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Laker coach sets unequalled mark

McLellan's varsity teams win all 3 TBA titles

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

"A winner, both on and off the field."

That's the way Laker High School Athletic Director Bob Drury characterizes Boys' varsity coach Bill McLellan.

In this age of specialization, relatively few people coach three varsity sports -- and fewer still earn league championships. McLellan defied the odds this year by guiding an undefeated Laker varsity football team to a Thumb B Association championship, a varsity boys' basketball squad to a league title and wrapped up the year with a share of a three-way tie for the TBA baseball crown.

Drury says the feat of one coach achieving league championships in three different sports during the same school year is a first for Laker High.

The greatest factors in McLellan's success as a coach, by his own admission and that of his fellow coaches, are just hours of preparation and hard work.

"Everybody wants to win, but not everybody wants to work to win," McLellan says.

Preparation for the upcoming sports season begins during the hot summer months, as the Laker mentor spends hours doodling over lists of names of prospective players in an attempt to match each athlete to the position which best utilizes his talent and size. Meanwhile, many of his players prepare their bodies for autumn competition with physical conditioning in the school's weight-training room.

The planning and preparation has paid visible dividends, as McLellan's football squads have won league titles for the last years, as well as a state Class C championship in 1981.

In basketball, McLellan teams won a TBA title, and he also guided a team to district and regional crowns before bowing out in the state championship game.

Baseball provided similar success as his squads earned five conference titles and four district championships.

McLellan developed an interest in various sports early, as he lettered in football, basketball, baseball and track as a student at Laker High. Ed Wolford, Fran LePage and football coach Chris Allen are all cited by McLellan as Laker coaches who had the biggest impact on him.

When asked which sport is his favorite, he jests, "Depends what season it is."

Although McLellan's players aim for championship trophies, the Laker mentor says his coaching philosophy is, "Work to be as good as we can be and go from there."

Another big factor in McLellan's success is a supportive family. He readily admits the major disadvantage of coaching three sports is the hours of practice and preparation time, as well as travel and actual game time involved.

"Without good family support you couldn't do it," he says about the rigorous time demands on a coach.

Fellow Laker George Gardy agrees about the many hours required, and notes McLellan's dedication.



BRAIN TRUST; From left, Laker freshman basketball coach Joel Leipprandt and junior varsity coach join McLellan on the bench during a varsity hoop contest during the past season.



AT LEFT: Laker coach Bill McLellan takes advantage of a more relaxed atmosphere during baseball season to have this family cook-out. Pictured from left are Kelly, cousin Rick Duffy, Billy, Dee, Casey and Bill McLellan.

The Laker High baseball team wasn't too relaxed to win another district tournament. See page 20 for the story on more Laker varsity success this year.

BELOW: The successful Laker coach is presented the Class C state championship trophy in the Silverdome at the culmination of the 1981 football season.

"He's doing a job that gets done in other schools by two or three people," Gardy says.

The unique relationship between Gardy and McLellan undoubtedly adds to the Laker athletic success story. Both men graduated from Lakers in 1967, attended Central Michigan University and now work closely together in high school football and basketball.

Gardy assists McLellan on the varsity football squad and is primarily responsible for the team's defense. As junior varsity boys' basketball coach, Gardy again works side by side with McLellan.

Both coaches stress the importance of their discussions in both sports to help develop the team's potential. Gardy says many times during the school day they each write down specific things to work on during practice that afternoon, and when they compare notes they often contain the same ideas -- sometimes even in the same order.

Drury points out that McLellan's triple-sport championship year is especially outstanding because Laker High now has the fewest number of students enrolled of all the Thumb B Association schools.

McLellan's soft-spoken manner and willingness to devote extra work for success also make him a winner off the field, says Drury.

"His biggest asset is that he relates well with the kids and doesn't depend on a lot of rah-rah stuff. The kids know they have a job to do, and go out and get it done," he says.

"Bill typifies the class of coaches and instills the respect we demand of our athletes, both on and off the field," adds Drury.



Pigeon oks new water tower, tank

Pigeon Village Council has okayed construction of a \$869,863 water system improvement project to build a new water tower, provide underground storage and remove excess iron from the village water supply -- and will nearly double present water rates to help fund the program.

Council last Tuesday approved the recommendation of engineer K. Don Williamson of Harbor Beach to build:

- a 110-foot tall tower holding 150,000 gallons, valued at \$232,000, to be located on a newly-purchased village site immediately west of Gettel Implement Company;

- a 62-foot by 40-foot underground reservoir holding 250,000 gallons, at the same site, costing \$337,000. This also includes a control building with three pumps to integrate pumping, holding and transfer of water in the system;

- collection and transfer lines to connect to the present system, valued at \$111,000. Connection will be made north of Mildred Street east, running south of Scheurer Hospital and along village park property to N. Main Street, where lines will run south to the existing 60-year-old water tower site, for distribution in the existing water lines;

- design fees paid to Williamson amount to \$54,400 (8% of basic project), plus the firm will get a 4% resident inspection

and 4% project management fee, totaling \$31,400;

- new water mains on Berne Street, plus other valves, totaling \$31,000;

- financial counseling and bond attorney fees total \$25,000; state and county fees total \$5000, and

- purchase of the parcel from John Swartzendruber, Sr., for \$30,000. Also included is about \$5000 in additional charges to relocate transmission lines north of Mildred Street, instead of through the street area as recommended by Williamson.

The system will replace the present 60,000-gallon village tank on N. Main Street, which cost less than \$6000 when built in 1928. It is considered very inadequate, since a major fire would require 2500 gallons per minute water capacity for two hours. That old tank will be demolished or dismantled, at additional cost, after the new system is complete, expected in the next year to 15 months.

Village wells now can furnish 340 gallons per minute. The village uses about 100,000 gallons per day, typically, according to DPW Supt. Don Otto.

The project would be funded with an increase of water

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LJH writers submit entries

Once again prospective authors were rewarded for their efforts in the Seventh Annual Laker Junior High Writing Contest.

Judges Erma Maust, Mary Gettel and Mary Leipprand determined the top entries submitted by LJH students in the categories of poetry, non-fiction, fiction and children's stories.

All students who entered the contest received a pocket thesaurus, dictionary or atlas. First place winners were awarded a \$50 savings

bond and runners-up received a calculator.

First place winners: Eighth grader Jill Kasserman with the story, "Super Frog," about a frog who stops some boys from playing with dynamite.

Ninth grader Dale Hebert with "The Art of Fishing," an illustrated article on the different types of fishing and fishing equipment.

Eighth grader Casey Haley with "Ravenloft," a story in which Graystoke earns the "blade of might"

and destroys the evil strahd, freeing the village of Barovia, and

Ninth grader Michelle Fritz with "School," a collection of poems describing her feelings on school sports, grades and teachers.

Second place winners: Ninth grader Patty Kempisty with "What A Day," a story about a bunny who thought he was going to lose his home but finds it was just a computer error.

Ninth grader Rhonda Bolton with "Rodeos," an

enthusiastic and informative account of the different events found in rodeos.

Seventh grader Traci Anderson with "California Girls," a story of a man who falls in love with one of the girls he has been assigned to photograph, and

Seventh grader Debby Christner with "Beautiful Rainbows," a collection of poems about rainbows, flowers and snow.

Receiving **honorable mention** were Michelle Gayari, Kevin McAlpine, Joe Karl, Heidi Mierendorff, Samantha Henne, Brad Dubs, Patty Kempisty and Michelle Fritz.

The winning stories will be on display at Pigeon District Library next week, according to contest coordinator Donna Gaskill, LJH librarian.

Library Club meets for breakfast

The Annual Breakfast Meeting of the Caseville Library Club is scheduled for Monday, June 10 at Scenic Golf and Country Club beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Priscilla Kreh and Gen Kohr are in charge of arrangements for the event.

To make reservations, people are instructed to contact Jennie DeBoer or Florence Schuman.

Events planned for 1985 Sugar Festival

SEBEWAING — Sebewaing's Michigan Sugar Festival, a summer tradition of more than 20 years, has a new face and a new identity for the 21st celebration of one of this state's most famous products, Michigan sugar.

Under the direction of Gail Kelly, the Friday to Sunday, June 21-23 event has undergone a complete change with new attractions, new entertainment and new fun for everyone seeking a weekend especially designed for families.

"The children's games on Friday and Saturday afternoons are going to be just great," says Kelly, herself the mother of two young children. "And no one has to pay a thing. It's all family-oriented entertainment with no admission. Just come and have a good time."

Weekend activities begin at 9 a.m. on Friday morning with sidewalk sales in the downtown area, followed by children's games at 1 p.m. in the City Park and a Prince-Princess Contest at 4:30 p.m. Evening activities include

bed races, crowning the 1985 Michigan Sugar Queen, a talent show and teen dance.

Among Saturday morning events are a four-mile road race, horseshoe tournaments, an all-new Sugar Festival Parade and the famous chicken barbecue in the park. More children's games begin at 1 p.m.

Visitors returning for evening entertainment will view the Sally Doerr Dance Troupe, break-dancing from the Kuumba Actors and will hear old-fashioned barber-shop singing from the Sweet Adelines.

Community worship services in the park are slated for Sunday morning, and the afternoon will be devoted to softball, horseshoe and euchre tournaments.

Each night a different band will provide live music in the beer tent and moms and dads will find Skerbeck Amusements, a large carnival midway with games and rides for kids, open for business at noon each day. A variety of food concession stands will also be available throughout the park.

Babies sought for annual fund-raiser 'Beautiful Baby' contest

A popular event at Festival

Residents in the Pigeon area will have a chance to help purchase additional pieces of playground equipment in the Village Park this summer by participating in the annual "Beautiful Baby Contest," sponsored in conjunction with the Pigeon Farmers' Festival by the Pigeon Jaycees.

Parents of babies from age three months to 18 months may submit photographs no larger than 5 x 7 by June 28 to Beautiful Baby Contest Chairman Rhonda Buehler. Pictures will be on display with a ballot box at Thumb National Bank & Trust Co., Pigeon from Monday, July 8 through Friday, July 26 for voting by the public.

"This is not a 'beauty contest,'" stresses Buehler, who adds that thousands of dollars worth of playground equipment has been purchased in past years directly as a result of funds raised in the annual contest. First and second places in the boy and girl categories are determined by the amount of money placed in each canister.

"We think ALL babies are beautiful," says Buehler. Winners will be announced during the Friday Night Stage Show on Friday, July 26.

Top-earning babies will be awarded savings accounts, stuffed animals and will have their pictures taken as a memento. Each baby will take home a certificate of participation and will have his or her picture in The Progress-Advance Farmers' Festival Edition published at festival time.

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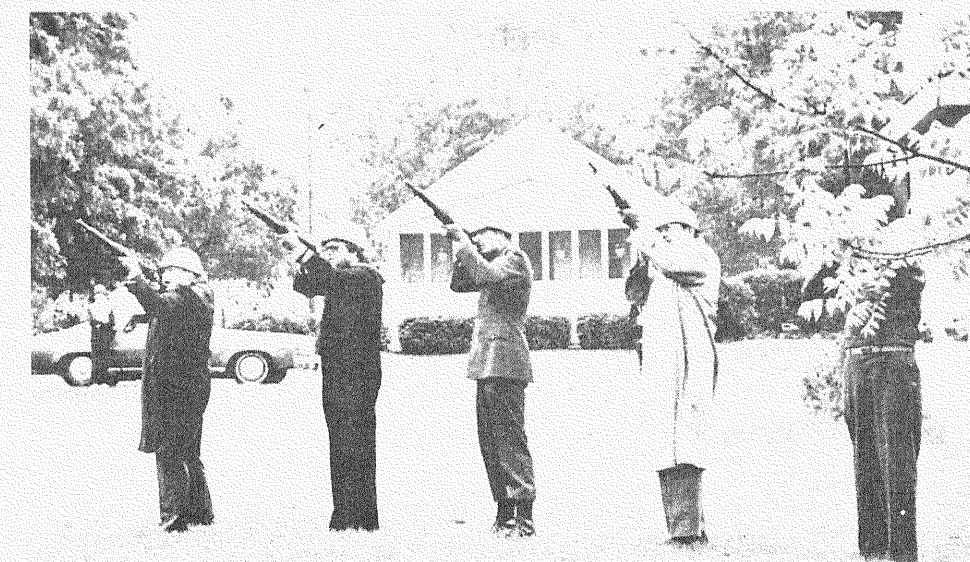
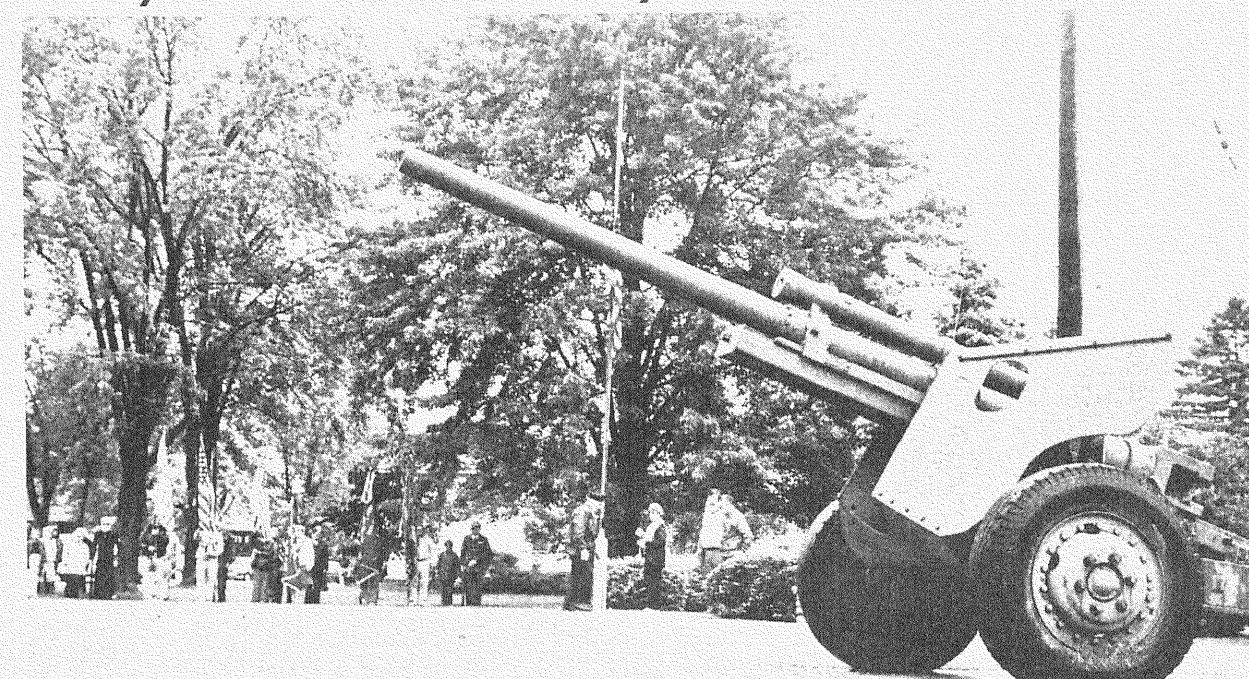


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Rainy Memorial Day observed in area



Men and women killed in war times, who died to help keep our land free, were remembered and honored in wet ceremonies last Monday in Bay Port, Pigeon and elsewhere.

ABOVE, about 50 persons gathered at the Steele-Lambert American Legion Post 533 Memorial in a rain-shortened ceremony Monday morning. Here, the half-staff U.S. flag is being raised, bordered by the weapon and memories of war.

AT LEFT, rain-protected honor guardsmen fire the traditional salute.

BELOW, the Tip of the Thumb VFW Post 2236 Honor Guard representing all services salutes during ceremonies moved into Pigeon's VFW Hall, due to continuing rains. About 220 persons attended the short service.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY, MR. PIG — Hope you remembered to send a birthday card to America's best-known hog. Yep, Porky Pig celebrated his 50th birthday Tuesday, and no doubt he and Petunia painted the town red, (er, maybe pink...) He's been one of the most recognized members of the Warner Brothers cartoon crew (along with Bugs Bunny, Elmer Fudd, Foghorn Leghorn, Yosemite Sam and others) for many years. The true genius behind all those folks, of course, is master voice-man Mel Blanc, who does all those characters.

Porky deserves a little recognition, anyway, as he starts middle-age, doesn't he?

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SPEAKING OF KID THINGS — Generally I don't like writing about typical column topics here. When I read how this writer or that writer says "I had a terrible day yesterday, etc.," I turn right past that jibberish. I always figure half the readers don't care, and the other half are GLAD you had a bad day, too.

But I can't help sharing the question and frustration I had Monday night.

I guess I'm what you'd call a man-child. Why? I can't decide which way to go — stay a kid or become a full-time adult.

Monday night, I was pouring a glass of pop at home and couldn't decide what to add to it — rum for a rum and cola or ice cream for an ice cream float!

Decisions, decisions...

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WE'RE GENEROUS FOLKS — Americans contributed more than \$74.2 billion last year to philanthropic causes last year, according to the American Association of Fund-Raising. The record amount shows an increase of 11.1% over 1983 giving, and it went to 300,000 non-profit organizations in health, education, social welfare and the arts.

Our rough estimate puts that figure at \$264 contributed by every man, woman and child in our land — but that's not how it works. Companies, bequests and foundations give much money — and we'd bet the national average per person is much more like \$25 or \$50. Honestly.

It's a good thing our giving is going up, too. Federal support for non-profit organizations declined by \$17 billion in the past three years.

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WISH I'D SAID THAT — "A house is built of logs and stones, of tiles and posts and piers. A home is built of loving deeds, that stand a thousand years."

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

TAT GETS NEW LEADER

L. Stanley Brockebrough of East Tawas has been hired as the new director of the Thumb Area Transit system, effective this month. He replaces Brad Diamond of Caseville, who has taken a consulting job with a transportation manufacturing firm in Pontiac.

Brockebrough is director of the Iosco County Transit System, and will receive \$23,000 annually for the local position, to increase to \$24,000 in October.

NO MORE FREE SANDBAGS...

Waterfront property owners needing empty sandbags to prevent flooding will be charged 31 cents each for the formerly-free items Huron County receives from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Huron County Emergency Services Director Mike Gage has been informed the Corps will now charge each county for such bags, what works out to be 31 cents each. Huron County Commissioners last week voted to sell the county's supply at that figure, and Gage reminded citizens sandbags cannot be used to build breakwalls or dikes, by Corps order.

JUNE 12 LANDFILL HEARING

A 7 p.m. public hearing has been set for Wednesday, June 12 at the Arbel Township Hall near Caro, to discuss a waste recovery operation on Tuscola Road.

Planned is a recycling operation to sort household refuse on the 116-acre former landfill site, with up to 100 tons of capacity per day, according to site owner Charles Oliver, Jr., of Genesee Township.

Refuse and garbage would be dumped into a 2500-foot-high conveying system, which would allow burning or recycling glass, metals and trash. No burning would occur at the site, but combustible trash would be sold to another firm, as would metals and glass.

AIRPORT MEETINGS THURSDAY

The Michigan Aeronautics Commission's two proposed public meetings on the proposed Caseville Township Airport are planned this Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m., and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., both at the Caseville Township Hall.

The meetings are to help outline the planned airport's environmental impact statement, according to organizers.

NEW TV TOWER SITE FOUND

The Thumb Area will get another independent television station early in 1986, when Channel 61 goes on the air from a tower site in Buena Vista Township, east of Saginaw.

Station owners Bruce Mayer of Connecticut and Dexter Merry of Arkansas say their station will show non-network programs, similar to Detroit's WKBD-TV 50. Featured will be syndicated shows, children's programs and sports events. Both men are Michigan natives.

CASS CITY MAN WINS \$17,500

Persons who watch TV's "Sale of the Century" may have noticed Cass City resident Terry Brinkman's appearances last week, which earned him \$17,500 in prizes and cash from four days of winnings.

He invested in two trips to California for tests and repeat screenings which cost him \$1500, but the prizes were worth it, he told The Cass City Chronicle.

TRAXLER GETS FEW FEES

U.S. Rep. J. Bob Traxler (D-Bay City) earned only \$2000 above his basic \$72,366 salary, according to reports filed in Washington, D.C. He was paid \$1000 each for two speeches last year, to the Cast Metals Association and the National Council of Farm Cooperatives. Rep. Traxler reported no other income from any business, and showed no debts.

