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IT'S "SPRING AHEAD, FALL BACK"
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Elkton merchants and the
entire "Town With A
Smile" salute five new or
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for more!



LAKER ROYALTY: Jeff Sturm and Carleen Kauffman were honored as Laker High Homecoming King and Queen last Friday. Sturm was crowned during a student pep rally earlier in the afternoon. Kauffman was crowned during halftime ceremonies by last year's homecoming queen Rhonda Baur. Carleen is the daughter of Cal and Nola Kauffman. Jeff is the son of Lynn and Sue Sturm.

RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

Laker Homecoming memories!



TAILGATERS: John and Linda Walsh (left) and Jim and Linda Clabuesch combined to win the prize in the homecoming tailgate party competition last Friday in Pigeon before the Laker - Bad Axe football game. The winning entry featured green and white foods, resting on an actual tailgate, with Laker stools for pre-game dining. Other decorations included a goal post and paper football field on the car. The winners receive dinner for eight at The Bank restaurant in Port Austin. RICH SWARTZENDRUBER PHOTO

Winsor tables hog decision

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER

Thumb Quality Farrowing Corporation has selected a new site for its proposed hog farrowing operation in Winsor Township, but is running into the same type of opposition encountered from a proposed site plan in Oliver Township.

At a special meeting of the Winsor Township Board Monday night, objection to livestock odors was the same. About the only difference between the Oliver and Winsor Township meetings was the identity of those opposing the site.

About half of the 40 people at the meeting voiced opposition, while most of the others were silent on the matter.

NO ZONING CHANGE NEEDED: The Board was considering whether to issue a building permit for the operation to construct the structures needed to breed hogs before shipping the young feeder pigs to corporation members.

Because no special zoning permit is required, the matter was addressed by the Township Board rather than its Zoning Board, as was the case in Oliver Township.

The operation now plans to locate the hog facility just off Notter Road near the Active Feed egg production and packaging facility in the southeast quarter of the township. The buildings would be located back away from the road and as far as possible from the nearest residence, supporters said.

OPPOSING PETITIONS: Nancy Buchholz, who lives about one-third mile from the proposed site, presented petitions signed by more than 40 people objecting to the building permit.

Once again concern was raised about handling the manure produced by the facility, the effects of the operation on the water table and also possible decreases in property values for neighbors of the hog operation. Some residents complained of many flies

attracted by the nearby poultry facility and speculated that the hog operation would make the problem worse.

Many of those objecting to the site asked why one of the 16 members of the corporation couldn't build the facility on their land as did the Oliver Township residents.

In response, Corporation member Les Schaper noted he lived only about a mile from the site as a crow flies. He pointed out that location of the facility at his farm would actually be closer to some of those people objecting at the meeting than the actual site.

Township officials appeared to differ on whether the building permit could be denied, because the farrowing operation is an agricultural enterprise.

"By law we can't disapprove the building permit. The only way you can stop them is if they become a nuisance," said Winsor Clerk John Kohr. On the other hand, Township Supervisor Robert Armbruster said, "We could refuse a building permit."

He pointed out that livestock odors historically have been part of country life.

"It's been that way in the country for the last 100 years," Armbruster declared about livestock odor. "If you want to live in the country, you have to learn to co-exist."

DISCUSSION: Comments made about the project by board members were generally in support of the project. Armbruster agreed with opponents' statements that he favored the project going into the meeting.

"I had my mind made up because this is an agricultural use. That is an agricultural area out there and that's what we're going to use it for," he declared.

Opponents to the facility complained that the Township Board wasn't representing them after speaking in favor the facility despite the objections of those present.

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Beet delivery nears midway



BUSY WITH BEETS: Continuing rains have slowed but not stopped sugar beet deliveries at the Sebewaing Plant of Michigan Sugar Company, as nearly 40% of this year's 500,000-ton crop is out of the field and on its way to the plant.

Statewide, 1.65 million tons are expected to be delivered, and last week's 15% sugar content figure is rising slightly as cooler weather sets in, observers say.

DRY NAVY BEANS are nearly 75% delivered, and are coming in at 11 hundredweight per acre.

Ag Day set for Dec. 11

Thumb Agriculture Day will be offered again this year from 9-4 Friday, December 11, at Colony House, Cass City.

The day-long program will include agricultural exhibits and educational programs, according to Amy Duffield, Huron Extension agricultural agent.

The programs will be centered around the general theme of Marketing: Outlook and Strategies. Invited speakers include individuals from Michigan Department of Agriculture, MSU Farm Bureau, ASCS, and others.

Exhibitors will display their newest products and technologies, and answer questions. Farmers can compare types of products, services and prices in one place at one time.

Thumb Agriculture Day, presented by the staff of the Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Cooperative Extension Services, has been a popular winter event for a number of years.

More details will be provided as they become available, said Duffield.

INSIDE: Duane Guenther talks about Ducks Unlimited. See Page 20!



THE PIGEON HIGH SCHOOL Class of 1947 met for a buffet dinner at KC's Lamplighter Restaurant, Sebawaing on Oct. 10. This was the largest class to graduate from Pigeon, with 41 members. Out of 36 remaining graduates, 24 attended, many with spouses. Special guests were teachers Mr. and Mrs. Karl Emerson. Pictured front row, from left: Annabelle (Wachner) Bolzman, Owendale; Elaine (Eftman) Error, Bad Axe; Elizabeth (Miller) Holik, Caro; Jessie (Beadle) Otto, Pigeon; Grace (Kreh) Smith, Bad Axe; Joyce (Hoppe) Bannick, Elkton; Verma (Diebel) Thede, Sebawaing. Second row: Myra (Allen) Popowitz, Houston, Tex.; Margaret Ann (Richmond) Schwalm, Essexville; Jane (Guisbert) Rosenthal, Bad Axe; Catherine (Ropp) Miller, Fairview; Joyce (Kretschmer) Dietzel, Owendale; Lorraine (Damm) Otto, Mayville; Mr. and Mrs. Karl Emerson, Pigeon. Back row: Delmar Miller, Owendale; John Seaman, Corpus Christi, Tex.; Robert Smith, Bay Port; Roland Bechler, Bad Axe; Budd Elenbaum, Pigeon; Ralph (Booner) Richmond, Marlette; Dick Buschlen, Pigeon; Kenneth Geiger, Lake Odessa; Norris Diebel, Pigeon; Raymond Error, Bad Axe; John (Pinky) Oesch, Pigeon.

Cass City hosts Bach Festival

The works of Johann Sebastian Bach will be brought to musical life when they're performed during Cass City's ninth annual Village Bach Festival, slated Friday through Sunday, Nov. 27-29. An early-bird organ recital will kick off the Thanksgiving weekend observance, with a performance planned on Tuesday evening, Nov. 24, at the century-old Cass City Presbyterian Church, which houses an Aeolian Skinner Pipe Organ.

Bird lovers invited

Bird watchers and nature students in the Upper Thumb are invited to attend a winter bird feeding workshop at Port Crescent State Park headquarters at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 1, sponsored by Huron Audubon Club. President Monica Essmacher of Port Austin says that topics for discussion will include types of feeders, various kinds of feed and the kinds of birds they attract, and strategies in "the seemingly endless squirrel wars." Those attending will make their own "suet cones" to take home. A nominal materials charge will be requested of each non-member, she says.

VILLAGE OF PIGEON RESIDENTS:
The Village of Pigeon will be flushing hydrants on Wednesday, October 28th, beginning at 11:00 o'clock p.m. until 7:00 o'clock a.m. Thursday, October 29, 1987.

Colleen Engler visits Huron GOP

It's important to the entire Thumb and outstate Michigan — not only to Republicans — that GOP candidates make a strong showing in 1988 and 1990, because without victories in those years this area will be "out-apportioned" and lose further influence at law-making in Lansing and Washington. That was one of the reasons Colleen Engler, former State Representative and lieutenant governor candidate in 1986, came to Huron County last Wednesday night to speak to about 60 Thumb Republicans.



ICE CREAM EATERS: Huron County Commissioner Warren Krohn, left, offers former State Rep. Colleen Engler a chance to "clean the dasher" on the homemade ice cream machine, one highlight of the Huron County Republicans' Harvest Dinner last Wednesday night in Bad Axe. The five gallons of ice cream was donated by Krohn and his family — along with sufficient elbow grease to turn the big freezer.

Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

CAMP AFOUL OF WETLANDS LAW
Bay Shore Camp of Sebawaing is answering charges by the state Department of Natural Resources that 4000 cubic yards of sludge from the Michigan Sugar Company's settling ponds has been unlawfully dumped onto wetlands at the Camp adjacent to Saginaw Bay. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is also involved in investigating the complaint, involving a 50-foot by 800-foot area west of the church camp. An estimated 400 truckloads of the soil material — washed from sugar beets delivered to the plant — was moved in recent months from the sugar plant to the camp property, to aid in forming a water dike there. Further meetings are expected, but the state will likely order the soil to be removed by the camp — for which no funds are available, officials say.

STATE LAND IS OFFERED
Three land parcels now the property of the Michigan Department of Transportation will be auctioned off to highest bidders Thursday, Nov. 5 at 2 p.m. in the Imlay City Hall Chambers, 150 N. Main, Imlay City. MDOT has announced. The three, all located in the Village of Caseville, have minimum bids of \$14,700 to \$18,000 and contain from one acre to 1.38 acres. Each is located on highway M-25 (Port Austin Road) and are near the former Grand Trunk Railroad property, with 248 feet of M-25 frontage. More details are available from MDOT in Saginaw at 754-7443.

\$19,000 SHARED FOUR WAYS
Four Thumb Area counties will share more than \$19,000 for the Emergency Food and Shelter Program of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, U.S. Sen. Donald Riegle (D-Flint) has announced. Recipient counties were picked for continuing high unemployment and poverty levels, part of \$504,000 given out statewide. Local counties and amounts received include Huron at \$2738, Tuscola \$3989, Sanilac \$2977 and Bay \$9896.

