

We're Asking YOU..



THIS WEEK'S QUESTION, ASKED BY JACKIE PECK:
Should automobile radar detectors be banned in Michigan? Why or why not??

Yes, because I don't think they're fair-to the policeman.

Mary Ropp
PIGEON

No, because I don't think they should raise the speed limit.

Ila Wiechert
BAY PORT

Yes. If they don't

have the detectors, why have the speed limit?

Eunice Malinich
BAY PORT

Yes, because they encourage people to drive faster.

Betty Licht
PIGEON

No, it should be the person's choice, and

it should be by their conscience that they don't break the law in the use of it.

Dolly Ricker
SAND POINT

Yes, because I don't think people should be speeding.

Chris Garza
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PHOTOS NOT AVAILABLE THIS WEEK

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Thumb club news, notes

RUSH LAKE FARM BUREAU

The Hal Conkeys were hosts to the Rush Lake Farm Bureau group on Thursday with seven members and two guests, Bill and Alys Duffy, enjoying a potluck supper.

Mrs. Fred McBride presided, leading in the Pledge to the Flag and the Farm Bureau Creed. The same officers will remain for another year: Chairman Mona McBride, Discussion Leader Opal Duffy with alternate Hal Conkey, Rural Leader Reporter William Ballagh, Secretary Mildred Ballagh and Womens' Committee Representative Ann McBride.

Hal Conkey led the discussion topic, "A Showcase for Agriculture." In keeping with the celebration of the Michigan Sesquicentennial, Christine Conkey read an article on Gots Corner compiled by Mrs. H. Kreh and Mona McBride. Bill and Donna Gots reside on a Centennial Farm, homesteaded by Bill's

grandfather, Robert Gots in the Elton B. Smith chair, 1860 at Gots Corner. Meetings will resume in September.

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The Tuesday, June 16, Preschool Story Hour theme at the Pigeon District Library will be "Father's Day." The stories include "Just Grandpa and Me" and "Just Me and My Dad."

Games, exercises, fingerplays and songs will also be a part of the activities the children will participate in. A special film "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" will also be shown.

A Father's Day take home project will also be handed out to the children.

Children ages three to five are invited to attend either the 9 or 10:30 a.m. session.

NEW PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR FEE

The new registration fee for Preschool Story Hour will start July 1, 1987. There will be a charge of \$5.00 per family for the 1987-88 year.

This will help cover the cost for craft and party materials. Thank you!

PRESCHOOL GRADUATION

If your Preschool Story Hour child is to enter Kindergarten this fall, graduation will be Tuesday, Aug. 18 from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m.

All preschool children and parents are invited. Watch for more information in the Library news.

1987 SUMMER READING

The Summer Reading Program is well underway with 143 children registered.

There is a six-week period from June 1 through July 11 to read 10 books. Those who read 10 or more books will be invited to attend the "Michigan Birthday Party" on July 17.

Hey kids, there's still time to enjoy the fun!

LIBRARY HOURS

The Pigeon District Library is open for 30 hours a week. The hours are Monday, Tuesday and Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Remember, the Library is CLOSED Wednesday and Thursday, and OPEN on Saturday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

CIRCULATION REPORT

Circulation materials for May 1987 included a total of 4,134 items loaned to patrons, including 1,378 adult books, 600 junior adult, 1,494 children's, 81 toys, 566 videocassette tapes, six 16mm films and nine pieces of audio-visual equipment. Overdue fines totaled \$107.40 and the copier brought in \$200.05.

Four sessions of Preschool Story Hour were conducted with a total of 263 children attending. Six children celebrated their birthday with a song and a crown: Jody McKenzie, Erica Allen, Justin Weiderhold, Jackie Steele, Matthew Kraft and Laura Dubey.

Twenty-six new registrations for May were recorded, including four from Winsor, one from McKinley, 11 from Caseville, eight from Oliver and two from Lake Township.

STATEWIDE KIDS' READING

New readers throughout the state will march to Michigan's public libraries this summer to "Join the Parade of Readers" in the first statewide Library Summer Reading Program for Children.

Developed to encourage children to use their reading skills throughout the summer, the program is funded by a grant from the Michigan Council for the Humanities.

It is sponsored by the Library of Michigan and the Children's Services Division of the Michigan Library Association.

Over 428 libraries throughout the state, including headquarters and branch sites, will use the materials developed around the "Parade of Readers" theme. Children who register for the reading program will receive a reading record to keep track of book read during the summer, a Certificate of Participation and a t-shirt iron-on.

Special events, programs and projects designed for preschool through sixth grade will be featured at participating libraries. Each library will plan programs and events locally.

While the summer reading program runs for six weeks, children are not required to participate for the whole summer.

CHILDREN VISIT

Bay Port kindergarten teacher Mrs. Jeanne Swartzendruber brought her class of 24 students to the Pigeon District Library for a special story hour on Friday, May 29.

Elkton kindergarten teacher Mrs. Lang brought her kindergartners in two sessions of 23 and 25 children on Monday, June 1.

Both groups enjoyed hearing two stories and viewing a filmstrip. They were also stold about the Summer Reading Program.

ANNUAL BOOK SALE

The Pigeon District Library will accept used paperbacks and hardback books for the Annual Book Sale conducted during the Pigeon Farmers' Festival, July 23-26.

Anyone having a large number of books is asked to call the library at 453-2341 so that the library is prepared to handle the amount.

Lake-Chandler news items

By MILDRED BALLAGH
Mr. and Mrs. Hal Conkey attended a family gathering Sunday in the home of Dr. and Mrs. David Wakefield of Fillion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riddle of Farmington spent several days at their farm home.

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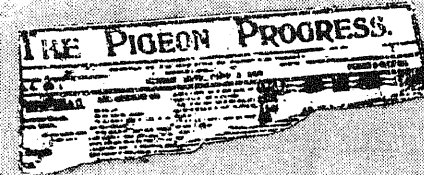
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The Past in Print...



80 YEARS AGO JUNE 7, 1907

A group of 19 Pigeon business men met in the council room Tuesday evening and organized a group to be known as Pigeon's Business Men's Association. Officers elected are C.B. Morden, George H.A. Shaw, J.J. Campbell and E.C. Leipprandt. Executive comm. is J.W. Leipprandt, R.W. McElmurray, Silas Mark, F.W. Merrick and E.W.E. Bundscho.

It wouldn't hurt our cement walks if we had an anti-spitting ordinance. The barn of Edward Sturm, north of Pigeon, was destroyed by fire Sunday evening, along with eight head of cattle, two horses and a large amount of feed. James Smith has begun work on his new residence in McKinley Twp.

John Wagester will leave Pigeon Monday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he and Miss Frieda Wettrich will be married. They will visit the Jamestown Exposition after the wedding and make their home in Cleveland.

William Koehn, J.D. Finkbeiner, J.J. Murdoch and B.R. Baur of Pigeon heard President Theodore Roosevelt at Lansing Friday.

Pigeon village council let the contract to William Nugent for building cement gutters on Main Street. His bid was 13 3/4 cents per foot.

70 YEARS AGO JUNE 8, 1917

The senior class of Pigeon High School has been busy attending functions in their honor. Class members were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Muenterner at their store Wednesday evening.

On Thursday evening, the junior class gave a banquet for the seniors at the Gardner Restaurant and Supt. and Mrs. B.M. Hamill and Miss Heine entertained them at the home of Mrs. W.R. Beach for supper Friday evening.

