

Active contract vote scheduled Saturday

By AMY HEIDEN

Since Jan. 16, members of AIW Local 628 have been locked out of their jobs at Active Industries' Elkton plant after defeating a proposed labor contract.

Now those workers will be voting on changes to that proposed contract, changes proposed by a mediator brought in to help speed the negotiating process.

A meeting is planned for 9 a.m. Thursday at the Ugly Foxhunter's Club to spell out the new contract language, according to union President Bob Wilson. Then, workers will vote on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Union Hall on whether or not to accept the proposed contract.

The contract the workers originally turned down called for a two percent wage increase the first year with a cost-of-living increase the next two years, a change in insurance coverage from 100 percent coverage to 80/20 coverage with a \$100 deductible, limits on company-paid union bargaining time, and a freeze on retirees' pensions.

The mediator's proposed changes include a two-and-a-half percent wage increase the first year with COLA increases for the next two years of the contract; increases in retiree pensions, topping at \$15 in monthly benefits for each year of service in the third year of the contract; dropping the proposed limits on union bargaining time; dropping the language dealing with plant injuries; and reducing the insurance deductible to \$75, along with other changes in insurance coverage.

Wilson refused to speculate on the proposed contract's chances for approval.

"It's up to each person to decide if they can live with it," Wilson said. If the contract is approved, workers could be called back to work, but Wilson said he expects a majority to be laid off from their jobs, making them eligible for unemployment benefits.

But if they reject the contract, the lockout will probably continue, Wilson said.

Wheat/feed meeting set March 12

A discussion of the 1991 wheat and feed grain program will be presented next Tuesday, March 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the Farm Bureau Building, Bad Axe.

John Porath, executive director of the Huron County ASCS office will be guest speaker, and the meeting is sponsored by the Wheat & Feed Grain Commodity Committee of Farm Bureau.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

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5-year rec. plan to state

A five-year plan to promote Huron County's land, water, cultural and recreation resources is on its way to the Department of Natural Resources for approval for approval.

Pollack Design Associates of Ann Arbor formulated the five-year plan which outlines the development and/or preservation of 12 sites in the county.

Priority projects already underway include completing the development of the new County Park in Sebewaing, construction of a bathhouse at the Bird Creek Park and road improvements around Stafford Park.

In addition, the plan presented by Design Director Peter Pollack, calls for moving the acquisition of the abandoned Port Austin Air Force Station to priority status.

Over the next five years the plan outlines long-range recommendations which include the removal of mobile homes from the Caseville County Park and restructuring of its overnight and day use, development of pedestrian and cycling scenic routes, development of a master plan to coordinate planning between municipalities, townships and the state, and making general improvements to the county's parks.

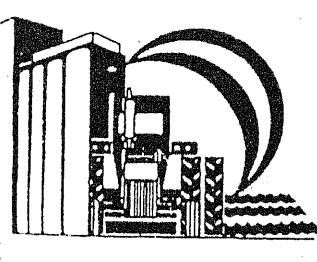
Another aspect of the plan was to acquire more land for parks and recreation. Areas suggested for potential acquisition include, Wildfowl Bay near Bay Port, Eagle Bay near Grindstone City, the Colfax Drain area near Bad Axe, the Wilderness Arboretum near Caseville and the Verona Hills area.

"A master plan for recreation in the county has to be developed so various organizations and municipalities can apply and get grants," said Huron County Commission Chairman Robert Hogan of Bad Axe. "The county has to have a master plan in place to apply for grants."

The plan also calls for development of a central recreation area in the county that would include a golf course, indoor sports courts/fields, an indoor swimming pool, a convention center, theatres, an art gallery and senior citizens' area.

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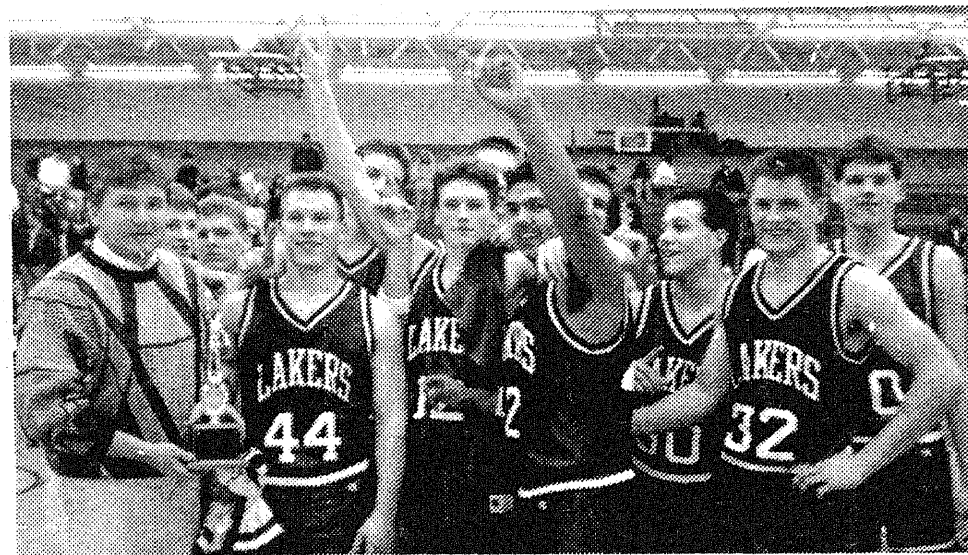
League, District volleyball champs!



LAKER VOLLEYBALL TEAM members put it all together and took the Thumb B Association and District titles this year -- and enjoyed their seventh straight TBA title in the last year of membership in the league.

Play continues this Saturday, as Coach Sue Fredericksen's team attempts to defend their regional title at Mayville. They meet Sandusky in the opening round at 11 a.m.

League b-ball kings, too!



LAKER BASKETBALL TEAM members defeated Bad Axe 90-40 Monday night as "March Madness" District play began. Tonight (Wednesday) Harbor Beach is the next target, with District finals Friday night at 7:30 p.m.

Coach Bill McLellan's squad ended season play in the Thumb B Association with a perfect 14-0 record. Here, they're celebrating the 68-54 title win over Harbor Beach.

SEE SPORTS PAGES INSIDE FOR MORE!

SWEET!

Sugar company sets all types of records

Michigan Sugar Company's 1990-1991 year has set new records in acreage, tons of sugar beets delivered, pounds of sugar processed and in dollar value of payments to growers, according to information from company headquarters in Saginaw.

Michigan Sugar's 4 factories—in Sebewaing, Caro, Crosswell and Carrollton—produced a record 490 million pounds of sugar, surpassing the previous 448 million pounds produced in the 1989-1990 season.

95,000 ACRES PLANTED

During the 1990 growing season more than 95,000 acres of beets were planted and 1.9 million tons of beets were delivered to company processing plants.

Payments to growers in the 4 plant areas set an alltime record of more than \$76 million.

The company's processing plants ran 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, since the harvest began in October. The processing campaign spanned 150 days of round-the-clock production.

MICHIGAN SUGAR'S 85TH ANNIVERSARY

The record-setting production came on the company's 85th anniversary, as Michigan Sugar Company history began in 1906 when 6 small sugar beet processors merged, creating what is today the largest beet sugar processing operation east of the Mississippi.

That first processing cam-

aign lasted 128 days during which 221,000 tons of beets were processed, producing 35.9 million pounds of sugar.

Michigan Sugar is the 5th largest sugar beet processor in the country.

The Sebewaing plant, organized as a small independent company, saw its first crop year and processing season in 1902.

EXCELLENT CROPS FOR 2 YEARS

"Michigan sugar beet producers, along with some help from Mother Nature, have produced excellent beet crops the past 2 years," said Ernest Flegenheimer, company president. "These quality crops, along with improved factory efficiency, have allowed us to process these record-setting harvests."

"The company is proud of its role as a good corporate citizen," President Flegenheimer went on.

"Since 1906 Michigan Sugar company has had a significant impact on the economy of this region," he concluded.

SUGAR IMPACT HITS \$450 MILLION

A recent MSU study shows the state's sugar industry has an annual economic impact of more than \$450 million. Each sugar industry job creates an additional 2.3 jobs in collateral industries, according to the study.

Michigan Sugar has an annual payroll of more than \$19.8 million and total annual sales in excess of \$170 million.

Bay Port peace service this Sunday

To honor area soldiers serving in Saudi Arabia, the Bay Port Chamber of Commerce is planning a Persian Gulf Peace Service this Sunday, March 10, at 7 p.m. at

the Steele-Lambert Memorial on M-25 in Bay Port. Chamber member Sandy Chalou said the service was originally planned as a service of prayer for the sol-

diers' safety, but that with the liberation of Kuwait and the cease-fire, organizers are concentrating on prayers for continued peace and prayers of thanksgiving.

Members of American Legion Post 533 and Auxiliary will present the flags for the ceremony, then Elder Ervin Haley of the Bay Port RLDS Church will lead the service with a prayer, followed by Rev. Alger Lewis of Bay Port United Methodist Church leading the singing. Then in honor of the 15 men from the Bay Port area serving in the Persian Gulf area, family members representing the soldiers are tying yellow rib-

bons that bear tags with the soldiers' names on the bushes surrounding the memorial. Elder Haley will close the service, then a special surprise is planned.

Those attending the service are invited also to help pack special packages for the soldiers, which will include pictures of adults and children hanging the yellow ribbons all over town, and everyone is invited to sign letters to the troops.

Following the service, everyone is invited to the RLDS church, next door to the memorial for coffee, hot chocolate and homemade cookies donated by various women's groups in Bay Port.

In case of inclement weather, the service will be held in the RLDS church, Chalou said.

DOING THE "SHUFFLE"! Pigeon Chamber of Commerce board members get ready for a heavy night of dealing this Saturday, March 9 when the Chamber hosts the popular "Las Vegas Night" at the Pigeon VFW Hall.

Refreshments will be served at 6:30 p.m. with games to follow at 7:30 p.m. Over 100 prizes totaling more than \$1500 will be auctioned off by "silent auction." Also planned are raffles, free popcorn and a variety of Las Vegas-style games.

Advance tickets are being sold by individual Chamber members, as well as ticket locations Village Quik Stop and Peoples Choice Market.

Pictured here are "dealers" Sue Meyersleck, Rhonda Buehler and Kim Henry.

SALLY RUMMEL PHOTO



Thumb Weekly News Round-Up

OWENDALE MASTER PLAN READY

Owendale Village officials expect to approve a master plan that has been in the works for the past year for the community. During the initial survey for the master plan, residents expressed an interest in having more businesses in their community.

Village President Walter Howard Jr., doesn't hold much hope of attracting new businesses to the town of 285 residents. "There isn't much we can do because there isn't much of a tax base here to draw businesses," said Howard, of his community which has less than a dozen stores.

However, village officials hope to turn those liabilities into assets by promoting the its lack of hustle and bustle. "We are hoping to make this a retirement community," Howard said. "We have low taxes. We are centrally located in the Thumb Area and are close to cities."

Besides charting how Owendale residents want their community to grow, a master plan is need to secure grant money. "If you don't have a development plan, then you don't qualify for grants," Howard said.

The Village Council would like to pursue grants to fund street paving and storm sewers. Brenda Moore of the East Central Michigan Planning Association helped the village develop the master plan and it cost the community about \$4,800 to formulate. The village has a \$77,000 operating budget and will consider the master plan approval at next Tuesday's Council meeting.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

In 73rd District Court (Huron County), Judge Karl Kraus last week heard the pleas of or passed judgment on:

- Lee D. Siemen, 26 of Harbor Beach, pled guilty to drunken driving, following two 1990 incidents investigated by Kinde Police; ordered to pay \$690 fines and costs, attend outpatient rehabilitation program and loses driver's license for one year;

- Kim Plonta, 24 of Caseville, guilty of allowing dog to trespass, following a recent incident investigated by Caseville Police; \$50 fines and costs;

- Wanda Bouvette, 33 of Caseville, guilty of allowing dog to run at large, following a recent incident investigated by Caseville Police; \$40 fines and costs;

- Seth A. Tackett, 28 of Madison Heights, guilty of driving with license suspended, following a recent incident investigated by Huron County Sheriff's Deputies on M-53 in Hume Township; \$160 fines and costs;

- Nicky L. Ewald, 22 of Elkton, guilty of transporting open intoxicants in motor vehicle; \$50 fines and costs;

- Leonard A. Byarski, 25 of Elkton, guilty of driving with license suspended; three days in jail and \$150 fines and costs, and

- Raymond K. Baker, 19 of Unionville, pled guilty to impaired driving; \$490 fines and costs and loses driver's license for six months, and pled guilty to violating restricted license; \$100 fines and costs.

BRIDGES TO BE REBUILT

Huron County's Road Commission has gotten some good news and some bad news from the Michigan Department of Transportation. The good news is federal and state funding is available to replace 10 substandard bridges in the county. This, combined with the 10 bridges already funded, assures the Road Commission of major assistance on 20 bridge replacement projects.

The bad news is that while the special grants totaling over \$4.5 million pay for 95% of the construction cost, notes Secretary John Martin, the Road Commission must fund the 5% of the construction cost locally -- plus other costs such as surveying, soil borings, bridge design and others.

Plus, the Road Commission also must pay for any approach construction costs needed more than 75 feet from the structure -- these costs can vary from \$50,000 to \$100,000 per bridge, Martin says.

Since 1987 the Huron Road Commission has constructed 13 bridges costing approximately \$3.5 million. Federal and state bridge funds covered \$2.8 million, with the balance of \$700,000 coming from County appropriations and the Road Commission's Michigan Transportation Funds.

County appropriations for bridges have been reduced. Budgeting difficulties at the county level have reduced funding from over \$150,000 in 1987 to an estimated \$48,000 in 1991, Martin says.

The burden for funding the local share then must fall on existing Road Commission sources; the Michigan Transportation Fund, the road commission's major source of income.

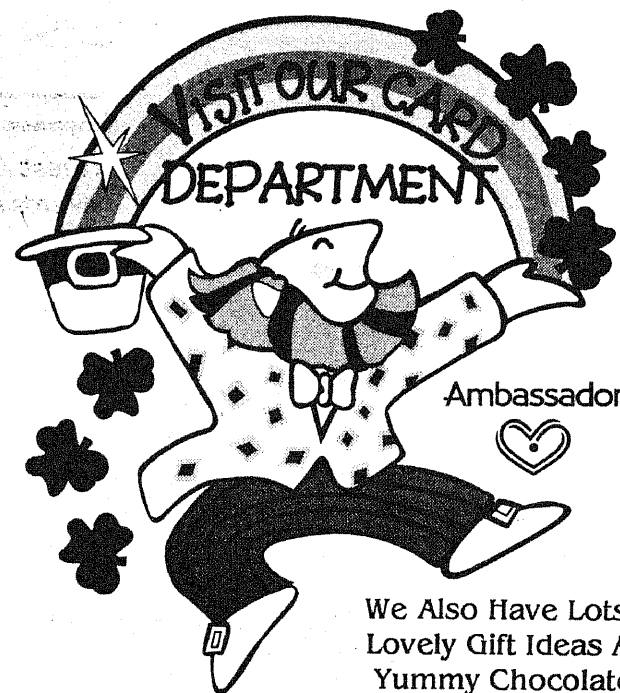
The Road Commissioner's 1991 budget process could generate only \$600,000 from Michigan Transportation Funds for bridge and road projects. To preserve the primary road system, a minimum of 25 miles should be resurfaced annually.

We have budgeted only eight miles for 1991. To continue attacking the bridge problem, a minimum of five bridges should be repaired annually. The local cost for these two program alone would be approximately \$1.2 million, which means the county is \$600,000 short right now, Martin says.

Since townships area already providing major local funding for such projects, a proposed 1-mill assessment

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St. Patrick's Day is Sunday, March 17.



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Scouts celebrate 'Blue and Gold'



SCOUTING BLUE AND GOLD BANQUET: Over 208 people attended the Blue and Gold Banquet for Pack #3586 Pigeon Area Scouts on Feb. 19 at the Pigeon VFW Hall.

The banquet is a "birthday party" for Scouts, celebrating 81 years of Boy Scouting and 61 years of Cub Scouting. On the evening's agenda was a dinner, skits, auctioning of an oak stepstool and a pine calendar. Monies raised from the auction were donated to the Pack. District Supervisor Brad Couch also gave a presentation.

Pictured here are Cub Scouts bridging over to Boy Scouts: Matt Henne, Chris Thick, Ed Bieri, Nick Haag, Travis Elenbaum, Chad Craig, Brian Colson, Chris Papkey, Matt Buehler, Shane Schulze. Cubmaster is Doug Buehler of Pigeon.

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A FREE WILL OFFERING WILL BE TAKEN

Dr. Songer returns to Pigeon Area

When Dr. David Songer left the Pigeon Area three years ago to open his own chiropractic office in Bay City, he vowed that one way or another he would return. For three years he waited

for just the right opportunity, and now it's come to him.

So he's returning to Pigeon to open his Songer Chiropractic Clinic office in the former Pigeon Chiropractic

Life Center location on E. Michigan Ave.

The new office will be fully staffed and furnished with new equipment, and open for business within the next two weeks, Songer said. "I've always liked the people here and I've been trying to find a way back here," he said.

Songer is a Palmer graduate and specializes in the Gonstead chiropractic technique. He says he especially enjoys children, and hopes to eventually open a children's clinic with child-sized equipment -- instead of the adult-sized versions that

sometimes intimidate the younger kids.



Dr. DAVID SONGER

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DESK-CLEARING: Here we go again...!