CABLE TV FOR OWEN-GAGE?
Cablevision of Bad Axe is offering to install cable TV service to the Owendale and Gagetown villages by next fall, if all plans and conditions can be worked out. Cablevision Manager Wayne Leese last week met with village councils of both communities and offered to provide the service, which will cost \$100,000 to install. The main antenna would be installed halfway between the two towns, and up to 18 basic channels plus several pay stations would be offered. Construction could begin by spring, Leese said, and no objections to the informal inquiry were received. Formal action is expected in November.

POLICE BLOTTER NEWS
A Port Austin woman was killed and two others were injured in a head-on collision Friday afternoon in Hume Township, according to State Police from the Bad Axe Post. Lori Sensenig, 34, died after the 4 p.m. accident on M-25 just east of Port Crescent Road, northeast of Caseville. The accident occurred when an eastbound car driven by Kathleen Champagne, 26, of Port Austin, collided with the Sensenig vehicle, headed west. The victim's husband, Clarence Sensenig, 42, and Champagne, were listed in fair condition at Huron Memorial Hospital near Bad Axe with multiple injuries, troopers said.

HIGHER LIMITS: She also urged support to raise limits for public funds from \$1 million each in the primary and general elections. "Remember," she repeated, "the winners in 1990 and 1992 will control everything until after the year 2000."

DINNER PURPOSE: Engler was introduced by William Mayes of Port Austin, chairman of the Huron County Republican committee. He congratulated the board and planners of the "harvest dinner," stating that "it is fitting to hold a harvest dinner in Huron County, the leading agricultural county in Michigan." Other members of the committee include Barbara Buchholz of Pigeon as vice chairman, Warren Krohn of Elkton treasurer, and Marilyn Cubitt of Bad Axe secretary. Mrs. Cubitt was chairman of the dinner and program.

Huron ACS lauded

The annual meeting of the Michigan Division, American Cancer Society, was held in Lansing recently. The Huron County Unit was represented by Sally Beers of Sebawaing, Gertrude Quinn of Kinde, Mavis Pechette of Caseville, Virginia Miller of Bad Axe, Barb Krohn of Elkton and Arlene Randall of Bay Port. The local unit was honored with a Merit Award for Public Education. Sharon Maust, committee chairman, was not present for the meeting, so Mrs. Beers accepted her award on her behalf. Huron County Unit was also recognized in the "Per Capita" area. ACS received an average of \$1.36 from every man, woman and child in the county during the 1986-87 Crusade Year. The annual meeting is a time of recognition for past accomplishments and kicking off a new year's program. Highlights from the meeting include a report on Camp Catch-A-Rainbow (for children with cancer), talks by cancer patients, reports on research and an introduction to the Wilnot House in Ann Arbor where cancer patients can stay while receiving treatment in Ann Arbor.

Chamber event cancelled

A last-minute ruling by the Michigan Lottery Commission caused cancellation of last weekend's "horse race" event in Pigeon. The event, sponsored by Pigeon Chamber of Commerce, would have offered betting with play money on video taped horse races, with prizes awarded to top winners. A private Detroit area business hired by the Chamber would have provided and operated all the needed equipment, and had handled pre-event promotional materials. An anonymous complaint filed late Friday afternoon with the Lottery Commission resulted in a ruling that conditions surrounding the event didn't meet with licensing requirements, according to Pigeon Chamber President Mike LePage. The event was then cancelled because there was too little time to change the conditions of the event, he said.

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OBSERVATIONS BY CO-PUBLISHER MARK RUMMEL AND ANYBODY ELSE HE CAN GET TO WRITE 'EM!
BIG RESPONSE — It's been proven again: give people an opportunity to get a good deal and the smart ones will do just that. During Pigeon's Moonlight Madness Sale last week, we had more than 200 people start or add on subscriptions. That's more than 400 YEARS of reading ahead — and we say "thanks very much!" We hope you enjoy the "years" of reading you've got... along with all 3475 local reading homes we serve each Wednesday!

SECOND CLASS MAIL — This is the perfect time (and place) to explain something we work closely with each day, but which the public doesn't understand clearly. The Progress - Advance, like nearly all other newspapers and most magazines, delivers our issues through Second Class U.S. Mail.

We all know that First Class Mail requires 22 cents in postage now for the first ounce, whether the letter goes to the next town or to Alaska. But Second Class Mail is different. Second Class Mailers pay more the further distance their issues travel. And the rates have gone up dramatically in recent past years, as the U.S. Postal Service tries to assure all mail classes pay their own way (in the past Second Class was subsidized so "country" folks had access to magazines and papers as "city" folks did). It costs us much more to mail an issue to, say, Florida than it does to Detroit, but we've only maintained TWO subscription rates — a \$14 "local" rate (for Huron, Tuscola and Sanilac Counties), and a \$20 "distance" rate (for subscriptions anywhere else). Many papers have "local," "in-state" and "out-of-state" rates, but that seemed too confusing to us. And, that \$6 difference between the local and distance rate is nearly all additional postage and handling, to be truthful. ANYWAY, people who spend winter months in Florida annually complain when we ask them for additional money to send their P-A there for a month or longer. The greater distance costs us more money to mail, so we ask them to help us pay it. But there's one more point. We mail EVERY copy of our paper Tuesday afternoons, even though some folks don't get their far-away papers for a week or longer. (That's not our fault, but it's hard to blame the Postal Service either, with all the address changes being made...)

If people forget to tell us they're coming back north, or for two or more copies they receive late after they leave the sunny south, the Postal Service sends the paper back to us — with a 30-cent handling charge. Some days we have a handful of these, other days more. They really add up — and the user should help us pay, we believe. So, in closing, please understand the additional dollars we ask for "distance" subscriptions go ONLY to cover extra costs, from higher Second Class Mail charges, to computer list expenses and on to those Form 3579 payments. We're happy to send your copy following you — but we wanted you to know what goes into it every week! (P.S. — Our office crew of Linda Fritz and Neila Collison do a GREAT job of keeping up with these comings and goings, and they deserve our thanks — as do Postmaster Marty Thiel's super crew at the Pigeon Post Office. And, we'll also thank list maker Neal Eichler for helping us keep it all running!)

WISH I'D SAID THAT — "Four-letter words are par for the COURSE!" (Karl Hertz)

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DNR AREA SHUFFLE COMING
Regional boundaries now governing operations of the state Department of Natural Resources are under review and may PLEASE TURN TO PAGE 24

As we see it editorially

There's REAL magic involved in fall!

There's a special something in the air each autumn, and it can't easily be analyzed and described in poems, pictures or prose.

Take the vast array of colors found on trees all around us here in Michigan's beautiful Thumb Area.

Certainly, the Creator of autumnal tree splendor had a marvelous sense of humor -- amidst his or her own wonder -- when it came time to give trees their last annual "fling."

That Creator's sense of humor provides us



FORE!

Convention time

By MAVIS PECHETTE

When you meet with people from other areas who share concerns with you, it tends to get you fired up all over again.

Some special projects were recognized. One of these is the Wilmot House in Ann Arbor. This four-bedroom house is located close to the University of Michigan Medical Center.

Another special project is "Camp Catch a Rainbow." This summer camp for children with cancer came about last summer by means of a grant from an individual.

Here, that was a common factor. Even the director of the camp, Jim McHale, had cancer. He and his staff provided these kids with a chance to enjoy outdoor activities and to know that they are not the only kid with cancer.

Mr. McHale and two campers attended our meeting, giving a good report and inspiring everyone to support the camp in the future.

A Cancer Response System has been established by the Michigan Division, ACS. People with questions may dial 1-800-ACS-2345, Monday-Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Huron County Unit received an award for increasing the number of people reached by educational programs. Sharon Maust is the chairman of this committee and has done a fine job presenting programs throughout the county.

The local Unit was also recognized for raising \$1.36 per capita. Thanks for that recognition go to many, many people. Crusade captains and volunteers they recruit in each township, city and village are saluted for their efforts.

Researchers presented a panel discussion and we saw films of projects at Michigan State University, University of Michigan and Wayne State University.

It was a timely irony that word of First Lady Nancy Reagan's surgery came during the meeting. That incident brought headlines that we had been hearing. Early detection is so important.

It takes a lot of people to make up the American Cancer Society. A national organization, it also operates at the state and local levels.

There are all kinds of statistics to show the progress being made. The important thing to know is "WE ARE WINNING!"

with one final chance to gasp at the marvel and beauty of trees exploding into thousands of colors -- rich reds, pinks, fire oranges, chocolate browns and dark tans and so many more.

The fact that stark greys, whites and blacks will next appear on those branches as winter rushes forward is forgotten amid the splendid beauty of autumn. That will come soon enough, and lasts too long anyway.

The Creator gives us a "natural fireworks" show unequaled on any July 4th or Labor Day. The beautiful glow of leafy trees, seen against crisp winds and blue skies, is unmatched by man's efforts anywhere on this earth.

Winter, in its own way, is beautiful too. Fields which recently held crops are now tilled and lined, perhaps planted with winter wheat which holds its own promise of another warm spring, summer and beyond.

It takes quite a humorous outlook to put together a worldwide show of leafy fall splendor. Iranian, Russian, Chinese, Japanese, Brazilian, Canadian and U.S. trees all bear witness to the Creator's paint brush -- and none can match the end result.

It's fall at its very finest...



From Under The Willow Sizing up Disney's World

By WANDA EICHLER

Dream of dreams, we spent several days at Disney World near Orlando, Fla. last week. Schoolwork and housework and work was interrupted since Dad had a convention to attend and Disney's dizziness was nearby.

I know that I'm going to burst bubbles and offend those of you who love Disney World, but in the words of the ever-immortal cliché, "It ain't all it's cracked up to be!"

"No lines in the fall! Come to Disney World and enjoy the attractions minus the crowds." Not true, friends. We stood in line for many of the major attractions and avoided the lines that were posted as 35-minute waits.

Constitutional bicentennial mania has overtaken Disney too. We thoroughly enjoyed the stage show "America," but were disappointed by the grand parade which are both fall features at the theme park.