Congressmen are allowed about \$21,000 extra income, according to rules, from speaking engagements, article writing and so on. Persons earning more than that maximum amount normally donate the excess to various charities.

M-53 DETOUR AT CASS CITY

Traffic carrying M-53 over the north branch of the Cass River near Cass City will be detoured onto M-81, Cemetery and Bay City-Forestville Roads, for additional travel of eight miles, according to the Michigan Department of Transportation.

The Cass River bridge is being widened and repaired, with work to be completed by August. The traffic now flows through Cass City.

POLICE BLOTTER NEWS

■ About \$20,000 in damages were reported from a Memorial Day fire at an unoccupied house owned by Steven Craig, Bad Axe, on Soulestown Road in Chandler Township. Oliver Township Firemen were called to the scene about 3 p.m. May 27, and found the house engulfed in flames. Bad Axe and Kinde Firemen assisted.

■ Huron County Sheriff Department's Marine Patrol rescued three men from Saginaw Bay, after their boat capsized May 25. Richard Burkowski, 39, Robert Deachin, 53, both of Lake Orion, and Reynold Tschirhart, 75 of Port Austin, were between North Island and Sand Point when six-foot waves overturned the 15-foot boat. They were uninjured, but the \$2200 boat they were using was lost.

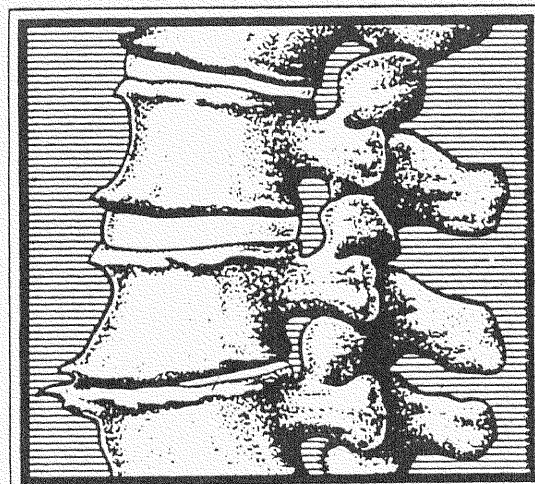
■ Caseville Police are looking for three pistols taken from Officer Larry Wilding's apartment in the Red Fox Apartment building sometime May 25 or 26. Loss is valued at \$375, and some coins and jewelry were also taken when someone broke open a glass panel on a door.

■ Police are investigating a Kinde area house break-in which occurred last Tuesday or Wednesday. Marge Smith told Sheriff's Deputies her Barrie Road house was entered by kicking in a door. A waterbed was damaged and the water run-off damaged floor and basement items.

■ Two sleeping bags, pillows and other items valued at \$150 were stolen May 26 from Richard Welker of Flint, at Duggan's Family Campground, Port Austin. The theft occurred.

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subluxation: \səb·ləks·'ā·shən\ n.



WHAT SYMPTOMS WILL A SUBLUXATION EXHIBIT?

1. **Pain.** Pain is the one symptom that motivates most people to see a chiropractor. Pain is an alarm your body has set off. Ironically, pain is often the last symptom to show up, but the first to disappear during the healing process.

2. **Fixation.** This shows up as a reduction or loss of mobility in one or more joints of the spine. Fixation, and when just one joint in the spine fixates, it causes all the other areas of the spine to work overtime, creating unnecessary wear and tear, possibly leading to osteoarthritis.

A "subluxation" means that two or more parts of your spinal column have gotten out of alignment. They cease working, and in most cases, stop moving the way nature intended. As a result, these subluxations not only cause pain, but also interfere with the proper functioning and healing of other vital parts of your body. Therefore, it is your chiropractor's primary concern to correct any subluxations you might have and adjust your spine back to proper alignment and mobility.

3. **Edema.** This is when fluid fills into the damaged joint area causing swelling, similar to what happens when you twist an ankle.

4. **Inflammation.** The damaged area is often inflamed. This inflammation and swelling usually occur during the early stages of a vertebral subluxation.

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Imagine you had one hour each day when you would have no interruptions, phone calls, visitors, meetings, kids' screams for help -- one hour designed to work quietly on a project of your choice. You could accomplish a great deal in that short time, compared with most hours in most people's days.

The federal Commerce Department's U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service has designed a work time they call the "Quiet Hour" each day aimed directly at the proven fact that uninterrupted people get things done. Quickly. Well. Easily.

Each day between 3 and 4 p.m., the Commercial Service allows no telephone calls, no meetings, no coffee breaks or personal errands and visiting -- just uninterrupted work. The "Quiet Hour" has been so successful in its first two months of operation that other agencies (and non-government companies) are looking at it enviously.

It sounds like something a kindergarten teacher might call for, but it's serious business in time management. It started in April, when a new employee -- who had run his own business in Texas -- looked around and decided something was wrong with the environment in which public officials work.

So Kenn George of Midland, Texas and 270 others in that agency agreed to do nothing but work during that hour. No gossiping, no personal phone calls home. Nothing but work. "We meet to death around here," George said about the former business method. "It kills your productivity."

"Think about it," George says. "You're trying to write something and you're in the middle

Superintendent's Corner
Annual school election



By HARRY BRUNET
LAKER SCHOOLS
SUPERINTENDENT

This coming Monday, June 10, the registered voters of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools will be going to the polls. This same election process will be conducted in every school district throughout our state. On the ballot you will have a choice of electing a member or members to the Board of Education. On a separate ballot a proposition could appear for a set amount of money for a particular building project, commonly referred to as a bond issue. Another separate ballot will have a proposition requesting a set amount of millage for school operational purposes.

In our particular situation, a proposition for a bond issue is out of the question. Our school buildings are in excellent condition and we have more than adequate room. With our long-time building improvements, there is no need to bond for a renovation project.

With our Annual School Election coming up Monday, June 10, we have two ballots for voter approval. One ballot will be for two vacancies on our Board of Education. Both vacancies are for a four-year term. Also will be a request to approve 4.5 mills for operational purposes. Of this 4.5 mills, 3.5 are a renewal with 1.0 mill being the additional. In previous news releases, we have explained our millage structure and how we rank well below the state average and rank second lowest in millage requests in Huron County.

Some folks may question the need for an additional one mill for school operation. Let's take a look at a few of the things this millage pays for. Our Number One priority is that of providing good basic educational programs at all grade levels. Recently we have made a complete study and review of our curriculum offerings. These reviews have resulted in spending several thousand dollars to upgrade textbooks and course offerings. Many of these improvements are the direct result of the Presidential Commission on Educational Excellence and our own state's Blue Print for Action.

Other operational expenses are transportation, teaching supplies and materials for the classroom, utilities, library materials, computers and computer software, salaries and fringe benefits for all school personnel, insurance on contents, and the upkeep and maintenance of buildings and grounds. We would like to feel that all of our taxpayers receive ample benefit from the school taxes paid. This applies to those who have children just entering school, those who have children currently attending school and those residents who no longer have children in school.

Please stop and think before placing your mark on the ballot. Think of the total benefit derived by all residents by having an excellent educational program. We have always had very good support of our schools. I honestly feel that our Laker students are very special and are deserving of your continued support.

of an idea when the phone rings. You stop and talk, then you try to pick up the idea, but someone comes in to talk, so you stop again. That's inefficient."

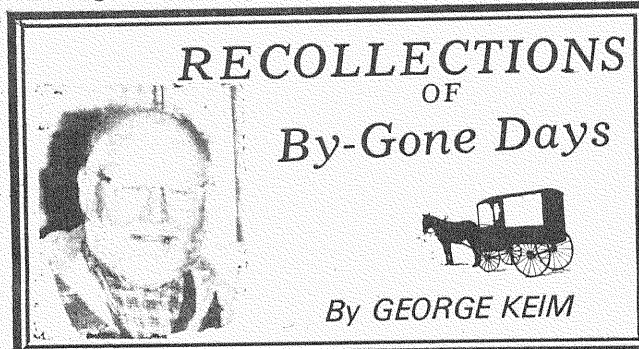
Phone calls don't go through, thanks to secretaries. Callers are asked to call back after the "Quiet Hour" or have messages taken, for return contacts after 4 p.m. The idea isn't new, but the response is excellent. One secretary says she gets more typing done in that hour than she usually does in a half day. "I used to come in on Saturdays, when it was quiet, to catch up, but now I don't have to," she says.

This experiment would work well in nearly every business. We often don't realize how intrusive the telephone is in our lives.

Storeowners may be waiting on a customer who has walked into their store, when the telephone rings -- and sales people drop what they're doing to answer the call. No matter that the customer standing there, who has come into the store, has to wait.

Phones shouldn't interrupt "in-person" customers. Likewise, people working on many types of jobs shouldn't constantly be interrupted by random phone calls, as we've discussed in this space in the past.

The "Quiet Hour" sounds like the kind of idea more governmental agencies should adopt -- and which lots of businesses could use well, too. It's one hour a day, at least, when you could get lots of work done.



DEAR EDITOR:

Last Sunday, I attended Graduation Exercises at Laker High School, and it was a very good service. The speakers were very good and it just goes to show that if people have what it takes, they still can get ahead here in this good U.S.A.

After the program, I went to Rosemary Smith's open house in Bay Port. At first I didn't think I'd know anybody there, but I knew a lot of people and had a very good time. I had a nice visit with Willard Miller and his wife. His mother went to school with my older brother and sister. And if a person is a little outgoing, you can get along anywhere.

This time of year, we used to have our school picnic in the country schools. On that day, the farmers took off and the whole family would go to have a potluck dinner at the schools. Sometimes people used to come who didn't even have children.

They always had a baseball game and some of the old men used to play. The next day, they'd be so stiff they could hardly walk, but they really used to enjoy it.

I remember once they had a tug of war between the north and south. Somebody had brought a long hay rope and the men took hold and started to pull. They were so nearly alike, they just couldn't move. Then one of the men from the southside called his wife to help. She wasn't a very big woman, but she got ahead and pulled the whole line!

Those days, all the farm boys knew how to freeze ice cream, so when it came to ice cream eating time, it was a big event.

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sombody brought some ice out of an ice house (because at that time, a lot of farmers had ice houses). The ladies brought the stuff and we had to freeze the ice cream right here.

Well, once there were about four of us boys, who were supposed to do the cranking. We had three freezers, two one-gallon ones and a two-gallon one.

Well, there was a very big crowd there and they ate it as fast as we could make it. Finally, they brought out the stuff was all gone. There was just enough ice to freeze it.

One fellow said if we don't take our share out of that freezer, we wouldn't get any, so when it was frozen, he took off the top and started to eat with his hands! He took out a lot and we saw the teacher coming for the freezer, so he quickly put the cover back on.

The teacher took the freezer in and when we got in, I heard the teacher say she's sorry but the ice cream is all gone, and the last freezer wasn't even full. Well, there was still a lot left to eat, so we didn't go hungry.

Well, when I went to school I didn't see far ahead, but I only went to the eighth grade and that was 59 years ago.

I like the verse in Prov. 1:7, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge." So if you love the Lord and do his will, no matter how much schooling you get, you just don't get the knowledge you need.

SINCERELY YOURS,
GEORGE KEIM

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Roses AND Thorns
By MARK KARLS

On being human

The setting is the baseball diamond behind Pigeon Elementary School. The situation is that your team has come from a 13 run deficit to pull within three going into the last inning -- none of which was helped by you since you have not had a hit or walk all game. Now is your chance to redeem yourself!

You come up to the batter's box with two men on base and no outs. You represent the tying run. And what happens? Well, to make an emotional story short, you strike out (slow pitch, yet!), the rally soon ends and your team loses 17 to 16. What do you do for an encore?

Life seems to dish out such humbling experiences on occasion. This particular experience was easy to put together because the events were true and it happened to me last night (at the time of this writing!). It is extremely difficult for me to come up with great and fantastic things when I wish I could die (figuratively speaking, of course).

I was hoping I could hide out behind my typewriter today and not have to see anyone. Unfortunately, I had an area pastor's meeting this morning at Cross Lutheran Church. The first words spoken after entering the room came from Father Ben of St. Francis Borgia Catholic church (the team we played last night ... ugh, I could just die). He wanted to know who that old man on the field was last night.

It was at that point that all of us just laughed. Sure it was a rotten feeling last night. But there are more important things in life than sports (not many, though!). These experiences do have good reasons for happening. Let me explain.

A few years ago a dear lady in another community wanted to invite her neighbors over for a "women's Bible Study." Most of the women graciously accepted the invitation and the lady put on an event fit for a queen. I mean, her house was immaculate. Her personal appearance and grooming were impeccable. She served hors d'oeuvres that took hours to prepare. The study was well prepared, challenging and relevant to the women. Everything was perfect. The ladies had a great time and all agreed to a six-week commitment with the study.

Each week the lady hosted the study with the same immaculate house, same impeccable dress, top quality hors d'oeuvres and a well prepared and relevant study. And each week the women had a wonderful time. But something was definitely lacking. None of the women were responding to the Biblical claims of the study. No one showed the least bit of interest in knowing God better.

Finally, one week the woman woke up with a terrible headache. Her husband was under added pressure and the kids seemed extra ornery that morning. Her hors d'oeuvres flopped and burned in the oven. Due to other delays she had no adequate dress to wear and had no time to set her hair. The house was a mess and she saw everything she had hoped for in this Bible study going down the drain.

So she tried calling a few of her neighbors to cancel the study that morning. But they were out on errands and would eventually come straight to her house. What do you do? It was one of those haunting moments that life dishes out now and then.

When the women came, she apologized for the mess and asked if they would like to come back when the hors d'oeuvres were ready. Well, since they were all already there they decided to go ahead with the study. After realizing the lady was not well prepared for the study, the other ladies started asking questions about God, about the Bible, about why Christ had to die, about the lady's personal spiritual life, etc. And everyone of the ladies made a commitment of their lives to God that morning.

The lady hosting the study was beside herself. Why was everyone all of a sudden interested in spiritual things on that day when everything went wrong?

The ladies to a person agreed on what had changed their attitudes. Prior to that morning the other ladies had all thought the lady hosting the event did not have any problems. I mean, her life was perfect. Just look at her house, her appearance, her food, her study preparation. All of the ladies stood in awe of the hostess. They figured she could never understand them with all their problems. Their inability to identify with her shut them off from identifying with her God.

They needed a God who could, as it were, roll up His sleeves

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Missionary thanks Pigeon for Ethiopian relief

DEAR EDITOR:

This letter is to tell everyone who donated grain that it has, indeed, reached Ethiopia.

Have you been wondering if the beans and corn that you all have donated for the starving masses of people in Ethiopia ever really reached its destination?

Well, you can believe it has and that the corn and beans from Pigeon, Michigan have landed in the center of the country and are now in Addis Ababa at the rail station on Churchill Street, waiting to clear customs. I saw it with my own eyes. I went to the rail station as someone who was going along for the ride and what to my wondering eyes did appear but corn that was shed from that big fat ear!

I had to look twice before it registered what was printed on the bag in bold red letters really said "PIGEON CO-OP, PIGEON, MICHIGAN." I think I even saw John Shetler's name on there somewhere.

Yes, your gift will be very much appreciated by these people. Even as you read this, people will be eating of it and you will have perhaps saved a number of lives by your generous gift. You have helped and everyone who receives it will be most grateful. You have no doubt heard of Wallis, an impoverished province in the North, and must of this will be going there. Also, some will go to Northern Shoa, as well as some to the south of Ethiopia in Gama Gofa.

Here in Bale where I am living we are beginning to see some effects of the hungry and poor who have now run out of food and we may be asked to start some sort of feeding program in the future. However, right at this time we are enjoying some very heavy rains and Praise the Lord for that!

A hearty thank you comes from myself, from Menomite Mission-Ethiopia and also from all those who are reached by your gift.

"Excerstale" is an Amharic word which means "May God Give Also to You."

Charlene Neer
Mennonite Missions
Ethiopia

American Cancer Society chairmen laud community

DEAR EDITOR:

The American Cancer Crusade of the Village of Pigeon has been completed with a total of \$1,799.12.

We want to personally thank local business establishments and individuals who donated so generously to this drive.

To find causes cancer.

To find new ways to prevent and cure cancer.

To make our neighbors aware of cancer symptoms.

To alleviate pain and suffering for the victims of cancer.

A special thanks to VFW Ladies Auxiliary #2236, Pigeon Jaycees and other volunteers who gave time, effort and donations.

Thank you,
Mrs. Anita Gettel
Mrs. Jessie Otto
Co-chairmen

P - A readers present views

Pigeon reader shares personal experience in response to editorial

DEAR EDITOR:

As I read your editorial "We can't 'help' people die" (May 28) in which you mentioned that 10,000 people live in comas in our country, I could not help but think of my mother, who died several weeks ago after seven months in a coma, following a stroke.

Some years earlier our family had signed a statement that our aged parents not be given artificial life supports. We did not anticipate the questions we would face: Was her feeding tube a life support? (Some doctors feel it is and some do not). Was the oxygen she at times received a life support? Because we too believed in the Biblical standard of life's importance, as you mentioned, we struggled with these questions and searched for answers. Death came peacefully and naturally a few months after her 93rd birthday. But for

younger people in a coma, life can go on for many years.

Families who face these perplexing issues and I do not think the answer is so simple. In some circumstances it may be the

RIGHT thing to aid a person in dying -- not by violent means, as in the cases mentioned in your editorial, but by taking away all artificial means of prolonging life.

One thing we ourselves can do if we are strongly op-

posed to having our own lives prolonged artificially after we have ceased to function as human beings is to be

sure our families know our wishes in a very specific way. Even then, the issue

may not be clear cut, as our family found out. But it MAY aid in making a decision that no individual really wants to make for another.

Mrs. Paul Gingerich
Pigeon

Encourages 'no vote' on millage

DEAR EDITOR:

To the voters of Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District.

On June 10, the Laker School District is asking for a renewal in operating millage of 3.5 plus an additional mill for operating, for a total of 4.5 mills.

In January of this year, the property values in Lake Township increased about 6%, which gave the Laker School District a 6½% increase in school tax money. Then the state came through in April with another increase of almost 7%, making a total increase in our

township of about 13% projected for the 1985 tax year. The last time a millage increase was passed, the superintendent of Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port passed along a salary increase immediately.

The operating millage should not be increased by an extra mill at this time. There are other townships in the Laker district that have had similar increases by the state this year.

This is my opinion of the upcoming millage election.

Joseph K. Feger
3511 Pt. Austin Road
Port Austin, MI 48467
Lake Township



CHEESE BALL

2 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese
1 jar Old English cheese
½ lb. Roque Blue cheese
1 Tbsp. minced onion
Dash cayenne pepper

1 c. chopped parsley, reserve 2 tsp.
1 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 c. finely chopped pecans, reserve 2 tsp.

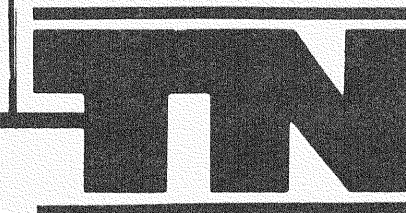
Cream all the cheeses together. Add onions, Worcestershire, pepper, parsley and pecans. Mix well, then chill. When chilled enough to handle, mold into ball. Roll ball into reserved parsley and pecans, coating well. Cover with waxed paper, and keep in refrigerator. Will keep up to two weeks. Serve with crackers.

GRAHAM CRACKER ICE CREAM

2 c. finely rolled graham cracker crumbs
1 c. whipping cream, whipped
1 pt. milk
½ c. white sugar
1 tsp. vanilla

Whip the cream, then add sugar and vanilla. Add crumbs and milk. Freeze to mushy stage and stir. Put back in freezer for 1 hour. Stir again. Nutmeats may be added. Makes 1 quart.

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3 cups of orange juice
1 ½ cups lemon juice
Make sure these juices are cold. At serving time slowly add
42 oz. of 7up
1 tray of ice cubes
Garnish with mint leaves.
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GOLD RUSH BRUNCH

4 TBS. butter 8 eggs
½ tsp. salt 1 cup sour cream (cultured)
2 cups milk 10 sausage links
½ cup flour 2 Lbs. hash browns
¼ tsp. pepper

Melt butter. Blend in flour, salt and pepper. Add milk. Cook till thick and bubbly. Remove from heat and add sour cream. Pour over hash browns. Put sausages in square 9x13 pan. Bake uncovered at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Remove and make indentations in square with ice cream scoop and put egg in hole. Bake 15 to 20 minutes longer.

