

## School costs lowest in state

Cass City had the distinction in 1977-78 of having the lowest per pupil expenditure of any school district in the state, according to a Michigan Department of Education survey.

The average was \$1,049 for each of its 2,138 students. The highest expenditure was \$2,662 in Oak Park (4,143 students), a Detroit suburb.

Supt. Donald Crouse isn't sure exactly how the figures were computed. The \$1,049 times 2,138 students comes to \$2,242,762, yet the district spent \$2,271,625 that year.

If a budget item was left out in computing the figures, he doesn't know what it was and whether it was left out in figuring the average in all school districts.

Crouse hasn't seen the survey yet, only an article about it in a Detroit newspaper.

As for why Cass City appears to be so frugal, he feels one reason may be the purchase in 1976-77 of football field lights and some other items, which were budgeted for repayment over two years but were paid for the first year.

As a result, the district ran a \$59,955 deficit in 1976-77 but had a \$58,605 surplus in 1977-78, the year of the survey, which would have reduced the average expenditure per pupil.

The average cost of educating a student in all school districts in Tuscola county in 1977-78 was \$1,287; in Huron county, \$1,355, and in Sanilac, \$1,291.

## Time changes

Don't forget before hitting the sack Saturday night — set clocks ahead one hour. Daylight savings time officially starts at 2 a.m. Sunday.

In addition to losing an hour of sleep that night — unless one goes to bed an hour earlier than usual — it also means it will get light an hour later in the morning but stay light an hour longer in the evening.

The easy way to remember which way to turn the clocks and when is: "Spring ahead and fall behind."



RECEIVING CONGRATULATIONS from Lambert Althaver, left, last year's Citizen of the Year, is Bill Kritzman who was named for this year's award Monday.



DUAL WINNERS in the race for Junior Citizen of the Year were announced Monday by Phil Keating, left, representing the Cass City Chamber of Commerce. Receiving the coveted award were Frances Kozan and David Heins.

## Lawyers still battle for Owendale track control

The off-the-track contest over who owns the Owendale Speedway is still awaiting the drop of the checkered flag.

Under past and present owner Wayne Dubs, the track on Sebawaing Road will reopen May 5.

At a pretrial hearing last Wednesday, Huron County Circuit Judge M. Richard Knoblock scheduled a non-jury trial Oct. 15 on the remaining issues in the case.

The tangled issue goes back to August, 1977, when Dubs agreed to sell the track to the Cass Land Co., owner of Thunder Road Speedway on M-53, north of M-81. David Duncan, who with his wife, Florence, operates Thunder Road, was a partner in Cass Land Co. at the time.

However, the two sides were never able to come up with a satisfactory contract to finalize the sale and the matter wound up in court.

The Duncans made one attempt to reopen the track in September, 1977, then started races there last year May 12. They ran them about a month, calling the track Huron County Speedway, before the issue went into court.

In June, Judge Allen E. Keyes, then circuit judge for Huron and Sanilac counties, signed a judgment allowing Dubs to retain possession pending a hearing to resolve all remaining issues in the case.

A hearing never was held. According to Dubs' attorney, Karl Kraus of Bad Axe, the Duncans did go to the Michigan Court of Appeals twice during the win-

ter months.

The first time they asked for a writ of superintending control, which would have meant the appeals court would have taken over the case. The second time, they sought to appeal Keyes' signing of the judgment.

The Duncans were rejected both times, however, the justices did say the second time that once the case was completed in circuit court, they could appeal the entire matter.

That left for the time being, according to Kraus, only the question of damages to be resolved in circuit court.

Cass Land Co. is asking for \$10,000 compensation for damage done to the track, plus \$50,000 exemplary dam-

ages. Dubs is counter-suing and asking for damages of any amount over \$10,000 as decided by the court to pay for loss of business and good will and physical damage to the track.

Since Keyes signed the judgment last year, Huron county voters elected a judge of their own, Knoblock.

Since Knoblock is new to the case, he said at the pretrial hearing last week that he will allow Cass Land's attorney, John P. Ogurek of Farmington, to file a brief arguing that the issue of ownership should be reopened.

He has 45 days to do so, then Kraus has 30 days to

file a response.

The latter attorney said his impression is that even if Knoblock should decide that the ownership issue will be reheard, that wouldn't be done until the Oct. 15 trial, thus Dubs will be allowed to keep operating the track this season.

Mrs. Duncan told the Chronicle that Ogurek plans to file the motion in circuit court this week to reopen the case concerning the ownership issue.

She also said that although Cass Land Co. is still pursuing the case, her husband is no longer a partner in the company.

Efforts by the Chronicle to contact Ogurek were unsuccessful.

## Spring grass fires now plaguing area

Rain Tuesday and Wednesday provided some relief, but it's the time of year for grass fires.

The Elkland Township Fire Department was busy last Thursday and Friday fighting a grass fire and grain storage bin fire, plus being called to two potential fires.

A grass fire Thursday afternoon on the south side of River Road consumed an estimated 10-15 acres.

The fire broke out shortly after 3 p.m. and took about 1½ hours to extinguish. A

Department of Natural Resources bulldozer was brought to the scene to help fight the flames.

LeeAnn Papp, who lives on the east edge of where the fire was, said she had burned trash in a barrel that morning. She thought the fire was out, but some sparks from it some hours later spread to the grass and ignited it. The fire got into woods at the edge of the area.

At 11:40 a.m. Monday, firemen had to extinguish another grass fire in the

same area.

Fire Chief Jack Hartwick said the fire started from the road, so speculated it may have been started by a still burning cigarette thrown from a car window by a passing motorist.

Only a couple more acres burned and firemen were at the scene only a short time.

As of Monday, the fire chief said, the state Department of Natural Resources was still allowing issuance of burning permits. The fire department permits are re-

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## Heins, Kozan also

# Name Bill Kritzman citizen of year

Bill Kritzman, Cass City, was named Cass City's Citizen of the Year Monday at the annual banquet of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce.

Kritzman has lived in Cass City since 1960 when the family corporation purchased the former H. J. Smith Store here.

He quickly became involved in the affairs of the community. He is past president and member of the Cass City Rotary Club, Trinity United Methodist church and Chamber of Commerce. He is now the president of the Industrial Development Corporation and a member of the finance committee of the Methodist church.

He has been active in the retail committee for business and a worker and supporter of Hills and Dales Community Hospital.

Kritzman graduated from Sandusky High School, attended Cleary Business College and Michigan State University. He and his wife, Jeanette, came to Cass City from Harbor Beach and the Kritzmans' three children were born here.

Kritzman was presented the award by Lambert Althaver, last year's Citizen of the Year. Althaver also outlined the progress and

current status of the village from his viewpoint as president of the Village.

The junior citizens of the year were announced by Phil Keating. Honored were Frances Kozan and David Heins.

The two were selected from among several finalists who attended the banquet.

Kozan is active in the Methodist church and ranks 14th in her class. She is a member of the National Honor Society. She was active in forensics, debate, pep band, school plays and held several class offices during her high school career.

Heins is active in the Lutheran church. He ranked 17th in his class. He is a member of the National Honor Society. He participated in forensics, school plays, student council, varsity football and track. He spent a year as a Rotary exchange student.

Ken Jensen, administrator at Hills and Dales General Hospital, was the guest speaker.

He entertained with anecdotes taken from an apparently inexhaustible supply while pointing out the values of commitment and united effort in Chamber

participation and in community involvement.

President Tom Herron was the master of ceremonies.

In his year-end report Herron had much to be cheerful about.

Tops was the addition of 31 new members, signifying the recent revitalization of the Chamber.

New activities underway or planned, Herron said, included snow removal on Main Street sidewalks, a welcome wagon, recognition of members in a series of stories and the progress already made towards what may be the largest single day celebration in the history of the village on the Fourth of July.

Another plus for the Chamber and the community was the report that the Christmas decorations would be handled now by the village.

Althaver said that in addition to assuming the workload there is money budgeted for addition to the display this year.

The Rev. James Van Dellen, pastor of Good Shepherd Lutheran church, gave the invocation.

New members of the board of directors include

Dale Deering, Bob Ashman, Dave Luana and Curt Strickland.

Past citizens of the year are:

- Willis Campbell ..... 1963
- Herb Ludlow ..... 1964
- M.B. Auten ..... 1965
- Lucile Bauer ..... 1966
- E.B. Schwaderer ..... 1967
- Dr. H.T. Donahue ..... 1968
- Jim Bauer ..... 1969
- Audley Rawson ..... 1970
- Curt Hunt ..... 1971
- W.E. Walpole ..... 1972
- H.M. Bulen ..... 1973
- Harry Little ..... 1974
- Cliff Croft ..... 1975
- Evelyn MacRae ..... 1976
- Helen Baker ..... 1977
- Lambert Althaver ..... 1978

Junior citizens of the year have been:

- Betty Kennedy ..... 1965
- Robert Rabideau ..... 1966
- Tim Knight ..... 1967
- Joan Maleck ..... 1968
- Lynn Haire ..... 1969
- Sally Geiger ..... 1970
- Cindy Strickland and Anne Bulen ..... 1971
- Ron Crandell ..... 1972
- Kim Gaspie ..... 1973
- Melody Bacon ..... 1974
- Marie Hobart ..... 1975
- Ann Hobart and Sue Pobanz ..... 1976
- Cathy Hobart ..... 1977
- Ross Ridenour ..... 1978

## Cass City's operating tax revenues increase 16.2%

Cass Cityans will be paying 15½ mills on their tax bills they receive this summer, the village council decided Tuesday evening.

The council also approved establishment of an Economic Development Corporation and was told the sewage treatment plant project, although finally approved by the state, still is raveled in red tape.

Of the tax levy, 13 mills will be the same as village property owners have been paying many years to pay for village operations. The added 2½ mills will be to pay off the bonds for the sewage plant project, which voters approved in March.

The 13 mills, times the 1979 assessed valuation of Cass City of \$16,104 million, will produce revenue of \$209,356. With the council not feeling the village can get by on less than that, that was the levy approved.

That compares with a 1978 valuation, 16.2 percent less, of \$13,862 million, and revenue of \$180,211.

Of the \$2.24 million increase in valuation, \$562,300 of that comes from new construction, the rest from inflation.

The council had to decide how to deal with the Headlee amendment, which so far the state legislature has been unable to deal with.

The problem is that although the village levies only 13 mills (debt levies, such as for the sewage plant, don't count), its charter authorizes up to 17 mills, plus more for special purposes.

Does the Headlee rollback provision apply to the amount being levied (13 mills) or the amount authorized (17 mills), if the valuation increase exceeds the increase in the consumer price index (7.7 percent last year)? The legislature has yet to decide.

The latest report from the state Department of Management and Budget, as of Monday, was that the two bills in the legislature dealing with implementation of

Headlee both apply the rollback to the higher authorized levy, which thus means Cass City wouldn't have to reduce its millage.

### DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

The council approved creation of an Economic Development Corporation. Following publication of the required legal notices, it will be able to appoint the nine members of the EDC board at its May 29 meeting.

Prior to the vote, attorney William J. Danhof of Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone told the council the village is not liable in case of default for repayment of the EDC bonds. Creditors will go after the property involved in order to get repayment, like in a normal bankruptcy proceeding.

The chance of default is very low, according to Danhof, because banks and other financial institutions are very careful who they buy the bonds from, that is, who they loan money to.

Any EDC project must be approved by the village

council before the bonds can be sold.

EDC bonds, interest on which is tax free, are now selling for 7-8 percent interest, he said, versus 11-12 percent for normal loans, hence the interest in financing commercial and industrial projects through the EDC.

### SEWAGE PLANT

Village President Lambert Althaver reported the Water Quality Division of the state Department of Natural Resources on April 13 approved the plan for the expansion and improvement of the wastewater treatment plant — 2-3 months behind schedule for various reasons.

The plans now go to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency office in Chicago for approval, expected to take at least six weeks.

Provided it takes at the most, not much longer than that, Althaver said after the meeting, construction can still get underway this year.

If delayed until next year, inflation could add considerably to the estimated \$6 million cost, of which the EPA will pay 75 percent; the state, 5 percent.

On attorney Danhof's recommendations, the village approved the resolution authorizing sale of \$1.2 million in bonds to finance the local share (and later, the 2½ mills for repayment). The bonds will be sold to the Farmers Home Administration at 5 percent interest.

The sale must first be approved by the state Municipal Finance Commission, expected to take 4-5 weeks, although the official okay won't come until the EPA approves its 75 percent grant for the project.

### APARTMENTS

The personnel committee recommended a change in the village zoning ordinance to allow "new" apartments in downtown buildings. Apartments are only allowed now if they were in existence prior to establish-

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GLASS WORKS — Some finished vases sit on a table in Richard Ritter's Greenleaf township workshop. All of the "decoration" is done in glass, nothing is painted. The inside color of some is different than the outside. Three of his works will be on display at the Cass City Arts Council show April 29-May 5 in the Cultural Center. (Story on page 16)

Spring Rummage Sale  
Saturday, May 5, in basement of Presbyterian church. Doors open 9 a.m.  
5-4-19-3

# Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little

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Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Joos were Sunday supper guests in the Lawrence Buehrly home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCaslin and Mrs. Amanda McArthur of Rochester were visitors Saturday afternoon at the Clark Zinnecker home at Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Zinnecker of Fremont were overnight guests of the John Zinnecker's Tuesday, April 17, and of the Clark Zinnecker at Deford Wednesday night.

## ENGAGED



Ellen Williams

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams of Vassar announce the engagement of their daughter, Ellen Marie, to Skip Speirs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Speirs of Cass City.

An Aug. 18 wedding is planned.

Miss Roxanne Keller of Snover and Ivan Stine were Saturday supper guests in the Garrison Stine home.

Rev. Harry Capps, of the First Presbyterian church, and Roland Price, lay minister of the Lamotte Presbyterian church, exchanged pulpits Sunday. Mr. Price is probation officer of the Tuscola county district court.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley went to Marlette Sunday afternoon. They visited her sister, Mrs. Sarah Collins, and also visited Harry Foster in the hospital there.

Mr. William Noble of Lake Orion spent Tuesday with her aunt, Mrs. Helen Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley had as visitors April 16, his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beardsley, and his sisters, Mrs. Bernice Arms and Mrs. Dorothy Youngs, all of LaPeer.

Sixteen members attended the April 23 meeting of the Up and Atom Farm Bureau group, held in the Farm Bureau Building in Caro. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Smith. Presiding over the business meeting, in place of the chairman, was Ernest Beardsley. The discussion on "Nitrates and Nitrites" was led by Fred Janks.

Ten members of the Women's Prayer group met Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Leslie Lounsbury.

The Golden Rule class of Salem UM church will meet Thursday evening at the church for a cooperative meal at six-thirty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Decker of Big Rapids spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig.

Men from Salem UM church who attended the meeting of North Port Huron district - United Methodist Men, held at North Branch, Monday evening, were Mick Kirn, Albert Trof, Maurice Joos, Herman Hildinger and Don Buehrly.

Mr. and Mrs. Irl Colton of Kingston were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Bruce Kritzman.

Ninety attended a cooperative ham dinner and program Saturday evening in the Masonic Temple. It was a get-acquainted gathering celebrating the consolidation of Acme Lodge F & AM of Gageton with Tyler Lodge here. Entertainment following the meal was pictures from Germany and other European countries shown by John Elssesser of Reese who spent some time in Germany while on military duty.

Mrs. Richard Beach of Lowell spent from Monday until Friday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beardsley. Mrs. Beardsley was in St. Luke's Hospital at Saginaw from Tuesday until Thursday for eye surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur had as Sunday dinner guests, her sister, Mrs. Georgia Thompson of Flint, Richard Laser of Gaines, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McArthur and sons, Douglas and David, and daughter Kathy and Bob Adams.

Mrs. Esther Kirn of Chelsea spent from Friday until Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kirn. She was the guest speaker in Trinity UM church Sunday.

Cass City residents returning home after spending the winter in Florida include Mrs. Gladys Fort from New Port Richey, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell on April 16 from Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gallagher on Thursday from Bradenton.

Andrew Auten, US Navy, currently stationed at Philadelphia, spent from Thursday until Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Auten.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Riensra were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reinelt at Argyle.

## Hills and Dales General Hospital BIRTHS:

April 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Billie Aubry of Cass City, twin boys, Joseph Lee and Jonathan Lee.

April 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Newsome, a boy, Lloyd James III.

## PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, APRIL 23, WERE:

Mrs. Max Agar, Mrs. Bernard Pilarski, Paul Junior Auten, Mrs. Alger Freiburger, Wallace Czekai, Roy Anthes, Joseph Cullom, William Hillaker, Mrs. James Pethers of Cass City;

Mrs. Johnia Curry of Kingston;

Mrs. Douglas Lane of Sebewaing;

Mrs. Duane Witkovsky and Charles Pistro Jr. of Caro;

Ezra Abbe and Mrs. William Kretschmer of Owendale;

Mrs. Leo Livingston and Frederick Strauss of Unionville;

Percy Soule of Ubyl;

Mrs. Cecil Clinesmith of Silverwood;

Luther Miracle of Deford;

Mrs. Thomas Dillon of Bad Axe;

Gordon Hilt of Mayville;

Mrs. Lucille LaFave of Gageton.

Mrs. Phyllis Lester of Cass City was discharged Monday.

## MATURITY

It is your civic duty to accept responsibility — don't try to find a way to duck it.

Born April 19 in Caro Community Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marker (Karla Stine) their second child, a six-pound, eight-ounce boy, Tyson Kenneth. Mother and baby went to their home near Unionville Monday. Four-year-old Stacie Marker spent from Thursday until Monday with her grandparents here, Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Stine.

Sunday afternoon callers at the Garrison Stine home were cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Logan of Forest, Ontario.

Born April 9 to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Turner of Cass City, a daughter, Courtney Beth, in Hills and Dales Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and 12 ounces and joins a sister, Shannon Rae.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Zinnecker and her grandfather, John Kennelly of North Prairie, Wis., spent from Saturday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Clark Zinnecker near Deford. Other Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Zinnecker and daughters. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Peters of Vassar and Mrs. Everett Field.

