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The joke's on Butch!

Nearly 300 people gathered last Wednesday to pay a town-wide ha-ha on one of Pigeon's best practical jokers, Durward "Butch" Miller.

In honor of his 50th birthday, family and friends met to surprise him in a big way.



ABOVE, the honoree cuts into a special Gil Wichert cake, as proud (and laughing) mother-in-law Orpha Wertz looks on.



"Hey, this knife's stuck." Butch gives a closer inspection look, ABOVE.



Well, (true to a plumber's dream...) it really wasn't a cake at all -- but seven rolls of toilet paper with chocolate frosting -- a joke for a joker!
MORE "BUTCH" PHOTOS INSIDE

What a Laker Reunion it was!

Thousands of people helped Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port's Laker High School celebrate its 25th Homecoming in a grand way this past weekend, as warm, dry weather cooperated for a memorable two-day celebration.

An estimated 5000 people watched or participated in the grand parade Saturday morning in Pigeon, which featured 10 high school bands and more than 50 total entries. Top school float winner belongs to the Class of '85 (Senior Class), with their "Lakers: Home of the Big Boys" theme -- which featured a revolving imitation of the famous hamburger Big Boy.

About 500 persons had a hot time in the old town of Elkton Friday night, at the fire-up Pep Rally at Elkton Elementary School. Former coaches spoke, and athletes representing each of the past 25 football teams passed the flaming torch used to light the giant bonfire.

Nearly 1100 persons reminisced about their days at Laker High during Saturday night's Alumni Dinner-dance at the Colony House, Cass City.

Four other featured highlights included: Saturday noon's chicken barbecue coordinated by the Pigeon Rotary Club; the high school Band Exhibition, featuring 15-minute displays by the Laker High Band, plus groups from Vassar, North Branch and Caro High Schools; the appearance of the Laker Alumni Band, directed by Robert Story, former Laker Band leader, and the performance by the Laker Alumni Cheerleaders.

The 25th Laker High School Homecoming Queen was crowned during Saturday's drubbing of the Caro Tigers. She's Mary Thiel, daughter of Selma and Bob Thiel, Pigeon, and is a Laker High senior.

MORE STORIES
AND PHOTOS INSIDE



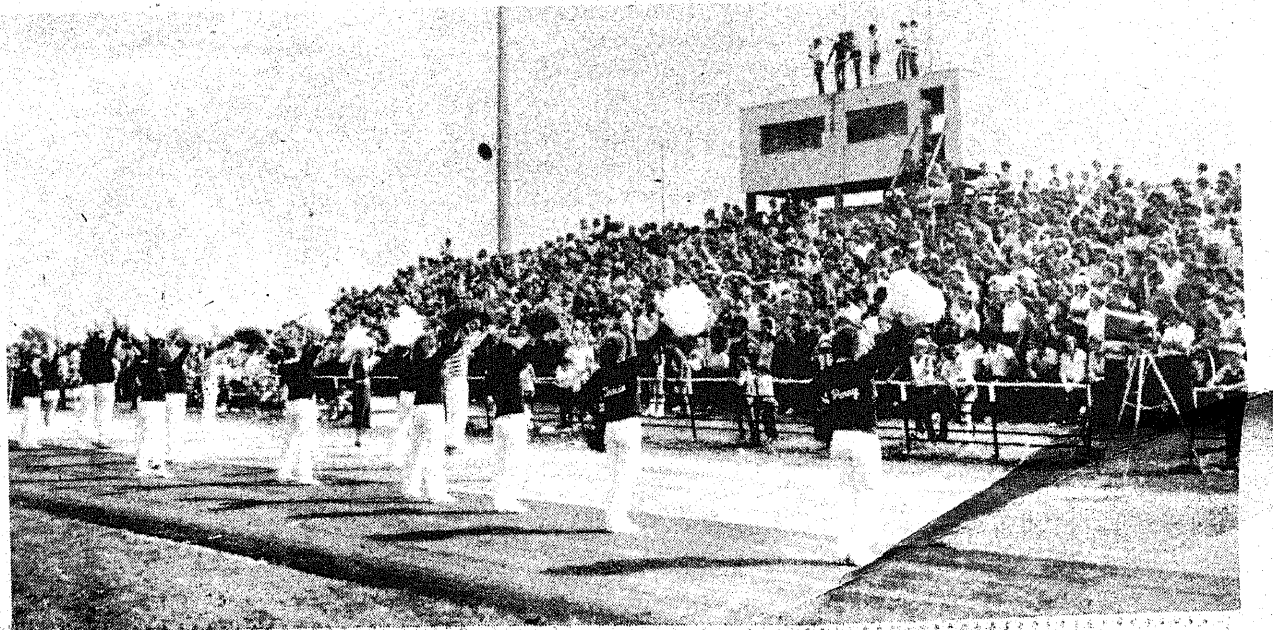
LAKER CHEER:

ABOVE, the Laker Alumni Cheerleaders perform with Friday night's bonfire as a backdrop, during the Laker 25th Reunion, honoring one of Michigan's premiere consolidated school districts.

AT RIGHT, Mary Thiel shouts with excitement as her name is announced as 1984 Laker Homecoming Queen. Proud Dad Bob Thiel is her escort.

BELOW, the Alumni Cheerleaders lead the crowd in a lively rendition of the Laker Fight Song, following a Green Machine touchdown during Saturday's football contest.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTOS



New computer getting workout by Pigeon

Pigeon Village Administrator Bob Brown, Jr., is busy learning the ropes on his new IBM-PC XT computer, which will allow conversion of all village bookkeeping accounts, water billings and many other accounting functions from the present manual system.

The system was delivered last week and features 256K of machine memory and 256K of floppy disk memory, plus a 10 megabyte hard disk capacity. Brown is currently taking study classes to better familiarize himself with the system, which features municipal-style software from Manatron Corp., Kalamazoo, and Micro-Artizona of Ann Arbor.

Brown plans to have the system fully loaded with funding and account data by the

Dec. 10 Pigeon Village Council meeting. System hardware costs are \$9514, software (computer programs) cost another \$4435, while the water billing system is \$1495, Brown says.

During the Sept. 10 regular Council meeting, members voted to purchase \$2039 in work station desk and auxiliary equipment, which Brown said is needed to properly operate the computer. The equipment was purchased from Thumb Office Supply, Bad Axe, following a "shop locally" discussion.

Brown and several Council members said up to \$800 of the work station costs could be saved by buying from big-city catalog companies. "If you go out of Huron County, you can cut 40% from these prices," he said.

Other members disagreed, saying local firms can better stand behind such products if problems develop. But, noted Village President Norris Diebel, "To me, our loyalties apply to local merchants, not to (those in) another town." In the end, the Bad Axe firm was successful in its bid. The sum of \$10,000 was budgeted last year for a village computer.

POLICE RADIO: A new state police and county sheriff radio will be equipped on Pigeon's new village police car when it is purchased later this year, in other action. Council adopted Police Chief Van Johnson's request for 100-watt in-car and base radios, worth \$2216.

They will replace a 33-year-old tube-type state police radio and a 17-year-

old sheriff radio, which have more limited range. By installing them when the new \$14,000 police car is ordered, up to \$800 in changeover costs can be saved, Johnson said.

Presently, Caseville, Fairhaven, Elkton and Harbor Beach departments have both the radios in their cars. Also, the village's speeding radar unit will be modified to upgrade it to today's standards.

STREET WORK: John Street and Merrick Street are expected to receive curb and gutter work in the 1985 DPW budget, followed by Davis Street in 1986 -- meaning all Pigeon streets will have curbs and gutters at that time, according to DPW Supt. Don Otto.

OTHER BUSINESS: A new committee to establish village employment policies and procedures was appointed by President Diebel. Members are John Schaefer, Tony Kula and James Armbruster. They will study other towns' policies, for implementation beginning March 1, 1985.

Council planned a visit to Port Austin's underground water storage system, as plans to replace or upgrade the present water tower continue. When repairs to the present water tower are done next month, up to six days of lower water pressure are expected since the tank must be drained.

Village Treasurer Janet Heckman asked that two resolutions be adopted to allow the village to formally assess an administrative fee, instead of the former collection fee, and to adopt a late penalty fee resolution. Her future salary will be

decided before the 1985 fiscal year begins March 1.

Twenty-eight building inspections or transactions were noted on Building Inspector Neil Libka's report, including major works at Diener's Home of Fine Furnishings and the Pigeon District Library.

Requests to establish industrial development districts for Pigeon Manufacturing Corp. were given formal approval in recent Council action, with no one speaking against the 12-year property tax abatements.

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OH, BUTCH! Practical joker Durward "Butch" Miller of Pigeon's J&B Plumbing & Heating looks over the "50 Years-Down the Drain" cake (complete with small plastic toilet) presented to him at his surprise 50th birthday party. Wife Nova Jean and family members arranged to have him picked up in a hearse, and 65 cars accompanied him to a local cemetery on a "trial run."

Then, nearly 300 friends (?) had a potluck dinner at Pigeon Recreation Park. Several in attendance expressed frustration it wasn't a real funeral, saying that many folks wouldn't have turned up if it was the real thing -- since Butch doesn't have that many friends!

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

The overwhelming support displayed by Thumb area residents, who attended the recent EAST CENTRAL MICHIGAN HEALTH SYSTEMS AGENCY Board of Directors meeting in Saginaw, when the HSA Board approved Scheurer Hospital's renovation and building project application, was greatly appreciated. Thanks is also extended to all Thumb area individuals, and organizations, submitting support, letters and signatures.

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Scheurer plan wins regional okay

Next: Oct. 17 state approval

The \$2.4 million expansion plan to add 15,000 square feet of service space at Scheurer Hospital of Pigeon was approved Thursday night in Saginaw by the East Central Michigan Health Systems Agency.

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Desmarais showed a slide presentation displaying crowding throughout the Hospital building, constructed in 1972 with more than \$1 million in local funding donations. Dr. Jamal Akbar spoke representing Pigeon Clinic. Sebewaing Medical Clinic, Caseville Medical Clinic and Port Austin Area Medical Clinic and Pharmacy. Huron County Emergency Preparedness Director Michael Gage also spoke in support.

Mark Taylor, vice president of St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw, gave his facility's support for the project, noting rural residents should have complete, well-rounded medical care. Hospitals such as his are available for transfers as needed, he added.

But the most effective speakers were consumers and the area's newest doctor.

Mrs. Cathy Smith of Bay Port told about the fast care received by her son, Mark, when his motorcycle collided with another vehicle in Caseville two years ago. He was airlifted to Detroit, where doctors told Mrs. Smith he would have died if treatment had not started immediately.

Two mothers-to-be, Lorraine LePage (twins) and Connie Deering (first-time mother), both of Pigeon, told about their comfort knowing no long drives to big-city hospitals are needed in coming winter months.

Christine Schultz of Pigeon told about the importance of having quality, complete medical care available without a long drive of 20 to 50 miles, noting the birth of her youngest child at Scheurer Hospital was the family's best birthing experience of all.

And Dr. Herbert Scolnick, who last week had the grand opening of his ob-gyn Bay Clinic in Caseville, said he has already spoken with seven area mothers who drive to the Detroit area for assured obstetrics care. He plans to change that, with Scheurer Hospital's help, he said.

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

ELLEN WESTERN TO BE RETRIED

A new trial date will be set Thursday for Ellen Jane (Stella) Western, following the declaration of a mistrial last Thursday in her first-degree murder trial. Judge M. Richard Knoblock set the mistrial when prosecution witness Ralph C. Ross told the jury about lie detector tests he and Western had taken.

Testimony about polygraph tests is inadmissible as court evidence. Until the new date and new jury -- and possible trial site relocation -- are set, she remains free on \$10,000 bond.

Mrs. Western is one of three persons charged with first-degree murder and conspiracy to commit murder in the Jan. 22 death of her husband, Jerry Western, 50 of Bad Axe. He was found shot in the back near his horse corral on Barrie Road, just west of Bad Axe.

Michael Bieri, 32 of Elkton, was convicted by a Tuscola County Circuit Court on the first-degree charge as the trigger man, who was paid nearly \$5000 by Ross to murder Jerry Western. Ross pled guilty to second-degree murder in a plea bargain, in exchange for his testimony during Ellen Western's trial. Ross was among an estimated 100 persons to be called in the trial.

Bieri and Ross are scheduled to be sentenced Oct. 19.

RON BIERI CHARGED IN "CHOP"

Ronald R. Bieri, 35 of Caseville, was arrested and arraigned Friday in connection with a \$32,000 stolen auto "chop shop" operation on his Crescent Beach Road property last week. Huron County District Court Judge John Schutel set bond at \$2000 and Bieri's preliminary examination is set for 1 p.m. Oct. 4.

Caseville Police led raids July 13 and Sept. 10 at Bieri's property and turned up portions of 10 vehicles plus many stolen parts. Bieri was charged with attempting to sell some of these items. His arrest warrant charges him with concealing and misrepresenting with intent to mislead (motor vehicle), according to Caseville Village Police Chief Jack Jensen.

Maximum penalty is four years in prison, a \$2000 fine or both.

WOMAN DIES AFTER CRASH

Patricia L. Braun, 27 of Filion, died Thursday from injuries received last Wednesday in a car-truck accident on M-142 at Lackie Road, east of Elkton. She became Huron County's 11th traffic fatality this year, according to police.

She was driving east on M-142 at Lackie Road about 12:15 a.m., when her vehicle was struck by a truck driven by a Romulus man, who was not injured. Mrs. Braun was transferred to Saginaw St. Mary's Hospital with head injuries, where she died Thursday.

Mrs. Braun and her husband, Russell, were parents to three daughters: Beth 5, Jill 3 and Lisa 2. Funeral services were conducted Monday at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Rapson.

MONSANTO APPEALS HALEY TRIAL

Monsanto Chemical Co., St. Louis, Mo., has appealed the \$810,000 verdict returned this summer against it, in the suit brought by Owendale dairy farmers Roger and Valerie Haley. The company has appealed the case, in which a Huron County Circuit Court jury found Monsanto had knowingly sold a silo-coating product containing polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), which can be cancer-causing.

The jury awarded the \$810,000 sum to the Haleys, which will grow to \$1.3 million with interest. At least six other PCB-silo lawsuits are pending in local courts.

LAKE FISHING NETS COMING?

Sports fishermen promise a lawsuit if the Michigan Department of Natural Resources carries through its plan to allow commercial fishing nets in southern Lake Huron, off Harbor Beach.

The DNR says fish numbers have grown sufficiently to allow Leonard Dutcher, a commercial fisherman from DeTour, to relocate in the White Rock area to catch whitefish. Sport fishermen say such "trap nets" will deplete supplies of the sport fish, and a decision is expected this week.

POLICE NEWS SUMMARY

Michael Licht, 19, and William Craig, 18, both of Pigeon, were injured in a Sept. 15 accident on Caseville Road near Park Street in Pigeon. They were taken to Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, where they were treated and released.

Huron County Sheriff's Deputies say Licht's southbound vehicle collided with Craig's northbound car, as they attempted to swerve to each other.

MARLETTE TO BE A CITY?

Voters were casting ballots Monday to decide if a new city charter should be adopted providing city status. A slow transition from village to city government status would follow the city establishment, which allows for a full-time city manager and a non-partisan seven-member city council.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

In Huron County District Court, Blaine Peyer, 21 of Elkton, pled guilty to malicious destruction of property under \$100, and will pay \$100 plus make restitution to Sherry L. Hiller of Elkton.

Jerry D. Harder, Jr., 31 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to malicious destruction of property under \$100, and will serve 60 days in jail, following damage Aug. 25 at Kohtz Floor Covering, Sebewaing.

Richard Hutchins, 22 of Pigeon, pled guilty to drunken driving, and was ordered to pay \$600 in fines and costs, plus loss of driving rights for one year.

Timothy Austin, 25 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to impaired driving, and was ordered to pay \$400 in fines, with 90 days of driving rights lost.

Albert Schulze, 30 of Pigeon, pled guilty to impaired driving, and was ordered to pay \$350 in fines and costs with 90 days of lost driving rights.

RECOLLECTIONS
of by-gone days

By GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR,

After we got back to Holland from Strasburg, my daughter said she'd show me more of Holland than I had ever seen before. And she did just that!

We went to a wax museum and saw the queen and princes, plus Margaret Thatcher, Churchill, President Kennedy and Kaiser Wilhelm. They look so lifelike that I asked the Kaiser how he felt -- but he didn't say a word.

There are many canals around, so they took me on several boat rides. We went to one of her friend's places and tied the boat up to go in. We had coffee and then went out on the boat again.

We rode "way back in the swamp" where the anabaptists used to hide from the sheriff. If they were caught, often they were burned at the stake.

Then we went up to Friesland, which is the port of Holland where the dairy country is. They have some very nice cows up there. The barn was built in 1812 and the house a little later. There was a big canal close by where the boats were going all the time.

On the way up there, we went through a new polder. That is where they just pumped out the water. In 1973, they were still pumping water, but now there are big fields of potatoes, onions, sugar beets and a lot of cattle.

On the way back, we drove on a four-lane highway that was built on a big dike that's 22 miles long.

Then we went to a town north of Amsterdam, to an open market. The people dressed in old Dutch costumes and they had a nice parade with nice horses and buggies. They had a big stage and sang some nice Dutch songs.

When it rained, we went inside. I got a good seat and a group was there from Austria. They yodeled and sang in German, some songs that my Dad used to sing.

Well, all good things have to end, so on Wednesday, Aug. 8 I got on the plane to come home. We landed in Chicago and went through customs, and then on to Detroit where my son and family were waiting for me.

It sure felt good to be in the USA again, and the first thing I wanted was a good drink of cold water.

I couldn't find a Bible verse to describe home, but the song "Home Sweet Home" is about as good as I can describe it. And after hearing those people blame our nation for all the trouble in this world, I wouldn't trade my home for all the castles and palaces in Europe.

SINCERELY YOURS,
GEORGE KEIM

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SUBMITTED BY RUSS KEVENE, BAY PORT

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DEEP APPRECIATION -- About 100 persons who took time from busy personal schedules are sincerely appreciated by Scheurer Hospital supporters these days.

I was proud to be a representative of the Western Thumb, when the stories, hopes and dreams were presented that night. I was also proud to be a 34-year-old alumnus of that medical facility, which helped swing the approval decision its way by coming prepared and coming in numbers.

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SOLD OUT! For only the second time since Sally and I bought this business the first day of 1978, we've completely sold out every issue of last week's Progress-Advance. We printed nearly 400 extra copies -- over and above the extra circulation we featured last week -- but every issue within shootin' range of the Laker School District was gone by last Friday.

Thanks, everyone, for your acceptance. We should give all credit where it's due, too -- since this whole enjoyable weekend was Laker High Principal Jim Ballard's idea originally.

And our 20-page special Laker Memories section -- which provided more than \$224 to kick off the Laker Alumni Scholarship Program -- was especially appreciated. We give our special thanks to Ad Director Deb McBride and Production Manager Bill Eseh of our staff for their SUPER efforts in planning and producing that section.

We're glad so many people enjoyed it so much!

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LOTS OF PUBLICITY -- The Bay City Times has rediscovered the Thumb Area, and it's nice to see some of the local nice folks appearing in print.

First, there was Jill McAuley Hedley's story on Page 1 last Sunday, describing her work for former President Gerald Ford. Then, Butch Miller's "surprise" party was featured, also at the top of Page 1 in last Thursday's Times. Finally, the Laker Friday night pep rally was featured Sunday. Congratulations, all...

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TIPS: Watch for three new products coming soon from the J.M. Smucker Co., a leading producer of jams, preserves and marmalades. First, there's Spreadin' Honey (something I always thought SHOULD be invented), a new ketchup and peanut butter with honey. "If it's from Smucker's, it's GOT to be good..."

Then, train tickets are still available for a Bay City to Grayling passenger train trip on "The Timberliner" Saturday, Oct. 13. The tour is sponsored by the Bluewater Chapter of the National Railway Historical Society. Get ticket information from: Hurley Brothers Printing Co., 615 Lafayette, Bay City.

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WISH I'D SAID THAT -- "Did you hear about the bees that went on strike? They were demanding shorter flowers and more honey!"

As we see it editorially

Say NO to State Senate offices!

Of all the money-wasting plans we've seen come out of our State Capitol Building in Lansing in the past, one clearly takes the cake. State Senators are discussing a plan which would permit Senators to establish offices in their districts - but only if the money is taken from staff salary budgets.

That sounds fine and good on paper, but there's more to it than simply "moving money around in the budget." The measure, mostly being pushed by the Republican majority party, would change the present law which forbids staffing money to be used for telephone, rent or utility costs in a district office.

