

## Two men lead '88 Laker Class

Two senior men lead the Laker High School Class of 1988 in their academic achievements as Valedictorian and Salutatorian, according to Principal James Ballard.

**VALEDICTORIAN JASON B. BUSHEY**, son of Yvonne and Louis Bushey of Caseville, earned a 4.15 grade point average during his three years at Laker High School. He attends St. Felix Catholic Church, Pinnebog, where he is a member of the youth group.

He was elected to the National Honor Society in his junior year.

Bushey's high school academic awards include: Algebra I and II, Geometry, English 9, 10 and 11, General Business, World History, Conservation, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, 100% on MEAP Test, Thumb "B" Academic All-Conference. He also received the University of Michigan Regents Alumni Scholar Merit Award.

Bushey plans to pursue a career in a science-related field at the University of Michigan.

He has attended Rotary Leadership Camp, was a member of the freshmen and

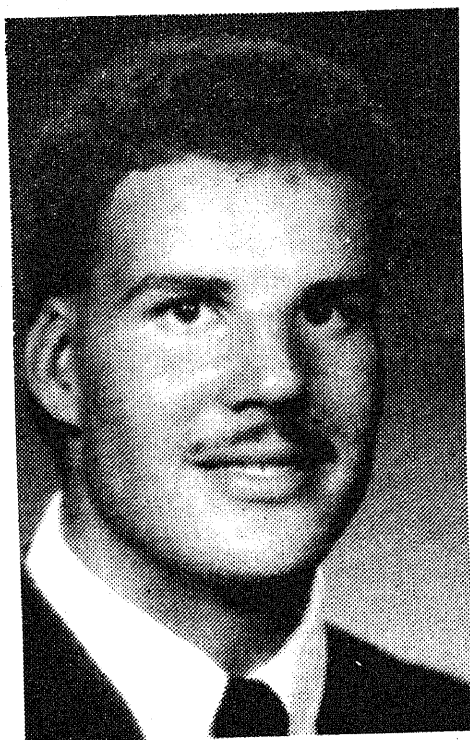
junior varsity football teams and on the varsity football team for two years, co-captain in 1987 and elected to All-Conference for two years. He was a member of the freshman, junior varsity and varsity basketball teams and also participated in track during his sophomore year.

**SALUTATORIAN PHILIP SCHADD**, son of Clarence and Eleanor Schadd of Fillion, ranked in the next position with a 4.02 grade point average.

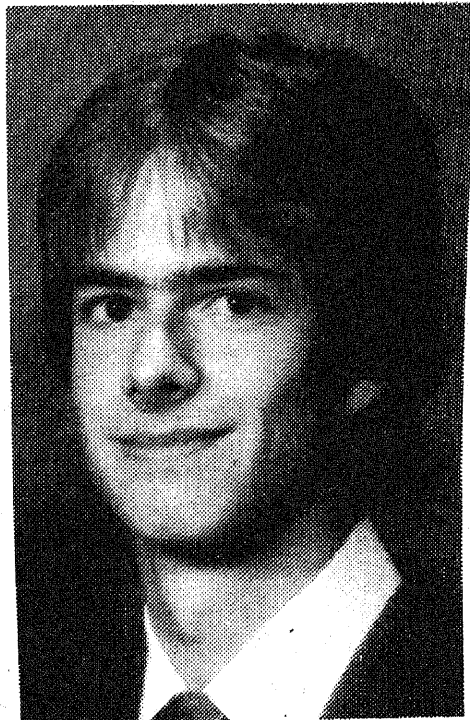
A member of Cross Lutheran Church, Schadd served as Luther League vice president.

Schadd was elected to the National Honor Society in his junior year and as a senior, he was named to the Thumb "B" Academic All-Conference team. He was a member of the Laker Band for eight years, serving as representative both in his junior and senior years. He also served as Pep Band President, was a member of the Michigan Lions All-State Band (first chair trumpet) and Bob Olsen's Big Band.

Schadd will attend Michigan Technological University, majoring in mechanical engineering.



**JASON BUSHEY, Valedictorian**

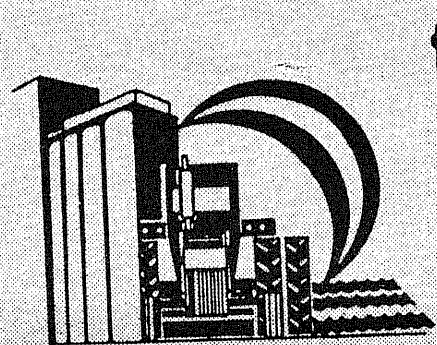


**PHILIP SCHADD, Salutatorian**

## Graduation time!

**COMMENCEMENT** ceremonies for the Caseville High School Class of 1988 are set this Saturday, June 4, at 7 p.m. in the School Gym. 20 class members will earn their diplomas.

**GRADUATION** Exercises for Laker High School's '88 Class are set this Sunday, June 5 at 2 p.m. in the School Gym. 121 members will earn their diplomas.



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### TOURISM IS BIG BUSINESS!

Total travel expenditures in Huron County were \$33.9 million in 1986, the latest year for which figures are available, says the U.S. Travel Data Center in Washington, D.C. The group has just announced a study of the economic impact of travel on all 83 Michigan Counties.

Travel employment totaled 559 direct jobs in Huron during 1986, plus thousands more indirectly, observers say.

Michigan has climbed from 10th place to eighth among the nation's most popular travel destinations in 1985. Statewide, tourism grew 6.3% statewide from 1985 to 1986, and totaled \$7.6 billion in 1986. In all, 139,238 jobs statewide were created, the study group says. Wayne County was top travel destination, with \$2.1 billion spent there. Figures include business travelers, vacationers and conventioners.

### TAX VOTES TAKING SHAPE

Several millage questions for funding specific programs in Huron and Tuscola Counties have been finalized, and will be on ballots this summer and fall.

**IN HURON COUNTY**, A 0.2-mill (two-tenths) request to fund senior citizen programs will be decided in the Primary Election on Tuesday, Aug. 2. The four-year request would raise about \$120,000 annually to help fund senior citizen meals, group meal sites, transportation, services such as home repair and financial management and others.

Mary Ann Vandemark, executive director of the Human Development Commission of Caro, requested the millage. HDC administers senior programs in Huron, Tuscola and Sanilac Counties. In past years, both Tuscola and Sanilac voters have funded similar 0.2-mill programs, and both counties will again seek renewals, too.

HDC administered \$1.2 million for senior citizens in 1987. About 30% came from local sources, with the rest coming from federal and state sources. If the vote isn't approved, the county's five meal sites - Caseville, Sebewaing, Port Austin, Bad Axe and Harbor Beach - may be closed, Vandemark says.

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## Work begins on Medical Arts building



**FROM THE GROUND UP:** Work began last week on Scheurer Hospital's new Medical Arts Building, which will unite medical practices, medical-related businesses, etc. into one health complex located at the southwest end of the hospital.

The building will house eight offices and Panknin General Contractors will head the construction.

Assisting on the \$493,000 project will be Shetler Plumbing and Heating, mechanical contractor and Zimmerman Electric, electrical

contractor.

HERE, Scheurer Hospital Administrator George Desmarais points to the two wings of the building. A basement will be located underground in the center of the building, which will be connected to Scheurer Hospital by a long corridor.

Expected completion date of the project is Jan. 10, 1989 and an Open House will be set at that time.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

**INSIDE: It's Bowfishing time at Caseville! See Page 2 for details on this unique event!**



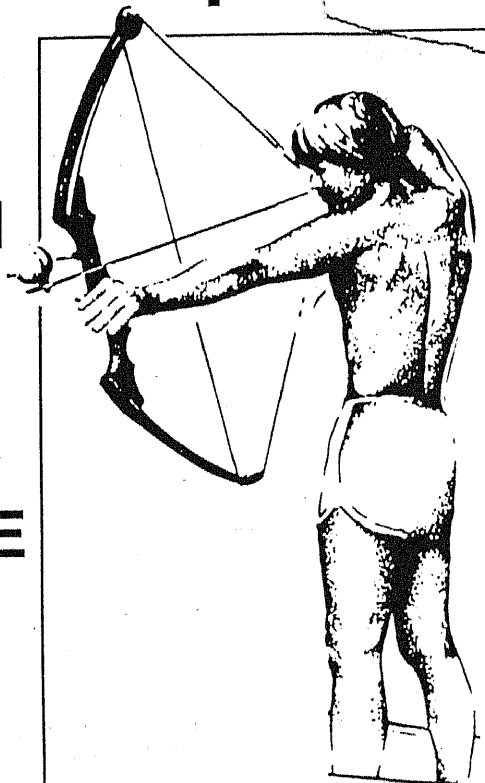
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## Wertz seeks re-election to County Board

R. Dale Wertz of Bay Port has announced he is seeking re-election for the District 2 seat he presently holds on the Huron County Board of Commissioners.

"I've learned a wealth of information in my first two years of political life," Wertz

### DNR speakers set June 2

Karl Hosford, Chief of the Game Division for the Department of Natural Resources, and Pete Squibb, pheasant specialist with the DNR, will be the featured speakers at a meeting of the District 9 Michigan United Conservation Club on June 2.

Squibb and Hosford will be discussing the future of pheasants in the Thumb Area.

The meeting begins at 8 p.m. at the Pigeon VFW Hall, and the public is welcome.

### Graduation...

Caseville High's Class of 1988 Class Motto is "One Class Can Make A Difference" and Class Song is "I've Had the Time of My Life."

Laker High's Class Motto is "Remember the rewards of tomorrow, and never forget yesterday, the memories of our past." Class Song is "Hello - Goodbye."

said Tuesday. "It's really been an eye-opener for me. I'm looking forward to serving on a smoother-operating board next year and want to work for a chance to better serve my constituents."

**BACKGROUND:** A Republican, the 45-year-old Wertz is owner of Great Lakes Auction Company, performing all types of auctions. District 2 includes all of Winsor, Oliver, Chandler, Grant and Sheridan Townships, including villages of Pigeon and Elkton.

Wertz is a member of Pigeon Community Men's Chorus, has served as announcer and master of ceremonies for many local events and assists at benefit auctions for Ducks Unlimited, Bluewater Youth For Christ, Mennonite Relief, Bay Shore Camp and many others.

His speaking duties have also been used extensively at the Pigeon Farmers' Festival, Huron Community Fair and Bay Port Fish Sandwich Days.

"Many people know me here, where I've lived all my life, and they have voiced their concerns and questions to me during my first two years as a commissioner. This will continue in the future and I welcome all such questions and comments, to make our county government work better," Wertz says.

He is married to the former Floris Knechtel and



R. DALE WERTZ

## 55 give blood in Pigeon drive

Red Cross Bloodmobile organizer Kathy Swartzendruber announces that 54 pints of blood were taken at last Monday's Bloodmobile visit to Pigeon.

A total of 59 came to donate with five deferrals. St. John's Women's Group provided the canteen for workers, the Pigeon Conservation Club provided manpower and Mary Jane Voelker and Bev Walsh took blood pressures and temperatures. The Pigeon North White Club organized the event.

The following residents donated blood: Alan Selbig, Lois Hewett, Jim Kohl, Brian Maust, Terry Swartzendruber, Dennis Fritz, Alyce Kleinfeld, Dean Henne, Deb Sturm, Dale Colison, Gregory McKnight,

Jim Chalou, Bruce Leipprand, Mike Stevenson, Ami Rathje, Lyle Shetler, Wayne Schember, Nancy Buchholz, Nancy Heck, Jeff Leipprand, Harold Weidman, Peggie Leipprand, Henry Lange, Carmen Mascorro, Doug Smith, Glenn Maust, Maude Heck, Darrel Rapson, Tony Ignash, Chuck Leipprand, Clare Dast, Elwood Smith, Herbert Lorentz, Karen Anklam, Wanda Dubs, Wayne Miller, Bob Dast, Kent Shetler, Freda Maust, Bob Ziel, Brenda Maust, David Kraft;

Leland Shetler, Jim Hartman, Ray Licht, Alan Licht, Don Roestel, Lynn Maust, Martin Schuetz, Al Niebel, Tom Armbruster, Randy Sturm, Red Kohl, Vincent Smith, Richard Henne, Bob Kuch and Clarence Gettel.



## ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS WE PRINT!

It's a Print Extra AP Style 30 Truth, justice Stop the Presses! Now is the time for Galley.

**OBSERVATIONS BY CO-PUBLISHER MARK RUMMEL AND ANYBODY ELSE HE CAN GET TO WRITE 'EM!**  
SHORTENING UP - You may imagine these words are being written prior to the delightful Memorial Day holiday, and we're rightly excited. This offers us a rare three-day weekend off, as opposed to the one-day to 1½-day ones often encountered.

This column will likely be more brief than some, but we hope you enjoyed -- and observed -- your weekend as much as we did!

**PIGEON IN THE NEWS** - The Armbruster cattle poisoning episode in Pigeon last January is the subject of this week's "Crime Stoppers" announcements, as presented on TV by John Cisky of Delta College.

There's a \$1000 reward, Crime Stoppers promise, and you don't have to give your name. You'll be given a number so you can identify yourself to police. But they won't know who you are, and neither will anyone else...

Investigators say no new leads have developed recently in the poisoning of 100 cattle -- a first-ever occurrence here.

**QUICK THOUGHTS** - ■What's your favorite summertime (or anytime) drink? Somewhat mistakenly, I squirted some lemon onto a glass full of mini-ice cubes -- and it was delicious! Tangy, too...

When you crunch on the mini-cubes, it feels like you're EATING instead of just drinking water. Maybe there's a diet possibility there...

■While we're at it, what's YOUR favorite drink? Write yours down to let us know, and maybe we'll run some of the answers soon...

■One of the prettiest -- yet saddest -- sights I've seen in recent days was Elmwood Cemetery, near Gagetown. It's a beautiful setting, on a small hill with leafy trees all about and winding roads throughout.

I saw the cemetery on a bright, windy day last week and it was beautiful. The fact that a small group of people were at a burial service brought the beauty back to reality... and sadness.

**HOW'S THAT AGAIN?** Last week's front page story about the Second Tennessee Cavalry coming to Pigeon this summer indeed HAD the word "Cavalry" spelled wrong throughout. Neal Eichler was the first to let us know (even though, in all honesty, the editor noticed it just as the first of last week's 4,100 copies rolled off the press).

The writer had written "Calvary" instead -- which proves it's harder to find a correctly-spelled word used wrongly than it is to spot an incorrectly-spelled word used properly.

Thanks for noticing, Neal (and later others)...

WISH I'D SAID THAT - "Great trials often precede great triumphs." (Jean Forster)

## Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

CONTINUED FROM FRONT PAGE

**TUSCOLA COUNTY VOTERS** will be asked to approve three separate requests for property tax increases on Aug. 2.

■First is a 2-mill tax to improve county roads, to be assessed for four years. It would generate \$1.1 million annually to fix aging roadways.

■Second is a 0.9-mill (nine-tenths) request for four years to reinstate sheriff's department road patrols. Thirteen deputies were laid off May 14 after county commissioners cut funding from Sheriff Paul Berry's road patrol budget. It would raise \$505,000 annually to fund the program.

■Third is a four-year 0.2-mill (two-tenths) request to finance senior citizen programs. The Tuscola version of this request, also by HDC, would raise nearly \$113,000 in property tax revenues.

### BRIDGE CLOSED NEAR ELKTON

Persons driving from Owendale to Bad Axe are now detouring around the west branch of the Pigeon River, one-quarter mile east of Elkton Road, as the Huron County Road Commission is replacing the Sebewaing Road bridge at that crossing.

The closure will be in effect until Sept. 1, HCRC officials say. The detour around the site is on Elkton Road from Sebewaing Road north two miles to Killmanagh Road, then east one mile to Hartsell Road and south two miles to Sebewaing Road.

