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Local dairymen see no silver lining in higher dairy prices

By AMY HEIDEN

Dairy prices have been at record levels in recent months, but some local dairy farmers aren't dancing in their milking parlors because of it.

Both Gary Protzman and Bruce Baur, who head large dairy operations here in the Western Thumb, agree that the current high milk prices won't last much longer, but both say dairy farmers are long overdue for a decent price for their product.

Wholesale milk prices have had their most dramatic increase in years, rising from about \$14 per hundred pounds of fluid milk to around \$16 today.

Experts say there are several reasons for the higher

prices: the floods of 1986 and the drought of 1988 reduced the amount of good-quality feed available; the government herd buy-out program in 1986; increased U.S. exports to Europe; no excess production for the government to purchase for its price support program; and increased consumer demand, particularly 2% milk, cheese, and skim milk.

Bruce Baur, who milks about 120 cows at his farm near Bay Port, thinks dairy farmers are finally getting paid for the work they put in 365 days a year, but adds, "I don't believe it's going to last."

Baur believes the herd buy-out program had a greater

effect than most people realize.

"It wasn't just one generation of cattle. It was the next two generations, also. They cleaned out three generations of heifers," he says.

"I hope we see more decent prices in the future. No one could have imagined that prices would come up to this level," Baur says.

And while Baur may enjoy an increase in his milk checks, he says he's not planning to increase his herd. "I haven't bought any cows in 30 years and I don't intend to do it now."

Gary Protzman sees the increase in milk prices as a seasonal adjustment. "Milk prices normally go up in the fall and go down in the spring.

That's the trend," he says. "There's more demand in the winter." He also says that more government demand for dairy products has had an effect on prices.

"The government has no dry milk on storage right now. In one case, they literally sold to one country and turned around and brought it back."

Protzman says he doesn't expect dairy farmers to notice a whole lot more money



in their pockets. "On the whole, it's not putting a lot into anybody's pockets. There are certain fixed costs and a little extra is not

enough to say I'm getting rich," he says. "I'm not excited about it. It's gone up and down like this for years."

Two named to Bean Commission

Pigeon is the only community in the state to have two of its own farm leaders serving simultaneously on the

Michigan Bean Commission.

Jack Sturm, Pigeon area farmer, was appointed to the Commission as a farmer-member, and Tod Leipprandt, bean marketing specialist with Cooperative Elevator of Pigeon, was named as a shipper representative.

Both were named last week by Gov. James Blanchard, and both appointments were for three-year terms. All terms are subject to confirmation by the Michigan Senate.

Sturm is replacing Bill Renn, also of Pigeon, who served the two consecutive terms permitted under the Bean Commission law. He will represent bean producers of Huron County.

Leipprandt, recently-retired manager and chief executive officer of the Cooperative, will fill the position held for two terms by Jim Ostrowski of St. Johns. Leipprandt will serve as a representative of bean shippers and elevators in Michigan.

Another appointment announced last week was that of Kendall English of Breckenridge, who was re-appointed to his second three-year term. He represents Gratiot County bean growers.

BEAN STOCKS DOWN SLIGHTLY

Quoting MASS — the Michigan Agricultural Statistics Service—the Bean Commission stated that dry bean stocks in elevators across Michigan are down about 100,000 hundredweights below that of the same time last year.

The report also stated that 2.5 million hundredweight bags of dry beans are in commercial storage bins around the state. These include 2.1 million bags of Navies and 400,000 of other dry bean classes.

In 1987 elevators held about 3.55 million hundredweights.

There is no report of numbers of bags in by farmers in their on-farm storage.



Curtain's
going up
next
Wednesday!

HERE'S THE LAKER ONE-ACT CAST AND CREW: This year's Laker One-Act play, "I Never Saw Another Butterfly" has qualified for regional competition at Sterling Heights Stevenson High School on Saturday Feb. 10.

The cast and crew will be trying to qualify for the state finals.

Director Mike Terrill says a public performance is scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Laker auditorium.

SHOWN ARE the cast, crew and director of the play, including Dawn Swartzendruber, Jay Schwandt, Melissa Kolar, Greg Nimtz, Phil Leipprandt, Traci Anderson, Becky Leipprandt, Dan Beckett, Paige Nelson, Barbie Peck, Jennifer McIntosh, Stephanie Leipprandt, Holly Swartzendruber, Sherry Elenbaum and Brian Swartzendruber.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

It's time for Bay Port Carnival!

Mark this Saturday, Feb. 10 on your family calendar, for the annual Bay Port School Carnival kicks off a school-full of fun at 6:30 p.m.

Sponsored by the Bay Port P.T.O., the Carnival features a cake walk, glass pitch, bingo, games and lots of prizes for carnival lovers of all ages, according to Bay Port Principal Todd Bigger.

The night starts with kitchen specialties at 6 p.m., including pizza, hot dogs, popcorn, milk and pop.

February is National Heart Health Month. Learn more by reading the special pages inside!

Pig technology courses set

A six-session "Pigs for Profit" swine technology course will be offered from 7-9:30 p.m. on Wednesdays in Huron Area Skill Center near Bad Axe, starting Feb. 21 and running through March 28.

The course is planned to expand swine production in the East Central Region, said Dr. Beth Ellen Doran, Extension livestock agent for Huron/Sanilac Counties.

All farmers and industry representatives are invited, whether they plan to start a new operation, expand an

existing swine unit, or improve production of an existing farm.

"It is the intent of this program to teach management techniques that will result in high-profit operations", Dr. Doran stated.

Dates and topics are:

■ Feb. 21 - Managing for Profit.

■ Feb. 28 - Housing, Environmental Needs,

■ March 7 - Nutrition, Feed Milling Management,

■ March 14 - Disease and

Health; March 21 - Breeding and Reproduction, and

■ March 28 - Marketing Outlook.

Pre-registration is required by Feb. 8 and may be directed to Dr. Doran, Extension Office, Huron County Building, Bad Axe, or by phoning 269-9949.

There is a registration fee per-person, per-family or for individual sessions. The fee for all sessions includes the Pork Industry Handbook.



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Keep kids out of the gutter!

The newest rage in bowling has hit the area, as Ty's Bowling Lounge in Elkton introduced Bumper Bowling last week. Seven youngsters, ranging in age from five to 10 years, tried their hand at the new sport.

In bumper bowling, large rubber tubes are filled with air and placed in the gutters of the alley. Because of the

bumpers, the ball can't fall in the gutter and the player will almost certainly knock down some pins.

Ty's Manager Charlie Manson introduced the sport and says the bumpers will prevent a lot of the frustration that young bowlers experience.

"It gives the kids something to do on a Saturday

afternoon. We've had a good response so far," Manson said. He also noted that Ty's is the first bowling center in the Huron County to offer bumper bowling.

The young bowlers trying their luck seemed to enjoy the game. "I like it better than regular bowling because it doesn't go in the gutter," said Eric Esch, of Elkton.



KORY WIEDERHOLD of Elkton takes a roll down Ty's Bowling Lanes new bumper bowling lanes, the first "gutter-proof" bowling in Huron County.

Swine management starting

Swine industry and MSU experts are conducting a series of regional workshops across the state to give swine producers guidelines for increasing production profits.

The series will open in Vandalia on Wednesday.

The workshop for Thumb Area hog producers is scheduled at Colony House Restaurant, near Cass City, on Tuesday, Feb. 27. For information on time of program and registration, call 673-5999.

Bay Port news

Mrs. Alma Stahl returned home after spending several weeks with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Molinaro in Wichita Falls, Tex.

She also visited with her niece, Deb Molinaro, of Carleton, Tex.

Workshops are sponsored by MSU Department of Animal Science and Cooperative Extension Service. "We

will provide in-depth information about growing-fin-

ishing pig production to help producers enhance profitability in this phase of swine production", said Andy Thulin, MSU swine specialist.

Workshop topics include improved and alternative housing for growing and finishing pigs, nutritional and health management, contract feeding, growth promotants, controlling pneumonia and animal waste management.

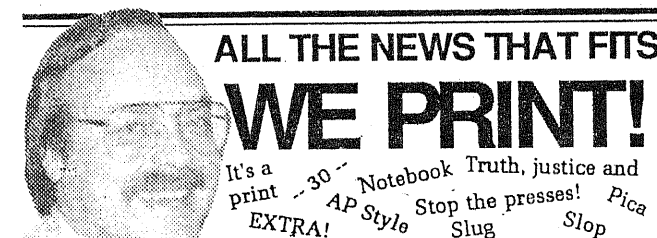
The workshop fee includes the noon meal, refreshments and educational material.

CHAMPIONS FOR CHRIST

Children who attend St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville spent the month of January becoming "Champions For Christ" by participating in various projects.

In addition to attending church, Sunday School, and memorizing Bible verses, the children made wood projects to give to the Scheurer Hospital Long-Term Unit and at the Sharon Rockefeller Home, where they also presented programs of song.

Pictured here are, front row, Beckie Diebel, Paula Fluegge, Christy Fluegge; second row, Rachel Ohlen-dorf, Katie Douglas, Jaime Fluegge, Erin Salcido; back row, Amanda Salcido, Kay Timmons, Chris Douglas, Adam Metzger.



OBSERVATIONS BY CO-PUBLISHER MARK RUMMEL AND ANYBODY ELSE HE CAN GET TO WRITE 'EM!

FEET ON THE GROUND: You've got to admire the spunk and spirit of the Thumb's newest millionaire, Carabell "Carrie" Eisinger of Bad Axe. She won just over \$2 million by being the only winner in last Wednesday's Michigan Lotto 47.

So what's the first thing she does? Does she sell the house, move to Aruba and spend, spend, spend?

No. She came to Jim McCormick Motors in Pigeon on Friday and bought a new car, then went about some family business. After all, she had just picked up her first tax-free check of \$77,000... and has 19 more of them coming in the next 19 years.

Now THAT'S style...

ON WITH THE SHOE: I've heard about Willie (Bill) Shoemaker all my life it seems, as a jockey whose career has spanned 40 years. His retirement this past Saturday deserves some kind of recognition, though.

The 58-year-old Shoemaker finished just fourth at Santa Anita in California, but he didn't mind much. After all, he's won 8833 races in 40,350 starts — for an amazing 21% rate. And, he's won \$123.3 million for the horse owners... while piling up a goodly sized pile of cash himself.

Shoemaker will now try his hand at training, and I'll bet he'll excel at that, too...

STUPOR BOWL: Joe Montana may have looked good, but that was one of the few Super Bowl bright spots. The game was watched by more people last week than any other show, but the Super Bowl scored the lowest viewer ratings since 1969...

Last week's top two shows were the "Super Bowl XXIV game" and "Post-Game Show" on CBS, followed by NBC's "Cosby Show," "Cheers" and "Roseanne" on ABC.

The least-watched show last week? CBS' "Super Bowl Saturday Night."

TIP OF THE HAT TO: ■ the three Thumb Area Mennonite churches, whose "Together" paper was featured with picture and story in a recent Bay City Times edition...

■ Scott and Sue Meyersieck, also featured in the Times as new owners of the Meyersieck - Bussema Funeral Home in Pigeon...

BEEGMAK UPDATE: ■ Last week's editorial discussed the opening of Moscow's first McDonald's restaurant. Well, it broke the opening-day record for McDonald's worldwide, as 30,000 meals were served.

■ And here's a twist: the first Russian fast-food franchise will open in March in Norfolk, Va. It'll offer soups, turnovers, doughnuts, pancakes and teas...

■ Second last, on an average day, 16.3 million Americans eat at McDonald's.

■ Final fast-food fact: Here's the upcoming promotion schedule for kids' meals at Burger King (in their new Kids' Club): February-March, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle badges; April-May, Beetlejuice figures; June-July, Kids' Club Caper vehicles, and August-September Mini Record Breaker vehicles...

WISH I'D SAID THAT: "Keep your face to the sunshine and you cannot see the shadows." (Helen Keller)

State Bean Day is Feb. 20 in Saginaw

Tuesday, Feb. 20 is the date for the 1990 State Bean Day, coming to the Saginaw Civic Center, with doors opening at 9 a.m. and the program starting at 10.

Jim Sahr of Saginaw, chairman of the Michigan Bean Commission, will give the welcome at 9 a.m. and serve as the morning master of ceremonies.

At 10:05 the lecture subject will be narrow row dry bean production, and at 10:20 there will be a pesticide update.

A dry bean agronomy update, telling of insects, diseases and fertility, will start at 10:40 a.m. At 11 a.m., Greg Varner, research director for the Dry Bean Production Research Advisory Board, will speak on dry bean varieties. Crop insurance, and rain and hail insurance will be discussed at 11:15.

Lunch and exhibit visits will go from 11:35 to 1:35, when John Kohr, CEO of Cooperator Elevator in Pigeon, will be master of ceremonies for the afternoon program.

Charles Broadwell, manager of the Ontario Dry Bean Producers Marketing Board, will speak on the Canada bean outlook at 1:40 p.m. At 1:55 there will be a report on the Minnesota-North Dakota dry bean outlook.

International bean markets will be discussed at 2:10 p.m. and domestic promotion plans will be the topic at 2:25 by Jim Byrum, executive secretary of the Michigan Bean Commission.

Dry bean market outlook will be the topic at 2:40, and US farm policies will be reviewed by Congressmen Bill Schuette and Bob Traxler at 3 p.m.

Accident victims improve

The medical conditions of several persons injured in last Monday's fatal accident have improved.

Shane Ferris, 18 of Elkton, is still hospitalized after he

was critically injured while driving an auto which collided with a van at Grassmere and Richardson Roads. All three other persons involved have been treated and released from hospitals.



The City of Bad Axe offers recycling services for plastics, glass, cans and newspapers every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 to 12 p.m. and on Monday and Wednesday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Recycling location is in a semi-truck parked between the Bad Axe Public Library and the Fire Department.

Recycled items must be brought in the following condition:

PLASTICS — drinkable/non-drink (rinse, crush, no caps);

GLASS — rinse, separate by color, labels on, no caps;

CANS — rinse, remove labels, remove ends and flatten;

NEWSPAPERS — loose or brown bag, no magazines.

Huron County also offers recycling services on the first and third Friday (boot camp) program, have electronic monitor tethering for six months, pay \$780 fines and costs and restitution, plus reimburse the county for attorney fees;

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

SHE'S A MILLIONAIRE!

Carabell "Carrie" Eisinger got the surprise of her lifetime last week, when her Michigan Lotto 47 ticket matched the winning numbers picked of 6, 7, 10, 32, 39 and 43. The "easy Pick" ticket was worth just over \$2 million — payable in 20 annual installments of \$77,000 tax-free.

Mrs. Eisinger picked up her first annual \$77,000 check Friday at the Huron Party Store, Bad Axe, where she purchased the lucky ticket last Wednesday morning.

She says she and her husband Wilbur have no plans to leave the area, but she may buy a new house... and has already bought a new car. She and her husband, who has been in a veterans hospital for 14 years, have 10 children.

HIPPENSTEEL ADDS TUSCOLA

Huron and Sanilac County Health Department Director Dale A. Hippensteel has added Tuscola County to his duties, as Tuscola officials last week agreed to share the health director for all three counties.

In all, Hippensteel, 40, will direct health programs for the 140,000 persons in the three counties. He has led the Huron and Sanilac Departments since 1982 and is a native of Eau Claire. He earned his bachelor's degree from Ferris State University and his master's degree from Western Michigan University.

Hippensteel's \$50,000 salary is split among the three counties, on a per-capita basis. In Michigan, 48 of the state's 83 counties have joint health administrations, he notes.

CROWDED CAMP TUSCOLA

Camp Tuscola, the minimum-security prison located west of Caro, has more inmates residing there than at any other time in its five-year history. A total of 65 prisoners have been relocated there in the past two weeks, bringing the camp's inmate population to 261.

Plus, 15 more prisoners are scheduled to arrive soon, bringing the total prisoner number to 276, says Deputy Warden Michael Flintoft. Additional staffers have been hired to help handle the extra prisoners, 186 of whom are housed in the main building and 90 in the annex.

But neighbors who oppose the expansion say only 80 prisoners were planned in the building when the camp opened in 1985. The annex addition and other changes have provided more space — and more frustration for neighbors, says a neighborhood watch group nearby.

MOTH-KILLERS START IN MAY

Huron County's first battle with gypsy moths will begin in late May or early June, when nearly 2500 shoreline acres from Sebewing to Pointe Aux Barques will be sprayed to kill the leaf-eating moth larvae.

Following recent meetings, officials have agreed to spray the larvae with Bacillus thuringiensis, a bacteria occurring naturally in soils, according to Huron Extension Ag Agent Jim LeCureux. He says several hot spots include the Sloopers State Park area near Caseville and spots near Pointe Aux Barques.

The spraying program should cost about \$13 per acre, LeCureux says, and designated townships will pay part of the cost, after the caterpillars hatch. Federal and state financial help will also be sought.

"YES" OR "NO" TO GREEN DEVILS?

Brown City School District voters will decide Feb. 13 whether the school's Green Devil mascot will be continued or killed, since some parents believe the mascot implies that the school's athletic teams get support from Satan.

Board President Paul Muxlow says the no-cost referendum will let all Brown City residents vote their choice, at no cost to the school.

About 75 persons spoke at a recent board meeting, with 70 seeking to retain the name and five asking for a change.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

In Huron County Circuit Court, Judge M. Richard Knoblock recently heard the pleas of or passed judgment on:

■ James L. Morley, 19 of Elkton, pled guilty a charge of larceny in a building, following a 1989 incident investigated by Elkton Police; ordered to serve to one year in jail, pay \$250 in fines and costs and put on 48 months' probation;

■ Robert F. Heck, Jr., 25 of Pigeon, pled guilty to a charge of larceny in a building, following incidents between Feb. 10 and March 12, 1985 involving rifles in Oliver Township; ordered to serve 27 days in jail, pay \$450 fines and costs, repay \$662 for extradition costs from Florida and was placed on 60 months' probation;

■ Gary M. Rathje, 21 of Gageton, pled guilty to a charge of malicious destruction of police property, following a Nov. 29, 1989 incident in Ubyly investigated by Ubyly police; ordered to serve 90 days at a state alternative incarceration (boot camp) program, have electronic monitor tethering for six months, pay \$780 fines and costs and restitution, plus reimburse the county for attorney fees;

■ Paul R. Bieri, 18 of Bay Port, pled guilty to probation violation by consuming alcohol; sentencing to be set

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As we see it

New Thumb C weaker without local teams...

The other shoe is about ready to fall, and it's certain that Upper Thumb sports programs will never again be the same. Since the majority of Thumb C League schools have voted to allow Bad Axe, Marlette and Deckerville to join an expanded Thumb C — while excluding the Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port "Lakers" and Cass City High — all that remains is formal approval by the Boards of Education of the three "new" Thumb C schools. Of course, that's expected hardly... although some individuals aren't totally happy with the planned set-up. What's unfortunate is that continuation of many of the rivalries long enjoyed here in the Thumb will probably not be possible in the future.

That all means that Laker - USA, Laker - Bad Axe, Laker - Harbor Beach or Cass City - Ubyl duels will be difficult to schedule across two bigger leagues... and probably will be a thing of the past by 1992.

