

New 4-team sports league coming to Thumb

By AMY HEIDEN

After over two decades of membership in the Thumb B Association, the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port "Laker" School District will be leaving at the end of the 1990-91 school year.

The Laker District will join current TBA Class C members Marlette, Cass City and Bad Axe in a new four-team league, after approval for the move came from school boards at each of the four districts last week.

According to Laker Supt. Bob Drury, the pull-out and the formation of the new league was about the only option left to the district after being denied entrance into the expanding Thumb C Conference.

Caro, Millington and Vassar, also members of the TBA but Class B-size schools, have been invited to join the Tri-Valley Conference. Their departure would leave only North Branch, Cass City and Lakers in the TBA.

Bad Axe and Marlette had been invited to join the Thumb C Conference, but their boards of education voted not to join.

"About the only option left was to join the Tri-Valley Conference, which would mean competing with Bullock Creek, Merrill and Carrollton" in the Saginaw Area, Drury noted.

"Our board of education was very involved with the other boards of education. They're making a decision that is good for boys and girls instead of decisions that some other school boards made on situations that supposedly happened nine years ago," Drury said.

"We've had an excellent spirit of cooperation."

The four schools also wanted to cut down on travel time to games, and to compete with schools of similar size.

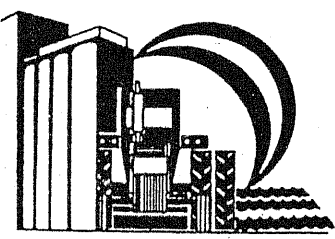
Drury also said the four schools in the as-yet unnamed league would be continuing talks with the Thumb C league about a possible two-division conference.

The two divisions champions would play each other for a conference championship. "Our main objective is to merge with the Thumb C," Drury said.

A four-team league would possibly mean that each team would play other league members twice each year in football and four times each season in basketball.

Non-league games would be played with members of the TCC, as has been the practice in previous years. The four-team league would also allow league competition in wrestling, golf, and tennis, which most Thumb C schools don't offer.

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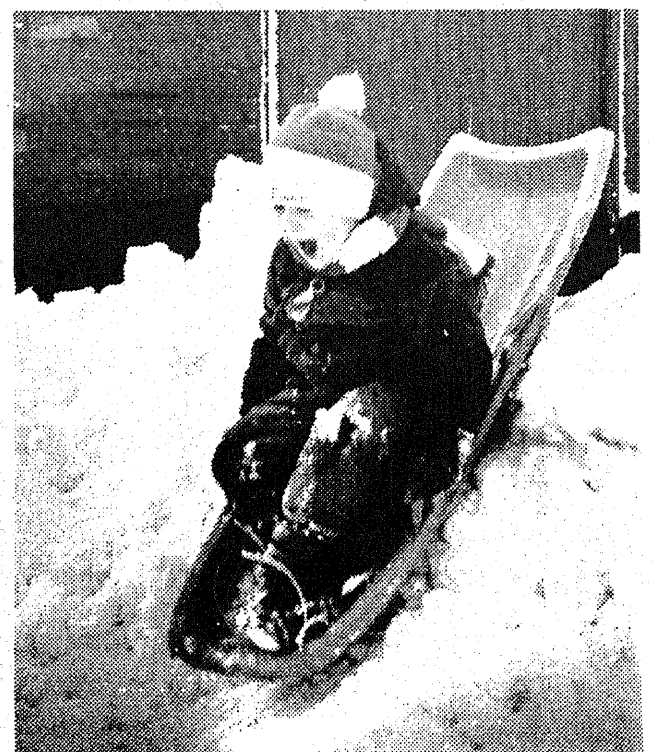
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THROUGH TUESDAY, MAR. 6, 1990

NEWS FLASH!

Las Vegas Night, originally planned for snow-stormed Saturday, Feb. 24, has been re-scheduled for SATURDAY, MARCH 31 at 6:30 p.m. at the Pigeon VFW Hall, by Pigeon Chamber of Commerce. WATCH FOR DETAILS!



AMY HEIDEN SNOWY PHOTOS



LAKER SPORTS TEAMS ARE HEADING INTO DISTRICT TOURNAMENTS. SEE CENTER PAGE.