Anne Marie Lorentzen of Saginaw and Mr. and Mrs. Don Lorentzen spent Sunday with Rick Lorentzen at Mt. Morris. He just returned from Easter vacation and was one of a group of 30 teachers and their families who went skiing near Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tracy had as week-end guests, her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray O'Dell and family, Kevin, Tracie, Keith, David and Justine, a friend of David's.

Miss Lillian Dunlap of Caro and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman spent Saturday evening at the Keith Murphy home.

Theo Hendrick is spending two weeks with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwell Kelly at New Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Don Whittenburg took him there and returned home Sunday. The Whittenburgs attended, at Allen Park Sunday, a celebration of the 100th birthday of a friend, Mrs. Wagner.

## ENGAGED



Joyce Hubel

The engagement of Joyce Ann Hubel to David James Kidwell is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hubel of Flint, formerly of Cass City. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kidwell of Drayton Plains.

An Oct. 27 wedding date is planned.

Mrs. Tom Lounsbury was hostess Friday evening for a meeting of the Sunshine Gals. Ten attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Brinkman of Southfield were here Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Gladys Lounsbury, in Provincial House and were luncheon guests in the Lyle Lounsbury home.

Mrs. Ella Cumper entertained Mrs. Frank Cumper and boys, Kevin and David, for dinner last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Juanita Binder of Detroit returned home Saturday after spending a week with Mrs. Ella Cumper.

Mrs. Hannah Pierson of Coleman, Mrs. Edna Harris of Marlette and William Eagle of Peck spent Tuesday, April 17, with Mrs. Ella Cumper, Katherine Martin and Juanita Binder.

Members of Echo Chapter OES who attended the Friends Night meeting of Kedron Chapter in Caro April 17 were Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, Mrs. Virginia Hartwick, Mrs. Marie Jetta, Mrs. Bertha West, Mrs. Alexia Cook, Mrs. Thelma Graham, Mrs. Lena Teller, Mrs. Vera Hoadley, Mrs. Doris Evens, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Mellendorf, Mrs. Avis Youngs, Mrs. Georgene Jensen and Mrs. Beverly Hartman.

## ENGAGED



Cindy Lou Little Daniel Shaw

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Little of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shaw of Snover announce the engagement of their children Cindy Lou to Daniel Keith.

Cindy Little is a 1978 graduate of Cass City High School and is employed at Walbro Corp. in Cass City.

Dan is a 1975 graduate of Marlette High School and employed at Xplorer Motor Homes, Brown City.

A Nov. 24, 1979 wedding is planned.

## ENGAGED



Suzanne Mae Drohn

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drohn of Vassar announce the engagement of their daughter Suzanne Mae to Larry Scott McKee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKee of Cass City.

An Aug. 4 wedding is planned.

## Bridal shower held Sunday

Brenda Vollmer was honored Sunday afternoon at a bridal shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doerr. Miss Vollmer and Jim Doerr plan to be married June 23.

The shower was given by relatives of the prospective groom, Norma Szarapski, Marilyn Young, Lori Hover, Linda McPhail and Mrs. Doerr.

Forty-five relatives and friends attended from Elkton, Caro, Colwood, Gageton and the Cass City area.

## Marriage Licenses

Gregory G. Armstead, 22, Cass City, and Susan G. Bond, 21, Cass City.

Timothy N. Hill, 26, Mayville, and Kristal A. Keilitz, 19, Mayville.

Terry J. LaFave, 20, Caro, and Betty A. Kastraba, 18, Caro.

Gregg S. Geesey, 19, Millington, and Mary Beth Bender, 20, Vassar.

Armond W. Curtis, 39, Cass City, and Peggy L. Brewer, 26, Cass City.

Thomas Tolliver, 31, Caro, and Ann E. Priestley, 37, Caro.

John Borek Jr., 48, Clifford, and Joan A. Davee, 47, LaPeer.

William D. Owensby, 32, Vassar, and Catherine A. Bender, 19, Vassar.

Clifford D. Shaver, 21, Silverwood, and Nancy E. Jamison, 20, North Branch.

Gale H. Monroe, 22, Caro, and Dolly J. Huff, 29, Caro.

Donald J. Martin Jr., 22, Caro, and Karen D. Gludovatz, 18, Caro.

Vonn H. Hess, 28, Millington, and Debbie Lou Kern, 20, Millington.

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## VILLAGE OF CASS CITY

Lena and Arthur Atwell

Arthur and Lena Atwell of 4404 Oak Street, Cass City, are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary. The former Lena Rice and Arthur Atwell were married April 26, 1919.

The Atwells have one son, Stuart of Cass City, and one granddaughter, Lynn Osgerby of East Lansing.

A family gathering is planned for this week end.

## 115 at Lowe fete

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lowe celebrated their 25th anniversary April 8 at Shabbona Hall.

A buffet dinner was served at 1 p.m. by their children.

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Lorna (Mrs. Tim) Dorland and Lu Ellen Lowe.

A total of 115 guests attended.

Gerald and Arlene were married April 17, 1954 in her parents' home. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hillaker.

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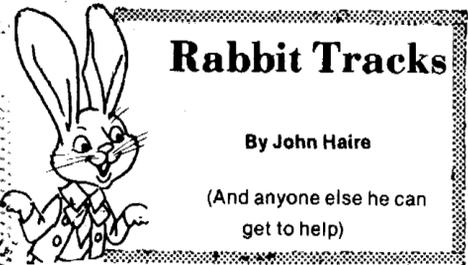
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## Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Did you catch the story in one of the Detroit papers recently describing the trophy King Salmon caught by Bob Tuckey with help from Bill Wallace? (I didn't).

Anyway, it won a contest sponsored by the paper and was the largest fish caught that day in the St. Clair River. Before leaving the dock, the pair were briefed on the "right" way to fish there for salmon. Down stream at specified depths and with only certain lures were the tickets, they were told.

All morning they tried it. Zilch. In the afternoon they forgot the tips and did everything in reverse of the accepted procedure.

Eureka, prize time!

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Dr. Jack Clara of Cass City has a conversation stopper. It's a cane. At least, it's a cane most of the time.

But don't turn your back or it turns into something else. What is becomes is a pool cue. By unscrewing a cap here and there and replacing them somewhere else the transformation is completed in a matter of minutes.

And if Clara shoots pool to the standards of that well made pool stick take my advice: don't play with him.

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Made a flying (literally and figuratively) trip to Chicago over the week end and I can personally confirm that the United Airlines strike has made things hectic.

There's no service from Tri-City, of course. And the lines from Detroit to Chicago and back are loaded.

My business finished, I arrived at the airport and attempted to fly stand-by on a 9 p.m. flight instead of the 10:45 flight where I was able to get a reservation. The clerk took my name, smiled and said that I was number 71 on the flight's stand-by list. I don't need to tell you that I didn't make it, do I.

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A sequel to the story: When I got on my appointed flight I found another passenger with the same seat reservation.

The flight attendant (I still call them stewardess) finally found another seat on the plane for me. Good thing, too. They would have had to call a cop to get me off that plane after I had waited 3½ hours at the airport.

## Retirees meet

Owen-Gage Senior Citizens Club met last Thursday for a potluck lunch at the Owendale Community Building.

Thirty-eight were present with guests, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellendorf, Doris Christner, Ed Deering and Frank Endrele.

Door prizes went to Ada Saigat and Floyd Ziehm. Winners at cards were Millie Munroe, Violet Diebel, Lee

Smith and Harry Russell with Frank Doan getting the owl prize.

Next meeting will be at the Gageton Municipal Building, Thursday, May 3, at 1 p.m. Blood pressure readings will be taken from noon-1.

Committee in charge of arrangements for May will be Violet Diebel, Nettie and Frank Doan, and Reva and Harry Russell.



**NEW ZONTA CLUB officers are, back row, from left, Donna Wernette, president; Lottie Konwalski, vice-president; Marie Roch, treasurer. Front row, Betty Hurst, secretary, and Cindy McConkey, board member. Unable to be present was the other board member, Janice Chippi.**

## Zonta Club installs five new officers

The Zonta Club held its monthly dinner meeting and installation of officers at the home of Florence Karr Tuesday evening, April 17.

New officers for the next two years were installed in a ceremony performed by Helen Baker. New officers are: president, Donna Wernette; vice-president, Lottie Konwalski; treasurer, Marie Roch; secretary, Betty Hurst, and board

members, Cindy McConkey and Janice Chippi. Mrs. Chippi was unable to attend.

Plans were completed for the annual spring workshop for District 15 at the Colony House Saturday, April 28, with Cass City Zontians as hosts. Helen Baker is chairman.

It was voted to make a contribution to Zonta International for the Zonta International float in the Rose

Bowl Parade Jan. 1.

Plans were completed for the club's participation in the July 4th celebration.

One new member, Anna McCallum, was initiated into the club by a ceremony performed by Esther McCullough.

The next dinner meeting will be May 15 with Joy Anthony as hostess and Edith Little and Gladys Fort as co-hostesses.

## Overdue taxes go to units in Sanilac

Sanilac county governmental units will be receiving more than \$1.6 million in delinquent tax payments in late May, county Treasurer Ken Rhead has announced. The money will come from the county's revolving tax fund, for which notes were sold April 12 at an interest rate of 5.8185 percent.

Successful bidder (at the highest interest rate) for purchase of the notes was Manley, Bennett, McDonald

and Co.

The total of more than \$1.6 million was the amount of taxes due as of March 1. In exchange for the governmental units receiving the taxes immediately, the county will collect the delinquent taxes and penalties, which is more than enough to pay off the notes.

Townships closest to Cass City and the amounts they will be receiving in delinquent taxes, as of March 1

and excluding personal property taxes, will be: Argyle, \$1,018; Austin, \$2,950; Evergreen, \$735; Greenleaf, \$2,220; Lamotte, \$1,373; and Moore, \$1,925.

The Cass City School District, for the portion of it in Sanilac county, will be receiving \$27,600; the Uby School District, \$31,298.



**The Haire Net**

Did you catch the NBC news show on the tube that explained the doomsday procedure for using the atomic bomb?

It showed what should happen if Russia launched atomic bombs and aimed them for all key points in the United States.

The show also went through all the procedures for retaliation by the United States.

The complicated methods used to safeguard against an accidental nuclear confrontation sound good. But following "the plan" in the short crisis period between the time the enemy bombs are fired till they strike targets here would be a minor miracle. The odds are at least 100 to one that they would be fouled up long before all the safeguard steps were followed.

The show also depicted the results of a nuclear holocaust with 130 million dead here and the same relative results in Russia.

Since Russians are as smart as Americans, it's sure that they, too, can figure all of this out. It's hard to imagine that they would dream of starting a doomsday war.

So what's the worry? A huge colossal mistake. History is full of them . . . but none with the almost sure consequences that one with the bomb would bring.

I've read reports that this threat of nuclear extension hangs heavy over all of us and is responsible for changes in the way we live.

I've read it, but I don't believe it. An atomic bomb war is too horrible to contemplate. There's a lot more

worry connected with something like the atomic plant at 3-mile island.

We can get our teeth into that one. We can do something about it.

We also can worry about the little every day problems like disease, making a living and air pollution. Those things do shape our life.

For me, and I suspect for most of us, an atomic bomb really doesn't affect us much one way or another.

Intellectually, we can mull the problem and have opinions on the solution.

But it's not real. Not really. Who can imagine 130 million dead? Who wants to? Not me.

After seeing that program I mentally shrugged my shoulders, physically grabbed my putter and rolled a few balls across the carpet.

My golf game. Ah! There's something to really worry about.

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## "If It Fitz. . ."

### Mother gets her wish

By Jim Fitzgerald

The middle-aged son brought his mother violets for Easter. She wanted something else.

Actually, the violets were just an excuse for a visit that wasn't supposed to be made. The son wasn't scheduled to see his mother on Easter.

His large family is scattered across several cities, and there's usually no way all the members can attend the same holiday party. Most often, a few relatives get together in one town and a few others gather in other towns, and after dinner they all phone each other in memory of a departed uncle who worked for Michigan Bell.

For this Easter, the son and his mother were slated to eat ham in different towns. It shouldn't have made any difference to him. She wouldn't be alone on the important day; he had seen her the week before Easter, and he would see her again the week after.

And besides, as his wife reminded him, he has always claimed a day isn't special simply because the calendar says it's supposed to be special. When his wife says they have to be with their grandchildren on Dec. 25, he insists that Christmas is just as much fun on Dec. 27.

"The day you open the presents is Christmas, and the day you're locked out of the bank is Washington's birthday. It doesn't matter what the calendar says," the middle-aged son always growls.

"A man brave enough to stretch tradition can avoid a lot of traffic by going on a Labor Day picnic in the middle of August."

His anti-calendar logic is unassailable. So how could he explain his compulsion to see his mother on Easter, even though he had a date to dine with other relatives many miles away from her? He tried flowers.

"Every son should give his mother flowers for Easter," he announced, rather stuffily. He went out and bought a dinky pot of African violets. He would have made a grander purchase, but he knew his mother had already received a huge Easter lily and other flowers from his sisters. There wasn't room for another big plant on the windowsill of her little room

in the nursing home.

Why not have a flower shop deliver the violets? The middle-aged son didn't answer that question. But he did make a compromise against the calendar. He decided it really wasn't necessary to see his mother on Easter. He took the violets and drove to his old hometown the afternoon before Easter.

At the nursing home, he went directly to the recreation room where Easter mass was being said. Sunday mass is always a day early there, and it was the high point of every week for his mother. Her wheelchair was always in the same place, close to the makeshift altar. But on this Saturday, she wasn't there.

On his hurried way to his mother's room, the son talked to a nurse. He learned his mother had suddenly become very ill, while he was driving to visit her. She had been blind and weak for many months, but she had been able to visit her children and to enjoy picnic cocktail parties when they visited her. She had been his mother for more than 50 years, and he hadn't yet thought much about losing her.

He thought about it now. His mother was barely conscious. Her little sister (only 77) was at her side, as always.

"Boy, you must really be sick if you missed Easter mass," the middle-aged son said. "I hope the new pope is

an understanding man."

She smiled. Perhaps she didn't really hear her son's lousy joke, but he hopes she did.

He held the little violets under her nose and asked if she could smell them. She didn't answer, ever.

It turned out that the son did see his mother on Easter Sunday. He saw her when she was transferred to a nearby hospital and tubes were inserted into her arms and nose. He watched while she struggled to breathe and the time between each breath grew longer and longer.

Early Easter morning, the mother died.

The middle-aged son isn't sad. He is grateful for whatever force compelled him to make an uncharacteristic visit to his mother. He is grateful for her; she was a marvelous mother. He is also grateful that she got more than violets for Easter.

What the mother really wanted was to die, and she often said so. The last year was rough on a beautiful lady who always loved to dance but could no longer see to walk. She was ready to leave.

It hurts to let go, but it's a mistake to hang on too long. The middle-aged son's ache will last much longer than the violets, but it's a nice ache that reminds him of how much his mother loved him — and how much he loved her.

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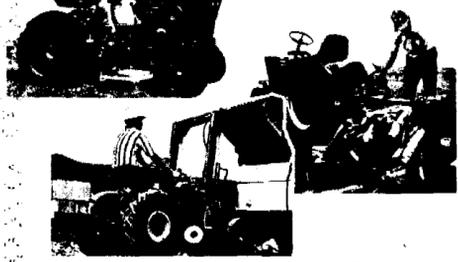
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old girl who would just love to be your little sister. She lives in Gagetown and enjoys all active outdoor activities. Why not give us a call?

### Honor four for studies at EMU

Four area students were among 2,679 students recognized for academic achievement at the 31st honors convocation April 4 at Eastern Michigan University.

They were Alan L. Crouse, 6778 Houghton Street, Cass City; Jen M. Seddon, 3039 S. Kingston Road, Kingston; Jennifer Ziehm, 7927 McAlpine Road, Owendale, and Roberta M. Leslie, 3204 Leslie Road, Decker.

To be honored, students needed a grade point average of at least 3.0 out of a possible 4.0.

An outdoor lover from Vassar is waiting for a companion. He is 13 years old, and likes fishing, hunting, and all types of sports.

This foster child from Caro comes from a large foster home. He would like someone to be his special friend. He is 13 years old and likes to swim and snowmobile. He needs a one-to-one relationship with a man.

Big Brother-Big Sisters in Tuscola county is located at 230 N. State Street in Caro, telephone 673-6996; in Sanilac county at 26 Lexington Street, P.O. Box 1, Sandusky, telephone 648-4433. Huron County Big Brothers-Big Sisters is no longer in operation.

## AAUW offers annual \$250 scholarship

The Cass City branch of the American Association of

University Women is taking applications for the annual \$250 scholarship.

The scholarship will be awarded to a woman resident or student from the Cass City School District who is enrolled at an accredited four-year college or university.

She can be a graduating high school senior or a student already in college and must have a 3.3 or better grade point average.

The funds are to be used for tuition, fees or books. The scholarship is renewable upon application.

Applications are available from Kathy Bauer, 872-4168, Marilyn Peters, 872-4409, or from the high school counselors. They must be returned no later than May 16.

Scholarship committee members are Kathy Bauer, Marilyn Peters, Leone Shaw and Marlene Erla.

### LIFETIME JOB

Average men spend nine-tenths of their time trying to earn enough money to enable them to enjoy the other tenth.

## Your Neighbor says

### Prayer should be allowed in schools

Should prayer be allowed in public schools?

The issue, presumably decided by the U.S. Supreme Court in the 1960s when it said it shouldn't be, has arisen anew in the U.S. Senate, where an amendment to overturn the court ruling was approved 47-37 April 5.

Some political maneuvering later led to a reversal of the Senate action.

Richard Parrott believes that prayer should be allowed in public schools.

"I have a strong faith in God and what he has done for me," he explained. "Our nation was founded in God and I hope it gets back to a closer worship of God."

Although he feels prayer should be allowed, he doesn't feel it should be required. "How they work it out, I don't know," Parrott said, explaining there should be some means for children

to be exempted. "I feel they have a right (not to pray). It's a free country."

