

### President Carter wins in 2 of 3 counties

President Carter was the winner in two of three upper Thumb counties in the Democratic caucuses held statewide Saturday.

In Tuscola county, he received 54 votes to 19 for Sen. Edward Kennedy. He won 39 votes in Huron county, with Kennedy receiving three and three votes uncommitted.

Kennedy was the winner in Sanilac county, 14-10, with

one person uncommitted. In the entire 8th Congressional district, including Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac, Carter received 499 votes; Kennedy, 450.

Statewide, fewer than 15,000 registered Democrats voted. Apportionment of their votes Saturday gave Kennedy 71 delegate votes at this summer's Democratic nominating convention in New York City. President Carter will receive 70.

# Keehn stands mute to three assault charges

Robert C. Keehn Jr. stood mute at his arraignment in Circuit Court Monday to three charges of felonious assault and one of malicious destruction of personal property over \$100 in connection with a Feb. 9 incident in Cass City.

A plea of innocent was entered by Judge Norman A. Baguley, who scheduled a pretrial hearing May 27. Bond was continued.

Keehn, 30, lives at 3115 Cemetery Road, Kingston. He is charged with holding a knife to one person's throat and threatening two others with the weapon while the trio were seated in a car parked on Seeger Street.

The defendant is then charged with having slashed all four tires of the car the three were sitting in.

Also Monday, Kim Jae Kitchen, 25, of 940 Ann Drive, Caro, in a plea bargain agreement with the prosecution, pleaded guilty to the lesser included offense of malicious destruction of property under \$100.

Judge Baguley accepted the plea and ordered the defendant to pay restitution of \$2,014, for damage done to a building March 8 on Sue Drive in Indianfields township.

Bond was continued, with sentencing delayed one year. The charge will be dismissed then if the defendant complies with all provisions of probation during that time.

Phillip S. Patrick Jr., 24, of Taylor, pleaded guilty to a charge of resisting and assaulting a police officer.

His plea was accepted and sentencing scheduled June 9. Bond was continued. He is charged with as-

saulting Deputy Jeffrey Bagocius while the officer was guarding the defendant Nov. 30 in the county jail.

Claudette Mae Talcott, 28, of 6024 Fox Street, Mayville, is sentenced to 15 days in the county jail for insufficient funds - check. She was credited with one day served.

She was also placed on one year's probation. The judge reserved judgment on levying of a fine and costs.

She pleaded guilty to the charge March 24, of having written three checks totaling \$62, drawn on the First State Bank of Saginaw, for which she had insufficient funds in her account.

#### DISTRICT COURT

Thomas L. Baker, 40, of 6839 Herron Drive, Cass City, pleaded guilty Monday to a charge of impaired driving.

Judge Richard F. Kern accepted his plea and fined him \$100 and assessed \$150 court costs. Baker was also placed on six months' probation and ordered to attend alcohol education classes and such others as may be deemed necessary.

He was arrested by Cass City police Oct. 30.

### Community booster

## Improvements made at Wickes during Wischmeyer tenure

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.

community projects. He is a member and past president of the Cass City Lions. He is a member of the Chamber of Commerce and of the St. Pancratius Catholic church, where he served as past president of the parish council.

Married, he and his wife Donna, have three children: Kent, Karla and Kirk.



Bob Wischmeyer

Wickes Agriculture's Cass City facility is under the management of Bob Wischmeyer who came to Cass City in 1969 to take over as plant manager. He attended Michigan State and graduated in elevator and farm supply management.

During his tenure as manager there have been many improvements in the facility in the community. Two new grain storage silos were built and a new grain dryer was added in 1977-78. A new building with 2,800 square feet with a fertilizer shed with 640-ton capacity was added last year. At that time a track scale with 200,000 pounds capacity was placed in operation.

During his years in the community, Wischmeyer has served on a variety of

# Owen-Gage announces marking period honor roll

Following is the fifth marking period honor roll at Owendale-Gagetown High School. A + denotes all A's.

#### TWELFTH GRADE

Gerald Adams, +Mary Kay Burrows, Kirk Carolan, Brad Erickson, +Jennifer Errer, +Deborah Gettel, +Paula Good, Alan Haag, Tammy Kain, Sandy Karg, Pete Klemkowsky, Jean Kubiak, +Lori Mandich, Tracy Mitchell, Carol Parker, +Rich Powell, Kathy Jo Rocheleau, Chris Russell, Werner Schulz, Robin Sullivan, Dawn Wissner, +Scott Wissner, Linda Zimmer.

#### ELEVENTH GRADE

Julie Andrakowicz, Peggy Berube, Marcy Bruno, Kris Erickson, Joni Flores, Scott Gaeth, Loretta Hahn, Becky Howard, James Kuhr, Dana Laurie, Darryn LaZar, Cheryl Mandich, Marie Radabaugh, Annette Rockefeller, Heidi Rockefeller, Doidra Thick, +Beth Thies.

