







## "If It Fitz. . ." Life is a sitcom

By Jim Fitzgerald

It was just recently, on a city bus, that I realized life is a situation comedy. The woman sitting in front of me, whom I had never met, took a little spritzer thing out of her purse and sprayed perfume on her neck. Her aim was careless and some of the perfume landed on me.

It is because of sitcoms like this that Jimmy Carter instituted the White House Conference on Families.

In two minutes I was due to walk into my home and kiss my wife hello. Would she smell the scent of a strange woman upon my person? I put my nose against my left shoulder where most of the stray perfume had hit. Yes, she would. The odor was unlike anything usually smelled on my shoulder. It was cool, but somehow warm; musky, but somehow unmusky. I dug my nose further into my shoulder, which was sloped, but somehow level.

A man sitting across the aisle gave me a strange look. He was wondering why I

didn't use one of my hands instead of my shoulder to scratch my nose. I told him I had bad hands. Otherwise I wouldn't have been riding the bus with my nose on my shoulder; I'd have been playing split end for the Detroit Lions.

I realized that once I reached home there would be no avoiding the kiss which would be my undoing. I knew I would be undone because dozens of times I had seen Dick Van Dyke and Bob Newhart and other heroes of TV situation comedies undone by the same circumstances. Mary Tyler Moore smelled the strange scent on Van Dyke and immediately began crying because she knew he loved another woman. It did no good for Van Dyke to explain that coming home on the subway he had sat next to a musk deer. He was innocent, but he was undone.

The undoing kiss was inevitable because, for 25 years, I've almost always kissed my wife hello and goodbye. This isn't as romantic as it is athletic. My wife wants the kiss, but she doesn't stand at the front door waiting for it. She tests my affection for her by forcing me to seek her out and deliver the kiss wherever I might find her. To plant a kiss, I have followed her up ladders and through entire housecleanings. I have stuck my head inside an oven and under a hair dryer. And the few times I've failed to meet the challenge, she has accused me of not loving her anymore, which undoes me.

So the kiss-after-perfuming was delivered, even though I had to straddle a sewing machine to reach her mouth which had pins in it. I figured a skipped kiss would make her just as unhappy as the fragrance of a mysterious woman, and besides, maybe she wouldn't notice. She sniffed. She noticed.

"Don't undo me," I pleaded, and I quickly explained about the woman on the bus. "If you don't believe me, we can take our problem to the White House Conference on Families for arbitration."

Several regional meetings of the conference have already been held, amid much publicity. As I understand it, the primary purpose is to "identify" family members and then decide whether these members should be given abortions even though they might be having homosexual relationships with supporters of the Equal Rights Amendment.

I used to be so dumb I thought everybody born since Adam belonged to a family and everything done in Washington or in City Hall either benefited or hurt every living thing, including Little Orphan Annie and Sandy. I could see no need for a conference on families because we already had millions of bureaucrats and politicians and preachers doing everything for every member of every family.

I was wrong, of course. Otherwise, why would our wise government be spending \$3 million of our money to finance this Conference on Families? It must be needed. And in a few years we will need the Conference on Conferences on Families. It will cost \$6 million.

The purpose of the Conference on Conferences on Families will be to determine whether the Conference on Families convinced wives that innocent men can be sprayed by musk deer on buses. It convinced me that life is a situation comedy.

### Hagen gets degree from CMU

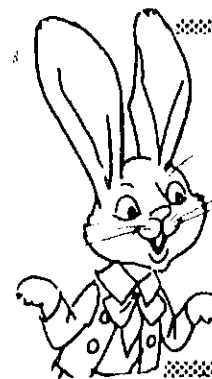
Karl R. Hagen, son of Fred Hagen, 1282 Atwater Road, Ubyly, was among 3,010 students to graduate May 10 from Central Michigan University.

Hagen received a bachelor of science degree in business administration. While at CMU, he majored in accounting.

Although presently living at home, he is seeking employment in the corporate accounting area.



**BUDDING ARTISTS** had an opportunity to create their own masterpieces at the "paint-in" sponsored by the American Association of University Women. Many children took advantage of the paint throughout the day.



## Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

The regular meeting of the Cass City School Board Monday, July 14, should be of more than ordinary interest to backers of the one-mill tax proposal for extra operating funds.

That's the time that a committee will be formed to promote the proposal.

The board is issuing a special invitation to interested residents to attend.

The board meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. and the committee proposal will be discussed about an hour later.

Incidentally, one fertile field for the workers will be the registration of 18-year-olds. Very few are on the voting rolls now and most would be in favor of the levy, I'm sure.

Another bloc of voters who should help is the teachers. You'd think they would all vote automatically, all be registered.

But they do not all vote nor are they all registered.

Just when all of us were becoming accustomed to the five-digit zip code system the postal department is changing it.

Added to the current zip will be four numbers. The first two numbers will indicate a sector and the other two will be unique within the sector.

The target date for implementation of the 9-digit system is February 1981.

One man's opinion - the department has two chances for meeting that goal, slim and none.

Browsing through the files, a story revealed that the Home-coming here was staged for seven years and enjoyed no-rain the day the event was staged.

Add to that the two wonderful, weather-wise, days that the July 4 Festival has enjoyed and one of two conclusions is inevitable. The first is that Cass City lives a charmed life and the other is that it is due to rain on Festival day for about three years in a row.

Is it just because some guys are born lucky and others aren't that tales like this can be told?

Whatever, Gene Wilson is one of the lucky ones. A few years ago he was talked into buying a single ticket for a chance to win a snowmobile raffled by the Senior class. That ticket won the prize.

On the last day, Friday, he purchased three tickets on the spaceship raffled by the Cass City First Presbyterian Church.

He was again the winner.

## Taylor graduates

Barbara Taylor, daughter of Theresa Taylor, 4644 Washington Street, Ubyly, graduated with honors and a bachelor of arts degree from Central Michigan University May 10.

While at CMU she majored in pre-school child development. Miss Taylor is pursuing employment in the child development field. She said she would like to work with a nursery school or head-start program.

At present she is living at home in Ubyly.

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## The Haire Net



The second July 4 Festival is history and was at least as successful as the first. Everyone was happy. Despite the pleasant results the celebration may be in jeopardy.

That's maybe hard to fathom when you consider that the festival this year was as well received as last year and in addition probably paid its own way.

Compared to 1979 when the event cost the Chamber of Commerce some \$4,000 that's good news indeed.

With all this going for it why the gloom and doom? The Fourth is a good time. There's something doing just about every minute of the day. That doesn't just happen; it takes a barrel of work.

Spread over enough volunteers the load is light for all.

That's the ideal. In practice it doesn't work that way.

Several persons have shouldered much of the burden. Tom Herron, Mike Weaver, Gloria Ouvry and several others have been the driving force that carried the festival to success.

At least two that have made the wheels turn want to bow out or reduce their work load in the future.

One of them is Herron. He's discouraged over the lack of help. Thinking about bowing out.

Perhaps that will change by next summer. I'd guess that if he moved down from the top, he'd still do more than his share to help

someone who replaced him.

There's doubt here if another person is available that will devote the time that's necessary to keep the festival growing and going.

A successor would probably be named from among the cadre of workers and planners that have been working long hours on the previous celebrations.

If one moves up there's going to be a worker gone that's hard to replace.

This year there were fewer workers than during the first festival. It placed a load on those remaining.

It wasn't true that there was less work this year than during the first celebration, Herron says. There was more. More than I would be able to take away from my business in another year.

The handwriting appears clear. If Cass City wants the festival, more of us who didn't do much will have to do more.

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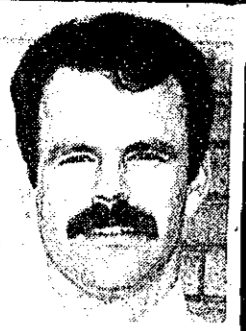
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PEDALING AROUND

The right to choose

By Mike Eliasohn



The U.S. Supreme Court's decision last week that Congress need not fund abortions for poor women was an unfortunate one. More unfortunate was our national legislators' decision, now upheld by the high court, that poor women should not have the same right to a legal operation that women with money do have.

