

Turnout could be a record

A record number of Tuscola county residents are registered to vote in Tuesday's election. Whether that means a record number will vote remains to be seen.

According to County Clerk Elsie Hicks, there are 32,516 persons registered to vote. Not only is that the most ever, it is 3,155 persons more than were registered in July.

The number of registrations always climbs before a presidential election, but the number who registered prior to the Oct. 6 deadline was more than normal. One reason why there are more persons registered, she explained, is because they can register when they renew their driver's license, instead of only with their township clerk. The change has been in effect about two years. Although that makes it easier for persons to register, "Whether or not they're going to vote is another thing," she commented.

The record turnout in Tuscola county was in November, 1976, when 79.6 percent of the registered voters (more than 20,000) went to the polls, attracted by the presidential race, a close sheriff's race and four state ballot propositions.

This year, Mrs. Hicks is predicting a turnout of at least 50-60 percent adding that turnout in Tuscola county is traditionally more than the national average.

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HAPPY HALLOWEEN ---- Luke Taylor, 3, is all ready for Halloween with these pumpkins, grown by his grandparents, Dean and Lena Tuckey of Koepfgen Road. The biggest weighs 125 pounds and is 74 inches in circumference. Luke is the son of Arnold and Susan Taylor of Cass City.

Board leaves biology decision to a journey

After an hour of debate Monday in a special meeting the Cass City School Board voted 4-3 to place the question of an apology for Mrs. Joyce Crouse in the hands of a Saginaw attorney.

Voting to hire the attorney were Mrs. Thresa Burnette, Dr. E. Paul Lockwood, Dean Hoag and Dick Albee. Against were Dr. Ed Scollon, Board President Geraldine Prieskorn and J.D. Tuckey.

The motion to refer to the attorney was made by Lockwood, who said that all releases to the press should be from the lawyers.

Mrs. Prieskorn attempted to get the matter resolved without an attorney because of the expense. It could cost us \$5,000 or more, she said, to get it settled.

There apparently was a moderation of the stand taken by Scollon and Hoag after discussion by the board.

Dorland Kuntz, one of the members of the personnel committee that sat in on the discussions under the direction of Burnette, said that the resolution by the three board members (Hoag, Burnette and Lockwood) was not to sign an apology under any circumstances.

At the conclusion of the meeting, both Hoag and Lockwood said they would sign an apology if that was the course decided upon by the Saginaw law firm.

Burnette said that she would not be committed to signing even if the lawyer advised that it was the best option for the school.

Albee reiterated an earlier stand by saying that he had nothing against signing an apology but voted to refer to the lawyer because he was afraid of the school's liability. Perhaps if this is signed anyone will be able to sue the school for discrimination, he explained.

A motion was made by Lockwood to have Hoag and Burnette meet with the lawyer and the superintendent

but it was withdrawn after the rest of the board members said they wanted to sit in on the discussion, too.

GRANT FRINGES

On the recommendation of the personnel committee, fringe benefits to supervisors in the system were authorized by the board that exceeded the request made for the group by the superintendent.

At a previous meeting, a request was made for major medical insurance policy under a group program offered to supervisors. This program for full family would have raised the cost to taxpayers to \$127.22 per month, up from \$104.00 the current Blue Cross policy

costs. Granted to the supervisors was a choice between that policy and the policy issued to the teachers. The teacher group policy costs \$131.12 per month, \$3.90 per month per person more than the plan for supervisors.

The board increased the sick leave benefits as suggested in a previous meeting. The number of sick leave days was upped from 12 to 16. The rate of pay was increased from \$25 per day to one-half the daily rate of pay. Supervisors can use vacation days for sick days if they desire.

The benefit increase was in addition to the 9 percent pay increase that was granted when new contracts were signed.

Estimated budget tops \$3 million

It is estimated that the cost of operating Cass City's schools for 1980-81 will be over \$3 million, according to a budget adopted by the Cass City School Board Monday evening.

The annual meeting and budget hearing attracted few members of the district and the budget adopted Monday was more tentative than budgets usually are.

That's because the legislature has not acted on state aid for schools and the amount listed is at best an educated guess. It is likely that the budget will be amended when state revenues are known.

Supt. Don Crouse told the board that he anticipated less revenue from the state this year than was received in 1979-80.

The loss, coupled with an increase in expenses, means that the school will end the year with a deficit.

Crouse said that revenues increased 6.4 per cent while expenses are up 11.4 per cent. The increase came in spite of a cut-back in the teaching staff.

These figures mean, according to the projections, that the school will be \$153,000 in the red. The school ended the year with a cash surplus in the general

fund of \$306,172 to defray the estimated loss.

The fund balance was revealed in the annual financial statement of Barry Vallee, accountant with the school auditors, Rehmann, Robson, Osburn & Co.

He told the board that the financial condition of the schools was the best of any of the 15 schools that his company audited.

He also said that the operation run by the superintendent was the best that he was associated with.

See chart, page 16.

Downtown apartments ok'd

Council, customers promised, cable television improving

Cable television reception in Cass City is getting better, the Cass City Village Council and several disgruntled customers were told Monday evening.

The council also approved a new ordinance allowing apartments in downtown buildings and got a dim preview of village finances for 1981.

Appearing before the council was Arnold Witherspoon, president of First Michigan Cablevision, and its engineer, Bob Stevens.

Witherspoon first appeared two months ago and promised improvements were forthcoming.

One of the improvements was made Tuesday of last week when a satellite reception dish was installed at the

Cass City antenna site.

The dish, he explained, enabled broadcasting of WTVS from Atlanta to begin within the past week. Home Box Office (special programs) will start Saturday for those customers paying the extra charge. The antenna to receive Channel 28 from Flint (public broadcasting station) is in but the equipment to process the signal so it can be broadcast locally is still on order.

Customer Jerry Vegosen of 4574 Hill Street then complained that although reception of Channels 2, 7 and 50 has "improved remarkably," reception of 5, 19 and 25, which had been good, no longer was.

Other complaints were similar, with John Maharg

of Brenda Drive commenting that the shadow on Channel 5 was so bad, the apparent reason why the Philadelphia Phillies won the World Series was because it had 18 men on the field most of the time.

Stevens explained the problem with 5, 12 and 25 is poor equipment used by the previous owners of the cable network. New equipment is on order, due by Nov. 6.

As for Channels 2 and 7 from Detroit, he and Witherspoon explained the problem is they are too far away and there is sometimes interference from other channels 2 and 7 elsewhere, so consistently good reception cannot be guaranteed.

Developer Tom Herron wanted to know why cable

television couldn't be installed in his Northwood Village and Estates subdivision.

Witherspoon responded that the cost to do so would be \$12,377 and with only 10 homes there now, "There is absolutely no way at the current rate we can do that." He added that the subdivision was constructed after the original cable firm was given the Cass City franchise.

The council did agree to installation of a message channel keyboard in the municipal building at no cost to the village, as part of the new Channel 3.

The channel, replacing one out of Caro, will give current weather information for Cass City. By typing

messages of public interest on the keyboard, they will be broadcast as a "crawl line" along the bottom of the picture. Delivery of the keyboard is expected in 30 days.

First Cablevision currently has 475 subscribers in the village.

In August, 1979, the council authorized an increase in the monthly rate charged from \$7 to \$8, contingent upon improvement in service. Witherspoon said after the session with councilmen, the rate increase will go into effect Dec. 1.

APARTMENTS

The council meeting was preceded by a planning commission hearing, at which it Please turn to page 12.

Berry vs. Clancy: Sheriff's race only one of countywide interest

Come Jan. 1, for the first time since 1963, Tuscola county will have a new sheriff.

The question voters must

Trick-or-treat hours Friday

Friday is the one night of the year the ghosts and goblins wait for. It's Halloween.

Trick-or-treat hours have been established in area communities.

In Cass City, "Halloweening" hours will be from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

In Gageton, they will be from 6-8 p.m. and in Owendale, 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Youngsters in Kingston ca: trick-or-treat from 6-7 p.m. When the fire siren blows, they should go to the village hall for the party and costume judging.

Hours in Ubyl will be from 5:30-7 p.m. The Lions Club party for children 14 and under will start in the school gymnasium at 7:30.

answer Tuesday is whether it will be Republican Paul Berry, a deputy in the sheriff's department, in which he has served 25 years, or Democrat Herbert Clancy, the Millington police chief.

Both men first ran for the job four years ago. Berry lost in the Republican primary to the now retiring Sheriff Hugh Marr by 607 votes and Clancy lost to Marr in the general election by 322.

In August, Berry defeated four other candidates to win the Republican primary. Clancy did not have any opposition.

The man who finished second to Berry by 617 votes, present Undersheriff Bruce Tait, has been selected by Clancy to serve in the same capacity should the Democrat be elected. Berry hasn't announced who his undersheriff will be.

The election of a new sheriff is the only countywide contest. The others running, all Republican, do not have opposition. They are: clerk, Elsie Hicks; treasurer, Elgene Keller; register of deeds, John W. Marshall; drain commissioner, Stanley Henry, and prosecutor, Artis Noel.

Henry, who defeated two opponents in the primary, is the only one not presently holding office. Presently a drain inspector, he will take over for retiring Drain Commissioner Edmund Goodchild.

Mrs. Hicks has held office 10 years; Mrs. Keller, four; Marshall, eight, and Noel, two.

Also on the Tuscola County ballot will be Circuit Judge Norman Baguley, unopposed, running for a six-year term. He has held the office since 1969. The vote will apparently be meaningless because as of Jan. 1 he will serve in Lapeer county exclusively, due to a change in the state law, instead of in Lapeer and Tuscola as in the past.

To aid voters in making a choice for sheriff, the Chronicle asked each to respond in writing to three questions. The first two questions were the same for each. The candidates' backgrounds are described first, followed by their answers to the questions.

PAUL BERRY

Berry, 47, was appointed a special deputy in the Tus-

cola County Sheriff's Department in July, 1955, and became a full-time officer the following year. He was undersheriff from 1969-72.

Berry graduated from Caro High School in 1951 and is a graduate of the Saginaw Valley Law Enforcement Officers Training School. He has completed several seminars concerning various aspects of police work, including administration and supervision.

He is a member of the Fraternal Order of Police chapter, of which he was president two years. He is also a member of the National Sheriff's Association, has served for many years on the Tuscola County Fair Association Board of Directors, is former activities chairman of Cub Scout Pack 3652 of Caro and has been involved in scouting much of

his life.

Berry was presented with the Caro Jaycees' distinguished service award in 1966 and is a life member of the organization. He belongs to the Caro Moose Lodge. He and his wife, Ruth, have three children.

HERBERT CLANCY

Clancy, 50, is a Millington native who retired from the Army as a first sergeant in 1972 after 20 years of service. He was a member of the military police and trained both military personnel and civilians in police technology.

In 1965, while serving in Germany, he was presented with the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service as chief clerk and training noncommissioned officer in his unit, part of the headquarters branch of the Seventh Army.

After his return to civilian life, he was a deputy in the Tuscola Sheriff's Department from early 1972 until he resigned in March, 1973, to become chief of police in Millington.

Clancy holds certificates in police administration Please turn to page 16.



SATURDAY ACCIDENT -- The vehicle occupied by the Jack Ramseyer family of Haslett became a twisted mass of steel after colliding with a sugar beet truck Saturday afternoon at M-53 and Deckerville Road.

Inside

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Zonta hears about alcohol, drug abuse

Helen Baker hosted the Zonta Club monthly dinner and meeting Tuesday, Oct. 21, with Gladys Fort and Esther McCullough as co-hosts.

The friendship clubs this year are Singapore and Lisbon. The clubs exchange ideas and information on their countries.

Police Chief Gene Wilson gave a talk on the drug and alcohol problem among youth today.

The next meeting will be hosted by Edith Little Tuesday, Nov. 18. The annual "silent auction" will be held, as one of the year's projects. Guests are welcome.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

Born Oct. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hills of Mayville, a boy, Dylan Joseph.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, OCT. 27, WERE:

Mrs. Robert Giddings, Alice Wright, Joseph Parrott, Frank Doan, Mrs. Clifford Martin, Louis Ouvry, Lester Ross, Mrs. Austin Sudman, Mrs. Leola Terbush and Kimberly Zagorski of Cass City;

Volney Wright, Mrs. Woodrow Craig, Mrs. Fern Riley and Mrs. Duane Witkovsky of Caro;

Michelle Connolly and Mrs. Elmer Voss of Deford; John Radina of Fairgrove;

Stanley Mitchell of Marlette;

Charles Anderson of Caseville;

Mrs. Henry Austin of Bad Axe;

Anthony Gangler of Sebewaing;

Mrs. Louella Hyde of Decker;

James McLellan of Ubyl; Mrs. Opal Putman of Mayville;

Wayne Walker of Minden City.

Cass City Social and Personal Items

Mrs. Reva Little
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Shabbona fire damage loss \$500

Damage was estimated at \$500 due to a fire in Shabbona Friday morning.

The fire was at the home of Dan Owens, at the northwest corner of Shabbona and Decker Roads.

Elkland township firemen said the cause was a gas water heater in the utility room which apparently backfired. The floor around the heater was scorched, as well as one ceiling tile, and there was minor smoke damage.

Firemen received the call about 7:15. The occupants of the home and a passing motorist who knew them had the fire out, using water and a fire extinguisher, by the time firemen arrived.

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The eight weeks' Sunday school attendance contest in Salem UM church, organized by Jude Patnaude, ended Sunday. The Golden Rule class, which showed 111 percent attendance record, earned the attendance banner. It was accepted for the class Sunday by Walter Jezewski. The start of the contest was marked with the ascension of helium filled balloons with a return tag attached. Traveling the greatest distance was Andrew Gray's balloon, which washed up on the shore in Canada.

The AARP Thanksgiving dinner will be served at the Lutheran church Nov. 13. Tickets may be purchased from Mrs. Helen Little until Nov. 8.

Homecoming

Sunday at

Novesta church

The Novesta Church of Christ will hold its annual Homecoming Day services Sunday.

Special guests for the day will be Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bushong of Vassar. Bushong ministered to the congregation several years ago.

Theme of the services will be "Heritage Sunday." Many of the men of the congregation are growing beards and mustaches for this day, and the women will wear old-fashioned dresses.

There will be a carry-in dinner at 1 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Following dinner, movies and slides will be shown of the church's past history up through the present building program.

The community is invited. Services are at 10 and 11 a.m. The church is located 3 1/2 miles south of Cass City on Cemetery Road.

Twenty-six persons of the "Young as you Feel" club of the First Presbyterian church, most in costume, attended a Halloween party Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Bolton. There were games and refreshments.

Christian Education Sunday was observed Oct. 19 in the First Presbyterian church. Dedication of teachers took place and Bibles were presented to members of the 4, 5 and 6 grades class who had not previously received one. There was singing by the children's choir and Lori Opanasenko and Chris Peters told of their experiences while attending the Youth Triennium in Indiana. Reception of three new members included Tom and Brenda Fulcher and Don Schelke.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Heath of Bay City visited Mrs. Helen Little and Mrs. John West Oct. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert LePla of Punta Gorda, Fla., were dinner guests of Mrs. Theda Seeger Oct. 21.

Mrs. Cecil Barriger and Mrs. Lyle Lounsbury spent Friday in Bay City with Mrs. Robert Joiner.

Church party for Halloween draws 75

Approximately 75 people attended the Trinity United Methodist church costume Halloween party Sunday evening for church school children and their families.

There was a grand parade with prizes awarded for prettiest, ugliest, costest costume and for most time involved in making the costume.

Each Sunday school class presented a game. There were table tennis ball toss, fishing game, dart throw, sponge throw, apple dunking, a haunted room and stories and a treasure chest of prizes.

Rev. P.T. Wachterhauser had devotions. Everyone enjoyed cider and donuts and a magic show presented by Don and Paul Childs.

The Muppets from the Novesta Church of Christ were to present a program this Wednesday evening, Oct. 29, at the Saginaw-Bay Church of Christ and will present a program during the Sunday school hour in the Cass City Church of the Nazarene, Sunday, Nov. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hartwick had as Sunday callers, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Hartwick and sons and Rob-in Hartwick and friend, Rod Bellamy, of Vassar. Sunday evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bergman of Pigeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Wright were Thursday visitors at the Max Agar home. Mr. Wright underwent surgery in Hills and Dales General Hospital Monday.

Born Oct. 24 at home to Mr. and Mrs. Don Finkbeiner, a 7 1/4-pound daughter, Sally Elizabeth. The baby joins five brothers and one sister.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr. and Arlan Hartwick and Steve Kowbel of Bad Axe were Saturday evening dinner guests in the Charles Hartwick home when the 15th birthday of Chris Hartwick was celebrated. Others who joined them in the evening for birthday cake and ice cream were Mr. and Mrs. Don Kowbel and Stephanie of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hartwick, Mrs. George Fisher Jr. and Elizabeth and Mr. and Mrs. John Shagena and children.

Mrs. Helen Willits of Rochester visited Mr. and Mrs. William J. Profit, Oct. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson of Birmingham had lunch Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Eva Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bird and daughter Jennifer of Alma and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson of Birmingham were dinner guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Profit. They celebrated Mrs. Profit's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Stine had as guests from Friday until Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Petzold and family. Mrs. Kathryn Petzold, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waughman and family and Ervin Petzold of Livonia. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stine joined them for dinner Sunday.

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Marriage Licenses

Michael R. Simpson, 19, Caro, and Frances A. Vargo, 18, Caro.

Larry D. Coates, 27, Vassar, and Laura M. Rice, 18, Vassar.

Bernard E. Roberts, 28, Millington, and Colleen C. Arnold, 21, Millington.

Walter E. Lamphere, 37, Mayville, and Wendy M. Olivarez, 27, Mayville.

Lane A. Torrey, 21, Mayville, and Charlene M. Mitchell, 19, Silverwood.

Marcellus C. Edwards, 25, Fairgrove, and Paula R. Spencer, 26, Fairgrove.

Kenneth D. Spencer, 26, Caro, and Karen D. Mellott, 28, Cass City.

Warren L. Swackhamer, 21, Millington, and Amanda M. Fall, 22, Millington.

Brian J. Taylor, 23, Caro, and Judy A. Payne, 21, Caro.

Claude A. Stewart, 29, Caro, and Elizabeth M. Koepf, 24, Caro.

Sales increase at GK Technologies

GK Technologies, Inc., parent company of General Cable, has reported sales for the third quarter were \$291 million, up 2 percent from \$284 million for the comparable quarter last year.

Net earnings for the quarter were \$14.8 million, compared to \$30.4 million for the prior year. Primary earnings per common share were \$1.10 as compared to \$2.52 per share reported in 1979, based on 11.5 million average shares then outstanding.

The decline was primarily attributable to the non-recurring gain realized in the prior year amounting to \$15.8 million from the sale of GK Technologies' investment in Mostek Corp.

Robert P. Jensen, chairman and chief executive officer, commented, "Sales in major market areas for Sprague Electric and Automation Industries have continued generally to reflect healthy demand."

"However, the effects of high interest rates on new construction and housing starts have unfavorably impacted General Cable's sales of telephone cable, although strong demand has continued in the cable television market."

Miss Agnes Milligan, Mrs. Loraine Donnelly, Mrs. Marie Roch and Mrs. Esther McCullough traveled by Delta Coachline to Toronto, Ont., Thursday where they spent four days. They arrived home Sunday night.

Mrs. Ella Cumper returned home after two weeks in McLean, Va., Washington, D.C., and Lancaster, Pa.

Mrs. Noreen Partridge accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Henry Daniels of Caro to Clio Monday to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Roger Partridge, 74, of Whittemore. He was a former resident of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Partridge were in Cordele, Ga., en route to spend the winter in Florida when he had a car accident while hauling their house-trailer. He was killed instantly and Mrs. Partridge was seriously injured. Surviving are his wife Marjorie and a son. He was a cousin of Mr. Daniels.

Mrs. Thelma Pratt had as visitors Oct. 21, cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson of Seattle, Wash.

There will be an all-church Halloween party Saturday evening, Nov. 1, at 7 p.m. for the Novesta Church of Christ at the old church building.

The November meeting of Good Shepherd Lutheran Ladies Aid will start at 7 o'clock Monday, Nov. 3. This is the group's annual harvest sale and in charge are Mrs. Martha Harbec, Mrs. Eloise Dorsch and Mrs. Shirley McComb.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig and granddaughter, Barbara Craig, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ron Decker at Big Rapids.

Mrs. Rich Lowe of Green Bay, Wis., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Little.

Evergreen honor roll

The following students have been named to the first marking period honor roll at Evergreen Elementary School:

Fifth grade - Kristy Marshall, Cathy McNulty, Raquel Rockwell and Dean Whittaker (all A's).

Sixth grade - Scott Wright, David Steel, Wendy Smith and Randy Izydorek.

The following students have been named to the first marking period fifth grade honor roll at Deford Elementary School:

Vickey Englehart, Timothy Mozden, Krista Nurnberger, Stacey Patera, Raymond Stachura (all A's) and Julie Wrona.

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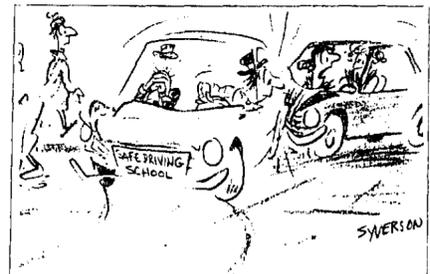
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Perhaps you caught the ad last week announcing Ed Baker's retirement from the electrical business after 50-plus years.

That's a long time to hold a "temporary job." Mrs. Baker recalls that when they were first in Cass City it was to be just a short while. They planned to move on.

Mrs. Baker also took a "temporary" job teaching school at Owendale for one year and stayed for more than a decade.

Besides running the successful business the Bakers have been a strong force in the community's social and civic endeavors.

We don't want to be tied down anymore, says Mrs. Baker, and that's why we are quitting.

Back in the days when the Chronicle used a cantankerous Intertype to produce type for the paper, Ed Baker spent many a night and early morning hours working on the machine so that the paper could meet its deadlines.

That story can be repeated by many of the businesses in town.

He'll be missed.

The school board passed a resolution by a 4-3 vote that said in part that any releases about the case that Mrs. Joyce Crouse may have with the school should come only from the Saginaw law firm hired by the board.

There's probably been a good deal of heat taken by members over this issue and it is understandable why Dr. E. Paul Lockwood, who introduced the motion, would like to see nothing about it in the media. If nothing were printed until the lawyer came up with a statement your right to know would of course be abridged.

But the issue won't go away. While there will be no announcements from the school, when the bills come pouring in from Mellinger and Mahiberg that's a public record and we'll pass the information on to you.

When the full board meets with the lawyers that's a meeting that is open to the press, according to the freedom of information act, and we'll be there for that, too.

I suppose it will be several days before the political pundits really get a handle on who "won" or "lost" the great debate Tuesday night.

I thought they both presented their cases well. Ronald Reagan is certainly in his element in front of a television (or motion picture) camera.

The feeling that he is what his early record says he is and not what he says he is today persists and I'm just afraid to vote for the former governor.

President Carter will get my vote even though my political philosophy is closer to the Republicans than the Democrats. For me, some things override the pocketbook issue.

The weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Wednesday	58	20	trace
Thursday	56	33	0
Friday	60	36	0
Saturday	52	30	.13
Sunday	34	23	.01
Monday	47	24	0
Tuesday	40	16	0

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Huron tries again for bridge millage

Close doesn't count, which is why Huron county voters will be asked for a second time to approve a 1-mill levy for five years for repair of bridges.

The measure was defeated in the Aug. 5 primary, 4,075-4,030, and with that close a margin, the county Road Commission asked the county Board of Commissioners to place it on the ballot again.

The one difference is that if the millage had been approved in August, the levy would have appeared for the first time on tax bills this December. If okayed this time, it won't be able to go on tax bills until December, 1981, so money won't start flowing to the Road Commission until 1982.

Based on the present state equalized valuation of Huron county, 1 mill would bring in about \$560,000 a year, but if any of the three statewide tax proposals should pass, Road Commission Director of Finance John Martin commented, "Who knows?"

With present funding, the agency is replacing or rebuilding two or three bridges a year. If the millage passes, with \$560,000 or so a year, according to Martin, the pace should increase to six or seven bridges. There is an "if" in that.



In the 200 plus years of the republic, the closest that United States citizens have come to a dictatorship probably was Richard M. Nixon. Really, that wasn't close at all. Certainly not as close as he attempted to make it.

The legacy of individual freedom is the natural state of affairs here. The way it is, the way it always has been. It's like a good job and good health. If both just fall into our laps, we tend to forget how great it is, how difficult life would be without them.

We're the only country that I can think of that hasn't been under the rule of a dictatorship under one name or another.

We're just a babe in arms when measured by history. 200 years is a mere nothing compared to the European countries or the East for that matter.

If history repeats itself, as many students suggest, our time is coming. We may not be old enough to have the wisdom or the interest to prevent it.

Maybe it's because the English, Germans, Italians, French, etc., have a totalitarian regime in their histories that they take more interest than we do in participating in deciding who will govern.

There may be doubt about the reason for the interest in elections. There is no doubt

about the greater participation.

Most of the European countries routinely record a turnout of 90 percent or better. Compare that to the 50 to 60 percent that vote in presidential elections here.

You don't have to look very hard to find voters who say that they probably won't vote this year because they don't like the choices. Or they forgot to register.

After the election the excuse will be they couldn't get away from their jobs. The lines were too long. Or they just plain forgot.

Whatever the reason, every election the result is the same. A little over half the voters make it to the polls.

Even the pocketbook issues fail to up the vote totals significantly.

Bringing it closer to home, consider Cass City School District millage elections.

It's a big turnout when over 1,000 voters go to the polls. That's not over a third of the persons who could vote if they were registered.

In the primary election in Tuscola county with hot local elections, about 31 percent of the registered voters were at the polls.

It's a shameful record. It's not likely to get any better.

About all that you and I can do about it is to see that we are one of the minority that does vote next Tuesday.

"If It Fitz..."

Human rights at home

By Jim Fitzgerald

My Cousin Al sent me a clipping from his hometown newspaper, the Lapeer County Press. Publisher-columnist Bob Myers wrote:

"This country makes a big stink about 'human rights' in faraway countries like Chile and Argentina. The first human right, especially to older people, is the right to live in peace, without constant fear. That's what civilization is all about. When cities like Flint and Detroit and Pontiac are as crime free as, let's say, Japan, we will have the right to preach about human rights elsewhere..."

Verily, Cousin Al was looking for an argument. He expected me to jump to the defense of the safe life in the big city where the art museum, theaters and Coney Island hotdogs make life a cultural ball. Al will be disappointed to learn he wasted bait.

Life for me, working and living downtown, is grand, and I enjoy it. But I also feel guilty about it. I see all the improvements made or planned downtown, and I worry about the neighborhoods. The big-shot investors get tax breaks from the city while living in the suburbs. The city peasants get head breaks from the crooks while trying to survive in housing projects crawling with dope dealers.

I hear regularly from people afraid to leave their homes. A typical quote, from a news story describing an east side neighborhood: "It's almost like being in jail without bars. Your freedom is limited, you have to watch your every step..."

At the Oakman School, on Detroit's near west side, some physically handicapped fifth graders have been learning to type on electric typewriters because they're unable to operate manual typewriters. Burglars hit the school three week ends in a row, and six electric typewriters are now gone, along with other expensive equipment.