As it is now, nine schools likely will comprise the new Thumb C League, if the three schools which have been invited do vote in favor of joining the

FROM UNDER
THE WILLOW

BY WANDA EICHLER

A glimpse at the Golden Years

They are everywhere. They are the backbones of families, churches and communities. They have wisdom. They have survived years and wars and troubles. They know good times and celebrations. And they know suffering and survival.

Who are "they"?

"They" are our older friends and neighbors. Senior Citizens. Older adults. Friends and families. Mothers and fathers.

Sometimes neglected, sometimes venerated, the number of adults in the older population is growing. Thanks to advances in health care and just plain better nutrition and lifestyle, senior adults now look forward to the golden years. Or do they?

One older friend commented to me recently, "These golden years — they're not all they're cracked up to be."

That sentiment, years that stretch out in loneliness, disappointment and despair, is one of the underlying themes of the new movie, "Driving Miss Daisy." The movie takes place in Atlanta and tells the story of an older Jewish woman who can no longer drive her car and of the black chauffeur who comes to work for her. The bond that develops between the two oldsters has its careful limits, limits defined by race and custom.

But what cannot be limited is the respect and care that they come to have for each other. The movie isn't about illicit affairs or strange relationships. It is about two people growing old together and doing for each other what neither of them could do for themselves. "Driving Miss Daisy" is filled with humor and love and tears and care.

Seeing "Miss Daisy" took me back in memories of the times when I was a preschooler in the hills of Southwestern Wisconsin. By then, there were four little Hayes kids in the parsonage and my preacher Dad had graduated from seminary. Somehow I remember driving over those hills with my Dad in the '49 Ford. We were out visiting — calling as church talk would have it — and the people we were seeing were the older folks of the Ash Creek and Bear Valley congregations.

Those folks and folks in other Wisconsin towns, coupled with lots of grandparents and great-uncles and great-aunts, helped me learn to love and appreciate older folks even when I was a child.

Every child needs that contact with someone older who cares for them and who can talk to them about the way things were. Perhaps every adult needs that, too. Older friends provide perspective and humor and caution and care that those of us caught up in the middle years forget to look for.

No doubt my friend is right — the golden years probably aren't all they're cracked up to be. (Crowded with the loss of spouses, threats of cancer and heart disease, filled with aches and pains, those years easily become times of despair and trouble. But there are good times, too.)

What impresses me most about many of the older folks whom I know is how they meet those cares head on and surmount the difficulties daily. Like Hoke, the chauffeur and Miss Daisy, the people in "Driving Miss Daisy," they face each day with dignity, trust and hope.

That is the greatest lesson older folks provide to us younger ones. Hope in each day and claim life's dignity. And trust... just trust.

Thumb C. Those new Thumb C schools (and their student populations) are:

Bad Axe (450), Deckerville (299) and Marlette (443). Class C schools have enrollments between 263 and 522 students.

They'll join these six existing members of the Thumb C: Harbor Beach (395), Mayville (409), Reese (393), Sandusky (400), Unionville - Sebewaing (379) and Ubyl (283).

The Thumb B League will still have six strong members, allowing easier sports scheduling since the loop will have an even number of teams, causing no "byes" or missed games at each scheduling date.

Thumb B schools are: Caro (668), Cass City (495), Laker (424), Millington (740), North Branch (648) and Vassar (568).

There are other rumblings going on, within and without the Thumb C or Thumb B.

For instance, the Thumb B Association has apparently approached the Frankenthumb Eagles (and perhaps other eligible schools) to inquire whether they'd like to be part of an expanded Thumb B. Frankenthumb left the TBA in 1980. Other schools being courted by the Thumb B include Cros-Lex, Yale, Imloy City, North Branch, Lakeville, Montrose and Essexville Garber. Any would make good members.

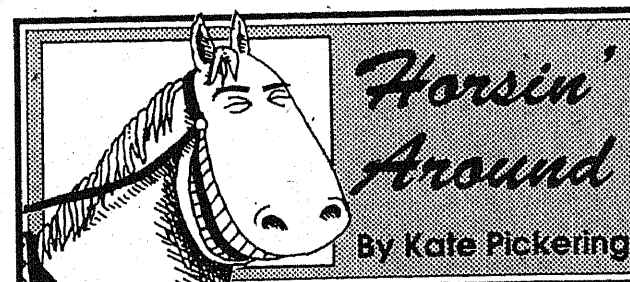
Frankenthumb for one has said no, but school officials there say perhaps the Thumb B Association and the Tri-Valley Conference around Bay City and Saginaw might want to grow from its present 11-school line-up.

That could mean a combined Thumb B and Tri-Valley Conference could have two eight-team divisions — including present TVC members Michigan Lutheran Seminary of Saginaw, Freeland, St. Charles, Merrill, Garber, Birch Run, Saginaw Swan Valley, Hemlock, Carrollton, Bullock Creek and Freeland.

They already envision a line-up of the "West" Tri-Valley Conference including Laker and Caro, Seminary, Carrollton, Bullock Creek, Freeland, Merrill and St. Charles, with the other TVC members comprising the "East" line-up. Such a system would allow Thumb schools such as Laker, Cass City, Vassar and Caro to compete with similar-sized suburban schools. That's certainly a plus.

But we'd greatly miss the local rivalries, as previously discussed, which would almost certainly be impossible. Will — and can — anyone REALLY get fired up for a Laker - Bullock Creek game? Or will Cass City and Merrill REALLY build an ongoing rivalry? We doubt it, but who knows?

Whatever happens in this matter, just remember where it all started, and who started it: a group (not all) of apparently selfish, self-centered Thumb C schools connived with a similar bunch of Thumb B and North Thumb D schools. And, it appears they'll get what they want. They can have each other...



My Good Friends

I know I've talked about this before, but there's just no way around it - no way to deny it. Fact is, I am not always a very pleasant, kind, amiable person to know. The little beasties inside me which wreak havoc on my personality — such as hormones, a spoiled childhood, my renown dislike for the morning hours, my aching joints, and my intense dislike for myself — all swirl together to help create the cranky, over-bearing, self-centered, loud-mouthed brat that is me. And despite the inevitable shame I feel — despite my best intentions, my sincere reflection on this problem, and my renewing resolution to be a better person, the fact remains that when I think about it — and yes, I do think about it — I have to conclude I've failed.

But miraculously, my good friends — like unquenchable birthday "joke candles" — my dear-dear friends rebound after every slighting, and start each day fresh, anew, unfettered! They warmly welcome me to the beginning of each

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DEAR EDITOR:

Some things change everyday, but some other things never change. Last week I was working in our church cemetery on Geiger Road and I couldn't help but think how much different it is than it used to be.

I remember real well when the old plank bridge used to cross the river and we could hear the plank rattle when a car passed over.

My father once told me when the church got too small many years ago, the pastor and the trustees got together and decided to build a piece on the church. But they built a church on the piece, because the new addition was bigger than the original building.

He said one Sunday morning the pastor said they were going to put an addition to the church and all the men were to come and help and bring their horses and slush scrapers to dig a basement. A lot of people didn't like it and the trustees said if they would've asked the people, it would've taken a lot longer 'til everybody got their say so.

Well, it took them about six weeks 'til they were in the new building. We had some good bricklayers and carpenters in the church and the best part was one old man put up the money and they were to pay him back.

That building served us real well 'til 1956. Then we built a new church and in the last few years, we added a new addition. We now have a good road passed us

and a good bridge across the river and a blacktop parking lot.

A lot of people have moved away and the families aren't as big as they were, but we have a good congregation and lots of room. Everybody is very welcome to come.

When my grandmother used to live where George Swartzendruber now lives, we used to go there for Sunday dinner. A lot of times there was only one mile of stone road going up there and we used to go in our surrey with Dat and Blanch hitched to it. My mother and sisters sat in the back seat and my grandfather and Dad sat in front. I sat on a little stool in front and those days they had a lap robe to cover you up so you wouldn't get too dusty.

There were two farms along the road that had big barns and big houses and large orchards and other buildings that aren't there any more. The land is all farmed now. We had horse sleds on two sides of the church and everybody used to see to it that their horses were in a shed while services were going on.

In Psalm 122:1 it says, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord." Well, my folks always took me to the house of the Lord and I always try to go to church every Sunday. If I miss a Sunday, the whole week just doesn't go right.

SINCERELY YOURS,
GEORGE KEIM

Letters from our Readers

Glad to see Depot use

DEAR EDITOR:

So glad to see what you are doing to the old depot. That was quite a popular place to meet friends on a summer afternoon. It was a real thrill to hear the train whistle, come into view and to see who was coming and going. What the station agent push that high cart up to the baggage coach. Much merchandise and many groceries arrived by train then. I guess we were all dreaming of the time when we could ride behind that big black puffing machine.

Found the article during the

MILDA WACHNER
CLARAPIGEON DISTRICT LIBRARY
— News And Notes —PRESCHOOL
STORY HOUR

The theme for the Preschool Story Hour on Feb. 13 will be "Valentine's" with the stories "A Sweetheart For Valentine," "I Love You, Dear Dragon" and "One Zillion Valentines."

Exercises, fingerplays, a song and game will be part of the activities, highlighted by a take home project and Valentine's Party.

Children from age three to five are invited to attend either the 9 or 10:30 a.m. sessions. A registration fee is required.

WE'VE GOT YOUR
TAX FORMS

The Pigeon District Library now has Federal Tax Forms and Michigan Tax forms for patrons to pick up as needed.

Also, IRS Federal Tax Numbers for Assistance: Tax Forms Only 1-800-424-3676.

AMISH COUNTRY
TOUR

Patrons are invited to visit Shipshewana, Ind., "Amish Country" on May 1 and 2. Round trip transportation from the Pigeon District Library leaving at 7 a.m. sharp.

You will visit Lolly's Fabric & Quilt Shop, a giant flea market, antique auction, and Yoder's General Store. Overnight lodging at Essenhausen Country Inn, with an

authentic Amish style dinner at Das Dutchman Essenhausen Restaurant.

Make reservations early for yourself or group. For more information contact the Pigeon District Library at 453-2341.

Beef Short
Course
Thursdays

Doing a better job in the beef feedlot and in beef markets is the focus of the 1990 Professional Cattle Feeding and Marketing Short Course being staged in three Michigan locations.

The Thumb sessions are planned Thursdays Feb. 8 and 15 in Colony House, near Cass City. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. each day and the program starts at 10.

Morning sessions include corn variety selection for silage, maximizing feed efficiency, forward pricing and growth promotants.

Afternoon topics include 1990 market outlook, managing feeder cattle, research about beef breeds and managing cattle for the 1990 market.

There is a cost of the short course for the first family member, with a reduced rate for each additional member.

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SOMETHING TO
THINK ABOUTJohn A. Champagne
— Director —

HOME FUNERALS A RARITY

At one time, home funerals were quite common in this country. A number of factors have contributed to the demise of this practice.

America has become, more and more, an urban/suburban society. Home funerals in cities today are a rarity. The physical construction of apartment buildings — the smallness of the quarters, the inconvenience of the common lobby and stairways and corridors, the difficulty of bringing the casket in and out, as well as lack of privacy — make the home funeral extremely impractical.

Gradually, the funeral began to leave the home for the funeral parlor or church or both. The modern funeral home began to evolve as an establishment equipped especially for the task, in which the funeral services as well as the preparation of the body could take place. Ultimately, this has become the norm in most areas of the country. It is the modern practical alternatives to the home funeral.

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PIGEON HEAD
START VISITS

The Pigeon Head Start toured the library on Jan. 23 for their annual fieldtrip. The group consisted of 34 students and 10 adults.

The children played with toys, had a story of "Ping" and joined in other activities. The library staff looks forward to the annual visit from the Pigeon Head Start Class.

ELKTON 4TH
GRADE VISITS

Mr. Lang and his fourth grade class from Elkton visited the Pigeon District Library on Jan. 29. The students were shown a film-strip on "Library Manners" and were allowed to check out two books each.

The library staff enjoyed all the annual visits from the school classes.

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

Thumb National Bank & Trust Company of Pigeon
Name of Bank City

in the state of Michigan, at the close of business on December 31, 1989,
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.
Charter Number 15817 Comptroller of the Currency Seventh District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	4,185
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	—
Interest-bearing balances	17,247
Securities	5,200
Federal funds sold	—
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	—
Loans and lease financing receivables	67,925
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	1,162
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	—
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	—
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	66,763
Assets held in trading accounts	—
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	1,716
Other real estate owned	899
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	—
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	—
Intangible assets	2,826
Other assets	98,836
Total assets	2,029
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	—
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	100,865
Deposits:	92,150
In domestic offices	5,253
Noninterest-bearing	86,897
Interest-bearing	—
Federal funds purchased	—
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	—
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	50
Other borrowed money	—
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	—
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	—
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	663
Other liabilities	92,863
Total liabilities	—
Limited-life preferred stock	—
Perpetual preferred stock	526
Common stock	1,118
Surplus	4,329
Undivided profits and capital reserves	—
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	5,973
Total equity capital	2,029
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	8,002
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	—
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	100,865

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

John B. Schaefer
Vice President
Signature
February 1, 1990
Date

Directors

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

John B. Schaefer
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SPORTS REPORT UPDATE for the Western Thumb

Lakers clip Tigers for first road win

By AMY HEIDEN

In their first road win of the year, the Lakers squeaked by the Caro Tigers in a Thumb B conference game Friday night, 66-64.

The win evened up the Lakers' record at 6-6 overall, 4-4 in the league.

The game was probably one of the most physical of the entire season as the Tigers and the Lakers fought for nearly every basket. The first quarter ended with the score tied at 12, and as the buzzer at the half sounded, Caro led 31-27.

But Bill McLellan got two foul shots on a technical foul, and brought the Lakers to within two, 31-29.

During the entire second half, the lead changed hands several times, but neither team led by more than two points. Only when Jeremy Esch sank a bucket late in the game did Lakers take a 65-61 lead.

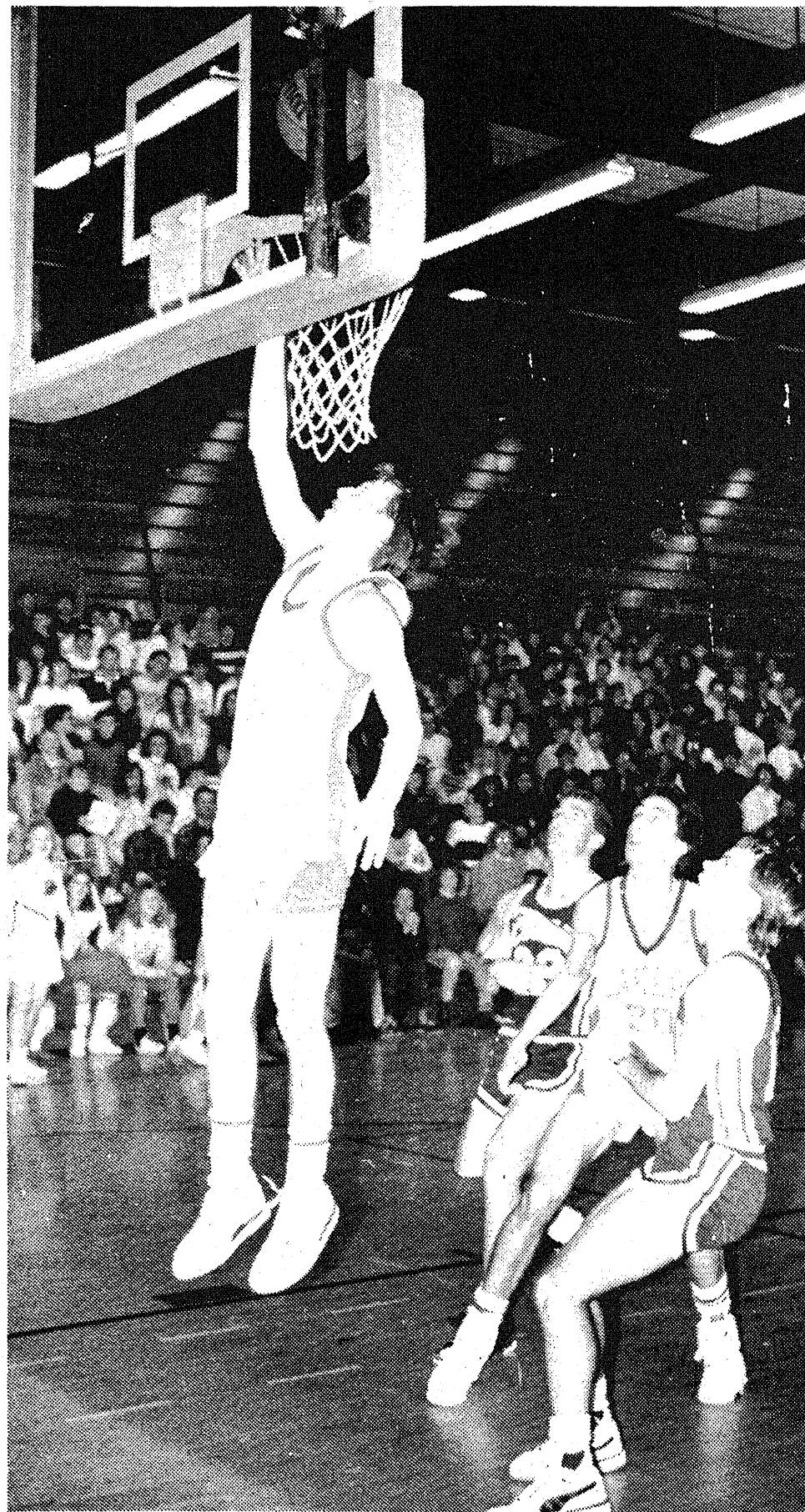
But a three-pointer by Tiger Mark Bluem brought the Tigers back within one point.

With only nine seconds remaining, Bill McLellan

sank the front end of a one-and-one situation, putting the Lakers up 66-64. Bluem grabbed the rebound when McLellan missed the second shot and tried a last minute desperation shot. But his effort fell short, and the Lakers tasted the thrill of victory on the road for the first time this season.

Coach Bill McLellan said his team battled for the win.

"Our aggressive play was the key to the game. We just hung in there, especially down at the end of the game," he said. One big



STOPPED ACTION: Laker guard Jeremy Esch (24) drops in two of his dozen points, as teammate Bill McLellan and Caro players look on, in Friday's victory over Caro.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTOS

factor in the win, he noted, was the 14 of 16 free throws that Bill McLellan, Jr., sank during the game. McLellan led the scoring

with 23 points, and Rick Duffy had 14 points. Jeremy Esch chipped in 12 points, and Reggie Ignash had 10. Caro's Mark Bluem led his

team with 20 points, including two three-pointers.

JUNIOR VARSITY: No results submitted.

INTERFAITH BASKETBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS
Week #4

Cross	3-1
RLDS	3-1
Hayes-Missionary	3-1
St. Francis	2-2
Elkton UM	1-3
First UM	0-4

Last week's results: Cross 74, Elkton 45; RLDS 107, First UM 58; Hayes-Miss. 58, St. Francis 48. This week's games: Hayes-Miss. 60, Cross 58; RLDS 63, Elkton 61; St. Francis 85, First UM 79.