Best Wishes As You Play In

District Volleyball Competition



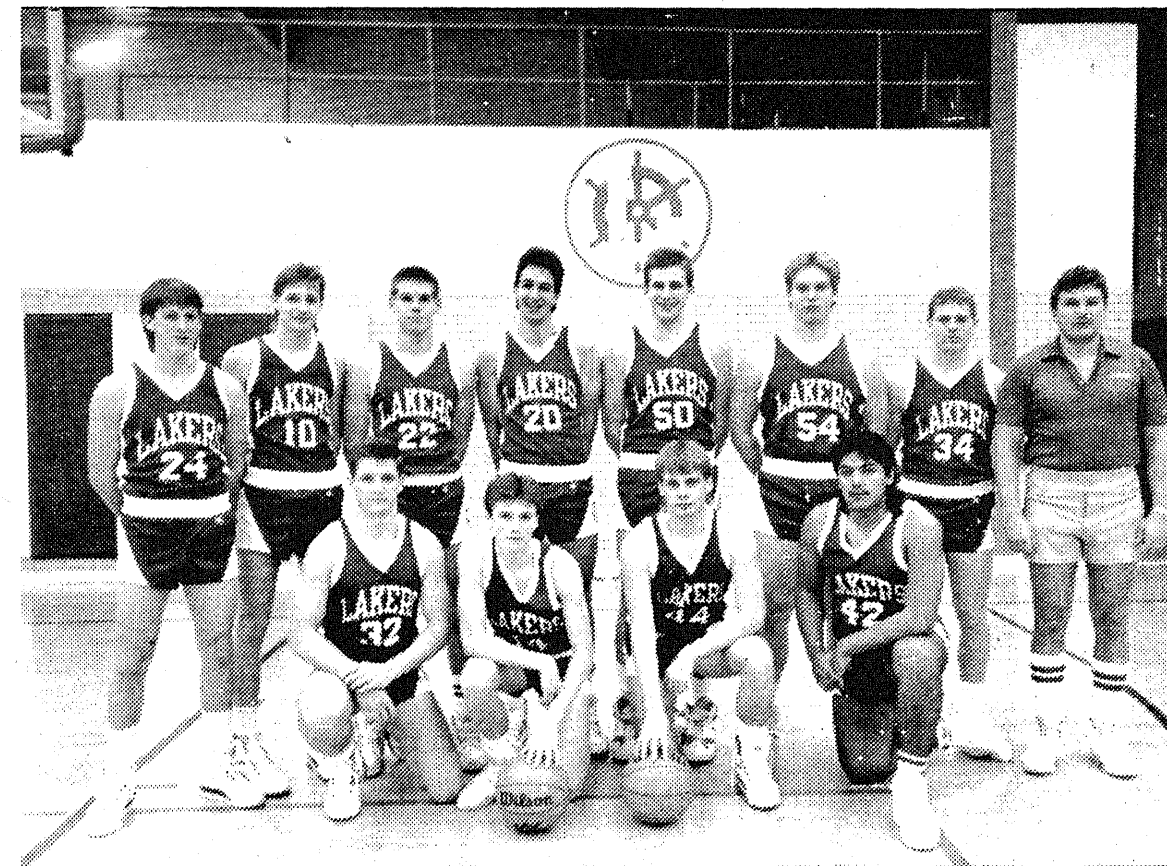
THE 1989-90 GIRLS VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM are, front row from left: Brenda Beyer, Jenny Henne, Melissa Haley, Lynn Roestel, Kathy Buschlen. Back Row: Tracie Henne, Tammy Smith, Sara Bush, Anne Sturm, Heather Clark, Amy Terrian, Brenday Buschlen.

Laker Girls' Volleyball Team



will play in
District Competition
March 3 at 1:00 pm
at Laker High School

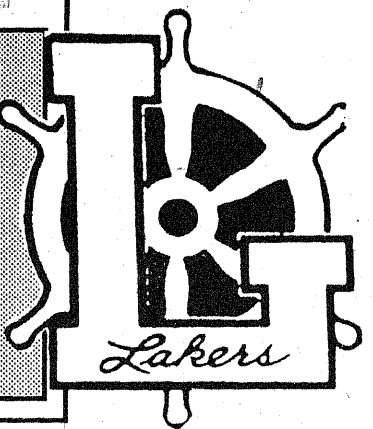
District Basketball Competition



THE 1989-90 LAKER VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM are, front row from left: Mike Keefer, Craig Sears, Kevin Fritz, Dan Gonzales. Back row: Jeremy Esch, Brian Fritz, Rick Dufty, Bill McLellan, Brian Bushey, Rick Behm, Reggie Ignash, Coach Bill McLellan.

Laker Boys' Basketball Team

will play in
District Competition
during the week of March 5
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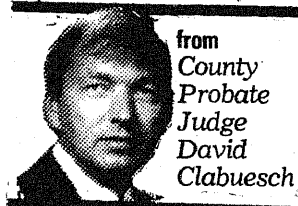
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NEWS THAT COUNTS FROM THE COUNTY



HURON COUNTY PROBATE COURT
February 15 - 21

from County Probate Judge David Clabuesch

Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Lloyd S. Forbing, Deceased, of Florida. File 29,028. Independent Probate, Closing Statement filed.

Estate of Mary Swartzendruber, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 29,327. Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.

Estate of Edward F. Gilbert, Deceased, of Sebawaing. File 29,999. Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.

Estate of Walter H. Schmidt, Deceased, of Sebawaing. File 23,032. Supervised Trusteeship, Order Allowing Account filed.

Estate of Alice Lillian Cochran Mark, Deceased, of Canada. File 29,509. Supervised Probate, Order Allowing Final Account and Assigning Residue filed.

Estate of Erwin C. Gehrke, Deceased, of Caseville. File 29,088. Supervised Probate, Order Allowing Final Account and Assigning Residue filed.

Estate of Blanche Anderson, Deceased, of Elktion. File 29,499. Independent Probate, Order For Court Supervision filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Alice R. Duda, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 28,956. Supervised Probate, Order of Discharge filed.

