#### Eva Ashcroft, **87**, dies after illness

Eva Ashcroft, 87, Deford, died Friday at Hills and Dales General Hospital after a short illness.

She was born Oct. 13, 1893, in Argyle township, the daughter of Solon and Carrie (Oatman) Patterson.

Miss Patterson married Roy Marshall March 25, 1913, in Sandusky. He died Oct. 31, 1955. On Feb. 9, 1957, she married Roy Ashcroft in Wayne. They moved to Shabbona later that year. Ashcroft died April 2, 1966. Mrs. Ashcroft moved to the Deford area in 1977.

She was a member of the Shabbona United Methodist

church. Mrs. Ashcroft is survived by one son, Ted Marshall of Cass City; one daughter, Mrs. Don (Hazel) Haviland of Grandville; 14 grandchildren, and 25 great-grandchildren. One brother, five sisters, one son, one daughter and two great-grandsons preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted Monday morning at Little's Funeral Home, Cass City, with Rev. Gerald Rodgers of the Deford Community church officiating. Burial was in Elkland cemetery.

# Holbrook Area News

urday at the Louis Naples

King Saturday afternoon.

Tyrrell had a piano and

Joan Hammerle of Bad

Axe spent Thursday with

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk.

son and Edith and Rose

Chuno spent Friday shop-

Ronald Deachin, Ronnie

and Misty of Lake Orion

were Saturday guests of Mr.

and Mrs. Reynold Tschir-

Mrs. Ray Rienelt, Mrs.

Frank Laming, Mrs. Gay-

lord Lapeer, Mrs. Jim

Doerr, Mrs. Curtis Cleland,

Mrs. Stuart Nicol, Clara

Bond, Mrs. Leander Rivard,

Mrs. Hiram Keyser, Mrs.

Russ Schneeberger and Mrs.

Lyle Clarke left Cass City on

a bus Thursday for Detroit.

They had dinner at the

Beefcarver before going on a

Christmas walk at Meadow-

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jack-

Mrs. Cliff Robinson visited

home.

Saturday.

vocal solo.

Mrs. Thelma Jackson Phone 658-2347

Cliff Jackson.

Mrs. Louis Naples.

and Carol Laming.

Mrs. John Mika was a

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Tuesday forenoon guest of

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guests of Mr. and Mrs.

was a Friday evening guest

of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk

Dan Schultz of Bad Axe

was a Thursday supper

guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Hewitt and Lori and Shirley

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wein-

ard were Friday evening

guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cle-

land were in a group of the

RLDS church active adults

of Huron county who at-

tended the Christmas dinner

and musical program at the

Bad Axe RLDS church Mon-

Jason Jason was a Friday

overnight guest of Mr. and

Mrs. Arnold Kazor and fam-

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord

Lapeer were Sunday dinner

guests of Mrs. Manly Fay

Reynold Tschirhart.

Mrs. Jim Doerr.

Burton Berridge.

and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Rich-

ardson and Brenda were

Wednesday supper and eve-

ning guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Naples

and Jack of East Detroit

spent the week end with

Mrs. Henry Porter of Tav-

lor was a Saturday visitor at

Cpl. Bob Cleland of Yuma,

Ariz., spent from Monday

till Sunday with his grand-

mother, Mrs. Alex Cleland,

the Glen Shagena home.

Mrs. Jim Doerr and Holly attended a bridal shower for Diann Doerr at the Argyle Methodist church Sunday

afternoon. Beatrice Hundersmarck and Mrs. Earl Schenk spent Friday forenoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hun-

dersmarck in Pigeon. Mr. and Mrs. Don Mc-Knight of Bad Axe were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and family.

Tim Deachin of Lake Orion, who had spent the hunting season with Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Tschirhart, went home Friday.

