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Split vote on training request

School board hires new band director

The Cass City School Board quickly reorganized and breezed through a limited agenda Wednesday night.

Re-elected president was Danny Haag. The board has an unofficial policy of having the president serve for 2 terms. This is Haag's second term.

Other officers elected were Teresa Rabideau, vice-president, and Michelle Biddinger, secretary. Beverley Auten was re-elected treasurer.

A key addition to the teaching staff was approved by the board with high anticipation that it will solve problems with the band.

Hired was Douglas Burch of Standish. Although he has just graduated from Saginaw Valley State University, he has wide experience helping with the band program at Standish.

Already active, he was busy just before the July 4 Festival trying to get a band together for the parade. Burch is very confident that he can revitalize the band where numbers fell to 35-40 in 2002-03.

The board accepted the resignation of Kristina Hamrick, district technology coordinator effective August 31. The board approved Lyle Severance of Cass City as her replacement. He starts work

Sept. 1. Trustee Randy Severance abstained from discussion and the vote.

His salary will be \$50,973 and he will work year-around except for a 5-week vacation period. Previously Severance worked in a support position for \$35 per hour. Last year that amounted to about \$18,000. That position is now eliminated.

On the recommendation of an interview committee, Jane Phillips was hired as a teacher aid in special education. She replaces Darlene Parsell who resigned. Five candidates were interviewed.

WAVER GRANTED

In a 5-2 decision, with Haag and Biddinger voting no, a waiver was granted to Stacy McCallum allowing her to take drivers training. One of the requirements for eligibility is that the student maintains a 2-point average. McCallum had a 1.8.

She appeared before the board with her mother who told the board that she works a 12-hour shift 3-days a week and it would be a great help if her daughter could drive.

Haag and Biddinger said that waivers being granted now and previously violated the policy. "We need to be consistent," Biddinger said,

and if waivers are routinely granted the policy is useless.

The waiver came with strings attached. McCallum will take phase one of the program that started last week, but will not be allowed to enter phase two unless she maintains a 2.5 average in the first semester next year.

OTHER BUSINESS

It appears that the administrative decision made by Supt. Ken Micklash to move Brenda Sherman from the middle school to the high school and replace her with Shirley McIntosh, who previously was at the now closed Deford School, will remain unchanged.

The move was objected to by 27 teachers who were named on a petition presented to the board. Judging by informal comments by board members, the change desired by the teachers will not be implemented.

It's virtually certain that admission prices will increase for sports fans. The board appears ready to approve at its next meeting an increase from \$3 to \$4. Season tickets for individuals will go from \$65 to \$70. Full family tickets will increase \$5 to \$100. Children over 5 will pay \$5 more each, the same as last season. Seniors 60 years and over will be admitted free.

Members of the board will be able to sign general fund checks. The superintendent and bookkeeper are authorized to sign payroll checks.

Again this year Chemical Bank-Bay Area, Thumb National Bank and Michigan School District Liquid Asset Fund were authorized to be used for investment of funds.

The board set meeting dates for the year. With 3 exceptions the meetings will be the fourth Monday of the month. The August meeting will start at 6:30 p.m. with a goal session followed by the regular meeting at 7:30 p.m.



THREE-YEAR-OLD Victoria Smith showed it's never too early to be patriotic as she waved her American flag during Cass City's annual July 4 Grand Parade Saturday. She is the daughter of Don Smith Jr. of Cass City and Dante Clemens of Gagetown.

Damage in business fire estimated at \$300,000

Elkland Township Fire Chief Ron Pawloski estimated damage at \$300,000 in an early Friday morning fire at All Star Services Inc., a vending company located at 6435 Bay City-Forestville Rd.

Fire fighters were dispatched to the business at about 3:15 a.m., according to Pawloski, who said a neighbor reported the blaze.

Pawloski said firemen arrived to find the building filled with smoke, but no flames.

"We determined that it started above an office. They had a LP gas water heater above the ceiling that malfunctioned," he said, adding the blaze was contained in the office area, but the heat and smoke were intense, resulting in extensive damage. "Most of it was like the food products they have," he added.

Pawloski said the fire may have ignited shortly after the business was closed late Thursday afternoon.

Cass City fire fighters remained at the scene for 3 hours. They were assisted by the Caro, Elmwood-Gagetown, Owendale and Ubyli fire departments.

HOUSE FIRE

A state fire marshal was expected to arrive Monday to

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County officers part of state crackdown

Officers from 545 law enforcement agencies in Michigan, joined by truckers from 5 Michigan trucking companies, have teamed up to participate in the national mobilization against drunk driving.

The truck drivers who are participating in the effort are known as "night owls." They will call 911 and report the license plate number, location and direction of travel

of drivers who they suspect are driving under the influence of alcohol. Central Transport, E&L Transport, Meijer Inc., Sara Lee Taystee Bakery Group, and Spartan Stores, are the companies participating in the mobilization.

"The partnership the mobilization provides with the community is great," said Jim Jashinske, Tuscola County

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Fest success in spite of storm

by Melissa Herren Staff Writer

Thousands of children and adults alike lined the street as usual Saturday morning, waiting to see the long-awaited Freedom Festival's Fourth of July Parade. Many children dashed into the street to pick up candy and giggled with excitement as the large horses, clowns and dogs passed by.

The parade was comprised of 70 entries, said Gary Jones,

co-chair and festival coordinator. "I received a lot of positive feedback, people said they really enjoyed the parade. After the parade ended, thousands of people flooded into the park like they were giving away million dollar bills," said Jane Hitler, event coordinator.

This was certainly a different Fourth of July than past years, she said. Festival attendees had to quickly seek shelter because a fierce rain poured on the festival, last-

ing about 30 to 40 minutes, leaving large puddles and small ponds. The rain drove some people away from the festival, Hitler said.

This is the first time it has rained during a festival in at least 13 years, she said. "I was shocked with the amount of people that came back to the festival after the weather cleared up, I thought once they left they wouldn't come back," Hitler said.

The vendors were really affected by the rain. "We had

quite a few barbecue chicken dinners left over after the rain hit, it didn't help us at all," said John Niebryzdowski, Lions Club member.

"We usually stay until after the softball games are finished because a lot of the players buy chicken dinners after their games are over, but the ball games were postponed and so we didn't stick around." One hundred chicken dinners were given to the residents at Tendercare nursing home, Hitler said.

The Gavel Club sold brats during the Festival. "We were doing really good until the rain hit and after the sun came out again people didn't want that kind of food," said Rick Hollis, president of the Gavel Club. Revenue is down \$2,000 to 3,000, Hitler said, which isn't much considering how hard it rained.

Many of the events were postponed until after the rain stopped and the fields dried out. The softball games were delayed an hour and 3-On-3 basketball games moved to the middle school during the storm. The softball games finished late, around 9 p.m. Doug Hyatt, co-chair and grounds coordinator said. People came from all over to participate in the sporting events, he said.

Once the weather cleared up, people gathered around the basketball courts to cheer on their favorite team. A few of the kids' games were cancelled because of the weather, like the AAUW kids' Paint-In. The Pedal Pullers tractor pull and the dog show were delayed.

The Tail Waggers K-9 Dog Demo was a big hit this year. "I liked the dog show the best, it was really fun to watch them do tricks," said Morgan Potter, 9, of Cass City. "I am really glad the dog show wasn't cancelled because the kids would have been really disappointed," Hitler said.

The M-T Pocket Pullers had a great turnout, at least 500 spectators attended the M-T Pocket Pullers tractor pull, Hyatt said.

The craft barn seemed to be doing pretty well. It was full of people looking to purchase crafts of all kinds. "I have found a lot of unique crafts I haven't seen before, like soy candles and intricate wooden crafts," said Fran Brazzil, of South Lyon.

Over 90 arts and crafts spots were sold this year, which is

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A day in the life of...

Robinson knows his customers

Editor's note: This is the first in a series of stories entitled "A day in the life of..." which will provide insight into the careers of various professionals in the Cass City community.

by Melissa Herren Staff Writer

A barbershop does not only serve as a place for men to get their hair cut, but also as a place to rehash stories from the past, share experiences and talk about the news of the community.

"I remember the time I had to drive the personnel carrier across the river on a winter night," said Phil Robinson, owner of Phil's barbershop. "It was a scary experience for a 19-year-old kid, not knowing if the personnel carrier would sink or float if it quit."

