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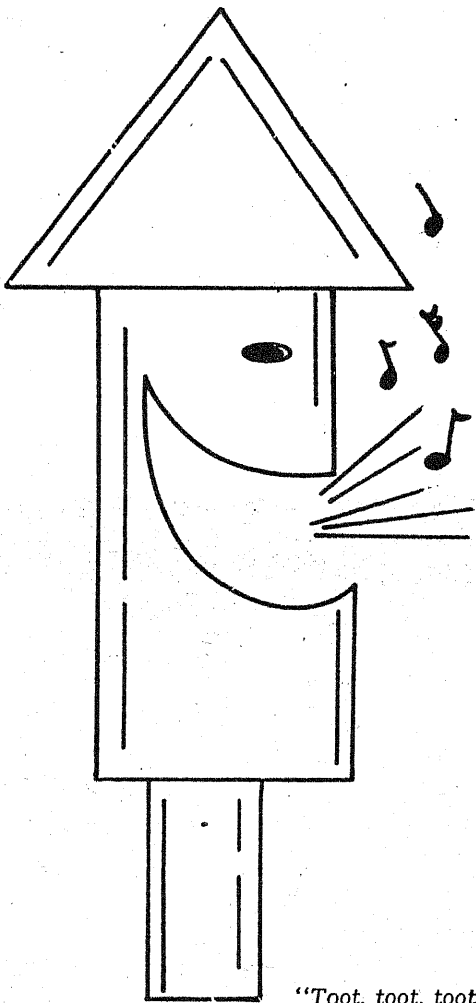
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Pigeon, Elkton, Caseville, Bay Port and Owendale, Michigan

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Toot! Toot! Toot!

Town whistles important, but often forgotten, too



"Toot, toot, toot
 went the (whistle),
 clang, clang, clang
 went the bell..."

-- Apologies to a popular 1940s era song

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

People usually know lunch time has arrived because they glance at their watch or hear lots of stomach growling.

But many folks working or living in small town America depend on the "noon whistle." For others the daily blast, is nearly unheard because familiarity has silenced it in their minds.

As in many rural communities, most towns in the Thumb Area sound their fire whistle at least once a day at noon -- but other village sirens scream several times daily.

Pigeon, Bay Port and Caseville each set off the siren only at 12 noon every day, seven days each week.

Sebewaing alerts its residents twice a day, with whistles at 12 noon and 5:30 p.m.

Adding a morning "wake-up" whistle are Elkton and Owendale with scheduled whistles at 7 a.m., 12 noon and 6 p.m.

In the Huron County seat of Bad Axe, the siren blows at 7 a.m. to wake up folks, 12 noon to start lunch time, 1 p.m. to remind folks to get back to work and 6 p.m., usually ushering youngsters home for supper.

With many changes taking place (though often at a slower pace) in small towns, the whistle-blowing is a tradition which continues despite forgotten reasons why the daily activity was initiated.

Many people believe the practice began as a means to test fire whistles, so they'd be ready in the event of a blaze. Although fire

whistles were used to summon volunteer firemen in the past, that job has been taken over by electronic pagers in most communities.

Very few comments are heard about the whistles -- until the daily blast is silenced in a community.

Towns such as Deckerville, Marysville and Sandusky in the southeastern Thumb Area have ended the tradition in their towns, while other locations were prevented from following suit by an outcry from citizens.

WHISTLE COMMENTS: Several years ago, Bad Axe City Council discussed abolishing the whistle, but some city dwellers organized a protest and presented a petition in favor of the status quo, says Assistant City Clerk Karrie Murphy.

Opinion there is divided concerning how often the siren should sound, she adds. "Once a day would be more than sufficient, especially when you're sitting right under it," Murphy says with a laugh. She is one of the workers in City Hall on which the siren is mounted.

People's enthusiasm for the whistle is often proportional to the distance they live or work from the whistle.

"It used to be located next to my house, and I didn't like it very much then. When they moved it to the fire hall I was much happier," says Owendale Clerk Marie Susalla.

"It always surprises me when the door is open because (the siren) is so much louder," says Pigeon Councilman Fred Orr, whose drug store is located right across the street from the village siren, atop the Pigeon Municipal Building.

"I've been listening to it for so many years I seldom even notice it, but once a day is enough for me," he adds.

FEW CHANGES: Pigeon DPW Chief Don Otto agrees that people often resist changes of any kind in the traditional siren blast. He notes that in the past, Pigeon installed a new whistle, but many people didn't like the sound of the new siren, so the old one had to be re-installed.

Otto also remembers an occasion at least 20 years ago in Pigeon when old man winter silenced the daily blast of the whistle, when the amplification mechanism froze. Since then a screen has been installed to protect the siren from the weather, he says.

Ed "Whitey" Steinman, Caseville's Fire Chief for more than 30 years says, "It's been there as long as I can remember." He adds that people in town are so accustomed to the whistle, they never talk about it.

After consulting with DPW Superintendent Walt Forster, Elkton Village Clerk Darlene Ginter believes the siren has sounded there for at least 40 years. She also doesn't hear comments. "People would probably comment if it didn't blow," says Ginter with a laugh.

Sebewaing's siren, likewise, has sounded for 40 years and longer, from its location atop Sebewaing's Municipal Building. It's probably in its third generation of sending kids at home for supper, household chores, homework, baths and bedtime, all starting when its shrill sound echoes through the community at 5:30 p.m.

About the only creatures we didn't consult about town whistles were cats and dogs, the latter of which often imitates the whistle sound when the decibels hurt canine hearing. Dogs would probably say they don't like whistles, but they're used to the daily noise as are human listeners.



GIANT JACK-O-LANTERN: This huge pumpkin will scare away the biggest goblins on Halloween after the Maust family carves the face in the holiday squash. From left, Eric, Andrea and Joel Maust of Pigeon prepare to begin carving the pumpkin which measures 67 inches in diameter. RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO



BOO!

**Here are trick
 or treat hours
 for local towns**

**ALL ARE FOR HALLOWEEN
 THIS THURSDAY, OCT. 31**

- Pigeon 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Bay Port 5:30-7 p.m.
- Caseville 6-7:30 p.m.
- Elkton 6-7:30 p.m.
- Owendale 6-7:30 p.m.
- Sebewaing Parade at 4 p.m.,
 Trick or Treat from 5-7 p.m.
- Bad Axe 6-7 p.m.

Dining adventure on Sunday

A limited number of dining spots are still open for the first "Adventure in Dining" to benefit Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, this Sunday afternoon.

Organizer Mary Gettel says about 120 reservations have been made for the area-wide fund-raiser. A handful are still available, and interested persons should contact Scheurer Hospital at 453-2332 for details.

"Adventure in Dining" has 16 hospital friends opening their homes for small dinner parties, all beginning this Sunday at 5:30 p.m. Persons with reservations are today and Thursday learning who their hosts are -- but no one will know who they're dining with until they arrive at their destinations!

I declare...

November: National Diabetes Month

Gov. James J. Blanchard has declared November, 1985 as Diabetes Month and Nov. 3-9 as Diabetes Detection Week in Michigan. Scheurer Hospital of Pigeon will offer the screening to persons who have NOT been previously diagnosed as diabetic on Tuesday through Thursday, Nov. 5-7 from 8 to 10 a.m. Participants are asked to report to the Emergency Room Lab. The testing is limited to those over 18 years of age. Participants are asked to eat a high carbohydrate meal, one with large amounts of starches and sugars, two hours before the test. A good breakfast to have

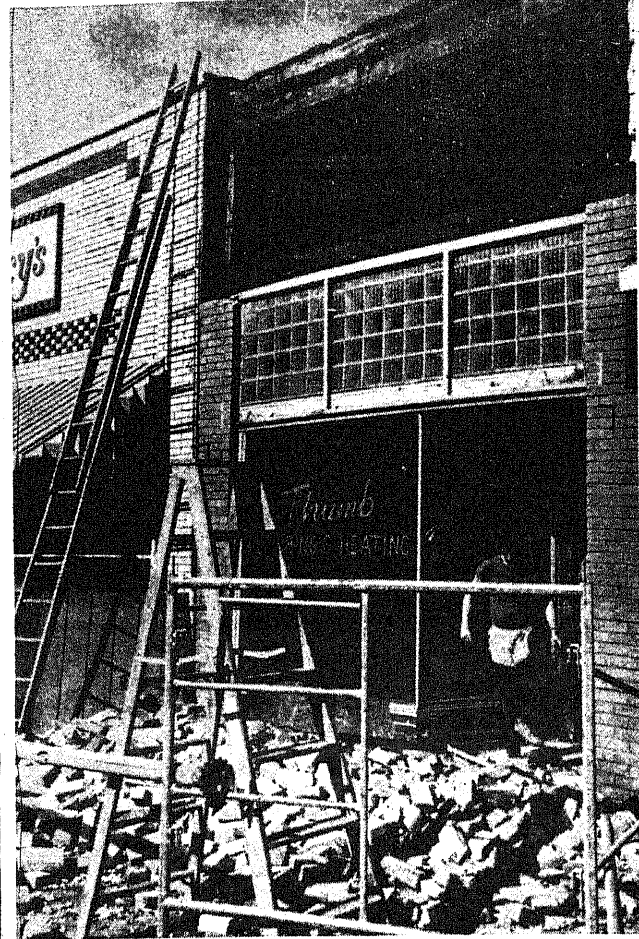
before the test, Scheurer officials say, for example, would be fruit or juice, cereal with milk and sugar, two slices of buttered toast and jam, and coffee or tea. A person planning to take the test after lunch could have a bowl of soup, sandwich, cake or pie for dessert, and a glass of milk. The meal should be eaten within a 15-minute time period and nothing else except water should be taken before the test, they recommend. People who are over 40, overweight, and relatives of persons with diabetes are urged to take the test as they are in the "high risk" group

of those most likely to develop diabetes. The most common symptoms of diabetes are excessive thirst, frequent urination, blurring vision, constant hunger or the slow healing of cuts and scratches. The disease, however, may be present without any symptoms, they say. It is estimated there are approximately 600,000 people in Michigan who have diabetes, and 240,000 of these are unaware that they have it. Diabetes, with its complications, is the third leading cause of death by disease in the U.S., Scheurer spokesmen say. Diabetes causes heart disease, kidney disease and blindness.

GOIN' DOWN: Builders removed the front of the former Thumb Plumbing & Heating Shop in Pigeon Friday, making way for a new Thumb National storage.

Scheurer notes

Patients in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, on Monday, Oct. 28:
PIGEON: John A. Vollmer, Sr.
OWENDALE: Miss Tamara Fritz, Mrs. Gordon (Valerie) Prich, William F. Voss, Jr.
BAY PORT: Arthur Deming.
UNIONVILLE: Mrs. Victoria Guenther.
SEBEWAING: Mrs. Eula Gibson, Richard C. Reinert.
CASEVILLE: Michael Grapp.
BIRTHS: Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Donna) Thebe, Bay Port, a son, Ryan Michael, on Oct. 24.



ALMOST DONE: The 24-unit Sigel Apartments at Harley and Brush Streets in Pigeon are having interior work completed now, as exterior construction has been completed. No firm completion date is available yet, but neighbors say they like the construction quality and design of the attractive units.
 RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

The paper is still the same...

(EDITOR'S NOTE: In eight years of Progress-Advance ownership, we've never used space such as this for a public explanation of a newspaper procedure. However, we feel the facts will help clear up any misconceptions about our new production set-up.)

By MARK RUMMEL
 This week's newspaper you're holding in your hands should look just like last week's and the issue of the week before and so on — but it's slightly different. And the reason for this explanation is a fact of life in newspapering in particular and small businesses in general today. The Progress-Advance has entered a production sharing agreement with The Sebewaing Blade-Crescent, to purchase similar supplies, share future equipment and cross-utilize staffing when possible in producing both publications.

No ownership or management changes are planned, but production sharing means some portions of newspaper production will now be performed in a central location presently located in Sebewaing. Future, final location is still being discussed by Progress-Advance Publishers Mark and Sally Rummel and Blade-Crescent Publisher James Rummel. About half of our present 15 (fulltime and parttime) workers produced portions of this week's paper in Sebewaing, continuing a trend started 23 years ago when the newspaper was first printed away from our Pigeon plant — also in a central production facility. The same friendly faces are greeting customers in our Pigeon office, and the exact same people are using the same equipment to produce the same paper you've

been reading since 1897. The same writers and ad people are still calling on people, as in the past. But behind the scenes, we're trying to economize to insure our future existence. Support — both in circulation and advertising — has never been better. But as we all know, costs keep rising and economies must be made. School districts, banks, farm cooperatives and other businesses are merging to become more cost-efficient every day. Newspapers are no different in that regard. In the eight years since

Sally and I have lived in this area, weekly newspapers have gone out of business in Port Austin, Kingston, Carsonville, Reese and Sandusky. In the past 20 years, others have disappeared from Ubyly, Bad Axe, Caseville, Crosswell, Peck — and so on. We all know the trend. We are sharing only production facilities. The same people and ideals still apply. We appreciate your understanding and assistance to keep a locally-owned, hometown-boosting paper operating here for many years to come.

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Top Caseville students listed on honor roll

The honor roll for Caseville School students grades seven through 12 has been announced by Principal Paul Ellinger. An asterisk (*) denotes "all A's."

- SENIORS:** Michele Ballard, Christine Barton, Amy Bennett, Tracy Bieri, Brenda Cile, Peter Delmotte, Holly Fibranz, Lorie Forman, Brenda Geiger, Gail Gembariski, Victoria Goslee, Amy Hartz, Gregory Langley, Patrick McKenna, Thomas Oorbeck, Catherine Schramski, Tony Seagraves, Michelle Stahl, Roseann Strozski, John Winkler, Kelly Wolfe.
- JUNIORS:** Tina Bieri, Samantha Lapka, Tina Lasko, Yvonne Miller, Kristin Nevin.
- SOPHOMORES:** Amy Conrad, Clint Coticck, John Depner, Jeffrey Malett, Carrie Zollner.
- FRESHMEN:** Daniel Depner, Rebecca Dubey, Sally Gembariski, Charles Morden III.
- EIGHTH GRADERS:** Daniel Bennett, Teri Cassada, Colby Coticck, Kimberly Dufty.
- SEVENTH GRADERS:** Kimberly Bailey, Colleen Ballard, Jason Bonner, Barry Ellinger, Tonya Farver, Mabelle Henne, Brian Kraus, Lamont Lenar, Penelope Murdoch, Kari Jo Nevin, Cheri Peter, Jamie Thiek.

Area student on 'Almanian' paper staff

Dan Simet, an Alma College junior from Caseville, is distribution manager for the 1985-86 "Almanian," the college's weekly newspaper. As distribution manager, Simet is responsible for getting the paper to students and off-campus subscribers. "The Almanian" staff consists of 15 editorial positions and several feature, sports and news writers. Editors work 20-25 hours per week, writing and editing copy as well as maintaining the office on a day-to-day basis. Simet, a 1983 graduate of Caseville High School, is the son of Brian and Ann Simet of Caseville. He is majoring in business administration at Alma College.

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Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

NO LIBRARY RE-VOTE DECISION
 Local library supporters haven't yet decided whether or not to again seek a county-wide millage request to provide funding for public library operations.

Huron County voters turned down the request for three-tenths of a mill for 20 years last Tuesday, 1337-1703. Only 7% of Huron County voters went to the polls in the special election, which cost about \$12,000 to conduct. In all, \$240,000 was to be generated for the six county libraries.

The measure passed in just eight of the county's 34 voting precincts. They were townships of McKinley (21 yes, 18 no), Pt. Aux Barques (19-12), Port Austin (120-100), Sebewaing (69-31), Sebewaing 2 (45-22), Winsor (Pigeon) (96-64), Bad Axe (324-101) and Harbor Beach (123-80). Local precincts which turned down the request included Brookfield (14 yes, 50 no), Caseville (64-104), Chandler (17-40), Fair Haven (10-32), Grant (2-37), Lake (26-68) and Oliver (26-70).

\$112,400 FINE, \$3 MILLION COSTS?
 Yale Rubber Company of Sandusky has agreed to pay \$100,000 to the state for administrative and testing costs, \$12,400 to the City of Sandusky for engineering and legal fees — and will probably pay \$1 million to \$3 million in clean-up costs, following soil and water contamination problems earlier this year.

A consent decree was signed last week ensuring the cleanup of soil and groundwater contamination which officials say was caused by improper disposal of Yale Rubber toxic substances. At one time in mid-summer, Sandusky's water supply had 10 times the normal amount of certain toxins, which can be cancer-causing. Michigan Attorney General's office filed suit July 11 against Sandusky's largest employer, and two of the five city water wells were shut down to reduce contamination problems. The out-of-court settlement should serve as a "model to other companies" with contamination problems, Attorney General Frank Kelley said Tuesday, for its design, keeping health of area residents — and Yale Rubber's 650 jobs — both in consideration.

