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Caseville Community Christmas Fund seeks gifts

Donations are now being sought for the new Caseville Community Christmas Fund being organized by local churches, according to Coordinator Janice Prill.

"The work of Santa Claus will continue this year, since the churches of our community are compiling and delivering Christmas food baskets for the needy in our community," she says.

In the past, most of Caseville's service clubs and churches made contributions toward this annual project, and deliveries were coordinated by the Ralph Ross family. Since he is unable to do so this year, the new group is being formed.

"We want you to know the work will continue," the group says in a letter to area groups, "and you're invited to continue your faithful contribution to this work.

The Community Christmas Fund notes the system will work much as it has in the past, with minor changes

This year, persons delivering the food, toy and clothes baskets will not be wearing a Santa suit, plus the deliveries will be divided among several persons in several churches, rather than just by one person. "We felt it was just too much to expect of any one person," organizer Rev. Brent McCumons of Caseville United Methodist Church says.

If you desire to help this project bring a brighter Christmas to many persons in our community, you may contact your minister or Coordinator Janice Prill at 856-2602 for your gift of food and money, organizers say.

The organizing group has opened an account at NewCentury Bank and records will be kept of donations and distributions.

All checks should be made payable to "Caseville Community Christmas Fund," and organizers thank people for their expected assistance.

Donations should be sent to the Christmas Fund in care of P.O. Box 563, Caseville, MI

AT RIGHT, some organizers look over food distribution drop-off boxes at the Caseville American Legion Hall. They are, standing from left, Tony Zacheretti, president of the Caseville Retirement Club, Rev. Brent McCumons of Caseville United Methodist Church and Bob Newburg of the United Methodist Church.

Seated are Pat Newbery of the church and Janice Prill, coordinator of the Christmas fund, seeking food, monetary, toy and clothes gifts to help Caseville's needy.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO



First Pigeon holiday winners named!

Eighteen Pigeon shoppers started this Christmas season more happily, as they were the first winners in the Pigeon Chamber of Com-merce's weekly prize draw-

ings.
AT RIGHT, Santa and Mrs. Claus congratulate children's bike winner Holly Novack of Farmington Hills, front. She's standing with Lisa Katshor of Pigeon, who won the top adult prize of \$100 in Pigeon shopping money during Saturday's 4

p.m. drawing.
Other winners of children's toys were Karla Pittenger, Kelly Siewert, son, Stephie Siewert, Jamie Dubs, Tiffany Burk, Tami Bieri, Joel Fritz, David Geiger, Michael Brown, Michelle Guardian, Jennifer Collins. Jimmy Smith and Annie Sturm.

Adult winner of \$50 in Pigeon shopping "funny money" is Robert Rowe of Bay Port, while Tom Arsenault of Bay Port won the \$25 prize.

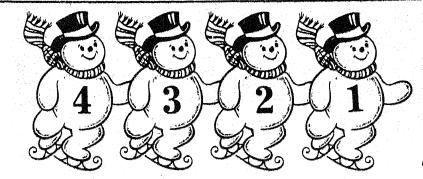
Santa, Mrs. Claus and



Shivers the Snowman will again visit Pigeon this Saturday from 2 to 4 p.m., residing at Santa's House with candy treats for children. Fifteen

toys will be given away at the 4 p.m. drawing, and three more adult prizes totaling \$175 will be awarded. Persons must be present

to win, and tickets are available at any par-ticipating Pigeon Chamber store, according to President John Walsh.



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Cash prizes are again offered in four categories, up to age 13, 14 through 19, 20 through 45 and 46 and older.

We're looking for your thoughts and shared memories. You

can help others smile during the holiday season by taking the time NOW to write down your memories.

Send them (or drop off) to Christmas Memories, care of The Progress-Advance, P.O. Box 460, Pigeon, Mich., 48755. Anyone -- and EVERYONE -- is invited!

都保持保持保持保持保持保持保持 Community Christmas Bazaar Saturday

Bazaar will feature crafts, baked goods, quilts, jewelry and homemade candies from thirty non-profit groups this Saturday, Dec. 1 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Laker High

A noon luncheon of homemade soups, sandwiches, pies and cakes will be served in the cafeteria beginning at 11:30 a.m. with take-outs available. Door prizes and free drawings will take place the oughout the day.

Proceeds from the bazaar will benefit area churches and community projects, according to the sponsoring organization, the First United Methodist Women of

The following groups will participate: Bay Port Summer Athletic Association, Activities Committee of Huron County Medical Care Facility, Extended Services of Huron County Medical Care Facility, Bay Port RLDS Church, Owendale RLDS Church, Good Shepherd Lutheran Friendship Guild, Good Shepherd Lutheran Mens' Club, Bay Port UM Church, Townliners Extension, Mens: Club, Bay Port UM Church, Townmers Extension, First UM Women of Pigeon, Michigan Avenue Mennonite Women and Youth Fellowship, Hayes UM Women, St. Francis Altar Society, Linkville Lutheran Ladies Aid, American Cancer Society, Scheurer Hospital Auxiliary and employees, Pigeon Chat 'n Chew Extension, Cass City Trinity UM Women, Homemakers Hobby Club, Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority, Pigeon Junior Womans' Club, Abundant Life Fellowship, Bay Port Arts and Crafts Fair Committee, Thumb Christian Academy and Laker Made

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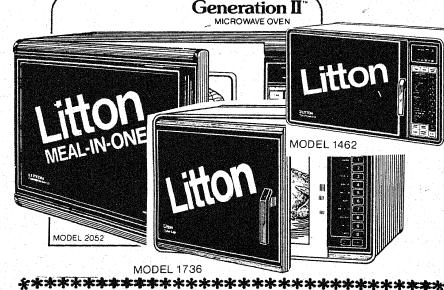
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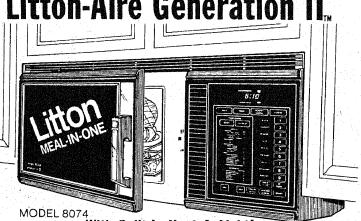
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Shivers of delight!

always a favorite in Pigeon and his arrival Friday night with Santa and Mrs. Claus was no exception!

Here, Shivers greets fouryear-old Crystal Weisenbach of Bay Port as Crystal waited to chat with Mr. and Mrs. Claus, at Pigeon's 'Santa House.'

It was the first visit of this holiday season for the group, which is appearing every Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4 p.m., as sponsored by the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce. A large number of children greeted the Claus clan as they arrived by fire truck Friday night.

Club news

OWENDALE **WOMANS' CLUB**

The Owendale Womans' Club held its November meeting Monday night in the Owendale cafeteria, A short business meeting was conducted by President Pat

Thirteen members attended, and Mrs. Linda Roe and Mrs. Lori Gunden were welcomed as new members.

The Christmas meeting will be Dec. 17 at the home of Mrs. Kay Erickson. Included will be a dinner and gift exchange. Shut-in fruit boxes will be packed next month. The January meeting will be a stitchery party and members are asked to bring

The evening was spent making cheese balls to be sold to raise funds for community projects. Door prize was won by Judi Reinhardt, who also purchased the silent auction item.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Jeannette McDonald and Mrs. Bonnie



First UM hosts forum

First United Methodist Church of Pigeon will be the location of one of three State Board of Education Leadership Forums during December, Other Forum locations during the month include Muskegon and Carsonville

About 150 students are expected to participate in the local program on Dec. 4, sponsored by Sue Micinski of the Huron Intermediate

The day-long Forums are scheduled as part of Project Outreach which was started by the State Board in 1981 to improve public attitudes about public schools.

An estimated 20,000 high school students are expected to take part in nearly 100 Student Leadership Forums conducted throughout the state during the current school year, according to State Board of Education spokesman Tom Farrell.





OVEN WINNER: Derald Caister of Elkton was the lucky winner of a microwave oven during the recent grand opening at Diener's Home of

Fine Furnishings in Pigeon. The happy grand prize winner topped the list of more than 30 drawing winners at Pigeon's new furnitureappliance store.

Carol Diener at left points out the grand prize to Mr. and Mrs. Caister.

Caseville aims at better curriculum

recommended by the 27-member community committee were reported to the Caseville Board of Education at the regular meeting conducted on Nov. 19.

The group presentated 15 specific improvements based on committee meetings last year which reviewed the Michigan State Board of

Board members were advised to study the recommendations and decide at the next regular meeting which of the recommenda tions to adopt as part of the

Caseville academic pro-UNIFORMS: Athletic

Leipprandt named to State 4-H Board

Ted Leipprandt, general manager of the Cooperative Elevator Company, Pigeon, was recently elected to a three-year term on the Michigan 4-H Foundation Board of Trustees.

The Michigan 4-H Foundation is a non-profit, educational corporation that assists in the financing of innovative projects and programs in many areas of 4-H including activities, including agriculture, foods and nutrition and career education.

Michigan's 215,000 members benefit directly from foundation-sponsored programs for the 30,000 citizens who serve as volunteer 4-H leaders



Ted Leipprandt



ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS,

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

TRIP TO THE CITY -- Sally, Sarah, Andy and I visited family members in Huntington Woods Saturday afternoon and Sunday. Sally and I slipped away to Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi for a few hours of Santa browsing

We came home again grateful to have places like "the city" to visit, but glad we live in our small-town area. For instance, I know a place you can buy Cabbage Patch Dolls. For the first time in my life, I actually got to hold one of the little handmade darlings so in demand for more than a

Yep, the Penney's store at that mall has several dozen of them. With names and birth certificates and all. With their cute little handmade irregularities. You can buy one right now, if you wish.

Their price? \$150 each. Honestly! Those dolls are about \$40 anywhere else, but obviously they're sold out most other places. That's why Penney's has 'em -- since they're making a \$100-plus profit on each one!

My favorite item available in the mall was the six-pound solid chocolate duck (yes, duck) given away each day at Hudson's. Obviously, we put our names in the drawing. I'd LOVE a six-pound chocolate duck!

For research purposes of course...

OPEN HOUSE WEEKEND -- This weekend offers a special treat in Elkton. The annual Sunday Open House is coming with free give-aways and other enjoyments. Hundreds and hundreds of people come to Elkton to shop and enjoy the fun this first Sunday of December, and you're invited. Check out the details on the center pages this week.

WISH I'D SAID THAT - Every crowd has a silver lining!

reading. At 10th grade level, 76.9% passed math and 92.3 mastered reading, reports uniforms of satisfactory quality. The six submitted OTHER BUSINESS: The bids ranged from \$1,000 to • Set tuition rates at \$1,000 \$1,800, although Stahl says

per non-district student. Received a report from kindergarten teacher Shirley Scepanski on the goals and objectives of her

lunch program. Stahl Hired Kathy Beachy of Elkton as seventh and eighth estimates the freezer cost to grade cheerleader coach and TEST IMPROVEMENTS: George Bednorek of Results of Michigan Assess-Caseville as seventh and ment Test scores show imeighth grade boys basketball provement at all grade

Boosted substitute teachers' pay from \$35 per day to \$40 per day, effective Dec. 3, 1984. Accepted the \$350 snowplowing bid of Shoreline

Pigeon news

Spending Thanksgiving

Day with their mother,

brother Ronny were Mr. and

Mrs. Randy Richmond and

Angela and Karl of Mt. Plea-

McIlhargie and Todd and

Adam of Flint; Mr. and Mrs.

Michael Dorenkamp of

Howell and Christopher

McAllister of Caseville.

Johnsonbaugh and Cory

graders, 85% passed the Snowplowing of Caseville for math and 90% passed the winter of 1984-85. Specialist Ed Mahoney. Pigeon Pantry group

For more information or for registering information, call the Saginaw County Extension Office at 790-5291. There is a charge for the meeting.

BRIDGE FALLS INTO SHEBEON The Pigeon area churches advance, for the support shown for the holiday food

Neighbors won't be using the Notter Road bridge crossing the Shebeon Creek Drain south of Owendale, since it collapsed Thanksgiving morning while a tractor and plow were

John Retford, 22 of Owendale, told Huron County Sheriff's Deputies he was southbound on Notter when he drove on the county bridge. He said he could feel it give way, due to wear and old age. The road is closed and detour signs are posted. Retford was unhurt, although his plow sustained some

HUNTERS HURT LOCALLY

Roger Holbrook, 31 of Warren, was injured last Tuesday when he was shot in the leg by a fellow deer hunter while hunting in Port Austin Township. He was taken to Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, for treatment of the leg wound and was later released. DeWayne Reetz, 24 of Mt. Clemens told deputies he thought the Holbrook's movement was a

In Sanilac County, an 18-year-old Lexington man became the area's first hunting fatality when he apprently stumbled on a snowy furrow and his gun discharged. Sanilac County Sheriff's Deputies say Michael Ehrlich, 18, was struck in the head as he attempted to break his fall by grabbing the shotgun in Worth Township about 2 p.m. Tuesday.

POLICE BLOTTER NEWS

A \$250 duck blind was reported stolen from Wildfowl Bay between Nov. 3 and 18, according to Huron Deputies. Richard Ott of Trenton said he last saw the blind Nov. 3, and reported

Edward Wing, 73, and Edna Wing, 76, both of Pigeon were treated and released at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, after their auto collided last Wednesday with a truck driven by Jerry Stirrett, 35 of Owendale. The vehicles met when Stirrett's semi-tractor was eastbound on Mill Street in Owendale and Wing's car was southbound on Fourth Street. Stirrett was uninjured.

Alex Kovach, 62 of Owendale, was treated and released at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, when his westbound truck went out of control and entered the Kilmanagh Road ditch, nearly six miles southeast of Elkton. It flipped on its top last Wednesday on the ice-covered gravel road.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

In recent activity in Huron County 73rd District Court, First Division, Judge John Schubel heard these pleas:

Jacinto Aquilera, 31 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to drunken driving; ordered to pay \$350 fines and costs and loses driving rights for 180 days;

Rickey Dubey, 18 of Caseville, was found guilty of littering plus assault and battery; sentenced to 30 days in the Huron County Jail on each charge, with sentences to run concurrently, in a Sept. 23 littering incident in Caseville and a Sept.



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ed Stahl to seek bids on a

commercial three-door

freezer for the school's hot

At fourth grade level, 100%

of those taking the test pass-

ed the math objectives and

93.8% passed the reading

portion. Among seventh

Food Pantry Committee met Thursday, Nov. 20 at the First United Methodist

Church with 11 members and

guests present to fill

Twenty-two boxes were

An abundance of food items

were brought in by Pigeon

area residents, and the com-

to the community for its

filled Dec. 20 and delivered

the same day. The commit-

tee thanks the community, in

Kasserman in center.

