

Bad Axe vet combines love of animals with art

Bad Axe veterinarian Dr. Richard Short, a Bad Axe veterinarian has commissioned a magnificent bronze sculpture depicting the close bond that develops over the years between veterinarians and their farm clients.

Enlisting the aid of nationally known sculptor Steve Streadbeck, the sculpture entitled "Birth of a Purebred" was cast in the "lost wax" method, and is wonderfully detailed, according to Dr. Short.

The piece captures the typical attitude of the newborn calf with characteristic wet droopy ears, cocked ankles, and tucked-in tail.

The veterinarian in the bronze, modeled after Dr. David Wakefield, has slipped one arm out of his covers and rolled up a shirt sleeve. The young farmer has one sleeve rolled up from an earlier delivery attempt. His wife, with an unsure expression, puts a hand on her husband's back.

Only 50 of the bronze sculptures will be produced, Dr. Short says, making the piece truly a collector's item.

"In the sculpture, I wanted to demonstrate the close working relationship that most veterinarians develop with their clients. Over the years, people become more than clients, they become friends," Dr. Short says in explaining his sculpture.

The bronze will be on display at the Reiman-Snyder Furniture Store in Bad Axe

this Friday, April 27, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m., and the public is invited to view it at no charge.

CF Bike-a-thon needs riders and sponsors

Bay Port beach bikers of all ages are expected to pedal away to raise money for research for cystic fibrosis on Saturday, May 5, according to event chairman Sandy Chalou.

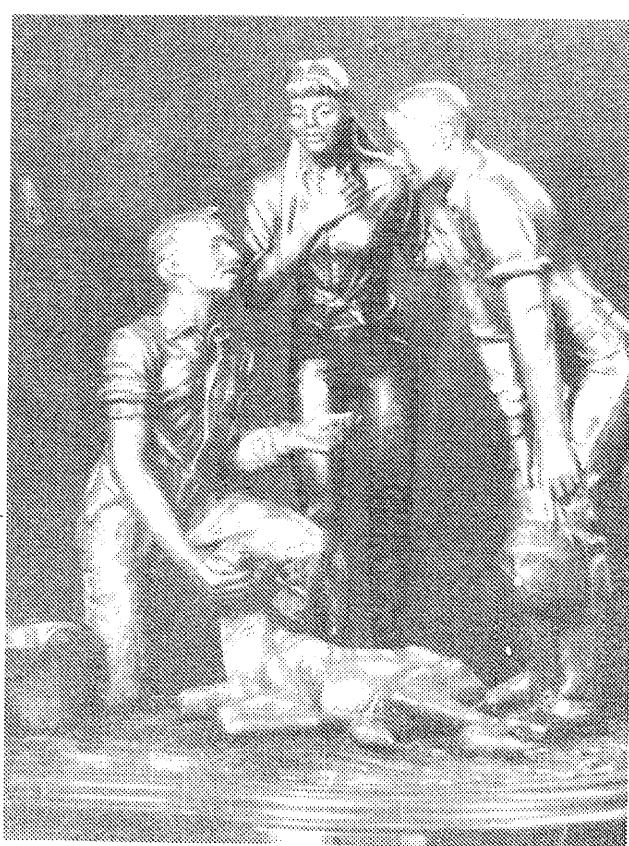
"The day promises to be fun-filled and a great opportunity for the entire community to pull together," she says.

"Riders will compete for some terrific prizes including Yamaha keyboards, bikes to RCA 20" color TVs based on the amount of money they raise."

"If someone can't ride, they can still take part by sponsoring riders to help them win these prizes," she added. According to the chairman, all participants who raise \$35 or more will receive a colorful bike-a-thon T-shirt.

The Bay Port bike-a-thon is one of over 1,000 bike-a-thons taking place across the nation to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. These events annually raise millions of dollars to fund research that is searching for a treatment that will prolong the lives of people with cystic fibrosis.

Anyone who would like to take part in the bike-a-thon for cystic fibrosis should contact Chalou at 656-3221.



Dr. Short's bronze sculpture depicts "birth of a purebred."

Lake-Chandler

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Holodnick and children Evan and Onaja of Ann Arbor visited their mother, Leone Holodnick.

Mr. and Mrs. William McBride spent a few days with Don and Judy Ahearn of Saginaw. The Ahearns entertained for Easter at their home on Houghton Lake.

Scheurer Hospital notes

(* denotes discharged patient)

Port Austin -- Richard Pettit*
Bad Axe -- Diane Azar*
Caseville -- William Heiden*, Deland DeWitt*
Pigeon -- Mae Jones*, Master Kevin Sprague, Bessie Hahn, Linda Cleaver and Ervin Buchholz,
Owendale -- Miss Rose Faupel.

BIRTHS

Born to Tina Schave and Thomas Gemmill, Owendale, a son, **Justin Thomas Gemmill**, on April 22.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. David (Arlowene) Dunn, Bay Port, a daughter, **Sarah Jane Dunn**, on April 23.

Lake Huron Chorus plans evening event

Lake Huron Chorus of Sweet Adelines will present their annual Family and Friends Night at 8 pm Monday, April 30, in Huron Medical Care Facility's Cafeteria, Bad Axe.

Chorus members will perform their competition songs in full costume, in appreciation for the support of their families throughout the year.

Local singers who will present their barbershop style of music for the special night include Ruth Flint of Sebawaing and Carol Beitz of Gageton.

Chorus members will host their own dinner show Friday, May 18, at the Colony House near Cass City. Chorus members and Colony House have tickets, available only in advance.

The public is invited to Monday evening's chorus concert at Bad Axe.

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

WALLEYES, PERCH DISCUSSED

Michigan DNR officials say Walleyes and White Perch are fish of the future in area waters, following the District MUCC meeting at the Sebawaing Sportsmen's Club last week.

DNR Region 3 biologist Don Reynolds of Lansing and acting Fisheries biologist James Baker of Bay City told those in attendance they believe there are many more WALLEYES in Saginaw Bay than the DNR can account for through release of fingerlings. That would indicate there is some natural reproduction going on.

Tagging YELLOW PERCH may help solve the question of whether the Perch population is mostly local or migrating, the men said. Perch in Saginaw Bay are slow growers, while fish in the outer bay, Sand Point and AuGres grow faster.

WHITE PERCH received considerable attention from the biologists and audience, and the DNR men asked anglers to "try them before you knock them." They grow considerably faster than Yellow Perch, the speakers said, with two-year-olds reaching five inches, growing to seven inches in three years and to nine inches in four years.

"They taste like ocean perch," the speakers said. A new view was gained about White Perch when two were recently found in the stomach of a Walleye.

NEW DEVELOPMENTS include more findings of stocks of Yellow Perch, and that fish from various areas tend to mix, rather than develop a new genetic stock. Great Lakes fisheries commissions will soon have to decide if the goal of natural reproduction of fish is a viable plan, they said.

WATCH OUT FOR THE ZEBRAS!

Warning that "whatever is in the ocean can come into the Great Lakes," the DNR men were firm in their instructions to combat ZEBRA MUSSELS. "If you fish in Lake Erie," they said, "for God's sake look over your boat, your motor, and follow up by washing, even scrubbing, your equipment with a one-part ammonia in 10-part water bath to kill the zebbras. "And don't take your boat into inland lakes after it's been in Lake Erie," they added.

They said there is now a copper-based bottom paint that is considered helpful in combating movement of the mussels. They like a hard surface to attach to, and a single mussel can produce 30-40 million annually.

DNR officials are "greatly concerned" about the mussels because "no one knows what to do." The speakers said that the zebbras kill the local clams, but that, on the other hand, Europe has had them for centuries. Diving ducks and sheep-head fish eat them, the men said, and mussel larvae are so small that only fish larvae eat them.

O-G SEEKS RENEWAL

Owendale - Gageton Community Schools will seek renewal of the current 14.8-mill package expiring this year, during the June 11 General School Elections.

O-G Board of Education members voted last week to seek a two-year renewal of the millage, but will not seek additional monies at this time.

JUDGE GLASPIE TAKES OVER

New Tuscola County District Judge Kim Glaspie was to be sworn in Tuesday, replacing retiring Judge Richard F. Kern who had served 28 years on the bench.

Judge Glaspie, 34 of Cass City, becomes only the second person to hold the District Judgeship since the post was created in 1969 to replace justices of the peace. To accept Gov. James Blanchard's appointment, Judge Glaspie resigned his Second District seat on the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners.

He will serve out Judge Kern's appointed term until the Aug. 7 Primary Election, when he will formally run for the November non-partisan nomination. The District Judge earns \$91,902 annually in salary, provided partially by state and county funding.

At least one person, Caro attorney David G. Myers, plans to also seek the Judgeship. Myers told reporters that he and "at least two other candidates were better qualified than Glaspie" for the appointment.

FEWER TROOPER MILES

A state budget reduction will mean Michigan State Police cars will be on the road less in the Thumb Area this year, officials say, although the public should barely notice the cutbacks.

