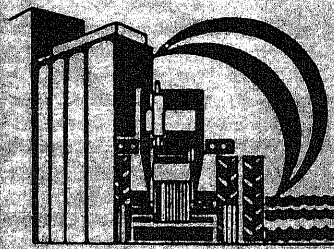


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THROUGH TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 1986

It's Friday the 13th  
time in the Western Thumb!

Ladies lead Caseville  
Class of '86...

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Bye, Darlene...

ELKTON BIDS GOODBYE ON PAGE 9

Duane the drifter...

SEE PAGE 19

Tower takes shape...

PICTURES, MORE ON PAGES 25

## Four Laker teachers receive pink slips

By RICH  
SWARTZENDRUBER

After all class selections and teacher assignments are tentatively set for the 1986-87 school year, four Laker teachers have been pink slipped.

At Monday's meeting, the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School Board voted send layoff notices to Chapter I teacher Charlene Mauch, Junior High Phys. Ed. instructor Mark Weidman, Auto Mechanics teacher Dave Harmon and half-time, junior and senior high vocal instructor Carol Kersten.

"The pink slipping does not necessarily say these people will not be with us next year," said Business Manager Bob Drury. "We are not unique in doing this," he pointed out about teacher layoffs. "Our uniqueness is the fact that we've been able to avoid (layoffs) this long."

He pointed to declining student enrollment and involvement of some Laker students in the new Huron Area Skill Center as two factors causing the layoffs.

**VOLUNTARY CHANGES:** More pink slips were avoided by three retirements, one anticipated retirement and two teachers signing up as instructors at the Skill Center.

Elkton second grade teacher Marie Eby, Junior

High Guidance Counselor Ann Marie Clabuesch announced their retirement, as did High School Librarian Lorraine Faist at last month's meeting. Also retiring is Pigeon Cook Margaret Nieschulz.

Bidding goodbye to Laker High to teach at the Skill Center are Business teacher Joe Keena and Assistant High School Principal and Machine Trades instructor Tom Main.

Junior High Phys. Ed. teacher Irene Green was promoted to fill the Guidance Counselor vacancy.

**SNUBBED:** Pink slipped teacher Dave Harmon was interviewed for the Skill Center teaching position but was passed over to hire someone from outside the Thumb area.

At the Board meeting, Harmon called the Huron Intermediate School District hiring procedure "relatively unprofessional." After teaching Auto Mechanics students from all over the Thumb for 10 years, Harmon said he should receive some explanation why he wasn't hired at the area Skill Center.

Board members agreed with Harmon and voted to send a letter to the HISD expressing deep displeasure over the matter and to re-

quest a written explanation of why he wasn't hired.

"Our understanding was that when the Skill Center was initiated, that the vocational teachers currently in place would be automatically hired," observed Board President Bruce Baur. "There's a very sour taste in a lot of people's mouth over this affair," he added.

**TEACHERS SETTLE:** In one of the earliest and quietest settlements in a long time, Board approved a three-year contract with Laker teachers. Teacher salaries will increase by 6½% during the next two years and 6% in the third year of the contract. An additional 1% will be given to teachers at the top of the salary schedule during the 1988-89 year to compensate for not receiving the yearly experience "step" increases as do the other teachers. Fringe benefits will remain basically the same, said Drury.

**LATER START:** Due to an 8:50 a.m. starting time at the Skill Center, Laker schools next year will all begin 20 minutes later than this year's schedule. The elementary will begin at 9:20 a.m. and dismiss at 3:50 and the Junior and Senior Highs will begin at 8:20 and dismiss at 2:45.

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## Michelle, Gail lead Eagles



By RICH  
SWARTZENDRUBER

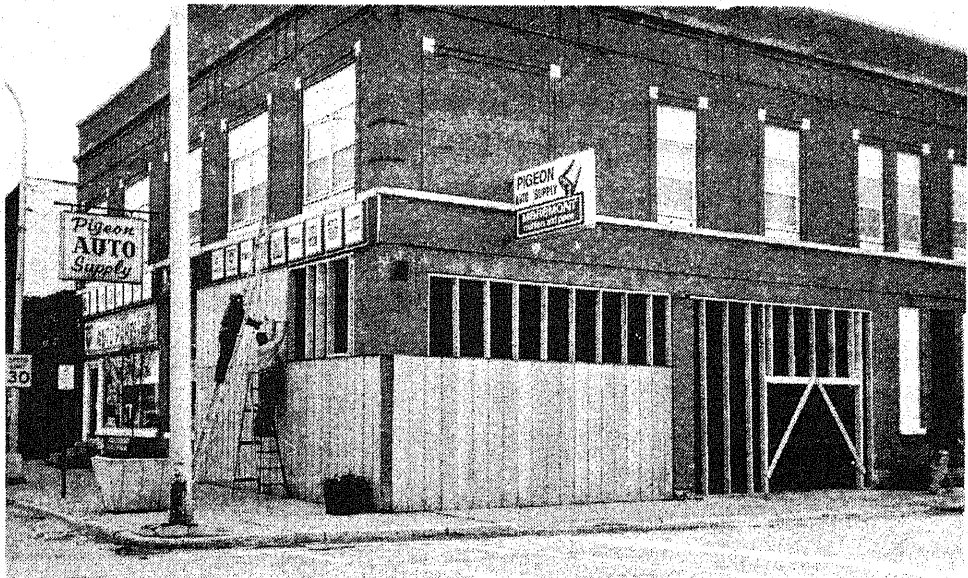
Michelle Stahl and Gail Gembariski headed the Caseville High School class of 1986 at Commencement last Saturday.

Stahl was named Valedic-

torian with a 3.81 grade point average, while Salutatorian Gail Gembariski earned a 3.42 GPA. Other honor students ("B" or better) in order of GPA were: Tracy Bieri, John Winkler, Amy Hartz, Victoria Goslee, Brett Owens, Amy Bennett,

Christine Barton, Holly Fibranz, Gregory Langley, Brenda Cilc, Catherine Schramski, David Simet, Peter Delmotte and Michele Ballard.

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**DOWNTOWN BEAUTIFICATION:** Pigeon Auto Supply owner Al Abbot and employee Brian Renn work on closing in part of the building on the corner at Pigeon's main intersection. No plans have been made to use the added enclosed space other than storage. The main reason for the enclosure is just to improve the general appearance of the downtown area, Abbot says.

Since beginning the project, one old-timer informed him the corner was enclosed years ago, then opened up the way it appeared until recently.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO



**DELIGHTFUL DELI:** Customers of the Lamplighter Restaurant in Pigeon now have an even bigger choice of foods since the opening last week of the Side Door Deli, connected to the restaurant.

From left, owners Terri Collison, Cheryl Loewe and Ted Loewe display baked goods and deli items in the new store.

Bagels, rapidly growing in popularity, are baked fresh as well as breads, doughnuts and fried cakes, the owners say.

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INSIDE: PIGEON COUNCIL DISCUSSES PRESENT AND FUTURE OFFICE, ADMINISTRATIVE NEEDS. SEE PAGE 3

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**SLINGIN' MUD** George Mohr and fellow masons recently completed the brick work in the large flower planter which runs parallel with the railroad tracks crossing Pigeon's Main Street. The addition of soil and flowers will provide the finishing touch to the project. The planter is part of the downtown beautification project sponsored by Pigeon Chamber of Commerce.



Okayed \$242 in personal calls

## Orr, Brown clash over village job

Proclaiming "it is time (we) collectively work toward the betterment of this village as a team," Pigeon Village Superintendent and Clerk Bob Brown, Jr., Monday night distributed a five-page memorandum charging Village Council members

with failing to give him direction in the exact job he is to do. Partially in response, Council member Fred Orr produced lists of more than 100 phone calls he alleged were made by office personnel on village time to residences in Mt. Clemens,

Elkton and elsewhere -- and paid for by the Village, with Brown's apparent approval. "Temper flared often during the two-hour exchange, which Brown said came to a head when employment hours for Administrative Assistant Kathy Hallock were reduced from 40 to 24 per week. He said the days of a one-person office are gone. "Let's put away what happened 20, 10 and two years ago," he said. "If we don't work together) we can kiss the future of this community goodbye and we best recognize this now. Let's bury the hatchet. We're killing too many people with it," Brown said, of the disagreement over staffing levels.

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

**FLAVORINGS** -- An alert reader pointed out another item which quickly overpowers anything else it's near (along lines of peppermint gum discussion here last time). "Whatever you put an onion with smells and tastes like that onion almost immediately," alert reader rightly said. Amen!

**GLAD GRAD** -- I can still detect a feeling which overtook me at the Laker Commencement ceremonies on Memorial Day weekend. Did anyone else feel that surge of pride, happiness, sadness and love overwhelming the Laker gym? There are so very many hopes and dreams, promises and pleasures floating in a room like that -- proud parents, pleased grads and so on -- especially when the applause builds to recognize the graduates.

You couldn't miss it. And that's what I felt, who won't have a child graduating from high school for 13 more lucky years! Maybe I was brought down closer to reality this past Monday night, when Laker voters turned down a modest millage request. Why don't more of those folks who shared happiness and love in the gym show up at the voting booth?!

**PROMOTING TOWN** -- You've got to give credit to Ogemaw County's town of West Branch (across Saginaw Bay and then some). With a population of less than 2000, West Branch is hoping to have its name published in the "Guinness Book of World Records" for hosting the world's largest game of musical chairs on July 4.

The record to beat is 5069 people, and West Branch hopes to have 6000 players attend. You're invited, at the Surline Elementary School in town. Arrive by 4 p.m., during West Branch's Heritage Days, with the game to start at 5 p.m. Recliner chairs and a VCR will encourage participation. You can register (to also be eligible for winning prizes) by writing the Chamber of Commerce at 422 W. Houghton Ave., West Branch, 48661, or by calling (517) 345-2821. Hope they surpass the record easily!

**BIG BUCKS** -- Want Sylvester Stallone to star in your next movie? It's going to cost you \$12 million -- a far cry from the \$150,000 Cary Grant earned in the 1940s. Next on Hollywood's "expensive star" list is Dustin Hoffman at \$6 million. People like Paul Newman, Eddie Murphy, Al Pacino, Meryl Streep and Jane Fonda command \$2 mill to \$4 mill per movie -- and even pouty Sean Penn and Madonna get at least a million...

**WORD TO THE WISE** -- Please be reminded of our new ad and news deadlines, effective now. You'll be able to buy your Progress-Advance by noon each Tuesday now (and still bright and early in your mailbox Wednesdays...) -- but we MUST have news and ads by 12 noon Mondays. Thanks!

## Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

### UNDERWATER CARVINGS TO LURE DIVERS?

The search is on for ancient underwater rock carvings -- observed off the tip of the Thumb in 1953 -- which have eluded divers for years.

Huron County Parks Director Steve Romzek says volunteer divers have searched the waters between Point Aux Barques and the Port Austin Lighthouse for the carvings, said to be in up to 30 feet of water, off and on with no success. "If we find them, we plan to take pictures and mark the spot for future dives," Romzek said. "I'd like the state to come in and research them," he recently told The Times Herald of Port Huron.

Roscommon County Sheriff Garth Meyer said he discovered the carvings while diving off Port Austin in 1953. He has offered to return this summer to help the search. Other divers have reported seeing the serpent-like carvings and pictures that looked like trees, boats and men.

Romzek and others believe the carvings were created by people living here before the last glacial era. Some say they may be connected somehow with sandstone petroglyphs on state land near Cass City.

He says many divers are discussing the carvings recently, thanks to last year's designation of that area as an underwater park called a state bottomland preserve. It is within a 276-sq. mile protected area known to contain at least nine shipwrecks.