It sounds simple just to change the law to allow such expenditures for district offices - if the Senators desire to spend their money that way. But NO!

First, how many times have YOU gone to your State Senator's office, or your State Rep's office, for that matter? How many times have you contacted your U.S. Congressman at his office - and how often in person? Do you know anyone who has?

That's the whole point. Most present contacts with our elected leaders are through phone calls or letters. Even when representatives of our lawmakers come to our communities (as they do nearly monthly), very few persons visit them to make comments or complaints.

This could be better handled via toll-free telephone lines right to Lansing, at much, much lower costs than establishing local offices. There's no doubt about it!

Think about a "local" office for our own State Sen. James Barcia (D-Bay City). His district covers all of Bay, Arenac, Tuscola,

Gladwin and our own Huron Counties. Where would he locate the office? In Gladwin, 130 miles northwest of here? Or in Caro, 40 miles south of us? Or more likely in Bay City, still 45 miles away? We don't think people would willingly go those distances in such a spread-out district.

Even Sen. Barcia - who had his own district office as 101st District Representative until 1982 - admits that 95% of the contacts handled by that office were by telephone - not in person. But there's a second, more unfair reason to stop consideration of this unneeded plan.

Incumbents would get extra publicity and exposure through such local offices, giving challengers an even worse disadvantage in the district office area.

Finally there's a third reason such offices are only an expensive extravagance. Believe it or not, nearly \$4 million in unspent staff budget monies were returned in 1982 to State government. It's basically just a drop in the bucket, but the return of that money would completely disappear if district offices were allowed.

We see great wisdom in allowing a portion - perhaps up to 10% - of state lawmakers' staff budgets to be earmarked for toll-free telephone lines. After all, Senators earn between \$79,000 and \$129,000 for staff salaries alone!

But district offices? Sorry, they're just not needed!

No one is ever too old to learn...but some keep putting it off!



Roses and Thorns

By Mark Karls

From seriousness to W.C. jokes!

With the recent Laker Homecoming and 25th Reunion I thought it would be nice to take a break from the seriousness of the current drug addiction series and do something fun for a change. Next week we will return to more serious matters.

I was amazed last week at the response to the now-famous birthday party for Butch Miller. That is, I was amazed until I found out some of the "behind the scenes" information connected with the party. There are probably pictures in this paper covering the event and before the credibility of the staff and writers goes to nothing, it seems expedient to insert some "facts" surrounding this occasion.

Most of us now realize that downtown Pigeon came to a standstill last Wednesday evening as millions of cars (the "facts" in this report leave something to be desired) clogged Michigan Avenue, especially in the vicinity of the Butch Miller home, as everybody and his mother fought to get a glimpse of the man who put Pigeon on the world map. The struggle was indeed intense to get close enough to "Mr. Pigeon" in order to touch the hem of his "District Governor" necktie.

However, new information has now been uncovered from a most reliable informant (whom I shall refer to as "Cheap Throat") over the sham of Wednesday's response. As it turned out, the reason billions of dignitaries attended the festivities was that Butch found out about the affair ahead of time and changed the guest list to cover an additional five billion invitations. Then he changed the mailing content to include several raffles (Mercedes 450SEL, Rolls-Royce Silver Cloud and a 1949 Chevrolet) to ensure a large turnout. Special letters were sent to such dignitaries as Reagan, Mondale, Bush, Ferraro, Chernenko, Gromyko, Ueberroth, Billy Graham, Lance Parrish, Sparky, Blanchard, Iacocca, Loni Anderson, Idi Amin and the Pope.

The last name (the Pope) unveiled some intriguing "facts" that the general public should be aware of in order to avoid further preposterous adulations as last week's fiasco. It seems that since His Eminence was already in Canada and the extra stop at Caseville International Airport (I think I'm going to hear about this one) would not be too inconvenient, Butch invited the Pope to his "surprise" birthday party months ago.

Believe it or not, the Pope cordially replied to Butch's invitation. In the reply was a question concerning the W.C. facilities for an overnight stay in the area. The Pope naturally was concerned. You see, in Europe the W.C. is the polite way of referring to the Water Closet, or as we in America understand it - the bathroom. In Europe many accommodations have only one W.C. per floor of rooms and the Pope was concerned about the scope of such a "good life in a small town."

Well, since Butch knows nothing about bathrooms and bathroom equipment, he obviously had no idea what W.C. meant. So he assumed it stood for "Wayside Chapel," know-

ing the small town heritage of the Pope back in Poland and the yearning for such intimate seclusion these chapels bring. But Butch did not know of any Wayside Chapel in the area, so he made one up and sent off the following letter to the Pope:

Dear Rev. Pope,
I take great pleasure in informing you that the W.C. facilities are situated nine miles from your hotel room in the center of a beautiful grove of trees surrounded by lovely grounds.

It is capable of holding 250 people, and is open on Sundays and Thursdays only. As there are a great number of people expected during the autumn months, I suggest that you come early, although usually there is plenty of standing room. This is an unfortunate situation, especially if you are in the habit of going regularly. It may be of some interest to know that one of my cousins was married in the W.C., and it was there that she met her husband. I can remember the rush there for seats. There were 10 people to every seat usually occupied by one. It was wonderful to see the expressions on their faces.

You will be glad to hear that a good number of people bring their lunch and make a day of it, while those who go by horse and buggy arrive just on time. I would especially recommend to your Eminence to go on Thursdays when there is an organ accompaniment. The acoustics are excellent and even the most delicate sounds can be heard everywhere.

The newest addition is a bell donated by a wealthy resident of the community. It rings every time a person enters. An auction is to be held to provide for plush seats for all, since the people feel it is long needed. My cousin is rather delicate so she cannot attend regularly. It is almost a year since she went last, and naturally it pains her very much not to be able to go more often.

I shall be delighted to reserve the best seat for you where you shall be seen by all. For the children, there is a special day and time so that they do not disturb the elders. Hoping to be of some help to you.

Your Buddy,
Butch

To this day, Butch cannot understand why he has heard no reply to his letter. Could it be the Pope found out through other sources that Butch made up the whole story? Well, the Pope did not make it to Butch's party last week (one of the few who didn't) and we thought the community had a right to know why.

For the record, the above "facts" were obtained by "Cheap Throat" through the recent World Mennonite Convention in Europe where official inquiry was made by the Vatican to the Convention in regards to Butch Miller. Convention Delegate George Keim commented on the inquiry by stating, "It is just unfortunate that Butch could not accept the fact that there are no W.C. facilities in the Pigeon area."

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Fore!

By Mavis Pechette

Small towns

Are you enjoying the "Small Town" feature recently added to this newspaper? Everyone who lives in a small town can come up with a story about things that could only happen in a small town. It might pertain to a particular small town or to any small town, for that matter.

Recently I read an item stating, "In a small town, everyone knows what is going on. They still subscribe to the local newspaper to see if the editor got the facts straight." And in a small town, you can be sure there will be Letters to the Editor if he didn't.

In a small town, everyone is related to everyone else, or at least related to somebody's relatives. Cousins by the dozens abound. The song, "I'm My Own Grandpa" could only have been written by a small town resident.

In a small town when a customer buys something different from the usual brand of whiskey, the liquor store clerk asks, "When is the party?"

Only in a small town could this series of events take place. The members of a group scheduled a potluck dinner for a summer meeting. One gracious gentleman offered to host the gathering, noting that his swimming pool would be available for use before and after the meeting. Some people were delighted to use the facility. One commented that swimming was such a therapeutic exercise and the host and hostess said, "Use the pool whenever you like."

A trip to town was necessary on a hot, summer day. As she noted the 88° on the bank sign, she thought, "If only I'd brought my swim suit..." A stop at the gas station and a moaning that lack to the female attendant brought about evidence of the openness and sharing one finds in a small town. The gas station gal responded, "Do you want to swim? I've got a suit you can borrow. I'm off work in 15 minutes and I'm going right home. Come over and get it."

Arriving at the site of the pool, the now-equipped swimmer found neither the host or hostess on the premises. However, two young mothers with their children were taking advantage of the invitation apparently issued on several occasions.

Now tell me you'd find anything like that in a city where people sit behind locked doors with shades drawn and what's mine is mine and what's yours is mine if I can get it.

Letter to the Editor

Big-big thanks for a GREAT Reunion job!

Dear Editor:
Big thank-yous are in order for all the MANY people who were involved in the Laker 25th Anniversary Celebration Parade. Its success is due to the efforts of many great people who gave of their ideas, materials, money, and that precious commodity, TIME. They were all caring people.

The list is almost endless, but there are some key individuals that I feel should be mentioned at this time. Janice Foster contacted and organized representatives from the 24 alumni classes, Elkton Co-op, Pigeon Chamber of Commerce and Scheurer Hospital, who loaned their floats for the queens, Jim Seelye, Duane Bauer and Phil Seeman who pulled them. Ginter Electric (girls), Pigeon IGA and Michigan Milk (boys) athletes and Peoples' Oil and Gas, Valedictorian and Salutatorian floats. Don Eria's Foods provided the

stencils for banners and Cliff Bailey donated toward their purchase. Bud Schaaf and Jim Clabuesch marked the spaces for entries and helped line them up. They operated the radios to control the parade flow. People who lined up the parade and kept it moving were Dolly Weiss, Barbara Buchholz, Karen Heck, Jessie Otto, Janice Foster and Shirley Cunningham. Dick Pauly and Pam Sturm handled 12 bands. Hats-off to the guys who drove the convertibles, the police and to Don Otto who controlled the traffic and streets.

My special gratitude to my teachers, Roy Lawrence and Mary Otto.
It was a SUPER and DEDICATED effort by super people. It was a great experience to work with many capable people and I was honored to be your chairman of YOUR PARADE. Sincerely,
Mary Jane Voelker

Dear Editor:

During the last few weeks, Mark Karls has written a column on "Alcoholism." He started out by giving an example of a big eighth grader who has troubles with alcohol and the reaction of his parents.

This whole scene gave the inspiration to describe the situation of the youth in this area, in the hopes of offering a solution to better their situation.

During the week, kids go to school or work and are occupied by playing sports and doing their homework. Only school activities and their work keep them busy, but Friday night when the game is over, they are on their own. School is closed until Monday morning and working kids often have time-off during the weekend, too. The kids in this area are just the same as kids all over the world; they want to have fun after a long working week. They get together and take off in cars, but where to? Nowhere, there is no place to go! They pick up beer and other kinds of dope and they go cruising. But cruising is the most boring thing I have ever seen done on a Friday or Saturday night and I think a lot of kids agree with me. That's why they often get so "blown away," because when they are bored, they

simply drink and smoke just to have something to do. Now kids often have parties in private homes, too, but nevertheless, they drink just as much simply because of the lack of action. They play cards and the totally stupid game of "quarter bounce," which makes one completely "wasted" in no time. They sit around and talk and look at each other, but they don't dance and move around. Getting "out of control" is the important thing. Drinking alcohol is such a thrill because it's illegal. You have probably heard the motto of kids before: "Drink until you 'puke' and then keep on drinking." Hey, if a guy comes to school Monday morning and is able to say he did that during the weekend, he's considered "a real cool guy."

I don't think it's cool - I think this whole deal stinks so much and that it's time for a change. But you can't blame the kids alone. The kids are told what to do from both sides: you as parents, the churches, the schools and the whole community preach against drinking and smoking, while commercials, advertisements, rock songs and pressure within kids tell them to do it. It's not fair to make them choose one side or the other. It makes kids frustrated and might force them to do something they really don't want to do, because there's no middle way.

So, wake up parents and create that "middle way." Listen to what Mark Karls says and begin to understand your kids. Even out the generation gap and consider your teen as an adult and start realizing that one time or another, your kids will be confronted with alcohol, drugs and sex. Instead of saying, "Stay away from it," teach him or her how to control it. That is the key to helping your kids. Have a beer with your kid and make him understand the effects of alcohol, the difference between enjoying and abusing,



Peter Michael Gruhn

Group opposes downtown plan

Dear Editor:

We understand that a block of our downtown business district will be made into a savings and loan and parking lot. We feel this is not beneficial to our downtown shopping area.

We need more businesses and enterprises that will draw people into our downtown area.

If we allow this to happen and don't try and stop this, our downtown shopping area will be limited and people will then not even bother to shop in our limited shopping area. We need new businesses and enterprises that would draw the general shopping society to do their buying in our town.

If you are in favor of keeping our downtown shopping area alive and prosperous, then sign the petition and hope that Mutual Savings and Loan will realize that our community does NOT want this to happen to our good life in a small town.

Petitions are available for signatures at Ben Franklin Store, Pigeon or by contacting Cyndy Rathje at 453-2584.

Cyndy Rathje and interested citizens

Letters from our readers

Former Exchange student shares views on needs of Pigeon area youths

and most of all, that it's not cool to abuse it and get drunk, but that it's perfectly okay to enjoy it. Being drunk is no thrill!

When your kid has learned the things above, he's ready to go and have fun. But as I mentioned in the beginning, there aren't any places to go and have fun. Driving around town and going to parties when parents are gone are no fun. There's no spirit, and even though you may have taught your kid how to enjoy alcohol, he still might be tempted to abuse it because it's so boring and without activity.

It is so important to teach your kid how to enjoy things and not to abuse them, because when you abuse things, you are not able to praise the Lord. So start with yourself, and teach yourself, for example, to enjoy food instead of abusing it. If you are an overeater and eat more than you need, you are an abuser, but even worse, if you let your kid eat more than he or she needs, you have already taught him or her how to abuse. How can you expect your kid not to abuse other things?

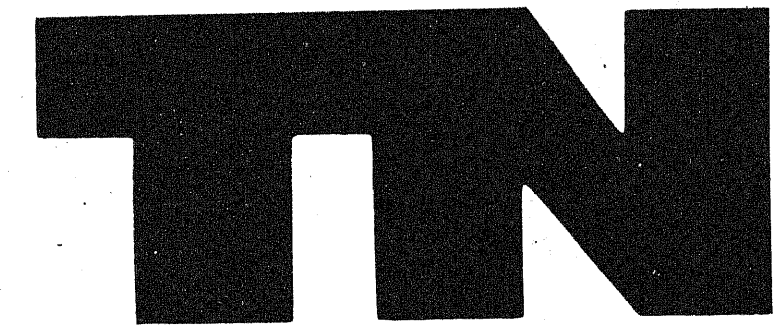
So be an example yourself and teach your kids, so they don't have to learn from mistakes which could have been prevented.

Now I know what some of you kids think of this - that it would be a drag going to a

and teach your kids, so they don't have to learn from mistakes which could have been prevented.

Kids concern me and I'm a kid myself. I have lived here for a month and I definitely feel that something is missing for these kids. They want to be treated as adults and they have needs for enjoyment just as adults do. I now hope that I have encouraged and given inspiration to some parents so they will accept their kids' needs and provide them with some activities.

Peter Michael Gruhn, Denmark



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Tamie Dell marries Cliff Cook in Pigeon ceremony

A late afternoon autumn wedding united the lives of Tamera Theresa Dell of Pigeon and Clifford James Cook of Union Lake.

Father Ben Skornia officiated at the double-ring ceremony on Saturday, Sept. 15, 1984 at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon.

Tamie is the daughter of Patrick and Barbara Dell of Caseville. Cliff's parents are Marvin and Rhea Cook of Royal Oak.

Musical selections included "Like A Seal on Your Heart," "The Wedding Song, There is Love" "Peace is Flowing Like a River" sung by soloist, Kathy Shaw of Elkton, and "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring." The organist for the mass was Julie Wolfram of Pigeon.

The church was decorated with potted white mum plants. The candelabra were adorned with white bows and fresh ferns. A carved unity candle was centered on the altar in a floral arrangement of blue and white.

Given in marriage by her

father, the bride wore a white Victorian styled gown of Wedgewood lace and satin ribbons. It had a fitted bodice of coin dotted English net. The high collar and yoke were trimmed with Venice lace. The Wedgewood lace ruffle at the bodice was detailed with lace applique and seed pearls. Her dress featured Victorian sleeves and a full skirt. The cathedral train of dotted English net was trimmed with Venice lace madillions, Wedgewood lace ruffles and satin ribbons.

Tamie carried a crescent bouquet of silk sweetheart white roses, stephanotis, forget-me-nots and light blue alstromeria, accented with baby's breath on a white lace fan.

Kathy Himmel of Royal Oak served as her cousin's maid of honor. She wore a skyblue floor length gown of lustrous polyester knit. The yoke, stand-up collar and nylon sleeves were made of rylon point d'esprit lace with a delicate floral pattern at

the edges. The slightly flared skirt began at the natural waistline with a spaghetti tie belt.

The bridesmaids were Donna Jacobs of Pigeon, Linda Fritz of Owendale and Kathy Shaw of Elkton. Their gowns were identical to the maid of honor's. The attendants carried white lace fans decorated with ice blue miniature carnations, blue alstromeria and sweetheart roses accented with baby's breath and ice blue streamers.

Tiffany Fritz of Owendale was the flowergirl. She wore a skyblue floor length gown of sheer polyester lined in acetate taffeta. An attached lace capelet began at the jewel neckline. A satin bow at the raised waistline flowed down into the full skirt with lace flounced hem. She carried a wicker basket of light blue and white daisies accented with baby's breath and streamers. The basket has been used in three of Tamie's families' weddings.

The groom was attired in a classic cutaway charcoal gray tuxedo. His boutonniere was of white sweetheart roses matching Tamie's bouquet.

Bryan Himmel of Ferndale served as best man. He is the friend of the groom and bride's cousin. He was attired in a charcoal gray tuxedo. The groomsmen were Joe Cook, Bob Himmel and Carl Cook, all of Royal Oak. Joe and Bob also served as ushers. They were identically attired to the best man.

Also participating in the wedding ceremony were candlelighters and hostesses Lynda Himmel of Ferndale and Marie Himmel of Royal Oak. Handing out programs were the bride's brothers, Rick and Bruce Dell of

Caseville. Serving as a reader was Kim Cook of Ferndale.

Tamie's mother was attired in a floor length gown of daphne rose. A sheer nylon attached capelet covered the point d'esprit

lace yoke. She wore a crescent shoulder corsage of yellow sweetheart roses completed her outfit.

Following the ceremony, a reception was conducted at the Pigeon VFW Hall for 175 guests.

Guests attended from Massachusetts, Royal Oak, Ferndale, Clawson, Howell, Madison Heights, Sterling Heights, Detroit, Milford, Warren, Flint, Rockwood, Mt. Pleasant, Davison, Birmingham, Howard City, Eaton Rapids, Lansing and the surrounding Huron County towns.

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Lake-Chandler

By MILDRED BALLGAY

CORRECTION - The program committee, Frances Beach, Lillian Kunstman, Marion Watterworth and Janet Garety will plan a special program for the 50th anniversary of the Worthy Study Club for the Oct. 10 meeting.

Oct. 30 at 8 p.m. - The Chandler Presbyterian Guild will meet with Mrs. Rae Young.

The community extends sincere sympathy to the family and relatives of Mrs. Mary (John) Stirrett of Elkton, formerly of Lake Township, who passed away at Scheurer Hospital in her ar. She had resided at the Leland Morley home in Elkton for some 16 years.

Here's a little tip for you to keep flowers fresh longer. Add a dab of Listerine in the water.

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FARM PAGE WEEKLY

CROP WEATHER UPDATE

Much needed rainfall in the past two weeks has revived pastures across northern Kansas and most of Missouri. Weather and livestock sources say the rain will help the root system of rangeland grasses, enabling them to start out next spring in good condition.

Rainfall also benefited late planted soybeans in Missouri. In other Midwest areas, Iowa's crop report service rated the state's corn crop at 43% good and 43% fair, and soys were rated at 36% good and 51% fair.

Illinois' crop reports say harvest was underway with corn borer and root worm damage apparent as harvest started. Illinois corn was rated 54% good and 41% fair. Soys were at 53% fair and 41% good.

Both Ohio and Indiana report corn and soys are

maturing at or slightly behind normal, with most areas expecting fair to good yields.

GRAIN MARKETS

Just as harvest started across the corn and soybean belt, the market got another negative jolt with the release of the USDA soybean stocks report. A surprisingly high figure of 174.8 million bushels was reported, up from previous estimates of 117 million.

An Ag Department spokesman said the latest figure may not be totally accurate, but - whatever the reason - USDA's reporting system has received another black eye with a mistake that could cost producers money.

Markets were expected to drop near the limit following the report, and that did not happen. A drop in the strength of the U.S. Dollar offset the previous day's bad

news. This is another indication of how hungry the market is for positive news from the demand side.