A CLARIFICATION: We appreciated the words and helpful advice submitted to The Progress-Advance as a letter to the editor from new Pigeon Postmaster Tom Balzer in last week's paper. Unfortunately, we lost the intent of his message slightly when we gave an example of a properly addressed letter and didn't capitalize the words.

Once again, here's the way a letter needs to be addressed, whether typed, computer-written or handwritten:

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THEY'RE NUMBER ONE: Our University of Michigan may not always have the most successful sports teams, but its name certainly is popular.

The Collegiate Licensing Company says sportswear with the Michigan "M" outsells the sportswear of all other schools nationwide...

IT'S GOOD to have Dorothy Diener back, after surgery, to keep us all informed about what local folks are doing. Welcome, Dorothy!

Has this ever happened to you? I had the choice of making soup in the microwave or on the stove this past weekend, and (old traditional me) I chose the stove-top. Somehow, I still think stove-top cookin' tastes better for soup...

YESTERDAY'S RESTAURANTS: I got to thinking about some of the "famous" or "popular" dining establishments which I especially liked as a child, and I realized again how some things change and others stay the same.

Here are several which were special to me as a youngster:

- Win Schuler's in Marshall was well-known (and today still features its Bar-scheeze...);

- Teysen's in Mackinaw City still has a cafeteria line (with corn muffins, too);

- The Log Mark in Saginaw's Bancroft Hotel. Once, the height of mid-Michigan elegance (who remembers the Big Boy Restaurant across from it, on the ground floor of the Second National Bank Building?);

- Johnny Ryan's Chanticleer (I never got to eat there, but it SOUNDED so elegant in Saginaw... and I worked with Johnny Ryan at the Saginaw News while he was a County Commissioner there);

- Tony's in Saginaw (Italian and knotty pine then... and now);

- The Breakers (now the Castaways) had a WONDERFUL view of Lake Huron/Saginaw Bay near Port Austin;

- Caris' Red Lion (still a legend in Bay City for coney's);

- The Log Cabin and the Heidelberg (two of Sebawaing's hometown "mists");

- and Lefty's in Bay Port, Engelhard's Bay Port Fish Sandwich Stand, Caseville's old Chi-Chi's (yes, kids, it WAS called that, but it was named after Chi-Chi Rubino by her cookin' father, Joe, and had GREAT Italian food). Gee, I think I'll go get a sandwich. I'm feeling hungry...

WISH I'D SAID THAT: "When you come right down to it, watching home videos isn't much worse than being subjected to a family photo album!" (Bob Armbruster)

Diebel elected to regional SC post

Clayton and Fern Diebel of Elkton represented the Huron Soil Conservation District at the 45th annual convention of the National Association of Conservation Districts on Feb. 3-7 in Atlanta, Ga.

They met with nearly 1700 participants, including district officials from the 54 U.S. states and territories, federal, state and local policy-makers and NACD staff. The convention theme was "A Time to Shine," chosen to emphasize greater public awareness and concern for natural resources.

In his presidential address, NACD President Robert Wetherbee reviewed the progress NACD and districts have made during 1990 in addressing such issues as sustainable agriculture and urban conservation and in improving public awareness of conservation districts and their capabilities.

'Judgment' this Sunday

Rev. Lou Compton will speak on the subject of "Judgment" this Sunday, March 10 at 7 p.m. at Caseville United Methodist Church.

Rev. Compton has been retired for four years, after serving 41 years as a Methodist minister in Cleveland Heights, Ohio, Detroit, Bay City, Trinity Methodist in Flint and 12 years at Chesaning Methodist Church.

A fellowship hour will begin at 6 p.m. The public is invited to attend and a free-will offering will be taken.

As we see it

End of Gulf War is welcomed; but be vigilant!

We Americans have had the full range of emotions and feelings in the past 60 days -- before, during and now after the Gulf War.

Yes, our superior Allied air forces, navies and armies have defeated large and pompous Iraqi soldiers and Soviet-supplied military equipment. Even though the Iraqis themselves aren't admitting defeat, they ARE beginning to abide by the total orders of United Nations sanctions.

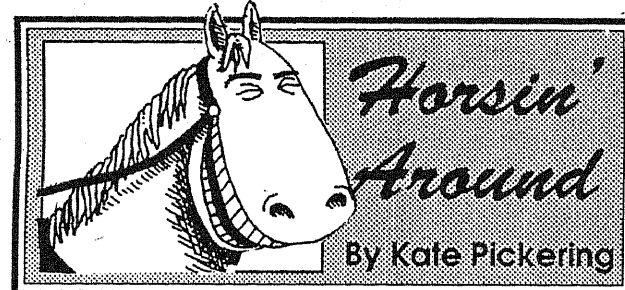
We deserve happiness and joy because oppression has been turned away -- and also because the Allied nations have lost so few men and women in the effort. We all should send up multitudes of grateful prayers for these facts.

Now, however, we must set our sights on the near future -- as well as the long-term prospects ahead.

The eventual outcome of Saddam Hussein, who without thought murdered, stole and took whatever he wished, is not now known. Supposed opponents are battling his strength in Iraq, but few have weapons to actually take control. And, no one really knows where he is anyway.

We talk about securing lasting peace in the region and we hope it can come soon. Yet, we Westerners are not particularly welcomed in duties other than the major rescues which have been performed since Jan. 15. As the dust settles, we should plan to leave defense of the Persian Gulf area to local, Arabian troops.

That is not to say Saddam Hussein should be allowed to flee to another, safer country. Far from it. He must be accountable for his decisions, orders and directions, as must his fellow leaders and underlings. We are only seeing the tip of the iceberg of atrocities committed by Iraqis in Kuwait.



ME THINKS SHE DOTH PROTESTETH TOO MUCH!

Popular new recording artist Sinead O'Connor has made a name for herself! Unfortunately, though, it so happens that this name has become more synonymous with protestation rather than music.

The 24 year-old Irish born ivory-skinned beauty Sinead (pronounced "Shin - aide") hit the music scene for the first time just a few years back, and I'll admit I found her intriguing, but until last spring's hit single "Nothing Compares 2 U" she was a relative unknown. One hit song later and she has made certain that we all now know she—

- 1.) doesn't care for Andrew Dice Clay
- 2.) doesn't care for censorship
- 3.) doesn't care for Grammy or other awards
- 4.) doesn't care for fame, money, or any of the other perks commonly associated with the recording success she has achieved
- 5.) doesn't care for our national anthem
- 6.) doesn't care for the war in the Gulf and —
- 5.) doesn't care for hair. (She's a self-proclaimed cue-ball.)

Now I personally really don't care what she likes or what she doesn't like, but that doesn't necessarily mean I always completely disagree with her many opinions. She brings up some good points, true, and she appears to be an intelligent, well-versed, worldly little lady. But what I don't like is that many of her dislikes involve the U.S.A. and still, she continues to perform and reside here, or that she dislikes awards, but continues to accept them, or that she renounces fame and monetary gain, but cashes and banks away every royalty check!

Mostly I don't like it that she thinks having whined-out one #1 song makes her a valued philosopher in our society, or that the world waits eagerly on the edge of its seat to embrace and support her in her latest protestation.

Even her most ardent fans are becoming embarrassed by her regular denouncements, and many are stepping back and wondering what they ever heard in that rather shrill, banshee-like voice. And many more, too, are beginning to conclude "She does indeed protesteth too much!"

Now, our forces are remaining fully on duty to repel any possible rebirth of Iraq power in the near term. In the longer run, the very makeup of Mideastern power will be changing. Whether Iraq is still a major player in the region is mostly up to its new leaders.

The Persian Gulf War has thus far been successful. For that we're grateful. Let's hope no similar despot returns for many, many years.

Letters to the Editor

Support appreciated following jet crash

DEAR EDITOR:

On behalf of the United States Air Force, the Michigan Air National Guard and the 191st Fighter Interceptor Group at Selfridge Air National Guard Base in Mount Clemens, I would like to personally thank all of the people of Huron County who contributed their time and effort following the loss of our F-16A aircraft on Saturday, Jan. 26.

The response and support from everyone in the community were OUTSTANDING! Because of the quick response and correct actions of many individuals, the pilot was rescued from his parachute and received prompt medical attention which prevented further harm to him.

I was able to individually

Americans must show unity in troop backing

DEAR EDITOR:

At a time when the men and women in our armed forces are facing their greatest test, we at home are facing a test as well. Our test is to maintain our unity and resolve, as our troops are doing in the Persian Gulf.

We don't want Saddam Hussein to take this country's tolerance for anti-war demonstrators as a signal he should wait out our resolve in a long and bloody war.

I'm outraged at the brutal treatment of our POWs. And I'm saddened to see the media give so much attention to the small number of anti-war protesters who have sprung into action. It seems that every time a few protesters pick up their signs, the cameras swarm around

recognize several agencies, businesses and people for their involvement. Many others in the area helped out but I was unable to get everyone's name.

I would especially like to thank all of these nameless people in Huron County who contributed in any way towards the safe recovery of the pilot, the securing of the crash site and the consideration towards the military personnel involved in the mishap investigation. The support you gave is truly appreciated. My hat is off to the entire community for outstanding support you gave us. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,
GREGORY J. MACIOLEK, COLONEL, MI ANG COMMANDER

them and they end up on the news.

Our soldiers have said they have a job to do and are going to get it done. I feel I have a job to do, too. And that's to stand up in strong support of our troops.

I want them to know that I and the American people are very proud of them. We are all inspired by their bravery.

I hope that you'll print my letter and others like it, in the days ahead. Thousands of local American newspapers are reaching our men and women in uniform every day. Your newspaper may be one of them.

I want the troops to know that we hold them in our thoughts and prayers every day.

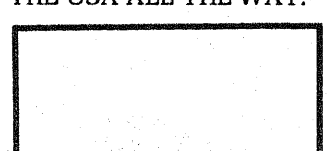
SINCERELY,
LEE STIRRETT, Pigeon

Soldiers deserve ALL our support ALL the time

DEAR EDITOR:

I've been reading local papers to keep up with the issues concerning the war.

When the invasion was first brought to my attention back in the fall, I had many mixed feelings. But now that things have escalated, I myself think that there is only one way to feel, and that is to "SUPPORT THE USA ALL THE WAY."



Support President Bush and all the troops who are sacrificing their lives for our country. Our troops are fighting so that we don't have to. So that our government, unlike Iraq, doesn't hand out guns to 14-year-olds.

This past Sunday I took part in a walk to support the war. I couldn't believe how many people were there to show their patriotism. I felt so proud of all the men and women who are taking our freedom into their hands. How could someone not support them?

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DEAR EDITOR:

As I'm getting older and more people my age are gone and a lot more are going, I often have to think about how much things have changed since I was a little boy.

In fact, I don't think I ever was a little baby. My mother often told me that I weighed in at 12 lbs. I was born in the state of Iowa and back in those days, people moved around a lot.

People always looked for a better place to live and until they got so old that they couldn't move anymore they settled down where they were and talked about where they all had lived and wished they could still move.

I know my Dad said when he was 60 years old, he would like to move to Indiana, but he also said that of all the places he had ever lived, he didn't find a place he liked better than right here in Michigan.

He liked the people and the climate and he always had a job. If he wasn't farming on his own, he worked in the Quarry and on the road and he could do most anything.

Way back in the late 1800s and early 1900s, if you didn't like your location, you always had a brother or cousin who lived in a different state and if you weren't satisfied with your place, you'd go to their place and look around 'til you found something.

Then you'd go home and have a sale and put the rest of your belongings on the train and move.

I well remember when one of my uncles moved from

Iowa to Michigan. He had a box car full of stuff. He had a real nice team of horses and several cows. He had a farm to move onto and did alright for himself.

When I was still quite young, several families moved from Huron County to Imlay City. The land was a lot cheaper there.

They put their cattle into a cattle car and household goods and machinery into a box car and away they went. But soon some moved to Detroit and some to New York. Some of the young ones are still living there.

I remember very well of one family that moved to Pennsylvania and then to Iowa.

Once I was in Iowa at a church conference and about six or eight men who had lived in this part of the country got me in a corner and asked me a lot of questions about how things were and about a lot of people and some said if they would have it to do over, they would have stayed put.

I have traveled quite a bit. There are still a lot of places where I haven't been, but as far as the climate and the people are concerned, I like it here.

In Phil 4:11 it says, "Not that I speak in respect of want for I have learned in whatsoever state I am, there with to be content."

So if I have my choice, I think I'll stay in Michigan. I have a lot of friends and a good house and farm. What more do I need?

SINCERELY YOURS,
GEORGE KEIM

Achievements

Three local piano students, studying under Robert F. Haas of Caseville, performed Feb. 16 in the annual student recital of Bay County at the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Bay City.



ALEX CHAMPAGNE



CARRIE MAUST



ROBIN VOLLMER

Alex Champagne, son of Jill and John Champagne of Elkton; Carrie Maust, daughter of Calvin and Gladys Maust of Pigeon and Robin Vollmer, daughter of Judy and Roger Vollmer of Bay Port, were among 44 students from throughout the Thumb who participated.

Jill A. Kasserman of Elkton has been named to the Academic Honors List at Spring Arbor College for outstanding academic achievement during the fall semester of 1990.

Kasserman is a sophomore at the College majoring in music. She is the daughter of Kenneth and Shirley Kasserman, Elkton.

The Academic Honors List is published each semester and consists of all students who attain a grade point average of 3.5 or above on a 4.0 scale.

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Spring Arbor College is a private, four-year, Christian liberal arts institution located seven miles west of Jackson. The College is affiliated with the Free Methodist Church of North America and is accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges.

John Kohr, CEO and President of the Cooperative Elevator Co., Pigeon, stepped down as leader of the Michigan Bean Shippers Association during the group's annual meeting in Frankenthum on Feb. 27.

Neil J. Mosher, manager of Michigan Trading, Berger and Co., Saginaw, was elected president of the international bean group.

Michael J. Eisengruber, vice president of Bean Marketing at the Cooperative Elevator Co., Pigeon was one of two men elected to the MBSA Board of Directors for a two year term, replacing Kohr on the Bean Shippers Board.

Kohr completed two, two-year terms on the MBSA Board, effective Feb. 27. He was lauded by the bean group during an honors banquet held in conjunction with the Association's 1991 Annual Meeting, "for his service and contributions to the Michigan Dry Bean Industry during his three-year tenure as President of the MBSA. He served as president of the shippers' organization from 1988 to 1991.

T. Gerl Smith, General Manager, Farmers Cooperative Grain Company, Kinde, was elected to the MBSA Board to a second two-year term on the Board.

Julee Leppardt and Christine Licht, both of Pigeon, Andrea Richmond of Caseville and Robin Rummel of Sebewasta are Alma College students who have been named to the Dean's List for outstanding academic performance during the 1990 fall term.

Leppardt is the daughter of D. Charles and Doris Leppardt and is a sophomore.

Licht is the daughter of Kenneth and Betty Licht and is a senior majoring in business administration and sociology.

Richmond is the daughter of Kurt and Gail Richmond and is a junior majoring in mathematics.

Rummel is the daughter of James and Joanne Rummel and is a senior majoring in biology and English.

Students who achieve a 3.5 or better grade point average during a term, while carrying a minimum of 13

credits are named to the Dean's List.

The honor roll for the second marking period and first semester at Owen-Gage High School have been announced by Principal Ronald D'Aoust.

FIRST SEMESTER

SENIORS: Marilyn Abfalter, Tonya Farver, Michele Glasgow, Marsha Harp, Mike Kady, Michelle Metzger, Connie Miller, Michelle Peters, Lori Radabaugh, Vicki Ricker, Kathy Wildman, Mark Zaleski.

JUNIORS: Maelin Damm, Lisa Dorsch, Angie Gruber, Aimee Merchant, Michael Parks, Debbie Timmons.

SOPHOMORES: Janet Abfalter, Jodi Copeland, Misty Coryell, Alissa Draschil, Shane Martindale, Tanya Muntz, Carli Salcido, Jill Susalla, Michelle Tkacz,

Tammy Timmons, Robin Wildman.

FRESHMEN: Angie Martindale, *Brandy Parks, *Patti Timmons, Jodi Wood.

EIGHTH GRADE: Shana Adkins, Christina McCredy, Jennifer Niester, *Michelle Pisarek, Jill Wildman.

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Lady Lakers wrap up league and district titles

By AMY HEIDEN

Tradition. It means the way things are always done. And the way volleyball is always done at Laker High is the championship way.

This year's edition of the varsity volleyball team upheld the winning tradition, winning their seventh straight Thumb B Association and their eighth straight district championship titles.

Building on the traditions of the past, Coach Sue Frederiksen has built her own volleyball dynasty since her arrival at Lakers three years ago.

And this year's team will be remembered for its diversity of ages. How many other teams can boast they start two sophomores, three seniors, and a junior—and also boast an undefeated league record and a nice state ranking?

They took their district title this year with a clean sweep of their opponents at the tournament, defeating Harbor Beach, Bad Axe, and finalist Unionville-Sebewaing in six straight games.

The last time the Laker team lost a Thumb B title was in 1984, and they took their seventh straight and the very last TBA championship the hard way, defeating previously unbeaten Vassar in a best three-of-five series Thursday night 15-6, 12-15, 15-6, 11-15, 15-6.

The Lakers "served" notice of their intentions in the first game, scoring eight of their 15 points in aces. They were never threatened in the game, jumping out to a quick 8-3 lead before the Vulcans managed to get back in the game. But the closest they would come would be within three points before the Lakers sealed the win with two Anne Sturm aces.

