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## Community cares for Carrie

Part of "the good life in a small town" is the concern and help given to friends and neighbors caught in unfortunate circumstances.

An example of that community concern can be seen as area groups contributed checks totalling \$7,282 last Thursday to help finance a van for 20 year old Carrie Brunni, who is confined to a wheelchair following an automobile accident last spring.

Heading up the fund-raising efforts were the Pigeon Area Jaycettes, who sponsored a benefit dance at the Pigeon VFW Hall during the Thanksgiving weekend. The Aid Association for Lutherans, an insurance company with local branches, sponsored a teen dance at Laker High School, plus matched funds raised by the Pigeon Area Jaycettes through individual contributions. The AAL branches in Kilmanagh, two Pigeon branches at Cross and St. John's Lutheran Churches, Elkton, Sebawaing and Bad Axe also sponsored a brunch, coffee

Presenting \$7,282 to Carrie Brunni are, from left, Tammy Elenbaum, benefit chairman; Linda Rich, Jaycette president; Cathy Haag and Lucille Welchner, representing the AAL. **BY RICH SWARTZENDRUBER**

hour and card party in addition to the teen dance.

Carrie has received donations from other community groups, including the Pigeon Lions, First United Methodist Church of Pigeon, the Progressive Sunday School Class of Elkton United Methodist Church, Thumb National Bank and the Elkton Merchants Softball Team, of which Carrie was a member. In spite of a dismal economic climate in 1982, community residents gave generously to see that a van would become a reality for Carrie.

Another creative fund-raiser was provided by Mary Motz of The Hair Shoppe in Elkton, who raised \$240 in a three hour Cut-a-thon during Elkton's Christmas Open House.

Carrie says that many personal donations, along with the group contributions, have nearly matched the cost of a van. The van, when purchased, will be sent away to have a lift added for Carrie's wheelchair.

Van controls can also be modified to enable a person in a wheelchair to drive. Carrie hopes to drive herself in the future, citing Joni Eareckson Tada as an example of someone more severely impaired who is

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## Movie habits change with the times

PHOTOS and STORY By KAMI BUCHHOLZ

With a nickel in her grasp Sue strolled down to the neighborhood movie house to watch a silent movie starring Charlie Chaplin. She took a front row seat and watched with intense interest the antics of Chaplin's Tramp character. Sue went to movies often in the early 1920s.

The talkies hit the screen in 1929 and movies took on a new dimension. Sue paid 10 cents to see such stars as Al Jolson, Gene Autry, W.C. Fields and Marlene Dietrich.

Sue married in 1940 and before long, her husband was sent off to fight in World War II. Since Sue was the wife of a serviceman, she was admitted free to the theater during the Christmas holidays. She also purchased war bonds at the theater and was admitted free for doing so.

In the 1950s television became a reality. Sue and her family needed to be lured back into theaters so movie screens became wider, movies were shown in technicolor and 3-D and drive-ins were making appearances. Movie attendance was markedly down from earlier years.

Today, Sue is content to stay home and flip in a video disc or turn her satellite dish to receive one of hundreds of channels and watch a movie at home. Her children go to the theater on occasion, but less frequently than Sue once did.

Trends in the motion picture industry from its onset in 1895 to the present contain the ingredients of a dramatic film. The trend in the 1980s, like the 1950s, is survival, as small-town theaters compete against the offerings of cable TV, the declining economy and the studios who produce the films.

In the days of the silent films, theater attendance soared as audiences were content to just watch a moving picture. Any accompanying sound was at the discretion of individual theaters.

In 1926 Laura Sturm, Bad Axe, played the piano at the Bad Axe Theatre nightly from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. "You didn't get a chance to see the movie beforehand, and if you didn't get any sheet music along with the film, you just had to do the best you could," she said.

The projectors in the early 1900s were hand cranked and often the film would become red-hot from the friction. Sturm recalls a fire in the projection room on Jan. 3, 1928, which seriously burned the projectionist, Albert Mayhew.

"I can remember sitting down in the orchestra pit one night. You had to keep one eye on the music and one eye on the screen because you played along with what was going on. One time the film caught on fire and I was told to keep playing. I wasn't to watch the firemen. I had orders to play the piano and I did."

In the early 1930s talkies and color became a fixture to the industry, as theaters became even more prosperous.

Then World War II hit and movie-going was not longer a dominant activity for couples. Women were attending movies alone and the studios were producing morale boosters in the form of war pictures, most of which were musicals or comedies showing a happy ending.

In 1947 an all-time high for movie attendance was

recorded. The war was over and TV was still only on the drawing boards.

The 1950s brought stardom to Marilyn Monroe and panic to the studios as TV emerged. The industry, for the first time since radio became a popular entertainment medium, faced a serious threat.

Theater owner William Schulte was devastated about the onset of TV, says Stan Stanton, present owner of the Bad Axe Theatre.

"He was so upset with the coming of TV. He was the owner of 55 theaters and he felt it would be too great of an impact. He attempted suicide by jumping out a window." Schulte at one time owned both the Bad Axe Theatre and Elkton's Star Theatre.

Stanton recalls that Schulte was also concerned about the advent of drive-in theaters and when he learned that Bad Axe might be the next town in Huron County to have one, he purchased a chunk of land at the north end of town, saying he was going to build a drive-in himself. His bluff didn't work, however, as in 1954 the M-53 Drive-In was built by Reginald Ashmun. At one time Ashmun owned 17 theaters.

"When TV came in, a lot of the theaters were hurting. That's when we, my brother Richard and I, sold some of our theaters," Ashmun said.

In 1945 Port Austin acquired a new theater. Prior to this, movies were shown in a theater next to Heines Hardware. The new Port Austin Theater was operated by Ethel Upthegrove. Upthegrove said she was unaware in 1945 that TV was coming.

She said that the theater was "profitable up until television came in, and until Channel 5 was available up here." To lure people back into the theater in the 1950s Upthegrove held weekly cash nights, and remembers one such cash night vividly.

"One lady won over \$400 on cash night. She bought a TV set and never came back to the theater again," she says.

Tom Pfeifle, owner of the Bay Theatre in Caseville, shares the same sentiments about TV. "TV literally eroded the theater business. Before TV, theaters were a major source of entertainment."

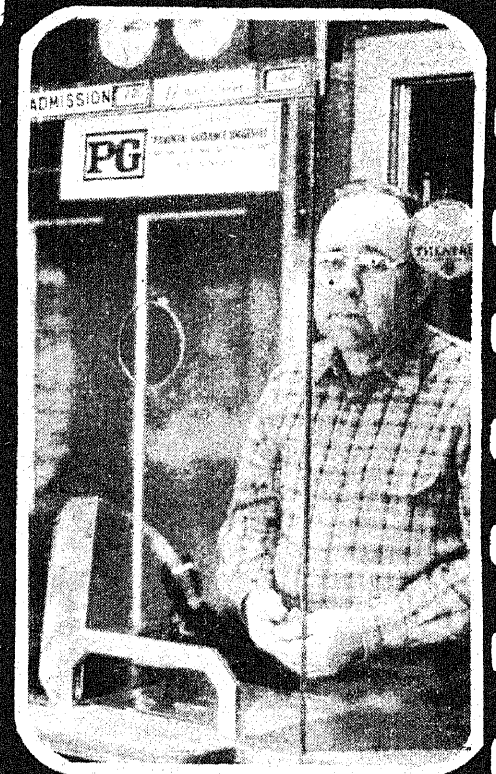
Eleanor and Bill Raitz opened the Huron Theatre in Ubyly in July of 1950. She said, "I never felt that TV posed a problem," adding that "We'd close in July and August when the farmers were in the fields."

The Huron Theatre closed in 1979. Its most profitable years were from 1950 to 1960. He attributes the successful decade to strong advertising tactics. Using a hand press, Raitz printed upcoming attractions on postcards, grocery bags and sent out monthly tabloids listing upcoming attractions.

In the 1960s postal costs jumped and film rentals on a flat rate were replaced with percentages, he said. From 1960 to 1979 the theater was open only on weekends and it would still close in July and August.

Don Weiss, projectionist for Elkton's Star Theatre, said that prior to the Star's closing in 1954, the theater resorted

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## Movies are a Thumb tradition



ON FRONT PAGE, Bad Axe Theatre owner Stan Stanton at the ticket window, top. Below, Sebewaing's former Lincoln Theatre, now part of Annabelle's Restaurant.

ON THIS PAGE, below right, Laura Sturm at the keyboard.

**LINCOLN THEATRE - SEBEWAING**  
**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23**  
 TWO SHOWS - 7 & 9 P.M.  
**THE TRILL OF THE YEAR!**  
**THE BIG SHOW!**  
**GIANT Triple Terror Program**  
 ON STAGE AND SCREEN  
**2 SCREEN PICTURES!**  
 DIRECT FROM THE THEATRE NEW YORK CITY  
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 IN PERSON Beautiful (Lorraine Kanaga) and Different (Starklets)



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 The Best in Hi-Fi Sound Equipment  
 Individuality Filled Sevens for Better View  
 The Very Finest in Hollywood Hits  
 There Will be a Free Sausage to Each Car At the GRAND OPENING

**THE GEM THEATRE**  
 Pigeon's New Moving Picture House  
 will open on  
**SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 8**  
 and will give a show every Wednesday and Saturday evening in the future. We have made arrangements with one of the best film houses in the country and the patrons of the house can expect to see the latest and best pictures.  
 Don't miss The Gem on Saturday evening  
**WES. THIEL, PROPRIETOR Schnell Bld.**

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 to entirely Spanish-speaking films in an attempt to appeal to the migrant worker. When the migrant workers left town, a decline in business forced the theater to close.

Pigeon's Gem Theatre also closed in the late 1950s after experiencing a decline in attendance.  
 During the off-season many area theatre owners closed their doors. The Cass Theatre, Cass City, has been open only on the weekends with the exception of holidays and special engagements, since the 1950s. The Bay Theatre closes its doors during the winter months. Harbor Beach's Community Theatre is open from September to May on weekends only, with the exception of the Christmas holidays when it is open seven days a week.

Community Theatre manager Judy Swartz offers some reasons why movie attendance is down from previous years. "There's a list of things I look at - whether or not it's a poor picture, the time of year and whether people are sick, the weather and cable TV have something to do with it. I'm sure, plus the economy."

Bad Axe Theatre owner Stan Stanton said his theater's seasonal high is "just reversed from a few years ago. Summer attendance is up, rather than at Christmas." He attributes this change to summer tourists visiting the Thumb from the Detroit area. He said that 1982 was his best summer, only because of the movie, "E.T." which played for one month, drawing 10,400 people.

Dick Hendrick, owner of the Cass Theatre, feels that the studios' high percentage take and the move to play theater movies on television is affecting the small-town theater. "They should guarantee us that a movie won't be shown on TV for so long of a period after its release by the studios." He adds, "When Kenny Rogers made 'Six Pack' it was announced that it would be on HBO (Home Box Office cable TV network)."

"It's a dying business," Stanton says of the small-town theater. "Any big town has cable TV. A week ago Sunday I was running 'On Golden Pond,' and on the same night, cable TV was carrying it."

Directing manager of the Quad Theatre, Saginaw, William McMannis said, "Home video will hurt the guy

that want to run second-run, re-issued films." He added, "If you can make the right decision, you can really make a go of it."

McMannis said that the Quad's attendance is up 80,000 over 1981 figures. "Yesterday (Dec. 28, 1982), we broke our all-time attendance record. We sold 7,800 tickets," McMannis said that the total seating capacity is 2,304 seats. The day the attendance record was broken each of the eight separate theaters in the Quad ran a particular movie five times during the day.

The Quad, located on Bay Road, is less than a mile from Fashion Square Mall. "You couldn't have found a better location," McMannis said. "If we get a major must-see picture like 'Kramer vs. Kramer,' we draw from quite far away - Cheboygan, East Tawas, Standish."

Hendrick, Stanton and Pfeifle said it would be hard to make a living depending solely upon the theater. "There's no profit for the small-town theaters. This is not my living," said Hendrick. "I love the business and I want to keep the town with a theater. A town without a theater, what's the town got to do?" Hendrick works for General Telephone during the day.

Pfeifle admits, "It would be difficult to keep the Bay Theatre open alone, but along with the Bay Window Restaurant, it does very well."

The Harbor Beach Community Theatre is part of the town's community building which is in part supported by a mill property tax, said Lorraine Kanaga, a member of the school board which supervises the Community House.

Theater Manager Swartz said that the theater would be able to survive on its own, but the millage has enabled the owner to make major repairs.

Cass Theatre's Hendrick sums up movie-going this way, "Everybody can see the same movies, always at a different time, but people base their choice to go on other things."

Previews and word-of-mouth influence a 25 year old Cass City woman's decision to see a movie. "I like to see the show I want to see," says Sherry Gaszcyński.

Video recorders, video tapes, cable TV, satellite dishes and Pac-Man are adding a new dimension to the theater industry in the 1980s.

Long-time Bad Axe Theatre owner William Schulte died of old age in 1970. He was always concerned with the survival of the theater in an ever-changing world. "He couldn't stand it even back then, I don't know what he'd do now," present owner Stanton said unknowingly.

### Pass the popcorn!

Other than showing movies, every American theater sells popcorn. And minus the butter, popcorn only has 25 to 55 calories per cup.

Figures show that Americans consume 33 quarts of popcorn per person each year. Most theaters buy enough popcorn to last three months at a time. Statistics show that 72 percent of the people who attend movies buy a bag, or box, of popcorn. With this in mind, it's not surprising that Americans eat more popcorn than anybody else.

Popcorn dates back to the days of Indians when dried corn cobs were cooked on sticks or dried kernels were tossed into a fire. Natives also sold necklaces made from popcorn. And early American housewives served popcorn with sugar and cream for breakfast.

Today, most popcorn is grown in the Midwest. It takes a special type of corn to make popcorn too.

Just one kernel of popcorn can pop up to 30 times its original size. An ideal kernel has a moisture content of 13 percent to ensure that it pops properly. If there is more or less moisture than this, the kernel will not pop.

Michigan ranks seventh in popcorn production in the United States.

AT LEFT, the opening playbill of Elkton's Star Theatre. AT RIGHT, above, Caseville's Blue Sky Drive-In's first show. Right below, Pigeon's Gem Theatre was ready to start the show!

Research by KAMI BUCHHOLZ

## HELLO, Wednesday newspaper edition!

We hope you like this week's first edition of The Progress-Advance one day early -- now available Wednesday morning!

Subscribers will now receive their copy Wednesday mornings with normal mail deliveries or in town lock boxes.

The paper has become a Wednesday morning publication to better serve the needs and desires of our readers and advertisers, according to owners Mark and Sally Rummel.

Newsstand copies are available Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning, depending on location.

This is only the second publication date change in the newspaper's 85 years, the Rummels noted in last week's formal announcement. Both the former Pigeon Progress and The Elkton Advance were Friday papers when their respective owners began operation.

The Progress-Advance was born when both papers were merged, effective with the Dec. 2, 1954 issue, when the paper made its first change -- from Friday to Thursday publication.

"Our switch to Wednesday gives our readers one more day to use advertisements, and reflects demands of today's lifestyle," the Rummels say.

Final news and advertising deadlines will remain at 5 p.m. every Monday. Classified ad deadline is 9 a.m. Tuesdays.

### Coloring contest winners!

Four area girls share prize money in the annual Progress-Advance Christmas Coloring Contest. Jennifer McIntosh, 8, of Elkton, and Stephanie Niebel, 6, of Pigeon, share the \$5 top prize in the ages 5-8 group.