Robinson said he was sent to Germany when the wall was being built during his 2 years in the U.S. Army. He came home from the Army during the Cuban crisis and met a hurricane on his way back from Germany.

This is not the only story Robinson has to tell his customers as they sit in his black leather chair. Phil's Barber-

shop is located in the Parkway building, 6703 Main St. The flag from Pearl Harbor that he received from a friend, the patriotic valance that hangs over the windows, and the red, white and blue motif, sets a patriotic tone for his shop.

Recognizing all the people by face and usually by name who come into the shop to get a haircut, Robinson typically knows what kind of haircut the regulars want without asking, but occasionally asks, "How do you want your hair cut today?" "Pretty short on top and around the sides, but leave the bangs because I have a widow's peak," replied one customer.

Robinson has been cutting hair in Cass City for 12 years. He attended barbershop school and picked up the pastime after his retirement from General Motors, where he worked for 30 years. "I had thought about being a barber since I was a kid, when my dad and grandmother used to cut my hair," he said.

"I do not cut hair for the money, but for the experiences I have," he said. "I meet a lot of interesting people."

Robinson said he cuts around 200 heads of hair a month and averages 15 to 17 customers a day and 50 to 60 a week. It is not unusual to see people waiting to get a haircut. Phil cuts hair on a walk-in basis. Between customers, when the shop slows down a bit, he reads the paper, a book, or sits outside in the shade and greets kids who are on the way to the park.

One of the experiences Robinson has never forgotten was the time he accidentally nicked a man's ear with the clippers. "I couldn't believe it, but, sure enough, I looked down and there was blood dripping from his ear." That was a long time ago, Robinson said, and it never happened again. The man still comes back for a haircut, he said.

John Russell, a Cass City resident, said he has been getting his hair cut at Phil's since he was a kid. "I come to Phil's because it reminds me of an old barbershop. You can carry on a conversation with him and he knows what you are talking about. You are not just a number, like

you are when you go to a salon."

Barbershop conversations vary from person to person. The customers talk about everything, including news, weather, vacations they are going to take, and problems they have.

Phil is like a bartender, he knows everyone's woes, said Sal Ballerini.

Over the buzz of the clippers and directions like "tilt your head to the right" or "sit up straight", interesting conversations continue.

"Nevada had the roughest and roughest people I have ever seen," a customer said. He has seen 8 people killed in a two-block radius. A grandma and her granddaughter were killed before his eyes, trying to cross the street, and hit by a driver whose excuse was that he was 15 minutes late for work.

While the floor was covered with piles of brownish-gray hair, the Fourth of July Festival was mentioned. "What time does the parade start," asked a customer, which sparked another conversation. "The best fireworks show

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PHIL ROBINSON, owner of Phil's barbershop, has at least 300 customers in his barbershop each month. John Russell of Cass City came into Phil's last week for a haircut.



CUB SCOUTS from Cass City Pack 3594 recently earned their Parvuli Dei religious emblem. Pictured above at St. Pancratius Catholic Church are (front row, left) Cody Pringle, Justin Kerkau, Brandon Green, (back row, left) Thomas LeValley, Alex Varney, Father Steve Fillion, Colin Mason and Nick Karavas.



Men often have the mistaken notion that shopping is an activity that women engage in for fun. Hah! Shopping is hard, exhausting work!

There was a time when I could shop all day without taking time out for lunch. No more. It's a somewhat rare occasion these days.

Nevertheless, I recently spent a few hours pounding the mall pavement.

One reason was that I wanted a pale pink shirt to match a pair of pants.

Pale pink is not "in" this season. Not being on the cutting edge of fashion, I wear clothes for years if I like them and can still squeeze into them. So the pants aren't "in" either.

I tried ordering from 2 catalogs that bucked the trend and carried pink. Both were back-ordered. This led me to visit a couple of stores I don't ordinarily shop.

In the first, while they had no pink shirts, I found another item I liked. The clerk at the checkout asked me if I'd tried it on. I had. Then she proceeded to warn me about trying to return it. If necessary, it must be within x number of days, with all tags attached, etc., etc. She almost dared me to buy the thing!

At the second store, I actually found a pink shirt. More importantly, the salesperson was helpful and pleasant, seemed happy to be of service and didn't threaten to call the FBI if I later decided to return it. In fact, there were signs on the clothing and throughout the store saying, "No sale is ever final."

Guess which place will get my repeat business.

Is it just me, or are there an ever increasing number of clerks with attitudes lately? Are they simply unhappy with their lot in life or have they not been trained to be pleasant?

In a restaurant where I picked up a take-out order recently, 3 young people were behind the counter, looking irritated. Not one of them smiled, responded to my remarks, or spoke to me except to ask my name.

At another business, the cashier was talking on the phone about affairs and problems far too personal to be shared with customers, all the while she checked our order out.

Come on, folks, I'm your customer, the reason you have a job. I deserve your attention. Maybe you'd rather not have a job. There are plenty of people who would be glad to replace you.

Where are the managers who are supposed to train their employees?

Whether or not you like Wal-Mart or McDonald's, you can't deny that their employees know how to treat their customers. If they don't catch on fairly quickly, I'm sure they won't be part of the family long.

It's not only attitudes that cause shopping problems. One store I enjoy shopping has good quality merchandise and terrific sales. However, it's next to impossible to determine exactly how much anything costs without having it scanned. Their signs and price tags rarely agree.

For example, their ad stated "All purses 50% off." After I selected one pre-priced at \$50, the saleslady told me, "That one is 25% off." I decided to take it anyway. It rang up at \$29.99.

I guess this modern math is beyond me.

Area trio earn their diplomas

Seventy members of Alma College's Class of 2003 recently graduated with honors when 264 students participated in commencement services.

The highest honor, summa cum laude, is given to students who have achieved a 3.8 cumulative grade point average (CPA); magna cum laude honors are awarded to students who have achieved a 3.6 CPA; and cum laude honors require an achievement of 3.4 CPA.

The following students from the Cass City area were among the graduates:

- Ryan Downing of Cass City received a Bachelor of Arts Degree magna cum laude in international business administration and Spanish. The son of Linda Downing, he is a 1999 graduate of Cass City High School.
- Stephan McIntosh of Cass City received a Bachelor of Arts Degree magna cum laude in business administration and Spanish, and Departmental Honors in Spanish. The son of Ann Marie King, he is a 1999 graduate of Cass City High School.
- Nicolette Zawilinski of Cass City received a Bachelor of Science Degree magna cum laude in biology. The daughter of Karl and Jenny Zawilinski, she is a 1999 graduate of Cass City High School.

83 attend Hendrick reunion

The Theo and Effie Hendrick 18th annual family reunion was held June 28 at the home of Jim and Karen Balz in Milan.

There were 81 family members and 2 guests present for a picnic dinner at 1:30 p.m. The four daughters and one son-in-law, all in their eighties now, were present.

Ruth Fisher was the oldest person present and there were three 2-year-olds, Mary Taepke, Gabe Drouillard and Braden Kelly.

Family came from many areas of Michigan plus Kentucky, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

The next reunion will be in the Cass City area June 26, 2004.

Roche named to dean's list

Julie Roche of Cass City has been named to the academic dean's list at Milligan College for the spring semester 2003, announced Dr. Mark Matson, academic dean.

The dean's list recognizes students who earn a grade point average of 3.5 or above for the academic semester.

Roche, the daughter of Ron and Ann Roche of Cass City, is a freshman biology major at Milligan. She is studying pre-med.

Walbro picnic July 17

Former Walbro employees will hold their 2003 potluck at the Cass City Municipal Park Lions Club Pavilion Thursday, July 17, at 5:30 p.m.

Bring a dish to pass and table service. Meat and beverage will be provided.

Calendar of Events

Deadline for submitting items in the calendar is the Friday noon before publication.

Wednesday, July 9

Roast pork dinner served family style, 12 p.m., Cass City United Methodist Church, 5100 N. Cemetery Rd. Take outs are available, call 989-872-4604.

Thursday, July 10

Story Hour, 1:30 p.m., Rawson Memorial Library.

Friday, July 11

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.

Saturday, July 12

The Cass River Pet FriendZ is offering a "Wash Your Pet Day," noon to 4 p.m., Tropic Fish and Pets, 415 W. Frank St., Caro. Cost is a monetary donation. Owners must stay on the premises. Call (989) 673-6375 or (989) 672-3006 for questions and more information.