The strength of the dollar will continue to be a major price factor through harvest.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

The livestock industry is viewing the recently-released USDA hog and pig report as an indication that herd liquidation has slowed considerably. The key number is the kept-for-breeding figure, at 95% of a YEAR AGO. The industry's estimate was 93.8%.

The kept-for-marketing number at 93% and all hogs and pigs at 93% was also viewed as negative. Nearly all options were down the following day.

There is a feeling among livestock analysts that cash cattle prices are near the bottom for the season and will begin a gradual rise through the end of the year, to reach between \$65 and \$66.

Kindinger speaks to Farm Bureau Thursday night in Bad Axe

Dr. Paul Kindinger, director of Michigan Department of Agriculture, will be the speaker and honored guest when members of the Huron County Farm Bureau gather for their annual meeting. The meeting is scheduled at the Farm Bureau Center in Bad Axe on Thursday, Sept. 27 and will begin with a buffet-style chicken and roast beef dinner served from 6 to 7:30 p.m. with the business meeting slated for 8 p.m.

"There's no better chance for you to express your opinion on issues affecting agriculture than at the Huron County Farm Bureau annual meeting," says Bruce Kuhl, president. "We will be acting on resolutions dealing with issues ranging from Farm Bill '85, which will affect every farmer's future, to maintaining the county road system. We want to hear from all Farm Bureau members on these important issues."

The meeting will also include election of directors, reports of committees and presentation of several awards.

"We have set a goal of having over 200 members in attendance," Kuhl adds. "The

Action Groups and individuals."

All Farm Bureau members and friends are welcome and urged to attend.

NEWS BRIEFS

BANKERS SAY PLAN WORKABLE
The American Bankers Association says the Administration's plan to help the farm debt situation is workable and could benefit their farm customers and the ag community. They point out, however, that farm debt problems go beyond the farm, indicating those problems have also weakened agribusiness and other businesses in rural communities.

MORE DAIRY CUTS?
Ag Sec. John Block said this week he expects an additional cut of 50 cents in the dairy support price. That cut would come in April, 1985. He said he's unsure whether another cut in July, '85 would be needed. Earlier, Block said he thought both cuts would have to be made.

SEWING SEMINAR OCT. 6
The Michigan Association of Extension Homemakers invites home sewers to attend "The Cutting Edge, A Sewing Update for 1984" on Saturday, Oct. 6, at Cass City High School. The all-day seminar will keep the home sewer current on new fabrics and sewing techniques. To register or for more information, call Tuscola County Extension Home Economist Linda Adams at 673-5999, ext. 228.

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Post these hunting dates!

Each year when fall rolls around, hunters must digest reams of material in order to be up-to-date on the numerous seasons that take place during this time period. This week's column is intended to simplify the procedure by providing a chronological listing of the opening and closing dates for all the hunting seasons in Michigan.

SEPT. 10 - Bear season opens; dogs, gun or bow permitted, both in the U.P. and Lower Peninsula.

SEPT. 15 - Season opens for grouse, woodcock and squirrels.

SEPT. 19 - Bear season closes in Lower Peninsula.

SEPT. 29 - Waterfowl season opens in Upper Peninsula, northern Lower Peninsula and southwestern Michigan.

OCT. 1 - Bear season opens for archers, no dogs, in selected counties in Lower Michigan. Archery season for deer begins. Rabbits and hares legal in U.P. and northern Lower Michigan. Woodchucks legal game in northern Lower Michigan.

OCT. 1 - Squirrel season closes, goose season in Michigan also closes.

NOV. 11 - Pheasant season ends.

NOV. 12 - Waterfowl season in U.P., northern and southwestern Michigan closes.

OCT. 6 - Waterfowl season opens for southern and southeastern Michigan.

OCT. 9 - Archery bear season ends in northern Lower Michigan.

OCT. 15 - Fox legal in U.P. and northern lower Michigan.

OCT. 20 - Pheasant season in Lower Michigan opens. Rabbits, woodchucks also legal game.

OCT. 23 - Goose season ends in U.P., northern Lower Peninsula and southwestern Michigan.

OCT. 25 - Bobcats legal in Upper Peninsula, except Bois Blanc and Drummond Island.

OCT. 31 - Bear hunting with dogs ends in U.P.

NOV. 1 - Fox hunting legal in southern lower Michigan.

NOV. 10 - Squirrel season closes, goose season in Michigan also closes.

NOV. 11 - Pheasant season ends.

NOV. 12 - Waterfowl season in U.P., northern and southwestern Michigan closes.

NOV. 14 - Ruffed grouse season closes in U.P., and in Lower Peninsula until Dec. 1.

NOV. 15 - Firearms deer season opens. Bear legal again, with bear license, no dogs.

NOV. 25 - Waterfowl season in southeastern Michigan closes.

NOV. 30 - Deer season ends. Bear hunting ends.

DEC. 1 - Muzzleloader season for deer begins, archery season opens again.

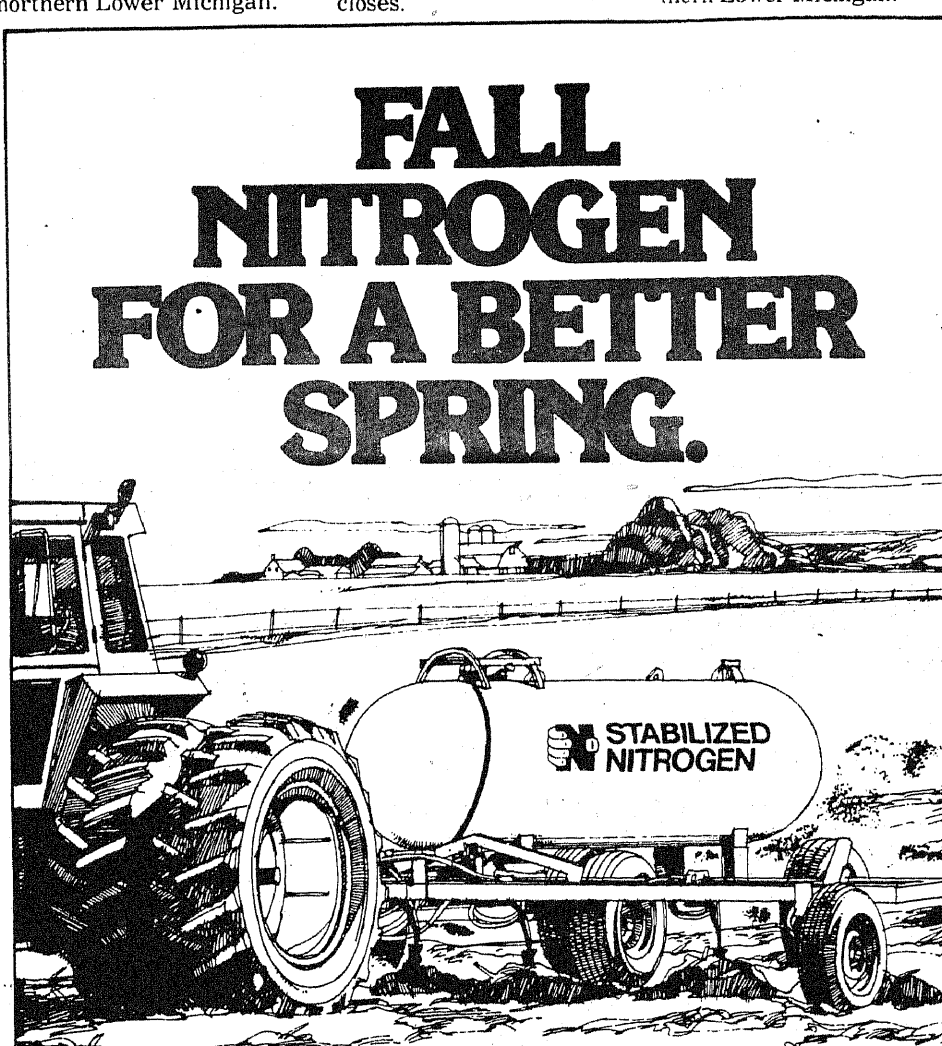
DEC. 10 - Muzzleloader deer season ends.

JAN. 1 - Archery deer season over. Bobcats are legal in eight northern Lower Michigan counties.

JAN. 31 - Mink season in Lower Peninsula ends.

MARCH 1 - Rabbit season ends in southern Lower Michigan. Bobcat season closes in northern Lower Michigan. Fox season ends.

MARCH 31 - Rabbit season ends in U.P. and northern Lower Michigan.



In the past we've recommended fall plow-down of P and K and lime if your soil test indicated the need. Now with Stabilized Nitrogen you can also apply your nitrogen. Stabilized Nitrogen, unlike regular nitrogen, can be fall applied right after corn harvest. It won't be lost during late fall or spring rains like regular nitrogen. Here's a better kind of nitrogen that will be available to your corn for a fast start next spring and longer into the growing season. A good fertilizer program including Stabilized Nitrogen, P and K gives you healthier plants with less firing and diseases like Stalk rot. And at harvest, you get faster drydown, higher protein content and maximum yields. Stabilized Nitrogen. It's a better kind of nitrogen. Don't settle for less! See us now to get started on your fall fertilizer program.

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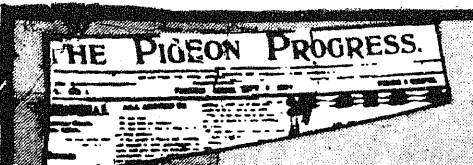
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80 YEARS AGO OCT. 7, 1904

The Ekhardt & Becker Brewing Co. barn in Pigeon was destroyed by fire Thursday evening. Four horses were burned.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Gillingham, Bay Port, on Tuesday, a son.

Pigeon business places will close next Wednesday afternoon so that all may attend the Elkton fair.

The first car of sugar beets to leave Owendale was loaded this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Neischulz and two sons, William Rathke and daughter and Henry Grimm left Pigeon for a three month visit in Germany.

Robert Lambert is now chief cook at the Pigeon Clubhouse.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chapin, Winsor Twp., Tuesday, a daughter.

Conrad Euler, 84, one of the oldest Winsor residents, died at the home of his son-

in-law, George Geiger. He leaves a wife and eight children.

Fred Madinger, Winsor and Miss Agnes Moessner, Chesaning, were united in marriage Wednesday.

70 YEARS AGO OCT. 9, 1914

Jurors for the October term of circuit court from this area are Andrew Truemmer, Winsor; William Wilson, Brookfield; George Horton, Caseville; Julius McComb, Chandler; George Gardner, Fair Haven; George Wallace, Grant; Claude Betteridge, Lake and Henry Henne, McKinley.

Ed Holland is pushing the construction of his new hotel at Caseville.

Mrs. Amanda Cochran, 81, Caseville, died Tuesday. The widow of James P. Cochran, she had made her home with her son, S.H., Caseville. She is survived by six children.

W.J. Orr, Bay Port, was elected a director of the Michigan Bean Jobbers Assn.

J.H. Hofmeister lost two barns and their contents by fire last Tuesday. Loss \$2,250. Insurance \$1,000.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shetler, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ropp and Mrs. J.D. Shetler, Sr., returned to their home in Kalona, Iowa after a two week visit with relatives and friends in Winsor.

Frank Bartow left Pigeon Monday for Chicago to take up his studies in dentistry.

60 YEARS AGO OCT. 10, 1924

Mrs. George L. Reid is the new manager of the Bay Port telephone exchange.

Mrs. John H. Fahrner, Bay Port, entertained the Sunset Club at her home Wednesday evening with a poverty party. 500 was played and prizes given to Mrs. Harvey Dutcher and Mrs. Henry Avon. Mrs. Blance Rabe and Mrs. W.H. Wallace Jr. won prizes for the funniest costumes.

Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Schwartzentruber and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maust, Pigeon, left Thursday for a four-week visit to points in Ohio and Indiana.

Great peach sale Saturday at Black's Store, Pigeon. Two bushels, fancy, for canning, \$3.98.

Pigeon, Tourist Club had their first social meeting Tuesday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Dondineau. On the program were Mrs. Walter Kramp and Mrs. Loren Bates.

Dr. and Mrs. P.L. Fritz, Pigeon, entertained the 500 Club Monday evening and it was also their 15th wedding anniversary.

50 YEARS AGO OCT. 5, 1934

Theodore J. Schmuck, 48, Elkton furniture dealer and undertaker, died Friday following an automobile accident. He leaves his wife and one son.

Miss Gladys Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith, Pigeon and Chester Louks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Louks, Harbor Beach, were married

Sept. 29 at the bride's home. Mose Braun was elected president of Pigeon PTA to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of B.W. Pocock.

Prof. William Lyon Phelps preached his last sermon of the summer series Sunday afternoon at Huron City Methodist Episcopal Church. He will begin a weekly series of radio broadcasts from New York at 8 p.m. Saturdays.

Joseph Roberts has returned to Elkton from a trip to the Century of Progress Fair at Chicago.

Neil Campbell and Glenn Bedford have rented the repair garage at Elkton from Cecil Watterworth.

40 YEARS AGO OCT. 6, 1944

Alfred E. Smith, 70, four times governor of New York state and 1928 Democratic presidential candidate, died Oct. 4 in New York.

Mrs. Thomas Harris, 68, nee Sheufelt, Brookfield Twp., died Thursday. Her husband survives her; also a sister, brother and nephew.

School will be closed Thursday and Friday so teachers may attend the regional MEA conference in Flint.

About 1,000 German war prisoners, to be used for harvesting sugar beets in Saginaw and neighboring counties, will arrive about Oct. 8 at camps to be located at the tri-city airport, near Freeland and near Caro, according to army officials.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maxwell, Chandler Twp., received word from the War Dept., that their son, Earl Maxwell, was slightly wounded Sept. 15 somewhere in France.

Supervisor Walter S. Leppek, Paris Twp., received word that his son, Pfc. Walter D. Leppek, 22, had been killed in action in France on July 25.

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30 YEARS AGO OCT. 8, 1954

Charles F. Harbottle, 86, died at his home in Pigeon.

Lakers, was named homecoming king.

Jim Swartzendruber, club service chr. of Pigeon Rotary Club, presented village clerk Eleanor Adams with a check for \$1,136, profit from the club's steer raffle, to be used for village recreational projects.

Mrs. Dale Schember and Mrs. Leon Kretzschmer are co-chairmen for the Pigeon Elementary School's PTA Carnival, Nov. 9. Joe Maust, Jr. is chairman for prizes.

Mary Hoy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hoy, was chosen Caseville's homecoming queen. Her court includes Sharon Farver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Farver; Laurie Pedler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pedler; Sherry Leach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leach; Marianne Fitzpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fitzpatrick and Kim Nevins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nevins.

Lori Murow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Murow, Bay Port, graduated as a dental assistant from Delta College.

20 YEARS AGO OCT. 8, 1964

Carl Peets, 60, died Oct. 1. He operated a party fishing boat out of Caseville and Bay Port for several years. He is survived by his widow, his mother and one step-daughter.

Sandee Licht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Licht, Elkton, was named homecoming queen at Laker High School at the football game Friday night.

Members of her court are Melva Elenbaum, Linda Thiel, Carole McBride, Kathy Crannell and Sally Mzyk. In the football game, Marlette defeated the Lakers 33 to 6.

Harold and Lillian Gremel Jr., Brookfield Twp., were named Michigan's outstanding young dairy couple for 1964 in a statewide contest sponsored by Michigan Milk Producers Assn. They have four children.

New members of Pigeon Rotary Club are Ted Leipprandt, Jr., Dr. Willard Haist and James Hartman.

Officers elected for the Elkton Area CROP Drive are Rev. Morris Bauman, Max McKenzie, Keith Carr and Rev. Donald Severance.

Tami Elenbaum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherl (Jake) Elenbaum, Sebawaing, was named 1974 homecoming queen for Laker High School. Members of her court are Marian Gettel, Gayle Brudrick, Joyce Thiel and Jill Wiese. Senior Jim Brown, tackle for the

The Huron County Health Department will hold regular Tuesday immunization clinics on Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 from 9 to 11 a.m. and from 1 to 4 p.m.

Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian, and parents are asked to bring the child's immunization records.

TB Testing is also available each Tuesday from 8:30 to 10 a.m. There is a charge for persons receiving a TB Test as an initial or periodic employment requirement. No fee will be charged to any persons believed to have been in contact with someone with TB.

October clinic dates set

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Area obituaries reported

WILLADEAN HOCKIN 1931 - 1984

Willadean Hockin, age 53 of Pigeon, formerly of Cheboygan, passed away Friday, Sept. 21 at Huron Memorial Hospital near Bad Axe.

She was born Jan. 29, 1931 in Arkansas, daughter of Wilma (Westbrook) Strayhorn and the late Alex Strayhorn. On March 30, 1951, she was united in marriage to Donavon J. Hockin in Detroit.

Mrs. Hockin is survived by her husband, Donavon J.; two sons, Gary A. Hockin and David L. Hockin, both of Caseville; her mother, Mrs. Wilma Strayhorn, Searcy, Ark.; three grandchildren; one brother, Wilburn Strayhorn, Searcy, Ark. one sister, Mrs. Eugene (Geneva) Haley, Judsonia, Ark., and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, Sept. 23 at 2 p.m., from Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. Brent McCumons, pastor of Caseville United Methodist Church, will officiate, with burial in Caseville Cemetery.

THUMB AREA DEATHS

- Ethel Knack, 84, of San Diego, Calif., with relatives in Caro, passed away Sept. 10.
- Mary Gonyon, 82, of Cass City, passed away Sept. 14.
- Rudolph A. Schulte, 57, of Harbor Beach, passed away Sept. 14.
- Cecilia Dinsmore, 80, of Fairgrove, passed away Sept. 15.
- Maurice J. Stein, 71, of Munger, with relatives in Caro, passed away Sept. 15.
- Ward G. Hodge, 88, of Brown City, with relatives in Caseville, passed away Sept. 17.
- Rev. Herbert E. Ryan, 74, of Sebawaing, passed away Sept. 17.
- Willis Harter, 74, of Minden City, passed away Sept. 17.
- Fera Silvernail, 79, of Cass City, passed away Sept. 17.
- Ira G. Robinson, 90, of Bad Axe, passed away Sept. 18.
- Elmer L. Mitchell, 74, of Sebawaing, passed away Sept. 19.
- John L. Carr, 86, of Bad Axe, passed away Sept. 19.
- Patricia I. Braun, 27, of Filon, passed away Sept. 20.

Scenic news

The women of Scenic Golf and Country Club played "Blind Holes" as the event of the day. Winners in each flight were Edna Dutcher, Shirley Seelbinder, Virginia Pacific and Florence Caravallah. Verda Dast and Jan Garety each had a chip-in and Bertha Egey registered a birdie.

There were five tables of bridge in play during the afternoon. Prizes went to Hunter, June Duprey, Vi Hunter, Fran Dunford, Hazel Osterhoudt and Ruth Steller.

The organized activities for the Womens' Division come to an end with the end of September. The golf course remains open and the ladies will continue to play as the weather permits.

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Caseville couple marries

Deirdra Marie Dubey, Caseville and Robert Steven Pittman, Caseville, were united in marriage Aug. 18 in an afternoon double-ring ceremony at St. Roch's Catholic Church, Caseville by Father Ted LaMarre.

The bride is the daughter of John and Beverly Dubey of Caseville. The groom is the son of Guy and Faye Pittman of Caseville.

Music selections included "God is Real," "I Could Never Promise You," "The Gift of Love" and "The Wedding Song," played by organist Robert Haas and sung by Sherry Leipprandt and Karen Gardner.

The altar was decorated with candelabras with white bows and a unity candle set in an arrangement of white silk daisies and blue lilies for the couple to light.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white gown made of chantilly-type lace with schiffli embroidery on the bodice and high neckline, long sheer sleeves and a full skirt falling from the fitted waistline. It had tiers of lace and luster sheer ruffles cascading to the hemline and encircling the heart-shaped train. Her waltz-length veil was secured to a wreath made of silk flowers and pearls. She carried a cascading bouquet of white silk gardenias accented with small blue Peruvian lilies.

Sheryle Armbruster, Royal Oak, sister of the groom and Dana Willenberg, Caseville, cousin of the bride, were the matrons of honor. They wore floor-length blue chiffon over taffeta gowns, with a bib-bodice, flounce-trimmed scooped back neckline with a flared skirt. They carried cascading bouquets of white silk daisies and blue Peruvian lilies.

Bridesmaids were Jennifer Wurst, Big Rapids, June Kretzschmer, Caseville, friends of the bride and Rebecca Dubey, Caseville, sister of the bride. Their gowns and bouquets were identical to the matrons of honor's.