The pandering of members of Congress to those who do not feel women should have a legal right to an abortion is unfortunate because public opinion polls have consistently shown that a majority of Americans feel a woman should have the right to terminate a pregnancy under certain circumstances.

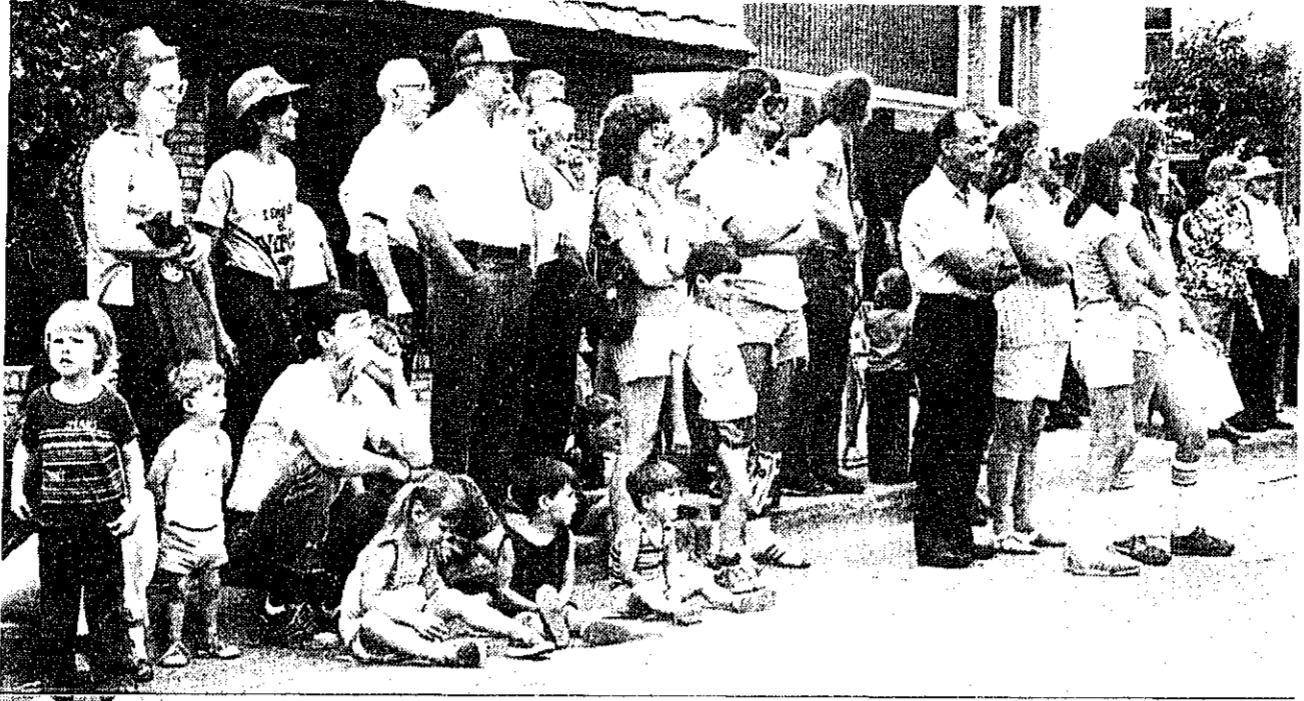
A 1979 nationwide Gallup poll, for instance, showed only 19 percent feel abortion should be illegal under all circumstances. Twenty-two percent supported abortion on request. A minimum of 53 percent said it should be allowed if the woman's life or mental health is endangered or if she was a victim of rape or incest.

Unfortunately, it is a silent majority that supports the right to abortion. Congress, as it so often does, is listening to a vocal minority. I doubt that body would have approved Prohibition in 1917 had it been listening to the majority.

The key argument used against abortion is that it is immoral. Congress and those who would ban it choose to ignore

O-G senior citizens meet in Gagetown

Owen-Gage Senior Citizens met at the Gagetown fire hall July 3. The meeting was called to order by Mable Ondrajka by saying the Pledge to the Flag and Lord's Prayer. Forty members attended and 33 blood pressure checks were taken. Winners of the door prizes were Arthur Thomas and Mrs. Cecil Loomis. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomas joined the club. A get-well card was sent to Mrs. Eugene Comment. The next meeting will be a potluck dinner at the Municipal building in Owendale July 17.



FACE OF THE CROWD—The passing July 4th parade drew varying responses from this group of onlookers. One tyke to the right with his back turned presumably preferred to be elsewhere.

2 persons hospitalized in area accidents

Accidents in the Cass City area during the past week sent two persons to Hills and Dales General Hospital. Both were treated and released. Injured in a 6:50 p.m.

mishap Friday was Robert Van Holik, 17, of 7600 Reed Road.

Sheriff's deputies reported William C. Eberline, 35, of Cornwall Bridge, Conn., was southbound on Schwegler Road, south of Milligan Road, when his car went out of control and collided with the northbound Holik auto.

Eberline was ticketed on a charge of careless driving. Injured in the second accident was Beverly Ann Louks, 36, of 6632 Pine Street.

According to deputies, she was westbound on M-81, east of Spence Road, at 6:30 a.m. Monday when she slowed to turn left into a driveway. As she started to turn, she collided with a truck attempting to pass her, driven by Jeffrey L. Spencer, 27, of 4353 Dale Street.

Ms. Louks told officers she had her turn signal on; Spencer said she didn't. A similar accident took place at 4 p.m. Wednesday, July 2, on M-81, west of Cedar Run Road. No one was injured.

Duane E. Rushlo, 48, of Cedar Run Road, who was eastbound, started to turn left into a driveway while Archie F. McWilliams, 66, of Bad Axe, was attempting to pass him.

When McWilliams realized Rushlo was starting to turn, he attempted to pull back into the eastbound lane but ran into the rear of the Rushlo vehicle. The latter driver told officers he had his turn signal on; McWilliams said

he didn't see it.

Jonathan K. Brokaw, 38, of Davison, sought his own treatment after an accident at 3:30 p.m. Monday.

According to deputies, he was southbound on Hurds Corner Road, south of Little Road, when he lost control of his motorcycle on the gravel surface.

He was cited on a charge of speed too fast for conditions. Violet Schollaert, 33, of Cass City, was released June 30 from Scheurer Hospital in Pigeon, two days after the car she was driving collided with a train in that community. According to Pigeon police, she was northbound on Caseville Road, stopped at the crossing at M-142 but didn't notice the train and drove into its path. The impact spun her car around in a full circle.

OTHER ACCIDENTS

Kurt A. Urban, 18, of

Mayville, was cited by deputies on a charge of careless driving after a 3 a.m. accident Saturday in Ellington township.

Officers reported he was westbound on Deckerville Road, west of Orr Road, when a passenger grabbed the steering wheel, causing his car to hit a bridge guard rail.

At 10:05 a.m. Friday, according to Cass City police, Denice Russell, 25, of Owendale, ran into the rear of the car of Maurice C. Winchester, 30, of 5745 Walsh Road, Gagetown, which was in a line of traffic. The two vehicles were eastbound on Garfield Street, east of Doerr Road.

Caro state police reported that Dennis F. Nelson, 30, of 6617 Harris Road, Kingston, collided with a deer at 5:15 a.m. Wednesday, July 2, while he was northbound on Cemetery Road, south of Cartwright Road.

County board ok's court split - again

For the second time, the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners has voted to split from Lapeer county in order to form a separate circuit court district with its own judge.

The board voted the first time, 7-0, to approve the split on June 10, only to learn later the legislation authorizing the division required the approval by May 27.

Sen. Alvin DeGrow, R-Pigeon, sponsor of the original legislation, then introduced an amendment to extend the deadline to Aug. 1. It was approved by the Senate and House of Representatives, then signed by Gov. Milliken, Tuesday, after which the Tuscola board voted.

Its vote this time was 6-0, the difference being the absence of Ben Colton of Caro.

The Lapeer county board has also approved the split a second time.

Judge Patrick R. Joslyn will become the lone circuit judge of Tuscola county as of Jan. 1.

In other action, the board voted to become part of the Greater Saginaw Bay Fishing Consortium and appointed three representatives and two alternates to the group. No county funds will be involved.

