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Celebration set this weekend

Salem UM Church celebrates 100th anniversary

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

During the same year the Washington Monument was dedicated and Grover Cleveland was inaugurated as President of the United States, the Salem United Methodist Church was created. The Pigeon area church history dates back to 1885 when Rev. D.W. Schaeffer began preaching in the home of Mr. Louis Theil and a Sunday School was organized. The Salem Evangelical Sunday School soon grew out of that location and in the late 1880s the group met in the Turner Schoolhouse.

The first Salem church building was erected in Berne in 1891, but was moved to Pigeon in 1902 as population shifted to the village. People moved to Pigeon because the intersection of two railroads offered advantages to businesses located there. The structure was moved across the fields by placing logs under the building and rolling it to its new location.

Growth in Salem's attendance prompted the congregation to build a brick veneer church in 1909. A fire of unknown origin, however, destroyed that building on Christmas eve in 1934. A new, "fireproof" church building was erected at a cost of \$21,600 and dedicated on Sept. 8, 1935.

Two denominational mergers provided the most memorable events in Salem's history. In 1946, when the Evangelical denomination and the United Brethren denomination merged the Salem Evangelical Church became the Salem Evangelical United Brethren Church.

The local church again experienced a name change when the EUB and Methodist denominations merged in 1968. Since that time Salem has been known as a United Methodist church.

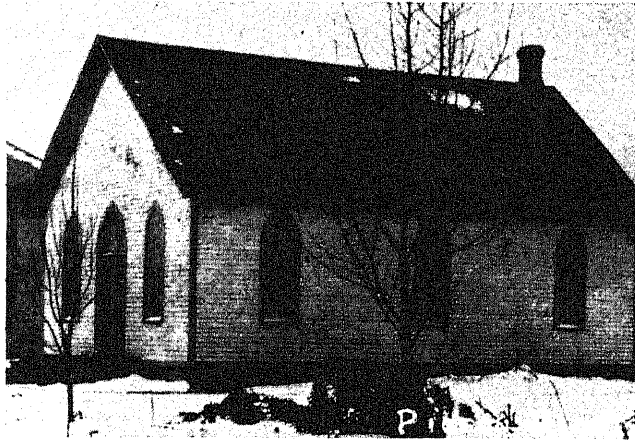
The last denominational merger resulted in the unique situation of two United Methodist congregations located in a town the size of Pigeon. At the time of the EUB-Methodist merger, both Salem and First United Methodist churches had "healthy" congregations, and both wanted to retain their own unique identities, according to current Salem Pastor Mark Karls.

Although the EUB-Methodist merger occurred less than 20 years ago, a spirit of unity and cooperation has enabled both United Methodist churches in Pigeon to cooperate in many activities. By an interesting chance (or Bishop's intention), the current Methodist pastors in Pigeon grew up in the other denominational branch of the United Methodists than the church they lead. Salem pastor Mark Karls comes from a traditional Methodist background, while First UM pastor Gordon Nusz grew up in an EUB environment.

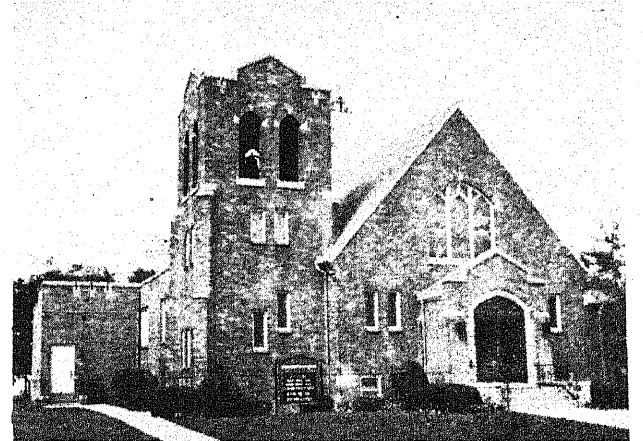
Under the appointive system for pastors in both the Methodist and EUB denominations, 27 pastors have served the Salem Congregation. These leaders include: D.W. Schaefer (served 1885-86), G.J. Kirn (1886-89), W.F. Vogel (1889-92), W.A. Bulgrin (1892-94), B.F. Wade (1894-97), W. Berge (1897-1901), S. Salsbery (1901-02), F. Klump (1902-04), N. Frye (1904-07), G.G. Heximer (1907-08), C. Rodesiler (1908-11), A.A. Scheurer (1911-15), W.H. Wagner (1915), C. Rodesiler (1915-19), D.F. Binder 1919-22), E.C. Braun (1922-26), F.W. Fall (1926-31), G.C. Murbach (1931-36), S. Young (1936-43), L.A. Ruegsegger (1943-55), Paul S. Thomas (1955-59), Byron Chapman (1959-63), Clare M. Tosch (1963-68), Raymond Roe (1968-71), Sam Evans (1971-75), Ralph Pieper II (1975-83) and current pastor Mark Karls who moved to Pigeon in 1983.

Pastors are assigned and reassigned by the conference Bishop and District Superintendent under the appointive system of leadership in the United Methodist Church. Karls notes the current 6-8 year average stay by pastors with any one congregation is longer than it was in the past, due to the jump in relocation expenses in recent years.

Both Salem and Pigeon First United Methodist Churches



ORIGINAL CHURCH: Here's the original Salem Evangelical Church building, built in 1891 at Berne.



TODAY'S SALEM: This is the present Salem United Methodist Church sanctuary, at 23 Mabel Street, Pigeon, constructed in 1935.

belong to the Port Huron District of the Detroit Conference, in which women play key leadership roles. The Detroit Conference is headed by Bishop Judy Craig, one of only three such women in the entire United Methodist Church, and former Elkton and Sebawaing Pastor Beth Isaacs is the Port Huron District Superintendent. Isaacs is the only female superintendent among the 13 districts in Michigan, Karls says.

One of the local women who made an important contribution to Christian education of the Salem congregation is Lena

Henke. Her efforts as a Sunday school teacher for over 60 years is commended by long-time Salem members.

The Pigeon congregation has also developed workers in Christian Service including: Robert Young, Raymond Kretzschmer, Janette Geiger Hoepner, Neila Roberts Mangum, Ross Geiger, Roy Wurtz, Esther and Orvin Yordy, Kay Shope Lindsay, Laura Emery and Ken Smeader.

Activities for the centennial celebration begin this Saturday, Sept. 21 at the church with a time of greeting past Salem

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NEW COUNTY HEALTH CENTER: Local officials gathered Monday for groundbreaking ceremonies at the new Huron County Health Department's Preventative Health and Environmental Center, located west of Bad Axe on M-53 just west of the Huron County Medical Care Facility.

The new building, to be completed by February, will allow the Health Department to move from its ground-level offices in the County Building, according to Director Dale Hippensteel.

The \$400,000 project will include 8700 sq. feet on three acres of land on the north side of M-53, offering nearly four times the present Health Department floor space, Hippensteel says. The department has a 2400-sq.-ft. office now.

Shown in the photo are, from left, Architect Loton Eastman of Port Huron, Health Department Program Development Specialist Dianna Schafer, Hippensteel, County Commissioner Bruce Kuhl, County Building Authority Chairman Paul Soini, County Health Committee Chairman (and Commis-

sioner) Peter Ney, Building Authority member Glenn Townley, Commissioner Ronald Knoblock and LeRoy Boesch of Boesch Builders, Sebawaing, contractors.

The new facility includes space for four or five screening clinic rooms, instead of the present one room. Hippensteel says better management capabilities will be offered in the new building, including expanded computer use.

The existing office space in the County Building will be used for Juvenile Services needs in District Court plus Emergency Services departments, according to commissioners.

In all, 38 Health Department employees offer more than 16 public health services including public health nursing, home health services, hearing and vision screening, well-child screening, personal care-homemaker aides, crippled children services, glaucoma screening, prenatal services, flue and immunization clinics and others.