### SHAW MEETS RUSSIAN FLIERS

U.S. Astronaut Brewster Shaw met last week with Soviet Cosmonaut Alexander Ivanchenkov at a University of Minnesota Space Conference, as discussions continue for a U.S.-Soviet expedition to Mars or elsewhere.

Shaw, the 42-year-old Cass City native who's logged 413 hours in space, said "we all like to talk with someone who's flown before."

### FIRST OF HURON STOCK SPLIT

Shareholders of First of Huron Corp., parent company of First National Bank of Bad Axe, approved a board recommendation of 3-shares-for-2 at their annual meeting on May 2.

Shareholders also re-elected nine directors to the corporation board.

Concerning the stock split, FOH President Philip J. Neeb says, "The stock split will result in broadening public ownership of the company shares, thereby increasing the interest of the investing public of our service area in the company's business."

**EARNINGS UP:** Thomas G. Ouellette, president of First National, said net earnings increased by 32.7% over 1986 and 131.8% over 1985, highlighting the bank's improvement in profitability.

Four bank officers' promotions were announced. Daniel J. Cregeur, Edward W. Walker and Kenneth E. Yaroch were named vice - presidents, and Don R. English was promoted to assistant vice - president.

**FORECASTS:** In his talk, Ouellette discussed the decline in the number of independent banks in Michigan, stating that there were 360 banks in the state in 1969, and that today there are 150.

He reaffirmed First National's commitment to independence and to serving financial needs of residents, businesses and industries of Huron County.

First of Huron and its subsidiary, First National Bank, currently have \$70 million in assets, with offices in Bad Axe, Sebewaing and Harbor Beach.

### COURT PROCEEDINGS

In 73rd District Court, First Division (Huron County), Judge John Schubel heard these pleas and made these determinations recently:

■Rickey L. Birchfield, 29 of Port Austin, found guilty of drunken driving and driving with license revoked; sentenced to 60 days in the Huron County Jail on each charge, to be served concurrently, and loss of driver's license for two years;

■William H. Conger, Jr., 20 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to reckless driving and failure to report an accident, following a May 21 incident in Sebewaing; \$100 in fines and costs on each charge;

■Carl E. Erickson, 35 of Owendale, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$450 fines and costs and loss of driver's license for 90 days;

■Gary Gray, 38 of Auburn Hills, pled guilty to impaired driving, following investigation by Huron County Sheriff's Deputies in on M-25 in McKinley Township; \$450 fines and costs and loss of driver's license for 90 days;

■Robert J. Rinnert, 30 of Kinde, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$450 fines and costs and loss of driver's license for 90 days;

■Jay C. Maynard, 34 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$450 fines and costs and loss of driver's license for 90 days;

■Samuel E. Meagher, 25 of Port Austin, found guilty of drunken driving; sentenced to five days in county jail, \$650 fines and costs and loss of driver's license for one year;

■Erik M. Morris, 19 of Mt. Clemens, pled guilty to impaired driving, following a recent incident in Caseville; \$450 fines and costs and loss of driver's license for 90 days;

■Gary Hiller, 22 of Bad Axe, pled guilty to disorderly person, following a May 13 incident in Elkton; \$100 fines and costs;

■Kevin W. Cross, 24 of Columbus, Texas, pled guilty to assault, following a May 7 incident in Caseville investigated by Caseville Police involving an eight-inch knife; 30 days in jail and \$100 fine;

■Leonard J. Wamach, 43 of Port Austin, found guilty of furnishing alcohol to minors, in a recent incident in Port Austin; 14 days in county jail plus \$150 fines and costs.

## Kraus seeks new prosecutor's term

Caseville resident Karl Kraus has announced his intention to seek re-election to the office of Huron County Prosecuting Attorney.



KARL KRAUS

Kraus was graduated from Michigan State University in 1967 with a Bachelor Degree in political science and police administration. He was graduated from the University of Michigan Law School in 1971.

Kraus worked for the Michigan Court of Appeals and was an assistant prosecutor for Genesee County. He opened his law practice in Bad Axe in 1974 and is now a member of the law firm of Kraus, Ferris & Schwedler, P.C.

He has served as prosecutor since January, 1981.

Kraus resides in Caseville with his wife, Mary, and their son, Brian, who is a student at Caseville High School. Their oldest son, Matthew, is a student at Aquinas College in Grand Rapids.



## As We See It...EDITORIAL

## Teacher's 'warranty' offer is special!

You've got to give credit to Bay City teacher Tom Drummond, for at least giving his students something to think about. Even from 50 miles away, his actions — and ideas — give US something to think about, too.

Why? Because Tom Drummond gives you his word you'll understand his chemistry class.

He'll even give you a formal "warranty" that you'll have the same level of success in future chemistry classes that you did in his. If not, Drummond offers "replacement" in the form of tutoring, to help you make sense of it all.

Now that's not a particularly new idea, is it? We expect warranties on many products we purchase and use. Normally, the greater the value, the better the warranty — and the more closely we watch the performance so we "get our money's worth."

But in an education? How can you judge performance there? How can you analyze such a nebulous concept?

Well, Drummond figures a warranty in his classroom serves several purposes. First, it acts to calm down frightened or frustrated students. Usually, all that students need is "a good dose of confidence" about chemistry — or any other topic.

Drummond says two or three former students take him up on the warranty offer every school term, and that's fine. He finds the time, because a student who wants to do better already has the right attitude.

"School, to some extent, is like show business," Drummond told the Bay City Times.

One of his most important functions is to keep his students interested in learning. That's why he plans his class like a performance, to keep attention levels high.

Even though the warranty idea isn't new, Drummond says the intent is sincere. He wants to let students know they're not alone when they leave his class to face new challenges. His students say his classes always include stories, examples and anecdotes to get the point across.

And Drummond must be getting a good message through the heads of those Bay City Western students.

He has been chosen as Bay City's Teacher of the Year, in the competition sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education.

And, his students often feel comfortable coming back to his room to "just chat" about what they're learning in colleges or trade schools. "My job is not to teach chemistry, but to make (students) aware of their abilities," Drummond says. He loves — obviously — working with youngsters, observing the spontaneity, wit, wisdom and mysticism of wonder they find in learning.

We all remember special teachers in our own lives, people who helped us that extra mile and were especially thoughtful. Bay City no doubt has many more Tom Drummonds — as our local schools have — who pride themselves on making students the very best they can be.

You can't ask for much more — or get much more — from an instructor than that, can you?

Pete Progress says:

"Success is getting up

just one more time

than you fall down!"



## LETTER ... From A Reader!

Thanks for quality care at HMC

DEAR EDITOR:

I would like to commend the nursing care given at the Huron Medical Care Facility in Bad Axe.

My wife has been a patient there for the past 2 1/2 years. She has been given excellent care by the physicians, R.N.s, L.P.N.s and aides. The whole staff works very hard and gives their very

best. It is all team work and everyone gives 100%.

Everyone is treated with care and respect. They are made as comfortable as possible.

My wife and I would just like to say "thank you" to the staff for the wonderful care given.

ALBERT VOLZ  
Pigeon

Thanks to Sgt. Woodward

DEAR EDITOR:

This letter was sent to Sgt. Brent Woodward of the Huron County Sheriff's Department.

Thank you for the excellent program, "Safetyville," that you presented to our kindergarten and first graders. It was a lesson in traffic safety that will be remembered by each and every child.

Very few programs are of the caliber of "Safetyville," and you are to be commended.

ed for your excellence in design of props and equipment, and your superior presentation.

We at Thorpe School are very fortunate to have experienced such an outstanding program.

You are truly a person dedicated toward providing excellence in educating children.

Our sincere thanks.  
Respectfully,  
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**RECOLLECTIONS**  
Of By-Gone Days  
BY GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR:

Several weeks ago, a bunch of us fellows were sitting around the table at the Specialty House Restaurant talking about a lot of things.

Harold Damm had just come back from a short trip to Canada and he was saying how nice the country was. He said the buildings are all painted and everything looked good. Well, I just couldn't help but think how nice it used to be around here years ago. It's still a nice place to live, but the countryside has changed in the last 50 or 60 years.

I can remember real well when farmers were from 40 to 120 acres big and the farmhouses were all shapes and sizes. In those days, people had bigger families. Eight to 10 children wasn't unusual and some were even bigger.

Every farm had an orchard and a few acres of all kinds of apples. There were russets, early harvest, yellow transparent, Ben Davis and spies and a lot of others. Everyone had a few cherry trees, too and pear trees and plum trees. Most people had a mulberry tree and a nice big barn, a corn crib and a grainery.

Also a driving shed, where they kept their buggies and other farm machinery. Most people even had a smokehouse where they'd smoke their meat. Everyone had a chicken coop. All the farm women had a nice garden and strawberry and raspberry patches.

They used to have a lot of little chicks and some had ducks or geese they'd sell in

the fall to buy the children school clothes. Everybody had from five to 10 cows and about 100 to 150 chickens, which furnished the groceries for the house.

The farmer usually had four good horses and several brood sows. His farm was all fenced off in 10-acre fields and he didn't raise one crop over on the same field, but watched his crops and plowed green manure down and cultivated real close to his crops to get the weeds out. He didn't have big fertilizer bills or spray bills, but as soon as his children were big enough, they took a hoe and chopped the weeds out.

Everyone had a few acres of woods for firewood or a little lumber if they needed it. We children walked to school. Most of us had from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 miles to walk and when a person needed help, neighbors were always ready to help.

Well, things have changed but people still help each other. But the farms are bigger and the machinery is bigger and the fence rows are gone. Barns are being torn down and people depend more on cash crops and they go away more than they used to. Families are smaller, too.

In Phil 4:11 it says, "For I have learned in whatsoever state I am there with to be content." That doesn't mean you can't better yourself, but I found out the bigger you get the more trouble you have. So let's be content with what we have and give somebody else a chance.

SINCERELY YOURS,  
GEORGE KEIM

Exclusive Thumb Area

## Outdoor report

Looking for something different this summer? Why don't you pack a picnic lunch and visit one of Michigan's 86 State Parks. Sunday, June 5, is Open House Day at every State Park in Michigan. Special events and festivities will be planned and motor vehicle entry fees will be waived for this special day. Some events will include: Arts and crafts fair, chicken barbecue, free horsedrawn wagon rides, antique car show, coffee, and ice cream and balloons. For information on festivities in our region, contact your nearest State Park or Recreation Area.

The Michigan Bass season opened last Saturday on lakes and rivers across the state and will run through December 31. Minimum-size keeper is 12-inches, while the daily creel limit is 5. All Michigan anglers, 17 years and older, need a resident annual license.

Thousands of vacationers headed for Michigan's Thumb region during the past weekend. Outdoor activities were loaded with participants, and too numerous to mention. Fishing was great, with Salmon and Walleyes attracting most attention.



## Woods & Waters

By DUANE GUENTHER

### Shoot time

Waking up had been a slow process that morning.

First the birds came alive, crows cawing, jays rasping, and somewhere over the wooded hillside a male grouse pronounced his presence and territory with a long, low, rumbling of beating wings. Then odors wafted through the exposed sides of my lean-to, the pungent smell of dew-soaked grass, the bitter trace of a burned-out fire and finally, the musty aroma of well-worn buckskins.

Pulling myself lazily from the blanket bag, I surveyed the hollow with interest. Two hundred years ago, I would have used more caution, checking the slopes for animal, or possibly, Indian activity. Then an unaware animal could have meant meat for breakfast, and a hostile tribesman could become a formidable opponent. But today was different, the only sight or sound that belied the presence of man was an occasional snore from a nearby tent. And I'm sure that earlier a similar sound emitted from mine.

The hollow was shrouded in mist. It hugged the ground and made the backdrop of pines seem as though they were floating on a milk-colored sea. There wasn't any movement at the cook shack or the range officer's house. It was too early, but later in the morning both would be a beehive of activity.

I rose, stretched, and began pulling on my buckskin trousers. They were simple in construction, made of 2 elk hides that had been dyed in a vat of black walnut husks. They were joined simply and efficiently with a length of sinew following an awl-punched path. The 2 buttons holding the flap were constructed of deer antlers and the entire apparatus was held up with a pair of linen suspenders.

The shirt I had put on fresh before going to bed the night before was tucked into the top of the trousers. It was made of muslin, large and baggy with drop-shoulder sleeves. I pulled on a pair of soft-soled Iroquois-style moccasins, and the morning's chill prompted me to slip into my hunting frock, a loose-fitting, wrap-around hunting shirt with fringed collar and sleeves. Covering my head with a dark brown, tri-corn hat, I turned my attention to the burned out fire.

Gathering some small pieces of kindling I had slipped into my blanket bag the night before, I made a small bowl from an old bird's nest and stuck a piece of char cloth in the middle. Pulling my steel and a small piece of flint from a leather bag that hung from my waist, I struck a spark and by blowing steadily, coaxed it into a bright, cheery flame. Fuel was added and a tea bucket propped against a couple of flat rocks. Within minutes the warm aroma and hot liquid were easing life and feeling

The rites of spring have been met, and all over Michigan, Blackpowder enthusiasts are taking part in a glorious event -- Shoot time.

back into my old, tired bones.

I thought about frying up a couple of corn cakes, using one of the rocks as a skillet. They would have gone good with the tasty jerky, tucked snugly in the corner of my haversack, but I knew the camp cook would have flapjacks, ham and eggs within the next hour, so I reminisced about the taste and smells of a campfire breakfast and continued to lace my body with the hot, sweet tea.

The camp was beginning to come alive. Fires were rekindled and in some instances breakfast was laid. Most of the men and many women straggled towards the cookshack. Riotous laughter filtered up the hillside as cautious wagers and empty threats concerning the day's shoot were hurled back and forth.

With breakfast over, a certain air of seriousness began to fill the air. Long rifles of walnut and curly maple sporting furniture of yellow brass and browned steel were pulled from leather and blanket gun cases. Powder horns were filled, bullet pouches replenished, shooting bags were examined, ramrods checked, all in preparation for the signal from the range office.

Targets of crows, bears, groundhogs, and turkeys were mounted on 2 by 2 sheets of cardboard and slipped into stations marked with large, black numbers overhead. Positions are fought for, and the age-old battle for number 19 is settled among much bantering and arguing, all in good fun.

The range office chants his orders. "Ready on the right - ready on the left - ready on the firing line," his falsetto voice pierces the still air.