There is no insurance, which isn't unusual. Many Detroit schools can't buy theft insurance because there are too many thieves working their neighborhoods. The electric typewriters haven't been re-

placed, and some kids with muscular dystrophy won't learn to type.

If you have an electric typewriter that could be more useful, phone Oakman Principal Mary Harms at 933-4457 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.)

Michael Chmielewski of Hamtramck went shopping at his neighborhood supermarket. He saw a man put two apples in his coat pocket to free his hands to carry cheese he was ordering from the delicatessen counter. It never occurred to Chmielewski that the man might be shoplifting, but a large-size store employe made the accusation. When the customer protested his innocence, claiming he'd intended to pay for the apples, the employe shoved him, and the customer shoved back, and the employe began using a billy club.

"The club against the customer's head made a dull, wet thud sound, not the crack I expected," Chmielewski told me. "As the customer fell to the floor, hollering, the employe raised the club again. I turned my head away and heard a slightly wetter thud..."

The customer climbed over a counter and ran to the parking lot where he collapsed.

Chmielewski phoned a report to police. "They told me to complain to the supermarket, as only the victim can file a complaint with police. I feel like a victim. Aren't we all victims when this happens?"

Yes. The older people trapped in their homes by fear are victims. The handicapped children without typewriters at Oakman School are victims. By-standers who sicken at the violence in a supermarket

are victims. This time, Cousin Al is right, along with Publisher Myers. It is a human right "to live in peace, without constant fear." Until that human right is enjoyed in all our neighborhoods, the United States mounts a shaky pulpit when it preaches human rights to other nations, and our cities are guilty of blind gall when they brag about the shiny new buildings going up downtown.

Big cities like Detroit are festering with neighborhoods full of frightened people who can't find peace. Their human rights are being violated. When President Carter and Ronald Reagan have their big "debate" this week, neither one of them will say one word that will help these frightened people.

Historical Society

The October meeting of the Cass City Historical Society was held Monday night at the Cultural Center.

There were approximately 20 persons in attendance. The program centered around antique guns and a talk given by Jerry Cleland. The guns ranged from the period of the American Revolution to the late 1880s, including muzzle loaders, repeaters, and hand guns.

A few guns were brought in by other members of the society including one that belonged to Travis Leach. The historical marker for the Cultural Center has arrived and is paid for.

Dedication plans are being set for July 4, 1981 which will also mark the centennial of the Great Fire of 1881.

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The Bridge Millage Is Being Proposed Because Additional State And Federal Funds Are Becoming Available To Tuscola County. In Order To Obtain This Money, The County Must Have Matching Funds Available And Have New Bridges Designed And Ready To Be Constructed. It Is This "Matching Fund" Money That The Millage Would Raise. The 1980 Proposal Does Not Request An Increase In Bridge Millage; The Expiring Rate Is One (1) Mill For Bridge Improvements, While The New Proposal Would Actually Reduce The Amount Earmarked For Bridge And Street Improvements To One-Half (1/2) Mill. (As Stated Above, The Other One-Half (1/2) Mill Would Go To The General Fund For Operating Expenses.) A Continued Millage Would Also Make Possible The Handling Of Emergencies As They Arise.

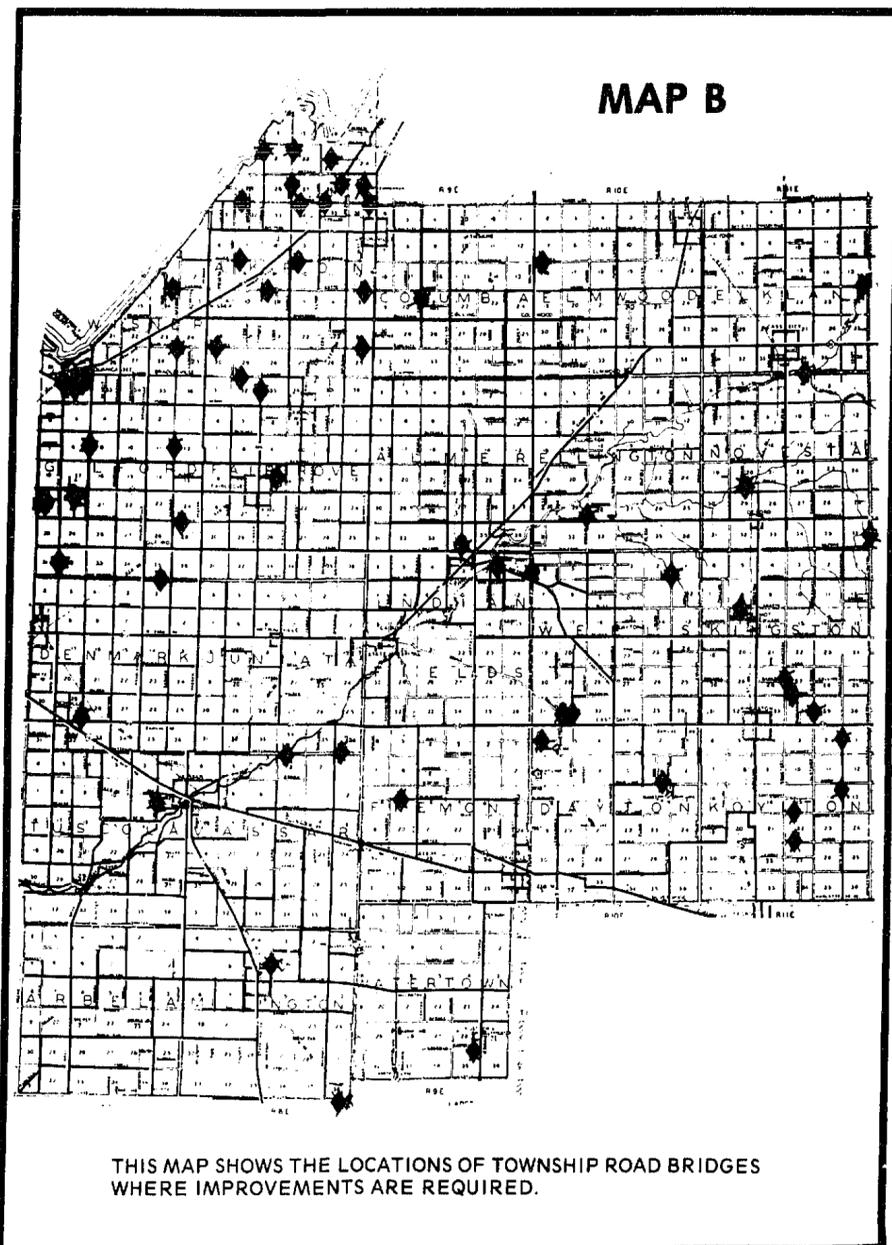
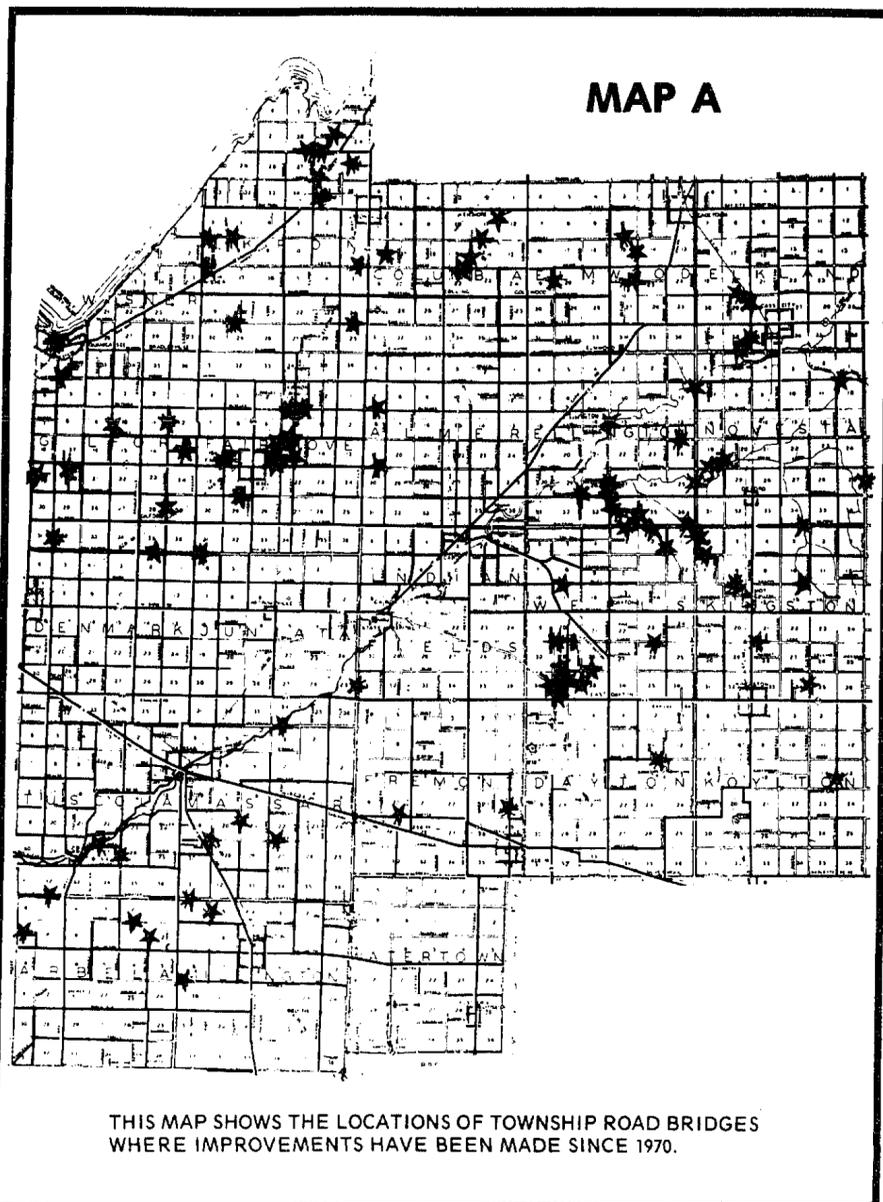
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Since 1970, Previous Millages Have Made Possible The Improvement Of Ninety-Nine (99) Bridges On Local Township Roads Throughout The County. During The Calendar Years 1971 Through 1979, A Total Of \$4,587,208 Has Been Expended For Bridge Improvements. Of This Amount, \$3,067,978 Has Come From The Bridge Millage; \$817,464 From The State Or Federal Government; \$435,357 From The County Road Funds; And \$266,409 From The Townships In Tuscola County.

PLEASE REFER TO MAP B

At The Present Time, Sixty-Two (62) Bridges Are In Need Of Improvement. Some Are Posted With Load Limits, Meaning They Are More Restrictive Than The Roads On Which They Are Located. Others Are Closed To Traffic Altogether.

TO DATE, THE COUNTY HAS RECEIVED OVER \$817,000 IN STATE OR FEDERAL MONEY FOR LOCAL BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION. AN ADDITIONAL \$744,000 IS PROMISED FOR 1980 AND 1981.



THE PROPOSED ONE-HALF (1/2) MILL (Based On The Present Equalized Valuation) **WILL MEAN THAT APPROXIMATELY \$200,000 WILL BE AVAILABLE EACH YEAR FOR LOCAL TOWNSHIP ROAD BRIDGE IMPROVEMENTS** (And \$50,000 For City And Village Streets)

PEDALING AROUND

Ayatollah vs. Tisch

By Mike Eliasohn



A chilling thought, isn't it, that the Ayatollah Khomeini could decide who our next president will be.

If the American hostages came marching off the plane a day or two before the election, it would certainly boost President Carter's chances for re-election. It now appears, however, they won't be released before election day.

If it weren't for the Ayatollah, Carter might not have been even the Democratic nominee.

Remember all the talk about a year ago about how the Democrats were going to dump him in favor of Ted Kennedy? Then the Americans in our embassy in Iran were taken hostage and Carter's popularity soared. His popularity didn't soar that long, but it was long enough for him to dim Kennedy's chances of getting the nomination. The Massachusetts senator's own blunders did the rest.

Now if Carter could just get Fidel Castro to agree to take the prisoners and mental patients he sent over here back to Cuba prior to election day.

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Since writing last week's dissertation for this space about the three major ballot proposals, I have done some more reading.

I am less confused, but still plan to vote against them.

The more I read about the Tisch Amendment, the scarier it becomes. I mentioned that college tuition might be subject to public referendum and since then read in Michigan Farmer magazine Robert Tisch does indeed intend college tuitions to be included in the provision requiring a public vote, apparently by statewide referendum, since it involves state institutions.

The need for voters within a village, school district, etc., to approve increases in everything from school lunch prices to parking meter fees to dog license fees if Tisch passes is less

certain but likely. According to the Citizens Research Council of Michigan, Tisch "does not amend the present constitutional provision which requires that local units of government obtain simple majority approval of the voters for any new tax or tax increase beyond that authorized... as of Dec. 22, 1978. However, the broadened definition of 'tax' in the Tisch proposal... to include user charges, fees, etc., could be construed to include voter approval of each..."

Tisch supporters like to cite what happened in California after Proposition 13 was approved, which slashed property taxes there.

Unfortunately, the situations aren't comparable. California state government had a \$5 billion surplus that it distributed to local governmental units to lessen the impact. California's economy was booming with or without the proposition and Proposition 13 did not have a restriction on increases in user fees. Californians are apparently now paying for many services they once received "free" through taxes.

Beyond my specific objections to Proposal D, my general objection to all of the tax proposals is that they are too complicated and try to do too much.

If part of the problem is that the Headlee amendment approved two years ago didn't do what it was supposed to do in terms of limiting state spending and property tax increases, why couldn't we have had a few simple amendments on the ballot to eliminate the shortcomings?

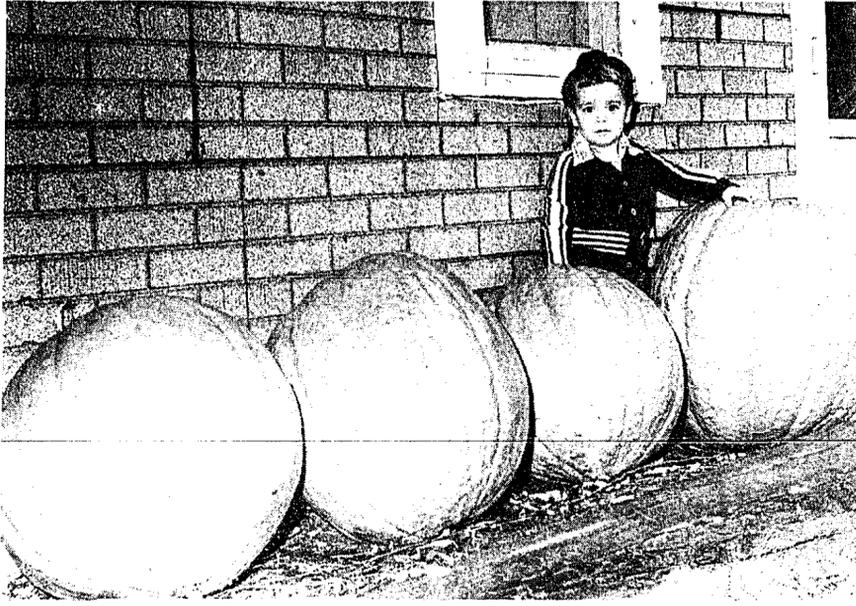
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One proposal I do feel voters should approve is the 1-mill Tuscola county levy for bridges and county operations.

The 1-mill that has been in effect since 1971 has enabled the Road Commission to replace or rebuild 99 of the county's decaying bridges. It would be a shame to deny it the half-mill needed to complete the job.

As for the other half-mill of the proposal, for county operations, our county commissioners are not always "pearls of wisdom," but I don't think they can be accused of throwing money away.

Tuscola county has the lowest millage for operations of any county in the state and the handwriting is on the wall that revenue from Lansing and Washington next year is almost certain to be less.



GREAT PUMPKINS -- Two-year-old Brad Whittington doesn't have to wait for a visit from the Great Pumpkin. He has his own, grown by his parents, Don and Tracy Whittington of Englehart Road, Cass City. The biggest weighs 111 pounds.

Erla seeks to unseat Russell on county board

Voters Tuesday will have a choice between a Republican and a Democrat for county commissioner from District 2.

The Republican is Royce Russell, seeking election to his second two-year term, and the Democrat is Richard (Dick) Erla.

The district consists of Elkland, Elmwood, Ellington and Novesta townships and the portion of Kingston township east of Kingston Road.

In District 5, which includes the rest of Kingston township, all of Kingston village and Wells and Koylton townships, the only candidate running is incumbent Democrat Margaret Wenta of Fostoria.

Russell, 55, of Green Road, Gageton, was Elmwood township treasurer for 18 years before being elected commissioner in 1978.

Commerce, and has also been a member of numerous other organizations.

He and his wife, Christine, have two children.



Richard Erla

Both candidates said they will vote for the 1-mill levy for bridges and county government operations.

The Chronicle asked each of them to predict the county's financial future, and they both agreed a lot depends on how the public votes on the county millage and the state tax reform proposals.

"The way things are going, it will probably be a tight budget and if elected, we'll have to roll up our sleeves and cope with it," Erla predicted.

Passage of the Tisch Amendment, Russell predicted, "could make things quite interesting as far as the county is concerned." The future of federal revenue sharing will also have an effect on county finances, he pointed out.

Both candidates were asked what cuts in county spending can be made if that becomes necessary.

"That's really a hard one, because I think it's going to take a lot of work by members of the board on where the cuts will be made," Russell responded.

If and when it becomes necessary to make cuts, he explained it will be necessary to analyze each county department as to its workload, as making cut-backs will mean laying off personnel.

Erla's response was similar, that if spending reductions are necessary, it will be necessary to evaluate each department and then decide.

Both candidates expressed the hope that cuts may not be necessary.

The final question is whether additional county office space is necessary should funds be available for its construction.

Proposed has been construction of a two-story plus basement addition onto the rear of the courthouse annex, with a rough estimate of the cost being \$600,000.

A county building authority has been established,



Royce Russell

On the board, he serves as chairman of its equalization committee and as a member of its building and grounds and departmental control committees.

As commissioner, he is also a member of the board of directors of the Thumb Area Commission on Aging and Thumb Area Consortium.

Russell is a cash crop farmer. He is a member of the Farm Bureau, Tyler Lodge, F & AM, and an elder in the First Presbyterian church in Cass City.

He and his wife Betty, the present Elmwood township treasurer, have five children.

Erla, 56, of 4633 Huron Street, Cass City, qualified for the ballot by receiving enough votes as a write-in candidate in the August primary.

He is president of Erla's Inc., the Cass City supermarket and meat packing operation, which has been in existence since 1953.

Erla ran unsuccessfully for state senator in 1960 and for the constitutional convention in 1962.

A Navy veteran, he has been a member of the American Legion for 35 years.

He is a member and past president of the Cass City Rotary Club, past president of the Cass City Chamber of

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Voting "yes" may mean your vote doesn't count.

In Tuscola county, there are only two governmental units where paper ballots will be used Tuesday.

In Sanilac county, the situation is the opposite. Only Mariette village and three or four townships use voting machines or punch cards. In the rest, paper ballots are used.

In the August primary, an estimated 10-15 percent of county ballots were spoiled because they were incorrectly marked or electors tried to vote for candidates

in both parties.

To try to prevent that from happening again, a citizens committee has been formed in Sanilac county to educate the public in how to mark paper ballots correctly.

Some "no-nos," according to the committee, include writing "yes" or "no" in the boxes for ballot proposals, marking ballots with a check mark or slash or marking the box to vote for a straight party ticket and then voting for some candidates in the other party.

The only mark that can be counted on a paper ballot is an X inside the box.

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Rematch in 8th district race

In a rematch of 1978, 8th District Congressman Bob Traxler, D-Bay City, is again being opposed by Metamora building consultant Norman Hughes.

Traxler won in 1978 by about a 2-1 margin. The 8th District includes all of Tuscola county except Arbelia township; all of Huron county; all of Sanilac county except Buel, Fremont and Worth townships, and all or part of Arenac, Bay, Lapeer and Saginaw counties.

Traxler, 49, was first elected to Congress in a special election in April, 1974.

From 1962-74, he was a state representative and was majority (Democratic) floor leader in 1965-66. He was named "most effective House member" by the capitol press corps in 1966.

In Congress, he serves on the appropriations committee and two appropriations subcommittees, one dealing with agriculture and the other with urban development and independent government agencies.

Traxler, born in Kawkawlin, has a B.A. degree from Michigan State University in political science and a law degree from the Detroit College of Law. He served in the Army from 1953-55.

Norman Hughes, 37, is president of Norman R. Hughes and Associates and Metamora Contracting Co. and is an architect, construction consultant and licensed builder.

He has a bachelor's degree in architecture from Lawrence Institute of Technology, has done graduate work at the University of Michigan and Eastern Michigan University and studied law for a year at the University of Detroit.

Hughes was a co-founder of Taxpayers United, which sponsored the Headlee tax limitation amendment in 1978.

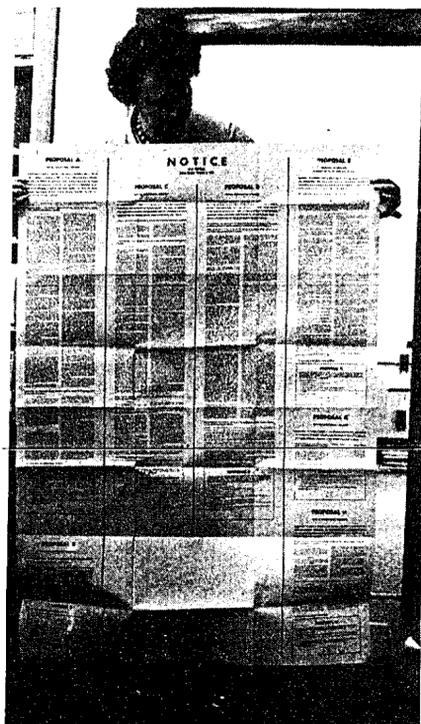
Sunflowers are coming on strong in the U.S. Acres planted in the oilseed crop rose from 787,000 in 1975 to 2.8 million in 1978.



Bob Traxler



Norman Hughes



CARE TO READ all the wording of the seven statewide proposals that will appear on the ballot Tuesday? Tuscola County Clerk Elsie Hicks holds the notice that contains the official wording, to be posted at polling places. Condensed explanations will appear on voting machines.

List honor students at Intermediate School

Following is the first marking period honor roll at Cass City Intermediate School. A + denotes all A's.

EIGHTH GRADE

Scott Albee, +Mike Bills, Kevin Bliss, Juanita Bradley, Cathy Britt, Tracy Copeland, Jim Crawley, Crystal Forster, Brian Haley, Anita Hartwick, Wendy Hampton, Ray Hrycko, Colleen Irner, Matt Jones, Doug Kelley, Martin Kocan, Del Kostanko, Jeff LaBelle, +Terri Leino, Carol Lockard, Dave Loeding, Tim

LOCKWOOD

Jeanne Marshall, Brenda Messing, Julie Miller, Andrea Nieboer, +Angela Nieboer, Kathy Nye, Jim Osenatoski, Anne Polk, Patrick Peters, +Barb Root, Mark Rutkowski, +Michelle Schmidt, Becky Severance, Julie Smith, Rhonda Smith, Ann Soldan, Jeanine Sutter, Holly Wright, Robert Wrona, Dana Zdrojewski.

SEVENTH GRADE

Scott Adams, Sue Allen, Gilly Bryant, Matt Clara, Beth Cleland, Debbie Cook,

Diane Cooper, Laura Dunn, Greg Erla, Brian Gyomory, Lori Hartwick, Yvette Hurd, Tammy Iseler, Andy Jeung, Sara MacRae, Kerry Melendorf, Barb Merchant, LuAnne Messing, Shelley Nicholas, Andy Nichols, Kris O'Dell, Shellie Paladi, Becca Prieskorn, Mike Potrykus, Matt Purvis, Sam Sangster, +Deb Sawdon, Bob Sontag, Trina Spencer, +Annette Stachura, Julie Sugden, Vicki Thane, Todd Tibbitts, Beth Tuckey, Chris Tuckey.

SIXTH GRADE

Russ Auten, Alicia Bliss, Deb Blue, Chris Britt, Mike Britt, Denise Cooper, Jennifer Davis, Missy Fee, Kim Gray, Kevin Haley, Jeff Hartwick, Lisa Hirn, Julie Hrycko, Chris Hutchinson, Heidi Iseler, Mark Kappen, Mike Kelley, Sandra Kohler, +Jim Kritzman, Katie LaBelle, Jamie Lockwood.

Marie McDaniels, Patty Milligan, Toni Newsome, Robbie Nicholas, Angie Otulakowski, Linn Paladi, Lisa Parrish, Ken Pasanski, Robyn Powell, Jim Rabideau, Dawn Rosenstangel, Tammy Rossman, Lisa Rutkoski, Gary Suzor, Jeanie Sweeney, Renee Szarapski, Carolyn Tuckey, +Peter Walpole, Jeanne Weaver, Genny Wolfrum, Tony Yost, Tina Zepplin.

FIFTH GRADE

Walker Aumann, Jenny Baker, Kevin Bergman, Lisa Britt, Barry Brown, David Burnette, Jeremy Capps, Kathy Connolly, Mark Copeland, +Jane Dickinson, Joey Dearing, Michelle Gaffner, Wendy Goodall, Mark Gracey, Mark Hampshire, Greg Hanby, Lana Harris, Tanya Halmaker, Stacy Horiski, Tammy Hurd, Deanna Hutchinson, Mike Jones, +Alice Kappen, Bill Kenney, +Chris Kico, Aaron LaPonsie, Mike Langenburg, Kathryn Leino.

Kathy Marshall, David McArthur, Jason McCallum, Chuck Merchant, Clint Messing, Jaime Miller, Darin Monroe, Anthony Moran, Dawn Mulrath, Lisa Nicholas, Tracey Ouvry, Jennifer Palmer, Ted Particka, Chris Rabideau, Robert Richez, Al Rosenstangel, Lisa Russell, Jenny Schrinel, Becky Smerdon, Holly Smith, Jeff Sontag, Terri Summers, Dan Tuckey, Matt Tuckey.

The overall rate of farm fatalities was 14.5 per 100,000 farm residents and workers in 1976.

There are more chickens in the world today than people, and the number of chickens is growing faster than human population, reports USDA.

Novesta township voters to decide 3 local issues

Novesta township residents will be voting on three proposals Tuesday, two of them advisory and one a millage request.

Proposal 1 asks voters whether they are "in favor of continuation of the Cass City landfill, located in Novesta township, being operated as a dump site for Cass City and the outlying area, 'other townships,' and the present and future contamination hazards that could be involved from this operation."

According to supervisor Bill O'Dell, if the proposal is approved, "Then we will proceed with steps that are available to close the dump."

The landfill is about 1 mile south of the south Cass City village limit, east of Cemetery Road. It dates back to before the township had a zoning ordinance, so does not have to be (and isn't) in compliance with surrounding zoning. According to O'Dell, the area is zoned residential.

The landfill serves residents of Cass City and Novesta, Elkland, Elmwood and Ellington townships. The townships pay the village \$3.75 per resident per year for the right to use the landfill.

O'Dell said if the landfill were closed, Novesta would contract with a private trash hauling firm which owns its own landfill. There are such firms in Bad Axe and North Branch.

His concern about possible contamination, he explained, stems from problems that have occurred in landfills in other communities and that the Cass City landfill isn't closely watched. "You don't know what people are hauling in there."

