**Bach-Kilmanagh kids learn about money**

Kilmanagh students at the Bach-Kilmanagh Lutheran School have been learning about money. The kindergarten program, which is quite successful, was initiated by the school. The students are learning about the value of money and how to use it wisely.

**It’s a boy!**

Larissa Deiter, 35, and her husband, Andrew, welcome their new son, Michael. Michael was born at 8:05 am on March 2nd, weighing 7 lbs and measuring 20 inches long.

**Tykelen’s Peaches**

Tyke is the latest addition to the Deiter family. He was born on March 2nd, weighing 7 lbs and measuring 20 inches long. The family is overjoyed with their new arrival.

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Down Memory Lane

From the Pages of The Soebening Blade

75 YEARS AGO MARCH 8, 1913

Charmingly presented on the program was a mrs. The program will open upon the arrival of the first act, and the afternoon will be filled with such a variety of musical numbers and a vocal recitation planned by the members of the Union College Women's Chorus and Orchestra. The program will be under the direction of Mr. John Keeler, and the orchestra will be under the direction of Miss Eileen A. O'Brien, assisted by Miss Helen Dougherty.

75 YEARS AGO MARCH 18, 1913

The musical concert held Wednesday afternoon in the Soebening Hall was a decided success. Mrs. Henry H. Murphy, Mrs. A. H. Shriver and Miss Dorothy A. O'Brien were in charge of the program, and the audience was greatly enjoyed. The concert was well attended, and many of the members of the orchestra and chorus were present. The program included a variety of songs, instrumental numbers, and a recitation by Miss O'Brien. The concert was well received by the audience, and many were present to enjoy the music.

75 YEARS AGO MARCH 20, 1913

The annual meeting of the Union College Women's Choral Society will be held in the Soebening Hall at 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 20. The program will consist of a variety of songs, instrumental numbers, and a recitation by Miss O'Brien. The meeting will be under the direction of Mr. John Keeler, and the orchestra will be under the direction of Miss Eileen A. O'Brien, assisted by Miss Helen Dougherty.

75 YEARS AGO MARCH 23, 1913

Mrs. John H. Murphy will be present on the program, and her voice will be heard in a variety of songs. The program will also include a variety of instrumental numbers, and a recitation by Miss O'Brien. The meeting will be well attended, and many will be present to enjoy the music. The evening will be a great success, and many will be present to enjoy the music.

From the Pages of The Unionville Crescent

75 YEARS AGO MARCH 3, 1913

Walter M. White, manager of the Unionville Grain Co., has been appointed superintendent of the United States Grain Inspection Service. Mr. White has been with the company for many years and has been a valuable member of the staff.

75 YEARS AGO MARCH 6, 1913

Mrs. Walter M. White has been appointed as the new superintendent of the United States Grain Inspection Service. Mrs. White has been with the company for many years and has been a valuable member of the staff.

75 YEARS AGO MARCH 13, 1913

About 300 people attended the 14th annual meeting of the Unionville Agricultural Society on Thursday evening. The meeting was well attended, and many were present to enjoy the proceedings. The program included a variety of songs, instrumental numbers, and a recitation by Miss O'Brien. The meeting was well received by the audience, and many were present to enjoy the music. The evening was a great success, and many were present to enjoy the music.

From the Pages of The Pigeon Progress & Advance

90 YEARS AGO MARCH 12, 1923

Pigeon High School honor roll students for February are Frances Robinson and Frank Price. They have been named to the honor roll for February.

90 YEARS AGO MARCH 13, 1923

Katie Whiteby, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White, has been graduated from Wofford College. She has been a valuable member of the staff.

90 YEARS AGO MARCH 14, 1923

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White have been named as the new superintendent of the Unionville Agricultural Society. Mrs. White will be in charge of the office, and Mr. White will be in charge of the field work. The new superintendent and his staff will be well received by the audience, and many will be present to enjoy the music. The evening will be a great success, and many will be present to enjoy the music.

