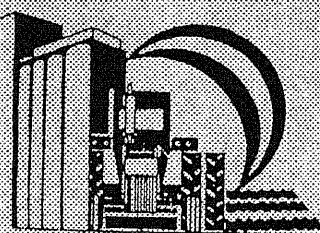


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Your
Official
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Guide!

You're Invited To The 18th Annual Farmers' Festival In Pigeon This Week



Who'll Be Our Queen?

NINE YOUNG LADIES faced judges recently during a dinner at Greenfields Restaurant, vying to be named "Miss Farmers' Festival" for 1991 as part of this year's Festival, beginning Wednesday. The winner will be crowned Friday night, to reign during Saturday's Grand Parade and throughout the next year. Contestants are, front row from left, Debby Christner, Cheri Peter, Lynn Roestel and Jody Herford. Back row, Dana Goniwicha, Jill Gardy, Jennifer Heintz, Wendy McBride and Melissa Haley.

Safety Trailer visits Festival

By AMY HEIDEN
Sgt. Brent Woodward once dreamed of an educational display -- a trailer -- for the Huron County Sheriff's Department.

Woodward of Elkton, the Director of Safety Education for the department, found his dream coming true several years ago when a local beverage company donated a 32-foot semi-trailer to the

Sheriff's Department. It was the perfect platform for a traveling safety display.

Now the trailer travels to festivals all over the county -- including the Huron Community Fair -- with its displays about the operations of the Sheriff's Department, traffic safety and other topics. And it'll be in Pigeon for the Farmers' Festival all day Thursday,

Friday, and Saturday. Sgt. Woodward was the project coordinator for the Safety Trailer, and he says donors county-wide made the trailer possible, including many of the manufacturing businesses in Pigeon, who were especially generous.

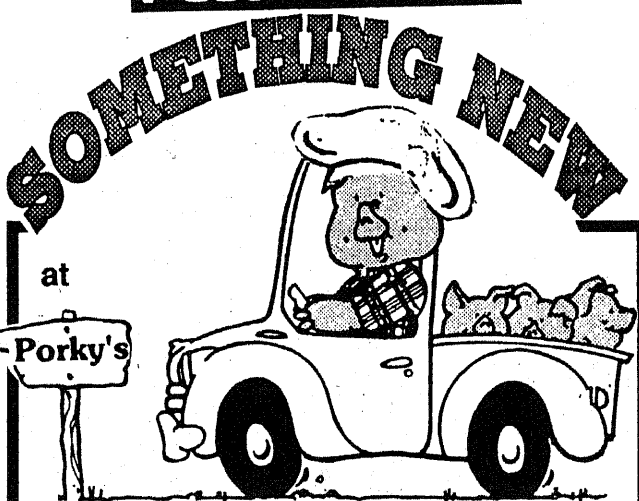
The trailer will be parked downtown on the corner of Michigan Ave. and N. Main Street (former Dairy Bar)



THE HURON COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT Safety Trailer has a refurbished look, thanks to the generosity of many local manufacturing businesses who gave donations for a new skirting and a wider entrance for wheelchair accessibility.

during the Farmers' Festival. The trailer invites everyone to visit this week, and Woodward invites everyone to visit during that time.

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Sheriff Mike Gage wins Pigeon Lions' top trip

Huron County Sheriff Mike Gage "collared" an elusive prey Wednesday night, and he had nearly 400 witnesses urging him on.

In all, 190 tickets were entered in the eighth annual Pigeon Lions' "Vacation Safari" at the Pigeon VFW Hall -- but only one would win the top prize: choice of a Hawaiian vacation or Caribbean Cruise for two.

Sheriff Gage's ticket was the last one drawn during the fund-raising event, and he and wife Carol are packing their bags since they won the top prize.

An elated Sheriff said they probably would use the Hawaii option, but weren't sure, as of Wednesday night. "Oh, we're so grateful. Thank you so much," he told the crowd.

Linda Clabuesch and husband Jim of Pigeon won second prize, either a Las Vegas trip or Cancun vacation, while Ted Rankin of Imlay City won the third prize, a trip to Toronto or Chicago get-away.



ABOVE, Sheriff Gage draws the final ticket. He's flanked by Lions Mike LePage and Todd Bigger.

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15 THINGS OF VARYING IMPORTANCE: ■ You're invited to Pigeon this weekend for the 18th annual Farmers' Festival. It's really a family fun time. Please come, even just for a day. You'll enjoy it!

■ Welcome to the folks who don't usually see our paper, since we're extra-circulating this week. We hope you like it -- and hope you'll use the special offer on another page to start delivery every week...

■ By the way, we're reaching nearly 14,000 people every week, more than ever before. While "big" papers lose circulation and readers, we're gaining nearly every week. Thanks, folks!

■ Are the Tigers hot or what? Last week's three straight victories in their last at-bats were memorable. Go, Bengals! ■ Are you seeing more fireflies than ever before? I sure am, and those fuzzy little lights at dusk are unforgettable. Just the right combination of spring weather, I've heard...

■ Best TV show in the past 10 years? Easy -- "Cheers"... ■ I'm certainly sick of Highland, Fretter and ABC Appliances ads which all promise low, low, lowest prices. Give me a break -- we ALL know the best bargains, backed by good service, is found at your local dealers right here...

■ For the eighth straight year (even through childbirth), the Rummels once again walked away from last Wednesday night's Pigeon Lions Club "Vacation Safari" with nothing more than lots of good memories. Even though one of every five couples attending win something, we haven't.

■ Don't get me wrong, though. The Vacation Safari is one of the very best nights of the year for fun with other hopeful local folks...

■ Take a look at the first item from "90 Years Ago" in The Past in Print on Page 8A. Publisher George H.A. Shaw thought Pigeon needed a festival to honor local farmers. He'd be proud of this one, I'll bet...

■ Here in the middle of the hottest summer I remember, I heard a cicada's screech last week -- which according to folklore means we'll have frost in six weeks. I doubt it...

■ Remember being told, "If you dig a hole all the way through the earth, you'll dig to China" when you were a kid? Not true. From around here, you'd dig into the Indian Ocean. To get to China, start digging in central South America...

■ Happy and sad. I'm happy that Laker Junior High Counselor Joan Marotke (formerly Joan Blakeley) has gotten a counseling job with Essexville-Hampton Schools. It'll bring her closer to hubby Ken's teaching job with the Bay City Schools.

But we here are losing a SUPER young couple who've gotten involved with local projects. You'll be missed, friends! ■ Why do they need extradition from Ohio for that guy who murdered the State Trooper in Detroit last week? It sounds like a time-wasting ploy. I can understand extradition from Mexico or Sweden. But Ohio? Aren't they 50 UNITED States?

■ As stated above, come enjoy the fun in Pigeon this week! -- 30 --

WISH I'D SAID THAT: "By the time a man can read a woman like a book, he's too old to start a library!" (Karl Hertz)

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

SPECIAL CHANDLER VOTE SEPT. 10

The Huron County Special Election Committee met Wednesday, July 10 and approved the special election for Chandler Township, set for Tuesday, Sept. 10.

The purpose of the election will be to vote on the levy of two mills for seven years for road construction. This is not a renewal, but a new millage, officials note.

SPECIAL HURON ELECTION SET

Huron County residents will be asked to approve a senior citizen millage renewal when they go to the polls on Tuesday, Oct. 8 in a special election.

The County Election Commission has set the election to renew two-tenths (0.2) of a mill for five years to fund senior citizen services and to renew one-half (0.5) of a mill for five years for operation of the Huron County Medical Care Facility near Bad Axe.

The senior services millage expires this fall and the care facility millage expires in 1992.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

In 73rd District Court (Huron County), Judge Karl Kraus last week heard the pleas of or passed judgment on:

■ Lawrence M. Kirby, 18 of Birch Run, pled guilty to drunken driving, following a June 7 incident in Lake Township; ordered to serve 30 days in Huron County Jail, pay \$600 fines and costs and loses driver's license for six months;

■ Roland G. Frey, 32 of Port Huron, guilty of disorderly person, following a July 6 incident in Port Austin; \$150 fines and costs;

■ Leon F. Mikolaczky, 25 of Warren, guilty of disorderly person, following a July 6 incident in Port Austin; \$150 fines and costs;

■ James Anderson, 57 of Elkton, guilty of disorderly person; three days in jail;

■ Gina B. Collins, 20 of Manchester, pled guilty to no operator's license in possession, following a July 7 incident investigated by Caseville Township Police; \$80 fines and costs;

■ Two Northridge, CA., men pled guilty to a charge of trespassing, following a July 10 incident involving a sprinkler system on Port Austin Road, Hume Township, investigated by Sheriff's Deputies. Jeffrey P. Kaley, 18, and Daniel P. Fournier, 23, were each fined \$125 and ordered to make restitution, to be determined later. Fournier also will serve one day on the county work program;

■ Michael D. Rice, 21 of Port Austin, pled guilty to furnishing alcohol to a minor; 10 days in jail and \$150 fines and costs;

■ Jan M. Davis, 26 of Pigeon, pled guilty to drunken driving; \$500 fines and costs, ordered to attend outpatient counseling and loses driver's license for six months;

■ Alfred F. Snider, Jr., 47 of Caseville, pled guilty to impaired driving, second offense; 45 days in jail, \$885 fines and costs, attend counseling and loses driver's license for 12 months;

■ Charles McIlhargie, 37 of Caseville, found guilty of impaired driving; \$335 fines and costs, attend counseling and loses driver's license for six months;

■ Richard J. Jaworski, 25 of Pilon, pled guilty to non-sufficient fund check, \$50 or less, following a March 5 incident at a Pigeon bank investigated by Pigeon Police; three days in jail, \$200 fines and costs and ordered to make restitution, to be determined;

■ Jesus Santellana, 38 of Waco, Texas, pled guilty to no operator's license in possession, following a July 11 incident investigated by Sebawing Police; \$35 fines and costs;

■ Marnie A. O'Brien, 36 of Unionville, pled guilty to drunken driving and no operator's license in possession; \$780 fines and costs;

■ Walter P. Miller, 47 of Port Austin, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$500 fines and costs, attend counseling and loses driver's license for 90 days;

■ Robert C. Abfalter, 23 of Cagetown, pled guilty to disorderly person; \$125 fines and costs;

■ Rickey L. Birchfield, 32 of Port Austin, pled guilty to driving while license suspended; five days in jail, \$200 fines and costs;

■ Rodney J. Jimpkoski, 18 of Port Austin, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$500 fines and costs, attend counseling and loses driver's license for six months, and

■ Brian E. Griem, 33 of Port Austin, pled guilty to drunken driving; 10 days in jail, \$700 fines and costs, attend counseling and loses driver's license for one year.

WATER LEVELS UP & DOWN

Lake Huron and Saginaw Bay water levels are higher than they were in July, 1990 but are still lower than the record highs set in the mid-1980s, says the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Moderate precipitation is expected during the next 30 days for the Great Lakes Area, and Lake Huron should be near its long-term average during that time. On July 1, Lake Huron was at 578.86 feet above the mean water level at Feather Point, Quebec, or 25 inches above Chart Datum.

Build your barns and bean mosaics NOW!

Now is the perfect time to put your artistry to work by designing a miniature barn and/or a bean mosaic to enter in the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce "Ag Artist" contest.

Miniature barns should be constructed out of household items and measure approximately 12"x12". Bean mosaics can be made out of any locally-grown dry, edible beans and shaped into any

design the artist would like. Deadline for entry is Wednesday, July 24 at 12 noon.

Barns and mosaics can be taken to John Walsh, CPA, Linda Walsh's home at 7350 Paul St., Pigeon or the Pigeon Village Hall. They will all be on display during the Festival in the window at Walsh's office.

Cash prizes will be awarded to winners, according to organizer Linda Walsh.

Showcase of Festival Viewpoints



FROM UNDER THE WILLOW

By Wanda Eichler

AIN'T IT GOOD TO BE BACK HOME AGAIN

Midsummer and another Farmers' Festival have come rolling through the Summer of 1991 like some giant train bound for school days and Christmas. Somehow or another, by the time summer turns toward the last weekend in July (the traditional weekend for Pigeon's big Festival honoring farms and farmers and farm families), the downhill slide of summer until autumn is firmly established.

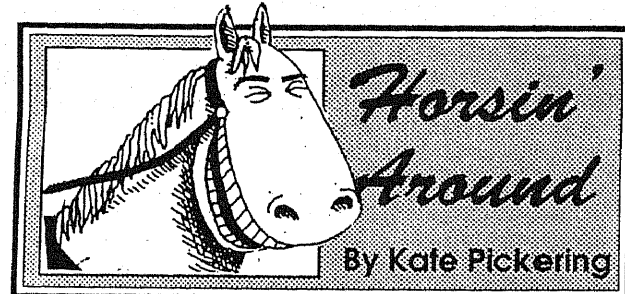
With the early harvest of the wheat crop, this year is no exception. Another year, wheat harvest has coincided with the Festival, putting extra "oomph" into the downtown area, what with truckloads of wheat (one of the area's agricultural commodities) competing for street space with Festival-goers (the area's tourism commodity!).

Farmers' Festival always has a homecoming atmosphere to it. During Farmers' Festival lots of people interested in Pigeon and its people come to visit. They come to see friends and relatives. They come to savor the genuineness of a small town. They come to take in the best farm parade for miles. They come to eat, shop and be entertained. They come to see quilts, walk through the museum and play three-on-three basketball. They come to be a part, if only for a few days, of a vibrant, thriving farming community.

Through all of the activities runs a common thread of feeling comfortable with a small town festival, of feeling at home in rural America.

This will be an unusual festival for me. All I've been able to do is to be a cheerleader.

Time constraints from commitments made long ago placed me far from home during these days of Festival preparation. Oh, I've done a little bit, but nothing like the work that many, many area residents have put into the museum, businesses, the new barn shell, activities and general planning.

CELEBRATION OF
— GRATITUDE —

Here in Pigeon we just call it Farmers' Festival . . . but it should represent so much more . . . more than merely a festival which is conducted in the heart of Michigan's prime agricultural land-mass. It's a celebration of gratitude for the many men and women who literally *slave away* to help America meet its most simple, basic and primal need - the need for food!

No other human requirement is more imperative to survival - not shelter, clothing, sex - than food and water, and the need for constant processing of food through the human body. At least *three times a day* we should bless the farmer . . . three times a day (and for some, more often than that) Americans lift forks to faces with no thought of the blood, sweat and tears shed to bring processed food to fruition. We remember to thank God for the food - but do we remember to thank God for the food producer?

And in addition to the heavily laden shelves that line the aisles of American grocery stores, we also feed the world (we feed the world!) That's no small potatoes! Farmers deserve at least the wealth and status of doctors or lawyers - for no pursuit I can think of is more noble than the production of food - we would have no need of medicine or law without food first. Simple as that! No need for art, literature, education, philosophy or decadence - those are pursuits of full-bellies.

Farmers' Festival should be the time, then, when we thank God that there are still a few brave souls who carry on the proud tradition of mass-food production for our sakes, and that many of those brave souls do it here in the fertile, flat farmlands of Huron County. And they don't just do it - they do it well, they do it with pride, they do it backed by the rich agricultural heritage of generations of farmers before them. Of course, that doesn't mean for a minute that it isn't tough here too. We all know that for farmers and farm families everywhere the wolves are definitely at the door - but here, we're keeping those damn wolves at bay! That's something to be proud of, that's something to be thankful for, that's something to celebrate, alright!

Farmers' Festival should be so much more than sidewalk sales and stage shows. Farmers' Festival should be a CELEBRATION OF GRATITUDE from you and me - the big eating American public - to Mr. & Mrs. American Farmer . . .

Thank you - lunch was great!

Everyone who comes to the Festival owes these folks a quiet vote of thanks for their fine community spirit and willingness to put on a summer festival. Small-town festivals don't just come alive overnight. It takes loads of hard work, often tiring and often done alone, so while I've helped to decorate one business with the reds, whites and blues of this year's theme, I'll be enjoying the fruits of others' labor as my Wisconsin family (yes, houseguests for the weekend!) attend Festival events.

Now, dear readers of The Progress-Advance, you can expect to read a few things in columns to come about the wonders of Alaska and Washington State, the site of a recent vacation/business trip for this now Northern enlightened writer. During the five weeks that there were no "Willow" columns, I traveled to three states, spent 12 days in meetings, spiffed up my garden and enjoyed some photography. The time without deadlines gave me a much needed respite.

Now however, I'm facing a 25-year high school class reunion at Ripon, Wisc. with misgiving. I've never set foot inside the school I graduated from once I left it. (You'll read more about that in days ahead, too, no doubt).

But with Farmers' Festival and the sweet corn season in full swing, it's good to be back home again. We'll keep on watering the petunias and geraniums and the tomatoes and maybe we'll find a night to sit a spell on the porch and complain about the weather (too dry) and politics (too confusing!).

Sweet, hot summer with all its delights and tastes now explodes into Farmers' Festival and . . . ain't it good to be back home again?!!



FORE!

By Mavis Pechette

FARMERS' FESTIVAL

It's that time again — time to salute the farmers in our area and recognize the importance of agriculture in our lives.

Many of us have roots in the rural lifestyle. Even though we may live in town and are not actively involved with raising livestock or crops, our heritage ties us to the soil. Ancestors most likely were people of the fields, if we go back a few generations.

Those of us who grew up in towns most likely had country cousins we could visit. A favorite memory is being allowed to drive a team of horses, pulling a load of shocked wheat to the threshing machine in an uncle's barnyard. Of course, the uncle or a cousin was never far from the reins, but it certainly was a thrill for this town cousin to drive the team.

As a grown-up mother of the country cousins who would host the ones from the city, I shared this thrill with nephews who came to visit our farm. No horses to drive on our place but tractors of all sizes fascinated them. Tossing bales is almost as beneficial as lifting weights, these lads decided.

And when city kids get bored with summer vacation, a farm is a welcome change of pace. If you don't believe me, just consult the funny papers. In the comic strip "For Better or Worse," the teenager is going to work on the uncle's farm for the summer. It gives him something to do, gives him a chance to earn some money, gets him away from the high school girlfriend and gives his little sister a break from the constant hassle. What more could a mother ask?

Our rural heritage also gives us a connection with rural schoolhouses. Except in Huron County, these are only a part of history. But many of our farm families owe a debt of gratitude for the education received in the one-room schools.

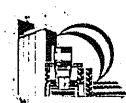
Often the teachers were not much older than the eldest pupils. The instructors received a year of "Normal" training for following high school and then went to work, teaching kindergarten through eighth grade with forty students.

Not many in education today would consider this "normal" but that's how it worked then. Teachers boarded with farm families. The farmers provided wood for the stoves to heat the buildings, and the school calendar probably included days off for sowing and harvesting. These could hardly be called vacation days as the students worked hard in the fields.

On a drive through the countryside we see many little country churches. As a farming community was settled the people recognized the need to have a place of worship. Most parishes were served by mission priests or circuit riders—pastors traveling to minister to several congregations.

As the families left the rural area, leaving larger and larger farms to fewer and fewer farmers, many of these country churches have ceased to exist. We are privileged in this area

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RECOLLECTIONS
Of By-Gone Days

BY GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR:

When I heard about the bus being stolen on that Youth For Christ group in Washington D.C., it made me a little mad because that's supposed to be our nation's capital. If there is any place in the whole U.S. you'd think kids would be safe, Washington D.C. should be it!

I've been there several times and it has some nice places to see, but it sure isn't the nicest place in the U.S.A. Back in the early 1930s, four of young fellows decided to go there. We got there on a Sunday night.

We went through Ohio, then part of Pennsylvania and Maryland to get there. That was the farthest I ever was away from home.

I had never seen a mountain before and time it was wonderful. I had two brothers in Ohio, where we stopped on the way. One of the fellows knew the way around, so early Monday we started out.

We went through the Capitol building. The White House was closed to tourists that day, so we went to the Smithsonian Institute and the U.S. Mint and saw them make \$10 bills. The place where they make the stamps and that glue they put on them didn't smell very good.

There was a large open space in the middle of the city, where they built the Supreme Court building and several other big buildings.

We were on the go all day and we were very tired, but the place we stayed insisted we go to church that night and take another man with us.

We didn't know who he was, but we all said we hope the preacher isn't too long-winded, because we were tired. The man said he'd find another way home and when church started, here this man that we took with us was the preacher!