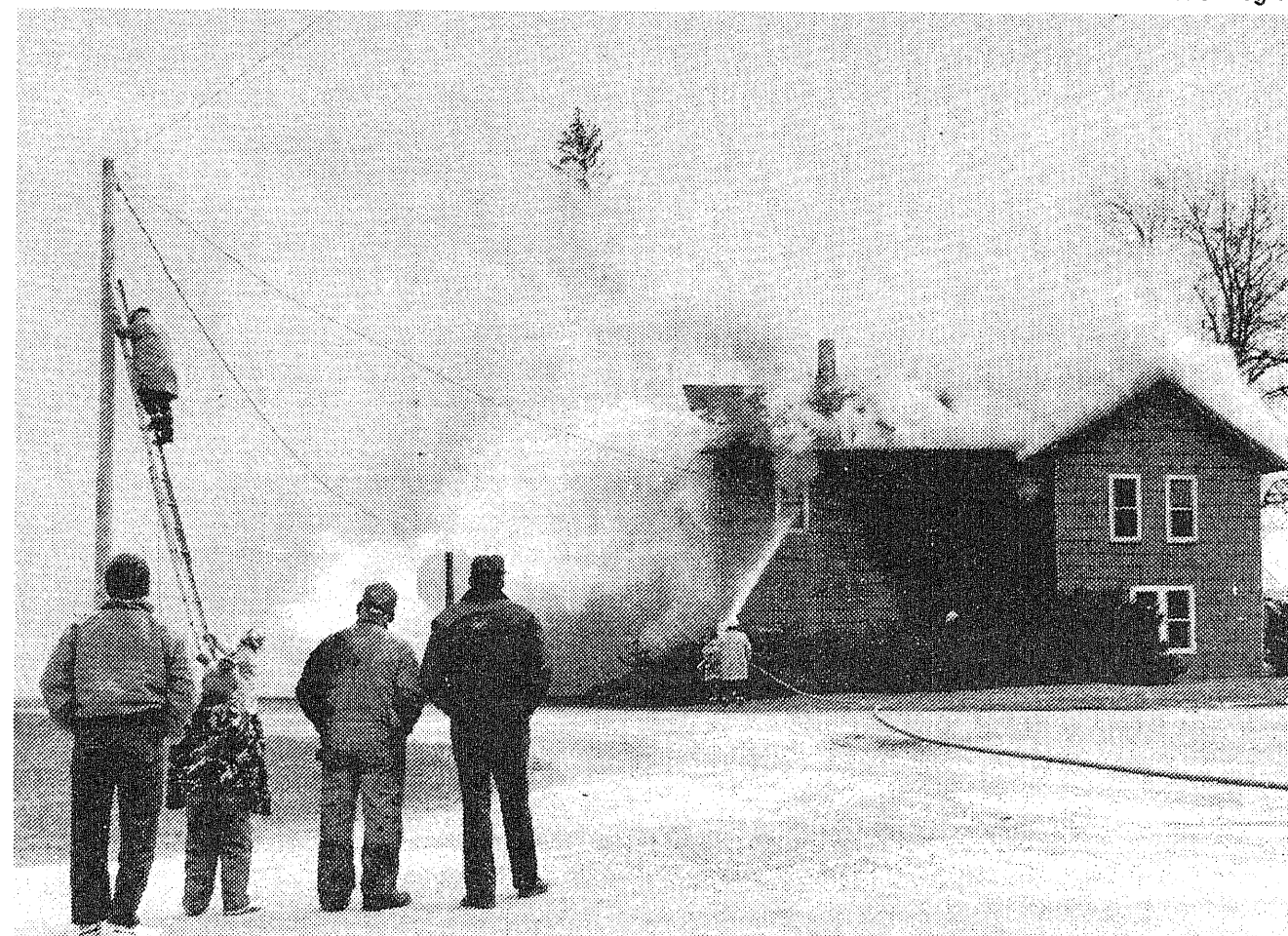
District Three — including posts in Bad Axe, Caro, Lapeer, Bridgeport, Flint, Saginaw, Bay City and West Branch — should trim about 75,000 miles now through September, or about 4% at each post.

The rollback is part of a general transportation budget reduction for all District Three State Police Posts, says Assistant District Commander Robert Pearson.

ROUND SAGINAW BAY

Ground was broken last week for the first 12 of a planned 72-unit condominium development in Standish. The complex, located between Cass and James Streets, is Standish's first. Developers are brothers Don and Clyde Reeves.

Offered will be two- and three-bedroom models, prices starting at \$68,900 to \$78,900. When all of the original 12 units are sold, work will begin on the second of six 12-unit buildings. Sizes are 1235 to 952 sq. feet.



Tuesday Fire Leaves Family Homeless

THERE WERE FOUR area fire departments in Kilmanagh last Tuesday afternoon to fight a stubborn fire at a residence on the southeast side of Kilmanagh's main corner. The building, occupied by the Ray Jackson family, was destroyed in the fire. Old-time Kilmanagh residents said that the building formerly housed a hotel, doctor's office and drug store. In the photo above, a Sebawaing fireman climbs a ladder to disconnect a power line leading to

the residence. Firemen said the blaze began in a mattress.

A collection drive for household items and clothing has been launched to help the Jackson family. Especially needed are men's large-size, women's medium-size and girls' size 8-9 clothing. Donations are being gathered at St. Peter Lutheran Church in Unionville (674-2922) and the Unionville Moravian Church (674-8792 or 674-8686).



ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS WE PRINT!

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

GOOD IDEA: You have to hand it to the Owendale and Gageton Lions Club members. They don't generate as many dollars for their White Cane project on the streets of their towns as they'd like, so they're going where the people are -- they've set up their collection points at the Colwood Road - Bay City Forestville Road corner west of Gageton! "We figured we'd get contact with more people here," they told us this past weekend. "Besides, cars have to stop at the four-way stop sign corner anyway!"

HOPE YOU LIKE IT: We've got a particularly full and busy edition here, one we hope you'll enjoy reading. There's follow-up stories about Caseville's on-going Perch Festival, feature stories about Dr. Richard Short's sculpture and a 100th birthday for the Pigeon Post Office. We think you're getting your 35 cents worth this week!

A POPULAR ANSWER: Kari Jo Nevin's question was, "What two famous people would you like as your parents?" during Saturday night's Caseville Perch Festival Queen's Contest. "I'd like Oprah Winfrey for my mom, because she's so smart," Kari said, but had to think about a famous dad. "Oh, Donald Trump I guess, because he's got so much money!" They she admitted she wouldn't trade in her own parents, and lots of folks LOVED those answers...

Dietzel heads Bike-a-thon

Bike-a-thon Coordinator Ken Dietzel of Pigeon asked Pigeon area residents to join the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital "Wheels For Life" Bike-a-thon slated for Saturday, May 5 at Pigeon Elementary School from 1 to 4 p.m.

Riders sign up sponsors who pledge to make donations on miles biked. All

Becky Emmons loses bone cancer fight

A long battle with Ewing's Sarcoma, a form of bone cancer, has ended for Gageton resident Becky Emmons, age 18, who passed away Thursday, April 19 at home after a three-year illness.

However, a benefit that was planned for her as she reached a critical stage in her illness will still go on as scheduled this Saturday, April 28 at Cass City High School, with walk-a-thons beginning at 10 a.m.

Proceeds from the two and four-mile walks will go to benefit the family. Refreshments will be provided by Hills and Dales General Hospital, where Becky's mother, Diane Howey, is employed.

OwenGage Band Boosters have issued a \$500 challenge match to any organization or business willing to meet or beat it. More information may be obtained by calling Walt Swiastyn at 665-2433.

Information on donations and pledge sheets is available by calling Sue Pawloski at 872-5005, during the hours of 3 to 7 p.m. daily. Pledge sheets may also be picked up at Hills and Dales General Hospital.

Miss Emmons was born Sept. 4, 1971 in Pigeon, daughter of Diane (Kastraba) Howey and Norman Emmons.



She was a 1989 graduate of Owendale-Gageton High School, where she was a cheerleader and a member of the homecoming court, BOAC and yearbook staff. She was also a member of the Gageton Church of the Nazarene Youth International Club.

She is survived by her father, Norman Emmons, Saginaw; her mother and stepfather, Diane and Joseph Howey, Gageton; one brother; two sisters and numerous relatives.

Funeral services were conducted Monday from St. Agatha Catholic Church, Gageton with burial in St. Peter's Lutheran Cemetery, Bach. Funeral arrangements were handled by Little's Funeral Home, Cass City.



To Our Volunteers...

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MOONLIGHT MADNESS

Support Lions' White Cane project this weekend!

The Pigeon Lions Club will join the 18,000 Michigan Lions who will "hit the streets" this weekend, seeking support of their many sight conservation projects.

Gov. James J. Blanchard has proclaimed April 27-May 6 as "White Cane Week" in Michigan.

Major projects for the Lions of Michigan are: Leader Dogs for the Blind in Rochester, Michigan Eye Bank and Transplantation Center in Ann Arbor and Welcome Home for the Blind (a home for the elderly blind) in Grand Rapids.

The Lions will distribute miniature "White Canes" and other promotional materials to promote public awareness of the traffic laws and public accommodation laws which affect the visually impaired. All profits are used to support the Lions' charitable projects.

The "White Cane Law"

states that drivers of vehicles shall take all necessary precautions when approaching a crosswalk or any other pedestrian crossing, to avoid

accident or injury to a blind person carrying a cane or being led by a dog guide.

To symbolize and create

awareness of their efforts, the Lions have chosen 19 year old Karla Simons of Livonia as White Cane Queen for 1990.

Thumb Club news reports

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

Forty members and guests were greeted by President Mike Renn at the weekly pot luck dinner held at the Civic Center. A moment of silence was observed for Minnie Williams who died the previous week.

Florence Snider and Jean Buehler were guests and welcomed by the president, Mary Day, Berniece Wilde, Betty Jazek and the Hal Conkeys were welcomed back.

Birthdays celebrated were Marilyn Kenn and Berniece Wilde. "Let Me Call You

Sweetheart" was sung for the Sherman Days who are celebrating their 55th anniversary.

An announcement was made that the Senior Ball is planned at the Colony House on May 23.

Following the meeting bingo was played with cover-all prizes going to Christine Conkey and Florence Snider. The Laker Choir will entertain next week.

CASEVILLE RETIREMENT CLUB

The Caseville Retirement Club meeting of April 17 was called to order by President Margaret Wilhelm with the Lord's prayer and Pledge to the Flag, with one hundred member present.

A "thank you" was given to Marion Parent, Rose Koening and Louise Gerrard for taking blood pressures.

Eighteen Easter baskets were delivered by Peg Hill and Andy Lakotos to the needy.

"Earlybird goodies" were brought by Edna Schultz, Marge Hockman, Theresa Provotone, Helen Schultz, Mildred Lasko and Bernice Garwood.

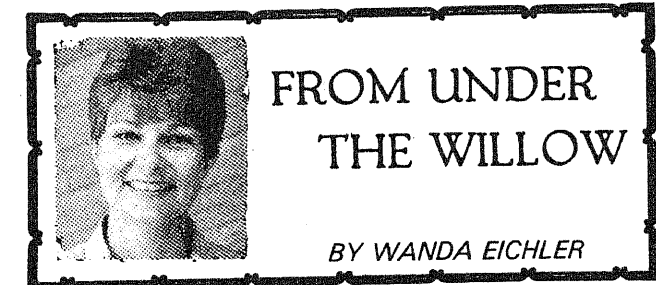
Those celebrating birthdays were Theresa Provotone, Adolph Zielinski, Frieda Damm, Doris Langley, Tony Zacheretti, Norma Farver, Leo Bondy, George Schroeder and Frances McBride. Ray and Jeanne Parent celebrated their 40th anniversary.

Lake-Chandler news items

By MILDRED BALLAGH

Joe Beedle celebrated his ninth birthday on Easter Sunday. Guests of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Beedle were Mrs. Betty Bucynski, Mrs. Maxine Smith and children Jonathon and Angelia of Melvindale, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bowly and daughter Ann Marie of Caseville and Mrs. Harold Beedle of Pigeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo McElhargie visited their daughter and family, Craig and Marsha Brown at Grand Blanc, helping their grandchildren with an Easter Hunt. They were weekend guests of another daughter, Pam, in Ann Arbor.