Mistakes got the best of the Lakers in the second and fourth games. "The games we lost, we lost because we were making mistakes on our side of the net," Laker coach Sue Frederiksen said.

"It really wasn't what they were doing effectively to us. They were moving. They were picking up a lot of their hits."

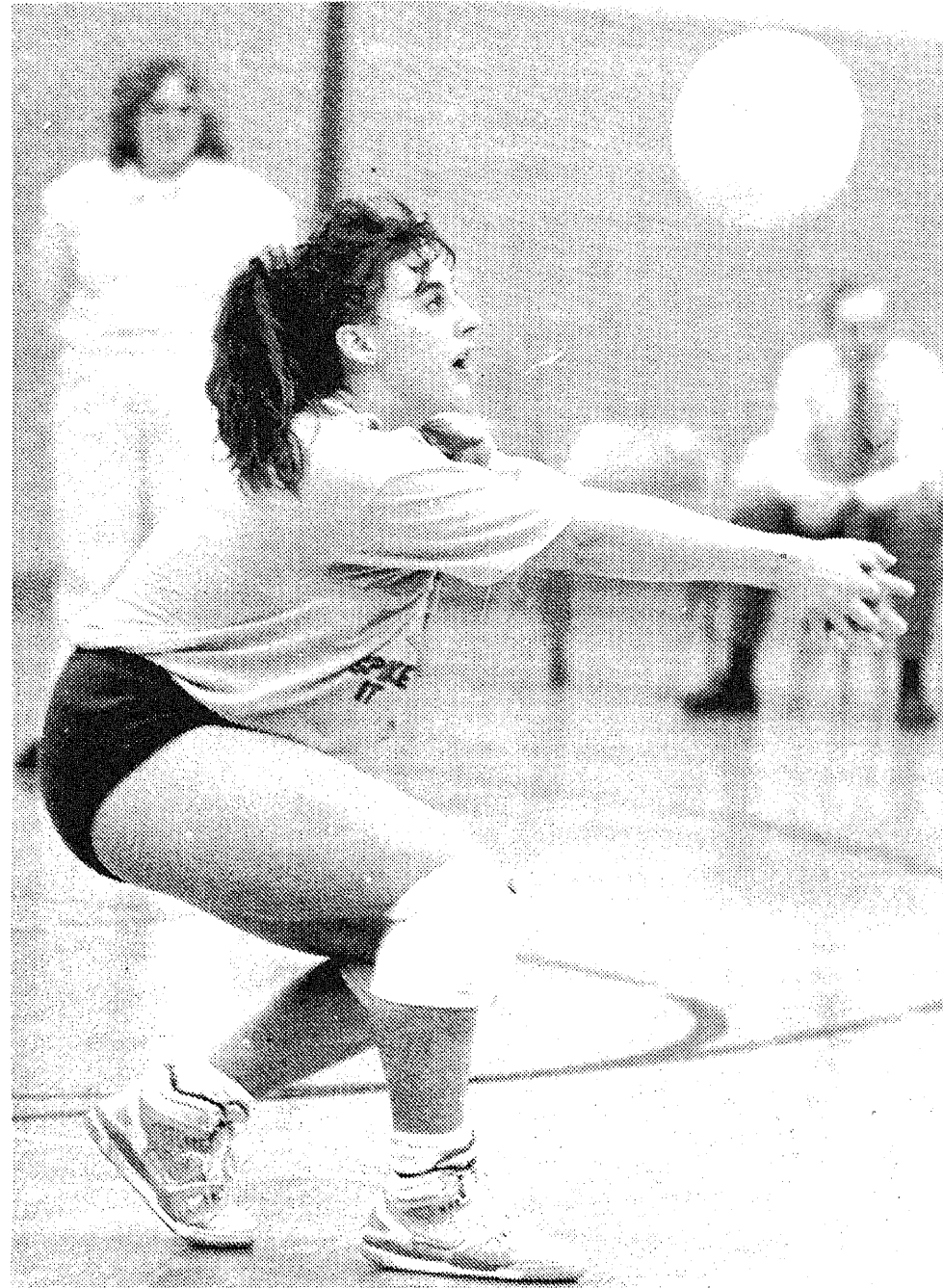
The Lakers gave up a 7-0 lead in the second game, letting the Vulcans come from behind and score eight straight points before they tied it a 8-8.

It seemed as if the Lakers had the game back safely in their hands once again with a 12-10 lead, but the Vulcans once again took advantage of Laker errors to come back for the win.

The third game was virtually a replay of the first, with the Lakers getting an identical 15-6 win, and it seemed as if the Lakers had a lock on the championship going into the fourth game.

But once again, those little gremlins popped up and caused the Lakers to make costly errors. They fell behind early in the game, and after making a run to close the game to 9-10, would only manage to score two more points before Vassar got the victory.

Emotions were high in



SETTER BRENDA BEYER gets under the ball for the pass. In two short years, Beyer has worked hard to establish herself as a cornerstone and a leader of a tough Laker team, according to her coach.

Eagles end winless season

By KATHY MEYER

The Caseville Eagles wound up their season play last week, first by losing to Deckerville 62-28, and then dropping the final game of the regular season to Owen-Gage 68-51.

Friday's game with Owen-Gage provided the most excitement, as the Eagles were within three points in the final quarter. But the Bulldogs put in four treys to put the win out of reach.

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CASEVILLE'S LAMONT LENAR (14) goes for the lay-up in last week's game with Owen-Gage. KATHY MEYER PHOTO

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Thumb B League Final Standings

Team	Won	Lost
Lakers	14	0
Millington	10	4
Caro	9	5
North Branch	8	6
Marlette	7	7
Vassar	5	9
Cass City	2	12
Bad Axe	1	13

Friday Night Games Of Interest

- Uby 67 - Sandusky 50
- Mayville 67 - USA 58
- A/V Grove 92 - Reese 72
- Vassar 55 - Bad Axe 51
- Millington 55 - Caro 54
- N. Branch 75 - Cass City 72
- Owen-Gage 68 - Caseville 51
- Peck 66 - Pt. Hope 57
- Deckerville 54 - N. Huron 51

the final game, as both teams knew what the stakes were. But in the end, tournament experience and tradition, and home court advantage kept the championship trophy in the Laker trophy case.

"When you go down to the fifth game like that, and we up on them a few points, that told the story," Frederiksen said. "They just got down, and Laker tradition held true."

The first three Laker points were Holly Esch aces, once again serving notice of the type of game Vassar could expect. And once the Lakers got rolling, there was no stopping them.

Brenda Beyer scored two aces to bring the Lakers to 8-4, and Vassar would only score two more points. A big Kelly McLellan spike for the win brought tears of joy for the Lakers and tears of frustration for the Vulcans, as the Lakers accepted the TBA championship trophy for the last time.

Sophomore McLellan, led the Laker attack with 13 kills, 13 blocks, and 1 ace. Holly Esch, had 7 kills, 3 aces and 4 blocks; Amanda Barry had 6 kills, 1 ace and 4 blocks; Anne Sturm had 4 kills, 5 aces and 17 blocks; Tammy Smith had 7 aces and 12 blocks; and Brenda Beyer had 8 aces, 19 assists and 6 blocks.

DISTRICT VICTORY: At the district tournament at USA Saturday, the Lakers had no trouble sweeping Harbor Beach 15-2, 15-12 in the opening round. But Bad Axe proved to be a much tougher opponent, threatening the Lakers' run for the roses.

The Hatchets built a 4-10 lead on the Lakers in the first game before the Lakers could regain their composure. But they then ran off the next six points to tie. Both teams traded several sideouts and points until the game was tied at 13. But the Lakers quickly put up a strong offense to take the final points and the win.

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Round-Up

would generate about \$525,000 for county road and bridges with an additional \$175,000 going to cities and villages for their street repair, Martin says.

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- Crown Road over Bad Axe Drain - closed.
- Rescue Road over Bad Axe Drain - 2 ton limit.
- Ewald Road over Pinnebog River - closed.
- Lackie Road over Bad Axe Drain - 2 ton limit.
- Geiger Road over Shebeon Drain - 3 ton limit.
- Kilmanagh Road over Pigeon River - closed.
- Fillon Road over Pigeon River - narrow.
- Stoddard Road over Tinsley Drain - 8-19-25 limit.
- Stein Road over Pigeon River - 7 ton limit.
- Berne Road over Pinnebog River - 6 ton limit.
- Farver Road over E. Branch Pigeon River - closed.
- Weaver Road over Weaver Cut - 5 ton limit.
- Kilmanagh Road over Shebeon Drain - 3 ton limit.
- Broderick Road over Pigeon River - 3 ton limit.

But the Hatchets would only manage one more point before the Lakers got the sideout and scored five straight points for the win.

"This was supposedly Bad Axe's year, with five seniors, and then they didn't win the league, so all their hopes were pinned on that last match, and they wanted it bad. But we wanted it a little bit more," Frederiksen said.

USA defeated Cass City and Uby to make it to the final round, but the Laker talent was clearly superior as they won both games 15-4, 15-12.

Both games showcased the hitting talents of junior Holly Esch, Frederiksen's choice for Most Valuable Player. Esch's powerful spikes were nearly impossible to return and she found all the weak spots in the Patriot defense.

The Patriots didn't mount much of an offense in the first game, as the Lakers clearly dominated. But when the Lakers let down in the second, the Pats kept pace, tying the score several times.

Their slow pace bothered the Lakers, who Frederiksen said prefer to just react to the ball instead of thinking about it. So the Lakers forced a more uptempo pace, making the Pats return the ball a bit quicker.

The score was tied a 12-12 before McLellan got the sideout on one of her trademark spikes. Then Esch quickly served up two aces and Amanda Barry's final tip brought the Lakers their eighth consecutive district title.

Esch led the Laker attack with 21 kills and 4 aces, while McLellan had 12 kills and 4 aces. Sturm had 5 kills and 4 aces; Barry had 3 kills and 1 ace; Smith had 2 kills and 2 aces; and Brenda Beyer had 2 aces.

The Lakers will travel to Mayville this Saturday, March 9, to defend their regional title, meeting Sandusky in the opening round of the tournament at 11 a.m.

The winner of that match will meet the winner of the Almont-Flint Atherton match for the regional title. That match will begin at 2 p.m.

Laker netters grab last TBA title

By AMY HEIDEN

Since the Laker basketball team had already wrapped up the final Thumb B Association championship, its games this week seemed more of a chance to put more

New Image sponsors MD 'Aerobathon'

New Image Racquetball and Fitness Center of Bad Axe will sponsor their 2nd annual "Aerobathon" to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association on Saturday, March 23.

The funds raised from the event will provide programs and services for children and adults in Huron County, who are afflicted with one of 40 neuromuscular diseases. Last year's "Aerobathon" raised over \$1600 for MDA.

The entire club will be open for the three-hour marathon, and the public is invited to participate or just "stop in."

Registration begins at 8:45 a.m. and the "Aerobathon" will run from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. "Everyone is encouraged to participate at their own levels," according to New Image Racquetball and Fitness Center spokesmen.

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numbers in the win column. And win they did, defeating Harbor Beach and Marlette.

The Harbor Beach Pirates have been playing tough basketball all year, at least until they suffered defeats to Sandusky and Uby. And to put the cap on those losses, they traveled to Laker country, where they lost again 68-54.

The Lakers trailed early in the first quarter, until they grabbed a couple of important turnovers. A trey by Craig Sears and smart baskets by Dave Geiger started the Lakers running smoothly, as they ended the first quarter up 19-15.

The Pirates managed to stay near the Lakers in the opening minutes of the second period, until they missed several key free throws. A late 8-2 run gave the Lakers an 11-point lead going into the locker room at the half.

The Pirates tried to pick up their pace a bit, scoring 14 points in the third quarter to the Lakers' 15, but that big first half lead couldn't be overcome.

The closest the Pirates could come was within seven points of the Lakers. Pirate Jody Brandt scored a couple of three-pointers, but all in vain as the Lakers wrapped up the win.

Reggie Ignash led the scoring with 23 points, while Craig Sears followed with 18,

including three three-pointers, and Dan Gonzales scored 12.

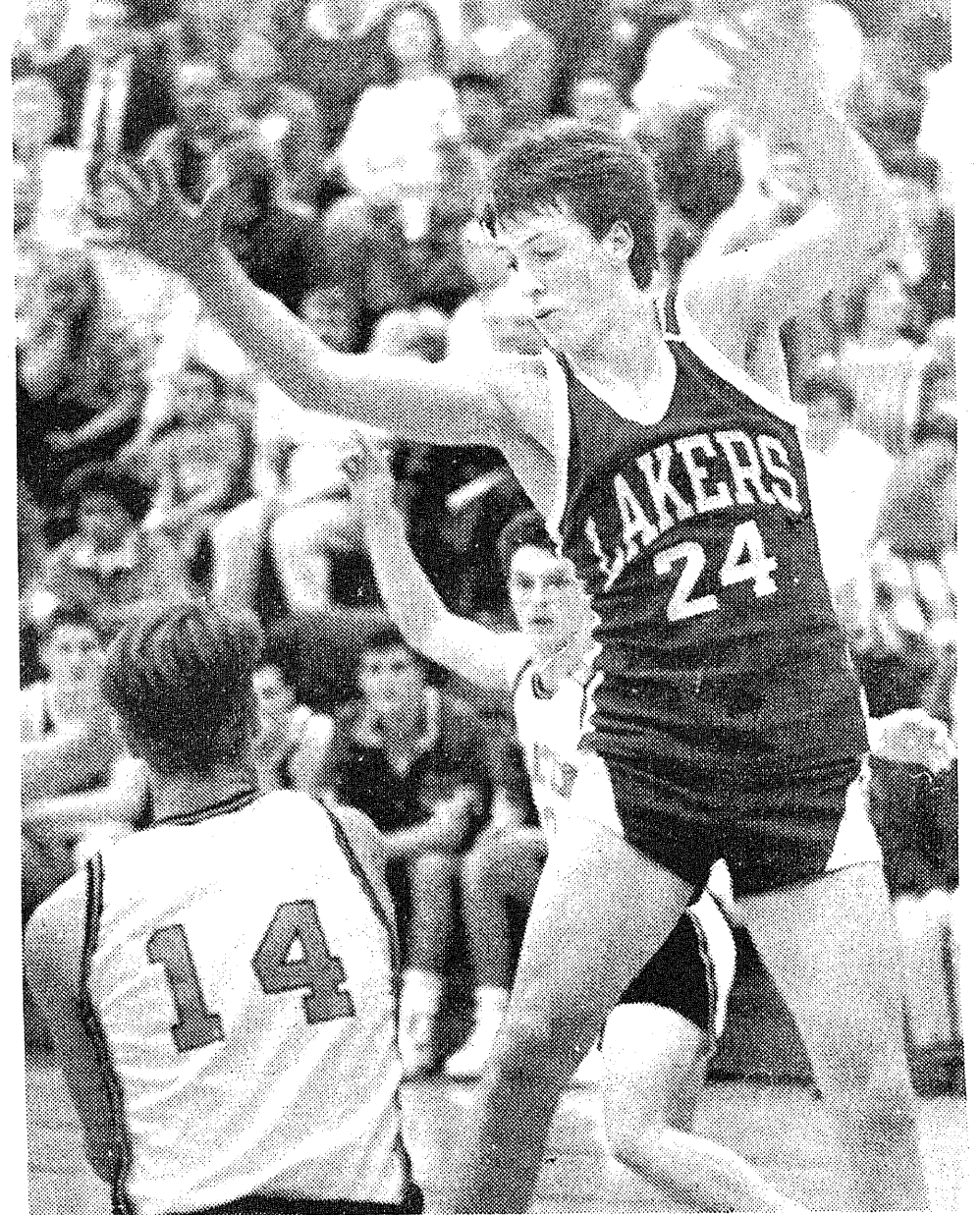
Then on Friday, the Lakers wrapped up a 14-0 league record with a big 71-55 win over the Marlette Red Raiders. Once again the Lakers started out trailing, but once they gained the lead, they never trailed again. They ended the first half with a 31-24 lead.

When they returned for the third quarter, they set the court on fire with a 24-9 scorching of the Raiders and ending the period with a 55-33.

The Raiders managed to outscore the Lakers 22-16 in the fourth period, but it was a matter of too little, too late. Even a couple of three point baskets by the Raiders weren't enough to bring them anywhere near the Lakers, as the Green Machine wrapped up a perfect 14-0 league record, 17-3 overall.

Jeremy Esch led the scoring with 19 points, and Reggie Ignash had 13. Dave Geiger, playing off the bench, scored 11 points, and Mike Keefer and Craig Sears each had eight.

The Lakers will be competing in district play this week, at Laker High. If they beat Bad Axe on Monday night, they'll again meet Harbor Beach on Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. The finals will take place on Friday, March 8, at 7:30 p.m.



LAKER JEREMY ESCH (24) applies some defensive pressure to his Harbor Beach opponent, in the Lakers' 68-54 win over the Pirates.

JUNIOR VARSITY: The Junior Varsity team wrapped up a 15-5 season, winning their last nine games.

And they certainly went out in style, crushing their last two opponents in convincing style with nearly everyone on the roster finding a chance to score.

Harbor Beach was the first to fall last week, with

the Lakers posting a 67-43 win. Justin Maust had his best game with 28 points. Jason Krohn followed with 11.

The final game of the season found the Lakers defeating the Marlette Red Raiders by 41 points, 75-34, as 12 Laker players put points on the board.