He looked right at us when he preached and there were four young men kind of embarrassed!

The next day we went to Annapolis, U.S. Navy school, then to Watkins Glen, New York and saw some very beautiful scenery. We got to Niagara Falls that night. They shined the lights on the falls and we came home through Canada.

In those days, you could go through Canada without any trouble, but they asked us where we were born.

Well, one was born in Illinois, one in Pennsylvania, one in Iowa and one in Canada. The officer winked at us and said he could keep that Canadian, but if he promised to behave, he'd let him go with us if we took good care of him!

Of course, we promised we would! Well, I'm the only one of the four of us who is still living.

It says in Phil. 4:11, "I have learned that whatsoever state I'm in there with to be content."

Well, I didn't travel nearly as much as some people have, but when I come home after a trip and get my feet on U.S. soil or in Fair Haven Township, I'm always content.

SINCERELY YOURS,
GEORGE KEIM

to have so many of these still serving our farm communities. When I enter my rural church I always feel a connection with the farmers. The local people helped to build the church building and I've often heard the story of the landscaping.

The yard is built up about three feet higher than the road and has a stone retaining wall. The story is that each farmer brought a load of dirt from his fields to make that lawn. Stones for the wall were hauled from Bay Port and that was not an easy trek with the horse and wagon.

There is another farm connection in the church. On a wall is a symbol of the miracle of the loaves and fishes. When I look at that I think of my husband and his father who farmed all their lives, growing grain for all of us. I also think of my own father—his agricultural heritage and his love of fishing that has been passed on to us.

And I am reminded of our Heavenly Father who in His creation gave us food to be grown by those we call FARMERS. Bless them all and enjoy the Festival.

Obituary

HOMER FRANKLIN BOUCK

1916-1991

Homer F. Bouck, age 74 of Yuma, AZ., formerly of Pigeon, passed away Thursday, July 18.

He was born in Chandler Twp. on Nov. 4, 1916, son of the late Frank and Lila E. (Inman) Bouck. He was united in marriage to Lila E. Wicht on April 17, 1940 in Toledo, OH. She preceded him in death on Jan. 22, 1973.

Before his retirement Mr. Bouck was a plumber for many years and a business partner at J & B Plumbing and Heating, Pigeon. He was a member of the Elkton United Methodist Church, the Elkton United Methodist Men and the Farm Bureau.

Mr. Bouck is survived by two brothers, Robert I. Bouck of Falls Church, VA. and John D. Bouck of Kansas City, MO.; two half-brothers, Charley W. Gilbert of Owendale and Bruce H. Gilbert of Caseville; a half-sister, Mrs. William (Nancy) Chappel of Kinde; a niece Mrs. Don (Deann) Damrow and several other nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Gerald F. Bouck and two half-sisters, Marilyn Gilbert and Gloria Bachand.

Funeral services were conducted on Monday, July 22 at 11 a.m. from Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. James James, pastor of the Elkton United Methodist Church officiated with burial in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Pigeon.

Memorials may be made to the Elkton United Methodist Church or the American Heart Association.

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Caseville forms wastewater advisory group

Saturday afternoon more than 25 township residents attended the first meeting of the Public Information Advisory Committee for the proposed wastewater collection and treatment system to serve Caseville Township.

The Township Board sent letters to approximately 50 residents and asked them to serve on the Committee. The recipients included people who have expressed interest in the proposed system, those who have expressed opposition and those who have not formed an opinion.

Township Supervisor Joe Cilc explained that one purpose of the Committee is to assure that township residents receive accurate information about the proposed project. He also asked that they share information with their neighbors and bring the Township Board information on residents' preferences and opinions.

He also introduced Dale Lipars, Director of the Huron County Department of Public Health who presented the Health Department's viewpoint on the current situation in the township.

Lipars stated that the main concern is that the whole area is served by septic systems. The number of homes and small lot sizes is making it difficult to maintain the required isolation distance between septic tanks and water wells.

He also said some people are having a hard time finding room to replace tile fields. Traditionally the Health Department has considered septic tanks and tile fields rural systems and meant for use out in the country.

He also talked about the soils in the township and showed a copy of the soils map of the County. The soil in the residential area is primarily sand. He also read from the Interpretation of the soils map that "the soils are generally not suitable for septic tanks."

Lipars explained that water from the septic systems goes down rapidly through the sand into the water table and it is not getting much treatment to remove chemicals like cleaning products or viruses. He said that there are no records of sewage standing in water on the surface.

He also said that the water quality in the bay is of even greater concern than the wells.

"The sandy soil just lets it go right through. You don't have any visual problems, but you're polluting the area in a different way. You need to look down the road and find a solution."

A committee member asked about maintaining septic systems, particularly if regular pumping of a tank made sewers unnecessary. Lipars responded that while regular pumping of the tank removes solids and prolongs the life of the drain field, it does not improve treatment.

Other committee members asked about the type of system proposed and discussed financing. They also discussed the consequences of waiting for the state to order

the township to build a system.

Cilc reviewed the financing alternatives. He said the Township Board favors a "unit" assessment rather than a front foot. With a unit assessment, each home is charged the same amount regardless of the amount of front footage in the property.

He also said that only lots that are built on now will be assessed now. In the future,

if a home or building is constructed, the assessment will be charged then.

He reviewed the alternatives being considered. In the first, a combination Special Assessment and Connection Fee would total \$4,500 and the monthly service charge would be \$23. The \$4,500 could be paid in one payment, over a period of 20 years or at any time in between.

If the homeowner decides to pay over a 20-year period, the monthly charge would be \$54. This includes the special assessment/connection fee, interest on the unpaid balance and the monthly service.

In the second alternative, the initial fee would total \$3,500 and the monthly service charge would be \$33. The same payment provisions as in the first alternative are available. If the

homeowner decides to pay over a 20-year period, the monthly charge would be \$55. This also includes the special assessment/connection fee, interest on the unpaid balance and the monthly service.

In response to a question about the Health Department forcing the township to build a system, Lipars replied that the Michigan Department of Natural Resources is the agency that makes those decisions.

He added that if the DNR ordered the township to build a system, it would have to be built regardless of the cost and the interest rates at the time. Cilc states that construction prices are favorable now and bond interest rates are lower than in the past few years.

He also said the Township Board is exploring avenues for grant funds or other financial assistance.

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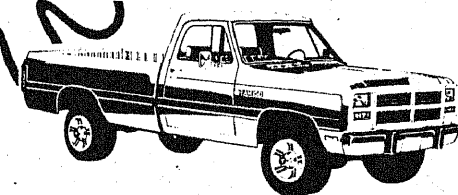
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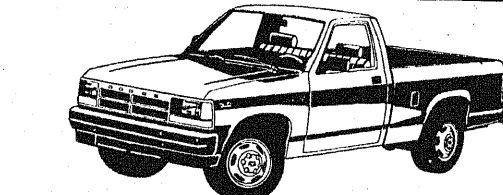
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Who will be Bay Port's Queen?

Seven lovely young ladies will be vying for the title of Miss Bay Port during the community's upcoming Fish Sandwich Weekend.

1990 Queen Amy Terrian will crown the new queen during ceremonies on Sat. Aug. 3 at 12:30 p.m., to represent Bay Port and its fishing industry.

Candidates include: Tracey Lesoski, the daughter of Robert and Kathy Lesoski, and sponsored by the Bay Port Chamber of Commerce; Nelda Carter, daughter of Dennis and June Carter and sponsored by the Bay Port Chamber of Commerce;

Stacey Randall, daughter of Rick and Shirley Randall and sponsored by the Bay Port Woman's Club;

April Sting, daughter of Kevin and Mary Sting and sponsored by Bay Port State Bank;

Annemarie Carter, daughter of Randy and Sandy Carter and sponsored by Bay Port Fish Company;

Angle Burkeen, daughter Jeff and Melinda Diachenko and sponsored by Lefty's Drive-In; and Tricia Bollenbacher, daughter of Jim and Marilyn Bollenbacher and sponsored by Scenic Bar.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTOS

Pigeon

By DOROTHY DIENER

The women of Cross Lutheran Church will hold their General meeting on Tuesday, July 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the church. The speaker will be Mr. Bill Wilson of Lutheran Child and Family Services, Bay City. He will speak on, "How Can We Effectively Reach Out to the Abused Woman or Child in Our Congregation."

Kevin Ohlrogge and friend of Warren were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Ohlrogge.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Diener was her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schnitker of Sebawaing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trowbridge and family spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Elsie Trowbridge.



ABOVE LEFT -- HELPING ORGANIZE THIS YEAR'S QUEENS' CONTEST are, from left, Donna Deming, Nancy Gunden and Alma Stahl.

ABOVE RIGHT -- MAKING A CHOICE: These judges are making the decision on which girl will best represent Bay Port in the coming year. From left, Charles and Dodie Carrington, Jack and Connie Wooster, all of Bay Port and Joanne Rummel of Sebawaing, a teacher at Bay Port Elementary School.

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90 YEARS AGO AUG. 9, 1901

Did any of our businessmen in Pigeon ever think about having a harvest festival? Our farmer friends for miles around would attend and businessmen could reap great benefits.

Pigeon will have a traveling lecture course this coming winter.

Simon and Max Hirschberg returned Sunday from the Pan-American Exposition. Max is reproducing a show window from the exposition at their store in Pigeon.

Port Austin Sugar Company has been assured of complete sugar contracts from farmers for growing at least 5,000 acres of beets.

Henry Richmond has charge of E.F. Hess' store during the absence of the proprietor.

80 YEARS AGO AUG. 11, 1911

At a meeting of Pigeon businessmen, it was decided that the town will close up next Tuesday and all take in a trip through the county with automobiles. Nearly 20 auto owners have agreed to go and they will visit Caseville, Pinnebog, Kinde, Port Austin, Pt. Aux Barques, Grindstone City, Kinde, Port

Hope, Harbor Beach, Ruth, Parisville, Uby and Bad Axe. W.A. Schriber and Geo. H.A. Shaw are the committee.

Louis Dubey and party of friends from Bay Port went to Little Defoe Island Monday and brought back almost a bushel of perch.

Bay Port was visited by a party from Elktion Tuesday evening and all had supper at the Bay Port Hotel. The trip by auto was made by Messers and Mesdames Oscar Rogers, Charles Morse, J.E. Thompson, G.E. O'Dell, W.J. Stephens, D.J. Conroe, E.R. Paige and William Roderick.

The To-To Club of Chicago, with 16 members, have been spending the past few weeks at Bert R. Baur's place at Bay Port.

70 YEARS AGO AUG. 12, 1921

Mrs. Henry Goebel, 47, the former, Mary Elisinger, died at her home in Flint. She leaves five children.

Gladys E. Quick, 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Quick of Fair Haven, died Aug. 3. She leaves her parents, five sisters and two brothers.

The Moore bridge in McKinley Township is completed and now open for traffic.

C.G. Wiley purchased the Charles Soehner residence in Elktion.

The Farmers Elevator Company has been reorganized at Elktion. The new name is Elktion Cooperative Produce Co. and officers are George Gregor, G.A. Braun, Edwin Hoffman and Andrew Scheile.

Miss Pearl Fogle returned to her home in Caseville after taking a summer course at Mt. Pleasant Normal.

60 YEARS AGO AUG. 7, 1931

Mrs. Engelhardt Strueck, 75, passed away at her home in Linkville. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons and four daughters.

Arthur Ricker, 29, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ricker, Brookfield Township, died at the result of a motorcycle accident. He leaves his widow, his parents, three brothers and two sisters.

Mrs. Drury has opened a little grocery store at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Brown on Sand Point, as a service to the resorters.

Chandler Community Club met at Caseville Park with 130 present for a chicken supper. Emmett Raven, Bert Watterworth, George Schultz, Caseville and Mrs.

Frank Kinch, Port Austin were on the entertainment committee.

50 YEARS AGO AUG. 8, 1941

Gust A. Braun, 76, of Chandler Township, died Sunday evening. Surviving are his widow, two daughters, Esther and Lucille and one son, Bert. He was a former township supervisor, county treasurer, a member of the state legislature and a member of the first county road commission.

Alfred H. Deichman, 42, passed away Monday. Besides his wife, he leaves one daughter, Anita and two sons, Donald and Harold.

Frank Kucharczyk, 74, of Paris Township, better known as "Cash Cook," died Tuesday. He was proprietor of the Paris Hotel. He leaves his widow, four sons and four daughters.

William Fritz, 75, Sebewaing Township farmer, was killed when his car collided with one driven by Edwin O. Babcock, Unionville. He leaves his widow, four sons and five daughters.

The 1916 graduation class of Pigeon High School held their 25th reunion at Drury Land with seven members of the class of nine present. They were Orpha S. Schubach Schmuhl, Dr. A.B. Gwinn, Violet Newman Decker, Dr. William Sturm, Eva Brown Drury, Violet Smith Walsh and Dora Elbing.

40 YEARS AGO AUG. 10, 1951

William Damm, 82, a 70 year resident of Winsor Township, died Saturday. He leaves a daughter, Hilda and two sons, Walter and Edward.

Bernie McLeish, Bay Port postmaster, was elected a zone vice-commander at the state convention of American Legion in Detroit.

Kathleen A. Schweitzer, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Schweitzer, passed away Sunday. Surviving are her parents, grandparents and one sister, Gaye.

Mrs. Ervin Kinkle, 70, of Caseville, passed away Thursday. Surviving are two daughters and a son.

A big three-day homecoming celebration will be held this weekend at Owendale. Committee members are Charles Candonnnet, Marvin Schaper, Jack Farnum, Sidney Knowlton and Harold Gettel.

30 YEARS AGO AUG. 10, 1961

Fire of undetermined origin totally destroyed the Bay Port Lumber Company early Saturday, owned by State Treasurer Sanford A. Brown, with a loss estimated at up to \$100,000.

Miss Verda Ruth Mayer, daughter of Mrs. Annie Mayer, Pigeon, graduated from the Aultman Hospital School of Nursing, Canton, Ohio.

Miss Ruth Henkelmann, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Ernst Henkelmann, Pigeon, will graduate Aug. 11 from Highland Park Hospital School of Nursing.

Mrs. Diane Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strauch, Sebewaing, and wife of Ronald Smith, Pigeon, will graduate Aug. 20 from Saginaw General Hospital School of Nursing.

Sally Jo Dorsch, 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Dorsch, Pigeon, was fatally injured at her home in a power mower accident. She is survived by her parents, five sisters and two brothers.

Caseville Summer Enrichment Program presented the play "Oklahoma" at Caseville and Port Austin over the weekend with a cast of more than 60 from 12 Michigan towns and under the direction of Miss Pat Ankeny.

20 YEARS AGO AUG. 12, 1971

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weidman, Pigeon, will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary Aug. 17. They have three children, Roger, Patrick and Marlie.

Laker board of education voted to equip school buses with CB two-way radios for use in storms, or other emergencies at an estimated cost of \$2,000.

Pigeon High School class of 1941 held their 30th reunion at Scenic Country Club Aug. 7. Pigeon High School class of 1951 held their 20th reunion Saturday evening at the Scenic Club.

Charles F. Schmidt, Pigeon, received a master of arts degree in mathematics from Louisiana State University on Aug. 6.

10 YEARS AGO JULY 30, 1981

The Caseville Library Club has presented \$1,000 to Scheurer Hospital of Pigeon, to help improve heart stress-testing equipment at the medical facility.

R. Douglas Behr, a 1946 graduate of Pigeon High School, has been promoted to associate scientist in the Saran and Converted Products Research Lab of Michigan Division R & D Dow Chemical, Midland.

The Pigeon High School class of 1941 held their 40th year reunion on Saturday evening at the Scenic Golf and Country Club. Twenty members of the 28 graduates attended.

1981 Pigeon Woman of the Year winner was Rhonda Buehler; first runner-up Eleanor Trost and second runner-up Evelyn Henkelmann.

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Susan Marie Fournier of Sebewaing and Gregory Richard Bendzinski of Pinconning recited their wedding vows in an early afternoon wedding ceremony on Saturday, May 4 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Sebewaing.

Rev. Father Wolfgang Streichardt officiated at the double-ring ceremony which united the children of Robert and Mary Fournier of Sebewaing and John and Loretta Bendzinski of Pinconning.

Special wedding music included "We've Only Just Begun," "The Wedding Song," "On Eagles' Wings," "Hail Mary: Gentle Woman," performed by soloists Michelle and John Kamrad, who were accompanied by pianist Dale Balzer.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride approached the candelabra and flower-decorated altar wearing a white satin wedding gown with a high illusion neckline, extending to an open v-back with a design of a heart with hanging pearls in the center.

Pearl and sequin-beaded Alencon lace appliques shimmered on the dropped waist bodice, cutout leg o'mutton sleeves and full skirt. The cathedral-length train featured many rows of satin ruffles cascading down the train.

Her bridal wreath head-



piece featured a band of satin rosettes delicately detailed with sprays of simulated pearls, a nylon pouf and two-tier fingertip veil with lily of the valley and simulated pearls detailing the back, all designed by the mother of the bride.

The bride carried a classic colonial bouquet, with soft tufts of tulle delicately holding the roses, mini-carnations, cusion and snowdrift mums. Tucked neatly in were accents of sweetly scented stephanotis, touches of baby's breath and curled lace ribbons poured around

the edges and gently down the front.

Attending the bride were Maid of Honor Cindy Smith of Flint and attendants Anne Booker of Saginaw, sister of the bride, JoAnn Stewart of Kalamazoo, sister of the groom and Kristi Rieman of Sebewaing and Gayle Schaefer of Perry.

Flower girl was Kristina Fournier of Philadelphia, Pa., niece of the bride.

The bridal attendant all wore gowns in bridal aqua satin, designed and made by the bride's mother. The gowns each featured a sweet-

heart front neckline that fell to a deep scooped back, gently gathered sleeves, princess-style front that dipped to a Basque waist and a delicate gathered tea-length skirt. The skirt also featured rows of ruffles and a large bow in the back. In their hair they wore hairpieces featuring silk roses, baby's breath and simulated pearls.

The attendants carried delicately designed colonial bouquets of cushion mums and mini-carnations laced with baby's breath and soft


net, tinted a perfect match to the aqua gowns, accented with flowing ribbons of white and touches of peach.

The flower girl's dress was also designed by the bride's mother and was identical to the bridesmaids', except it featured a high back neckline and had fabric roses on the sleeves and back. She carried similar flowers as the other attendants.

Standing up for the groom as best man was Rick Klass of Bay City. Groomsmen included Don Bendzinski of

Munith and Duane Bendzinski of Owensboro, Ky., both brothers of the groom; Mark Fournier of Philadelphia, Pa., brother of the bride and Scott Morse of Kalamazoo, nephew of the groom. Helping to seat the wedding guests were ushers Kurt Augustyniak of Flint, cousin of the groom and Bryan Wildman of Marquette.

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- 8 a.m. Ladies Golf Tournament, Scenic Golf & Country Club.
- 1 p.m. Men's Golf Tournament at Scenic Golf And Country Club
- 7:30 Softball Tournament, Rec. Park.

★ THURSDAY, JULY 25 ★

- 9 a.m. Maust Farm Tour.‡
- 9-3 Free Lions Club Diabetes Screening at Thumb National Bank
- 10 Active Feed Tour.‡

- 10-2 Kiddy Arcade, Municipal Lot.
- 1-2:30 Children's Films, District Library.
- 2 Protzman Dairy Farm Tour.‡
- 2-3 Pedal-Tractor Pull Registration at Rec. Park Tennis Courts.
- 3:30 Pedal Tractor Pull.
- 4:30-6:30 .. Michigan Avenue Mennonite Church Bean Soup Supper at Recreation Park.
- 4-4:30 Teen Scavenger Hunt Registration, Rec. Park.
- 5 Teen Scavenger Hunt.
- 6-8 Salem UMC Ice Cream Social, Rec. Park.
- 7:30 Gospel Concert at the Bandshell.
- 9 Softball Tournament, Rec. Park.
- 9-12 Younger Teen Dance, Rec. Park Tent.