\$5.3 MILLION HURON BUDGET
 Huron County Commissioners last week discussed the county's 1986 budget which could total \$5.38 million, thanks to \$388,000 in road repair special funding.

Commissioner Peter Ney of Bad Axe said the record amount, up 14% from last year's \$4.7 million figure, is mostly caused by the County Board's Oct. 14 vote to increase road repair millage by a half-mill for one year. That \$388,000 amount, coupled with a .117-mill increase for general operations, will add \$490,000 to county funds. Final budget action is expected within the month.

NO BEET TRUCK HARASSMENT
 Tuscola County Road Commission Chairman Bill Tuckey has invited County Commissioners to meet with Tuscola Weighmaster Richard Letts to show there is no alleged "harassment" of sugar beet haulers now that campaigns are in full swing.

Tuckey last week denied beet haulers in Tuscola County are being harassed, noting Letts hasn't written a single ticket in two years to any truck that would not have been overweight on a class A road. Tuckey told the Huron County Advertiser weighmasters in both Tuscola and Huron Counties enforce the same laws, but assess tickets differently. Some persons have claimed excess tickets are being issued for minor infractions in Tuscola County during this busy hauling season, and some such claims have arisen annually for many years. No firm meeting date has been scheduled, to discuss the ticketing procedure and process.

WOMAN'S BODY FOUND IN BAY

The body of an unidentified woman washed ashore at Pt. Aux Barques near Port Austin late Saturday, as searchers sought to learn the identity during a freak lightning storm. Huron County Sheriff's Deputies say the department's helicopter and Coast Guard boats Sunday searched the area to determine if there were other victims. Winds were about 15 knots with four-foot waves reported when the body was found about 6:30 p.m. by a passing boater. The woman, in her mid-40s, is tall and was wearing a life jacket when found. No distress signals were reported, and no early reports of missing persons had been filed with local police agencies, Deputies say.

VASSAR GETS \$120,000 GRANT

Vassar will receive a \$120,000 grant from the Michigan Small Cities Community Development funds, to construct a road and sewer lines to the Vassar Industrial Park. The city will be matching \$113,000 and DuLaur Products will add \$135,000 more for the project, which will add 18 fulltime jobs. DuLaur will paint and assemble special steering columns for Saginaw Steering Gear.

TACA ELECTS LEADERS

New officers for 1985-86 have been elected for the Thumb Area Commission on Aging, at its meeting last Monday. Harland Henderson of Sandusky was re-elected chairman and Walter Parrott of Kingston re-elected treasurer. Newly-voted officers are Ed Alward of Caseville as vice chairman and Evelyn Schweitzer of Forestville as secretary. TACA Director Bob Brown said all primary services saw larger numbers this year. Meals served in the three-county area totaled 83,886, up about 5% from last year, and case management totaled 4009 persons, up by 530 over 1984.

STATION CLOSINGS IN LIMBO

First they were funded, then budget-cutting removed them, but continued operation of 13 Great Lakes stations of the U.S. Coast Guard may yet be part of the department's

Youth dies in rec vehicle mishap

Funeral services were conducted Monday in Saginaw for a 13-year-old Saginaw boy who died when the four-wheel recreational vehicle he was driving flipped and fell on him.

William Andrew Crane was found underneath the vehicle on a four-foot-high dirt pile just off S. Caseville Road, 1 1/2 miles south of Pigeon about 12 noon Saturday. He and his father, a Saginaw attorney, had been visiting a relative, James Murdoch, while pheasant hunting when the boy drove away on an all-terrain, four-wheel-drive vehicle. Huron County Sheriff's Deputies say the father and uncle went to look for youth when they failed to return after riding about 1 1/2 hours, when they found him. He was pronounced dead at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, after being transported by Scheurer Ambulance Service. The son of William A. Crane, Jr. and Judy Crane, William was a seventh grader at Chippewa Middle School, Saginaw.

National VFW chief to visit Pigeon Nov. 20

Tip of the Thumb Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2236 of Pigeon will host John S. Staum, the Commander-in-Chief of the U.S. Veterans of Foreign Wars, at a 7 p.m. meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 20.

Staum, 54 of Minneapolis, is a veteran of the Korean War, where he served with the U.S. Marines on the heavy cruiser USS Bremerton and the aircraft carrier USS Princeton.

While on a two-day tour of the Thumb, Cmdr. Staum will also visit Sebewaing, Caro and Sandusky VFW Posts.

Young children invited to SPARK workshop

Area preschoolers and kindergartners and their parents are invited to a SPARK Workshop at Huron Learning Center, Bad Axe on Saturday, Nov. 7 from 10 to 11:30 p.m.

Brenda McDonald, a Bloomfield Hills music-movement educator, will perform "in concert" and work with parents and children together to help develop musical talent in young children.

Your lawmakers: ...and how to reach them!

- SEN. CARL LEVIN, U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510.
- SEN. DONALD RIEGLE, 233 Senate Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510, phone 202-225-4822.
- REP. J. ROBERT TRAXLER, 2366 Rayburn House Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20515, phone 202-225-2806.
- SEN. JAMES BARGIA, State Capitol, Room 127-A, Lansing, MI 48909, phone 373-1777.
- REP. DICK ALLEN, State Capitol, Room 2201, Lansing, MI 48909, phone 373-4476.

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DRINKS ALL AROUND — No, we don't ALWAYS talk about food and drink in this spot. However, we ARE going to mention a few fascinating facts today!

■ First, soda pop last year surpassed water as the most-drunk beverage in America. We each drink about 44 gallons of pop annually (that's over 500 cans a year — about 1 1/2 a day!).

■ And, just one percent of the soft-drink market equals \$300 million in sales, which explains why Coke, Pepsi and everybody take this stuff so seriously.

■ New on the pop horizon isn't pop at all — it's "juice-added" drinks. Such juices are expected to total 10% of the soft drink market in the next two years, fast on the heels of popular "diet" drinks, thanks to Aspartame (NutraSweet) sweeteners. Diet drinks will total 40% of all pop sales in five years, up from the present 25% figures.

■ Also expected to grow are "cooler" drinks, which are part wine and part carbonated water or juices. And, Pepsi is adding "Slice," a juice and pop beverage aimed at people concerned about health and nutrition. Not far behind is Coca-Cola's "Minute Maid Orange Soda," which also contains 10% fruit juice.

■ Personally, I don't see how 10% "real" juice (as in Hawaiian Punch) makes any nutritional difference... — 30 —

SPEAKING OF BEVERAGES — We've heard some good comments about Saginaw's new Cinema & Suds near Fashion Square Mall. It's two theatres which offer mixed drinks, beer, "tasty sandwiches, individual pizzas and crowd-pleasin' munchies" as you sit in comfortable, cushy chairs and watch big-screen movies.

The theatre admission is \$1.75 — and during the daytime, they show one regular and one kiddie movie, to keep youngsters occupied. It's the only one of its kind in Michigan. What will they think of next? — 30 —

SEAT BELT USE — By law, we're all wearing our safety seat belts, right? Well, the figures are better, but they're not good yet. Before the new law was enacted earlier this year, 10% of all drivers wore the belts. Now, 61% of drivers and front-seat passengers use them — meaning more than one-third of us don't.

The good news: 114 fewer traffic deaths were reported in the law's first three months, compared with the same three months last year in Michigan. More should be done! Come on, belt-avoiders. They're for your own good! — 30 —

GET WELL SOON, ACE — Previous P-A Publisher Asel (Ace) Collins is recovering quite well from specialized surgery last week, and he'll be off his feet 10 to 12 more days. Prayers, cards and letters are welcomed, and can be sent in care of Room 111, Hills and Dales Hospital, Cass City, 48726. — 30 —

WISH I'D SAID THAT — One of the easiest ways to dislocate your shoulder is to pat yourself on the back!

As we see it editorially

Artificial blood soon?

If you think you've heard of everything, this will probably convince you that you haven't. Doctors are now using Flusol-DA — artificial blood — to help solve problems which are still evolving.

Artificial blood? Yes, blood substitutes could be in widespread use for cancer treatment, poisoning cases and other procedures in the next three years, experts say. And, as blood donor supplies dry up because of fear of the spreading disease AIDS, the very idea of artificial blood is appealing for more and more reasons.

No special storage or compatibility testing is needed. And it's no easy task to even dream about using artificial blood — since the real thing is the most complex fluid known.

Most artificial blood compounds are synthetic, but they perform the crucial act of delivering oxygen to the body. Some are derived from animal or human blood, then wrapped in a synthetic membrane.

But all are universal donors — capable of being transfused into any person without causing a reaction. Some Red Cross experts predict using blood substitutes during coronary bypass surgeries could cut in half the present 15% of the nation's blood supply now used in such procedures.

Well, doesn't our nation have artificial sweeteners and substitutes for everything else under the sun? Why not blood?

Several different research experiments are using different compounds — but the future belongs to the artificial. It's compatible and easily stored, and it will help stem a problem of dwindling blood donors facing our world today.

You see, just 10 years ago blood donors outnumbered users by a margin of eight to one. Thanks to fear of AIDS and a growing number of senior citizen "users," that figure will drop to three to one in the next 30 years, experts say.

Much research will be required before wide-scale use of artificial blood is allowed. That's as it should be. But scientists have created many wonderful drugs, procedures and synthetic substances to enrich lives, spot disease and limit the pain of illness in recent years. Artificial blood is a strong step in such a right direction.



Pete Progress says:

People who fly
in a rage always
make a bad landing!

Roses AND Thorns
We guarantee marriages

By MARK KARLS

Plumbers guarantee their work. So do television manufacturers. Car dealers. You name it. Almost every business around guarantees its work, or has somewhat of a guarantee for the consumer through lawsuits. So why cannot marriage counselors guarantee their work?

May I be so bold as to suggest that I guarantee my work in marriage counseling? Now, some people are probably getting a little upset because there are some marriages that I have performed, indeed even since I came to Pigeon 2 1/2 years ago, that are no longer together. So if I guarantee my work, what is in the fine print?

The fine print contains just one statement: "I guarantee this marriage will not only work, but the couple will become madly in love with each other, even if no trace of love seems evident at the present time, within 90 days — if the couple does exactly what I say." Any takers? I mean, a heavenly marriage in just three months! An offer you can't refuse!

What makes me so confident? What is so magical about what I say so that it couples do it? Their marriage takes off? What do you get if the advice fails? I guess I have not thought of that one yet because the advice has yet to fail. Let me explain.

A few years back one of the foremost marriage counselors in America was holding a seminar on marriage counseling. Everyone in the area came because this is such a vital subject to the heart of the country. But the counselors especially came because of the inadequacy they all felt in the number of marriages they could not save.

The speaker came onto the platform to speak and everyone sat poised with pencil and note pad ready to record every tip and technique that would unlock the secrets to a fulfilling marriage. The speaker essentially said that just one thing was the total cause for marital break-up in America today. That one thing? Are you ready? The total cause for marital break-up in America today is because people are lazy?

Did you get all of that? Apparently the scholars and counselors at the seminar thought that explanation to be too trite. So they asked, "Is that it? Divorce is totally because of lazy people?" Yup. That is what he said.

Well, this calls for some close examination. There are many hard working people in whose vocabulary the word "lazy" is non-existent, and some of these are divorced. Aren't there are exceptions to the blanket cause for divorce being laziness? ... Nope!

When both partners cease to be lazy in the marriage, the marriage works. When, and only when, one or the other or both partners slack off at working in the marriage, the marriage is headed for trouble.

Okay, that sounds reasonable. So what do I tell couples that



Superintendent's Corner

By HARRY BRUNET
LAKER SCHOOLS
SUPERINTENDENT

Head Start

This past year the federally funded Head Start program for preschool children celebrated its 20th anniversary. What is Head Start? During the Kennedy/Johnson administrations there was an awareness of poverty that existed throughout the country. You may recall President Johnson's attempt to create the "Great Society" and his declaration of "War on Poverty." These political attempts to improve on the American way of life have not brought out what its founders intended.

Twenty years ago the target areas where the larger cities, with special emphasis being placed on improving living standards for those residing in the Appalachian Mountain region. Today, social problems still exist in both of these areas: I would appear that we will always have this type of poverty, hopefully to a lesser degree than what we experienced in the decade of the 60s.

During the "Great Society" movement, the preschool federally-funded "Head Start" program got underway. Its main purpose was to give the child from a low-income family an opportunity to attend school prior to kindergarten. All regulations for accepting students are under control of the federal government. They are responsible for the hiring of staff and financing the entire operation.

As we mentioned, the bulk of the students come from the inner cities. This does not mean that local areas are not given an opportunity to take part. Huron County residents are part of a 21-county program administered by the Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency, which is the largest in the state. At the present time, Huron County has 94 students enrolled in Head Start.

Over the past 20 years, Head Start programs have proven that preschool education pays off. Dr. Marlin Deutsch of New York University conducted a study of 1200 Head Start children. The study indicated that 57% of those having been in Head Start receive a high school diploma. Fifty-five percent of the male Head Start students are holding full-time jobs, while 48% of the female graduates are holding full-time jobs.

At our local level, we have traced students that were involved with Head Start. In all cases, these students have indicated that preschool training prepared them for entry into kindergarten. As part of the federal guidelines, the Head Start student is given a physical examination, dental checkup and receives all of the correct immunization shots. Each local school district conducting a program receives reimbursement for the students' meals and transportation costs. If we have any regrets with the Head Start program, it is the failure of our state and federal governments to provide this same opportunity for all preschool children.

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RECOLLECTIONS OF By-Gone Days

By GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR,
Sometimes I've got to think about what I want to write in my next article. But if I try hard enough, something always comes to mind.

Last Sunday, Hugo Leipprandt, Ed Foster, Werner Licht and I had our dinner together at the Dutch Kettle in Pigeon. We are all single, so we have things in common.

When we were done eating, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Trummer came and visited with us awhile. Then we all went our own way.

I drive out east of Pigeon quite often and look the country over. I saw some beans that were still in the field and some sugar beets that were still unharvested, but I noticed the nice colors of the trees. I decided you don't have to go up north to see nice colors. It wasn't as big as up there, but I came out at Sleeper Park and it was really pretty.

Then I came to Caseville and walked out to the end of the breakwall. The wind was blowing and the white caps were rolling and if a person just takes time to look at nature, you can't help but think that the Lord did a very good job when he created the earth.

I then went home and took a nap, because if I don't get a good nap on Sunday afternoon, I get a little grouchy. I stopped at the Lamplighter Restaurant on the way to church for a piece of pecan pie and coffee. The waitresses always know what I order and so they try to save a piece of pecan pie for me.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Dast were there for supper. They had two German men with them. MariAnn Dast introduced them to me. I knew she could speak German, but

that was the first time I'd ever heard her talk it.

The young men couldn't speak English and when they heard me talk, they were well pleased. They asked how long I had lived in America. After talking awhile, they left and I went to church.

Then on Tuesday, I had a nice visit with Bob Armbruster. We spoke of the good old days, when we threshed beans out of the barn.

About 60 years ago, Oscar Pfaff got me to go to Bill Armbruster's to thresh beans. Of course, he put me in the mow. I remember Emil Eitman, Chris Ebert, Bill Ebert and Edwin Wideman were up in the mow and Carl Behm fed the machine. Ted Keiler took care of the separator and Hank Einhardt ran the engine. They had to stop once in a while to put a belt on or fix something.

I worked as I always did and Emil Eitman told me I didn't have to do the work. So I slowed down a little.

One fellow asked me if Carl Behm was my Dad. He said I looked like his son, Oscar. Well, a lot of people used to get me mixed up with Oscar Behm.

In Prov. 18:24, it says a man who has friends must show himself friendly and there is a friend who sticketh closer than a brother.

Well, I had four brothers and I know they would have helped me anytime I was in trouble, but they lived away from here and I very seldom saw them. But I hope I have a lot of friends and I know I ever got in trouble or had any misfortune, they'd come and give me any help I needed.

SINCERELY YOURS,
GEORGE KEIM

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FORE!
Golf and animals

By MAVIS PECHETTE

You know it's time to get busy when someone says, "Didn't you USED to write for the paper?"

This time of year it's a joy to be on the golf courses. The tourists have retreated to the cities and many of the "snowbirds" have headed south for the winter. Most of the time it is like playing on your own private course.

At times the courses get crowded with animals of various sorts. And that can be distracting. We were watching a play-off on a northern Michigan course. In the not too far distance there arose a squawking, raucous disturbance. As the noise approached the green, golfers and spectators alike halted and craned necks to look upward. A flock of Canadian geese, flapping their wings overhead, was trying to get organized for the flight south. They must have been arguing about who was to be the leader.

We heard another goose/golf story that happened closer to home. A flock had settled on a pond while a foursome was teeing off. The magnificent birds continued sitting in the water as the men came up for their second shots. Just as one hit a mighty shot to go over the pond a goose took off in flight. The golf ball struck the goose and killed it instantly. No golfer enjoys getting a "bird" that way.

