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He hunts for the love of the marsh...

By WILLIAM DILLER

A red-winged black bird swoops across the tops of the cattails, calling for his mate.

Nearby, a Canada goose leads her chicks to their nest, having finished the day's feeding. She stops as a muskrat passes a few feet away, then continues, guiding her brood.

Approaching her nest the mother goose stops again, startled by a sudden movement in the tall grass ahead.

A white-tailed doe springs from the concealing cattails, followed closely by a three week old fawn. The doe splashes a dozen yards and stops.

With her ears pricked and her tail switching, she watches intently, then relaxes as a small, round ball of fur crosses the trail behind her.

It's just a raccoon preparing for his nightly hunt. The coon is joined by another full grown raccoon and a half-dozen babies.

The calls of the Spring Peeper and the Leopard Frog, interrupted by the close proximity of the raccoon family, resume as the coons pass by. The sounds of the Peepers and the Leopard Frog are joined by the deep bass of a bullfrog hidden in the reed grass, near a patch of water lilies.

The red-winged black bird is now perched on the top of a cattail, swaying in the wind.

Below him, a Great Blue Heron is wading in the shallow water, fishing for supper.

Overhead, a male and female Mallard pass quickly toward open water and a flock of screeching seagulls sail on their never-ending search for scraps of food. A Great Egret flaps his wings leisurely as he glides beneath them, inches above the cattails.

Also filling the air on this bright evening are Marsh Wrens, Purple Martins, Swamp Sparrows and a lone Blue-winged Teal.

Accompanying the noise and movements of the birds and the mammals and the amphibians is the constant drone of insects.

Concealed behind a screen of tall reed grass and cattails at the side of a two-track dirt road, Dick Hamilton observes the interaction of life in a Michigan marsh. He watches and listens intently, periodically jotting down information on a clipboard.

Hamilton, 53 of Pigeon, loves the marsh.

"There's always something going on," he says. "Insects or birds or something in that marsh that is alive and moving. It's just fascinating."

An amateur naturalist with a degree in forestry from Michigan State University, Hamilton is semi-retired.

He was employed at Active

Industries for over 27 years, the last 22 of which were spent at the Sebawaing Plant, where he worked his way up to plant superintendent.

Now, with time on his hands to do some of the things he always wanted to do, Hamilton, with clipboard in hand, is frequently engaged in viewing the typical Michigan marsh scene.

Hamilton has always had a healthy respect and love for the outdoors. He has hunted and fished in the Thumb Area since he was a teenager and worked for the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for a few years after college.

He was a seasonal park ranger at Sleeper State Park and Port Crescent State Park and was a park interpreter (naturalist) at Island Lake Recreation Area near Brighton.

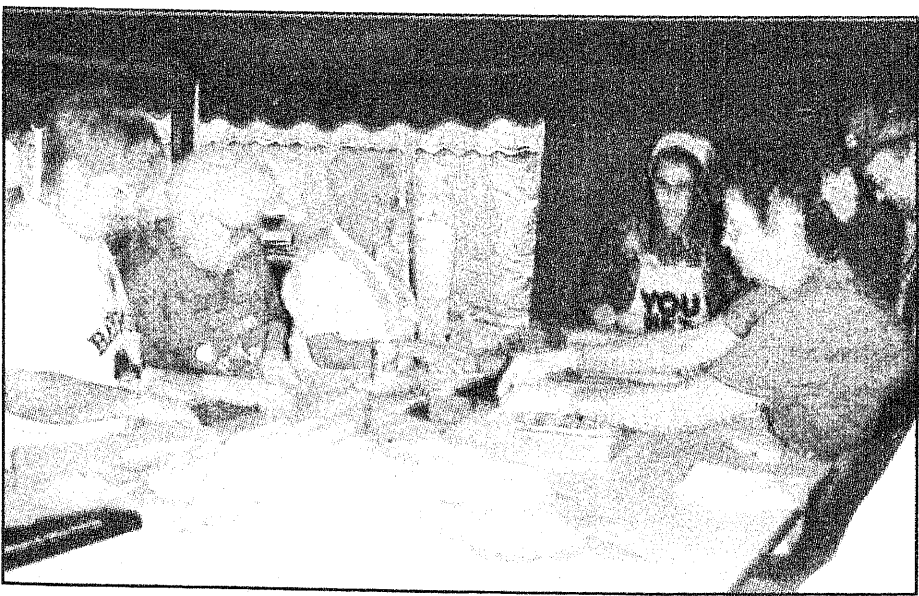
A lifelong resident of Pigeon, he still resides in the community with his wife, Erma. They have two grown sons, Brent, who is in the Marine Corps and Spencer, who works in Grand Rapids.

Hamilton's interest in wildlife led him to subscribe to a publication of the Michigan Audubon Society called the Jack-Pine Warbler.

While reading through the publication one day, he came upon an article concerning a volunteer program sponsored



LOCAL MARSH LOVER Dick Hamilton examines plants and animals during early summer, between Bay Port and Caseville. WILLIAM DILLER PHOTO



LOTS OF FISH SANDWICHES: Dozens of volunteers helped produce thousands of delicious Bay Port Fish Sandwiches, during this past weekend's Bay Port Fish Sandwich Festival. Preliminary numbers show more than 9,500 sandwiches were sold, in the Bay Port Chamber of Commerce fund-raiser. HERE, some of the work crew prepared "the fixin's" recently. WALT RUMMEL PHOTO

by the Long Point Bird Observatory of Port Rowan, Ontario, Canada, along with Environment Canada, Great Lakes Protection Fund and Great Lakes 2000 Cleanup Fund.

The program, called the Marsh Monitoring Program (MMP), is a collaborative effort of the above organizations. Established to aid the conservation of marsh habitat, the groups — through the MMP — hope to evaluate the progress and success of marsh rehabilitation efforts.

The MMP monitors marshes throughout Ontario and the Great Lakes States and were looking for volunteers to help by observing local marshes.

Intrigued by the program, Hamilton called the telephone number which accompanied the article, and early in the spring of 1995 he be-

gan monitoring his own marsh route. After reading the information provided by the Long Point Bird Observatory, Hamilton chose locations along Wild Fowl Bay as his route.

The MMP is a three-part program: birds, amphibians and plants. With the bird monitoring portion being the most complicated, Hamilton chose to begin monitoring amphibians and plants.

"Next year I hope to get into doing birds," he says. "They recommend that when you start, you begin with the amphibians if you don't have someone to work with. It's easier to learn the calls."

The program consists of three surveys a year: the first in early spring, the second in late spring and the final one in early summer.

The program is totally voluntary and Hamilton is not

compensated in anyway, except by the satisfaction he gets from spending his time in the marsh and being a part of something he feels is important.

"I feel it's a good indicator of the health of the environment," he says. "Amphibians are real sensitive to changes in the environment and as far as we know, there has never been a good cataloging of what the marshes of the Great Lakes contain."

"What they want is an ongoing inventory every year, to see the changes that are taking place and study the land use around the area."

The Long Point Bird Observatory provided everything Hamilton needed to get started in this volunteer work: tapes of the sounds made by different amphibians, instructions on how to proceed

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INSIDE: IT'S TIME FOR 12TH ANNUAL HURON COMMUNITY FAIR. At the top, court, at left, runner-up, after Queen of the Bay Port Fish Sandwich Festival. DUANE GUENTHER PHOTO

Pigeon's Ben Smith to sing on TNN this Saturday night

By SALLY RUMMEL
When John and Lori Smith and sons Jim and Ben take a vacation, they break all of

"Murphy's Laws" and make it memorable.
First there was the time when the Pigeon family

planned to camp at the Smokey Mountains in Tennessee, and they ran into a tornado. So they "detoured" to

Florida to escape the bad weather, driving six days to enjoy a two-day vacation (buying warm weather clothes for four on the way). Then there was the trip to Mackinac Island when Ben was four years old. He fell off a cliff, landing in the middle of a battle re-enactment. Unhurt except for choking on his chewing gum on the way down, Ben survived his fall better than his parents - who still shudder at the dangerous possibilities.

This year, the Smith family packed up for a camping trip to Mammoth Caves in Kentucky, and when they got there, the caves were closed due to raging forest fires. They decided to visit Opryland in Nashville, TN instead (having such vivid memories of their previous trip to Tennessee!).

It turned out to be a "mis"-opportunity of a lifetime.

While walking through Opryland, personality-plus Ben, now age six, was spotted by a talent agent of the "Charlie Daniels Talent Round-Up" and was invited



BEN SMITH

to perform on Daniels' show. While other families were taking in the sights, the Smiths were busy with television cameras and lights as Ben met Charlie Daniels personally and practiced with his band.

Now Ben's little taste of stardom will be aired on the national cable channel "TNN" and the public will have a chance to enjoy his rendition of the country favorite "Achy

Breaky Heart" this Saturday, Aug. 12 at 7 p.m.

While other families cherish photographs and souvenirs of their family vacations, the Smith family cherishes their memories of many vacations gone wrong.

"It all started with our honeymoon 17 years ago, when we had to hitchhike in Tennessee after our car broke down," laughs mom Lori, who takes her family's vacation mis-haps in stride.

"But you don't remember the vacations where everything goes according to plan. But believe me, you remember the ones when they don't!"

Now the Smiths will have a videotape to remember their last spring break vacation. And a whole lot of happy memories...

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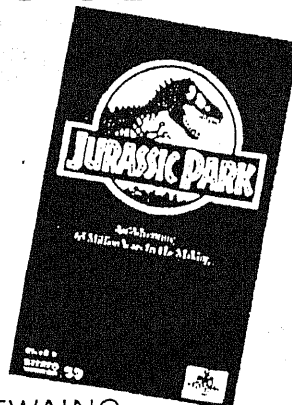
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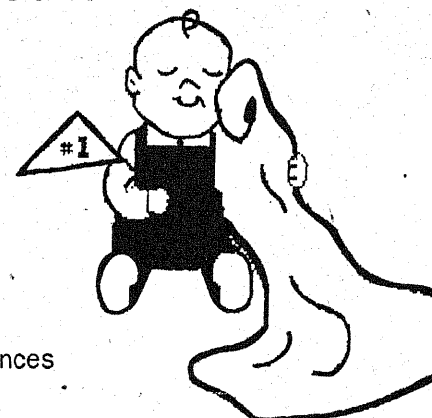
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Eagles' Nest condos plans open house

By AMY HEIDEN

Jeanette Beadle keeps busy these days keeping track of construction on the new Eagles' Nest Condominiums in Caseville, along with operating Beadle Bay Marina.

And with construction of the first two units well underway, and with more and more requests for information from potential buyers, there's a lot of things to keep track of.

The \$3-million condo project along the Pigeon River will eventually include 28 units, ranging from a two-level, two-bedroom unit with about 1,500 sq.-ft. of living space, to a three-level unit with over 2,300 sq.-ft. of space.

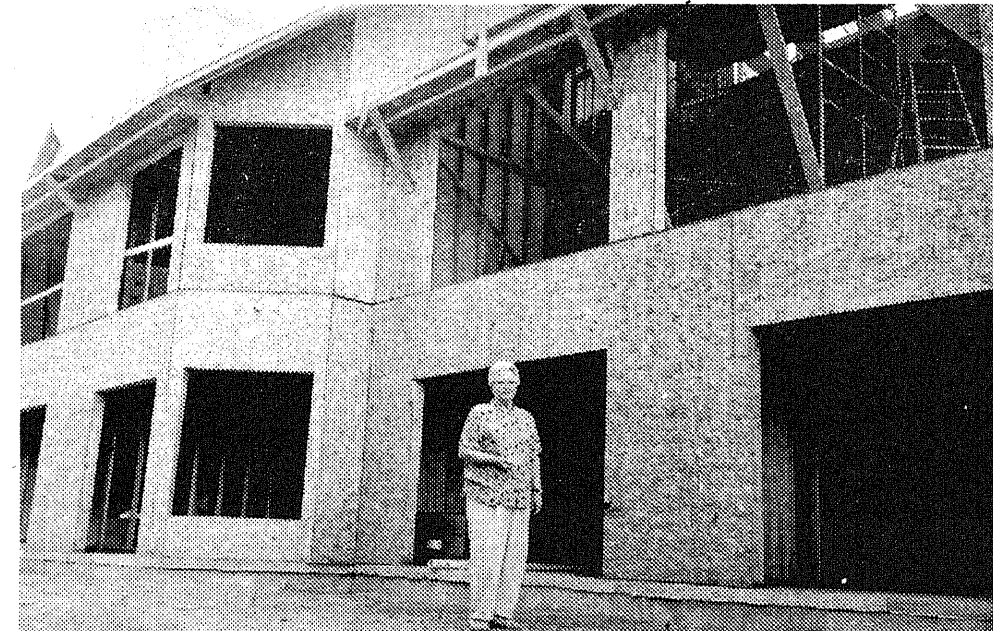
Each unit has at least two bedrooms with a full bath for each, Beadle says. The two larger size units will have lofts that can be used as a third bedroom.

The street level in each unit houses the kitchen and dining room area, powder room and other rooms, depending on the size, while the marina level (the lower level) houses a bedroom or recreation room and storage room.

All four units will include an attached one-car garage, two-car driveways, kitchen cabinets by D & M Cabinets of Uby, marina level patios and concrete patios located on the river side, all kitchen appliances, and carpeting and window coverings provided by Fiege's Interiors of Saginaw.

Each unit includes a boat slip and purchasers will have the option to purchase additional boat slips, Beadle says.

The exterior of the buildings will be finished with a "sto exterior," a type of synthetic stucco. They all will be gray with white trim to reflect the nearby Caseville Municipal Harbor, but the



DEVELOPER JEANETTE BEADLE stands in front of her Eagles' Nest condos.

purchaser will be able to decorate the interior to his own taste.

Several local contractors are working on the project, including J & B Plumbing and Heating of Pigeon, Roth Drywall, Huron Electric, carpenter Ray Eskau, Chas-Co Concrete, and Lee's Landscaping. Jeff Cilc and Kimmel Bros. Excavating of Saginaw handled the excavation work.

As with most other condominium projects, maintenance on the grounds will be handled by the condo association, making the units virtually maintenance-free, Beadle says.

Interest is running high in the project, and at least one firm reservation for a unit has been received, she says.

Sales on the units started only a month ago, with limited advertising, but a full advertising campaign is underway. Sales are being handled by Darling Realty. "We're really pleased with the interest shown in the con-

dominium project," Beadle says. "We've tried to put only good things into the units so they meet the highest standards."

SPD Site Planning of Charlevoix is overseeing the project with John Campbell and Ray Eskau serving as one-site engineers.

Sebewaing softball tourney is Aug. 25-27

The sixth annual Lions-Rotary Softball Tournament is coming Friday through Sunday, Aug. 25-27 at Sebewaing Park.

In addition to this tournament, the Lions will host a Roller Hockey Tournament. Softball Tournament Chairman Lion Mark Wiese is ex-

pecting 16 teams to participate. There will be two divisions with trophies going to the winning team in each division.

Games will begin on Friday at 6 p.m., Saturday at 8 a.m. and Sunday at noon.

Wiese can be reached at 656-7104, for more information.

New company donates property in Sebewaing

A new medical clinic could be built and open in Sebewaing within 18 months, thanks to a recent donation of property.

Timothy Downing of A.J.D. Management, Inc., of San Diego, Calif., has announced the property gift on Bay Street in Sebewaing to Bay Health Systems of Bay City, for construction of a new medical clinic.

No dollar amount was announced.

Downing and A.J.D. Management are owners/operators of Medallion Village, the retirement housing project to be built in the former USA Middle School building.

Plans for the residential complex are being drawn up, as the company awaits final turn-over of the property from USA Schools.

Downing expects to be able to show models and details late this summer at an open house, and says, "I am impressed with the computer-generated models, and the units are very large!"

As questions and problems arise in the project of turning a school building into a residential center, Downing says "we are overcoming them one at a time."

Downing says questions may be directed to him in care of A.J.D. Management, Inc., 5240 Elmwood Rd., Akron, 48701.

Blade & Progress

NEWS ROUND-UP

Tentative agreement reached at Sugar Company

Today (Tuesday) is decision day, as members of four locals of the United Federation of Grain Millers, affiliated with AFL-CIO, vote on the tentative agreement reached between their negotiators and Michigan Sugar Company.

Involved in the voting are members of Local 261 in Sebewaing, 260 in Caro, 259 in Carrollton and 262 in Crosswell. Michigan Sugar Co. Director of Communications Glenn Peacock said he expects results of the voting to be known by Tuesday evening. The decision will be based on the majority vote of the combined membership of the four locals.

"We're looking forward to getting the contract question out of the way and having a good, successful harvest and processing year this fall and for the three years of the contract," Peacock said Monday afternoon. — By WALT RUMMEL

\$100,000 in Bay Shore help!

Miracles are occurring on all sides for Bay Shore Camp of Sebewaing, with announcements of numerous large financial gifts this week — which will insure future growth and greater services through the Camp, according to Camp Director Lew Tibbitts.

■ A 4.5-acre piece of land at the south entrance to Bay Shore, is in line to be purchased for future growth, and already a member has told Tibbitts of her wish to finance the purchase, as a memorial to her late husband.

■ For construction of a fourth duplex cabin building, priced at \$35,000, another Camp friend has pledged to pay for the project. Tibbitts says.

■ Another project, a new book store building, will be financed by still another Bay Shore Camp friend, who pledged \$25,000 for construction.

■ And when the next duplex cabin is constructed, another donor has pledged to pay \$17,500 for half of that project.

