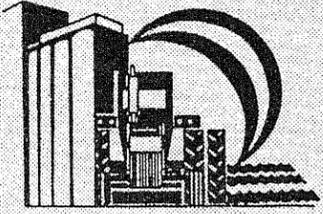


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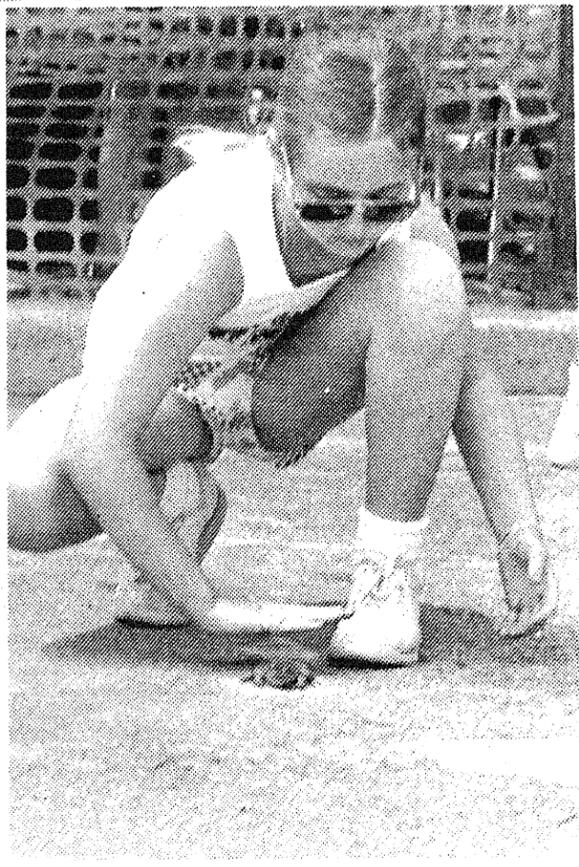
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*From Museum dedications, to Dressed up guys,
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Sync-ers to Mud Volleyball and to Queen Kris,
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SUNDAY, AUGUST 2
2:00 p.m. Rodeo
Adults \$3.00 — Children 5-11 \$1.50
Under 5 Free
6:00 p.m. Midway opens
8:00 p.m. Chitwood Thrill Show
12 & Older \$4 — 5-11 years \$2.00
Under 5 Free

MONDAY, AUGUST 3
9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show
12:00 Noon Midway Opens
Ride as you wish for \$7
5-11 p.m.
7:30 p.m. Horse Pulling - Arena
12 & Older \$3 — 5-11 years \$2
Under 5 Free

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4
9:30 a.m. Open Horse Show
9:30 a.m. 4-H - FFA Judging
Youth Livestock Judging Hogs
Open Class Hogs & Beef
Arena - Sheep Show
11:00 a.m. Midway Opens
Kids' Day 11 a.m.-5 p.m. - Rides Reduced
1:00 p.m. Youth Beef Show
1:30 p.m. Harness Races
7:00 p.m. Pickup Pull
12 & Older \$4 — 5-11 years \$2
Under 5 Free

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5
Arena - Youth Open Dairy & Goat Show
Rabbit & Poultry Show
12:00 Noon Midway Opens
1:30 p.m. Harness Racing -
Standard Bred Series
7:30 p.m. Sweepstakes Contest -
Arena
7:30 p.m. Grandstand - Crowning
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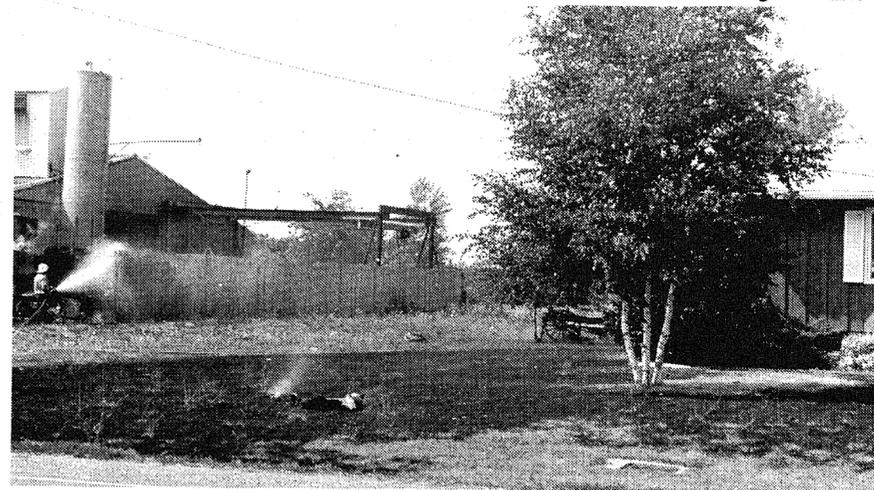
THURSDAY, AUGUST 6
12:00 Noon Midway Opens
12:00 Noon to 11:00 p.m. Family Day
4 Rides for \$2
1:00 p.m. Livestock Sale - Arena
1:30 p.m. Harness Races Colts Stakes -
Gold Series
7:00 p.m. Tractor Pull
12 & Older \$4 — 5-11 years \$2
Under 5 Free
7:30 p.m. Arena - 4-H Talent Show &
4-H King & Queen Contest Crowning

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7
9:30 a.m. Draft Horse Show - Arena
12:00 Noon Midway Opens
1:30 p.m. Harness Racing
7:00 p.m. - Arena - Gay 90's Carriage
& Draft Horse Hitch Classes
7:30 p.m. The Chicago Knockers Mud
Wrestling
12 & Older \$5 — 5-11 \$3
Under 5 Free
Special Attraction - Members of the
Fair Board will challenge the girls at the
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 8
12 Noon - Midway Opens
10:30 a.m. Kids' Games
12:00 Noon - 5 p.m. Kids Day
One Price for Day \$7
1:30 p.m. Pony Pull - Arena
12 & Older \$3 — 5-11 years \$1.50
Under 5 Free
6:00 p.m. Demolition Derby
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EXPLOSIVE FIRE: A combination of exploding acetylene tanks and dry conditions in the Pigeon area caused some anxious moments for folks in the Berne area last Wednesday. Five tanks containing fuel for welding and cutting torches at Berne Enterprises exploded setting several grass fires which burned to the edge of LeRoy Wurst's house, which is adjacent to the business. Pictured above Winsor Township firemen hose down additional acetylene tanks to prevent more explosions while an exploded tank and burned grass in the foreground show how close the fire came to the Wurst house. RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

TOURISM BOOSTERS START
The Thumb Area Tourism and Recreation Council laid the groundwork last week for its plans to market Huron, Tuscola, Sanilac and Lapeer Counties to tourists. In the four-county group's first meeting, officers were elected and bylaws established for future operations. Thumb Growth Alliance Manager Carl Osentoski is the Council's new chairman, and Huron City Museum Director Chuck Scheffner is vice chairman of the 21-member group. Four subcommittees - marketing, finance, strategic planning and education - will meet periodically to establish a theme and series of goals to "help promote the Thumb as a travel and recreation area for the state," Osentoski says. Huron County Council members are Scheffner of Huron City, George Beadle of Caseville, Chris Duffey of Port Austin, Bob Brobst of Harbor Beach and Huron County EDC Director Ralph Iden of Bad Axe. The overall group will next meet on Tuesday, Aug. 25, in Marlette.

NEW IMAGE FOR BREWERY

The former Geyer Brothers Brewing Company is being readied for new life as Frankenthumb Brewery, Inc., as \$3 million in renovations continue. Fred Schumacher, president of the brewery which was sold to Ervin Industries, Ann Arbor, for \$365,000 in May, says the project will provide brewing capacity up to 50,000 barrels a year - that's 1.5 million gallons of foamy beer. Specialty beers will be produced, including seasonal brews such as Oktoberfest beer and Christmas beer. When renovations are complete, the M-83 Main Street brewery will have picture windows so Frankenthumb passersby can watch operations from the sidewalk, Schumacher says.

AWARENESS DAY AUG. 10

Sebewaing is the host town for the fifth annual Huron County Awareness Day, coming Monday, Aug. 10. A group of tourism and industrial boosters, headed by County EDC Director Ralph Iden head up the annual event, designed to show lawmakers, lobbyists and other governmental leaders the many advantages found in the Upper Thumb. An informal evening reception Sunday, Aug. 9 is planned at the Sleeper State Park Nature Center, coordinated by Bob Easterbrook. On Monday, invited participants can go Walleye or Perch fishing, play golf, take aerial or bus tours of industries and farm operations - and enjoy a 6 p.m. barbecue dinner at Sebewaing Village Park. Awards will be presented to participants following the dinner, and local business displays will be shown. For more information, contact the Huron County Awareness Day Committee in the County Building, Room 307, Bad Axe, or by calling 269-6431.

FAIRGROVE MAN GUILTY

Bryan S. Huizar, 27 of Fairgrove, remains in the Bay County Jail without bond, after he was found guilty last week of sexual assault in an Aug. 17 incident involving a Bangor Township woman in her home. Huizar faces a maximum penalty of life in prison, following the Bay County Circuit Court jury trial before Judge Eugene Penzien. Huizar has also admitted to at least one prior felony conviction, a larceny in Tuscola County, Bay County officials said. No sentencing date was set, pending background reports and reports from the probation department.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

In 73rd District Court, First Division (Huron County), Judge John Schubel recently heard these pleas and made these determinations:
■ Gary P. Horn, 46 of Caseville, pled guilty to a charge of assault, following a July 16 incident on Sugar Maple Drive, Caseville, involving a Caseville Township woman; sentenced to 60 days in the Huron County Jail;
■ Marian D. Anzewski, 34 of Caseville, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$450 fines and costs and 90 days' license suspension;
■ Ralph L. Palmer, Jr., 36 of Troy, pled guilty to drunken driving; sentenced to 30 days in jail, \$650 fines and costs and loss of driving rights for two years, following an incident in Sebewaing Township;
■ Earl J. Krohn, 47 of Elkton, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$450 fines and costs and 90 days' license suspension;
■ Duane L. Dexter, 19 of Elkton, pled guilty to attempted jail escape, following an incident at the Pigeon Sheriff's substation on May 27; sentenced to 90 days in jail, to run concurrently with term already being served.

