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## He's sittin' on top of the world! (well, the Co-op, at least!)

Dennis Dubs of the Co-operative Elevator Company in Pigeon is about as high as you can go in Huron County.

He's atop the flag pole high above the Co-op Elevator's main plant, inspecting the U.S. Flag presently flying from the Thumb's tallest point.

That flag -- visible from several miles away -- is an indicator of wind direction and wind speed for hundreds of local weather watchers.

Since the U.S. Bicentennial in 1976, the Co-op Elevator has kept a flag flying atop the 185-foot-tall bean elevator structure. Because of severe winds at that elevation, flags must be replaced approximately every two or three months, Dubs says.

Last summer, Mary Adelyn Baske visited her cousin, Lillian Leipprandt in Pigeon. The visitor made admiring comments about the flag, lighted at night, waving in the breeze. She was awe-struck and thought it was very impressive.

She mentioned "the flag" to a friend of hers in Webberville. The friend, Mrs. Eleanor Stanislaw, had received a flag from the U.S. government. Her husband, now deceased, had been a veteran. Mrs. Stanislaw suggested it would be nice if that flag could fly over the town of Pigeon, rather than lie stored away in a drawer.

Co-op officials (including Lillian Leipprandt's son, General Manager Ted Leipprandt) gratefully accepted the gift, and say this may be the start of a tradition. Any persons interested in having flags flown in memory of someone deceased or in honor of living persons should contact the Co-op.

Each time the flag is changed, The Progress-Advance will publish who it is flying for. Normally, flags flown above Pigeon are five feet by eight feet. Persons who don't have a flag but wish to purchase one can do so, at approximately \$55 through the Co-op.

Dubs says boaters let him know when a flag is showing signs of deterioration, as they prepare to take boats onto Saginaw Bay. The photo shows the southwest side of Pigeon and Dubs, from the tall site. On a clear day, the Charity Islands and Tawas areas can clearly be seen, as can Sebawaing, Bad Axe, Elkton and Owendale.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO



**YFC Auction  
attracts more  
bidders than ever  
before!** SEE PAGE 3



# Thanks A Million

Dear Mr. Ross:

I am a very nearsighted individual who must wear glasses with extremely thick lens. I visited an optometrist the other day and was examined for "extended wear" soft contacts. These are the only contacts that will correct my vision to 20/25 - the same as my glasses.

The advertisement stated these lens by Bausch & Lomb were \$169. Because of my severe astigmatism, I will require the Hydrocurve II Extended Wear Toric Lens made by Barnes-Hind Co.; these cost over \$400.

I would love to be able to see without glasses and go out in public without remarks being made about my poor vision. I'm so tired of being asked if I use Braille because my glasses are so thick. I am a secretary and a single parent. I can afford the \$169 for contacts, but that's all I can spare. Mr. Ross, will you help me? - S.R., California.

Dear Ms. R.:

You're going to look better and feel better. I've made arrangements with Dr. Sy Rosenblatt of the Inland Vision Center in San Bernardino to help you.

Since you are employed and can afford \$169, we will provide the balance.

Dear Mr. Ross:

My Grandma will be 68 on her next birthday. Can you help me surprise her? When I last visited her, she said her secret dream was to drive a Cadillac for just one day. She lives in Galio, Ohio. Grandma has a good driving record. - J.W., Michigan.

Dear J.:

Dreams can come true, even for grandmas. Sometimes those dreams need help from a young grandson. With Avis Rent-A-Car on E. 17th Avenue in Columbus, I've arranged for your grandma (with a good driving record) to enjoy driving a brand new 1985 Cadillac for a whole weekend.

Dear Mr. Ross:

My friend and I had a little side business cleaning and polishing cars. We put our earnings in a joint bank account.

We got involved in other things, and our little business drifted apart. I withdrew the money and divided it in equal amounts into two envelopes. The containing my friend's share, \$358, I lost on my way to his house.

Wasn't I lucky it was his share and not mine? Will you please make up his loss? - L.N., Kentucky.

Dear Mr. N.:

It certainly was a stroke of genius on your part to figure out that it was your friend's share you lost - and not yours. NO!

Dear Mr. Ross:

Our staff at the Data Processing Department of the Yonkers Public Schools needs a new radion desperately.

The one we have does not get WNEW and the Make Believe Ballroom, which is the one program we enjoy the most. We are forced to listen to rock-and-roll music, which is not conducive to



By PERCY ROSS  
good working habits. - B.M., New York.

Dear Mrs. M.:

You are employed in a field which is reasonably well-paid. It seems to me that if you need for a new radio is truly "desperate," you could all chip in and buy one.

You may write to Percy Ross, c/o The Progress-Advance, P.O. Box 460, Pigeon, MI 48755. Include a telephone number if you wish. Because of the heavy volume of mail, only a limited number of requests will be answered in future columns.

## Traxler aide visits Thumb

U.S. Congressman Bob Traxler (D-Bay City) has scheduled office hours in the Thumb area for Monday, Sept. 10. He is planning to be at the Commissioners Room of the Huron County Courthouse in Bad Axe from 10 a.m. until noon, and at Sebewaing Village Hall from 2:30-5 p.m.

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# Laker grad earns awards

Jill E. Krohn, a 1984 graduate of Laker High School, has earned the honor of membership in "The Society of Distinguished American High School Students," a prominent national high school honor society.

To be nominated, a student must excel in academics and extracurricular or civic activities. As a representative of the United Methodist Church, Elkton, her biography will be listed in the Membership Registry to be published this fall. She is also listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students for 1982-83 and 1984-85." Students are selected based upon student performance in scholarship award contests and extracurricular activities.

In May, the United States Army Reserve presented her with a medal for the "National Scholar/Athlete Award" to honor academic and athletic excellence.



Jill Krohn

She was also awarded a "Certificate of Recognition" from the State of Michigan Competitive Scholarship Program for Outstanding Academic Achievement in the State of Michigan Scholarship Competition.

She will be attending Central Michigan University

this fall, where the Board of Trustees has awarded her an Honors Scholarship.

She is the daughter of Bernie and Sandy Zeitler and Earl Krohn, and granddaughter of Ermythe and Leonard Seley and Verna Krohn, all of Elkton.

# Thumb area deaths

**WILLIAM F. BOCK**  
1896 - 1984

William F. Bock, age 87, of Pigeon, passed away Wednesday, Aug. 22 at Provincial House, Cass City. He was born Sept. 5, 1896 in Bay City, son of the late Wilhelm and Wilhelmina (Schulz) Bock. On Sept. 28, 1919 he was united in marriage to Johann Marie Gettel in Linkville. He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville.

Mr. Bock is survived by his wife Johann Marie; two daughters, Mrs. Marion Kumaus, Pigeon and Mrs. Chester (Vera) Kukula, Detroit; three sons, Gerald of Cass City, Eugene of Honey Grove, Texas and Gordon of Bay City; 19 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Six sisters and one brother preceded him in death. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, Aug. 25 at 10:30 a.m. from St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville. Rev. Randall P. Schultz officiated, with burial in St. John's Lutheran Cemetery, Sebewaing.

Arrangements were handled by Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

# THUMB AREA DEATHS

- Steve J. Cory, 68, of Caro, passed away Aug. 19.
- Nancy (severn) Gavin, 28, of Fort Worth, Texas, formerly of Elkton, passed away Aug. 22.
- Flo M. Tomko, 81, of Auburn, formerly of Sebewaing, passed away Aug. 23.
- Louis J. Kusaczik, 72, of Caro, passed away Aug. 24.
- Carl F. Lohmann, 80, of Sebewaing, passed away Aug. 25.
- Kin-Fu-Hung, 61, of Taiwan, with relatives in Bad Axe, passed away Aug. 25.
- Harry "Red" Benkamin, 67, of Caro, passed away Aug. 25.
- Marion "Gus" Carraway, 74, of Bay Port, passed away Aug. 26.
- Dorothy A. Bedore, 65, of Unionville, passed away Aug. 26.
- Helen Hall, 82, of Fairgrove, passed away Aug. 29.
- Matilda F. Abraham, 76, of Verona Township, passed away Aug. 29.
- Clady Hunter, 67, of Port Hope, passed away Aug. 31.

ADDITIONAL OBITUARIES ELSEWHERE THIS ISSUE

# Dr. Scolnick coming to Caseville

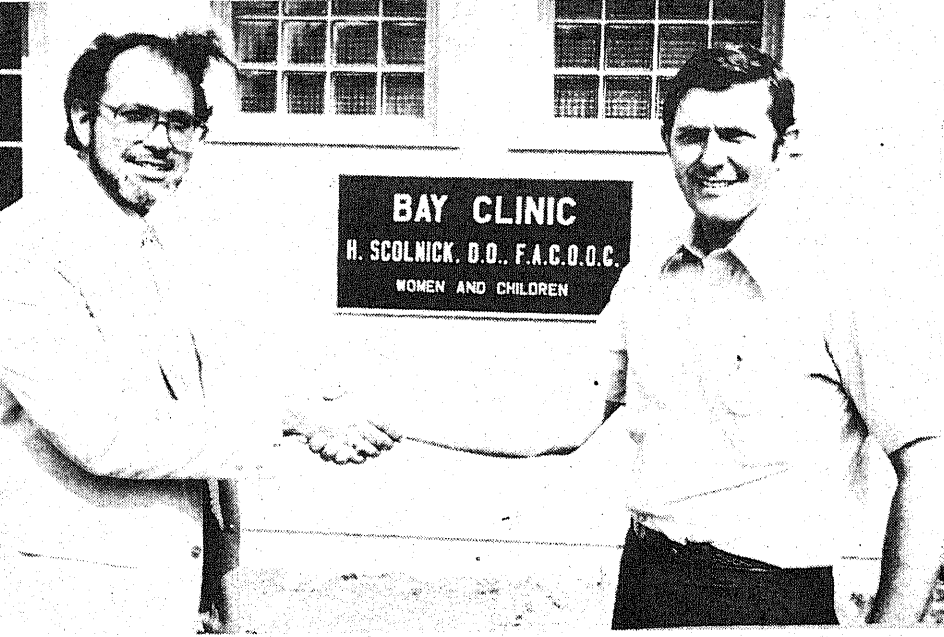
Regular office hours for obstetrics and gynecology will begin this Monday at the Bay Clinic in Caseville, according to Dr. Herbert A. Scolnick, D.O.

The former Village Shoppe building at 6621 Main Street has been completely renovated for Dr. Scolnick's practice for women and children. Included are two OB-GYN exam rooms, two general practice exam rooms, his private office and a laboratory.

An open house is planned Wednesday, Sept. 19 to show the public the new facility, according to Dr. Scolnick.

A nurse will be on duty at all times, and Dr. Scolnick will presently have limited office hours. By July, 1985, he plans to expand the practice to include full-time hours and OB-GYN on-call service, in addition to adding a general practice doctor's service.

Opening the Bay Clinic with reduced staffing is the first step toward that full-time operation, he says.



Dr. Herbert Scolnick, is greeted in front of his Bay Clinic in Caseville, by Michael Power of The Power Agency, which handled the real estate transaction.

The 50-year-old doctor has been practicing medicine in the Detroit area for 20 years. He is Board Certified in OB-GYN and is a Fellow in the

American College of OB-GYN. A private pilot, Dr. Scolnick plans to travel from his Farmington residence by plane several days a week for Friday and possible Monday hours.

A native of Boston, Dr. Scolnick is married and has four sons. He did his undergrad work at Tufts University, Boston and his graduate work at New York

University in reproductive physiology. His medical training came at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy Medicine and had residency and internship at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital.

He has a residence on Sand Point, which he and his wife plan to make their permanent home.

# Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

## NEW PCB TRIAL DENIED

Monsanto Chemical Co.'s request for a new trial in the Roger Haley PCB contamination case was denied Friday by Huron County Circuit Judge M. Richard Knoblock. The Judge also denied the company's request to dismiss the \$1.59 million verdict or to reduce the amount awarded to Haley and his wife Valerie, both of Owendale, according to their attorney James Woodworth of Bad Axe.

He also ruled Friday that Monsanto should pay \$36,725 in trial costs incurred by Haley's attorneys. Monsanto plans to appeal the ruling, officials said. The Haleys were awarded \$810,055 in May, following a 12-week trial which determined Monsanto knew about health hazards in a silo-coating product but failed to warn farmers the coating contained polychlorinated biphenyls. The family said dairy deaths and reduced milk production resulted on their cattle farm, and said they suffered ill health as well. With interest, attorney costs and other expenses, the total amount due the Haleys is now \$1.59 million, Woodworth said.

## PORT HOPE MAN'S BODY FOUND

Police say 75-year-old Herbert Leonard of Port Hope may have died of a heart attack or drowning Saturday, when his body was found washed ashore about 2 p.m. at Rubicon Beach. An autopsy was performed to determine whether he died from the heart attack or of drowning caused by the attack. Two passersby found the body, police say.