Estate of Lorraine B. Zimmerman, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 29,403. Supervised Probate, Agreement in Modification of Will of Deceased filed, 2 Waivers and Consents filed, Order Approving Petition to Modify Will filed, Satisfaction and Release of Claim filed.

Estate of Leonard Sochacki, Deceased, of Caseville. File 28,265. Independent Probate Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.

Estate of Karen Sue Hiller, Deceased, of Elktion. File 27,849. Supervised Probate, 10 Receipts of Distributive Share filed.

Estate of Ida Johnson, Deceased of Port Hope. File 28,318. Supervised Probate, Waiver and Consent filed.

Estate of Laura M. Lenzner, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,488. Supervised Probate, Re-Notice of Taking Deposition filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of George J. Roggelin, Sr., Deceased, of Elktion. File 29,717. Independent Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Elsie Weils, Deceased, of Port Hope. File 29,708. Supervised Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Joseph Charles Deman, Deceased, of South Carolina. File 29,529. Supervised Probate, Final Account of Personal Representative filed.

Estate of Verica C. Ornowski, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 29,723. Will filed.

Estate of Larry Edward Peters, Deceased, of Ubyly. File 26,585. Supervised Probate, Amended Sixth and Final Account of Personal Representative filed, Waiver and Consent filed, Notice of

Estate of Doris McGowan, Deceased, of Arizona. File 28,959. Independent Probate Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.

Estate of Elsie H. Ayotte, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 29,685. Independent Probate, Order Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Gerald R. Vacekonis, Deceased, of Port Hope. File 29,692. Supervised Probate, 4 Waivers and Consents filed, Order Appointing Personal Representative filed, Bond of Fiduciary filed, Letters of Authority filed, Order Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Charles Ray Wyrick, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,682. Independent Probate, Order Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Verna Clancy, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,676. Independent Probate, Order Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Josephine McCrimmon, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,689. Independent Probate, Order Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Anna M. Susalla, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,716. Independent Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Lester W. Gingrich, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,713. Independent Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Howard Clinton Hauck, Jr., Deceased, of Caseville. File 29,052. Independent Probate, Personal Representative's Statement of Fees filed.

from County Register of Deeds Frances Holdwick

HURON COUNTY WARRANTY DEEDS
February 14 - 20

Betty A. Mazure to Fred Mazure and Mary Ann; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

Robert F. Peyerck and Carol B. to Allen D. Gunn; a parcel of land located in Section 35 of Bloomfield Twp.

Edward James Tyrrell and Deniece Ann to Lawrence John Mazza and Vicky Jane; a parcel of land located in the Village of Port Hope.

Nancy K. Smith, Robert W. Smith and Mary and Susan K. Catton to Louis M. Schilling and Wendy A.; a parcel of land located in the Village of Port Austin.

Louis M. Schilling and Wendy A. to David B. McGrath and Terry Korn; a parcel of land located in the Village of Port Austin.

Matilda B. Peruski to Norman J. Pokley; a parcel of land located in Section 28 of Paris Twp.

Robert H. Peruski and Jane I. to David M. Wrubie; a parcel of land located in Section 32 of Bingham Twp.

Agnes Heleski to Stanley J. Heleski and Dorothy J.; a parcel of land located in Section 27 of Sheridan Twp.

Estate of Francis William Wurm to Kathleen Wurm; a parcel of land located in Section 17 of McKinley Twp.

Joseph C. Nemeskal and Della L. to David E. Funk and Lynn A.; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

William L. Rice and Treasure to Colleen Corbett; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

Wilford Emil Blucholtz and Linda Lee Bucholtz to David L. Armstead and Barbara J.; a parcel of land located in Section 4 of Bloomfield Twp.

Louis J. Reid and Margaret to Robert P. Reid and Linda A.; a parcel of land located in Section 30 of Sherman Twp.

Farm Credit Bank of St. Paul MN to Donald R. Schuette and Dale K. Schuette; a parcel of land located in Section 15 of Chandler Twp.

North Shore Developers, Inc. to Stella Janet Falendysz and Karen Linda Falendysz; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.

Marie P. Edwards to Douglas Orton and Pauline; a parcel of land located in Section 20 of Verona Twp.



HURON COUNTY CLERK
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DISSOLUTION

RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC, 2400 Main, Ubyly, MI 48475. By: Jerome P. Peruski. Filed: 2/16/90.

CASEVILLE GROOMER, 4925 Mike's Drive, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Harry R. Camp. Filed: 2/20/90.

HAROR VIEW FLOWER & GIFT GALLERY, 6675 Main Street, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Diane M. Patterson. Filed: 2/20/90.

HURON COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
Week of February 19

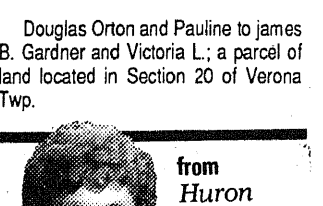
Daniel D. Forman and Colleen A. Stahl.