'Summertime Fun' at Fair!

Fun in the "good, old summertime" will abound at the 119th Huron Community Fair starting its annual seven-day run this Sunday, Aug. 2 through Saturday, Aug. 8 at the Huron Community Fairgrounds, Bad Axe. Kicking off an action-packed week on **SUNDAY, AUG. 2**, will be a 2 p.m. rodeo, with official opening of the midway at 6 p.m., and the Chitwood Thrill Show at 8 p.m. Then, the midway will reopen each day at noon. **MONDAY** morning, has been set aside for the annual 4-H Horse Show, beginning at 9 a.m. Evening fairgoers will find unlimited rides from 5-11 p.m. for one low price and Horse Pulling is the evening's arena entertainment, beginning at 7:30 p.m. **TUESDAY** is the first of a four-day ag concentration that will run from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily. Featured are poultry and sweet corn products introducing the Agri-Land menu. An Open Horse Show and 4-H FFA Livestock Judging are scheduled for 9:30 a.m., and carnival riders will find midway prices reduced from 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Afternoon and evening activities include a Youth Harness Show at 1 p.m., Harness Races at 1:30 p.m., and a Pickup Pull at 7 p.m. **WEDNESDAY** has been reserved for beef and fish displays at Agri-Land, with a Youth small livestock show in the arena. Lovers of horse races will be able to see Standardbred Harness Racing on the track at 1:30 p.m. Evening grandstand activity centers around the crowning of Huron County's 1987 Bean Queen at 7:30 p.m., followed by a unique Sesquicentennial program featuring Uby's Jubilee Singers. **THURSDAY** is Family Day on the Huron Community Fair midway, with everyone invited to see, smell and sample Huron County pork, bean and sugar beet products at the Agri-Land exhibits. Livestock go on the auction block at 1 p.m., and Harness Races go back on track at 1:30 p.m. Evening activities include Tractor Pulling at 7 p.m., and a 4-H Talent Show at 7:30 p.m. Concluding Thursday's activity slate is coronation of the new 4-H King and Queen in the evening show. **FRIDAY** will see Draft Horses move into the main arena at 9:30 a.m., with dairy, berry and lamb producers teaming up to make mouth-watering exhibits in

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OBSERVATIONS BY CO-PUBLISHER MARK RUMMEL AND ANYBODY ELSE HE CAN GET TO WRITE 'EM!
WOW! - We'd ALL like to see some rain, but that doesn't seem possible these days. The hot but dry Pigeon Farmers' Festival weather was dandy for spectators, but our farmers are losing HALF their crops right now... or more!

Special thanks for TREMENDOUS photo work goes to our News Editor, Rich Swartzendruber. His efforts are seen all over our pages this week, and we thank him sincerely.

Also, thanks GREATLY to the advertisers listed on the bottom of our photo pages. Their contributions help make so many pictures possible.

While we're naming names, I'd like to mention OLIVER NORTH, who some are lauding as a hero these days for his stop-at-nothing goal of providing money to fight communism in Latin America.

Many folks admire him and even say he should run for public office. I think they're missing the obvious, though. He BROKE the law and LIED while carrying out his job. Doesn't that matter?

I think it DOES matter. I too admire his dedication, but we won't exist as a country if our leaders are directed to do one thing, but they employ a quiet little secret group to do quite another...

Finally, my favorite story of the week appeared in a recent Detroit News. It talked about a Brigham Young University study of rest room habits.

A female student researcher hid in a women's rest room stall with an "out of order" sign on the door. Of 19 women who assumed they were alone, only three washed their hands.

But when someone else was visibly present in the room, 18 of 20 washed, the survey showed.

Morale: people usually don't wash their hands when leaving the rest room - unless someone is watching!

WISH I'D SAID THAT - "Remember when bicycles and chickens came fully assembled?" (Karl Hertz)

Shown on Page 1, Clyde Leitermann of Bach (photo in upper right corner) presented authentic railroad tunes at the dedication ceremonies for the Pigeon Historical Museum Thursday, one Farmers' Festival highlight. All other photos should be self-explanatory or described elsewhere in this issue!

Commissioner Kuhl named to Board

Huron County Commissioner Bruce Kuhl of Sebewaing was recently elected to the National Association of Counties Board of Directors, according to Michigan Association of Counties officials. Kuhl was chosen at the 52nd annual NAC Conference held in Indianapolis, Ind. OFFICES: Kuhl has served on the Huron County Board of Commissioners for nine years, including one term as chairman and two as vice chairman. He has also served on MAC's Service Corporation Board of Directors and is currently chairman of MAC's Finance Committee. OTHER POSTS: Kuhl was recently named to the DNR Wetland Permit Process Board by DNR Director Guyer, and has been active in fishing organizations, a



As we see it editorially

Here's a tasty way to support kids!

You're invited help support local farm youths, in a way that's beneficial to them AND you -- and that's enjoyable at the same time, too.

Next Thursday, Aug. 6, the annual Junior Livestock Association Sale of 4-H and F.F.A. projects will be conducted, as part of this year's Huron Community Fair in Bad Axe.

"Projects" is a generalized way of describing a year's work for local young people -- raising animals for beef and veal production, as well as swine and sheep.

Those youngsters -- from throughout the entire county, mind you -- have given their all to raising the best animals they can, and it's SO important to them that an adequate number of buyers are at the Junior Livestock Sale, starting at 1 p.m. next Thursday, in the Fair grounds Arena building.

In past years, too few animal buyers have been on hand, and some of the hundreds of hours of effort seemed to go unappreciated. Some of the youngsters thought NO ONE wanted to buy the animals they raised so lovingly and so skillfully.

You can help change that, and get some delicious eating at the same time. The sale will

be conducted by the Michigan Livestock Exchange of Cass City. They can assist you in having your purchase slaughtered and prepared as you wish. It's a good bargain, and an excellent contribution to the expenses that young person has spent in marketing his or her animal.

You see, everybody wins when livestock projects are sold. The Junior Livestock Association gets 2 1/2% of all sales, to help improve livestock facilities, recognize buyers and to sponsor educational workshops and programs.

It may be hard to believe, but at least 241 animals -- raised by hundreds of Huron County youngsters -- will be offered for sale next Thursday. That includes 96 beef cattle, 22 cows for veal, 59 sheep and 64 pig entries. That's a LOT of animals, a LOT of young folks' efforts... and a LOT of delicious eating ahead, if you can come and buy animals.

Some persons even buy animals just to re-sell them, absorbing a few dollars of expense to help make a youngster proud and happy.

There are better investments possible, but not many.

If you can't be there next Thursday, send someone for you -- or have a friend buy one animal for himself and another for you. That's what local youngsters deserve.

From the Pigeon, Elkton, Caseville, Bay Port and Western Thumb Area, in fact, more than 117 LOCAL animals will be offered for sale -- nearly HALF the entire county's production.

Come and enjoy the fair, and buy an animal or two. Share the meat with a neighbor, friend, family member -- or make arrangements with a local food pantry. Everyone will benefit.

And local F.F.A. and 4-H members will never forget your kindness...

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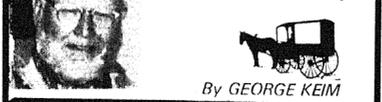
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RECOLLECTIONS OF By-Gone Days



By GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR:

Time does have a habit of passing by and a person does get older everyday. Things do change and I don't know if people are happier than they were back in the old days or not.

It's very dry and hot right now and I often hear people say they never saw it so dry and hot like it is now. But when you ask them how old they are they are still quite young because they can't remember back in 1936 or some other year since they weren't around.

I was talking with Henry Brueggeman and he said he remembers when the ground cracked even in the bean fields.

It was that way one year when I worked for a farmer who had sent me out with a corn knife to cut weeds along the fence row and I could push the blade of the knife down a crack in the ground. It was later in the year some us fellows were talking about how dry it was and one fellow tried to tell us it was so dry that a chicken fell in a crack in the yard.

Even back then people told some very "tall" stories and I let him know he was telling a lie.

I remember once Elkton had a homecoming and I went and had 25 cents. I saw the parade and had a ferris wheel ride and a hamburger and an ice cream cone and still had 10 cents left.

There were a lot of people there and everybody was having a good time.

Then I was in Pigeon once

and they had a Harvest Jubilee and a nice parade. Norman Estine had several nice big horses in the parade and some people led some real nice colts down the street.

There were a lot of people there and it rained and they had a very loud speaker and they played the "Prisoner's Song" and "Sidewalks of New York."

One old man was drunk and they locked him up in that jail they still have in town.

There were a lot of places where you could spin a wheel and win blankets or a bag of groceries and a lot of people lost all their money and still didn't get anything.

Well, all along these last years all the towns have had their homecomings and celebrations and I always had a good time. It usually costs a lot of money to get things together but people always like it and have a good time.

This year's Farmers' Festival isn't over yet but so far I've enjoyed it very much and I'm sure a lot of other people have, too. When you can hear local people give a song program and hear such dandy music, it sure makes a fellow feel good.

Everybody wishes it would rain. In Matthew 5:45 it says, "For he maketh his sun to shine on the evil and good and sendeth his rain on the just and the unjust."

So it doesn't matter if you're good or bad when the Lord tells it to rain, it will rain.

SINCERELY YOURS,
GEORGE KEIM

NEWS DEADLINES:

News stories and photos should be submitted to The Progress Advance by 9 A.M. MONDAYS, for that Wednesday's issue.

By turning in stories sooner, we'll have more time to work on them, to do a good job for you... THANK YOU!

And, please remember advertising deadline is 12 noon each Monday. Want ad deadline is 2 p.m. Monday.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

We welcome your letters to the editor, on subjects of general interest to Progress-Advance readers and local residents. All letters should be received by 5 p.m. Friday for consideration to be published in the following Wednesday's issue.

Submission grants the right to reasonably edit or condense such letters, while maintaining the direction, style and purpose of the writer's intention.

Please submit only original letters. We will not publish copies of letters sent to other newspapers, nor do we publish photo-copies of such letters. Please include an address and phone number for verification.