"Make it hot," he shouts, and the morning is filled with white smoke and thunderous roars.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning and Zoning Commission of the Village of Pigeon, will conduct a Public Hearing on Thursday, June 16, 1988 at 8:00 P.M. in Council Chambers. Purpose of the Hearing is to solicit and consider public comment regarding an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance. Proposed amendment is in regard to construction of fences in the residential, commercial and industrial districts. A copy of proposed amendments are available at the Village Clerk's Office. Kenneth Licht, Chairman  
Village of Pigeon  
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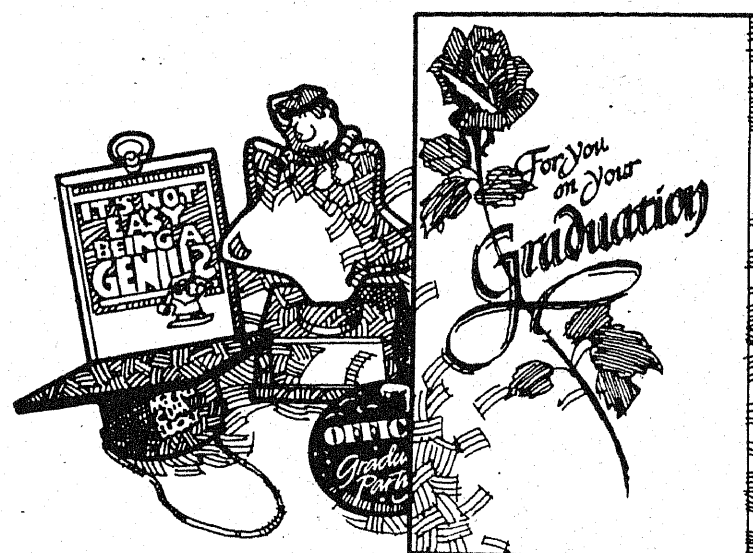
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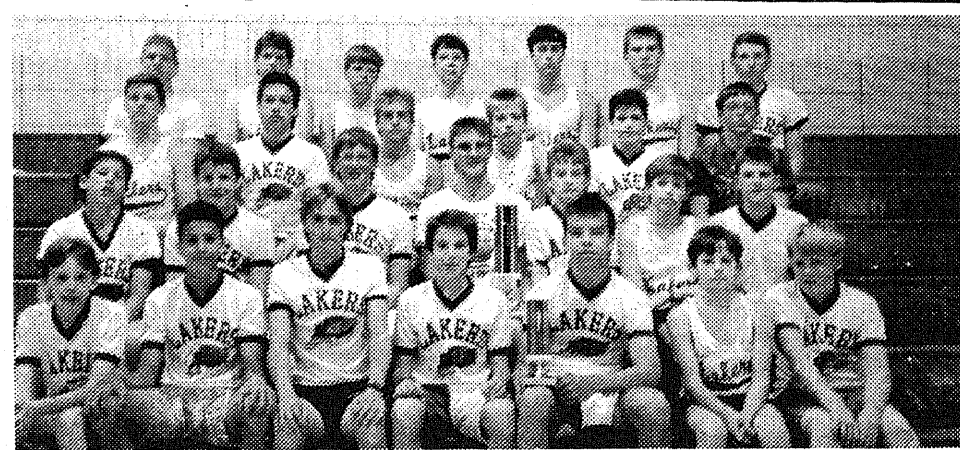
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The Responsibilities of The County Board of Commissioners  
The County Administrator



## Progress-Advance

## sports of the week

## Winning season



WITH A 7-1 OVERALL RECORD in dual meets, the Laker Junior High Boys' Track Team complete the season on the winning side. They were champions at the Harbor Beach Invitational and runners-up at the league meet.

Pictured front row from left, T.J. May, Hilton Yopp, Scott Herbert, Justin Maust, John Klosowski, Russell Trueman and Todd Faupel; second row, Josh Santos, Kendall Trueman, Jeremy Esch, Jason Hunt, Jason Gaeth, Jeff Lockard and Shawn Cariveau; third row, Mike Keefer, Scott Fisher, Mark Burk, Mike Champagne, Jamie Learman and Brian Bollenbacher; fourth row, Reggie Ignash, Corey Baker, Bob Blackstock, Pat McGee, Jim Niebel, Eric Wissner and Dan McIlhargie.



ENDING THE SEASON 4-3 IN DUAL MEETS, the Laker Junior High Girls' Track team earned a runner-up spot in the Harbor Beach Invitational and fifth place in the league meet.

Pictured front row from left, Wendy Osentoski, Tina Dubs, Amanda Barry, Kelly McLeilan, Annette Weidman, Shelly Born, Joel Schlabach and Beth Duffield; second row, Michelle Champagne, Jennifer McIntosh, D.J. Ferris, Sherry Elenbaum, Sherry Stauffer, Michelle Siemen, Christy Garrick, Jessica Nunn and Tina Heintz; back row, Brandi Willoughby, Michelle Kausch, Holly Esch, Kim Gebauer, Kelly Champagne, Trisha Kuch, Amy Woodward, Angie Burken and Tracie Filon.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTOS

## Pigeon Girl Scouts end scouting year with awards

An awards presentation topped off the end of the school year's Girl Scout meetings. A bouquet of flowers was presented to Mary Avalos as a thank-you for her years of Girl Scout volunteerism.

The Pigeon Junior Girl



BROWNIE TROOP 1005 is pictured here, as they end the school year's scouting meetings. Pictured front row from left, Mindy Collison, Kelly Collison, Alicia Apley, Hollie Rathje, Amanda Orik, Shannon Pionk, Kristen Niebel, Kamie Niebel, Melanie Rathje, Jessica Seemann; third row, Brownie Fly-ups, Jennifer Swartzendruber, Kelly Damm, Melissa Fritz, Tiffany Fritz, Marcie Swartzendruber, Candice Avalos, Jennifer McKnight, Marcie Rathje and Jennifer Born. Not pictured are Kim Schweitzer, Laura Emerson and Lisa Harder. Troop leaders are Bobbi Jo Fritz and assistant Gina Apley.

## CHS fetes athletes

Caseville High School honored its athletes during the school's annual Sports Award Banquet last Monday, May 23 in the gymnasium.

The dinner was sponsored by the Class of 1992, under the direction of class advisors Mrs. Barbara Adams and Robert Reed.

The invocation and welcome address were given by Principal and Athletic Director George Bednarek.

The following awards were given:

**CHEERLEADING:** Varsity — Amy Conrad, Kelly Finley, Penelope Murdoch, Kari Nevin, Terri Power, Rebecca Dubey and Vicky Karle; Most Improved — Penelope Murdoch; Most Spirited — Vicky Karle.

**Junior Varsity** — Kelli Gembarski, Cheri Peter, Wendy Karle, Teresa Hoffman, Jodi Power, Kimberly Bailey, Rebecca Ousley and Christina Zlotkowski.

**VOLLEYBALL:** Most Valuable — Colleen Kopack; Most Improved — Caroline Crank; All-Conference Honorable Mention — Tina Konke; Varsity — first year, Tina Konke, Caroline Crank, Kelly Finley and Charlotte Bieri; second year, Amy Conrad, Krista Colgin, Renee Simpson, Colleen Kopack and Kirsten Hermanson; statistician, Pamela Crane and Tamara Forman; Junior Varsity — Terri Cassada, Cheri Peter, Penelope Murdoch, Kari Nevin and Kimberly Bailey.

**BASKETBALL:** Most Valuable — Jeremy Steinman; Most Improved — Don Bixman; All-Conference Honorable Mention — N. Christopher Perry; Varsity — first year, James Steinman, Charles Morden III, Frank LaFontaine III and Troy Hartz; second year, Jeffrey Siegfried, Don Bixman, Jeffrey Malett, N. Christopher Perry and Jeremy Steinman; statistician — Terri Cassada and Kirsten Hermanson; Manager — Dennis DeBeauvoir; Junior Varsity — Jeffrey Bruni, Brian Kraus, Daniel Bennett, Don Smith, Dale Delmotte, Jr. and Colby Cottick.

**SENIOR ATHLETES** — Female, Amy Conrad; senior, N. Christopher Perry.

Scout Troop #170 completed a busy year, including: a program on Japan, roller-

skating, Depner's Pumpkin farm, bowling, a trip to the

Girl Scout Council Office, the Ice Capades, a fashion show and a hairstyle party.

Members of the troop are Brandee Parrish, Christy Harder, Melissa Filon, Tara Zagorski, Seema Kella, Nanette Avalos and Troop Leader Barbara Zagorski.

The scouts have earned six badges, a junior aide patch, the Sign of the World, Girls are Great patch and a Keep Michigan Beautiful patch.

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## Scenic notes

In spite of the cool weather, several hardy lady golfers played on Tuesday, May 17.

Play for the Day was low net. Winners were Dody Yahn, championship flight; Jeanette Rowe, first flight; Carrie Gaiora, second flight; and Grace Janik, third flight. The only "bird," on #15, was made by Edna Dutcher.

At the six tables of bridge, winners were Helen Kolowich, Betty Potorhans, Jennie DeBoer, Kay Miller, Barb Binder and Sara McCracken.

Winning at pinocle were Doris Strauch and Lillian McLean.

Tickets for the Pay-to-Play set for Wednesday, June 15 are still available. This is a salad luncheon, complete with cards and prizes.

## Interested in Garden Club?

A garden club for interested garden-lovers is in the planning stages for the Caseville area, under the guidance of the Caseville Council of the Arts, according to Bob Haas of Caseville.

Possible activities will include conversation, plant exchanges and "sharing your garden" with others who have a love for gardening. Organizers hope to have a club in motion by July and more information is available by calling Haas at 856-3040.

The Caseville Council of the Arts is also looking for volunteers to work on various committees and new members to join the roster. Interested persons may contact Haas at 856-3040, even if they don't have time to volunteer.

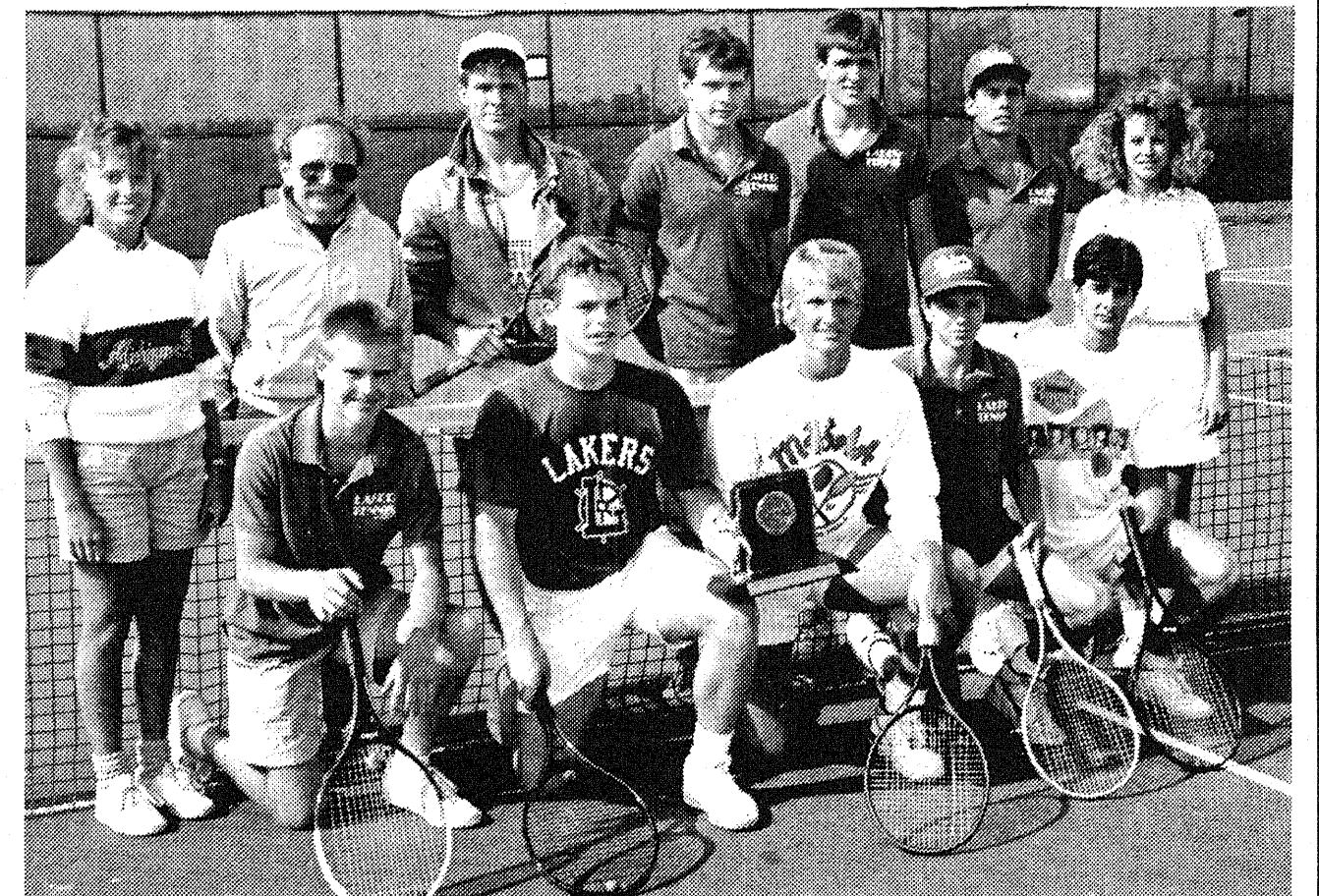
Additional individual badges were earned by Seema Kella, Nanette Avalos, Tara Zagorski and Christy Harder. Summer plans include an overnight campout in June, a Pizza Picnic in July and participating in the Farmers' Festival Parade. Anyone interested in joining the Scouts this fall can contact Mrs. Zagorski at 453-2685.



JUNIOR SCOUTS: Pictured from left to right are Tara Zagorski, Brandee Parrish, Melissa Filon and Seema Kella. Missing from photo are scouts Nanette Avalos and Christy Harder.

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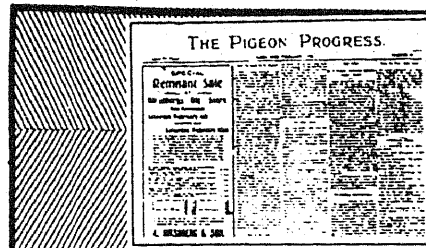
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### 90 YEARS AGO JUNE 3, 1898

Louis Staibus, Pigeon merchant, reports that he has sold 18 bicycles this season and expects to sell several more.

Pigeon Postmaster Klein-schmidt is remodeling the interior of the former Derstine Building that he bought and will move the post office there next week.

A box social and dance will be given next Wednesday evening at the home of Peter Zarembo, two miles east of Pigeon.

### 80 YEARS AGO JUNE 5, 1908

Owendale Grain and Lumber Company was sold to W.J. Orr, F.W. Merrick and N.L. Wales, who intend to build a large and modern elevator.

The wagon driven by Mark Borland, 71 of near Bay Port, was struck by a train and Mr. Borland was thrown out and seriously injured.

### 270 YEARS AGO JUNE 7, 1718

One way of being patriotic is to buy at home.

Pigeon was nearly deserted on Decoration Day. Most of those who went out of town spent the day at Caseville.

Pigeon's tax rate will be 50c on the hundred valuation this year.

### 60 YEARS AGO JUNE 8, 1928

Mrs. Lester Deming, 82,

died after a long illness. She leaves her husband, one daughter and five sons. She came here from Switzerland with her parents and they were part of the original Bay Port Colony.

Mrs. John E. Wurm, 59, a former Pigeon resident, died in Sebewaing. She leaves her husband, Dr. John Wurm. Mrs. Wurm had been a school teacher for almost 20 years.

A large party of wholesalers and bankers from Saginaw will visit Pigeon on one of their 1928 good fellowship tours, to get better acquainted with retail merchants.

### 50 YEARS AGO JUNE 10, 1938

A movement is underway in Pigeon to improve the public school grounds through PWA federal aid which could amount to 80% of the cost.

Western Thumb graduates from Michigan State College include Willo Henne and Frances Wallace of Bay Port; Virginia Ackerman of Elktion; Clarence Bach and Wallace Hornbacher of Sebewaing.

New houses are being built in Pigeon by the Misses Amelia and Ada Gnagay, Maynard Albrecht, Henry Schultz and Ezra Gascho.

### 40 YEARS AGO JUNE 4, 1948

Kennett H. McKay, Pigeon, has graduated from Culver Military Academy. New officers of the Pigeon

Conservation Club are Walter Horton, Roy Damm and LaVerne Brown.

Pigeon High School's baseball team closed the 1948 season and won the Class C championship of the Upper Thumb League by defeating Harbor Beach.

### 30 YEARS AGO JUNE 5, 1958

The new school board appointed for the recently consolidated Elktion - Pigeon School District includes Dr. C.A. Scheurer, Wager Clunis, Mrs. Edith Quinn, Kenneth Ginter and Wesley Murdoch. Consolidation of the Elktion and Pigeon Districts was approved May 27. It carried by 33 votes in the Pigeon District and by 25 votes in the Elktion District.

### 20 YEARS AGO JUNE 6, 1968

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bedford celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Elktion. They have three daughters.

Albert D. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robinson, Pigeon, graduated from Adrian College.

Julia Trost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Trost, Pigeon, graduated from Capital University, Columbus, OH.