He also expressed concern about the effect of the landfill on the nearby subdivision.

As of Oct. 9, the Department of Natural Resources renewed Cass City's landfill license for two more years. The DNR inspectors, village Supt. Lou LaPonsie said, found the landfill in full compliance with regulations, with "no marks against us at all."

Furthermore, in compliance with a new state law, test wells have been drilled and an engineering firm hired to do a hydrogeological study, due in to the DNR by July 1 of next year.

Test wells will allow continued monitoring, with samples taken four times a year, to determine if there is any contamination seeping from the landfill.

Soil borings will determine if there is an adequate clay base.

The village owns 40 acres, has a permit to use 5 acres and is using only 2 acres.

Although O'Dell said the township board has received complaints from township residents about the landfill, LaPonsie said, "We haven't had any complaints from anybody out there."

Fred Kellow, chief of the DNR Resource Recovery Division, told the Chronicle by telephone, under the new state law, Tuscola county must submit a plan next year to the DNR regarding solid waste disposal.

If the Cass City landfill is included as part of the county's refuse disposal plan, it could not be affected by local zoning.

If the governmental unit in which a landfill is located doesn't own it, and the landfill is in compliance with state law, getting it closed would be difficult, he indicated.

Normally, a township can't require stricter standards than state law and when a court reviews local ordinances designed to control landfills, it compares them to the state requirements.

CHURCH BUILDING

Proposal 2 asks, "Are you in favor of Novesta township purchasing the former Church of Christ building on Cemetery Road for \$13,000 and reconstructing it

for a public meeting place and making it the official township hall?"

At the March annual meeting, electors voted 24-14 against purchasing the building. The price then was \$20,000.

Arguments used in favor of the purchase at that meeting were the building's central location, larger kitchen, restrooms and that it would serve as a community center.

Arguments against the purchase included lack of parking, the cost to buy the building and then make improvements, other needs in the township, the present township hall in Deford is large enough and that restrooms could be installed there for much less cost than buying the church building.

The reason for the vote this time, O'Dell said, is the board felt the church members wanted to have more persons decide whether the township should buy the building.

The old building is surrounded on three sides by the township cemetery. The new Novesta Church of Christ is across the road.

MILLAGE

Proposal 3 asks for approval of 1 1/2 mills for five years to offset costs of fire protection, rubbish and garbage disposal and ambulance service.

Based on the present valuation of the township, the levy will raise more than \$16,500 a year.

In the August primary, the township sought approval of 1 1/2 mills for two years for roads. The measure was defeated, 105-29.

The added revenue needed, O'Dell said, because the township is anticipating reductions in various state funds it receives.

The millage would be enough to pay the present cost for the above mentioned services, but the supervisor anticipates there will be increases in what Novesta pays for them.

The millage, if approved, will go on tax bills for the first time in December, 1981.

Rejection of the millage won't mean the township will stop paying for such services. "We'll pay what we can and cut everywhere else," O'Dell commented.

Art Atwell, 90 succumbs Sunday

Art Atwell, who was in the grain elevator business in Cass City for 62 years, died Sunday at Hills and Dales General Hospital after a long illness. He was 90 years old.

Arthur Clayton Atwell was born Aug. 21, 1890, in Evergreen township, the son of Ogden and Ellen (Shaffer) Atwell.

He married Lena Rice April 26, 1919, in Detroit. Following their marriage, they made their home in Cass City. They lived at 404 Oak Street.

Atwell went to work for the then Cass City Grain Co. in 1906, in charge of plant operations at its elevators on Vulcan Street. It became the Frutchey Bean Co. in 1933.

Atwell became manager of the local elevator in 1921, retiring from that position in 1956. He remained as assistant treasurer and Frutchey board member until the company sold its Cass City facility to Wickes Agriculture in 1968.

The elevators on Vulcan Street, which had stood since the 1880s, were torn down in August.

Atwell sang in area quartets for many years. He attended the Trinity United Methodist church. He was a 67-year and life member of Tyler Lodge No. 317, F & AM. He was a member of the Cass City Rotary Club for more than 49 years and had served as its president, secretary, treasurer, a position



Art Atwell (1970 photo)

he held for more than 12 years, and club historian, for more than 30 years. Atwell served on the village council during the 1930s.

He leaves his wife, one son, Stuart Atwell of Cass City, and one granddaughter, Mrs. Charles Lynn Osgerby of Grand Rapids. Two sisters and one brother preceded him in death.

A Masonic memorial service was held Tuesday evening at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, under the auspices of Tyler Lodge.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the funeral home with Rev. Harry Capps of the First Presbyterian church of Cass City officiating. Burial was in Elkland cemetery.



Paul Berry (center) shown conferring with Chiefs of Police (L. to R.) William Thompson of Reese, Hilton Sables of Mayville, John Horwath of Vassar, Fred Hecht of Denmark Twp., Gene Wilson of Cass City and Ken Ball of Caro. Not Pictured: Bernie Stone of Fairgrove, Ron Begeman of Kingston, Don Barriger of Unionville and Fred Horner of Akron.

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Vassar falls as Hawks share 1st title since '72

Key plays win grid title for Cass City

The Cass City Red Hawks battled powerful Vassar to a standstill Friday night, making the key offensive and

defensive plays when they had to, and hammered out a share of the Thumb B Conference crown.

The host Hawks topped the Vulcans, 15-6. It was the kind of game you'd expect from two teams vying for the champ-

ionship. It boiled down to who appeared to want the victory the most.

Friday, it was Cass City which had not won a title

in football since 1972. The Hawks were tough when they had to be tough and they now share the championship with North Branch. The Broncos rolled over Lakers, 30-14.

Cass City won by making the big plays on offense and defense.

The first of those big plays came midway in the first quarter. Tim Sontag momentarily fumbled a Vulcan punt on his own 28-yard line. The defenders swooped down on him and with a Vulcan hanging onto his leg he handed off to Phil Zawilinski who ran around the only man with a possible chance to tackle him and streaked down the left sidelines behind a wall of blockers untouched to score.

On the points after touchdown try, Brian deBeaubien found Rob Sawdon in the left corner of the end zone and Cass City was in front 8-0.

That lead didn't last long. After fumbles stopped marches for both teams, the Vulcans started a drive that ended in a touchdown with 7:32 left in the second quarter.

The Vassar forward wall was punching huge holes in Cass City's line and the Vulcans' familiar

power football picked up yardage in big chunks. Quarterback Jim Evans ran the last 10 yards on an option play for the score. A reverse for the extra points failed and Cass

City led 8-6.

That lead didn't look very safe. The next time Vassar got possession they started another drive that was a duplicate of the scoring effort.

The Vulcans moved down the field with precision and picked up a first down on the Cass City five.

That's when the Cass City defense came in. A line play gained nothing. A second play gained about the same but was called back because of off-side and Vassar was second and 10.

A pass failed and another off-side was called. That ended that scoring attempt and was what proved to be the visitors' last real scoring opportunity.

With the ball on the 12 and under four minutes left in the half Cass City rolled 88 yards to score. Most of the distance was covered by air. deBeaubien hit on passes to Randy Severance, Bob Leslie and Zawilinski. Sawdon threw to Severance from his halfback spot for another completion.

There was 31 seconds left on the clock when Zawilinski ran over from two yards out.

Brad Hartel kicked the extra point that made it necessary for Vassar to score twice if they were going to win.

A light rain started to fall at the half and it dampened the scoring. Neither team was able to put on a real scoring threat in the last two quarters.

Cass City was content to sit on its lead and not take any unnecessary chances and the defense did the rest. Helping keep the Vulcans in check was a fine punting game that averaged 33 yards per kick.

Tom Harper led Vassar with 80 yards in 15 carries while Zawilinski paced the Hawks with 87 yards in 10 tries. Rob Sawdon picked up 61 yards in 18 carries.

Randy Severance, who caught three passes good for 59 yards and was the defensive leader with 21 of Coach Don Schelke's tackle points, was named Red Hawk of the week.

	CC	V
Rushing plays	44	46
Rushing yards	184	155
Passes complete	8/13	4/12
Yards passing	94	45
First downs	13	10
Total yards	278	200
Punts, avg.	4/33	4/30
Penalties	3/50	6/57

THUMB B ASSOCIATION

League Overall

	W	L	W	L
Cass City	6	1	7	1
North Branch	6	1	7	1
Vassar	5	2	6	2
Laker	4	3	5	2
Caro	4	3	5	3
Sandusky	2	5	2	6
Bad Axe	1	6	1	7
Marlette	0	7	1	7

Friday's Games — Sandusky at Crosswell-Lexington; Millington at Vassar; North Branch at Inlay City; Frankenmuth at Caro; Unionville-Sebewaing at Marlette; Cass City at Mayville; Harbor Beach at Lakeland High; Ubyly at Bad Axe.

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TIM SONTAG was punished by a group of Vassar Vulcans moments after he picked up short yardage in a bruising game that netted Cass City a share of the Thumb B Association championship.

Play-off for Cass City if...if...if

The final regular season game at Mayville Friday looms as another important game for Cass City.

That's because Cass City still has a chance of earning a berth in the state play-off despite a loss to North Branch.

Coach Don Schelke says that three teams are ahead of the Hawks in the computer ratings that determine the schools that qualify. They are Flint Hamady, Memphis and Lutheran West.

The schools have games against teams that could defeat them and even if one or more win, Schelke says, there is a chance

that Cass City will qualify anyway.

One undefeated team in the Thumb, Harbor Beach, will not qualify ahead of Cass City because of its schedule, Schelke figures.

Any chance that Cass City has, of course, depends on a victory over Mayville. That promises to be no easy task.

The Wildcats have only a 6-0 loss to undefeated Harbor Beach in a game played in the rain that mars a perfect record.

Defeating a team with a fine record like this helps up the point total in the computer ratings, if Cass City can do it.

If...if...if...

Extra points pass nets O-G one-point decision over Tigers; End year at Flint

Owen-Gage coach Arnie Besonen's gamble paid off Friday night when he decided to try for two points

after what turned out to be his team's only touchdown against Carsonville-Port Sanilac.

Jim Glidden caught Craig Gettel's pass for the winning margin, 8-7. The Bulldog win gave

them a 4-2 mark in the North Central D League, good for a second place tie with North Huron, the team the pre-



SHELLEY LAPEER missed on this short shot from the side but she helped the Hawks with a win over Vassar last Wednesday with some strong defensive play. Beth Sieradzki, left, was deadly from about 15 feet out for Cass City. Number 34 is Vassar's Bobbi Fackler, a potent player for the visitors all night.

Hawks widen league lead with 2 cage victories

With one game played in the second half of the Thumb B Association schedule the Cass City Red Hawks boast a two-game lead over the field.

This happy turn of events came when Bad Axe was upset Monday and the Hawks won a key game against Vassar last Wednesday.

The victory over the Vulcans kept the visitors from tying the Hawks for the lead. Cass City won the game with a third quarter rally, 42-35.

The game was closer than the final score indicated. Vassar jumped out into an early lead in the first half behind Bobbi Fackler, lanky Vassar center, who con-

trolled the boards. With just under two minutes left in the half, Vassar spurred to a 19-14 lead, the biggest margin either team enjoyed in the first 16 minutes.

Cass City came charging back with two quick baskets to move within a point and the Vulcans netted a bucket to make the margin three points at intermission, 21-18.

Coach Lloyd Schinnerer pulled his zone defense in tight in the third quarter and Vassar was unable to hit from outside. It proved to be decisive.

Using the fast break to advantage, Cass City streaked for 16 points in three minutes to bury the visitors. At

the end of three quarters Cass City was in front 36-25 and that was the ball game.

Padgett Randall, 18, and Beth Sieradzki, 16, led the Hawks. Sieradzki was deadly on short pops from just outside the foul stripe while Randall scored despite heavy defensive pressure. Fackler led all scorers with 20 points.

Cass City hit 19 of 42 from the floor for 45 percent and made just 4 of 11 from the foul line. Randall, 11, Shelley Lapeer, 9, and Kelly Seurnyck, 7, led the rebounders.

LAKER GAME
The Hawks kept rolling

along Monday with a decisive victory over visiting Lakers, 43-34.

Cass City jumped off to an early lead and was in command all the way. At the intermission the score was 22-13.

Randall and Sieradzki netted 11 points each. Carrie Lautner, 8, a sophomore, netted 8 points and Schinnerer singled her out for a fine defensive effort.

Rebounding honors were shared by Randall and Lapeer with 11 each. Cass City hit just 14 of 46 from the floor but converted a respectable 15 of 25 from the charity circle.

season puntists were picking to finish first.

Akron-Fairgrove and Peck tied for first at 5-1.

The young Owen-Gage team, with several starters being freshmen and sophomores, have the satisfaction of having administered Akron-Fairgrove's only loss.

The team ends the season Thursday at the Michigan School for the Deaf in Flint, which has had a terrible season. The team has only scored 12 points, to its opponents' 424. Game time is 3 p.m. MSD and Owen-Gage played each other five years ago. The Bulldogs won.

The Tigers' only score Friday came in the first quarter on a 16-yard run by Jason Lechnyr to cap a five-play, 65-yard drive. Art Schlichting kicked the extra point.

The Bulldogs got on the scoreboard in the second quarter on a 1-yard run by Gettel to culminate a 73-yard eight-play drive.

Besonen said his decision to try for the two points was because his team was down by one point and defensively, it was safer to try a pass than a kick.

The play was not without

drama. The Bulldogs faked a kick, but were then called on a penalty.

They lined up a second time for a fake kick attempt and Gettel tossed the ball to Glidden for the two points.

The closest Owen-Gage got to scoring again was late in the fourth quarter when the team got to the 15-yard line but were stopped when Carsonville intercepted a Gettel pass.

The Tigers then got the ball to the Bulldog 18-yard line before being stopped. Earlier, in their only other scoring opportunity, they got the ball down to the Owen-Gage 12-yard line.

The victors rushed for 147 yards in 37 carries. Gettel completed eight of 11 passes, with one interception, for 131 yards. Total offensive yardage was 278.

Carsonville gained 135 yards in 29 carries and quarterback Dan Fortushniak completed five of 14 pass attempts, with zero interceptions, for 91 yards. Total gain was 226 yards.

The Bulldogs made 14 first downs, fumbled three times, losing the ball twice, and were penalized four times

for 30 yards.

The Tigers gained 11 first downs, recovered their one fumble, and were penalized twice for 20 yards.

Top rushers for Owen-Gage were Scott Gaeth with 100 yards in 18 carries and Gettel with 12 carries and 49 yards. Lechnyr gained 80 yards in 17 carries for the home team.

Glidden was the Bulldog's top receiver with six catches and 85 yards. Stan Andrakowicz's one catch was good for 31 yards. Ed Ellis caught two passes for 61 yards for the Tigers.

Gaeth was also the defensive standout with 16 tackles. Gary Erickson made eight and Paul Lopez and Robert LaFave each had six. Fortushniak and Andy Washe made seven tackles for Carsonville.

Score by quarters:

O-G	0	8	0	0	8
C-PS	7	0	0	0	7

NORTH CENTRAL D LEAGUE

	W	L	W	L
Peck	5	1	6	2
Akron-Fairgrove	5	1	5	3
North Huron	4	2	5	3
Owen-Gage	4	2	5	3
CPS	2	4	2	6
Caseville	1	5	1	7
Kingston	0	6	0	7

Friday's Games — Akron-Fairgrove at Reese; CPS at Deckerville.

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Six Hawks first team all-league choice

Co-Thumb B Association Champions Cass City placed six players on the all-conference squad selected Monday night by coaches in the league.

In addition six more Hawks were on the second team and three others received honorable mention.

On defense Tim Sontag was the leading vote getter and was named the defensive captain. The second Hawk named to the defensive first team was Randy Severance at linebacker. Earning second team births were Jim Adkins and Chuck Erla in the line and Shawn Papp at linebacker. Honorable mention on defense went to Randy Stine.

On offense, Bob Leslie, end; Clayton Harmer, guard; Brian deBeaubien, quarterback, and Rob Sawdon, back, were first team selections. Second team honors went to Dave Osentoski, guard; Dave Whittaker, tackle, and Terry Sweeney, center. Honorable mention honors were earned by Scott Stine and Phil Zawilinski.

The offensive all-conference first team: ends, Leslie, Cass City, and Pettitt, North Branch; guards, Eric Herzog, Lakers, Harmer, Cass City; Bill Weathers, North Branch; quarterback, deBeaubien, Cass City; tackles, Dan Brusie, North Branch, and Kevin Bechler, Lakers, center, T.L. Bushy, Lakers, and Tom Sawyer, Caro; backs, Don Ziemianski, Sandusky, Sawdon, Cass City.

Defensive first team: ends, Greg Birk, Vassar; Dan Carpenter, North Branch; linebackers, Sever-

ance, Cass City, Steve Toyzan, Vassar, Bob Suranye, Caro, Ron Snobien, North Branch; linemen, Wayne Knox, North Branch, Ruben Regalado, Vassar, Terry Wilson, Caro; backs, Sontag, Cass City, Jim Evans, Vassar.

Second team, defense: Ends, Corey Driscoll, Sandusky, Kurt Horwath, North Branch.

Linebackers, Larry Pangborn, Bad Axe, Mark Ruggles, Sandusky, Papp, Cass City, Todd Hoyt, Vassar.

Linemen, Adkins and Erla, Cass City, John DeWitte, North Branch.

Backs, Mark Colby, Sandusky, Dave Walsh, Lakers.

Honorable mention on defense: Jack Sullivan, Marlette; Scott Gillman, Vassar; Mark Robinson, Bad Axe; Kim Ziel, Lakers; Sandy Rutledge, North Branch; Kevin Sinchak, Caro; Tom Pettie, Bad Axe; Bob Brown, Lakers, Ron Palmer, Sandusky.

Others were: Mark Cockerill, Caro; Mike Shaw, Bad Axe; Ron Hoff, Sandusky; Ken Phillips, Marlette; Orlando Flores, Lakers; Kevin Withey, North Branch; Tom Carlisle, Vassar.

Second team offense:

Ends, Jim Weidman, Lakers, Rob Birk, Vassar.

Guards, Osentoski, Cass City, Shawn Kurtz, Caro, Cliff Schnell, Vassar.

Quarterback, Don Smeznik, North Branch.

Tackles, Whittaker, Cass City, Rolland Foster, Vassar.

Center, Sweeney, Cass City.

Backs, Tim Albin, Caro, Gordy Porrit, North Branch.

Mike Hartman, Caro. Honor. mention, offense: Vernon Essenmacher, Sandusky, Chris Yageman, Bad Axe, Brad Farver, Lakers, Tracy Mills, Sandusky, John Stasiuk, Sandusky, Jerry Kapanka, Bad Axe, Kevin Tomlinson, Caro, Rick Phillips, Bad Axe, Brad King, Lakers.

Others were: Greg Tomlinson, Caro; Rick Aymen, Bad Axe, Brad Teets, Sandusky, Brian Jolicoeur, Marlette, Dan Burger, North Branch, Troy VanWormer, Vassar.



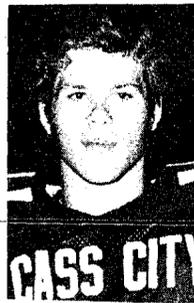
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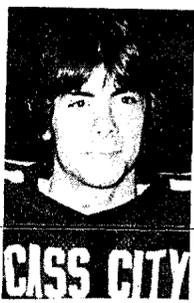
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Tim Sontag

O-G racks up 2 more cage wins

Class C Uby proved no match for smaller Owen-Gage last Thursday. The visiting Bulldogs won the non-league contest, 46-27.

Owen-Gage led by four points at the half, widened the margin by four more in the third quarter and by 11 more in the fourth.

The Bulldogs dominated the boards, with Julie Andrakowicz pulling down 16 rebounds, Becky Howard, 14, and Dana Laurie, 10.

Howard scored 26 points and Laurie, 10.

High scorer for Uby was Sue Schrader with eight.

The Bearcats won the junior varsity game, 24-13.

PORT HOPE

Revenge is sweet, and that's what the Bulldogs gained Tuesday, Oct. 21, with a 57-39 win over Port Hope.

Owen-Gage's Sept. 16 loss to the Blue Stars, 41-33, was its only loss this season.

The home team Bulldogs led by eight at the end of the first quarter, slipped to a three-point margin at the half but piled on the coal in the second half for the final victory margin.

Becky Howard scored 33 points, making it a total of 130 in four games. Julie Andrakowicz hauled down 16 rebounds.

Rhonda Schulte collected 12 points for Port Hope. Rita Strozeski had 10.

NORTH CENTRAL D LEAGUE GIRLS' BASKETBALL (as of Oct. 23)

	W	L
Owen-Gage	8	1
Caseville	8	2
North Huron	7	2
Port Hope	6	3
Kingston	5	5
Akron-Fairgrove	2	8
Peck	1	8
Carsonville-PS	1	9

O-G sets holiday tourney

Owendale-Gagetown High School has announced the lineup for its second annual boys' basketball holiday tournament, Dec. 29-30 and Jan. 2-3.

The tournament will be for both varsity and junior varsity teams.

Owen-Gage will play Caseville Monday, Dec. 29, and Michigan Lutheran Seminary of Saginaw will play Port Hope Tuesday.

The losers will play each other Friday and the winners play Saturday for the championship.

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"The endorsement by teachers of lowering the drinking age from 21 to 19 is particularly significant because it recognizes that passage of Proposal B will effectively keep legal drinking out of the high schools while not unfairly denying 19 and 20-year-olds their rights as responsible citizens."

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2nd time around: Tuscola county seeks mill for bridges, operations

Tuscola county voters Tuesday will be asked for a second time to approve a 1-mill levy for five years to fund bridge repair and county operations.

The same proposal was rejected in the Aug. 5 primary election, 3,518-3,333. The levy is not an increase. If approved, it will replace the present 1-mill levy for local road bridges that will appear on tax bills for the last time this December. (Because of the Headlee amendment rollback, the levy this time will be .9888.)

The new levy, if approved, will appear for the first time on December, 1981 tax bills. The difference between the two is that all of the old levy was for bridges.

The new proposal - Proposition 1 on the ballot - will allocate a half-mill for bridges and a half-mill for Tuscola county government operations. The two are linked together. Voters will only have the choice of all or none, not one or the other. County residents approved the first levy for bridges in 1970 and the second in 1976.

Since 1970, improvements have been made on 99 bridges on township local roads at a cost of \$4.59 million, according to the Road Commission. Of that

amount, \$3.07 million has come from the millage, \$817,464 from the state and federal governments, \$435,357 from county funds and \$266,409 from the townships.

There are still 62 township bridges either closed to all traffic or posted with load limits.

The Road Commission board felt it could get by with a half mill in the future because additional federal and state funds are becoming available, according to its chairman, F. William Tuckey. To obtain the money, however, the county must have matching funds available and the bridges designed and ready for construction. Millage is also needed for emergencies.

Tuscola is scheduled to receive \$744,000 in federal and state funds this year for new bridges. If matching funds are available, \$1.28 million "may be forthcoming," according to Tuckey. Although all of the 1970 levy was spent for local road bridges, starting with the 1976 one, a new state law required sharing of such countywide millages with villages and cities, even if they don't have bridges.

This year, Cass City received \$15,387 from that source; Gageton, \$1,876, and Kingston, \$2,128. Of the half-mill to be

received by the Road Commission if the millage is approved, based on the recent county equalized valuation, about \$200,000 will go for township bridges each year and \$50,000 will go to the 11 incorporated cities and villages.

COUNTY OPERATIONS

If there was a need for a half-mill back in August, according to Ken Kennedy, chairman of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners' finance committee, the need is more acute now.

Based on the present state equalized valuation, the half-mill will give the county about \$250,000 a year.

The board usually approves its budget in October for the upcoming year. This year, it hasn't even started yet.

The reason is that no one knows how much money the county will receive in 1981.

Passage of the millage won't help the county until 1982, as it won't go on tax bills until the end of next year.

The 4.2 mills levied by the county now, according to Kennedy, is the lowest levied by any of the 83 counties in Michigan. Even if the half-mill is approved, 4.7 mills may still be the low-

est. (Because of the Headlee Amendment rollback requirement, the county levy on this December's tax bills will only be 4.1572 mills.)

Tuscola county will spend about \$4 million this year for general operations, of which about half comes from property taxes. (Health department, mental health department and road commission aren't included in the general fund budget.)

Passage of any of the three statewide tax reform proposals won't affect the tax bills that will be mailed in about a month, thus won't affect property tax revenue in 1981.

This year, Tuscola is supposed to receive about \$557,000 in state funds for general operations, as its share of various state taxes. It receives additional state funds for mental health and public health departments.

But with the state's severe budget crunch, state funds to the county are already undergoing a decrease and could decline even more next year, even if all the state tax proposals are defeated.

Starting in 1982, the tax proposals could have an effect on county property tax revenues, in particular, the Tisch and coalition tax amendments (Proposals D and C respectively).

How much money could the county lose over what it receives now if any of the proposals pass? "I think it's impossible to say," Kennedy responded.

The other big unknown about future county revenues is federal revenue sharing, which contributed about \$320,000 to county coffers this year.

Back in August, the finance committee chairman

was expecting that would drop to \$300,000 in 1981. Now he is afraid it will drop to nothing.

The federal revenue sharing program has expired and Congress won't vote until after the Nov. 4 election on whether to renew it.

Even if Tisch is defeated, he predicted the 1981 county budget "will be tight," but didn't care to speculate on what cuts if any might have to be made.



OFFICERS of the Hills and Dales General Hospital Auxiliary for 1980-81 are, front row, from left, Virginia Hartwick, vice-president, and Janet Francis, president. Back row, Linda Herron, secretary, and Betty Greenleaf, treasurer.

Judicial candidates

Justices of the Supreme Court

Term Expires 1/1/89

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- ELIZABETH BURCH
- MARY S. COLEMAN
JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT
- MICHAEL K. HEGARTY
- CHARLES L. LEVIN
JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT
- JOSEPH B. SULLIVAN

Judge of the Court of Appeals

2nd DISTRICT

Term Expires 1-1-87

(Vote for not more than two)

- S. JEROME BRONSON
JUDGE OF COURT OF APPEALS
- ROBERT J. DANHOF
JUDGE OF COURT OF APPEALS
- JOHN J. MURRAY

Reject transfers

The Tuscola Intermediate School District (TISD) Board of Education Monday evening rejected two requested transfers of property from the Kingston to the Caro School District.

It approved one transfer from the Vassar district to Caro.

All the requests stemmed from the Caro district making a careful check of its boundaries and finding four parcels long thought to have been part of the district, which actually were in Kingston or Vassar.

The students living there had been going to the Caro schools, some as long as 10 years, according to TISD Assistant Supt. Jerome Thienes.

The district then notified the property owners they would either have to pay tuition to Caro or request a transfer of their property.

One transfer request, from Kingston to Caro, scheduled to be considered Monday, was withdrawn as the parents involved are now sending their two children to the Kingston schools.

The transfer request from Vassar to Caro was approved, Thienes said, because the Vassar district did not object. Involved was one student and property with a valuation of \$5,100.

The two requested transfers from Kingston were denied, he explained, because the Kingston district did object, primarily because of the loss in valuation if the transfers were approved.

The 118-acre parcel of Eugene Krywko on Frankford Road, Wells township, has a valuation of \$34,900. Involved were three students.

The 40-acre parcel of Roy Lind, Mushroom Road, Wells township, has a valuation of \$17,000. One student was involved.