Wayne County's Lucas applauded by area GOP

BAD AXE — Huron County Republicans gave high marks to Wayne County Executive William L. Lucas, who addressed about 100 Huron residents in a get-

acquainted tour that brought him into the Thumb Tuesday morning, May 28 for the first time since he switched from the Democratic to the Republican Party.

Lucas is expected by Democrats and Republicans to announce himself as a candidate — possibly for governor or senator.

Fiscal responsibility has been one of the Wayne Coun-

ty Executive's main themes and he practices what he preaches. When he took over the position on Jan. 1, 1983, the county was \$330 million in the red, and last year the county showed a surplus, the first in several decades — and without an increase in taxes.

The new Republican said many things that pleased his Thumb audience —

■ Don't begin a new governmental program unless you have a way to finance it;

■ "I would not come to Lansing looking for handouts."

■ Tourism is offering tremendous opportunities for greater business throughout the state. "... with proper help from the state, tourism should be pushing the auto industry to become to No. 1 industry in Michigan."

■ Service to your state or country is "a wonderful thing," but "you have to start with a commitment ... wherever you serve."

Having been elected to his position in Wayne County with more than 75% of the votes, Lucas was asked about the wisdom of moving into a new area, new party and new constituency. He answered that he expects to see new voting patterns, not only for the next election but for many years to come.

Lucas added that he feels he can transfer leadership to new levels, pointing out how he had moved from teaching school, to working for the U.S. Treasury, then the FBI, and then running for Wayne County Sheriff, where he served 14 years. Feeling the need to fulfill another and a larger responsibility, he was elected as the county's first executive. To make those changes, he said, required courage, but it was possible to succeed in the changes because he felt a need to do it, and he was willing to make the commitment that it took to succeed.

He stressed his acquaintance with Huron County Sheriff Richard Stokan, and he told of his concern in providing a plan for more jail cells to house the growing number of criminals. There is an immediate need for 4,000 prison beds, he said, and Lucas added that he feels a jail is a good "business" for an area.

"Jails are not affected by inflation or depression" and "prison population goes up in good times and bad times.

With laundry, food and market services in a jail, it amounts to a 50/50 business with municipalities.

Thanks A Million

DEAR MR. KOSS:

Being a grandmother living in a nursing home really has put me on a small income. So I'm writing to ask a little favor for my youngest daughter.

She has two children, a boy and girl, who were born with hearing disabilities. They both have to wear hearing aids. One day she looked at me and said, "Mom, I would give anything if I wouldn't have to buy batteries. They cost so much."

Mr. Ross, if you could help her out with a month's supply, it would mean so much to me as a mother and a grandmother. — Mrs. A.S., Philadelphia, Pa.

DEAR MRS. S.:

I hear you, Grandma. No matter how old we get, our children are always our children, and it feels good to help them. The check I've mailed will purchase a year's supply of hearing aid batteries for both children.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

I'm a 21 year old girl admitting to a stupid mistake. When I was real young my friends always used to pick on me for the mustache I had. I also had a lot of hair on my belly and bikini area. So I decided to shave it off.

I didn't realize that it would only grow back two and three times worse. Well, now I'm old enough to realize what I've done, but it's too late. I have to shave once a day and can no longer wear a swimsuit. I am extremely self-conscious of this, as well as disgusted.

I'm going to be married soon. My fiancé knows of my mustache, but that's all. I don't know what to do when the wedding night comes along. I'm going to be a nervous wreck. If there is anyway that you could help me, financially or with advice, I would appreciate it. I'm so tired of having to hide by body. — A.P. Atlantic City, N.J.

DEAR MISS P.:

I spoke to Dr. Frank Sindoni in Somers Point and learned that you are not alone. Many women suffer



By PERCY ROSS

from unwanted problem hair. Phone Dr. Sindoni for an appointment to discuss your situation. I'll pay for the consultation. Good luck!

DEAR MR. ROSS:

After going back many generations into my family tree, I've learned that I'm a relative of Christopher Columbus. For years I've been longing for a boat. Since I live on a lake, I'm in the perfect position to own one. Help me fulfill my destiny by purchasing a small boat for me. — T.D., Santa Ana, Calif.

DEAR MR. D.:

I guess I should be thankful you're not a relative of Henry Ford. Sorry.

It's a boy!

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Heck of Houston, Tex., a son, Adam Derrick, born April 15.

He weighed 6 lbs. 10 oz. at birth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heck of Pigeon, Mrs. Shirley Kelly of Houston, Tex. and Fred Hillebrandt of Beaumont, Tex.

It's a girl!

A new daughter has joined the family of Jim and Sue Sting of Pigeon, following her birth on Saturday, June 1 at 5:58 a.m. at Scheurer Hospital.

Emily Lynn weighed 7 lbs. 9½ oz. and measured 19 inches long at birth.

Proud grandparents are Mrs. Eldon Sting of Pigeon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Brien of Milwaukee, Wisc. Great-grandparents are Mamie Sting of Pigeon, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Behling of Milwaukee, Wisc. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Brien of Wild Rose, Wisc.

She joins a sister, Deborah, age 21 months, at home.

Service news

Airman John A. Licht, son of Ervin F. Licht and stepson of Esther E. Schultz of Elkton has been assigned to Kessler Air Force Base, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex. the airman studies the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits towards an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialized training in the administration field. He is a 1980 graduate of Laker High School.

Folks are visiting in, around Pigeon

By DOROTHY DIENER

Mrs. Ann Schuette returned home after spending a week with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schuette and children in Auburn and with Mr. and Mrs. James Bridges and children in Midland. They also attended the confirmation of her granddaughter Traci at Trinity Lutheran Church, Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Schnitker of Sebawaing were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Diener following Laker Commencement. They were also guests at the Monday party for Lori Diener, hosted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Diener.

Mrs. Frances Roggenbuck of Zephyrhills, Fla. surprised Mrs. Cletus Cregeur on Sunday to wish her a happy Memorial Day weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stodola of Jenison were weekend guests of her parents, the Loren Elftmans.

On Memorial Day Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rihke were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pamela Rathke and Pamela in Sterling Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eberly visited Sunday with Dr. Kam's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Kamlaparker in Detroit.

Mrs. Frank Deming, Luke and Tom visited Memorial Day weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mort Heintz and family in Milford.

Monday visitors of Mrs. Mabel Clark were Mr. and Mrs. John Depner, Sr. of Caseville.

Mrs. Loetta Radabaugh of Bay City was a Memorial Day visitor of her mother, Mrs. Mabel Clark. On Saturday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grigg in Bad Axe.

Pastor and Mrs. Kenneth Dietzel and family visited Memorial Day weekend with Pastor and Mrs. Alfred Dietzel and family at Hull Lake and also visited other relatives in Grand Rapids.

Memorial Weekend guests of Mrs. Vivian Fischer and family washer daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gardner and family of St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gascho, Mrs. Leon Gunden were weekend guests in Goshen, Ind., where they visited relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leiprandt and Pamela of Midland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Leiprandt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weiss and Patti, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Eden and family were among guests at Lori Diener's graduation party hosted Monday by her parents.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Jimmy were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roestel held a family picnic at their home on Memorial Day with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roestel, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roestel and family and Brenda Burk, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Roestel and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stevenson.

Mrs. Viola Schuette, Mrs. Dorothy Young and Mrs. Jennie Bruce spent Wednesday through Sunday with LCDM and Mrs. Ronald Greene in Slidell, La. and attended the graduation of Mrs. Schuette's grandson, John Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schuette attended the confirmation of their grandson, David Schuette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claire Schuette at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Cass City. They were dinner guests at his parents' home following services.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Trost returned home Saturday after wintering in California. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Trost and family of Farmington and Pastor Louann Trost of Carlisle, Pa.

Richard Bolger of St. Clair Shores was a Memorial Day caller of his aunt, Mrs. Ida Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dubs attended graduation parties for Allan Gies and Ronald Dubs after their Laker graduation on Sunday.

Leann Blair of Bad Axe and Melissa Ropp and Becky Ropp spent the weekend with their grandmother Mrs. Mary Ropp.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gerstenschlager and family of Saginaw and Lori McIntyre of Birch Run were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maust, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diener left Friday to visit Pastor and Mrs. Ronald Diener, Mrak and Ann in Williston, Ohio. On Sunday they attended Ann's graduation from Genoa High School. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Diener and Lori also attended the graduation and party.

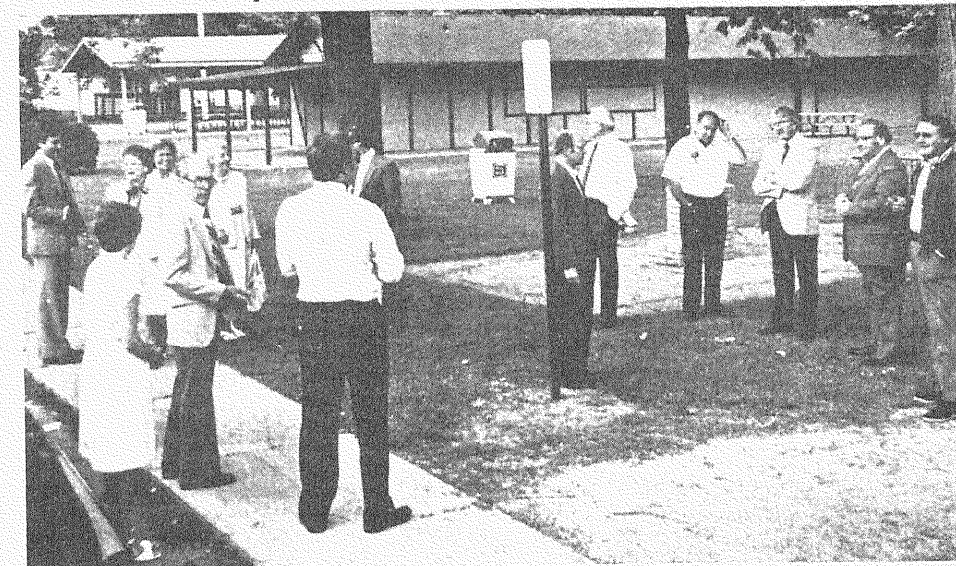
Local officials 'compare notes' at meeting

About 60 village, township and county officials, together with spouses, took part in the 1985 get-together for Sebawaing, Gagetown and Owendale and Pigeon village personnel who meet annually for the traditional Mayor Exchange Day and Michigan Week observance.

Sebawaing officials took the visitors on a tour of village facilities — including the Sebawaing Light and Water Department plant, police offices, street and sewage equipment garages, village park and Sebawaing Boat Launch. Later the officials and their guests met at Annabelle's for a buffet dinner and program, which was emceed by Village President Walt Engelhard and Michigan Week Chairman Norman Hensel. Guest speakers were Sheriff Richard Stokan and 34th District State Senator James Barcia.

Stokan commended the officials for taking time to compare towns and counties and described how villages and other governmental units can benefit by applying what they see in other localities to their own agencies. He also spoke about the need for more jail beds, saying that "people want criminals off the streets."

Senator Barcia, too, commended local officials for getting together at grassroots level, and urged them to convey their needs and findings to state level. "You can see the problems better than we," he told them. He spoke of the coming Huron County Awareness Day on July 15 and described various programs that are designed to help the tourism industry, which he predicted will play a bigger role in the Thumb's economy. He said revenue sharing is being increased an average of 7% and declared the DNR will receive more money for marine patrols. In speaking of cooperation between himself and Sheriff Stokan, Barcia called the Huron County sheriff "the best sheriff in Michigan" for leadership and communication. Both men, he said, are displeased with the huge backlog of 10,000 cases in welfare fraud and both Barcia and Stokan have compromised in trying to pass a bill that would select 10 counties where state and county efforts would unite for new approaches to making social service spending for effective and economical.



VILLAGE OFFICIALS Norris Diebel and Don Otto can be found in this crowd of local government workers who gathered in Sebawaing.

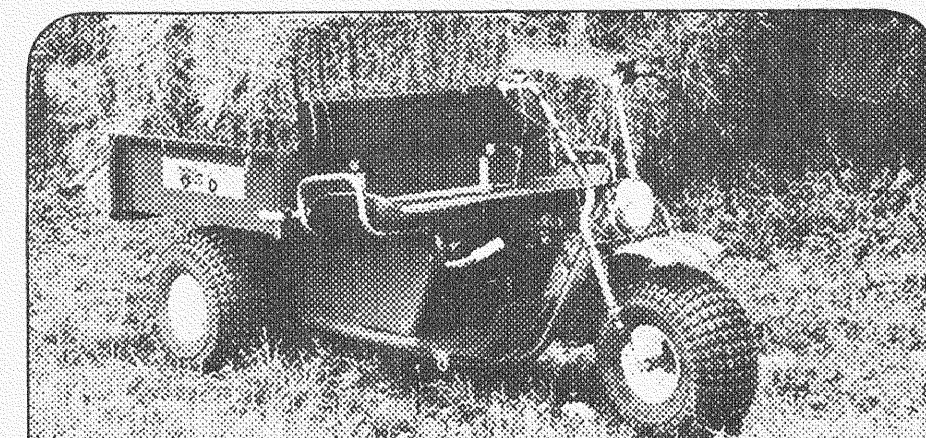
SEBWAING BLADE-CRESCENT PHOTO

Stokan said there is a great need for limitations on liability for businesses, medical facilities and government offices. The sheriff said some lid must be put on too-high legal suits which are causing insurance rates to skyrocket, forcing businessmen and medical personnel out of business. He said that "false arrest insurance" costs Huron County about \$30,000 each year in premiums. Barcia, too, spoke about the sums that exorbitant awards cost local government units and said he sets a high priority on some kind of limitations.

PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

The Michigan Aeronautics Commission will host and chair two information sessions for those that have questions relating to the proposed Caseville Township Airport. Both sessions will be on Thursday June 6th at the Caseville Township Hall. The first session will be from 3:00 to 5:00 P.M. The second session will be from 6:30 to 8:30 P.M. Representatives of MAC, the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of the Interior, the DNR and township officials will be on hand to answer questions.

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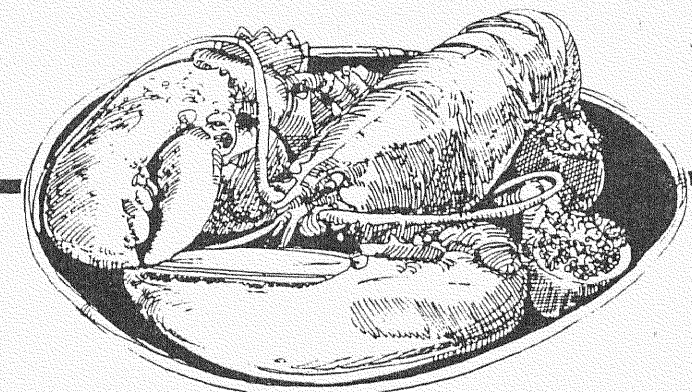
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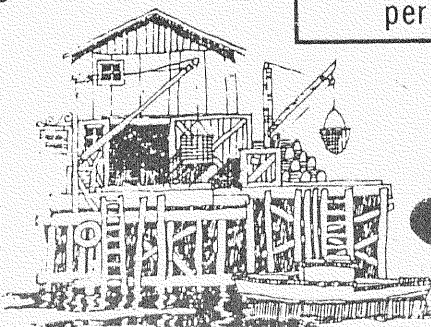
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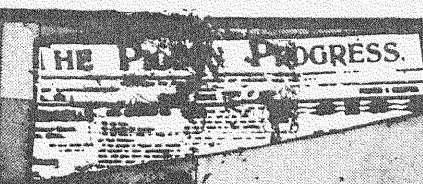
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Henry Weiberg, Caseville, has been awarded the contract to build a town hall for the newly formed township of McKinley. It will be built on the southwest corner of Thomas Wilfong's farm.

The town boards of McKinley and Caseville townships met Monday for the purpose of dividing the town line between Caseville and McKinley.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eimer of Winsor Twp., a son on Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner, Winsor, on Sunday, a son.

Dr. W.T. Morrison of Pigeon and Miss Christina M. Beatty of Sarnia, Ont. were united in marriage on Wednesday.

Daniel Dyer, formerly of McComb, OH, is the new publisher of the Caseville Critic, succeeding S.H. Cochran.

Attorney A.H. Sauer is now located in his office in the Schlachter building in Pigeon.

During the electrical shower Monday afternoon, lightning struck the Presbyterian Church in Elkton, knocking off the chimney and considerable plaster.

The cornerstone of the new Lutheran Church in Pigeon will be laid with appropriate services Tuesday afternoon, June 20.

70 YEARS AGO

JUNE 11, 1915
A Farmers and Gleaners picnic will be held in the

grove west of Pigeon, known as Pedler flats, on Friday, June 18. The local arbor of Gleaners is in charge and several hundred dollars have been subscribed to pay for prizes and other expenses.

Besides the caledonian games held on the grounds, a baseball game between Bay Port and Elkton will be played on the Pigeon diamond. Speakers will include Grant Slocum, Detroit, Senator F.L. Woodworth and W.A. Schriber. There will be dancing in the McElmurry and Elenbaum Hall in the evening. All are invited to this picnic.

Little Nellie Blakely 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Blakely, Grant Twp., drowned in the Pigeon River Saturday morning.

Rev. Bowles delivered the baccalaureate address to the graduating class of Pigeon High School in the German M.E. Church Sunday evening. The attendance was large, notwithstanding the uncomfortable weather.

A barn raising was held at the Louis Davis farm yesterday.

Michigan Bulletin of Vital Statistics reports 92 births and 34 deaths for Huron County during April.

Annual Mission Fest of the Pigeon Lutheran Church will be held in the Fred Trost grove on June 30. Rev. Blumh of Woodville, OH and Rev. Miller, Saginaw, will be among the speakers.

60 YEARS AGO

JUNE 12, 1925
A number of business

places and nine dwellings were destroyed by fire in Gagetown on Tuesday afternoon. The loss is estimated at \$60,000.

Mrs. Phineas Walsh, 34, nee Maria McKeage, died at her home in Bay Port. She is survived by her husband, a daughter and her mother.

Daniel Gnagay, 60, passed away June 7 at his home west of Pigeon. Besides his widow, he leaves six sons: Simon, Elias, Melvin, Joseph, Jonas and Howard and two daughters, Ada and Amelia.

Robert Nichols, 72, a well known citizen of Lake Twp., died Thursday. He is survived by his widow and 3 sons, Elvia, Elvin and William.

10 lbs. sugar 65c at LeBlanc's Store, Caseville. Adv.

Pigeon village president John J. Murdoch and council members have been testing the village water mains and have about decided that as long as the wooden water mains are giving service, it would not be good business to replace them with iron at a cost of from \$15,000 to \$20,000. If they don't replace the wooden mains, the tax rate this year will be reduced to \$1 per hundred valuation. The rate has been \$1.75 for a number of years.

50 YEARS AGO
JUNE 7, 1935

Noah Schlabbach, 65, died Monday at his home in Elkton. He leaves three sons and two daughters.

Wesley Motz, 41, Oliver Township farmer, was trampled to death by a team of frightened colts he was leading. He was a World War veteran. Surviving are his widow, a daughter and his father, William Motz.

Frank Yax, 85, one of the younger of the 42 Civil War veterans in the Thumb, died at his home in Lake Twp. He is survived by 12 children. He was 15 when he marched in Gen. William T. Sherman's army across Georgia and he was present at the surrender of Savannah and Charleston. He served in Co.A, 30th Michigan Infantry.

Roland and Ruth Henne, both of Bay Port, are among 507 Michigan State College seniors who will graduate June 10.

George Parker, 72, pioneer Elkton area resident, passed away. He is survived by his widow, two sons and two daughters.

Hayes Ladies Aid and Womans Home Missionary Society held a joint meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Herb Gettel, McKinley. Officers elected for the Missionary Society are Mrs. Card, Mrs. Robert Stewart and Mrs. Floyd Richmond.

Another large crowd attended the Saturday night program in Pigeon which included selections by the Pigeon Band, Miss Hamather and a group of students from the Turner School, Roland Danks and Clarence Eichler, Mrs. G.J. Belding, Billie Steadman, Leona Braun and J.G. Buerker. The drawing prizes were won by Mrs. John Steinman, Mrs. Christ Licht and Albertus Chioti.

40 YEARS AGO

JUNE 8, 1945
Allen Smith, S 2/C, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, advised his parents that he has left for duty in the South Pacific.