Monday, July 14

Owen-Gage School Board meeting, 7 p.m. Elkland Township Board meeting, 7 p.m. Magic Show for the whole family, 1:30 p.m., Rawson Memorial Library.

Tuesday, July 15

Thumb Area Parkinson's Support Group meeting, 1 p.m., Hills and Dales General Hospital. AYSO Board meeting, 7 p.m., Cass City High School library.

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Monday - Fish sandwich with bun, red bliss potatoes, Cole slaw, fruit.
Tuesday - Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, tossed salad, garlic bread, fruit.

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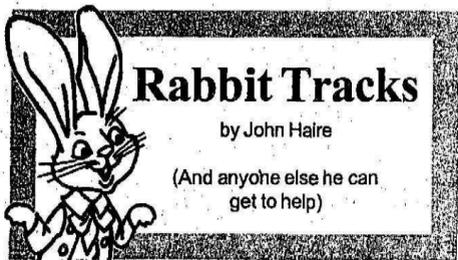
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Rabbit Tracks

by John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

Amanda Chappel says she has been working too much to play as much golf as she would like to this year. She was pictured last week in the sports section of the Detroit News answering that question about playing golf.

Chappel, who lived in Cass City until graduating from college, will be remembered as one of the valued high school columnists at the Chronicle when she was a senior at Cass City High School.

Today she is a personal shopper for Marshall Fields and lives in Royal Oak.

There weren't too many members playing at the annual July 4 Festival, but the Cass City High School Band was there, about 25 strong, and that is regarded as a significant start for Douglas Burtch, the new director. After all, he had been on the job for 3 days and in that brief period was able to have a band marching when it appeared that there would be no participation at all.

That brief downpour that interrupted festivities Saturday was bad and good. It forced the 3-on-3 basketball tourney into the middle school gym.

That's bad. It also uncovered a flaw in the drainage that left a puddle of water on the gym floor, which was quickly mopped before any damage occurred.

That's good.

The Cass City School Board last week adopted a change in policy regarding the use of drugs at the school.

Previously, the policy for possession of drugs required a parental conference or referral for professional assessment and the addition of 6 points on the disciplinary scale. Now the first offense will net 12 points. A parental conference is required and the police will be contacted.

For the second offense the penalty will increase to 15 points. First offense for distribution of drugs is now 15 points, a parental conference required and the police will be contacted.

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FAA officials probing fatal airplane accident

Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) officials are continuing their investigation into a fatal plane crash that claimed the life of a Midland man early last week.

The victim was identified as Joseph P. Overton, 43, who served as one of the state's top political policymakers through his role as senior vice president of the Midland-based Mackinac Center for Public Policy.

The crash was reported June 30 at 9:32 p.m. in Indianfields Township on the grounds of the Caro Regional Center.

Troopers from the Michigan State Police post in Caro reported arriving to find Overton's single seat ultralight aircraft on fire. Overton was inside the plane and pronounced dead at the scene.

Troopers said their initial investigation and witness statements indicated the plane suddenly pointed to the ground and struck several power lines, then caught

fire and struck the ground about 200 feet east of the intersection of M-81 and Graf Road. Overton was under the supervision of his flight instructor, George Smith of Snover, who witnessed the accident.

Troopers were assisted at the scene by Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies, the Caro Fire Department and Caro MMR.

Crash claims life of Sanilac driver

Sanilac County Sheriff's deputies are continuing their investigation into a fatal traffic accident Saturday evening in Lamotte Township.

Deputies identified the victim as Paul Donald Innes, 34, of Marlette.

A witness reported the crash occurred on Richards Road, a half-mile east of Decker Road, at about 6:50 p.m. The caller also said the driver was pinned inside the vehicle.

Rescue workers were able to free Innes from his Ford pickup truck. He was transported by Marlette EMS personnel to Marlette Community Hospital, where he was pronounced dead.

Two passengers, Cecilia Vaughn, 16, of Detroit, and Donald Innes, 6, of Marlette, were treated for minor injuries at Marlette Community Hospital and then released.

Deputies said it appeared Innes' pickup truck was west-bound when he lost control and the vehicle rolled into a ditch.

The Lamotte Township Fire Department, Michigan State Police, Marlette EMS and Marlette fire fighters all assisted deputies at the scene.

Deputies apprehend runaways

Thanks to an alert citizen and quick action by Sanilac County Sheriff's deputies, 3 juvenile runaways were taken into custody Thursday afternoon.

Sgt. Paul Rich of the Sanilac County Sheriff's Department said the juveniles were reported missing from Teen Ranch in Kingston July 2 at about 11 p.m.

"At approximately 3:45 a.m., a Marlette resident called Sanilac County Central Dispatch and reported that a young male had asked to borrow a screwdriver," Rich said. "While he was doing this the caller observed 2 other subjects nearby."

Deputies checked the area and saw the 3 young males hiding in an alley. The officers apprehended all 3 behind the Main Street Pharmacy in Marlette after a brief foot chase, Rich said, noting the boys were booked at the Sanilac County Jail on runaway charges and then turned over to Teen Ranch officials.

building without someone on duty is a sure recipe for disaster.

If the plan is to make the center provide for both seniors and teens, the building should be open in the morning (for seniors) and afternoon and evening for seniors and teens. And if it is to serve its purpose it will need to be open 6 or 7 days a week. That means paying a staff of 2.

The odds against a successful campaign are high, but who knows?

Kids tackle every project with enthusiasm and, most of all, confidence. They could conjure a center when old fogies like me don't believe it's possible.

If the "Citizens of the Future" campaign to build a community center in Cass City were successful it would be a monumental achievement.

Talk about a community center in Cass City has been a wishful thinking topic for 20 years or more.

There was discussion about using the Cultural Center building as a community center, but it died before it got serious even though Walbro Corporation was willing to donate the building.

Making the building meet building codes and handicap restrictions made a free building too expensive to use.

The dozen or so high school students under the direction of Linda Volz are charging full speed ahead with plans for the center.

I'd guess that the center, as it is planned, is almost impossible. Goals have been outlined for teen-age and senior citizen use. For teens the center would have games, computer access, pool table, pinball/air hockey/foosball, TV/VCR/DVD, play stations and basketball hoop. For seniors, bingo, technology classes, chess, shuffleboard and exercise classes are suggested.

That calls for major money, starting with the building that the group could buy for \$100,000 and perhaps as much as a guessable total of \$200,000 before it is fully equipped.

That's the first major problem. The second would be the cost of operation. In addition to the normal expenses of heat, lights, water and clean-up, supervision must be provided and it must be provided every minute that the center operates. Opening the

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The back forty

by Roger Pond

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Talk about a sad story. A man from Virginia was arrested this spring and charged with fraud because his dogs smelled bad!

An Associated Press story says this fellow was paid \$700,000 in 2001 and 2002 to provide bomb-sniffing dogs for federal agencies, including the State Department and the Federal Reserve. These agencies now claim this man's dogs failed

five independent tests, including the challenge of finding 50 pounds of dynamite and 15 pounds of plastic explosives hidden in cars.

The same people who depended upon these animals for two years are now claiming the trainer cheated them by providing dogs that couldn't find an elephant with a nosebleed in two feet of snow!

What does the government know about dogs, anyway? Anybody who trains dogs can tell us each one has his day, but nobody knows which day it's going to be.

I've seen enough pointers that don't point and retrievers that can't swim to understand we have to give the trainers a little bit of slack.

Besides, you can't hold a man responsible for his dog's mistakes! Nobody blames the dog for his master's foul-ups.

When somebody gives me flak about my dogs, I always say, "O.K. let me see your dog." That's when we learn these people don't have a dog. Or if they do, they leave it at home.

When I look back at all of the dogs I've trained, I couldn't guarantee any of them could find 50 pounds of dynamite on a given day. They might find it over time, but there would be a lot of whistling and yelling before that happened.

Dogs are creatures of habit. If they aren't used to finding 50 pounds of dynamite, they won't find it. We can't expect them to believe it the first time they see it.

This man's dogs were probably trained with a few pounds of explosives at the most. When they find 50 pounds it just blows them away.

I've seen bird dogs track a wounded bird for hundreds of yards and finally locate it.