Another bird/golf story we've heard involves a seagull. A couple was playing in Florida near the Gulf. The lady had hit her drive and was moving up to her ball. A gull swooped down and grabbed the ball in its mouth. He carried it that way as he hopped and fluttered just out of her reach, ignoring her cries and gestures completely. Finally, he must have realized that he wasn't ever going to crack that shell. He deposited the ball in the middle of the fairway and took off. Wonder if we could train a Michigan seagull to follow us around the course. It would sure save us lots of strokes if we could find one like that.

Locally, we do have seagulls on the course, but they aren't that cooperative. The whole flock seems to gather on the driving range. It looks like they are holding a convention. They do make a mess of the course, leaving their droppings and their feathers. Between seagull feathers and mushrooms we spend a lot of time looking for golf balls.

The squirrels with their antics provide entertainment on local courses. Sometimes we see a deer or two also while we are playing. In northern Michigan it is a common occurrence to wait on a shot while two or three cross the fairway.

On some of the Florida courses we've played recently there are other distractions. An alligator is bound to take your mind off your game. Pelicans are different than seagulls swooping around but they do require some glances as they pass by. One day I was keeping my head down, for a change, when I noticed a moving shadow on the fairway. It seemed to be a ball with an arrow stuck through it. Good imagination, huh? Looking up, I discovered the shadow was cast by a heron, long neck extended forward in flight with long legs trailing behind.

Guess this goes to show, you never know what kind of animal you'll find on a golf course. There are funny ducks, queer birds, nutty squirrels, but especially look out for sly foxes or wily coyotes. Fore!

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



Something To Think About

JOHN A. CHAMPAGNE
DIRECTOR

WHAT NOT TO SAY

Would be comforters of other person feels. This is the bereaved have often impossible and worse, in-between known to say with the sulting. Don't try to cheer very best of intentions, the bereaved up by making many things that are inap- light of the loss or "looking appropriate, if not downright on the bright side." On the cruel, under the cir- other hand, don't upstage circumstances. It can wound the bereaved by dwelling the bereaved, and severely on YOUR feeling of embarrassment the well- sadness and loss. A simple meaning sympathizer, and sincere expression of sympathy is still the best why we tend to shy away policy.

This is one major reason sympathy is still the best why we tend to shy away policy.

from friends who are grieving. We are unsure of what to say and terribly afraid we will say the wrong thing. None of us is perfect, and these social blunders happen occasionally even to the best of us. With a little forethought, however, we can certainly reduce the chances of this happening. To begin with, don't presume to know how the

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A Reader Writes . . .

One man made a difference in raising ACS funds

DEAR EDITOR:
A big "thank you" to all the people who pledged their support to help Scott Ourth raise funds for the American Cancer Society.

The big day was Aug. 3 — a task Scott set out to do: swim from Charity Island to the Caseville Park shore — which he did! Many people were on shore when he came in, 13 hours after he left the

island. We will always remember that day and are overjoyed that he made it.

Think what one person who wants to help can do! Scott has raised better than \$3,000. Many people were behind him with their pledges and I am still receiving funds at this date.

Sally Beers
Huron County Unit —
American Cancer Society

McCormick's Service Manager Grand Trip winner!

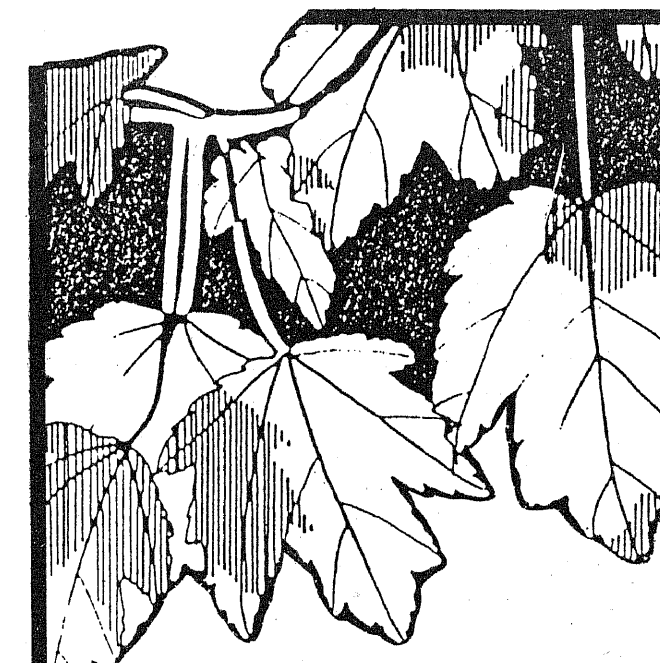


Matt Babcock

Matt Babcock, service manager for Jim McCormick Motors, Inc., Pigeon, has just returned with his wife from an all-expense paid trip to Switzerland and Monaco.

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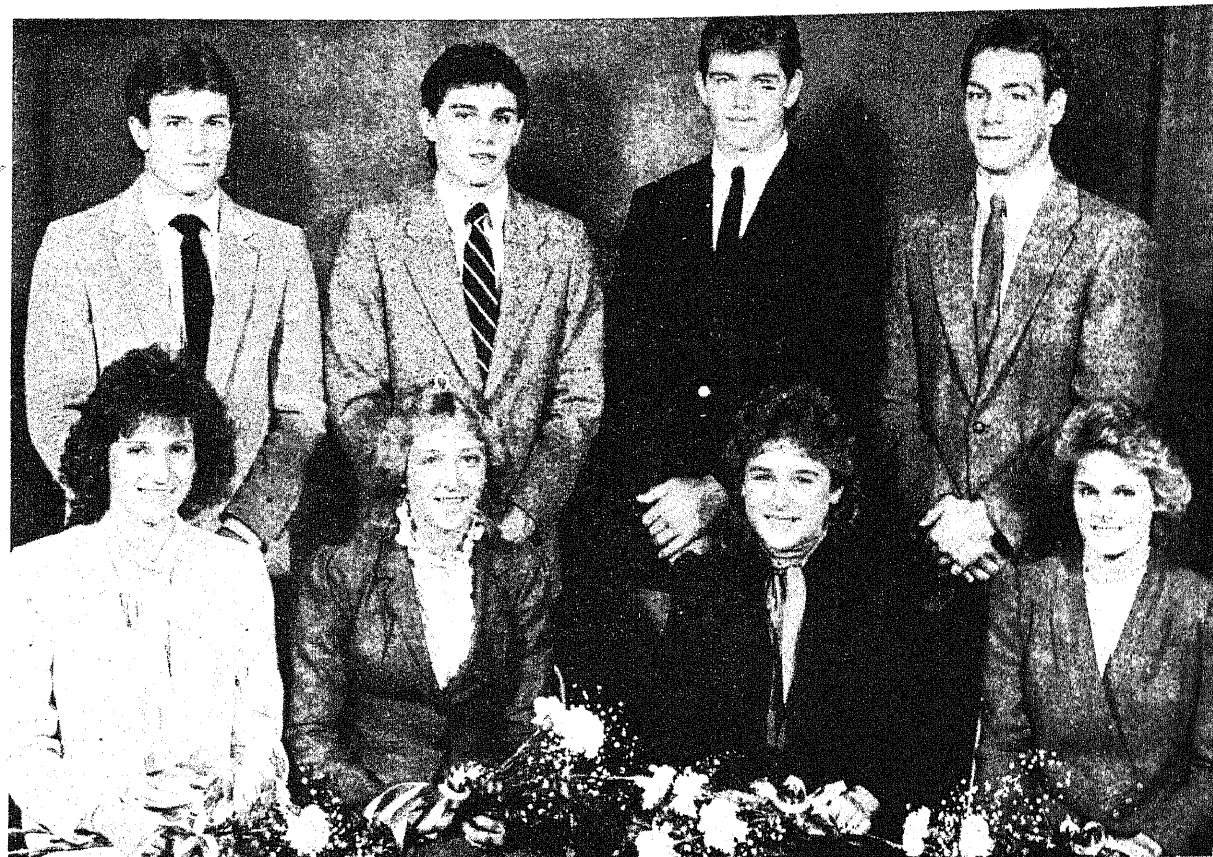
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Laker 1985 Homecoming Court Official Portrait

LAKER ROYALTY - 1985 Laker Homecoming Queen Patti Thiel and King Chris Eby and court members will have a special photo to remember the 1985 Laker Homecoming, with this official portrait taken by Mark Green Photography, Bad Axe.

Loading ladies, pictured from left, include court member Sue Champagne, Queen Patti, court members Kris Elenbaum and Kari Truemmer.

Honored gentlemen standing from left are King Eby and Mike Sturm, Jamie McBride and Todd Schomber.

New craft classes set at Cass City

A new craft entitled "Apalachian Doll Making" will be taught through the Cass City Community Education program, in a three-week class beginning Thursday, Nov. 7 at Cass City High School from 7 to 9 p.m.

Participants will make either a black or white doll with her own special clothing. A knowledge of sewing is helpful, class planners say, and a fee will be charged.

Also offered will be a "Beginning Basket-weaving" class on Thursday, Nov. 7 from 6 to 10 p.m. The fee includes all needed materials and a list

of tools is available from the Community Education office.

To register, call 872-4151 from 12 noon to 9 p.m.

Date corrected

The date for the workshop for Gifted/Talented students in the Huron County area was incorrectly published last week.

The date of the meeting will be Tuesday, Nov. 5 from 4 to 5:30 p.m. at the Huron Intermediate School District office, 711 E. Soper Road, Bad Axe.

Owen-Gage names honor roll students

Honor Roll students for the past marking period have been announced by Owendale-Gagetown High School Principal Wayne Wright.

(An asterisk denotes All A's.)

Reinhardt, Terry Thorp, Kendra Reehl.

SOPHOMORES: Jane Billy, Brad Copeland, Marcie Draschil, Gina Erner, Lloyd Fritz, Jill Janke, Rilla Milbocker, *Susan Salcido, Marshall Sheldon, Amy Thies.

SENIORS: *Amy Draschil, Debbie Engelhardt, Roger Godinez, Ronald Good, Marsha Lopez, Denise Pavlichek, Wayne Sheldon, Richard Shenko, Susan Stahl, Dave Peters.

FRESHMEN: David Erickson, Jodie Fritz, Andrea Goslin, Dawn Holand, Beckie Kling, Theresa Schwartz.

JUNIORS: Mike Bolzman, Janice Cummins, Steven Czap, Heather Dorsch, Lisa Edwards, *Cindy Enderle, Charlene Goslin, Dawn Harris, Barbara Hellebuyek, Shereen Kroll, Bill Kuhl, *Michelle McPhail, *Gabe Milbocker, *Sandra Miller, Rick Salcido, Tiffany

EIGHTH GRADERS: Ann Carr, Stacey Enderle, Marla Goslin, *Krista Grassman, John Jaworski, Ann Miller, Brandy Salcido, Chad Stirett, Dale Tabor, Tena Thorp.

SEVENTH GRADERS: Sarah Carnegie, Melissa Copeland, Michelle Glasgow, Connie Miller, Michelle Peters, Lori Radabaugh, Bethany Rayl, Debra Thorp, Kathy Wildman.

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A weekly briefing of news and information of interest to Thumb Farmers

Top o' the week...

Half of this year's expected record sugar beet crop has been delivered to plants of the Michigan Sugar Company as of Monday, as rainy weather continues to hamper beet harvesting. In all, a total of 788,000 tons have been received this year.

Davis Sunderland, Michigan Sugar's ag vice president, says Sebewaing Plant deliveries are slightly behind that 50% pace, at 43% delivered. The company expects a plant record of 500,000 tons for the season, and 234,000 tons have been received.

Another record has been set, too - Saturday saw 35,000 tons of beets delivered to the Sebewaing Factory. The company plans to keep weigh stations open all night Wednesday and Thursday.

4-H BANQUET: The 1985 Huron County 4-H Recognition Banquet is planned next Tuesday, Nov. 5 at the Huron County Farm Bureau Building, Bad Axe. Dinner is served beginning at 7:30 p.m., with a short program to follow.

County Extension Director Bob Johnson says 4-H leader and community award presentations will be made. The main purpose of the banquet is to thank 4-H adult and teen leaders for their efforts, and to thank 4-H supporters for helping make the 4-H Youth Program possible.

Persons seeking information about the banquet should contact the Extension Service at 269-9949.

FARM BILL: U.S. Rep. Bob Traxler (D-Bay City) reports that the recently completed House version of the 1985 Farm Bill includes a win on sugar, split on dairy

and loss of an importation option on the wheat and feed grain program.

"So, I have to give the 1985 Farm Bill a mixed review. It doesn't earn an 'A' or an 'F.' Maybe we should just grade it an average 'C,'" Rep. Traxler says.

He is sending a report to ag leaders on his normal newsletter mailing list, with detailed information about the House version now being debated with the U.S. Senate.

HONORED: Michigan Sugar Company President and CEO Ernest Flegenheimer has been selected Executive of the Year by the Saginaw Valley Chapter, Professional Secretaries International, at the group's Oct. 17 meeting.

Flegenheimer was elected Michigan Sugar president in 1963 and has been involved in the sugar industry for the past 35 years. He began his career by joining his family's molasses and sugar beet pulp importing business in 1950.

Since being elected president, Michigan Sugar's sales have increased from \$16.5 million to more than \$100 million in 1984. It ranks 41st among Michigan's top 100 manufacturers, and is the

midwest's largest sugar producer, processing more than 360 million pounds of sugar.

MORE AID: Willie Nelson says June 1, 1986 is the date for a second FarmAid concert, to be conducted in New York City's Yankee Stadium.

The original concert Sept. 22 showcased more than 50 rock, country and blues music performers, and raised about \$11 million to aid struggling ag producers in the U.S.

BIG YIELDS: Scientists with the U.S. Department of Agriculture say an experimental chemical shows promise of boosting yields and protein content of farm crops, theoretically paving the way for hungry nations to increase food production

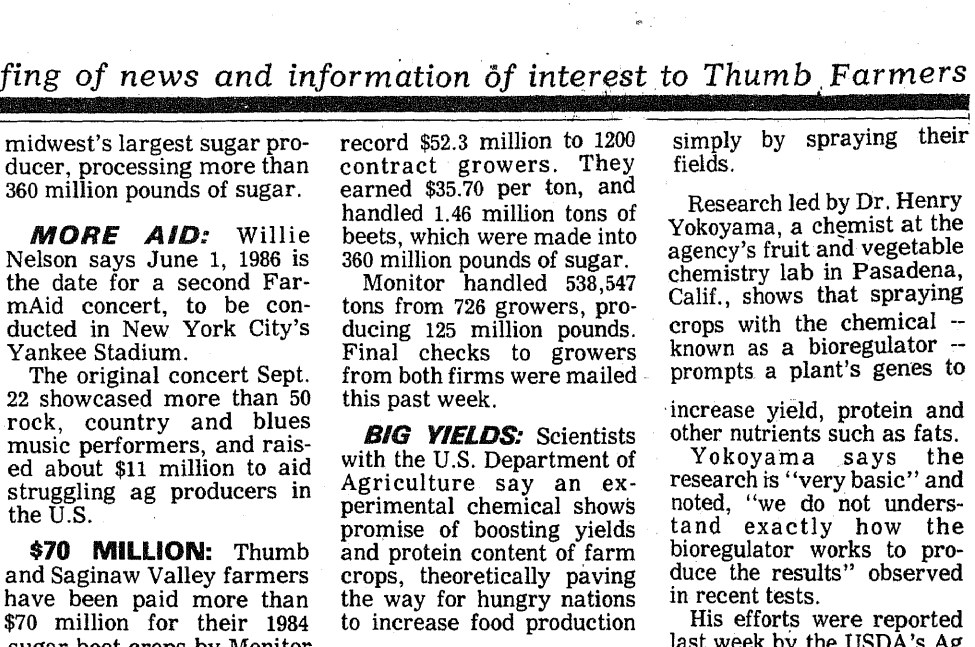
simply by spraying their fields.

Research led by Dr. Henry Yokoyama, a chemist at the agency's fruit and vegetable chemistry lab in Pasadena, Calif., shows that spraying crops with the chemical - known as a bioregulator - prompts a plant's genes to

increase yield, protein and other nutrients such as fats.

Yokoyama says the research is "very basic" and noted, "we do not understand exactly how the bioregulator works to produce the results" observed in recent tests.

His efforts were reported last week by the USDA's Ag Research Service.



WEATHER SUMMARY: Huron County Extension Ag Agent Jim LeCureux has summarized another summer of local weather data, and his findings on the County's Weather Reporting Network are reported here.

Average rainfall for May through September of stations reporting is 15.88 inches of rain, including highs of 20.8 inches near Harbor Beach to lows of 13.24 inches in Oliver Township.

The figures shown in () parentheses are growing degree days for May through September, 1985. All others are inches of rainfall for that same period.

LeCureux says such compiled information is of interest to area growers and agribusiness people within and outside Huron County. He says the project will be conducted again next year.