Christmas boxes will be

Thanksgiving boxes.

strong support.

plans Dec. 20 gifts

filled and delivered that day. Frances Richmond and

mittee is very appreciative sant, Mr. and Mrs. Steve

CONSTRUCTION CASH: Pigeon District Library last

week benefited from a \$100 donation from the Pigeon Chat 'N

Chew Extension group. The organization raised the money from a bake sale during Pigeon Farmers' Festival.

Presenting the check to Librarian Roberta Richmond are

Chat N' Chew representatives Jenny Bruce at left and Yvette

The extension group plans to donate boxes of goods to individuals which will be delivered with Christmas Carols,

rather than exchanging gifts between members, Kasserman

Librarian Richmond noted that a \$100 donation was also

received from the Townliners Extension group.

distributions.

be about \$3,500.

levels, Stahl says.

FREEZER: Board authoriz-

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

-Bay Port-Caro-Caseville-Elkton-Fairgrove-Gageto

ATHLETES DRINK AND PLAY? Cass City High School athletes caught drinking or with drugs may not face automatic suspension, if a proposed school policy is adopted.

school policy is adopted.

Indications are the new policy will be adopted, in line with advice presented to the school's administration in the Alcohol, Drug Education Campaign. The school's Athletic Council can waive any part of a suspension if the athlete agrees to participate in an in-school drug or alcohol education program, involving eight or 10 meetings plus group activities.

Athletes also will be required to sign a 30-day "no-use" contract, since persons who can abstain from drug dependence for 30 days should be able to stay off those substances for longer times, officials say.

WESTERN SENTENCING FRIDAY The final phase of the first round of trials resulting from

the Jan. 22 murder of Jerry Western of Bad Axe should end Friday, when his wife Ellen Jane Western is sentenced for her involvement in Huron County's first murder in eight

Huron County Circuit Judge M. Richard Knoblock will pronounce sentence on her Friday morning, following her conviction on charges of first-degree murder and conspiracy to commit murder. A mandatory life sentence with no chance for parole is expected to be handed down.

Ralph C. Ross, 52 of Caseville, was sentenced to 20 to 30 years in Jackson Prison Nov. 16, for his involvement. He allegedly tried to help Ellen Western find a gunman to kill her husband, approaching about 60 persons in the Thumb Area. He was a prime witness against Mrs. Western at her trial, and was convicted of second-degree murder.

Michael Bieri, 39 of Elkton, was found guilty Nov. 9 of accepting \$4000 from Ross and Ellen Western as the triggerman n the slaying.
Attorneys for most of the participants say they are con-

sidering appeals, which could require up to two more years of

BED & BREAKFAST MEETING SET

A half-day workshop and information session on providing Bed & Breakfast homes is planned this Thursday, Nov. 29 in Frankenmuth. The Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service of Saginaw County is sponsoring the workshop beginning at 8:30 a.m. at the Frankenmuth City Hall, 240 W. Genesee, Frankenmuth.

Bed & Breakfast homes offer home-cooked breakfasts and overnight accommodations in rural areas for tourists. Included are legal aspects, marketing ideas, zoning, health regulations and other facts, as led by MSU Tourism

As we see it editorially

One 'left-over' still remains

he turkey, sweet potatoes and pies left over from Thanksgiving last week may be gone now, but they're not forgotten in most local homes. Warm, caring memories remain, but the best "left-over" should still be around in abundance.

That's the feeling of thankfulness each of us embraced for a few minutes, at least, last Thursday. Then, it was on to the main course, or the pumpkin pie or the football game for most folks. But the thankfulness should be brought out again and again, to be served -and consumed -- by us all.

We can't begin to visualize the Thursday most Ethiopians suffered through. Hundreds died that day alone from lack of food or poor living conditions. They weren't able to stuff themselves -- and then have plenty left over for at least two more meals all around.

We can't begin to realize the Thanksgiving enjoyed in East Germany. Food is more available there than Ethiopia perhaps, but those people do not possess the freedoms and ability to do what you want when, where and how you wish that we take so for granted.

We can't even imagine the horror of punishment which is the way of life in Poland. There. the government doesn't even want its citizens to attend church. Yet they persist, even breaking laws to do something so simple -- attend church when and where we wish -- that we don't do it often enough for our own good.

Even in countries such as Mexico, which touches our borders, residents are relentless. They will try nearly anything to gain some of the freedoms we definitely take for granted -even risking arrest for illegal border crossings. They love their country, but they look with jealousy across the U.S. border and see a bet-

We have so much, so often and so completely that we fail to appreciate our good fortune. We throw away perfectly good food, clothes, appliances and comfort materials for silly, meaningless reasons -- while people hundreds or thousands of miles away go without. And we don't even think a second about our fortune!

Thankfulness is something which should be remembered on more days than just the fourth Thursday each November. Our blessings abound more unanimously than anywhere else, yet we are among the least grateful of all creatures.

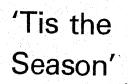
We're supposed to remember that at Thanksgiving time, but it's just one more part of our day. Have some appetizers, say grace, then dive into the meal, with a helping or two of a big dessert to follow in our warm houses. Let's top it off with a couple of drinks and smokes and TV games, and we've got a complete -- and good -- Thanksgiving, right?

Not by a long shot. Our gratefulness should only be reinforced that day. Giving thanks should come from the heart, not the stomach, and it should come loud and long. Donations should be made -- and more than a dollar or two -- to those less blessed than we. Used goods should be sent by experts to those in need.

In short, we should share part of our bounty every day. Not just one day a year, but every one. We don't even realize the depths of our blessings, but we should attempt to appreciate those depths. Every day of every year!

Roses and Thorns

By Mark Karls



Since 1970 the rate of suicide for youth age 15-19 has risen 44% compared with a 212 increase for the country as a whole. In that same period, suicide has gone from the fifth leading cause of death among people age 15-25 to second leading cause (trailing only automobile and other accidents). So states U.S. News and World Report just a few weeks ago (Nov. 12, 1984 issue, page 49).

This same news article reported that most health officials favor frank discussion of suicide at home and other educational areas (church, this newspaper, etc.). One school administrator said, "It's a popular myth that talking to kids about suicide will give them the idea . . . kids already have a good idea of suicide, adults who don't think so are fooling

Hence. I feel confirmed that even though some folks will persecute me for writing on such a subject, it will be worth it to save a few lives

Other tips from this news article claim that some 70% of all teen suicides had alcohol in their systems and 50% had recently had a physical altercation. In addition, most suicides had shown some form of disruptive behavior beforehand, such as truancy at school, promiscuity, severe outbursts of temper, physical illness, excessive substance abuse and a number of other things - it is seldom subtle.

Other warning signs among suicidals include depression, changes in eating or sleeping habits, the giving away of prized possessions, talking about suicide even jokingly, a withdrawal from usual activities and friendships and reaction to the loss of a relative, friend or parent.

For youth, peer pressure can be an effective preventive. Counselors advise young people that, should they see an acquaintance who seems at risk of suicide, they should befriend the person, listen to the problems, discuss the subject of suicide openly, remove weapons or medication if possible and get help from an adult or a health professional.

In addition, the importance of these articles at this time of year when the Christmas season is upon us and everyone's hearts are supposed to be happy and thinking on nice thoughts, is because it is precisely the Christmas, season that has the highest rate of suicide over any other time of the year. Somehow, the Christmas season expects everyone to be lovful and happy, which deepens the depression of those who find themselves hurting and sad.

Last week we differentiated between a manipulation suicide and a serious suicide. Briefly, the manipulation suicidal really does not want to die and utilizes a suicide offer to control people and situations. However, a serious suicidal really does want to die. Both types are in need of immediate help, but each requires a different kind of help.

The key component to suicide is depression. And the key component to depression is an excessive amount of attention devoted to self. Sometimes it is difficult to avoid such excessive attention on self. Circumstances many times force excessive self-attention. Depression is good in the sense that it makes us aware of a problem. But once that problem is dealt with in the best way we can and depression still exists, then excessive attention on the self has become a problem which will never be broken until the depressive goes out and

starts doing things to get his/her mind off self and on others.
For the manipulation suicidal this is the most difficult task o refocus attention from self to others. A passive aggressive (manipulator) is usually that way because of deep insecurities in allowing anyone else to be in control, and by nature protects or defends such insecurities by an excessive attention on self. The cure for a manipulator is to realize that he/she really is secure enough to not have to control everyone and everything -- secure enough to trust -- secure enough to be vulnerable out of strength.

A manipulator's first attempts to focus on others can in itself be a manipulation. Doing good things for someone else may backfire if that other person does not express appreciation and shower all kinds of attention back on the suicidal, The manipulator needs to be liberated from needing attention to give more attention, from needing strokes to keep on stroking, from being insecurely dependent on other people's

The serious suicidal is usually not by nature a person with excessive self attention. This person most likely was led down the road to suicide by circumstances he/she was unable to deal with -- financial ruin, family break-up, chile periences (anywhere from put-down comments to being raped by a parent or other relative), or other personal tragedy. These circumstances have naturally focused a great deal of attention on the self, merely for selfpreservation. But inability to refocus attention after facing the problem is what becomes dangerous.

There are some interesting suicides found among senior citizens whose spouse just died or just found out he/she had a terminal disease. In these cases, the surviving spouse wanted no part of life without the other, so we see both partners dying together with a drug overdose in the quiet familiarity of their own home or apartment. This is another side of inability to deal with a personal tragedy.

Still another side is shown by my own parents who have pleaded with us children and have witnessed documents stating that if they ever find life reduced to life support machinery, that we are to have the plug pulled. Some call this murder for us to pull the plug. Others call it suicide since our parents requested it. I call it what my parents call it, "to live is Christ but to die is gain (living is great, but dying is even better so why delay the joy).

My main concern with serious and manipulation suicides is for those who realy do have an awful lot to live for, but cannot see this at the present time. A realistic perspective of hope is desperately needed. Just as an alcoholic gains healing hope from recovering alcoholics who have been there and are winning the battle, so suicidals need the healing hope from former suicidals who have been there and won! I am one of those. My story is not for general public consumption. But if you need some hope, my number is 453-2552 at work and 453-2317 at home, if you are willing to work.

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RECOLLECTIONS



of by-gone days

By GEORGE KEIM

Last Sunday while I was waiting for my dinner at the Dutch Kettle, several elderly ladies spoke to me. One told me that my Grandmother Swartzendruber had bought her father's farm. It was the one on Geiger Road, where George Swartzendruber now

One wondered if it was me or my Dad who used to sell brooms. Well, it was my Dad, and I used to help him make them. During the Depression, that was the ony thing we had for a living.

My Grandpa made brooms in the late 1800s. I still have the machine, and if I ever get around to it, maybe I'll

Well, I got my dinner. Soon Ed Foster and Werner Licht came and we were talking together. Then Butch Truemner came by and said he had read my last article about the twitch we used to put on a horse's nose to make them hold still.

He said he used one quite often and when he'd break in a horse, he used to put hobbles on them and throw them down until they minded him.

I helped break in several horses. I walked along side with a rope, and if he'd rear up, I'd jerk him down. They usually would hitch a colt up with a well-trained horse, usually a mare or its mother. It took a lot of patience, coaching and didn't get too mad, you could make a good horse out of the worst rebel. That's what we would call a bad horse

They were just like a lot of people. Some were real good, while others were no good

Then on Tuesday, I went to Mandie's in Bay Port for dinner and met Jim Wells and Bud Squires. We had a nice chat. Bud worked in the Quarry for many years. He could run any piece of machinery they had.

He sometimes operated their shovels, and I always liked to be his ground man because he didn't spill near as many stones as some of the operators did. And he could weld real well, too.

Well, my old friends are dropping off one at a time, but I'm making new ones. They are lots younger than I

In Prov. 16:31, it says, "the hoary head is a crown of glory if it be found in the way of righteousness." That means if a person is old and has grey hair and always tries to do what is right and helped to make this world a better place in which to live, they should be honored.

And if they're not as sharp as they were, they should still get our respect, and people owe them the all the kindness that is due to them 'til they leave this world for a

Shirley Lenzner Beck, 64, of Lakeside. Anna L. Stipanovich, infant daughter of Ohio, formerly of Cass City, passed

John and Kim Stipanovich of Fillon,

passed away Nov. 15. Michael J. LaPine, infant son of Patrick and Sheryl LaPine of Harbor Beach, passed away Nov. 15. Dorothy Young, 79, of Caro, passed away

Maude Ball, 97, of Caro, passed away Nov. David L. McGrail, four months, son of Kevin and Kimberly McGrail of Bad Axe. passed away Nov. 16.

Arnold Satow, 75, of Bradenton, Fla., formerly of Sebewaing, passed away lames J. Katshor, 54, of of Bradenton,

Fla., formerly of Caseville, passed away Barbara F. Woychowski, 86, of Ruth, passed away Nov. 18. Harland "Hap" Hile, 75, of Caro, passed away Nov. 18.

Clarence Stock, 71, of Pontiac, formerly of Unionville, passed away Nov. 18. Helen L. Mott, 64, of Pontiac, formerly of ville, passed away Nov. 19. Irvin S. Kosal, 66, of Harbor Beach, passed away Nov. 19.

lda R. Deeg, 47, of Huntington, Ind., formerly of Sebewaing, passed away Louis J. Colangelo, 73, of Lake Township, passed away Nov. 21.

Scheurer

Hospital notes Patients in Scheurer

Hospital, Pigeon, on Mon-PIGEON: Pauline Swartzendruber, Mrs. Ron (Carmen) Wolfram, Orvin

CASEVILLE: Henry Edwards, Angus J. McIntyre. PORT AUSTIN: Theodore FILION: Mrs. William A.

(Helen) Schmitt. SEBEWAING: Clara Kain, Earl Kuhl. BAY PORT: Gerald Deer-

GROSSE PT. WOODS: Shari L. Dutcher. BIRTHS: Mr. and Mrs. Clark (Marcia) Brock, Port Austin, a son, Kevin Clark,

on Nov. 24. Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Wanda) Webber, Jr., Bay Port, a son, Chase Thomas,

Letters from our readers

Churches must lead way in questioning defense priorities

Dear Editor:

I write this to applaud your editorial of Nov. 6, entitled "Let's Quote a Past Presi-The forthright rationale expressed ought to be self-evident, but observations indicate otherwise. Have we become so mesmerized by political commercials and charismic charm that our descernment is tranquilized? I refer to the insatiable appetite of the military complex for everincreasing weapons, as you have in your editorial.