The flower girl was Jessica Willenberg, Caseville, cousin of the bride. She wore a long white, eyelet dress trimmed in blue satin ribbon. (The bride wore this dress in a wedding when she was two years old.) Jessica carried a basket of white daisies and blue lilies.

Best man was Wally Wozniak, Romulus, friend of the groom. Groomsman were Ben Willenberg, Caseville, cousin of the bride, Paul DeRose, Lansing, Kirk McCormick, Caseville, friends of the groom and Chris Willenberg, Morrilton, Ark., cousin of the bride.

The ringbearer was Cole Bingham, Caseville, friend of the couple. The ushers were Ricky Dubey, Caseville, brother of the bride and Michael Landru, Warren, cousin of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a suede rose floor-length gown of chiffon with a corsage of white silk gardenias with a deep red tea rose.

The groom's mother wore a floor-length gown of misty mauve with a corsage of white silk gardenias and pink orchids.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Sebawaing Sportsman's Club with 300 guests attending.

The bride is a graduate of Caseville High School and is



Miss Tina Marie Bernhardt of Grand Island, N.Y., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Bernhardt, Elkton, was honored at a bridal shower at her home on Saturday, Sept. 15, hosted by Linda Lou Bernhardt and Doris Bernhardt.

The 29 guests played games and prizes were awarded. Katie MacAlpine won the door prize. After opening gifts, a luncheon was served. Tina's mother made the shower cake.

Out-of-town guests were from Minnesota, Saginaw, Owendale, Caro, Akron, Sebawaing, Lansing, Cass City and Pigeon.

Tina Marie will become the bride of Gregory Brill in New York on Oct. 20.

It's a boy!

A son, Tristan David, was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Willard of Pinconning on Sept. 7, weighing 7 lbs. 2 oz. and measuring 20 inches long.

Mrs. Willard is the former Karen Maust of Bay Port. Grandparents are Arthur and Marjorie Maust of Bay Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pittman

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Lubeski - Vollmer married

Miss Jenny Vollmer of Pigeon and Darren Lubeski of Bad Axe were united in marriage on Aug. 25 on Saturday, Aug. 25 at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon.

Fr. Ben Skeriva officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Audrey and David Vollmer of Pigeon and the groom is the son of Virginia and Harvey Lubeski of Bad Axe.

Music selections included "Prayer of St. Francis."

"Endless Love," "The Wedding Song" and "Trumpet Voluntary."

Organist was Julie Wolfram of Pigeon and vocalists were Janice Buerker and Dr. George Mayol, both of Pigeon.

The church was decorated with vases of white gladioli, vebrum lilies, alstroemeria and white chrysanthums. A unity candle surrounded with matching flowers was centered on the altar. White and pink bridal satin bows accompanied by foliage pew

arrangements were used to decorate the main aisle.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white paper taffeta with a chapel train, fitted bodice trimmed with white fabric cabbage roses, short puffed sleeves and a V-neck.

With it, she wore a hat trimmed with venice lace and seed pearls and the brim was accented with white paper taffeta and waltz-length veiling of white bridal illusion.

The bride's bouquet was a luxurious arrangement of bridal pink roses and stephanotis, vebrum lilies and sprengeri greens. Bridal pink roses and stephanotis highlighted the color of the lilies and accented the cascading blossoms.

Becky Vollmer, Lansing, sister of the bride, was the maid-of-honor and Kathy Braman, Bay City, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor. They each wore an ankle-length strapless gown of white chantilly lace over a light aqua taffeta bodice with a lace peplum over a light aqua taffeta skirt. Puffed matching gauntlets were also worn. They each wore a white hat with a ribbon rose in the back as an accent.

The honor attendants carried matching cascades of vebrum lilies nestled in streamers of sprengeri greens. Alstroemeria and stephanotis were sprinkled through their bouquets. White picot streamers were featured with forget-me-nots tumbling from the bouquets.

Bridesmaids were Candee Watrobka, Indianapolis, Ind., sister of the bride, Lori Wisenbaugh, Caseville, friend of the bride, Debbie Mausolf, Cass City, sister of

the groom and Connie Gunden, Pigeon, friend of the bride. Their dresses were identical to the honor attendants, except in shades of medium aqua and dark aqua. They carried similar bouquets with pink and white streamers highlighting the flowers. Their hats were identical, but in different shades of aqua.

Flowergirl was Robin Vollmer of Pigeon, cousin of the bride, wearing a matching dress of medium aqua, with a headband of lace and ribbon roses. Her flowers were a petite version of the attendants' bouquet.

Steve Butch, Bad Axe, cousin of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Bushey, Caseville, friend of the groom; Joe Watrobka, Indianapolis, brother-in-law of the bride; Todd Wisenbaugh, Caseville, friend of the groom; Corey Vollmer, Pigeon, cousin of the bride and Scott Vollmer, Pigeon, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Todd Dubey, Elkton, friend of the groom and Dan Lubeski, Bad Axe, brother of the groom.

Ringbearer was Jeff Mausolf, Cass City, nephew of the groom.

The bride's mother wore a long mauve gown with a lace bodice and a gardenia and alstroemeria corsage accented in shades of mauve.

The groom's mother wore a white lace and a gardenia and alstroemeria corsage with accents of ivory.

Attending the guest book were Judy and Roger Vollmer of Pigeon, cousins of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a reception was conducted at The Colony House for 300 guests.

After a two-week honeymoon to Hawaii and California, the couple will reside in Caseville.

Couple married 50 years



Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Nasotti

Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Nasotti (Nec: Marie) were married 50 years ago in St. Clare Montifales Church on Whittier Lake, Grosse Pte. Park on Sept. 8, 1934.

They were honored with a party hosted by their three daughters, Marie Therse, Louise Eve and Frances Clare, all married. They have five grandchildren, plus two by marriage, and a great-grandchild.

Engagement announced



Wilson - Ehrlich

Jeannine Nenette Wilson of Elkton and Richard Ehrlich of Gagetown have announced their engagement.

A fourth grade teacher at Pigeon Elementary School, she is the daughter of James Wilson of Elkton and the late Lila Wilson. Her fiancé, employed at Active Industries, Elkton, is the son of C.J. Ehrlich, formerly of Gagetown and the late Lucille Ehrlich.

A June 29, 1985 wedding is being planned.

Local florist appointed to post

Marianne Dast of Flowers by Marianne, Pigeon, has been appointed District Representative for Florists' Transworld Delivery Association (FTD), the world's oldest and largest inter-city flowers-by-wire delivery organization.

As District Representative, she will handle FTD membership applications from area florists and promote FTD business between those florists who meet the Association's standards of membership.

Dast was nominated to the position by local FTD members, and was officially appointed to the two-year term of office by FTD President Curtis W. Lang during the Association's national convention held recently in Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Mental Health group meets

The regular monthly meeting of the Huron County Community Mental Health Services ACT 258 Board will be held Wednesday, Oct. 3 at 7:30 p.m. in the Mental Health Offices at 1108 S. Van Dyke, Bad Axe.

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Remillard - Walker unite in marriage

A candlelight service was the setting for the double-ring ceremony uniting Melanie Louise Walker, Pigeon and Mark Alan Remillard, Lansing, on Aug. 25. Officiating at the ceremony was Rev. Joel Fiscus, assisted by Rev. Donald Remillard.

The altar of the First Presbyterian Church of Bad Axe was illuminated by a flower ringed Unity Candle

flanked by tall twin candelabras decorated with white carnations and lilies, with miniature pastel flowers, green ferns and white bows, to follow the theme of the wedding... a pastel rainbow.

The bride is the daughter of Elizabeth B. Walker, Pigeon, and Melvyn Walker, Pontiac. The groom is the son of Donald and Beverly Remillard, Traverse City.



Mr. and Mrs. Mark Remillard

Rev. Remillard is the former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Bad Axe.

Music selections included, "The Wedding Song," sung by Kris Elenbaum, Elkton; "Lady," sung by Denis Walker, Pigeon, brother of the bride and "You and I," a duet by Kris and Denis. Prelude selections by pianist Andrew Remillard, Chicago, brother of the groom, were "LaCampella," "Sonata," and "June" with "The Great Gate of Kiev" as the recessional selection.

The bride wore a "Cinderella-styled" gown with a chapel-length train, fashioned of light satin with an overlay of organza and chantilly lace. The gown featured a sweetheart neckline with bouffant sleeves and a full draped skirt that was accented with satin roses and tiny pink bows over lace ruffles. Her veil of organza, edged with fine lace, extended from the back of her floral head wreath of baby's breath and miniature pastel flowers. She carried a cascading bouquet of white roses, carnations and lilies infiltrated with baby's breath, pastel flowers and ribbons and surrounded by spring green ferns. Her gown was styled and made by her mother.

Miss Lynn Remillard, Traverse City, sister of the groom, was maid of honor. She wore a pale yellow A-line gown with an overlay of matching lace material fashioned with a draped bodice. She carried a lace fan covered with a spray of baby's breath, pastel flowers and ribbon streamers. A miniature spray of baby's breath and flowers was worn in her hair.

The bridesmaids, Mrs. Kris Elenbaum, adorned in mist green, and Miss Sheryl Catenacci in aquamarine, are friends of the bride. Their gowns, hairpieces and fans were styled the same as the maid of honor's.

Flowergirl Miss Hilarie Mosey, Bad Axe, niece of the bride, wore a pink gown fashioned to match the bride's with accents of pink roses and tiny white bows. She carried a basket of mixed pastel flowers and pink carnations.

The groom was attired in white with all the other male members of the wedding party in gray with pastel-colored shirts and matching boutonnières.

Bill Hoffman, Bad Axe, friend of the groom, was best man. The groomsmen were Mike Lane, Kinde and Mike McMullen, Bad Axe, both friends of the groom. The ringbearer was Matthew Stroud, nephew of the bride. The ushers were Steve Remillard, Traverse City, brother of the groom and Keith Walker, Elkton, brother of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a sheath gown of mist green with a matching lace jacket, complemented with a corsage of white lilies, baby's breath and pastel flowers. The groom's mother wore a long-sleeved, full-skirted mauve gown with a corsage matching the bride's mother's.

Following the ceremony, a reception attended by approximately 300 guests was conducted at the Farm Bureau Building, Bad Axe, where wedding melodies were played by pianist Mrs. Jadonna Trout, Bad Axe.

Guests attended from different areas of Michigan as well as Illinois.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Laker High School and a 1983 graduate of the Licensed Practical Nursing Program at St. Clair County Community College.

The groom is a 1982 graduate of Bad Axe High School and is presently attending Michigan State University, with a major in accounting.

The couple will be residing in Lansing.

25 years of marriage marked with open house



Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rouse

Larry and Lois Haley Rouse were married in Bay City by Judge Raphael Phillips on Sept. 25, 1959.

Their attendants were Robert Allen, Orchard Lake and Judy Haley Milton of Pigeon.

They have four daughters, Mrs. Randy (Valerie) Graves, Elkton; Mrs. Kenneth (Tamara) Trullinger, Big Rapids; Lynn Rouse, Elkton and Mrs. Elmer (Tina) Simons of Fort Sills, Okla. and four grandsons, Ryan Graves, Kent; Kenny Trullinger and Anthony Simons.

A 25th wedding anniversary open house will be conducted for Larry and Lois Rouse on Sunday, Sept. 30 from 1 to 5 p.m. at their home located at 55 Barbara St., Elkton. Friends and relatives are welcome.

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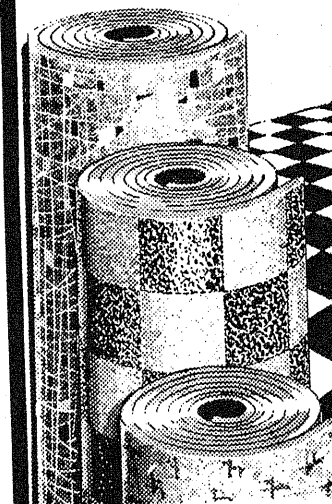
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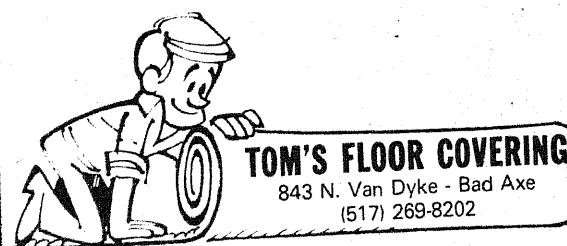


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Area schools who sent their high school bands to the Laker Homecoming Parade are to be commended on their neighborliness. It's unfortunate that Bad Axe High School decided not to take part. That shows a contrast with Laker's theme of "25 Years of Class."

As a former Laker student, I was very disappointed I didn't see each year's honor students' recollections as the years have gone by. I think they're more a part of Laker memories than any kind of royalty. It's too bad some people don't put things in perspective. To us, it would have been much more exhilarating to see the achievements of our top two students each year than someone picked in a popularity contest.

I would like to know if there's a need for used magazines. I don't like to burn perfectly good magazines. If there's such a need, please leave your number with SOUND-OFF. Thank you.

To the taxpayer from Bay Port who complained about no shuttle bus: Don't complain, that doesn't help. Just remember this, when there's another millage election.

"Three cheers" for the Laker Junior High Band. You were great in Saturday's parade. We appreciate your loyalty, after being denied your summer band rehearsals and want you to know you were missed in the Elktion "Old Fashion Days" parade and Pigeon's "Farmers' Festival" parade.

We hope last year's cut in our band program will be restored immediately, before more of our high school band members quit in discouragement. Both bands have been good representatives for our school and communities in the past and deserve fairer treatment than they've received last year and this.

In answer to the woman who complained about the loud noises made over Pigeon and Elktion by the U.S. Air Force, doesn't she know those noises are the sounds of freedom? What would she do without them? Would she rather have enemy planes flying around up there? Signed, one who appreciates our Air Force.

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Pigeon District Library

PARENTS COFFEE HOUR

Once a month during Preschool Story Hour, the library holds a Parents Coffee Hour with a different guest speaker featured each month speaking on a topic of interest to adults. While the children attend Story Hour, parents may relax with a cup of coffee and sit in on the program.

The first Coffee Hour is planned for Oct. 11 from 9 to 10 a.m. and again at 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. with Wanda Eichler speaking on "The Story of the Thousand Paper Cranes," which is about a young Japanese girl and the art of Origami (folding paper into flower, bird or animal shapes). A hands-on Origami craft will also be presented for all parents attending.

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR

Preschool Story Hour on Tuesday, Oct. 2 will feature stories about insects. "I Can't, Said the Ant," "The Grouchy Ladybug" and "Our Caterpillars" are stories that Jane Himmel and Peggy Karl will read to the children.

Activities planned for the 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. sessions will include Eency Weency Spider and Fuzzy Wuzzy Caterpillar fingerplays, Ladybird Beetle flannelgraph, songs and games. The children are invited to bring a "Show and Tell" item to share with the class as it is the first Tuesday of the month.

All area preschoolers between the ages of three and five are invited. Registration is required.

WPLC MEETING ATTENDED

The White Pine Library Cooperative's Sept. 12 meeting was held at the Zavel Memorial Library in Saginaw and attended by Librarians Roberta Richmond and Nancy Swartzen-

druber from the Pigeon District Library, along with 28 other librarians from the cooperative.

The morning began with a presentation of the Delta College Telecourse by Coordinator Judy Thompson and Director Karen MacArthur. Telecourse is a program designed for persons to obtain college credits by viewing scheduled TV programs in their own homes on Channel 19 and using a purchased textbook and study guide. Students would be expected to make only five or six trips to the campus in a semester, compared to 32 to 48 for a three credit hour course on campus. Brochures are available at the library listing courses available, tuition fee and registration forms for interested persons. An exhibit will also be placed in the library in the near future for a two-week period. Watch the paper for specific dates.

Cooperative Director Sue Hill led the mid-morning discussion of circulation and registration procedures and techniques. Librarians were invited to share their ideas of handling various problems.

NEW BOOKS

Adult Fiction
"Wild Spenders" by Diana Davenport, "Voice in the Dark" by Velda Johnston, "Possessions" by Judith Michael, "The Fourth Protocol" by Frederick Forsyth, "Tough Guys Don't Dance" by Norman Mailer and "Family Money" by Doris Shannon.

Junior Adult
"Almost Like Sisters" by Betty Cavanna, "Russia, A History to 1917" by Abraham Resnick, "Digging Up Dinosaurs" by Aiki, "The World of Beatrix Potter" by Beatrix Potter.

Adult Non-Fiction
"Castles on the Rhine" by Dr. Eugen Hoellerbach, "What Every Woman Ought to Know About Love & Marriage" by Dr. Joyce Brothers, "Children's Dishes" by Margaret Whit-

myer, "Antique & Collectible Marbles" by Everett Grist, "Mich-Again's Day" by Gary W. Barfknecht, "Michigan Political Atlas" by Richard E. Groop.

Scheurer Hospital Notes

Patients in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, on Monday, Sept. 24:

PIGEON: Scott Sturm, Todd Donald Brown, LaVere Killinger, Mrs. Jeffrey (Lori) Davidson.

UNIONVILLE: Emil Nasl.

CASEVILLE: Dale Briesmeister, Mrs. John (Agnes) DiVincentis.

KINDE: Mrs. Richard (Margaret) Champagne.

SEBEWAING: Mrs. Alberta Gruehn, Mrs. Martha Beck, Mrs. Hazen (Arlene) Fritz.

BAD AXE: Don S. Smith.

ELKTON: Mrs. Gary (Carol) Kligus, Thomas Babiszewski.

PORT AUSTIN: Edward Pasutin.

SAGINAW: Mrs. Joseph (Elaine) Schrems.

Lake-Chandler

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuhl were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Booth and sons David, Timothy and Matthew of Alma. Other Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Booth, Pigeon, Paul Allan and Corrine Booth of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McBride and children Gretchen and Garrett spent the weekend with her mother, Helen Weber of Pontiac.

Weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo McIlhargie were Mr. and Mrs. Craig Brown and son Cullen of Grand Blanc, Cyril McIlhargie of Cleveland, Ohio, Pam McIlhargie of Saginaw, Kevin McIlhargie of CMU was a Saturday guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McBride and Dr. and Mrs. Allan Beach were recent guests of Pat Lucas of Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McBride, Pat Lucas and Mary McBride were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mrs. R. Weir of Oak Beach.

Beginning square dance class set

The Cass City Community Education Department has announced the formation of a Beginning Square Dance Class on Tuesdays, beginning Oct. 2 from 7 to 9 p.m. in Campbell Elementary gymnasium.

The class will be offered in two sessions, each 12 weeks in length.

This popular series of modern square dancing lessons will be taught by Finn Burk, an experienced caller. To register, call the Cass City Community Education Office at 872-4151 between 8:30 a.m. and 9:30 p.m. Deadline for registration is Tuesday, Sept. 25.



Laker memories!



TOP LEFT, Several kids find an unobstructed view at Pigeon's main intersection while the Laker Junior High band performs in the homecoming parade on Saturday morning.

TOP RIGHT, Current Laker Superintendent Harry Brunet flashes the "L" as former superintendent James Matson looks on.

MIDDLE LEFT, alumni teachers are all smiles for former pupils lining the parade route. MIDDLE RIGHT, a revolving likeness of the famous "Big Boy" highlighted the winning float designed and constructed by the Laker High senior class.

AT RIGHT, the Laker Alumni Band members and majorettes proudly step along the parade route as they are led by former band leader Robert Story. Many observers commented on the high quality of the performance of the former high school musicians.