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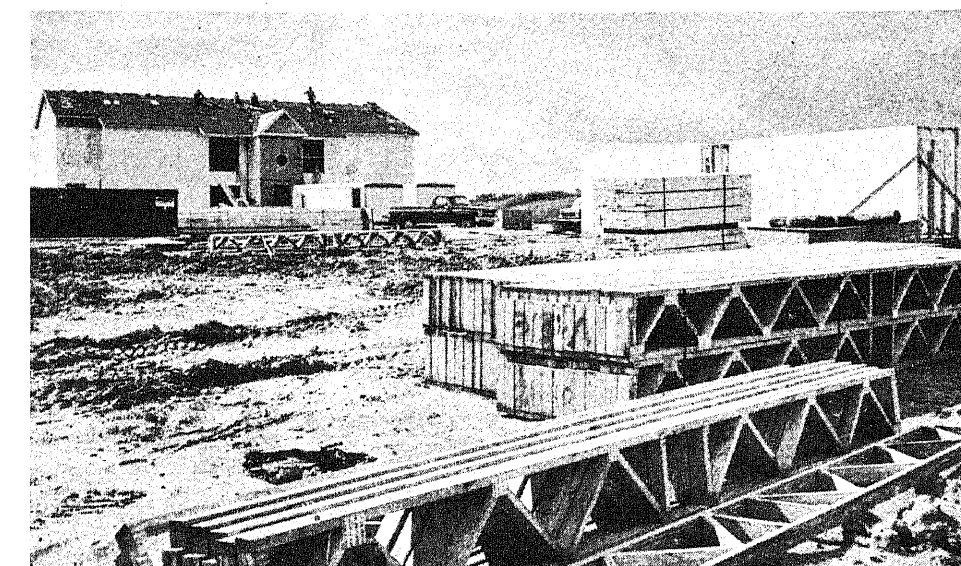
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GOING UP!

The Sigel Apartments off Hartley and Brush Streets in Pigeon are taking shape quickly, as roughing in work is finished on the first building in the 24-apartment complex.

Sigel Limited Partnership of East Lansing, owned by William and Thomas Breakey are owners. Completion is expected late this fall.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

Brighton Metal gets state grant

Brighton Metal Products of Caseville has been granted a \$412,500 economic development loan to help finance increased production, according to Governor James Blanchard. The loan by the Michigan Economic Development Authority (MEDA) ensures the maintenance of about 55

jobs at the plant and promises the creation of another 55 jobs within two years, according to a spokesman for Blanchard.

"This plant makes a substantial contribution to the economic health of Huron County," Blanchard says. "The state of Michigan is pleased to be

able to help provide the financing that ensures its continued operation in Caseville."

The Governor was joined in the announcement by State Sen. James Barcia of Bay City and Rep. Dick Allen of Fairgrove.

Brighton Metal Products manufactures sleeping compartments or "bunkers" that are attached to the cabs of large trucks. The firm is the sole supplier of the bunkers used on International Harvester trucks.

O'Connor adds he intends to widen the company's customer base and product line.

Local officials had feared the plant might be relocated to Ohio, near one of International Harvester's truck plants, but the new owners of the company offered assurances the plant would continue to operate in Caseville, as it has for the past 20 years.

Moreover, as a condition of the MEDA loan, the company pledged to continue its entire operation in Michigan. If it should fail to do so, the unpaid principal and interest on the loan would become immediately payable.

Thumb Grain MARKETS

at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 17 (CALL 453-ELEV 24 HOURS)

White Wheat...bu. \$2.60 (Up 2 cents from last week's \$2.58)

Corn...bu. 2.20 (Down 10 cents from last week's 2.30) NEW CROP: 2.02 BU.

Soybeans...bu. 4.84 (Up 8 cents from last week's 4.76) NEW CROP: 4.82 BU.

Oats...B-grade 1.10 A-grade: 1.20

Rye...bu. 2.40 (Unchanged from last week's 2.40)

Morex Barley...bu. 1.90 (Unchanged from last week's 1.90)

Navy Beans...cwt. 14.50 (Unchanged from last week) NEW CROP NAVIES: NO BID SMALL WHITES (AURORAS): \$15.00

Compassionate Friends to move meetings

The Thumb Area Chapter of Compassionate Friends, a self-help group for parents whose children have died, is changing its meeting location for the Oct. 8 and monthly meetings.

The Tuesday, Oct. 8 meeting begins at 7 p.m. at the Community Book Store meeting room, on W. Michigan Ave., Pigeon.

Any interested persons are invited to attend, or may get more information about the free group by calling 453-2324.

8 injured in weekend mishap

Four area young people remain in Bay Medical Center, Bay City Monday morning and four had been released after treatment following a one-vehicle crash on Liken Road, 1/4 mile north of Wildner Road just before 12:30 a.m. Sunday.

Still hospitalized are Penny Jo Haag, 16 of Sebewaing, who is in fair condition in Intensive Care with multiple injuries, Duane Baur, 22 of Pigeon, also in ICU in fair condition with multiple injuries, Shelly Stein, 17 of Pigeon is in fair condition and Tammy Southgate, 18 of Unionville is in good condition with minor head injuries.

Treated and released following the crash were Jeff Finkbeiner, 19 of Bay Port, driver of the vehicle, Shelly Roedel, 17 of Pigeon, Bruce Vandemark, 18 of Unionville and Shane Spriggs, 16 of Sebewaing.

Tuscola County sheriff's officers say the vehicle was traveling southwest on Liken Road when it came to a curve, ran into a ditch on the west side and across the road, landing on the east side of Liken Road. Ambulances from Akron-Columbia-Wisner Townships and Sebewaing Ambulance Service responded to the call and all eight were taken to Bay Medical Center. Officers Bill Owens of Unionville, Mike Pine and Reservist Mark Bills of Sebewaing assisted Tuscola Deputy Sheriff officers James Jasinske and Robert Kinney.

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

HURON ROAD, GENERAL TAX HEARING SET SEPT. 24

Huron County's Board of Commissioners have scheduled a Truth in Taxation public hearing next Tuesday, Sept. 24 to discuss their proposed one-half mill increase in the county millage rate for primary road resurfacing. The 10 a.m. hearing will be in the Commissioners' Meeting room on the third floor of the County Building in Bad Axe.

The millage rate would rise from the present allocated 4.0196-mill rate for county operations to 4.5196, still nearly one-half mill below the maximum 5-mill figure which can be decided without a vote of the people. It would average about \$15 per year for a \$30,000 S.E.V. home.

The amount would generate about \$390,000 annually, which could provide nearly \$4 million over four years for road resurfacing when combined with state and federal funding. No list of exact roads to be repaved is yet available from the Huron County Road Commission, but about 100 miles of the most critical roads would be repaired during the four-year period.

Also to be decided at the Sept. 24 public hearing is a 0.1117-mill increase for the county's general fund, which would generate slightly more than \$100,000 annually.

FM RADIO STATION SOUGHT

The southwestern Thumb Area may get another new FM radio station, if a construction permit sought by Radiocom, Ltd., is approved by the Federal Communications Commission.

The station would broadcast from Tuscola, on channel 28.9A with 3000 watts of power, to cover all of Tuscola, Genesee and parts of adjacent counties.

Owners include some of the principals in WKNX-AM in Frankfort, such as Robert Dana MacVay and Robert Dyer. A decision from the FCC isn't expected for several months.

T&SB RAIL SUBSIDY TO END

A five-year operating agreement between the Michigan Transportation Commission and the Tuscola and Saginaw Bay Railway Company will require the eight-year-old railroad to operate on certain area tracks with no state subsidies. The subsidy had averaged about \$67,000 in recent years, but company officials are hopeful the reconditioned state-owned tracks will provide lower operating costs.

The T&SB may now operate on 504 miles of state-owned track from Colling, Caro, Reese and other Thumb points to Ann Arbor, Frankfort and Petoskey, plus 35 miles of its own track. It plans to offer five-year shipping agreements to businesses along its trackage, rather than past one-year contracts. The T&SB is headquartered in Vassar.

TUSCOLA VOTERS NIX MILLAGE

For the third time in 12 months, Tuscola County voters turned down a 1.5-mill county operations request last week, this time by a 2491-2194 figure.

If approved, the issue would have provided just over \$1 million for the county's \$5.19 million 1986 budget. This year, property taxes provide nearly \$3 million of that figure. Already this year, 12 county workers were laid off, plus several department budget cuts were imposed after all county departments were put on four-day work weeks in January.

County Commissioners are uncertain what will be done next, in light of the vote, although some budget cuts are expected.

NOTHING IS TOO TRIVIAL...

Did you know Huron County is Michigan's largest producer of barley, while Tuscola and Sanilac are second and third in line? Or, did you realize Sanilac County has no inland lakes, making it Michigan's driest county?

Or did you know Huron County residents pay the least per capita income tax in the state? Or that ice cream sodas and Cold Duck are just two of many drinks which were invented in Michigan?

These far-flung — and probably useless — facts are part of Michillaneous II, the second book of state trivia by Gary Barnecht. Of course, the Thumb's first man in space — Cass City's Brewster Shaw, Jr. — is mentioned, too.

Available in area bookstores, Michillaneous II is published by Friede Publications, Davison.

DeGROW SEEKING CLIENTS

Former State Senator Alvin DeGrow (R-Pigeon) is lining up clients for a lobbying business he has started, representing local interests in Lansing.