A great crowd gathered in Caseville to observe Memorial Day. Little Master Matthew Fogle, grandson of Matthew Fogle, an old Civil War veteran, led the parade from the Maccabee Hall to the cemetery, where a number of speeches were given.

The celebration ended with the popular play, "The Spy of Gettysburg" given in the Maccabee Hall.

60 YEARS AGO JUNE 3, 1927

The 1927 graduating class of Pigeon High School consists of 14 students. Graduation ceremonies were held June 2 in Pigeon Methodist Church.

At class night exercises in the Methodist Church May 31, the salutatory was given by Elaine Staubus and valedictory by Marion Elder. Others on the program were Louise Thuma, Emma Kleinfield, Hedwig Buchholz, Ethel Richmond, Robert Anderson, Ervin Doepker, Walter Claubes, Anna Schweis, Fred Henne, Virginia Wightman, Edna Schember and Robert Spence.

Charles Schneider, 60 of Elkton, died Wednesday. He leaves a wife and a son. Jethro Ross, an old pioneer of Brookfield Twp., died Monday. Besides his wife, he leaves seven children.

George McCrea, 57, Brookfield Twp., died Saturday. Surviving are three children and his mother.

Members of the Pigeon Lutheran Ladies Aid and their husbands gave Mr. and Mrs. John Doepker a surprise party Friday evening, May 20 on their 25th wedding anniversary.

50 YEARS AGO JUNE 4, 1937

Graduating exercises for the 29 seniors of Pigeon High School will be held Thursday evening, June 10 in the school gym according to Supt. Oakley W. Best.

Walter Rutkowski of Saginaw will be ordained and installed as pastor Sunday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Linkville and Christ Lutheran Church, Owendale.

William Lyon Phelps, professor emeritus of English literature at Yale University, will deliver the first sermon of his popular summer series July 4 in the Huron City Church.

Members of the junior class of Pigeon High School were hosts to the seniors at the annual junior-senior banquet Thursday evening in the school auditorium. E.J. Claubes, Jr., was toastmaster and others on the program were Principal Orvin Yordy, Maxine Waigle, Aleatha Baur, Eleanor Doepker, James Jones, Marguerite Barabas and Theo Belding.

Lenora Dietzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S.H. Dietzel, Pigeon, received a B.A. degree in elementary teaching June 3 from Goshen College, Goshen, Ind. From June 8 to Aug. 23 she plans to travel in Europe with the American Student Travel group and then she will teach.

40 YEARS AGO JUNE 6, 1947

Sharon Ella Ziel, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Ziel, Winsor Twp., died Sunday of burns suffered at her home Saturday afternoon. Survivors include her parents, five sisters and two brothers.

Gottfried Scharich, 65, Gageton, a former Brookfield Twp. resident, died of injuries following a farm accident Thursday. Besides his wife, he leaves six sons and two daughters.

Pigeon High School and Grade School classes will hold their annual picnics today, Friday, which is the last day of school.

The 15th annual Brookfield High School alumni banquet was held in the school auditorium Saturday evening with 170 present. New officers elected were Miss Betty Hackett, Robert Chisholm and Mrs. Bruce Ricker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson of Flint purchased the 40-acre farm north of Owendale from Mr. and Mrs. August Naffien.

30 YEARS AGO JUNE 6, 1957

Members of Pigeon High School baseball team won the Northern Thumb Conference championship Tuesday, when they downed Uly 5 to 1. Hits were made by John Kohr, Don Leipprandt, Gene Henderson and Dick Fogle. Fogle and Dave Bailey were the Pigeon batters.

Seniors who received letters in baseball were Roger Baerwolf, Lynn Sturm, Jim Christner, Fred Walmsley, Bill Doepker, Ronnie Heckman and Ronnie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wing, Pigeon, were honor guests at a surprise party May 30 in observance of their 40th wedding anniversary. They have three children and three grandchildren.

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Mrs. Lisetta Peters, 77, mother of Mrs. Clare Scheurer and Mrs. Elinor Freeland, Pigeon, died Saturday evening in Pigeon. She leaves five daughters and two stepsons.

20 YEARS AGO JUNE 8, 1967

In observance of their golden wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. William Buschlen will be honored by their children Sunday at an open house at Pigeon VFW Hall. They have eight children, 20 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Young, Elkton, will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house Sunday at Elkton Elementary School, given by their children. They have two sons and six grandchildren.

Robert B. Lorentzen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lorentzen, Elkton, graduated from Augusta Military Academy, Ft. Defiance, Va. He will attend MSU in the fall. Betty Buchholz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhardt Buchholz, Pigeon, graduated from St. Joseph School of Nursing, Flint. She has accepted a position in an office.

Charles M. Krohn, 55, supervisor of Oliver Twp., farmer and civic leader, died Saturday. Surviving are his widow, a son and daughter, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krohn, Elkton and two sisters.

Waldo Leipprandt, 53, passed away May 30 at his home in Winsor Twp. Surviving are his widow and two daughters.

10 YEARS AGO JUNE 9, 1977

Laker FFA announced three new honorary chapter farmers, who have been helpful to FFA members. They are Hubby Ewald, secretary to the Laker HS principal; Robert Drury, asst. principal at Lakers and Jerry Muenterner, Pigeon Co-op employee, who helps the FFA with poultry contests.

Mrs. Michael Kanyak, 66, nee Erma June Watts, Caseville, passed away June 6. She leaves her husband, two sons and two daughters. Harry N. Roe, 86, Owendale, died May 31. Surviving are his wife and a son.

Mrs. Susie Reid Prosser, 91, a Bay Port native, died May 27 in Midland. She operated the Bay Port telephone office for many years. She leaves a son and two daughters.

Vic Forman, vice president of the Bay Port Historical Society, presented prizes to the four top winners in the 5th grade essay contest at Bay Port School about local history. Winners were Aileen Allred, Toni Petrie, Michael Karle and Cindy Bolda.

FROM THE ELKTON ADVANCE FILES 51 YEARS AGO JUNE 11, 1936

Mrs. Bernard Kennedy and Miss Marion Laughlin were hostesses at a shower for bride-elect Miss Lucille Laughlin Tuesday evening, June 2 in St. Felix church hall at Hewetton.

37 YEARS AGO JUNE 8, 1950

Mr. and Mrs. George Southworth entertained at a family gathering after commencement exercises Thursday evening, honoring their daughter, Doris, a member of the 1950 graduating class. Lunch was served and on each tray was a heart favor, announcing the engagement of Doris to D. Charles Leipprandt, Pigeon.

Miss Peggy Hoffman left Elkton Saturday for Bay City where she has accepted a position in an office.

Maribeth Bushey weds Carl Hakkarinen

Maribeth A. Bushey of Caseville and Carl N. Hakkarinen of Marquette pledged their lives to one another in marriage on Saturday, May 23 at 3 p.m. at St. Felix Catholic Church, Pinnebog.

Uniting the couple in a double-ring ceremony was Father Theodore LaMarre. Parents of the bride are Maurice and Catherine Bushey of Caseville and Agnus Hakkarinen and the late Willis Hakkarinen.

The nuptial altar was graced with styled arrangements of white gladioli and lilacs and a wicker basket with a variety of garden flowers.