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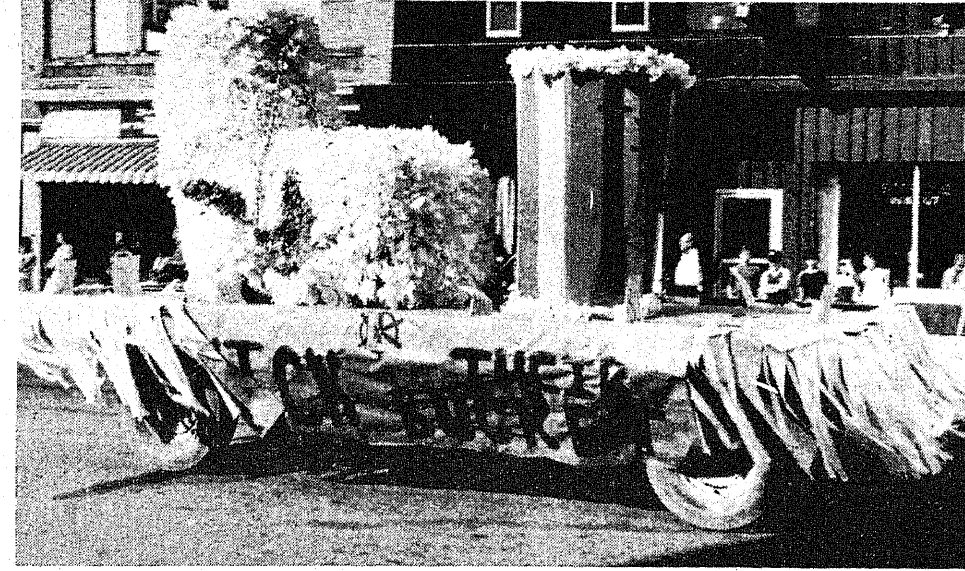
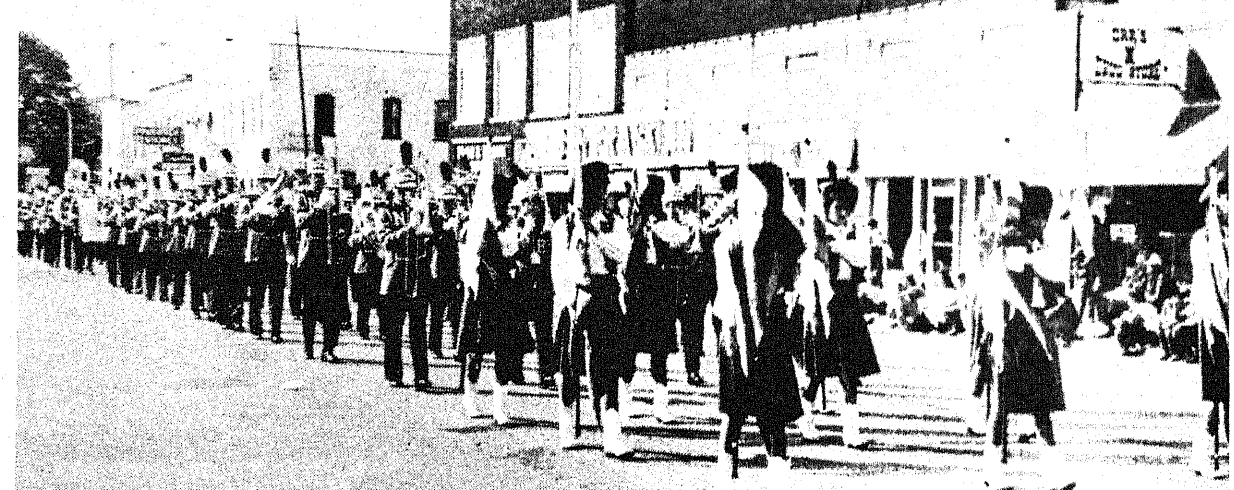
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TOP LEFT, Laker Alumni cheerleaders shake their pompons for thousands of homecoming parade spectators. TOP LEFT, Current Laker High principal Jim Ballard at left and former principal Duane Guenther greet former students. MIDDLE LEFT, Former Laker High principals Ed Wolford, left, and Orville Snider share a chuckle during the parade. MIDDLE RIGHT, One of a dozen high school bands in the parade, the Marching Broncos of North Branch High was a popular addition to the event. BOTTOM LEFT, parade spectators got a "kick" out of the second place float created by the sophomores. BOTTOM LEFT, Pigeon Chamber of Commerce President John Walsh, left, presents the \$100 check to Dave McCormick of McCormick Motors for first place in the scarecrow contest. Salesman Dale Wertz, right, helped other McCormick employees to construct the winning entry.

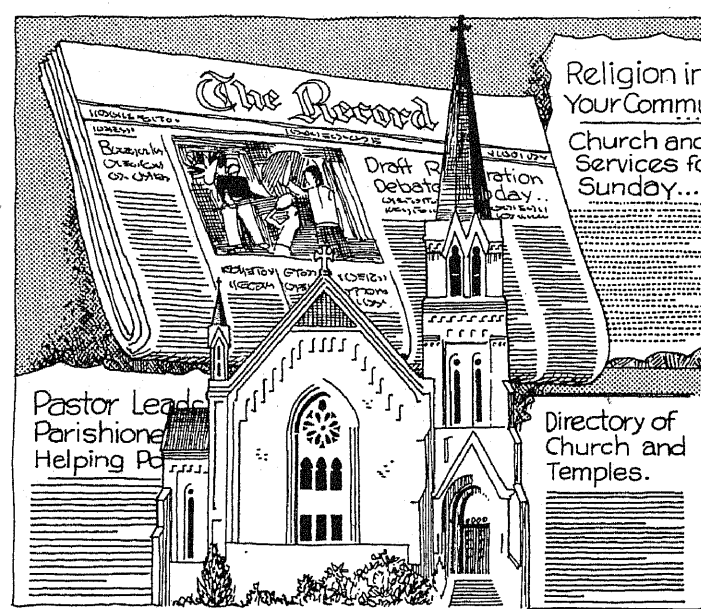
TOP LEFT, Representatives of each year's Laker football squad pass the ceremonial torch along the line prior to igniting the huge bonfire at Friday night's pep rally. TOP RIGHT, Old Fashion garb worn by Berne Enterprises employees Pat Purcell (seated), Linda Beyer and Norm Kuhl reflect the tone of the weekend as they help celebrate Beyer's birthday and Laker's 25th Anniversary. MIDDLE LEFT, two generations of Laker musicians are represented by, from left, Chris Wurst - class of '87 and his mother Janice Wurst - class of '63, Floris Wertz - class of '64 and her son, Bryan - class of '87. MIDDLE RIGHT, the class of 1966 pauses to reminisce as they march in the homecoming parade. In many instances, parade spectators left the crowd to join former classmates in entries by past Laker graduating classes. ABOVE, the Dutch Kettle Restaurant placed second in the scarecrow contest and its window decorations were also named outstanding by judges Dorothy Sting, Eleanor Trost and Ervin Haley. AT RIGHT, Proud parents Bob and Selma Theil flank 1984 Laker Homecoming Queen Mary Thiel. FAR RIGHT, 1983 Queen Melissa Bivens crowns a happy Queen Mary Theil during halftime of the homecoming football game.

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Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
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Morning Service 10:30 a.m.
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Wednesday Mid-week Service 7 p.m.</p> <p>BAY PORT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Rev. Randy Chamberlin
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Rev. Robert Kersten
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Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.</p> <p>HORSESHOE ACRES CALVARY CHURCH, BAD AXE
Rev. Stewart L. Justin
Sunday School 10 a.m.
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Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.</p> <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT
Elder Ervin Haley
Church School 9 a.m.
Church Service 10 a.m.</p> <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE
Pastor Ronald R. Kuenzli
Early Worship 10 a.m.
Church School 10:10 a.m.
Preaching Service 11 a.m.</p> <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, CASEVILLE
Elder Olson McCallum
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Preaching Service 11 a.m.</p> <p>ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SAND POINT
Fr. James Sorenson
Sunday School 9 a.m.</p> <p>ST. JOHN'S BY-THE-LAKE EPISCOPAL, PORT AUSTIN
Vicar-Fr. Elam Peckford
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES BAD AXE
Sunday 10 a.m. Public Bible Discourse 11 a.m. Congregational study of "The Watchtower"</p> <p>ELKTON MISSIONARY CHURCH
Rev. Alan Yerke
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Worship Hour 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday 8 p.m. Adult Bible Study</p> <p>ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP, 856-4949
Pastor James S. Miller
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Rev. Wayne J. Keim
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Prayer meeting
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.</p> | <p>MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE CHURCH, PIGEON
Don Patterson, Pastor
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH
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Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
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Rev. Robert D. Pfaff
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Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m.</p> <p>ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LINKVILLE
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Rev. Ray R. Ohlendorf
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BERNE
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Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Holy Communion on the First Sunday of the Month</p> <p>NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Jonathan Stern
Holy Communion First Sunday of the Month
Sunday Service 9 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.</p> <p>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
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Rev. Edward J. Arle, Assoc. Pastor
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Sunday Worship 8 and 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON
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Raymond E. Orth, Pastor
Worship 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. Eric A. Lambert
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Communion first and third Sunday</p> <p>HURON BIBLE CHURCH
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Pastor Mike Frazho
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.</p> |
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Elkton couple speak vows

Miss Brenda Krohn and Thomas Wichert, both of Elkton, were united in marriage on Saturday, Aug. 18 at the Elkton United Methodist Church.

The Rev. Ronald Iris, Elkton, and Rev. Richard McCool, Saginaw, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Krohn of Elkton and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alford Wichert of Bay Port.

She was escorted to the church by her grandfather and her parents in her grandfather's 1926 Dodge.

Music selections included "The Wedding Song," "You and I" and "Lord Give Them This Day." Organist was Debi Ackerman and vocalists were Dale and Debi Ackerman.

Spiral candelabra decorated in shades of lavender and white were placed on either side of the Communion table. A unity candle arrangement of lavender carnations, white mums and violets was centered on the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white dactron organza gown with a high lace neckline, elbow-length sheer sleeves with a chantilly lace border and a bodice trimmed with silk venise motifs and beaded chantilly lace. The skirt was trimmed with chantilly lace at the hemline and a ruffled bask falling from the dropped waistline into the semi-cathedral train.

The chantilly lace up-sweep had attached silk flowers and waist-length netting.

Puffs of gypsophilia formed the background of the bride's bouquet. The softly cascading arrangement consisted of bridal white roses, lavender mini carnations and forget-me-nots.

Rebecca Krohn, Elkton, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a lavender polygeorgette one-piece dress with a white sheer over blouse, a straight skirt, unpleated short sleeves and a seeded pearl trim bodice. She carried a white parasol decorated with sprengeri and lavender forget-me-nots at the tip. Greens and baby's breath spiraled down the handle and were fastened at the bottom with a detachable wrist corsage.

Bridesmaids were Carolyn Prise, cousin of the bride, Washington D.C. and Julie Ewald, cousin of the bride, Warren. They were attired similarly to the maid of honor and carried identical parasols, with arrangements of white mini carnations, lavender forget-me-nots and silk violets. Hair pieces of lavender mini carnations and forget-me-nots were accented with touches of baby's breath and sprengeri.

Miniature bride was Janelle Krohn, Elkton, niece of the bride, who wore a gown of polyester white lace with an off-the-shoulders neckline, a natural waistline skirt and a ruffled-edged hemline to an apron effect in the back, over the cascading white lace ruffles. Her hat was identical to the bride's and she carried a petite replica of the bride's bouquet.

Robert Thick, Pigeon, friend of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Jim Wichert, Deckerville, brother of the groom and Randy Krohn, Elkton, brother of the bride. Ushers were Jim Wichert, Deckerville and David Krohn, Elkton, brother of the bride. Miniature groom was Ryan

Farver, Elkton, cousin of the groom.

The bride's mother wore a rose poly georgette one-piece street-length dress with a sheer overblouse and straight skirt, unpleated short sleeves and seeded pearl trim on the bodice. She wore a wrist corsage of bridal pink roses, accented by miniature carnations and picot ribbon to match.

The groom's mother wore a toast crepe street-length dress with a fitted bodice and petal skirt, accented with cream colored re-embroidered puffed elbow length sleeves. Matching ribbon at the shoulders and bodice were also highlighted in her wrist corsage, which was similar to that of the bride's mother, in shades of pink and ivory.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Colony House, Cass City, for 475 guests from Elkton, Pigeon, Bay Port, Kinde, Deckerville, Bay City, Saginaw, Detroit, Warren, Mt. Clemens, Bad Axe and Washington D.C.

The bride and groom are both graduates of Laker High School. The bride is employed at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe as a B.S.N. nurse. The groom is employed at Active Industries, Elkton, in the Tool and Die Department.

After a two-week honeymoon to the Hawaiian Islands, the couple will reside at 28 Renn Street, Elkton.



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wichert

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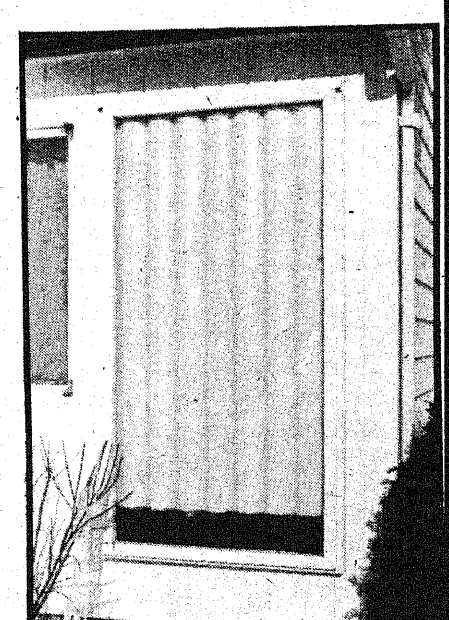
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Weekend seminar set at Pigeon River Church

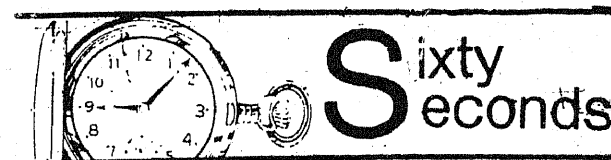
"The Church and Culture" will be the theme of a series of special weekend meetings at Pigeon River Mennonite Church scheduled for Oct. 5-7.

The featured speaker will be Calvin Shenk, head of the Eastern Mennonite College Bible department and also professor at Eastern Mennonite Seminary in Harrisonburg, Virginia. He also has served as a missionary in Ethiopia.

The series will begin at 8 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 5 with

the topic "Culture and the Old Testament." Saturday sessions include: "Culture and the New Testament" at 10:30 a.m., "Culture and Biblical Interpretation" at 1 p.m. and "Culture and Christian Communication" at 8 p.m. Sunday's schedule is "Culture and the Church's Form" at 9:30 a.m. and "Culture and Christian Lifestyle" at 10:30 a.m.

The public is invited to attend these meetings by Pigeon River Pastor Luke Yoder.



'It's Yours, Billy!'

Read Matthew 13:44-52

The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found. Matthew 13:44.

A group of boys and girls attending a religious instruction class, during their play period, cavorted about on the grounds of a little rural church.

Suddenly 12 year old Billy found a crumpled \$20 bill among leaves near a tree. The faded currency had evidently been there a long time.

Excitedly Billy ran to the teacher and exclaimed, "Look what I found!" Observing the boy's openness and honesty, and learning where the money had been found, it took the teacher but a moment to reply, "It's yours, Billy!"

This was an unexpected find. These were Depression Days when \$20 meant much more than today.

His parents were poor and had many mouths to feed. So Billy took the money home with great joy. All took this as a gift of God.

Much more precious than money is the treasure that becomes ours when we found our dear Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ!

Perhaps we found Him in infancy, or later in life. We didn't look for Him, didn't even know that such a Savior existed.

Or we paid little attention to Him when in time of trouble we found Him. His forgiveness, His help.

This treasure was ours to have and to keep. Jesus is our priceless Treasure. For such mercy we forever praise and serve our Lord.

Thank you, Lord, for leading us to find You. Amen.

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sports of the week

Laker's Tiger hunt bags a 28-6 victory

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER
The Laker Green Machine contributed an overwhelming 28-6 victory over the Caro Tigers to Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port High School's 25th Anniversary homecoming celebration.

An estimated crowd of 2,500 spectators saw Lakers blow the game wide open by scoring all 28 Green Machine points in the first half. All four Laker possessions resulted in touchdowns in the first two periods of play.

Dave Wisenbaugh capped Laker's first drive with a 43 yard touchdown scamper at 10:06 of the first quarter. Following the kickoff, the Tigers moved the ball from their own 27-yard-line to midfield, before punting the ball away to the home team. Lakers then consumed seven-and-a-half minutes during an 87-yard drive which was concluded with a Rob Macdowall one-yard TD plunge at 11:05 of the second quarter.

Laker Jeff Caverly stripped a Caro ballcarrier and then pounced on the loose ball a minute later to bring the Green Machine offense back on the field. Lakers capitalized quickly as quarterback Buck LePage connected with tight end Todd Schember on a 34 yard pass to the Caro three-yard-line on the first play after the fumble recovery. Macdowall covered the remaining three yards to score his second touchdown of the day at 9:18 of the second quarter.

After another Caro punt, Lakers started their fourth drive of the first half 77 yards from paydirt. LePage again hooked up with Schember on a 45-yard TD pass with 2:54 remaining before halftime to conclude Laker scoring in the game.

Ed Gentile was perfect on all four of the point-after-touchdown kicks to extend his string to nine successful boots without a miss this year. The Tigers attempted to claw their way back in the game in the second half. On the opening drive of the third quarter, Caro marched 59 yards for a touchdown, assisted by a 15-yard facemask penalty against Lakers. Mike Johnson recorded the lone Tiger touchdown with an 11-yard counter play. A two-point PAT conversion pass fell incomplete.

Two turnovers, in the form of a fumble and an interception, halted Laker drives in the second half. Caro also committed a turnover in the fourth quarter when Laker's Rob Irion picked off a Tiger pass.

LePage completed 5-7 passes for 107 yards, one touchdown and one interception. On the ground, Lakers rushed for 222 yards. Dave Wisenbaugh carried eight times for 93 yards and Rob Macdowall recorded 90 yards on 20 carries.

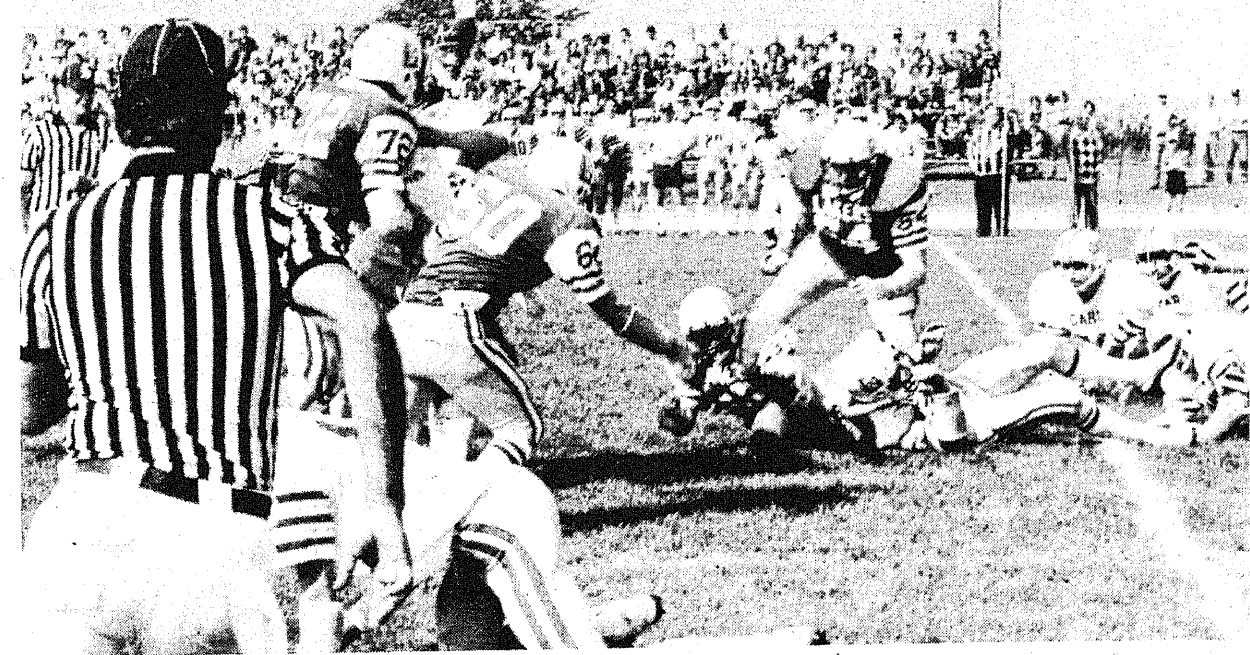
Eric Bushey bolstered the Laker defense with four solo tackles and 16 assists. Fellow defender Jeff Caverly was credited with a pair of solo tackles and 10 assists, while Wisenbaugh grabbed three solo tackles and nine assists.

THIS WEEK: After defeating two top challengers to the Thumb B championship, Lakers can't afford to take a break against Bad Axe this Friday on the Hatchet's home field. "Bad Axe has a more talented team that they've had the past couple years," says Laker Coach Bill McLellan. "They have some good backs and a quarterback who's playing in his third year," he adds in summing up opposition.

Lakers remain undefeated at 3-0, with a perfect 2-0 league record. **JV VICTORY:** In a road victory, the Laker junior varsity blanked Caro, 42-0. Quarterback Craig Haag tossed a 30-yard scoring pass to Randy Fritz and a 37-yard touchdown aerial to Jim Warren.