### PLENTY OF CANDIDATES

Nearly every local elected governmental position has more than one candidate, following last Tuesday's deadline for the Aug. 5 Primary Election. Those unopposed will breeze through to the Nov. 4 General Elections.

**IN HURON COUNTY**, two incumbent members of the six-person County Board of Commissioners have no opposition. Republicans Bruce Kuhl of Sebawaing in District 1 and Albert Thoms of Harbor Beach had no challengers file nominating petitions. Both are nearly assured of re-election in August and November.

In District 2, (Villages of Pigeon and Elkton, townships of Chandler, Oliver, Grant, Sheridan and Winsor) newcomers R. Dale Wertz as Republican and Vernon Kretzschmer as Democrat will vie for the seat being vacated by Calvin Reibling of Elkton, who did not seek re-election. Both Wertz and Kretzschmer are Bay Port residents.

In District 3, Republicans Peter Ney and Edward Mazure are seeking the post they now hold. Both reside in Bad Axe.

In District 4, incumbent Republican Jean Talaski of Harbor Beach is being challenged by Republican Maurice Desjardin of Bad Axe.

In District 5, incumbent Republican Ronald Knoblock of Port Austin is being opposed by Republican Warren Krohn of Elkton and Democrat Jack Jensen of Caseville. The District includes Villages of Caseville and Port Austin, plus townships of Caseville, Port Austin, Lake, Meade, Pt. Aux Barques and Hume.

All are two-year terms. **IN TUSCOLA COUNTY**, three Republicans are seeking the District 1 County Board seat which includes the Unionville area. Terry Houthoofd and Daniel Herman, both of Unionville, and Janet Rungruntran are seeking the G.O.P. nomination. George Ellesin is seeking the Democratic nomination for that seat.

Tuscola's District 6 finds Russell and George "Bill" Clark, Jr., facing each other for the Democratic nomination. William Bond filed as Tuscola's Prosecuting Attorney, on the Republican ticket.

**REGIONALLY**, incumbent Republican Dick Allen is seeking his third two-year term. He is being challenged by Democratic candidate Dick Erla of Cass City for Allen's 77th District seat in the Michigan House of Representatives.

The district includes Huron and Tuscola Counties. **STATE SENATE** incumbent James Barcia, D-Bay City, is being challenged by Thomas Braley, R-Bay City, for the 34th District Senate seat. Barcia is seeking his second four-year term. The 34th District includes five counties, including Huron and Tuscola.

**IN WASHINGTON**, U.S. Representative Bob Traxler, D-Bay City, is being challenged in August by Larry Samuelson, D-Cass City, with the winner facing John Levi-Ragunaw, in November. Samuelson is a Lyndon LaRouche supporter. At stake is Traxler's next two-year term.

### PHEASANT HUNTING TO CLOSE

Nearly all of Tuscola County and part of Huron County will be closed to pheasant hunting this year, to help protect a flock of imported Sichuan pheasants planted here this spring.

About 20% of the 241 pheasants planted in Tuscola and Huron Counties in March have survived, according to state Department of Natural Resources experts. Predators, especially foxes, have reduced flock size dramatically here.

Game experts have recommended to the DNR Commission that most of Tuscola and about one-fourth of Huron County be closed to all pheasant hunting to protect the birds. The Commission will act on the recommendation at its meetings this Friday and Saturday.

Pheasant hunting would be banned inside an area beginning at the M-142 and M-25 intersection south of Bay Port, traveling south along M-25 past Sebawaing and Unionville to Elmwood Road, east to M-81, along M-81 to the M-53 intersection east of Cass City, north along M-53 to Pinnebrog Road near Bad Axe, and north to M-142, then west past Elkton and Pigeon to the starting point.

DNR spokesman Peter Squibb said the restricted area is more than large enough to protect the Chinese pheasants and their broods. He said another type of bird may be introduced to the area next spring, which could prompt the closing of an even larger area next fall.

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## 12 noon news, ad deadline every Monday

Effective immediately, all news and ad copy for each Wednesday's Progress-Advance must be in our hands by 12 noon every Monday.

This new, slightly earlier deadline will allow the staff to properly handle and coordinate news and ads for best possible display of items submitted.

Newspapers will be available on all newsstands by 12 noon each Tuesday throughout the Western Thumb, and will still be delivered to subscribers' mailboxes every Wednesday morning, according to Publishers Sally and Mark Rummel.

As we see it editorially

Banning magazines not the answer

Once again, "do-gooders" and our own federal government are trying to tell you what you should read — and shouldn't.

No less authority than the U.S. Attorney General is leading this latest fight against "adult" magazines, such as Playboy, Penthouse, Hustler and others.

Let's set one fact straight immediately: pornography is NOT to be tolerated. In any form, debasing, abusing and injuring any person, male or female, is and should be against the law.

But let's set one OTHER fact straight at the same time: the line between free speech and offensive, mature magazines sometimes is hard to discern.

We're not advocating the proper-ness of much of the content in adult magazines in our nation. Far from it. We also don't force persons to read Playboy or the others, either.

Persons who buy such magazines do so because they choose to, just as they choose to buy tobacco or alcohol — neither of which is good for you, either.

It should gall and frustrate all fair-minded persons that the same government that subsidizes tobacco growers and makes uncountable numbers of world-destroying nuclear bombs (both with clear consciences) — is trying to tell us what we can and should be able to read.

As always, there's a terrific double-standard here. Our government allows adult magazines to use the U.S. Mail to deliver most of its issues, by subscription to the homes of persons who wish to read it.

And, that same government recently — coincidentally, of course — released a study linking pornography to violence, and hinting that both are often triggered by adult magazines.

If that's the case, magazines glorifying war should be outlawed, too — but they aren't. It's a double-standard, all right.

There's a short and final solution to all this: tell the Attorney General and his do-gooders to spend their time on important items. Let grown-ups buy such magazines if and where they want to. If adult magazines are banned, cigarettes, alcohol and over-prescribed drugs shouldn't be sold in public, either.

You don't have to buy such magazines if you don't want to — but it's not your right to stop others from doing so, if they wish to.

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RECOLLECTIONS OF By-Gone Days
By GEORGE KEIM

DEAR EDITOR: I was sitting dinner at the Dutch Kettle in Pigeon and was talking with the Chevy car salesman.

I told him we had a Model T Ford Sedan once. It was a 1925 model that went 55 miles per hour.

Well, some of them had different gears that gave them more speed. This one had those gears.

Just then Joe Ruby came in. I asked him if he ever drove a Model T Ford. He said sure he did.

But, there were lots of other cars that kicked and broke arms, too. It wasn't a new thing to see a man with his arm in a sling.

The Model T had smaller tires, and they could go through mud and snow because they had a narrow tire.

When my Dad and I worked in the quarry, he went to Elkton and bought a 1925 Model T Ford Coupe.

Sometimes, the manifold would get white hot. One Sunday, I took Sam Gascho on the old Ridge Road from

workers: Mrs. Amanda Strauch, Sebawinga; Mrs. Mildred Oeschger and Mrs. Alta Mitin, Bay Port; Mrs. Linda Clabuesch, Mrs. Genevieve Buschlen, Mrs. Diana Dubs and Mrs. Marion Kumus of Pigeon.

Letter to the Editor

Volunteers, givers thanked for Crusade

DEAR EDITOR: The Winsor Township Area Cancer Crusade has been completed with a total of \$1,133.00. I would like to express a heartfelt thank-you to all the wonderful people in our area who have shown kindness to the Crusaders...

Letters to My Cousin Gus

DEAR COUSIN GUS: As memory recalls, a letter of some years ago concerned Dr. W.T. Morrison, but I am quite certain the incident that came to mind this evening was not mentioned at that time.

The Foster family doctor was Dr. Otto Frenzel, whose excellence was handicapped somewhat by rumored reports that sometimes, after a long and strenuous day, he sought relaxation by a nip or two of Scotland's finest.

It was my first visit to Dr. Morrison's office. There were several patients ahead of me and the resultant wait did nothing for my peace of mind.

Dr. Morrison was an important person in our community. The president of the school board, a strong voice in the Anti-Saloon League and the English Methodist Church...

When my Dad and I worked on building M-25 from Caseville to Bay Port, we often drove through the woods and brush that only four-wheel drive cars have today can get through.

He had a rope, so we hooked on and started toward Pigeon. The road was good and we were in a hurry to get home, so I drove right along.

I saw Ted was pretty shaky and he said, "You drive too fast!" We didn't have a speedometer on our car, but he said we were going 55 miles per hour — and said he didn't want me to pull him again!

Several articles ago, I wrote that when you drove fast, people said "he drives like Jehu," who drove his horses real fast. He was a Bible character and an ordained King of Israel.

Sincerely Yours, GEORGE KEIM

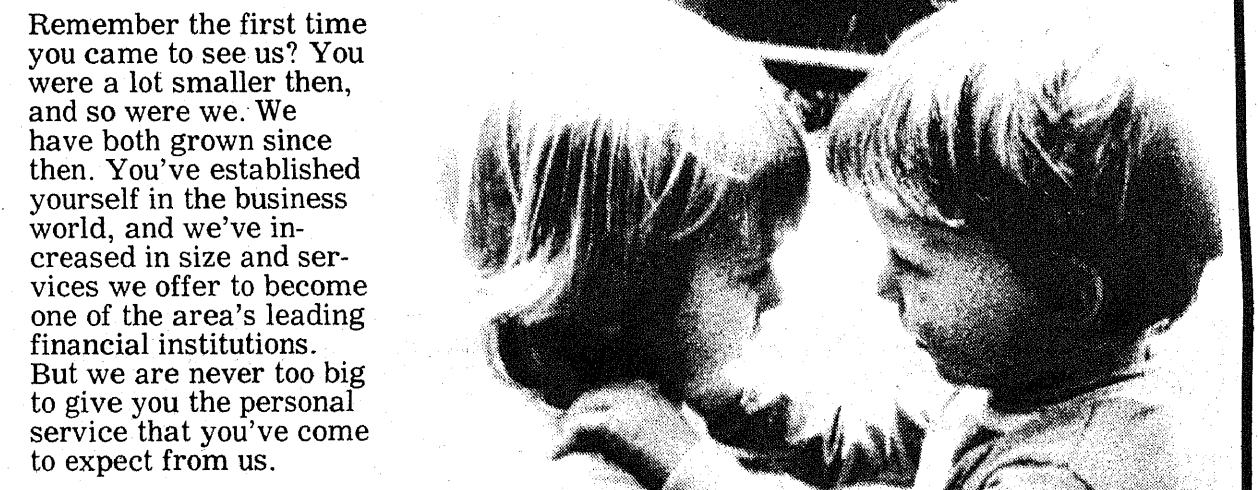
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ROSES and THORNS Mothers' Day 1986

The final excerpt of Floris Wertz's Mothers' Day message at Salem United Methodist Church. Now I've mentioned some things that I have felt are important to teach our children, but I want to tell you parents that our children have been loaned to us by God to teach US some things.

As you know, I am NOT a "Super, Perfect Mom." I have my faults. Sometimes we sweep our faults and sins under the carpets, maybe not even realizing what we have done.

I would like to tell you two things I learned from our son, Rodney. It took Rod's death to teach me how to truly LOVE and to FORGIVE. Two miracles happened to me at the funeral home as I stood in front of Rod's casket a few weeks ago.

As you all know, Rod had many friends we didn't even know he had. He was loved and finally accepted by everyone. However, occasionally Rod would bring home some friends that Dale and I were somewhat relieved to see leave.

Today, many of these young people that Rod befriended and showed an interest in are young Christians attending Campus Life meetings and are growing in the Lord, because Rod loved them and believed in them and knew they had something good to offer the world.