HURON COUNTY CO-PARTNERSHIPS
Week of February 19

HARBOR VIEW FLOWER & GIFT GALLERY, 6675 Main Street, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Patrick C. & Diane M. Patterson, 5867 Port Austin Road, Caseville, MI 48725 and Allen E. & Bridget F. Glasgow, 466 N. Back, Sebawaing, MI 48759 and Eric Thompson, 1076 Chatwell, Davison, MI 48423. Filed: 2/20/90.

HURON COUNTY JUDGMENTS OF DIVORCE

Tina M. King -vs- David E. King.
Nancy M. Roberts -vs- Gary O. Roberts.



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HURON COUNTY ASSUMED NAMES
Week of February 19

NO. 5002 LEE'S PREMIUM GREENS, 44 Bay Port Road, Bay Port, MI 48720. By: Leland Swartzendruber, 44 Bay Port Road, Bay Port, MI 48720. Filed: 2/14/90.

NO. 5003 NORMS PLACE FAMILY RESTAURANT, 139 S. Huron Avenue, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. By: Allan N. Witherspoon, 211 Redman Street, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. Filed: 2/14/90.

NO. 5004 GINTNER BUILDERS, 188 Richardson Road, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: John Gintner, 188 Richardson Road, Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed: 2/16/90.

NO. 5005 LTHE HAIR GALLERY, 108 S. Port Crescent, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: Megan C. Zurek, 125 S. Heisterman, Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed: 2/16/90.

NO. 5006 BRICE'S HIGH TECH ELECTRONICS, 5426 Duffy Road, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Brice Dell, 5426 Duffy Road, Caseville, MI 48725. Filed: 2/16/90.

NO. 5007 EMERICK PRINTING AND PAPER SUPPLY, 7954 School Street, Port Hope, MI 48468. By: Steven L. Emerick, 7954 School Street, Port Hope, MI 48468. Filed: 2/16/90.

NO. 5008 GEROMETTA ASSOCIATES - GREAT LAKES POWER WASHING, 4985 Caseville Road, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Betty J. Gerometta, Robert L. Gerometta, 4985 Caseville Road, Caseville, MI 48725. Filed: 2/16/90.

NO. 5009 THUMB INJECTION MOLD SERVICES, 555 Skinner Street, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: Timothy L. Polk, Linda L. Proper, 4656 Atkins Road, Vassar, MI 48758. Filed: 2/20/90.

NO. 5010 H & H INSULATION & ROOFING COMPANY, 60 N. Mullen Street, Elktion, MI 48731. By: Terry Lee Heck, 4930 Cleveland Street, Elktion, MI 48731. Filed: 2/20/90.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE
Caseville, Michigan

The Caseville Village Council will hold a public hearing on March 19, 1990 at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room of the Village/Township Hall, 6767 Main Street, Caseville, Michigan, to show the intent to establish a tax increment financing and 2 mill levy for the Downtown Development District.

PAMELA J. STAHL - Village Controller

OFFICIAL NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE
Caseville, Michigan

The Caseville Village Council will hold a public hearing on March 19, 1990 at 6:30 p.m. in the conference room of the Village/Township Hall, 6767 Main Street, Caseville, Michigan, to review the proposed wetlands and watercourses ordinance for the Village of Caseville. Possible adoption may follow at the regular meeting of the Caseville Village Council on March 19, 1990 at 7:30 p.m.

PAMELA J. STAHL - Village Controller

NOTICE

Appointment of members to the following Boards will be made by the Huron County Board of Commissioners:

HURON COUNTY CONSTRUCTION BOARD OF APPEALS:
1 General Contractor
2 Electrical Contractors
2 Plumbing and/or Mechanical Contractors

HURON COUNTY HOUSING COMMISSION:
2 Members

PLANNING COMMISSION:
3 Members

HEALTH BOARD:
1 Member

HURON COUNTY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS:
1 Member

THE GREATER SAGINAW BAY FISHING CONSORTIUM:
1 Member

Persons interested must submit a letter of intent to the Chairman of the Huron County Board of Commissioners, County Building, Bad Axe, MI 48413 no later than March 9th.

OFFICIAL NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE
Caseville, Michigan

The Village of Caseville is asking for sealed bids on unleaded gasoline with minimum octane of 89, plus premium diesel fuel for the period of April 1, 1990 to April 1, 1991. Deliveries to be in minimum quantities of 350 gallons with metered tickets. Gasoline must not contain alcohol. Bids are to be submitted reflecting prices as of March 12, 1990. Deadline for submitting bids to the Village controller's office is 4:00 p.m. on Monday, March 19, 1990. The Village of Caseville reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

PAMELA J. STAHL - Village Controller

PUBLIC MEETING WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

The HURON COUNTY PARK TRUSTEES have scheduled a Public Meeting to be held on February 28, 1990 at 8:00 p.m. in the meeting room of the Arena Building at the Huron County Fairgrounds, Bad Axe.

This meeting is being held to receive public comment on future methods of funding the 9 Park Huron County Park System.

Written comments will be accepted at the meeting, or may be mailed to the Huron County Road Commission, P.O. Box 270, Bad Axe, MI 48413. All written comments should be received no later than March 6, 1990.