Parrott operates a surface grinder for Hydramet in Caro, a maker of precision cutting tools.

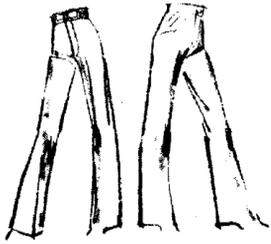
He and his wife, Debbie, have two children, Richard II and Lindi. They live at 3238 N. Dodge Road, Cass City.



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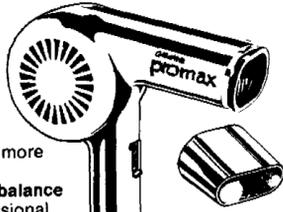
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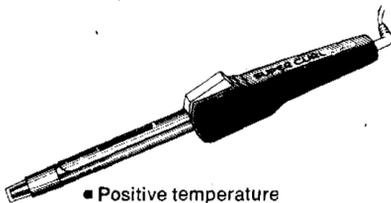
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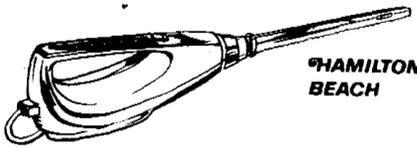
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**This space for rent**

By Mike Eliasohn



Who is this nation's most famous reporter?

Is it Joe Rossi of the "Lou Grant" television show? (Who is really an actor.) Is it Woodward and Bernstein of Watergate reporting fame? (Actually two people.)

How about Bill Overend? Bill Overend?

Yes, Bill Overend. He really is a reporter, for the Los Angeles Times. Most of you have probably seen him, although you have never read his stories, because he is featured in the Milky Way candy bar television commercial.

After rushing to get a story in just before deadline, he starts to relax with a Milky Way, only to be told the mayor is about to make a statement. He grabs his jacket and off he goes.

His role in the commercial has drawn criticism from fellow journalists, who don't feel members of the media should be identified with a product, candidate or cause, lest their credibility be questioned.

Overend doesn't see any conflict. "I suppose I couldn't do an investigative report on Milky Way," he told the Detroit Free Press. "I don't see a story on candy bars likely in my entire future in the business."

He declined to say how much he was paid for doing the commercial or how much he will get in residuals.

I agree with Overend and I think some of his critics aren't really concerned about loss of credibility but are actually jealous of the money he is making from the commercial.

The money will probably be enough for him to buy a new \$20,000 Porsche while his fellow reporters are driving around in beat-up old Chevrolets (or my case, a beat-up old Gremlin).

I don't blame any journalists for being jealous of Overend, but they shouldn't try to disguise their jealousy by talking about such lofty ideals as conflict of interest.

Since I have no lofty ideals, I would hereby like to announce my availability for commercials. Potential sponsors don't even have to pay me Porsche prices. I am more than willing to settle for a Volkswagen Rabbit diesel, which gets better than 50 miles per gallon and probably doesn't cost more than \$7,000.

To make it easier for potential manufacturers of products I could endorse,

here are some suggestions: Midnight oil - I seem to burn lots of it.

Light bulbs - same reason as for midnight oil.

Seat cushions - I have made a definite impression on the one on my office chair.

Office chairs - I'm not a big wheel, but I do a lot of swiveling on mine.

Typewriters - Being old-fashioned, I would rather endorse a manual model than an electric one.

Typewriter ribbons - I have worn out a lot of them typing trash like this.

Cameras - How about this line for a commercial: "When there's a big fire, reporter Mike Eliasohn is there with his trusty ...."

American Motors - There's a fellow in a Volkswagen commercial who brags about his last VW lasting seven years. My Gremlin will be nine years old in July. Maybe: "When there's a big fire, reporter Mike Eliasohn gets there in his trusty American Motors Gremlin."

(Of course, if I do this ad, I won't be buying a VW Rabbit diesel.)

**Huron BB-BS rescued**

Huron County Big Brothers-Big Sisters, scheduled to go out of business Friday because of lack of money, won a temporary reprieve from Catholic Family Services (CFS).

The latter agency offered Big Brothers use of two unused rooms in its building on N. Port Crescent Ave. in Bad Axe. It started operating out of there Monday and will pay only minimal rent.

Two of four staff members will be retained, being paid with federal Comprehensive Employment and Training Act funds, good only until Sept. 30. Efforts are being made to find funds to keep the secretary.

Fund raising events will be continued.

The organization presently has a total of 43 Big Brother-Little Brother and Big Sister-Little Sister matches.

**STEPPING STONES**

Bitter lessons learned in childhood can be useful guides in the battle of life.



**KALEIDOSCOPE OF ART** - Pat Britt hangs one of her paintings in the Cultural Center that will be on display during the Cass City Arts Council show Sunday, April 29 - May 5.

**'Kaleidoscope' art show opens Sunday**

The second "Kaleidoscope of Art" show will open Sunday from 2-5 p.m. with a special public reception.

The arts and craft show sponsored by the Cass City Arts Council will be on display until May 5 in the Cultural Center. The community is cordially invited to attend the reception Sunday, meet the artists and view their work.

Many area artists will be displaying their work. Some of them will be Maxine Clara, Frank Demeray, Pat Britt, Kathleen and Julie

Vargo, Liz Mantey, Yvonne Schultz, Greg Mark and Teresa Scollon, Ann Masters and Alice Guernsey.

The opportunity to participate in the show is still open. Anyone wishing to exhibit work should contact either Ann McDaniel, 872-3353, or Celia House, 872-3340. All types of media will be accepted for exhibit, for example, watercolor, oil, jewelry, pottery, weaving, metal work, needlepoint, rug hooking, quilt making etc. All work must be original, no kits, and recent,

within the last year-and-a-half.

There will be about 25-30 artists exhibiting, according to show chairman McDaniel, almost all of whom live in the Thumb.

After Sunday, hours will be from 5-8 p.m. Monday, Thursday and Friday and 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday.

Special tours other than during those hours, such as for school groups, can be arranged by calling Mrs. McDaniel or Mrs. House.

The first Arts Council Kaleidoscope of Art was about five years ago.

**Pierce sent to prison for Vassar armed robbery**

James D. Pierce was sentenced to 7 1/2-15 years in the State Prison of Southern Michigan at Jackson Monday for the Jan. 19 armed robbery of a Vassar gas station.

Pierce, 19, of 5815 Ruprecht Road, Vassar, pleaded guilty to the armed robbery charge March 26. Circuit Judge Norman A. Baguley credited him with

94 days already served and recommended vocational training and counseling.

Robbed of \$1,163 was Leo's Union 76 station. The money was later recovered.

Pierce was originally also charged with kidnapping because he forced the attendant and his girl friend into the attendant's car and forced them to drive him outside of town. The kidnap-

ping charge was dropped in exchange for the guilty plea.

Also Monday, Wayne E. Phillips, 18, of 211 N. Unionville Road, Caro, was sentenced to one year in the county jail for breaking and entering of a semi-trailer. He was credited with one day served.

A jury found him guilty of the charge March 20, in connection with his breaking into a trailer Aug. 20 near Caro.

Mark A. Dean, 25, of Beaverton, was sentenced to concurrent 30-day terms in the county jail. One sentence was for joy riding, the other for the misdemeanor of careless driving. Work release status was granted.

He was also placed on two years' probation, fined \$200, assessed \$200 and ordered to pay restitution of \$391.

Dean pleaded guilty to the charges March 16, in connection with an incident Jan. 13 in the parking lot of Club 24, on M-24 south of Caro.

Michael D. Grimshaw, 20, formerly of Mayville, pleaded guilty to attempted larceny over \$100 in connection with the theft of electrical wire Aug. 10, 1978 that belonged to the city of



**WOVEN** - Alice Guernsey wove the fabric on her loom, then made this pillow. She will also have other samples of her weaving and patchwork in the show.

**Record quarter for Walbro**

Lambert E. Athaver, president, Walbro Corporation, reported a record first quarter in 1979.

Net sales from consolidated operations for the three months ended March 31, 1979 were \$10,918,427 compared with \$8,422,586 for the same period in 1978, representing an increase of \$2,495,841 or 30 percent.

Net earnings for the quarter were \$464,461 compared with \$459,524 for the same period in 1978 - an increase of \$4,947.

Per share earnings for the quarter were \$.60 on 779,550 shares outstanding, compared with \$.60 per share on 767,337 shares outstanding at March 31, 1978.

THREE MONTHS		
MARCH 31		
	1979	1978
Net Sales	\$10,918,427	\$8,422,586
Net Earnings	464,461	459,524
Per Share	.60	.60
Average Shares	779,550	767,337
Outstand.	779,550	767,337

**The weather**

	High	Low	Precip.
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Thursday	65	43	0
Friday	72	39	0
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### Blehm wins \$5,000 in state lottery

Harold Blehm of Center Street, Gageton, has won \$5,000 in the Michigan Lottery instant game. He bought the winning ticket card at Don's Party

Store in Elkton. According to his wife, Martha, they may use the money to buy property outside of town and travel to visit their children living out

of state. She said her husband usually only buys a lottery ticket once every few months. His only previous winning ticket earned him

\$50. Blehm works at Active Industries in Elkton. Time may be money, but it is not negotiable at the bank.

### Taste testing slated

Michigan State University and the Tuscola Cooperative Extension Service are presenting a consumer taste testing program May 3 at Sacred Heart Parish Hall in Caro.

Guests will be Mary Zayner, MSU marketing consumer specialist, and Jan Jacobson, district marketing agent.

According to Extension Home Economist Peg Houck, a consumer test tasting panel will give Tuscola residents the opportunity to share their ideas and opinions about a variety of Michigan agricultural products.

Purpose of the panel is to give information concerning the product tested to the marketing firms, to give opinions and ideas to consumer marketing agents and to let consumers be aware of the changes that are occurring in the food industry.

The program is only open to people with reservations, and only a limited number can attend. The extension office in Caro can be called for information.

BUM STEER

Only if you have money to burn is it safe to accept advice from total strangers.

## Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

#### FIVE YEARS AGO

Harry Little was named Citizen of the Year in Cass City and Melody Bacon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bacon, was named Junior Citizen of the Year in the highlight event of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce banquet.

Leading the class of 135 is Karen Eskilsen named valedictorian for the class of 1974 of the Cass City High School. Salutatorian is DeLores Sherrard.

Groups of farmers from Michigan's Thumb joined in a nationwide protest against an expected drop of up to 90 cents in the price of milk by selling selected dairy cattle at the urging of the National Farmers Organization.

#### TEN YEARS AGO

The Cass City village received \$2,000 in cash and a pledge of some \$1,200 more for improvements at the Cass City Recreational Park at the regular session of the council.

Officials at the Hills and Dales General Hospital report that they have treated 27 cases of poisoning in the last year.

Cass City opened its quest for a Thumb B Conference baseball crown with an easy 8-1 victory over Sandusky behind the one-hit pitching of Kim Hopper.

Army Captain Forrest T. Walpole received the Joint Service Commendation Medal during ceremonies at the Office of the Judge Advocate General, Department of Army, Military Affairs Division, Legislation

### Criminal complaints total 522

The Tuscola County Sheriff's Department received 522 calls regarding criminal matters in March.

The biggest number, 220, regarded traffic violations or accidents, followed by larcenies, 61, vandalism, 42, and burglaries and domestic problems, 30 each.

Deputies made 34 arrests in March, of which 14 were for traffic violations, five for family offenses and four for probation violation.

A total of 437 traffic tickets were issued, of which 318 were for speeding, 22 for stop sign violations and 21 for improper license plates.

There were 27 appearance tickets issued, including 10 each for transporting open intoxicants in a motor vehicle (normally issued to the driver) and 10 for possession of open intoxicants in a motor vehicle (issued to passengers).

Patrol units traveled 42,598 miles and consumed 4,232.6 gallons of gasoline (10.06 miles per gallon).

The county jail took in 116 prisoners, of which 15 were female, and released 113.

Cass City police made six arrests in March, five for traffic violations and one for fraud.

Caro state police made 18 arrests, including 10 for traffic violations and two each for disorderly conduct and violation of the controlled substance act.

The number of complaints received and accidents in area townships respectively were:

Columbia, 10 and 2; Elkland (including Cass City), 54 and 6; Ellington, 3 and 2; Elmwood, 6 and 2; Kingston, 15 and 2, and Novesta, 7 and 3.

#### FACING UP

The hard knocks in the battle of life tend to give men the poise and stability which indicate strength and maturity.

Branch, the Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

#### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The equalized assessed valuation for Tuscola county as approved by the Tuscola Board of Supervisors is \$878,987 higher than it was in 1953. Total assessed valuation is \$46,615,403.

Walter E. Walpole, president of Walbro Corporation of Fenton, and representatives of the Cass City Development Corporation signed papers to move the factory to Cass City.

Glenn Bixby, a former Cass City resident who rose through the ranks to the presidency of the multi-million dollar Ex-Cell-O Corp-

oration, was the honored guest at a joint meeting of the Cass City Gavel and Rotary clubs.

#### THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. Howard Wooley of Cass City has been notified of her prize-winning recipe submitted to the April issue of Better Homes and Gardens.

The Cass City Red Hawk baseball team was off to a good start when they blanked Bad Axe 6-0. The Hawks capitalized on Leigh McConnell's superb pitching.

Mrs. Grant Patterson was awarded a war service pin by the president and vice-president, for her outstanding and civic activities work through their federated clubs, at the convention of the Michigan State Federation of Woman's Clubs.

Members of the junior class of the Cass City High School have been busy planning and preparing for the annual banquet and dance for the senior class. A Hawaiian setting with palm trees, gardens of flowers, and tropical foliage has been selected as the theme.

### AARP discusses travel

Forty-four members and guests attended the regular monthly meeting of American Association of Retired Persons April 12 in the Good Shepherd Lutheran church fellowship hall.

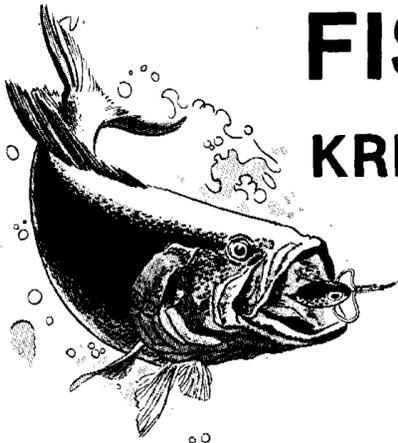
Blood pressure readings were taken by volunteer nurse Irene Freeman.

A trip to the "Amish Country" was discussed, also Senior Citizens Day in Lansing May 15.

Lillian Dunlap showed slides of her trip to Hawaii.

Norene Partridge, Marion McCloy, Mildred Herr, Marie Roch, Donna Wernette and Ralph Sousa will attend the AARP Workshop April 30 in Davison.

The May 10 meeting will be in the fellowship hall with Mary Kritzman, Beryl Beardsley, Marie Roch and Lilah Wilhelm in charge of arrangements.

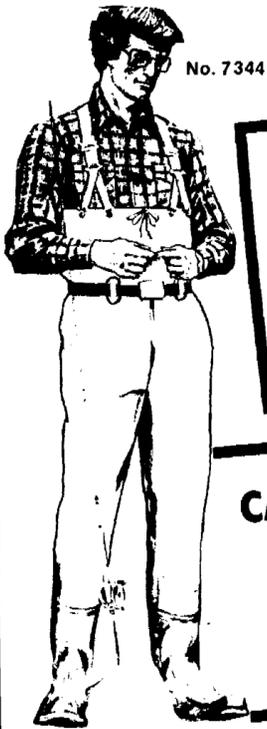


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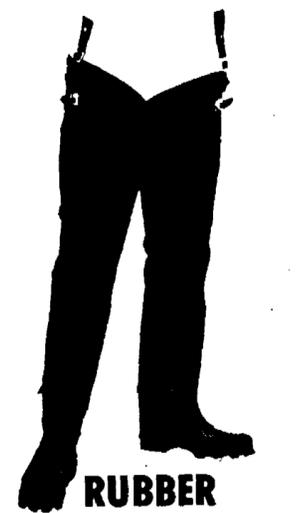
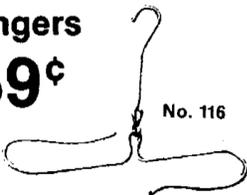
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John Deere 3020 diesel w/18.4x34 duals w/hubs  
New Holland S14 hydrostatic 48" cut riding lawn mower

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John Deere F145 5-16" trip bottom plow, 3-point hook up  
New Holland 890 2 row chopper w/hay head and 2 row corn head, electric controls, 1000 PTO, 2 years old  
New Holland No. 479 haybine  
Hayliner No. 270 baler w/New Holland bale thrower  
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2 beater self unloading wagon on Kasten heavy duty running gear w/ 8 ply tires  
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# Dance on Saturday

The YMCA Thumb Singles Club of Sandusky will hold a dance Saturday evening at Sandusky High School. Music will be provided by Danny Ewald and the Music

Makers. It will be guest night and married couples are invited. Anyone over 25, single, widowed or divorced can join the club.

# Holbrook Area News

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Judy Tyrrell and a friend from East Lansing attended the Ubyl FFF Booster spring Polka dance at Colony House Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hunt and daughters.

Mrs. Shirley Parks and family of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson and daughters of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Art Janowiak of Ubyl, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson attended a dinner for Connie Robinson, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson and family in Cass City, to honor her First Holy Communion.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family and Leslie Hewitt Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tschirhart and Leona Tschirhart of Ruth, Mrs. Jack Gleason of Minden City and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Saturday sup-

per guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sweeney and family in honor of Eric Sweeney's fifth birthday.

Ted Peplinski came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson last week after spending the winter in Tampa, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Buchanan of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker and family of Cass City were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Don Becker.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Fox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fox, Stormy and Rebecca of Johannesburg, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hoffman, Mrs. Howard Wills, Mrs. Barbara Thorley and Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson and daughters of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Robinson and Tracy and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor attended a card party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson. High prizes were won by Barbara Thorley and Larry Robinson; low prizes by Mrs. John Pfaff and Kevin O'Connor. A potluck lunch was served.