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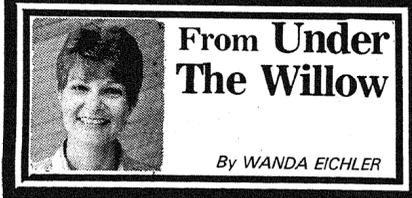
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From Under The Willow

By WANDA EICHLER

Pigeon's treasures --

The Library and Depot Museum

The grass is always greener on the other side of the fence, right? Well, the Pigeon area may be experiencing a drought and have little green grass right now, but believe me, when it comes to libraries and museums, the grass is definitely greener here!

Pigeon area folks can be very proud of a fine library and now of the new Pigeon Historical Depot. Both are treasures to be nurtured and used here in the Western Thumb.

Thursday's opening ceremonies at the Pigeon Historical Depot were a highlight of the Farmers' Festival. Despite the heat, a number of folk turned out to "do the depot up right" and share in the festivities. Representatives of village and county government, historical society members and area residents participated in the formal opening of the newly renovated museum depot. Strains of railroad songs like "Casey Jones" reminded the group of the museum's one-time life as the depot at the junction.

Pigeon Historical Society members, under the leadership of President Marie Leipprandt, have put lots of hours, work and worry into the depot museum and their efforts are well worth the support of the community. They'll be open on Sunday afternoons this summer. Stop by and walk through a slice of Thumb history made vivid by the displays. If you're lucky, you might find George Keim there and have a chance to chat with him about the farm tool display or maybe someone will be playing Florence Schlucter's beautiful Kimball parlor organ! Knowing the past gives a more balanced sense of the present and future. The museum will welcome your visit.

A second treasure we share is the Pigeon District Library. Supported by Pigeon and surrounding townships, the library is literally a showcase for the State of Michigan of what a rural small town library can be. State Senator Jim Barcia reminded the folks gathered to honor retiring librarian Roberta Richmond of just that fact on Sunday afternoon, as he presented Miss Richmond with a legislative proclamation in her honor.

Miss Richmond has seen the library through two expansions and guided it through numerous special events. Story hours, quilt and craft shows, books for lunch, senior citizens' movies -- under Roberta's guidance, the Pigeon District Library has been involved in the community. Backed by capable library board members with loads of ideas, service clubs willing to give and cooperative government agencies, the library has grown and now serves us well.

Both of these treasures need our support. Now would be a good time to say "Thanks for a job well done" by making a gift in Miss Richmond's honor to the library. Now would also be a good time to applaud the work of the Pigeon Historical Society by contributing their work at the museum depot. Checks can be made out to the library or left with new librarian Naomi Jantzi. Al "Butch" Robinson, Pigeon Historical Society treasurer, would be glad to receive gifts for the museum. If you address both people at Pigeon, Michigan 48755, your checks will reach them.

Our area is made richer in community by the presence of these two fine places. Let's support the library and the museum so that they can continue to serve us.

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Call 453-2323 anytime, 24 hours a day, so we receive your call by 10 p.m. each Sunday. Or, write your comments to SOUND-OFF, P.O. Box 589, Pigeon, MI, 48755, or drop them off at The Progress-Advance office.

We as parade watchers were disappointed not to hear and see the Laker Band at the Farmers' Festival parade. This is certainly a very visible loss due only to the millage defeat.

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Classmates: be sure to come to the Rock City School Reunion at the Elkton Civic Center, Sunday, Aug. 9 1 p.m. Bring your own table service, dish to pass and beverage. Thank you.

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We need a flashing stop light at the Bay Mini-Mall corner. After all, it's much busier now than some corners that have gotten there recently, like south of Elkton.

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They don't barbecue farmers during the Farmers' Festival, they barbecue former farmers during the Farmers' Festival, since they are becoming more and more plentiful.

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Wednesday Night Ladies League Bowling meeting is Wednesday, July 29 at 7 p.m. at Pigeon Lanes. All members and anyone interested, please attend or call Bea A. or Grace F. Thank you.

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Going on the Farm Woman's Appreciation Tour was a morning well spent. Thanks, Co-op employees, for a job well done.

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In our common needs, is there a better answer? Dry weather, sickness, the need for our land and lives to be blessed. Reading: 2 Chronicles 7: 12-14 and 20: 1-22; James 5: 13-20 and John 10 (Jesus said). In The Bible.

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I know a way to get rid of these terrible candidates for president who offer more of the same: instead, why not Col. North for president?

★//★

I have learned the toughest job around, picking raspberries. It takes nimble fingers, or else they squeeze together and slip out of my hand.

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Marriage vows should be changed these days. Instead of saying "until death do us part," it should read "until somebody better or different comes along."

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To people wondering: yes, God is indeed real. He's not a fable, or just a story, but he is invisible. When he becomes visible on earth again is the day we will all have to give account of our sins. Think about it.

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I was sorry to see no baby contest in Pigeon this year. It made money, was fun and showed us some cute pictures of the little ones.

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Farm Fest recalled in photos



QUEEN AND COURT: From left, Third Runner-up Cathy Worst, 1987 Pigeon Farmers' Festival Queen Kris Elenbaum, First Runner-up Rhonda Baur and Second Runner-up Ami Rathje are all smiles after being named as festival royalty during the Friday evening stage show.



WHISKERED WONDERS: These contestants have fun showing off their facial hair in the beard contest.



PEDAL PUSHER: Chad Sturm gives his best effort in the kiddie tractor pull.



AT LEFT: Many hand-made quilts were admired at Pigeon District Library's Quilt Show.

ABOVE: Kent Tibbits and son Lance admire the baby chicks at the Kids' Petting Zoo.

**ALL FARMERS' FESTIVAL PHOTOS
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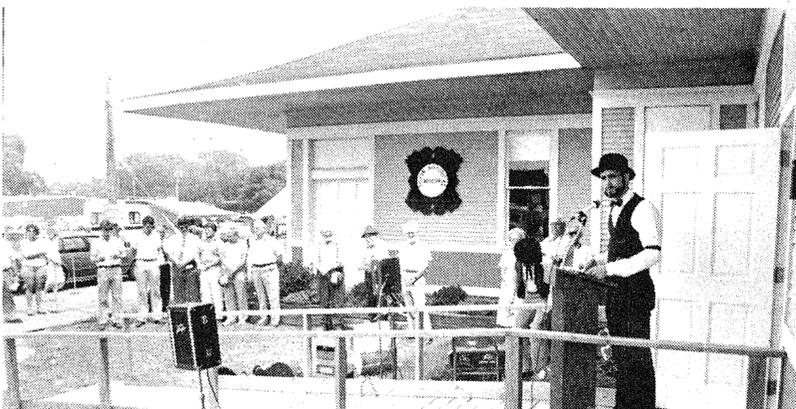
CLOCKWISE FROM UPPER LEFT: Kathy Clabuesch and Tammy Fritz find it hard to blow a bubble with gum as part of Anything Goes Games.

Mainstreet performs at the Friday night stage show.

The Co-op Elevator team took the pioneer spirit with this horse and covered wagon as part of the children's parade on Friday.

Debbie and Emily Sting pull this giant birthday cake in honor of Michigan's Sesquicentennial.

This vehicle, provided by J & B Plumbing, insures the driver won't have to make any "pit stops" during the Grand Parade.



DEDICATION: Pigeon Historical Society Treasurer Al "Butch" Robinson relates a bit of local history during dedication ceremonies for the Pigeon Depot Museum last Thursday.



LEADER OF THE PACK Chuck Krohn is mourned by Mindy and Rachael Krohn and Kalee and Jody Bruce in the lip sync contest.

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Festival Foto Fun



KEEPING COOL: From left, Joyce Warren and Angie, Peggie and Don Roestel brought their own shade to watch the Farmers' Festival Grand Parade with temperatures in the mid-90s.



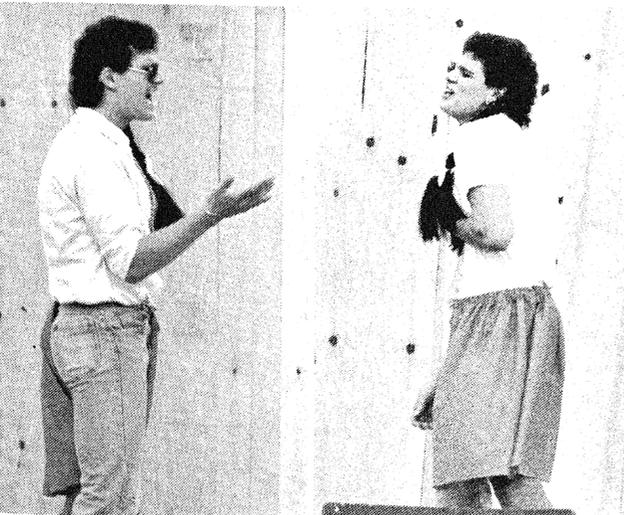
LAUNDRY RACE: Dean Roestel pushes a laundry cart containing Lisa Buschlen during one event of the Anything Goes Games.



CAKE CUTTING: Mutual Savings President Bruce Cook, left, and Pigeon Village President Dave Geiger cut the birthday cake as part of Mutual's centennial celebration while Pigeon Chamber of Commerce President Mike LePage, back left, and Huron County Commissioner Dale Wertz look on.



GOSPEL TUNES: From left, Marv Maust, Lee Gascho, Dwight Gascho, Lynn Maust and Lee Shetler, better known as the "Heavenly Host Band" provide some instrumental music as part of the Thursday night Gospel concert.

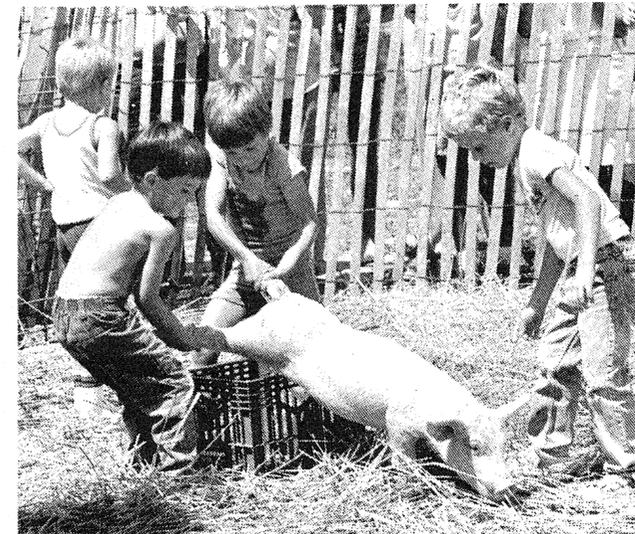


AT LEFT: The Northwest neighborhood float recalls a scene from early Michigan with lumberjacks, indians and fur traders.