The addition to the Orr building in Pigeon, occupied by Niebel's Grocery, has been completed.

Dr. J.E. Wurm, 66, died June 7 in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon. A former Pigeon resident, he was president of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Sebawaing and president and general manager of the Sebawaing Brewing Co.

Joseph Shetler will take over the Winkler Furniture Shop and funeral directing business on Saturday June 9 and will continue the business under the name of Shetler Funeral Service.

Mrs. Samuel Rochefort, 73, died at her home west of Bad Axe. Besides her husband, she leaves five sons and one daughter.

Mrs. Alice Horton, 82, a pioneer of Lake Twp., died last Wednesday. Surviving are three sons and two daughters.

A group of 41 Huron County men will leave Monday, June 11 for the Detroit Induction Station, to be inducted into the armed forces.

Sgt. Howard Maxwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maxwell, Chandler Twp., who has been in military service over four years, including three years with the Medics in New Guinea, has received his honorable discharge and arrived home Friday.

30 YEARS AGO

JUNE 9, 1955
Joseph R. Gwinn, formerly of Pigeon and now president of Peoples Finance Service, Inc., Lansing, was made an honorary alumnus by Michigan State College at the annual alumni luncheon on June 4. College president, Dr. John A. Hannah, said that Mr. Gwinn was the eighth person to be made an honorary alumnus during the 100 years the college has been in existence.

David T. Relford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Relford, Owendale, received a B.S. degree in chemical engineering at Michigan State College June 5. He accepted a position with Dow Corning at Midland and started work June 6.

Emmett L. Raven, retiring county agriculture agent, will be recognized for 28 years of service at a banquet in his honor June 21.

New officers for the 1956 annual alumni banquet at Owendale High School are Duane Ziehm, Barbara Emery and Mrs. Clarence Gaeth. They were elected at the annual alumni dinner and dance Saturday evening.

20 YEARS AGO

JUNE 10, 1965
For the third straight year, the American Legion Jean Post of Caseville will sponsor four boys to attend Wolverine Boys State at Lansing. The boys are Ted Slangster and Charles Langley, Caseville; Mike Alexander and Don Haist, Laker High.

Mark Abraham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Abraham, Pigeon, graduated June 4 from St. Paul Seminary High School in Saginaw. Mark plans to attend Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, in the fall.

Miss Genevieve Buettner, Pigeon, graduated June 2 with a B.A. degree from Asbury College, Wilmore, KY.

Joanne Fredrick and Dale Kern, Pigeon, were among 169 graduates at Concordia Lutheran Junior College, Ann Arbor.

Confirmation services were held May 30 at St. John's Lutheran Church, Berne, for Samson Harder, Carol Nieschulz, Margie Ziegler, Sharon Sting, Janet Fritz, Christine Henne, Gloria Nieschulz, Ida Danks, Randall Rathje, Timothy Oesch, Dennis Weiss, Ronald Elbing, Larry DeSloover, Jeffrey Beadle, Larry Dressler, Robert Libka and Gerald Curran. Three adults, Henry Danks, Miss Barbara Buck and Mrs. Orville Schuette, were also confirmed with the class by Rev. M.H. Hanke.

10 YEARS AGO

JUNE 12, 1975
Virginia Leipprandt was elected and Vern Kretschmer was re-elected as members of the board of education of Laker High School at the annual election held Monday.

Speed limits in the vicinity of Pigeon Elementary School were reduced to 15 miles per hour and speed limits in the recreation area parking lots set at 5 miles per hour in Pigeon village council action Monday evening. Jean Sturm was hired as the village summer recreation director.

Pigeon Junior Woman's Club received six awards at the spring convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

JoAnn Dast, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dast, Pigeon, graduated June 6 from Dr. Martin Luther College, New Ulm, MN, with a B.S. degree in elementary education.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Farum, Owendale, will be honored by their children at an open house on June 22 at the family home. They have a daughter, a son and a foster daughter.

An estimated \$5750 profit was made from the benefit auction sale held at the Menonite Fellowship Center, on Saturday, sponsored by the Young Married Sunday School classes of Pigeon River and Michigan Avenue Mennonite Churches.



SWEET SALES — Nannette Avalos, center, earns the distinction of spreading the most sweets around the Pigeon area following her top Girl Scout Cookie Sales in Girl Scout Troop 1005. She earned a cookie patch and 200-plus bar.

At left, Kimberly Frost and Jill Collison, right both received cookie patches with the 100-plus bar for their high sales efforts.

The local Girl Scouts thank the Pigeon community for its support of the 1985 Cookie Drive. COMMUNITY CAMERA PHOTO

Mutual S & L reaches merger

BAY CITY—Mutual Savings and Loan Association, headquartered in Bay City, recently reached a merger agreement with Peoples Savings of Battle Creek. The merger, pending final regulatory approval, will create an association of

nearly \$1 billion in assets, ranking sixth largest among Michigan's 53 savings and loans. The newly merged association will be known as Mutual Savings and Loan Association F.A. following the conversion to a Federal charter, expected by Mutual officials to be completed

shortly. Both Associations are members of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, which insures accounts to \$100,000. Mutual Savings President Bruce W. Cook says he is glad for the opportunity to expand Mutual's market area, especially in the Battle Creek community that has demonstrated a commitment to economic growth through the attraction of new industry and reduction of unemployment.

Mutual Savings operated 32 statewide offices including locations in Pigeon, Sebawaing and Cass City.

Lake-Chandler news items

By MILDRED BALLAGH
Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McBride were Robert and Audrey McBride of St. Helen, Fred McBride of Battle Creek, Mr. and Mrs. David McBride and son of Filion.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ballagh attended a graduation party Sunday for John Somerville, a graduate of Kingston High School in the home of Gary and Cathy Somerville. They also attended the graduation party for Brenda Hill, a 1985 Laker graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bedford of Coldwater and daughter Bonnie of Kalamazoo spent several nights with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bedford. Joining them on Memorial Day were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bedford of Marion, Ind.

Owendale news

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gaeth entertained recently for the belated birthday of her mother, Mrs. Helen MacCallum and pre-birthday of his mother, Mrs. Lydia Gaeth. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold MacCallum, Mrs. Gaeth, Paul MacCallum of Warren, Michael Gaeth and daughter Kimberly and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gunden and Eric, all of Bay Port. Mrs. Connie Gaeth was in the hospital with new infant daughter Brenda Marie, weighing in at 6 lbs. 5 oz.

Pigeon news

Mrs. Viola Schuette, Mrs. Dorothy Young and Mrs. Jenny Bruce were guests of LCDR and Mrs. Ronald Greene and family of Slidell, La. from Wednesday to Sunday.

They attended the graduation and party of John E. Greene.

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Open House fetes grad

A graduation party was held for Brenda Kay Hill on Sunday, May 26 following her graduation from Laker High School.

The party was hosted by her parents, Ermel and Fidelis Hill of Pigeon along with her sister, Louise Wells of Bay Port and her brother Roger Hill of Saginaw.

A graduation cake decorated with pink roses centered the dining table where some 80 persons enjoyed a buffet dinner.

Friends and relatives at-

tended from Ann Arbor, Flint, Saginaw, Caro, Cass City, Port Austin, Birch Run and local areas.

She will attend Delta College for seven weeks to take two courses before entering Michigan State University in September, where she is enrolled in the veterinary technician program. She was awarded the State of Michigan Competitive Monetary Scholarship and the Presidential Academic Fitness Award.

Lake-Chandler news and notes

Cindy McBride and friend Tim of Lake Orion were Wednesday luncheon guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bedford of Coldwater and her mother Mrs. Lucy Dietzel attended Laker graduation and a party for Melissa Dietzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Dietzel.

Mr. and Mrs. William McBride were recent visitors of Don and Judy Ahearn in Saginaw.

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To The Electors Of The Township Of Fair Haven, Huron County, Michigan:

The last day of registration for the Special Election on the Road Millage Proposal to be held on July 16, 1985, in Fair Haven Township will be June 17, 1985. The Fair Haven Township Clerk will be available at the following addresses to receive registrations on June 17, 1985:

8:00 am - 4:30 pm	2203 Wildner Road Sebawaing, Michigan
4:30 pm - 8:00 pm	2010 Ridge Road Sebawaing, Michigan

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Thumb area club news

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

Fifty Elkton Senior Citizens met for their weekly potluck dinner in the Civic Center. Ray English led in "The Lord's Prayer." The chairman welcomed newlyweds Joe and Ruth Guiliano, the former Ruth Avery.

"America" was sung and pledge to the flag given. The Birthday Song was sung for Eva Waterworth, Laura Lenzner, Alice Reynolds and Kay Walker. Group singing was led by the Clayton Gemmells.

The secretary gave her report and the following committees appointed: set-up Mike and Millie Renn and Alvina and George Walsh; clean-up Mildred Dietzel, Marie and Jim Hoffman and Eva and Bill Blaylock. A get-well card was signed for Hugo Leipprandt who broke his kneecap in a fall. A birthday card was signed for Eva Waterworth marking her 92nd birthday. It was reported that Kay Walker and Harold Gregor are recovering.

Sherman Day, program chairman, introduced Duncan Campbell, who showed slides of Florida points of interest including Epcot Center, Bush Gardens and Sea World.

Ray English will be in charge of next week's program.

PIGEON LIONS CLUB

The Pigeon Lions met at the Pigeon VFW Hall on Wednesday, May 22 at 6:30 p.m.

Roll call found 44 Lions present and three guests, including Past District Deputy Governor Robert Bruegeman, Ron and Don Bergman.

During the business meeting conducted by President Dave Clabuesch, Arlen Asher was accepted as a new member.

A check of \$250 was presented to Bob Bruegeman for his son Hans, who will visit Germany in July as a Lion Foreign Exchange Student. Lion Bob Bruegeman invited the Lions to a "Golf Scramble" last Saturday at Verona Hills Country Club.

Orville Schuette of the activities committee reported the annual Pigeon-Elkton Lions Golf Outing will be June 26 with tee-off time at 12:30 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m. at the Pigeon VFW Hall.

The Pigeon Lions moved and passed a motion to fund up to \$1500 maximum with United Way for a Non-

Invasive Blood Pressure Monitor for the Scheurer Hospital Operating Room.

President Clabuesch reminded the Lions to sign up for the annual Tiger Ballgame on Aug. 2 and stated the next meeting will be Installation Night on June 12 with ladies invited.

HURON CO. CHPT. RETIRED SCHOOL PERSONNEL

The Huron County Chapter of Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel met at the Bad Axe Presbyterian Church on May 22.

The meeting was opened by President Morgan Ballagh. Gertrude Quinn announced that the Huron County Normal Fourth Annual Reunion is scheduled for Aug. 10 at 12 noon at the Franklin Inn. Recording Secretary Ruby Ewald read the minutes of the April 17 meeting and reported on the executive board meeting on May 8. The treasurer's report was given by Alexandra MacRae.

Members who attended the MARSP annual meeting at Mt. Pleasant on May 2 reported: George Greene said the state membership is nearly 20,000 and aiming for 22,000; Susie Soule told of the community services as reported by State Committee

Area couples mark 45 years of marriage



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pudney
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gardner

Two local couples are celebrating June, 1985 as the month they both observe their 45th wedding anniversaries.

Charles J. Pudney and Betty Jones were married June 1, 1940 with honor attendants Les Gardner and Marion Pudney, sister of the groom. The honor attendants then took their place at the altar, marrying on June 15 at the same church, Northwestern Baptist Church in Detroit. Charles Pudney, brother of the bride and his wife Betty then were at their side as honor attendants.

The Pudneys are the proud parents of two daughters, Mrs. John (Charlotte) Lothian of Greenville and Shirley Louis Pudney of Flat Rock and five grandchildren. The Gardners raised one daughter, Mrs. Neal (Barbara) Gehring of Royal Oak and are now grandparents of two. Both couples reside on Indian Trail in Lake Township.

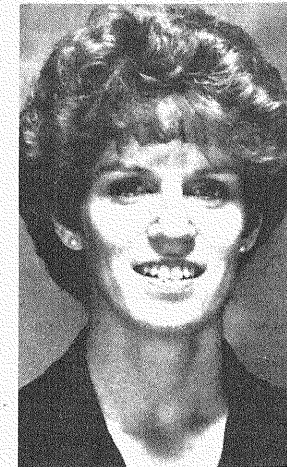
Area couples plan to marry

Schmidt - Anderson

Mrs. Jacquelyn F. Schmidt of Lafayette, La. announces the engagement of her daughter, M. Gresham, to David W. Anderson, son of William and Carole Anderson of Caseville.

Both the bride-elect and her fiancé are employed by Marathon Oil in Findlay, Ohio.

An Aug. 3 wedding is planned.



Kuhl - Armbruster

Mr. and Mrs. John Kuhl of Bay Port would like to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jodi Kay to Brian William Armbruster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Armbruster of Pigeon.

A June 7, 1986 wedding is being planned.



Open House honors Owen-Gage graduate

Dena Lynn McDonald, a 1985 graduate of Owen-Gage High School, was honored with an Open House on Saturday, May 25 in the high school cafeteria, hosted by her parents, Bud and Jeanette McDonald.

She was presented with a dozen pink roses (class

flower), from her brother Mark of Kalamazoo.

Tables were decorated with miniature pink rosebuds in vases. The guest table was graced with a vase of pink rosebuds and pink candles. The buffet table was centered with a graduation doll cake in pink and a book

cake done in pink and gray, the class colors. Her table of moments was centered with an O-G doll, basketball player #54 and a cheerleader doll.

While in high school, McDonald was active in band including the Lions of Michigan Honors Band which took her on a tour to San Francisco. She was the recipient of the Distinguished High School Student Award in her junior year following

recommendation by Pastor Paul Hoyer of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville. She was active in basketball, volleyball, softball and track and earned the Most Improved Player Award in track at the school's recent athletic banquet.

She will attend Delta College in the fall.

Mental Health meeting set

The regular monthly meeting of the Huron County Community Mental Health Services ACT 258 Board is slated for Wednesday, June 5 at 7:30 p.m.

It's a boy!

Master Sergeant and Mrs. Mark Wallace of Seymour Johnson Air Force Base, Goldsboro, N.C. are the proud parents of a son, Mark William, born May 31.

The infant weighed 7 lbs. 10 oz. and measured 20 inches long.

His paternal grandmother is Mrs. Helen Wallace of Pigeon and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Taylor of Chicago, Ill.

A sister Sarah, age four, is awaiting the arrival of her brother at home.

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF ELKTON-PIGEON-BAY PORT SCHOOLS HURON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

TO BE HELD JUNE 10, 1985

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT: Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 10, 1985.

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

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) member(s) to the Board of Education of the district for full term(s) of four (4) years ending in 1989.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCY(IES):

Donna M. Fisher J. Sidney Smith Paul Clabuesch

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following proposition(s) will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the Annual School Election:

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools, Huron County, Michigan, be increased by 4.5 mills (\$4.50 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 5 years, 1985 to 1989, inclusive, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (3.5 mills of the above increase being a renewal of the 3.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1984 tax levy and 1 mill being additional operating millage)?

THE VOTING PLACE(S) ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1 Voting Place: All-Purpose Room of the Elkton Elementary School, in the Village of Elkton, Michigan.

PRECINCT NO. 2 Voting Place: Gymnasium of the Pigeon Elementary School, in the Village of Pigeon, Michigan.

PRECINCT NO. 3 Voting Place: Gymnasium of the Bay Port Elementary School, Bay Port, Michigan.

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Roberta Moetteli, Treasurer of Huron County, Michigan, hereby certify that as of April 17, 1985, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools, Huron County, Michigan, is as follows:

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By Caseville Township: NONE
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By Cofax Township: 1.00 mill 1985-1987 Inc.
By Fair Haven Township: 1.50 mills 1985, 1.00 mill 1985, 2.00 mills 1985-1986 Inc. street light district
By Grant Township: 1.00 mill 1985-1986 Inc.
By Hummel Township: 1.00 mill Unlimited, 1.00 mill 1985.
By Lake Township: 1.50 mills 1985, .50 mill 1985
By McKinley Township: 2.50 mills 1985-1986 Inc.
By Meade Township: 1.00 mill Unlimited, 1.00 mill 1985-1987 Inc.
By Otter Township: 2.00 mills 1985
By Sebawing Township: .25 mill Unlimited, 1.00 mill Unlimited, .30 mill 1985-1986 Inc., .50 mill 1985-1987 Inc., 1.00 mill 1985-1987 Inc.
By Winsor Township: 2.00 mills 1985-1988 Inc., 1.00 mill 1985-1989 Inc.
By Huron Intermediate School: 1.00 mill Unlimited, 1.49 mills Unlimited
By the school district: 1.00 mill 1985, 5.00 mills 1985-1987 Inc.

Roberta Moetteli

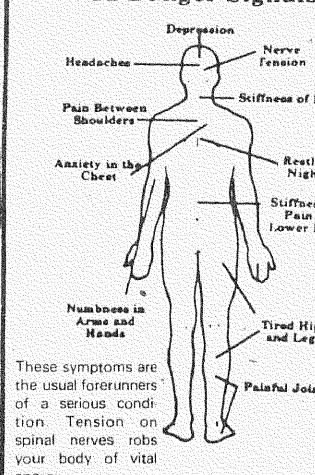
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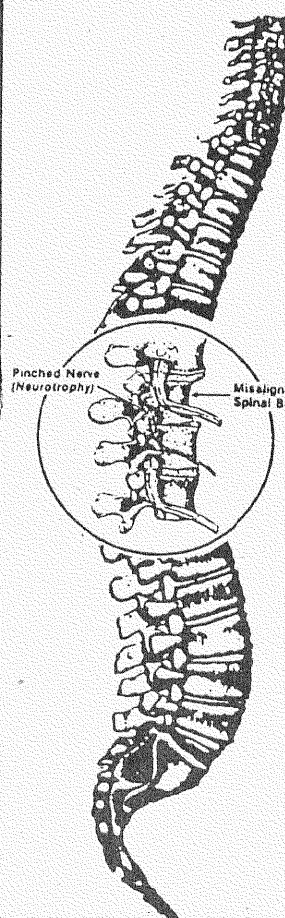
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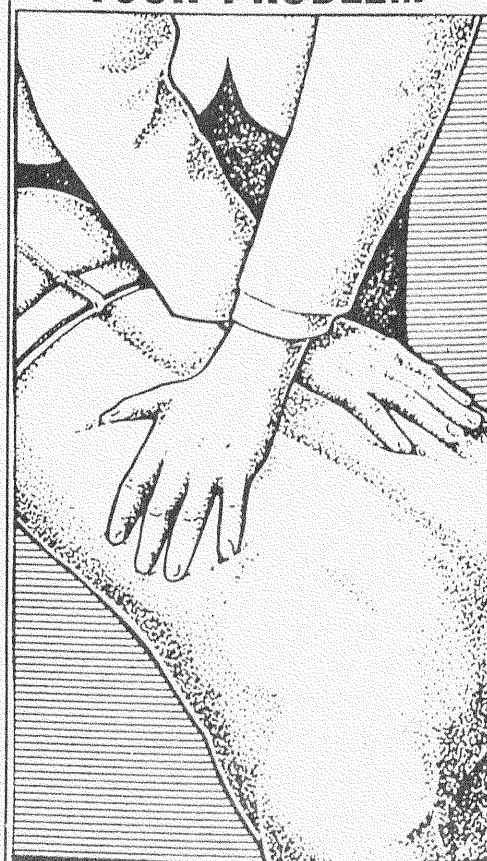
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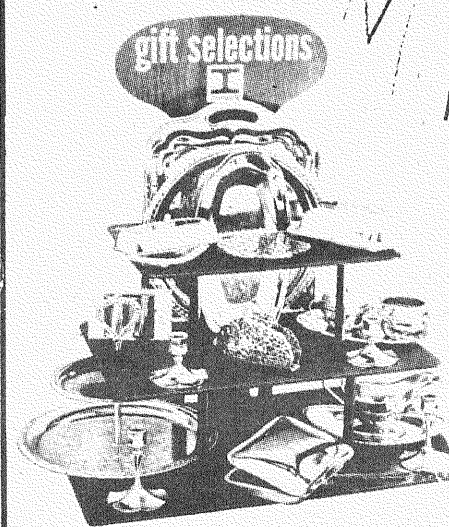
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Thursday, Friday and Saturday

GARAGE SALE
Tools, good children's clothing, antique china, cabinet & rocker, baby buggy, cradle, etc.
74 James St., Pigeon.
June 6, 7 & 8
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GARAGE SALE
June 5-8 from 9-5
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2 Miles West of Elkton on M-142

Basement Sale
3 miles north of Pigeon Mennonite church on Sturm Road, 1/4 mile west. First house. 7090 Crown Road.
Deep well 1/2 HP water pump. Grinnell Brothers upright piano. Extra large mens clothes, ladies clothes. Avon dishes, jewelry. Come out look it over. 453-3126. Thurs. June 6, Fri. June 7, 9:00 a.m. till 8:00 p.m.