Bridge bid opening set July 16

The Michigan Department of Transportation will be opening bids July 16 for construction of three single-span prestressed concrete box-beam bridges and approaches in Tuscola county.

The bridges are Decker-ville Road over Mud Creek, just east of Cemetery Road in Novesta township, Millington Road over Perry Creek and Vassar Road over Perry Creek, both west of Millington.

Total cost of the three is estimated at \$350,000 with completion dated scheduled in July, 1981.

LETTER TO EDITOR

July 4 breakfast praised

Dear Editor, I felt the need to write this letter for all the early risers who attended the pancake breakfast at the park on the 4th.

Not only was the food good, but what a pleasant sound of organ music was heard by all, as we ate our breakfast. Peter Kessler of 6681 Huron Street played beautiful soft, relaxing music on his organ that filled the early morning air.

What a very pleasant and wonderful way to start out the festivities at the park.

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July 4th Festival

Continued from page one. He added he will sit down and discuss possible solutions to traffic problems for future festivals with Police Chief Wilson and Department of Public Works Superintendent Frank Guilds.

The festival was primarily a day-time activity with the only night-time plans at the beer tent behind the Charmont, and a couple dances in the park.

Revelers could rock to the tunes of Windfall at the beer tent or dance to pop music records on the tennis courts. A square dance at the pavillion was also in progress until around midnight.

Winter found guilty of drunk driving

A Circuit Court jury last Thursday found Larry E. Winter guilty of a charge of driving under the influence of liquor (3rd offense).

Judge Norman A. Baguley, who presided over the two-day trial, continued bond until sentencing Aug. 18.

Winter, 30, of 704 S. Eighth Street, Sebawaing, was arrested on the charge Sept. 8, 1979, in Indianfields township by Caro state police.

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*'Wonderful, great'*

# Owendale celebrates 75th anniversary

"Wonderful, great," was Walt Howard's summation of the Owendale 75th Anniversary celebration that took place over the weekend.

Howard, as chairman, and the members of the celebration committee labored for a year and a half to put on the event.

Much of the effort was spent in putting on various fund raising events to pay for the basically free celebration. Included were bake sales, magic and variety shows and selling of pins.

Although some bills remain to be paid, Howard said, it appears the com-

mittee broke even financially. "By the skin of our teeth."

The fire department with its beer tent and Lions Club with its pancake and sausage breakfast Friday and chicken barbecue Saturday did substantially better financially. About 800 chicken dinners were sold Saturday afternoon.

The festival committee's hot dog, baked beans, cake and pop or coffee for 75 cents Sunday "went over with a big bang," with about 650 meals sold.

About the only event that didn't go over well, Howard said, was the Friday night teen dance, possibly because

it started too early.

Crowned Friday night to preside over the festival were senior citizen king and queen, Edmund and Bernadine Good, selected for the honor by the Owendale Senior Citizens, and Kristine Erickson as queen.

She was selected from a field of five candidates by a committee of judges at a luncheon June 26 sponsored by the Owendale Women's Club.

The other candidates were Becky Howard, Tracy Mitchell, Debra Nowaczyk and Dawn Wissner. Each was interviewed by the judges, with the winner being announced and

crowned Friday evening.

The queen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Erickson.

The Saturday morning parade, which started under threat of rain and ended under bright sunshine, lasted about 55 minutes.

Winning floats were: Best overall, Gettel's Implement, Pigeon; most humorous, Kelly's Bar, Kilmanagh and Huron Chevrolet, Bad Axe (joint sponsorship); best musical, Unionville-Sebewaing Area Senior Citizens Band; and best children's, Owendale United Methodist Church.

In the Saturday afternoon water ball contest, the Kinde

Fire Department was tops in the men's division, followed by Harbor Beach and Owendale.

The two women's teams from Owendale, the firemen's wives, and anniversary committee, finished first and second respectively in their division.

In the Blue Water Pony Pullers Association sanctioned event Sunday afternoon, Rick DeWitt of Oxford won the 44-inch lightweight class, with Bob Davidson, Owendale, second; and Vic Kramer, Lake Orion, third. There were six teams entered.

Of the seven teams in the 48-inch heavyweight class, Charlie Kline, North Branch, was first; Gale Schwalm, Caseville, second; and Lloyd Mahaffy, Marlette, third.

The final competitive event Sunday afternoon was the tug of war, with the two winning teams repeating their Friday victories at the Cass City 4th of July celebration.

Miller Thrillers of Unionville-Sebewaing took top spot of the 10 men's teams entered, with Ridge Runners of Sebewaing second (also second at Cass City) and Howard Heating of Cass City, third.

Craig's Queens-Cole Carbide, Cass City, was the best of the five women's teams, with Blaney's Chicks and Blaney's Seedlings, both of Sebewaing, second and third respectively.



**BEARD CONTEST WINNERS** at the Owendale 75th Anniversary were, from left, Russell French, Clifford, longest beard; Alex Kovach, Owendale, funniest; Elwood (Bud) McDonald, Owendale, longest mustache; Walt Howard, Owendale, best shaped, and Lloyd Fritz, Pigeon, most dignified. Howard was chairman of the anniversary committee.

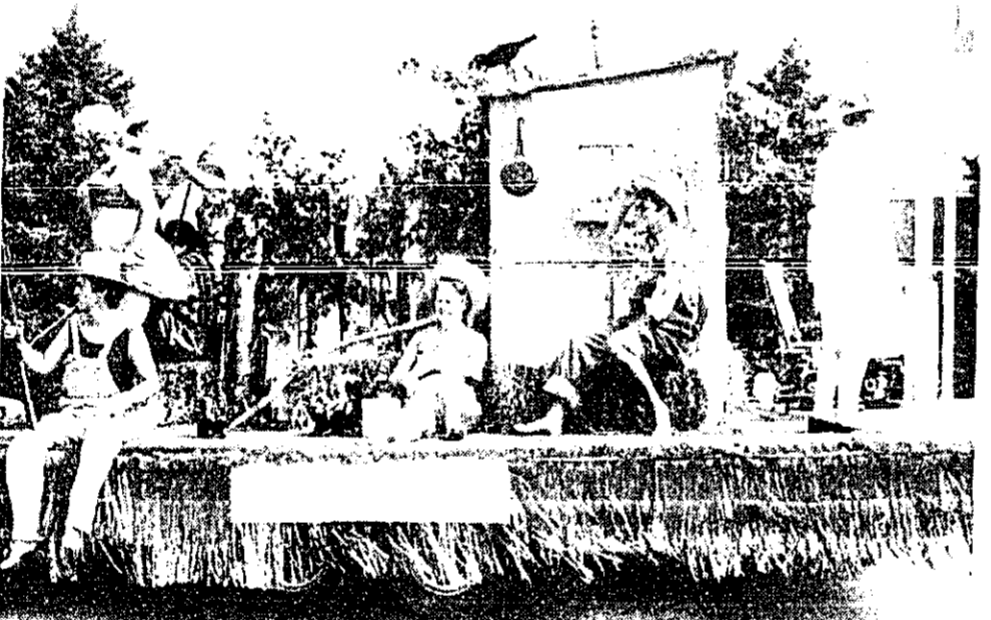
The average size of a U.S. farm increased from 427 acres in 1975 to 450 acres in 1979. The Agriculture Department expects another three acres will be added to the average in 1980.



**FIRE FIGHT**—The Elmwood Township - Gagetown Fire Department had the misfortune of drawing the Kinde department in the first round of Saturday's water ball contest at Owendale. Gagetown lost and Kinde went on to win the championship. At the nozzle end for Gagetown was Fire Chief Chuck Wright.



**KRIS ERICKSON** reigned as queen of the Owendale 75th Anniversary. She will be a senior at Owen-Gage High School this fall.



**MOST HUMOROUS**—The float sponsored by Kelly's Bar of Kilmanagh and Huron Chevrolet of Bad Axe won the trophy for the most humorous float in the Owendale 75th Anniversary parade Saturday morning.



**STRIKE UP THE BAND**—The Owendale-Gagetown High School band performed a concert in front of the high school at noon Saturday as part of the Owendale celebration.

**David Opal 'outstanding young man'**

David R. Opal of 4141 Koepfen Road has been chosen as one of the Outstanding Young Men of America by the United States Jaycees.