ABOVE: Portraying the role of both the male and female soloists in the song "All Cried Out" was accomplished by Dean Fuerst with this costume during Pigeon Farmers' Festival's first lip sync contest.



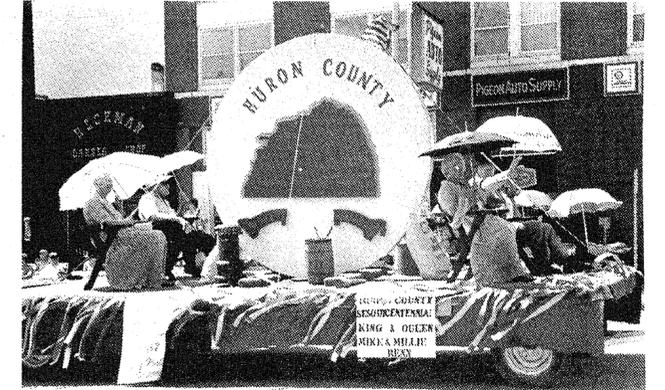
GRAND MARSHAL: Ted and Peg Lepprandt greeted friends along the Farmers' Festival Parade route as honorary leaders of Huron County's biggest parade.



TEAMWORK: These boys work together to put the slippery animal in the bucket as part of the greased pig chase.



FAMILY FUN: Stan Gascho of Pigeon gets some help from grandchildren Jeremy and Kyle Gascho to drive this old John Deere as part of a group of two-cylinder tractors in the Grand Parade.



AT LEFT: George Keim and Kent McKenzie compare whiskers as the oldest and youngest men entered in the beard contest.

ABOVE: Huron County's Sesquicentennial King and Queen Mike and Millie Renn of Elkton as well as Hugo Lepprandt and Lillian Lepprandt use umbrellas to keep cool from the scorching sun.



AT RIGHT: Judge Roy "Hang'em high" Lawrence fines Mutual Savings employees for not wearing Farmers' Festival buttons during Mutual's centennial celebration last Friday.

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Pigeon District Library

Parents and small children are invited to attend the special program. A registration fee of \$5.00 per family is requested, to help in the cost of craft and party materials.

STORY HOUR GRADUATION

If your preschooler is to enter kindergarten this fall, Preschool Graduation for those children has been set for Aug. 18 from 9:30 to 11 a.m.

All preschool children and their parents are invited to attend.

Parents are asked to return the Preschool Graduation forms by Aug. 11. Forms are available at

the main desk of the circulation area.

AFGHAN RAFFLE

The Aug. 7 drawing date for the Afghan Raffle is nearing, with tickets available at the Library's Main Desk.

The afghan, made and donated by Phyllis McCairns of Caseville, is in colors of gray, pink and white. Ticket purchasers may not be present to win.

NEW BOOKS

To reserve a bestseller, the cost is \$2.00. There is no charge for a book that is on the shelf and not on reserve. The patron is encouraged to read the materials in a two-week period, so that more

people will have access to the books. Fewer books purchased due to the cutbacks in the book budget have resulted in a two-week circulation policy.

ADULT FICTION
 "The Power and the Passion" by Christina Nicholson, "Destiny" by Sally Beauman, "Heiress" by Janet Dailey, "The Parson's Daughter" by Catherine Cookson, "The Haunted Mesa" by Louis LaMour, "Under the Lake" by Stuart Dickey, "Her Honor" by William Coughlin, "The Pilgrimage" by Ann Ross, "The Rising of the Moon" by Peter Ellis, "Weep No More, My Lady" by Mary Higgins and "The Third George" by Jean Plaidy.

Bain" and "Don't Die On Me" by Stanton Forbes.

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Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. John Wojciechowski of Bay City announce the engagement of their daughter, Lori Marie, to Robert M. Rogers, son of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Rogers of Pigeon.

A May, 1988 wedding is planned.



It's a girl!

Mr. and Mrs. Les (Beth) Swartzendruber of Pigeon, have welcomed a daughter, Janelle Kay, into their family following her birth on Friday, July 24 at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon at 6:18 a.m. The infant weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. and measured 19 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Kay Baker of Paulding, Ohio and Marvin "Red" Siewert of Pigeon. Paternal grandparents are Ray Swartzendruber of Pigeon and the late Lois Swartzendruber. Maternal great-grandparents are Ewald and Vera Beyer of Bay Port and Alvira Siewert of Pigeon. Maternal great-great-grandmother is Hattie Decker of Elkton.

Greeting their sister at home are brothers Justin, age six and Brandon, age 2½.

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

The Tuesday, Aug. 4 Preschool Story Hour sessions will feature a "Special Babes" program by Tracy Haag of the Common Ground Substance Abuse Center, Bad Axe, from 9 to 10 a.m. and from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. The program will feature puppetry, focusing on "Self-Image and Feelings."

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Gardys mark 40 married years

George and Irene Gardy recently celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary. The Gardys were married at the Pigeon United Methodist Church on July 18, 1947. Their attendants were George and Virginia Roeber of Bay Port.

The Gardys have one son and three daughters: George and Linda Gardy of Pigeon; Richard and Gail Finley of Platte City, Mo.; David and Peggy Gunns of Royal Oak and Susan Gardy of Dimondale.

They also have four grandchildren, Jill, Kari and Eric Gardy of Pigeon and Kevin Gunns of Royal Oak.



Mr. and Mrs. George Gardy

Thumb couple sets October nuptials



Swartzendruber-Kosinski

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Swartzendruber of Bay Port announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Mae, to Donald James Kosinski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kosinski, Sr., Port Austin.

The bride-elect is a 1986 graduate of Thumb Christian Academy and is presently employed at Active Feed, Inc., Pigeon.

Her fiancé is a 1987 graduate of North Huron High School and is now working at Winder's Products Co., Port Austin.

An Oct. 24 wedding is being planned.

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Thumb senior citizens' notes

CASEVILLE RETIREMENT CLUB

A total of 77 members were present at the July 21 meeting of the Caseville Retirement Club at the American Legion Hall.

President Shirley Ritchie asked all to stand and greet their neighbors, then led in the Lord's Prayer before lunch.

The Pledge to the Flag opened the meeting. Twenty-nine blood pressure readings were taken. The secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved.

Ray Gerrard announced that the upcoming AuSable trip is filled, but stand-by reservations may still be taken.

Ritchie thanked all who donated Campbell labels and items to the food pantry.

Celebrating birthdays were Gertrude Fischer, Hank Beyer, Joe Feger,

Rose Koenig, Bill Heider, Ralph Marquis, Cyril Carollo, Tom Pecha, Viola Hill, Bill Calabrese, Helen King, Betsy Kirtke and John Praveitone.

Feted for anniversaries were Andy and Bill Lakatos, Bill and Dorothy Heider, Evelyn and Lloyd Florence, Dan and Esther Calabrese and Angie and Bill Calabrese.

The meeting was adjourned for bingo and cards. Bingo overall winner was Ida Gardner. Pinochle winners were Helen Schultz, Nada Blackburn and Larry. Euchre winners were Marie Watts, Tom Beadle and Elsa Kerr.

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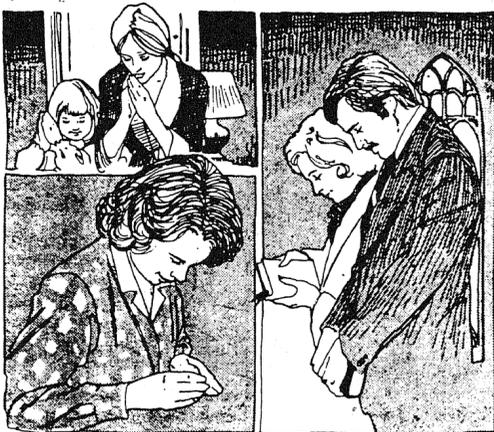
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More things are wrought by prayer Than this world dreams of. Wherefore let thy voice Rise like a fountain for me night and day

—Alfred, Lord Tennyson

"Evening and morning and noon, will I pray, and cry aloud; and he shall hear my voice."

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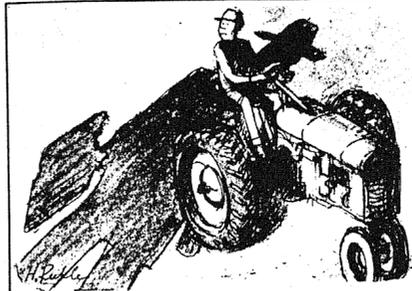
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Rev. Lynn A. Randall
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.</p> | <p>FAITH BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Preaching 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
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Fr. Mark Jenkins
Sunday Worship 9 a.m.</p> | <p>PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH
Luke Yoder, Pastor
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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Evening Bible Study 7 p.m.</p> | <p>COMMUNITY WESLEYAN CHURCH
YORK STREET, ELKTON
Pastor DeWeerd Smith
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.</p> |
| <p>ST. ROCH CATHOLIC CHURCH, CASEVILLE
STARTING MEMORIAL DAY:
Saturday Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 8 & 11 a.m.</p> | <p>OWENDALE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Zina Bennett
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.</p> | <p>CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, CASEVILLE
Pastor Rev. Burt Phelps
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.</p> | <p>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, BAD AXE
Pastor David Dively
Service 10 a.m.
Nursery Provided
Sunday School 11 a.m.</p> | <p>CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON
American Lutheran Church
Raymond E. Orth, Pastor
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.</p> | <p>NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Jonathon Stern
Holy Communion First Sunday of the Month
Sunday Service 9 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.</p> |
| <p>CASEVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. John N. Hamilton
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Nursery 10:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.
Bible Study 6 p.m.</p> | <p>GAGETOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Zina Bennett
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>ELKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. James Kummer
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Bible Study 6 p.m.
Jr. High & Sr. High Youth 6 p.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.</p> | <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, RAY PORT
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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
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Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Philip K. Press
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7:30 p.m.
Holy Communion On The First Sunday Of The Month</p> |
| <p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. Gordon W. Nusz
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Nursery Provided</p> | <p>HORSESHOE ACRES CALVARY CHURCH, BAD AXE
Rev. Stewart L. Justin
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m.</p> | <p>ASSEMBLY OF GOD BAD AXE
Rev. Dennis Wedgough
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.</p> | <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE
5 Mile South of Elkton
Elder Tom Craig
Early Morning Worship 9:45 a.m.
Church School 10 a.m.
Prayer Service 11 a.m.</p> | <p>TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Rev. Lawrence Brook
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:45 a.m.</p> | <p>ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LINKVILLE
Missouri Synod
Rev. Ray R. Ollendorf
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, HACH
Rev. Eric A. Lambart
Communion first and Third Sunday</p> |
| <p>SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. Timothy Hastings
Church School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-week Service 7 p.m.</p> | <p>BAY PORT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Alger T. Lewis
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Church School 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, CASEVILLE
Elder, Dennis Herbert
Starting Memorial Day:
Saturday Mass: 7:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 10:00 a.m.</p> | <p>FAIRHAVEN COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH
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Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.</p> |

Congregation says 'Yes' to preschool

The voters of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Bach and St. John's in Kilmanagh have approved plans for opening a combined kindergarten and preschool for the coming school year, according to Principal Ken Hass.