In the 9-12 age group, 10-year-olds Debby Christner and Angie Lawrence, both of Pigeon, share the prize money.

Pictures of the winners will be published next week.

### Whose Rose Bowl sign?!

OKAY -- WHO WAVED THAT SIGN ABOUT PIGEON, MICH. DURING THE ROSE BOWL GAME?

That's what the area is still wondering several days later, after millions of persons saw someone hold up a big banner saying "God Bless America, Pigeon, Mich." as the second half of the U of M - UCLA game began on New Year's Day.

A lot of names were listed beneath those big words on the bright yellow sign, but no one is claiming authorship -- yet! At least two local people, Dave Clabuesch and Joe Maust, Jr., videotaped the game, but repeated showings fail to identify the sign-holders.

Who carried that sign? Who helped put Pigeon -- and Michigan -- on the national map again?

Anyone with information should contact The Progress-Advance at 453-2331 with details...please!

### Inspector Gordo's Minute Mystery THE CASE OF THE Locked Room

"I think I've been taken for \$1,000, but I can't figure out how it was done," said Archie Seat, the blind violinist, to Inspector Gordo, as the two friends sat in the musician's library.

"Last night Mark Copes dropped by," continued Seat. "Mark had a ginger ale -- and we got to chatting about the dark room mysteries until I made this crazy \$1,000 bet."

"Mark then went to the bar over there, filled a glass with six cubes of ice and gave it to me. He took a bottle of ginger ale and left the room."

"I locked the door and the windows from the inside, felt to make sure that Mark's glass held only ice, and put it into the wall safe behind you. Then I turned off the lights and sat down to wait."

"The bet was within an hour Mark could enter the dark, locked room, open the locked safe, take out the glass, remove the ice, pour in half a glass of ginger ale, lock the safe, and leave the room, locking it behind him -- all without my hearing him!"

"When the alarm rang after an hour, I had heard nothing. Confidently, I unlocked the door. I kept Mark whistling in the hall when I crossed the room to the opposite wall and opened the safe. The glass was inside. By heavens, it was half filled with ginger ale and only ginger ale. I tasted it! How did he do it?"

Undoubtedly by means of an insulating bag," replied Gordo after a moment's thought. "There is nothing wrong with your hearing. But no man could have heard --"

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"ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS, WE PRINT" will return here next week (if there's room!)

### Public Notice

At the regular January meeting of the Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port Board of Education on Tuesday, January 11, a Public Hearing will be held regarding proposed summer tax collection.

Signed, John Champagne, School Board Secretary

### Banquet tickets now on sale

Tickets for the second annual Winter Carnival Awards/Dinner Banquet on Saturday, Jan. 29 at the Pigeon VFW Hall are now available at five Pigeon locations: The Progress-Advance, Dr. Doug Buehler, Kretschmer Home Center and Thumb National Bank & Trust.

The banquet will include dinner, dancing and an Outstanding Young People awards presentation. The event will cap four days of Winter Carnival activities, including snowmobile races, broomball, tug of war and a talent show.

### Caseville B-ball alumni meet

Caseville High School will hold a Basketball Alumni game this Saturday, Jan. 8 at 7:30 p.m. Odd years will wear light colors and even years will wear dark colors, say organizers.

### Elkton Jaycees want old trees!

Elkton residents should put their old Christmas trees on the curb Thursday night and Friday morning, for pick-up by the Elkton Jaycees.

The club presents the annual project for community betterment, members say.

LITTLE ADS WORK! You're reading this one. Call 453-2331 to place yours!

### Laker girls host tournament

The Laker Invitational Volleyball Tournament starts Saturday at 8 a.m., featuring 12 teams in a double-elimination event, according to Laker Varsity Coach Irene Green.

Semi-finals should begin at 6 p.m., with finals at 7, depending on the day's progress, she says.

Participating teams are Yale, Caro, Mayville, Sandusky, Imlay City, Akron-Fairgrove, North Branch, Capac, Harbor Beach, Bay City Western and All Saints.

Concessions are available all day and tickets are available at the door, Coach Green says.

### Pigeon Jaycettes mark decade of community service

The Pigeon Area Jaycettes will celebrate 10 years of organization in the Pigeon area with a special anniversary dinner this Sunday, Jan. 9 at 7 p.m. at The Lamplighter Restaurant, Pigeon.

The evening's theme will be "Come Share the

Memories." All past Jaycette and Jaycee members, plus interested area residents are invited to attend the dinner. Advance tickets are available from Cyndy Rathje at 453-2584 or Debbie Henne at 453-3541. No tickets will be sold at the door for this event.

**WINTERTIME Food Savings**  
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**BONELESS CHUCK ROAST \$1.48 lb.**

**BONELESS CHUCK STEAK ..... Lb. \$1.58**

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**TURKEY BOLOGNA ..... Lb. 79¢**

**KRAFT, Asst., 8 Oz. DRESSINGS ..... 69¢**

**FARM FRESH, Dozen MEDIUM EGGS ..... 59¢**

See Coupon for Additional Savings  
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**PEPSI FREE**

**3 LB. BAG COOKIN ONIONS ..... 39¢**

**20 LBS. MICHIGAN POTATOES ..... \$1.39**

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**RAISED GLAZED DONUTS ..... 6/1.39**

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As we see it editorially

## Out of storage, into needy homes!

Almost everywhere we look, the number of needy families lacking good nourishment is growing daily. Our dismal national economic woes are causing more and more jobless people to begin losing home in a better future.

Consider, then, what is probably our nation's greatest resource (after our people) -- our abundance of food production. Why can't more of that be shared among those persons truly deserving aid?

That's a good question. Unfortunately, there's no good, easy answer.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has given away 220 million pounds of cheese, plus millions more tons of butter and powdered milk in the past year. Handouts to needy, out-of-work folks were even disbursed as nearby as Bad Axe and Pigeon.

But that hasn't made a dent in warehouse stockpiles of these perishable commodities -- and more are being added every day.

The USDA proudly says 10 million needy Americans got surplus dairy products last year. That's commendable, but it's frightening when we realize our country is spending \$2.2 billion this year to continue warehousing dairy products! We already have 775 million pounds of surplus cheese, 364 million pounds of surplus butter and more than 1.2 billion pounds of powdered milk!

Why can't we solve two problems at the same time with these huge "bank accounts" of dairy products? Why don't we give away more of these, which would help the poor and reduce the \$55 million we spent last year just to store these goods?

The sorry answer is: *distribution costs.*

The states, local communities or charitable agencies must pay shipping and local storage charges to give away the free food. The cost of getting them from warehouses to local people in need is the biggest stumbling block in continuing such give-aways.

The USDA admits transportation is only 1% of the commodities' costs. "But we're giving you the food and delivering it to your state. How much more can we do?" the agency correctly asks.

But a person in need doesn't really care who pays to make such food available. After standing in a line or out in the cold for hours on end, most recipients just want improved nourishment for their families.

The USDA says the states and localities handling out such food should pay such costs -- or enlist donations or volunteer labor to help keep storage costs down. There's 50 million pounds of cheese available for New York's needy right now in the state capital of Albany -- costing \$1400 a day in warehousing expenses.

No one can yet bear the cost of handing it out, but how long can that state keep paying such expenses? A coordinated effort which includes some giving and taking by federal and state agencies -- plus a good dose of volunteering -- could get TWICE as much of this food out where it belongs.

That's such a simple, crying need. Why isn't it being done? When can it start -- and when will it?

Pete Progress says:

"Hard work is often the easy work you didn't do at the proper time!"



## RECOLLECTIONS

of Bygone Days



By George Keim

building where they kept the surrey, this was a two seated buggy with a top and side curtains that was used on Sunday. Six to eight people rode in it, the men and boys in front and the women and girls in back. They also had a one seat buggy that they took when one or two went. They hooked one horse on to it. Then they had a cutter that they used in the winter usually pulled by one horse. When the whole family went they took the bobsled.

Sometimes they were really just a big buggy that the farmers used to haul their cream and eggs to town once a week. They could put an extra seat whenever they wanted to take a big load of people. The buggy came in pretty handy during the summer when you had to take your beet workers up-town to get their groceries.

In those days each farmer had a big team of horses to do their heavy farm work. If the road was bad especially in the spring they would hitch them to the Democrat to go to town. Otherwise they would hook their light team on, because it was almost to heavy for one horse to pull.

Instead of a machine shed people had what they called the driving shed. It was a low

Sincerely,  
Helen Woodward  
Sally Byarski

## Do you have a minute?

By Joel W. Hurley

TRUE PRAYER

Perhaps, if you took time to pray this morning, your prayer time involved asking God for something ... perhaps that He would direct your life today and bless the lives of the people around you.

That is proper and in order. But have you ever thought of prayer as sharing in the nature of God which is in you? Have you thought of prayer as sharing in the fellowship and presence of God ... God who loves you and wants to bring His presence to you?

Think of prayer as being a process in which you move out of your isolation and loneliness to an on-going relationship with your heavenly Father ... a presence which lasts not for a moment, but will be with you through this day.

Jesus said in the Great Commission: "I am with you always ..."

Prayer is to enter into a relationship with God and to be transformed in him. (True Prayer, p. 61)

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Fore!

By Mavis Pechette

## The old, home town

Isn't it amazing? The old, home town never was the place to shop when we were young and living there. It didn't matter how many smart shops were in business there we always had to go to the city for the latest fashions and best buys (or so we thought).

We would window-shop every day going to and from school. By the end of the week we knew all the things we didn't want. Then on Saturday a whole group would pile in a car and head for Bay City or Saginaw. After hours of trying on, giggling over the weird things we found, and staring at the funny city people, we would end up with the same things we had been looking at all week. Or maybe we bought nothing at all. But we had a good time.

We don't bother going to Bay City or Saginaw much any more. Now that we live 40 miles away the old, home town is the place for us. There are some new stores since the days when we window-shopped on State Street, but the old, reliable ones are still there, too. The faces of many clerks are new to us but when the owner of the store greets us by name and asks about the family we know why he still is in business. That's what is called, "Home Town Service." When we receive that treatment and we haven't lived in the town in over 20 years it does make shopping there kind of special.

Some of the stores remain the same and many change. Some shops are still in operation but in new locations. Some have closed completely while others have had new owners with new names on the signs but still offering the same line of goods and services.

Even the neighborhoods in the old, home town don't change a whole lot through the years. On a recent shopping jaunt to the old stomping grounds we made a trip around a block away from the main street. On a lawn lay two bikes, discarded while the riders were having a little fistfight. The third lad in the group stood calmly by, observing the fisticuffs of his two buddies. Ah, memories! That could have been our brothers or any number of neighborhood boys from our youth. On another street we observed a young lady, junior high age, being followed by a trio of young men, same age. Some things never change.

In this age, people move around a lot and have homes in many towns during a lifetime. There always seems to be a particular town that is special and gets designated as the old, home town.

## Letters to My Cousin Gus

Dear Cousin Gus:

Over on Garfield Avenue, a modest house has its front porch piled high with split firewood. This prompts conjecture -- is that wood there for ready access to stove or fireplace, or is it there to incite the envy of the neighbors? In my day, a wood pile was never a status symbol but a squib in this month's Readers' Digest infers that such is a fact today.

The big house that Dad built in 1912 had some features that were luxury items for farm homes in that area and era. John McLean, who had a hardware and plumbing business, must have been a good salesman -- Mother's wishes, while considered, were not controlling and by nature, Dad was not a front-runner with respect to luxury items or new ideas. An acetylene plant for lighting, a hot water heating system and hot and cold water in a bathroom. No indoor toilet -- the industry had not yet ventured that far so it was still "a dash down the path."

Another interesting feature about that house --

O.W. Baur

# West Thumb Area Deaths reported this week

ARTHUR QUINN

1912 - 1982

Arthur Quinn, age 70, of 3077 W. Kinde Road, Pinnebog (Kinde), died Thursday, Dec. 30, 1982 at St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw.

He was born Feb. 21, 1912, in Chandler Township, son of the late Martin and Laura (Malpass) Quinn. He farmed in the area all his life.

On Dec. 26, 1942, he was united in marriage to Gertrude Krug at St. Columbkille Catholic Church, Sheridan. Mr. Quinn was a lifelong member of St. Felix Catholic Church, Pinnebog.

He is survived by his wife, Gertrude; two sons, Thomas M. Quinn of Cambridge, Ohio, and William P. Quinn of Columbusville; one daughter, Mrs. Dan (Mary Jane) Rockman of Strongsville, Ohio; five grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; one step-great-granddaughter; two brothers, Dr. John F. Quinn of Portland, and Dr. Charles M. Quinn of Millington; six sisters, Mrs. Helen Markey of Grosse Pointe Woods, Mrs. Lucille Harper of Farmington Hills, Mrs. Fred (Claire) McMann of Royal Oak, Mrs. Norbert (Eileen) Rupp of Bloomer, Wis., Mrs. Hugh (Betty) McGowan of Grand Blanc and Mrs. Bernard (Jeanie) Talaski of Bad Axe; several nieces and nephews.

One brother, J. Reilly Quinn, and one sister, Ann Brown, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted at 12 noon on Saturday, Jan. 1, 1983, at St. Felix Catholic Church, Pinnebog. The Rev. Father Theodore LaMarre, pastor, officiated, with burial in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Bad Axe.

A scripture service was conducted at 7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 31 at the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elktion, which handled the arrangements.

EARL HARTMAN

1908 - 1982

DAVISON -- Funeral services were conducted Dec. 28 at Raysin Funeral Home for Earl A. Hartman, age 74, of Richfield Road, who passed away Saturday, Dec. 25 in St. Joseph Hospital.

He was born in Hillman on March 2, 1908 and lived in the Detroit area for 47 years. He and Verna Janke of Sebawaing were married May 14, 1933 in Sebawaing. He was a member of Calvary United Presbyterian Church, the Typographical Union at the Flint Journal and a member of the Davison Masonic Lodge. Hartman began work at the Sebawaing Blade in 1925, then worked at the Davison Index in 1935, followed by employment at the Flint Weekly Review, Curtis Printing Co. and the Flint Journal, where he stayed for 18 years, retiring in February, 1973.

Survivors include his widow, Verna; a son and daughter-in-law, Gerald and Barbara Hartman of Davison; two daughters and sons-in-law, Judy and Don Eggert of Waterford and Marilyn and Tim Kimball of Detroit; 11 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and two brothers, Theodore and Fred Hartman, both of Flint.

A brother, George V., former Elktion mayor and long-time publisher of the Elktion Advance, preceded him in death.

## Area-wide deaths

Concluding as of Friday, Dec. 31

Blanche E. Sova, 66, of Marion, formerly of Pigeon, Oct. 22, 1982.

Tillie A. Docksey, 89, of Novi, formerly of the Port Crescent area, Dec. 12, 1982.

Stella Mae Collier, 73, of Caro, Dec. 18, 1982.

Edison L. Payne, 62, of Ruskin, Florida, formerly of Caro, Dec. 20, 1982.

Theron A. Jacot, 70, of Caro, Dec. 22, 1982.

Estelle Morrison, 74, of Caro, Dec. 23, 1982.

Agnes C. Fritz, 86, of Owendale, Dec. 24, 1982.

Katie J. Ruby, 92, of Bad Axe, Dec. 25, 1982.

Leo Kulick, 73, of Rose Island, Dec. 25, 1982.

June E. Lindberg, 77, of East Lansing, formerly of Kinde, Dec. 25, 1982.

Amelia Hall, 88, of Sebawaing, Dec. 26, 1982.

