

Lonnie Wilson participates in Lions band

Lonnie Wilson was one of 123 young musicians from 51 high schools throughout Michigan who represented the Lions of Michigan at the Lions International Convention in Chicago, which started July 1.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson of 6633 Gage Street, Gagetown, and will be a senior at Cass City High School this fall.

The band performed in the Chicago area for three days, then was the featured band at Marriott's Great America park in Gurnee, Ill., July 4th.

The musicians toured the Wisconsin Dells, then performed at a lumbermen's festival at Curtis in the Upper Peninsula. Their final concert was at the Mackinac Island State Park July 7.


Miss Wilson returned home the following day.

Members of the Lions All-State Band had to be recommended by their high school band director and principal prior to competing for a position in the band.

Miss Wilson plans to participate in the band next year, when the Lions convention will be in Phoenix.

ALLEN J. LEWIS

Republican for County Commissioner District One, Sanilac County



Taxpayer
Married, wife Kathleen
Three Children, all on their own
Retired Farmer, United Methodist minister
Education: High School, College, BA degree, Seminary, M. Div. degree
Thirty years in the ministry, taught four years in Sandusky Community High School
Resident of Sanilac County, village of Snover 18 years
Served on County Board of Canvassers six years, Chairman of Sanilac County Economic Opportunity Committee and Sanilac Co. Community Board of Mental Health since '76
Member of Lions International, Blue Water Council, Boy Scouts, Farm Bureau, and active Republican
35 years experience in administration and serving people
Was a candidate two years ago
Desires to represent the people and return government to the people where it belongs

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Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

The Cass City Board of Education declined to endorse a .6 mill levy for the Tuscola Intermediate School District to be used to build a new school for the handicapped. The proposal will be voted on Aug. 26 by electors.

Little or no progress was reported at the school board meeting on improvement projects such as the Intermediate School gym floor, new roof for Campbell Elementary, Evergreen School project to solve waste disposal and revamping of school land for an elementary-intermediate playground.

David Lee Guinther, Doerr Road, Cass City, is on the spring term dean's list at Lake Superior State College at Sault Ste. Marie.

TEN YEARS AGO

Fire departments from Cass City and Gagetown battled a fire at the Elmer Parrish farm east of Cass City in a driving rain. The barn and 2,000 bales of hay were lost.

The Cass City School Board approved preliminary plans for expenditures of \$34,000 for improvements in the school plant and grounds.

The Tuscola County Intermediate School District Board of Education ratified a two-year master contract with the International Union of Operating Engineers Local 547, of the AFL-CIO.

Swimming proficiency classes continued this week at Cass City's village swimming pool under the direction of Karen Kerbyson and Karen Martin.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Cass City Manufacturing Co., a concern that will manufacture stampings and assemblies for the automotive and refrigeration industries, will begin operation in the village in the middle of October. The firm announced it purchased land for the new factory.

Jim Hutchinson of Cass City was one of seven scouts to receive honor camper awards at Camp Rotary during the third period, July 10-16.

An estimated 250 children from Cass City and the surrounding area have signed and are participating in the annual Red Cross swimming classes this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Churchill celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary recently when the entire

The U.S. produced 17.1 million tons of red meat in 1979. That was 22 percent of world output and 50 percent above that of the USSR.

Employment program recommended

Expenditures of \$118,330 for 1981 in the Private Sector Initiative Program (PSIP) were recommended by the Private Industry Council, a committee of the Thumb Area Consortium, at its meeting June 23 in Cass City.

These include \$103,475 for On-the-Job Training and \$14,855 as its share of the administration pool with other programs.

The council reviewed the total Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) plan of \$5.6 million of the consortium, of which the PSIP is a part.

State Sen. Alvin G. DeGrow (R-Pigeon) told the council that no major tax increases are likely, except possibly on cigarettes, liquor, and gasoline. He added that a percentage tax may be applied to gasoline, based on the cost per gallon, rather than a flat rate.

DeGrow commented that the Headlee Amendment is serving its purpose of a tax freeze and that it never was intended to be a tax cut.