It was established that the need exists in the area for early childhood education within a Christian atmosphere, particularly for the five year olds, added Hass.

Registrations will be taken Thursday, Aug. 20 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m. at the school in Kilmanagh. Enrollment is open. For further information, call 883-3701.



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People are the excluders and discriminators, not God. People like to say, "You're too young," "You're too old," "You're not smart enough" or "You're not good enough."

People want to put limits on things, especially things like forgiveness and love. People want to know how far they have to go and when they can stop.

God's care includes, not excludes. Thus when infants were brought to Him, Jesus didn't say, "I'm too busy."

In contrast to the all-too-human response of the disciples, who wished to exclude, Jesus included them. Now if infants barely crawling belong to the kingdom, so can children of all ages.

If God does not exclude babies because they cannot reason for themselves, neither will He exclude you and me when we perhaps reason too much.

Even as the Son of God gave His life for all, so He bids all to come to Him, young and old, for He wants them all to be members of His kingdom.

Hospital Care List

Patients in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, on Monday, July 27:

- OWENDALE: Henry Bias
- CASEVILLE: Wanda Duffy
- FILION: Agnes Kanaski
- BAD AXE: David McBride
- PIGEON: John Steckley, Raymond Vansteelant
- BAY PORT: Charles Steele
- GALLOP, N.M.: Ms. Kimberly Alexander
- EAST DETROIT: Michael Maenza
- BIRTHS: Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey (Sheila) Pawlak, Gagetown, a son, Michael John, July 22, 1987.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Les (Beth) Swartzendruber, Pigeon, a daughter, Janelle Kay, July 24, 1987.

Rev. Isaacs visits TTLM

Rev. Elizabeth Isaacs will be the featured speaker on Wednesday, Aug. 5 at Top-of-the-Leisure Ministries Vespers, beginning at 8 p.m. in the Caseville United Methodist Church.

Rev. Isaacs is the Superintendent of the Port Huron District, United Methodist Church. She is the only female of the seven District Superintendents in the Detroit Conference.

Rev. Isaacs resides in Port Huron, from where she directs the activities of the United Methodist Church in the Thumb Area.

LOCAL ROOTS: She previously served as pastor at United Methodist Churches in Elkton, Cass City and Sebewaing and says she is looking forward to seeing former parishioners as well as meeting others.

CANTATE: Special music for the service will be provided by the Cantate Chorale. This ecumenical choir presents more difficult sacred music than usually done by an individual church choir. It is composed of 25 voices of the Western Thumb Area.

Organized about six years ago, the Cantate Chorale is directed by Wanda Eichler of Pigeon, with Shirley Nusz as accompanist.

TTLM Treasurer Marilyn Elenbaum will be the board representative at the meeting.

A time of fellowship will follow the program. Refreshments will be served by members of the Pinnebog United Methodist Church and Port Austin United Protestant Church.

Everyone is invited to attend this opportunity for worship at leisure. There is no admission charge, but a free-will offering will be taken to support the work of TTLM.

SAND CASTLES: The TTLM staff invites all beach-goers to enter the Sand Castle Contest at the Caseville County Park on Friday, July 31 and at Port Austin Bird Creek Park on Saturday, Aug. 15. The contest is open to sand

sculptors of all ages with prizes in various divisions. Entries will be taken on the day of the event.

Geoff Moore stars in YFC concert

A rising star in contemporary Christian music will return to the Thumb area to perform a concert at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 30 at Laker Auditorium.

Geoff Moore and his band called "The Distance" are being sponsored by Bluewater Youth for Christ in an effort to provide quality contemporary Christian music to people in the Thumb area.

He formed the band, "Portrait" on a dare while attending Taylor College in Indiana, and later moved to Nashville with his wife Jan to pursue a music career.

His current band, "The Distance" includes his college roommate Arlin Troyer on bass and keyboard player Tom Reynolds (both "Portrait" members), guitarist Dale Oliver and drummer Lang Bliss.

The increasing popularity of the band is shown by regular listing in the top 10 of Contemporary Christian Music (CCM) charts, and invitations to tour with the bands, "White Heart," "DeGarmo & Key" and "Petra."

YFC sponsors say Moore's music is generally geared to the taste of young people, but hope the whole family will attend the concert.

Tickets are on sale at Community Bookstore in Pigeon.

Open House set for Pastor Orth

An Open House is planned for Sunday, Aug. 2 to honor Pastor Raymond Orth of Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon, who is observing his 25th Anniversary of his ordination.

A special service will be conducted at 10 a.m., followed by a dinner and short program. Friends are cordially invited to an Open House at the parsonage, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

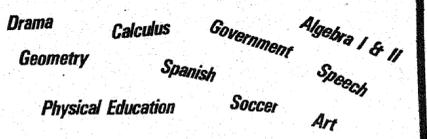
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The Past in Print...

80 YEARS AGO JULY 26, 1907

Albert J. Kelly, conductor and John O'Leary, engineer on the Pere Marquette train, were crushed to death Sunday near Sebewaing when they jumped from the cab as the engine was derailed and rolled over in the ditch on top of them.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Steckley of McKinley, a son on Sunday; to Mr. and Mrs. William Schuette of Winsor, a son on Monday and to Mr. and Mrs. Ned Buerker, Winsor, a son on Monday.

Elkton News: Sol Eidt's new house is nearly completed. The masons are plastering H. Kellerman's new store which will soon be ready for business. William Taylor has the contract for putting in about 100 rods of cement sidewalks for Elkton this season.

G.V. Black will build a large cement building, size 35 by 100 ft., to be occupied by his store at Berne.

70 YEARS AGO JULY 27, 1917

The Progress this week printed names of those men from this part of the county whose names were drawn in the draft Friday at Washington, D.C. Huron County's quota is 322 men and the first call for examination is for 64 men.

During the electrical storm Monday, the belfry of the Caseville Presbyterian Church was struck by lightning and a fire started. It was extinguished by prompt action of the Caseville Fire Department.

Eli Wilfong of McKinley is on the sick list.

Crescent Beach News: Norman Prast and Joe Heaton have launched their new gasoline boat. On her maiden trip, she ran from Bay Port to the Beach in 15 minutes.

Mrs. Henry Nieschultz, Pigeon, left for Mt. Clemens where she will take mineral baths for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Bergman and family visited at Port Huron and St. Clair over Sunday.

60 YEARS AGO JULY 22, 1927

Pigeon now has a fine new fire truck which was purchased at a cost of \$7,000. The Wallace & Morley Co. has purchased the grain elevator at Bach.

The village of Caseville has decided to sell its electric light plant to the Michigan Electric Power Co. for \$2,000.

George Jean, 42, Caseville, a commercial fisherman, was killed in an auto accident Monday evening near Harbor Beach. He is survived by his widow, 10 children and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bettis Jean.

Mrs. Noah Davis, 83, nee Mary Copeland, passed away at her home near Pigeon. She leaves a daughter and four sons.

Godfrey Ort, 81, one of Sebewaing's early pioneers, died Wednesday. He leaves his widow, four sons and five daughters.

50 YEARS AGO JULY 23, 1937

The St. Francis Catholic Church picnic Sunday drew a large crowd and more than 900 meals were served during the afternoon.

Charles Stahl, 68, died Friday at his home near Pigeon. He leaves his widow and six children.

Henry Kleinfeld, 70, formerly of the Pigeon area, died at his home in Clio. He leaves a wife, two sons and three daughters.

Michigan Governor Frank Murphy, a Harbor Beach native, signed a new liquor law which permits the return of the old-fashioned bar and prohibits sales of alcoholic beverages to anyone under 21.

Winners of the Pigeon Community Club drawing Saturday evening were Marie Schuette, Alvina Dorsch, Mrs. E. Gotthardt, Adolf Nitz, Norman Strieter, Dorothy Brown and Sol Christner.

40 YEARS AGO JULY 25, 1947

Pigeon Community Band director Carl Bernhart announces that the band has been invited to play at the Farmers and Merchants Picnic at Sebewaing Aug. 14. On Aug. 20, the Pigeon band will give its last concert for this summer.

Mrs. James Michener, 88, nee Louise Wurtz, formerly of Pigeon, died at the home of her daughter in Owosso. She is survived by four daughters and a son.

Mrs. Robert Chesney, 66, nee Ellen Quick, Bay Port, died July 17. She leaves a daughter and two sons.

Those from the Pigeon area who attended the Brady reunion in Clio Sunday were Jacob Gettel, Hulda Brady, Mrs. John Yackle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yackle and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Oeschger.

30 YEARS AGO JULY 25, 1957

State Rep. George Dunn, R-Pigeon, says the possibility of establishing ferry service between Port Austin and Tawas City across Saginaw Bay after the Mackinac Straits bridge is completed, must be regarded as "remote."

Nobel Frank, 55, Saginaw, a Caseville native and former Pigeon resident, passed away July 19. Besides his widow, he leaves three daughters and two sons.

A jar containing nearly 19,000 white pennies collected by Mrs. Harold Britt as a hobby, is on display in the Pigeon State Bank lobby.

Mrs. Edward Johnston, 90, nee Caroline Krohn, Elkton, passed away Saturday. She leaves a sister and brother.