**HURON COUNTY PARK TRUSTEES • G. Wayne Henne, Chairman
Marvin Kociba, Vice-Chairman • John M. Hunt, Commissioner**

Thumb area senior weekly round-up

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS
President Mike Renn welcomed thirty members and guests to the Feb. 20 meeting of the Elkton Senior Citizens. Member Beulah Motz was welcomed back after a long absence. John Walkup was a special guest.

Mildred Tilt offered the table prayer before the potluck meal.

The afternoon session began with the group singing "America, the Beautiful" and reciting the Pledge to the Flag. Ardis and Clayton Gemmell were in charge of music.

Renn introduced John Walkup, principal of the Learning Center and supervisor of speech therapy for the Huron Intermediate School District. Walkup provided information about the program of the Learning Center and the need for increased millage.

The birthdays of Alvina Walsh and Della Trudgen were recognized with the birthday song.

Greetings were received from the Hal Conkeys.

Della Trudgen gave a reading of "The Tentmaker." Edna Wakefield is to chair the Feb. 27 program.

Feb. 20-26 were Jean Lipiec, Anna McBride, Tony Kolter and Elsie Trowbridge. Celebrating their 45th wedding anniversary was Albet and Pearl Janes.

Thanks for reading The Progress-Advance. We appreciate it!

WINSOR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

FEBRUARY 6, 1990

The regular meeting of the Winsor Township Board was called to order by Marlin Rathje at 7:00 p.m. on Feb. 6, 1990.

Present: Clare Dast, Dianne Kohr, Marlin Rathje, Jack Sturm and tardy, Bob Armbruster. John Walsh was also present.

Absent: None.

A motion was made by Jack Sturm and seconded by Clare Dast to approve the minutes of the Jan. 2, 1990 meeting. Carried.

A motion was made by Marlin Rathje and seconded by Jack Sturm to approve accounts payable for February and to increase mileage expense to .25 / 2 cents. Carried.

John Walsh gave a summary on FICA and withholding taxes for township employees.

A motion was made by Marlin Rathje and seconded by Clare Dast to hold an annual township meeting. Carried.

A motion was made by Dianne Kohr and seconded by Marlin Rathje that all wages and salaries per diem to remain the same for fiscal year 1990-1991. Carried.

A motion was made by Marlin Rathje and seconded by Dianne Kohr to adjourn. Carried.

**Dianne Kohr
Winsor Township Clerk**

CASEVILLE RETIREMENT CLUB

Vice president Betty Smith opened the Caseville Retirement Club meeting of Feb. 21 with the Lord's Prayer and Pledge to the Flag with 107 members in attendance.

Thanks was given to Marion Parent and assistant Louise Gerrard for taking blood pressures of 48 members.

"Earlybird" goodies were brought in by Helen Gayari, Ceil Peyok and Jo Fitzpatrick.

Welcomed back was Marion Gardner and Stanette Melosky.

Birthdays celebrated for

The Chandler Township Board Meeting will be held March 6, 1990 at 8:00 p.m. at the Chandler Township Hall.

**Glenn Iddings
Chandler Township Clerk**

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF

Bad Axe Public Schools, Huron County, Michigan
Caseville Public School, Huron County, Michigan
Church School, Huron County, Michigan
Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools, Huron County, Michigan
Harbor Beach Community School District, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan
North Huron Schools, Huron County, Michigan
Owendale-Gagetown Area School District, Huron and Tuscola Counties, Michigan
Port Hope Community Schools, Huron County, Michigan
Red School, Huron County, Michigan
School District No. 7, Frl. of Bloomfield, Lincoln, Sigel and Verona Townships, Huron County, Michigan (Rapson School)
School District No. 1, Frl. of Colfax, Lincoln, Meade and Verona Townships, Huron County, Michigan (Big Burning School)
School District No. 3, Frl. of Sigel, Bloomfield and Verona Townships, Huron County, Michigan (Adams School)
School District No. 4, Frl. of Sigel, Bloomfield and Sand Beach Townships, Huron County, Michigan (Eccles School);
School District No. 6 of Sigel Township, Huron County, Michigan (Kipper School);
School District No. 1, Frl. of Verona and Sigel Townships, Huron County, Michigan (Verona Mills School)
Ubyly Community Schools, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan

TO BE HELD MARCH 5, 1990

TO THE ELECTORS OF EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT:
Please Take Notice that the Boards of Education of the above named school districts, pursuant to a directive from the Intermediate School Board of Huron Intermediate School District, Michigan, have called special elections to be held in each of the districts on Monday, March 5, 1990.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL BE OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

The following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special intermediate school district election:

SPECIAL EDUCATION MILLAGE PROPOSITION

Shall the 1 mill limitation (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation on the annual property tax previously approved by the electors of Huron Intermediate School District, Michigan, for the education of handicapped persons be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation?