Thanks for reading The Progress-Advance

Laker netters take tourney; dump Caro

By AMY HEIDEN

The Lady Lakers have set their sights at a state championship this year.

They are in single-minded pursuit of that goal, and if their play last week, both at the Klinger-Dast Invitational and in the league contest against Caro, is any indication, they just might do it this year.

The Tigers gave the Lakers a run for the money in only one match, defeating them in the second 11-15. But in the best-three-out-of-five game, the Lakers took three matches 15-8.

Tracie Henne led the team with 16 kills, seven blocks, and one service ace in the game. Brenda Buschlen had 11 kills, five blocks, and two service aces, Sarah Bush had

10 blocks, and Ann Sturm had six blocks.

After being runners-up at their own invitational tournament last year, the Lakers had no intention of letting the trophy slip out of their grasp this year. And it didn't, as they played the entire day without a defeat.

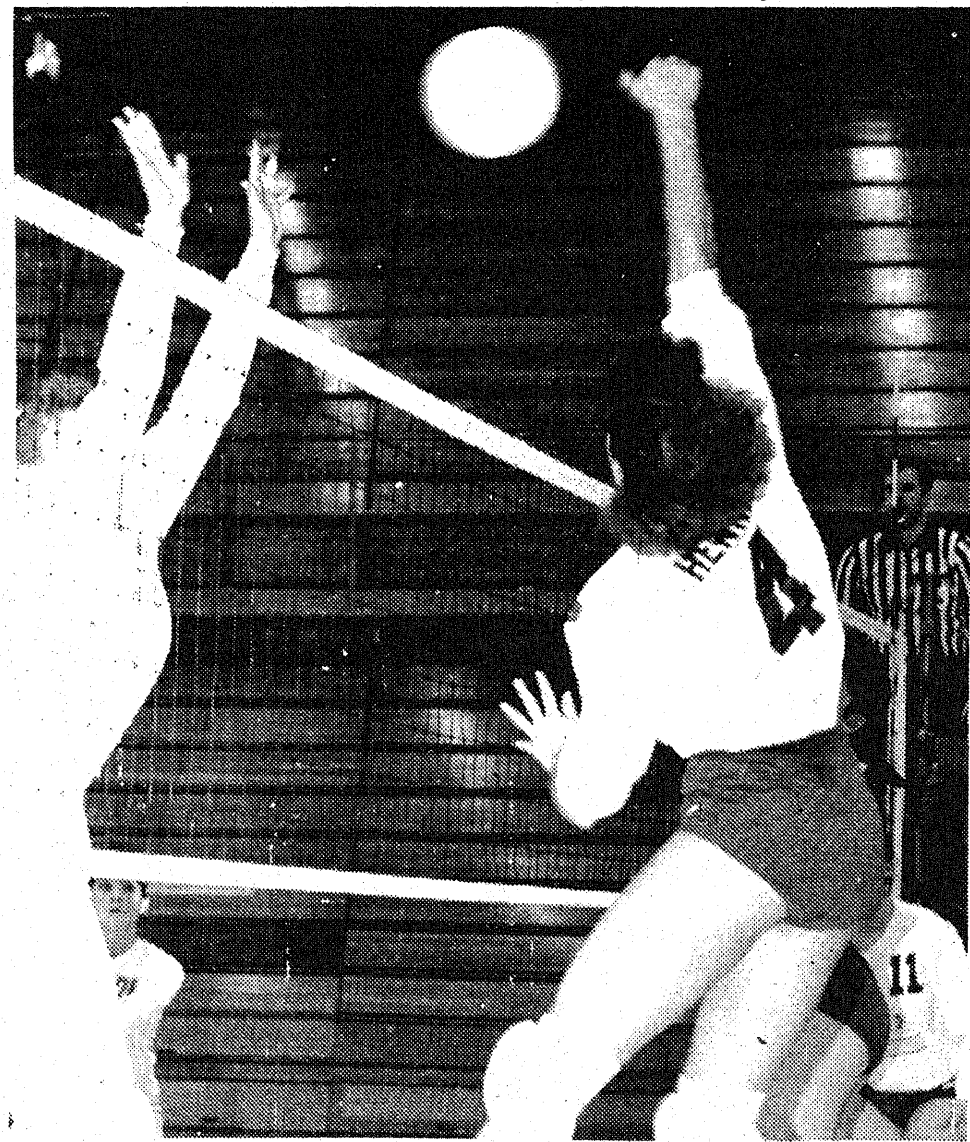
In pool play, the Lakers defeated Reese 15-10, 15-6; Owen Gage 15-3, 15-12; and North Branch 15-1, 15-3. In the semi-final round, the Green Machine again dumped North Branch 15-4, 15-4, and defeated Bangor John Glenn 15-3, 15-2. Then came Saginaw Nouvel in the final round, and the Lakers dominated 15-6, 15-13 to take the tournament.

"I was very pleased with the way my girls played,"

said Laker Coach Sue Fredericksen. "They played up all day long. And I especially want to mention Heather Clark, who's coming off the bench for me and only playing the back row. But she starts acing her serves right away." Clark had 15 service aces for the day.

Brenda Buschlen had 43 kills and 23 service aces, and Tracie Henne had 67 kills and 11 service aces for the day. Ann Sturm led in blocking with 28 blocks, while Sarah Bush had 17 blocks and Tammy Smith had 13 aces and 16 blocks.

In JV action, the Laker JVs lost to Caro 15-13, 15-8 and 15-6. Lakers play at Vassar Thursday.



TRACIE HENNE shows some outstanding form during the Klinger-Dast tournament.

MICHIGAN INTERSCHOLASTIC VOLLEYBALL COACHES ASS'N.
RANKINGS OF AS JAN. 27

Team	Won	Lost
Vassar	8	0
North Branch	6	3
Caro	5	4
Millington	5	4
Lakers	4	4
Marlette	2	5
Bad Axe	2	7
Cass City	2	7

THUMB B LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost
Vassar	8	0
North Branch	6	3
Caro	5	4
Millington	5	4
Lakers	4	4
Marlette	2	5
Bad Axe	2	7
Cass City	2	7

Revitalizing Michigan's Animal Ag Project

By William L. Bortel

Tuscola County Extension Director

The time is right to focus our efforts on strengthening animal agriculture in Michigan.

Local, regional and national trends and industries are providing significant opportunities for expansion of all segments of animal agriculture in Michigan.

Currently, the state produces only 25% of the beef consumed in Michigan, 40% of the turkeys, 50% of the pork, 70% of all eggs and hardly any portion of broilers.

Processing capacity in the state far exceeds production levels.

Consequently, the animal industry of Michigan has initiated the "Revitalization of the Michigan Animal Agriculture" project. It is designed to revitalize the state's animal industry, through Michigan State University.

We have hog slaughtering operations in the Detroit area that import a high percentage of their animals from other states. While pork consumption is not expected to rise significantly in the near future, Michigan could take advantage of the proximity of these plants to increase its swine production.

NO EXPANSION MEANS LOSS OF JOBS

Without this expansion, there is a good chance of losing a significant portion of the packing capacity in the state. This would not only result in putting Michigan producers at a disadvantage, but it would also result in significant numbers of jobs being lost in the Detroit area.

Further, feed grain is cheaper here than in other parts of the eastern Corn Belt and in states along the Mississippi.

MICHIGAN HAS BUILT-IN ADVANTAGES

Some of the advantages Michigan has in pork production also apply to cattle.

Grain prices here are to the industry's advantage, and Michigan's great ability to produce forages efficiently is a plus.

We also have dairy farmers who have left dairying, but not agriculture, who have the facilities to convert to beef operations.

Poultry shows promise, mainly because of consumer trends toward more poultry consumption. We have an existing turkey industry and a major processor—Bill-Mar—wants to expand it in Michigan under contracts.

The goal is to revitalize, expand and promote the state's animal industry, through Michigan State University...

COULD DOUBLE LIVESTOCK NUMBERS

We could double our livestock production and still be a net exporter of corn, as we now ship 60% of our corn out of state. We have the potential to increase roughage production—hay and silage—and more pasture would support a sharply-expanded ruminant livestock industry.

THEN WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?

So what's the problem?

Why hasn't the industry jumped into these opportunities, started up hog farms, built poultry houses, and put in feedlots around the state?

There are a number of things holding the industry back from growth:

■ **WASTE MANAGEMENT** is a major obstacle. We must find ways to handle animal waste that avoids 2 potential problems—odor and pollution. Even people in rural areas are fighting the establishment of livestock and poultry operations because of these concerns.

■ **IMPROVED SYSTEMS** for disease prevention and detection are needed to help producers stay profitable, to keep the food supply safe and even to improve export of animals.

■ **FOOD SAFETY**, including everything from growth hormones in meat and dairy products to antibiotic residues. Producers are also in limbo about some of these topics. They need help.

■ **PRODUCERS** need help with **FARM MANAGEMENT TECHNIQUES** that will allow them to produce quality food that consumers want, while at the same time protecting the environment and, along the way, make a profit so they can stay in business.

MSU HAS THE ANSWERS

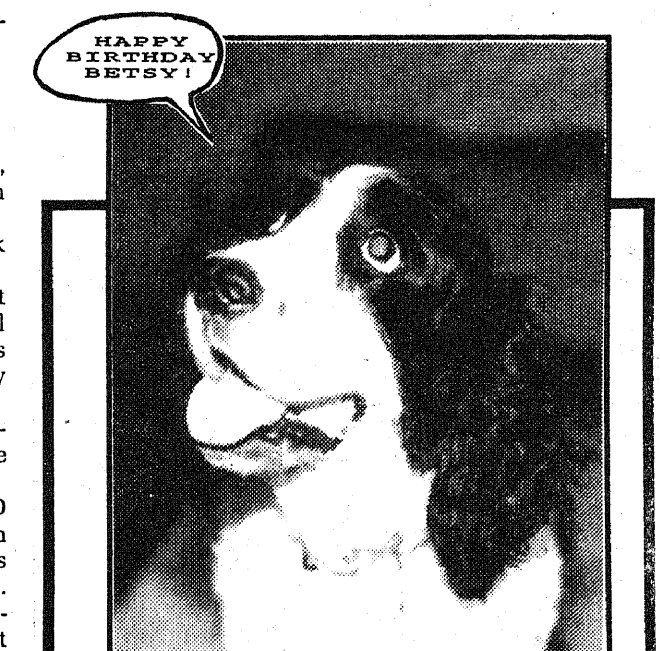
With the proper support, MSU can help Michigan agriculture with all these problems. MSU conducts research to solve such problems.

It runs Extension programs using this research to help people improve their operations, get through changes in the industry and plan for the future. It also educates people to go into animal agriculture and continues to educate them throughout their careers with training programs.

However, the University is being held back by outdated facilities and a shortage of people who can address the industry's needs.

You may contact William Bortel, Project Leader-Industry Liaison with the Revitalization of Animal Agriculture Project, phone 355-0117 for additional information.

Everyone join Tay in saying:



THE FOLLOWING ALSO JOIN TAY IN WISHING BETSY A HAPPY BIRTHDAY: Matt, Adam, Bert, Toes, Smudge & Kelev.

This advertisement authorized by: "The Friends of Elizabeth Colgan" Tay D. Dog - Treasurer

Pigeon Chamber of Commerce Annual

Las Vegas Nite

Saturday, February 24, 1990

Pigeon VFW Hall

Happy Hour Cash Bar 6:30 p.m.

Games Begin At 7:30 p.m.

Adult Tickets \$10.00 Per Person

Available From Pigeon Chamber Members

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Play Vegas Games As:

50-50 Raffles

Black Jack

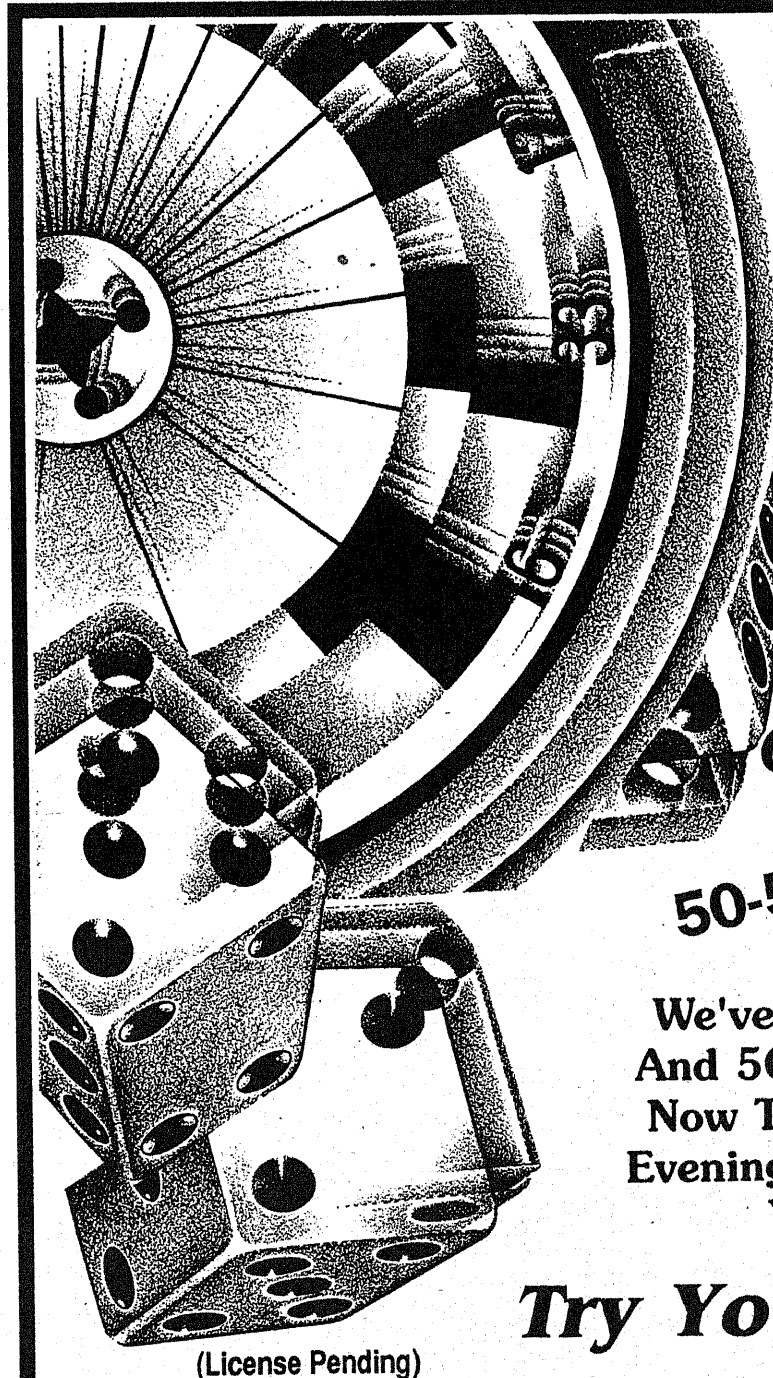
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The Past In Print

From the Archives of
The Pigeon Progress and The Elkton Advance

90 YEARS AGO FEB. 23, 1900

The dispute over the price of sugar beets for 1900 has been settled between the farmers and the sugar factories. The sugar companies have agreed on a contract which will pay \$4.50 per ton for beets yielding 12% sugar of 85% purity.

Farmers will pay 15 cents per lb. for seed. Michigan Sugar Co. is said to already have contracts for 2,800 acres for this year.

Joseph Schluchter Store is having a closing out sale since the entire business has been sold to Wallace, Campbell & Orr. Selling out entire stock at cost. Outings at 8 cents a yd; apron gingham at 4 cents and dress gingham 8 cents yd; corsets 80 cents; underwear 40 cents and \$1; bed blankets 55 cents and 80 cents; overalls 42 cents and 60 cents; cottonade pants 80 cents. Boots, shoes and crockery, less than cost.

Of course, life's worth the living! Get a nice couch or the best in furniture from G. C. Heineman, leading furniture and undertaker, Pigeon.

80 YEARS AGO FEB. 25, 1910

Timothy O'Leary, 55, of Pigeon, died last Wednesday.

day. He was born in Ireland and is survived by a wife, three daughters and three sons.

Dibb Cross and Fred Fritz, both of Brookfield, are getting ready to build new houses in the early summer.

The Gleaner Hall at Linkville will be enlarged and bricked and then will be occupied by Samuel Webster with his general store. The Gleaners will use an addition at the rear for their hall.

J. B. Otto purchased an 80-acre farm in Winsor Township from Fred Spaeth.

Farmers are getting busy to haul gravel for the new Evangelical Church at Owendale.

John Hohnke, Charles Schultz and Albert Seiwert, all of Pigeon, will hold auction sales next week.

A new farmer's telephone line is being put in from the John Gettel corner through Linkville and to Pigeon. There will be 26 phones on this line.

70 YEARS AGO FEB. 20, 1920

Mrs. John Geiger, 51, of Pigeon, the former Maggie Motter, died Saturday night. She leaves her husband and four children.

Mrs. Peter Thiel, 67, died at her home in Pigeon. The

former Catherine Kreh, she is survived by her husband and eight children.

Mrs. Robert Paterson, an old and highly-respected resident of Chandler Township, died last week.

John Kinkle, 78, a veteran of the Civil War, died in Caseville. He leaves a wife, three daughters and two sons.

George Ankam and Harold Paul are attending the auto show at Detroit.

Chris Roth is the proud owner of the Studebaker Jr. wagon which was raffled at Henry Schnepf's hardware store in Owendale.

60 YEARS AGO FEB. 21, 1930

Officers nominated at Pigeon village caucus are W. L. Horlacher, Albert Klein-schmidt, Fred Niebel, Russel Turner, Fred Clabuesch, Arthur Anderson and Theodore Goebel.

Pigeon Worth While Club purchased about 100 new books for the public library and will reopen the library Saturday afternoon, Mar. 1.

Village officers nominated at Elkton are George Wilson, W. B. Kellerman, Charles Miler, W. R. Faupel, William Ziegler, W. G. Schiele, Cecil Waterworth.

Pupils of Elkton High School have organized a 22-piece band.

Cass City Theatre commenced giving talking pictures last week.

Mrs. Adam Harder, 79, died at her home near Pigeon. She is survived by her husband, one son, Nelson, and one daughter, Mrs. Abe Ruby.

The fine brick farm home of the Amos Geiger farm, south

of Pigeon, was destroyed by fire Wednesday. The building was occupied by Edward Geiger. The furniture was saved and loss is estimated at \$5,000.

Verneta Diefenbach became the bride of Bernhardt Kuhl at a wedding Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kuhl, Fair Haven Township.

Four persons, George, Albert and John Jean all of Caseville, and William Langley, Detroit, narrowly escaped drowning when the car in which they were riding broke through the ice a half-mile off shore at Sand Point.

Accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vollmer on their trip to Florida are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sturm.

40 YEARS AGO FEB. 24, 1950

Honor students in Pigeon High's graduating class are Lowell Kraft, valedictorian, son of Erich Kraft and Neila Roberts, salutatorian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roberts.

Other top scholastic students are Marion Woelke and Magdalene Schulze, Marjorie Orr, Marie Mantei and Eleanor Licht.