Sen. DeGrow represented the Thumb for 14 years as State Senator before retiring from public office in 1982, following state re-districting. He has been offering representation services to local governments and agencies, to untangle the Lansing bureaucratic jungle on a parttime basis for up to \$100 per hour, according to Port Huron's Times Herald.

COAST GUARD FUNDING BACK

Funding to operate the Harbor Beach station of the U.S. Coast Guard was approved Thursday for 1985-86 by the U.S. House of Representatives.

The U.S. Transportation Department's budget was increased to keep open the stations, plus to continue Amtrak funding at last year's levels.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

Thomas Parver, 18 of Elkton, pled guilty last week to attempted breaking and entering a vehicle to steal property over \$5 before Huron County Circuit Judge M. Richard Knoblock, following a Jan. 22 incident in Pigeon. Sentencing is set for Oct. 11.

Gregory Rowland, 30 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to larceny under \$100 before Huron County District Judge John Schubel last week. He was sentenced to 30 days in the Huron County Jail and was ordered to pay \$200 in fines and costs, following a Sept. 11 incident in Pigeon.

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As we see it editorially

Rock music guidelines coming?

Maybe somebody in important places will indeed turn around and take note of the growing movement to label rock records, advising buyers and listeners of the content included. As we discussed here recently, this is an idea whose time has come.

A brief definition is needed. First, Elvis' on-stage gyrations and swivel-hip antics in the mid-50s were abhorred by parents as being too wild for young, impressionable eyes. By today's standards, that's called dancing -- or less.

Second, rock music today is no longer subtle in its sexual and deviant tones -- some musicians come right out to condone and triumph sex, satanism, drugs and violence, into the most impressionable ears anywhere. Isn't there enough of this already in movies (which have ratings guides) and on some TV shows (which also have broadcasting standards)?

Finally, we mid-age observers are not pruders or censorship fiends. In fact, we're rock music lovers (yes, sigh, even in our mid-30s). We

believe strongly in freedom of speech and other such concepts, but rock music lyrics truly have gone much too far in recent years.

Back to the present. A group of highly-placed Washington, D.C. lawmakers' wives in April launched the Parents Music Resource Center (PMRC), and have emerged as rock's strongest -- and most powerful -- critics. They originally sought a rating code which would be placed on all record albums and tapes, to be stamped:

- V for violent material,
- X for profane or explicit lyrics,
- D/A for drug or alcohol references, and
- O for occult references.

From this viewpoint, such a system makes sense and violates no one's freedoms.

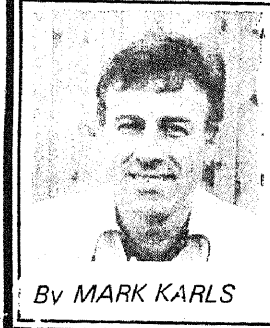
We would wager virtually no parent truly knows what lyrics really say in some of the songs by Prince, Judas Priest, Twisted Sister, Motley Crue, AC/DC and dozens of others. Some of Madonna's songs are very sexually explicit, as are songs by various popular performers. Cyndi Lauper, David Lee Roth and Van Halen and even Sheena Easton are guilty of promoting "rock porn" in some of their most popular songs.

Now, D.C. mothers such as Susan Baker (wife of Treasury Secretary James Baker) are asking the industry to police itself with such a rating system and by publishing all lyrics on album liners. Their efforts in promoting the PMRC goals are catching fire, and they'll be making presentations to the National Association of Broadcasters and the National Music Review Council in coming weeks. U.S. Senate and House hearings are being sought soon, too.

Some believe record ratings would have the reverse effect of encouraging purchase of some "X-rated" records. That may be. Others worry that such guidelines would be much more difficult for the 25,000 songs released annually, instead of 325 movies presented. Those are logical, but the truth remains: parents deserve some kind of guidelines, to know what their children are listening to.

People magazine this week has published a fairly in-depth analysis of this continuing situation. Elvis, Pat Boone, the Beatles and others may have been ahead of their time, but their music was basically clean or at least identifiable. The chauvinistic, sexual and deviant themes so much in vogue today are doing nothing but poisoning and damaging young minds.

If such an industry can't issue guidelines on its own, as the movie industry does, perhaps consumers -- or regrettable the government -- indeed should step in with sane directions. Otherwise, insanity and stupidity reign.



Roses AND Thorns
On the lighter side
By MARK KARLS



The other day I was sitting there minding my own business when my wife thrust a quick sketch in front of me and asked my opinion. Apparently she had heard that Pigeon was soon to erect a water tower and she had been noticing the Caseville water tower had a fish on it and the Elkton water tower had a happy face on it -- so what should the Pigeon water tower have on it?

I looked at the sketch of a pigeon in farmer overalls with some wheat sticking out of its beak, and I wondered if the town would like a new image. So she sketched a pigeon in top hat, tux, cane and spats.

I got to thinking some more and wondered what other ideas there are out there in the community as to sketches for our new water tower. I know there is nothing official and the community fathers may want nothing on the tower, but creativity is good for the soul. So I am submitting my wife's sketches and any new ones can be submitted to The Progress-Advance for possible printing. What do you think?

We're winners again -- 3 times!

The Progress-Advance has been awarded three excellence certificates among weekly newspapers in the state by the Michigan Press Association for 1984-85.

A total of 1582 entries from 80 weekly and 42 daily papers were reviewed and judged this year, and The Progress-Advance won its 26th, 27th and 28th awards since 1979.

The awards are:

- **THIRD PLACE AMONG ALL WEEKLIES** for Editorial Writing, concerning Caseville Township Airport support, written by Mark Rummel;
- **THIRD PLACE AMONG ALL WEEKLIES** for the May 9, 1984 photo of Gov. James Blanchard at Active Feed Company, saying "Wow! Do they ever grow big eggs here!" (reproduced in part at right), photographed by Mark Rummel, and
- **HONORABLE MENTION, Class C**, for Special Sections for the Sept. 21, 1984 "Laker High School 25th Birthday" section, written and photographed by Bill Esch and Mark Rummel.

Best large paper chosen in these awards, in recognition of National Newspaper Week, is The Detroit Free Press, followed by The Times Herald of Port Huron and The Grand Haven Tribune.

Best weekly papers, by circulation class, are The Rochester Eccentric, The Northville Record and The L'Anse Sentinel.

Judges this year were members of the Wisconsin Press Association. The Huron Daily Tribune of Bad Axe took four awards. The Tuscola County Advertiser of Caro five, The Frankenmuth News took three and The Vassar Pioneer-Times one.

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RECOLLECTIONS OF By-Gone Days
By GEORGE KEIM



DEAR EDITOR:

This time of the year, when we see those big combines and field choppers going by followed by those big tractors and other big machinery -- and then when we hear how hard up some people are -- it makes some of us older people wonder if we were all wrong.

We used to farm with machinery much smaller and farmed much less land. Times and people have all changed. I don't know if its for the better or worse.

About 50 years ago, people used to get together and help each other thrash, fill silos, shred corn, saw wood and butcher a beef or some pigs. We didn't have time to go to the coffee shop, but we got together a lot.

I know that if a person got into a bind, other people would still have time to help you out.

About the first thing I did for the neighbors was fill silo. Because I was big and heavy, they used to put me in the silo to tramp the silage down.

They used to have at least three or four men in silos to do this, so it would settle evenly. Then, they thought they could get more in.

When I was older, they didn't have men in the silos anymore, so I drove a wagon and team to get the corn to the silo filler. They would cut the corn with a binder and if the binder worked well and tied well, you could go down a row and let your horses go down the row and load as fast as they walked.

We used to use regular silo wagons. They were low, under-slung wagons that were first used in Iowa. And because we Mennonites all

had one, people called them Mennonite wagons.

I was working for a farmer who had a good one. He sent me to fill silo at a neighbor's place. There were five wagons going and one fellow just couldn't load a very good load. The corn always slopped off and when he got to the filler, he could hardly get the corn off.

I asked him what the matter was with his wagon. He said it isn't any good. So I told him I'd trade wagons and horses with him.

Well, I took his wagon and team and loaded a real nice load and took it up to the filler. I didn't have any trouble unloading it, but when I came out, I met him coming up the lane with one of the most lop-sided loads of corn I ever saw.

So I teased him a little, and he said he had to admit that even if I was a lot younger than he was, I was a far better corn loader than he was.

The last time I was in a silo was at Mrs. Chris Diefenbach's. Art Roeber was working her farm and she wanted a man in the silo.

Art knew that I used to do it. The silo got so full, I couldn't get out of the silo hole! So they gave me a rope so I could let myself down the ladder.

In Prov. 10:5 it says, "He that gathereth in summer is a wise son, but he that sleepeth in harvest is a son that causeth shame."