Offering special Scriptural readings were Renee and Janice Bushey and wedding music including "Ave Maria" was sung by Diane Saylor.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a wedding dress worn by her aunt and godmother, Yvonne Bushey. The white slipper-satin floor-length gown with a lace motif and embroidered pearls on its bodice featured a scooped neckline an large butterfly on the back of the gown. She wore a fitted net headpiece worn by her grandmother, Vera Bushey Marquis and a trailing chapel-length veil which was bordered with lace.

Her flowers were French lilacs and peace roses arranged in an arm bouquet with antique lace streamers tying the arrangement together.

The bride asked a friend, Elizabeth Johnson of Beverly Hills, Calif. to stand as her maid of honor, wearing a pale pink dropped-waist tea-length lace dress. She carried a hand bouquet of starburst lilies, peace roses and lilacs and white lace streamers to tie the arrangement together.

Also attending the bride were Ann Hakkarinen of Des Moines, Iowa, sister of the groom and Linette Bushey of Kalamazoo, sister of the bride. The attendants wore dresses identical to the honor attendant's and carried similar bouquets with one featuring iris and daisies and the other, a gardenia trio.

Members of the groom's wedding party were best man Mark Bushey of Dayton, Ohio and Matt Bushey and Brian Bushey of Caseville, all brothers of the bride.

The mother of the bride was attired in a shell pink linen suit with a cattleya or corsage. The groom's mother chose a light blue suit with a gardenia Hosson corsage. The newlyweds greeted guests at a reception conducted in their honor at Sherwood-on-the-Hill, Caseville.



Caseville. They left for a honeymoon trip to Cabo San Lucas, Mexico and are making their new home at Portland, Ore.

Pigeon news

By DOROTHY DIENER Tom Deming, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deming, spent three days last week at Special Olympics competition at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Auerhamer (nee Betty Hamilton), Jason, Lisa and Renee of Frankmunth attended the Rathje-Diener wedding at Cross Lutheran Church on Saturday.

Pastor and Mrs. Ronald Diener and Mark of Williston, Ohio spent the weekend with his parents.

Professor and Mrs. Randall Rathje and family of Saginaw were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rathje. They attended the Saturday wedding of Lori Diener and John Rathje at Cross Lutheran Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelmer Wright and grandsons Matt and Rick of Coral Gables, Fla. attended the graduation Open House for Sandra Miller at Bay Shore Camp, Sebewaing on Sunday.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amanda Strauch were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith and son Nathan of Rochester.

Pastor and Mrs. Ernst Henkelmann were among guests at the Rathje-Diener wedding at Cross Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Elmer Schuette, Suzanne, Johnny and Jimmy were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taschner in Sebewaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collison visited Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Beyer on Sunday. Mrs. Beyer underwent knee surgery last week.

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sports of the week

State Class C Semi-finals next step for Cinderella team

Laker softball squad rolls to regional tournament title

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

The Cinderella Laker softball team hopes to dance with the state Class C softball trophy rather than Prince Charming this weekend. The Lady Lakers earned a spot in the "final four" after winning the regional title at Mayville last Saturday.

They haven't had easy going so far and even tougher competition looms ahead. The Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port squad knocked off #2 ranked Unionville - Sebewaing in a pre-district game but will face #1 ranked Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes (27-8) in the state semi-finals on Friday in Lansing. If they win that contest, Lakers will face the winner of the #6 ranked Centerville (33-3) vs. Tawas Area matchup in the state finals the following day.

REGIONAL WIN: In the 4-2 victory over Armada in the regional finals, Lakers faced the hardest-throwing pitcher

Scenic Notes

By HARRIETT COLLINS

Following golf, "Bingo-Bingo-Bingo," a planned luncheon was conducted Tuesday, June 2. Marie Kantarian, ladies division president, conducted the business meeting.

An announcement of a ladies golf clinic on July 9 and 16 was made. This will be conducted by Mike Gogola.

A stained glass frame picture, made and donated by Jeanette Rowe, will be raffled off prior to Doe Day on Aug. 4.

The Pay-to-Play card party is set for Wednesday, June 17 at 12 noon.

Scenic ladies will be guests at Verona Hills for golf, lunch and cards on July 7. The sign-up sheet is in the locker room.

A special event is scheduled for Father's Day on June 21, following brunch.

Winners in the 50-50 drawing were Carmen Kauffold, Virginia Pacific and Lil McLean. Marge Rickenback was the winner of the free luncheon ticket.

A birdie pin was presented to Carmen Kauffold and a prize to Mavis Pechette for her birdie.

The Ladies Invitational is set for June 24 and there is still room for teams to enter. Pat Schwengener and Barb Binder are co-chairmen. A hand-made afghan donated by Dody Yahn will be the raffle prize at the Invitational.

Scenic women are in first place in the Thumb traveling league with 24 points, a perfect score. The next meet will be at Caseville.

At the nine tables of bridge, winners were Margaret Watson, Hazel Ousterhoudt, Peggy Hunt, Marian Fountain, Jeanne Parent, Mavis Pechette, Clara Scheurer, Pat Koyyka and Pat Schwengener.

Winning at pinocle were Rita Gogola and Doris Strauch. There was a tie between Lil McLean and Georgina Kreh for third place.

they've seen this season. Jeanette Schrandt, who will attend Central Michigan University on a softball scholarship next year, had blinding speed on her pitches but the Laker hitters were prepared for it.

Laker Coach Tim Blakeney cranked up the speed on the pitching machine last week to get his players accustomed to the fast pitch and the strategy paid off. The regional champs put their six hits together to score four runs, while #10 ranked Armada could only push a pair of runs across the plate on nine hits against Laker hurler Rhonda Baur.

The game ended on an unusual play. With one out and a runner on second, Laker third baseman Deanne Deming fielded a groundball and tagged the runner out. The batter after reaching first base safely, walked off the base thinking there were three outs. In the confusion, Laker first baseman Cathy Wurst tagged her out to end the game.

RALLY: Armada scored the first run of the game in the third inning, but Lakers bounced right back in the top of the fourth with a pair of runs to take the lead. Deming scored the first Laker run on an RBI single by Wurst after reaching base on an error. Gina Esch brought the second run of the inning home on a passed ball.

In the fifth inning, Deming belted a triple to drive in

Baur with the winning run and then scored an insurance run on a single by Vicki Winter.

THREAT: After scoring a run in the fifth inning, Armada threatened in the sixth and seventh innings. A leadoff triple in the sixth was wasted when the Laker defense prevented the run from scoring. Armada also put the leadoff batter on base in the final inning but could not score.

PRAISE: Although he said his team didn't hit well in the finals, Armada Coach Chris Pollack praised EPBP for outstanding play.

"They hung in there and hit the ball well," he said in reference to his hard-throwing pitcher and added, "They were definitely the better team here today."

Laker Co-coach Jack Tyler said Lakers are playing at the top of their game right now.

"They're playing more and more together and getting confident. Not cocky, just confident," declared Tyler.

He pointed to hitting with two outs as a key to the Laker win and also noted Gina Esch has been hitting at better than an .800 clip since districts and Deming has been topping the .600 mark in that time.

LEADERS: In the championship game, Deming hit a triple and single and scored the first and last runs of the game for Lakers. Esch had a pair of singles and scored a

run, while Winter also had two singles and batted in a run.

Laker pitcher Rhonda Baur changed speeds very well to keep Armada hitters (who are accustomed to fast pitching) off balance.

"I knew they were good hitters. I just tried to get it in there and let them hit it and let the fielders take care of it," said Baur who posted four strikeouts in the championship game.