From the Pages of The Newsweekly

200 YEARS AGO MARCH 8, 1823

The Unionville newspaper is being published at the rate of one cent per copy. The newspaper is published every Wednesday morning.

200 YEARS AGO MARCH 18, 1823

The Unionville newspaper is being published at the rate of one cent per copy. The newspaper is published every Wednesday morning.

200 YEARS AGO MARCH 25, 1823

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200 YEARS AGO MARCH 30, 1823

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200 YEARS AGO MARCH 31, 1823

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From the Pages of The Anniston Star

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 4, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 5, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 6, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 7, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 8, 1963

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50 YEARS AGO MARCH 9, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 10, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 11, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 12, 1963

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50 YEARS AGO MARCH 15, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 16, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

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50 YEARS AGO MARCH 19, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

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50 YEARS AGO MARCH 21, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 22, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 23, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.

50 YEARS AGO MARCH 24, 1963

Dr. M. K. Bauser, practicing dentist in Anniston, has been appointed by the state to serve as a member of the board of dental education. Dr. Bauser will serve for a term of three years.
Village Election

To the Qualified Electors:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Annual Village Election will be held in the Village of Sebewaing, Township of Sebewaing, River County at 108 W. Main, Village Hall

March 8, 1993

For the Purpose of Electing the
Following Officers:

Village Clerk

3 Trustees

Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls:

ELECTION LAW, ACT 116, M.C.A.

SECTION 2. On the day of any election, the polls shall be opened at 7 o’clock in the morning, and closed at 8 o’clock in the afternoon. Voting shall be by ballot only.

The polls of said election will be open at 7 of clock a.m. and will remain until 8 o’clock p.m. of said day of election.

Herman Nieck, Village Clerk

Sebewaing Village

Notice to Village of Pigeon Residents

The General Election for the Village of Pigeon will be conducted on March 8, 1993. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m.

Following is a list of polling places already fixed for the positions:

VOTE—RODNEY TIEZ

Present Chairman of Streets & Parks

Walter Hood, Village Clerk

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Maurice A. Keels, Village Clerk

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The 3rd Board of Review

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Diehl

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diehl of Sebewaing will be holding their three children's school program.

Dwight and Fred Diehl were married on March 6, 1988 at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church in Sebewaing, Michigan.

The couple had three children: Mark, J.R. and Jennifer.

They have been married 16 years.

Dwight is a carpenter and Fred is a teacher.

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They had school EVERY snowy day!

by Gerald Rehn

Recollections of Bygone Days

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Sue Helen Church, 873-2100, is baking for the Sebewaing Public School Auxiliary's March Madness Bake Sale.

The sale will be held March 7 at 9 a.m. at the school in Sebewaing.

The sale will feature a wide variety of baked goods, including cookies, bars, cakes, pies, and other desserts.

All proceeds from the sale will go towards funding programs and activities for the students at the school.

Make sure to mark your calendars and stop by for some delicious treats and support the school's fundraising efforts!

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AIR CRASH: From Page 1 behind the cockpit and Kough's vertical stabilizer, at the rear of the plane, cut through Key's cockpit. Key was killed immediately when the two planes collided, while Kough was able to elect from the plane and parachute to safety. He was uninjured in the crash.

Moore circled the field, then flew back to Selfridge where he landed safely. Kough managed to travel on foot to a house on Plateau-bog Road where he called his wife, then called Selfridge officials.

Both planes, estimated to cost over $10 million each, were destroyed in the collision.

After the accident, training flights were suspended for several weeks. According to Lt. Col. Brian Downey, a public affairs official with the Michigan Department of Military Affairs, two areas identified as potential contributors to the crash were changed in pilots' flight procedures:

- First, pilots were ordered to use the "basketball technique," in which pilots must break off an engagement if another pilot doesn't immediately repeat, or "bounce back," any radio instructions.

- Fighter pilots change roles during flight exercises and using the basketball technique helps them keep track of who is doing what.