Warren Langley, 59, died at his home in Caseville. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and five sons.

### 10 YEARS AGO JUNE 1, 1978

Pigeon Jubilee Queen Suzanne Dast snipped the ribbon in ceremonies Friday morning opening Pigeon's

Farmers' Market to the public. Others taking part in the ceremonies included Pigeon Village President Norris Diebel, Chamber of Commerce President Paul Clabuesch, Senator Alvin J. DeGrow and Naomi Wichert, co-chairman of the Jubilee which will take place July 23-29. About 250 attended the dedication and formal opening.

Lorne Gascho, 71, passed away Saturday at his home in Elktion. He was a former farmer and owner of Gascho's Variety Store in Elktion. He is survived by his wife, one son and two step-sons.

Mrs. Rosa M. Schnepf, 87 of Owendale, passed away Sunday, May 28. The widow of William Schnepf, she is survived by two sons and one daughter.

A native of Pigeon, Donald W. Haist of Fennville, has been named elementary principal at Unionville and transportation director for the Unionville - Sebewaing Area School District. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Willard Haist of Pigeon.

Douglas C. Neurath of Pigeon graduated Friday, May 19 with an Associate degree from Northern Arizona University.

FROM THE ELKTON ADVANCE FILES  
57 YEARS AGO  
MAY 28, 1931

The Huron State Park, five miles east of Caseville in Huron County, has been officially opened to the public, the only new state park to be opened this season.

Rescue News: Stanley

Mellendorf's school closed Wednesday, May 20. They had a weenie roast at the Cass River and he also treated the scholars to ice cream cones.

The Premo Sunday School class will have an ice cream social at the church on Friday evening, May 29.

Mrs. C. H. Watterworth was toastmistress at the mother and daughter banquet held Tuesday evening at Elktion M.E. Church. Readings were given by Florence and Dorothy Krohn, Pearl Hostettler.

## Achievements

Melissa Bivens, formerly of Elktion, has made the Dean's List at Concordia College, Ann Arbor.



MELISSA BIVENS

Bivens has recently been accepted to the Teacher Education Program at Concordia and plans to graduate in the fall of 1989.

To receive this honor, a student must earn a 3.5 grade point average during the semester.

She is the daughter of John and Suzanne Bivens of Elktion.

Sean Southworth, son of Dr. Rafael and Kathleen de los Santos (Osborne) of Okemos and son of Mike Southworth of East Lansing, graduated from the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo.



LT. SEAN SOUTHWORTH

Southworth received a Bachelor of Science degree in Political Science and was commissioned a Lt. in the

Genevieve Seley, Helene Dobb and Harriet Snider. Musical numbers were given by Margaret Fox, Anne Garlinger and Mrs. Mervin Hoffman. Serving in the kitchen were H.J. Fox, George Milus, T.J. Schmuck, W.B. Kellerman and Oliver Hostettler.

The second volume of the Elktionian, the yearbook prepared by the senior class of Elktion High School, will be printed this week at the Advance office. Price is \$1.00 and it will have 52 pages of pictures, historic review etc.

United States Air Force upon graduation. He will report to Columbus Air Force Base in Columbus, Miss. in early August to begin pilot training. While at the Academy, Southworth was on the Dean's List for seven of his eight semesters. Graduation ceremonies held June 1 were attended by his parents and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Osborne of Caseville.

Central Michigan University has announced these Huron County residents as prospective graduates for 1988 Spring Commencement, conducted Saturday, May 7, at the Mt. Pleasant campus. Those who earned academic recognition throughout their college experience are noted with an asterisk (\*).

**HURON COUNTY**  
■PIGEON: Patricia L. Oesch, BS/Communication Disorders;  
■CASEVILLE: Michael J. Duffy, BS/Industrial Supervision & Management;  
■BAD AXE: Bradley S. Farver MA; Steve W. Gordon BS/Electronic Engineering Technology; Matthew A. Janowiak BS in Business Administration; Neil L. McIntyre BS in BA/Finance; Terry A. Pangborn BS in BA/Finance; Eva M. Wardhammar BS/Earth Science;  
■ELKTON: Debra A. Weiss\* BAA/Broadcast & Cinematic Arts;  
PORT AUSTIN: Denise C. Schmidt MS in Administration/Health Services; Mary Ann Thompson MA.

## Skill Center hosts adult graduation

A special graduation ceremony will take place on Tuesday, June 7 at 7 p.m. for 15 adult students who have completed graduation requirements at the Huron Area Skill Center.

The ceremony will take place at the Bad Axe Intermediate Multi-Purpose Room and the students will receive diplomas by the Bad Axe Public Schools. Dr. C. Clark Herrington will be keynote speaker. The public is invited.

## United in Marriage

### Klooster - McCracken

Joylene W. McCracken, Petoskey and Nathan L. Klooster, Charlevoix, were united in marriage on Saturday, May 14 at First United Methodist Church, Bad Axe.

Rev. David Stout officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen McCracken, Bad Axe and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Klooster, Charlevoix.

Music was provided by Gerald King, Petoskey and Mary McCracken, Bad Axe. The altar was decorated with candelabra and spring flowers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a peau-satin gown with a Queen Anne neckline trimmed with silk Venice lace and pearls, Renaissance sleeves, a full cathedral train with a candy box bow at the back waist and silk Venice lace at the bottom.

Her headpiece was a bridal hat overlaid with Venice lace pearls and sequins, and an illusion veil at the back.

She carried a cascade of white sweetheart roses, pink carnations, yellow alstromeria and purple statice.

Barb King, Petoskey, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Jennie Thompson of Saginaw, sister of the bride; Brenda Molter of Saginaw, Dawn Rugenstein of Golita, Calif., both friends of the couple and Trisha Thompson of Saginaw, niece of the bride. Rebecca King of Petoskey was flower girl.

The attendants wore rose tea-length gowns, each with a draped bodice, puffed sleeves and a full skirt. They carried single white roses with white and rose ribbon and baby's breath.

Charles Klooster of Charlevoix, brother of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were John Scharenbroch, Norbert Scharenbroch and James Parrish, all of Charlevoix and friends of the couple and Kyle McCracken of Lapeer, nephew of the bride.

Ringbearer was Scott Parrish of Charlevoix, friend of the couple.

The bride's mother wore a street-length gown of blue crepe, detailed with a draped lace overlay and a pleated skirt. She wore a wrist corsage of pink alstromeria and baby's breath.

The groom's mother wore a street-length gown of peach jacquard with a pleated top trimmed with

Venice lace and a full skirt. She wore a wrist corsage of yellow alstromeria and baby's breath.

A reception was conducted at the Colony House, Cass City for 150 guests.

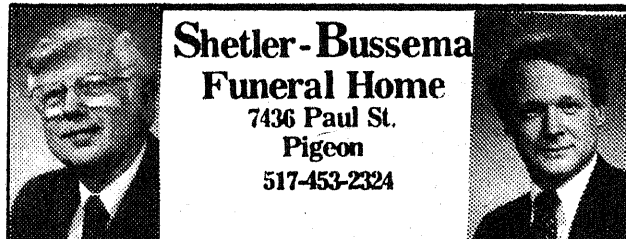
The bride is a registered nurse at Northern Michigan Hospital, Petoskey. Her husband is employed at Medusa Cement Co., Charlevoix.

After a one-week trip to Niagara Falls and the Pocono Mountains, the couple will reside in Charlevoix.



## Watch graduation on cable!

The Laker High School Commencement Exercises will be available for viewing on Pioneer Cablevision on Tuesday and Thursday, June 7 and 9 between 5 and 5:30 p.m. and then again later in the evening, according to Pioneer's Doug Germaine.



## MICHIGAN PRE-NEED FUNERAL LAWS

Over the past weeks, you have seen a number of our commentary's regarding pre-planning for a funeral.

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**TALK TO THE ANIMALS:** Over 60 preschoolers and kindergartners from throughout Huron County got "hands-on" experience with animals ranging from angora rabbits to snakes in a SPARK workshop entitled "Animal Family" on April 30.

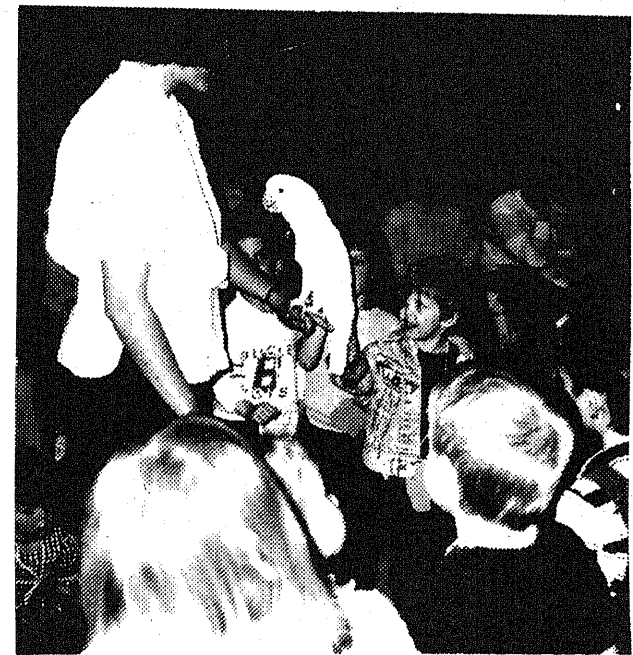
As children participated in the workshop, parents were invited to an informal seminar on "Building Your Child's Self-Esteem," led by Scott and Janet Richards.

Another SPARK program is set for this fall.

PHOTOS FURNISHED

Sponsored by the Huron Intermediate School District Gifted Department, the workshop featured a live exhibit from the Living Science Foundation, which featured birds, mammals, reptiles and amphibians for the children to touch and become acquainted with.

Movement activities were planned around an animal theme by Mrs. Cindy Englehard. Children also participated in art activities using the animal theme, taught by Ms. Diane Gross.



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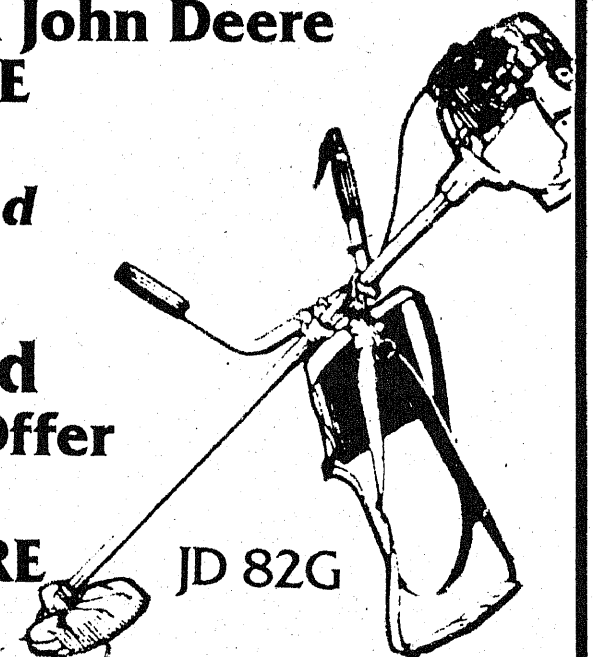
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**DEATH AND THE MEDIA**

Modern children are bombarded with death, on television especially, and in the movies, in disaster stories on the news and in the newspapers, even among the more death-oriented of the rock singing groups. It is especially evident in the ever-present threat of collective annihilation via nuclear, military, or ecological apocalypse. One cannot help but wonder about the effect of so much exposure to death on modern generations of children.

For one thing, most of this exposure is vicarious and detached. Unlike children of an earlier age who frequently experienced the untimely demise of a sibling or who witnessed a grandparent dying at home, almost no modern child has any immediate experience with death. No wonder today's child tends to have an image of death that is at times bizarre and fictitious. Add to that the current reluctance to talk about death openly and honestly and you have a child caught between overexposure and mystery.

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More Information will follow!



# Engaged

Mills - McDonald



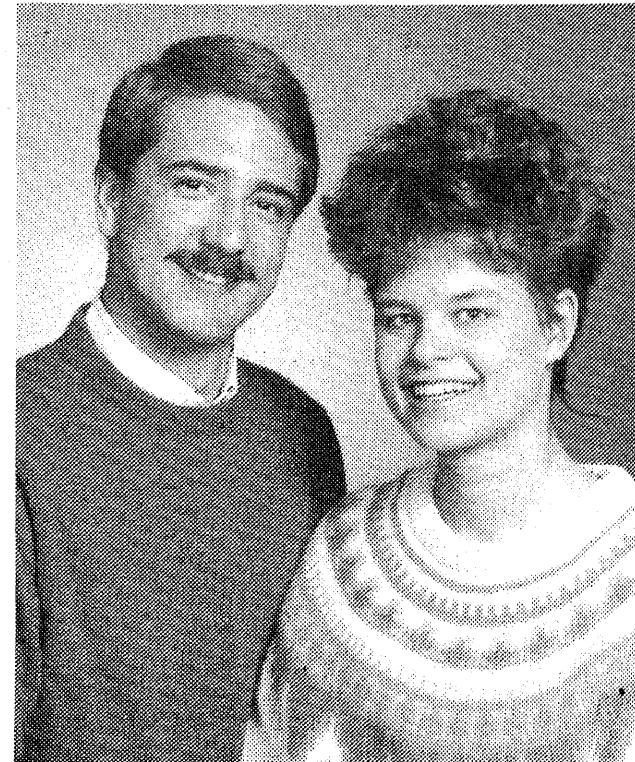
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mills of Flushing and Mr. and Mrs. Bud McDonald of Owendale are pleased to announce the engagement of their children, Carol Lee to Mark Allan.

Carol graduated from Flushing High School and Delta College with a major in Interior Design. She is employed at Hemholds Decorating Center of Grand Rapids.

Her fiancé graduated from Owendale - Gagetown Area Schools and Western Michigan University with a major in Engineering Technology. He is employed as Territorial Representative for Endusco Corp. of Kalamazoo.

Carol and Mark will exchange vows on Aug. 20 at 3 p.m. at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Breton Street, Grand Rapids with a dinner reception following at Meijer Reception Hall on Walker Street, Grand Rapids. The McDonalds will make their home at S.E. Newton St., Grand Rapids.

Swartzendruber - Morgan



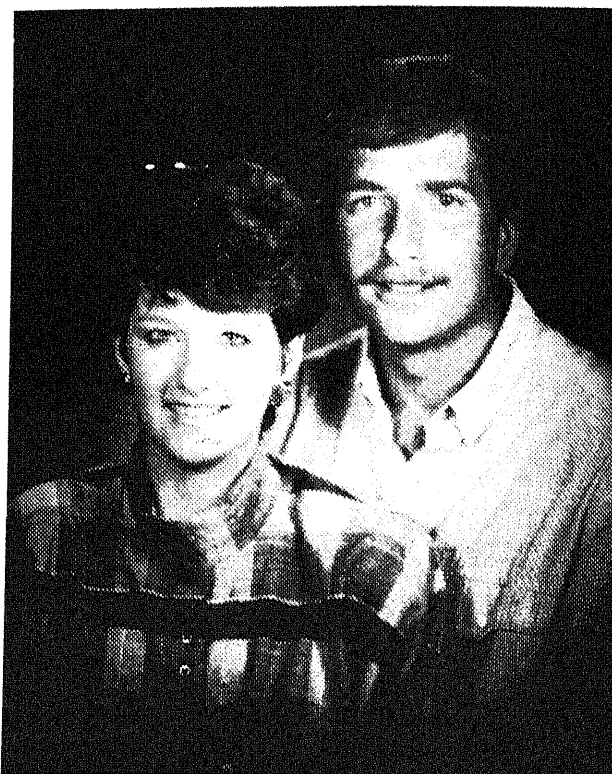
Mr. and Mrs. Leon J. Swartzendruber, Ubly, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Kay, to Kenneth Michael Morgan, son of J. Richard and Patricia Morgan of Southfield.

