m.

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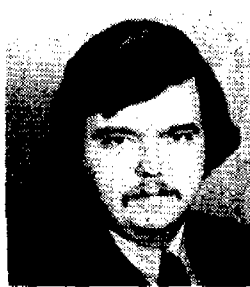
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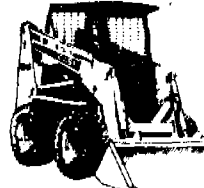


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