The award is in recognition of the achievements of young men age 21-36.

It honors their outstanding civic and professional contributions to their community.

Opal serves as administrator for the Huron County Medical Care Facility in Bad Axe. He has also served on various civic and professional organizations.

Although not directly related with the Jaycees, Opal has done work for the Lions Club in Bad Axe. He has also served such professional groups as the Michigan Counties Medical Care Facility Council, the American College of Nursing Home Administrators and the National Association of Health Facility Administrators.

Opal is also involved with the Deford Community Church, of which he is a member.

Opal expressed pleasure upon receiving the award. "It really is a nice recognition and it did come as somewhat of a surprise."

Along with a certificate of recognition, Opal's name and biography will be published in an annual volume that lists other honorees.

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**OWENDALE ROYALTY** — Edmund and Bernadine Good presided over the Owendale 75th Anniversary as senior citizen king and queen.







# Red Hawks to host summer cage tourney

The Cass City High School basketball team will play host to seven other teams this weekend during the sixth annual Cass City summer basketball tournament.

Coach Ron Nurnberger said he expects Cass City to fall somewhere in the middle of the pack which includes such powerhouses as state Class B runner-up Saginaw Eisenhower as well as some smaller Class C teams.

The Red Hawks are in a rebuilding year and will be playing a lot of juniors.

Last year the team came out on top of its summer tournament.

Nurnberger said he looks upon such tournaments as good experience in preparation for the winter season.

"This kind of competition does us good in the summer. We just hope to improve with each tournament that comes along until the regular season," he explained.

So far the team has a 6-4 record after three summer tournaments. Following the Cass City Tournament the

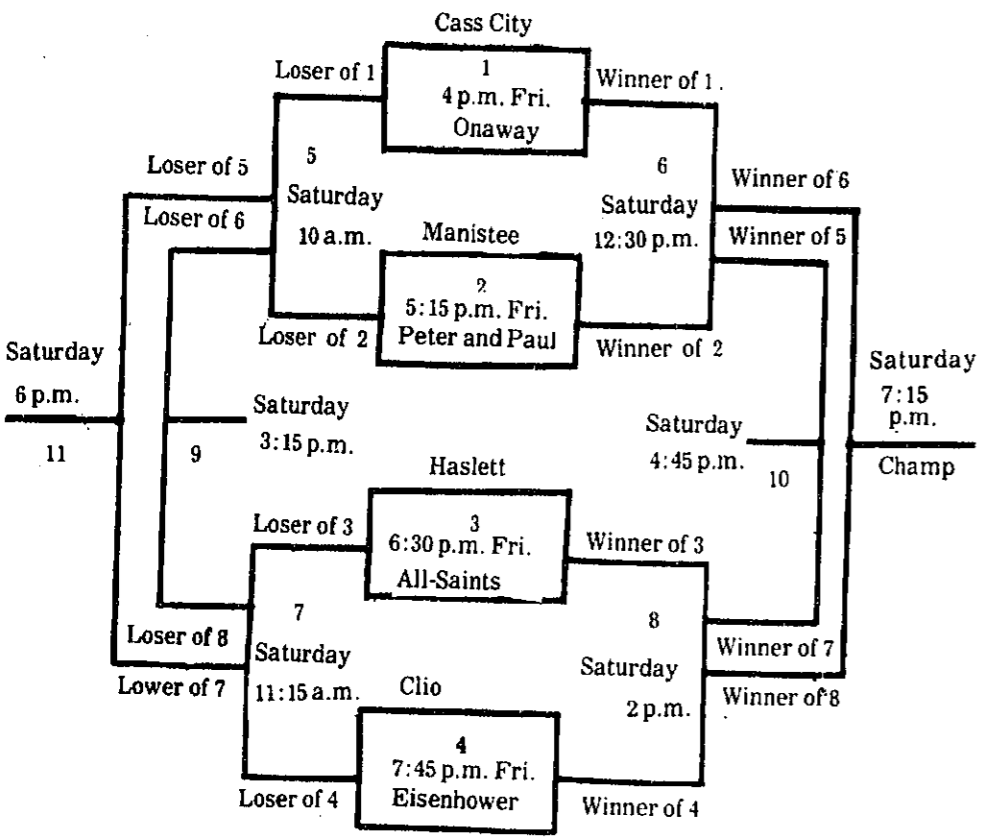
team will play in one more group contest at Clare July 18 and 19.

Among the teams that will be appearing at the high school gymnasium th Friday and Saturday at Saginaw Saints Peter ar Paul and Bay City All-Sain which Nurnberger terms "the two top parochi schools in the area."

Also participating fro Class B will be Maniste Class A will be represent by Clio and the group rounded out by Haslett an Onaway, both Class teams.



**TOP SPOTS --**  
The four first place finishers in the men's and women's categories of the Pace-setter's Run are, from left, Robert Sigsby, men's 10-kilometer; Dale Hool, men's 5-kilometer; Shelly Billock, women's 5-kilometer, and Barb Irwin, women's 10-kilometer.



# Millers take top tug

The Miller Thrillers tug-of-war team from the Unionville-Sebewaing area earned the right to call itself the best in the Thumb last weekend.

Friday, the team won the Cass City Fourth of July Festival tug by twice defeating last year's champions, the Ridge Runners from Sebawaing. The team downed the Runners first in a preliminary round of the double elimination tournament and once again in the finals.

Coming in third was the Oxhorn Inn of Bach.

The Miller team, organized this year, started the season with second place in the Elkton Strawberry Festival, the weekend of June 21-22, then won the Sebawaing Sugar Festival the next weekend.

After Cass City, it made it three wins straight when the squad, named after the members' favorite beer, won the Owendale 75th Anniversary tug-of-war Sunday, again by defeating

the Ridge Runners. There were 12 men's teams entered at Cass City. In the women's division, only two teams entered, which agreed to only one tug, instead of best two of three.

The Craig's Queens-Cole Carbide team, organized only that day, defeated the Cass City Lionsess Club.

The Queens also journeyed to Owendale Sunday, and also won first place there.

(Photos section 2, page 1.)



# Chip Shots

- FLIGHT 1**
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  - Mike Murphy 22
  - Carl Palmer 22
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  - Bill Kritzman 21
  - Dick Wallace 20
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  - Maynard Helwig 19
  - Dale McIntosh 19
  - Bill Repshinska 19
  - Newell Harris 19
  - Ken Maharg 18
  - Larry Davis 18
  - Gary Hornbacher 17
  - George Mika 17
  - Dana Truemner 17
  - 9

- FLIGHT 2**
- Jude Patnaude 24
  - Mike Brown 23
  - Don Ouvry 21
  - Dave Romig 21
  - Jerry Houghton 20
  - Alva Allen 20
  - Phil Robinson 19
  - Ernie Teichman 19
  - John Maharg 17
  - Russ Richards 17
  - Linda Herron 16
  - Linda Marshall 16
  - Clude Wells 16
  - Chuck Gunther 15
  - John Haire 15
  - Don Eria 14
  - Bill Ewald 14
  - Steve Fobear 14

- FLIGHT 3**
- Nat Tuttle 25
  - Gib Albee 22
  - Dick Hampshire 21
  - Gary Diebel 20
  - Dave Hoard 20
  - Aime Ouvry 20
  - Roger Marshall 19
  - Ron Ouvry 19
  - Ken Zdrojewski 19
  - Gary Jones 18
  - Bob Stickle 18
  - Bruce Thompson 18
  - Louis Franks 16
  - Earl Harris 15
  - Jan Hunt 14
  - Jim Bauer 13
  - Ron Geiger 13
  - Clark Boylan 12

- FLIGHT 4**
- Nancy Ruggles 17
  - Rosie Bushong 15
  - Ruth Grassman 15
  - Verna May MacRae 13
  - Pat Bruce 12
  - Marilyn Carpenter 12
  - Joyce Hornbacher 12
  - Sharon Powell 12
  - Marian Umpfenbach 11
  - Clara Gaffney 10
  - Karen Fischer 8

### Standings

**WOMEN'S SOFTBALL STANDINGS**

W	L
Chuck's	7 0
20/20	4 3
Mr. P.	1 5
Dairy Queen	1 6
Ten Pins	0 7

### CASS CITY DIVISION

W	L
Charmont	6 1
Colony House	6 1
IGA	4 3
Wildwood	3 4
B&V Interprize	2 5

# Race draws more the second time around

Although the second annual 5 and 10-kilometer Pace-setter's Run attracted about 20 fewer runners than last year, overall participants probably increased.