New books at the library

THE MASK OF THE ENCHANTRESS, by Victoria Holt (fiction). Growing up on an island paradise in the South Pacific, Suewellyn Mateland leads an idyllic life until the arrival of her legitimate half-sister who looks remarkably like Suewellyn. When a volcanic eruption kills all her family, Suewellyn decides to return to her father's family in England and to try to pass herself off as her father's legitimate heir.

HAWK LADY, by Stellan Ure (non-fiction). A joyous and entertaining story for wildlife lovers and conservation enthusiasts, "Hawk Lady" describes the efforts of a young woman who has opened her home to care for wild birds of prey - eagles, hawks, owls, falcons - and raised them from babies, treated them when they were sick or injured, and returned many of them to their natural habitats in the woods of Utah.

BEYOND LONELINESS, by Elizabeth Skoglund (non-fiction). With an illuminating blend of case histories and personal reflections, this is an inspiring and practical self-help book on how to overcome loneliness, one of today's most common problems.

Students at Blue Lake

Three area students are attending the second session, July 8-20, at Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp.

They are Barb Merchant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Merchant, 5732 Milligan Road, Cass City; Mark House, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton House, 6320 Virginia

Drive, Cass City, and Marcy Enderle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Enderle, 6995 McAlpin Road, Owendale.

All are majoring in band. The camp, which will host 3,600 elementary through high school students this summer, is 15 miles north of Muskegon.

Official Proceedings Of The

TUSCOLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

JUNE 10, 1980

Meeting of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Nagy.

Prayer by Commissioner Rayl.

Pledge to the Flag.

Roll Call: District No. 1, Donna Rayl, Present; District No. 2, Royce Russell, Present; District No. 3, Paul Nagy, Present; District No. 4, J. Benson Colton, Present; District No. 5, Margaret Wenta, Present; District No. 6, Robert Russell, Present; District No. 7, Kenneth L. Kennedy, Present.

80-M-159
 Motion by Colton, seconded by Kennedy that Commissioner Wenta be allowed to attend a meeting in Lansing on June 12, 1980 to meet with the House Mental Health Commission with necessary expenses to be paid. Motion carried.

80-M-140
 Circuit Judge Norman Baguley appeared before the Board and discussion followed on the proposed division of the 40th Judicial Circuit.

Motion by Kennedy, seconded by Robert Russell, the matter be referred to the Personnel Committee for further study and recommendation. Motion carried.

RECESS FOR LUNCH as guests of the Cooperative Extension Office.

AFTERNOON SESSION - JUNE 10, 1980

All members present.

80-M-141
 John Marshall, Register of Deeds, appeared before the Board and discussion followed on the cost of reproducing Micro Film Records.

Motion by Wenta, seconded by Rayl, the cost be set at \$30.00 a roll for reproducing film from our underground storage. Motion carried.

80-M-142
 The monthly statement from the Treasurer's Office was received.

Motion by Robert Russell, seconded by Royce Russell the statement be received and placed on file. Motion carried.

80-M-143
 Motion by Robert Russell, seconded by Rayl that Laura Amend be hired as a clerk typist in the magistrate office at the rate of \$3,820.5 effective June 9, 1980. Motion carried.

80-M-144
 Motion by Robert Russell, seconded by Wenta, that a person from the Human Development Commission Program of Summer Youth Employment be assigned and work under the supervision of the Animal Control Dept. to perform work of general maintenance. Motion carried.

80-M-145
 Motion by Robert Russell, seconded by Wenta the County purchase 2 new directory signs for the Courthouse and the Annex. Motion carried.

80-M-146
 Motion by Wenta, seconded by Robert Russell the lowest quote of \$628.00 for base and wall cabinets to be installed in the Health Department building be accepted. Motion carried.

80-M-147
 Motion by Colton, seconded by Royce Russell we purchase 2 signs for identification at the Tuscola County Animal Shelter in the amount of \$90.00. Motion carried.