Youngsters 'achieve' at 4-H night

Dozens of local youngsters were honored last Monday at the 1985 4-H Fall Achievement awards presentation at the Huron Community Fairgrounds, Bad Axe.

During the 1985 County Fair, best workmanship awards in clothing by NewCentury Bank was awarded to Jennifer Ahrens, Sebewaing. Ernie Sbresny of Sebewaing earned a wood-working plaque from Citizens Federal Savings and Loan.

Ball canning awards were presented to Ernie Sbresny, Linette Sbresny and Jeanette Rose, all of Sebewaing, and Ernie Sbresny also received an award for freezing.

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LOCAL 4-H WINNERS: Six Western Thumb Area young people received special recognition during 4-H Fall Achievement Night. They are, front row from left, Christy Garrick, Jennifer Jeffers, Amy Jeffers and Jenny Wheeler. Back row, Melissa Haley and Kathleen Kirby.

THE ELKTON ADVANCE
The Past in Print

80 YEARS AGO
NOV. 3, 1905
August Anklam, 46, died at his home in Winsor Twp. this morning. He is survived by a wife and nine children.
Owendale — Mrs. D. Faron has rented her farm to Thomas Hook and will move to this village, occupying rooms in the Owen's Block.
Henry Schultz is moving into his new residence at Pigeon this week.
Miss Edna Suerus left Pigeon last week for Staubaugh, Upper Peninsula, where she has accepted a position in the high school there.
William Stoner, Pigeon, has gone to Brown City to manage the Livingston flax mill there.
Joe R. Hooper has severed his connections with E. Damoth's grocery store at Elkton and is now employed at J.D. Clark's furniture store.
The Pigeon Dancing Club held their first assembly this season on Wednesday evening. Officers elected include Geo. H.A. Shaw, Ernest Clabuesch and James Bright.

70 YEARS AGO
NOV. 5, 1915
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schaaf, Pigeon, a daughter yesterday.
Thomas Theil, Pigeon, has gone to Flint where he will be employed at the Chevrolet factory.
Joseph Broderick, 64, died

at his home in Winsor Twp. He leaves his wife, four sons and four daughters.
Edward Gerby, Pigeon's enthusiastic coon hunter, captured two last Saturday night.
The weather the past two weeks has been ideal for the sugar beet harvest and our farmer friends have taken advantage of it.
Grocery Specials at A. Hirschberg & Son, Pigeon: 20 lbs. granulated sugar \$1; five pkgs. corn flakes 25c; eight boxes 5c per box matches 25c; four cans 10c corn 25c; 18c Alaska red salmon 14c; four lbs. fresh V crackers 25c; eight lbs. oatmeal 25c; 10 bars Lenox soap 25c. — ADV.

60 YEARS AGO
NOV. 6, 1925
Jim Hill of Bay Port has returned from a cruise down the Mississippi River and to Florida.
West Huron Country students now attending Mt. Pleasant State Normal include Iva Leinbach, Elfreda Sturm, Pigeon; M. Louis Crosby, Pearl Eicher, Elkton; Helen High, Madelyn Phillips, Owendale; Noble Frank, Caseville; Irene Quinn, Gagetown; Veneta Gueschlen; Viola Hofmeister, Lorna Lange, Albert Schlemmer, Irene Tschner, Sebawaing.
Area deer hunters who have received licenses so far are J.J. Campbell, Geo. H.A. Shaw, George C. Powell, Wesley Schram, James

Bright, Harold Paul, Byron Murray, Pigeon and William Barbour, Caseville.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elder moved into their new home in Pigeon this week.
The Sixth and Seventh grades of Pigeon Public School gave a Pumpkin Pie Party Thursday evening and contest winners were Dorthea Clabuesch, Roland Roberts, Frances Hartman, Willard Haist, Russel Medaugh and Irvin Soldan.
50 YEARS AGO
NOV. 8, 1935
Members of the Pigeon Community Club will give 48 free prizes to shoppers in Pigeon this Saturday. Tickets will be given on all purchases and the drawing will be held at 9:15 p.m. Saturday evening. Prizes are now on display in the show window of the Winkel Furniture Shop.
McKinley News — Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schluchter, Misses Melva Stehman, Mary Jane and Clarabel Bedford, Anna Marie Richmond, Clara Baur and Miss Isler attended the Epworth League convention at Bay City Saturday.
Jessie Kelly, Caseville, left for Detroit Sunday where she will attend the DeMar Beauty School.
Walter M. Smith, former Oliver Twp. supervisor, superintendent of the Sebawaing sugar factory, and county drain commissioner, died at the home of his son in Alma. He leaves two sons and three daughters.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Staubus and Mr. and Mrs. Emerald Fahrner and son Ronald were visitors in Port Huron Sunday. Mrs. Staubus remained to spend two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Krupp.

Ernest Clabuesch are named as the incorporators of the Scenic Golf and Country Club of Pigeon. The club plans to own a golf course and club house and is capitalized at \$12,500 comm.
Mrs. William Krohn, 57, nee Lydia Niebel, passed away at her home in Pigeon. Surviving are her husband and two daughters.
About 400 boys, girls and parents attended the Halloween party sponsored by Pigeon Rotary Club Wednesday evening at the high school. Prizes for costumes were awarded to Jewel Clabuesch, Darlene Swartzendruber, Jean Oesch, David Bailey, Janet Buchholz, Bobbie Danks, Bruce Richmond, Jessie Beadle, Vernon Kretzschmer and Douglas DeGroot.
Mrs. Joseph Strieter, 59, nee Wilhelmine Dast, Pigeon, died at the home of her son, John Strieter in Lansing. She leaves her son, her mother, Mrs. Christ Dast Sr., Bay Port; three brothers and two sisters.

40 YEARS AGO
NOV. 1, 1945
The new fire truck, which was ordered by the Oliver Township Board early this year, was delivered and demonstrated Monday by Paul Glackin.
Oswald Lump, owner of the Elkton Lumber Yard has started construction of new building which will house his tile and block making machinery. The building will be of cement block.
Seven Elkton soldiers Sgt. Charles H. Rowland, Sgt. Amold J. Reid, Pl. Walter Wasney, Cpl. Gera Roth, S. Sgt. Orville Snide Cpl. Jacob Deering Jr. and Sgt. Roy Furness — were honorably discharged from the Armed Forces this past week.
School cafeteria managers of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port area schools attended a "managers" conference at Boyne Mountain Lodge last week. Managers are Mrs. Mame Krohn, Elkton; Mrs. June Schenke, Bay Port; Mrs. Alvina Walsh, high school; and Mrs. Onalee Gordon, Pigeon.
Dr. Herbert Brubaker, superintendent of the Methodist Saginaw Bay district, preached the dedication sermon Sunday when the new educational unit of Hayes Methodist Church, with five additional classrooms, was dedicated.

30 YEARS AGO
NOV. 3, 1955
Winners in the Halloween store window painting contest in Elkton, sponsored by the Elkton Chamber of Commerce, were Lorraine Neischultz and Carol Schuette; Kay Colgan and Janet Ziegler; Nenette Furness and Carol Rathke; Eileen Dietzel, Carol Conkey and Patty Weaver; Kathy Hill and Mary Colgan.
Officers elected by the West Side Farm Bureau Women include Mrs. Ed Oeschger, Bay Port; Mrs. Clarence Gettel, Pigeon and Mrs. Gerhard Baur, Unionville.
Pigeon Chamber of Commerce will hold a dinner meeting Wednesday night at the Vollmer Hotel. This year's Christmas program will be discussed according to John Orr, president.
Elkton PTA will sponsor an open house Monday evening, Oct. 12 by their children at Cross Lutheran School. They have five children and three grandchildren.
The 30th annual meeting of the board of trustees of Scheurer Hospital was held Monday evening at the Pigeon District Library. E.J. Clabuesch, president, chaired the business meeting. Wendall Maust, Pigeon and George Baur, Bay Port, were elected to the 54-member board.

20 YEARS AGO
NOV. 4, 1965
An open house will be held in honor of the 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leslie and

Thumb area deaths

EARL KUHLL
1904 - 1985
Earl Kuhl, age 81, of Sebawaing, a former Huron equalization director and Fairhaven Township Supervisor, passed away Monday, Oct. 21 at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon.
He was born Oct. 13, 1904 in Fairhaven Township, son of the late Frederick and Lina (Meub) Kuhl. He married Lillian Mary Stoeckle on May 6, 1939 in Sebawaing. He was a farmer in the Sebawaing area for many years. He served as a member of the Farm Bureau Board, was a former Fairhaven Township Supervisor and served as county equalization director for 10 years.
Surviving are his wife, Lillian Mary; three sons, James Stoeckle, Livonia; Ronald Kuhl, Sebawaing and Gerry Kuhl, Manhattan, Kan.; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Cheryl) Lutz, Sebawaing; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and one brother, Jerry Kuhl, Sebawaing.
He was preceded in death by one son, Darrell Kuhl; three brothers, Roy Kuhl, Norman Kuhl and Fred Kuhl and two sisters, Sophie Quirk and Lena Kuhl.
Funeral services were conducted Thursday, Oct. 24 at Holy Family Catholic Church, Sebawaing. The Rev. Stanley Surman, pastor, officiated with burial in the church cemetery.
Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebawaing handled the arrangements. Memorials may be made to Holy Family Catholic Church, American Cancer Society, Scheurer Hospital or the Huron County Building.

MAMIE STING
1893 - 1985
Mamie Sting, age 92, of Pigeon, passed away at her home Thursday, October 24.
She was born April 17, 1893 in LaGrange, Illinois, daughter of the late Henry and Louise (Meyer) Dohram. On April 17, 1913 she was united in marriage to Carl J. Sting in Pigeon. He passed away January 5, 1972. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Berne, and active in Ladies Aid.
Mrs. Sting is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Eleanor H. Trost, Pigeon; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy B. Sting, Pigeon; five grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.
A daughter Hilda, a son Eldon, a grandson Gary, two sisters, two brothers and her foster parents, Henry and Sophie Schulz preceded her in death.
Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 26 at 11 a.m. from St. John's Lutheran Church, Berne. Rev. Philip K. Press officiated with burial in the church cemetery.
Arrangements by the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

WILLIAM MAGWOOD
1918 - 1985
William Magwood, age 67, lifelong resident of Huron County and founder of William Magwood Furniture and Floor Covering Store, Bad Axe, passed away Friday, Oct. 25 at his Lake Township home after a short illness.
He was born Feb. 25, 1918 at Bad Axe, son of the late Neil and Agnes (Leslie) Magwood. He married Evelyn Hoskins on Dec. 24, 1939 at Filion. He was a 1937 Bad Axe High School graduate and a U.S. Army veteran who served during World War II in the Pacific Theater.
He was employed at the former Colton Furniture and Funeral Home, Bad Axe for 20 years and was a barber, working at Jake's Barber Shop, Bad Axe. He and his wife established the William Magwood Furniture and Floor Covering Store in 1965. He retired in 1980.
He lived in Lake Township and spent his winters at New Port Richey, Fla. during the last five years.
He was Adjutant of the Disabled American Veterans, Bad Axe, and was a former member of the American Legion Sherman-Elvin Post #986 Drum and Bugle Corps, Bad Axe. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church, Bad Axe and served on the building committee. He also served as a trustee and elder of the church.
Surviving him are his wife, Evelyn; one daughter, Mrs. James (Linda) Rich, Pigeon; two grandsons; one sister, Margaret Ginter, Elkton and several nieces and nephews.
He was preceded in death by one brother, Leslie Magwood and two sisters, Elizabeth Magwood and Janet Spindler.
Funeral services were set for Monday, Oct. 28 at 11 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church. The Rev. David R. Dively, pastor, officiated with burial in Colfax Cemetery.
Funeral arrangements were handled by MacAlpine Funeral Home, Bad Axe. Memorials may be made to the First Presbyterian Church building fund.

35 YEARS AGO
NOV. 2, 1950
Because of the unusual interest shown in the extremely complicated electrical "eye" and automat packaging machines installed at the Elkton Elevator op house will be Saturday and the public invited to see these machines in action.
With the aroma of bean soup steadily wafting from the cook's tent, Elkton Main Street will be crammed with thrifty shoppers Friday and Saturday, taking advantage of the '77 D bargains and also the bean soup.
Pigeon High School's football team, which has won one game this season managed to hold Elkton squad to a tie game Friday night.

31 YEARS AGO
NOV. 4, 1954
Ground-breaking ceremonies, inaugurating construction of the \$225,000 Elkton Elementary School building, were Wednesday noon before a large group of child parents and friends.
About 100 children attended the Halloween party Saturday night in the Elkton School, sponsored by Elkton Community Club VFW Ladies Auxiliary.

FROM THE ELKTON ADVANCE FILES
45 YEARS AGO
OCT. 31, 1945
More than 500 persons attended the fourth annual

ADDITIONAL OBITUARIES ON PAGE 23
Other area obituaries . . .
Douglas A. Grimes, 74, of Pequesta, Fla., formerly of Bad Axe, passed away Oct. 14.
Bruce R. Parish, 23, of Harbor Beach, passed away Oct. 17.
Lewis R. Eastlick, 81, of Sebawaing, passed away Oct. 18.
Lawrence D. Guinther, 52, of Cass City, passed away Oct. 18.
Alton Mark, 93, of Cass City, passed away Oct. 18.
Leonard L. Goretzki, 67, of Port Austin, passed away Oct. 18.
Louise E. Deming, 67, of Bay Port, passed away Oct. 19.
Franklin G. Irion, 90, of Sebawaing, passed away Oct. 19.
Helen Alpaugh, 78, of Fenton, with relatives in Bad Axe, passed away Oct. 19.
Rhea E. Bumann, 89, of Port Austin, passed away Oct. 19.
Marie A. Pulcer, 50, of Harbor Beach, passed away Oct. 19.
Clarence J. Cole, 79, of Caro, passed away Oct. 19.
Harold S. Hanselman, 72, of Detroit, formerly of Bingham Township, passed away Oct. 20.
Earl Kuhl, 81, of Sebawaing, passed away Oct. 21.
Gerald A. Cox, 73, of Penosha, Wis., with relatives of Harbor Beach, passed away Oct. 21.
Cecilia Byrne, 92, of Port Huron, formerly of Port Austin, passed away Oct. 22.



Farewell to you, Dr. Mayol

Scheurer Hospital staff and friends said "goodbye" to Dr. George Mayol last Friday in a party conducted in the Long-Term Care Unit.
Here, Dr. Mayol participates in a skit to the song, "There's A Hole in the Bucket."
Dr. Mayol will be leaving his position on the medical staff of Scheurer Hospital, a post he has held since 1978. He, his wife Althea and their three children will make their new home in Onaway, located 30 miles south of Mackinaw City. He will assume the practice of a retiring physician there and Mrs. Mayol will work with him as business manager.

HERE, DR. MAYOL poses with his farewell cake, surrounded by associates and friends from his seven-year medical practice in Pigeon.

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NOTICE
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Couple married at St. Roch

Irene F. Polega of Stanton, Calif. and David G. Muehlfield of Anaheim, Calif. were united in marriage on Saturday, Oct. 5 at St.

Roch's Catholic Church, Caseville. Father Ted LaMarre solemnized the wedding vows for the children of Irvin and MaryAnn Polega of Pigeon and Lloyd and Bernice Muehlfield of Harbor Beach.

Musical selections included "Prayer of St. Francis," "The Lord's Prayer," "Sunrise, Sunset" and "The Wedding Song." Organist was Bob Hass of Caseville and soloists were Jan Shinske of St. Clair and Randy Rapson of Harbor Beach.

The altar was decorated with mums and carnations in mixed fall colors.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown with a white satin bodice accented with pearl beading, a full skirt of silk organza with a satin trimmed chapel-length train. Her fingertip veil was secured by a pearlized headpiece. The bride carried a bouquet of cascading yellow roses and carnations.

She asked her sister, Patricia Carpenter of Pontiac, to be matron of honor.

wearing a teal green georgette tea-length dress with short sleeves, edged with satin trim and shoes to match. She carried a bouquet of lilies, mums and cattails in fall colors.

Bridesmaids were Mary Harness of Hays, Kans., Karen Galloway of Niles and Patti Hunt of Chicago, Ill. All friends of the bride and Annette Muehlfield of Cincinnati, Ohio, sister of the groom. Junior bridesmaid was Carrie Carpenter of Pontiac, niece of the bride. The bridesmaids carried bouquets similar to the matron of honor's. Flower girl was Becky Messing of Haslett, niece of the bride, dressed identically to the bride.

Best man was Tim Muehlfield of Chicago, Ill., brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Al Spencer of Sunnyside, Calif., Ron Lange of Anaheim, Calif., Larry Koski of Chicago, Ill. and Steve Wilkenson of San Jose, Calif., all friends of the groom.