# Bowling

**THURSDAY NITE MIXED**  
July 3, 1980

- Kelly Bros. Home**
- High Rollers 14
  - The In-Laws 13
  - Lucky's Kountry Korner 13
  - Turkeys 11
  - X-Rated 10
  - Four in a row 9
  - High Rollers 9
  - The In-Laws 9
  - Lucky's Kountry Korner 8
  - Turkeys 8
  - X-Rated 6

- FLIGHT 1**
- Esther Reagh 16
  - Mary Hutchinson 15
  - Mary Rabideau 14
  - Toby Weaver 13
  - Dolores Tuckey 13
  - Nelle Maharg 12
  - Elaine Proctor 12
  - Linda Herron 12
  - Linda Marshall 11
  - Clude Wells 10
  - Romain 520, M. Terbush 446, R. Kelly 436. 10
  - Women's High Series - E. Romain 520, M. Terbush 446, R. Kelly 436. 10
  - Men's High Series - L. Tomaszewski 596, D. Romain 575, J. Fuller 545, C. Russell 534, B. Coryell 499, F. Huett 497, E. Paladi 492. 6

- FLIGHT 2**
- Carol Ware 16
  - Mary Rabideau 16
  - Mary Lou Erla 16
  - Colleen Krueger 16
  - Linda Helwig 14
  - Vera Ferguson 12
  - M. Zdrojewski 11
  - Sherryl Seeley 10
  - Gene Palmer 9
  - Marilyn Peters 8
  - Jan Kritzman 8
  - Norma Wallace 6

- FLIGHT 3**
- Bev Perry 18
  - Doris Golding 14
  - Pat McIntosh 14
  - Jan Hunt 14
  - Naomi Barnes 12
  - Doris Jones 12
  - Enid Craig 12
  - Vicki Wolak 10
  - Kathy Weitschat 10
  - Celia House 10
  - Sandy Robinson 9
  - Ann Henderson 8

- TUESDAY NIGHT SUMMER LADIES**  
July 1, 1980
- Pussy Cats 14
  - Mouseketeers 13 1/2
  - Scobie Doo's 13
  - Turners Traders 12
  - The Gooffs 11
  - Summer Breezes 10
  - Crazy Ladies 8 1/2
  - Lucky's Kountry Korner 8
  - The Money Changers 8
  - Image 8
  - Mixed Nuts 7
  - Unionville Stars 7

- Team High Game - Mouseketeers 738.**  
**Team High Series - Pussy Cats 2006.**  
**High Series - L. Yost 565, V. Shemko 503.**  
**High Game - L. Yost 202.**

# Cozy Corner Saloon wins softball tournament

Cozy Corner Saloon of Flint was the winner Sunday of the second annual Cass City Jaycee fast-pitch softball tournament, held in the village park in conjunction with the 4th of July festival.

Cass City had to go eight innings (seven is standard) to defeat Thumb National Bank of Pigeon, 8-2.

Receiving the trophy for most valuable pitcher in the tournament was Brian Helwig, Osestoski Realty, best defensive player, Jim Place, Cozy Corner; best offensive, Kevin Bitzer, Chuck's Sports World; and best all-around, Tom Bender, Thumb National.

The team downed Chuck's Sports World of Caro, 6-1, to win the title. Both squads finished 6-1 overall, with the Sport World's team's one loss being in the division games, although it still was top team in the White Division.

The tournament began Thursday evening and continued all-day Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Each team played the other five

teams in its division once, with the top two teams in each division qualifying for the Sunday afternoon playoffs.

In addition to those teams mentioned, others competing were Charmont, Cass City; Cubby's Bar, Bay City; Gaertner's Roaring '20s, Saginaw; Shu's Place, Frankenmuth, the defending champion; AIM Enterprises, Bay City; Sugartown Party Store, Bay City; Hamilton Street Pub, Saginaw; and Center Road Bar, Bay City.



**THE COZY CORNER SALOON** team of Flint won the Jaycee fast-pitch softball tournament which ended at the Cass City Recreation Park Sunday. Front row, from left, Dan Cooper, Ray Ascencio, Jesse Olivo, Mike Harvey, Don Loomis, Pat Inman, Denny Cooper. Back row, Dan Rice, Bill McNew, Jim McRill, Joe Benge, Ken McClaine, Jim Place, Harold Inman and Ken Klein.

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**TOP TUGGERS**—The Miller Thrillers tug-of-war team won first place at the Cass City and Owendale festivals over the weekend. Front row, from left, coach Mike Vermeersch, Randy Ewald, Bryce Kunding, Randy Faber, John Isaacs, coach Bruce Loeffler. Back row, captain Todd Rievert, coach Jeff Gallow, Jim Bauer, Bruce Kunding, Paul Kemp, Mark Treiber, Ed Kemp, Cole Dickson. The team is from the Unionville-Sebewaing area. (Story on sports page.)



**SWING YOUR PARTNERS**—Square dancers obviously had a swinging good time. The Rocking Eights Square Dance Club of Caro sponsored the event Friday evening for veterans and beginners.



**THE FLINT SCOTTISH BAND** performed in front of the grandstand after marching in the July 4th parade in Cass City.



**FEMALE TUGGERS**—The Craig's Queens-Cole Carbide team had to defeat the Cass City Lioness Club, the only other team to enter, to win the 4th of July tug of war Friday. It won again at the Owendale 75th Anniversary Festival Sunday. Front row, from left, Phyllis Gabler, Beabe McLachlan, Beth Sieradzki, Missy Kelley. In between, Joann Peters. Back row, Wendy Kelley, Krystal Meeker, coach Craig Kelley, Sharon Lowe, Padgett Randall, Paula Alexander.



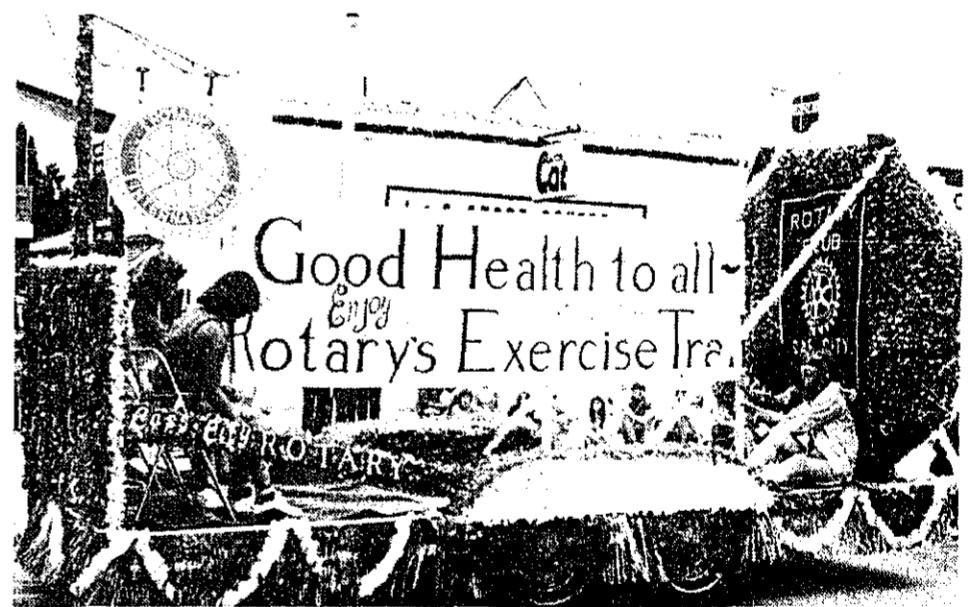
**HEAVE, HO**—Members of the Ridge Runners team of Sebewaing exhibited various facial expressions and styles during their pull, against Miller Thrillers at Cass City Friday. Their final expressions weren't smiles as the defending champs lost to the Thrillers twice.