FROM UNDER THE WILLOW

BY WANDA EICHLER

BITS AND PIECES

ONLY IN MICHIGAN would we go from wearing wool sweaters and winter coats to shorts and not even a spring jacket in one day. But I'm not complaining! The warm weather feels fine. It just stresses me out to be sitting in meeting after meeting (well intentioned) when I could be in the garden or on my bike!

Twice in one week I sat through what I consider major meetings and heard the male in charge of the podium tell a joke that was demeaning to women. We're wise enough to avoid racist jokes, smart enough to let the ethnic jokes be, but still unable to shake off the mindset that says it is okay to make women the butt of our humor. In each case, women were mentioned in a sexual situation that was demeaning. There is deep sadness when we cannot move beyond humor that hurts. I'm beginning to believe that the best humor in the world is when we laugh at self, something the world of "them versus us" just is incapable of doing.

THE NOTTER ROAD BRIDGE south of M-142 is under construction. Victim of the 1986 fall flooding, the bridge has been closed since then. Seeing a roadway without a bridge makes me aware of how important these bridges and our roads really are to us rural residents. While my traditional mile long walk will be disrupted this summer as the construction proceeds, there are neighbors who have had to drive dirt roads these last few years because of the bridge being unsafe. They, and many others who travel that way, will welcome the new bridge soon.

Did you know that small local governments maintain 2.1 million miles of roads, about 55 percent of the nation's total highway mileage? Did you know that Midwestern and Mid-Atlantic townships and small governments spend more on roads and bridges than on any other activity? It's no wonder that Alvin Sokolow in his book, Back Home: Grassroots Governments and the People They Serve, says that "roads and bridges are the most fundamental public service in rural communities."

The Notter Road neighbors will tell you the same thing as they watch the construction crew with eager anticipation of a new bridge across the Pigeon River south of Pigeon.

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RECOLLECTIONS
Of By-Gone Days
BY GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR:

Greetings to one and all in the Pigeon Community. This time I, Mary, George Keim's daughter, is filling in for George. I'm home out of season and before I expected. Sometimes it works out that way.

I was able to arrange to be in Michigan for three weeks. What am I doing here? I'm driving my father around until he can drive again. I think his Pontiac probably goes a lot faster down the road than when he drives it. Somewhere things I'm doing is just being around for some practical caring so my father will soon be able to take care of himself again.

I mentioned I came home out of season. I am used to being around here for a long summer every two or three years. Then the fields are filled with crops of various kinds and the leaves are on the trees and the grass is green.

Now the fields are still barren, there are not yet leaves on the trees and I can see for miles and miles in this wide open country.

There is another season I would like to mention that I have been noticing. It is the season when people are in the autumn and winter of their lives.

The people I'm referring to are the dear familiar people whom I expect will always be here when I come home from Holland. Some of these

people can hardly get around anymore.

Their eyes are becoming dim and their legs are shaky. There are so many questions I would like to ask these people before it is too late. My Aunt Mary said she sometimes thinks her life was a dream. It is so hard to realize that so many things happened in her lifetime and now she's where she is at her life. She is getting towards the end of a season.

This year marks a half way point in my life. The first half of my life was spent mostly in the Pigeon Area. The second half has been spent in the Netherlands. I feel completely at home now in both worlds.

I can always come home (as yet) to my home town. This has always been very important to me. I always enjoy hearing what's going on around here and the warmth and friendliness shown is something I take back to Holland and think about when I get a little homesick.

I'd like to say thanks for all the concern shown to father George when he comes around and also thanks from me for making me feel like I'm really back home.

The Bible verse I'd like to end with is found in Ecclesiastes 3:1. "To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven."

Sincerely,
MARY MAARSEN KEIM

A SPECIAL MESSAGE...
George Keim says 'thank you'
To my many friends in the Pigeon Area and elsewhere I want to thank you for the many cards and prayers that were made for my recovery at Bay Medical Center, Bay City.
To the visitors who came to see me while I was there and to my family who are concerned and for the care they have given me and especially for my daughter who came from the Netherlands to care for me, may God richly bless all of you.
Sincerely,
GEORGE KEIM

PIGEON DISTRICT LIBRARY
News And Notes

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

"Furry Friends" will be the theme for the May 1 Preschool Story Hour with the stories "Barnabas Walks" and "Ben and the Bear." Exercises, fingerplay, flannelgraph, a song and game of "Simon Says" will be part of the activities for the children to participate in. Also Show and Tell will be a part of the activities. Each child is asked to bring only one item to show.

Children from age three to five are invited to attend either the 9 or 10:30 a.m. sessions. A registration fee is required.

ADULT COFFEE HOUR

Pastor James Schwandt of the Pigeon United Methodist Church was the featured speaker for the Adult Coffee

Hour on Tuesday, April 17 with the theme "Humor and Clowning."

PRESCHOOLERS DONATE BOOKS

The Pigeon District Library would like to thank the Cross Lutheran Preschool morning and afternoon classes of Pigeon for using their chapel offerings to purchase beginner books for the library collection.

They include "Bedtime Hugs for Little Ones," "Tomorrow Is A Brand New Day," "The Christian Mother Goose Book," "The Story of Clover Grel," "One-Minute Bedtime Stories," "Read-Aloud Bible Stories, Vol. 1," and "What Really Happened to the Dinosaurs?"

LARGEST LIBRARIES?

The largest library is the

Library of Congress (founded April 24, 1800) on Capitol Hill, Washington, D.C. By 1982, it contained 79.76 million items, including 19.72 million books and pamphlets.

With the James Madison Memorial Extension, which was dedicated in April 1980, the building contains 64.6 acres of floor space and 532 miles of book shelves.

The largest non-statory library is the New York Public Library (founded 1895) on Fifth Avenue, New York

City, with a floor area of 525,276 square feet and 88 miles of shelving. Including 82 branch libraries, its collection embraces 9,049,612 volumes, 12,850,854 manuscripts, and 354,288 maps.

HOBBY AND CRAFT SHOW

Come to the Pigeon District Library Annual Hobby and Craft Show during National Library Week, April 24-28 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and on

Saturday until 12 noon. There will be daily demonstrations of crafts and items for sale and show. Bring your family and friends and visit the Children's Collection Corner, new this year.

NEW BOOKS

New books recently purchased include Westlake "Drowned Hopes," Pilcher "September," Dailey "Masquerade," Johnston "Flight To Yesterday," Hailey "The Evening News," Bond "Red

Phoenix," Scott "The Widow of Desire," Thayer "Stepping," Reeves "Garfield, Night Eyes," Brown "Flight Of The Old Dog," King "The Dark Half," Clancy "The Hunt For Red October," Spillman "Paint The Wind," Doctorow "Billy Bathgate," Smith "A Time To Die," Fraser "Come Home," Spencer "Bittersweet," Whitney "The Singing Stone."

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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

Thumb National Bank of Pigeon City
in the state of Michigan, at the close of business on March 31, 1990,
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Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	2,595
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	-0-
Interest-bearing balances	20,222
Securities	7,600
Federal funds sold	-0-
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	67,272
Loans and lease financing receivables	1,601
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	-0-
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	-0-
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	65,671
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	-0-
Assets held in trading accounts	1,696
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	796
Other real estate owned	-0-
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-
Intangible assets	2,308
Other assets	100,888
Total assets	1,953
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	102,841
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	94,688
Deposits:	
In domestic offices	3,693
Noninterest-bearing	90,995
Interest-bearing	-0-
Federal funds purchased	-0-
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	-0-
Other borrowed money	-0-
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	-0-
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	691
Subordinated notes and debentures	95,379
Other liabilities	-0-
Total liabilities	-0-
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	-0-
Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	527
Common stock	1,118
Surplus	3,864
Undivided profits and capital reserves	-0-
LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	5,509
Total equity capital	1,953
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	7,462
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	102,841
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	

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

John B. Schaefer
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John B. Schaefer
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John B. Schaefer
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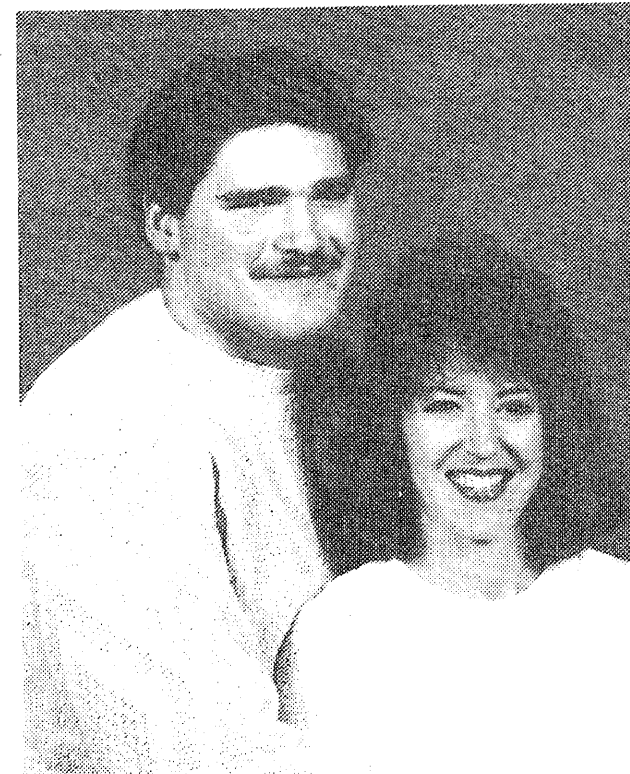
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Mr. and Mrs. John H. Oesch of Pigeon, announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Lynn Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew D. Cole of Shepherd. The bride-elect is employed with the K-Mart Corporation in Coldwater. The prospective groom is employed at Florence Crane Corrections Facility in Coldwater. A June 16 wedding is planned.

Thumb club news

PIGEON LIONS CLUB
New officers were named for the 1990-91 Lions Club year when the group met on April 11 for their regular meeting at the Pigeon VFW Hall.

The following are incoming officers: President Mike LePage, First Vice President George Gardy, Second Vice President Mark Gettel, Secretary Ken Clark and Treasurer Rob Steele.

The meeting was called to order by President John Walsh, who introduced LeRoy Beitz and Dale Sonntag from the Sebawaing Lions Club.

After dinner, 48 Pigeon Lions Club responded to roll call. Lions Ralph Kain and John Kohr, Sr. enjoyed "tail twisting" with the members.

White Cane dates will be Friday and Saturday, April 27 and 28 and members received work schedules.

President Walsh announced that a zone meeting will be held in Elkton on April 18.

The Lions Scholarship Committee selected Brenda Muentner as recipient of this award.