## BIERI'S STATEMENTS ADMITTED INTO WESTERN MURDER TRIAL

Recorded statements made by Michael L. Bieri of Elkton were read into the record last week in his trial for the Jan. 22 killing of Jerry Western of Bad Axe. Bieri, 32, is one of three persons charged with first-degree murder and conspiracy to commit murder in Western's death. The separate trial of Western's wife, Ellen Jane (Stella) Western, 39 of Bad Axe, and Ralph C. Ross, 51 of Caseville, on the same charges begins Sept. 10.

Police say Ross and Mrs. Western were lovers and plotted to kill Western, then paid about \$5000 to Bieri for actually pulling the trigger. Western was killed by a single shotgun blast in the back outside his 80-acre horse farm west of Bad Axe. Bieri was first contacted for information about Ross Feb. 17, police say, and he became a suspect at a later date. His March 22 statements incriminate himself as the "mid-dleman" who pulled the trigger for Ross. The trial is being conducted in the Tuscola County Courthouse, Caro.

## STORMS KNOCK OUT POWER

Several areas in the Western Thumb were without electrical power Wednesday night and early Thursday, after lightning hit several transformers and thunderstorms knocked down power lines. Electrical outages were reported north of Caseville, the Sand Point area of Pigeon and near Sebewaing. Detroit Edison crews restored power by mid-day Thursday.

## ISD SETS NOV. 13 ELECTION

Huron County voters will get a third opportunity to vote to establish a county vocational skills center. A special election will be conducted Tuesday, Nov. 13 seeking 1.49 mills for constructing and equipping the facility, to be located somewhere in a 25-square-mile area around Bad Axe. Two previous votes were turned down in past years. The project would primarily offer auto repair, machine shop, building construction, health careers and other technical classes for all 11th and 12th grade students in Huron County.

## TORNADO DAMAGES SANILAC

At least \$500,000 in damages were reported late Sunday in Sanilac County's Fremont Township, following tornadoes which ripped through the area. Sheriff's Deputies say 10 houses were damaged and many crops were ruined by the twisters about 5:45 p.m. A 10-year-old boy was injured near Crosswell by falling debris, but no other injuries were reported.

## POLICE NEWS SUMMARY

No deaths or serious accidents were reported during this long Labor Day weekend in Western Huron County. Monday's cold, rainy weather sent many vacationers home earlier than usual, and slowed most driving speeds. About \$3300 in computer equipment was stolen from Laker High School within the past month, according to Huron County Sheriff's Deputies. A computer with dual disk drives and printer plus a color TV monitor were reported missing. No signs of forced entry were reported, and investigation continues, according to deputies.

## \$175,000 GRANT FOR COUNTY

A \$175,000 grant for housing rehabilitation has been awarded to Huron County under the Michigan State Housing Development Authority's Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program. The money will be used to finance housing rehabilitation and for weatherization and other improvements, according to State Sen. James Barcia (D-Bay City) who announced the grant.

## COURT PROCEEDINGS

Carl Forman, 40 of Caseville, pled guilty recently in Huron County District Court to impaired driving charges. He was ordered to pay \$350 in fines and costs and lost driving privileges for 90 days, before Judge John Schubel in Bad Axe.

# Records set at YFC Auction

Predictions of a record setting Bluewater Youth for Christ auction this year proved to be accurate. Last Saturday, the nonprofit organization netted a total of \$15,000 from the event, representing a 33% increase over last year, according to Executive Director Dwight Gascho. The auction attracted nearly 1000 people during the day, which featured a bake sale, crafts and food in addition to the auction.

The auction itself brought in \$10,800, with the playhouse bought for \$800 and a hand-made utility shed sold for \$900. Both items were constructed by Gascho. Food proved to be a

popular attraction again this year. Baked goods netted \$1800 and another \$1200 was raised from soup, sandwiches and pieces of pie. Some pies were also auctioned, with a peanut butter pie attracting a bid of \$50. Auctioneer Virg Albrecht bought the treat baked by his mother after outbidding his brother, Herb.

A new part of the auction this year was a special crafts sale. About \$1200 was spent on the many hand-made creations. "We're very pleased and grateful for the support by so many individuals with donations and purchases of items, as well as the volunteer help by many at the auction," Gascho says.



PORTRAIT WORK: Local artist Sandy Karls finishes a pastel sketch of Betty Guenther of Sebewaing, during Saturday's fifth annual Bluewater Youth For Christ Auction at Pigeon Recreation Park. Mrs. Guenther's husband, Duane, is President of the Bluewater YFC Board of Directors. Mrs. Karls' work is admired by passersby.

**ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS, WE PRINT!**  
It's a Print Index Extra. Now is the time for Truth, justice, the Presses. Stop the Galley. AP Style.

OBSERVATIONS BY PUBLISHER MARK RUMMEL AND ANYBODY ELSE HE CAN GET TO WRITE 'EM!  
GONE, NOT FORGOTTEN - Thanks, the seven people who took time to mention it, for missing us in this space last week. Sometimes, we really just plain run out of room. It's fascinating - after nearly seven full years of doing this - that space-juggling is such a challenge and so unpredictable, week after week. But it's fun, too...

LAKER 25TH EXPLANATION - One or two people have been inquiring about how this is only the 24th Laker High year. Not true!

The seniors who started school last week are the Class of 1985, since they'll be graduating this coming May (1985). So, if you remember that the Class of 1961 was the first to graduate from EPBP High, (that's number one...) you can figure this 1985 class is the 25th! Quite remarkable, since it was an early and successful consolidated district in the state.

KNOW WHAT I LOVE ABOUT FALL? - I love how slowly the flies move around now. Those little pests have been bugging us all summer, and now we get our revenge. They're easier to swat or catch in mid-air now.

HIGH NUMBER OF HIGHWAY JOBS? - A recent story from the Michigan Department of Transportation answers a question we certainly had. It's lead is: "If you've gotten the impression that lots of highway work is going on out there this summer, you're absolutely right."

Part of it is thanks to the state's \$135 million bond issue last year, plus another \$50 million in bonds this year. A total of 535 projects are underway now, on the 9500-mile state highway system.

Plus, our own Huron County Road Commission is doing much work in this area, paving, repaving and grading all types of roads. This is the first time in more than 10 years that repairs are keeping pace with deterioration, the Transportation Department says.

Remember, highway and bridge work will be one of Michigan's (and the Midwest's) two fastest-growing expenses in coming years - matched with water handling and purity control. You heard it here, first.

WELCOME, PASTOR KARLS - Salem United Methodist Church Minister Rev. Mark Karls begins his new column this week, entitled "Roses and Thorns." He offers a fresh and important perspective on the world, and we hope you enjoy it. We're always looking for more items to whet your reading whistle...

WHILE WE'RE AT IT - And, watch for "YOU KNOW you live in a small town..." also debuting this week. We've been collecting some of these, but we welcome YOUR additions. No cash prizes or gifts, but you'll get your name in the paper! Just write 'em down and get 'em to us...

FINALLY - Watch for the Village Qwik-Stop's "PICK THE PIGSKIN" Contest, also kicking off this week. (It's on Page 16). Co-sponsored by The Progress-Advance, it offers prizes each week - plus a grand prize of two Detroit Lions game tickets! You can enter once a week - so send in or drop off your entry!

WISH I'D SAID THAT - "It's so nice to get flowers while you can still smell the fragrance!" (Lena Horne)

# Pigeon IGA's Beef Round Up

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\* Limit 8 Per Customer.

\* Not valid with beer, wine, or tobacco product coupons.



As we see it editorially

# One way to balance budget!

The truly tiny town of Vance, Alabama came upon a unique way to balance its village budget, although we wouldn't recommend it here. When the 254 folks who live there learned they had just \$285 in the town's bank book in July, they laid off all six municipal employees -- and took over their jobs!

This may be a severe form of belt-tightening, but apparently it's working. Now, Mayor Milton Kellum runs the mosquito sprayer four nights a week. A councilman cuts grass at the civic center, while the city clerk volunteers her time now, without pay. Town residents haul away their own garbage, and a Tuscaloosa policeman who lives in Vance patrols the town's one street while off-duty.

As published reports indicate, being broke is the biggest thing ever to hit Vance, Ala. The townsfolk don't consider themselves poor. Not by any means. The town has no debt and has about \$500,000 in assets. In fact, that's how the trouble began.

Vance built a new fire and police station last year, and the \$138,000 project was about \$38,000 over budget when finished. So the town fathers (and mothers) used their reserve funds to pay the entire costs of the building, leaving the \$285 balance.

So rather than borrowing -- and paying interest rates on loans just to issue a few paychecks -- the town council laid off all six employees. Vance won't get any revenues until taxes and rents are paid in February, so it's a half-year wait, at least.

But the town is doing well. At least that's what most of Vance's 254 residents say.

Alabama Governor George Wallace sent the town \$5000 from his "discretionary fund," saying he had read about Vance being out of money -- but also out of debt. "I think this is certainly a compliment to any city or town in Alabama to be out of debt and have a fine city government going." Vance can use the money

any way it wishes. Small donations have been received from all over the country, from people who usually write that they're proud of Vance, often adding, "if all governing bodies were run like you run your town, it would be a better world."

"We had to do something to save money, and we decided to take what seemed to be the lesser of all the evils," Councilman Bob Sauls said. (He's the one who cuts the civic center grass.) "If we had borrowed money, we'd be right back in the same spot next summer. So far, it's worked out fine because people in Vance take a special pride in their town."

Obviously, too bad state and national leaders don't follow such an example more closely. Too bad most of them spend, spend, spend, and spend again -- rather than wisely manage the money we all work so hard to give up so quickly to taxes.

We don't recommend Vance's solution here, but it's closer to the right way than it is to the wrong way. Big governments would be chaotic without law enforcement, defense and other services offered 'round the clock.

But Vance's situation asks some good questions. The main one is easy to identify, too.

Why is the word "save" so difficult for state and national officials to say -- when "spend" flows off their tongues so much faster?

PETE PROGRESS SAYS:

"Don't blow it -- good planets are hard to find!"



## Roses and Thorns

By Mark Karls

### How can John be helped?

John was a good kid. Good grades, good church attendance, good home, good everything was his trademark. Last week was his first as a big eighth grader at Laker Junior High School.

Like most kids his age (13) he was experiencing the normal physical changes of puberty which brought on a great deal of self-consciousness and a little more need for peer acceptance and confidence. He had been offered a drink on earlier occasions by friends, but had refused (or taken only a sip) because of his training and pre-pubescent confidence.

On day John was invited to a party at a friend's house after a Laker football game, where the parents were gone for the weekend and John could stay the night after the party. Because of his physical changes John felt a little more hesitant with girls than usual. Knowing, however, he did not have to go home that evening, John took a full glass of beer and found after drinking it that he felt a little more at ease with himself and those around him. He seemed to enjoy himself more because of this and had another drink. He was not afraid to ask the cutest girl to dance. This was fantastic!

By evening's end, however, John had become addicted to a feeling and had consumed enough beer to leave him propped next to the toilet for the remainder of the night. Fortunately John was not going home for the night, so no one had to know but his friends who now encouraged John that he was becoming a man. They also did not mind this first time taking care of him and later carrying him to bed. The next day John was able to sleep off the symptoms and by supper time was able to go home as if nothing had happened.

John's pattern had become established. He was hooked on a feeling (which every drug dependent person is). The next party to come along found John being extra careful because this time he had to go home for the night. However, the need to relax at the party, coupled with the addiction to a feeling, led John to have one beer which somehow led to 12 and John was back in the bathroom. Unfortunately, this time he could not stay away from home. A few "friends" drove him around to get fresh air and dumped coffee into him, but they had to get home too. So John's friends carried him to his house, leaned him against the front door, rang the bell and fled.

When mom and dad opened the door to find their son tumble into the living room, they were totally shocked. Immediately, concern for the son's welfare began to turn to concern that the neighbors might have witnessed this embarrassing, or the police may have been involved or word would spread of this at school and eventually to parents in the community. Still in shock, mom and dad carried John to his

room, afraid his little brother of sister might wake up and see this mess. Guilt begins to ooze all over mom and dad as to how such a good boy with seemingly the best upbringing could ever fall to such depths.

The next morning John sleeps until way past noon. For his sake (and the parents') mom and dad explain to the other children that John got sick at the party and needs the rest. When John eventually finds his way downstairs, the opportunity to talk is delayed until the other children are shuffled outside, but mom and dad either do not know what to say or they explode into a tirade. Communication is stifled. John is already addicted to a feeling. Mom and dad are seeking the best for their son in deep love, and hope laying this incident to rest will allow John to begin anew. But rest assured, it will never happen!

A teenage alcoholic has been established. He needs help, but how?

**A PERSONAL NOTE FROM THE WRITER:** I am fairly new in the Pigeon area. The bulk of my work is the building and rebuilding of human lives (I am a pastor).

Having met nearly 200 weekly deadlines for my previous community's newspaper, Mark Rummel requested I write for The Progress-Advance. I requested postponing my decision until I have lived in this community for at least a year (it has now been 14 months). Few people are open to an outsider's opinion.