Frank E. Scott, 72, of Port Austin, Dec. 28, 1982.

Rayford Thorpe, 81, of Greenleaf Township, Dec. 29, 1982.

Charles Paul Koglin, 70, of Port Hope, Dec. 29, 1982.

Arthur Quinn, 70, of Pinnebog, Dec. 30, 1982.

## Lake-Chandler

By MILDRED BALLAGH

Jan. 11 - Caseville Library club meets at 12 noon at the Village Township Community Room.

Robert Watterworth of Troy spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watterworth.

Mrs. Ross Hedley, her children, spouses, grandchildren and great-grandchildren enjoyed their Christmas dinner on Sunday at the Elktion Civic Center. The 35 guests came from Ft. Wayne, Ind., Auburn, Pon-

tac and the surrounding towns.

McBride and family of Lake Orion.

Mr. and Mrs. William McBride spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert McBride at Lapeer and with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ballagh were Sunday guests of Mrs. John Somerville and Jim at Decker.

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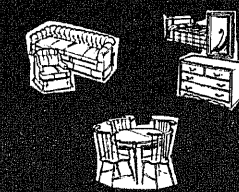
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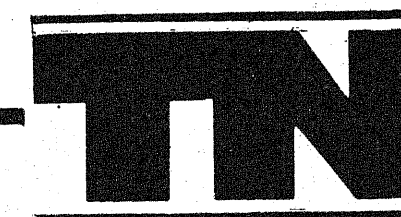
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# Rural Round-up

Project AIM is continuing! Remember, donations are still welcomed for Project AIM (Agriculture Involved in Michigan), a coordinated effort to bring surplus state food to needy residents without governmental aid. More than 20 tons of commodities have already been distributed in Michigan since the holiday season began.

Pigeon Co-op General Manager Ted Leipprandt is one of the Project AIM coordinators. The ag industry-wide effort is seeking commodity donations and financial contributions, and is targeting soup kitchens and nutrition centers throughout the state as recipients of Michigan-grown farm products.

Michigan Bean Commission Executive Secretary Jim Byrum (or Leipprandt) has more details, in the project involving farmers; ag organizations and commodity groups; retailers, processors and packers, and agri-businesses.

They're seeking non-perishable commodities such as: apples, dry beans and potatoes; accumulated perishables such as eggs, meat, poultry and dairy products, plus financial support to purchase more products. Persons interested in contributing should send checks to Michigan Agriculture Conference, PO Box 12037, Lansing, MI 48901. Persons with commodity donations should contact Byrum at 517/373-0090.

**Michigan's economic recovery** will lag behind the nation's in this new year, says Michigan State University ag economist Lester Manderscheid. The state will be on the fringe of any benefits gained from the projected national 3% average growth in the real value of goods and services in 1983.

"That level of growth would provide a small stimulus to the Michigan economy, but the average rate of unemployment will still be about 14%," Manderscheid says. Michigan could have a much larger decline in unemployment if many consumers reduce their savings and incur debt more than average.

The effect of the national debt isn't totally known for 1983 either, he says. "Financing the large deficit (projected at \$200 billion) will affect credit markets and interest rates, which affect consumer spending and business borrowing," he says. And, major overseas bankruptcies could have a big negative effect on the world economy, specifically on U.S. banks.

The strengthened U.S. dollar abroad means U.S. exports of wheat and corn are more expensive for Japan and Europe to buy, while imported foreign cars and others are less costly for Americans. This contributes to unemployment, Manderscheid notes.

**Pork, beef and grain outlooks** for Thumb Area and Michigan farmers will depend on that hoped-for economic recovery in 1983. MSU's ag economist John Hilker says stter market prices should close at \$70 hundredweight (cwt.). Pork prices should average about \$60. "But if the recovery is sluggish and demand for beef continues the 1982 pattern, the average steer price for 1983 is projected to be \$65," Hilker says.

Cattle slaughter will increase by 4% in the first six months of '83, he estimates. An expected decline in hog slaughter in the first half year should see prices average about \$60, but a projected 2% slaughter increase will push hog prices into the high \$50s.

MSU's John Ferris says farm prices for corn should average \$2.35 a bushel, wheat should see \$3.50 a bushel and soybeans \$5.45 for the '82-'83 crop year. The continued price depression is due to high yields and low domestic and overseas buying power, which should continue through the year.

Ferris urges farmers to participate in government programs available for wheat and corn.

**The Michigan Bean Commission's** January meeting is set for Tuesday, at 10 a.m., at Lansing's Harley Hotel. Topics to be covered include ongoing domestic market promotions, foreign market activities and other items of interest to the dry bean business. Any persons interested in the edible bean industry are invited to attend, according to Executive Secretary Jim Byrum. He has information at 373-0090.

**Local farmers elected** to the 1983 Community ASC Committee (USDA Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service) for Huron County, by local township, are: Brookfield - Frank Draschil, James Albrecht and Charles Timmons; Caseville and Lake - John Depner Sr., Dale Kretzschmer and Nelson Santhony; Chandler - Dale Schuette, Armond Herford and David Tait; Colfax - John Pfaff, Dale Pietruck and Charles Errer; McKinley and Fair Haven - Dale Henne, Bruce Leipprandt and Clarence Lutz; Grant - Mike Hatlas, Donnie Metzger and Lloyd Wolfe; Hume and Port Austin - Thomas Szymanski, Daniel Baranski and Henry Elliott; Meade - Kenneth Holz, Robert Hobkirk and Warren Krohn; Oliver - Robert Krohn, Earl Buschen and Welland Herford; Sebawaing - Clemens Irion, Floyd Boelzner and Leon Gruenh. and Winsor - Ray Lutz, Otto Voelker and Robert Ziel.

## Farming Frontiers at Gettel's

A John Deere 'first' has been announced by Clarence Gettel of Gettel Implement Company of Pigeon.

A first-ever combination of the annual Farming Frontiers show and a new 50 Series tractor open house is set for Friday, Jan. 21 at 1:15 p.m., at the dealership on Caseville Road. The program is open to all farmers in the Western Thumb, Gettel says.

Refreshments will be served during the 33rd annual Farming Frontiers event, and a film program will feature new John Deere 50 Series tractors. A John Deere tool chest is the main door prize.

Also featured on film is the new Caster-Action mechanical front-wheel drive. New '83 equipment and Furrow-on-Fil subjects are also planned, Gettel says.

## Hospital notes

**Patients in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon on Monday, Jan. 3, 1983:**

**PIGEON:** Mrs. Christine Fritz, Miss Cheryl Anderson, Mrs. Wayne (Geraldine) Swartzendruber, Marvin Garthe.

**SEBEWAING:** James Gibson, Mrs. Dorothy Kelcher, Jerry Kuhl, Mrs. Alberto (Angelina) Martinez, Mrs. Eugene (Phyllis) Spencer, Thomas Schaefer, Clarence Witter.

**KINDE:** Miss Cozette Chappel, Ralph Majeski.

**BAY PORT:** Mrs. Arthur (Marjorie) Maust, Edward DeCook, Mrs. Earl (Doris) Quick.

**ELKTON:** Mrs. John (Martha) Miller.

**CASEVILLE:** Mrs. George (Jacqueline) Miller, Ms. Sharon Hartz, Mrs. John (Betty) Guster, Miss Linda Kelterborn.

**OWENDALE:** Miss Dawn Wissner, Mrs. Kevin (Laura) Burk.

**UBLY:** Mrs. Elsie Jackson.

**UNIONVILLE:** Joseph Groleau.

## Mrs. Joles is improved

Hurley Hospital officials in Flint say Barbara Joles is in fair condition in the neurological unit's intensive care section, following a New Year's weekend auto accident in Lapeer County.

Mrs. Joles' stopped car was struck from behind on M-24 as she was headed south, to pick up her husband Fred of Elkton from a plane flight.

## Pigeon notes

Spending Christmas with their mom, Frances Richmond and brother, Ron were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Richmond, Angela, Karl and Banner, their dog of Mt. Pleasant; Mr. and Mrs. Steve McIlhargie, Todd, Adam and Sam, their dog of Flint; Debbie Richmond and Meisha, her dog of East Lansing; Michael Dorenkamp (he didn't bring his dog) of Ann Arbor; Madam Jessica (Ron's dog) had lots of company, Jacquelyn, Steve, Todd, Adam, Sam and Velvet Demarsean spent the New Year's weekend at the Richmond home.

### Wind chill chart Fahrenheit

Wind speed in m.p.h.	Actual thermometer reading							
	30	20	10	0	-10	-20	-30	-40
Calm	30	20	10	0	-10	-20	-30	-40
5	27	16	6	-5	-15	-26	-36	-47
10	16	3	-9	-22	-34	-46	-58	-71
15	9	-5	-18	-31	-45	-58	-72	-85
20	4	-10	-24	-39	-53	-67	-81	-95
25	1	-15	-29	-44	-59	-74	-88	-103
30	-2	-18	-33	-49	-64	-79	-93	-109
35	-4	-20	-35	-52	-67	-82	-97	-113
40	-5	-21	-37	-53	-69	-84	-100	-115

Equivalent temperature

Wind speeds greater than 40 m.p.h. have little additional effect

Little danger (For properly clothed person)

Increasing danger (Danger from freezing of exposed flesh)

Great danger

Chicago Tribune Chart

**HOW COLD IS IT?** Here's your own copy of the wind-chill index, useful for finding just how frigid it REALLY is there between the barn and house!

## Caseville School in the news!



By DAVID WATTS

Caseville students and faculty members returned to the classrooms and the athletic teams are preparing for their opponents in how CHS is starting off the new year.

**COMING EVENTS:**  
\* Basketball: Caseville boys' basketball team will put its 3-1 record on the line next week in battle against unbeaten Decker-

**STUDENTS, FACULTY RETURN**  
Caseville students and faculty returned to school in full force Jan. 3, 1983, following a 10 day Christmas break.

In general, students and faculty members alike wish that vacation would have not yet ended.

"Vacation was great -- but able to drive a vehicle with modified controls.

While recovering at University Hospital in Ann Arbor, Carrie learned that she was the only patient with injuries of her type who came from a small town. Her fellow patients were amazed by the display of concern and support from family and friends in the community. Three carloads of cards and gifts were transported home with Carrie when she left the hospital, says her sister, Barb Krohn.

Now Carrie has left on a new venture, as she traveled to Long Beach, Calif. on New Year's Day for an indefinite stay with her sister, Mary Graneli and her husband, Jim. Before leaving, Carrie said she was looking forward to something which even a small town can't provide during a typical Michigan winter -- warm weather!

**Correction**  
The Country House was the winner of last year's Men's Broomball event during the Pigeon Winter Carnival. It was incorrectly stated in last week's Year in Review story.

Also, Pigeon Police Chief Mark Nieschulz has not formally filed legal action against the village, to correct a Dec. 16 story.

**Levin aide holds hour**  
U.S. Senator Carl Levin will be represented by member of his regional office for constituent service hours this Thursday, Jan. 6.

Office hours will be 11 a.m. to 12 noon at the Commissioners Room in the Huron County Building, Bad Axe

it went by too fast, remarked senior George Miller. Next break at Caseville School will be Easter, April 1 to 11.

**MRS. WALZ RETURNS**  
Caseville welcomed back Mrs. Peggy Walz, third grade teacher, following her one-year maternity leave.

Mrs. Janine Bingham served as substitute for Mrs. Walz while the latter was on leave.

The game begins at 6:30 p.m. and will be played in the Caseville gymnasium.

Both games begin at 6:30 p.m. The Eagles play host to Deckerville and will travel to Carsonville to play the Tigers.

\* Volleyball: Defending champion Caseville, under third year veteran head coach Ms. Cheryl Wascher, opens its volleyball season in a non-league contest versus Lakers.

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## Community cares for Carrie

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**U S A SNAPSHOTS**  
A LOOK AT INTERESTING NATIONAL STATISTICS

**Leaving the farm**  
Since the end of World War I, U.S. farm population has decreased by more than 80%. In 1920, nearly half of all blacks (48.7%) plus more than one-quarter of all whites lived on farms. By 1981, less than 1% of all blacks, and about 3% of whites, lived on farms.

Year	White farm population	%
1920	26.1 million	27.5
1930	25.2 million	22.9%
1940	25.5 million	21.5%
1950	19.7 million	14.6%
1960	11.9 million	7.9%
1970	8.8 million	5.0%
1980	5.7 million	3.0%
1981	5.5 million	2.9%

U.S. Census Bureau

## '82 Ag Census is underway

The 1982 Census of Agriculture is underway this week with report forms mailed to farmers and ranchers in the 50 states, the Commerce Department's Census Bureau announces.

Farmers and ranchers are being asked to report on their agricultural operations during 1982 and to return the form by Feb. 15, 1983. The 1982 census is the nation's 22nd agriculture census in a series that started in 1840.

For the first time in a mail agriculture census, report forms will reflect regional cropping patterns to make reporting easier.

Farm and ranch operators will be asked to report the acreage in their operations, form of ownership, type of

organization, location of the place, use made of the land, and when their operations began. Other questions will cover livestock and poultry inventories and sales, amount of government crop loans, crop acreage, amount harvested, and value of crops and livestock sold.

Assistance in completing census forms is available locally from offices of the Cooperative Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service, Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service, Vocational Agriculture Teachers, Production Credit Associations and Farmers Home Administration.

The law which requires farmers and ranchers to report the census also pro-

tections the privacy of their reports. Census report forms are confidential by law and they may be seen only by sworn Census employees and may be used only for statistical purposes, say Census officials. Even other government agencies cannot obtain or use the individual reports, and copies retained by the farmers are immune from the legal process.

Each report form will have a census file number (CFN) printed on the address label. If a report is not received for each file number, the Census Bureau will send out follow-up letters to all who have not responded. A time extension can be granted to farmers who request it.

Farmers and ranchers who have not received a form should request one from the Bureau of the Census, 1201 East 10th Street, Jeffersonville, Ind. 47133.

## Out in the field

The Progress-Advance and Pigeon Co-op present

Ag fuels tax-exempt

Farmers knew that the motor fuel they used on their farms was exempt from the four cent per gallon federal excise tax -- but they weren't so sure about the new five cent increase recently passed by congress and scheduled to go into effect April 1, 1983.

According to Al Almy, director of public affairs for the Michigan Farm Bureau, farm fuels will also be exempt from the five cent tax increase.

"The five cent increase on gasoline and diesel fuel does not apply to fuel that is used in tractors and other equipment used in farming operations. Exemption from the current four cent tax will also continue," Almy says.

**Navy bean prices to stay low**  
Navy bean prices are not expected to rise much above the current \$10 per hundredweight (cwt) during 1983.

"If new markets can be found in 1983, the industry could reduce inventories and the pressure for a drastic cutback in the 1983-84 crop," says Michael Weber, Michigan State University agricultural economist. "But it is not likely."

Part of the reason for the navy bean price depression in Michigan is the size of the crop produced in other areas. The 1982 navy bean crop produced in Minnesota and North Dakota is estimated at two million cwt and the Ontario crop at 1.6 million cwt. Michigan's 1982 navy bean crop is 5.3 million cwt.

This record-breaking crop -- nearly nine million cwt -- is 34% larger than the 1981 crop.

**MARKETS**  
Wheat .....\$3.10  
Corn .....2.14  
Soybeans .....5.30  
Oats .....1.60  
Navy Beans .....9.50

**FARM NOTEBOOK...**  
The 35th annual Michigan Agriculture Conference is set for next Wednesday, Jan. 12, at Kellogg Center in East Lansing. Gov. James Blanchard and others are invited to celebrate the first day of the conference, sponsored by 40 state farm organizations and commodity groups. About 1000 farmers, ag leaders and legislators are expected to attend.

