The next time you see a Veteran...

In a telephone conversation with a man at a Veterans of Foreign Wars post, a paternalistic statement the man made broke my heart.

"There are a lot of us veterans," he said, "and I know we are a drag on the budget."...
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Kosinski - Swartendruver

The Progress Advertiser — Wednesday, November 11 to Tuesday, November 17, 1987

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kosinski

Girl Scout Outlook

The 1987-88 year of Girl Scouting in the Pigeon area is well underway, according to two Girl Scout troops in Pigeon.

Mrs. Wolford named "honorary resident"

Lake-Chandler news items

Ropp - von Nus

Engaged

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Pigeon news

If you would like a Pigeon, please send your name, address, and phone number to the Pigeon News editor at P.O. Box 37, Pigeon, MI 49770.
Sunday, Nov. 22
1:00 to 4:00
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Win a
Automobile
During The Pigeon Christmas
Car Give-Away! Win A
Chance Every Week. Final
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Every time you spend money at
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Tickets for the kick-off drawing
will be available only on Sunday
from 1 to 4. Following the first
drawing, tickets will be given out
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stores! The lucky winners each week
will have a chance to win the car.
Every week you have new
tickets, a new chance to win!

DOUBLE your tickets, DOUBLE your chance
to win the car! Friday, Nov. 27
is "THANKSGIVING" DAY. You'll receive
DOUBLE the tickets for shopping
in Pigeon, Friday only!

Area school lunch menus
Week of Nov. 19-23
CASEVILLE SCHOOL
MENUS: Ham or chicken sandwich, salad, potato.
SUNDAY: Stuffed or hot
dinner. Pies, fruit.
MONDAY: Meatloaf, green
tomatoe, green beans, roll or
green salad.
TUESDAY: Chicken salad,
vegetable or tomato soup,
scratch, roll or pie.
WEDNESDAY: Ham and
egg, baked potato, roll.
THURSDAY: Spaghetti,
meatball, roll or pie.
FRIDAY: Chicken salad,
vegetable or tomato soup,
scratch, roll or pie.

LAKER SCHOOLS
MENUS: French food
HAMBURGER, Friday.
SATURDAY: Spaghetti.
SUNDAY: Meatball, roll
or pie.
MONDAY: Chicken salad,
chicken or pie.
TUESDAY: Seafood,
chicken or pie.
WEDNESDAY: Ham and egg,
Scratch, roll or pie.
THURSDAY: Spaghetti,
meatball, roll or pie.
FRIDAY: Chicken salad,
chicken or pie.

CROSS LUTHERAN
MENUS: Meatloaf and
egg, baked potato, roll.
SUNDAY: Meatball,
green tomatoe, roll.
MONDAY: Fish and
egg, baked potato, roll.
TUESDAY: Fish and
egg, baked potato, roll.
WEDNESDAY: Fish and
egg, baked potato, roll.
THURSDAY: Spaghetti,
meatball, roll or pie.
FRIDAY: Ham and
egg, baked potato, roll.

New fire hydrants
for Pigeon
DIGGING DEEP: Those Pigeon SWP members who did "water work" set out for them is exploring 11 unlined fire hydrants throughout the Village of Pigeon.

The project is still being completed, looking bome began last Thursday. Stone was placed to expand porches of Pigeon several homes, and both Pigeon Elementary School and Cross Lutheran School had its 1000 miles.

Pigeon Village Clerk John Hennius estimates that some of the construction has been added to the 1920s and more bulky in need of replacement.

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Wednesday
November
11

This year, 69 years later, America and the world will again observe the end of hostilities of what had been the bloodiest years in history. In one battle along the Somme River, more than 100,000 British and the same number of Germans died every night for 4 nights, and when it was over, the front line had shifted less than 500 yards.

Since the United States was founded in 1787, nearly 40 million war participants have served their country. In those 2 centuries, 1,081,000 died while doing their part to preserve liberty in this country and around the world.

Since World War I, American participation has expanded tremendously in conflicts around the world, the cost paid by Americans for their role as world champions of liberty and freedom.

During World War II, 4,75 million Americans served, 116,000 died. In World War II, 16.53 million served, 406,000 met their deaths. The Korean Conflict saw 6.8 million in service, 55,000 died, and in Vietnam, 9.8 million were in uniform, and 47,000 did not return.