The parents involved can appeal the transfer denial within 10 days of the TISD board's action to the State Board of Education. Their other options are to pay tuition to the Caro schools or start sending their children to Kingston.

Area accidents

One killed, 4 injured

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ported he was eastbound on M-46 and his vehicle went straight off the road at a slight curve.

The vehicle went into a ditch, struck a fencepost, sheared off a large tree, rolled into a utility pole and burst into flames. The fire started in the engine compartment and consumed the entire vehicle.

Hisey, 22, of 6510 Moriarty Road, who was still inside when the car burned, was dead at the scene.

Troopers said his vehicle traveled 472 feet from where it went off the road until it struck the utility pole. The Lapeer Fire Department was called to the scene to extinguish the flames. The accident occurred at 3:25 a.m.

What caused his vehicle to leave the road was not immediately known. There were no witnesses to the crash.

Hisey was born July 30, 1958, in Mount Clemens. He had attended Marlette High School and was a tool and die maker at Modular Data Systems in Utica.

He is survived by his mother, Delores Groove, Sandusky; two step-sisters, Renee Clark and Sherri Groove, both of Sandusky; two step-brothers, Mike and Mark Clark, both of Carsonville, and his grandparents, with whom he lived, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hisey of Decker. Funeral services were

held Monday afternoon from Marsh Funeral Chapel, Marlette. Rev. John E. Larkin, retired pastor of Christian Missionary Alliance church, officiated.

Interment was in White Chapel, Troy.

OTHER ACCIDENTS

James O. Parker, 45, of 6246 Rossman Road, Kingston, was treated and released from Marlette Community Hospital after an accident at 7:30 a.m. Oct. 21.

Tuscola county deputies reported he was northbound on Cemetery Road, north of M-46, when he braked and turned to try to avoid hitting a deer.

His vehicle skidded on the wet dirt road, went off the west side of the road into an embankment, flipped on top to its hood and top part of the cab, then fell back on its wheels.

At 5:45 p.m. that day, deputies said, Jason D. Koehler, 18, of 3850 S. English Road, Kingston, eastbound on M-46, west of English, was turning south onto a private drive.

The car following him, driven by Orville W. Lockhart, 71, of W. Sanilac Road, Kingston, tried to pass on the left but then spotted a westbound truck, pulled back into the eastbound lane and ran into the rear of the Koehler vehicle.

Caro state police reported that an unknown northbound vehicle ran into a General

Telephone utility pole off the east side of Dodge Road, south of DeLong Road, breaking it in two. The vehicle then left.

The incident was reported at 8:30 a.m. Oct. 20.

CAR-DEER

Karen A. Koester, 26, of 6306 E. Rossman Road, Kingston, was eastbound on Deckerville Road, near Crawford Road, according to Caro state police, when her car struck a deer. The incident occurred at 11:50 a.m. last Wednesday.

At 7:15 p.m. that day, they

said, Janet M. Kratz, 28, of 4274 Hurds Corner Road, Kingston, was eastbound on M-46, east of Phillips Road, when her car struck a deer.

At 10:15 p.m. last Wednesday, Cass City police reported that Deanne Zmierski, 16, of 6192 Ritter Road, was southbound on Cemetery Road, north of Kelly Road, when her car collided with a deer.

Caro state police reported that at 10:30 a.m. last Thursday, Jeffrey A. Petersen, 25, of Essexville, was eastbound on Deckerville Road, west of Murray Road, when his vehicle struck a deer.

Drop charges in bad check case

A charge of non-sufficient funds - check against a Deford woman was dismissed Friday by District Judge Richard F. Kern.

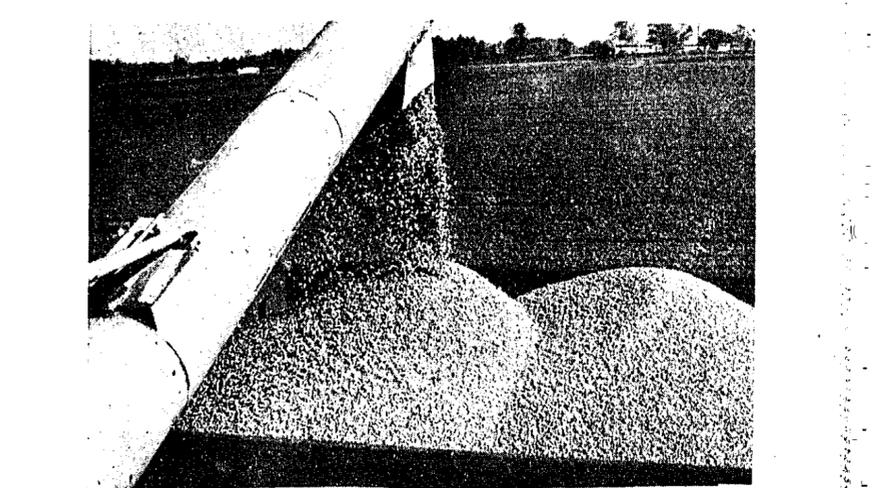
Karen T. Murphy, 24 of 2232 Englehart Road had been charged with writing a check for \$81 to the Kroger store in Caro in June for which she did not have enough money in her bank account.

According to Assistant Prosecutor Eric Proschek, he moved for dismissal because further investigation showed there was reasonable doubt as to intent to defraud by the defendant.

Thomas L. Slater, 28, of 4118 S. Seeger Street, Lot 4, Cass City, pleaded guilty in district court Oct. 21 to a charge of impaired driving.

His plea was accepted and he was placed on one year probation and ordered to attend alcohol education classes. He was fined \$100, assessed \$100 court costs and his driving privileges were restricted.

Slater was arrested by Cass City police Sept. 28 after his car missed a turn at high speed from Cemetery Road onto DeLong Road and went into a ditch.



GOOD HARVEST - Dry weather most of last week and this week has enabled farmers such as Frank Schwartz (above right) of Williamson Road, Gageton, to make much headway in harvesting corn. Photo at left was taken from inside his combine. Tuscola County extension Director Bill Bortel said this year will be the first ever that corn yields will probably average more than 100 bushels per acre in the county. Lack of warm days and a good killing frost have resulted in high moisture content, which means farmers have to pay more to get their corn dried. Schwartz' Grant township field, harvested last Thursday, he guessed, would average 130 bushels, with a moisture content of close to 30 percent. Ideal would be low 20 percent range or less.

NAMES OF OFFICES

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

REPUBLICAN

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

President and Vice President
JIMMY CARTER
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President and Vice President
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Member of the State Board of Education
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Member of the State Board of Education
NORMAN STOCKMEYER

Member of the State Board of Education
JAMES H. LINCOLN

Member of the State Board of Education
EDMUND VANDETTE

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Board of Regents, University of Michigan
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Board of Regents, University of Michigan
DEANE BAKER

Board of Regents, University of Michigan
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Board of Regents, University of Michigan
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PAUL GADOLA

Trustee of Michigan State University
ELIZABETH P. HOWE

Trustee of Michigan State University
THOMAS REED

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VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO

Board of Governors, Wayne State University
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Board of Governors, Wayne State University
KURT R. KEYDEL

Board of Governors, Wayne State University
ELENA R. SANCHEZ

Board of Governors, Wayne State University
RICHARD VAN DUSEN

OTHER PRESIDENTIAL candidates on the ballot are John Anderson, Anderson coalition; Ed Clark, Libertarian Party; Barry Commoner, Citizens Party, and Gus Hall, independent candidate (Communist Party). The American Independent Party and Libertarian Party have candidates running for state offices.

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Johnson sent to state prison

A Sebawaing man was sentenced Monday to 4-10 years in the State Prison of Southern Michigan at Jackson for two breakings and enterings in Caro.

Mark A. Johnson, 20, pleaded guilty Aug. 5 to breaking into an auto repair shop on Congress Street and the Hiser Mobile Homes sales office on W. Caro Road. Both break-ins took place April 27.

Sentence was pronounced by Circuit Judge Norman A. Baguley, who credited Johnson with 219 days served.

The judge granted a prosecution motion for execution of sentence for Rodney Hatch, 19, of Clio.

He pleaded guilty in January, 1979, to larceny in a building, in connection with a Nov. 23, 1978, break-in of a Vassar township home.

Baguley sentenced him in February of last year to one year in the county jail. Hatch appealed, but in June of this year, the Michigan Court of Appeals rejected his appeal as "wholly frivolous."

He was credited with 284 days served.

Also Monday, Ronald A. James, 25, of 4632 Cottrell

Road, Vassar, stood mute to two charges of delivery of marijuana Aug. 22 in Caro.

Pleas of innocent were entered and pretrial hearing scheduled Nov. 24. Bond was continued.

Kenneth Aulbert, 17, of 2698 N. Ringle Road, Akron, requested the court to appoint an attorney for him. His request was granted and Caro attorney Forrest Walpole was appointed.

Aulbert is charged with breaking and entering a building with intent to commit larceny and malicious destruction of property over \$100, in connection with the Oct. 1 vandalism at Akron-Fairgrove High School which resulted in more than \$30,000 in damage.

A 15-year-old has also been charged in connection with the incident.

As of Tuesday morning, Aulbert was still in the county jail, in lieu of posting 10 percent of \$15,000 bond.

Buddy G. Miller, 35, of 3429 S. School Road, Akron, stood mute to a charge of criminal sexual conduct (2nd degree), in connection with a reported Oct. 3 incident in Akron involving a 15-year-old girl.

A plea of innocent was entered and pretrial hearing scheduled Nov. 10. A motion for reduction of bond was granted and bond was reduced to \$3,000.

Setting of bond for Michael Richards, 20, of Fostoria or Flint, charged with violating probation, was rejected. Arraignment was scheduled Nov. 3.

Richards was placed on two years' probation in August, 1978, for breaking and entering an occupied dwelling. He is charged with violating probation by failing to report to his probation agent for two months.

Tony W. Welch, 18, of 240 E. Grant Street, Caro, pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny in a building. His plea was accepted and sentencing scheduled Dec. 8. Bond was continued.

He pleaded guilty to stealing tools June 13 from Laethem Equipment Co. in Caro.



SWING YOUR PARTNERS -- The Town and Country Square Dancers, who have been meeting at Laker High School for their dance the fourth Saturday of every month, moved to the Campbell Elementary School gym in Cass City Saturday and may make it their permanent home.



83 YEARS is the total of how long these couples have been square dancing with the Town and Country club or its predecessor. From left, Helen and Leonard Thompson, Cass City, 30 years; Mary Ann and Ephraim Knight, 26 years, and Harriet and Asel Collins, 27 years. The club is 27 years old.

Rites held for Martin Grifka, 55

Martin J. Grifka, 55, retired Argyle township farmer and bridge construction worker, died Monday, Oct. 20, after an apparent heart attack while hunting near his Argyle farm.

He was born Feb. 26, 1925

in Austin township, the son of Albert and Mary (Polum) Grifka.

Grifka and Irene Polega were married Jan. 21, 1950, at St. Mary's Catholic church, Dwight. They lived in Argyle township for the

past 30 years. He retired from the Midwest Bridge Construction Co. in 1978 due to poor health.

He is survived by his wife; six sons, Emmett Grifka, Larry Grifka, Lee F. Grifka, and Gary M. Grifka, all of Snover, and Roger Grifka and Harry Grifka, both of Argyle, and 12 grandchildren.

He is also survived by five brothers, Mike Grifka Sr., Robert Grifka, Stanley Grifka, and Marshall Grifka, all of Ubyly, and Albert Grifka, Chesaning, and four sisters, Mrs. Anthony (Clara) Wonsowicz, Sterling Heights, Mrs. Stanley (Bertha) Osentoski and Mrs. Raymond (Grace) Puvawski, both of Ubyly, and Mrs. Leonard (Marie) Watchowski, Bloomfield Hills.

One son, David, one daughter, Barbara, six brothers and one sister preceded him in death. Funeral services were held last Thursday morning at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Argyle, Father Gerald Kukla officiating.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

7% pay boost for county bosses

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners Tuesday gave county department heads a 7 percent pay raise for 1981.

The one exception was Probate Judge W. Wallace Kent Jr., whose county supplement to his state paid wage was kept at \$5,000.

According to Commissioner Royce Russell, the board's finance committee, which recommended the pay increases, felt giving Kent an increase would make the board a "laughing stock."

Commissioners have been engaged in an almost year-long dispute with the judge, who is attempting to pay his employees more than other courthouse employees are paid.

District Judge Richard F. Kern received an increase in his supplement from \$6,000 to \$6,420.

Come Jan. 1, Circuit Judge Patrick Joslyn will become the sole circuit judge in Tuscola, instead of sharing duties with two other judges in Lapeer and Tuscola.

The three judges this year were each paid a supplement to their state salaries of \$9,000 from Lapeer county and \$4,500 from Tuscola. For 1981, commissioners added the two supplements together and then added 7 percent, so Joslyn will receive a supplement of \$14,450 next year.

Commissioners boosted their pay from \$6,500 to \$6,950, where it will remain for 1981 and 1982. In addition, they will receive \$40 per day when they attend meetings, the same as this year.

Some other pay increases, all 7 percent, were: county clerk and treasurer, each from \$17,200 annually to \$18,400; drain commissioner and register of deeds, each from \$16,500 to \$17,660; prosecutor, \$30,100 to \$32,210; sheriff, \$22,000 to \$23,540; undersheriff, \$20,000 to \$21,400; magistrate, \$15,800 to \$16,910; equalization director, \$17,800 to \$19,050; building codes administrator, \$19,200 to \$20,540; personnel administrator, \$15,800 to \$16,910, and veterans' counselor \$14,000 to \$14,980.

APPORTIONMENT REPORT

The report of the equalization department showing apportionment of property taxes, as will be reflected on December tax bills, was approved as presented.

In contrast to last year, when there was a delay over acceptance of figures presented by the Owendale-Gagetown School District, they were accepted this year.

The Goslin territory, which Owen-Gage claims is still part of the district, is listed separately in the report but is shown as part of the Cass City district. Valuation of the property is \$4,708,400.

Record turnout possible Nov. 4

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Almost 80 million persons voted nationwide in the 1976 presidential election, which was 54 percent of those registered, the lowest turnout in 28 years. Predictions this year are that about 50 percent will vote.

Making it difficult to estimate the turnout is whether the high number of absentee ballots are being taken out by persons who would otherwise vote at the polls or who would otherwise be unable to vote.

It used to be that about the only grounds for receiving an absentee ballot were illness or other medical disability or being out of town on election day.

Now, anyone who is over 60 can get an absentee ballot without an excuse.

Mr. Farmer

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Of the total taxes to be paid by Tuscola county property owners, 69.4 percent will go to local school districts; 8.87 percent to the intermediate school district; 14.14 percent to the county, including the bridge and senior citizen millages; townships, 6.54 percent, and drains, 1.06 percent.

OTHER ITEMS

Gove Associates of Kalamazoo was hired to prepare the county's pre-application for U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development block grant housing rehabilitation funds. The firm's fee is not to exceed \$1,500.

Thirty townships and villages in the county have agreed to participate if the

grant is approved. The county could get as much as \$900,000, to be used to aid low-income homeowners to improve their homes.

Annexation of a 165-by-70 foot parcel on Doerr Road to Cass City was approved. The property and industrial building are owned by Engineered Tools, Inc.

A new secondary road patrol budget was approved for the sheriff's department for the final three months of this year.

The state funds the program, for which the county will receive \$15,477 for the quarter, a cut of about 25 percent from the original budget. As a result, only two officers will remain in the unit, with a third one having been reassigned to regular department duties.

Council okays apartments

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heard comments regarding changing the village ordinance to allow apartments in downtown buildings.

The present ordinance only allows them in the business district if they were in existence before the zoning ordinance went into effect and have been vacant less than six months.

The proposed change would allow new ones only in buildings two or more stories in height, provided they only be on floors above the ground floor and comply with all applicable building, housing, fire and safety codes.

The proposal brought a protest from Dorothy Stahlbaum, village council member and owner of a downtown business which has a first floor apartment.

She was told that her apartment would still be legal under the "grandfather clause," having been in existence before the zoning ordinance went into effect. The implication was made by planning commission members that if her apartment is ever vacant more than six months, but was eventually rented, no one was going to protest anyway.

The commission recommended to the council that the ordinance change be adopted, which it later did. It goes into effect Nov. 16.

BUDGET

A new state law prohibits spending money without an approved budget, therefore the council will have to approve its 1981 budget by the end of December.

Past practice had been to approve it in February, after the council knew how much money it had left over from the year before.

With three months of this year to go, the financial statement presented at the meeting showed general fund revenue so far of \$346,805, versus projected revenue of \$464,500 for the entire year.

Based on projected revenue still to come, village President Lambert Althaver commented, "At the moment, we're still in pretty good shape."

After the meeting, he said although revenues won't be as much as originally anticipated, it won't affect programs for this year.

But in 1981, he predicted, "We will see a reduction in services of some kind."

OTHER ITEMS

A request from St. Pancratius Catholic church to conduct bingo games in the village park during the July 4th festival was "regretfully" denied.

The primary objection was that granting permission would lead to similar requests from other organizations. It was pointed out the church can conduct the activity on private property adjacent to the park.

According to the village's attorney, Clinton House, the Michigan Employment Relations Commission has authorized a ratification election conducted by mail of the request by village police officers to be represented by the Fraternal Order of Police in contract bargaining with the village.

A minimum of 30 percent

of employees must sign cards requesting such an election. He wasn't told how many signed, but with four officers, at least two had to do so.

The ballots should be mailed by the end of this month and House's understanding is the officers have about three weeks to send them back.

The council agreed to participate in the federal Community Development Block Grant housing rehabilitation program if Tuscola county's application for \$900,000 is approved. If that happens, low-income homeowners could get low-interest loans and possibly free grants to improve their houses.

The request of Mary Wilding to have her property on the south side of Seventh Street annexed to the village was approved. The property measures 66-by-132 feet. The county Board of Commissioners must now approve the request.

Next council meeting will be Monday, Dec. 1.

As of Oct. 20, 97 percent of village taxes had been paid, compared to 97.6 percent a year earlier. Turned in delinquent to the county treasurer's office was \$9,016 in taxes still to be collected.

Eastern Star installs new officers

Officers to serve Echo Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, for the chapter's 77th year were installed in the Cass City Masonic Temple Saturday evening. About 85 members and friends attended.

Installing officer was past Worthy Matron Virginia Hartwick. She was assisted by Alexia Cook as marshal, Frances Krause of Decker as chaplain, Frances Patterson of Clio as organist and Rev. Eldred Kelley as soloist.

New Worthy Matron Marian Umpfenbach and Herman Umpfenbach as worthy patron were escorted to the east by an honor guard of men from the St. Bernard Commandery No. 16 of Saginaw.

Other officers installed were: associate matron, Georgine Jensen; associate patron, Keith Murphy; secretary, Ruth Ann Whittaker; treasurer, Thelma Graham; conductress, Lena Teller; associate conductress, Jerri Stilson; chaplain, Carol Furness; marshal, Shirley Wright, and organist, Glenda Wilson.

Serving as Star points will be: Adah, Alexia Cook; Ruth, Donna Wernette; Esther, Dolly Tracy; Martha, Alice Moffat, and Electa, Betty Stilson.

Installed as warden was Virginia Hartwick and as flag bearer, George Wilson. Serving as substitute officer will be Beverly Hartman.

Shirley Karr and James Karr, retiring worthy matron and worthy patron, were presented with their jewels by Mrs. Hartwick and John Marshall.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served in the dining room by Mrs. Hartwick and her committee. The meeting concluded with group singing.

Guests were present from Ann Arbor, Chelsea, Clio, Saginaw, Detroit and the Thumb area.

Golden Rule meets

Twenty-four members of the Golden Rule class of Salem UM church and three guests attended a business and social meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Grant Ball. Following the potluck supper, devotions were led by Iva Hildinger.

Cards were signed to be sent to church members currently hospitalized, Mabel Jickling, Donna Holm, Fern Silvernail and Shirley Geiger.

Mrs. Maurice Joos distributed material for bibs which members are making for patients at Provincial House.

There will be no November class meeting but the annual Christmas party will be held in December.



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Old foes battle again for state representative post

If the contest in the 84th state House district sounds like a repeat of past years, it is.

State Rep. Loren Armbruster, R-Caro, is being opposed for the third time by James McCann of Akron, the Tuscola county veterans affairs counselor.

They opposed each other in 1976 and 1978, with Armbruster the winner the last time by about 5,800 votes out of more than 26,000 cast.

The 84th district consists of all of Tuscola county and small portion of Saginaw and Genesee counties.

Armbruster, 62, was first elected to the legislature in November, 1972, after hav-

ing served 22 years as executive director of the Michigan-Ohio Sugar Beet Growers Association.

In the House, he is vice-chairman of the Roads and Bridges Committee and also serves on the Social Services and Youth, Liquor Control, Conservation, Environment and Recreation, and Drainage Committees. He is the minority (Republican) whip.

A 1941 graduate of Michigan State University, he served 3 1/2 years in the Army Air Force during World War II and 1 1/2 years during the Korean War. Armbruster taught in high school for two

years and was an extension agent for five years before becoming head of the sugar beet organization.

He is a member of the American Legion and Disabled American Veterans.

He and his wife Edna have three children.

McCann, 51, retired from the Army in 1974 after more than 20 years of service.

He has associate and bachelor's degrees from Columbia College, Mo., the latter in psychology, and a master's degree in education and community leadership from Central Michigan University. He has almost completed work for an educational specialist degree from CMU and has been given permission to begin working on his thesis for a doctoral degree in education.

McCann was recently appointed to the State Labor Board to represent veterans concerning employment.

He is a member of the Democratic State Central Committee, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans, Michigan Association of County Veterans Counselors, Michigan Democratic Agriculture Committee and an authorized agent for the Michigan Veterans Trust Fund.

He and his wife have four children.



James McCann



Loren Armbruster



HALLOWEEN ART — After a lapse of three or four years, Cass City student artists returned to downtown to decorate store windows for Halloween. Some of Linda Edwards' intermediate school art students are at left. Karen Wallace's high school art students are at right.

Seek senior citizen funds in Huron

Residents of Huron county will be voting Tuesday whether to increase their property taxes by .2 mill to fund services for senior citizens in the county.

Voters in Tuscola and Huron counties approved the .2 mill tax increase in the Aug. 5 primary election.

If the levy is approved in Huron, it will not appear on the tax bills until December of next year, so the Thumb Area Commission on Aging (TACA), which runs senior citizen programs, won't receive any revenue from it until 1982. The .2 mill, based on present state equalized valuations of the county, will

raise about \$120,000 a year. TACA funds its present programs primarily with federal and state funds, with a supplement from the county.

For 1981, the agency requested \$36,000 from the county because of a cut in federal funds of \$47,000, according to its director, Ronald Cassie.

The county Board of Commissioners, however, allocated only \$20,000, the same as it is spending this year.

That has meant, Cassie said, a reduction in the Bad Axe senior citizen meal program from five days a week to four, laying off one of two

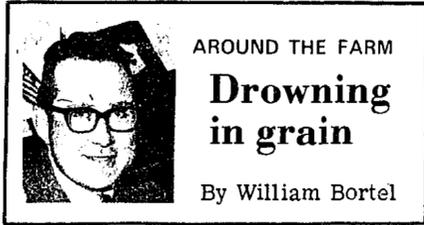
outreach workers and not putting a person on the payroll who performs various tasks, once federal funding for her position expires in December.

Passage of the millage will allow, starting in 1982, establishment of meal sites in the Ugly-Ruth area (for 35 people, three days a week) and Sebawaing-Pigeon (50 people for three days), expansion of the meal program in Port Austin from two to three days and establishment of a home delivered meal program in the Bay Port-Elkton area, serving 13,000 meals a year.

The millage will also

mean restoration of the above mentioned cutbacks and maintenance of meal sites in Harbor Beach and Caseville.

Other programs the millage will help maintain are the senior citizens telephone hot line for information and referral, (1,176 calls a year), outreach (1,224 visits made annually to the homes of senior citizens), transportation to doctors, food stores, drug stores, meal sites and other important appointments (2,352 trips a year), blood pressure checks (1,752 annually) and the Thumb Area Senior News, sent to 5,270 senior citizens each month.



AROUND THE FARM

Drowning in grain

By William Bortel

The hazards of suffocation in flowing grain have increased sharply with larger grain storage on farms, faster grain handling procedures, and automatic restart units.

"Flowing grain is a lot like quicksand," says Dr. Richard Pfister, Michigan State

Marlette OES installs officers

Marlette Order of the Eastern Star Chapter 199 installed officers Oct. 20, with Lucille and Basil Wotton of Cass City being installed as matron and patron respectively.

Other officers for the coming year are Glenna McClatchie and William Pabst, Associate matron and patron; Ruth King, secretary; Karen Hood, treasurer; Mary Frazier, conductress; Dolly Richmond, associate conductress; Gladys Bond, organist; Marian Lytle, chaplain; Audrey Sulaty, Marshall; Emilie Taylor, Beatrice Coupar, Linda Warner, Meta Pabst and Jeanette Knight, star points; warder and sentinel, Pearl and Russell Wilson, and Janet McGray and Clare McVean, auxiliary officers.

Installing officers were Betty Surine, past matron, Kedron Chapter No. 33, Caro, and Don Robinson, Caro, Past Grand Worthy Patron of State of Michigan assisted by Dorothy Tracy, past matron, Echo Chapter No. 337, Cass City; Helen Field, past matron, Decker Chapter 438; chaplain, Carol Furness, past matron Echo 337; organist, Opal Hunter, past matron Kedron 33, and soloists, Leo Tracy, past patron, Echo 337, and Kenneth Crocker, past patron, Kedron 33, and grand inner guard, International Order Job's Daughter, Grand Bethel of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wotton were presented a gift from Marlette chapter in honor of their 46th wedding anniversary.

Luncheon was served to 70 guests, following the ceremony.

Special honors were given to Elaine Fuester of Decker for the corsages made by her for the installed officers and installing staff and Christopher Tracy for the gifts made and presented to the installing officers.

Elder Raymond Kitt of the Marlette Latter Day Saints church gave the benediction and mizpah blessing at the close of the meeting.

The first meeting of the Chapter will be Nov. 10 with a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m., with a meeting of the ways and means committee between the dinner and meeting at 8.

University Cooperative Extension Service agricultural engineer and safety specialist. When a grain storage bin is emptied from the bottom, the grain flows toward the bin center and down toward the outlet at a rate of 1,000-2,500 bushels per hour.

A person can sink knee deep in flowing grain in less than five seconds. Once the grain is 3-4 inches above the knee, a person is essentially trapped, and can be completely buried in 20 seconds. Children can go under even more quickly; 40 percent of the grain drownings occur to children under 16.

The best prevention would be to avoid getting in the bin at all. If you must get in the bin, make sure a lifeline-safety harness is securely fastened to you and held by at least one other person.

Should you still get trapped, try to walk toward the outer edges of the bin where the grain is flowing more slowly. Keep children away from self unloading wagons and bins.

Sometimes during unloading, a "bridge" forms. This is created when the surface of the grain temporarily doesn't flow and a void develops below. Getting into the bin causes the person to break through and the "victim" ends up under an avalanche of grain. If a bridge does form, use a pole or other long-handled object to break it up.

Another common accident is getting caught in augers or in the power takeoff. Consider the hazards of each set-up and warn others. Keep children away from any moving machinery. Make sure all shields are in place. A pant leg or shirt sleeve can get caught in revolving shafts or pulleys. Wear close fitting, comfortable clothes.