Pigeon Chamber of Commerce was organized with officers F. Harry McKay, Clifton Bailey, Robert Orr, Leo Sturm, Mrs. Eleanor Eicher, C. H. Spence, Mel Barewolf, Don Hunter and Walt Rummel.

Kaiser-Frazer Company will produce a new, low-priced two-door sedan and will hold a national contest to name the car.

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The fine brick farm home of the Amos Geiger farm, south

junior high basketball tournament at Cass City. Team members are Clifford Ponzan, Tony Ignash, Ray McGathy, Roger Richmond, Robert Harder, Roy McGathy, Don Racheter, John Anderson, Douglas Henne, Tony Zamorra, Gary Newman, Allen Strieter, Robert Buschlen, Danny Anderson, Michael Dixon. Karl Emerson is their coach.

Dedication services will be held Feb. 28 for the new addition to Salem Evangelical United Brethren Church in Pigeon. Building committee members are Levi Schneider, Arthur Finkbeiner, Edward Geiger, Alfred Roberts, Roland Bean, Alfred Eichler, Dr. W. P. Haist and Rev. Byron Chapman.

Mrs. Theodore Shubert, 54, the former Bertha Wachner, died Feb. 16. She leaves her husband, and one son, Roy. The Rev. Edward F. Bailey, 70, a retired Evangelical United Brethren pastor who served many years at the Kilmanagh Church, died Wednesday. He leaves a daughter and five sons.

20 YEARS AGO FEB. 19, 1970

Winners in Pigeon village primary election were Arthur Luedtke, Elaine Neurath, Clare Dast, Harold Deering, Herbert Heurath, Leo Luedtke and Stanley Shetler.

Betty M. Belding, 48, of Pigeon, died Feb. 10 at her home. She is survived by her husband, Pete, three daughters and one son.

Robert Buchholz received a bachelor of science degree in accountancy from Ferris State College, Big Rapids.

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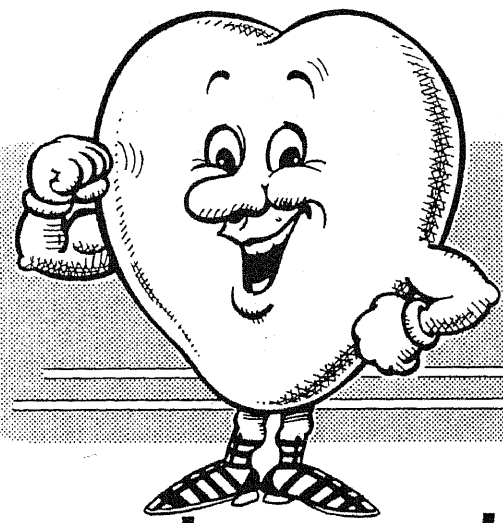
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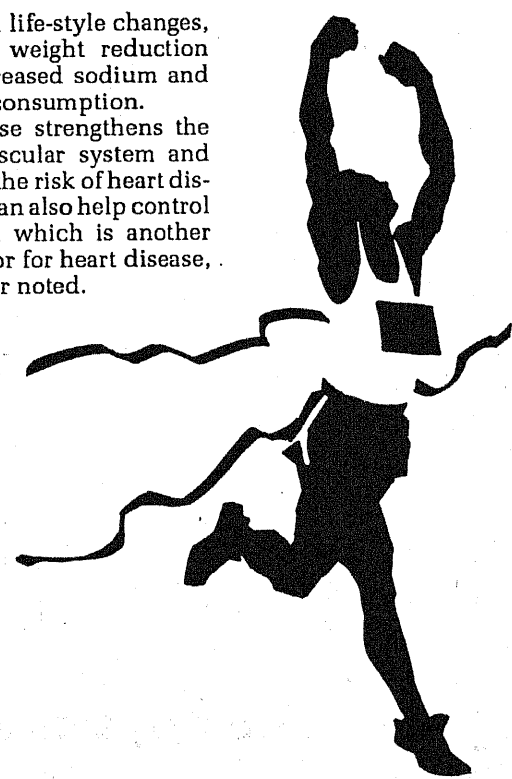
Losing weight and adding regular aerobic exercise to your life are two important steps you can take to lower your blood pressure, according to the National Exercise for Life Institute.

DeMarco, executive director of the Institute. According to the University of California, Berkeley Wellness Letter, while heredity and race play a major role in whether or not someone is likely to get high blood pressure (also known as hypertension), there are steps that can be taken to

improve your risk. For some people, dietary and lifestyle changes may help prevent hypertension, or at least postpone it or reduce its severity, noted the Letter. **Exercise is cited** as one of the primary lifestyle changes, because it's often accompanied by other

healthful life-style changes, such as weight reduction and decreased sodium and alcohol consumption.

Exercise strengthens the cardiovascular system and reduces the risk of heart disease. It can also help control diabetes, which is another risk factor for heart disease, the Letter noted.



Controlling hypertension is important because 35 million Americans have high blood pressure, and it's a contributing factor in three-fourths of heart attacks and strokes.

CAUSES OF HYPERTENSION: Blood pressure can be raised in one or more of three ways, according to the Harvard Medical School Health Letter:

- the kidneys retain fluid and increase the volume of blood contained within the vessels;
- the arteries become constricted, thus increasing the resistance to flow; or
- the heart pumps blood more forcefully than usual.

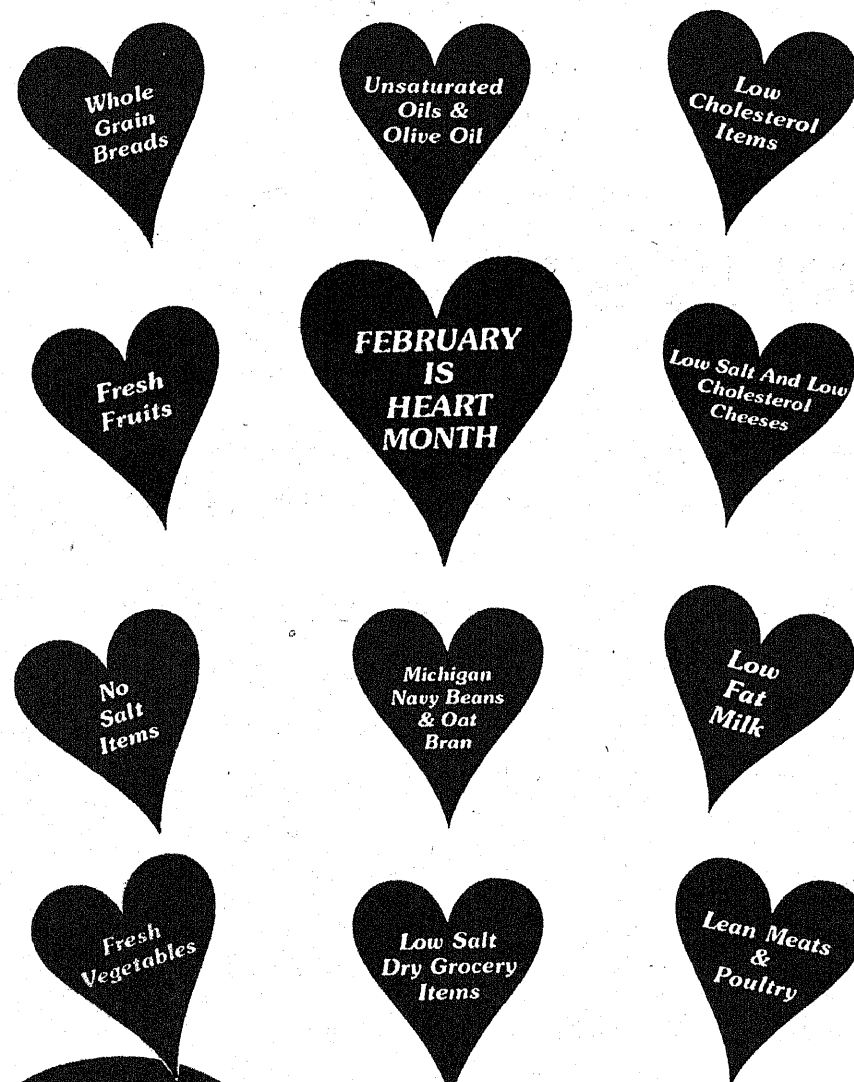
Sometimes there's a specific reason for these changes, such as kidney disease, a hormonal abnormality, or atherosclerotic plaque in an artery. How-

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Looking for healthy food?

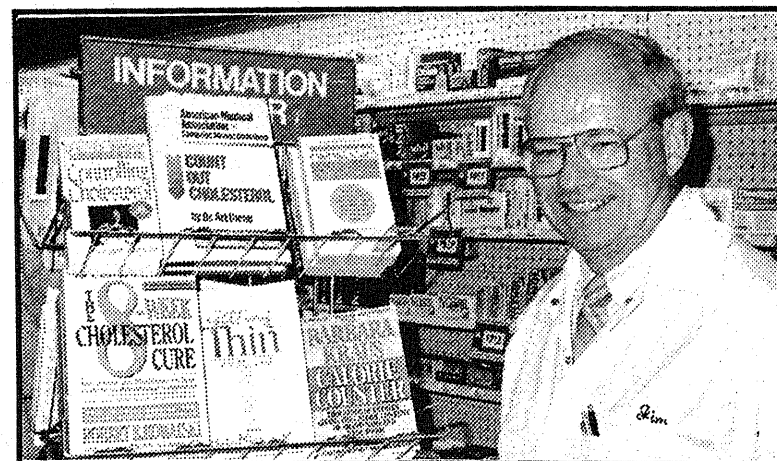
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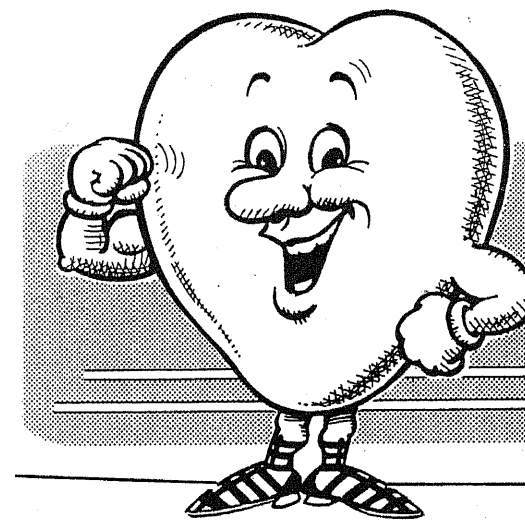


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"I'm not your average shopping cart. When it comes to poor nutrition choices for my customers, I've been pushed around long enough.

"I'm tired of the junk that gets thrown my way day after day. Foods with little or no redeeming nutritional value have no place in the American diet, let alone my basket.

"For years, I've seen what people consume. I'm well aware that nutrition is greatly misunderstood, and it's time to make some changes. Heart disease, for example, can be controlled and/or prevented with proper eating habits.

"So why do they continue to buy foods that are high in fat, cholesterol and sodium? "My experience has shown that consumers can be categorized into four groups. You'll probably see yourself or someone you know in the following descriptions:

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ever, most cases of hypertension don't have a specific, identifiable cause.

Because some medications for high blood pressure have unpleasant side effects, being able to lower the dosage, or eliminate the need for medication, is a real plus.

Exercise may help some people—especially those with borderline high blood pressure—to get off medication, according to Douglas A. Godfrey, M.D., a Minneapolis internist.

Regular aerobic exercise also helps people to lose weight, said Dr. Godfrey. "It also relieves a lot of stress, a stress is a frequent elevator of blood pressure," adds Dr. Godfrey.

"People should design an exercise program they can fit into their lifestyles, and which will keep them motivated," suggests DeMarco.

"Many people are choosing in-home exercise equipment, such as the popular NordicTrack, which simulates the motions of cross-country skiing. Cross-country skiing is recognized by experts as the world's most effective cardiovascular exercise.

"High blood pressure is something we should all be aware of because it affects men, women—even children—of all ages, races, and social classes," said DeMarco.

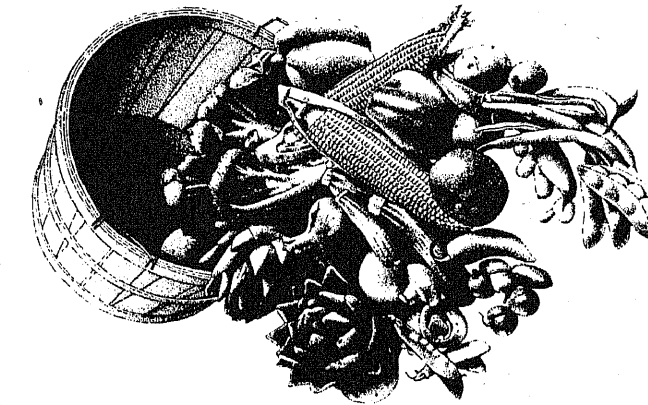
"Talk with your physician about how lifestyle changes—including regular aerobic exercise—can help you to avoid this potentially dangerous condition," she added.

THE YUPPIE QUICK-FIXER (YQF):

"These people are always in a hurry. They dart from aisle to aisle, choosing foods that can be easily prepared without sacrificing tennis lessons, manicures, or getting the BMW washed.

"Sodium-riddled frozen entrees for the microwave are the main attraction in this cart.

"Unfortunately, their food



selections are based largely on commercial influences. The likelihood of this hasty consumer making an informed purchase rests on whether products are packaged in "Miami Vice" colors.

"YQF's read labels only to hum the latest advertising jingles that go along with them. It's possible that their fast-paced lifestyle may slow down from the un-

healthy things they put into their preppy plaid bodies."

THE UNDERCOVER VIOLATOR (UV)

"Undercover violators rarely shop alone. They are usually educated consumers who know better, yet continue to sneak deadly foods into their baskets

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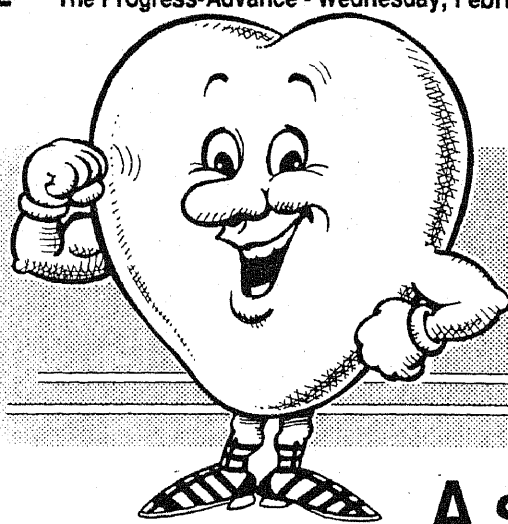
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Without letting their shopping partner know. "They will choose plenty of fresh fruits, vegetables, and lean meats. They will avoid fatty dairy products.

"But as soon as their partner's attention is diverted, the typical UV will toss a six-pack of pop in the cart. Packaged sugar doughnuts

will be hidden behind the head of lettuce, only to be discovered when it's too late—at the checkout line. "Out of guilt, single under-

cover voilato's take pains to organize their carts in such a fashion that the "bad" foods cannot be easily recognized at first glance. "On the surface, their bas-

kets are piled high with conscientious selections. However, expertly tucked underneath all the healthy food lies a virtual haven of whipping cream and chocolate sauce."

FAT SEEKERS (FS)

"These people are a dying breed. New information and

better nutrition education through public awareness makes them literal supermarket dinosaurs. "However, these adults still continue to choose butter instead of margarine, whole milk instead of low-fat or skim, and red meat instead

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Win The War Against Fat

(A 1 hour aerobics class burns approximately 450 calories)

NEW! Aerobic Circuit Training (ACT): Warm-up, intervals of easy to follow aerobics and strengthening, abs and cool down. Int. level: great for men and women. Call for schedule.

Heart Throb Lite (HT): Warm up, low impact aerobics, beginners, 50 years more or less, toning and cool-down. 1 hour.

Hi/Lo Combo (HL): Warm-up, high and low impact aerobics, toning and cool-down. 45 minutes - 1 hour. Int./Adv. Level.

Low Impact Aerobics (LIA): Warm-up, NO BOUNCE aerobics, toning and cool-down. 1 hour. Int. Level.

Schedule (classes subject to change without notice)

Time	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
9:00 AM	LIA		LIA		LIA	
9:30 AM						LIA
10:00 AM	HT		HT		HT	
4:30 PM	LIA	LIA	LIA	LIA		
5:30 PM	LIA	LIA	LIA	LIA	LIA	
6:30 PM	45 Min. HL	HL	45 Min. HL	HL		

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WHAT'S YOUR FITNESS QUOTIENT?

You may think you're physically fit, but how good are you at pumping trivia?

Q #1. Which of the following activities do, can, and can't condition your heart and lungs?

- a. golf
- b. jumping rope
- c. calisthenics
- d. running in place
- e. football
- f. stationary cycling
- g. volleyball
- h. bicycling
- i. swimming

Q #2. Which of the following is not a basic element of physical fitness?

- a. strength
- b. coordination
- c. cardiovascular respiratory stamina
- d. endurance
- e. flexibility

Q #3. What is the best measure of fitness?

- a. how good your body looks
- b. how much blood your heart can pump
- c. how strong you are
- d. how much oxygen your body can consume
- e. how much body fat you have

Q #4. Each of the six factors below affects the probability of someone participating in a supervised program of physical activity or exercise in some way. Rank them in order of highest to lowest probability.

- a. climate
- b. intention to adhere
- c. blue-collar occupation
- d. age
- e. spouse's support
- f. enjoyment of activity

Q #5. Which dance expends the most calories?

- a. rumba
- b. waltz
- c. polka
- d. disco
- e. Charleston

Q #6. Which three words best describe what most experts recommend your physical activity be?

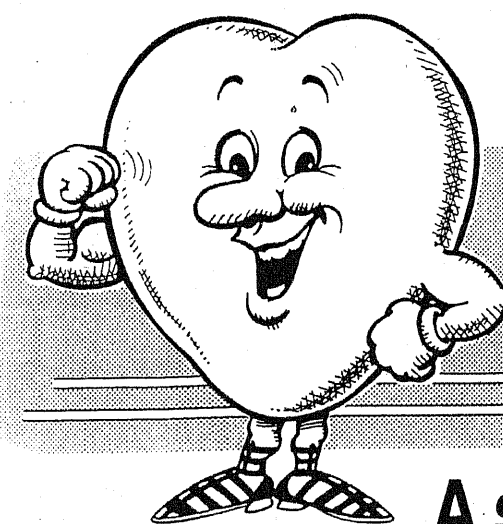
- a. brisk, sustained, and regular
- b. short, accelerated, and maximized
- c. relaxed, repetitive and paced
- d. enjoyable, energetic and eclectic.

Q #7. Which statement is most likely to motivate someone to stick with a fitness program?

- a. "This will make you healthier and give you a greater chance for a longer life."
- b. "Nature meant our bodies to be fit."
- c. "You owe it to those you love."
- d. "Your blood pressure declined one percent last month, so the program seems to be working."
- e. You're coming along just fine."

Here are the answers. How well did you do??