I have chosen to begin my weekly columns with a seven-part series on alcoholism. This is because of the timeliness of the beginning of school with the usually early onset of the disease in the junior high years (or even earlier). The above article is for illustrative purposes only and by no means is it intended to portray an actual student at Lakers, although quite a number of Laker students could fall into its description.

This is a serious subject. Statistics show that one out of every four people who use alcohol are alcoholics. This means that if half the senior class at Laker High School uses alcohol, then one-fourth of them (or one out of every eight students) have alcohol as a problem in their lives.

Over the next six weeks we will become educated as a community on drug addiction (mostly by looking at the drug called alcohol) -- how it starts, how people respond to it and what need to be done with it.

Not all articles will be serious in this column over the months the months to come. We hope to have fun together as we learn more about life and ourselves.

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## RECOLLECTIONS of by-gone days



By GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR,

In my last article, I wrote how I got to Strasburg and got to bed real tired. Well, the next morning I got up at 10 o'clock and went down for breakfast. It was hard French bread, jam and coffee.

Then, we got on the bus to the conference. I sat with a man from South America who was a veterinarian. We spoke in German and had a good visit. When we got there, the people were already going in and when you are in a crowd of 6000, you feel quite small.

One couple stopped me and asked if I was any relation to the Keims in Ohio. They saw my name on my card and here they knew my brothers in Ohio -- and were a little related to me!

There were about 30 people there from Taiwan and they sang and had a band. After the service, we got into groups and had discussions. I was in Group 39 and didn't know anybody.

Our leader was a woman from Canada, but people all spoke English. There were some Dutch, Germans and Americans in the group. And we soon knew each other.

We then went for dinner and the people didn't push or elbow. Everybody waited their turn and for 6000 people, we got fed a lot quicker and better than before.

In the afternoon, we took in movies or different things.

They had places in the main building where you could go in and talk with people about different things. I went into one place and started to talk with one of the counselors who was in her early 20s. She asked me how people are doing in the U.S.

I told her times are good and people are at work. She said times must be pretty bad, with that president you have. She asked if I was going to vote for him.

I said sure, there isn't anything else to do. Well, she said, people are walking around begging for food and he's spending the money on guns.

I asked here where she found all that out and she said from news reports. She got all riled up and talked German and English and I just walked away.

The European people are mostly very friendly, but don't talk politics with them because they think they know more than we do!

If you read the 13th Chapter of Romans, you will see what our duty is to our rulers, especially verse 7 which says, "Render therefore to all their due tribute, to whom tribute is due." Maybe our President doesn't do everything, but he at least tries and he deserves a little honor for it.

I'll write some more next time.

SINCERELY YOURS,  
GEORGE KEIM

## Inspector Gordo's Minute Mystery THE CASE OF THE Nature lover

On the night of June 15, Matt Reys, a Wall Street broker, was shot to death in his top floor apartment. The police immediately threw out a search for Bill Kay, who had publicly sworn "to get" Reys.

"Reys testified against Kay when Kay was sentenced for income tax evasion. He recently finished serving a year in prison," Chief Chapter told Inspector Gordo as the pair drove upstate ten days after the murder.

"Yesterday," continued the chief, "a hiker came upon Kay camping out. Kay claims to have been there since his release from prison a month ago. He hadn't heard about Reys' death, he said.

"He gave himself up to the local authorities voluntarily," continued the chief. "I asked Sheriff Rathert to guide us to Kay's campsite."

The sheriff's car was waiting on the side of the highway. He led the way over the rutty back roads as far as the two cars would travel.

Proceeding on foot, they tramped for miles back into the green hills, arriving finally at a tent pitched on a grassy meadow.

"Kay claims he has lived in this tent on this meadow for a month," said the sheriff. "He could have too, for all anyone ever comes by this spot."

"The airtight alibi," said Gordo, ducking into the tent. Two metallic objects glinted on the green grass by Kay's cot.

"Rifle shells, the same caliber used in killing Reys," said Gordo. "You can take us to Kay now, chief. He's going to need a new alibi!"

Why? Answer on page 8

# Readers respond to Airport issues

Dear Editor:

In answer to Mr. Lee Steinman's letter in last week's Progress-Advance, I can only agree to one thing and that is that the truth must be told before the Caseville Township recall election. Ron Bieri, the anti-airport loser, so-called by Mr. Steinman, and Mr. Reeves, the nice-guy, who is the man who told the people he was going back on his word for their right to vote, I would like Mr. Steinman to know the truth about the election. As I understand it, and in the counting of the ballots when the third machine was counted, Ron Bieri was ahead by quite a few votes until the large amount of absentee ballots were counted.

I think the ladies who counted ballots did a tremendous job and should be congratulated for a very hard task and deserve a big "thank you" because it was

one of Caseville's biggest elections.

As to the open letter to the voters, there are no lies, they are facts, true facts, just like it states. The part about the Pontiac-Oakland airport you forgot to mention there are 600 aircraft based there and then taxpayer funds are needed for capital improvements.

If you and your associates want to see Caseville grow and expand, why don't you and Mr. Kraft move your businesses to Caseville, or are you just good enough for your airport so your boys can play with their toys?

Another thing I would like to clear up is about the family that complains about Farver's airstrip. The noise is a problem, but not so much as the careless flying of the pilots. Maybe you should check some of the police reports that have been made, and maybe to your surprise you might find they have a LEGAL complaint.

After all, it is that home that is supposed to be in Mr. Farver's flight pattern, so he states.

The last paragraph of your letter was a ridiculous as the first one. Who are you to say this township may be liable for nearly a quarter-million dollars if this township board drops this airport? This sounds like a dictatorship to me. Is this a threat to the people of Caseville? If the township board was aware of this, it should have been brought to the peoples' attention a long time ago. Who are you, Mr. Kraft, and your associates to upset our town like you have done with this airport? Then you have the guts to run the COC down when they have only been fighting for the peoples' right to vote. I think the township board should be recalled and Mr. Steinman, look back over the last 1 1/2 years and see whose fault this recall really is. By the way, it sounds friends do not

mean much anymore... dollar signs are more important. Justice will be served in Caseville.

A recaller and proud of it,  
Dorothy Bennetts Caseville

Dear Editor:

I am saddened by the fact that some of you people that I thought to be responsible, intelligent and somewhat civic-minded are members of or have allied yourselves with a group that has been determined to overturn our present government here in Caseville Township.

Being against the airport is your only obvious reason for this recall. I don't wash. Ask yourselves why your leaders are pushing for this. Who gains from it? You don't?

The American way, if you are dissatisfied with a per-

son in office, is to put up responsible alternative candidates and let the electorate decide. However, you already know this, but it got lost somewhere.

So I ask you, "Where were you when 80-2 was passed? You weren't present at the Township meetings voicing any objection. You didn't care then. Why do you care now?"

As intelligent people, THINK what can happen. If you let your blind acceptance of rumors, un-truths, half-truths and emotions run away with you. We can be without a government for almost eight weeks. If so, no business can be transacted. The recall election is costly, not only in money, but in causing rifts -- friend against friend, customer against businessman -- and can be a long time healing.

I ask you to think, ask the right questions, LISTEN to the answers, don't follow blindly. THINK for yourself.

Don't be afraid to stand up for a "no" vote on the recall. Deep in your heart, you know the recall is wrong and irresponsible.

I am disappointed that you could cause or perpetuate all this trouble in our community. Our township has been grievously harmed and I am sad.

Jackie Lankey Caseville

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Darlene R. Ginter  
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**Pigeon District Library News**

**STORY HOUR**  
Preschool Story Hour on Tuesday, Sept. 11 will be based on the theme of "Fall" and will include the stories "Deep in the Forest," "About Autumn" and "Autumn Record." Jane Himmel and Peggy Karl will be in charge and plan games, songs and fingerplays for the children, along with the filmstrip entitled "Tawny Scrawny Lion."

As a special take-home project, the children will receive a colored leaf to be used with the fingerplay entitled "Gently Falling Leaves."  
Two sessions of Story Hour are planned each Tuesday, the first from 9 to 10 a.m. and the second from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. All preschool children are invited to attend either hour.

**AN HOUR OF FUN SEPT. 22**

Plans are being made for a Saturday Story Hour to be held once a month at the library from 1 to 2 p.m. Children in grades kindergarten through third are invited to attend an hour of fun which will include crafts, games, stories and filmstrips.

The first Saturday Story Hour is scheduled for Sept. 22 with Jane Himmel in charge.

**PICK A MOVIE WEEK**

Sept. 15-22 is scheduled for the quarterly Pick-A-Movie week for all PDL Video Tape Club members. Two Saturdays are scheduled for the convenience of members that work during the week.

Voting ballots will again be used with a limit of five videotape suggestions per family. These suggestions will be reviewed by Librarian Roberta Richmond and the Tape Club Committee from the Library Board of Trustees and purchasing will follow.

**SCHOOL CLASS VISITS BEGIN**

Since school is back in session, the Pigeon District Library will be filled with students visiting the library on Fridays.

**Family reunion**

**Voss**  
The Keith Fritz and Vern Voss families were hosts for the 47th annual Voss reunion on Sunday, Aug. 26 at the Owendale Park.

Walter Buchholz of Saginaw led the members in the table prayer before the potluck dinner.

The business meeting was presided over by Dale Schuette. Don Schuette is vice president and Wilma Kovach is secretary-treasurer. Roll call was answered by 93 members and two guests. The secretary recorded seven births, three marriages and two deaths. There are now 464 members in the Voss family.

Joshua Dean Sprague, son of Brad and Beth Sprague, was the youngest child present.

The Walter Schuette family was in charge of entertainment this year, and they will be hosts next year. The Zimmerman family from the Bay City-Auburn area, will be in charge of entertainment next year.

Naomi Jantzi instructs the classes on how to find library material by using the card catalog file and presents a report on a subject of interest to the students. Time usually is given for the students to locate and check-out books.

Any teacher interested in bringing a school class to the library to visit is asked to call Mrs. Jantzi at the library.

**Two Caseville tots win in contest**

Joshua Murphy, son of Todd and Lori Murphy of Caseville and Jessica Ross, daughter of Ralph and Molly Ross of Caseville, were named "Prettiest Babies of Caseville" at the Caseville Recreation Park.



Joshua Murphy Jessica Ross

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**Pigeon Library okays plans**



Board members of the Pigeon District Library have approved working plans for the expansion project to the existing Library building at 7236 Nitz Street.

HERE, looking over the plans are Board members, seated from left, Chairman Pauline Eichler, Barbara Krohn, Janet Heckman and Vice Chairman Joanne Christner. Standing are Librarian Roberta Richmond, Secretary-Treasurer Carol Webber, Janet Love and Neila Collison. Absent was Marie Leipprandt.

In all, the plan adds about 2700 square feet of public space in the Library. Located in the former Schaaf Plumbing and Michigan Directory buildings just east of the present Library are an audio-visual and public meeting room, an inside book depository, reference room, increased storage space and other improvements. The 46-foot by 66-foot building was recently purchased from Mutual Savings & Loan, which is planning a new office just north of the present Library.

The new Library building will be connected directly to the main hallway in the present building.

Robert Hogan Construction of Bad Axe will be contractor for the project. Work will begin immediately, with completion before the end of the year, according to Library officials. Hogan was contractor for the original Library construction project, which renovated the former Gem Theatre and adjacent buildings 10 years ago, in 1974.

Exterior designs will follow the same architectural lines of the present building along Nitz Street.

**Thumb area club meets**

**ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS**

There were 65 present when the Elkton Senior Citizens met on Aug. 28. Clayton Gemmill gave the table prayer. Guests welcomed were Ethel Jamieson, Margaret Ruth, Earl and Norma Eidt Laich and Jean Eidt Bettes. "God Bless America" was sung and the Pledge to the Flag given. Harold and Beatrice Gregor were in charge of group singing, using several familiar choruses. The birthday of Ethel Jamieson was observed with the Birthday Song. A letter from the Laker High School 25th Reunion Committee was read. A donation will be sent to help with expenses. Cards were signed for Alice Bowles and Ina Anderson. Committees were appointed for September, including Eva and Sherm Day and Florence Southworth, set-up; Harold Gregor, Mildred Dietzel, Catherine Protzman, Buelah Motz and Jim and Marie Hoffman, clean-up. Several members brought vegetables and flowers, which were given away.

Deila Trudgeon was in charge of the program, speaking on ways grandparents enrich the lives of their grandchildren through poetry and stories, as well as talking about their childhood. She recited several short poems of her youth that were familiar to all, having been studied at school.

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**The Township of Caseville ordains:**

The Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships, and Villages promulgated by the Director of State Police and published in the 1979 edition of the Michigan Administrative Code, and amendments as published in the Quarterly Supplement No. 5 to the 1979 Edition of the Michigan Administrative Code, in accordance with Public Act 62 of 1956, State of Michigan, is hereby adopted by reference as in this ordinance modified.