Then, I've watched them run over dead game in plain sight, with no sign they have smelled a thing.

My old setter Goldie was a good example. Goldie would do something totally amazing and follow it with something totally stupid - just so I wouldn't get to expecting too much.

For example, Goldie was trained to get into the back seat of my two-door Ford. I would open the driver's side door, and she would turn to the right and jump in the back.

This worked fine until one

day when I decided to let her in on the passenger side. Goldie jumped into the front seat, turned right, and crashed into the windshield.

I probably could have taught her how to get in from either side, but why bother. If I can't remember which door to open, what can we expect from the dog?

That's my take on the government's case against the dog trainer. They might claim this fellow cheated them, but the only explosives they know about are the ones they planted themselves!

The Weather

	High	Low	Precip.
Tuesday	84	57	0
Wednesday	85	59	0
Thursday	88	68	0
Friday	89	61	0
Saturday	82	58	88"
Sunday	85	61	1.16"
Monday	83	67	0

(Recorded at Cass City wastewater treatment plant.)

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CHIROPRACTIC OUTLOOK

By Dr. Robert Gabriel

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Chiropractors often treat patients with lateral epicondylitis. It is also known as "tennis elbow." It is a condition where the elbow becomes painful and tender due to overuse. When a ball strikes a racquet, its force is transmitted along the forearm muscles to the elbow. This strain causes the muscles to become swollen and tender.

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The festival in pictures

Letters to the editor



KIRK ELYA of the Whispering Pines Animal Kingdom invites guests to meet "Hopper", a Bennet wallaby, in the park following the parade Saturday.



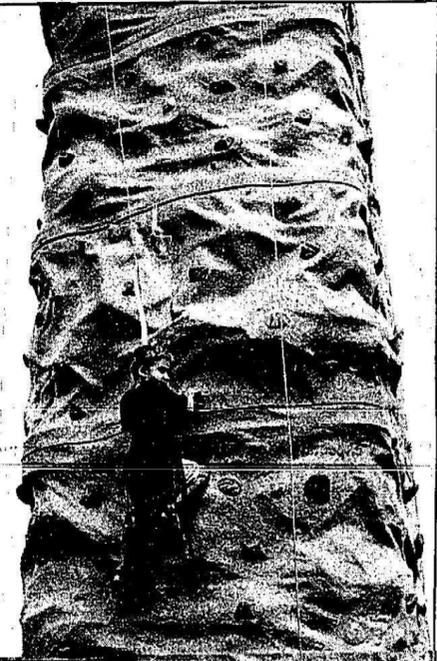
HUNTER VAUGHAN, 4, of Cass City, participated in the Pedal Pullers tractor pull at the Cass City Freedom Festival on Saturday. Many kids participated in the event.



THE CASS CITY High School marching band kept the beat as the first musical entry in Saturday's grand parade.



RICHARD RAMIREZ of Deford (left) and Steve Siwecki (right) of Avoca gobbled up cold hot dogs at the Cass City Freedom Festival hot dog eating contest Saturday.



ALEX ORTIZ, 6, of Las Vegas, Nev., climbs the rock wall Saturday at Cass City Recreation Park. Alex and his mother, Andrea, were in town visiting her grandparents, Gordon and Elma Arbitter of Decker.

Fascism alive, well here

RE: VFW Mural
It appears as if fascism is doing quite well in Cass City these days considering the Village Council's belief that they actually have the authority to dictate to anyone what they can or cannot paint on their own building. (pornography excluded)

A simple question we must ask the "Council" is: "From where did they get the authority to make those decisions or dictates?" "The Authority of Law" is the most fundamental rule of Americanism that fascist-minded people have either been unable or unwilling to understand. I say "unwilling" because this fundamental rule severely limits the powers of those people in our society who seem to think it is their destiny to dictate to others what they can or can't do on or with their own property.

I briefly touched on this issue in a letter to the CCC some months ago so either the members of the Village Council didn't read it or the simple logic was just incomprehensible to them. The Authority of Law is very easy to understand for any Real-American. Simply put: God (The Master) created humans with unlimited inalienable Rights, many of which were specifically mentioned in our Bill of Rights. We humans (the masters) created government with very limited powers. In America, government derives its just powers from the consent of the governed. If the governed (an individual or group of individuals) don't have a particular power, how can they give it to the government? You just can't give away something you don't have.

Remember, a group of individuals has no more power or rights than any one individual within the group. So, a simple question we must ask ourselves is: "Do we as individuals have the power or the authority to tell the members of the VFW (veterans who put their lives on the line to defend our country), or anyone else, if or what they can paint on the side of their own building? Clue: This was a rhetorical question for all Real-Americans. If the residents of Cass City don't have the authority to tell the members of the VFW what they can or cannot paint on the side of "their" building, then the residents

of Cass City couldn't have possibly given that authority to the Village Council. Remember, you can't give away something you don't have. The Village Council derives their just powers from the consent of the governed and the governed don't have that power. So, from where or from whom did the Village Council get this particular power? The simple legal fact is, they didn't get it and they don't have it!

I'm not suggesting that the Village Council won't send a gun-toting government thug to enforce their dictates upon the members of the VFW. They probably will, just like Evergreen Township hired a gun-toting government thug to enforce their otherwise unenforceable ordinances. Historically, fascists always resort to violence or the threat of violence to force their will upon others.

The painting on the side of the building in question appears to be quite patriotic, which leads me to wonder if

the Village Council would've had the guts to challenge the artwork a few months ago during the most recent war when flag waving and patriotism was at its peak and when all war veterans were still considered heroes? I seriously doubt it.

Concerning Frank Sheridan's shouting at the veterans about getting a "permit." His actions were more than "unprofessional." They were absolutely Un-American. In my humble opinion, one of those veterans should've popped him in the snoutbox because violence is the only action fascists understand.

A truly free American Citizen should never need to ask permission to do anything on their own property. I believe the Frank Sheridans of this world would much prefer that we all be forced to ask permission to act. A slave always needs to ask his master's permission to act. Right Frank?

Bob Papovich, Cass City

Have councilmen lost their minds?

Good Grief, has the Village Council completely lost their minds? How in the world could anyone in their right mind object to The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America being painted on the side of a building and done in the best of taste? Mr. Sheridan certainly set a wonderful example to our youth. My husband and I looked at the mural and thought it was lovely.

Is 9-11 so far in the past that Mr. Sheridan and the council have forgotten that horrible day?

As far as the VFW is concerned, they are above reproach as citizens. The display of flags they work so hard on for the Memorial Day program is just beautiful! And who is the first ones to march in all of our parades, no matter what their age or aches and pains?

The building, which they purchased, has been made an asset to our village - a far cry from the old Nestle Plant, which we seem to be saddled with for the whole millen-

nium! They are always ready to help in community affairs. When the Friends of the Library had to store the books for their sale, the VFW would show up with pick-ups and haul all those books to the library not just once, but many times. They are always ready to help the community and are a real asset to our village.

It might be wise for Mr. Sheridan and the council to remember that they serve on the council to carry out the wishes of the MAJORITY of the citizens. And it might be very wise for Mr. Sheridan and the council to remember they are elected to their office and they can be voted out just as fast as they were voted in!

I say Hooray for the VFW, and Hooray for Ashley Hadd and Sara Guc, and Hooray for the beautiful mural. It's a pleasure to come out of Erla's parking lot and pause a few seconds to read the Pledge.

Marian Keating, Cass City

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Down Memory Lane

By Harmony Doerr



5YEARSAGO

After 54 years of mowing grass and keeping track of burial records, Virginia Auslander has retired her duties to her daughter, Janet Severance, and her husband, Arthur. Since 1944 Auslander and her late husband, Clair, kept the grounds of Evergreen Township Cemetery free of brush and overgrown grass and weeds, and recorded the names of individuals buried and what site they occupied in the cemetery. "I did it for others, not myself," Auslander recently said, adding, "No one cared about the cemetery."

Adamo Demolition, Detroit, and T.J. Lyons Excavating, Deford, began tearing down the walls at Cass City Middle School last week, starting with the east wall of the gymnasium. The school district is paying nearly \$126,000 to level the old school building.

10YEARSAGO

The Cass City Village Council last week approved a new Industrial Development District, and scheduled a public hearing on the Downtown Development Authority's plan for future improvements. The request was initiated by John L. Niebrzydowski, director of operations for Orbital Fluid

Technologies Inc., which is planning to add \$1.5 to \$2 million worth of new equipment over the next year.