Americans can never honor enough those millions who served and the more-than-one-million who did, for they were ready when the call came.

To them, all Americans owe a debt of liberty.

So, this Wednesday, at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month, pause, observe one moment of silence and breathe a prayer of thanks that you are permitted to live today in this wonderful land of the free, and home of the brave.

SPONSORED BY THESE VETERANS' GROUPS:
They Combine Home and Business

For fun and profit!

By SALLY HUMMEL

While a majority of women have the option of staying home every day to take care of their families, it is not always easy to find an income-producing job that suits their needs. Working at home can be challenging, but it is not impossible. Here are a few tips to help women combine their family commitments and their career.

1. **Identify Your Strengths:** Think about the skills you have that can be turned into a business. This could be anything from cooking to crafting. Identify what you're good at and how you can use it to start a business.
2. **Create a Business Plan:** Before starting any business, it's important to have a plan in place. Consider what you need to start, how you will manage your time, and what your goals are.
3. **Seek Support:** Don't be afraid to ask for help. Whether it's from friends, family, or local business associations, there are resources available to help you start your business.
4. **Stay Flexible:** Running a business from home can be challenging, especially with kids. Be flexible and be willing to adapt to any changes that come your way.
5. **Take Care of Yourself:** While working from home, it's easy to get caught up in your work. Make sure to take breaks and take care of your physical and mental health.

By following these tips, women can combine their family and career commitments while still enjoying the benefits of working at home.

MELANIE AND JOEL, LEOPOLDOTTI at Pigeon Forge found their home-based Amway business to be one of their best sources of income.

Senior Citizens News, notes

ELKTON SENIORS

Christmas White Dinner

Details for the next Senior Dinner are as follows:

- Date: December 17
- Time: 5:00 pm
- Location: Elkton Community Center

All seniors are welcome to attend. The dinner will include a variety of traditional Christmas dishes, and there will be a raffle for door prizes.

The Bandit

At The Bella Vista

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We are continually urged to attend our House of Worship, any one of us with the wisdom to realize that we need a higher source of comfort and guidance than we can obtain on earth will take this advice. However, when we listen we learn there are of little value unless we carry them with us and put them into practice the other six days of the week. This can be done in many little ways which are unnoticed importance, like holding a door open for someone, or thanking the person who does it for you. Or stopping to help someone who has just dropped an armful of packages. Or just being polite and civil to everyone. Doing these things can start a chain reaction of good humor and can even help you bring yourself out of a depressed mood. The Bible tells us “use the neighbor”, and these everyday acts of kindness must surely be included in this Scriptural mandate.

THE LESSONS OF OUR FAITH SHOULD BE TAKEN HOME WITH US

KIDS RAISE MONEY — PASTOR JUMPS!

60 SECONDS
THE ENEMY IN OUR MIDST
READ THE PARABLE

Now over the path of the little gardener, two men, Prosper and Liz. In another quarter of the field the gardener is standing, watching with interest as Prosper and Liz walk past him. The gardener is not sure what to do. He has never seen anything like it before. He is curious, but also a little scared. He wonders what will happen next. Will Prosper and Liz get caught? Will they be punished? The gardener is not sure, but he knows he will have to make a decision.

The gardener decides to take action. He approaches Prosper and Liz andaco...
November Farm Notes:

Two important things to remember:

1. A CORN-Y MESSAGE

This has been said before, but it’s worth repeating. FAST SERVICE MEANS MORE PROFIT FOR YOU... AT Co-op Elevator you get fast unloading, so you can get back to your fields in a hurry. If you’ve got the corn, we’ve got the capacity.

2. a REMINDER...

You’ll be glad next spring. If you purchase and apply your Potash this fall. Fertilizer is a good investment, giving you the highest return of investment, giving you the highest return of investment, giving you the highest return of investment. Applying Potash now, almost any farm input. By applying Potash now, almost any input into the moisture zone, you’re putting it down into the soil, and you’ve got the spring start and early maturity for your 1988 crops.