The second area involved the captive training missiles carried by each jet, which in response to the broken-off, will be colored differently for aggressor planes and defender planes.

"The different colors help pilots remember which aircraft are executing which maneuvers," Downey said.

After the collision, all pilots were ordered to be tested on their basic skills before being allowed to resume more complex missions, Downey said.

"Training is done in a series of tests," Downey said. "Some things should never happen. Everybody has made the changes." 

Ness said that any accident anywhere in the world is studied by pilots in all the flying services so that any lessons in safety can be learned and absorbed.

"We try to do things as safely as possible," Ness said. "We want to learn about potential problems so we can head them off."

Situational awareness, or "S-A" in pilot parlance, has been especially stressed to pilots since the mishap, Ness said.

"The little things mean a lot when you're flying an F-16," he said. "The instructors take a close look at what you do to prevent a recurrence of an accident."

The dual crashes was the third accident in the Thumb since 1971.

In 1971, Lt. Gen Gordon Stump was slightly injured when he parachuted to safety after his F-106 malfunctioned and crashed into a field between Bay Port and Sebewaing on Jan. 26, 1971.

And in November 1981, Lt. Michael Young of the Ohio National Guard drowned near Port Hope after parachuting from an A-7 Corsair.

His body has not yet been recovered from Lake Huron. The crashes, coming so close together, caused some to question the National Guard's proposed Thumb MOA, which would have set at 500 ft. the lowest level at which military pilots could fly over Huron County and the Thumb.

The current Peck MOA allows fighter jets to fly at 4,000 to 18,000 ft. The area has two low-altitude high-speed corridors, each eight miles wide, in which planes are allowed to fly at 500 ft.

These corridors are used by pilots on their way to another destination. Exercises such as those being performed by the three Selfridge pilots are always conducted at a high altitude, military officials said.

The proposed Thumb MOA would lower about three-quarters of the current area, 4,000-ft. floor to 500 ft., allowing pilots flying the F-16A to train at low levels over an expanded area.

But a year after the F-16s crashed, the plan is still on hold indefinitely, Downey said. Other officials said that pressure from former State Sen. James Garcia (D-Bay City) may have scuttled the plan.

A year after the crash, Key's fellow pilots and his commander are still coming to grips with his death.

"When you lose a friend, you take a severe downer," Ness said. "It's only been a year and it brings back some difficult memories. He (Key) was a revered individual, very active and religious."

FORMER HURON YOUTH CENTER chairman George Willoughby was honored last week by the members of the Huron Youth Advisory Board. Rev. DwWebb Smith presented a plaque to Willoughby, saying "there wouldn't be this youth center without his vision and commitment. He put in untold hours renovating and repairing the building to benefit the youth of Huron County."

The Youth Center has been operating since last year, and is open every Saturday with activities for teens.

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Volleyball

The Laketon Volleyball team captured their ninth straight league title in the Class D League Conference win over Cass City last Monday, winning 15-8, 15-6, 15-12.

"It was the best league match we've played all year," a jubilant coach Sue Fredericksen said. "The players showed heart and played their hearts out." The Lakers started off on fire, building a 13-5 lead and finishing off the same on a Porn, to serve that the Red Hawks couldn't return. In the second game, the Lakes found themselves down 6-4 when Fredericksen called time out. This seems to slow the Hawks' momentum as Kelly McLellan showed her strength and scored several kills. Coupled with some tough defense by Nicole Kolar, the Lakers scored eight unanswered points. A Cass City timeout failed to slow the Lakers, and when a Hawk kill attempt went out of bounds, the Green Team had grabbed their second game. Hoping to quickly end the match, the Lakers scored a 4-1 lead. But a never-say-die Cass City suddenly got their game going and scored nine straight points.

After more sideouts and some good digging on both teams of the net, the Lakers slowly crept back within two points, 12-10. Then Laketon serving took over when Darlene Jaworski and Kenzie Kolar scored three consecutive points, keeping the Lakers undefeated in league games this year.