Parents, please don't judge your son's or daughter's friends. Pray for them if there are some you don't particularly care for. Love them into the kingdom and always look for the good in them.

I mentioned that in Rod's dying he also taught me how to forgive. There was one young man who had given Rod a lot of trouble through the years. I had held a grudge and had bitterness in my heart for several years because of all the trouble this young man had caused Rod.

Needless to say, Rodney had a very poor self-image for several years because of all the put-downs, name calling, jokes played on him and knocks by kids in school. It took

years of our constantly assuring Rodney at home that he was special and loved by God and his parents and his brothers and others. It took a lot of praying for Rod and with Rod. It took a lot of quoting and reading the Word to instill in Rod that he was somebody and he was loved.

This past year Rodney finally won the battle. He had learned to love and accept himself for who he was. He felt good about himself. He was confident and knew he could do all things through Christ who strengthened him.

This young man that I mentioned — that I had not forgiven because of how he had hurt Rod so often — well, I finally was able to forgive him. He walked up to me in front of Rod's casket at the funeral home. Before I realized what was happening, I found myself putting my arms around this young man whom I couldn't forgive for years, and I actually was loving him.

I knew Rod had forgiven this young man. Just the night before Rod's tragic accident I heard Rod tell his dad that he didn't hold anything against anyone. He had forgiven everyone who had ever hurt him in any way. If Rodney could forgive this young man and others, then I could, too. Then this handsome young man told me he had really liked Rod a lot. I was blessed beyond all measure.

In closing, I'd like to read a plaque I bought to give Rodney on graduation day. It says exactly what I feel about all our three sons. I just happened to buy it for Rodney.

MY SON I held you in my arms at birth And marveled at creation, That you could be a part of me Defied imagination. I held your hand when your first step You took with hesitation And when you started off to school With fear and trepidation. I've held you in my thoughts and prayers Throughout each situation You've faced in life and watched your growth With proud anticipation. And I still hold you in my heart And without reservation. Can say, my son, you have fulfilled My every expectation.

# We're Asking YOU...



**THIS WEEK'S QUESTION, ASKED BY OVIDIA ALARCON:**  
*How often do you go to garage sales?  
 What is the best purchase  
 (prized item or best bargain)  
 you've ever made at one?*



I go about twice a year. One time I got a real nice wicker lamp for a nice price, that looks brand new.

**Toni Vollmer  
OWENDALE**



Every time there is one, I go! The best bargain I bought was a washer and dryer for a super price.

**Ella Avalos  
PIGEON**



I go whenever I can make it. My best by was a crystal hurricane candle holder I got for a great price.

**Audrey Knechtel  
PIGEON**



I go whenever there is one! I got a cabinet at a real good price once.

**Bonnie Russell  
BAD AXE**



I go several times a year. I got an educational toy for my granddaughter.

**Betty Shetler  
PIGEON**



Oh, I go about twice a year. I bought a real nice love seat at one.

**Carrie Pedler  
ELKTON**



**TOP STUDENTS:** Ten Sixth graders in the Laker School District were recently honored for their academic performance by receiving Presidential Academic Fitness Awards. Students qualify for the honor by their grade point averages in grades 4-6 and performance on achievement test scores.  
 Award winners include: in front from left, Doug Schamber and Ben Eichler of Pigeon Elementary, Ryan Stahl and Jeff Lockard of Elkton and Sherry Elenbaum of Bay Port.  
 In back are Kristi Gaeth of Bay Port, Tricia Elston and Michel Koefler of Pigeon and Tracia Filion and Jennifer Kreh of Elkton.  
 RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

## Thumb area club news

### CASEVILLE RETIREMENT CLUB

There were 130 members and three guests present for the June 3 meeting of the Caseville Retirement Club at the American Legion Hall.

President Frank Janes introduced two new members, Onalee Ewald and Kay Arnold, and guest Mary Ellen Best, Ben Dominiak and Tony Owens.

Pres. Janes asked all to stand and greet their neighbors, leading in the Lord's Prayer before lunch. The pledge to the flag opened the meeting.

Welcomed back were Helena Lashski, Tom and Florence Carravallah, Nina and Dort Troop, Ida Gardner, Gerry Ouellette, Laura Haist, Frank Darby and Helen Stillwell.

There were 45 blood pressure readings by Marion Parent and Rose Koenig,

assisted by Vi Wintergerst and Louise Gerrard.

Pres. Janes thanked all for donations to the Food Pantry and also for Campbell labels brought in.

Travel Committee member Shirley Ritchie gave a report on trips and reminded those going on the Toronto Trip (Sept. 11-12-13) to sign up and a deposit starts June 10, with balance to be paid July 8.

Recuperating at home is Angeline Schelke. Luella Colangelo is a Huron Medical Care Facility, near Bad Axe.

Celebrating birthdays were Mary Phillips, Loretta Komer, Kay Farkask and Jack Byrne.

Feted for anniversaries were Thomas and Florence Carravallah, Dominic and Francis Mazzara, Richard and Patricia Sullivan, Ben and Geri Dominiak and Jack and Elizabeth Byrne.

Honored at the meeting were Ben and Geri Dominiak, who are celebrating their 55th anniversary and Thomas and Florence Carravallah, their 50th.

Pres. Janes reminded all that Sgt. Brent Woodward of the Huron County Sheriff's Dept. will speak at the June 10 meeting, at 1 p.m.

A talk and display of a playing card holder, which can be hand made for arthritic hands, was given by Helen Stillwell. The meeting was adjourned for bingo and card playing.

Bingo coverall prize was shared by Nic Withby and Vi Wintergerst. Pinochle winners were Ben Dominiak, Frank Janes and Henry Zakrzewski. Euchre winners were Dort Troop, Hasell Watts, Billie Lakatos and Evelyn Campbell.

You're reading The Progress-Advance and we appreciate it.

## Lucas visits Pigeon

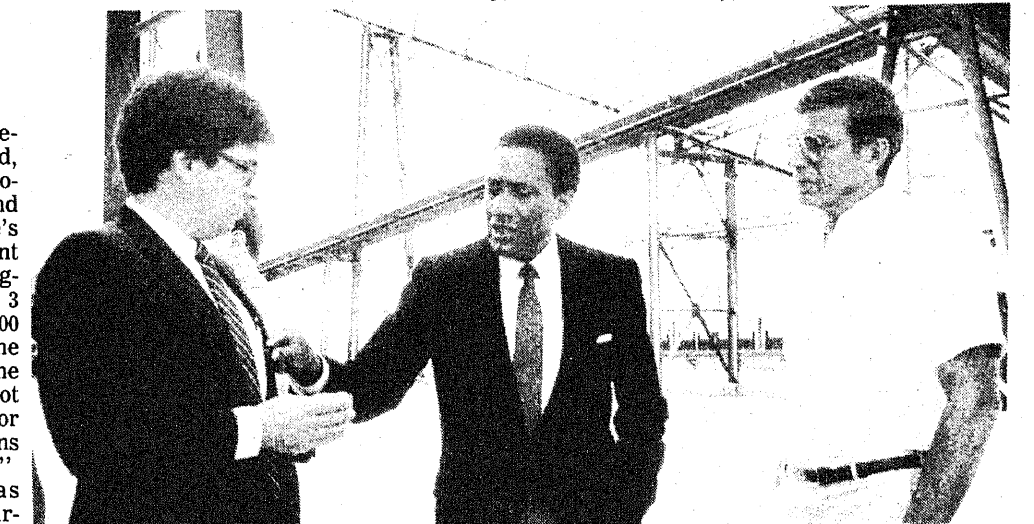
Wayne County Executive Bill Lucas has won a key endorsement from a group of the state's top agricultural leaders in his bid for the Republican gubernatorial nomination.

At a press conference at the Ann Arbor Airport, former state agriculture director Dean Pridgeon said, "Bill Lucas is a man concerned with the needs of Michigan farmers. He supports research and extension, he's committed to the commission system and he understands the importance of keeping Michigan agriculture competitive."

Pridgeon, the highest-ranking official in the State Agriculture Department during the Milliken administration, is organizer and chairman of Agriculture Leaders for Lucas. The group consists of farmers from all regions of the state and is representative of all aspects of the agricultural industry.

Accepting the endorsement Executive Lucas said, "Agriculture and food processing are a vital and dynamic part of this state's economy. Our government can no longer afford to neglect Michigan's Number 3 industry. With over 40,000 acres of farmland in Wayne County, the needs for the agricultural industry are not new to me. Farmers have for years shared their concerns and observations with me."

The endorsement was made during a statewide farming tour, which included the Smeltzer Orchard Company in Frankfort and Cooperative Elevator Company in Pigeon.



WAYNE COUNTY Executive William Lucas, middle, meets with 2 friends at the Cooperative Elevator Company in Pigeon. With Lucas are, left, Richard Trowhill, attorney and local chair for Republican Party, and Ted. S. Leipprandt, president and CEO of Cooperative Elevator Company.

## FFA elects officers

By KEN ZIEL  
 LAKER FFA REPORTER

On April 30, the Laker FFA had its annual officer elections for the 1986-87 school year. Twenty-one sophomore and junior candidates ran for the seven FFA offices of President, Vice President, Parliamentarian, Treasurer, Secretary, Sentinel and Reporter.

With most of the 1985-86 crew being seniors, the 1986-87 crew had only three returning officers, Secretary Lisa Haley, Parliamentarian Brian Maust and Vice President Scott Krohn.

This year's president is Scott "Pookey Bear" Krohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Krohn. He has been an active member of the FFA for the past three years, taken livestock to the fair, received Star Chapter Farmer and Outstanding Junior awards, and also was an Accurate Acre county winner.

This year's vice president is Paul Elenbaum. He was chairman of this year's Parli-Pro team that went to the livestock judging team that placed fourth in the state. Elenbaum is very active in academics and athletics. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Elenbaum.

Brian Maust, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Maust, is this year's treasurer. He was a junior officer and participated in skills, leadership and poultry contests at MSU.

He also participated in CROP drive and won many proficiency awards.

This year's parliamentarian is Jim Roestel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Roestel. He participated in skills and leadership contests at MSU and has also taken livestock to the fair. Roestel is also a member of National Honor Society.

This year's secretary is Lisa Haley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Haley. She participated in skills, CROP drive and is probably the hardest working officer on the team. She is most responsible for planning the annual banquet.

Russ Sowden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sowden, is this year's Sentinel. He has participated in skills and poultry contests, CROP drive and also has taken livestock to the fair.

This year's reporter is Ken Ziel, son of Lloyd and Donna Ziel. He participated in skills, leadership and CROP drive. Ziel was also a member of the third place gold livestock judging team on the state winning crops judging team and on the livestock judging team that placed fourth in the state.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Must be received by 12 noon Mondays for consideration of publication in The Progress-Advance. All letters must be signed.

## Pigeon Chamber of Commerce

P.O. BOX 618  
 PIGEON, MICHIGAN 48755

The Village of Pigeon and the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce are sponsoring our 13th annual Pigeon Farmers' Festival on July 23-27, 1986. Various activities are being planned for the annual celebration, all designed to follow a small-town theme.

A large parade is planned for Saturday, July 26, beginning at 1:30 p.m., which we hope will be the highlight of the Farmers' Festival. In the event of rain, the parade will be conducted on Sunday, July 27, 1986 at 1:30 p.m.