(a) guilt (b), altruism (c), or vagueness (d).
A #7. d. Specific results are better than preachiness.
A #6. a.
and waltz (5.7).
A #5. c. The polka expends 9 calories per minute, followed by the Charleston (8.06), rumba (7), disco (6.2).
A #4. e, d, b, a, c.
A #3. d.
A #2. b.
A #1. b.



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of lean white. It's too painful to relate.

"Totally unconcerned about determining fat content in food, Fat Seekers load their carts with destructive items that lead to grossly unbalanced diets and widening waistlines.

"The only hope for Fat Seekers is that they get help fast. (An exercise bike wouldn't hurt either.)"

THE PERFECT CONSUMER (PC)

"Perfect consumers know the American Heart Association dietary guidelines. They are well versed in label reading and can decipher hidden non-nutritional calories.

"Always on their toes, they are keenly able to distinguish nutrition fact from fact. The Perfect Consumer is not easily lured into worshipping fish oil or oat bran without investigating all the angles.

"PC's stroll up and down aisles at a painstaking pace, carefully examining and weighing each product they consider buying. Never without a grocery list, they plan every meal to assure a well-balanced diet.

"If you look closely, you can spot a PC hovering conspicuously over the dairy case, frowning with disappointment over the fat content in sour cream.

"Or, you may find one in the snack section, screaming uncontrollably because of the palm oil in crackers. And a Perfect Consumer never, absolutely never shops when hungry.

"How can you be Perfect Consumer?"

"First of all, learn about healthy eating. Before you can buy the right foods, you must understand your body's needs. The American Heart Association of Michigan recommends the following goals for a heart-healthy eating plan:

"Meet your daily require-

ments for protein, vitamins, minerals, and other nutrients. "Achieve and maintain your desirable weight.

"Achieve desirable blood cholesterol levels. (For persons aged 20 or more, the level should be less than 200 mg.) Total fat intake should be less than 30 percent of total calories, as follows:

-Less than 10 percent polyunsaturated

-10-15 percent monounsaturated

-Less than 10 percent saturated

"Cholesterol intake should not exceed 300 mg. a day. "Alcohol consumption should be limited to 1-2 ounces per day. That translates to two drinks of liquor (3/4 ounce of alcohol per drink) or two four-ounce glasses of wine or two 12 oz. beers.

"At the grocery store, choose only lean cuts of meat, and focus on fish, chicken, and turkey as healthy main meals," said Karen Jackson, R.D., AHA/MI volunteer.

Jackson advises consumers to shop the "outer limits" of the store.

"The inside aisles typically contain convenient processed foods, whereas the outer limits are usually fresh produce, dairy products, and meats. "These are the items that require some thought for preparation," she said.

Above all, read labels. "This cannot be stressed enough," Jackson said. "In order to steer clear of saturated fats, which elevate your blood cholesterol, you must know what oils to avoid in foods."

Saturated fats are usually solid at room temperature. They are found in animal and some plant products. They tend to raise the level of cholesterol in the blood, which leads to heart disease.

Saturated animal fats are found primarily in beef, veal, lamb, pork, butter, lard, cheese, whole milk, 2 percent milk, and cream.

Plant products containing saturated fats include coconut oil, cocoa butter,

palm oil, palm kernel oil, and hydrogenated shortening (liquid fat changed to solid).

These products are sometimes advertised as "cholesterol free," which is true; however, they are very high in saturated fat and should be avoided. Saturated fats are often used in store-bought baked goods, chocolate candies, fried foods, non-dairy creamers, whipped toppings and crackers.

Look for unsaturated fats, which are usually liquid at room temperature. They tend to lower blood cholesterol. There are two types of unsaturated fats—polyunsaturated and monounsaturated.

Examples of polyunsaturated fats are sunflower, soybean, safflower, cottonseed, and corn oil. Monounsaturated fats include olive,

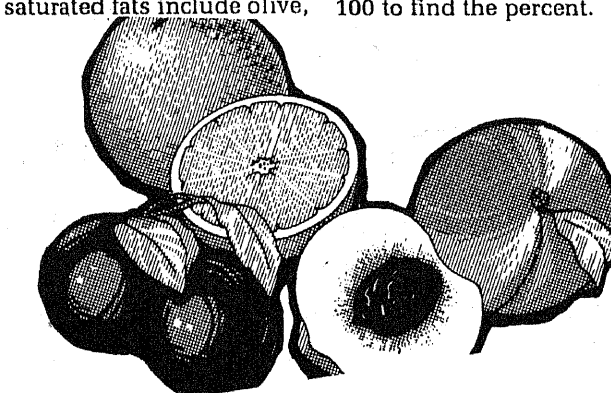
canola, and peanut oils, the fat in avocados, olives, nuts, and seeds.

The Perfect Consumer has memorized the formula to calculate the percent of fat in food.

Calories in food come from fat, protein, carbohydrates and alcohol. Fat is the most concentrated source of calories at 9 calories per gram.

Since the goal of a heart-healthy diet is to limit calories from fat to less than 30 percent of total calories, you need to know how to figure out what the fat percentage is in food. Find the total grams of fat per serving in the "nutritional information" part of the label.

Multiply by 9 (9 calories per gram of fat). Find the calories per serving and divide this into the fat calories. Multiply the result by 100 to find the percent.



Exercise reduces Triglycerides

According to Kenneth H. Cooper M.D. M.P.H., there are three main steps in controlling triglycerides. First, lose weight.

ming, and cross-country skiing. Extra energy that's not used by the body is transformed into triglycerides.

Abnormal triglycerides tend to be related to increases in body weight, particularly body fat. Second, reduce the carbohydrates in your diet. Third, get started on an aerobic exercise program. Triglycerides respond positively to physical conditioning—especially endurance exercises, such as walking, jogging, swim-

During a heart attack, your body usually sends out warning signals that your heart is starving for oxygen.

An uncomfortable pressure, fullness, squeezing or pain in the center of your chest for more than two minutes is one signal. Chest pain that spreads to your shoulders, neck, or arms is another. Dizziness, fainting, sweating, nausea, or shortness of breath may also occur.

Sometimes the signals may subside, only to return later.

HELP YOUR HEART! Learn to recognize these signals and take fast action. Remember that each year 350,000 Americans die from heart attacks before reaching the hospital. So don't ignore the warning signals. Act immediately.

If you are having chest discomfort that lasts for two minutes or more, call the emergency rescue service. If you can get to a hospital faster by car, have someone

drive you.

Find out which hospitals in your area offer 24-hour emergency cardiac care. Select in advance the facility nearest your home and office and tell your family and friends so they will know what to do.

Keep a list of emergency numbers next to your telephone and in a prominent place in your pocket, wallet, or purse.

If you are with someone who is experiencing the warning signals, and if they last for two minutes or longer, insist on taking prompt action.

Expect the person to deny the possibility of anything as serious as a heart attack. Call the emergency rescue service, or get to the nearest hospital emergency room with 24-hour cardiac care.

Give mouth - to - mouth breathing and chest compression (CPR) if it is necessary and if you are properly trained.



Handle Your Heart With Care

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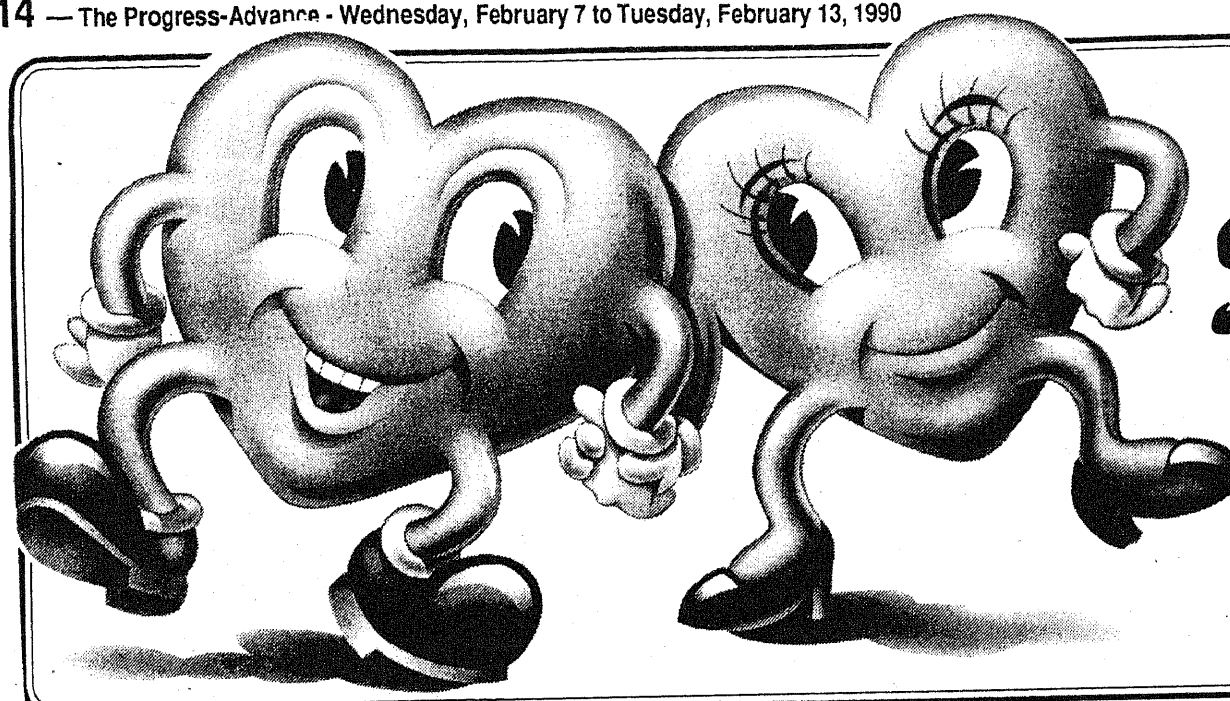
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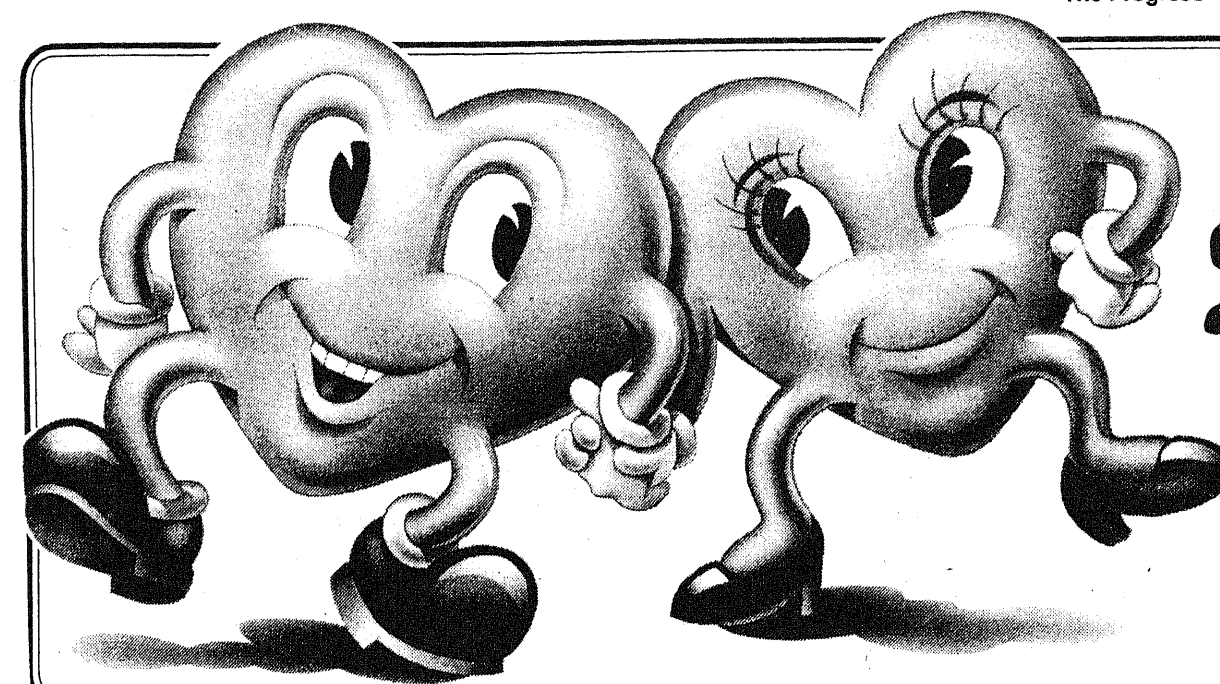
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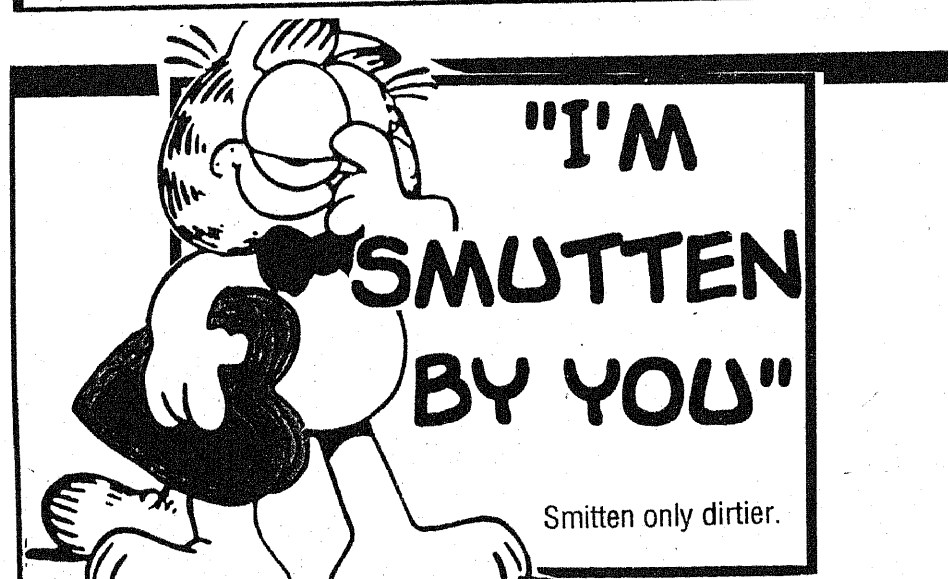


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Achievements

The honor roll for the third marking period and the semester at Caseville Public School have been announced by Supt. James Stahl. An * denotes "all A's."

THIRD MARKING PERIOD SENIORS:

Daniel Bennett
Terri Cassada
Rebecca Ousley
Brady Ploe
TerriPower
ColbyCottick
Thomas Fibranz

JUNIORS:

Teresee Hoffman
Wendy Karle
Brian Kraus
Jeffrey Oorbeck
Cheryl Peter
Janette Plonk

SOPHOMORES:

John Malett
Jill Miller
Mark Morden
Kimberl Pittenger
*Peter Ruiz de Castilla

FRESHMEN:

*Mandie Fritz
*Robert Ruiz de Castilla
Janet Ufford

EIGHTH GRADE:

Terri LaFontaine
Stacey Meissner
Kelly Prill
Tyler Williams

SEVENTH GRADE:

Scott Delmotte
Kevin Haag
*Stephanie Maust
Misty McCrimmon
Mique Partlow

SEMESTER SENIORS:

Daniel Bennett
Terri Cassada
Colby Cottick
Kimberly Duffy
Rebecca Ousley
Brady Ploe
Jodi Power
Terri Power
Thomas Fibranz

JUNIORS:

Kelly Gembarski
Wendy Karle
Brian Kraus
Jeffrey Oorbeck
Jamie Thick

SOPHOMORES:

John Malett
Jill Miller
Mark Morden
Kimberl Pittenger
*Peter Ruiz de Castilla

FRESHMEN:

Mandie Fritz
*Robert Ruiz de Castilla
Janet Ufford

EIGHTH GRADE:

Terri LaFontaine
Stacey Meissner
Tyler Williams

SEVENTH GRADE:

Kevin Haag
*Stephanie Maust
Mique Partlow

The honor roll for the second marking period at Owen-Gage High School has been announced by Principal Ronald D'Aoust. An * denotes "all A's."

SENIORS:

Bryan Abbe

Graham Besonen Tracey Cavanaugh Stacy Enderle Maria Goslin Krista Grassmann John Jaworski Anne Miller Brent Reehl Brandy Salcido Brad Susalla Dale Tabar

JUNIORS:

Melissa Copeland Michele Glasgow Lori Radabaugh Vicki Ricker Chad Timmons

SOPHOMORES:

Maelin Damm Lisa Dorsch Angle Gruber Debbie Timmons

FRESHMEN:

Becky Fahrner

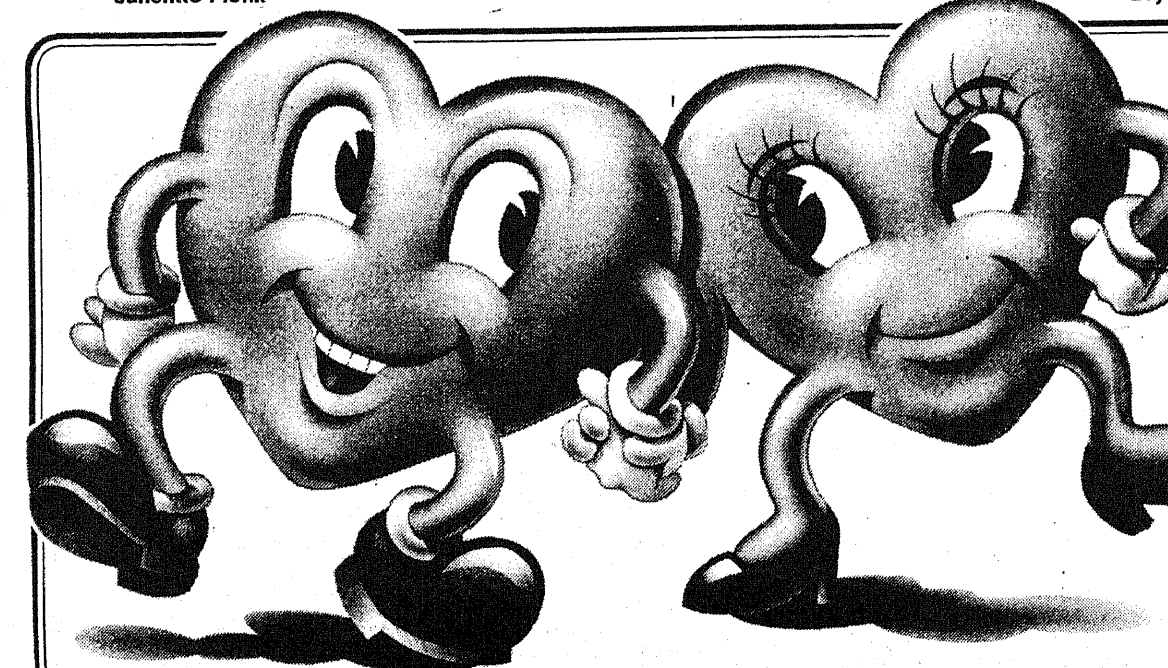
Tanya Muntz Loretta Rolston Robin Wildman

EIGHTH GRADE:

SEVENTH GRADE:

Brandy Parks
*Patti Timmons
Jodi Wood
Melody Abfaller
Shana Adkins
Shane Kady
Jennifer Niesler
*Michelle Pisarek
Jill Wildman

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NEWS THAT COUNTS FROM THE COUNTY



HURON COUNTY ASSUMED NAMES Week of January 29

NO. 4985 HUNTER'S BAR, 132 N. Huron Avenue, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. By: James M. Mausolf, 1850 N. Lakeshore, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. Filed: 1/24/90.