The victory gave the Lakes their first victory of the season and left the league standings at 1-0 in a make-up match with Marlette. "I think Cass City helped motivate us because of some actions at an earlier tournament," Fredericksen said. "We sure came ready to play tonight." Once again, McLellan led the team with 15 kills and 12 blocks. Shelly McCauley had 14 kills, four blocks and three kills. Pickle had six blocks, four kills, four digs and four aces.

Amanda Barry had six digs and five blocks. Jaworski had 10 blocks and three kills. Kolar had 13 kills and 12 blocks.

LAKER INVITATIONAL: A Canadian team this past weekend in an exchange of culture and friendship. But another team in Green and White were out our welcome when Pinconning claimed the Laker Invitational crown.

After Laketon team members hosted the Ontario team from London, H. B. Secondary on Friday night, their hospitality ended once they met on the volleyball court in the first match. The Laker-dominated play and defeated H. B. 15-6, 15-6. Against Valley Lutheran, the Lakes built big leads in both games before the Champs came comeback to make the scores 15-12, 15-11.

In their toughest pool match, the Lakers played some intense ball and prevailed 15-11 in the first game with Saginaw Heritage. But the second game was a struggle that intensity evaporated, as the Class A Hawks built a 10-0 lead with good serving.

Finally the Lakes' two top hitters, McLellan and Barry, started to find the open shot and in the Heritage defense. It was but much too late, as they eventually lost 7-15.

"I hope Heritage would be tough and I was very happy with ourcomeback," Fredericksen said. "Even though we lost the second game, I was encouraged by our comeback after being down so far." In the final pool match, everyone saw action for the Lakes against Sandusky, and they put them away 15-4, 15-3.

By finishing second in their pool with a 7-1 record, the Lakers entered the elimination round by facing 8-0 Pinconning in the quarterfinals.

With the Lakers leading 8-7 in the first game, the Spartans' blocking sparked them to a come-from-behind 8-7 win. The second game momentum swung back and forth as both teams held small leads, but neither team could take charge. A Barry kill attempt went long, and the Lakers were through for the day. They watched seventh-ranked Class B Pinconning defeat second-ranked Class D Dryden 15-6, 15-4 and then Heritage in the Finals 15-7, 15-6.

"I thought we played well all day, especially in the Pinconning match," Fredericksen said. "They are one tough team with a diversified attack and they were more consistent than we were, but our defensive digging and effort really was impressive."

I thought Nicole Kolar, Jenny Murdoch and Darlene Jaworski did some great defensive work, and Shelly McCauley had an excellent day setting.

For the day, McLellan had 33 kills, 28 blocks, 15 digs and eight aces. Barry had 25 kills, 28 blocks, 18 digs and six aces. Pickle had 19 blocks, 14 digs, eight kills and eight aces. McCauley had 83 assists, 16 blocks and 15 aces. Jaworski had nine blocks, five kills and five aces.

Amy Mitin had 22 blocks and four kills. Kim Wiechert had three kills and four aces. Kolar had 13 digs and three aces. Murdoch had eight digs and Michelle Bolda had two aces.

The overall record is now 52-8-6. District play begins Saturday at Ubly, against Cass City at about 11:15 a.m.

Basketball

The Casonville Eagles continue their quest for the season's first win, as they lost two games last week. On Tuesday night, they lost to Peck 68-40. A better first half would have made the score much closer, according to Coach Mike Remer.

"We started out slow, but we played a decent second half," Remer said. Kevin Gettel led the Eagles with 19 points, while Bobby Samborsky chipped in with 12 and Ed Geitman scored five.

On Friday, Akron-Fairgrove handed the Eagles a 62-37 loss. Gettel led the Eagles with 12 points, with Geitman canning seven, and Samborsky and Ryan Lackie getting six each.

Even though the door to a win is getting a hard pounding by the USA Patriots, it remained firmly shut Friday when the Patriots met Mayville, who won 72-39.