References in the Uniform Traffic Code for Michigan Cities, Townships and Villages to "governmental unit" shall mean the Township of Caseville. The Township Clerk shall publish this ordinance in the manner required by law and shall at the same time publish a supplementary notice setting forth the purpose of the said Uniform Traffic Code and of the fact that a complete copy of the code is available at the office of the Clerk for inspection by the public at all times.

All other ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of the Uniform Traffic Code are, to the extent of such inconsistency hereby repealed.

The Uniform Traffic Code will be in effect in this governmental unit 20 days after the publication of this adopting ordinance.

Adopted: August 6, 1984

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**THURSDAY, SEPT. 6**  
\*Jane Addams: Birthday. Born 1860. American worker for peace, social welfare, rights of women, founder of Hull House in Chicago and co-winner of Nobel Prize in 1931. Died May 21, 1935.

**FRIDAY, SEPT. 7**  
\*Queen Elizabeth I: Birthday. Born 1533. Queen of England, daughter of Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn, after whom the "Elizabethan Era" was named. Died March 24, 1603.

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 8**  
\*Pardon Day. Anniversary of the "full, free and absolute pardon" to former president Richard Nixon for all offenses committed against the United States from Jan. 20, 1969-Aug. 9, 1974, issued by President Gerald Ford on Sept. 8, 1974.

**SUNDAY, SEPT. 9**  
\*National Grandparents Day. Purpose: A day for visiting grandparents or elderly shut-ins, giving them recognition and showing our appreciation. Always the first Sunday after Labor Day.

**MONDAY, SEPT. 10**  
\*Isaac Funk: Birthday. Born 1839. American publisher and partner in Funk & Wagnalls. Died April 4, 1912.

**TUESDAY, SEPT. 11**  
\*O. Henry: Birthday. Born 1862. American author best known for his short stories. Died June 5, 1910.

**'Wheels for Life' ride fights childhood cancer**

**Enrichment classes at Caro set**

Enrichment classes for Fall 1984 are being offered by Caro Community Education Department. Fees, dates and times vary, with most classes beginning the week of Sept. 10. Microwave cooking, chair caning, flower arranging, personal computers, general and advanced mathematics and swimming classes are among some of the offerings. For more information contact the Community Education Program at 673-3166, extension 241.

**Horse sense coming to MSU**

A new, two-year program of study in horse management will be offered this fall at Michigan State University's Institute of Agricultural Technology (IAT).

Clifford Jump, IAT Director, says the program will emphasize management and equine skills that will prepare students for positions in Michigan's growing horse industry.

"There are many opportunities for students in the saddle, pleasure and racehorse industries, if they have the proper training in management and production techniques," Jump says. "Our program will offer the most current training available in these areas." A unique feature of the two-year program, he says, is an internship in the horse industry.

Classes in this program start Sept. 20. For more information on enrollment, contact Dr. Clifford Jump, IAT Director, Room 120 Agriculture Hall, MSU, East Lansing, MI 48824, phone 355-0190.

Bike-a-thon Chairman Glenn Henne, co-chairman Sue Schweitzer and Cathy Steele ask Bay Port residents to join the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital "Wheels for Life" bike-a-thon slated for Sept. 15 at the Bay Port Grove. Glenn, Kathy and Sue said this ride honors Jaime, a leukemia patient at St. Jude. "With every turn of the wheel, riders become 'spokes' - men for all the kids with cancer, like Jaime, who want to know they aren't in this battle alone." Sponsors donating a sum for each mile completed are enlisted by riders. Those who raise \$25 receive a St. Jude t-shirt. When \$75 is raised, the rider receives a barrel tote bag and a t-shirt. Sponsor forms may be picked up at Bay Port Elementary School. "The general plan is to have a good time while helping a wonderful group of children counting on our support," Henne said. Contact Cathy Steele at 656-9978 or Sue Schweitzer at 453-3638 for details on riding or sponsoring a rider.

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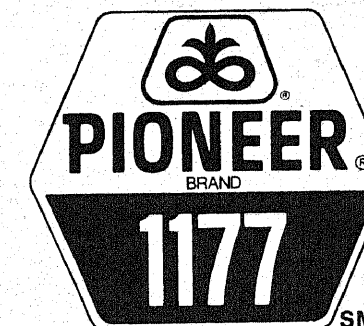
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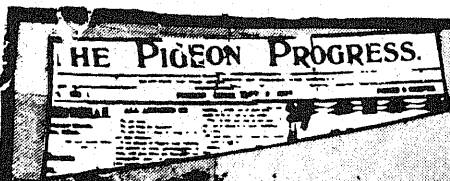
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# The Past in Print



## 80 YEARS AGO SEPT. 16, 1904

Silas Bedford sold his property at the head of Main Street in Pigeon to Samuel Elenbaum.

A new Mennonite church is being erected two miles south of Pigeon.

John Steinman suffered a fractured shoulder bone when he fell from a threshing machine at the farm of R. Roberts in Caseville Twp.

An elk's horn was found at Mud Creek when Eisingers, Taylor and Franklin workers were digging a trench for a culvert foundation.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Kleinfeld, Bay Port, last week, a son.

Chris Link is building a new brick house on his farm near Linkville.

Three new forms of contract will be offered by Michigan beet sugar factories to the farmer next season: one will pay \$5 a ton for beets at the factory; second pays \$4.75 for beets delivered on train cars, the factory paying the freight; third is \$4.50 a ton for 15% beets and 33 cents additional for each addition % of sugar.

Isaac Weidman and Miss Lizzie Pfaff of this vicinity were married Wednesday.

## and four sons. Bay Port men John Fahrner, Sam Wallace, Walter M. Baur, James Hille, William Lobdell, John Wise, Henry Uptegrove, Arthur Stahl, Bert Baur, Preston Murdoch, Americus and Leon Lounsbury and Stanley Hilyer drove to Detroit Sunday where they attended the Detroit-Washington ball game.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Doerflinger, Lockport, N.Y. a daughter. Mrs. Doerflinger was formerly Miss Sue Kleinfeld, daughter of Mrs. Julia Kleinfeld, Bay Port.

About 200 Mexicans celebrated Mexico's National Day in Pigeon on Monday and Tuesday. Pigeon town hall was decorated with the national colors of Mexico and the U.S. Speaking and a music program was given Monday evening followed by dancing. A parade was held Tuesday afternoon on Main Street, and a street dance in the evening.

## 50 YEARS AGO SEPT. 14, 1934

William F. Schultz, 80, Pigeon, who formerly conducted a blacksmith shop and potash factory at Berne, died Tuesday. He is survived by his widow, a brother and two sisters.

Oliver Willett has leased the Star Theater at Elkton from G.W. Ackerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Richmond, McKinley, entertained 35 guests at a buffet supper in honor of their 15th wedding anniversary.

Miss Maxine Bannister, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bannister, Caro and Stanley Niebel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niebel,

## 70 YEARS AGO SEPT. 18, 1914

This issue is missing from files.

## 60 YEARS AGO SEPT. 19, 1924

Fred A. Henne, 71, Pigeon, retired farmer, passed away Thursday. He is survived by his widow, five daughters

## Pigeon, were married Sunday.

Frank D. Fitzgerald was the successful Republican candidate for governor, defeating Alex J. Groesbeck and Arthur J. Lacy was the winning Democratic candidate, defeating Gov. Comstock at primaries Tuesday.

Gail Graves & Michlen of Saginaw, well drillers, are erecting equipment to drill for oil on the W.B. Richmond farm in McKinley.

New pupils attending Bay Port High School this year are: Beatrice Langley, Ruby Jean, Jane Lukasiak, Bob McLean and Bob Nichol, Caseville; Louise Mohr, Morris Thick, Mud Creek; Jay Mitten, Snell; Doris Dinkel, Quarry; Arnold Stoskopf, Kilmanagh.

## 40 YEARS AGO SEPT. 15, 1944

Bernie C. McLeish, Bay Port postmaster, has been elected president of the Michigan chapter of National Assn. of Postmasters. This is the first time that a town with a third class post office has had its postmaster elected state president.

Mrs. John Sticken, 59, Owendale, the former Caroline Volz, passed away last Thursday. Surviving are her husband and four children.

Reinhart Bauer, former teacher at Kewaskum, Wisc., will be installed as teacher Sept. 17 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville.

Mrs. Fred Watterworth, Chandler, has been appointed a member of the Democratic state central committee from the seventh congressional district.

Service News: T-4 Wendolin Clabuesch informed his sister, Miss Ruth Clabuesch, Pigeon, of his safe arrival somewhere in India. Mrs. William Fibranz received word that her son, Pvt. John Pitcher, has arrived somewhere overseas. Pfc. Floyd Christner was wounded in action in France July 14 and has been transferred from an English hospital to Fletcher Gen. Hospital, Cambridge, Ohio.

Stanley Niebel, who purchased the Pigeon IGA store from Amos Lowe several

## weeks ago, is holding a grand opening this week.

## 30 YEARS AGO SEPT. 17, 1954

Starting line-up for Pigeon High School football team is Clifford Buschlen, Gerald Himmel, John Gettel, Keith Wurst, Bob Ziel, Orville Schuette, Fred Walmsley, Tom Schafer, Kent Paul, Jim Christner and Delton Baerwolf.

Mrs. Almira Collison, 178, died Sunday at her home in Caseville. She is survived by her husband, William, two daughters and three sons.

Mrs. Esia Palagnuk, 85, the former Natalie C. Olshansky, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Murow, in Bay Port. She leaves her husband, two daughters and three sons.

Mrs. Steve Lakish, 67, died at her home in Caseville. She leaves three stepdaughters and two stepsons.

Everett Smith, 56, lifelong resident of Bay Port, died Wednesday. He leaves a sister.

A record 724 students have enrolled in Elkton Community School, an increase of 58 over last year.

Mrs. Mary Ann Eidt, Elkton, was honored on her 83rd birthday anniversary with a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Eidt, Bay City.

Miss Betty Ann Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmidt, Bay Port, graduated from her three-year nurses training course at Harper Hospital, Detroit and will continue her duties there.

## 20 YEARS AGO SEPT. 17, 1964

Sharon Weiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Weiss Pigeon, graduated Sept. 12 from Henry Ford Hospital school of nursing and has accepted a position at Northville State Hospital.

Seventy-five members of the family of the late John Zinnecker gathered at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. George Southworth near Elkton to honor Mrs. Anna Thiel, Gary, IN, only living member of the original family.

## Leonard Wing, 71, died Sept. 10 at his home in Windsor. He is survived by his widow, one daughter and two sons.

Mrs. Vera Commins, 69, widow of the late William Commins, formerly of Elkton, died Sunday. She leaves two daughters and three sons.

## 10 YEARS AGO SEPT. 19, 1974

R.C. Dixon, M.D. was named chief of staff at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, at the 30th annual meeting of trustees at Pigeon District Library Sept. 14. Other staff officers are C.S. Elliott, M.D. and M.G. Sorenson, M.D.

Elsie A. Damm, 78, Pigeon, passed away Sept.

## 12. She is survived by her husband, Roy, two daughters and two sons.

Bertha E. Elftman, 74, Bay Port, died Sept. 16. Surviving are three daughters.

Vernon N. Thompson, 45, Elkton, passed away Sept. 10. He leaves his wife, a daughter and a son.

Adolph Renn, 76, Ortonville, formerly of Elkton, died Sept. 13. Surviving are his wife, a son and nine stepchildren.

Voters in the Huron Intermediate school district soundly rejected a \$2,400,000 bond issue for construction of a vocational-technical skills center in an election Tuesday, Sept. 10. Half of the estimated cost figure would have been paid for through a federal grant which had been officially approved.

## MINUTE MYSTERY ANSWER

Kay claimed he had lived in the tent for a month. Yet inside the tent the grass was still "green."

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## Laker 25th Reunion update information

It was confirmed during Thursday's Laker Reunion Committee meeting that Robert Story of Bay City will be guest director for the Alumni Band during the Laker 25th Anniversary celebration Sept. 21 and 22. He was band director at Pigeon High School for many years, then followed with a short career at Laker High School. The Pep Rally on Friday evening will feature the Alumni Band under the direction of Gwen Dutcher, former drum major at Laker High School.

Only one practice is set for the Alumni Band prior to Homecoming, on Monday, Sept. 17 at 7 p.m. in the Laker Band Room (see related story this page).

Entries for Saturday's parade are arriving daily. Each class from 1961-1984 is asked to participate in the parade, with a float, car or just walking, according to Mary Jane Voelker, chairman of the parade committee.

tee. She indicated some classes are getting together to build floats. Entries in the parade should use the theme, "Twenty-five Years of Class."

The committee is on the look-out for convertibles to be ridden by invited guests. Anyone who could donate the use of a convertible is asked to contact Mrs. Voelker.

Terry Henne, class of 1967, will be Master of Ceremonies at Saturday's Dinner/Dance at the Colony House, Cass City. Included on the program will be short talks by four men who have served as principal at Laker High School, Orville Snider, Ed Wolford, Duane Guenther and Jim Ballard.