What did we like about the park? We talked to families from Peru, Taiwan, Boston, Belgium and New Jersey. An amazing collection of people from all over the world come together at Mr. Disney's dreamland.

Willie and Liesl had the once-in-a-lifetime experience of riding a roller coaster with their mother, the world's greatest chicken when it comes to any kind of fair rides.

We'll probably go again with our kids and will definitely take the time to see Epcot Center on the next visit.

One last observation about Florida. While it looks like the weather is always great, we flew into Orlando the day that Hurricane Floyd was threatening.

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RECOLLECTIONS of By-Gone Days By GEORGE KEIM. Includes a small illustration of a horse-drawn carriage.

DEAR EDITOR: Oct. 14 was my father's birthday. He was born in Northern Indiana, close to Goshen, in 1867.

Dad used to tell me about his mother. She was a big woman, weighing over 250 pounds. Grandpa had a sawmill. He said she used to take a hook and roll the saw logs onto the saw carriage and run the carriage back and forth and saw the boards.

He farmed and worked at a lot of different jobs. Dad liked to read and he knew his Bible really well. He was a Sunday School teacher for many years. He could teach in German and English. He always saw to it that we children went to church.

Our readers write... Help with 'Clothe A Child' needed. DEAR EDITOR: It's that time of year again and the Bad Axe Interfaith Council's "Clothe A Child" project is well underway.

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Achievements

Mrs. Dawn Humphrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Witkovsky of Pigeon, has been named the new Telephone Counselor in the Individualized Degree Program (IDP) at Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant.



Diane C. Hill of Rochester, daughter of Clarence and Donna Osentoski of Pigeon, graduated from Oakland University on Sept. 20.

School menus

- LAKER SCHOOLS: Elementary alternate choices daily: ravioli, chicken nuggets, Secondary alternate choices daily: pizza, hamburger, ravioli, chicken nuggets. MONDAY: Hot dog on a bun. TUESDAY: Big Mac. WEDNESDAY: Cheesy pizza. THURSDAY: Oven-fried chicken. FRIDAY: Tuna croissant. CASEVILLE SCHOOLS: MONDAY: Chili, crackers or chicken noodle soup, bread and butter, ala carte: hamburger. TUESDAY: Hamburger or chicken sandwich, fries. WEDNESDAY: Ravioli, bread and butter, ala carte: hamburger. THURSDAY: Tacos or hot dogs, ala carte: hot dogs. FRIDAY: Grilled cheese or ham sandwich, corn.

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Kern to attend Michigan 'First Ladies' event

Elsie Kern of Bay Port, Huron County's "First Lady" in the Michigan 150 First Lady salute to volunteers, will be feted with other Michigan winners at an awards luncheon on Monday, Nov. 9 at 12 noon at the Clarion Hotel, Lansing.

REPORT OF CONDITION. Consolidating domestic and foreign subsidiaries of the Thumb National Bank & Trust Co. of Pigeon. In the state of Michigan, at the close of business on September 30, 1987.

Statement of Resources and Liabilities. Thousands of dollars. Cash and balances due from depository institutions: 2,134. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin: -0-. Interest-bearing balances: 16,278.

DEPOSITS: In domestic offices: 79,135. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs: -0-. FEDERAL FUNDS PURCHASED AND SECURITIES SOLD UNDER AGREEMENTS TO REPURCHASE IN DOMESTIC OFFICES OF THE BANK AND OF ITS EDGE AND AGREEMENT SUBSIDIARIES, AND IN IBFs: -0-.

Signature section for the Report of Condition, including Paul Schubert, Arthur Friedrich, and Nelson Bender as Directors.

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sports of the week

Lakers turn Hatchet mistakes into Homecoming win

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER The Laker football team made the visiting Bad Axe Hatchets pay dearly for mistakes as the home team posted a 33-13 homecoming victory last Friday night.

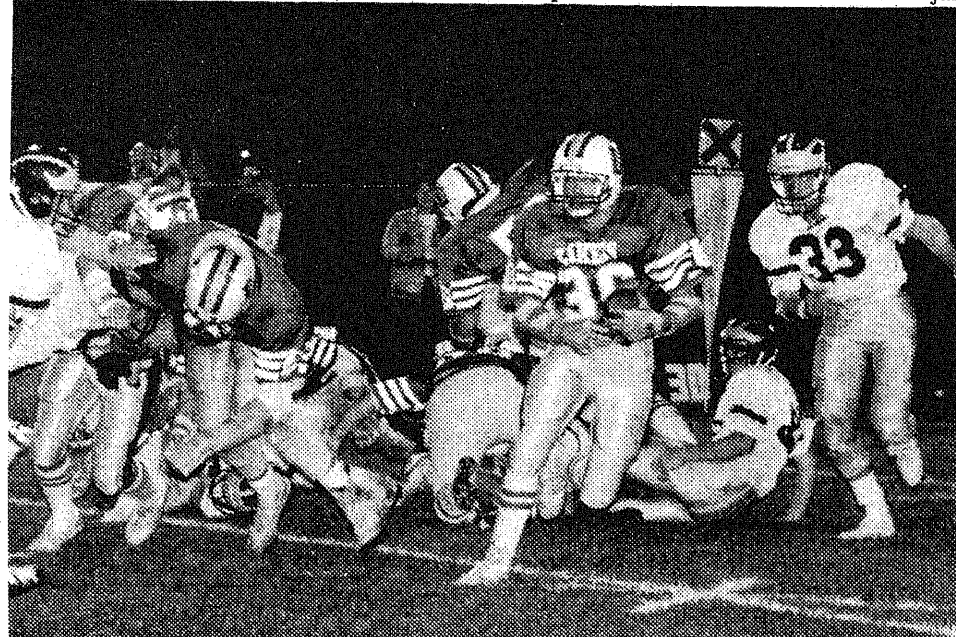
Axe 24-yard line at 3:20 of the first quarter. The second Laker scoring drive began just minutes later when Ed Bach recovered a Hatchet fumble near midfield. On the next play, Kel Hill scored on a 52-yard pass from Laker quarterback Jay Anthes with 12 seconds remaining in the opening period. Hill also set up the fourth Laker touchdown with a pass in-

terception at the Bad Axe 30-yard line in the fourth quarter. Dean Roestel and Shawn Parrish each scored two touchdowns for Lakers. Roestel crossed the goal line on a six-yard option pitch and later on a one-yard keeper as he replaced Anthes at quarterback late in the game. Parrish scored on a pair of two-yard runs. Bad Axe scored with just

over a minute remaining in the second quarter on a 13-yard pass from Joel Mesnard to Matt Grigg. They started the drive at the Laker 40-yard line after stopping the Green Machine on downs. That touchdown narrowed the Laker lead to 20-7 at halftime.

“You get this carnival atmosphere and you forget about playing football,” he said. In addition to capitalizing on Bad Axe mistakes, Lakers rolled up 332 yards in total offense compared to 147 by the Hatchets. STATS: Lakers rushed for 191 yards on the ground and Anthes completed five of nine passes for 101 yards. Roestel added 40 more yards through the air as he completed two of his four passes. Shawn Parrish was the leading Laker ball carrier with 97 yards.

all alone at the top of the league standings after Cass City upset Marlette last week. Although North Branch has won only two league games this season, McLellan says his team will not take the Broncos lightly. For the past few years the two teams have fiercely battled for the league title.



BREAKAWAY: Laker running back Shawn Parrish cuts behind the block of a teammate as he heads upfield against the Hatchets.

“The game plan kind of took a nosedive there. I don't know anybody that is going to hold them to one touchdown in a half and defensively they're solid,” he added. One bright spot for Bad Axe was the offense, Byrnes said. He noted his team's two touchdowns were the first points Bad Axe put on the scoreboard in his three years at Hatchet coach.

“I think both teams out there were less than enthusiastic. Last year both teams were so intense when we played over there that nobody could do anything,” observed Laker coach Bill McLellan after Friday's game. Byrnes also mentioned the difference in attitude in the two teams, but noted he made a conscious effort not to get his players to emotionally high for the game.

“We tried to come into the game with level heads and both feet on the ground. We didn't want to be flying all over the field and give something away because of being overly aggressive or frothing at the mouth,” said Byrnes. DISTRACTIONS: McLellan also pointed to many activities during Laker homecoming week which could have distracted his players.

VILLAGE QWIK-STOP "Pick the Pigskin" CONTEST in The Progress-Advance SEVENTH WEEK PIGSKIN WINNERS: WATCH FOR NAMES NEXT WEEK! FIRST: Wins \$10 in Gasoline SECOND: Wins 5 Lottery Tickets THIRD: Wins 8-Pak Pop

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ON TARGET: Laker receiver Jeff Sturm reaches for a pass which eludes the arms of a Bad Axe defender.

Lakers eye cage showdown with Broncos

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER A whopping 60-21 victory over Bad Axe by Laker girls' basketball team last Thursday set up a showdown between the two undefeated teams in the Thumb B Association.

Lakers and North Branch, both 5-0 in the Thumb B, will square off in the Laker gym on Tuesday night. The Broncos are currently ranked in the top ten teams in Class B with a 11-0 overall record. Lakers, which recorded its first defeat last Monday at Valley Lutheran, boasts a 10-1 overall mark.

HATCHETS AXED: Beachy's team nearly shattered the school defensive record of allowing only 20 points two weeks ago at Caro. Last Thursday, Bad Axe scored only seven points in the first half. They avoided becoming a notation in the Laker record book only by scoring seven points in the final minutes of the game to break the 20-point mark in the contest.

Schulz led all scorers in the game with 17 points and shared rebounding honors with Kranz with eight each. Penny Justin led Bad Axe scoring with nine points.

“You can only play on emotion about so long. It wears a little thin by the end of the game, and that's where games are won or lost,” observes Beachy. The game could well be a test of Laker quickness against the inside game of North Branch. Lakers will try to get the Broncos in a

running game, while the visitors will slow the ball down to take advantage of superior height in a starting lineup in which the shortest player is 5'7". COMING UP: After the showdown with North Branch on Tuesday, Lakers will host Cass City on Thursday.