★ FRIDAY, JULY 26 ★

- 9-12 Heritage Craft Demo, Municipal Lot.
- 9:15 Line up for Kid's Parade on Nitz Street near the Library.
- 10-4 Kiddy Arcade, Municipal Lot.
- 10 Active Feed Tour.‡
- 10 Kid's Parade through downtown business district.
- 11:30 Baby Crawl Contest, Municipal Lot.
- 12-4 Petting Zoo, Farmers' Market.
- 1-4 Heritage Craft Demo, Municipal Lot.
- 1 Treasure Hunt, Municipal Parking Lot.
- 2-2:30 Steam Thrasher Demonstration near the Historical Depot Museum.
- 2 Protzman's Dairy Farm Tour.‡
- 2 Kid's Games, Municipal Parking Lot.

- 3 Watermelon Eating Contest, Municipal Lot.
- 3:30 Balloon Toss, Municipal Lot.
- 4:30-7 Lions Club Pork Dinner, Rec. Park.
- 5:30 Greased Pig, ages 6-11 at Porkey's
- 7 Festival Queen Crowning and other contest winners, Bandshell.
- 7:30 FAMILY STAGE SHOW, Bandshell
- 8:30-1:00 .. Las Vegas Night, VFW Hall.

★ SATURDAY, JULY 27 ★

- 8 Red Hacker 3-on-3 Tournament.
- 9 L.J. Gascho Furniture Plant Tour.‡
- 9-11:30 Used Book Sack Sale, District Library.
- 9-12 Thumb 2-Cyl. Club Hay Ride, Village Hall.
- 9:30-12 Horseshoe Tournament, Rec. Park.
- 10-12 Co-op Elevator Bean Plant Tour.‡
- 10-12 Bill Denbrock Big Band, Bandshell.
- 10 Softball Tournament, Rec. Park.
- 11-11:30 ... Steam Thrasher Demo near Historical Depot Museum.
- 1-5 Horseshoe Tournament, Rec. Park.
- 1:30-3 GRAND PARADE, downtown Pigeon.
- 2-6 Rotary Chicken BBQ, Rec. Park.
- 3:00 Fife & Drums, Laker Band, Jubilee Singers at the Bandshell
- 3:30 Thumb 2-Cyl. Club Demo at Gettel's.
- 3:30 Mud Volleyball, Rec. Park
- 4-6:30 Softball Tournament, Rec. Park
- 7 Chris Webber/Jalen Rose Slam-Dunk Demo, Bandshell.

- 8 Stars & Stripes Sing-A-Long, Bandshell
- 8:45-10 Sherry Leipprandt Dancers, Bandshell
- 9-1 Teen Dance, Rec. Park
- 9-1 Adult Dance, VFW Hall.
- 10 FIREWORKS, Rec. Park.

★ SUNDAY, JULY 28 ★

- 8:30-1 K of C Pancake Breakfast, K of C Hall.
- 9-10 Red Hacker 3-on-3 Tournament.
- 9:30-11 Horseshoe Tournament, Rec. Park.
- 11 Comm. Worship Service, Rec. Park
- 12-5 Horseshoe Tournament, Rec. Park.
- 12-? Red Hacker 3-on-3 Tournament.

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Lost (and found!) in D.C.

By AMY HEIDEN

What could have been a nightmare turned into an outpouring of love and concern for a group of Thumb Area teens last week on a trip to Washington, D.C.

The group of 30 teens from Bluewater Youth For Christ of Pigeon and their five adult sponsors arrived in the capital city Wednesday morning for a Youth for Christ national conference, after an all-night bus ride from the Thumb.

Less than an hour after their arrival -- as the group ate breakfast near their convention center -- their blue school bus was stolen. The bus had been locked and keys were not in it, meaning the thieves hot-wired the vehicle.

But all the group's belongings -- including clothing, radios, cameras and about \$2,500 in cash -- were gone along with the bus, since they hadn't even reached their hotel.

Tearful phone calls home alerted passers-by, and news reporters began spreading the story nationwide.

Bluewater YFC Executive Director Ken Smeader said that the group was wired enough money for essential items, and the offices of Sen. Don Riegle and

Rep. Bob Traxler were notified -- and responded with help.

That's when things started to happen, Smeader said. **Washington, D.C.** Mayor Sharon Pratt Dixon coordinated the donations of lodging, meals and clothing, with the help of Riegle's and Traxler's offices.

A D.C. Metro bus was made available for the group's tours of the city. A local radio station ran a promotion all day Thursday asking for donations, and the response was tremendous, Smeader said.

One donor made a cash donation of \$500, and a Washington attorney donated \$2,500.

"Our kids are going to come back and say that's a fun city," Smeader said. "There was such an outpouring of love and concern from the people in Washington, plus the concern shown by local people was really neat."

Smeader also said he was overwhelmed by the response of the media to the crisis. The Detroit Free Press, the Associated Press, Detroit radio station WJR and CNN were all calling for details.

Smeader and several parents were interviewed

in Pigeon on WNEO TV-5 Thursday night, and YFC convention sponsor Redford Maust and four students were interviewed live

on the station's 6 p.m. newscast.

And, the bus was recovered Thursday morning on the south side of the city,

with all its cargo missing.

City police were investigating the theft and had arrested two persons -- who had some of the stolen

luggage in their apartment.

The group was expected to return to Pigeon on Sunday night.



A GROUP OF BLUEWATER YOUTH FOR CHRIST teens stranded in Washington D.C. show new clothes purchased by well-wishers in the nation's capital when they learned of their plight. AP PHOTO

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Pigeon folks visit & travel

Pastor and Mrs. Ronald Diener of Cheboygan and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Die-

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Pastor and Mrs. Ronald Diener of Cheboygan also of the 1966 class reunion held at Greenfields Saturday evening.



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Festival fare sure to please all tastes

By SALLY RUMMEL

There will be lots of good eating at the 1991 Farmers' Festival, from local restaurants offering specials... to local service groups turning out meals and snacks all-festival long.

Here's a run-down of what groups festival-goers might expect to meet as they eat "on the run."

■ **MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE CHURCH BEAN SOUP DINNER:** Michigan Avenue Mennonite Church workers will be serving up bean soup on Thursday, July 25 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. down at the Pigeon Rec Park, before the Gospel Concert.

This has been a popular light meal before a fun evening of top-notch gospel music!

All proceeds will go towards an evangelism project planned at the church.

■ **MICHIGAN MILK PRODUCERS** will have "summerrefreshing" dairy products for sale downtown Thursday through Saturday of the Festival, serving from 10 to 5 in "the little red barn."

■ **COMMUNITY WESLEYAN CHURCH,** Elkton will sell concessions downtown.

■ **SALEM U-M ICE CREAM SOCIAL:** Members of Salem United Methodist Church's Evangelism Committee will offer sundaes and floats for sale, in two flavors and two sizes, serving before, during and after the Gospel Concert on Thursday, July 25. Times are 6 to 9 p.m.

town Thursday through Saturday from 10 to 5 p.m. Laker teacher Jack Tyler will be back for his traditional concession sales with proceeds going to church projects.

■ **PIGEON HISTORICAL SOCIETY** will sell refreshments downtown Thursday through Saturday.

■ **TIP OF THUMB VFW POST #2236** will offer daily luncheons on Thursday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and a "Happy Hour" at the VFW Hall from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

■ **PIGEON LIONS PORK DINNER** will be conducted this Friday, July 26 at the Pigeon Rec Tent, with proceeds going towards community projects.

Dinner will include a barbecue pork sandwich, baked beans, cole slaw and drink and dessert.

■ **PIGEON ROTARY CLUB** is continuing its tradition of three decades with its Chicken Barbecue held after the Grand Parade on Saturday, July 27.

Rotarians will be serving up chicken dinners from 2 to 6 p.m. at the Pigeon Rec Park tent.

■ **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS,** Pigeon/Caseville #8042 will be flipping pancakes with all the trimmings on Sunday, July 28, serving at the Knights of Columbus Hall, located on M-142 just west of Pigeon.

■ **BLUEWATER YOUTH FOR CHRIST** will be keeping Red Hacker 3-on-3 players supplied with food and drink on Saturday and Sunday, July 27 and 28 from 8 a.m. on during tournament play.

And, folks just watching the games can use the

stand, too, of course...

■ **CROSS LUTHER LEAGUE PIZZA STAND** will be downtown Thursday through Sunday, providing pizza and pop as a fundraiser for their youth group.

■ **PIGEON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTC** will be on hand downtown to provide shoppers, Red

Hackertourney visitors and other tourists with pop and snack foods from Thursday through Sunday from 10 to 5 p.m.

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GETTING EARLY SAMPLES of treats that the Salem United Methodist Church Evangelism Committee will serve up on Gospel Night, Thursday, July 25 from 6 to 9 p.m. are, from left, Caye Mitin, Andy Mitin and Amy Mitin. The group will sell sundaes, floats and cookies for hungry concert-goers.

SALLY RUMMEL PHOTO

CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING JULY 8, 1991

Public hearing called to order at 6:30 p.m.
Roll Call: Present: Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Lee Merideth, Tom Rose, Frank Malosky, Bill Goslee, Dave Lecznar. Absent: Alice Hart.
Public hearing called for the proposed deletion of ordinance chapter 654, establishing a new noise ordinance to be numbered 91-2.
Public hearing adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

PAMELA J. STAHL,
Village Controller/Deputy Clerk
(A complete copy of the minutes may be obtained by contacting the Village Hall)

CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING JULY 8, 1991

Public hearing called to order at 7 p.m.
Roll Call: Present: Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Lee Merideth, Tom Rose, Frank Malosky, Bill Goslee, Dave Lecznar. Absent: Alice Hart.
Public hearing called for proposed amendments to the Village of Caseville ordinance No. 91-1 "Recycling Ordinance" to correct definitions and to clarify household and commercial container use.
Public hearing adjourned at 7:16 p.m.

PAMELA J. STAHL,
Village Controller/Deputy Clerk
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Thumb Area Obituaries

HILDA V. DEERING 1907 - 1991

Hilda V. Deering, age 84 of Bay Port, passed away Saturday, July 20 at the Huron County Medical Care Facility near Bad Axe.

Mrs. Deering was born in Bay Port on April 21, 1907, daughter of the late George and Katherine (Flickinger) Harder. On Oct. 18, 1926, she was united in marriage to Henry E. Deering. He preceded her in death on Dec. 1, 1969.

She was a faithful member of the Bay Port Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and was a past leader of the District Women of the Church.

Her survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Caralea (Orville) Reed of Bay Port, Mrs. Rhea Dutcher Walden of Bay Port and Mrs. Louann (Albie) Hults of Sarasota, Fla.; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Carrie Bartlett of Midland, Mrs. Margaret Faltyn and Mrs. Doris Albrecht, both of Bay Port. She was preceded in death by a son DeLyle, a daughter Ramona, two granddaughters, Beth Ann Reed and Tamara Deering, a brother and a sister.

A funeral memorial service was conducted on Tuesday, July 23 at 1 p.m. from the Bay Port Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Elder Ervin Haley officiated, with interment of the remains in the New Bay Port Cemetery.

Funeral services were conducted by Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

Additional Obituaries appear on Page 5A

FLORENCE CHRISTINE YACKLE 1907 - 1991

Florence C. Yackle, age 84 of Pigeon, passed away Friday, July 19 at the Huron County Medical Care Facility near Bad Axe, following a long illness.

She was born on Feb. 3, 1907 in Pigeon, daughter of the late John and Caroline (Brady) Yackle. Miss Yackle was a member of First United Methodist Church in Pigeon, and was a homemaker throughout her lifetime.

Her survivors include a brother, Carl (Edna) Yackle of Pigeon; a sister, Mrs. Orvin (Esther) Yordy of Pigeon; three nephews; five nieces, and 11 grandchildren and grandnephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, July 23 from the Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home in Pigeon, which was in charge of arrangements. Rev. James P. Schwandt, pastor of First United Methodist Church officiated, with burial in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Memorials may be made in her memory to First United Methodist Church or Bay Shore Camp.

Other Thumb area deaths

Larry McClorey, 59, Cass City, passed away July 1. Wilbert Nitz, 76, Dearborn, 8, formerly of Sebawing, August Swiercz, 71, Bad passed away July 4.

Ethel Radabaugh, 88, Sebawing, passed away July 1. August Swiercz, 71, Bad passed away July 8.

BAY PORT PONYTAIL SPORTS

In Bay Port Ponytail League action, the Bay Port Gulls defeated Elkon in two games. In the first game, the Gulls won 16-5, and the second game 10-4.

In the first game, Jamie Chioti pitched, striking out three. At the plate she hit three singles.

Krissey Sears hit three singles and a double, Tessa Henne hit three singles, Kelly Duffy hit three singles, Shannon Schaefer singled twice and homered twice, Kami Fritz singled, Rose Schaefer singled, Tierney Rose singled three times, Kim Gascho tripled and homered, Lisa

Dunn singled twice, and Chioti singled.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Licht with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Champagne spent the week-end with their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Alfaro and family, Eaton Rapids.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Bill Lewis and Mrs. John Diener attended the bridal shower for Patricia Freas, bride-elect of Dennis Diener, Jr. The whooper was held at the Pigeon District Library.

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL JULY 8, 1991

Meeting called to order at 7:30 p.m.
Roll Call: Present: Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Tom Rose, Lee Merideth, Frank Malosky, Bill Goslee, Dave Lecznar. Absent: Alice Hart.
Motion to adjourn on or before 10:00 p.m. All ayes. Motion carried.

Minutes from the regular meeting held June 10, 1991 were approved as presented.

Motion to approve transfer list as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Resolution 91-103 to pay bills as presented. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Motion that the Caseville Village Council accept the recommendation of the Planning Commission regarding the proposed apartment complex by Bavarian Builders, Inc. Motion carried.

Motion that the Village of Caseville be included in the Township Millage Ballot question for 4/10ths of one mill, for two years as a special assessment millage to control gypsy moth problem. Roll call: all ayes. Motion carried.

Resolution 91-102 for repairs to the village air conditioning system. Cost to be shared with the Township. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS
WATER: Resolution 91-107 to establish monthly non-metered water and sewer charges for re-factor. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried. Motion to recess for five minutes. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting called to order at 9:10 p.m.

POLICE: Resolution 91-104 to approve deletion of "Noise Ordinance" dated October 9, 1978 and to further adopt noise ordinance 91-2 to be effective 10 days upon publication. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-110 that Harold Lankey be a contract employee for the Village Police Dept. from July 9, 1991 to October 11, 1991. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

DPW/ROADS: Motion to instruct the Village Office and DPW Dept. to rebid the tractor purchase as specified at the June meeting, bid to be upped, add warranty information request to specification. Roll call: ayes: McCormick, Williams, Rose, Lecznar; nays: Merideth, Goslee. Absent: None. Motion carried.

FINANCE: Resolution 91-109 recognizing check co-signers for payroll and related checks. Roll call: ayes: Rose, McCormick, Williams, Goslee; nays: Merideth, Lecznar. Absent: None. Resolution carried.

SEWER: Resolution 91-95 to approve payment to Lanzo Construction. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-96 to approve payment to Lanzo Construction. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-99 to approve payment to Wolverine Engineers. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-108 to request reimbursement from FMHA and/or EPA. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-106 to advertise for sewer connection contractors. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

RECYCLING COMMITTEE: Resolution 91-105 to approve amendments to the Village of Caseville Recycling Ordinance #91-1. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

PARKS AND RECREATION: Resolution 91-74A to amend Resolution 91-74 to set aside \$400 for the purchase of replacement flags. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Motion to approve appointment to the village zoning board of appeals from 7/91 to 7/94 as follows: Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Lee Merideth, Tom Rose, Bill Goslee, Dave Lecznar. All ayes. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 p.m.
PAMELA J. STAHL, Village Controller
(A complete copy of the minutes may be obtained by contacting the Village Hall.)

CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING JULY 15, 1991

Special Meeting called to order at 6:45 a.m. Roll Call: Present: Bruce McCormick, Lee Merideth, Bill Goslee, Dave Lecznar, Frank Malosky. Absent: Forrest Williams, Tom Rose, Alice Hart.

Resolution 91-97 to approve change order #4, Lanzo Construction. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-98 to approve change order #5, Lanzo Construction. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-111 authorizing installation of three water services per sewer main installation. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 91-112 authorizing purchase of computer program for DDA procedures, cost not to exceed \$200. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:58 a.m.
PAMELA J. STAHL, Village Controller
(A complete copy of the minutes may be obtained by contacting the Village Hall.)

'Footloose' headlines Friday Stage Show

"Footloose," a "family" of four enthusiastic performers playing a variety of acoustic musical instruments will hit the Farmers' Festival Band Shell Stage on Friday night, July 26.

The evening will begin at 7 p.m. with the crowning of the 1991 Pigeon Farmers' Festival Queen and her Court and will be followed by the announcement of

will belong to Doug Scheer, comedy/magician, who will perform on the Festival Stage for a 40-minute show.

He is a part of the talent line-up provided by the Gail & Rice Agency in Detroit. "Footloose," hailing from Ann Arbor, will blend solo to four-part vocals and a wide assortment of instruments into an exciting mix of musical styles, from bluegrass to ballads, blues to swing jazz, traditional to contemporary folk music.

With six recordings on Mudhen Records and more than 12 years of festival, college, community and club appearances, "Footloose" has been a sought-after act throughout the Midwest, with its distinctive "uptown, down-home acoustic entertainment."

Members of "Footloose," all of whom sing, are Chris Barton on hammered dulcimer, banjo, guitar, recorder and washboard; Myron Grant on harmonica, bones, mandolin and guitar; Bill Barton on

fiddle, mandolin and guitar and Dave Crandall on string bass. "Footloose" is known for its tight harmony singing, instrumental ver-

satility, original compositions and arrangements and spontaneous warmth and zaniness in performance.

There will be no admission charge taken for the Friday Night Stage Show, according to Festival organizers.