Statistics overwhelm us. Billions, in error, are called millions and vice versa. Now we begin to talk in trillions. Militarists debate as to the number of warheads on a given missile and the process of verification. Mark Twain recalled three kinds of lies: lies, damned lies and statistics.

sions, that a return to sanity and the consideration of principles in extremely vital decisions could favorably alter the course of history. Several pertinent questions need to be asked to illustrate and separate fact from fiction. How can more weapons be a deterrent when we have indicated) to destroy, the earth several times? Carl Sagan, scientist and astronomer, has recently stated that if one-tenth of the nuclear bombs in the world were detonated, we would experience a nuclear winter over all the earth, and no living thing could exist.

aspect perpetrated on the populace thet idea that we must build our defenses to a superior level to bring the Soviets to the negotiating would counter with ever despair.

we expect the Soviets to be more magnanimous than we, they being as evil as we

The third misnomer lies in the rhetoric that peace comes through strength of arms. History denies it; biblical truth can't support it, and deep within us we know it to be the lie of the century. The slogan for World War I was, "A war to end all wars," and for World War II, "to make the world safe for democracy." We know now they were just slogans.

What do we face now? The next major confrontation will find no solace in slogans Proposals that advocate waging peace and turning ''swords our plowshares" surely are more sane than destroying ourselves, if not literally So much foolishness then economically. The starving people dying in abounds in many discus-Ethiopia and other parts of Africa, may compel us to abandon swords for plowshares. If compassion does not move us, we may be forced to act for self-serving

economic reasons. We could rally to that need with billions of dollars (saved from military expenalready have enough (as you ditures) and an army have indicated) to destroy, dedicated to fulfill a world crisis working side by side with our "enemies" in that mission. If the administration had been as sensitive to the impending drought and famine in Ethiopia as they are to migs in crates in Nicaragua, we could have greatly lessened such a devastating calamity, (Substantiated by reports from United Nations and Catholic Relief Services).

President and General Eisenhower did not consider table. This idea calls for the war as a zenith in the affairs question. Would we come to of humanity to settle the table if the situation were disputes, but rather a reversed? Of course not! We capitulation of good will to

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The church, if it is to be the timonious platitudes and more weapons. Why then, do prophetic voice in word and

deed, not content to be silent noted that "The devil cites and apathetic. It cannot ease scripture for his own purits conscience with sanc- pose.

church, must proclaim its prayer in schools.

prophetic voice in word and Shakespeare recognized the seat of controversy when he

To those in the church who us, either as a recipient or think we must wait for the millenium to be a

peacemaker, might consider a little practice now, else our

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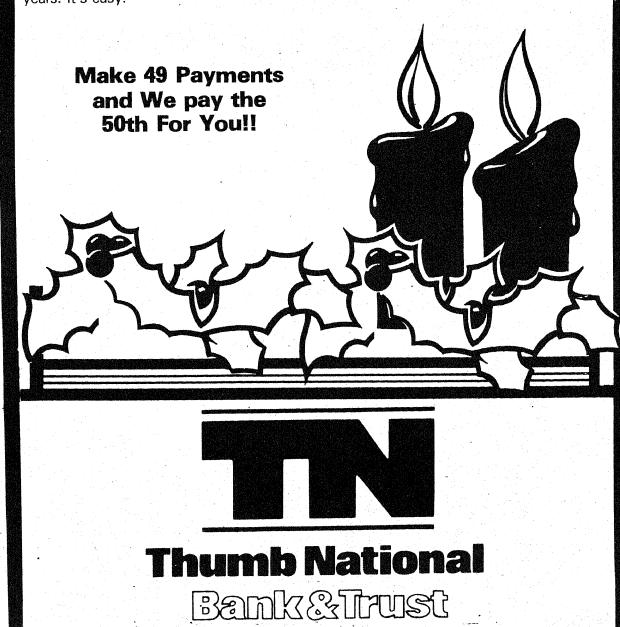
CHRISTMAS CONCERT SUNDAY: St. John's Lutheran Church of Berne invites the public to its annual Christmas Concert this Sunday, Dec. 2, at 7:30

The Junior and Senior Choirs will present traditional favorites and new music in the concert. A free will offering for choir music will be taken, and a fellowship hour will follow in the church basement. Marian Rathje is Senior Choir director, Elaine

Schulze is Junior director, Peggy Hartman will accom-

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Thumb Outdoor Report: Deer facts

WHILE THE 1984 RIFLE in just over 200 pounds, out of DEER SEASON is still a few the woods. Jon's buck days from being history, history has already been made. Jon West, a 23 year old hunter from Holland. Michigan, has probably set a new state record with the buck he bagged on opening morning in the Allegan area. John, who had scouted the deer some three months before the season opened, arrived at his spot about two hours before daylight. He spotted the deer and thought ne had spooked him an hour before shooting time, but the ig buck came back. West shot the deer from a distance of 25 yards and it took three slugs to bring him down. It took West about five hours to

drag his kill, which weighed

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in Pennsylvania?

in just over 200 pounds, out of sported 32 points and if you would like to see it, be sure and watch Michigan Outdoors on Dec. 13.

WITH DEER SEASON ALMOST OVER, some deer are starting to strike back. An airman stationed at K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base told police he was driving along a Marquette County road last Tuesday night when a doe started to cross the road in front of him. He stopped the car and honked the horn to frighten the deer across the road. Instead, the deer approached the car, kicked in the right fender and then

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the deer harvest for the 1984 deer season would be around 125,000, but that isn't the total kill. Many experts feel that the poachers in Michigan kill as many deer as are taken legally. If this fact is true, Michigan is harvesting about a quarter of a million deer each year. It doesn't seem to matter what the DNR does, the an nual battle against poachers is always a losing one. Part of the blame can be directed at the state budget cuts which has reduced the number of officers in the field. In 1984, the DNR had fewer officers in the field

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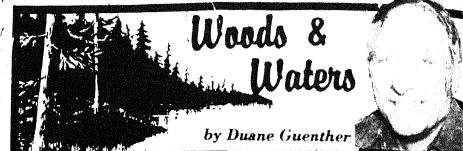
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How to miss a mule deer

I threw back the canvas flap of the green, wall tent and stepped into the frosty, pre dawn darkness. It had gotten cold last night, thought, as I padded towards the gurgling sound of the mountain stream that lay hidden behind a screen of cottonwoods. Break ing some rim ice at the stream's edge. I submerged the coffee pot, and gasped as the ice-cold water splashed upon my hand.

Back at the tent, the Coleman stove quick

ly roared to life and within moments, the coffee pot was puffing out a cloud of heavily scented steam to mingle aromatically with the slab bacon sizzling in the cast iron skillet. The camp was now fully awake, each of the three hunters, deep in their own per sonal thoughts, was busy with preparations for the morning hunt.

Breakfast proved to be a scramble for the food. I chose to eat on the run, so I flipped over a couple of eggs and sandwiched them between thick slices of homemade bread. I slipped five slices of the thick bacon in a plastic bag and slid it into my shirt pocket. where it would relieve a growling stomach later that morning. Munching on the sand wich, I pocketed six extra shells, made sure my binoculars were in my daypack, and methodically checked out the rest of the contents. Satisfied that I was ready for the day's hunt, I bid my farewell to the other two members of the camp, and headed toward the looming foothills that lay beyond the stream. By the time I had reached the water my sandwich was finished and I had swilled down the last of the coffee in my cup.

I bent and rinsed out the cup, filled it with water, drained it to quench a burning thirst caused by the excitement of the morning and perched it on a flat rock to be picked up later in the day

As the first rays of daylight peeked over the edge of the large mesa east of our camp, rounded an outcrop of rimrock and came face to face with my first mule deer of the morning. A fat and sassy little forkhorn stood his ground and pawed at the loose rock while he decided whether to run or not. I instinctively slid the gun's sling off my shoulder and eased it into shooting position. Uh huh, I thought to myself, I didn't drive 2,000 miles to blast at the first set of horns I happened to see. I may have done that in Michigan, but this was Wyoming, and although I had never bagged a mule deer before, I was sure I could find something bigger than what was standing before me. The forkhorn must have sensed what I was thinking, for as I shouldered my .30-06 and ambled on by him, he showed little alarm and stared at me, twitching his oversized ears from whence his name was derived.

With the morning light intensifying I was able to clearly survey the vastness of the area I was planning to hunt. We were situated on the northern edge of a cattle ranch of some 40,000 acres. In fact, the ranch was so large it had its own paved roads traversing the interior and its name was on the state map, garnering as much importance as a nearby town. The long, low grasslands to the south were giving way to a series of foothills where I was standing, and turning to the north, I saw the hills disappear into a heavy spruce again as craggy, bare peaks known as the

I had planned the night before to work my way into the foothills and then glass the grassy area for mules that would be returning to the protection of the spruces after an evening of feeding. With this thought in mind, I worked upward until my breath was rattling in my chest and my legs felt as though they were encased in lead. Dropping my daypack to the ground, I cradled my rifle across my lap and started a methodical search of the southern area with a pair of 7x50 binoculars.

Within the first hour I had spotted three good-sized herds of mule deer working their way into the foothills. I chuckled when I came upon them first, for it reminded me of the old TV show, "Death Valley Days." There, coming up the hill in perfect order, were 20 mule deer that resembled the 20-mule team Borax commercial to a T. None of the three herds had any decent-

sized bucks so I decided to pass them up. A short time later, as I moved the glasses in a more easterly direction I saw a small group of deer emerging from behind the

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screen of a low hill about a half-mile away. I nonchalantly checked the first few deer and found them all to be does, but as I moved towards the rear of the herd, my breath caught in my throat. There, at the very back of the herd, was a buck with horns so big I blinked several times to make sure I wasn't dreaming. At first I thought it might be an elk, for it look just like the road signs advertising The Hartford Insurance Company. And to this day, when I pass one of those signs, my mind thashes back to the foothills of the Pitchfork

The deer were moving up a draw that would cause them to pass some 800 yards to my left. I quickly formed my plans, and headed down the slope towards a point of interception at a fast dog trot. I had about three foothills and draws that lay between me and the proposed route the deer would take, so I tried hard to pace myself as I clamored up and down the steep slopes.

After what seemed like a five-mile trek! approached the last rise with extreme cau tion. Lying on the protected side until 1 caught my breath and my hammering heart began to slow down. I formulated the final plans of my stalk. I had no idea how far away the deer would be, or even if they would be in sight, as I cased my head above the hill and scanned the draw on the opposite side. At first my heart sank, there were no deer, at least that's what I thought As my eyes wandered up the side of the brush-chocked draw they popped into sight Contentedly munching on the buffalo grass, they were slowly working their way into the spruces that lay above them.

I was sure they could not see me, so I tore off my down vest and using that along with my daypack as a rest, cradled my .30-06 Winchester in the soft folds that would hold the rifle steady. I estimated the yardage a about 350, and calculating that I had sighted the rifle in for 200 yards, should hold about six inches high. That was a grave mistake. Not taking into account that I was shooting downhill, I was unaware that gravity would have little effect on the falling bullet. With all the confidence in the world, I placed the crosshairs of my 4x Bushnell scope some five inches above the front shoulder of the huge mule deer

Ka-pow! The stock slammed into my right shoulder and I fought to steady the scope. A sickening feeling rushed through my body When I saw a nuff of goil and evaleding rock erupt a couple of inches over the deer's back. Panic struck and I racked the bolt to seat a fresh cartridge into the chamber. Surprisingly, the big buck stood rooted, nowever now very alert, to the same spot, A hurried sighting job and I let fly with another 180 grain softnose. This time the spurt of dust came from between the deer's front legs. In a flash he and the rest of the feeding deer were in the timber and I, with a smoking gun still latched firmly in my

hands, hung my head in foolish disgrace. Later, pacing off the distance and reliving the moment brought me back to my senses. The distance turned out to be 167 yards, not 350 like I had imagined. I had violated some basic principles in mountain hunting, and in the heat of the situation, had failed to trust my sighting-in job and tried to out guess my

Had I aimed right at the deer, a gigantic set of antlers would now grace my living room wall, but rather I must take my place among many other hunters who bolt upright out of a deep sleep and, body dripping with sweat, realize that the once-in-a-lifetime shot was blown and will forever haunt me in my hunting dreams .

Farmers reminded to cast votes

Jimmy LaVoie, county executive director of the Huron County ASC Committee, reminds farm owners and operators to cast their votes by mail to elect community committeemen and return ballots to the ASCS office by

If an eligible voter did not receive a ballot by mail, one may be obtained at the ASCS office. The county committee will tabulate ballots at a meeting on Dec. 6 at 10 a.m. in the ASCS office located in the USDA Service Center at 46 Westland Drive, Bad Axe.

Elected committeemen and delegates to the county convention will be notified by mail after Dec. 6. The County ASC Convention will be Dec. 13. Delegates will elect members of the county committee whose terms expire in 1984. The meetings are open to the public.

Duane Baur of Bay Port and Eric Voelker of Pigeon joined an elite group of Future Farmers of America when they received the highest FFA degree of membership, that of

American Farmer.
Along with 700 other outstanding FFA'ers, the two Laker chapter members were honored at the 57th National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Mo. on Nov. 9.

The American Farmer degree ceremony included the presentation of a certificate and gold key to Baur and Voelker as they walked across the convention stage.

Voelker is the son of Mary Jane Voelker of Pigeon an**d** the late Ken Voelker. Baur is the son of Bruce and Marilyn Baur of Bay Port.

AT LEFT, Baur receives his award from a national FFA leader, while, AT RIGHT, Voelker gets his

Marion Mathews, "Breaking

Into Communication" by

Junior Adult

Joan Aiken, "Don't Hurt

Laurie!" by Willo D.

Roberts, "Freckle Juice" by

Judy Blume, "The Case of the Secret Pitch" by Donald

J. Sobel, "The Complete Adventures of Olga da

Polga" by Michael Bond,
"Encyclopedia Brown's
Book of Wacky Spies" by

"The Shadow Guests" by

Bob Weinstein.

Donald J. Sobel.