## Laker Alumni Band set practice date

There will be only one practice for the Laker Alumni Band prior to the Homecoming celebration on Sept. 21 and 22.

This practice will be on Monday, Sept. 17 at 7 p.m. at the Laker band room. Those participating in the Alumni Band should pick up their music at the high school on Thursday, Sept. 6 between 8 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. or on Monday, Sept. 10 from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. Out-of-town band members should have a friend or relative pick up the music for them.

If someone has not signed up to participate in the band or questions if they are on the list, they should contact Donna Soper at 269-8584.

Watch here for alumni information for the Laker 25th Reunion!

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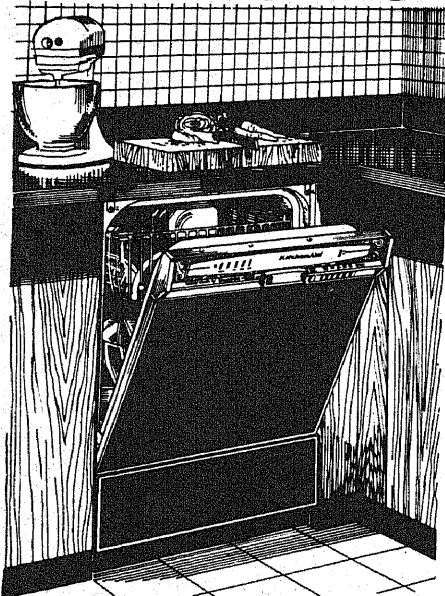
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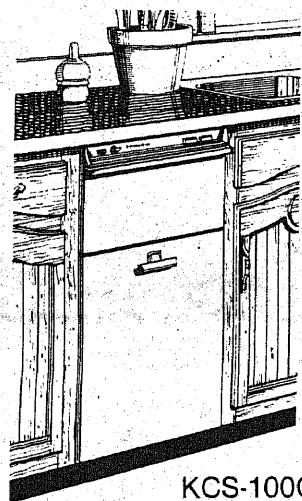
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**DINING IN HARMONY:**

The prospective Lake Huron Chapter of Sweet Adelines, Inc., is sponsoring a "Barbershop Harmony Steak Dinner" on Monday, Sept. 10 at Scenic Golf and Country Club, Pigeon, beginning at 7 p.m.

Featured entertainment will be "The New Edition" quartet, which includes Pigeon native Maurine (Scheurer) Roth who sings tenor in the group.

Tickets are available, at limited seating capacity, by calling Peg Hartman at 453-3112, Marian Rathje at 453-2524 or Ann Gorney at 856-1474.

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**Laker Band Boosters meet**

The first meeting of the Laker Band Boosters for this school year is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 7 p.m. in the Laker Band Room.

Meetings are scheduled for the second Tuesdays in November, January, March and May. Letters will be sent home with band members a few days before each meeting with details of business to be discussed that month.

Parents of junior and senior high band students are welcome, as well as any interested boosters of band.

**Library Club to re-open club year**

The Caseville Library Club will hold its first meeting of the 1984-85 club year on Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 12 noon in the Village-Township Hall Community Room, Caseville.

Yearbooks will be distributed. All members are asked to attend and to bring sack lunches.

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**School menus**

**LAKER SCHOOLS**

**MONDAY:** Pizza, macaroni and cheese, kitchen treat.

**TUESDAY:** Spaghetti, sloppy joe on bun, french fries.

**WEDNESDAY:** Pizza, hot dog on bun, french fries.

**THURSDAY:** Tacos, beef stew with a biscuit.

**FRIDAY:** Pizza, tuna melt, french fries.

Third choice all week is chicken salad sandwich.

**CROSS LUTHERAN**

**MONDAY:** Hobos, baked beans, pears, milk.

**TUESDAY:** Chicken and dressing, mashed potatoes, corn, bread, milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Pancakes (P.L. or B.B.), scrambled eggs, sausage, applesauce, milk.

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**FRIDAY:** Tuna noodle casserole, peas/green beans, pineapple cake, bread, milk.

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**Cynthia Black marries Mark Gettel Aug. 4**

Cynthia Marie Black of Kalamazoo and Mark Herbert Gettel of Sebawaing united their lives in marriage in a late afternoon ceremony on Saturday, Aug. 4 at Kanley Chapel, Kalamazoo, located at Western Michigan University.

Officiating at the double-ring ceremony was Rev. Herbert Ryan of Sebawaing, retired United Methodist pastor.

The bride is the daughter of Bette Chavoya of Kalamazoo and the groom is the son of Herbert and Doris Gettel of Sebawaing.

Gracing the wedding altar were gladiolus with tiger lilies and carnations in rainbow colors of lavender, peach and green.

Special wedding music during the ceremony included a duet of "The Wedding Song" by Susan Chavoya, sister of the bride and Jim Dohrmann, friend of the groom.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her brother, Gary Michael Chavoya, wore a floor-length off-the-shoulders gown of ivory satin with a chapel-length train and a pearl and lace headpiece with a medium length veil. Her bouquet was of roses and gardenias combined with baby's breath.

The bride wore a string of pearls and pearl earrings. The bride chose her sister, Susan Chavoya of

Kalamazoo, to be her maid of honor. She wore a peach floor-length gown with an off-the-shoulder neckline with a large ruffle around the shoulder area. Her headpiece was a halo of flowers to match her gown. She carried a bouquet of gladiolus with a large bow around the stem of the flowers to match the dress.

Another sister, Laurie Chavoya of Denver, Colo. and the bride's sister-in-law, Cindy Chavoya of Kalamazoo, served as bridesmaids. They were attired identically to the maid of honor in rainbow colors of lavender and green. Each wore a headpiece and carried flowers to match her gown.

Best man for the groom was Mike Trombley of Reese, friend of the groom. Groomsmen included his two brothers, Kent Gettel of Bad Axe and Gary Gettel of Lansing. The groom invited two friends, Jim Dohrmann of Reese and Kevin Weeks of Sebawaing, to serve as ushers.

The mother of the bride wore a mid-length dress in mauve, with flowing sleeves and a wide sash.

The mother of the groom wore a mid-length pink knit dress with three-quarter length sleeves and a scooped neckline.

The newlyweds greeted



Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gettel

guests at a reception at WMU's Student Union, then left for a one-week honeymoon in South Haven at the

beach of Lake Michigan. The couple is making their home at 112 Moeller Street, Pigeon.

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A personal and miscellaneous bridal shower was given in honor of Tamera Dell of Pigeon on Sunday, Aug. 26 in Union Lake.

Tamie's maid of honor, Kathy Himmel and her aunt, Shirley Himmel, both of Royal Oak hosted the event in the Briarwood Apartments Clubhouse.

Games were played and prizes were awarded. A buffet luncheon was served to the 20 guests attending, each guest was presented with a blue corsage, made by Tamie's aunt.

Tamie opened her gifts and a short funny story was told by Kathy when she was finished.

Tamie and Cliff Cook of Union Lake will be married on Sept. 15.

**Fall dates set at health clinic**

The Huron County Health Department will conduct regular immunization clinics each Tuesday during September. The Clinic hours in the Huron County Building in Bad Axe are 9-11 a.m. and 1-4 p.m.

T.B. testing is also available each Tuesday from 8:30-10 a.m. for a slight fee, except for individuals believed to have been in contact with someone with T.B.

The Health Department will also conduct immunization clinics in Sebawaing and Harbor Beach on the first Thursday of each month.

The clinics are scheduled for 1:30-4:30 p.m. at the Unionville-Sebawaing Middle School and from 9 a.m.-noon at the Community House in Harbor Beach.

Each child must be accompanied by a parent or guardian with a copy of the child's immunization record.

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3. Deadline for entry is 10 a.m., Sept. 20.
4. Judging will be Sept. 20. Winners will be announced that same day.
5. Enter your scarecrow by phoning June Kretzschmer at Kretzschmer Home Center, 453-3231, or drop off the handy entry form at KHC.
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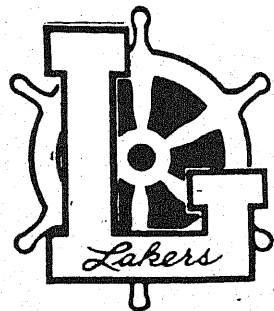
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## Laker High School 25th Anniversary Parade Entry Form



The Laker High School 25th Anniversary Planning Committee is sponsoring a Grand Parade in the Village of Pigeon, Michigan, on Saturday, September 22 beginning at 10:00 a.m.

The Parade Theme will be "Twenty-five Years of Class." The Parade Committee is looking for several types of entries, and hope that several groups and organizations will help add to the fun and excitement of the Weekend.

If you are interested in placing an entry in our parade, please fill out the form below and return it to:

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We wish to invite all businesses, groups, organizations, individuals and school pairs to join the parade!

### LHS ANNIVERSARY PARADE ENTRY FORM Saturday, September 21, 1984

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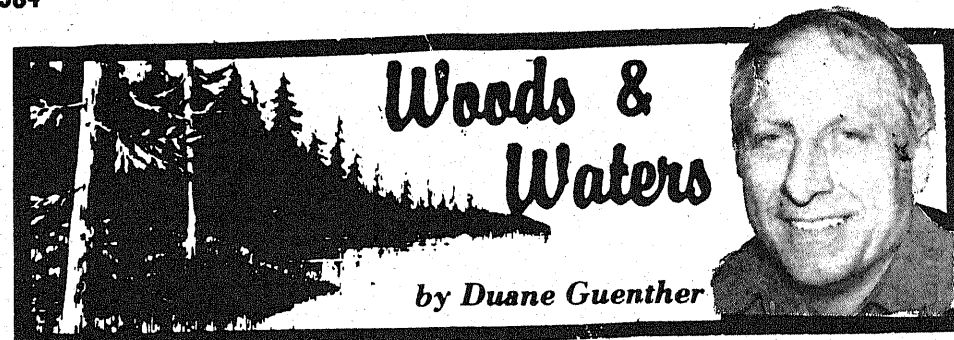
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## Woods & Waters

by Duane Guenther

### DU Banquet

Mark Oct. 27, 1984 on your calendar. That is the night the Saginaw Bay Chapter of Ducks Unlimited will host its Third Annual Fund-Raising Banquet.

The Saginaw Bay organization is one of 3,000 local chapters that exists throughout the U.S. All are members of Ducks Unlimited, Inc., an international organization born during the "dust bowl" days of the '30s when a presidential committee report decreed that the critical and continuing decline in wildlife resources, especially migratory waterfowl, was due to the destruction and neglect of vast natural breeding and nesting areas.

Briefly, the DU course of action was to raise funds from private sources in the U.S. for a waterfowl habitat restoration in Canada, where more than 70% of all waterfowl on the North American continent originate. The actual restoration was to be carried out by Canadians who would obtain no-cost land easements from governmental agencies and private landowners. This meant that the money raised would go totally into habitat improvement rather than land acquisition, giving optimum benefit to wildlife per dollar expended.

Since its beginning in 1937, DU's objective has remained the same. In fact, the increased awareness and scrutiny of current wildlife problems bears convincing testimony to the farsightedness of DU's original program. The challenge facing wildlife today can be summed up in two words: "disappearing habitat."

During its existence, DU has constructed over 2,400 wildlife habitat projects. These represent over 3.2 million acres and over 13,000 miles of shoreline. They have had to raise over \$200 million for this effort, most of it at the grassroots level in chapters like the Saginaw Bay of this area. With a membership of over 500,000, DU has a goal to put 80 cents out of every dollar collected directly to work for its intended purpose in Canada. Out of the remaining 20 cents comes all funds for field operations, membership services and promotion and education. Only four percent is spent on administration.

Over the years, DU has become the most successful money-raising organization devoted to conservation. Many new groups, like Trout Unlimited, Quail Unlimited, White-tails Unlimited, and others work on similar principles. But what is it that DU does at one of its dinners? While fund-raisers differ greatly, depending on the size of the club and the financial make-up of their members, most rely on the same techniques directed by the national committees.

The national headquarters begins by having an art contest and selecting a DU artist of the year. This print an numerous others commissioned, bought or donated, are reproduced and made available to the local committees. The same is done with guns, decoys, knives and other sporting equip-

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ment. Each committee is able to select from a list, the major prizes that their particular club wishes to choose. Other prizes are received in donated form from national sporting goods companies and local merchants.

The night of the dinner, these prizes are placed on either auction or raffle tables and the members are allowed to buy tickets or bid against each other in order to gain possession. A good committee will net an average of \$50 or \$80 per member during the evening's work.

The banquet provides a night out for men and women where they can gather in the company of other people who share their likes and interest and also creates the excitement of winning a spectacular prize.

Last year, at the Saginaw Bay Fund-Raiser, 21 wildlife prints and six hand-carved decoys were auctioned off with a net profit of over \$3,000 realized. On the raffle table, members bought chances on Gore-Tex rainwear, four shotguns and two .22s, plus working decoys, both duck and goose, clothing, knives, ice spuds, shellboxes and numerous other items.