Mrs. Melvin Particka, Mrs. Felix Particka and Mrs. Jim Doerr were Tuesday afternoon guests and Mrs. Hiram Keyser was a Wednesday afternoon guest of Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mick Peter and Gary Bernard and daughter Sandy and son Timmy of Coleman were Wednesday overnight guests of Mrs. George Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family.

Elgin Wills of Bad Axe visited Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David Friday.

Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Presbyterian

women's association meeting at the First Presbyterian church in Ubyl Wednesday evening. A film on Fragile, Handle with Care, on the Year of the Child was shown.

Mrs. Frank Felton of Shabbona was a Thursday afternoon guest and Mrs. Raymond Wallace was a Friday guest of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hammerle and daughter of Ubyl were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk.

Mrs. Russ Schneeberger of Cass City was a Saturday afternoon guest of Mrs. Jim Doerr.

Mrs. Mary Vatter and Mrs. Nelin Richardson were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson and Friday afternoon guests of Mrs. Willis Brown and Mrs. Emma Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deachin, Debbie, Todd and Laura were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart.

Vernita Flannery and Donnie were Wednesday guests of Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Sister Elaine Garety of Detroit and Caroline Garety of Cass City were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

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

Melvin Peter was a Thursday forenoon guest of Mrs. George Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Persells of Rochester were Saturday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Deneen were Thursday afternoon and supper guests of Sara and Clayton Campbell and Harry Edwards. Ira Robin-

son was an afternoon guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Sr. and family of Pontiac were week-end guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol.

Mrs. Jack Tyrrell spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Milo Herman at Montrose.

Jack Ross of Ubyl was a Thursday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Bernard Shagena of Sebewaing and Henry Jackson were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

### BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Jim Doerr attended a bridal shower for Chris Strozewski at the K of C hall in Bad Axe Sunday afternoon. A buffet lunch was served.

Miss Strozewski will become the bride of Larry Osantowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Osantowski, June 9.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Emma Decker in Cass City. Afternoon guests were Willis Brown, Mrs. Charles Bond, Mrs. Nelin Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Richardson and Brenda.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bolsby of Carsonville were Saturday evening guests of Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Sieradzki of Deford were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas and family.

Mrs. Jim Doerr and Mrs. Curtis Cleland attended the Shabbona RLDS women's department meeting at the church annex. Guests were the Bad Axe and Owendale RLDS women's departments. June Cherniawski demonstrated floral arrangements. A lunch was served.

Mrs. Floyd Morell and Mrs. George Jackson went to the Ubyl Heights Country Club where they saw Danny Davis and The Nashville Brass.

### FARM BUREAU

The Shabbona Farm Bureau group met Thursday

**Hairdressers learn new retro style**

Thumb Hairdressers Affiliate No. 25 held a business meeting recently.

Guest artist was Jan Wietfeldt of Saginaw. She showed the new retro look of shortest, short, and mid-length hair styles. Slides were shown, then all the cosmetologists worked on one another to learn the new style.

All licensed cosmetologists are welcome to join the National Hair and Cosmetologist Association. Contact Helen's Beauty Shop in Cass City.

**State milk output up in March**

Michigan dairy farmers produced 412,000,000 pounds of milk in March, 2 percent greater than a year earlier, according to the Michigan Agricultural Reporting Service.

Production per cow was 1,935 pounds, 2 percent greater than 1978. This increase in productivity more than offsets a slight decline in cow numbers to 398,000 head, 2,000 less than last year.

Cow numbers have had a downward trend since December when there were 408,000 head in the state. This reflects a general decline over the years in cow numbers. High cull cow prices of recent months have been an added incentive for farmers to trim their herds.

Contributing to increased output per cow was a higher rate of grain and concentrates fed to milk cows. A 7 percent increase over a year ago brought grain and concentrate fed daily to 15.1 pounds.

Compared with February 1978, dairy products manufacturers in the state produced less American cheese and butter while ice cream output remained the same. American cheese at 1.6 million pounds and butter at 2.6 million pounds were down 1 percent and 7 percent, respectively. Ice cream output was 2.6 million gallons.

evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

The discussion on nitrate problems on foods was led by Lynn Spencer.

The next meeting will be May 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brown.

A potluck lunch was served.

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Monica Babbs of Pontiac spent three days with Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards. Mrs. Monty Babbs of Pontiac came Wednesday and Monica returned home with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Wright were Friday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Jack Tyrrell spent Thursday and Friday with Lawrence Tyrrell at Morrice.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracey were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Margaret McEachin and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart visited Leona Tschirhart at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Wednesday.

Mrs. Bob Damm and daughters of Pigeon were Wednesday guests of Mrs. Charles Bond and Susan.

Gertie Franzel was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Tom Gibbard. Mrs. Ed Gerber of Marlette was an afternoon guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murray.

Mrs. Curtis Cleland was a Thursday lunch guest of Mrs. Jim Hewitt.

Roger Kincaid was a Thursday evening guest of Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey visited Mr. and Mrs. Terry Johnson and family at Rochester and also Carrie Gracey at the Avondale nursing home in Rochester Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyrrell attended the open house at St. Andrew's hall honoring Father Kilar for the 14 months he was at St. Columbkille Catholic church at Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland and family of Pontiac, Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol visited Anne Felton at Cass City Saturday.

Mrs. Al Hammerle and Danielle of Ubyl were Monday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mrs. Truman Maxwell of Bloomfield Hills and Mr. Leone Doerr were Monday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Muril Shagena and Mary of Cass City were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

### EUCHRE CLUB

The Euchre club met Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker.

High prizes were won by Mrs. Cliff Jackson an Arnold Lapeer; low prize by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Copeland.

The next party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer May 19.

A potluck lunch was served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weind were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart.

Mrs. Joe Dybilas and Paul were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Puszykowski in Bay City.

Allen Buynak of Clarkston was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Leary and family.



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# Cass City Bowling Leagues

## TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES Final Standings April 17, 1979

Over-the-hill-gang	34
Wickes Ag.	32
Sherwood-on-the-Hill	28
BBB	25½
Sunshine	24½
Bowling Grannies	21½
Chappel's Men's Shop	21½
C & C Lumber	20
Team No. 8	20
Mother's Girls	16
J & J Service	13
Charmont Girls	8

High Individual Series: D. Wischmeyer 495.  
High Individual Game: B. Langenburg 202.  
High Team Series: Wickes Ag. 1894.  
High Team Game: Wickes Ag. 650.  
200 Games: B. Langenburg 202, P. Johnson 200.

## THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE April 19, 1979

Colonial Inn	41
Bowlettes	37
Gutter Dusters	33½
Pin Pickers	33
Crestwood Lounge	32
Sugars & Spice	31
Central Builders	28½
Pilots & 1	27½
Charlie's Angels	26½
Troublemakers	25½
Bankettes	25½
Kappen's Saw. Sweet.	19

High Individual Series: S. Reynolds 563.  
High Individual Game: S. Reynolds 209.  
High Team Series: Sugars & Spice 1768.  
High Team Game: Colonial Inn 599.

## FRIDAY MIXED LEAGUE April 20, 1979

Inlaws	46½
Misfits	42
Holloway Fire	40½
Mixers	38
P.M.	37
I Don't Know	36½
A.M.	33½
Alley Bombers	32
The Pits	32
Sandbaggers	28
Ten Pins	24
Hopeless	18

Men's High Series: B. Heard 538.  
Ladies' High Series: D. Fobear 498.  
Men's High Game: M. Particka 219.  
Ladies' High Game: D. Fobear 179.  
High Team Series: Holloway Fire 1852.

High Team Game: Holloway Fire 662.  
200 Games: M. Particka 219, B. Heard 203.  
Men's 500 or Better: B. Heard 538, B. McPhail 521, M. Particka 507, R. Koch 507, L. Taylor 506, S. Fobear 501.

## CITY LEAGUE April 23, 1979

Cass City Lanes	18½
Woods Hay & Straw	18
Eyans Products	14½
Missionary Church	14
Whittaker's Saw Mill	14
Dale's Eaves Troughing	12½
Mac & Leo Service	12
Wesley's	8

High Team Series: Cass City Lanes 2436.  
High Team Game: Wesley's 853.  
High Individual Series: L. Taylor 520, L. Hartwick 515, R. Schweikart 515, T. Furness 512, B. Heard 512.  
High Individual Game: R. Schweikart 206, T. Furness 204.

## SUNDAY NO ROLLERS B April 22, 1979

Rescuers	22
Verps	20
Francis Builders	16
Turkey Hopefuls	16
Hell's Bells	16
Ful Pak	16
Avengers	14
Brand XX	12
Gutter Kings	12
Ha Ha's	12
Timberwolves	11
Alley Oops	4

Men's High Series: L. Summers 573.  
Ladies' High Series: J. Lapp 536.  
Men's High Game: D. Hoard 215.  
Ladies' High Game: J. Lapp 189.  
High Team Series: Francis Builders 1779.  
High Team Game: Gutter Kings 630.

## SUNDAY NO ROLLERS A April 22, 1979

Cellar Dwellers	19
Spinners	19
Stags & Drags	17
Nite Owls	16
Bowldozers	16
Money Changers	16
BGs	15
Lovers	14
Hi Los	12
SOS	11
RCs	11
Turkey Trots	4

Men's High Series: J. Bills 581.  
Ladies' High Series: S. Reynolds 587.  
Men's High Game: J. Bills 244.  
Ladies' High Game: S. Reynolds 202.  
High Team Series: Lucky Strikes 715.  
High Team Game: Lucky Strikes 1886.  
Men's 200 Games: J. Bills 244, R. Colling 222, E. Bilicki 209, C. Kolb 203, R. Bouck 209.

Men's High Series: J. Maharg 556.  
Ladies' High Series: M. Romig 484.  
Men's High Game: J. Maharg 216.  
Ladies' High Game: M. Romig 180.  
High Team Series: Nite Owls 1725.  
High Team Game: BGs 624.

## HOLY ROLLERS April 15, 1979

Pin Tippers	21
Auctioneers	21
Rolling Pins	19
Diamond A's	17
Gutter Aces	15
Bar-Flies	13½
Irish Rovers	13
Sand Baggers	12
Pin Pickers	11
Kardee's Flyers	9
Pin Getters	8½
Pin Crushers	8

High Team Series: Rolling Pins 1847.  
High Men's Series: D. Joos 574, A. Asher 551, G. Lapp 535, G. Diebel 529, J. Smithson 521, M. McCarty 512.  
High Women's Series: J. Asher 499, J. Lapp 470.  
High Team Game: Pin Tippers 691.  
High Men's Game: G. Lapp 223, D. Joos 221, E. Francis 213, A. Asher 203-195, J. Smithson 203, M. Irner 199.  
High Women's Game: J. Asher 207.

## GUYS & GALS April 17, 1979

Lucky Strikes	32
Kens & Kerbs	28
D & D Construction	28
Muldoos	25
Comnets	23
Brand X	23
Udder Guys	22
Kingston Klowns	20
Double Deckers	20
Mike's Heating	19
Sand Baggers	12
Wild Rollers	12

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Men's 500 or Better: K. Maharg 549, J. Bills 581, R. Colling 524, R. Bouck 501, E. Bilicki 501, C. Kolb 553.

## KINGS & QUEENS End of Fourth Quarter April 19, 1979

Pin Jammers	22
Rescue Squad	21
T-B's	19
Old Folks	15
Forty Niners	14
Rebels	14
Odd Couples	13
Ron's Auto.	10

High Team Series: T-B's 1764.  
High Team Game: Pin Jammers 680.  
High Men's Series: G. Galloway 513.  
High Men's Game: B. Beyer 190.  
High Women's Series: S. Cummins 538.  
High Women's Game: S. Cummins 202.

## SUNDAY NITE MIXED April 22, 1979

Sandbaggers	18
Mix-Ups	17
Fearless Four	14
Double Deuces	12
Gutter Cleaners	11
Odd Couples	10
Generation Gap	8
Tumblers	6

Men's High Series: T. Furness 571.  
Men's High Games: T. Furness 234.  
Ladies' High Series: J. Deering 509.  
Ladies' High Games: J. Deering 181.

## MERCHANETTE April 19, 1979

Olympia	32
Bliss Milk Hauling	26½
Kritzman's	26
Walbro	25
Tuckey Block	25
Big "D"	25
Damm's Wheel Horse	22
Cole Carbide	18
Albee Hardware	18
Herron Builders	17½
Wilson Ins.	15
Anrod Screen Cyl.	14

High Team Series: Kritzman's 2440.  
High Team Game: Kritzman's 888.  
High Individual Game: J. Lapp 199.  
500 Series: J. Lapp 556, P. McIntosh 537, J. Morell 512, B. Deering 507.

## MERCHANT'S "A" LEAGUE Final Standings April 18, 1979

Cass City Oil & Gas	28½
New England Life	28
Kritzman's	26
Croft-Clara Lumber	24
Blount Agriculture	23
Fuelgas	22½
Ouvry Chevy-Olds	22½
Charlie's Market	22½
Warren Electric	19
Eria's Food Center	18
Kingston State Bank	18
Charmont	13

210 Games: J. Fox 227, J. Storm 226, D. Wallace 223, L. Summers 220, C. Muntz 219, P. Smith 218, G. Deering 213, J. Gallagher 211, G. Thompson 211, F. Ruggles 210.  
500 or Better: J. Smithson 589, L. Summers 587, J. Gallagher 568, J. Storm 568, D. Wallace 568, D. Vatter 563, L. Wenzlaff 559, G. Thompson 557, G. Deering 556, J. Fox 555, D. Erla 554, L. Taylor 553.  
Team High Series: Kingston State Bank 2948.  
Team High Game: New England Life 1062.  
Individual High Series: E. Lewicki 668.  
Individual High Game: F. Schott 256.  
Individual High Average: M. Helwig 182.

High Individual Game: R. Geiger, D. Miller 224.  
High Individual Series: K. Gremel 619.  
High Team Series: Spring Crest 2855.  
High Team Game: Spring Crest 979.  
500 Series: J. McIntosh 616, B. Bader 560, L. Summers 576, T. Wissner 562, K. Gremel 619, R. Metcalf 571, D. Shannon 571, D. Miller 581, J. Merchant 554.  
200 Games: C. Kelly 208, J. McIntosh 212-222, L. Summers 216, D. Englehart 201, Don Englehart 204, J. Warack 205, T. Wissner 201-202, K. Gremel 211-216, R. Metcalf 211-210, D. Shannon 214, M. Helwig 221, L. Tomaszewski 217, G. Thompson 217, R. Geiger 224, D. Miller 224-208.

## MERCHANT'S "B" LEAGUE Final Standings April 18, 1979

Rabideau Motors	34½
Croft-Clara Lumber	29½
Copeland Builders	27
Charmont	24½
Tuckey Concrete	23
Bauer Candy Co.	22½
Colony House	22
Shag's Angels	20
Herron's	17
Gagetown Oil & Gas	16
Clare's Sunoco	16
General Cable	12

210 Games: E. Schulz 243-222, M. Sontag 223, C. Comment 219, C. Guinther 211, J. Guinther 210.  
500 or Better: E. Schulz 670, C. Guinther 596, J. Guinther 586, M. Sontag 559.

C. Comment 552.  
Winner Round No. 1 - Clare's Sunoco.  
Winner Round No. 2 - Colony House.  
High Individual Series: E. Schulz 670.  
High Individual Game: C. Comment 265.  
High Team Series: Croft-Clara Lumber 2986.  
High Team Game: Colony House 1060.  
High Average: G. Diebel 177.

## TUSCOLA GET TO GETHERS "A" April 16, 1979

Lawrence Ins.	28
Spring Crest Draperies	28
Hillaker's Auct. Serv.	23½
Halls Trim Shop	23
WIDL Radio	22½
Ouvry Chevy-Olds	22
Cole Carbide	20½
Harris-Hamp Ins.	18½
Croft-Clara Lumber	17
Sommers' Bakery	16
Pabst	13
Bartnik's Sales & Parts	8

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Kingston Krome	27
Fagan's	26
Rogers Hay	26
Kilbourn Tech. Sup.	25
Farm Bureau	25
Thunder Road Speed.	21
Bliss Milk Haulers	20
Kingston State Bank	18
Colwood Bar	13½
Gemini Dance Band	13
Blount Agri.	12½
Ami's Texaco	9
* Incomplete.	

High Individual Game: R. Pierce 237.  
High Individual Series: J. Doerr 573.  
High Team Series: Colwood Bar 2803.  
High Team Game: Fagan's 976.  
500 Series: J. Doerr 573.  
200 Games: R. Pierce 237, R. Rabideau 200, S. Orban 208.

## CHARMONT LADIES April 17, 1979

Brinkman Bins	30
Live-Wires	28
Port's	24
Veronica's	23
Erla's	22½
Cabelettes	22
Texaco	22
Cass City Sports	21
Ber-Wa-Ga-Na	18½
IGA Foodliner	18
Johnson's	18
Woods Research	17

Team High Series: Johnson's 2291.  
Team High Game: Woods Research 825.  
High Series: P. McIntosh 573, R. Speirs 534, N. Anderson 500.  
High Games: J. Doerr 215, P. McIntosh 209, R. Speirs 201, N. Anderson 212.

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# Shabbona Area News

Marie Meredith  
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## Ryan named salesman in California

Fred Ryan has been named safety products sales specialist at Cadillac Plastic and Chemical Company's Anaheim, Calif., branch. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ryan of Cass City. Cadillac Plastic is a leading U.S. distributor of industrial safety products and graphics materials, as well as the world's largest manufacturer-distributor of plastic sheet, rod, tube and film. Ryan graduated from Ferris State College in Big Rapids with a B.S. degree in marketing and sales, then worked for Cadillac Plastic in the safety products field for more than three years in Flint.

He now lives in Orange County, Calif. Cadillac Plastic, a major division of Dayco Corporation, is a multi-national company with 95 sales-service centers in the U.S., Canada, Puerto Rico, Brazil, West Germany, Italy, France, Australia, New Zealand and Japan.