Cass City residents and businesses recently received their 1993 tax bills, which were mailed out by June 24. Village Clerk-Treasurer Joyce LaRoche reported there were 1,237 bills totaling \$647,639.99. The top ten taxpayers are: Walbro Corp., General Cable, Detroit Edison, Tendecare, Orbital Walbro, Comment/Comment, Chemical Bank, Harris Corp., Northwood Heights and Hardee's.

In inflation adjusted terms, the cost of producing ethanol from corn has dropped 34 percent since 1980, thanks to the adoption of energy saving innovations. Ethanol lowers carbon monoxide emissions in cars when blended with gasoline, and ethanol use helps reduce dependence on imported oil.

25YEARSAGO

Monday, The Comptroller of the Currency in Chicago approved Thumb National Bank and Trust Company's application for "permission to establish a branch to be located at 6128 East Cass City Road, Elkland Township, Tuscola County, Michigan." According to bank officials all developments, such as opening, temporary offices and permanent construction will be announced when finalized.

The Elkland Township board has until Dec. 31 to establish an ambulance service in the township unless it decides there will no longer be such a service. The board was informed at its meeting last Thursday by letter from Roger Little of Little's Fu-

neral Home that he is ending his ambulance service as of that date. Little cited the impossibility of complying with increasing government regulations as his reason for getting out of the ambulance business.

I must qualify as the next thing to a native in Cass City. This week Erla's is celebrating its 25th anniversary in the community. I was here when they came. If my arithmetic is correct, Mr. and Mrs. John Erla and Richard took over the store in 1953 and in '53 I was already a veteran newcomer with two years in. (From Rabbit Tracks)

35YEARSAGO

John Weber, manager of Evans Products Company's Gageton plant, presented a \$500 check to Dwayne Deering, Assistant Fire Chief of the Gageton department. The money is a donation toward the cost of a new fire truck for the department.

Effective July 1, 1968, Walbro Corporation of Cass City acquires the semipneumatic line of wheels only from Allied Wheel Products, Inc., of Whitehouse, Ohio, according to a joint announcement by A.L. Anderson, president of Allied and W.E. Walpole, president of Walbro. A new corporation has been formed to manufacture and sell the semipneumatic line. It is known as Allied-Walbro Corporation, and is located at Whitehouse temporarily, in space leased from Allied.

Bud Anthes is probably one of the few people around today who has survived a house falling on him. The Anthes Brothers of Gageton have been moving the Charles Auten home to E. Milligan Rd. The brothers were attempting to move the house from Hills and Dales Subdivision when the wheels of the moving apparatus became stuck in mud. Bud, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Anthes, Jr., was attempting to insert a plank under the tires when the weight of the building shifted and the axle broke, trapping Bud beneath the 2-story house. After two days of observation, Bud was released with bruises, but no broken bones. "He's a very lucky boy," a hospital official said.

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Officers part of state crackdown

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Undersheriff. "The more we get the community involved, the safer the roads will be. No county can put a patrol on every corner." These companies have pledged to go the extra mile to prevent alcohol related driving accidents during their normal

routine on the road, he said. The national effort to curb drunk driving started June 27.

Hopefully the truckers and officers working together will be a warning to potential drunk drivers that there are more eyes and ears on the road, Jashinske said. "Around the Fourth of July we usually see more people out celebrating if the weather is nice," he said. The events that are offered in the

area also play a part in how many people are out drinking. "When the weather is nice on the Fourth we typically confront more drunk drivers," he said. Last year during the 2-week mobilization 7 people were arrested for drunk driving, said Tom Kern, Tuscola County Sheriff.

In past years we had a \$5,000 budget specifically used to prevent and catch

drunk drivers. The money was especially used during holidays and to participate in special efforts, he said. "This was really important to us." The State Police post in Caro also had fewer patrols out this year for similar reasons.

The Fourth of July is fairly safe in Tuscola County, said Doug Lautner, State Police Commander of the Caro Post. Fortunately Tuscola County is not a vacation des-

ination and there are not a lot of events taking place this year around the Fourth that encourage drinking.

Some people think that the troopers and officers are money grabbers by strictly enforcing the speed, seat belt, and other driving laws, but nothing is farther from the troopers' minds. "We have a commitment to public safety for everyone," he said.

Fires

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inspect the scene of a house fire that occurred last Wednesday night at 4090 Little Rd., near Duprey Road in Ellington Township.

Pawloski reported the small ranch home was engulfed in flames when his department arrived shortly after 8:30 p.m.

Pawloski, who called the blaze suspicious, declined to name the homeowner. He estimated the loss at \$70,000.

Fire fighters remained at the scene for about 3 hours. The Caro, Elmwood-Gagetown and Kingston fire departments all assisted at the scene, Pawloski said.

Cass City fire fighters were kept busy during the holiday weekend as storms and a period of heavy rain downed electric wires and caused electrical shorts.

The department responded to calls at 6614 Main St., Cass City, at about 6:45 p.m. Saturday, and to 6786 Main St., Cass City, at 11:20 p.m. Sunday, as well as to a home at the corner of Joshua and Cedar Run roads, also Sunday night. In each case there was no damage, Pawloski said.

Festival deemed another success

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more than last year, said Nancy Simms. "I am really happy with the turnout," she said. Candles, home decora-

Robinson knows his customers

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I have ever seen was in Las Vegas when they brought the hacienda down during a New Year celebration."

While a barbershop is an interesting place to listen to intriguing conversations, the older and wiser men of the community who talk about the past and give advice to the youth are like a permanent fixture in the construction of a barbershop. Robinson always looks forward to the group of long-time members of the community who come in some mornings and reminisce about the past.

tions, jewelry and wooden furniture were just a few of the items sold. "I was really surprised at how long the outdoor crafters stayed Saturday night," Hittler said.

The festival provided entertainment for people of all interests. The Sally Doerr dance performance was a festival highlight. They had a great turnout, along with Saturday night's band, The Country Hashbrowns, Hittler said.

The clear sky couldn't have

been any better Saturday night. The gold, green, red and purple colored fireworks were suspended in the sky as the colors slowly disintegrated. "Despite the rain, the Festival had a happy ending," Hittler said. "The weather couldn't have been

more beautiful after the rain." Riverbend, composed of softball players from Cass City and Marlette, won the men's softball tournament, Bay City Baller's finished second, and the Monarch Community Bank of Coldwater, third.

Soccer camp slated this month at park

An annual soccer camp has been set for July 28-Aug. 1 at the Cass City Village Park. This camp is for anyone that would like to learn more about soccer, learn new skills or just improve upon their skills. The camp will run daily from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

MLS Camp will be teaching player moves and techniques. All coaches are licensed and educated in all aspects of coaching, interaction and communication. The cost, which includes a soccer ball or a T-shirt, is \$87. Anyone interested in learn-

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If our ideal self and our actual self diverge, then we should strive to become our ideal self. But to be successful, we must do it gently and a little at a time. In the process of becoming your best self, be comfortable with who you are right now, remembering that you are exactly who and what God wants you to be. Finally, being yourself requires trusting both yourself and God — trusting yourself to make decisions that truly reflect your own values and interests, and trusting God that you are essentially a good human being, because you are His creation.
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Obituaries

Mildred Dennis

Mildred R. Dennis, 88, of Marlette, died Monday, June 30, 2003, at the Huron Medical Care Facility, Bad Axe. She was born Nov. 15, 1914 in Greenleaf Township to the late Luther and Elsa (Ball) Sowden.

She married Clark Dennis Nov. 2, 1953. He preceded her in death Nov. 23, 2001. She was a 1932 graduate of Owendale High School. Dennis and her husband lived on their centennial farm near Marlette until her recent illness. She was a member of the Marlette First United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a brother, James (Louise) Sowden of Clarkston; a sister, Virginia Sweeney of Uby; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by two brothers: Clark and Gordon Sowden.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 2, at the Zinger-Smigielki Funeral Home, Uby, with the Rev. Daniel Bowman, pastor of Marlette First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was in the Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Arrangements were made by Zinger-Smigielki Funeral Home, Uby.

Robert Franzel

Robert Anthony Franzel Sr. "Big Bob Franzel", 69, of Uby, died Thursday, July 3, 2003 at Covenant Harrison, Saginaw.