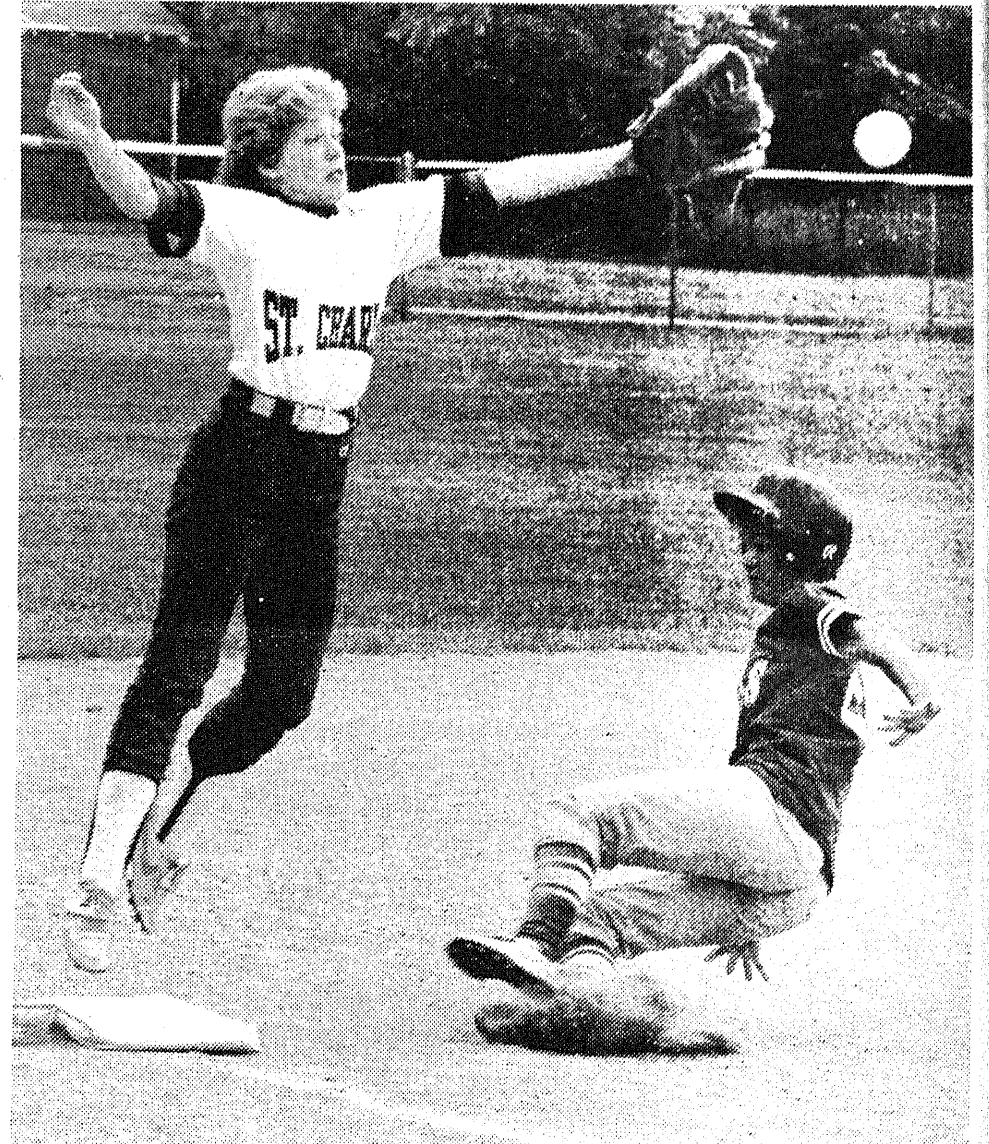
SHUTOUT: Her strategy was

different in the semi-finals, as she fanned 11 batters and gave up only four hits to post a 7-0 shutout against St. Charles. Baur overcame a shaky start in which she loaded the bases with three walks in the opening inning, but didn't allow any of those runners to cross the plate.

Esch led Laker hitters with a double and single while scoring twice in the game. Winter tripled, Deming doubled and Tami Peyerk chipped in a pair of

hits for Lakers. The EPBP squad scored two runs in the fourth inning, three in the fifth and added two more in the sixth to demoralize the St. Charles team.

HIGH HOPES: Hoping to make school history, the Lady Lakers (19-6) head for Raney Park in Lansing (just east of MSU on Michigan Avenue) for a semi-final matchup. That equals the best Laker softball finish since the 1981 squad lost in the state semi-finals.



OFFENSE: Lakers' Shelly Henne displays evidence of Lakers offensive punch as she slides into third base safely. She then scored when the ball got away from the St. Charles third baseman.



DEFENSE: Laker second baseman Tami Peyerk takes the throw from catcher Bethanne Beachy and tags out an Armada runner attempting to steal a base.

NCTL athletes earn All-Conference honors

Eight Caseville athletes earned recognition in All-Conference balloting for North Central Thumb League baseball and softball.

Caseville's Tina Bieri, Yvonne Miller, Amy Conrad and Erin Barton were among the top league softball players, while Bruce Langley, Matt Kraus, Doug Engleman and Carl Brunni earn baseball honors.

Complete NCTL All-Conference selections include:

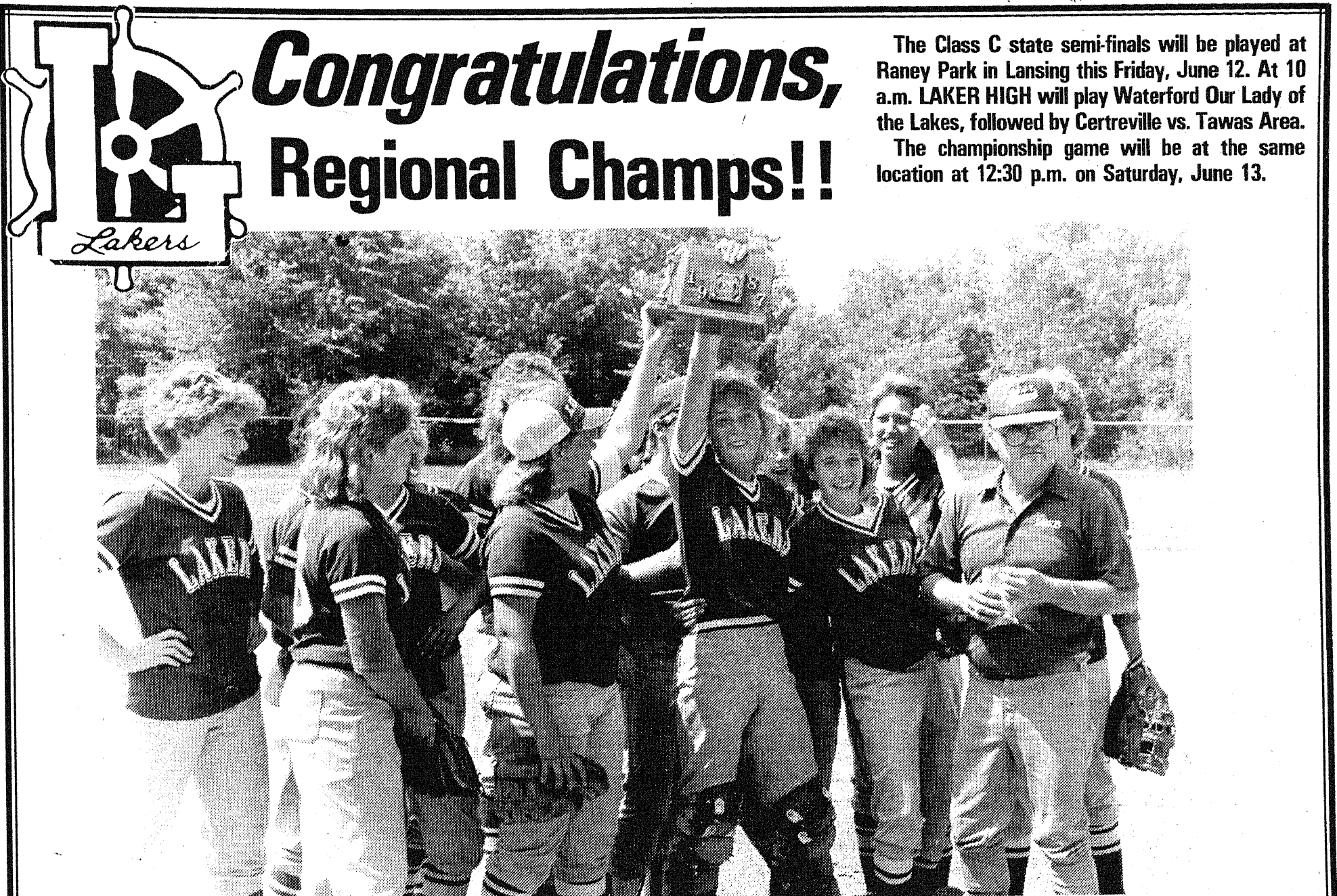
SOFTBALL
FIRST TEAM: Tina Bieri of Caseville; Kim McCanham, Shelly Parker, Char Durand, Steph Pries, Colleen Bradley and Debbie Cowley, all of Peck; Dawn Salgat, Jen Stekl and Sheila Mellendorf, all of Akron Fairgrove and Sandy Miller of North Huron.