So when your harvest is ready and the weather is right, get at it. I used to get up long before daylight and sometimes I worked long after dark to get my crops in, and the whole family helped. And we were all glad when it was over.



Pigeon District LIBRARY CORNER

FILM PROGRAMS TO BEGIN

Two new film programs are being incorporated at the Pigeon District Library as another service for library patrons, utilizing the new audio-visual room. Each Film Festival will feature one or more 16mm films ranging in length from 1 1/2 to two hours.

A Senior Citizens Movie Festival will begin on Oct. 17 and is scheduled for the third Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m. Movies are free of charge and refreshments will be served. All seniors are invited.

Beginning Jan. 18 a Film Festival will begin for later elementary students through adults. Movies will be shown for this age group one Saturday each month at 1 p.m. Admission will be free.

A schedule of the films to be shown will be listed in The Progress-Advance and posted in the library.

COFFEE HOUR SCHEDULE

A Parents' Coffee Hour program will begin this school year in October with two sessions conducted each Tuesday beginning at 9:20 and 10:50 a.m., for parents or guardians of preschool children. Refreshments will be served.

The schedule will include: Oct. 15 — MariAnne Dast of Flowers by MariAnne; Nov. 19 — Dwight Gascho of Bluewater Youth for Christ and Dec. 17 — A Christmas Party for parents and preschoolers from 9:30 to 11 a.m.

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

Jungle stories will be the theme on Sept. 24 with the stories "Horton Hatches the Egg" and "Wise Monkey Tale." The Watersville Zoo chalk-talk, Five Little Monkeys, the Fish and Little Turtle fingerplays, along with songs and games will also be included. Elephant puppets on a stick will be given as a take-home project for the children.

All area preschoolers are invited to attend Story Hour each Tuesday morning at 9 or 10:30 a.m.

WPLC MEET ATTENDED

The September monthly meeting of the White Pine Library Cooperative met Sept. 11 at Zavel Memorial Library in Saginaw. Forty-eight member librarians from 11 local counties attended, including Roberta Richmond of the Pigeon District Library.

After the business meeting, Margaret Wolfe of the Library of Michigan, Lansing, presented a program on the services available through the library for the blind and physically handicapped. The Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped is a unit of the Library of Michigan in Lansing. It is one of 56 regional libraries administered by the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped of the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C., which originated in 1936.

Books and magazines in braille, on cassette or disc, cassette players, record players, headphones, remote control units and amplifiers are some of the material that may be borrowed. Materials span all age levels and reading interests and are loaned free of charge.

Rotarians earn Paul Harris Fellowships

Two members of the Pigeon Rotary Club were awarded the group's highest international honor, the Paul Harris Fellowships, during recent ceremonies at the group's annual lobster picnic at Caseville County Park.

Eugene Poirier and Edwin Eichler were chosen for the award after at least \$1000 was donated to the Rotary International organization in their names, to be used for youth scholarships worldwide.

Poirier has held many club offices and responsibilities, as has Eichler, who is past Club President and Past Rotary District 631 Governor.

From left, Past District Governor Karl Leppien, formerly of Pigeon and now of Alma, helps congratulate the men. Next is Poirier, Eichler, and present Club President Dr. Steve Beedle.



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Local women celebrate 95 years



Rachel Gunden admires roses she received for her birthday.

Two western Thumb women each celebrated their 95th birthday last week.

Rachel Gunden of Bay Port observed her birth last Thursday, while Tillie Miller of Pigeon celebrated her 95th year a day later.

Mrs. Gunden, who was born in Canada, moved to Michigan about the turn of the century. She was treated to a birthday meal at home by some of her relatives and friends.

Knitting is a favorite pastime for Mrs. Gunden. Born in Oliver Township, Miller moved to Pigeon about 70 years ago.

Mrs. Miller's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whelihan of Rapson hosted an open house for their mother at their home last Sunday. Guests from Port Huron, Marysville, Muskegon, Caseville, Port Hope, Elkton, Pigeon and Rapson attended the special event.

Mrs. Miller says crocheting is her favorite hobby.



Tillie Miller looks over some of the birthday cards she received from well-wishers.

Open House marks 90 years



Lillian Leipprandt

The family of Lillian Leipprandt extend a cordial invitation to all her friends to celebrate the occasion of her 90th birthday at the Pigeon District Library on Sunday, Oct. 13 from 2 to 4 p.m.

The only gifts sought are the best wishes of friends. No other gifts, please.

Mrs. Leipprandt was born to her parents, Martin and Christina Sturm, on Oct. 9, 1895 and is the wife of the late E.T. Leipprandt, whom she married in 1923. Her children are Mrs. Clarence (Phyllis) Leipprandt, Charles, Bruce and Ted Leipprandt.

Rural ROUND-UP

A weekly briefing of news and information of interest to Thumb Farmers

TERRY HENNE, Pigeon native and farm editor and reporter for Saginaw radio station WSGW, will be the speaker at the annual Huron County Farm Bureau meeting on Thursday, Sept. 26 at the Farm Bureau Building in Bad Axe.

Henne's topic will be "What's so good about farming?" Buffet-style chicken and ham dinner will be served from 6 to 7:30 p.m., with

business meeting beginning at 8 p.m.

Tickets are available at the Farm Bureau office, and reservations should be made by this Friday, Sept. 20.

Reports of county committees, award presentations, consideration of policy resolutions, election of three directors and other new business will be discussed.

Terms of three board members expire this year.

They are Bill Herford, representing Caseville, Chandler, Hume, Lake, Meade and McKinley Townships; Karl Haas, representing Bingham, Colfax, Sheridan and Verona, and Dale Christner of Pigeon, director-at-large.

Haas and Christner have served two terms are not eligible for re-election.

All Farm Bureau members and friends are invited.

NEW OFFICERS were chosen at the first meeting of the newly-combined Board of Directors for the Co-Operative Elevator Company of Pigeon, with plants in Sebawaing, Elkton and Akron.

Gerald Elenbaum of Owendale is Chairman of the Board, while Harold Gremel, Jr., of Sebawaing is Vice Chairman, Fritz Damm of Bay Port is Secretary.

Other Board members are Loren Finkbeiner of Bay Port, Wendell Maust of Pigeon, Vincent Smith of Caseville and David Sting of Unionville.

Treasurer is the firm's General Manager Ted Leipprandt, and Assistant Secretary is John Kohr, the Co-Op's Assistant Manager.

The company is the result of this month's merger between the Co-Operative Elevator Company and Sebawaing Farmers' Cooperative.

WET BEANS: Thumb Area bean growers have lower yields to look forward to this fall, as harvest begins, in addition to

already-depressed crop prices.

Last week's rainfall has reduced expected yields by 10 to 15% in many area fields, although some escaped part of the seven inches of rain recorded here.

Sanilac County farmers expect a 15% crop loss in dry beans, while Lapeer County farmers — who have been deluged with up to 16 inches of rain since mid-August — could lose up to \$10 million on this year's crop.

No exact estimate of Huron County conditions is being reported, but losses are less than in southern areas.

FARM AID is coming this Sunday, Sept. 22, as a help for the nation's struggling farmers. The concert will include performers such as Wayne Jennings, B.B. King, the Beach Boys, Billy Joel, Loretta Lynn, Bob Dylan, Jimmy Buffett, Tanya Tucker, Foreigner and Dotty West.

The Champaign, Ill., concert hopes to raise money for farming neighbors, and all

78,000 tickets for the live, 12-hour concert were sold quickly when they went on sale recently. Promoters hope to raise up to \$50 million.

The cable TV Nashville Network will show the entire concert, and some radio stations may broadcast it.

PILLSBURY MAY sell its Dry Edible Protein Division, which includes several local grain elevators, according to stories published in Bay City and Saginaw newspapers.

The potential buyer is Con Agra, Inc., one of the world's largest ag conglomerates. The Pillsbury firm is the former Wickes Companies.

THE SOVIETS have a thirst for U.S. ag technology, according to a U.S. Embassy attache who spoke last week at Delta College.

Dr. John Harrison says agriculture is the brightest spot in future trade between the Soviet Union and U.S. That nation has an untapped need for hybrid seeds and other advances in ag technology.

Salem UM

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pastors and friends from 4-5:30 p.m., a banquet at 6 p.m. in First United Methodist Fellowship Hall, followed by a program of special music and a slide presentation depicting Salem church activities from the early 1900s until the present, according to Centennial Committee Chairman Willard P. Haist.