Richard Klosowski, state winner of the skills contest in Marketing and Distributive Education, is now eligible to enter the national contest. The Pigeon Lions are supporting him financially with \$100. Sponsor is the Huron Intermediate School District.

The next meeting will be April 25 at the Pigeon VFW Hall.

RUSH LAKE FARM BUREAU
Members of the Rush Lake Farm Bureau group conducted their April meeting in the home of Opal Dufly Thursday night. A potluck dinner preceded the meeting.

Mona McBride led the group in the Farm Bureau Creed and Pledge to the Flag. Mildred Ballagh read the minutes and secretary's report.

The discussion topic, "Is your farm prepared for an emergency?" was played on tape and discussion followed. All Michigan farmers should be aware of their chemical reporting responsibilities under a recently enacted law called Soro III.

It requires farmers to inform local and state officials about the types of chemicals on their farms, and if and when those chemicals are spilled or otherwise accidentally released into the environment. This information is to the benefit of both farmers and the community in which they live.

The May meeting will be hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Hal Conkey.

Henne sets two records in meet

Tracie Henne's star doesn't shine only in basketball and volleyball. The Laker senior also sets the standard in track, and proved it by breaking two school records last week. Her high jump of 5 ft. 2 in. broke Eva Sturm's record, and her throw of 31 ft. 9 in. broke her own record, set last year.

And Henne, Sherry Stauffer, Anne Sturm, Lisa Buchholz and Jill Gardy won the 3200 relay against Bad Axe in a time of 11:45.45. Henne also took first in the 400 dash in 63.74.

Other Lakers getting placements in the Bad Axe meet were Annette Weidman, second in the high jump, 4'8"; Lisa Buchholz, third in the 1600 run, time 7:09; third in the high jump, 4'8"; Kristen Krohn, second in the long jump, 13'3 1/2", and third in the 200, time 30.73; Wendy Osentoksi, third in the long jump, 13' 1/2", and second in the 300, time 1:02.98; Becky Ropp, second in the 100, time 14.0; Sherry Stauffer, second in the 1600, time 6:46; Sherry Elenbaum, third in the 300, time 1:03.69; Amanda Barry, second in the 800, time 2:54.56; Jill Gardy, fourth in the 800, time 5:48; and Sara Bush, fourth in the 200 with a time of 31.78.

In Friday's Mayville Relays, Henne, Osentoksi, and Krohn took second place in the long jump competition. Henne, Weidman and Buchholz also took third in the high jump competition.

The Laker tennis team made their presence felt at the Hatchet Invitational by tying for second place. Even with the team's inexperience, Coach Dick Pauly was pleased with his team's play. "I felt we played pretty well. We hope to improve every time we go out."

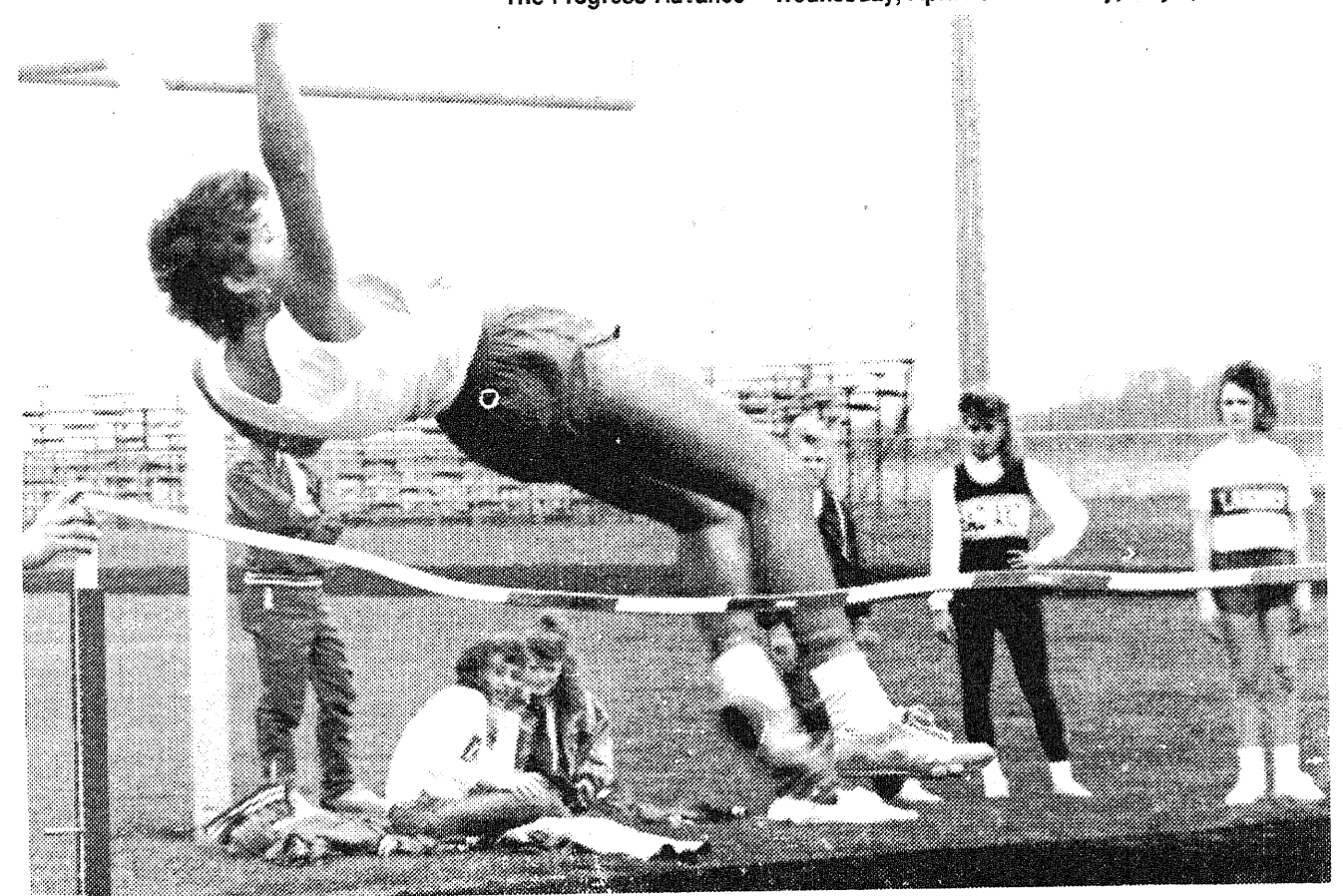
Doug Schember and Bill McLellan won the second doubles flight championship by defeating Kent McKinney and Todd Rumsey of Bad Axe by the scores of 6-1, 6-1. Jason Krohn and Hilton Yopp won the 3rd doubles flight championship against Shawn McIntyre and Jeff Hicks of Bad Axe, 6-2, 7-6.

Jason Sturm advanced to the finals of the 3rd flight before he was defeated. Scott Herbert and Justin Maust advanced to the finals of the 1st doubles flight before they were defeated.

The Varsity Baseball team won both ends of a double-header against Valley Lutheran, taking the first 8-7, and the second 7-6.

Kevin Picklo was credited with the win in the first game, with nine strikeouts and six walks. Bill McLellan, Jr. came in for the save in the sixth inning. Eric Wissner led the Lakers' hitting with a double and two singles. Reggie Ignash smacked a home run and a single, and Brian Ignash hit a triple and Rick Dufly a double.

In the second game, McLellan pitched all six innings with four strikeouts and four walks. McLellan and Jeremy Esch each singled and doubled, and Ignash doubled in the Lakers' effort.



TRACIE HENNE works here towards surpassing an old school record during recent track events at Laker High.

Lake-Chandler news

On May 2, the Chandler Presbyterian Guild will meet with Rita Kalka.

Mrs. Phyllis McCairns accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCairns and children Tia, Brayden, Kason and Keeli Mae to Dallas, Tex. to visit the former's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Marty) Majerczyk.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Simmons and Richard Groth were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Les Simmons, Jr. of Caseville.

Willeta Ferguson returned from a visit with her daughter, Lori Reese and son Tommy at New York.

Clifford and Tami Cook of Union Lake were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dell. Other Easter guests were Duane and Shirley Himmel of Royal Oak.

Sally Lopez and children Sonya and Chris of New Lothrop were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh. Other Easter guests were Bill and Jan Ballagh of New Lothrop, Bill Ballagh III of Marshall and Andy Ballagh of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Simmons, Richard Groth and Amy Jaworski returned from Florida where they spent several weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDaniel and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Miller at Plant City and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert of St. Louis, Fla.

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The Past In Print

From the archives of
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90 YEARS AGO MAY 11, 1900

George Diefenbach has gone north.
Edna Surerus has purchased a new wheel. Sol Schluchter has opened up his new grocery store.
C. Richmond is building a new home in the Davis Addition.
Sam Spring is in town hustling for the Oliver plow. The walk on the west side of Main Street has been raised a foot in front of W. A. Schriber's, the bank, John Link's, Fred Clabusch's and D. C. McDonald's property. It improves the street.
C. Winholdt returned to his home in Tavistock, Ont. after spending six weeks here selling his Farmer's Delight Sling.

80 YEARS AGO MAY 13, 1910

Henry Weiberg has the job of building the cement walk from the post office to the Hotel Heasty.
Several cars of dirt are being placed on the north side of Campbell's Drug Store to fill up the unsightly hole that has been there for years.
The next primary school allotment will be \$6.50 a head.
An addition is being built

to the rear of the Catholic Church.
Warren Challis, 62, died May 6 at his home in Pigeon. He leaves his wife and four children, Leo, Edwin, Lester and Fanny.

70 YEARS AGO MAY 14, 1920

John Glossar has purchased the Lena Anklam home.
As we go to press there is not a drop of gasoline in Pigeon for sale. The Standard Oil Co. received a car Saturday night and it was all gone before Monday night.
William Rowe, 71, died at his home in McKinley Township. He is survived by his wife and seven children.

60 YEARS AGO MAY 9, 1930

Clarence, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vollmer, died Tuesday of pneumonia. The barbers have gone to 20 cents for shaves and 40 cents for haircuts.
Twenty-four boys and girls received cameras which were given away by Eastman Kodak Company through the local distributor, R. H. Orr. They were Ida May Nottter, Lena Luttke, George Schultz, Dorothy Schnitker, Helen Rathke, Adolph Schuette, Ora Dietzel, Milfred Hansen,

Junior Brueck, Esther Motz, Eileen Schultz, Kenneth McAulay, Etril Koch, Cecil Faust, B. R. Sternberg, Helen Schumacher, Velma Haist, Frank Gotthardt, Clarence Goebel, Clarabel Bedford, William Buchholz, Eloise Streeter, Cornelius Smith and Louise Diebel.
Commencing next Monday noon, the Pigeon fire whistle will blow every day except Sunday at noon to make sure it is working and it will give you the correct time.
John W. Thiel, 50, native of Hobart, Ind. A former teacher at the Quarry School, he later became a lawyer. He leaves a wife and three children.