"Believe in miracles," Tibbitts said Monday, looking back on his 15-year leadership role as director, "and I believe that most miracles come from God's people when they listen and act on His leading." — By WALT RUMMEL

Court proceedings

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

■ Thomas M. Ballard, 43 of Unionville, pled guilty to illegal possession of beer; ordered to pay \$105 fines and costs;

■ Jason M. Christner, 18 of Caseville, pled guilty to possession of prohibited fireworks; \$75 fines and costs;

■ David W. Fahl, 33 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to reckless driving and allowing dog to run loose; \$200 fines and costs;

■ Armando Gonzales, 42 of Pigeon, pled guilty to impaired driving, second offense; ordered to serve 100 days in Huron County Jail, pay \$985 fines and costs, serve 24 months' probation and loses driver's license for 12 months;

■ Brenda S. Good, 29 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$535 fines and costs, six months' probation and loses license for 90 days;

■ Nathan M. Holubal, 22 of Port Austin, pled guilty to open alcohol in vehicle; \$105 fines and costs;

■ Shane M. Hulbert, 20 of Filcon, pled guilty to no driver's license in possession; \$130 fines and costs;

■ Edward C. Lasko, 34 of Caseville, pled guilty to impaired driving, second offense; 35 days in jail, \$985 fines and costs, 24 months' probation and loses license for 12 months;

■ David J. Lesoski, 17 of Port Austin, pled guilty to open alcohol in vehicle; \$105 fines and costs;

■ Kevin W. McLean, 19 of Caseville, pled guilty to minor in possession of alcohol; \$70 fines and costs;

■ David P. Pitcher, 26 of Caseville, pled guilty to driving while license restricted; \$100 fines and costs.



TIMOTHY DOWNING



BAY PORT QUEEN CHRISTINA WIECHERT, center, is flanked by her court, left, Jessica Schweitzer as second runner-up and Dawn Diebel, first runner-up, after Queen Christina was chosen Saturday during the 18th annual Bay Port Fish Sandwich Festival. For more photos, see Page 23
DUANE GUENTHER PHOTO

WISH I'D SAID THAT: "The explanation of triumph is all in the first syllable." (anon.)

The Newsweekly Forum

As we see it

Here's a gang kids SHOULD join

News reports have recently shown the scary fact that cigarette smoking among teen-agers is growing at an alarming rate, even as fewer and fewer adults puff away. In fact, says the University of Michigan, nearly one in five eighth-graders smokes cigarettes occasionally or regularly — a 30% increase over the past three years. Those numbers only grow as youngsters add years — 25.4% of 10th graders smoke and 31.2% of 12th graders say they do.

Even if adults choose to smoke, can any reasonable adult want that trend to continue for youngsters? We doubt it.

President Clinton last week described teen smoking as "a pediatric disease" and federal officials are considering tougher regulations on such smoking. One proposal would define tobacco as an addictive drug — which it in fact is — and would set federal limits on nicotine levels in cigarettes. Perhaps, as others wish, cigarettes would become available by prescription only.

Now, some communities are starting STAND Chapters — Students Taking A New Direction. It's a program similar to MADD and SADD anti-drinking groups, where kids get involved in saying "no" to cigarettes, in addition to drugs and alcohol. It's a great idea... and the time is right.

There's no more important resource than our young people. Our youngsters need encouragement to STAND away from those vices.

Support those kids

We make this appeal every year, and it's that time once again.

You can make a big difference in the life of local youngsters this Friday afternoon. All you have to do is spend a little time at the Huron Community Fair... and buy some food.

Sounds simple, doesn't it? And it is.

The annual Junior Livestock Sale of local 4-H and FFA Livestock youngsters begins at 12 noon at the Huron Fairgrounds Arena in Bad Axe. You can help a young person who has raised sheep, swine, feeder steers and steers by bidding on one or more of the animals.

You'll get top-quality, cared-for products and help local kids at the same time. That's a GREAT return on your investment. Try it... and feel good!

Readers Write

USA Superintendent welcomes new-year challenges

By RICH RAMSEY
USA Schools Superintendent

This is a letter to all parents, students and citizens of the USA School District.

It has been a busy, yet rewarding first month as the Superintendent of USA.

I can't say enough good things about the people who work for you at the school. They are helpful, caring and dedicated. You should be proud of them.

Preparations are in the works for a smooth start to the 1995-1996 school year. Lots of excitement, a new middle school, new athletic facilities, modern technology.

We have much to be proud of and thankful for. There are plenty of positive things going on that demonstrate the pride we feel in our school and community.

We also have much work to do — School Improvement, student academic performance, modern teaching methods and improved student learning are educational

issues that need our attention in the months ahead.

It is a busy, yet exciting time. I hope each of you will take time in the weeks and months ahead to visit one of our schools. It means a lot to our teachers and support personnel to know that you are interested and supportive of their work.

As a taxpayer and citizen, you should know that it is YOUR SCHOOL. It is here to serve you and work to meet your needs.

Sometimes meeting EVERYONE'S needs is impossible, but our goal is to do what is best for the students of our community.

I will always try to make decisions with that in mind. I also hope that in the months ahead we will get a chance to meet each other. You will see a lot of me this fall, and I hope we can meet, talk and share ideas that will provide the best for USA kids.

THAT IS OUR BUSINESS.

Thanks again for the warm welcome.

60 Seconds

A quiet life

"...Study to be quiet, and to do your own business, and to work with your own hands." 1 Thessalonians 4:3

If ever there was a time when the government, do-gooders, activists, neighbors and even relatives poke their way into everyone's business, that time is now.

People are no longer just "nosy," they insist that they may intrude on our plans and actions, and that our response has to please them. They nose into our and neighbor's affairs, and they may even claim they do it out of Christian concern and love.

In his letter, Paul responded to them. Let each one have his/her space, he seems to say, and mind your own business! Yes, we should be ready to assist or advise others, but only when they truly need us. Don't push our way, unasked, into their lives.

When others do that to us, however, let us not be angry, fighting, responding in kind. Let us be understanding and forgiving, knowing that because we have been forgiven by our Lord, we should also be willing to forgive others, and to love them.

If the community's—or the world's—problem is busybodies, let us be sure we are the ones who forgive, and not the ones who need to be forgiven.

PRAYER: Lord Jesus, thank you for your forgiving love for us. Enable us to be forgiving and loving to others in return. Amen.

Do you have old photos?

The Newsweekly likes to share historic photos with our readers from time-to-time, as space allows. If you have an old picture of general interest, please bring it in (with identification) to The Newsweekly Offices in Pigeon or Sebawaing. Thank you!

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Transcribed by MARK RUMMEL, News Editor

Don't tell the kids or grandkids quite yet, but the start of school is only three weeks away! There's still lots of time to enjoy summer, of course, but our days are also getting shorter! Remember, too, to enjoy the Huron Community Fair this week in Bad Axe. It's family fun. Now, on to the phones...

Jim from Sebawaing: To the person who had the problem with the gay agenda and then misused a quote from the Bible: you say "Judge not lest you be judged." That in itself is true, but you overlooked something: We who say being gay is wrong are not using our own judgment. We are simply passing on the judgment that God gives us from the Bible. That is why we quote the Bible. We are not using our own quotes and judgments. And it does concern us, because it concerns God. If you want to refuse God's judgment, you may do so if you wish.

Parent of Bay Port Little League player: I think the coach of the Bay Port older girls' softball team owes our players an apology, after the way he treated our players. He verbally belittled them and he should be ashamed. It was supposed to be a game for fun at our end-of-the-year picnic. He turned it into a cut-throat game. He should be told "great game." His 11- and 13-year-old players beat our 7- and 11-year-olds. It hurt many kids' feelings.

(I wasn't there, "Parent," but it doesn't sound as though good sportsmanship prevailed...)

Michelle from Sebawaing: I'm wondering about the Huron Community Fair: Why don't they do what the Caro Fair does, with one-price to get in with rides? They should do things extra special, like the Caro Fair. I bet they'd get a lot more people. They complain they're losing money, but if they went to one-price, I know they'd get a lot more people to attend.

(How about it, Fair Board? I know this has been discussed. Even trying "one-price" for one day next year would show you whether the public would like it. And we hear they do like it...)

Mary of Caseville: I feel very sorry for T.R., who called in about cutting off the guard rail. Do some people think before they do stupid things, or do they think the world revolves around them? We're praying for you, T.R. Thank you.

S. from Deford: This is in response to J. of Elkton: Anyone who does not see a liberal gay agenda in the media and politics must be blind. Anyone who think white males live without interference or discrimination must not have heard about intrusive government or affirmative action, and consequently must be deaf. Anyone whose philosophy on life can be summed up with the cliché "Live and let live," and yet so hypocritically sits in judgment of religious people and white males must be dumb. Deaf, dumb and blind — got the picture?

P.S. So as to fulfill your most inappropriate Biblical quote, let me leave you with this one: "Ye judged, so ye just got judged." Thank you.

Dan of Grand Rapids: Congratulations, Angie W., for making second runner-up at the Farmers' Festival queen's contest. I hope your new fame and fortune doesn't make you forget about your favorite cousin.

H. B. and H.C. of Pigeon: Why do people who come to a concert chat with their friends all the way through it? It is very annoying to others and rude to those presenting the concert. The Pigeon Chamber of Commerce is to be commended for their fine choice of family shows. Please, let's show our appreciation.

From Pigeon Horseshoe Club: Our group gives a big thank you to the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce for helping us put on another horseshoe tournament during Farmers' Festival. Winning first place in the tournament was Milt Kreh, second was Vern Deachy, and third was Nelmer Wright.

Sebawaing Newspaper Reader: So the dailies are getting their dues! Who would have believed that the smaller, regional daily newspapers would trim down the big statewide Detroit dailies? That's what happens when they become so engorged with profits and let their primary purposes (bringing IMPORTANT news fairly and honestly) slide.

Dailies act as though the Michael Jacksons, Hugh Grants, Kato Kaelins are THE NEWS, instead of only insignificant blips on the nation's horizon. Daily newspapers have seen their best days.

Yarns From The Thumb

by Walt Rummel



The Year — it is a'speeding along. It's TUESDAY, AUG. 8, Day No. 220. Just 145 days remain in '95... Matthew Henson, an American Black explorer, who, as an orphan, became a ship's cabin boy, then a valet for Robert E. Peary, the famed Arctic explorer, was born AUG. 8, 1866, in Maryland. An observant aide to Peary, he studied hard, learned easily and accompanied Peary on seven Arctic expeditions.

As leader of one of the two Peary groups, Henson arrived at his destination at the North Pole minutes ahead of Peary's. Henson wrote a book on North Pole exploration, received the Congressional Medal and was recognized with prizes and honors... Actress Connie Stevens is 57, another actress, Esther Williams, is 72, and actor Dustin Hoffman is 58...

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 9 marks the 50th anniversary of the dropping of the second atomic bomb of World War II, on Nagasaki, three days after the bombing of Hiroshima. The bomb was actually intended for the city of Kokura, but because of clouds and poor visibility, the American B-29 traveled to the secondary target, Nagasaki, where the bomb was dropped at 11:02 a.m., destroying half the city and killing about 70,000. That second bomb convinced the Japanese that the war was lost and the Emperor asked for surrender terms 24 hours later... On AUG. 9, 1974, President Richard Nixon became the first U.S. President to resign the office... Two entertainers have birthdays today, actress Melanie Griffith 38 and singer Whitney Houston 32. Boxer Ken Norton is 50...

There will be a Full Moon tonight, THURSDAY, AUG. 10... Less than 24 hours after dropping of the second atomic bomb, the Japanese Supreme War Council reversed its earlier decision and agreed to the Potsdam Declaration, which meant surrender of Japanese military forces and the end of the Pacific phase of WWII. It happened 50 years ago today, on AUG. 10, 1945... Two singers, Jimmy Dean, born in Texas, and Eddie Fisher, born in Pennsylvania, are both 67 today. Actress Rhonda Fleming is 72 today...

Today's music doesn't have room for soft and quiet numbers like "I Love You Truly," "Perfect Day" and the like, but that's the kind Carrie Jacobs Bond wrote, including many scores for movies. The American composer was born in Wisconsin AUG. 11, 1862... Alex Haley was born on AUG. 11, too (but in 1921). He will always be remembered for his "Roots," which was a Pulitzer Prize winner and was made into an eight-part TV mini-series. He also wrote an autobiography of Malcolm X. "Roots" generated an enormous interest in family ancestry... Journalist Carl Rowan is 70 today...

The Michigan Renaissance Festival opens today, SATURDAY, AUG. 12, and continues to SEPT. 24. It's a continuous entertainment (Weekends and Labor Day only) at Holly, playing on seven stages, with comedy, drama, bawdy and classical music and folks dances, with 130 craft shops, games, food and more...

Christy Mathewson, probably the greatest baseball pitcher of them all and one of the first players named to Baseball's Hall of Fame, was born AUG. 12, 1880. He pitched three complete scoreless games in the 1905 World Series. In 197 years he won 372 games and lost 188, while striking out 2,499 hitters...

They're giving away 50,000 pounds of free watermelons at the Rush Springs, OK, Watermelon Festival today. Couldn't they pick a better name for their queen than "The Watermelon Queen"? Hee Haw singer, "Buck" Owens is 66 today, singer Porter Wagoner is 65, and actress Jane Wyatt, who played the mother role in "Father Knows Best," is 82...

Exactly 34 years ago today, on SUNDAY, AUG. 13, 1961, the East German government closed the border between East and West and began construction of what was to become the Berlin Wall, separating the two parts of the country and discouraging (if not preventing) movement of residents from East to West. The wall stood for 28 years until dismantling began on Nov. 9, 1989...

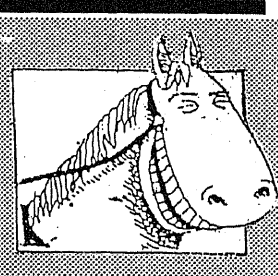
An English printer, William Caxton, who in 1476 produced the first book printed in English, was born August 13, 1422. He set up a print shop in the fall of 1476 in Westminster, becoming the first printer of the country... Cuban President Fidel Castro is 68 today, evangelist Rex Humbard is 76, former golfer Ben Hogan is 83 and singer Don HO is 65...

Fifty years ago today, on AUG. 14, 1945, President Harry Truman announced that Japan had surrendered unconditionally to the Allies, setting off celebrations across the USA, giving the world its first peace since September, 1939... On AUG. 14, 1935, Congress approved the Social Security Act, to administer federal old-age and survivors insurance in the U.S. (As a sidelight, the writer received his Social Security Card on June 28, 1937, and he's still carrying it)...

The largest Gothic church in northern Europe, the Cologne Cathedral in Cologne, Germany, was completed AUG. 14, 1880, exactly 632 years after rebuilding began on AUG. 14, 1248. There had been a church on the site since 873, but a fire in 1248 made rebuilding necessary. The cathedral was again damaged by bombing during WWII... Birthdays today: Food author Julia Child 83, author/journalist Russell Baker 70, "Bewitched" actress Alice Ghostley 69, singer Buddy Greco 69, comedian Steve Martin 50 and former basketball player Earvin "Magic" Johnson 36...

Horsin' Around

by Kate Pickering



But... you have girls!

I was raised poor... despite the fact that my Dad worked from sun-up till sundown every day. The energy crunch, inflation, and recurring recessions of the mid-70s just seemed to keep the coffers dry. And my Mom spent so much time up to her elbows in soapy water that for years I didn't even know she had hands and fingers. Still, with five kids in the house, well... our place was always a mess too.

But being poor, while working hard, had a sort of honor and dignity back in those days. They were good times, especially summer-time, and despite the common struggle all our friends and relatives shared, we were always up for a party.

We could usually count on a reunion of christening or graduation to give us cause to celebrate, and my summer-time Sundays were spent in big grassy back yards around Tupperware bowls filled with potato salad and baked beans.

Oh so fondly do I remember my good-smelling, clean-shaved, farmer-tanned uncles relaxing in green and white lawn chairs, nursing cold bottles of beer and my soft, pale-skinned, powdery-fresh aunts, fussing over plastic tableware and big pitchers of icky Kool-aid. That's when a man was a man and a woman was a woman, God was in his heaven and all was right with the world.

But ironically, these wonderful, mid-American "Norman Rockwell" stereotypes were to be my bane.

You see, when it was party time at our house, things were usually a little less tidy and organized than at the relatives'. Oh, my Mom would scrub till her fingers bled, and cook till her face melted. But without fail — at some points during the festive day — she would comment on how beat she was from cooking, cleaning, planning and decorating.

And BAM! That's when it always came... always when I was within ear shot, always with a hint of sarcasm, and just loud enough to carry: "but Gladys, you have girls!"

This simple, mono-syllabic sentence was to convey to me and my sisters — in one fell swoop — that as females we had failed! When there was cooking and cleaning to be done, we were naturally, by virtue of our gender, expected to be a big help. And this one simple sentence neatly passed judgment, conveyed admonishment and expressed deep disgust that we had let our mom do all the woman's work herself.

But what these well meaning friends and relatives failed to realize was that we weren't delinquent in "those kinds" of chores because we were playing Tetris or watching "Scooby-Doo" all day. Speaking at least for myself, I had much grander pursuits... a horse. And that horse required big efforts out of a young girl. I would scoop and haul and clean and bed and mix and feed and carry and groom and train and water all the live-long day.

I worked desperately to keep up my end of the horsey pre-nuptial agreement we had made with our parents, and ironically, it was never my Mom or Dad who made me feel as if "female chores" were all I was born to do. Oh no, they were equal opportunity slave-drivers. You could clean the garage as well as do the dishes, no matter what was in your pants.

"Gladys' girls" raised and trained horses and played softball and volleyball and rode in bike marathons and had jobs before they had training bras. And if we were lax in the thumb-tacking of lemon-yellow crepe paper, or our hair was not in picture perfect pin curls for every party, it was because we were exhausted from baling hay, or burnt beet red from picking strawberries, or mentally fried-out from babysitting or joining the National Honor Society or studying for the big spelling bee.

Oh no, I'm not bitter, nor do I hold any grudges now that I'm old... after all, it is just these kinds of fires which forge, shape and test the metal of our characters. But just once I wish someone would have gazed at the three-foot-tall grass on our front lawn and loudly proclaimed: "But Tim... you have boys!"