He was born Oct. 20, 1933 in Uby to the late John and Annie (Geiger) Franzel. He married Dorothy Lake Sept. 6, 1958 in Argyle.

Franzel was a graduate of Uby High School. He worked for Pontiac Motor Division for 38 years, before retiring in 1991.

Franzel is survived by his former wife, Dorothy Taylor of Davison; four sons: Robert (Connie) Franzel Jr. of Belleville, Kevin Franzel of Tacoma, Wash., Greg (Carrie) Franzel of Marlette and Curt (Jennifer) Franzel of Lapeer; two daughters: Terry (Dick Lawrence) House of Lapeer and Jill (Scott) Schmitt of Davison; 16 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; a brother, Cornelius Franzel of Snover; two sisters: Ruth Ann (John) Stanley of Hazel Park and Marie Younglove of Bad Axe; a special nephew, Justin Faber of Uby; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; seven brothers: Martin Lincoln, Edward, Michael, Frank, Earnest, Henry and Steven Meno "Baldy" Franzel; and two sisters: Cecelia Pearson and Stella Peters.

Funeral mass was held Monday, July 7, at St. Ignatius Catholic Church of

Freiburg, with the Rev. Brian Spencer officiating.

Burial was in the St. Ignatius Cemetery with full military honors.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

Paul Innes

Paul Donald Innes, 34, of Marlette, died Saturday, July 5, 2003 at Marlette Community Hospital, Marlette.

He was born Dec. 2, 1968 in Cass City, the son of Kitchener and Louanne (Tapsen) Innes.

Innes was a lifelong area resident. He was a 1986 graduate of Marlette High School. He was a farmer and worked in sales and repair at Coach Light Homes. He was a member of the Decker United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his fiancée, Lisa Gorczyca of Marlette; his parents; a son, Donald Innes of Marlette; two brothers: David Innes of Snover and Scott (Cathie) Innes of Marlette; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 9, at Decker United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Fred McDowell officiating.

Burial was in the Moshier Cemetery, Hemans.

Memorials may be made to the Trust Fund for his son, Donald Innes.

Arrangements were made by Marsh Funeral Chapel, Marlette.

Joseph Reno

Joseph "A" Reno Jr., 41 days, of Cass City, died Monday, June 30, 2003 in Hills and Dales General Hospital, Cass City.

He was born May 20, 2003 in Ann Arbor to Joseph Reno and Wendy Bond.

He is survived by his parents; siblings: Krystal Marie Reno, Amber Bond and Aaron Schoolcraft; grandparents: Larry and Audrey Pippo of Indian River, and Jim and Laurel Breckenridge of Cass City; great-grandparents; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his twin brother, John Abraham Reno, June 23, 2003.

Funeral services were held Thursday, July 3, at Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Bert Spann officiating.

Cremation will take place at a later date.

Memorials may be made to the Family Discretionary Fund.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City.

Rudolph Walk

Rudolph F. Walk, 94, of Caro, died Tuesday, July 1,

2003 in Marlette Hospice Residence.

He was born Aug. 2, 1908 in his home in Caro to Frank and Myrtle (Randall) Walk.

He married Dorothy Wildner Aug. 29, 1930. She died Nov. 20, 1988. He married Frances Kamen (Carr) Oct. 14, 1989 in Kingston.

Walk graduated from Kingston High School in 1927 and then attended County Normal School. He taught in many rural schools. He retired from Kingston Elementary after teaching over 40 years. Walk was a member of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel and also a member of the Kingston Wesleyan Church. He also taught Sunday School for many years.

He is survived by his wife, Frances; a granddaughter, Ronda (Bud) Benjamin of Caro; 6 great-grandchildren: Devin Benjamin of Fowlerville, Lisa (Matthew) Neal of Bay City, Victoria (Robert) Morris of Gulf Port, MS, and Candi, Jamie and Joshua Benjamin of Caro; 4 great-grandchildren: Bradley, Brady and Benjamin Neal, and Elizabeth Benjamin; step-children: Raymond (Linda) Kamen of Deckerville, Donald (Elaine) Kamen of Livonia, Sally (Steve) Demaray of Welston, Virginia (Joe) McIntosh of Austin, Ind., Esther (Joe) Westphal of Muskegon; 14 step-grandchildren; 20 step great-grandchildren; and a brother, Garth Walk of Caro.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Kathleen Ollila; four infant children; a brother, Seeley Walk; three infant brothers; and two infant sisters.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 5, at the Kingston Wesleyan Church, Kingston, with the Rev. Ken Sandefur officiating.

Interment was in the East Dayton Cemetery, Caro.

Memorials may be made to the Kingston Wesleyan Church, United Hospice of Marlette or the Teen Ranch, Marlette.

Arrangements were made by Kranz Funeral Home, Kingston.



Chip Shots

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Flight #1 (scratch)	
Mark Swanson	117
Craig Helwig	110
Jim Peyerck	107
Scott Richards	102
Ray Fox	98
Dieter Roth	95
Ken Zdrojewski	90
Don Ouvry	84
John-Maharg	83
Brad Goslin	82
Bill Krizman	81
Terry Wiseman	78
Mike Lowe	77
Fred Leeson	69
Don Warner	68
Rich Tate	67

Flight #2 (scratch)	
Brian Reinhardt	112
Jim Hobbs	99
Jim Fox	98
Daryl Iwankovitch	97
Dave Hoard	95
Gary Robinson	90
Dave Weiler	89
Mike Ware	89
Ernie Bellew	86
Jack Hool	83
Clark Erla	81
Craig Bellew	81
Russ Bieffer	81
Jim Apley	77
Corey Ulfig	75
Dan Mosher	46

Flight #3 (all scratch)	
Jon Zdrojewski	121
Don Corrigan	105
Dick Wallace	100
Dan Hittler	99
Tom Herron	94
Rich Perkins	94
Kevin Bliss	92
Ed Knight	92
Don Erla	89
Pat Curtis	88
Dave Oehring	86
Roy Tuckey	85
Jim Mastie	73
Paul Adams	67
Duane Henn	59
Scott Cuthrell	50

Flight #4 (all scratch)	
Mike Hawrylo	114
Asa Apley	100
Dan Curtis	98
Doug Lautner	94
Bruce LeValley	88
Terry Hendrick	85
Charley Tunis	85
Tom Lis	82
Orvil Beecher	80

Anton Peters	79
Jeff Krol	71
Bob Montgomery	69
Bob Stickle	69
Tavis Osentoski	67

Flight #5 (handicap)	
Clate Sawdon	124
Bob Bredemeyer	101
John Agar	99
Bill Ewald	98
Bert Althaver	97
Doug Laurie	95
Dave Keller	90
Pat Davis	89
Dennis Meck	85
Roger Apley	74
Thad Phelps	72
Aaron Mar	71
Ed Mercado	69
Tom Thorold	68

Antique appraisal scheduled

As part of the Pigeon Centennial, the Pigeon Women's Club and Historical Society will sponsor an antique appraisal July 19. It will be at the former Pigeon Elementary School from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

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Experienced and knowledgeable appraisers will conduct the event and each item will be appraised for \$3.00, which includes the admission fee of \$2.00. No art, jewelry or oriental items will be assessed.

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by David McKnight, a married man, and Lisa McKnight, his wife (original mortgagors), to Genisys Financial, Mortgage, dated March 16, 2001 and recorded on April 9, 2001 in Liber 827 on Page 1184 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by mesne assignments to Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, Assignee by an assignment dated February 12, 2002, which was recorded on February 28, 2002, in Liber 867 on Page 1299, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY-SIX THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO AND 22/100 DOLLARS (\$76,172.22), including interest at 7.500% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on August 7, 2003.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF FREMONT, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

That Part of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 Section 9, Township 11 North, Range 9 East, beginning at the Southwest corner of said section; thence North along the West line of said section 660 feet; thence East parallel to the South line of said Section 727 feet; thence South 660 feet to the South line of said Section; thence West along said South line 727 feet to the point of beginning. Except land being known as the School House Lot of School, District No. 7 also known as One Square Acre in the Southwest corner of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 9, Township 11 North, Range 9 East, Township of Fremont.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale.