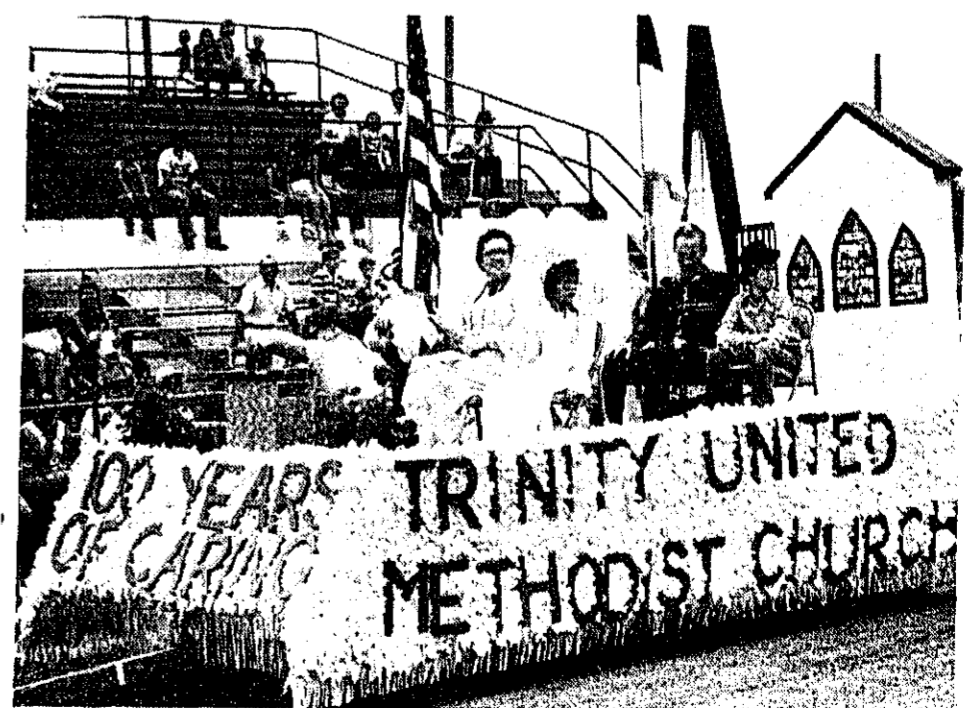
**GEORGE AND ROYEEN HEINS**, sponsored by the Lions Club, were king and queen of the July 4th festival. They won a weekend stay in Traverse City.



**PROVINCIAL HOUSE** won a first place trophy for the second year in a row. Its float was tops in the miscellaneous category, followed by Deford Cub Scout Pack #3593, second, and Bay City St. Patrick's, third.



**SERVICE CLUB AND FRATERNAL** division float winner was the entry of Cass City Rotary, with its theme of the exercise trail it is building in the village park. The Lions Club took second and Business and Professional Women, third.



**TOPS IN CHURCHES** - The Cass City Trinity United Methodist Church float was judged best in the church division in the Fourth of July parade. Its theme of "100 years of caring" celebrated the centennial of its church building this year. Second was the float of the First Presbyterian Church and third, Novesta Church of Christ.

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**Democrats to meet**

The Sanilac County Democratic Party will hold its meeting Friday at 8 p.m. at the Civic Center in Sandusky.  
Plans will be made for the 8th District Steering Committee meeting July 20 from 3-6 p.m. Sanilac County will be the host.  
Refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome.



**AROUND THE FARM  
Bean field monitoring**

By William Bortel

A special bean monitoring project has been initiated in Tuscola County.  
The project is through the cooperation of the Michigan Farm Expo funds, Tuscola County Board of Com-

missioners and the Tuscola Cooperative Extension Service.

Barbara Bilitzke of Caro has been hired for six weeks to monitor bean fields throughout Tuscola County for insects and diseases. She will be walking fields primarily looking for problems.

With the tremendous increase in pinto and black turtle bean acreage in Tuscola county and the Thumb in 1980, we are sitting on a potential powder keg of insect and disease problems.

The finance committee of Michigan Farm Expo determined this to be a priority project in 1980 and hired a monitor. There were a few dollars left in the Expo account following the Farm Expos of 1976 and 1977.

Ms. Bilitzke will be bringing individual samples of insects and potential diseases to the Extension Office in Caro for positive identification. Summaries of the week's finds will be used in newspapers and on local radio. Travel expenses will be paid by the county Board of Commissioners from county funds.

**Akron Fund Fair set July 26**

For many years, some citizens have been hoping that their idea of a sidewalk from the Akron village park to the center of town would be a reality.

The First Annual Fund Fair, Saturday, July 26, is a drive to meet that goal.

Cyclists, pedestrians and school children would be safer on such a sidewalk. It would enhance the appearance of the village

and point to the pride the citizens have in their community.

About 2,000 feet of sidewalk is needed at a cost of approximately \$6,500. Donations and pledges are part of the drive. The Fund Fair is to offer more financial support.

The fair will be at the village park from 10 a.m. until dark.

A 7-mile walk or 14-mile bike ride kicks off the day, leaving from the park at 10. A chicken barbecue will be served from 1-7 p.m.

Other activities will include arts and crafts and flea market stalls, alternate energy displays, Boy Scout dunking pond, entertainment for children, refreshments and an auction at 6 p.m. of donated saleable items, excluding clothing.

**Organic farm group to meet**

The Thumb area chapter of Organic Growers of Michigan will meet Thursday, July 17, at 7 p.m. at the farm of Kay and Joe Scrimger, 4550 Barnes Road, Clifford. There will be a farm tour, discussion on farm certification and business meet-

**Energy meeting Thursday**

Jerry and Roger Cantu of Saginaw will discuss the home-sized ethanol production unit they market, at the Tuscola County Energy Society meeting this Thursday.

It will start at 7:30 p.m. in the basement meeting room of the county jail in Caro, behind the courthouse.

It and future meetings will be on the second Thursday of each month. In addition to the public, dealers are invited to bring promotional literature on any phase of alternative energy.

**New books at the library**

**NO LOVE LOST**, by Helen Van Slyke (fiction). In 1939, Lindsay Thresher, 19 years old and pampered only daughter of a wealthy businessman, marries young Geoff Murray secretly. Her love for Geoff transcends mere material possessions—or so Lindsay thinks at first. Not even to her family or her best friend will she admit that she might have been too hasty in marrying Geoff. This novel of changing love and misplaced passion is by the author of "A Necessary Woman" and "The Best Place to Be."

**SINS OF THE FATHERS**, by Susan Howatch (fiction). A sequel to "The Rich Are Different," "Sins of the Fathers" concentrates on the lives of the wealthy Van Zale family—particularly Van Zale's nephew and heir, Cornelius, and his daughter Vicky. In a world of American heirs and heiresses, Susan Howatch explores the effects of the past betrayals on the present and future. In a saga of dreams, both realized and shattered, Victoria Van Zale is a survivor. She fights her father's practice of ruthlessly inflicting his power on those who threaten him.

**ENERGY PRIMER: SOLAR, WIND, WATER AND BIO-FUELS**, by Richard Merrill (non-fiction). An oversized book which covers all forms of alternative energy—solar water and space heaters, water wheels, wood-burning heaters, windmills and biofuels (methane digesters, alcohol stills, etc.), this volume explains the processes used and the hardware involved in these alternate energy forms as well as providing a discussion of installation, cost and use. The emphasis is on small-scale systems for individuals or small groups, and the book emphasizes the need to conserve and to build passive solar systems into all new structures.

**New wheat meeting this Thursday**

Wheat producers, industry personnel and others interested in the new wheat varieties are invited to a meeting Thursday evening, July 10.

The two newest wheat varieties adapted for this area, Frankennuth and Augusta, will be on display.

The meeting will be at the Harold Hickey farm starting at 7. The Hickey farm is three miles west of Fairgrove on M-138 and north on Garner Road, one-half mile.

The two new varieties have outyielded Arthur and Abe by 17 percent, outyielded Tecumseh and Genesee, 13 percent, Ionia by 10

percent and Yorkstar by 3 percent.

The two new varieties are soft white and both have excellent pastry quality, according to Bill Bortel, Tuscola County Extension Director.

Dr. Russell Freed, wheat plant breeder at Michigan State University, will be present.