Pigeon District LIBRARY NEWS

BOOK WEEK WINNERS

Libraries across the country celebrated Childrens' Book Week Nov. 12-17. The Pigeon District Library used the theme "Celebrate Liber-. . Read," to promote childrens' books and held daily drawings for prizes for children in grades kindergarten through sixth who checked out at least four

Daily winners are Mike Bushey, Kelly Southworth, Kelly Gembarski, Missy Stevenson, Nick Wineman, Kimberli Pittinger, Chris Harder, Karla Pittenger, Leslie Gulick and Carrie Bach. Winners of the grand prizes of Saturday's drawing are Timothy Stafford and Chrissy Eisiliones. Children visiting the library during the week were also given special bookmarks to take

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

"Winter time" is the theme for Tuesday Preschool Story Hour on Dec. 4 for all children aged three to five

Stories will be "Snow on Bear's Nose," "The Snowy Day" and "The Race to Pearl Peak -- A Popeye Adventure." Five Little Snowmen fingerplays Animals in the Fall filmstrip, songs and games are some of the activities planned for the 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. sessions. Show and Tell will also be held.

Preschool Story Hour is held each Tuesday morning at the library and a Coffee Hour for parents is provided

SATURDAY STORY HOUR

Ten students spent a funfilled hour at the library on Saturday during the monthly Story Hour. Stories were read by Jane Himmel with theme "Thanksgiving." Games, a filmstrip and a craft were

The next Saturday Story Hour will be Dec. 22 from 1 to 2 p.m. All students in grades three through sixth are in-

NEW BOOKS

Adult Fiction "Tourist" by Richard B.

for Happiness" by George Burns, "Letting Go of 'Gilgamesh the King' by Silverberg, Stress'' by Jackie Schwartz, "Double" by Bill Pronzini, "Maigret's Revolver" by George Simenon, "Reaching

'Kicking Your Stress Habits' by Donald A. Tubesing, "Day One" by Peter

Sherman Day will be in

The November meeting

for the Elkton Extension

Club met with Mrs. Richard

Chairman Lee Drummond

presided and led in repeating

the Extension creed. Roll

call response was revealing

Report of the County Council was given by Mrs. Milton.

Mrs. Max McKenzie presented the lesson in Knit

Gentlemen's Night and

Christmas Party will be at

the Elkton Civic Center on

Thanksgiving Day plans.

Milton Monday evening.

charge of next week's pro-

"Dr. Burn's Prescription

Thumb area clubs meet

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SENIOR CITIZENS

Fifty-seven members of the Elkton Senior Citizens met at the Elkton Civic Center for a Thanksgiving Dinner. The Doxology was sung as the invocation.

James Carroll.

Colorado'' by Frank

George President Southworth welcomed Mary Hacker, Clara Bernard and Lillian Kunstman, who had been absent for awhile. Birthdays celebrated were

for Berniece Eidt, Helen Ritter and Minnie Stirrett. A report of sick members was given by Alvena Walsh.

Virgil Brimberry is a patient at St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw, and Lena Roberts will take up residence in a private home in Pigeon for a short while

program of poetry and song, in keeping with Thanksgiv-

Della Trudgeon gave a

Monday, Dec. 17, with dinner at 7 p.m. Arrangements will be handled by Mrs. Ed Bumhoffer, Ruby Ewald and Mrs. Wayne Knechtel.

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The Past in Print



He was a member of the

Law Firm of Ann Arbor, He

eaves his wife, four

Elaine Roberts, Elkton and

Children of Mr. and Mrs.

Erwin Kreh will honor their

parents on their 50th wed-

ding anniversary with an

Center Saturday, Dec. 14.

They have three children, 12

grandchildren and one

Stanley J. Brecht, 87,

Elkton, passed away Dec. 4

in Big Rapids. He is survived

formerly of Bay Port, died in

California. He leaves six

Mrs. Erwin Zarnke, 64,

nee Eleanora Armbruster,

64, Elkton, died Dec. 3, Sur-

vivors are one daughter and

Earl C. Steele, 65,

Caseville, died Friday, Sur-

viving are his wife and three

John Guardian, three year

old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ar-

mando Guardian, Pigeon,

won the bicyle given in the

Christmas drawing Satur-

day by Pigeon Chamber of

New officers and directors

Pigeon Rotary Club are

Elmer Bussema, Dale

Wertz, Loren Gettel, James

Swartzendruber, James

Schwanitz, Bruce Leip-

prandt, Edwin Eichler and

Service news

Army Pvt. Jeffrey D;

Bryant, son of Dennis and

Darlene Bryant of Elkton,

has arrived for duty in Lud-

mechanic with the Second

Support Command, was

previously assigned at Fort

He is a 1983 graduate of

wigsburg, W. Germany. Bryant, a vehicle

Wayne Henne.

Dix, N.Y.

daughters and one son.

Ballard, 63,

10 YEARS AGO

DEC. 12, 1974

great-grandchild

daughters.

William J.

80 YEARS AGO DEC. 9, 1904

Sol Schluchter, who has conducted a grocery store in Pigeon for many years, has leased the Winter's building and will stock it with a line of general merchandise.

The rooms of the Bay Port School will be heated by hard coal stoves in the future.

Henry Lange of Ohio, who recently purchased the Henry Stortz farm south of Pigeon, has arrived here with his family.

J.P. Wachner has moved into the house recently vacated by Simon Hoffman

in Pigeon.
Dr. P.L. Fritz, dentist. Office over Clabuesch's harness shop, Pigeon. At the Poss House in Caseville Tuesday afternoons

Ladies of the Pigeon M.E. Church will have a sale of fancy articles in the KOTM Hall Dec. 16. They will also serve an oyster supper. Tickets 15-25 cents.

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lars, fancy slippers, etc. on the sick list.

William, Fred and Henry 60 YEARS AGO Trost and Fred Bucholtz DEC. 12, 1924 were at Sebewaing and Elkton this week getting prices on brick for the new Lutheran church at Pigeon to be built next season.

70 YEARS AGO DEC. 6, 1914

Pigeon Winsor Lodge F & AM elected the following officers: A.E.W. Yale, Albert Davis, Russel Turner, J.A. McLean, John J. Campbell, Wesley Thiel, George Wilfong, Adam Fuss, J.G. Buerker and Walter Notter. Mose Ropp has moved to

Paul Praschan returned Grant Bean has sold his

80-acre farm in Winsor Twp. to Peter Ropp. Invitations are out announcing the wedding of John Doepker, Weiss and Miss Dorothy

Schumacher and Braun. Fluegge next Wednesday.
Twenty relatives helped a building just north of the Frederick Damm celebrate stock vards on the Grand his 79th birthday Sunday. Trunk R.R. in Pigeon to be Born to Mr. and Mrs. used for a plant to manufacture cement tile and building

Exterior work on the new **Village of Caseville** arm home of Herman Neschultz, two miles east of Pigeon, is about completed is now taking applications for the and will be one of the finest position of Village DPW Superintenand most modern farm

1050 YEARS AGO

homes in the county

DEC. 7, 1934 At a double-wedding Wednesday afternoon, Henry Borne and Miss Mabel Damm s one couple and Earl Damm and Miss Edna Borne were united in marriage at Pigeon Methodist Church by the

Rev. C.E. Buerkle. Francis McCormick,

Hartman, Pigeon, were dkerchiefs, fancy ladies' col-Sidney Foster of Winsor is united in marriage on Nov. 29 at St. Francis Church by

Rev. Fr. Betzing. Herklas Dietzel and Miss Verna Miller, Pigeon, were united in marriage on

Otto Schmidt, son of Mr. Thanksgiving Day at the and Mrs. L. Schmidt, Bay Amish Mennonite Church by Port and Miss Della Fliegel. the bride's father, M.S. Zehr. Sebewaing, were united in The new Pigeon Mennonite marriage on Thanksgiving church edifice was dedicated afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fliegel, Sebewa-

Emil W. Strieter, 31,

McKinley Twp., died on Dec.

8l. He is survived by a wife

and two daughters, his

mother, Mrs. John Strieter,

two sisters and nine

Mr. and Mrs. George H.A.

Shaw celebrated their silver

wedding anniversary at

their home in Fairhaven

Twp. with about 25 relatives.

football players were named

to the All-Huron County

Eleven. They are Paul,

Roberts,

Five Pigeon High School

Mrs. Hnery Heuser, 75, died at her home in Pigeon on Nov. 23.

40 YEARS AGO DEC. 8, 1944

Pvt. Richard Dast, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dast, igeon, is somewhere ir France with General Patton's Army. His brother, Pvt. Robert J. Dast, returned to Camp Roberts after spending a 12-day furlough with her parents.

Mrs. Clara Malpass received word that her son Pvt. Kenneth W. Malpass has been slightly wounded somewhere in Germany, and Norman Schaaf is erecting is now in a hospital somewhere in France. She also had word that her son, Machinist Mate 3/C Arthur J. Malpass has arrived safely in the Mariana Islands. He nas been stationed in the

South Pacific for 21 months. Warren J. McIntyre has resigned as cashier of the Bay Port State Bank due to ill health. He has been cashier since the death of the late John H. Fahrner. Mr. McIntyre will continue his

insurance business. More than 800 people attended the three-act comedy, "Campus Quarantine." presented by the senior class Pigeon High School Friday evening, under the direction of Miss Muriel

30 YEARS AGO DEC. 9, 1954

Charles Ramage, 78, Bay Port and formerly of Harbor Beach, died Saturday night.

Mrs. Isabelle Dew, 66, nee Feekings, widow of Rod Dew, former Elkton merchant, died at her home in Detroit. Surviving are a daughter and a son.

Elkton FFA members who were raised to the Chapter meeting at Elkton Communi-

this is the time one is least

Possibly you and your spouse can talk it over. If

talking about funerals is

hard, if you or your family is not ready for such a con-

versation, you can put your thoughts down on paper.

Keep the letter informal.

Try to include everything

about the funeral or

ty School include Glen Abbe, Dick Armstrong, Bob Campbell, Vincent Champagne Eldon Clark, Ralph Deering, Wayne Faupel, John Gross Bob Hazard, Jerry McBride Steve McCormick, Jerry Osborne, Bill Stinson, Leon Tait, James Watts, Lloyd

Ziel and Orville Smithers.

Junior class members of Elkton High School are plan ning their annual alumni turkey banquet and Christmas dance for Dec. 16 at the school. Theme is "Silver Bells." and Fred Gunsell and his orchestra will play for the dance. Groups wishing to reserve tickets may call Lorraine

Jim McCormick, Caseville is a member of the newlyorganized men's glee club at Central Michigan College, Mt. Pleasant, a 46-man group called the "Singing Chippewas.'

Nieschulz

X.A. Boomhower, 82, former circuit judge of for 30 years, died Nov. 29 in Bad Axe. He leaves his widow and three daughters.

20 YEARS AGO DEC. 10, 1964

Caseville branch members of Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will observe the 50th anniversary of their church building on Sunday, Dec. 13. Speakers will include the present Pastor Frank Ross and Elder Floyd Horton. A dinner will be served at Caseville School by the

womens' dept. of the church. Mrs. Edward Harrison, 84, nee Florence Fitchett, died Dec. 1 in Pigeon. Survivors are three sons and one

Winning bicycles in the Christmas drawing sponsored by the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce were Patty Jo Weiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weiss and Roger Dubs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dubs, all of

Laker band members who have been selected to play in the district honors band concert Saturday at Laker High School are Louise Dixon, Sue Rosenthal, Arlyn Yordy, Paul Picklo, Richard Spaulding, Deanna Bauman, Dale Voelker and Karen William Joseph Roberts

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70th year for Caseville RLDS

The Caseville Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will observe its 70th anniversary on Friday, Dec. 7.

The first pastor of the church was Elder Benjamir McGeachy, assisted by Arthur McIntosh, priest George Willard, deacon and Floyd Horton, clerk.

In 1880, the James and Elizabeth Burwell family came to Caseville from Canada. They were missionary-minded and Elizabeth wrote a letter to Independence, Mo. and asked for an elder to come to Caseville. Elder Robert Ohring preached the first sermon in the Caseville School. At first the church was to be built near Gotts Corner, but Elder William Grice said no, the church will be built in Caseville. The property was purchased from Samuel Cochran, the banker, for

The family names of the church back in 1914 were Bates, Adams, Perry, Gard-ner, Horton, McIntosh, Ross, McGeachy, Powell, McBride, Farver, Gotts, Willard and Stewart.

The oak church pews were purchased in 1918 for \$350.00. The original lighting was by kerosene lamps on brackets beside the windows. Cleaning the chimneys was a deacon's headache. Electric lighting was installed in 1923. In 1978, the complete upper was re-



RLDS LEADERS: This picture was snapped at a church gathering in the late 1920s or early '30s. Church leaders shown in the front row are Stanley Horton, John S. McDonald, Albert Squires, Art McIntosh, Silas Parker and Benjamin Parker.

Gardner and social, Les and

McAulay hired as decorator. Ministers who have served the church are: Benjamin McGeachy 1914, 1919, 1924 and 1927; Arthur McIntosh 1915-1917; George Harder 1918; Albert Squires 1920; Elder Floyd W. Horton 1921-1923, 1928-1930, 1935-1955, 1958; Stanley Hor-

decorated with Bertha ton 1931-1934; Elder John Francis Ross 1956-1957, 1960, 1965-1966; Elder Jay Dickin-Ross 11967-1971, 1977-1981; Priest Gerald J. Ross 1972-1976; Elder Olson Mc-Callum 1982-1985

The womans' department of the church has always been active since the church was organized. Bake sales and suppers have been wellattended and 32 women number the Faithful Friends Mystery Sister

Present church officers are: President Olson Mc-Callum; counselors Royal Ross and Gerald Ross; treasurer Gerald Eimers; secretary Barbara Eimers; church school director Doris Ross: womens' leader Ila McCallum: music director Delores Ross: zion's league eader Wanda Bouverette:

Couple announces plans to wed



Kretzschmer - Budae

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kretzschmer of Flint and Mr and Mrs. Robert Budae of Burton wish to announce the engagement of their children, Lori Kay Kretzschmer and Thomas Michael Budae

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Immunization clinics set

regular Tuesday immunization clinics on Dec. 4, 11 and 18 from 9 to 11 a.m. and from 1 to 4 p.m. Children must be accom-

panied by a parent or guardian and a child's immuniza-tion record should be

T.B. testing is also
available each Tuesday
from 8:30 to 10 a.m. A slight
School this Friday, Nov. 30 fee is charged for persons at 11:15 a.m. receiving a T.B. test as an in-

The Huron County Health requirement. No fee will be Department will conduct charged to persons believed to have been in contact with someone with T.B.