NO. 4986 BUD BIERI & SONS EXCAVATING, 7605 Crescent Beach Road, Pigeon, MI 48755. By: Robert J. Bier, Lorraine H. Bier, 7605 Crescent Beach Road, Pigeon, MI 48755. Filed: 1/30/90.

NO. 4987 BIERI'S EXCAVATING, 7605 Crescent Beach Road, Pigeon, MI 48755. By: Robert J. Bier, Lorraine H. Bier, 7605 Crescent Beach Road, Pigeon, MI 48755. Filed: 1/30/90.

DISSOLUTION
HUNTER'S BAR, 132 N. Huron Avenue, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. By: Roger L. Lamb. Filed: 1/24/90.

HURON COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
Week of January 29

Stephen J. Dybbles and Carol A. Stiff. Timothy R. Brown and Joyce A. Thiel.

HURON COUNTY JUDGMENTS OF DIVORCE

Tammy Glass -vs- Michael Glass.



HURON COUNTY PROBATE COURT January 25 - 31

Charles S. McIntyre to James T. McIntyre; a parcel of land located in Section 5 of Caseville Twp.

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Persons interested in becoming election inspectors for the March 12, 1990 general election may pick up application blanks at the Village Clerk's office.
JANET HECKMAN - Clerk

OFFICIAL NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE
Caseville, Michigan
NOTICE
VILLAGE OF CASEVILLE RESIDENTS
The last day to register to vote in the Village General election to be held on March 12, 1990 is February 12, 1990. Persons wishing to register may do so at the Village Clerk's Office Monday thru Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
ALICE HART - Village Clerk

Scott Forster and Dawn to Larry E. Winter; a parcel of land located in the Village of Elkton.

Henderson Sales, Inc. to Michael D. Gebauer and Cheryl L.; a parcel of land located in Section 30 of Verona Twp.

Theodore Streussing and Ruth to Richard Torres and Polyanna; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

Louis A. Osentoski Trust to Clarence L. Osentoski Trust; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

Earl J. Bradford and Suzanne L. to Peter Bates and Marlene R.; a parcel of land located in the City of Harbor Beach.

Estate of Rietta M. Ahearn to Janet Mary Ahearn, Nedra Ahearn, Sharon E. Angus, Marilyn Eileen McBride and Ellen A. Ahearn; a parcel of land located in Section 13 of Hume Twp.

Michael T. Cottick and Jean E., Jerome M. Bouverette and Elizabeth M. to Richard D. Coulter, Sr. and Richard D. Coulter, Jr.; a parcel of land located in Section 32 of Paris Twp.

Dore' Darling Hood McGowan to Martha Ellen Dempsey; a parcel of land located in the Village of Port Austin.

Martha E. Dempsey to Mary Lou Powers; a parcel of land located in the Village of Port Austin.

Clarence I. Osentoski Trust to Steve P. Radomski and Donna J.; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

Gilbert Maurer and Clayton Maurer to Theodore C. Lowe and Kathi Sue; a parcel of land located in City of Bad Axe.

Gloria Witherspoon to Harbor Beach Community Federal Credit Union; a parcel of land located in the City of Harbor Beach.

Helen M. Mazza, Lawrence J. Mazza and Vicky to Larry Mazza and Vicky; a parcel of land located in the Village of Port Hope.

Howard J. Sageman and Isabelle M. to Eugene P. Flannery and Maxine C.; a parcel of land located in Section 24 of Colfax Twp.

Estate of Mabel C. Clark, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 28,709. Independent Probate, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.

Estate of Celia Talaski, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,786. Supervised Probate, Petition for Court Allowance to Hold Estate Open filed, Order filed.

Estate of Albert T. Winter, Deceased, of Sebawaing. File 29,700. Will filed.

Estate of Clarence W. Shepherd, Deceased, of Port Hope. File 29,454. Supervised Probate, Report of Sale of Real Estate and Petition for Confirmation filed, Notice of Hearing filed.

Estate of Wilbert Wells, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 29,696. Will filed.

Estate of Verna Clancy, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,677. Independent Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Leonard J. Spanski, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 29,783. Independent Probate, Petition for Court Supervision filed, Petition for Assignment of Residue filed, Notice of Hearing filed.

Estate of Angus C. McIntyre, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,076. Independent Probate, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Norman Trautman, Deceased, of Uby. File 29,698. Petition and Order for Assignment, Estate Not Exceeding \$5,000 filed.

Estate of Tobie B. Bowers, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,620. Publication and Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Frank R. Kubacki, Deceased, of Uby. File 29,699. Supervised Probate, Will filed, Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed, Testimony Interested Parties filed, Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed, Publication Notice filed, Proof of Service by Certified Mail and By Personal Service filed.

Estate of Gerald Stephan Radlinski, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,675. Supervised Probate, Inventory filed, Proof of Mailing filed.

Estate of Bernice Gembarski, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 26,806. Independent Probate, Petition for Court Supervision filed, Petition to Remove Co-Personal Representatives filed, Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Mabel C. Clark, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 28,709. Independent Probate, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.

Estate of Celia Talaski, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,786. Supervised Probate, Petition for Court Allowance to Hold Estate Open filed, Order filed.

Estate of Albert T. Winter, Deceased, of Sebawaing. File 29,700. Will filed.

Estate of Howard Harris, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 27,567. Supervised Probate, Final Account of Personal Representative filed, Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Mary E. Krupp, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 28,793. Independent Probate, First Amended Inventory filed, Final Account of Independent Co-Personal Representatives filed, Closing Statement filed.

Estate of Laura M. Lenzner, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,488. Supervised Probate, Deposition filed.

Estate of Gerald R. Vacekonis, Deceased, of Port Hope. File 29,692. Supervised Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of William T. Marlett, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 29,692. Supervised Probate, Waiver and Consent filed.

Estate of August A. Richard, Deceased, of Ruth. File 29,232. Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.

Estate of Mildred Irene Parish, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 28,772. Supervised Probate, Waiver and Consent filed.

Estate of Thomas J. Maurer, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,382. Independent Probate, Inheritance Tax Receipt filed.

Estate of Harold H. Iron, Deceased, of Sebawaing. File 29,381d. Independent Probate, 2 Inheritance Tax Receipts filed.

Estate of Elsie H. Ayotte, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 29,685. Independent Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Erwin C. Gehrk, Deceased, of Caseville. File 29,088. Supervised Probate, 3 Inheritance Tax Receipts filed.

Estate of Harold J. Gremel, Deceased, of Sebawaing. File 24,459. Supervised Probate, Annual Account of Executor filed, Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Beatrice R. Sherman, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,622. Independent Probate, Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed, Testimony Interested Parties filed, Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed, Register's Order filed, Acceptance of Trust filed.

Estate of Alice Winifred Case, Deceased, of Filion. File 29,253. Supervised Probate, 2 Inheritance Tax Receipts filed.

It's a Boy, Boy!

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford D. Maust, of Macon, Miss., a son, **David Anthony**, on Jan. 15. David weighed 7 lbs 8 1/2 ozs at his birth at Noduxbe General Hospital. Mrs. Maust is the former Marie Miller, of Macon. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Maust, of Bay Port. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller of Macon, Miss. Great-grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Perry Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Larimer all of Goshen, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gingerich of Sarasota, Fla. David was welcomed home by his big brothers Jason and Jonathan.

Born to Philip and Sheila McArdle of South Carolina, a son, **John Joseph**, on Jan. 26.

The infant weighed 9 lbs. 6 oz., and measured 21 1/4 inches long at birth.

Maternal grandparents are John and Pearl Beckham of South Carolina. Paternal grandparents are Joe and Ada McArdle of Pigeon.

Learn about etiquette Thursday

A basic etiquette seminar has been planned this Thursday, Feb. 8, from 7-9 p.m. at Betty's Boutique in Bad Axe. Leading the seminar will be Linda Lee of Linda Lee Promotional Modeling and Talent. Linda Lee models have been active in the Tri-City area, Flint, and Detroit since 1973 and are seen on television commercials.

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Registration is limited, and refreshments will be served.

Achievements

Students listed on the honor roll at Cross Lutheran School, Pigeon, include the following students, according to Principal Marge Robinson. An * denotes "all A's."

EIGHTH GRADERS: James Schuette, John Schuette, Paul Shupe, Julie Winkel.

SIXTH GRADERS: Laura Winkel.

FIFTH GRADERS: Jim McCoy, Willie Schuette, Jonathan Shupe.

FOURTH GRADERS: Benny Champagne, *Nathan Forster, Shane Schulze.

THIRD GRADERS: Wendy Hastings, Jacob Heck, Nick Kopah, Sarah Rummel, Carrie Schuette, Ryan Schuette, Chad Sturm, Kevin Trost, Anne Troyer, Matthew Wineman.

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NOTICE TO ELKTON RESIDENTS

Village Primary Election will be held Monday, February 19, 1990 at Village Hall. Polls open 7:00 a.m. and close 8:00 p.m. Positions on ballot include President, Clerk, Treasurer, Assessor and three Trustee for two year terms each.

JANET SANTOS - CLERK

FARMLAND FOR SALE

Sealed bids will be received until 1:00 p.m. on February 21, 1989 for the following parcel of land.

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Bids may be mailed or delivered to Michael D. Otto, Attorney, 7340 Michigan Avenue, Pigeon, Michigan 48755 or Thumb National Bank & Trust Company, 7254 Michigan Avenue, Pigeon, Michigan 48755, on or before February 21, 1989, and will be opened at Thumb National Bank and Trust Company on said date at 1:00 p.m.

Sellers reserve the right to accept or reject any bid. Persons who have submitted bids will be given the opportunity to raise their bid at the bid opening. A ten percent (10%) deposit will be required on bid accepted. Abstract of Title will be furnished to successful bidder for examination prior to closing of sale. Possession to be given on date of closing.

MICHAEL D. OTTO, Attorney For Seller
7340 Michigan Ave., Pigeon MI 48755
(517) 453-3225

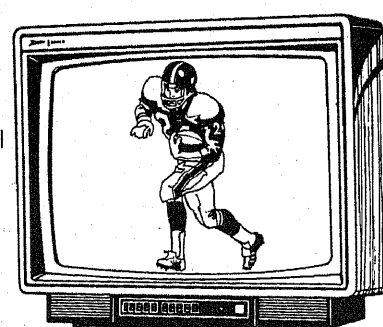
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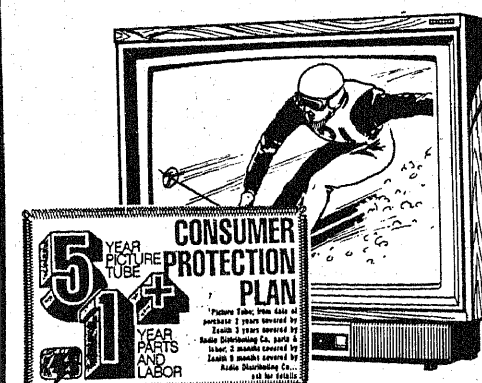
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Sunday Evening 6:00 pm
Wednesday Evening 6:00 pm

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Pastor Phillip Meier
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10:30 am Worship Service
6 pm Sunday Night Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 pm Bible Study

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Pastor David Dively
Service 10:00 am
Nursery Provided
Sunday School 11:00 am

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

**CALVARY BAPTIST
CHURCH, CASEVILLE**
Pastor James Duprey
Sunday School 10:00 am
Worship Service 11:00 am
Evening Service 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study &
Prayer Meeting 6 pm

**CASEVILLE UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**
Rev. John N. Hamilton
Sunday School 9:00 am
Nursery 10:15 am
Sunday Worship 10:15 am
Bible Study 6:00 pm

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Sunday Worship 11:00 am
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Pastor DeWeerd Smith
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Sunday Evening 7:00 pm
Wednesday Evening 7:00 pm

**COLLING CHURCH OF
THE NAZARENE**
Colling Road & Dickerson
Unionville - Rev. William Burdine
SUNDAY
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
7:00 pm Evangelistic Service
WEDNESDAY
7:30 pm Mid-Week Prayer/Praise
1st WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH
7:30 pm N.F.M.S.

**CROSS LUTHERAN
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Raymond E. Orth, Pastor
Sunday Worship
8:30 am and 10:45 am
Sunday School 9:45 am

ELKTON MISSIONARY CHURCH
Rev. Larry Salsbury
Sunday School 10:00 am
Worship Hour 11:00 am
Adult Bible Study
Wednesday 7:30 pm
Sunday Evening Service 7 pm

**ELKTON UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**
Rev. Jim James
Morning Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:45 am
Jr. High & Sr. High Youth 6 pm
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 pm

**FAITH BIBLE
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Rev. Lynn A. Randall
Corner M-25 and Haist Road
Sunday School 10 am
Morning Preaching 11 am
Sunday Evening 6 pm
Wednesday Mid-week 7 pm

**FAIR HAVEN COMMUNITY
MENNONITE CHURCH**
Rev. Wayne J. Keim
Sunday School 10:30 am
Morning Worship 9:30 am

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SUNDAY
10:00 am Morning Worship

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Pastor Howard Turnbull
Sunday School 10:00 am
Sunday School 10:30 am
Sun. Evening Worship 7:30 pm
Wednesday Evening Adult
Bible Study 7:30 pm

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH, PIGEON**
Rev. James P. Schwandt
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship 10:30 am

**GOOD SHEPHERD
CHURCH, CASEVILLE**
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856-4850
M-25 & Crescent Beach Rd.
Pastor John F. Mueller
Sun. Worship 8 am & 10:30 am
Sunday School 9:15 am

HARVEST BAPTIST CHURCH
3409 Akron Road, Akron
Rev. Don Miller 674-2785
SUNDAY
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service
7:00 pm Evening Service
WEDNESDAY
7:30 pm Service

**HAYES UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH**
Rev. Alger T. Lewis
Sunday School 10:00 am
Sunday Worship 11:00 am

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Stanley Surman
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MASSES: 7:00 pm Saturday
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**HORSESHOE ACRES CALVARY
CHURCH, BAD AXE**
Rev. Stewart L. Justin
Sunday Worship 10:00 am
Sunday School 11:00 am
Evening Service 6:00 pm
Wed. Night Bible Study 7:30 pm

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH,
SEBEWAING** - Missouri Synod
Rev. Martin Hagenow
Vicar Merle Mahlen
Sunday School 9:15 am
Sun. Worship 8 am & 10:30 am
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**KILMANAGH UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**
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SUNDAY
9:30 am Sunday School
10:15 am Worship Service

**KINDGOM HALL OF
JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**
1276 Pigeon Road Bad Axe
SUNDAY
10:00 am Bible Lecture
11:00 am Discussion of
"The Watchtower"

**MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE
CHURCH, PIGEON**
Herbert Troyer, Pastor
Morning Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:30 am
Evening Service 7:00 pm

MORAVIAN CHURCH
2711 Cass, Unionville
Rev. Olaf Andersen
9:15 am Divine Worship
10:30 am Sunday School
6:30 pm Youth Fellowship

**NEW SALEM LUTHERAN
CHURCH WELS, Sebewaing**
Corner of Grove & 5th Sts.
Rev. Jonathan D. Stern
SUNDAY
9:00 am Divine Worship Service
10:15 am Sunday School
THURSDAY
7:00 pm Worship Service

**PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE
CHURCH - Luke Yoder, Pastor**
Kenneth Dietzel, Asst. Pastor
Sunday Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:30 am
Sunday Evening 7:00 pm
Evening Bible Study 7:00 pm

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF
JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER
DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT**
Elder Terry Brown
Ervin Haley, Associate
10:00 am Church School
11:00 am Morning Worship
Child Emphasis Day
(3rd Sunday Each Month)
10:00 am Crafts
11:00 am Junior Church

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF
JESUS CHRIST OF
LATTER DAY SAINTS,**

LATTER DAY SAINTS - CONT.
CASEVILLE
Elder Dennis Abbe
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9:30 am Morning Worship
10:30 am Church School

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Rev. Clara Patton
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SUNDAY
9:15 am Worship Service
10:15 am Sunday School

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CHURCH, Wisner**
Rev. Mark Karls
SUNDAY
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
Study & Growth Groups Tues.
Evenings at Homes, Thursday
Evenings at Church

PIGEON NEWS

By DOROTHY DIENER

The Lydia Circle of the Women of the Church from Cross Lutheran met Thursday, Feb. 1 at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Tate with the topic presented by Mrs. Ruth Hamilton.

The Sarah Circle of the Women of the Church from Cross Lutheran met Tuesday, Feb. 6 at the home of Mrs. June Sturm with the topic presented by Mrs. Gertrude Schuette.

The Esther Circle of the Women of the church from Cross Lutheran met Tuesday, Feb. 6 with Mrs. Viola Hall as hostess and the topic by Mrs. Marge Robison.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schneek and family of Fraser were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born. While there they helped Amanda Fraser celebrate her 11th birthday.

Rick Born from Ferris State University spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born and Holly.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born helped their godchild Marcy Avey celebrate her birthday at the home of her parents in Caro. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming and son Tom attended Family Support Bowling at Bad Axe Lanes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roestel and family attended the Dast - Klinger Volleyball Tournament at Laker High School on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sattler and Beth Ann of Bay City were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collison and Fred. They also attended the wedding of Tim Brown and Joyce Thiel at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church and the reception which followed at the Sebewaing Sportsmens' VFW.

To help their mother, Mrs. Howard Jarvis, celebrate her birthday, weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kretschmer and sons Larry, Keith and Kevin, Jeanine Smith of Davison, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jarvis and Mr. and Mrs. David Jarvis and Kristy and Amy.

The Luther League from Cross Lutheran enjoyed volleyball on Sunday. Devotions were led by Melissa Haley and Christopher Shupe served the snacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roestel and family attended the party to help David and Scott Stevenson celebrate their birthdays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stevenson on Sunday.

The Just-A-Mere Farm Bureau group will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Viola Schuette.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diener were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schnitker in Sebewaing, to help the Dieners celebrate their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kern of Reese visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kern and family and Mrs. Elsie Kern.

Elkton UM Preschool hosts S.T.E.P. parenting group

The Elkton United Methodist Preschool has scheduled a six-week "Systematic Training for Effective Parenting" group beginning Tuesday, Feb. 20 at 9 a.m. at the Elkton United Methodist Church.

Phyllis Snider, retired school social worker, will lead the group and any inter-

ested parents are invited to attend.

The study concerns the behavior of young children, building self-esteem, improved communication skills and disciplining resulting in acceptance of responsibility and better family interaction. In addition to the text, Mrs. Snider will

relate the concepts to the Bible and contemporary authors.

There is a small materials charge. Anyone interested in participating may register by calling the church office or Dobi Ackerman, 375-4348 or 375-4113.

Elkton Prayer Breakfast set for Feb. 14

Rev. J. Robert Gallagher of the First Baptist Church, Bad Axe is guest speaker at the next Elkton Prayer Breakfast, Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 9 a.m., at Elkton Civic Center. Planned are praise, worship and prayer time with child care furnished by the Elkton United Methodist church.