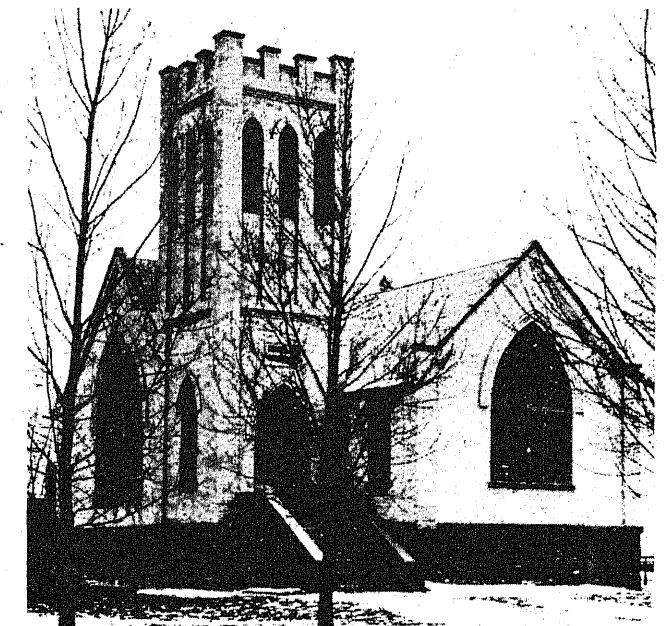
Haist experienced a good deal of the Salem history firsthand as he has attended the church for over 70 years. He was a delegate to both conferences which involved denominational merger.

In an interesting coincidence, Haist was a delegate representing the EUB conference in 1966, while Harold Karls, father of Salem Pastor Mark Karls, served as mainstream Methodist delegate at the same gathering in Chicago. The denominational merger was then finalized two years later in Dallas.

This weekend's celebration will conclude with a special service Sunday morning beginning at 10 a.m. The featured speaker will be Dr. Robert Horton, assistant to the Bishop and former Port Huron District Superintendent.

Past Salem pastors expected to attend the celebration include Rev. and Mrs. Lester Rueggesser, Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Roe, Rev. and Mrs. Sam Evans and Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Pieper II.

The public is invited to attend the Saturday evening and Sunday morning programs to celebrate the 100-year history of the Salem Church.



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Location of the conference will be the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Flint, Michigan State University

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Alliance of Home-Based Businesswomen and area universities are sponsoring the two-day conference to help home business owners learn management skills to help them succeed in business.

Participants will choose from 24 workshops, featured speakers and view exhibits from commercial suppliers.

Topics to be discussed are zoning concerns, writing a business plan, securing a business loan, computeriz-

ing your business, advertising and marketing, finding and using business representatives, taxes and record-keeping and pricing. For conference registration information, contact Barbara Neuman, extension home economist, 104 County Building, Bad Axe, or call 269-9949.

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- Deadline for entry is 10 a.m. October 3.
- Judging will be October 3. Winners will be announced that same day.
- Enter your scarecrow by phoning June Kretzschmer at Kretzschmer Home Center, 453-3231, or drop off the handy entry form at KHC.
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FRIDAY: Chicken or fish sandwiches.

Local native at Oxford Leader



Elton native Kami Buchholz, right, looks over a recent issue of The Oxford Leader with Publisher Jim Sherman, during Sherman's 30th anniversary of ownership open house at the Oakland County paper. Buchholz was recently hired as a reporter for the 4000-circulation paper, chosen as Michigan's best small weekly by the Michigan Press Association in 1984. A Laker High and Central Michigan University graduate, Buchholz is the daughter of Ernie and Sharon Buchholz of Elkton. She is a former reporter and columnist for The Progress-Advance.

Dubs-Buschlen recite vows at Salem UM

Connie Buschlen and Roger Dubs, both of Pigeon, were united in marriage on Sept. 7 at Salem United Methodist Church, Pigeon.

Rev. Mark Karls officiated at the double-ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Buschlen and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dubs, all of Pigeon.

Music selections included "The Wedding Song" and "Someday, Somewhere." Soloist was Julie Kretzschmer and organist was Pam Dube.

Given in marriage by her father the bride chose a white coin dot English net over taffeta gown, featuring a high neckline made of venise lace with a flounce at the yoke made of wedgewood lace, long victorian sleeves and a fitted waistline. The full skirt was trimmed with venise lace medallions and tiers of wedgewood lace ruffles trimmed with satin ribbon which encircled the gown and cathedral train.

She wore a chantilly lace bridal hat trimmed in pearls. It featured an upswept side with attached silk flowers and was completed with a fingertip-length illusion netting bordered with chantilly lace and a back pouf.

The bride carried a stylized bouquet of silk gardenias, miniature roses and stephanotis, accented with gardenia leaves and lace streamers to complement her gown.

Emily Turner of Elkton, friend of the bride, was matron of honor, wearing an orchid gown of matte taffeta. It featured a high neckline and yoke made of point d'esprit with short tulip sleeves and a gathered skirt completed with a double strand belt of taffeta at the fitted waistline. She carried a white lace parasol

cascading with lavender flowers and streamers to complement her gown.

The bridesmaids were Cindy Dubs, Tammy Kretzschmer, Linda Wolfram, all of Pigeon and friends of the bride, and Lois Diebel of Pigeon, sister of the groom. They were attired identically to the matron of honor.

Junior bridesmaid was Kathy Buschlen, sister of the bride, wearing a dress and hat similar to the bride's and carrying a miniature version of her bouquet.

All flowers and church arrangements were designed and arranged by the mother of the bride.

Bill Lachie of Pigeon, a friend of the groom, was best man. Groomsman were Robin Buschlen of Bay Port, Dave Roe of Alpena, Dave Kretzschmer and Tom Brown, both of Pigeon, all friends of the groom.

Ushers were Scott Buschlen of Pigeon, brother of the bride and Scott Dubs of Pigeon, friend of the groom.

The bride's mother chose a

graceful flowing floor-length lilac gown made of lustrous celestese fortel polyester knit. It featured a high neckline and yoke and capelet made of point d'esprit lace. She wore a silk corsage of lavender and white roses.

The groom's mother wore a lavender pleated floor-length gown of matte jersey topped with a flowing high necked cape with forming sleeves. Her corsage was of silk lavender roses.

Following the ceremony, the newlyweds greeted their guests at a dinner reception at the Pigeon VFW Hall. Bud and Virginia Schaal of Pigeon served as greeters.

After a two-week honeymoon to Florida, the couple will return to Pigeon where they will make their new home.

Celebrates 50 years of marriage

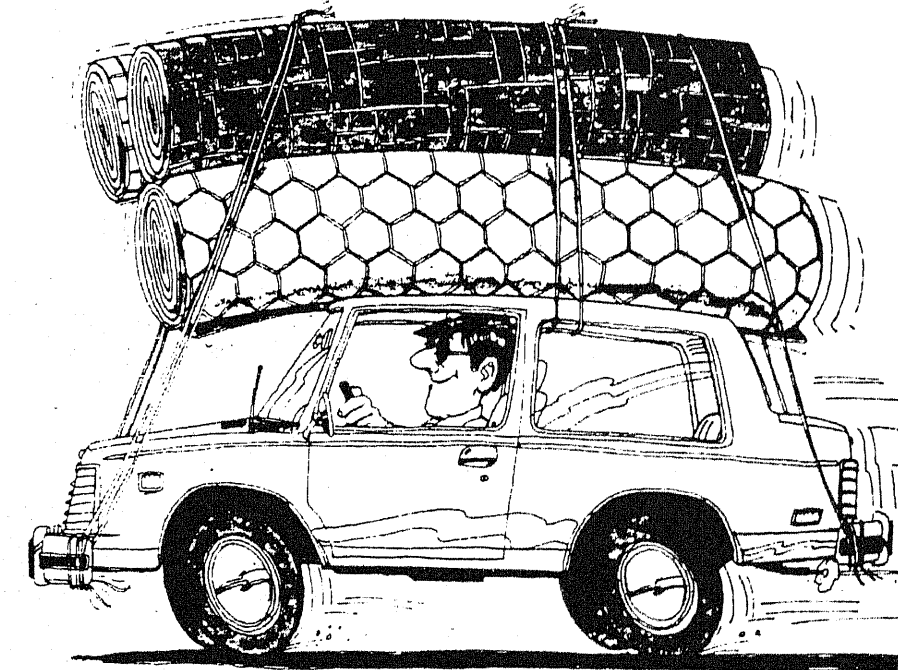
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Craig

Roy and Susan (Bambach) Craig of Salem, Ore. were married Sept. 19, 1935 and recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with family and friends.