School pics retaken at Pigeon

This photo session is for re

Area lunch school menus

LAKER SCHOOLS Third choice all week is oney dog on a bun. MONDAY: Cheesy pizza submarine sandwich, french

TUESDAY: Chicken nug-tets, spaghetti, french fries, WEDNESDAY: Cheesy pizza, chicken noodle soup and cheese sandwich. THURSDAY: Chalupa goulash, kitchen t**reat.** FRIDAY: Cheesy pizza shwich, french fries.

CROSS LUTHERAN MONDAY: Hamburger ew, lettuce salad, pineapple cake, bread, milk. TUESDAY: Fish sticks, dogs, fries, peaches

WEDNESDAY: Pork roast, mashed potatoes, corn, applesauce, bread

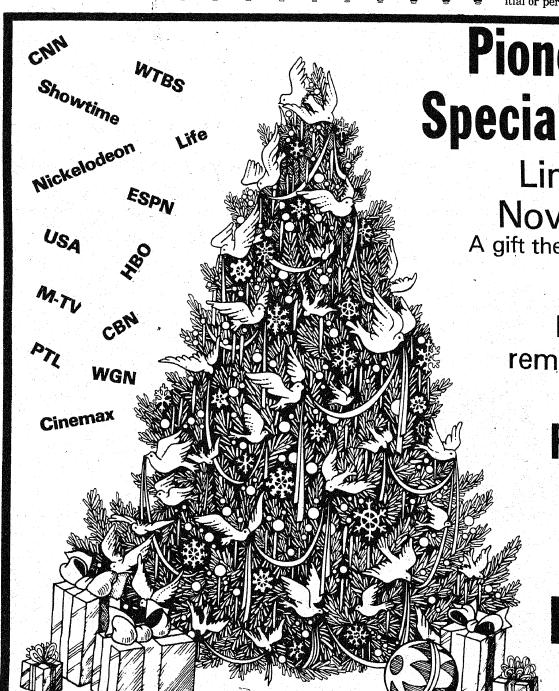
THURSDAY: Submarine sandwiches, baked beans, jello with fruit, pears, milk. FRIDAY: Spaghetti, let-tuce salad, bread, rhubarb crisp, milk

Couple marks 40 years

Mr. and Mrs. Peter (Mary) Karle celebrated their 40th wedding anniver-sary with a dinner on Sunday at the Bavarian Inn, Frankenmuth.

The couple was married Nov. 25, 1944. They have six children, Mrs. Barry (Marie) Rachiba of Bay City, Mrs. Harry (Rose) Kelly of Clarkston, Peter, Jr. o Donald Munger. Caseville, Mrs. Pat (Edna) Adams of Kinde and Mrs. red Jaskowski of Pigeon.

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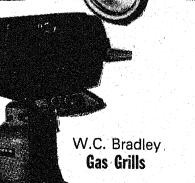
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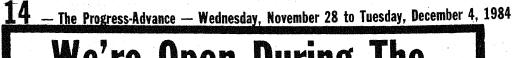
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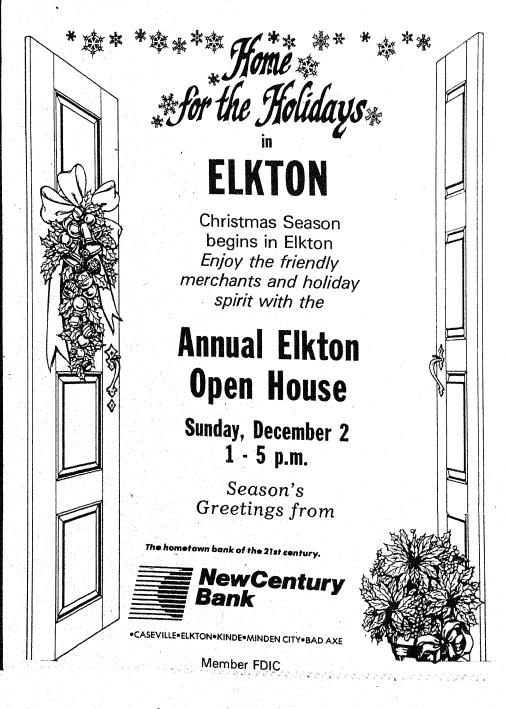
Santa Claus promised he wouldn't miss the festivities going on this weekend at Elkton's annual Open House. So he's taking time out from his toy-making work to hand out treats to area youngsters all Sunday afternoon!

Watch him arriving in town on the big fire engine!

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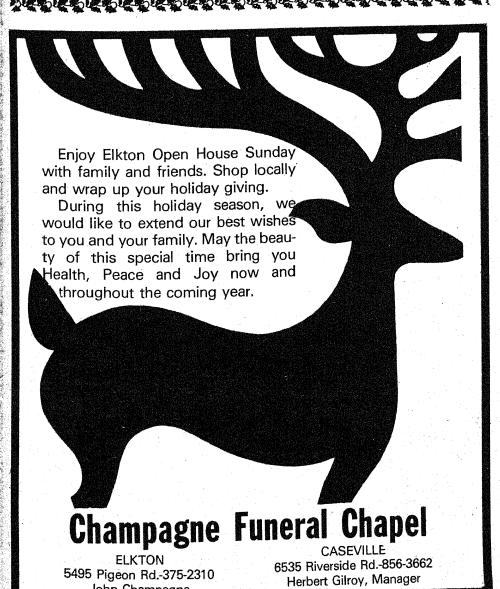
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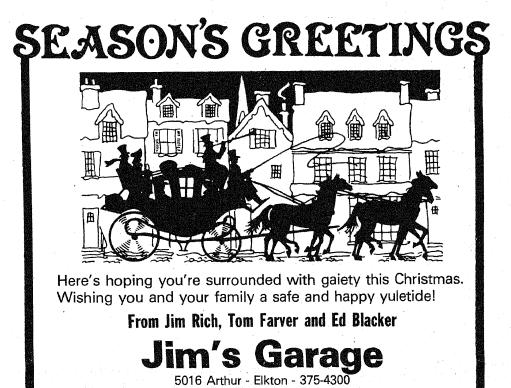
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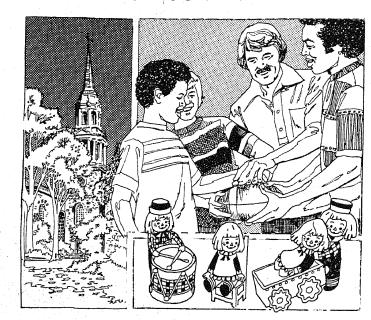






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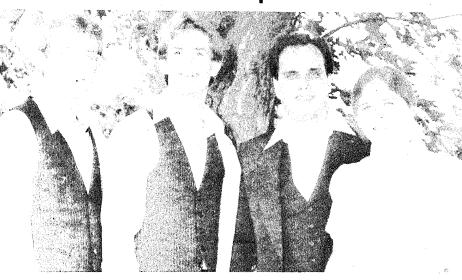
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Pigeon River hosts Gospel Echoes

A special musical program featuring the Gospel choes Team will be esented at 7 p.m. on Sunlav, Dec. 2 at Pigeon River Iennonite Church.

The group is involved in a all-time ministry to prisons n North America, with its eadquarters in Goshen, Indiana. The Gospel Echoes gives 250 programs in risons and churches each

The program will include a nulti-media presentation of he prison ministry, as well s singing and testimonies. A free-will offering is



Lake-Chandler holiday happenings

Thanksgiving Day guests f Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bedford were Mr. and Mrs. John Bedford and son Bryce of Coldwater, Bonnie and Wanda Bedford and friend Mark of Kalamazoo, Neal Bedford and friends of Ypsilanti. Lucy Dietzel of Elkton and Beatrice Stange of Bay City.

Recent callers of Mrs. Nellie Kreh were Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Ballagh of Kinde and Mona McBride of Caseville.f

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Guster and sons Michael and Danny and Kenneth Dufty were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dufty of Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McBride entertained for dinner on Thanksgiving, Bob and Chris Weber of Pontiac and Fred and Mona

McBride spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. John McBride of Elkton. Other guests were Joanne McBride and friend of Bad Axe, Linda McBride and friend and sons Joshua and Timothy of friend of Elkton, Mr. and

Judy and Don Ahearn of

Beatrice Stange of Bay Ci-Saginaw spent Friday with ford and family of Coldwater ty spent a few days with her sister, Alice and Walter Bedtheir parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McBride and Saturday visitors were Judy and Elkton.

Elkton.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuhl were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Steiner and daughter Sherri of Fort Wayne, Ind. On Sunday they were guests for dinner at another daughter's home, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Elenbaum of Mayville. Other guests were Mrs. Gayle Bouck and family, Connie and Clayton of Monteno, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Booth and sons, David, Timothy and Matthew of Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Proctor and

thday was observed. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kimmel and family and Mrs. Fred McBride were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hill in Clarkston on Saturday to help Laura Hill celebrate her

daughter Heather

Mayville, Harry Kuhl's bir-

second birthday Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh were overnight Elkton, Bill McBride and guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh and family of New Lothrop. Other dinner guests were Thanksgiving day dinner Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lopez guests of Mr. and Mrs. David and children Sonya and Flores were Mr. and Mrs. Chris of Holt, Mary Ballagh Glen Craig and son Steve, Fred Grunert, Dana and F

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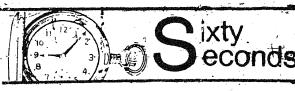
of their twins at Cross Lutheran Church by Pastor Orth. Jonathon Lester's godparents are Lois Decker and Patrick LePage. Joshua Francis' godparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Gardy and James LePage. Spending Thanksgiving

with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lothar VonDaggenhausen and daughter in Flint were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dast and

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Deming and son Edwin of Pontiac, Wilmer Squires and Luke, Tom and Franklin. Mr. and Mrs. Francis

Schnitker of Sebewaing spent Friday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Diener. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buerker were among guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buerker of rural Elkton

Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schuette were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taschner, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Larson and



Worry versus prayer

Read Luke 11:5-10

Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. Philippians 4:6

A modern translation reads: "Don't worry over anything whatever; tell God every detail of your needs in earnest and thankful prayer." What encouragement to frequent and fer-

And yet, even among God's children there is hardly anything that is less duly appreciated. Someone has said of this neglect: "I wonder whether there

are many things in our Christian life that we do more poorly than we do our praying.

Just think! We have the privilege to come to the great God of heaven and earth with all our problems and difficulties. If only we availed ourselves more often of the privilege to bring every burden great or small, to the Lord in prayer!

The text mentions "prayer and supplication." Prayer is more general and supplication is more earnest asking, as in moments of crisis. Both prayer and supplication are to be accompanied by

thanksgiving Immediately, in advance and before we discover the

answer to our prayer, we are to say thank You. This is the kind of prayer God wants us to pray, confidently believing that He answers all prayers rightly made in Jesus'

Lord, help us to pray and be thankful in everything, so that we need worry about nothing. Amen.

Pigeon news

spent a few days with their

mother, Mrs. Lucy Dietzel in

Taschner of Sebewaing with

their guests, Mr. and Mrs.

Pete Merchburger and fami-

ly of Barbeau and Mr. and

Mrs. Frank Taschner, Jr.

and daughter of Traverse Ci-

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur

Rathke and Pamela of Sterl-

ing Heights, her parents Mr

and Mrs. Joseph Riley of

Madison Heights and grand-

pa Virgil Chandler of Royal

Oak, Pastor and Mrs. Ernst

Henkelmann and their

guests, Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Becker of Detroit were

Thanksgiving dinner guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Herman

Thanksgiving weekend

guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Nelmer Wright were Mr. and

Mrs. Welton Wright, Lisa

and Tracy and son David of

Lexington, Ky., Mr. and

Mrs. Curtis Wright and fami-

ly of Westland. They were

joined for Thanksgiving din-

ner by Mr. and Mrs. Leon

Elftman and family of Pin-

Rathke

By DOROTHY DIENER

ATTENTION: Members of the Townliners Extension are asked to bring their cookies and candy to the Laker School gym on Saturday, Dec. 1 between 8 and 8:30 a.m. for the Community Christmas Bazaar.

Mrs. Frieda Heintz spent Thanksgiving weekend with her daughter and family, Pastor and Mrs. Douglas DeVos in Edmore. On Friday they were joined by her son, Pastor and Mrs. Fred Heintz and family in Lans-

Pastor and Mrs. Ronald Diener and daughter Ann of Williston, Ohio and Mark of Columbus, returned home Saturday after spending Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Diener. They were Thanksgiving dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis and Jodi of Saginaw and the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Diener and family, and helped Lori celebrate her

conning, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mr. and Mrs. Michael LePage entertained family Haley and family and Mrs. Alfred Eichler. members for dinner on Sun-Sunday afternoon visitors day in honor of the baptism of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartman were Mrs. Frances Mc-Cormick of Caseville, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Damm and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Born. Last weekend guests were Mrs. Betty Jean Thomas of Canton, Sonny Hack and Katherine of Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean with his parents, Mr. and

on Thanksgiving Day.

family of Sebewaing. On

Area obituaries Saturday they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank

1911 - 1984 Louis J. Colangelo, age 73, of Lake Township, passed away Wednesday, November 21 at Huron Memorial Hospital near

LOUIS JOSEPH COLANGELO

He was born February 20, 1911 in Detroit. On July 5, 1948 he was united in marriage to Luella A. Nolff in Detroit. He was an active member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 3690,

Mr. Colangelo is survived by his wife, Luella A.; 9 nieces ind 9 nephews.

One brother and three sisters preceded him in death. Funeral Services were conducted on Saturday, November 24 at 1:00 p.m. from the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. Fr. Theodore LaMarre, pastor of St. Roch's Catholic Church, Caseville officiated with burial in Caseville Cemetery.

LENA BUSSEMA 1905 - 1984

Lena Bussema, age 79, of Hudsonville, passed away Saturday, Nov. 24 at the Brookcrest Nursing Home, Grandville. Mrs. Bussema is survived by her husband, Rev. John

Bussema of Hudsonville; a son and daughter-in-law, Elmer and Joyce Bussema of Pigeon; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Nov. 27 at 1 p.m. from the Hudsonville Baptist Church, Hudsonville. In-

erment followed in the Zutphen Cemetery, Zutphen. JAMES JOY KATSHOR 1930 - 1984

James Joy Katshor, age 54, of Bradenton, Fla., formerly of Caseville, passed away Saturday, Nov. 17 of a massive heart

He was born Jan. 18, 1930

Mr. Katshor is survived by two sons, Michael James of Georgia and James Katshor of Pigeon; three daughters, April Kingsbury of Pigeon, Michele McIntosh of Texas and Lisa Katshor of Pigeon; two step-daughters, Sherry Dufty and Debbie Hahn, both of Sebewaing; three grandchildren, Benjamin Katshor of Georgia and Bryan and Melissa Kingsbury of Pigeon; a sister, Barbara E. Terberg of Canton; a brother, Charles Henderson of Canton. He was preceded in death by his mother, Maude L. Mac-

and family spent Friday Donald and his father, Oscar Katshor. A memorial service will be held Saturday, Dec. 1 at Mrs. James Dean in Parkview Memorial, Livonia,

> (Under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended

WALLEYE AND SAUGER SIZE LIMIT

Under the authority of Section 1 of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, being Section 300.1 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, the Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on August 10, 1984, ordered that the walleye and sauger size limit shall be 15 inches on all waters, including the Great Lakes and connecting waters, except Lake Gogebic, Big Manistique Lake, Lake Erie, Lake St. Clair and the Detroit and St. Clair rivers for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1985, through March 31, 1990. This order supersedes the previous order entitled "Walleye and Sauger Size Limit", CFI-115.82.

