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Caseville Airport hearing July 27

Nearly \$1.1 million in federal and local funding is expected in fiscal year 1984, as Caseville's General Aviation Airport moves closer to reality.

Purchase of 385 acres for the air field, land clearing and preparation, construction of the 3800-foot paved runway and other basic plans should be completed by 1984, according to Caseville Township Aeronautical Board Chairman Lowell Kraft. The money is earmarked at \$945,000 in federal funding, \$52,500 in state and \$87,500 in local funding -- all of which are thus far committed, according to Kraft.

A public hearing on the proposed airport development is scheduled for Wednesday, July 27 at 7:30 p.m. at Caseville Public School gymnasium. It is being conducted to consider economic, social and environmental effects of the airport location and its consistency with the goals and objectives of such urban planning as has been planned for the area, Kraft says.

UNUSED, WOODED AREA: The airport will be built in the two-square-mile area bounded by Caseville Road on the east, Crescent Beach Road on the north, M-25 highway on the west and Dunn Road on the south, in sections nine and ten of Caseville Township. Options have been taken on most of the land, and little opposition has been experienced, Kraft says. Many of the trees in the vicinity will be maintained for site control, since it is nearly totally-wooded, sandy land.

The Aeronautical Board will summarize its views about the airport plan and will invite other persons to give written or oral views on the subject at the hearing. Environmental impact statements are available for review by interested persons at the Caseville Township Hall, Caseville Branch of Community Bank and Real Estate One -- Power Associates offices, during normal business hours.

Besides the paved runway, a crosswind runway, clear zones, taxiways, future extensions, aprons, hangar areas and access roads will be built at the site, Kraft says. Plans have been approved by federal and state agencies to get the project rolling in 1984, and the July 27 hearing will primarily discuss 1985 fiscal year plans.

FUNDING OKAYED: Kraft says \$50,000 in local donations and pledges have already been received for the airport, showing "the strong interest local people have in this project." Huron County has committed \$30,000 in financing -- which together provide nearly all the \$87,500 local match needed in 1984. State and federal funding is already assured, he said.

Kraft says 1985 projects will total \$223,000 including more work on the 75-foot wide runway, a beacon and tower, wind cone, fuel tanks and radar location devices. Federal funding would pay \$171,000 of the total, while state funding would be \$9500 and local funding \$42,500 in all.

The 1984 and '85 outlines are part of a five-year master plan which includes additional hangar space, building and more safety features. Kraft says the Michigan Aeronautical Commission has accelerated its timetable for pre-applications for funding, moving it ahead four months. "But that should mean they'll get the funds out faster to us," he added.

NEEDED SINCE 1970s: The future demand for such an airport in northwestern Huron County was seen in the 1970s. Original work on the old State Highway Department's Airport System Plan said such a general aviation (non-scheduled airline) airport should be in operation by 1982.

At present, "Farver's Airstrip" at Caseville is home for 13 planes -- "And others have shown their interest. It's very surprising how many planes want to use this facility," Kraft says.

The economic impact is staggering for the entire area, he adds, since more money would be spent by vacationers and business people alike who will use the airport.

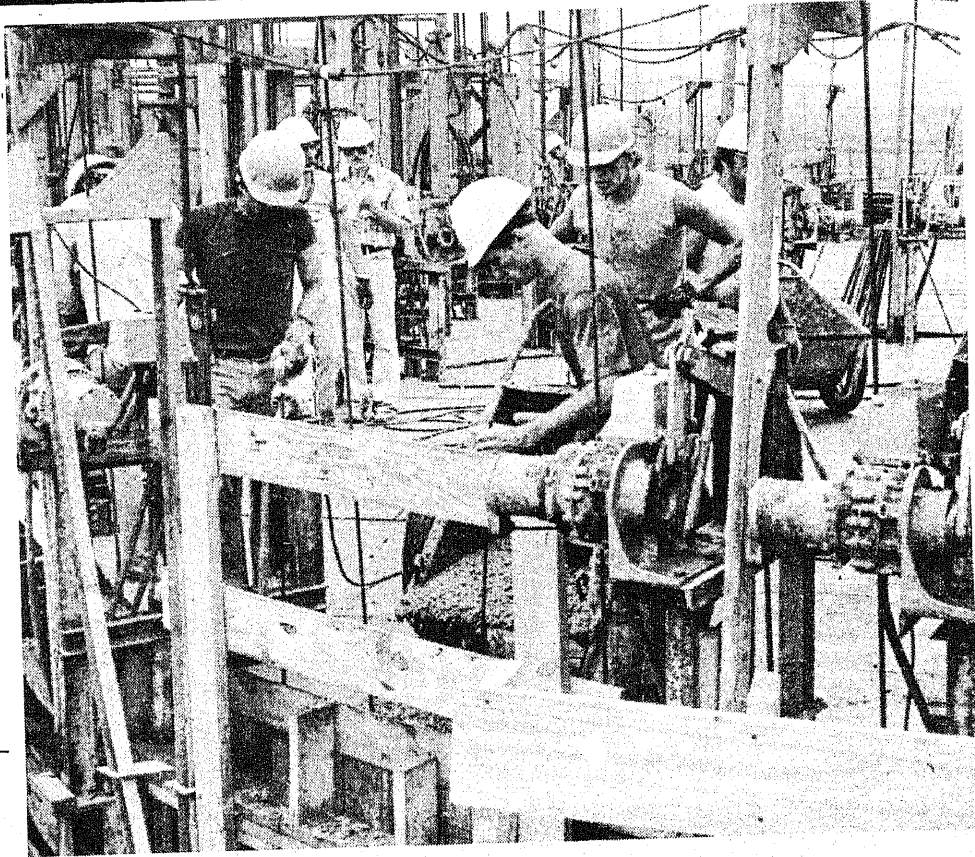


FIREWORKS ON SUNDAY: The Caseville Chamber of Commerce is presenting its first annual Fireworks Display at dusk this Sunday, in celebration of the July 4th holiday.

Chamber President Rich Lisowski says the aerial display will be shot from a fenced-in area along the County Park Beach, near the Breakwall. In case of rain, the display will be shown at dusk Monday, July 4.

The one-hour show is presented by the Chamber, in cooperation with local merchants, service clubs, Caseville Village and Township governments.

Families should bring blankets or chairs and use the County Park Beach area for best viewing, Lisowski recommends.



GOING UPI

Workers began pouring concrete before Monday's rain for the eight-silo expansion project at the Elkton Plant of the Co-operative Elevator Company of Pigeon.

The eight concrete silos should be completed within two weeks, if weather cooperates.

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Area girls leaving on Lions worldwide exchange

Four Thumb area girls will have an opportunity to experience life in another culture this summer as a result of the Lion's Youth Exchange program.

Ronda Heckman and Julia Schuette of Pigeon, Tammy Keim of Owendale and Dianne Koch of Bad Axe are scheduled to leave today (Wednesday) with an ultimate destination at Scandinavia. From Detroit the group will fly to Boston where they have an overnight stay, then continue on to Hamburg, Germany by way of London, England.

After a one-day stop in Germany they will travel by train to Stockholm, Sweden. Heckman, Schuette and Koch will be staying with a



Julia Schuette



Ronda Heckman

family in Sweden, while Heckman, Schuette and Koch will continue on to

Finland by ship. The three girls will be spending their visits with families in dif-

ferent parts of the country.

Part of the travel expenses of the group will be paid by the Pigeon Lions Club, as they participate in the exchange program.

In a letter of introduction received from the Jormanainen family she will be staying with in Finland, Heckman was informed that she will be staying in a rustic old farmhouse used for a summer cottage. The letter was written by the 15 year old daughter, as neither of the parents speak English. Heckman says she is looking forward to meeting new friends while visiting the Scandinavian country.

The group is scheduled to return Aug. 10 from their international visit.



BEAUTIFYING!

Joanne Haist is supervising Cozy Chappel in planting flowers around the old Pigeon railroad depot building last week. Miss Chappel and another Thumb Consortium Worker, Kathy Briesmeister, did the planting of flowers which were anonymously donated to the village.

Pigeon DPW workers built the flower beds.



Pigeon's only entrant in the Michigan Sugar Queen competition in Friday night's crowning during the Sugar Festival was named a member of the queen's court. She was Kelly Roestel, right. Members of the court, together with the queen, are left to right, Mary Schmidt of Unionville, third runner-up; Jodi Riemann of Sebawaing, first runner-up; Queen Deann Balash of Bay City; Ellen Palmer of Cass City, second runner-up and Kelly Roestel of Pigeon; fourth runner-up. There were 17 contestants in the queen's competition. The queen received a \$500 savings bond, each member of the court received a \$100 bond and the other 12 contestants each received a \$25 bond.

Ex-Elkton resident begins dental residency

Ruth D. Cooper, a Laker High School graduate in 1974, received a Doctor of Dental Surgery degree from the University of Detroit during their May graduation

at the Henry Ford Auditorium in Detroit. Prior to graduation, she was elected into the National Dental Honor Society, Omicron Kappa Upsilon, an

honor awarded on the basis of high academic and professional excellence. The American Association of Women Dentists also presented her with the award of Outstanding Woman Senior Dental Student.

In July, she will begin a year of General Practice Residency at the hospital of the University of Illinois in Chicago.

In 1979, Ruth earned a B.S. degree in microbiology from Wayne State University. Her parents are Rev. and Mrs. O.

Caseville church sets VBS

Residents of Caseville and the surrounding areas are invited to send their children, from age three through ninth grade, to Vacation Bible School on Monday, July 25 through Friday, July 29 at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Caseville.

Sessions will run from 9 to 11:45 a.m. daily, and will conclude with a special program for parents and friends. To enroll your child, call 856-4850 or 856-4367.

DeChane's cabinet designers attend training session



Tim Sorenson and Bruce DeChane.

Bruce DeChane and Tim Sorenson of DeChane's Cabinet Shop in Bad Axe recently completed two training seminars for kitchen specialists. The two designers traveled to Creamer, Pennsylvania to complete a week-long course at the Wood-Mode Training Center.

The course is one of the most comprehensive in the industry and covers every aspect of kitchen design from the initial basic idea to completion of the kitchen, says DeChane and Sorenson. Extensive homework assignments and a final exam covered design layout, technical instruction, industry terminology and consumer information.

DeChane and Sorenson also earned a certificate for professional kitchen design at a training course offered by the 107-year-old Coppes Company of Napanee, Indiana.

That course concentrated on design understanding and improving the capability to solve custom residential storage needs, the Bad Axe kitchen specialists say. With this additional training DeChane and Sorenson say they have improved their skills in custom kitchen design, detailed cost estimation and supervision of custom cabinet installation to better serve their customers.

Jack Beach dies

Word was received at press time that John (Jack) Beach, 63, of Pigeon passed away Tuesday morning at Scheurer Hospital. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 11 a.m. from First United Methodist Church, Pigeon. Additional information will be published as available.

Letter to the Editor

A letter from 1982 Queen Colleen:

Dear Editor: Happiness was being chosen the 1982 Strawberry Queen.

Many long hours are spent getting everything ready for the three days of celebration in Elkton and so many people are involved, that it's almost impossible to tell you all the names of people who were so kind to me during my year as Queen. One person, Geri Smith of the Elkton Co-op, does stand out in my mind, and I must give him a special thanks. Geri spent so

many hot Saturday afternoons waiting for me as my driver while I participated in a parade, and I really appreciated it.

Congratulations to Elkton's new Queen, Cozy Chappel. May your year be full of excitement and precious memories.

Elkton and Huron County is a wonderful and beautiful place to live and I will always treasure my year as Elkton Strawberry Queen.

Sincerely,
Colleen Marie Reilly

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OBSERVATIONS BY THE PUBLISHER AND OTHERS

RARE UNANIMITY - We were surprised to realize not one person we spoke with during Monday's day-long rain was sorry to see the wet stuff come. Often, at least one or two people will complain when the weather isn't just beautiful. But everyone agreed Monday's rain was long overdue and was really necessary...for parched lawns, dry fields and to help reduce high temperatures and humidities from Saturday and Sunday.