Krohn led the Lakers with 18 points.

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Nine turkeys released by DNR at State Game Area

Gobblers heard at Rush Lake

By AMY HEIDEN
One of the most intriguing sounds in nature is the call of the wild turkey, with its unmistakable gobble-gobble. And now, on quiet mornings, that call can be heard throughout the Rush Lake State Game Area, after the Department of Natural Resources released nine healthy wild turkeys into the area last week.

The six hens and three toms join six previously released turkeys already making their homes in the game area.

Bud Jarvis, the DNR's wildlife biologist for Huron and Tuscola Counties, said the agency was able to trade their Siuchan-ringneck cross pheasants to the Pennsylvania DNR for the wild turkeys.

"Over the last 10 years, the state has been working hard to get the wild turkey re-established in Michigan," Jarvis said. The birds have already been established in the Verona State Game Area, near Bad Axe, and have thrived in their new homes. The Rush Lake Area and

the entire Caseville to Port Austin shoreline area is ideal for the turkeys, Jarvis said, because the birds prefer mature oak forests. He believes the birds will eventually spread their range up to the Port Austin area, and that they'll reproduce quickly.

"These aren't pen-raised stock. These are good wild birds and they know how to survive," Jarvis said.

Jarvis said that a hunting season may be possible—six years from now, when the birds have increased their numbers sufficiently.

Each hen lays about a dozen eggs each breeding season, but only four to five of those poults can be expected to survive the critical first weeks.

Once they reach about 12 weeks of age, they're not as susceptible to predators such as owls and hawks, Jarvis said.



WILD TURKEYS take wing as Doug Howell releases them into the Rush Lake State Game Area near Caseville. Howell, along with Pigeon Conservation Club member Virgil Bouck, and DNR wildlife biologist Bud Jarvis released the nine turkeys in hopes of re-establishing the bird's population in Michigan. AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

News and Information From the Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port School District -- Volume 3, Number 6 -- March, 1991

The Laker Wave

LAKER STUDENTS HEAD FOR MOCK TRIAL COMBAT!

Veteran mock trial students Brad Bruce and Brian Keim will lead six other Laker students at the 1991 Mock Trial Tournament scheduled for Saturday, March 9, 1991 in downtown Detroit's Wayne County Court House. The Mock Trial competition is sponsored by the Michigan Law-Related Education Project, the University of Detroit School of Law and the State Bar of Michigan.

The purpose of the Mock Trial competition is to further the understanding of law, court procedures and the legal system. The program also helps students increase their basic life skill proficiencies such as listening, speaking, reading, and reasoning. In addition, the Mock Trial students learn to work with the legal community professionals thus stimulating an interest in law-related careers.

The Laker students Jill Gardy, Madhavi Kamlapurker, Dawn Swartzendruber, Robin Sturm, Willie Eichler, Wendy McBride, Brad

Bruce, and Brian Keim prepared for the Detroit tournament by participating in a local competition sponsored by Probate Judge David Clabuesch.

The students competed against North Huron, Unionville-Sebewaing, and Harbor Beach schools. The local competition allows the Laker Mock Trial students an opportunity to experience being in a court room, trying out their material, practicing objections and hearing critiques from Judge Clabuesch, Judge Karl Krause, and Assistant Prosecutor Mark Gaertner. The local competition also helps the young people become acquainted with our local legal community professionals.

Overall, the Laker Mock Trial students are well prepared to accept the Detroit competition challenge. The past two Mock Trial teams have placed second and third in the State respectively. The 1991 team is also ready to take their place with other state competition winners.



PICTURED FROM LEFT, Robin Sturm, Wendy McBride, Jill Gardy, Madhavi Kamlapurker, Brad Bruce, Dawn Swartzendruber and Willie Eichler.

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Board of Review will meet on Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 1991 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., and Saturday, March 16 from 9:00 to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Caseville Township Hall for the purpose of hearing objections.	Board of Review will meet on Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 1991 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the McKinley Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing objections.
AG46.47 1.07596	AG43.20 1.15741
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ROSE MARIE SPIES - Clerk	HERMAN RATHKE - Supervisor
BROOKFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW	WINSOR TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW
Board of Review will meet on Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 1991 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Community Building in Crowsdale for the purpose of hearing objections.	Board of Review will meet on Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 1991 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Winsor Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing objections.
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WALTON BROWN - Supervisor	BOB ARMBRUSTER - Supervisor
CHANDLER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW	FAIR HAVEN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW
Board of Review will meet on Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 1991 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Chandler Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing objections.	Board of Review will meet on Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 1991 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Fair Haven Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing objections.
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WILLIAM DUFTY - Supervisor	WILLIAM FORGE - Supervisor
OLIVER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW	
Board of Review will meet on Monday, March 11 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Tuesday, March 12 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Oliver Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing the assessment rolls with the tentative factor of 1.000 and assessments at 50%.	
	LAWRENCE KROHN - Supervisor

Lake-Chandler news notes

Happy Birthday Fred! Pat Dell returned home after surgery at Beaumont Hospital. They spent a couple of days with their daughter and husband, Tamie and Clifford Cook at Lake.

March 13 at 1:30 p.m. - Worthy Study will conduct their meeting in the home of Opal Dufty.

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THESE LAKER ELEMENTARY STUDENTS 'BEAT THE MEAP'!



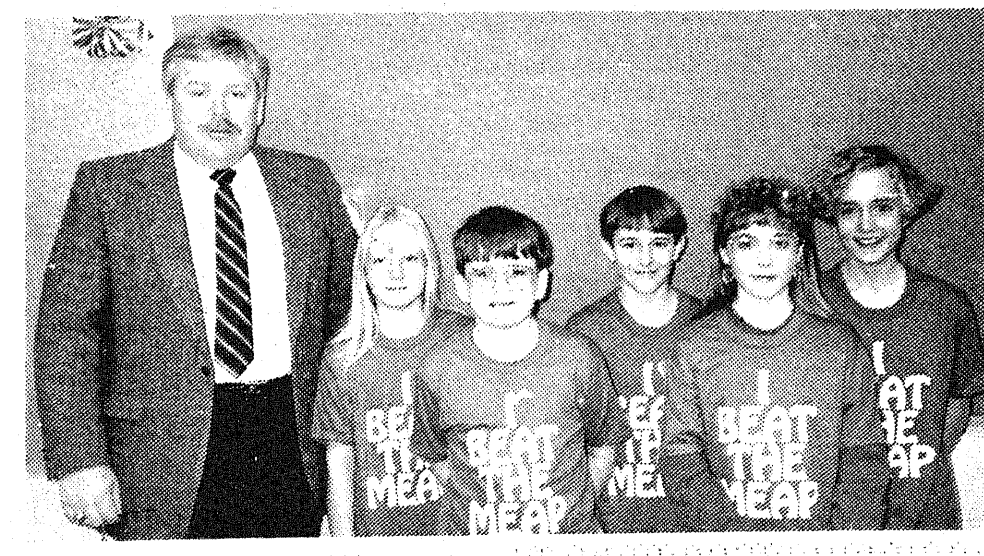
AT LEFT: Elkton Elementary Fourth Grade MEAP winners Dana Albrecht, Alicia Bouck, Josh Bouverette, Sandy Brakenberry, Josh Hazard, Sharon Hebert, Brandon Herford, Kurt Jurek, Charles Krohn, Kimberly Langley, Ashley Leipprandt and Jeffrey Zarnke.

MIDDLE LEFT: Elkton Elementary Fifth Grade MEAP winners Jedediah Berry, Scott Gross, Dave Haibeck, Douglas Lackie, Benjamin Peyerle, Brad Renn, Ryan Shaw and Heather Wiederhold.

BOTTOM LEFT: Pigeon Elementary Fifth Grade MEAP winners Brian Collison, Katherine Damm, Bryan Kingsbury, Sara Kreh and Heather Orr.

TOP RIGHT: Pigeon Elementary Fourth Grade MEAP winners Angie Dietzel, Jamie Dorsch, Seth Eckel, Kristie Gehrs, Jacob Motz, Justin Tate and Jessica Torres.

BOTTOM RIGHT: Bay Port Elementary Fourth Grade MEAP winners Carrie Maust, Melanie Rathje, Jason Swartzendruber and Rebecca Terrian.



HERE COMES THE BUS!

At the January school board meeting, members of the Caseville Optimist Club presented information concerning a school bus alert system their club is making available to school districts in our area. In essence, the program involves placing a radio transmitter in each of our school buses and a radio receiver in the homes of students who ride the bus.

In a few days your child will bring home a packet of information which explains the process in detail. This packet will be about "Here Comes the Bus!" an innovative program which allows you to be alerted, within the comfort of your home, that your child's school bus is in your neighborhood.

The "Here Comes the Bus!" program offers many benefits to all of the parties involved. The following are some of these benefits:

1. Children no longer must wait for long periods of time at the bus stop in inclement weather.
2. The receiver announces when the bus is near your stop.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS HEAR CAREER TALKS

During the past week, students of Mrs. Roth's and Mr. Grikka's high school math classes and Mr. Pauly's Jr. High career classes listened to several speakers with different occupations.

Curt Darrow from WKYO radio station in Caro, Jim Bollenbacher from Terra in Elkton, Roberta Lloyd from United Airlines, and Ray Boehringer from the Department of Natural Resources, made presentations to the various classes. They discussed requirements for their jobs, as well as what it is like in the day-to-day operations.

Ellen Roth, an algebra teacher at Laker High School was responsible for setting up the speaker's schedule. Her main objective was to show students what is needed to get a job in the "real world."



3. The receiver eliminates the need to call in an effort to determine the bus's arrival.
4. Students develop independence by monitoring their own bus arrival.
5. Less worry for parents because they will know if the bus is running late.
6. Parents feel more secure knowing that this program was designed with the safety of the children in mind.
7. Reduce route time, therefore is a cost saver.



TYPING STUDENTS RAISE MONEY FOR LEUKEMIA

Mr. Tyler's typing 2 class recently took on a project to raise money to help fight leukemia. The entire class worked very hard, taking pledges from friends, relatives, and neighbors in a Leukemia Type-A-Thon.

A grand total of \$365.00 was generated for the Leukemia Society of America. Special recognition goes to Shelly Forster, 10th grade daughter of Gary and Vickie Forster. Shelly raised over \$150.00 in pledges! Also doing well were Nelda Carter, 9th grade daughter of Dennis and June Carter, raising \$56.00, Angela Eisilonnes, 10 grade daughter of Rose Eisilonnes with \$46.00, Kim Sturm, 9th grade daughter of June and Terry Sturm with \$38.00, and Kevin Jantzi, 9th grade son of Naomi and John Jantzi with \$35.00.

What a great example of Laker Students in service to others! "Hats off" to Mr. Tyler and his typing students!!

Each building team within our school district is well into the school improvement process. Because each of our staffs is currently working on accreditation, each team must have a school improvement plan in place to be accredited.

The cost to each family is \$25.00 per school year and a one time \$25.00 security deposit. The security deposit is refundable when the receiver is turned in.

The Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School Board is presently studying the proposal and will make a decision as to whether they will endorse the program. If you are interested, or have concerns about such a program contact the Superintendent or one of the board members.

LAKER HIGH'S STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Greg Young, a junior at Laker High School, was selected as Laker High School Student of the Month for March. Greg, the son of Diane and Gary Young of Elkton, is interested in computers and plans to pursue a course of study in that field at the university level upon graduating from high school.



Greg's hobbies include horseback riding and summer camp. He loves all kinds of sports, but is especially interested in football, baseball and basketball. He loves history, and hopes to cultivate that interest with the AP History that is in the planning stages.

As our building teams begin to publish their school improvement plans, we ask that residents within our district communicate with us on our plans to improve the education provided to our students. Parent and community feedback is beneficial to our goal of continually improving the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District.



Counselor's Corner:

By JOAN MAROTZKE, JR. HIGH COUNSELOR

Fulfilling the role of guidance counselor at L.J.H. continues to challenge me and continues to reinforce my belief that "helping others," in whatever capacity, is perhaps the single most important thing we do in education.

We help students learn, work with others, recognize their skills, develop their personalities, and sense of self-worth. Achieving these goals is a task far beyond the guidance counselor—it is the networking of our teachers' skills and caring; it is the dedication seen in secretaries, library aides, bus drivers, custodians, kitchen employees and administrators who DAILY deal with students' concerns and offer their assistance.

The school, in turn, needs to strengthen that same networking with the family and community. When I see parents actively involved with our Academic Track program, sports events, Fun Nights, and spaghetti dinners, I am grateful that so many of us in the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port School District care about what happens to our students.

None of us can assume this responsibility solely on our own. Together, we offer a strong coalition which will hopefully continue to support our students to believe they can meet the problems they will face—from peer pressures

to anxieties over family members serving in the armed forces in Saudi Arabia and surrounding areas, our kids need us—to listen, to reinforce them in their quest to understand themselves and the world around them.

THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR'S ROLE
This networking to assist students with their problems does have a "central office" in the guidance office. My professional responsibilities are significant to me and listed here, in part, to let you know some of the basic tenets from which I function in our school district:

RESPONSIBILITIES TO STUDENTS
THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR:
-has a primary obligation and loyalty to the student, who must be treated with respect as a unique individual;

-is concerned with the total needs of the student (educational, vocational, personal, and social) and encourages maximum growth and development in each child;

-is responsible for keeping abreast of laws relating to students and ensures that the rights of pupils are adequately provided for and protected;

-protects the confidentiality of information received in the counseling process as specified by law and ethical standards;

-provides explanations of the nature, purposes, and results of tests in language that is understandable to the student.

SCHOOL COUNSELORS HAVE 'BIG SHOES TO FILL'

RESPONSIBILITIES TO PARENTS
THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR:

-supports and protects the educational program against any infringement not in the best interest of pupils;

-informs appropriate officials of conditions that may be potentially disruptive or damaging to the school's mission, personnel, and property;

-works cooperatively with agencies, organizations, and individuals in the school and community in the best interest of students without regard to personal reward or remuneration.

I thoroughly enjoy my work as a school counselor and find myself challenged by these responsibilities and all the components of my job which keep me on the run. A counselor colleague wrote the following poem which reminds me of the transition I have gladly assumed from a counselor in-training to an "on-the-job" school counselor.

THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR

Back at the university reflection was taught
But here in my office I use it but naught.
The telephone rings . . .
The hall bell dings . . .
Rushing students to their next class . . .
Do you have a pass?

"Not now, I've a meeting at nine."
A quick hug, "You'll be fine!"
A note after the meeting says get homework for Sue
Who's out with a cold for the next day or two.
Then a parent appears
Nearly in tears.
She wants to talk
And we do, as I walk . . .
And back in my office a reminder to me
To have that report in by three.
Then to maintain balance four schedules are changed
And so four lives are rearranged.
The secretary reminds me that we have tickets to sell
And before I know it, there's the last bell.
Back at the university reflection was taught
But here in my office . . .

-SANDY LAWRENCE, COUNSELOR, KALAMAZOO PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Around the Elementaries...

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ELKTON ELEMENTARY REPORT FROM PRINCIPAL BEN PHILLIPS

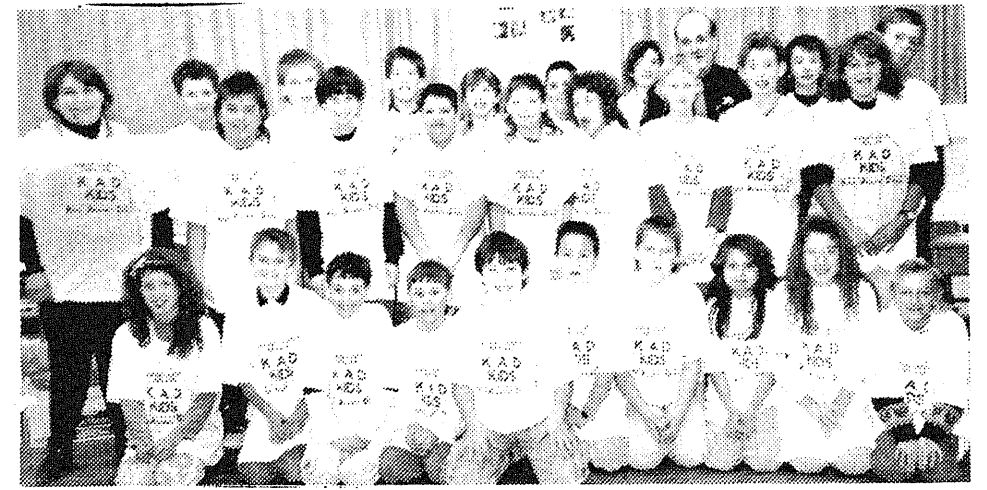
The Elkton Elementary is presently involved in the State of Michigan's Accreditation Program. This program is similar to the North Central Accreditation program, which many high schools go through.

On March 5-7 an accreditation team, made up of educators, will be visiting our school. They will be interviewing school personnel and parents and also be visiting our classrooms. They will later complete a report on our status with regard to criteria we should be meeting. After

much work, Elkton will hopefully, be receiving full accreditation.

K.A.D. PROGRAM (KIDS AGAINST DRUGS)

The Sheriff Department recently presented a three hour drug prevention program to our 5th graders. Deputy Brent Woodward was the instructor. Each student, upon completion of the class, received a certificate and a t-shirt. This K.A.D. program was well received by both students and staff. We look forward to it again next year.



Elkton fifth graders who recently completed the Kids Against Drugs program presented by the Huron County Sheriff's Department.