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ELEKTON MONDAY

MEN'S LEAGUE

Name

John Shivers

Barry Black

Don Barlow

Ray Cohen

Bill Cohen

Tommy Towns

Eugene Skidmore

Jim Bledsoe

Privy Tuesday's Ladies League

Name

Jane Johnson

Sue Smith

Mary Brown

Jean Taylor

Linda Jones

Jeanine Davis

Carol Anderson

Pat Anderson

Bee Johnson

Pigeon briefs

Recently Ella Mae Kaufman, amışka and widow of Bertha Kaufman of New Harmony, IL, was presented with a platinum ring and a diamond by the Ovalien Merit Foundation, a group dedicated to giving recognition to Hollywood professionals who have served in the National Guard or Reserves. Additionally, Ella Mae's son, Bill Kaufman, served in the Army during World War II. The ring was presented in honor of Ella Mae's contribution to the military. The Pigeon News team works hard to bring you the latest news and updates on local events. If you have any information or stories you would like to share, please feel free to contact us.

Pigeon news

The Pigeon News is the local newspaper serving the Pigeon Valley area. We cover news, events, and other important information for the community. If you have any questions or would like to contact us, please feel free to call or visit our website.

SOUND-OFF!!

Phone 453-2233

WELCOME to Pigeon Valley.

When you decide to move to Pigeon Valley, you're making the best decision you can make. THIS DECISION is one of the most important decisions you will ever make. We're excited to have you as a part of our community.

We're asking YOU....

This week's question: "What do you think of the current state of the world?" Submit your thoughts on our website or in the newspaper.

We're also asking for your opinion on the current state of the school system. Submit your thoughts on our website or in the newspaper.

Are you happy with the current state of the local economy? Submit your thoughts on our website or in the newspaper.

If you have other questions or stories you would like to share, please feel free to contact us.

Thank you for being a part of our community.

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seventh graders had passing scores, nearly unchanged from 86.4% in 1996. And, 92.1% of seventh graders had 75-79% scores in reading.

10TH GRADE: Laker High

Coordinator Duanie Guest's report showed 69% of sophomores passed the math portion of the state tests, down from 76%, last year. Another 27% earned 50-70% scores.

In reading, 86% of Laker 10th graders passed the state test, up 11% had 50-79% scores.

LAND VALUES: The Board and administration Monday night discussed possible state equalized land values for the 1988-89 school year. Business Manager Bob Drury has been in touch with Huron County Equalization Director Sandra Drews, who says a 12-month study of land sale transactions will be used to judge property values.

The Laker District has lost an estimated $30 million in county area values in two years. Drury said the direction of such values is unknown, but no drastic decline is seen this year.

Drury says a "zero" increase for all categories is possible, but there will likely be no residential value rises like last year's Pigeon Village and shoreline lots.

No definite answer is expected from Equalization workers until February, Drury says.

NEW FINANCING: Laker Superintendent Larry Brunet updated the Board on the money alternative to property tax funding now being discussed in Lansing, to support state schools equitably.

He said property taxes should no longer be used, and a 2% sales tax is the most-discussed method of inter-state school funding.

But, he cautioned, most plans include an 18-mill property tax assessment on agricultural and residential land, 23 mills on industrial property — and up to seven more voted mills for extra programs.

This, with the 2% sales tax rise, is far higher than Laker taxpayers now are spending.

Brunet called the past year "a year of stagnation" in taxing matters, since no progress has been made in restructuring the system. And since 1988 it is an election year, he doubts any substantive change will come in time.

The Laker Board is still planning to add at least seven years — through 2003 — to the present District. The last seven years — through 1999 — will be focused.

The Board has not decided on the exact number of years. The financial plan is now being prepared by consultants.

Veterans Day

Veterans and their family members will be honored throughout the Huron County area with special programs and ceremonies.

This year, the Laker football team will be honored with a special parade and ceremony at 11 a.m. Monday, Nov. 11, at Pigeon High School. The ceremony will feature the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce, local veterans, and other guests.

The ceremony will begin with a parade of veterans and their families in military uniforms, followed by a brief ceremony at the school. Local officials and community leaders will speak, and a moment of silence will be observed.

Following the ceremony, there will be a special luncheon for veterans and their families at the school's gymnasium. The luncheon will feature a keynote speech by a local veteran, who will share his experiences and offer words of encouragement.

The event is open to the public, and members of the community are encouraged to attend and show their support for our country's veterans.

The next meeting of the Board will be on Monday, Dec. 12, at 6 p.m. at the Huron County Courthouse.

Huron County Circuit Court Judge M. Richard Kirsch will provide a program for the Allied Veterans of the United States.

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