Ushers were Ron Polega of Utica, brother of the bride and Alan Muehlfield of Bad Axe, brother of the groom. Ringbearer was Eric Kozfay of Sandusky, nephew of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a street-length jade georgette dress with a draped neckline and long sleeves. She wore a corsage of yellow roses with white baby mums on her wrist.

The groom's mother wore a street-length silver grey color dress with a satin inset, draped neckline and long sleeves. Her wrist corsage

Area menus Week of Nov. 4-8

LAKER SCHOOLS

Second choice all week: Sloppy joe on bun.

MONDAY: Chicken nuggets.

TUESDAY: Cheesy pizza.

WEDNESDAY: Hot pork sandwich, mashed potatoes.

THURSDAY: Cheesy pizza.

CASEVILLE SCHOOLS

Salad bar, choice of low fat chocolate and white milk daily.

MONDAY: Ham sandwich or hot dog, scalloped potatoes, ala carte: ham sandwich.

TUESDAY: Pizza.

WEDNESDAY: Submarine sandwich or sloppy joe, corn, baked beans, ala carte: sub sandwich.

THURSDAY: Spaghetti with meat sauce, garlic toast, bread and butter.

of yellow roses and baby mums.

Following the ceremony, a reception was conducted at the Pigeon VFW Hall for 400 guests attending from California, Georgia, Kansas, Ohio, Illinois and surrounding areas.

The bride is a Registered Nurse in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit in Long Beach, Calif. She is graduate of St. Clair County Community College. Her husband earned a bachelor of science degree in engineering from Michigan State University and is working in technical sales in southern California.

Following a one-week honeymoon to the New England states, the couple is residing in Stanton, Calif.



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PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

"Grumpus Under the Rug," "The Hides It" and "The Animal" are stories that will be read to the children who attend Preschool Story Hour on Tuesday, Nov. 5. These stories all relate to imaginary animals, which is the theme for this week. Activities include Reach for the Ceiling exercises, Busy Hands and Finger Family fingerplays, a song and a musical game.

Since this is the first Story Hour of the month, the children are invited to bring a favorite toy to show the class during Show and Tell. Preschool Story Hour is conducted each Tuesday morning at 9 and 10:30 a.m. for all preschoolers age three to five. Annual registration is required.

RESEARCH AIDS

A good source of information for students writing research papers and reports is the verticle files at the library. These files contain newspaper clippings and pamphlets on a variety of subjects from agriculture to working mothers and a separate file cabinet holds information relating to Michigan topics.

The vertical files are located in the reference room and may be used by library patrons on a self-serve basis, or assistance is available from library staff.

The Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature is also another source for information. Magazines are retained for five years to give students the opportunity to research a subject from previous years. Assistance is also available when using this reference.

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Want to know more? Ask your librarian about the camera loan program from the library.

Club news

ELKTON EXTENSION

The October meeting of the Elkton Extension Club met in the home of Ruby Ewald Monday with Mrs. Don Dietzel presiding. The group was urged to write legislators relative to reflector tape or stripes on trains.

The program theme showed by Mrs. Ed Bumhoffer and Mrs. Glenn Faist was on "Fire Prevention." Two films were shown "Escaping Home Fires" and "Preventing Home Fires." Roll call was a caution to prevent fires.

Announcement was made of the Christmas Tea at the Farm Bureau Building, Bad Axe on Dec. 12.

The group is planning to visit Cass City on Nov. 18 to participate in the Area 14 International Night.

NEW BOOKS

Adult Fiction

"Queen in Waiting" by Jean Plaidy, "Contact" by Carl Sagan, "To See Your Face Again" by Eugenia Price, "The Legend of the Sain Soldiers" by Marcia Muller, "Herbs and Apples" by Helen Hooven Santmyer and "Blue Savage" by Earl Murray.

Adult Non-Fiction

"Elvis and Me" by Priscilla Beaulieu Presley.

"On the Road With Charles Kuralt" by Charles Kuralt, "Pigeon River Country - The Big Wild" by Gordon Charles, "Love and Money" by Sylvia Porter, "Ferraro: My Story" by Geraldine Ferraro and "Distant Replay" by Jerry Kramer.

Junior Adult

"Underdog" by Marilyn Sach, "The Incredible Cat Caper" by Kelly Roos, "Model Behavior" by John McNamara, "He Will Not Walk With Me" by Alice Bach.

Color analysts set holiday show

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVES OF d'Saison Creative Colour, Inc. and area merchants will present "A Holiday Celebration of Colour" on Saturday, Nov. 9 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Ugly Heights Country Club.

Pictured here representing d'Saison are from left, Betty Champagne, Aileen Ziehm and Gloria Stalter.

The show will include a hot buffet luncheon, followed by a presentation which will feature fashions with seasonal models, demonstration of color analysis and cosmetics, accessory usage, wardrobe planning and the first area showing of exclusive perfumes.



Prizes and gifts will be awarded. Participating merchants include The Clothes Closet, Country Casuals, Dibble's Village Shoppe, Georgines, Kent McKenzie Jewelers, Murray's of Bad Axe and Nancy's of Pigeon. Tickets are available at Ugly Heights, or by calling 883-2309, 656-7206 or 375-4085.



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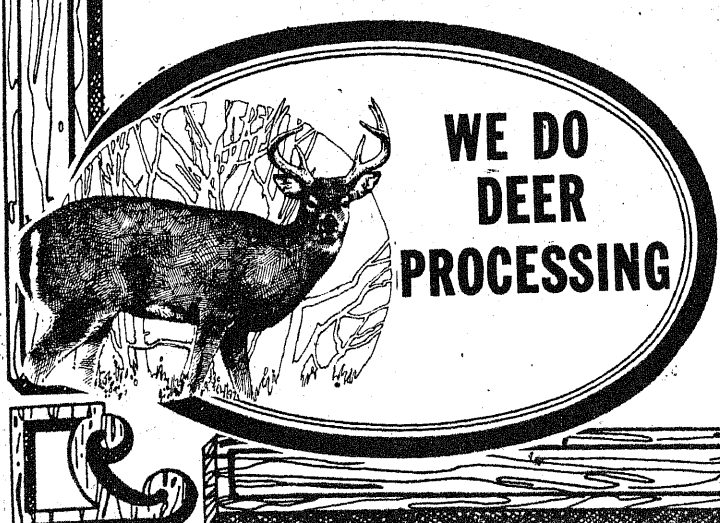
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Thumb club news

LUTHERAN CHILDRENS' FRIEND AUX.

The quarterly meeting of the Lutheran Children's Friend Auxiliary West Thumb Chapter #10 was recently held at St. John's Lutheran Church, Kilmanagh with 11 members and two guests present.

President Elsie Kern opened with Psalm 46 in union. A Reformation devotion was given by Mrs. Kern.

Vice President Dorothy Geyer introduced the speaker, Mrs. Carol Theis, a sociologist with the Caro Regional Center, who spoke of her duties at the center.

The minutes were read by Secretary Ida Haag. Treasurer Wilma Kovach gave her report. Cook Book Chairman Anita Gettel reported on the cook books. The Fall Convention was held Oct. 17 at Frankenth.

The Ways and Means Committee reported on the Rummage Sale, planned for Oct. 25 and 26 and Nov. 8.

The hymn "We Praise Thee O God, Our Redeemer Creator" closed the meeting. Lunch was served by the hostess group. The next

meeting will be at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville on Jan. 13, 1986.

ELKTON JUNIOR CLUB 59

The second meeting of the Elkton Junior Club 59 was conducted at the home of Jill Hedley on Oct. 21.

She spoke to the 14 women present on her years as secretary to President Gerald Ford in Washington D.C.

The business meeting followed, and plans for a Lunch With Santa were discussed. Lunch was served by the hostess and co-hostesses Sandy Zeiler and Lonna Fisher.

The next meeting will be Nov. 18 at the home of Donna Krohn.

Mary and Fred Grunert of Three Rivers were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh. Other Sunday dinner guests to celebrate their dad's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh and son Andy of New Lothrop.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh called on By and June Groff at Essexville on Thursday.

Nov. 6 -- Chandler Presbyterian Guild meets with Mrs. Roland Nelson.

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

The Elkton Senior Citizens met with 53 present at the weekly luncheon at the Elkton Civic Center. Harold Gregor led in singing the "Doxology" for the table grace. Red apples were at each person's plate, courtesy of Arnold Schweitzer's orchard. "God Bless America" was sung and the Pledge to the Flag given. The theme song was sung.

Harold and Bea Gregor conducted a sing-along. Kay Walker read the minutes of the last meeting, and read a letter concerning tours in the Cadillac, Mackinac Island and Traverse City areas. Flowers, vegetables and fruit were given away.

Program Chairman Edna Wakefield led in some stretching exercises before her starting her program. She used two pencil games to keep the minds working and read "In Praise of Small Towns" and an article on "Staying Well."

Next week Mike Renn will have the program.

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Pigeon folks visit

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Esch of Fairview spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Lena Swartzendruber. On Sunday they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swartzendruber, Mrs. Katie Albrecht, Mrs. Mary Ropp, George Keim and Dorothy Keim for dinner.

Mrs. Elvira Siewert, accompanied by Mrs. Mabel Clark, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Palmondon in Sebewaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fluegge, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shoaw, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rathje attended the CMU vs. EMU football game in Mt.

Pleasant on Saturday. They visited John Rathje, a CMU football player, following the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gascho visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Gascho in West Liberty, Ohio over the weekend.

Mrs. Frances Richmond called on Mrs. Katie Kipler in Caseville on Sunday.

Lake-Chandler news items

By MILDRED BALLAGH

Mr. and Mrs. John Bedford and son Bryce and friend Mark of Grand Rapids, Bonnie Bedford of Kalamazoo and Wanda Bedford of Lansing attended a birthday gathering for their mother, Lucy Dietzel at the Alvin Dietzel home on Saturday night.

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Sixty Seconds

My Father!

READ MATTHEW 6:7-13
Our Father who art in heaven... Matthew 6:9

A Roman emperor, after a brilliant military campaign, was returning in triumph to Rome. The kings and princes he had conquered were chained to his chariot as trophies of his triumph.

Cheering crowds filled the city's streets to pay homage to the conquering hero.

As the procession passed through the city's central thoroughfare, a little girl, wild with joy, dashed toward the moving chariot. The strong arm of a uniformed guard stopped her. "That's the chariot of the emperor," he said. "You must not try to touch it."

The little one replied, "He may be your emperor, but he's my father!" A moment later she was not only in the chariot, but clasped fondly in her father's arms.

Even so it is with us who have come to God through faith in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. While God may be the supreme Sovereign of all people, He is that and infinitely more to us who have found refuge in His Son.

He is our FATHER, who loves us and whose heart is always open to our prayers. Small wonder that Jesus taught us to open His prayer of prayers with the endearing words: "OUR FATHER, who art in heaven!"

Lord God Almighty, I thank You that You are my Father and I am Your child. May I return You love for love through Jesus Christ, my Savior! AMEN.

Tenor recital set at First UM

The First United Methodist Church of Pigeon would like to invite the public to a Tenor Recital this Sunday, Nov. 3 at 3 p.m., featuring guest artists pianist Barbara Dixon and tenor Timothy Caldwell.

Both are members of the music faculty of Central Michigan University, and their program will include works by Copland, Brahms, Verdi, Duke and Barber.

Dixon, Pigeon native and daughter of Dr. and Mrs.

Ralph Dixon, is currently an Associate Professor of Music at CMU. In addition to teaching, she has held clinics and performed in California, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Nevada and Savonlinna, Finland, as well as throughout Michigan. Her performances include solo recitals as well as chamber music and vocal accompanying.

Caldwell's career as a singer began while a high school student in suburban Detroit. He earned

bachelor's and master's degrees in voice performance at the University of Michigan while studying with John McCollum. After graduation he toured in Germany and Italy as a member and assistant conductor of a professional choir. Following his recital in Pigeon, he will appear as the Witch in the opera "Hansel and Gretel" produced by the Lyric Opera of Northern Michigan, beginning Nov. 13. A donation will be taken at the door.

ACS Huron County Unit meets Crusade goal

The Huron County Unit of the American Cancer Society had a delegation attending Program set at First UM

The First United Methodist Women are hosting a special program for two area churches and their women's societies on Nov. 7 at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Carol Hunt, Family Life Specialist of Huron County Social Services will be the featured speaker.

School menu

CROSS LUTHERAN
MONDAY: Pork roast, mashed potatoes, corn, applesauce, bread, milk.

TUESDAY: Hot dogs/fish sticks, fries, baked beans, jello with fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Stew, lettuce salad, bread, rhubarb crisp, milk.

THURSDAY: Pancakes, scrambled eggs, ham, applesauce/peaches, milk.

FRIDAY: Big Macs, fries, fruit, chocolate milk.

The purpose of the meeting is to salute the year-long successful Crusade, the strong Public Education efforts throughout the state, and to conduct the annual meeting. Mrs. Beers accepted an award for the Huron County Unit in recognition of meeting the Crusade goal. Volunteers in the county raised over \$42,000 during the 1984-85 year.

Mrs. Pechette was interviewed as a volunteer from a small county. The tape will be used in an effort to recruit volunteers to join ACS in the fight against cancer.

The keynote speaker was Ivy Gunter, a well-known

In concert...



CHRISTIAN MUSICIAN DON WHARTON will present a concert of sacred and contemporary songs on Wednesday, Nov. 6 at 7:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Caseville. He is known by thousands of people coast to coast for a relaxed yet challenging message in his music. The public is invited to attend. PHOTO FURNISHED

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Michigan anglers' favorite:

Bass are No. 1

What is the most popular sport fish in Michigan? If you guessed trout or chinook salmon, you are not alone.

But the favorite of Michigan's anglers is bass, followed by walleye and yellow perch. Those are the findings of a survey by Ed-

ward Mahoney and Daniel Stynes of the Michigan State University Department of Park and Recreation Resources, with Douglas

Jester, assistant chief of the Fisheries Division of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

Through anglers' preferences in fish may not sound all that important; they become critical factors in an economic and marketing segmentation study of sport fishing in the state.

For example, Mahoney says, many communities are currently competing for the salmon seekers' business because they are thought to be the anglers with the most money to spend. Because the study shows bass fishers spend as much per fishing trip as the more sought-after salmon anglers, many communities could attract more business by changing their marketing strategy.

It is found that the anglers' average age is 43, 76% are married and 64% of their spouses also fish.

The fact that most of the state's sport fishers live in urban and southwestern Michigan has led to state efforts to improve fishing opportunities in that part of the state, Mahoney says. The study's findings will be important in planning stocking programs and developing such facilities as boat landings.

Mahoney and Stynes sent a six-page questionnaire to a random sample of 40,000 of the state's 1.2 million licensed anglers, in and out of state. Because it requested information on an angler's most recent fishing trip and the goal was a representative survey, the survey was mailed in batches beginning in the fall of 1983.

The results will be released this fall in a series of reports dealing with basic licensing trends, the descriptive findings about anglers and a full market segmentation study.

Thumb Club news and notes OWENDALE WOMEN'S CLUB

Halloween Decor was the setting for the October meeting of the Owendale Womens' Club held Monday in the Home Ec room.

A potluck dinner was enjoyed by 12 members and six guests Mrs. Nancy Whaley, Mrs. Wendy Taabor, Mrs. Carol Stein, Miss Cindy Faust, Mrs. Eleanor Horst and Mrs. Elizabeth Fritz.

The business meeting presided by Mrs. Pat Enderle led the group in Pledge to the Flag and the Club Collect. A donation was given by the group to the village for purchase of new Christmas decorations for the coming holiday season. The club will make its annual cheese balls at their November meeting with proceeds to be used for community projects. Anyone interested in buying a cheese ball may contact any club member.

A door prize brought by hostess Mrs. Jeannette McDonald was won by Mrs. Arlene Enderle. The chance drawing brought by President Enderle was won by Mrs. Bonnie Gaeth.

The December meeting will be a tour of Meadowbrook Dodge House near Rochester for the Christmas meeting. Fruit boxes will be packed for shut-ins in November date to be announced later. The remainder of the club year activities were planned and new yearbook will be handed out at next meeting.

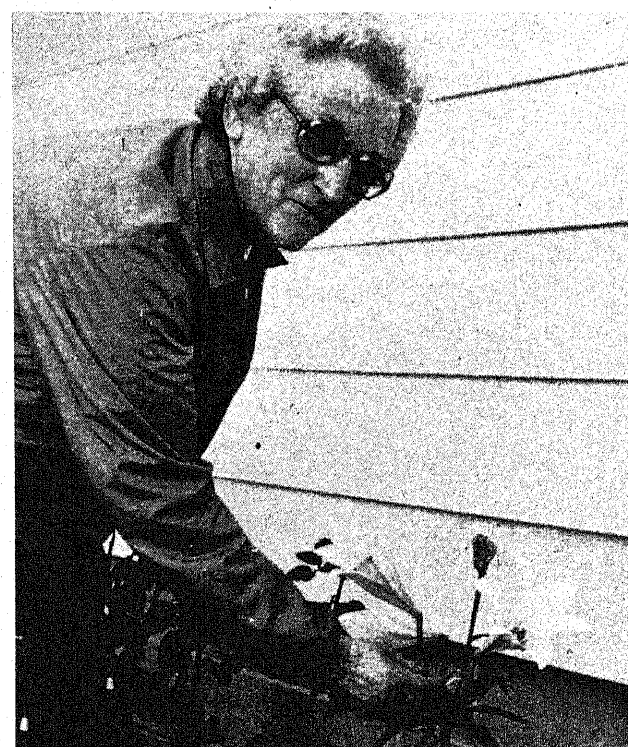
How does YOUR garden grow?