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Best wishes, Dave A., on

so many right under your nose. So just wise up. */* Why are people allowed to burn leaves on the road in For All Your Holiday Party Needs my neighborhood? I thought this was outlawed. But still it continues, messing up our

could do it.

than you, Coach!

lot, besides the ones they're

after. You're going in the

wrong direction. You've got

This is a reminder to people with sons or daughters in service, that mailing for Christmas must be done right now. There's no better time, to insure they arrive before the holiday. Thank

hung clothes. It's not right.

your award. We knew you daughters Jennifer and

Heather of Greensboro, N.C. came to Michigan for her mother's 70th birthday. Her Congratulations to our husband, Stan, arrived on Coach Bill McLellan, picked Wednesday for the as state Coach of the Year. Thanksgiving holiday. They Nobody is more deserving will spend time with her mother, Mrs. Ada Binder. his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schulz and other I wish certain people at Laker High School would friends and relatives before just realize there are lots of driving back to North other people who like them a Carolina on Saturday.

Jeanette Licht of Fort Wayne, Ind. was a Thanksgiving guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Licht. On Thanksgiving they entertained other members of the family.

Mrs. Minnie Elftman and Clark were guests on Thanksgiving of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Errer and clean street and my newlyfamily in Bad Axe. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elftman and family were

Thursday overnight guests of Mrs. Minnie Elftman. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Keim of Kokoma, Ind. visited with relatives here over the Thanksgiving holiday.

The John Blairs of Bad Axe entertained her mother, Mrs. Leon Ropp and family of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Keim of Kokoma, Ind. and Mrs. Lena Swartzendruber for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Ann Schuette attended a Thanksgiving Day family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Dutcher in Warren.

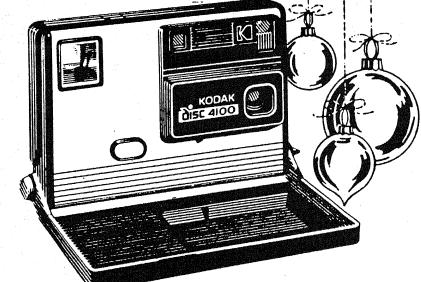
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High team scores: Blome & Gunden 2115 (757-709), Dubs & Pipe 2097 (745). High individual scores: MEN -- J.D. Gunden 575 (209), L. Smith 548, T. Bigger 545 (233), J. Christner 544 (232), K. Heck 527 (223), Law. Roestel 526 (211), H. Blome 512, R. Elbing 512, F. Strauch 508, O. Schuette 506, Leon Roestel 505 WOMEN - J. Blome 531 (196-182), E. Gunden 497 (184-181), D. Strauch 489 (171), A. Elbing 477 (179), J. Kretzschmer 476. J. Rosenthal 178. A. Dubs 167.

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sports of the week

Lakers bounce Hatchets from tourney

SWARTZENDRUBER

Any doubts about the determination of the Laker gels basketball team to ment were laid to rest with an overwhelming 60-47 victory over Bad Axe on Monday night. Lakers crushed their Hat-

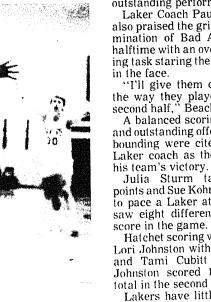
thet hosts early with a comination of hot shooting, total lomination of rebounding and an ice-cold shooting touch by Bad Axe.

After trading several

held the Hatchets scoreless for over 512 minutes at the end of the first quarter and beginning of the second period. The visiting green and white team kept piling up the points, however, to take a 30-9 advantage into the lockerroom at halftime. The Hatchets refused to toss in the towel in the se-

cond half, but couldn't narrow the Laker lead to less than 18 points until the closing minutes of the game. Hatchet Coach John Olsen

had an answer to what a



DRIVING: Chris Steinman attempts to dribble past Bad txe's Tami Cubitt as Sue Kohr (30) helps out.

opening baskets, Lakers coach tells his team when trailing 30-9 at the midpoint of the game. "We had a talk about

showing pride and playing the whole game," he said. was really proud of the way our team played in the second half," added the Bad Axe mentor.

An injury to the Shelly Havens, the second leading rebounder on the Hatchet squad, undoubtedly contributed to Laker's control of the boards, but Olsen refused to make excuses and credited Lakers with an outstanding performance.

Laker Coach Paul Beachy also praised the gritty determination of Bad Axe after halftime with an overwhelm ing task staring the Hatchets in the face.

"I'll give them credit for the way they played in the second half," Beachy said. A balanced scoring attack and outstanding offensive rebounding were cited by the Laker coach as the keys to

Julia Sturm tallied 14 points and Sue Kohr added 11 to pace a Laker attack that saw eight different players score in the game.

Hatchet scoring was led by Lori Johnston with 17 points and Tami Cubitt with 12. Johnston scored 15 of her total in the second half.

Lakers have little time to savor their victory as they meet Unionville-Sebewaing tonight (Wednesday) with the winner of that game adoutstanding Pirate junior varsity squad beat Lakers vancing to the district finals with the winner of the Ubly-Harbor Beach game on 41-21 in the preliminary con-

"I don't think there's any question. The next game (with USA) will be a close .one.'' Beachy said.

CLOSE CALL: Thirty-two minutes was not enough time for Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port to defeat Harbor Beach last Tuesday in their final regular-season game. The visiting Lakers required overtime to edge a determined gang of Pirates 55-54.

Harbor Beach shaved a 15-10 Laker lead at the end of the first quarter to just two points at halftime. Neither team could break away in the third quarter, but the Pirates tied the game 49-49 at the end of regulation to force the overtime period. Shelly Ginter, Lori Deiner

and Chris Steinman each scored field goals in overtime to give Lakers the win. Lori Winkel netted a pair of baskets and Pirate teammate Sherri Meissner converted one of two free throws to account for Harbor Beach

Coach Paul Beachy praised the performances of Steinman who canned 18 points, and sophomore Julia Sturm who scored 12 points and added four steals and five blocked shots on

overtime scoring.

Ginter also hit double digits for Lakers with 14 Harbor Beach scoring was

topped by Joy Wehner with points, Meissner with 15 and Winkel with 12. JVs DEFEATED: - An

SUPER SOPH: Laker Sophomore Julia Sturm goes up for two of her 14 points against Bad Axe on Monday night. Also pictured are teammates Sue Kohr (30) and Lori Diener (24).

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTOS

CONGRATS, ATHLETES!

Our congratulations go to received all-conference onors: Offense football, Bob Siegfried, second team guard; Greg Langley, se-cond team runningback; Defense football, Bob Siegfried, second team neman: Kevin Engleman, second team lineman; John Vinkler, second team tagging an 11 point buck. inebacker; Tony Seagraves, honorable mention, safety; girl's basketball, Michelle Stahl, first team; Brenda Johnson, second team.

VOICE OF DEMOCRACY

Students in creative writing class are competing in the Voice of Democracy contest as prt of their class requirements. The theme of this year's contest is "My Pledge to America." Winners will advance to judging by the Pigeon VFW.

RINGS

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Anticipation and excitement Nov. 16 when a represenhigh school class rings, made his scheduled appointment to deliver his assort- and Blake Craig.

Caseville School in the news also picked up their rings and Brenda Johnson, a new LEADERSHIP senior. There are five FORUM juniors on the squad, Chris Barton, Gail Gembarski and Tracy Simpson, returning

OH, DEER!

Have you gotten your deer vet? If you haven't, may you can ask the following students and teachers for the following athletes who some advice on how they managed their successful hunting venture: Mr. Winkler, Mr. Gulash, Pete Delmotte, Tony Seagraves, Dave Schoenfeldt, Dwayne Dufty and Brian Pedler.

which they had given back to

the company for repairs.

A special congratulations to sophomore Bruce Langley for his accomplishment on

CHEERLEADING BEGINS The JV Cheerleading

squad made up of eight Ensembl sophomores and freshmen all day. will be coached by Janine Bingham.

The varsity squad, headed by advisor Jan Watts, includes senior Julie Barton Methodist Church from 9 returning for her fourth year a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Craig were everywhere on Friday, Boerner at the Covenant tative from the Terryberry Detroit on Saturday, Nov. 17. Co., which specializes in Their attendants were Fay's

from last season. Amy Hartz and Kelly Wolfe are the

BOYS READY FOR SEASON

The JV team, coached by Kenneth Gruezke, consists of 10 sophomores and juniors. There will be six returning sophomores and four

The varsity team, coached by Randall Bingham, is made up of one senior and nine juniors. Four are returning from experience last

UPCOMING ...

Dec. 1 -- Junior High Solo Ensemble at North Huron, Dec. 3 - Fall Sports Ban-

quet at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. Dec. 4 -- Student Leader-

Lake-Chandler

and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Muntz attended the wedding of Donald Craig and Fay Presbyterian Church in

Buerker were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buerker and Janis Buerker of Pigeon, Albert Buerker of Montrose and Norma Libka of Bad Axe.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bedford were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bedford of Marion, Ind., Mrs. Lawrence Block ment of class rings to the Sophomores. A few students guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl of Elkton.

Saturday

By VICKI GOSLEE and GAIL GEMBARSKI

The Third Annual Student Pigeon from 9 a.m. to 2:30 are eligible on a first-come, Leadership Forum will be p.m. Forms are available in first-serve basis.

Tuesday, Dec. 4 at First the office to be returned as United Methodist Church, soon as possible. Students

Thumb gridders named All-State

Special Mention in Class D.

Macdowall also was nam-

ed to the Special Honor list of

the Associated Press All-

Five Western Thumb area individuals were honored in All-State football honors in major wire service polls.

Laker High Coach Bill McLellan was named Class C coach of the year by Inited Press International for leading his team to a perfect 9-0 season. McLellan coached Laker

teams to a 39-3 record for the past four year, including four consecutive Thumb B championships, three state playoff invitations and a state championship in 1981. Thumb Area players workhorse of the Laker tercepted eight passes on

selected for honors in the backfield, especially in defense, as well as rushing UPI All-State Poll include short-yardage situations. He for eight touchdowns and Laker linebacker Eric gained 901 yards and scored throwing for three more.

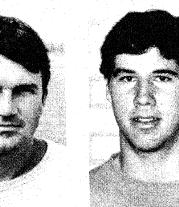
game this season from his linebacking position. Macdowall

State team.

Bushey, First Team in Class 14 touchdowns during the C: Owen-Gage lineman John past season. Shope, First Team in Class The backbone of the Bulldog defense, Shope D: Laker running back Rob Macdowall, Special Mention

recorded 55 solo tackles, 54 in Class D, and Owen-Gage assists, five blocked kicks, 11 quarterback Reed Goslin, quarterback sacks, three recoveries and picked off an interception for Owen-Gage Quarterback and defensive back Reid Goslin proved Bushey averaged five solo

to be a key player on both sides of the line of scrimtackles and 11 assists per mage for Owen-Gage. He singlehandedly stopped



Coach Bill McLellan



Eric Bushey





Rob Macdowall

IN THE KNOW...

. AT LAKER HIGH SCHOOL By CONSTANCE ABDALLA and C.L. DRUMMOND

A short week contributes play USA. The championship will be Friday at 7:30 p.m. to this week's short amount The District Champs will then advance to regional The Financial Aid Workshop is rescheduled to Dec. 4 due competition against Marlette. Bad Axe plays host to the girls' basketball tourto all district tournaments and all games begin at 7:30

JV and Varsity Volleyball Tryouts took place Monday, Nov. 26 at 2:30 p.m. in the high school gym. On Monday night Laker

nament.

The *Laker Drama Club* will present the classic, "Our Town" on Nov. 30 and Dec. 1, and Bad Axe met in the openwith curtains opening at 7 ing game of tournament acp.m. Tickets are available tion. On Tuesday night, Har-bor Beach and Ubly face member or at the door. from any drama club

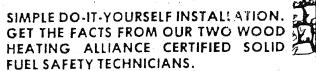
each other. The winner of Hope you all had a nice Thanksgiving. Just think. Monday night's game will only four weeks until

Lake-Chandler

By MILDRED BALLAGH Correction: The Chandler Presbyterian Guild Christmas Party will be Wednesday, Dec. 5, with all ladies of the church invited. Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh were Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Ballagh of Kinde.

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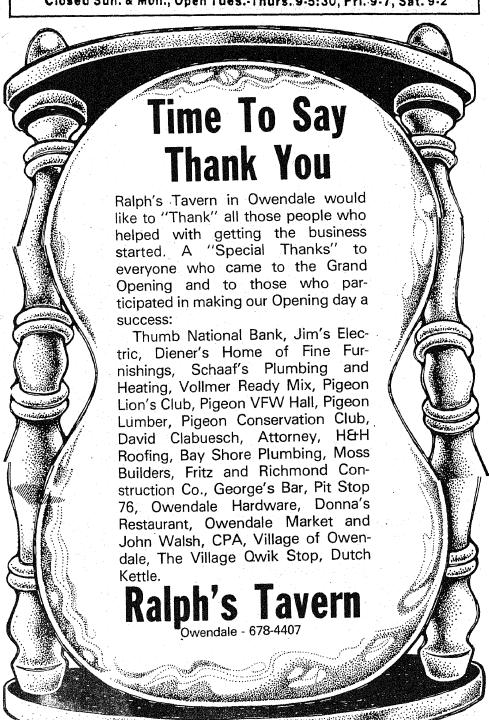
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J.O. Wurst Tiling 2466 (865), Pigeon Lanes 860, Bay Shore Collision 856, Damm's High individual scores: V. Smith 627 (235-230), C. Basinger 599 (255), O. Murdoch 576 (203), L. Dressler 575 (233), T.