She is also the granddaughter of Elizabeth and Vernon Swartzendruber of Pigeon.

Sharon is a 1985 graduate of Ubly High School and is a senior at Alma College, majoring in Elementary Education. Kenneth is a 1981 graduate of Southfield High School and 1985 graduate of Alma College, with a B.A. in International Business. He is currently co-owner of Classic Plating, Inc. of Romulus.

An Oct. 8 wedding is planned.

Hyzer - Hurlburt



Mr. and Mrs. David Hyzer, Bad Axe, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dawn Marie, to Dave J. Hurlburt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hurlburt, Elkton.

The bride-elect is a 1987 graduate of Central Michigan University and is employed in Lansing with the State of Michigan.

Her fiancé is a 1988 graduate of Michigan Technological University and is employed with Soil and Materials Engineering, Lansing.

A Sept. 24 wedding is being planned.

## We're Asking YOU... Special Olympians hold games at CMU

THIS WEEK'S "WE'RE ASKING YOU" QUESTION, ASKED BY RENEE BUSHEY AND KRIS MCBRIDE:

How do you plan to spend your summer of 1988?



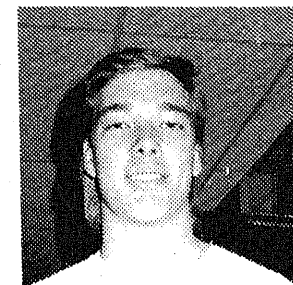
Going to graduation parties.  
Jackie Piklor  
PIGEON



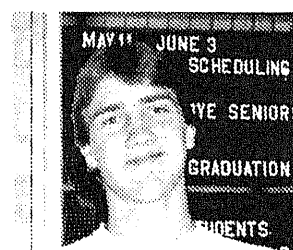
Going to the beach and working at Ace Hardware in Bad Axe.  
Gretchen Haley  
OWENDALE



I plan to move to Waterford, Pontiac, and making \$5 an hour at my new job.  
Chris Knowlton  
PORT AUSTIN



I plan on being a beach bum.  
Kel Hill  
ELKTON



Partying with friends before everybody leaves for college.  
Mike Gebauer  
ELKTON



Working, camping and traveling.  
Mike Brown  
SAGINAW

A delegation of 20 Special Olympians will represent Huron County, Area 10 at the 1988 Michigan Special Olympics State Summer Games June 2-5 at Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant.

They will join more than 3,000 Special Olympians from across the state for competition in athletics, aquatics, bowling, tennis, weightlifting, gymnastics and volleyball. The State Summer Games are part of Michigan Special Olympics' year-round program of sports training and competition for children and adults with mental retardation.

Members of the local delegation include: Ronald

Miller, John Carlson, Cindy L. Clark, Kay Trainor, Rosemary Griswold, Mary Kay Wisneski, Roger Bowers, Cindy J. Clark, Geny Hayes, Ora Fayer, Hepinstall, Krissy Leitch, John McDermott, David Peyer and Judy Pokriefka. They will be accompanied by local coaches/chaperones Louise and Tim Wells, John Garcia, Pat Duda, Regina Bullard and local Coordinator Dale Hill.

Opening Ceremonies will kick-off the games on Thursday, June 2 at 6:30 p.m. at CMU's Kelly Shorts Stadium. Persons from Area 10 will be lighting the torch during the opening

ceremonies. Two Huron County residents, Cindy J. Clark and Rosemary Griswold, will pass the flame as it travels across the stadium.

Also included in the weekend will be entertainment by "Up With People," an international troupe of young singers and dancers, closing ceremonies and a victory dance. All events are open to the public.

A banquet is planned for Friday to honor nominees for "Volunteer of the Year." Thirty-three Michigan volunteers, including Dale Hill, are among the nominees.

For more information,

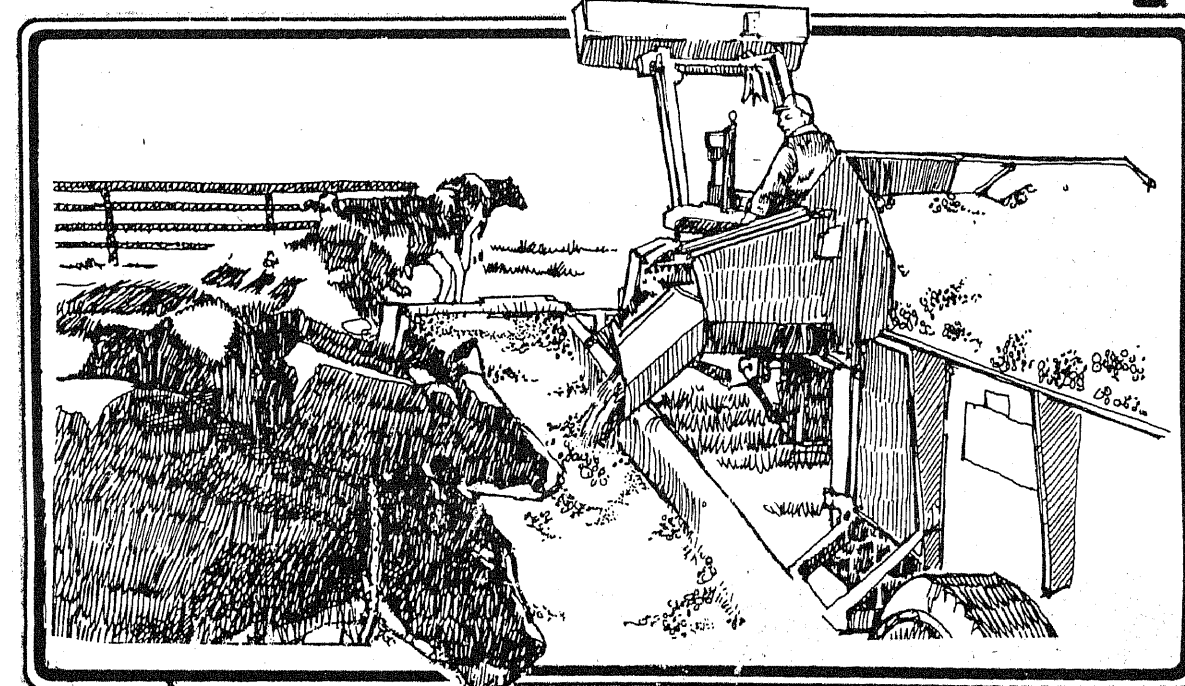
persons may contact Hill at 453-3270 or the state office at 127 Rowe Hall, Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859, phone 774-3911.

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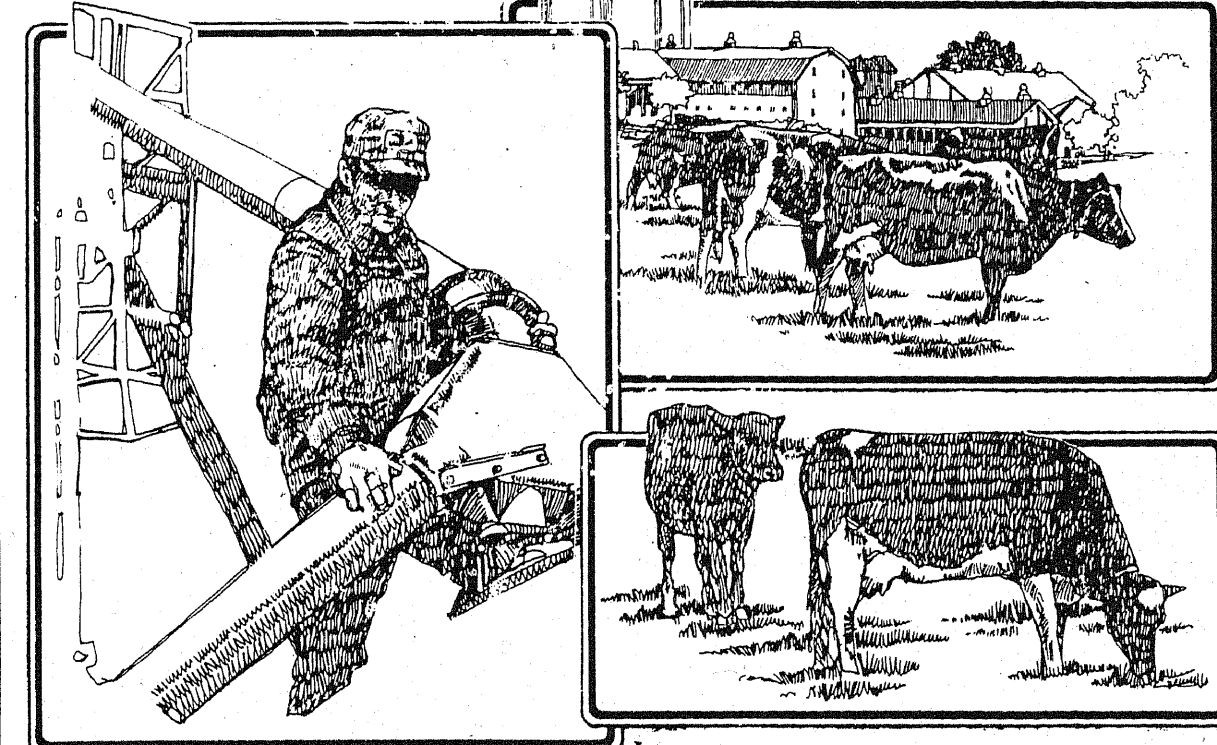
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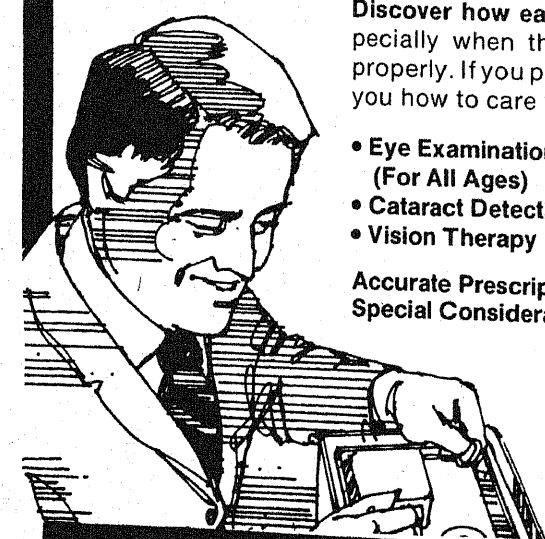
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## Lamb and Fiber Affair coming

The third annual Thumb Area Lamb and Fiber Affair is set for Saturday, July 9 at the Huron Community Fairgrounds, Bad Axe.

Wanda Eichler, knitting instructor of Pigeon, will be one of several craft demonstrators that day. She will teach beginning knitting at 3 p.m. and lace knitting at 4 p.m. Affair goers are invited to bring along yarn and needles to pick up a few tips.

Check-in begins early at 7:30 a.m. Other early events will be an Angora Goat Show at 9 a.m., a Wool Sheep Show at 10:30 a.m. and the Jackpot Show at 2 p.m. The judge for the sheep shows will be Ken Bortel of Tecumseh.

The Angora Rabbit Workshop will begin at 10 a.m., and will explain how to choose, raise and care for the Angora rabbit. Spinners interested in learning to spin Angora are asked to bring their wheels to the Spinning with Angora Demonstration at 2 p.m.

Robert Blount, herding dog breeder and trainer who has extensive experience in teaching herding dog training both privately and with Michigan State University, will do a working dog demonstration with his Australian shepherd dogs at 12:30 p.m.

Other demonstrations

will include Picking Wool and Mohair, Felting Wool and Goat and Sheep Shearing. "Hands on" spinning and weaving will give visitors a chance to try these handicrafts.

Throughout the day there will be fibers and handspun fiber creations offered at sales booths. Many of the booths will feature craftspeople working at their spinning wheels and weaving looms. Other booths will offer items of interest to persons who raise sheep and other fiber-producing animals, as well as equipment and accessories for spinners and weavers. Country crafts will also nestle among fiber crafts, organizers say.

Featured menu for the day will be a special presentation of the 1987 winning Lamb Cook-off recipe. This year's winning recipe will be chosen from the entries at the Lamb and Goat Cook-off at 5 p.m.

Raffle prizes given throughout the day will include a handspun lap throw, a woven rug, quilted pillow, roving and handpainted crafts.

The fairgrounds is located 1/2 mile south of the main intersection of M-142 and M-53 in downtown Bad Axe. For more information, call Jeanette Ziel at 874-4616.

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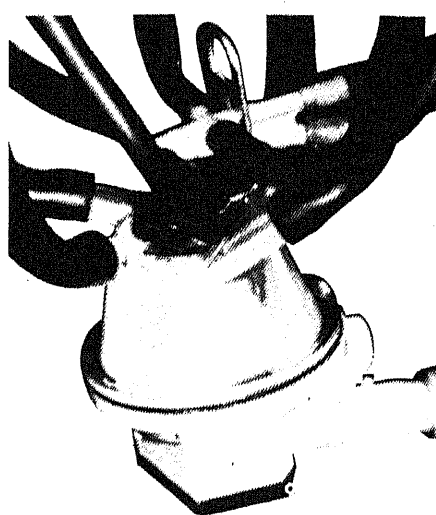
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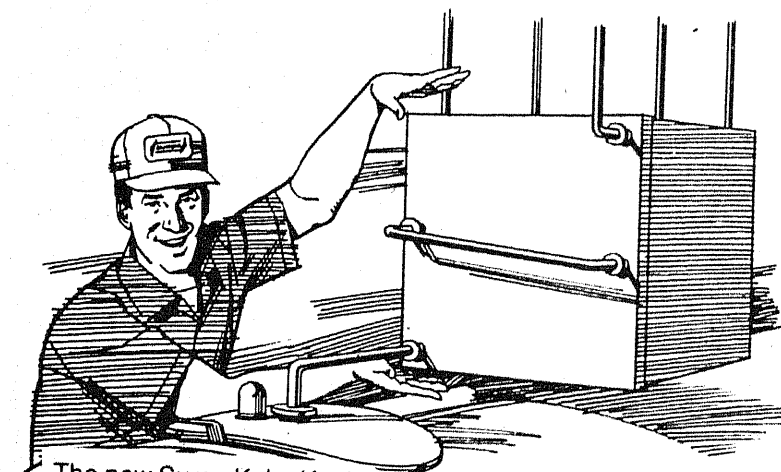


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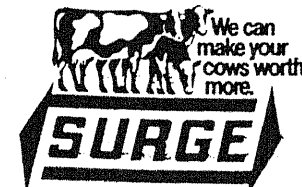
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## Pigeon Cub Scouts earn awards, end scouting year

The boys of Pigeon Cub Scout Pack #3586 held their last pack meeting of the year on May 17.

Guests of honor were graduating Tiger Cubs Jason Diebel, Nick Rowe, Jimmy Smith, Matthew Wineman and Jeremy Wissner, who were presented with graduation certificates and welcomed into the Cub Scouts.

The following other awards were earned: Danny Hill, three silver arrows; Adam Schweitzer, one silver arrow; Chris Thick, one silver arrow; Travis Elenbaum, wolf badge, one gold arrow, one silver arrow; Chad Craig, one gold and one silver arrow; Matt Buehler, one gold and one silver arrow; Nathan Gruhn, one gold and two silver arrows; Nick Wineman, bear badge

and one gold arrow; Bryan Kingsbury, wolf badge, one gold and one silver arrow; Brian Collison, wolf badge, one gold and one silver arrow; Michael Pirret, wolf badge, one gold and one silver arrow; Bobby Orr, readyman and handyman activity pins.

Webelos Scouts Eli Binder and Bobby Orr were congratulated on their first place award earned in competition with other Webelos Dens at the spring Webelosoree in Caro on May 7 and 8.

Fourteen boys also received Environment Day awards for their participation in area clean-up projects.