JV scrimmage hones Eagle grid skills

Although the Caseville football team forfeited to Deckerville varsity last Friday, the young Eagle players gained experience in a scrimmage against the Deckerville junior varsity last Thursday.

Caseville coach Jim Burnor says 13 underclassmen played in the scrimmage against Deckerville, which had about 30 players on the sidelines. None of Caseville's seniors played in the scrimmage, he says.

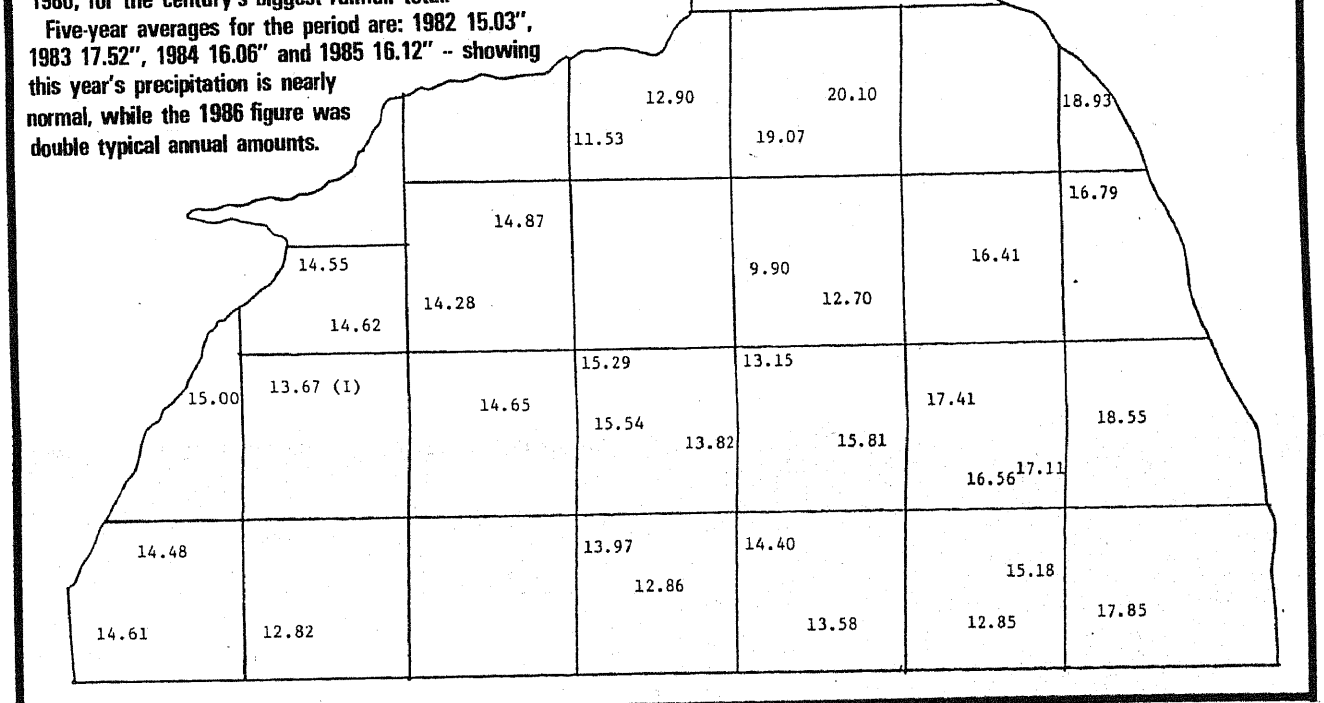
BALANCED SCORING: Another total team effort was displayed by Lakers as 10 players scored in the contest.

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'87 Huron rainfall totals HALF '86 amounts!

The Huron County Weather Reporting Network keeps track of rainfall levels at various places throughout the county, and shows these amounts from May to September, 1987, according to Jim LeCureux of the Cooperative Extension Service office in Bad Axe. Average rainfall this year for the five-month prime growing period shown is 15.13 inches of rain -- HALF the 28.07 inches reported for May-September, 1986, for the century's biggest rainfall total.



FIRST LOSS: A variety of factors played a role in Lakers 63-48 non-conference loss at Valley Lutheran. A dimly lit gym with a carpeted floor gave the home team an advantage even before the opening tip-off.

BAD BREAKS: Laker troubles started before the game when sub Marilyn Kranz became ill. Three minutes into the contest, forward Tracie Henne was hobbled with a twisted ankle.

Next week's game is still scheduled to be played. Burnor expects to have his entire roster of 16 players ready to play Peck next Saturday on the Eagle field.

Despite all those obstacles, Lakers stayed within striking distance of the winners. After opening a 14-11 first quarter lead, Valley Lutheran stretched the margin to 30-19 at halftime. Lakers pulled within five points in the third quarter but Valley Lutheran led the win with an 18-12 scoring advantage in the final stanza.

LEADERS: Buschlen led Laker scoring with 18 points, followed by Connie Schulz

Foster foils Eagles in girls' hoop contest

By RICH SWARTZENDRUBER For the second straight week, the Caseville girls' basketball took on one of the top teams in the North Central Thumb League — and came up short.

Eagle coach Pam Adler was encouraged by her team's performance despite a 43-34 loss at Akron-Fairgrove last Thursday.

Pigeon folks meet and visit in mid-October

By DOROTHY DIENER Mrs. Leta Dast of Midland was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dast. Also and Mrs. Tom Drabek were visiting for the week were sister Mrs. Walter Hartman. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Drabek and Gary, who were accompanied by Mrs. Walter Hartman, spent Sunday with Dan Drabek in Burton.

On Wednesday, the widows of St. John Lutheran Church in Kilmanagh met in their basement for a pot luck dinner. Reformation songs were sung and Psalms were read in unison. Reading and games were provided by the committee of Mrs. Ruth Krery and Grace Sinlay of Bay Port.

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GOOD DEFENSE: Caseville's Krista Colgin and Renee Simpson took turns shadowing Viking All-Stater Jennifer Foster in a box-and-one defense. The Akron-Fairgrove All-Stater still managed to net 21 points in the game to lead all scorers.

Thumb National Bank woman's basketball team dropped a 66-62 loss to Brissett's in Bay County Rec League play.

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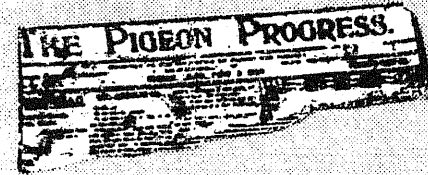
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The Past in Print...



90 YEARS AGO
OCT. 15, 1897
John A. McLean, Pigeon, has shipped five railroad cars of potatoes to outside markets so far this season. Our Pigeon barber, D.V. Derstine, is still laid up with that broken arm.
The Progress is still taking wood on subscriptions.
An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ribble died last week. The family lives near Elkton.
WANTED — Boy about 14 to take care of horses and do chores around hotel. Apply to G.B. Winter, Arlington House, Pigeon, ADV.
Otto Frenzel, Physician and Surgeon, Day Office, Main Street South, Pigeon. Office hours from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Night calls answered from residence, opposite cheese factory. Diseases of women and children a specialty. ADV.
Poles for the Moore telephone line have been

distributed nearly all the distance between Caro and Mayville.
80 YEARS AGO
OCT. 18, 1907
The State Railroad Commissioner has ordered the two railroads to get busy and erect a new depot at Pigeon. The depot and freight building are expected to be completed by December.
The barn and contents on the Emerson Thick farm in McKinley Twp. were destroyed by fire Wednesday forenoon.
Henry Fluegge, 49, Oliver Twp., passed away suddenly on Sunday. He is survived by his wife and 10 children.
John Kipfer, 43, Berne, died Tuesday. He leaves a wife and eight children.
George Sheldon, the genial meat dealer of Caseville, closed out his business recently. The village has an ordinance against peddlers of all kinds and her loyal

citizens have to walk beyond the village limits to catch a meat wagon or go without meat.
70 YEARS AGO
OCT. 12, 1917
Windsor Twp.'s big drive for the second Liberty Loan for the war effort will start at 9 a.m. Monday morning when blowing of whistles and ringing of bells will be the signal for 10 automobiles containing 40 enthusiastic solicitors to start from Pigeon.
William Stein, Albert Kleinschmidt, W.A. Schriber, E. Clabuesch and A.H. Sauer are committee members and it is hoped that Winsor's quota of \$50,000 will be raised by the close of the drive Wednesday evening. We owe it to our country and our brave boys fighting in France.
The Pigeon Red Cross chapter will give a chicken supper at Pigeon Town Hall next Thursday evening, starting at 5 p.m.
Pigeon Evangelical and English M.E. Churches will hold patriotic services Sunday evening and these should be well attended.
Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Leipprandt and family returned to Pigeon Tuesday after a few days' visit at Lansing.