Locals

Mrs. Verna Dietzel attended the wedding of her grandson Todd Dietzel and Alita Rose in Howell on Jan. 27. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dietzel and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dietzel and family.

Mrs. Meta McGee of Sterling Heights spent the weekend with her brother, Adolph Buchholz and other relatives.

Huron Snowbirds meet for picnic

The 30th annual Huron County Picnic has been set for Thursday, Feb. 22 at the Palmetto Mobile Home Club on Business Route 41 in Palmetto.

Registration will be at 10:30 a.m., followed by a

noon potluck dinner. Everyone attending should bring a dish to pass and their own table service, according to organizer Elizabeth Zulauf. A small fee will be collected at the door to cover expenses.

Lake-Chandler news

By MILDRED BALLAGH

Those from the Reibling families who attended the wedding of Todd Reibling and Alita Rose on Saturday in Howell were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuhl, Mr. and Mrs. David Reibling, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Reibling, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Reibling and family of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reibling of Caseville, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neil of Buffalo, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Bixler of Fort Wayne, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Ron Elenbaum and Debbie Proctor of Mayville, Shirley Booth of Alma and

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Reibling of Sturgis.

Todd is the son of Jeannette and Edsel Reibling of Gainesville, Fla., formerly of Pigeon. The newlyweds will reside in Connecticut, where Todd is in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuhl were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Elenbaum in Mayville. On Sunday they attended the baptism of their great-granddaughter, Angel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elenbaum, at the Mills Baptist Church, Mayville.

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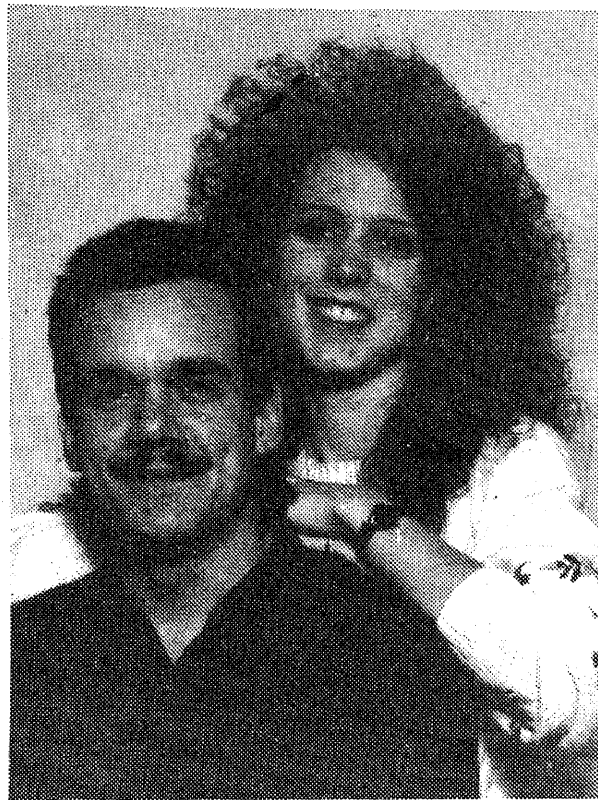
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Engaged

Schroeder - Aldridge



Ronald and Jerry Schroeder of Frankenmuth proudly announce the engagement of their daughter, Julia Ann, to Ronald C. Aldridge II, the son of Mary Bronson of Bay Port and Ronald C. Aldridge of Livonia. An Oct. 6 wedding is being planned at St. John's Lutheran Church, Frankenmuth.

Schuetter - Ball



Don and Kay Schuetter of Elkton announce the engagement of their daughter, Angela Kay to Joel Lewis, son of Lyle and Janet Ball of Blanchard. The bride-elect is a 1988 graduate of Laker High School and is presently attending Baker College in Flint. The prospective groom is a 1988 graduate of Lakeview High School and is currently attending Michigan State University. A March 17 wedding is planned.

Cheerleading Clinic Feb. 17

Hey, future cheerleaders! The annual Laker Cheerleading Clinic is planned next Saturday, Feb. 17 at Pigeon Elementary School from 8:45 to 12 noon. Children ages third grade through sixth grade are welcome. There is a small charge. For more information, call Laker High School, 453-2348 and ask for Miss DiCamillo.

Kretzschmer - Trail



Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kretzschmer of Caseville announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandra M. to Rodney S. Trail, son of Mr. & Mrs. Larry Trail of Benton Harbor. Both are currently attending Saginaw Valley State University. A July 28 wedding is planned.

When you don't know who else to tell your comment, compliment, question or statement, we're here at The Progress-Advance's

LISTENING EAR

Just write to: LISTENING EAR, P.O. Box 143, Pigeon, 48755 or P.O. Box 116, Elkton, 48731 or drop off at Progress-Advance Office by 5 p.m. Fridays. Selected contributions will be published.

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with child care furnished by the Elkton United Methodist church.

If someone tried to stop girls' sports in high school they would have more trouble than Gorbachev has in Russia or President

Bush has in South America. Carl P. Dast.

If you can't trust a policeman, who can you trust?

In reply to the person who wrote to Listening Ear complaining about non-smok-

ers being picky. No doubt she hasn't the allergy problem, or maybe she doesn't spend a future on medication so she can breathe.

Or perhaps she has never watched her father or husband gasp for his breath or be on oxygen for two years. There are some very considerate people one comes in contact with and they ask the person seated near them, "Does the smoke bother you?" Of the answer is yes, they don't light up. People can't smoke in church so can't they eat without doing so? We are not picky. Maybe you will find out someday.

Regarding taxes on mobile homes, your answer to that question in the Jan. 30 issue was correct, but not complete. When a mobile home is on property in a licensed mobile home park, the owner of the property collects \$3.00 per month for taxes.

However, when a mobile home or travel trailer is installed in a location such as a county park or other unlicensed park, it is taxed by the township in which it is located, as personal property of the owner. If it is installed on private property, the unit is taxed as real property.

I just saw on the news that Cox Cable in Saginaw raised their prices, basic being only \$15.85. How come Harroon Cable in Caseville raised their prices again and basic is \$18.50. Must be to pay for their eight new trucks.

Also, what happened to the "No Smoking" signs which used to keep the office free of smoke?

Give your valentine a break and bring the entire family to a Soup and Sandwich Supper at Laker High School on Tuesday, Feb. 13. Serving time is from 4 to 7 p.m., sponsored by the Laker Band Boosters.

In response to a Caseville teen's letter two weeks ago concerning the need for activities and a place to go for youth: Thousands and millions of dollars have been spent (and will be spent) on community projects; a new water project finished; a new harbor finished; a new sewer system to be started this year; a new recycling program and a "renewed Caseville" project, besides large amounts spent by private individuals.

TRUE, the bigger percentage is coming from the Federal Government (deficit). TRUE, these are all needed projects and the town hopes they will bring more people and money into the community. Yet, TRUE, not one dollar for youth, not one project, no concern. TRUE, we have a good Public School and the Village has provided baseball fields and a tennis court 15 years ago. But TRUE, there is a serious need for youth programs, activities, etc.

The Caseville teen said, "I think it's about time to get something going, even if it means we the teenagers have to make the first

move." YES! What do you think, Caseville residents? Write.

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Saturday is your last chance to attend the annual Bay Port P.T.O. Carnival. There will be good food and lots of games for children, and almost everyone wins a prize. It's at the Bay Port School, with dinner starting at 6 p.m. and games from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Proceeds to school projects.

I just read the paper, about houses on Charity Island. I must say I've heard such talk for more than 30 years, and I'll believe it when I see it.

Sometimes we turn in two weeks worth of bowling standings, but they do not get printed. That isn't fair. (Please instruct your league secretary to submit the facts as soon as possible. We only print the newer week's standings, but will print yours every week... if you submit them every week.)

I am inquiring about who wants to know about ranged chickens. I believe you cannot tell the difference from a regular one.

UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Gettel - Garcia

Margaret T. Garcia of Sebewaing and Mark Anthony Gettel of Bay Port were united in a double-ring marriage ceremony at Holy family Catholic Church, Sebewaing on Saturday, Oct. 28 at 1 p.m.

Rev. Father Ben Skornia officiated for the daughter of Amanda Garcia and the late Alvino Garcia of Sebewaing. The groom's parents are Ken and Sally Gettel of Bay Port. Organist was Lynette Hahn of Unionville, soloist was DeAnn Dutcher of Sebewaing and special readings

were given by Pat Schumacher of Sebewaing.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Ray Garcia of Auburn. She wore a white satin gown of chantilly, venise and clynny lace, featuring a fitted bodice, long puffed sleeves trimmed with lace, beading, sequins and bows.

Her full skirt formed a semi-cathedral train with scalloped lace and ruffled edge. A bow accented the back waist. She wore a Juliet cap with venise lace and pearls which secured her three-tiered veil.

Completing her attire was a cascading bouquet of white

roses, miniature carnations, white spider mums, burgundy baby's breath, pearl sprays and a crystal rosary.

Maureen Walsh of Dearborn Heights was maid of honor, wearing a burgundy tea-length lace-over-taffeta dress with a basque waistline, short puffed sleeves, full gathered skirt and low back, accented with a side bow. She carried two long-stemmed mauve silk roses with baby's breath and streamers.

Dressed in similar attire were bridesmaids Gloria Vasquez, Helen Garcia and Sofia Saenz, all of Sebewaing and Mary Covarrubias of Bay City, sisters of the bride; Kathy Champagne of Owendale, Deb Garcia of Auburn, sisters-in-law of the bride; Glendora Gettel of East Jordan, sister-in-law of the groom; Eva Saenz of Sebewaing and Angie Covarrubias of Bay City, both nieces of the bride and Janice Donjokowski of Essexville. They each carried a long-stemmed mauve silk rose accented with baby's breath and mauve streamers.

Bryan Gettel of Ann Arbor, cousin of the groom, served as best man. Attendants were Jesus Vasquez of Sebewaing, brother-in-law of the bride; Ed Champagne of Owendale, Carlos Torres of Saginaw, cousins of the bride; Ernie Garcia of Detroit, nephew of the bride; Mark Lutz of Sebewaing, Jeff Gettel of East Jordan, brother

of the groom; Wade Carter of Sebewaing, Rob Donjokowski of Essexville, Joe Covarrubias of Gagetown, brother-in-law of the bride and John Garcia of Sebewaing, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Richard

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WOODS and WATERS

By Duane Guenther

Carving blocks

February is located smack dab in the middle of that "between season" stretch that takes us from late winter to early spring. While dedicated ice fishermen and rabbit hunters are still out there knee-deep in their hobbies, most of us are gathered around the fire spinning tales and dreaming of new equipment.

In days past, this was the perfect time to add a few dozen blocks to your decoy rig and most duck hunters, whether neophytes or skilled carvers, worked diligently during the waning winter months to accomplish this task.

However, with the introduction of mass-produced synthetics, decoy carving has become a lost art. A few still

carry on the tradition, but they are mostly skilled craftsmen, many of whom are trained in formal art schools.

This was not always the case as most wooden decoys on collectors' shelves were made during a peak period between the Civil War and the 1920s. These were made by ordinary market hunters as an essential tool of the trade. In some regional areas like the Thumb, where duck hunting interest was high, this type of decoy carving carried on through the 30s, 40s and 50s.

Although there were many levels of craftsmanship, the majority of hunting decoys used on the Saginaw Bay were rough affairs whacked out of cedar with an axe and sometimes a drawknife. We

don't see many of them around because when the factory-built decoys hit the market, the old handcarved styles were discarded and often used for firewood. Some of the better carved ones made it through this period and now sell for fantastic prices at decoy shows and auctions.

There was a certain romanticism to those early crude decoys, and especially for me because I had a few opportunities to watch those grizzled old masters hack them out.

I remember watching one old timer from Fish Point making his decoys from several cedar logs he had harvested from a swamp nearby. Cut the year before, the logs had been allowed to

dry in a tumbled down shack near the rear of his house.

His first step was to split each log with the help of a couple of iron wedges, a small sledge and a pry bar. Next, he sawed up the half-logs into decoy-size lengths and with a small hand axe, rounded off the corner to form the breast at one end and the tail at the other. He smoothed the edges with a rough rasp and the bodies were done.

Next, he produced a box of heads whittled during the winter months from basswood. With a hand drill, he bored a hole in the bottom of the head and the top of the body. He whittled a home-made dowel rod from a stack of dry willow branches, and after soaking it in glue, jammed it first in the head and then into the body. The head was further secured by toenailing it to the body.

The decoy wasn't a thing of beauty, but painted flat black (almost every early decoy was painted black,) and placed with several dozen others, it provided the hunter with the means of luring hundreds of ducks within shotgun range.

I made several stabs at decoy-making during my youthful years, and all of them were miserable failures except one. During a time in the early 60s, balsam wood decoys were the rage of the marsh. I and a few of my duck hunting friends went together and sent for some of the material. It turned out to be scraps that were 2x2 in thickness and varied lengths.

The decoy bodies were formed by gluing the 2x2s together and then forming them with sanding wheels and rasps. The results were beautifully-shaped bodies considerably lighter than the cedar blocks I had been using.

The heads were carved by some of the more talented members of the group and when they were placed on the oversized bodies, we had created a decoy that rivaled and even surpassed the best mass-produced ones.

I hunted a great many years with the 2 dozen decoys made that dreary month of February some 30 years ago—and, oh yes, they were all painted black.



The Progress-Advance...

Outdoor Report

Recommendations for 1989 recreation grants were finalized by the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Board last month, and 2 local grants were among those awarded. Grants are available only to units of government and the applicant must have a five-year recreation plan. Sebawaing was awarded a land acquisition grant for \$215,300 for their marina project and a development grant for park development to the tune of \$318,400. Elkton received \$56,300 in a land acquisition proposal to expand Ackerman Park.

If you're looking for a special birthday present for that hunter or fisherman, you might consider the new Comprehensive Lifetime Sportsman License. The new license covers just about any hunting or fishing endeavors that special person may want to undertake, and it will allow him/her to pursue their favorite hobby for the rest of their lives.

Oh yes! There is one catch...

The cost is \$1,025.

A lifetime license is valid for the remainder of the holder's life, and its status will not be affected by subsequent license fee increases if the licensee moves out of Michigan.

This is the season for sport shows and if you can't wait for MUCC's Outdoorama, you may want to stop off at the Saginaw Civic Center for the Saginaw Boat and Fishing Show that starts this Wednesday. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1 for kids and the show runs through February 11.

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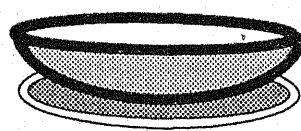
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By Percy Ross

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Believing before receiving...

DEAR MR. ROSS:

My problem is I was born black. I'm getting sick and tired of kissing up to white people and working for low wages. Anyway, I need \$5,000, because I'm behind on my bills and I'm down and out.

I don't know why I'm even writing you. I don't believe in Santa Claus, much less a big, white, fat-cat millionaire who gives out money to people in need.—Mr. P. J., Dallas, Texas

DEAR MR. J.:

If you don't believe, you don't receive. I only help those who are willing to help themselves. The truth is you turn me off with your self-imposed pity about being black. Good Lord, man—whatever happened to black pride?

You don't have to explain what oppression is to me, because I grew up Jewish in a predominantly Protestant community. In spite of the names people called me, I knew inside I was just as worthy of a good life as they were, so I set my sights high. When you stop thinking that being black is a problem, only then will you be able to help yourself.

—\$\$\$\$\$\$—

DEAR MR. ROSS:

Do you have any idea what it's like to battle mental illness? Of course you don't—you're a millionaire and a married man. My own mother didn't even want me. I was put up for adoption at age two. By the time I was 16, my adoptive parents couldn't cope with me, and I started a merry-go-round trip with mental hospitals. Admitted, released, admitted, released—over and over again. My diagnosis: schizophrenia.

I'm now 36 and have been living on the outside for two months. I have a flea-bag apartment and wear secondhand clothes. My furniture looks like it survived the Vietnam War. That's OK though—I'm on the outside at least and am determined to make it this time. I attend a workshop five days a week through Social Services, and I hope to have a skill and a real employer someday. Over the years, I've neglected my teeth—dental hygiene is not top on the list when you're hallucinating. They're broken and rotted, and I know people can smell the rotting if they get too close. Don't laugh, but my teeth keep me from forming a relationship with a woman. I've never kissed a woman or even held hands with one. I'm eligible for low-cost dentures and could get them for \$425. Could you help me with this, Mr. Ross? People say that a woman will only break my

heart. Well, I don't know if my heart even exists. Give me the chance to learn.—Mr. G. J., Topeka, Kan.

DEAR MR. J.:

Your situation reminds me of the Tin Man in the "Wizard of Oz." As I recall, he had a heart the entire time he was searching for one. He just needed to believe in it and get the opportunity to use it.

My \$425 is on the way to outfit you with new dentures. Let's hope you find a chance to take a real bite out of life and start dating. Best wishes in your quest for love.

—\$\$\$\$\$\$—

DEAR UNCLE PERCY:

I hope you don't mind that I call you "Uncle Percy," but you're like an uncle to the nation. My situation is quite similar to those I've read in your column. I'm a single mother of four children and am on wel-

fare. Mine is the same story as many others—I had a husband who was an alcoholic. He beat me and the kids and was a real skirt chaser to boot. Who needs him, right? I divorced him three years ago and have never regretted it.

What's different about my situation is that I haven't sat on my duff feeling sorry for myself. Yes, I'm still on welfare, but I look to change that. My youngest (I was pregnant with her when I divorced) will be in school in a couple of years, at which time I plan to go to school myself.

Here's the exciting news. When I was married and my husband was drinking, I was eating. I finally tipped the scale at 327 pounds. I now weigh 146 pounds! You bet I look good, and I feel great! But (there's always a "but"), I'd look even better if I had clothes that fit me, instead of the old tents I used to call dresses. How about it, Percy, will you pop for \$250 to re-dress this woman? If not, I'll understand. But I can wish and dream, can't I? —Ms. K.A., Escondido, Calif.

Lake-Chandler news

Ann McBride is staying with her daughter and son-in-law, Don and Judy

Ahearn, while her husband, Bill, is in St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw.

State Farm, the people best known for car and home insurance, was just rated the best for life.

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Laker BPA scores high!



The Laker Business Professionals of America club recently rang up high honors in regional competition at Baker Community College.

The team was first in its parliamentary procedure contest, and individual members took high placements in various contests. The team now is practicing for the state finals at the Renaissance Center in Detroit March 16-18.

Club members include, sitting, Dutch Seley, Beth Roestel, and Clay Kelterborn. Standing is Lisa Buchholz, Jennifer Kreh, Karen Gemmell, Jason Eichler, Tricia Kuch, and Bryan Young. Missing from the photo are Tracy Roestel and Jennifer McIntosh.