LOTS OF SWEET SUGAR BEETS! — These aren't exactly garden material, in fact, you probably wouldn't have room for these sugar beets in your garden! Chuck Anderson, left and Walt Rosenthal, right are holding two sugar beets that weigh in at 16 lbs. and 14 lbs., measuring 30 inches and 22 inches around, respectively. They were grown on the Wayne Anderson farm. LINDA FRITZ PHOTO



CATCH THAT CAULIFLOWER! — Probably not too many local gardeners can compete with the head of cauliflower Anita Voelker has in her hands — all 10 lbs. of it! Voelker also grew a 20 lb. Hubbard squash in her 1985 garden and claims she "did nothing special, just let the rain take care of it." CONNIE MADINE PHOTO



EDNA SCHULZ of Pigeon has an Easter Lily that just won't quit. She planted the flower in early spring now the lily has blossomed again, with three blossoms and two unopened buds. One flower even blossomed for a week! Her lily must have a calendar of its own because nighttime frosts are on the way. RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO



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This is addressed to the person who complained of the attitude of business people in Pigeon. The Pigeon Chamber of Commerce is trying to create a positive climate in our community.

If you are treated poorly by an employee, please contact the owner in person, by telephone or by letter and please let us know. If we are to correct these problems, we will need your help to keep improving our community. It is our commitment to our customers to be sure they are always satisfied. Thank you for bringing this to our attention.

Signod, Pigeon Chamber of Commerce. */*

Try the Village Qwik Stop's new sandwiches, if you haven't already. They're locally made and are much better than usual ones from sandwich companies, which are

'Pocket change' earned by Caseville School

The sale of several used items brought in a little pocket change for the Caseville Board of Education.

At its regular meeting on Monday, Oct. 21, the Board accepted the high bid of \$1100 by Bluewater Youth for Christ for a 1976 school bus in a re-bidding situation. The person who previously was awarded the bid never picked it up, requiring re-bidding, according to Superintendent James Stahl.

Three bids were received with a low bid of \$800. Board also accepted the \$411 bid of Greg Osborne of Cheboygan for a 10-inch table saw. Three other bids were received ranging to a low of \$132.50.

weeks old. These are fresh and very good. */*

I'm calling about the person asking what can be done about seeing trains at night. I'm a locomotive engineer out of Flint. I was going down the track one day at 8 a.m. in the morning. I was blowing the whistle, the flashers were on and the headlight was on, and the bell was ringing — and a guy still ran into my side.

What are we supposed to do? At night when you can't see far enough ahead, we try to always obey the law. It still comes down to the car driver. They've got to do their part, too. */*

For the person who is not from Caseville and doesn't care whether Caseville gets an airport or not: I think they'd better keep their nose in their own business. */*

There will be an exercise class starting Monday, Nov. 4 at 7 at Laker Junior High. Dance Gymnastics. Now will be the time for women who have been looking for a place to exercise to start. */*

It's too bad the Laker Boys' Freshman Football Team doesn't get more recognition. They haven't lost a game yet. Way to go, boys. */*

I wish grumpy customers wouldn't come shopping in Pigeon. It's hard to be friendly when you smile and "Hi, how are you?" are ignored. It only takes one customer to get you in a bad mood. */*

Thank God for the smiling, friendly faces who make up for the pickle faces. */*

Good food in Pigeon: A mature Christian will be careful not to cause someone to stumble. Alcohol is a drug! Wine is a mocker strong drink is raging; whosoever is decided is not wise. Prov. 20:1. A drunkard does not realize when he changes over from a social drinker to being drunk. No social drinker ever expected to kill on the highway, be arrested, go to jail, make children orphans and others crippled for life. */*

Dad's total abstinence in the home and restaurants may save a life. It may be your son or daughter or a neighbor or friend. Thank you, owners of restaurants in Pigeon for not having alcohol. */*

I recently saw books advertised for sale on television about the Vietnam experience of veterans in the U.S. And they're selling them for an enormous price. I think these should be given freely to the public, so all the people who put down the Vietnam vets will really see what they went through, all

SPORTS JOBS: Randy Bingham was again hired as boys' varsity basketball coach and Ken Grueske received the junior varsity squad. Athletic Director Paul Ellinger was given approval to seek bids on girls' softball uniforms.

TUITION: Out-of-district tuition was increased \$100 to a total of \$1100 per student for both elementary and secondary pupils.

OTHER BIZ: Board authorized Stahl to hire additional security personnel for the school during Oct. 28-31 to prevent vandalism to school property. He was also instructed to seek bids for snow removal for the upcoming winter.

the torture and agony they had to put up with. Too many people put them down and I feel we should do something about it. */*

Prospective Lake Huron Chapter, Sweet Adelines, Inc., is having a special guest night at Trinity United Methodist Church in Cass City on Monday, Nov. 4, starting at 7 p.m. Men, women and children are invited to visit us and see what Sweet Adelines are all about. */*

I know the macho truck drivers are really busy, but we need the speeding through town and the unsafe driving conduct during every sugar beet season? Someone is going to get killed if some stupid drivers don't think more before putting the pedal to the metal.

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General seeks to extend the amortization period for its embedded CPE investment from December 31, 1987 to March 31, 1989 if such extension is necessary to recover embedded investment.

The matter has been docketed by the MPSC as Case No. U-8220 and you may comment on this by sending a letter to the MPSC expressing your concerns and ideas. A member of the MPSC Staff will then contact you to discuss the various alternatives available to you to pursue this matter. Send your comments to the Michigan Public Service Commission at 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan 48910, and reference Case No. U-8220 — General Telephone Company. Your comments must be received by the Commission before November 9, 1985.

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Whiplash neck injuries are among the fastest growing health problems today. Common symptoms resulting from an untreated whiplash injury may include headache, neck pain and stiffness, stiff neck, muscle spasms, dizziness, pain and/or numbness in one or both arms, to name a few. A simple, painless spinal examination can quickly reveal if you can be helped by chiropractic. Knowing what causes whiplash tells us that derangement of the bones of the neck causes the symptoms. No whiplash injury was ever caused by a lack of medicine. Why be sick when you can be well?

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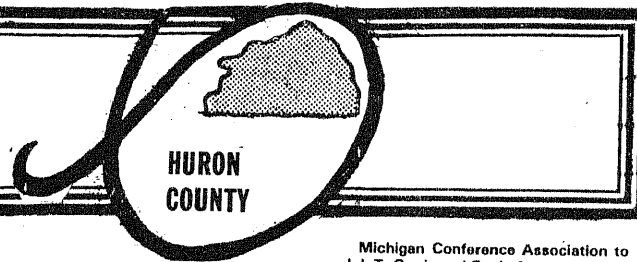
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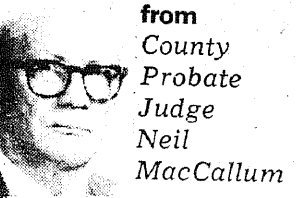
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Week of October 21
DISSOLUTION: Frank's Party Store, 4795 Port Austin Road, Casaville, MI 48725. By: Joseph C. Finan, Casaville, MI 48725. Filed 10/16/85.
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from County Probate Judge Neil MacCallum

JUDGE OF PROBATE

Week of October 17-23
Estate of Nellie Labella, Deceased, of Kinde - File 26,071 - Supervised Probate; Annual Account of Personal Representative filed.
Estate of Martha Kinkkila, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,329 - Supervised Probate; 6 Waivers and Consents filed.
Estate of Marcella Kladzyk, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,757 - Supervised Probate; 3 Waivers and Consents filed; Petition and Order for Authority to Purchase Personal Property filed; Order Allowing Final Account and Assigning Residue filed.
Estate of Esther E. Whitthouse, Deceased, of Sebawing - File 26,348 - Supervised Probate; Notice of Hearing

filed; Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed; Notice of Hearing filed; Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.
Estate of Helen H. Tobancz, Deceased, of Sebawing - File 26,619 - Independent Probate; Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.
Estate of Harold Helm, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 26,635 - Petition and Order for Assignment, Estate Not Exceeding \$5,000 filed.
Estate of John J. Gillingham, Deceased, of Bay Port - File 24,265 - Supervised Trusteeship; 3 Waivers and Consents filed; Order Allowing Account filed.
Estate of Lovdie Teschendorf, Deceased, of Port Austin - File 27,901 - Independent Probate; Publication and Notice of Hearing filed.
Estate of Edward A. Pasutin, Deceased, of Port Austin - File 27,791 - Supervised Probate; Inventory filed; Notice of Hearing filed; Inventory filed; Notice of Hearing filed; 2 Proofs of Service by Ordinary Mail filed; Order of Adjustment filed.
Estate of Frank H. Long, Deceased, of Sebawing - File 27,920; Will filed.
Estate of Rudolph Turcsek, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,685 - Independent Probate; Final Account of Personal Representative filed.
Estate of Robert T. Adams, Deceased, of Casaville - File 27,867 - Independent Probate; Inventory filed.
Estate of Mildred M. Janda, Deceased, of Kinde - File 27,902 - Independent Probate; Proof of Publication filed.
Estate of Howard Rathburn, Deceased, of Uby - File 27,888 - Independent Probate; Proof of Publication filed; Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.
Estate of Louise M. Duver, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 27,881 - Independent Probate; Proof of Publication filed; Order Determining Heirs filed.
Estate of Dorothy E. Knoll, Deceased, of Sebawing - File 27,552 - Independent Probate; 2 Inheritance Tax Receipts filed.
Estate of Joseph J. Fields, Deceased, of Florida - File 27,799 - Supervised Probate; First and Final Account of Personal Representative filed.
Estate of Floyd O. Sney, Deceased, of Elktion - File 27,614 - Supervised Probate; Petition and Order for Partial Distribution filed.
Estate of George A. Wagner, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 26,463 - Supervised Probate; Report of Sale of Real Estate and Petition for Confirmation filed; 2 Waivers and Consents filed; Bond of Fiduciary filed; Order Confirming Sale of Real Estate filed.
Estate of Claire A. Schauer, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 24,855 - Supervised Trusteeship; Annual Account of Co-Trustees filed.
Estate of John J. Indo, Deceased, of Port Austin - File 27,412 - Independent Probate; Closing Statement filed.
Estate of Leonard L. Goreski, Deceased, of Port Austin - File 27,921 - Independent Probate; Will filed; Petition for Confirmation of Proceedings filed; Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed; Register's Order filed; Bond of Fiduciary filed; Letters of Authority filed; Publication and Notice of Hearing filed.
Estate of Johanna Back, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 27,811 - Independent Probate; Claims Notice filed.
Estate of Thelma M. Ricker, Deceased, of Owadale - File 26,184 - Supervised Probate; Petition to Reopen

Estate to Assign Interest in Wickes Companies, Inc., Common Stock filed; Order Reopening Estate to Assign Interest in Wickes Companies, Inc., Common Stock filed; Bond of Fiduciary filed; Letters of Authority filed.
Estate of Colin Conquergood, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,299 - Independent Probate; Amended Inventory filed; Petition for Court Supervision filed; Order for Court Supervision filed; Letters of Authority filed.
Estate of Preston Murdoch, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 27,922; Will filed.
Estate of Joan Marie Guiter, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,832 - Supervised Probate; Order Allowing Claims filed.
Estate of Homer Edwin Hyde, Deceased, of Bay Port - File 27,731 - Supervised Probate; Order Closing Hearing of Claims filed.
Estate of Edward H. Hessler, Deceased, of Sebawing - File 27,564 - Independent Probate; Closing Statement filed.
Estate of George Schlick, Deceased, of Port Hope - File 26,839 - Supervised Probate; Order Closing Hearing of Claims filed.
Estate of Barbara Braun, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,893 - Supervised Probate; Proof of Publication filed; 17 Waivers and Consents filed; Testimony Interested Parties filed; Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed; Report of Sale of Will filed; Order Admitting Will to Probate and to Appoint Personal Representative filed; Acceptance of Trust filed; Letters of Authority filed; Order Determining Heirs filed.
Estate of Pauline Adamson, Deceased, of Port Austin - File 27,411 - Independent Probate; Amended Inventory filed; First Annual Account of Personal Representative filed; Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.
Estate of Arnold E. Neumann, Deceased, of Sebawing - File 27,547 - Supervised Probate; Order Allowing Final Account and Assigning Residue filed.

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Cheese, butter give-away at area locations

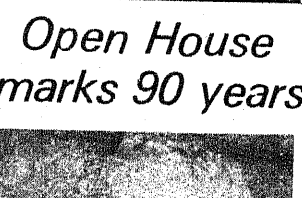
The Human Development Commission will conduct a Surplus Commodity Distribution next Thursday, Nov. 7 from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at three area locations.
Cheese, butter, powdered milk, flour and rice will be available for distribution at the Sebawing Village Park, Bad Axe Fairgrounds and the American Veterans' Hall, Port Hope. Individuals are asked to bring cardboard boxes to carry their commodities.
Individuals must report to the distribution site, in person, and present their Surplus Commodity Registration Card. Persons who are unable physically to go to the distribution themselves, may have someone pick up their surplus commodities ONLY if the Surplus Commodity Registration Card is shown. Surplus Commodity Cards will be obtained from the HDC offices. Persons are asked to call for an appointment.
The surplus commodities have been made available to the Human Development Commission, the local Community Action Agency, serving Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties from the federal government and is intended for personal consumption by eligible low-income families.

Thumb area OUTDOORS

Fishing in Michigan's Upper Thumb has continued to be good during the late fall. Weather has played a large part in keeping water temperatures at a level which keeps fish active, and provides fishermen with those idyllic days of clear weather and flat water. Most salmon are gone, but boat fishermen have been cashing in on coaster Brown Trout and Steelheads. Port Sanilac has been the best bet for the first, and Grindstone City the last. Perch anglers have been getting some nice-sized fish all along the shore.
When you did your income taxes last year, most of you noticed a check-off box for contributions to the Nongame Wildlife Fund. Ever wonder what happens to such a fund? Some of it was used to finance a field study on the state's threatened and endangered birds, and the results were just published by the DNR. The good news was that breeding pair counts for Bald Eagles, Ospreys, and Double-Crested Cormorants were at an all-time high. The survey spotted a record 125 pairs of nesting eagles in Michigan last summer, and they produced 117 young. Ospreys had 144 nesting pairs which produced 224 young. Not all results were in the good news category. The Loon, a long time symbol of wilderness, has declined dramatically and the survey only discovered 300 nesting pairs. This is considerably lower than any previous year, and the prediction is that the Loon is in serious trouble.
Waterfowl hunting continues to be good as the

Open House marks 90 years

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WOODS and WATERS

By DUANE GUENTHER



Retrievers

Each year, the Michigan Duck Hunter's Tournament held at Flat Rock is of special interest to me.
Not only do I get a chance to see expert decoy carvers at work, but there is also a hip boot race, shooting contest, a giant flea market and best of all, the retriever trials.
Dogs of all colors and shapes show up with their master to pit themselves against other competitors in a contest that tries to simulate hunting situations. Prior to the contest, the ready grounds are a hub-bub of activity. Labradors, black, yellow and chocolate, buff colored Chesapeake and Golden Retrievers make up the bulk of the species, with the Lab being the most popular dogs.
There is always a lot of whining, sniffing, growling and a few wild tussles to live up to the starting area.
The contest is simple. A dog owner brings his dog to heel at the starting point. Across a small pond, a judge throws a canvas dummy into the air and another judge discharges a shotgun to give the situation a little taste of reality.
While under the constant scrutiny of a number of judges, the owner gives his dog a line, and sends him on retrieve. The dog is then judged on how well he holds the line on the way out, how quickly he makes the retrieve, how well he holds the line on the way back, and finally, how he delivers the dummy to the owner's hand.
The sad thing about such contests is the fact that the rules are made by men and not dogs. Things like how smart the dog is doesn't seem to come into play, but rather, blind obedience is rewarded with a blue ribbon.
Most of the hunting dogs that I have owned were much smarter, and knew more about hunting and retrieving than I would ever know. Therefore, as long as they knew their place, and would come when I called them, we got along fine and they taught me a few things. It was refreshing to know that many people who were at the trials must have felt the same way.
On this particular day, all the dogs were behaving in the proper manner, and it was apparent that both the judges and the spectators were becoming bored.
When the next dog came to the ready position (a beautiful Black Lab bitch who was in her first contest), the dummy judge (that's what he really turned out to be) decided to let his 12-year-old daughter toss the next dummy in the air.
Since the judges were on a little spit of land, they had been tossing the canvas dummy towards an island located in the middle of the pond. This way, the dogs had a lot of water to work with and the viewing was excellent for the spectators.