The blacksmith shop of Daniel Fisher at Pigeon was destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. Two automobiles were also destroyed and loss is about \$800. No insurance.
Percy H. Brookins, 44, died in Flint. He was formerly a printer with The Pigeon Progress and later established The Owendale Herald and also served as postmaster at Owendale. He leaves a wife and three daughters.
50 YEARS AGO
OCT. 15, 1937
Mr. and Mrs. William Doepker, Pigeon, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at a family gathering Sunday at the home of their son George in Ferndale. They have four children, eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.
Mr. and Mrs. Sim Harder celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary Sunday at a family gathering at their home in Bay Port.
The congregation of Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon, honored their former pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. R. Praetorius, at a surprise gathering Wednesday afternoon for their golden wedding anniversary. After the church service, a dinner was served in the church basement. They have two children and two grandchildren.
The Pigeon Cooperative Elevator and Milling Assn. plant has been rebuilt and now has a storage capacity of 40,000 bushels, one of the largest and most modern in the Thumb. Henry Clabuesch has been manager since 1918. He is assisted by Alfred Roberts, Arnold Geiger, William Soldan, Walter Wachner, John Diener and Orie Christner.

president and Moses Rogers was named secretary. On Monday, for the second time in eight days, the proposal to increase the mill rate from 15 to 25 was defeated.
Mrs. William Steinman, 76, Pigeon, nee Mary Louise Damm, passed away Sunday. Besides her husband, she leaves a son and five daughters.
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John W. Dast, 75, passed away Oct. 12 in Pigeon. He is survived by his widow, a daughter and three sons.
10 YEARS AGO
OCT. 20, 1977
Dr. Clare A. Scheurer, 71, founder of Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, passed away Oct. 12. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, a son and nine grandchildren. Dr. Scheurer brought more than 2,500 babies into the world and saved countless lives.
His townfolk will remember his dedication, sense of humor, kindness and his medical ability. His presence will be sorely missed.
Mrs. Florence Gwinn Schluchter was presented a life membership in the Huron County Historical Society by its treasurer, Joseph Lamb, at a meeting of the group Thursday evening at Pigeon District Library. She was also commended for her current "History of Pigeon" which is being serialized weekly in The Progress - Advance.
Bay Port United Methodist Women held their annual autumn tea and bazaar Thursday at the W.H. Doerflinger home in Bay Port.
Rev. Luke Yoder, Bay Port, bishop and pastor at Pigeon River Mennonite Church, has been elected to the board of trustees of Eastern Mennonite College, Harrisonburg, VA.

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OCT. 19, 1967
Caseville High School

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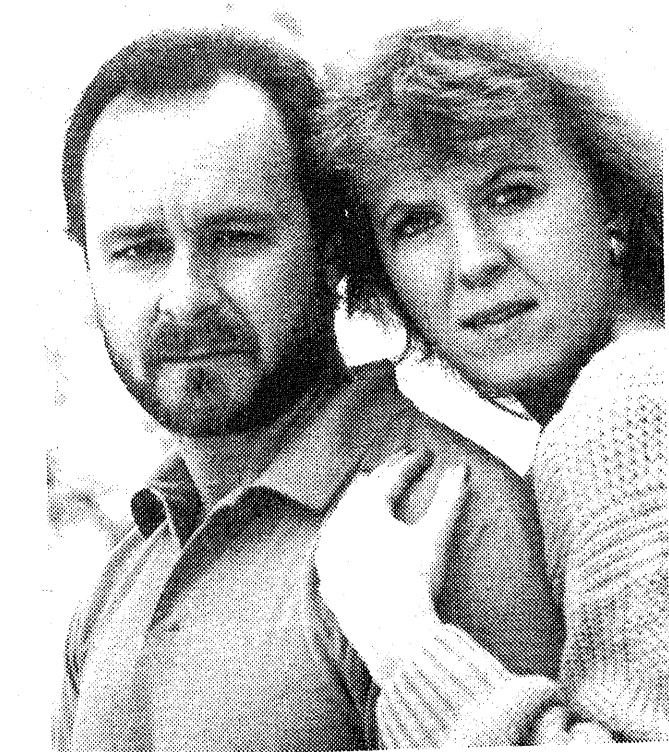
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Gardy - Sperry



Mr. and Mrs. George L. Gardy of Bay Port are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Eileen, to Kim Dale Sperry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sperry of Lansing. A Spring, 1988 wedding is being planned.

'Clothe A Child' benefit set

An afternoon of music and style is planned at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 8, at Laker Auditorium by Bad Axe Interfaith Council, according to Esther Epperson. Youth for Christ groups The public is invited.

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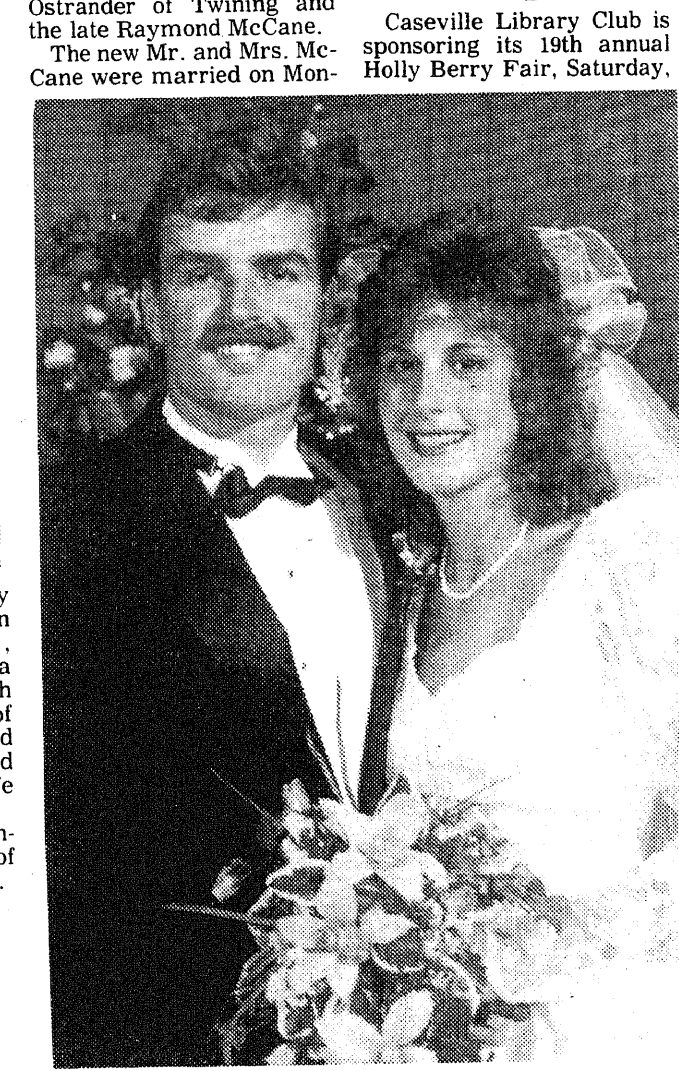
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Wanda Gremel weds Craig McCane

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gremel of Sebewaing announce the marriage of their daughter, Wanda Lou, to Craig Michael McCane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mick Ostrander of Twining and the late Raymond McCane. The new Mr. and Mrs. McCane were married on Monday, Aug. 24 at Candlelight Chapel, Las Vegas, Nev. Wanda is employed with Caro Family Dental Center as a dental hygienist and Craig is working toward a degree in business administration. They now reside in Reese.

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Holly Berry coming Nov. 7



Caseville Library Club is sponsoring its 19th annual Holly Berry Fair, Saturday, November 7, in Caseville School Gym, Caseville from 9-4. There is no admission charge.
Eighty exhibitors from all over Michigan will display and sell their crafts. Booths will include dolls and doll clothes, stuffed animals, macramé, candles, quilts and pillows, ceramics, stained glass, wreaths and flower arrangements, wooden crafts, leathers, goods, as well as china and tile painting, wood cuts and watercolors, and much, much more.
The Library Club will raffish a handmade quilt and 2 handcrafted dolls. Free cash drawings will be made at 11:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.
Doughnuts and coffee will be available in the morning and lunch will be served throughout the day.
Reservations for 1988 booths should be made at the Fair between 12:30 and 3:00 p.m.
It's a boy!
Mr. and Mrs. D.J. (Sandy) Holland of Bad Axe announce the birth of their son, Dalton Michael, on Oct. 6 at Bay Osteopathic Hospital, Bay City.
Dalton weighed 6 lbs. 13 oz. and measured 19 inches long.
Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Michael Greyerbiehl, Bad Axe. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holland, Pinconning and Thomas Post, Bay City.
Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Iseler and Mr. and Mrs. Les Greyerbiehl, all of Bad Axe.

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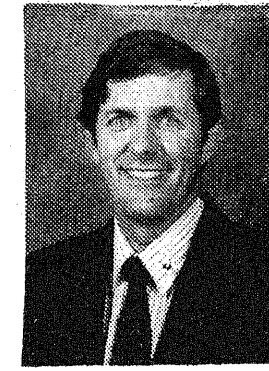
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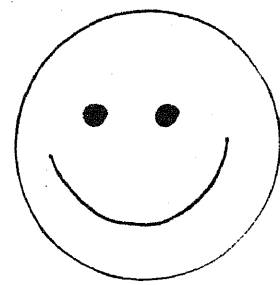
Something To Think About

JOHN A. CHAMPAGNE
DIRECTOR
PLANNING FOR A LOVED ONE

It should be plainly stated that there is nothing morbid or unethical about advance planning for the death of a loved one. Some people might feel that researching local funeral homes before the person has died or drawing up lists of what needs be done after death is ghoulish, or that it indicates an eagerness on the part of the heirs for the loved one to die sooner. Surely this is nonsense. If a person is clearly dying, why pretend otherwise? When death comes, the experience will be a difficult one, perhaps the most difficult ever encountered. Why not cushion the shock by arming ahead of time with the relevant contacts, the pertinent information, the knowledge of appropriate procedure, so that there will be less stress and confound one during a time of truly emotional trial? Although the effort to preplan may be difficult now, the benefits of such actions will later be heart-wrenchingly apparent.

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OCT. 21, 1943
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WELCOME TO ELKTON

"The Town With A Smile"

Business 'on the rise' in Elkton

The Elkton business district is busy planning Grand Openings and welcomes to several new business owners this week, with a special "Welcome to Elkton: 'The Town With A Smile' Sale."

Arnie and Dede Russell have handed the keys of their six-year-old laundromat "Suds Yer Duds" to Thumb Petroleum owner Dennis Yaroch and co-owner Arlice Lackie. Irma Slavick will be manager of the laun-

dry, which is running several Grand Opening specials now through Saturday, Oct. 24.

Thumb Petroleum is observing a Grand Opening this week in honor of its new retail store, offices and ex-

panded warehouse facilities. The former Elkton Lumber Company location was purchased by Thumb Petroleum owner Dennis Yaroch recently and his new building offers automotive supplies and bulk fuel delivery for farm, home and businesses.

He plans many in-store specials and refreshments of hot cider, coffee, donuts and Michigan-grown bean soup.