Inhaling grain dust can cause serious lung damage, and you may be allergic to the dust. Wearing a lightweight dust mask when transferring grain or cleaning the bin can help eliminate these problems.

New man sure in area district

For the first time since 1965, come Jan. 1, there will be a new representative from the 77th state House district.

Seeking to replace retiring Quincy Hoffman are Keith Muxlow of Brown City, winner of the August Republican primary over three other opponents, and Democrat Harold Richards of Harbor Beach.

Muxlow, 46, lost to Hoffman in the Republican primary two years ago by 104 votes and won the August primary by 4,206 votes over his closest opponent.

Cooperative Extension Service.

Richards, 72, retired eight years ago as a crew leader from Hercules Inc., a milling company in Harbor Beach, where he was employed for 31 years. During 20 of those years, he was president of the United Auto Workers local there.



Harold Richards

He has previously run for state senator once and state representative once. He served on the Harbor Beach Village Council for 2 1/2 years.

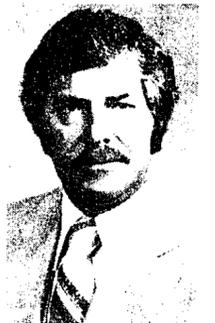
Richards was president of the Harbor Beach Community Federal Credit Union for several years and still serves on its board of directors.

He is a member of the Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council and is also on the state advisory committee for senior citizens.

Richards has been president of the Huron County Historical Society, sits on its board of directors, and is chairman of its committee for the Gov. Frank Murphy Museum in Harbor Beach.

He has worked to obtain financial grants for the museum, senior citizen activities in Harbor Beach and for that community's bicentennial celebration in 1976.

A widower, one of his four children is Don Richards of Cass City.



Keith Muxlow

He was Brown City mayor for eight years, but didn't seek re-election when his term expired in April. He was on the village council for three years before that.

The lifetime resident of the area was a dairy farmer for 25 years. He presently is manager and co-owner of the Brown City Industrial Park, which has attracted five industries to the area.

An Army veteran, he is treasurer of the Sanilac County Republican Party, co-chairman of the Brown City Development Committee, member of the Brown City Area Health Center Board of Directors, was chairman of the Brown City centennial celebration in 1976 and is a Rotary Club member and advisor to the

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Candidates answer questions

Berry vs. Clancy for Tuscola sheriff

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from the Army and Macomb County Community College. He and his wife, Grace, have three children and one grandchild.

THE QUESTIONS

Q: Are you satisfied with the operation of the sheriff's department at present? If not, what changes would you make? If those changes involve additional expense, for instance, hiring more deputies, how would you fund them?

Clancy: No. I believe the overall efficiency may be at an all time low. It reflects upon the way many of the deputies must be doing their jobs. For example, after nine months of operation in 1979, the total number for appearance tickets and citations stood at 2,843. Now, after nine months of operation in 1980, the total number is 2,714. That is a drop of 129, which means that the tax-

payers of this county are getting the short end of the stick. If elected, I intend to improve efficiency. I will insist upon an honest day's work for an honest dollar from all employees. And, I will be in the field setting an example for the men to follow.

Berry: I am not satisfied with the operation of the sheriff's department at the present time.

Changes I propose to make if elected will hinge quite heavily on the tax proposal issues before the voters and the resulting outcome as it affects the county budget.

Several changes within the department can be effected by moving some personnel to areas to better utilize their capabilities and experience.

It would be ideal if more help could be hired as it is sorely needed. However, I do not see this happening right away.

Q: This is a period when governments are having to



Paul Berry

tighten their belts. What potential do you see within the sheriff's department for economizing? If it becomes mandatory that you had to make some budget cuts, what cuts would you make?

Clancy: I would recommend immediately the introduction of a few compact cars into the sheriff's motor pool. These cars could be used for many routine mat-

ters like serving papers, etc.

Also, I am convinced that some of these high speed chases are unnecessary when we have a modern communications system at our disposal. In 1979, 437,000 miles were logged by the sheriff's vehicles. Over 42,000 gallons of gasoline was used. This amounts to only 10 miles per gallon, at a time when we are talking about energy conservation.

I have recommended the introduction of an inmate work program on a selected basis. This would involve the cooperation of an agency like the Road Commission. They could put inmates, under deputy supervision, to work on secondary road projects. Under such a program, I believe the judges might consider cutting sentence time for many inmates who volunteer to work for the public benefit. It would cut the soaring costs for board and room, now being absorbed by the sheriff's department.

If after every cost saving measure was taken and the



Herbert Clancy

budget still had to be cut, it would have to come from a layoff of personnel. This would be my last resort. I would do everything in my power first to convince the county commissioners that law enforcement should have top priority.

Berry: It has become necessary to reduce the department by one position already this month and it is quite likely that several more positions could be in jeopardy if the secondary road patrol funds and the federal revenue sharing money is reduced by the state and federal governments respectively.

If these cuts in funds come about, the only alternative is for the board of commissioners to come up with local funding or lay people off. If layoffs occur, this will result in reduced services provided by the department. This will mean that services provided by the road patrols will have to be cut back as the state constitution mandates that the sheriff maintain the county jail. In maintaining a fully populated or overcrowded jail, it takes more manpower to handle these jobs and when this occurs, the road patrol and other areas of the department have to suffer.

Q (for Clancy only): Other than about a year spent with the sheriff's department in

1972-73, your entire civilian police experience has been in running a small town police department. The sheriff's department is considerably larger and its functions are more extensive. Why should persons vote for you for sheriff?

Clancy: As I have already indicated, Undersheriff Bruce Tait will remain on the job, if I am elected. Together, we represent almost 60 years of law enforcement experience. I have worked as a county deputy, previous to accepting the chief of police position at Millington. I am very familiar with the operation of the sheriff's department, having assisted it on a myriad of occasions in my capacity as chief of police.

The Army Commendation Medal I received in 1965 while serving with the Military Police, I believe, speaks to my leadership ability. And, leadership is what this sheriff's race should be all about. In conclusion, I believe that I am offering the people of this county a law enforcement team... a team that can deliver top notch law enforcement services. People don't have to vote for me and then wonder about who the undersheriff will be.

Q (for Berry only): Except for three years as undersheriff, from 1969-72, the rest of your 25 years with the sheriff's department has been as a deputy. Being sheriff is primarily an administrative job. Because of your minimal administrative experience, why should persons vote for you for sheriff?

Berry: My 25 years' experience has been in all phases of the department. I am totally familiar with the complete operation as it has grown in that time. My working in the complete operation can only be to my advantage.

Also, I have completed administrative and supervisory courses from the Michigan Law Enforcement Training Council in police administration and supervision. This education and

the job experience along with my ability to work with all the police chiefs and the departments throughout the county will give me the ability to handle the job of being sheriff.

Items stolen

Items worth more than \$300 were reported stolen from a car last Wednesday parked in the rear lot at Cass City High School.

Taken from his car, James T. Crickon of 3918 N. Cemetery Road told village police, were an AM-FM radio with eight-track tape player, worth \$70; "several" cassette tapes and case, \$200; two stereo speakers, \$50; one hub cap, \$25, and one eight-track tape, \$3. The vehicle had been locked. The incident was reported at 6:30 p.m.

Village police took Jerry D. Worley, 23, of Detroit, to the county jail after they stopped his car at 10:20 p.m. last Thursday.

His vehicle was stopped after he failed to stop on Woodland Avenue before turning onto Main Street.

A check was made and it was discovered Worley was wanted on warrants from Romeo state police for contempt of court and the Warren Police Department for engaging in business as an alteration contractor without a license.

Village police cited Worley on a charge of driving

with a revoked license. Monday before District Judge Richard F. Kern, he pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to three days in the county jail, fined \$33 and assessed \$22 court costs.

He was to have been released from jail if he posted \$200 bond for the contempt of court warrant and \$100 for the business without a license charge.

Charles O'Dell of 432 Krapf Road, Cass City, reported to Bad Axe state police Saturday morning that tools and a battery were taken and trucks damaged at the gravel pit he owns in Greenleaf township.

The excavation tools and truck battery were valued at \$125. Damage to three trucks, apparently done with a hammer, was estimated at \$175.

Richard Colling of Ashmore Road, Unionville, told sheriff's deputies Monday afternoon that 50 gallons of fuel were drained from his combine over the week end while it was parked in a field off Seelye Road, north of Cass City Road in Elmwood township.

A YES VOTE FOR TUSCOLA COUNTY PROPOSITION I will assure continuation of county operations. Paid for by Tuscola County Proposition I Committee.

Footte vs. Riess for Sanilac commission seat

Countywide races in Sanilac county were supposedly settled in the Aug. 5 primary, but they weren't. Only Republicans filed, so supposedly whomever won the primaries would take office Jan. 1.

However, County Clerk Lawrence R. Smith, loser to Deputy Clerk Delene Schultheiss by 197 votes, is running as a write-in or sticker candidate in a last-ditch effort to hold onto his job.

Smith was Sandusky city clerk for 13 years before being elected county clerk four years ago.

In his write-in campaign, he is crying foul-play, arguing that Mrs. Schultheiss misled voters in the primary by advertising she has 10 years' experience as a deputy clerk when in fact she has never worked in his office.

Mrs. Schultheiss has been the secretary for the county Board of Commissioners for 10 years, with one of her jobs being taking minutes at board meetings. State law requires that the county clerk or his deputy -- hence her title -- take the minutes.

She has been endorsed for election as county clerk by four of the eight county commissioners, including Lloyd Severance of Decker.

In addition to taking minutes and performing other tasks for the board, she said she helps township officials with filing of tax statements and warrants, a task normally performed by the clerk's office.

The other candidates, running without opposition, are: Prosecutor, Robert Barnes, who narrowly defeated incumbent J. Anthony Sykora in the primary; Sheriff, Ross E. Dundas, who has held the position since 1965; treasurer, Ken Rhead, in office four years; drain commissioner, Stuart Armstead, 25 years, and register of deeds, Maurice Turnbull, 19 years.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Republican Eugene Footte, 52, of 5285 Freiburg Road, Argyle, is running against Democrat Eileen K. Riess, 64, of 3820 W. Downington Road, Snover, for District 1 county commissioner.

The district consists of Argyle, Evergreen, Greenleaf, Lamotte and Moore townships. It is presently represented by Lloyd Severance, who isn't seeking re-election.

Footte, winner of the Republican primary over two other candidates, was Ar-



Eugene A. Footte



Eileen K. Riess

gyle township supervisor for six years in the 1960s and has been its certified assessor the past 10 years.

His wife, Hazel, is the present township supervisor, but isn't seeking re-election.

Footte served on the Sanilac County Social Services Board for 12 years. He resigned in June in order to run for county commissioner.

He and sons Dennis and Dave farm 700 acres and feed about 300 cattle. He has been an Argyle township resident since he was a small child.

Mrs. Riess, chairman of the Sanilac County Democratic Party since 1974, unsuccessfully ran for county commissioner two years ago.

She is a member of the Democratic State Central Steering Committee and the Democratic 8th Congress-

sional District Steering Committee.

She has been vice-president of the Sanilac County Extension Homemakers since 1978 and will automatically become president in June of next year. She is vice-president of the Area 14 Homemakers Council since 1979 and will automatically become its president in January, 1982.

Earlier this year, Mrs. Riess received the extension homemakers Silver Salute Award.

For 14 years, she was an office manager and salesperson for a real estate and investment company.

In District 2, which consists of Austin, Minden, Marion, Wheatland and Delaware townships, Republican Donald Decker of Deckerville is unopposed for re-election.

No one knows the impact of proposals

What impact will passage of the Tisch Amendment (Proposal D) or the other proposals have on Cass City village and schools?

No one knows. According to village Supt. Lou LaPonsie, the guess is that passage of Tisch would cut state revenue to the village by 20 percent, plus there would be an additional loss in local property tax revenues.

State revenues to Cass City make up about a fourth

of total revenue received by the village.

The Tisch proposal guarantees funding to state schools at the 1980-81 level. The problem, according to Cass City school Supt. Donald Crouse, is that the legislature has yet to approve 1980-81 state aid to schools.

When it does, because of the state's budget crunch, the amount could be less than received previously.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Table with columns for Local General Ed. Revenue, State General Ed. Revenue, and Community Education, with sub-columns for 1979-1980 Act. Rec. and 1980-1981 Est. Rec.

EXPENDITURES

The grand total of expenditures for the school in 1979-80 was \$2,847,358 and the estimated cost of running the school in 1980-81 is \$3,172,700.

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Electors to decide controversial issues

Seven proposals face voters Tuesday

Although the three statewide tax cut or tax shift proposals on Tuesday's ballot have received most of the attention, Michigan voters will have to vote "yes" or "no" on seven proposals.

One of the other four is a tax increase, from 4.6 to 4.7 percent, primarily for new prison construction. The other three involve lowering the drinking age, legislative immunity and powers of the lieutenant governor.

All seven are identified on the ballot by a letter and brief explanation. Those wishing to vote for the Tisch Amendment (Proposal D), for instance, won't find it identified as "Tisch" on the ballot.

The proposals are lettered

A, B, C, D, E, G and H. There is, for apparently obscure reasons, no Proposal F.

Following is an explanation of each, along with advantages and disadvantages. Explanations of Proposals A, C and D were prepared by the public service and information committee of the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants.

A - SMITH-BULLARD TAX PLAN

Purpose of this plan is to provide a statewide system of equal financing of elementary and secondary schools without dependence on local (residential) property taxes.

To accomplish that goal, residential property taxes would be limited to 13 mills, \$13 per \$1,000 of assessed value, which could be raised an additional 11.5 mills by a vote of the people. To replace the lost tax income to the state and local municipal governments the proposal would probably result in:

- 1) An increase in individual income taxes from the present 4.6 percent to 6.8 percent (experts disagree).
- 2) An increase in property taxes to industrial and commercial property.

B - DRINKING AGE

Two years ago, voters approved raising the legal drinking age from 18 to 21. Proposal B, if approved, will reduce it to 19.

Nineteen-year-olds are legally adults, except for drinking alcoholic beverages. Proponents of the lower age limit say teenagers still drink, but instead of doing it in bars, do it in cars, homes, parks, etc.

Allowing 19-year-olds to drink, opponents say, would increase teenage traffic accidents, have a bad influence on minors and make it easier to drink in schools.

According to the Citizens Research Council of Michigan,

"Taxes being charged in unequal amounts to businesses and individuals due to higher rates for businesses for property taxes."

Loss of local control of educational revenues by requiring the state legislature to establish a program of general state taxation for educational operating purposes.

Certain general terms of the proposal have unclear meanings and there may be a complexity problem in their application.

gan, "There is no clear relationship between the legal drinking age and the number of automobile accidents. Since the drinking age was raised to 21, there have been fewer accidents involving 18, 19 and 20-year-old drivers who have been drinking. However, in the same period, there have also been fewer non-drinking related accidents involving 18-20-year-olds and fewer drinking and non-drinking related accidents involving persons 21 and older."

C - COALITION TAX PLAN

Proposal C, like Proposals A and D, is a constitutional amendment.

Its principal purpose is to shift taxation from residential property taxes and sales tax on utility services. It would offset the lost taxes by increasing the present 4 cents per dollar state sales tax to 5.5 to 9.5 cents (experts disagree) without a significant loss or disruption of services currently being provided by state and local governments.

This proposal, prepared by a coalition of the legislature and governor, represents an attempt by government, business, education

and civic leaders to address the public discontent expressed with the substantial increase in property taxes over the past few years.

In connection with this proposal, the legislature has passed and the governor has signed nine separate bills implementing Proposal C, which will become effective only if Proposal C is approved in November.

Proposal C contains residential property tax reductions, a tax credit for renters, modifies certain provisions of the Headlee tax amendment and has provisions for replacing the lost revenue with sales taxes specifically earmarked for revenue replacement to local governments.

Proposal C also has provisions that allocate certain revenues to school aid and a "rainy day" fund, provides for changes in assessment methods for agricultural and forestry property, and attempts to better define the taxing powers of local units of government in relation to taxation arising from state authority.

Possible advantages of the legislative-executive proposal:

- A reduction in residential property taxes.
- More stabilization of the state budget due to the constitutional amendment requiring a "rainy day" fund.
- Establishment of a more uniform statewide assessment of property taxes.
- Ease of implementation as a result of the already completed passage of enabling legislation.

D - TISCH TAX CUT

Possible disadvantages of Proposal C:

- Increased sales and use tax to individuals.
- Increased sales and use tax to businesses.
- An eventual increase in taxes to everyone, assuming inflation continues.

This proposal, initiated by Robert E. Tisch, is a constitutional amendment designed to reduce property taxes to 50 percent of their 1978 value and to require the state to reimburse local governments for the lost revenues.

Proposal D intends to accomplish its goal by using 1978 assessments as a base, limiting increases in residential and agricultural assessments to 2 percent annually, removing most property tax exemptions from property that is currently exempt (excluding schools and churches), providing school tax exemptions to persons over 62 years of age and providing additional property tax exemptions to individuals with a low income.

The Tisch Proposal also contains provisions limiting the power of the state legislature by requiring the legislature to submit proposals for new taxes to a vote of the people and by requiring the legislature to have a four-fifths vote in favor of changing existing taxes, credits or exemptions.

There are significant "new" concepts in this proposal from the viewpoint that a 60 percent majority of the voters must approve any tax increases and 80 percent of the legislature must approve certain exemptions from taxation since both of these concepts would be constitutional rather than at the will of the legislature.

Since many provisions of the Tisch Proposal are indefinite, implementation and impact are difficult to assess.

Possible advantages of Proposal D:

- Reduction of residential and business property taxes.
- Providing the individual the opportunity to control taxes.
- Taking taxing power away from the state legislature.
- Forcing a detailed review of state programs.
- Achieving more responsible state government.
- Provides the ability to budget property taxes to the individual.

Possible disadvantages of Proposal D:

- A curtailment of state government services.
- A curtailment of local government services.
- Probable extensive use of the courts to implement the technical aspects.
- Increase in federal income taxes to individuals and businesses because the deduction for taxes paid to the state will decrease.
- Unknown impact on federal aid to Michigan.
- Reducing funds available for education.
- Additional taxes on business property currently exempt and additional loss of the state's ability to attract industry.

E - PRISONS

The proposed law would increase the state personal income tax from 4.6 to 4.7 percent for five years beginning Jan. 1.

During the period it would be in effect, it is estimated the tax increase would yield \$360 million. The revenue would be earmarked for the following:

- Construction of four new regional prisons.
- Demolition of the 103-year-old Michigan Reformatory at Ionia.
- Preventative programs and other state and local correctional purposes.

The number of persons sentenced to state prisons during the past decade has more than doubled. A contributing factor was approval by voters in 1978 of the requirement that prisoners cannot be paroled before serving their minimum sentence.

As of Aug. 1, state prisons were housing 15,196 inmates, 10.2 percent more than their intended capacity. Correction officials predict a shortage of approximately 7,250 beds by 1990 unless new construction is undertaken and some outmoded facilities are replaced or renovated.

Those in opposition argue one of two ways. One is that the legislature should rearrange its priorities and fund new prisons out of existing revenues or by sale of bonds, instead of a tax increase.

Those in favor say that the only way to do it, given the state's present financial situation, is by increasing taxes.

The other argument against the proposal is that instead of building more prisons, the state should look at more humane means of treating certain prisoners, such as more use of community-based facilities, work-release, etc.

The opposition argue is that the legislature should rearrange its priorities and fund new prisons out of existing revenues or by sale of bonds, instead of a tax increase.

The counter argument is that in recent years, the lieutenant governor rarely presides over daily sessions of the senate and even more rarely votes to break ties.

Since 1835, the office of lieutenant governor has been vacant eight times.

Proposal G does not spell out who would preside over the senate, since the lieutenant governor would no longer do so, nor how ties would be broken. Presumably, the senators would elect one of their own to preside.

G - CIVIL IMMUNITY

The state constitution gives legislators immunity from civil arrest or process

during the legislative session and for five days before and after each session.

The immunity includes such matters as traffic violations, negligence actions and other civil lawsuits.

The provision goes back to 1835 and was intended to protect a senator or representative from harassment by the executive or judicial branches of the government or from lawsuits, such as might result from action taken as legislators.

However, the legislature now meets almost year-round and traffic violations, once part of the criminal code, are part of the "civil process."

Proposal G would allow the legislature to pass a law to modify the exemption, thereby eliminating the potential for abuse of the immunity provision, for instance, by a legislator avoiding a citation because of a traffic violation.

The opposition argument is that passage would give authority to legislators to create laws that would exempt them from civil prosecution.

H - LIEUT. GOVERNOR

Passage would:

- Allow an incumbent legislator to be eligible for appointment to the office of lieutenant governor.
- Eliminate the provision making the lieutenant governor the president of the senate with the right to break tie votes.
- Allow the governor to fill a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor, subject to approval of both houses of the legislature.

The main argument in favor is that the state constitution presently has no provision allowing appointment of a replacement for a lieutenant governor who resigns or dies while in office.

Another provision prohibits legislators from receiving any civil appointment within the state while serving in office.

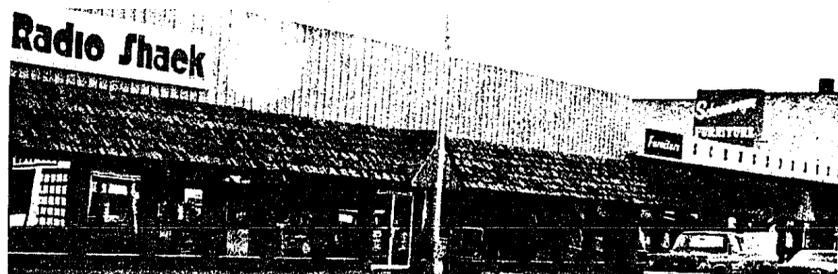
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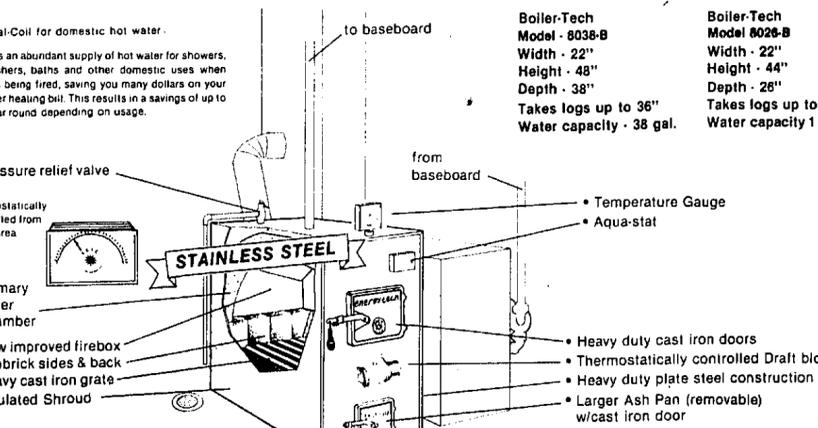
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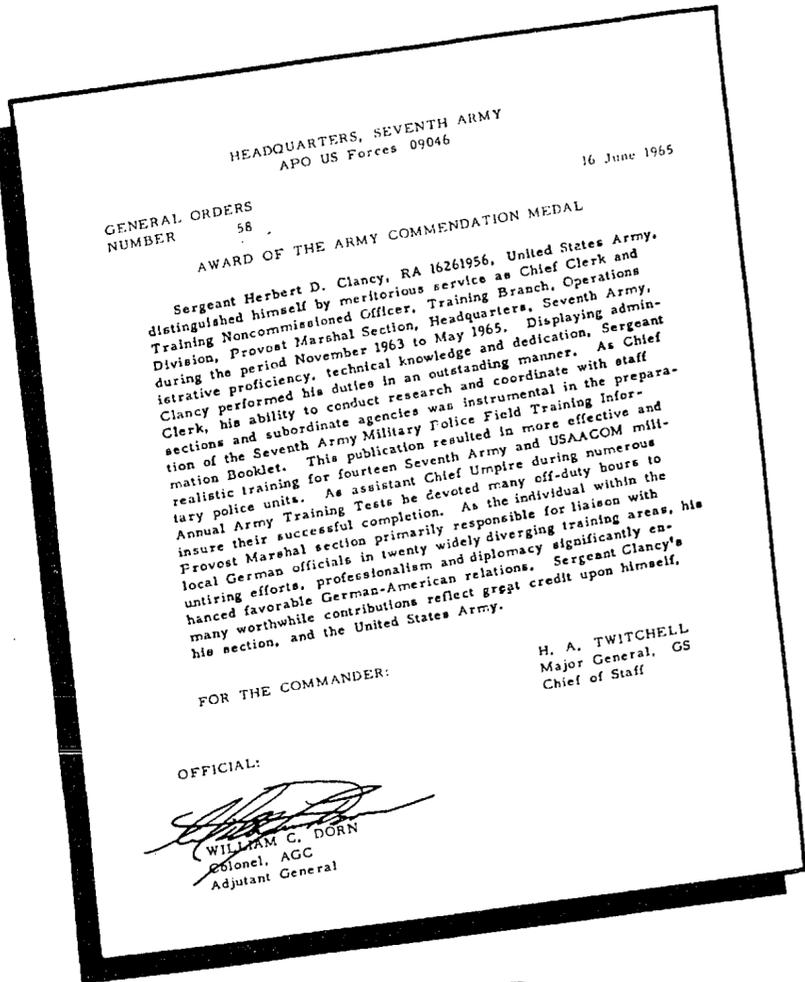
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I believe my background clearly demonstrates my LEADERSHIP qualifications. I served for 20 years in the U.S. Army Military Police and retired as an instructor in Police Technology. In 1965 I received the Army Commendation Medal for outstanding performance in police training and for liaison with local officials of Germany. The lessons I learned — good administration, professionalism and diplomacy — are three crucial aspects of LEADERSHIP and they'll serve me well as your Sheriff.

I observed the day-to-day operations of the Tuscola County Sheriff's Department first-hand in 1972 while serving as a deputy. In 1973, however, I accepted a further opportunity for LEADERSHIP and became Millington's Chief of Police. This is the position I currently hold, and I believe anyone who knows will tell you that I have served the people of Millington honorably.

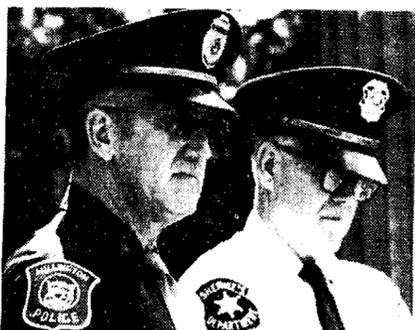
I am asking for your vote on November 4th; in return, I guarantee you that I'll restore real LEADERSHIP to the office of Tuscola County Sheriff.

Thank you,

Herb Clancy



Herb Clancy has a keen interest in saving your tax dollars. Here is he shown with Seventh District County Commissioner Ken Kennedy in a close examination of the current sheriff's department budget.



Herb Clancy believes that good police work should be the FIRST consideration of a county sheriff. Here he is shown with Bruce Tait as he announces that, if elected, he'll retain Bruce (a Republican) in his current position as undersheriff. The voters will thus benefit from over 60 years of administrative experience working for them.



Herb Clancy believes in the importance of the visibility of the sheriff, especially at the scene of major accidents and crimes. He is seen here actively involved in the recovery of a stolen piece of heavy-duty equipment.



Herb Clancy believes in halting the spread of crime before its effects reach epidemic proportions. He is shown here with part of a large marijuana crop he discovered being cultivated in the Millington area, one that will not reach the schools.