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:
BAD AXE PUBLIC SCHOOLS Voting Place: Gymnasium of Bad Axe High School, 750 South Van Dyke, Bad Axe, Michigan
CASEVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL Voting Place: Gymnasium of Caseville Public School, 6609 Vine Street, Caseville, Michigan
CHURCH SCHOOL Voting Place: Schoolhouse
ELKTON-PIGEON-BAY PORT SCHOOLS Voting Place: Laker High School Student Center, 6136 Pigeon Road, Pigeon, Michigan

- Verona and Sigel Townships (Verona Mills School)
Helen Kopack, Secretary
Caseville Public School
Regina Lasoski, Secretary
Church School
Jane L. Christner, Secretary
Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schls.
Larry Vignenski, Secretary
North Huron Schools
Sam Ingram, Secretary
Port Hope Community Schools
James Schomack, Secretary
School District #7, Frl. of Bloomfield, Lincoln, Sigel and Verona Townships (Rapson School)
Richard Learman, Secretary
School District #3, Frl. of Sigel, Bloomfield and Verona Townships (Adams School)
Marian O'Parka, Secretary
School District #6 of Sigel Township (Kipper School)
John Rutkowski, Secretary
Ubyly Community Schools

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Bluebird workshop set Sunday at Port Crescent

In a continuing effort to bring back the bluebirds, Port Crescent State Park and the Huron Audubon Club will present a "Bring Back the Bluebird" workshop on Sunday, March 4 at 1 p.m. at park headquarters.

The workshop is sponsored by Michigan's Nongame Wildlife Fund, which is funded through direct contributions or state income tax donations. Look for the Loon.

The workshops are part of the statewide "Homes for Wildlife" program launched

in 1985 by the fund to overcome the serious shortage of nesting sites in Michigan for cavity-nesting birds.

Featured at each workshop will be a film entitled "Bluebirds...Bring Them Back;" a step-by-step demonstration on how to build a bluebird nest box; other types of cavity nest boxes favored by kestrels, owls, wood ducks and other species.

A map of the existing bluebird trail and a display by the Huron Audubon Club,

plus a report of the success of last year's nest box workshop will also be available. The state's nesting population of bluebirds has dropped nearly 90 percent during the last 50 years according to the Audubon Club.

This sharp decline is traced to a loss of natural nesting sites (cavities in older trees and wooden fence posts); shortages of open grasslands as a result of changing farming practices and urban development; and competition

from the English sparrow and starling. The workshop will also include a drawing for some bluebird boxes, refreshments and displays.

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Thank-You
Thank you for your support in the recent primary race for Treasurer in the Village of Elkton. Your continued support would be appreciated in the March 12 election.
— Max McKenzie

NOTICE - VILLAGE OF CASEVILLE RESIDENTS
The general election for the Village of Caseville will be conducted on Monday, March 12, 1990. Polls will be open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m.
The following persons have filed petitions for the following offices:
FRANK L. MALOSKY, President (2 year term)
MICHAEL A. POWER, President (2 year term)
ALICE M. HART, Clerk (2 year term)
BRUCE W. McCORMICK, Council Member (4 year term)
LEE MEBIDETH, Council Member (4 year term)
THOMAS H. ROSE, Council Member (4 year term)
FORREST N. WILLIAMS, Council Member (4 year term)
PAMELA J. STAHL - Village Controller/Deputy Clerk

Thanks for reading The Progress-Advance We appreciate it!

REGULAR MEETING OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL, FEBRUARY 12, 1990

Meeting called to order by President Malosky at 7:30 p.m. Roll call: present - Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Lea Merideth, Arliss Kraft, William Goslee, Dave Lecznar, Alice Hart, Frank Malosky, Absent - none.

Motion to approve minutes of the January 8, 1990 regular meeting as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion to approve transfer list as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Resolution to pay bills as presented. All ayes. Resolution carried.

A Resolution 90-24 to request that the Army Corps of Engineers and the Department of Natural Resources consider the feasibility of a breakwall at the mouth of the Pigeon River on the westerly side. All ayes. Resolution carried.

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Water: Resolution 90-14 authorizing Patricia Rowe to attend the Water Bacteriology and Chemistry for Water Treatment Plant Operators, and the Water Treatment short course #1 with costs not to exceed \$700. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 90-18 Authorizing the sale of 3 submergible water pumps and one control panel with related piping as is/where is for a cost of \$500 to George Bush. Ayes: McCormick, Merideth, Kraft, Goslee, Lecznar. Nays: Williams. Resolution Carried.

Motion to authorize Robert Peter, DPW Supervisor and Arliss Kraft, Councilman, to sign agreement with Vollmer Ready Mix for the removal of a Village Well House. All ayes. Motion Carried.

DPW/Res: Resolution 90-15 to designate Robert Peter, DPW Superintendent as the Street Administrator for the Village of Caseville. All ayes. Resolution Carried.

Finance: Resolution 90-13 to approve hiring Melvin P. Dutcher, C.P.A. for the 1990-1991, 1991-1992 and 1992-1993 Village Audits as bid. All ayes. Resolution Carried.

Motion to rebudget items as presented. All ayes. Motion Carried.

Resolution 90-21 designating banking institutions as depositories for the 1990-1991 fiscal year. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Motion to hold a public hearing on February 26, 1990 at 7:30 p.m. to hear public comments on the proposed Village of Caseville 1990-1991 fiscal year budget. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion to hold a special Village Council meeting on February 26, 1990 at 8:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to adopt the 1990-1991 Fiscal Year Budget, year end 1989-1990 budget adjustments and any further general business of the council. All ayes. Motion carried.