SECOND TEAM: Yvonne Miller and Amy Conrad of Caseville; Susie Salcido and Andrea Mandich of OwenGage; Shawn Roberson and Wanda Pretzer of Kingston; Missy Mullet, Kim Bulgrien, Karen Stone and Michele Slater of Deckerville, and Tracy Smallwood of Carsonville - Port Sanilac.

HONORABLE MENTION: Erin Barton of Caseville; Cindy Enderle and Angie Bolzman of OG; Brenda Hastings, Melissa Carter, Theresa Mattox and Michelle Falls, all of CPS; Tammy Gusek, Ann Wilmot and Tammy Kent, all of North Huron, and

CORRECTION

A Laker softball player was incorrectly identified in last week's issue of The Progress-Advance. The caption under the photo of the Laker player running to first base should have listed Deanne Deming as the player pictured.



Congratulations, Champs!!

The Class C state semi-finals will be played at Raney Park in Lansing this Friday, June 12. At 10 a.m. LAKER HIGH will play Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes, followed by Certville vs. Tawas Area. The championship game will be at the same location at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 13.

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Original painting helps earn '150th' funds

Prints titled "Huron County Courthouse 1881 Michigan Fire," showing the concept of the artist, Marilyn Rutkowski of Uby, were presented recently to major donors to Huron County's celebration of Michigan's Sesquicentennial.

Donors of \$500 or more received a gold-leaf framed signed print which shows the scene around the Huron County courthouse that Sept. 5, 1881 — when more than 400 residents fled to the then-new brick structure, seeking refuge from the historic blaze that took more than 282 lives, destroyed 3,400 buildings and made more than 15,000 residents homeless.

FIRST ONE: The first print went to Huron County Board of Commissioners, who contributed \$1,500 toward the celebration.

Pigeon Telephone Company and First of America Bank-Thumb Area each contributed \$500. All three received the gold-leaf framed version.

Presentations were made by Ralph Iden, chairman of the Sesqui-committee, and Mrs. Rutkowski.

MORE DONORS: Copper-framed prints — representing contributions of

\$150-\$499 — are receiving copper-framed prints.

Recipients of those signed, limited-edition prints include Huron County Federation of Women, Villages of Owendale and Elkton, Pigeon Lions Club, Greater Port Austin Chamber of Commerce, State Bank of Fort Hope, Nutrasweet Company and Hercules, Inc., both of Harbor Beach, and Cooperative Elevator Company of Pigeon.

Each framed print is accompanied by a one-page summary of the fire and the role played by the old courthouse.

Funds being raised will be used to defray expenses for the Sunday, June 14 parade and family reunion, planned in Bad Axe.

FIRE RECALLED: The summary of the fire describes the holocaust wrought by the fire that reached into the entire Upper Thumb, and gives specifics of destruction of Bad Axe and several isolated areas.

Greatest loss of life was in Paris Township, where 28 deaths were reported. Because so many residents were left without food, shelter or clothing, many continued to live in the courthouse temporarily, sleeping on the floor.



ORIGINAL: Uby artist Marilyn Rutkowski, right, displays the original work of her "Huron County Courthouse 1881 Michigan Fire" recently in the current Huron County Building.

Looking at the work are, seated, County Board of Commissioners' Chairman Jean Talaski. At left is Huron County Birthday Party coordinator (and EDC Director) Ralph Iden.



Barcia wants traditional Memorial Day

Citing a need to restore a proper tribute to Michigan veterans, State Senator James Barcia (D-Bay City) has reintroduced legislation that would return the Memorial Day observance to May 30 rather than the fourth Monday of May.

"Memorial Day was never intended to be a recreational holiday," Sen. Barcia says. "I am urging my Senate colleagues to return the practice of honoring the sacrifice of our veterans to 'their day' instead of any Monday that

creates a convenient long weekend for vacationers."

16 YEARS: In 1971, Michigan joined most states and the federal government in changing the observance of the Memorial Day holiday from a fixed date to the fourth Monday in May.

"Memorial Day was intended as a time to allow families to pay tribute to those loved ones and individuals who sacrificed their lives so that we could live in freedom. It was not designed to simply allow us to have a leisurely three-day

weekend," Sen. Barcia says.

TRY AGAIN: Barcia introduced the same bill during the 1986 legislative session. The proposal passed the Senate 33-2, but stalled in the House State Affairs Committee. The House of Representatives attempted to force the bill out of committee, which failed narrowly on a 49-49 vote.

"Despite last year's setback, I remain optimistic that eventually this important legislation will be signed into law," Sen. Barcia says.

Parade Marshal is Jerry Roe

BAD AXE — Grand Parade Marshal for the Sunday, June 14, Huron County Sesquicentennial parade will be Jerry D. Roe, Lansing, recently called "one of the 13 Michiganders of the Year" by The Detroit News.

He is a member of the Michigan Sesquicentennial Foundation and the Michigan Sesquicentennial Commission.

Roe's associations with organizations dedicated to the preservation of the state's past are numerous. In 1972 he was appointed to the Michigan Historical Commission by Gov. William Milliken, and he served twice as its president and is presently serving as vice-president.

He is a former trustee of the Historical Society of

Michigan and a member of the Michigan History Foundation.

Roe served on the Michigan Historic Preservation Review Board from 1978-81 and was again appointed to the board for a 3-year term in June of 1984.

A resident of Lansing, Roe is a member of the Eaton County Historical Society and the Greater Lansing Historical Society.