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BRIDAL SHOWER

Around 30 ladies attended a miscellaneous bridal shower for Ella Peter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter, at the Community Bank building in Ubyly Sunday afternoon. It was hosted by her aunts, Mrs. Gary Stanbaugh and Mrs. Gene Stanbaugh.

Games were played with prizes given. Rosalie Eiler of Vassar and Mrs. Harold Piottier won the door prizes. A buffet dinner was served. Miss Peter will become the bride of Dean Weltin of Detroit Jan. 24.

Guests attended from Port Huron, Mt. Morris, Ubyly, Deckerville, Yale, East Detroit, Bad Axe, Vassar and Kinde.

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Mrs. Dunc McIntyre of Ubyly was a Thursday afternoon guest and Mike Schenk of Ubyly was a Friday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Conkey of Caseville were Thursday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker.

Mrs. Olin Bouck returned home Tuesday after spending six days in Hills and Dales Hospital in Cass City.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McComb of Detroit were Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Heather and Matthew O'Bee were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rayner at Roseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fuester and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sweeney were Sunday

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brown.

Mrs. Bill McQueen of Royal Oak was a Tuesday lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krug and an afternoon guest of Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David.

Finnbar McMonagle of Livonia and Mike Honan and son Mike Jr. of Chicago were Saturday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer.

Mrs. George Jackson visited Margaret Carlson Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk, Michael and Paul of Ubyly were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Jim Hewitt visited Leslie Hewitt at Provincial House. Dean Kleinfelt and son Mark of Detroit, David Dickens and friend of Mt. Clemens and John Walker and son John Edward of Ruth were Friday and Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deachin of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Deachin and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart attended the funeral of Mamie Warchock at St. Mary's Catholic church at Parisville Friday. Jennifer and Jill Felmlee of Bay City spent from Friday till Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Felmlee of Bay City were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nicol, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace and family, Leland Nicol, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wallace, Mrs. Avery and Rev. and Mrs. Milton Gelatt were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mrs. Frank Laming and Mrs. Jerry Decker were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Gay-

lord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Johnson and Cary, Jennie and Joe of Rochester were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gracey.

Bob LePla of Yale, Clarence Peter of East Detroit and Bob Peter of Mt. Morris spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peter.

Don Jackson, Melissa, Jason and Jimmy were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family.

Al Hammerle of Bad Axe, Rodney Talaski, Jack Ross and Bryce Champagne were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kreh of Burton were Tuesday and Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ballagh and Karen and Hilda Wills were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Glaza and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart attended the wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Gary Briolat at the Ubyly Fox Hunters hall Sunday afternoon.

Bill Cleland and friend of Pontiac were Saturday guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer, Debbie and Patti Timmons attended the wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. John Sadowy at the Caro Knights of Columbus Hall Friday evening.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Around 40 attended a miscellaneous bridal shower Sunday afternoon at the Shabbona RLDS church annex for Miss Cindy Mackowiak, given by Mrs. Jim Doerr.

Games were played and prizes given. Mrs. Curtis Cleland won the door prize. Miss Mackowiak will become the bride of Ron Pettinger Jr. Nov. 22 at the Shabbona RLDS church.

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Al LaVoy, Lorene Bowron, Mrs. Ray Griggs and Ira Robinson spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Phil

Preston at Paw Paw. Saturday they attended the wedding of Miss Linda Ann Preston and Kevin Gene Shervurn at the United Methodist church at Paw Paw. A reception followed at the Paw Paw Elks Club.

Mrs. Francis Jefferson and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kersten of Harper Woods were Wednesday guests of Margaret Carlson.

Beatrice Hundersmarck and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Tuesday guests of Mrs. James Britt in Pontiac.

Shirley Ross spent from Wednesday till Saturday with Carol Ross in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney and family of Lansing spent the week end with Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David.

Cindy Kelly of Port Huron and Phil Berridge of Richmond were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Havey at Lake Orion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Deitrich and son Dan of Madison Heights were Sunday afternoon guests of Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker spent Sunday with Emma Decker in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laming were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rienell.

Mrs. Ernest Hamilton of Royal Oak spent the week end with Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hofert and son of Lapeer, Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr., Brent, Leanna and Lavina of Oxford spent the week end with Mrs. George Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family.

Jeny Murov of Bad Axe and Jack Ross of Ubyly were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight of Bad Axe were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Mrs. Dave Sweeney called on Mrs. Rayford Thorpe, Sara Campbell and Harry Edwards Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tschirhart, Mrs. Dorothy Wehner of Harbor Beach, Lucille Collins of Bad Axe, Leona Tschirhart of Ruth, Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney and Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart attended the funeral of a relative, Msgr. Ralph M. Richards, at St. Helen's Catholic church in Saginaw Monday.

Bernard Shagena of Sebewaing was a Tuesday lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stirrett of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson attended the Lamotte fire department ladies auxiliary dinner Sunday, at the Lamotte township hall, in observance of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson's 46th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Campbell attended the wedding of Miss LuEllen Lowe and Ronald Spaulding at the Salem United Methodist church in Cass City at 5 o'clock Saturday. A reception followed at the K of C Hall in Caro.

John and Mickey Tyll of Ubyly were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krug.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Tuscola-Sanilac rural letter carriers' dinner meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood at Gagetown. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Phillips at Decker.

Mrs. Harry Miller and daughter of Ubyly were Friday guests of Margaret Carlson.

Don Harrington and Cliff Simmons of Bad Axe and Danny Lindquest were Monday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Sheila Dalton of Bad Axe was a Friday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Reva Silver was a Friday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills.

Mrs. Ron Berridge and family of Royal Oak were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Profit in Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

Mrs. Dennis Morell of Minden, Rosie Abraham of Ubyly, Mrs. Floyd Morell and Mrs. Don Jackson spent Saturday in Bay City.

Annie Pelton of Cass City

is spending a few days with Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming.

Mrs. Manly Fay Sr., Mrs. Steve Timmons, Debbie and Patti and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckett in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sofka attended the dinner at St. Anthony's at Helena Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rayner of Roseville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Bee and family.

Mike Smith merit test semi-finalist

Caro High School has announced that Michael S. Smith, a senior, has been named a semi-finalist in the National Merit Competition.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith of Caro and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cox of Deford and the late Kenneth Churchill.

Smith ranks in the top half of 1 percent of Michigan high school seniors.

He has been a member of high school debate and golf teams. He plans to attend the University of Michigan, with the goal of a career in computer science.

The original group of 1 million students nationwide who took the qualifying test has been narrowed down to 15,000 semi-finalists, of whom 698 are from Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard attended the 25th wedding anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Talaski at Ubyly Heights Country Club Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Barber and Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. George Barber Jr. and family of Royal Oak were Saturday guests of Mrs. Tom Gibbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gibbard Jr. and family in Bad Axe.

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ESTATE

AUCTION Sale

To settle the estate of Chester Karpowski, a public auction will be held on the premises located 4 miles north, 1 1/4 miles east of Kingston or 9 miles south, 1/4 mile east of Cass City at 6611 Chapin road

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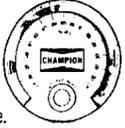
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PIONEER GROUP

The Pioneer Group held its regular meeting Thursday, Oct. 23, at the RLDS church annex. A cooperative dinner was served at noon. There were 26 present.

Immunization flu shot clinics set

The Sanilac County Health Department has announced its schedule of regular immunization and flu vaccine clinics in November.

Flu vaccine will be offered free to individuals considered in the high-risk group, persons 60 and older and chronically ill persons 13 and older. A chronic illness is any condition which lowers the body's resistance to infection, such as diabetes, heart, lung or chronic kidney disease.

Persons who do not fall into the above categories should contact their family physician for the flu vaccine. The health department can be called at 648-2166 for more information.

The flu clinics include Nov. 5, 1-3 p.m., St. Joseph parish hall, Argyle; Nov. 7, 1-3, Deckerville Municipal Building; Nov. 12, 1:30-3:30, Lions Club Hall, Marlette; and Nov. 17, 1-2, Sandusky High School cafeteria.

The flu shots will also be available at the regular immunization clinics Nov. 18 and 25 at the Health Department office, 115 N. Elk Street, Sandusky.

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

If possible, those whose last name begins with A-M should attend the first day; N-Z the second day.

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

Children three months and older can attend. A parent or guardian must accompany their children. They should bring a record of previous immunizations.

Music was provided by Harley Scott and friend of Sandusky.

The next meeting will be a Thanksgiving dinner Friday, Nov. 21, at Veronica's Restaurant in Cass City. Call Mrs. Fred Emigh or Mrs. George Krause for arrangements.

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Clark Auslander has returned home after being a patient in Hills and Dales Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie visited Robbie Leslie at Ypsilanti Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and family were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith.

BUNCO

The Bunco Group met Saturday evening, Oct. 25, with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Brown.

High was won by Raymond Wallace; low by Clair Auslander and door prize by Fred Emigh.

The next meeting, Nov. 8, will be with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Phillips.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Moore and Laura were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Dawn Adam, Monte Temple win "I Dare You" award

Dawn Adam of Snover and Monte Temple of Crosswell have been awarded the national "I Dare You" award by the Sanilac County 4-H Council, as determined by the awards committee.

The honor was presented at 4-H Fall Achievement at Sandusky High School last Wednesday. The pair were selected for the award in recognition of excellence in character and well balanced personal development as well as leadership potential.

In addition to the national recognition received, the awards provided the recipients with a copy of William H. Danforth's book, I Dare

Mrs. Francis Krause and daughter Anna attended the wedding of her niece, Cindy Smith, at Port Sanilac Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister of Marlette and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Franklin of Brown City.

Joel Hoagg and Dr. Robert July of Ann Arbor were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Dorman and Mrs. Maude Houghton of Snover were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman.

Mrs. Francis Krause was guest chaplain at the installation of officers Saturday night at the Cass City Echo Chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Van-Norman attended the fourth birthday celebration of their great-granddaughter, Angela Dennison, in Saginaw Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Puterbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cherniawski, Dalton Puterbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh and Lana attended the wedding of Paula Decker Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hrabec of Clio, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore of Snover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leslie and family. The birthdays of Dale and son Bob were celebrated.

You, and a personalized certificate. Danforth wrote the book out of his own experience and dedicated much of his time and philanthropy to youth work. In the book, he challenges the readers to aspire to their highest potential, to attain constructive lives of service and citizenship and to be committed to excellence.

The award is made available by the "I Dare You" Committee of the American Youth Foundation in cooperation with the county 4-H office. The foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing programs for youth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Franzel, Brian and Missy were

Sunday guests of Mrs. Francis Krause and Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ferguson were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg.

The Shabbona United Methodist Women will meet Wednesday evening, Nov. 12, with Mrs. Karen King. The lesson will be given by Mrs. Leslie Severance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Vern Geister and Mark Sunday afternoon.

School Menu

NOV. 3-7

MONDAY

Ham & Cheese
Chips
Pineapple Tidbits
White Milk
Cookie

TUESDAY

Beef Ravioli
Cheese Cubes
Bread-Butter
Celery Sticks
White Milk
Fruit Cup

WEDNESDAY

Barbecue on Bun
Chips
Buttered Beans
White Milk
Brownie

THURSDAY

Hamburg Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Bread-Butter
Peach Slices
White Milk
Cookie

FRIDAY

Fishwich
Buttered Corn
Chips
White Milk
Cookie

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Notice Of GENERAL ELECTION For EVERGREEN TOWNSHIP

TUESDAY, NOV. 4, 1980

Polls will be open at the Township Hall from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. said day of election.

Application for absentee ballot must be made by Saturday, Nov. 1, before 2 p.m.

OTIS DORLAND
Township Clerk

Notice Of GENERAL ELECTION For ELKLAND TOWNSHIP

TUESDAY, NOV. 4, 1980

Polls will be open at the Township Hall from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. said day of election.

Application for absentee ballot must be made by Saturday, Nov. 1, before 2 p.m.

CAROLYN WARE
Township Clerk

Notice Of GENERAL ELECTION For GREENLEAF TOWNSHIP

TUESDAY, NOV. 4, 1980

Shall the township of Greenleaf levy (1) mill for road maintenance for a period of four years.

Polls will be open at the Township Hall from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. said day of election.

Application for absentee ballot must be made by Saturday, Nov. 1, before 2 p.m.

CLARE BROWN
Township Clerk

Notice Of GENERAL ELECTION For NOVESTA TOWNSHIP

TUESDAY, NOV. 4, 1980

As an electorate voter of Novesta Township, are you in favor of continuation of the Cass City Landfill, located in Novesta Township, being operated as a dump site for Cass City and the outlying areas, "other townships", and the present and future contamination hazards that could be involved from this operation.

Are you in favor of Novesta Township purchasing the former Church of Christ building on Cemetery Road for a price of \$13,000.00 and reconstructing it for a public meeting place and making it the official Township Hall?

Do you approve of raising 1 1/2 mills on State Equalized Assessed property, for 5 years, to offset costs on Fire Protection, Rubbish and Garbage Disposal, and Ambulance Service for Novesta Township?

Polls will be open at the Township Hall from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. said day of election.

Application for absentee ballot must be made by Saturday, Nov. 1, before 2 p.m.

NURSIE KLOC
Township Clerk

FRIDAY NITE CARCASS UNION Oct. 24, 1980

Kelly Bros. Home Comfort 24
Lucky's Kountry Korner 20
Rescue Squad 19
Horse-In-Around 19
The Loom 19
Colwood Bar 17
Incredible 4 15
Really Rottens 13
Fishbowlers 12
Old Folks 12
The Turkeys 11
Cannonballs 11

Men's High Series: M. Patrick 524.
Ladies' High Series: S. Cummins 507.
Men's High Game: B. Hawkins 191.
Ladies' High Game: S. Cummins 189.
High Team Series: Rescue Squad 1846.
High Team Game: Rescue Squad 661.
Ladies' 500 Series: S. Cummins 507.
Ladies' High Game: S. Cummins 189-170, N. Rabideau 187.

GUYS & GALS Oct. 21, 1980

Leiterman Builders 19
Caro Farm & Town 18 1/2
Elkton IGA 18
WKYO-WIDL 17
Country Cousins 17
Brand X 17
Terrasi & Son 17
Charmont 15
Kens & Kerbs 15
Kruse Farms 15
D & D Construction 13
Copeland & Gornowicz 10 1/2

Men's High Series: L. Allison 534.
Ladies' High Series: D. Justice 474.
Men's High Game: B. Thorp, E. Bilicki 202.
Ladies' High Game: K. Milligan 175.
High Team Series: Brand X 2450.
High Team Game: Brand X 865.

Church women meet

The Owendale Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints women's department met recently at the home of Mrs. Genevieve Abbe in Owendale for worship and study. The 13 members present met under the theme, "You Are Worth Loving." Bernice Abbe read the call to worship from Mark 9:50. Prayer was offered by Charlene Craig. Lucille Wells taught the lesson, "Not For Parents Only," from the book "Women Are Winners," by Dorothy Jongeward and Dru Scott. There was much discussion on the lesson. Many were able to relate to the lesson.

The closing prayer was offered by Darlene Kuenzli. The women worked on bazaar items for their bazaar Nov. 7-8 at the Cultural Center in Cass City.

A lunch was served by the hostess and co-hostess, Bernice Abbe. The next meeting will be at the home of Evelyn Haley for election of officers for 1981.

Notice Of GENERAL ELECTION For ELLINGTON TOWNSHIP

TUESDAY, NOV. 4, 1980

Shall the Township of Ellington levy (3) mills for road improvement, to be spread on the tax rolls for the years 1981 through 1984?

Polls will be open at the Township Hall from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. said day of election.

Application for absentee ballot must be made by Saturday, Nov. 1, before 2 p.m.

CLAYTON TURNER
Township Clerk

Men's 200 Games: B. Thorp, E. Bilicki 202.
Men's 500 Series: B. Fischer 501, L. Allison 534, K. Forster 502, J. Brown 517, B. Thorp 531, B. Klinkman 511.

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE Oct. 23, 1980

End of First Quarter

Deering Farms 22
Paul's Custom Vans 19 1/2
J & L Feeds 18
Rabideau's 17
Pinney State Bank 17
Crazy Ladies 16
Bay Port Tube 15
Kingston State Bank 15
Shirley's Salon 15
Pin Pals 14
Campbell Sawmill 13
Happy Hoofers 10 1/2

High Series: L. Yost 518.
High Game: B. Langenburg, L. Yost 188.
High Team Series: J & L Feeds 2477.
High Team Game: Pin Pals 851.
500 Series: L. Yost 518, P. Schwartz 513.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON LADIES Oct. 21, 1980

Lucky's Kountry Korner 29
Pierce's Honey Bees 26 1/2
Charmont 19
Wright's Painting 16
Don's Auction Gallery 15
Clare's Sunoco 15
Go-fer More 15
Bowling Grannies 13 1/2
The Hair Benders 13 1/2
The Ups & Downs 11
Out Team 10 1/2
Cass City-Anns 8

High Series: S. Cummins 562.
High Game: S. Cummins 205.
High Team Series: Pierce's Honey Bees 1770.
High Team Game: Charmont 649.
200 Games: S. Cummins 205, G. Corcoran 200.
500 Series: S. Cummins 562, G. Corcoran 520.

SUNDAY NO-ROLLERS "A"

Chicks & Roosters 14
SOS 13 1/2
The Four of Us 11
MSP 11
Roadrunners 7 1/2
Dillbees 7
No Names 7
DJs 6
Big Gs 6
Niners 6
Dead Last 5
BGs 2

Men's High Series: M. Sontag 539.
Ladies High Series: L. Selby 472.
Men's High Game: H. Edwards 204.
Ladies' High Game: L. Selby 173.

High Team Series: Dillbees 1889.
High Team Game: Dillbees 662.

Men's 200 Games: H. Edwards 204, M. Sontag 201.
Men's 500 Series: M. Sontag 539, H. Edwards 534, D. Miller 519, J. Fox 511, A. Seurync 504.
Ladies' High Series: L. Selby 472.

SUNDAY NO-ROLLERS "B"

Nite Owls 14
HI 12
Pinless Wonders 11
Windfall 9
Lane Savers 9
Francis Builders 8
The Guwnas 8
Mix-Ups 7
Pin Splitters 7
L & S 4
Gutter Kings 4
Bowldozers 2

Men's High Series: B. Copeland 561.
Ladies' High Series: J. Lapp 499.
Men's High Game: G. Lapp 238.
Ladies' High Game: M. Romig 197.
High Team Series: Nite Owls 1953.
High Team Game: Francis Builders 703.

Men's 200 Games: G. Lapp 238, B. Copeland 210.
Ladies' 175: M. Romig 197, M. Schember 183, J. Lapp 176.
Men's 500 Series: B. Copeland 561, G. Lapp 553, G. Thompson 522, B. Inbody 515, E. Francis 503, K. Martin 500.
Ladies' 475: J. Lapp 489, M. Schember 483, M. Romig 482.

CHARMONT LADIES LEAGUE

Fort's 22
IGA Foodliner 21
Johnson Six 20
Woods Hay & Straw 17
Cass City Sports 17
Livewires 16
Veronica's 14 1/2
Gagetown Oil & Gas 14 1/2
Cass City State Bank 14
Cablettes 12 1/2
Brinkman Bins 12 1/2
Erla's 11

High Game: M. Tate 201.
High Series: P. Schwartz 559, E. Romain 531.
High Team Game: Johnson Six 836.
High Team Series: Johnson Six 2297.

MERCHANTS' "A" LEAGUE Oct. 22, 1980

Fuelgas 23 1/2
Croft-Clara Lumber 23
Erla Food Center 22
New England Life 19
Blount Agriculture 18 1/2
Warren Electric 17
Ouvry Chevvy-Olds 17
Charlie's Market 17
Kingston State Bank 16
Cass City Oil & Gas 15
Charmont 15
Kritzman's 13

600 Series: B. Musall 648, D. Vatter 645, C. House 601.
550 Series: E. Schulz 585, B. Copeland 584, M. Grifka 560, B. Selby 555, P. Smith 555, G. Deering 553, K. Pobanz 550, T. Sutter 550.
210 Games: B. Musall 237-222, D. Vatter 235-214, J. Root 223, T. Sutter 222, W. Harmon 220, C. Kolb 219, A. Ouvry 216, B. Selby 215, B.

Funds sought to reopen canning plants

Plans to re-open the ex-Stokeley-Van Camp canning plants at Caro and Crosswell were outlined by Vernon R. Burnison, Marlette realtor, to Private Industry Council members of Huron, Sanilac, and Tuscola counties who met Oct. 20, at the Charmont in Cass City.

Burnison said \$5 million is needed for the project and that financing is being sought from federal or private sources.

The plants would be operated by the newly formed Thumb Producers-Consumers Co-operative of approximately 100 members. The manager would be Al Killian of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Burnison said that about 300 jobs would be created, many year-round, for canning peas, beans, red beets and sweet corn, as well as other food lines.

U.S. Rep. Bob Traxler, D-Bay City, the speaker at the meeting, assured Burnison that he would seek prompt consideration of applications for funding by federal agencies.

Traxler told the council that the federal budget, which he estimated at \$550 to \$600 billion for fiscal year 1981-82, is in conference committee of the House and Senate. He said the budget will have fiscal restraint and that there will be no growth in social programs.

Copeland 212, G. Rogers 212, E. Schulz 212, K. Pobanz 211.

MERCHANTS' "B" LEAGUE Oct. 22, 1980

Rabideau Motors 25
Tuckey Concrete 22
Clare's Sunoco 21
Gagetown Oil & Gas 19
Colony House 19
Charmont 19
Herron Builders 18
Hills and Dales Hospital 16
Shag's Angels 15
Spencer's Masonry 15
Bauer Candy Co. 14
General Cable 13

600 Series: J. Guinther 625.
550 Series: G. Diebel 560, E. Haag 558, M. Irer 550.
210 Games: J. Guinther 253-212, M. Irer 210.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "A" Oct. 20, 1980

Sugar Town Market 39
Charmont 34
Hillaker's Auct. Serv. 32
Harris-Hampshire Ins. 29
Cole Carbide 27
Hall's Trim Shop 26
Vatter Carpet Sales 23
Nicky's Restaurant 22
Walbro Far East 22
Maurer Const. Co. 20
Lawrence Ins. 12
Kelly Brothers 8

High Series: K. Gremel 628.
High Game: K. Gremel 268.

High Team Series: Harris-Hampshire 2851.
High Team Game: Harris-Hampshire 1062.

210 Games: K. Gremel 268, L. Bartle 237, R. Pierce 234, R. Tuckey 221, M. Helwig 216, B. Robertshaw 214.

TUSCOLA GET TOGETHERS "B" Oct. 20, 1980

Mr. Kelly's Market 34
Kilbourn Tech. Supply 31
Dale's Eaves Troughing 29
Miller Egg Inc. 28
Larry's Car Wash 28
Chappel's Men's Wear 24
Stahlbaum Asphalt Paving 24
Leiterman Bldrs. 24
Wright's Service 21
F & M State Bank 18
Bliss Milk Haulers 17
Roger's Hay 16

High Series: T. Comment 623.
High Game: T. Comment 253.
High Team Series: Mr. Kelly's Market 2960.
High Team Game: Mr. Kelly's Market 1001.
210 Games: T. Comment 253, L. Truemner 233, D.

Koch 211, J. Zawilinski, D. Schweseg, J. McCreia 210.
550 Series: T. Comment 623, D. Bartle 583, D. Miller 583, D. Koch 582, D. Schweseg 586, J. McCreia 565, L. Truemner 563, J. Zawilinski 560, J. Agar 559, F. Knoblet 552.

MERCHANETTE LEAGUE Oct. 23, 1980

Charmont 23
Walbro 22
Olympia 22
Faust Rebuilders 20
Anrod Screen Cyl. 20
Kritzman's 17
Miller's Chicks 17
Herron Builders 17
Geiger-Hunt Ford 16
Cole Carbide 14
IGA Foodliner 14
Albee Hardware 14

High Team Series: Charmont 2354.
High Team Game: Charmont 860.
500 Series: J. Morell 550,

B. Irer 512, M. Rabideau 509, P. Little 504, Pat McIntosh 503.
200 Games: J. Morell 256, J. LaRoche 215.

THURSDAY NITE TRIO Oct. 23, 1980

Van Dale 24
Old Wood Drugs 23
Caro True Value 21
Hacker Farm 20
Gambles 19
Jacques Seeds 18
Circle "S" Gas & Oil 17
IGA 17
Draves Dist. 17
Smith Real Estate 16
Garno Seeds 13 1/2
Nieboer Masonry 10 1/2

High Game: R. Nicholas 234.
High Series: J. Millish 606.
200 Games: A. Witherpoon 220, J. Millish 216, D. O'Dell 212, J. McIntosh 210.
550 Series: B. Neister 586, D. O'Dell 564, J. McIntosh 561, G. Deering 557.

A YES VOTE FOR TUSCOLA COUNTY PROPOSITION I

will not increase your taxes.

Paid for by Tuscola County Proposition I Committee.

Notice Of GENERAL ELECTION For GRANT TOWNSHIP

TUESDAY, NOV. 4, 1980

Shall the sale of spirits in addition to beer and wine be permitted for consumption on the premises within the Township of Grant, County of Huron, State of Michigan, under the provisions of the law governing same?

Shall the limitation of the total amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Grant Township, Huron County, Michigan, for all purposes, be increased by one (1) mill of assessed valuation, as equalized, (1.00 per 1,000 of assessed valuation) of all property in the township as provided for in (Section 6, Article IX, of the Constitution of Michigan), for a period of five (5) years (1981 - 1985), inclusive, to be used for Road Maintenance and Dust Control.

Polls will be open at the Township Hall from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. said day of election.

Application for absentee ballot must be made by Saturday, Nov. 1, before 2 p.m.

DON REID
Township Clerk

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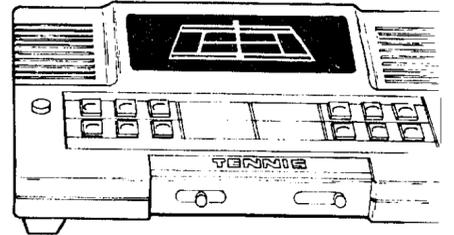


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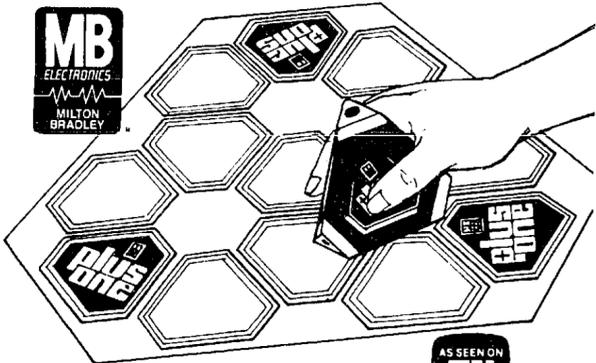
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Rugged all steel blazer with rear bumpers and overhead rack that carries canoe!