New owners Vern and Linda Zarnke of Knechtel's Market have set their Grand Opening for this week.

Customers are invited to register for many in-store prizes and take advantage of

A free foot clinic for persons with diabetes is planned from 1-6 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 11, at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

Appointments for these out-patient services will be given on a first-come, first-serve basis, officials say.

Sponsored by the Thumb Area Diabetic Advisory Council and the University of Michigan Diabetes Educa-

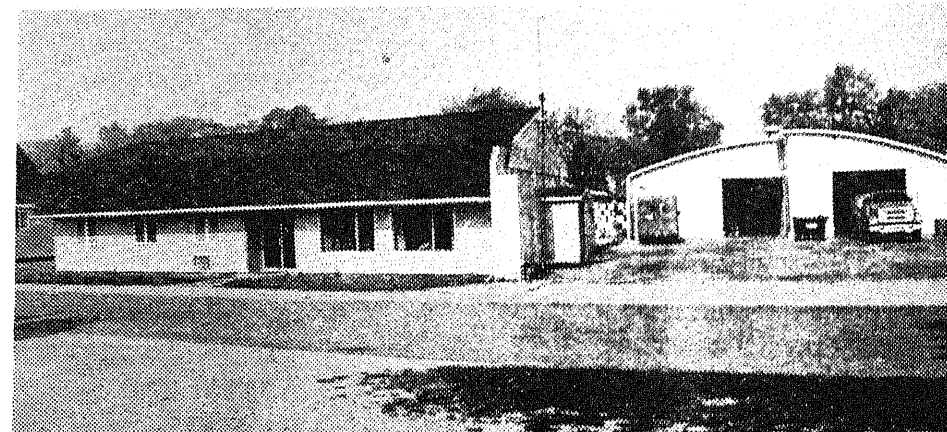
tion, Research and Training Center, the clinic will provide blood work, foot exams, assessments and recommendations.

No treatment will be initiated during this time, officials say.

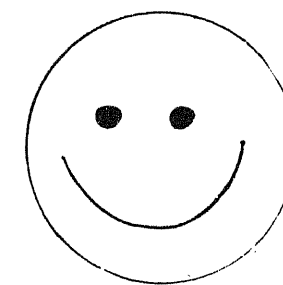
Interested persons should contact Huron Memorial Hospital's out-patient department at 269-9521 to make an appointment or for more information.



KEYS OF SUCCESS - Former Suds Yer Duds Laundromat owners Arnie and Dede Russell, at right, hand keys to new manager Irma Slavick, center, while co-owner Arlice Lackie, at left, looks on. Thumb Petroleum Service of Elkton and Kinde has acquired the laundromat, which the Russells began six years ago.



THE NEW HOME FOR Thumb Petroleum Service in Elkton is pictured here, with new warehousing facilities, a large inventory of auto supplies and bulk fuel delivery.



WELCOME TO ELKTON

"The Town With A Smile"

Historical societies meet in Sebawaing

About 50 members from six local chapters of the Huron County Historical Society attended the quarterly meeting in Old Heidelberg Inn, Sebawaing last Thursday evening, and received optimistic reports of summer activities.

The host Sebawaing chapter presented an official proclamation to Alfred E. Scheiwe for "his contributions to the living history of Sebawaing through teaching oral history and touching many lives through music." The proclamation was made by Chapter President Dave Eberlein.

HOLIDAY FETE: Tom Lenehan of Bad Axe reported on the coming Christmas program and dinner, slated for the Hitting Post in Elkton on Saturday, Dec. 5. Officers were re-elected, and as Sebawaing Chapter's program, a slide show was given on "A Dozen Decades of Progress," written by A.E. Scheiwe in 1973 for a Michigan Sugar Festival pageant.

REPORTS: Most chapter reports concerned projects and the public's response.

Members of the Pigeon Chapter reported on their remodeled Railroad Depot, which was dedicated June 21

and opened to visitors every Sunday.

More than 1,000 guests were registered and plans are being made for the coming year. A rummage sale and selling soft ice cream cones helped the chapter raise money. Among those from Pigeon were Al "Butch" Robinson, Jr. and Eleanor Trost.

Ralph "Bud" Boergert said that the Bay Port Chapter is negotiating for a site and building that would provide the community with a local museum.

Elkton's Chapter opened a restored log cabin to the public during the past summer, as reported by Leonard Bumhoffer, and between 350-400 visitors were registered. Dedication was held at Elkton's Harvest Festival.

For Sebawaing, Dave Eberlein reported that efforts are continuing to receive final approval and begin cleaning and restoring the old township hall, at the corner of South Center and Grove Streets.

The hall was built in 1877, and served as a township board chamber, meeting place, polling place, jail, band room and Scouts' and Jaycees' meeting place.

Tom Lenehan, reporting for Bad Axe Chapter, told of the successful historic tour of homes, which brought in \$1,800 in two days. He also told of Bad Axe's Log Cabin Village, which was open all summer for visitors and groups.

He described "working exhibits" which were demonstrated, particularly a nail-making process.

For the host chapter, Dave Eberlein told of the chapter's new community service award, to be granted annually. He told why A. E. Scheiwe was the choice as the first selection.

Clyde Letterman of Bach

Bean growers invited to meet

All bean growers of the Upper Thumb are invited to a meeting of Michigan Bean Growers at 8 p.m. next Thursday, Oct. 29, according to James Fuhrman of Port Hope.

The meeting, scheduled for Our Savior Lutheran Church, Bad Axe, involves the current low market price of Navy Beans.

A bean representative from NFO will be the speaker, and will explain a plan to block beans to bring up the price, Fuhrman says.

ELKTON 300 CLUB LATEST WINNERS:
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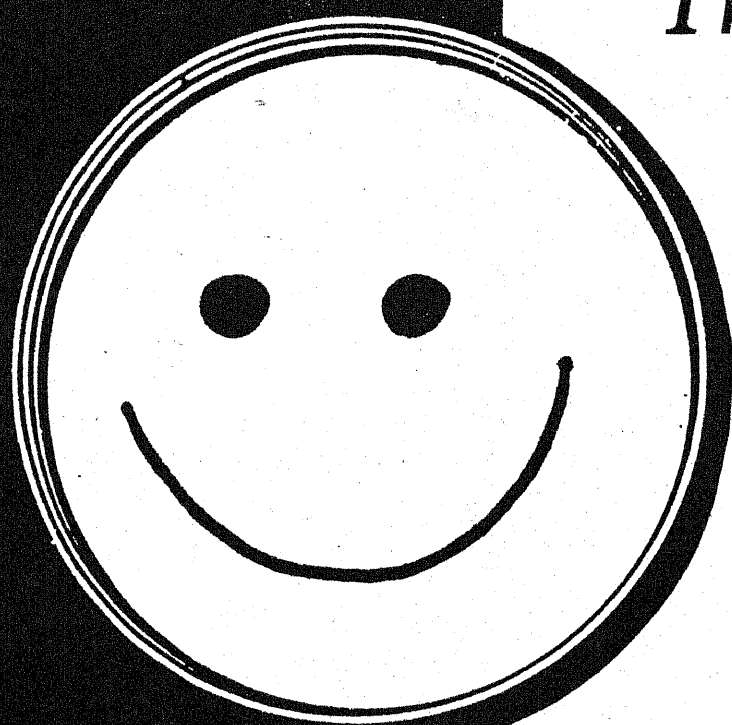
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BY PERCY ROSS

Thanks A Million

You may write to Percy Ross in care of The Progress-Advance, P.O. Box 35000, Minneapolis, MN 55435. Please include your telephone number with your letter.

DEAR MR. ROSS:
I was going to write a request, but my husband said absolutely not! He laughed and claimed your column is just a scam to see how many people will write in. Shame on you! — Mrs. O.D., Los Angeles, Calif.

DEAR MRS. D.:
Why would anyone in their right mind devise a scam to see how many desperate people would write? What purpose would it serve? Let me tell you about some of the letters I receive. Do you have any idea how many tragic, seemingly hopeless cases I hear about? Letters with pictures of disfigured, maimed people are the furthest thing from a "laugh" in my book.

Short of the companies which issue them, I see more bills for electric, gas and phone than anyone else I know.

There's the eviction notices, legal fees, failing businesses and bank foreclosures on the family home.

How about the pleas for consolidation of loans from the almighty credit card user turned abuser. They write, "If I could only get all my charges paid, then I could start anew, Mr. Ross." At what, I ask, "Charging?"

Or how about the illiterates who can't express their need because they lack the words. There are people out there who don't even know I'm available to help them because they can't read.

This is just a sampling of what has crossed my desk in the last two hours. It doesn't account for the thousands of single mothers on AFDC or the drug addicts on the street. The list goes on and on.

So I ask you, Madam, is my column a scam just to see how many people will write? I do what I do out of a love for humanity... I truly try to help people. If that seems absurd, then call me a fool. But a scam artist? Never!

DEAR MR. ROSS:
I'm writing to ask if you would supply a warm parka coat. It's for a young man who works out in the cold weather eight or more hours a day. He is a low-income earner and his old coat is not warm at all. It's so worn it can't last through another mending.

He needs something that will keep him warm against the wind-filled frozen tundra. Your help would be gratefully appreciated because this young man means so much to me — he's my brother — Mrs. L.D., Youngstown, Ohio.

DEAR MRS. D.:
Even if my check has to go through wind and rain, hail and sleet, your brother will have it by the end of this week!