Each member, for his \$30 dinner ticket, received a door prize worth at least \$10, plus his dinner for the evening and a year's membership, complete with magazine, in Ducks Unlimited. The 80 members turned back to the national organization a little more than \$4,000 for the evening. However, by comparison, Dallas, Tex. made \$132,000 during a similar banquet.

While most members are from the local area, the prestige of Saginaw Bay duck hunting draws some members from Bay City, Saginaw, Flint, Detroit and a special group of guys from Ohio and Pennsylvania.

The success of Michigan's local chapters was evident last year when our state became only the seventh in the nation to reach the \$1 million mark. But even with all of the proud records and super financial success, there remain many challenges that face our waterfowl population in the future. In fact, some biologists have estimated that additional millions of acres of habitat may be needed to stabilize the growing pressure from agriculture, industry and urbanization. DU feels that now is the time to attempt to set aside available land for the wildlife, or the opportunity may very well soon be gone.

The Saginaw Bay Chapter is interested in any and all support from people and businesses in our area. If you would like to contribute to the cause of waterfowl, or would like more information about the local DU chapters, feel free to contact me at any time.



Thanks, People's Oil & Gas, for donating the 1 cent this Labor Day Weekend for Jerry's Kids. It was a very nice gesture.

## SOUND-OFF!

Call 453-2323 anytime day or night to record your SOUND-OFF message. Selected statements will appear weekly in The Progress-Advance...so watch for yours!

Are we ever going to get rid of all the dogs on and near Hartley Street in Pigeon? You can't even sleep nights, with all the barking.

he wouldn't get so sickening, but it's a good cause anyway. I always turn off the telethon whenever he's on.

It's a shame that this airport issue has been so divisive here in the Caseville community. It has placed families against families, friends against friends and neighbors against neighbors. Some of this hurt won't be repaired for years and years, if ever.

And it's all so senseless. If those opponents would only listen to the facts, they'd see this is only an improvement to the area. It breaks my heart to think about people who were friends before, who aren't talking to each other now, all because of this.

And much of it is because people signed petitions they thought opposed the airport, when they were actually recall petitions. The big lesson here is always: be sure you carefully read what you sign.

Somebody asked in SOUND-OFF where wallclocks could be repaired. I'd say they should call Layher Jewelers in Sebawaing and ask them.

To person who complained about the activities at the Pigeon Lions Club Picnic: please come forward and identify yourself, so we can appoint you to next year's games committee. Signed, Dave Clabuech, Pigeon Lions Club President.

McCormick's grand opening really was neat, and the de-gassed bean soup couldn't be beat. Thanks for providing a home-town treat, and the de-gassed bean soup couldn't be beat!

Yes, the County Park project was announced, but we didn't expect the same dirty old rusty trailers would be put back in — especially where everyone can see them going down the big hill. Have they no decency, or will Caseville always be a "trailer-town"?

In response to this week's SOUND-OFF, I understand all about the new skill center being located in an area close to the center of the county. I'll bet a hundred dollars it will end up in the Bad Axe School District, making the "central county" kingdom even bigger. Why can't it be located in the Laker District, or Ubley or Kinde? Why does everything end up in Bad Axe?

At that rate, let's close up the rest of the county and put up the for sale sign, since all the government is moved to Bad Axe anyway.

Sorry, but I think Jerry Lewis is gross. Nobody says he has to stay up the whole time of the telethon. I wish

Commenting on the trailers at the Caseville County Park, the people didn't have any say in the matter, just like we don't now. Signed, D.E.

To T.T., if that was your best show, I'll be grateful when the summer reruns begin. They'll be more exciting than the real thing. Signed, Line Drive.

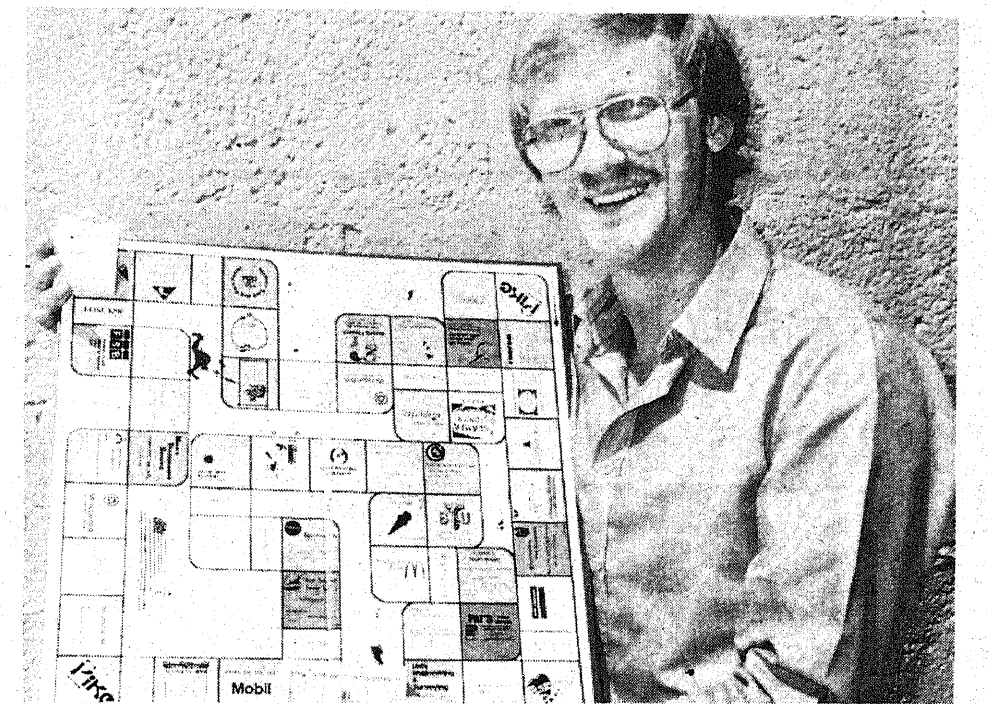
I'd like to see just how many people think dogs should be outlawed. All they do is mess up the neighbor's yard and that's me. Why do we need dogs at all?

I'm sick of Michael Jackson. Really. It's just too much of what was a good thing. Let's not have any more moonwalk contests or "look-alike" contests. That's overdoing it.

I would like to thank all the people in the Elkton Area who donated to our muscular dystrophy drive on Main Street, and to all the Jaycees and Jaycettes who helped. Signed, Tom Farver, M.D. Chairman.

### Rubber STAMPS

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**CHRISTMAS GIFT:** Inventor Daniel Clark of Freeland shows a sample of the "PIGEON-OPOLY" board game which has been sold in Pigeon this past month. Shown is his OPOLY game for Freeland, similar to the game which will be available in Pigeon before Christmas.

A total of 49 local businesses each bought spots in the game board, which helps pay production costs. Included in the Monopoly style game is the board, decision cards, dice and moving pieces, Clark says.

His company has produced similar games for other towns in the Midwest, after Clark adapted the game to use by local communities. He was supported by the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce and sale of local games will be coordinated by the Pigeon Area Jaycees.



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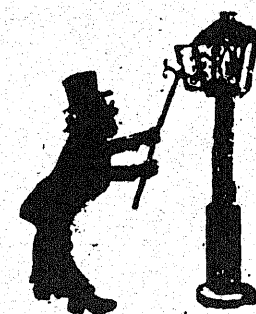
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To the Qualified Electors of Caseville Township:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Special Recall Election will be held in the Township of Caseville, County of Huron, State of Michigan on

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1984

For the purpose to determine the recall of James Reeves-Supervisor; Wallace Hart-Clerk; Wayne Anderson-Trustee; and Michael Power-Trustee. The polls for said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election at the Village-Township Hall.

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Medical science has extended our life expectancy to the point where the senior citizens may eventually comprise a majority of the population. However, this in turn has increased the problems of caring for them, due to the ever-present generation gap. Despite our best intentions, their emotional needs are all too frequently neglected. There is no sadder sight than that of elderly people living alone or in a rest home; waiting day after day for a visit from their children and grandchildren, who are too busy to go and see them often enough. The Bible bids you honor thy father and thy mother, and this instruction should also apply to grandparents. Your House of Worship will teach you that if they are still living, you should show your love and concern for them every way you can; remembering that with the grace of God you will be there yourself some day.

I had to grow old to learn what I wanted to know.  
— Joseph Joubert

"I have been young, and now am old."  
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Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Mid-week Service 7 p.m.
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Church School 10:30 a.m.
- HAYES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, SAND POINT**  
Rev. Randy Chamberlin  
Sunday School 9 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
- KILMANAGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Robert Kersten  
Sunday School 9 a.m.  
Worship Service 10 a.m.
- OWENDALE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Myra L. Sparks  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
- GAGETOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Myra L. Sparks  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
- ELKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Ron Iris  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.  
High & Sr. High Youth 5 p.m.  
Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.
- HORSESHOE ACRES CALVARY CHURCH, BAD AXE**  
Rev. Stewart L. Justin  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
- ASSEMBLY OF GOD BAD AXE**  
Rev. Daniel Meddaugh  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10 a.m.  
Sunday evening 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.
- PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
On Fillon Road  
Pastor Prv. James Brazzell  
Worship Service 11 a.m.  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
Wednesday Evening 8 p.m.
- FAITH BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Preaching 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Thursday 7 p.m.  
"Word of Life" Youth Bible Study Wednesday 7 p.m.
- CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, CASEVILLE**  
"In the Heart of Caseville"  
Pastor Fred Kinkle  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Bible Study Wednesday 7 p.m.
- REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT**  
Elder Ervin Haley  
Church School 9 a.m.  
Church Service 10 a.m.
- REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE**  
Pastor Ronald R. Kuenzi  
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 School 9 a.m.  
Sunday of the Month Sunday Service 9 a.m.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.
- ST. JOHN'S BY-THE-LAKE EPISCOPAL, PORT AUSTIN**  
Vicar-Fr. Elam Peckford  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
- KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOWAH'S WITNESSES**  
Sunday 10 a.m. Public Bible Discourse 11 a.m. Congregational study of "The Watchtower"
- ELKTON MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
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
- ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP, 856-4949**  
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Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m. in Community Bank basement
- FAIRHAVEN COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH**  
Rev. Wayne J. Keim  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
- MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE CHURCH, PIGEON**  
Don Patterson, Pastor  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
- PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH**  
Luka Voder, Pastor  
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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 8 p.m.
- ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, KILMANAGH**  
Rev. Robert D. Frazho  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Communion 2nd and 4th Sunday every month
- TRINITY EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELKTON**  
Wisconsin Synod  
Rev. Paul Scheils  
Church School 10 a.m.  
Holy Communion on the first Sunday of the month
- GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH, CASEVILLE**  
M-25 and Crescent Beach Rd.  
Rev. Randall P. Schultz  
Missouri Synod  
Sunday School 9 a.m.  
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.  
Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m.
- ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LINKVILLE**  
Missouri Synod  
Rev. Ray R. Ohendorf  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
- ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BERNE**  
Wisconsin Synod  
Rev. Philip K. Press  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
and 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.  
Holy Communion on the First Sunday of the month
- NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING**  
Wisconsin Synod  
Rev. Jonathan Stern  
Holy Communion First Sunday of the Month  
Sunday Service 9 a.m.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.
- IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING**  
Missouri Synod  
Rev. Harold Deterding  
Rev. Edward J. Arle, Assoc. Pastor  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
- CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON**  
American Lutheran Church  
Raymond E. Orth, Pastor  
Worship 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
- ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BACH**  
Rev. Eric A. Lambert  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Communion first and third Sunday
- HURON BIBLE CHURCH**  
Corner of Frederick & Fourth, Sebewaing  
Pastor Mike Frazho  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.

**Caseville hosts 'Covenant Players'**

The dramatic group called "Covenant Players" will perform for both students and adults in Caseville today (Wednesday). The group is scheduled to perform for all Caseville students during the school day, and for the general public at 7 p.m. in the school gymnasium. The evening session will feature a short drama session followed by a discussion on such topics as family communications, parent-child relationships, drug and alcohol abuse and values and goals.

The public is invited to attend free of charge. The group is sponsored by the Caseville Student Council and the Caseville Community Education Association.

**Cantate chorale begins season**

Would you enjoy singing in a really good choir with persons who really like to sing? Persons living in the Western Thumb area have the opportunity to be part of the Cantate Chorale, which will begin its fourth season with rehearsal at Cross Lutheran Church in Pigeon on Friday, Sept. 7 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

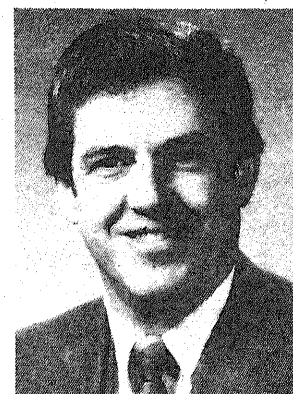
The Cantate Chorale was formed by a group of persons who wanted to sing quality sacred choral music with a group having good music backgrounds and a love for a choral repertoire from a variety of periods, ancient to the most modern. Five concerts have been prepared and performed in several locations. The select choir has about 40 members and has developed a good reputation. Wanda Eichler of Pigeon will serve as director, her third year leading the group.