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Plus One

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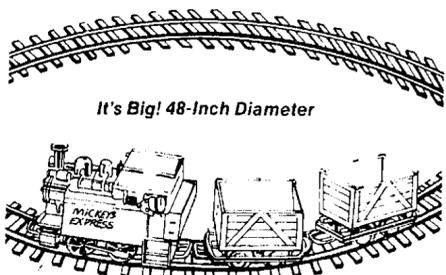
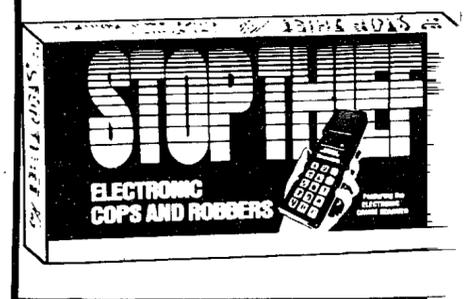
Our Low Price
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Tonka Big Duke and His Roughneck Pick-Up

He's here... Big 8-in. Duke and his mighty pick-up with removable camper top, detachable roll bar, sun roof cab, four removable tires, spare and jack.

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Mickey Mouse Battery Operated Jumbo Train

It's the Mickey Express with 2 box cars, 12 pieces of track! Train runs on or off track. 18-in.

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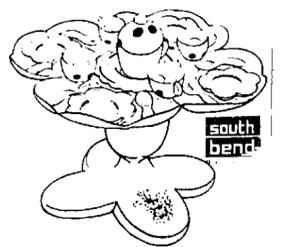


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Have fun operating the new 3 level Super Garage with removable auto ramps, and more! It's a great way to play with all your Matchbox vehicles!

Matchbox Vehicles 99¢

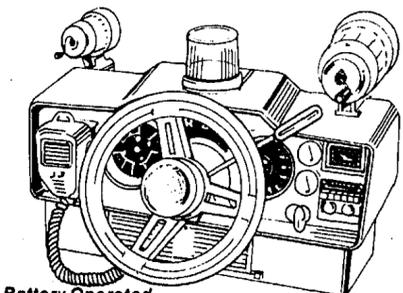
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Lil' Lady Bug Party Set

17-in. diam. table plus 4 place settings. Total 24 pcs.

14⁹⁹



Battery Operated Emergency Dashboard

Big 12x6-in. dashboard with siren, electric horn, motor noise and more!

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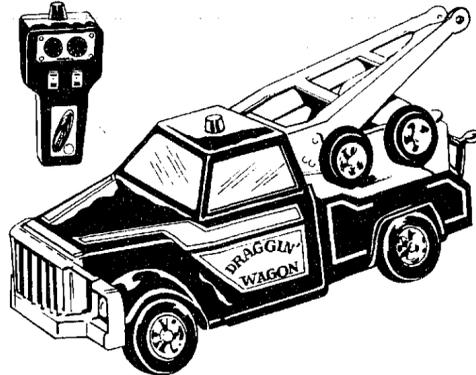
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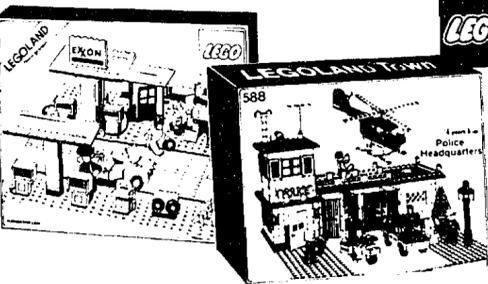
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Legoland Town Sets

Have loads of fun building with Lego! Then try your hand at running the town's Gas Station or Police Headquarters.

AS SEEN ON TV
Gas Station Ages 6 to 12 **14⁹⁹** set

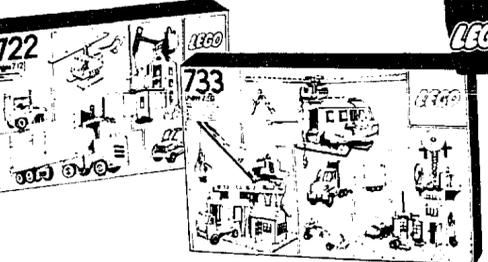
Police Headquarters Ages 6 and up **17⁹⁹** set

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With 493 Pieces **29⁹⁹** set



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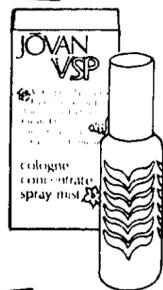
Our Low Price
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Electronic Top Thief

Electronic "cops and robbers" board game challenges you to catch the thief by using sound effect clues! For 2-4 players. Ages 10 to adult. (Batteries not included.)

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Jovan Spray Cologne

The witty fragrance of Musk Oil, Sex Appeal, VSP, and more. 1/4-oz. size.

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Leaves your skin smooth and subtle . . . without an oily film!

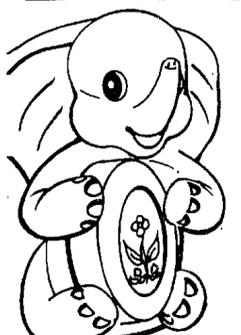
Reg. \$1.69
1³⁷ each



Brut 33 Gift Set

3.5-oz. Cologne, soap on a rope, 2.5-oz. stick deodorant!

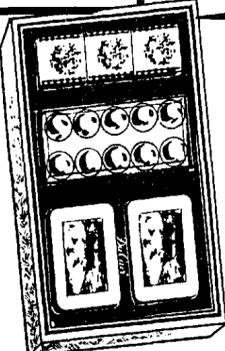
191
6⁰⁰ set



Floating Soap Dish

Novelty shaped floating soap dish with 2.2-oz. soap.

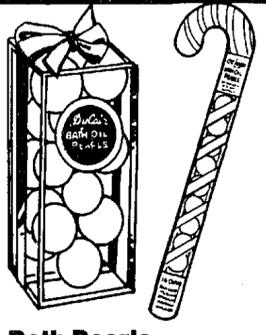
2⁰⁰ each



Decal Bath Collection

Each set with attractive decal soaps, bath cubes and beads.

4⁴⁷ set



Bath Pearls

A unique, exciting fragrance bath oil . . . in attractive containers.

1⁹⁹ each



andis Fold 'n Go Dryer

World's smallest 1200 watt folding electric dryer. With 2 speed settings!

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Give a gift of love . . . give Babe! Includes 6-oz. splash cologne, 2-oz. roll-on. Gift boxed.

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Men's 3-Pc. Gift Set

His favorites! 1/2-oz. British Sterling, Mon Triomphe, Jovan Musk Oil.

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Auction Sale

Located 1 mile west, 1 mile north, 1/4 mile west of Minden City on Huron Line Road on:

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Commencing at 12:30 p.m. sharp B&C Lunch Wagon on the grounds

John Deere 4010 diesel tractor with cab; Farmall A tractor; tractor chains for Farmall A; IHC 13 hole grain drill with grass seeder; New Holland 273 baler with thrower; Little Giant 36 foot bale elevator with motor; John Deere No. 896 side rake; John Deere 4 bar side rake on steel; 3-14 inch mounted plow for 3 point hitch; IHC 3-14 inch trailer type plow; Schultz Spreadmaster 275 bushel manure spreader; 2 slush scrapers; Brillion culti-packer; IHC No. 37-12 foot tandem disc; Chataanooga 12 foot harrow; heavy duty manure loader with manure and snow buckets; 2 V-ditchers; International 990 haybine; 2 wheel trailer; 6 corn crib poles; 25 inch buzz saw blade for 1 1/2 inch shaft; quantity of steel fence posts; 300 gallon gas tank w/stand and hose; roll of snow fence; electric motors; anvil; 2 wheel bearing pullers, large and small; heavy duty logging chain; 1000 feet of lead pipe; set of heavy duty sockets; 2 ton hydraulic jacks; water hydrant; 180 feet of welding cord; 250 foot welding cords w/ends; John Deere sickle riveter; quantity of used plans; small girl's bike; Surge SP-11 milker w/2 Surge buckets; 18-10 gallon milk cans; 10 stanchions; stainless steel strainer; IHC electric fencer; cattle dehorner; castrators; chicken feeders and waterers; Jewelry wagon.

Announcements made at sale take preference over printed matter.
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Altar Society plans events for future

The St. Michael's Ladies Altar Society met Monday, Oct. 13.

The meeting was called to order with a prayer read by President Florence Szostak. There were 13 members present.

Mary Sabo of the Christian Service Commission reported plans for a Halloween party for all parishioners in the rectory clubrooms Saturday, Oct. 25, immediately after the 7:30 p.m. mass.

Maxine Kozlowski, chairperson of the bake sale Oct. 11-12, made her report of a very successful sale.

Mary Lou Wolak of the finance commission gave a report of work being done on the church budget.

Dates and chairpersons for the annual Christmas bazaar were selected. The dates and time will be Friday, Dec. 5, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 6, from 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Chairpersons are Virginia Bilicki, Marguerite Krywko, Mary Sabo, and Margaret Thane.

Articles to be sold at the bazaar will include Christmas toys, wreaths, decorations, stuffed animals, ceramics, home-canned goods, baked goods, candies, plants, knitted and crocheted items, and white elephants.

The next meeting will be Monday, Nov. 10, at 7:30 p.m.

Your Neighbor says Tisch Amendment best of bad bunch

Of the three tax reform proposals on the Nov. 4 ballot, according to Karl G. Heidemann, "There's not really one good one in the bunch, but I would vote for Tisch (Proposal D) just to shake things up."

Our "bureaucratic government," he feels, has reached the point where the only way it can try to solve a problem is to spend money. "Luxury has its limit and if you can't afford it, you don't get it. I think we can be a bit more spartan in our lives." The other two proposals, he commented, don't solve the problem.

As for the claims of Tisch opponents that its passage will mean government services will have to be cut drastically, "This is the big scare tactic the opposition is using... saying it's going to be a disaster, but if we don't do something, it's going to be a disaster anyway."

He does feel passage of the Tisch amendment will create some problems, but those can be resolved over time. "In its present form, I don't think we could live with it very long."

Heidemann will vote for the increase in the state income tax from 4.6 percent

to 4.7 (Proposal E), which will fund building of five new prisons. He referred to the need as "a sad commentary on our society" and suggested that prisoners after they are released and find employment should have to reimburse the state for their room and board in prison.

He also plans to vote for Proposal B, to lower the drinking age from 21 to 19. "In reality, youngsters are doing it anyway (drinking alcoholic beverages). We're making criminals out of them."

Heidemann grew up on a farm six miles east of Cass City and graduated from Cass City High School in 1939. He was class president his senior year, editor of the school newspaper and played on the football team.

He has bachelor's and law degrees from Wayne State University and practices law in Troy, a Detroit suburb.

He was in Cass City Friday for a "nostalgic visit" and said he gets back here about once every five years.

He and his wife, Elizabeth, live in Troy. They have four children and six grandchildren.

Wentworth rites held Saturday

John Howard Wentworth, 92, of Detroit, died Wednesday, Oct. 22, at the Martin Place Hospital, East, in Madison Heights, after a long illness.

He was born July 30, 1888, in Thornville, Lapeer county, the son of Julius and Estelle (E'off) Wentworth.

Wentworth married Lena Collins Oct. 21, 1908, in Deford. Following their marriage, they made their home in Novesta township, moved into Cass City in 1930, and later settled in Berkley, Mrs. Wentworth died April 29, 1969.

He was one of the founders of the Cass City Church of the Nazarene of Cass City.

Wentworth is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Gladys Hutchinson of Osoda and Mrs. Irma Emery and Mrs. Velma Horton, both of East Tawas; one son, Wilfred Wentworth of Detroit; one sister, Mrs. William Patch of Cass City; seven grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandson. Two brothers, Ben and Clayton preceded him in death. A sister, Amy Jane Palmateer, also died Oct. 22.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday morning from Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Rev. Arthur Long, pastor of the Rochester Church of the Nazarene, officiating.

Burial was in Novesta cemetery.

Amy Jane Palmateer dies at 94

Amy Jane Palmateer, 94, of Rochester, died Wednesday, Oct. 22, in Crittenton Hospital in Rochester.

She was born Dec. 17, 1885, in Thornville, Lapeer county, the daughter of Julius and Estelle Wentworth.

She and Fred Palmateer were married Nov. 19, 1907, in Sandusky and had lived in Rochester since 1925.

Mrs. Palmateer is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Ruby Bidle of Cass City and Mrs. Maxine Aere of Royal Oak; two sons, Stanley and Arnold, both of Rochester; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. William Patch of Cass City.

A brother, John Wentworth of Detroit, died the same day.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Novesta cemetery.

Singles club dance slated in Bad Axe

The Tip of the Thumb Singles Club will conduct its next dance Saturday at the Bad Axe United Methodist church gym.

Music will be provided by the Harley Scott band, from 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. for round and square dancing.

Anyone who is over 25 years old, single, widowed, or divorced, is welcome.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters

This young girl from Akron is in need of a good female companion. She enjoys baking, swimming and making things. Wouldn't you like to make a young girl's day? Be a Big Sister.

This 15-year-old boy from Caro is in definite need of a good male companionship. He enjoys bowling, swimming, photography, hockey and reading. Just once a week could fulfill this young boy's dreams. Have you got the time?

This young boy from Kingston enjoys the outdoors and building models. A Big Brother would be just the thing to build a better way for him. Interested?

From Caro, this young boy

Owendale RLDS elects new officers

The Owendale Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints conducted its election of officers for 1981 at the church Sunday evening, Oct. 19.

Elder Dale Wells presided. District President Elder Marshall McGuire Jr. attended as part of the election and presided over the election of the pastor. Elder Dale Wells was elected pastor. He chose Elder John Abbe as counselor and Elder Otto Bacon and Priest Ron Kuenzli as associate pastors. They were approved by the branch.

The following were elected: Evelyn Haley, secretary; Bob Morley, treasurer; Aileen Ziehm, church school director; Becky Bacon, music director; Ardis Gemmel, women's leader; Mike Dubs, active adult leader; Tom and Charlene Craig, Zion's League leaders; Rick Kuenzli, head usher; Bob Morley, custodian; Floyd and Madelyn Ziehm, senior adult leaders, and Connie Dubs, librarian. Also Charlene Craig, worship center chairperson; John Abbe, district nominating committee; Connie Dubs, Zioners leader; Mike Dubs, men's club leader; building committee, Olson McCallum and Darlene Kuenzli, two years, and Tom Craig and Floyd Ziehm for 1 year; publicity, Lois Rousse and branch nominating committee, Olson McCallum, Otto Bacon, and Reva Russell.

In other business, the Otto Bacon family donated a new Bible set for the pulpit.

A motion was made to have four persons serve on an energy saving devices committee. It was decided to have the worship chairperson purchase an artificial Christmas tree for safety purposes. Some shrubs will be planted on the church grounds.

The meeting was closed by prayer by Pastor Wells. The new officers will take office Jan. 1.



A PERSONAL MESSAGE

Dear Friends:

Although I have tried, it has been impossible for me to meet and visit with each and every voter in Commissioner District 2, prior to this election on November 4.

As a Cass City businessman, I have a deep affection for the people of this area... Novesta, Elkland, Elmwood, Ellington, and Kingston No. 2. I do not believe you have been getting the good representation that you so richly deserve... this is why I want to be your District 2 County Commissioner.

Over the course of time, I believe too many of our people have been dealt out of the game on the County Board... senior citizens, farmers, business people, workers, and many more. I intend to do everything I can to see that everyone is dealt back into the game and that the rules are kept fair.

Sadly, we are seriously lacking leadership on the County Board today. Old policies need changing. I am fearful of another encore of the same old thing... uncertainty, confusion, higher taxes, and business as usual. It does not have to be that way... you can do something about it on November 4 by voting for a change in District 2!

With my long business experience, I am confident of making a big contribution to the County Board and to the people I seek to represent. But, I need your help. I need your vote, regardless of political party. If I am elected, I can't promise that we'll win all of our fights for District 2. But, I pledge to you... we'll fight them!

Thanks for your consideration of my candidacy.

Sincerely,

Richard Erla

Richard Erla

Paid for by the committee to elect Richard Erla Tuscola Commissioner, District 2.

New books at the library

THE AMERICAN HEIRESS, by Dorothy Eden (fiction). When the Lusitania is sunk with an American heiress among the missing, the young woman's look-alike maid (in reality her half-sister) slips neatly, if somewhat guiltily, into the ready-made role, marrying the heiress' intended with expectations of an idyllic life as lady of an English manor. Unfortunately, such hopes are short-lived as she discovers the lord's mistress is in residence on the premises, the rather self-centered gentleman needs a dowry more than he needs a wife, and there's a plot afoot to cast doubt on her identity. Eden manages to supply an eager following with another diverting addition to her ever-growing list of romantic novels.

A SURGEON'S BOOK OF HOPE, by William A. Nolen, M.D. (non-fiction). America's best-known surgeon-author now gives us a thoughtful book that conveys his own sense of wonder at the greatest of miracles—the human body and its amazing ability to survive almost anything at any stage of life. Taking up the story of his own career since "The Making of a Surgeon", "A Surgeon's Book of Hope" tells the true story of patients who were given up for dead—and lived.

MAYNARD'S HOUSE, by Herman Raucher (fiction). From the author of "Summer of '42" comes a haunting love story laced with occult shocks. When Austin Fletcher first saw the house bequeathed to him by his Vietnam buddy, Maynard Whittier, he had little reason to suspect the horror lurking within. Not until later, when he was visited by a clairvoyant 16-year-old girl, did Austin discover why Maynard was so attached to the house, why he had been chosen to inherit it, and what monstrous fate lay in store for its final occupant.

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Dear Voters -

I endorse Delene Schultheiss to be Sanilac County Clerk.

She has shown the knowledge of tax statements, millage assessment, book-keeping, personnel management and record keeping - which are all essential in the County Clerk's Office. She has assisted everyone coming to the Board of Commissioners' Office beyond the call of duty.

Lloyd D. Severance
Sanilac County Commissioner
District 1

VOTE for DELENE SCHULTHEISS - November 4th

Republican Nominee - Sanilac County Clerk
Paid for by the Schultheiss for County Clerk Committee.

Lawrence R. Smith

Write-in
County Clerk



10 years as a deputy clerk that has never worked in the clerk's office is NOT EXPERIENCE, IT IS SENIORITY.

13 years as city clerk and 4 years as county clerk "THAT'S EXPERIENCE".
WRITE-IN

Lawrence R. Smith

Paid for by citizens to re-elect Lawrence Smith clerk.

New county plat book available

A new plat book is now available for Tuscola county.

The land ownership book contains detailed maps of every township showing land owners, acreage, slopes of parcels, location of farmsteads, plus natural features such as streams and cultural features such as railroads, highways and roads.

The 1980-1981 plat book is sponsored by the Tuscola County 4-H Council and is available at the extension office in the basement of the sheriff's department in Caro.

The 4-H Council will use the profits from the sale of the new plat book for 4-H youth programs, according to Council President Don Boyne.

Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

John Thybault, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thybault of Gageton, has been selected to receive the Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizenship Award for 1975-1976 at Owen-Gage High School.

Sales and earnings at Walbro Corp. were down for the three-month period ending Sept. 30.

Eighteen friends and relatives surprised Mrs. Emma Decker when they met at her home in Cass City to help her celebrate her 90th birthday. A telephone bomb threat emptied Cass City High School around 9 a.m. Monday.

Fourteen teens, accompanied by youth sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rayl of First Baptist church, attended the Mid-America Sunday School Association convention at Cobo Hall in Detroit Friday and Saturday.

TEN YEARS AGO

Sherlock "Joe" Frederick has turned \$2.75 into a new roof for the family home on Church Street and when it's all done, he should have money left. He won \$1,000 in

Feds fund three new bridges

The Michigan Department of Transportation has approved federal and state funding for replacement of three bridges in the upper Thumb. None are in the Cass City area.

Federal Highway Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Program funds pay 80 percent of construction costs; the state, 10 percent, and respective county road commissions, 10 percent.

The bridges are Blackmore Road over Evergreen Creek in Fremont township of Tuscola county, northwest of Mayville, estimated construction cost \$56,000; Richmondville Road over Black River, northwest of Deckerville in Sanilac county, \$167,000, and Geiger Road over Pigeon River, north of Pigeon in Huron county, \$162,000.

25 YEARS AGO

Don Tuckey, 20-year-old junior at Central Michigan College, has been moved up to the varsity on Coach Bill Kelley's champion Chippewa football team after a stint as captain on the JV squad last season.

Theresa Werde man was one of the freshman students who received the traditional cap and gown at the investiture ceremony at Detroit's Mercy College.

Arleon Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kelley, Cass City, has been named to the 1956 youth conference cabinet at Taylor University, Upland, Ind.

35 YEARS AGO

George Rolston of New Greenleaf has purchased the frame building on E. Main Street sold a few months ago by Manley Asher to Brinker and Armstrong. The building formerly stood on the corner of Oak and Main Street and was occupied by businesses for many years. In 1888, Howe and Bigelow conducted their hardware business there.

Paul (Dizzy) Trout, famed baseball pitcher of the Detroit Tigers, was among the many hunters who came here for pheasant hunting

Port Austin Players set schedule

The Port Austin Community Players has announced its seventh season of entertainment. It is the only community theatre in the Thumb.

This year's calendar begins with the musical comedy, "Hello Dolly," Nov. 7, 8, 9 and 14, 15, 16. It will be directed by PACP president, Gary E. Sturm.

Feb. 20, 21, 22 and 27, 28, and March 1, David P. Dane will make his directing debut with the comedy "Bell, Book and Candle."

The season will conclude with a presentation of Nazi-occupied Europe in "The Diary of Anne Frank" April 3, 4, 5, and 10, 11, 12.

Season subscriptions are available by calling 738-5217 any evening.

The players have also set their program for next summer, the drama, "Dracula," and the musical "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum."

Ballot meeting Thursday

The Cooperative Extension Service will present a seminar on the seven state-

wide ballot proposals Thursday in the Caro High School multi-purpose room.

Democrats to meet

The Sanilac County Democratic Party will hold its fall convention Friday, Nov. 7, at 8 p.m. at the civic center in Sandusky.

Purpose will be to elect its executive committee for the next two years.

The seminar will start at 7:30 p.m. with Extension Public Affairs Specialist Lynn Harvey discussing the proposals.

"We believe it is important that voters go to the polls well-informed, and we plan to show what each proposal will do to each citizen of the state of Michigan," explained Bill Bortel, Tuscola county extension director.

The Want Ads Are Newsy Too!

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Cass City

HILLS AND DALES Schedule Of Events

OPEN TO GENERAL PUBLIC
NOV. 2 thru NOV. 8

EVENT	DATE	TIME	PLACE
EMT Class	Nov. 3	7-10 p.m.	Lg. Meeting Room
Diabetic Class	Nov. 4	1-3 p.m.	Lg. Meeting Room
Dr. Donahue & Dr. Isterabadi	Nov. 5	8-12 a.m.	Out Patient Clinic
Awards Tea - Retired Employees Welcome	Nov. 5	2-4 p.m.	Lg. Meeting Room
Prenatal Classes	Nov. 5	7-9 p.m.	Lg. Meeting Room
Dr. John, Urologist	Nov. 6	9-12 a.m.	Out Patient Clinic
Dr. Pike, Podiatrist	Nov. 6	2:430 p.m.	Out Patient Clinic
Dr. Jeung	Nov. 7	9-12 a.m.	Out Patient Clinic
Dr. Kahn & Dr. Mohan, Cardiologists	Nov. 7	1-5 p.m.	Out Patient Clinic
Speech Therapy - Ken Micklash	Schedule As Needed		

To schedule yourself for any of the above classes or clinics call 872-2121 extension 255.

A YES VOTE FOR TUSCOLA COUNTY PROPOSITION I
will assure continuation of county operations.
Paid for by Tuscola County Proposition I Committee.

LITTLE GALLERY by Hallmark

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GTE PHONE BOOK

Help us write the book again.

Your new telephone directory is going to press very soon. So now's the time to make any changes you'd like in the way you're listed.

Is your name shown the way you want it to be? Would you like a listing for another member of your household (your spouse or kids or relatives or in-laws)?

If you'd like to make any changes or add a dual name listing, now's the time to do it.

Just call our business office and find out what the charges are, if any.

GTE GENERAL TELEPHONE

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN

On September 9, 1980, General Telephone Company of Michigan applied to the Michigan Public Service Commission for authority to revise its Schedule of Rates and Charges which would have the effect of increasing its revenues by the amount of approximately \$28,792,000 annually based upon 12 months of projected operations ending December 31, 1980. In addition to the application, the Company filed copies of its direct testimony and exhibits with the Commission. The Company also filed a motion with the Commission requesting immediate and partial rate relief in the amount of \$10,849,000 to be effective at the earliest possible date and to be recovered by a uniform surcharge of 14.9% on all local services rendered by the Applicant.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Michigan Public Service Commission will hold public hearings on the Company's application. Persons who wish to be heard in these proceedings may do so either pursuant to the provisions of Rule 16 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the Commission, R 460.26, (limited participation for the purpose of giving testimony and statements of position) or pursuant to the provisions of Rule 11, 460.21, (Intervention).

Rule 16—Participation

Special hearings for the specific purpose of receiving testimony and statements of position of parties (other than the Company) under Rule 16 will be held as follows:

- Lansing:** December 2, 1980
1:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
Office of the Commission
Mercantile Building
6545 Mercantile Way
Lansing, Michigan
- Muskegon:** December 4, 1980
1:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
Marine Room
L. C. Walker Arena
470 West Western Avenue
Muskegon, Michigan
- Gaylord:** December 10, 1980
1:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
Basement Community Room
Gaylord State Bank
123 West Main Street
Gaylord, Michigan

Persons desiring to testify or make statements of position may do so at the above hearings or at subsequent

hearings without formal intervention.

Any person who wishes to make a statement but is not able to attend the public hearings, should write their comments to the Michigan Public Service Commission. These statements should refer to Case No. U-6591 and be addressed to the Michigan Public Service Commission, 6545 Mercantile Way, P.O. Box 30221, Lansing, Michigan 48910. These statements will be placed in the Commission file on the case, if received in a timely fashion.

Rule 11—Intervention

Persons who desire to intervene must comply with Rule 11 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure and must file an original and eleven copies of a petition to intervene with the Commission by November 7, 1980, and served a copy thereof upon all parties to the proceedings as identified in the Commission's file. Subparagraph (2) of Rule 11 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure Before the Commission, R 460.21, provides as follows:

"(2) A petition to intervene shall set out clearly and concisely the facts supporting the petitioners' alleged right or interest, the grounds of the proposed intervention, and the position of the petitioner in the proceeding, so as fully and completely to advise the parties and the Commission of the specific issues of fact or law to be raised or controverted." (Emphasis added)

Persons filing such a petition to intervene may request from the Company a copy of its direct case which was filed with the Commission at the time the Company filed its application. Persons filing petitions to intervene subsequent to November 7, 1980 will be required to take the case and schedule as they find it at the time of their intervention.

On November 12, 1980 the first formal hearing, which will be in the nature of a pre-hearing conference, will be held in the offices of the Commission, 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan 48910, for the purpose of considering petitions to intervene, seeking agreement upon procedures, discussing the issues involved in the company's

application and similar matters, considering any other matters that may aid in the orderly conduct of the hearing and the disposition of the proceedings, and establishing a schedule of further evidentiary hearings. Such hearings as established will continue from day to day thereafter or on such adjournment date as the Administrative Law Judge may set.

The Company filed copies of its direct testimony and exhibits showing the proposed new rates with the Michigan Public Service Commission. Interested persons may examine that material during business hours in the office of the Commission, 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan 48910, or at the Company's business offices.