20 YEARS AGO JULY 27, 1967

Open house will be held July 28-29 at the new facilities of the Elkton office of Hubbard State Bank. A new

drive-in window and completely rebuilt interior are features.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hnatiuk entertained their parents on their 50th wedding anniversary July 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Koehler, Pigeon.

Pigeon's Crazy Days sidewalk sale last week brought out many strange appearing persons to staff the sales counters of stores in an effort to "dress up" the event.

Leo P. Burzyck, 61, lifelong resident of Oliver Twp., died Sunday. Survivors are his widow, three sons and two daughters.

10 YEARS AGO JULY 28, 1977

Laker School Supt. Harry J. Brunet has been notified that the school district has been selected to receive a federal grant amounting to \$1,693 million and hopes are to construct a new middle school.

An old-fashioned barrel of fun is planned during Pigeon Farmers' Festival July 28-30.

Maynard Albrecht, 60, Bay Port, passed away July 21. He is survived by his wife, a son and daughter.

Mrs. Hubert Peekings, 80, Elkton, nee Agnes Coates, a former teacher, died July 20. She leaves two daughters.

Three Pigeon area students are attending summer music camps in the Muskegon area. They are Barbara Sturm, Kevin Ohlroge and Henry Lange.

FROM THE ELKTON ADVANCE FILES 51 YEARS AGO JULY 30, 1936

John Swartzendruber, 90, retired carpenter and a resident of the Elkton vicinity for many years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Eicher.

Lorne Schlabach is clerking at the Joseph Roberts store.



Henry Campbell is employed as clerk at the George Hill store.

Elkton Board of Education has decided to organize a Smith-Hughes home economics department, to be added to the courses of study at Elkton High School.

44 YEARS AGO JULY 29, 1943

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tschumi will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary

37 YEARS AGO AUG. 3, 1950

Don Ewald and Frederick GeBauer, members of the Elkton Boy Scout troop, are attending Camp Neyoti this week.

Harry Chappel fell from a hay mow last week, breaking his shoulder. He is also badly bruised.

Club news

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

Thirty-six members and guests attended the July 21 meeting of the Elkton Senior Citizens at the Civic Center.

Special guests were Grace McDowell and Mary Lou Elenbaum. Her father, Al Knechtel, was thanked for furnishing the ham for the dinner. Bernice Eidt offered the table prayer preceding dinner.

Ardis and Clayton Gemmell were in charge of music. The Birthday Song was sung for Marie Hoffman.

Sand Castle builders invited

Sand Castle builders of all ages, here's your chance!

Top-of-the-Thumb Leisure Ministries is sponsoring a Sand Castle Contest this Friday, July 31 at the south end of the Caseville County Park, with entries taken at 1 p.m.

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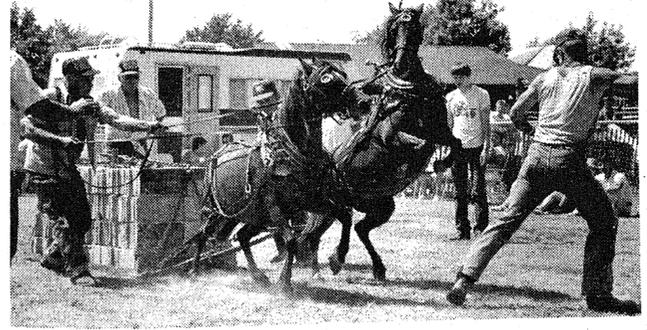
Progress-Advance sports of the week



MUDDY WINNERS: After winning the first-ever Pigeon Farmers' Festival mud volleyball tournament, the Pigeon Whiz Kids team went for a cooling slide in the mud (above) before gathering for a victory celebration (below).

Team members include, in front from left, Brenda Buschlen, Jenny Warren, Tami Peyer and Jackie Ginter. In back are Paul Elenbaum and Alan McBride.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTOS



BUCKING PONIES: This young team participating in the Blue Water Pony Pull showed plenty of energy (and inexperience) in competitive pulling in Saturday's Farmers' Festival event.



PERFECT PUTT: Orin Murdoch of Pigeon sinks this putt for a birdie on the ninth hole as his teammates Rob Miller, John Rathje and Mitch Ellis cheer him on. The team went on to par every hole on the back nine and win the men's division of the Farmers' Festival Tournament last Wednesday.

The women's division was topped by the team of Mary Rabideau, Gail Blackstock, Nello Maharg and Ruby Dunevant.



SOFTBALL HANDOFF: Salem Methodist third baseman Bob Small hands the ball to shortstop Tom Kreh to force out Linkville Lutheran's Dick Metzger. Linkville went on to defeat Salem, 9-3, to win the Interfaith Softball League Tournament Championship. The winners banged out 11 hits to eight for Salem. Morris Dubs pounded a triple and Mike Dubs added a double to pace the winning Linkville offense.



FANCY FOOTWORK: Members of the Sebewaing Merchants soccer team scramble for the ball as a State Farm Insurance defender and goalie also head for the same target. Tom Beer won the tournament by upending Sebewaing Merchants in the finals, 2-1. Tom Beer and Dave Voelker each notched a goal for the winners, while Mike Remar recorded the lone tally for Sebewaing.

'Jubilee Singers' to appear

"The Jubilee Singers" are scheduled to perform at 7:30 pm Wednesday, August 5, at the Grandstand. The Huron Community Fair at Production Director Dian M. Holdship stated "The singers have been received very well, and audiences are



amazed to see a choral group perform without a conductor. This group is definitely unique and entertaining. The concept originated with a goal to promote Uby and the fine arts, but it has far exceeded that goal. In the near future they will entertain in Midland and Lansing. One can say they are a tremendous combination of dedicated men and women."

Jim Braun and Joyce Hagen, musical directors lead the audience into a musical portrait of Michigan as the No. 1 State with its 4 wonderful seasons. Genny Henderson is accompanist.

State Charter No. 798

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF Bay Port State Bank

OF Bay Port-Pigeon in the State of Michigan, and its Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business on June 30, 1987.

Published in accordance with a call made by the commissioner of the Financial Institutions Bureau pursuant to the provisions of Section 223 of the banking code of 1969, as amended.

	Dollar Amounts in Thousands		
		Mill Thou	
ASSETS			
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:			
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		275	1.a.
b. Interest-bearing balances		200	1.b.
2. Securities (from Schedule RC-B)		1,500	2.
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		1,000	3.
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:			
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income (from Schedule RC-C)	7,994		4.a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	73		4.b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	NONE		4.c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (Item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)		7,921	4.d.
5. Assets held in trading accounts		NONE	5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)		338	6.
7. Other real estate owned		350	7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		NONE	8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		NONE	9.
10. Intangible assets (from Schedule RC-M)		NONE	10.
11. Other assets (from Schedule RC-F)		274	11.
12. Total assets (sum of Items 1 through 11)		11,862	12.
LIABILITIES			
13. Deposits:			
a. In domestic offices (sum of totals of columns A and C from Schedule RC-E)		10,964	13.a.
(1) Noninterest-bearing	1,140		13.a.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing	9,824		13.a.(2)
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs:			
(1) Noninterest-bearing			
(2) Interest-bearing			
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		NONE	14.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury		NONE	15.
16. Other borrowed money		10	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases		NONE	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding		NONE	18.
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits		NONE	19.
20. Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G)		122	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of Items 13 through 20)		11,096	21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock		NONE	22.
EQUITY CAPITAL			
23. Perpetual preferred stock		NONE	23.
24. Common stock		192	24.
25. Surplus		308	25.
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves		266	26.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments			27.
28. Total equity capital (sum of Items 23 through 27)		766	28.
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of Items 21, 22, and 28)		11,862	29.
MEMORANDA-Deposits of State Money-MICHIGAN.			
		NONE	

Donald E. Damrow, Executive Vice President of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition has been prepared in conformance with the applicable instructions, and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Donald E. Damrow
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the applicable instructions and is true and correct.

James V. Foster
Robert S. Gentry
Directors

Area obituaries

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CHARLOTTE C. BRITT 1918 - 1987

Charlotte Christine Britt, age 68 of Pigeon, passed away Thursday, July 23, 1987, at St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw, following surgery.

She was born Sept. 26, 1918 in Lake Township, daughter of Mrs. Emma (Frank) Musselman and the late Arthur Musselman. On May 8, 1940, she was united in marriage to Harold Britt in Auburn.

Mrs. Britt lived in Huron County all her life. She and her husband owned Britt's Dairy Bar in Pigeon for eight years. She had been employed for 15 years by Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, prior to retirement in March, 1965. She was an avid coupon collector and was past President of the Tip of the Thumb VFW Post Auxiliary No. 2236, Pigeon.

She is survived by her husband, Harold; one son, Arthur Britt of Caseville; three daughters, Mrs. Orville (Mildred) Schuette of Bay Port, Mrs. Michael (Jeannie) Hattas of Owendale and Mrs. Jerome (Colleen) Chaplinski of Filion; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; her mother, Emma of Cass City, and one brother, Philip Musselman of Sebawaing.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Robert Musselman, a sister, Mildred Musselman, and one grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. on Saturday, July 25 from Pigeon River Menonite Church, Pastor Luke Yoder officiated, and burial was in Silverlawn Cemetery, Sebawaing. Arrangements were handled by the Caseville Chapel of Champagne Funeral Chapels.

The family requests memorials be given to the Menonite Relief Fund or the Michigan Heart Association.

HOLLY MARIE FOURNIER 1974 - 1987

Holly M. Fournier, age 12 of Sebawaing, passed away Monday evening, July 20 following a drowning accident at Caseville.



She was born Oct. 18, 1974 in Bay City, daughter of Robert C. and Mary E. (Sy) Fournier. Miss Fournier was a seventh grader at the Unionville Sebawaing Area Middle School and a member of her sixth grade student council. She was also a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Sebawaing, and had lived in Sebawaing all her life.

She is survived by her parents, Robert C. and Mary E. Fournier of Sebawaing; one brother and sister-in-law,

Mark and Pam Fournier, of Sebawaing; two sisters, Anne Fournier of Saginaw and Susan Fournier, at home; her paternal grandparents, Roland (Dutch) and Virginia Fournier of Sebawaing; her maternal grandparents, Alfred and Florence Sy of Unionville; one niece, Kristina Fournier; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

A Rosary service was conducted by the Father Carl Cahill Chapter Knights of Columbus on Thursday, July 23 at 7:30 p.m. at Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebawaing, which handled arrangements.