The couple lived on a farm on Filion Road until moving to Oregon in October, 1963. They have five children, Orville and Shirley Craig and daughter of Salem, Ore.; Mae and Ron Hoffman and family of Bad Axe; Ethel and Eugene Rupprecht and family of Bad Axe; Richard and Mary Craig and sons of Sumner, Wash.; Earl and Sally Craig and sons of Culver, Ore.; 12 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

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Results of the show were:

- HORSE SHOWMANSHIP**
(age 15-19) — 1) Valerie Peruski, 2) Jean Roncka, 3) Gina Gaskill, 4) Jodi Todaro, 5) Lisa Clavenna and 6) Bonnie Morneau;
(age 12-14) — 1) Deanna Dumaw, 2) Heather Draves, 3) Karen Ignash, 4) Jennie Andrich, 5) Kerrie McIntyre and 6) Carrie Andrich;
(age eight-11) — 1) Ryan Stahl, 2) Robert Corl, 3) Jennifer Brining, 4) Elizabeth Krug and 5) Christy Carpenter;
- PONY SHOWMANSHIP**
1) Kristina Clunis, 2) Danielle Dumaw, 3) Heath Stahl, 4) Amy Jeffers, 5) Karen Miller and 6) Christy Garrick;
- NOVICE SHOWMANSHIP**
1) Rhonda Erner, 2) Krista Colgin and 3) Kim Duffy;
- GRAND CHAMPION SHOWMANSHIP HORSE** — Valerie Peruski;
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- WORKING HUNTER OVER FENCES** — 1) Gina Gaskill, 2) Karen Ignash and 3) Lisa Clavenna;
- ENGLISH EQUITATION** — 1) Gina Gaskill, 2) Jean Roncka, 3) Karen Ignash, 4) Lisa Clavenna, 5) Robert Corl and 6) Pam Morneau;
- ENGLISH PLEASURE** — 1) Gina Gaskill, 2) Jean Roncka, 3) Lisa Clavenna, 4) Karen Ignash, 5) Robert Corl and 6) Pam Morneau;
- WESTERN EQUITATION HORSE**
(age 15-19) — 1) Jean Roncka, 2) Gela Kretzschmer, 3) Valarie Peruski, 4) Jodi Todaro, 5) Lisa Gaskill and 6) Nicole Webber;
(age 12-14) — 1) Heather Draves, 2) Deanna Dumaw, 3) Kathy Maurer, 4) Kristina Clunis, 5) Karen Ignash and 6) Carrie Andrich;
(age eight-11) — 1) Ryan Stahl, 2) Robert Corl, 3) Amy Ignash and 4) Jennifer Brining;
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RESERVE CHAMPION WESTERN EQUITATION PONY — Heath Stahl;
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- RESERVE CHAMPION WESTERN PLEASURE HORSE** — 1) John Boland, 2) Kristina Clunis, 3) Brian Miller, 4) Karen Miller, 5) Brian Boland and 6) Stacie Reimann;
- TRAIL HORSE** — 1) Dawn Peruski, 2) Gina Gaskill, 3) Lisa Clavenna, 4) Bonnie Morneau, 5) Robert Corl and 6) Tina Kidd;
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Reimann, 3) Leland Pratt, 4) Jennie Andrich and 5) Karen Ignash;

WESTERN PLEASURE HORSE — 1) Heath Stahl, 2) Christy Garrick, 3) Danielle Dumaw, 4) Kristina Clunis, 5) Karen Miller and 6) Amy Jeffers;

NOVICE WESTERN PLEASURE HORSE — 1) Rhonda Erner, 2) Krista Colgin and 3) Kim Duffy;

GRAND CHAMPION — Jean Roncka;
RESERVE CHAMPION — Lisa Gaskill;

BAREBACK EQUITATION HORSE — 1) Jean Roncka, 2) Gina Gaskill, 3) Lisa Gaskill, 4) Karen Ignash, 5) Deanna Dumaw and 6) Valarie Peruski;

BAREBACK EQUITATION PONY — 1) Danielle Dumaw and 2) Christy Garrick;

WESTERN ENGLISH RIDING — 1) Karen Ignash, 2) Lisa Gaskill, 3) Jean Roncka, 4) Valarie Peruski, 5) Bonnie Morneau and 6) Robert Corl;

SPEED AND ACTION HORSE — 1) Doug Clunis, 2) Kerrie McIntyre, 3) Leland Pratt, 4) Jennie Andrich and 5) Dawn Peruski;

SPEED AND ACTION PONY — 1) John Boland, 2) Kristina Clunis, 3) Brian Miller, 4) Karen Miller, 5) Brian Boland and 6) Stacie Reimann;

FLAG RACE HORSE — 1) Kerrie McIntyre, 2) Doug Clunis, 3) Jeannie Andrich, 4) Stacie Reimann, 5) Leland Pratt and 6) Karen Ignash;

FLAG RACE PONY — 1) John Boland, 2) Kristina Clunis, 3) Jodi Pratt, 4) Amy Jeffers, 5) Brian Boland and 6) Brian Miller;

POLE BENDING HORSE — 1) Doug Clunis, 2) Stacie Reimann, 3) Leland Pratt, 4) Jennie Andrich and 5) Karen Ignash;

CLOVERLEAF HORSE — 1) Jennie Andrich, 2) Kerrie McIntyre, 3) Doug Clunis, 4) Leland Pratt, 5) Stacie Reimann and 6) Karen Ignash;

CLOVERLEAF PONY — 1) Kristina Clunis, 2) John Boland, 3) Brian Miller, 4) Jodie Pratt, 5) Amy Jeffers and 6) Karen Miller;

TRAIL HORSE — 1) Dawn Peruski, 2) Gina Gaskill, 3) Lisa Clavenna, 4) Bonnie Morneau, 5) Robert Corl and 6) Tina Kidd;

TRAIL PONY — 1) Amy Ignash, 2) Danielle Dumaw, 3) Karen Miller and 4) Brian Miller;

Rides winning pony

Burt Keefer of Pigeon, who showed a horse for his brother, Dennis Keefer of Lapeer, received the Reserve Champion Award for the pony, "Lee's Decision" at the Michigan State Fair Horse Show on Thursday, Aug. 29.

The horse show featured competition between stallions, mares and geldings as they vied for the coveted Budweiser Single Harness Pony Championship Training.

New address for State Rep. Allen

State Rep. Dick Allen has a new home address and telephone number, which is: 3372 W. Gilford, Caro, MI 48723, phone (517) 673-6576. The office address at the State Capitol Building remains the same.

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Thumb area club news



DRESSED-UP TOMATO: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Plamondon of Sebawaing were given this "classy tomato" by some friends from Lupton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kauffman. We've heard of tomatoes and dressing, but dressing tomatoes? Joe Plamondon is head of the Pigeon Senior Citizens group.

PIGEON LIONS

The Lions met at the Pigeon VFW Hall on Wednesday, Sept. 11. Lion President Wayne Anderson welcomed Lion Ray Gessert of Harbor Beach, Zone 1 chairman and other guests Lion Fran LePage, Bruce Leipprandt and Floyd Hamilton. Forty-eight Pigeon Lions answered roll call and a super tail-twisting job was done by John Kehr and Al Abbott.

President Anderson reported a very successful Family Night. He also read thank you notes from Bob Tait of Little League baseball and Jane Bealy of Owendale, a member of the All-State Lions Band.

He reported on the Lion D2 Region III meeting at Harbor Beach on Sept. 10, attended also by First Vice President Ron Damm and Secretary Dick Pauly.

President Anderson introduced Zone Chairman Roy Gessert who brought greetings from Governor of 11D2 Toony Rogalski. Lion Gessert listed some of the goals for his district this year, including drug awareness, a new club in each area, increase membership by four members, increase Leader Dog contributions and retain present members.

Next meeting will be on Wednesday, Sept. 25 at the Pigeon VFW Hall at 6:30 p.m. Kent McKenzie will be program chairman.

WORTHY STUDY CLUB

The Worthy Study Club met with Catherine Protzman on Sept. 11 for a dessert luncheon.

Mrs. Clifford Furness was co-hostess.

Mrs. Hal Conkey presided at the business meeting and led in the Club Collect and Pledge to the Flag. Fourteen members and one guest answered roll call with "What is Your Favorite Book?" Mrs. Conkey presented a leaflet to each member to insert in their yearbooks, showing the logogram and Worthy Study Club and 50 years of community service 1935 to 1985.

Donations were voted for three needy causes. The cheer committee had cards for each to sign for shut-ins.

Program Chairman Mrs. Orville Snider read two poems "To the Older Christian" and "The End of the Day." She introduced Della Trudgen who reviewed several mystery novels and short stories from the book of Lord Peter written by Dorothy Sayers.

The October meeting will be with Emma Potter. Janet Garey will have the program.

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PERFORMING at Pigeon River Mennonite Church tonight (Wednesday) at 7:30 p.m. will be the Choraleers. The musical group from Lancaster, Penn. has given concerts all over the United States, in addition to tours to Central America, Jamaica and Puerto Rico. Arnold and Nieta direct the 19 young men and women as they provide a varied program including a cappella singing as well as instrumental accompaniment. They also perform original drama which portrays Bible truths. The public is invited to attend.