ELKTON STUDENT OF THE MONTH



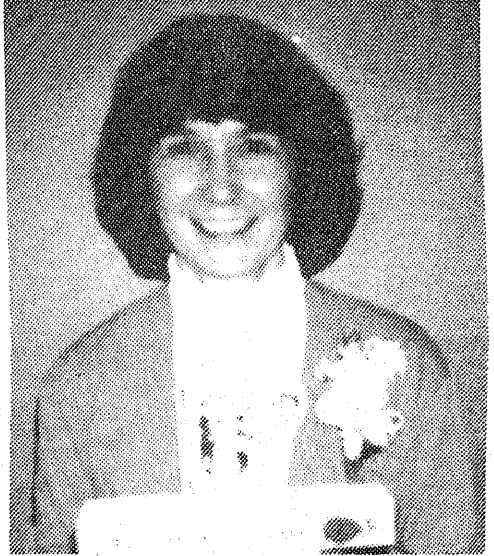
Rebecca Kolar,
daughter of Frank and Bernadette Kolar
Consistent honor roll member
Favorite Subject: Language
Favorite TV Show: Beverly Hills 90210
Favorite Movie: Adventures in Baby Sitting
Hobby: Collecting Stickers

SCENES FROM PIGEON ELEMENTARY



AT LEFT, Mrs. Gardner's and Mrs. Suartzenruber's 2nd grade classes learned all they could about dinosaurs, reading about them, making fossil prints, etc. They had a DINO-MITE time with their dinosaur studies! ABOVE AND BELOW, parent and grandparent volunteers keep activities rolling at Pigeon Elementary.

BAY PORT ON PARADE



ABOVE, Bay Port 4th grade teacher Jan Keena was recently recognized as "teacher of the year" by the Laker Board. Bay Port School gave her a special award; BELOW, "ZERO HERO" Mr. Liston helped 1st graders celebrate their 100th day of school.



Questions for the SUPERINTENDENT

By BOB DRURY, Superintendent

In this month's column I will be highlighting the last of the four Public Act 25 Quality Issues—the school district school improvement plan.

Our school district guaranteed in October 1990 that we were in the process of designing and implementing a school improvement plan for each building within our district. If our district was in-formula (receiving per-pupil state aid), that guarantee would mean financial incentives to accomplish the school improvement task. Being out-of-formula means that our school improvement process will have to be funded by local tax dollars.

The school improvement process calls for the adoption and implementation of a three to five year school improvement plan, updated annually, for each school building within our school district. The plan will be developed by a committee consisting of school board members, school building administrators, teachers, other school employees, parents of students attending that school building, and other residents of the school district.

This committee will have the responsibility for the formulation of a school improvement plan that contains the following items:

- A. A building mission statement.
- B. Educational goals based upon student outcomes for all students.
- C. Curriculum review and alignment based upon those educational goals.
- D. An evaluation process to measure desired student outcomes.

- E. Staff development and training.
- F. Building level, or site-based decision making.

Because the school improvement process is a three to five year plan that is reviewed annually, the goals that are established will be met during the life of the plan and new goals will have to be established.

PRINCIPAL NOTES

FROM PIGEON & BAY PORT ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL TODD BIGGER

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Helping your child develop the skills necessary to become a successful reader can be one of the most important jobs you do. In fact, children's success in reading is often determined by the importance given it by their parents. In other words, parents who value and appreciate reading will tend to have children who also value and appreciate reading.

By setting a good example, you will be helping to show your child that reading can be an important part of his or her life just as it is an important part of your life. Parents who read tend to have children who read as well. You may wish to consider the following points in setting a good example for your child.

1. Set aside a special time each day for all family members to read together. You may

wish to use this time as silent reading time or an opportunity for members to read to each other.

2. Be sure your child has plenty of opportunities to see reading (and enjoying it). Take some time occasionally to tell your child about some of the things you enjoy reading.

3. Subscribe to magazines and newspapers whenever possible. Children who see lots of reading material coming into the house will be eager to read some of it for themselves.

4. Visit the public library frequently and bring home lots of books. Be sure to check out books for yourself as well as encouraging other family members to do so, too. Keep a constant flow of books coming into the house at all times.

5. Share with your child some interesting topics that you enjoyed as a child. Encourage your child to explore some of the literature you

read when you were growing up.

JUST FOR FUN: Make up a map of the location of events to a favorite story of your child. You may wish to look in an atlas or road map. You and your child may even wish to construct an imaginary map and post it in his or her room. Older children may wish to write in a few actual events that took place in special locations and keep these maps beside the corresponding books in the family bookcase.

LJH STUDENTS OF THE MONTH ANNOUNCED



Brian Beachy, son of Rev. Wayne and Carol Beachy, is our 8th grade honoree. Brian's favorite class this year is social studies with his favorite teacher, Mr. Murphy. Brian enjoys participating in Academic Track, birdwatching, and reading. He plans to attend a university upon high school graduation, but he is undecided about a career choice.



Angela Weidman, daughter of Roger Weidman, is our 7th grade student of the month. Angela's favorite class is English with her favorite teacher, Mrs. Eichler. Angela enjoys singing in Academic Track, and playing basketball and volleyball. She hopes to enter Central Michigan University to become a teacher.



Matt Otto, son of Wayne and Crystal Otto, is our 6th grade student selected. Matt finds he enjoys ALL of his classes but names Miss McGee as his favorite teacher. He selects playing sports as his favorite pastime and especially enjoys baseball. Matt would like to attend Michigan State after he graduates and has not determined his career plan yet.

GORDIE MURPHY IS LJH TEACHER OF MONTH



Gordie Murphy is a 16-year veteran of the Laker district. He teaches 7th and 8th grade social studies in the junior high and can be seen everywhere in the building helping in whatever capacity is needed. Mr. Murphy has coached track, currently coaches junior varsity girls' basketball, Academic Track, serves as a volunteer for Youth For Christ, is a bus leader yearly on the 8th grade Washington, D.C. field trip, referees in various basketball games, and occasionally finds time to run. Gordie plans to do some biking this summer, and you can be sure he will also be found in Laker Junior High preparing for next year's social studies adventures!

LAKER HIGH GETS SCHULTZ LIBRARY DONATION

Eileen Gayari, Laker High School Librarian, recently received a check from the Gerard Schultz family to perpetuate the Gerard and Jennie Schultz Memorial Library presently housed in the Laker High School Library.



The Schultz Memorial Library is a section of books on Michigan History that have been donated by family and friends of Gerard Schultz, a former librarian at Laker High School. Gerard spent 12 years as librarian at Elkton High School and later at Laker High School where he retired in 1967. A former college professor at the University of Missouri, Iberia Junior College and Simpson College. Mr. Schultz was an accomplished author himself, writing eight history related books on various subjects. His most noteworthy publications were "Walls of Flame," a history of the Great Fire of 1881, and "The New History of Michigan's Thumb."

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SALUTATORIAN RECEIVES SVSU SCHOLARSHIP

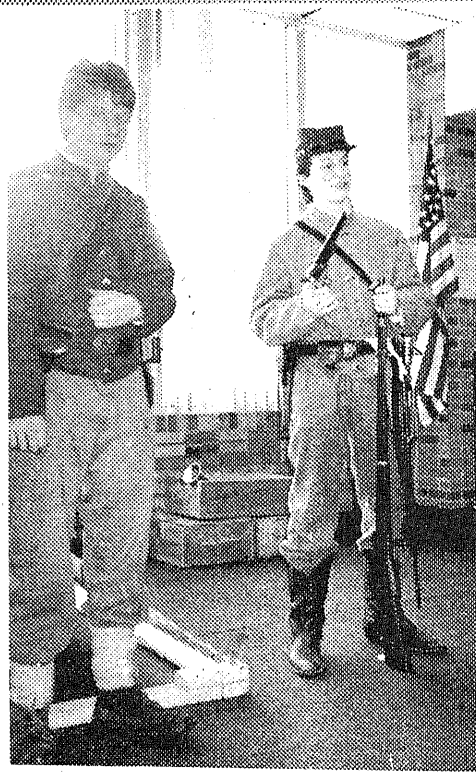
Brenda Beyer, daughter of Linda and Jerry Beyer was recently selected to receive the prestigious Presidential Scholarship awarded to Valedictorians and Salutatorians seeking admission to Saginaw Valley State University. The scholarship offered both as an inducement and an aid in the development of Brenda's leadership qualities, pays tuition, fees and books. This scholarship, like all "no-need" scholarships granted by the university, is renewable for four years provided that the recipient is registered as a full-time student at SVSU and maintains a specified grade point average. Brenda received congratulations from the faculty and staff of SVSU as well as a personal letter from Eric R. Gilbertson, President of Saginaw Valley State University.



LJH LIBRARY IS INVADED!

On Monday, January 18 the Laker Jr. High Library resembled a Civil War encampment. Three Laker High students who are "died-in-the-wood" Civil War re-enactors demonstrated for Mr. Murphy's and Mrs. Ehrlich's history classes facts about everyday life that soldiers faced in this famous war between the states. Representing the Union was Corporal Willie Eichler, 3rd Michigan Volunteers. Representing the Confederacy were Private Chad Gascho, 13th Mississippi Volunteers, and Private Tim Frazho, 1st Virginia Cavalry.

Re-enactors are an important in the presentation of historical accuracy. Most people, and especially students, are great on dates and memorizing events, but have little knowledge on what it was like to be a soldier of the times. The three boys demonstrated camp life, complete with tent, bedding and foods. They also spoke about the uniforms, rifles, pistols and other accoutrements employed by the "Yanks" and "Rebs". The Jr. High students enjoyed the presentation and asked many questions. If you have a group or club who would like some information of the Civil War, or would like to have a presentation by the boys, please contact Willie Eichler at Laker High School.



From the PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

By CRAIG DOUGLAS, Secondary Principal

ACCREDITATION UPDATES
Laker High School has been visited by two agencies this year - NCA and U of M. We belong to both organizations, and each one has similar things to say about our high school. Among the comments we have received are these:

- * Friendly teachers, students and administrators;
- * positive climate which greatly assists learning;
- * Supportive superintendent and board of education;
- * Well-maintained facilities;
- * Knowledgeable and supportive parents;
- * Active community support;
- * Impressive student achievements.

Some of the suggestions offered to us are consistent with what we are trying to do in this monthly newspaper: improve communication. We have since started "good news" postcards home when students demonstrate exemplary work, for example. Ideas of ways to better reading skills are appreciated by our staff. Our SSR (sustained silent reading) program is one way we work at reading.

It is great to tell you we are in full compliance with both accreditation groups. **CHANNEL ONE**
We are pleased with the quality of news broadcasts on this new system. All of our classrooms have been linked via television monitors at virtually no cost to our district. Students and staff are learning how to use the new equipment. Anytime you would like to see the broadcast,

just give me a call. It can be arranged quite easily to show you the tape. Many people are amazed at the graphics used on Channel One. **WASHINGTON D.C. TRIP**
As I stated last month, we'll continue to monitor the situation relative to the Gulf War. Any decision to reschedule the trip will occur within the next month, if possible.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAMS
On March 15th we will be hosting an assembly in the Junior High on the Lions Leader Dog Program. This is an outstanding opportunity for our students to learn how these dogs are trained for blind people. The Pigeon Lions had this program last fall, and our students will enjoy this assembly!
On April 16th we plan to host nationally recognized presenter Jim Tuman. Mr. Tuman will speak with area students at 9:30 that day, and he will return that evening to talk with parents. I am told his talk is outstanding. Furthermore Mr. Tuman will return in the fall to talk with county teachers at the Annual Inservice Day.

Parents are encouraged to attend both of these assemblies. In summary, it has been a great school year thus far. We have an important time ahead, with the April 9th Athletic Awards Night and May 30th Fine Arts Festival are examples of some of the excitement ahead. Look for new programs like "Turnabout Day", "Career Day", and "Parent Day" as possibilities this spring, too. As Samantha Corrión's motto says, "Knowledge is the door; Learning is the key."

Woods & Waters

WARM INSIDE

By DUANE GUENTHER



I knew it was my brother Lyle, the minute the phone rang. A wild nor'wester had begun tossing the Bay that night and no marsh hunter worth his salt would let such a morning pass by, regardless of the weather. I had second thoughts when I pulled into Mary's Lunch, a local duck hunter's hangout on the outskirts of Sebawaing. The wind was still from the northwest and blowing with such a velocity that it literally ripped the smoke from the Sugar Factory stack. The Bay would be wild, I thought to myself, maybe too wild. The blaring horn from his panel truck woke me from my day dreaming and I gulped the last of the lukewarm coffee and hurried out the door. I followed his winking tail lights down the long, winding trail to the duck shack, and parked the car so my headlights cast their beam on the boat dock. The water must have risen a couple of feet during the night. "Looks a little wild," I said, rather hesitantly. "It'll be alright in the cut," Lyle replied. "We'll grab one of the potholes near the first reed bed. Shouldn't be anybody else out there." "No body is that crazy," I mumbled. "What'd you say?" he asked. "Nothing." We loaded the gear in a narrow, flat bottomed duck boat, perfect for the marsh,

but not too stable in rough water. I was crammed into the front cockpit, and Lyle took his place in the back, near the 7 1/2 horse powered Johnson that would provide the muscle to buck the wind pushed waves. The ride out the cut was harrowing to say the least. Even though we were in the wind protected confines of a half mile dredge cut, the waves were still a couple of feet high. The wind driven spray, created each time our bow sliced through a mound of water, pelted me like an errant garden hose in the hands of a mischievous youngster, and the falling temperatures caused an icy film to form on my Hodge-man Hood until I resembled a yeti from my arctic expedition.

The weather was so rough we literally dove at the first pothole we encountered. Protected momentarily, Lyle and I tossed a dozen Black Duck decoys in a helter-skelter pattern and rigged our wire grass, wrap-around blind for the necessary concealment. While Lyle finished fussing with the blind I glimpsed skyward just in time to spot 20-odd mallards riding the gale in dive bomber fashion, straight at our decoys. "Get'em if you can," Lyle shouted. But I hardly had a chance, that is with the guns still safely stored in their cases and the shells neatly tucked in waterproofed boxes. The next flock wasn't so lucky. We were ready this time, and when they flared across the tip of the decoys two guns barked and as many birds fell. It was a bugger retrieving them. The wind was so strong we didn't want to do battle with the boat, so you know who slipped over

tasted steaming hot beef bouillon from my brother's battered thermos bottle.....

Area school lunch menus

- LAKER SCHOOLS**
WED., MARCH 6: Turkey leg a la king with biscuit.
THURS., MARCH 7: Barbecue chicken.
FRI., MARCH 8: Tuna Melt on English muffin.
MON., MARCH 11: Ravioli with cheese.
TUES., MARCH 12: Chicken patil with bun.
CROSS LUTHERAN
WED., MARCH 6: Big Macs, fries, baked beans, apricot/mixed fruit, relishes, milk.
THURS., MARCH 7: Chicken, mashed potatoes, corn, raisins, bread, milk.
FRI., MARCH 8: Tuna noodle casserole, lettuce salad, relishes, fruit, bread, chocolate milk.
MON., MARCH 11: Spaghetti, lettuce salad, relishes, garlic bread, fruit bowl, milk.

- AUCTION -
MONDAY, MARCH 11 • 11:00 A.M.

ALBRECHT AUCTION SERVICE has been commissioned to sell the following to the highest bidder by public auction at 1231 S. Elkton Road, Elkton, MI, Huron County (1-1/2 miles south of Elkton.) LUNCH SERVED BY BLUEWATER YOUTH FOR CHRIST. **NOTE: SHORT AUCTION - DON'T BE LATE!**

FARM TRACTORS - LOADER TRACTOR: 1981 JOHN DEERE 4440 D. tractor, air, AM/FM cassette, quad. range, 3 hydr. outlets, 18.4-38 duals, 3952 hours, ser. #54744, approx. 130 h.p., good condition; OLIVER 1600 G. TRACTOR, no cab, 2 hydr. outlets, dual range trans., approx. 56 h.p., good 15.5-38 rubber, good condition; JOHN DEERE 300-B D. INDUSTRIAL TRACTOR/LOADER, 3 pt. hitch, PTO, 16.9-24 tires, reverse trans., only 2576 hours, good condition.
COMBINE: MASSEY FERGUSON 750 combine, cab, Perkins 372 D. engine, rasp. bar, MF 16' grain head w/floating cutter bar, MF 6'6" row corn head.
ROAD TRACTOR - DUMP TRAILER - LOWBOY TRAILER: 1974 FORD '9000' ROAD TRACTOR, Louisville Cab, Cummins 335 engine, twin screw, wetlines, 13 sp. trans., 11R 22.5 fronts 10.00-20 rears, nuts strong; 32 STEEL DUMP TRAILER Built by Thumb Truck; tandem axle w/S spread air/lift axle.