Resolution 90-16 to advertise for gas bids for the period of April 1, 1990 to April 1, 1991. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 90-22 to make payment to the Caseville Village/TWP Harbor Commission in the amount of \$3886.85 which represents one half of the cost of paving the Village/TWP parking lot. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution 90-23 authorizing Shelley Lisowski and one member of the DDA to attend the seminar on tax increment financing with costs not to exceed \$375 and further authorizing Shelley Lisowski to attend the seminar on maximizing cash and investment income with costs not to exceed \$126. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Sewers: Resolution 90-20 to hold a public hearing on March 19, 1990 at 6:30 p.m. to review the proposed wetlands and watercourses ordinances. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Resolution to appoint as recommended by the Village Election Commission, the following as Village Election inspectors for the March 12, 1990 Village general election, contingent upon a certification requirements: Roberta Stahl, Mary Phillips, Leona Langely, Grace Cile, Cassie Kopek (Alternate) Alice Scopanski (Alternate), Elvie L. Battane (Alternate). Mary Phillips shall act as chairperson. Inspectors and alternates, if needed, shall be required to work the hours of 6:00 am until the election process is completed on election day, March 12, 1990. Inspectors and alternates shall be paid \$5 per hour of service, including class time spent on February 16, 1990. All ayes. Resolution Carried.

Resolution 90-19 to hold a public hearing on March 19, 1990 at 7:00 p.m. to show the intent to establish a tax increment financing and 2 mill levy for the DDA district and to further hold a Public Hearing on April 9, 1990 at 7:00 P.m. for the possible adoption of a tax increment financing and 2 mill levy for the DDA district. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Motion to re-appoint David Poisson to the Construction Board of Appeals, term to expire 2-95 All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion to re-appoint Melvin P. Dutcher to the Village/TWP Harbor Commission, term to expires 11/92. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion to give the Knights of Columbus permission to solicit funds on April 6, 7 and 8, 1990 for Mental Retardation Programs. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn at 9:35 p.m. All ayes. Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted:
Alice Hart, Village Clerk

(A complete copy of the minutes may be obtained by contacting the Village Hall)

Hospital notes

These patients are listed in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, as of Monday, Feb. 26:
ELKTON: Bryan Nicholas SEBEWAING: Clara Gettel, Robert Beletsky, Joshua Hornbacher
CAGETOWN: Michael Loeffler
PIGEON: Orvin Yordy, Garret Dean, Maxine Walsh, Thomas Watterworth and John Steckley.

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|--|-------|---------|--|-------|---------|
| Board of review will meet on Monday, March 12 and Tuesday March 13, 1990, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., and Saturday, March 17 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Caseville Township Hall for the purpose of hearing objection. | | | Board of review will meet on Monday, March 12 and Tuesday March 13, 1990, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the McKinley Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto. | | |
| AG | 44.22 | 1.13071 | AG | 47.06 | 1.06247 |
| COM | 50.00 | 1.00000 | COM | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
| IND | 50.00 | 1.00000 | IND | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
| RES | 46.89 | 1.06633 | RES | 45.94 | 1.08838 |
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| DEV | ---- | ----- | DEV | ---- | ----- |
| PERS | 50.00 | 1.00000 | PERS | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
| ROSE MARIE SPIES, Clerk | | | HERMAN RATHKE, Supervisor | | |
| BROOKFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW | | | WINSOR TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW | | |
| Board of review will meet on Monday, March 12 and Tuesday March 13, 1990, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Community Building in Owendale. | | | Board of review will meet on Monday, March 12 and Tuesday March 13, 1990, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Winsor Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto. | | |
| AG | 47.66 | 1.04910 | AG | 47.84 | 1.04515 |
| COM | 50.00 | 1.00000 | COM | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
| IND | 50.00 | 1.00000 | IND | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
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| WALTON BROWN, Supervisor | | | BOB ARMBRUSTER, Supervisor | | |
| CHANDLER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW | | | FAIR HAVEN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW | | |
| Board of review will meet on Monday, March 12 and Tuesday March 13, 1990, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., at the Chandler Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto. | | | Board of review will meet on Monday, March 12 and Tuesday March 13, 1990, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Fair Haven Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing any objections thereto. | | |
| AG | 47.03 | 1.06315 | AG | 43.37 | 1.15287 |
| COM | 50.00 | 1.00000 | COM | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
| IND | ---- | ----- | IND | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
| RES | 49.38 | 1.01256 | RES | 48.39 | 1.03327 |
| TC | ---- | ----- | TC | 32.76 | 1.52625 |
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| PERS | 50.00 | 1.00000 | PERS | 50.00 | 1.00000 |
| WILLIAM DUFTY, Supervisor | | | WILLIAM FORGE, Supervisor | | |
| OLIVER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW | | | | | |
| Board of review will meet on Monday, March 12, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., and Tuesday, March 13 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, and 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Oliver Township Hall, Elkton for the purpose of reviewing the assessment rolls with the tentative factor of 1.000 and assessments at 50%. | | | | | |
| | | | LAWRENCE KROHN, Supervisor | | |