GROUP GARAGE SALE

8888 Haist Rd.
Pigeon, June 7 & 8, 9-5, Clothing & miscellaneous.

LARGE GROUP GARAGE SALE
7320 Paul Street
Pigeon
Proceeds for Right To Life of Western Huron County
June 6 & 7, 9-5
June 8, 9-12
Bag Sale

Many merchants have sales in their stores, too

Garage Sale

Come to Pigeon

BIG bargains at Garage Sale PRICES!

PIGEON
Large 6 family garage sale
7101 Scheurer Street
9 am till 9 pm
June 6, 7, 8, 9
36,000 BTU Central air conditioner unit, very good condition, antique sewing stand, antique medicine cabinet, old adding machine, Delta kitchen faucet, electric fan, Regina electric broom, 3M "051" copier, small tables, plant stands, electric fan, books, old Johnson outboard motor-needs repair, lawn swing with stand, cooking items, canning jars-all sizes, material, lots of clothing-teen, junior, misses and adult man, name brands all in excellent condition, many other misc. items, lots of bargains-COME SEE
2 blocks east of light, left on Marble to Scheurer
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RUMMAGE SALE
Thurs. & Fri.
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Crocks, chairs, griddles-cast iron.
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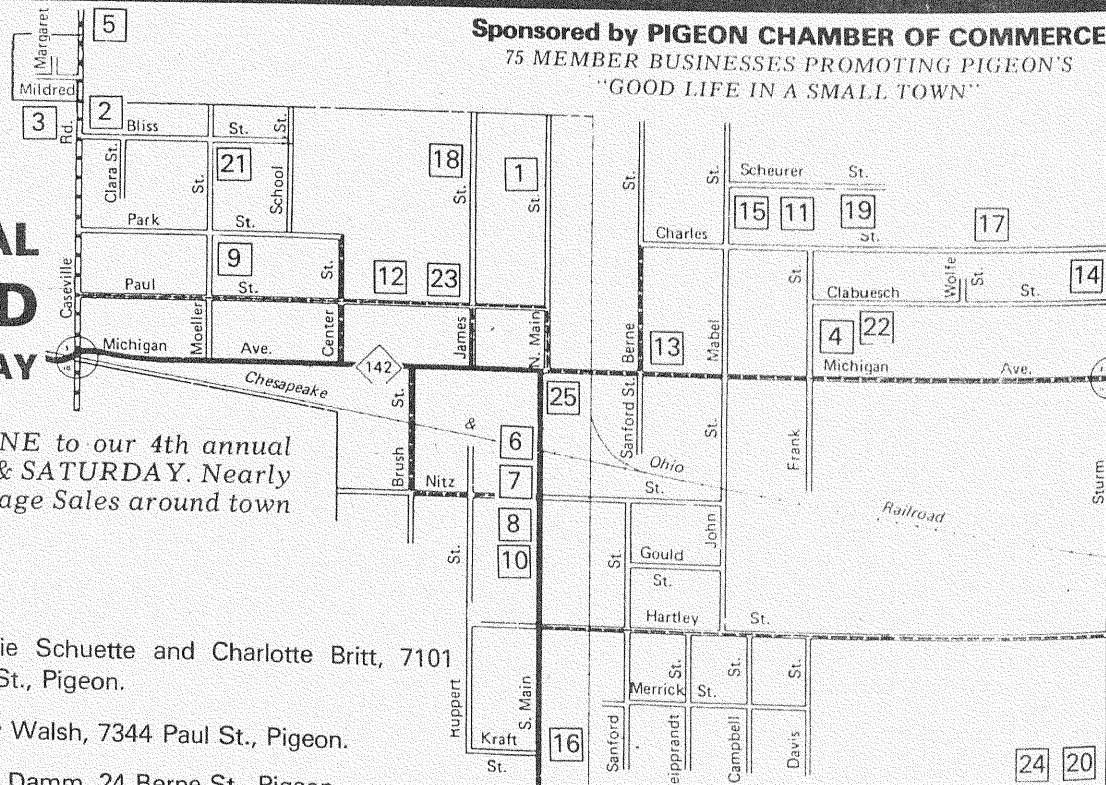
LIKE GARAGE SALES?

COME TO PIGEON'S 4TH ANNUAL GARAGE SALE WEEKEND THIS THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

The Pigeon Chamber of Commerce invites EVERYONE to our 4th annual GARAGE SALE WEEKEND this THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY. Nearly 30 families, groups and businesses are all conducting Garage Sales around town -- you've never seen more bargains in one place!

- Joyce Jarvis, 111 N. Main St., Pigeon.
- Virginia Schaaf, 7496 Bliss St., Pigeon.
- Mildred Rheinheimer, 161 Margaret St., Pigeon.
- Hilda Vollmer, 20 N. Frank St., Pigeon.
- June Kretzschmer, 8321 Berne Rd., Pigeon, (1 1/2 miles west of Caseville Rd. on Berne Rd.)
- Polewach Store, alley behind store at 78 S. Main St., Pigeon.
- Shoe Cobbler, alley behind store at 92 S. Main St., Pigeon.
- Elftman's Gambles Store, alley behind store at 74 S. Main St., Pigeon.
- Gail Brown, 102 Moeller St., Pigeon.
- Haist Flowers, alley behind store at 96 S. Main St., Pigeon.
- Millie Schuette and Charlotte Britt, 7101 Scheurer St., Pigeon.
- Patsy Walsh, 7344 Paul St., Pigeon.
- Terry Damm, 24 Berne St., Pigeon.
- Nelmer Wright, 7004 Clabuesch St., Pigeon.
- Milton Kreh, 120 Mabel St., Pigeon.
- Gladys Spence, 235 S. Main St., Pigeon.
- Lavella Reist, 7046 Charles St., Pigeon.
- Lenore Schwanitz, 103 James St., Pigeon.
- Shirley Nusz, 7091 Scheurer St., Pigeon.
- Keith Fritz, 701 Nottter Rd., 1/4 miles south from M-142 on left side, Pigeon.

Sponsored by PIGEON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
75 MEMBER BUSINESSES PROMOTING PIGEON'S "GOOD LIFE IN A SMALL TOWN"



AND PUT OUR ANNUAL FARMERS' FESTIVAL ON YOUR CALENDAR, TOO -- JULY 25 THROUGH 28

- Mark Gettel, 112 Moeller St., Pigeon.
- Shelly McGathy, 7085 Clabuesch St., Pigeon.
- Right to Life, Western Huron County, 7320 Paul St., Pigeon.
- Richard Koehler, 560 Camelot Lane, second house on right, Pigeon.
- Diener's Home of Fine Furnishings, 9 S. Main St., on parking lot behind store, Pigeon.

Outdoors As We See It...

What is safe? By Jack Pine

I read, with great interest, a couple of articles in last week's newspaper. The first heralded the 1984 hunting season as being one of the safest ever.

According to DNR statistics, 88 hunters were involved in accidents, including 12 fatalities. This, the article continued, was the best record since 1938, when 54 accidents were reported, including 23 fatalities.

These figures are rather impressive when you consider that more than 1 million people were involved in hunting sports in Michigan. Simple mathematics place the chance for accidents at around .000088 percent. Yet amid this type of record, hunting and other shooting sports are put down by droves of people who consider them very dangerous.

The second article I referred to earlier had to do with the alarming increase in all-terrain-vehicle injuries. As a matter of fact, the soaring number of injuries blamed

on ATVs have caused great concern with the Consumer Product Safety Commission. So great is that concern, one commissioner has even called for an ATV ban and recall.

Most of the excitement stems from the recently released figures on the ATV accident rate. According to a fact sheet prepared by the CPSC, the number of emergency room-treated injuries associated with ATV rose from 4929 in 1980 to 66,956 in 1984. The accident rate for ATVs was found to be 50% higher than for minibikes, and 450% higher than snowmobiles.

The 4929 injuries came from an ATV ownership totaling 136,000 in 1980, while the 66,956 injuries came from an ownership totaling 650,000. In other words, your chances of getting an injury if you own an ATV is a little over 10%.

There are some strong feelings that all ATVs should be banned. At present, the commission is pushing to get the industry to adopt some

voluntary safety standards. The answer from the ATV industry seems to be, the machines are safe, but the people who drive them are not.

One observer remarked that the problem lies in the fact that the average age of ATV operators probably falls below 12 years-of-age. Maybe what needs to be done is to enforce some rules relating to who can legally operate these off-road tri-cycles.

The ultimate question is, which Christmas present are you going to buy your child, a .22 rifle, or an ATV?

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

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cured when the family's tent was ripped open, he told Sheriff's Deputies.

A computer modem device allowing telephone communications between two computers valued at \$500 was taken from the Respiratory Department at Scheurer Hospital sometime between May 16-22. Sheriff's Deputies are investigating the theft from the unlocked room, allowing direct contact between consulting equipment at St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw.

Two arrests have been made in connection with 16 Kinde area break-ins, following a five-month surveillance operation between Michigan State Police and Huron County Sheriff Richard Stokan. State Police Post Commander Lee McDowell says an adult and a juvenile are in custody, and more arrests will follow.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

A suit has been filed in Bay County Circuit Court against a Sebawaing grocery store, charging the firm with allegedly selling intoxicants to a motorist who caused a 1983 fatal auto accident.

Dean Woods of Bay City filed the suit on behalf of his wife, Shelby, who was killed Jan. 18, 1983 when their auto was rammed from behind in Hampton Township by a car driven by Theron Zaucha, 22 of Essexville. Woods says Luke's Market of Sebawaing sold beer to Zaucha prior to the accident, even though Zaucha was visibly intoxicated, in violation of the Michigan Dram Shop Act, which allows victims of drunken drivers to sue those who allegedly provide intoxicants to the person involved.

Recent activity before Huron County District Judge John Schubel includes:

Christopher Sprague, 18 of Elkton, pled guilty to a misdemeanor in a plea bargain reduced from the felonious larceny from a building. He was sentenced to 45 days in jail and fined \$500 plus costs, following theft of rifles from a Pigeon Road address earlier this year.

Jimmy Shepherd, 21 of Elkton, pled guilty to impaired driving; sentenced to five days in jail, ordered to pay \$450 fines and costs and loses driving privileges for one year.

Ingeburg Schulz, 55 of Port Austin, pled no contest to malicious destruction under \$100; ordered to pay \$90 fines and costs and further sentencing planned Feb. 21, 1986, following farm equipment damage May 10 at Port Austin.

2069 JAILED IN TUSCOLA

A total of 2069 persons resided in the Tuscola County Jail in 1984, up 3.3% from '83, according to Sheriff Paul Berry's annual report. Of the 1984 criminals, 819 were first-time offenders while 1250 were repeaters. Ten percent, or 207, were women.

Sheriff's Deputies jailed 1064 of the total. State Police added 269, Vassar officers 193 and Caro 190, respectively. Cass City added 71, Millington 54, Reese 21, Mayville 11, Unionville 9, Kingston 8, Fairgrove 3, Gagetown 2, Akron 2 plus 18 additional.

Those jailed were for arson 10, robbery 7, burglary 316, larceny 685, auto thefts 76, assaults 251, forgery 4, fraud 66 and sex offenses 26, according to the Sheriff's report.

SANILAC GROUP STUDIES JAIL

A special task force has been created to help the Sanilac County Commissioners decide what will be done about renovating or replacing the county's 30-year-old jail in Sandusky.

Renovations to bring the facility to state standards will cost nearly \$1 million, or a new facility to totally meet state guidelines may be considered, according to Sheriff John Osborn.

Lots of beans, sugar to Africa

More than 25,000 pounds of sugar and canned navy beans recently left the Saginaw Valley for hunger relief in North Africa.

Pigeon 4-H Club meets June 10

Pigeon 4-H Achievers (formerly American Bombs) will meet Monday, June 10 at 6 p.m. for swimming and a hot dog roast at Sleeper State Park.

Members are to meet at the Pigeon Municipal Parking lot for rides. Parents are also invited. Children must have a permission slip from their parents and a slight fee will be charged to cover food costs.

Michigan Sugar Company, Great Lakes Sugarbeet Growers Association, Michigan Bean Shippers and Michigan Bean Commission contributed the food supplies as part of a 250,000-pound food and medicine airlift organized by AMERICARES Foundation.

Sugar is a staple ingredient that will be used in preparing foods at the relief camps and the navy beans, which are packed in brine, are high in nutrition.

Michigan Bean Commission Chairman Eric Bailey who was on hand when the products were loaded at the Michigan Sugar Company in Carrollton, commented, "The use of canned navy beans to help feed these hungry people makes a lot of sense. Shipping foodstuffs that must be cooked with water, to a part of the world suffering from a lack of water, poses some rather basic problems."

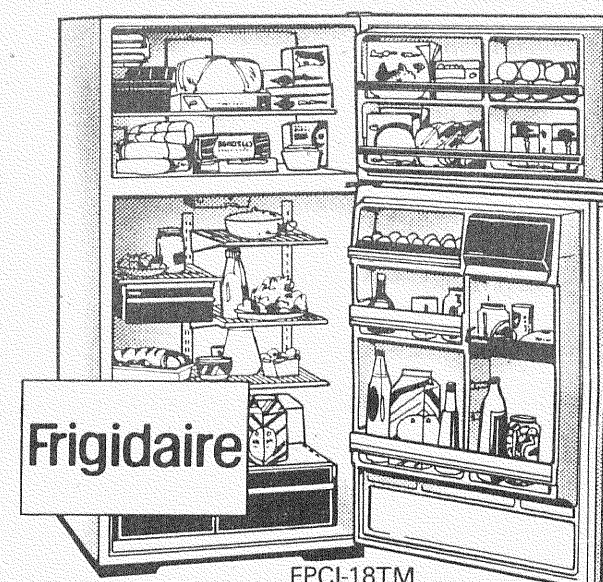
The Michigan Bean Commission and Michigan Bean Shippers Association are both working to have canned navy beans approved by the U.S. Agency for International Development as acceptable food product for relief efforts.

Bailey says, "If this product is approved by the U.S. A.I.D. as acceptable for relief efforts, it would be of much more practical and immediate benefit to the hungry people of North Africa than many of the items currently being supplied."

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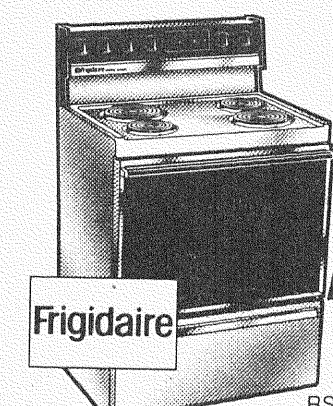
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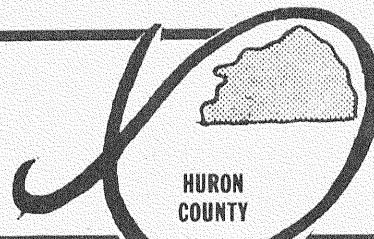
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News that COUNTS . . . from the COUNTY



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MARRIAGE LICENSE
APPLICATIONS
Week of May 27, 1985

Gary O. Puvalowski & Joyce M. Kasserman
Allen Mike Pierson & Sandra M. Wright
Lee James Jahr Sr. & Lynn Marie Eberlein
David A. Tibbitts & Bonnie J. Campbell
Brian Lewis Morell & Lynn Antoinette DeFrain
Douglas L. Ellsworth & Bonita E. Lacy

JUDGMENTS OF DIVORCE

Denise Colleen Woodward vs John Allen Woodward
Charlotte Ann Brown vs Michael James Brown
Edna Lucille Warack vs John Andie Warack
Norma R. King vs Lawrence W. King

ASSUMED NAMES
Week of May 27, 1985

No. 4013 - OSENTOSKI REALTY CO., 512 N. Port Crescent, Bad Axe, MI 48413, By: Marie Osentoski, 5201 Van Dyke, Cass City, MI 48726; Filed: May 24, 1985.

NO. 4014 - GUARANTEED CONSTRUCTION, 1529 Eppendick Road, Harbor Beach, MI 48441; By: Gregory Siemen, 1529 Eppendick Road, Harbor Beach, MI 48441 & David Howard, 637 South Street, Bad Axe, MI 48413; Filed: May 24, 1985.

DISSOLUTION: GUARANTEED CONSTRUCTION, 1529 Eppendick Road, Harbor Beach, MI 48441; Filed: May 24, 1985.

No. 4015 - THE BAD AXE LITTLE LEAGUE, 228 W. Huron Avenue, Bad Axe, MI 48413; By: Larry Schmitt Sr., President, Jim Hartell, Vice President, Donald McKim, Secretary, Hank Weitenbemer, Treasurer, Bad Axe, MI 48413; Filed: May 28, 1985.

from
County
Register
of Deeds
Frances
Holdwick

WARRANTY DEEDS
May 22-28, 1985

Russell R. Lundberg & Wf to David C. Fritz & Wf, a parcel in Casewille Twp. Richard E. Smith & Wf to James L. Ballard & Wf, a parcel located in the Village of Elkton.

Harold M. Brade & Wf to Jerald M. Brade & Wf, 2 parcels Section 11 of Colfax Twp.
Verner J. Fisher, Jr. & Wf to Casewille Twp. Airport Land Corp., 3

parcels of land in Section 10 of Casewille Twp.
Irene Konecwick to Charles D. Goff & Wf, a parcel in Section 33 of Gore Twp.
Wesley A. Pearson & Wf to Glen Thrushman & Wf, a parcel in Section 16 of Hume Twp.

Robert R. Dillon & Wf to Ted E. Hull & Wf, a parcel located in Section 5 of Casewille Twp.
Glen Rogers & Wf to G. James Popham & Wf, a parcel in the City of Bad Axe.

Alice M. Urban to Alfred F. Singer & Wf, a parcel in the Village of Casewille.

Eugene Kaczmar & Wf to Barbara J. Grossbeck, a parcel in Section 25 of Meade Twp.

Leon DeLong & Wf to William Bredow & Wf, a parcel located in Section 16 of Lake Twp.

Walter E. Ross & Wf to Gary R. White & Wf, a parcel in Section 15 of Lake Twp.

from
County
Probate
Judge
Neil
MacCallum

PROBATE COURT
Week of May 23-29, 1985

Estate of Steven T. Timmons, Deceased, of Owendale - File 27,142 - Supervised Probate. 2 Receipts filed. Order Allowing Account filed.

Estate of Herbert Frank Zwiarkowski, Deceased, of Brazoria, TX - File 27,564 - Independent Probate. Waiver and Consent filed.

Independent Probate. Inventory filed. Proposed Final Account of Personal Representative filed. Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of Max Leroy Panfoll, Deceased, of Kind - File 27,534 - Supervised Probate. Proof of Publication filed. Order Determining Heirs filed. Order Closing Hearing of Claims filed.

Estate of Florence A. Hazal, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,544 - Supervised Probate. Order of Discharge filed.

Estate of Robert Alvin Brown, Deceased, of Holly - File 27,738 - Supervised Probate. Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed. Testimony Interested Parties filed. Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed. Publication Notice filed.

Estate of Raymond S. Cregeur, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 26,649 - Supervised Probate. Inheritance Tax Receipt filed.

Estate of Clara J. Hewins, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 20,632 - Supervised Probate. Waiver and Consent filed. Order Allowing Account filed.

Estate of Lucy E. Landenberg, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,585 - Supervised Probate. Inheritance Tax Receipt filed.

Estate of Theodore H. Buchholz, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,639 - Supervised Probate. Order Closing Hearing of Claims filed.

Estate of Ida T. Woltschlag, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,640 - Supervised Probate. Order Closing Hearing of Claims filed.

Estate of Mary Jane Copeland, Deceased, of Harbor Beach - File 27,645 - Supervised Probate. Order Closing Hearing of Claims filed.