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Making news in Pigeon . .

By DOROTHY DIENER

Jake Himmel of Sault Ste. Marie called on his cousins Francis and Ronnie Richmond on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born attended Parents' Day at Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant on Saturday and the CMU vs. Union of the Pacific game with their daughter, a senior at the university.

A Monday and Tuesday guest of Mrs. Ida Spence was her daughter, Mrs. Tom (Margaret) Miller of Southfield.

Last weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dast were Mr. and Mrs. John Geer and children of Monroe.

Shirley Rathje and Shelly Latinski of Southfield spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rathje. They were joined for Sunday dinner by Mrs. Paul Shaw, Brad and Kristen of Elkton.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ruby of Lakeland, Fla. were weekend guests of Mrs. Vivian Fischer. On Saturday they attended the wedding of Mrs. Fischer's granddaughter Angela Gardner in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Maust were in Kolona, Iowa to visit their new granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Barry Graeber.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Esch of Fairview were weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Lena Swartzendruber. They were joined for dinner on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gascho and Mrs. Glenn Swartzendruber, Mrs. Katie Albrecht, Mrs. Mary Ropp and Mrs. Iva Swartzendruber.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clark of Jeddo spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heck.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schulz, their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kerr of Grand Rapids and Muskegon, visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Trost and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schulz.

Last week callers of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robinson were Mr. and Mrs. William McCarty of Bad Axe.

Entertaining the residents of Lutheran Manor, Saginaw on Thursday were members of the CLW of Cross Lutheran Church including Mrs. Herman Rathke, her guest Andrea Meese of West Germany, Mrs. Edward Bergman, Mrs. Raymond Licht, Mrs. Frieda Heintz and Mrs. Eugene Hamilton.

Visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ohlrogge over the weekend was Kevin Ohlrogge of Sterling Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eberly had as Sunday guests her sister, Mrs. Earl Linder, Charity Linder and Lori Linder, all of Silverwood.

Mrs. Jerry Bergman of Saginaw visited her father, Wilmer "Bud" Squires on Saturday. He is reportedly

recovering well from knee surgery.

A Monday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schuette and family was her sister, Mrs. Pearl Larson of Sebawaing.

Helping Fred Collison celebrate his birthday on Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collison were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Collison and children. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sattler of Bay City were unable to attend as their daughter Beth Ann is a patient at Bay Medical Center. The Floyd Collisons visited her there on Monday.

Miss Marie Mohr of Birmingham was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Mohr. She also visited her mother, Mrs. Anna Mohr, a patient at Huron Memorial Hospital.

Pastor Philip Press and Alvin Rathje attended the Wisconsin Synod conference at St. John's Lutheran Church, Saginaw on Monday.

On Monday Mrs. Elsie Kern attended the Lutheran Children's Friend Auxiliary meeting at Christ Lutheran Church, Lansing.

Mrs. Mel Manyen of Bay City was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Freeman, while Mr. Manyen and son Patrick enjoyed fishing at the Black River.

Mrs. Susan Adams of Bay City was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Trost. On Saturday Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Trost and Kevin were guests at the wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Avery at the Merritt Township Hall in Munger.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dast were in Grand Rapids several days last week to attend the Pat Lumber convention.

Spending the weekend in Flint with Mr. and Mrs. Lothar VanDaggenhausen and children were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dast.

Mrs. Florence Moller and Mrs. Layne of Bad Axe were Sunday callers of Mrs. Viola Schuette.

Mrs. Helen Wallace was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and family in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Lydia Teuscher and Mrs. Mabel Clark attended the birthday party for Tillie Miller's 95th birthday given by her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whelihan in Verona.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelmer Wright were weekend guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elftman in Pinconning.

Mrs. Minnie Elftman and Clark Elftman attended the Schweitzer reunion at St. Lorenz Church Grove in Frankemuth on Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Schulz visited her mother, Mrs. Mabel Esch at the Provincial House, Cass City on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fluegge and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rathje attended the CMU vs. Union of the Pacific game at Mt. Pleasant. On Saturday afternoon they attended the Harmony Valley Chapter of Sweet Adelines Chapter in Midland.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Caseville Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, October 9, 1985 at 7:30 p.m. in the conference room of the Township/Village Hall, 6767 Main Street, Caseville, Michigan 48725 to consider the following:

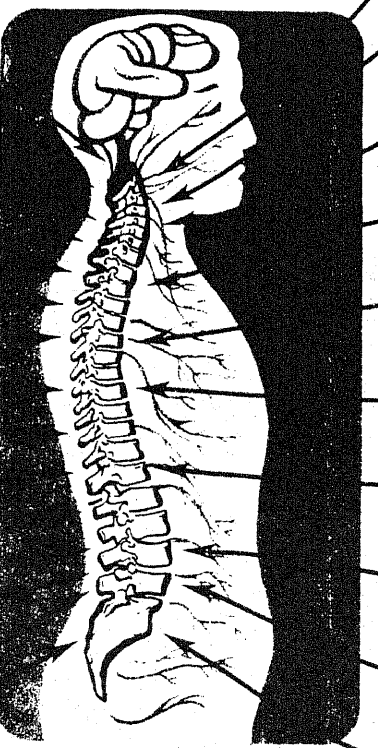
- To correct the Zoning Map to include the parcels 9-200-008, 9-200-009, 9-200-010 located at the westerly end of the present Industrial Zone on the South side of Crescent Beach Rd.
- To amend Section 9.24, paragraph (d) to read: When an accessory building is to be located completely in the rear of the main dwelling, the accessory building set back requirements, rear and side yard can be equal, six (6) feet. On water front lots, an accessory building may be located in the front yard (street side of lot) provided said structure is at least twenty (20) feet from the road right of way and is in compliance with side yard set back requirements.
- To consider a request to rezone a parcel of land from Agriculture to Residential (R-2). Said parcel is located on the South side of Sand Road and is two hundred (200) feet deep from the center of the right of way and would include all or a part of 25-200-008, 25-200-009, 25-200-011, 25-200-012, 25-200-013, 25-200-14, 25-200-015, 25-200-006.
- To amend Section 7.08 (2) paragraph (a) and Section 7.10 (2) paragraph (a) to allow limited residential use.
- To amend the Zoning Ordinance to allow the membership of the Zoning Board of Appeals to be increased from three (3) members to five (5) members.
- Written comments can be mailed to the Township Hall prior to the aforementioned hearing date; said comments will be read into the public hearing record.

Caseville Township Planning Commission
 Harold Lankey, Chairman

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- Bronchial conditions, throat conditions, arm and shoulder pain, bursitis, asthma, coughs, thyroid conditions.
- Pain and numbness in forearms and hands, chest pains, congestion, palpitation, "nervous" or fast heart, pleurisy.
- Gall bladder problems, jaundice, shingles, stomach upsets, heartburn, fever.
- Low blood pressure, poor circulation, ulcers, hives, stomach trouble.
- Hiccoughs, lowered resistance, dyspepsia, circulatory problems, rheumatism.
- Certain types of sterility, impotence, menstrual troubles, diarrhea, constipation.
- Knee pains, varicose veins, prostate problems, bed wetting, backaches, cold feet.
- Poor circulation, leg cramps, hemorrhoids, ankle swelling, rectal itching, pain on sitting.

To All Sections of the Head and Face
 To Throat
 To Upper Limbs
 To Heart
 To Lungs
 To Stomach
 To Liver
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 To Kidneys
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 To Appendix
 To Genitals
 To Bladder
 To Lower Limbs



THE SPINE AND NERVE SYSTEM

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Club news

FLOWING WELL FARM BUREAU

Members of the Flowing Well Farm Bureau met in the Dan Dietzel home on Thursday, Sept. 12 at 8 p.m.

Harold Gregor opened with the Pledge to the Flag. Jean Hostettler led in singing several songs. Thirty members answered roll call with "A Joke."

Leta Wilson read minutes of the last meeting and conducted roll call. Francis Wilson was in charge of the discussion after listening to the tape "Telephone Deregulation." A potluck lunch was served by the hostess.

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Outdoor bits & pieces

THE SALMON FISHING SEEMS TO HAVE REACHED its peak during the past weekend. Great catches of chinooks and cohos were reported from Harbor Beach, Grindstone City and Port Austin. In addition, brown trout results were excellent off the point at Grindstone City.

Perch fishermen are enjoying the best catches all summer. Grindstone City has to be listed as the best "hot spot," with plenty of big "yellow bellies" being taken in 30-foot water just off the harbor. Other Saginaw Bay areas that are reporting good success are Caseville, Port Austin and Sebewaing.