BEST LETTER - News Editor Rich Swartzendruber got a news release that made him chuckle Monday. A Detroit area public relations firm sent along its usual envelope to us, with just one thing missing: the nice white envelope was completely EMPTY inside! No news must be good news...

EARLY DEADLINES NEEDED - Since this weekend marks the July 4th observance throughout our land, we'd like to remind everyone that news stories and pictures for publication in our July 6 issue next week must be received here by 12 noon on Saturday, to be considered. Ad deadline is 9 a.m. Tuesday. Thanks, in advance, for your cooperation this next week only.

GIVING THE BUSINESS - Sally and I are always fascinated by the types of new enterprises dreamed up by smart folks. For instance, for \$15, a company named Dead Flowers in Portland, Ore., will send the very worst - wilting flowers and an obnoxious card.

An Associated Press story last week said, "Miffed because your boyfriend dumped you? Mad because the dry cleaners ruined your best suit? Peeved because the used car you just bought is a lemon?" Dead Flowers is a new business dispensing deceased floral arrangements, and deliveries are even made in a small hearse.

I don't think it would go over really big around here, but who knows?

CORRECTIONS - Sally, Sarah and I skipped out of town to visit Sally's folks at Naubinway after last week's paper was completed. Maybe we had leaving on our minds, since we'd like to correct a few mistakes:

Our apologies to Geri Smith. We incorrectly identified him last week, and are republishing 1982 Elkton Strawberry Queen Colleen Reilly's letter, just to make it right.

Speaking of the berries, baby crawl winners pictured from last week's Strawberry Festival were incorrectly identified. We should have stated that Ryan Toner was crawling at left and the ultimate winner, Douglas Roberts, was shown at right in the page 13 picture. Lindsie Brown did indeed win the girls' baby crawl.

Sorry also to our own minister, Rev. Randall Schultz of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Caseville. His name was missed on the listing about Rev. Robert Pfaff's installation at St. John's Lutheran Church, Kilmanagh.

Sorry, one and all, but mistakes DO happen!

RANDOM THOUGHTS - I'm looking forward to the Bay Port Fish Sandwich Day, coming Sunday, Aug. 7. Those sandwiches are delicious, and we admire the gumption shown by Bay Porter Chamber members, who are planning to sell 5000 sandwiches. Good luck! You can do it, friends!

Congratulations to Glen Schaaf and John Schaefer, new presidents of the Pigeon Lions and Pigeon Rotary Clubs, respectively. Best wishes in the year ahead!

Remember, this hot weather is the stuff we all wanted, back when it was cold...

Have you seen the beautiful Caseville County Park? Most people remember the old park, with trailers parked forever. Well, Dick Back gave me a tour recently - and it's amazing! Fifty overnight trailer sites are being added to the 75 already completed. New roads, water and electric hook-ups are in place - it's beautiful! More details coming.

We're really looking forward to Sunday night's fireworks show at Caseville. The sponsors promise a B-I-G show and many folks are expected at dusk for all the fun!

WISH I'D SAID THAT - Here's to the good old garage sale, whose basic function is to sell all your junk to your neighbor so that next month he can sell you his!

Elkton MMPA Local serves treats

Evelyn Protzman, left, at Mildred Rann of the Elkton Local of Michigan Milk Producers Association offer a cheese spread sample to Janet Rokicki of Elkton, in recognition of National Dairy Month. The taste sampling was conducted at Elkton IGA.



Here are the two recipes the dairy boosters used:

- CHEESE DELIGHT**
- 1 pkg (2 lb.) Velvee cheese
 - 1 pkg. (8 oz.) Sharp Old English cheese slices
 - 1 pkg. (8 oz.) cream cheese
 - 1/2 lb. butter
 - 1 med. onion, grated very fine
 - Dash Worcestershire Sauce
 - Dash Salt

Let stand at room temperature for a couple of hours. Cut cheese in small pieces before it's put together. Use mixer after cheese gets soft, then beat until it is well mixed. Put back in refrigerator until it starts to get stiff again, then shape into three or four balls. Whatever size you like. Roll in chopped nuts.

SPINACH SPREAD

- 1 c. sour cream
- 1 c. real mayonnaise
- 1 c. water chestnuts, drain and chopped
- 10 oz. pkg. chopped frozen spinach, uncooked, squeeze all water out
- 2 T. chopped onions
- 1 pkg. dry mixed vegetable soup mix (can use beefy vegetable soup mix)
- Mix together and set overnight. Can be frozen.

Bay Port hosts Historical Society meeting on July 14

The third quarterly meeting of the Huron County Historical Society will be hosted by the Bay Port chapter on Thursday, July 14 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting will be at the Bay Port United Methodist Church. All interested parties are invited to attend.

All Hillock and Maurice Haag will present a program on "Indians and Pioneers in Huron County."

Everyone is invited to meet at the Bay Port Inn for the optional dinner at 6 p.m. Call Isabel Fogle for reservations by July 11.

Mental health board meets

The regular monthly meeting of the Huron County Community Mental Health Services Act 258 Board is scheduled for Wednesday, July 6 at 7:30 p.m. in the Mental Health Offices at 1008 South Van Dyke in Bad Axe.

Property transfer hearings

The State Board of Education will hold three public hearings today (Wednesday) on property transfer cases in Huron County.

The hearings will concern an appeal by the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Board of Education on the action of

Tennis Clinic offered

Winning Laker Tennis Coach Dick Pauly will offer a Summer Tennis Clinic to Laker seventh, eighth and ninth grade youngsters from July 11 through 14 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Pigeon Recreation Park.

Pauly asks all interested persons to register for the clinic by calling him at 453-3858.

Mutual Savings buys S&L

Mutual Savings and Loan Association, headquartered in Bay City, has completed negotiations and reached agreement with U.S. Mutual Financial Group of Detroit for purchase of all branch offices of Michigan Savings and Loan Association of Ann Arbor. Mutual Savings President Bruce W. Cook has announced.

Pending final regulatory approval, the acquisition will add five new branches to Mutual's statewide branch network of 27. New branches will be in Ann Arbor, Battle Creek, Muskegon, Royal Oak, and Canton Township in Wayne County. All of the branch locations except Ann Arbor are located inside Meijer Shopping Centers. Mutual's Taylor Office, opened in January, was the Association's first in a Meijer facility.

Mutual Savings, with 1982 year-end assets of over 482 million dollars, ranks as Michigan's sixth largest savings and loan. Michigan Savings assets at year-end were 58,857,057 million dollars. "This acquisition represents a new challenge for our 55 year old association, but with it comes great opportunity," Cook said. "We are convinced that our expansion into these new markets combined with our industry leading service offerings will be successful and rewarding for the Association and our customers," Cook continued.

Barcia named to national ag group

Michigan State Senator James A. Barcia (D-Bay City) has been named as a member of the Agriculture, Food Policy and Nutrition Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures (NSCL), the official representative of the nation's 7,500 state lawmakers and their legislative staffs.

The committee is one of ten standing panels of the group's primary policy making body, the State-Federal Assembly. Policies adopted by the Assembly guide the organization's federal liaison activities each with Congress, the Administration and federal agencies.

As a member of the Committee, Barcia will speak on behalf of the nation's lawmakers on the current issues facing the Agriculture, Food Policy and Nutrition Committee in

cluding export of agricultural products, federal and state agricultural programs, farm credit, rural development and the farm economy. Barcia said that he welcomed his involvement with the NSCL. "There's not a better time for me to take on this role, considering how

heavily decisions made in the federal states and on the federal level affect Michigan's interests. It provides me with additional opportunities to promote the growth of agriculture in Michigan and to work on some of the problems our farmers face on both the state and federal levels.

Support group forming

Catholic Family Service will be conducting a therapy/support group to help persons who are separated or divorcing to cope constructively with the emotions and realities of a broken marriage.

Group leader Pamela J. Kahler, M.S.W., who specializes in family, marriage and divorce counseling states that the group is designed for those individuals who are going through the early stages of divorce, prior to the time that the divorce is finalized.

The six session group will be offered at three different locations for the convenience of the participants. In Bad Axe, at the Catholic Family Service main office, the initial meeting will be on Monday, July 11 and held on every other Monday after that for a total of six sessions.

For information or registration call 269-7931. Fees for these sessions are dependent on individuals situations and will be discussed at the time of registration. Kahler adds.

Anderson is Alma graduate

Cheryl Anderson, a 1983 Alma College graduate from Pigeon, is among the 205 students named to the college's Dean's List for outstanding academic performance during winter term, which ended April 15. Students who achieved a 3.5 or better grade point average during a term are named to the Dean's List.

Anderson is a 1979 graduate of Caseville High School and is the daughter of William and Carole Anderson of Pigeon. She majored in music education at Alma College.

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As we see it editorially

A great Lady needs our help

She's quite a bit older now, but she's still noble and regal. She stands tall and proud, but there are aches and groans beneath her skin which could prove fatal if not remedied.

The Statue of Liberty in New York City's harbor is in need of special care now, in her 97th year. If she's not attended to, her 100th birthday celebration on Oct. 28, 1986 may come and go without the guest of honor herself.

Beneath the statue's hand-hammered copper skin, many of the 2000 iron armature support bars have deteriorated to less than half their original thickness. Pieces of the proud torch held high for generation after generation of immigrants have fallen into New York Harbor. The torch and portions of the upraised right arm may have to be completely replaced.

The statue's copper skin has been thinned by some of man's worst gifts since her creation - acid rain and air pollutants. In short, the 151-foot figure needs aid, possibly to the tune of several million dollars.

Whether or not you approve of President Reagan's policies, he's exactly correct in his thoughts about how America's best-known Lady should be treated. Just as in 1886, our present leader believes all costs should be paid through small gifts from citizens at large. Yes, the government could appropriate millions and millions to the project, but that's not the best possible way.

President Reagan believes America will respond to the appeal to restore the Lady to her original beauty and strength - through voluntary contributions from the people. U.S. leaders Lee Iacocca, Bob Hope, Douglas Fraser and others are members of a 20-member commission charged with raising \$230 million to repair the Statue of Liberty and nearby Ellis Island, which has fallen into ruin since it was closed as an immigration center in 1954.

It's a project we should - and must - support and complete.

Seventeen million immigrants have streamed past her to seek new lives in America since French sculptor Frederic Auguste Bartholdi spent nine years of his life to create Lady

Liberty. Even the famous French engineer Alexandre Gustave Eiffel (of Paris tower fame, of course) worked on the project, designed as a gift of appreciation from the French to the United States.

A private group of French citizens known as the Franco-American Union dug into their pockets to raise the two million francs (then \$400,000) to pay for Lady Liberty. A similar fund drive was begun in the U.S., which raised more than \$100,000 (primarily in pennies) to pay for the pedestal. More than 80% of the U.S. gift came in amounts less than \$1.

Then, as now, newspapers urged citizens to each give \$1 or less, as they are able. If everyone in the U.S. did so, we'd easily surpass the \$230 million goal. You can be part of the 1986 celebration honoring our most-familiar landmark. Special observances featuring tall sailing ships reminiscent of 1976's Bicentennial celebration are planned July 4, 1986. Think how good you'll feel if a few cents of your money has helped make the celebration possible!

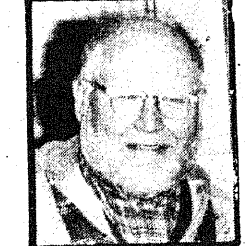
The great Lady has survived hurricanes, floods and explosions to remain the symbol that says "America" to the people of every continent. Your tax-deductible gift to the Liberty-Ellis Island Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 1986, New York, NY 10018 will be appreciated. Families, friends, neighbors, co-workers, school boards, local officials and newspapers are being urged to again support the campaign to help Lady Liberty. Your part is important, to keep her light shining brightly in the night.

"As you go through life, you'll have many opportunities to keep your mouth shut. Take advantage of all of them!"



RECOLLECTIONS

of by-gone days



By GEORGE KEIM

Dear Editor: On June 17 I went to the Elkton Strawberry Festival and heard Johnny Ray Watson sing. I saw the crowning of the Strawberry Queen and the king and queen of the Strawberry Festival, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gremel.