## New books at the library

**DRESSING RIGHT: A GUIDE FOR MEN**, by Charles F. X. (non-fiction). His offers sound -- and fun -- advice on clothing for men. He plays down fashion trends, emphasizing style consciousness partnered with a sense of appropriateness, one's own body shape and the time and place the clothes are being worn. Brightly illustrated, his how-to is heads above other dressing guides in relevance to ordinary life-styles.

**107 3/4 ELEPHANT JOKES**, by Jack Stokes (children). Why do elephants lie on their backs with their feet in the air? So they can trip birds. Why do elephants wear pink tennis shoes? Because white ones get dirty too fast. There are 105 3/4 more of these wacky and wild riddles about elephants and their jungle friends. Jack Stokes combines them with wonderful drawings of elephants doing all of the things you'd expect elephants to do... like climbing trees, tripping birds, putting on tennis shoes, ice-skating and many other pachyderm-related activities.

**GOD SQUAD**, by Walter Wagner (non-fiction). Today a growing number of priests, ministers, and rabbis are volunteering to join police officers in patrolling our cities -- fighting crime with faith and courage instead of a gun. "God squad" is the compelling story of 27 men and women who ride with the Detroit Police Department, battling every type of crime. Chaplains extend their counsel to criminals, victims, and their families -- even to the officers themselves, whose lives are often deeply and dramatically affected by the incredible pressures of police work.

Tuesday afternoon, a committee meeting was held for a class reunion of former graduates of Sandusky High School at the home of Miss Grace Wheeler. Present were Mrs. Doris Hood, Mrs. Norma Pringle, Mrs. Ethel Devitt, Mrs. Lavina Reihl, all of Sandusky, Mrs. Violet Price of Snover, Mrs. Nellie Vrooman of Caro, Mrs. Helen Bullock of Mayville and Mrs. Avis Youngs of Cass City. The reunion will be June 16 with dinner at noon at Sandusky High School. Mrs. Dale Leslie and daughters, Ann and Mrs. Bob Moore, attended a bridal shower Sunday afternoon for Miss Deloris Peters, held at the Freiburg Catholic church.

Andy Hoagg and Kathleen Day of Tecumseh spent Saturday with the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buerkle Jr. Other guests were Raymond Buerkle Sr. and son Thom and daughter Mary Ann and friend Kevin. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Van Norman were Wednesday callers of Mrs. Thelma Ward and Caroline of Flint. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Merle Waun of Birch Run. Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hyatt and sons, Tom and Dennis, were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. George McKee and family of Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wheeler attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Meyers' daughter at Grand Haven Saturday. Mrs. Meyers is a cousin of Mrs. Wheeler. They spent Saturday overnight and Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. DeWayne Kyser of Shepherd.

Mrs. Robert Smiley and daughter Roberta of Pontiac were Wednesday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Tibbits of Detroit spent the week end with Mrs. Frances

Krause and Anna. Rodney and Jeff returned home after spending a week here. Paul Palmer of Sandusky spent a couple of days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and family.

### BUNCO

The Bunco Group met Saturday evening, April 21, with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brown.

High was won by Robert Wheeler, low by Mrs. Clair Auslander and the door prize by Grant Brown.

The next meeting is May 5 with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler.

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Kevin Rich of Deckerville spent Wednesday and Thursday visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Frank Pelton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming and family attended a retirement dinner Sunday for Leslie Fleming at their home in Detroit.

Mrs. Janice McIntosh and family, John Mika and Harley Dorman of Caro were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mrs. Robert Smiley of Pontiac was a Wednesday evening caller of Mrs. Frank Pelton.

Missy Franzel was a week-end guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Frances Krause. Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Krause were Mrs. Paul Mezo and Paulie of Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Rose at Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman visited Mrs. Maude Houghton of Snover Saturday and also Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billot.

Miss Marie Meredith visited Mrs. Ann Snelson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dorman and family and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and family.

The Hilltoppers of the RLDS church will leave from church Sunday, April 29, for brunch at Uby

Heights. The Pioneer Group will have dinner at Uby Heights Thursday, April 26, at noon.

### WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT

The RLDS Women's Group met Thursday evening, April 19, at the annex. Women of the Owendale and Bad Axe branches were guests.

Greetings were extended by Mrs. Dean Smith, assistant women's leader. Mrs. Alex Cherniawski demonstrated making flower arrangements.

Lunch was served. The next meeting will be May 17 with Mrs. Voyle Dorman. Mrs. Don Smith is co-hostess.

Roll call will be a Mother's Day poem or reading. Worship is in charge of Mrs. George Krause. Friendly visitors are Mrs. Curtis Cleland and Mrs. Jim Doerr.

### HEALTH TIPS

#### Mental attitude affects driving

By Frank Chappell,  
American Medical Association

Are you fit to drive? Before you automatically reply "Of course," take stock of your mental attitude and physical condition. You may be unsafe behind the wheel, both to yourself and to others on the road.

You may think you are in good health. You may have an excellent safety record. Yet, under certain circumstances, it can be dangerous for you to be in the driver's seat.

The American Medical Association says the emotional stability of the driver is as important as any single factor in maintaining traffic safety.

That's why you owe it to others -- and to yourself -- not to drive when you have serious problems on your mind. If you're thinking about that argument you had before you left home or office; if you're in a depressed or angry "I don't care what happens" mood; if you're very worried about a personal problem, you're better off not driving.

The sleepy driver causes many accidents. In fact, a sleepy driver is as much of a hazard as a drinking one. Dozing at the wheel can occur in broad daylight as well as at night. When making long trips, rest every two hours and drink coffee or cola to stay alert.

Many medicines, not just a few, can affect the way in which you handle the wheel. Certain commonly used drugs such as antihistamines, cold tablets and mild sedatives may dull your reflexes or impair your coordination. Stimulants can make you nervous. Tranquilizing drugs can cloud your judgment and interfere with driving skills. Consult your doctor about the side effects of any drugs you take.

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# Pilot program is renewable

# Okay \$400,000 for water control

State agricultural leaders met Monday in Caro, to assure the success of a \$400,000 agricultural water pollution control project in portions of Huron and Tuscola counties.

Purpose of the meeting was to coordinate and develop the activities of all groups within the project area, according to State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) Executive Director Richard Grabemeyer.

The grant, one of two receiving the highest level of federal funding in the U.S., was awarded to the ASCS in Huron and Tuscola.

Dale Raven, East Central Michigan Planning and Development Region water quality planner, was responsible for writing and coordinating the grant application which led to the \$400,000 federal grant being announced by Congressman Bob Traxler's office April 11.

According to Raven, grant funds will be used to financially assist farmers within the project area in implementing conservation practices aimed at reducing agricultural pollution flowing into Saginaw Bay.

The distribution of funds to farmers will come in the form of cost shares distributed through Huron and Tuscola county's ASCS offices.

The grant money will pay 80-90 percent of the total cost

of the individual projects, according to Tuscola County ASCS Executive Director Virgil Bouck, with the farmer paying the rest.

Practices for which the cost-sharing funds will be available include vegetative cover, sediment retention and water control structures, windbreaks, conservation tillage practices, sod waterways, wildlife habitat and animal waste control structures.

Applications are now be-

ing taken at the ASCS offices in Caro and Bad Axe.

Monitoring of the success of the program, considered a pilot project, will be done by various agencies, such as the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, ASCS, East Central planning region and Cooperative Extension Service.

Assuming the program is successful, Bouck said, indications are that funding will be continued for four more years, hopefully for at least \$400,000 annually.

Future funding, however, will depend on the recommendation of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and appropriation of the money by Congress.

Along with U.S. Congressional representatives, Monday's meeting included presentations by Michigan ASCS Committee Chairman Vernon Kretzschmer, Grabemeyer, Soil Conservation Service State Conservationist Arthur Cratty, state Cooperative Extension Serv-

ice Director Dr. Gordon Guyer and Farmers Home Administration State Director Robert Mitchell.

Other speakers included U.S. Forest Service Regional Management Specialist Paul Flink, Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Water Quality Division Assistant Chief William Bradford and Raven.

Presentations focused on the background and intent of the Saginaw Bay Agricultural Water Pollution Control project, the Washington viewpoint and how state-directed federal agencies can help to implement the project.

Joint Canadian and U.S. water quality studies made since 1922 noted that Saginaw Bay's shallow inner bay ranks as one of the most polluted bodies of water in the Great Lakes bordering the two countries.

The studies cited high levels of phosphate nutrients, excessive algae con-

centrations and low levels of zooplankton normally found in clean water.

The grant application stated that "siltation and nutrient enrichment has degraded much of the natural habitat which once supported the resident and migratory water fowl which frequent these coastal areas. Once a productive spawning ground which helped to support the wall-eye populations of Saginaw Bay, these habitats have also been degraded to the point where they are incapable of being used by these species."

According to Raven, grant funds will be used to financially assist farmers in implementing conservation practices such as wind breaks and ditch bank grading and seeding throughout the approximately 243,000 acre project area.

These are just a few examples of conservation practices that local ASCS

offices will suggest to farmers. According to Raven, there are many more practices that can be adopted.

The grant received the highest level of federal funding along with a similar grant awarded in Tennessee. Only 21 grants of this type were funded nationally.

Raven said that without the efforts and support of Congressman Traxler, the director for District 9 of the Michigan United Conservation Clubs, DNR and the Soil Conservation Districts, Boards of Commissioners Cooperative Extension Service, and ASCS directors and committees in the two counties, the grant would not have been made.

The 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. meeting was held at the Capri Restaurant.

**PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF THE EXISTENCE OF A PSRO DATA SYSTEM**

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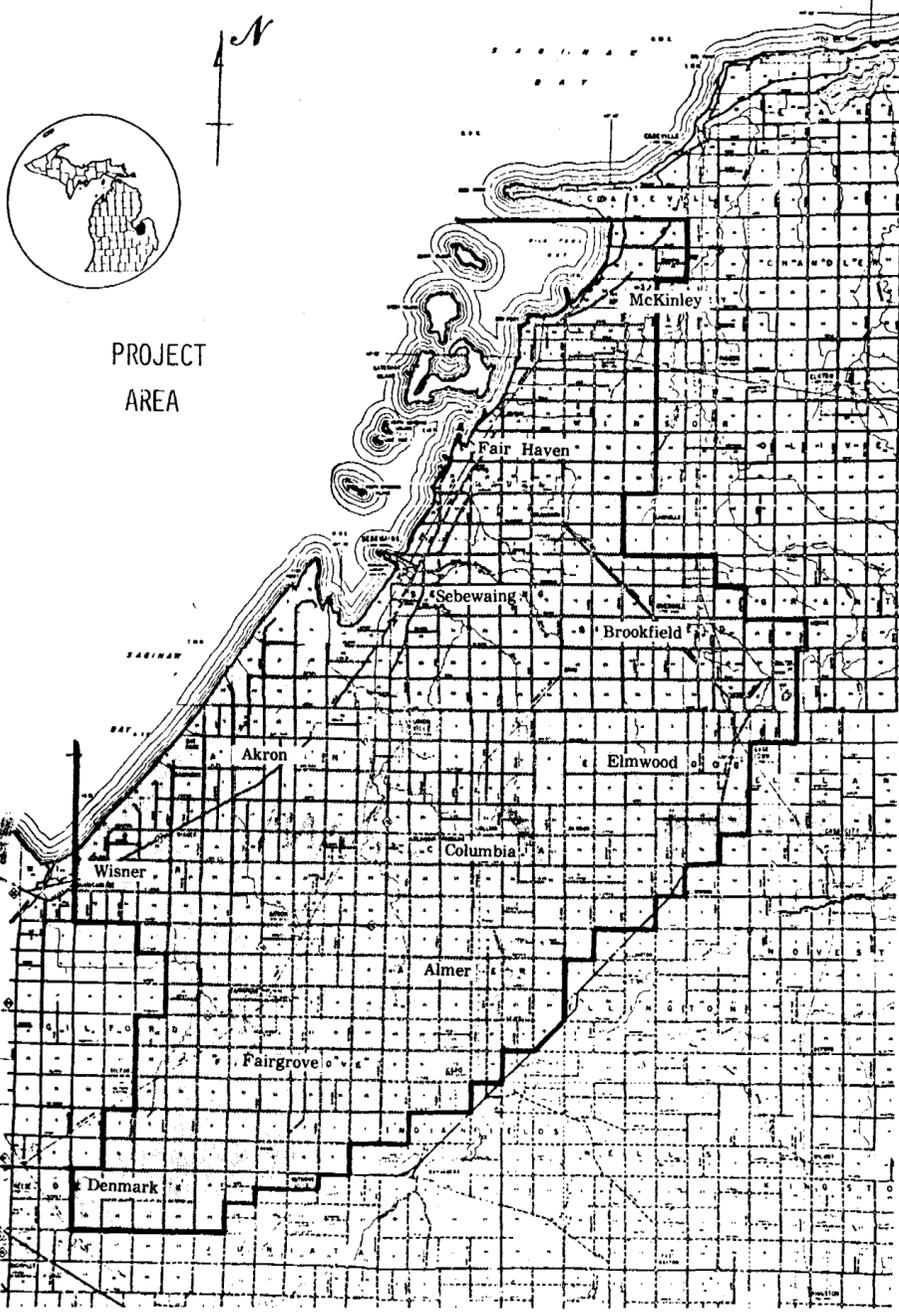
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Additional information about the data system and the confidentiality policy and procedures may be obtained by contacting the individual indicated below.

Director, Data Collection and Analysis, Area IV Professional Standards Review, Organization of Michigan, Suite 204, 7628 Gratiot Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan 48603 Telephone (517) 781-4570.



# Tell Kingston honor roll pupils

Following is the first marking period, second semester, honor roll at Kingston High School. A + denotes all A's; otherwise, B or better.

### SEVENTH GRADE

Jill Benedict, Michael Byers, Belinda Eldridge, Lynne Gilmore, Lynda Lis, Christopher Martin, Julie Moshier, Keith Richter, Christine Rosinski, Tim Ruggles, Cathleen Szostak +.

### EIGHTH GRADE

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### NINTH GRADE

Martha King +, Marvin Wolak +, Scott Anger, Jack Barden, Jill Barden, Mark Davis, Douglas Flis, Kenton Kelly, Rich McNinch, Dawn Reehl, Vicki Smith, Tony Sylvester.

### TENTH GRADE

Beth Ann Childs +, Robert Hackel +, Rodney Rushlow +, Karen Sims +, Sherri Bastian, Sherry Dereszynski, Jason Koehler, Ron Lewicki, Joan Magiera, Lisa Mathews, Roberta Miller, Bill Miracle, Becky Pierce, Lori Parker, Sherry Prusinski, Doug Peter, Julie Parker, Kim Ruggles, Sue Sanders, Jaime Silvermail, Sue Socha, Karen Standcliff, Ken Trisch, Ron Wolak.

### ELEVENTH GRADE

Beth Britton +, Sally Engler +, Marie Lalko +, James Ahern, Karen Banowski, Laura Cherniawski, Roy McAlpine, Pam McLemore, Scott Nemeth, Kathy Dereszynski, Sue Dibble, Danny Duncan, April Finlayson, Kelli Gilmore, Bradley Hauxwell, Debbie Johnston, Lori King, Chris Lockhart, Tim Maeder, Tina Neu, Ariene Pierce, Stacy Pruet, Donna Smith, Lori Stewart, Shelly Stoll, Lisa Lyons, Sherri Thorp, Darlene Trisch.

### TWELFTH GRADE

All A's: Cindy Childs, Jenny Crittenden, Robert Hunter, Paul Mileski,

Michelle Miller, Denise Mock, Lisa Rushlow, Peggy Ricketts, Harold Spear.

B or Better: Tom Barrons, Charity Carolan, Wade Cavery, Sandra D'Addezio, Carrie Denhoff, John Kasdorf, John Kopko, Debbie Legg, Tom Lewicki, Vicky Lockhart, Steve Martin, Mary McNinch, Dennis Morrell, David Nicol, Roxann Powell, Marsha Poré, Brad Parker, Kathy Rahn, Laurie Savicke, Frances Savicke, Mary Walkiewicz, Barbara Wolak.

# 'Satisfaction' auditions set May 10-11

Delta-Thumb Youth for Christ will be holding auditions May 10-11 for its singing group, "Satisfaction."

Eighteen high school youngsters from the area belong to the group, which performs at churches, civic clubs, hospitals and special events.

The current "Satisfaction" has had more than 60 bookings. Each year, a new group is formed.

For information on the auditions, write Delta-Thumb Youth for Christ, 2861 G.T. Wolfe Avenue, Marlette 48453.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Area IV Professional Standards Review Organization of Michigan will assume responsibility on May 28, 1979 for review of health care services and items provided in Hills and Dale General Hospital, located in the city of Cass City to persons eligible to receive benefits which may be paid for under the Medicare, Medicaid and Child Health and Crippled Children's Programs.

The area IV Professional Standards Review Organization of Michigan will assume full review responsibility pursuant to and agreement with the Secretary of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare and the Requirements of Title XI, Part B, of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1320 C ET SEQ) and Regulations and Guidelines thereunder.

The formal plan and timetable approved by the Secretary for Assumption of Review responsibilities by the area IV professional standards review organization are available for public inspection between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday at 7628 Gratiot Avenue - Suite 204, Saginaw, Michigan 48603. Questions may be addressed in writing to:

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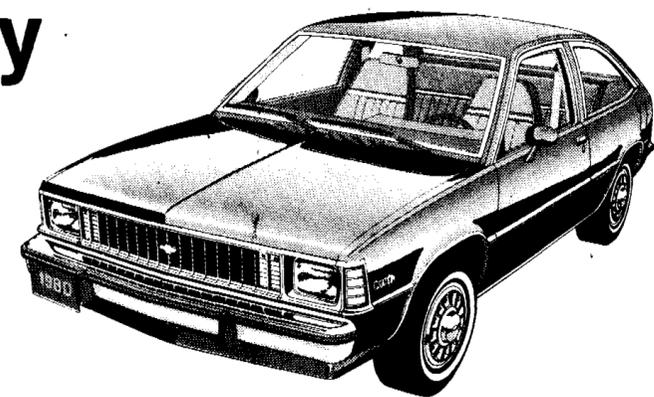
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**HELPING HAND** -- Members of Karen Fischer's 4th-6th grade Sunday school class at the Cass City First Presbyterian church spent Monday and part of Tuesday last week raking leaves and washing windows for senior citizen members of the church as a practical example of their lesson on helping others. They may resume the service this summer on a regular basis for church members in need.