Also coming next Wednesday is a Dairy Farm Seminar at Uly's Heights Country Club, sponsored by Northrup King Co. County Extension Director Jim LeCureux will speak. A morning starting time is planned, and Northrup King dealers have details.

Farm building structural design is one of more than a dozen topics to be covered at the Michigan chapter of the National Frame Builders Association Conference Jan. 19-20 in Grand Rapids. Co-sponsor is the MSU Cooperative Extension Service, at the Grand Rapids Hilton Inn. More information is available by calling Barbara Brochu at 217 Ag Engineering Building, MSU, East Lansing, 48824, or by calling 517/355-3477.

**Horse Health Day** is coming Sunday, Jan. 23 at Michigan State University. Horse research and preventive medicine information will be shared, sponsored by the MSU College of Veterinary Medicine. Details are available from John Judy at 517/355-1745.

The annual Michigan State University Collegiate Rodeo is coming Feb. 25-27 on campus. Sponsored by the MSU Rodeo Club, it will be held at the MSU Judging Pavilion.

# People & Products & Pigeon Co-op equal Profits



Marketing Manager John Kohr, right, and farmer Jim Gremel go over a contract to make certain all points are understood. Through their cooperative, farmers can get various kinds of aid in marketing. By working together, hopefully, maximum prices can be obtained.



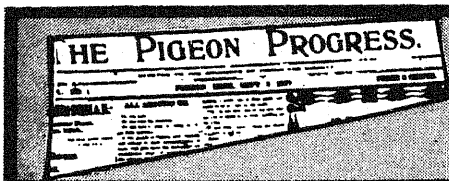
What happens on the farm begins in the Feed Mill. Mill Foreman Gerald Muentener, right, discusses the advantages of Hi Octane Beryl Pig Chow with farmer Dennis Fritz.

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# The Past in Print



## 80 YEARS AGO JAN. 9, 1903

Hotel Heasty in Pigeon has been doing a rushing business. Tuesday evening 20 commercial men were its guests.

Three christenings took place at the Pigeon home of Mr. and Mrs. E.W.E. Bundscho Sunday. The son of Mr. Bundscho received the name of Clayton Wendell; the daughter of Joseph Schwalm, Esther Pearl and the daughter of Thomas Thiel, Mabel Ellen.

Every time the price of oil takes a jump, you can bank on it that John D. Rockefeller has made a donation to some university.

About 15 Pigeon young people took a sleigh ride out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Richmond of Caseville Township last evening.

William Steadman and John Sturm traded farms this week.

Masquerade ball given by the young men of Bay Port at the Hall was an enjoyable affair with Prof. Pariseau and daughter of Bad Axe and Prof. Burroughs of Grassmere furnishing elegant music.

## 70 YEARS AGO JAN. 10, 1913

Pigeon has an industry that employs about 50 girls

for seven months a year and has a weekly payroll of about \$300. The girls are employed in the bean picking rooms of Pigeon Elevator Co. and Leipprandt Bros. elevator and earn from \$5 to \$9 each per week.

William Thiel, Pigeon and Miss Elsie Erb, Soule, were married last week and will occupy the W.S. Gregory house on Paul Street, Pigeon.

Misses Mary Gwinn, Bell Dufty, Eva Heaton and Lillian Reeves returned to Ypsilanti after spending the holidays with their parents at Caseville.

Miss Pearl Reeves and Gordon Winhold, two popular young people of Caseville, announced their marriage on Christmas Day.

New officers were elected at the annual meeting of Barne Lutheran Church Society and they are: H.J. Clabuesch, J.H. Neischultz, Charles Maier and H. Kraft.

E.W. Garfat sold his lively barn in Pigeon and moved his family to Bad Axe.

## 60 YEARS AGO JAN. 12, 1923

Dr. Otto Frenzel, 52, Pigeon, died last Friday. He is survived by his wife, and his father. He located in Pigeon 32 years ago and was recognized as a very able practitioner and enjoyed a good practice.

Mrs. Katherine Reese Warren, Bay Port, died last

Thursday. She leaves a husband, S.B. Warren, two children and her mother.

Ruben Gascho, 16, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mose Gascho, Pigeon, on Jan. 5.

Ernest Paul received word that he has been recommended as Pigeon postmaster to succeed George H. Anklam.

When you carry a scuttle of hard coal, don't spill any of it. It's worth a cent a pound.

Part of the building program for Pigeon this year will be the erection of a 50x80 foot addition to Black's Money Saving Mail Order Co. store, two floors high.

## 50 YEARS AGO JAN. 13, 1933

McKinley Farmers Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eichler. New officers elected are Theo Leipprandt, Alfred Sturm, Robert Bowman, Jr., Alvin Newman, Mrs. Stanley Murdoch.

Sebawaing plant of Michigan Sugar Co. finished slicing beets Tuesday. Yield this year was nearly 12 tons to the acre.

Notice -- Former Hirschberg Store, Pigeon, will be opened Saturday by Mose Kahn.

New officers of the Bright Lantern Club at Hayes School are Willard Sturm, Lula Jane Harris, Onalee

Decker and Clara Frances Miller.

New officers of Pigeon Worth White Club are Mrs. C.S. Pearson, Mrs. H.O. Paul, Mrs. W.A. Belding, Mrs. Clifton Bailey and Mrs. R.H. Leslie.

Friendship Class of Pigeon Evangelical Sunday School chose as new officers: Hilda Petty, Audrey Edighoffer, Ruth Roberts and Onalee Harder.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Buschlen of near Elkton, observed their golden wedding anniversary on New Year's Day at a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Ramseyer. They have two sons, Mervin and Earl.

Children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitin, Bay Port, surprised them with a potluck dinner on New Year's Day in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. John Otto, Pigeon, entertained the pedro club Monday evening. Prizes went to Mrs. Frank Thiel, Mrs. Minnie Reist, Mrs. Charles Fisher and Mrs. Henry Otto.

R.L. Gillingham Fishing Co., Bay Port, put up their ice for the year on Saturday and Sunday, in 1 1/2 days. They report the ice is of good quality.

Officers of Daughter of Rebekah were installed at Bay Port. They include Catherine Henne, Mary Davidson, Isobel Lounsberry, Eunice Gillingham, Julia Ellis, Hulda Dinkel and Florence Wideman.

New officers of Pigeon Worth White Club include Mrs. Harry McKay, Mrs. Walter Clabuesch, Mrs. Boyd Eicher, Mrs. Ervin Trost and Mr. Robert Spence.

## 30 YEARS AGO JAN. 9, 1953

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Barry, Elkton, are parents of the first baby born in Scheurer Hospital in both 1952 and 1953. A daughter was born Jan. 3, 1952 and a son,

Thomas Lee was born Jan. 3 this year.

Members of Pigeon River Menonite Church sent a carload of split navy beans to Bremen, Germany. For the past 10 years they have contributed and shipped, freight prepaid, a carload of beans to foreign countries where food is scarce.

Members of this year's committee are Reuben Dietzel, John Jantzi and Frank Shetler.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Buschlen of near Elkton, observed their golden wedding anniversary on New Year's Day at a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Ramseyer. They have two sons, Mervin and Earl.

Children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitin, Bay Port, surprised them with a potluck dinner on New Year's Day in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary.

Herbert O. Deming, 89, Bay Port, died Jan. 3. Surviving are his widow, two sons and seven daughters.

## 20 YEARS AGO JAN. 10, 1963

Pigeon gained another new business on New Year's Day when Bush's Restaurant, in connection with Pigeon Lanes, opened for business.

Misses Anita and Genevieve Torrers, daughter of Mrs. Louise Torrers, Elkton, received their caps in the annual capping exercises at St. Lawrence School of Nursing, Lansing.

A group of friends and relatives honored Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dinsmore, Elkton, at their home Sunday on their 25th wedding anniversary. They have four children.

In observance of their golden wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lucht, Pigeon, will hold open house at their home Sunday, hosted by their three daughters, Mrs. Agnes Gorte, Mrs. Irene Erer and Mrs. Joyce Parker. Besides their three daughters, they have 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Raymond L. Gardner, 69, passed away Jan. 6. He is

survived by his wife, two sons.

## 10 YEARS AGO JAN. 11, 1973

Mrs. Jerome Haire, 45 and Thomas Haire, 41, Bay Port, were drowned in an automobile accident on Geiger Road at the bridge near Pigeon River Menonite Church. A third person, Jerome Haire, 44, Chesaning, is also believed drowned but his body has not yet been found.

Mrs. Haire is survived by one son and Thomas Haire leaves his wife, three daughters and one son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meinger, formerly of Owendale and now resident of Scenic Convalescent Home, Pigeon, received a letter of congratulations from President and Mrs. Richard Nixon on their 70th wedding anniversary.

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\*Millard Fillmore: Birthday. Born 1800. Thirteenth president of the U.S. (July 10, 1850 - March 3, 1853). Fillmore succeeded to the presidency upon the death of Zachary Taylor, but was unsuccessful in getting the nomination of his party in 1852. Now his birthday is often occasion for parties for which there is no other reason. Died Mar. 8, 1874.

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\*New Mexico: Admission Day. Admitted as the 47th state on this day in 1912.  
\*Carl Sandburg: Birthday. Born 1878. American author: poet, biographer, historian and folklorist. Died July 22, 1967.

## MONDAY, JAN. 10

\*United Nations General Assembly: Anniversary. On the 26th anniversary of the establishment of the unsuccessful League of Nations, delegates from 51 nations met in London, England, Jan. 10, 1946 for the first meeting of the United Nations General Assembly.

Tuesday, Jan. 11  
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\*Battle of New Orleans: Anniversary. In 1815 British

## Lions bowling winners named

Larry Smith (651) and Diana Dunn (660) are the most recent winners in the Pigeon Lions Weekly Jackpot held during the bowling season.

## MINUTE MYSTERY ANSWER

Ice melting. Mark had brought with him frozen cubes of ginger ale. After setting up the bet, he had slipped the ginger ale cubes into the glass. While they melted in the glass inside the safe, Mark waited in the hall!

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

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## Famous Funny Fascinating Days

### WEDNESDAY, JAN. 5

\*Jeannette Ridlon Piccard: Birthday. Born 1895. First woman to qualify as free balloon pilot (1934). One of the first women to be ordained as an Episcopal priest (1976). She was an identical twin married to an identical twin. Died May 17, 1981.

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### SATURDAY, JAN. 8

\*Elvis Presley: Birthday. Born 1935. Popular American rock singer. Died Aug. 16, 1977.

\*Battle of New Orleans: Anniversary. In 1815 British

forces suffered over 2,000 casualties at the hands of defending U.S. troops led by General Andrew Jackson. Tragically, neither side knew that the war had ended two weeks earlier, on Dec. 24, 1814, with the signing of the Treaty of Ghent.

### SUNDAY, JAN. 9

\*Richard Milhous Nixon: Birthday. Born 1913. He was the 37th president of the U.S., serving Jan. 20, 1969 to Aug. 9, 1974 when he resigned the presidency while under the threat of impeachment. He was the first U.S. President to resign that office.

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Compiled from Chases' Calendar of Annual Events.

## PIGEON DISTRICT Library Corner

By STARLA ALBRECHT Assistant Librarian

### PIANO CONCERT

Approximately 100 people attended the concert given by Dr. Dale Voelker on Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. at the library.

The concert was presented by the Library Board of Trustees and consisted of Dr. Voelker playing and singing musical selections.

Dr. Voelker stated that although his travels take him all over the world, it is always good to be back in his hometown and perform a concert for friends and neighbors.

He closed the evening program with three religious solos, "Praise the Lord," "Ordinary People" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Following the concert, a social hour was hosted by the Pigeon Worth White Club. Serving were Mrs. Florence Kerr, Mrs. Mary Jane Voelker and Mrs. Margaret Hartman.

### SATURDAY STORY HOUR

"Story Hour Time" is planned for all early elementary-age children on Saturday, Jan. 8.

"Dogs" will be the theme of this Story Hour. The featured stories will be "The Case of the Hungry Stranger," "No Dogs Allowed, Jonathan" and "Flash the Dash." In addition to the

stories, there will also be a filmstrip called "Pretzel."

Peggy Karl and Jane Himmel are in charge of Story Hour and also plan games, songs and a take-home project for all children attending. Story Hour begins at 1 p.m.

On Jan. 15, there will be a Film Festival featuring the films "Magic of Walt Disney" and "The Bridge of Adam Rush."

### FILM CHARGES

Remember: Beginning Jan. 1 there will be a postage charge of 50 cents per book ordered through the Interlibrary Loan (from other libraries.) Also, a \$1 fee will be charged per tape for all VHS tapes ordered through the White Pine Library Cooperative.

Starting Feb. 1 there will be a postage charge on 16mm films ordered through White Pine. The new film catalog carries a new statement of this policy change along with a chart for estimating UPS postage based upon the length of the film.

Preschool Story Hour "Ducks" will be the theme of Preschool Story Hour on Tuesday, Jan. 11 at the library.

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Featured stories will be "Make Way for Ducklings," "Seven Diving Ducks" and "Come Again, Pelican." In addition, there will be a special film, exercises, fingerplays, flannelgraphs, games and songs for the children, all in keeping with the theme for the day.

Jane Himmel and Peggy Karl are in charge of this activity and also have a take-home project for all children attending.

Two sessions of Preschool Story Hour are conducted each week, from 9 to 10 a.m. and from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. All area preschoolers are invited.

### VIDEO-CASSETTE CLUBS

The library has both a Beta and VHS Club presently. The total collection of tapes now stands at 86 for both clubs.

Anyone interested in joining either club is asked to call the library for more information. Persons should consider joining before Jan. 15 so that they will be able to help pick out new tapes at the next meeting on Friday, Jan. 21 at 4 p.m. at the library.

The cost of joining is \$25 for the VHS Club and \$10 for the Beta Club. Members are then asked to donate \$10 to the library each month.

### MEMORIAL BOOKS

Books or donations for the purchase of books may be given to the library by individuals, clubs or firms in memory of a loved one. The library will then give appropriate notification to the immediate family.

In addition to the Memorial Book plan, a memorial gift may also be given to the library to be used for other needed equipment. A number of local business firms and families have established this policy at the time of death of a friend, relative or customer. Local funeral directors and the library office have appropriate memorial cards available for your convenience. For more information, contact Librarian Roberta Richmond or one of her staff.

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4-H group meets

The January meeting of the American Bombs 4-H group will meet Thursday, Jan. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the Jaycee Activity Hall. The topic will be "Record Keeping."

Area couples announce engagements

Scheuerlein - Juszczyk

Mr. and Mrs. Larry W. Scheuerlein of Caseville announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Marie of Washington, Mich. to Robert Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Juszczyk of St. Clair Shores.



Kimberly is employed at RGIS Inventory Specialist of Rochester as a computer programmer. Robert is employed at Centronics Data Computer Corp. of Rochester as a production planner. The wedding will take place Dec. 3 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Utica.



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Negaard of Guilford, Mo. announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Jean, to Terry Lee Brown, son of Mrs. Doris Brown of Pigeon and the late Donald Brown.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dubs, Pigeon, announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah Ann, to Thomas Smith, son of Mrs. Myrtle Smith, South Bend, Ind. Deborah is a graduate of Central Michigan University and is employed by Rehmann, Robson, Osburn and Co., CPA in Saginaw. Thomas is the manager of Fox Glen Apartment Complex in Saginaw. An October wedding is being planned.