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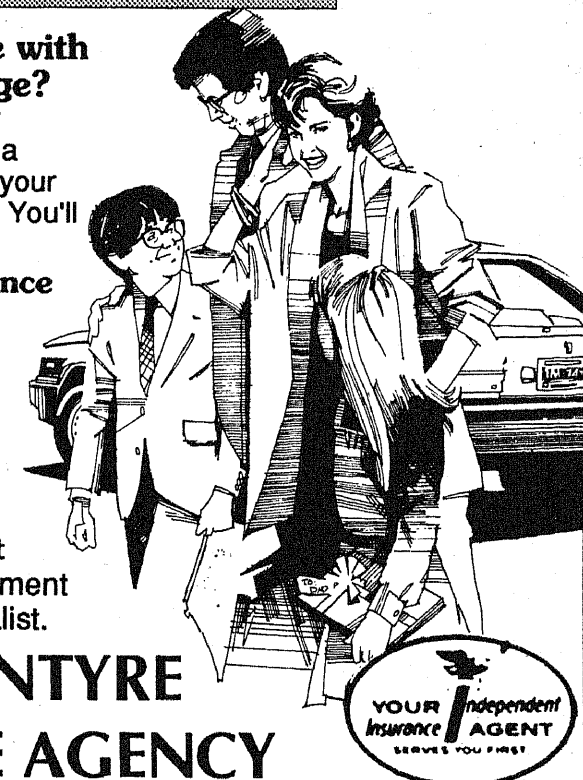
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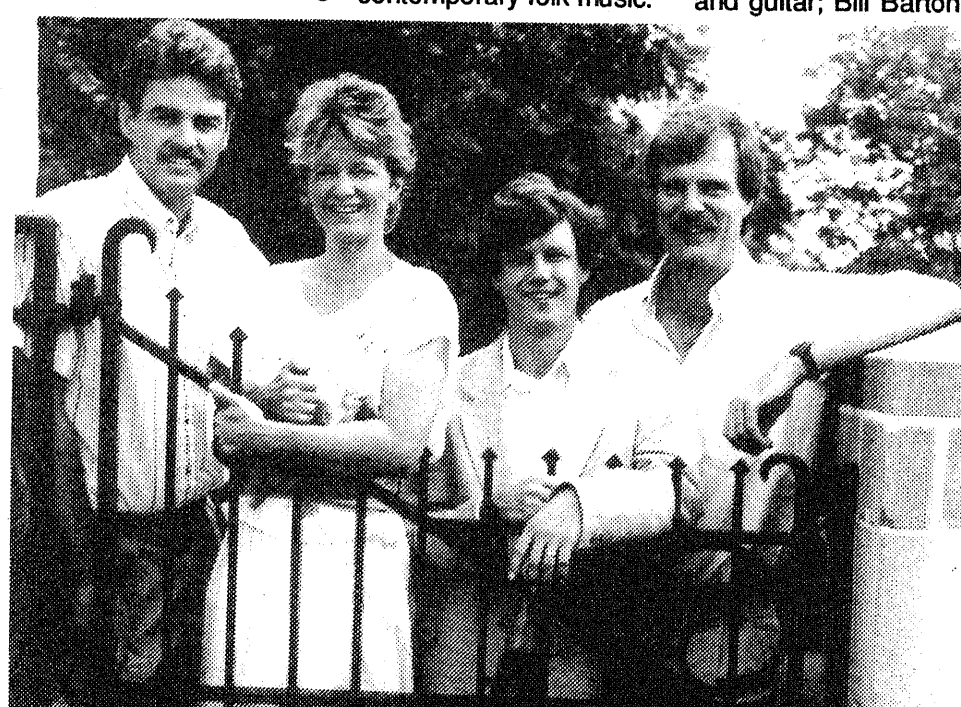
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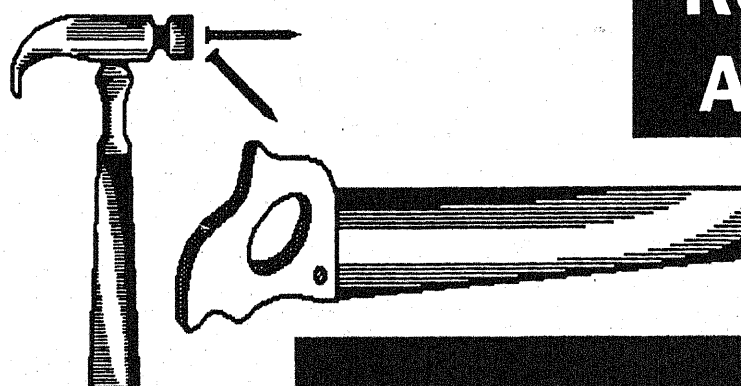


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Lewis Sunday Worship 9:30 am Church School 10:30 am</p> <p>CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, CASEVILLE Pastor James Dupuy Sunday School 10:00 am Worship Service 11:00 am Evening Service 6:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study 4:00 pm</p> <p>CASEVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Greg Mayberry Sunday School 9:00 am Nursery 10:15 am Sunday School 10:15 am Bible Study 6:00 pm</p>	<p>CHANDLER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - ELKTON Filion Rd., Rev. Matthew Amerson Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>CALL PHOENIX-ARTIST - 453-3111 COMMUNITY WESLEYAN CHURCH - 517 WHELAN ST. 1041 - ELKTON Pastor David Smith Sunday School 9:45 am Morning Worship 10:45 am Sunday Evening 7:00 pm Wednesday Evening 7:00 pm</p> <p>COLLING CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 5063 Colling Rd., Unionville SUNDAY: 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Morning Worship 6:00 pm Evening Worship WEDNESDAY 7 pm Prayer Service 1st WEDNESDAY: EXCH-MONTH Masses meeting 7 pm</p> <p>CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON ELCA Raymond E. Orr, Pastor Sunday Worship 8:30 am and 10:45 am Sunday School 9:45 am</p> <p>ELKTON MISSIONARY CHURCH Rev. Larry Salzbauer Worship Hour: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 am Worship Hour 11:00 am Adult Bible Study - Wed. 7:30 pm Sunday Evening Service 7 pm</p> <p>ELKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Jim Janney Morning Worship 9:30 am Sunday School 10:45 am 4:00 pm Evening Service Evening Service 7:00 pm</p> <p>Faith Bible Baptist Church Rev. Rick L. Rodda Corner M-26 & 1st St. - Day Post Morning Praising 11 am Sunday Evening 7 pm Wednesday Mid-week 7 pm</p>	<p>FAITH HAVEN COMMUNITY MEMORIAL CHURCH Rev. Wayne J. Kain Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service 11:00 am</p> <p>CHRISTIAN CHURCH Family Church 325 N. Center, Sebawing SUNDAY 10:00 am Morning Worship 10:00 am Missionary Church</p> <p>FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH - BAD AXE - Pastor Howard Turnbull Sunday School 10:00 am Sunday Worship 11:00 am Sun. Evening Worship 7:30 pm Wednesday Evening Adult Bible Study 7:30 pm</p> <p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON Rev. James P. Schwandt Worship 9:00 a.m.</p> <p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH - Caseville 456-4820 Missouri Synod M-26 & Crescent Beach Rd. Pastor John F. Mueller Saturday Worship 7:30 pm Sun. Worship 10:30 am Sunday School 9:15 am</p> <p>HARVEST BAPTIST CHURCH 3408 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</p> <p>HAYES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Roger T. Lewis Sunday School 10:00 am Sunday Worship 11:00 am</p> <p>HOLY FAMILY CHURCH Rev. Fr. Stanley Surman 2070 Unionville Rd., Sebawing MASSES: 7:00 pm Saturday 8:00 am & 10:00 am Sun.</p>	<p>HORSHOE ACRES CALVARY CHURCH, BAD AXE Rev. Steven L. Austin Sunday School 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Evening Service 6:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:30 pm</p> <p>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBOWING-Missouri Synod Rev. Martin Heggen Vicar Wayne Hueston Sunday School 9:15 am Sun. Worship 8 am & 10:30 am Radio Broadcasting 10:30 a.m. WKYO 1350 AM - Case</p> <p>KILMANIGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. George Lewis SUNDAY: 9:30 am Sunday School 10:45 am Worship Service</p> <p>KINDOM HALL OF JEROME'S WITNESSES 1276 Pigeon Road, Bad Axe SUNDAY: 10:00 am Bible Lecture 11:00 am Discussion of "The Watchtower"</p> <p>MICHIGAN AVE. MEMORIAL CHURCH, PIGEON Morning Worship 9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Raccoonville Saturday 2:00 pm Evening Service 7:00 pm</p> <p>MORAVIAN CHURCH 2711 Cass, Unionville Rev. Carl Anderson 9:15 am Divine Service 10:30 am Sunday School 6:30 pm Youth Fellowship</p> <p>NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH WELS, Sebawing Corner of Grove & 5th St. Rev. Keith Swamy SUNDAY 9:00 am Divine Worship Service 10:15 am Sunday School 10:30 am Holy Communion 7:00 pm Prayer Service</p> <p>PIGEON RIVER MEMORIAL CHURCH Thomas Beachy, Pastor Sunday Worship 9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Sunday Evening 7:30 pm Evening Bible Study Wednesday 7:00 pm</p> <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT Elder Ervin Haley Tary Brown, Associate 9:00 A.M. Church School 10:00 A.M. Worship (3rd Sunday Each Month) 9:00 A.M. Grate Providence Food Pantry</p> <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT Elder Ervin Haley Tary Brown, Associate 9:00 A.M. Church School 10:00 A.M. Worship (3rd Sunday Each Month) 9:00 A.M. Grate Providence Food Pantry</p>	<p>9:15 am Sunday School & Bible Classes 10:30 am Divine Worship</p> <p>ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH, Columbia Corners Rev. Gary R. Girth 674-2922 SUNDAY 9:30 a.m. Worship - Communion 1st Sunday of the Month 10:30 am Sunday School Every Age Welcome! THURSDAY 7:00 pm ELCA Bible Study 2nd Thursday of Month</p> <p>ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH, BACH SUNDAY Rev. Robert Clancy 9:00 am Worship Service No Sunday School or Bible Class, June - August 1st & 3rd Sundays Holy Communion</p> <p>ST. ROCH CATHOLIC CHURCH, Caseville Sunday Mass 9:00 am Sunday Mass 9:00 am</p> <p>TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Elkton Wisconsin Synod Rev. Eugene Andrus Sunday School 8:45 am Church Service 10:00 am Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sundays of the Month</p> <p>TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, SEBOWING Rev. Lawrence C. Brooke SUNDAY: 9:30 am Sunday School 10:45 am Worship Service</p> <p>UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AKRON - 691-5134 Rev. Michael Jegerstedt SUNDAY: 9:45 am Sunday School 10:45 am Worship</p> <p>UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Lisa McWhanna Owendale - Sunday 10:00 am Church School 11:00 am Morning Worship Cagtown - Sunday 9:30 am Morning Worship 10:30 am Church School</p> <p>UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, WILSON Rev. 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A wide variety of attractions draw the people to the County Fairgrounds located six miles north of Mio or three miles west of Fairview.

The event, always scheduled the first Saturday of August, is sponsored by many Mennonite churches in central and northern Michigan, including some in the Thumb.

The weekend-long activities begin with a gospel music program on Friday night, Aug. 2 at 7 p.m. featuring Living Truth, a popu-

lar music group from Caro. Russ and Dee Dee Tibbits and Tammie Kosters form the group which features eighteen different instruments, both antique and contemporary.

Kicking off the sale day will be a breakfast served at 6 a.m., followed by a Relief Sale Run at 8 a.m. Food will be served throughout the day with a chicken barbecue at noon. Also available will be homemade bread, pies, rolls, cheese and ice cream.

The main attraction of the sale is the hand-stitched quilts which are auctioned. Approximately 100 quilts, comforters,

afgans and baby quilts were stitched during the year by many Mennonite ladies.

In addition to the quilts, many other hand-crafted items both local and foreign are popular with those attending the sale.

Country and Victorian handicrafts, wood carvings and hand-crafted clocks, including a custom built grandfather clock will be sold.

There is something for everyone including the children with "Children's World," a marketplace geared to children.

Other pre-sale activities often cause many folks to spend the entire weekend. Friday evening offers a chance to look over the items to be sold the following day, eat a delicious bean soup supper and enjoy an evening of music beginning at 7 p.m. This year the musical group Living Truth will be featured in the Friday evening program.

The sale and other special events of the weekend, which attract people from all over Michigan, is one way to share resources with others in need.

Net funds raised at the Northern Michigan Relief Sale are donated to Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) to distribute. MCC is a cooperative relief, service and development agency of North American Mennonite and Brethren in Christ churches

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ORDINANCE NO. 91-2 AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING UNNECESSARY NOISES WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF CASEVILLE.

THE VILLAGE OF CASEVILLE ORDAINS:
SEC. 1. DEFINITION: Whatever annoys, injures, or endangers the safety, health, comfort, or repose of the public; or offends public decency is hereby declared to be a public nuisance. SEC. 2. UNLAWFUL NOISE PROHIBITED: It shall be unlawful for any person to make, continue, or cause to be made or continued any excessive, unnecessary, or unusually loud, or any noise which either annoys, disturbs, injures, or endangers the comfort, repose, health, peace or safety of others, are declared to be loud, disturbing, injurious and unnecessary and unlawful noises in violation of the section. But this enumeration shall not be deemed to be exclusive, namely:

A. HORNS AND SIGNAL DEVICES: The sounding of any horn or signal device on any automobile, motorcycle, bus, or other vehicle while not in motion, except as a danger signal after or as breaks are being applied and decelerating of the vehicle has begun; the creation by means of such signal device of any unreasonable loud or harsh sounds; and the sounding of any signal device or any unreasonable or unnecessary period of time.
B. RADIO, PHONOGRAPH, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS: The playing of any radio, phonograph, television set, amplified or unamplified musical instruments, loudspeaker, tape recorder, or other electronic sound producing devices, in such manner or with such volume at any time or place so as to annoy or disturb the quiet, comfort or repose of persons in any office or in any dwelling, hotel, hospital, or other type of residence, or of any persons in the vicinity. The operation of any such set, instrument, phonograph machine, or device in such a manner as to be plainly audible on a property or in a dwelling unit other than that in which it is located, shall be Prima Facie Evidence of a violation of this section.

C. SHOUTING AND WHISTLING: Yelling, shouting, hooting, whistling, singing, or the making of any other loud noises on the public streets, between the hours of 11 o'clock p.m. and 7 o'clock a.m., or the making of any such noise at any time or place so as to annoy or disturb the quiet, comfort, or repose of persons in any dwelling, hotel, hospital, or other type of residence, or in any office or of any persons in the vicinity.
D. HAWKING: The hawking of goods, merchandise, or newspapers in a loud or boisterous manner.

E. ANIMAL AND BIRD NOISES: The keeping of any animal or bird by which causing frequent or loud continued noise, shall disturb the comfort or repose of any person.
F. WHISTLE OR SIREN: The blowing of any whistles or sirens, except to give notice of time to begin or stop work or as a warning of fire or danger.

G. ENGINE EXHAUST: The discharge into the open air of the exhaust of any steam engine, or stationary or mobile combustion engine, except through a muffler or other device which effectively prevents loud or explosive noises therefrom.
H. CONSTRUCTION NOISES: The erection (including excavation therefor), demolition, alteration, or repair of any building, and the excavation of streets and highways on Sundays and other days, except between the hours of 7 o'clock a.m. and 8 o'clock p.m. unless a permit therefor be first obtained from the Village Manager.

I. HANDLING MERCHANDISE: The creation of a loud and excessive noise in connection with loading any vehicle or the opening and destruction of bales, boxes, crates and containers.
J. DEVICES TO ATTRACT ATTENTION: The use of any drum, loud speaker, amplifier, or other instrument or device for the purpose of attracting attention for any purpose.

SEC. 3. EXCEPTIONS: None of the terms or prohibitions of the previous section shall apply or be enforced against:
A. EMERGENCY VEHICLES: Any police or fire vehicle or any ambulance, while engaged on necessary emergency business.

B. HIGHWAY AND UTILITY MAINTENANCE AND CONSTRUCTION: Necessary excavations in or repairs of bridges, streets, highways, or any public utility installation by or on behalf of the Village, or any public utility or any agency of the State of Michigan, during the night or on Sunday, when the public safety, welfare and convenience necessitates the performance of the work at such times.
C. PUBLIC ADDRESSES: The reasonable use of stationary amplifiers or loud speakers for public addresses which are non-commercial in character.

D. SACRED MUSIC: The use of sound amplifiers or other such devices by churches, or other organizations approved by the Council.
E. TRAINS

SEC. 4. RETALIATION: If there be any evidence of retaliation by any offender against any complainant or witnesses, such evidence shall be communicated to the District Court or Magistrate. In sentencing any violator, the District Court or Magistrate shall, first examine the evidence of retaliation, and if such be shown, shall consider such acts and sentence the violator accordingly.
SEC. 5. SEE SECTION 202.99 for general code penalty If no specific penalty is provided.

SEC. 6. SEPARABILITY: It is the intention of the Village Council that each separate division of this ordinance shall be independent of all other provisions herein, and if the further intention of the Village Council that if any provision of this ordinance be declared to be invalid, all other provisions thereof shall remain valid and enforceable.

ADOPTED: July 8, 1991
PUBLISHED: July 24, 1991
EFFECTIVE DATE: 10 days following publication.
PAMELA J. STAHL
Village Controller/Deputy Clerk

VILLAGE OF CASEVILLE, MICHIGAN
RESOLUTION NO. 91-107
WHEREAS: It has been established by both Water and Sewer adopted ordinances that all residents and commercial users are required to have working meters to accurately record all water consumption and;
WHEREAS: With the implementation and onset of the sewer system, all consumption and disposal shall be accurately metered as established by Ordinance No. 90-2.
Therefore be it so resolved, that the Caseville Village Council hereby establishes a monthly non-metered water and non-metered sewer charge, per RE Factor as follows:
WATER:
Commercial \$100 per month (\$300 per quarter)
Single family residents with commercial combined - \$50 per month (\$150 per quarter)
Single family residents - \$40 per month (\$120 per quarter)
SEWER:
Commercial \$100 per month (\$300 per quarter)

Single family residents with commercial combined \$50 per month (\$150 per quarter)
Single family residents \$40 per month (\$120 per quarter)

It is further resolved that all residential and commercial users needing meters shall be notified by registered mail and be given a 45 day notice to connect the required meters. This charge shall become effective July 8, 1991.
The non-meter charges shall also be applied to accounts with broken meters and/or no remote upon proper 45 day notice as stated above.
Resolution No. 91-107 shall further be published once in its entirety in The Progress-Advance.
Non-metered charges are in addition to the mandatory established charges.
Resolution by council member Lee Merideth.
Resolution second by council member Forrest Williams.
Yeas 6, Nays 0, Absent 0.
I hereby certify that the above is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Caseville Village Council, Caseville, Michigan, at the regular meeting held on July 8, 1991.
PAMELA J. STAHL,
Village Controller/Deputy Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 91-1A
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 91-1 TO CORRECT DEFINITIONS AND TO CLARIFY HOUSEHOLD AND COMMERCIAL CONTAINER USE.
THE VILLAGE OF CASEVILLE ORDAINS:
1061.03 DEFINITIONS
The definitions shall be amended and corrected as follows:
(13) "Grass clippings" means the material bagged or raked during or after the cutting of a lawn, field or similar grassed area.
(16) "Leaf Waste" means grass clippings, leaves, garden residues, shrubbery, tree trimmings and similar material.
1061.05 GENERAL PROGRAM RESPONSIBILITIES OF VILLAGE, MUNICIPAL WASTE COLLECTORS AND OWNERS, ETC., OF LEASED PROPERTY.
Section (E) shall be amended and corrected as follows:
(E) The Village shall be responsible for the bulk ordering and purchasing of recycling containers for residents. One recycling container shall be provided for each single family residential unit in the Village. Any resident may purchase an additional recycling container from the Village in accordance with the fee schedule established by the Village Council by resolution.
1061.07 RESPONSIBILITIES OF RESIDENTS, COMMERCIAL, MUNICIPAL AND INSTITUTIONAL ESTABLISHMENTS; OWNERS AND OCCUPANTS OF MULTIFAMILY DWELLING.
Section (E) shall be amended and corrected as follows:
(E) Owners or landlords of multifamily residential units, such as apartments or condominiums, where individual residential refuse collection does not occur, shall be responsible for making arrangements with a municipal waste collector for suitable containers for recyclable materials. The suitable containers must be provided at easily accessible locations and written instructions must be provided to the occupants concerning the use and availability of such containers. Owners or landlords of multifamily residential units who comply with the requirements of this section shall not be liable for the noncompliance of any person or entity occupying their buildings as such noncompliance relates to separation of materials. All tenants or lessees of multifamily residential units shall be responsible for separating recyclable materials and placing them in the containers provided for such purposes.
Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.
Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty days after its passage by the Village Council or upon the operations date of the Village of Caseville Recycling Program through the Clean Michigan Community Project Grant of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.
PASSAGE DATE: July 8, 1991
PUBLICATION DATE: July 24, 1991
EFFECTIVE DATE:
FRANK MALOSKY,
Caseville Village President

New event planned for teens ...

A "Road Rally on Foot," scavenger hunt, is a new Festival event planned for teenagers set for this Thursday, July 25.

Organizer Dane Niebel invites teens to come in groups of up to four per team for a Scavenger Hunt all around Pigeon — on foot! Registration will take place between 4 and 4:30 at the Lions Pavilion at the Pigeon Recreation Park and the event will begin at 5 p.m.

Niebel says cash prizes will be awarded to winning teams. All teens from age 13 to 19 are invited to participate, he adds.

USA Community Band plays Thursday

The USA Community Band will perform a concert at USA High School on Thursday, July 25 at 7:30 p.m.

Spectators are invited to bring their own chairs for the concert, which will take place on the southside lawn.

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I WOULD LIKE TO THANK my family and friends for their prayers, visits, cards, flowers and gifts while I was a patient at Scheurer Hospital. A special "thank-you" to Dr. Khan for his excellent care and to the entire staff for making my stay a pleasant one. Thanks to Pastor Gorsegnor for his visits and prayers.
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The Caseville Tee-Ball teams would like to thank the Caseville Community Chest, the Optimist Club along with the other area businesses and individuals for their generous donations. We would also like to thank the Caseville IGA for their donation of hot dogs for our year-end picnic. They were great!!
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1990 Festival Queen Brenda looks back



QUEEN BRENDA SCHULZE in her official portrait.

By SALLY RUMMEL.
1990 Pigeon Farmers' Festival Queen Brenda Schulze is just about ready to relinquish her crown, but she has a year's worth of royal memories that are hers to keep.

Queen Brenda, age 19, says she enjoyed riding on the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce float at all the area parades during her year as queen.