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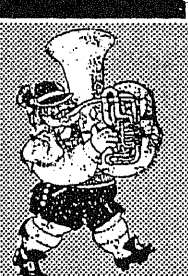
Diane Nusz-Pinder of Melbourne, Fla. and Dennis and Cathy Nusz of Saginaw announce the engagement of their daughter Tamara to Jeffrey Braley, son of Robert and Bonnie Braley of Bay City.

A Sept. 23 wedding is planned.

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A Wahre G'schichte

bei Hanswurst



Das hat ge-burned!

Recently haben etliche Familien ge-gabbed about hohe Prices, und das Conversation ist zu Doktor Bills ge-turned.

Wir sprachen about Baby Deliveries 50 Jahre ago, und hoerten das Prices waren between \$20 und \$30 fuer ein oder 2 Office Calls und die Delivery.

Niemand konnte believe das eine "Confinement Case" kostete nur \$25 aber ein Couple war sure das \$25 war der Preis.

Dann hat eine Mutter ge-added, "Der Preis war \$25 fuer Maedchen Babies, aber \$30 fuer Boy Babies.

Warum der Difference? Well, es hat \$5 gekostet fuer ein Boy Circumcisen, und das war der Difference.

Da die Mutter das Wort "Circumcisen" sprach, fing ein Couple an zu lachen. Sie haben so hart gelacht das wir dachten Beide werden ein Stroke sufferen.

Wir sagten, "Wenn Circumcisen so funny ist, erzaehle uns doch die Story."

Briefly, Sie hatten ein Boy Baby und da Mutter und Baby zu Haus gehen konnten, hat der Doktor den Boy erst ge-circumcised. Das war uneventful, und der Doktor schickte eine gentile, weisse Salbe mit die Order das "jedemal das du die Diaper changen wirst, so pat gently die kuehle weisse Salbe an die circumcised Wunde."

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Recollections Of By-Gone Days

by George Keim



Last week I had company and when I was in bed, I thought about it so I just about didn't get to write my article.

Some time ago somebody asked me if I ever went to church when I was a kid. Well, I don't remember any time that we as a family didn't go to church.

We had a two-seated buggy called a surrey and Dad used it to hitch a team of horses to take us to church.

The horses' names were Dot and Blanche. Dad and Grandpa sat in front and I'd sit in the middle on a little stool. They put a robe over me so I wouldn't get dirty and away we'd go.

The horses used to trot and we'd get to church on time. Dad drove up to the church and left my mother and sisters off and we'd drive to the shed to tie the horses up.

When it was cold, Dad would put a blanket on the horses and some other men would get together and talk things over. One of them would say it's time to go in so the men went in and took off their hats and coats and sat down. The women and girls were already in the church and seated on one side of the church.

The preacher would say "It's time to start" and somebody would give out a song. Everyone would help sing. The men all sang bass or tenor and the women and girls sang soprano or alto. After three songs, the preacher got up and read a chapter and led in prayer. Then they sang another song and the preacher got up and preached.

You couldn't sleep because they walked back and forth and clapped their hands and talked loud enough that you could hear them. You didn't need a loud speaker to hear.

Church lasted till 12 o'clock and then they spoke the benediction. Everybody got dressed and went home. If you weren't asked to go with somebody for dinner, you went home and had a dinner. A lot of time you didn't get back till 3 o'clock, but my mother always had a good dinner. She could make the best hash brown potatoes and the best gravy you ever tasted.

I still like to go to church and if I miss one Sunday, the time goes pretty slow till the next Sunday. It's a lot different now than it was at that time.

The preacher still preaches well, but not as forceful as they used to. There is too much going on now. Pretty near every night there is something going on and with the TV and radio, you don't have to go to church to find anything out.

People go a lot faster than they did back then and people are more educated than they used to be. People who didn't hoe through the Depression don't know what it's all about to get 25 cents per hour, they almost laugh at you.

Back in the Depression I was safely off to Sunday school. There used to be 250 people there on Sunday and the offering was \$10 to \$15 and now if there are 150 people there, the offering is \$1200 to \$2100. So times have changed. I would not like to be back in the old days, but money isn't worth what it used to be.

ENGELHARDT PETROLEUM EXPANDS: Engelhardt Petroleum, the only gas and oil business in Downtown Sebewaing has recently expanded its services to include propane.

"For years we have supplied gas, bulk oil, diesel fuel, and heating fuel to homes, farms and businesses," says Paul Engelhardt, president of the newly formed Engelhardt Propane Inc. company.

"With the addition of a propane service, we are able to complete the full circle of petroleum needs for people in our community and the surrounding farm area."

Engelhardt Propane Inc. has been in operation since July 1, and is located in the Engelhardt Petroleum building within the north side business district.

Brian Kaczorowski will handle propane sales, service and installation.



Re-enactment this weekend Civil War 'returns' to Caseville

By SALLY RUMMEL
You'll think you stepped way back in time during the weekend of Friday, Saturday, Sunday Aug. 11-13 - when Caseville hosts its first Civil War Re-enactment.

Members of the Third Michigan Volunteers Union Infantry and Civilian Re-enactors will make their "historical home" in Caseville at the County Park, living and working as they did during that turbulent point in history from the years 1861 to 1865.

What is the point of Civil War reenactment? Re-enac-

tors, above all, want to foster, preserve and perpetuate the memory of the Civil War - by dressing in uniforms and civilian clothing and trying to get into the mindset of this era.

Mock battles are fought and grand balls are enjoyed. Campfire is reproduced and history is brought back to life.

The Third Michigan volunteer Infantry, Co. A., Inc. was formed in 1975 and has been a non-profit corporation since 1986. The group, which focuses on one event per month

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Caseville re-enactors this weekend

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throughout the summer, has been honored by the Governor and the State House of Representatives by recognizing that they perpetuate the memory and part that Michigan played in the Civil War.

Re-enacting the Civil War era is not a new hobby. It has been around since the 1960s, when the Civil War celebrated its Centennial.

After the Centennial, re-enacting the Civil War became almost non-existent until the Bi-Centennial of 1976 brought it back to life. Now there are hundreds of businesses that sell only Civil War clothing, weapons and equipment so that the quality and availability of reproduction items has evolved.

A special feature of this reenactment weekend will be the appearance of Sandra Hanson of Holland, who will bring five women to life through her one-woman play, "Civil War Women."

CIVIL WAR RE-ENACTOR Sandra Hanson of Holland brings her one-woman play to Caseville this weekend of Aug. 11-13, sponsored by the Caseville Chamber of Commerce.

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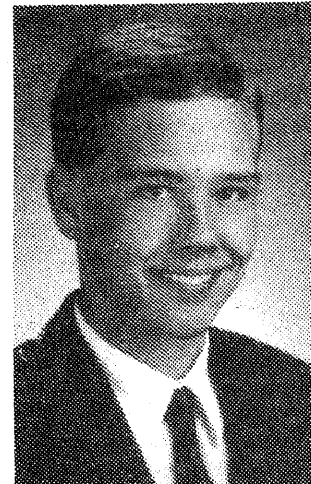
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Achievements



Brandon Hofmeister, a former Sebawaing resident and recent graduate of Frankenmuth High School, has received his acceptance letter to Harvard University in Cambridge, Mass.

Hofmeister, the co-valetorian of his class, was selected from more than 15,000 students who had applied for the 1,600 places in the freshman class.

Since Harvard is faced with many more talented and highly qualified candidates than it has room to admit, the Admissions Committee takes great care in choosing individuals who present extraordinary academic, extracurricular, and personal strengths, the school says.

In high school, Hofmeister was active in golf, baseball, debate, forensics, boys state, Student Congress and was the student body president.

Some of his honors include: National Merit Scholarship Award, Top Debater and Sales speaker in the state, U of M outstanding scholar, Michigan Math Scholarship finalist, Tri-Valley Conference All-Academic, golf team captain, Herbert & Lillian Schiefer Math Scholarship, Rotary Citizen Award, Alvin Rodammer Rotary Scholarship, and the Otto Trinklein Educational Scholarship.

Hofmeister plans to study government, economics and law for a future in politics.

He is the son of Jim and Kathy Hofmeister of Unionville and Michael and Julie Roche of Frankenmuth.

His grandparents include Edna Irer of Sebawaing, and

Norman and Ollie Schroeder of Frankenmuth, formerly of Sebawaing.

Area students achieving the Dean's List for **University of Michigan** College of Engineering Winter Term 1995 include:

FAIRGROVE: Mark Buschbacher and Eugene Wehman. UNIONVILLE: Dawn Spannagel.

Melanie Spannagel of Unionville, daughter of Michael and Marilyn Spannagel, recently studied the ecology of the Great Lakes while aboard the Inland Seas, a 77-foot schooner and "floating classroom" operated by the Inland Seas Education Association.

Students aboard the Inland Seas learned about the ecology, history, geography, biology, and chemistry of the Great Lakes ecosystem.

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His grandparents include Edna Irer of Sebawaing, and

Spannagel, a student at USA High School, participated in the Inland Seas experience as part of Northern Michigan University's Summer Institute for the Arts, Sciences, and Technology.

Dale Killinger of Pigeon recently attended the third annual College of Promotional Products sponsored by JII/Sale Promotion Associates, Inc., the nation's leader in the specialty advertising and promotional products industry.

Conducted in Tampa, Fla., the three-day college brought together sales representatives and manufacturers in an instruction classroom setting.

A first-year representative of the company's Thos. D. Murphy sales division, Killinger was one of 120 sales representatives invited to the

college from among the company's 1,200 sales representatives.

The nation's leader in the manufacture and sale of advertising calendars, logoed wearables and other promotional products, JII/Sale Promotion Associates and its divisions have been innovators in the specialty advertising industry since the 1880s.

Gerald Hutto recently filled the position of Executive Vice-President at Team One Credit Union.

Hutto was selected for the position to replace Konnie Werner, who was promoted to President/CEO in January.

Hutto was worked in the financial industry for over 18 years, with the last 11 years in the credit union sector. Hutto attended Michigan State University and holds a

Business Administration degree from Northwood University. He and his wife Sue live in Flushing with their daughters Nicole and Heather.

TOCU is a full-service credit union in operation since 1935, with the main office in Saginaw. Additional offices are in Elkton, Caro and Sandusky.

The credit union represents a membership of over 22,000 with assets over \$100 million.

James Kratz of Caro was recently certified by the Michigan Certified Crop Advisor Program.

The Certified Crop Advisor (CCA) Program is designed to establish base standards of knowledge for individuals who advise growers on crop

management and production inputs.

To achieve certification, individuals must pass both the State and the National CCA Exams and must have at least two years of crop advising experience and a bachelor of science degree in agriculture or have a minimum of four years of crop advising experience.

Kratz is one of over 75 Certified Crop Advisers in Michigan and one of over 1,000 Certified Crop Advisers nationwide.

Kratz is employed as a Soil Conservation Technician with the Tuscola Soil Conservation District in Caro.

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Woods & Waters

Night skies

Something caused me to start.

A noise in the distance perhaps. Probably some creature on his night time rounds, I thought.

I rolled over to adjust the top of my sleeping bag, and then I saw them.

Millions of them. Perched in the blackest sky I had ever witnessed I was spellbound by the sheer number of light points radiating over my head.

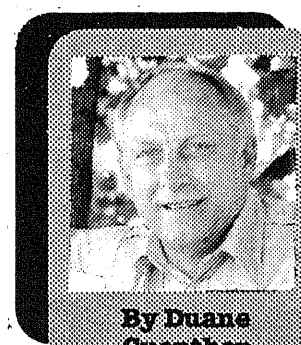
They shimmered and glimmered, twinkling at me like some flirtatious teen-ager.

They were so massed together I had trouble picking out the familiar constellations that seemed to jump to the forefront when I viewed the same sky from my backyard.

Ursa Major was there, (the Big Dipper to most folks), the most popular constellation in the sky. It was beginning its night-time climb up the sky and would soon be spilling the contents of its cup into Ursa Minor (the Little Dipper).

There were others, Cygnus, Lyra, Hercules and Aquila.

Names of Greek mythological characters, that stumped me in my college astronomy class, and continued to be a nuisance whenever I looked skyward. Those old astro-



By Duane Guenther

mers must have had wild imaginations when naming the constellations.

I continued to stare skyward and soon found Polaris (the north star). Any outdoorsman worth his salt knows where this one is, it can help you find your direction in the dark—maybe not your car or your camp, but at least north, south, east and west.

I spent the next hour staring into the sky. I really wanted to wake up some of my camping companions, but I wasn't sure they would share my excitement, especially since it was 2 a.m.

The Milky Way was a large splash across the sky, more vivid than I had ever seen it. A passing plane broke my concentration, flashing its green and red wing lights and

as it flew businessmen or vacationers across the country.

A solid white light appeared in the sky, it took a moment before I recognized it as a satellite. It would pass over each night at exactly the same time, reminding me I wasn't so far out in the wilderness.

Finally, sleep overcame me and I nodded beneath the flannel folds protecting me from the desert air. I had seen a real side show, and I couldn't wait for morning to share it with my friends.

Desert dwellers may well borrow the third line of the popular old tune, "On The Road To Mandalay."

For those of you not old enough to remember, it's the one where — "the dawn comes up like thunder."

While it's true the dawn seems to explode into the sky each morning in hot, dry regions, it also has a nasty habit of dropping out of sight very quickly each evening.

This is sometimes disconcerting for hikers or campers who are trying to squeeze that last little bit of light out of the more familiar dusk we have around the Great Lake states.

But, whenever I visit the southwestern part of the U.S., I am amazed at the sudden appearance and clarity of the night skies.

And, camping out, as I was doing on this trip, allows one to view them from your bed. All it takes is a night creature to wake you

up, or, if you're my age, the several night time potty calls will serve the same purpose.

Not long ago, several friends and I stared into such night skies and tried to give each other astronomy lessons. It was like the blind leading the blind. The surprising thing was the wealth of misconceptions that seem to have been handed down through the ages concerning the skies above us.

Astronomers may well have been our first scientists, mapping the skies with alarming accuracy. Historians now believe, early navigators used both the stars and the sun to

cross our oceans much earlier than we have believed.

They also learned you could view the stars better from higher places, like mountain tops, or in drier climates, like deserts, because there, the earth's atmosphere does not distort the viewing.

While most people can find the Big Dipper and Polaris, or even Mars, the brightest star, (NOT—a planet), in the early evening sky, one of the wiseguys on our trip pointed out a black hole you can see with the naked eye.

If you want to look for it, at 10 p.m. during mid-August face north and over your

left ear you will find the constellation Cygnus (the swan). It's the one that looks like a cross. Just above the second of the four stars (the neck of the swan), in the upright, is a spot of nothingness, known as Cyg X-1.

Have trouble seeing it? You may want to convince your spouse you need a camping trip to the desert.....

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SOLUNAR TIMES						LUNAR TIMES					
1995	A. M.	P. M.	Longtitude	83.16	Latitude 43.56						
Aug	Minor	Major	Minor	Major	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moon Up	Moon Down		
0 Wed	4:39	10:53	5:08	11:22	6:30	8:45	7:45p	12:05a	12:34p		
10 Thu	5:33	11:47	6:01	12:00	6:31	8:43	8:24p	1:02a	1:30p		
11 Fri	6:28	12:15	6:55	12:42	6:32	8:42	8:59p	1:57a	2:23p		
12 Sat	7:24	1:11	7:49	1:37	6:33	8:40	9:31p	2:49a	3:14p		
13 Sun	8:19	2:07	8:44	2:32	6:34	8:39	10:02p	3:39a	4:03p		
14 Mon	9:14	3:02	9:38	3:26	6:35	8:38	10:33p	4:28a	4:52p		
15 Tue	10:07	3:55	10:31	4:19	6:37	8:36	11:05p	5:15a	5:39p		

Major=2 hours/Minor=1 hour Accuracy to 1 minute
Tip: When the sun is bright fish the shady side of the lake.
F = Full Moon N = New Moon > = Peak activity period of week

Researchers say that during periods of low and high tides, animals such as fish seem to lose much of their natural caution. These are referred to as Major Periods and last about one hour. Midway between the Major Periods there are frequently shorter peaks called Minor Periods. The inclination of the moon's orbit to the Equator also affects Solunar Periods and, in extreme cases, there is only one Major or Minor Period for the date.

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Obituaries

NORMA I. FOURNIER 1906-1995

Norma I. Fournier, 89 of Essexville, formerly of Sebewaing, passed away Thursday afternoon, August 3 at Bay Medical Care Facility.

Norma I. Winchester was born Feb. 3, 1906 in Gagetown, and resided in Huron County most of her life until moving to Essexville two years ago. She was a member of Trinity Methodist Church, Sebewaing.

She was united in marriage to Forest H. Fournier. He preceded her in death in 1969.

Surviving are a daughter, Constance M. Henderson of Kentucky and a son, Douglas Wayne (Marilyn) Fournier of Essexville; three grandchildren, Kirk Fournier, Michael and Scott Henderson; four great-grandchildren, Megan and Eric Fournier, David Maxwell and Tyler Henderson; three sisters, June Farnum and Althea Lorenz of Owendale, Gwendolyn Sommers of Caseville; three brothers, Gerald, William and Carlton Winchester of Gagetown; and several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Fournier was predeceased by a son, Richard Forest Fournier in 1939, three sisters, June Hudson, Beulah Hobart and Margaret Win; three brothers, C.L., James and John Winchester.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held at a later date.

W.A. Trahan Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

GILBERT G. SPRAGUE 1928 - 1995

Gilbert Gene Sprague, 67 of Owendale, passed away Saturday, July 29, at Saginaw General Hospital.

He was born in Bay Port on June 4, 1928, the son of the late Nijay and Ethel (Littner) Sprague. On Oct. 20, 1956, he was united in marriage to Florence M. Groh in Flint. She survives him.

Mr. Sprague was a Marine Corps Veteran, having served at two Jima and Guam during World War II, and receiving injuries during his service. He worked for the C & O Railroad and then for Fisher Body in Flint for 15 years as foreman and inspector. He was a commercial fisherman for many years with the Bay Port Fish Company, and for several years was an employee of Michigan Sugar Company.