10.00-20 rubber, air tailgate, good condition; La-CROSSE 24 TON 25' DROP DECK TRAILER, tandem axle, 8.25-15" tires.
FARM MACHINERY: JD 7000 8 row planter; Hiniker Ridge-Till planter attachment; JD 2350-2450 6-616' on-land hitch plows; IH 1133 3 pt. 8-row cultivator, S-Tine, rolling shield; Hiniker 3 pt. 8 row ridge-till cultivator (all set-up for best); JD 235 25' folding disk w/levelers; JD 712 11-shank soil saver; JD 1000 25' folding field cultivator w/levelers; Brillion 15' cultimulcher; JD 400 8-row rotary hoe; JD 250' trailer sprayer w/centrif. pump; JD 940 12' land leveler; JD 640 5-bar rake; JD 336 baler; Kilbros & Parker gravity boxes on gears; Gehl tandem axle wagon gear; NH 667 tank type flail manure spreader; 1500 gal. & 1600 gal. plastic tanks; pick-up transfer fuel tank w/pump; set of saddle tanks.
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Walt Rummel Household

AUCTION

Saturday March 23, 1991 • 10 am

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Directions: 1 1/2 mi. East of Mich. Sugar Co. on Canboro Rd., watch for Auction Signs. Mr. Rummel has sold his home and will offer for sale at Public Auction the following items:

Household & Appliances
Green - Gold Sofa w/matching Love Seat; Misc. Turco Gas Grill; Electric Weed Wacker; Lawn Sprinklers; Power Cords; Trash Cans; Garden Cultivator; Sthl 015AV Chain Saw in case (like new); 24" Jig Saw; Lawn Mower; Quantity Wood for Crafts & Clocks; Misc. Hand Garden Tools; Misc. Hand Shop Tools.

Automobile
1980 Pontiac Phoenix 2 dr., 51,000 Mi., Excellent Cond., V-6, Air.

Miscellaneous
Wooden Arm Upholstered Chair; Green Upholstered Rocker; Floral Print Easy Chair w/Matching Foot Stool; Oval Lamp Table; End Tables; Cane Side Upholstered Chair; Pr. Hand Painted Table Lamps; Lined Oak Bedroom Suite; Misc. Chairs; Pots & Pans; Dishes; Silverware & Utensils. MANY MORE ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION. LUNCH AVAILABLE ALL DAY.

Auctioneer's note: Many of the above items are from the (Walt's Mother) Mary Rummel Estate

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Outdoor Report

Week of March 5, 1991

Marlene J. Fluharty, of Mount Pleasant, was elected chairwoman of the Michigan Natural Resources Commission last week during its monthly meeting in Lansing. She was first appointed to the commission in January 1984 and served as chairwoman in 1987.

At the January Shooting, Hunting, Outdoors Trade Show (SHOT), held in Dallas, the National Shooting Sports Foundation auctioned off a pair of Colt handguns for \$30,001. The guns, the last single action revolver manufactured by Colt Firearms were bought by Kevin Cherry, a firearms dealer from Greensboro, N.C. Proceeds from the sale were donated by Colt for shooting education. The organization produces videos for distribution to junior and senior high schools for science and social studies departments.

Driving on the ice has been very deadly this winter. There is one thing you can learn about ice thickness, that is you can never trust it. The DNR is very concerned and has issued several warnings this winter. Since the beginning of the winter, 10 people have lost their lives by falling through the ice. What worries the DNR the most is that we are just entering the most dangerous time. People should not walk on the ice without a spud to test its thickness and for the rest of the winter, keep your cars and trucks off.

THANK YOU

For Your Support
In The Primary
Election Held For
The Village Of Pigeon
JANET LOVE

Your Vote And Continued Support On Mon., March 11 For Pigeon Village Trustee Would Be Appreciated.

Vote On Mon., March 11, 1991
Paid For By The Candidate

The Progress-Advance's

BOWLING REPORT

FRIDAY NIGHT MENS' LEAGUE

Active Feed 24
 Albrecht Auction 24
 Berkley Industries 23
 Caseville Fruit Mkt. 18
 Co-op Elevator 17
 Pigeon Lanes 14
 High team series and game: Berkley Industries 2538 (942-878-818), Active Feed 2530 (897-884), Pigeon Lanes 854, Albrecht Auction 826.
 High individual scores: C. Basinger 614 (203-214), B. Stahl 546, T.

PIGEON MONDAY LADIES LEAGUE

Terra 21
 Griggs Greenhouse 20
 Thumbodies 20
 Pigeon IGA 17
 Town & Country Beau. 17
 Pigeon Lanes 17
 Gunden 531 (202), N. Henne 537 (203), H. Lange 519, J.D. Gunden 516, N. Swartzendruber 508, H. Trost 500, A. Gies 204.
 Splits converted: 2-7 J. Thiel, L. Albrecht; 5-7 B. Stahl, J. Smith; 5-7, 2-10 H. Trost; 3-10 M. Roop.

BEACHY EGGS

A&W Cleaning 14
 Impressions Hair 14
 Diener's HFF 13
 LaFave Steel 13
 Yaroch Asphalt 10
 High team series and game: Griggs Greenhouse 618, Pigeon IGA 1659.
 High individual scores: J. Beachy 187, R. Voss 473 (181), A. Kleinfield 446 (178), S. Meyerslock 445, V. Doyle 440, K. Gauth 188, T. Maust 175, H. Strong 172, M. Richardson 171.
 Splits converted: 2-7 A. Kleinfield, A. Hazard, D. Basinger, C. Poisson; 5-7 J. Beachy; 2-7, 4-5; 3-10 A.

TY'S TUESDAY P.M. LADIES

Alley Cats 31 1/2
 Unpredictables 20
 Four Spares 13 1/2
 Channel Dusters 7
 High team series and game: Alley Cats 1704 (639).
 High individual scores: G. Reibling 475 (165, 157, 153), T. Noy 450 (196), Mr. Error 458 (171, 151), M. Taylor 453 (165), M. Chappel 449 (175), L. Zarnke 407, B. Forster 193.

GUYS AND DOLLS

Eibing-Smith 23
 Heintz-Hundersmck 19 1/2
 Gunden Henne 19 1/2
 Dubs-Smith 18
 Cusimano-Bauly 16 1/2
 Roestel-Paliter 16
 Dunn-Parrish 15
 Seemann-Flebig 14 1/2
 Metz-Heintz 10
 Beachy-Weldman 8
 High team series and game: Heintz-Hundersmck 1986 (742), Dunn-Parrish 1951 (728).
 Splits converted: 2-7 K. Carr, T. McIlhargie, P. Christner; 5-10 L. Jaworski; 3-10 L. Jaworski; 5-8-10 P. Kellermann; 5-8-10 P. Kellermann; 4-5 B. Forster; 3-10 L. Zarnke.

TY'S THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES

Bay Port State Bank 26
 Thumb Hardware 21
 Bumhoffer Surge Sales 21
 3 Sisters Ice Cream 19
 Ty's Bowling Lounge 17
 Pratt's Appliance 17
 Ron's Party Store 15
 P & L Party Store 8
 High team series and game: Thumb Hardware 1803, 3 Sisters Ice Cream 627.
 High individual scores: D. Schuette 499 (176), B. Wichter 462 (186), M. Error 495 (179), K. Cox 185, S. Schember 172.
 Splits converted: 2-7 K. Carr, T. McIlhargie, P. Christner; 5-10 L. Jaworski; 3-10 L. Jaworski; 5-8-10 P. Kellermann; 5-8-10 P. Kellermann; 4-5 B. Forster; 3-10 L. Zarnke.

PIGEON THURSDAY NITERS LEAGUE

J & B Plumbing 32
 Lee's Landscaping 27
 Scheurer Hospital 26
 Butcher Block 22 1/2
 Fink's Farm Equipment 22
 Kuhl Lumber 21 1/2
 Village Barber 20
 Pigeon Telephone 15
 Eiftman Hardware 14
 Dutch Kettle 14
 Country Maids 13 1/2
 McCormick Motors 12 1/2
 High team series and game: Village Barber 2355 (816, 775), Kuhl Lumber 2316 (859), Butcher Block 2197.
 High individual scores: B. Heintz 564 (208, 179, 177), D. Deming 519 (181, 173), E. Turner 517 (215), D. Herzog 508 (192), S. Buchholz 505, A. Albrecht 489, T. Gnagy 467 (174), W. Kovach 470, M. Murdoch 171, P. Parrish 170.
 Splits converted: 5-10 N. Lixie, C. Taschner, L. Beedle; 4-5-7 D. Deming; 2-5-7 A. Winters; 2-7 J. Beachy, L. Beedle.

PIGEON WEDN'SDAY NITE LADIES

Pigeon Auto Supply 21
 Varty's 15 1/2
 Bay Port State Bank 15
 Damm's Inc. 15
 DodgeGirls 14
 Bittersweet Flowers 13
 Gumbys 13
 Elkton Food Center 12
 Cloud of Dust Ceram1 1/2
 Bay Port Construction 10
 High team series and game: Dodge Girls 2256 (759, 769), Bay Port State Bank 2151 (778), Damm's Inc. 2092, Pigeon Auto Supply 740.
 High individual scores: C. Dubs 535 (186), R. Voss 527 (218), J. Abbott 498, J. Rosenthal 185.
 Splits converted: 3-6-10 S. Dereszynski; 2-7 A. Golpham; 3-10 H. Gunden, C. Damm, J. Rosenthal; 2-7 C. Swartzendruber, R. Ruth, D. Deming; 3-5-7 S. Kraft; 5-6-10 D. Herzog; 4-7-10 P. Roestel; 5-7 P. Roestel.

TY'S MONDAY MEN'S LEAGUE

Finkbeiner's Farm Eq. 38
 Ron's Party Store 34
 Moon Beams 32
 Don's Barber Shop 30
 NAPA Auto Parts 29
 Jim's Garage 26
 Ty's Bowling Lounge 18
 Auto Color Profession. 17
 Individual High Series: D. Kowbel 576 (202), Individual High Game: T. Wichter (221, 200).
 High Team Series: Jim's Garage 2091, High Team Game: Don's Barber Shop (743).
 Other High Series: T. Wichter 557; K. Hazard 547; J. Jaworski 540; D. Young 532; K. Slavick 519; S. Huriburt 506; J. Rich 502.
 Splits converted: 3-10 T. Farver, D. Young, K. Schember, S. Huriburt, 2-7 B. McGee, D. Cunningham, 3-9-10 D. Deming.
 To help their mother, Mrs. Ann Schuette celebrate her birthday, her children met at the Franklin Inn for dinner last Saturday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Konen of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. James Bridges of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schuette of Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. James Dutcher of Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Dutcher and son, Matthew of Sterling Heights, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sabiston and son, Derek of Utica.
 Recent visitors of Mrs. Amanda Strauch were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith of Rochester.

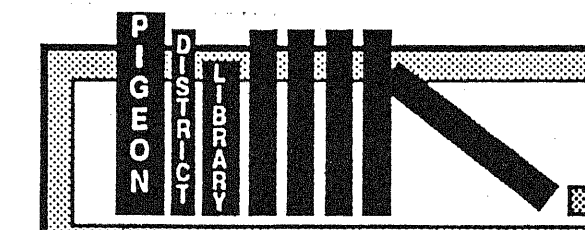
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News And Notes

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

"St. Patrick's Day" will be the theme for the Tuesday, March 12 Preschool Story Hour with the stories "Leprechauns Never Lie" and "Clotilda".
 Exercises, fingerplays, a song and a game will part of the activities planned for the children.
 Children from age three to five are invited to attend either the 9 or 10:30 a.m. sessions. A registration fee is required.

KNOW YOUR LIBRARY...

Each week the Library News will add a different informative Dewey Decimal Classification. This week will be "Technology (Applied Sci.)" (600's). These classes include examples of books we shelve. Here are a few titles:
600-TECHNOLOGY (APPLIED SCI.): "The Way Things Work", "Blue Print Reading For Commercial Construction."
610 - MEDICAL SCIENCES: "Medical Dictionary", "The Preconception Gender Diet."

620 - ENGINEER & ALIATED:

"Towers, Bridges and other Structures," "Electric Motors."
630 - AGRICULTURE & AGR. INDUS.: "American Farm Tractors", "Raising The Home Duck Flock."
640 - DOMESTIC ARTS & SCIENCES: "Weight Watchers Favorite Recipes," "Hor's d'Oeuvers."
650 - BUSINESS & RELATED: "Resume Writing," "Mary Kay On People Management."
660 - CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY ETC.: "Giant Molecules," "Making Your Own Fuel."
670 - MANUFACTURES PROCESSIBLE: "Welders Guide," "A Reverence For Wood."
680 - ASSEMBLED ETC. PRODUCTS: "The Accurate Rifle," "Making Moveable Wooden Toys."
690 - BUILDING: "Building Maintenance," "How To Design and Build A Fireplace."
 Come in and check out a book on entertaining or making an oak table set, we have just the project for you. Look for "Know Your Library" series (part 8) "The Arts" (700's) series next week in the Library News.

CASEY JONES' BIRTHDAY

Casey Jones was the brave railroad engineer who gave his life to save the lives of his passengers and crew.
 On April 30, 1900 his engine 382 "Cannonball Express" struck the rear of two freight trains.
 Famous for always bringing his train in on time and whose last train ride on the Cannonball Express inspired the well know ballad "Casey Jones." His real name was John Luther Jones, born near Cayce, KY. March 14, 1864.

Here is a list of books that might interest you and the famous ballad to refresh your memory.
 "Stories of the Railroad" by White, "Railroads, In the Days of Steam" by American Heritage, "All Aboard" by Ault, "End of the Track" by Shelton, "Railroaders" by Wheeler, "Model Railroad Hand-book" by Schleicher, "How to Run A Railroad" by Weiss and "The World of Model Trains" by Williams.

Casey pulled up within two miles of the place, with Number Four staring him right in the face. He turned to the fireman, said, "Boy, you'd better jump, for there's two locomotives that's going to bump."
 Casey said just before he died, "There's two more roads that I'd like to ride." The fireman said "What may

the Western Pacific he won his fame.
 The caller called Casey at half-past four. He kissed his wife at the station door. He mounted to the cabin with his orders in hand, and took his farewell journey to the Promised Land.
 Put in your water and shovel on your coal, stick your head out the window, and watch her roll. We've got to run her till she leaves the rail, for we're eight hours late with the western mail. Casey looked at his watch, and his watch was slow. He looked at the water, and the water was low. He turned to the fireman, and "Boy" he said, "We've got to read Frisco, or we'll all be dead."
 Casey pulled up on Reno Hill, and tooted on the whistle with an awful shrill. The crossing man knew by the engine's moans, that the man at the throttle was Casey Jones.

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"CASEY JONES"

Come all you rounders who want to hear a story about a brave engineer. Casey Jones was the hogger's name. On

ST. PATRICK'S DAY IS HERE!

Although the celebration of St. Patrick's Day in the United States is a happy and frivolous occasion, in Ireland the day has considerably more religious significance because Saint Patrick is credited with bringing christianity to Ireland.
 An important part of the American celebration of St. Patrick's Day is a parade. It is

common, for instance, for people to wear a green item of clothing. Drinking is a popular part of the gaiety of the day and many bars serve beer that has been tinted green with food coloring.
 Listed are the days of the week in Gaelic (a form of Irish language)
 Luan: Monday
 Mairt: Tuesday
 C'adaoin: Wednesday
 D'ardaoin: Thursday
 Aoine: Friday
 Sathairn: Saturday
 Domhnach: Sunday

NOTICE

Annual Township Meeting NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That the next Annual Township Meeting of the Electors of the Township of Winsor, County of Huron, State of Michigan, will be held at 29 So. Main, Pigeon beginning at 1:00 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time, on Saturday, March 23, 1991.

At such time, in addition to other regular business and in accordance with the law, a budget covering proposed expenditures and estimated revenues of the Township may be submitted for consideration. Copies of the budget are available at the office of the Township Clerk.

DIANNE KOHR - Township Clerk
 February 7, 1991



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2ND ANNIVERSARY Celebration

Thursday - Friday - Saturday - Sunday
 March 14th - 15th - 16th - 17th

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Wine & Cheese Party
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FRIDAY, MARCH 15
All You Can Eat Fish Night
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SATURDAY, MARCH 16
St. Patrick's Day Party
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SUNDAY, MARCH 17
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FROM: Huron County Clerk Helen Lemanski

HURON COUNTY ASSUMED NAMES

Week of February 25
NO. 5254 CAMPBELL'S CABINETS & SUPPLY, 6734 Prospect, Caseville, MI 48725. By: Raydan Corp., 6734 Prospect, Caseville, MI 48725. Clyde Campbell, President, Rama Campbell, Treas./Sec. Filed: 2/20/91.

NO. 5255 DALTON SHOE REPAIR CENTER, 255 E. Huron Avenue, Bad Axe, MI 48413. By: Curtis R. Taylor, 1316 Harker, Port Huron, MI 48060. Filed: 2/22/91.

NO. 5256 BERNE AUTO CENTER, 7102 Berne Road, Pigeon, MI 48755. By: James C. Schaal, 7102 Berne Road, Pigeon, MI 48755. Filed: 2/25/91.

NO. 5257 J & J FLOOR COVERING, 2918 N. Verona Road, Filon, MI 48432. By: John Kubicki, 2918 N. Verona Road, Filon, MI 48432. Filed: 2/26/91.

JUDGMENTS OF DIVORCE

Diane Schulte vs. James Ernest Schulte.
Randy L. Avery vs. Yvonne J. Avery.
Rosita E. Pavlick vs. Frank M. Pavlick.

Thanks for reading your locally-owned paper every week!



FROM: County Register Of Deeds Frances Holdwick

WARRANTY DEEDS

February 21 - 26

Larry L. Smith and Gina M. to Larry L. Smith and Gina M.; a parcel of land located in the Village of Pigeon.

Estate of Margaret H. Kretschmer to Joseph W. Schenk and Ardis Joyce Casper; a parcel of land located in Section 23 of Verona Twp.

Edward Radulski and Michele to Giuseppe Lena; a parcel of land located in Section 36 of Brookfield Twp.