80-M-148
 Motion by Wenta, seconded by Colton the Thomas Roofing Co. be hired to repair the roof on the Jail in the amount of \$2,192.00. Motion carried.

80-M-149
 Motion by Rayl, seconded by Robert Russell that a new gate be installed at Vanderbilt Park. Motion carried.

80-M-170
 Motion by Kennedy, seconded by Colton that the Tuscola County mileage rate be set at .20c effective July 1, 1980. Motion carried.

The following Resolutions were presented:

80-R-16
 Motion by Kennedy, supported by Rayl that this Board approves of the application by the Tuscola County Road Commission for State and Federal critical bridge funding for a bridge on Cass City Road at Garner Road over the Northwest Drain.

Motion carried.

80-R-17
 Motion by Rayl, supported by Robert Russell that this Board approves of the application by the Tuscola County Road Commission for State and Federal critical bridge funding for a bridge on Lampton Road north of Clifford Road over White Creek.

Motion carried.

80-R-18
 Motion by Robert Russell, supported by Colton that this Board approves of the application by the Tuscola County Road Commission for State and Federal critical bridge funding for a bridge on Goodrich Road west of Fostoria Road over the Fostoria Drain.

Motion carried.

80-R-19
 Motion by Colton, supported by Wenta that this Board approves of the application by the Tuscola County Road Commission for State and Federal critical bridge funding for a bridge on Blackmore Road east of Chambers Road over Evergreen Creek.

Motion carried.

80-R-20
 Motion by Wenta, supported by Royce Russell that this Board approves of the application by the Tuscola County Road Commission for State and Federal critical bridge funding for a bridge on Zimmerman Road west of M-25 over the Wiscoggin Drain.

Motion carried.

80-R-21
 Motion by Royce Russell, supported by Kennedy that this Board approves of the application by the Tuscola County Road Commission for State and Federal critical bridge funding for a bridge on Loomis Road east of Kirk Road over the Allen Drain.

Motion carried.

80-M-171
 Motion by Colton, seconded by Robert Russell we transfer \$4,500.00 from the General Fund to the Department of Social Services Child Care Fund. This represents the second quarter budgeted amount. Motion carried.

80-M-172
 Motion by Kennedy, seconded by Wenta that \$51,250.00 be

transferred from the General Fund to the Tuscola County Health Department as a 3rd quarter budgeted appropriation and that \$18,750.00 be transferred from the Revenue Sharing Fund to the Tuscola County Health Department as a 3rd quarter budgeted appropriation. Motion carried.

80-R-22
 Commissioner Kennedy presented the following Resolution and moved for its adoption and a copy of the cost computation be sent with the Resolution to Lapeer County.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, a proposal to divide the Fortieth (40th) Judicial Circuit (Lapeer-Tuscola) is again before the Michigan Legislature, and

WHEREAS, Tuscola County is desirous of a divided Circuit and needs a resident Judge available at all times, and

WHEREAS, a divided Circuit would lessen both administrative and travel costs, and

WHEREAS, a divided Circuit would not increase the financial obligation of Lapeer County,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners go on record as being in favor of the division of the Fortieth (40th) Judicial Circuit, creating a two (2) Judge Circuit in Lapeer County and a one (1) Judge Circuit in Tuscola County, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Lapeer County Board of Commissioners and that a Resolution of Support from Lapeer be requested, and

BE IT YET FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies thereof be sent to the following: Representative Loren Armbruster; Representative Quincy Hoffman; Representative Larry Burkhalter; Senator Alvin DeGrow.

Seconded by Wenta.

Roll Call Vote: Kennedy, yes; Nagy, yes; Rayl, yes; Robert Russell, yes; Colton, yes; Wenta, yes; Royce Russell, yes. 7 yes, 0 none. Motion carried.

80-M-173
 Minutes of May 27, 1980 were presented.

Motion by Rayl, seconded by Royce Russell the minutes be approved as printed. Motion carried.

80-M-174
 Minutes were read and approved.