Mr. Sprague was a member of Horseshoe Acres Church in Bad Axe. Surviving him are his wife, Florence M. Owendale; two daughters, Jody Sprague, Owendale, and Tonya (Arnold) Gaeth, Unionville; four sons, Gilbert G. (Joy) Sprague, Jr., Owendale, Bryan Sprague and Bradley (Lorie) Sprague, all of Bay Port, and Kevin Sprague, Unionville; 18 grandchildren; two sisters, Mary (Clifford) Turmell, Bay City and Dolores Mitchell, Caro; four brothers, Russell Sprague, Harold Sprague, and Robert (Shirley) Sprague, all of Bay Port, and Edwin Sprague, Essexville; and many nieces and nephews. A son, Gregory A. Sprague, and a granddaughter, Lisa Gaeth, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted on Aug. 2 from the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home of Sebewaing. Rev. Stewart Justin, pastor at Horseshoe Acres Church, officiated, with burial in the New Bay Port Cemetery, Fair Haven Township. Memorials may be made to the Disabled Veterans of the church.

LOIS L. LORENTZEN 1913 - 1995

Lois L. Lorentzen, 81 of Saginaw and formerly of Elkton, passed away July 26 after a six-month battle with cancer.

She was born Aug. 3, 1913 in Plainfield, Ohio, the daughter of the late Jacob and Alice (Marlatt) Smith. She moved to Detroit as a young woman, where she married Paul Lorentzen on Nov. 20, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorentzen lived in Elkton from 1945 until moving to Saginaw in 1967. He preceded her in death Feb. 10, 1980.

She was an avid golfer and was a member of the Saginaw Valley Women's Golf Association. She was a member of Maple Hill Golf Club in Saginaw and of Heather Hill Golf Club, Bradenton, Fla. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Saginaw, and of First United Methodist Church in Bradenton.

Surviving are three sons and two daughters-in-law, Richard A. and Kathy Lorentzen, and John C. and Kathy Lorentzen, all of Saginaw; Robert B. Lorentzen, Reno, Nevada; four grandchildren, Jason and Allan Lorentzen, Christopher and Michael Coman; one sister, Dorothy Leach, Coshocton, Ohio; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister.

Cremation has taken place. Memorial services will be held at a time to be announced by the W.L. Case & Company Funeral Chapel. Those planning an expression of sympathy may wish to consider Voluntary Coordination at VNA/Hospice; Partners in Caring, First United Methodist Church, or Nouvel Catholic Central High School.

MRS. AMANDA HEINITZ 1895 - 1995

Mrs. Amanda Heinitz, 100 of Allen Park, passed away Sunday, Aug. 6. Funeral services are set for Wednesday, Aug. 9 at 11 a.m. from the Martenson Funeral Home, located at the corner of Allen and Goddard Roads in Allen Park. Visitation will take place on Tuesday, Aug. 8 from 1 to 9 p.m. Mrs. Heinitz is the aunt of several area residents.

Other Thumb Area deaths

Alma Bonnell, 80, Harbor Beach, passed away July 29.
James Milligan, 84, Cass City, passed away July 29.

Barcia aide will be in Thumb Aug. 16

An aide for U.S. Cong. Jim Barcia (D-Bay City) is holding constituent hours in Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties in mid-August.

Anyone with a question or concern about an issue before the U.S. House of Representatives, or who has a problem with any federal agency is welcome to attend.

Wednesday, Aug. 16 - 10 to 12 noon at Huron County Courthouse, Board of Commission Office, Bad Axe.

Wednesday, Aug. 16 - 2 to 4 p.m. Tuscola County Board of Commission Office, Courthouse Annex, Caro.

Friday, Aug. 18 - 10 to 12 noon at Sanilac County Conference Room.

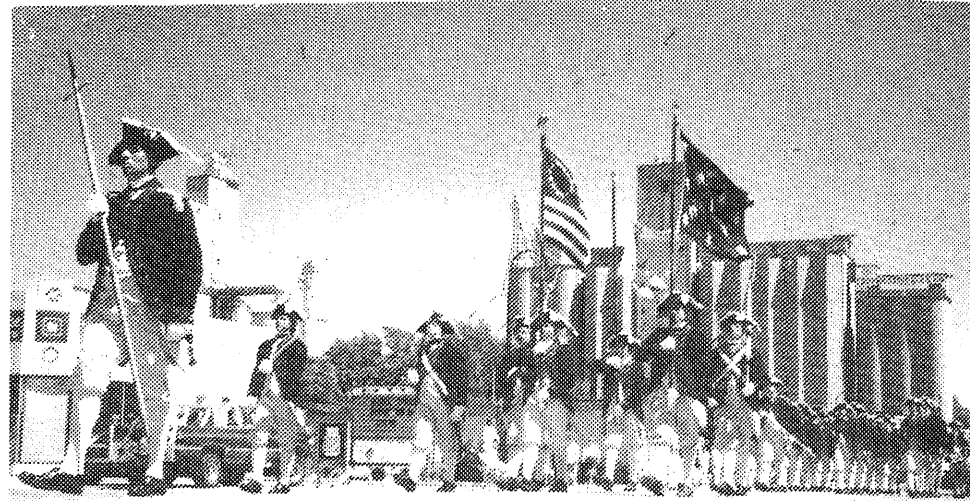


Last look at
Farmers' Festival
in Pigeon

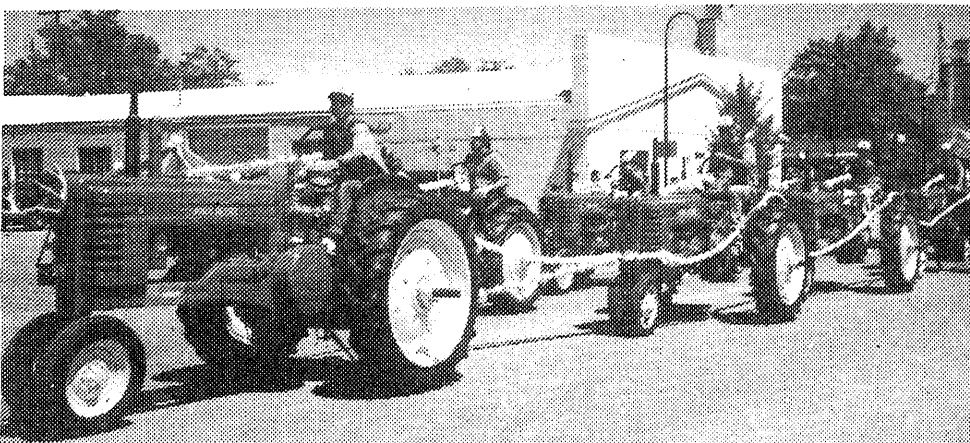
NEW DOCTOR SCOTT REITER, D.O., introduces his wife Dana and daughter Caitlin to the area - via parade - atop the Scheurer Hospital 50th Anniversary float.



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THEIR "CHRISTMAS IN JULY" entry brought lots of laughs (and a trophy) to the Thumb Two-Cylinder Club.

Meteor showers Friday night!

By WALT RUMMEL

Make a date for yourself anytime in the next two weeks — preferably this Friday night, Aug. 11.

It's the time when the annual shower of meteors, the Perseid Shower, will be at its height.

Most falling meteors streak considerable distances across the sky, but the regular watchers advise that most can be seen in the northeast quarter of the sky.

Meteors are the metallic or stony pieces of matter that fall to earth from space. They're not visible out there because there is no atmosphere, but once they enter

the denser atmosphere near earth they burn at white heat. Mostly the break and burn completely before reaching the ground.

Depending on size — and some are as small as pinheads — they burn up in the 4,000-degree heat. Some give light only a second or two, but large ones may leave a shiny trail that lasts a minute or more.

Meteors don't fall only during the Perseid Shower. They're "falling" all the time, but at certain times of the year — early August and mid-October are two such periods — the earth is orbiting through thicker swarms or

rings of meteors that revolve continually around the

That's when they're most visible, and for this and the following week, earth will be orbiting through one of these "thicker" rings.

Take a look Friday night, if you're interested. Hopefully it'll be a clear night, so just find yourself a good dark spot, and, happy watching!

Cross classes start Aug. 28

Cross Lutheran School of Pigeon will begin its 1995-96 school year with opening Chapel at 9 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 28.

This will be a half day session with 11:30 a.m. dismissal. There will be no lunch or bus service on that day, according to Principal Lynn Schebor.

Currently-registered families will receive an information packet in the mail. If you have not registered, please call the school office at 453-3331 for more information.

Currently, the preschool is full, but there is a waiting list. Grades K-8 have limited openings.

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Loves the marsh

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with the surveys and the forms needed to keep track of information.

All of his contact with the organization has been by mail or phone and ongoing help is provided as needed.

Hamilton's interest in the marsh is not limited to his volunteer work with the MMP. He spends a great deal of time just watching life in the marsh, and wildlife in general. Some of his viewing is done through a 15x by 45x spotting scope.

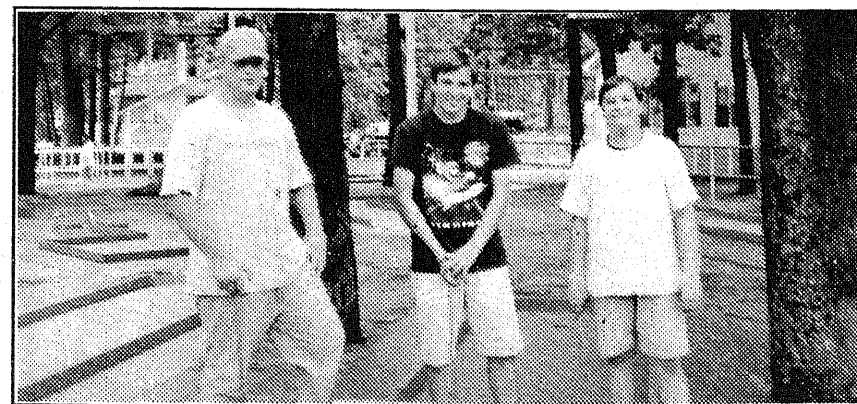
For the last three years, he has been using his spotting scope to read the tag numbers on Canada Geese. He then sends information from the tag to the U.S. Fish and

Wildlife Service and receives information on that particular goose, such as how old the goose is, where and when it was banded and different places it has been spotted. This past year he recorded 50 tags.

The Michigan marsh is a place of intrigue and relaxation for Dick Hamilton and anytime you see him, either with a clipboard in his hand or looking purposefully through his spotting scope, stop and talk to him about wildlife and the marsh.

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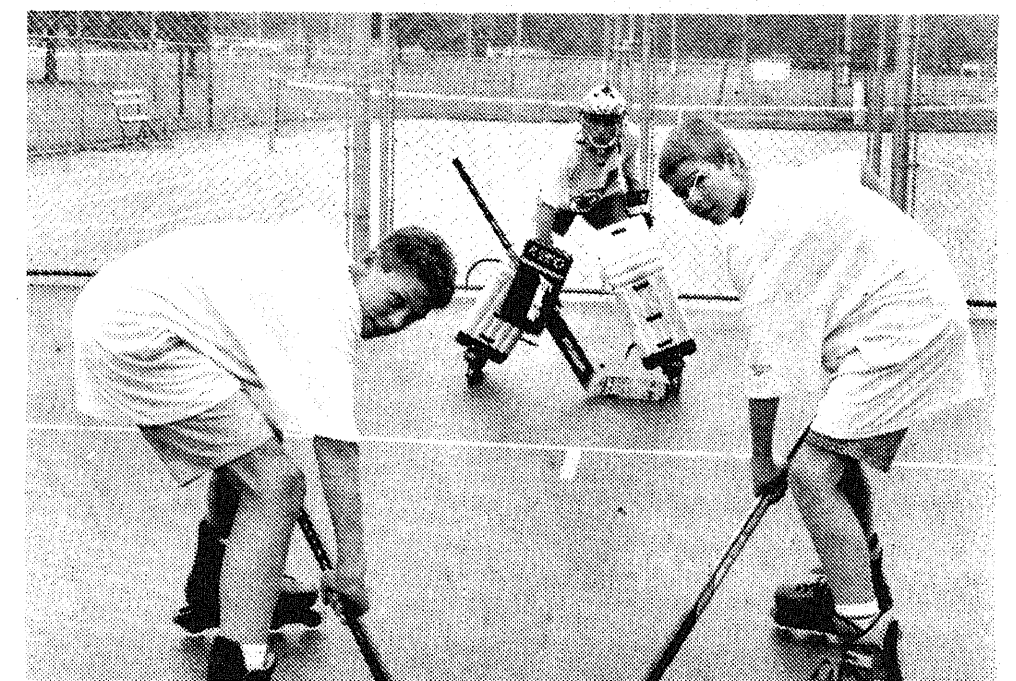
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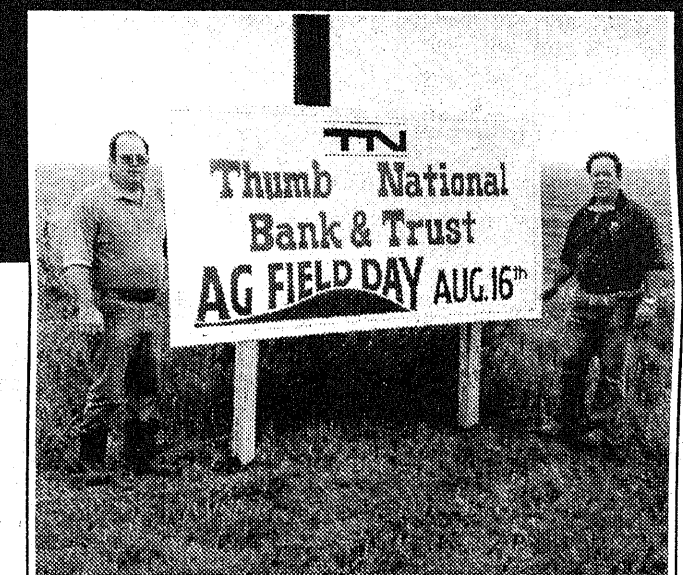
SEBEWAING STREET HOCKEY: More than 12 street hockey teams will descend on the tennis courts at the Sebewaing Village Main Park to do battle in the first annual Sebewaing Lions Street Hockey Tournament, coming Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 26-27.

Teams will compete in a double-elimination event, divided in four divisions. Medals will be awarded for first and second place, and each participant gets a tee shirt, in the event sponsored by Sebewaing Lions Club.

Interested youths may get more information by contacting Tournament Chairman Neil Gaeth at 883-3205.

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Taylor - May

The gazebo in Downtown Caseville was the site of wedding nuptials spoken between Bregetta May of Pigeon and Todd Taylor of Caseville, on Saturday, July 1, 1995.

Rev. Konan officiated at the double-ring ceremony which united the daughter of Howard and Allie Karl of Pigeon and the son of Floyd and Betty Taylor of Caseville.

Special wedding music was provided by soloists Sherry and Bill Phillips and Andy Karle, accompanied by Bill Phillips.

Given in marriage by Everett Karl, the bride selected a pink off of the shoulder satin and lace southern belle dress, with pink lace gloves. Her headpiece was a straw hat with lillies of the valley and a lace bow.

The bride carried a bouquet of a fan lace and pink roses and green flowers, pink pearls and pink and green ribbon made by Shelly Karl.

Shelly Karl of Unionville, sister-in-law of the bride, was the matron of honor.

The bridesmaids were Kimberly May, daughter of the bride and Heather Taylor, daughter of the groom.

The bridal attendants wore satin and lace southern belle dresses in shades of green,

purple and blue. Two of the attendants carried parasols to complement their dresses, while the third carried a fan graced with green flowers and green and pink ribbons.

Bob Karl of Unionville, brother-in-law of the groom, was the best man, assisted by groomsmen Benjamin May of Elkton and Glenn May of Elkton, stepsons of the groom.

The newlyweds greeted 75 guests at a reception held at the K of C Hall near Pigeon.

The bride is a Laker graduate and waitressing at Country House in Caseville.

The groom is a USA graduate and drives truck for CKS in Bad Axe.

Following a honeymoon to Huron County, the couple is making their home in Pigeon.

Thumb Area Club News

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

President Mike Renn welcomed 31 members and guest to the Aug. 1 meeting of the Elkton Senior Citizens. Guests were Leil Elftman and Joann Yott.

Ray English offered the table prayer.

The afternoon session opened with the group singing "America" and the Pledge of Allegiance followed.

Renn introduced Yott, director of the Geriatrics and

TASS (Thumb Area Services for Senior Citizens) programs. Yott gave a very informative talk on services available to seniors in Huron County.

CASEVILLE RETIREMENT CLUB

The Caseville Retirement Club met Aug. 1 with 75 members present.

President Bill Vallance led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance. He thanked early bird goodies providers who were Terry Pravattonne, June

Poisson and Marge Heckman. Birthdays being celebrated this week are Agnes DiVincentis, Pearl Janes, Helen Boyle, Dan Calabrese, Grace Roman and Vera Beyer. Henry and Margaret Zakrzewski are celebrating 45 years of wedded bliss.

Travel chairman Jetta Muhme is getting together people for a trip to Sault Sainte Marie Sept. 24-25.

Dorothy Kavalor is still on the sick list due to an infection. She has been in Bay

Medical Center.

Twenty-nine bags of beets were given to members. They were donated by our gentleman farmer, John Kavalor. A reminder that next week is a catered meal luncheon.