Roe is involved in 2 businesses which are rooted in politics. He is president of Jerry D. Roe and Associates in Lansing, which specializes in government relations, fund-raising and public relations, and he is also a partner in Premier Strategy, a political campaign management firm.



JERRY ROE

Huron County's birthday party Sunday!

Kicks off with 1:30 dedication

BAD AXE — The months of planning and weeks of waiting are almost at an end, and thousands of Upper Thumb residents are geared to join in Huron County's giant birthday party starting at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, June 14, in Bad Axe.

There will be the traditional giant parade, an afternoon and evening of reunion at Huron Community Fairgrounds and a plaque dedication at the Huron County Building. In addition to the fun and fellowship, there will be food, free entertainment galore, and plenty of visiting and picnicking time.

It will be the Upper Thumb's first countywide Sesqui-Centennial Event, marking the 150th anniversary of statehood for the Wolverine State.

Starting off the event, an historical plaque will be mounted on the side of Huron County Building, stating that President Richard Nixon visited there in 1974, the only time that a president in office came to the county. Jerry Roe of Lansing, vice-chairman and past chairman of the Michigan Historical Commission, will preside over unveiling the historical President Nixon plaque.

The giant parade will follow at 2 pm moving through downtown Bad Axe. It will be followed immediately by the giant reunion and picnic, at Huron Community Fairgrounds.

A Senior Citizens' King and Queen will be crowned during the June 14 event, to reign over the 150th anniversary birthday party. There are 10 couples contesting for the King-Queen title, including Fern Copeland, Bad Axe, and Earl Nelson of Filion; Mrs. Ottilia Sonik and Bob Maschke of Port Hope; Bernice Hearsch and Jack McGeachy of Bad Axe; Lillian Leppardt and Hugo Leppardt of Pigeon; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Renn of Elkton; Ermythe and Leonard Seley of Elkton; Helen and William Russell of Elkton; Lourene and Ralph Brown of Uby; Lillian and Ralph Boergert of Bay Port and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richards of Harbor Beach.

"Food, fun and fellowship" will be the keynote at the reunion, said Gordon Gempel, Harbor Beach, who is general chairman of the June 14 event, who is assisted by June Bowerbank, Bad Axe, as reunion chairman, and Bob Brueggeman, Bad Axe, chairman of the parade. Also taking part in the year-long planning for the entire Sesqui-Centennial celebration in the county, are Jean Talaski, chairman of Huron County Board of Commissioners, Ralph Iden, director of Huron Economic Development Corp., which is heading the Sesqui-Celebration, and Diane Nielson, secretary of the Corporation. In addition there are delegates from almost every community in the county, who took part in various areas of the celebration and planning.

A varied program of music will be presented at the Fairgrounds, including a rock band for young people and Bob Olsen and the "Big Band Sound", music of the 1940s to 1960s. There will be vocal music by the Pigeon Men's Community Chorus, organized in 1976 by Lyle Shetler for the Pigeon Jubilee. The group has continued entertaining audiences in all parts of the Thumb, and is known for a "rousing show".

There will be band concerts, too, by high school musical groups from Laker High, Harbor Beach and Bad Axe, which will also take part in the parade. Scottish pipes and drums will entertain, and other musical groups will be offered by Mel Baerwolf, Clyde Leiterman and Tip-of-The-Thumb Square Dancers.

Jubilee Singers, directed by Dian M. Holdship, organized decades ago for the successful Uby "Alabama Jubilee", will entertain as "a small unit dedicated mainly to singing." They will, Mrs. Holdship said, present, "a unique program for the 150th anniversary of this great state."

Picnickers and others will have a wide range of food choices to purchase. Pigeon Rotary Club will serve a full chicken barbecue dinner, and Harbor Beach Rotary and Bad Axe Jaycees will operate their own food stands. For guests who prefer to bring their own traditional picnic lunches, there will be tables and plenty of eating space available.

"The important point to remember is that this a birthday party for the State of Michigan," Gempel concluded, "and there is no admission charge and no parking charge anywhere in the Fairgrounds."

Join Us To Celebrate Huron County's Birthday Party!

Sunday, June 14, 1987
In Bad Axe



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Special Events & Activities

1. 1:30 p.m. Plaque Dedication
County Building, Bad Axe
Commemorating visit by President Nixon in 1974. Jerry Roe, Lansing, presiding. With band music.

2. 2:00 p.m. Giant Parade
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- * Mel Baerwolf * Clyde Leiterman

IN THE ARENA...Starting at 4 p.m.

- * **Crowning Senior Citizens' King and Queen** (10 couples contesting) Ralph Iden, emcee.
- * 4:30 p.m. **Tip-of-the-Thumb Square Dancers**
- * 5 p.m. - **Pigeon Area Men's Community Chorus**
- * 5:45 p.m. **Jubilee Singers**

IN THE 4-H BUILDING...

- * 4:30 p.m. **Sirvallance Rock Band**

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- * 6:30-9 p.m. **Bob Olsen and his Big Band**

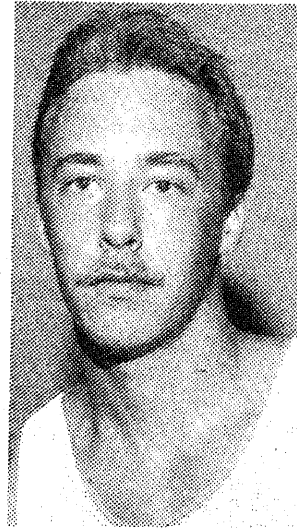
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- * Bad Axe Jaycees, Hamburgs, Hot Dogs, Cotton Candy, Pop
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Clabuesch letters in track

Jim Clabuesch, son of Jim and Linda Clabuesch of Pigeon, has received a varsity letter for track at Grand Valley State College.



GOP meets

The Huron County Republican Committee will meet Wednesday, June 17 at 7:30 p.m. in the third-floor conference room of the Huron County Building.

Thumb club news and notes

PIONEER FARM BUREAU

Mr. and Mrs. William McCarty Sr. were hosts at the May meeting of the Pioneer Farm Bureau group at a luncheon.

Chairman Ray English led in the Pledge to the Flag. During the business meeting, it was voted to make a donation to the Elton Smith Chair Fund. Mrs. George Southworth read the

minutes. Ray English gave the highlights from the Rural Leader. Mrs. Ray English led the discussion topic, "Showcase for Agriculture." The group read the Farm Bureau Creed

in closing. The June 11 meeting will be at the English home.

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The Village of Pigeon and the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce are sponsoring our 14th annual Pigeon Farmers' Festival on July 23-26, 1987. Various activities are being planned for the annual celebration, all designed to celebrate Michigan's 150th birthday.

A large parade is planned for Saturday, July 25, 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 26, 1987 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 HUMOROUS 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 below and return it to: Dave Geiger

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Area obituaries

LOWELL "TOM" THOMAS MCCAIN 1942 - 1987

Lowell "Tom" Thomas McCain, age 45, of Pigeon passed away at his home Monday, June 1, 1987.

Mr. McCain was born March 9, 1942 in Oak Hill, OH, son of Allard A. and Vivian F. (Pedler) McCain. He was employed as a press operator with Pigeon Manufacturing, Pigeon.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Vivian F. Fisher, Pigeon; his father, Allard McCain, Bay Port; three sisters, Mrs. Robert (Wanda) Webber, Bay Port, Mrs. Dale (Diane) Gardner, St. Joseph and Mrs. James (Kay) Nieschulz, Bay Port;

a half-sister, Mrs. Richard (Alexandra) Adams of Caro; two brothers, Michael McCain, Pigeon and John McCain, Bay Port; 13 nieces and nephews; a grandniece and his grand-father, John L. McCain, Oak Hill, OH.