Cubmaster Fred Orr thanked the entire group for their enthusiasm and support during the year and

welcomed incoming Cubmasters Tom Craig and Doug Buehler.

A special thanks to den mothers Chris Wineman, Sue Schweitzer, Amy

Gruhn and Sharlene Kleinfield. After the meeting, cakes

baked by the boys and their dads were sampled by the group.

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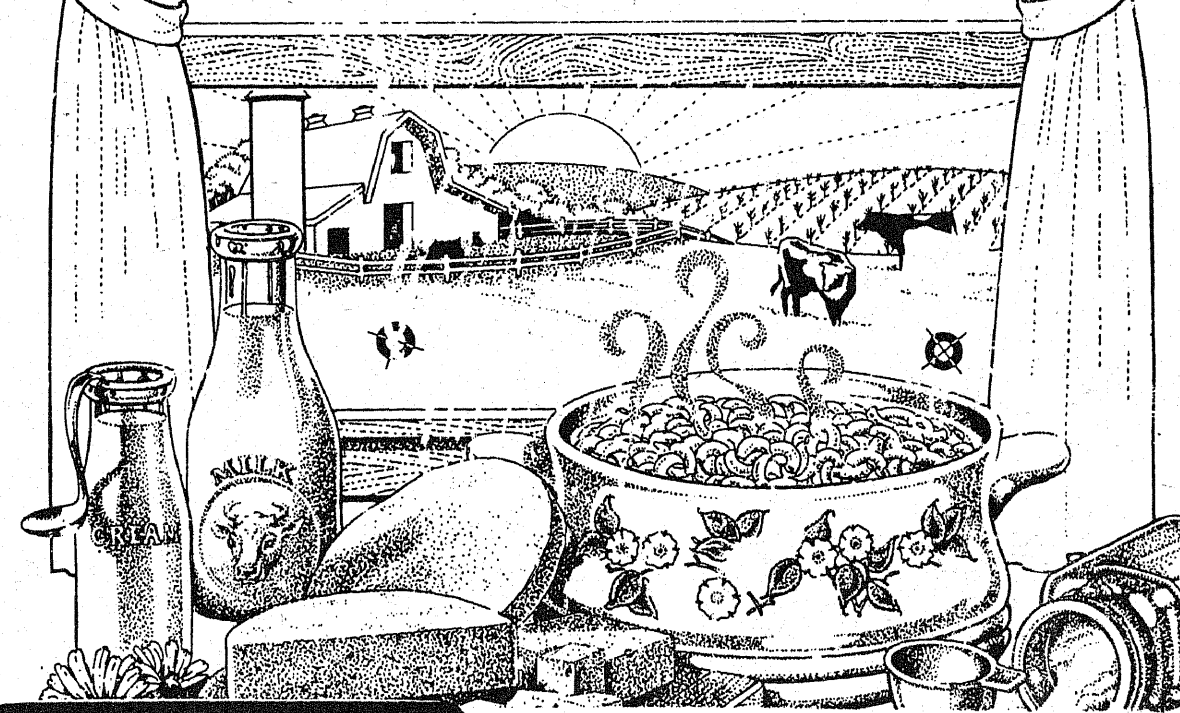
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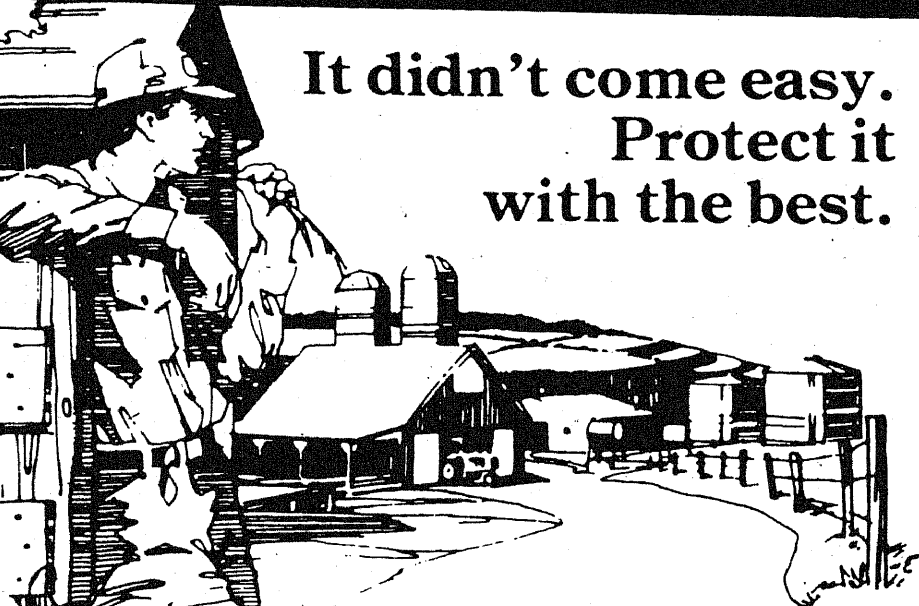
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### Skill Center fetes employers

The Huron Area Skill Center staff and students hosted area employers at an Employer Appreciation Breakfast on Tuesday, May 3.

Sixty-five employers were recognized for providing work experience and on-the-job placement for Skill Center students during this school year.

Hilary Cook, student services coordinator, welcomed employers, introduced the staff and moderated the program. Angel Leasure and Sherry Duda, health occupations students; Tina Schenk, human services student and Dan Kennedy, accounting and computing student, commented on their programs and work experience.

Carl Osentoski, Economic Development Coordinator for Huron County, addressed the group on the importance of a trained work force and positive work ethic.

Area employers interested in learning more about the program may contact Jim Hicks, placement coordinator or Hilary Cook.

### ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF

ELKTON-PIGEON-BAY PORT SCHOOLS  
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TO BE HELD

JUNE 13, 1988

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the annual election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 13, 1988.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

At the annual school election there will be elected two (2) members(s) to the board of education of the district for full term(s) of four (4) years ending in 1992.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCY(IES):

Yvonne T. Bushey  
Richard E. Lockard  
Mary Jane Voelker

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following proposition(s) will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the annual school election:

**MILLAGE PROPOSITION**  
Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools, Huron County Michigan, be increased by 16.27 mills (\$16.27 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 3 years, 1988, 1989 and 1990, to provide additional funds for operating purposes (12.5 mills of the above increase being a renewal of 12.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1987 tax levy and 3.77 mills being additional operating millage)?

THE VOTING PLACE(S) ARE AS FOLLOWS:  
PRECINCT NO. 1

Voting Place: Multi-Purpose Room at Laker High School, 6136 Pigeon Road, Pigeon, Michigan.

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I Roberta Moetteli, Treasurer of Huron County, Michigan, hereby certify that as of April 21, 1988, the records of this office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools, Huron County, Michigan, is as follows:

	MILL	YEAR
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	.25 Mill	1988-1990 Inc. fire
By Caseville Township:	NONE	
By Chandler Twp:	1.00 Mill	1988 roads
	2.00 Mills	1988-1991 Inc. roads
By Colfax Township	1.00 Mill	1988-1992 Inc. fire
By Fairhaven Twp:	1.00 Mill	1988-1989 Inc. fire
	2.50 Mills	1988-1990 Inc. law enforcement
	3.00 Mills	1988-1991 Inc. Street light district
By Grant Township:	2.00 Mills	1988 roads
By Hume Township	1.00 Mill	Unlimited fire roads
	1.00 Mill	1988 roads
By Lake Township:	NONE	
By McKinley Township:	2.50 Mills	1988-1992 Inc roads
By Meade Township:	1.00 Mill	Unlimited fire
	2.00 Mills	1988-1992 Inc roads
By Oliver Township	2.00 Mills	1988-1990 Inc. roads
By Sebewaing Twp.	.25 Mill	Unlimited sinking fund/
fire equipment		
	1.00 Mill	Unlimited roads
By Winsor Township:	2.00 Mills	1988 roads
	1.00 Mill	1988-1989 Inc. roads
By The School District:	3.50 Mill	1988-1989 Inc.
By The Huron Intermediate School District:	1.00 Mill	Unlimited
	1.49 Mill	Unlimited

Date: April 21, 1988

Roberta Moetteli  
Treasurer, Huron County  
This Notice is given by order of  
the Board of Education  
James H. Clabuesch

## THUMB AREA OBITUARIES

### SUSANNE YOUNG 1937 - 1988

Susanne May Young, age 51, of Bay Port, passed away Thursday, May 26 at Saginaw General Hospital, after a one-month illness.

She was born April 30, 1937 in Bay Port, daughter of the late George and Mabel (Sprague) Harder. She was united in marriage to St. Clair William Young, Sr. on Sept. 7, 1965 in Bay Port.

She is survived by her husband, St. Clair, Bay Port; three sisters, Mrs. Francis (Roxanna) Ruth, Bay Port, Mrs. Bernard (Iola) Kreh, Caro and Burma Gettel, Sebewaing; three brothers, Weaver Dale Harder, Fort Meyers, Fla., George Harder, Bay Port and Sampson Harder, Unionville and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, May 28 at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebewaing. The Rev. Alger Lewis, pastor at Bay Port United Methodist Church, officiated with burial in the New Bay Port Cemetery.

### ADRIAN L. EBERT 1942 - 1988

Adrian Lynn Ebert, age 45 of Pigeon, passed away unexpectedly on May 13, 1988.

He was born Aug. 8, 1942 in Huron County and had been a hospital medical technician.

His survivors include his mother, Ethyl Ione Ebert, of Pigeon. His father, Arthur F. Ebert, preceded him in death. Private funeral services were conducted, and burial took place May 15, 1988 in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Pigeon.

### RICHARD H. WALTON 1904 - 1988

Richard H. Walton, age 84, of Caseville, passed away Thursday, May 26 at Sunny Acres Nursing Home, Bad Axe.

He was born Dec. 23, 1904 in Live Oak, Va., son of the late Charles and Agnes (Stevens) Walton. He married Lavinia Meree in 1969 in Dearborn. Mr. Walton was employed as the

General Manager at the Michigan Livestock Exchange before retiring.

He is survived by his wife, Lavinia, of Caseville; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Gloria) White of Dearborn; one stepson, Robert E. Labor of Bad Axe; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Harold (Josephine) Owens of Oklahoma; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and three step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday, May 31 at St. Roch Catholic Church. Rev. Fr. Theodore LaMarre officiated with burial in Grandlawn Cemetery in Dearborn.

Funeral arrangements were handled by the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elkton. A rosary service was conducted Monday at the funeral home.

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### Other Thumb Area Deaths

William Zemke, 33 of San Francisco, formerly of Cass City, passed away May 17.

Preston Bliss, infant, of Cass City, passed away May 19.

Maude Palma, 74 of Cass City, passed away May 19.

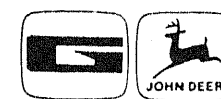
Charles Kleinknecht, 94 of Harbor Beach, passed away May 20.

Chad Weber, 17 of Port Austin, passed away May 23.

### Congratulations To The American Dairy Industry For A Job Well Done!

And, to our local folks who are members of this dedicated group, a special "thanks" for their tremendous contributions not only to our nation, but to our community and the health and economic strength derived from their efforts in behalf of us all.

To our dairy farm families who work daily to see that we have the enjoyment of good dairy products and who helped build and boost our local community congratulations for a job well done!



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### Local club ne

#### ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

The Elkton Senior Citizens met May 24 with 54 people present.

Chairman Mike Renn welcomed Bill and Agnes Moran, recently of Florida and Audrey and Frank Rinnert. A moment of silence was observed for Ina Anderson, a recently deceased member.

Harold Gregor gave the table prayer. After singing "America" and the Pledge to the Flag, the Theme Song was sung. "Happy Birthday" was sung to Alice Reynolds and Kay Walker.

The Gemmels led in group singing. A thank-you note

was read by House, group's contribution. Florence South, ed about charter Ina Anderson, who in years lived near Washington D.C. but still corresponded with many of the club women.

A note was read from Frank Ross, who appreciated being remembered with a card.

Sherman Day introduced Bea and Harold Gregor and Ray and Fern English, who entertained on the piano and mouth organ, interspersed with jokes and poems.

Next week will be an Open Meeting.

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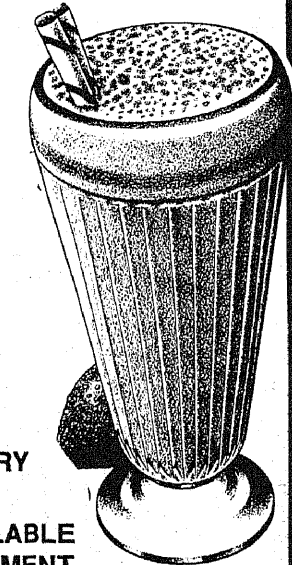
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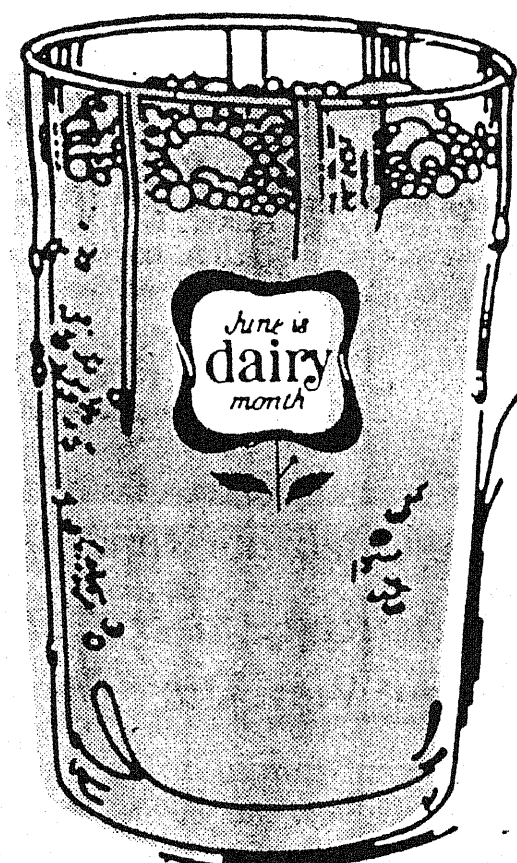
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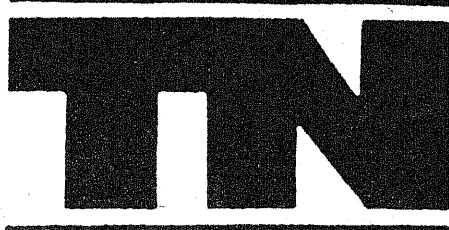
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School's out! Three carefree months lie ahead for the children, away from the regimentation of the classroom; with no studies to think about and nothing to do but play. However, this is no time to let them forget all that they have learned in the way of discipline, manners and respect for authority. They should also be reminded of their lessons in safety, which include not playing in the street; care with skateboards and bicycles, and what to do if approached by a stranger. Moreover, since the Sunday school has also adjourned for the summer, the children should be taken to your House of Worship for a weekly reminder of God's love for everyone. If all these things are kept before them, then when the school and Sunday school reconvene in the fall, the adjustment they have to make will be a lot easier for all concerned.

Come, dear children,  
let us away...  
—Matthew Arnold

"...bring them  
up in the nurture  
and admonition  
of the Lord."  
—Ephesians 6:4

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**ST. FRANCIS BORGIA CATHOLIC CHURCH, PIGEON**  
Fr. Bernard Skornia  
Saturday Evening Mass 8 p.m.  
Sunday Masses 8 and 10 a.m.  
Weekday Masses 8:15 a.m.  
Confessions Sat. 5-5:30 p.m.

**ST. ROCH CATHOLIC CHURCH, CASEVILLE**  
STARTING MEMORIAL DAY:  
Saturday Mass 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass 8 & 11 a.m.

**CASEVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. John N. Hamilton  
Sunday School 9 a.m.  
Nursery 10:15 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.  
Bible Study 6 p.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON**  
Rev. Gordon W. Nuss  
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Nursery Provided

**TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, SEBEWAING**  
Rev. Lawrence Brook  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:45 a.m.

**SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON**  
Rev. Timothy Hastings  
Church School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Service 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Mid-week Service 7 p.m.

**BAY PORT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Alger T. Lewis  
Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Church School 10:30 a.m.

**HAVES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Alger T. Lewis  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

**KILMANAGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Jeffrey Maxwell  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

**OWENDALE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Zina Bennett  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

**GAGTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Zina Bennett  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

**ELKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. James Kummer  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.

**HORSESHOE ACRES CALVARY CHURCH, BAD AXE**  
Rev. Stewart L. Justin  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD BAD AXE**  
Rev. Daniel Meddaugh  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.

**ST. FELIX CATHOLIC CHURCH, PINNEBOG**  
Fr. Theodore LaMarre  
Saturday Mass 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m.  
STARTING MEMORIAL DAY:  
Saturday Mass: 7:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass: 10:00 a.m.

**FAITH BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Lynn A. Randall  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Preaching 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Mid-Week 7 p.m.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, CASEVILLE**  
Pastor James Duprey  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT**  
Elder Ervin Haley  
Terry Brown, Associate  
9 a.m. Church School  
10 a.m. Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m. Prayer Service  
(1st and 3rd Wednesday each month)  
Child Emphasis Day  
(3rd Sunday each month)  
9 a.m. Crafts  
10 a.m. Junior Church

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE**  
5 Mile South of Elkton  
Elder Tom Craig  
Early Morning Worship 9:45 a.m.  
Church School 10 a.m.  
Preaching Service 11 a.m.

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, CASEVILLE**  
Elder, Dennis Abbe  
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Preaching Service 11:00 a.m.  
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**ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SAND POINT**  
Fr. Mark Jenkins  
Sunday School 9 a.m.

**CHANDLER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
On Filion Road  
Pastor Prv. James Brazell  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
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**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, BAD AXE**  
Pastor David Dively  
Service 10:00 a.m.  
Nursery Provided  
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.

**KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**  
Sunday 10 a.m. Public Bible Discourse 11 a.m. Congregational Study Of "The Watchtower"

**ELKTON MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
Rev. Larry Salsbury  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Worship Hour 11 a.m.  
Adult Bible Study  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.

**ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP**  
Pastor James S. Miller  
Sunday Morning Worship 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.  
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**FAIRHAVEN COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH**  
Rev. Wayne J. Keim  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

**MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE CHURCH, SEBEWAING**  
Herbert Troyer, Pastor  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

**PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH**  
Lake Yoder, Pastor  
Kenneth Dietzel, Asst. Pastor  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.  
Evening Bible Study 7 p.m.

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, KILMANAGH**  
Rev. Robert D. Pfaff  
Sunday School 9 a.m.  
Communion 2nd and 4th Sunday Every Month

**TRINITY EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELKTON**  
Wisconsin Synod  
Rev. Paul Schleis  
Sunday School 8:45 a.m.  
Church Service 10 a.m.  
Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sunday Of The Month

**NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING**  
Wisconsin Synod  
Rev. Jonathan Stern  
Holy Communion First Sunday of the Month  
Sunday Service 9 a.m.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.

**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH, CASEVILLE**  
Missouri Synod  
Vacancy Rev. Robert Pfaff  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LINKVILLE**  
Missouri Synod  
Rev. Ray R. Ohlendorf  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

**ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BACH**  
Rev. Eric A. Lambert  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Communion first and Third Sunday

**COMMUNITY WESLEYAN CHURCH, YORK STREET, ELKTON**  
Pastor DeWeerd Smith  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
Sunday evening 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

**CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON**  
American Lutheran Church  
Raymond E. Orth, Pastor  
Sunday School 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

**NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING**  
Wisconsin Synod  
Rev. Jonathan Stern  
Holy Communion First Sunday of the Month  
Sunday Service 9 a.m.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BERNE**  
Wisconsin Synod  
Rev. Philip K. Press  
Sunday School 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Communion On The 1st Sunday Of The Month

**FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH OF BAD AXE**  
Pastor Howard Turnbull  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 1:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Adult Bible Study 7:30 p.m.



## 60 SECONDS

### God's will be done

LEAD 1 TIMOTHY 2:1-7

Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Matthew 6:10

Should I have done things differently? Did I say the correct thing? Have I made the right decision? Such questions sometimes plague us.

In the most important area of life God has made His will crystal clear.

He wants all to be saved from the eternal consequences of sin by trusting in His son, who laid down His perfect life for all our failures and faults.

The Bible does not tell us what to do, say, eat or wear each day.

In His Word, God tells us to do what is loving, to give a good witness to Him.

How can we know what God wants us to do in a specific instance?

When we ask, "Lord, what do You want me to do?" we are to believe that God hears us as He promises.

We need to keep our eyes and ears open to His answers.

God may guide us through the counsel of family members and friends.

It is best to seek advice from those who love the Lord and care about our spiritual welfare.

The Lord may direct us through circumstances, closing doors or opening them to make apparent the way we are to go.

How satisfying it is to be able to say, "I sought God's direction. He guided me. I am confident I am doing His will."

GOD OF LOVE, move us to seek and do Your will; in Jesus' name. AMEN.



**NEWLY-CONFIRMED:** Jenni and Heather Schulz were among the 18 students who were confirmed at a special Confirmation Service on Sunday, May 22 at Oak Ridge United Methodist Church, Greensboro, N.C. Their parents are Stan and Arnetta Schulz, who grew up in the Pigeon area.

The pastor of the Oak Ridge Church is Rev. John Ferree. Each student was assigned a "Friend in Faith," who are adult members of the congregation. Jenni's Friend in Faith is Carole Rankin of Summerfield and Heather's Friend in Faith is Susan Mitchell of Kernersville. Twenty-five relatives and friends enjoyed an Open House in the afternoon at the Schulz home.

### Gagetown bride-to-be feted at shower

Michelle Schwartz, daughter of Frank and Ivernia Schwartz of Gagetown, was honored with a luncheon and miscellaneous Shower on May 15 at St. Agatha Parish Hall.

The bride-to-be introduced her bridal party, her fiancé Doug Richmond, Brenda Schwartz and Fred Richmond. Theresa Schwartz and Andy Manial, Deb and Henry Lange, Jr., Brenda Richmond and Cindy Trost. The girls were hostesses and presented Michelle with a corsage of white baby roses and white baby carnations accented with lavender baby's breath and a lavender lace ribbon and golden rings.

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## Lake-Chandler news notes and happenings

By MILDRED BALLAGH  
Mary Arnold and son  
Justin were baptized Sunday  
by the Rev. James Brazell at

Chandler Presbyterian  
Church.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph  
Witherspoon of S.C., Minnie

Witherspoon of Filion and  
Alice Fisher of Caseville  
were Saturday callers of  
their cousins, Mildred and  
Bill Ballagh.

Helping Bill McBride  
celebrate his birthday were  
Jean McBride and son Tom,  
Mr. and Mrs. Greg Bailey  
and daughter of Elkton, John  
McBride, Julie and daughter  
of Almont.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan  
Ballagh, Mr. and Mrs. Bill  
Blaylock and Mr. and Mrs.  
William Ballagh attended a  
graduation party for their  
grandnephew, Mike Thomp-  
son at Marlette on Sunday.

Tuesday guests of Fred  
and Mona McBride were Dr.  
Walter McBride of Florida,  
Dr. and Mrs. Ed Williams of  
Midland and Pat Lucas of  
Bad Axe.

Weekend guests of Stella  
O'Connell were her sisters,  
Cora Herman and Violet of  
Flint.

Recent dinner guests of  
Fred and Mona McBride to  
celebrate Mrs. Dale Chap-  
pel's birthday were Dale and  
Lori Chappel of San Diego,  
Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Dennis  
McBride and family and Mr.  
and Mrs. Bill Dufty of  
Caseville.

**PLANNING A TRIP!** Dora Lee Schulz and daughter Emily  
receive a travel brochure from Eftman Hardware owner Clark  
Eftman, describing a trip they recently won in conjunction with the  
75th anniversary of Our Own Hardware buying group.  
Mrs. Schulz had entered at Eftman's in Pigeon and plan to take the  
trip in the near future.

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### VILLAGE OF PIGEON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

At the Regular Meeting of the Council for the Village of Pigeon,  
Michigan to be conducted on Monday, June 13, 1988 at 7:00  
P.M. a public hearing will be held to consider an Industrial Facilities  
Exemption for Cooperative Elevator Company in regard to a  
blending tower recently constructed in the Village.

It is anticipated that a Council decision will be made at the close  
of the hearing.

—BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL—

Janet Heckman, Clerk, Village of Pigeon, Michigan

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## Thanks A Million

By PERCY ROSS



You may write to Percy Ross in care of The Progress-Advance, P.O.  
Box 35000, Minneapolis, MN 55435. Please include your telephone  
number with your letter.

DEAR PERCY:

I'm an anxious Philadel-  
phian stranded in Al-  
buquerque and desperate to  
get back home.

A friend who was living  
here invited me out because  
the opportunities were good  
for someone in the arts. As a  
struggling young actor  
trying to make it and not  
having much success in  
Philadelphia, I decided to  
give it a try.

I came out on a "shoe-  
string"—no return fare. You  
see, not only did my friend  
promise me a place to stay,  
but he also said he had sev-  
eral parts lined up for me.

Upon arriving, I discov-  
ered that my friend had  
moved and the so-called  
"parts" lined up for me were  
for pornographic films. I  
was deeply disappointed,  
angry and now—destitute.

I don't need much. There  
are several ways back, but  
the cheapest is by bus. I  
won't be able to eat any-  
thing, so I'll just fast for  
those two and one half days.  
It serves me right for being  
so stupid and trusting. I'm  
sorry to beg, but I've got to  
get home. — M.T., AL-  
buquerque, N.M.

DEAR M.:

I've had to eat crow more  
than once in my life for  
having made a poor choice.  
Nothing wrong in doing so,  
as long as you learn from  
your mistakes.

Frankly, I feel sorry for  
you... you got a raw deal. By  
overnight mail, I'm sending  
a check to cover bus fare and  
food so you can get back  
home and start anew.

—\$\$\$\$\$\$—

DEAR MR. ROSS:

I'm 23 and in prison. I  
have turned my life over to  
Jesus Christ. I try very hard  
not to do the wrong thing,  
but even in here, sometimes  
you can't do right.

When I feel I'm about to  
do the wrong thing, I come  
to my cell. What I would  
like to have is a radio. There  
is a station nearby that  
plays Christian broadcast-  
ing 24 hours a day.

I feel it would be great to  
listen to the sermons. Since  
I've changed, I'm a loner.  
It's like I've got leprosy or  
something. I read my Bible  
so much my eyes hurt.

We're not allowed to re-  
ceive radios through the

mail, but they sell them in  
the canteen. The money  
must be sent in as a money  
order.

You are my last hope, Mr.  
Ross. I can't turn to anyone  
else, except the Lord. — Mr.  
G.F. — Winston-Salem, N.C.

DEAR MR. F.:

Perhaps the Lord wanted  
you to have a radio because  
I'm sending you the money  
order.

If you can turn around the  
behavior that got you where  
you are today, you'll be one  
step ahead when you get  
out.

—\$\$\$\$\$\$—

The Ladies Division of the  
Scenic Golf and Country  
Club will have its annual  
"Pay to Play" Luncheon Card  
Party on Wednesday, June  
15 at 12:30 p.m., announced  
by Chairman Sara  
McCracken.

Everyone is welcome and  
women may play any card  
game they wish to play.  
There will be table and door  
prizes, adds McCracken.

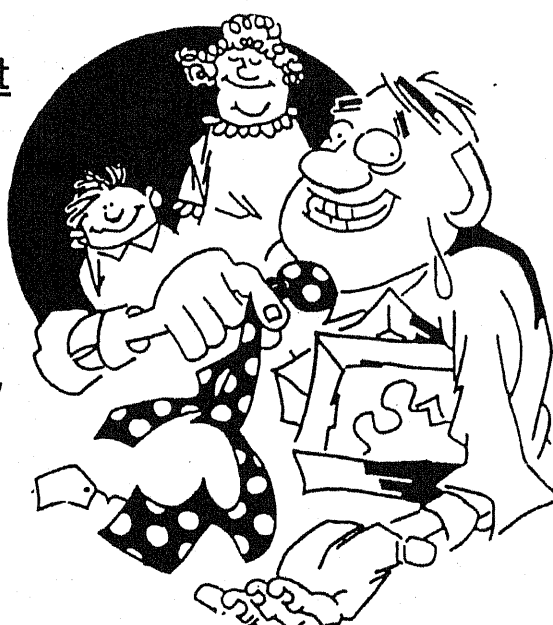
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## News That Counts From

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from  
Huron  
County  
Clerk  
Helen  
Lemanski

### MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS Week of May 23

Mark Allen Roggenbuck and  
Catherine Delores Glaza  
Leo Pionk and Veronica Soper  
Steven Michael Bischer and  
Lois Marie Booms  
Troy Stephen Dubey and  
Sheri Lynn Manenti  
Sean T. McVey and Denise I.  
Messing  
Jeffrey S. VanErp and Gigi  
Ann Holdship  
Gerald Metzger and Jeanne  
M. Smith

### ASSUMED NAMES

NO. 4606 R.E.M. ENTER-  
PRISES, 2470 S. McMillan  
Road, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By:  
Richard L. McKnight, Edna J.  
McKnight, 2470 S. McMillan  
Road, Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed  
5/18/88

NO. 4607 POTTER PIANO  
TUNING, 3459 N. Van Dyke,  
Filion, MI 48432. By: Richard S.  
Potter, 3459 N. Van Dyke, Filion,  
MI 48432. Filed: 5/20/88

NO. 4608 PIERSON PILING  
CREW, 8203 Burgess Road,  
Minden City, MI 48456. By: Ward  
Pierson, Palms, MI and Keith  
Pierson, Allen M. Pierson, Albin  
Pierson, Minden City, MI. Filed  
5/23/88

NO. 4609 FLOWERS BY THE  
DAY, 221 N. Center, Sebawaing,  
MI 48759. By: Cathy Stoekle,  
11251 Sebawaing Road, Seba-  
waing, MI 48759. Filed 5/23/88

DISSOLUTION: MALLORY'S  
FLOWERLAND, 221 N. Center,  
Sebawaing, MI 48759. By: Cathy  
Lee Stoekle, Brent Jon  
Stoekle. Filed 5/23/88

### JUDGMENTS OF DIVORCE

Patricia J. Maxwell vs Richard  
H. Maxwell  
Diane J. Cooper vs Gary G.  
Cooper  
Catherine A. Adrian vs Dennis  
Lee Adrian  
Judy A. Dhont vs David A.  
Dhont

Denise D. Glaza vs David R.  
Glaza



from  
County  
Register  
of Deeds  
Frances  
Holdwick

### WARRANTY DEEDS May 18 - 24

Dennis J. Gentner and Karen  
M. to Carl Holdwick and Lori;  
a parcel of land located in Section  
19 of Sherman Twp.

Ruth L. Burns Trust to Murray  
Smith and Clara; a parcel of land  
located in the City of Harbor  
Beach.

Henrietta M. Severs to E.J.  
Clabuesch and Ann Marie; a  
parcel of land located in Case-  
ville Twp.

Harry G. McKnee Jr. and  
Shirley Y. to Rosemary Helen  
Althoff; a parcel of land located  
in Section 14 of Lake Twp.

Anna Armstead Gettel to  
Melvin J. Peruski and Shirley;  
a parcel of land located in the  
City of Harbor Beach.

Ernest E. Zinger and Johnnie  
L. to Alan Kwiatkowski and  
Shirley; a parcel of land located  
in Section 30 of Sherman Twp.