Pat McArdle rushed for a pair of touchdowns on runs of 29 and two yards. Brad Krohn raced 79 yards to the goal line and Ken Ziel rounded out JV scoring on a 12 TD romp.

Randy Heckman was successful on all six point-after-touchdown kicks. Krohn piled up 129 yards on 15 carries to top JV rushing. In the passing department, Haag was 4-8 for 79 yards. Leading the defense were Al Stalter with six tackles and Steve Pyc with five.



ELUSIVE PIGSKIN: Laker's Jeff Caverly (32) came up with the football after he jarred it loose while tackling a Caro runner. Also scrambling for the pigskin are Lakers Troy Weidman (64), Dave King (60) and Eric Bushey (72).



SCORING SCAMPER: Laker fullback Rob Macdowall picks a hole through the middle of the line and heads for the end zone as Caro's Fred Reynero unsuccessfully attempts to arm-tackle the powerful runner.

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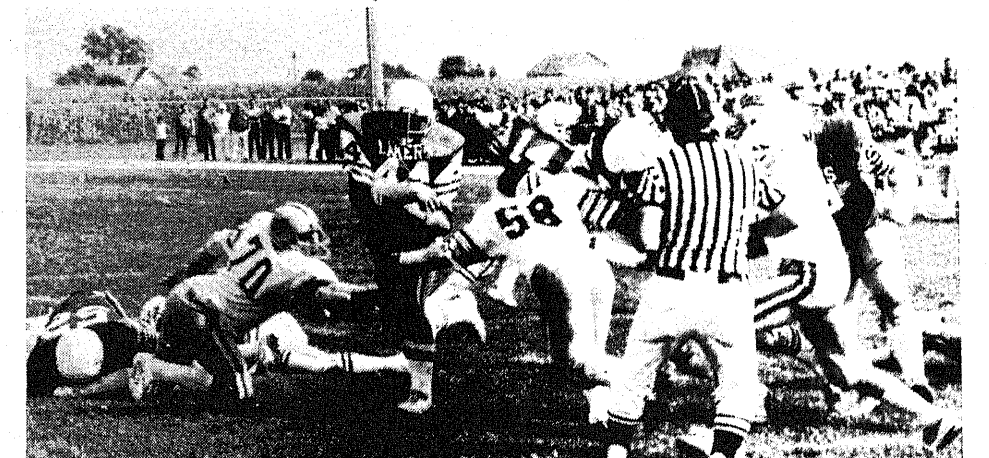
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RULES:

- This game lasts the length of the High School regular season schedule. Weekly prizes are: **FIRST** \$10 in gasoline; **SECOND** 8 pak of pop, and **THIRD** a Laker souvenir. **GRAND PRIZE** are two Detroit Lions game tickets, with grand prize based on most correct picks on the contest.
- To play, place a check or "X" in one box to choose the winner in each game, on the game form published each Wednesday in the Progress-Advance or available at the Village Qwik-Stop or newspaper office. No purchase necessary. Checks in both boxes of each game selection voids that pick. Only one entry per person weekly.
- The tiebreaker is always the Laker (Green Machine) Game. For tiebreaker, you must pick the winner and the score.
- All entries must be submitted to the game box at the Qwik-Stop or Progress-Advance office no later than 6 p.m. each Friday night. Winners will be posted and published each week in The Progress-Advance. Grand Prize points will accumulate during the season, based on total number of correct answers.
- Decision of judges is final. Contestants must be 10 years of age or older.

AND PICK UP OUR SPECIAL OF THE WEEK!



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WEEK OF SEPT. 28, 1984

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REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR GENERAL ELECTION TUESDAY NOVEMBER 6, 1984

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Winsor, County of Huron, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at 7076 Charles St., Pigeon on September 28, 1984; October 2, 1984; October 4, 1984; October 8, 1984.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at my office Tuesday, October 9, 1984 - Last Day during regular office hours the 30th day preceding said election.

For the purposes of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP, CITY or VILLAGE as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

John P. Kohr
Township Clerk
13ch

REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR GENERAL ELECTION TUESDAY NOVEMBER 6, 1984

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of McKinley, County of Huron, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at my home at 6634 Filbin Rd. anyday except Sundays & Legal Holidays.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at my office Tuesday, October 9, 1984 - Last Day during regular office hours the 30th day preceding said election.

For the purposes of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP, CITY or VILLAGE as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

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D. Charles Leipprandt
Township Clerk
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REGISTRATION NOTICE

The Registration Notice for the General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 6, 1984.

To the qualified Electors of the Township of Fairhaven, County of Huron, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at my office on Tuesday, October 9, 1984 the 30th day preceding the Election. This is the last day to register for the General Election at 9890 Lakeside Drive, Bay Port, Michigan, during regular office hours, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Adalene Floeter
Clerk
Fairhaven Township
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NOTICE TO ALL WINSOR TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Oliver Township has submitted its 1983-84 report of the actual expenditures of Federal Revenue Sharing funds to the Bureau of Census.

This report is available for public inspection at 29 S. Main, Pigeon, MI.

Robert Armbruster
Supervisor

Caro desperation shot sinks Lakers

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER
Trailing by one point with seven seconds remaining in the game, a team is forced to foul to stop the clock. After rebounding the unsuccessful free throw, the team brings the ball across the mid-court line and throws up a desperation 30-foot shot that falls through the basket as the buzzer sounds.

That dream of every basketball coach turned into a nightmare for Laker coach Paul Beachy who saw his squad's 12-point lead eclipsed by a Caro 45-44 win in the scenario described above. The Laker ladies built a 38-26 lead with just under five minutes remaining in the game after their slow-starting offense didn't get on the scoreboard until 2:25 of the first quarter.

Caro took an 8-4 first period advantage, but the teams exchanged the lead throughout the second quarter and were deadlocked 18-18 at halftime. The Laker cagers gradually pulled away from the visiting Tigers in the second half until the hosts established the 12-point lead.

It was all downhill from there for Lakers, as they allowed Caro to tighten the score at the foul line with the clock stopped. In a game marred by an abundance of whistles for fouls and turnovers, Lakers Julia Sturm and Chris Steinman were each disqualified with five fouls in the final quarter. Caro's Marcia DeLorenzo also fouled out of the game.

Beth Stockford's 30-foot, winning desperation shot gave her a total of 17 points in the game to pace her Caro teammates. Mary Blakely also added 11 for the Tigers. Shelly Ginter returned to action to lead Laker scoring with 13 points.

After the game, a shocked and disappointed Coach Beachy shook his head and said, "Things like this just seem to happen often to our team," and added, "We didn't show leadership out there with the way we allowed Caro to come back that way."

FROSH UNBEATEN: The Laker freshman squad earned a 30-9 victory over Caro to improve their record to 2-0. Vicki Winter netted 12 points to lead Laker scoring.

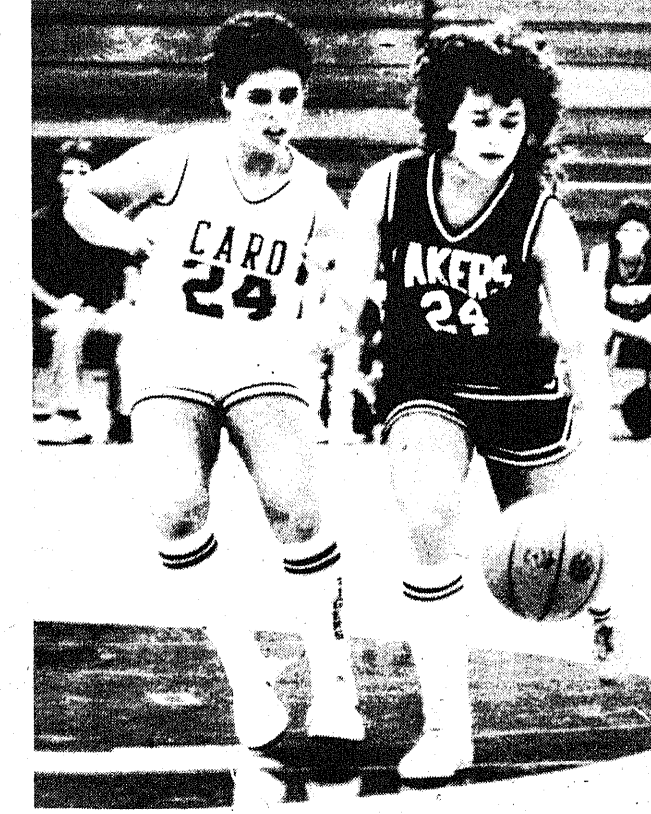
Scheurer seeks recruits
The Annual Support Committee of Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, during its September meeting discussed the recruitment of new committee members and new members for the committee's major activity, the Humanitarian Club.

Chairman Bob Drury said it was the responsibility of the committee at this time to get themselves more involved in various work for the hospital, including Humanitarian Club recruitment.

Hospital Administrator George Desmarais presented a report to the committee concerning changes that had occurred at the hospital since the committee's last meeting. He also briefly covered the hospital's hearing before the HSA Board of Directors in Saginaw concerning Scheurer Hospital's building and renovation project application.

Scheurer Hospital Community Relations Director Frank Francomb presented to the committee an explanation of goals and objectives to be worked on for the coming year.

The next regular meeting of the Annual Support Committee will be Nov. 21 at 5:30 p.m. in the conference room. Any interested individual is invited to attend the meeting.



PRESSING PROBLEM: Laker's Lori Diener dribbles past Caro's Patty Brissette to break the full-court press executed by the Tigers throughout the game.

SURROUNDED: Sue Kohr leaps high to release a shot over a crowd of Tigers as Shelly Wissner (34) and Julia Sturm at right look on.

In the matter of Cheryl Lynn Hallack, Change of Name. TAKE NOTICE: On October 10, 1984 at 9:30 a.m., in the probate courtroom, Bad Axe, Michigan, before Hon. Neil R. MacCallum, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Cheryl Lynn Hallack for change of name to Cheryl Lynn Rowe.

Dated: September 18, 1984.
Cheryl Lynn Hallack
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Pigeon, MI 48755
Phone 856-3503

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Something To Think About

JOHN A. CHAMPAGNE
DIRECTOR

DEATH AND TAXES

Benjamin Franklin was quite a sage. In 1789, he wrote a letter in which he was commenting on the new Constitution which was just beginning to operate. He wrote, "everything appears to promise that it will last; but in this world nothing is certain but death and taxes."

Well, the Constitution is still working and it promises to last, and nobody so far has been able to do anything about death and taxes - except perhaps to postpone the one and to increase the other. Still, it is only human nature to try to resist the inevitable. It's why so many people postpone paying their taxes till the last minute, and why they put off planning for their funerals.

The difference between death and taxes is that we know when the taxes are due. Nobody, not even the most brilliant medical diagnostician can tell us WHEN we will die. That's the reason it's so important to plan for our funerals NOW, while there's still time to do it properly and sensibly.

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REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR GENERAL ELECTION AND TO FILL VANCANCY CAUSED BY RECALL
Tuesday, November 6, 1984

To the qualified electors of all precincts, Township of Caseville, County of Huron, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at my office Tuesday, October 9, 1984 last day, from 8 o'clock a.m. until 5 o'clock p.m. the 30th day preceding said election and on Saturday, October 6, 1984 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. As Provided by Section 498, Act No. 116, Public Acts of 1954 as amended.

For the purposes of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said Township, City or Village as shall properly apply therefor.

The name of no person but and actual resident, of the precinct at the time of registration, and under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

Wallace A. Hart
Caseville Township Clerk

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NOTICE:

A resolution was made & adopted on September 13, 1984 at the regular meeting of the Fairhaven Township Board to raise the price of cemetery graves to \$200 a grave starting on October 9, 1984. The cemetery will also be closed from dusk to dawn.

Adalene Floeter
Clerk of Fairhaven Twsp.

Area club members busy planning upcoming year

CASEVILLE LIBRARY CLUB

The Caseville Library Club met last Tuesday at noon in the Community Room of the Village-Township Hall.

Following the invocation by Viola Hopkins and a sack lunch, dessert and coffee were served by Hostesses Regina Rapson, Peggy Hunt,

Ann Sheer and Florence Schuman.

President June Duprey opened the meeting by leading the 55 members in the Club Collect and Pledge to the Flag. Peg Harrington introduced new members Joyce Bogues, Marion Gardner, Hazel LaBarge, Vivian Papp and Ruth Bouck, who rejoined the club.

The Library Club Year-

book was reviewed by President Duprey and committee reports were given. Jan Garety announced scholarship winners from last year, including Sandra Johnson, Brian Gembariski, Gerald Winkler and Gary Miller from the Caseville School.

Lola Tropea reported that winners of the Caseville Library Club's Raffle during the Sun & Fun Daze in July were Elvise Battane for the quilt and Doris Meyer for the afghan. Lucile Ward attended the district meeting of the Huron County Federation of Womans' Clubs. The club's largest project, the Holly Berry Fair is set for Saturday, Nov. 3 at the Caseville School from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. According to Chairman Charlotte Reeves, the booths are filled but anyone wishing to be placed on the waiting list may contact her.

Gen Kohr announced that a Craft Community meeting is scheduled for Oct. 8 at 1 p.m. in the Community Room. All committee members are urged to attend. Five club members, Mary Keena, Ruby Pennington, Mary Bouwman, Fran Carrier and Mary Phillips will help with the Bloodmobile in Caseville on Dec. 27.

Kay Miller read the proposed budget for 1984-85 which was approved. It includes donations to Caseville School Library, Pigeon District Library, Huron

County Department of Social Services, American Cancer Society, Community Chest, Tom Thumb Nursery, Scheurer Hospital, Community Food Pantry, St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon, Sun & Fun Daze, Chamber of Commerce (Fireworks, Snow Bonanza), Entertainment, Memorials and miscellaneous.

Specials this year will include a luncheon/fashion show in October, a dinner/theater bus trip to Midland in December, a luncheon/card party in January and a 65th anniversary celebration in May.

Special programs will include flower arranging, planning for living/self-awareness, Our Local Hospital, Spice is Nice (cooking), Our Local Library, Color Me Beautiful and Fashion Today.

The next meeting will be Oct. 9 will be guest speaker Teresa A. Sharland-Shineding, director and chief psychiatric social worker of Bay City.

OWENDALE WOMANS' CLUB

Owendale Womans' Club conducted the first meeting of the club year last Monday evening in the United Methodist church basement with a potluck supper.

A candlelight ceremony was conducted for the new slate of officers for the 1984-85 club year. Lighting

the candles were President Pat Enderle, Vice President Kay Erickson, Secretary Jeannette McDonald and Treasurer Bonnie Gaeth. Each officer was presented with a silk yellow corsage in decor of the club color. Table decorations were in keeping with the club colors also.

Eleven members and four guests were in attendance, including Mrs. Linda Roe, Lori Gunden, Mrs. Carol Ellicott and Mrs. Kay Finkbeiner. Hostesses were Mrs. Barbara McCallum and Mrs. Shirley Howard, who presented the door prize to Mrs. Myra Sparks for naming the correct flower (Jonquil).

The ladies planned the activities for the remainder of the year. Mrs. Sparks and Mrs. Arlene Enderle will work on yearbooks to be distributed before the next meeting.

The ladies decided that no reminder phone calls will be made to members unless there is a change in the meeting plans. Club meetings are scheduled the third Monday of each month.

Auction items will be part of the meetings, with each member to take a turn as listed in the yearbook. The club will again sponsor cheeseball sales just before the holidays.

The October meeting will be a "Come As You Are" party with hostess Mrs. Judi Reinhardt. They will contact

each member later with a surprise phone call.

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

There were 62 in attendance when the Elkton Senior Citizens met at the Elkton Civic Center on Tuesday. This included one guest, Dorothy Glefece of Saginaw, daughter of Lena Roberts.

Dr. Wilson gave the table prayer preceding the meal. Ardis and Clayton Gemmill led group singing. The Birthday-Song was sung for Ellen Tait and Edna McDowell.

Get-well cards were signed for William McCarty, Bernice Eidt and Robert Brown, all hospitalized. Fruit, vegetables and flowers, all donated by members, were given to lucky number holders.

Program Chairman Ray English introduced Donna Moody of the Human Development Commission, who spoke on various programs available to senior citizens.

President George Southworth read an announcement of a turkey and ham dinner scheduled at the RLDs Church south of Elkton on Sept. 28.

Mike Tenn will be in charge of the program next week.

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BOWLING

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LADIES LEAGUE

Varty's Inc.	12
Bay Port Shell	10
Henne Farms	7
Huron Excavation	7
Damm's Inc.	6
Miller High Life	5
Cloverleaf Eggs	5
Bay Port Construction	5
Haist Flowers	5
Bay Port State Bank	5
Mary Kay Cosmetics	3
Thumb National Bank	2
High team series and game: Cloverleaf Egg 2296 (833), Bay Port Shell 2193 (781), Thumb National Bank 2181 (767).	
High individual scores: P. Sears 509 (205), J. Blome 500, D. Yahn 497, M. Ropp 189, G. Carpenter 184.	
Five consecutive strikes: P. Sears.	
Splits: 2-7 M. Richmond, M. Ropp, G. Carpenter, D. Bouverette; 3-10 W. Wicket, G. Carpenter, R. Grigg; 4-5 C. Rathje, D. Downing; 5-7 G. Carpenter; 5-10 P. Kuhl; 4-5-7 K. Schuette; 5-6-10 L. Santos; 4-7-10 L. Santos.	

MAJOR LEAGUE

Damm's Inc.	8
Carling	7
Pigeon Lanes	7
Wildowl Bay Resort	4
Scheurer Hospital	4
J & B Pig	3
Bay Shore Collision	3
J.O. Worst Tiling	3
Brighton Hotel	3
Walsh Packing	2
Pigeon Motor Sales	2
Henke Equipment	2
High team series: Carling 2619 (895-886), Damm's 2501 (859), Wildowl Bay 875.	
High individual scores: T. Drshak 648 (235-212-201), V. Smith 575 (20z), D. Deering 560 (222), D. Kettle 554 (220), T. Kula 233, W. Henne 212, E. Shepherd 202.	

PIGEON LANES THURSDAY NITERS

J & B Pig	12
Pigeon Co-op	9
Scheurer Hospital	8
Henne Distributing	8
Lee's Landscaping	8
Brighton Hotel	5
Fink's Used Equipment	5
Village Barber & Styling	5
McCormick Motors	4
H. Carpenter Construction	4
Gary's TV	3
Pigeon Auto Supply	2
High team scores: H. Distributing 2330 (759-754), J. & B. 2223 (787-755), Fink's 765.	
High individual scores: P. Niebel 493 (195), M. Muroch 483 (179-172), W. Rapson 478, J. Blome 478 (182), D. Deming 476 (186), M. Ropp 468 (171), E. Gunden 464 (181), D. Strauch 461 (174), S. Buchholz 187, B. Schulz 172.	
Splits: 5-6-10 A. Matthews; 5-8-10 L. Hewlett; 4-5-7 A. Albrecht; 5-7 B. Schulz, C. Haley; 5-10 D. Basinger; 5-6 L. Shepherd; 2-7 E. Otto, W. Rapson, M. Ropp; 3-10 F. Gnagey, J. Blome.	

CLASSIC LEAGUE

Osentoski Equipment	11
June & Fargos	8
Clark Refrig.	7
Osentoski Ford Tractor	6
Kretschmer HC	5
Gary's TV	5
Dutch Kettell	5
Pigeon Lumber	5
Steinman Agency	5
Bob Smith Builders	5
Carling	4
Active Feed	2

ELKTON THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES

Town Edge Farms	11
Knechtel's Market	10
Sally's Ceramics	8
Ty's	7
Elkton Co-op	5
Ron's Party Store	4
Bud's Bar	2
Elkton IGA	1
High team scores: Knechtel's 1797 (661).	
High individual scores: D. Seley 500 (182), D. Damm 486 (213), J. Rosenthal 479 (173), D. Keyworth 178, B. Wills 174, M. Erer 184, C. Reilly 170.	
Splits: 9-10 D. McKenzie; 2-7 P. Kellermore; 3-10 M. Chappel; 5-10 P. Podloskowski, K. Carr; 2-5-10 M. Erer.	

FRIDAY NIGHT MENS' LEAGUE

Caseville Fruit Market	12
Co-op Elevator	8
Active Feed	6
Pigeon Lanes	5
Silver Dollar	4
Albrecht Auction Service	1
High team scores: Co-op Elevator 2521 (911-841), Silver Dollar 2494 (832-902), Caseville Fruit Market 2415 (825-806).	
High individual scores: R. Damm 638 (205-240), R. Graf 601 (219), R. Ropp 577 (200-217), D. McAlpine 559 (203), D. Dubs 544, T. Gunden 523, M. Swartzentruber 504, D. Dunn 504.	
Splits: 5-7 D. Harren; 3-5-10 N. Henne; 3-10 N. Litka; 3-7 R. Killinger.	