50 YEARS AGO MAY 10, 1940

A number of new buildings will be erected in Pigeon this summer. John H. Voelker and Mose Haist will erect new houses this summer and Walter Sturm will build a new block on the lot opposite Standard Oil station. First floor will be a one-stop gas and service station and second floor will have two apartments.
Mrs. Charles Grigg, 72, of Caseville, died Wednesday. She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Gertrude, Mabel and Eva, and

four sons, William, Russel, Earl and Carl.
George Ackerman, 81, died in Elktion. Besides his widow, he leaves three daughters and three sons.
Charlotte Musselman and Harold Britt were married by Rev. P. W. Pluodeman at Auburn. They will make their home in Bach.

40 YEARS AGO MAY 12, 1950

A summer scholarship to Interlochen Music Camp for Pigeon School music students will be sponsored jointly by C. H. Spence and Dr. C. A. Scheurer. Clark Bedford and Peggy McIntyre have been selected to attend the camp this summer on the basis of scholastic achievement.
Mr. and Mrs. William Hazard Sr., observed their 53rd wedding anniversary Sunday in their Caseville home. They have three daughters and four sons.
"The Adventures of Pinocchio," a three-act operetta, will be presented by grades three through eight of Owendale School May 12, with a cast of 45.

Bruce Gordon, Pigeon High School junior, has a unique hobby of collecting state seals and governor's signatures. He has received answers from 45 of the 48 governors and an autographed photo from President Harry Truman. He has placed all materials in a big scrapbook on display at the school.

throw, high jump and running broad jump.
Richie Fogle and Sally Anderson, seniors, were chosen to reign as king and queen of the Pigeon High School junior-senior prom. Junior class attendants were Karl Kleinschmidt and Beth Vollmer.

30 YEARS AGO MAY 7, 1970

Members of Pigeon village council and officers were presented two checks totaling \$729,000, representing a loan, backed and with interest partially subsidized by the Federal Housing Administration, for construction of a sewage disposal system.
Peggy Diebel, Cheryl Dodge, Jackie Martin, Julie McTaggart and Diane Reibling, students at Laker High, attended the annual state Future Home Makers convention at Western Michigan in Kalamazoo. They were accompanied by Mrs. Keith McTaggart, FHA advisor.
Galen S. Stalter, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stalter, Pigeon, graduated from Goshen

Indiana College April 19 with a major in natural science.
Mrs. John Kleinfeld, 67, of Bay Port, died Monday. She leaves her husband, one son and seven daughters.
David A. Young, a life-long resident of Chandler Township, died April 30. He survived by his wife and two sons.

20 YEARS AGO MAY 1, 1980

The congregation of Cross Lutheran Church in Pigeon dedicated their new sanctuary in a special service held on Sunday, May 4.
The Bay Port congregation of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints celebrated the 150th anniversary of the organization of the World Church on Sunday, April 20.
The Laker High School Wind ensemble, competing in Class "C," earned a second division rating in state competition.
Margaret Jean Gettel and David James McCormick, both of Pigeon were united in Marriage at First United Methodist Church on April 19.
Laker High students and faculty members presented the musical comedy "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" May 1 and 2.

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**30 YEARS AGO
MAY 12, 1960**
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Former resident heads historic restoration project

By SALLY RUMMEL

Former Pigeon resident Michael DeGrow, now of Eaton Rapids, has taken his love of history and turned it into the successful restoration of a major historical landmark in Eaton Rapids—the old Miller House on State Street.

This was the estate home where the founder of Miller Dairy Farms lived when Eaton Rapids was known as an "ice cream capital."

When Eaton Rapids was facing the loss of this historic place back in 1985, DeGrow mobilized a community group of local citizens calling themselves the Community Heritage Foundation.

And since that time five years ago, the group has raised over \$400,000 in cash and property donations, and the Miller House will be open for community functions

later this year, following extensive renovations.

First on the group's agenda was saving and renovating the two-story Miller residence with its distinctive pillars. However, the entire estate had been purchased by Kinney Dairies of Bay City who had taken over the ice cream business.

After a year of negotiations, said DeGrow, Kinney Dairies gave the house to the

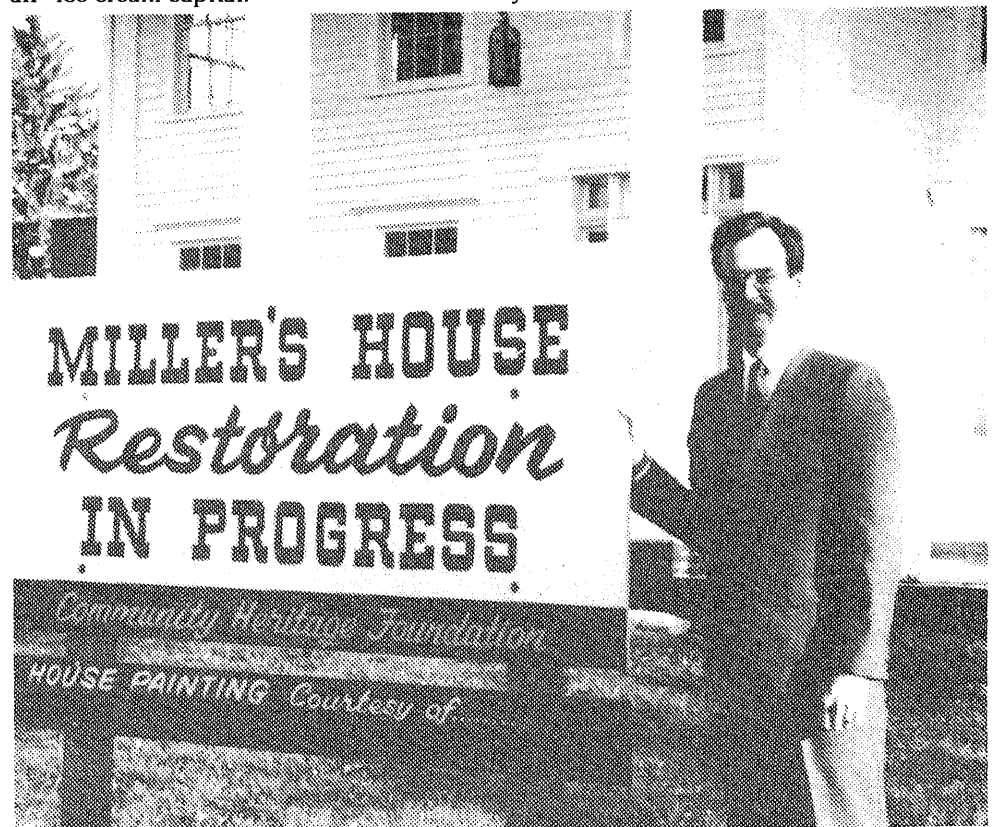
Foundation in 1986. But the Foundation had to wait until 1988 to be given the seven acres of land adjacent to the house, which included an old factory, a huge dairy barn and an old horse barn.

Now, inside renovations are almost completed and landscaping will begin this spring. Next on the restoration plan will be restoring the barn completely, to be used for dances, art shows, theater productions and other civic events.

Heading up the Community Heritage Foundation has taken up hundreds and hundreds of hours since its beginning in 1985, but is only a "hobby" for DeGrow, who

works professionally as a legislative liaison for the Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians and surgeons.

DeGrow, the son of former State Senator and Mrs. Alvin DeGrow, is a former Pigeon resident and Laker High graduate.



FORMER PIGEON RESIDENT Mike DeGrow of Eaton Rapids stands in front of the sign which represents hundreds of hours of restoration work at one of the community's oldest landmarks — the Miller House.

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DATED: April 9, 1990
Robert M. Moettl, Treasurer, Huron County

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By Tuscola Intermediate School District:	Indefinite
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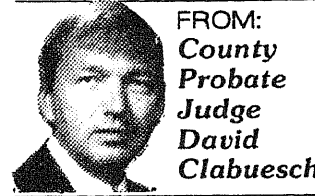
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NEWS THAT COUNTS FROM THE COUNTY



FROM: County Probate Judge David Clabuesch

HURON COUNTY PROBATE COURT April 12 - 18

Estate of Emma H. LaBelle, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,658. Supervised Probate, Inventory filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

ment of Proceedings filed, Testimony Interested Parties filed, Publication Notice filed, Proof of Service by Certified Mail filed, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of John W. Greene, Deceased, of Kinde. File 29,311. Supervised Probate, Final Account of Personal Representative filed, Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Marjorie O. McGill, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 29,780. Will filed, First Codicil filed, Affidavit of No Estate to Probate filed.

Estate of James M. White, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 26,812. Independent Probate Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.

Estate of Regina Schmitt, Deceased, of Uby. File 29,782. Will filed.

Estate of Minnie E. Williams, Deceased, of Elktion. File 29,784. Will filed.

American home Bank to Xella Morgan; a parcel of land located in Section 31 of McKinley Twp.



FROM: Huron County Clerk Helen Lemanski

HURON COUNTY ASSUMED NAMES Week of April 16

NO. 5060 NITZ VALVE HARDWARE, INC., 8547 M-25, Sebawaing, MI 48759. By: Nitz Valve Hardware, Inc., a Michigan Corporation, Jerry L. Nitz, Its President, 8547 M-25, Sebawaing, MI 48759. Filed: 4/11/90.

NO. 5069 PORT HOPE FLEA MARKET, 4432 Main Street, Port Hope, MI 48468. By: Oren Emerick, P. O. Box 27, Port Hope, MI 48468. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5071 DAN'S DIESEL SERVICE, 3812 Bay Port Road, Sebawaing, MI 48759. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5072 SHORELINE BUILDING, 9786 Main, Bay Port, MI 48720. By: Garth S. Schooley, Bay Port, MI 48720. Filed: 4/17/90.

NO. 5073 DUFTY'S WELDING, 5664 W. Kinde Road, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Gerald R. Dufy, 5365 Limerick Road, Caseville, MI 48725. Filed: 4/17/90.

NO. 5062 COMPUTER CONCEPTS, 425 Pearl Street, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. By: Kim Slickney Jacobus, 425 Pearl Street, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. Filed: 4/13/90.

NO. 5063 GOAL, 2817 Cedarview Lane, P. O. Box 23, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. By: David A. Spearman, Eileen R. Spearman, 2817 Cedarview Lane, Harbor Beach, MI 48441. Filed: 4/13/90.