#### TENTH GRADE

Kim Deibel, Leann Elliott, +Julie Enderle, Craig Gettel, +Karla Kretschmer.

#### Cornerstone opened at Trinity church

The cornerstone box at the Trinity United Methodist church on Houghton Street was opened Sunday as the first step in the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the church building.

Heritage Sunday, the centennial celebration, will take place May 18 with a guest speaker, the bell choir of the First United Methodist church in Alpena and the Alpena Community College Collegiate Singers.

Placement of the box back in the cornerstone will take place the following Sunday, with some items added representative of 1980.

This past Sunday wasn't the first time the metal box had been opened since the church was constructed 100 years ago. The last time was in 1969, when the 100th anniversary of the organization of the church was celebrated.

Added to the box that year were some articles about man's first walk on the moon, which took place in 1969.

Also found in the box when it was opened this time, according to Rev. P. Thomas Wachterhauser, were two newspapers from the 1890s, a copy of the Detroit Free Press and one of the Cass City Enterprise, a predecessor of the Chronicle.

There were also three books of Methodist discipline (church policy, etc.) from the mid-to-late 1800s.

mer. Tina Mandich, Daniel Ondrajka, Teresa Schmidt, Michelle Schwartz, Bonnie Wells.

#### NINTH GRADE

Jennifer Wood, Lori Wissner, Dena Wells, Laurie Louis, Jackie Kain, Brian

### T. Scollon wins Merit Scholarship

Teresa J. Scollon has been awarded a four-year National Merit Scholarship at Michigan State University.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edward Scollon of 4849 N. Seeger Street, Cass City, and a senior at Interlochen Arts Academy, near Traverse City. She graduates from there May 31.

The scholarship is awarded with the stipulation that she attend MSU, which finances it.

Teresa has not yet decided whether to accept it, according to her mother, as she has also been offered a scholarship at Kalamazoo College because of her poetry writing and may go there. She has had her poetry published in the Louisville Review and the Interlochen Review.

Winners were selected by officials of the sponsoring institution, who also computed the students' financial needs and determined the individual stipend.

The dollar amounts, which range from \$1,000-6,000 over the four years, are not made public since they are related to confidential family financial information. The average is about \$725 per year or a total of \$2,900.

Approximately 1.1 million high school students nationwide entered the 1980 Merit Scholarship competition by taking the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test in October, 1978.

Based on those scores, plus grades and endorsement by their high school principals, 14,000 advanced to the finalist level, which required taking of another test.

Of the finalists, more than 4,500 are being awarded Merit Scholarships worth a total of almost \$14 million.

Haag, Craig Enderle, Stan Andrakowicz, Vicki Alexander.

#### EIGHTH GRADE

Frank Abfalter, +Gary Erickson, Kevin Huizar, Karen Jeffery, Joe Lopez, Glenda McPhail, Brenda Schwartz, Scott Thies, Angie Thorp, Scott Wright.

#### SEVENTH GRADE

Carmel Alexander, Marc Enderle, Karen Goslin, Reid Goslin, Jenny Hellebuyck, Tom Jeffery, Karen Koch, Kellin Kretschmer, De McDonald, Kevin Montreuil, Tina Miller, Lawrence Norcross, Kim Olszak, +Lipka Retford, Matt Ricker, Charla Rockefeller.

## New books at the library

A STEP FURTHER, by Joni Eareckson (non-fiction). Thousands of readers were moved and inspired by "Joni," the story of a beautiful teenage girl who became a quadriplegic. This deeply personal sequel relates more of her struggles and lessons, downfalls and victories, and her opening herself up to God and to the people who love her.

HEARTBOOK: A GUIDE TO PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES, by the American Heart Association (non-fiction). A major-almost encyclopedic-book about the human cardiovascular system, especially the heart, that features 24 chapters on prevention, recognition, treatment, and therapy for heart disease, hypertension, and stroke. Thirty-one distinguished specialists have contributed a consensus of current scientific knowledge and opinion to this systematically organized and thoughtfully designed volume, in which clear diagrams and quick-cue headings provide the user with helpful visual orientation. Although the language is by nature technical, it is not unduly burdened with medical jargon.

SADIE SHAPIRO, MATCHMAKER, by Robert Kimmel Smith (fiction). Sadie Shapiro is bequeathed a trio of seemingly unmatchable singles and must find an appropriate mate for each in order to fulfill a final request of an old friend, who was a modern day Jewish matchmaker. With the same verve, terrific knitting, daily jogging, and compassion demonstrated in "Sadie Shapiro in Miami," the vigorous senior citizen pulls together six unlikely, incredulous people into three blissful unions. Sentiment and humor abound.

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