## \$471 million valuation gets county board okay

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners Tuesday approved the 1979 county equalization report.

The report shows a total county state equalized valuation of \$471.782 million, compared to \$411.248 million in 1978.

The report will now go to the state.

Approval came after the board met with township supervisors and the county Equalization Director Donald Graf.

Commissioner Royce Russell of Elmwood township said although there was some disquiet about the report, there were no major objections.

The board spent about an hour with Sue Maxwell, president of the Protective Animal Welfare Society of Tuscola county.

There was discussion about the means of disposal of animals in the new county animal shelter to be completed shortly. The conclusion, according to Russell, was that PAWS may go

along with use of the proposed decompression chamber if properly administered, but still vehemently objects to the county paying Fred Hodgins of Howell to get rid of excess animals. He sells most of them to hospitals and medical schools for research.

Board Chairman Paul Nagy appointed a committee consisting of himself and Commissioners Ben Collon and Robert Russell to meet with Hodgins and Mrs. Maxwell to discuss the matter. The contract with Unit I of

the Fraternal Order of Police was signed. The board approved the three-year pact with the 31 deputies, license examiners, clerks, matrons, cooks and records clerk March 20.

Writing of the contract in official legal language was the cause for the delay in signing.

With some variations, the contract calls for an 8 percent pay increase the first year, which is retroactive to July 1 of last year, and 7 percent in both the second and third years.

## Grain bin damage \$3,000

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quired for any burning in rural areas except for trash being burned in a barrel.

And even when the burning is taking place in a barrel, Hartwick cautioned, it should be watched closely to guard against sparks escaping and starting a grass fire.

### GRAIN BIN

Damage was estimated at \$3,000 in the fire Friday on the Al Merchant farm, on Milligan Road, near Spence, which started about 12:30 p.m.

According to Fire Chief Jack Hartwick, some welding was being done on a bin that morning. Sparks apparently ignited grain dust in the bin leg, which smoldered for a couple of hours before igniting.

The fire was confined by firemen to the leg, with most of the estimated monetary loss because of the destruction of the rubber conveyor belt inside it, which had metal cups attached for carrying grain into the bin.

### OTHER FIRES

Firemen just got back to the station about 1:40 p.m., only to be called to the Tony Aleksink residence on Milligan, west of Spence, because of a grass fire.

Aleksink had a permit to burn grass along a ditch-bank, Hartwick said. The fire got out of hand, but Aleksink managed to get it out by the time firemen arrived.

Immediately after that, firemen went to Kelly Road, west of Cemetery, to investigate a reported fire. It turned out to be smoke from a smokestack at the cement block plant.

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## 500 summer jobs for poverty youth

There will be 500 jobs available this summer in the upper Thumb for youth from low-income families.

The Youth Employment and Training Program (YETP) will be funded with \$542,827 in federal Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) funds.

The jobs will be with government agencies and non-profit organizations and will pay the minimum wage of \$2.90 an hour. Age limitation will be 14-21, but any 14-15-year-olds hired will probably only receive "career orientation."

Applications for the summer jobs should be available from high school counselors in early May, with "those most in need" getting priority, according to consortium Executive Director Frank Lenard.

An effort will be made through the Michigan Employment Security Commission and Department of Social Services to reach school dropouts.

There was no such program last year, Lenard reminded the consortium administrative board at its meeting in Cass City last Thursday, because there weren't enough jobs available. Potential positions were filled with regular CETA workers and by some other youth programs.

With the new low wage restrictions on regular CETA-funded jobs virtually eliminating new positions, finding jobs for YETP youngsters to fill won't be a problem.

Of the total grant, \$70,776 will go for administration. The board approved a contract with the Human Development Commission in Caro to operate the summer youth program, with an advance of \$42,000 to hire staff. Three intake workers and seven job coaches will be hired for three months to screen applicants and work with those hired, with the rest of the administration being provided by present HDC staff.

THERE WAS CONTINUED discussion (from past meetings) of the \$6,635 annual wage limitation per employee for regular CETA jobs, which virtually eliminates use of the money for government jobs. Most will now be used for job training.

The board decided to try to make an appointment for a delegation to meet with U.S. Sen. Donald Riegle while he was in Michigan for Easter vacation in a "last ditch" effort to try to get the limitation changed.

The new rules went into effect April 1 but only apply to new positions. Persons employed before then continue to receive the same wage they received before, which with few exceptions is higher than \$6.635.

If they were employed prior to Sept. 30 of last year, however, their jobs end Sept. 30. Persons hired with CETA funds after that can only stay in the program a maximum of 18 months.

FOR THOSE LOSING their CETA jobs Sept. 30, it was announced, they will be able to receive job training as under new regulations, 10 percent of CETA Title II and VI jobs funds must be used for training.

Those with Title II jobs can receive training if they so choose even after their job ends. Those on Title VI must receive it while they are still employed.

Title II was considered as a job program for those economically disadvantaged even during a period of full employment. Title VI was considered a program for when the economy sours and unemployment increases.

Numerous new Title VI project requests from various governmental units were approved, but except for those programs already underway, the positions probably won't be filled because of the wage restrictions.

FOR PERSONS IN TITLE VI, their jobs could end before Sept. 30.

The federal government is withholding one-third of the funds from the rural areas of Michigan, pending submission of an acceptable equal employment opportunity plan.

The original plan, as to how the consortium and similar agencies in other areas will avoid discrimination in hiring, was rejected.

With almost two-thirds of its Title VI funds spent, Lenard said, layoffs will start soon unless the U.S. Department of Labor approves the new plan, which had to be submitted Monday

by the Michigan Bureau of Employment and Training.

Lenard said new federal hiring guidelines could affect the consortium and all other agencies administering CETA funds, as to such as the percentage of people from minority groups that must be hired.

"You're getting a pretty good picture of how the program is being crushed," he told the board.

## Vandals break door windows at farm store

Damage was estimated at \$40-50 to broken door windows at Merchant Farm Supply, 4454 Doerr Road.

Owner Al Merchant reported the vandalism to Cass City police Tuesday morning, April 17.

Broken were two windows, one 18-by-18 inches, the other, 12-by-18 inches, plus a hole was poked through the door screen.

Sophie Peters of 5032 Schwegler Road reported to Cass City police last Thursday that two wheel covers were stolen from her car while it was parked Monday, April 16, at Veronica's Restaurant, 6234 Main Street. Replacement value was \$40 each.

Cass City police recovered a stolen bicycle from an 11-year-old boy, who along with his mother said he had found it among some trees. Harlan Dickinson, 6391 Church Street, reported his daughter's bike missing Sunday. The new three-speed was valued at \$100. It was returned to him by police.

Gary O'Connor of 2255 Elmwood Road, Elmwood township, reported to deputies a radiator was taken from a pickup parked on his property. In addition, the radiator hose was cut on a dump truck and the radiator damaged in an attempt to remove it.

Total loss was estimated at \$150. O'Connor reported the loss April 10, it having occurred some time since April 5.

## Gagetown man hurt

# Nine-year-old treated after pedaling into car

A nine-year-old Cass City boy was treated and released from Hills and Dales General Hospital Sunday after he rode his bicycle into a car.

Sheriff's deputies reported that Matthew Scott Baldwin of 4601 Elmwood Road was exiting the driveway at his home, east of Cedar Run Road.

June Perlacki, 52, of Elmwood Road, told officers she was westbound and stopped when she saw the bicycle, but the boy continued on, running into the front of the car. The mishap took place at 7:15 p.m.

Mark J. Yost, 21, of 2118 E. Bay City-Forestville Road, Gagetown, was treated and released from Caro Community Hospital after an accident at 11 a.m. Friday.

Sheriff's deputies reported he was southbound on Jacob Road, south of Bay City-Forestville, when his motorcycle hit a soft spot on the gravel road. He lost control and the machine fell over.

At 12:05 a.m. Friday, according to deputies, Tamara Lynn Vatter, 16, of 6556 Pine Street, Cass City, was southbound on Dodge Road, north of Gilford Road, when she lost control of her car after hitting a depression in the gravel surface.

The car rolled over several times, landing in a ditch on the west side of the road.

One of two passengers, Phillip Hennen, 16, of Detroit, was reported to have sought treatment from a doctor.

Keith W. Pobanz, 18, of 6787 Houghton Street, Cass City, was ticketed by deputies on a charge of failure to stop within an assured clear distance ahead after a 6:30 p.m. accident Saturday.

Officers said he was northbound on Greenland Road, south of Elmwood Road, lost control when he increased speed while crossing a narrow bridge and struck the car on the north side that was waiting for him to cross.

Driver of the struck vehicle was Thomas M. Kostanko, 34, of 6909 Pringle Road, Cass City.

At 12:01 p.m. April 17, Thomas A. Reehl, 35, of 4643 State Street, Gagetown, backed into a car exiting a parking lot in that community. Driver of the other car was Irene Volz, 39, of 6598 Third Street, Gagetown.

Reehl's vision was blocked, deputies said, by the vans parked on both sides of him, thus he couldn't see the car approaching.

At 5 p.m. last Wednesday, Wayne R. Wilcox, 36, of 5855 Cemetery Road, Kingston, pulled into the Auto Haven at Washington and State Streets, Kingston, to get some gas. He turned to miss

a bicycle parked next to the building and his vehicle knocked over a gas pump. Deputies investigated.

At 1 p.m. Friday, Caro state police reported, Pat Richard, 25, of Bay City, westbound on M-81 near Wahjamega, stopped suddenly to avoid hitting the car in front, which had no brake lights and had stopped without warning.

Gary S. King, 20, Clothier Road, Deford, who was following the two vehicles, then drove off the north side of the road to avoid hitting the Richard auto.

Cass City police reported that at 5 p.m. Saturday,

Jerome Root Jr., 55, of 4942 Schwegler Road, northbound on Brooker Street, was stopped at Main, waiting for oncoming traffic to pass.

Cass City police said he decided his vehicle was protruding too far out onto Main, started to back up and backed into the truck behind him, driven by Lewis Tibbits, 36, of 6317 Houghton Street.

## Limits off

As of Monday morning, weight restrictions on roads were lifted. They had been in effect since March 7.

# 2½ mills for sewer added to tax levy

Continued from page one

ing of the zoning ordinance and if they have been vacant no more than six months.

The committee surveyed 45 downtown business owners. Of 42 who returned the survey form, 35 supported a change, three wanted the present ordinance retained and four gave no opinion.

Those responding reported they have a total of 25 apartments, of which 21 are occupied, but committee member Dorothy Stahlbaum, a downtown business owner, feels there are more than that.

The village planning consultants, Vilican, Leman and Associates, will be asked to review the situation prior to the next meeting.

Then, if the council approves allowing apartments, village attorney Clinton House will have to write a change in the ordinance. A public hearing will then be held before the council votes on it.

### OTHER BUSINESS

The on-again, off-again rebuilding of Doerr Road

from M-81 to Garfield Street and Garfield from Doerr to the railroad tracks is apparently on again. The village's application for \$180,000 in federal funds was approved by the state, only there was no money available. Now the state has received \$1 million, so the village may get a piece of the pie.

If it does, the council has to decide how to finance the \$55,000 local share, with establishment of a special assessment district being mentioned as a possibility.

Councilman Jim Ware explained there are other streets in greater need of rebuilding, but none of them qualified for the special federal program.

The parks committee recommended for now that there be no restrictions on which groups can sell refreshments from portable stands in the park, provided they have health department approval. Vendors selling for profit need a peddler's license from the village, but it was unclear from reading of the applicable ordinance whether

they can sell in the park. The Rotary Club had asked at the March meeting for permission to put a refreshment stand in the park this summer.

A resolution asking the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners to hold a public hearing was approved on the request of Thumb National Bank and Trust to have its property on the west side annexed to the village. The hearing will be at 2 p.m. May 22.

Residents will be asked via a survey form to be printed in the Chronicle, to state their views on a possible ban on open burning in residential areas.

Clean-up days will be May 9-10.

The village will buy Christmas decorations for \$3,640 from Bronner Christmas Decorations of Frankenthum.

Portions of Ale Street and Huron Drive where the pavement has broken up completely will be paved later this year when an asphalt paving contractor is in town.

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## COME AND HEAR

Prof. Manfred E. Kober, Th. D.  
*Faith Baptist Bible College*  
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Dr. Kober, associate professor of Bible and Theology at Faith Baptist College, Ankeny, Iowa, is a native of Saxony, East Germany. Born of Christian parents who perished as a result of World War II, he grew up in the war-torn province of Saxony.

Experiencing communist oppression first-hand, Dr. Kober miraculously escaped to West Germany in 1952. After staying in Bavaria for one year, he emigrated to the United States.

He graduated from Baptist Bible Seminary, in Johnson City, New York, with a Bachelor of Theology degree in 1962, and continued his theological studies at the University of Erlangen in West Germany from 1962 to 1963. During this time he visited relatives in East Germany four times. Dr. Kober attended Dallas Theological Seminary, receiving his Th. M. in 1967 and a Th. D. in 1970.

Dr. Kober returns every summer to East Germany. His brother is the pastor of the largest Biblical Church behind the Iron Curtain. He has numerous slides of his extensive travels in East Germany.

**Pastor Teall and Church Family extend a cordial invitation to the community to attend these meetings.**

# Many area residents help at Provincial House

## Volunteers important to facility

They visit the Provincial House skilled nursing facility in Cass City as often as

they can, offering their time and companionship and making people happy.

"They" are volunteers - men and women, young and old - who manage to find a

few hours every month to devote to residents at Provincial House, 4782 Hospital Drive.

During National Volunteer Week, April 22-28, Provincial House staff and residents are joining the rest of the nation in recognizing the achievements of its volunteers, some of whom have special skills to share with patients.

Maggie Cole of Cass City, for example, works with residents on craft projects held daily as part of the facility's activities program.

Others, like Earl Engelhardt of Sebewaing, entertain with their musical talents. Engelhardt, an accordion player, visits Provincial House once a month to present an afternoon musical program.

A singing group from Decker, the Dorman Sisters, also visits monthly and delights an enthusiastic audience with its vocal repertoire.

Just recently, a group of women from the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Owendale began coming to Provincial House on a weekly basis. Writing letters for residents who are unable to do so themselves, and reading to those with poor eye-

sight, the women are providing a valuable service, said Provincial House Activities Director Mary Vatter.

"Sometimes they write letters, read Scripture or just visit several patients in their rooms," Mrs. Vatter said.

"I wish I had the time to sit down with each resident individually as often as I would like to," she continued. "Some of them don't have families of their own who can visit regularly, and in those cases volunteers are needed even more."

Other church groups, ministers and Boy and Girl Scouts also volunteer their time.

Provincial House employees visit with patients and assist in any way possible those who need help, Mrs. Vatter explained; however, sometimes it's even nicer if a volunteer - someone not connected with the facility - wants to get involved.

"It shows the residents that there's somebody caring for them besides their families and the people here at Provincial House. It

shows them that somebody cared enough to stop and visit."

One of the Owendale church women, Reva Russell, said that she has been enjoying her weekly visits to Provincial House. Recently, she spent part of an afternoon with resident Louise Graves, reading to her and carrying on an animated conversation after they discovered that they had mutual friends.

Others who want to become volunteers at Provincial House should contact Mrs. Vatter at 872-2174. "Community involvement is one of the most-needed things in a nursing home," she explained.

With assistance from volunteers, special events like summer picnics, ice cream socials, shopping trips, concerts and even camping trips have been made possible in the past.

Volunteers' individual expertise is always an asset when special activities like baking, sewing, dance classes, conversation groups, birthday and holiday celebrations and sing-alongs are held.

In fact, Mrs. Vatter said,

just about any activity is more enjoyable for the residents if there are volunteers on hand. "We can always find something for volunteers to do. No matter how big or small the activity they're involved in is, it's very important to us."

(Written by Kathy Buzzelli-Gibbons, Provincial House public relations assistant.)



PROVINCIAL HOUSE resident Louise Graves enjoys a visit with Reva Russell, one of a group of volunteers from the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Owendale. (Provincial House photo)

### Coming Auctions

Saturday, April 28 - An estate auction sale will be held to settle the estate of William P. Sowden at the place located five miles east of Cass City to Hadley Road, 1 1/2 miles north, 3/4 mile east on Jackson Rd. Lorn Hilkaker, auctioneer.

Saturday, April 28 - Clarence and Dian Palach will sell farm machinery and mobile home at the place located five miles east and one and a half miles north of Uby on McDonald Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Wednesday, May 2 - Ralph Pinkerton & Son will sell farm machinery at the place located two miles north, one and a half miles west of Snover on Mushroom Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, May 5 - Mr. and Mrs. Mike Miller will sell farm machinery at the place located six miles east and four and a half miles north of Bad Axe on Verona Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, May 12 - Paul Hirschberger will sell farm machinery at the place located six miles north of Kinde to Hunter Rd., then four miles east. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, May 26 - to settle the estate of Ernest Mossner, an auction of household goods will be held at 3977 Ruppel Rd., located one block south to Port Hope Hotel, then a half of a mile west. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

## Fete helpers at party

Volunteers at Provincial House were honored at a party there Tuesday afternoon in conjunction with National Volunteer Week.

Activity Director Mary Vatter gave the welcome and resident Edith Scott read two poems. Music before the program was performed by another resident, Bea Rathbun.

Entertainment was provided by Harley Scott of Sandusky, who played accordion, piano and sang.

Pins and certificates were passed out to the volunteers, after which refreshments were served. Twenty-six volunteers were present, with four absent.

Volunteers receiving bars denoting their 500 hours of service were Clara Eberts, Mildred Herr, Ruth Esau,

Janice McIntosh, Yvonne Smith, Karen Sawdon, Sue Hoag and Hazel Whitfield.