DEAR MR. ROSS:
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WEDNESDAY NITE LADIES

GUYS and DOLLS

TUESDAY P.M. LADIES LEAGUE

THURSDAY NIGHT ROLLERS

PIZZA PIZZA

TY'S SUNDAY NIGHT ROLLERS

LAKE-CHANDLER

AG TOPICS SLATED FOR MEETINGS

POOL LEAGUE MEN'S MIDWEST As of Oct. 14

ELKTON THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES

Elkton Co-op	17 1/2
Knechtel's Market	15 1/2
Ty's Bowling	15
Ron's Party Store	12
G.W. Engine Repair	11
Elkton IGA	10
Video Spotlight	8
Bud's Bar	7

THURSDAY NITERS

Fink's Farm Equip.	19
Brighton Metal	18
J & B Pig.	17
Village Barber	17
Lee's Landscaping	16
Want Ads	15
Serenity House	15
Scheurer Hospital	14
Pigeon Telephone	14
Pigeon Inn	8
McCormick's	8
Country Charm	7

WEDNESDAY NITE LADIES

Haist Flowers	18 1/2
Cloud of Dust Ceramics	17
Varty's	16
Miller High Life	16
Village Qwik Stop	15
Damm's Inc.	14 1/2
Pigeon Auto Supply	14
Ralph's Tavern	13 1/2
Jay Den's	13
Bud Port State Bank	10 1/2
Bay Port Construction	10
Country Lane Video	10

GUYS and DOLLS

Christner-Henne	8
Gunden-Rapson	7
Beachy-Weidman	6
Elbing-Roestel	5
McCrimmon-Cusimano	5
Heintz-Hundersmarck	4
Dubs-Smith	3
Roestel-Strauch	3
Morin-Howe	3
Kretzschmer-Thiel	2
Dunn-Seemann	2
Dietzel-Swartzendruber	0

TUESDAY P.M. LADIES LEAGUE

Alley Cats	12
Four Spares	10
Unpredictables	7 1/2
Old-Timers	2 1/2

THURSDAY NIGHT ROLLERS

Pizza Pizza	8
Ty's	8
Video Spotlight	7
G.W. Engine Repair	7
H & R Block	6

LAKE-CHANDLER

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McBride and Marguerite Rodgers were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Elmer Laming and Eugene and Bob and Irene McBride at Standish.

AG TOPICS SLATED FOR MEETINGS

Area meetings on various agricultural topics will be held in coming weeks, according to Jim LeCureux, Huron extension agri cultural agent.

*Huron County Computer Group will meet at 7:30 pm Monday, October 26, in the Extension Office, Room 104, Huron County Building, to share and review software that has been obtained by club members.

*Thumb Sheep Breeders will meet at 7:30 pm Wednesday, November 4, in Sanilac County Career Center on Aitken Road, north of Peck. Prof. Margaret Benson, MSU sheep specialist, will be speaker. She will review the National Sheep Improvement Program and latest on pasture establishment and management.

POOL LEAGUE MEN'S MIDWEST As of Oct. 14

Colwood Bar	18
Ed's Bar	15
Ty's Lounge	15
George's Bar	12
Ralph's Bar	11
Pigeon Inn	10
Gagetown Inn	10
Bud's Bar	5

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GOOD YEAR

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P235/75R15	\$66 ¹⁰

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Computerized Spin Wheel Balancing \$5⁰⁰ per wheel

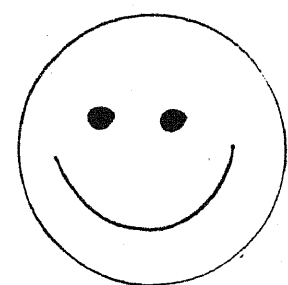
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GOOD YEAR



WELCOME TO ELKTON

"The Town With A Smile"

Thumb Area clubs stay busy as fall's cold breezes blow

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS
Chairman Mike Renn welcomed the 45 Elkton Senior Citizens at their weekly luncheon on Oct. 13. He asked Mildred Dietzel to give the table prayer.
Orville Eidt introduced his grandson David Eidt, pharmacist at Scheurer Hospital. He showed slides and explained the National Medication Awareness Test, which the club members participated in. He also talked about generic drugs and their "pros and cons."

Jill Hedley of the Elkton PTA told club members about the Santa Store Sale to be held at Elkton Elementary School in early December, aiding the children in learning to buy Christmas gifts. She asked for volunteer help from the group, to assist the teachers in this project. She suggested donations of homemade articles which the children can buy.

The business meeting followed with Della Trudgen reading the past minutes and Fern English giving the September treasurer's report. The Birthday Song was sung for Bill Moran and Frank Rinnert.
A card was signed for Mae Cootie, who had eye surgery. A letter of appreciation was read from Mark and Sally Rummel.

The club will meet Wednesday, Oct. 21 at the Bad Axe Meal Site, before going to the fairgrounds for a brief meeting, followed by a tour of the jail. Members are asked to bring their own table-setting.
RUSH LAKE FARM BUREAU
"Farmowners Insurance" was the discussion topic, led by Opal Duffy, when the Rush Lake Farm Bureau group met with Mr. and Mrs. William McBride Thursday evening. Seven members enjoyed a planned potluck harvest dinner.
Mona McBride led the group in the Pledge to the Flag. The Fun Sheet was led by Opal Duffy.
The November meeting will be in the William Ballagh home.

be with Dolores Lukasiak. Lola Tropea will have the program.

Scheurer Hospital Care List

Patients in Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon on Monday, Oct. 19:

PIGEON: Mrs. Lee (Lana) Gascho, Master Gregory Yackie, Willis Yackie, Orvin Yordy, Mrs. Harold (Marion) Laskie, Mabel Clark, Mrs. Charles (Beatrice) Robinson.
SEBEWAING: Martha Schnepf.
BAD AXE: Robert Running.

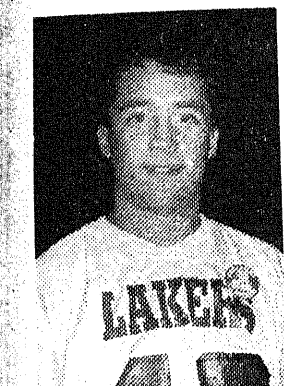
CASEVILLE: Ethel Huntington, George Liska.
BAY PORT: April Sting.
OWENDALE: Mrs. Don (Karen) Weisenbach.
ELKTON: Shirley Chiotti.
PORT AUSTIN: Rose Copeland.

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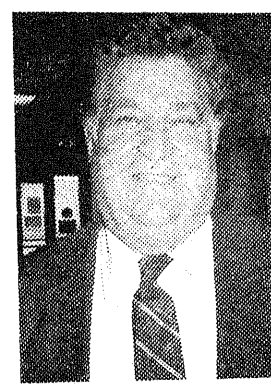
We're Asking YOU....



THIS WEEK'S "WE'RE ASKING YOU" QUESTION, ASKED BY RENEE BUSHEY AND KRIS MCBRIDE:
If you were given one extra day with no plans or anything you HAD to do, how would you spend it?



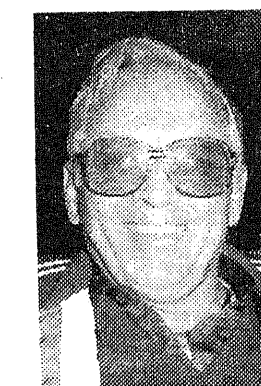
Have a party with Jeff S., and invite Kris and Renee.
Chris Deering
BAY PORT



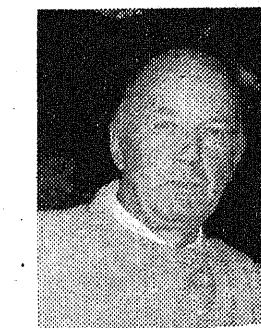
I would go golfing.
Les Shetler
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Playing with my friends.
Hayley Herford
PIGEON



I'd go up north and probably just get lost.
Bob Fluegge
PIGEON



On a desert island enjoying sea breezes and looking at bikinis.
Jim Kohl
BAY PORT

Minutes Of The Regular Meeting Of The Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Board Of Education, October 12, 1987

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. in the Laker Junior High School library by President Bruce Baur. Members present: Paul Clabuesch, Yvonne Bushey, Virginia Leipprandt, James Clabuesch, Dr. Lockard, and Bruce Baur. Members absent: J. Sidney Smith.

A motion was made by Yvonne Bushey, seconded by Virginia Leipprandt accepting the constant agenda. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Paul Clabuesch, seconded by Yvonne Bushey to accept the amended operating budget for the 1987-88 school year. This action was in compliance with the Headlee Amendment and the truth-in-taxation hearing. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Virginia Leipprandt, seconded by Paul Clabuesch to retain the firm of Luce, Basil and Associates to represent the school district in collective bargaining proceedings. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Yvonne Bushey, seconded by Virginia Leipprandt establishing a fee charge for outside groups that use high school athletic fields for games. All games will be coordinated through the athletic director. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Virginia Leipprandt, seconded by Yvonne Bushey requesting letters of commendation be sent to high school principal, James Ballard in recognition of his being elected President of the Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals. The Board also recognized Don Wheeler for being elected President of the Vocational Technical Education Association. Motion carried.

Beth Ann Henry, President of the Laker High School Council reviewed the 1987-88 goal and objectives for this year's Laker Student Council.

A motion was made by Yvonne Bushey, seconded by Virginia Leipprandt to adjourn at 10:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
James H. Clabuesch, Secretary - Board Of Education

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State Farm dividend released

State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co. will distribute \$30.9 million in dividends to an estimated 963,500 Michigan customers. The dividends will be approximately 14.1 percent of each individual's semi-annual premium and will be paid or credited over a six-month period, beginning Nov. 1.

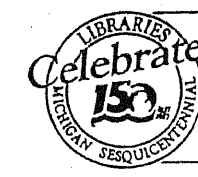
State Farm Mutual authorized the dividend program for customers in Michigan because overall income exceeded anticipated claim costs in the state. Michigan is one of 20 states where State Farm Mutual policyholders are sharing a total of more than \$201 million in dividends.

Hospital offers CPR

Scheurer Hospital will offer a basic Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Course beginning Tuesday, Nov. 3 at 7:30 p.m. in the hospital conference room.

The class will meet for two consecutive weeks for 1½ hours each session. It is open to anyone 12 years of age and older. A fee will be charged for the class, which includes the latest basic CPR manual.

For more information and to register, contact the Scheurer Hospital Community Relations Department at 453-3223.



Pigeon District Library News & Notes

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

Children may dress up for the Tuesday, Oct. 27 Preschool Story Hour at the Pigeon District Library.