Funeral Mass was conducted at 11 a.m. Friday, July 24 from Holy Family Catholic Church, Sebawaing. Rev. Fr. Wolfgang Streichhardt, pastor of St. James Catholic Church in Bay City and Rev. Fr. Stanley Surman, pastor of Holy Family Catholic Church, Sebawaing, officiated with interment in the Holy Family Cemetery, Sebawaing.

Memorials may be made to the Holly Fournier Scholarship Fund.

ALBERT A. BOHRER 1908 - 1987

Albert A. Bohrer, age 79 of Pigeon, passed away Sunday, July 26, 1987 at his home in Pigeon.

He was born son of the late Joseph and Emily (Stebler) Bohrer in Laurium, Michigan on March 20, 1908. On May 8, 1935, he was united in marriage to Mary C. Bolger in Ferris. He was a member of St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon.

Mr. Bohrer is survived by his wife, Mary C.; three sisters, Mrs. Loretta Pedersen of Detroit, Mrs. Antoinette Dexter of Hubbell and Mrs. Carl (Marguerite) Terrian, Houghton; several nieces and nephews.

One brother, Clarence, preceded him in death. Funeral Mass will be conducted Wednesday, July 29 at 11 a.m. from St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon. Rev. Fr. Ben Skornia, pastor, will officiate with burial in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Pigeon.

Shelter-Bussema Funeral Home of Pigeon handled arrangements.

JEANETTE (BARRY) ROSS 1935 - 1987

Jeanette (Barry) Ross, age 51 formerly of Elkton, passed away Sunday, July 19 at Hutzel Hospital, Detroit, after a three-month illness.

She was born Oct. 5, 1935 in Elkton, daughter of Mrs. Lucy Barry and the late Thomas Barry. She was graduated from Elkton High School in 1954 and the Bay City School of Cosmetology in 1955 and attended college in California. She was an executive secretary at the military academy in San Diego.

She is survived by a daughter, Maureen; a son, Robert; her mother, Mrs. Lucy Barry of Roseville; seven sisters and two brothers, Ethel Zarembo of Centerline, Marge Heckman and Elizabeth Krohn, both of Pigeon, Louis Barry of Elkton, Helene Smith of Saginaw, Eugene Barry of Elkton, Marion Lane of Roseville, Anna Mae Lee of Oscoda and Virginia Plevnia of Bad Axe, as well as 35 nieces and nephews.

Her father preceded her in death on Nov. 1, 1953. A Funeral Mass was conducted Thursday, July 23 at 10 a.m. from St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon. Rev. Fr. Ben Skornia, pastor, officiated with burial in St. Felix Catholic Church, Pinnebog.

Thanks A Million

BY PERCY ROSS



You may write to Percy Ross in care of The Progress-Advance, P.O. Box 35000, Minneapolis, MN 55435. Please include your telephone number with your letter.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

My partner and I are police officers in New York City. Every day we're called to help people in need and we try to do our best. Recently we were called to an "adult home" and were truly touched by the residents.

This home cares for the elderly, ages 65 to 102.

We would love to provide an ice cream social for the residents at the Judith Lynn Home for Adults, in hopes of lifting their spirits -- if even for just a day. It's not affordable for us as the home is filled to capacity (175).

Could you help in making these elderly men and women feel they haven't been forgotten? -- Ms. C.D. and Ms. K.F., Bronx, N.Y.

DEAR OFFICERS:

What's an ice cream social without the cake and entertainment? I'd like to see you go the whole nine yards and throw a party the residents won't forget. My check will cover everything.

And unless I'm being too forward, I fit the age group and would be delighted to be a part of the festivities. I'm ready to party, so please phone me with the date.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

I'm 26 and engaged to be married. I've always dreamed of a Christmas wedding

and had been planning it for this December.

The problem is I'm pregnant and due in October. Our parents suggested that we consider a civil service, but we think it's an awfully cold way to join in marriage.

We want to save the memories of that special day in our lives, so we're continuing with our original plans.

Even though I'm sure our parents are happy for us, they have now refused to participate in any plans outside of their "civil wedding."

We considered going to a chapel in Reno, but decided not to. We became ecstatic with the idea of a friend who recommended Hawaii. This we would like to do. But when we figured out the upcoming medical expenses for our baby -- we can't afford it. Would you help us out, Mr. Ross? -- Miss C.P., Raleigh, N.C.

DEAR MISS P.:

What is it with you young couples. You can't have your cake and eat it, too. Considering you already took the liberties of a "honeymoon." I suggest you skip the big wedding and prepare for your imminent parenthood.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

I have a nine year old boy who is in baseball. The problem is he doesn't have his

own baseball glove. He always has to borrow other kids' gloves and they get irritated. They keep telling him to buy his own.

I'm currently unemployed and have no money to buy him one. I and my son would appreciate very much if you could send him some money for his own baseball glove. When I become employed again, I'll gladly pay you back.

If nothing else, thanks for being accessible. -- Mr. R.S., Bismarck, N.D.

DEAR MR. S.:

I can see it now... bases loaded and two outs. It's a pop fly to right field! Your son is diving to make the winning catch and pop! He just caught it with his brand new baseball mitt... which my forthcoming check will purchase.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

Would you please send me \$10,000 for a much needed vacation? I'm sure you're a well-versed traveler and I'd be pleased to go wherever you recommend. -- B.D., Indianapolis, Ind.

DEAR B.D.:

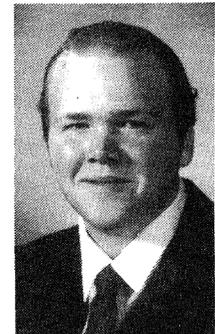
The best place I suggest spending your vacation is somewhere within your budget. Aloha!

Achievements

William Fischer, son of Paul and Dorothy Fischer of Caseville, has been awarded a \$900 scholarship from the AmVets Auxiliary.

program. He will go through Boot Camp in the Great Lakes this September, followed by duty on the West Coast.

Navy Airman Richard V. Marlin, whose wife, Patricia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.P. Klucznik of Pigeon, has completed the Basic Avionics Technician Course.



Casey D. Haley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Haley of Elkton, is one of 102 high school students participating in the Michigan State Board of Education Summer Institute for the Arts and Sciences at Olivet College on July 12-25.

Haley attends Laker High School.

The Summer Institute provides two-week institutes for 525 talented and creative sophomores and juniors in Michigan high schools at five Michigan colleges and universities, including Olivet College, Michigan Technological University, Western Michigan University, Eastern Michigan University and Grand Valley State College. The program provides students with instruction in the arts and sciences, plus in-depth exploratory activities. The Olivet program is entitled "Creative Expressions and Critical Issues in Contemporary America: A Study in Spontaneous Combustion."

O-G physicals set Aug. 13

Physicals for Owen-Gage students will be given at 7 p.m., Thursday, August 13, in the Owendale High School, according to Robert Andrews, OGHs principal.

Pigeon Clinic physicians will be conduct the physicals, and a small fee will be charged. All students taking any sports or cheerleading are required to have a physical every school year. Phone 678-4141 for more information.

He was sponsored by Post #79, Goetzville.

In order to apply for the scholarship, students had to be in their second year of college. Fischer attends Ferris State College, Big Rapids, and is studying Ornamental Horticulture Technology.

Ronald Robert Rabideau, a 1987 graduate of Laker High School, joined the United States Navy on July 16, through the local Recruiting Station in Bad Axe.

Rabideau enlisted for three years in the Navy's Fireman Apprenticeship

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING OF INCREASING PROPERTY TAXES

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on August 17, 1987, at 7:00 o'clock p.m. EDST at 6609 Vine Street, the Board of Education of Caseville Public School will hold a public hearing on the levying in 1987 of an additional proposed millage rate of .3310 mills for operating purposes pursuant to Act 5, Public Acts of Michigan, 1982.

The Board of Education has the complete authority to establish that 17.7669 mills be levied in 1987 from within its present authorized millage rate.

The maximum additional proposed millage rate would increase revenues for operating purposes from ad valorem property tax levies in 1987 otherwise permitted by Act 5, Public Acts of Michigan, 1982, by one and 898 thousandths percent (1.898%).

The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony and discuss the levy of an additional millage rate. Not less than seven (7) days following the public hearing, the Board of Education may approve all or any portion of the proposed additional millage rate.

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The family of Ray Woodward would like to thank all the relatives and friends who helped see Ray and us thru the last few months. We cannot express our thanks to each person but all of you know who you are...how you helped. We owe a very special thanks to the Edwin Eichlers for seeing that our pastor was able to be here for the Memorial Service; to Pastor Luke Yoder for "standing by" to officiate should Ray. Nusz not get here on time; to Ruth Damm and her ladies who helped at the luncheon following, serving all of us so beautifully; to John Champagne, our friend and neighbor who took care of funeral arrangements and to Ray's beloved Pastor, Gordon Nusz, a special heartfelt thanks for his help before, during and in the days to follow the loss of our husband and father. Helen Woodward; Lynne & Bill Watson, Scott, Stephanie & Michelle; Brent & Penny Woodward, Amy & Marc.