**Views On Dental Health**  
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**Are Primary Teeth Important?**

Want to make your dentist cringe? Tell him not to waste his time on your child's severely decayed tooth because, "It's only a baby tooth and he's going to lose it anyway!" Don't kid yourself! Primary teeth (a much better phrase than "baby teeth") play a very important role in the development of a child's future dental health. Obviously, they are necessary for chewing. Even more important, primary teeth create the proper spaces for permanent teeth. A primary tooth that is prematurely lost can no longer do this job. The teeth nearby will crowd into the empty space, and when the follow-on permanent tooth tries to enter there may be no room. As a result, it may become impacted (lean sideways inside the gum). It may come out in the wrong place (for example, through the front of the gum). Or, it may crowd its way in and destroy the delicate balance of the mouth. Losing primary teeth prematurely is one of the commonest reasons for orthodontic treatment later on. Prompt treatment with a space-maintaining appliance is generally called for to reserve the room for the next tenant. Prepared as a public service to promote better dental health. From the office of Edward P. Holtzhuse, D.D.S., 33 North Wright Street, Elkton. Phone: (517) 375-4255.

Anderson-DeJong

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson of Caseville announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Ruth to Jonathan William DeJong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold DeJong, Berkley. Cheryl is a student at Alma College and Jon is a student at Michigan State University. Wedding plans are indefinite.



**It's a girl!**  
A daughter, Lisa, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Averhamer of Frankenmuth on Tuesday, Dec. 28 at Saginaw General Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 3 oz. and measured 19 inches in length at her birth. Proud grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Averhamer of Frankenmuth. Great-grandparents are Ervin Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loezel of Frankenmuth. Lisa will join her brother Jason, at home.

**ENGAGED?**  
Let your friends in the community know by submitting a news story in The Progress-Advance. **Deadline: 5 p.m. Mondays**



**Datcher - Richards**  
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin P. Datcher of Caseville announce the engagement of their daughter, Stacey Lynn, to Michael Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Richards of Cass City. The bride-elect is a business education teacher at Armada and her fiance is a December graduate of Central Michigan University. A June 18 wedding is planned.

Bay Port news

Christmas day callers at the home of Leona Roeber were Kim and Ray Jackson of Pleasant Ridge; Gail Finley of Gahanna, Ohio; Sue Gardy of Armada; Randy Chesney of Mason; Brenda Campbell of Watrousville; Marguerite and Henry Chesney of Vassar; George, Linda, Jill, Kari and Eric Gardy of Pigeon; Art and Zola Roeber, Irene and George Gardy, April Henne, George and Virginia Roeber, all of Bay Port. Sunday callers were Ron and Janet Roeber of Utica.

Pigeon

Mrs. Linda Weslock and Randall Hill of Saginaw were visitors of Mrs. Viola Schuette on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buerker were New Year's weekend guests in Rochester with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Greyerbiehl.

Poke Cake goes coconutty



Creative cake baking makes a special occasion or a family meal even more special. But how can you make a plain baked cake more exciting? BAKE a Coconutty Poke Cake! It starts with a chocolate cake mix and the creative touch comes AFTER the baked cake has holes poked in it on top. A flaked coconut mixture is poured over the top and allowed to seep down inside the cake. To make this the coconuttiest cake ever, flaked coconut with real cream of coconut in it is sprinkled over a "frosting" of thawed frozen whipped topping which has additional flaked coconut folded into it. Melted semi-sweet chocolate is drizzled over the cake before chilling. Coconut lovers will ask for seconds for sure! It's the real cream of coconut in the flaked coconut that gives it a fresher, moister coconut flavor. Enjoy going coconutty!

- COCONUTTY POKE CAKE**
- 1 pkg. chocolate cake mix
  - 1 1/2 cups milk
  - 1/2 cup sugar
  - 2 squares semi-sweet chocolate
  - 2 cups flaked coconut
  - 1 8 oz. container frozen whipped topping, thawed
  - Chocolate drizzle

Prepare cake mix as directed on package, baking in 13x9 pan. Cool 15 minutes; then poke holes in cake with utility fork. Meanwhile, combine milk, sugar, two squares of the chocolate and 1/2 cup of the coconut in saucepan. Bring to a boil, stirring until chocolate is melted. Reduce heat and simmer one minute. Spoon over warm cake, allowing liquid to soak into cake and spreading coconut evenly over top. Cool completely. Fold 1/2 cup of the coconut into whipped topping and spread over cake. Sprinkle with remaining coconut. Spoon or pipe Chocolate Drizzle over cake in diamond pattern. Chill eight hours or overnight. Store any leftover cake in refrigerator. **Chocolate Drizzle:** Melt one square semi-sweet chocolate and 1 t. butter in saucepan over low heat, stirring constantly. Cool slightly. **Mocha-Coconut Poke Cake:** Prepare Coconutty Cake as directed, omitting the two squares semi-sweet chocolate and adding 1/4 cup instant quality or decaffeinated coffee to the milk mixture before boiling.

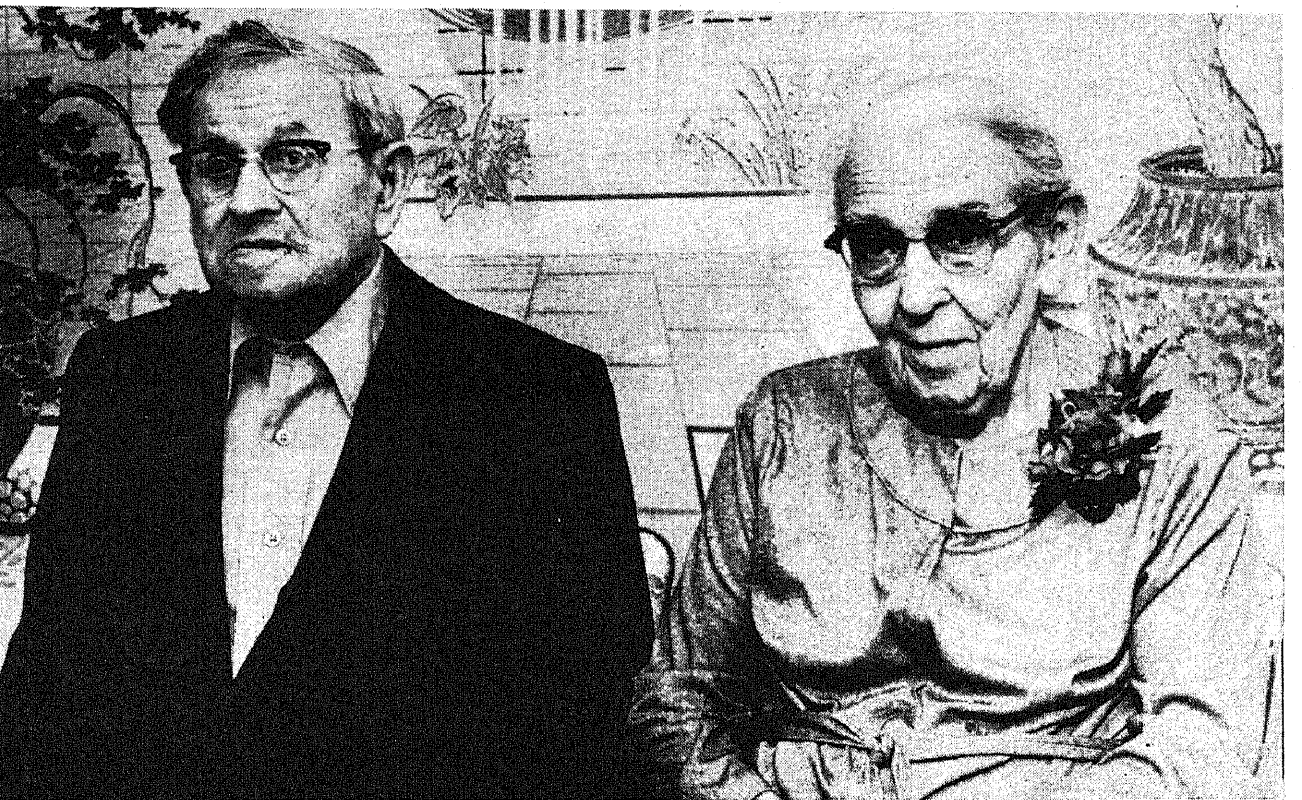
Notice Of Foreclosure

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage on the real property commonly known as 1576 Brown Road, Pigeon, Michigan, and more fully described as follows: Beginning at a point on the East line of Section 28, Township 16 North, Range 10 East; thence 636.0 feet South of the Northeast corner; thence South along the East line, 240.0 feet; thence West at right angles to the East line, 440.0 feet; thence North 240.0 feet; thence East 440.0 feet to the point of beginning, begin in and a part of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 28, Township 16 North, Range 10 East; except easements and right of way of record. between Elery W. Fritz and Velma K. Fritz, husband and wife, as Mortgagor, and First National Bank of Bad Axe, as Mortgagee, made the 15th day of June, 1977, in Liber 290, on Page 01, Huron County Records, Michigan, is in default and there is now due and owing Twenty Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Two and 92/100 (\$20,622.92) Dollars principal and interest as of the date of this Notice. No suit has been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by the mortgage and the power of sale contained in the mortgage has become operative by reason of such default. Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, January 12, 1983, at 10:00 a.m. at the front door of the courthouse in Bad Axe, that being the place which the circuit court of Huron County is held, there will be offered for public sale and sold to the highest bidder, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said Mortgage and legal costs and costs of sale, including attorney's fees as provided by law and in said Mortgage, the real property described above. According to Section 600.3240 of the Michigan Compiled Laws the above-named Mortgagor has six months to redeem said real property after it is sold by paying to the purchaser, his executors, administrators, or assigns, or to the registrar of deeds in whose office the deed is deposited for the benefit of the purchaser, the sum which was bid for the property, with interest from the time of sale at fifteen percent (15%), and if payment is made to the registrar of deeds the additional sum of \$3.00 for the care and custody of the redemption money, or to redeem otherwise as provided by Section 600.3240 of the Michigan Compiled Laws. Dated: December 6, 1982. **FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BAD AXE MORTGAGEE** By: Thomas P. Collon Its: Attorney 206 N. Heisterman Bad Axe, MI (517) 269-8276 24-27ch

Steckleys honored for 70 married years

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Steckley of Sarasota, Fla. celebrated their 70th year of marriage with an open house in their home on Dec. 26.

Steckley of Bay Port; Lydia Mayer of Sarasota, Fla., Loren Steckley of Tarzana, Calif. and the late Floyd Steckley. They have 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Mr. Steckley retired from farming in 1944 and moved his family to Pigeon. Mr. and Mrs. Steckley have made their home in Florida since 1961.



Mr. and Mrs. Sol Steckley

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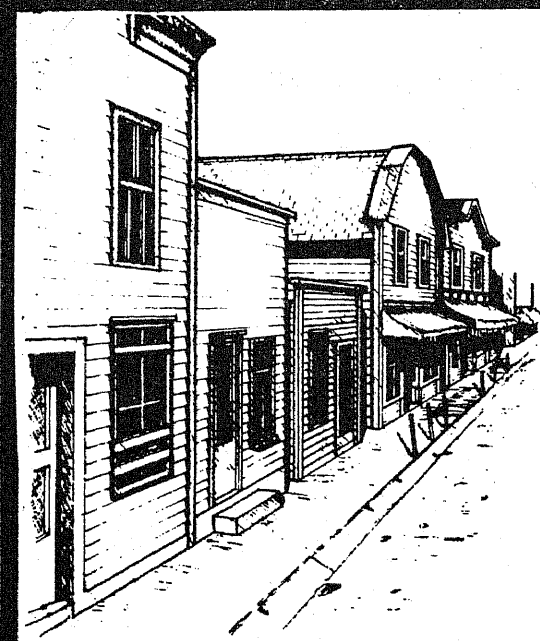
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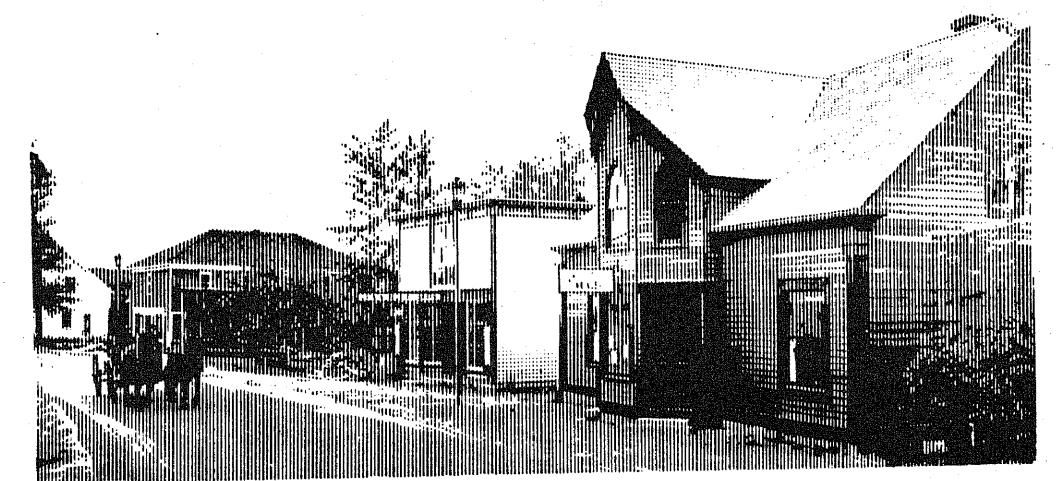
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**1913**  
**Elkton Co-op Farm Produce Co.**  
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**1913**  
**Pigeon District Library**  
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**1915**  
**Co-operative Elevator Co. of Pigeon**  
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**1921**  
**People's Oil & Gas Company**  
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**1926**  
**Kraft, Inc.**  
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**1929**  
**Jim McCormick Motors, Inc.**  
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 9 S. MAIN STREET PIGEON 453-3121

**1932**  
**Heckman's Barber Shop**  
 RON & WAYNE  
 10 S. MAIN STREET PIGEON

**1934**  
**Pigeon Clinic**  
 (ABOVE NIEBEL GROCERY STORE)  
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**1936**  
**Diener Electric, Inc**  
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**1937**  
**Pigeon Lumber & Supply Co., Inc.**  
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**1945** OPENED  
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**1946**  
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 151 N. CASEVILLE RD. PIGEON 453-3112

**1950**  
**Pigeon Motor Sales, Inc.**  
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 7392 W. MICHIGAN PIGEON 453-3621

**1951**  
**Dietzel Electric, Inc.**  
 JERRY DIETZEL, OWNER  
 7176 NITZ STREET PIGEON 453-2721

**1964**  
**J & B Plumbing & Heating, Inc.**  
 NOVA JEAN & BUTCH MILLER  
 7236 MICHIGAN PIGEON 453-3931

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## Pigeon area people travel over the holidays

By DOROTHY DIENER

Guests Christmas day for dinner and gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mrudoch were Mr. and Mrs. Orin Murdoch and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Stalter and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sturm and children, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dubs.

Mrs. Ida Spence had as guests several days before Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller who also spent time with Tom's parents in Dayton, Ohio from their they attended the wedding of Miss Ruth Kittleson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diener returned home Monday afternoon after spending a pleasant Christmas holiday with Pastor and Mrs. Ronald Diener, Mark and Ann in Williston, Ohio.

Miss Jeanette Licht of Fort Wayne, Ind. spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Licht and other relatives.