The Patriots were forced to play without second-leading scorer Jeff Lenhard, who sprained his ankle during warmups. That forced the Patriots to put the ball into Jim Armbruster's hands and Mayville doubled and tripled him all through the first half.

The Patriots were held to only four points in the first half, due to that pressure, but re-grouped in the second half to score 35 points against.

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THE PATS' BILL NIETZKE drives the baseline in action against Sandusky.

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THE PATS' JIM ARMBRUSTER puts up a pair in recent play at USA gym.

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USA VOLLEYBALLER KATHI HORST powers a return over the net in recent play.

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LAKERS' SCOTT HERBERT slips a bounce pass past the Red Raider defense.

Amy Kalden Photo
Home buyers’ meetings coming

Twelve area residents enjoyed the first "AllSmithfield Home Owners’ Consumer Assist Day" which was held in the Smithfield One Center. The event was sponsored by the Smithfield One Chamber of Commerce. Guests had the opportunity to meet with representatives from various home improvement companies. Guests received information on new construction, remodeling, and landscaping.

The next Home Owners’ Consumer Assist Day will be held on the third Sunday of each month at 10 a.m. at the Smithfield One Center.

The March 6 meeting will feature representatives from Greenleaf Homes, Quality Builders, and Smithfield One Realty.

FARMWAYS—SPRING ’93

Here’s an explanation of ‘thick juice’ sugar process

By WALT HUNNELL

The process of making sugar from sugar beets is an old one, dating back to the early 1900s. However, the modern sugar industry has made significant advancements to improve efficiency and reduce environmental impact.

In this process, sugar beets are harvested, washed, and transported to the sugar mill. The beets are then separated into their juice and solid parts. The juice is then concentrated through a series of processes to form a syrup-like substance called sugar syrup.

The syrup is then processed further through a series of dehydration steps, where water is removed from the syrup to increase its concentration and yield a thicker, more concentrated syrup. This thicker syrup is then crystallized to form sugar crystals, which are then separated, dried, and packaged.

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The Lady Pilots were led by senior guard Sheryl Martin, who finished the season with 1,000 career points. Martin was named to the All-State team and received the Miss Basketball Award.

The Lady Pilots’ success was also due to the strong play of seniors Christine Anderson and Tina Johnson, who combined for 40 points in the championship game.

The Lady Pilots’ next goal is to win the state championship. They will face tough competition in the playoffs, but the Lady Pilots are determined to make history.

The St. Paul’s basketball team has a bright future ahead.

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‘93 Thumb farm crop forecast: bright

By AMY HIBBEN

The 1992 farming year closed with plenty of sunshine and a good amount of rain, which helped farmers stay ahead of the crop. The result will be a bumper crop of beans, corn and other field crops.

Farm safety course starts Wednesday

A 4-H Farm Machinery Safety Course will be held at the Huron County Health Department, 402 main St., Bay Port, this week. The course begins Tuesday, March 29, and will meet each Wednesday in March. There will be a fee. Qualified young people should register immediately, by calling 810-843-4060.

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USA’s Kieser nominated as national Ag Teacher of Year

Curt Kieser of Sebewaing has been nominated to compete in the National FFA Organization’s AgriBusiness Teacher of the Year contest. Kieser, who teaches at USA High School, is one of 200 finalists. He was selected for state honors for his dedication to young people pursuing ag careers. The top four finalists will be announced at the FFA’s national convention in Orlando, Fla., in August. The national winner will be chosen from the four finalists. The national winner will be honored at the FFA national convention next August in San Antonio, Texas.

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Ag assessments in Huron rising 11.5%

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This week’s grain markets

Cash markets for Thumb Area Cities of Monday from Commodity Exchange Paul Ellis, Commodity Office, 730-2703.

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Lakers earns 6 golds!

The Lake High School FFA Chapter came out on top at the Regional III Leadership Contest last week, earning six first place gold awards. These first place winners will represent the Region and their school at the state FFA convention at Michigan State University next month. Don Wheeler is FFA Advisor.

**Parliamentary Procedure**

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