A sincere thank you to everyone for their kindness shown to us during the illness and death of our husband and dad. Deep appreciation to Dr. Davis, the St. Luke Hospital and their compassionate nursing staff in ICU, Dr. Castilla and the Scheurer Hospital for their excellent care. Also to Rev. James Brazell for his kind words and to Captain Kenneth Rathje Jr. for his remembrance of Grandpa. Thanks you again for all the prayers, cards and food. They were very much appreciated. The Family Of Roy Drummond

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Area obituaries

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MATTHEW DORNES 1893 - 1987
Matthew Dornes, age 93 of Casaville, passed away Wednesday, July 22 at Provincial House Nursing Home, Cass City. He was born Aug. 15, 1893 in Yugoslavia, son of the late Mathias and Elisabeth (Schweiss) Dornes. He came to Casaville in 1949 and was retired from Casaville Lumber Company. Mr. Dornes is survived by two nieces, Mrs. Martin (Elisabeth) Kovatsch of Chicago, Illinois and Mrs. Frank (Theresa) Lennert of Germany; four cousins, Mrs. Catherine M. Ross of Casaville, Elisabeth Oliver of Flint, Theresa Schweiss of Cass City, and Bulah Soper of Flint. Two brothers, Paul and Frank, preceded him in death. Funeral Mass was conducted from St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon, at 10 a.m. on Saturday, July 25. Rev. Father Ben Skornia, pastor, officiated, with burial in St. Roch's Catholic Cemetery, Casaville. Arrangements were handled by Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

HAROLD L. STEPHENSON 1914 - 1987
Harold L. Stephenson, age 72 of Casaville, formerly of Royal Oak, passed away Wednesday, July 22, 1987 at his home. He was born Oct. 17, 1914 in Chicago, Ill., son of the late Jesse L. and Grace E. (Kaye) Stephenson. He was married to Delores Short. She preceded him in death in 1982. Mr. Stephenson was a retired supervisor with the Chrysler Corp., and had served in the U.S. Coast Guard. He was a member of Casaville Eagles Aerie No. 3690, the VFW Acon Post No. 1669, Royal Oak, and was also a member of the Free and Accepted Masons in Royal Oak as well as St. John's Episcopal Church, Royal Oak. He is survived by one brother, James A. of Oregon; two sisters, Mrs. Robert (Gladys) Caldwell of Royal Oak and Miss Mary Stephenson of Reno, Nev.; four step-children, Dawn Flynn of Royal Oak, Mrs. Vern (Delores) Lotz of Florida, and Thomas and Kevin Flynn, both of Royal Oak, and three grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. on Saturday, July 25 from the Kinsey-Garrett Funeral Home, Royal Oak, with burial in Roseland Park Cemetery, Berkley. VFW and Eagles Memorial Services were conducted Friday. Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home of Pigeon handled local arrangements.

LUCILLE W. COOK 1912 - 1987
Lucille Watson Cook, age 75 of West Point, Miss., passed away Tuesday, July 21 at her home, following a short illness. She was a homemaker and a member of First United Methodist Church, West Point. Survivors include five daughters, Mary Alexander, formerly of Elkton and now of Benton, Ky., Mrs. Dorothy Sue Holbrook of Jonesboro, Ark., Mrs. Peggy Kuhl of Bay Port, and Mrs. Kay Permenter and Mrs. Donna Young, both of West Point; three sons, Clarence J. Cook, Jr. of Augusta, Texas, James E. of Burke, Va., and Robert E. of Fort Worth, Texas, 23 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; one sister and five brothers. Services were conducted Friday, July 24 at 3 p.m. at the Calvert Funeral Home, West Point. Burial was in Cedar Bluff Cumberland Presbyterian Cemetery.

REV. LESTER A. RUEGSEGGER 1904 - 1987
The Rev. Lester A. Ruegsegger, age 83 of Traverse City, former area native and a retired United Methodist minister, passed away recently Friday, July 17 at Munson Medical Center, Traverse City. He had lived in that area for the past 18 years, where he was a member of the Traverse City Ministerial Association and helped form the Grand Traverse Area Rock and Mineral Club and the Petoskey Rock and Mineral Club. Born in Leelanau County on Feb. 25, 1904, he was the son of Harvey E. and Julia (Christiansen) Ruegsegger. On June 22, 1932 in Traverse City, he married the former Harriett B. Kennedy, who survives him. He is also survived by three daughters, Mrs. Lamar (Louise) King of Traverse City, Delores Brubaker of Ontario, Canada and Mrs. Fred (Mary Lou) Benneth of Pennsylvania; six sisters, Wilma Payne and Mrs. Alfred (Margaret) Swanson, both of Traverse City, Lola Cameron of Big Rapids, Mrs. Fred (Lucille) Hall of Midland, Mrs. Richard (Fern) Benson of Florida and Mrs. Earl (Beatrice) Swanson of Houghton Lake, nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a brother, Ward and two sisters, Carol Ruegsegger and Doris Juliett. Funeral services were conducted Monday, July 20 in the Emmanuel United Methodist Church. The Revs. Steven Averill and Marvin Ross officiated with burial in the East Kasson Township Cemetery.

Area death list...
Rev. Lester A. Ruegsegger, 83, of Traverse City, formerly of Pigeon, passed away July 17. Leonard "Rip" Ruppert, 68, of Fairgrove, passed away July 17. Minnie A. Trapkowski, 82, of Bad Axe, passed away July 18. Jeanette Ross, 51, formerly of Elkton, passed away July 19. Eva B. Hillman, 86, of Caro, passed away July 19. Raymond A. Woodward, 71, of Elkton, passed away July 20. Hazel T. Moore, 88, of Cass City, passed away July 20. Lucille Watson Cook, 75, of West Point, Mass., with relatives in Bay Port, passed away July 21. Harold L. Stephenson, 72, of Sand Point, passed away July 22. Matthew Dornes, 93, of Casaville, passed away July 22. Charlotte C. Britt, 68, of Pigeon, passed away July 23.

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FLOATS: First Place, Wash Tub, Jennifer Born and Jessica Born; Second Place, Birthday Cake, Debbie and Emily Sting; Third Place, Crop Wagon, Mike Strieter; Fourth Place, Dinosaurs, Smith, Wolf and Wineman Families.
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ANIMALS: First Place, chickens, Jaime Stein; Second Place, dog with a gun, Tate Kids; Third Place, horse and cow, Bryan and Kim Clark.

LIP SYNC WINNERS:

12 AND UNDER: First Place, "Splish Splash," Phil and Christopher Leipprandt; Second Place, "I Want To Dance With Somebody," Amy Viers; **THIRD PLACE,** "I Want To Dance With Somebody," Nicole Castilla.

13 AND OVER: First Place, "All Cried Out," Dean Fuerst; Second Place, "Safety Dance" by Randy Larson and Dawn Larson; Third Place, "Sisters," Linda Walsh and Judy Niebel.

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Kingsbury; Second Place, Shawn Gruehn; Third Place, Jamie Dietzel; 56 to 65 lbs., First Place, Cory Brandmair; Second Place, Jimmy Wheeler; Third Place, Jimmy Hallock; 66 to 75 lbs., First Place, Jason Armbruster; Second Place, Cory Brandmair; Third Place, Travis Elenbaum; 76 to 85 lbs., First Place, Eric Gardy; Second Place, Eric Dietzel; Third Place, Hans Eichler; 86 to 95 lbs., First Place, Eric Gardy; Second Place, Lisa Voss; Third Place, Eric Dietzel.

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Golden Year marked by Elkton class

Sixteen graduates of the Class of '37 from the former Elkton High School gathered at the home of Dorothy Elsesser in Elkton on Saturday to celebrate their 50th Anniversary of high school graduation.

The afternoon was spent in reminiscing, exchanging pictures and enjoying appetizers and punch. Several letters were read from absent members and from Earl S. Eidt, former Superintendent of EHS, now residing in California.

It was noted that from a class of 30 students, eight are deceased, including: Henry Elbing, Jr., Helen Ewald, Fern Herford Bowling, Audrey Seley Bouck, Milton Friedrichs, Wilma Armstrong Camp, Vivian Wetlaufer Toner and Stella Gelnow Danks.

Virgil Bouck and his wife grilled steaks and chicken

for 25 husbands and wives. The rest of the dinner was planned by Beatrice Roth Hill and Dorothy Elsesser. Alice Curran Scott made the table decorations.

After dinner Alma Fluegge Stahl entertained with humorous gift presentations.

Graduates in attendance were Wilma Bittner Werner and husband of Saginaw, Virgil Bouck and wife of Pigeon, Alice Curran Scott and husband of Lapeer, Alma Fluegge Stahl of Bay Port, Carmin Ginter and wife of Lincoln, Walter Heck and wife of St. Ignace, Helen McArdle Hyzer of New Mexico, Eileen Quinn Ruff and husband of Bloomer, Wisc., Gertrude Snider Bowron of Flint, James Steiner and wife of Petersburg, Harold Young and wife of Tawas, Beatrice Roth Hill, Dorothy Elsesser, Welland Herford

and wife, Edward Wiederhold and Virginia Tschumi Ackerman and husband, all of Elkton.

It was noted that the group planned a tentative reunion in five years.

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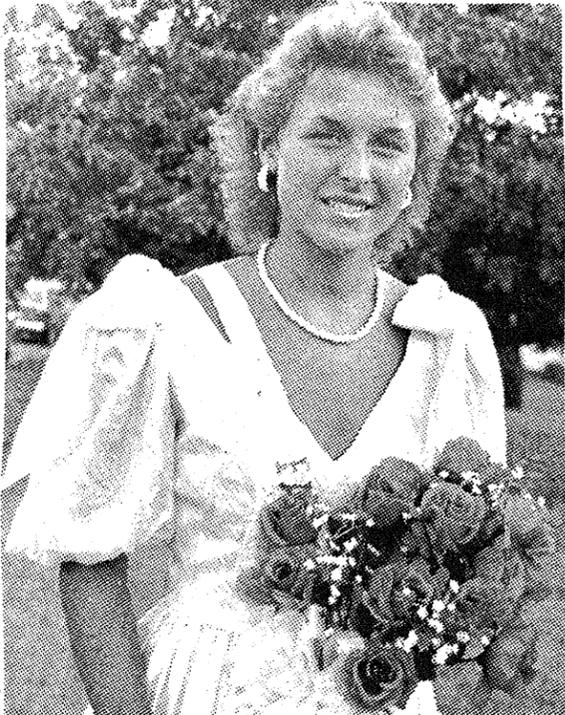
The Gascho Reunion, hosted by Evelyn Paradise, was held at Metamora State Park with some 65 members present.

Guests attended from Detroit, Elkton, Warren, New Baltimore, Whitehall and Pigeon. Attending from out-of-state were Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Gonzales (nee Verda Gascho) of California, Greg and Irene Scites of Wisconsin. The oldest member present was Clara Gibson of Detroit.

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The hearing will be held on Monday, August 10, 1987 at 8:15 o'clock in the p.m. at the Fair Haven Township Hall, 764 Hall Street, Bay Port, MI 48720.

If adopted the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 52.5% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing.

The taxing unit publishing this notice, and identified below, has complete authority to establish the number of mills to be levied from within its authorized millage rate.

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