I knew the Gremels for a long time. He used to buy feeder pigs from me. It was a very good meeting. On Saturday I took my grandchildren to see the parade which I thought was very good. We went over to the park and got ice cream and my little grandson got lost. They announced it over the speaker and when he saw me he quit crying. I sure love my grandchildren but I just can't look after them like I did my own.

I went to the Hayes Church ice cream social and met a lot of friends. One was Sidney Foster and his wife, we worked in the Waigel Canning Co. once way back in the early 30's.

I went to Elkton again and heard Tami Chere and John Gunden sing. I had a full weekend.

I don't know just how long Elkton has been having

festivals but I remember back in the early 20's. They used to have homecomings. I went to several of them. Our neighbor, Charlie Commis took me along. I was 14 and they had races for boys 13 and under and boys races 15 and over so that left me out. I guess I could have lied but it wasn't worth it. In my prime I could out run most anybody and my legs kept my head from getting hurt more than once.

They had a nice parade then and most of the floats were pulled by horses. There were several new cars in the parade, several were brand new Model T Fords. I only had 25 cents to spend and I got a hot dog and ice cream and still had 18 cents left. I never could see spending my money trying to win something and I like to think of the verse in Isa 55:2. Wherefore spend ye money for that which is not bread and your labor which satisfeth not. I can go to a celebration and see a lot of friends like I did at Elkton and don't have to spend a lot of money and still have a good time.

As young lads at home we always liked hot weather in June. It gave us good fun at the Old Maple, our swimming hole up the river. It was a hole alright with a squishy mud bottom but deep enough to permit belly-smasher dives from the riverbank. Mother permitted swimming only while the river was flowing. Usually early in July and water level dropped and our swimming stopped. "The water is still high where we swim" . . . "The other kids swim and don't get sick," but the lamentations were in vain.

The "other kids", usually were Walter and Eddie Hoppe and Harold and Oscar Strieter, our cousins who lived across the road. Usually three of us, Nelson, Gil and I. Almost always an evening

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Fore! By Mavis Pechette

Did that really happen?

Do you ever wonder if you really did what you think you just did? When you load the washer and can't remember if you put in the soap, you can tell when the suds come to the top that you did.

It's not so easy with adding baking soda to the flour in a recipe. If the box of soda is out of the cupboard it's a good sign that you did. If you didn't, you won't know until the baking is completed.

One day I wondered if I were losing my mind. Or perhaps the push buttons of the car radio no longer worked properly. As I was driving along, listening to the radio, the deejay played a record. It was a song I don't particularly care for so I punched a button to change stations. Over the air waves came the same song for a second station. Wondering if I had just pushed the button for the first station, I tried it again. There was that same song on both stations. That doesn't happen very often.

Sometimes you get the feeling, "Did I really see that?" It's fun to watch a softball game. A youngster comes to bat. The grown-up infielders all pull in a couple steps or more. Then the young fellow loops it over the head of the shortstop and he can't get back to make the play. He and his teammates are flabbergasted. Did that kid really get a hit?

In a tennis match there's a good rally, back and forth, back and forth. All of a sudden there's a spin on the ball and it twists away from the player who hits the air with his magnificent forehand stroke. He looks at the racquet, checking to see if there's a hole in it. He can't believe he missed that shot.

Sometimes a golfer can't believe he made that shot. He hits an approach shot 40 yards from the green. The ball lands and rolls right in the cup. He can hardly believe it - amazing! That's what his opponent thinks, too.

Mother gets that feeling when she has filled the cookie jar. She goes out for an afternoon of bridge and returns, planning to serve cookies for dessert at supper. The boys have made several trips to the cookie jar in Mother's absence. Mother is amazed when she finds the empty jar. Is it really empty? Did she really fill it up that morning? When she announces, "No dessert tonight," the boys reply, "Is that right?" Yes, those things really did happen.

Dear Mom & Dad, Please Send \$\$\$

By KAMI BUCHHOLZ

If you'll recall, last week I explained what an important event the Mardi Gras is to the residents of Mt. Pleasant. After learning that the "festival" isn't one of the more celebrated events, I decided to check into other recreational possibilities.

Actually, it was by accident that I found other area activities. One is always looking for something to do, right? So on a Sunday afternoon, a leisurely drive turned into a search for some excitement.

Beal City has a fantastic county park, but don't ask anyone there to tell you about the competition - the Isabella County Park. After asking how to get to the park, I was given a map titled "A Recreation Guide." Personally, I've seen treasure maps that give better directions than this "guide."

Unfolded, the map is about three-quarters the size of the Michigan state map. Only

Babies sought for 1983 contest

Parents, grandparents and friends of "beautiful babies" are invited to enter the 1983 Beautiful Baby Contest, sponsored by the Pigeon Area Jayettes in conjunction with the 1983 Pigeon Farmers' Festival, July 28-31.

This event is not a typical "beauty contest" in that it is a fund-raiser, NOT an actual competition, according to Nancy Buchholz of Pigeon, this year's organizer. "We think ALL babies are beautiful!" she says, but adds that the contest has made possible the purchase of park equipment for all area children to enjoy. We hope to make enough money in coming years to add onto the present equipment, she says.

To be eligible to enter, babies must have been born between Jan. 1, 1982 and March 31, 1983.

Baby pictures will be on display at Thumb National Bank from Tuesday, July 5 through Friday, July 29 with winners announced during the Friday night entertainment at the Farmers' Festival, July 29. Four prizes will be awarded: first

and second place boys and first and second place girls. Each winner will receive a stuffed animal and picture, and a \$25.00 (first place) or \$10.00 (second place) savings account.

"Winning babies" will be determined by the highest number of votes (a penny per vote) done by the public. The Pigeon Area Jayettes emphasize that the purpose of the voting is to provide funds for park equipment, and encourage people to vote for all the babies. Each baby will be identified only by a number, not a name.

All contestants will have their pictures published in the special Farmers' Festival edition of The Progress-Advance, prior to the festival.

Deadline for submitting your baby will be this Saturday, July 2. Please send a recent photo (no larger than a 5 x 7) and the form shown here to: Nancy Buchholz, 1997 Notter Rd., Pigeon, MI 48755 or drop off at The Progress-Advance office, 7232 E. Michigan Ave., Pigeon. Anyone with questions may call Mrs. Buchholz at 453-3915.

Entry Form for Beautiful Baby Contest! Baby's Name _____ Baby's Birth Date _____ Soc. Sec. No. (Parents or Childs) _____ Parent's Name _____ Address _____ Telephone Number _____

Wedding

Plaus - Hoerneman Serving as ringbearer was Carol's son.

A dinner was served at Bintz Apple Mountain. After a honeymoon in Northern Michigan the newlyweds will reside in Midland. Carol is an elementary school teacher at McAlear Sowden School in Bay City. Albert is a Assoc. Professor of Chemistry at Saginaw Valley State College.

Carol is the daughter of Hal and Christine Conkey.

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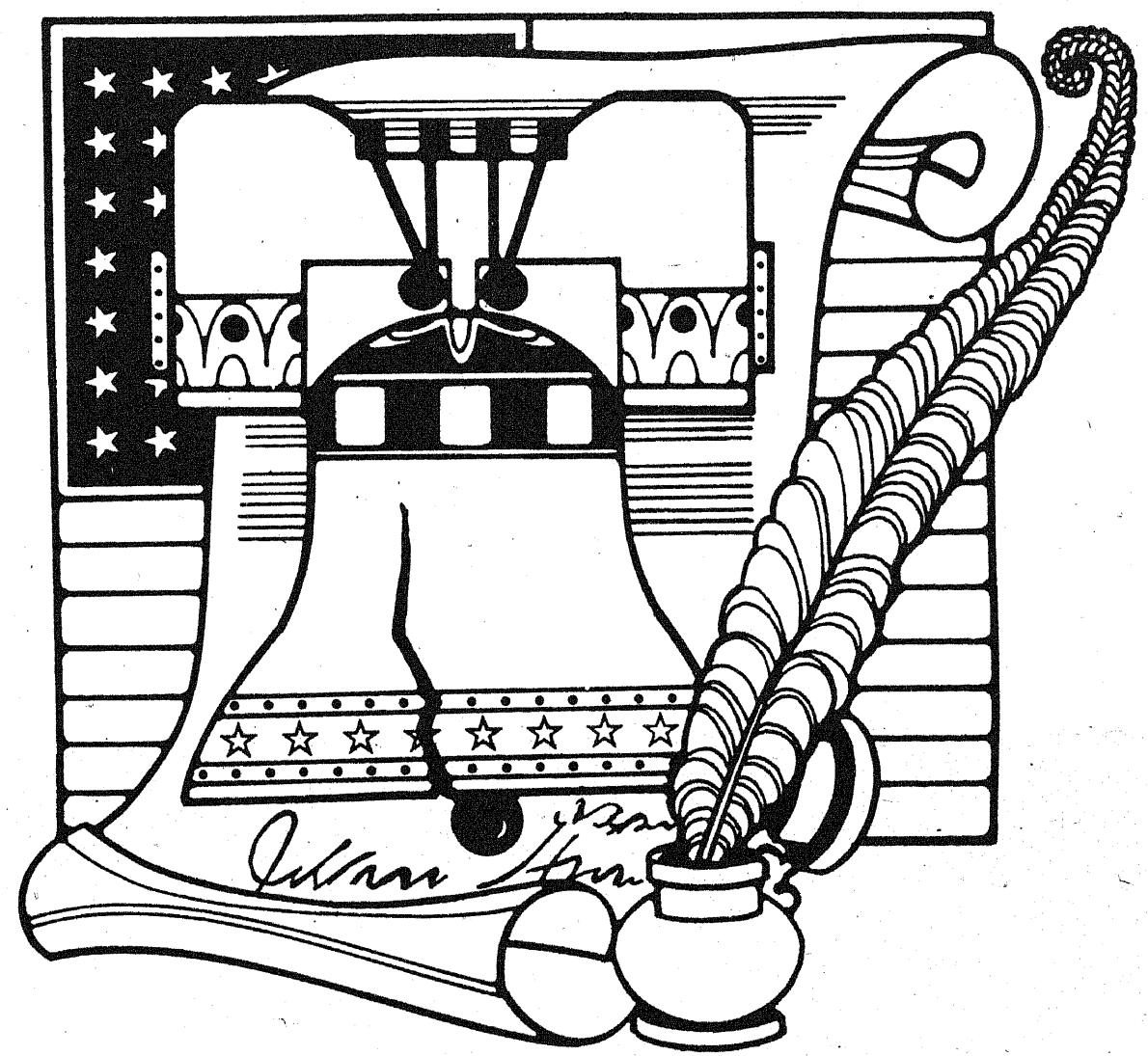
WEEK's WORD adroit

Skillful and resourceful; adroit move. From the reacting and thinking quickly, as the hockey player's French a'droit (to the right).

NOTICE

The Chandler Township Board Meeting will be held July 11, 1983, at 8:00 p.m. at the Chandler Township Hall due to the fourth of July weekend.

Glenn Iddings Chandler Township Clerk



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Huron County Dairy Banquet is coming Saturday, July 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the Rapson Sportsman's Club. This 15th annual dinner-dance is presented by the county's dairy industry.

Music will be provided by the Polka Sparks, providing an opportunity for the business and dairy communities to get together in appreciation of each other. A short program will feature presentation of the Outstanding Dairyman Award, Outstanding Dairy Supporter Award and the Outstanding Dairy Youth Award.

Tickets are available from Huron County Dairy Promotion Committee members or the Huron County Cooperative Extension Service office in Bad Axe at 269-9949, according to Extension Ag Agent Andy Sommers.

June 1 Grain Stocks in Michigan show continuing high stock levels for corn, soybeans and oats, compared with the same time last year. The Michigan Ag Reporting Service says corn stored in all positions totals 177 million bushels, up 34% from a year ago, MARS says.

Sharp increases in stocks are seen in both on- and off-farm storage facilities, with 73% held in on-farm locations. Slow sales continue to be evident despite price increases during the past quarter.