NO. 5064 ROCHEFORT BROTHERS FARM, 225 Learman Road, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: Jerry L. Rochefort, 225 Learman Road, Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5065 L.P.M. TRUCKING, 7417 Easy Street, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Larry P. Petrick, Maratha J. Petrick, 7417 Easy Street, Caseville, MI 48725. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5066 MAYNARD'S SALES & SERVICE 26, E. Grove, Sebawaing, MI 48759. By: Jay Maynard, Jr. 328 Union Street, Sebawaing, MI 48759. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5067 BAY AUTO SALVAGE, INC., 2821 Rose Island Road, Sebawaing, MI 48759. By: Jay C. Maynard, Jr. 328 Union Street, Sebawaing, MI 48759. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5068 FIEBIG INSURANCE AGENCY, 24 E. Main Street, Sebawaing, MI 48759. By: Raymond Harman Fiebig and Sheila Ann Fiebig, 424 N. Center Street, Sebawaing, MI 48759. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5069 PORT HOPE FLEA MARKET, 4432 Main Street, Port Hope, MI 48468. By: Oren Emerick, P. O. Box 27, Port Hope, MI 48468. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5070 BAY MARINE, 8830 S. Unionville Road, Sebawaing, MI 48759. By: Timothy S. Winiecki, 635 E. Sebawaing, Sebawaing, MI 48759. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5071 DAN'S DIESEL SERVICE, 3812 Bay Port Road, Sebawaing, MI 48759. Filed: 4/16/90.

NO. 5072 SHORELINE BUILDING, 9786 Main, Bay Port, MI 48720. By: Garth S. Schooley, Bay Port, MI 48720. Filed: 4/17/90.

VILLAGE OF PIGEON

NOTICE TO VILLAGE RESIDENTS The Village of Pigeon will be having spring clean-up days on Thursday and Friday, May 10 and 11. Residents will be allowed to place larger items and rubbish by the curb for pick-up by Village DPW personnel.

JANET HECKMAN - Clerk

HURON COUNTY WARRANTY DEEDS April 11 - 17

Robert E. Drury and Lois to Joseph M. Pasternak and Virginia M.; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.

Owen W. Church to David J. Blacker and Kathleen A.; a parcel of land located in Verona Twp.

Michigan Sugar Company to Rick L. Welchner and Tracy L.; a parcel of land located in The Village of Sebawaing.

Estate of Ernest Kucharczyk to Calvin Dekoski and Janice; a parcel of land located in Section 15 of Paris Twp.

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William G. Wilson and Victoria A. to William G. Wilson and Victoria A.; a parcel of land located in Section 35 of Sand Beach Twp.

Blanche H. Laeder to Susan K. Laeder, Wayne A. Laeder and Diane G. Glaza; a parcel of land located in Section 19 of Sand Beach Twp.

William E. Phelps, Jr. and Alice B. to Daniel J. Spork and Eunice C.; a parcel of land located in Sherman Twp.

Marcus W. Kramer and Helen C. to David J. Kramer and Janet M.; a parcel of land located in Section 9 of Sherman Twp.

Robert E. Drury and Lois to Joseph M. Pasternak and Virginia M.; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.

Owen W. Church to David J. Blacker and Kathleen A.; a parcel of land located in Verona Twp.

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Estate of Elizabeth Bilacic, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 29,045. Supervised Probate, Report of Sale of Real Estate and Petition for Confirmation filed, Bond of Fiduciary filed, Order Confirming Sale of Real Estate filed.

Estate of Neilan M. Hoffman, Deceased, of Elktion. File 28,823. Supervised Trusteeship, Annual Account of Trustee filed.

Estate of J. Adam Stueck, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 22,125. Supervised Trusteeship, Order Allowing Account filed.

Estate of Laura M. Lenzner, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,488. Supervised Probate, Copy of Circuit Court Order Denying Leave to Appeal filed.

Estate of Jerry Tod Brandow, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 28,928. Supervised Probate, 4 Waivers and Con-

sent filed, Bond of Fiduciary filed, Order Confirming Sale of Real Estate filed.

News And Information From The Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port School District -- Volume 2, No. 8 APRIL, 1990

The Laker Wave

Honor Society goes to the Ballet

"Works of imagination, terrifically conceived and realized," wrote a dance reporter for the NY Times when describing the Feld Ballet/NY troupe that recently visited Ann Arbor. However, first time ballet goes, like the Laker High School National Honor Society, had a completely different view of the performance held at the Powers Center on the University of Michigan campus.



This year, the executive board and advisor of the Laker High NHS Chapter decided to do something different — something cultural, for their spring trip. After perusing several musical society bulletins, the group choose "going to the ballet" as their April excursion.

During the afternoon of April 5th, the members boarded a school bus and headed for Ann Arbor. A brief tour of the U of M campus, and dinner at a unique restaurant highlighted the early evening and by 8 pm the anxious, but apprehensive students stood in the spacious lobby of the Powers Center to witness their first taste of ballet.

The students were treated to four separate, and distinctively different ballets. The first, Ah Scarlatti was in the classical ballet mode, but the second, Medium-Rare tended to be more athletic in nature, the third, Charmed Lives, again touched on classic ballet, and the fourth, The Jig Is Up was a good-old Irish hoe-down.

Comment from the students ranged from, "I was totally bored," to "I had trouble interpreting what they were doing?" Many viewed it as an experience that may affect their lives at a later date, while some truly enjoyed the uniqueness of the evening.

Sixth, Eighth graders plan spring trips

The capitol Building, Ford's Theatre, the Kennedy Center, the Pentagon, the Smithsonian, the White House, and the Lincoln Memorial are some of the exciting sights the Eighth Grade students will tour on their bus trip to our nation's capital.

The educational and cultural benefits of this trip are immense, and students and chaperones are anxiously waiting for the May 21st departure.

A big thank you is extended to parents and community members who have supported these trips by pledging to the walk-a-thon, attending the spaghetti dinner, and assisting as chaperones.

Tours of our state's capitol, the Impressions Five Hands On Museum, and Michigan State University are some of the highlights of this field trip.

One-half of the class will make the trip on the 20th of April; the other half will go on the 27th of April. Parents may want to remind their sons and daughters to set an early alarm clock; departure from Laker Junior High is set for 5:30 a.m.

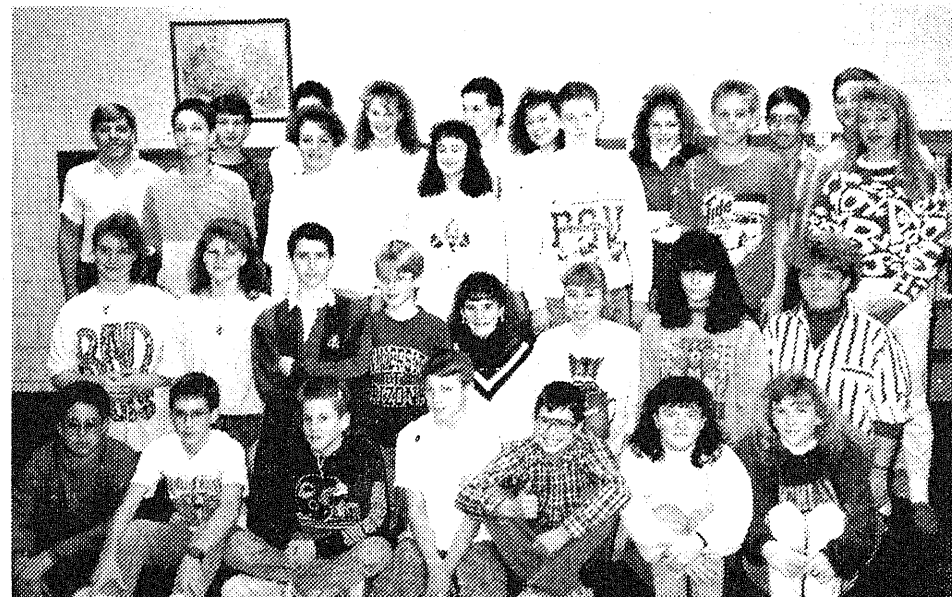
Learning outdoor survival skills, worm dissection, and re-living highlights of the American Civil War through music and dance are features of the sixth grade camping experience.

Students will also discover the cooperation needed in living and working together and in group problem-solving.

Again, one-half of the 6th grade class will camp from Monday evening to Wednesday afternoon; the second half will camp from Wednesday evening to Friday afternoon.

Parents are reminded that warm clothing and rain gear are very important items to pack; a Michigan campground can be quite cold in early May.

Laker Junior High students join Midwest Talent Search



Thirty-three Laker Junior High students participated in this year's Midwest Talent Search sponsored by Northwestern University.

Franklin Inn. Parents should have received an invitation through the mail informing them of the event. If not, contact the Laker Junior High for information.

Beyond the benefit of the SAT test-taking experience which enhances students' "test wiseness" in future test-taking situations, students who scored well in the mathematics area of the SAT test will have the opportunity to earn one college credit this summer.

New Laker Fine Arts Council plans May 31 gala evening



The newly formed Laker Fine Arts Council is planning a gala event on Thursday, May 31 with a buffet dinner at 5:30 p.m. in the Laker Student Center.

Entertainment by Laker music students will enhance the dinner hour followed by a 7-9 p.m. program of K-12 students exhibiting their talents in a variety of fine arts categories.

From elementary music students to junior high academic track performers to high school drama, vocal, and band students, this event will be an exciting climax to the school year and a salute to the talented and hard-working students we have here at Lakers.

Ticket cost will be announced later and will be on sale May 1, 1990 at each center's school office. We welcome each of you and hope you will set aside May 31 on your busy calendars.