We wish to invite you and any other municipalities, service groups, businesses or individuals to enter a float or other entry in one of the categories listed below:

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- MOST ORIGINAL FLOAT ..... Trophy Awarded
- UNIT OF HORSES ..... Traveling Trophy
- FARMER'S FLOAT ..... Trophy Awarded
- THEME FLOAT ..... Trophy Awarded
- BLOCK FLOAT ..... Trophy Awarded

The parade will line up on Hartley Street, with entrance from Sturm Road to the west. Sturm Road is on the southeast end of the village. Please call me if you need more information.

Please fill in the entry blank and return it to:

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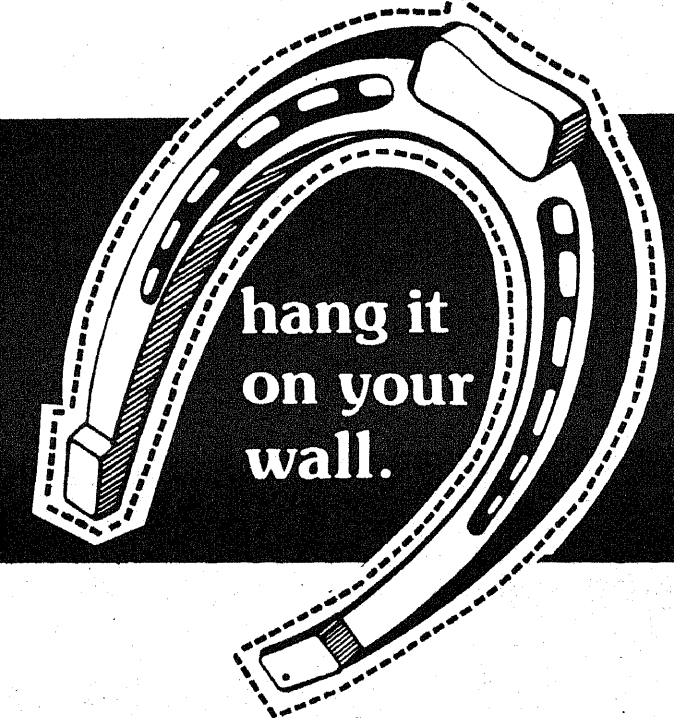
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## VanHoost-Gruehn marry in Sebewaing



Mr. and Mrs. Michael VanHoost

Carol J. Gruehn, Sebewaing, and Michael B. VanHoost, Unionville, were united in marriage on May 17 at Holy Family Catholic Church, Sebewaing.

Father Stanley Surman officiated at the double ring ceremony. Organist was Sheree Goebel and soloist was Gail Kelly, both of Sebewaing.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gruehn, Sebewaing, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry VanHoost, Unionville.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a white princess style floor-length gown made of paper tafetta, with a high band of alencon lace for the collar, fitted bodice and long bishop sleeves accented by alencon lace and seed pearls. The skirt was a cathedral floor-length train, with a ruffle of tafeta at the hemline. Her hat was made of white bridal illusion and trimmed with lace and seed pearls.

The bride carried a bouquet with a blend of gardenias, stephanotis and pink sweetheart roses.

Lynn Gruehn, Sebewaing, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She

wore an orchid tea-length dress with white embroidered lace, rounded neckline and short sleeves. She carried a basket of satin daisies, miniature carnations, roses and baby's breath.

The bridesmaids were Lesa Finkbeiner, Sebewaing, Gerry Vermeersch, Unionville, JoAnne Rasmussen, Reese, both sisters of the bride, and Brooke VanHoost, Unionville, sister of the groom. Each bridesmaid's dress matched the maid of honor's and was in rainbow colors of maize, peach, pink and blue. Each had a matching hair piece and basket.

Junior bridesmaid was Kelsey Rasmussen, Reese, niece of the bride.

Robert Gangler, Detroit, served as best man.

Groomsmen were Kurt VanHoost, Unionville, brother of the groom, Kevin Radabaugh, Daryl Faber, both of Sebewaing, and Steve Linzner, Akron. Ushers were Mark Adam, Sebewaing and Larry McNeil, Unionville. Ring-bearers were Stephen Gruehn, Sebewaing, and Brandon Vermeersch,

Unionville, nephews of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a teal blue tea-length gown with a V-neck and short sleeves. She wore a wrist corsage of sweetheart roses and miniature carnations.

neckline and slit short sleeves. She also wore a wrist corsage of sweetheart roses and miniature carnations.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at American Legion Hall, Unionville, for 500 guests. The couple now resides in Unionville.

### Pigeon news

Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Eidt of Sand Point were guests at a "pig roast" for family and friends of Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Kretzschmer at their lakeside home in Waterford

on Saturday afternoon. About 75 persons attended.

Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Eidt of Sand Point were Sunday callers of Mrs. Lena Hedley at the Ferguson Home in Pigeon, and Mrs. Eleanor Voelker in Owendale.

**INSULT OF THE WEEK**  
Generally speaking -- you are generally speaking.

### It's a boy!

A son, Justin Mark, was born to Darrel and Lynette Yoder on Friday, May 23.

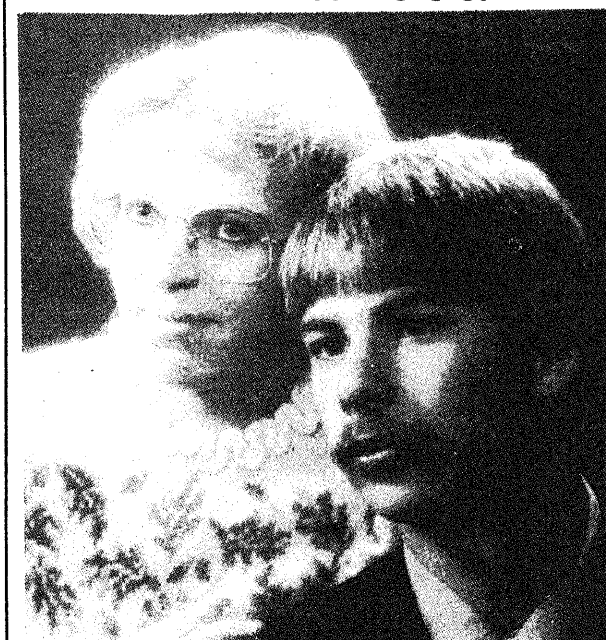
He weighed 8 lb. and was 20 1/2" in length. Maternal grandparents are Clayton and Berniece Maust, and paternal grandparents are Luke and Cora Yoder, all of Pigeon.

Great grandmother is Katie Albrecht and Great-great grandmother is Lena Swartzendruber.

One brother, Jeffrey, welcomes Justin Mark home.



## Engagement announced



Koch - Rockefeller

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Koch of Gageton announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen, to Todd Rockefeller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rockefeller of Gageton.

The bride-elect is attending Great Lakes Junior College of Caro and is employed at The Dutch Kettle Restaurant of Pigeon. Her fiancé is employed on his father's dairy farm. Wedding plans are indefinite.

## Thumb club news

### AMERICAN LEGION JEAN POST #543

The meeting of the Jean Post #543 American Legion on June 4 included the installation of incoming officers for the 1986-87 year.

Installed were Commander Anthony Zacheretti; Adjutant Darl Deming; First Vice Commander Joseph Cile; Second Vice Commander Richard Kunding; Finance Officers Charles Anderson and Michael Power; Service Officer Andy Lakatos; Chaplain John Champagne; Sergeant at Arms Kenneth Gardner; Historian Thomas Beadle and Judge Advocate Arthur Stahl.

In recent years the Post home has been expanded by adding facilities for handicapped persons, and enlarging the parking area for visitor convenience.

The Caseville Retirement Club and the Federal Meal Site are using the Post hall, plus Bingo is conducted there every Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

Donations to Saginaw Veterans' Hospital for recreation expenses and a scholarship for a graduate of Caseville High School were awarded during the business meeting.

Newcomers to the area are invited to transfer their membership in the Caseville chapter of the American

Legion. The post and auxiliary meet the first Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, located on Caseville Road near M-25.

### ELKTON O.E.S.

One hundred and 15 people attended the reception of Edythe Stirrett, Grand Committee on Special Projects of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Michigan on Friday, May 30 at the Pigeon Masonic Temple.

Dinner was served at 6 p.m., followed by a reception and exemplification of degrees.

Thirty-four Grand Officers and committee members, a General Grand Chapter Officer, a General Grand Chapter Committee Member and a Past Grand Matron were guests.

Chapters from all over the state were represented.

### Square Dance at Bad Axe

Clyde Cullings will call the June Square Dance for the Swinging Hatchets' last dance of the season on Friday, June 13.

The public is invited to the dance at Bad Axe Junior High School, from 8 to 11 p.m.

A Public Hearing to create a Special Assessment District for road improvements for PATTI SUE DRIVE, ANN DRIVE, COTTICK DRIVE, and LORI LU DRIVE in KREH'S PINE RIDGE SUBDIVISION will be held at the Caseville Township Hall, located at 6767 Main Street, Caseville, Michigan, on JUNE 23, 1986 at 7:30 P.M. Plans and estimates are on file for examination with the Caseville Township Clerk during regular office hours at 6767 Main Street, Caseville, Michigan.

By order of the Caseville Township Board.  
Rose Marie Spies  
Township Clerk  
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## Graduation

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gaskill entertained some 125 friends and relatives at the Elkton Civic Center honoring their daughter, Lisa, a 1986 Laker High School graduate.

The buffet dinner table was centered with a white and pink cake, adorned with two arabian horse statues on either side. The tables were decorated with roses in the class colors.

Lisa will further her studies at Michigan State University, East Lansing, majoring in Foreign Languages.

Out-of-town guests were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Leonard of Nashville, Mich. and Mrs. Robert Gaskill of Hastings.

Others were Laura Hosken, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Gaskill and sons Robert and Gordon of Hastings.

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## Lake-Chandler news

Recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Beedle were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buchynski, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Polando and son Stephen of Melvindale.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Simmons, a son, Ryan Christopher on May 24 at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

Byron Creuger of Waterford, Conn. spent Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gross and other relatives.

Graduating seniors were honored at St. Felix Catholic Church during the 10 a.m. Mass on June 1. A breakfast followed at the Parish Hall

for the graduates and their families, served by the junior class mothers and the Altar Society. Honored guests were Susan Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ruth; Tony Harder, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James Tait; Nancy Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peterson; Susan Champagne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wing; Tammy Champagne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Champagne; Dan Soper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Soper; Debbie Schadd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schadd; Michelle Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson; Shelly Ritter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ritter; Bill Fischer, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Paul Fischer. Each was given a carnation and a gift on behalf of the church.

### Register for preschool p.m. session

Cross Lutheran Preschool is accepting a limited amount of enrollment for the afternoon session of the 1986-87 school year.

The session operates on Mondays and Wednesdays from 12:30 to 3 p.m.

For more information or to register your child, call Cross Lutheran School at 453-3331, the teacher at 674-2766 or the teacher's aide at 453-3953.

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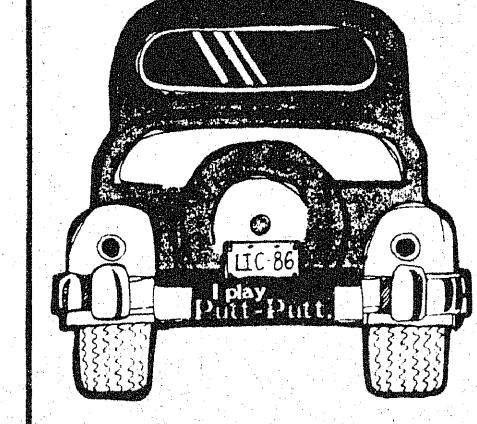


**HERE'S TO YOU, PDL!** — Beverages aren't usually allowed in a library, but during a recent visit by Pigeon Elementary School second graders, the rules were bent just a little. These second graders brought in the most bottles at the school's recent Bottle Drive, held as a fund-raiser sponsored by the Pigeon P.T.C. The money raised will be used to give the library the P.T.C.'s second installment of their \$1,000 pledge to the Pigeon District Library's expansion program. Also adding to the fund was money raised in the Elementary Basketball Tournament and Magazine Sales. Pictured with the children are, from left, teacher Miss Greta Albrecht, P.T.C. President Lois Maust, who is presenting the check to Librarian Roberta Richmond.