Soybeans at over 9 million bushels reflect a 16% rise from last year, MARS says. Old crop oats in storage totaled about 7 million bushels, more than double last year's amount. Oat prices have remained in the \$1.60 per bushel range and have not prompted large scale sales.

Old crop winter wheat continues to be the only major Michigan crop showing lower stock levels. On June 1, holdings were under 7 million bushels, 26% below last year's level.

Nationally, according to MARS figures, corn stored in all positions totaled a record high 5.08 billion bushels, up 30% from last year. Soys were also at record highs, with 867 million bushels, up 33% from 1982. Old crop wheat was also a record, at 1.54 billion bushels, up 32%. Old crop oats were 229 million bushels in size, 51% up from 1982.

Milk production on Michigan farms during May was up 5% from the April 1983 figures. May's milk total was 477 million pounds, MARS says. Milk cow numbers increased to 404,000 head during May.

Milk per cow averaged 1180 pounds, up 50 pounds from May, 1981. May production put Michigan sixth nationally in both milk cow numbers and milk production.

Milk producers in the state received an average of \$13.40 per hundredweight (cwt.) for their milk in May, up 10 cents from a year earlier. This is attributed to seasonal factors, including higher butterfat tests for May, 1983. This year's fat test of 3.60% compares with 3.55% a year ago.

Milk prices generally have averaged below year-ago levels, and slaughter cow prices averaged \$45.20 per cwt., up 2% from last May, MARS says.

Michigan dairy plants produced 5.8 million pounds of butter in April, down 6% from the previous month of March. American cheese production at 1.7 million pounds, was down 3% from the previous month. Ice cream output at 2.6 million gallons, was down 10% from March, 1983.

National milk production in May was 12.5 billion pounds, up 5% from the previous month. Production per cow averaged 1129 pounds during May, and milk cow numbers averaged 11.1 million head, MARS says.

That vegetable canning plant for Sanilac County is still in the works, but the location has been changed. Crosswell hopes have died, but a plant is being planned for Sandusky.

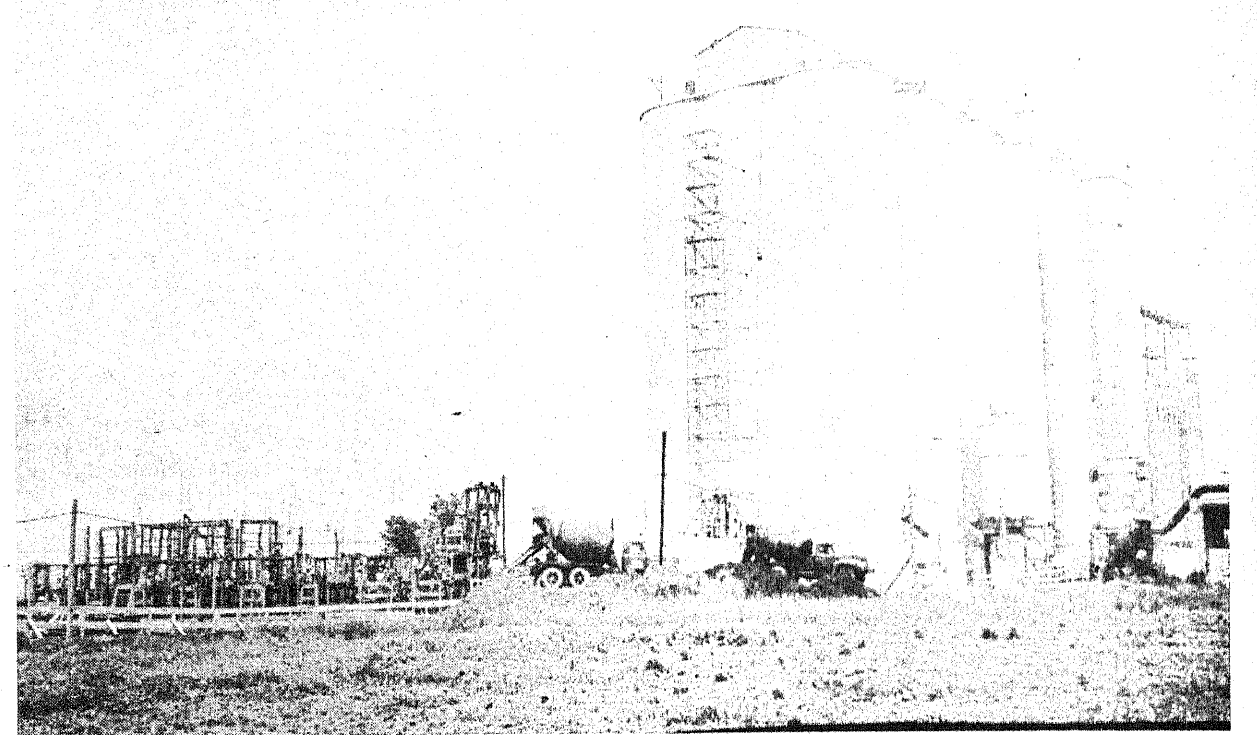
The Thumb Producer Consumer Coop has given up its four-year drive to raise money to renovate the Stokely-Van Camp canning plant at Crosswell. The Co-op now hopes to receive government loans to build a \$20 million food processing complex in Sandusky, to employ about 200 people.

Coop members met last week with the Sandusky City Council, which agreed to help the coop try to obtain low-interest state and federal loans. The coop voted last week to abandon attempts begun in 1979 to save the Crosswell plant, which was closed due for what the company called economic reasons. Members of the coop board hope to build a Sandusky plant by 1984.

MSU's Farm Management Tour is set for Wednesday, July 13 in Sanilac County, showing farmers how to learn by talking with their neighbors as they visit other farm operations. Three dairy, three cash crop and three livestock farms are on the tour agenda this year.

Tour details are available by calling the Sanilac County Cooperative Extension Office in Sandusky at (313) 648-2515 or writing 37 Austin Street, Sandusky, 48471.

Contractors restoring a building constructed in the 1900s at Texas A&M University plan to use new bricks on the exterior, then spray the walls with cow manure to make them look old. Architects say the restoration procedure is called "organic patination," since the manure acts as an acid and accelerates the appearance of aging.



CONCRETE WORK: Monday was the day concrete foundation pouring began at the Elkton Branch of the Pigeon Co-op, for eight new concrete grain silos. Each is 34 feet wide and they'll be 125 feet tall. In all, Co-op officials say, the eight bins will hold 800,000 bushels. Stout Construction Company is building the addition, at the east end of the present silos.

Oeschger attends FB Insurance seminar

Ed Oeschger, C.L.U., a Farm Bureau Insurance agent from Pigeon, will be among an anticipated 4,600 members of the Million Dollar Round Table (MDRT) gathering in Dallas, TX on June 26 to 30 for the association's 56th Annual Meeting. Thirty-nine countries around the world will be represented, making the MDRT meeting the most comprehensive sales forum in the life insurance industry.

SOMEONE'S IN THE KITCHEN

We welcome your favorite recipes (no more than three at a time, please), which should be sent to: "SOMEONE'S IN THE KITCHEN" c/o The Progress-Advance P.O. Box 460 Pigeon, MI 48755

We don't care if you copy them down from memory or send us a photo-copy from a favorite cookbook. Give them to us, with your name and address. We're looking for July recipes summer barbecue, picnic favorites and cool and quick meals right now -- so send them in!

"Sour Cream Chocolate Cake"

An incredibly moist cake that keeps beautifully. The richness comes from the sour cream in the cake and frosting.

2 c. sifted flour
 2 c. sugar
 1 1/2 c. baking soda
 1/2 t. baking powder
 1 t. salt
 1/4 c. shortening
 3/4 c. dairy sour cream
 1 t. vanilla

Sift together flour, sugar, baking soda, baking powder and salt into large mixing bowl. Add shortening, sour cream, vanilla, eggs, water and cooled chocolate. Beat with electric mixer at low speed 1/2 minute, scraping bowl occasionally. Pour batter into two greased and waxed paper-lined 9" round cake pans.

Bake in 350° oven 35 minutes or until cakes test done. Cool in pans on racks 10 minutes. Remove from pans; cool on racks.

Place one cake layer on serving plate. Spread with Frosting. Top with second cake layer. Frost sides and top of cake with remaining Frosting. Makes 12 generous servings.

Sour Cream/Chocolate Frosting: Combine 1/2 c. soft butter or regular margarine, 3 c. sifted confectioners sugar and 1/2 c. dairy sour cream in mixing bowl; blend well. Add 3 (1 oz.) squares unsweetened chocolate, melted and cooled, and 1 t. vanilla. Beat until smooth.

Submitted by Donna Jacobs, Pigeon

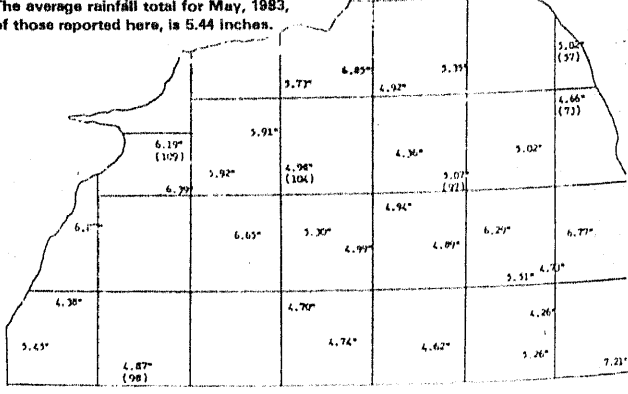
Helpful tip ... Before opening a can of soup, shake well and open it at the bottom end instead of the top. The soup slides out nicely.

The Progress-Advance and Pigeon Co-op present

Out in the field

MORE RAIN FALLS: May's average of 5.44 inches of rainfall was exactly double the May, 1982 figure of 2.7 inches, according to Huron County Ag Agent Jim LeCureux.

The county's average degree days for May were 89, compared with 272 in 1982. Thirty-four individuals gather weather information from May through September in the county.



USA SNAPSHOTS

A LOOK AT INTERESTING NATIONAL STATISTICS

Costs of rearing a child

Parents and would-be parents can expect to spend more than \$80,000 in 1982 dollars - about \$13 a day - to raise a child from birth to college age. Include private college expenses, and the cost could climb to more than \$100,000. Here's how it breaks down:

Age of child	Total annual average cost	Cost for food	Cost for clothing
Under 1	\$3977	\$539	\$132
1	4099	661	132
2-3	3816	661	214
4-5	4043	888	214
6	4201	863	296
7-9	4373	1035	296
10-11	4544	1206	296
12	4865	1257	427
13-15	4977	1379	427
16-17	5469	1526	532
Total	\$80,928	\$19,124	\$5,785

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture

WIC Program seeks to aid infants

To help prevent infant deaths and childhood malnutrition, there is a health and supplemental food program for women, infants and children commonly referred to as WIC. Funded through the U.S. Department of Agriculture and administered by the Michigan Department of Public Health the WIC program is a health program not a welfare program.

The WIC program provides free health screening tests, nutrition education and nutritious foods to women who are pregnant or have recently had a baby, as well as for their infants and children up to age five, Smith says.

Evaluation studies on WIC indicate that the program improves the birth weight of infants, significantly decreases infant deaths, accelerates normal growth and

development, and decreases anemia in children, Smith says. It also results in saving medical costs because low birth weight infants needs longer stays in the hospital. It is estimated that WIC saves more than three times its costs in hospitalization alone, adds Smith.

Family size and income are qualifying factors in this program aimed at helping low to moderate income individuals who show a medical or nutritional risk. State Senator James Bar-

Relief Sale date set for Aug. 6

Over the last 16 years the Annual Northern Michigan Relief Sale has attracted thousands of visitors during the first Saturday in August.

This year on Saturday, Aug. 6, Mennonite, Brethern and Amish Churches on Northern Michigan will cooperate in the 17th Northern Michigan Relief Sale. Each year since it began the Fairview Sale has grown in size, attendance, inventory and proceeds. Last year approximately \$67,000 was raised for world relief.