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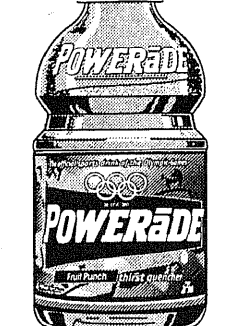
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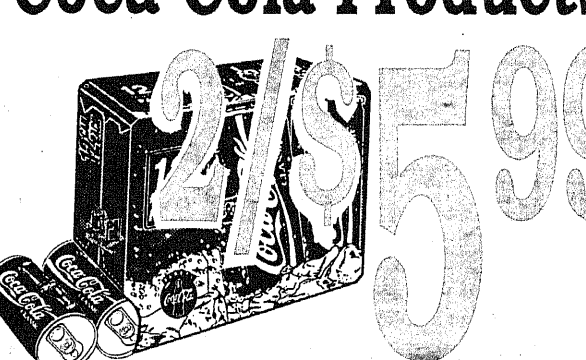
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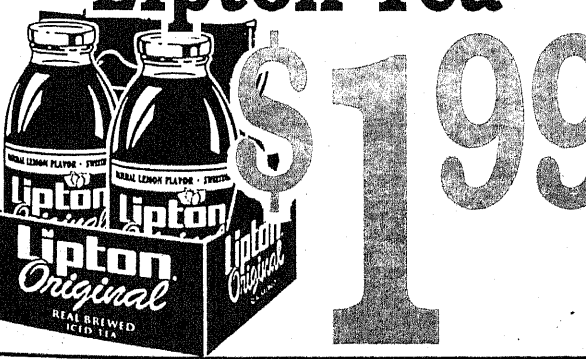
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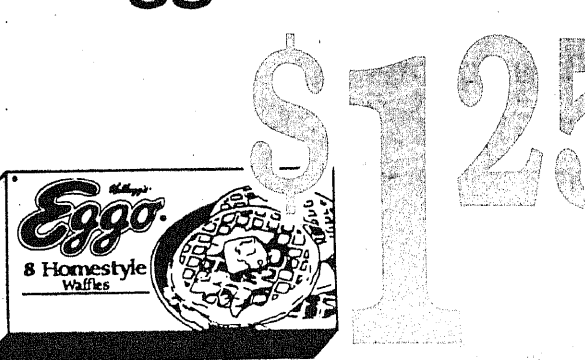
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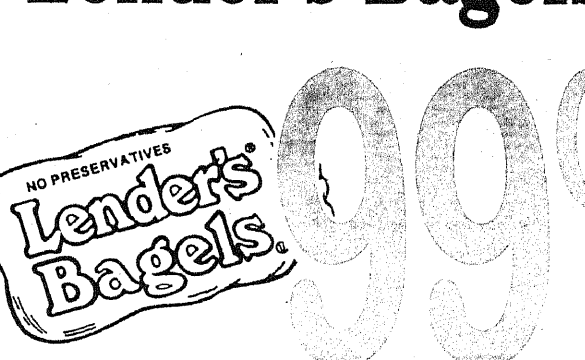
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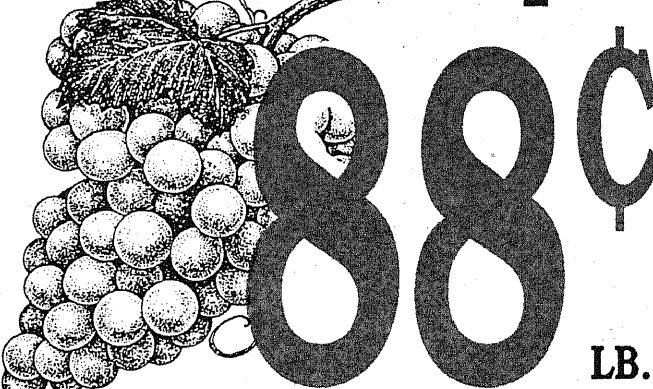
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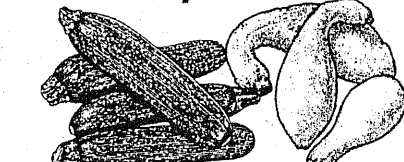
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Selection: Select small to medium-size, firm squash with smooth, glossy, tender skin. Squash should feel heavy for their size.

Storage: Refrigerate, unwashed, in a plastic bag for up to 5 days.

Preparation: Trim off and discard ends. Rinse squash, but do not peel. Leave whole, dice, or cut into slices or julienne strips.

Serving Ideas: Offer raw summer squash as a snack, add to a relish tray with other raw vegetables, or serve as an appetizer with your favorite dip. Shredded raw squash mixed with a complementary dressing makes a colorful slaw. Dress hot cooked squash with butter seasoned with basil, oregano, or dill weed. Or top with shredded cheddar, Swiss, Monterey Jack or Parmesan cheese and slip under the broiler until bubbly.

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DEAR MR. ROSS:

I've written you about three times asking for help, but every time all I get back is a letter that says my problem isn't bad enough. I was reading your column where someone wrote in about wanting a hamster and you thought that was serious enough to send them \$50 to buy one.

I have diabetes and need my medications. I don't have the money to get them. It seems like if you can get someone a hamster, you could certainly see my need.

All I'm asking for is \$400 to help me get my medicine and pay my doctor bills. P.S. If I get another letter turning me down, you're just a teaser with what you have. — MRS. L.W., Winston-Salem, NC

DEAR MRS. W.:

In other words, if I can't help everyone, I shouldn't help anyone. I can and will send you \$400, but how will it have changed your life three months from now? Do you have some great plan that you're going to put into effect that will pay for your ongoing medical needs?

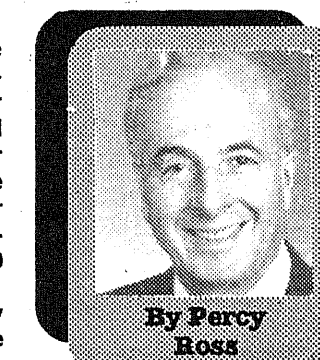
I dare say you don't, so in essence all I've given you is a temporary fix. The only thing that will have changed is you'll finally have received a favorable reply from me. \$\$\$\$\$\$

MR. ROSS:

I'm a drunk but that don't make me bad, but I would like to look like a mom on Mother days if I could get a hair do and a dress and shoes maybe that will make me feel better. — MS. G.K., Columbus, OH

DEAR MS. K.:

I've printed your letter just as I received it. I'm not trying



By Percy Ross

to exploit you because your writing is semi-literate, but rather to show you were probably intoxicated when you wrote it.

I won't be sending you any money. The reason is that you're a practicing alcoholic and any money I sent would be spent on liquor.

If you really want to feel better, contact your local Alcoholics Anonymous chapter. Good luck and may you find recovery. \$\$\$\$\$\$

DEAR MR. ROSS:

I'm incarcerated and my release date is Feb. 14, 1997. I'm indigent except at random times when my stepmother sends me \$20. I wash clothes for other inmates to get coffee, sugar, soap, deodorant and

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One of the contributing factors to my backslide was I had not diligently pursued studying the Bible. The reason I'm writing is to ask for \$100 to purchase a sturdy Bible, a comprehensive Bible study and a radio/cassette player.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my request. If you should decide to help me, it will be more expedient to order the books directly and have them drop shipped to me. The balance can be either a certified cashier's check or a U.S. postal money order.

In either case, my I.D. number (EF3350070) must be with my name. — MR. D.C., Chattanooga, TN

DEAR MR. C.:

You wouldn't believe the number of inmates who have "found" God when in prison, only to "lose" Him when they are released. What is with you guys?

However, the Christian thing for me to do is send you a money order and hope that you spend the next 17 months reaffirming how you've changed your ways.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

Normally I'm a student in college. However, because my financial situation would not allow me to go to school this semester, I've taken the term off.

I'm 20 years old and fully capable of work. I'm currently employed as a bicycle messenger, which is exhausting and dangerous work. It is the danger that has provoked me to write.

As it stands, I ride a third rate bike that consistently warrants repair.

Also factor in I'm in dire need of protective gear such as helmet, elbow and knee pads and bike lights.

I would greatly appreciate it if you could spare \$200 so that I can ride safely. If you do decide to help me you will be aiding in my peace of mind as I zip through the busy streets of Manhattan. — Mr. M. R., Queens, NY

DEAR MR. R.:

Normally I'm a businessman. However, my financial

situation has allowed me to be a philanthropist. I'm 78 years old and fully capable of helping you.

I'm sending you \$200.

which will aid in my peace of mind as I slowly drive through the streets of Minneapolis. \$\$\$\$\$\$

Final TTL program features 'Living Truth'

The final Top-of-the-Thumb Leisure Ministries Vespers of the season will feature "Living Truth" in concert at Casoville United Methodist Church at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 9.

"Living Truth" is a musical group composed of Russ and DeeDee Tibbits and Tammie Kesters of Caro. The ladies have local ties, growing up in Elkton.

Members of the group play 18 instruments, both antique and contemporary, including several kinds of dulcimers, steel drum, flute, guitar and others. They have traveled

throughout the United States and have appeared locally many times.

The TTL Board will be represented by Leona Filion, member of Pinnebog United Methodist Church. Refreshments will be served by members of Pigeon's First and Elkton United Methodist Churches.

Everyone is invited to attend the '95 finale of the Vespers series. The programs during the summer have been excellent and this promises to be a fine one, too, TTLM organizers say.

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Scenic News

Flight tournaments began for the women golfers of Scenic Golf and Country Club. The game of the day was Best Poker Hand. Winners by flights were Edna Dutcher, Sylvia Kelsey, Carole Turf, Grace Janik and Harriet Collins.

Chip-ins were recorded by Joanne Hengy, Marie Kantarian, Flo Robinson and Merrie Watchowski.

Bridge winners were Marian Fountain, Dody Yahn, Pat Schweninger and Vivian Papps. Helen Traller and Donna Osentoski won the pinocle prizes.

SCENIC MONDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE

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Rathje/Anklam	94
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Robinson	80
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Division II

Beachy	126
Papps	119
Sinder	107
Velisko	99
Laomina	97
Sheller	95

Baptism

Zak Emmerson Koehler, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Koehler of Sebawaing, was baptized on Sunday, July 30, 1995 at New Salem Lutheran Church, with Pastor Keith Siverly officiating.

Sponsors are Mr. and Mrs. Matt Lutz and Mr. and Mrs. Chad Jacoby.

Attending a dinner in Zak's honor were his sponsors, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Koehler, Arnold Weipert and great-grandmother, Viola Weipert.

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Sebawaing Senior Meal-Site menu

Sebawaing Senior Meal-Site, 970 Union St., welcomes all Seniors 60 years and older and their spouses. It is open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.

For reservations call 883-9411 between 8:15 and 8:45 a.m.

ACTIVITIES: Euchre: Monday & Friday, 10:30 a.m.
Bingo: Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.
MENU: Wednesday, Aug. 9: Beef Tips w/ Noodles, lima beans, tossed salad, rolls, cherry pie.
Friday, Aug. 11: Swedish Meatballs, mashed potatoes, winter blend veg. (broccoli & carrots), French bread, oatmeal cookie.
Monday, Aug. 14: Stuffed Cabbage w/ Tomato Sauce, parsley potatoes, baby carrots, variety bread, fruit cocktail.
Tuesday, Aug. 15: Ham & Noodles Au Gratin, peas & pearl onions, roll, peanut butter cookie.

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Fall Semester Starts

Monday August 28, 1995 and runs through December 17, 1995

DELTA COLLEGE'S TECHNICAL DIVISION WILL OFFER THE FOLLOWING FALL SEMESTER, 1995, SCHEDULE OF CLASSES AT THE HURON AREA TECHNICAL CENTER IN CONJUNCTION WITH ST. CLAIR COMMUNITY COLLEGE.

Register at Huron Area Technical Center Monday, August 14, 1995 from 2:30-6:00 p.m.

NIGHT COURSES

Course Number & Title	Cr.	Day	Time	Place	Instr.
CAD 114-30 AUTOCAD INTRO	2	M	5:00-6:55	TUSCOLA	CARPENTER
CAD 114-41 AUTOCAD INTRO	2	TH	6:00-7:55	HATC	MILLS
CAD 114-42 AUTOCAD INTRO	2	T	6:00-7:55	HATC	MILLS
CAD 214-40 AUTOCAD TECHNIQUES	2	M	6:00-7:55	HATC	STAFF
DRF 104-30 BASIC INDUSTRIAL DRAFTING	4	M	7:00-9:55	TUSCOLA	CARPENTER
		W	5:00-9:55	TUSCOLA	CARPENTER
DRF 107-40 COMPUTER-AIDED DRAFTING	3	MT	6:00-7:55	HATC	STAFF
DRF 128-40 GEOMETRIC TOLERANCING	2	TH	6:00-7:55	HATC	STAFF
DRF 257-30 ADV. MECH. DESIGN	6	TH	5:30-9:30	TUSCOLA	KING
MT 110-30 MACH. TOOL CALCULATIONS	5	TH	5:00-9:55	CARO	HOLZHEI

Out-of-District tuition is \$70.00 per credit hour. Students are not required to pay additional registration fees if taking more than one class. One registration fee per semester.

TUITION RATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BY THE DELTA BOARD OF TRUSTEES. (New rates are announced promptly.)

For further information, call (517) 686-9000.

TLM celebrates 25 years on Aug. 13

Top-of-the-Thumb Leisure Ministries is celebrating 25 years of ministering to those at leisure in Huron County. Everyone is invited to join in the celebration on Sunday, Aug. 13 at the historic Huron City Church. The program is set to start at 4 p.m. with Rev. Robert Garrett and Rev. William Dunstan taking part.

The two ministers, serving in Port Austin and Caseville respectively, were involved in starting Thumb Resort Ministry. The United Methodist Conference led in the development.

Over the years, the name changed and many other denominations joined in support. The focus of the program has remained the same — to strengthen Christian community among residents and visitors with opportunities for worship and fellow-

It's a girl!

Scott and Cindy Holzwart of Unionville announce the birth of their daughter, **Katherine Susan** on Friday, July 21, 1995 at Lapeer Regional Hospital.

Katherine weighed 8 pounds, 7 oz. and measured 20 inches at birth.

Big brothers David and Nicholas are very proud to welcome home their new little sister.

Grandparents are Arvin and Cecelia Gensterblum of Lansing, Ron and Linda Pataky of Grand Haven and William and Elizabeth Holzwart of Unionville.

Great-grandparents are Arthur and Ann Warner of Columbus, SC and the late Edward and Mollie Holzwart.

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Special music will be provided for "All for Hymn." Thirteen people from the Upper Thumb make up this group led by Ron Szymarek and Susan Moyer. They enjoy singing Christian, gospel and secular music. Recently

the group appeared at Chandler Presbyterian Church and First Baptist Church in Bad Axe.

There will be a time of fellowship with visiting and refreshments following the program.



ST. CLAIR COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

"An Experience You Can Trust"

Register at Huron Area Technical Center, 2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday, August 14, 1995

Classes begin the week of August 21, 1995
CLASSES OFFERED AT HURON AREA TECHNICAL CENTER

Crs. Code Number	Course Name & Number	Sem.	Day	Time	Instr.
DAY COURSES					
0163 BIO 170 B1	HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY	4/5	M	1:00PM-3:50PM	THRALL, R
			M	6:00PM-7:50PM	BUDZYNOWSKI, M.
Monday day class meets off-campus at the Huron Area Technical Center in Bad Axe. Monday evening class meets off-campus at the Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe.					
	Offered Fall Semester ONLY				
0164 BIO 170 B2	HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY	4/5	M	1:00PM-3:50PM	THRALL, R
			W	6:00PM-7:50PM	BUDZYNOWSKI, M.
Monday day class meets off-campus at the Huron Area Technical Center in Bad Axe. Wednesday evening class meets off-campus at the Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe.					
	Offered Fall Semester ONLY				
0381 ENG 101 B1	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3/3	W	8:30-11:15	LEINWEBER, R
0946 GR 101 B1	ELEMENTARY GERMAN I	4/4	MT	3:00-4:20	PIILLSBURY, V
0888 MTH 101 B1	TECH MATH/BASIC MATH	5/5	MTWTF	8:45-9:50	WADE, C
	Prerequisite: Successful completion of the College Math Assessment or MTH 050				
0720 PS 101 B1	INTRO TO POLITICAL SCI	3/3	T	6:45-11:25	PIETSCHER, K
0751 PS 180 B1	INTRO TO PSYCHOLOGY	4/4	F	9:00-12:45	NORRIS, J
NIGHT COURSES					
0992 ACCT 231 B1	INTERM. ACCOUNTING	4/4	M	5:30-9:00	TBA
This is a two-way interactive television course between Pt. Huron and Bad Axe campuses. This section will meet in the Telecommunications Room at the Huron Area Technical Center in Bad Axe.					
0921 BUS 158 B1	BUSINESS MATH	4/4	W	8:15-10:00	TBA
0923 BUS 221 B1	PRINC OF ECONOMICS	3/3	T	6:30-9:20	TBA
	Prerequisite: BUS 059 or successful completion of the Business Math Diagnostic Test				
0299 CIS 115 B1	MICROCOMPUTER APPLI	4/4	T	6:15-10:00	MAURER, R
	using IBM computers with Windows and Microsoft Office				
0382 ENG 101 B2	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3/3	TH	6:00-8:50	ELLIOTT, N
	Prerequisite: Successful completion of the College Writing Assessment or ENG 050 or ENG 075				
0404 ENG 102 B1	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3/3	T	6:00-8:50	IRWANKOVITSCH, R
	Prerequisite: ENG 101				
0987 HE 201 B1	GERONTOLOGICAL NRSG	3/3	TH	6:00-8:50	MAXWELL, B
	Licensed nurses only				
	Prerequisite: PN or LPN license or permission of instructor				
	This is a two-way interactive television course between Pt. Huron and Bad Axe campuses. This section will meet in the Telecommunications Room at the Huron Area Technical Center in Bad Axe.				
0988 HE 210 B1	HEALTH CARE DELIV SYST.	2/2	TH	4:00-5:50	MAXWELL, B
This is a two-way interactive television course between Pt. Huron and Bad Axe campuses. This section will meet in the Telecommunications Room at the Huron Area Technical Center in Bad Axe.					
0445 HIS 101 B1	HISTWESTERN CIV TO 1815	4/4	M	6:15-10:00	DAVIS, G
0889 MTH 102 B1	TECH MATH ELE ALGEBRA	5/5	MTW	6:00-8:15	IRWIN, G
	Prerequisite: MTH 101				
0721 PS 101 B2	INTRO TO POLITICAL SCI	3/3	T	7:00-9:40	PIETSCHER, K
0752 PSY 180 B2	INTRO TO PSYCHOLOGY	4/4	TH	6:15-10:00	TBA
0764 PSY 220 B1	LIFE SPAN DEV PSY	4/4	T	6:15-10:00	WALTER, F
	Prerequisite: PSY 180				
0770 PSY 225 B1	ADOLESCENT & ADULT PSY	2/2	T	6:15-10:00	WALTER, F
	class begins: 10/17/95 class ends: 12/12/95				
	Prerequisite: PSY 180				
0820 SOC 101 B1	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	3/3	W	5:45-8:30	GUYOR, K
0843 SPC 101 B1	SPEECH COMMUNICATION	3/3	W	6:30-9:20	YAKES, K
TV COURSES					
0425 GEO 101 B1	EARTH SCIENCE	4/5	TH	6:15-10:00	SOULE, M
This course is offered via the television media. Course materials will be mailed to the student. For information call (810) 989-5642 or 1-800-553-2427, ext. 5642. This class will meet every other Thursday on the Port Huron Campus starting August 31, 1995 in Room 203 of the North Building from 6:15-10:00 pm.					
0476 MTH 050 B1	ARITHMETIC	3/3	T	4:00-5:50	WADE, C
Information for this course is presented on videotapes which students check out for home viewing from the Huron Area Skill Center in Bad Axe. For information call (810) 989-5642 or 1-800-553-2427, ext. 5642. This course will meet on the Port Huron Campus every other Tuesday starting August 22, 1995 in Room 319 of the CEM from 4:00-5:50 p.m.					
0798 RD 075 B1	STUDY SKILLS	1/1	F	7:00-9:00	BERRY, J
This is a television course. Information for this course is present on videotapes which students check out from the Huron Area Skill Center for home viewing. Materials will be sent to the students. Students enrolled in this section meet in the Telecommunications Room at the Huron Area Technical Center three times during the semester. The three dates and meeting times are: Orientation: 8/25/95 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Mid-Term: 10/8/95 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.; Final Exam: 11/17/95 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Students must attend all three classes at the location in Bad Axe. For more information call 1-800-553-2427, ext. 5559 or (810) 989-5559.					