"I enjoyed all the people at the parades," she says, "especially the children. They really look up to you as if you're someone special!"

She felt that representing the community of Pigeon was really an honor for her, especially since she loves the town in which she was raised.

"I like being able to go uptown and see lots of people I know," she says. "It's so different being in Lansing (at Michigan State University) where people beep at you when you cross the road. It always feels so good to 'come home'!"

Queen Brenda is not looking for other contest titles, but says she enjoyed her Pigeon "reign" so much she would participate in another contest if the opportunity came up.

"It was a great experience for me, especially in the area of interviewing. Having someone ask you questions really makes you think about what your priorities are in your life."

Brenda is looking forward to enjoying this year's festival, in between going to school at Saginaw Valley State University and Delta College and working "at a job she loves" at Beadle Bay Marina.

Her favorite Festival events are the Queen's Contest, the Friday Night

Stage Show and the horse and buggy rides downtown.

"I love the whole Festival," she says. "It's my favorite time of the whole year."

Queen Brenda is working hard academically this summer, taking prerequisite courses for MSU's four-year bachelors degree in nursing program. She spent her freshman year at MSU and will find out in September whether she is accepted into the program. "I'll keep trying," she says. "Because a career in nursing is what I really want to do."

Her advice to this year's queen candidates is the same as the motto she uses for her own life: "Be a positive person and enjoy yourself!"

Caseville Blood Drive Thursday

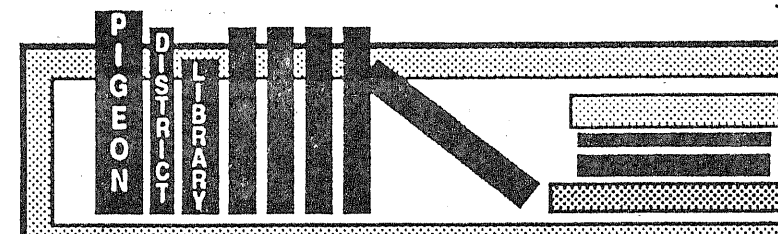
Caseville is the place and Thursday is the day for the American Red Cross Blood Drive.

Red Cross volunteers will conduct the drive from 2 to 6:45 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, just south of M-25 on Caseville Road.

"The sick and injured of the community, the elderly and newborn babies need your blood donations," says Red Cross spokesman Norma Farver.

To be a blood donor, persons must be 17 years of age, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good health.

For more information, call Caseville Coordinator Farver at 856-2656.



PIGEON DISTRICT LIBRARY

— News And Notes —

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

The theme for the Tuesday, July 30 Preschool Story Hour will be "Adoption" with the stories "We Adopted You, Benjamin"

and "Adoption is For Always."

Exercises, fingerplays, songs and flannelgraphs will be part of the activities planned for the children.

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

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AMNESTY WEEK

Overdue books with fines may be brought into the library during "Amnesty Week", July 22-27 and no charge will be collected. But you must come in to be granted amnesty.

SUMMER READING PROGRAM PARTY

A total of 163 children have read 10 or more books in the Pigeon District Library's

Summer Reading Program "Read On The Wild Side."

The children who have read over 10 books for the summer reading program, are eligible to come to a party on Aug. 1. There will be two parties, one for children with the last name that starts with A through L is at 10 to 11:30 a.m. The one for the M through Z's is from 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Winning the weekly drawing for the "Pizza Hut" gift certificates for the week of July 8-12 were Bret Zagorski and Tanya Love.

BOOK RESALE

Stop by the library during the Farmers' Festival for the Annual Book Resale, July 25 and 26 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday, July 27 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. There's a book for everyone.

QUILT SHOW

The quilt display is set for July 25-27 during the Pigeon Farmers' Festival.

The Quilt Committee welcomes you to come and view the beautiful quilts on display. You may wish to purchase one.

MINIATURE CIRCUS

On display at the library will be the "Miniature Wooden Circus" crafted by John Ballard of Sebawaing. The circus may be seen Friday, July 26 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FREE MOVIE

The Pigeon District Library will show the free movie "White Fang" on July 25 at 1:30 p.m. An adult must accompany preschool age children.

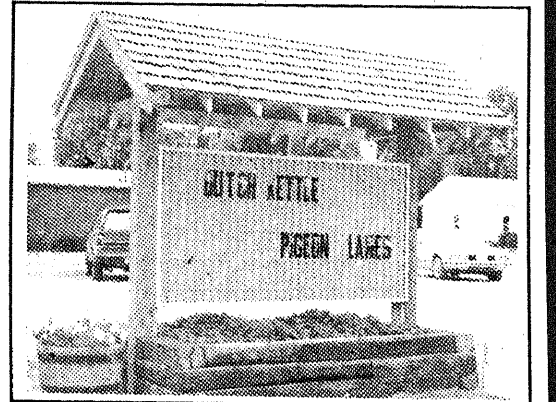
Pigeon District Library auctions quilt



THIS IS YOUR LAST WEEK to bid on the special quilt now on display at the Pigeon District Library. The queen-size quilt, in mauve and ecru in a circle of tulips pattern, was handquilted by the Thumb Quilt Guild in memory of long-time quilter Marge Frank. Bids are being taken in a silent auction, in which bidders can write their bid on a special sign-up sheet. The quilt and matching throw pillows will go to the highest bidder, according to Librarian Naomi Jantzi, pictured at far left.

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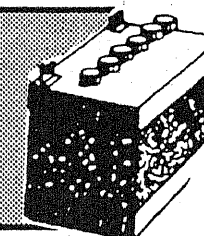
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Saturday's entertainment will be a blast!

Saturday's the big day for Farmers' Festival visitors -- a day of parades, tours, tournaments, sidewalk sales and lots of other activities, and so it's fitting Saturday should be ended with a bang... literally.

After a full day of enjoying different events, festival-goers are ready to sit back and relax a bit. So festival organizers have planned an evening of entertainment to fit every taste.

And everything happens in one place, the bandshell at Pigeon's Recreation Park.

Leading off at 7 p.m. is Chris Weber and Jalen Rose, two of the country's best high school basketball players and both University of Michigan recruits.

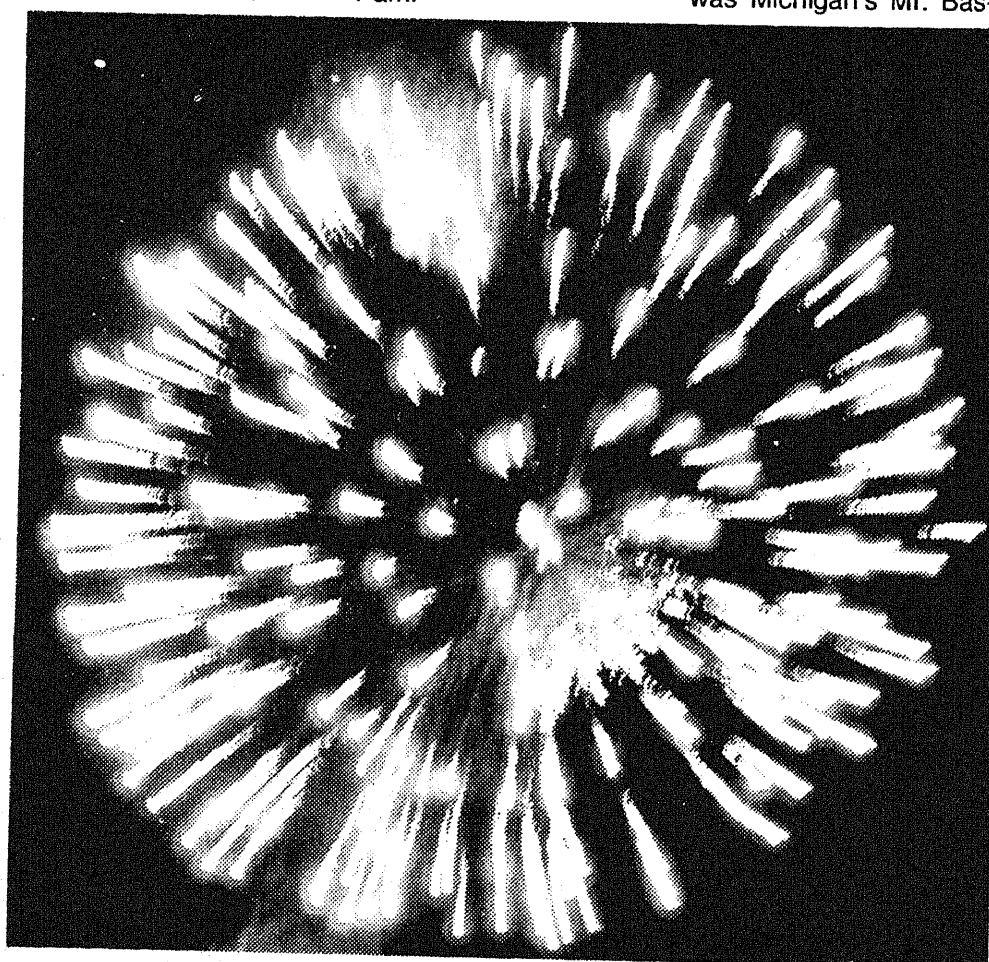
They're part of a recruiting class touted as probably the best ever. Weber was Michigan's Mr. Basketball this past season, playing for Detroit Country Day and setting new standards for high school play.

School, and was a runner-up for the Mr. Basketball title.

They're close friends and they've attended numerous basketball camps together this summer.

They'll be demonstrating some of their spectacular moves on stage at the Band Shell, and they're appearing under the spotlight.

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This year's concert, scheduled for Thursday, July 25 at 7:30 p.m. at the Pigeon Recreation Park, should be no exception with the group Galileans set to perform.

Founded in 1966, the Galileans has performed throughout the state, drawing rave reviews from their audiences. Seven members make up the group, Ronald Reynolds, Curt Day, Elaine Day, Bob White, Adrian Hughes, and John Kenerva.

Reynolds and Day are original members of the group. Reynolds is the manager and baritone singer, and plays keyboards. He's also a police officer in West Bloomfield, where he says he has numerous opportunities to share his faith in Jesus Christ.

Day does the emcee work, sings bass and plays the piano. He's an assistant principal at Walled Lake Central High School.

White sings lead and works for General Motors. Hughes plays banjo and guitar and works for Ford. Kenerva plays bass and is an automotive body design draftsman, and Elaine Day sings tenor.

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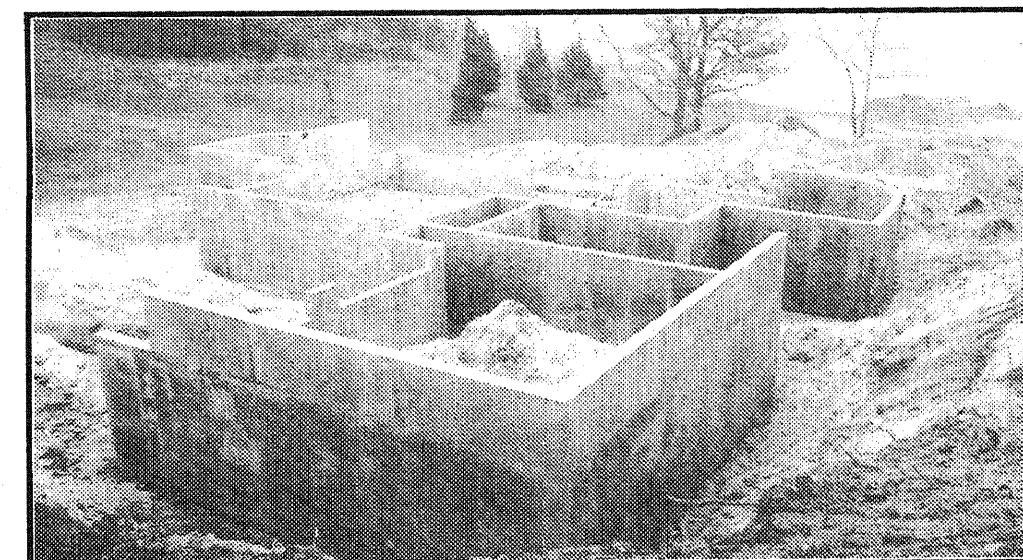
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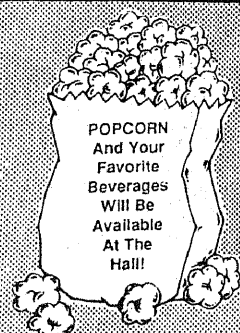
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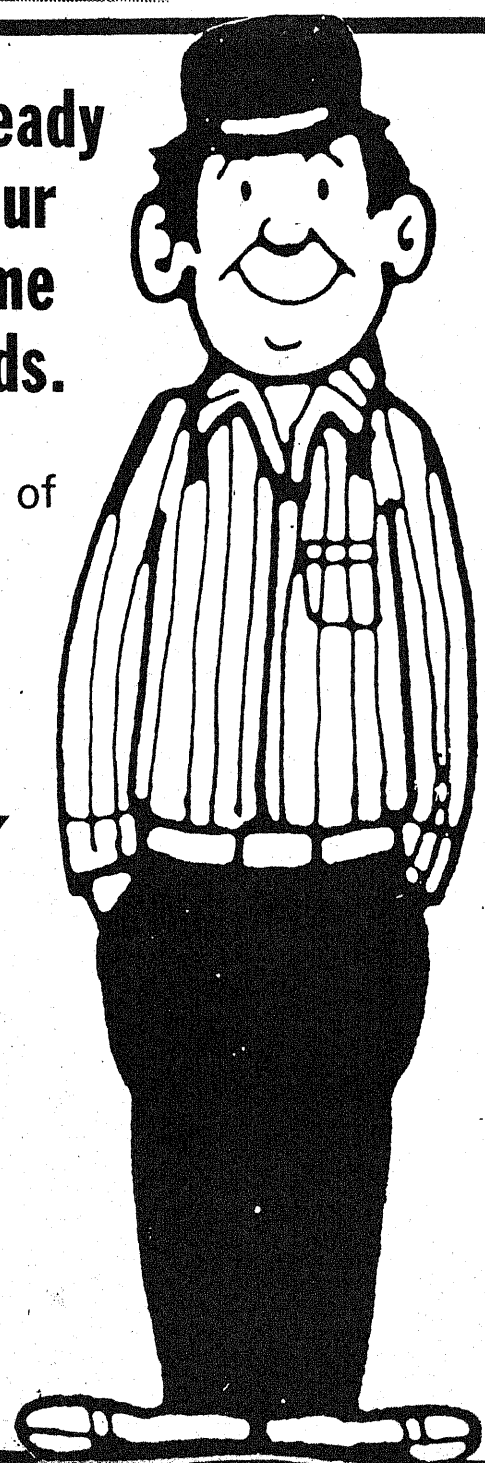
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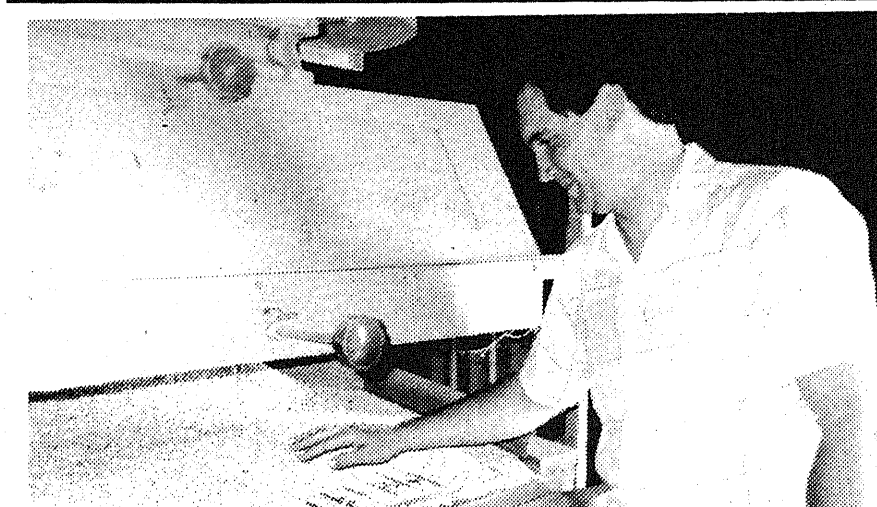
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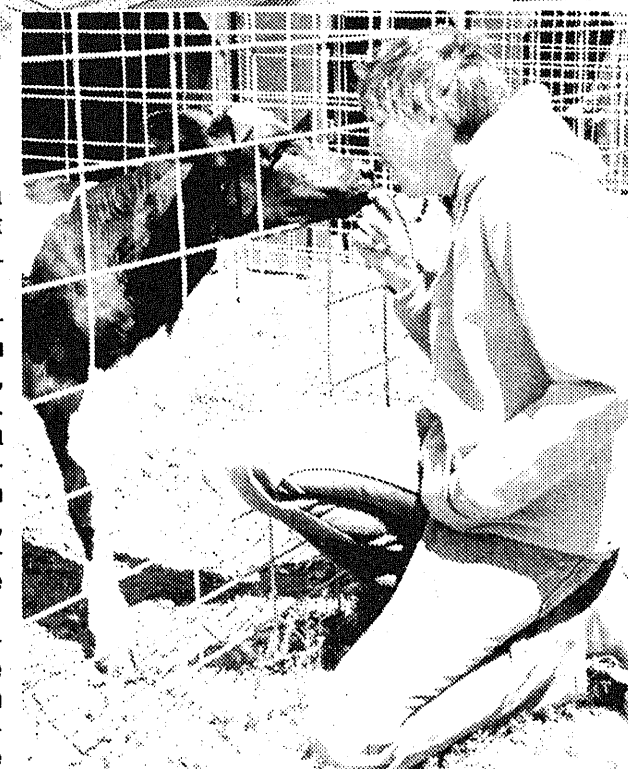


ABOVE, bean sorting at the Co-op Elevator's Bean Plant; BELOW, Gary Protzman gets cozy with a calf at Delcath Farms.

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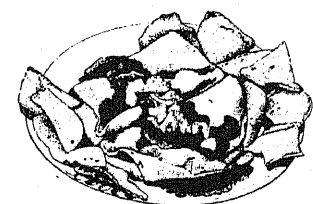
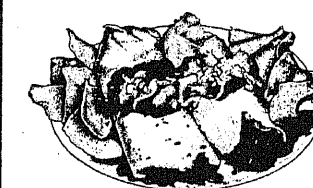
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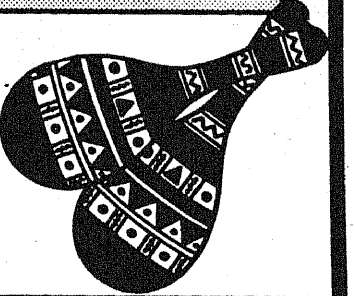
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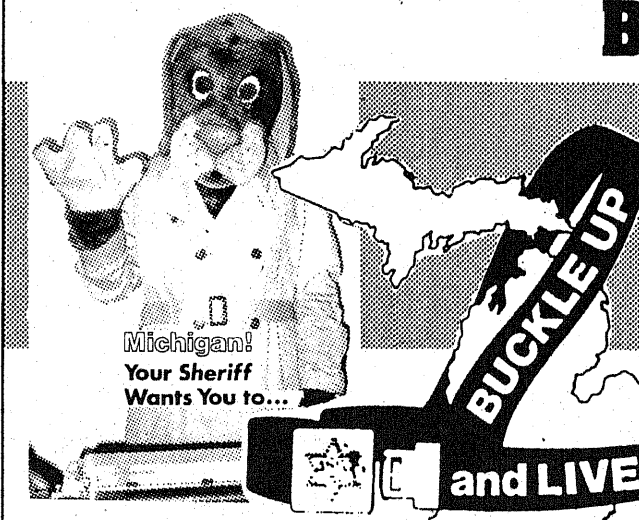


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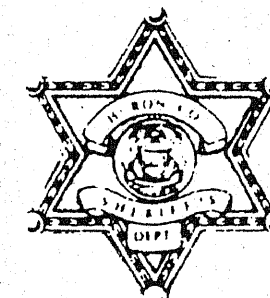
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DEBBY CHRISTNER, age 19, is the daughter of Joyce and Dale Christner. She is being sponsored by Elftman Hardware. Debby is majoring in special education in college, hoping to fulfill her dream of

working with troubled children, either as a special teacher or as a counselor. **PLEASE TURN TO PG. 15**

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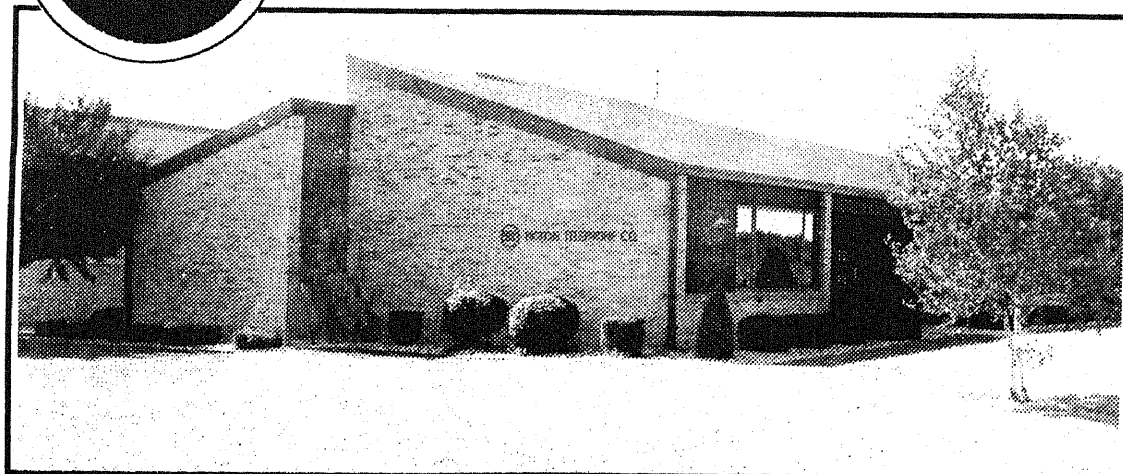
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Queen candidates vie

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education teacher or counselor. She is spending her summer as a teller at Thumb National Bank.