The Relief Sale setting is the county fairgrounds, three miles west of Fairview, just off of M-33. Auctioneers keep the bidding lively for the crowds outdoors under the shade trees. A variety of shops and concessions are located around the grounds.

Among the items to be offered at auction this year are handmade quilts, comforters, afghans, a hand crafted grandfather clock made by Ora Troyer of Fairview, collectibles, furniture, firewood and many others.

Wood carvings by local

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8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

Compiled from County Calendar of Annual Events

THURSDAY, JUNE 30
 *Charles Blondin's Conquest of Niagara Falls: Anniversary. A French acrobat and aerialist (whose real name was Jean Francois Gravelet) on June 30, 1859, in view of a crowd estimated at more than 25,000 persons, walked across Niagara Falls on a tightrope. He later crossed blind-folded, pushing a wheelbarrow, carrying a man on his back and even on stilts.

FRIDAY, JULY 1
 *National Baked Beans Month. Purpose: To pay tribute to one of America's favorite and most healthful and nutritious foods, baked beans, made with dry or canned beans.

SATURDAY, JULY 2
 *James Garfield: Assassination Anniversary. President James Garfield was shot as he entered a railway station in Washington, DC on July 2, 1881. He died Sept. 19, 1881, never having recovered from the wound. The assassin, Charles J. Guiteau, was hanged June 30, 1882.

SUNDAY, JULY 3
 *La Fiesta De Burro (Donkeyfest). Purpose: To upgrade the status of the donkey. To point out the good qualities and to preserve the diminishing wild ass herds of the world.

MONDAY, JULY 4
 *Declaration of Independence Anniversary. On July 4, 1776 the Declaration of Independence was signed at Philadelphia. "Signed by Order and in Behalf of the Congress, John Hancock, President, Attest, Charles Thomson, Secretary." The remaining signatures were probably affixed on Aug. 2, 1776. The manuscript Journals of Congress for that date state: "The declaration of independence being engrossed and compared at the table was signed by the members."

*Calvin Coolidge: Birthday. Born 1872. Was the 30th President of the U.S. Nicknamed Silent Cal, he is reported to have said "If you don't say anything you won't be called on to repeat it." Died Jan. 5, 1933.

TUESDAY JULY 5
 *Portugal: Colette Encarnado. July 5 and 6 at Vila Franca de Xira, near Lisbon. Highlight of the festival is the running of the bulls. Bulls are turned loose while making their way to the bullring. Young would-be toureiros try their hand at some fancy capework.

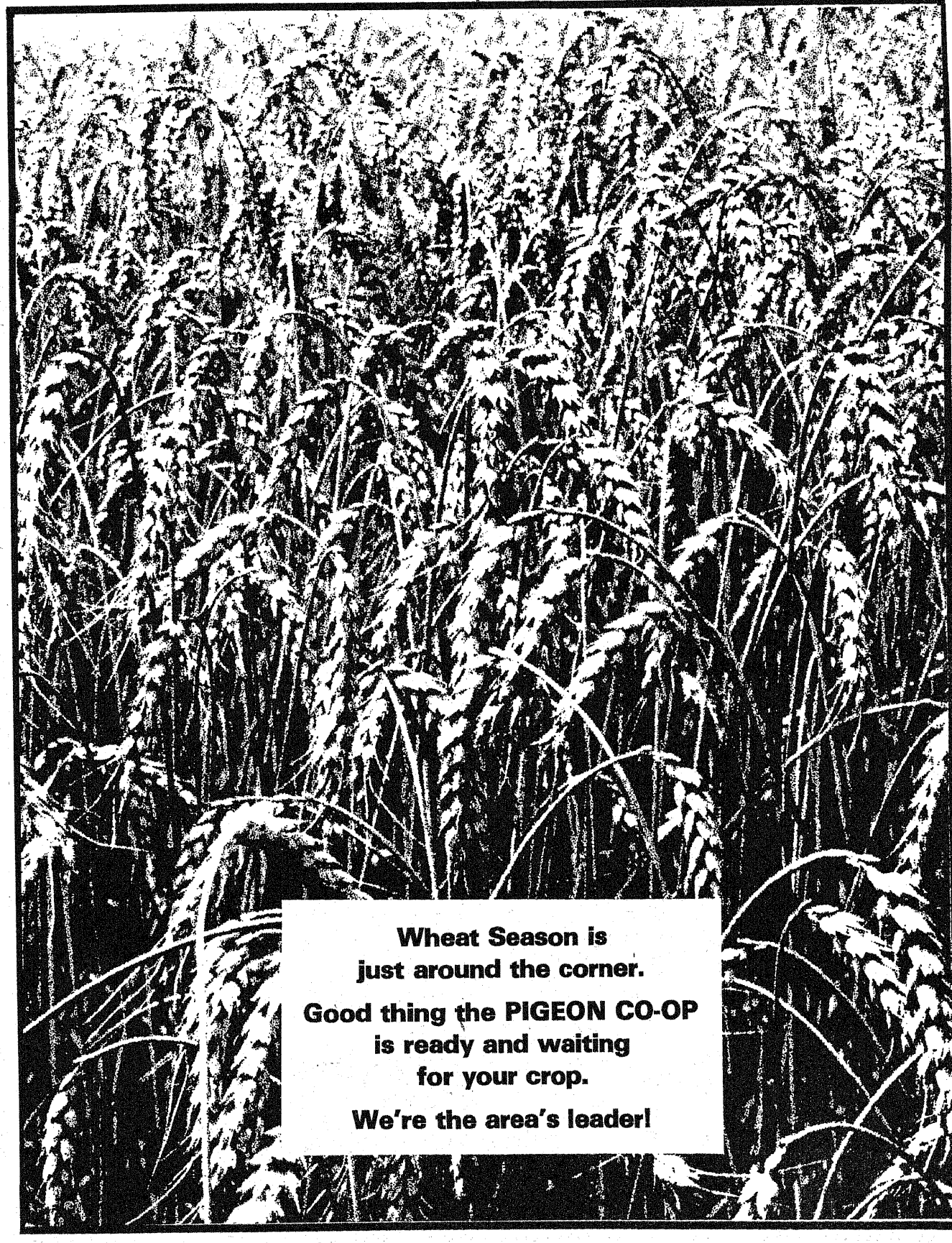
WALT HAS A COLLECTION ADDITION!



COLLECTOR'S CAR: Walter Schempf of Pigeon proudly shows off his model of a 1932 Auburn auto, which he says will be a collector's item soon. The auto went out of production soon after that year's cars were finished, making the model even more valuable, Walt says.

Besides adding the Auburn model to his collection, Walt is proud of the two ceramic drinking mugs he recently won at Gettel's of Pigeon.

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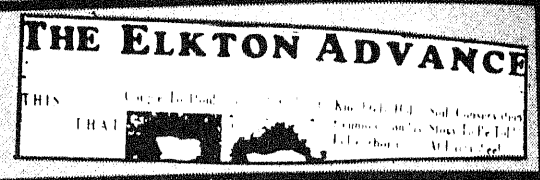


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The Past in Print



80 YEARS AGO
JULY 3, 1903
 Julius Blumenthal, Sebawaing, was a caller in Pigeon. We understand that he is thinking of putting in a general store here.

Elkton now has no meat market.
 John Heimann, Kilmanagh farmer, died Tuesday. He leaves a widow and seven children.

A. Hirschberg & Son have painted about 200 fence signs in the Pigeon vicinity this week.
 Campbell & Paul, Pigeon, have a special sale on buggies with a 10 percent reduction for cash on buggies, road wagons and surreys.

Zip! Bang! We are headquarters for Fireworks. Largest line of fireworks ever shown in this vicinity; many new novelties to please the boys. Those wishing to have a nice display at home the evening of the Fourth, call on us and see the nice assortment we can furnish at very low cost. Leipprandt Bros., Pigeon.

Keep Cool-complete line of hammocks from 50 cents to \$6.50; straw goods, clothing; binder twine, wire nails and building jobs. See us, R.R. McKinley, Caseville.

70 YEARS AGO
JULY 4, 1913
 George Arthur received appointment by the Senate as postmaster at Elkton.

Miss Anna Meyer and Otto Rathje were married at Berne Lutheran Church Wednesday and a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyer.

J.A. McLean is selling croquet sets at half price: sets from 50 cents to \$2 and a few

odd sets at 30 cents at J.A. McLean Store.
 Paul Rueffer, Sebawaing butcher, purchased the 100-acre farm of Fred Bendler near Linkville and put a tenant on the place.
 Henry and Wes Schafer, Ray Tahashm, Charles Damm and Gus Buerger autoed to Saginaw Sunday.

Hon. A.E. Sleeper, former state treasurer, has 40 acres of platted land for a new village to be called Greenleaf, on the new railroad located near the present Greenleaf and 8 1/2 miles east of Gagetown. McLeod will move their general store there and Cass City Grain Co. will put up an elevator.

60 YEARS AGO
JULY 6, 1923
 A pretty wedding took place June 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sturm, Pigeon, when their daughter, Esther Lillian, and Eugene Theo Leipprandt were married by Rev. A.H. Mueller.

Richard Hughes, 73, former Brookfield supervisor, died at his home near Owendale. He leaves a wife, two sons and four daughters. A group of 31 veterans of Battery C. 328th Field Artillery, were guests of George H. Anklam at a reunion last weekend. Events included an automobile trip to Bay Port and banquet at Hotel Heasty.

The new electric line of Central Power Co. from Pigeon was completed to Kilmanagh and juice turned on Saturday evening.
 Mrs. Rose Braun, Mrs. Norman Richmond, Mrs. Bert Maxwell and Miss

Esther Geiger attended the Missionary convention at Caro last week.
 Misses Meta, Louise and Nora Clabuesch and Lorenz Clabuesch of Detroit are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clabuesch, Pigeon.

50 YEARS AGO
JULY 7, 1933
 Depositors of Pigeon State Bank met at the high school Saturday evening to secure information on the bank's assets and when it would reopen. A committee was appointed to get information. Members are J.J. Campbell, R.S. Wurm, Jacob Gettel, W.L. Horlacher, Norman Schaaf, Russell Turner, J.N. Spence, Edward Sturm, Sr., G.H. Shaw, Eva Campbell, J.E. Wurm and Willis Leipprandt.

40 YEARS AGO
JULY 9, 1943
 An open house was held Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Abbe on their 60th wedding anniversary at their farm home near Elkton. They have two daughters and two sons, 10 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

Sting family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sting, Pigeon, on Sunday.
 Third annual Buschlen family reunion was held at Bay Shore Park July 4. New officers are C.B. Otto, John Buschlen and Beulah Buschlen.

William Henry Wertz, 70, died at his home near Bay Port. Surviving are his widow, one son Joe and a foster daughter, Elizabeth.
 Mrs. Robert Grant, 88, the former Caroline Harder, Bay Port, passed away June 26. She leaves two daughters.
 Mrs. Adolph Renn, 64, Kilmanagh, died Thursday. She is survived by her husband, three sons and three daughters.
 Bertrand Norman Baur, 53, Bay Port, died June 24. He leaves his widow, four sons and three daughters.

30 YEARS AGO
JULY 3, 1953
 Mrs. Donald E. Brown, 21, Pigeon, the former Beverly Joyce Menzel, and her two children, Sandra Kay, two and Randal Craig, one month, were killed in an automobile accident near Bay Port. Surviving are her husband, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Menzel, six sisters and a brother, Mrs. Kenneth Henne, Bay Port, and three sons were injured in the accident.

20 YEARS AGO
JULY 4, 1963
 The 25th anniversary reunion of the 1938 graduating class of Elkton High School will be held July 6 at the school. Committee includes Mervin Snider, Mrs. Calvin Reibling and Blanchard Bixler.
 Edward Crosby, Fairgrove, has been named new manager of Pigeon Elevator, division of Wallace Morley Co.

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10 YEARS AGO
JULY 5, 1973
 John Himmel, Sr., 75, Caseville, died July 1. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and three sons.
 Lydia Swartzendruber, 78, Pigeon, died June 30. Survivors are her husband, Jacob, four daughters and two sons.
 Vera K. Dutcher, 83, Bay Port, died Thursday. She leaves one daughter and one son.
 Roy Neal Hartman, 64, Winsor native, died June 30 at his Bad Axe home. Surviving is one son.
 Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rathje, Pigeon, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday at a family dinner. They have five children, 16 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

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By MILDRED BALLGALL
 It's about raspberry time. Here's a goodly!