Funeral services were conducted on Thursday, June 4 at 10:30 a.m. at the Pigeon River Memorial Church, Rev. Luke Yoder, pastor, will officiate with burial in the Grand Lawn Cemetery, Pigeon.

Memorials may be given to the March of Dimes for Multiple Sclerosis.

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

FRANCIS LEROY YOUNG 1911 - 1987

Francis LeRoy Young, age 76 of 6358 Lee Drive, Caseville, died Monday, May 25 at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, following a long illness.

He was born in Ohio on Jan. 29, 1911, the son of the late Parmer and Rebecca (Faulk) Young. Shortly after his birth, he and his family moved to Coleman.

On Feb. 16, 1936, he was united in marriage to C. Elizabeth Lattimore in Coleman. The couple later moved to Detroit where Mr. Young was employed by Chevrolet Gear & Axle for 39 years until retiring in 1973 and moving to Caseville.

Mr. Young was a member of the Caseville Fraternal Order of Eagles, Aerie 3690 and the First Congregational Church of Royal Oak.

Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth; a son and daughter-in-law, Donald and Cynthia Young of Farmington Hills; a daughter and son-in-law, Jill and Kenneth Hammond of Inverness, IL; six grandchildren, Kelly, Kim, Jeremy, Ryan, Tracy and Lisa; one brother, Garold Young of Clare; and a sister, Mrs. Mabel Wannier of Belding.

Four brothers, Dale, Elmer, Russell and Vincent and two sisters, Goldie and Mattie preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, May 28 at the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Caseville. Rev. John Hamilton, pastor of the Caseville United Methodist Church, officiated with burial in the Caseville Township Cemetery.

VIVIAN M. HIGGINS 1915-1987

Vivian Marie Higgins, 72 of Ridge Road, Fair Haven Township, Sebawaing, passed away Tuesday, June 2 at Huron Memorial Hospital, near Bad Axe, following a brief illness.

She was born Feb. 6, 1915 in Bay Port to the late C. Edward and Lillie (Petty) Deming. On Oct. 15, 1955, she married Glenn P. Higgins in Bay Port. Mrs. Higgins was employed by Gillingham Fish Company and later Bay Port Fish Company before her retirement several years ago. Mr. Higgins predeceased her on Jan. 6, 1985.

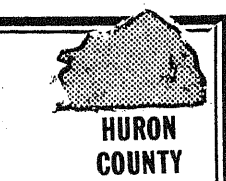
Mrs. Higgins is survived by four daughters, Patricia Haag of Sebawaing, Violet Sloan and Mary Fader, both of Lupton; and Ann Higgins of Belleville; and three sisters, Mrs. Mabel Pitcher and Mrs. Marion Kain, both of Bay Port; and Mrs. Carrie Avery of Birch Run. Eleven grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren also survive.

Preceding Mrs. Higgins in death were a son, Glenn Lorenz; two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Kuhl and Mrs. Nellie Bowman; and a brother, Melvin Deming.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. on Friday, June 5, at Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebawaing. Elder Ervin Haley officiated, and burial was in New Bay Port Cemetery, Bay Port.

- Wilma Randall, 82, of Fairgrove, passed away May 18.
- Mary B. Geiser, 73, of Apple Creek, Ohio, formerly of Pigeon, passed away May 19.
- Francis R. Kirk, 63, of Fairgrove, passed away May 22.
- Frank Abfalter, 41, of Gagetown, passed away May 29.
- Theresa M. Yerke, 86, of Port Hope, passed away May 28.
- Alfred Skrzypinski, 75, of Detroit, formerly of Uby, passed away May 29.
- Earl D. Harris, 85, of Cass City, passed away May 29.
- Alma A. Whitcomb, 76, of Caseville, passed away May 30.
- Onalee M. Brendey, 67, of Dwight Township, formerly of Bay Port, passed away May 31.
- Edna Putnam, 82, of Vassar, formerly of Caro, passed away May 31.
- Carolyn Hubbard Parcells Lucas, 92, of Grosse Pointe, involved with restoration of Huron City, passed away May 31.
- Lowell "Tom" Thomas McCain, 45, of Pigeon, passed away June 1.
- Henry B. Forstner, 84, of Harbor Beach, passed away June 1.
- Ruth S. Will, 93, of Harbor Beach, passed away June 1.
- Vivian M. Higgins, 72, of Sebawaing, passed away June 2.
- Zelma Slack, 97, of Bad Axe, formerly of Uby, passed away June 2.
- Peter Pollack, 77, of Forestville, passed away June 4.

News That Counts From



MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS Week of June 1

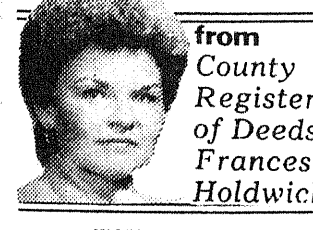
Michael J. Brown & Joyce A. Kiehl
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Kevin Paul Spaulding & Donna Jean Stockle
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Jeffrey John McCarty & Kim Marie Hall
R.B. Hunter & Agnes M. Woodard
Steve Michael Jasz & Elaine Marie Apley
William E. Kennedy & Irene A. Johns

ASSUMED NAMES

NO. 4403 NORTHEAST COMMUNICATIONS, 124 Gold Street, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: Dennis Krajenka, 1925 E. Filion Road, Filion, MI 48432 & Gerald Stocker, 140 West South Street, Bad Axe, MI 48413. Filed: 5/29/87
DISSOLUTION: MEL'S BODY SHOP, 351 Thompson Rd., Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: Melvin A. Nowicki. Filed: 6/1/87
NO. 4404 OAK BEACH HEIGHTS HOME OWNERS ASSOCIATION, 7067 & 7071 A Drive, Port Austin, MI 48467. By: Clifford Gilliam, 7071 A Drive, Port Austin, MI 48467 & Timothy E. Clapp, 7067 A Drive, Port Austin, MI 48467. Filed: 6/2/87
NO. 4405 THE UPPER DECK, 8711 Lake Street, Port Austin, MI 48467. By: Scott S. Kasper, 8704 Line Street, Port Austin, MI 48467. Filed: 6/3/87

CO-PARTNERSHIPS

NO. 821 WATERS EDGE, 8711 Lake Street, Port Austin, MI 48467. By: Scott S. Kasper, Gloria J. Kasper, 8704 Line Street, Port Austin, MI 48467. Filed: 6/3/87