Estate of Lillian I. Kramer, Deceased, of Sebawaing - File 27,705 - Supervised Probate. Proof of Publication filed. Proof on Probate of Will filed. Order Admitting Will to Probate and to Appoint Personal Representative filed. Bond of Fiduciary filed. Letters of Authority filed.

Estate of Arnold O. Kramer, Deceased, of Sebawaing - File 27,706 - Supervised Probate. Proof of Publication filed. Proof on Probate of Will filed. Order Admitting Will to Probate and to Appoint Personal Representative filed. Bond of Fiduciary filed. Letters of Authority filed. Order Determining Heirs filed.

Estate of Lily E. Woldt, Deceased, of Sebawaing - File 27,740 - Independent Probate. Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed. Testimony Interested Parties filed. Register's Order filed. Acceptance of Trust filed. Letters of Authority filed.

Estate of Magdalena Osentoski, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 26,998 - Independent Probate. Waiver and Consent filed.

Estate of Timothy Hurley, Deceased, of Sebawaing - File 27,177 - Independent Probate. Order of Adjournment filed.

Estate of Rudolph Turcack, Deceased, of Casewille - File 27,688 - Independent Probate. Inventory filed. Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.

Estate of James C. Cooper, Deceased, of Pigeon - File 27,726 - Supervised Probate. 3 Waivers and Consents filed. Estate of Angus Hughie MacCallum, Deceased, of Ulybly - File 27,741 - Independent Probate. Will filed. Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed. Declaration of Trust and Designation of Personal Representative filed. Testimony Interested Parties filed. Supplemental Testimony Interested Parties filed. Register's Order filed. Acceptance of Trust filed. Letters of Authority filed. Claims Notice filed.

Estate of Emmeline V. Nolan, Deceased, of Bad Axe - File 27,712 - Supervised Probate. Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed. Proof on Probate of Will filed. Order Admitting Will to Probate and to Appoint Personal Representative filed. Bond of Fiduciary filed. Letters of Authority filed. Order Determining Heirs filed.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
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TAXES

The Council of the Village of Pigeon will hold a public hearing on a proposed increase of 0.2063 mills in the operating tax millage rate to be levied in 1985.

The hearing will be held on Wed., June 5, 1985 at 7:00 o'clock p.m. at 29 S. Main, Pigeon, Michigan.

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 1.67% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing.

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

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Woods
and Waters

By DUANE GUENTHER



Majestic bald eagle

The eve of this year's trout opener found me at a friend's house in Grayling rooting the Tigers to a desperately-needed victory. On one of the between inning breaks, my brother plucked a packet of snapshots from the coffee table in front of him, and thrusting them in my direction, said, "Want to see some neat eagle pictures?"

With interest, I pored through the glorious shots of a beautiful bald eagle. "Where in the world did you get these pictures?" I questioned our friend and host who was responsible for the camera work.

"A few miles from here," he remarked rather nonchalantly, "right along the expressway." "He's right," my brother added, "Remind me, and I'll show you on the way home."

I soon forgot about the conversation, and for the next few days any thoughts of eagles were pushed into the far reaches of my memory and the pressing issues, like catching fish, were put into the active file. I probably should have continued to ponder the eagle situation, because thinking of catching trout did pitifully little to help fill my empty creel.

As usual, the opening weekend of another trout season sped by like an "Indy 500" racer, and before I knew it I was on the expressway and heading home. I was deeply engrossed in my thoughts when my brother Charlie touched me on the shoulder and said, "Slow down a little and we may catch the eagle on her nest."

The absurdity of his statement made me chuckle aloud. Although my brother is the recently retired DNR Chief of Wildlife, and has a seemingly innumerable knowledge of wildlife and their related habitat, I was sure that he would be dead wrong on his premise of spotting our national bird along the cement ribbon that stretched from Ohio to the Mackinac Bridge.

"Ease off a little," he said, "we're almost there. We are not going to stop, because we don't want to disturb her." I pulled my foot from the accelerator pedal, and began to peer off to the right side of the expressway.

"There she is!" Charlie exclaimed, pointing his hand in front of my face and in the direction of the median that separates the north and south bound traffic on I-75. I followed the direction of his finger and sure enough, there sitting in a nest, about 20 feet from the ground and 50 feet from a line of streaming cars, sat a majestic bald eagle. I wanted to stop and grab my camera, but suddenly realized what my brother had been trying to tell me.

"Not too many people know about her, do they?" I questioned. "I'll bet a thousand cars pass her every day and don't even know she is sitting there," he answered. "Let's not stop and disturb her, or give away her position by a lot of gawking and picture taking. She's having a difficult time surviving without adding to her troubles."

As we sped southward, Charlie filled me in on Michigan eagle saga. At the present time, northern Michigan has only about 27 eagles which operate out of 14 active nests. I say active, because once the nest is built, they are so structurally sound that they last for years and years after they're vacated. This particular eyrie, the proper title for an eagle's nest, was built and used before the expressway cut through the center of Michigan. What makes it so special is that it has been a false nest, (considered inactive) for all these years and suddenly, this year, became active again.

Eagles' eyries vary in size. Since the birds add sticks to an old eyrie each year, you can measure the activity, or use, by the size. Some new eyries are about three feet across, and 18 inches deep. Old eyries can measure as wide as six feet, and some have

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been known to reach a depth of 20 feet.

The eyrie on the expressway is relatively small, indicating its lack of use over the last several years. Eagles lay two to three eggs in their eyries. A DNR helicopter, equipped with a camera and telephoto lens, has revealed two eggs in this one. The eggs have a 40-day incubation period, during which the female sits on them most of the time. The male eagle usually waits patiently by, and from time to time, brings food to his mate.

What concerns my brother, as well as other biologists, is that once the eggs hatch and the chicks are ready for their first flight, they may find I-75 a perilous landing strip. The eagles that built the nest, or eyrie, in the first place, did so because of the abundant water in the region. Eagles must live near water, as fish are the main source of their diet.

This steady diet of fish almost brought them to extinction, when it was discovered that the DDT carried in the food chain caused a weakening of the eagle's egg shells and the eggs break before they were ready to hatch. The ban on DDT, coupled with some stringent enforcement of eagle poaching, is responsible for a major comeback of our national bird.

The eagle is not a particularly good hunter. Although he is adept at catching fish, he would just as soon eat carrion, or steal his meal from another bird, like the osprey.

Eagles have been observed sitting in a nearby tree waiting for a fishing osprey to snare a catch. Then, swooping beneath the osprey, they fill force the bird upward until it releases its catch, which the eagle snatches out of mid-air and takes back to the nest. They will also hover over waterfowl, such as coot, forcing them to dive time and time again, until the coot become so exhausted they are easy prey for the hunting bird.

There are two types of eagles living in the U.S., the bald eagle and the golden eagle. I'm sure that you have heard many stories of eagles carrying off sheep, deer and even humans. Please do not put the blame on the bald eagle, for he is not the culprit. The golden eagle, which is usually not found in Michigan, has been known to kill and eat rabbits, ground squirrels, small deer, and lambs.

An occasional human may get carried off, but this only happens in fairy tales. The bald eagle has been protected by law since 1940 in the lower 48 states, and since 1953 in Alaska. The golden eagle has been protected since 1962, but many are still killed under special permits in Texas.

The last eagle eyrie that I can remember in the Thumb was located in the Fish Point area. It was abandoned in the early 70s, and has since fallen to the woodsman's chain saw. A couple of years ago, a bald eagle was shot in the Port Hope area, proving that some still existed, or were passing through, Huron County.

Thumb outdoor report

HIGH WINDS AND HEAVY WEATHER put a damper on fishing during the end of last week, but clearing skies on Saturday made the weekend perfect for enjoying American's number one pastime.

Salmon fishermen have begun to search for the scattering fish and sometimes it seems like you are doing more hunting than fishing. Water temperatures are beginning to warm a little and anglers are finding fish at a slightly lower depth. Harbor Beach reported good activity just outside the breakwall, but most fish boated were on the small side.

Further north, in the Port Hope vicinity, kings were hitting Dr. Hooks and flasher flies with doggers. Both lures were productive in the 35 to 45-foot range. Walleye fishermen continue to score on keeper-sized fish in the lower end of the Bay, with a little increased activity as far north as Heisterman Island. Drift fishing with crawler harnesses seems to be the best bet, but trollers dragging body lures have also had success.

Basal activity increased dramatically over the last few days and fishermen haunting the numerous weed beds in the Bay Port area were picking up some nice size largemouths. Perch continue to be elusive. Some nice fish were found at Oak Point early in the week, and another hot spot was reported off Grindstone City.

IT LOOKS LIKE THE MICHIGAN DNR may be pondering a dove season for the fall of 1985. A recommendation will be formally presented to the commission at its June meeting. Tom Washington, the head hon-

cho for MUCC reported that the Natural Resource Commission has sole authority to establish a season on doves. In past years, a season was sought unsuccessfully through the Legislature.

Dove hunting has a prime opponent in the Michigan Audubon Society. It has alerted its members to be on guard against establishing of such a season.

Area obituaries

FLOYD D. HOERMANN
1911 - 1985

Floyd D. Hoermann, age 74, of Bay Port passed away Friday, May 31, at his home.

He was born son of the late Fred & Marie (Hansen) Hoermann on April 13, 1911 in Fair Haven Township. On February 15, 1952 he was united in marriage to Anna E. Eimers in Sebawaing. Mr. Hoermann was a commercial fisherman for many years and also was employed at People's Oil and Gas.

He is survived by his wife Anna E.; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Connie L.) Comeau, Caro; two step-sons, Ronald Eimers, Bay Port and LeRoy Eimers, Unionville; one step-daughter, Mrs. Harlen (Carol) Wisenbaugh, Sebawaing; 14 grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Schutt, Pontiac; and Mrs. George (Lulu) Nuss, Caro. Two brothers, three sisters and one grandson preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted on Sunday, June 2, at 2 p.m. from the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. Randy Chamberlin, pastor of the Bay Port United Methodist Church, officiated with burial in the New Bay Port Cemetery, Fair Haven Township.

Other area deaths . . .

Hannah R. Grifka, 2, of Vassar, with relatives in Ulybly and Filton, passed away May 21.
Otto Fischer, 68, of Akron, passed away May 23.
Myrtle M. Gray, 64, of Gagetown, passed away May 23.
Elizabeth C. Harr, 94, of Port Austin, passed away May 23.
Glady's L. Hall, 67, of Caro, passed away May 23.
John Hepler, Jr., 52, of Caro, passed away May 23.
Karen S. Hiller, 15, of Elkton, passed away May 24.
Kenneth E. Thoms, 49, of Port Hope, passed away May 24.
Earl W. Schenk, 74, of Sheridan Township, passed away May 25.
William C. Howard, 76, of Harbor Beach, passed away May 25.
Catherine McDonald, 51, of Cass City, passed away May 25.
Margaret I. Hartman, 68, of Caro, passed away May 25.
Lee Rabideau, 61, of Port Austin, passed away May 26.
Martha Derogowski, 84, of Cass City, passed away May 26.
Frank A. Volmer, 59, of Pigeon, passed away May 27.
Alice Randall, 66, of Bad Axe, passed away May 28.
George Ross, 93, of Unionville, passed away May 28.
Mildred Moccak, 84, of Gagetown, passed away May 28.
Lilly M. Dyer, 88, of Minden City, passed away May 30.

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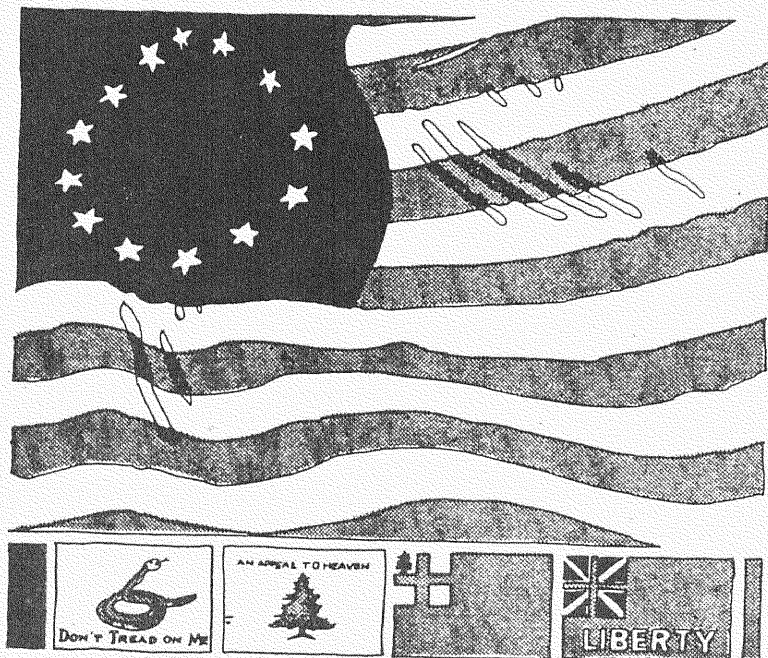
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Pastor to speak at mens' banquet

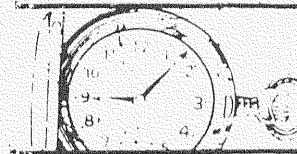
Rev. Rick Flanders, pastor of Juniata Baptist Church near Vassar will be special speaker at the Mens' Banquet at Calvary Baptist Church, 6718 Prospect, Caseville on June 15 at 6 p.m.



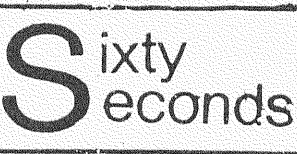
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Rev. Flanders plans to bring special music with him and there will be original poetry by Newell Wightman from the Elkton Missionary Church.

All men and boys are invited to come and enjoy the program and dinner planned by the ladies of the church.



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While we were yet sinners, Jesus loved us so much that He died for us. In Jesus, God wrapped His heart in flesh and blood and He let it be drained for our salvation.

We, who possess agape, love others not because of what THEY are but because of what WE are. We keep on loving even when the object of our love is odious or unlovely. This love God has implanted in us.

God's love has flooded our inmost heart. In expressing it, we have proof that we have it. "Love is of God, and he who loves is born of God."

To those born of Him God says: Live out what you have! Be what you are! Remember: "If we love one another, God abides in us and His love is perfected in us."

What a basic God's love is for showing love to our family and friends any day.

Lord, let Your love dwell in me and shine through me, that others may see Your great love in the sending of Your Son. Amen.



Something To Think About

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Another matter where the insurance policy is as stringent as a will is with regard to particular settlement options — that is, the manner in which insurance proceeds are to be distributed to your beneficiary. Stipulations which you might have set down to protect a minor child, for instance, should probably be changed as children reach maturity. In general, you don't want to have such stringent requirements that survivors' interests are jeopardized by changing circumstances.

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NEW CONFIRMANDS — Hayes United Methodist Church has welcomed five young women into the fellowship of the congregation through the rite of Confirmation at services held May 19 at the church.

Pictured here are, from left, Traci Murdoch, Teacher Marie Leipprandt, Stephanie Leipprandt, Lori Hyzer, Pastor Randy Chamberlen, Julie Leipprandt and Mari Kay Smith.

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Baptized at First UM

Kelly D. Ann Fritz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David (Debra) Fritz of Pigeon was baptized on Mothers' Day, May 12 at First United Methodist Church, Pigeon by Rev. Gordon Nusz.

Kelly was born March 25 at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe, where she weighed 8 lbs. 2 oz. She joins her brother, Ryan, at home.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fritz of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Groat of Flushing and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moersch of Indiana.

Great-grandparents are Dorothy Syster of Latrobe,

Pa., Mrs. Eva Harder of Bad Axe and Charles B. Fritz of Elkton.

Cross fetes graduates

Three members of Cross Lutheran Church who graduated from Laker High School on Sunday included Lori Diener, Lonnie Schulz and Karen Trost.

They were recognized at the early morning service, along with Central Michigan University graduates Ronald and Donald Bergman.

All invited to Elkton Prayer meal

Anita Burerick speaks at the Elkton Prayer Breakfast on Wednesday, June 12 at 9 a.m. at the Elkton Civic Center.

She will present a drama of Mary Magdalene at Jesus' tomb and many vignettes and songs.

Babysitting is free at the Elkton United Methodist Church. Debi Ackerman will lead in praise and worship.

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Vows spoken at Immanuel

Jodi Ann Rieman became the bride of Jeffrey David Williamson, both of Sebewaing on Saturday, May 11 at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Rev. Martin Hagenow performed the wedding ceremony before 425 guests. Parents of the bridal couple are Mr. and Mrs. Duane Rieman and Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson, all of Sebewaing.

The altar was decorated with a unity candle arrangement of lavender daisies, purple statice and baby's breath. Attached to the church pews were bows of white and lavender with springer and baby's breath alternated with heartshape grapevine wreaths

decorated with lavender freesia, yellow roses, stephanotis, purple statice and baby's breath.

Providing special wedding music were soloist Ms. Julie Ozdych and organist Mrs. Heidi Stecker.

The bride, approaching the altar on her father's arm, wore a white gown with an illusioned yoke silhouette offset in seed pearls and lace with Juliet sleeves in amour fabric and trimmed with venise lace. The skirt and full-attached train had three rows of bottom ruffles with a large satin bow at the waist with streamers. The bride wore a wreath of silk flowers and satin ribbons with a cathedral-length veil fully trimmed in seed pearls. She

carried a flowing cascade of white freesia, yellow roses, stephanotis, purple statice and baby's breath.

The bride asked her two sisters, Kristi Sue Rieman and Lori Lynn Kemp, both of Sebewaing, to be her maid and matron of honor, respectively. Each wore matching wedgewood lace dresses. The satin ribbon and lavender printed sheer was worn off-the-shoulder with a spaghetti strap. The sweep train bustled to floor-length for the reception. They completed their attire with sweetheart hats of white trimmed in silk flowers of freesia, stephanotis, baby's breath and daisies. A bow with long streamers was secured in the back.

Other attendants included Kim Bitzer of Sebewaing and Lynda LeValley of Unionville, both friends of the bridal couple. Kim McGathy of Sebewaing, cousin of the bride and Junior Bridesmaid Kari Rieman of Sebewaing, sister of the bride. The bride's cousin, Suzanne McHalpine of Mt. Pleasant, was flower girl, wearing a wreath with matching flowers and streamers.

The bridesmaids were attired identically to the honor attendants and each carried a colonial bouquet of lavender freesia, white daisies, purple statice and baby's breath. Lavender picot ribbons accented the bouquets.

Best man for the groom was a friend, Scott Bitzer of Sebewaing.

Other groomsmen were Tim Williamson and Mark Williamson of Sebewaing, brothers of the groom Lynn Ewald of Unionville, friend of the bridal couple, David Weber of St. John's, friend of the bridal couple, Kendall Rieman of Sebewaing, brother of the bride and Kevin Rieman, brothers of the bride. Ringbearer was John Kemp of Sebewaing, nephew of the bride.

The mother of the bride wore a street-length dress of aubergine silesta knit with a chiffon ruffled bodice and sheer chiffon sleeves and peplum featuring a self-tie belt. Her dress was accented with a corsage of a phalaenopsis orchid and lavender stephanotis.

The groom's mother wore a street-length dress of iris crepe in a chemise design with a jewel neckline and long sleeves. The dress featured a drape overlay, accented at the shoulder with a bianchi rose. An orchid and stephanotis corsage complemented her dress.

The newly-married Mr. and Mrs. Williamson greeted their guests at a reception at The Colony House, Cass City, before leaving for a week's honeymoon on Sand Key Island, Fla.

The couple is now residing in Sebewaing.

Club news

OWENDALE WOMAN'S CLUB
The Owendale Woman's Club held its final meeting of the year on Monday. The ladies came attired to plant flowers and general cleaning in the Village Park.

Eleven members and one guest, Mrs. Diane Warack, then journeyed to the Owendale Home Ec room for a short business meeting conducted by President Pat Enderle. Mrs. Myra Sparks, who will leave this month for new pastoral duties in Hudson, was presented with a farewell cake and gift. The community planned an Open House for Mrs. Sparks this past Sunday, June 2.

Mrs. Warack purchased the auction item donated by Mrs. Jean Hughes. The first fall meeting date will be announced later. The group donated to Jane Billy who is joining the Lions Band this June. Several donations were given to her last month.

Address given for St. Mary's local patient
Friends who would like to send cards to Mrs. Ada Binder can send them to this address: Room 538, St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw, MI.