Dated: July 9, 2003
FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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 Attorneys and Counselors
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 Bingham Farms, MI 48025
 File # 200210912

Team S 7-9-4

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Samuel L. Tallman and Sue Ann Tallman, husband and wife, to Alliance Funding, a Division of Superior Bank FSB, Mortgage, dated September 29, 2000 and recorded October 9, 2000 in Liber 812, Page 823, Tuscola County Records. Said mortgage is now held by Lasalle Bank, NA, fka Lasalle National Bank, as Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated 10/1/00, Series 2000-3 by assignment submitted to and recorded by the Tuscola County Register of Deeds. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Sixty-One Thousand Three Hundred Ninety and 95/100 Dollars (\$61,390.95) including interest at the rate of 12.05% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on July 18, 2003.

The premises are located in the Township of Indianfields, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 5, Block 14 Charles Montague's Subdivision (Second Plat) as recorded in Liber 1, Page(s) 88 of Plats, Tuscola County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale.

Dated: June 18, 2003
ORLANS ASSOCIATES PC
 Attorneys for Lasalle Bank, NA, fka Lasalle National Bank, as Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated 10/1/00, Series 2000-3, As Assignee

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File No. 199.0925 6-18-5

AS A DEBT COLLECTOR, WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Richard W. Smith and Laurie E. Smith, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to Homeowners Loan Corp., Mortgage, dated the 13th day of July, 2000 and recorded in the office of

the Register of Deeds, for the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, on the 7th day of August, 2000 in Liber 807 of Tuscola County Records, Page 1178, said Mortgage having been assigned to Citibank, N.A. as Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated as of November 30, 2001 Series 2001-1 on which mortgage there is claim to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of Thirty Thousand Twelve & 62/100 (\$30,012.62), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of July, 2003 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at 11.75000% per annum and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the underwriter, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Vassar, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit:

East half (1/2) of Lots 1 and 2, in Block 24 of Village (now City) of Vassar, Michigan, according to the recorded Plat thereof, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, subject to Building and use restrictions and easements of record, if any.

During the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during 30 days immediately following the sale.

Dated: 6/11/03
 Citibank, N.A.
 Mortgage

FABRIZIO & BROOK, P.C.
 Jonathan L. Engman (P56364)
 Attorney for Citibank, N.A.
 888 W. Big Beaver, Suite 1470
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Team S 6-11-5

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by James Schriber and Catherine Schriber, husband and wife (original mortgagors), to Icon Financial Group, Mortgage, dated May 29, 2001 and recorded on June 5, 2001 in Liber 834 on Page 600 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by mesne assignments to Chase Mortgage Company, an Ohio Corporation, Assignee by an assignment dated December 11, 2002, which was recorded on April 14, 2003 in Liber 925 on Page 1399, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ONE HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT AND 93/100 DOLLARS (\$128,948.93), including interest at 7.500% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on July 24, 2003.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF ALMER, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing from the Northwest corner of Section 34, Town 13 North, Range 9 East; thence East 161 feet to the point of beginning; thence South 208 feet; thence East 59 feet; thence South 32 feet; thence East 530 feet; thence North 240 feet; thence West 598 feet to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 25, 2003
FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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 File # 200321126

Team S 6-25-4

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Adam J. McCormick and Shellen M. McCormick, husband and wife (original mortgagors), to DMR Financial Services, Inc., a Michigan Corporation, Mortgage, dated October 23, 1998 and recorded on October 26, 1998 in Liber 754 on Page 140 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, Assignee by an assignment dated April 1, 1999, which was recorded on November 5, 1999 in Liber 786 on Page 1387, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of FORTY-ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE AND 76/100 DOLLARS (\$41,485.76), including interest at 7.500% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on July 17, 2003.

Said premises are situated in VILLAGE OF CARO, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 17, Block 5 of Montague and Wilmore's Addition to the Village of Caro, according to the plat recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 18, Now being Page 18A.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 18, 2003

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 File # 200321059

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Tim McConnell and Linda McConnell, Husband and Wife (original mortgagors), to Mac-Clair Mortgage Corporation, Mortgage, dated May 25, 2001 and recorded on June 1, 2001 in Liber 833 on Page 1357 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Washington Mutual Home Loans, Inc., Assignee by an assignment dated May 25, 2001, which was recorded on June 19, 2001 in Liber 835 on Page 1208, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY THOUSAND THIRTY-FOUR AND 95/100 DOLLARS (\$70,034.95), including interest at 7.000% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on August 7, 2003.

Said premises are situated in VILLAGE (NOW CITY) OF VASSAR, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 14, Block 27 of the Plat of the Village (now City) of Vassar, according to the recorded Plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1, Page 143, Tuscola County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: July 9, 2003

FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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 Bingham Farms, MI 48025
 File # 200321715

Team F 7-9-4

Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C. is a debt collector and we are attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by THOMAS A. WARREN & CINDY M. WARREN, HUSBAND & WIFE, to ALTEGRA CREDIT COMPANY, now known as NATIONAL CITY HOME LOAN SERVICES, INC., Mortgage, dated April 26, 1999 and recorded on May 4, 1999 in Liber 770 on Page 400, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ninety three thousand three hundred twenty three and 24/100 Dollars (\$93,323.24), including interest at 10.840% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola, MI at 11:00 AM, on July 31, 2003.

Said premises are situated in TWP OF ALMER, TUSCOLA County, Michigan, and are described as:

LOT 1 AND 11 OF ASHBRECK SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED IN LIBER 2 OF PLATS, PAGES 8-9.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

DATED: June 25, 2003

NATIONAL CITY HOME LOAN SERVICES, INC.
 Mortgage

ATTORNEY FOR: Mortgagee
 Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.
 401 South Old Woodward Avenue
 Suite 300
 Birmingham, MI 48009-6616
 For information, please call:
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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Bruce Aubert, AKA Bruce Alan Aubert, and Tammy Aubert, AKA Tammy Lynn Aubert, husband and wife, to Old Kent Bank (now by various resolutions duly known as Fifth Third Mortgage Company), Mortgage, dated November 20, 1998 and recorded November 20, 1998 in Liber 756, Page 471, Tuscola County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Sixty-Seven Thousand Five Hundred Twelve and 64/100 Dollars (\$67,512.64), including interest at the rate of 7.25% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statute of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, MI in Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on July 31, 2003.

The premises are located in the Township of Vassar, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

A Part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 15, Town 11 North, Range 8 East, described as follows: Commencing at a point 570 feet North of the Centerline of C&O Railroad on the North-South 1/4 line; thence West 400 feet; thence South to the North right of way line of said C&O Railroad; thence Southeast along said North right of way line of the C&O Railroad to the North-South 1/4 line; thence North along said North-South 1/4 line to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale. The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale in the event a 3rd party buys the property and there is a simultaneous resolution with the borrower.

Dated: July 2, 2003

ORLANS ASSOCIATES PC
 Attorneys for Old Kent Bank (now by various resolutions duly known as Fifth Third Mortgage Company), As Mortgagee
 P.O. Box 5041
 Troy, MI 48007-5041
 (248) 457-1000

File No. 200.0205 7-2-5

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by SHERI PELLETER, A SINGLE WOMAN, to ABN AMRO MORTGAGE GROUP, INC., Mortgage, dated May 28, 2002 and recorded on June 3, 2002 in Liber 879 on Page 1365, TUSCOLA County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ninety five thousand thirty one and 50/100 Dollars (\$95,031.50), including interest at 7.250% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola, MI, at 11:00 AM on August 7, 2003.

Said premises are situated in VILLAGE OF CARO, TUSCOLA County, Michigan, and are described as:

LOTS 2, 3 AND 4 OF VAN GUILDER'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF CARO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED IN LIBER 24 OF DEEDS, PAGE 625, EXCEPT COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER LOT 2 OF VAN GUILDER'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF CARO, THENCE EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF FRANK STREET, 41 FEET; THENCE SOUTH ACROSS LOTS 2, 3 AND 4 OF SAID ADDITION TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 4; THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 4 TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 4; THENCE NORTH ALONG THE WEST LINE OF LOTS 3 AND 2 TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING. ALSO EXCEPT THAT PORTION OF LOT 3 AND 4 OF VAN GUILDER'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF CARO, LYING IMMEDIATELY SOUTH OF LOT 1 AND EAST OF THE WESTERLY LINE OF LOT 1, EXTENDING DUE SOUTH TO INTERSECT WITH THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF LOT 4.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

DATED: July 2, 2003

ABN AMRO MORTGAGE GROUP, INC.
 Mortgage

ATTORNEY FOR: Mortgagee
 Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.
 401 South Old Woodward Avenue
 Suite 300
 Birmingham, MI 48009-6616
 For information, please call:
 (248) 540-7701

7-2-4

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Webster A. Doan, a married man, and Linda M. Doan, his wife, of Tuscola County, Michigan,

6-25-4

Mortgagor to Flagstar Bank, FSB dated the 2nd day of July, AD 2001, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, on the 16th day of July, AD 2001 in Liber 837 of Tuscola Records, on Page 1318, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of \$134,478.89 (One hundred thirty four thousand, four hundred seventy eight dollars and eighty-nine cents), including interest there on at 10.50% (ten point five-zero percent) per annum.