Extension Homemakers host tour

The Huron County Association of Extension Homemakers are hosting a tour to Frankenmuth on Oct. 2. The tour is open to the public and MAEH members for a fee. Deadline for registration has been extended to enable more people to attend.

A chartered bus will leave Oct. 2 at 7:45 p.m. from the Municipal Parking Lot in Pigeon and 8 a.m. from the K-Mart Parking Lot in Bad Axe. The tour will arrive in Frankenmuth at 9:30 a.m. and tour the Bavarian Inn Kitchens and view the Glockenspiel Tower with its wood carved figures. Lunch at the Bavarian Inn will follow, with the chicken plate dinner included in the price of the tour.

After lunch the group will visit Bronner's. A time for personal shopping will be provided along with a viewing of Wally Bronner's Private Collection of Christmas Ornaments. A film, "Around the World at Bronner's," will be shown.

The Frankenmuth Womens' Club will host a tour of Frankenmuth and the St. Lorenz Church.

Late afternoon and early evening may be spent shopping or touring the Frankenmuth Mill, Winery, Wood Carver or School Haus Square. The bus will leave Frankenmuth at 6:45 p.m.

The Huron County Association of Extension Homemakers is a non-profit organization, providing this tour as a community service.

Schuette is currently attending the U.S. Air Force Dietetic Internship Program. She is a Second Lieutenant with the Air Force and is stationed at Andrews Air Force Base in Washington D.C.

For reservations, call Cindy Rathje at 453-2584 or write her at 170 S. Brown Rd., Pigeon.



Lisa Schuette, daughter of Harvey and Doris Schuette of Pigeon, has recently graduated summa cum laude from Michigan State University with a bachelor of science degree in Dietetics.

She was a member of an honor society Phi Kappa Phi, Omicron Nu, Human Ecology Honors Society and the Golden Key National Honor Society. She is also an affiliate member of the American Dietetic Association.

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Caseville School in the news



By Vicki Goslee & Gail Gembariski

SUCCESSFUL SALES

"We are really proud of the kids," stated one of the eighth-ninth grade class sponsors after a total of 246 sales were made on their recent door-to-door magazine, record and cassette tape sale. The sale began Sept. 5 and lasted 1 1/2 weeks.

COURT NAMED

Three senior girls will vie for 1984 Homecoming Queen: Mindy Goslee, Kelly Wagner and Gela Kretschmer.

One representative was chosen from each ninth through 11th grades including: freshman Amy Conrad, sophomore Erin Barton and junior Vicki Goslee.

Nominations for the court were taken from the football team on Wednesday, Sept. 9.

Two representatives were initially chosen out of the freshmen-junior classes, but the high school students narrowed it down on Friday, Sept. 21 and the winners were announced the same day.

The 1984 queen will be announced at the half-time ceremony of the game on Oct. 6.

EAGLES FALL TO DECKERVILLE, KINGSTON

The Caseville Girls' Varsity Basketball team fell to Deckerville 61-58. Michelle Stahl led the Eagles with 10 points. Brenda Johnson and Gail Gembariski each helped with eight points. Michelle Stahl pulled down 13 rebounds.

Kingston defeated Caseville by the score of 69-59 at Caseville Sept. 20. Brenda Johnson led the Eagles with 14 points and

passed off eight assists. Chris Barton tossed in 13 points. Michelle Stahl pulled down 13 rebounds for the Eagles.

EAGLE GRIDDERS FALL TO O-G

The Caseville football team fell 0-3 with a 12-6 loss to Owen-Gage. Pat McKenna led the Eagles with 13 tackles, six of which were solo. Roger Sarver sacked the quarterback twice Saturday. Ray Johnson rushed for 35 yards and 74 passes receiving for a total of 109 yards, and caught the only touchdown for the Eagles.

UPCOMING
SEPT. 7: Golf with Owen-Gage, home, tee-off at 4 p.m.
SEPT. 24-28: Michigan State Assessment tests for fourth, seventh and 10 grades.
SEPT. 25: Girls' basketball at Akron-Fairgrove.

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The School District has not maintained a record of its general fixed assets and, accordingly, a statement of general fixed assets, required by generally accepted accounting principles, is not included in the financial report.

In my opinion, except for the omission of the statement of general fixed assets, the combined financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District at June 30, 1984 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year. Also, in my opinion, the combining, individual fund, and account group financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the individual funds and account groups of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District at June 30, 1984 and for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

John E. Walsh CPA
JOHN E. WALSH
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITOR

August 21, 1984

To The Board of Education
Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District
Pigeon, Michigan 48755

I have examined the combined financial statements of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District and the combining, individual fund, and account group financial statements of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 1984. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

ELKTON-PIGEON-BAY PORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

COMBINED BALANCE SHEET - ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS
JUNE 30, 1984

	GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES			FIDUCIARY FUND TYPE STUDENT ACTIVITY	ACCOUNT GROUP GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT	TOTALS (MEMORANDUM ONLY)	
	GENERAL	SPECIAL REVENUE	DEBT RETIREMENT			1984	1983
ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS							
CURRENT ASSETS:							
Cash (Note 2)	\$526,919	\$(9,953)	\$191,996	\$16,397		\$ 725,359	\$ 538,123
Accounts receivable (Note 3)	16,700	9,817				26,517	18,927
Taxes receivable						29,806	686
Due from other funds		4,576	25,230			10,814	16,322
Deferred expense	10,814						21,628
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	554,433	4,440	217,226	16,397		792,496	595,686
AMOUNT AVAILABLE AND TO BE PROVIDED FOR PAYMENT OF GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT							
TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS	554,433	4,440	217,226	16,397	545,983	1,138,479	1,146,156
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE							
CURRENT LIABILITIES:							
Accounts payable	\$ 18,964					\$ 18,964	\$ 7,452
Accrued salaries (Note 4)	131,156					131,156	199,114
Accrued interest payable							5,229
Due to other funds	29,806						
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	179,926					29,806	16,322
LONG-TERM DEBT:							
General obligation bonds payable					\$355,000	355,000	445,000
Equipment note payable (Note 5)					52,285	52,285	5,763
Bus notes payable (Note 5)					128,698	138,698	99,707
TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT					545,983	545,983	550,470
FUND BALANCE	374,507	4,440	217,226	16,397		612,570	367,569
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	554,433	4,440	217,226	16,397	545,983	1,138,479	1,146,156

ELKTON-PIGEON-BAY PORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1984

	GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES			FIDUCIARY FUND TYPE STUDENT ACTIVITY	TOTALS (MEMORANDUM ONLY)	
	GENERAL	SPECIAL REVENUE	DEBT RETIREMENT		1984	1983
REVENUE:						
Local sources:						
Taxes	\$3,564,943		\$182,551	\$3,747,494	\$3,480,404	
Food services		\$170,109		170,109	158,877	
Athletics		35,175		35,175	37,340	
Other local revenue	74,508	3,475	10,412	90,395	114,143	
State sources:						
State school aid, unrestricted	26,230			26,230	10,887	
Other state aid revenue	50,983			50,983	47,935	
Federal sources	114,137			114,137	125,771	
TOTAL REVENUE	3,830,801	210,759	192,963	4,234,523	3,995,357	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:						
Payment received from other governmental units	17,170			17,170	63,168	
Operating transfers and other	7,615	53,151		60,766	50,663	
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	24,785	53,151		77,936	113,831	
TOTAL REVENUE AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	3,855,586	263,910	192,963	4,312,459	4,109,188	
EXPENDITURES:						
Current:						
Education:						
Instruction	1,964,510			1,964,510	1,974,207	
Supporting services	1,682,110			1,682,110	1,514,878	
Food service activities		184,898		184,898	164,444	
Athletic activities		76,402		76,402	66,126	
Debt service:						
Principal repayment			90,000	90,000	100,000	
Interest and fiscal charges			18,765	18,765	23,109	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,646,620	261,300	108,765	4,016,685	3,842,764	
OTHER FINANCING USES:						
Operating transfers	53,151			53,151	49,656	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES	3,699,771	261,300	108,765	4,069,836	3,892,420	
EXCESS OF REVENUE AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	155,815	2,610	84,198	242,623	216,768	
FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT)-JULY 1	218,692	1,830	133,028	353,550	136,781	
FUND BALANCE - JUNE 30	374,507	4,440	217,226	16,397	596,173	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools Financial Report through June 30, 1984

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STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1984

	BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE-FAVORABLE (UNFAVORABLE)
REVENUE:			
Local sources:			
Taxes	\$3,709,523	\$3,564,943	\$(144,580)
Other local revenue	57,000	74,508	17,508
State sources:			
State school aid, unrestricted		26,230	26,230
Other state aid revenue	27,160	50,983	23,823
Federal sources	110,000	114,137	4,137
TOTAL REVENUE	3,903,683	3,830,801	(72,882)
OTHER FINANCING RESOURCES:			
Payment received from other governmental units	18,387	17,170	(1,217)
Operating transfers and other	6,300	7,615	1,315
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	24,687	24,785	98
TOTAL REVENUE AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	3,928,370	3,855,586	(72,784)
EXPENDITURES:			
Current:			
Education:			
Instruction	1,986,398	1,964,510	21,888
Supporting services	1,682,870	1,682,110	760
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,669,268	3,646,620	22,648
OTHER FINANCING USES:			
Operating transfers	43,000	53,151	(10,151)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES	3,712,268	3,699,771	12,497
EXCESS OF REVENUE AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	\$ 216,102	155,815	\$(60,287)
FUND BALANCE - JULY 1		218,692	
FUND BALANCE - JUNE 30		\$ 374,507	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1984

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Basis of Presentation:

The financial activities of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District are recorded in separate funds and account groups, categorized and described as follows:

Governmental Funds:

General Fund - This fund is used to account for all financial transactions not accounted for in another fund. Revenue is derived primarily from property taxes and State and Federal distributions, grants and other intergovernmental revenue. The General Fund accounts for the general operating expenditures of the School District not recorded elsewhere.

Special Revenue Funds - These funds are used to account for specific governmental revenue requiring separate accounting because of legal or regulatory provisions or administrative action.

Debt Retirement Fund - The Debt Retirement Fund is used to record the funding and payment of principal and interest on bonded debt reported in the General Long-Term Debt Account Group.

Fiduciary Fund:

Student Activity Fund - The Student Activity Fund is used to account for assets held by the school district in a trustee capacity for student organizations.

Account Groups:

General Long-Term Debt Account Group - This account group presents the balance of general obligation long-term debt.

"Total - (Memorandum Only):

The "Memorandum Only" column represents the aggregate total of the various columnar statements by fund types and account groups. This total column is not comparable to a consolidation and, therefore, does not present consolidated information.

Basis of Accounting:

The accounting policies of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units, except as noted in the opinion letter. The modified accrual basis of accounting is followed by the Governmental Fund Types.

Budgets:

Budgets for the Governmental Type Funds are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

GENERAL FUND:

NOTE 2 - CASH:

The balance of this account consists of the following:

General	\$509,559
Student activity - Board controlled	17,360
TOTALS	\$526,919

NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:

The balance of this account consists of the following:

State of Michigan	\$10,144
Voc Ed tuition	6,556
TOTALS	\$16,700

NOTE 4 - ACCRUED SALARIES:

Accrued salaries of \$131,156 represent the wages earned but not paid at June 30, 1984.

NOTE 5 - GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT:

The balances of equipment note payable and bus notes payable are as follows:

	DATE OF ISSUE	MATURITY	INTEREST RATE	ORIGINAL ISSUE AMOUNT	BALANCE AT
					JUNE 30, 1984
Equipment note payable:					
Chevrolet Van	2-03-83	2-03-86	8.75%	\$ 8,645	\$ 2,882
Bus notes:					
(2) 1979 IHC buses	10-25-79	10-25-84	6.900%	\$59,506	\$ 11,901
(3) 1980 IHC buses	11-24-80	11-24-87	8.625%	97,829	63,792
(2) 1983 IHC buses	11-29-83	2-01-88	6.75 %	78,898	63,118
TOTAL					\$138,698

NOTE 6 - CONTINGENT LIABILITIES:

The various employment contracts between the School District and its employees provide for the accumulation of sick leave days. These sick leave days must be used during the school year and are forfeited if employment is terminated, accordingly the contingent liability for accumulated unpaid sick leave days is not reflected in the financial statements. The expense is recognized at the time the sick leave days are taken.

The school district has elected to be treated as a reimbursing employer for unemployment compensation purposes. Any unemployment benefits paid to school district employees by the Michigan unemployment fund must be reimbursed by the school district on a dollar basis. The contingent liability for unemployment benefits is not reflected in the accompanying financial statements. The expense is recognized at the time the school district becomes liable to the State of Michigan for unemployment benefits paid.

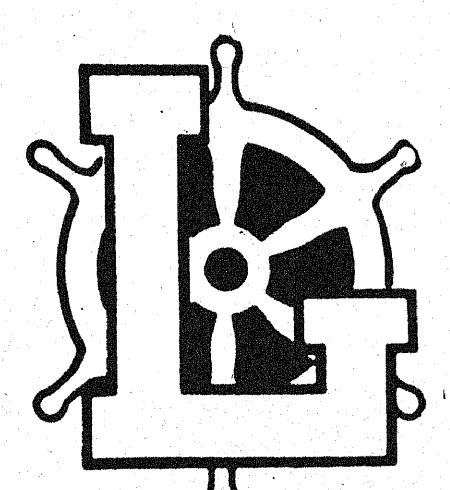
NOTE 7 - LEASES:

The school district leases certain bus radio equipment and maintenance vehicle under terms of leases expiring at various dates through 1984. The leases provide for fixed annual rentals of approximately \$9,561 per year plus excess mileage charges on the maintenance vehicle.

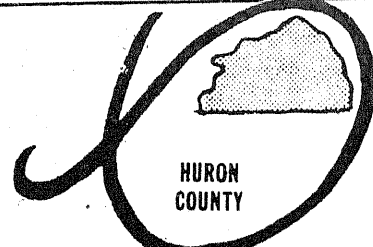
NOTE 8 - EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER APPROPRIATIONS IN BUDGETARY FUNDS:

P.A. 621 of 1978, section 18(1), as amended, provides that a local unit shall not incur expenditures in excess of the amount appropriated. In the body of the financial statements, the school's actual expenditures and budgeted expenditures for the general fund have been shown on an activity and a line item bases. The approved budget of the school for the general fund was adopted to the activity level. During the year ended June 30, 1984, the school incurred expenditures in the General Fund which were in excess of the amounts appropriated as follows:

	Total Appropriations	Amount of Expenditures	Budget Variance
Instruction:			
Elementary	\$ 711,032	\$ 713,066	\$ 2,034
High School	496,941	523,182	26,241
Supporting services:			
Health	22,563	23,934	1,371
Administration:			
Executive Administration	94,230	98,108	3,878
School Administration	200,933	211,058	10,125
Operating transfers:			
	43,000	53,151	10,151



News that COUNTS . . . from the COUNTY



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MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS Week of September 17

Patrick J. Yaroch and Victoria A. Talaski.
Bruce Arthur Stroh and Deaneen Louise Potter.
Gerald T. Gibbard and

Diane M. Howard.
Karl Wayne Hoxie and Tonya Jo Lowry.
Jeffrey S. Leinweber and Debra Jo Nowaczyk.

ASSUMED NAMES Week of September 17

No. 3858 - ALERT REALTY & AUCTIONEERING, 259 E. Huron, Bad Axe, MI 48413, by: Richard E. Goniwicha, 5860 Rapson Rd., Harbor Beach, MI 48441, filed: September 12, 1984.

No. 3859 - THE KIRBY CO. OF BAD AXE, 1051 East Huron, Bad Axe, MI 48413, by: Daniel Messing, 8943 Sand Beach, Harbor Beach,

MI 48441, filed: September 12, 1984.
No. 3860 - Fluegge Machine Shop, 5697 Berne Rd., Elkton, MI 48731, by: Otto H. Fluegge, 5697 Berne Rd., filed: September 14, 1984.

No. 3861 - The Alternative Press, 3090 Copeland Rd., Port Austin, MI 48467, by: Ken Mikolowski & Ann Mikolowski, 3090 Copeland Rd., Port Austin, MI 48467, filed: September 14, 1984.

No. 3862 - Blue Water Inn, 6584 Main St., Caseville, MI 48725, by: Lowell R. Durty, 4847 W. Kinde Rd., Caseville, MI 48725, filed: September 19, 1984.

No. 3863 - A.M. Scrap and Salvage, 2821 Rose Island Rd., Sebawaing, MI 48759, by: Ann E. Miller, 2378 Elmwood Dr. Lot 22, Sebawaing, MI 48759, filed: September 19, 1984.



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County
Register
of Deeds
Frances
Holdwick

WARRANTY DEEDS Week of September 12-18

Katherine H. Pierce to Frank L. Trombetta & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 18 of Lake Twp.

Warner Lane & Wf to Joseph J. Kennedy & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 17 of McKinley Twp.

Jerome Messing & Wf to Gerald E. Mausoff & Wf; a parcel of land in Section 30 of Sherman Twp.

Thomas P. Roberts & Wf to Joseph Z. Roslon; a parcel of land located in Section 4 of Caseville.

David Michael Williams & Wf to Donna H. Nugent; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

Gerald Jahn & Wf to David Blacker; a parcel of land located in Section 1 of Lincoln Twp.

R.A. Camp & Wf to Edward J. Tyrrell & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 4 in the Village of Port Hope.

Jean M. June to Thomas H. Loeher & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 12 of

Caseville Twp.
Clemens Danielski & Wf to Jerome Joseph Messing & Wf; a parcel of land located in the Village of Ubyly.

Thomas W. Cottick & Wf to David G. Wolfe & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 3 of Caseville Twp.

David G. Wolfe & Wf to James P. Ehringer & Richard McLean; a parcel of land located in Section 3 of Caseville Twp.

Irene Rendz to Lakeside Motor Sales, Inc; a parcel of land located in the Village of Port Austin.

Nicholas J. Rothe & Wf to Eugene V. Faessler & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 11 of Caseville Twp.

Glady A. Thorley and Carol A. James to Delmer O. Schuler; a parcel of land located in Section 17 of McKinley Twp.

Wilbert Kimmel Estate to David G. Phillips & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 24 of Caseville Twp.

Brent Maust & Gary D. Sprague & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 1 of Fairhaven Twp.

Wilfred Depcinski & Wf to Timothy J. Messing; a parcel of land located in Section 23 of Sheridan Twp.

Gerald Smaginski & Wf to Richard A. Binder & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 16 of Sigel Twp.

Samuel Shoemaker & Wf to Robert W. Becker & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 35 of Caseville Twp.

John A. Lelonek & Wf to John Sienkiewicz Estate; a parcel of land located in Fairhaven Twp.

John Sienkiewicz Estate to Jack L. Barnett; a parcel of land located in Fairhaven

Twp.
Hannah M. Satow and Hannah M. Satow and Jerild J. Flint; a parcel of land located in Section 8 of Sebawaing.

Katharine I. Morgan and Marion I. Watterworth to Gale D. Schwalm & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 1 of Caseville Twp.

Richard Green & Wf to Allen William Cadieux; a parcel of land located in Section 7 of Hume Twp.

Alfred C. Schmidt and Irma Schmidt to Huron County Road Commission; a parcel of land located in Section 14 of Winsor Twp.

G. Wylene Henne & Wf to Huron County Road Commission; a parcel of land located in Section 14 of Winsor Twp.

Glenn J. Bechler and Clare Finkbeiner to Thumb Excavating, Inc; a parcel of land located in Section 7 of Lincoln Twp.

Leonard James Randall & Wf to Alfred R. Hanson Jr. & Wf; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

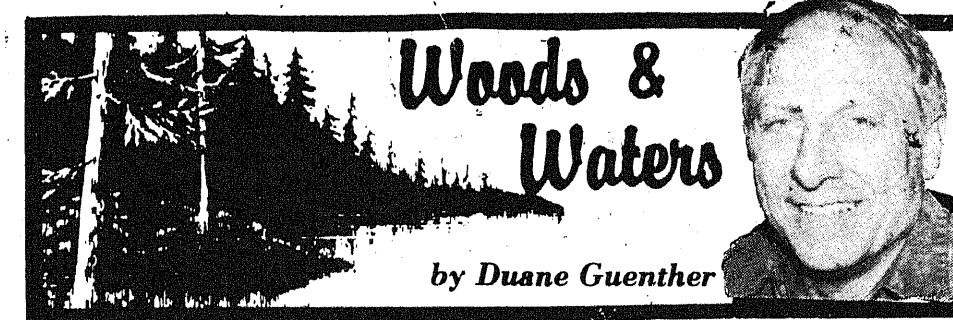
Alfred R. Hanson Jr. & Wf to Leonard James Randall & Wf; a parcel of land located in the City of Bad Axe.