While many good fishing days still remain, salmon activity will begin to diminish.

LAST SUNDAY MARKS the opening of small game hunting in Michigan. All species, with the exception of pheasants, are legal targets. New this year is the fact that you can hunt cottontail rabbits and snowshoe hares a month earlier than in years past. Best outlooks for the fall season seems to center on rabbits and squirrels. Both species will make up the bulk of the small game hunters' bag. The outlook for both grouse and woodcock looks good for the upcoming season. DNR Biologists point to a very mild winter as one of the main reasons. The dryness this summer caused some concern for the woodcock migration, but the recent rains have softened the earth and produced the necessary watering puddles so desperately needed by these small birds.



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Woods and Waters

By DUANE GUENTHER



Ready for fall

All year long, men and women, close to the sport of hunting, have been dreaming about this season and now it is just around the corner.

Sunday, Sept. 15, marks the traditional opener of the fall hunting season. On this date, in our locale, it becomes legal to hunt squirrels, rabbits, and grouse.

Check over your hunting clothing. Make sure the boot laces that broke during deer season are replaced, and that tear in the seat of your wool pants is stitched up.

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Local leader Omar Shetler remembered after death

OMAR J. SHETLER 1909 - 1985



Longtime Pigeon businessman and community leader Omar J. Shetler, age 75, passed away Thursday at St. Mary's Hospital, Saginaw, following several sudden heart attacks.

During funeral services Saturday, former Michigan Ave. Mennonite Pastor Donald Patterson recalled the very close friendship the two men had, as Mr. Shetler always offered encouragement, support -- and muscle-power -- for church projects.

Patterson recalled the shortest verse in the Bible, in John 11, when Jesus came to Lazarus' tomb: "Jesus wept." "I'm not ashamed of my tears (for the loss of Omar)," Patterson said.

Omar Shetler always had an extra little bit of knowledge, Patterson recalled. "He knew the time to go fishing, from watching the flag on top of the Co-op. He even knew which side of the boat to fish from," to catch more, Patterson said.

"He knew when I needed a tap on the shoulder. Omar wouldn't want us to grieve for his death alone. As a believer and a sincere Christian, he knew this is a time of celebration, for he's in the presence of Jesus, the one he has followed through life.

"In Revelations, the crystal lake of Heaven before God's throne is mentioned. If I know Omar, he's already asked the Lord if there are any fish in that lake," Patterson said.

Besides fishing, Mr. Shetler enjoyed bicycling, and even participated in a bike-a-thon in recent years. He shared stories with a twinkle in his eye. Several of his favorite hymns, including "Children of the Heavenly Father," "Amazing Grace" and "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee" were sung during the services.

Mr. Shetler is survived by his wife, Katie L.; one daughter, Mrs. R. Michael (Lois) Massanari, Iowa City, Iowa; a son & daughter-in-law, Lyle D. and Betty Shetler, Pigeon; five grandchildren and a great-granddaughter; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Bolter, Kalona, IA; Mrs. Lydia Teuscher, Pigeon; & Mrs. Agnes Swartzendruber, Kalona, IA; four brothers, Frank, Goshen, IN; John, Pigeon; Eli, Pasadena, CA; & Dan, Vancouver, WA.

He was preceded in death by a son, Warren, a grandson, Ronald and two brothers, Henry & Emil.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, Sept. 14 at 11 a.m. from the Michigan Ave. Mennonite Church, Pigeon. Rev. Herbert Troyer, pastor, and former pastor Donald Patterson, officiated, with burial in the church cemetery.

Arrangements were handled by the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

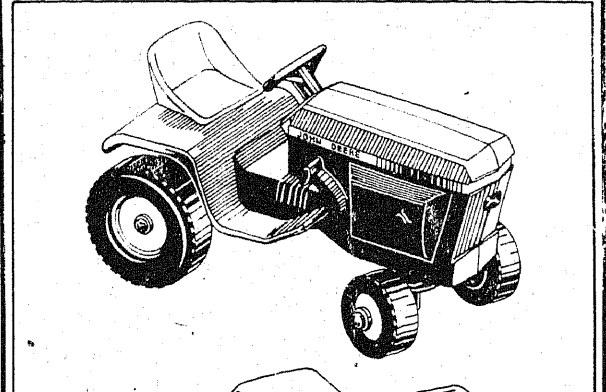
THUMB AREA DEATHS

- Florence Moore, 84, of Youngstown, Ariz., formerly of Gageton, passed away Aug. 20.
Howard L. Wolff, 50, of Detroit, with relatives in Forestville, passed away Aug. 31.
Catherine F. Niles, 78, of Rochester, formerly of Cass City, passed away Sept. 3.
Ralph Jones, 83, of Fairhaven Township, passed away Sept. 4.
Joseph P. Cooper, 88, of Alma, formerly of Cass City, passed away Sept. 5.
Dean C. Manke, 68, of Claremore, Okla., formerly of Caro, passed away Sept. 6.
May I. Walsh, 75, of Baldwin, formerly of Elkton, passed away Sept. 7.
Florence L. Orosowski, 45, of Allen Park, formerly of Bad Axe, passed away Sept. 7.
Dorothy A. Olsowy, 66, of Warren, with relatives in Bad Axe, passed away Sept. 7.
Harvey C. Kifer, 67, of Millington, formerly of Pigeon, passed away Sept. 7.
John F. Weidman, 68, of Caro, passed away Sept. 7.
Courtland Drier, 70, of Cass City, passed away Sept. 8.
Barbara Braun, 97, of Harbor Beach, passed away Sept. 8.
Warren E. Bouvette, 62, of Royal Oak, formerly of Kinde, passed away Sept. 8.
Mary E. Snell, 83, of Pontiac, passed away Sept. 8.
Delores E. Walsh, 56, of Austin Township of Sanilac County, passed away Sept. 9.
Mary E. Fritz, 71, of Sebewaing, passed away Sept. 11.
Omar J. Shetler, 75, of Pigeon, passed away Sept. 12.

Jackpot winner was Clara Diebel. The next meeting will be Oct. 8 at 8 p.m.

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Heck 62nd annual Heck-Schweitzer reunion was held Sunday, Sept. 15 at the St. Lorenz Grove, Frankenmuth with 30 families and 93 people represented.

Pigeon folks visit Scheurer Hospital notes. Patients in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, on Monday, Sept. 16: PIGEON: Rev. Earl Maust, Mrs. Raymond (Eleanor) Tate, Mrs. Nina McAlpine, Stephanie Roestel, Nurtaj Akbar. CASEVILLE: Edward Wolfe, Mrs. Ethel Oesinger, Master Richard Petrat. SEBEWAING: Life Demo, Elmar J. Premo, Otto Dressler, Lee Ann Hill, Mrs. Jesus (Gloria) Vasquez. BAY PORT: Mrs. Charles (Yvonne) Duffty. ELKTON: Mrs. James M. (Tammy) Siewert.

WINSOR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING SEPTEMBER 3, 1985. The regular meeting of the Winsor Twp. Board was called to order by Robert Armbruster, Supervisor at 8:00 p.m. on September 3, 1985. Present: Robert Armbruster, Clare Dast, John Kohr, Marlin Rathje and Ray Lutz. Absent: None. A motion was made by Clare Dast and seconded by Marlin Rathje to accept the minutes of the 8-6-85 and 8-27-85 meetings. Motion carried. A motion was made by Marlin Rathje and seconded by Ray Lutz to pay outstanding bills for the month. Motion carried. A motion was made by Ray Lutz and seconded by Clare Dast to levy following millage rate for 1985 taxes: Contingent Fund: 1.2826 mills Road Building: 1.9888 mills Road Resurfacing: .9943 mills TOTAL - 4.2755 mills Motion Carried. A report was given by Marlin Rathje on service from Scheurer Hospital Ambulance in the Township. A motion was made by Clare Dast and seconded by John Kohr to adjourn. Motion carried. John P. Kohr, Winsor Twp. Clerk.

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Pepsi**
\$1.88
 plus deposit

Pepsi lite, Mt. Dew,
 Reg. or Diet Pepsi Free
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8 pack - 1/2 litre bottle



**Boneless
Chuck
Roast**
\$1.18
 lb.

**IBP
Choice
Beef Loin**
\$1.49
 lb.

Whole loin
 Cut & Wrapped
 FREE

**Beef
Liver**
59¢
 lb.

**Koegel's
Ring
Bologna**
\$1.49
 lb.

**Pepsi Raft
& Mountain Dew
Bicycle Winners:**

RAFT WINNER; **Chris Herzog, Pigeon**
 BIKE WINNER; **Mike Daniels, Bay Port**