Receiving bars for 250 hours were Neala Webb, Thelma Pratt and Jane Ryba.

Pins and bars were given to Bea Schultz, Earl Engelhardt and Maggie Cole for 100 hours of service.

Receiving certificates for 50 hours were Helen Little, Harry Russell, Elma Severn, Madeline Ziehm, Darlene Kuenzli, Reva Russell, Becky Bacon, Genieve Richards, Nancy Lawrie, Esther Brady, Priscilla Lord, Mary Lash, Clara Bond, Elsie Walters, Helen Easton, Marilyn Woodward, Maxine Peter, Marjorie Langmaid, Theresa Ertman and Noreen Partridge.

### 4-H ACTIVITIES

#### Gardening for kids

By Bernard Jardot



No child is too young to experience the pleasure of gardening. But, gardening projects should be geared to a child's age level and capabilities so there is a good chance of success.

The sowing of a few seeds or setting out some plants can give children the feeling they are helping create the family garden. The best lessons are learned by doing.

As soon as they show an interest, encourage youngsters to have a small garden plot of their own. Help them choose vegetables or flowers that have easy-to-plant seeds and mature quickly so they won't have to wait too long to see the results of their efforts.

One good way for young people to learn about horticulture is through 4-H gardening projects and activities. The 4-H garden project will help the members acquire the knowledge and skills they need to plan and care for a vegetable or flower garden, lawn or commercial horticulture crop.

The program is educational and fun for girls and boys no matter where they live. Contact the 4-H office for more information, phone 673-3161 in Caro.

#### Mrs. Wright elected BPW President

Anders Albage, exchange student from Stockholm, Sweden, was guest speaker at the April 18 meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club. The club has equalized its membership of 31 for the current year. Plans were announced for a bake sale in May.

Officers elected for the coming year, who will be installed at the May meeting, include: president, Mrs. Mable Wright; vice-presidents, Mrs. Antoinette Stachura and Mrs. Theda Seger; recording secretary, Mrs. Leota Anthes; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Elva Pitcher, and treasurer, Mrs. Gloria Hartwick.

Club members who will attend the May 4-5-6 state meeting, to be held at Dearborn, are Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Helen Bartle and Mrs. Martha Putnam.

### Human service group meets here April 27

The next meeting of the Thumb Area Coalition of Human Services will be Friday, April 27, at 1:30 p.m. at the Cultural Center in Cass City.

Guest speaker will be Merriam King, executive director of the Michigan Center for a Barrier-Free Environment.

Mrs. King will present information on barrier-free laws most human service providers will be required to meet. All human service providers and clergy are invited.

There will also be a discussion on the statement of purpose for the coalition.

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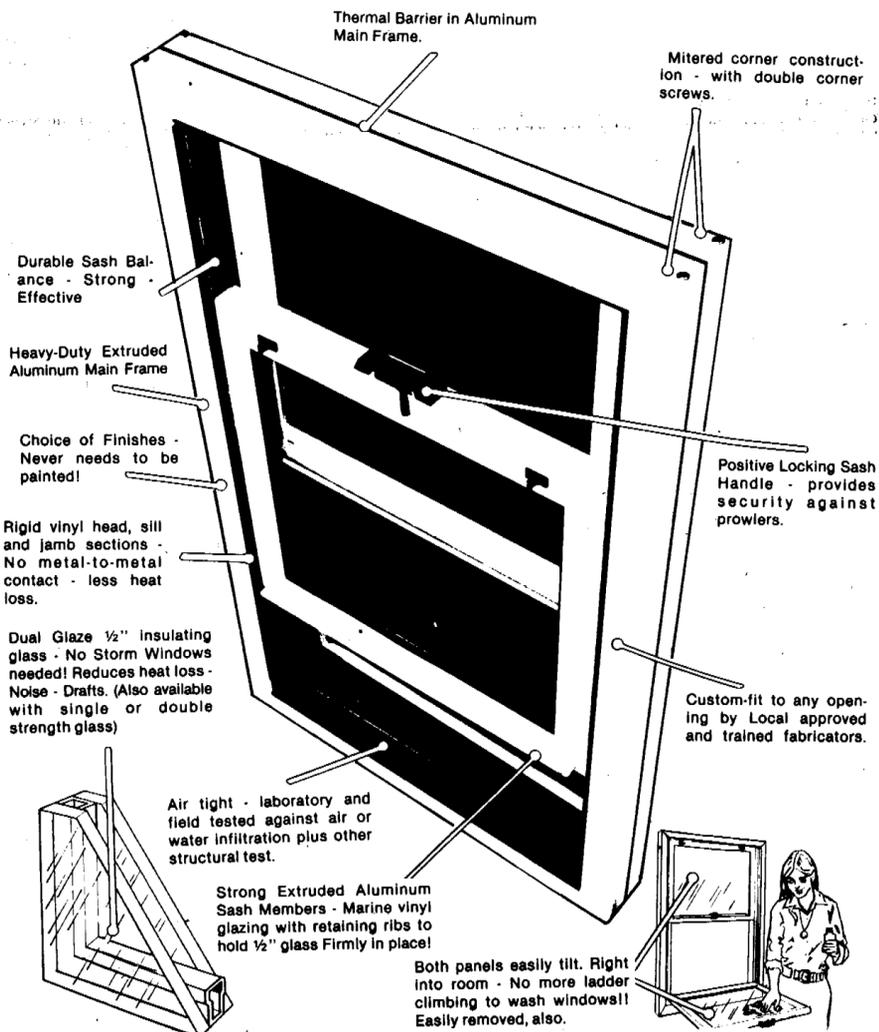


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# Artistry in glass: Richard Ritter uses glass as his canvas

By Mike Ellasohn

Glass to most people is something you drink out of or look through.

To Richard Ritter, glass is art, it is a means to create and on a down to earth level, it is the way he earns his living.

To say that he makes bowls and vases and paperweights out of glass is too simple. It is more fitting to say that he paints, but uses glass for his "paint."

Layer upon multi-colored layer. Designs and colors seemingly float in a sea of crystal, all in the mundane shape of a vase or bowl

or paperweight.

Drive past Ritter's ramshackle place on Hoadley Road in Greenleaf township and one would never know it is the home of a nationally known artist. He does his creating in a studio out back, in an expansion of what apparently started out as a chicken coop.

He and his wife, Jan, moved there in December, 1977. The studio, though still not completed, was finished enough for him to start work there last August. Son Richard III came into the world seven months ago.

Originally from Novi, Ritter, 38, started out a com-

mercial artist doing advertisements.

He did that for six years, until 1968. He then enrolled at the Society of Arts and Crafts in Detroit (now the Center for Creative Studies), starting out in jewelry making.

He made jewelry for a time, but when he started taking classes in glass design he found his calling.

He opened his first glass studio in Birmingham in 1970.

IF THE ARTIST AP-

pears to have gone through stages - from commercial art to jewelry to glass - he admits it and that he might

some day go on to something else. "I can't say, 'This is it.'"

Teaching has been an integral part of his career. He has taught at four art schools, including the Center for Creative Studies, and one year taught commercial art, jewelry making and glassblowing.

In 1972, he went to the Penland School of Crafts in Penland, N.C., to be an artist-in-residence. He was to stay there two years, but instead stayed there until his return to Michigan in 1977.

While in North Carolina, he met his wife, Jan. Originally from Pennsylvania, she is a stained glass artist, but hasn't practiced her craft since the birth of their son. The couple plans to build a studio for her to resume her work in the old barn on their property.

They live on 80 acres Ritter bought 10 years ago, when his brother was living across the road.

"I'll never go back to the city," he said, although admitting sometimes the isolated setting is a little too isolated.

HIS TECHNIQUE IS NOT something that can be learned in a few weeks time - some of it he has developed himself - so it is even harder to describe.

Although most glassblowers melt down broken glass for their product, Ritter starts with the most basic of materials, sand. It's the purest he can get, which comes from Zanesville, Ohio, and he buys several tons of it at a time.

Making his own glass, though obviously more time consuming, gives him more control over his colors and more of them. "I'm really into colors, so that gives me

my own pallet," he explained.

Much of his glass is made into thin rods of different colors. He then stacks them inside a cylinder into a design or pattern. The rods are fused together by pouring hot glass over them, then sticking the whole thing in the oven.

While still hot, the assemblage can be stretched out, while the design remains intact. The completed column is known as millifiori, which is Italian for "thousand flowers." Once cold, he uses an electric saw to cut the column into slices. Each slice, or "cookie," as he calls them, retains the same design.

He can also make the designs by forcing hot glass through a die in the shape of, for instance, a star, then when cooled, dipping it into hot glass.

A VASE, BOWL, PAPERWEIGHT or whatever starts out as a molten piece of glass on the end of the hollow blowpipe. He rolls the glass on a hard surface to get a basic shape, dips it into other colors of glass, adds his millifiori, or can dab on other colors in hot glass. The layers build up as he dips it into the pots of molten glass. He has a choice of four colors at a time, plus crystal.

If the finished object is to be some type of container, blowing on the blowpipe makes it hollow.

Close to the end, the piece can still take several forms. A small opening and it's a vase. Make the opening wider and it becomes a bowl. Spin the blowpipe and the glass on the end becomes a plate.

It's a back and forth, up and down process. Heat the glass, shape it. Add the millifiori. Dip the object into another color of molten glass. Shape it. Reheat it. Add some more. The artist must work fast for the glass hardens quickly.

When he's done, the object goes into the annealer, where it gently cools over a 24 hour period. Otherwise,

the object would shatter easily.

SOMETIMES HE SHATTERS his pieces deliberately. Ritter has a good enough reputation in the art world that some people would buy one of his works because his name was engraved on it.

But if he isn't satisfied with what he has created, he won't sell it. Besides, he adds, if he occasionally sold a bad piece, "then you wouldn't have a reputation."

The advance planning - for some of his intricate pieces, he first makes a drawing of what he wants to do - the glass making, creating the millifiori, what he calls the bench work (creating the actual piece), then the grinding and polishing takes time and effort and concentration.

As a result, Ritter's creations don't come cheap. A paperweight or egg shaped "knickknack" might go for \$45. A large and intricate vase can sell for as much as \$1,000.

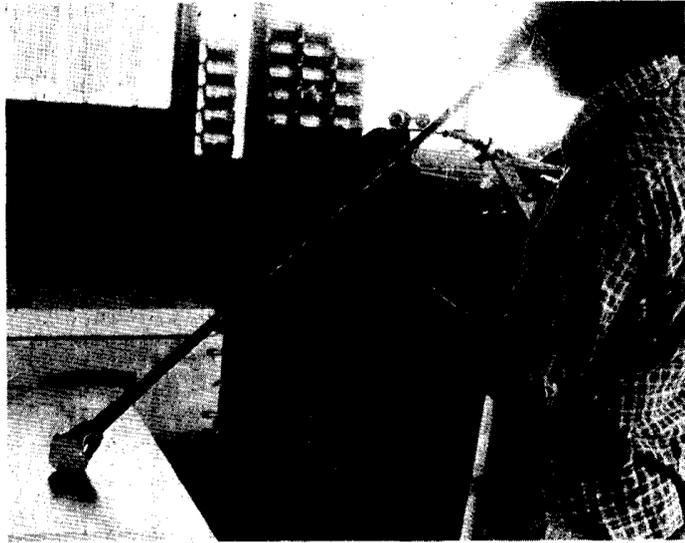
Ritter only goes to three shows a year, in Winter Park, Fla., Ann Arbor and Troy. Most of his works are sold in galleries in several states. Twenty of his objects were recently shipped to a gallery in Japan for sale.

Some people buy his works as an investment and some of what he has produced has already increased in value. Some buy them simply to have a beautiful object.

If some people want to use his beautiful objects for functional purposes, that's okay with Ritter. "A bowl, I think, is obviously to be used."



GLASS BLOWING -- Until Ritter starts blowing on the blowpipe, the glass is solid.



ROLLING the still soft glass on a hard surface early in the creation process gives it the basic shape.



HELPING HAND -- Wife Jan assists Richard Ritter in applying a decorative design in glass to the object he is making. Ritter also employs a neighbor youth, Jerry Cooper, as a part-time "third hand."



SHAPING -- While the glass is still soft, the opening is shaped. A small opening and shaping makes it a vase; a bigger opening, it's a bowl. Spin the blowpipe enough and it becomes a plate.

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In order to be eligible, people do not need a high school diploma or GED but must be willing to prepare and take the GED test (equivalent of high school diploma). They must be at least 17, have use of an automobile and be economically disadvantaged. They must also be willing to drive to the surrounding metropolitan areas for training and then seek employment in one of the following:

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# Miners found gold along banks of Cass River

Presumably, B.A. Elliott and Sam Wheaton never got rich from their mining, but the banks of the Cass River weren't a place one would expect to find a gold mine. They did find gold, though,

along with graphite, zinc, copper and lead, enough to make it worth their while to take leases on several pieces of land along the north shore of the Cass River, southwest of Cass City.

Jack Esau, president of the Cass City Area Historical Society, said the area was east of the Dodge Road bridge.

When the Detroit News wrote about the pair in 1933,

their mining with pick and shovel was a spare time activity.

"One can never tell, they say," the article said. "The outcroppings might lead to rich veins. But they'll not be disappointed if they fail. They're not expecting too much and enjoy their 'hobby.'"

At the time of the article -- it appeared in the Dec. 10 issue, Elliott was 50. He was a rural mail carrier covering a 31-mile route out of Cass City. When the roads were bad in winter, he had to cover half the route on foot.

Wheaton, 75, was a farmer, but had "been around." Twenty-five years earlier, he had spent some time prospecting in the cobalt area of Canada and found a block of mica "big as a house" and weighing several hundred tons.

A geologist he brought to the site confirmed it was solid mica and found a buyer. The deal, for a "fantastic sum," fell through because Wheaton suspected he was being tricked out of the greater share of the profits. As far as he knew 25 years later, the mica was still there.

Wheaton and Elliott found graphite, mixed with mica, in two places in Tuscola county, but not in quantities to make it worthwhile to develop their claim. Samples of the rock containing the minerals were sent to Washington to be assayed.

## Owen-Gage open house Sunday

Open house for the new \$1.675 million addition to Owendale-Gagetown High School starts Sunday with dedication ceremonies at 1:30 p.m.

There will be a tour of the new addition, including the library, band room, classrooms, cafeteria and gymnasium. Refreshments will be served.

## School Menu

APRIL 30 - MAY 4

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WEDNESDAY

Fishwich  
Tartar Sauce  
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OLD MINERS -- This photo appeared in the Detroit News Dec. 10, 1933. The caption read: "B.A. Elliott and Sam Wheaton investigating the extent of the deposit of graphite they found on the bank of the Cass River, near Cass City." Wheaton is at left.

# ESTATE AUCTION SALE

To settle the estate of William P. Sowden the following items will be sold at public auction located 5 miles east of Cass City to Hadley Road, 1 1/2 miles north, 3/4 mile east on Jackson Road on

**Saturday, April 28**

at 10:30 a.m.  
Lunch Wagon on Grounds

## TRACTORS AND MACHINERY

Ford 8N - New Rubber  
John Deere A-Starter, Lights,  
New Rubber, New Battery  
4C H-Wide Front & Narrow  
Front  
IHC 10-20 1929 Tractor  
3 Point, 2 Bottom Plow  
3 Point, 2 Row Planter  
3 Point Rear Bucket  
3 Point, 2 Row Bean Puller  
3 Point, 2 Row Cultivator  
John Deere 13 Hoe Grain Drill  
Wagon with Grain Box  
2 Oliver 2-14 Trailer Plows

AC 6ft. Cut Combine  
3 Section Weed Hog Harrow  
3 Section Harrow - 8 ft. Double  
Disc  
Pulley for 8N Tractor  
Even Flo PTO Sprayer - Hay  
Loader  
Chains for 8N Tractor  
2 Wheel Trailer - Corn Binder  
IHC 4 Cylinder Stationary  
Motor  
Duals for John Deere A  
Tractor

## ANTIQUES

King-O-Heat round wood & coal heater - kitchen wood & coal range - wood & coal stove, brick-lined - square oak table with 5 leaves - 5 matching wood chairs - side board - 4 small matching wood chairs - kitchen cupboard - kitchen cupboard with glass doors & zinc top - small oak table - oak library table - dropleaf table - solid oak library table with drawer & 4 shelves - carved walnut organ top with mirror - odd wood chairs - rocking chair - wicker rocker - 2 wicker fern stands - pedestal - large camel back trunk - metal trunk - book shelves - radio - 2 treadle sewing machines - Cheney crank-type victrola - old records - wood trunk - hat rack - commode - large wood wall mirror - knick-knack shelf - ornate brass & iron bed - 3/4 high headboard wood bed - pine dresser with mirror - large variety of picture frames - sewing basket - buttons - tin boxes - Aladdin lamps - kerosene lamps & lanterns - lamp globe - crock churn with dasher - crocks - jugs - butter bowl & paddle - soap stone - variety of dishes - depression glass - salts - bottles - 5 gallon milk cans - chamber pot - cream can - cream separator - feather tick & pillows - small drop leaf table with 2 chairs - 1922 & 1923 license plates - horse collars - cow bell - Stillard scales - copper wash boiler - wash board - round banana crate - clay flower pots - apple crates - covered buggy seat - wind mill - coal scuttle - fruit jars - neckyoke - single trees - pulleys - walking plow - hand cranked corn sheller - 2 Model A Ford wheels - 9 wood stanchions - harness parts - 5 gallon wood barrel - many others.

## HOUSEHOLD

Atlanta Super Flame twin burner oil heater; like new - 19" TV - hide a bed - GE stove - GE refrigerator - dining room suite - Tru test heavy duty vacuum - New 16 qt. pressure cooker.

## MISCELLANEOUS

Ranch King 8 hp 34" cut riding lawn mower like new - Troy Bilt rototiller like new - table saw - Smith portable air compressor, new - 30 ft. aluminum extension ladder - wood ladder - Comet D-58 chain saw - rubber tire wheel barrow - buzz saw, arbor, & blade - 250 gallon oil barrel - 20 ft. 3 inch Innes drive belt - tool box with many tools - axes - sledge hammers - forks - scoop shovel - saws - small water tank - 2 55 gallon oil barrels - 2 new 20 gallon trash cans - variety of seeds.