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The owner hesitated, and the crowd boomed. The problem was unfair indeed and he felt he should be granted another toss. Again the judge signaled the retrieve, and again the crowd boomed.
The owner crouched, pointed his outstretched arm in the direction of the dummy, and gave the command, "fetch." The dog started towards the water, veered left and followed the shoreline at a dead run.
He reached the dummy in a flash, turned and scampered along the shoreline on the way back, came to his master on the left side, circled behind him in the classic fashion, and sat by his right leg waiting to release the dummy.
The judge held up his score card, and written on it was a large "10." The crowd, mostly men and probably all hunters, jumped to their feet and began to verbally work the judge over as if he were a referee at a local high school football game.
It was obvious to all of us the dog had just done exactly what any intelligent human would have done, that was to take the path of least resistance. The uproar became so loud, the judge signaled for another toss.
This time the dummy hit the center of the pond with a splat, and the young dog performed a perfect retrieve. The judge wrote on his card, and held it high for the crowd to see. There emblazoned in bold, black strokes was a "10."
The dog got a standing ovation....

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LUCKY HUNT — for the hunter, that is. Brad Dubs of Elkton tagged this eight-point buck with a bow and arrow right behind his house last Tuesday.
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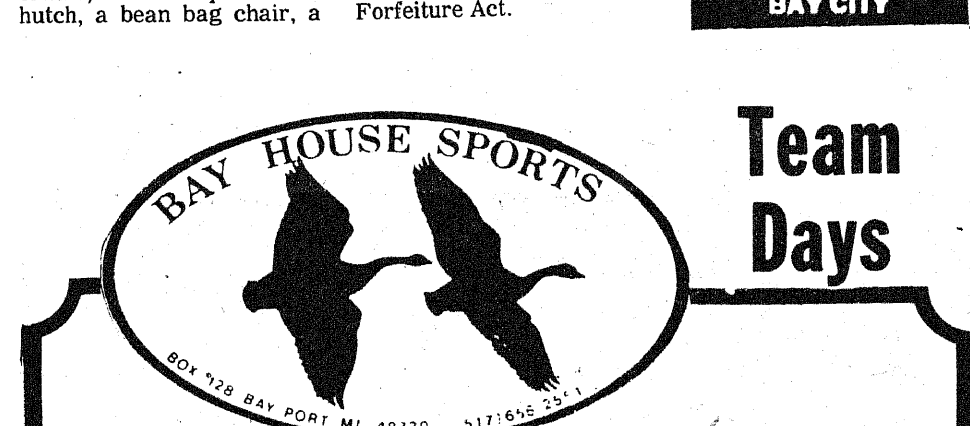
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In addition to the usual items auctioned such as cameras, bikes, radios, stereos, TVs and jewelry, several unique items will be offered, including a baby under the state cradle, an antique china hutch, a bean bag chair, a snow blower and two canoes.
Terms are cash and the items must be removed on the day of sale. The auction ends when the last item is sold.
Last spring's auction netted more than \$40,000. Items offered are either lost or recovered property or have been forfeited to the state under the Narcotics Forfeiture Act.



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Vikings out-run Eagles in hoop blowout

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER
For the first eight minutes of play, Caseville's girls basketball kept pace with the Lady Vikings of Akron-Fairgrove last Thursday, but the Eagles ended up getting pounded, 65-40. After trailing, 16-12, at the end of

the first quarter, the Vikings took control of the game while pouring in 18 points while holding Caseville scoreless for nearly six minutes of the second stanza.

Akron-Fairgrove widened its 36-20 halftime lead to 52-25 at the end of the third quarter with a full-court press on defense and an effective fast break on offense.

Caseville Coach Randy Bingham admitted his team was beaten at its own running game. "They're much quicker than we are," said Bingham about the Vikings. "Our whole program's based on the fast break and pressing, and when you get a team that's going to fast break better than you, what can you do? We were going to go to a control-type tempo game in the second half, but the kids just couldn't handle that."

"This year we always hit one bad stretch in every ball game, and that bad stretch basically cost us the ball game," noted Bingham.

Tina Bieri hit a dozen points to lead Caseville scorers in the game. The Lady Vikings were paced by Jen Stekl with 16 points and Jen Foster with 14.

WIN AT KINGSTON: Caseville started the week with a 64-44 victory over Kingston in the Eagle gym last Tuesday.

Chris Barton lit up the scoreboard for Caseville with 28 points. Michelle Stahl added 13 points and 17 rebounds, while Bieri hit 10 counters in the Eagle win.

The Lady Eagles led 31-22 at halftime, and iced the game in the final period with a 19-5 scoring advantage.

THIS WEEK: The Eagles were slated to host CPS on Tuesday with no game scheduled on Thursday for

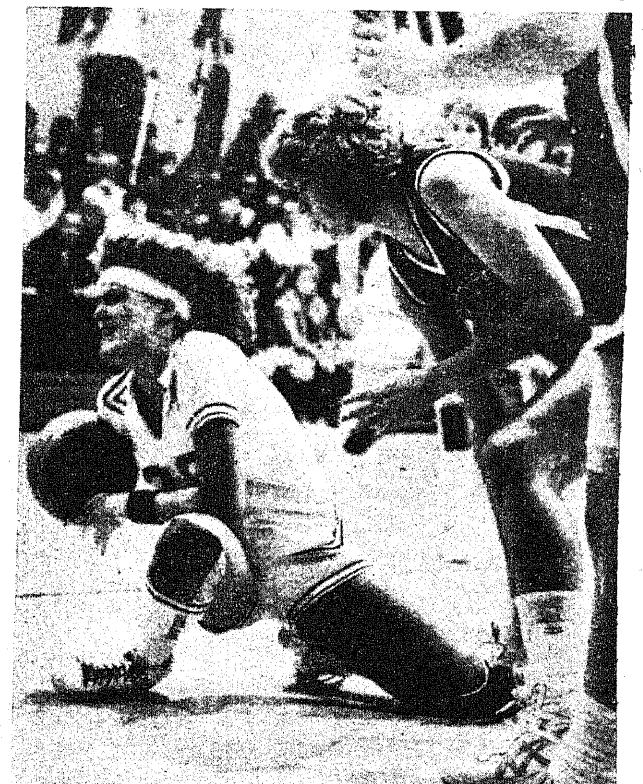
Caseville. Next Tuesday, Nov. 5, Caseville travels to Peck.

JVs LOSE: Akron-Fairgrove edged the junior

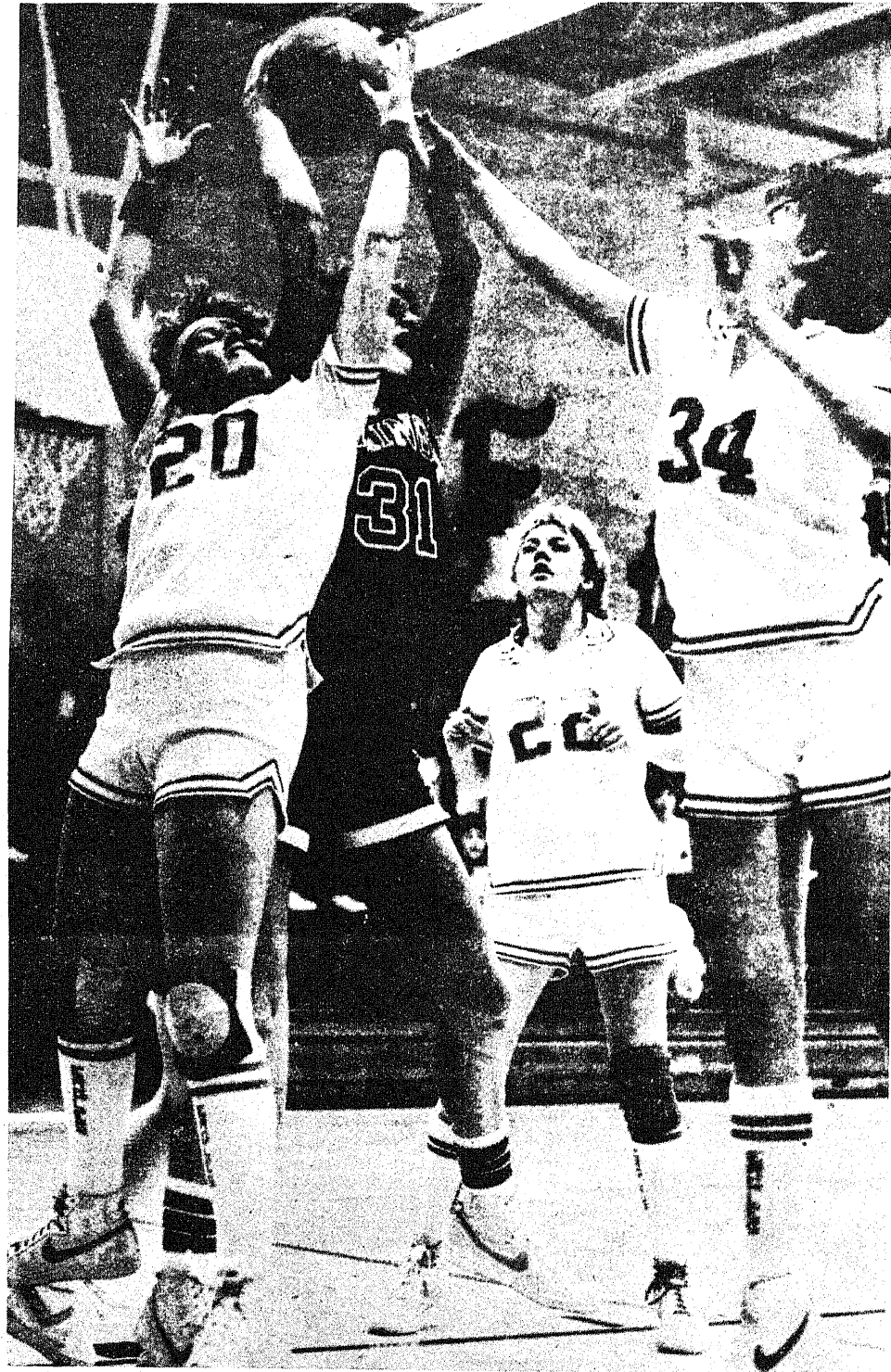
Eagles 26-24, with Amy Conrad taking scoring honors for Caseville with nine points.

Last Tuesday, Caseville

bowed to Kingston by a 50-39 margin. Krista Colgin netted 19 points for the Eagles in a losing cause.



PAINFUL POSSESSION: Caseville's Gail Gembariski seems in agony trying to keep the ball away from a pair of Akron-Fairgrove defenders.



IT'S MINE! Gail Gembariski (20) and Michelle Stahl (34) of Caseville lay claim to a rebound, while Viking Carol Childs (31) has other ideas about who the ball belongs to. Looking on is Michele Ballard (22). RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTOS

Eagles score 32 in second half to defeat North Huron

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

The Caseville gridders did their part to grab a share of the North Central Thumb League championship by upending North Huron 32-6 last Friday night. Decker-ville, however, kept their league mark perfect with a 23-3 victory over Kingston to claim sole possession to the NCTL trophy.

"I think we had a really successful season," said Eagle mentor Gerald Winkler. "We were only one point away from the championship," he added in reference to Caseville's narrow 7-6 loss to Decker-ville.

Fumbles and costly penalties helped stall Caseville first-half drives against North Huron in Kinde.

The Eagles trailed 6-0 at halftime, after North Huron quarterback Kevin Knoblock

scattered 40 yards for a touchdown on a broken pass play in the first quarter.

Caseville took charge after halftime with three touchdowns in the third quarter. Fullback Greg Langley opened Caseville scoring with an eight-yard scoring run. Eagle running back Ray Johnson then added two more six-pointers on runs of seven and 50 yards.

Quarterback Tony Seagraves added the final Caseville touchdown on a one-yard keeper.

Langley ran in the first three PAT conversions, and Seagraves added the fourth on a run.

Caseville piled up all of their 401 yards on offense with running plays. Seagraves was 0-5 with passes. Greg Langley rushed for 200 yards in 25 carries and Johnson added 181 yards in 18 carries.

The Eagle defense allowed only 70 yards on the ground and 44 through the air by the North Huron offense.

Caseville lost possession three times on fumbles, while Eagle defender Pat McKenna recovered one North Huron fumble.

John Winkler led the Caseville defense with eight tackles and Bob Siegfried pulled down Warrior ballcarriers seven times.

North Huron's Al Craig recorded 13 tackles and Kevin Knoblock added 12.

Knoblock was the leading Warrior groundgainer with 41 yards in three carries, and completed 7-12 passes and tossed two interceptions.

The air was filled with yellow flags during the game. Caseville was whistled 11 times for 135 yards in penalties while North Huron was penalized 15 times for 175 yards.

Lakers crush Spartans, 35-7

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER
A weak Imlay City football squad was no match for the Laker Green Machine last Friday night. The visiting Lakers routed their Spartan hosts, 35-7, to finish their Thumb B schedule tied for second place with Caro.

Laker fullback Ken Ziel scored a pair of touchdowns on runs of 90 and 50 yards, as the Laker offensive line dominated play in the pits. Chris Eby and Chad Seley each crossed on the goal line once on runs of four and 67 yards respectively for the winners.

Laker quarterback Mike McArdle tossed a five-yard TD pass to Eby for the fifth Green Machine touchdown.

Randy Heckman was perfect on all five PAT kicks for Lakers.

Lakers piled up 353 yards rushing in 40 carries and 104 yards through the air. Ziel was the leading Laker groundgainer with 241 yards in 11 carries. Seley rushed for 101 yards in 10 attempts and Eby gained 60 yards in 11 carries.

McArdle completed five of 12 passes for 62 yards, while reserve quarterback Jay Anthes connected two of three times for 30 yards. Chris Eby also completed his only pass for 12 yards on a halfback option play.

Imlay City gained 242 yards on the ground and 62 through the air.

Lakers picked off three pass interceptions and Eby recovered a pair of Imlay City fumbles, and Brian Parrish recovered a third Spartan fumble.

"We weren't too fired up for the game," admitted Laker Coach Bill McLellan. He noted it is often hard for his players to "get up" for a game with some of the weaker teams Lakers play after facing quality competition such as North Branch during the season.

After completing Thumb B play, McLellan thinks for just a moment about what could have been.

"If we would have beaten Vassar and ended the year with just one loss, we might have made it into the playoffs," he reflected. As it situation stands, however, his team will have to settle for a two-way tie for second place in the Thumb B, and a chance at a 7-2 season if they defeat Harbor Beach in a final non-conference game this Friday.

JVs WIN BIG: Imlay City was blanked 38-0 by the Laker Jayvees last Thurs-

day on the Laker gridiron. Chris Deering opened Laker scoring with a nine-yard touchdown run in the first quarter. Paul Elenbaum hauled in a four-yard TD pass from quarterback Dean Roestel to give Lakers a 12-0 lead at the end of the first period.

Deering again scored with a six-yard run in the second period. In other scoring before halftime, Brian Kohl and Sean Parrish tackled an Imlay City player in the end-zone for a safety and Roestel

tossed a 40-yard scoring strike to Jeff Sturm.

Kevin Truermner ran for a 23-yard touchdown in the third quarter. Parrish ran in the final Laker TD in the final stanza on a 23-yard run.

Dan Bivvns was the top Laker groundgainer with 102 yards in eight carries.

On defense, Neil Nuncio and Kel Hill each registered 12 tackles.

The JVs record now stands a 7-1.

FROSH PERFECT: The

Laker freshmen gridders pounded Imlay City 42-0 in their season finale to post a 5-0 record.

Vince Gentile scored twice and Kevin Wolfram, Mike Kosinski, Ed Bach and Jamie Randall each recorded touchdowns for Lakers in the game.

Wolfram, Mark Kretschmer and Troy Forster were each one-for-two in two-point conversions.

Bach rushed for 127 yards to lead the Laker offense.

Defensive play keys Laker win over league-leading Marlette

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

When Laker Coach Paul Beachy said he thought his girls' basketball team was one of the best in the Thumb B Association while sporting a 1-5 league record, some people might have chuckled. However, it was Beachy who was smiling after last week's league action.

Lakers started the week on Tuesday night with a 48-27 whipping of lowly Imlay City, and followed that by handing Marlette its first league loss of the year. The Green and White squad upended the Raiders, 53-50, on Marlette's home court.

The Laker Ladies led the whole game against Marlette. The visitors out-pointed the Raiders 22-15 in the first half and widened the margin to 38-27 at the end of the third quarter. Laker defenders then shut off a Marlette comeback bid in the final quarter to claim the win.