William Boyer and Marion to Gary M. Wruble and Denise L.; a parcel of land located in the Village of Ubyly.

Darlene J. Peltto and Philip J. Boik, Jr. to Philip J. Boik, Sr.; a parcel of land located in Section 14 of Fairhaven Twp.

Karen I. Lemanski to Michael L. Lemanski and Roxanne L.; a parcel of land located in the City of Harbor Beach.

Agnes Lorraine Morgan to Robert M. Foster and Carolyn R.; a parcel of land located in the City of Harbor Beach.

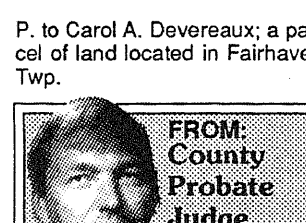
Arthur W. Creageur and Debra Davidson to William R. Gevedon and Annette M.; a parcel of land located in the City of Harbor Beach.

Richard P. Eisele to Janice Yaroch, Eileen Yaroch, Alvin Yaroch, Karen Yaroch and Gary Yaroch; a parcel of land located in Section 29 of Dwight Twp.

Dennis Steinbis to Brian Michael Hass; a parcel of land located in Section 7 of Verona Twp.

Maxine N. Rothfuss to Maxine N. Rothfuss Trust; a parcel of land located in Caseville Twp.

Ronald F. Balicki and Nanette P. to Carol A. Devereaux; a parcel of land located in Fairhaven Twp.



FROM: County Probate Judge David Clabuesch

PROBATE COURT

February 20 - 27

Estate of John J. Miller, Jr., Deceased, of Bay Port. File 29,940. Independent Probate, Closing Statement filed, Proof of Service/Non-Service filed.

Estate of Clara M. Clor, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 29,772. Supervised Probate, Report of Sale of Mortgage of Real Estate and Petition for Confirmation filed.

Estate of John Nicholas, Deceased, of Gageton. File 30,045. Independent Probate, Notice to Know Creditors filed, Proof of Service filed.

Estate of Albert L. Corsini, Deceased, of Huron County. File 26,514. Supervised Probate, Two Waivers and Consents filed.

Estate of Harold J. Case, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 30,015. Independent Probate, Two Waivers and Consents filed, Order Granting Supervised Probate and Order Approving Widows Election and Widows Allowance and Equitable Ownership of Automobile filed.

Estate of Celia Talaski, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,786. Supervised Probate, Statements of Attorney Fees filed.

Estate of Lester Phillip Fogle, Deceased, of Bay Port. File 28,911. Independent Probate, Proof of Service/Non-Service filed.

Estate of William Henry Gates, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 25,317. Supervised Probate, Order Allowing Account filed.

Estate of Carrie M. Trumbull, Deceased, of Huron County. Supervised Probate, Order Allowing Account filed.

Estate of William R. Krohn, Deceased, of Huron County. File 26,090. Supervised Probate, Waiver and Consent filed, Order Allowing Account filed.

Estate of Verne Clancy, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,677. Supervised Probate, Account of Fiduciary filed, Notice of Hearing filed.

Estate of Elisabeth Wagner, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 30,102. Independent Probate, Proof of Publication filed.

Estate of Geraldine Pechette, Deceased, of Huron County. File 29,493. Supervised Probate, Account of Fiduciary filed, Notice of Hearing filed.

Estate of Celia Talaski, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 28,786. Supervised probate, Notice of Presentation of Order filed, Proof of Service filed.

Estate of Angeline H. Schelke, Deceased, of Huron County. File 29,778. Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.

Estate of Arthur M. Bach, Deceased, of Caseville. File 29,757. Independent Probate, Certificate of Completion filed.

Estate of Alger B. Fisher, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 30,119. Independent Probate, Petition for Commencement of Proceedings filed, Testimony Interested Parties filed, Waiver and Consent filed, Register's Order filed, Acceptance of Trust filed, Letters of Authority filed, Claims Notice filed.

Estate of Monica Ruth Conrad, Deceased, of Huron County. File 26,660. Supervised Probate, Order of Discharge filed.

Estate of Gerald A. Wisenbaugh, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 30,032. Independent Probate, Waiver and Consent

Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 30,116. Will filed.

Estate of Frank R. Kubacki, Deceased, of Bad Axe. File 29,699. Supervised Probate, Order of Discharge filed.

Estate of Loretta Catherine Talarek, Deceased, of Caseville. File 29,143. Independent Probate, Order to Show Cause filed, Proof of Mailing filed.

Estate of Harold C. Rapson, Deceased, of Port Austin. File 29,789. Independent Probate, Inheritance Tax filed.

Estate of Roy G. Lawrence, Deceased, of Pigeon. File 30,108. Independent Probate, Testimony of Interested Parties filed, Publication and Notice of Hearing filed, Proof of Service/Non-Service filed.

Estate of Welland A. Herford, Deceased, of Huron County. File 30,011. Independent Probate, Proof of Service/Non-Service filed.

Estate of Alfred Glenn Thomas, Deceased, of Harbor Beach. File 39,097. Independent Probate, Two Claims Notices filed.

Estate of Blythe Kellermann, Deceased, of Elkton. File 25,431. Supervised Probate, Account of Fiduciary filed, Two Waivers and Consents filed, Proof of Service/Non-Service filed, Order Allowing Account filed.

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Estate of Johanna A. Schaefer, Deceased, of Gageton. File 29,525. Independent Probate, Report, Petition and Order for Continuing Pendency filed.

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Obituaries

Everything she wanted to know

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DAVID R. THICK 1919-1991

David Ralph Thick, age 72 of Bay Port, passed away Tuesday, Feb. 26 at Veterans Administration Medical Center, Saginaw.

He was born Feb. 8, 1919 in Bay Port, son of the late David Thick Sr. and Altha May (Conger) Thick. He was united in marriage to Marjorie Jean Price on March 4, 1942 in Salina, Kan.

Mr. Thick retired in 1981 as a welder at Pigeon Manufacturing Co. and then began commercial fishing. He was a World War II veteran and a member of Disabled American Veterans No. 54, Huron County and the Tip of the Thumb Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 2236.

He is survived by his wife, Marjorie Jean, Bay Port; one daughter, Carol (Arthur) Dronsella, Gageton; three sons, Dennis R. (Mary Lou) Thick, Gageton, David R. (Linda) Thick, Caseville and Dale R. (Sandy) Thick, Sebawaing; 11 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; his mother, Altha Thick, Bad Axe; four brothers, Daniel of Hemans, Robert of Bay Port, Elvin of Virginia and Donald of Caseville and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, Feb. 27 at 1 p.m. from Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. The Rev. Alger T. Lewis, pastor at Bay Port/Hayes United Methodist churches, officiated. Cremation followed the service. Memorials may be given to the family or the charity of the donor's choice.

Our rapid course was situated between two steep gorges, with Zimbabwe being on the one side and the country of Zambia on the other. After going through the safety rules, we took off on our awesome adventure.

We went through over 20 rapids which were fast moving and exhilarating!! Each one left its mark by leaving us absolutely soaked from head to toe, but we couldn't wait to approach the next rapid!!

To prevent capsizing, we all had to do a little work when nearing and passing through the raging rapids. When our oarsman yelled "Highside" the people in the front had to lunge forward (with their face first into the oncoming rapids) and put all of their weight on the front part of the raft.

Later on in the afternoon of our excursion, as we were traveling through one of the numerous rapids, I fell out! I was sitting in the back part of the raft, when suddenly I saw my feet go above my head! Next thing I knew, I was thrown out of my raft and was being carried down by the forceful rapids!

I wasn't in the water for long before my oarsman swiftly threw a rope to me and safely pulled me back into the raft.

Because the rapids can be quite dangerous, I was a bit scared for a moment. My plunge into the water added some more excitement to my already thrilling experience!

The only bad thing about my rafting trip was when we came to the end of our day and we had to climb to the top of the vertical gorge. Seeing there weren't any escalators or elevators in the near distance, I started my ascending climb to the top. I climbed and climbed, stopping a few times along the way and finally after some immense huffing and puffing I reached my destination, thus ending my stimulating day of white water rafting!!!

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THANK YOU I Am Grateful For The Support That Was Given To Me In The Recent Village Of Pigeon Primary Election

— VOTE —
Durwood "BUTCH" Miller
Pigeon Village Trustee

Your Continued Support In The Upcoming General Election On Monday, March 11, 1991 Would Be Appreciated

— PAID FOR BY THE CANDIDATE —

OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE Caseville, Michigan

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Caseville Village Council will hold a public hearing on March 21, 1991 at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room of the Village Twp. Hall, 6767 Main Street, Caseville, MI. The purpose of the Public Hearing is to review ordinances) pertaining to the Village of Caseville Recycling Project.

PAMELA J. STAHL - Village Controller/Deputy Clerk

OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE Caseville, Michigan

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL - FEB. 25, 1991

Meeting called to order by Forrest Williams, President Pro-Tem at 9:25 p.m. ROLL CALL: present - Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Tom Rose, Lee Merideth, Dave Lecznar, William Goslee. Absent - Alice Hart, Frank Malosky.

Resolution 91-23 to pay bills as presented. Roll call - all ayes. Resolution carried.

Motion to approve re-budget motions for the 1990-1991 fiscal year as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion to adopt the 1991-1992 fiscal year budget as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

RECYCLING COMMITTEE: Public hearing set for March 21, 1991 at 7:00 p.m. for the review of recycling ordinances as required by the Clean Michigan Community Recycling grant. Special meeting to follow at 7:45 p.m.

Motion to adjourn at 9:45 p.m. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

PAMELA J. STAHL - Village Controller/Deputy Clerk
(A complete copy of the minutes may be obtained by contacting the Village Hall.)

OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE
Village of CASEVILLE Caseville, Michigan

PUBLIC HEARING OF THE CASEVILLE VILLAGE COUNCIL - FEB. 25, 1991

Public Hearing called to order by Forrest Williams, President PRO-TEM at 8:06 P.M. Roll call - Present: Bruce McCormick, Forrest Williams, Tom Rose, Lee Merideth, William Goslee, Dave Lecznar. Absent: Alice Hart, Frank Malosky. Public Hearing was called to review the proposed 1991-1992 fiscal year budget.

Motion to adjourn at 9:20 p.m. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

PAMELA J. STAHL - Village Controller/Deputy Clerk
(A complete copy of the minutes may be obtained by contacting the Village Hall.)

Pigeon news notes

Recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Elftman were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hales of St. Louis, Mo. and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stodola and Joe of Jenson. Joining them for Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kuhl and family of Sebawaing and Mr. and Mrs. David Elftman.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rathke spent last Sunday with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rathke, Pamela, Kristine and Mark in Sterling Heights.

On Sunday, Mrs. Frank Deming and son, Tom attended the Family Support bowling group at the Almac Lanes in Bad Axe.

The Esther Circle of Cross Lutheran Women met Monday, March 4 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Tate. The topic was presented by Mrs. Ruth Hamilton.

The Sarah Circle of the Cross Lutheran Women met March 5 at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. June Sturm. Mrs. Gertrude Schuette presented the topic.

The Lydia Circle of the Cross Lutheran Women met

Pigeon news notes

By **DOROTHY DIENER**
The Luther League of Cross Lutheran Church met Sunday, March 3, 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. The topic was "Secrets on getting along with your Parents."

Devotions were lead by Jill Gardy. Jenny Wheeler was in charge of games and snacks were furnished by Melissa Haley.

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-George Merideth -1 John 5:14

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North M-25, Caseville
Sunday Service 10:00 a.m. • 856-3925

AKRON COMMUNITY CHURCH
3703 Main St., Akron
For Pastoral Care 691-5614
Sunday Worship 10 am • SS 11 am

ASSEMBLY OF GOD — BAD AXE —
Rev. David McLane
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Sunday Evening 6:00 pm
Wednesday Evening Bible Study and Youth Service 7:00 pm

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
7889 Unionville Road
Sebewaing • 883-3854
Rev. John Dearing

A FRIENDLY CHURCH
SUNDAY: 9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service
6 pm Sunday Night Worship
WEDNESDAY: 7:00 pm Bible Study

BAD AXE 1ST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, BAD AXE
Pastor David Divaly
Service 10:00 am • Nursery Prov.
Sunday School 11:00 am

BAY PORT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Alger T. Lewis
Sunday Worship 9:30 am
Church School 10:30 am

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, CASEVILLE
Pastor James Duprey
Sunday School 10:00 am
Worship Service 11:00 am
Evening Service 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Meeting 6 pm

CASEVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Greg Mayberry
Sunday School 9:00 am
Nursery 10:15 am
Sunday Worship 10:15 am
Bible Study 6:00 pm

CHANDLER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - ELKTON
Filion Rd. - Rev. Matthew Ameson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

CALL PHONE-A-STORY - 453-3111
COMMUNITY WESLEYAN CHURCH - 5171 WHALEN ST. (M-142) - ELKTON
Pastor DeWeerd Smith
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Sunday Evening 7:00 pm
Wednesday Evening 7:00 pm

COLLING CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
5063 Colling Rd., Unionville
SUNDAY: 10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
6:00 pm Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7 pm Prayer Service
1st WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH
Missions meeting 7 pm

CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON ELCA
Raymond E. Orth, Pastor
Sunday Worship
8:30 am and 10:45 am
Sunday School 9:45 am

ELKTON MISSIONARY CHURCH
Rev. Larry Salsbury
WORSHIP HOUR: 8:45 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 am
Worship Hour 11:00 am
Adult Bible Study - Wed. 7:30 pm
Sunday Evening Service 7 pm

ELKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Jim James
Morning Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:45 am
Jr. High & Sr. High Youth 6 pm
Evening Service 7:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 pm

FAITH BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Lynn A. Randall
Corner M-25 and Haist Road
Sunday School 10 am
Morning Preaching 11 am
Sunday Evening 6 pm
Wednesday Mid-week 7 pm

FAIR HAVEN COMMUNITY MENNONITE CHURCH
Rev. Wayne J. Keim
Sunday School 10:30 am
Morning Worship 9:30 am

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Family Church
325 N. Center, Sebewaing
SUNDAY
10:00 am Morning Worship
FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH OF BAD AXE
Pastor Howard Turnbull
Sunday School 10:00 am
Sunday Worship 11:00 am
Sun. Evening Worship 7:30 pm
Wednesday Evening Adult Bible Study 7:30 pm

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. James P. Schwandt
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:15

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH - Caseville
Missouri Synod
856-4850
M-25 & Crescent Beach Rd.
Pastor John F. Mueller
Sun. Worship 8 am & 10:30 am
Sunday School 9:15 am

HARVEST BAPTIST CHURCH
3409 Akron Road, Akron
Rev. Don Miller 674-2785
SUNDAY
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service
7:00 pm Evening Service
WEDNESDAY
7:30 pm Service

HAYES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Alger T. Lewis
Sunday School 10:00 am
Sunday Worship 11:00 am

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Stanley Surman
8370 Unionville Rd., Sebewaing
MASSES: 7:00 pm Saturday
8:00 am & 10:00 am Sun.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING-Missouri Synod
Rev. Martin Hagenow
Vicar Wayne Huebner
Sunday School 9:15 am
Sun. Worship 8 am & 10:30 am
Radio Broadcasting 10:30 a.m.
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KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
1276 Pigeon Road Bad Axe
SUNDAY: 10:00 am Bible Lecture
11:00 am Discussion of "The Watchtower"

MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE CHURCH, PIGEON
Morning Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:30 am
Evening Service 7:00 pm

MORAVIAN CHURCH
2711 Cass, Unionville
Rev. Olaf Andersen
9:15 am Divine Worship
10:30 am Sunday School
6:30 pm Youth Fellowship

NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH WELS, Sebewaing
Corner of Grove & 5th Sts.
Rev. Keith Sivertly
SUNDAY
9:00 am Divine Worship Service
10:15 am Sunday School
THURSDAY
7:00 pm Worship Service

PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH
Thomas Beachy, Pastor
Sunday Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:30 am
Sunday Evening 7:00 pm
Evening Bible Study
Wednesday 7:00 pm

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT
Elder Ervin Haley
Terry Brown - Associate
10:00 A.M. Church School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
(3rd Sunday Each Month)
10:00 A.M. Crafts
11:00 A.M. Junior Church
Providing Food Pantry

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, CASEVILLE
Elder Dennis Abbe
Morning Worship 10:00 am
Preaching Service 11:00 am
PHONE: 453-2284

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE
(5 Miles South of Elkton)
Delores Gardner, Pastor
Early Morning Worship 10:00 am
Church School 10:00 am
Preaching Service 11:00 am

SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. Steven Miller
Church School 9:30 am
Morning Service 10:30 am

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST, UNIONVILLE
3302 Bay St.
Pastor Hans Killius
SATURDAY: 9:15 am Worship Service
11:00 am Bible Study for All Ages

ST. FELIX CATHOLIC CHURCH, PINNEBOG
Sr. Mary Ellen McDonald
Saturday Evening Mass 4:00 pm
Sunday Masses 8:15 am
Confessions Sat. 5-5:30 pm

ST. FRANCIS BORGIA CATHOLIC CHURCH, PIGEON
Fr. Bernard Skornia
Saturday Evening Mass 6:00 pm
Sunday Masses 8 & 10:00 am
Weekday Masses 8:15 am
Confessions Sat. 5-5:30 pm

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, KILMANAGH
Missouri Synod
Rev. Jeffrey B. Walsh
Sunday Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:30 am
Holy Communion 2nd & 4th Sunday Every Month

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
8271 Crescent Beach Road
Sand Point
SUNDAY: 8:30 am Worship
Rev. Ellen C. Rutherford

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BERNIE
Wisconsin Synod
Pastor James Gorsegnor
Worship Services
8:30 and 10:30 am
Sunday School 9:30 am

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Missouri Synod
Rev. Ray R. Ohlendorf
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Rev. Paul Stohmann
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SUNDAY
Rev. Robert Clancy
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9:00 am Sunday School
& Bible Class
1st & 3rd Sundays
Holy Communion

ST. ROCH CATHOLIC CHURCH, Caseville
Saturday Mass 6:00 pm
Sunday Mass 9:00 am

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Elkton
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Eugene Andrus
Sunday School 8:45 am
Church School 10:00 am
Holy Communion 1st & 3rd
Sundays of the Month

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Rev. Lawrence C. Brooks
SUNDAY: 9:30 am Sunday School
10:45 am Worship Service

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AKRON - 691-5134
Rev. Michael Ingersoll
SUNDAY: 9:45 am Sunday School
10:45 am Worship

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Mary F. Neil
Owendale - Sunday
10:00 am Church School
11:00 am Morning Worship
Gagetown - Sunday
9:30 am Morning Worship
10:30 am Church School

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Unionville
Rev. George Lewis
SUNDAY: 9:15 am Worship Service
10:15 am Sunday School

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Wisner
Rev. Mark Karis - SUNDAY:
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10:30 am Morning Worship
Study And Growth Groups
Tuesday Evenings at Homes,
Thursday Evenings at Church

Bay Shore's Youth Center walls are going up!