Raspberry Refrigerated Pie!
 1 baked pie shell
 1 qt. raspberries
 1 c. sugar
 3 T. cornstarch
 3/4 c. water
 Cook 3/4 c. water and 1 c. berries and all other ingredients until clear. Put rest of berries in pie shell. Pour cooked mixture over berries. Refrigerate and serve with whipped cream.

Baked Raspberry Pie!
 2 c. raspberries
 1 c. sugar
 2 T. tapioca
 Dots of butter
 Combine berries, sugar and tapioca. Let stand for 10 minutes. Put in two crusts, unbaked. Bake at 375° for 30 to 40 minutes.

 Spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballgall was their daughter, Marilyn Gascho and friend, Betty Thigpen of Chula, Georgia and Mary Ballgall of Portage. On Sunday the Ballgalls and their guests spent the day with Bill and Jan Ballgall and family of New Lothrop for a cookout. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lopez and family of Holt joined them for a day.

Tiffany, Trevor, Tara and Tiffy Gross of Essexville spent Thursday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gross.
 Mr. and Mrs. William McBride spent a few days with Courtland LeClair at Tustin, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Laming at Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McBride of Standish.



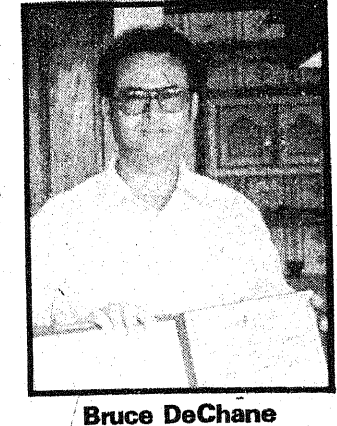
Alys and William DUFTY of Caseville choose WOODMODE cabinets with raised cathedral door, for their new kitchen. The finish is harvest on oak. The kitchen creates effective lighting, tambour doors concealing telephone, mixer and toaster.

Installation by Sorenson Builders. Designed by Ilene and Jerry DeChane.

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Bruce DeChane

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Engaged



Hochstedler - Gascho

Announcement is made of the engagement of Jeannie Hochstedler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hochstedler, Nappanee, Indiana to Lyle Gascho, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gascho, Pigeon.

Miss Hochstedler is a graduate of Bethany Christian High School and is employed at Mennonite Mutual Aid, Goshen. Her fiancé graduated from Lancaster Mennonite High School, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and is self-employed as a wood-worker in Nappanee.

They are planning a Sept. 16 wedding, at the North Main Street Mennonite Church, Nappanee, Indiana.

Dorenkamp-Richmond vows

An early evening wedding ceremony united the lives of Debra Richmond, East Lansing and Michael Dorenkamp, Ann Arbor, on Saturday, May 28 at People's Church, East Lansing.

Rev. Ted Tvenge of People's Church officiated at the candlelight service before 180 guests.

Parents of the bridal couple are Frances Richmond, Pigeon, Ralph Richmond, Marlette and Susan Dorenkamp, Detroit and the late Herman Dorenkamp.

The nuptial altar was decorated with a pair of 144 candelabrum with white carnations, lavender pompons and greens. A unity candle was lit by the bride and groom during the wedding service.

Music was provided by Frank Pennisi and Bob Barden on guitar and Paul DeFord on harmonica, playing an instrumental waltz selection entitled "I Always Knew You Were the One," as the bride was escorted down the aisle. A song composed especially for the couple by Frank Pennisi was sung during the ceremony.

The bride, escorted down the aisle by her father, wore an organza and chiffon gown with a white high neckline, schiffle embroidered lace, a pleated bodice and chapel-length train. Her hat was covered with schiffle embroidered lace with an attached finger-tip length veil.

The bride wore a cameo locket which belonged to the groom's grandmother. She carried a free-form cascading bouquet of denrobium orchids centered by a lavender cattleya orchid.

Matron of honor was Jacquelyn McIlhargie of Flint, sister of the bride. She wore a floorlength lavender voile gown with a high neckline and long sleeves with detailing on the sleeves and hem.

She carried a colonial bouquet of azaleas, violets and lavender baby's breath.

Also attending the bride was Pam Shaver of Bay City, a friend, who was attired identically to the matron of honor.

Best man was Gary Dorenkamp, Oklahoma City, Okla., brother of the groom. Groomsman was Rocky Gonet, Ann Arbor, friend of the groom. Seating guests were Randy Richmond, Mt. Pleasant, brother of the bride and Steve McIlhargie, Flint, brother-in-law of the bride.

The mother of the bride wore a seafam floor-length gown styled with a skirt overlay of floating chiffon with beading at the bodice and neckline. She wore a corsage of yellow rosettes.

The mother of the groom wore a peach floor-length jersey and chiffon long-sleeved gown belted at the waist and a corsage of yellow rosettes.

A reception at the Grand Ledge Country Club followed the wedding service.

The couple will take a wedding trip to St. Maarten Island in the Caribbean in July.

The bride received her bachelor's degree and two masters' degrees from Michigan State University. She is a teacher for Ingham Intermediate School District. The groom earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Michigan and his master's degree from Wayne State University. He is a social worker at the Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital.



Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dorenkamp

Hospital notes

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

PIGEON: Mrs. Viola Leslie, John (Jack) Beach, Mrs. Harold (Dorothy) Hunter, Mrs. Lucile Clabuesch.

BAY PORT: Charles Mobley, Mrs. James (Bonnie) Richmond.

GAGETOWN: Mrs. Thressa Johnston.

PORT AUSTIN: Peter Madsen, Robert Bryant.

CASEVILLE: Mrs. Grace Fisher, Mrs. Clarence (Elvie) Battane.

CASS CITY: John O'Henry.

SEBEWAING: Mrs. Alberta Gruehn, Scott Schaus, Miss Lynda Graf, Mrs. Mark (Joyce) Stoermann.

BAD AXE: Miss Paula Andrews.

BIRTHS: Born to Mr. and Mrs. Terry (Vicki) Duffy, Bay Port, a son, Todd William, on Tuesday, June 21, 1983.

Born to Ms. Georgia Howard, Caseville, a daughter, Sara Lynn, on Wednesday, June 22, 1983.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dean (Cynthia) Kruse, Cass City, a daughter, Rebecca Ann, on Thursday, June 23, 1983.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James (Bonnie) Richmond, Bay Port, a son, James Robert, on Friday, June 24, 1983.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark (Joyce) Stoermann, Sebewaing, a daughter, Christine Elizabeth, on Sunday, June 26.

LONG-TERM UNIT: Oscar Behm, Mrs. Alice Diebel, Ms. Mollie Deering, Father Achilles Edeleny, Harvey Eichler, Mrs. Alice Foster, Mrs. Martin (Florence) Wolfram, Charles Fritz, Mrs. Dora Gettel, Roy Gramel, Mrs. Harvey (Elda) Hinsberger, Mrs. Helen Jedele, John Knight, Mrs. Mabel Morlock, Preston Murdoch, Edward Miller, Mrs. John (Leta) Osborne, Mrs. Mary Snider, Mrs. Lena Schilling, Ms. Dorothy Shaw.

Pigeon couple united



Mr. and Mrs. James Armbruster

Tammy Jo Roestel and James Robert Armbruster, both of Pigeon, were united in marriage on Saturday, June 11 at St. John's Lutheran Church, Berne.

Rev. Philip Press and Rev. Randall Rathje officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roestel and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armbruster, all of Pigeon.

Musical selections included "The Wedding Song" and "The Lord's Prayer," sung by David Ziel, Pigeon, cousin of the bride. The organist was Marian Rathje, Pigeon, aunt of the bride.

The altar was decorated with white glads and orchid spider mums.

Escorted to the altar by her father and given in marriage by her parents, the bride chose a gown of soft qiana jersey in a slim line with a sheen yoke edged with a chantilly lace ruffle and

soft shirt-waist sleeves cuffed in lace. A natural waistline gently draped the pleated skirt and chapel-length train edged with a chantilly lace ruffle. The bride chose a hat accented with pearls and embroidered rose lace.

She carried a cascade of silk white gardenias, white roses, stephanotis, lily of the valley, apple blossoms and accented with light orchid roses with ivy greens and streamers with love knots.

Pamela Towne, Saginaw, friend of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a lilac kent-chiffon on taffeta gown with a fitted bodice, an off-the-shoulder ruffle and bustleback skirt. She carried a parasol with silk white and lilac roses and lavender forget-me-nots with lavender ribbons. She also wore a lilac rose headpiece.

Bridesmaids were Laura Armbruster, Pigeon, sister-in-law of the groom and Wen-

dy Dast, Flint, friend of the bride. The bridesmaids wore dresses identical to the maid of honor's and also carried identical parasols.

Junior bridesmaids were Tracy Roestel, Pigeon, sister of the bride and Patricia Armbruster, Pigeon, daughter of the groom. They wore dresses identical to the other attendants' and hats accented with silk lavender and lilac roses with white forget-me-nots. They carried white lace baskets with lilac and lavender silk roses, baby's breath and lavender streamers.

Flowergirl Julie Stevenson of Pigeon, cousin of the bride, wore a dress designed by the bride's mother and carried a bouquet identical to that of the bride.

Best man was David Armbruster, Pigeon, brother of the groom. Groomsman were Kevin Roestel, brother of the bride, Tom Armbruster, brother of the groom and Dean Roestel, brother of the bride, all of Pigeon and Matthew Sarcheck, Walled Lake, nephew of the groom.

The groom's son, Jason Armbruster, Pigeon, was ringbearer, wearing a knicker ensemble designed by the bride's mother.

Ushers included Tim Roestel, brother of the bride and Dale Oeschger of Bay Port, cousin of the groom.

The mother of the bride wore a light lavender street-length dress with long pleated sleeves and a corsage of pink roses.

The groom's mother wore a lavender street-length dress with long sleeves and a lavender silk rose corsage.

Following the ceremony, a reception for 400 guests was held at the Pigeon VFW Hall.

The bride is a graduate of the Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw and is employed at the Polewack Store, Pigeon. The groom is a graduate of Michigan State University and is employed at Gettel Implement, Pigeon.

After a week's honeymoon to the Upper Peninsula and Canada, the couple will reside in Pigeon.

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School bells ring again for 700 Elkton grads

Over 700 graduates of Elkton High School met for "summer school" when they reunited June 19 at Laker High School.

General Chairperson of the event was Deann Damrow, assisted by Helen Farver Wichert, Dorothy Elssner, Sandy Seley Zeitler, Lois Ackerman Furness, Lorraine Furness Faist, Margaret McBride Taylor, Lucille Grigg Thompson, Wayne Knechtel, John Ginter, Pat Wooster Winburne, Marge Barry Heckman, Eldon Dietzel and Gordon Stirrett.