In her high schools, Debby was active in softball, forensics, basketball, drama, Campus Life, Cornerstone, and Student Council.

Debby says she enjoys knowing many people in her town and forming close friendships. "There is a sort of unity here. People are more willing to help," she says. She says she dislikes the limited choices young people have as far as activities sometimes.

"I'm pretty happy with our town," Debby says. "I would like to see more activities or places for young people to gather, such as a dance club or diner."

On the community level, Debby has been involved in church, working, Campus Life and school.

JILL GARDY, daughter of George and Linda Gardy, is 17 years old and sponsored by Village Variety. She has been active at

Lakers in cheerleading, forensics, theatre, Mock Trial, track, Student Council and visited Austria as Lions exchange student last summer.

Jill plans to attend Central Michigan University this fall to study English and secondary education. She is spending her summer working full-time at Thumb National Bank in Pigeon.

Jill says she loves the small-town atmosphere of Pigeon, because it allows for a lot of caring and friendship. However, she cautions that it's sometimes hard to prepare children for the rest of the world, which is not as "open" as a small town.

She also says she'd like to see more people supporting the community they live in, buying their goods in their hometown.

Jill says her church activities have kept her busy in extracurricular ways in past years, such as raking leaves for older people.

DANA GONIWICHA, sponsored by the Polewack Store in Pigeon, is the daughter of Dennis and

Grace Goniwicha. She is 20 years old and working on a college major in Computer Systems Information. Dana is spending this summer working at Polewack's and Peoples Choice Market.

While at Laker High School, she was active in Marching Band, Concert Band, softball, cheerleading and the National Honor Society.

What she enjoys most about Pigeon is being able to "walk down the street and smile at someone as they do the same back to you!"

She'd like to see more summer activities for younger children and teen-

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Singing will begin at 3:30 p.m., according to Dian Holdship, who is producer and Marketing Director for "The Jubilee Singers."

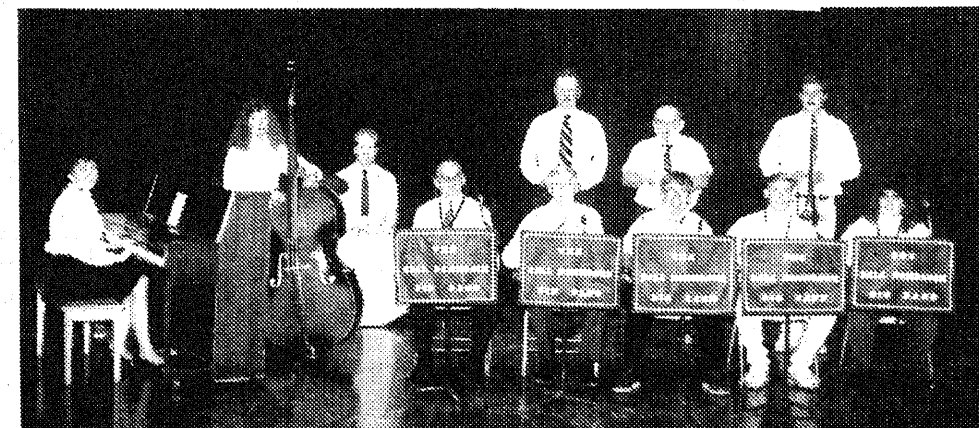
The singers will be accompanied by Gladys Hamilton and Jenny

Henderson, under the music direction of Jim Braun. Music consultant for the patriotic program is Joyce Hagen.

"The Jubilee Singers" formed five years ago to prepare the installation ceremonies of Huron Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's Love-Light Tree. They continued singing together for a tribute of Michigan during its Sesquicentennial year and perform every Christmas season with a program entitled "Christmas Is Love."



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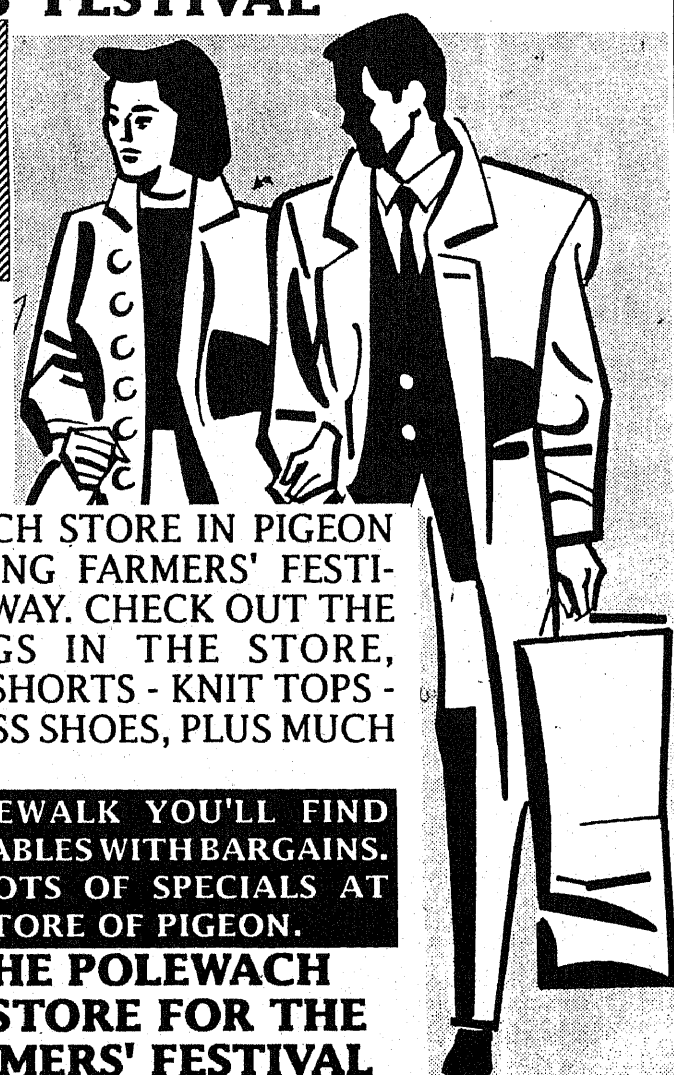
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Queen candidates vie for title

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agers, saying she had been involved in Elkton's summer recreation program for four to 13 year olds.

MELISSA HALEY, daughter of Sandie and Fred Haley, is 17 years old and sponsored by Kent McKenzie Jewelers.

After a busy summer of babysitting, Melissa will attend MSU this fall to study Special Education "because I really enjoy working with children."

Melissa spent her Laker years active in volleyball, forensics, editor of sophomore newspaper and as an active member of her church's youth group.

She likes living in a small town "because you can trust most everybody and people are very friendly." On a less positive side, she sometimes finds there is not enough to do for young people.

Most of her community work is centered around her involvement in Cross Lutheran Church's Luther League, which found Melissa helping older people, manning the pizza stand during Farmers' Festival, holding fund-raisers, etc.

JENNIFER HEINTZ, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heintz, is sponsored by The Progress-Advance.

Jennifer, age 18, has been involved in the Laker

S.A.D.D. group, cheerleading, choir, art, band and is very active in church teen studies.

Following high school, she plans to continue her work at Scheurer Hospital, where she works as a nurse's assistant and ward clerk. She is also working towards a managerial position at Wal-Mart's. She may choose to attend Baker College in the future.

She likes living in a small community because "everyone knows everyone and is so caring and loving towards each other."

Sometimes, she says, residents are not aware of problems facing other community. She would like to see more activities for children as well as teenagers.

Jennifer says she also enjoys church activities, looking after older adults, including checking on her hospital patients when she is "off duty."

JODY HERFORD, age 17, is sponsored by Dr. Doug Buehler's optometry office. She is the daughter of Neil and Connie Herford.

At age 19, she is spending her summer working for Dr. Buehler and tutoring youngsters. While in college, she is studying occupational therapy and hopes to return to the Pigeon area to work.

Jody was active in forensics, drama, art and hall council while a student at Laker High School and now that she's in college, she is active in a conservation club there.

Jody enjoys living in a small town because "I like being able to walk down the street and know almost everyone. Even if I don't know them I can smile and say 'Hi' without worrying about being abducted, like in the big cities."

She says the only thing she doesn't like is "the lack of activities for high school age youngsters." She's hoping Pigeon's new band shell will provide opportunities for activities like dances for the high school age.

WENDY MCBRIDE, 18 year old daughter of Don and Debby McBride, is sponsored by the Cooperative Elevator Co.

Wendy plans to attend Ferris State University this fall to study respiratory therapy, then hopes to work in a large hospital setting.

While at Laker High School, she was active in Mock Trial, parliamentary procedure, Student Council and as a Progress-Advance columnist "We're Asking You."

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CONTEST ORGANIZERS TAKE A LOOK AT FINAL PLANS. Pictured are, from left, Mary Lou Fluegge, Linda Walsh and Debby McBride. Missing is Carole Henry.

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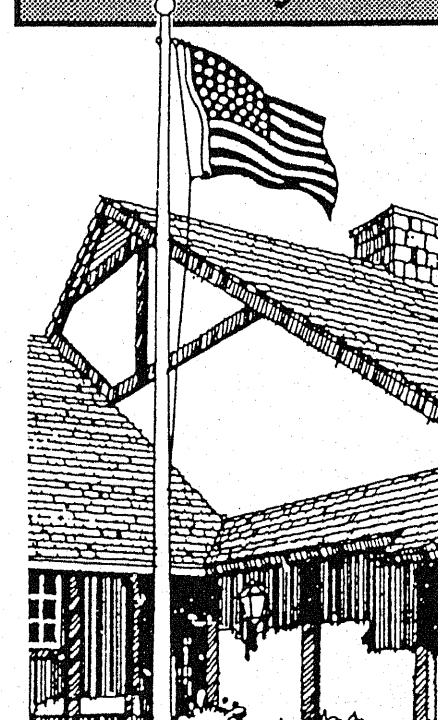
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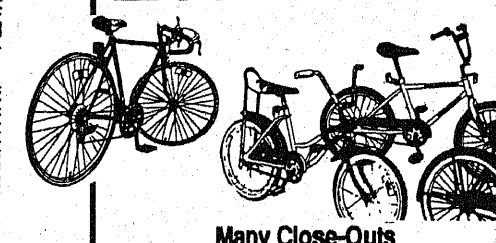
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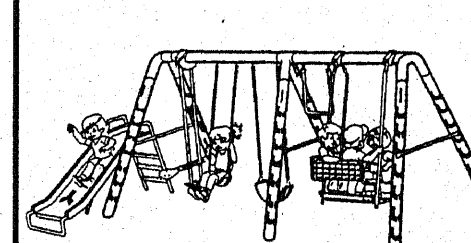


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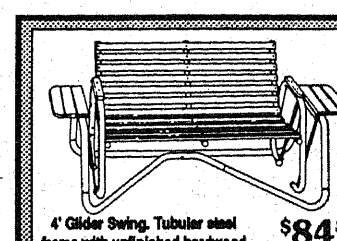
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cade, children's films at the Pigeon District Library and the pedal tractor pull.

The arcade runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., films 1 to 2:40 p.m., and registration for the tractor pull is 2 p.m. and competition starts at 3:30 p.m.

On Friday, children can line up for the Kids' Parade at 9:15 a. at the library and the parade gets underway at 10 a.m. and continues down Main Street.

Later, the diaper set will race in the Baby Crawl and all ages can enjoy the animals at the Petting Zoo.

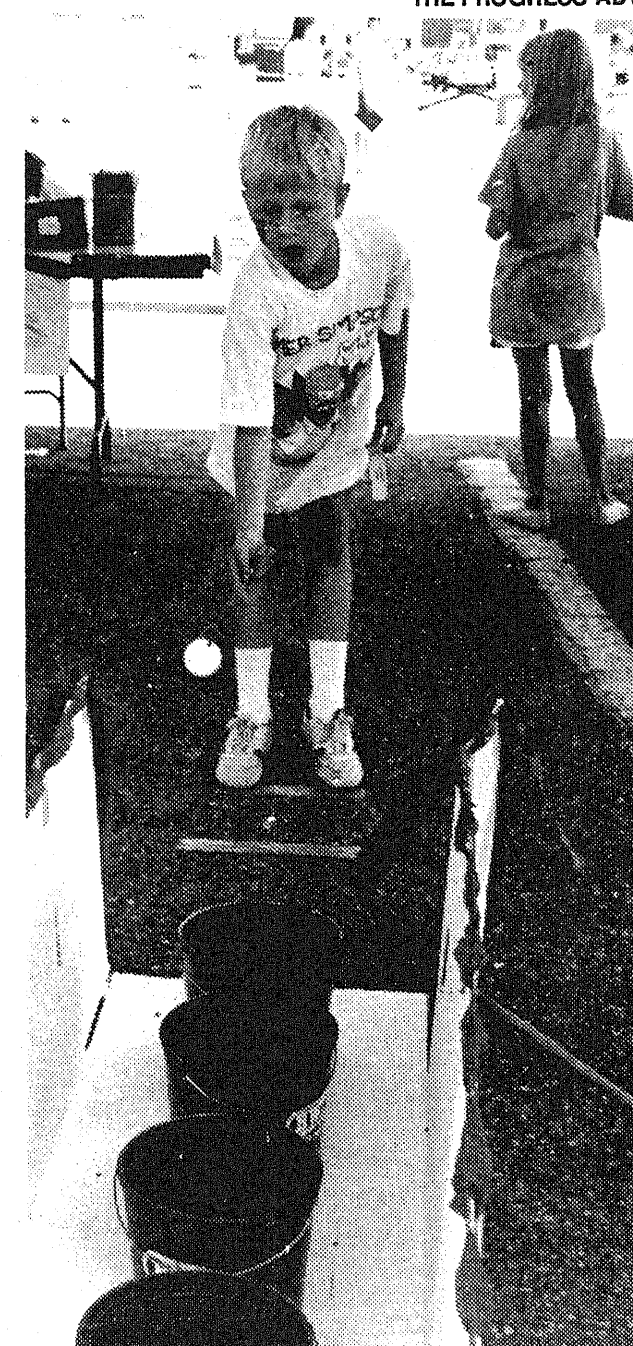
There's plenty of treasures to be found in the hay at the Treasure Hunt at 1 p.m., and the Kids' Games begin at 2 p.m.

The Backward Crab Crawl race will challenge youngsters, then they can get cooled off at the Watermelon Eating Contest and get cleaned up again in the Balloon Toss.

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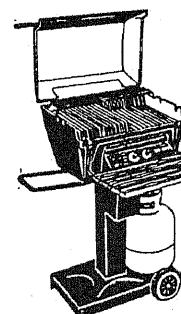
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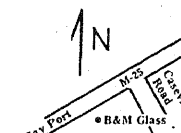