**Milk output continues to increase**

Production of milk on Michigan farms totaled 431 million pounds during May 1980, 3 percent above the same month in 1979.

This figure reflects a 30 pound rise in productivity per cow coupled with a 1,000 head increase in cow population. The state's 395,000 cows averaged a total of 1,090 pounds of milk per cow during May, according to the Michigan Agricultural Reporting Service.

Dairymen received an average of \$12.90 per hundredweight for milk during the month, 11 percent higher than a year ago. Slaughter cows went for \$47.50 per cwt., \$9.20 below the 1979 selling price.

The price to replace a milk cow continues to rise. This month's cost, at \$1,220 is 9 percent above the 1979 cost and doubles the 1978 price.

National May milk production totaled 11.6 billion pounds, up 3 percent from May, 1979. Production per cow averaged 1,075 pounds, 31 pounds above a year earlier. Milk cows averaged 10.8 million head for May, up 47,000 head from last year, but 21,000 below May, 1978.

Dairy products manufactured in Michigan during April, 1980 increased substantially from 1979. Butter output increased 29 percent to 4.3 million pounds. American cheese production totaled over 2.1 million pounds, 28 percent higher. Ice cream production in Michigan is up 18 percent from 1979 to over 3.1 million gallons.

**Barley meeting July 16**

Malting barley producers, industry personnel and others are invited to attend the 1980 Thumb malting barley twilight meeting Wednesday, July 16, at the barley nursery plots.

The special twilight meeting will replace the tour, according to Bill Bortel, Tuscola County extension director.

Stop Number 1, 7 p.m. -- Wallace Hecht farm, 3225 Bradford Road, 1 1/2 miles east of Richville to Bradford Road and north a half-mile. Michigan State University malting barley research plots are located at this farm.

8 p.m. - John Harrington farm, 2586 Bradleyville Road, 3 1/2 miles east of Reese to Bradleyville Road, then south 1 1/4 miles. The malting barley outlook and reports will be presented followed by liquid refreshments and bratwurst.

The evening will feature a tour of malting barley research plots with Jim Nelson, malting barley breeding program coordinator at Michigan State University, plus a look at new malting barley varieties, Red River Valley barley outlook, Thumb barley outlook, Stroh's Brewery report, Rickel Malting report and delivery of the 1980 crop.

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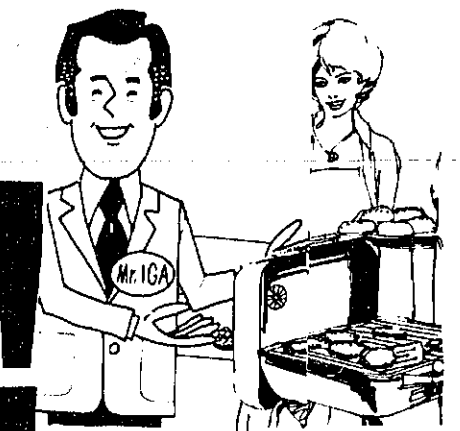
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<p><b>Hunts Prima Salsa 99¢</b></p> <p>Limit 1 • 32 oz. Jar</p>	<p><b>Lipton Tea Bags \$1.99</b></p> <p>Limit 1 • 100 Ct. Pkg.</p>	<p><b>FAME Kitchen Bags 99¢</b></p> <p>Limit 1 • 15 Ct. Box</p>	<p><b>FAME Saltines 2/\$1</b></p> <p>Limit 2 • 16 oz. Boxes</p>	<p><b>Sta Puf Softener \$1.49</b></p> <p>Limit 1 • 64 oz. Jug</p>	<p><b>Maxwell House Coffee \$4.59</b></p> <p>Limit 1 • 10 oz. Jar</p>
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\*Limit one coupon per family. Coupon and seven dollar (\$7.00) purchase required, excluding Beer, Wine, Cigarettes or other coupon items. Coupon expires Saturday, July 12, 1980. N-R

### 5 area students given academic honors at CMU

Three Cass Cityans and two persons from Ubyly have been awarded academic honors for the winter semester at Central Michigan University.

Scott Richards, 4642 N. Seeger Street; Ross Ridenour, 4885 N. Seeger Street; and Barb Tuckey, 4533 Downing Street, all had grade point averages of 3.5 or above.

Richards had a perfect average of all A's for the semester.

Donald Zurek, 4372 Washington Street, and William Osentoski, Route 2, both of Ubyly, also received honors. Osentoski also had straight A's.

Laugh at trouble and you're on the right road to happiness.

## Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

### FIVE YEARS AGO

The Wickes Agriculture elevator (formerly Michigan Bean) in Cass City will be enlarged this summer with the addition of two huge concrete silos adjoining the present silo plant, according to local manager Robert Wischmeyer.

Raymond J. Hund, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hund of Ubyly, was one of 828 graduates who received degrees from Michigan Technological University in Houghton.

Prospects for the Cass City municipal swimming

pool took a giant step forward when Robert H. Keating announced that the Stevens estate, which will fund the major share of construction, has been declared non-taxable.

### TEN YEARS AGO

Two new ministers, Rev. James Van Dellen and Rev. E.D.K. Isaacs, assumed pastorates this week in Cass City churches.

Cass City School officials are cautiously optimistic that a special summer

program for 90 needy children in progress at Campbell Elementary School will succeed. The program costs \$13,000, funded by the federal government.

Ken Eisinger assumed his new duties as president of Rotary for 1970-71, succeeding Lambert Althaver.

Cass City Schools will receive 13 1/2 percent more in state aid funds for the 1970-71 school year than it did during the past school year, Supt. Don Crouse reported after passage of the school aid act by the Michigan legislature.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Walter J. Gamble, 86, co-publisher of the Cass City Times, recently reviewed in the Chronicle, was a visitor to the community over the Fourth of July holiday.

Mrs. Dugald Brown celebrated her 80th birthday anniversary July 6 and her many relatives and friends and neighbors remembered her with a birthday card shower.

A circulation of 618 books and collection of \$13.81 in fees and penal fines during the month of June was reported by librarian, Mrs. Arthur Little.

Prosperity is on the march in Tuscola County, with families earning more and spending more than those in most sections of the United States. Business activity in Tuscola County reached new heights in the past year, with retail stores chalking up a sales volume of \$36.4 million in 1979, compared to \$34.4 million the previous year.

### THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Two barns in the vicinity of Gageton were struck by lightning and burned to the ground Wednesday night. One barn was on the Robert Wills farm occupied by Dennis Rocheleau; the other belonged to William Hinton.

George Bartle, in charge of the lumber yard of the Farm Produce Co. for many years and Herbert Maharg, bookkeeper, have resigned from their positions. Watson Spaven, bookkeeper at the grain elevator of the company, has been placed in charge of the lumber yard.

Marjorie Myerholts of Morenci will be the new home economics instructor at Cass City High School.

## Bean queen entrants needed

The Sanilac County Dry Bean Growers are again sponsoring this year's bean queen contest. The 1979 and now reigning queen is Debbie Mahaffy of Snover. The new Sanilac County Bean Queen will be crowned Aug. 8 at this year's Sanilac County 4-H Fair.

The contest is open to any daughter of a Sanilac County farmer who has grown beans in the last five years. She must be 17-25 years of age and unmarried. Judging will be on poise, posture and knowledge of beans and bean growing practices. She will be judged by three local judges following a complimentary dinner. The winner will receive \$50 from the Michigan Bean Commission and compete for the state bean queen title at Fairgrove on Labor Day.

Entry blanks can be picked up at any elevator or feed dealer, the Farm Bureau Office or the extension office. Also, the Bean Growers board members have applications. They are: John Knoerr, John Parrent, Dave Jansen and Douglas Campbell, Sandusky; Earl Fischer and Lloyd Flannigan, Marlette; Gilbert Clark, Croswell, and John Tanton and Bob Kirkpatrick, Deckerville.

All entry blanks must be turned in to the extension office, 37 Austin Street, Sandusky, by July 18.

## Finkbeiner given award on submarine

Jeff Finkbeiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Finkbeiner, 4137 Maple Street, Cass City, has been awarded a silver dolphin by the commander of the Navy submarine on which he serves, J. A. MacGregor.