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Caseville officials, scouts, celebrate Earth Day

Local Scouts helped in a special "Earth Day" ceremony Sunday afternoon at the Caseville Village Park. Girl Scouts Amy Stahl and Trisha Dembrowski watch Boy Scout Levi Zagorski take his turn, after they'd all helped add dirt around a newly-planted tree. The Earth Day ceremony was the idea of Caseville Parks & Recreation Chairman Dave Lecznar, center, who served as master of ceremonies. At right, Caseville Mayor Frank Malosky. SALLY RUMMEL PHOTO

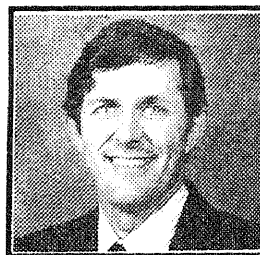


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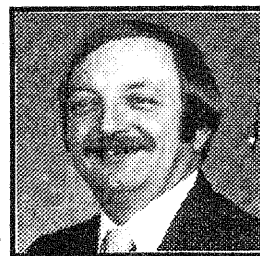
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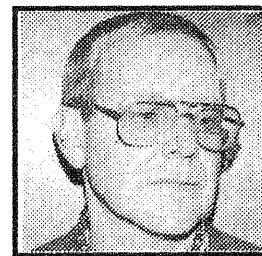
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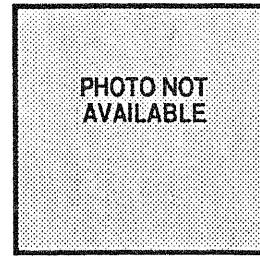


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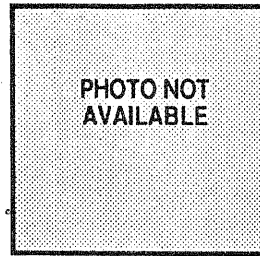
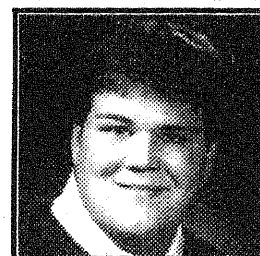


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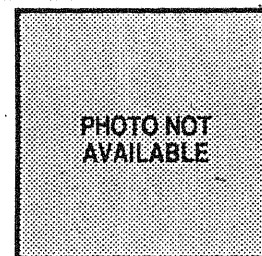


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Caseville Seniors enjoy trip

The Caseville High School senior class trip included visits to Washington D. C. and New York City.

The students flew from Detroit Metropolitan Airport to Washington D.C. where their tour included visits to the Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln Memorials, the Smithsonian Institute, U.S. Capitol, Supreme Court and the Library of Congress. The tour also included stops at Arlington National Cemetery, Mt. Vernon, the National Archives, Bureau of Printing and Engraving and the White House.

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Village of CASEVILLE Caseville, Michigan

CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL - APRIL 9, 1990
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY PUBLIC HEARING

Meeting called to order by President Malosky at 7:00 p.m.
Roll call: Present: Dave Lecznar, Arliss Kraft, Tom Rose, Forrest Williams, Bruce McCormick, Alice Hart, Frank Malosky.
Absent: Bill Goslee (Excused).

Public Hearing called to discuss request from Village DDA to implement a 2 mill levy and tax increment financing (TIF) program for the DDA District.

Public Comments:
Joe Cile, Village Building Inspector, explained that there is an Attorney General opinion regarding DDA Districts for property deterioration within the district. As building inspector, he feels that the village should seek legal counsel and an opinion from the attorney general on whether the DDA was formed legally, plus an opinion regarding the deterioration of the district before making a decision on a 2 mill levy and/or TIF plan.
Arliss Kraft suggested we contact Attorney General's office for an opinion on whether this affects our DDA.
Forrest Williams stated that the council is behind the DDA but the question from the building inspector should be answered.
Tom Brume-Questioned whether 2 mill levy would be on real and personal property. DDA is suggesting both.
Motion by Williams second by Kraft to adjourn at 7:20 p.m. All Ayes. Motion carried.
Meeting adjourned.
Alice Hart, Village Clerk

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Legion Aux. announces poster winners

The April meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary, Jean Post 543, Caseville, was opened by Vice President Marie Darby with a prayer. The pledge of allegiance to the flag and the Preamble to the Constitution of the American Legion Auxiliary were said by all.

The secretary's report and minutes of the last meeting were read by Marion Parent. The financial report was given by treasurer Dorothy Beadle.

Poppy posters were judged and three posters, one from each class, were selected to go to Department for further judging. Class 3, first was Micque Partlow. Class 4, first was Stephany Zlotkowski, second Lowie Harder. Class 5, first was Cheri Peter, second was Mark Morden, and third Peter Goff.

The American Legion and the Auxiliary will sponsor a Queen candidate for the Chamber of Commerce festival. The dinner will be held April 21 at the Bella Vista. Poppy days are May 17, 18, and 19. We hope everyone will do their part to make Poppy Days a huge success.

Nominations for 1990 officers were: President, Norma Farver; 1st Vice-President, Marie Darby; 2nd Vice-President, Marge Deming; Secretary, Eileen Tait; Treasurer, Dorothy Beadle; Chaplain, Rose Cile; Sergeant at Arms, Velma Meyers; Historian, Marion Parent; Executive Board Mildred Beadle, Velma Meyers, and Marion Parent.

Hostesses for Sunny Acres for April 12 and 26 are Velma Meyers, Marie Darby, Norma Farver, Dorothy Beadle, and Marion Parent.

The Bloodmobile was a success. Thanks to everyone that helped. Thanks again to the LDS Ladies for the wonderful canteen.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Marie. The next meeting is May 2.

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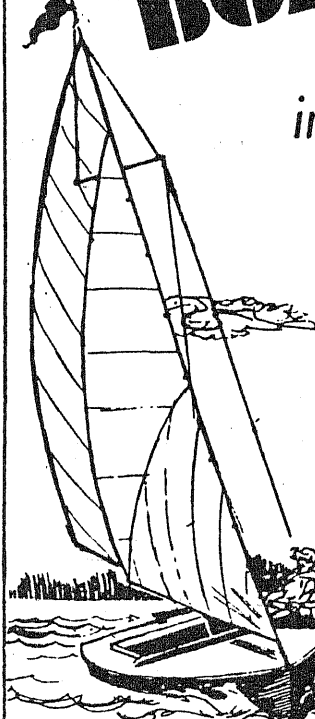

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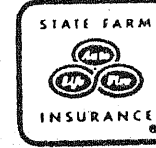
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Eagles hear annual update

The past year was a busy one for the Caseville Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie and Auxiliary No. 3690. Both the Aerie and the Auxiliary have worked hard for their charities, according to publicity chairman Marion Grunow.

Included were Scheurer Hospital, Huron Memorial Hospital, Drug Abuse Awareness, both in Caseville and county-wide, St. Roch's Food Pantry, the Caseville School Library, the Caseville school art contest, the Art Ehrman Cancer Fun, the Jimmy Durante Children's Fund, Max Baer Heart Fund, the Salvation Army, and the Golden Eagle Fund.

The Ladies Auxiliary was busy with fish fries, card parties, bake sales, and pancake breakfasts, while the Aerie men put on steak fries, chicken dinners, children's Christmas party, dances, and bingo.

Included in the work of the Aerie was adding a new room onto the building.

Coming up soon is the 14th Anniversary Dinner and the memorial for deceased members. Election of officers will be held in May, and the installation of officers will be in June.

Presiding officers during the past year were Aerie President Al Zilinski, and Auxiliary President Martha Feger. All the Eagles are appreciative of the work that has been done in the previous year. Special thanks goes to Harron Cable for community service television.

OFFICIAL NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE
Caseville, Michigan

**VILLAGE OF CASEVILLE
MEETING MINUTES**

Regular meeting of the Caseville Village Council April 9, 1990. Meeting called to order by President Malosky at 7:30 pm. Roll Call: Present, Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Tom Rose, Arliss Kraft, Frank Malosky, Dave Lecznar, Alice Hart. Absent: Bill Goslee (Excused). Motion to approve minutes of the public hearing held on March 19, 1990 for a 2 mill levy and TIF plan with the following corrections: Total estimated cost for all projects to be \$1,550,000 not \$1,000,055 and that a consultant MAY be hired. All ayes. Motion carried. Motion to approve minutes of the public hearing held on March 19, 1990 for the Village Wetlands and watercourses ordinance as presented. All ayes. Motion carried. Motion to approve minutes of the March 19, 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. Roll Call: All ayes. Resolution carried. Public Comments: Martha Feger, Aux. President and Estelle Prisky, Chairman of The Eagles Ladies Auxiliary presented the Village with a check in the amount of \$200 for local Drug Abuse Programs. Building Inspectors report given. Resolution to survey Village Property located at the end of Prospect Street and to have DPW clean up the site upon survey. Roll Call. All ayes. Resolution carried.

Committee Reports:
Water: resolution to dissolve the lease between the Village and School for well house property. Roll call. All ayes. Resolution carried. Motion to give Mrs. Zimmer the choice of how to repay her bill without any penalty imposed. (Ex. so much per month or week). All ayes. Motion carried. DPW roads: motion to approve sidewalk replacement for 6508 Main Street, total cost to Village not to exceed \$685, with Village DPW doing the work. All ayes. Motion carried. Motion for DPW Superintendent to advertise for bids to sell the old backhoe and advertise for bids to purchase a new one. All ayes. Motion carried. Motion to designate May 5, 1990 for an Open House at the Water Plant to begin at 11:00 am in observance of "WATER AWARENESS WEEK" and to further allow \$150 for expenditures. All ayes. Motion carried. Motion to recess for 5 minutes. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting called to order at 9:05 pm. All present. Police: Resolution 90-33 setting wage for part time police help. Roll Call: All ayes. Resolution carried. Finance: Garbage bids were opened. Two bids received, one from Cove Sanitation and one from Gateway sanitation. Resolution 90-35 to accept the garbage bid from Cove Sanitation. Roll Call: all ayes. Resolution carried. Resolution 90-34 authorizing the Village/TWP building committee to review and accept a bid for the improvements/remodeling for the Village Hall. Roll Call: All ayes. Resolution carried. Resolution whenever council or committee in awkward situations, needs to buy lunch, worked beyond lunch, to have lunch paid by Village. Roll call: Ayes: McCormick, Williams, Kraft, Lecznar, Nays: Rose, Absent: Goslee. Resolution carried. Resolution 90-38 approving purchase of a typewriter for Village Office. Roll call: All ayes. Resolution carried. Resolution 90-40 approving purchase of a humidifier for the Village office. Roll call: All ayes. Resolution carried. Sewers: Resolution 90-37 to rescind resolution #90-30 dated March 19, 1990 adopting wetlands and watercourses ordinance #800. Roll call: all ayes. resolution carried. Parks and Recreations: Motion to designate June 8, 9 & 10 for a girls softball tournament and horse shoe tournament. All ayes. Motion carried. Resolution 90-39 to purchase tree(s) in observance of Earth Day. Roll call: all ayes. Resolution carried. Old Business, Resolution 90-36 designating Village committee's for the 1990-1991 fiscal year. Roll call: ayes: McCormick, Williams, Rose, Kraft, Nays: Lecznar. Absent: Goslee. Resolution carried. Resolution for any Council Member wishing to attend the Michigan Municipal League meeting on April 19, 1990 in Caro to contact the Village Office by Friday. Cost of the seminar to be paid by the Village. Roll Call: All ayes. Resolution carried. New Business, Resolution authorizing Village President and Spouse or Council member to escort Queen Candidate at the Chamber of Commerce Queens Dinner at the Bella Vista. Cost of Sponsorship and dinner to be paid by the Village. Roll Call: All ayes. Resolution carried. Letter of Resignation from DDA member Bill Weitzel was accepted. Paul Nugent was appointed to the DDA to fill the vacancy created by Bill Weitzel. Term 4/90 to 4/92. Motion to designate April 21 to May 19, 1990 as "Clean Up Days in Michigan," all Ayes. Motion Carried. Motion to adjourn at 11:20 pm. All Ayes. Motion carried. Respectfully submitted:
Alice Hart, Village Clerk

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

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Boy Scouts take time to better their community



Local Boy Scouts took their turn at doing a "Good Turn" during recent community service projects in Caseville.