Thursday visitor of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Cregeur was Wilford Tschardt of Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diener were Thursday supper guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Schnitker and Leanne in Sebawaing.

On Wednesday Mrs. Elsie Kern with her guests entertained Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kern and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kern of Reese.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Diener were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis of Saginaw. Jodi returned home with them after spending since Friday forenoon with her grandparents, Marcia Renn was a guest of Jodi Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming and family entertained Christmas day were Wilmer Bud Squires and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Simmons and family of Caseville in the afternoon they enjoyed going on a hay ride.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Mohr were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Weiss, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hinton of Bay Port and Mr. and Mrs. John Weiss of St. Clair Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Motz and family were New Year's Day guests of Leon and Christy Motz at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Motz in Elkton.

On Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartman were Mrs. Ron Celano of Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartman attended the funeral on Friday of Arthur Quinn at the Hewelton Catholic Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robinson entertained for dinner on New Year's Day Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stirett of Bad Axe.

On New Year's Eve Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming were among guests entertained at the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Simmons in Caseville.

Arriving Tuesday afternoon to visit with their mother, Mrs. Elsie Kern were Pastor and Mrs. Dale Kern and family of Stryker, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kern and family of St. Joseph. They also visited the Richard Kern family. They were all supper guests including Pastor and Mrs. Wayne Wentzel and children of Kilmansh. Friday the Dale Kerns left for their home. The Dennis Kern family left on Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred Dietzel had as guests her son and daughter-in-law Pastor and Mrs. Kenneth Dietzel and family of Germfast as they spent their Christmas vacation with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Deitzel spent their Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Krietziger in Monroe, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gascho and family returned to their home in Penn. after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gascho. Other guests was another son, Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Gascho and Lisa of West Liberty, Ohio and Lyle Gascho and Miss Janie Hosterdler of Nappanee, Ind.

Mrs. Mabel Clark returned home Friday evening after spending a week with Mrs. Luosetta Radabaugh in Bay City. Tuesday evening she was a supper guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Botwright and family.

Having their Christmas dinner on Sunday, Mrs. Mabel Clark accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kurzer of Caseville to the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Abbe in Elkton.

On Thursday Mrs. Elsie Kern with her family guests visited with Mrs. Christina Kern at the Lutheran home in Frankenmuth. She also visited other relatives in the Reese area.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Champagne and family, Kinde to help Johnie celebrate his 10th birthday.

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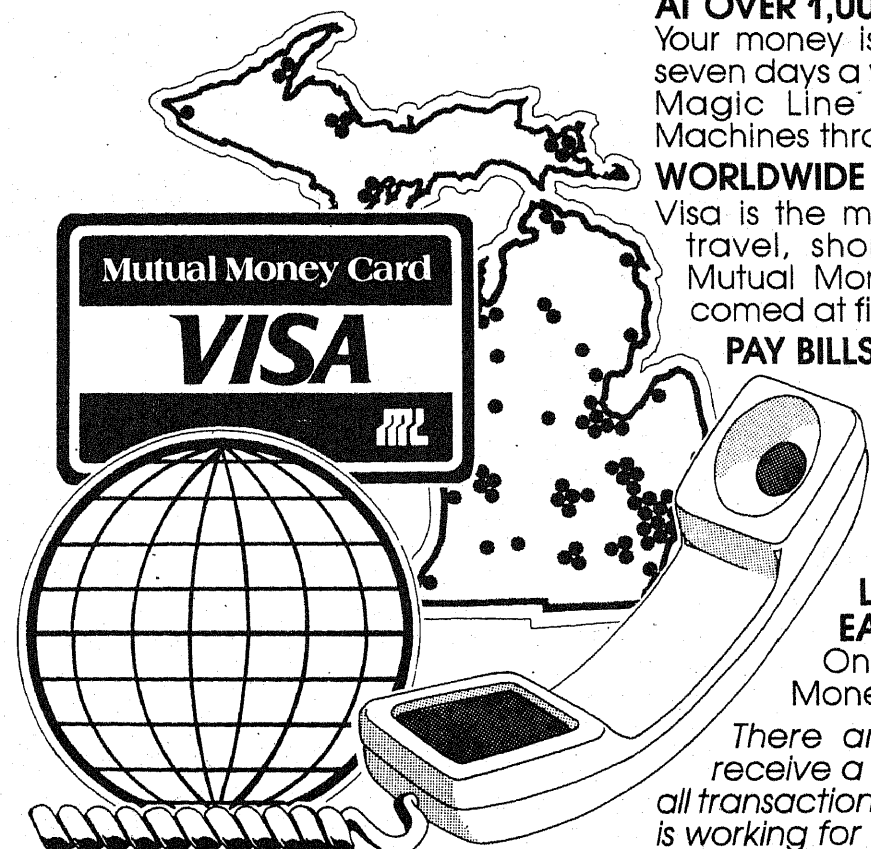
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Maybe you are not old enough to remember the McCarthy era, when anyone who breathed a word against warfare or for peace was hounded mercilessly. Good, honest people lost their jobs and their homes. This was in our USA. Later, we had Vietnam.

Therefore, I, a Protestant, greatly admire the fortitude and sincerity of the Catholic Bishops. I wish other denominations, who all worship the Prince of Peace, showed similar strength of character and good sense.

Change the wording a little, if you will, but let us put the idea across. Already, how are we to dispose of the enormous quantities of our supposedly outmoded materials, sufficient to blow up everyone in the world any number of times? Isn't once often enough?

Do you want it in your backyard? Yes, we must unite against hunger, crime and countless other evils, but to do so we must have the money wasted on destruction. And we must be alive! Please think.

I'm sick and tired of everybody complaining about NFL and other football. It's only on three times a week, while some soap

operas are on five times a week. Thank you.

**Happy 70th Birthday Mr. Schnickelritz.** From, K. D. J., Grand Rapids.

Why aren't there more dances for the teens? I heard there was one at the VFW, but haven't seen any advertising on it. It would be appreciated by the teens. Thank you.

Does the Raccoonuck lose his horns in the winter, like other deer?

To some of the employees at a local store: why don't some of you guys shape up and start being a little nicer to your customers, especially the new employees? You are rude and make going to the store a real hassle.

Answer to "page-counter": It's funny, but you don't mind when these out-of-towners bring money into your store to buy. They're welcome, and you let local folks come in, too. I feel the same way, but we appreciate the local shoppers more.

I'd like to wish Gina a happy new year. From a friend.

To my dearest Tom, we'd like to thank you for being so sweet last year. We hope you're even sweeter this year. Love, your sweethearts. We'll give you a hint next week. I was just watching the Rose Bowl and saw the ban-

ner from Pigeon, Mich. I thought it was really neat. Who was at the Rose Bowl from Pigeon, Mich.? Signed, a Pigeon, Mich. fan.

I'd like to comment on the Jaycee teen dance for the 28th. Laker High has one planned the same day. Many people would appreciate if they could postpone one of them, so there could be two dances. Thank you.

## Pigeon

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born, Hollie and Rick were New Year's visitors of Martin Schafer in Richmond and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walak of Warren and overnight guests of Mrs. Dorothy Leitch of Warren. On Sunday they were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schneck in Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rehberg in East Detroit.

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## Couple united in marriage

Susan Marie Collon and James David Damm, both of Bay Port, united their lives in marriage in a double-ring ceremony at First United Methodist Church, Pigeon on Saturday, Nov. 13.

Parents of the bridal couple are Theron and Marilyn Collon of Unionville and Milton and Elizabeth Damm of Bay Port.

Candelabra and a unity candle with burgundy and pink roses and azaleas decorated the altar. The Rev. Gordon Nusz officiated at the late afternoon ceremony which was attended by 250 guests.

Organist was Mrs. Wayne Henne.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white dotted swiss gown trimmed in chantilly lace with a natural waistline and full skirt. The fitted bodice featured an illusion front and back yoke with a high banded neckline. The long bishop sleeves had a wide cuff with satin bows and streamers. The floorlength chapel train had a double hemline flounce. Her headpiece was a cap of chantilly lace with a fingertip blusher of bridal illusion.

Her flowers were a white lace fan with pink and white roses, burgundy starflowers with baby's breath and accented with burgundy and pink ribbons. She carried a lace handkerchief which was made by the bridegroom's great-grandmother.

Serving the bride as maid of honor was her sister, Kathy Collon of Bay City, wearing a burgundy formal gown of polyester knit featuring a stand-up collar with illusion front and back yokes of point d'espièce lace. An attached lace capelet completed the attire. She wore a halo of roses and azaleas in her hair and carried a burgundy and pink rose bouquet with matching

ribbons, which she fashioned herself. Best man was Robert Damm of Pigeon, brother of the groom. Ushers were Pat Terrill, nephew of the bridegroom and Jim Collon, brother of the bride.

The bride's mother chose an apricot formal length gown with a pleated skirt, featuring a lace bodice and long sheer sleeves. A lace jacket completed her ensemble.

The mother of the groom

wore a blue and pink polyester street-length dress with a fitted bodice.

The newlyweds greeted their guests at a reception held in the church fellowship hall for 250 guests and later at the Gateway Gun Club for 200 guests.

Following a honeymoon trip to northern Michigan, the couple is residing at 10055 Weale Road, Bay Port. The bride was feted at a shower in her honor at the home of Mrs. Milton Damm.



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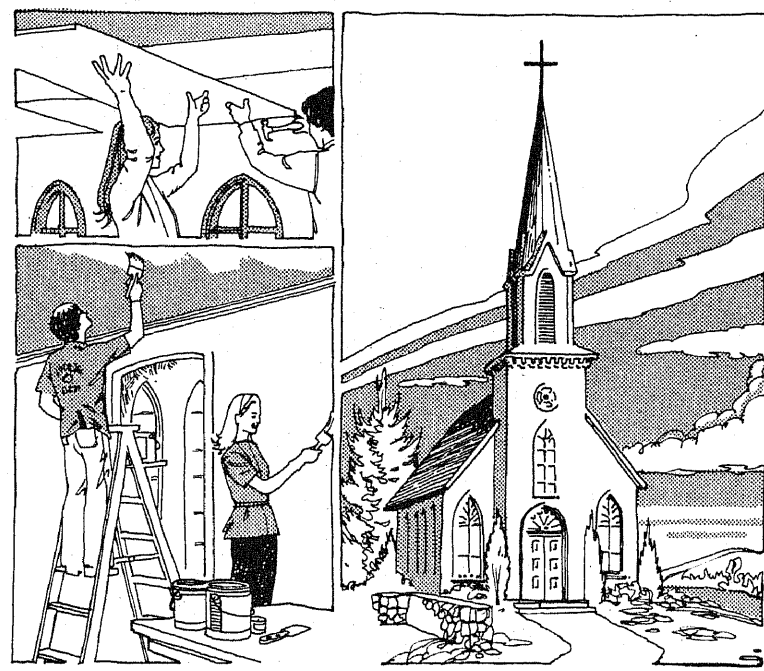
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No one knows what this year will bring to each of us in terms of happiness, health, success or whatever; but fortunately we can control our own actions. A good way to begin the year is to resolve, among other things, to go to your Church if you haven't been doing so. If you have, resolve to go one step farther and get involved with it. Contrary to popular belief, many Churches must operate on a very tight budget; and some of the loveliest ones you'll ever see are maintained almost entirely by volunteer help from the congregation. Remember that your Church does so much for you; and you should help and support it to the best of your ability. You can do no finer deed at the start of the year, or at any other time.

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Holy Communion on the First Sunday of the Month
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- IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING**  
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Rev. Darold Deterding  
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
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Bible Study Wednesday 5 p.m.
- REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT**  
Elder Ervin Haley  
Church School 10 a.m.  
Church Service 11 a.m.
- REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE**  
Pastor Ronald R. Kuenzli  
Early Worship 10 a.m.  
Church School 10:10 a.m.  
Preaching Service 11 a.m.
- REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, CASEVILLE**  
Elder, Olson McCallum  
Morning Worship 10 a.m.  
Preaching Service 11 a.m.
- ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SAND POINT**  
Fr. James Sorenson  
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
- ST. JOHN'S BY-THE-LAKE EPISCOPAL, PORT AUSTIN**  
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- KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES BAD AXE**  
Sunday 10 a.m. Public Bible Discourse 11 a.m. Congregational study of "The Watchtower"
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Rev. Alan Yerke  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Worship Hour 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday 8 p.m. Adult Bible Study
- FAIRHAVEN COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH**  
Rev. Wayne J. Keim  
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
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- ST. FRANCIS BORGIA CATHOLIC CHURCH, PIGEON**  
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- ST. ROCH CATHOLIC CHURCH, CASEVILLE**  
Fr. Theodore LaMarre  
Saturday Mass 9 a.m.  
Sunday Mass 9 a.m.
- ST. FELIX CATHOLIC CHURCH, PINNEBOG**  
Fr. Theodore LaMarre  
Saturday Mass 7 p.m.  
Sunday Mass 11 a.m.
- CASEVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Brent McCumons  
Sunday School 9 a.m.  
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Sunday School 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Parents invited to church school open house

The Faith Baptist Academy, a ministry of the Faith Bible Baptist Church, will hold an Open House this Friday, Jan. 7 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

All parents and interested persons are invited to attend. The academy uses the Alpha Omega Publications Lifepac Learning System and has 17 students from kindergarten through the 12th grade, according to school spokesmen. The academy stresses the fundamentals in education with an emphasis on reading

skills. Students study five subjects daily starting with their Bible Lifepac, then continuing with Language Arts, Math, Science and Social Studies.

Anyone who already has a student enrolled in the academy, or would like to learn more about the school is invited to Friday's open house. Coffee and cookies will be served throughout the day.

The church and academy are located at the corner of M-25 and Haist Road, midway between Sebewaing and Bay Port.

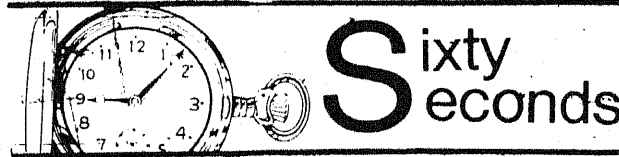
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Jesus, ever present

Read Matthew 28:16-20

Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen. Matthew 28:20. At the beginning of a new year we are like pilgrims setting out upon a journey over untried paths. The future is unknown to us, but not to Jesus, who promises to be with us always.

What a comfort this promise is! Christ is always present with us with His power. He says, "All power is given unto Me in heaven and in earth." Matthew 28:18.

He is with us with His wisdom, for He knows all things. He is with us with His love, the love He guaranteed to us when He died on the cross to win us as His own. Whenever life gets difficult, whenever we feel alone, all alone, let's remember Christ's comforting, supporting promise, "Lo, I am with you always."

He is true to us to guide, to help, to forgive. His promise is always true: "I will never leave thee nor forsake thee." Hebrews 13:5. Our Lord bids us sing: "Fear not, I am with thee, oh, be not dismayed; For I am Thy God and will give thee Mine aid; I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand, Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand."

This promise we can take with us as we enter the day's toil and enjoy the night's rest.

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as we say farewell to Pastor W. Wentzel and family.

By Elsie Kern

Lord, You have provided for our spiritual needs in the past. You have given us a special gift these past six years. A gift from heaven, the Rev. W. Wentzel family; Not because we were so good or deserving of it -- no indeed out of your goodness, love and mercy toward us here at St. John's Kilmanagh.

Lord, You through Pastor Wentzel has enlightened your words, given us a greater insight of your ways and will, through the many Bible classes and S.S. Lessons we had the opportunity to feed on the green pastures, you have provided wells of fresh water through the Sacraments offered here in Kilmanagh.