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3-10 T. Gorkowski.	High indiv
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TY'S SUNDAY	490, F. Otto
	100, 1. 0111

High team scores: Ty's 656, G & W High individual scores: LADIES -- P. Podloskowski 523 (192-180), D. Schuette 499 (180-172), Sandy Hyzer 493 (172-181), G. Finkbeiner 487 (171), Diana McGee 185; MENS - T. Wichert 521 (203), D. McAlpine 519 (221), J. Jaworski 512 (184), R. Diebel 511 (177), C. Pryshup 203, T. Wills 485 (171), C. Finkbeiner 173. C. POdloskowski 170-170. Splits: 4-7-9 G. Willoughby; 3-10 D. Schuette; 5-10 K. Thumme; 5-7 J. Jawor-

Silver Dollar

Albrecht Auction Service

High team scores: Silver Dollar 2538

(900-861). Albrecht Auction 2519

(855-833-831), Active Feed 2453 (869).

High individual scores: M. Swartzen

druber 597 (207), J.D. Gunden 553 (203),

R. Graf 553, T. Sears 541 (204), C. Bas-

ing 533 (203), N. Henne 523, L. Albrecht

Splits: 2-7 N. Libka; 3-10 R. Killinger.

Bowler of

the week

The Thumb Area Womens'

Bowling Association Bowler

of the Week for Nov. 5-11 are

Bea Harwood and Sharon

Schornack, who both bowled

Harwood bowls for the

State Bank of Port Hope on

the Wednesday Nite Ladies

League at Biff's, Kinde and

Schornack bowled her 580

series at Bad Axe Lanes for

Kanaby Builders on the Sun-

day Mixed Doubles Leagaue.

Schornack carries a 168

average while Harwood

Other 550 and higher series

bowled were: Judy

Ostrander 566, Bad Axe

Lanes; Joyce Rosenthal 564,

Ty's, Elkton; Joycelynn

Blome 553, Pigeon; Wanda Sorrell 553, Biff's, Kinde;

Mary Sweeney 551, Bad Axe

TOP TAWBA AVERAGES

As of Nov. 11

NOTICE

Winsor Twp. Board

Meetings will be held at

7 p.m. on the first Tues-

day of every month until

Robert Armbruster

Supervisor

further notice.

PUGGA

REDELLA

Joycelynn Blome

Wanda Sorrell .

Joyce LaRoche

Geraldine Miller .

Connie Swartzendruber

June Lapp . .

..... Charmont, 175

.... Pigeon, 174

. Charmont, 172

. Charmont, 170

. Biff's, Kinde, 169

. . . . Bad Axe Lanes, 169

. Biff's, Kinde, 172

holds a 164 average.

actual series of 580.

inger 535, R. Killinger 534 (222), D. Deer-

*Co-on Elevator......

Pigeon Lanes . . .

Turkey winners: T & B Wichert, D & M McAlpine, C & P Podloskowski, Schuettes

5	PIGEON WOMANS'
i.	AFTERNOON LEAGUE
4	Beachy Eggs22
•	Moss Builders
	Sohigro
	Pigeon Lanes
	Diener Electric
6	Town & Country
6	Pigeon IGA
6	Basinger Poultry Farm15
4	Grigg Greenhouse
3	LaFave Steel
1	Schember Poultry Farm
1	Shoreline Snowplowing9
Ô	High team scores: Pigeon Lanes 1700
4	(619).
6	High individual scores: J. Deering 557
8	(211-190). C. Stoeckle 200. J. Christner
2	502 (190), H. Good 483, E. Guster 181, H.
-	Collins 465 (178), E. Rounds 463, B.
_	B. 11 ACO

Splits: 5-6-10 A. Gornowitz: 5-7-9 H. Collins, V. Hodge; 2-7 S. Errer; 6-7-10 F. Czarnecki; 5-6 C. Deming; 2-7 5-7 J. Christner: 3-7-10 R. Voss.

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Brighton Metal
H. Carpenter Constr
McCormick Motors
Gary's TV
Pigeon Auto Supply
High team scores: Brighton Metal 2146
(731-728), Huron Distributing 2086 (715).
Scheurer Hospital 2078, Gary's TV 740.
High individual scores: W. Rapson 530
(004) F O 1 400 (404) D T 11

ınden 492 (181), S. Buchholz o 480 (171), D. Strauch 476 (194), P. Niebel 470, E. Rounds 468, A. Albrecht 467 (179), D. Basinger 190, L. Splits: 5-7 3-10 D. Strauch: 5-7 F

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News that COUNTS . . . **MENS' LEAGUE** from the COUNTY Caseville Fruit Market .



MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

onald Myers and Brinda M. Nike JUDGMENTS OF DIVORCE

Evette J. Curtis vs. Dale E. Curtis Ronald B. Myers vs. Sharon A. Myers Barbara A. Gomoluch vs. Edward P. Patricia A. Stomack vs. Brian W stomack Brenda K. Hagedon vs. Rodney H.

Nancy M. Confer vs. William E. Con-

ASSUMED NAMES
Week of November 19

lo. 3896 - JANE'S CATERING 4833 Cottick Dr., Caseville, MI 48725; By: Merry Jan Hanley, 4833 Cottick Dr., Caseville, MI 48725, Filed:

November 15, 1984. No. 3897 - THE STAMP PAD, 2212 Main Street, Ubly, MI 48475; By: Nan cy A. Elliott & Robert W. Elliott, 2240 Pierce St., Ubly, MI 48475; Filed: November 16, 1984.

No. 3898 - B & M Battery Co., 5935 Lawitzke Rd., Port Hope, MI 48468; By: Mary Lou Isaler, Bradley Isaler, 5935 Lawitzke Rd., Port Hope, MI 48468; Filed: November 16, 1984. No. 3899 - POP'S PLACE, 1902 Rose laland Rd., Sebewaing, MI 48759; By: Henry Arnoldy & Donna Arnoldy, 1902 Rose Island Rd., Sebewaing, MI 48759; Filed: November 19, 1984

CO-PARTNERSHIPS Week of November 19

DISSOLUTION - JANE'S CATERING 003 Main St., Caseville, MI 48725; By: Merry Jan Hanley, Terry Les Walther, Filed: November 14, 1984.



Frances Holdwick

WARRANTY DEEDS

Otis N. Harten Sr. & Wf to Gary A Ferrara & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 26 of Caseville Twp. Abraham Teper to Steven Novak & Wi; a parcel of land located in Section 24 of Caseville Twp. Charles Heckroth Estate to Lela Reibling & Fern Faupel; a parcel of land

located in Section 9 of Elkton.

Alexander Brown & Wf to Owen L. frown & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 31 of Huron Twp. Albert J. Kirtek Sr. and Albert J Kirtek Jr. & Wf to David E. Crews & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 14 of

Berchtold & Wf; a parcel of land located in the City of Harbor Beach. Flora C. McLellan to John F. nley & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 27 of Sheridan Twp.
Helen Burbary to Angeline H. Branke, Mary K. Branske and John E.

D. Berchtold & Wf to William C

Baranski; a parcel of land located in Section 30 of Port Austin. Luella L. Prime to Henry Jacoby & Vf; a parcel of land located in Sebewa-Arthur J. Woelke to Roy W. Ebert &

Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 14 of Winsor Twp.

Bernard A. Gougeon & Wf to Calvin

J. Jennett & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 29 of Sand Beach

Virginia A. LaVean to Raymond M. Shobert & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 17 of Sherman Twp.
Walter J. Glaza & Wf to Richard G. Jackson Jr. & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 27 of Bingham Twp. Madelyn B. Krohn to Lawrence C. Krohn; a parcel of land located in Sec-

tion 12 of Oliver Twp. Amelia M. Maegher to Herbert Magner & Wf; a parcel of land located Amelia Magher to Ruth Wagner O'Connor; a parcel of land located in Section 12 of Lake Twp. Lawrence C. Krohn & Wf to Roy N. Behringer & Wf; a parcel of land located

n Section 12 of Oliver Twp.

Estate of Esther E. Whitehouse, Decessed, of Sebewaing - File 26,348. Notice of Hearing filed. Proof of Service by Ordinary Mall filed.

Estate of Lydia Albrecht, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 27,536 - Independent Probate. Will filed. Patition for Commencement of Proceedings filed. Register's Order filed. Acceptance of Trust filed. Letters of Authority filed. Testimony interested Parties filed. Publication and Notice of Hearing

Davis Jr.; a parcel of land located in Section 22 of Rubicon Twp.

Gilbert Davis Jr. & Wf to Albert L. Thoms; a parcel of land located in Section 22 of Rubicon Twp.

tion 35 of Colfax.

Charles H. Weir & Wf to Jerome Roa genbuck & Wf; a parcel of land located In Section 3 of Sherman Twp.
Edna E. Eilber Estate to Steven N Skinner & Wf; a percel of land located in the Village of Ubly.

Wilfred Depoinski to Archie A. Wolschlager and Wilmer J. Wolsc lager Jr.; a parcel of land located in Section 14 of Sherlan Twp.

> from County Probate Judge Neil MacCallum

PROBATE COURT Week of November 15-21

Estate of James O. Barth, Decessed, of Caseville - File 27,530 - Independer Probate, Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed. of Proceedings filed.

Estate of Edward K. Isbey, Deceased, of Port Austin -File 25,274
-Supervised Probate. Order Assigning
Residue filed. Receipt for Residue filed.
Final Order of Discharge filed.

Estate of Charles H. Riddle, Deceased Court of the State of Charles H. Riddle, Deceased

ed, of Casevile - File 18,304 - Supervised Trusteeship. Order Allowing Account filed. Order of Discharge filed. Estate of Emma R.M. Janke, Deceas-ed, of Elmwood Township - File

27,531. Will filed. Estate of Vera Marie Leitch, Deceas ed, of Harbor Beach - File 27,358 - In-dependent Probate. Inheritance Tax

Estate of Peter F. Koss, Decessed, of

Harbor Beach - File 27,039 - Supervis ed Probate, 2 Waivers and Consents filed. Order Allowing Claims to be

Reopened filed.
Estate of George E. Deacons,
Deceased, of Fillion -File 27,125
-Supervised Probate. Order Allowing
Final Account and Assigning Residue

Estate of Alma G. Gooden, Deceased, of Port Hope - File 27,227 - Supervised Probate. Order Allowing Final Account and Assigning Residue filed.

Estate of Thaddeus Joseph Saweryniak, Deceased, of Port Hope -File 26,470 - Supervised Probate, An-nual Account of Personal Represen-

tative filed.

Estate of Mary Jurges, Deceased, of Ubly - File 17,074 - Supervised Probate. Petition to Distribute After Acquired Assets filed. Order to Distribute After Acquired Assets filed.

Estate of Arthur Lorentz, Deceased, of Sebewaing -File 26,684 - Supervised Probate. Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail, Certified Mail and By Personal Service filed. Order of Discharge filed. Estate of Emma K. Irlon, Deceased, of Sebewaing -File 27,515 - Independent Probate. Proof of Publication filed. dent Probate. Proof of Publication file Order Determining Heirs filed. Estate of Pauline Adamson, Deceased, of Port Austin -File 27,411 - In-

dependent Probate. Proof of Publica tion filed. Order Determining Heirs filed of Minden City -File 27,503 - Supervis Estate of Charles R. Heckroth, Deceased, of Elkton -File 27,237 - In pendent Probate. Closing Statement fil-

Estate of Clarence V. Palach, Deceased, of Ruth -File 27,305 - Supervised Probate. Proof of Publication fil-

Estate of George J. Jean, Deceased, of Caseville - File 27,533 - Supervised Probate. Will filed. Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed. Testimony interested Parties filed. Supplemental Testimony interested Parties filed. Supplemental Testimony interested Parties filed. Proof on Probate of Will filed.

Estate of Herbert Glanert, Deceased, of Port Hope - File 27,535. Petition and Order for Assignment, Estate Not Exceeding \$2,500 filed.

Estate of Emma M. Cain, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 27,506 - Independent Probate. Proof of Publication filed.

Conder Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Marie C. Konkel, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,444 - Supervised Probate. Testimony Interested Parties filed.

Parties filed. Estate of Esther E. Whiteh Brighton.

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My five year old greatgrandson has a chronic asthmatic condition. He has been hospitalized for this many times. His doctor advised getting a DeVilbiss breathing machine, which can be used at home. This way they could avoid sending him to the hospital

Deceased, of Kinde - File 27,134 -Supervised Probate. Final Account of Personal Representative filed. Notice of again and again. Due to accumulated Hearing filed. Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed. medical and hospital bills and the father being without Estate of Frances Tschirhart, Deceased, of Bad Axe -File 27,538. work, it has been impossible Will filed. Affidavit of No Estate to Proto get the machine for him.

As for myself, I help when I can, but I'm a senior citizen living on a very limited income and wish I could do more. -- Mrs. A.D., Detroit, Mich.

Dear Mrs. D.: Both you and your great-

grandson can breathe easy now. I purchased a Pulmo-Compressor/Nebulizer from the DeVilbiss Co. in Somerset, Pa. It's being sent to you this week

I hope this will eliminate the need for future hospital

Dear Mr. Ross:

My wife and I have good jobs at Disneyland. On the side, we raise and train quarter horses for a hobby and to earn a few extra

Somehow or another, we just can't get far enough ahead to save \$3,000 for a three-week vacation in Hawaii.

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Pigeon folks visit

Dave Elftman spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stodola in

PUBLICATION AND

NOTICE OF HEARING

INDEPENDENT

PROBATE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE PROBATE COURT

FOR THE COUNTY

OF HURON

Lydia Albrecht, Deceased.

the matter of the Estate of:

TAKE NOTICE: On November

19, 1984, the Will of the deceased

dated August 2, 1978, was admit-

ted to probate and administration

of the above estate was granted

to Greta Albrecht. The estate is

hate Court. Any interested party

may file a written petition with

the Court and with the Indepen-

dent Personal Representative ob-

ecting to the appointment and to

the admission of the Will to pro-

determination of heirs.

the estate will thereafter be

assigned and distributed to the

persons appearing of record en-

Greta Albrecht

Personal Representative

Pigeon, Michigan 48755

Address: 7543 Mildred St.