Above left, Boy Scouts from Troop #540 and Cub Scouts from Troop #3540 worked on a food drive together, as part of the National Boy Scouts project, "Scouting for Food." The two-week project involved the boys delivering bags to area homes, then returning the next week to pick up bags filled with food. The food was then donated to the St. Roch Food Pantry. Scoutmaster Fred Orr says, "I hope that people who would like to donate food but were not called on by Boy Scouts, will donate food to their local food pantry."

Above right, Caseville Boy Scouts "donated" their after-school time on Friday to pick up litter along Caseville's breakwall, in preparation for the Caseville Perch Festival week. Boy Scouts who participated included Cory Reed, Scott Lundberg, Pete Beachy, Chad Quinn, Jordan Wroblewski, Matt Taylor, Shawn Connors, Mark Liston, Justin Peterson, Matt Soper, Craig Streu, Matt Poisson, Andrew DuVal, Corey Begg, Robert Peter, Josh Moulhauzen and Dan Lisowski. Leaders are Kathy Beachy, Nancy Begg, Linda Micklash and Bonnie Wroblewski.

Report to the Caseville Community

By Mayor
FRANK MALOSKY



Last month I received a letter from The Progress Advance inviting me to write an article each month or more often if time permitted. The article would include activities in Caseville and information from the council meetings.

I was hesitant to accept this offer, because, if you readers can remember, when I was first elected Village President two years ago, articles appeared most often giving only one side of a story, which information usually came from an employee, and portrayed the village president as power hungry and someone trying to take over the town. One article even stated that the village attorney suggested to council that I could be charged with misconduct of office if I did not do as council ordered regarding turning over a letter.

This is just one incidence of unjustly reporting an incidence, without first investigating to see if they had all the facts. My explanation of the above incident was never sought.

With the election on March 12 of this year, the voters of Caseville have spoken. As Village President, I have always been in favor of allowing the people to be heard at council meetings. Some changes in council and office personnel have been made for the betterment of Caseville. I urge all Caseville residents, council members, and village employees to work together as a team.

There is much to be accomplished and numerous activities going on in Caseville. We can make Caseville the showplace of the Thumb with everyone working together. This month's meeting was an indication that we are on the right tract, so let's continue.

In 1988, the girl scouts were encouraged to have paper drives in the Caseville area. In the first drive, they collected 16,000 lbs. and received \$144. for their efforts. In 1989 they collected 19,000 lbs. and received only \$39.

This year a full semi-trailer was collected over a period of time, which amounted to 40,000 lbs. No one wanted to

come to Caseville to pick up the papers as there is very little, or no, market for recycling newspapers. Blue Water Recycling Center of Port Huron finally came and took the papers, promising no money for them.

This writer called the recycling center and asked if the scouts could be rewarded somehow, considering all the effort put into the project by them and their leaders. The owner said he would send something. I mention this to give credit to the scouts, as recycling is coming to Caseville and it will be mandatory in the very near future that all households and businesses do their part in helping to recycle and not pollute our land.

Presently the biggest concern for village officials is the sewer project. The last of the easements are not coming in as expected. FmHA officials met with Caseville officials April 4, and suggested we do everything possible to get the necessary paperwork completed as time is running out for funding.

Caseville residents who haven't sent their signed easements in, please stop and think for a minute what could happen if Caseville did not receive the near \$4 million in grant money?

In a nutshell, Caseville will still be forced to build the sewer system and residents will then pay the full amount in tap-in and user fees.

So please if you are one of these residents who do not understand for some reason the required easement, contact the village office at 856-2101, and someone will answer your questions.

Hopefully, bids can be let out this month and construction can be started in June. I

urge you to let Caseville take advantage of the grant monies that are available.

Caseville's Perch Festival and Perch Contest began on April 21, and continues all week. There is no fee to register, however, you must be wearing a Perch Festival Badge, available at the bank and area merchants. Come out and try to capture one of two \$100 prizes.

FRANK MALOSKY
Caseville Village President

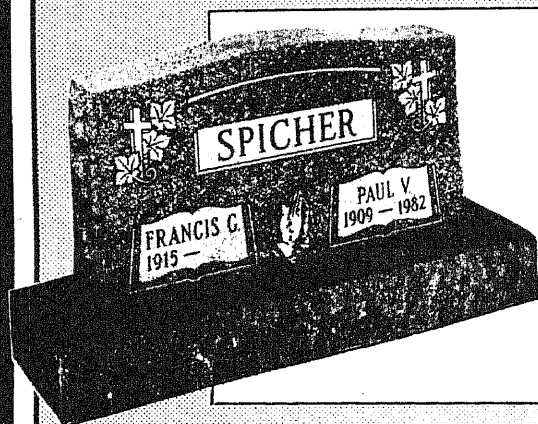
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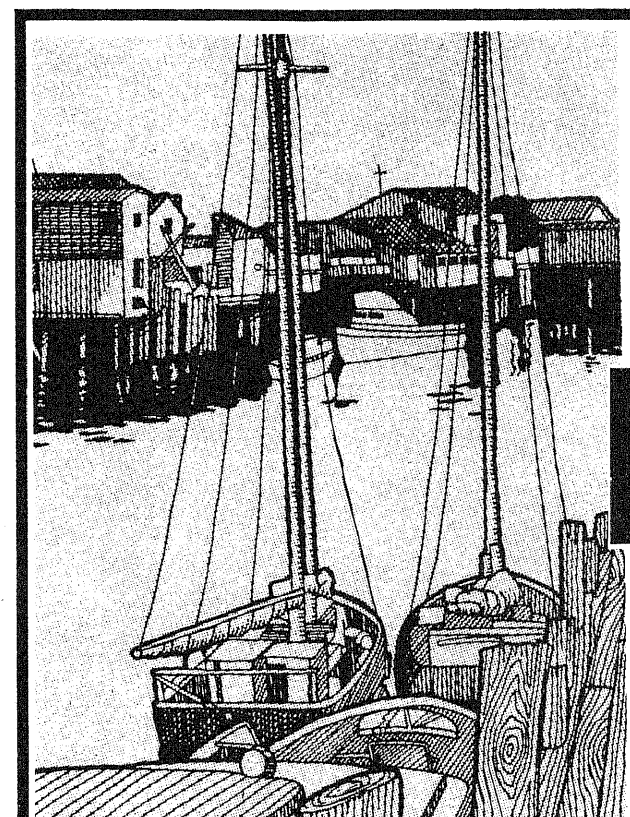
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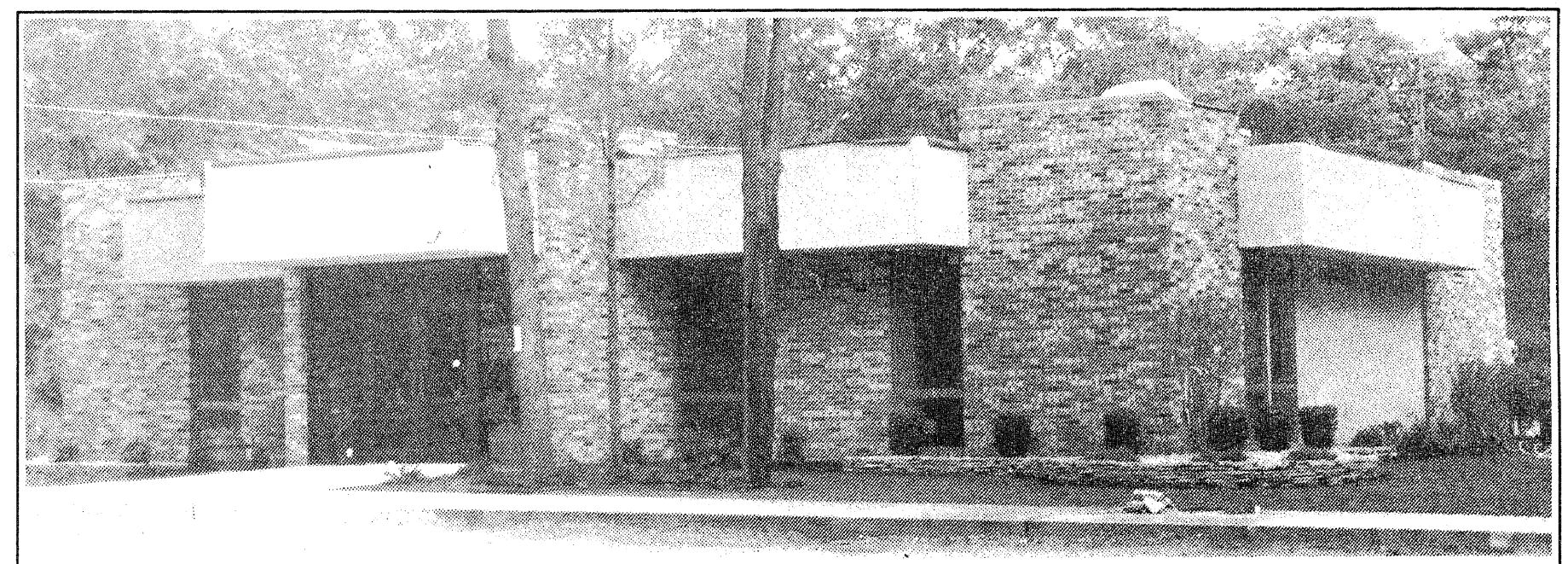
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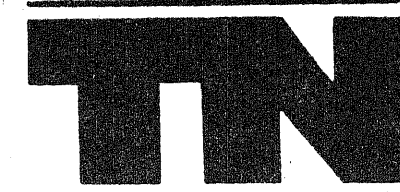
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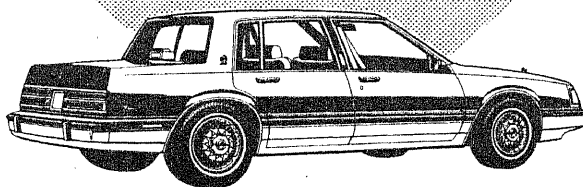
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