WEEK'S WORD
posh
Elegant, luxurious; as a posh hotel, old English slang.

Honored in academics

Laker High School held its annual Honor Awards Assembly on May 24 at the auditorium to honor students who received awards in individual classes. The following students are award recipients.

WORLD HISTORY — Christy Licht, Jim Warren, Jim Roedel, Rhonda Baur, Cheryl Baur, Bryan Wertz, Chris Wurst, Maria Schumacher, Cindy Krohn, Robert Bannick, Todd Bruce and Kathy Clabuesch.

U.S. HISTORY — Lisa Gaskill, Todd Schember, Susan Ruth, Kent Kern, Craig Kimmel, Chris Diachenko.

AMERICAN GOV. — Paul Baker, Dan Bouck, Eric Bushey, Karin Kimmel, Kelly Kimmel, Cynthia Kish, Susan Kohr, Tracy Kropp, Kelly Smeader, Lori Diener, Melissa Dietzel, Valerie Kranz, Delores McArdle, Colleen Stahl, Christine Geiger, Bernadette Voelker, Lisa Drabek, Gina Gaskill, Brenda Hill, Dan Ritter, Chris Steinman, Jenny Whaley, Shelly Wissner.

SOCIOLOGY — Mona Babiszewski, Paul Baker, Lori Diener, Melissa Dietzel, Delores McArdle, Colleen Stahl, Debbie Henne, Karen Kimmel, Cynthia Kish, Susan Kohr, Tracy Kropp, Gina Gaskill, Lisa Drabek, Brenda Hill, Shelly Wissner.

CREATIVE WRITING — Linda Hurlburt, Kelly Peck, Connie Abdalla, Shelly Ginter.

SENIOR ENGLISH — Gina Gaskill, Tracy Kropp.

STUDENT LIBRARIAN — Debbie Richmond, Shelly Ginter, Mona Babiszewski, Colleen Stahl.

ENGLISH 10 — Robert Bannick.

SPEECH ACTIVITIES — Gina Gaskill.

ENGLISH II — Lisa Gaskill, Gina Gaskill, Kelly Smeader, Jackie Peck, Christy Licht.

SPANISH II — Susan Kersten.

YEARBOOKS JOURNALISM — Chris Geiger, Connie Abdalla.

ECONOMICS-BUS. LAW — Lisa Drabek, Karin Kimmel,

Kelly Kimmel, Tracy Kropp.

TYPING I — Christine Diachenko, Lisa Gaskill, Maria Schumacher, Kimberly Dannis, Jackie Peck, Steven Wolfram.

DISTIB. ED — Shelly Wissner.

BASIC PROGRAMMING — Brenda Hill, Karl Joles.

COLLEGE PREP BIOLOGY — Robert Bannick, Maria Schumacher.

BIOLOGY — Debbie Kempisty, Christine Gretch, Tammy Henne.

BIOLOGY II — Gina Gaskill, Delores McArdle, Dan Ritter.

CHEMISTRY I — Todd Schember, Lisa Gaskill.

CHEMISTRY II — Daniel Ritter.

PHYSICS — Delores McArdle.

BASIC COMPUTERS — Chris Diachenko, Ray Erer, Cynthia Kish, Daniel Ritter, Susan Kohr, Delores McArdle, Jenny Whaley.

ART I — Leanne Deneen, Shelly Stein, Maria Schumacher, Cindy Krohn.

ART II — Kelly Peck, Lori Diener, Patty Thiel (Mos Improved).

ART III — Mona Babiszewski, Melissa Dietzel, Rachel Schutz, Ilene Sanchez, Colleen Stahl, Chris Steinman, Cath Drummond, Shelly Ginter.

VOCAL — Kurt Kern.

ENGINEERING DRAFTING — Steve Gayari.

BASIC DRAFTING — Bob LeJeune, Rick Born, Mal Hazard, Brian Winchester.

BASIC WOOD — Rick Born.

CABINETMAKING — Bill Craig, Leland Pratt, Ma Reilly, Duane Ritter.

WOOD PRODUCTION — Dan Block.

CHILD CARE — Ovidia Alacon, Missy Grigg.

CONSUMER SKILLS — Sta Swartzendruber, Brenda Baker, Bill Voss, Dave Deering.

FAMILY LIVING — Kelly Kimmel, Colleen Stahl, Chris Geiger.

FOODS-NUTRITION — Chris Geiger, Brenda Baker, Debbie Kempisty, Shelly Ritte, Kari Trueman.

CLOTHING — Debbie Kempisty, Terri Chapi, Christine Gretch, Tamr Henne.

GEOMETRY — Robert Bannick.

INDUSTRIAL MATH — Ke Greene.

MATHEMATICS — Chrissy Schulz.

ALGEBRA I — Cynthia Krohn.

ALGEBRA II — Lisa Gaskill, Tracy Kropp, Delores McArdle, Susan Kohr, Karin Kimmel.

ALGEBRA 1.5 — Terry Kaiman.

Club news

BETA CHI TEACHERS' SORORITY

Twelve members of Beta Chi Teachers Sorority and one guest were present for the May 20 meeting at home of Gertrude Quinn.

Prior to the business meeting the members toured the Alternative Press Grindstone City, which is owned and operated by K and Ann Mikolowski.

It was decided to participate in Pigeon Farm Festival in July.

A motion was made to give \$50 to Gary Sealey to help send children from Caseville School to learn problem solving skills at Michigan State University.

Members will be contacted with details of the June meeting.

Vying for 2 School Board seats June 10

3 Laker candidates share school thoughts

Three persons are seeking the two available seats on the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District Board of Education, in this Tuesday's Annual School Election. The Progress-Advance asked each candidate to answer these questions, to help district voters learn more about the persons seeking the four-year terms. Here are the questions and responses from each candidate:



PAUL CLABUESCH
Vice President, Thumb National Bank and Trust of Pigeon, resides near Caseville



LONNA FISHER
Branch Manager, Citizens Federal Savings & Loan, Harbor Beach, resides in Elkton



J. SID SMITH
Incumbent Board member, Farmer and businessman, resides near Bay Port

1. What are your goals in seeking a four-year term on the Laker Board of Education?

To maintain and improve where possible the excellent reputation and support that the Laker School District enjoys with its students, its faculty, its taxpayers and its peers (other school districts). I believe people generally support, admire and have great loyalty for the District. These feelings must be cultivated and the support must be earned every day, and is essential for long-term success of the school system.

To seek and possibly better the quality of education in our school system.

Business employers are increasingly interested in the quality of education. We need to continue to keep our educational standards high and up to date with the needs of our high-tech society. Also, another goal is to deliver the best possible educational programs at a reasonable cost to the taxpayers.

2. What favorable qualities do you believe the Laker School District possesses?

High Quality People -- students, parents, teachers, administrators. Relatively low millage rate, but more importantly a low cost-per-pupil ratio. Excellent physical facilities. Genuine concern on the part of the adults of the community for the school system and the product of that system, its students.

We have a very good educational staff in our district, as well as a good administrative staff. They try to get our children the most that they can, as far as new classes, etc.

We have outstanding community involvement and support for our programs. We also have well-maintained school facilities, and students who are dedicated and willing to learn. We have a hard-working teaching staff who can challenge the students to reach their fullest potential.

3. What disadvantages or shortcomings do you believe exist here, if any?

In every group of people there are those who are negative to almost everything. They generally comprise a very small minority, but have more influence than their numbers warrant. The Laker School District is no exception. These people are entitled to their opinion, but must not be allowed to have their way over the will of the majority. In a democracy, the majority rules.

I don't believe that the Laker District really has any disadvantages or shortcomings, but there is always room for improvement.

One concern is maximum class size in the lower elementary at the Elkton school center.

4. Why should you be elected to the Laker School Board?

I believe I have a well-rounded background that qualifies me for this position. This includes: a B.A. Degree from MSU in economics and secondary education; three years as a teacher and coach at the high school level; job-related financial experience, and service to the community on numerous other Boards of Directors or Trustees. I have lived in the area nearly all my life and have four (soon to be five) children entering the system, with an appropriate concern for their proper education.

I feel as a mother, wife, homemaker and in my position as a Branch Manager of a Savings and Loan, that I would have the experience to fill this position.

My experience as a parent, businessman and school board member has given me the background to listen and weigh all decisions carefully. I have always considered education important for my family and the community. I have three sons who have graduated from Laker, and furthered their education at Michigan State University. Also, I have a son and daughter currently enrolled at Laker High. It is my goal to work with the Faculty, Students and Administration to continue to maintain a positive learning attitude for our young people.

5. What do you see as the greatest challenge to the district during your upcoming term?

Maintaining and improving the enthusiasm and support that the Laker School District enjoys with the people it serves. I believe our District got headed in the right direction after the millage election passed in 1981. That was a major accomplishment when one considers the problems other districts have encountered gaining financial support since that time. Perhaps the only thing harder than getting a train on the right track, is keeping it there for the long term. This is the Board of Education's greatest challenge.

The greatest challenge will be to face any problems that should arise and solve them to the best of my/our ability as a School Board.

There are always challenges, known and unexpected, but in my view the major issue is gaining community and teacher support for a seven-period day (approximately 48 minutes per class). Although it would ask teachers to make one more class preparation per day, it would provide for expanded learning opportunities for our students. One extra class period per day could provide a choice of an additional class in computers, liberal arts, college prep or vocational training. This would be an important step in providing our young people with the opportunity to take more elective courses.

6. Any other comments?

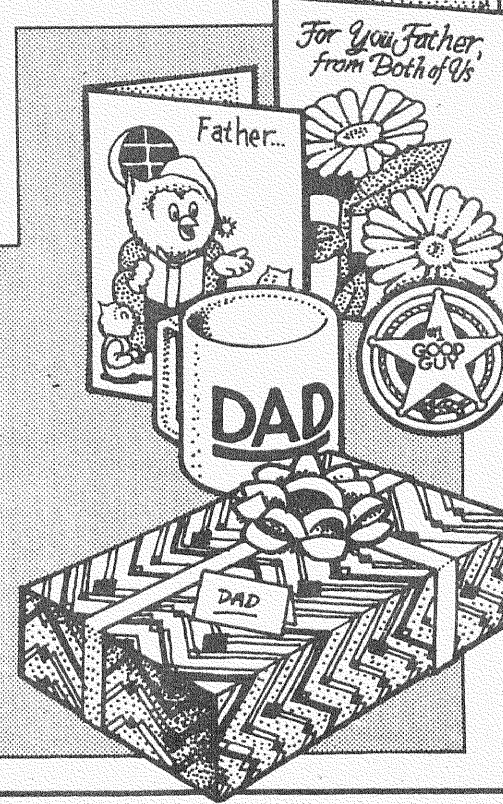
If I am elected, I will put forth every effort to do the job to the best of my ability.

I am proud to be a part of the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District. Your vote and continued support in the June 10th school election will be much appreciated. I will do the best job I can to represent the views and concerns of the residents of the Laker District.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Williamson

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Pigeon plans new water system for \$869,000

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rates by \$1.05 per thousand -- and Ann Arbor financial consultant Robert Studt said that will raise an average family's water bill by \$15.75 per quarter, to \$34.90 per quarter, on average monthly use of 5000 gallons per household.

The village plans to levy 1.5 mills to help pay for the facility, plus add an institutional water rate for hospitals, schools and other users by contract. The water rate hike would go into effect this fall, while the millage increase would be added next summer.

Final financing methods will be determined in coming months, as exact costs, construction bids and other variables are made known. Williamson was given authorization to seek construction bids, to be returned in coming weeks. Preliminary design plans are at the Huron County Health Department for approval, and engineering is basically complete, he said.

HOW IT WORKS: The new system will be a vast improvement over the present water program, Council members

noted. The three main village water wells will pump the 400,000-gallon system completely full.

Then, as customers use water distributed from the water tower, a control panel will tell the underground reservoir to refill the tower.

When the reservoir drains to a certain level, it alerts one or more wells via phone lines to pump more water into the reservoir.

A \$75,000 portion of the plant features a unique iron removal system, which should eliminate 90% of excess iron (but not hardness) from village water. And a \$30,000 standby generator will provide water -- even if no electrical power is available.

The new system will feature an automatic dialer, to call a DPW worker at home if high or low water alarms sound. The plant should last a minimum of 30 years, with less management than is now required -- which should be about 10 minutes per day.

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sports of the week

Red hot Lakers claim district tourney crown

BY RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

The Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port baseball rode the arm of pitcher Al Gies and the bat of Tim Patterson to a district tournament championship Monday afternoon at Reese. The event was rescheduled from Friday because of adverse weather conditions on that date.

Gies fired 10 strike-outs while giving up just one hit as he blanked Unionville-Sebewaing 6-0 in the semi-finals. Bryan Parrish came on to pitch the final seventh inning to save Gies pitching time in the championship game as pitchers are permitted to hurl only 10 innings in the two-game series.

Lakers took advantage of all opportunities to score a pair of runs in the first inning, another in the second, two more runs in the third and the final run in the sixth on a six-hit attack.

Tim Patterson stroked a double in the Laker two-run, third inning.

Williamson was tagged with the loss for USA.

In the championship game Lakers pounded Brown City pitching for 16 hits on the way to a 9-2 victory.

Once again Patterson led the offensive fireworks with a 4-4 performance at the plate, including a double. Jeff Caverly's bat also heated up as he doubled and singled, while Buck LePage and Dave Weisenbaugh each chipped in with a pair of hits in the Laker victory.

Lonnie Schulz picked up the win as he bounced back from a bout with mononucleosis to hurl three scoreless innings at the beginning of the second game. Gies then came on to fan five more hitters in the

final four innings, including striking out the side in the final stanza.

After scoring a pair of runs in each of the third and fifth innings, Laker hitters iced the game in the sixth with five runs.

Brown City's two runs were scored in the seventh inning, which was Gies' tenth inning on the mound.

With the district trophy safely in hand, Lakers advance to the regional tourney this Saturday at Clare. They are scheduled to meet the winner of the Carleton District at 10 a.m.

Lakers geared up for district play with a double header sweep over Thumb C League champion Unionville-Sebewaing at Laker Field last Tuesday. In a well-played pair of games, Lakers earned narrow 3-1 and 2-1 victories.

Coach Bill McLellan was searching for another pitcher to take over for Lonnie Schulz who is sidelined by illness, and might have found the replacement in Bryan Parrish.

In the first game, Parrish, who was moved up from the Junior Varsity squad for the game, scattered six hits while striking out three to claim the win. Al Gies provided relief help with the final two outs of the five-inning game.

Lakers' "number one" hurler Gies shut down the USA offense in the nightcap as he allowed only one hit, gave up one walk while posting six strikeouts.

The Thumb B Association co-champs took advantage of seven walks by Patriot pitcher Tom Hahn to score three runs in the opener on just two singles.

In the rematch Lakers put Francis, while teammates D. Fitzpatrick doubled and added four singles and Sam Yahn doubled and singled.

St. Felix 10
Bay Port-Hayes 13

Hayes was paced by Steve Dubs with a double and three singles and Jeff Leipprandt and Jerry House, each with a double and single.

Tom Pechette pounded a triple and Lou Pechette hit a double and three singles in a losing cause for St. Felix.

Bay Port-Hayes 3
Linkville Luth. 16

The Lutherans were led at the plate by Al Gies with a home run, triple and single, Ron Dubs with a homer and three singles.

Steve Dubs belted a triple for Hayes' only extra-base hit.

Elkton U.M. 16
Salem U.M. 19

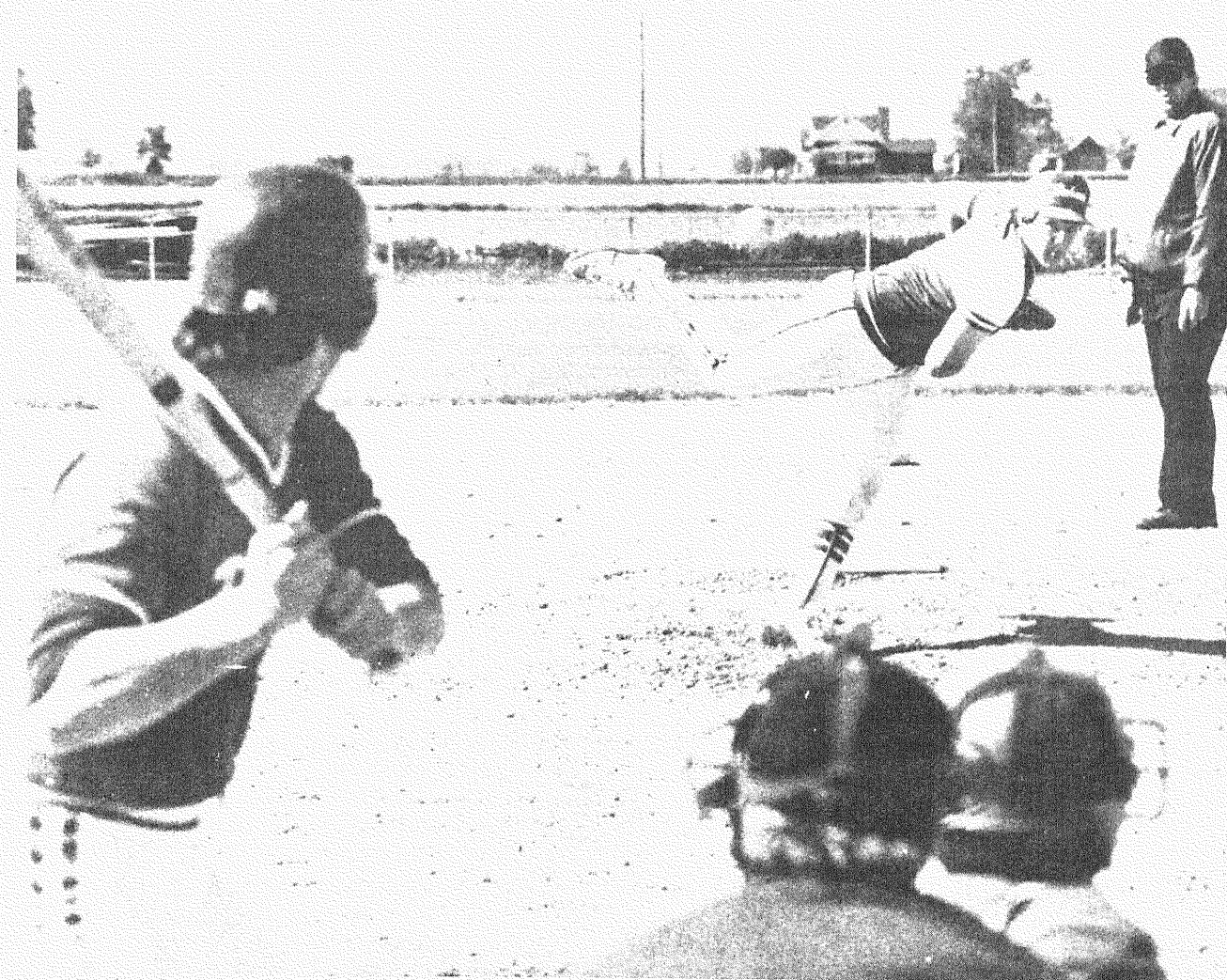
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Cross Luth. 27
Berne Luth. 10

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HOT HURLER: Lakers' "number one" pitcher Al Gies displays his deadly delivery in a double-header with Unionville-Sebewaing last Tuesday at Laker Field which he used to fan 15 batters in the district tournament series on Monday.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

USA upends Laker softballers

Unionville-Sebewaing showed the Laker softball team why it won the Thumb G League championship last Tuesday, with a 6-1 victory at the Laker field.

The visitors used a balanced offensive attack to score two runs in the first inning, one in the second, two in the fifth and one in the sixth to claim the win. The Laker hosts helped their visitors out with seven errors during the contest.

Lakers only run was scored in the third inning.

Rhonda Baur was tagged with the loss for Lakers.

Elkton U.M. 3
St. Felix 19

Thad Beadle pounded a home run and three singles while Lenny Ferris hit a triple and double for St. Felix.

Joe Schmitt, Leo Pechette and Jim Parsch each contributed three hits to the St. Felix win.

The Methodists were paced at the plate by Mark Wolfe with a home run and double and George Willoughby with a double.

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while USA's Cindy Singer picked up the win on the mound for the Patriots.

Shelly Ginter doubled to provide Lakers only extra-base hit.

Connie Lutz doubled and Rhonda Dinsmore was two-for-three at the plate to pace the USA offense.