80-M-174
 Motion by Robert Russell, seconded by Royce Russell, we adjourn to June 24, 1980 at 9:00 a.m. Motion carried.

Elsie Hicks, Clerk Paul Nagy, Chairman

JUNE 24, 1980

Meeting of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners was called to order by the Chairman Paul Nagy.

Prayer by Commissioner Nagy.

Pledge to the Flag.

Roll Call: District 1 Donna Rayl present; District Royce Russell present; District 3 Paul Nagy present; District 4 J. Benson Colton absent; District 5 Margaret Wenta present; District 6 Robert Russell present; District 7 Kenneth L. Kennedy present.

80-M-174
 The proposed agreement between the Tuscola County Probate Court of the State of Michigan and the Employee's of the Probate Court and the Juvenile Division of the Probate Court Chapter of Local No. 2697 - Council No. 25 AFSCME, AFL-CIO was presented by the Personnel Committee.

Motion by Commissioner Rayl that our attorney, Mr. Michael Ward notify Judge Kent that the unsigned proposed labor contract between the Tuscola County Probate Court and the employees of the Probate Court and the Juvenile Division of the Probate Court Chapter of Local 2697, Council No. 25, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO was not approved for implementation. Seconded by Kennedy.

Roll Call Vote: Rayl, yes; Robert Russell, yes; Colton, absent; Wenta, yes; Royce Russell, yes; Kennedy, yes; Nagy, yes. 6 yes, 1 absent. Motion carried.

80-M-177
 Motion by Rayl, seconded by Robert Russell, Cynthia Kapa be hired as a Probate Juvenile Officer at a rate of \$5,422.5 effective as of 6-24-80. Motion carried.

80-M-178
 Minutes of June 10, 1980 were reviewed.

Motion by Royce Russell, seconded by Rayl, the minutes be approved as printed. Motion carried.

RECESS FOR LUNCH.

AFTERNOON SESSION - JUNE 24, 1980

All members present except Commissioner Colton.

Mohamed Khan, Executive Director of the Area Agency on Aging appeared before the board with a request for \$1,000.00 for the Commission.

80-M-179
 Motion by Wenta, seconded by Robert Russell, that the agreement between Robert G. Ponder, provider and the Tuscola County Department of Social Services, Tuscola County Probate Court and Tuscola County Board of Commissioners, grantees of the Juvenile Justice Basic Grant be approved effective June 16, 1980 through Sept. 30, 1980. Motion carried.

80-M-180
 Motion by Kennedy, seconded by Rayl, the Co-Operative Agreement between the office of the Prosecuting Attorney and the State Office of Department of Social Services be approved. Motion carried.

80-M-181
 Motion by Kennedy, seconded by Wenta, that \$67,500.00 be transferred from the Revenue Sharing Fund to the Road Commission as a 6 month budgeted appropriation. Motion carried.

80-M-182
 Motion by Robert Russell, seconded by Wenta, County owned car No. 409 - 1978 Plymouth be put in the car pool and be assigned to the Health Department. Motion carried.

80-M-183
 Motion by Rayl, seconded by Wenta, this Board go on record as supporting the NACO position in support of the "simple extension" proposal for Revenue Sharing and copies be sent to members of the Congressional Subcommittee. Motion carried.

80-M-184
 Minutes were read.

Motion by Wenta, seconded by Robert Russell, the minutes be approved as read. Motion carried.

80-M-185
 Motion by Royce Russell, seconded by Wenta, we adjourn until July 8, 1980. Motion carried.

Elsie Hicks, Clerk Paul Nagy, Chairman

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

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SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, TUSCOLA, HURON AND SANILAC COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Board of Education of Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in the School District on Monday, August 18, 1980.

TAKE NOTICE that the following proposition will be submitted to the electors at the special election on Monday, August 18, 1980:

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1980, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes?

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, AUGUST 18, 1980, IS MONDAY, JULY 21, 1980. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M. ON MONDAY, JULY 21, 1980, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerk's offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan.

E. Paul Lockwood
Secretary, Board of Education