Jeff Finkbeiner

The award was presented May 7. It means the recipient is qualified to be in the submarine service, according to MacGregor, that he has exhibited proficiency, personal integrity, hard work and self-sacrifice.

Finkbeiner returned home May 16 for a 10-day leave after being on patrol 117 days, The USS Kamehameha on which he serves was under water 70 of those days. It was his third cruise on the submarine. He joined the Navy in January, 1979.

He is now attending submarine school at New London, Conn., until the next cruise. The Kamehameha is homeported at Charleston, S.C.

## Immunization clinics set in Sanilac

The Sanilac County Health Department will conduct its monthly immunization clinics July 22 and 29 at its office at 115 N. Elk Street, Sandusky.

Hours both days will be 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-4 p.m. Persons whose last names begin with A-M should attend the first day; N-Z the second day.

Children two months and older can attend. A parent or guardian must accompany their child and are urged to bring a record of previous immunizations.

Immunizations for diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, measles, mumps, rubella and polio will be available free of charge. A \$2 fee is charged for employment-required tuberculin skin tests, which are no longer required to enter school.

Immunization records can be reviewed on clinic days and a schedule established for future shots. More than one visit may be necessary since the basic series requires at least a year to complete and boosters may be required at different time intervals.

## HEALTH TIPS Calories do count when dieting

Frank Chappell  
Science News Editor  
AMA

In dieting we hear a lot about calories.

One popular diet book some years ago was titled "Calories Don't Count." The only problem with this title is that calories do indeed count. Whether you count 'em or not, it's calorie balance (intake vs. output) that determines weight.

Think of calories as fuel, the fuel that is used to keep you alive, alert and moving, says a pamphlet from the American Medical Association. If you take in more fuel each day than your body can use, the excess is stored.

Most people leading moderately active lives need about 15 calories per pound to maintain their weight. So if you want to stay, say, at 150 pounds, you can eat foods containing no more than 2,250 calories each day.

But if you're well above your ideal weight, you'll have to cut back on your calorie intake and use more of the stored fuel. There are approximately 3,500 calories in each pound of stored fat.

## Pre-marriage seminar set in Caro July 27

All couples planning on marriage this summer are invited to attend a pre-marriage seminar presented by Catholic Family Service of the Thumb.

The seminar is scheduled Sunday, July 27, from 12:15-5:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Parish Educational Center in Caro.

To pre-register, call C.F.S. at Bad Axe, 269-7931, before July 25th.

It costs more to support one bad habit than many good ones.

## Alcohol fuels conference Saturday

U.S. Sen. Carl Levin is sponsoring a gasohol-alcohol fuels conference Saturday from 9 a.m. to about 3 p.m. in the main ballroom of Mott Community College, 1401 E. Court Street, Flint.

Topics will be production and use of alcohol fuels, federal assistance for alcohol fuels and "can alcohol fuels be profitable?"

Speakers will be from various U.S. government agencies, Michigan Agri-Fuels, Inc., Mott Community College, Ford Motor Co., Michigan Energy Administration, Mid-America Solar Energy Complex, Nap-Sol Refining Co. and National Bank of Detroit.

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Hi & Dry Paper Towels	.79	<b>.69</b>
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14 oz. Metamucil	6.39	<b>5.43</b>
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## Armyworms a possible threat

The combination of a mild winter and currently favorable weather conditions may be boosting armyworm populations to threatening levels.

Because of the potential for devastating crop damage, Rex Sieting, Sanilac County extension director, is urging growers to begin checking all croplands for armyworms.

Substantial populations of armyworms have already been found in northwestern Ohio. In Michigan, they have been detected in Montcalm, Clinton, Ingham, Mecosta, Cass, Midland and St. Joseph Counties. Most damage to date has occurred in corn, where the worms have been stripping corn leaves and feeding in the plant whorls.

At this time of year, armyworm damage is most easily detected in corn. If the insect is found on corn, farmers should immediately check fields in which small grains are grown.

Last year, the armyworm did serious damage to crops throughout the Upper Peninsula and in many areas throughout southern lower Michigan. The history of this insect indicates that farmers will have to remain alert to avoid armyworm problems that could get out of control.

Insecticide should be applied if three or more armyworms are found around each plant. In addition to the currently recommended insecticides, Lorsban can be used against the armyworm in corn at one pound active ingredient per acre.

Farmers with questions should call their county extension office.

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**Local youth attend camp**

Fourth and fifth grade youth from Salem United Methodist church who are attending junior camp at Bay Shore, Sebawaing, are Julie Loomis, Kathleen Leino, Tina Furness, Eric Inbody, Becky Mosher, Deanna Hutchinson and Lana Harris.

Becky Loomis is camp director and others from Salem church assisting are Larry Robinson and Colleen Auen.

Those from Trinity United Methodist church attending the camp this week are Jane Dickinson, Kathy Marshall, Mike Jones, Darren Ross, Patrick Murphy, Jason McCollum, Mark Albee, Andrea Isard and Pam Nieboer.

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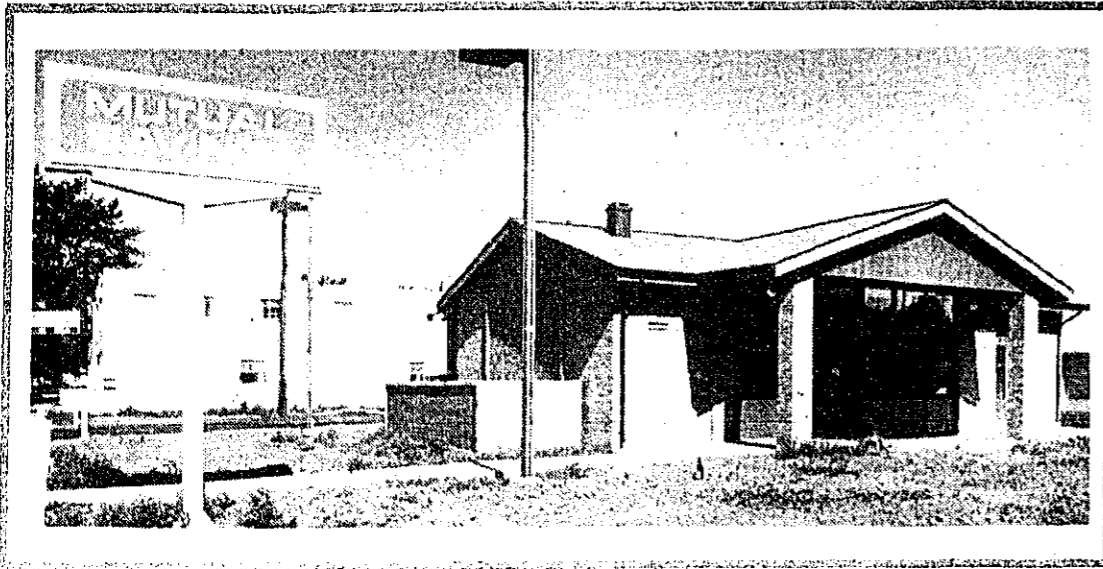
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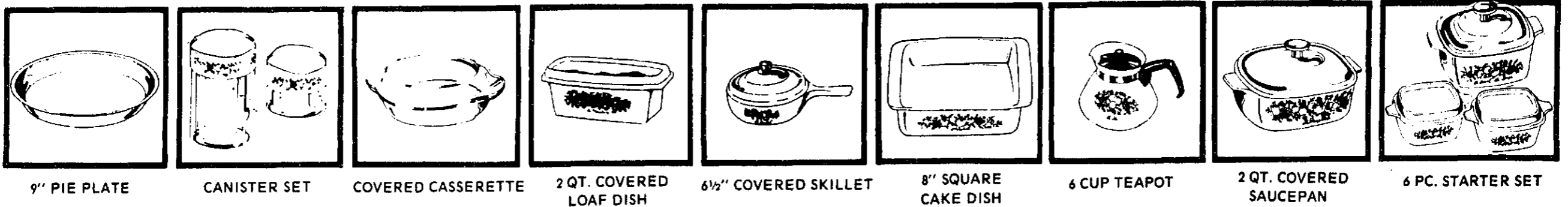
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