Andy Murdock, Don Muter and Joe Hickey attended the girls' basketball district tournament at Unionville-Sebewaing area high school and Tuesday evening attended the Bad Axe varsity girls' game with USA.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford spent the week end with Mrs. George Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family. Clara Bond spent Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. William Hancock of Detroit spent

with Emma Decker in Cass

from Thursday through Sat-KINGSTON TOWNSHIP

brook Mansion. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson were Wednesday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. El Jay Bowron in Detroit. Mrs. Howard Wills, who had spent a few days at the Bowron home, returned

home with the Robinsons. Mrs. Louis Naples spent a few days in Detroit and attended the wedding of her grandson, Richard Kollar

Jr. and Debra Kent at the Brightmore Tabernade at Southfield at 6 o'clock Fri-

Donna Holm in Cass City Vern Rounds of Bad Axe Mrs. Henry Porter of Tayand Glen Shagena attended lor and Mrs. Glen Shagena the Bad Axe-Brown City visited Mr. and Mrs. George basketball games Wednesday and Saturday evenings

Twenty students of Mrs. at Brown City. Jan Moore of Deckerville Mrs. Joe Doerr of Argyle entertained the Sanilac was a Friday afternoon county women's Extension guest of Mrs. Jim Doerr. tea at Sandusky High School Thursday evening. Brenda

Floyd Zulauf, Jack Ross of Ubly, Rodney Talaski and Bryce Champagne were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy.

Sheila Dalton was a Friday supper guest of Shirley Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori.

Rosie Abraham of Ubly, Mrs. Floyd Morell and Mrs. Don Jackson spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker were Friday supper and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mrs. Dale Hind visited Mrs. Dave Sweeney Friday. Mike Schenk returned home Tuesday after spending four days in Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stirrett in Bad Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wie-

tek of Detroit spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Louis Naples. Mrs. Curtis Cleland visited Mrs. Alex Cleland and

Carol Saturday forenoon. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robin-

son were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin O'Connor at Minden

Mr. and Mrs. George Sim-Lynn Spencer attended the merlein and Cleatus Howey Thumb Association OES visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen meeting at Sebewaing Ma-Shagena Thursday aftersonic hall Saturday.

Mrs. Dave Matthews Jr., Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol Laming visited Bob Cleland Sr. in Pontiac and Mrs. Cleland at St. Joseph Hos-

pital, Pontiac Vern Kasserman of Pigeon, Rev. Robert Von Oeyen of Ubly, Mrs. Harvey Bowen of Harbor Beach and Mrs. Lynn Spencer attended the Presbytery meeting at the First Presbyterian church in Flint Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wills attended the upper Thumb Samers dinner and meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fay McComb in Cass City Saturday evening.

Around 35 attended the Pelton Christmas dinner Sunday at Shabbona Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howey of Saginaw spent the week

end with Mr. and Mrs.

Cleatus Howey. Sara Campbell, Mrs. Dave Sweeney, Mrs. Henry Porter and Mrs. Glen Shagena attended the funeral of Jack Walker at Zinger Funeral Home at Ubly Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleland Sr. and family of Pontiac spent the week end with Mrs. Alex Cleland, Bill Cleland spent Sunday and all attended the Pelton Christmas dinner at Shabbona.

Cpl. Bob Cleland Jr. of Yuma, Ariz., Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol visited Anne Pelton and Mrs. Dale Bader in Cass City Tuesday, Cpl. Cleland left Sunday evening to spend sometime in Pont-

### New books at the library

THE SECOND LADY, by Irving Wallace (fiction). The First Lady of the United States is missing. But no one, not even the President himself realizes it, for beautiful Billie Bradford has been kidnapped by the KGB and replaced by agent Vera Vavilova, her exact "twin." A former actress, Vavilova has been groomed for the greatest role of her career by every scientific and psychological trick in the KGB repertoire. From subtle speech inflections to surgical scars, Vavilova has been virtually transformed into Billie. But the real Billie, imprisoned in the Kremlin, has devised a way out that is as daring as anything the KGB could con-

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## SATURDAYS

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Please bring itemized total of your 1980 income including interest, dividends and Social Security. Also bring health/ accident insurance premiums paid and your tax bills.

Jack Gallagher

Elkland Township Supervisor

INGRID BERGMAN: MY STORY, by Ingrid Bergman (non-fiction). With disarming candor and humanity that are genuinely moving, Ingrid Bergman tells the remarkable story of her life -- her marriages, the love affair that resulted in a 16-year exile from Hollywood, her heroic battle against illness, and the ultimate resurgence of her



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There will be a potluck buffet. Anyone interested in organic farming or garden-ing can attend. Those attending should bring a dish to pass and their own table service.

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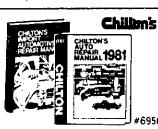


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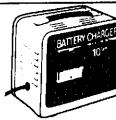
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