Lakers' 5-13 record this year is largely due to inexperience, according to Coach Irene Green.

AWARDS: Top softball players on the varsity squad were recently named by Coach Green. Lynda Brown was presented the Most Valuable Player award,

while Rhonda Baur was named Most Improved and Deanne Deming earned Most Determined Player honors.

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Caseville athletes honored at season's end

Caseville High School honored its athletes during an annual Sports Awards Banquet on May 23.

BASEBALL: Coach Gerald Winkler presented the Most Valuable Player Award to Tony Seagraves and Most Improved honor to Matthew Kraus.

Receiving first-year awards were Kevin Engleman, Kristopher Grigg, Matthew Kraus, Noel Christopher Perry and Jeff Siegfried. Second-year awards went to Patrick McKenna, Carl Brunni, Homer Crane and Bruce Langley. Third-year awards were presented to Peter Delmotte, Ray Johnson, Gregory Langley, Tony Seagraves, Robert Siegfried and John Winkler.

SOFTBALL: Margaret Beadle was named Most Valuable and Yvonne Miller received the Most Improved Player award from Coach Cheryl Wascher.

First-year awards were presented to Tina Bieri, Colleen Kopack and Amy Conrad. Yvonne Miller received a second-year award. Third-year awards went to Michele Ballard, Christine Barton, Brenda Geiger and Gail

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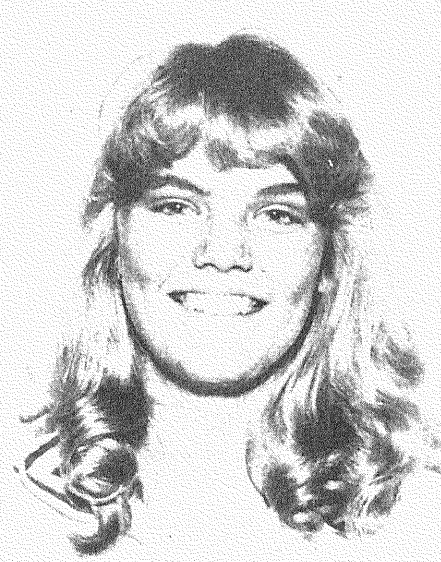
BOYS BASKETBALL: Coach Randy Bingham named David Simet as Most Valuable and Robert Siegfried as Most Improved.

First-year awards were presented to Michael Frederick, Ray Johnson, Patrick McKenna and Robert Siegfried. Second-year awards went to John Winkler, Tony Seagraves, David Simet, Gregory Langley and Peter Delmotte.

Junior Varsity certificates were presented to Brett Henke, Noel Christopher Perry, Jeff Siegfried, Carl Brunni, Kristopher Grigg, Matthew Kraus, Bruce Langley, Ray Oorbeck and John Zollner.

VOLLEYBALL: Coach Wascher presented Gela Kretzschmer with the Most Valuable Player Award and Jennifer Kraus was named Most Improved.

Receiving first-year awards were: Michel Conrad, Kelly Wagner and Gail Gembarski. Second-year awards were presented to



1985 CASEVILLE SCHOOL'S FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR
GELA KRETZSCHMER

V-ball champs host clinic

A junior volleyball clinic next week for girls in first through sixth grades will feature the talents of 1985 State Semi-finalist Laker volleyball team co-captains Shelly Ginter and Kohr.

The event is slated for Monday and Tuesday, June 10 & 11 from 8 a.m. - 12 Noon at Laker High School Gymnasium.

There is a fee for the clinic, which includes a volleyball camp T-shirt for each participant.

Physicals set at LJH for athletes

School physicals will be given at the Laker Junior High School gym for all elementary through high school students participating in sports for the 1985-86 school year on Tuesday, June 11, starting at 6:30 p.m.

All students participating in sports must have a physical. Physicals will be given by a grade breakdown this year to avoid problems. Cost of the physicals will be the same as last year.

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Junior varsity certificates were presented to Amy Bennett, Tracy Bieri, Catherine Schramski, Kelly Wolfe, Tina Bieri, Yvonne Miller, Kristin Nevin, Amy Conrad, Pamela Crane, Colleen Kopack and Tamera Forman.

CHEERLEADING: Coach Janet Watts presented first-year varsity awards to Brenda Johnson, Kelly Wolfe and Amy Hartz; second-year

awards to Gail Gembarski and Christine Barton, and a third-year award to Julie Barton.

Junior varsity awards were presented by Coach Souva, Amy Conrad, Kimberly Madej and Vicky Karle.

SENIOR FEMALE: High School Principal and Athletic Director Paul Ellinger presented the Senior Female Athlete Award to Gela Kretzschmer.

The dinner was sponsored by the Class of 1990 under the direction of Class Advisor Janet Watts.

NCTDL fetes athletes

Honors were recently accorded to top North Central Thumb "D" League athletes in baseball and softball during the past season.

SOFTBALL: FIRST TEAM - Brenda Johnson of Caseville; Kim Majeski, Cheryl Szymanski and Daphne Weber of North Huron; Sherry Hunt, Suzie LeBlanc, Kelly Ferguson, Char Durand and Stephanie Pries of Peck; Terri Smafield of Carsonville - Port Sanilac, and Mary Oswald of Deckerville.

SECOND TEAM - Bev Polega and Sandy Miller of North Huron; Mary Lou Scherret of Port Hope; Michele Pattullo, Ruth Ann Varasi and Michelle Slater of Deckerville; Kim Bastian and Marge Miracle of Kingston; Marjorie Humble of Peck, and Jennifer Stekl of Akron-Fairgrove.

HONORABLE MENTION - Gela Kretzschmer of Caseville; Kim Olszak and Marcy Enderle of Owen-Gage; Karen Gaffke, Karen Brown, Kathy Perdue and Lucinda McNeil of Port

Hope; Denise Roberts and Dawn Salgat of A-F, and Jody Carter of CPS.

BASEBALL: FIRST TEAM - Tony Seagraves of Caseville; Dan Craig, Kevin Knoblock and Kevin Hood of North Huron; Reg Goslin of Owen-Gage; Eric Regnier, Clem Doyle, Jerry Husson and Tom Driver of CPS; Brad Wigger of Kingston, and Jim Streeter of A-F.

SECOND TEAM - Pete Delmotte and Greg Langley of Caseville; Tom Fischer of North Huron; Mark Reehl, Mike Megge and Gary Cooper of Kingston; Dave Maxwell and Dennis Griffith of CPS; Mike Spagnuolo of A-F, and Andrew Sheldrake of Deckerville.

HONORABLE MENTION - John Winkler and Ray Johnson of Caseville; Brent Hartz and Chris Gust of Port Hope; Eric Longuski and Doug Kussow of Peck; Dave Pretzer of Kingston; Steve Varasi and Doug Shagena of Deckerville, and Pete Miklovic.



RECORD SETTERS: Three Laker Junior High track records were shattered during the past season by six young athletes.

From left, Frank Shively lowered the record time for the Two Mile Run from 12:12 to 11:41, Tricia Kauffman nipped the old 220 Yard Dash best time of 28.01 with a new mark of 26.01, and the Mile Relay team of Sarah Anthes, Michelle Nuncio, Tracie Henne and Brenda Buschlen set the new record of 4:51.8 to better the old time of 4:52.8.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

Scenic ladies putt for prizes

By MAVIS PECHETTE Women golfers competed for prizes based on putting at Scenic Golf and Country Club. Dody Yahn was the winner in championship flight and Shirley Seelbinder took top honors in first flight.

A three-way tie was the result in second flight with Bea Ankam, Lois Drury and Shirley Keating claiming the awards. The third flight also ended in a tie between Harriett Collins and Helen Traylor. Dody Yahn registered a birdie and chip-ins were recorded by Priscilla Kreh and Shirley Seelbinder.

Winners at bridge in the afternoon were Betty Young,

Pat Koykka, Betty Hutchins, Kay Miller, Pat Schweninger, Clara Scheurer and Margaret Watson.

On Friday the Thumb District Golf Association met at Caseville Golf Course. Scenic was represented by Edna Dutcher, Mavis Pechette, Dody Yahn and JoAnne Christner. Mrs. Dutcher shared medalist honors at 87 with Toby Weaver and Mary Rabideau of Cass City. Other low scorers were Mrs. Yahn at 89 and Vi Hill of Verona Hills and Harriet Richards of Cass City, each with 92. Birdies were tallied by Mrs. Yahn, Mrs. Weaver, Karole Mezo of Sandusky and Kathy

Swartzendruber of Gagetown. Mrs. Yahn, Mrs. Weaver, and Mrs. Richards each had a chip-in and Sophie Kilborn of Vassar registered two.

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The Michigan Youth Corps program is now accepting applications, according to State Representative Dick Allen (R-Fairgrove).

The Youth Corps is aimed at unemployed men and women between the ages of 18 and 21, with priority placement given to unemployed heads of households, or those who live in a house with an unemployed head of the household.

Applications can be obtained at any Michigan Employment Security Commission office, all Department of Social Services offices, all community colleges, colleges and universities, vocational centers and all 26 Service Delivery Area agency offices, Allen says.

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THUMB AREA DEATHS

MAE YOUNGS
1907 - 1985

Ida Mae Youngs, age 78, died Monday evening, June 3 at the Scenic Convalescent Home, Pigeon, following an extended illness.

Mrs. Youngs was born Jan. 19, 1907 in Pinnebog, daughter of the late William and Ida (Wolfe) Chappel. On March 11, 1945 she was united in marriage to Frederick Youngs in Ohio. The couple owned and operated the Scenic Convalescent Home in Pigeon for 11 years, until Mr. Youngs death on March 28, 1967. Mrs. Youngs continued operation of the home until her retirement in March, 1983.

She was a member of the Pigeon First United Methodist Church, Past Worthy Matron of the Elkton Chapter No. 431 Order of the Eastern Star and a member of the White Shrine. Mrs. Youngs is survived by several nieces and nephews. One brother, Clare Chappel, and one sister, Bernice Chappel, preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, June 6 at 11 a.m. from the First United Methodist Church, Pigeon. Rev. Gordon W. Nusz, pastor, will officiate with burial in the Colfax Township Cemetery, Bad Axe.

An Order of Eastern Star Memorial Service will be conducted at 8 p.m. Wednesday from the MacAlpine Funeral Home, Bad Axe.

FLOYD "CHIB" LANGLEY
1903 - 1985

Floyd "Chib" Langley, age 81, of Caseville, passed away Monday, June 3 at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon.

He was born July 29, 1903 in Chandler Township, son of the late David and Etta Mae (Rowe) Langley. On June 27, 1951 he was united in marriage to Evelyn M. Richmond in Pigeon. He was a WW II veteran and had retired from Michigan Oven Company.

Mr. Langley is survived by his wife Evelyn M.; three step daughters, Mrs. Margaret A. Schwalm, Essexville, Mrs. Ralph (Donna) Limberger, Pigeon, and Mrs. Barbara Richmond, Saginaw; one step son, James M. Richmond, Saginaw; five step grandchildren; six step great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Four brothers and two sisters preceded him in death. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, June 6 at 1:00 p.m. from the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. Brent L. McCumons, pastor of Caseville United Methodist Church will officiate with burial in Caseville Cemetery.

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Pigeon news

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schuette and family had as Saturday guests Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shresney and family of Sebewaing.

Pastor and Mrs. Ernst Henkelmann were among guests at Lori Diener's graduation party on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sattler and Beth Ann of Bay City spent Memorial Day weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collision.

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Pigeon District Library News

SUMMER READING PROGRAM

All area students in grades kindergarten through sixth are invited on an adventure to find the lost treasure of The Great Lakes Gang and Captain Book while participating in the Summer Reading Program at the Pigeon District Library.

The children are required to read at least 10 books on their reading level during the six-week program which begins June 10, to be eligible to attend the party at the end of the program. As the children return the books they have read, they will come closer to discovering where the "lost treasure" is. Simple activities are also planned as the children read. Children must register in person for the program at the library from now until June 10.

PICK A MOVIE WEEK

Videotape club members may visit the library this week through Saturday to make their tape selections during "Pick A Movie Week." Five movie choices are allowed per family using the special ballots. Literature is available with a wide variety of Beta and VHS tapes to choose. Suggestions and comments are also welcome in a space provided.

Purchase of the videotapes will be made from the list of the most popular choices after June 8.

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

"Daddies, What They Do All Day," "The Man, the Boy and the Donkey" and "Grandpa and Me" are stories the children will hear at Preschool Story Hour on June 11.

These stories center around the theme of "Fathers" at both sessions at 9 and 10:30 a.m. for area preschoolers.

In addition to songs and games, a filmstrip will be shown, entitled "Rumpelstiltskin." Each child will be given a gift to take home for their dad on Father's Day.

HAVE ANY USED BOOKS?

The Pigeon District Library asks you to remember them when you do your spring cleaning this year.

The library will accept used paperbacks or hardcover books for the annual book sale conducted in July. Donations to the library are tax deductible and a receipt for hardcover books will be given upon request.

MICHIGAN HISTORY WORKSHOP

A three-day Michigan History Workshop has recently been attended by Starla Eigsti, Peggy Karl, Nancy Swartzendruber and Roberta Richmond from the Pigeon District Library.

Two sessions were conducted at the Hoyt Public Library in Saginaw and featured Geneva Wiskemann, President of the Michigan Oral History Council who spoke on methods of gathering oral history for use in libraries, and William Miles from the Clark Historical Library at the University of Michigan who spoke on ways to protect and preserve historical library materials.

Workshop highlight was a bus trip to the Michigan State Library and the Michigan State Archives in Lansing. After a slide presentation at the State Library, the 35 librarians from the White Pine Library Co-op toured the Genealogy Dept. and were offered tips for helping patrons with genealogy research. At the State Archives the group was shown several historical documents that are housed there and information was given for the requirements of public use of the Archives.

Roses & Thorns

By MARK KARLS

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and grapple with life's tough problems. What would she know about that kind of God?

Everything changed when the women discovered the lady was just like them. They fell in love with her, and then they could not help but fall in love with her God.

Some people do not want to think of their pastor-priest as human. It would be devastating for them to know of mistakes and weakness in their pastor's life. I mean, if he cannot be perfect then why should I even try? The fact there are perfect people out there in clerical garb is important to give stability and hope to life.

To that I say "Hogwash"! Please do not cheat anyone out of the privilege of being human. We all laugh and cry and need friends and stand in need of God and many other things. And some even strike out in slowpitch softball (Oh, I could just die!).



SOUND-OFF !

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There are a lot of references in the Bible pertaining to cleanliness. But the old proverb "Cleanliness is next to Godliness" is not found in the Bible. If someone can find it, please tell us where in SOUND-OFF next time.

I'd like to wish a happy birthday to a really great guy, Steve P. Thank you.

I agree Caseville needs improvements like this airport. We don't have anyone fighting for the good things here. I'm sick of the few people who only work if there's something bad to do, like oppose this and other good things. Why does Caseville have so few real leaders, who stand up and really work for the good things?

I would like to comment how nice Riverside Cemetery in Oliver Township looks. Thank you, fellows. Signed, J.K.

Someone you failed to mention in reporting local winners in the Champions Invitational Track Meet at Bad Axe last week were the 440 Relay Team of Warren, Bushey, Ginter and Wissner. They have a nice silver medal. You left them out. Please give them credit. They did a fantastic job.

Thank you, Mrs. E., for being our teacher this year. We really loved you.

I really enjoyed the coverage given to the 25th graduating class at Lakers this year. This

school district deserves a great pat on the back for always maintaining educational excellence, in the face of world, state and local problems. Where else would a neighboring superintendent come into the district, to work against harmony here? But we survived all that, and our children have done very well in this first quarter century.

We're all proud of you, Madhavi, for doing so well in the Spelling Bee. Keep up the good work (or is that work?)!

My family urges your support for the Laker millage request seeking 3 1/2 renewing and 1 new mill, to be decided next Monday, June 10. Everybody needs more to live on these days, including our

schools, if we want to keep them really high quality.

This is to add support for "Wizard of Oz" by the Laker Drama Club. We really enjoyed it. I have a six-year-old who was just captivated. Thanks for a really fine job.

Thanks for telling us about how the Protzman farm operates. I had always heard about how good it was. Now I got to see it myself. Kids, this is the type of modern place your milk comes from, and we can be proud it happens right here.

Let's just take the federal grant money to build the new airport and use it to build a big wall all the way around Caseville. Then the complainers would get just what they want, peace and quiet,

and no changes or improvements ever.

Orders are being taken for homemade noodles, to raise money to allow the Michigan Avenue Menomone Youth to attend the summer convention in Ames, Iowa. To order yours, please call 453-2255, 656-7268, 375-2262 or 883-3759. Thank you, they're delicious.

I believe the school needs as much to operate as last year, and they even got an increase with the valuation rise. But I don't agree with any additional millage this year. It's too hard on us farmers right now. I wish they would have asked for a separate renewal and increase. It's not fair to combine it into one.

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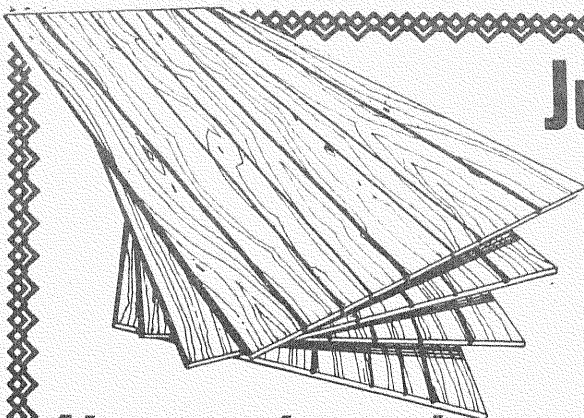
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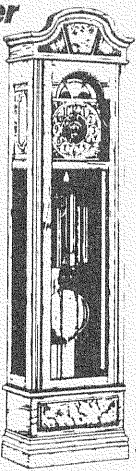
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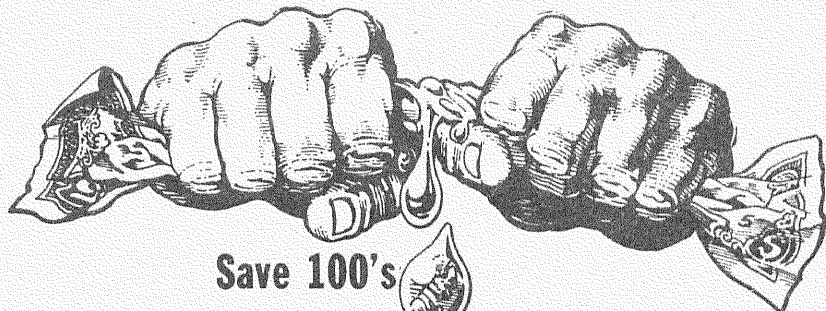
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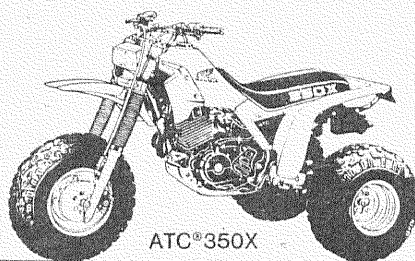
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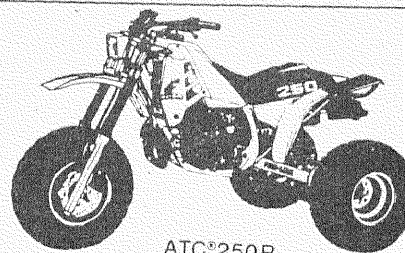


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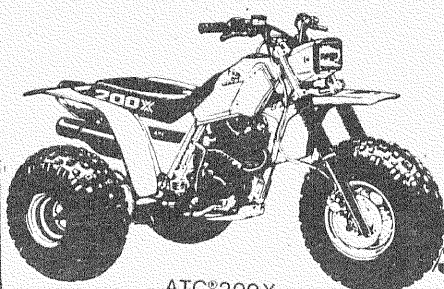


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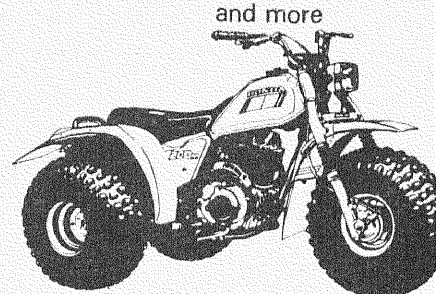
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