FOR MORE INFORMATION

contact Kim Fischer, Huron Area Technical Center, (517) 269-9284
If Your Don't See What You Want Listed Above,
Check The Availability Of Classes Held At The College.

Sting Farm honored for 100th

In a brief ceremony on the front lawn of the Mike and Linda (Sting) Kunisch farm last Monday, REA Thumb Electric Cooperative's Marketing Manager Dave Fritz presented a plaque commemorating 100 years of continuous family ownership of the farm.

John Sting, Linda's great-grandfather, purchased his first 40 acres from John Bull in 1881 for the grand total of

\$800. In 1884 he paid \$1,500 for an additional 40 acres. Those same 80 acres have stayed in the Sting family for the last 100 years.

John's son Walter was the next to take over the farm and then it was passed down to the late Frederick Sting. Fred's widow Ida Sting still resides in Sebawaing, and as of late, the farm on Huron Line Road has been in the hands of Ida's daughter

Linda, and her husband Mike Kunisch.

Mike, Linda and their three children Graham, Adam, and Meg are already making plans to display the plaque in a neat arrangement on the barn, featuring a couple of wagon wheels.

USA girls start practice Monday

All girls interested in playing Freshman, Junior Varsity or Varsity basketball at USA schools should attend practice beginning on Monday, Aug. 14.

Practice times are: freshmen, 6-7:30 p.m.; JV, 3:30-5 p.m.; and varsity, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the USA High School gym. All players must have a physical before they may begin practice.

For varsity players, there will be a player/parent orientation at 6 p.m., prior to the start of practice on Aug. 14.

New USA students should contact school

Students who will be attending Unionville-Sebawaing Area Schools for the first time this 1995-1996 school year are requested to contact the school office as soon as possible, to get properly enrolled for classes this fall.

This does not pertain to kindergarten or ninth grade students who have already enrolled, but to all other students who will be attending USA Schools for the first time, officials say.

New students should call the Superintendent's office at 883-2360 to set up an appointment.



AT THE STING FARM'S 100th observance are, from left, Graham Kunisch, Adam Kunisch, Ida Sting, Dave Fritz, Meg, Linda and Mike Kunisch. DUANE GUENTHER PHOTO



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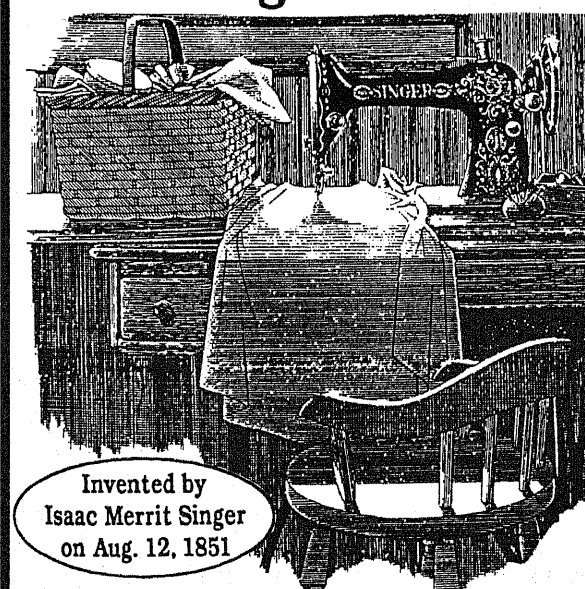
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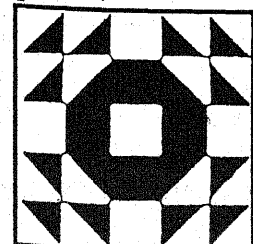


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Huron Fair underway now in Bad Axe

THE 127TH HURON COMMUNITY FAIR is underway now through Saturday, Aug. 12 at the Fairgrounds just south of Bad Axe. Special events include Kids Day on Tuesday, Fun Day on Wednesday, Family Day on Thursday, Country Western Day on Friday and Jaycee Day on Saturday.

Friday at 12 noon is the Junior Livestock Association Auction at the Arena Building.

LEADING THE WAY for entertainment this year are, above, The Dixie Cadillacs, country singing group, and at right country singer Manda Lynn. Both acts perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Grandstand.

Tickets are available at the gate, and the Michigan Off-Road Championship Racing Series is also coming Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Grandstand. PHOTOS FURNISHED



Independent Bank celebrates

Independent Bank East Michigan is celebrating its second year of offering Horizons Club to its customers.

Horizons Club is a program designed especially for people 50 years or older, officials say.

Over the past year, Independent Bank East Michigan has had 1,107 members join

Skating, hockey plans coming Aug. 16

The Huron County Board of Commissioners and the Huron County Ice Hockey Association are preparing to get the 1995-96 ice skating and hockey season underway.

A Hockey League organizational meeting will be held on Wednesday, Aug. 16 at 7 p.m. at the Huron County Expo Center meeting room at the Fair Grounds in Bad Axe.

Three leagues will be running this year: Squire/Pee Wee League for ages nine to 12; Bantam/Midget league, ages 13 to 16; and Adults, ages 17 and older. Workshops will also be conducted throughout the season for ages eight and under.

Anyone who would like their children to play in a league, adults playing in leagues, or anyone who would like to coach, referee or participate in any way must attend this meeting.

Horizons Club. The Club offers members a wide variety of activities, access to discounts from both local and national merchants and a banking package which includes an interest-bearing checking account with no monthly service charge, free checks, a no-fee fixed VISA or MasterCard, direct deposit service and more.

Bank President Ron Long explained, "Many banks have similar programs that usually consist only of a no-fee checking account, but Horizons Club takes the concept of special service to a new level."

"It not only provides members with a variety of banking services, but it is also a social

club with its own coordinators, special group rates for travel tours and a newsletter for all members."

Club activities include parties, seminars, programs and travel; trips range from dinner outings to vacation tours. Some trips that have been really popular were Alaska, Hawaii, Tiger Stadium and Branson, MO.

Independent Bank East Michigan operates banking offices in Unionville, Caro, Clifford, Kingston, Marlette, North Branch and Snover.

Each office has its own Horizons Club coordinator, and a phone call or visit to any office is all it takes to find out about membership in the club.

Octagon Barn Fest is Aug. 19 in Gagetown

There are barns, and there are barns, but there is no barn like the Octagon Barn just east of Gagetown.

That's why a group of interested people are staging the second Annual Octagon Barn Festival.

The Saturday, Aug. 19 event is intended to raise funds for the restoration of the Octagon Barn.

The barn, once a showplace on the Purdy farm, has fallen into disrepair and came under the ownership of the Department of Natural Resources.

Festival events will take place at the barn site and in Downtown Gagetown. Most of the activities begin at 9 a.m. and will include arts and crafts, and all town garage sale, farmer's market, petting zoo, duck tank, quilt show, face painting, mule team wagon rides.

A big parade will kick off at 11 a.m. followed by a chicken barbecue running from noon until 2 p.m.

The Saturday, Aug. 19 event is intended to raise funds for the restoration of the Octagon Barn.

Unionville softball fun!

BIG CROWDS and lots of softball fun were the order of the day this past weekend, during the 16th annual Unionville Benefit Softball Tournament.

Winners in the softball divisions are: Division A — Kuhl Construction of Sebawaing; Division B — Softball Players of Caro, and Division C — Log Cabin of Wisner.

Proceeds from the various events go to assist Unionville Little League. DUANE GUENTHER PHOTO



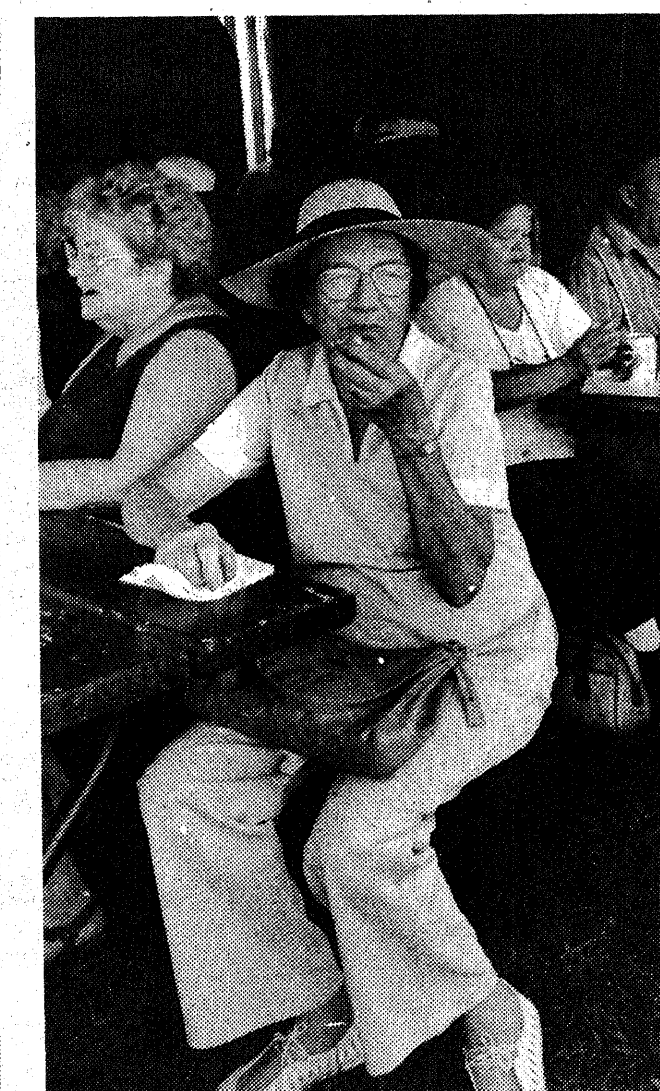
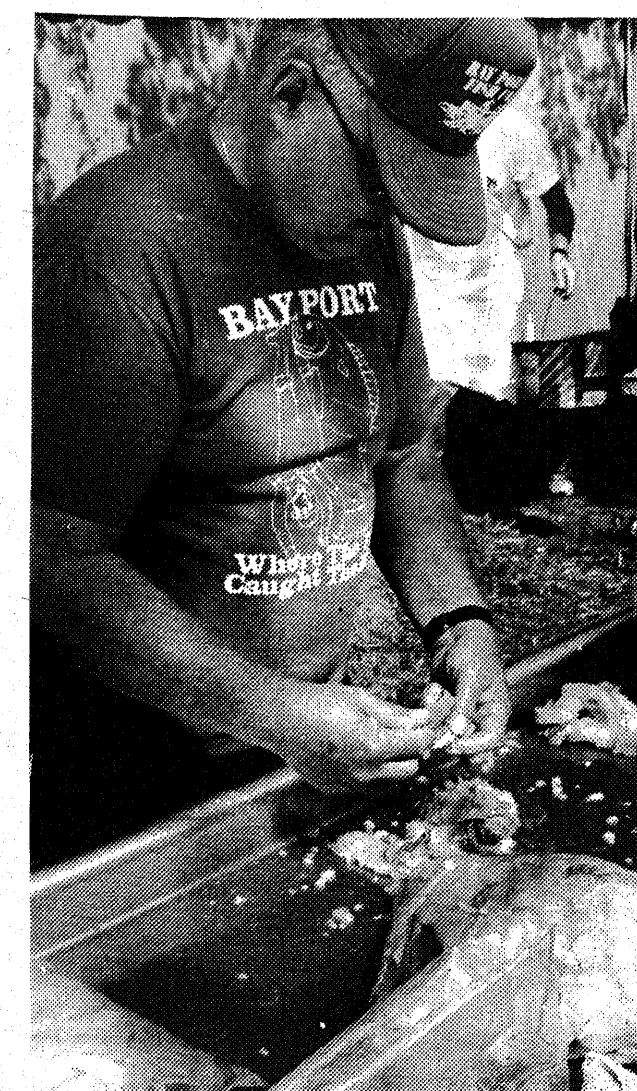
Bay Port hosts thousands for sandwiches



ABOVE, State Rep. Mike Green (R-Mayville) and State Sen. Joel Gougeon (R-Bay City) present special honors to the Bay Port Fish Sandwich Days leaders, as Sue Schweitzer accepts the proclamation.

AT RIGHT, Fish Sandwich Days founder Henry Engelhard chats with some of the thousands of people attending the tasty two-day event.

BELOW LEFT AND CENTER, it takes the effort of producing a delicious sandwich... plus people from all over the state coming to eat them... to make a successful event. The Bay Port Chamber of Commerce coordinates the town-wide effort. DUANE GUENTHER PHOTOS



1995 QUEEN CHRISTINA WIECHERT, left, is crowned by 1994 Queen Mary Hewitt. Queen Christina is the daughter of Kevin and Ila Wiechert of Bay Port.

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Rev. Norman Beckwith
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70 YEARS AGO JULY 30, 1925

The Misses Camilla and Lenda Fliegel and Mildred Clabuesch left on a three-week trip to the Pacific Coast. Several families from here went to Saginaw Monday evening to hear the Sousa Band concert.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Loeffler, July 16, a son, named Robert.

60 YEARS AGO JULY 26, 1935

Van Philp, Huron County welfare relief administrator, announces that all relief projects in the county have been discontinued so that relief workers may assist farmers in the harvest.

Katherine Roberts, Bay Port, and Carl Muellerweiss, were wed in Detroit Wednesday. Sebewaing American Legion boys' baseball team defeated Port Austin in the local nine's fourth straight victory, with a score of 4 to 3. Battery was W. Rummel, pitcher and D. Hofmeister catcher. Other players E. Bauer, C. Fiebig, V. Armbruster, H. Yackie, E. Kundering and H. Stock.

Marvin Binder, son of Mrs. Jacob Binder, is working in the chemical laboratory of Dow Chemical Co., Midland.

50 YEARS AGO JULY 27, 1945

A-Sgt. Joseph Kling has received his honorable discharge from the Army Air Force. He served nine months overseas as a gunner on a B-24.

Pvt. Floyd Rothfuss arrived home on a convalescent furlough. He was at the front lines on Okinawa for 14 days. Christmas mailing to soldiers will begin September 15.

Della Schilling and Arvin Burns, Kalamazoo, were married Saturday afternoon in Immanuel Lutheran Church.

40 YEARS AGO JULY 28, 1955

The spirit of carnival is in the air as Sebewaing farmers and business people are preparing for another biennial Farmers and Merchants Picnic in the newly-completed Village Park Aug. 4.

Hot weather? Elmer Kuhl, O.J. Buss and Dick Eberlein donned their shorts and had a snowball battle on N. Center St., when Sebewaing Lockers held their semi-annual defrosting and dumped several tons of ice and snow.

Second shots of Salk Polio Vaccine will be administered in September to about 1,700 first and second graders of Huron County. There is still not enough vaccine for all.

Sixteen girl cyclists wheeled into Sebewaing Thursday completing another leg of their 250-mile trip from Detroit around the Thumb and back to Detroit. They spent Thursday night in Sportsmen's VFW building.

30 YEARS AGO JULY 29, 1965

Sebewaing Light and Water Dept. is instituting a new Free Electric Lamp Program where all residential accounts will receive free bulbs from 15-200 watts.

Rev. Mr. William Munding, 68, assistant pastor of Immanuel, passed away unexpectedly Saturday.

Norman Dutcher, 87, Sebewaing commercial fisherman, passed away Sunday after a lingering illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Oland Dunkel have announced the engagement of their daughter Cheryl Lynn to Gregory Fuerst.

Virginia Brade became the bride of Walter Strucinski July 11 in Immanuel Lutheran Church.