## ESTATE OF William P. Sowden

ADMINISTRATOR: Mickey Sowden

CLERK: Hillaker Auction Service

TERMS: Cash. Everything settled for day of sale. Not responsible for accidents.

ACTIONEER: Lorn Hillaker Phone 517-872-3019 Cass City

## 135 ACRE FARM FOR PRIVATE SALE

Contact Mickey Sowden  
Phone 313-333-7203

## March top DHIA herds

	No. of cows	% cow days in milk	Test	Lbs. Daily milk	B'fat
1. Loomis Bros.	73	93	4.53	48.6	2.21
2. Victor III	34	85	4.06	50.4	2.09
3. Hampshire Farms	84	95	4.44	46.9	2.08
4. Blaylock & Ruoprecht	36	86	3.87	51.6	2.00
5. Clare L. Smith	62	97	4.03	49.1	1.98
6. Leon & Terry Keinath	139	91	3.83	51.0	1.96
7. Martin Damm	35	100	3.56	52.1	1.86
8. Schieffer Farms	84	98	3.63	50.8	1.85
9. Donald DeLong & Sons	147	84	3.99	44.2	1.77
10. Mohrland Farms	64	88	4.34	40.7	1.77

## TOP OWNER-SAMPLER HERDS

1. Dennis Rodammer	9	100	4.19	47.7	2.00
2. Satchell Farms	225	92	3.89	48.4	1.89
3. Judith McClure	33	91	4.32	41.3	1.79
4. E & K Reinert	88	45	3.85	45.1	1.74
5. Marvin Schmandt	23	87	3.59	47.1	1.70

## Sportsmen guide

now available

The "East Michigan Sportsmen's Guide" for 1979 provides the details for families interested in the many outdoor sports available in Michigan.

Great lakes fishing on Lake Huron, inland lake and stream fishing, camping, hunting, powerboating, sailing, canoeing, hiking, mushrooming, rockhounding, bikepacking are among the activities described in the East Michigan Tourist Association guide.

Fishing detail includes the

where, when and how for Great Lakes salmon, lake trout, brown trout and steelhead; also for perch, pike, bass and walleyes. Crappies and channel catfish are included.

Boaters will find detail on all the inland lake and stream access points for eastern Michigan along with Lake Huron and Saginaw Bay harbors and public and private put-in points. Marinas and bait shops are included.

## Snover airman finishes basic training

Airman Terry A. Pitcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Pitcher of 3882 Wheatland Road, Snover, has been selected for technical training at Sheppard Air Force Base, Tex., in the Air Force aircraft maintenance field.



Terry Pitcher

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex., and studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Pitcher graduated from high school in 1978.

## OBSERVATION

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## Community booster

## Calka continues civic commitments

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.

B. A. Calka arrived in Cass City in 1946 after serving 4 years in the Navy to operate the Cass City Eat Shop.

The restaurant was an immediate success, the first of many successful business ventures for Calka. In 1952 he entered the real estate field with United Farm Agency. Six years later he formed the B. A. Calka Real Estate Agency.

It grew to cover most of the Thumb and then the offices were curtailed as Calka decided to slow up his hectic pace a bit.

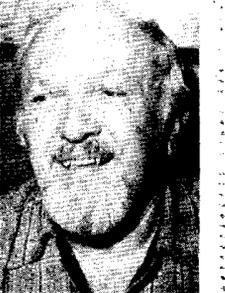
Recently, Calka reopened an office in Caro which is run by his daughter, Carla, who recently joined the firm.

The hectic business pace has not kept Calka from an active part in community affairs. He is a director of the planning commission and of the Hills and Dales Medical Center. He now serves as treasurer of the

Hills and Dales General Hospital. He is a member and past president of the Lions Club, Chamber of Commerce and Upper Thumb Board of Realtors. Calka served many years on the village council and has been an active promoter in many community fund raising drives.

Calka has been named "Realtor of the Year" by the Michigan Real Estate Association and currently serves as a director of the Cass City State Bank.

His wife, Pauline, serves as secretary-receptionist for the firm. The couple has five daughters.



## Reschedule meet

"Stand Back But Stand By: Focus on Leaders," Velma Linford's address to volunteer 4-H teen and adult leaders in Sanilac and Lapeer counties has been rescheduled for Sunday at Lapeer East High School. The program begins at 5 p.m. with a potluck dinner.

Selected 4-H teens from Sanilac will be assisting the state 4-H program leader with the program and are asked to arrive at 2 p.m.

Those attending are asked to bring a dish to pass and table service. Beverages will be provided.

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**GAGETOWN**  
 Mrs. Harold Koch  
 665-2536

Mrs. Matt Kling of Owendale, Mrs. Richard Ziehm and Mrs. Harold Koch attended the Mitten Bay Girl Scout Council annual spring meeting at the Kings Label, Prudenville, on Houghton Lake, Saturday.

Aura Beauden and Mary Blondell of Caro, and Mrs. and Mrs. Elger Generous were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taschner Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elger Generous and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taschner had dinner at Bay City Saturday to celebrate the birthdays of Mrs. Taschner and Mr. Generous.

Mrs. Lena Schilling of Unionville and Mrs. Gerry Carolan visited Mrs. Lucille LaFave at Hills and Dales Hospital last Wednesday. Patti and Freddy Ondrajka spent from Wednesday through Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Ondrajka and family in Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barr and family were at Empire last week. Miss Jenny Barr was married to Kevin Kelly at Empire Saturday and the reception was at Glenn Arbor.

**Sweeney promoted**

Franklin J. Sweeney has been named claim supervisor in the home office of Auto-Owners Insurance in Lansing.

A 1968 graduate of Michigan State University, he is the son of Mrs. Edanna Sweeney of Barrie Road, Uby.

Sweeney joined Auto-Owners in 1969 as a claims adjuster trainee and was working as an adjuster in the Lansing claims branch at the time of his promotion, which is to take effect in the near future.

He and his wife, Patricia, live in Lansing and have two daughters and a son.

**Automotive**  
**FOR SALE - 1975 Chevy**, 4 door, power steering, power brakes, automatic, radio, rust-proofed, new exhaust system, good tires. 47,000 miles. Call 872-2359 after 5:00 p.m. 1-4-12-3

**FOR SALE - 1974 Chevy pickup 350 V-8**, automatic, power steering, power brakes with cover. Real good shape. Call after 6 - 872-3106. 1-4-26-3

**FOR SALE - 1978 Shasta van**, sink, refrigerator, AM-FM 8 track CB. \$7500.00. Call after 4:30-3959. 1-4-26-3

**FOR SALE - 1973 El Camino 350** with headers, mags, new tires, air shocks and Toro cover. Call 872-4276. 1-4-12-3

**FOR SALE - '78 Dodge pickup**, 4 wheel drive. 18,000 miles, AM-FM stereo. Will consider trade. Call after 6 - 872-3165. 1-4-12-3

**FOR SALE - 1978 Corvette Silver Anniversary L-82**, factory CB, loaded. 534 miles. A new car - private owner. Phone 868-3115. 1-4-26-2

**FOR SALE - 1972 4 dr. Chevrolet Impala**, good tires, good transportation. Phone 665-2584. 1-4-26-3

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**BLACK DIRT** - good for lawns, garden, shrubbery. Arlan Brown, Uby. Phone 658-8452. 2-4-5-tf

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**General Merchandise**  
**FOR SALE - Admiral refrigerator** - white, works good, \$50 or best offer. Phone 872-3891. 2-4-26-1

**For your PIONEER Corn or Alfalfa Seed**

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 2-4-26-3

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**Jacques Seed Corn**  
 Roger Root  
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**BLACK DIRT** for sale - for garden, lawn, shrubbery. Also gravel and fill dirt. Phone 872-3497, call before 10 a.m. or after 6 p.m. 2-4-26-tf

**FOR SALE - 5 hp rpto tiller**, good condition. Phone 872-4791. 2-4-26-3

**FOR SALE - 1969 Ritz Craft 19-ft. travel trailer**, very good condition, with Reese hitch. Call after 6 - 872-3106. 2-4-26-3

**Used Auto Parts late model**  
**Bumping and Painting Reasonable Prices**  
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**MUZZLE LOADING GUNS AND SUPPLIES**  
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**FOR SALE - one 75-lb. chest freezer**; one large fan, cheap. Phone 872-3129. 2-4-26-1

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Plain color stretch terry cloth, 60 in. wide... \$3.49 yd. Polyester double knit. Prints and plain colors. 60 in. wide... \$1.41 yd.

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**FOR SALE - Dockson welding and cutting torch**, \$85.00; 8-25-20 ten hole Chevy truck tire and wheel \$20.00; 300 gal. fuel tank \$75.00. Grant Hutchinson, phone 872-4561. 2-4-12-3

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**FOR RENT - commercial building**, 20x60. New carpet, new furnace, new bathroom fixtures, new lights and large parking lot. See Russ or Bud Schneeberger. 4-1-4-tf

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**FOR RENT - 30' x 60'** building in Erla's shopping center, Cass City. Electric heat, air conditioning, fully carpeted and plenty of free parking. Available April 21. Ideal location for children's wear type store. Richard Erla, Cass City. Phone 872-2191 days or evenings, 872-3166. 4-4-5-tf

**Real Estate For Sale**

**FOR SALE - 2 houses: one - 3 bedroom and one - 4 bedroom**, in the country. Call 665-2284. 3-4-12-3

**80 ACRES recreation land** with stream in Austin township, extremely low priced at \$28,000, land contract terms. Call Ardis Haist, agent, 517 658-8855 or Hammond Realty 517 658-2345. 3-4-12-4

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**FOR SALE by owner: Newer ranch-type home** in nice subdivision. 3 - possible 5 bedrooms, 2 fireplaces, Cathedral ceiling in living room, large family room, dining room, den, playroom. Sun-deck, 2 1/2-car garage, and completely landscaped. Excellent condition. Call 872-4168 for appointment. 3-4-12-3

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**FOR SALE by owners - One story house**, one car garage with chicken coop. On 1 1/2 acres of land. On blacktop road. Phone after 6 p.m. 872-3902. 3-4-19-3

**COUNTRY HOME** completely remodeled with barn, garage and 40 acres priced right, south of Uby. Call Ardis Haist, agent, 517 658-8855 or Hammond Realty 517 658-2345. 3-4-12-4

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**REAL ESTATE**  
 Three bedrooms, gas heat, full basement, on large corner lot, 1 1/2 baths and garage. Owner said sell.

**71 ACRES**  
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Perfect for newlyweds and retired couple. This darling 2 bedroom ranch home has all the extras - full basement, double lot, electric garage door opener. Highest heat bill last winter \$44.42. G32H

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A SINCERE THANKS to Dr. H.T. Donahue, the hospital staff and attendants for the excellent care shown me while I was a patient in Hills and Dales Hospital. A thank you also goes to Pastor Tim Teal for his comforting words and prayers. Also my hearty thanks to the friends for the get well cards assuring me of their prayers for my recovery. Reatha Hughes. 13-4-26-1

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# Bulldogs drop 2 to Tiger 9

Owen-Gage started its North Central D League season on the wrong foot Monday, losing both ends of a double header at Carsonville-Port Sanilac by identical 3-2 scores.

Dave Regnier was winning pitcher in both games. In the first, he struck out 12 as he went the distance. He gave up one walk and four hits.

In the second, he relieved Pat Gallagher, who pitched the first 4 1-3 innings. The two struck out four, walked four and gave up four hits.

The first game went seven innings (six is normal), with the Tigers scoring the winning run in the bottom of the seventh on a throwing error by Pete Klemkowsky. He was the losing pitcher, striking

out nine and giving up four walks and two hits as he went the distance.

Al Haag had two hits for the Bulldogs, both singles. Carsonville won the game on only two singles.

Losing pitcher in the second game for Owen-Gage was Dick Glidden, who pitched all five innings and struck out two, walked six and gave up two hits.

Mark McDonald was top Bulldog batsman with a double and a single. The Tigers again won on only two singles.

The loss drops Owen-Gage to 2-4 overall. Carsonville is 6-0.

Next game for Owen-Gage, their first at home, is Monday against Akron-Fairgrove, starting at 4 p.m.

### LAKER GAME

The Bulldogs split at Laker High School Saturday in a non-league contest, winning the first game, 6-5, and getting shellacked in the second, 11-4.

Sophomore Jim Kuhr started the first game for Owen-Gage and struck out two, walked three and gave up three walks and two hits in his two innings.

Pete Klemkowsky went the final four innings and was the winning pitcher, striking out four and giving up one walk, four runs and seven hits.

Aaron Deering went the first four innings for Lakers. He struck out five and gave up two walks, one run and five hits. Relieving him for the final two innings was Gary Binder, the losing pitcher, who struck out one and gave up five runs and four hits.

Jeff Hallock broke the game open for the Bulldogs in the top of the sixth with a home run to give his team a two-run lead. He also had a single. Doug Laurie had three singles.

Errors spelled the difference in the second game. Losing pitcher for the Bulldogs was Jim Kuhr, who gave up all 11 runs, but six of those were scored by Lakers on two Owen-Gage errors. He struck out four and gave up four walks and nine hits.

Freshman Randy Rada-baugh went the final 1 2/3 innings for Owen-Gage striking out three and giving up one walk and two hits.

Winning pitcher was Don Schafer, who went the final five innings, giving up one walk, one run and six hits. He struck out five. Gary Binder pitched the first inning for Lakers, struck out one and gave up three runs, one walk and one hit.

Jim Hendershot had two singles for the losers and Kirk Carolan hit a home run. For Lakers, Todd Dube hit two doubles and a home run. Aaron Deering had a double and two singles.

## O-G girls power to 2 wins

Host Carsonville-Port Sanilac was the victim Monday as Owen-Gage began its defense of the North Central D League softball crown.

The Bulldogs won the first game, 12-4, and the second, 25-5.

Jan Rapson was on the mound for the victors in the first game and only gave up one hit as she went the distance. Lori Carter was the losing pitcher.

Laurie Andrakowicz led Owen-Gage with a triple.

In the second game, Andrakowicz, Becky Howard and Tammy Kain combined to pitch a no-hitter. Losing pitcher was C. Cahoon, who went the distance.

Howard led the Bulldogs' 15-hit assault with three home runs and a single. Robin Sullivan added two doubles and a single, Julie Andrakowicz had two singles and a double, sister Laurie connected for two singles and Julie Enderle and Carol Goslin each had a triple.

The Bulldogs play host at Gagetown Friday to non-league Caro, starting at 4 p.m., and Monday host Akron-Fairgrove.

# Hawks edge Bad Axe in opening Thumb B meet

The Cass City Red Hawks won their opening dual Thumb B Conference track meet Monday defeating the host Bad Axe Hatchets in near perfect weather conditions, 86-72.

Multiple event winners for the Hawks were Todd Comment, Rusty Hoag and Steve Richards.

Comment won the high jump and high hurdles. Hoag took the 440 and ran a leg on the winning mile relay team. Richards won the two-mile, the mile and the 880.

In all, Cass City won 8 of the 16 events. Second and third place winners pushed the Hawks to victory.

Hobart, CC; Spring, BA; Dickinson, CC. 10:44.89.

Mile relay: Hoag, Fahrner, Sawdon, Kloc, CC. 3:46.24.

121'2".

Pole vault: Born, M; Zawilinski, CC; Born, R; Durnaw, R; Decker, CC. 11'0".

120 yd. hurdles: Loomis, CC; Sontag, CC; Giddings, M; Trammel, M. 18.25.

100 yd. dash: Germain, M; Greenia, R; Squanda, R; Hool, M. 10.59.

Mile relay: Hoag, Richards, Sawdon, Kloc, CC; Giddings, Mohr, Hercliff, Hool, M; Mousseau, C; Vado, Squanda, Marks, R. 3:47.9.

### TRIANGULAR MEET

Cass City trailed Mayville in a triangular meet last Thursday at Cass City Recreational Park. Reese was third. The results were: Mayville, 63; Cass City, 53 1/2; Reese, 52 1/2.

Cass City lost a chance to move closer to the winners when its favored 880 relay team was disqualified.

Steve Richards of Cass City showed the way for the Hawks with firsts in the 880 and mile run and a leg in the winning mile relay team.

The results and the winning times or distances were:

High jump: Comment, CC; Hoag, CC; Tompkins, M; Hadaway, R. 5'10".

Shot: Bass, R; Elbers, R; Bodeis, M; Doug Erla, CC. 48'2 3/4".

Long jump: Mousseau, R; Loomis, CC; Mohr, M; Marx, R. 18'4".

Discus: Elbers, R; Bodeis, M; Colosky, M; Bass, R.

440 dash: Hoag, CC; Sawdon, CC; Hercliff, M; Mousseau, R. 54.74.

440 yd. relay: Greenia, Mueller, Taylor, Squanda, R; Giddings, Oberle, Hool, Germain, M; Heins, Hobart, Dadacki, Morrish, CC. 48.1.

330 yd. hurdles: Mohr, M; Trammel, M; Loomis, CC; Mousseau, R. 46.09.

880 yd. run: Richards, CC; Sawdon, CC; Hool, M; Squanda, R. 208.90.

220 yd. dash: Germain, M; Greenia, R; Squanda, R; Hoag, CC. 25.67.

Two mile: McLane, M; McSoley, R; Palmreuter, R; Dickinson, CC. 10:58.8.

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4:30-5:30 for women. 6:30-7:30 for men.

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## Fiddlers in Port Hope Saturday

The Original Michigan Fiddlers Association is sponsoring a fiddlers jam, boree and old-time square dance Saturday in Port Hope.

To be held at the Old Red Church, the jamboree will get underway at 2 p.m. The dance will start at 7 p.m.

Fiddlers from all over the state will take turns throughout the afternoon, playing favorite tunes. In the evening, a live band will provide music for old-fashioned square dancing. Anyone who plays a fiddle or other non-electrified musical instrument is invited to bring it and play along.

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