Commission jurisdiction in this matter is pursuant to Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 13, and 21 of Act 206, P.A. 1913, as amended, M.C.L.A. 484.101 et seq., MSA 22.1441 et seq.; Sections 3 and 4 of Act 419, P.A. 1919, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.53, 460.54 et seq., MSA 22.3, 22.4 et seq.; Sections 1, 4, 6, and 6a of Act 3, P.A. 1939, as amended, M.C.L.A. 460.1 et seq., Chapter 4 of Act 306, P.A. 1969, as amended, M.C.L.A. 24.201 et seq., MSA 3.560(10) et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 1954 Administrative Code, Supplement No. 54, R 460.11.

THE INCREASES DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE HAVE BEEN REQUESTED BY GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN. THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION MAY EITHER GRANT OR DENY THE REQUESTED INCREASE, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, AND MAY GRANT A LESSER OR GREATER INCREASE THAN THAT REQUESTED, AND MAY AUTHORIZE A LESSER OR GREATER RATE OR RESTRUCTURE THE RATES AND CHARGES FOR ANY CLASS OR CLASSES OF SERVICE OFFERINGS, ESTABLISH NEW SERVICE OFFERINGS OR WITHDRAW EXISTING SERVICE OFFERINGS, AND MAY REVISE RULES AND REGULATIONS.

This Notice is published pursuant to Commission Order.

LIST OF EXCHANGES

The following is a list of exchanges served by the Company showing the rate group for each exchange as of September 9, 1980. Rate groups are determined by the number of equivalent main stations within the local calling area.

EXCHANGE NAME	RG	EXCHANGE NAME	RG	EXCHANGE NAME	RG	EXCHANGE NAME	RG	EXCHANGE NAME	RG	EXCHANGE NAME	RG	EXCHANGE NAME	RG
Adrian	6	Central Lake	4	Ellsworth	4	Hesperia	4	Manistique	4	Paw Paw	8	Smiths Creek	6
Alden	4	Centreville	6	Elsie (1)	2	Higgins Lake	4	Maple Rapids	1	Pentwater	4	South Haven	5
Allegan	4	Clam River	4	Emmett	3	Hillman	5	Marcellus	2	Pickford	3	Stanton	3
Alma (1)	5	Clifford	4	Erie	8	Holton	7	Mattawan	8	Pompeii	3	Stanwood	5
Almont	3	Clinton	5	Fairview	3	Houghton Lake	4	Maybee	6	Posen	4	Sturgis	5
Alpena	6	Coldwater	6	Fennville	3	Howard City	2	McBride	3	Quincy	5	Swartz Creek	8
Ashley	3	Coldwater Lake	6	Fenwick	2	Hubbard Lake	6	Memphis	4	Rankin	8	Tecumseh (1)	6
Atlanta	4	Colon	2	Fowler-Pewamo	5	Hubbardston	3	Mendon	5	Ravenna	7	Temperance	8
Avoca	6	Columbiaville	6	Fruitport	8	Hudson	3	Merrill	8	Reading	5	Three Rivers	5
Bancroft	6	Conklin	8	Garles	4	Ida	6	Metamora	5	Remus	3	Tipton	6
Bangor	5	Constantine	5	Ganges	4	Imlay City	4	Middleton	1	Richmond	4	Torch River Bridge	4
Barryton	2	Coopersville	8	Garden (1)	4	Ithaca	5	Milford	4	Riverdale	5	Twin Lake	7
Bath	8	Covert	5	Gaylord	5	Jeddo	6	White Lake (3)	8	Rogers City	4	Union	7
Bellaire	4	Davison (2)	8	Gobles	8	Kingston	2	Minden City	2	Roscommon	4	Union City	5
Blissfield	3	Decatur	3	Goodells	7	Kinross	5	Mio	3	Rudyard	1	Vandala	4
Breckenridge	3	Deckerville	2	Grand Junction	5	Lachne	5	Mt Pleasant (3)	6	St. Johns	5	Vanderbilt	5
Britton (1)	4	DeTour	2	Grand Ledge	8	Laingsburg	8	Muir	4	St. Louis	5	Vestaburg	1
Bronson	5	DeWitt	8	Grass Lake	7	Lakeview	3	Muskegon (3)	8	Saline (1)	8	Weidman (1)	5
Brown City	2	Dowagiac	5	Grayling	4	L'Anse	4	North Branch	5	Saugatuck	6	Whitehall (1)	7
Burr Oak	5	Dryden	6	Gulliver	3	Lawton	8	Onaway	3	Schoolcraft	8	White Pigeon	5
Capac	3	Dundee	3	Hamilton	6	Lewiston	4	Ortonville	8	Shelby	4	Williamston	8
Carson City	2	Durand	6	Harbor Beach	3	Lincoln	3	Ossineke	5	Shepherd	5	Woodland	5
Caseville	3	Eastport	4	Harrisville	3	Linden	8	Otisville	8	Sheridan	3	Yale	3
Cass City	3	Edmore	3	Hart	5	Long Lake	5	Ovid	6	Sidney	5		
Cassopolis	4	Edwardsburg	7	Hartford	4	Lost Peninsula	9	Owosso	6	Sister Lakes	5		
Cedarville (1)	3	Elkton	5	Hemlock	8	Ludington	5	Palo	4	Six Lakes	1		

(1) In exchanges marked with this symbol there are Locality Rate Areas where One-party and Two-party Service is provided at rates slightly in excess of the urban rates set forth above.

(2) In exchanges marked with this symbol, Residence Two-party Service is not offered.
(3) In exchanges marked with this symbol, Residence Two-party Service is a temporary service offering.

A summary of the rate schedules proposed by the Company is as follows:

LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE Comparison of Present and Proposed Rates

The present rates for Key, One-party, Residence One-party Metered, Two-party, Suburban, and Semi-public Services include a Company-provided standard telephone set without additional charge. The proposed rates for said classes of service, except Semi-public Service, do not include a Company-provided telephone set. Telephone sets are provided at rates set forth under "Telephone Sets" below and are in addition to the proposed monthly rates for such classes of service.

CLASS OF SERVICE

	Rate Group 1		Rate Group 2		Rate Group 3		Rate Group 4		Rate Group 5		Rate Group 6		Rate Group 7		Rate Group 8		Rate Group 9		
	Present	Proposed																	
Business																			
PBX Trunk(1)	\$24.33	\$30.68	\$25.55	\$31.90	\$26.78	\$33.13	\$28.00	\$34.35	\$29.23	\$35.58	\$30.45	\$36.80	\$31.68	\$38.03	\$32.90	\$39.25	\$34.13	\$40.48	
Key	20.85	26.29	21.90	27.34	22.95	28.39	24.00	29.44	25.05	30.49	26.10	31.54	27.15	32.59	28.20	33.64	29.25	34.69	
One-party	13.90	17.53	14.60	18.23	15.30	18.93	16.00	19.63	16.70	20.33	17.40	21.03	18.10	21.73	18.80	22.43	19.50	23.13	
Suburban(3)	11.95	15.08	12.56	15.68	13.16	16.28	13.76	16.88	14.36	17.48	14.96	18.08	15.57	18.69	16.17	19.29	16.77	19.89	
Semi-public	10.43	21.91	10.95	22.79	11.48	23.66	12.00	24.54	12.53	25.41	13.05	26.29	13.58	27.16	14.10	28.04	14.63	28.91	
Residence																			
Key	10.43	13.15	10.95	13.67	11.48	14.20	12.00	14.72	12.53	15.25	13.05	15.77	13.58	16.30	14.10	16.82	14.63	17.35	
One-party	6.95	8.76	7.30	9.11	7.65	9.46	8.00	9.81	8.35	10.16	8.70	10.51	9.05	10.86	9.40	11.21	9.75	11.56	
Residence One-party																			
Metered(2)	5.39	6.79	5.66	7.06	5.93	7.34	6.20	7.61	6.47	7.88	6.74	8.15	7.01	8.42	7.29	8.69	7.56	8.96	
Two-party(3)	5.98	7.54	6.28	7.84	6.58	8.14	6.88	8.44	7.18	8.74	7.48	9.04	7.78	9.34	8.08	9.64	8.39	9.95	
Suburban(3)	5.98	7.54	6.28	7.84	6.58	8.14	6.88	8.44	7.18	8.74	7.48	9.04	7.78	9.34	8.08	9.64	8.39	9.95	

The rate for Rotary Service on individual line services, except Semi-public Service, is \$4.60 per line, per month plus the basic service rates as shown.

Appropriate exchange line mileage charges are applicable to all classes of service outside the base rate areas, excluding the Suburban class of service. Two-party Service is not available outside the base rate area or locality rate area.

(1) Applies to both Residence and Business.

(2) The basic charge for Residence One-party Metered Service entitles a customer to 30 outgoing local messages per month without additional charge. Local messages in excess of this allowance will be charged at the rate of 10 cents each. No additional charges apply for incoming messages.

(3) This is a temporary service offering, available only until facilities permit regrading to one-party service.

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GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN AT THE DIRECTION OF THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.



GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN

Army Reserve unit announces promotions

Capt. Kurt A. Eugster, commander of Battery B, 4th Battalion 38th Field Artillery, Bad Axe, has announced the following promotions:

Clayton E. Day, Bad Axe, unit motor sergeant, to staff sergeant (E-6); Richard F. Hines, Cass City, unit communications sergeant, to staff sergeant, and Billy G. Maynard, Gageton, equipment maintenance clerk, to sergeant (E-5).

Eugster also announced the selection of Staff Sgt. Paul H. Moore, Bad Axe, as

the battery's representative for the Major General Nobel F. Schlatter Award as the top enlisted man in the 123d ARCOM, Fort Sheridan, Ind.

Levin aide in Cass City November 5

U.S. Senator Carl Levin (D-Michigan) has announced a member of his Saginaw office staff will hold office hours in Tuscola county Wednesday, Nov. 5. Hours will be in Caro from 1-2 p.m. in the committee room at the sheriff's department and in Cass City from 2:30-3:30 p.m. in the Elkland Township Fire Hall.

Residents unable to attend the constituent service hours may contact Levin's office at 500 Federal Avenue, P.O. Box 817, Saginaw 48606, telephone 754-2494.

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HEALTH TIPS

Appendicitis still serious ailment

Frank Chappell
Science News Editor
American Medical Association

Acute appendicitis, once a highly fatal infection, can be as much a killer today as it used to be, if it is neglected.

The appendix is a small pouch arising from the first portion of the large bowel. A useless organ in man, it usually is about the diameter of a lead pencil and three or four inches long.

The trouble comes when a bit of bowel content enters the appendix and lodges there. The appendix fills with secretions and swells to an inflamed, pus-filled organ.

If the appendix ruptures, it spills its infected contents into the abdominal cavity. It can spread as a generalized infection to most of the lining membrane of the abdomen, the peritoneum, resulting in peritonitis, a serious threat to life, the American Medical Association points out.

The three chief signs of appendicitis are abdominal pain, nausea and vomiting, and tenderness in the right lower portion of the abdominal wall.

Unfortunately, there is great variation in symptoms and quick diagnosis is sometimes difficult. The doctor, before operating, must rule out a number of other conditions which appear to be acute appendicitis.

Treatment is surgical. Removal of the inflamed appendix before it bursts is a comparatively simple operation and the risk is quite small. If the organ ruptures, treatment is much more complex.

During abdominal operations for other problems, it is common to remove the appendix if this can be done without adding to the surgical risk. This reduces risk of appendicitis later.

Acute inflammation of the appendix is the most common reason for abdominal surgery. Every 15th person (7 percent) becomes afflicted with acute appendicitis at some time in life. All ages are involved, but the most common is between 20 and 30 years. Some 200,000 cases of acute appendicitis are diagnosed each year in the United States.

In children, the recovery rate is very high. Appendicitis is much more severe in older persons.

Band concert Tuesday at high school

Tired of hearing about the candidates and ballot proposals?

The Cass City High School marching band will perform a first-ever election-is-over concert Tuesday in the high school gym as soon as the polls close -- at 8 p.m.

The band will play assorted television themes, "Decision '80," a selection of election music, and some selections it played during the football season.

Admission is free. The band will be directed by Thomas Clair and George Bushong.

Tuscola, Huron eligible for disaster loans

The Michigan office of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) has announced that 13 counties, plus adjacent counties, have been declared a disaster area due to damage from severe weather conditions, ranging from heavy rainfall to freezing temperatures.

One of the 13 is Lapeer county, which therefore makes Tuscola and Sanilac eligible as adjacent counties.

Under the SBA disaster program, homeowners, renters, farmers, and business owners whose homes, personal property, business property and/or business inventory were damaged or destroyed by the severe weather conditions may apply for low interest loans to repair or replace their damaged properties to pre-disaster status.

The amount of the loan is limited to damage not covered by insurance and, in the case of homeowners or renters, may not exceed \$50,000 for real property, or \$10,000 for personal property, or a combined limit of \$55,000 for both.

Businesses that have suffered economic injury as a direct result of the disaster may apply for Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL). Such businesses are required to submit documents showing that the economic injury suffered was directly attributable to the disaster.

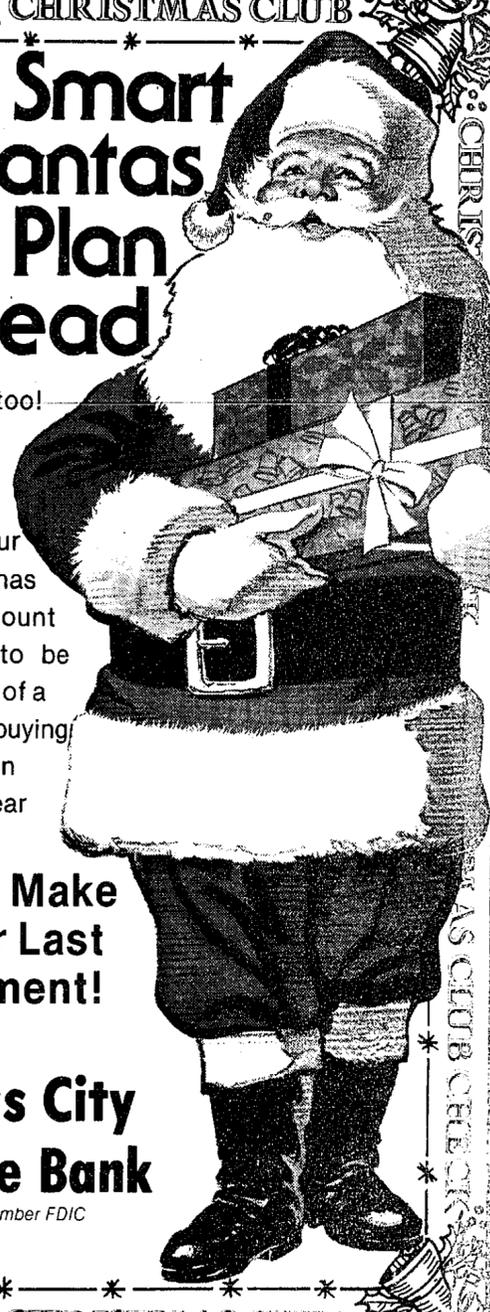
Funds received from these loans may be used to provide working capital and to meet financial obligations that otherwise would have been met had the disaster not occurred.

Where possible, and without causing undue hardship, a business must use its own assets or credit from the private sector, if available at reasonable rates, to meet its financial obligations.

Applications for physical damage or economic injury may be obtained from the SBA Disaster Branch Office on the mezzanine floor of the McNamara Federal Building, 477 Michigan Avenue, Detroit 48226, or by calling (313) 226-7397 or 226-4030.

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A YES VOTE FOR TUSCOLA COUNTY PROPOSITION I

will not increase your taxes.

Paid for by Tuscola County Proposition I Committee.

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN

A summary of the rate schedules proposed by the Company is as follows:

Installation, Move and Change Charges
The charges for the installation, move and change of basic service would be increased as indicated below. A new charge for pre-installed wiring would be established in the amount of \$63.00 for the first one-four locations and \$13.15 for each additional location, applicable to the owner or contractor who orders the wiring. Separate charges would also be established for the six-position mini jacks—\$5.00 (desk mounted), \$9.25 (wall mounted), \$10.00 (outdoor mounted).

	Residence		Business	
	Present	Proposed	Present	Proposed
Service Ordering, Initial	\$14.00	\$19.00	\$14.00	\$19.00
Service Ordering, Subsequent	5.00	6.75	5.00	6.75
Line Connection	4.00	5.50	5.00	6.75
Wiring	10.00	13.50	10.00	13.50
Station Connection	2.00	2.75	3.00	4.25
Premises Visit	7.00	9.50	7.00	9.50

Telephone Sets
The charges for Company-provided telephone sets would be separate from basic exchange rates. These following charges would apply to all Company-provided telephones used with basic service or as extension stations. The current extension station rate of \$1.00 would no longer apply. For Semi-public service, a telephone set is included in the basic exchange rate.

	Monthly Rate
Standard Set	\$1.50
Dial-in-Handset	2.25
Manual Exclusion Set	2.47
Explosive Atmosphere Set	8.50
Single-Line Speakerphone	9.50
890 Telephone Set	3.00

Exchange Line Mileage Charges
The basic monthly rates for exchange line mileage would be increased by approximately 21% per incremental rate.

	Present	Proposed
First 1 1/2 mi., per 1/2 mi. or fraction	\$1.00	\$1.21
Next 2 1/2 mi., per 1/2 mi. or fraction	.50	.61
Next 7 mi., per 1/2 mi. or fraction	.25	.30
All over 11 miles	.00	.00

Returned Check Charges
The charge for processing returned checks would be increased from \$2.00 to \$6.75.

Multi Line Telephone Service
The rates for the basic Class B—Multi Line (Key) Telephone System would be increased by approximately 33%. The rates for the basic

Class C—Multi Line Telephone System would be increased by 22%. Most optional features, including key telephone sets, for both systems would be increased by approximately 33%. Contract rates would also be available for both classes of customers. Non-recurring charges for key cabling would be established for both systems which would range from \$75-\$140 for non-concealed cabling and \$100-\$165 for concealed cabling, applicable at the time of installation.

Intraexchange Private Line Channels
The application of charges for intraexchange private line channels would be restructured which would result in increased rates to some customers and decreased rates to other customers.

Centrex Service
The station rates for Centrex systems would be increased approximately 18%. In addition, the appropriate charges for telephone sets would also apply. Other supplemental equipment would increase approximately 35%. Extension stations would increase from \$1.00 to \$1.50 for residence and decrease from \$3.50 to \$1.50 for business.

Private Branch Exchange Service
The rates for common equipment and optional features for certain Series II, Series III, Series IV and Large Dial Nonexpandable PBX Systems would be increased by varying amounts as indicated by the detail following. Contract rates would also be available for Series II—Classes B and C customers.

	Approximate Percentage Increase in Monthly Rates
Series II (Small Dial Nonexpandable)	
Class B	90%
Class C	57%
Series III (Large Dial Expandable)	
Class A	37%
Class B	39%
Class C	
—Non Contract	45%
—Two Tier Contracts and Single Payment Option (Level B only)	26%
Series IV (Expandable Electronic)	
GTD-120 Commercial	
—Non Contract	16%
—Two Tier Contracts and Single Payment Option (Level B only)	72%

Approximate Percentage Increase in Monthly Rates

GTD-120 Hotel/Motel	
—Non Contract	10%
—Two Tier Contracts and Single Payment Option (Level B only)	48%
Focus II	
—Non Contract	9%
—Two Tier Contracts and Single Payment Option (Level B only)	60%
Wescom 580L	
—Non Contract	18%
—Two Tier Contracts and Single Payment Option (Level B only)	117%
Large Dial Nonexpandable	90%

Proposed Increase for Other Services
An increase of approximately 35% would apply to all installation, move and change charges including those associated with Series III, Class C PBX systems. Those installation, move and change charges in conjunction with all other two-tier contract offerings would remain unchanged. A 35% increase would apply to the monthly rates for other miscellaneous services excluding the following:

- Services referred to elsewhere on this page to which other charges would apply
- Rotary service
- Connecting arrangements other than six-position mini jacks
- Foreign Central Office and Foreign Exchange Services
- Emergency Alerting Service
- Time and Temperature Announcement Service
- Custom Calling
- Series IV PBX—RoIm MCBX
- Series IV PBX—GTD120A

Proposed Consumer Price Index Adjustment
The Company has requested that the Commission maintain continuing jurisdiction over the proceeding to provide for annual rate adjustment orders with rates to be effective as soon as possible after January 1st of each year beginning January 1, 1982. The adjustment would be based in part upon changes in the Consumer Price Index.

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Five area townships seek voter okay of special millages for road work

Six area townships have proposals to be voted on Tuesday. Most are millages for road maintenance and improvements.

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Those with proposals are Novesta, Elmwood, Ellington, Grant, Greenleaf and Austin townships. Novesta's three proposals are discussed in a separate article in this week's issue.

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- Case 1175 Tractor, with cab, heat, duals, and air cond.
- Case 930 Tractor, with duals, power steering
- Case 1737 Skid-Steer Loader, with new tires
- Case 1212 Tractor, with power shift
- Case 885 Tractor, diesel, with loader
- New Idea 2 Row Corn Picker, with husking bed
- New Idea 2 Row Corn Picker, with 8 row husking bed
- Oliver 88-Diesel, with wide front
- New Holland 1400 Combine, with grain header and 4 row corn head
- Gehl 1500 Round Bailer
- IHC 315 Combine, with 6 row corn head, cab
- John Deere Field Cultivator C-20
- Gehl 72 Crop Chopper, reconditioned
- John Deere Crop Chopper, 5 ft.
- New Holland 4 row corn head for 885 or 995 Combine
- Case 5-16 Plow
- John Deere 616 Plow, hydraulic reset
- Case 3000 616 Plow, hydraulic reset
- IHC 6 Bottom Plow, spring reset
- M&W Plow 518, hydraulic reset
- John Deere 44 Spreader, with hydraulic Indigate
- Case 220 Garden Tractor, hydrostatic drive, with mower
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Based on the township's present valuation, Supervisor Jack Kappen said, the levy will raise about \$33,000 a year.

All of the money the township board spends for roads and bridges, he said, presently comes from the millage and federal revenue sharing. The latter amounts to about \$6,000 a year.

Elmwood township voters will be asked Tuesday to approve a 1 1/2-mill levy for five years to pay for road maintenance and improvements.

In the Aug. 5 primary, the township board sought approval of 3 mills for the same purpose, but the measure was defeated.

With hopes that residents may approve a lesser amount, the board scheduled 1 1/2 mills this time. If approved, the levy won't appear on tax bills until December, 1981.

Based on the township's present equalized valuation of about \$18 million, 1 1/2 mills would bring in about \$27,000.

As for what the township's valuation will be in 1981, hence what the millage will produce, Supervisor Roy Messer commented, "I don't have the slightest idea what it will be next year."

Presumably the valuation will increase, but if the Trish Amendment passes, farm and home assessment increases would be limited to 2 percent a year.

Deford Cubs 'spooked' for Halloween

Members of Deford Cub Scout Pack 3693 went on a "spooky trail" last Thursday through the woods on the Martin Trunk property on Severance Road.

Popping up at appropriate places were witches, ghosts and werewolves. There was also a graveyard, complete with gravedigger.

The Cubs were accompanied by their families, there being a total of about 50 persons going on the trail.

The various spooks were played by older brothers and sisters, who made costumes with assistance from Den Mother Dee Schmidt.

Jovahn Osanowski is the other Den Mother.

Following the walk down the trail, the group gathered at the Cass City Gun Club, which provided cider and doughnuts.

Finley now a corporal

Marine Cpl. Benjamin R. Finley, son of Raymond R. and Beryl L. Finley of 4242 English Road, Kingson, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 1st Marine Division, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

A 1978 graduate of Kingson High School, he joined the Marine Corps in July of that year.

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The money raised from the millage, if approved, will be mainly used for maintaining roads, as opposed to making improvements.

At present, Elmwood isn't keeping up with needed road repairs because it is paying more than \$5,000 for drains this year, paid about that much last year and will have to pay it again next year.

All it could afford to pay for roads this year, according to the supervisor, was about \$1,200. The same situation will exist next year.

There are two proposals on the ballot. One is 1 mill for five years to be used for road maintenance and dust control.

The first time was in 1976, the second in 1978 and the third in the August primary, when the same measure was defeated, 107-83.

"We need it desperately," Supervisor Helen Elliott said of the \$12,162 the millage will raise a year, based on present valuation.

The reason it hasn't passed up to now, she said, is because the roads are in good condition when people vote, but aren't in the spring when they don't vote.

After the spring thaw many wet roads are almost impassable. "Then you should hear my telephone."

Grant's bill from the Huron County Road Commission this year will be close to \$35,000, to be paid from the general fund and with federal revenue sharing funds. But state revenue sharing to the township will be less

next year and whether there will be any federal revenue sharing must still be decided by Congress, thus Grant won't have as much money to spend for roads next year, and she doesn't feel it is spending enough now.

If the 1-mill levy is approved, it won't appear on tax bills until December of next year.

"Share the sale of spirits in addition to beer and wine the permitted for consumption on the premises" within the township.

The question is on the ballot, Mrs. Elliott explained, because an individual wants to build a bar in the township, at which liquor as well as beer and wine will be sold.

The township board must give its permission before the Michigan Liquor Control Commission can grant a liquor license to the person.

The board could have acted on its own, the supervisor explained, but decided to let the voters decide whether they want a bar within their township.

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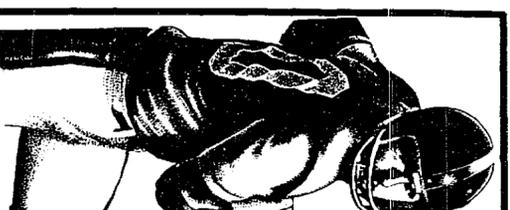
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Friday, Sept. 12 Cass City 6 - Lakers 0
Friday, Sept. 19 Cass City 8 - Caro 7
Friday, Sept. 26 Cass City 24 - Bad Axe 9
Friday, Oct. 3	..... Cass City 8 - North Branch 24
Friday, Oct. 10	..... Cass City 32 - Sandusky 26
Friday, Oct. 17	..... Cass City 48 - Marlette 6
Friday, Oct. 24	..... Cass City 15 - Vassar 6
Friday, Oct. 31	..... Cass City at Mayville

RED HAWK HOME FOOTBALL - BASKETBALL
Basketball at Cass City High School Gym 6:30 p.m.

Champions
At Mayville
Friday, October 31

GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

Thurs., Sept. 4	..... Cass City 52 - Harbor Beach 59
Tues., Sept. 9	..... Cass City 45 - North Huron 50
Wed., Sept. 17	..... Cass City 57 - Lakers 31
Thurs., Sept. 18	..... Cass City 40 - USA 39
Wed., Sept. 24	..... Cass City 46 - Caro 41
Thurs., Sept. 25	..... Cass City 41 - Harbor Beach 46
Wed., Oct. 1	..... Cass City 52 - Bad Axe 41
Thurs., Oct. 2	..... Cass City 35 - Frankmunh 52
Mon., Oct. 6	..... Cass City 42 - USA 62
Wed., Oct. 8	..... Cass City 29 - North Branch 33
Wed., Oct. 15	..... Cass City 40 - Sandusky 29
Mon., Oct. 20	..... Cass City 34 - Marlette 29
Wed., Oct. 22	..... Cass City 42 - Vassar 35
Mon., Oct. 27	..... Cass City 43 - Lakers 34
Wed., Oct. 29	..... Cass City at Caro
Mon., Nov. 3	..... Bad Axe at Cass City
Wed., Oct. 10 North Branch at Cass City
Mon., Nov. 10 Cass City at Sandusky
Fri., Nov. 14 Marlette at Cass City
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