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**CIRCULATION REPORT**

Circulation materials were up 1,314 items during May, compared with the same date last year. A total of 6,885 pieces were loaned out to patrons, including 1,808 adult books, 781 junior adult books, 1,348 children's books, 183 toys, 2,775 videocassette tapes, 19 pieces of audio-visual equipment and two 16mm films. Overdue book fines amounted to \$125.62 and use of the copier brought in \$340.00.

Four Preschool Story Hour sessions were conducted with a total of 288 children attending. Four children celebrated birthdays, including Becky Pauly, Matt Kraft, Matt LePage and Corey Oeschger. Twenty-one new registrations for May were recorded with three from Winsor, seven from Caseville, two each from Chandler, Brookfield and Oliver, one each from Fair Haven, Meade, Sebawaing, Colfax and Lake Townships.

**MAGAZINE CHECK OUT**

YES! We are checking out periodicals to patrons from a three-day period. The newest issue of each magazine must stay in the library. All other magazines may be checked out, but they are not renewable. If a patron loses a magazine at home, the cost of replacement is \$4.00 as they are hard to replace.

**SUMMER READING PROGRAM**

"Come to the Fair" is the theme of this year's Summer Reading Program. Registration is now through June 14. A total of 66 children and three teachers, including Janet Grewe, Diane Bendrey and Holly Nowell, participated in the activities. The children heard the stories, "The Story of Ping" and "Boy, Was I Mad." They viewed a filmstrip "Sundappity" and were reminded of the Summer Reading Program.

**PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR**

"Duck" stories will be the theme of the June 17 Preschool Story Hour with the stories "Little Quack," "Number 10 Duckling" and "The Penguin That Hated the Cold." Exercises, fingerplays and songs, plus a special film, "Ducks," will be shown. The film is about big and little ducks who waddle around a duck farm eating, swimming and quacking. Preschoolers from age three to five are invited to Story Hour each Tuesday at either the 9 or 10:30 a.m. session.

**BAY PORT KINDERGARTEN VISITS**

Margaret McBride's class of 25 kindergartners enjoyed a Story Hour on June 2. They heard the "Story of Ping" and "Boy, Was I Mad." The children also participated in a game, song and fingerplay and saw a filmstrip, "The Muffin Muncher." They

**NORTH HURON FIRST GRADE VISITS**

The North Huron Elementary first grade class visited the library on June 3. A total of 66 children and three teachers, including Janet Grewe, Diane Bendrey and Holly Nowell, participated in the activities. The children heard the stories, "The Story of Ping" and "Boy, Was I Mad." They viewed a filmstrip "Sundappity" and were reminded of the Summer Reading Program.

**Pigeon news**

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Manyen of Bay City were Friday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Auerhammer and children of Frankenmuth were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hamilton. Betty and daughters Lisa and Renee were guests of her mother at the Mother-Daughter Banquet at Gross Lutheran School. They later enjoyed birthday cake and ice cream with Grandpa Ervin Hamilton.

Mrs. Vivian Fischer was a Sunday brunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCain and family to help Dawn celebrate her birthday. Tuesday guests of Mrs. Clara Bernard were Mrs. Martha Eisengruber of Unionville, Mrs. Helen Nimtz and Mrs. Helen Gruelin, both of Sebawaing.

**New Caseville Eagles officers**



**LEADING LADIES:** Incoming Auxiliary President Dottie Douglas stands with out-going president Marion Kirsch, as the new club year begins. **NEW AERIE LEADERS:** Heading up the slate of officers for the 1986-87 club year is Leonard Hallman, right. Outgoing president is Bill Calabrese. Hallman will be taking charge of the Caseville Fraternal Order of Eagles, the largest service club in Huron County.

**New rules fight auto theft**

In an effort to fight auto theft, the Michigan Department of State will accept only complete title transfer documents for processing. In the past title documents were accepted when the signatures were complete, but now information on the back of the title must be included. That information includes name, address and signature of the purchaser; odometer statement, date of sale, sale price, and current address and signature of the seller. "We are trying to minimize inconvenience to our customers by publicizing this policy change," says Paul Charette of the Department of State's Office of Public Information. Charette warns people purchasing a motor vehicle, camper or mobile home to make sure the seller completes the back of the title.

**Thumb area OUTDOORS**

Lake Trout fishing has been excellent at Grindstone City during the past week. Wobble Trolls and Northport Nailers were reported as being the hot lure, and most fish were in the 6-12 pound class.

King Salmon were hitting good all the way from Port Sanilac to Port Austin. Harbor Beach was right in the middle of the action, and good catches of 15-pound fish were reportedly taken on Huron Herrings, Northport Nailers, and Silver Streaks.

Walleyes continue to be elusive, but fishermen working the reefs northwest of Big Charity Island seemed to have the best luck. Plenty of fish in the 20-25-inch range were hitting Hot-N-Tots when the weather eased up enough to let the boats out of the harbors.

Bass fishing was excellent for the 2nd week in a row. Anglers around Bay Port were taking plenty of 12-18 inchers using spinners and crawlers.

Grouse hunters will be happy to know there were few changes for the Ruffed and Sharptail seasons set for 1986. The Sharptail season will run from September 15 - November with a bag limit of 2 per day. However, as in the past, there will be no Sharptail season in the Lower Peninsula. The Ruffed Grouse season will run from September 15 - November 14 statewide and December 1, 1986, through January 1, 1987, in the Lower Peninsula. The only change from last year's laws is that Hillsdale County will be closed to grouse hunting.

You're reading The Progress-Advance and we appreciate it.

**Shriners conduct Paper Sale**

This Friday, June 13, the Shriners of Huron County will conduct their annual Paper Sale.

"Yes, the man in the red fez will be asking you for your contribution, and we hope you'll help support our efforts," says Gordon Stirett of Elkton, representing local Shriners. "Many people are aware of the Shrine and the great work it does; others are not and might wonder why they should help," Stirett says.

and points out these Shrine facts: Shriners of North America operate 22 hospitals. Nineteen of these are orthopedic hospitals and three are burn centers. These hospitals, operating with a budget of \$369 million for 1986, offer care to any child under the age of 18 — free of charge.

Persons who may ask, "does this help locally?" get a prompt "yes!" answer, Stirett says. "While we ask you to be generous with your donation, we also ask that if you know of a child who could use our assistance, call a local Shriner or call: 1-800-237-5505," Stirett says. "Remember, at Shriner's Hospitals, all medical care is free."

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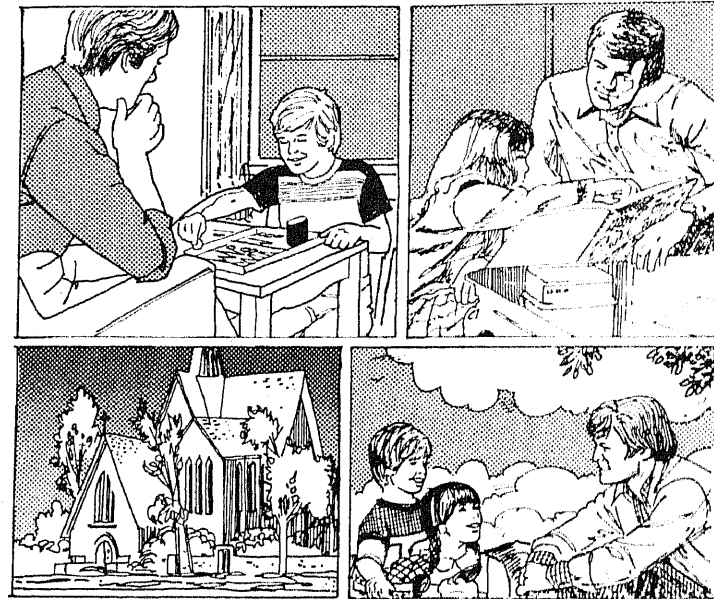


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FAITH URGES YOU TO APPRECIATE YOUR FATHER'S WISDOM

Our father in the early years  
Protected you from childhood fears.  
He taught you how to fly a kite,  
And also how to do what's right.  
His words that made a lot of sense  
Were born of his experience,  
And yet you tended to reject  
What faith has taught you to respect:  
The wisdom that your dad employed,  
Designed to help you to avoid  
The same mistakes that he once made  
While striving hard to make the grade.  
So if your father's still around,  
By now undoubtedly you've found  
That he was always quite a man;  
So give him all the love you can.

— Gloria Nowak



My father didn't  
tell me how to live;  
he lived, and let me  
watch him do it.  
— Clarence B. Kelland

"A wise son  
heareth his father's  
instruction."  
— Proverbs 13:1

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| <p><b>BAY PORT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b><br/>Rev. Algen T. Lewis<br/>Sunday School 9:30 a.m.<br/>Church School 10:30 a.m.</p>  | <p><b>CHANDLER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</b><br/>On Fillon Road<br/>Pastor Prv. James Brazzell<br/>Worship Service 11 a.m.<br/>Sunday School 11 a.m.</p>   | <p><b>ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SAND POINT</b><br/>Fr. James Sorenson<br/>Sunday School 9:30 a.m.<br/>Adult Sunday School<br/>1st &amp; 3rd Sundays 9:30 a.m.</p>  | <p><b>PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH</b><br/>Lute Vofder, Pastor<br/>Kenneth Dietzel, Associate Pastor<br/>Sunday School 9:30 a.m.<br/>Sunday Evening 7 p.m.<br/>Evening Bible Study 7 p.m.</p>   | <p><b>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING</b><br/>Missouri Synod<br/>Rev. Martin Hagenow<br/>Sunday School 9:15 a.m.<br/>Sunday Worship<br/>8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.<br/>Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.</p>                 | <p><b>THE WESLEYAN CHURCH YORK STREET, ELKTON</b><br/>Pastor DeWeerd Smith<br/>Sunday School 10 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship 11 a.m.<br/>Sunday Evening 6 p.m.<br/>Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.</p>     |

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Sixty Seconds

Of hairs and sparrows

READ MATTHEW 10:26-39  
Not one of them (sparrows) will fall to the ground without your Father's will. But even the hairs of your head are all numbered. Matthew 10:29-30

Max Factor of Hollywood once hired a girl to count the number of hairs on a woman's head. It was a most tedious job.

Finally she completed her work and announced the total - 135,168.

They went on to estimate that a man has about 60,000 hairs on his head and 7000 in his moustache.

Truly these are some incredible numbers.

Jesus speaks to those who tremble in fear at what is happening around them or what may happen in the future.

Some suggest that the entire world will enter a great time of tribulation and suffering before this decade ends.

Others can't sleep at night because they fear for their lives. Just last week the neighbor girl was murdered in her very own living room in broad daylight.

When anxiety, confusion, and fear grip our souls, we need to hear the Master speak to us again.

He has conquered death, the ultimate fear, with His own dying and rising again.

Nothing can separate us now from such love. He knows of the sparrow's death.

We are of infinitely more value than sparrows. Even the hairs of our heads are numbered by him. We are secure.

Lord Jesus, take away our fear. Assure us again of Your lasting personal care and protection. Amen.