And no suit proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of July, AD 2003, at 10:00 o'clock said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, of the premises described in said mortgage.

Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Vassar, in the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, and described as follows to wit:

Part of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 13, Township 12 North, Range 7 East, being further described as: Commencing at the Northeast corner; thence North 89 degrees 51 minutes 10 seconds West, 660.30 feet along the North Section line to the point of beginning; thence South 00 degrees 07 minutes 50 seconds West, 354.15 feet; thence North 89 degrees 51 minutes 10 seconds West, 246.00 feet; thence North 00 degrees 07 minutes 50 seconds East, 354.15 feet to the North Section line; thence South 89 degrees 51 minutes 10 seconds East, 246.00 feet along the North Section line to the point of beginning. Subject to any and all easements and/or right-of-way, whether used, implied or of record.

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The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 11, 2003

WELTMAN, WEINBERG & REIS CO., L.P.A.
 By: Daniel E. Best (P-58501)
 Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
 Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A.
 755 W. Big Beaver Road, Suite 1820
 Troy, Michigan 48064
 WWW.R02938077

6-11-5

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has occurred in a mortgage made by David Heider, a single man, to First National Bank of America, dated November 19, 2001 and recorded on January 8, 2002 in Liber 855, Page 871, Tuscola County Records. The mortgage holder has begun no proceedings to recover any part of the debt, which is now \$84,130.36.

The mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the property, at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Thursday, August 7, 2003 at 10:00 a.m., local time, at the front steps, Tuscola County Courthouse, Caro, Michigan. The property will be sold to pay the amount then due on the mortgage, together with interest at 14.3 percent, foreclosure costs, attorney fees, and also any taxes and insurance that the mortgage holder pays before the sale.

The property is located in the Village of Mayville, Tuscola County, Michigan, and is described in the mortgage as:

Part of the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 25, Town 11 North, Range 9 East, described as: Beginning at the Northeast corner of Lot 1, Block 9 of the Plat of Village of Mayville, as recorded in Liber 15 of Deeds, Page 564 of Tuscola County Records, said point being North 224.40 feet and South 89° 56 minutes 00 seconds West, 33.00 feet from the South quarter corner of said Section 25; thence along the North line of said Lot 1 South 89° 56 minutes 00 seconds West 1,191.40 feet to the West line of said Lot 1; thence along said West line South 102.00 feet; thence North 89° 56 minutes 00 seconds East, 83.40 feet; thence South 8.40 feet; thence North 89° 56 minutes 00 seconds East, 103.00 feet to the East line of said Lot 1; thence along said East line North 110.40 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of Lot 1, Block 9 of the Plat of the Village of Mayville, as recorded in Liber 15 of Deeds, Page 564 of Tuscola County Records. Right of Way for Fulton Street over the Easterly side thereof. Also, part of the Southwest quarter of Section 25, Town 11 North, Range 9 East, Village of Mayville, Tuscola County, Michigan. Described as beginning at the Northeast corner of Lot 1, Block 9 of the Plat of the Village of Mayville; thence North along the Northerly extension of the East line of said Lot 1, 6.67 feet; thence West, parallel with the North line of said Lot 1, 132 feet; thence South parallel with the West line of said Lot 1, 5.67 feet to the Northwest corner of said Lot 1; thence East along the North line of said Lot 1, 132 feet to the point of beginning.

And also, the South four feet of the East 9 feet of the following described property: a point 11.6 Rods North of the quarter stake between Sections 25 and 36, Town 11 North, Range 9 East; thence at right angles, running West 10 Rods to a point which shall be taken at the place of beginning; thence at right angles, running North 10 Rods; thence at right angles, running South 5 Rods; thence at right angles, running East 10 Rods to place of beginning.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of sale, but if the property is abandoned under MCL 600.3241a, the redemption period will be 30 days.

Dated: July 3, 2003

Joseph B. Backus,
 Attorney for mortgage holder
 P.O. Box 794
 East Lansing, MI 48826
 (517) 337-1617

7-9-4

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Terry Randall and Connie Randall, husband and wife (original mortgagors), to Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc., Mortgage, dated October 30, 2001 and recorded on December 26, 2001 in Liber 853 on Page 403 in Tuscola County Records, Michigan, and re-recorded on April 7, 2003 in Liber 924 on Page 252, Tuscola County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY-THREE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-THREE AND 55/100 DOLLARS (\$73,443.55), including interest at 9.000% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the Courthouse in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at 10:00 AM, on July 24, 2003.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF WELLS, Tuscola County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 24, Town 12 North, Range 10 East; thence South 754 feet; thence East 300 feet; thence North 754 feet; thence West 300 feet to the point of beginning.

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- 10:00 a.m. 4-H Dog Show
- 6:00 p.m. Sharp 4-H Parade starting at Sugar Beet Plant through the Fairgrounds to the Grandstand
- 6:30 p.m. 4-H Talent Show & Crowning of 4-H King & Queen
- 7:30 p.m. Gospel Hour - The Master's Touch Quartet

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MONDAY, JULY 21, 2003

- 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show
- 9:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit Show
- 1:00 p.m. Harness Racing
- 7:00 p.m. Weather permitting RE/Max Integrity Hot Air Balloon Launch in front of the Grandstand
- 7:30 p.m. Figure 8 - No spectators allowed on infield
- 7:30 p.m. Food Auction

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 - 1:00 p.m. (Buyers Check-In, begins at Noon) 4-H & FFA Livestock Sale
 - 1:00 p.m. Harness Racing
 - 5:00 p.m. Motorcycle Time Trials
 - 7:00 p.m. Motorcycle Racing

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 - 9:00 a.m. 4-H Goat Show
 - 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show
 - 9:00 a.m. 4-H Poultry Show
 - 10:00 a.m. 4-H & Open Dairy Show
 - 1:00 p.m. Harness Racing
 - 5:00 p.m. 4-H & Open Sheep Show
 - 7:30 p.m. Demolition Derby
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- 9:00 a.m. Open Horse Show
- 1:00 p.m. RAIN DATE HARNESS RACES
- 4:00 p.m. Pedal Pull
- 7:30 p.m. Championship Rodeo

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SATURDAY, JULY 26, 2003

- 9:00 a.m. Open Horse Show
- 10:00 a.m. Light Horse Pull
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- 7:30 p.m. Championship Rodeo

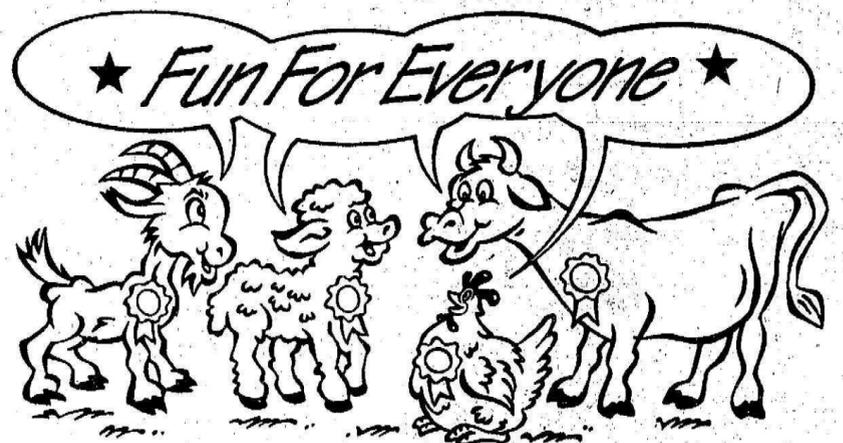
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