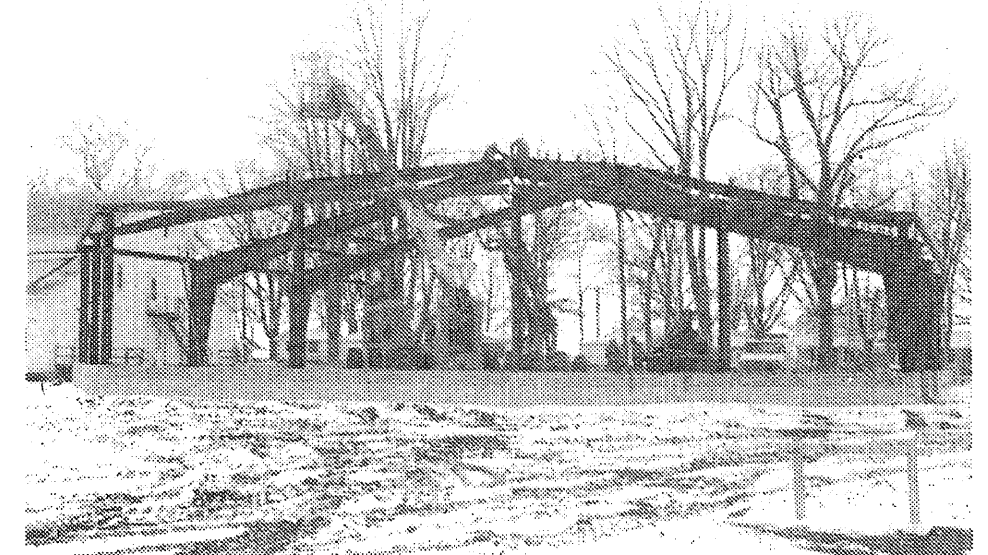
With the long awaited arrival of steel trusses, construction of Bay Shore Camp's multi-purpose Youth Center has progressed to what Camp Director Lew Tibbitts describes as "Phase II."

Phase I or site preparation for the 160 ft. x 80 ft. single-story structure was completed in December. Phase II of the pre-engineered steel building includes erection of walls, roof, doors and overall enclosure. Tibbitts stated the camp's contractor, FED Corporation of Gladwin, has estimated Phase II will be completed by March 19.

Whether or not the camp will go ahead immediately with Phase III, completion of the building, in time for the 1991 camping season, will be determined at a Monday, March 11 meeting of Bay Shore Evangelical Association.


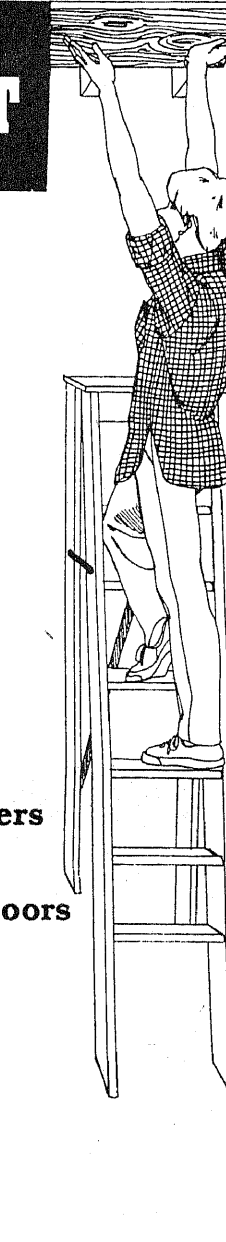
When finished and equipped, the Youth Center will house 100 ft. x 80 ft. gymnasium, stage, restrooms, locker/shower rooms and kitchenette. Total cost has been set at \$275,000. Tibbitts described the Center's future use as "a real asset to the camp."

Bay Shore Camp has been a presence in in the Sebewaing area since 1911 and is a member of Christian Camping International. More than half of the 759 children and youth who participated in the camp's 1990 season are from the Upper Thumb three-county area.



WALLS ARE GOING up on a multi-purpose Youth Center at Bay Shore Camp in Sebewaing. Construction schedules call for the building to be enclosed by mid-March.

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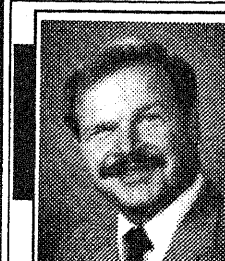
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John A. Champagne
— Director —

WHAT IS PROBATE?

Her speech on her "dream career" of Ophthalmology took first place in the region.

The first round included 10,000 fourth and fifth graders in this region. There were 156 students at St. Charles.

Lundberg will compete in the final round at the State Level on March 23 in Lansing.

Pigeon news

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stevenson and family were last weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stevenson in Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rathje returned home last Wednesday after spending a week vacationing in Florida.

Probate has negative connotations for most people. It is actually a fairly straightforward legal process that, ultimately, can protect the interests of the individual.

Probate, from a Latin word meaning "to prove," simply refers to the court proceedings required to settle an estate. In some states, the purpose of probate is to establish the legal status of a written instrument like a will and to furnish the means of establishing an existing right. Some estates, because plans were made for all assets to be passed outside the will, do not require settlement by probate. Understandably, some estates settled through probate are quite involved and lengthy; others handled quite simply.

When someone dies, a person possessing the deceased's will is required to file the will with the court. There are requirements for filing, for inventory, and notification. Aside from these procedures, the court may also handle guardianship arrangements, and names an administrator in the case of intestacy (no will.)

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Elkton Village President's Corner

By GEORGE WILLOUGHBY

Lonnie Hedley was appointed the new police chief at the Feb. 5 meeting. I made that appointment because it is my belief that we couldn't have found a more qualified person to be Elkton's police chief.

Lonnie has been with us for 15 years, he knows the town and the people. The Police Committee, the council and myself have discussed our expectations of the police chief and the overall operation of the police department

with Lonnie and we are all in agreement.

We will be seeking a full time patrol officer and hopefully will hire that person at the March meeting.

We attempted operating the Police Department by utilization of part time officers since last November. This did not prove to be a very effective operation for the Police Department.

Several concerns have been expressed over the council renting a storage

building from one of the council members for \$300 per month plus utilities. This is nothing new as we have rented space in buildings owned by council members for years in the past.

The difference is that we needed a larger building with heat and was immediately available.

The building we are renting meets those needs and is over four times as large and cost only about three times as much. The building used

last year did not have heat and one piece of equipment froze causing over a \$900 repair bill.

Our lease on the new building is from month to month and nothing long term which permits us to take advantage of any opportunities that may come up in the future. After checking into the cost of renting other buildings in town, it is apparent that the village has entered into a very good lease agreement.

Council also approved the expenditure of \$3,500 for remodeling village hall. New carpet will be installed. It is important that we keep our buildings looking good and present a favorable image to everyone who may be considering moving to Elkton.

Continuing with my policy of keeping you informed of what is going on in village hall (must explain the action taken by council, in regards to our financial policies and procedures.

The ultimate responsibility of the financial affairs of the village rest directly on the shoulders of the village president. One of the promises I made when running for office is that we would make improvements in this area.

During the past couple of months the Finance Committee and I have spent a considerable number of hours reviewing the current accounting and budgetary policies.

As a result of this review I made the recommendation that a more complete audit

necessary after getting into the remodeling project.

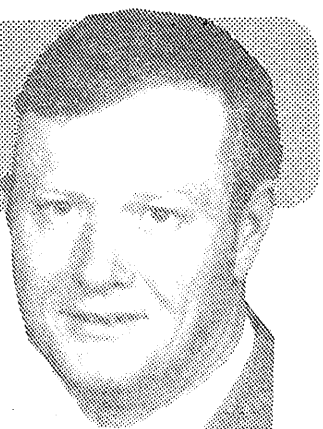
As many of you know the youth center is coming along well and will be one of the showcases in our town. This building belongs to the village and when completed will be worth at least twice as much as we have invested.

I also recommended the services of a CPA be retained to review these new policies and offer any additional recommendations or amendments as needed.

Council approved these recommendations and when they have been implemented our budgetary concerns should be adequately addressed.

In closing I can assure you that the village is in very good financial condition. This council and I have expended a great deal of time and energy in taking the steps necessary to assure the government is responding to the needs of the village.

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of our books be done this year in order to assure that we begin the new fiscal year on the right foot. The council approved new budgetary policies during the October 1990 meeting which will be fully implemented on March 1.

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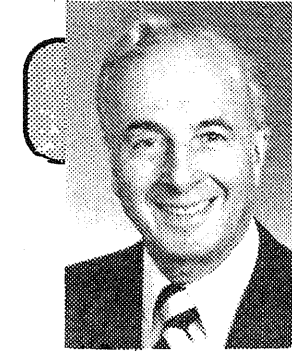
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DEAR MR. ROSS: I'm 26 and have nothing to show for it. I was adopted at 4 and kicked out into the real world at 14. I'm a high school dropout and so is my common law wife of seven years. She is on welfare and supports me and her eight-year-old daughter.

We have no phone, no car and no insurance and to top it all off, she is 12 weeks pregnant. This new addition to the family was an accident. I thought that I was sterile and am now blessed to know that I'm not.

I'm very excited to know that I've created something good in my life, but now comes the reality of the word "money."

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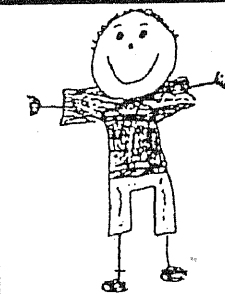
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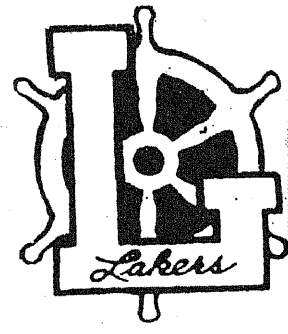
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1977 FORD 1/2 ton pickup four wheel drive, \$1800 or best. 883-3681. 37-39c

GOVERNMENT SEIZED vehicles from \$100. Corvettes, Chevs, Porsches, and other confiscated properties. For Buyers Guide (800)772-9212 ext 6895. Also open evenings & weekends. 37pd

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THE NEW RAVE IS: Under-CoverWear lingerie parties. Receive a free garment just for booking a party in March. Mary 872-4167. 46-47p

FOR SALE - 2 PROM DRESSES - Royal blue size 15-16, Light blue size 13-14, worn once, reasonable. Call 674-2948. 47p

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COMING EVENTS

Fishing Tackle Auction
 Saturday March 16
 7 pm
 Gateway Sportsman's Club
 M-25, Unionville
 Mike Sheridan, Auctioneer
 for more information call
 Don Martin 883-3492

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE: GE Electric Stove, 883-3657, Seb. after 6:00 pm 46-47p

COMING SOON! Satow's Spring Sell-A-Bration, March 13-16. We will close at 1 p.m. Tuesday, March 12 to prepare for this sale. SATOW'S Home of Fine Furnishings, Downtown Sebewaing. 47cn

CARPET - I have access to several thousand yards of top quality Stainmaster, Worry Free, 100% nylon carpet. I will carpet your living room and hall in a great new 100% nylon plush, or sculptured carpet, choice of colors \$289. Price includes carpet, pad and installation, based on 30 sq. yds., add 3 bedrooms, save even more \$699, based on 75 sq. yds. Call Todd at (517) 738-5900. 47-50cf

We are Remodeling and have the following to sell: Green Carpeting, excellent condition, downstairs & upstairs; GE Range, Microwave, Kitchen Aid Dish-washer; Andersen Windows, less than 10 years old; Painted Kitchen Cabinets; Kitchen Linoleum. Call 453-3329 after 6 p.m. 37-39n/c

FOR SALE: Black and brown metal shelf (wrought iron and wood-grain) 6 ft. 3 in. long, 5 ft. high 9 in. deep \$12, 9 in. black and white TV, plays good, \$10 Please call 883-3586 47p

MISCELLANEOUS

LAI D OFF - Need temporary health insurance. Call Oth-ers-en Insurance Agency for further information. 674-2547. 34tn/cn

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FOR SALE: 60 acres of farmland located on Berger Rd. near Sebewaing. Tiled, diked and fully tillable. If interested call 856-3255, Caseville. Ask for Martha Heiser! 45-47p

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PERSONAL

KAREN, wouldn't want this message to sound nerdy. Just to wish you a happy "30"! Love, DOUG AND MICHELLE 37c



GOTCHYA! Happy Birthday Grandma
Love, Shawn, Chad, Jason, Jessica, Kyle & Kevin 37pd

Look who is finally turning the speed limit this year. It's **KEN WINTER!**



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Openings available at Love 'N Learn Day Care, Elkon, State - Licensed. Call 375-4075 or 375-4592. 35c

ADOPTION: Married couple want to adopt baby. Legal, confidential 517-646-9805 Collect. 46-47p

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7:30 p.m. at SEBEWAING MASONIC TEMPLE 47cn

I'm Proud You're My Dad Happy 50th Birthday
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18th Happy Birthdays
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I WOULD LIKE TO THANK everyone who helped us with donations of clothes, furniture, dishes and linens and their many kindnesses when our trailer burned. Thank you, Danny and Steven Wideman. 47p

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

There are times when death is a relief. We thank GOD He chose to take Don at this time. We will be forever grateful to the ALLEN HOME CARE so that we could fulfill Don's desire to "pass away" at home. In no way could we ever have done it without their services. Our sincere "Thank You" to Rev. Brooks, Dr. Khan, family, friends and neighbors, (also my customers being so understanding and patient). The flowers, memorials, food, cards and comforting words are truly appreciated. Thank you and God bless each of you. Venetta Schobert, David & Janice Schobert - Jim & Diane Menzel and Grandchildren. 47p
Lost: Siamese cat, declawed, brown seal point, white flea collar, Sebawaing area, 883-3792 REWARD. 47cf

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK the fire departments, neighbors and friends for their help, kind words and encouragement on the day of our barn fire. Also a big thanks to all who helped clean up the following week. MERLIN AND PAT YODER 37c

We wish to thank our relatives friends and neighbors for their overwhelming show of love and concern at the time of sorrow in the passing of our loved Husband, Father, and Grandfather, Roy Wildman. A very special thanks to Pastor R. Clancy for his comforting words and many visits. Thank you all for the flowers, memorials, cards and visits. We also thank the St. Peters Ladies Aid for the delicious dinner they served after the funeral. We appreciate the many comforts Warren & Sandy extended to us. Thank you Art Nitz for the beautiful solo and Sheree, organist, and the Palbearers. May God bless you all. The Family of Roy Wildman 47cf

A SINCERE THANK YOU to Dr. Kahn and the nurses at Scheurer Hospital for the special care given to Mom while she was in the hospital. Our thanks also to Father Surman for his visits and prayers, and to all of our friends, relatives, and neighbors for the cards, gifts, flowers, food, and especially for the donations to the American Cancer Society. May God bless you all. Sincerely, The Family of Madelyn Pitcher 47p

Thank You, A Prayerful thanks for the many, many cards I received while at St. Mary's and at home, also for flowers, gifts and food brought to the house. Special "Thanks" to Pastor Orth and the Cross Telephone Prayer Chain for the many prayers to all the visitors since I'm home, also to the Good Lord for being at my side with Dr. Feldo and Dr. Akbar and nurses at St. Mary's in Saginaw, during my back surgery. All is greatly appreciated. Bless You All, Dorothy Diener

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THANKS
The family of Leon Gruehn, would like to thank everyone who remembered us in our time of sorrow. A very special thanks of appreciation to Rev. Brooks for your comforting words, and to Sharee Goebel for the beautiful music. Thanks to our dear relatives, neighbors and friends for your prayers, flowers, memorials and food, we are so grateful. Thank you Alpha Delta for serving the funeral. Thanks to Sebawaing Ambulance Crew for your devoted service. To Sandy and Warren Juengel your kindness & consideration was very special. We are so deeply grateful for the support & strength given to each of us. God Blessed us richly with a wonderful husband, father & grandfather. 47p

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