Among the selections this fall are: "Alleluia, O Come and Praise the Lord," Bach; "Praise the Lord, Our God, Forever," the Ghanaian hymn "Jesus, Jesus" and Austin Loveless' "An Antiphonal Hymn."

The agenda for the first rehearsal will include set-

**Detroit Ed names Thumb consultant**

Robert Sheehy of Caro has been named economic development consultant for Detroit Edison's Thumb Division, according to division manager Robert Howard.



Robert Sheehy

Sheehy will assist economic development organizations in the Thumb area in an effort to retain and expand existing businesses, and attract new employers to the area, Howard says.

Sheehy and his wife Mary Ann have three children.

**Bishop among guests at Bridgeport fund-raiser**

Bishop Kenneth Untener, former major league baseball player Jerry Lynch, Joe Wise and Saginaw-Bay City area media personalities will join area golfers to raise money in the "Cathedral Celebrity Classic" on Friday, Sept. 14 at Green Acres Golf Course in Bridgeport.

The event featuring golf, refreshments and a steak dinner is open to the public with a required donation. The money raised will be used by St. Mary's to feed, house, clothe and help pay emergency utilities of area residents who seek assistance from the parish, according to a St. Mary Cathedral Parish Community spokesman.

For more information, call Susan Grzesiak at 752-8119.

**Prayer Breakfast speaker set**

The Elkton Prayer Breakfast will meet Wednesday, Sept. 12 at 9 a.m. at the Elkton Civic Center.

Speaker will be Phyllis Kilbourn, a missionary who has spent 13 years in Africa. She will be returning to Nairobi, Kenya in the fall.

All are invited for the interdenominational fellowship. Babysitting will be at the Elkton United Methodist Church, no charge.

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**Sixty Seconds**  
Don't drop the baton

Read I Corinthians 9:24-27

Tell ye your children of it, and let your children tell their children, and their children another generation. Joel 1:3

A dramatic incident occurred during the relay races at the 1948 Olympic games in London.

The French team had gotten off to a good start when one runner dropped the baton as it was being passed to him by his predecessor.

The race was lost, and the athlete who was responsible for it flung himself to the ground and wept like a child.

We, too, are running a race. And St. Paul says, "Know ye not that they who run in a race run all, but one receiveth the prize? So run, that ye may obtain. I Corinthians 9:24.

Our own salvation is at stake. But not ours only. We are members of a team running a relay race.

Our sainted fathers and mothers ran before us and passed the baton — God's saving truth in Jesus Christ — to us.

Now we are running and must pass the baton to our children, and, through them to generations unborn.

Ours is a responsibility toward unnumbered souls for whom Christ died.

May we not drop the baton!

Instead let us ever look up to Jesus, "the Author and Finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God."

"Let children hear the mighty deeds which God performed of old, which in our younger years we saw, and which our fathers told." Amen.

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Saturday, Sept. 8 10 a.m.

To be offered at approximately 2 p.m. Cozy white house with 2 bedrooms and full bath, full dry basement with plenty of storage. Two car garage behind house with driveway from dead end street. Many possibilities for young couple or for retirees. May be seen by appointment only. Call Lori Joles at U.S.A. Real Estate Co., 883-3670 or 883-2076. Terms: \$3,000 cash or certified funds on day of auction. Balance due at closing. Possible land contract to qualified buyer. Personal Representative reserves the right to accept or reject final bid.

**Film to be shown at Michigan Ave.**

A film by Wycliffe Bible Translators entitled "Mountain of Light" will be presented at the Michigan Avenue Mennonite Church on Sunday, Sept. 23.

This 42-minute, full color documentary tells the story of the Sepik Iwan people, one of 700 hundred different language groups in Papua New Guinea, who have never heard the gospel of Jesus Christ. Wycliffe Bible Translator Marilyn Laszlo has lived among these people since 1969 and is working to translate the New Testament into the Sepik Iwan language.

The public is invited to attend.

**REAL ESTATE**

**\* ANTIQUES AND COLLECTIBLES \***  
Curio cabinet; day bed; dining table with captain's chair and five matching chairs; buffet; bedroom suite, dresser with round mirror and chest of drawers; dresser with matching chest of drawers with doors on upper part; large collection of miscellaneous clocks, some ticking; ice tong; buck saw; cross-cut saws; scythes; monkey wrench; two-man saw; wooden planes; pulleys; wooden boxes; wooden writing desk; high headboard bed.

**\* FURNITURE AND APPLIANCES \***  
Radios; miscellaneous easy chairs; hide-a-bed couch; two Hi-Fi record players; refrigerator; stove; wood grain Formica table with six chairs; kitchen table with chairs; lamps; floor lamps; roll-away bed; folding metal table; toaster; can opener.

**\* TOOLS AND MISCELLANEOUS \***  
4 h.p. garden tiller; lawn mower; barbecue grill; arbor swing; picnic table; window air conditioner; aluminum step ladder; electric drill; electric motor; several grinding arbors; vice; two post hole diggers; lawn rakes; garden rakes; 20 shovels of all kinds; five snow scrapers; manual snow plow; fertilizer spreader; garden hoses; square; extension cords; trimmers; saw blades; hundreds of hand tools, saws, hammers, pliers, files, wrenches, etc.) in bags; lawn chairs; gas cans; washing bars; miscellaneous bolts and nuts; two wheel barrows.

**\* HOUSEHOLD AND COOKWARE \***  
Electric sweepers; games; toys; puzzles; miscellaneous cookware; card table; miscellaneous dishes; glassware; china; knick knacks; bedding; pillows; bedspreads; liners; miscellaneous Tupperware.

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Laker '84 Football Team ready for USA Friday



**LAKER '84 GREEN MACHINE:** The Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port (Laker) High School Varsity Football Squad has been practicing and readying for Friday night's non-league match-up with neighbor Unionville-Sebewaing, to help kick off this 1984 football season.

Team members include, front row from left, Mario Marques, Mike Bollenbacher, Rob Irion, Bob Guigar, Dave Wisenbaugh, Chad Seley, Chris Eby, Bill LePage, Jeff Caverly, Dave King, Ron Irion, Chuck Winchester and Brent Wessels.

Middle row includes Troy Weidman, Ron Dubs, Morris Dubs, Steve Werner, Bill Voss, Rob MacDowall, Scott Pobanz, Kurt Bechler, Dave Sturm, Mike McArdle, Darrin Zadrzynski and Dan Soper.

Back row includes Defensive Coach George Gardy, Kregg Baur, Kurt Schember, Robert Gonzales, Tim Patterson, Tom Beer, Eric Bushy, Todd Schember, Ed Gentile, Jamie McBride, Todd Brown, Mike Sturm and Head Coach Bill McLellan.

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Bill McLellan

George Gardy

Bowling League begins to roll

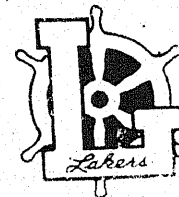
Pigeon Lanes - Major League will begin bowling on Monday, Sept. 10.

Teams one through six will begin bowling at 7 p.m.: 1) J & B Pig. 2) Pigeon Motor Sales 3) Bay Shore Collision 4) J.O. Wurst Tiling 5) Wildfowl Bay Resort 6) Carling.

Teams seven through 12 are on the 9 p.m. squad: 7) Brighton Metal 8) Damm's Inc. 9) Basings 10) Walsh Packing 11) Pigeon Lanes 12) Scheurer Hospital.

The Pigeon Lanes Friday Night Mens' League will

begin bowling on Friday, Sept. 7. Starting time will be 7 p.m.



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State Farm wins soccer league

State Farm Insurance . . . 8  
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State Farm wrapped up the league championship with an impressive offensive display. Ross Voelker topped the State Farm scoring parade with three goals, followed by Kent Shetler with two tallies and Dave Anderson, Dan Chisholm and Dave Voelker with one goal each. Tom Matteson was the goalie for the winners.

Joel Avalos booted both goals for Fluegge's. Scott Buchholz was the goaltender in a losing cause for Fluegge's.

**FINAL STANDINGS**  
State Farm Insurance . . . . . 9-3  
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**SCORING LEADERS**  
Ross Voelker . . . . . 32  
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**KICKING CHAMPS!** State Farm Insurance claimed the championship crown in the Huron County Soccer League after upending Fluegge Foods in their final game. Team members of the winners pictured here include: from left, Randy Damm, Tom Matteson, Kent Shetler, Jack Paul, Dave Anderson, Dave Voelker, Dan Chisholm and Ross Voelker.

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Caseville sets new policy for attendance

A tougher attendance policy for Caseville High School was adopted at last Monday's Board of Education meeting, according to Superintendent James Stahl.

A series of conferences will be scheduled as a result of student absences which are not accompanied by a physician's verification, says Stahl. After accumulation of five such absences parents of the student will be contacted; after 10 absences a parent-principal conference will be scheduled; after 15 absences a parent-superintendent conference scheduled, and after 20 absences parents will be asked to talk with the Board of Education. These totals will pertain to each semester of the school year.

The policy on tardiness was also revised, Stahl says. Two tardy situations will now be considered one day's absence in new attendance policy.

Another aspect of the new policy requires a phone call to the parents of absent students, Stahl adds.

The tax rate for the coming school year was set at 17.7427 mills for operation and .86 mill for debt retirement.

Bids were opened for supplies for the hot lunch program. The low bid of Kociba Dairy of Bad Axe for lowfat white milk at 11.3 cents and lowfat chocolate for 12.3 was accepted by the Board. Also bidding were Meinhold Dairy of Bad Axe, Arnold Distributing of Bay City and London Dairy of Port Huron.

Grocer's Bakery of Saginaw was the only bidder for bread supplies, with a price of 56 cents for a 20 ounce loaf and 65.5 cents per dozen buns.

Claudia Trowhill of Bad Axe was hired as a second grade teacher. The Board is also accepting applications for elementary teacher aide, following the resignation of former aide Ruth Ann Moore.

Board expressed appreciation to the Caseville Area Social Events (CASE) group for donation of 30 summer shirts for use by the band to march in area parades.

A resolution of support for an area skill center was approved by Board members.

After a short discussion, Board decided to continue the bus run for kindergarten students in the Village of Caseville.

Thumb area OUTDOOR REPORT

By DUANE GUENTHER

The high pressure system that dominated the Thumb area during the final summer holiday was welcomed by the many fishermen that visited our county. Anglers in the Charity Islands reefs were picking up some nice walleyes. Lake Huron began its fall salmon run with excellent chinook fishing taking place near Grindstone City. Harbor Beach also had good numbers of kings both a mile north and south of the new docks. Although some perch were boated, for the most part the "yellowbellies" did not materialize.

As duck season approaches, many old time hunters are concerned about the marsh loss that is taking

place in Saginaw Bay. In a recent article in Michigan Out-of-Doors magazine, the Maisou Island Marsh, which is the last big natural marsh along the east edge of Saginaw, is becoming endangered. The article stated the marsh has suffered losses of more than 2,000 acres from 1949-1978. For those hunters that frequent the area, the marsh will be missed.

While the upcoming pheasant season may look grim to most potential hunters, and Michigan's put-and-take pheasant season came to an end last year, the DNR still plans to release up to 40,000 pen-reared birds that will be available to anyone purchasing a small-game license. Twenty-nine southern Michigan game areas, including DeFord State Game Area, will be open to taking of pheasants of either sex during Sept. 17-Oct. 16 special pheasant release hunting period. Then during the regular Oct. 20-Nov. 11 wild pheasant season, another 12,000 pen-reared roosters will be released on 50 state game areas.

Bald eagles in 30 states - including Michigan - are threatened by lead poisoning from eating shotgun pellets, the National Wildlife Federation warned in a report released this past week. The federation, a pro-hunting organization, advocates use of non-toxic steel shot loads in shotguns - rather than the lead shot - in areas where lead is known to be a problem for waterfowl. The problem arises when ducks use the spent lead pellets to grind up food in their gizzard, and eagles feed on ducks and pick up the lead contamination. Hunters have resisted using steel shot because they feel it is less effective than lead shot.

Salem sets concert

A special service of music will be presented by Salem United Methodist Church in Pigeon this Sunday, Sept. 9 at 10:30 a.m.

Soloist, pianist, writer and composer Scott Mathiason of Harlan, Iowa will be featured in concert during the morning service. He has toured in the past with a group called "Damascus."

The public is invited to attend the concert.

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Thumb area deaths

RUSSELL A. CARTER  
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Russell A. Carter, age 74, of Bay Port, passed away Sunday, September 2 at Bay Medical Facility, Bay City.

He was born May 8, 1910 in Fulton, Michigan, son of the late Orin and Sadie (Johnston) Carter. On May 12, 1934 he was united in marriage to Edna Marie Hyde in Bay Port. She passed away June 17, 1968.