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It's 5 a.m. and I can't sleep. What's that noise, is it a jeep? It's the PICK-UP without fail, Owned by Wertz, name of Dale.
Gov. Blanchard should not be re-elected next time, because of his veto.
All those things that the Caseville Council and employees are making happen are going to cost the residents money. Just wait until you see your taxes go up. Can you afford it? Get out and vote.
I would like to commend the Laker Junior High staff for doing such a good job at the Spaghetti Dinner for and with the kids! Some schools leave all this to the parents.
I am really impressed with the Junior High, and they should be proud of setting the record with 1484 diners served. I feel the kids are really cared for. Thanks, Laker Junior High staff!
I have a bet to settle. I enjoy eating popcorn with ketchup on it. My friends laugh, but it is good. Does anyone else like ketchup on their popcorn?
Disposable diapers are a major cause of the pollution problems we have. They are used once, then thrown away. They should be outlawed.
Snow removal crews in Elkton and the county itself are very good. People who complain are the same ones who push their driveway snow out into the road and then complain more. Our people do very good jobs.

There is this guy who lives in a big house and sometimes he answers to the name of mouse. He is getting old, he forgets so much. Sometimes I think he is about to lose touch. Now I remember HIS birthday because I've been taught, to respect my elders, no matter what I thought. Happy Birthday!
I am so tired of the local radio people. They are so bad. I listen to out-of-town stations because I want to listen to someone at least as smart as I am.
We would like to thank everyone who attended, worked or brought supplies and desserts to the Band Boosters' Soup and Sandwich Supper. With your help, our Supper was a great success. Signed, Ways and Means Committee.
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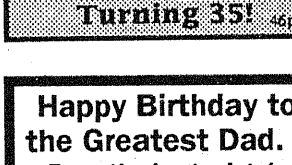
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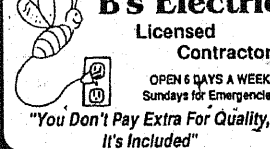
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God Bless all of you,
Bonnie Coones* 46cb

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talization and since
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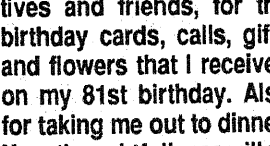
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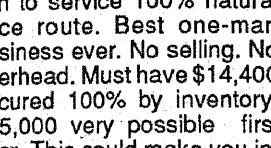
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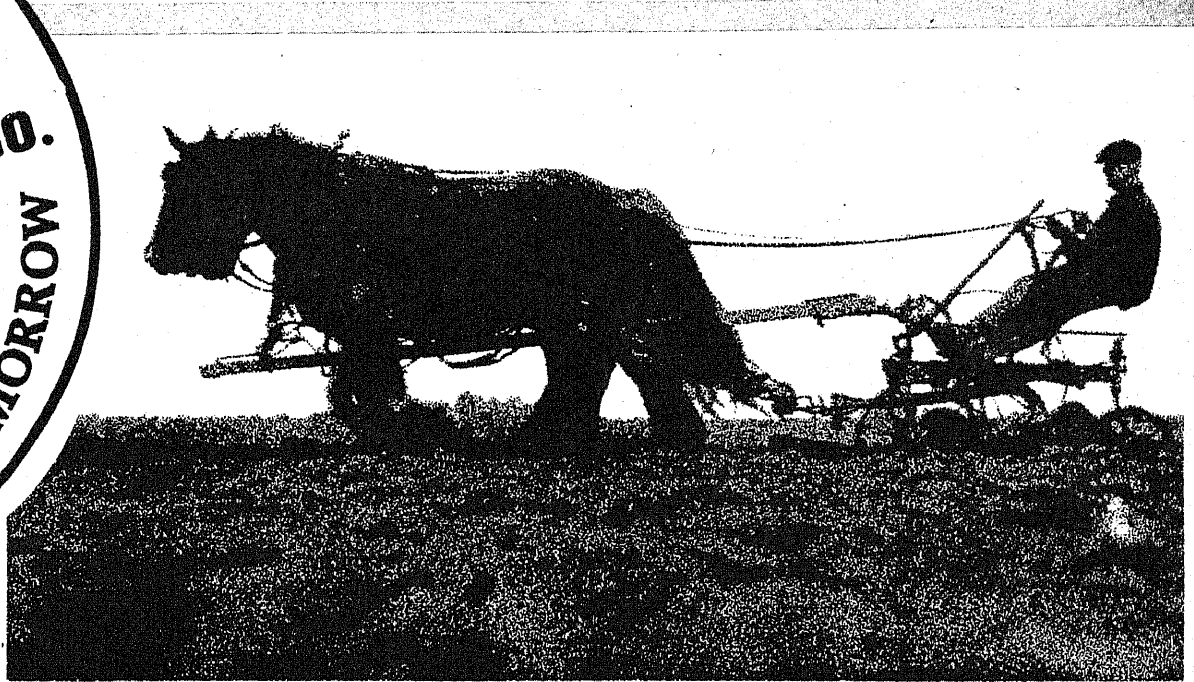
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