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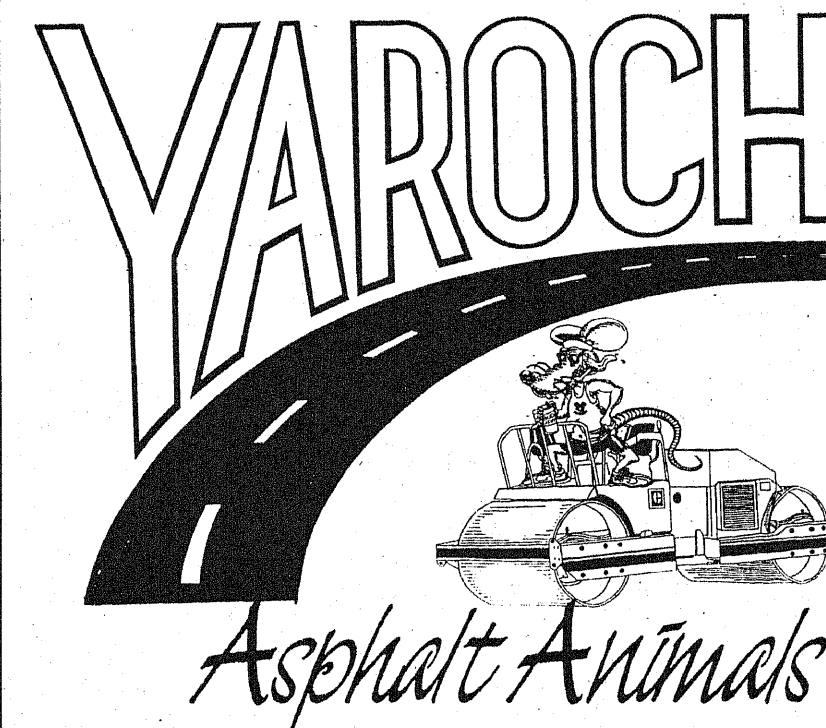
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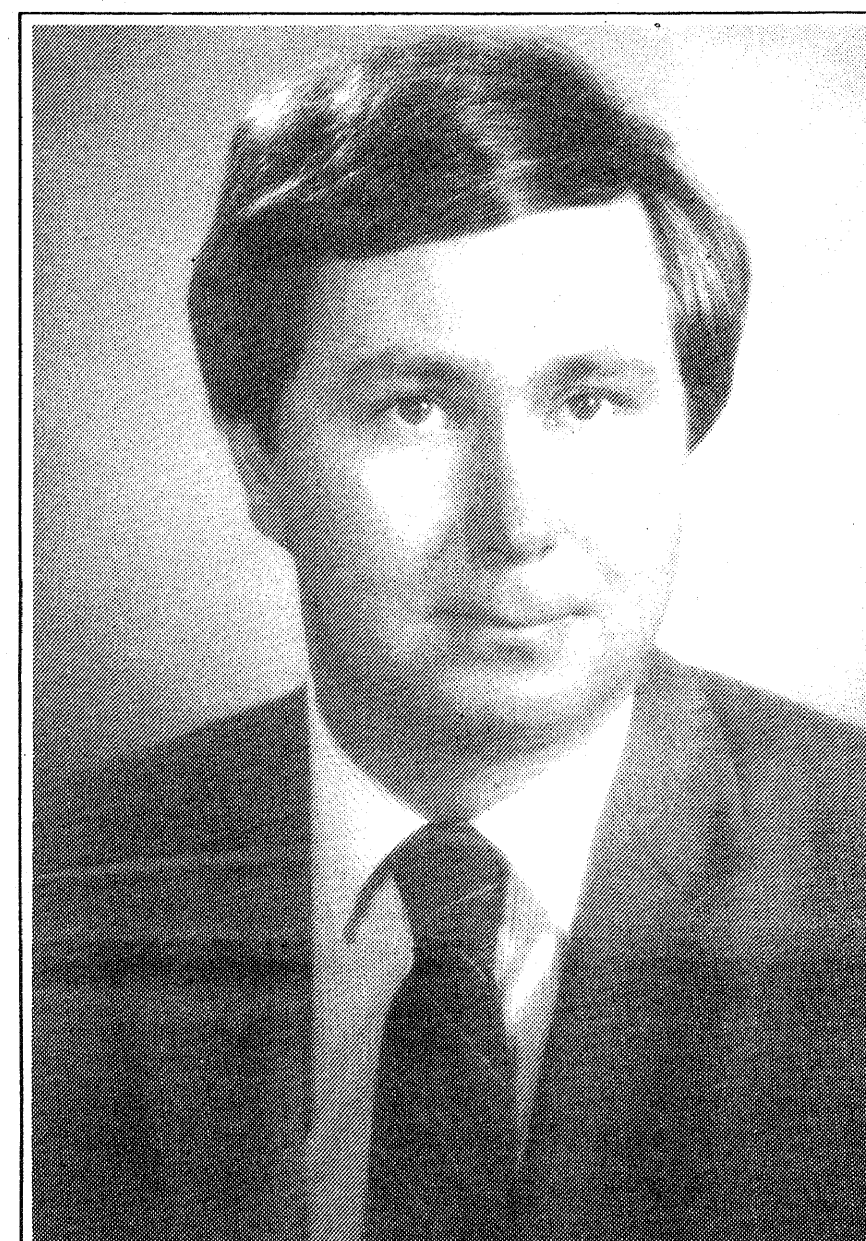
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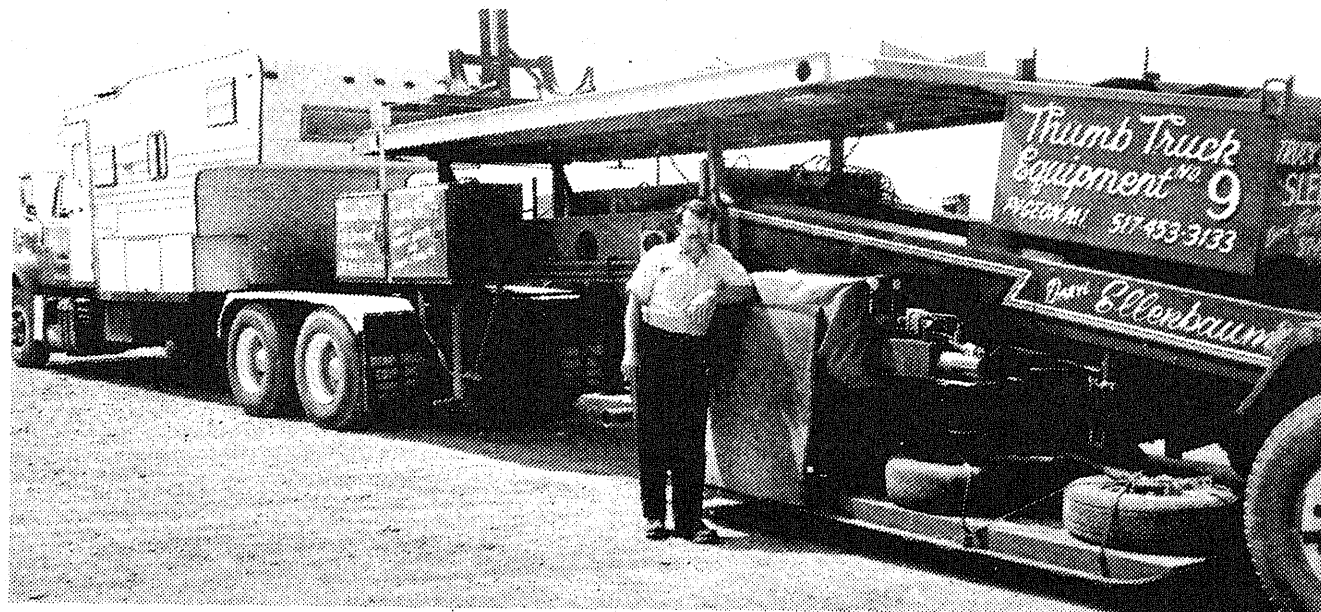
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By SALLY RUMMEL
Daryl Elenbaum will be attending a number of festivals next week...but none of them will be even close to the Pigeon Farmers' Festival, his own home festival.

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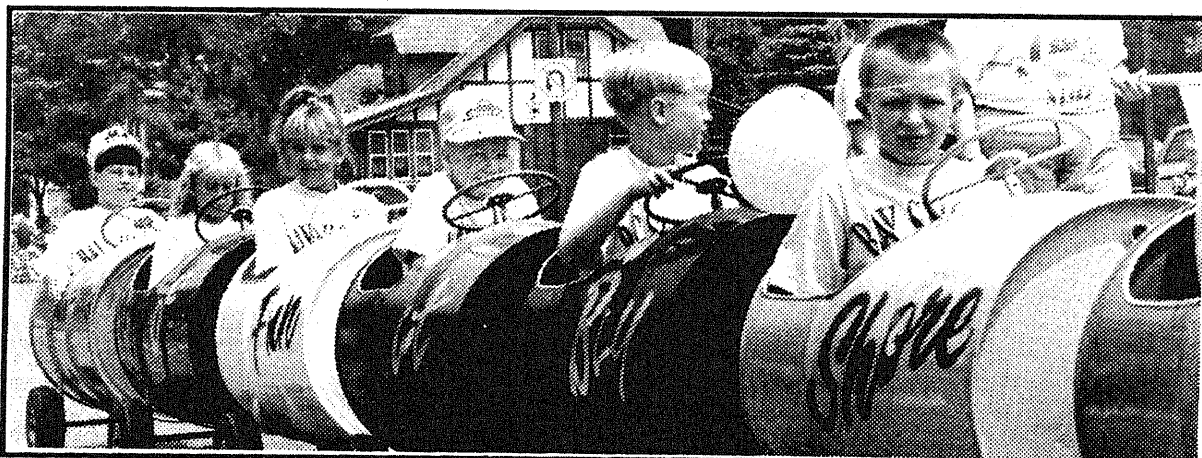


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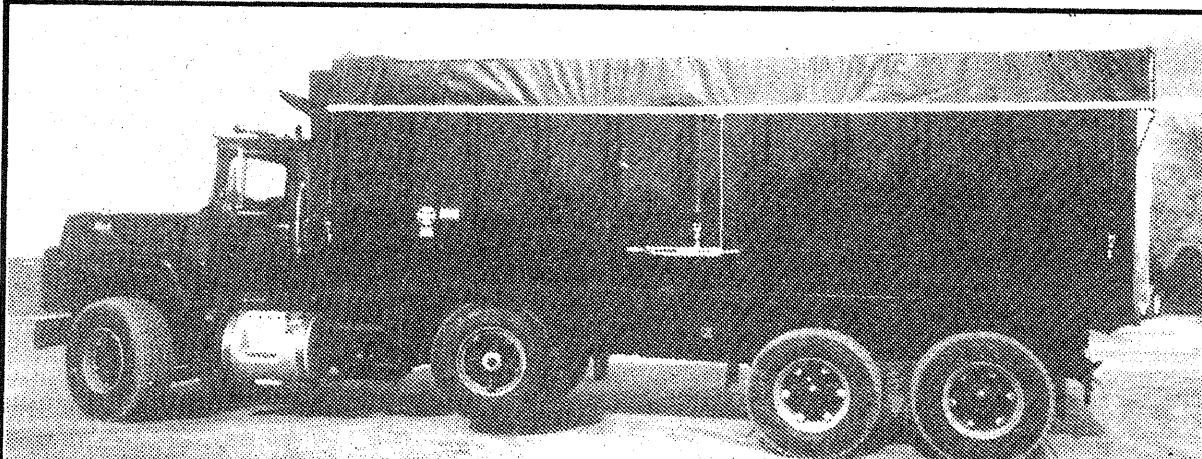
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"We started doing them in Pigeon when the Jaycees were active, about a dozen years ago," explains Daryl Elenbaum. He built the sled and his cousin Randy built the four-wheel drive tractor that the kids ride on. When the Jaycees dissolved, Daryl took possession of the tractor and Thumb Truck owns the sled.

Now the Elenbaums supply the equipment for Kiddy Pulls in Uby, Parisville, Bad Axe, Elkton and Sebawaing, saying that anywhere from 60 to 100 kids participate at a time. Usually Daryl shows the sponsoring group how to work the slide and weight mechanisms and they run the pull themselves if Daryl is out of town. Randy Elenbaum usually helps out in Sebawaing and Pigeon, Daryl says.

"It's gotten to be a very popular festival event," explains Elenbaum.

Pigeon's Kiddy Tractor Pull is set for Thursday, July 25 from 3:30 to 7 p.m. with registration taking place from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Pigeon Recreation Park. An entry fee is charged to participants.

Talented 'to a t(ee)'!

Two young girls have turned their artistic talents into a thriving business -- all while having fun this summer!

Thirteen year old Sarah Krebs of Caseville and her 10 year old cousin Lisa Krebs are the proud entrepreneurs of "PAINTWORKS," a t-shirt design business, which began during the school year when Sarah painted t-shirts that she wore to school and her friends asked her to make shirts for them.

Sarah, going into eighth grade at Laker Junior High School, asked her cousin Lisa, a soon-to-be sixth

grader at Parcells Junior High in Harper Woods and a summer resident of Caseville, to help her with the artwork and orders began steadily coming in.

To date, the pair has designed and sold almost 50 t-shirts and say they make all their own original designs. "We can custom make any design you'd like," says Sarah. "We also have set patterns you can pick from." The girls will also design headbands, tennis shoes, sweat suits and almost anything else that can be painted with fabric paint.

What's in it for the girls? In addition to gaining firsthand experience in business, Sarah and Lisa are saving their earnings for a trip they hope to take in August to Boston to see the popular rock group, The New Kids on the Block.

And at least one Caseville business is taking the Krebs' cousins talents seriously -- their t-shirts are currently on consignment at LeBlanc's General Store and storeowners report sales are going well.

Sarah Krebs is the daughter of Mark and Kathy Krebs of Caseville.



TALENTED TEES: Young entrepreneurs Sarah Krebs of Caseville, top and Lisa Krebs, bottom, hold up a selection of samples of the shirts and sweat suits they've designed with their own artwork. They're making money for a special concert trip next month...



LISA AND SARAH KREBS hold up one of their favorite summer t-shirts, a shirt that says "Instant swimmer." Both girls are water enthusiasts, spending the summer at beachside or poolside when not running their "business."

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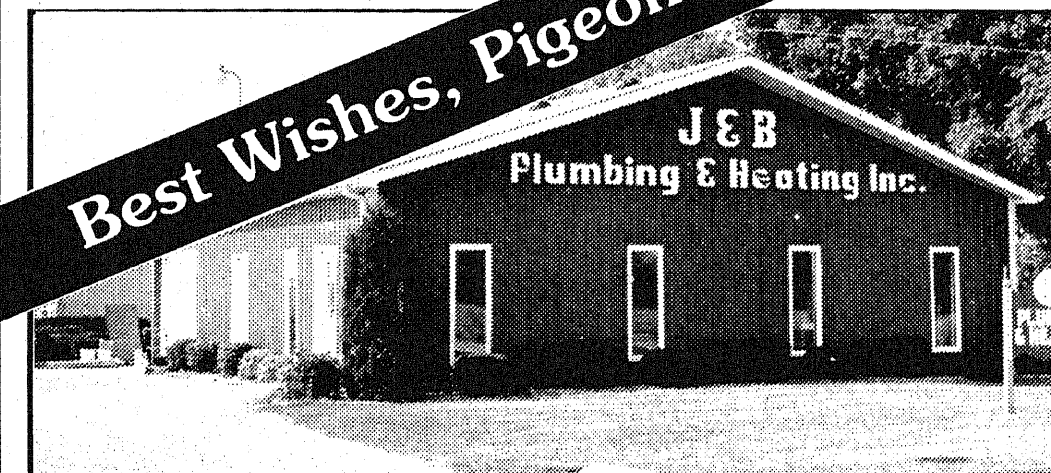
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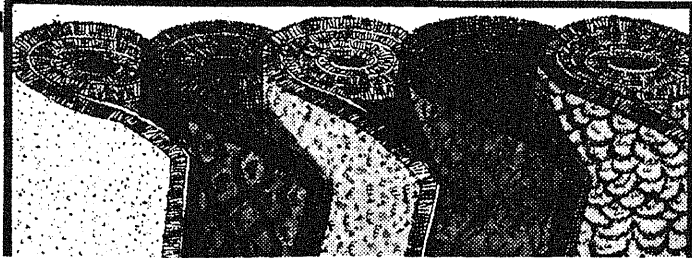
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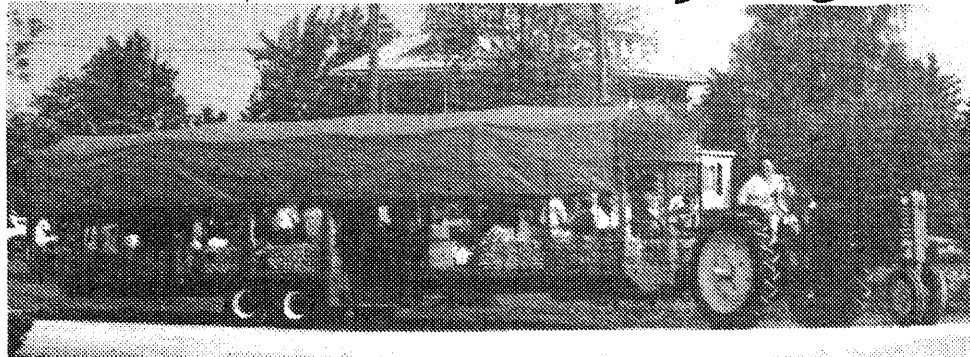
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Now THERE'S a haywagon!



The Thumb Two-Cylinder Club will be providing free hay rides downtown on Saturday morning from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, but the wagon they'll be riding on will be different than the hay wagon of yesteryear...

This is a hay wagon of the '90s, designed and built by Maust Enterprises of Pigeon. It is owned by veteran farm tour host Mrs. Erma Maust, who was looking for a new "alternative wagon" when her three old wagons finally gave out.

This new wagon is designed in John Deere green and yellow, seats up to 80 passengers and is wheelchair accessible. It's the answer to Mrs. Maust's dream that children and families enjoy all the fun of a farm tour and hayride — without the safety hazards.

Members of the Thumb Two-Cylinder Club will be "tooling" that wagon all around town on Saturday morning. "There's no specific route," Dietzel says.

"We'll start at the downtown parking lot, but if people want a ride somewhere along the route, we'll stop and pick them off. And if someone wants to get off somewhere, we'll do that, too."

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Bay Shore Camp hosts 80th Assembly

Bay Shore Camp of Sebawaing will observe 80 years of camping ministry in the Thumb when the campground opens 1991 Family assembly with an outdoor beef and pork barbecue at 5:30 p.m., Saturday July 27. The Lloyd Kuhl family of Sebawaing will do the cooking.

Located on the northernmost edge of Sebawaing village limits, the camp's 40-acre plot was purchased in 1911 by a group of Evangelicals for the purpose of providing a retreat grounds. Passed through the United Brethren, then United Methodist churches, the camp is now owned by the independent Bay Shore Evangelical Association which works closely with the United Methodist Church.

Traditionally, Bay Shore's 9-day Family Assembly begins the last week of July and continues through the first week of August. The Saturday barbecue kicks off the remainder of the Assembly schedule which includes:

• **Keynote speaker** Dr. Jim Tuttle who will preach and teach from selected scriptures in the 1st Letter of John.

• **Bible study teacher** Rev. John Grenfell who will look at marriage, divorce and remarriage from a Biblical perspective.

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• **Song leading** by Music Minister Dale Parsons and his wife Mary. On Thursday, August 1, the entire day's activities will

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Speakers will be VIM veterans Doug and Billie Rench, Don and ZoeAnn Dawes, and past VIM chairman Rev. Terry Euper.

Throughout Assembly, the campgrounds will be open for both day-camping and long-term RV camping. Dining room and bathroom facilities are located on the grounds, and infant/childcare is available in the camp's newly-expanded nursery. Older children will find ample fun breaks in handicraft sessions, organized games and the traditional Friday-afternoon carnival. The camp's new multipurpose Youth Center and tennis courts will also be open for a variety of uses.

For more information about Family Assembly or any of Bay Shore's camping programs, please call (517) 883-2501 or write Bay Shore Camp at 450 North Miller, Sebawaing, MI 48759.

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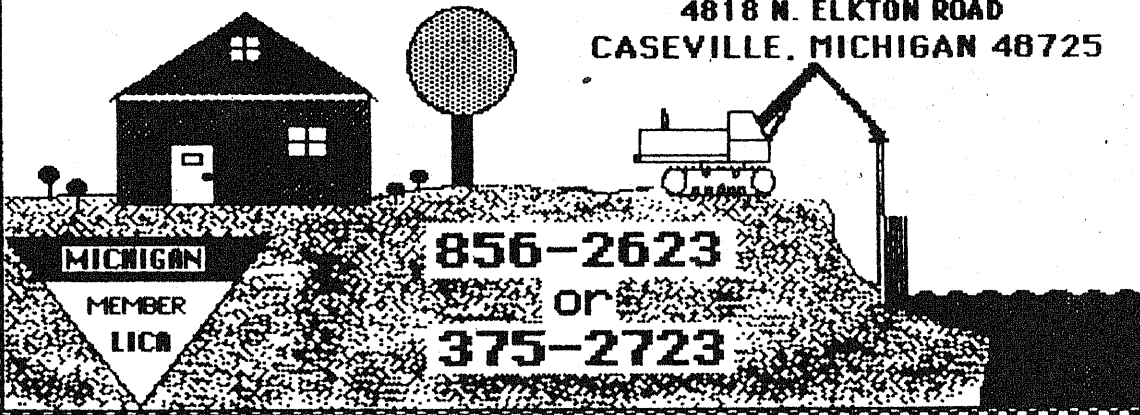
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Randy L. Swanson and Suzanne K. Schuette.
Matthew A. Aymen and Connie M. Messing.
John A. Nickerson and Michelle A. Raymond.

HURON COUNTY ASSUMED NAMES Week of July 15

NO. 5361 THE NANNY CONNECTION, 792 Schock Road, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. By: Corinne Pawlowski, 792 Schock Road, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. Filed: 7/10/91.
NO. 5362 THUMB HARDWOODS, 4675 Hunt Road, Deckerville, MI 48427. By: Steven A. Thompson, 4675 Hunt

Road, Deckerville, MI 48427. Filed: 7/15/91.

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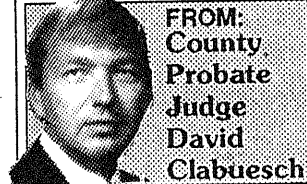
Megan C. Zurek vs- Wayne Patrick Zurek.
Janice Lynn Muntz vs- Douglas James Muntz.
Peggy L. Joseph vs- Donald E. Joseph.



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HURON COUNTY WARRANTY DEEDS July 10 - 16

George D. Beadle and Jeanette E. to John L. Pomoni and Barbara L.; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.
John J. Kaminski and Gertrude A. to Richard L. Chapman and Helen K.; a parcel of land located in Rubicon Twp.
Gordon E. Chappelaine and Marilyn A. to Allison D. Rapson and Patricia A.; a parcel of land located in Section 28 of Cofax Twp.
Joanne Peters to Terry D. Myers and Donna J.; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.
Florian J. Partick and Irene M. to Elmer F. Osentoski and Helen M.; a parcel of land located in the Village of Uby.
Dick L. Papkey and Brenda V. to Earl R. Harris and Doreen Dawn; a parcel of land located in the Village of Owendale.
Liberty Mfg. Co., Inc. to Clements Manufacturing Company; a parcel of land located in the City of Harbor Beach.
Harlon H. Volz and Rose to Thomas C. Haag and Terry M. Haag; a parcel of land located in Section 14 of Sebawaing Twp.
Ralph Rahm and Eugene to James D. Quinn and Shari A.; a parcel of land located in Section 19 of Lake Twp.