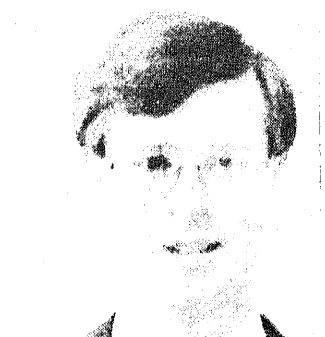
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Debi Ackerman will lead the praise and worship. Child care is available at the Elkton United Methodist Church, free of charge.

All area women are invited.

Farewell given to McCumons

A farewell reception for Rev. Brent McCumons, pastor of Caseville United Methodist Church, has been set for this Sunday, June 15, following the 10:15 a.m. worship service.



Rev. Brent McCumons

Friends and well-wishers are invited to get together with Rev. McCumons and his family, before they leave for their new pastoral home in Chesaning, The June 15 service, which coincidentally is Father's Day, will be his last service in the Caseville church.

Rev. McCumons has been an active member of the Caseville community, aside from his church activities. He has served as president of Caseville Kiwanis Club, been a member of the Village Planning Committee, traveled to Scotland on a Rotary Exchange program and earned his doctorate degree.

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Pianists audition for membership

Twenty local piano students of Pam Dubej, Pigeon, played at the National Piano Playing Auditions in Midland on Monday, May 12.

Each student achieved his or her proficiency level and was given a certificate and a

gold or bronze embossed pin and a year's membership in the National Fraternity of

Student Musicians and Piano Hobbyists of the World.



PROUD PIANISTS

Above include, seated from left, Peter Ruiz de Castilla, Robert Ruiz de Castilla, Jill Collison; standing, Angie Maust, Julie Bruce, Sherry Elanbaum, Beth Ann Henry, Andrea Maust and Mari Kay Smith. Robin and Kim Sturm are missing from the photo.

Below, seated from left, Steve Kauffman, Liesl Eichler; standing, Willie Eichler, Ben Lang, Paige Nelson, Gretchen Eichler, Brenda Schulze, Carleen Kauffman. Julie Leipprandt is missing from the photo.

PHOTOS SUPPLIED



Local church news

CHANDLER GUILD

Mrs. Roy Drummond was hostess to the Chandler Presbyterian Guild at a dessert luncheon on Wednesday, June 4. Margaret Fleming was co-hostess.

Mrs. Carl Buerker presided at the business session and led with prayer. Nine members answered roll call. Mrs. Buerker reported that the garage and bake sale recently held was a success.

Mrs. Roland Nelson presented the lesson from James 1 and 2, with all taking part. Mrs. William Ballagh read newsletters from missionaries from Taxile, Pakistan, whom the church are supporting. Mrs. William McCarty gave the least coin selection from the

books of John and Ephesians. Mrs. Rae Young reported that the Fall Workshop will be at Yale on Oct. 15. Mrs. Young, who is sewing chairman, reported that baby layettes are needed for Church World Service. Meetings will resume in September with hostess Mrs. Vic Kain.

Michigan Ave. Menn. hosts VBS

The Michigan Avenue Mennonite Church, Pigeon, will host its Vacation Bible School from Monday, June 23 to Friday, June 27 from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

At Friday noon, a sack lunch and program are planned. Area children are invited to attend.

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**DO ANY OF THESE MEN** look familiar? Neilan Hoffman brought in this photograph taken at the Elkton Fair in 1915. He has identified several of the men, including from left (standing, with hat), Martin Soehner; large man near Soehner, Ed Hyman; in a white suit (sitting) in middle of picture, Dr. Thompson and man lying down in front, J.L. Hoffman. Why were many of these men dressed in white? They were wearing "dusties," to keep their clothes underneath clean, according to Hoffman, who would like to know the identity of others in the photo. Anyone being able to identify men in the picture are asked to contact The Progress-Advance office at 453-2331, and the information will be provided to Neilan Hoffman.

**Club notes**

**ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS**

Elkton Senior Citizens met at the Civic Center with 45 present for the weekly luncheon last week. Kay Walker gave the invocation.

Chairman Mike Renn welcomed Bob and Eleanor Izzo, who have just returned from Florida. "America" was sung and the pledge to the flag repeated.

The birthday song was sung for Ruth Guiliano and Kay Walker. The Gemmels led in group singing. Della Trudgeon read the previous week's minutes, which were approved.

Bernice Eidt told members she has sent 263 more Campbell Soup labels to the Children's Haven in Mexico, for the month of May.

It was decided to purchase dark window shades for the windows and doors at the Civic Center, if the Senior Citizen Board does not object.

Good Cheer Chairman Alvina Walsh had cards to sign for Catherine Protzman, Beatrice Gregor and George Southworth, who is in Scheurer Hospital.

Skip and Rose Miller are home from Arizona, but Rose is not well enough to come out.

Chairman Renn reminded members that guest day is June 17. Edna Wakarfield led the program for the day. She read a little article on planting a Christian Garden, before introducing Gina and Lisa Gaskill. The girls gave a varied entertainment, using monologues from plays they had been in at school. Each sang a solo from popular musicals, and they played a trumpet-trombone selection.

Ardith Gemmel is in charge of next week's program, according to Reporter Mary McCarthy.

**Thanks A Million**

**DEAR MR. ROSS:**

*I'll try to condense 20 years of my life into a few sentences. Alcohol and drug abuse. Three marriages and divorces. Two homes lost. A promising management career down the drain. Two half-hearted attempts at suicide. And the saddest part — six children born during this period who were subjected to the lifestyle I chose to live.*

*I have created endless agony for myself and those around me. While at the bottom and nearly living on the street, God sent me my present wife. She had been abused as a child, been into prostitution, had two children and was pregnant with a third when we met.*

*But she had an inner strength and a desire for life that I'd never run into before. She helped me kick my habits and turned my life around.*

*I would like to tell you that we had a storybook ending — but we didn't. We both recently lost our jobs. I guess we are facing one more of life's tests.*

*We may lose everything we've struggled to get, but I will never again lose my self-respect. We've been blessed with a different kind of riches. Our love for each other has made us billionaires in that respect.*

*People are not born into this world in the depths of depression and despair. It takes most of us many years to really mess up our lives. If communicating my experiences can help someone else keep trying, then I'll have added to my own riches in a different way. — J.L., Denver, Colo.*

**DEAR MR. L.:**

*You, sir, are a living example of what I deeply believe. The only real failure in life stems from when you give*



By **PERCY ROSS**

Readers may write to Percy Ross, c/o The Progress-Advance, P.O. Box 3500, Minneapolis, Minn. 55435. Please include a telephone number.

up. Even though you didn't ask, I'm sending a check. Please spend it anyway you see fit.

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**DEAR MR. ROSS:**

*I recently had some troubles with our plumbing and had to seek the services of a professional.*

*I found a plumber through the Yellow Pages at \$40 an hour. I'll admit I was a little worried when this old coddler showed up with his tools. Claimed he'd been in the business for over 42 years.*

*I'll be darned if he didn't get the trouble straightened out in 15 minutes. Although I was grateful for the quick job, I nearly blew my stack when he informed me I would be charged for a full hour!*

*Based on principal alone, I should have paid for only 15 minutes. What do you think? — K.N., Midland, Mich.*

**DEAR MR. N.:**

*It wasn't 15 minutes of service you were paying for — it was 42 years of experience! — \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$*

**WOODS and WATERS**

By Duane Guenther



**Get the drift**

It was one of those hot, sultry days that come with regularity in early June. Small, puffy, cotton-ball clouds hung like giant marshmallows in the hazy blue sky, and the morning sun hung like a limp, orange basketball on the Eastern horizon. I backed the pickup down the ramp, and within 10 minutes I had the 14-foot Mirrocraft launched and the 20 hp Mercury purring toward the river mouth. A sharp breeze blew out of the southwest and was whipping the bay's surface into a fairly decent chop when I passed the end of the protective river bank.

"Just right," I mumbled aloud, "Just right." Clearing the end of the channel, I veered the small boat to the north. I was quartering the waves now, and with a twist of the motor's handle, sent the beamy craft on plane. The boat responded and fairly skipped along the surface.

A short time found me a little over a mile north of the river mouth, and switching on my depthfinder, I began looking for the small, insignificant underwater structure. It was really a miniature reef, 3 to 4 acres in size, and composed of rocks, boulders and other debris that may once have been a respectable island, but now lay beneath the surface unknown to boaters, and cherished by anglers.

The blinking red lights of the depthfinder's dial told me the edge of the reef was beneath the boat. The bulb, hanging around the 8 foot mark, suddenly began to crawl upward until it finally rested between 3 and 4 feet. I peered over the edge of the boat and caught a faint glimpse of the moss-covered rocks lying in jumbled disarray.

I eased the throttle back and made a wide swing into the teeth of the June breeze. The boat shuddered momentarily and then the prop dug in and the boat stabilized like a helicopter hovering over its landing pad. Picking up my ultralight spinning rod, I attached a lead-headed jib with a tuft of lime green marabou tied to its throat. On this, I collar-hooked a fat, juicy nightcrawler, and buried the point of the hook into the crawler's tail, thus providing myself with a poor man's weedless hook.

I twisted the throttle and let the boat jump forward for a few seconds and then killed the engine to allow the boat to drift. My intentions were to let the wind carry me back on the reef while I bounced the marabou-nightcrawler combination in a slow, tantalizing presentation. While this

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The boat moved effortlessly with the wind. The sensitive, short rod, sporting a reel loaded with 4-pound test mono, seemed to pick up each individual rock along the bottom and transmit its size and shape through the gossamer line with a series of taps and clunks. Hang ups were few, and those that did occur were met by a cautious hesitation, lest the inorganic delay turned out to be breakfast-seeking walleye.

I had drifted over the top of the reef and was sliding down the opposite side when the first hit came, a sharp tap followed by a wild thrashing tug as the fish hooked itself and suddenly realized it had lost its freedom. It came to the boat easy, and then made a mad dash when the hull lurked overhead. The fish was small, and the reel's drag quickly checked what thrust it was able to muster. I lifted it out of the water and a quick look told me it was well under the size limit. Dropping it back beneath the surface, I slipped the jaws of my needle-nose pliers around the eye of the hook and with one twist freed the young fish.

That morning, I was able to work the reef for a good hour before a few trollers arrived and put the fish down. During that time, I managed to hook 6 fish, including the shrimp described earlier. Three didn't make the 15-inch size limit, but the other 3 were respectable walleyes in the 19 to 21-inch class. All were firm, white-fleshed dandies that really spoke for themselves in the frying pan.

**60-pound salmon?**

Great Lakes fishermen will be hauling in 60-pound Chinook Salmon around 1990 if MSU Aquaculturist Donald Garling and a team of Agricultural Experiment Station scientists succeed in their program of heat shocking salmon eggs shortly after fertilization, causing 3 sets of chromosomes to develop rather than the usual 2 sets. Through a cooperative program between MSU and Lansing's Sparrow Hospital, the salmon blood samples are being analyzed with equipment normally used for cancer research.

Because these "triploid" salmon are sterile, Garling says, they probably will live longer and grow larger than normal salmon, which stop growing when they reach sexual maturity at 4 or 5 years of age and die soon after spawning. The researchers' goal is to produce 60-pound dollar Great Lakes sport fishing industry.

To find out if the heat shocking worked, salmon blood samples are processed through a flow cytometer in Sparrow Hospital's Immunology Laboratory. Within 2 minutes, the sophisticated medical equipment prints out a graph with characteristic curves for either diploid or triploid salmon.

Without the hospital equipment, fisheries researchers would have to spend about 8 hours in the laboratory to analyze 20 cells. Instead, medical technologist Pam Berlinski says she can process 10 times as many samples in the same period of time.