Independent

titled thereto.

dinary Mail filed. Estate of Kelley Flannery, Deceased. Mr. and Mrs. Loren of Bad Axe - File 26,941 - Supervised Probate, Annual Account of Personal Elftman returned home Sunday after spending the Representative filed

Deceased, of Owendale - File 26,184 - Independent Probate. Certificate of Completion filed. Estate of Ethel J. Prill, Deceased, of Bad Axe File 25,329 - Supervised Probate, Order Allowing Account filed.
Estate of Herbert T. Sadro, De-

of Port Austin -File 27,236 - Supervised

Probate. Copy of Inheritance Tax Receipt filed. Order Allowing Final Ac-

count and Assigning Residue filed.

Estate of Cella Knoblock Baranski.

Estate of Mariorie Lolkus, Decease

of St. Clair Shores - File 27,421 - In-dependent Probate. 2 Revocations of Disclaimer filed.

Estate of Mary Nowiski, Deceased

of Harbor Beach -File 27,161 - Super

vised Probate. Petition for Commence

ment of Proceedings filed.
Estate of Romeo A. Perron, Deceas-

ed, of Caseville - File 23,544 - Super-vised Probate. Eleventh Annual Ac-

count of Personal Representative filed. Notice of Hearing filed. Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

by Ordinary Mail filed.
Estate of Edna Nettle Stevens,
Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File
26,654 - Independent Probate. Report,
Petition and Order for Continuing
Pendency filed. Proof of Service by Or-

ceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,455 -Supervised Probate. Order Allowing Claims filed. Estate of Joseph R. LaCourse, Decessed, of Caseville - File 26,956 -Supervised Probate. Order for Redeter-

Estate of Chester C. Hebert, Deces ed, of Port Austin - File 26,257 - Super

Estate of Arlene E. Fritz, Decea of Owendale - File 25,260 - Supervised Probate. Annual Account of Personal Representative filed. Petition for Right to Employ Attorney filed. Petition for Approval of Contract with Attorney filed.

Estate of Josephine Morell, Decea ed, of Ubly - File 27,383 - Supervised Probate. 12 Walvers and Consents filed. Order of Adjournment filed.

GOP names new leaders

Executive Committee members of the Huron Coun-Republical Party were elected at a convention conducted last Monday in Bad

Chairman Holdwick presided over the convention called to elect 12 individuals to the Executive Committee.

Elected to serve on the committee for 1985-86 were: Virginia Leipprandt and Barbara Buchholz, both of Pigeon; Shirley Willits and Warren Krohn, both of Elkton; Richard Trowhill, Tammy Maschke, and H. Dale Cubitt, all of Bad Axe; William Mayes and Judy Goretski, both of Port Austin: Robert Witherspoon and James Fuhrman, both of Port Hope; and Gordon Gempel of Harbor Beach.

The Executive Committee and the elected officals will meet on Dec. 6 to elect officers for the Huron County Republican Committee for the years 1985-86.

Pigeon news

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Baerwolf at Grayling during 10 days of hunting were Clarence Elsholz of Peck, Dennis and Tera Elsholz, Scott and Dan of

Telephone No.: (517) 453-2179 Michael D. Otto P34567 Mel Baerwolf filled his Otto & Clabuesch license on Nov. 16 with a Attornevs for Estate good-sized buck. 7340 Michigan Avenue Pigeon, Michigan 48755 Telephone No.: (517) 453-3225

Thanksgiving holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Orban and family in Joplin, Mo. Her mother, Mrs. Lydia Gaeth, returned home with them after spending two weeks

with the Orbans. Having Thanksgiving with their children on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bergman. Guests were from Gagetown, Caro,

Vassar and Millington. Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rathje were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sauer of Caseville. Thanksgiving day guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rathje and girls.

not being supervised by the Pro-

Rochester. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Becker of Detroit spent Thanksgiving Day and Friday with her parents, Pastor Mrs. Ernst and

never bought a chance on a Dear Mr. Ross There are three of us old ladies who have gatherings at my home for card games. looking at TV and conversation or gossip. We were having a whopper of an argu-

By PERCY ROSS

Poco Bueno mare. The draw-

ing will take place the day

before Christmas. How

many tickets will you buy to

None! As a young boy I

remember my Uncle Max

winning a horse raffle. An

enterprising farmer in our

county held a lottery on one

of his horses. Chances were

10 cents each. Uncle Max

was real happy . . . until he

went to the barn to collect his

prize and found that his

When he complained to the

farmer, all he got was his

dime back. Since then I've

horse was dead.

help us get to Hawaii?

R.P., San Jose, Calif.

Dear Mr. P.:

ment about your column and your generosity to folks. I claimed it was just for reading and wishing. So they dared me to write to you and isk for what I want, and

have wished for, going on two years now. I am wishing for a kerosene heater so we would

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Vollmer and Scott, Miss Becky Vollmer of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Darren Lubeski of Caseville, Mrs. Clara Gettel of Sebewaing and Mrs. Amanda Strauch were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith and family in

Henkelmann.

all stay warmer. I am broken up with arthritis like the others and need to be kept warm. We're all in our 80s and are good antiques for the shape we're in. How about helping

preserve us? - Mrs. L.B., ltimore, Md. Dear Mrs B: Good antiques are a wise investment and you three ladies sound priceless! A

heater is being delivered to your home from Wards. I have a wish too. I hope you all stay nice and warm during the chilly months.

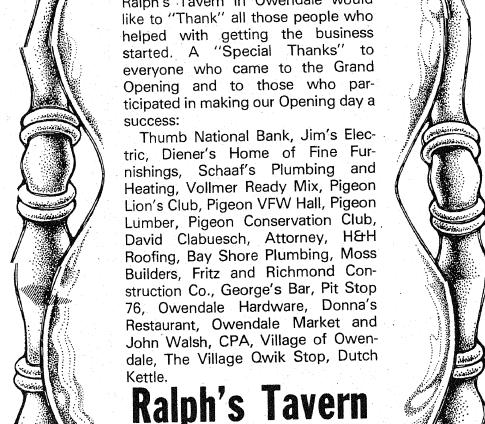
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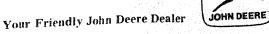
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Albrecht Family

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ing planned at the conclusion

Members were asked to donate craft items or baked goods for sale at the Bazaar. The quilt to be raffled is on display in the hospital lobby. It was announced that another quilting project has

Scheurer Hospital Administrator concluded the meeting with a slide presentation of the hospital's new building plan. The next Auxiliary

meeting in Frankenmuth

and obtained several new

ideas for the hospital gift

centerpiece and there will be a scholarship drawing. Anyone wishing to bring a gift to "Clothe a Child" can

place it on the table. Husbands and friends are welcome.

and carols.

Celebrating Thanksgiving

on Sunday at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Elmer Born were

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schulz

and family of Sebewaing,

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomp-

son of Quanicassee, Mr. and

Mrs. Harry Avery and fami-

ly of Caro. Mark Fritz of

Owendale and Vickie Born of

Thanksgiving out-of-town

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Edler were from Traverse

Having Thanksgiving Din

ner with Mr. and Mrs. Chris

Study Groups

plan Dec. 4 tea

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sion Study Groups will have

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entertained their children on Sunday for their Thanksgiving get-together.

and Mrs. Alan Licht were also guests.

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Pigeon folks enjoy Thanksgiving

Caro, Marie Mohr of Birm-

and Ida Schulz.

Washington D.C. spent the girls of Greensboro, N. C.

Marvin Trost and family, holidays with Mrs. Viola and Ida Schulz. Schuette and Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. George Mohr Jerry Young and family.

entertained for Thanksgiv-Mr. and Mrs. Albert ing dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Schuette and guests Mr. and Gary Mohr and children of Mrs. Ben Crump and boys of Hemlock, Mr. and Mrs ingham, Mrs. Anna Mohr, Wilson Marsh and Chad of Carmen Mohr of East Lans-Utica were Thanksgiving ing and Allan Haag of dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs Clare Schuette and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn family in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schulz entertained their David Licht of East Lans- family for dinner on ing spent Thanksgiving as a Thanksgiving were Mr. and guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Zagorski and Mrs. Raymond Licht. Mr. children, Mrs. Elizabeth Markel and daughter of Kinde, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mary Greene of CMU, Mt. Tereck and daughter, Mr Pleasant, and Tim Keyes of and Mrs. Stanley Schulz and

CROP WEATHER UPDATE

Generally, good weather allowed the nation's corn and soybean harvests to move forward in the past week. Cutting of those crops still remains behind last year's pace and the average.

The latest report from USDA indicated harvest is behind schedule in Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and Pennsylvania as well as in other parts of the eastern corn helt. The same report showed the western belt nearly

Wet fields have kept farmers in Illinois, Missouri and Indiana from completing their planting of soft red winter wheat. The latest USDA report indicated that emergence and planting are on schedule in Kansas. Much needed rain also helped wheat in Oklahoma.

Lake-Chandler news bits

By MILDRED BALLAGH Spending Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. William Gotts were Mrs. H Kreh, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gotts and children Marcie, Nathan and Ashley of Caseville, Mrs. Clara Faupel of Pigeon, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Errer and children Ray, Kami and Kari of Elkton Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner and children Robbie, Kristy and Laticia of Deckerville and Mr and Mrs. John Dallas and daughter Nicole ing were Thanksgiving din-

of Ruth. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Craig and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Muntz were recent callers at the Bob Gibson home at Detroit.

Marguerite Rodgers spent Thanksgiving with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Meyer. Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh were Tuesday even-

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kreh, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Mrs. H. Kreh, Clara Faupel and William Gotts attended the funeral of Mrs. Helen Mott, formerly Helen Kreh, at the Evangelical Oakland Avenue Presbyterian Church, Pontiac and burial in Ottawa Park Cemetery on

GRAIN MARKET NEWS Despite a string of positive USDA crop reports, a harvest that continues to lag

behind the average and rumors of increased Soviet business, trading in Chicago has remained light and price minimal. Traders in Chicago continue to point to the strong

U.S. dollar and its resulting slack in exports as the primary reason for the lack of interest. Until demand for U.S. products shows marked improvement, prices will probably remain near cur rent levels.

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Keith Rothfuss of Elkton.

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HOLIDAY SPIRIT: Members of the Prospective Lake Huron Chapter of the Sweet Adelines sang their way into the hearts of bed-ridden and hospitalized local folks this weekend, during the group's carolling expedition.

Members sang at Huron Memorial Hospital and Sunny Acres Nursing Center of Bad Axe. plus Scheurer Hospital and Scenic Home for the Aged in Pigeon. Other songs were sung at Hills & Dales Hospital and Provincial House Nursing Center in Cass City, plus the group visited the Huron County Medical Care Facility Monday night. The group's next practice meeting is Monday, Jan. 7, and information is available from Director Marian Rathie of Pigeon or President Lynn Law of Bad Axe.

Bazaar work for Hospital Auxiliary Laker Bazaar with the draw- Diane Kohr attended a

At the Scheurer Hospital Auxiliary meeting conducted on Nov. 5. discussion centered on the group's quilt raffle scheduled for Dec. 1 at the Christmas Bazaar at

Laker High School It was reported that raffle tickets were sold at the Caseville Holly Berry Fair and are on sale at the

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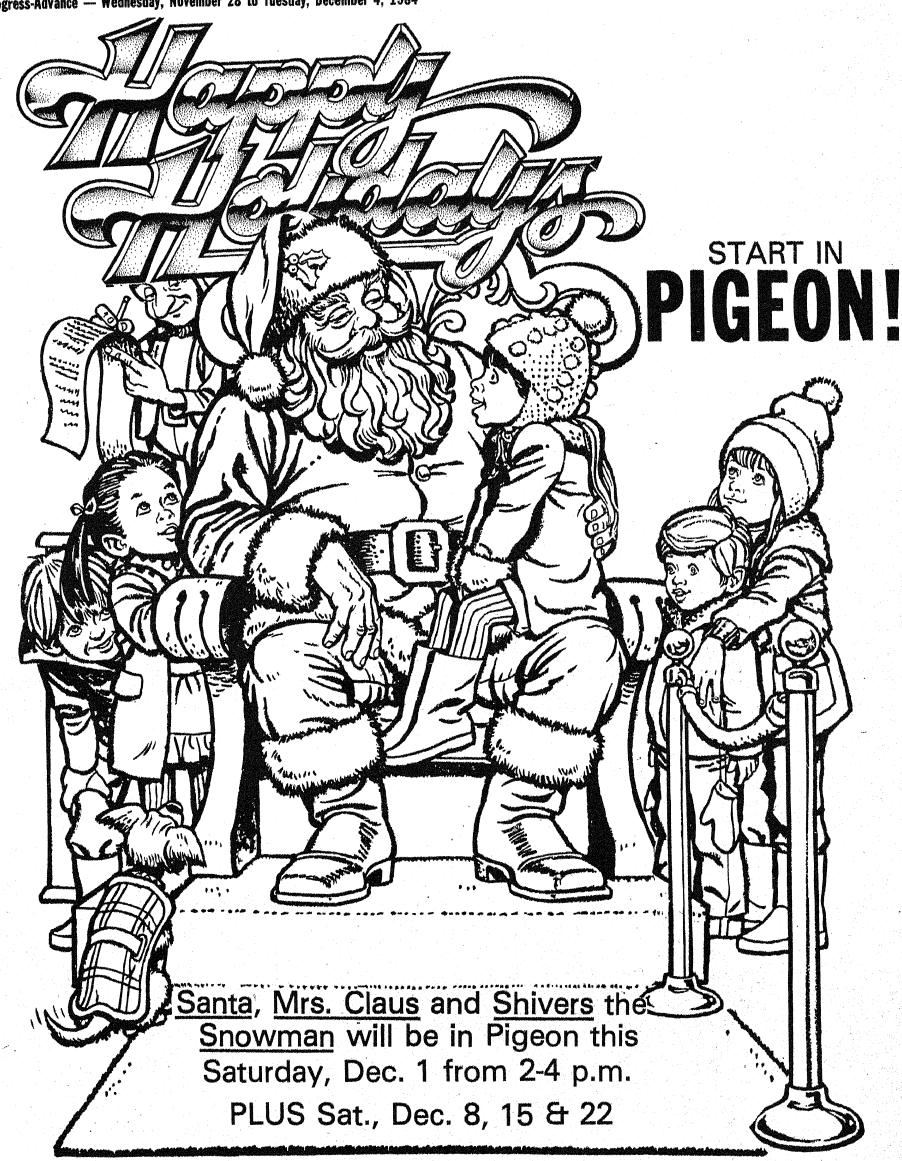
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been with the Soviet Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Rothfuss and son Brian of Grand Ledge and Mr. and Mrs. Phi Mi their parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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