Lord, You gave us a man who preached the Word of God in its truth and purity we were given the law and Gospel every Sunday, not with big, fallible words that we could not understand You gave him abilities to speak at our level, that every word could be understood by all, who were willing to listen.

Lord, We have often offended you with our thoughts, words and deeds by neglecting to hear you, through Pastor Wentzel Often we were busy with material things, or seeking the pleasures of life or just sitting with deaf ears -- Forgive us Lord for Jesus sake. Amen.

Lord, You gave us a pastor who provided well over his flock, who comforted the bereft, visited the sick, lonely and aged, counseled young couples before their marriage, baptized babes and older ones, too, instructed the young and older people before becoming members of our church.

Lord, You know that Pastor Wentzel and family were very special to us, as a Christian family, friend, neighbor and leader yet always humble and kind, they made each and every one of us feel to be a very special person.

Lord, Their witness and leadership as your instrument is spread far and wide.

Lord, You know we loved them all -- Pastor and Lorna, Michael, Jennifer, Mark, Emily and Daniel Yes, we loved them dearly -- but we love you more Lord by accepting his departure here at Kilmanagh we know his work is completed here at St. John's and that you have a greater task for him to do.

Lord, As we say farewell, our hearts are very sad our eyes are filled with tears. Give to us contented hearts and untroubled minds, that we may say with trusting hearts: Thy will be done, and then know that Thy will is a good and gracious will.

Lord, We trust in you to provide for us in the future, as in the past: strengthen our faith, and keep us steadfast in Thy Word to worship Thee world without end. Amen.

Lord, You know it's not easy for the Wentzel family to move away from their congregation, friends, neighbors and their new home. Give to them a greater measure of your grace, love and faith, give to them strength, courage when things seem hard to bare, give them contentment and patience in their struggles in life, comfort them in their lonely hours, help them to make new friends trusting completely in you, the giver of all good and perfect gifts. Bless Pastor Wentzel and his family and continue to make them a blessing to the glory of your name, Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Area residents bid farewell to the Rev. Wayne Wentzel family, who has served the St. John's Lutheran Church, Kilmanagh pastorate for the last five years.

The Wentzels will begin the 1983 year in the downstate area of Mt. Clemens, where Rev. Wentzel will serve St. Peter's Lutheran Church. An avid lover of fine choral music, Rev. Wentzel hopes to pursue a similar musical direction in his new church home. He has directed the Western Thumb Cantate Choral in this area for two years.

Pastor Paul Hoyer of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville, will serve as vacancy pastor in Kilmanagh until a replacement is found.

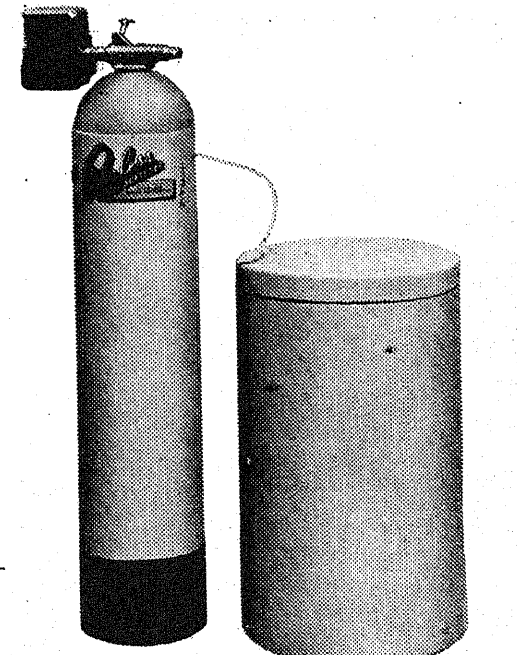


Rev. Wayne Wentzel 5 year minister at St. John's, Kilmanagh

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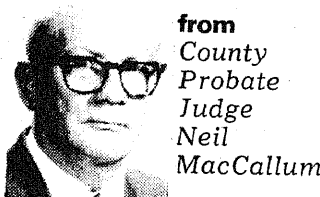
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## PROBATE COURT PROCEEDINGS

**from County Probate Judge Neil MacCallum**

Estate of Ruth Roberta Robinson, deceased, of Harbor Beach, File 25,176, supervised probate, proof of service by ordinary mail filed.

Estate of Mary K. O'Connell, deceased, of San Diego, File 26,775, supervised probate, proof of publication and notice of hearing filed.

Estate of William Philip Wade, deceased, of Port Austin, File 26,758, supervised probate, proof of fiduciary, proof of service receipt of distributive share filed (2).

Estate of Agnes F. Palach, deceased, of Ubyly, File 25,996, supervised probate, account of fiduciary, proof of service receipt of distributive share filed (2).

Estate of Todd C. Bushey, deceased, of Caseville, File 26,048, supervised probate, petition for authority to compromise claim for wrongful injuries and death, order authorizing settlement for wrongful injuries and death, account of fiduciary, waiver and consent, order allow-

ing final account and assigning residue, receipt filed (2).

Estate of Edwyn W. Maschke, deceased, of Port Hope, File 26,704, supervised probate, waiver and consent (2), order allowing final account and assigning residue filed.

Estate of Marian A. Withey, deceased, of Ubyly, File 26,757, supervised probate, inventory, proof of service filed.

Estate of Edna E. Eilber, deceased, of Ubyly, File 26,776, independent probate, proof of publication and notice of hearing filed.

Estate of William G. Woodstein, deceased, of Port Hope, File 26,795, last will and testament filed.

Estate of Philip Gatzka a/k/a Filip Gaca, deceased, of Cass City, File 23,337, supervised probate, order allowing final account and assigning residue filed.

Estate of Clara D. Wagner, deceased, of Sebewaing, File 26,099, supervised probate, account of fiduciary, notice of hearing, proof of service filed.

Estate of Lena Gumbel, deceased, of Harbor Beach, File 26,287, supervised probate, petition for partial distribution filed.

Estate of Margaret A. Engel, deceased, of Harbor Beach, File 26,752, supervised probate, inventory, proof of service filed.

Estate of James E. Karn, deceased, of Port Austin, File 26,437, supervised probate, petition for order to determine loss to

spouse and next of kin, notice of hearing filed.

Estate of Richard H. Denner, deceased, of Sebewaing, File 26,785, independent probate, petition, waiver and consent (2), register's order independent probate, acceptance of trust, letters of authority independent probate, notice of appointment of independent personal representative and the rights of interested persons, inventory, notice to spouse of right of election, proof of service and election filed.

Estate of Susan M. Tschirhart a/k/a Susan M. Deachin Tschirhart, deceased, of Ubyly, File 26,787, supervised probate, waiver and consent (3), testimony interested parties, order appointing personal representative, bond of fiduciary, letters of authority, inventory, proof of service by ordinary mail, publication and notice of hearing filed.

Estate of Harold J. Gremel, deceased, of Sebewaing, File 24,459, supervised probate, order allowing account filed.

Estate of Carl W. Bredow, deceased, of Bad Axe, File 26,218, supervised probate, order allowing final account and assigning residue filed.

Estate of Mary M. Karau a/k/a Marie M. Karau, deceased, of Sebewaing, File 26,439, supervised probate, order allowing final account and assigning residue filed.

Estate of Ogle H. Blair, deceased, of Bad Axe, File 26,532, petition and order for assignment, estate not exceeding \$2,500.00 filed.

Estate of Hazel E. Blair, deceased, of Bad Axe, File 26,533, petition and order for assignment, estate not exceeding \$2,500.00 filed.

Estate of Agnes Fritz, deceased, of Owendale, File 26,796, petition and order for assignment, estate not exceeding \$2,500.00, last will and testament filed.

Estate of Glenn Smithers, deceased, of Bad Axe, File 26,797, petition and order for assignment, estate not exceeding \$2,500.00 filed.

Estate of Charles Henry Moeller, deceased, of Port Austin, File \$26,657, supervised probate, final account of personal representative, waiver and consent filed.

Estate of Lucille Learman, deceased, of Bad Axe, File 26,402, supervised probate, waiver and consent filed.



## MARRIAGE LICENSES

John C. Choate, 24, Willsboro, N.Y. and Ellen M. McPhee, 24, Kinde.

Kevin J. Craig, 19, Port Austin and Ann M. Polega, 18, Kinde.

James D. Ropp, 23, Pigeon and Giselle M. Rifenburg, 24, Pigeon.

## ASSUMED NAMES

Western Thumb Electric, 1600 Ridge Road, Sebewaing, owner Brent J. Stoeckle, 1600 Ridge Road, Sebewaing, Filed 12-28-82.

D&J Excavating, 1697 S. Parisville Road, Sigel Township, owners Douglas Talaski and Jeffrey Talaski, 1697 S. Parisville Road, Sigel Township, Filed 12-28-82.



## ASK DR. COE

By Dalton P. Coe, D.D.S.

Dental insurance is usually regarded as either a blessing or a curse. That statement can be applied to dentists and patients alike. For a dentist, insurance usually means those covered by it are much more apt to seek his services. It also can mean a mountain of paperwork and playing games of "Mother May I" with faceless insurance consultants in order to secure permission to perform certain dental services.

For the patient, dental insurance can be a great help in sharing the financial obligation for dental services. It can however, limit the quality of dental care available to a patient and limit the patients choice of dentists to administer his care.

It is imperative that people contemplating the purchase of dental insurance through work related affiliations, study all proposals carefully. With dental insurance, it is particularly true that you don't get "something" for "nothing". In the first place, dental insurance is usually secured by giving up a certain amount of increase in wages. Secondly, there are large costs in administering dental programs. These costs, in essence, reduce the amount of money which is available to pay claims. And in the third place, because it is known that utilization of a dental insurance program can be high, premiums are also high.

A good understanding of insurance coverage also improves the communication process between the dentists and the patient. Most dental offices will assist you in filing insurance claims. Since, however, there are close to 60 different insurance contracts currently being utilized by area residents, it is difficult for any office to be completely familiar with the exact language of every contract. When your coverage goes into effect, you will usually receive an explanatory booklet. After reading the booklet, it would be a good idea to bring it with you to your next dental appointment so that all questions can be resolved.

If dentists and patients will take the time to understand and utilize dental insurance, it can be a very effective tool for providing routine care for a large number of people.

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**MONDAY:** Submarine sandwich or ham and cheese.  
**TUESDAY:** Barbecue beef on bun or hot dog and french fries.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Taco or charburger.  
**THURSDAY:** Pizza.  
**FRIDAY:** Fish on bun or hot dog.  
 Salad bar and milk are available every day.

**ELKTON ELEMENTARY**  
**MONDAY:** Sloppy joes or burritos, salad bar, dessert and chocolate milk.  
**TUESDAY:** Noodle casserole, tuna sandwich or peanut butter sandwich, salad bar, dessert and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Tacos, salad bar, dessert and milk.  
**THURSDAY:** Grilled cheese sandwiches, french fries, salad bar, dessert and milk.  
**FRIDAY:** Fish on a bun, chips, salad bar, dessert and milk.

**CROSS LUTHERAN SCHOOL**  
 : Fish sticks, fries, applesauce and milk.  
**TUESDAY:** Meat loaf, escalloped potatoes, fruit salad, bread and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Submarine sandwiches, fries, mixed fruit and milk.  
**THURSDAY:** Chicken noodle casserole, peas, rhubarb crisp, bread and milk.  
**FRIDAY:** Chili and crackers, toasted cheese or peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, plums/apricots and milk.

**CASEVILLE PUBLIC**  
 Salad bar available every day. Choice of white or chocolate milk. Ala carte on specified days for grades seven thru 12.  
**MONDAY:** Grilled cheese, peas and carrots. Ala carte: hot dogs.  
**TUESDAY:** Pizza. No ala carte.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Hot dog or fish sandwich, french fries. Ala carte: Hot dogs.  
**THURSDAY:** Burritos. Ala carte: Hamburgers.  
**FRIDAY:** Sloppy joe or hamburgers, baked beans. Ala carte: sloppy joes.

**BAY PORT ELEMENTARY**  
**MONDAY:** Goulash or peanut butter and jelly sandwich, salad bar, milk.  
**TUESDAY:** Turkey, salad bar, milk.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Sloppy joes or hot dogs, salad bar, milk.  
**THURSDAY:** Macaroni and cheese or egg salad sandwich, salad bar, milk.  
**FRIDAY:** Fish sticks or cheese sandwiches, salad bar, milk.

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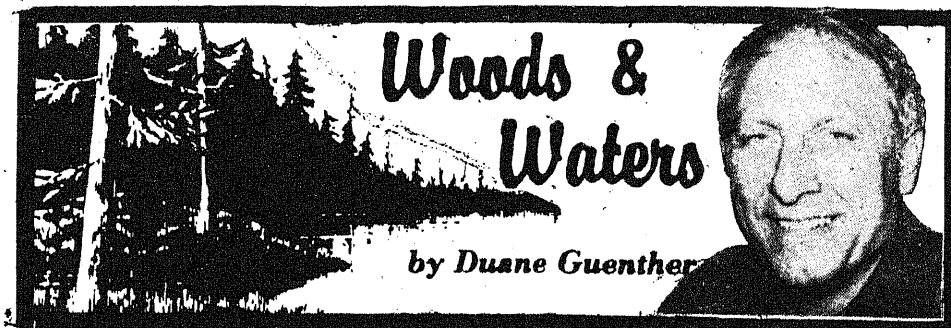
We still plan to give you the same friendly and dependable service at our newly remodeled Bad Axe location.

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*by Duane Guenther*

### The gun

"Someday I would like to own and shoot a fine double shotgun like the L.C. Smith. At present, the price of the good ones makes me gasp when it's mentioned."

**DUANE GUENTHER**

About a month ago, I found myself in the city of Clare with some time on my hands. I was to pick up my brother Charlie at the Doherty Hotel and we were to head north for a weekend of deer hunting. But upon arriving, I found that the meeting he was attending would last longer than expected. Without a moment's hesitation, I hopped in my truck and headed back toward the expressway. I have been in Clare before and knew immediately where I would spend those waiting hours. At Jay's.

Jay's is a sporting goods store that is located just off I-75 on the Clare business exit. It is a large, gray, stram-steeled building that houses a full line of outdoor merchandise. But Jay has one thing that makes his store special, his gun department.

Jay is an avid hunter and collector of fine antique firearms. But along with this, he is also a very, very shrewd gun dealer. Because of this, at any one time, he can be expected to have between 150 and 200 used rifles and shotguns on his racks. Whenever I enter his store, it is to this area that I feel magnetically drawn.

On this particular day, I casually passed by the rows of high-powered rifles with their assorted actions and calibers. I absent-mindedly picked up random rifles and sighted them at imaginary targets. They were graceful pieces of steel and wood, molded together into precision-like instruments. I am mildly interested in rifles and their place in our country's history, but my real love is shotguns. As I approached this section, I began to perk up.

Here stacked in neat rows were the many different makes and models of all the famous manufacturers. There were the usual number of auto-loaders, pumps and over-unders. Names like Browning, Remington, Winchester, Mossberg and Smith & Weston.

Near the end of the rack were the double shotguns, or double barrels as they are commonly called in the Midwest. They stood straight, like a line of sentinels guarding some Wells Fargo office. They were from a different time, a different era, a time when things in life seemed simpler, less complicated. When workmanship was a trait to be treasured, praised, almost worshipped. They were the products of a time often referred to as "the golden age of shotguns."