Quarry Fields Campground to Lester A. Yerkey & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 25 of Port Austin Twp.

Cecil H. Starks & Wf to Gerald D. Ballard; a parcel of land located in Section 16 of Lake Twp.

Norma O. Cook to Carl R. Reichelt; a parcel of land located in Section 25 of Port Austin.

Olga Bartz Estate to George C. Miller & Wf and George Miller & Wf; a parcel of land located in Section 24 of Caseville Twp.



Yesterday's Duck opener

When Oct. 6 rolls around and the marshes surrounding Saginaw Bay are infiltrated by hopeful waterfowlers taking part in the opening of the 1984 Duck and Goose season, many old-timers will reminisce that it is nothing like the "good old days." And they may be right.

Duck hunting has changed tremendously over the last 100 years, not just in the methods used to harvest the birds, but also in the numbers of birds that migrate through our flyway and the numbers of hunters who wait longingly for their favorite hunting season of the year.

This year's duck season will almost go unnoticed in many parts of the county. Duck populations, although stabilized during the past few years, are at the lowest ever. And Michigan has been faced with a real absence of duck hunters. Many blame the advent of steel shot, and the point system which governs the daily bag limit, as making duck hunting so complicated that it is no longer fun. But whatever the reason, duck hunting isn't what it used to be. The marshes are gone, the ducks are gone, and the hunters are gone. It wasn't always that way in the Sebawaing area.

About a year ago, I came across a couple of newspaper articles depicting the duck season 48 years ago. They were just newsy little bits that were included to fill pages, but if you read between the lines you can get the flavor of what the duck seasons used to be like in 1936. The first read:

DUCK HUNTING HERE IS BEST IN YEARS
"The opening of the duck hunting season last Saturday morning had all the aspects of old times when scores of hunters from a big section of the state took to the marshes here in quest of the game."

There is no question that the ducks are more numerous in the Saginaw Bay marshes this fall than in a number of years. Numerous hunters report bagging the legal limit and few of them were without birds. Local ducks such as black ducks, mallards and teal are especially numerous.

Mr. Joy, manager of the Hotel Hannah, reports that the hotel's dining room has been filled every night since the opening of the season. Last Friday, Mr. Joy says, it was necessary to press bedding into service so that the overflow of hunter patrons might sleep on floors, eight of them being thus quartered in the old parlor upstairs alone.

Wednesday night the same procedure had to be repeated and indications are that the hotel will be equally crowded the balance of the week, in view of the fact that the pheasant season opened Thursday morning. With an apparent abundance of birds throughout the whole Sebawaing area, it is believed that more outside hunters than ever will be here during the first few days of the season.

Among the duck hunters here for the opening Saturday were Bill Rogell and Jo-Jo White of the Detroit Tiger baseball team, who were piloted to the marshes by Dick Deener. Both were enthusiastic over their trip and returned to Detroit with their legal limit of ducks.

This article gives a small indication of the

number of people who used to descend on all the small towns that lined the Bay. Duck season was the social event of the year.

The second article deals with tragedy during the same hunting season, but its inclusion here is to give the reader some idea of the vastness of the marshes that lined our shoreline some 50 years ago.

TRAGEDY MARKS LAST DAY OF DUCK HUNTING SEASON HERE

"Tragedy stalked the final hours of the duck hunting season here Sunday when William Wilboro, 23 year old Flint pharmacist, met his death in Saginaw Bay off Sebawaing early Monday morning about eight hours after the close of the season.

Young Wilboro, with Dr. E.C. Smith, 31, Flint physician, had been hunting on Lone Tree Island and the two had left there at 6 p.m. Sunday in their small rowboat to return to Sebawaing. In the darkness they had missed the river channel and had become lost outside of the marshes.

About midnight they abandoned their boat, on what they thought was a reef, after throwing out its anchor. Dr. Smith, already fatigued after a day's jump shooting, was unable to keep up with Wilboro, who had spent the day in their blind, and the two soon became separated. After wading through water, sometimes nearly waist deep, Dr. Smith, almost exhausted, finally reached shore somewhere south of the Sebawaing county park and finally, at 3 a.m., reached the home of Norman Dutcher, where he was taken in for the night.

After daylight, a party of commercial fishermen and others started in search of young Wilboro. Every farm home along the shore was contacted with the hope that he had succeeded in reaching land and found refuge somewhere. Failing in finding any trace of the missing man, it was concluded that he had perished in the water.

The boat which the men had abandoned was found late Monday forenoon on the west end of Fish Point. At noon a party of a dozen or more men, together with two State Troopers and Dr. Smith, renewed the search for Wilboro's body. The hunt was concentrated in the marsh off the Sebawaing county park and it was found at 3:30, about a mile from shore just outside the marsh in two feet of water. Wilboro's gun was found beside him. The body and gun was found by Tim Bunting and Arnold Heckman.

Dr. Smith, in relating his and Wilboro's experience after they left Lone Tree Island, said they had missed the river channel and had skirted the edge of the marshes to find an entrance to land. He stated that he had made many decisions only to find that he had followed blind channels and would have to retreat back to open water. The marshes, he said, were just like a jungle.

In 1984, duck hunters will have a tough time finding enough marsh to hide their duck boat in, and it isn't likely that Alan Trammell and Chet Lemmon will be staying at the Airport Motel . . .

Family gathers at reunion

Schweitzer-Heck
The annual Schweitzer-Heck Reunion was held Sunday, Sept. 16 at St. Lorenz Grove, Frankenthum with 83 members and one guest present.

Potluck dinner was enjoyed by all at noon.

A short business meeting followed with President Arnold Becker of Unionville presiding. New officers elected for 1985 are President Leon Elftman of Pinconning, Vice President Arnold Schweitzer of Sebawaing, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs. Richard Jarvis of Frankenthum and Games Committee members Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker of Unionville and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kuhl of Sebawaing. It was decided to hold the 1985 reunion at the same

location with a date to be decided by the officers.

Prizes were awarded to John Johnston of Saginaw, who had the most credit cards in his pocket; Elaine Erner of Bad Axe, with the most TVs, stereos and radios in their home; Clara Wright of Detroit, guessing the

weight of the large Hubbard Squash and to Brian Becker of Unionville, the person with a birthday closest to the reunion date.

The afternoon was spent visiting and playing games for children and adults. Prizes were awarded under the direction of Dick and Lou Ann Jarvis of Frankenthum.

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AUCTION
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FIVE NEIGHBORHOOD FAMILIES have together acquired several pieces of Antique Furniture, glassware, collectibles and miscellaneous household items and are now going to sell!! The following items, plus many others, will be sold at a public auction at the Don Metzger Residence located 4 3/4 miles south of Elkton, Michigan on South Elkton Road.
ANTIQUÉ FURNITURE
Oak Dresser; Old Storage Cabinet; Vanity; (Refinished); Treadle Sewing Machine; Oak Kitchen Cupboard, with flared sides and bin roll-up door on one side; Hall tree, with beveled mirror & seat; Lyre back dresser, with mirror; Trundle bed, with sofa cover; Man's butler; (need repair); Davenport; Loveseat; Chairs, (need recovering); Straight back chairs; Maple drop leaf table, with 2 leaves; Iron beds; Misc. Tables; Chairs; Table and Chair Parts; Picture Frames.
GLASSWARE & COLLECTIBLES
Boxes of Carnival Glass and depression glass; Anchor Hocking jellies; Occupied Japan pieces; Silver plate; Occupied Japan vases. Approximately 20 pieces Van Bragle pottery; Roseville; Weller; Rockwood; McCoy; 24 Base Accordian; Cherry pitcher; Apple peeler; Chamber pot, with cover; Antique electric fan; Old bottles & jugs; Brown Roman Cleanser jugs; Czech Tea Set, with tea pot, creamer & sugar; 2 cups with saucers; 2 sweet roll plates; Many old hand tools, wrenches, drawknives, wood planes & chisels, etc; Electric train, Sears, Marz Toy Co.; Baskets; Old 78 RPM records; Small wooden boxes; Fans; Lanterns; Iron striking mantel clock; Abalone shell inlay cordial set.
COINS AND STAMPS
Miscellaneous old coins; U.S. Cover Sets; Foreign Stamps; Canadian Stamps.
HOUSEHOLD
Electric range; Kirby vacuum attachments; 4 blenders; kitchen food processor; water softener; wash line poles; twin beds; Kenmore Sewing Machine; bathtub; kitchen sink; thermos bottles; umbrellas; matching rocking chairs; bench; stove; typewriter; miscellaneous pots & pans; ironer; 2 folding camping cots; bathtub doors; lamps; fixtures; flood lights; new air conditioner unit; presser; shoe rack; locking metal storage cabinet; slide projector; film strip projector, with record player; mirrors; pictures.
AUTOMOTIVE AND MISCELLANEOUS
1980 Olds Omega, 6 cyl., PS, PB, air, sunroof; 1946 Allis Chalmers tractor, (run/running); 1980 Intake & Exhaust, manifold, carb, cam shaft for 351 winser engine; 1976 4 cyl. Mustang engine; Mercury Snowmobile; 1973 Ski-doo Silver bullet, 294cc.; 3 1/2 horse outboard motor; Lawn mower; water pump & tank; Electric chicken brooder; converter, 12 VDC to 110 VAC, 26" bike; 80' eave trough (new); table saw; cardex file; 12 x 9 screen porch, (complete); 3 windaws, with marble sills; wheel barrow; farm gate; dog house; bike parts; Iron wheels.
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Notice is hereby given that the Caseville Township Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, October 17, 1984 at 7:30 p.m. to consider a recommendation to rezone property located at the North-East Corner of Section 26, more fully described as being Lot 27, Paul Woodworth Sub-Division from R-1 low density Residential to B-1 General Business.
Persons interested in submitting comments may do so at the Caseville Township/Village Hall, 6767 Main St., Caseville, Michigan 48725.
Caseville Township Planning Commission
Harold Lankey, Chairman
13&15ch

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12-14pC

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13-15pN

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Fri. Rummage \$1.00 Bag Day 9-12

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13-16cU

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WANTED: Farm land to rent on western side of county. Call 453-3503.
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11-13cG

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12-13cOH

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13-15cOH

HOUSE FOR SALE in Bad Axe with some furniture, new gas furnace. Fully insulated. Phone 269-8542 until 6 p.m.
13-15pH

Lost & Found
AIR TANK borrowed and never returned to TJ Sunoco, Pigeon. 453-3921.
13cU

LOST-LARGE DOG looks like fox, has flea collar on. White chest answers to name Rusty. Call 453-3708.
13cU

Free For All
FREE PUPPIES five weeks old to a good home. Will be small dogs. Also 2 free kittens. 453-3091.
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Local folks do lots of visiting

By DOROTHY DIENER
Mrs. Mary Ropp returned home Friday after spending a week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lotis Miller in Fairview.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schafer of Rialto, Calif. and Martin Schafer of Richmond were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schafer. Tuesday evening guests were Mrs. Marion Drabek and son Gary of West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henne with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rathje attended the Blue Jays and Tiger baseball game in Detroit on Saturday.
Mrs. Alice Rink of Port Hope, Mrs. Marge Roemer of Sebawaing and Mrs. Elsie Kern attended the board meeting of the Lutheran Children's Friend Auxiliary at Christ Lutheran Church in Lansing last Monday.
Mrs. Marilyn Pfaff and son Steven, Mrs. Bertha Yanke, Mrs. Anna Menzel, Mrs. Ella Ziel, Mrs. Elsie Kern of St. John's, Kilmanagh had devotions and singing at the Scenic Home on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawrence called on Mrs. Frances Lawrence and Mrs. Clara Bredow in Bad Axe on Sunday.
Those from here attending the Schweitzer reunion at St.

Carolina football game. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born, Rick and Holly were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schafer and Martin Schafer in Richmond. Arthur Schafer's will soon leave for their California home.
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Maust were Mr. and Mrs. Herb Albrecht and family of Vassar, Mrs. Martha Jantzi of Sarasota, Fla., Mrs. Katie Albrecht, Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Yoder and son Jeffrey and Mrs. Lena Swartzendruber.
These Cross Lutheran ladies from the Women's Society entertained patients at Luther Manor, Saginaw on Thursday. Mrs. Edward Bergman, Mrs. George Mohr, Mrs. Ray Licht, Mrs. Frieda Heintz, Mrs. Edwin Licht and Mrs. Herman Rathke.
Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bergman were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hartwick and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bergman and children, all of Millington.

Mother, Daughter Honored

A mother and daughter are being honored by the U.S. Navy and Marines, as they receive awards following individual achievements. Sherrie Barham has become a Navy Chief Petty Officer as of Sept. 16, 1984. She is the daughter of Herbert and Betty Hawthorne, 6629 Farmer, Caseville.



Sherrie Barham

A 1963 graduate of Melvindale High School, Sherrie worked in hospitals before entering the Navy in 1965. She left the service to get married and had two children.
Her husband died in 1971 as a Navy Chief Serviceman, and she returned to service as an active reserve in 1976, working her way up as a Corpsman.
There's more U.S. service affiliations in the Barham family, too. Her daughter, 16-year-old Betty Renee, is presently in the ROTC Marine Corps, serving as a Sergeant. Sherrie also has a son, Sheridan, 17.



Betty Barham

Froud Dad, Herbert "Buck" Hawthorne is going to Florida to pin the anchors on Sherrie at the Navy Ceremony in Tampa.
Mrs. Dorothy Swartzendruber had as Sunday guests, her granddaughter Saun Swartzendruber, her friend Steven Gregory from Saginaw. They also visited other relatives.
Mrs. Clarisa Webster of Bridgeport was a weekend guest of Mrs. Viola Schuette. Mrs. Frieda Coply and Mrs. Vickie Born and Susan Irwin of Ontario were weekend guests of Martin Wolfram. They also visited with Mrs. Wolfram in Scheurer Hospital's Long-Term Unit.
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ziel with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born attended Parents' Day on Saturday at CMU, where David Ziel and Vicki Born are students. They also attended the CMU vs. E.

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Lydia Albrecht

A SPECIAL THANK YOU
To the doctors, nurses and staff at Scheurer Hospital for the care I received during my recent stay there. I also wish to thank my friends and relatives for their prayers, encouragement and help during the last month. A very special "thanks" to the great staff and students at Pigeon Elementary for sending cards, get-well wishes and the delicious meals last week.
Karen Gehrs

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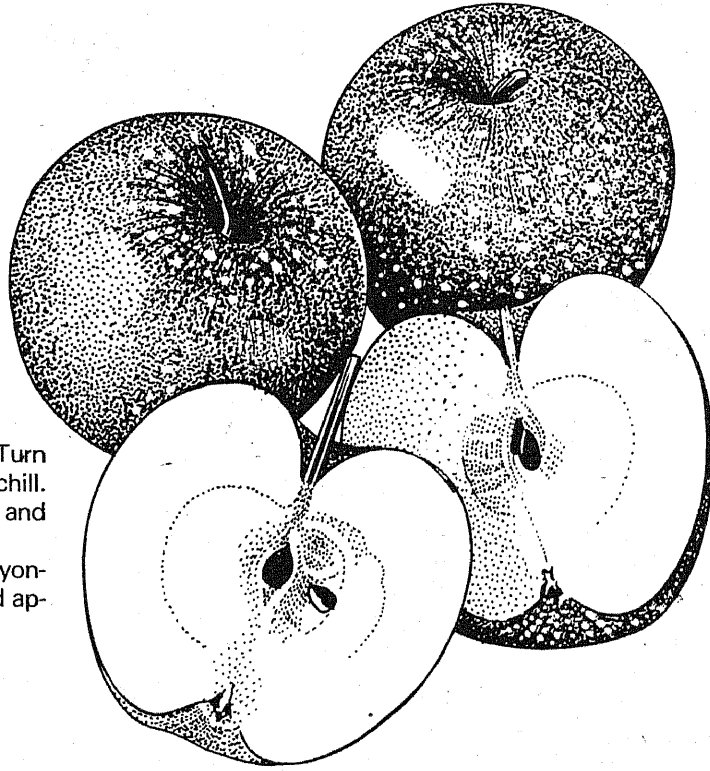
- 4 medium apples, cored and chopped (3 cups)
- ½ cup chopped celery
- ½ cup red grapes, halved and seeded
- ½ cup chopped walnuts
- Romaine
- ½ cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- ½ teaspoon lemon juice
- ½ cup whipping cream
- Dash ground nutmeg

Combine apples, celery, grapes and walnuts. Turn fruit mixture into a romaine-lined salad bowl; chill. Combine mayonnaise or salad dressing, sugar and lemon juice.

Whip cream until soft peaks form; fold into mayonnaise mixture. Spoon the dressing over the chilled apple mixture. Sprinkle lightly with nutmeg.

To serve, fold dressing into fruit mixture.

Yield 6 servings



APPLE MUFFINS

- 1 egg, slightly beaten
- ½ cup milk
- ¼ cup shortening, melted
- 1 cup apple, grated
- 1½ cup sifted flour
- ½ cup sugar
- 2 t. baking powder
- ½ t. salt
- ½ t. cinnamon

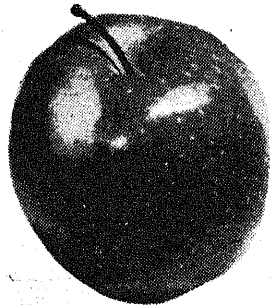
TOPPING:

- ½ t. cinnamon
- ½ cup brown sugar
- ½ cup nuts, chopped

Combine topping ingredients. Set aside. Combine egg, milk, shortening and apples. Sift dry ingredients together. Stir into first mixture, just until flour is moistened. Batter will be lumpy.

Fill tins two-thirds full. Bake in 400 degree oven for 25 to 30 minutes.

Yield 12 muffins



RED DELICIOUS APPLE



GREEN PIPPIN APPLE

CARAMEL CRUNCH APPLE PIE

- 28 individually-wrapped light caramels
- 2 T water
- 3½ to 4 cups thin, peeled tart apple slices (about three large apples or four medium)
- Lemon juice
- 1 9-inch unbaked pie shell
- ½ cup flour
- ¼ cup sugar
- ½ t. cinnamon
- ¼ cup butter or margarine, chilled
- ½ cup chopped walnuts

In medium saucepan, combine caramels and water; cook over very low heat, stirring frequently, until caramels are melted and mixture is smooth. Keep warm while preparing apples.

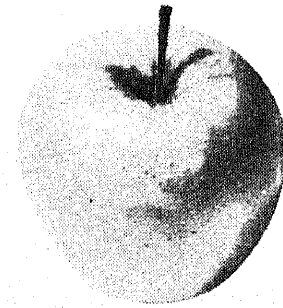
Slice apples and sprinkle with lemon juice to prevent discoloration. Layer apple slices and prepared caramel sauce in unbaked pie shell; set aside.

In small bowl, combine flour, sugar and cinnamon; add butter or margarine and cut into flour mixture until it resembles coarse crumbs. Add nuts and mix thoroughly. Sprinkle mixture evenly on top of apple-caramel filling.

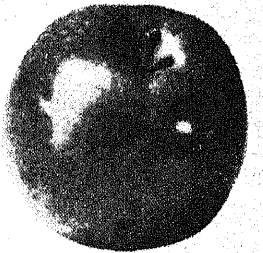
Bake at 375 degrees about 45 minutes, until pastry and topping are golden brown.

Cool on wire rack 15 minutes before serving warm or cool completely, if desired.

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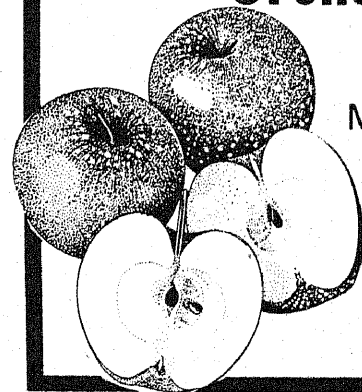
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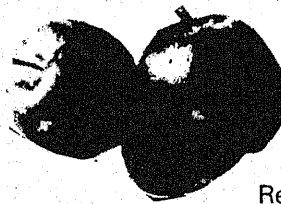
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