20 YEARS AGO JULY 31, 1975

Ten members of the Nguyen Van Tot family of South Viet-

nam were welcomed into the Sebewaing Area Monday. They are sponsored by Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Workmen have begun extensive remodeling this week of Sebewaing Medical Clinic. Plans are to finish in early September.

Janet Gettel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Gettel of Sebewaing, graduated from Mercy School of Nursing, Detroit.

10 YEARS AGO JULY 30, 1985

Bay Port Fish Sandwich Weekend is scheduled for Friday - Sunday, Aug. 2-4.

From The Pages Of The Unionville Crescent

75 YEARS AGO JULY 23, 1920

Houses are needed in Unionville at present. There seems to be none to rent or left to be sold.

W.B. Achenbach and family left Tuesday for Bay Park to spend a two-week vacation at the Kemp cottage.

Robert Morford weight 10-1/2 pounds, made his appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cartwright Thursday morning, July 22.

The road east of town was not wide enough for a Ford and a Dodge last Saturday night and damaged cars was the result. The machines were not owned by local residents.

65 YEARS AGO JULY 25, 1930

Five new cottages have been erected at Bay Park for this season. Bay Park is a popular place with many of the towns of the county.

At the council meeting held last week, William Brady the president, presented his resignation and it was accepted. This leaves Erna Bueschlen who was president pro-tem, to fill the vacancy.

The busy man still wonders how the loafer manages to live.

Mrs. Karl Black and daughter, Louise, and nephew and

Unionville's annual Softball and Activities Weekend is scheduled for Friday through Sunday with games, food, refreshments, and other activities.

Sebewaing Powder-Puffers came in first with the largest fish at the Thumb Steelheaders' Saturday tournament when they landed a 19-3/4 pound Salmon that measured 36 inches. The young anglers are Candy Kurzer and Kris Koch both of Sebewaing.

Trinity United Methodist Church has a new family in its parsonage namely Rev. Lawrence Brooks, wife Nancy and daughter Susie.

ming in the dredge cut at Thomas County Park. He was pulled from the water by Mr. Day of Fairgrove.

45 YEARS AGO JULY 28, 1950

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ode, Tuesday, July 25, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heinitz Friday, July 21, a daughter. Mrs. Heinitz is the former Florence Holzwarth.

The two-day homecoming celebration which attracted a large crowd ended Wednesday evening and proved most successful.

35 YEARS AGO JULY 28, 1960

In a double-ring ceremony Saturday, July 9, Margaret Ann Sigmund of Sebewaing and Charles Mihacs of Unionville were married.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frent and family have moved into the Bertram Partlo home recently vacated by the Tom Koepf family.

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25 YEARS AGO JULY 30, 1970

Voting machines will now be used in Columbia Township. Mr. Milton Bedore conducted a school of instruc-

tion to acquaint area residents with the new method.

Marcus Kuehn of Ann Arbor has accepted the call to be principal and 7th and 8th grade teacher at St. Paul Lutheran School.

15 YEARS AGO JULY 30, 1980

Tara Ann McNeil was baptized at St. Peter Lutheran Church, Columbia Spicers by Rev. Gary Groth. Sponsors are Paula Sattelberg and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Doerr.

Wisner Slo-Pitch Softball team won the Unionville Benefit Tournament of the Little League of Unionville. They were sponsored by the Wisner Bar.

Summer band program for USA Schools begins Aug. 4 through Aug. 22.

The 40th Class Reunion of Unionville Class of 1940 was held June 21 with 24 classmates present of the 36-member graduating class.

Raelyn Burgett is spending a week with the Roger Reinhardt family at Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorain Berg of Essexville were visitors of Mrs. Rachel Liberacki Sunday. Mrs. Liberacki's granddaughter Beth Lukes of Okemos is visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn returned home to Pigeon after spending two years in California.

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From The Pages Of The Pigeon Progress & Elkton Advance

80 YEARS AGO AUG. 6, 1915

W.J. Orr has disposed of his interests in Wallace & Orr Co. of Bay Port to W.H. Wallace. The interests include the store, elevator and fisheries. In the future the company will be known as Wallace & Morley Co.

An Eastern Star chapter has been organized at Elkton. W.C. Draher has purchased the Herman Kleinschmidt property in Pigeon.

Otto Rathke sold his farm in Winsor Twp. to Joseph Gunden. Mr. Rathke has purchased the Louis Schultz 40-acre west of Pigeon.

FOR RENT - Furnished cottage at Caseville on the beach at \$8 per week. References required. S.H. Cochran, agent, Caseville, Adv.

Pigeon was visited by a band of gypsies last Friday. As usual they were a tough lot.

Wallace Stone Co. now has 486 yearlings and two old steers fattening on their farms and Bob says he is still buying.

70 YEARS AGO AUG. 7, 1925

The railroad depot at Owendale was destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning with a loss of about \$5,000.

Ruth Leipprandt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leipprandt, Pigeon, returned home after spending four years in Germany and Austria studying music.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn returned home to Pigeon after spending two years in California.

60 YEARS AGO AUG. 9, 1935

Mrs. Edwin Haist entertained her piano pupils at a picnic at Caseville County Park on Wednesday.

Pigeon Village Council plans to ask for a federal grant to build a mile of cement sidewalk and to improve the water pumping equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Carter of St. Charles have moved to Bay Port to make their home.

Caseville entertained the largest crowd in its history Saturday and Sunday when 10,000 people, from all over the Lower Peninsula, were at Caseville County Park during the two-day Automotive Maintenance Assn. picnic. The crowd was very orderly and there were no serious accidents.

Dancing every Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evening at Drury Lane Ballroom on Scenic Highway between Bay Port and Caseville. Admission 15¢. Park Plan Dancing. Adv.

50 YEARS AGO AUG. 3, 1945

A special 16-page edition of The Pigeon Progress was published for the presentation of an "A" award for high standard of products to men and women of the J.R. Waigle Canning Co., Pigeon. A program was Thursday at Pigeon Memorial Park with Pigeon High School Band, Water Bedford, master of ceremonies, presentation of award by Col. Lynn Whitaker, Quartermaster Dept., Chicago.

Citations were received by Phil Waigle, Hal Hilton, Russell Anderson, John Danks, George Waigle, Rev. A.W. Hueschen, Elaine Werner, Frank Diebel, Maxine Anderson. The company employs 127 men and women.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Baur, Bay Port; Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Herford, Elkton, and Mr. and Mrs. Weldell Maust, Pigeon, attended a national

40 YEARS AGO AUG. 4, 1955

Cornerstone of the new St. Roch Catholic Church at Caseville will be laid by Msgr. John Sonefeld of Saginaw Diocese in a service at Sunday, according to Father Robert Navarre, St. Roch pastor. The church is being constructed for \$112,000 and will seat 400 people. It is designed so that the overflow summer crowds may have a direct view of the altar even though standing outside.

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The third annual Wakefield reunion was held at Caseville County Park Saturday, Aug. 3, with 60 attending.

45 YEARS AGO AUG. 3, 1950

Joseph Kusanke, the Old Village Lamplighter, who has passed his 98th birthday, will head the Elkton Homecoming parade as guest of honor on Friday, Aug. 11.

FROM THE ELKTON ADVANCE 55 YEARS AGO

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The Newsweekly's Thumb Area CALENDAR

Wednesday, Aug. 9 - USA Football practice

Will begin at Unionville field from 7:30-9 a.m. and 6-9 p.m. All players must have a physical before they may practice.

Wednesday, Aug. 9 - Widows/widowers to meet

The Thumb Widow and Widowers Club will meet and dine at the Coral Gables Restaurant in Bad Axe at 6 p.m. Any widow or widower is invited to join us.

Wednesday, Aug. 9 - No-Till Twilight Tour

Will begin 7 p.m. at the corner of Van Geisen and Ringle Roads near Unionville. Details: Tuscola Soil Conservation District at 517-673-8174.

Thursday, Aug. 10 - American Legion Aux. 421 meets

7 p.m. American Legion Hall, Unionville

Thursday, Aug. 10 - Swing your partners!

Caseville Golden Eagle Squares will dance to the calling of Mike "Patches" Pyne. Tom Wilson will cue rounds. Dancing begins at 7:30 p.m. at the F.O.E. Hall in Caseville. Use side entrance. All square dancers are invited. The club will also hold a picnic at Gallup Park in Port Austin on Aug. 13 at 1 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 11 - Club goes to the fair

Members and their guests of the Thumb Widow and Widowers Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Lions' Concession at the Huron County Fair, then attend the Manda Lynn concert in the grandstands.

Fri.-Sun., Aug. 11-13 - Caseville re-enactment

Third Michigan Infantry of Bay City will present a Civil War era living history re-enactment at Caseville, sponsored by the Caseville Chamber of Commerce.

Saturday, Aug. 12 - USA Cheerleader Car Wash

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Luke's Parking Lot, Sebawaing.

Sunday, Aug. 13 - Pork Chop BBQ

11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. at Holy Family Catholic Parish Center, Sebawaing. Complete menu and take-outs available.

Sunday, Aug. 13 - Outdoor Worship service

New Salem Lutheran Church of Sebawaing hosts its second special service at 10 a.m. at Sebawaing Village Park, weather permitting. For comfort, bring a lawn chair, blanket and dress casually.

Sunday, Aug. 13 - Pigeon River concert

The Grimshaws will present a concert of Southern gospel and country gospel at the Pigeon River Mennonite Church on Sunday, Aug. 13 at 7 p.m. Dan Grimshaw was formerly with the Calvarymen Quartet. The public is invited to attend.

Sun., Aug. 13-Thurs., Aug. 17 - Bay Port VBS

Bay Port United Methodist Church conducts Vacation Bible School from 6 to 8:30 p.m. All pre-schoolers through kids going into eighth grade are invited to come join the fun. Details: Holly Thick at 656-7219 or Sue Schweitzer 453-3638.

Monday, Aug. 14 - USA JV Girls' Basketball Practice

Will begin 3:30 to 5 p.m. at USA High School gym. Players are reminded a physical card and athletic code must be turned in prior to practice. Questions? 883-2082.

Monday, Aug. 14 - Sebawaing VFW Post 4115

Business meeting at 8 p.m. at the Clubhouse.

Tuesday, Aug. 15 - Parkinson meeting

Parkinson's Caregiver & Support Group meets 1 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at Hills & Dales General Hospital, Cass City. Details: Nancy at 872-4053 or Jean at 872-2121.

Wednesday, Aug. 16 - Pigeon LaLeche League meets

Regular monthly meeting of Pigeon La Leche League is 10 a.m. at Salem United Methodist Church, Pigeon. These informal meetings are open to all women interested in breast-feeding. Babies always welcome. Details: Jean 674-2676, Melissa 375-2315 or Cheryl 453-3091.

Thursday, Aug. 17 - Akron Township meeting

7:30 p.m. Municipal Bldg., Beach St., Akron.

Sat.-Sun., Aug. 19-20 - Flea Market/Trunk Sale

At Port Austin KOA & Resort from 10-6 on Saturday and to 4 on Sunday. Goods on sale will include socks & gloves, southwest jewelry, Watkins Products, antique tools, bears, bonnies, pillow towels, leather goods Stanley home products and miscellaneous flea market items.

Saturday, Aug. 19 - Octagon Barn Festival

Second Annual Festival, Downtown Gagetown, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Parade at 11 a.m. Children's activities in town and at barn site. Arts/Crafts, All-Town Garage Sale, Art Auction, Farmer's

Market, Petting Zoo, Dunk Tank, Quilt Show and Demonstration, Face Painting, Octagon Barn Souvenirs on Sale All Day.

Saturday, Aug. 19 - Wildflower Slide Presentation

2 p.m. at Heidelberg Gallery, Downtown Sebawaing, narrated by Bob Millerwise.

Sunday, Aug. 20 - Caseville BBQ

St. Roch's Catholic Church in Caseville will host its Annual Chicken Barbeque from noon to 4 p.m. Meals include 1/2 chicken, coleslaw, baked beans; roll, dessert and beverage.

Sunday, Aug. 20 - Scheurer Aux. Golf Tourney

The annual Scheurer Hospital Auxiliary Golf Tournament begins with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. at Scenic Golf & Country Club, Pigeon. Entry fee includes 18 holes in the mixed scramble, blind draw, prizes and lunch. All proceeds to Scheurer Hospital. To register, call Eunice Binder at 453-3453 or Scenic Pro Doug Sefcik at 453-3350.

Sunday, Aug. 20 - New school opening

New USA Middle School Open House 2 p.m. at USA High School campus, Sebawaing.

Monday, Aug. 21 - Columbia Board meeting

7 p.m. at Township Library.

Monday, Aug. 21 - Unionville Village Council

Meets at 7 p.m. at Village Hall.

Monday, Aug. 21 - Masonic Lodge meeting

Hubbard Winsor Lodge 420 meets at Masonic Temple, Pigeon, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 22 - Widows/widowers to picnic

The Thumb Widow and Widowers Club members and their guests will host a potluck picnic at Bird Creek Park Pavilion in Port Austin at 12 noon. Bring meat, drink, etc. for your group and a dish to pass. Details: call Pat at 738-5711.

Friday, Aug. 25 - Pigeon DU Banquet

The eighth annual Pigeon Area Ducks Unlimited Banquet is conducted at the Caseville Rod and Gun Club. Doors open at 5:30 and dinner at 7 p.m. Tickets are available from Walsh Gun and Tackle, David Lewis, Jim Lewis or Scott Maust.

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Bay Port State Bank breaks ground in Bad Axe

Officials of Bay Port State Bank last Monday broke ground for a new branch office in Bad Axe, the latest expansion for one of the area's oldest banks.

Bank President Harold Robinson said the expansion makes sense for the bank, as nearly 40 percent of its loan

portfolio is made up of loans to people in the Bad Axe-Harbor Beach-Ubly area.

"With so many loans in that area, we want to be able to take care of those customers' banking needs," Robinson said. "We believe the new branch will be an asset to Bad Axe. We may be expanding,

but we'll never lose that personal touch that some larger banks can't offer."

The new branch, located at the corner of Van Dyke (M-53) and Buschlen Road, next to Pizza Hut, will be a 2,650-sq.-ft. building, with three offices, drive-thru windows, a full vault with safe deposit boxes, and night depository. The bank will be a full-service bank, Robinson said, offering customers a wider range of services.

Pam Sturm of Pigeon will be the branch manager, with Marilyn Kowbel as senior teller and Michelle Nicholl as vice-president of operations/cashier.

Construction is expected to begin within the next three weeks, and a mid-November opening is planned. Thompson-Phelan, Inc. of Anchorville is the contractor for the job.



PICTURED AT GROUND-BREAKING ceremonies for the new Bad Axe branch of Bay Port State Bank last week are, from left, Director Dave Anderson, Senior Teller Marilyn Kowbel, Director Larry Werner, Branch Manager Pam Sturm, Director Bud Tait, Board of Directors Chairman Ed Eichler, Director Mary Jane Voelker, Vice President Bob Main, Vice President Michelle Nicholl, Bank President Harold Robinson and Executive Vice President S. Tenny McGraw.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

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Den Abend kamm die Grossmutter zu visiten und da das Baby brauchte die Diaper changen, hat die Grossmutter vol-unterteert zum es tun.

Die Mutter rufte zu ihr Mutter, "Dab ein auch die Salbe an die Circumcision," sagte Sie.

Bald fing das Baby an zu weinen. Zuerst war das weinen soft und stille, aber bald weinte das Baby mehr und mehr. Dann wurde es ein nicht nur weinen, sondern schreien. Immer lauter und lauter.

Mutter und Grossmutter nahmen turns zu das Baby halten, und rocken. Sie liefen mit dem Infant, und sangen softly, aber je mehr Sie ihn ge-handled hatten, je mehr weinte er.

"Etwas muss da wrong sein," sagte die Mutter. "So hart hat das Baby noch nie gebuehelt. Vielleicht hast du eine safety Pin aufgelassen, und es prickt ihn," sagte die Mutter.

Die Grossmutter wurde beinahe angry. "Ich weiss doch genug zum eine safety Pin zu closen," schimpfte Sie.

Aber das Baby weinte und bruehlte immer mehr, so nahm die Mutter das Baby, legte ihn auf das Bassinet und offnete die Diaper.

Sie hat ge-stared, hat sich ueber das Baby ge-stooped und hat tief ge-sniffed.

"Welche Salbe hast du an sein Circumcision applied?" fragte die Mutter.

"Dort steht die Salbe. In die blaue Jar," sagte die irate Grossmutter.

"Ach Gott," sprach Mutter, "hier ist der Problem. Du hast nicht die gentle weisse Salbe applied! Du hast Vicks Vaporub an das arme Kind ge-rubbed!"

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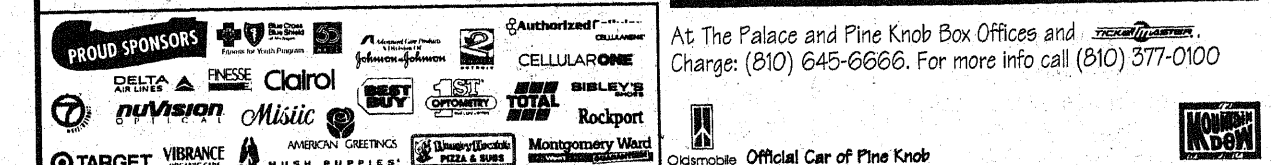
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- 8 **Jesus Christ Superstar** starring Ted Neeley, Carl Anderson and Jeffrey Osbourn
- 9 **Hootie and The Blowfish** w/ Don Dixon
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- 18 **Chicago**
- 19 **Alabama** w/ Kenny Chesney
- 20 **H.O.R.D.E. Festival 1995** featuring The Black Crowes, Blues Traveler, Sheryl Crow, Ziggy Marley and The Melody Makers
- 21 **Harry Belafonte**
- 24 **The Righteous Brothers**

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Pigeon District Library Corner

QUILT SHOW SUCCESS

The library's 23rd annual Quilt Show held during the Pigeon Farmers' Festival drew a crowd of 533 guests from as far away as Florida, Pennsylvania, California, New York, North Carolina—even Italy!