The children will participate in exercises, fingerplays and a game and will listen to stories "Grinkles a Keen Halloween Story" and "Harriet's Halloween Candy."

An eight-minute film "Band Concert" will be viewed. The children will have a Halloween treat and take-home project.
Children from age three to five are invited to attend either the 9 or 10:30 a.m. session. A registration fee of \$5.00 per family is charged each year.

ADULT COFFEE HOUR SUMMARY

The Adult Coffee Hour on Tuesday, Oct. 13 featured "Fitness and Total Health" by Joyce Troyer of the Mental Health Department of Huron County.

Twenty-five adults attended the two separate sessions. Mrs. Troyer discussed the benefits of physical exercise and its relationship to one's emotion state. She says that exercise helps to break the daily dullness and restores needed energy to love and care for one's family.

Depression can also be broken by exercise, she adds. It improves muscle tone and helps alter one's metabolism, making skin more elastic.

She recommends the books "Women Coming of Age" and "Jane Fonda's

New Workout and Weight Loss Program," both by Jane Fonda, and available at the Pigeon District Library.

CHILDRENS' BOOK WEEK

The Pigeon District Library will celebrate Children's Book Week with a "Book Bingo" and "Balloon Launch."

During the three weeks of Nov. 2-21, each child from kindergarten through eighth grade will be encouraged to read at least three books. Children may come in Nov. 2-7 to begin their "Bingo Page."

TOYS DONATED

A special thank you to Mrs. David (Kathy) Eichler of Pigeon for donating the following Tupperware to the Pigeon District Library: Book Worm Toy, "Shape-O," Tupper Canoe, Zoo-It-Yourself, Stencil Art and a Train.

Mothers, if a toy piece gets broken, please return the piece so that the library can have them replaced.

HALLOWEEN

Halloween is celebrated Oct. 31. Here's a little song for you to sing:

On the twelfth day of Halloween my true love gave to me, 12 witches cackling, 11 masks a-leering, 10 ghouls a-groaning, nine ghosts a-booming, eight monsters shrieking, seven pumpkins glowing, six goblins gobbling, five scary spooks, four skeletons, three black cats, two trick-or-treaters and a screech owl in a dead tree.



Pigeon

Firemen's Party

Thursday Evening
November 5, 1987
Pigeon VFW Hall
8:00 p.m.
Donation \$2.50

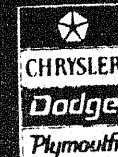
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"Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."
—Matthew 11:28

He who is slowest in making a promise is most faithful in its performance.
—Jean J. Rousseau

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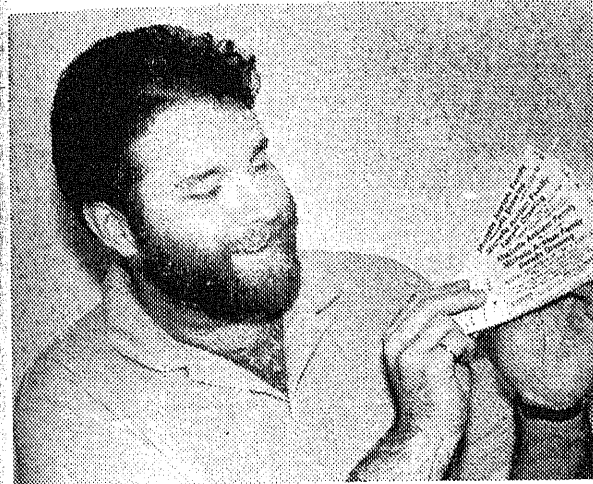
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Fr. Bernard Skornia
Saturday Evening Mass 8 p.m.
Sunday Masses 8 and 10 a.m.
Weekday Masses 8:15 a.m.
Confessions Sat.-5:30 p.m.</p> | <p>KILMANAGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Jeffrey Maxwell
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.</p> | <p>FAITH BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Lynn A. Randall
Corner M-25 and Haist Road
Sunday Service 11 a.m.
Morning Preaching 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week 7 p.m.</p> | <p>ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SAND POINT
Fr. Mark Jenkins
Sunday Worship 9 a.m.</p> | <p>PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH
Luke Yoder, Pastor
Kenneth Dietzel, Associate Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Evening Bible Study 7 p.m.</p> | <p>COMMUNITY WESLEYAN CHURCH
YORK STREET, ELKTON
Pastor DeWeerd Smith
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.</p> |
| <p>ST. ROCH CATHOLIC CHURCH, CASEVILLE
STARTING MEMORIAL DAY:
Saturday Mass: 8:00 a.m.
Sunday Mass: 8 & 11 a.m.</p> | <p>OWENDALE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Zina Bennett
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.</p> | <p>CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, CASEVILLE
Pastor Rev. Burt Phelps
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.</p> | <p>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, BAD AXE
Pastor David Dively
Service 10 a.m.
Nursery Provided
Sunday School 11 a.m.</p> | <p>CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON
American Lutheran Church
Raymond E. Orth, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Jonathan Stern
Holy Communion First Sunday of the Month
Sunday Service 9 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.</p> | <p>ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BERNE
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Philip K. Press
Sunday School 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Holy Communion On The First Sunday of the Month
FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
210 W. Butler Street
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Rev. Dann Keen
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.</p> |
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Rev. John N. Hamilton
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Nursery 10:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.
Bible Study 6 p.m.</p> | <p>GAGETOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Zina Bennett
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT
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1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Prayer Service
"Child Emphasis Day"
3rd Sunday Each Month
Crafts 9 a.m.
Junior Church 10 a.m.</p> | <p>KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES - BAD AXE
Sunday 10 a.m. Public Bible Discourse 11 a.m. Congregational Study Of "The Watchtower"</p> | <p>TRINITY EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELKTON
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Paul Schleis
Church Service 10 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Holy Communion On The First Sunday of The Month</p> | <p>ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LINCOLN
Missouri Synod
Rev. Randall P. Schultz
Vacation Bible School July 13-17
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Saturday Worship 7:30 p.m.</p> |
| <p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. Gordon W. Nusz
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
Nursery Provided.</p> | <p>ELKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. James Kummer
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Jr. High & Sr. High Youth 6 p.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.</p> | <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE
5 Mile South of Elkton
Elder Tom Craig
Early Morning Worship 9:45 a.m.
Church School 10 a.m.
Preaching Service 11 a.m.</p> | <p>ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP
Pastor James S. Miller
Sunday Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.
Located 1 1/2 Miles North Of Caseville On M-25 (In New Building)</p> | <p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH, CASEVILLE
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Rev. Phillip K. Press
Sunday School 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Holy Communion On The First Sunday of the Month</p> | <p>ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LINCOLN
Missouri Synod
Rev. Ray R. Ohlendorf
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BACH
Rev. Eric A. Lambert
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Communion First and Third Sunday</p> |
| <p>METHODIST CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Rev. Lawrence Brook
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
Wednesday Mid-week Service 7 p.m.</p> | <p>HORSESHOE ACRES CALVARY CHURCH, BAD AXE
Rev. Stewart L. Joslin
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m.</p> | <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, SEBEWAING
Elder Dennis Herbert
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.</p> | <p>FAIRHAVEN COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH
Rev. Wayne J. Keim
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m.</p> | <p>ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Martin Hagenow
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH OF BAD AXE
Pastor Rick Oltz
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Adult Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
CHRISTIAN LEADERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
On Filion Road
Pastor Prv. James Brazell
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.</p> |
| <p>SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. Timothy Hastings
Church School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-week Service 7 p.m.</p> | <p>ASSEMBLY OF GOD - BAD AXE
Rev. Daniel Meddough
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.</p> | <p>REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, CASEVILLE
Elder Dennis Herbert
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass: 10:00 a.m.</p> | <p>MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE CHURCH, PIGEON
Herbert Troyer, Pastor
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.</p> | <p>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Missouri Synod
Rev. Martin Hagenow
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BACH
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
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Over \$1,000 raised for Anklam Benefit

The Pigeon community is pulling together to raise money for the Shelly Anklam Benefit Fund, and funds are coming in even faster than anticipated, organizers say.



Shelly Anklam, a 15 year old victim of Crohn's Disease, an inflammatory bowel disease, is the daughter of Karen Anklam of Pigeon and Clark Anklam of Phoenix, Ariz. She has a sister, Lisa, age 17, a senior at Laker High School, where Shelly is a sophomore.

The Benefit Kick-off was Homecoming Week-end, when homemade Bean Soup was sold in the downtown area, then at the Laker Homecoming Football game. According to organizer Bill Esch, over \$1,070 was raised from the sale of the soup.

Another on-going fundraiser is the sale of benefit drawing tickets. Over 4,000 tickets are presently in circulation and money is constantly being turned in.

"There's no problem selling these tickets," says Jim Hartman, a friend of the Anklam family and a fellow EMT. "People WANT to help them out."

Shelly's family, including both sets of grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Anklam and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Renn, all of Pigeon, plus numerous aunts and uncles have been very active with fund-raising.

The effort is expected to continue well into the new year, as the community pulls together to help the Anklaams pay many out-of-pocket expenses resulting from Shelly's illness.

60 SECONDS A joyful reunion

READ LUKE 15:17
And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing.
LUKE 15:5
Because she lost her memory after being beaten and robbed, a frightened "bag lady" wandered shoeless and hungry in Miami Beach for three years until she was reunited with her brother.

When he at last learned where she was, he flew from Oxford to identify his sister and take her back home to England.

"She's been through a nightmare," he said, "but it was an extremely happy reunion."

In a similar way Jesus speaks about the joy that God has when a lost sinner is found.

There is also great joy and relief for the sinner, knowing that God forgives and accepts him.

Because "all we like sheep have gone astray" and are now found, our joy is in Jesus, the Good Shepherd, who came to seek and to save the lost.

Left to ourselves, we would be helpless and hopeless.

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GRACIOUS FATHER, help us to trust that through Jesus we have Your forgiveness. Fill us with the joy of Your salvation. AMEN.

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