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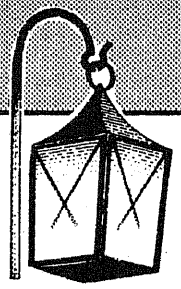
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BOWLING

TY'S TUESDAY LADIES LEAGUE

Channel Dusters 14
 Alley Cats 10
 Four Spares 8
 Unpredictables 8
 High team series and game: Four Spares 1585 (648).
 High individual scores: C. Krohn 430 (208), M. Chappel 437 (170), M. Erer 431 (158, 165), Z. Bauer 179, G. Reibling 173, B. Willis 165, S. Weidman 154.
 Splits converted: 5-10 L. Schenck; 5-7 G. Reibling; 7-8 L. Morin.

PIGEON MONDAY MAJOR LEAGUE

Gettel's 10 1/2
 Damm's Inc. 10
 J & B Plumbing 9 1/2
 J. O. Wurst Tiling 8
 Pigeon Motor Sales 8
 Greenfields 8
 Bay Shore Realty 7
 Village Quick Stop 6
 Bay Shore Collision 5
 Pigeon Lanes 4
 *Incomplete
 High team series and game: Greenfields 2617 (909, 863), Damm's Inc. 2526 (934), Pigeon Lanes 2578 (900, 859), J & B Plumbing 893, Gettel's 875.
 High individual scores: T. Damm 602 (218, 213), D. Smith 565 (201), L. Swartzendruber 562 (222), O. Hurdock 222, T. Gunden 220, D. Weishans 210, J. Eckel 210, R. Paltier 210, G. Gunden 209, R. Nowaczyk 200, D. Diener 200.

PIGEON TUESDAY CLASSIC LEAGUE

Steinman Agency 12
 Ju-Dens 11
 Osentoski Equipment 9
 Dutch Kettle 8
 Ralphs Tavern 7
 Farm Crest Foods 6
 Bob Smith Builders 6
 Peoples Choice Market 5
 High team series and game: Ju-Dens 2744 (851, 828, 865), Dutch Kettle 2533 (880, 867), Osentoski Equipment 2575 (915).
 High individual scores: D. Rapson 661 (257, 214), G. Schulz 637 (238, 223), L. Smith 665 (211), J. Gunden 651 (202), R. Eibling 541 (201), D. Schulz 213, H. Trost 201.

GUYS AND DOLLS

Heintz-Undersmark 12
 Roestel-Palmer 9
 Smith-Dubs 8
 Smith-Elbing 8
 McCrimmon-Cusemano 8
 Gunden-Rapson 7
 Dunn-Seemann 7
 Parrish-Parrish 5
 Beachy-Weldman 4
 Christner-Henne 4
 *Incomplete
 High team series and game: Roestel-Palmer 1979, Gunden-Rapson 1941 (716).
 High individual scores: LADIES—J. Eibling 549 (203, 190), B. Heintz 525 (194), P. Roestel 486 (138), A. Dubs 473 (179), E. Gunden 174, G. Smith 170; MEN—L. Roestel 538 (214), L. Smith 534, E. Dunn 517, J. Gunden 517 (200), F. Hundersmark 513.
 Splits converted: 3-10 J. Dubs, L. Smith, M. Henne, R. Heintz, R. Seemann, J. Dunn; 4-10 L. Smith; 5-7 M. Henne.

FRIDAY NIGHT MEN'S LEAGUE

Pigeon Lanes 17
 Co-op Elevator 16
 Berkley Indust. 16
 Active Feed 9
 Albrecht Auction 9
 Caseville Fruit Mkt. 4
 High team series and game: Pigeon Lanes 2685 (909-907-969), Co-op Elevator 2418 (880), Active Feed 862, Albrecht Auction 833, Caseville Fruit Market 821. High individual scores: D. Dunn 592 (202-201), M. Swartzendruber 584 (226), E. Shepherd 571 (220), R. Damm 546 (211), J. Thick 538 (212), L. Albrecht 535, J. Dubs 517, J.D. Gunden 512, B. Stahl 508 (204), D. Ropp 220.
 Splits converted: 3-10 R. Damm, D. McAlpine, J. Thick; 2-7 C. Henne, D. Henne; 3-5-7 P. Lang; 6-7-10 L. Albrecht.

ELKTON THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES

(Jan. 25)
 Bay Port State Bank 11
 P & L Party Store 10 1/2
 Thumb Hardware 10
 Ty's Bowling Lounge 9
 Pratt's Appl. Repair 8 1/2
 Ron's Party Store 7
 Bumhoffer Surge Sales 5
 Knechtel's Market 3
 High team series and game: Thumb Hardware 679, P & L Party Store 1860.
 High individual scores: M. Erer 503 (203), B. Willis 541 (194), D. Seley 522 (199), J. Rosenthal 514 (192).
 Splits converted: 2-7 M. McAlpine; 5-8 D. Seley, R. Stephenson; 5-10 K. Carr; 5-8-10 J. Schulz; 3-9-10 L. Polega; 5-7 L. Jaworski.

THURSDAY NITERS LEAGUE

Fink's Farm Equip. 18
 J&B Plumbing & Htg. 12
 Elftman's Hardware 12
 Scheurer Hospital 19
 Butcher Block 10
 Lee's Landscaping 9
 Pigeon Inn 9
 Village Barber 8
 McCormick Motors 8
 Country Maids 8
 Pigeon Telephone 8
 Want Ads 7
 High team series and game: Fink's 2353 (809), Country Maids 2280, Scheurer Hospital 2229 (832), J&B 848.
 High individual scores: B. Schulz 544 (220), D. Schulz 533 (217), P. Niebel 514 (200), S. Sting 504 (173), J. Poisson 500 (199), E. Gunden 495 (191), J. Deboer 186, H. Ruby 207, L. Bodora 190, K. Herford 178, B. Heintz 179, P. Taschner 175, A. Albrecht 173, M. Ropp 172, C. Haley 176.
 Splits converted: 4-10 B. Greene; 5-7 L. Beedle; 5-10 S. Gunden; 5-8 J. Dunn; 5-6-10 D. Deming; 3-10 B. Schulz, A. Taschner, P. Parrish, K. Swartzendruber.

WEDNESDAY NITE LADIES

Bay Port State Bank 16
 Dodge Girls 13
 Ju-Dens 13
 Gumbys 12
 Bay Port Construction 10
 Haist Flowers 9
 Vartys 8
 Pigeon Auto Supply 7
 Cloud of Dust Ceramics 6
 Damms, Inc. 6
 High team series and game: Bay Port State Bank 2172 (758, 741), Vartys 2163 (788, 718), Ju-Dens 1237 (724, 709, 704), Damms, Inc. 2130 (714), Pigeon Auto Supply 2114 (746, 708), Cloud of Dust Ceramics 709, Dodge Girls 703.
 High individual scores: J. Rosenthal 549 (247), J. Deering 532 (205), P. Roestel 529 (195, 183), R. Ruth 487 (197), A. Gohman 485 (196), K. Fritz 208, D. Vahn 179.
 Splits converted: 3-10 D. Ziel, C.A. Dubs; 2-7 D. Kuch, V. Forster, Merer; 5-8 D. Kuch, B. Ankiam; 4-5 S. Kuhl, P. Purcell; 5-8-10 M. Wichert.
 *consec. strikes: J. Rosenthal.

ELKTON THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES

Bay Port State Bank 14
 Ty's Bowling Lounge 12
 P&L Party Store 11 1/2
 Thumb Hardware 11
 Bumhoffer Surge Sales 9
 Pratt's Appl. Repair 8 1/2
 Ron's Party Store 8
 Knechtel's Market 5 1/2
 High team series and game: Bay Port State Bank 1799 (665).
 Splits converted: 5-7-9 V. Williams; 5-7 T. McAlpine; 3-10 J. Rosenthal, D. Damm; 5-8 L. Zarnke.

TY'S G'PA & G'MA LEAGUE

Gayari-Wichert 23
 Schember-Rosenthal 20
 Krohn-Klosowski 15
 High team series and game: Krohn-Klosowski 1804, Gayari-Wichert 592.
 High individual scores: L. Carrette 543 (203), B. Wichert 460 (181), K. Schember 179, D. Krohn 447 (169), T. Wichert 477.

MONDAY LADIES LEAGUE

Grigg Greenhouse 13
 Pigeon Lanes 13
 Thumbdies 11
 Sun Bonnet Bakery 11
 Terra 10
 Beachy Eggs 8
 Yaroch Asphalt 8
 Town & Country Beautys 5
 Diener's Home of FF 5
 Deble's Catering 4
 LaFave Steel 4
 High team series and game: Pigeon Lanes 1784, Beachy Eggs 651.
 High individual scores: R. Voss 515 (183), M. Richardson 491 (213), L. Klein 511 (197), E. Baus 437 (192-181), G. Zimmer 471, E. Guster 461 (171), J. Deering 460 (174), D. Basinger 181, D. Deming 176, A. Kleinfield 174, M.L. Lorenz 170.
 Splits converted: 2-7, 4-5 M. Richardson; 3-10, 5-10, 5-7 V. Pipe; 5-6 F. Schnepf, A. LaFave, J. Christner; 2-7-8 B. Hundersmark; 4-7-10 E. Bennett; 5-7-10 M. Gunden; 2-5-10, 3-10 G. Deering; 5-10 J. Beachy; 2-7 F. Carlier, E. Guster; 3-10 G. Zimmer; 6-7 A. Hazard; 6-7-9-10 V. Doyle; 4-5-7 E. Morse.
 *consec. strikes: M. Richardson.
 Triplicate score: V. Pipe (138-138-138).

ELKTON MONDAY MENS' LEAGUE

Finkbeiner Farm Equip. 22
 Auto Color Profession 19
 Ron's Party Store 16
 Don's Barber Shop 14
 Jim's Garage 14
 Moon Beams 12
 Wesleyan Church 9
 Thumb Petroleum 6
 High team series and game: Auto Color Professionals 2433 (867), Ron's Party Store 2460 (864), Don's Barber 2407 (861).
 High individual scores: K. Neitzke 614 (224-200), D. Young 609 (215-211), J. Rich 591 (232), K. Schember 560 (221), K. Hazard 536, B. Zeltner 514 (200), D. Schulz 523, D. Deming 519, J. Jaworski 518, D. Smith 507 (200).
 Splits converted: 3-10 K. Brill, D. Weiss, K. Hazard (3), D. Young, D. Cunningham; 2-7 B. McGee; 2-7-8 C. Mansfield; 4-7-9 K. Thumme, D. Smith; 4-5 B. McGee; 4-5-7 T. Farver; 5-7 D. Schulz.

BOWLER OF THE WEEK

Lisa Erla is the Thumb Area Women's Bowling Association bowler of the week for Jan. 7 - Jan. 13 with a 565 actual series.
 Lisa bowls for the team of Clean Up Crew on the Thursday Night Merchandise League at Charmont Lanes, Cass City.

Other 150 and higher series bowlers were: Sue Amott 537, Grace Riftenbark 558, Fay Randall 557, Cindy Miller 550, Bad Axe Lanes, Pam Corcoran 581, Sharon Delong 557, Elaine Romain 551, Charmont, Cass City, and Linda Mausolf 559, Aida Moreno 558, Blue Water Lanes, Harbor Beach.

Achievements

Several local students were on the academic honors list for the fall semester at Central Michigan University.
 CASEVILLE: Kristin A. Nevin, sophomore.

PIGEON: Lisa L. Buschlen, sophomore, Becki J. Schaff, junior.

ELKTON: Angela M. Herford, sophomore.

OWENDALE: Barbara A. Hellebuyck, junior.

SEBEWAING: Michael S. Remar, junior.

OBITUARIES

ANNA SMITH 1894 - 1990

Anna Smith, age 95, formerly of Oliver Twp., passed away Saturday Jan. 27 at Beth Israel Geriatric Center, Denver, Colo.

She was born Aug. 17, 1894 in Oliver Twp., the daughter of the late William and Louisa Russell. She was united in marriage to John R. Smith Mar. 12, 1915 in Huron Co. Mrs. Smith was a member of the Rebekahs of Flushing.

She is survived by one daughter, Una (Ralph) St. John of Owosso; six grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren, and five great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Smith was preceded in death by one daughter, Ina Pardee in 1989 and one brother, Horace Russell.

Funeral services were conducted on Wednesday, Jan. 31 at 10 a.m. from the Rossell Funeral Home, Flushing. Rev. Dr. Brent McCumons officiated with burial in the Caseville Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by Rossell Funeral Home, Inc., Flushing.

CHARLES E. SYMONS 1943 - 1990

Charles Edward Symons, 47, former Sebewaing resident, passed away Sunday, Jan. 28 in Saginaw, following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Saginaw, graduated from Arthur Hill High School, attended Delta College, and worked as a Registered Nurse prior to the onset of his illness.

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new morning, they remember me on important holidays, they shower me with gifts and kindness on my birthday. They send thoughtful notes and cards throughout the year and are wonderfully void of criticism and advice. They show real concern when I air some little problem, and always seem genuinely interested and able to assist me. Without hesitation, they come to my rescue, they throw out the life-saver, they lend an ear, and give a shoulder. By the same token, they're there for the good times, often dis-guising or putting aside their own sorrows and troubles, to unselfishly share a little moment of joy with me. Their presence makes the mundane routines of daily life "fun-filled," the humdrum of a day's work a "unique learning experience," and my recreational/leisure moments "magical."

It is my fondest desire to be like them - strong, independent, funny, helpful, loving, caring - yet - tough, strong, capable, in control.

I can only conclude that my guardian angel decided early on that he (or she) was unable to keep up with me and the folly that follows me, and appointed the most qualified personnel here alive on earth to watch over and guide me. They do a marvelous job, and nothing I could ever say or do could ever adequately express my undying gratitude to them: Mere words sound empty and trite, I know - over-used and devoid of meaning they're suppose to possess. Lord knows I can't give them any money, nor am I handy with crafts and goodie baking - but it is this very fact the fact that I have and am and deserve nothing, that proves how very special these people must be to honour me with their friendship. Exceptional persons all, indeed, exceptional friends without a doubt - and this is my valentine tribute to them. ♥ ♥ ♥ ♥ ♥

Dairy outlook coming Feb. 16

A Dairy Outlook meeting is planned at Uby Fox Hunter's Club from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 16, according to Roger L. Swartzendruber, Huron Extension agricultural agent.

Dr. Larry Hamm and Dr. Sherrill Nott, MSU dairy economists, and Joe Shaltry, District Extension dairy agent, will be speakers.

Topics will include the milk pricing system and trend of future milk prices, operations of representative

Achievements

Private Anthony J. Motz has arrived for duty in West Germany. Mostz is a missile operator with the 8th Infantry.

He is the son of Margaret A. Wood of Unionville and Jay E. Motz of Pigeon. Motz is a 1989 graduate of Unionville-Sebewaing Area High School, Sebewaing.

He is survived by his wife, the former Helen Elizabeth Baker, also a Registered Nurse; one son, Troy; a daughter, Melanie; his parents, Edward and Elizabeth Symons of Caseville; one brother, James Symons of Bay City, and two sisters, Mrs. Roger (Patricia) Elston of Pigeon and Joanne Jahr of Elkton.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, Feb. 1, in Resurrection Lutheran Church, Saginaw. Rev. David Bracklein officiated.

STEVEN M. FERRIS 1971 - 1990

Steven M. Ferris, age 18 of Lake Township near Caseville, passed away Monday, Jan. 29 of injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

He was born July 28, 1971 in Pigeon, son of Lee and Linda (Maurer) Ferris.

Mr. Ferris was a senior at Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Laker High School and was active in woodworking shop and automotive mechanics. He was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Kinde.

Surviving are his parents, Lee and Linda and one sister, Dawn Marie Ferris, of Caseville; his paternal grandmother, Marjorie Ferris, Kinde; and his maternal grandparents, Vincent and Evelyn Maurer, Bad Axe.

Funeral services were held Friday, Feb. 2 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Kinde. Rev. Ray R. Ohlendorf, interim pastor, officiated, with burial in Colfax Cemetery, Bad Axe. Memorials may be made to the organization of the donor's choice.

Funeral arrangements were made by Gage Chapel of MacAlpine Funeral Home, Kinde.

EUGENE ROLPH 1920 - 1990

Eugene F. Rolph, age 70 of Lupton, formerly of Elkton, passed away Wednesday, Jan. 31 at Tollfree Memorial Hospital, West Branch.

He was born Jan. 31, 1920 in Detroit, son of the late George and Estella (Jeroue) Rolph.

He was united in marriage on July 1, 1944 to Leila Carter, in Muskogee, Okla. Mr. Rolph retired from the Ogemaw County Sheriff Department as an undersheriff. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Disabled American Veterans.

He is survived by his wife, Leila; two sisters, Wanda McIntyre, Oak Park, Eljeretta LeDuc, East Jordan; one brother, Duane Rolph, Elkton; and one aunt.

Funeral services were conducted on Saturday, Feb. 3 at 11 a.m. from the Steuermol-Axford-McLaren Funeral Home, Rose City. The Rev. Richard Seifferly, pastor at St. Joseph Catholic Church, West Branch, officiated.

OTHER THUMB AREA DEATHS

Francis Witherspoon, 75, passed away Jan. 28, Ionia, formerly of Port Austin, passed away Jan. 25.
 Laura Brining, 89, Port Hope, passed away Jan. 26.
 Helen Mitchell, 68, Sebewaing, passed away Jan. 26.
 Edna Shupe, 92, Lansing, formerly of Huron County, passed away Jan. 27.
 Vida Cove, 75, Bad Axe, passed away Jan. 29.
 Elise Deeg, 86, Sebewaing, passed away Jan. 28.
 Richard Wrubel, 22, Marlette, with local relatives, passed away Jan. 28.
 Stephen Richardson, 70, Bad Axe, passed away Jan. 29.
 Anna Susalla, 77, Kinde, passed away Jan. 29.

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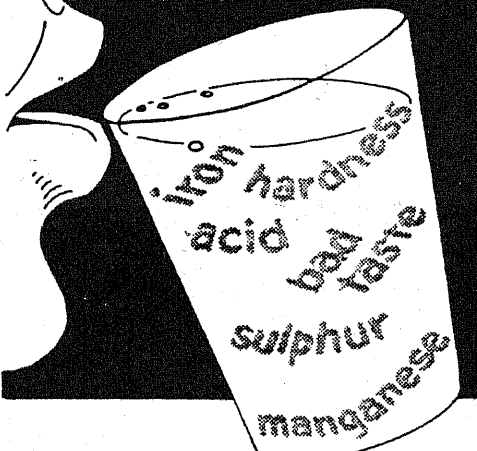
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Commission Order - CFI-115.90

(Under the authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, as amended)

WALLEYE AND SAUGER SIZE LIMIT

Under the authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, as amended, being sections 300.1 through 300.5 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, the Natural Resources Commission at its October 4, 1989, meeting ordered that for a period of five years: the walleye and sauger size limit shall be 16 inches on all state waters, except Lake Gogebic, Big Manistique Lake, Grand Lake (Presque Isle County), Lake Erie, Lake St. Clair and the Detroit and St. Clair Rivers.

This order supersedes the Commission order entitled "Walleye and Sauger Size Limit", effective January 1, 1985, and assigned number CFI-115.85.

This order shall take effect on April 1, 1990, and shall remain effective through March 31, 1995.

Raymond Poupore, Chairman
 Natural Resources Commission
 Countersigned: David F. Hales, Director

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