The exhibit included 21 baby quilts, 13 wallhangings, four tablecloths, two placemat sets and two memory quilts. A total of 52 items were for sale, and the 18 items sold brought in \$2449.00.

Librarian Naomi Jantzi thanks the Quilt Show Committee of Peggy Karl of Caseville and Terri Strieter of Pigeon and volunteers Vera Beyers, Goldie Gunden and Vi Hall, in addition to the library staff.

BOOK RESALE PROFITS

The library's Book Resale held during the Farmers' Festival made \$663.80 for the purchase of new books in the coming year.

"Thanks to all who donated and thought of the library

instead of throwing away their used books," says Librarian Jantzi. "Your donations are greatly appreciated by dozens of lucky readers."

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR

The Pigeon District Library's Preschool Story Hour will feature Eric Carle's stories, including "The Very Busy Spider" and "The Very Lonely Firefly."

Story Hour consists of stories, games, flannelgraphs, songs, fingerplays and cre-

ative movement for independent listeners from age three to five.

Sessions are held weekly at 9 and 10:30 a.m.

SUMMER READING PARTY

"Under the Big Top" was the theme of this year's Summer Reading Program Party, rewarding 78 children who successfully read 10 or more books in the program and attended the party.

Records report that 5,264 books were read in a six-week

time period, weighing in at a total of 3,510 lbs. of books.

A total of 142 children qualified by having read 10 or more books and the following top readers are listed by class: Kindergarten—Michelle Mueller (179 books), 1st—Brittany Eile (212 books), 2nd—Janelle Eile (173 books), 3rd—Bethany Mueller (79 books), 4th—Emily Sting (142 books), 5th—Becky Mueller (89 books), 6th—Debbie Sting (100 books), 7th—Steven Mueller (55 books).

Peanut guess winner was Erin Lorenz, who guessed 231 peanuts (which was "right on the nose!")

It's a boy!

Dennis and Cathy Schuette of Elkton are pleased to announce the birth of their first child, a son, **Jared Daniel**, born Thursday, July 20, 1995 at Bay Medical Center, Bay City.

The newborn weighed 8 lbs. and measured 20 1/4 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Fred and Kay Fortsch of Caseville. Paternal grandparents are Dale and Donna Schuette of Elkton.

Proud great-grandparents are Omer and Dorothy Hafner of Gagetown and Walter Schuette of Elkton.

Lake Huron Community Arts Council News

■ The Heidelberg Gallery in Downtown Sebewaing has a new exhibit in place.

"All About Flowers" is ready for your viewing. Pictures, arrangements, china, and other flower-related items are on display. Viewing hours are 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

■ Saturday, Aug. 19 at 2 p.m. Bob Miller will narrate a Wildflower slide presentation at the Gallery.

■ A big thank you to Joanne Rummel for painting the display signs for the feature of the month at the Heidelberg

Gallery.

■ September will be the annual quilt show... all different, old and new.

■ It's not too early to plan the Christmas Tree that you will decorate and display in the Gallery for the Open House in November and continuing in December.

■ A new feature this year will be Gingerbread Houses. These can be submitted by individuals or groups, school classes or organizations.

A class will be available for assistance by calling 517-883-2450.

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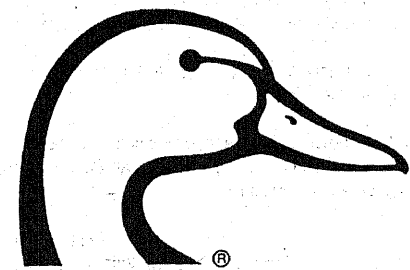
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Legal & Official Notices

Huron County Assumed Names

NO. 7483 CHERYL'S CAKES & CATERING, 204 Ward St., Harbor Beach, by Cheryl Siedlecki, same address, filed 6/13/95.

NO. 7484 THE HARBOR SHOP, 138 S. Huron, Harbor Beach, by William F. Hemr, 212 N. First St., Harbor Beach, filed 6/13/95.

NO. 7508 P&A Q&S, 130 S. Parisville Rd., Harbor Beach, by Michaelle Boisenue-Fox, 150 S. Parisville Rd., Harbor Beach, filed 7/24/95.

NO. 7510 WIEDERHOLD REPAIR SERVICE, 353 Pigeon Rd., Elkton, by Edward P. Wiederhold, 349 Maxwell Rd., Elkton, and Douglas R. Wiederhold, 4939 Clark St., Elkton, filed 7/26/95.

NO. 7511 T.C.B. LOCK UP, 900 Bay Port Rd., Bay Port, by Timothy W. Deming and Dorothy J. Deming, 10350 Geiger Rd., Bay Port, filed 7/26/95.

NO. 7512 NANCY DEACONS JANITORIAL, 76 W. Filion Rd., Filion, by Nancy Deacons, same address, filed 7/28/95.

Huron County Co-Partnerships

NO. 1071 JAMIESON TILING, 4168 Rescue Rd., Cass City, by David Jamieson, 8169 Sebewaing Rd., Owendale, and Ronald L. Jamieson, 4168 Rescue Rd., Cass City, filed 7/31/95.

Tuscola County Assumed Names

CASS DATA SERVICE, 928 Gibbs, Caro, by William J. Hite, filed 7/26/95.

BAILEY'S LAWN & LANDSCAPING, 6385 Second St., Mayville, by Gregory S. Bailey, filed 7/26/95.

A + CONSTRUCTION, 2002 Higgins Rd., Vassar, by Adam Stevens, Sr. and Kathy Stevens, filed 7/28/95.

MICHIGAN SEWER ROOTER, 3315 Darbee Rd., Akron, by Richard Hewgley, filed 7/31/95.

STATEWIDE PLUMBING REPAIR, 3315 Darbee Rd., Akron, by Richard Hewgley, filed 7/31/95.

Tuscola County Co-Partnerships

PINNEBOG HEIGHTS HUNT CLUB, 6446 Pine St., Cass City, by Todd Commet, Bob Warji, Brian deBeaubien and Ken Beachy, filed 7/28/95.

D R ENTERPRISES, 1731 Pine Knoll Dr., Caro, by M. Doretta Shumway and Richard E. Shumway, filed 7/19/95.

Tuscola County Marriage Licenses

David Michael Zawilinski and Tammie Lynn Newsum

Aaron Richey Dier and Jennifer Ruth Kile

Paul Francis Astley and Linda Diane LaLonde

Steven Lawrence Crosby and Marcia

Ann Smeader
Glen Duane Ewing and Tammy Lee Gibbas

Timothy David Thayer and Brenda Lee Garmain

Ralph Lee Plathau, Sr., and Glenadean Jane Palmer

Scott Vernel McHalpine, II and Lisa Lynn Harris

Wade J. Walker and Lori Ann Cook

James Victor McKinnon and Marcy Lynn Amend

Donald Walter Blerlein and Sharon Kay Mathews

Charles Davis, Jr. and Candy Darlene Crowe

Garry Allen Harmon and Sherry Lynn Vandenberg

Jose Luis Garcia and Maria Elena Vasquez

Eric Shawn Szidik and Angela Marie Dillon

Eric Louis Pinkoski and Laura Ann Jamison

Maylan Dan Skinner and Patricia Ann Gooding

Roger Lee Louks and Sherrie Marie Kattiefisch

Matthew David Sting and Michelle Marie Moll

Randy Lee Curtis and JaRita Carol Sterling

Ronnie Lynn Johnson and Judy Mae Stratton

Jonathan Wayne Crawford and Kelly Jo Jaster

Thomas Allen Roby and Shelby Lee Saldana

John T. LaBelle and Carol A. Kelly

Thomas Michael Duda and Lisa Kay Quinn

Mark Alan Krug and Monica Marie Hicks

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James N. Millor and Debra L. Lorkowski

Timothy Allen Siefert and Kami Kay Erer

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Mark John Mazure and Jennifer Marie Parrish

Christopher D. Kipper and Sulynda M. Grigg

James Michael Gifford and Margaret Behan Fravel

Ricky James Moore and Kristy Lynn Zdrojewski

Lois Drury to John Daikie and Marie, land in Caseville Twp.

Donald J. Marsh and Elizabeth M. to Edward G. Herron and Janice M., land in Lake Twp.

William J. Johnson and Gary J. Johnson Farm to Charles G. Briol and Kay, land in Section 23 of Bingham Twp.

Richard A. Axell and Gloria M. to Albert Deaton and Lola F., land in Caseville Twp.

Kenneth L. Gremel and Arlene M. to Michael David Beach, land in the Village of Sebewaing.

Sharon J. Cola to Magdalene Gunden, land in the Village of Pigeon.

Shelley Stirtett
Deputy Clerk

(A complete copy of minutes are available by contacting the Village Office.)

SPECIAL MEETING CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL & DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (DDA)

July 25, 1995 - (Unapproved Minutes)

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.
Council Roll Call: Present: John DiVincenzo, Sam Guster, Arliss Kraft, Dick Kundering, Frank Malosky.

DDA Roll Call: Present: Tom Guza, Michael Groff, Jeff Crowley, Barry Pawluk, Jeanette Beadle, Shirley Kraft, Terry Hogan.

Other in Attendance: Jerry Oakes-Village Manager, Pam Damore-Village Controller.

Special Meeting called for review of DDA upcoming projects, finished projects, problem areas, etc.

Discussion
RESOLUTION 95-96 To take over all maintenance and upkeep of the village welcome signs effective immediately. Roll Call: All Ayes. Resolution Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Pamela J. Damore, Village Controller/Treasurer
Shirley Kraft, DDA Secretary

(A complete copy of the minutes are available by contacting the Village Office.)

OLIVER TOWNSHIP BOARD Regular Meeting - August 1, 1995 7:30 p.m.

Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Larry Krohn.

Members present: Larry Krohn, Robert Krohn, Dennis Learman, Lloyd Ziel, Ed Baker.

It was moved by Lloyd Ziel, supported by Ed Baker that the July 11, 1995 minutes be approved as read, motion carried.

Treasurer's report was given, approximately \$45,570.00 on hand.

Fire chief reported there were 3 fire runs, 2 assists and 2 P.I. accidents for the month. Also presented bills. Fire chief discussed that the department has set up a committee to rewrite the bylaws to comply with the wishes of our insurance company.

Supervisor will contact the lawn cutting service that is maintaining the Township Cemetery, to find out how many times the cemetery has been mowed.

M.T.A. County meeting will be held at Cousins on 8/30/95, all Township Board members are urged to attend.

Gypsy moth program was discussed, it was decided not to participate in the agreement this year.

Ed Baker attended the annual meeting of the Pigeon District Library held on 6-29-95.

After discussion on black topping pledges for Township roads, it was moved by Lloyd Ziel, supported by Dennis Learman, that all money pledged for blacktopping roads be paid in full by Jan. 15 of the year that the blacktopping will take place, motion carried.

It was moved by Ed Baker, supported by Lloyd Ziel that the bills be paid, motion carried.

It was moved by Ed Baker, supported by Lloyd Ziel that the meeting be adjourned, motion carried.

FARMLAND AND DWELLING FOR SALE

Sealed bids will be received until 1:00 p.m. on August 28, 1995, for the following farmland and dwelling:

PARCEL 1:
Two story, four bedroom dwelling, shed, barn, located at 8715 Canboro Road, Owendale, Michigan 48754 and approximately 5 acres of land surrounding said buildings.

PARCEL 2:
The west half of the Northeast quarter of Section Eight, Township 15 North, Range 10 East, Brookfield Township, Huron County, Michigan. LESS Parcel 1 described above. (approximately 75 acres)

The dwelling will be open for inspection on August 24, 1995 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Please call for an appointment to see the dwelling at (517) 892-3478.

Bids may be mailed or delivered to Michael D. Otto, Attorney, of 7340 Michigan Avenue, Pigeon, Michigan 48755, on or before August 28, 1995 and will be opened at 8:15 a.m. on August 28, 1995, at 1:00 p.m.

Seller reserves the right to accept or reject any bid. Bids must be accompanied by a 10% deposit. Persons who have submitted bids will be given the opportunity to raise their bid at the bid opening. Evidence of title will be furnished to successful bidder for examination prior to closing of sale. Possession of dwelling to be given on date of closing. Possession of farmland to be given after harvest of crops presently growing. Seller reserves landlord's share of present crop. Both parcels are subject to P.A. 116. Premises is located 6 1/2 miles East of Sebewaing Sugar Factory on Canboro Road.

Michael D. Otto
Attorney for Seller

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FARMLAND AND DWELLING FOR SALE

Sealed bids will be received until 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 23rd, 1995, for the following farmland and dwelling:

PARCEL 1:
Dwelling and outbuildings, located at 5080 Lange Road, Sebewaing, Michigan 48759 and approximately 5 acres of land surrounding said building.

PARCEL 2:
The East half of the Northeast quarter of Section Thirty Three, Township 15 North, Range 9 East, Sebewaing Township, Huron County, Michigan. LESS Parcel 1 described above.

Each parcel will be sold separately. Parties interested in both parcels must bid separately on each parcel. Please call Lawrence Koch Independent Personal Representative of the Estate of Clara Koch, Deceased, for an appointment to see the dwelling at (517) 883-3245.

Bids may be mailed or delivered to Michael D. Otto, Attorney, of 7340 Michigan Avenue, Pigeon, Michigan 48755, on or before August 23, 1995, and will be opened at 5:00 p.m. on August 23, 1995, at 1:00 p.m.

Seller reserves the right to accept or reject any bid. Bids must be accompanied by a 10% deposit. Persons who have submitted bids will be given the opportunity to raise their bid at the bid opening. Evidence of title will be furnished to successful bidder for examination prior to closing of sale. Possession of dwelling to be given on date of closing. Possession of farmland to be given after harvest of crops presently growing. Seller reserves landlord's share of present crop. Both parcels are subject to P.A. 116. Premises is located 3 miles South of Sebewaing Road on the corner of Lange and Bach Road. Questions regarding drainage tiling should be directed to Lawrence Koch at the telephone number above.

Michael D. Otto
Attorney for Seller

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COMING EVENTS

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

Sebawaing PORK CHOP BARBECUE
Sunday, August 13, 11 am - 1:30 pm

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YARD SALE - Fri., Sat., Aug. 11-12, 9-7 Good quality back-to-school clothes, furniture and miscellaneous. 260 East St., Sebawaing.

6 FAMILY GARAGE SALE - Thurs., Aug. 10 - Sat., Aug. 12, 9-5, lots of clothing (sm-pls), x-mas trees and many more misc. items at low prices. Corner of 417 S. Fifth St. & John St., Sebawaing.

GARAGE SALE - 7325 Nitz, Pigeon, Aug. 10, 11 - 9:00 - 5:00 pm. Aug. 12 - 9:00 - 12:00 noon. Clothes & miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE - Sat., Aug. 12, 9-5. Brand name boy's clothes, newborn to size 6, lots more. 3289 Bay St., Unionville.

GARAGE SALE - Fri., Aug. 11, 9-5; Sat., Aug. 12, 9-noon, 6300 Ashmore Rd., Unionville. Good clothing (girls' / boys' to size 8) some maternity clothes, lamps, twin headboard, toys, sport cards, misc. items.

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FOR SALE - 2 story house, 4 bedrooms, 1 bath, full basement, new 2-car garage, 830 E. Main St., Sebawaing, 883-2882.

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SEBEWAING, Hickory Grove, 3 bedroom executive ranch style home, 2.5 baths, den, sun room, fireplace, central air, basement with large recreation room, quality throughout, 2-car garage, double wooded lot, many extras, Tri County Realty, 883-3130.

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IN MEMORY OF MARTHA KOERNKE - who passed away 15 years ago August 8, 1980. God watched you as you suffered and knew you had your share. He gently closed your weary eyes and put you in His care. Your memory is our keepsake, with that we'll never part. God has you in his keeping and we have you in our hearts. Mr. & Mrs. T. J. Schmidt, Mrs. Betty Pilon and families.

MANY THANKS to Dr. Greenfield and the wonderful staff at Scheurer Hospital who provided excellent care while I was a patient there. I'd also like to thank my family and friends for all the TLC and all my relatives and friends for their cards, calls, visits and gifts. May God bless all of you. Marian Rathje.

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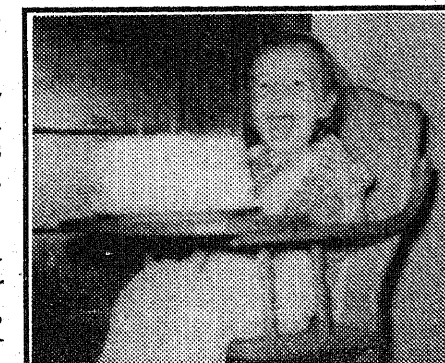
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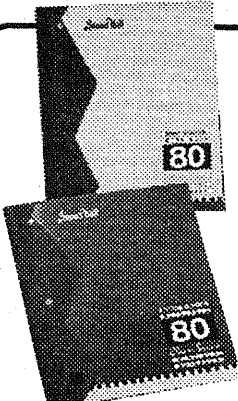
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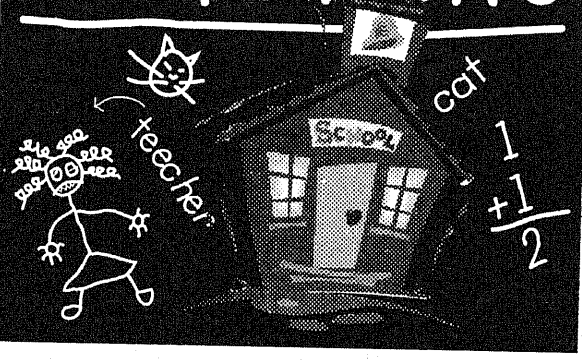


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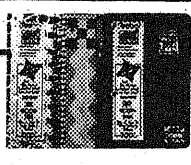
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