Clarence L. Osentoski Living  
Trust to Evan A. Steinbis and  
Kenneth Steinbis; a parcel of  
land located in Section 22 of  
Huron Twp.

Robert D. MacDowell and  
Georgeann to Gary M. Thayer  
and Mary L. Koroleski; a parcel  
of land located in the Village of  
Elkton

Elwyn N. Kirsten and Annice  
H. to J. Andrew Janiszewski and  
Lori G.; a parcel of land located  
in Sand Beach Twp.

J. Andrew Janiszewski and  
Lori G. to Trayne Investment  
Corporation; a parcel of land  
located in Sand Beach Twp.

J. Andrew Janiszewski and  
Lori G. to Terence K. Kinchular  
and Vincent M. Kinchular and  
Betty; a parcel of land located  
in Sand Beach Twp.

Estate of Anna M. McDonnell  
to August DeMeulenaere; a par-  
cel of land located in the City of  
Harbor Beach.

Thomas W. Cottick and Ann J.  
to Carole J. Green; a parcel of  
land located in Section 3 of

Caseville Twp.  
Helen E. Fooney to Orville C.  
LaCourse; a parcel of land lo-  
cated in Lake Twp.

Burroughs Materials Co. to  
Frank Pernar and Carolyn V.; a  
parcel of land located in Section  
35 of Fair Haven Twp.

Amelia Meagher to GERALD  
Parent and Shelia; a parcel of  
land located in Lake Twp.

Myron L. Leighton to Myron L.  
Leighton Trustee U/D/A; a parcel  
of land located in Section 36 of  
Fair Haven Twp.

Myron L. Leighton to Myron L.  
Leighton Trustee U/D/A; a par-  
cel of land located in Fair Haven  
Twp.

Phil Janek, Jr. and Elida M.  
Terwilliger to Sandra K. Landen-  
berg; a parcel of land located in  
Section 18 of Sheridan Twp.

Kenneth R. Pierson and  
Mildred M. to Patrick A. Adams  
and Edna M.; a parcel of land  
located in the Village of Kinde.

Marie S. Hoffman and Ronald  
J. Hoffman and May E. to William  
R. Hoffman; a parcel of land lo-  
cated in Section 29 of Colfax  
Twp.

William E. Yaroch, Gerald S.  
Yaroch, Harold J. Yaroch and  
Victor M. Yaroch to Salvatore  
Cucchiara and Maria A.; a par-  
cel of land located in the Village  
of Port Austin.

Edna M. Macdowall to Robert  
David Macdowall and George  
Ann; a parcel of land located in  
the Village of Elkton.

Estate of Emma L. Morley,  
Deceased, of Elkton, File 28,957,  
Will filed, Affidavit of Non-Neces-  
sity of Probate filed.

Estate of Joseph H. Friedt,  
Deceased, of Caseville, File  
28,769, Independent Probate,  
Report of Sale of Real Estate and  
Petition for Confirmation filed, 3  
Waivers and Consents filed,  
Bond of Fiduciary filed, Order  
Confirming Sale of Real Estate  
filed.

Estate of Lloyd L. Savage,  
Deceased, of Caseville, File  
22,492, Supervised Trustee-  
ship, 4 Waivers and Consents  
filed, Order Allowing Account  
filed.

Estate of Anna Hanson, De-  
ceased, of Bad Axe, File 27,596,  
Supervised Probate, Waiver and  
Consent filed, Order Allowing  
Account filed.

Estate of Lori Ann Mosher,  
Deceased, of Sebawaing, File  
28,305, Supervised Probate,  
Special Appearance filed, Proof  
of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Alice R. Duda, De-  
ceased, of Port Austin, File  
28,956, Supervised Probate,  
Will filed, Petition for Com-  
mencement of Proceedings  
filed, Publication Notice filed,  
Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail  
filed.

Estate of Max Albert Ritter,  
Deceased, of Bad Axe, File

28,842, Supervised Probate,  
Petition for Determination of  
Michigan Inheritance Tax to  
Qualified Heir filed, Notice of  
Hearing filed, Proof of Service by  
Certified Mail filed.

Estate of Elroy S. Motz, De-  
ceased, of Elkton, File 27,839,  
Supervised Trusteeship, Waiver  
and Consent filed.

Estate of Pearl Kretzschmer,  
Deceased, of Pigeon, File  
28,615, Independent Probate, 2  
Inheritance Tax Receipts filed.

Estate of Ruby I. Ewald, De-  
ceased, of Elkton, File 28,767,  
Independent Probate, 5 Inheri-  
tance Tax Receipts filed.

Estate of Josephine E. Wells,  
Deceased, of Bad Axe, File  
28,857, Supervised Probate,  
Final Account of Personal Rep-  
resentative filed, Notice of Hear-  
ing filed, Proof of Service by  
Personal Service filed.

Estate of Irvine L. Werner,  
Deceased, of Elkton, File  
28,909, Supervised Probate,  
Inventory filed.

Estate of Irene Witherspoon,  
Deceased, of Kinde, File 28,957,  
Will filed, Affidavit of Non-Neces-  
sity of Probate filed.

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filed.

Estate of Max Albert Ritter,  
Deceased, of Bad Axe, File

Bond of Fiduciary filed, Letters of  
Authority filed, Publication No-  
tice filed, Inventory filed.  
Estate of Doris McGowan,  
Deceased, of Arizona, File  
28,959, Independent Probate,  
True Copy of Will filed, Petition  
for Commencement of Proceed-  
ings filed, Register's Order filed,  
Acceptance of Trust filed, Letters  
of Authority filed.

### Absentee ballots

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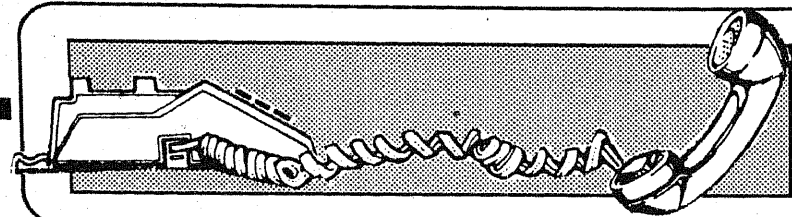
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The work is being done on that bridge south of Elkton, but couldn't they have made a detour on paved roads? These are all dirt roads. And, the people driving them speed too fast. Can't they be oiled, at least?

★//★  
To the person inquiring about whether or not the county board members could do all their work in two days a month, the more they work the more it costs us. They are overpaid and under-worked.

★//★  
To the person who is criticizing a fat lady for talking in a grocery store aisle taking up room: as you say rumor spreading, how do you know what they were saying, maybe they were praying for a friend who is sick or has pro-

blems. You're not God. Don't judge others by yourself.

Your insulting remarks about fat people aren't right. Move on to another aisle or say "excuse me" and go by. They make the aisles big enough.

You talk about going to church and learning not to lie, but do you go? Why don't you pray for people instead of criticizing them? If you're not fat now, you may be one day. We all have feelings, even fat people.

★//★  
Caseville has such a wonderful and helpful fire department. Why just this weekend they used one of their brush fire trucks to block the entrance to the grocery store so they could resurface the parking lot. Of course, could it be that one of the owners just used the

truck because he's on the fire department? If not, just call the fire department when you need your driveway blocked.

★//★  
I know there was a regional track meet last week. Where would I find out if any of the Laker boys or girls won?

★//★  
I'm calling about two lawn chairs I left at a T-ball game Monday the 23rd. If anyone has them, please call Cathy H. at 453-3162.

★//★  
Why isn't something being done about the caretaker at Grand Lawn Cemetery? Taking the cemetery's mower on his trailer and doing lawn jobs for extra cash. Can't the township board put a stop to this practice?

★//★  
Does anyone need any Betty Crocker coupons? You know, off the boxes for those products. I have some. Call SOUND-OFF and let me know.

★//★  
There's one kid in a blue car who lives on our street, who races up and down like a maniac. Since he's gotten his license, he's been a danger to ever little child on the street. We're watching you, so don't try to speed around all summer. I'm going to try seeing you get tickets until you stop it and grow up.

★//★  
My husband quit smoking 14 years ago, after our four-year-old son said, "Daddy, how old do I have to be before I can smoke?" Smoking is bad enough, if the

smoker is the only one effected by it. But he effects many other lives, too.

Smoking is a habit not only harmful to your health but also destructive to your Christian testimony. If you are a smoker and really want to quit, God will help you break the smoking habit. He has helped millions of people overcome smoking and other problems. He can help you.

★//★  
Regarding those plastic bags in grocery stores, they cost about two cents versus about four cents for paper bags. Plus, they pack tighter in storage, so they cost less to ship. Plastic bags are used now in over half the grocery stores in the U.S., up from 5 just five years ago. Signed, one who knows.

★//★  
The excellent letter last week about tourists did not point out the property taxes some of these tourists pay, which go directly to our local schools, as well as the gifts and other items they buy in our stores and pay sales tax on.

★//★  
All those taxes you talk about paying while you come to the Thumb go to the state, not here. And you know what that means, they go to the Detroit Area. They get almost everything.

★//★  
Yes, one other thing about those plastic bags at the food store: you have to use twice as many as paper bags. I prefer paper.

★//★

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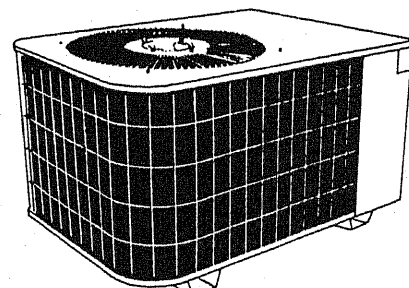
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# Frame your trees with pretty plantings . . .

By ED HUTCHISON

Prime garden space is going to waste in many Thumb area yards that if used properly, would reduce maintenance and add beauty. Too good to be true? Read on.

The area most neglected -- wasted -- is the area beneath trees 15 feet and high and taller. Grass is left to grow and there is always a struggle to trim it from around the trunk. Over time, the grass thins and then dies because the tree is casting so much shade. Moss or weeds creep in and it is not a pretty sight.

Often, the unkept area is in full view since we have a tendency to plant trees in prominent spots to enjoy them from inside and outside the home.

If this sounds familiar, take heart, for it is easy and inexpensive to bring these grassy or barren areas back to colorful life and now is a great time to make the face lift.

**THINK ABOUT IT:** It helps to visualize the tree as a staging area that you make come alive with flowers or foliage plants underneath and baskets of bright flowers hanging from the limbs above. Here's how to go about the transformation.

Outline the area with string or garden hose, adjusting the curves to create a circle, an oval or any pleasing form. Be conservative. A circle five feet in diameter with the trunk in the middle is usually big enough for even large, mature trees.

Look for exposed roots or roots near the surface within the circle or form. Probe with a shovel, taking care not to sever any just yet. Some older maples will be a problem because of a heavy web of thick roots that lie half-buried, spreading from the trunk to six

feet out where they disappear below the soil. There is nothing that can be done with these, nor can a planting bed be prepared in these cases.

Usually, this area will be relatively free of roots for the top eight inches of soil. If the tree is at least five years old and growing well, it's okay to remove some of the thinner roots. Work around and do not disturb roots that are fatter than your finger.

Often, this area will be honeycombed with tough roots thinner than a spaghetti noodle. It's okay to dig through and break these up.

**HARDEST PART?** Digging is the hardest part. Rent or borrow a small power tiller to make the job go easier. Work the soil as you would in the garden to a depth of eight inches. While some gardeners like to finish off the area with plastic edging to keep out weeds, it is easier, cheaper and as effective to cut the edge deeply (eight inches) and renew the cut annually.

The area is now ready to be planted and enjoyed.

There are a lot of plants to choose from and one basic decision is annual or perennial. Annuals, such as impatiens, marigolds, zinnia, salvia, petunias, cosmos, wax begonia and others are ideal because of their summer-long, near-instant show of color.

Take care not to underestimate how much sun the spot will receive -- it will be brighter and hotter than you think, unless there are several other trees nearby and then you are dealing with a near-forest situation.

I made this mistake twice last summer with impatiens planted under a small (eight-foot) crabapple that received only morning sun and under a huge (30-foot) multi-branched red maple that got sun from 1 p.m. on. Neither tree provided enough shade

to shelter the shade-loving impatiens. I learned that it is far brighter under a tree than it seems and that marigolds, zinnias, cosmos and other sun-loving annuals do fine.

**GOOD SOLUTION:** Perennials provide a more lasting solution. Their first year is not as colorful as annuals, but second and subsequent seasons make up the difference. Suggestions here include astilbe, caladium (tubers must be lifted every fall), hosta, day lily, primula and the ground covers such as ivy, euonymus, myrtle, pachysandra and lily of the valley.

There is one drawback to perennials and that is the planting bed cannot be reworked each spring to remove spaghetti-sized roots that sometimes grow back.

If perennials are your first choice, why not grow annuals this first summer to fill the area and then see how much root regrowth has occurred by spring of '89. If the area is honeycombed with new roots in just one year, perennials will not have a chance to develop their potential.

**FINALLY:** A planted bed under a mature tree will require more fertilizer and water because of competition from the tree's roots than the same bed elsewhere. Feeding once a month should suffice.

The finishing touch is one or more baskets hung from branches directly overhead. These are most always filled with annuals or tender perennials. Excellent choices here include fuschia, ivy and zonal geranium, tuberous begonia, impatiens, browallia and bougainvillea (not the best suited here, but its powerful fragrance makes it worth a try).

Select carefully, avoiding baskets filled with marigolds, zinnias and other annuals that grow upright and do not naturally vine. In their quest for something different, some commercial growers are filling hanging baskets with plants that simply don't hang well.

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### Club news

#### RUSH LAKE FARM BUREAU

The Hal Conkeys were hosts to members of the Rush Lake Farm Bureau group on May 23 with nine members enjoying a potluck supper.

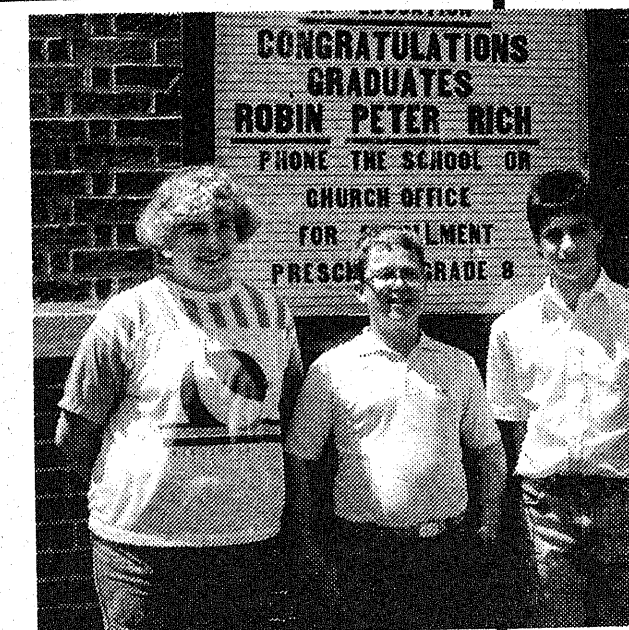
Mona McBride called the meeting to order, leading in the Pledge to the Flag. Mildred Ballagh read the minutes, which were approved. Reports from the Minuteman and Rural Leader were given. The Fun Sheet on Candy or Candy Bars was read by Opal Duffy.

Hal Conkey led the discussion on "Surviving Survival as a Family Farm -- A New Member Benefit."

Meetings will resume in September with Opal Duffy as hostess.

THESE CROSS LUTHERAN SCHOOL students have graduated from the eighth grade and will attend Laker Junior High School in the fall.

Pictured here are Valedictorian Robin Sturm, daughter of Terry and June Sturm of Pigeon; Salutatorian Peter Shupe, son of Tom and Bernice Shupe of Elkton and Richard Buchholz, son of Richard and Sharon Buchholz of Pigeon.



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