Mr. Carter is survived by three sons, Dennis, Bay Port, Bob, Bay Port, and Randy, Sebewaing; two daughters, Mrs. Barry (Sadie) Schweitzer, Elkton, and Mrs. Norman (Clarissa) Miller, Owendale; 14 grandchildren; 1 sister Mrs. Marie Lance, Florida.

A grandson, 1 sister and 3 brothers preceded him in death. Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, September 5 at 11 a.m. from Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. Wayne Keim pastor of Fair Haven Mennonite Church will officiate with burial in New Bay Port Cemetery.

CHORE offers help

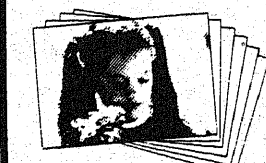
Individuals age 60 and older can receive help with household jobs through a program sponsored by the Human Development Commission, according to executive director Mary Ann Vandemark.

A free service called CHORE provides help for

residents in Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties by cleaning walls, carpets, attics, garages, repairing furniture and trimming shrubs, among other tasks.

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2. To play, place a check or "X" in one box to choose the winner in each game, on the game form published each Wednesday in The Progress-Advance or available at the Village Qwik-Stop or newspaper office. No purchase necessary. Checks in both boxes of each game selection voids that pick. Only one entry per person weekly.
3. The tiebreaker is always the Laker (Green Machine) Game. For tiebreaker, you must pick the winner and the score.
4. All entries must be submitted to the game box at the Qwik-Stop or Progress-Advance office no later than 6 p.m. each Friday night. Winners will be posted and published each week in The Progress-Advance. Grand Prize points will accumulate during the season, based on total number of correct answers.
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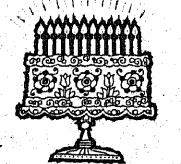


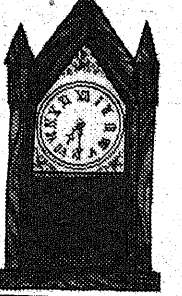
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## Pigeon residents travel and visit

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Anna Menzel, Mrs. Bertha Janke and her house guest Mrs. Ida Schwitzer, Mrs. Ella Ziel, Mrs. Marge Roemer and Mrs. Elsie Kern, from St. John's in Kilmanagh, were among the 200 who attended the Thumb Gala at the Art and Barbara Krause farm near Applegate to hear Rev. Wallace Schulz speak of the Lutheran Hour. Entertainment and dinner followed to benefit Lutheran Child and Family of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletes Cregeur had as guests on Wednesday, their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Mel Tepado from Swartz Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Otto returned home on Tuesday after attending the wedding of their son and brother, John Hamilton and Yvette Beebe in Denver Colo. on Saturday, Aug. 25 at Cheesnooan Park Pavilion. A reception was held at the Denver Hilton Restaurant.

Ervin Hamilton, Mrs. Gloria Windsor and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hamilton spent Sunday afternoon visiting with Mrs. Eltie Sturm in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Squires from Canada visited Sunday with Wilmer (Bud) Squires.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eberly attended the Flint Mission Church on Sunday and were luncheon guests of Mrs. Irene Riegeacker. Mrs. Martha Stein accompanied them to visit her son and family in Ohio.

Jeff and Angie Hartwick of Millington spent several days last week with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bergman. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bergman and family of Millington, Mr. and Mrs. John Bergman and family of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hartwick of Millington.

Pastor Ernst Henkleman conducted the Sunday service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Unionville.

Pastor and Mrs. Ernst Henkleman spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wright and family of Westland, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Nelmer Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Stalter, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Gunden and Mr. and Mrs. Iva Swartzendruber visited in South Carolina with Mr. and Mrs. John King, who are from Sarasota, Fla.

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During the 26-week course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Millington, Tenn., trainees studied airborne communications, fire control systems and antisubmarine warfare systems. In addition to the technology of these systems, they studied mathematics, physics, electronic theory and the operating principles of digital and analog computers.

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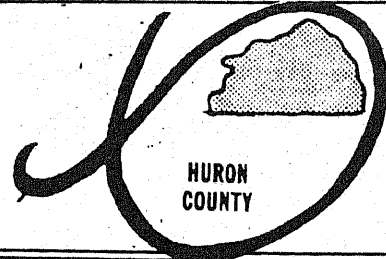
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# News that COUNTS . . . from the COUNTY



from  
**Huron  
County  
Clerk  
Helen  
Lemanski**

**MARRIAGE LICENSE  
APPLICATIONS**  
Week of August 27

David L. Ondrajka and Renee R. Schumacher.  
Michael L. Matthews and Amelia M. Smith.  
Paul R. Greyerbiehl and Annette M. Kociba.  
Gary W. Hurren and Patricia L. Tucker.

**CO-PARTNERSHIPS**  
Week of August 27

No. 753. Almac Lanes, 111 W. Huron Ave., Bad Axe, MI 48413, by: Durrell Carson and Gladys Carson, 171 W. South, Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed: August 24, 1984.

**ASSUMED NAMES**  
Week of August 27

No. 3845 Custom Monogram Service, 325 W. Spring St., Port Austin, MI 48467. By: Sharon Upthegrove, 325 W. Spring St., Port Austin, MI 48467. Filed: 8-22-84.  
No. 3846 Country Auto Center, 4551 E. Atwater Rd., Uby, MI

48475. By: Lynn R. Sweeney, 4297 Stambaugh, Uby, MI 48475. Filed: 8-24-84.

No. 3847 The Bad Axe Marble and Granite Works, 916 N. VanDyke, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: Robert H. Badgley, 953 Beach St., Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed: 8-24-84.

No. 3848 Azar Builders, 3611 Lackie Rd., Filion, MI 48432. By: Patrick W. Azarovitz, 3611 Lackie Rd., Filion, MI 48432. Filed: 8-28-84.

No. 3849 Lor-Dels Motel and Lounge, 809 E. Huron Avenue, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: John M. Wolschlag, 809 E. Huron Avenue, Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed: 8-29-84.



from  
**County  
Register  
of Deeds  
Frances  
Holdwick**

**REGISTER OF DEEDS**  
Week August 22-28, 1984

Leland Schmucker to David B. Bowman & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 12 of the City of Harbor Beach.

Edward Kulba & Wf to Dale Thompson; a parcel of land located

in Section 7 of Hume Twp.  
Howard D. Tough Estate to Howard D. Tough Trust; a parcel of land located in Section 15 of Bingham Twp.

Anna M. Tough Trustee to Julia Mae Heilig; a parcel of land located in Section 15 of Bingham Twp.

Debra Kay Daming to James G. Deming; a parcel of land located in Section 36 of Fair Haven Twp.

Donald G. Lawrence & Wf to Thomas E. Ruth & Wf; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.

James E. Lommel & Wf to Harvey Foote & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 12 of Caseville Twp.

James E. Brandenburg & Wf to Melvin R. Kuhl & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 27 of Fair Haven Twp.

Herman F. Gottschalk & Wf to Michael D. Godzinski & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 24 of the City of Bad Axe.

Creasant Beach Properties to Donald G. Lawrence & Wf; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.

Chester J. Ruthkowski & Wf to Warren R. Woodard; a parcel of land located in Section 11 of Caseville Twp.

Dennis W. Steinbis, Martin T. Steinbis & Wf to Iseler Acres; a parcel of land located in Section 25 of Huron Twp.

Edward J. Brandell to Harry F. Hoelzie & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 4 of Caseville Twp.

Thomas A. Purman & Wf to Joel W. Thick & Wf; a parcel of land

located in the Village of Pigeon.  
Matilda Snider Estate to Orville H. Snider and Mervin O. Snider; a parcel of land located in the Village of Elkton.

Joseph E. Cackowski & Wf to Andrew S. Micklash & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 17 of Hume Twp.

Herchel C. Willey & Wf to Ronald L. Willey & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 35 of Caseville Twp.

Roy W. Patton & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 3 of Caseville Twp.



from  
**County  
Probate  
Judge  
Neil  
MacCallum**

**PROBATE COURT**

Estate of Otto E. Brade, Deceased, of Kinde - File 27,443 - Independent Probate, Will filed, Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed, Testimony Interested Parties filed, Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed, Register's Order filed, Bond of Fiduciary filed, Letters of Authority filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail and By Personal Ser-

vice filed.  
Estate of Matilda Snider, Deceased, of Elkton - File 27,220 - Independent Probate, Closing Statement filed.

Estate of Hazel H. Pobanz, Deceased, of Sebawaing - File 26,619 - Independent Probate, Inheritance Tax Receipt filed.

Estate of Steven T. Timmons, Deceased, of Owendale - File 27,142 - Independent Probate, Inheritance Tax Receipt filed.

Estate of Helen M. Calkins, Deceased, of Sebawaing - File 27,294 - Supervised Probate, Inheritance Tax Receipt filed.

Estate of Clara Hill, Deceased, of Ruth - File 27,363 - Independent Probate, Inventory filed.

Estate of Marie C. Konkel, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,444 - Supervised Probate, Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed, Waiver and Consent filed, Order Appointing Personal Representative filed, Acceptance of Trust filed, Letters of Authority filed, Publication and Notice of Hearing filed, Inventory filed.

Estate of Lulu D. Winslow, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 26,917 - Independent Probate, Petition for Court Supervision filed, Report of Sale of Real Estate and Petition for Confirmation filed, Explanation of Proposed Sale filed, Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of James L. Wallace, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,355 - Supervised Probate, Petition for Extension for Filing of Inventory filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Audrey M. Bouck, Deceased, of Elkton - File 27,445 - Will filed.

Estate of Monica Ruth Conrad, Deceased, of Port Austin - File 26,660 - Supervised Probate, Petition for Partial Distribution filed, Order for Partial Distribution filed, Annual Account of Co-Personal Representative filed.

Estate of Wendell A. McCollum, Deceased, of Port Hope - File 26,830 - Independent Probate, Closing Statement filed.

Estate of Louis A. Osentoski, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 26,730 - Independent Probate, Substitution of Trustee filed, Acceptance of Trust filed, Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendancy filed.

Estate of Earl Parrish, Deceased, of Kinde - File 27,447 - Petition and Order for Assignment, Estate Not Exceeding \$2,500 filed.

Estate of Martha Krinkie, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,329 - Supervised Probate, Inventory filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Effie Mae Stevens, Deceased, of Uby - File 27,400 - Supervised Probate, Proof of Publication filed, Proof of Service By Ordinary and By Registered Mail filed, Proof on Probate of Will filed, Testimony Interested Parties filed, Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed, Order Admitting Will to Probate and To Appoint Personal Representative filed, Acceptance of Trust filed, Letters of Authority filed, Order Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Emilie Schmidt, Deceased, of Owendale - File 25,441 - Petition and Order for Assignment, Estate Not Exceeding \$2,500 filed.

Estate of John Dondineau, Deceased, of Kinde - File 27,448, Petition and Order for Assignment, Estate Not Exceeding \$2,500 filed.

Estate of Walter Hobkirk, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,250, Will filed.

Estate of Lawrence Amel Hepner, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,209 - Supervised Probate, Notice to Spouse of Right of Election, Proof of Service, and Election filed.

Estate of John S. Englehart, Deceased, of East Detroit - File 27,373 - Supervised Probate, Answer to Statement and Proof of Claim filed, Answer to Petition to Redetermine Heirs filed, Answer to Petition to Set Aside Order Changing Venue to Huron County and Return Back to Macomb County - Place of Residence filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed, Stipulation and Order for Adjournment of Pre Trial filed.

Estate of Charles H. Riddle, Deceased, of Caseville - File 18,304 - Supervised Probate, Order of Adjudgment filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of John J. Indo, Deceased, of Port Austin - File 27,412 - Independent Probate, Amended Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed, Amended Testimony Interested Parties filed, Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Don H. Sturm, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 20,107 - Supervised Probate, 3 Waivers and Consents filed.

Estate of Charles F. Sturm, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 23,436 - Supervised Probate, Petition to Re-Open Estate filed, Affidavit filed, 6 Waivers and Consents filed.



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| 50-hp 2255***   | 475                                       | 400         | 325         |
| 55-hp 2350      | 600                                       | 500         | 425         |
| 65-hp 2550      | 675                                       | 575         | 475         |
| 75-hp 2750      | 775                                       | 650         | 525         |
| 85-hp 2950      | 900                                       | 750         | 625         |
| 100-hp 4050     | 1450                                      | 1225        | 1000        |
| 120-hp 4250     | 1575                                      | 1325        | 1075        |
| 140-hp 4450     | 1650                                      | 1400        | 1150        |
| 165-hp 4650     | 2000                                      | 1700        | 1400        |
| 190-hp 4850     | 2225                                      | 1875        | 1550        |
| 185-hp 8450 4WD | 2500                                      | 2100        | 1725        |
| 235-hp 8650 4WD | 3050                                      | 2575        | 2100        |
| 300-hp 8850 4WD | 3800                                      | 3225        | 2625        |

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