Master of ceremonies was George Walsh, who provided light-hearted reminiscences about Elkton High School. The Osborne family, consisting of Mildred Osborne Fleming, Marge Osborne Conley, Lois Osborne Kienholz, Art Osborne and Bill Osborne sang several selections, and special awards were presented by

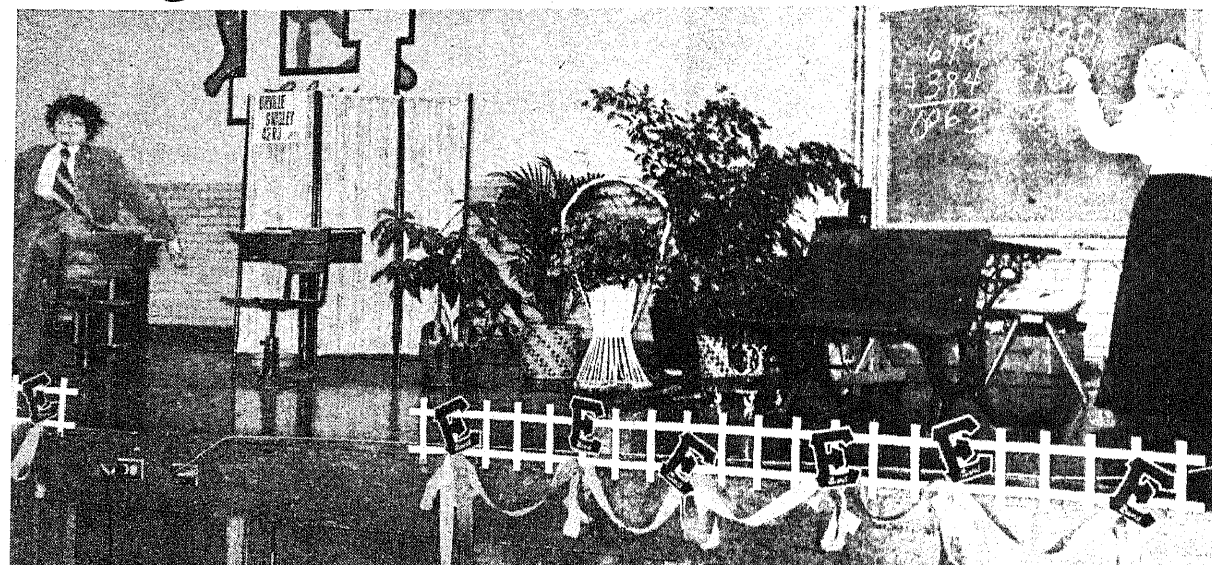
Elkton grad Orville Snider, who served as Laker High School principal for many years.

Special reminiscences were provided by Aaron Faupel, Etrel Miller and Alvin Bittner and the School Song was led by Lorraine Furness Faist, accompanied by Ermythe Ackerman Seley.

A buffet dinner was provided by Annabelle's of Sebawaing.

EHS SONG
EHS down the floor
Never yield, raise high
your score,
March onto victory
for EHS
and the
Green and Gold.

Oh EHS,
We're here for you,
to cheer for you,
We have no fear
for you,
Oh, Green and Gold!



THE STAGE IS SET with props to bring back memories of Elkton High School days.



MOST "SENIOR" graduate present, Florence Schluchter, age 93, receives an award from Orville Snider, former Laker High School principal.



THE OSBORNE FAMILY provides entertainment with their musical talent at the June 18 reunion.

Pigeon Ponytail League results

STANDINGS, JUNE 22

8-11 Age Group	
BAY PORT	4-0
PIGEON A	3-1
PIGEON B	3-1
ELKTON	1-3
OWEN-GAGE	1-3
CASEVILLE	0-4
11-14 Age Group	
CASEVILLE	2-0
OWEN-GAGE	2-0
BAY PORT	2-2
ELKTON	1-3
PIGEON	1-3
Pigeon	1-5
Elkton	1-3
Pigeon	1-19
Elkton	1-16

Port, and Kelli Damrow was the Elkton pitcher. Andrea Csyani, Deane Deming and Rhonda Baur each homered and Tricia Kaufman and Vicki Wintz each added a double for Bay Port.

Certify crops by Friday!

Farmers in Huron County are again reminded to report their crops to the ASCS Office before the July 1 deadline. It is a requirement for those that participate in the Acreage Reduction Program on the Payment In Kind Program says Huron County ASC Director, Jimmy LaVoie. Failure to report acreages, may result in loss of benefits and assessment

Thumb Grain MARKETS

at 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 28

White Wheat	bu. \$3.23
(Down 7 cents from last week's \$3.30)	
(NEW CROP WHITE WHEAT: 3.23)	
Red Wheat	bu. 3.23
(Down 7 cents from last week's 3.30)	
(NEW CROP RED WHEAT: 3.23)	
Corn	bu. 2.50
(Down 37 cents from last week's 3.07)	
(NEW CROP CORN: 2.50)	
Soybeans	bu. 5.48
(Down 14 cents from last week's 5.62)	
(NEW CROP SOYBEANS: 5.59)	
Oats	bu. 1.70
(Up 5 cents from last week's 1.65)	
(NEW CROP OATS: 1.50)	
Navy Beans	cwt. 15.00
(Up \$1 from last week's \$14.00)	
(NO BID ON NEW CROP NAVIES)	

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EMCEE George Walsh kept the reunion program rolling!

PHOTOS BY VERN ZARNKE

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Scenic Golf news and notes

The fifth annual four-man best ball tournament at Scenic Golf and Country Club was the highlight of the weekend. Thirty-five teams entered with two teams registering a score of 54. Bednorek, Osentoski, Paul and Peter beat out Hogan, Harris, Degelbeck and Degelbeck for first place. The third place team was Shedd, Shedd, Yaroch and Babcock after another playoff with other teams who shot 55.

The women's handicap tournament is continuing. The second round must be completed before July 5 by the 16 ladies who remain in competition.

Golf winners on June 21 when play of the day was low net were, championship flight Mavis Pechette, first flight Peg Leipprandt, second flight Elaine Schulze, third flight Carrie Gaiera. Joann Abbott had a birdie on

no. 2 hole. Chip-ins were recorded by Mary Jane Perry, Edna Dutcher, Peg Leipprandt, Bertha Egget and Lois Drury. Twenty ladies played bridge in the afternoon. Winners were Mavis Pechette, June Duprey, Marie Beach, Nadene Barbret and Betty Peterhans.

Tuesday, July 5 has been dubbed Farnette Day for the women's division. Golfers are asked to sign up by Friday, July 1 to be placed on teams for a scramble which will be the play of the day.

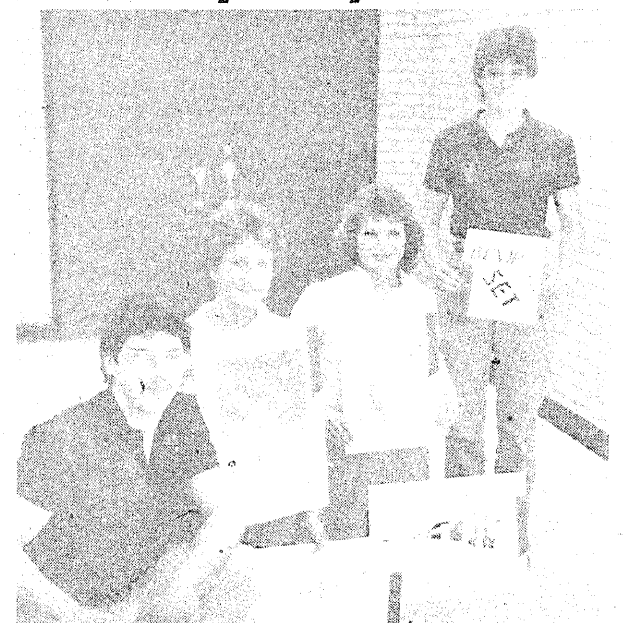
Thumb District Golf Association plays at Scenic on Friday, July 1 at 8:30 a.m. Eight teams of women will be playing in the bi-monthly competition.

MIXED LEAGUE STANDINGS JUNE 20
DIVISION I: Abbott, 59; Weisman, 50; Esch, 49; Kahr, 46; Gaiera, 45; Nixon, 44; Dekker, 41; Garety, 39; Kraft, 38;

Blue ribbon artists display at recent Laker show



ARTS AND CRAFTS: Front row, Debby Basinger, aluminum engraving; back row, Shelly Andrews, wood and Pam Bryant, copper tooling.



ART I: From left, Jeff Hacker, clay, monochromatic; Melissa Dietzel, pastels, pencil perspective; Lynda Brown, ink, pencil portrait; Shelly Ginter, commercial lettering.



ART III: From left, Sue Ritter, clay, woodprints; Janice Pratt, melted crayon and Susan O'Connor, pencil, conte, oil.

Computer tech grad named

Jim Leipprandt of Pigeon recently graduated with honors from Control Data Institute in Southfield, which specializes in computer technology.

A 1980 graduate of Laker High School, Jim is the son of Ted and Peggie Leipprandt of Pigeon. He is currently employed in the Pigeon area.

Family reunion

HECK-SCHWEITZER

The Heck-Schweitzer Reunion was Sunday, June 26 at the VFW Hall in Pigeon with 65 persons in attendance. After a potluck dinner, a short business meeting was

conducted. The following officers were elected, president Arnold Becker, vice president Gilbert Schweitzer, secretary, treasurer Ann Sing, games Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Freeman.

Prizes were awarded to the oldest person Mrs. Minnie Elftman, youngest Christopher Errer, came the greatest distance, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Heck of Florida. The reunion will be in September next year.

Pigeon residents visit, travel

By DOROTHY DIENER

Mr. and Mrs. John Diener returned home Sunday evening after spending since Friday with Pastor and Mrs. Ronald Diener, Mark and Ann and their guest Mrs. Ruth Knapp in Williston, Ohio. Friday they were guests at a Centennial 100 Anniversary dinner of St. John's Church at the Genoa High School and their Centennial Program History of the Past, "Challenge for the Future," which was enjoyed by all as guests of the Pastor Dieners.

Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rathke were Pastor and Mrs. Ernst Henkelmann and their guests Pastor and Mrs. Fred Henkelmann and children from Maxfass, North Dakota and Rathke's son, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur

Rathke and Pamela of Sterling Heights. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming had a Sunday afternoon guests Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Elmers from Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Colison and Fred, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Colison and children attended the confirmation of Gene Sattler on Sunday morning at the St. Olive Lutheran Church, Bay City. They were later guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sattler and Beth Ann.

Pastor Ernst Henkelmann conducted the service Sunday at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Forestville in the afternoon. Pastor and Mrs. Henkelmann and their guests Pastor and Mrs. Fred Henkelmann and children from North Dakota were at Cross Roads Village, Huckleberry Railroad, near Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. James Casey and children from Cass City were Thursday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean and children. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean and family were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Casey from Crosswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hamilton entertained Sunday at a chicken barbecue in honor of their daughter's birthday, Mrs. Betty Auerhammer from Frankenmuth,

with their husband and family. On Thursday Mrs. Elsie Kern visited with Mrs. Carrie Finkbeiner and another day she visited Mrs. Dorothy Wisenberg at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

Callers of Mrs. Agnes Greene on Friday evening were Mrs. Helen Greene, Mary and John and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ryan and baby Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Springer from Hopedale, Ill. are visiting with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Eichler.

Returning to her home after spending a week with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Botwright and family in Bay City was Mrs. Mabel Clark.

Spending four days in Saginaw last week with her husband, Vincent, when he was in patient at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw was Mrs. Vincent Freeman.

TOWNSHIP MEETING CHANGE

Oliver Township Board will not meet on its regular meeting date of July 5, 1983 but will meet on July 12, 1983 at 8:00 p.m. at the Township Fire Hall.

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Cass City 'fires up' for July 4!

Cass City residents and tourists have a full four days of events to look forward to this weekend, as Cass City observes its Fifth Annual Fourth of July Celebration.

Highlighting the event will be the Monday, July 4 Festival Parade through downtown Cass City, beginning at 11 a.m. and evening fireworks at 10 p.m.

Many popular events from past years will delight visitors again this year, including the Pacesetter five-mile run, arts and crafts ex-

position and sale, a pet show, children's games, tug-of-war, square dancing, a tractor pull, teen dance, refreshments tent and a weekend-long softball tournament.

New events slated for this year will be a Bed Race, an UltraLight Airplane Demonstration and a Lumberman's Exhibition.

A Queen's Pageant on Saturday, July 2 at 8 p.m. and a special Merrill Womach concert on Monday, July 4 at 8 p.m. will also provide entertainment for

festival-goers. Area organizations will provide concessions and food booths all weekend long.