By experimenting with heat shock treatment time and subsequent cooling periods, MSU researchers have come up with a technique to produce triploids on practically every try. As soon as the fish become large enough, blood samples are drawn and sent to the hospital lab for confirmation of their conversion to triploids.

The first batch of young triploids was tagged and released in April by the DNR Fisheries Division, which is providing personnel and

facilities for the project. About 25,000 triploids were planted in Swan Creek, and another 25,000 went into the Little Manistee River.

How long the triploid salmon live and how large they become will not be known for at least 5 years. But the project has already received funding from the American Fishing Tackle Manufacturing Association and the Michigan Salmon and Steelhead Anglers Association. Other funders include the MSU Agricultural Experiment Station and the Michigan Sea Grant College Program.

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**Pigeon news**

Many Pigeon folks traveled to Fairview on Saturday to help Ira and Velma Esch celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Swartzendruber left Saturday to spend the summer at Drummond Island.

Thirteen leaguers from Cross Lutheran Church met Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Smith for a Treasure Hunt through the Village of Pigeon.

Henry Roestel celebrated his birthday on Saturday with the help of his family, including Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roestel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roestel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stevenson and family, Kevin Rathje and Ryan Armbruster.

The Village of Elkton will be accepting bids to reroof the Village Hall. Specs. can be picked up at the clerk's office from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All bids must be in by July 1, 1986, at which time they will be opened. The Village reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Darlene R. Ginter  
Clerk

**Named to Owen-Gage honor roll**

Fifty-four students have earned recognition for outstanding scholarship by being named to the second semester Honor Roll at Owen-Gage Public Schools, according to High School Principal F. Wayne Wright. (\* denotes all A's)

**SENIORS:** Amy Draschil, Debbie Engelhardt, Roger Godinez, Ron Good, Suzanne Grassmann, Marsha Lopez, Mike Mandich, Lori Mosher, David Peters and Wayne Sheldon.

**JUNIORS:** Mike Bolzman, Janice Cummins, Steven

Czap, Heather Dorsch, Lisa Edwards, Cindy Enderle, Charlene Goslin, Barbara Hellebuycck, Shereen Kroil, Michelle McPhail, Gabe Milbocker, Sandra Miller and Tiffany Reinhardt.

**SOPHOMORES:** Jane Billy, Lloyd Fritz, Jill Janke, Ellen Lymburner, Rilla Milbocker, Susan Salcido and Amy Thies.

**FRESHMEN:** Shirley Ashmore, Dennis Czap, David Erickson, Jodie Fritz, Andrea Goslin and Dawn Holland.

**EIGHTH GRADE:** Ann Carr, Stacey Enderle, Mike Errer, Marla Goslin, Krista Grassmann, Brandy Salcido, Chad Stirrett and Tena Thorp.

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Any girls ages eight to 14 wanting to play Ponytail Softball this summer who live in the Pigeon community can call Mrs. Miller at 453-2831 to sign up. Or, stop at the popcorn stand at the park this week.

We in Bad Axe did not claim nor want the lesbian campground. We perhaps turned up in greater numbers to oppose it. I know it is near Owendale and that it has an Elkton address. If you're the one complaining about it last week in Sound-Off and you want it, it's yours.

I just wanted to say that people with pools underground or above ground should either have chain locks or padlocks on them and take their ladders off the pools, because I know of three little

children in the last week and a half who have drowned.

There's only one name that can be applied to the domes out at the Elkton Plant, as viewed from the distance of at least a mile; it looks like "the big bra."

Why do the right to life people try to impose their beliefs on us? I won't try to stop you from doing what you want, and being responsible for it, like getting an abortion. But also, don't try to stop me.

Is it true the lesbian campground has two signs on the restrooms, "Ladies" and "Ladies"? Don't they even want male visitors?

What can a person do with used motor oil? I have several gallons of it. Can someone

recycle it? Please respond.

I'm glad some good candidates are running for our county offices. We need representation and anyone would be an improvement.

I agree about mothers

That tourist bus accident in California proves again that

changing diapers inside restaurants. I also think people who loudly blow their noses in restaurants should always try to use hankies, not their napkin or the tablecloth.

A poem: summer is almost here, school is nearly out. It's a time to laugh and cheer, as

each graduate takes their own route. We have to make the car have to take the chance. But no matter what, we'll all keep reading The Progress Advance.

(NOTE: No, the Editor did NOT write that one...)

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## Pigeon Council

singular individual," according to the memo. "If full-time administrative assistance is denied in the future, the administration of the Village will rapidly become a disaster. The chaotic position that the Village administration experience prior to the appointment of the writer (Brown) as Superintendent and Clerk,

would be pale by comparison," he said, alluding to former his assessment of former Clerk Joseph McArdle's performance. "Don't look at me, look at yourselves," Brown said. "Make up your minds, gentlemen. There's only one of me. I can only be in one place at one time doing one thing."

Council voted to refer Brown's memo and related information to a special committee of citizens and Council members. Included are Policy and Procedure Committee members Kenneth Licht and David McCormick, plus two village residents in attendance, Tim Tate and Mark Rummel, were asked to participate. Both agreed.

The committee is to assess

Elementary Principal Lyn Stahl; ■Approved a resolution asking the state to pay special education funds owed to the Laker district; ■Granted a one-semester leave of absence to kindergarten teacher Jeanne Swartzendruber; ■Approved use of the Laker football field and bleachers for an Annual Stockholder's meeting of Co-op Elevator Company on Aug. 20.

## Laker Board

**MILLAGE DEFEAT:** Word of the millage defeat was met by disappointment at the meeting. Superintendent Harry Brunet saw the election result as some people's disapproval of the performance of Laker Schools. "I'm sure glad I got more pride (about the school district) around here than some people do," Brunet said. Earlier in the meeting, Drury noted 1986-87

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# Thumb Area obituaries

## GEORGE VICTOR SOUTHWORTH

1901 - 1986  
George V. Southworth, age 85, of Elkton, died Friday, June 6, at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon.

He was born May 1, 1901, in Oliver Township, son of the late Charles and May (Wagner) Southworth. He and Florence Striffler were united in marriage on July 12, 1922, in Cass City. They spent the first eight years of marriage in California and then moved to their Colfax Township farm where they have lived since 1930.

Mr. Southworth was active in community affairs. He was a charter member and past director of the Michigan Polled Herford Association, served as director and president of the Huron County Farm Bureau and also served on the Board of Directors of the Elkton Co-op Farm Produce Co. for 38 years and was president for several years. He was immediate past president of the Elkton Senior Citizens and attended the Elkton United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Florence, one son, Duane of Flint; two daughters, Mrs. Ray (Dorothy) Wakefield of Adrian, and Mrs. Charles (Doris) Leipprandt of Pigeon; 17 grandchildren, three step-grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren; three step-great grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Gerald (Marie) Henne of Pigeon, and one sister-in-law, Mrs. E.B. (Mary) Gardner of Port Austin.

A son, Donald, and one brother, Frank, preceded him in death. Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, June 8, at the Elkton United Methodist Church. Rev. James Kummer, pastor, and Rev. Dale Southworth, officiate with interment in the Colfax Township Cemetery.

Pall Bearers were Michael Southworth, Charles Southworth, Kerry Southworth, Dale Southworth, Ronald Wakefield, Gary Wakefield, Timothy Leipprandt and Philip Leipprandt. Arrangement were handled by the Elkton Chapel of the Champagne Funeral Chapels.

## LEILA M. GEIGER

1898 - 1986  
Leila M. Geiger, age 87 of Pigeon, passed away Friday, June 6, 1986 at Huron Medical Care Facility, near Bad Axe, after a long illness.

She was born Sept. 9, 1898 in Wyandotte, daughter of the late John and Bernice (Taylor) McKnight. On April 25, 1916, she was united in marriage to Ervin Geiger. He passed away March 6, 1973. She was a member of Hayes United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Geiger is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Roy (Arlene) Langley of Caseville; three sons, Vern of Detroit, David of Pigeon, and Lloyd of Detroit; 20 grandchildren; 36 great grandchildren; one step-brother, Charles Moore of Harrison; and two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Louise Geiger of Traverse City and Mrs. Kathleen Geiger of Elkton.

Two sons, Lamont and Clayton, and two daughters, Louilla and Dorothy, preceded her in death. Funeral services were conducted on Monday, June 9 at 2 p.m. from Hayes United Methodist Church. Rev. Alger T. Lewis, pastor, officiated, with burial in Grandlawn Cemetery, Pigeon.

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

## RUBY M. ELLICOTT

1917 - 1986  
Ruby M. Ellicott, age 68, of Owendale, passed away Tuesday, June 3, at the Huron Medical Care Facility, near Bad Axe.

Mrs. Ellicott was born on Oct. 20, 1917, in Owendale, daughter of the late Frank and Mamie (McAlpine) (Ross) Choate. On April 7, 1938, she was united in marriage to Albert G. Ellicott, in Bay Port.

She was a member of the Owendale United Methodist Church where she was the church organist for many years, and was also a member of the United Methodist Women. Mrs. Ellicott taught piano and organ for many years.

Mrs. Ellicott is survived by her husband, Albert G. Owendale; one son, Dean A. Ellicott, Owendale; two daughters, Miss Ruth M. Ellicott, Orlando, FL, and Mrs. Janice Shanlian, Saginaw; four grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Richard (Ruth) Jarvis, Bay City.

A half-brother, Doyle McAlpine, preceded her in death. Funeral services were conducted on Friday, June 6 at 2 p.m. from the Owendale United Methodist Church. Rev. Zina Bennett, pastor, officiated with burial in the Grant Township Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

## EMMA BROWN

1889 - 1986  
Emma Brown, age 96, of Pigeon, passed away Friday, June 6, at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon.

Mrs. Brown was born on September 18, 1889, in Sebawing, daughter of the late William and Charlotte (Henning) Kinde. On September 29, 1909, she was united in marriage to John Brown in Bay Port. He passed away on Nov. 15, 1962. She was a member of the Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon.

Mrs. Brown is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Lois Kritzman of Bad Axe; two sons, William C. Brown of Pigeon and Ralph "Fred" Brown of Bay Port; 11 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; two great great grandchildren and a half-brother, Harold Kinde of Essexville. A son, Donald, and a daughter, Doris Peterson, preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted on Monday, June 9, at the Cross Lutheran Church at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Raymond E. Orth, pastor, officiated with burial in the New Bay Port Cemetery, Fair Haven Township. Arrangement was handled by the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

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## ELMER SCHLABACH

1901 - 1986  
Elmer Schlabach, age 84, of Bad Axe, formerly of Detroit, died Sunday evening, June 8, at Huron County Medical Care Facility, Bad Axe.

He was born December 1, 1901, in Huron County, son of the late Noah and Magdalena (Swartzendruber) Schlabach. In 1935, he was united in marriage to Gertrude Foetter in Ohio. She preceded him in death in August of 1972.

Mr. Schlabach owned a meat market and grocery store in Elkton and Caseville until moving to Detroit in 1941 where he was employed by Ford Motor Co. and the Vickers Corp. until he retired in 1962.

Surviving are one brother, Ervin Schlabach, Elkton; and one sister, Ellen Schlabach, Detroit; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one brother, Lorne, and one sister, Elida Bedford.

Funeral services were conducted at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, from the Elkton Chapel of the Champagne Funeral Chapels. Rev. Alan Yerke, pastor of the Elkton Missionary Church, officiated with burial in White Chapel Cemetery, Troy.