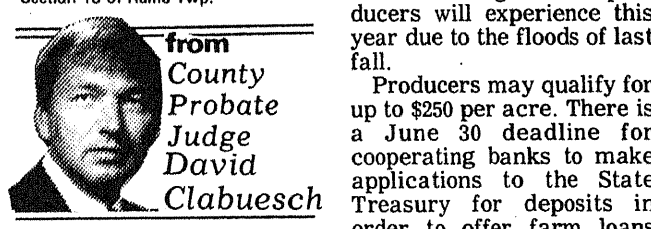
WARRANTY DEEDS May 27-29

John W. Champagne and Marjorie L. to Roger P. Champagne and Janet L.; a parcel of land located in Section 12 of Chandler Twp.
Richard O. Randolph and Rebecca to Gerald G. Stockwell and Barbara B.; a parcel of land located in Section 16 of Hume Twp.
Lois S. Randolph to Gerald Stockwell and Barbara B.; a parcel of land located in Section 16 of Hume Twp.
Gerald lives to William Ives; a parcel of land located in Section 32 of Port Austin.
Ann Marie Clabuesch to Clabuesch Pro-

erties; a parcel of land located in Section 7 of Caseville.
Daniel H. Moore and Donna C. to Jeffrey M. Castle and Donna D.; a parcel of land located in Section 12 of Harbor Beach.
Herb Gettel and Doris A. to Kent A. Gattel; a parcel of land located in Section 3 of Caseville Twp.
Rene S. Reynolds and Diane M. to Daniel J. Kiehl; a parcel of land located in Section 32 of Colfax Twp.
David R. Waldacker and Ellen S. to Daniel H. Moore and Donna C.; a parcel of land located in Section 31 of Sand Beach.
Rolfo G.A. Fisher and Wilma L. to Anthony M. Cunniff and Karen L.; a parcel of land located in Section 3 of Huron Twp.
Loeh M. McKusky to Andrea M. Devine; a parcel of land located in Section 24 of Bad Axe.
Leonard Particka and Kathleen A. to Duane R. Drojewski and Elaine Peruski; a parcel of land located in the Village of Uby.
Jerry G. Lawrence and Marian A. to Charles B. Lewis and Barbara A.; a parcel of land located in Section 22 of Rubicon Twp.
Doris Galloway; a parcel of land located in Section 24 of Bad Axe.
Judith Lesock to Gary R. Regnier and Gail A.; a parcel of land located in Section 18 of Hume Twp.
Gary Regnier and Gail A. to Matthew J. Babcock, Gary L. Babcock, Samuel J. Babcock, Thomas E. Babcock and Richard A. Babcock; a parcel of land located in Section 18 of Hume Twp.

ceased, of Caseville, File 28,540, Independent Probate, Publication and Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.
Estate of Virginia M. Emery, Deceased, of Sebawaing, File 28,538, Independent Probate, Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed, 3 Waivers and Consents filed, Register's Order filed, 2 Acceptances of Trust filed, Letters of Authority filed.
Estate of D. Kendall Lewis Eastick, Deceased, of Sebawaing, File 28,507, Supervised Probate, 5 Waivers and Consents filed.
Estate of Louis T. Yaroch, Deceased, of Kinda, File 27,588, Supervised Probate, Order Assigning Residue of Trust Estate in Accordance with Terms of Decedent's Will, Order for Discharge of Successor Co-Trustees, Cancellation of Bonds, and Closing Estate filed.
Estate of Harriet M. Bacon, Deceased, of Bad Axe, File 27,999, Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.
Estate of Joseph Lantoni, Deceased, of Uby, File 28,957, Supervised Probate, Petition for Leave to File Delayed Claim, Petition filed, Final Account of Personal Representative filed, Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.
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Estate of Roman A. Tenbusch, Deceased, of Harbor Beach, File 28,322.

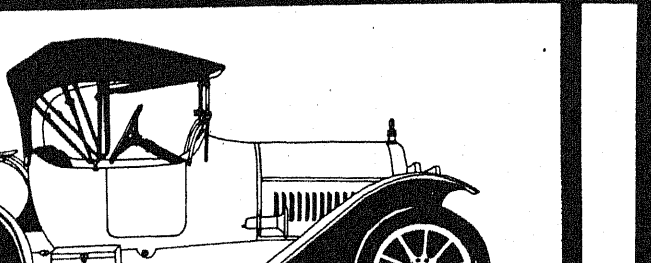
The "Zero Interest State Loan" program has undergone some recent adjustments for hay and forage producers. The changes are directed at long-term alfalfa stand damage that producers will experience this year due to the floods of last fall.
Producers may qualify for up to \$250 per acre. There is a June 30 deadline for cooperating banks to make applications to the State Treasury for deposits in order to offer farm loans under this program.



PROBATE COURT Week of May 28 - June 3

Estate of Norma J. Richards, Deceased, of Port Hope, File 28,544, Will filed.
Estate of Theresia Andreki, Deceased, of Uby, File 28,269, Supervised Probate, Final Account of Personal Representative filed, Order Allowing Final Account and Assigning Residue filed.
Estate of Bertha M. Singleton, Deceased, of Bad Axe, File 28,433, Supervised Probate, Report of Sale of Real Estate and Petition for Confirmation filed, Notice of Hearing filed.
Estate of Arthur F. Ebert, Deceased, of Pigeon, File 28,027, Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.
Estate of Timothy Hurley, Deceased, of Sebawaing, File 27,177, Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.
Estate of Jerry L. Western, Deceased, of Bad Axe, File 27,320, Supervised Probate, Annual Account of Personal Representative filed, Motion for Approval of Attorney Fees filed, Order Approving Attorney Fees filed.
Estate of Marion E. Marks, Deceased, of Bad Axe, File 28,156, Supervised Probate, Reviver and Consent filed, Final Account of Personal Representative filed.
Estate of Clifford E. Robinson, Deceased, of Uby, File 28,294, Independent Probate, Notice of Hearing filed, Personal Concurrence in Request for Exemption filed, Petition for Determination of Michigan Inheritance Tax to Qualified Heirs filed, Notice of Hearing filed, 2 Proofs of Service by Ordinary Mail filed.
Estate of Herbert Edward DeWitt, De-

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HURON COUNTY MARSP

The Huron County Chapter of Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel met recently at the First Presbyterian Church, Bad Axe at 11 a.m.

George Greene and Ava Hind took in membership dues as Leona Ballman and Phyllis Snider worked with nametags.

Grace Dunlap read last month's minutes, which were then approved, in the absence of the secretary and the death of Susie Soule's son, Marvin. Rosella Dominick recorded the meeting on her tape recorder. Alex MacRae's report showed a balance of \$421.75.

A moment of silence was observed for Desmond Byrnes, Virginia Emery and Hannah Ross. "Help Wanted Slips" were passed out seeking volunteers for offices and committee help.

Myra Pangman was elected to the post of second vice president for the present year.

George Greene announced that state dues have been raised but the need for more personnel and larger facilities was great. There is now a watch-guard on the

Members voted to give all new members at the next meeting a free luncheon. Morgan Ballagh presented a booklet on "Long Term Care Insurance" and will try to obtain copies.

Delegates and alternates to the state meeting June 4 were Betty Zulauf, Howard Lane, Myra Pangman and Morgan and Lorene Ballagh. A card was signed for Ruby Ewald.

At the luncheon, Howard Lane gave the table prayer and led in the singing of "America" and "God Bless America." Leona Ballman distributed door prizes.

Program Chairman Ruth Lenahan introduced Fred Pankov of Utica, region 4 director. He brought members up-to-date on legislation from the State Legislative Committee. Members are urged to write state senators and representatives to voice their opinions.

The next meeting will be conducted at St. Michael's Catholic Hall, Port Austin on July 22. Executive meeting will be July 8 at the Huron Area Skill Center at 12 noon. All officers and committee chairmen are urged to attend.

Thanks to everyone who participated in our "Operation PETUNIA PLANTING." The Roto-Tillers, the "two generation" of planters, the supplier of refreshments, the Firemen keeping the plants watered.

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