Beachy employed a box-and-one defense to hold Marlette star shooter Maria Long to just 12 points in the game. Laker guards Patti Thiel and Lisa Buschlen took turns shadowing the player Beachy calls an "All-State candidate."

"Right now we're at a high point, but we're not going to gloat over Thursday night. We're going to go right back at them Tuesday night," Beachy said after the game.

He termed the win over Marlette "a real confidence-builder" because it marked the first game his team won this year when the score was close.

Junior center Julia Sturm led Laker scorers in the game with 18 points and also pulled down 11 rebounds. Susan Kersten pulled down eight rebounds and Vicki

Winter added five assists for the winning visitors.

Marlette scoring was led by Deb Ross with 15 points and Rhonda Hart with 13.

SPARTANS SMEARED: Sturm led Lakers with 16 points and teammates Winter, Lisa Baumman and Deb Ginter each added eight in a balanced attack that saw eight different Lakers score in the game.

Kathy Lengemann led Imlay City scoring with 16 points.

THIS WEEK: Lakers host Vassar on Tuesday and Caro on Thursday for a pair of Thumb B games.

Laker runner qualifies for state meet

Laker Cross Country runner Kelli Damrow qualified for the Class State Finals, scheduled this Saturday, Nov. 2 at Cass City. Damrow earned a spot in the meet with a 15th-place finish in the regional meet last Saturday in Port Huron with a time of 22:06.

Runners in the State Meet

JVs STILL UNBEATEN: The junior Lakers ran their league mark to 8-0 and overall record to 12-1 after a pair of victories last week.

EPBP defeated Imlay City, 41-29 on Tuesday, and followed that with a 47-24 victory over Marlette on Thursday.

Angie Herford led Laker scoring with 12 against Imlay City.

Mary Kay Smith netted 12 points and Jenny Bollenbacher added 10 against Marlette.

FROSH LOSE: Unionville-Sebewaing freshmen upended Lakers 28-20 during action last week.

will compete on a course at Rolling Hills Golf Course, located next to Cass City High School.

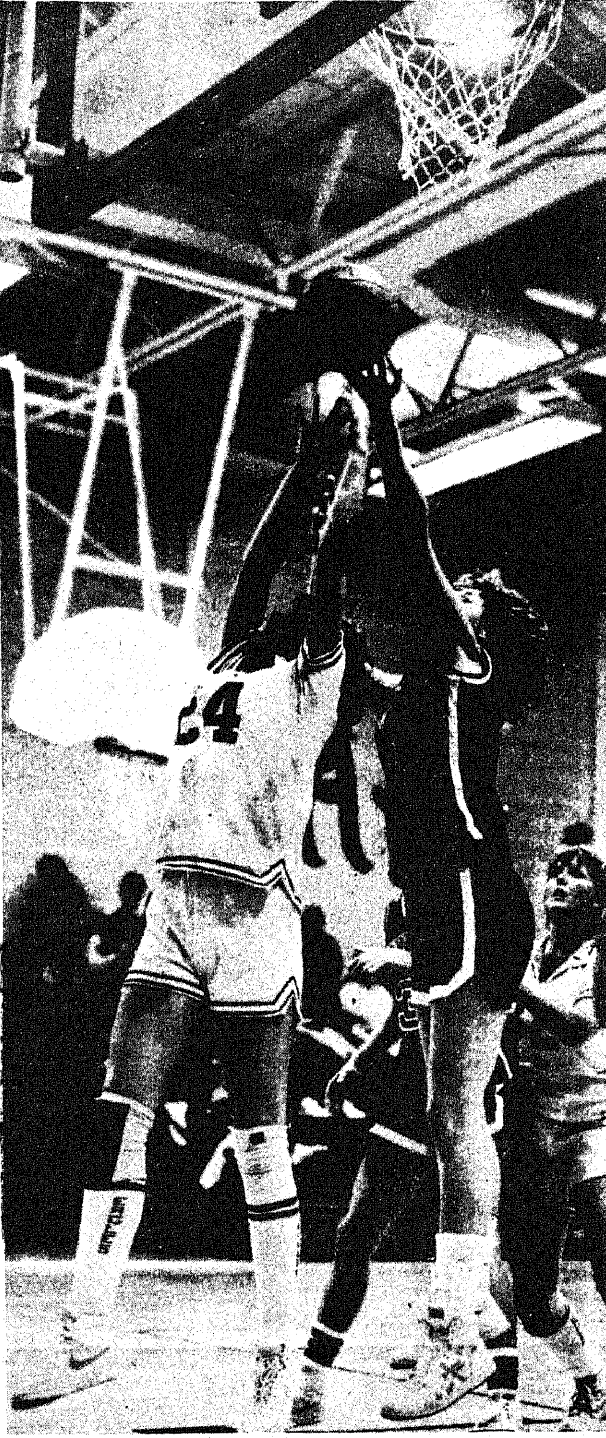
The boys team run is scheduled for 12:30 p.m., with boys individuals at 1:10, girls team at 1:50 and girls individuals at 2:30.

The awards ceremony is slated for 3:30.

STANDINGS

Girls' Basketball	
Thumb B Association	
North Branch	7-1
Marlette	7-1
Caro	6-2
Vassar	4-4
Bad Axe	4-4
Lakers	3-5
Imlay City	1-7
Cass City	0-8
North Central D League	
Decker-ville	10-0
Akron-Fairgrove	10-1
Peck	7-4
North Huron	6-5
Caseville	4-5
Port Hope	4-5
Kingston	3-8
CPS	2-7
Owen-Gage	0-11

Football	
Final Standings	
Thumb B Association	
North Branch	7-0
Lakers	5-2
Caro	5-2
Vassar	4-3
Bad Axe	4-3
Cass City	2-5
Marlette	1-6
Imlay City	0-7
North Central D League	
Decker-ville	7-0
Caseville	6-1
Peck	5-2
Kingston	4-3
North Huron	2-5
Owen-Gage	2-5
Akron-Fairgrove	2-5
CPS	0-7



TOO TALL for Caseville's Erin Barton (24) is this Akron-Fairgrove player as the pair leap for rebound under the basket. RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

Laker grad runs for GV Lakers

Laker graduate Troy King recently placed 10th at the Grand Valley Invitational to help the Grand Valley State College Mens' Cross Country Team to title in the event.

The Grand Valley Lakers edged University of Detroit to win their won invitational, 30-32.

TN wins fourth straight

Thumb National Bank boosted its record to 4-0 in Bay City Recreational Women's Basketball with a 59-36 victory over Michigan National.

Bernie Morneau netted 18 points to lead Thumb National scoring, while teammate Tammie Sanders added 16 points and 13 rebounds. Kim Haldane helped with 14 points and six rebounds.

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1. This game lasts the length of the High School regular season schedule. Weekly prizes are: FIRST \$10 in gasoline; SECOND 8 pak of pop, and THIRD 32 oz fountain drink. GRAND PRIZE is two Detroit Lions football game tickets, with top three entries each week placed into Grand Prize drawing for December football game.
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Middle row, Mark Chandler, Todd Roestel, Vince Gentile, Kevin Wolfram, Mark Kretschmer and Tom McGee.
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THUMB AREA DEATHS

HARRY F. LOUNSBERRY 1914 - 1985

Harry F. Lounsberry, 71 of Bay Port, passed away Sunday, Oct. 27 at Scherer Hospital, Pigeon, following a long illness.

Mr. Lounsberry is survived by a son, Robert of El Paso, Texas; six grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. Claude (Althea) Carpenter of Berkley and Mrs. Bernard (Mildred) Zimmerman of St. Clair Shores. One son, Frederick, and one sister, Mrs. Helen Bohnsack, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. on Tuesday at Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebawaing. The Rev. Randy Chamberlin officiated, with burial in New Bay Port Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Bay Port United Methodist Church.

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

1986 budget. The U.S. House has deleted funding for the Harbor Beach and 12 other stations, but state senators have restored reassurances that money for the facilities may be returned into the overall Coast Guard budget.

VERONA RESIDENTS TO VOTE A special township election is scheduled next Tuesday, Nov. 5 to decide whether a 40-acre parcel on Philip Road should be rezoned from agricultural to industrial.

POLICE BLOTTER NEWS Four tons of corn - measuring four feet in depth in some places - was dumped on Dickerson Road last Thursday in an apparent attempt to reduce a truck weight before going on Tuscola County weighmaster's scales.

Mark Karls will save their marriages... stop being lazy, or something like that? Well, sort of. The most common norm of behavior today is feeling first, then action.

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Pigeon folks visit, travel

By DOROTHY DIENER
Spending Thursday and Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Leipprandt was Robert Leipprandt of Midland.

Mrs. Cletus Cregeur visited Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Cepak in Bay City. Her granddaughter Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewandowski and family of Munger came to visit at the Cepak home.

Mrs. Frank Deming reports that her father, Wilmer "Bud" Squires is a patient at Huron Memorial Hospital, following knee surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hamilton are happy to announce the birth of a new granddaughter, Renee Marie on Oct. 24, born to Mr. and Mrs. Dave (Betty) Auerhammer of Frankenmuth.

Coming to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collison and Fred were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sattler and Beth Ann of Bay City.

These officers of the

CLCW Women of Cross Lutheran Church attended an Officers Workshop at Grace Lutheran Church, Saginaw on Saturday: Mrs. John Avalos, Mrs. Richard Milton, Mrs. Martin Schuette and Mrs. Ernst Henkelmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean and children were in Crosswell Saturday to spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robinson and Albert Jr. spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. James Casey and children in Cass City.

Johnnie Finn of Kinde was a Saturday visitor with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartman. Wednesday callers were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Damm.

Spending the weekend with Pastor and Mrs. Ernst Henkelmann were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker of Detroit.

Visiting Mrs. Elsie Bolzman of Sebawaing on Sunday were Mrs. Ella Ziel, Mrs. Clara Gettel, Mrs.

Florence Quick and Mrs. Amanda Strauch.

On Tuesday and Wednesday Mrs. Elsie Kern visited relatives and friends in the Reese-Richville area. She was an overnight guest of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krause.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Freeman were Thursday callers of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Manyen and Patrick in Bay City.

Mrs. James Dutcher of Warren was a last week guest of her mother, Mrs. Ann Schuette while her husband went duck hunting in the area.

Lowell Swartzendruber and daughter Sonia of Saginaw were Saturday guests of his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Swartzendruber.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelmer Wright attended the Mitin-Miller wedding in East Lansing, then visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wright in Westland.

BOWLING

TUESDAY CLASSIC LEAGUE

Carling	19
*Arlen's Duck Inn	19
Kretzschmer NC	16
Steinman Agency	14½
Pigeon Inn	14
Pioneer Cablevision	14
Dutch Kettle	13½
Pigeon Lumber	13
Active Feed	11
*Osentoski Ford Tractor	10½
Bob Smith Builders	10
Ralph's Tavern	9½
*Incomplete	

MONDAY MAJOR LEAGUE

Walsh Packing	15
Damm's Inc.	14
Pigeon Motor Sales	14
Pigeon Lanes	13
Bay Shore Collision	13
Carling	11
Brighton Metal	11
J.O. Wurst Tiling	10
J & B Pig.	10
Bay Shore Realty	9

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LADIES LEAGUE

Miller High Life	25
Thumb National Bank	24
Bay Port State Bank	23½
Ralph's Tavern	23
Huron Excavation	20
Bay Port Construction	20
Village Qwik Stop	17
Haist Flowers	17
Varty's	15½
Vollmer Ready-Mix	12
Damm's	11
Pigeon Inn	10

(188), R. Sweeney 465, W. Dubs 465, J. Abbott 462 (178), M.L. Fluegge 457, D. Deming 452.
Splits: 2-7 F. Richmond, A. Elbing, D. Yahn; 3-10 F. Richmond; 3-5-10 N. Wichert; 4-5-7 F. Richmond; 5-6 C.J. Damm (2); 5-6-10 S. Heck; 5-10 J. Vollmer-Lubeski, T. Gnagey; 7-9-10 D. Quick.

PIGEON WOMANS' AFTERNOON LEAGUE

Pigeon Lanes	12
Pigeon IGA	11
Basinger Poultry Farm	9
Grigg Greenhouse	9
Schember Poultry Farm	9
LaFave Steel	8
Sohigro	7½
Beachy Eggs	7
Town & Country	7
Moss Builders	7
Diener's Home of Fine Furn.	5½
Shoreline Snowplowing	4

TY'S SUNDAY NIGHT ROLLERS

Finkbeiner Farm Equip.	11
H & R Block	9
Miller Lite	9
Ty's Bowling	8
G & W Repairs	8
Hitching Post	7
McBride's Tiling	7
Shoreline Snowplowing	5

FRIDAY NIGHT MENS' LEAGUE

Albrecht Auction Service	22
Caseville Fruit Market	19
Active Feed	16
Co-op Elevator	15
Pigeon Lanes	15
Silver Dollar	9

Market 2487 (862-828), Co-op Elevator 2456 (841-824), Silver Dollar 891, Pigeon Lanes 853, Active Feed 837.

High individual scores: J. Dubs (211), C. Basinger 550 (224), R. Graf (202), D. Rapson 527, T. Sears 518, Dubs 513 (204), T. Gunden 505, R. Dams 503, C. Kauffman 503, D. Ropp 201. Splits: 5-10 R. Nowaczyk; 5-6-9 Reed; 2-5-7-8 E. Shepherd; 3-10 C. Kaman, D. Rapson.

ELKTON THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES

Elkton Co-op
Knechtel's Market
Ty's Bowling
Sally's Ceramics
Ron's Party Store
Town Edge Farms
Elkton IGA
Bud's Bar
High team scores: Knechtel's 17 (669).
High individual scores: P. Podloskow 530 (198-189), M. Erer 494 (171-171), D. Seley 177, L. Jaworski 174, J. Roki 170.
Splits: 2-7 S. Cunningham; 3-10 Seley.

PIGEON THURSDAY NITE LADIES

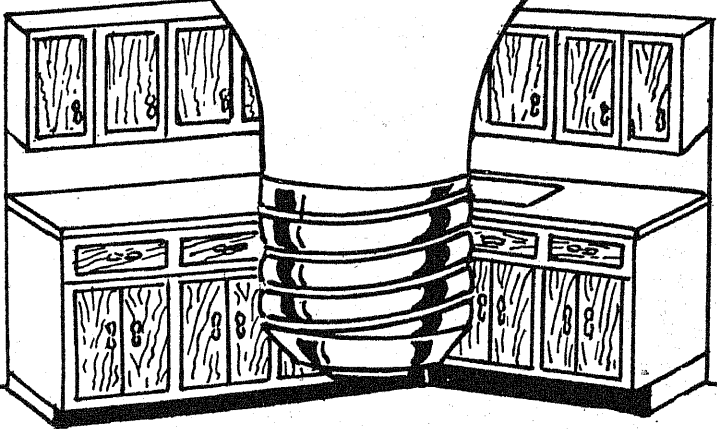
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Gary's TV
High team scores: Brighton Metal 251 (939-802), J & B Pig. 2226, Pigeon Auto Supply 2208, Rapson Foster Care 810.
High individual scores: E. Rounds 56 (223-179), L. Welshans 544 (216-170), Stahl 515 (178-171), W. Kovachs 50 (193), D. Maust 500 (188), M. Ropp 50 (187), E. Gunden 499 (180), K. Thomas 487 (185-184), C.L. Dubs 487 (182-181), A. Lackie 481 (197), A. Albrecht 48 (172-171), D. Strauch 460 (178), A. Dubs 189, J. Gotts 186, E. Turner 178, W. Rapson 172, J. Sturm 172, P. Niebel 171.
Five consecutive strikes: L. Welshans E. Rounds.
Splits: 2-7 W. Kovachs, D. Basinger; 3-10 J. Sturm; 5-10 B. Pobanz; 3-10 G. Smith, Wolfgram; 5-7 E. Guster; 5-6 J. Dunn 5-6-10 L. Elbing; 5-7-9 E. Rounds.

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Behnke bowls on the Sunday Guys and Dolls Mixed Doubles League at Blue Water Lanes in Harbor Beach.

Other 550 and higher series bowled were: Mary Ann Carder 568, Bad Axe Lanes; Joanne Morell 562 and Sharon DeLong 559, Charmont Lanes, Cass City; Rejo Walters 551, Bad Axe Lanes.

Club news

TOWNLINERS EXTENSION

The Townliners Extension group met Monday, Oct. 21 at the home of Mrs. Betty Schulze. Co-hostess was Mrs. Donna Weiss.

Thirteen members were present. The meeting was opened by Mrs. Ruth Hamilton. The secretary and treasurer's reports were read by Mrs. Verda Dast and accepted. It was voted to give \$100 to the Leader Dog School.

The lesson of "Drug and Alcohol Abuse" was given by Mrs. Verda Dast. Lunch was served.

The Nov. 18 meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Donna Weiss.