One gun in particular caught my eye, a rare L.C. Smith, a graceful piece with twin barrels that tapered smoothly from an engraved, case-hardened side lock. The English-styled stock was a good quality walnut with a very tight burl and was flawlessly hand-checked on the upper end. It was worn from countless trips in the field, but the numerous nicks and scratches on the stock and the absence of bluing on parts of the barrels showed no signs of abuse. This gun had been a treasure to some old sportsman. As I slowly turned the gun over in my hands, my mind tried to form a picture of its previous owner.

The fact that the gun was a 16-gauge and the pull was extremely short led me to believe that its owner had been a small man. That, coupled with the improved cylinder/modified choke arrangement, told me that this man probably acquired the gun for upland bird shooting. Maybe he was a woodcock and grouse lover like myself.

He probably had an old, worn canvas hunting coat that was his costume for his many trips afield. And I'm sure that he had saved

Hunters have increased from 50,000 in 1966, to over 215,000 in 1981. The kill during this same period increased from 1,300 to more than 20,000.

Trapping is still in full swing and will last for another month. While reports vary, it looks like it has been a good year for furbearing animals. Although the numbers were good, trappers are bemoaning the price that they receive for them. In most cases, fur prices have been cut in half.

After the longest fall on record, ice fishing has finally returned to the scene. Ice thicknesses on the Bay have reached two to three inches and is providing some safe fishing to take place.

This weekend found all the familiar spots dotted with eager ice fishermen. Those that braved the early season ice, and missed all those football games on TV, took home some pretty decent stringers of perch. Spot checks reported good success at the VFW in Sebawing, Geiger Road Access, Mud Creek and the Caseville Harbor.

# BOWLING LEAGUES

TUESDAY CLASSIC LEAGUE		THURSDAY NITERS		TY'S BOWLING LOUNGE MONDAY NIGHT MEN'S First Half Final	
Steinman Agency	4	J&B Plumbing & Heating	4	Don's Barber Shop	62
Dutch Kettle	4	Scheurer Hospital	3	Varty's Automotive	60
Pigeon Lumber	4	Pigeon Sunoco	3	Elkton Petroleum	59
Carling	3	Huron Distributing	3	Thumme Insurance	54
Osetoski Equipment	2	Wurt Ad	2 1/2	Bud's Bar	50
Active Feed	2	Pigeon Co-op Oil	1 1/2	Ackerman Farms	30
Henne Ford Tractor	2	Fluegge Foods	1	High team scores: Don's 2584 (887)	
June & Fargo	2	Phyllis' Hair Stop	1	High individual scores: D. Weiss 530 (204); D. McAlpine 572; D. Deming 563 (203); F. Santos 542; J. Radomski 526; W. Forster 518; J. Knechtel 505; J. Jaworski 505.	
Gary's TV	1 1/2	Osetoski Farm Equipment	0		
Bailey Insurance	0	*People's Oil & Gas	0		
Pigeon IGA	0	*Fink's Used Equipment	0		
Clark's Refrigeration	0	High team scores: J&B 2349 (809-801); Scheurer 2130; P. Sunoco 2100; Osetoski 2086; Fluegge 2057 (774); H. Distributing 2001.			
High team game and series: Steinman 2626 (883-882-861); June & Fargo 2607 (887-883); Osetoski 2535 (884-883); Dutch Kettle 2533 (862-856); Carling 2508 (855); Henne Ford Tractor 2476 (911); Active Feed 2458; Gary's TV (873).		High individual scores: E. Gunden 579 (192-193-194); B. Shank 471 (211); A. Albrecht 543 (190-200); J. Blome 504 (180-177); P. Niebel 495 (173); S. Buchholz 481; L. Walschans 479; M. Ropp 473 (196); J. Kretzschmer 471.			
High individual scores: L. Steinman 569; B. Becher 566 (217); H. Schuette 558 (204); V. Smith 555; Roestel 548 (203); J. Eckel 541; J. Gunden 540; R. Finkbeiner (211); R. Buschlen (209).		Splits: 4-5 G. Smith, H. Ruby; 5-7 C. Otto; 2-5 S. Buchholz; 5-6-10 C. Brown; 3-10 J. Blome, B. Johnson, J. Tennant; 6-7 J. Dunn; 4-5-7 D. Prutchick.			
MONDAY MAJOR LEAGUE		TY'S BOWLING LOUNGE MONDAY NIGHT MEN'S		WEDNESDAY LADIES First Half Final	
Carling	46 1/2	Don's Barber Shop	55	Miller High Life	4
Pigeon Lanes	37 1/2	Varty's Automotive	55	Henne Ford Tractor	4
J.O. Wurst Tiling	37	Elkton Petroleum	54	Thumb National Bank	3
J & B Plumbing	36	Thumme Insurance	52	Bay Port Construction	3
Brighton Metal	34 1/2	Bud's Bar	50	Damm's	2
Henke Equipment	31	Ackerman Farms	28	Bay Port Shell	2
Damm's Inc.	29 1/2	High team game and series: Thumme Insurance 2484 (903).		Varty's	2
Farm Bureau Insurance	28	High individual scores: J. Radomski 561 (202).		Bay Port State Bank	2
Wildowl Bay Resort	28	Other 500 series: D. Deming 530; J. Bernhardt 514; D. Deming 508.		Henne Ford Tractor	2
Georg's Bar	26			Cloverleaf Egg Ranch	1
Wats Packing	26			Mary Kay Cosmetic	0
Kretzschmer HC	24			Haist Flowers	0
High team game and series: Carling 2676 (941-879-856); Pigeon Lanes 2544 (913-856); J & B Plg. 2503 (898); Brighton Metal 2485 (900); Kretzschmer HC 2464 (854); Henke (885); Wildowl Bay (867).				Miller's	0
High individual scores: R. Klein 635 (232-212); D. Parrish 634 (238-212); V. Smith 609 (226-200); E. Shepherd 571 (216); G. Deering 540; K. Beachy (221); G. Klugas (212); D. Murdoch (211); B. Becher (206); K. Stalter (204).				Varty's	0
				High team game and series: Thumb National 2154 (722); Miller 2143 (752); Bay Port State Bank 2120 (766).	
				High individual scores: D. Yahn 577 (220-182-175); J. Blome 559 (196-191-172); P. Roestel 477; R. Voss 177; R. Clark 177; G. Carpenter 174; N. Wichert 182; T. Finkbeiner 476 (181); P. Sears (177).	
				Splits: 5-10 R. Voss, P. Kuhl, G. MacDowall; 5-6 J. Nichol; 3-9-10 M. Harter; 3-10 B. Forster, B. Anklam, C. Swartzendruber, L. Klein, D. Quick; 2-7-8 T. Finkbeiner; 5-6-10 S. Kraft, M. Damm; 2-7 G. Forge, D. Ziel; 6-7-10 G. Klein; 5-7 P. Roestel.	

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### Shetler 3-0 in b-ball league

There was no letdown in the final period as Shetler posted a 13-6 margin to make the final score 73-44. Shetler's was scheduled to play against Colwood Bar on Jan. 3.

In the top 10 leading scorers of the league, Shetler's team placed Ross Voelker in second with 19 points.

Shetler took every quarter enroute to an impressive win. They took the opening period by an 18-9 margin. In the second quarter they outscored Charmornt, this time by a 22-15 count to lead at half 40-24. In the third quarter Shetler continued to dominate by outscoring Charmornt 20-14 to make the third period score 60-38.

Registration forms and complete details are available at all high schools in Huron County. Skiers will be signing up sponsors in an effort to raise money for the American Cancer Society. The funds from this event will be used for patient services, research and education.

In the event that there is not enough snow on Jan. 30, the Ski-a-thon will be rescheduled for Feb. 20.

SUNDAY GUYS and DOLLS		MEN'S TRAVELING POOL LEAGUE	
Pipe-Ware	4	Sportsman's Bar	94
Krohn-Morin	4	Riverside Bar	93
Heck-Mallory	4	June & Fargo	88
Dus-Smith	4	Bay Port Hotel	82
Blome-Gunden	3	Star Bar	76
Elbing-Roestel	3	Duffie's Tavern	70
Kretzschmer-Thiel	1	Pop's Place	65
Dunn-Parrish	1	Scenic Bar	56
Abbot-Adams	0		
Roestel-Strach	0		
Beachy-Weidman	0		
High team game and series: Blome-Gunden 2087 (734); Kretzschmer-Thiel 2017 (719); Elbing-Roestel (700).			
High individual scores: Men - L. Smith 576; D. Parrish 569 (208); I. Ware 558 (215); Law. Roestel 551 (220); B. Thiel 530 (204); J. Gunden 522; R. Elbing 517 (206); K. Heck 502; D. Roestel (212); A. Weidman (182); Women - J. Blome 574 (213-199); E. Gunden 564 (203-190-171); L. Morin 511 (179-176); J. Rosenthal 467 (176); D. Strach 461 (180); I. Abbott (193); V. Pipe (187).			
High team game and series: Huron Chevrolet 1849 (697); Ty's 1933 (661); Shoreline Snowplowing 1903 (649).			
High individual scores: M. Krueger 571 (193-191-187); R. Ewald 518 (201-179); D. McAlpine 516 (188); J. Jaworski 532 (189); B. Fritz 510 (189-185); D. Fritz (190); S. Buschlen 483 (194); D. Deming 493; D. MacDowall 476; L. Jaworski 170 (52 pins over average); M. Hyzer 476; T. Wills 484.			
High team game and series: Miller High Life 2017 (719); Elbing-Roestel (700).			
High individual scores: D. Yahn 577 (220-182-175); J. Blome 559 (196-191-172); P. Roestel 477; R. Voss 177; R. Clark 177; G. Carpenter 174; N. Wichert 182; T. Finkbeiner 476 (181); P. Sears (177).			
Splits: 5-10 R. Voss, P. Kuhl, G. MacDowall; 5-6 J. Nichol; 3-9-10 M. Harter; 3-10 B. Forster, B. Anklam, C. Swartzendruber, L. Klein, D. Quick; 2-7-8 T. Finkbeiner; 5-6-10 S. Kraft, M. Damm; 2-7 G. Forge, D. Ziel; 6-7-10 G. Klein; 5-7 P. Roestel.			

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**THANK YOU**  
 I would like to express a sincere thank you to so many of the groups and organizations who came to the Scenic Convalescent Home, to express Christmas greetings and cheer to our residence. Berne Lutheran Church, Linkville Lutheran Church, Sebawaing Immanuel Lutheran Church, Kilmanagh Lutheran Church, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts Assembly of God, Bad Axe Sincerely, The Residence and Management of Scenic Convalescent Home. Mae Youngs.

wish to thank the doctors and staff of Scheurer Hospital for their kindness and care shown me while a patient there. Also for the Pastor's visit, cards, gifts and prayers. May God Bless You All.  
**Dorothy Keim**

I would like to thank the doctors, nurses, and the entire Scheurer Hospital Staff for the T.L.C. you gave me while I was a patient there, and a BIG THANK YOU to my family, relatives and friends for all the Christmas goodies, flowers and cards. To my niece Dee Ann for my little Christmas tree. Rev. Cooley for the visits and prayers. The Hayes Ladies for the beautiful poinsettias. My room looked very Christmasy. I'll always remember Christmas "1982". I love all of you and I want to wish each and everyone of you (including myself) the Best in 1983.  
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## Pigeon area residents make news with visits

By DOROTHY DIENER  
 Mrs. Alfred Dietzel received word that Loren Dietzel is in a hospital in Sarasota, Florida. He was to undergo surgery on Monday morning.  
 New Year's evening dinner guests of Mrs. Mabel Clark were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kurzer of Caseville and Mrs. LoSetta Radabaugh of Bay City.  
 Mrs. Clara Bernard spent the first part of last week visiting with relatives in Unionville, Sandusky and Sebawaing.

Out of town guests over the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rathje were Mr. and Mrs. James Sauer of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Krieger from Benton Harbor, Professor and Mrs. Randall Rathje and family from Saginaw.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Jimmy spent over New Year's with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith in Milford.  
 Mrs. Lydia Teuschar accompanied her daughter Miss Marjorie Teuschar, Goshen, Ind. and spent over Christmas with another daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Ed (Carol) Beachy and family in Memphis, Tenn.  
 New Year's holiday Mrs. Lydia Teuschar had as guests her son, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Teuschar and family from Morgantown, Penn.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kretzschmer and children of Flint were New Year's weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jarvis. New Year's day visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Max Hahn of Unionville.

Last week Mrs. Laura Jimpkowski had as visitors, her nephew Mr. and Mrs. Carl Welchner of Pontiac and Mrs. Carol Fritz of Owendale.  
 Elmer Budgry of Port Austin was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Laura Jimpkowski.  
 Mrs. Elaine Verbeaghe and daughter, Dawn of Essexville came to attend the funeral of her uncle Charles Thiel of Elkton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kleido.  
 Christmas day guests Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kleido and Connie were Mr. and Mrs. Don Verbeaghe and family in Essexville.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Swartzendruber and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Weier and baby of South Dakota, Roger Swartzendruber, Hesston, Kansas returned to their home after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swartzendruber.



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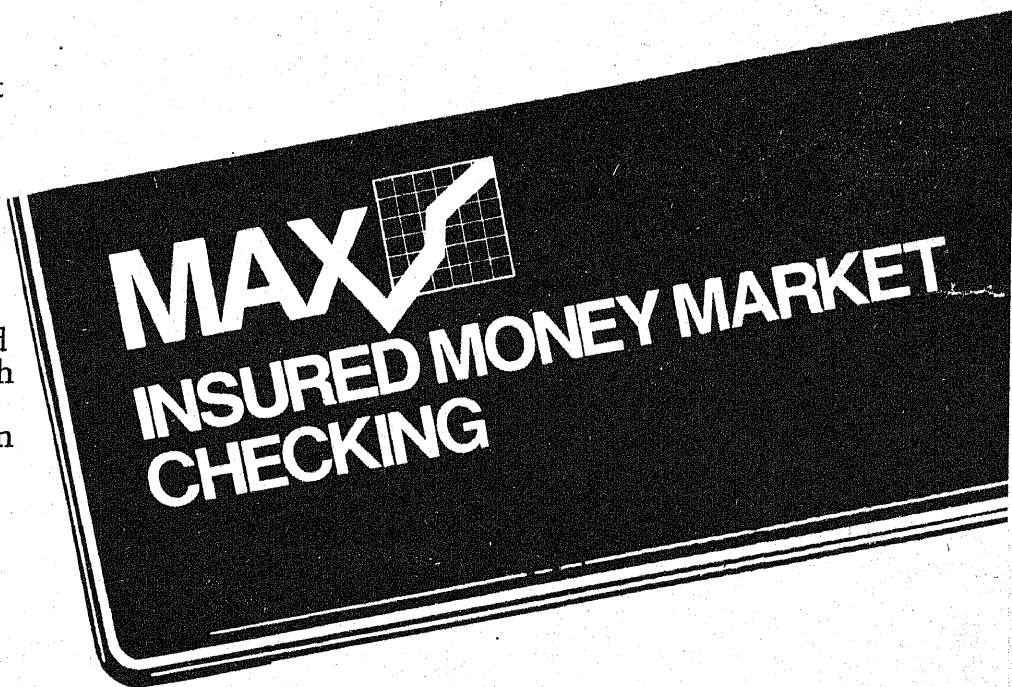
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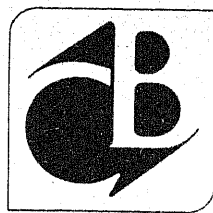
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