Summer sports results recorded:

HORSESHOE NEWS		WEST HURON TRAVELING	
STANDINGS		STANDINGS	
Luckhards Nursery	68.0 28.0	Pigeon11
J & B Pfg.	67.5 28.5	Bay Port6
Esther's Salt	46.0 50.0	Jody Caverly posted 16 strike outs for Pigeon to pick up the win. Ed Bach took the loss for Bay Port.	
Pigeon Co-op	36.5 43.5	Kevin Maust belted a home run and Shawn Parrish, Kevin Wolfram and Jody Caverly each had a double for Pigeon.	
Butcher Block	30.0 65.5	Bay Port was led by Mark Walters with a home run and Paul Elenbaum with a double.	
Engelhardt Petro	27.5 52.5		
Joe's Reefers	19.5 28.5		
TOP 5			
Scott Weidner	18.0 3.0	Pigeon3
Vern Voss	17.0 3.0	Caseville1
Bill Weidner	12.0 3.0	Kendall Wertz tossed a no-hitter and struck out 12 hitters for Pigeon. Lance Wright pitched for Caseville and gave up only four singles.	
Al Beachy	15.0 5.0		
Leroy Schweitzer	10.0 3.0		
High games: James Simmet 132, Elmer Crabtree 103, Mitt Kreh 95; high handicap games: James Simmet 172, Roger Remar 167, Duane Ropp 158; high average: James Simmet 107, Elmer Crabtree 90, Mitt Kreh 83.			

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4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

Friday, July 1 thru Monday, July 4

- 5th Annual Festival Parade
- Pacesetter 5-Mile Run
- Beer Tent
- Teen Dance
- Tractor Pull
- Fireworks
- And More



FRIDAY, JULY 1

Softball Tournament starts continues through Weekend

SATURDAY, JULY 2

7:30 a.m. Pre-registration for Pacesetter 5-Mile Run at Park Press Box

9 a.m. Pacesetter 5-Mile Run at the Track

7 p.m. Beer Tent open behind Charmont with Fast Break

8 p.m. Queen's Pageant

SUNDAY, JULY 3

10 a.m. Weigh-in for Tractor Pull at Pillsbury Elevator

1 p.m. Tractor Pull

7 p.m. Ultra Light Airplane Demonstration

7 p.m. Beer Tent open with the Irish Gaelis, Sing-a-long

MONDAY, JULY 4

Rotary Breakfast in the Park.

10:30 a.m. Bed Races

11 a.m. Festival Parade

12 Noon Bingo Tent

2 p.m. AAUW Paint-in for Kids

2 p.m. Pony Pull

3:30 p.m. Kids' Games

3:30 p.m. Lumberman's Exhibition

4 p.m. Motorcycle Stadium Trials

4:30 p.m. Tot Run

5:00 p.m. Tug-of-War

6:30 p.m. Community Choir Concert

8:00 p.m. Square Dance

8:00 p.m. Merrill Womach Concert

10:00 p.m. Teen Dance

10:00 p.m. Fireworks

FREE PARKING

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Monday, July 4

10 p.m.

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ONGOING EVENTS ON MONDAY

Arts & Crafts - Flea Market

Softball Tournament

Hospital Demonstrations

Concessions and Food Booths Open All Day

Thumb Area Deaths

REV. PAUL WASCHILEWSKY
1892 - 1983

Funeral services were conducted Monday, June 20 in St. Lorenz Lutheran Church, Frankenmuth, for the Rev. Paul Waschilewsky, 91, former pastor at St. Paul's Church in Linkville, who passed away June 16 at the Lutheran Home in Frankenmuth. The Rev. Dale Aischwede and the Rev. John Deterding officiated, and committal services were at the Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia.

Pastor Waschilewsky was born in Detroit on March 24, 1892, and was married to Charlotte Heine on Aug. 13, 1916. She preceded him in death on Feb. 2, 1949.

Prior to his retirement, Pastor Waschilewsky had been a Lutheran minister for 60 years, in St. Paul Church in Caro, St. John Church in Taylor, Trinity Church in St. Joseph and at Linkville. Since his retirement he had lived in Frankenmuth and was a member of St. Lorenz.

He is survived by a son, the Rev. Carl Willis of Salinas, Calif.; five daughters, Ruth Behrendt of Dearborn, Anita Heldt of Mariposa, Calif., Helen Schonshock of Oregonia, Ohio, Doris Frobel of Clarendon Hills, Ill. and Eunice Dorroh of St. Joseph. He also leaves 26 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Martha Beyerlein of Frankenmuth.

OTTO WOELKE
1888 - 1983

Otto Woelke, age 95, of Pigeon, passed away Tuesday, June 21, at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

He was born March 8, 1888 in Cleveland, Ohio, son of the late Otto and Caroline (Buschow) Woelke. On May 11, 1918 he was united in marriage to Christine Baum in Sandusky, Ohio. She preceded him in death on Sept. 28, 1973. He was a graduate of Woodville Normal Academy, Woodville, Ohio. He was a member of Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon, where he taught school from September of 1922 through May, 1963. He also taught school in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada; Sandusky, Ohio; Detroit and later substitute taught at Laker High School. He was former Village Clerk of Pigeon.

Mr. Woelke is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Paul (Mildred C.) Leithart, Columbus, Oh., Mrs. Robert (Patrice A.) Orr, Livonia, Mrs. Herbert (Gertrude A.) Schaefer, Shatin, N.T., Hong Kong, Mrs. Jerome (Marion R.) Bramschreiber, Colorado Springs, Colo.; two sons, Arthur Woelke, Pigeon, and Theodore E. Woelke, Millington; 15 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brother, three step-brothers and a step-sister.

Funeral services were conducted on Thursday, June 23 at 2 p.m. from Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon. The Rev. Raymond E. Orth officiated with burial in the church cemetery. Funeral arrangements were handled by Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

REV. ELMER W. SCHECK
1900 - 1983

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, June 29 at 11 a.m. from the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Sebawaing for Rev. Elmer Schreck, age 83, of 536 Sixth Street, who passed away Sunday, June 26 at Schauer Hospital, Pigeon.

The Rev. Raymond Orth and Rev. Edward Arle will officiate and burial will be in Immanuel Cemetery, Sebawaing.

Rev. Schreck was born Feb. 28, 1900, in Chicago, son of Albert and Louise (Nero) Schreck. He was united in marriage to Esther L. Beutler on Aug. 4, 1928 in Chicago, Ill., by Rev. Carl J. Hoffman.

He was a graduate of Concordia Seminary, Springfield, Ill., in 1928 and served congregations in Julesburg, Colo., Amhurst, Neb., Cheboygan, Gaylord and Lewiston, and was pastor at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Bach, for 18 years. He went to semi-retirement in 1965, serving as assistant pastor at Immanuel Church for many years and continuing as pastor emeritus until his death. He still was teaching a Sunday morning Bible class until illness forced him to leave it, and was a member of Lutheran Laymen's League. Pastor Schreck served a counselor for LLL, LWML, Walther League and was zone president of the Walther League of Southern Nebraska.

Surviving are his wife, Esther; three sons, Rev. Elmer E. Schreck of Milwaukee, Wisc., Donald F. Schreck of Racine, Wisc., and David Schreck of Evansville, Ind.; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Irene) Lostsch of Bay City and Mrs. David (Dorothy) Schaus of Sebawaing; 21 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Four brothers and two sisters preceded him in death. Arrangements were handled by the Schultz Funeral Home.

Area-wide deaths

Concluding as of Friday, June 24

- Roland Gromel, 78, of Glendale, Ariz., formerly of Sebawaing, passed away June 9, 1983.
- Earl Latham, 77, of Flint, formerly of Port Austin, passed away June 11, 1983.
- Vincent J. Drier, 71, of Plainwell, with relatives in Pinnebog, passed away June 14, 1983.
- Mildred E. Kinsey, 87, of Grand Rapids, formerly of Caro, passed away June 15, 1983.
- Kathleen Kroger, 58, of Caro, passed away June 15, 1983.
- Gilbert Markel, 63, of Fenton, with relatives in Cass City, passed away June 15, 1983.
- Charlotte Bishop, 97, of Cass City, passed away June 18, 1983.
- Kayla Rice, infant daughter of David and Cheryl Rice of Bad Axe, passed away shortly after birth, June 18, 1983.
- Ethel B. Brown, 82, of Harbor Beach, passed away June 18, 1983.
- Dorothy E. Brown, 75, of Harbor Beach, passed away June 18, 1983.
- John Laursen, 85, of Sebawaing, passed away June 19, 1983.
- Mary L. Hanna, 58, of Birch Run, formerly of Bay Port, passed away June 19, 1983.
- Alex Greenleaf, 72, of Cass City, passed away June 19, 1983.
- Thomas F. Hennessey, 66, of Oscoda, formerly of Cass City, passed away June 19, 1983.
- Thomas Eddy, 91, of Hume Township, passed away June 19, 1983.

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PIGEON DISTRICT Library Corner

SATURDAY STORY HOUR

A Film Festival is planned for Saturday, July 2.

"The Amazing Cosmic Awareness of Duffly Moon" and "Aladdin" will be the featured films.

"The Amazing Cosmic Awareness of Duffly Moon" is the tale of a sixth grader, Duffly Moon, who is teased in school and how his good friend helps him organize a successful odd-jobs business.

"Aladdin" tells the story from the Arabian Nights about a magic lamp and how it affects the lives of a young boy and the people who were close to him.

This Film Festival is about one hour in length and begins at 1 p.m. All early elementary age children are invited to attend.

CHECK THIS OUT!

Books are still their main line of business, but today's libraries offer so much more.

Well, now you can check out an instant camera from the Pigeon District Library. The library now has cameras on loan for patrons to use at home, on vacation or at school. The cameras are Polaroid Sun Cameras and are checked out for a two week period. There is no charge for the use of them, but patrons must supply their own film.

Want to know more? Ask your librarian about 'Check This Out'-a camera loan program from the Pigeon District Library.

WHAT IS A PATRON?

A patron is the most im-

portant person in the library ... in person or by phone.

A patron is not dependent on us ... we are dependent on him.

A patron is not an interruption in our work ... he is the purpose of it. We are not doing him a favor by serving him, he is doing us a favor by giving us an opportunity to do so.

A patron is not a cold statistic ... he is flesh and blood being with feelings and emotions like our own, and with biases and prejudices.

A patron is not someone to argue or match wits with. Nobody ever won an argument with a patron.

A patron is a person who brings us his wants. It is our job to handle them helpfully and pleasantly.

USED BOOK SALE

This is another reminder that the Pigeon District Library will be having a used book sale during Farmers' Festival days in July. Donations are needed.

The library needs both hardcover and paperback books to make this sale a success. All books may be brought to the library during regular library hours Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

"Albert's Vacation", "Oliver the Friendly Seal", and "Whale's Peace Pipe" will be the stories featured at Preschool Story Hour on Tuesday, July 5, at the Pigeon District Library.

"Water Animals" will be the theme for this week. Naomi Jantzi and Starla Albrecht also plan games, exercises, fingerplays and songs for the children in addition to the stories.

Because this is the first Tuesday of the month, children may bring in items for Show and Tell to share with the group.

Two sessions of Story Hour are conducted weekly. The first is from 9 to 10 a.m. and the second is from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. If you are interested in Story Hour and would like more information, please call Miss Roberta Richmond, Librarian, or one of the staff at 453-2341.

PRESCHOOL GRADUATION

Attention: Preschool Mothers!

If your child will be enrolling in kindergarten this fall and leaving the Preschool Story Hour program, we would like you to drop by the library and pick up a form to fill out.

This form will help in the preparation of our Preschool Graduation Party which will be held on Aug. 16 from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. We would like to have the forms completed by Aug. 9.

FEES

Beginning July 1, 1983 the Library Board of Trustees of the Pigeon District Library are requesting that each family that is participating in either the Preschool or Saturday Story Hour pay \$2.00 per family for registration.

Each parent will be asked to register their child at the

THANKFUL TRIBUTE

Top-of-the-Thumb Leisure Ministries recognized long-time TTLM board members Helen and Rollin Mason of Caseville at the June 23 Kick-Off Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason, who have been active on the TTLM Board for the past 12 years as treasurer and publicist, respectively, received a religious picture in honor of their TTLM work from present Publicist Mavis Pechette, at left.

The TTLM Kick-Off Dinner begins a busy summer season of vespers, leisure activities and church involvement for area visitors and residents, combining the resources of almost 40 area churches.

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