HURON COUNTY PROBATE COURT July 11 - 17

Estate of William O. Klump, Deceased, of Harbor Beach, File 29,989. Supervised Probate, Final Account of Personal Representative filed, 3 Waivers and Consents filed.
Estate of Brian M. Caister, Deceased, of Elkhon, File 29,347. Supervised Probate, Petition for Distribution of Wrongful Death Proceeds filed, Notice of Hearing filed.
Estate of Irvin LeRoy Sommers, Deceased, of Bloomfield Township, File 30,283. Petition and Order for Assignment, Estate Not Exceeding \$5,000 filed, 5 Waivers and Consents filed.
Estate of Harold C. Rapson, Deceased, of Port Austin, File 29,789. Independent Probate Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendancy filed.
Estate of Tobie B. Bowers, Deceased, of Bad Axe, File 29,260. Supervised Probate, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail and By Personal Service filed, Statement of Attorney Fees and Personal Representative Fees filed, Notice of Presentation of Order filed.
Estate of Gladys E. Harrison, Deceased, of Bad Axe, File 30,072. Independent Probate, Petition for Appointment of Successor Independent Personal Representative filed, Registrar's Order filed, Acceptance of Trust filed, Letters of Authority filed.
Estate of Walter John Frydlewicz, Deceased, of Port Austin, File 30,248. Supervised Probate, Order Determining

Other Thumb Area deaths

Rose Ulfing, 82, Bad Axe, passed away July 15.
Irene Woycik, 63, Harbor Beach, passed away July 15.
Clara Kramer, 77, Harbor Beach, passed away July 17.

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TTLM presents musical program Wednesday

Due to injury and illness, the Wisner Puppeteers are unable to perform as scheduled for Top-of-the-Thumb Leisure ministries Vespers this Wednesday, July 24, at Caseville United Methodist Church.

J & J Circus

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Shoe, Humpty Dumpty and many more nursery rhyme characters.

Ballard and his wife Geraldine are lifetime area residents, currently living in Sebawaing. John does the actual building and painting of the miniatures. Geraldine assists with the making of the tents and advising on the design.

Ballard has been involved in model railroad-ing since 1978 and is a member of Circus Model Builders International. He has recently begun working on smaller trains called "micro gauge." This is the smallest working model train made in the world. This train runs inside a briefcase and will also be on display during Friday of the Farmers' Festival at the Pigeon District Library.

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2. Sid Hurlburt...21.5 9.5
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4. Nelmer Wright...18.0 10.0
5. Cass Sikowski...20.0 12.0

HIGH GAMES

1. James L. Simmet...104
2. Nelmer Wright...96
3. Ron Ackerman...83

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Mr. and Mrs. Ruff will present a musical program. They sing and use guitars to offer hymns and Christian songs in folk music style.

The young couple have three daughters. Mrs. Ruff is a busy homemaker and Paul will be returning to Central Michigan University in the fall, majoring in history and planning to be a high school

teacher. They are members of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Mt. Pleasant.

TTLM board member Marilyn Elenbaum will introduce the program. A fellowship time follows with refreshments served by members of Port Austin United Protestant and Pinnebog United Methodist Churches.

The Vespers on Wednesday, July 31, will be done by the TTLM summer staff,

Jennifer Beachy, Holly Heleski, Jill Kasserian and Holly Swartzendruber.

These four young ladies are having a busy summer, ministering to children and adults at leisure in various Huron County locations. They include among their talents some musical abilities and will be sharing those at the program.

Treasurer Leona Filion will represent the TTLM board at the service. Hostesses for the

social time are members of Caseville RLDs Church and Elkhon Missionary Church. Everyone is invited to share in worship and fellowship.

There is no admission charge. An offering is received at each service to help support the work of this ecumenical organization.

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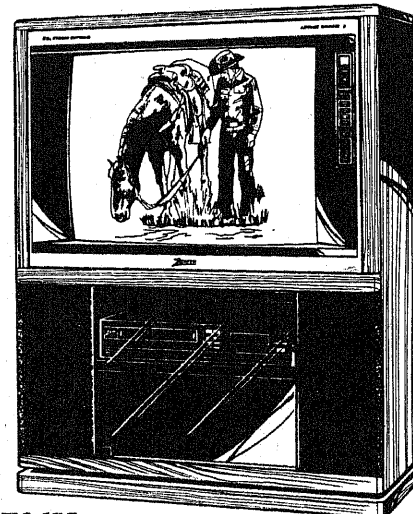
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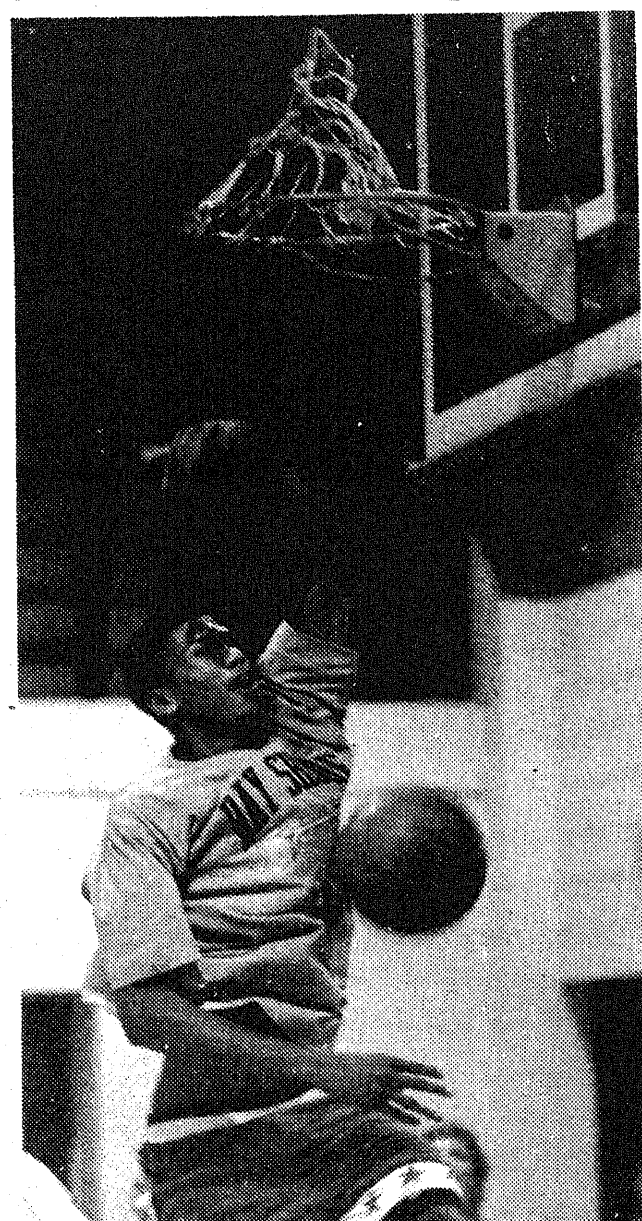
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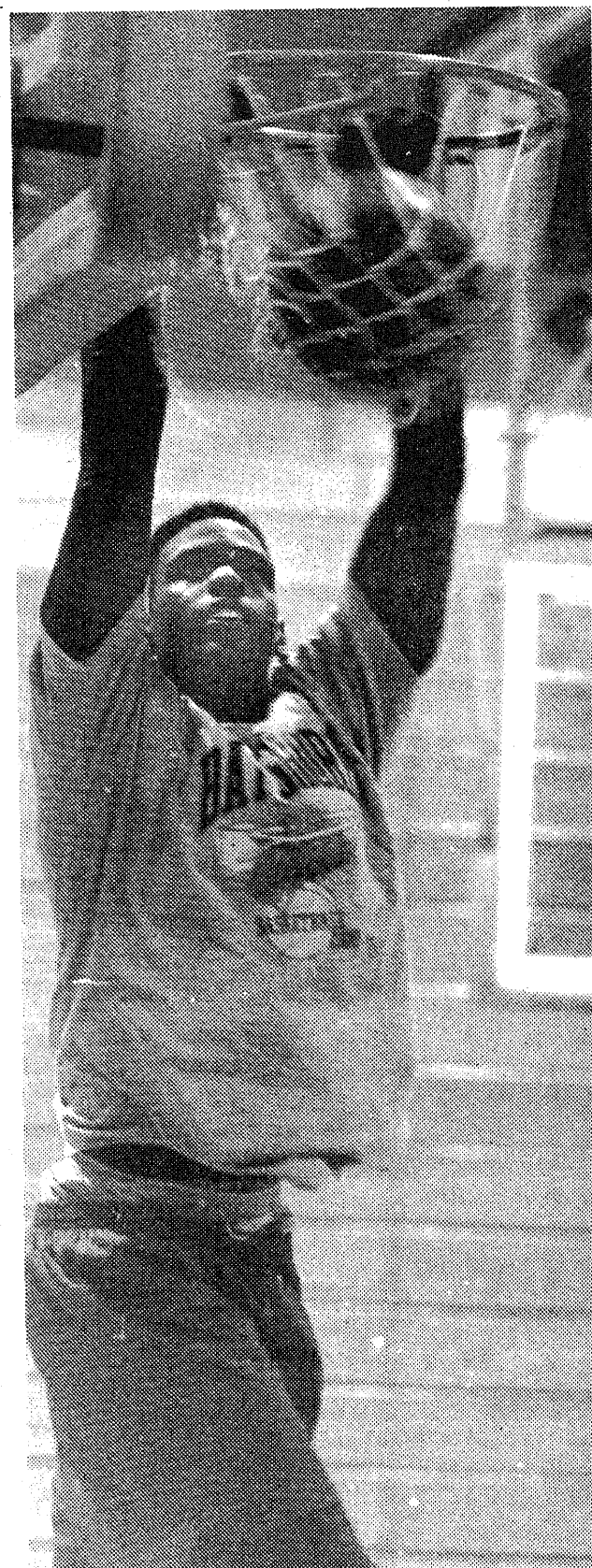
Red Hacker Tourney draws hoop talent for weekend fun

BY AMY HEIDEN
They're 'Large and In Charge,' and any team paired against them is in for a battle of epic proportions. They're a team of former Laker basketball stars with a special secret weapon—Mark Montgomery, Michigan State's starting point guard and one of the top college players in the nation. And they're appearing right here this week in the 3rd Annual Red Hacker Slam Fest 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament, this Saturday and Sunday. The tournament is conducted at the municipal parking lot downtown and on North Main Street between Michigan Avenue and Paul Street. **Montgomery won't** be playing by himself, of course. His teammates include former Laker High School All-Conference stars Paul

Elenbaum, Jim Warren and Chris Eby, who aren't exactly slouches on the court. Eby just returned from a stint in the Marines, and Elenbaum and Warren both attend MSU, where they play in plenty of pickup games with some of the best unknown players around—and some of the best known college stars. Elenbaum also hopes to again be a part of the top men's team this year, as he has the past two years. **But they won't** be the only teams in town—not by a long (three-point) shot. Red Hacker organizer and creator Redford Maust says he expects nearly 200 teams at this year's tournament, up from 120 teams last year. And this year the tournament runs for two days, Saturday and Sunday, instead of the five day format of previous years.



TOP UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN recruits Chris Webber and Jalen Rose will be special guests of the Red Hacker Tourney and will offer a Slam Dunk Exhibition on Saturday night during the full line-up of entertainment. Here, Webber's basket is turned inside out by the force of his shooting at Bay Shore Camp.



TWO FOR JALEN ROSE: Rose sinks a basket before an audience of admiring basketball campers recently at Bay Shore Camp.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTOS
Bluewater Youth for Christ. "Some people think I benefit personally from the tournament, but I don't," he said. "Every penny we make goes to Youth for Christ, and last year we made over \$3,000." **This year** the Red Hacker Tournament is sponsoring a special treat of its own—the appearance of University of Michigan freshmen Chris Webber and Jalen Rose at the Band Shell on Saturday night. They'll be showing their slickest moves under the basket on stage, plus will be speaking to the crowd.

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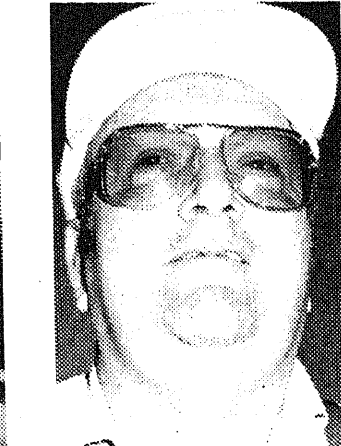
Mud Volleyball, because you get to get dirty and there's good competition.
WENDY FERGUSON,
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The parade because I like to see all the different events in it.
GINA ESCH,
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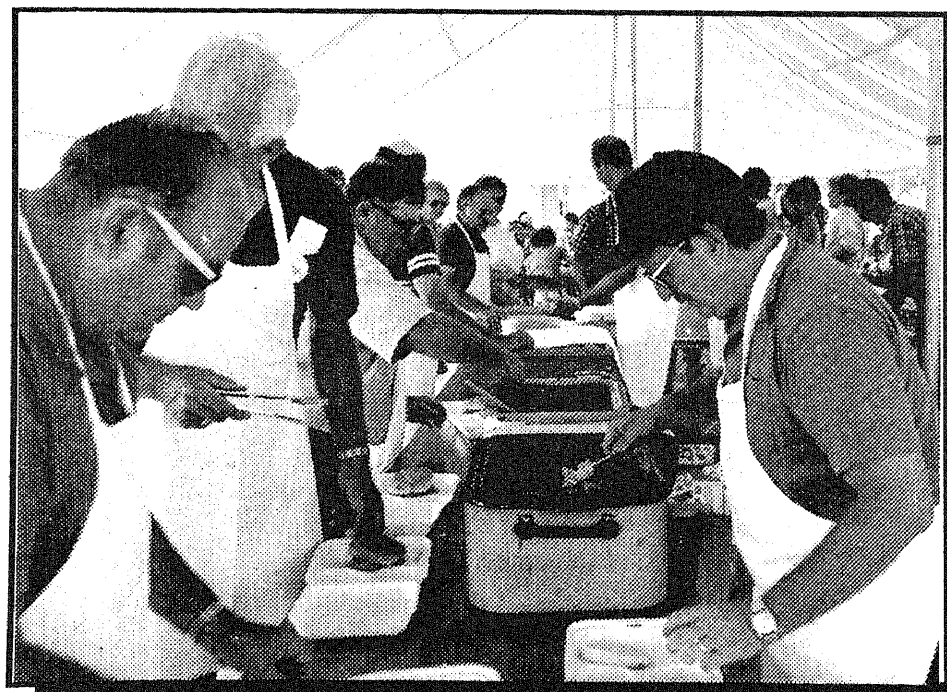
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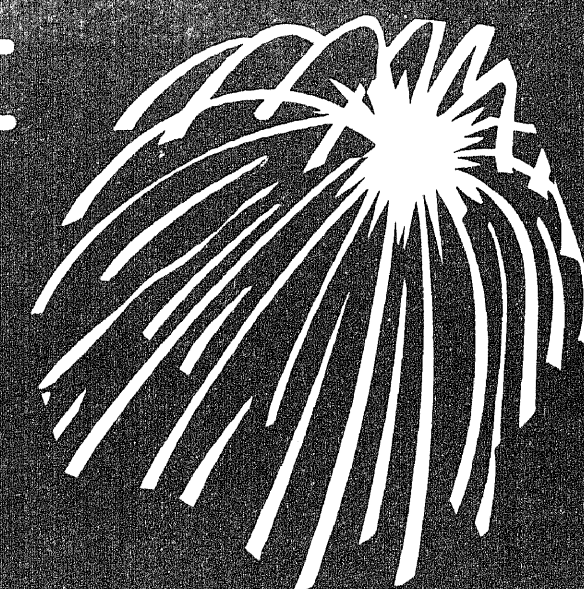
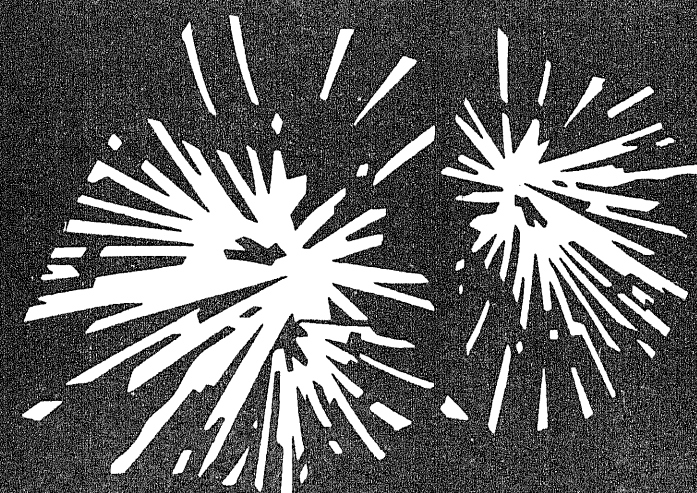
PIGEON LIONS CLUB President George Gardy, Left, congratulates 1991 Lions Safari Grand Prize Winners Carol and (Huron County Sheriff) Mike Gage last Wednesday night. Looking on at right is Second Prize Winner Linda Ciabuesch.



PIGEON LIONS members are ready to serve up a Pork Barbecue meal again this year on Friday, July 26 from 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

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The tournament is the traditional opening event of the Farmers' Festival and it gets bigger every year, according to tournament chairman Mike LePage. Forty men's and 18 women's teams are signed up for the tournament at Scenic Golf and Country Club, LePage said, with the ladies' teams teeing off at 8 a.m. and the men at 1 p.m.

Winning the men's division last year was the team of Kevin Damrow, Bill McAlpine, Tom Osentoski, and Randy Baur, while the women's team consisted of Linda Damrow, Mary Otto, Edna Dutcher, and Marilyn McAlpine.

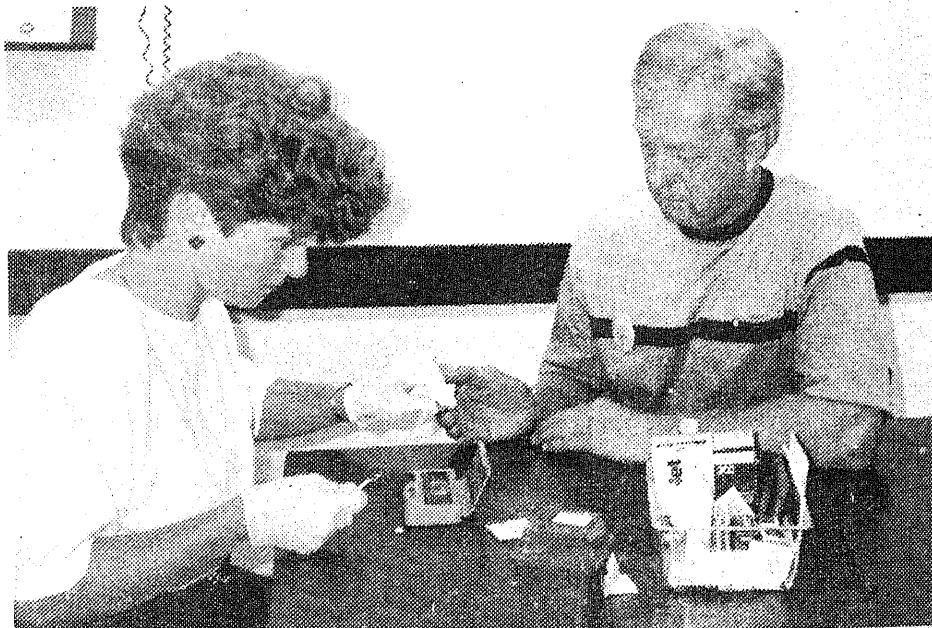
They'll all be back this year, LePage said, trying to win one of the number of door prizes offered by various Chamber of Commerce members, as well as the

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prize money, offered as Pigeon money to be used in any Pigeon business.

All profits from the tournament will help defray expenses from the Farmers' Festival, LePage said.

Fest features diabetes screening



PIGEON LIONS CLUB will offer a community service during the Pigeon Farmers' Festival when they team up with Scheurer Hospital to provide a free Diabetes Screening on Thursday, July 25 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the entrance of Thumb National Bank & Trust Co. in Pigeon. HERE, Phyllis Yoder tests George Gardy.

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