## Other area deaths

Stanley Putnam, Sr., 79, of Vestaburg, with relatives in Cass City, passed away May 23.  
Raymond Severyn, 58, of Cass City, passed away May 29.  
Gertrude McFarland, 87, of Adrian, formerly of Caro, passed away May 29.  
Annie H. Schmidt, 86, of Minden City, passed away May 30.  
Concieve "Jean" Wyrick, 71, of Jenison, formerly of Caro, passed away May 30.  
Irene Uhrich, 84, of Bad Axe, passed away June 1.  
Neil E. Daniels, 58, of Kingston, with relatives in Cass City, passed away June 1.  
John Kramarenko, 92, of Bay Port, passed away June 2.  
Thomas Gibbard, 16, of Uby, passed away June 2.  
Ruby M. Ellicott, 68, of Owendale, passed away June 3.  
Owen O. McIntyre, 51, of St. Charles, formerly of Bad Axe, passed away June 3.  
Minnie A. Elftman, 93, of Pigeon, passed away June 4.  
Noel Sefton, 82, of Pontiac, formerly of Argyle Township, Sanilac County, passed away June 5.  
Emma Brown, 96, of Pigeon, passed away June 6.  
George V. Southworth, 85, of Colfax Township, passed away June 6.  
Leila M. Geiger, 87, of Pigeon, passed away June 6.  
Elmer Schlabach, 84, of Bad Axe, with relatives in Elkton, passed away June 8.

## MINNIE A. ELFTMAN

1902 - 1986  
Minnie A. Elftman, age 83, of Pigeon, passed away Wednesday, June 4, 1986, at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon. She was born July 10, 1902, in Linkville, daughter of the late

George and Emma (Nietzke) Schweitzer. On January 1, 1925, she was united in marriage to Henry Elftman in Linkville. He passed away October 16, 1971. She was a member of Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon.

Mrs. Elftman is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Richard (Marian) Freeland of Freeland, Mrs. Raymond (Elaine) Erner of Bad Axe, and Mrs. Richard (Lou Ann) Jarvis of Frankenmuth; three sons and two daughters-in-law, Loren and Dolores Elftman of Pigeon, Leon and Leil Elftman of

Pinconning, and Clark Elftman of Pigeon; 16 grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Kenneth (Hilda) Kuck of Detroit; three brothers, Alvin Schweitzer of Sebawing, Walter Schweitzer of Saranac, and Gilbert Schweitzer of Bad Axe.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, June 7, at 11:00 a.m. from Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon. Rev. Raymond E. Orth, pastor, officiated with burial in the church cemetery. Arrangements were handled by the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

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**Standings**

Mark Murdoch's double was Hayes' only extra-base hit in the game.

Elkton hitters were paced by Kent Tibbitts, Brad Farver and Chris Furness, each with a home run and single.

The Methodist offense was led by Tom Heintz with a triple, double and single; Steve dubs with a triple; Joel Leipprandt with a double and two singles; Scott Steele with a double and single, and Chuck Squires with a double.

No information was provided for Linkville.

**Division I**

W	L
Berne Lutheran	7-0
Elkton Missionary	5-2
St. Francis	5-2
Cross Luth.	1-6

**Division II**

W	L
Kilmanagh U.M.	5-2
Bay Port RLDS	4-2
Linkville Luth.	4-3
Pigeon River Menn.	1-5

**Division III**

W	L
Kilmanagh Luth.	4-3
Bay Port-Hayes U.M.	3-3
Good Shepherd Luth.	1-5
Pigeon First U.M.	1-6

**Division IV**

W	L
Salem U.M.	4-3
St. Felix	4-3
St. Roch	3-4
Elkton U.M.	2-5

**GAME RESULTS**

**St. Roch** ..... 7  
**Elkton Missionary** ..... 22  
 The Missionaries were led by S. Rosenthal with two home runs and two doubles, K. Ziel with a triple, and D. Faupel, D. Pietruck and M. Kelterborn, each with a double.

St. Roch's was paced by a Crane with a triple and Harmon and Langley, each with a double.

**St. Francis** ..... 16  
**Hayes U.M.** ..... 1  
 Terry Chapin belted a triple and single, Jeff Lawrence and Jim King each doubled and singled, and Pete Santos doubled to lead the St. Francis offense.

**St. Francis** pitcher Terry Chapin held Good Shepherd hitters to just singles.

**Pigeon 1st U.M.** ..... 15  
**Pigeon River** ..... 14  
 Dave Sturm belted a three-run homer to pace the Methodists, while Jeff Caverly, Marty Caverly and Rob Miller each doubled.

Dale Killinger doubled for Pigeon River.

**Elkton U.M.** ..... 10  
**Kilmanagh U.M.** ..... 11  
 A bases-loaded single in the bottom of the ninth inning by Neal Gettle clinched the win for Kilmanagh.

Mel Kuhl and Jeff Finkbeiner each homered and singled for the winners while Scott Quick tripled and hit a pair of singles.

Runs for Grand Valley

James Clabuesch of Pigeon is a member of Grand Valley State College's 1986 Men's Track team.

Clabuesch is a junior at the Allendale school. He competes in the 5000 and 10,000 meter runs, and is the son of James and Linda Clabuesch of Pigeon.



JAMES CLABUESCH

Pigeon news

Mr. and Mrs. Nelmer Wright and Clark Elftman attended graduation ceremonies for Lee Elftman at Pinconning on Sunday. On their return they helped Roger Haley of Owendale celebrate his birthday.

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Caseville School  
 In the News

By Vicki Goslee and Gail Gembariski

**CONGRATULATIONS, SENIORS!** Our final days at CHS are here, and on Sunday we became the 1986 Graduating Class of Caseville High School.

—CHS—

**GOODBYE:** Our senior year has flown by. It seems as though it was just yesterday we were crowning our homecoming queen and crowning our coming home king.

—CHS—

**CONGRATULATIONS** to the Eighth Graders, who will be graduating from their classes on June 9. Next year, they'll be freshmen in high school.

Study hard but have fun — a word from the wise senior class!

—CHS—

**EAGLES CLINCH TITLE:** The Caseville Baseball Team clinched the league title when CPS lost two games to Peck. In district play, the Eagles won the first game from MLS to advance to the finals.

But in an upset, they were defeated by Akron - Fairgrove 10-8.

—CHS—

**BACCALAUREATE** last week brought seniors one step closer to graduation day. Seniors were beginning to feel pressure of final exams or the excitement of no exams.

All are looking forward to walking across the stage for graduation!

—CHS—

the past two years. This is our final article. We've enjoyed the experience!

—CHS—

**Horseshoe news**

**STANDINGS**

J & B Pig	33.5-14.5
Luckhards	27.5-19.5
Engelhardt Petro.	17-15
Eria Foods	9-23
Pigeon Co-op	9-23

**TOP 5**

1. Milt Kreh	10.5-1.5
2. Pat Simmet	10-2
3. Ray Werschky	8.5-3.5
4. Clay Kaufman	8-4
5. Vern Beachy	8-4

**HIGH GAMES**

1. James L. Simmet	108
2. Pat Simmet	107
3. Richard Wroblecki	93

**HIGH HANDICAP GAMES**

1. Ray Werschky	161
2. Pat Simmet	161
3. Harvey Schette	160

Special thanks to Mrs. Mary K. Quinn for recommending us in our junior year to write "Caseville School in the News" for The Progress-Advance. And, thanks to the Progress staff for having us back our senior year.

Thanks, too, to everyone who has read our articles in



**SCRAMBLED EGG???** That was the question on the mind of about 40 students at Cross Lutheran School in Pigeon who created items intended to keep raw eggs intact after being dropped from a distance of about 15 feet. Six children's eggs survived the drop by K-2 and Art teacher Mary Bauer. Pictured above is Bauer releasing one of the packaged eggs. COMMUNITY CAMERA PHOTO

Pigeon news  
 By DOROTHY DIENER

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rathje and family of Yale and Miss Shirley Rathje of Birmingham were weekend guests of Marlin Rathje.

Mrs. Cletus Cregeur and Mrs. Earl Ayotte visited Wednesday with Mrs. Cregeur's sister, Mrs. Tom Wolschlag, Sr., in Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rathke, Pamela and Kristine of Sterling Heights spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rathke. They were afternoon guests of Mrs. Rathke at the Mother-Daughter Banquet at Cross Lutheran School.

Spending the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ohlrogge was Kevin of Sterling Heights.

Tom Deming, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming, attended the Special Olympics at Mt. Pleasant for three days last week. He came in fifth place in bowling at his level.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eberly were weekend guests at the Mary Albrecht home over the weekend, while Doris Albrecht attended a wedding in Illinois.

Mrs. Bill Randolph and family of Mt. Pleasant were Saturday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eberly.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Meyer of Orlando, Fla. were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collison and Fred.

Elmer and Myrna and Rick Born were among guests at the graduation party for Chris Williams at the Elkton Civic Center on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dubs entertained at dinner last Sunday for their grandson, Derek Dubs's baptism at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville.

Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rathje celebrating the birthday of Mrs. Anna Rathje were Lydia Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rathje, Charles and Esther Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sheehan and Laurie Ann of California, Lori Diener, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rathje of Cleveland. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roestel were later callers.

Saturday night Mrs. Helen Wallace attended the Caseville graduation ceremony. Her granddaughter, Kelly Wolfe, is among the 1986 graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buerker attended the graduation

Open House for Jim and Jill Badgley, children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Badgley.

Mrs. Frances McCormick of Caseville was a Thursday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buerker attended the graduation



**ACHIEVEMENTS ADD UP!** Fourth graders in the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Elementary centers were recently tested by the Michigan Assessment Tests, and 20 out of 100 students achieved 100 percent on the Math and Reading Skills. Receiving certificates for their efforts are Elkton students, front row from left, Wendy Saley, Danielle Darnon, Michelle Pitcher, Kari Fisher, Zena Radomski, Wendy Russell and Rebecca Farver; middle row, also from Elkton, Dan Hyzer, Joel Toner and Ben Krebs and from Pigeon, Daniel Eichler, Eric Maust, Kathryn Brown and Kevin Jantzi; Bay Port students, back row, Maxine Brown, Christa Keim, Billy Smith, Eric Eberly and Steve Swartzendruber. PHOTO BY RICH SWARTZENDRUBER



**HAPPY SADD STUDENTS:** ABOVE: Huron County Sheriff Richard Stokan presents a plaque to Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD) Laker Chapter Advisor Lisa DiCamillo for Best Exhibitor at the recent Michigan Life Savers 1986 Conference at Boyne Mountain. Stokan presented the award on behalf of Michigan Office of Highway Safety Planning Executive Director Karen Gulliver. Also pictured are in-coming Elkton Lions President Tom McGee, far left, Pigeon Lions Secretary Dick Pauly, far right, and Director of Safety Education for Huron Sheriff Department Sgt. Brent Woodward. The Laker SADD chapter was able to attend the Conference due to donations from Elkton and Pigeon Lions Clubs. The Laker exhibit included tapes, literature and hand-made posters. BELOW: Laker SADD members who attended the conference (from left) Missy Gemmel, Lynn Abbe, Kelly Green, Julie Diebel and Advisor DiCamillo look on as Sheriff Stokan congratulates Chapter President Tony Garza. RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTOS



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Thank You  
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— NOTICE —

Garbage pickup for the Village of Pigeon will be changed from Thursdays to Wednesdays— indefinitely.

R.B. Brown, Jr.  
Village Superintendent

— APOLOGY —

We are so sorry for all the confusion and problems over the change in garbage pick up days. It was announced on the community calendar on WLEW radio only. From now on, any additional changes will be announced in the Progress-Advance and on the magnetic sign (as you are coming into town.) Again, we apologize and if it's any consolation, we also have six extra bags of old garbage at our house too!

Dave Geiger  
Pigeon Village President

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